

Container Throughput by Discharged/Loaded and Laden/Empty Containers

Thousand TEUs

Year	Containers discharged					
	Laden		Empty		Sub-total	
		(%)		(%)		(%)
1990	1 860	(+13.5)	671	(+14.9)	2 531	(+13.9)
1991	2 338	(+25.7)	721	(+7.5)	3 059	(+20.9)
1992	3 041	(+30.1)	890	(+23.5)	3 932	(+28.5)
1993	3 524	(+15.9)	1 043	(+17.1)	4 566	(+16.1)
1994	4 477	(+27.1)	991	(-4.9)	5 469	(+19.8)
1995	4 965	(+10.9)	1 250	(+26.1)	6 215	(+13.6)
1996	5 135	(+3.4)	1 518	(+21.4)	6 653	(+7.0)
1997	5 522	(+7.5)	1 659	(+9.3)	7 181	(+7.9)
[1997]	[5 464]	[-]	[1 659]	[-]	[7 123]	[-]
1998	5 289	(-3.2)	1 996	(+20.3)	7 284	(+2.3)
1999	5 709	(+7.9)	2 318	(+16.1)	8 027	(+10.2)
2000	6 252	(+9.5)	2 727	(+17.7)	8 979	(+11.9)
2001	6 325	(+1.2)	2 508	(-8.0)	8 833	(-1.6)
2002	6 921	(+9.4)	2 571	(+2.5)	9 492	(+7.5)
2003	7 610	(+9.9)	2 576	(+0.2)	10 186	(+7.3)
2004	8 483	(+11.5)	2 606	(+1.2)	11 089	(+8.9)
2005	8 995	(+6.0)	2 604	(-0.1)	11 599	(+4.6)
2006	9 366	(+4.1)	2 698	(+3.6)	12 064	(+4.0)
2007	9 525	(+1.7)	2 516	(-6.7)	12 041	(-0.2)
2008	9 841	(+3.3)	2 561	(+1.8)	12 402	(+3.0)

Container Throughput by Discharged/Loaded and Laden/Empty Containers (Cont'd)

Thousand TEUs

Year	Containers loaded					
	Laden		Empty		Sub-total	
		(%)		(%)		(%)
1990	2 344	(+13.5)	225	(+28.7)	2 570	(+14.6)
1991	2 864	(+22.2)	239	(+5.8)	3 102	(+20.7)
1992	3 682	(+28.6)	358	(+50.0)	4 040	(+30.2)
1993	4 199	(+14.0)	439	(+22.5)	4 638	(+14.8)
1994	4 976	(+18.5)	605	(+38.0)	5 581	(+20.3)
1995	5 550	(+11.5)	785	(+29.7)	6 335	(+13.5)
1996	5 969	(+7.5)	839	(+6.9)	6 808	(+7.5)
1997	6 410	(+7.4)	976	(+16.4)	7 387	(+8.5)
[1997]	[6 287]	[-]	[976]	[-]	[7 264]	[-]
1998	6 200	(-1.4)	1 097	(+12.4)	7 297	(+0.5)
1999	7 092	(+14.4)	1 092	(-0.5)	8 184	(+12.2)
2000	7 996	(+12.8)	1 122	(+2.7)	9 118	(+11.4)
2001	7 864	(-1.7)	1 129	(+0.7)	8 993	(-1.4)
2002	8 400	(+6.8)	1 252	(+10.8)	9 652	(+7.3)
2003	8 922	(+6.2)	1 341	(+7.2)	10 263	(+6.3)
2004	9 400	(+5.4)	1 495	(+11.4)	10 895	(+6.2)
2005	9 457	(+0.6)	1 545	(+3.4)	11 002	(+1.0)
2006	9 977	(+5.5)	1 497	(-3.1)	11 475	(+4.3)
2007	10 382	(+4.1)	1 575	(+5.2)	11 958	(+4.2)
2008	10 432	(+0.5)	1 661	(+5.4)	12 092	(+1.1)

Container Throughput by Discharged/Loaded and Laden/Empty Containers (Cont'd)

Thousand TEUs

Year	Overall					
	Laden		Empty		Total	
		(%)		(%)		(%)
1990	4 204	(+13.5)	896	(+18.1)	5 101	(+14.3)
1991	5 202	(+23.7)	960	(+7.1)	6 162	(+20.8)
1992	6 723	(+29.2)	1 248	(+30.1)	7 972	(+29.4)
1993	7 723	(+14.9)	1 482	(+18.7)	9 204	(+15.5)
1994	9 453	(+22.4)	1 597	(+7.8)	11 050	(+20.1)
1995	10 515	(+11.2)	2 035	(+27.4)	12 550	(+13.6)
1996	11 104	(+5.6)	2 357	(+15.8)	13 460	(+7.3)
1997	11 932	(+7.5)	2 635	(+11.8)	14 567	(+8.2)
[1997]	[11 751]	[-]	[2 635]	[-]	[14 386]	[-]
1998	11 489	(-2.2)	3 093	(+17.4)	14 582	(+1.4)
1999	12 801	(+11.4)	3 410	(+10.2)	16 211	(+11.2)
2000	14 248	(+11.3)	3 850	(+12.9)	18 098	(+11.6)
2001	14 189	(-0.4)	3 638	(-5.5)	17 826	(-1.5)
2002	15 322	(+8.0)	3 822	(+5.1)	19 144	(+7.4)
2003	16 532	(+7.9)	3 917	(+2.5)	20 449	(+6.8)
2004	17 883	(+8.2)	4 101	(+4.7)	21 984	(+7.5)
2005	18 453	(+3.2)	4 149	(+1.2)	22 602	(+2.8)
2006	19 344	(+4.8)	4 195	(+1.1)	23 539	(+4.1)
2007	19 907	(+2.9)	4 091	(-2.5)	23 998	(+2.0)
2008	20 272	(+1.8)	4 222	(+3.2)	24 494	(+2.1)

- Not applicable () % changes over the same period of preceding year

Note: Starting from 1998, a new series of container throughput statistics has been compiled.

To facilitate comparison, figures for 1997 under the new series are presented in square brackets.