

# Box volumes on upward trend in Melbourne

June 24, 2024



Port of Melbourne handled 281,000 TEUs in May, representing a 10% increase compared to the same month in 2023.

The Australian port reported that full container imports volumes were up in May 2024 against prior year with furniture, domestic appliances and paperboard all above last year's volumes. Additionally, full container exports were increased with timber, hay, chaff & fodder, barley and meats all above last year's volumes. At the same time, total empty container movements were also increased in May.

### Total Container Trade May-24 compared to May-23 (TEU)

May-24	+26.9k	+10.6%
FYTD May-24	+62.6k	+2.1%



#### Full Imports Excl. Bass Strait

May-24:	+14.8k	+15.7%
FYTD May-24:	+21.7k	+1.8%



#### Full Exports Excl. Bass Strait

May-24:	+10.7k	+21.7%
FYTD May-24:	+24.8k	+4.3%



#### Full Bass Strait

May-24:	+0.7k	+3.9%
FYTD May-24:	-2.7k	-1.4%



#### Full Transshipments

May-24:	-4.0k	-23.1%
FYTD May-24:	-4.3k	-2.6%



#### Empty Container Trade

May-24:	+4.6k	+6.2%
FYTD May-24:	+23.1k	+2.8%

### Total Non-Container Trade May-24 compared to May-23 (Rev. Tonnes)

May-24	-83.8k	-3.6%
FYTD May-24	+351.5k	+1.5%



#### Motor Vehicle Trade (Units)

May-24:	-6.8k	-14.5%
FYTD May-24:	-3.3k	-0.7%



#### Liquid Bulk Trade

May-24:	-82.6k	-15.0%
FYTD May-24:	-11.8k	-0.2%



#### Dry Bulk Trade

May-24:	+90.0k	+17.8%
FYTD May-24:	+125.4k	+2.5%



#### Break Bulk Trade

May-24:	-24.6k	-20.6%
FYTD May-24:	-209.9k	-13.3%



#### Other Non-Container Trade

May-24:	+22.7k	+6.3%
FYTD May-24:	+353.5k	+9.9%

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