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Abbreviations

ARA	Antwerp/Rotterdam/Amsterdam range
b/d	Barrels per day
BHP	Brake horsepower
CESA	Community of European Shipbuilders
cgt	Compensated gross tonnage
cif	Cost, insurance, freight
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
COD	Country of Domicile
CPE	Centrally-planned Economies
CPI	Consumer price index
cST	Centi Stokes
cu.m	Cubic metres (also m3)
DB	Double bottom
DC	Developing Countries
DH	Double hull
DIS	Danish International Ship Register
DME	Developed market economies
DS	Double sides
dwt	Deadweight tons
d/y	Day/year
ECB	European Central Bank
EMEs	Emerging Market Economies
EU	European Union
FY	Fiscal year
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
fio	Free in and out
fob	Free on board
FT	Freight tons
ft	Foot
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
gt	Gross tonnage
hl	heavy load
HP	Horsepower
HT	Harbour ton
ibf	Intermediate bunker fuel
IEA	International Energy Agency
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
in.	Inch
ITF	International Transport Workers Federation
km	Kilometre
loa	Length overall
lbs	Pounds
LDT	Light displacement tons
LDC	Less Developed Countries
LNG	Liquefied Natural Gas
LPG	Liquefied Petroleum Gas
LT	Long ton
m	Metre
mbd	Million barrel per day
mdo	Marine diesel oil
MED	Mediterranean
MfA	Marine fishing area
mill	Million
M/T	Motor tanker
MT	Metric tons
mtd	per ton fob delivered
mth	Month
mtw	Per ton ex wharf
n.a.	Not available
NDRF	National Defence Reserve Fleet
n.e.c.	Not elsewhere classified
neg.	Negligible
NIS	Norwegian International Ship Register
no	Number
NODC	Non-oil Producing Developing Countries
nrt	Net register tonnage
nt	Net tonnage
NWE,NW	Northwest Europe
o.a.	Over all
OBO	Ore/bulk/oil carrier
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
O/O	Ore/oil carrier
OPEC	Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries
OR	Ordinary Register
P/C	Products carrier
Pr/OBO	Product/ore-bulk-oil carrier
r	Revised
Ro/ro	Roll-on/roll-off
RT	Revenue ton
SAR	Special administration region
SBT	Ship segregated ballast tanks
SDR	Special drawing rights
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ST	Short ton
t	Ton/tonne
TB	Tug/barge
TEU	Twenty feet equivalent unit
TKB	Tanker barge
T/S	Tanker/steam
T/T	Tanker/turbine
ULCC	Ultra large crude carrier
USAC	United States Atlantic Coast
USD	US Dollar
VLCC	Very large crude carrier
VLOC	Very large ore carrier
WS	Worldscale
WTO	World Trade Organization
YR, YRS	Year, Years

Symbols

...	Data not available
-	Nil
0/0.0	Less than half of unit employed
1995-2004	From 1995 to 2004 inclusive
2002/03	Crop year, fiscal year etc., beginning in 2002 and terminating in 2003

Billions means a thousand million

Detailed items in tables do not necessarily add to totals because of rounding

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