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PREFACE

This report represents statistics on shipping activity at the ports of Jamaica on a monthly basis. In this time series format, users are afforded the opportunity to view current data and make comparison with past periods.

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GLOSSARY

1. *Public Wharf*

A wharf facility which receives, stores and delivers cargo of varying types and usage on behalf of any importer/exporter.

2. *Sufferance Wharf*

A private owned facility which handles a limited range of cargo usually only for specific usage by the owner.

3. *Domestic Cargo*

Cargo of national origin or destination for national use.

4. *Transshipment Cargo*

Cargo, which is in transit, i.e. destined for another port.

5. *Bulk Cargo*

Loose cargo: cargo, which is not in packages or containers, e.g. Gypsum.

6. *Break bulk Cargo*

Units of packages or palletised cargo, e.g. flour in bags

7. *Ro/Ro Ship (Roll on / Roll off)*

Type of ship with hatch door which can be released to form a ramp allowing mobile units to move directly into and out of hold; there is thus, no need for container lifting equipment.

8. *Lo/Lo Ship (Lift on / Lift off)*

Container ship with own lifting equipment or requirement quay-side lifting equipment in order to discharge and load containers.

9. Stevedore

One who undertakes stowage of cargo, loading and unloading of ships.

10. Mobile Unit or Motor Unit

Units for shipment which can be removed on own wheels or are capable of being removed to / from ship side under own motive power or towed.

11. Strip

Unloading cargo from containers at Container Freight Station.

12. Stuff

Loading cargo into containers at Container Freight Station

13. Gross Registered Tonnage (G.R.T.)

The capacity of the spaces (in cu. ft) within the hull of a ship and the enclosed spaces above deck available for cargo, stores, fuel, passengers and crew. (100 cu. ft = 1 gross ton).

14. Net Registered Tonnage (N.R.T.)

Derived from G.R.T. with deduction of spaces used for accommodation, navigation and propelling machinery.

15. Weight

Metric Tonnes – 1,000 kg.

16. Wharf (Revenue) Tons

Tonnage on which wharfage is calculated at Breakbulk wharves; dependent on whether an item of cargo is weighted or measure:

40 cu ft. = 1 Revenue Ton

2,240 lb = 1 Revenue Ton

17. Freight Ton

Also, a revenue ton. It is exclusive to the Container Terminal and is determined by the shipping line:

40 cu. ft = 1 Revenue Ton

2,240 lb = 1 Revenue Ton

TABLE 1

TOTAL VESSEL VISITS BY MAJOR FACILITY AND PORT OF CALL															
	TOTAL	Kingston	Kingston	Kingston	Montego	Ocho	Port	Port	Port	Port	Rio	Rocky	Other	Port	
	ALL SHIPS	Free. Term.	Wharves	Suff. Wh	Bay	Falmouth	Rios	Antonio	Esquivel	Kaiser	Rhoades	Bueno	Point	Ports	Royal
2018	3,558	1,169	863	236	482	161	195	5	115	77	78	47	91	39	-
2019	3,217	1,148	732	226	407	139	202	9	104	39	67	45	67	32	-
2020	3,227	1,451	864	206	333	29	84	1	92	2	68	33	57	4	3
2021	3,050	1,455	868	211	256	11	39	1	80	-	54	26	43	6	-
Jan. 2022	264	116	74	19	25	4	12	-	6	-	5	2	-	-	1
Feb	247	110	64	17	22	5	16	-	5	-	4	2	-	2	-
March	267	116	70	20	23	10	11	-	6	-	5	2	-	2	2
April	267	120	68	26	22	6	7	-	9	1	4	3	1	-	-
May	263	119	72	15	28	10	4	-	7	-	5	2	-	1	-
June	258	116	62	19	27	9	7	-	10	-	4	4	-	-	-
July	245	108	61	14	25	8	8	-	10	-	4	5	2	-	-
August	258	114	64	19	29	10	8	-	7	-	3	4	-	-	-
Sept.	253	107	64	21	30	9	6	-	7	-	4	3	2	-	-
Oct.	271	117	64	26	28	8	10	-	8	-	3	4	3	-	-
Nov.	282	117	64	18	33	14	18	1	6	-	4	5	2	-	-
Dec.	301	123	65	17	37	16	21	2	13	-	4	3	3	-	-
Total	3,176	1,383	792	231	327	109	128	3	93	1	49	39	13	5	3
Jan. 2023	324	128	69	27	44	17	22	-	8	-	3	3	3	-	-
Feb	277	115	57	18	37	14	22	-	8	-	2	2	2	-	-
March	310	122	66	25	37	20	21	-	10	-	3	2	4	-	-
April	290	144	67	18	25	8	13	-	6	-	3	3	3	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,201	509	259	88	143	59	78	-	32	-	11	10	12	-	-

Source: Pilotage Daily Reports

*Port Royal Cruise Port commence operation on Jan. 20, 2020

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The figures include all ships: - Cruise, Cargo and Ships on Miscellaneous visits.

Reasons for difference in vessel calls at KCT:

- Vessels being counted twice i.e cargo operation not being completed on the day of arrival and finishes on another day (CRPD captures the first arrival)
- Vessels that are trucked over to KCT from KW are counted in KCT's figures (CRPD captures only the first movement)

TABLE 1 : 1

CARGO AND MISCELLANEOUS VESSEL VISITS TO THE MAJOR PORTS											
	CARGO VESSEL VISITS								MISCELLANEOUS VESSEL VISITS		
	TOTAL CARGO SHIPS	Kingston Free. Term.	Kingston Wharves	Kingston Suff. Wh	Montego Bay	Ocho Rios	Port Antonio	Other Outports	Kingston	Out Ports	TOTAL MISC
2018	2,920	1,164	796	235	261	16	-	448	71	193	264
2019	2,683	1,138	701	227	260	18	-	369	42	145	187
2020	923	406	265	65	99	3	-	85	9	32	41
2021	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jan. 2022	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jan. 2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Pilotage Daily Reports;

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May-December 2020 - Data is unavailable

TABLE 1 : 2

NUMBER & TYPE OF SHIPS TO KINGSTON								
	TOTAL	CONTAINER	RO/RO	NERAL CAR	DRY BULK	TANKER	CRUISE	OTHER
2018	3,011	1,658	192	174	415	473	-	99
2019	2,752	1,542	178	164	385	441	-	42
2020	936	566	57	63	98	139	3	10
Jan. 2022	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jan. 2023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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TABLE 2

CRUISE SHIP, PASSENGER ARRIVALS AND CREW BY PORT OF CALL																		
	CRUISE SHIP CALLS						ARRIVING PASSENGERS						CREW MEMBERS					
	TOTAL CALLS	OCHO RIOS	MONTEGO BAY	FALMOUTH PIER	PORT ANTONIO	OTHER	TOTAL PASS.	OCHO RIOS	MONTEGO BAY	FALMOUTH PIER	PORT ANTONIO	OTHER KINGSTON	TOTAL CREW	OCHO RIOS	MONTEGO BAY	FALMOUTH PIER	PORT ANTONIO	OTHER
2018	544	178	200	161	5	-	1,845,730	586,723	512,563	744,671	1,773	-	648,493	200,415	180,840	266,071	1,167	-
2019	457	184	127	139	7	-	1,502,110	577,498	358,865	564,267	1,480	-	544,477	201,632	140,164	201,468	1,213	-
2020	150	72	45	29	1	3	429,829	229,312	80,714	115,530	64	4,209	170,472	82,569	43,664	42,302	62	1,875
2021	48	31	5	11	1	-	69,567	48,569	4,846	16,071	81	-	49,791	34,526	3,214	11,788	263	-
Jan. 2022	18	11	2	4	-	1	19,833	11,557	1,069	6,867	-	340	17,918	11,413	1,014	5,078	-	413
Feb.	20	15	-	5	-	-	27,964	18,123	-	9,841	-	-	22,685	16,046	-	6,639	-	-
Mar.	30	10	8	10	-	2	46,829	18,202	6,956	20,372	-	1,299	27,817	10,828	3,969	12,195	-	825
April	17	7	4	6	-	-	46,913	19,664	5,842	21,407	-	-	19,986	8,407	2,982	8,597	-	-
May	18	3	5	10	-	-	62,552	10,812	18,003	33,737	-	-	24,772	4,230	6,279	14,263	-	-
June	20	7	4	9	-	-	74,748	24,208	15,770	34,770	-	-	26,157	9,062	4,942	12,153	-	-
July	18	6	4	8	-	-	74,856	24,584	15,777	34,495	-	-	25,423	8,288	5,147	11,988	-	-
Aug.	21	8	3	10	-	-	81,753	31,714	11,809	38,230	-	-	29,023	11,232	3,973	13,818	-	-
Sept.	18	5	4	9	-	-	67,692	18,427	14,048	35,217	-	-	25,290	6,691	5,129	13,470	-	-
Oct.	21	8	5	8	-	-	73,632	27,927	14,982	30,723	-	-	27,411	10,441	5,489	11,481	-	-
Nov.	42	18	9	14	1	-	112,745	50,298	14,025	48,009	413	-	46,018	20,926	6,354	18,363	375	-
Dec	50	20	12	16	2	-	143,173	57,986	25,076	59,591	520	-	57,017	23,293	10,463	22,792	469	-
Total	293	118	60	109	3	3	832,690	313,502	143,357	373,259	933	1,639	349,517	140,857	55,741	150,837	844	1,238
Jan. 2023	59	21	21	17	-	-	150,916	62,628	28,326	59,962	-	-	59,421	24,547	12,394	22,480	-	-
Feb.	46	20	12	14	-	-	138,379	63,586	19,783	55,010	-	-	54,622	25,090	9,203	20,329	-	-
Mar.	52	18	14	20	-	-	170,236	61,799	21,176	87,261	-	-	61,816	22,995	8,501	30,320	-	-
April	23	11	4	8	-	-	88,746	40,312	15,576	32,858	-	-	74,357	14,160	48,981	11,216	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	180	70	51	59	-	-	548,277	228,325	84,861	235,091	-	-	250,216	86,792	79,079	84,345	-	-

Source: Cruise Vessels Information Sheet

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NB: The Cruise Ships were counted on arrival at the port but the passengers were counted on arrival at the first port of call only.

*The onset of COVID-19 as at March 10, 2020

TABLE 3

DOMESTIC CARGO HANDLED AT KINGSTON PUBLIC WHARVES									
(WHARF TONS)									
	BOTH WHARVES			KINGSTON FREEPORT TERMINAL LTD			KINGSTON WHARVES		
	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded
2018	4,913,717	389,246	3,099,535	2,715,617	383,918	2,203,428	2,203,428	2,198,100	5,328
2019	5,466,249	5,038,417	427,832	3,251,074	2,858,316	424,304	2,183,629	2,180,101	3,528
2020	5,253,355	4,698,331	555,024	3,215,281	2,810,930	404,351	2,038,074	1,887,401	150,673
2021	5,867,346	5,223,894	643,451	3,538,393	3,050,045	488,348	2,328,953	2,173,850	155,103
Jan. 2022	480,842	429,360	51,482	320,981	281,572	39,409	159,861	147,788	12,073
Feb.	457,657	383,519	74,138	298,312	235,641	62,671	159,344	147,878	11,467
Mar.	532,458	451,123	81,335	322,600	252,801	69,799	209,858	198,322	11,536
April	472,955	418,216	54,739	320,675	277,179	43,496	152,280	141,037	11,243
May	555,934	494,982	60,952	357,852	309,611	48,241	198,082	185,371	12,711
June	534,054	474,088	59,966	349,748	301,911	47,837	184,306	172,177	12,129
July	581,078	524,140	56,938	375,817	330,176	45,641	205,261	193,964	11,297
Aug.	503,606	451,179	52,427	335,771	293,770	42,001	167,835	157,409	10,426
Sept.	541,343	490,382	50,961	348,494	309,048	39,446	192,849	181,334	11,515
Oct.	594,132	545,736	48,396	387,249	351,480	35,769	206,883	194,256	12,627
Nov.	535,040	476,531	58,509	370,609	324,752	45,857	164,431	151,779	12,652
Dec.	558,598	508,909	49,689	379,651	341,238	38,413	178,947	167,671	11,276
Total	6,347,697	5,648,165	699,533	4,167,759	3,609,179	558,580	2,179,938	2,038,985	140,953
Jan. 2023	481,572	430,303	51,269	305,263	266,864	38,399	176,309	163,439	12,870
Feb.	459,868	407,891	51,977	291,445	251,860	39,585	168,423	156,031	12,392
Mar.	518,381	458,471	59,910	348,379	301,336	47,043	170,002	157,135	12,867
April	477,761	424,925	52,836	309,138	270,794	38,344	168,623	154,131	14,492
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,937,582	1,721,590	215,992	1,254,225	1,090,854	163,371	683,357	630,736	52,621

Source: Kingston Wharves Ltd Database and Kingston Container Terminal Wharfage Report.

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TABLE 4.1

	TRANSSHIPMENT AND DOMESTIC CARGO HANDLED AT JAMAICA'S PORTS											
	(METRIC TONNES)											
	TRANSSHIPMENT CARGO						DOMESTIC CARGO					
	KINGSTON WHARVES LTD			KINGSTON FREEPORT TERMINAL LTD			PORT OF KINGSTON			OUTPORTS		
	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded
2018	359,423	347,759	11,664	12,472,028	6,248,538	6,223,490	6,063,364	5,753,138	310,226	11,114,276	4,418,370	6,695,906
2019	710,257	704,446	5,812	11,113,607	5,577,522	5,536,085	6,160,822	5,812,878	347,944	9,676,757	3,611,330	6,065,427
2020	463,540	460,215	3,325	10,828,394	5,446,765	5,381,629	5,479,549	4,918,553	560,996	7,685,029	2,178,576	5,506,454
2021	760,560	755,820	4,740	14,076,050	7,022,338	7,053,712	6,147,037	5,587,055	559,982	6,611,252	2,113,372	4,497,880
Jan. 2022	71,822	71,527	295	1,306,848	657,665	649,183	487,705	448,428	39,277	488,939	142,721	346,218
Feb.	71,809	71,809	-	1,219,236	601,620	617,616	432,249	366,719	65,530	453,209	180,080	273,129
March	98,499	95,447	3,052	1,136,731	545,773	590,958	548,403	508,592	39,811	460,460	148,349	312,111
April	91,756	91,640	116	1,220,397	594,582	625,815	522,321	464,372	57,949	461,578	166,536	295,042
May	121,660	120,866	794	1,268,463	646,453	622,010	430,337	380,123	50,214	500,752	174,254	326,498
June	102,313	101,660	653	1,208,770	598,894	609,876	528,678	475,220	53,458	552,706	225,819	326,887
July	126,708	125,654	1,054	1,304,853	658,895	645,958	473,339	433,034	40,305	568,249	266,959	301,290
Aug.	99,813	97,285	2,528	1,273,800	649,931	623,869	427,239	386,326	40,913	466,951	228,840	238,111
Sept.	74,580	73,783	797	1,235,406	636,494	598,912	541,562	483,572	57,990	407,726	133,949	273,777
Oct.	85,665	85,529	136	1,270,879	628,151	642,728	615,002	561,880	53,122	586,022	226,329	359,693
Nov.	95,830	95,746	83	1,169,091	569,488	599,603	445,953	391,928	54,025	465,305	97,812	367,493
Dec.	71,901	71,901	-	1,102,233	539,966	562,267	553,212	507,322	45,890	581,461	211,497	369,964
Total	1,112,356	1,102,848	9,509	14,716,707	7,327,912	7,388,795	6,005,998	5,407,515	598,483	5,993,359	2,203,146	3,790,213
Jan. 2023	74,975	74,523	453	973,905	477,032	496,873	552,057	413,264	138,793	472,830	183,043	289,787
Feb.	70,984	70,984	-	802,438	406,830	395,608	444,804	347,509	97,295	426,877	175,321	251,556
March	91,806	91,549	257	1,019,508	508,673	510,835	573,130	409,594	163,536	630,577	287,033	343,544
April	76,038	76,038	-	1,288,766	638,906	649,860	476,917	413,554	63,363	476,406	132,526	343,880
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	313,804	313,094	710	4,084,617	2,031,441	2,053,176	2,046,908	1,583,921	462,987	2,006,690	777,923	1,228,767

Source: Ship Manifests & PAJ Database

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TABLE 5

DOMESTIC CARGO HANDLED AT THE PORT OF KINGSTON												
(METRIC TONNES)												
	TOTAL CARGO			KINGSTON FREEPORT TERMINAL LTD			KINGSTON WHARVES			KINGSTON SUFFERANCE WHARVES		
	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded
2018	6,063,364	5,753,138	310,226	1,237,203	1,033,036	204,167	2,238,787	2,233,373	5,414	2,587,374	2,486,729	100,645
2019	6,160,822	5,812,878	347,944	1,388,694	1,203,044	185,650	2,218,709	2,215,084	3,625	2,553,419	2,394,750	158,669
2020	5,479,549	4,918,553	560,996	1,193,392	1,049,670	143,722	2,074,173	1,886,350	187,823	2,211,984	1,982,533	229,451
2021	6,147,037	5,587,055	559,982	1,260,051	1,092,125	167,926	2,366,327	2,208,733	157,594	2,520,660	2,286,198	234,462
Jan. 2022	487,705	448,428	39,277	123,031	106,540	16,491	162,426	150,159	12,267	202,248	191,729	10,519
Feb.	432,249	366,719	65,530	111,193	89,137	22,056	161,902	150,251	11,651	159,154	127,331	31,823
Mar.	548,403	508,592	39,811	97,841	79,585	18,256	213,226	201,504	11,722	237,336	227,503	9,833
April	522,321	464,372	57,949	123,673	105,876	17,797	154,544	143,301	11,243	244,104	215,195	28,909
May	430,337	380,123	50,214	134,439	113,430	21,009	201,261	188,346	12,915	94,637	78,347	16,290
June	528,678	475,220	53,458	140,588	117,107	23,481	187,263	174,939	12,324	200,827	183,174	17,653
July	473,339	433,034	40,305	137,687	122,225	15,462	208,555	197,076	11,479	127,097	113,733	13,364
Aug.	427,239	386,326	40,913	129,950	116,515	13,435	170,528	159,934	10,594	126,761	109,877	16,884
Sept.	541,562	483,572	57,990	140,524	118,116	22,408	195,944	184,244	11,700	205,094	181,212	23,882
Oct.	615,002	561,880	53,122	157,929	140,787	17,142	210,204	197,374	12,830	246,869	223,719	23,150
Nov.	445,953	391,928	54,025	139,581	117,260	22,321	167,070	154,215	12,855	139,302	120,453	18,849
Dec.	553,212	507,322	45,890	146,155	126,238	19,917	181,819	170,362	11,457	225,238	210,722	14,516
Total	6,005,998	5,407,515	598,483	1,582,591	1,352,816	229,775	2,214,742	2,071,705	143,037	2,208,665	1,982,994	225,671
Jan. 2023	552,057	413,264	138,793	111,657	96,347	15,310	179,138	166,062	13,076	261,262	150,855	110,407
Feb.	444,804	347,509	97,295	113,468	96,420	17,048	171,124	158,534	12,590	160,212	92,555	67,657
Mar.	573,130	409,594	163,536	123,957	102,385	21,572	172,730	159,656	13,074	276,443	147,553	128,890
April	476,917	413,554	63,363	130,635	109,716	20,919	171,330	156,605	14,725	174,952	147,233	27,719
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2,046,908	1,583,921	462,987	479,717	404,868	74,849	694,322	640,857	53,465	872,869	538,196	334,673

Source: Ship Manifests, PAJ Database

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TABLE 5 : 1

LIQUID & DRY CARGO HANDLED AT KINGSTON SUFFERANCE WHARVES									
(TONNES)									
	TOTAL			LIQUID BULK			DRY BULK		
	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded
2018	2,587,374	2,486,729	100,645	1,973,485	1,968,852	4,633	613,889	517,877	96,012
2019	2,553,419	2,394,750	158,669	1,981,499	1,952,654	28,845	571,920	442,096	129,824
2020	2,211,984	1,982,533	229,451	1,701,961	1,580,197	121,763	510,023	402,336	107,687
2021	2,520,660	2,286,198	234,462	1,696,326	1,622,867	73,459	824,334	663,331	161,003
Jan. 2022	202,248	191,729	10,519	148,251	148,251	0	53,997	43,478	10,519
Feb.	159,154	127,331	31,823	101,736	101,736	0	57,417	25,595	31,823
Mar.	237,336	227,503	9,833	148,987	148,987	0	88,349	78,516	9,833
April	244,104	215,195	28,909	183,905	183,905	0	60,198	31,290	28,909
May	94,637	78,347	16,290	59,301	59,301	0	35,336	19,046	16,290
June	200,827	183,174	17,653	107,457	102,362	5,096	93,370	80,813	12,557
July	127,097	113,733	13,364	104,564	95,331	9,233	22,533	18,402	4,131
Aug.	126,761	109,877	16,884	100,252	100,252	0	26,509	9,625	16,884
Sept.	205,094	181,212	23,882	132,232	132,232	0	72,862	48,980	23,882
Oct.	246,869	223,719	23,150	161,409	161,409	0	85,460	62,310	23,150
Nov.	139,302	120,453	18,849	72,806	72,806	0	66,496	47,647	18,849
Dec.	225,238	210,722	14,516	196,783	196,783	0	28,455	13,939	14,516
Total	2,208,665	1,982,994	225,671	1,517,683	1,503,355	14,329	690,982	479,640	211,343
Jan. 2023	261,262	150,855	110,407	100,034	100,034	-	161,228	50,821	110,407
Feb.	160,212	92,555	67,657	84,782	73,590	11,192	75,430	18,965	56,465
Mar.	276,443	147,553	128,890	168,466	133,191	35,275	107,977	14,362	93,615
April	174,952	147,233	27,719	100,000	94,755	5,245	74,952	52,478	22,474
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	872,869	538,196	334,673	453,282	401,570	51,712	419,587	136,626	282,961

Source: Ship Manifests, PAJ Database

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TABLE 6

CARGO HANDLED AT THE PORT OF MONTEGO BAY & OTHER OUTPORTS (TONNES)									
	TOTAL			PORT OF MONTEGO BAY			OTHER OUTPORTS		
	TOTAL	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded	Total	Discharged	Loaded
2018	11,114,276	4,418,370	6,695,906	795,079	792,999	2,080	10,319,197	3,625,371	6,693,826
2019	9,676,757	3,611,330	6,065,427	833,741	832,328	1,413	8,843,016	2,779,002	6,064,014
2020	7,685,029	2,178,576	5,506,454	626,817	626,287	530	7,058,213	1,552,289	5,505,924
2021	6,611,252	2,113,372	4,497,880	660,496	660,130	366	5,950,756	1,453,242	4,497,514
Jan. 2022	488,939	142,721	346,218	55,487	55,454	33	433,452	87,267	346,185
Feb.	453,209	180,080	273,129	72,512	72,490	22	380,697	107,590	273,107
Mar.	460,460	148,349	312,111	55,747	55,740	7	404,713	92,609	312,104
April	461,578	166,536	295,042	66,638	66,621	17	394,940	99,915	295,025
May	500,752	174,254	326,498	92,917	92,834	83	407,835	81,420	326,415
June	552,706	225,819	326,887	67,512	67,512	-	485,194	158,307	326,887
July	568,249	266,959	301,290	76,185	76,185	-	492,064	190,774	301,290
Aug.	466,951	228,840	238,111	92,319	92,288	31	374,632	136,552	238,080
Sept.	407,726	133,949	273,777	70,272	70,270	2	337,454	63,679	273,775
Oct.	586,022	226,329	359,693	90,184	90,184	-	495,838	136,145	359,693
Nov.	465,305	97,812	367,493	47,890	47,865	25	417,415	49,947	367,468
Dec.	581,461	211,497	369,964	64,266	64,212	54	517,195	147,285	369,910
Total	5,993,359	2,203,146	3,790,213	851,929	851,655	274	5,141,430	1,351,491	3,789,939
Jan. 2023	472,830	183,043	289,787	82,118	78,900	3,218	390,712	104,143	286,569
Feb.	426,877	175,321	251,556	50,374	50,336	38	376,503	124,985	251,518
Mar.	630,577	287,033	343,544	113,235	113,221	14	517,342	173,812	343,530
April	476,406	132,526	343,880	50,151	50,132	19	426,255	82,394	343,861
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2,006,690	777,923	1,228,767	295,878	292,589	3,289	1,710,812	485,334	1,225,478

Source: Ship manifests, PAJ Database.

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TABLE 6 : 1

KEY EXPORTED / IMPORTED COMMODITIES BY FACILITY (M/T)
BAUXITE / ALUMINA

	TOTAL	BAUXITE	ALUMINA				SUGAR	OTHER	OTHER	MOTOR UNITS HANDLED AT KWL			
	BAUX / ALUM	POR I RHOADES	TOTAL	POR I ESQUIVEL	POR I KAISER	ROCKY POINT	OCHO RIOS	IMPORTED CRUDE OIL	IMP. PET. PROD.	Imported Units	Imported Tonnage	Exported Units	Exp. Tonnage
2018	6,588,888	4,113,436	2,475,452	498,827	731,494	1,245,131	6,407	725,109	715,275	43,113	599,044	9	119
2019	5,562,808	3,584,184	1,978,624	439,242	500,576	1,038,806	12,890	1,212,694	535,029	48,885	654,672	-	-
2020	5,326,385	3,732,480	1,593,905	505,495	-	1,088,410	3,341	1,042,336	346,810	34,630	496,442	12	468
2021	4,145,337	3,135,587	1,009,750	334,503	-	675,247	5,919	927,825	611,866	39,354	543,505	102	1,923
Jan. 2022	336,778	289,892	46,886	46,886	-	-	-	89,455	46,700	2,695	35,882	-	-
Feb.	238,782	238,782	-	-	-	-	-	95,712	533	2,341	34,834	1	10
March	304,186	291,386	12,800	12,800	-	-	-	90,410	40,249	3,517	49,358	-	-
April	303,607	231,222	72,385	42,352	15,858	14,175	-	90,046	67,663	2,350	32,758	3	21
May	324,460	314,460	10,000	10,000	-	-	-	15,400	3,476	3,478	49,401	2	31
June	325,542	252,417	73,125	73,125	-	-	-	43,951	1,747	3,167	42,015	3	135
July	258,671	251,671	7,000	7,000	-	-	-	49,709	9,233	5,624	66,968	-	-
Aug.	231,826	190,380	41,446	41,446	-	-	-	51,183	42,915	3,720	48,718	1	115
Sept.	271,101	229,602	41,499	10,000	-	31,499	-	49,677	76,236	3,464	49,960	3	75
Oct.	271,609	173,860	97,749	30,000	-	67,749	-	139,515	8,991	3,695	47,085	1	13
Nov.	357,734	249,293	108,441	45,441	-	63,000	-	44,600	25,533	1,869	29,512	15	17
Dec.	356,303	253,101	103,202	40,203	-	62,999	-	137,739	39,125	4,229	34,165	-	-
Total	3,580,599	2,966,066	614,533	359,253	15,858	239,422	-	897,397	362,401	40,149	520,656	29	417
Jan. 2023	308,234	190,456	117,778	73,003	-	44,775	-	44,549	51,685	2,820	35,937	2	21
Feb.	168,415	126,915	41,500	10,000	-	31,500	-	50,518	20,384	4,053	51,515	2	89
March	293,580	190,380	103,200	39,705	-	63,495	-	49,186	101,826	3,290	42,588	2	48
April	253,096	188,198	64,898	-	-	64,898	-	7,496	80,281	2,810	36,737	1	13
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sept.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	1,023,325	695,949	327,376	122,708	-	204,668	-	151,749	254,176	12,973	166,777	7	171

Source; Pilotage Daily Report & PAJ Database

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TABLE 7

**2019 CLASSIFICATION OF SHIPS ARRIVING AT JAMAICA'S PORT
BY GROSS REGISTERED TONNAGE**

ALL ISLAND				KINGSTON			OUTPORTS				
SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT
271	< 500 TONS	9,131	34	179	< 500 TONS	8,259	46	92	< 500 TONS	872	9
13	500 < 1,000	7,581	583	4	500 < 1,000	2,603	651	9	500 < 1,000	4,978	553
6	1,000 < 1,500	6,192	1,032	4	1,000 < 1,500	4,040	1,010	2	1,000 < 1,500	2,152	1,076
18	1,500 < 2,000	34,496	1,916	4	1,500 < 2,000	7,701	1,925	14	1,500 < 2,000	26,795	1,914
38	2,000 < 3,000	99,542	2,620	30	2,000 < 3,000	79,721	2,657	8	2,000 < 3,000	19,821	2,478
9	3,000 < 4,000	32,501	3,611	6	3,000 < 4,000	20,664	3,444	3	3,000 < 4,000	11,837	3,946
22	4,000 < 5,000	103,875	4,722	8	4,000 < 5,000	36,766	4,596	14	4,000 < 5,000	67,109	4,794
125	5,000 < 6,000	706,899	5,655	77	5,000 < 6,000	438,723	5,698	48	5,000 < 6,000	268,176	5,587
89	6,000 < 7,000	576,077	6,473	52	6,000 < 7,000	337,330	6,487	37	6,000 < 7,000	238,747	6,453
384	7,000 < 8,000	2,883,244	7,508	298	7,000 < 8,000	2,253,832	7,563	86	7,000 < 8,000	629,412	7,319
33	8,000 < 9,000	252,079	7,639	6	8,000 < 9,000	50,236	8,373	27	8,000 < 9,000	201,843	7,476
375	9,000 < 10,000	3,722,139	9,926	356	9,000 < 10,000	3,538,442	9,939	19	9,000 < 10,000	183,697	9,668
1,856	10,000 & >	101,212,916	54,533	1,082	10,000 & >	41,108,350	37,993	774	10,000 & >	60,104,566	77,654
3,239	TOTAL	109,646,672	33,852	2,106	TOTAL	47,886,667	22,738	1,133	TOTAL	61,760,005	54,510

Source: Ship's Tonnage Certificate, PAJ Database

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TABLE 8

**2018 CLASSIFICATION OF SHIPS ARRIVING AT JAMAICA'S PORT
BY GROSS REGISTERED TONNAGE**

ALL ISLAND				KINGSTON				OUTPORTS			
SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT
101	< 500 TONS	8,946	89	74	< 500 TONS	7,028	95	27	< 500 TONS	1,918	71
11	500 < 1,000	6,053	550	1	500 < 1,000	537	537	10	500 < 1,000	5,516	552
7	1,000 < 1,500	9,786	1,398	1	1,000 < 1,500	1,350	1,350	6	1,000 < 1,500	8,436	1,406
25	1,500 < 2,000	44,589	1,784	16	1,500 < 2,000	27,613	1,726	9	1,500 < 2,000	16,976	1,886
37	2,000 < 3,000	98,363	2,658	25	2,000 < 3,000	68,683	2,747	12	2,000 < 3,000	29,680	2,473
23	3,000 < 4,000	84,915	3,692	10	3,000 < 4,000	34,820	3,482	13	3,000 < 4,000	50,095	3,853
40	4,000 < 5,000	189,110	4,728	15	4,000 < 5,000	70,220	4,681	25	4,000 < 5,000	118,890	4,756
125	5,000 < 6,000	716,376	5,731	73	5,000 < 6,000	422,793	5,792	47	5,000 < 6,000	293,583	6,246
109	6,000 < 7,000	735,633	6,749	63	6,000 < 7,000	413,744	6,567	46	6,000 < 7,000	321,889	6,998
489	7,000 < 8,000	3,687,086	7,540	374	7,000 < 8,000	2,806,647	7,504	115	7,000 < 8,000	880,439	7,656
47	8,000 < 9,000	385,927	8,211	6	8,000 < 9,000	50,536	8,423	41	8,000 < 9,000	335,391	8,180
483	9,000 < 10,000	4,810,264	9,959	24	9,000 < 10,000	4,321,652	180,069	51	9,000 < 10,000	488,612	9,581
2,064	10,000 & >	115,704,792	56,059	18	10,000 & >	43,866,524	2,437,029	1	10,000 & >	71,838,268	71,838,268
3,561	TOTAL	126,481,840	35,519	700	TOTAL	52,092,147	74,417	403	TOTAL	74,389,693	184,590

Source: Ship's Tonnage Certificate, PAJ Database

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TABLE 9

**2017 CLASSIFICATION OF SHIPS ARRIVING AT JAMAICA'S PORT
BY GROSS REGISTERED TONNAGE**

ALL ISLAND				KINGSTON				OUTPORTS			
SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT
31	< 500 TONS	5,490	177	24	< 500 TONS	4,651	194	7	< 500 TONS	839	120
8	500 < 1,000	5,301	663	3	500 < 1,000	1,855	618	5	500 < 1,000	3,446	689
13	1,000 < 1,500	17,419	1,340	5	1,000 < 1,500	6,384	1,277	8	1,000 < 1,500	11,035	1,379
12	1,500 < 2,000	20,857	1,738	11	1,500 < 2,000	18,877	1,716	1	1,500 < 2,000	1,980	1,980
31	2,000 < 3,000	78,577	2,535	21	2,000 < 3,000	54,433	2,592	10	2,000 < 3,000	24,144	2,414
23	3,000 < 4,000	81,688	3,552	17	3,000 < 4,000	58,683	3,452	6	3,000 < 4,000	23,005	3,834
11	4,000 < 5,000	50,081	4,553	6	4,000 < 5,000	25,902	4,317	5	4,000 < 5,000	24,179	4,836
144	5,000 < 6,000	806,370	5,600	97	5,000 < 6,000	543,731	5,605	47	5,000 < 6,000	262,639	5,588
170	6,000 < 7,000	1,106,162	6,507	74	6,000 < 7,000	480,556	6,494	96	6,000 < 7,000	625,606	6,517
447	7,000 < 8,000	3,372,524	7,545	319	7,000 < 8,000	2,398,220	7,518	128	7,000 < 8,000	974,304	7,612
63	8,000 < 9,000	526,881	8,363	16	8,000 < 9,000	135,978	8,499	47	8,000 < 9,000	390,903	8,317
500	9,000 < 10,000	4,955,435	9,911	24	9,000 < 10,000	4,710,998	196,292	25	9,000 < 10,000	244,437	9,777
2,046	10,000 & >	116,419,590	56,901	18	10,000 & >	41,764,064	2,320,226	1	10,000 & >	74,655,526	74,655,526
3,499	TOTAL	127,446,375	36,424	635	TOTAL	50,204,332	79,062	386	TOTAL	77,242,043	200,109

Source: Ship's Tonnage Certificate, PAJ Database

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TABLE 10

**2016 CLASSIFICATION OF SHIPS ARRIVING AT JAMAICA'S PORT
BY GROSS REGISTERED TONNAGE**

ALL ISLAND				KINGSTON				OUTPORTS			
SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT	SHIP CALLS	GRT DIVISION	TOTAL GRT	AVER. GRT
24	< 500 TONS	3,094	129	19	< 500 TONS	3,094	163	5	< 500 TONS	-	-
3	500 < 1,000	2,397	799	1	500 < 1,000	830	830	2	500 < 1,000	1,567	784
2	1,000 < 1,500	2,341	1,171	1	1,000 < 1,500	1,181	1,181	1	1,000 < 1,500	1,160	1,160
13	1,500 < 2,000	23,662	1,820	13	1,500 < 2,000	23,662	1,820	-	1,500 < 2,000	-	-
34	2,000 < 3,000	86,705	2,550	25	2,000 < 3,000	64,159	2,566	9	2,000 < 3,000	22,546	2,505
35	3,000 < 4,000	115,636	3,304	25	3,000 < 4,000	82,162	3,286	10	3,000 < 4,000	33,474	3,347
40	4,000 < 5,000	179,938	4,498	23	4,000 < 5,000	99,308	4,318	17	4,000 < 5,000	80,630	4,743
147	5,000 < 6,000	826,048	5,619	100	5,000 < 6,000	564,702	5,647	47	5,000 < 6,000	261,346	5,561
173	6,000 < 7,000	1,122,501	6,488	110	6,000 < 7,000	717,751	6,525	63	6,000 < 7,000	404,750	6,425
417	7,000 < 8,000	3,140,867	7,532	325	7,000 < 8,000	2,444,772	7,522	92	7,000 < 8,000	696,095	7,566
73	8,000 < 9,000	597,819	8,189	16	8,000 < 9,000	135,324	8,458	57	8,000 < 9,000	462,495	8,114
522	9,000 < 10,000	5,154,155	9,874	24	9,000 < 10,000	4,884,892	203,537	28	9,000 < 10,000	269,263	9,617
2,121	10,000 & >	109,255,172	51,511	18	10,000 & >	45,086,112	2,504,784	1	10,000 & >	64,169,060	64,169,060
3,604	TOTAL	120,510,335	33,438	700	TOTAL	54,107,949	77,297	332	TOTAL	66,402,386	200,007

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