

Operational Update

17 January 2024

Overall Operational Status

Key points: Container terminal yard utilisation is 61% today.

Terminal operations are running well however berth windows are significantly affected by delays to vessels offshore largely from the ongoing industrial dispute in Australia between DP World/MUA.

We are seeing an increasing number of vessels losing days on their original ETA. An example being this coming week where we are seeing no vessels across the weekend, this adds pressure to the berth in the following weeks due to increase (or bunching) of vessels; adding to the volatility in demand.

We expect this situation to be ongoing for some time and continue to monitor the potential for congestion to build as we move towards Auckland Anniversary Day weekend (27 – 29 January) and Waitangi Day holiday on the 6th February which will create two short working weeks to manage the flow of containers through the Port and across the supply chain.

Please continue to monitor POAL Website for vessel movements and cargo receival windows.

Marine Services

Operating well.

Container Terminal Vessels at Anchor

Nil

There are no ongoing wait times at the anchorage but are managing a high number of services operating off window.

Alongside working:	'MSC MANU KE350A' (KEX)
Berthing 18 th January:	'TAKUTAI CHIEF 0137' (PACCOS)
	'KOTA LUMBA LUM121' (CNS)
Berthing 22 nd January:	'CAP JACKSON 350S' (PANZ)
	'DERBY D 482NA' (CNS)
Berthing 23 rd January:	'AS SIMONE 402E' (POLARI)
	'MIA SCHULTE 2331' (ANLTRZ)
Berthing 24 th January:	'NORTHERN DEXTERITY KE351A' (KEX)
	'ANTWERP BRIDGE 229' (NZS)

Vessel berthing dates are indicative, check our <u>website</u> for the most current info for both Multi-cargo and Container Terminal.

Link/On-dock Empty Container Depot – Link facility is at 40% utilisation.

Road Services – Average turn times are 21 minutes. In the last 48 hours 1,594 import containers left the terminal via road and 184 left via rail.

Due to low demand for VBS bookings, Fergusson Container Terminal R&D will have **kiosk only operation** from 1900 Saturday to 0700 Sunday.

Trucking companies will need to ensure that any trucks arriving during the kiosk only operation time are:

- Containers are Express Pinned for use of the Pre-gate Kiosks located in the Fergusson Truck Park.
- Email Export Hazardous Certificates to Driver Assist before 1800 hours Saturday evening
- Supply their Drivers with Hazardous Certificates for Imports
- Are on time for their bookings

For companies running empties into Link please ask your drivers to use both entry lanes to avoid queues forming out onto Tamaki Drive.

Rail Services – Services running as expected.

Multi-Cargo (MC) Operations

Berth and Yard Capacity – Container/Bulk berths and yard currently at approx. 60% capacity and should remain at 60% over the next week.

PCC Car volumes in the yard currently at approx. 10% capacity and will increase to approx. 70% by the end of the week

Road Services – Container and Breakbulk R&D is well controlled. Car transporter operations are steady.

The Multi-Cargo truck grid is flowing well and is being managed accordingly. R&D service issues must be directed to the Shipping Line and their nominated

stevedore directly keeping our MC team in copy.

Vehicle Transporters are encouraged to communicate with Multi Cargo Ops for staging areas and any subsequent issues.

Additional reminder to all drivers: you must drive and operate to the weather conditions and adhere to the road markings/signs.

Ports of Auckland operational status:

Normal or	Service degraded,	Service severely degraded,	
nearly normal	some delays	major delays	

Friendly reminders: Customer Services enquiries should continue to be directed to <u>CustomerServiceC@poal.co.nz</u>. The team can be reached via their normal phone number: **09 348 5360**, Monday to Friday 07:00hrs to 19:00hrs and Saturday 07:00hrs to 15:00hrs. For Container Terminal VBS Bookings please refer to the bookings system in the first instance.

For any essential cargo bookings, hazardous, active reefers or please email <u>driverassist@poal.co.nz</u>

Next update will be on Wednesday 24 January 2024.