



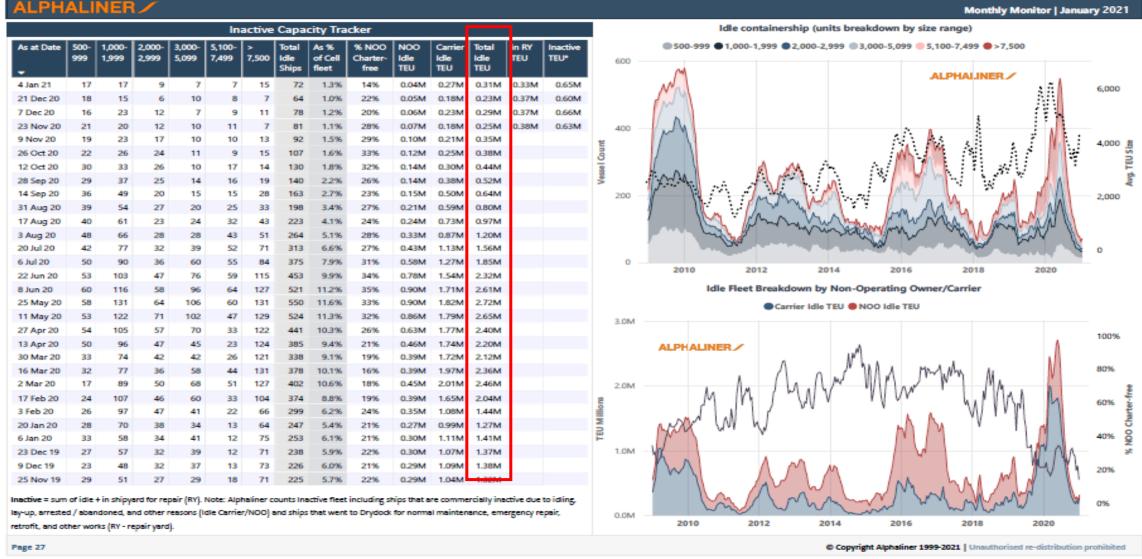
- An industry at or beyond its capacity
- Lack of equipment
- Lack of vessel space
- Rising rates

'It's a perfect storm': A shipping container crisis has upended the global food trade – Bloomberg News





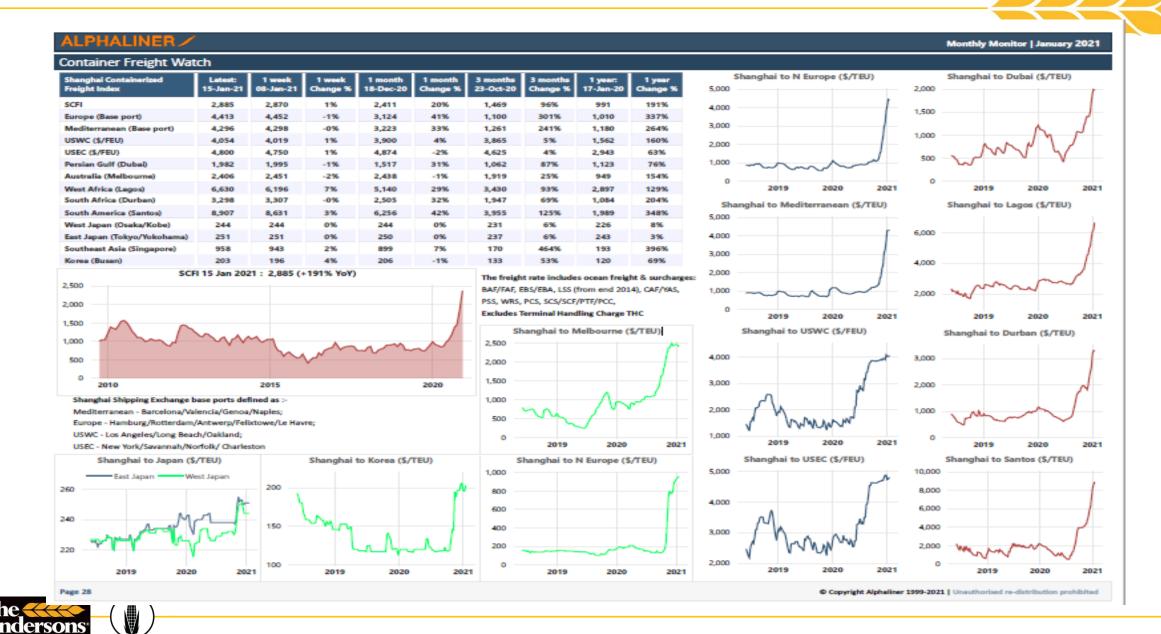
RAPID DECREASE IDLE CONTAINERS







RATES SKYROCKET: ALL LANES IMPACTED



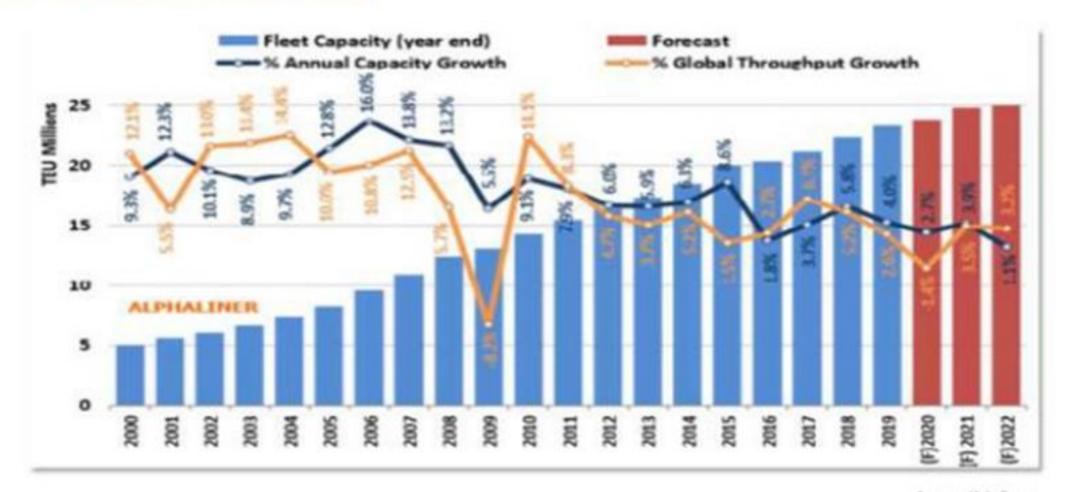
HOW DID THE INDUSTRY GET HERE?

- Chinese New Year 2020 blank sailings result in major cargo back log in NA
- COVID-19 hits
 - China shutdown = more blank sailings as carriers reduce capacity due to low volumes
 - Worldwide shutdowns result in huge empty container deficit in many key ports. Lack of labor to supply the infrastructure (port workers, truckers, closed customer houses, etc) = nothing coming into NA
- China returns to work
 - Massive demand for Chinese imports causes import rates to skyrocket to 8 times that of NA export rates
 - Carriers evacuate empties from NA to meet this demand
- Slower return to work/Continued shutdowns in other countries
 - Large number of containers sitting at ports and dock facilities as receivers are unable to clear, pick up or unload cargo
- Chinese New Year 2021 Approaching
 - Cycle repeats → blank sailings put a premium on equipment and vessel space for exports
 - Not expected to be as severe as February 2020 → 2020 Feb blanks sailings = 19.7%, 2021 Feb blanks sailings estimated to be 7.7%





A. Cellular Fleet Growth vs Global Throughut







HISTORICAL CNY CAPACITY



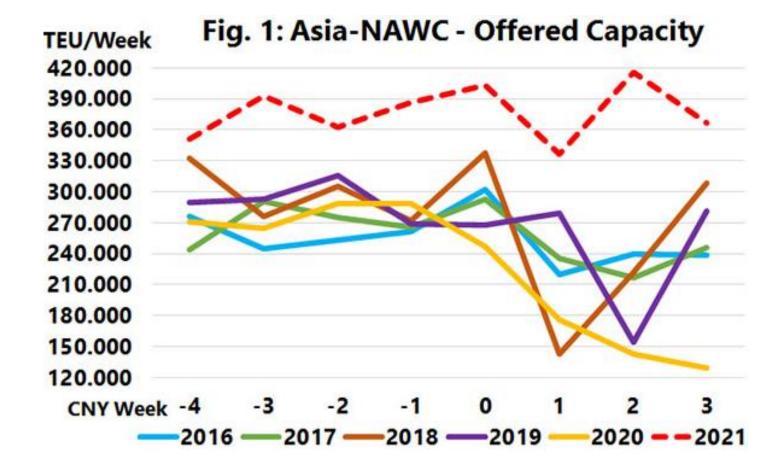


Fig. 2: % Cap Reduced: 3-Week Avg

%5'08

%2'88

%3'88

Asia-NAWC Asia-NAEC Asia-NEUR Asia-MED

2016-2019 Avg. 2020 CNY Avg. 2021 Avg.





Port of Los Angeles / Long Beach New Record of Vessels at Anchor or Berth, 01/11/202





WHAT SHOULD WE EXPECT?

- Much of the same for the next 6 months
- Increasing rates
- Tight equipment supply
- Changing schedules

HOW DO WE HANDLE IT?

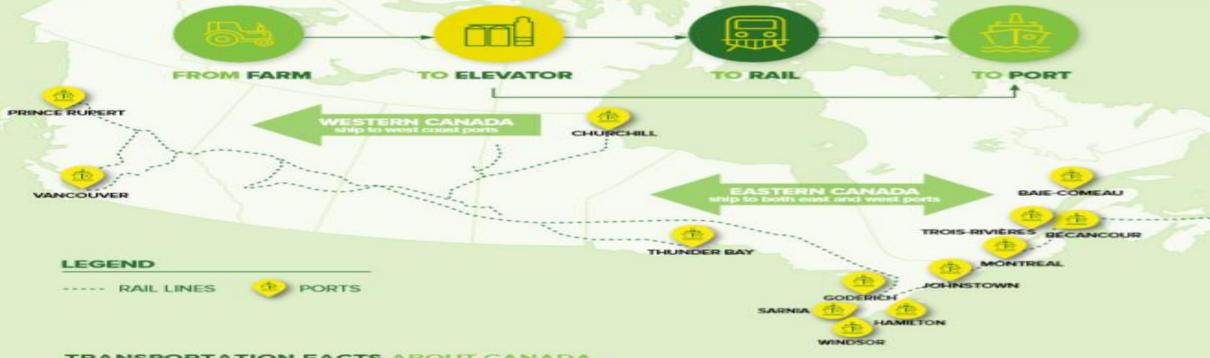
- Arrange schedules well in advance
- Flexibility
 - Manage inventories/purchases knowing there could be delays in future shipments





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km of track in the

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