

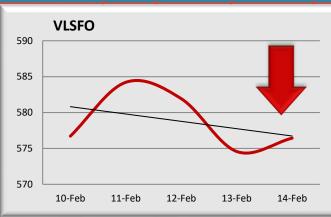
# THE BUNKER WEEKLY REVIEW



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PRICES \$/Ton	SPECS.	ALGECIRAS	SINGAPORE	MALTA	ISTANBUL	HOUSTON	PORTSAID	FUJAIRAH
Friday,14 Feb,2025	VLSFO	561	576	554	608	549	617	571
	LSMGO	763	693	735	766	729	833	768
Thursday,13 Feb,2025	VLSFO	557	574	551	600	556	617	569
	LSMGO	750	693	731	761	728	833	767
Wednesday,12 Feb,2025	VLSFO	561	584	559	610	563	617	580
	LSMGO	766	703	750	770	738	833	777
Tuesday,11 Feb,2025	VLSFO	573	585	560	611	566	615	581
	LSMGO	769	707	743	775	740	833	777
Monday,10 Feb,2025	VLSFO	554	578	557	609	563	606	571
	LSMGO	741	698	740	767	732	973	761





## Top stories of the week

Christopher Wiernicki, CEO of the American Bureau of Shipping (ABS), advocates for nuclear propulsion to achieve net-zero emissions in shipping. Speaking at the Core Power New Nuclear for Maritime Houston Summit, he called nuclear a decarbonization tool and disruptor. He highlighted its efficiency benefits, including eliminating fuel storage, enabling faster transit, and supporting port power. Wiernicki dismissed cost concerns, arguing nuclear is competitive when factoring in fuel costs, compliance, and vessel lifespan. Challenges include regulatory barriers, insurance, licensing, and crew training. He urged a public-private partnership to unlock nuclear's potential. Core Power CEO Mikal Bøe expects the first nuclear-powered vessels this decade. (Ship& Bunker, February 14, 2024)

➤ Oil prices fell Thursday as Russia-Ukraine peace hopes persisted, though losses were smaller than Wednesday's 2% drop. Brent crude declined to \$75.01 per barrel, while West Texas Intermediate settled at \$71.38. Market sentiment was influenced by U.S. President Trump delaying reciprocal tariffs for negotiations. Analyst Phil Flynn said this pause stabilized the market. The International Energy Agency slightly raised its global oil demand forecast, citing better OPEC+ compliance. OPEC projected demand to rise by 1.45 million barrels per day in 2024. Meanwhile, Russian crude shipments to Asia fell 7.4% in February, with India increasing purchases to 1.71 million barrels per day. (Ship& Bunker, February 13, 2024)

#### **OVERVIEW**

This report contains the parameters of fuel prices, and is intended to provide information regarding the two primary used fuels in marine fuel bunkering tasks. The prices presented in this weekly report reflects the most strategic areas and hot spots that acts as a guiding line for the fuel prices all over the world.