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PJK Rhine barge freight rates

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Standard deviation (Stdev), 3.70% * five-day average
all routes*

	Gasoil rate (av)	Gasoline rate (av)	Change d-d	Gasoil		Gasoline	
				Av - Stdev	Av + Stdev	Av - Stdev	Av + Stdev
Duisburg [€/mton]	€ 9.00	€ 9.55	0.00	€ 8.65	€ 9.35	€ 9.20	€ 9.90
Dortmund [€/mton]	€ 11.00	€ 11.55	0.00	€ 10.60	€ 11.40	€ 11.10	€ 12.00
Cologne [€/mton]	€ 10.50	€ 11.05	0.00	€ 10.10	€ 10.90	€ 10.65	€ 11.45
Frankfurt [€/mton]	€ 16.50	€ 17.30	0.00	€ 15.90	€ 17.10	€ 16.65	€ 17.95
Karlsruhe [€/mton]	€ 18.00	€ 18.80	0.00	€ 17.35	€ 18.65	€ 18.10	€ 19.50
Strasbourg [€/mton]	€ 19.50	€ 20.30	0.00	€ 18.80	€ 20.20	€ 19.55	€ 21.05
Basle [CHF/mton]	CHF 21.00	CHF 22.50	-1.00	CHF 20.20	CHF 21.80	CHF 21.65	CHF 23.35
Basle [€/mton]	€ 22.49	€ 24.09	-1.06	€ 21.65	€ 23.30	€ 23.20	€ 25.00

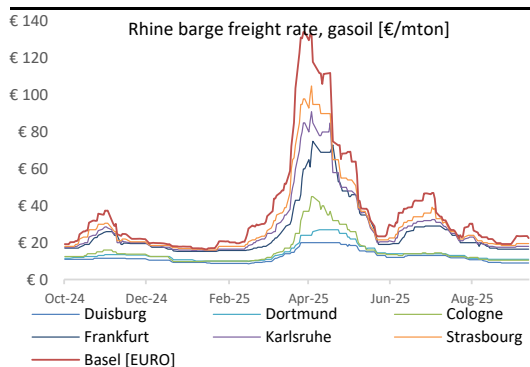
CHF/EUR: 0.9339

amount of deals/offers: 3

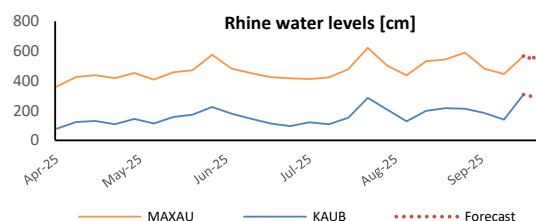
Outliers: no outliers registered

Market commentary:

Activity in the Rhine barge market closed the week with three deals. According to barge operators, the market was very calm today, with a lack of requests being the main issue. Market participants are waiting for developments in the new week, expecting some changes and hoping for additional volumes with the start of the new month. Maxau is currently at 572 and is forecast to remain above 550 over the weekend, while Kaub stands at 307. Water levels do not appear to affect intakes over the weekend, and vessels are able to load at full capacity. Overall, lower freight rates were reported today, leading to reduced rates on some routes.



last four weeks	Today	Average	Min.	Max.
Duisburg	€ 9.00	€ 9.06	€ 9.00	€ 9.25
Dortmund	€ 11.00	€ 11.00	€ 11.00	€ 11.00
Cologne	€ 10.50	€ 10.50	€ 10.50	€ 10.50
Frankfurt	€ 16.50	€ 16.55	€ 16.50	€ 17.00
Karlsruhe	€ 18.00	€ 17.73	€ 17.50	€ 18.00
Strasbourg	€ 19.50	€ 19.05	€ 18.50	€ 19.50
Basel	€ 22.49	€ 21.31	€ 19.25	€ 23.62



Rhine water levels & max draft [cm]

	Current levels		4 days ahead	
	level	max draft	level	max draft
Ruhrort	450	471	438	459
Cologne	430	496	365	431
Kaub	307	397	286	376
Maxau	572	372	535	335

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