

Table 13
World fleet by country of registration and principal types of vessels as at end-1999
Ships of 100 gt and over
In '000 gt

Country of registry	Oil tankers ¹	% of total	Ore and dry bulk ²	% of total	General cargo ³	% of total	Miscellaneous ⁴	% of total	Total
Australia	225.8	10.8	801.2	38.4	114.9	5.5	942.3	45.2	2 084.2
Austria	-	-	-	-	71.1	100.0	-	-	71.1
Belgium	3.7	2.8	-	-	0.5	0.4	128.0	96.9	132.1
Canada	254.6	10.2	1 337.8	53.6	121.7	4.9	781.8	31.3	2 495.9
Denmark	495.9	8.4	464.2	7.9	3 446.9	58.3	1 505.8	25.5	5 912.8
Finland	302.9	18.3	90.2	5.4	486.7	29.3	778.6	46.9	1 658.4
France	2 273.2	46.2	539.4	11.0	723.2	14.7	1 389.2	28.2	4 925.0
Germany	8.1	0.1	2.5	0.0	5 758.6	88.4	744.6	11.4	6 513.8
Greece	13 157.9	53.0	7 709.0	31.0	1 995.5	8.0	1 970.8	7.9	24 833.3
Hungary	-	-	-	-	11.9	100.0	0.0	0.0	11.9
Iceland	2.1	1.1	0.4	0.2	11.2	5.8	178.3	92.8	192.1
Ireland	0.2	0.1	8.4	3.8	74.9	34.2	135.5	61.9	218.9
Italy	1 659.9	20.6	1 850.8	23.0	1 912.4	23.8	2 625.4	32.6	8 048.5
Japan	5 005.6	29.3	3 555.9	20.8	2 821.9	16.5	5 679.2	33.3	17 062.6
Korea	403.5	7.0	2 708.4	47.2	1 660.1	28.9	962.9	16.8	5 734.8
Luxembourg	543.5	40.5	92.8	6.9	120.1	8.9	586.7	43.7	1 343.0
Mexico	463.8	50.5	-	-	22.4	2.4	431.8	47.0	918.0
Netherlands	160.3	2.7	77.1	1.3	3 402.0	57.4	2 284.0	38.6	5 923.4
New Zealand	73.2	26.9	12.5	4.6	6.1	2.2	179.9	66.2	271.6
Norway	9 194.7	39.2	5 044.9	21.5	4 081.8	17.4	5 124.8	21.9	23 446.3
Poland	5.3	0.4	993.0	75.3	80.0	6.1	240.7	18.2	1 319.1
Portugal	415.8	35.7	160.2	13.8	349.1	30.0	239.7	20.6	1 164.8
Spain	582.6	30.6	42.2	2.2	404.7	21.3	873.7	45.9	1 903.1
Sweden	102.1	3.5	31.8	1.1	1 825.2	61.9	987.7	33.5	2 946.9
Switzerland	-	-	393.1	89.5	16.3	3.7	29.7	6.8	439.1
Turkey	584.4	9.2	3 939.1	62.3	1 391.8	22.0	409.2	6.5	6 324.6
United Kingdom	2 953.0	32.6	765.5	8.4	2 146.2	23.7	3 196.8	35.3	9 061.5
United States	3 490.8	29.0	1 268.3	10.5	3 861.2	32.1	3 405.5	28.3	12 025.8
Total OECD	42 363.1	28.8	31 888.5	21.7	36 918.1	25.1	35 812.5	24.4	146 982.2
Antigua & Barbuda	4.9	0.1	196.5	5.4	3 385.2	93.5	35.3	1.0	3 621.9
Argentina	100.1	21.0	33.7	7.1	75.2	15.8	268.2	56.2	477.3
Bahamas	13 157.9	44.6	4 943.2	16.8	7 304.5	24.8	4 076.9	13.8	29 482.5
Bermuda	2 652.0	42.9	1 910.6	30.9	872.7	14.1	751.6	12.1	6 187.0
Brazil	1 770.3	45.0	1 453.3	36.9	487.8	12.4	222.0	5.6	3 933.3
Bulgaria	144.9	14.0	518.2	50.0	317.8	30.7	55.0	5.3	1 035.8
China	2 084.3	12.8	6 647.8	40.7	6 137.2	37.6	1 445.2	8.9	16 314.5
Cyprus	3 986.7	16.9	11 511.4	48.7	6 880.7	29.1	1 262.3	5.3	23 641.0
Egypt	209.2	15.3	600.7	43.9	426.5	31.2	131.6	9.6	1 368.0
Estonia	8.3	1.8	64.7	14.3	190.2	42.0	189.5	41.9	452.6
Honduras	130.9	10.7	133.2	10.9	567.6	46.5	387.9	31.8	1 219.6
Hong Kong, China	515.5	6.5	5 236.5	65.7	2 106.3	26.4	114.3	1.4	7 972.6
India	2 697.7	33.8	2 747.6	34.5	627.9	7.9	1 899.3	23.8	7 972.6
Indonesia	830.1	25.6	379.8	11.7	1 357.7	41.9	673.8	20.8	3 241.5
Iran	1 754.0	49.5	956.7	27.0	655.6	18.5	179.9	5.1	3 546.2
Kuwait	1 644.3	66.9	17.0	0.7	342.5	13.9	452.6	18.4	2 456.5
Latvia	8.8	7.4	-	-	34.6	29.3	74.7	63.3	118.1
Liberia	21 298.1	39.4	14 426.5	26.7	9 456.8	17.5	8 925.9	16.5	54 107.2
Lithuania	4.1	1.0	109.7	25.9	162.0	38.2	148.5	35.0	424.3
Malaysia	917.7	17.5	1 513.3	28.9	1 292.7	24.6	1 521.0	29.0	5 244.7
Malta	12 150.8	43.1	9 984.2	35.4	5 001.3	17.7	1 069.2	3.8	28 205.5
Marshall Islands	4 313.2	63.8	1 255.3	18.6	789.5	11.7	403.9	6.0	6 761.8
Panama	23 855.6	22.7	42 725.9	40.6	28 603.3	27.2	10 063.2	9.6	105 248.1
Philippines	159.5	2.1	4 822.0	63.0	1 896.6	24.8	771.9	10.1	7 650.1
Romania	68.2	5.6	320.3	26.2	641.6	52.6	190.5	15.6	1 220.6
Russia	1 429.0	13.4	919.2	8.6	3 651.7	34.3	4 649.1	43.7	10 649.0
Saint Vincent	569.5	8.0	2 858.3	40.2	2 966.1	41.7	711.7	10.0	7 105.5
Saudi Arabia	218.5	18.1	-	-	678.9	56.2	310.2	25.7	1 207.5
Singapore	9 619.2	44.2	4 694.5	21.6	5 953.0	27.3	1 513.4	6.9	21 780.1
Chinese Taipei	906.6	16.9	2 303.8	42.9	1 986.5	37.0	174.5	3.2	5 371.4
Thailand	361.2	18.5	476.1	24.3	979.3	50.1	139.5	7.1	1 956.1
Ukraine	56.4	3.2	161.4	9.1	834.3	47.0	723.1	40.7	1 775.2
Vanuatu	11.4	0.8	518.2	35.9	523.5	36.3	391.1	27.1	1 444.2
Venezuela	222.1	33.8	115.8	17.6	56.8	8.6	262.7	40.0	657.4
Others	3 867.8	17.0	2 513.8	11.0	9 979.1	43.8	6 417.3	28.2	22 778.1
World Total	154 091.5	28.3	158 957.6	29.2	144 141.1	26.5	86 419.3	15.9	543 609.6

1. Includes crude oil and oil products.

2. Includes bulk dry, bulk dry/oil, self discharging bulk dry and other bulk dry carrier.

3. Includes general cargo, general cargo/passenger, refrigerated cargo, container, and ro/ro-cargo ships.

4. Includes passenger/ro-ro cargo, passenger, other dry cargo, fish catching, other fishing, offshore supply, other offshore, research, towing/pushing, dredging, liquified gas, chemical, other liquids and other activities.