

Welcome to the 1st edition of our OOCL TIPS in 2019!

New Zealand to Japan / Korea – Direct Service Commences

Further to our reporting in our November TIPS edition, OOCL would like to remind our customers on the expansion of our New Zealand network with the start of North Asia Express (JKN). The JKN provides direct port coverage to / from Japan and Korea.

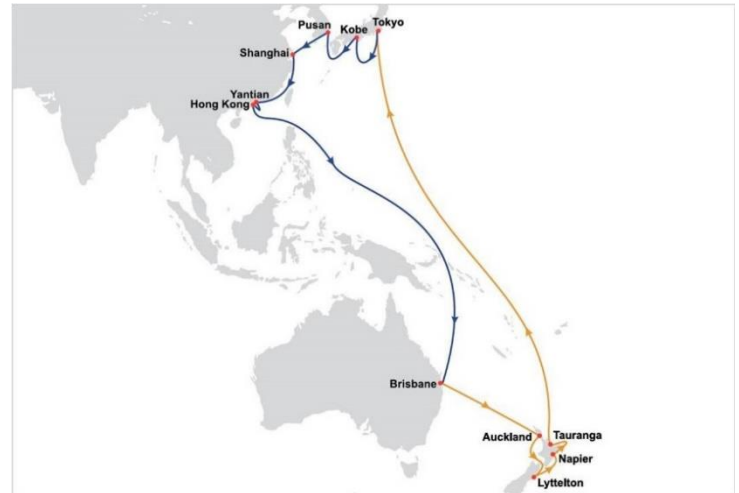
JKN Port Rotation:

Tokyo / Kobe / Pusan / Shanghai / Yantian / Hong Kong / Brisbane / Auckland / Lyttelton / Napier / Tauranga / Tokyo

Here is the current schedule link:

[Vessel Information Board /NZ](#)

Together with our CNS and NZS, OOCL now offers 3 direct sailings a week ex New Zealand to Asia providing connections to our global network.



We welcome your export and import, general and reefer cargo enquiries. For further information, please kindly contact our local sales representatives.

Africa and Latin America – Services have Commenced

Many thanks to our customers. Since announcing the global expansion of OOCL services to include Africa and Latin America, we have had many rate requests, bookings made and shipments loaded. Whether it be West Africa, East Africa, South Africa, Central or South America, we are ready to answer your shipment enquiries.

For further enquiries please contact our local sales representative.



Upcoming Blank Sailing Programme during Chinese New Year Holiday

In response to the expected demand reduction during Chinese New Year holiday, we will have following blank sailing programme. The blanking of southbound sailings will also impact our northbound schedule As such please note the details below:

A3C service - 2 blank sailings

On the southbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Shanghai	8–February and 15–February
ETD Ningbo	10–February and 17–February

On its corresponding northbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Sydney	23–February and 2–March
ETD Melbourne	27–February and 6–March
ETD Brisbane	4–March and 11–March

A3S service - 2 blank sailings

On southbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Xiamen	8–February and 22–February
ETD Shekou	11–February and 25–February
ETD HongKong	12–February and 26–February

On its corresponding northbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Sydney	25–February and 11–March
ETD Melbourne	28–February and 14–March
ETD Brisbane	4–March and 18–March

CNS service - 1 blank sailing

On the southbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Hong Kong	10–February
ETD Keelung	12–February
ETD Shanghai	15–February
ETD Ningbo	16–February
ETD Shekou	19–February
ETD Kaohsiung	21–February

On its corresponding northbound route there will be no sailing:

ETD Auckland	10–March
ETD Port Chalmers	13–March
ETD Lyttelton	15–March
ETD Napier	16–March
ETD Tauranga	17–March

Some of the sailings on Intra-Asia, Asia-Europe, Trans-Pacific services in the corresponding period may also be modified. We endeavor to offer alternative service route to our local customers on their transshipment cargoes and try to minimize the impact on schedules. Please stay in touch with our customer service team for the shipment routing or schedule update for the affected period.

OOCL Rolls Out 3rd Phase of Ocean Alliance Product Refinements

As the OCEAN Alliance enters its third year of delivering quality products to market, OOCL has constantly been working with our partners to ensure that we continue to bring the best that we can offer to customers. To that end, we are delighted to announce further refinements to the OCEAN Alliance product mix this year.

For instance, service enhancements made this year in the Trans-Pacific trade includes broadening market coverage in South China and Southeast Asia with a new direct call to Taipei on the PSW service as well as Cai Mep on the ECX1 to meet customer needs. Our express service to the U.S. Gulf Coast has also been expanded with the addition of the new GCC2 product, offering greater schedule flexibility to customers and their supply chains.

Customers will also find marked improvements in the Asia-Europe network. With the addition of the new Loop 7 product, the increased service frequency between Asia and North Europe will allow for greater loading flexibility, confidence on service commitments, as well as room for growth through the extended network coverage.

Service quality in the Baltic and Scandinavian regions will get a boost through connections to strategic hubs such as Gdansk, Hamburg, Wilhelmshaven and Rotterdam using our efficient feeder network in the Baltic. Customers can also leverage our strength and continual growth in the Mediterranean network through our presence at the Piraeus hub. Connection to the Middle East markets have also been strengthened by making permanent port calls to Jebel Ali.

In alignment to the product refinements, OOCL will be marketing our services within the OCEAN Alliance scope as presented below:

- 17 Trans-Pacific Services
- 2 Trans - Atlantic Services
- 7 Asia - North Europe Services
- 5 Asia - Mediterranean Services:
- 4 Asia - Middle East Services
- 2 Asia - Red Services

Hutchison Terminals Enterprise Labour Agreement Negotiations

The Maritime Union of Australia (MUA) have announced that they intend to engage in protected industrial action at Hutchison Sydney & Brisbane terminals.

Actions by the union commenced from Thursday 17 January and will take place over the course of 30 days, ranging from bans on overtime and shift extensions, to the cessation of work.

Hutchison are continually reviewing the impact of the planned protective action and will consider subcontracting work to other terminal operators if necessary, in order to keep vessels on schedule or to mitigate the disruption to services.

Hutchison and the union representing the employees continue to negotiate for a new Enterprise Agreement covering Sydney and Brisbane.

In the meantime, scheduling of our services calling at Hutchison Terminals (including A3S, ASA, and NZS) may be affected.

Please check with your local OOCL customer service representative for updated schedule and cargo availability.

Need Warehouse Space in Shanghai?

OOCL Logistics has commenced the operation of a new warehouse in the Shanghai Yangshan Free Trade Port Area since December 7, 2018. With the benefits offered by the Free Trade Port Area, as well as the custom policy that provides convenience and transparency, we can further expand our network in Asia Pacific.

The warehouse occupies an area of 9,670 square meters, which can provide 9,126 pallet spaces. OOCL Logistics offers general warehousing (for all types of cartons), including picking, packing, consolidation and labelling, etc. We will manage the warehouse based on our own Warehouse Management System (WMS), which monitors and controls all warehouse processes accurately. We are able to communicate with our customers and their supply chain partners on inventory levels and warehouse activities in real-time.

With our professional and experienced team and well-equipped warehouse system, we believe we can achieve customer satisfaction and maximize business performance and productivity. We look forward to creating a long-term and mutual business relationship with customers.



OOCL New Zealand Ltd - Relocation & Christmas Charity Donation



We are pleased to advise that our new Auckland office's fit out has been completed and the team moved in December to Level 19, Huawei Center, 120 Albert St, Auckland

All existing Telephone, Fax, P.O Box numbers remain unchanged.

OOCL New Zealand made a donation to Westpac Rescue Helicopter in lieu of Christmas gifts for 2018. Westpac Rescue Helicopter provides search and rescue and medical evacuation services throughout New Zealand, our donation lends some support to their attending 845 vital missions performed since 1st Jan. 2018.



We take it personally

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