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# Suez Canal Traffic Statistics

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**Part 1**  
**SHIP TRAFFIC**

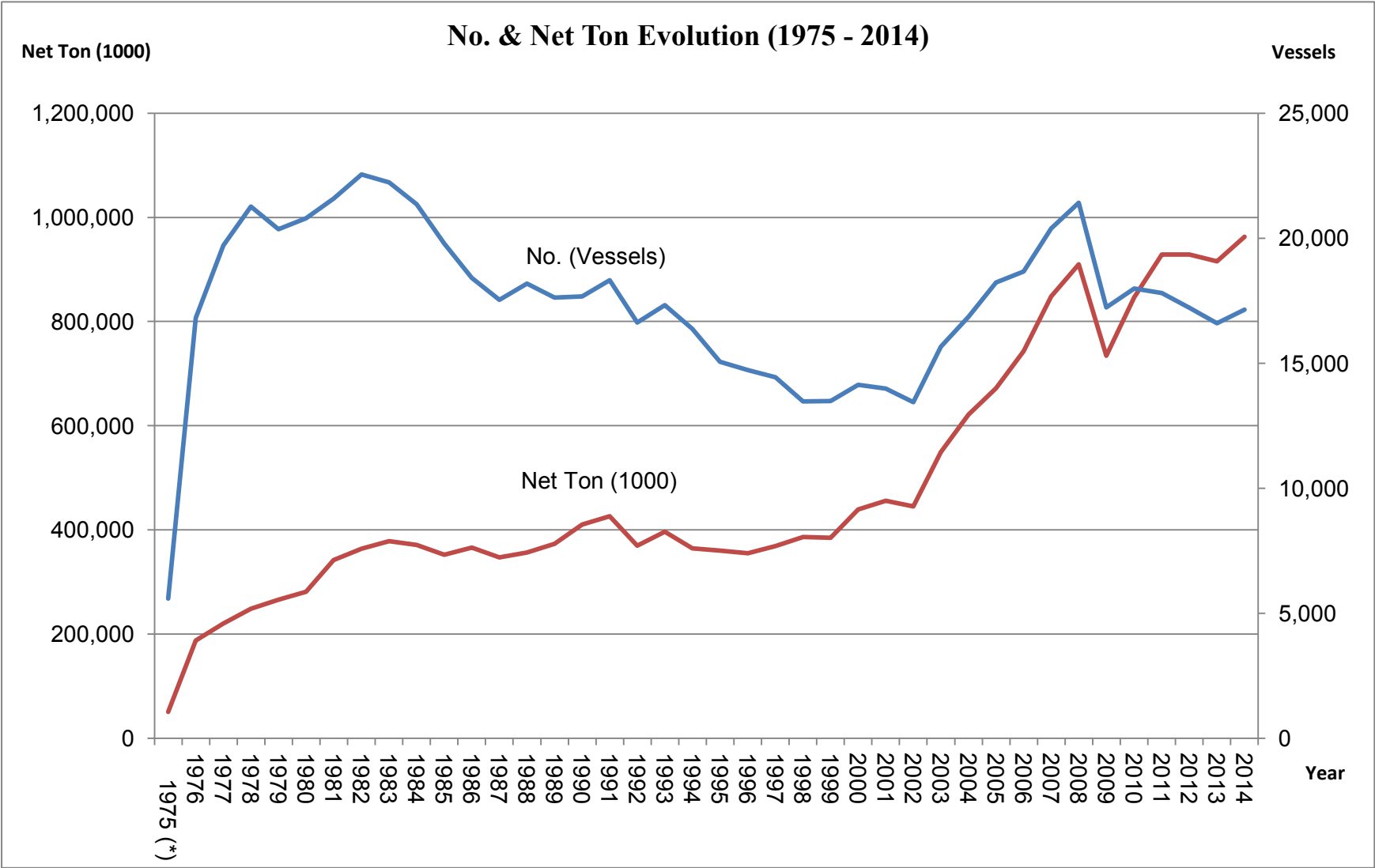
**1- TRAFFIC EVOLUTION**

**Table ( 1 )**  
**NO & Net Ton Evolution ( 1975 - 2014 )**

| Year     | NO ( Vessel ) |            | Net Ton ( 1000 ) |            |
|----------|---------------|------------|------------------|------------|
|          | Total         | Daily Avg. | Total            | Daily Avg. |
| 1975 (*) | 5,579         | 26.6       | 50,441           | 240.2      |
| 1976     | 16,806        | 45.9       | 187,757          | 513.0      |
| 1977     | 19,703        | 54.0       | 220,477          | 604.0      |
| 1978     | 21,266        | 58.3       | 248,260          | 680.2      |
| 1979     | 20,363        | 55.8       | 266,171          | 729.2      |
| 1980     | 20,795        | 56.8       | 281,305          | 768.6      |
| 1981     | 21,577        | 59.1       | 342,356          | 938.0      |
| 1982     | 22,545        | 61.8       | 363,538          | 996.0      |
| 1983     | 22,224        | 60.9       | 378,226          | 1,036.2    |
| 1984     | 21,361        | 58.4       | 371,039          | 1,013.8    |
| 1985     | 19,791        | 54.2       | 352,579          | 966.0      |
| 1986     | 18,403        | 50.4       | 366,076          | 1,002.9    |
| 1987     | 17,541        | 48.1       | 347,038          | 950.8      |
| 1988     | 18,190        | 49.7       | 356,913          | 975.2      |
| 1989     | 17,628        | 48.3       | 373,429          | 1,023.1    |
| 1990     | 17,664        | 48.4       | 410,322          | 1,124.2    |
| 1991     | 18,326        | 50.2       | 426,449          | 1,168.4    |
| 1992     | 16,629        | 45.4       | 369,779          | 1,010.3    |
| 1993     | 17,318        | 47.4       | 396,550          | 1,086.4    |
| 1994     | 16,370        | 44.8       | 364,487          | 998.6      |
| 1995     | 15,051        | 41.2       | 360,372          | 987.3      |
| 1996     | 14,731        | 40.2       | 354,974          | 969.9      |
| 1997     | 14,430        | 39.5       | 368,720          | 1,010.2    |
| 1998     | 13,472        | 36.9       | 386,069          | 1,057.7    |
| 1999     | 13,490        | 37.0       | 384,994          | 1,054.8    |
| 2000     | 14,142        | 38.6       | 439,041          | 1,199.6    |
| 2001     | 13,986        | 38.3       | 456,113          | 1,249.6    |
| 2002     | 13,447        | 36.8       | 444,786          | 1,218.6    |
| 2003     | 15,667        | 42.9       | 549,381          | 1,505.2    |
| 2004     | 16,850        | 46.0       | 621,253          | 1,697.4    |
| 2005     | 18,224        | 49.9       | 671,951          | 1,841.0    |
| 2006     | 18,664        | 51.1       | 742,708          | 2,034.8    |
| 2007     | 20,384        | 55.8       | 848,162          | 2,323.7    |
| 2008     | 21,415        | 58.5       | 910,059          | 2,486.5    |
| 2009     | 17,228        | 47.2       | 734,453          | 2,012.2    |
| 2010     | 17,993        | 49.3       | 846,389          | 2,318.9    |
| 2011     | 17,799        | 48.8       | 928,880          | 2,544.9    |
| 2012     | 17,224        | 47.2       | 928,472          | 2,543.8    |
| 2013     | 16,596        | 45.5       | 915,468          | 2,508.1    |
| 2014     | 17,148        | 47.0       | 962,748          | 2,637.7    |

( \* ) : Normal transit days = 210 .

**Figure (1)**  
**NO & Net Ton Evolution (1975 - 2014)**



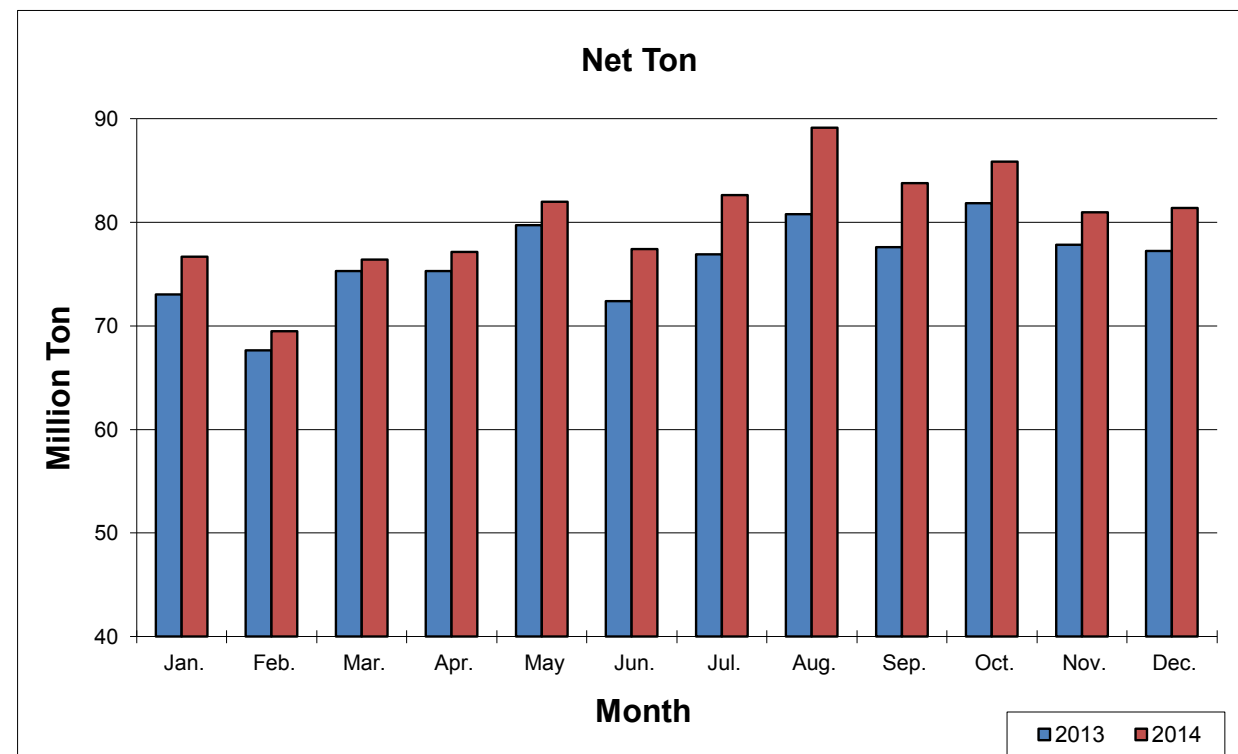
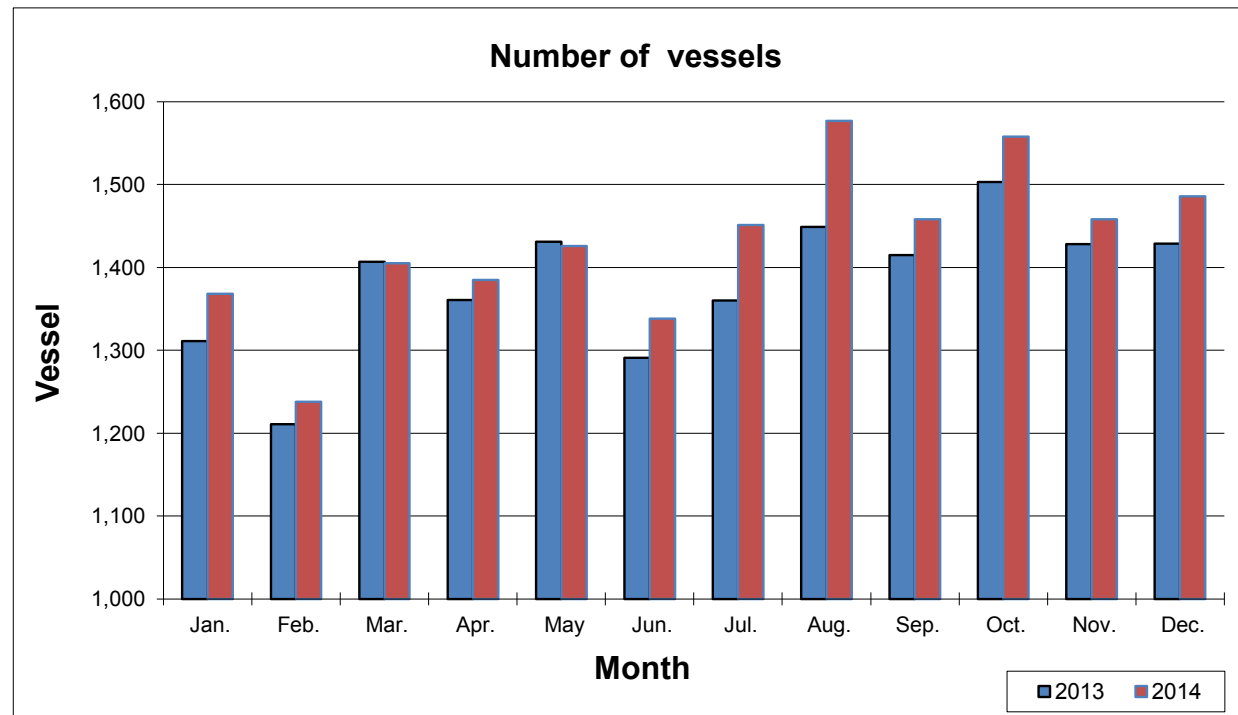
## 2- MONTHLY TRAFFIC

**Table ( 2 )**

### Monthly NO & Net Ton (2013 , 2014)

| Month        | NO ( Vessel ) |               | Net Ton ( 1000 ) |                |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|
|              | 2013          | 2014          | 2013             | 2014           |
| <b>Jan.</b>  | 1,311         | 1,368         | 73,023           | 76,663         |
| <b>Feb.</b>  | 1,211         | 1,238         | 67,635           | 69,462         |
| <b>Mar.</b>  | 1,407         | 1,405         | 75,297           | 76,412         |
| <b>Apr.</b>  | 1,361         | 1,385         | 75,289           | 77,155         |
| <b>May</b>   | 1,431         | 1,426         | 79,695           | 81,980         |
| <b>Jun.</b>  | 1,291         | 1,338         | 72,368           | 77,390         |
| <b>Jul.</b>  | 1,360         | 1,451         | 76,924           | 82,609         |
| <b>Aug.</b>  | 1,449         | 1,577         | 80,798           | 89,145         |
| <b>Sep.</b>  | 1,415         | 1,458         | 77,599           | 83,754         |
| <b>Oct.</b>  | 1,503         | 1,558         | 81,818           | 85,842         |
| <b>Nov.</b>  | 1,428         | 1,458         | 77,813           | 80,962         |
| <b>Dec.</b>  | 1,429         | 1,486         | 77,209           | 81,374         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>16,596</b> | <b>17,148</b> | <b>915,468</b>   | <b>962,748</b> |

**Figure ( 2 )**  
**Monthly Traffic ( 2013 , 2014 )**



### 3 - TRAFFIC BY SHIP TYPE

**Table ( 3 )**  
**NO & Net Ton by Ship Type (2013 , 2014)**

| Ship Type         | NO ( Vessel ) |               |            | Net Ton ( 1000 ) |                |            |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|------------------|----------------|------------|
|                   | 2013          | 2014          | %          | 2013             | 2014           | %          |
| Tankers           | 3,593         | 4,053         | 12.8       | 144,980          | 163,085        | 12.5       |
| L N G             | 649           | 614           | -5.4       | 70,317           | 66,894         | -4.9       |
| Bulk Carriers     | 2,873         | 3,051         | 6.2        | 101,164          | 107,737        | 6.5        |
| Combined Carriers | 0             | 4             | ---        | 0                | 462            | ---        |
| General Cargo     | 1,385         | 1,259         | -9.1       | 15,118           | 14,824         | -1.9       |
| Container Ships   | 6,014         | 6,129         | 1.9        | 508,220          | 536,316        | 5.5        |
| Ro/Ro Ships       | 266           | 228           | -14.3      | 6,069            | 6,360          | 4.8        |
| Car Carriers      | 1,024         | 1,003         | -2.1       | 61,579           | 59,666         | -3.1       |
| Passenger Ships   | 76            | 67            | -11.8      | 3,099            | 2,534          | -18.2      |
| Others            | 716           | 740           | 3.4        | 4,922            | 4,870          | -1.1       |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>16,596</b> | <b>17,148</b> | <b>3.3</b> | <b>915,468</b>   | <b>962,748</b> | <b>5.2</b> |



## Part 2

### CARGO TRAFFIC

#### 1 - CARGO TON BY DIRECTION

Table ( 4 )

#### Cargo Ton By Direction (2013 , 2014)

( 1000 Ton)

| Direction     | 2013    | 2014    | %    |
|---------------|---------|---------|------|
| North / South | 387,901 | 416,048 | 7.3  |
| South / North | 366,560 | 406,296 | 10.8 |
| Total         | 754,461 | 822,344 | 9.0  |

Figure ( 3 )

