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TO ALL MEMBERS

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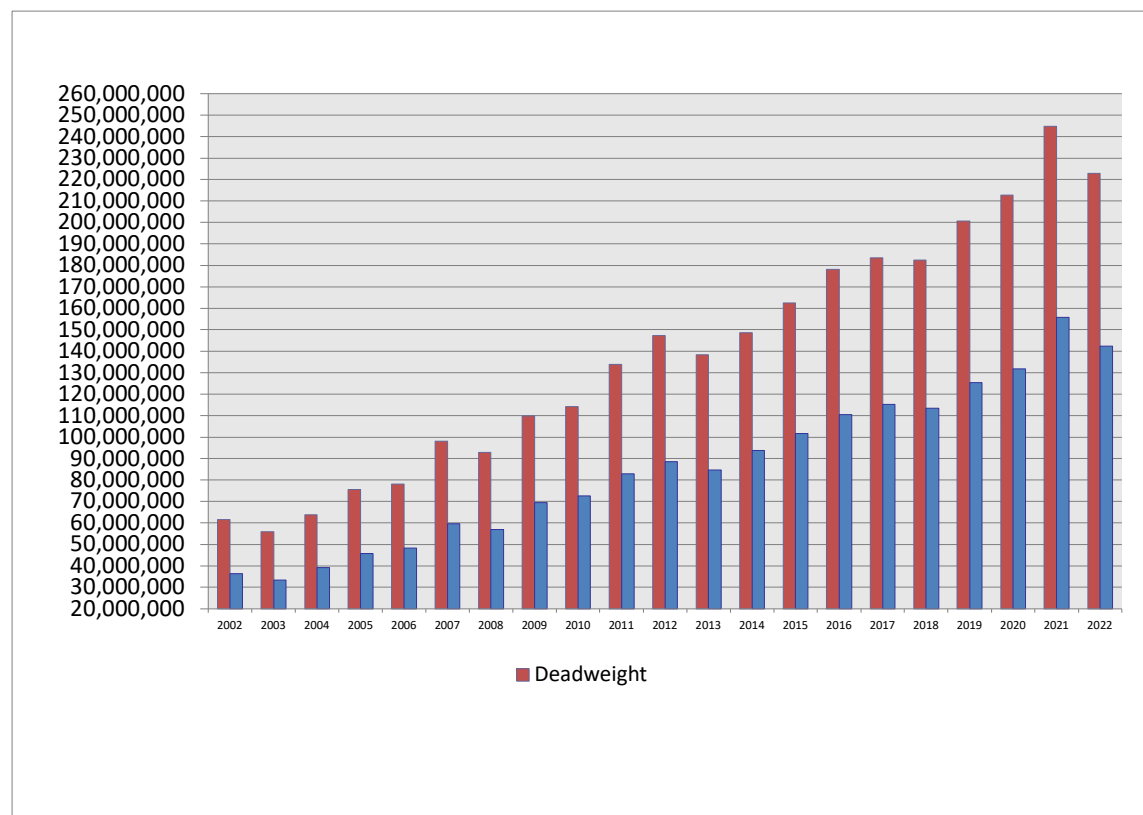
Dear Sirs,

Association Fleet Statistics

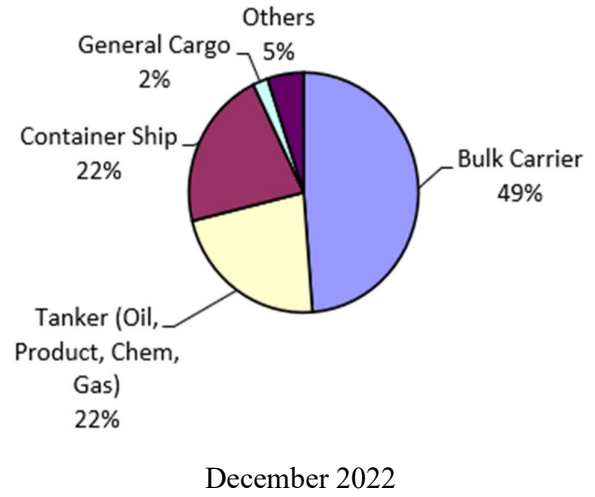
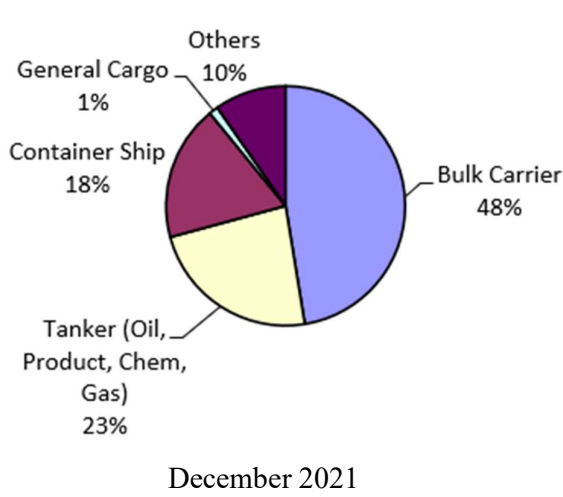
We have now completed the collection and analysis of members' fleets as declared to us as of 01 December 2022.

We would like to report that this year the overall numbers have seen a decrease, compared to 2021.

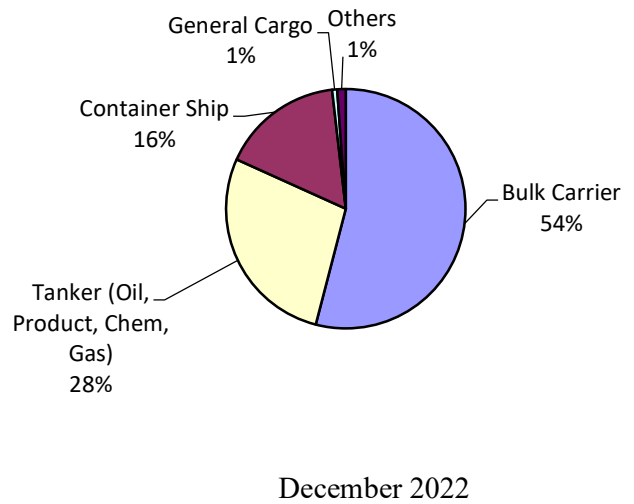
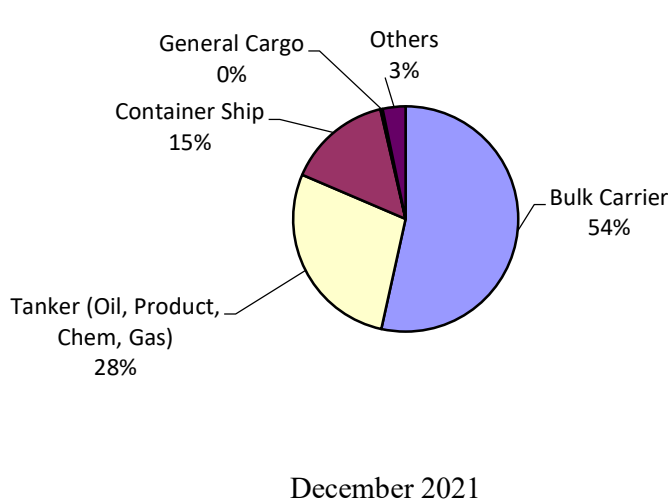
The Association fleet now stands at 2,544 ships of 223,005,346 tonnes deadweight and 142,336,710 gross tons.



The relative percentages of ships, by Ship Type, are shown in the following charts, where a reduction is noted in the number of Tanker ship types and an increase in all other ship types:

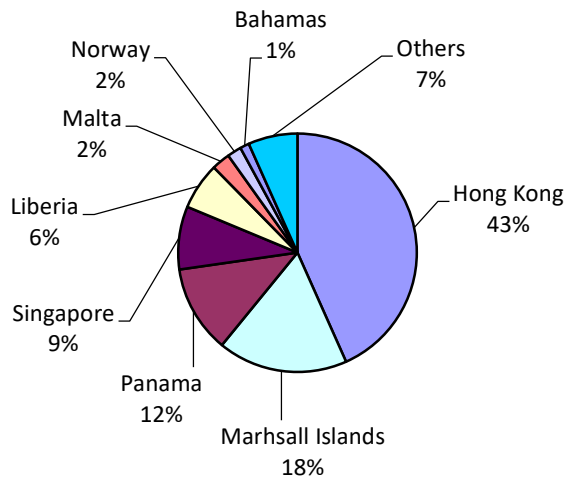


Ship Type by Type

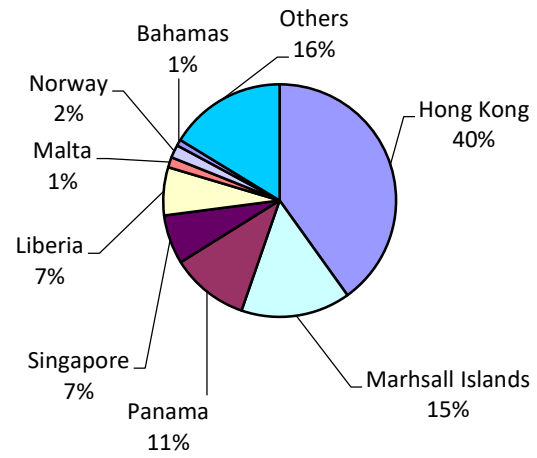


Ship Type by Deadweight

The figures for the Registry of Ships show a reduction in the number of ships registered under the Hong Kong Flag. Additionally, the sizes of ships flying the Hong Kong Flag have also decreased on average, based on Gross Tonnage.

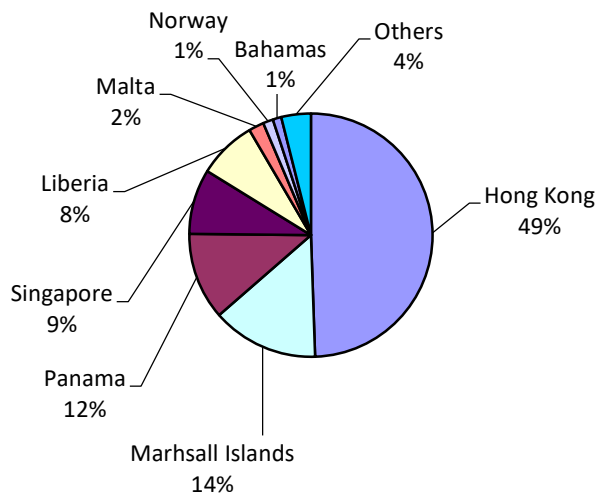


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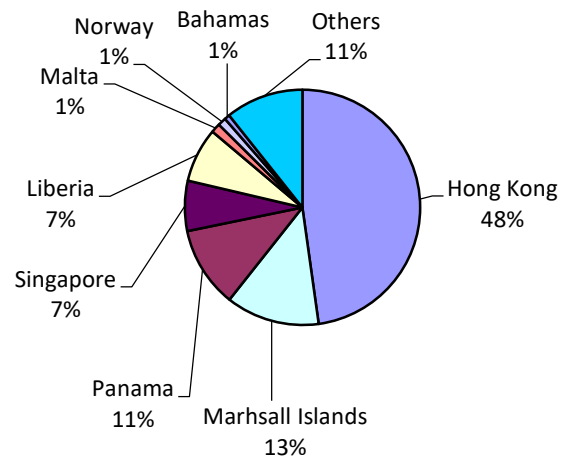


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Ship Register by Number of Ships



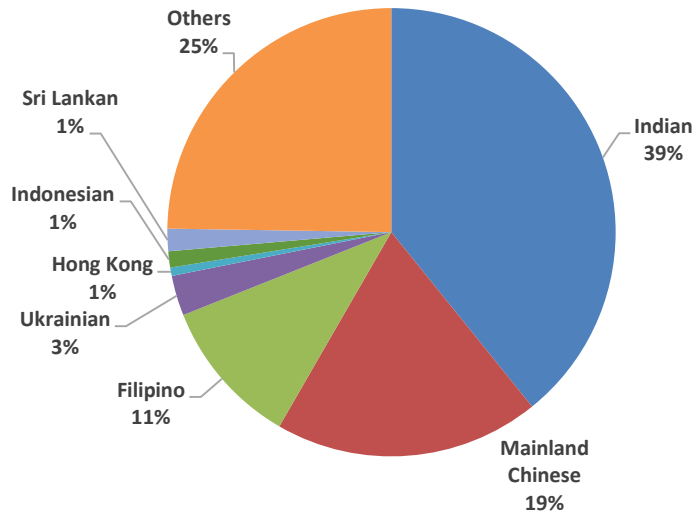
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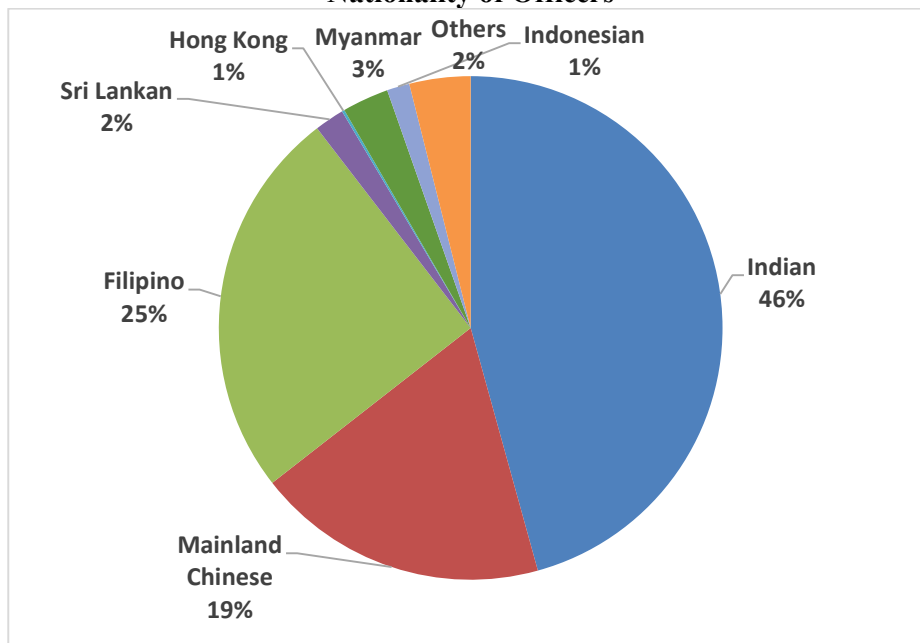
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Ship Register by Gross Tonnage

Based on the crew nationality data provided by the members, the following charts represent the distribution of Officers and crew by nationality.



Nationality of Officers



Nationality of Ratings

The usual tables containing the detailed information on Types of Ships and Register are available from our website – www.hksoa.org and is also published, as usual, in our Year Book. For more information, please contact the Secretariat who will be pleased to answer your enquiries.

Yours faithfully,

Captain Nittin Handa
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