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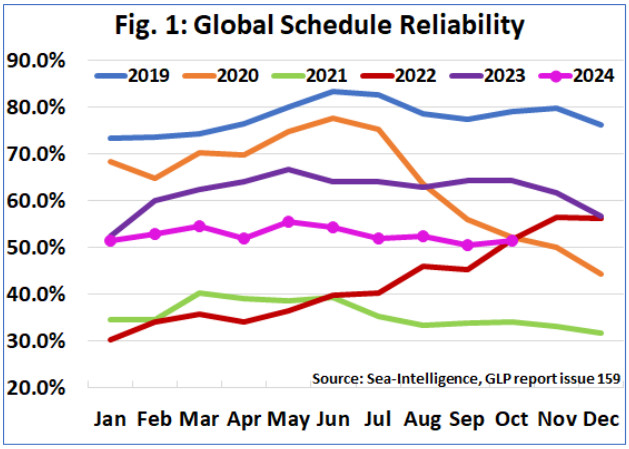
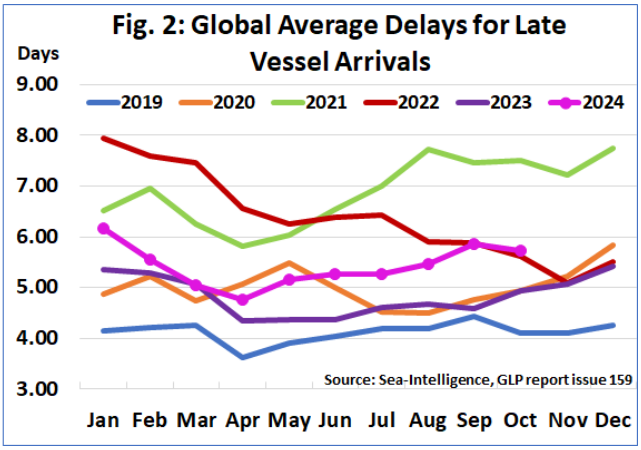
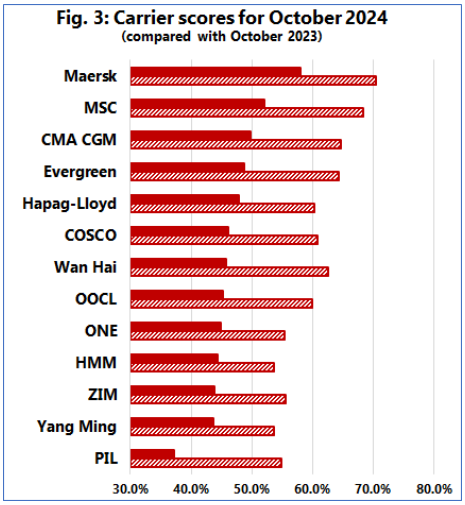
Global schedule reliability improves marginally in October 2024

Sea-Intelligence has published issue 159 of the *Global Liner Performance (GLP) report*, with schedule reliability figures up to and including October 2024. As the report itself is quite comprehensive and covers schedule reliability across 34 different trade lanes and 60+ carriers, this press release will only cover the global highlights from the full report.





In October 2024, global schedule reliability improved by 0.9 percentage points M/M to 51.5%. So far in 2024, schedule reliability has largely stayed within the 50%-55% range. That said, despite being disappointingly low, the low levels of volatility in schedule reliability in 2024 does give shippers a relatively good idea of what to expect M/M. The average delay for LATE vessel arrivals decreased by -0.14 days M/M to 5.72 days. This is the second-highest figure for the month, only surpassed by pandemic high of 2021.



Maersk was the most reliable top-13 carrier in October 2024 with schedule reliability of 57.9%, followed by MSC with 52.0%. 10 of the remaining 11 carriers were within the 40%-50% range, while PIL was the least reliable carrier at 37.2%. 8 of the top-13 carriers recorded a M/M improvement in schedule reliability in October 2024. Wan Hai recorded the largest increase of 5.4 percentage points, and ZIM recorded the largest decline of -3.5 percentage points. On a Y/Y level, none of these carriers recorded an increase, with 12 of the top-13 carriers recording double-digit Y/Y declines.

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