

PORTS OF CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA
CONTAINER TRAFFIC 2009 - 2008
TWENTY-FOOT EQUIVALENT UNITS -- TEUs

COUNTRY/PORT	2009	2008	Change	COUNTRY/PORT	2009	2008	Change	COUNTRY/PORT	2009	2008	Change
ARGENTINA				Vitória	209,096	271,786	-23.1%	Puerto Quetzal	212,941	278,798	-23.6%
Bahia Blanca	28,558	25,523	11.9%	CHILE				Santo Tomás de Castilla	329,946	322,519	2.3%
Buenos Aires ⁽²⁾	1,412,462	1,781,100	-20.7%	Antofagasta	81,414	76,685	6.2%	HONDURAS			
Madryn	20,453	24,011	-14.8%	Arica	109,572	116,720	-6.1%	Puerto Castillo	87,572	97,420	-10.1%
Rosario	39,138	42,151	-7.1%	Chacabuco	9,466	11,655	-18.8%	Puerto Cortes	484,148	572,382	-15.4%
Ushuaia	39,593	58,869	-32.7%	Coronel	118,253	968	12116.2%	NICARAGUA			
Zarató	63,920	39,565	61.6%	Iquique	226,875	334,326	-32.1%	Corinto	55,742	58,879	-5.3%
BELIZE				Lirquén	206,541	231,397	-10.7%	Arlen Siu/El Rama	3,293	3,706	-11.1%
Belize City	31,344	38,211	-18.0%	Mejillones	115,486	96,583	19.6%	El Buff	436	445	-2.0%
BRAZIL				Puerto Natales	19,156	27,008	-29.1%	PANAMA			
Belem	43,572	42,538	2.4%	San Antonio	704,852	687,864	2.5%	Almirante	20,696	9,846	110.2%
Chibatão	156,868	200,970	-21.9%	San Vicente	494,275	604,560	-18.2%	Balboa	2,011,778	2,167,977	-7.2%
Fortaleza	50,726	53,121	-4.5%	Valparaiso	677,432	946,847	-28.5%	Chiriqui Grande Terminal	1,532	5,582	-72.6%
Imbituba	20,063	16,704	20.1%	COLOMBIA				Colón ⁽¹⁾	1,855,766	2,219,276	-16.4%
Itajaí	195,176	693,580	-71.9%	Buenaventura	647,323	743,295	-12.9%	Cristobal	354,956	249,244	42.4%
Itaqui	3,177	5,310	-40.2%	Barranquilla	70,687	70,362	0.5%	PARAGUAY			
Maceio	7,302	8,430	-13.4%	Cartagena ⁽³⁾	1,141,873	1,060,714	7.7%	Asunción	7,045	9,317	-24.4%
Natal	15,046	17,186	-12.5%	Santa Marta	85,772	77,113	11.2%	PERU			
Paranaguá	630,597	604,690	4.3%	COSTA RICA				Arica	1,522	2,871	-47.0%
Pecém	137,487	144,416	-4.8%	Puerto Limón	748,029	835,144	-10.4%	Callao	1,089,838	1,203,315	-9.4%
Portonave	398,935	216,539	84.2%	Caldera	127,658	169,827	-24.8%	Chimbote	6,760	2,004	237.3%
Rio de Janeiro	350,295	428,191	-18.2%	EL SALVADOR				Ilo	9,655	34,860	-72.3%
Rio Grande	629,586	601,580	4.7%	Acajutla	115,165	156,323	-26.3%	Iquitos	71	122	-41.8%
Salvador	244,204	263,722	-7.4%	ECUADOR				Paita	85,192	138,993	-38.7%
Santarem	4,716	4,390	7.4%	Esmeraldas	44,341	54,885	-19.2%	General San Martin	17	381	-95.5%
Santos	2,255,862	2,677,839	-15.8%	Guayaquil	884,100	874,955	1.0%	Salaverry	2,043	13,112	-84.4%
São Francisco do Sul	190,321	237,027	-19.7%	Manta	3,924	1,650	137.8%	URUGUAY			
Itaguaí/Sepetiba	206,667	282,007	-26.7%	Puerto Bolivar	67,069	48,101	39.4%	Montevideo	588,415	675,275	-12.9%
Suape	242,765	293,133	-17.2%	GUATEMALA				VENEZUELA			
Superterminais	87,595	144,187	-39.2%	Puerto Barrios	317,646	248,797	27.7%	La Guaira	378,318	436,911	-13.4%
Vila do Conde	27,691	23,815	16.3%	Puerto Quetzal	212,941	278,798	-23.6%	Puerto Cabello	790,000	809,454	-2.4%

Notes: ⁽¹⁾ Includes Manzanillo, Evergreen, and Panama Ports terminals ⁽²⁾ Includes Exolgen ⁽³⁾ Cartagena includes the SPRC, El Bosque, and Contecar terminals. Sources: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC); Agência Nacional de Transportes Aquaviários (Brazil); Autoridad Marítima de Panamá; various port authorities.