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Coming to terms with the next era for shipping and shipbuilding

The next era for shipping and shipbuilding – Martin Stopford



SEVEN ISSUES TO COVER

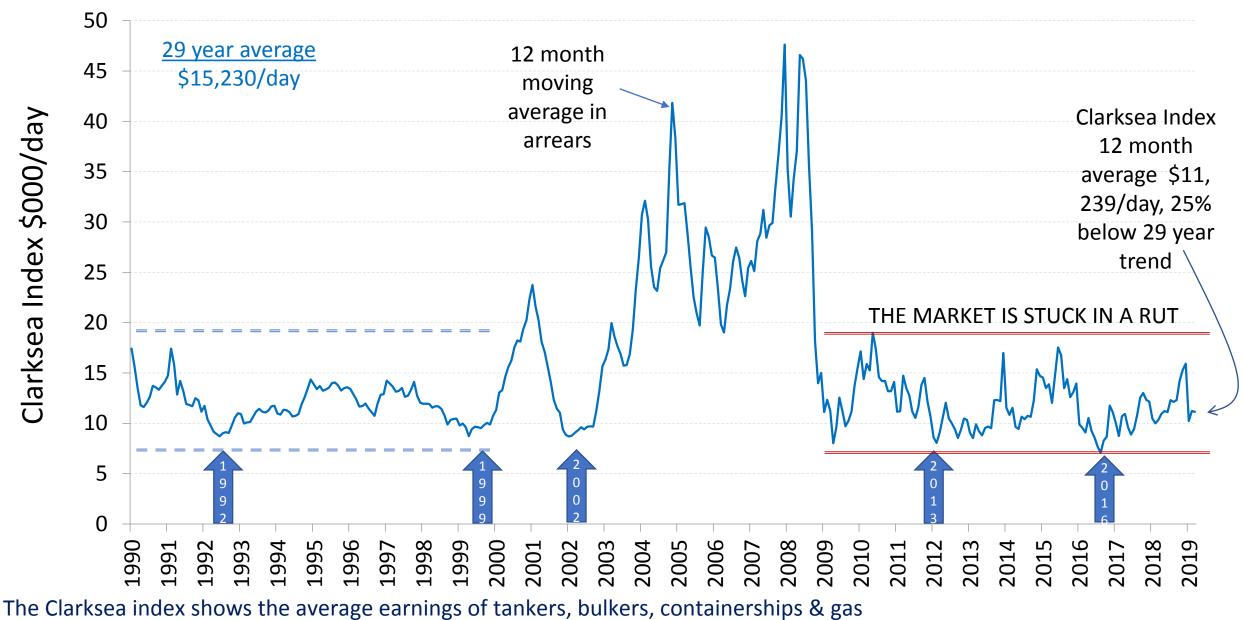
ISSUE 1: The shipping market- still strugglingISSUE 2: Market fundamentals - looking betterISSUE 3: Strategies for reducing carbon emissions:-

- A. Cargo lower growth
- B. Ships slower speed etc
- C. Shipbuilding lower carbon power & systems
- D. Companies future transport factories

Part 1: The shipping market – still struggling

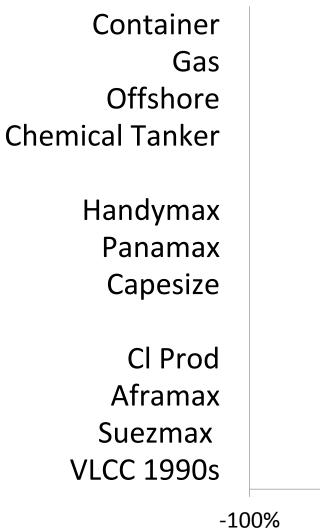
Freight rates and prices remain "stuck in a rut", and the market is still struggling

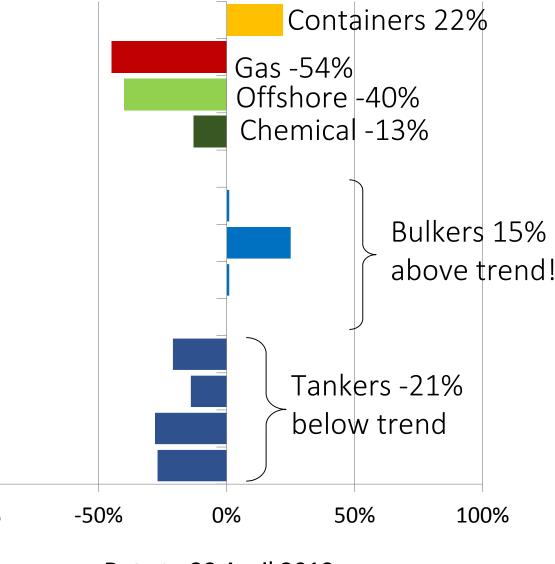
The Shipping Cycle – 12 month average to \$11,239/day in April



Cycle status in 12 markets: last 12 months as % seven year trend

- Chart shows average earnings in last 12 months as a % of average earnings in last C 7 years (April 2012 to April 2019)
- Bulk carriers are above the 7 year trend (but only just)
- Tankers below trend
- Gas market now well below trend



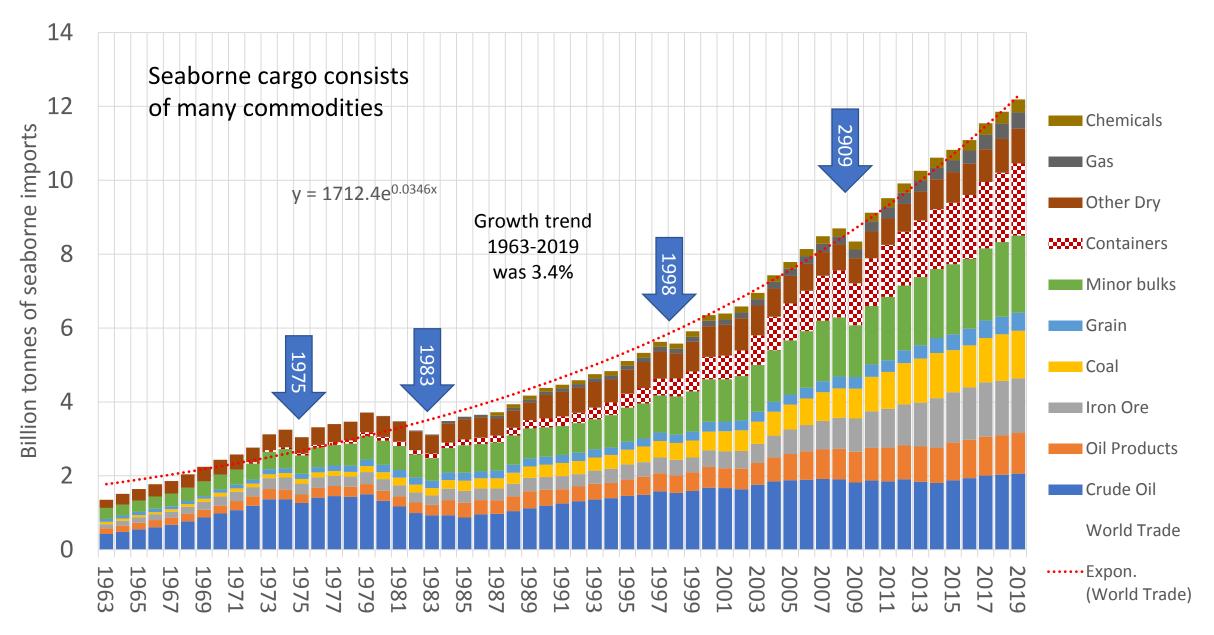


Data to 29 April 2019

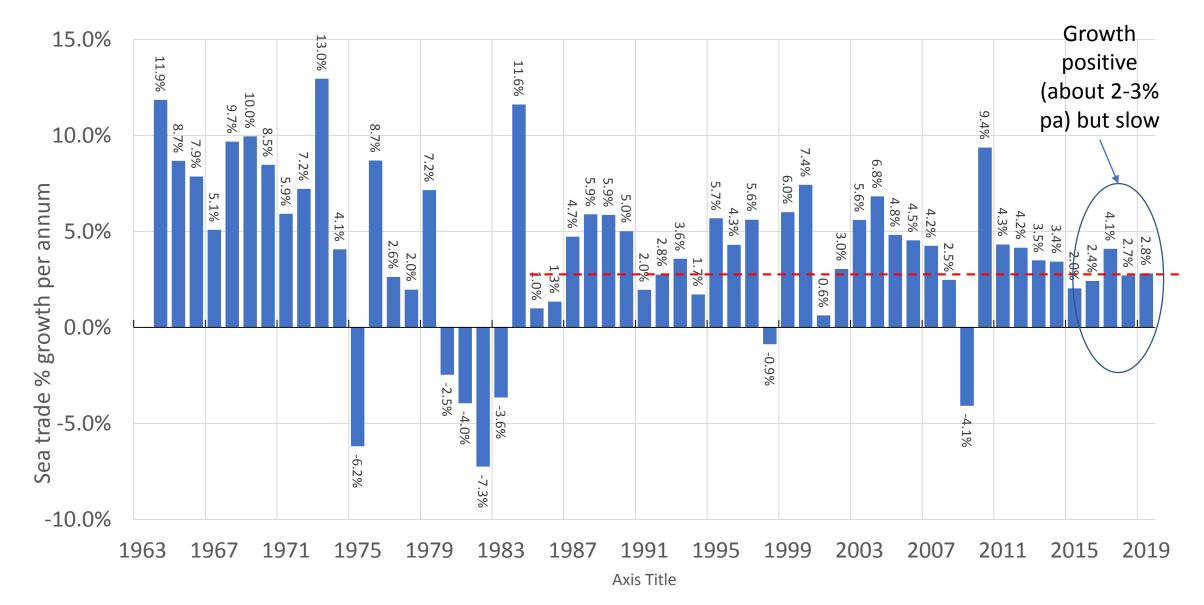
The world economy is caught up in long running developments in both supply and demand

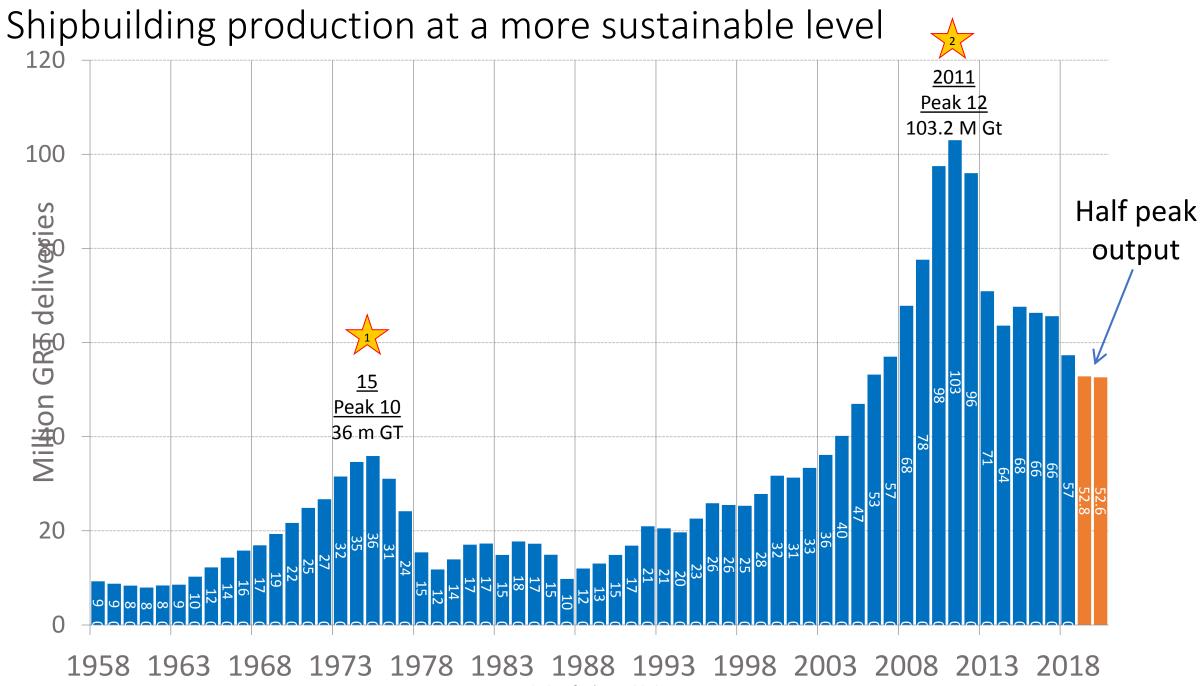
Part 2: Market fundamentals looking better

World seaborne trade 1963-2019 - recently slow but steady



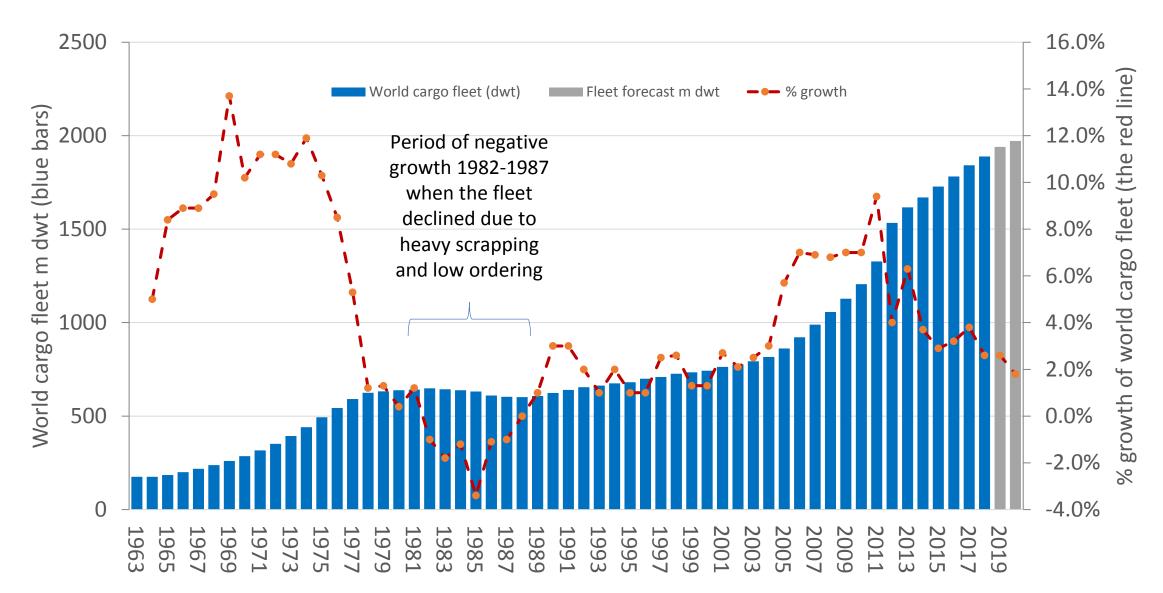
World sea trade 1963-2019 – about 2.8% in 2019



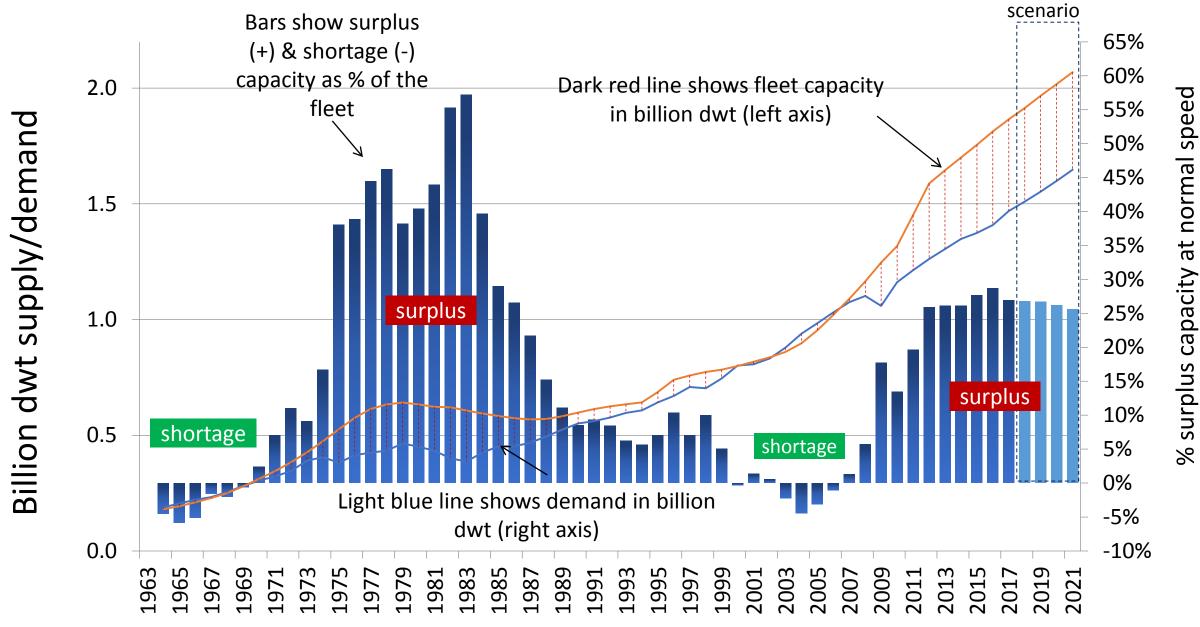


Martin Stopford, May 2019

World fleet growth - about 2.6% in 2019 & 1.8% in 2020



Shipping market balance – 25% surplus (but tied up slow steaming!)

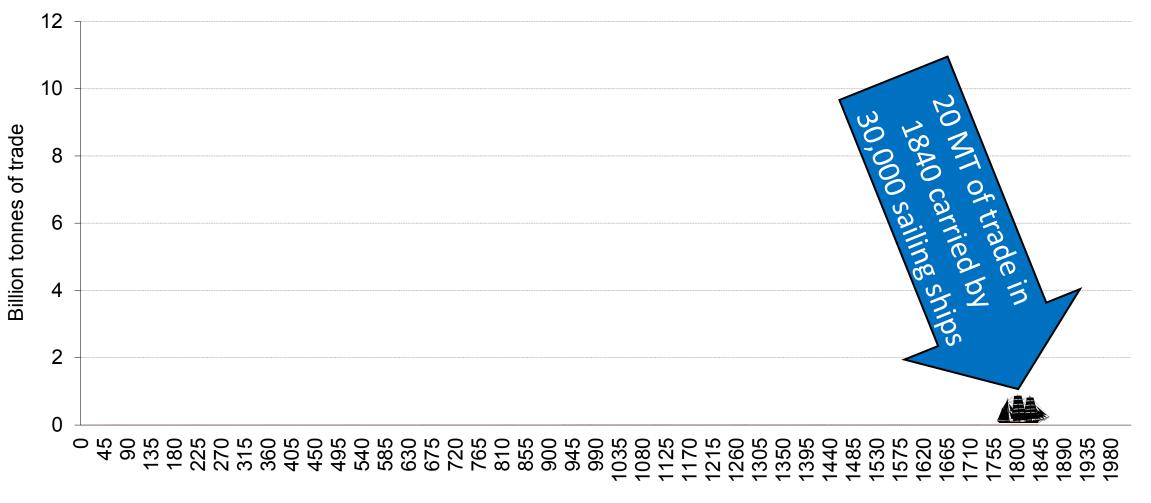


The ship's emissions have become the industry's most pressing challenge Part 3: Strategies for reducing carbon emissions IMO's Vision for elimination Greenhouse Gases (GHGs)– April 2018

"IMO's vision is to reduce GHG emissions from international shipping. Emissions should peak as soon as possible and fall by at least 50% by 2050 compared to 2008. At the same time, the industry should pursue efforts towards phasing out GHG emissions entirely".

World Sea Trade in 1840 AD – before fossil fuels

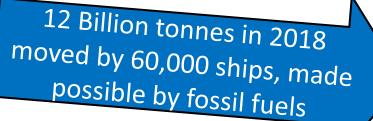
In 1840, when shipping relied on the wind for power, Sea Trade was about 20 mill tonnes

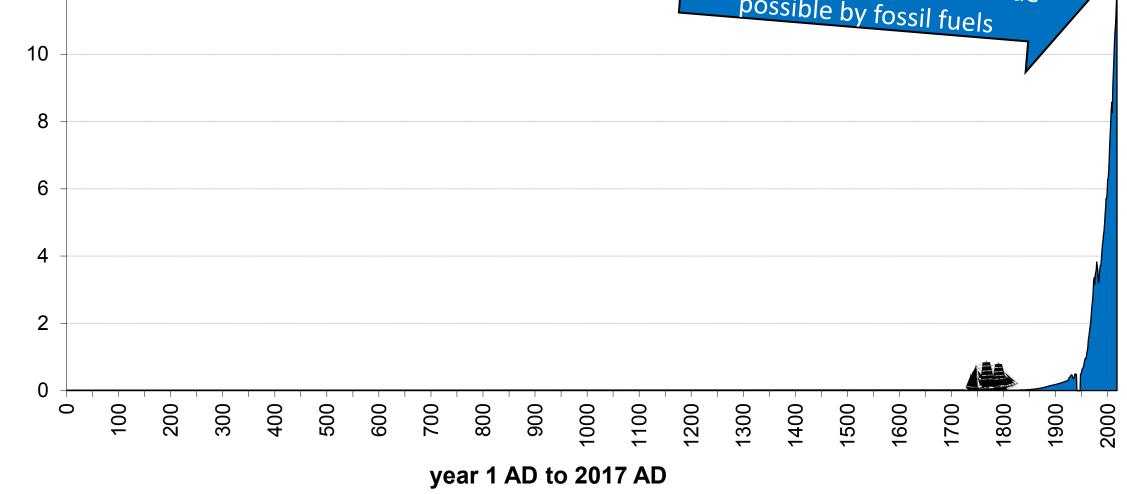


year 1 AD to 2017 AD

World Sea Trade 1 AD to 2017 AD

TODAY TRADE IS 600 TIMES BIGGER THAN IN 1840



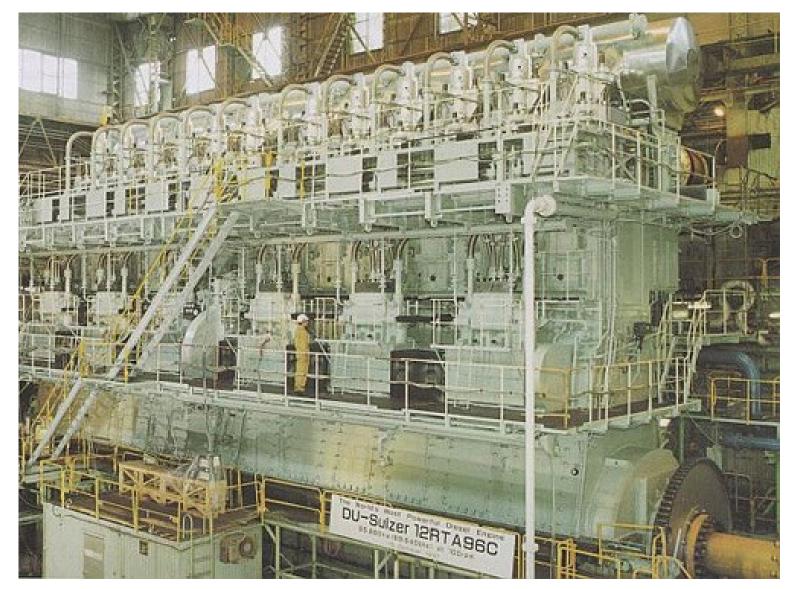


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Billion tonnes of trade

Fossil fuel engines made this possible ... this is the Emma Maersk's Engine

- Thanks to fossil fuel, this engine generates 109,000 HP (82 MW)
- It does the work of about 3 million people (working 8 hour shifts)
- If people powered the Emma Maersk they would need a town the size of Athens to live in
- They would eat about 9 billion calories a day (3,000 tonnes of grain)!
- Every tonne of bunkers produces 3.3 tonnes of carbon
- Where else can we get so much concentrated energy without the carbon?

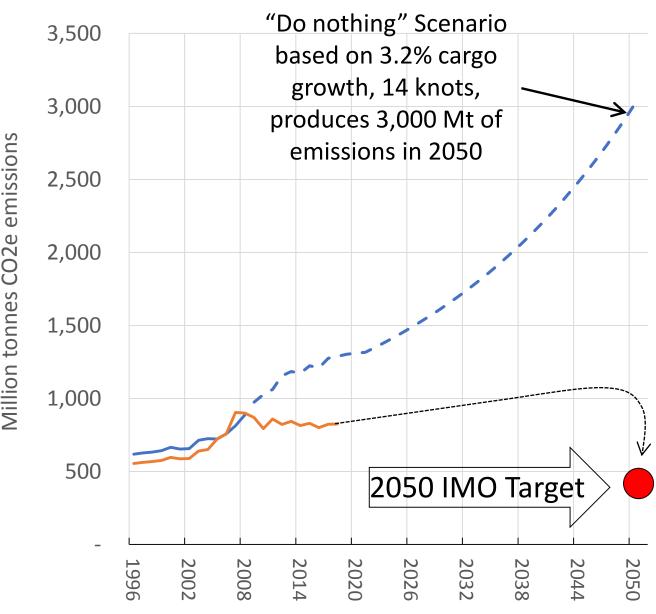


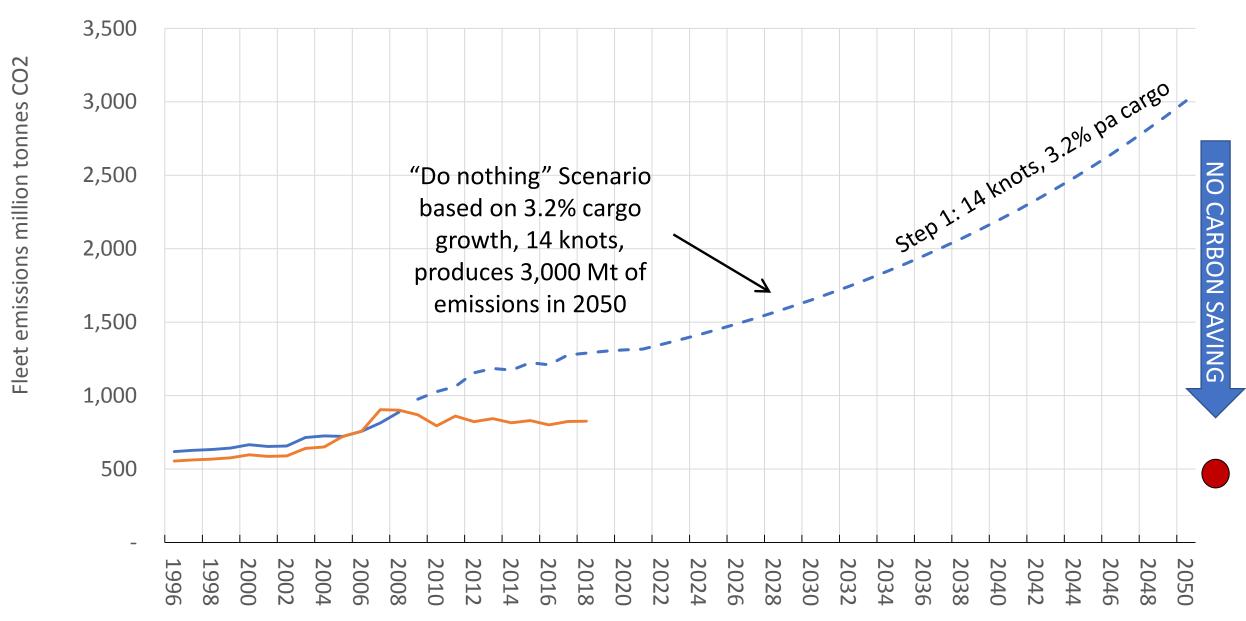
How could we realize the IMO's vision of a 50% cut by 2050?

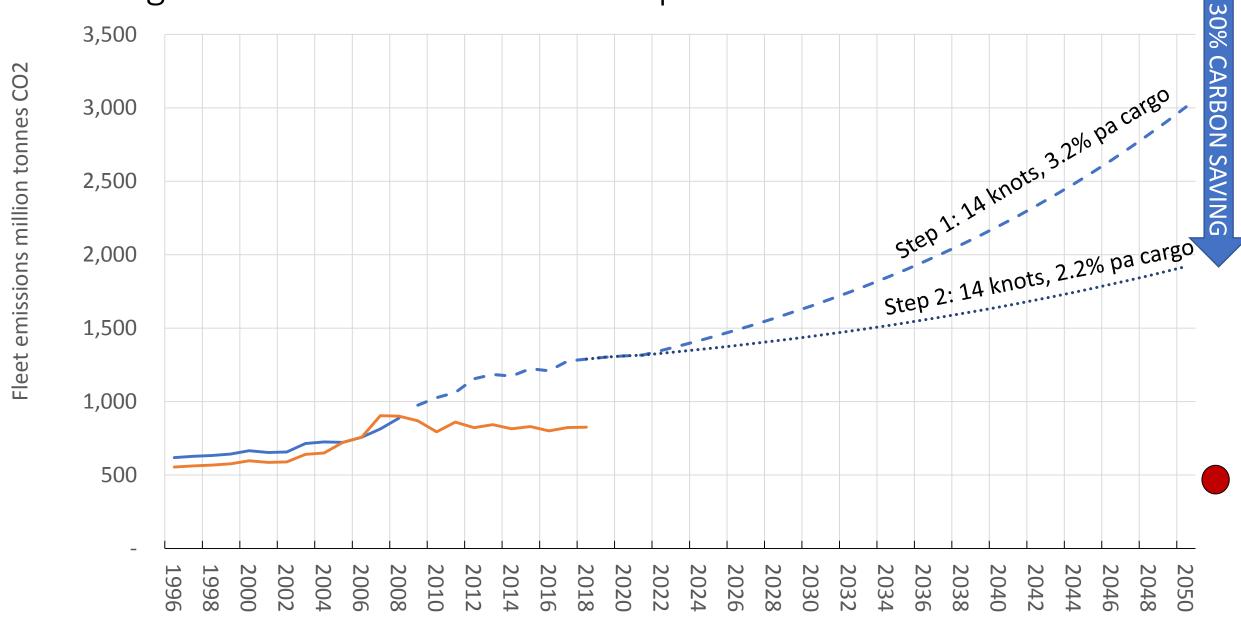
<u>Straetgy 1: Less cargo</u>: Transport less cargo by changing trading patterns, transport policies, pricing and better information systems.

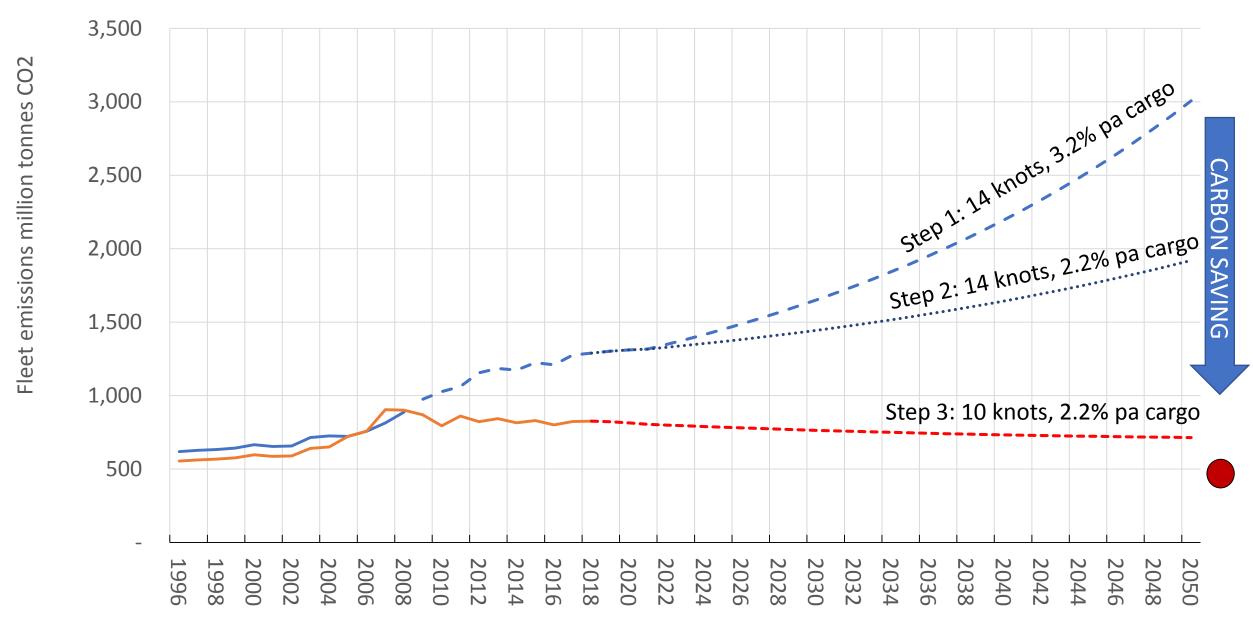
Strategy 2: Slow down: Cut carbon emissions/ship km by slowing down to 10 knots; using bigger ships; better designs; retrofitting for safe operation at slow speeds etc.

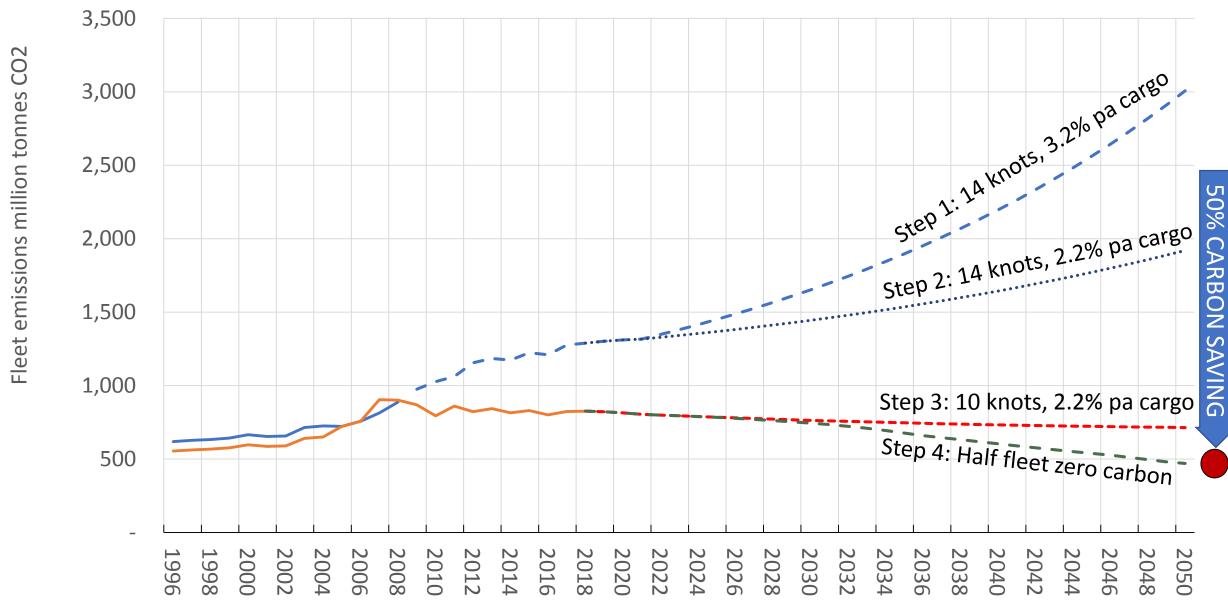
Strategy 3: Zerp carbon power: develop new propulsion systems. Electric fuel cells look the best bet for volume and performance Strategy 4: Organization: Make sstrategies 1-3 possible by a complete re-think of the industry's organization and personnel.





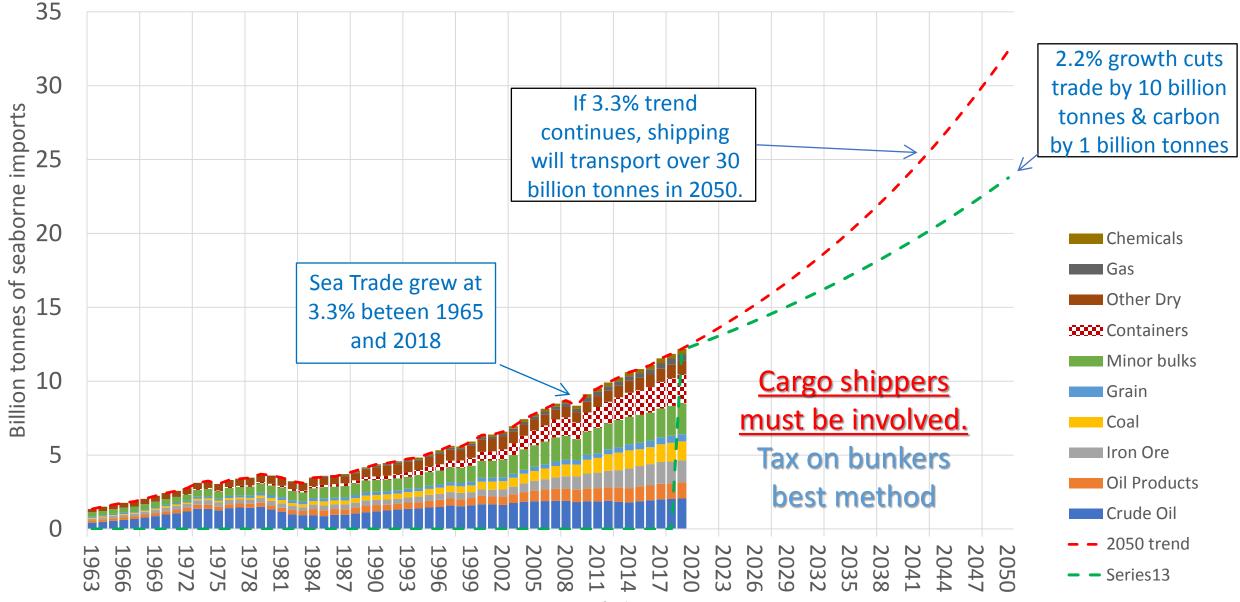






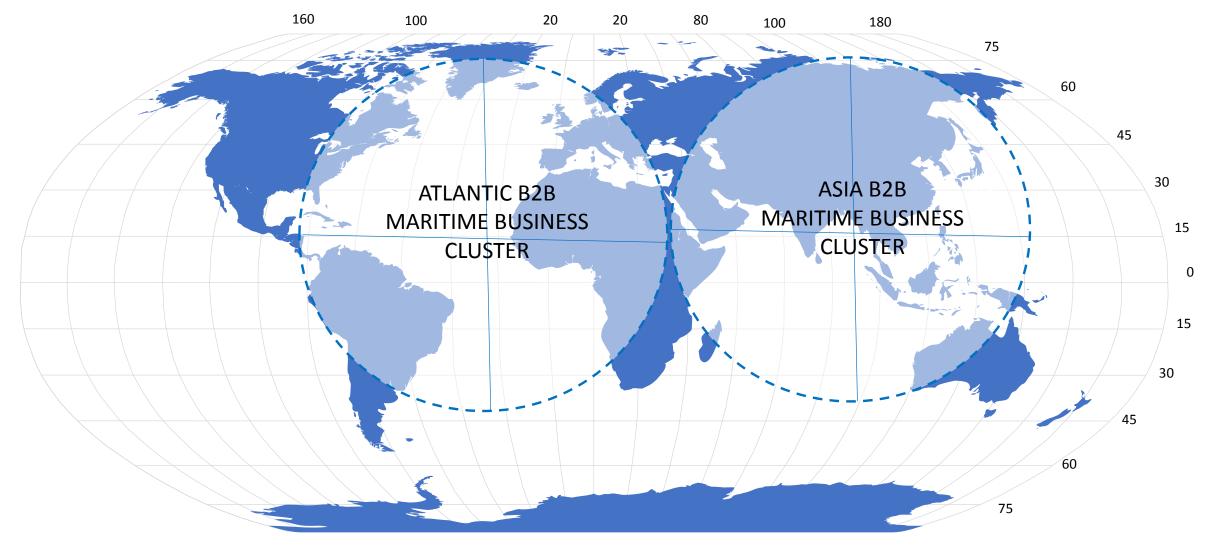
Develop better information about cargo "carbon footprint" and more develop B2B integrated through transport services 3A: CARGO strategy – reduce growth & improve logistics with better information

Cargo 1: Seaborne trade 3.4% growth trend – cut growth to 2%?

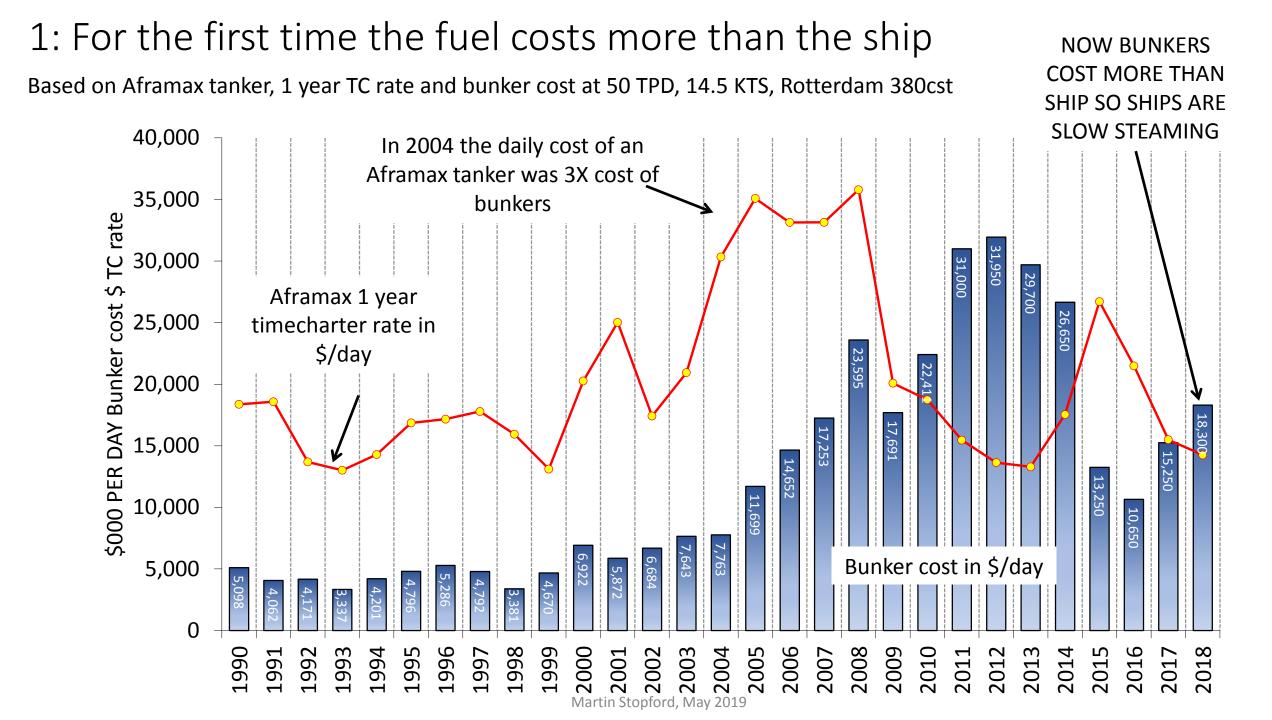


Develop regional short sea trade, supported by B2B commerce

Cargo companies should develop trading systems which are less reliant on long distance transport using the low carbon transport option (for example short sea shipping in preference to air, road or rail)



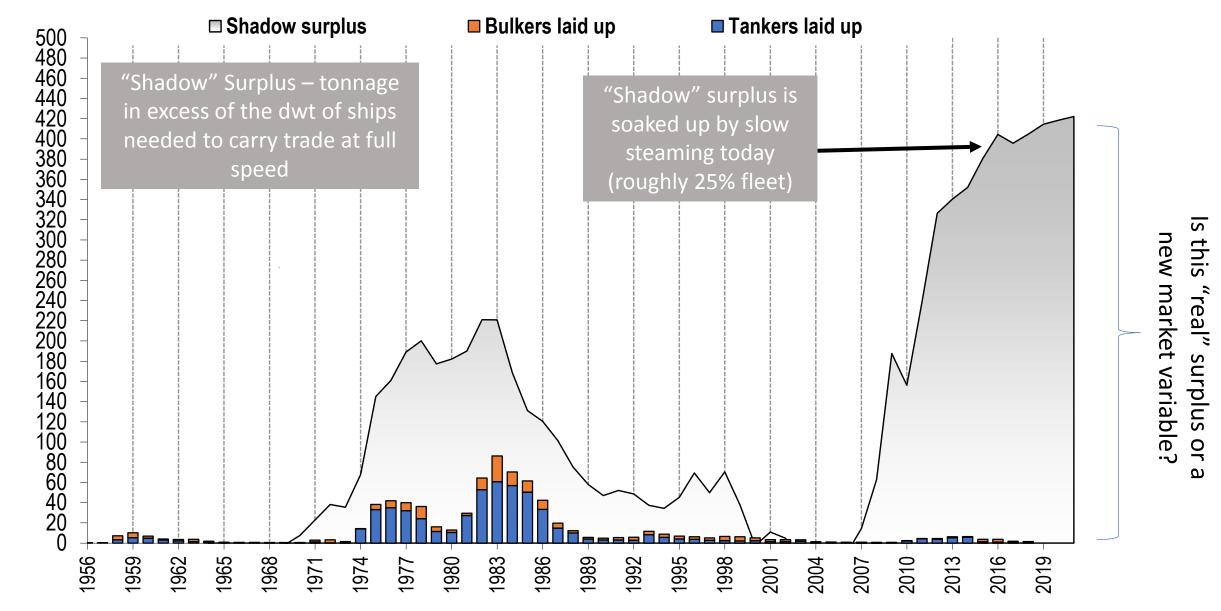
Information and monitoring are key (MRV) 3B: The SHIP – slow speed and fine tune and apply available technology



Ship 2: Surplus capacity and slow steaming raise "market-balance" issues

Shows "Shadow" surplus tonnage and the proportion laid up

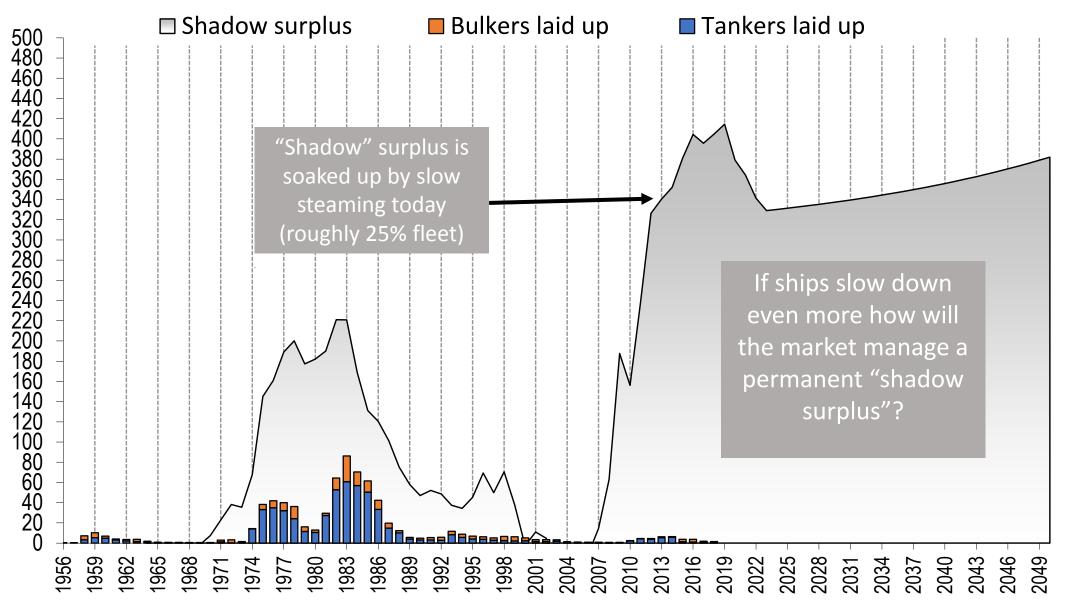
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Permanent 'shadow surplus'?

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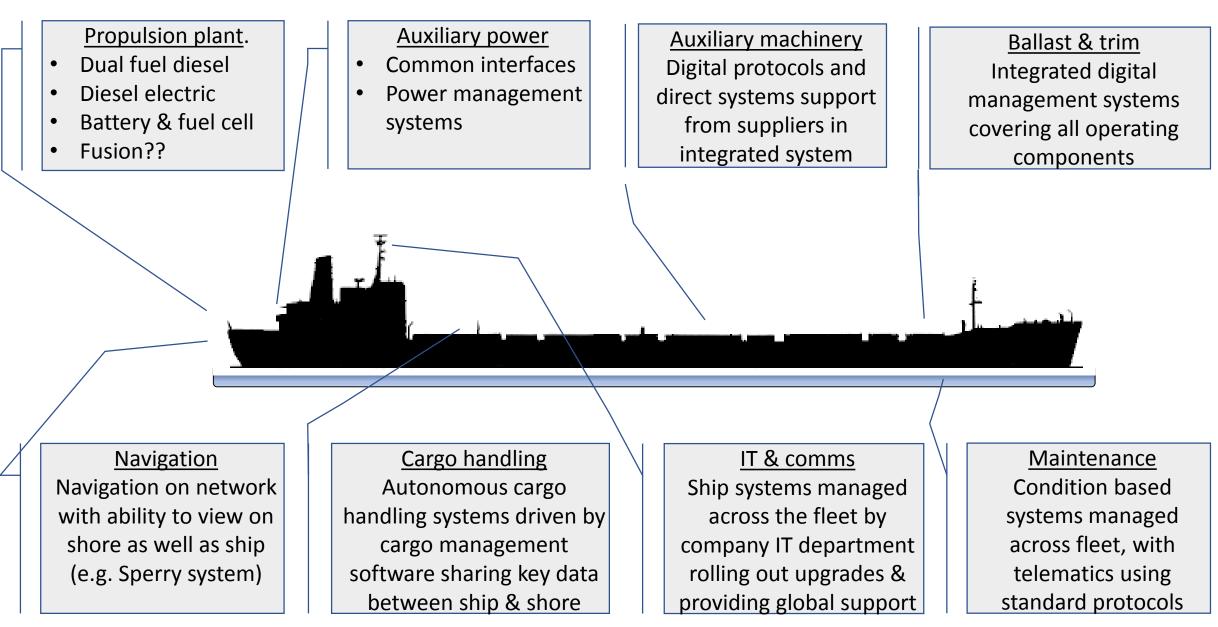
PART 3C: SHIPBUILDING zero carbon propulsion

How will ship design and construction develop in future?

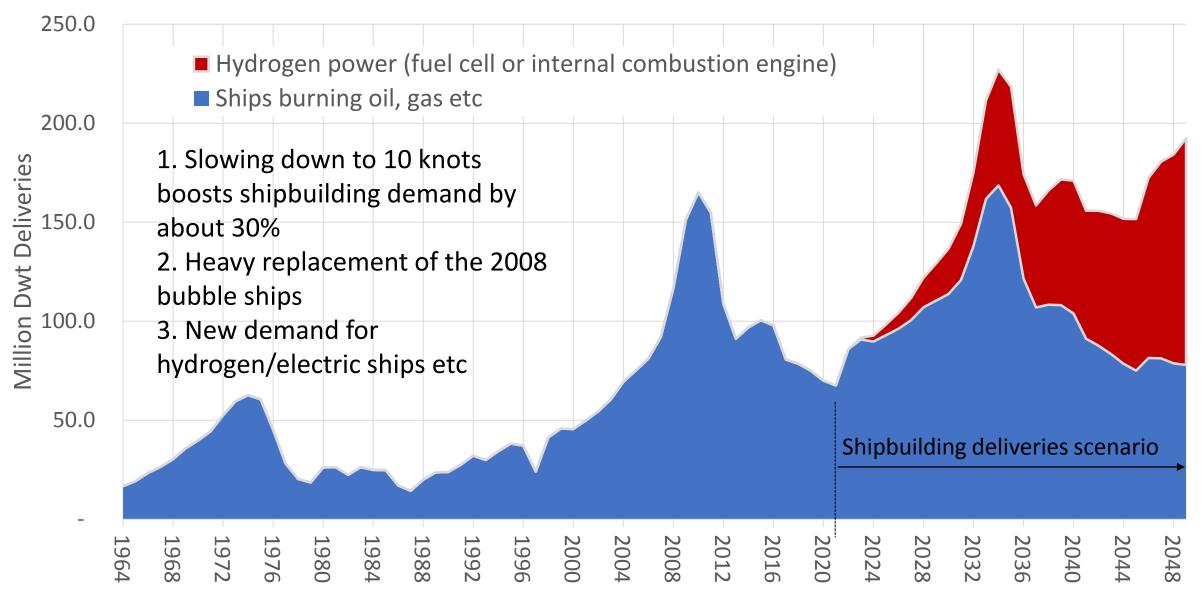


50 Years change in car technology – "Modern BMW is a computer on wheels" (The Economist 17th Oct 2018)

How might shipbuilders develop the next generation of ships?



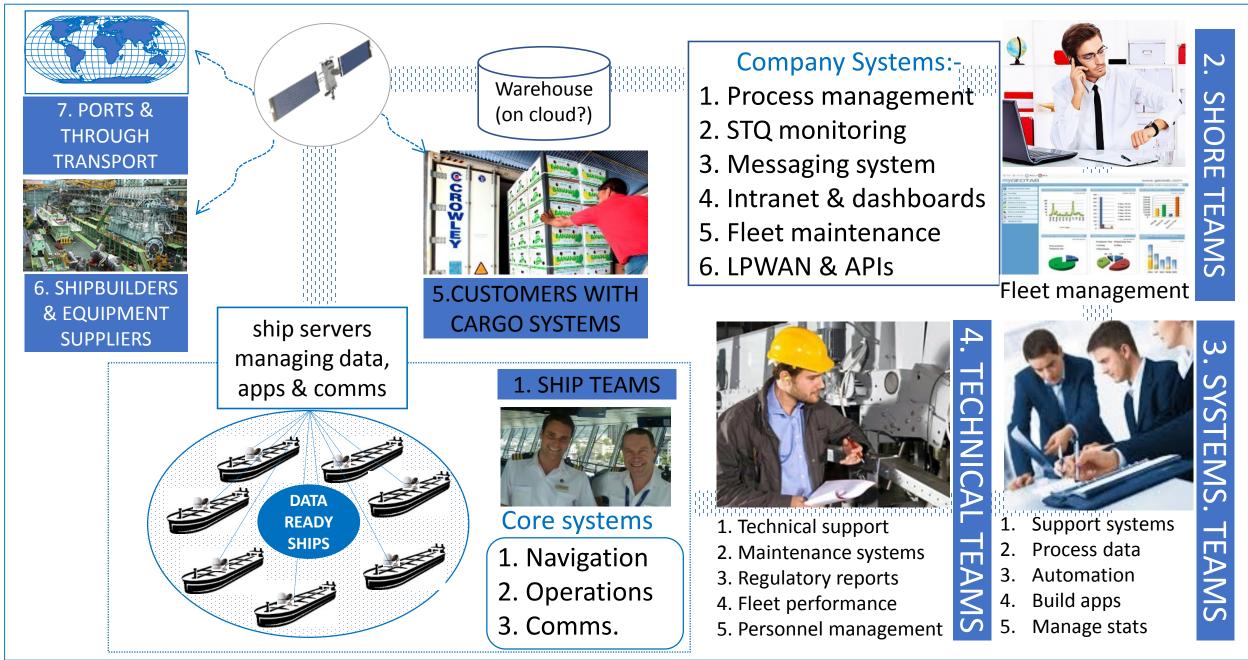
The shipbuilding scenario 2018-2050 – mix of diesel & zero carbon ships



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PART 3D: COMPANIES – new information based organizations

Change 2: Transport chain should be integrated using digital technology





Conclusions

- 1. We are facing unprecedented change in the maritime industry.
- 2. The goals are zero carbon shipping and developing the amazing logistics digital technology is already providing to businesses on land.
- 3. Cargo interests, shipowners and shipbuilders must all play a part.
- 4. Financiers will play a crucial part in enabling change.
- 5. Some of the architects of the next era in shipping are sitting here in this hall.
- 6. This is a once in a lifetime challenge we must make it work.

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