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Highlights for the fourth quarter of 2022

- Adjusted **EBITDA** in the fourth quarter of 2022 of **\$112.4 million**
- Net income of \$68.2 million and earnings per share of \$0.34
- TCE rates for Capesize and Panamax vessels of \$21,399 per day and \$18,992 per day, respectively
- Estimated TCE rates, inclusive of charter coverage, are:
 - \$13,150 per day for 63% of Capesize days and \$14,900 per day for 73% of Panamax days for the first quarter of 2023¹
 - \$21,100 per day for 19% of Capesize days and \$17,900 per day for 14% of Panamax days for the second quarter of 2023
- Entered into a \$250 million facility refinancing 20 Capesize and Panamax vessels at highly attractive terms
- Completed the sale of the 2008 and 2009 built Panamax vessels Golden Ice and Golden Strength, at attractive prices
- Entered into **agreements to acquire six modern Newcastlemax** vessels for a total consideration of \$291 million
- Repurchased 462,085 shares and announces a dividend of \$0.2 per share for the fourth quarter of 2022



Profit and loss

Fourth quarter 2022 and FY 2022



					Quarterly
(in thousands of \$)	FY 2022	FY 2021	Q4 2022	Q3 2022	Variance
Operating revenues and other operating income/expenses	1,113,043	1,201,173	249,558	282,049	(32,491)
Voyage expenses	(278,550)	(252,865)	(69,189)	(86,460)	17,271
Netrevenues	834,493	948,308	180,369	195,589	(15,220)
Gain from disposal of vessels	34,185	9,788	2,812	21,856	(19,044)
Ship operating expenses	(225,971)	(208,894)	(58,100)	(59,336)	1,236
Administrative expenses	(20,375)	(18,149)	(4,965)	(4,787)	(178)
Charter hire expenses	(57,406)	(89,559)	(12,544)	(19,179)	6,635
Impairment loss on vessels	-	(4,187)	_	-	-
Depreciation	(129,839)	(123,699)	(32,394)	(32,477)	83
Net operating expenses	(433,591)	(444,488)	(108,003)	(115,779)	7,776
Net operating income	435,087	513,608	75,178	101,666	(26,488)
Net financial expenses	(53,902)	(39,425)	(17,637)	(14,406)	(3,231)
Derivatives and other income	81,041	53,424	10,946	17,340	(6,394)
Net income before taxation	462,226	527,607	68,487	104,600	(36,113)
Income tax expense	(379)	(389)	(279)	(35)	(244)
Netincome	461,847	527,218	68,208	104,565	(36,357)
Earnings per share: basic and diluted	\$2.30/\$2.29	\$2.74/\$2.73	\$0.34	\$0.52	(\$0.18)
Adjusted EBITDA	571,636	658,242	112,447	118,188	(5,741)
TCE per day	24,262	27,582	20,421	23,017	(2,596)

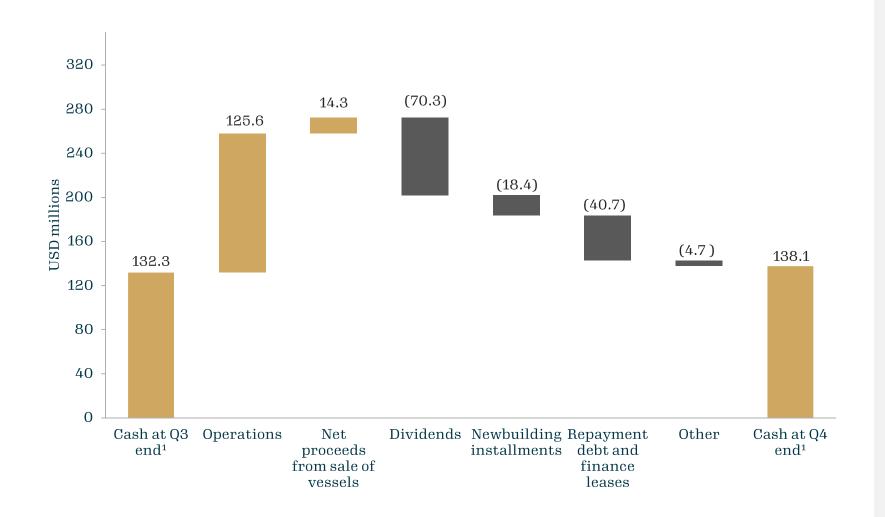
FY 2022	Q4 2022
TCE rate ¹	TCE rate ¹
\$ 24,262	\$ 20,421
Earnings per share	Earnings per share
\$ 2.30	\$ 0.34

^{1.} Full fleet TCE. Time charter equivalent rate, is a non-GAAP measure. For definition, please refer to Q4 2022 Press Release

Cash flow

Fourth quarter 2022





Q4 2022	Q3 2022		
Dividend per share	Dividend per share		
\$0.20	\$0.35		
Operating CF	Operating CF		
\$ 125.6 million	\$ 98.7 million		

Balance sheet

Fourth quarter 2022



			Quarterly
(in thousands of \$)	Q4 2022	Q3 2022	Variance
ASSETS			
Shortterm			
Cash and cash equivalents (incl. restricted cash)	138,073	132,255	5,818
Other current assets	161,074	192,090	(31,016)
Long term			
Vessels and equipment, net (incl. held for sale)	2,678,327	2,718,422	(40,095)
Newbuildings	91,898	73,583	18,315
Leases, right of use assets	99,235	114,686	(15,451)
Other long-term assets	88,684	93,475	(4,791)
Total assets	3,257,291	3,324,511	(67,220)
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LIABILITIES AND EQUITY Short term			
Current portion of long-term debt	92,865	94,460	(1,595)
Current portion of finance lease obligations	18,387	18,106	281
Current portion of operating lease obligations	5,546	14,754	(9,208)
Other current liabilities	94,830	103,191	(8,361)
Longterm			
Long-term debt	1,027,991	1,060,001	(32,010)
Non-current portion of finance lease obligations	87,588	92,241	(4,653)
Non-current portion of operating lease obligations	13,051	19,481	(6,430)
Equity	1,917,033	1,922,277	(5,244)
Total liabilities and equity	3,257,291	3,324,511	(67,220)

Q3 2022		
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Attractive financing supporting industry low CBE



Recent \$250 million refinancing confirms Golden Ocean's resilient business model with superior fleet efficiency, industry leading funding cost and cash break even rates

Key refinancing terms

Amount: \$250 million

Repayment: 20 years (age adjusted)

Tenor: 5 years

Pricing: SOFR + 1.85%

KPI linked to Golden Ocean's

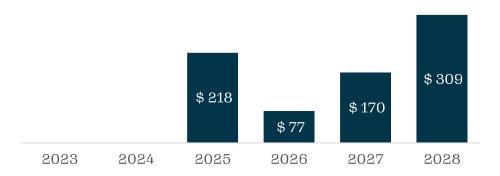
Sustainability KPI: announced AER targets impacting

the margin with +/- 5 bps

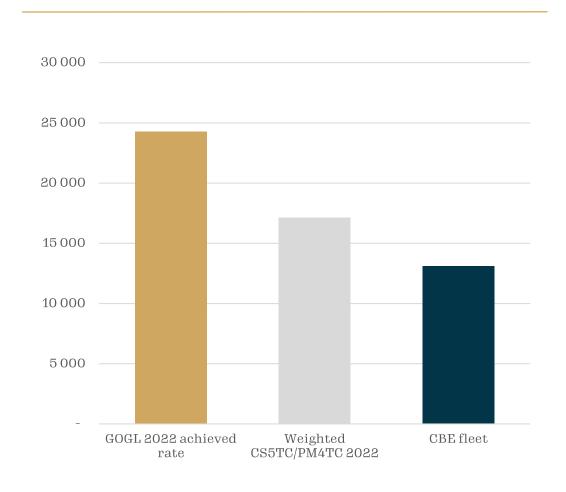
Other: Refinancing of three existing

facilities with security of 20 vessels

Debt maturities (balloons)²



Cash-break-even¹





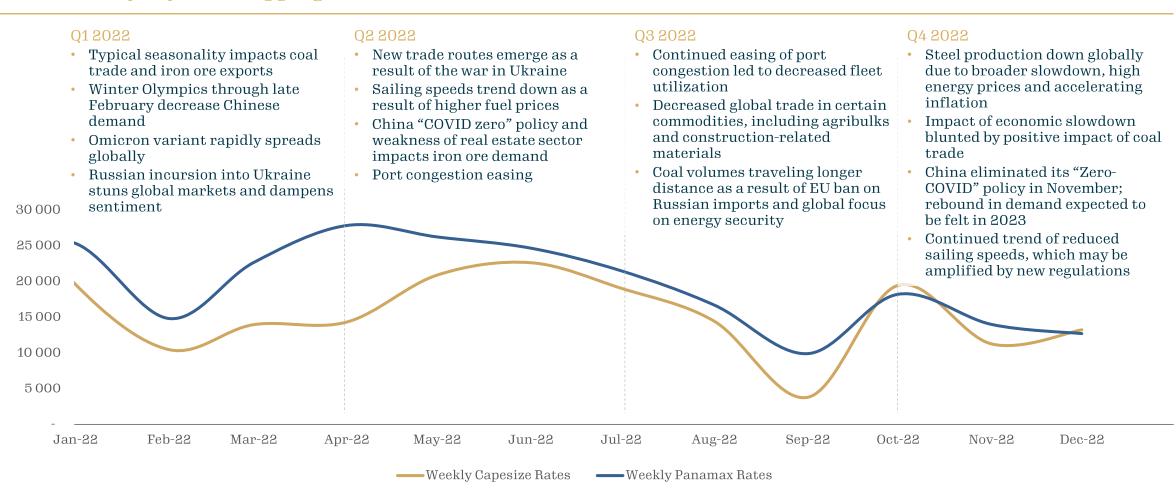


Recent market developments



Dry bulk trade impacted by broader global slowdown with some impact offset by coal trade and reduced sailing speeds

Recent weekly dry bulk shipping rates

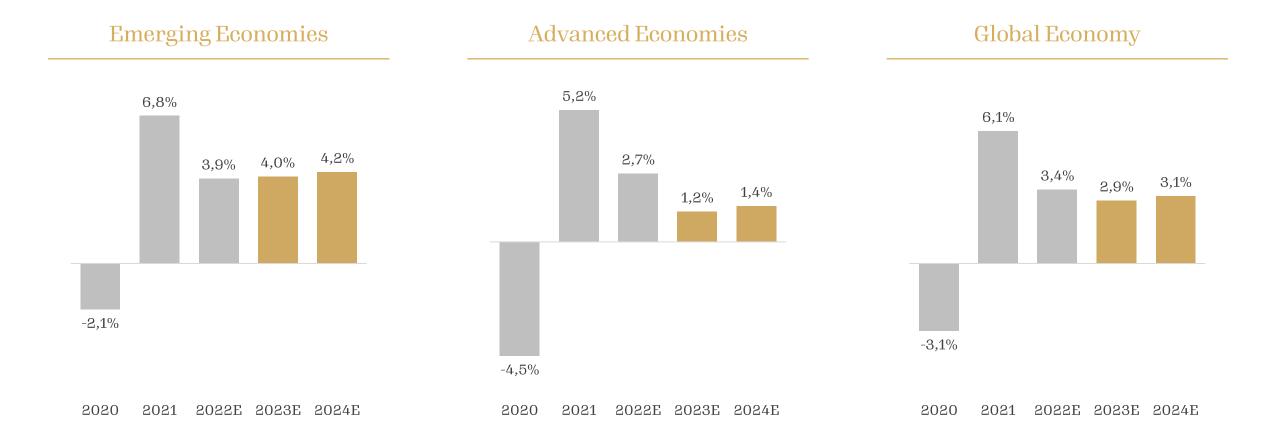


Source: Clarksons Shipping Intelligence Network

GDP growth continues to support dry bulk demand



Macroeconomic conditions are expected to improve as we move through the year, and GDP growth is forecasted to remain supportive of demand for dry bulk commodities

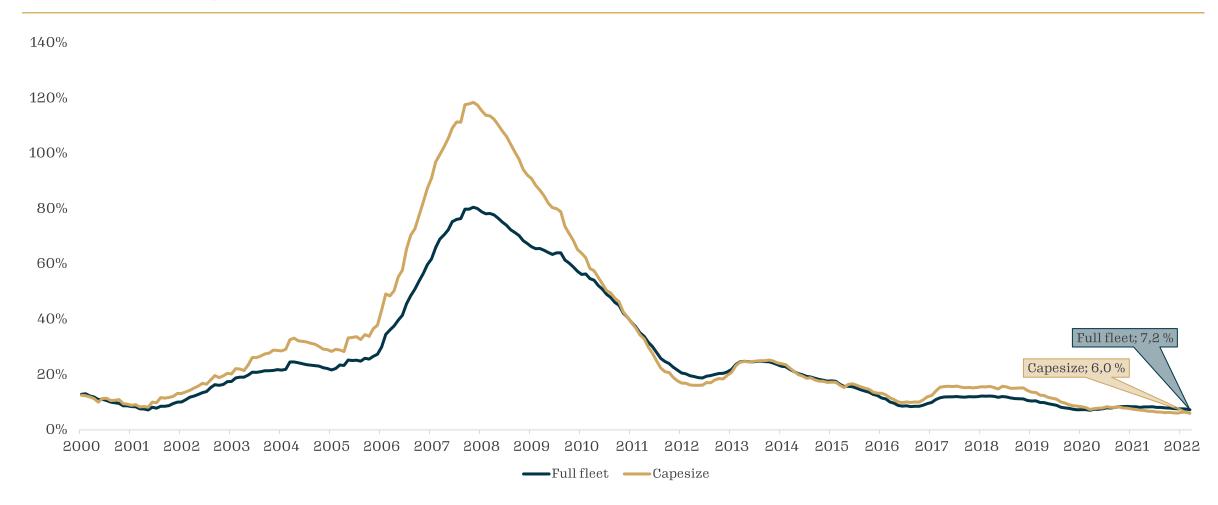


Highly positive supply dynamics - orderbook 30-year low



The orderbook for the next several years is highly visible, and fleet growth is set to decline significantly over the next two years

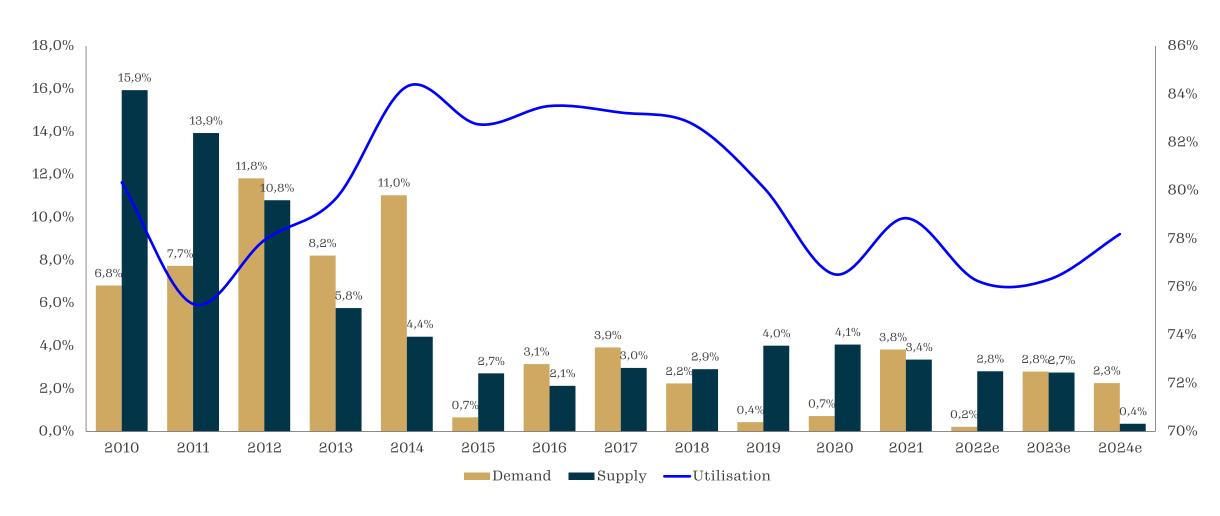
Orderbook as % of global fleet



Healthy long term fundamentals

Demand to outpace supply in years to come

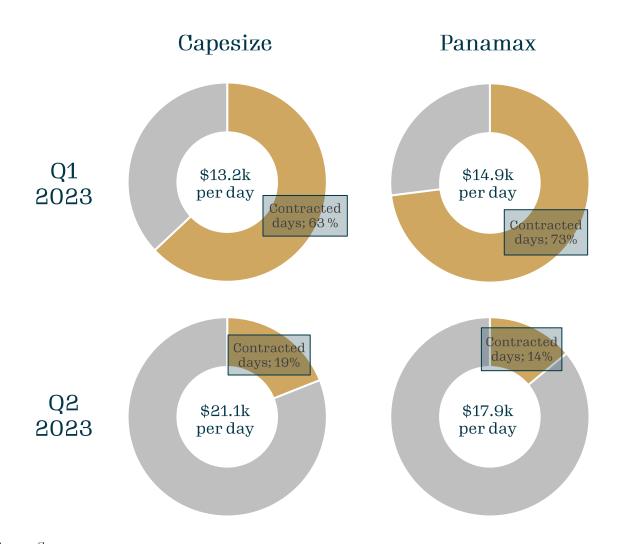




Guidance for the next two quarters

Most of Q1 covered at levels well above market





66% of the fleet fixed for Q1 $_{2023}$

\$6.1k Q1 TCEs above quarter-to-date FFA curve¹

\$95

in contracted TCE revenue for Q1 2023 and Q2 2023

Strong cash flow potential



 $Significant\ earnings\ potential\ with\ modern\ on\ -the\ -water\ fleet\ comprised\ almost\ exclusively\ of\ Capesize\ and\ Panamax\ vessels$

Annualized free cash flow and yield

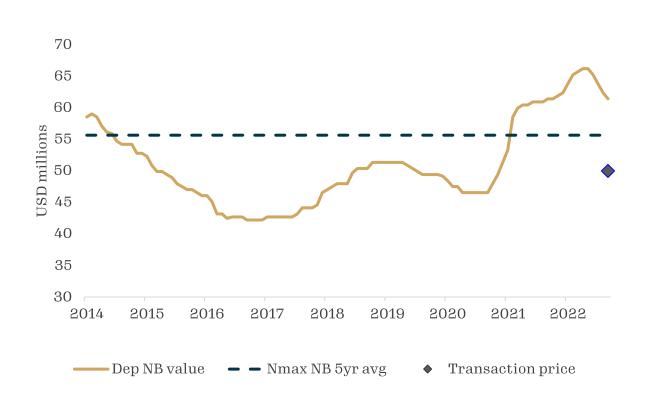


Acquisition of six scrubber-fitted Newcastlemax vessels

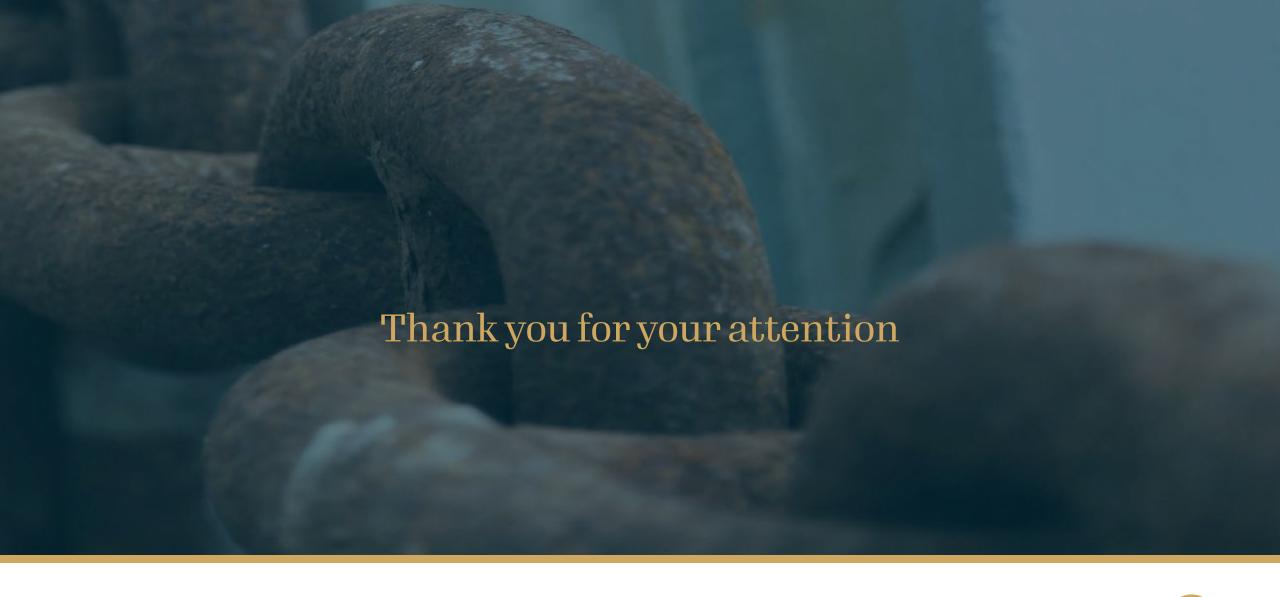


Opportunistic acquisition of high-quality modern vessels at below market prices enabled by strong balance sheet

Quality Assets at Attractive Prices



- Taking advantage of short-term market weakness
- The five 2020/21 built are currently valued at ~\$57.5 m versus acquisition price of \$50 m
- Equity funded through vessels sales and cash; dividend capacity unaffected
- Instant cashflow \$6.5k above CBE supporting divided capacity
- Managing near-term risk with TCs, positioned for upside when charter-free end 2025...
- ...at a time where virtually no vessels are delivered
- Significant contribution to our 2030 30% emission reduction target



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