

Transportation Traffic Report:

An update on global situations that may affect product flow.

Week of: August 21, 2023

GLOBAL PULSE

Argentina and Chile

- The Southern Hemisphere is currently in winter season and with that comes the potential for inclement weather. We will experience a 1-2 week delay on orders out of Argentina as the pass between Mendoza and Chile is expected to be closed for 10 days.
- Severe drought in the Panama Region continues to create a low water situation in the Panama Canal. This can result in draft restrictions being imposed on vessels forcing them to reduce the number of containers onboard. The authority has restricted the number of vessels being permitted to move through the canal which is causing congestion and some delay.

There are currently no port disruptions impacting LCBO orders.

U.S. PORTS

- Philadelphia
- New York/NJ 3 day dwell

CANADIAN PORTS

- Halifax, NS 3 day dwell
- Saint John, NB 3 day dwell
- Montreal, PQ 5-7 day dwell
- Vancouver, BC- 7-10 day dwell

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