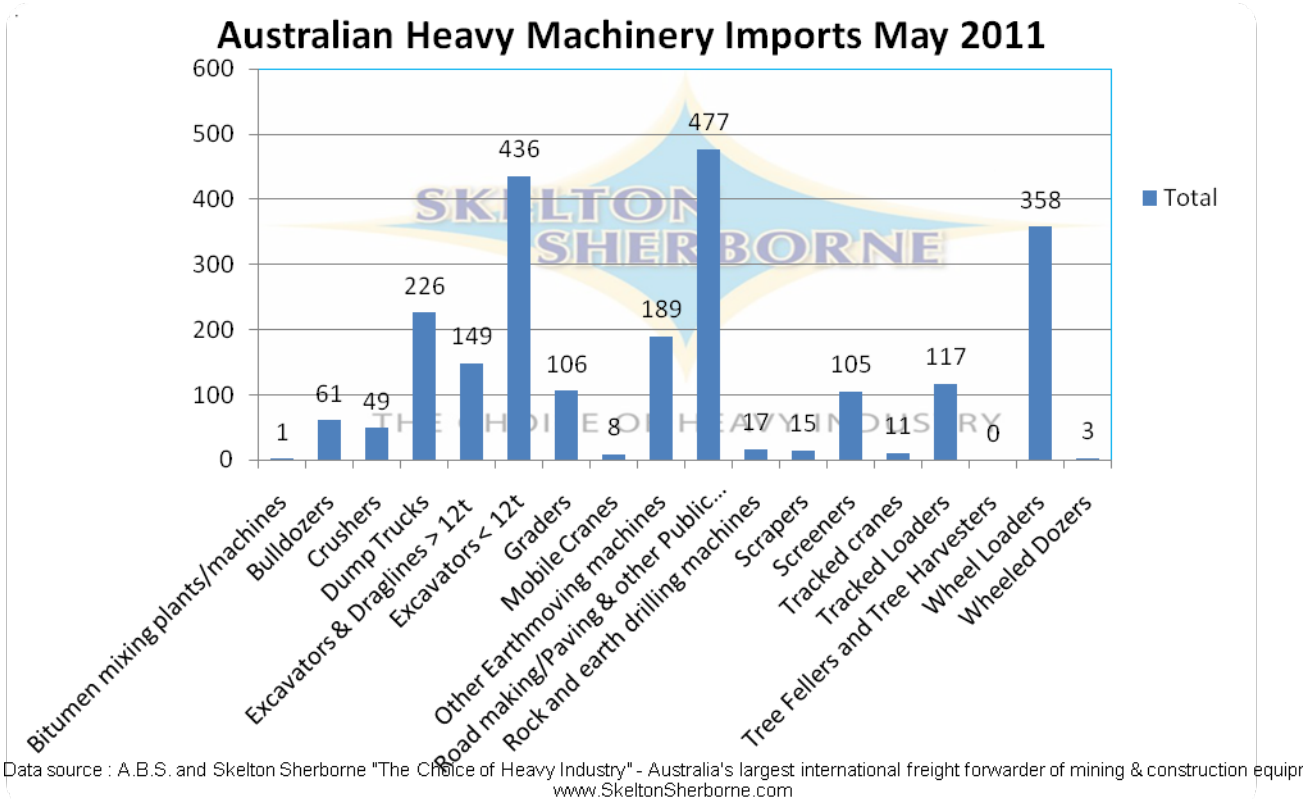
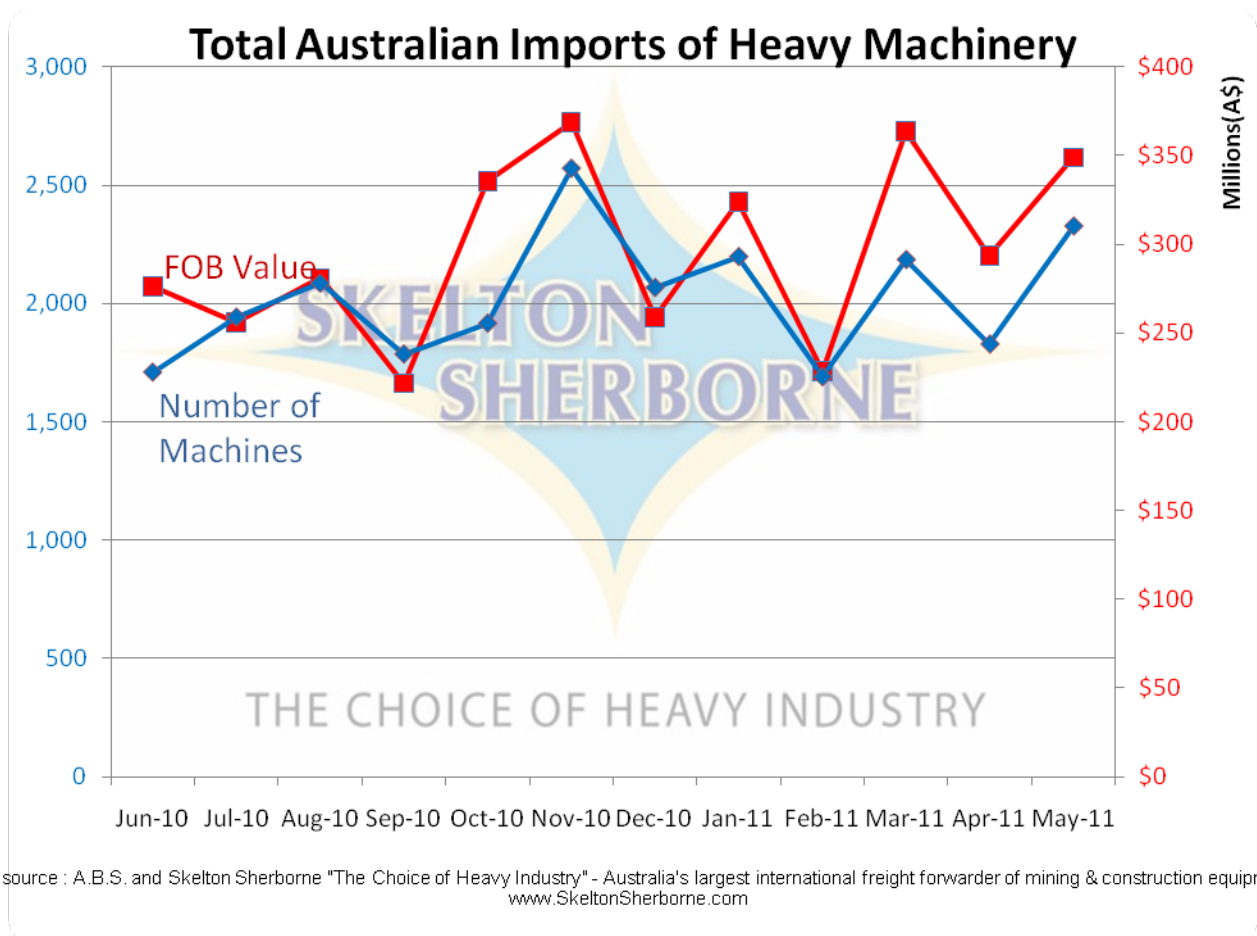


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- Import volumes in May increased by 27% to 2328 units, with FOB values also increasing by 19%.
- The Customs FOB value rose from \$293m in April to \$349m in May.
- Significant movements in various categories are as follows:

Bulldozers	UP	90%
Road making/Paving & other Public Works Equipment	UP	488%
Screeners	DOWN	51%
Dump Trucks	UP	80%
Graders	UP	80%
Scrapers	UP	114%
Crushers	UP	63%
Wheel Loaders	UP	55%
Tracked Cranes	DOWN	93%

- New finance contracts for Construction and Earthmoving equipment.

	AUD
May 2010	5m
June 2010	8m
July 2010	5m
August 2010	4m
September 2010	4m
October 2010	19m
November 2010	33m
December 2010	29m
January 2011	4m
February 2011	4m
March 2011	40m
April 2011	9m

- The [Baltic Shipping Index](#) has increased to 1,438 as of June 29th.
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