



GHANA SHIPPERS' AUTHORITY

DON'T PAY MORE THAN THESE NEGOTIATED RATES

In accordance with the Ghana Shippers' Authority Regulation, 2012, (L.I.2190) which mandates the Authority to negotiate charges of Service Providers on behalf of shippers, the Authority has successfully engaged Clearing Agents and Freight Forwarders and have agreed on the following charges:

Professional Fees of Clearing Agents/Freight Forwarders for the Sea Ports

SERVICE	AGREED MAXIMUM CHARGE
1. GENERAL CARGO	(GHC)
i. Conventional <i>Minimum charge up to 100 metric tons e.g. Steel products, plates, drums, etc</i>	1,200.00
<i>Any metric ton thereafter</i>	6.00
ii. Bagged <i>e.g. Sugar, Flour, Rice, etc. per metric ton</i>	4.00
2. VEHICLES	
i. Saloon Cars	1,300.00
ii. Commercial Vehicles (Mini Buses, Vans, 3 Seater Estates etc)	2,000.00
iii. Trailers, Trucks, Buses etc	2,800.00
iv. Motor Bikes etc	400.00
v. Earth Moving Equipments eg. Excavators, Bulldozer, Dumpers	3,500.00
3. CONTAINERISED CARGO	
i. 1 X 20"	2000.00
ii. 1 X 40"	2,800.00
iii. Part container goods up to 5 metric tons	650.00
iv. Any metric ton thereafter	80.00
4. SPECIAL SERVICES (Documentation)	GHC
The Bulk or Containerised or Vehicle must apply + a processing fee as shown below:	
i. Warehousing	800.00
ii. Ex-Warehousing	800.00
iii. Bond to Bond	800.00
iv. BOE Processing	280.00/BL
v. BOE Petition	200.00/petition
vi. Clearance Permit	300.00
vii. Pre Entry (KIA)	500.00
viii. Dangerous Goods	500.00/TEU
ix. Permits & Licenses from MDA -	
Electronic Manual	100.00
	200.00
x. Exemption Coordination (pre-exempt)	500.00
xi. Unstuffing Vehicles in Containers attracts an extra charge of:	551.20/20' 650.40/40'
5. FORMS/SERVICE	AGREED MAXIMUM CHARGE
Import Declaration Step1 Incomplete	
(a) Draft BOE	200.00
(b) With Final Shipping Document Complete	200.00
(c) IDF prior to shipment	300.00
Delivery Order	As per Shipping Agent
Terminal Handling Charges	As per Terminal Operator

Professional Fees of Clearing Agents/Freight Forwarders for K.I.A

SERVICE	AGREED MAXIMUM CHARGE
PERSONAL EFFECTS (IN KILOS)	GHC
01 – 40	430.00
41 – 80	441.20
81 – 100	466.40
101 – 150	581.20
151 – 200	596.60
201 – 300	614.80
301 – 400	644.20
401 – 500	682.00
COMMERCIAL GOODS (IN KILOS)	GHC
1 – 40	561.84
41 – 80	606.08
81 – 100	741.88
101 – 150	747.27
151 – 200	758.96
201 – 300	800.82
301 – 400	834.70
401 – 500	860.74
Cargoes in excess of 500 kilograms attract GHC 5.50 per additional kilogram	
OTHER CHARGES	GHC
Human Remains	1,500.00
Saloon Cars (per vehicle)	1,300.00
Commercial Vehicles (Mini Bus)	2,000.00
Motor Cycle (per unit)	400.00
Dangerous Goods per air way bill	1,000.00

Professional Fees of Clearing Agents/Freight Forwarders for Aflao and Elubo

SERVICE	AGREED MAXIMUM CHARGE
CUSTOMS CLEARANCE CHARGES	GHC
Articulated Truck	1,500.00
Cargo Truck Load	1,100.00
Saloon Cars Import	900.00
Van and Bus Import	1,100.00
20' Footer Container	1,300.00
40' Footer Container	1,800.00
TRANSIT	CFA
Saloon Car	453,600.00
Van	567,000.00
Articulated Trucks	680,400.00
Cargo Trucks	567,000.00
Articulated Load	1,134,000.00
Cargo Truck Load	680,400.00

DE-CONSOLIDATION	
SERVICE	AGREED MAXIMUM CHARGE
AIR FREIGHT DE-CONSOLIDATION CHARGES (IN KILOS)	US\$
1 – 20	61.60
21 – 40	70.84
41 – 70	84.70
71 – 110	92.40
111 – 210	107.80
211 – 260	126.28
261 – 310	158.62
311 – 400	194.04
401 – 500	220.22

Extra kilo above 500kg attracts USD 0.385 per kilo. The above is to be converted into GHC at the prevailing rate. The weight or cubic meter, whichever is higher shall be applied.

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PORT HANDLING AND RENT CHARGES (NEW)

Acting under the auspices of the Ministry of Transport and in accordance with the Ghana Shippers' Authority Regulations, 2012 (L.I. 2190), the Ghana Shippers' Authority has on behalf of shippers concluded negotiation of charges administered by the Ghana Ports & Harbours Authority and the Terminal Operators as follows:

A. HANDLING CHARGES (CONVENTIONAL CARGO)			
CONVENTIONAL CARGO	SERVICE	IMPORTS Per TONNE GHC	EXPORTS Per TONNE GHC
1. Lifts up to 5 Tonnes	- Direct Handling	5.43	3.63
	- Indirect Handling	10.86	7.26
2. Lifts 6 to 10 Tonnes	- Direct Handling	9.50	6.05
	- Indirect Handling	21.72	14.52
3. Lifts above 10 Tonnes	- Direct Handling	13.57	9.68
	- Indirect Handling	31.89	21.18

B. HANDLING CHARGES (UNPACKED VEHICLES)					
UNPACKED VEHICLES	SERVICE	IMPORTS Per Unit GHC	EXPORTS Per Unit GHC	TRANSFER OF UNPACKED VEHICLES BETWEEN PORT AND SAFEHARBOR TERMINAL (TEMA) Per Unit -GHC	TRANSFER OF UNPACKED VEHICLES BETWEEN PORT AND SAFEHARBOR TERMINAL (TAKORADI) Per Unit -GHC
1. Saloon Car	- Drivable	84.15	55.66	44.11	46.31
	- Non-drivable	126.22	83.49	65.50	69.83
2. Mini Vehicle	- Drivable	189.33	124.63	99.08	104.03
	- Non-drivable	283.65	186.34	147.93	155.33
3. Utility Vehicle	- Drivable	262.62	172.43	137.08	143.93
	- Non-drivable	393.59	257.73	204.94	215.18
4. Trailer Unit	- Drivable	262.62	172.43	137.08	143.93
	- Non-drivable	393.59	257.73	204.94	215.18
5. Motor Bike	- Drivable	31.89	21.18	17.64	18.53
	- Non-drivable	48.18	32.07	25.79	27.08

C. HANDLING CHARGES (CONTAINERISED – IMPORTS/EXPORTS)			
1. Terminal Handling	SERVICE	IMPORTS Per TEU Stuffed Cont. GHC	EXPORTS Per TEU Stuffed Cont. GHC
a. Container with General Goods	- Direct Handling	75.56	49.35
	- Indirect Handling	255.20	124.63
b. Container with Dangerous Goods (I)	- Direct Handling	143.17	93.22
	- Indirect Handling	357.28	233.06
c. Container with Dangerous Goods (II)	- Direct Handling	95.45	63.58
	- Indirect Handling	267.96	158.48
2. Stuffing / Unstuffing	SERVICE	IMPORTS Per TEU Stuffed Cont. GHC	EXPORTS Per TEU Stuffed Cont. GHC
a. Container with General Goods	- FCL	280.26	229.90
	- LCL (Groupage)	327.09	267.41
b. Container with Used Engines / Spare parts	- Re-stuffing	419.37	343.04
	- 20 ft.	898.47	735.08
c. Container with Dangerous Goods (I)	- 40 ft.	1,347.02	1,101.71
	- Re-stuffing - 20 ft.	898.47	735.08
d. Container with Dangerous Goods (II)	- 40 ft.	1,347.02	1,101.71
	- FCL	559.85	457.38
e. Container with Ramped / Hanged Vehicles	- LCL (Groupage)	621.60	508.20
	- Re-stuffing	964.29	788.92
3. Transport to/from ICD	- FCL	421.41	344.85
	- LCL (Groupage)	470.27	384.78
4. Additional Handling (Refer to pg. 60 of GPA Tariff for this definition.)	- Re-stuffing	868.61	710.27
	- 20 ft.	898.47	735.08
5. Lift-On-Lift-Off of Cont. (Refer to pg. 69 of GPA Tariff for this definition.)	- 40 ft.	1,347.02	1,101.71
	- Per 20 ft. Cont.	137.08	111.93
6. Other Services	- Per 40 ft. Cont.	205.62	168.80
	- Per 45 ft. Cont.	246.74	202.55
7. Lift-On-Lift-Off of Cont. (Refer to pg. 69 of GPA Tariff for this definition.)	- 20 ft.	52.25	43.56
	- 40 ft.	104.50	87.12
8. Other Services	- 45 ft.	125.41	104.54
	- CARGO Type	Per Unit / GHC	Per Unit / GHC
a. Transfer of Vehicles at GJT (Applicable to Vehicles transferred from Devanning Bay to Car Park at GJT)	- Saloon Car	52.07	32.45
	- Mini Vehicle	117.00	80.85
b. Transfer of Vehicles at GJT (Applicable to Vehicles transferred from Devanning Bay to Car Park at GJT)	- Utility Vehicle	161.46	128.15
	- Trailer Unit	161.46	128.15

C. HANDLING CHARGES (CONTAINERISED – IMPORTS/EXPORTS) contd.		
D. TRANSFER OF UNPACKED VEHICLES BETWEEN PORT AND SAFEHARBOR CAR TERMINAL-TEMA		
	IMPORTS Per Unit GHC	EXPORTS Per Unit GHC
TRANSFER OF HEAVY DUTY EQUIPMENT		
- Moved on Low Loaders	678.60	435.60
- Moved on their Own Wheels	137.08	91.96
D. TRANSFER OF UNPACKED VEHICLES BETWEEN PORT AND SAFEHARBOR CARE TERMINAL -TAKORADI		
	IMPORTS Per Unit GHC	EXPORT Per Unit GHC
TRANSFER OF HEAVY DUTY EQUIPMENT		
- Moved on Low Loaders	712.53	457.38
- Moved on their Own Wheels	143.93	96.56

E. STORAGE AND WAREHOUSING CHARGES (RENT)					
1 (a). Storage Rent on Imports					
Cargo Type	Free Running Days	1 st 7 Days: Per Day	Next 7 Days: Per Day	Thereafter: Per Day	Measurements
- Stuffed Container	7	8.14	15.61	46.14	TEU
- Conventional Cargo	7	1.36	2.04	3.39	Tonne
- Saloon Cars	7	5.43	8.14	24.43	Unit
- Mini Vehicles	7	10.59	16.29	50.22	Unit
- Utility Vehicles	7	15.61	25.79	75.32	Unit
- Trailers Unit	7	15.61	25.79	75.32	Unit
1 (b). Storage Rent on Exports (except Sawm Timber, Curls and Logs, which have different rates)					
Cargo Type	Free Running Days	1 st 7 Days: Per Day	Next 7 Days: Per Day	Thereafter: Per Day	Measurements
- Stuffed Container	7	7.72	14.81	43.77	TEU
- Conventional Cargo	7	1.29	1.93	3.22	Tonne
- Saloon Cars	7	5.15	7.72	23.17	Unit
- Mini Vehicles	7	10.04	15.44	47.62	Unit
- Utility Vehicles	7	14.80	24.45	71.43	Unit
- Trailers Unit	7	14.80	24.45	71.43	Unit

2. Dangerous Goods (DG) in Container – Import / Export					
Cargo Type	DG Group	Free Storage Days	1 to 5 Days	6 to 10 Days	After 10 Days
Explosives	I	Nil	33.41	54.29	65.15
Flammable and Poisonous Gases	I	Nil	25.06	44.79	57.00
Outgassing Substances and Organic Peroxides	I	Nil	25.06	44.79	57.00
Radioactive Substances	I	Nil	33.41	54.29	65.15
Flammable Liquids	II	5	19.68	35.97	48.86
Flammable Solids	II	5	19.68	35.97	48.86
Toxic and Infectious Substances	II	5	19.68	35.97	48.86
Corrosive Substances	II	5	19.68	35.97	48.86
Miscellaneous Dangerous Substances and Articles	II	5	19.68	35.97	48.86
3. Monitoring Charges – Dangerous Goods in Container – Import / Export					
Cargo Type	Import	Export			
- DG Group I	6.11	1.45			
- DG Group II	4.07	1.63			

F. DOCUMENTATION AND OTHERS		
DOCUMENTATION AND OTHERS	IMPORTS Per TONNE/GHC	EXPORT Per TONNE/GHC
1. Documentation Charges		
- Dry Bulk Cargo	1.36	1.21
- Frozen Meat / Fish	1.36	1.21
- Re-marking of Export Timber	---	6.05

STORAGE AND WAREHOUSING CHARGES					
STORAGE RENT ON GENERAL CARGO	Free Storage Period	CHARGEABLE PERIOD			REMARKS
		First 10 Days	Next 10 Days	There after	
TRANSIT	Running Days	PER DAY	PER DAY	PER DAY	
Conventional/ Unitized Cargo	Days	US\$	US\$	US\$	
Up to 5,000 Tonnes	21	1.00	1.25	1.50	Per Tonne
5,001 – 10,000 Tonnes	30	1.00	1.25	1.50	Per Tonne
10,001 – 15,000 Tonnes	40	1.00	1.25	1.50	Per Tonne
15,001 – 19,999 Tonnes	50	1.00	1.25	1.50	Per Tonne
20,000 Tonnes and Above	60	1.00	1.25	1.50	Per Tonne

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NEGOTIATED CHARGES FOR AIR CARGO HANDLERS (NEW)

IMPORT CHARGES	UNIT(Per kilo/day) \$	MINIMUM CHARGE (\$)
Handling Charges	0.16-0.19	25-30
Transit Cargo Handling	0.10-0.12	20-30
Storage Charges (first 4days free)	0.11	25-50
Cool Storage (0-8C)	0.30-0.50	30-50
Cool Storage (8-25C)	0.30	30
Valuable Cargo	0.35	30
Vulnerable Cargo	0.25	30
Special Cargo Handling -Animal Handling -Meat inspection -Public Health -Human Remains	30	At cost +10% disb fee
Dangerous Goods Handling	0.20	25
Check Weight		27-30
Special/ Security Handling	0.40	160
Prof of Delivery		10-25
EXPORT		
Processing and Handling of Cargo	0.08	25
Dangerous Goods Handling	Per AWB	35-37.50
Scanning (x-ray)	0.04-0.05	40
Hand Search (ACC3 standards)	0.04-0.06	40-100

EXPORT CHARGES	UNIT(Per kilo/day) \$	MINIMUM CHARGE (\$)
Airway bill Fee (Commercial Flight)	15 per AWB	
Airway bill fee (Cargo Flights)	12 per Consignment	
Storage Charges (first 2days free)	Per kilo 0.02-0.05	50.00
Special Cargo Handling	Per case 30.00	
Vulnerable Cargo	0.25	30.00
Bullion Handling	3.75	110
Check Weight	25.00 per shipment	

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