



MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE

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Port and Shipping Community

MARITIME WELFARE FEE CONCESSION

1 This circular supersedes Port Marine Circular No. 23 of 2019 on Maritime Welfare Fee Concession.

2 The Maritime Welfare Fee (MWF) applies for each vessel call. Currently, to qualify for the MWF concession, the vessel's port stay must not exceed four days¹ for that vessel call. The 100% MWF concession, first introduced with effect from 1 October 2012 for a period of five years as part of economic relief measures, was subsequently extended twice in 2017 and 2019, and is expected to expire on 31 December 2022.

3 To assist our industries, the MWF concession will be extended for a further two years at the following rates and cease thereafter:

- a. 75% MWF concession from 1 January 2023 to 31 December 2023; and
- b. 50% MWF concession from 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024.

The concession will cease from 1 January 2025.

4 The MWF concession applies for vessels with port stay not exceeding four days and vessels that meet such prevailing condition(s) as may be notified by MPA from time to time. Please see details in Annex.

¹ The 100% MWF concession is applied for port stay not exceeding four days as part of the revision to port dues rates phase 1 effective 1 January 2022.

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To qualify for the MWF concession from 1 January 2023 and 1 January 2024, the vessel's port stay must not exceed four days.

Maritime Welfare Fee per Vessel Call¹

For qualifying vessels that meet the prevailing qualifying condition(s):

Vessel Size (in GT)	1 Oct 2012 to 31 Dec 2022	1 Jan 2023 to 31 Dec 2023	1 Jan 2024 to 31 Dec 2024
75 – 1,000	\$25 x 0% = \$0	\$25 x 25% = \$6.25	\$25 x 50% = \$12.50
1,001 – 2,000	\$40 x 0% = \$0	\$40 x 25% = \$10.00	\$40 x 50% = \$20.00
2,001 – 5,000	\$60 x 0% = \$0	\$60 x 25% = \$15.00	\$60 x 50% = \$30.00
5,001 – 10,000	\$80 x 0% = \$0	\$80 x 25% = \$20.00	\$80 x 50% = \$40.00
10,001 – 20,000	\$105 x 0% = \$0	\$105 x 25% = \$26.25	\$105 x 50% = \$52.50
20,001 – 40,000	\$140 x 0% = \$0	\$140 x 25% = \$35.00	\$140 x 50% = \$70.00
Greater than 40,000	\$175 x 0% = \$0	\$175 x 25% = \$43.75	\$175 x 50% = \$87.50

For non-qualifying vessels that do not meet the prevailing qualifying condition(s):

Vessel Size (in GT)	Current up till 31 Dec 2022	1 Jan 2023 to 31 Dec 2024
75 – 1,000	\$25	\$25
1,001 – 2,000	\$40	\$40
2,001 – 5,000	\$60	\$60
5,001 – 10,000	\$80	\$80
10,001 – 20,000	\$105	\$105
20,001 – 40,000	\$140	\$140
Greater than 40,000	\$175	\$175

¹ No GST is charged on Maritime Welfare Fee.