

FEES AND CHARGES FOR REGISTERING A VESSEL UNDER THE MALTA FLAG

COMPANY	Statutory Charges
Registration fee, and certified copies of formation document	Lm 175
Annual return	Lm 70 per annum

VESSEL		Lm	Lm
A. Registration fees and annual tonnage tax for all ships:-			
Ship	Fee on Registration	Annual	
		Basic Fee	Tonnage Tax
Fishing vessels of less than 24 metres length overall:			
Commercial	10 cents per net tonnage	10	5 cents per net
Recreational	Lm 50	10	Lm 50
All other ships of less than 24 metres length overall:			
Less than 50 gross	Lm 50	10	Lm 75
of 50 gross tonnage or more		20	
Pleasure yachts of 24 metres length overall or more	10 cents per net tonnage subject to minimum of Lm 75	50	15 cents per net tonnage subject to minimum of Lm 150
All other ships of 24 metres length overall or more	Rates as appear in Table B subject to reduction as appear in Table C	100 for year of registration and 300 thereafter	Rates as appear in Table B subject to reduction or increase as appear in Table C

B. Rates per net tonnage payable on registration and annually in respect of all ships, except pleasure yachts, of 24 metres in length overall and more:-			
Ship of Net Tonnage (NT)		Fee on Registration	Annual Tonnage Tax
Exceeding	Exceeding		
0	2,500	Lm 250	Lm 375
2,500	8,000	Lm 250 plus 10 cents for every NT in excess of 2,500 NT	Lm 375 plus 15 cents for every NT in excess of 2,500 NT
8,000	10,000	Lm 800 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 8,000 NT	Lm 1,200 plus 8 cents for every NT in excess of 8,000 NT
10,000	15,000	Lm 860 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 10,000 NT	Lm 1,360 plus 6 cents for every NT in excess of 10,000 NT
15,000	20,000	Lm 1,010 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 15,000 NT	Lm 1,660 plus 5 cents for every NT in excess of 15,000 NT
20,000	30,000	Lm 1,160 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 20,000 NT	Lm 1,910 plus 4 cents for every NT in excess of 20,000 NT

30,000	50,000	Lm 1,460 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 30,000 NT	Lm 2,310 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 30,000 NT
Exceeding 50,000		Lm 2,060 plus 3 cents for every NT in excess of 50,000 NT	Lm 2,910 plus 2 cents for every NT in excess of 50,000 NT
C.	Registration fees and annual tonnage tax in respect of all ships, except pleasure yachts, of 24 metres length overall and more are subject to reduction or increase as follows:		
Age of Ship		Reduction on Fee on Registration %	Reduction or increase on Annual Tonnage Tax %
Equal to or Exceeding	Less than		
Years			
0	5	50	- 30
5	10	25	- 15
10	15	-	-
15	20	-	+ 5
20	25	-	+ 10
25	30	-	+ 25
Equal to or exceeding 30		-	+ 50
			Subject to minimum increase of Lm 500

D.	Where the annual tonnage tax for any one year is paid after the anniversary of registration for that year it shall be increased by ten per cent.
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Other Charges	Statutory Charges
	Lm
Extension to Provisional Certificate	20
Mortgage Registration	200
Reservation of a name of ship	5
Issue of a transcript or extract of the register	10
Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage Certificate	20
Minimum Safe Manning Certificate (5 years validity)	50
Provisional Radio Licence	50
Wireless Telegraphy Licence GMCSS Ship Radio	180

Notes:

- Pre-registration inspections are subject to a minimum charge of Lm 1,000. Inspections within one month of registration (ships of 15 years and over but under 20 years) are subject to a Lm 500 minimum charge when the total net tonnage is less than 5,000; there is no charge when the net tonnage is 5,000 and over.
- Communication costs and other disbursements as incurred.
- The unit of currency is the Maltese Lira. Approximately Lm1.00 = Eur 2.35 and US\$ 2.85