

Japan - Local Charges / Service Fees



Charge Description	Charge Code	Container Type	Curr.	Fee	Unit of Measure	Remarks & Notes	Tariff Entry RULO (L)	Effective Date	Expiry Date
EXPORTS									
Mis/Non-declaration Fee	ADO	All	USD	1,250	per container	Misdeclaration of cargo and/ or misuse of contract after a booking is confirmed	L002	July 1, 2021	Until further notice
Administration Fee at Origin	ADO	All	USD	500 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	For return of shipments	L002	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
Administration Fee at Origin	ADO	All	JPY	3,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Attachment Fee of MTD	L002	June 1, 2025	Until further notice
Special Container Cancellation Fee	BCF	Special	USD	450 (+VAT 10%)	per 20'	Bookings cancelled, transferred or reduced for Special Container (Flat Rack, Open Top and Hard Top) after BC sent to ALL destinations due to customers related issues within a confirmed shipment	L012	April 1, 2019	Until further notice
		Special	USD	600 (+VAT 10%)	per 40'				
Booking Cancellation Fee (Quick Quotes/ Quick Quotes Spot/ Non Quick Quotes)	BCF	All	JPY	10,000 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Applicable to the entire booking cancelled or transferred 7 days or less before the intended vessel ETD destined to ALL destinations due to customers related issues within a confirmed shipment	L012	July 1, 2026	Until further notice
Booking Cancellation Fee (Non Quick Quotes)	BCF	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Applicable to the entire booking cancelled or transferred 7 days or less before the intended vessel ETD destined to ALL destinations due to customers related issues within a confirmed shipment	L012	August 1, 2023	June 30, 2026
Booking Cancellation Fee (Quick Quotes)	BCF	All	USD	40 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Applicable to Quick Quotes (QQ) bookings only For entire booking cancelled or transferred 7 days or less before the intended vessel ETD destined to ALL destinations due to customers related issues within a confirmed shipment	L012	August 1, 2023	June 30, 2026
Booking Cancellation Fee (Quick Quotes Spot)	BCF	All	USD	40 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Applicable to Quick Quotes Spot (QQS) bookings only For entire booking cancelled or transferred 7 days or less before the intended vessel ETD destined to ALL destinations due to customers related issues within a confirmed shipment	L012	April 1, 2025	June 30, 2026
B/L Surrender Fee	BSF	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Applicable for telex release	L008	April 1, 2024	Until further notice
Additional Handling Surcharge	CCO	All	JPY	10,000	per 20'	Applicable on all customer-initiated export shipments, which are cancelled or to be shifted after the full/empty container(s) have been gated-in/out the terminal or depot. - Fee subject to VAT 10% when booking is cancelled. - No VAT when booking still loaded to vessel.	L057	April 1, 2024	Until further notice
		All	JPY	17,000	per 40'				
Certificates and Legislations	CER	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per certificate	Vessel Certificate (Web Form)	L018	October 1, 2025	Until further notice
Certificates and Legislations	CER	All	JPY	10,000 (+VAT 10%)	per certificate	Vessel Certificate (Manual)	L018	October 1, 2025	Until further notice
Change of Destination	COD	All	USD	400	per B/L	subject to other applicable cost	L019	December 1, 2020	Until further notice
Special Container Postponement Fee	CRO	All	USD	150	per 20' postpone by 1 week	Booking postpone by customer for Special Container (Flat Rack, Open Top and Hard Top) after Booking No. is allocated	RURE-002	April 1, 2019	Until further notice
		All	USD	200	per 40' postpone by 1 week				
		All	USD	300	per 20' postpone by 2 weeks				
		All	USD	400	per 40' postpone by 2 weeks				
		All	USD	450	per 20' postpone by 3 weeks				
		All	USD	600	per 40' postpone by 3 weeks				
Manual Custom's Approval	DIS	All	JPY	20,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Before official Custom's approval, handle separately for hot delivery	L096	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
Extra Bills of Lading	EBL	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Duplicate copy of B/L or Re-issue of new set of b/l upon customer's request (subject to LOI and approval)	L010	As per existing charge	Until further notice
Emergency Operations Charge at Origin	EOO	All	USD	35	per teu	Shipments loading on third-party feeder services from Akita, Hiroshima, Iyomishima, Kochi, Niigata, Mizushima, Naha, Nakanoseki, Nagoya, Osaka, Shibushi, Sendai-Shinko, Shibushi, Shimizu, Tokuyama, Tomakomai, Tokyo, Kobe and Yokkaichi.	RURE-002	May 15, 2026: non FMC lanes June 9, 2026: FMC related lanes	Until further notice
Elsewhere Payment Fee	EPF	All	JPY	10,000 (+VAT 10%)	per invoice	Applicable for shipments where the freight payment is made in Japan for cargo which originates and destined at a location other than Japan.	L049	January 1, 2023	Until further notice
Mis-declaration of sensitive cargo, including but not limited to hazardous cargo, notwithstanding the cargo's declaration as DG or non-DG	FIO	All	USD	15,000	per container	Charge payable for region Asia exports, if the Customer failed to provide the Carrier with cargo details and relevant documents / certificates as required by the carrier at time of booking (the "Details"), and/ or if the Details provided to the Carrier are not identical to the details submitted to the respective authorities at time of export declaration. If this charge is payable, the global misdeclaration charge (RURE-002, rule B19.01) in the Carrier's tariff will not be additionally applied.	L033	November 15, 2020	Until further notice

Invoice Amendment Fee at Origin	IAO	All	JPY	3,000 (+VAT 10%)	per invoice	Fee is applied to invoice amendments which are requested by customers own reason.	L074	April 1, 2025	Until further notice
Late Shipping Instruction Fee	LSI	All	JPY	10,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	For SI received after Docs cut-off	L082	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
B/L Amendment Fee	MAF	All	JPY	6,000 (+VAT 10%)	per amendment	(Manual amendment) From 1st amendment onwards	L007	October 1, 2025	Until further notice
B/L Amendment Fee	MAF	All	JPY	3,000 (+VAT 10%)	per amendment	(Web amendment) Applicable after docs cutoff	L007	October 1, 2025	Until further notice
B/L Amendment Fee	MAF	All	USD	50 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Merge/ Split BL fee	L007	As per existing charge	June 30, 2026
Manual Booking Fee	MBF	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per Booking	Manual Booking(s) are booking(s) made by Telephone, E-mail (and/or excel sheet), Fax etc, not via e-channels	L011	January 1, 2023	Until further notice
Document Charge	MTD	All	JPY	2,500 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Electronic Shipping Instruction - SI submission via Hapag Lloyd web	L006	June 1, 2025	Until further notice
Document Charge	MTD	All	JPY	2,500 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Electronic Shipping Instruction – Electronic Bill of Lading	L006	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
Document Charge	MTD	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Electronic Shipping Instruction – Original Bill of Lading / Sea Waybill	L006	April 1, 2025	Until further notice
Document Charge	MTD	All	JPY	7,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Manual Shipping Instruction	L006	May 1, 2020	Until further notice
Preparing Documents Fee	PDF	All	Free Period		7 working days starting from Day 1 after ATD	(was ADO) Fee for Late Payment 2 tiers charge for the late payment	RURE-002	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
		All	JPY	15,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L Calendar Day 8 - 14				
		All	JPY	20,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L Calendar Day 15 onwards				
Remote B/L Printing	RBL	All	JPY	7,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Also applicable for Cross Trade Bill of Lading Issuance Fee	L010	March 19, 2022	Until further notice
Reefer connection/ Electricity Supply at Origin	RCO	All	JPY	8,000 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Reefer Pre-Cooling Fee	RURE-002	July 1, 2026	Until further notice
Reefer connection/ Electricity Supply at Origin	RCO	All	JPY	6,000 (+VAT 10%)	per container	Reefer Pre-Cooling Fee	RURE-002	October 1, 2015	June 30, 2026
Sealing Charge at Origin	SEC	All	USD	8	per seal		L107	October 1, 2024	Until further notice
Security Manifest Correction Fee	SMC	All	USD	40	per B/L	Amendment fee for 24 hours advanced manifest destinations	L108	April 15, 2017	Until further notice
VGM Handling Fee	VGM	All	USD	50	per container	Applicable when VGM data is submitted manually	RURE-002	December 1, 2016	Until further notice
VGM Late Submission Fee	VLS	All	USD	50	per container	If VGM is submitted after VGM closing but still acceptable on a planned vessel	RURE-002	December 1, 2016	Until further notice
VGM Wrong Declaration Fee	VWD	All	USD	200	per container	If a terminal or Hapag-Lloyd detects weight discrepancy or wrongly declared VGM during the transport	RURE-002	December 1, 2016	Until further notice

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Cleaning Charges at Destination	CLC	All			Actual cost to be invoiced by HL Japan		L020	As per existing charge	Until further notice
Destination Documentation Fee	DDF	All	JPY	5,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L		L040	October 1, 2024	Until further notice
Equipment Maintenance Fee	EMF	All	USD	21	per 20'	Payable by consignee*	L051	April 1, 2026	Until further notice
		All	USD	29	per 40'				
Emergency Operations Charge at Destination	EOD	All	USD	35	per teu	Shipments loading on third-party feeder services from Akita, Hiroshima, Iyomishima, Kochi, Niigata, Mizushima, Naha, Nakanoseki, Nagoya, Osaka, Shibushi, Sendai-Shinko, Shibushi, Shimizu, Tokuyama, Tomakomai, Tokyo, Kobe and Yokkaichi.	RURE-002	May 15, 2026: non FMC lanes June 9, 2026: FMC related lanes	Until further notice
Invoice Amendment Fee at Destination	IAD	All	JPY	3,000 (+VAT 10%)	per invoice	Fee is applied to invoice amendments which are requested by customers own reason.	L074	April 1, 2025	Until further notice
Manifest Fee at Destination	MFD	All	JPY	6,000 (+VAT 10%)	per B/L	Manifest Correction Fee	L067	April 1, 2025	Until further notice

Note:

* Equipment Maintenance Fee is payable by consignee in Japan

Payment Terms:

- Sea freight & associated charges, all origin local charges must be prepaid for Reefer imports, Personal effects & household goods imports.
- DLF must follow SEA freight terms for all imports unless verified in RA.
- Exceptions have to be approved by JP CS team before loading. (japan.service@hlag.com)