

W.A. Marine (Surveys & Certificates of Survey) Regulations 1983

Surveys & Certificates of Survey Fees

(Schedule 1) Survey Fees

1. Normal Fees

Length of Vessel (Metres)	Column 1 Examination of Plans		Column 2 Initial Survey		Column 3 Annual Survey	
	2010/11 \$	2011/12 \$	2010/11 \$	2011/12 \$	2010/11 \$	2011/12 \$
	Over 0 but not exceeding 5	611	629	860	885	251
Over 5 but not exceeding 6	709	730	1,185	1,220	300	309
Over 6 but not exceeding 7	771	794	1,669	1,719	366	376
Over 7 but not exceeding 8	996	1,025	2,216	2,282	396	407
Over 8 but not exceeding 9	1,230	1,266	2,888	2,974	426	438
Over 9 but not exceeding 10	1,439	1,482	3,551	3,657	450	463
Over 10 but not exceeding 11	1,775	1,828	4,268	4,396	496	510
Over 11 but not exceeding 12	2,107	2,170	4,996	5,145	545	561
Over 12 but not exceeding 13	2,435	2,508	5,718	5,889	596	613
Over 13 but not exceeding 14	2,779	2,862	6,437	6,630	642	661
Over 14 but not exceeding 15	3,115	3,208	7,157	7,371	691	711
Over 15 but not exceeding 16	3,433	3,535	7,883	8,119	736	758
Over 16 but not exceeding 17	3,767	3,880	8,603	8,861	787	810
Over 17 but not exceeding 18	4,112	4,235	9,324	9,603	834	859
Over 18 but not exceeding 19	4,430	4,562	10,045	10,346	881	907
Over 19 but not exceeding 20	4,768	4,911	10,770	11,093	933	960
Over 20 but not exceeding 21	5,152	5,306	11,543	11,889	1,004	1,034
Over 21 but not exceeding 22	5,540	5,706	12,318	12,687	1,084	1,116
Over 22 but not exceeding 23	5,927	6,104	13,091	13,483	1,157	1,191
Over 23 but not exceeding 24	6,326	6,515	13,878	14,294	1,229	1,265
Over 24 but not exceeding 25	6,706	6,907	14,646	15,085	1,297	1,335
Over 25 but not exceeding 26	7,106	7,319	15,419	15,881	1,370	1,411
Over 26 but not exceeding 27	7,482	7,706	16,195	16,680	1,438	1,481
Over 27 but not exceeding 28	7,883	8,119	16,984	17,493	1,519	1,564
Over 28 but not exceeding 29	8,262	8,509	17,756	18,288	1,588	1,635
Over 29 but not exceeding 30	8,650	8,909	18,526	19,081	1,662	1,711
Over 30 but not exceeding 31	9,091	9,363	19,360	19,940	1,760	1,812
Over 31 but not exceeding 32	9,542	9,828	20,204	20,810	1,860	1,915
Over 32 but not exceeding 33	9,974	10,273	21,030	21,660	1,954	2,012
Over 33 but not exceeding 34	10,427	10,739	21,865	22,520	2,053	2,114
Over 34 but not exceeding 35	10,866	11,191	22,693	23,373	2,150	2,214
Over 35 but not exceeding 36	11,318	11,657	23,522	24,227	2,247	2,314
Over 36 but not exceeding 37	11,770	12,123	24,353	25,083	2,348	2,418
Over 37 but not exceeding 38	12,199	12,564	25,199	25,954	2,436	2,509
Over 38 but not exceeding 39	12,649	13,028	26,023	26,803	2,534	2,610
Over 39 but not exceeding 40	13,091	13,483	26,855	27,660	2,632	2,710
Over 40 but not exceeding 41	13,597	14,004	27,736	28,568	2,762	2,844
Over 41 but not exceeding 42	14,090	14,512	28,629	29,487	2,882	2,968
Over 42 but not exceeding 43	14,589	15,026	29,527	30,412	2,999	3,088
Over 43 but not exceeding 44	15,091	15,543	30,399	31,310	3,126	3,219
Over 44 but not exceeding 45	15,588	16,055	31,303	32,242	3,245	3,342
Over 45 but not exceeding 46	16,088	16,570	32,177	33,142	3,361	3,461
Over 46 but not exceeding 47	16,587	17,084	33,064	34,055	3,484	3,588
Over 47 but not exceeding 48	17,083	17,595	33,959	34,977	3,605	3,713
Over 48 but not exceeding 49	17,593	18,120	34,840	35,885	3,723	3,834
Over 49 but not exceeding 50	18,084	18,626	35,725	36,796	3,852	3,967
Over 50 metres	18,580	19,137	36,616	37,714	3,968	4,087

All fees listed above are GST free as per the Commonwealth Division 81 determination made under A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 (Cwth).

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### Schedule 1. clause 1(b)

#### Notes for Normal Fees

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##### A. For new vessels under construction.

1. The fee for *Examination of Plans* (Column 1) includes **one amendment application** and the subsequent examination of the amendment upon the return of the Plans to the Department.  
Where further amendments or checking is required, there is an **additional fee of \$195.80 per hour** (Schedule 1, clause 1(b)(i)(A)) for all additional Department time involved in re-checking, re-examining and re-approving Plans
2. Where a vessel is to be built to more than one *Class of Survey*, or where an application is made to add or change a *Class of Survey* whilst the vessel is still under construction, the **additional fee** to be paid is:
  - **\$195.80** per hour of approval (Schedule 1, clause 1(b)(i)(B)), or the sum of the amounts set out at Notes for Normal Fees - B.8., where B.8. is read as referring to significant alterations or modifications to the design of a single Class vessel. Whichever is the **greater** of the two fees **shall** be charged.
3. Where a vessel to be built is also to be issued with a *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull and machinery, by a recognized *Classification Society*, the fee to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Examination of Plans* fee (Column 1); and
  - 50% of the Initial Survey fee (Column 2).
4. Where a vessel to be built is also to be issued with a *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull only, or machinery only, by a recognized *Classification Society*, the fee to be paid is:
  - 75% of the *Examination of Plans* fee (Column 1), and
  - 75% of the *Initial Survey* fee (Column 2).
5. Where a vessel is to be built and surveyed during construction to the *USL Code* for hull structure only, the fee to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Examinations of Plans* fee (Column 1), and
  - 50% of the *Initial Survey* fee (Column 2).
6. Where a vessel is to be built and surveyed during construction to the *USL Code* for hull structure and machinery only, the fee to be paid is:
  - 75% of the *Examination of Plans* fee (Column 1), and
  - 75% of the *Initial Survey* fee (Column 2).
7. Where a vessel that has been built and surveyed during construction for hull structure and machinery only to the *USL Code*, and is now surveyed for fire, safety and miscellaneous equipment, the fee to be paid is:
  - 25% of the *Examination of Plans* fee (Column 1), and
  - 25% of the *Initial Survey* fee (Column 2).
8. Where the application for the new vessel is for a Commercial Ski Boat, the fee to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Examinations of Plans* fee (Column 1), and
  - 100% of the *Annual Survey* fee (Column 3).
9. Where an application for a new vessel claims that the vessel is a sister to an existing or currently building vessel (the basis vessel), then the *Examination of Plans* fee need only be charged as follows:

Sister for Structure:	- 75% of plan approval fee
Sister for Structure and machinery:	- 50% of plan approval fee
Full Sister:	- no plan approval fee

The basis vessel must have been approved (or must be in the process of being approved) by the Department of Transport.

##### B. For existing vessels.

1. The fee for an *Annual Survey* (Column 3) provides for the survey and only **one** further inspection to clear any *Deficiency Notice*.  
For additional inspections by the Department, there is an **additional fee of \$195.80 per hour plus travel expenses** (Schedule 1, clause 1(b)(ii)(b)) for all such inspections needed to complete the Survey.

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### Schedule 1 Clause 1(b).

#### Notes for Normal Fees (continued)

2. Where an *Annual Survey* of a vessel is for more than one *Class of Survey*, the **additional fee** to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Annual Survey fee* (Column 3) per additional *Class of Survey*.
3. For an application to change or add a *Class of Survey* to a vessel, the fee to be paid is:
  - **\$195.80 per hour** for examination approval and conducting of surveys for additional class(es) and **\$142.90** for issue of a New Certificate of Survey (Schedule 1, Clause 1(b)(ii)(C)(I), or the sum of the amounts set out at Notes for Normal Fees - B.8., where B.8. is read as referring to significant alterations or modifications to the design of a single Class vessel.
  - Whichever is the **greater** of the two fees **shall** be charged (regardless of any coincidence of the annual survey with the class change or addition)
4. Where a vessel, having a recognized and current *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull and machinery, for which an application is made to enter WA survey for the first time, the fee to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1); and
  - 50% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).
5. Where a vessel, having a recognized and current *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull only or machinery only, for which an application is made to enter WA survey for the first time, the fee to be paid is :
  - 75% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1), and
  - 75% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).
6. Where an *Annual Survey* of a vessel, having a recognised and current *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull and machinery, is requested , the fee to be paid is :
  - 50% of the *Annual Survey fee* (Column 3).
7. Where an *Annual Survey* of a vessel, having a recognised and current *Classification Society Certificate* in respect of its hull only or machinery only (not both), is requested , the fee to be paid is :
  - 75% of the *Annual Survey fee* (Column 3).
8. For an application to make significant alterations/modifications to a vessel (may be consequent to a class change - see B.3.), the fee to be paid is;
  - where **new structure** must be assessed, a fee of 10% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1), and 10% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).
  - where **machinery** must be assessed, an additional fee of 10% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1), and an additional fee of 10% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).
  - where **any arrangement** must be assessed for passenger accommodation, and/or changes in watertight integrity arrangements, and/or structural fire protection, and/or load line, an additional fee of 10% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1), and an additional fee of 10% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).
  - where **equipment** ( fire/safety/miscellaneous equipment) must be assessed, an additional fee of 10% of the *Examination of Plans fee* (Column 1), and an additional fee of 10% of the *Initial Survey fee* (Column 2).

*Note; Where an alteration changes the measured length of a vessel, the fees that refer to Examination of Plans and Initial Survey refer to the **new/altered** measured length.*

*Where surveys are not conducted of part or all of the changes, then that percentage of the Initial Survey fee (Column 2) for the service not provided shall not be charged.*

*Where stability is required to be re-assessed, an inclining experiment may not be required if an accurate weight/VCG/LCG inventory has been kept. For each operating class the **"additional category"** fee is to be charged in accordance with the fee for stability in Clause 2.9 and 2.10A.*

*If a new inclining is to be conducted - generally when (weight off + weight on) exceeds 10% of the old Lightship weight - then normal stability fees apply.*

#### Notes for Normal Fees (continued)

9. If a vessel has not held a valid *Certificate of Survey* by any Australian Marine Authority for 2 years or more, then to be re-issued with a *Certificate of Survey* to the same class of operation as the lapsed (last) *Certificate of Survey*, the fee to be paid is:
  - 50% of the *Examination of Plans fee* ( Column 1 ), and
  - 150% of the *Annual Survey fee* ( Column 3 ).

*Note; Additional classes of survey are treated as any other additional classes or class changes (B.3. or B.8.) and are **in addition** to fee B.9. Vessels built prior to 1984 (pre USL) that fall into this category may be regarded as new vessels, depending upon the standards to which they were originally built.*
10. The Normal Fees amended in accordance with the "Notes for Normal Fees" may be **halved** where the vessel is;
  - (a) not fitted with deck structure, and
  - (b) not fitted with machinery (ie. dumb barge)

This does not apply to Fees under Clause 2 - Other Fees and Charges (also known as Special Fees) .

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Other fees and charges: Schedule 1, clause 2 (1),

These Fees are known also as Special Fees

Table of Fees		2010/11	2010/11	2011/12	2011/12
		Fee \$	Fee + GST \$	Fee \$	Fee + GST \$
1	Issue of certificate of survey where Department accepts a certificate of survey issued by another marine authority.	138.70		142.90	
2	Extension of period of validity of certificate of survey	138.70		142.90	
3	Issue of replacement or copy of certificate of survey	138.70		142.90	
4	<b>Pressure vessels</b>				
(a)	Examination of Plans fee, per hour *[see note 1]	190.00		195.80	
(b)	Initial Survey & Test fee, per hour	190.00		195.80	
5	<b>Crane installation on a vessel</b>				
(a)	Examination of plans Fee per hour *[see note 1]	190.00		195.80	
(b)	Survey and test per hour	190.00		195.80	
6	<b>Towage permit</b>				
(a)	Inspection of towage arrangement before issue of permit, fee per hour plus travel expenses	116.10		116.10	
(b)	Issue of permit	138.70		142.90	
7	<b>Permit to operate</b>				
(a)	Inspection before issue of permit, fee per hour plus travel expenses	116.10		116.10	
(b)	Issue of permit	138.70		142.90	
8	<b>Permit to trial</b>				
(a)	Inspection before issue of permit, fee per hour plus travel expenses	116.10		116.10	
(b)	issue of permit	138.70		142.90	
9	<b>Data checking for vessels that is not an Amendment List 7 vessel</b>				
(a)	Check of Vessel Stability Data categories S, T, C.4, M, C.11, C.12.7.1, C.14.1 *[see notes 1 & 2]				
	(i) for first category or class	949.30		977.80	
	(ii) for each additional category or class	475.30		489.60	
(b)	Check of Vessel Stability Data for remaining categories				
	(i) for first category or class *[see note 2]	2850.20		2935.80	
	(ii) for each additional category or class	949.30		977.80	
	(iii) for each additional category S, T, C.4, M, C.11, C.12.7.1, C.14.1	475.30		489.60	
(c)	Check of lightship data	949.30		977.80	
10	<b>Data checking for Amendment List 7 vessels</b>				
(a)	Check of Vessel Stability Data for vessel to which the Chapter 7A, 7B, 7C, 7D, 7E, 7F, 8A, 8B, 8C or 8D criteria (within the meaning of the NSCV Part C Section 6A) apply: *[see notes 1 & 2]				
	(i) for first applicable criteria	949.30		977.80	
	(ii) for each additional applicable criteria	475.30		489.60	
(b)	Check of Vessel Stability Data for any other vessel *[see notes 1 & 2]				
	(i) for first applicable criteria	2850.20		2935.80	
	(ii) for each additional applicable criteria	949.30		977.80	
(c)	Check of lightship data	949.30		977.80	
11	Attendance at inclining experiment, roll period test, authorised practical stability test or lightship test	949.30		977.80	
12	Attendance by surveyor at vessel, site or meeting, Fee per hour plus travel expenses	186.10		186.10	
13	Performance of survey or service during overtime hours, weekends or public holidays (in addition to other applicable fees, and in lieu of hourly fees applicable if performance were during normal working hours) Fee per hour	222.00		228.70	
14	Request for information requiring search of printed records or computer records #	168.36	185.20	173.36	190.70
15	Photocopying fee per page #	0.91	1.00	0.91	1.00
16	Issue of SPV (Surveyed Passenger Vessel) sticker sets #	30.00	33.00	30.91	34.00

Other Fees and Charges: Schedule 1, clause 2

subclause 2	The fees for examination of plans and for checking stability data [items marked *] allow for returning plans/data to the applicant for one amendment. If further amendment or checking is required, the fee for the surveyors time for checking, examining and approving plans or data is:	190.00		195.80	
subclause 3	The fees for data checking in items 9(a), 9(b), 10A(a) and 10A(b) are subject to a 50% reduction if complete technical information is supplied in an electronic form compatible with the software helds at the Department. (Software submission format:HYDROMAX, WOLSSON, MAST.)				
subclause 4	Hourly fees are charged per hour or part of an hour.				
subclause 5	Fees provided for in this item may be waived if, in the opinion of the Chief Executive Officer:- (a) the service is delivered in the interest of the commercial vessel safety section (eg. extension of survey where surveyor unavailable), or (b) the service is a remedy to an oversight or delay for which regulation has not allowed (eg. permit to operate issued if Certificate of Survey is authorised but unable to be printed).				

**Survey of vessels licensed under W.A. Marine (Hire & Drive Vessels) Regulations 1983 for operations in smooth waters or up to 200 metres offshore.**

		2010/11	2010/11	2011/12	2011/12
		Fee	Fee + GST	Fee	Fee + GST
		\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Schedule 1, clause 3: Fees for Hire and Drive Vessels</b>					
(a)	Power boats not exceeding 5 m in length	116.60		120.10	
(b)	Sailing boats other than sailboards	116.60		120.10	
(c)	Boats propelled exclusively by oars or paddles, and sailboards	75.00		77.30	
(d)	All other boats exceeding 5 m in length (including houseboats) <b>Fees set out in Schedule 1 Clause 1</b>				

Note: where more than 10 vessels are surveyed at one location, the survey fee for the extra vessels may be reduced by 50% of the above fee.

(See also Hire and Drive license fees under "Hire and Drive Fees " on the fees and charges section of the website)

**Fee payable in relation to exemptions from annual survey granted under regulation 10**

		2010/11	2011/12
		Fee	Fee
		\$	\$
<b>Annual Exemption Fee: Schedule 1, clause 4</b>			
<b>4(1) Annual Exemption Fee</b>			
	- over 0 metres but not exceeding 5 metres	102.40	105.50
	- over 5 metres but not exceeding 10 metres	204.80	211.00
	- over 10 metres but not exceeding 20 metres	378.40	389.80
	- over 20 metres but not exceeding 30 metres	515.70	531.20
4(2)	Fee payable for recording the transfer of an exempt vessel	51.10	52.70

**W.A. Marine (Load Lines) Regulations 1983**

		2010/11	2011/12
		Fee	Fee
		\$	\$
<b>Load Line Survey Fees - Regulation 6</b>			
<b>6(2)</b>	Initial survey of a vessel for the issue of a load line certificate, fee per metre x length of vessel	\$95.10	<b>98.00</b>
<b>6(3)(a)</b>	Survey of a vessel for the reissue of a load line certificate (every 5 years) if the renewal survey is carried out in conjunction with the periodic survey of the vessel.	56.20	<b>56.20</b>
<b>6(3)(b)</b>	Survey of a vessel for the reissue of a load line certificate (every 5 years) if the renewal survey is <b>NOT</b> carried out in conjunction with the periodic survey of the vessel. Plus:	56.20	<b>56.20</b>
<b>6(3)(b)(i)</b>	Half hourly fee (or part thereof) during which the surveyor is engaged on the survey	20.50	<b>20.50</b>
<b>6(3)(b)(ii)</b>	Hourly fee (or part thereof) during which the surveyor is engaged on the survey if the survey is carried out during overtime hours, a weekend or a public holiday	222.00	<b>228.70</b>
<b>6(4)</b>	Half hourly fee (or part thereof) during which the surveyor is engaged on the inspection, for a periodical inspection of a vessel under the Code that is not carried out in conjunction with a periodic survey	20.50	<b>20.50</b>
<b>6(6)</b>	Additional fee for attendance by surveyor at vessel at a vessel survey or inspection per hour of travelling/waiting time plus travel expenses, applicable unless the survey or inspection is carried within the Perth or Geraldton metropolitan area, in conjunction with a periodic survey of the vessel or at a scheduled time and place.	186.10	<b>186.10</b>

All fees listed above are GST free as per the Commonwealth Division 81 determination made under "A New Tax System (Goods and Services Tax) Act 1999 (Cwth), except those marked # which have the Goods and Services Tax included.