



**RTDC Cairns**  
**1 Caudron Ave**  
**Cairns Airport Qld 4870**

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## **International Terminal Service Fees**

### **EXPORT**

**Export document fees** **GST N/A**

#### **Air waybill (AWB)**

Fees for processing and electronic reporting pre-acceptance at Customs :

With FWB data	\$76 per AWB
Without FWB data	\$110 per AWB
Without FHL data	\$75 per AWB plus \$39 per HAWB

#### **Electronic air waybill (eAWB)**

An IATA multilateral agreement with relevant airline is required for eAWB rates to apply. Fees for processing and reporting without any travel documentation :

No amendment required	\$56 per eAWB
Amendment required	\$75 per eAWB
FHL data required	\$90 per eAWB plus \$40 per HAWB

#### **Manual air waybill creation**

For non-account customers only  
 \$48 per AWB

Fee is in addition to applicable processing and electronic reporting charges

**Update missing OCI or HS charge** \$30 per AWB

#### **Terminal Handling Fees**

Loose Freight	\$0.24 per kg min \$25 per AWB
Unit Load Devices (ULDs)	\$0.07 per kg min \$25 per AWB

#### **Export Handling Fees**

Valuable handling \$148 per AWB

#### **Temperature Sensitive Handling**

Temperature sensitive shipments that require coolroom storage overnight	\$120 per ULD
Loose temperature sensitive and pharmaceutical	\$90 per AWB

#### **Export Storage Fees (more than 24 hrs before departure)**

Lodgement times are in line with the published hours on [rtdccairns.com.au](http://rtdccairns.com.au)

Fees are applied in addition to any charges. Storage fees do not apply to freight lodged less than 24 hours before departure- subject to space availability.

Air Freight Handling Services will not be held liable for spoilage of product left in its care.

Loose freight	\$0.55 per kg min \$80 per AWB
Unit Load Device (ULDs)	\$0.50 per kg min \$80 per AWB

#### **Dangerous Goods Handling Fees** **GST N/A**

Fees for shipments of dangerous goods on freighter and passenger aircraft

Up to three pieces classified as dangerous goods	\$82
Any additional pieces	\$10
Rejected or cancelled shipments	\$36

Non-DG consignments that require additional checklist (eg: dry ice, motor vehicle, pharmaceuticals) \$36 per MAWB  
**Any rejected or cancelled Dangerous Goods shipment will incur an additional acceptance fee once resubmitted.**

#### **Enhanced air cargo examination fee**

Piece level screening fee	\$0.25 per kg
Secondary piece level screening	\$25 per piece

#### **Livestock / AVI acceptance fees**

Processing and completion of IATA livestock check sheet	\$52 per AWB
Livestock handling fee	\$30 per pen/stall ULD



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## **International Terminal Service Fees**

# **IMPORT**

### **Import document fees**

Processing and electronic reporting to Australian Customs per day	\$76 per AWB
Split shipments over multiple days will incur additional processing fee	\$76 per AWB
Update missing OCI or HS charge	\$34 per AWB

### **International Terminal Fees**

Air Freight Handling Services will release or breakdown ULDs at their discretion

If a ULD has multiple master AWBs, loose freight rates will apply.

For shipments arriving as "shipper loaded" on their airwaybill and delivered intact (ULD rates or number of pieces refers to the number of ULD)  
 If these shipments require breaking down on arrival loose rates apply

For shipments arriving as multi-pieces loaded at origin as ULDs by shipper or their agent manifested as one line only and delivered intact.

Loose freight	\$0.72 per kg min \$75 per AWB
Unit Load Devices (ULDs)	\$0.25 per kg
Unit Load Devices (ULDs) Perishable	\$0.15 per kg

### **Import Handling Fees**

HAWB breakdown (where applicable)	\$50 per HAWB
Express handling (formal request from the consignee)	\$92 per AWB
Border Force / DAFF disposal	\$40 min fee

**Valuable handling** \$148 per AWB

### **Temperature Sensitive Handling**

Temperature sensitive shipments that require coolroom storage overnight	\$120 per ULD
Loose and pharmaceutical	\$90 per AWB

### **Import Storage Fees**

Unaccompanied baggage charged air freight rates will be stored free for five days from day of check in.

Storage fees do not apply to freight collected before 23.59 on day after check in.

Fees are applicable per 24 hours or part thereof

Fees are applied in addition to any other charges

**General Cargo (fees applicable from 23.59 on day after check in).**

Loose freight	\$0.57 per kg min \$85 per AWB
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**Specialised and perishable cargo (fees applicable from 11.59 on day after check in).**

Loose freight	\$0.57 per kg min \$85 per AWB
Unit Load Devices (ULDs)	\$0.55 per kg
Unit Load Devices (ULDs) specialised	\$0.57 per kg

**Storage fees are imposed in all instances after conclusion of the complimentary storage period specified. This includes shipments awaiting clearance by regulatory authorities.**