

# Sea Cargo Charter Clause

## Recommended charter party clause for voyage data reporting

This clause is proposed to support the transparent reporting of greenhouse gas emissions that result from international transport of cargo at sea by vessels of at least 5,000 gross tonnage. In particular, the focus is to ensure that charterers have the information necessary for them to calculate the emissions that result from their chartering activities, and subsequently assess how their overall emission profile is developing in comparison to the requirements of the IMO's initial strategy on reduction of GHG emissions from ships through the Sea Cargo Charter<sup>1</sup>. The Sea Cargo Charter endeavours to capture all the emissions related to charterers' cargo transport.

- a. The head owner or disponent owner (as appropriate) shall provide a duly completed fuel emission report in the format appearing in the table below within seven (7) days after completion of the voyage. Such report shall be sent by email to: [To be completed by Signatory]
- b. Nothing in the aforementioned provision shall affect any other rights or obligations under the relevant contract.
- c. In the event of conflict with any other contractual provisions, such other provisions shall prevail.

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<sup>1</sup> See the Sea Cargo Charter Technical Guidance, available here: <https://www.seacargocharter.org/resources/>

## Data reporting template

<b>Vessel and cargo data</b>	
1. Vessel IMO number	
2. Vessel name	
3. Vessel size (dwt)	
4. Cargo quantity loaded (mts)	
5. If [YYY] is not sole cargo, % of total cargo [YYY] represents	

<b>From COSP (commencement of sea passage) last discharge port To EOSP (end of sea passage) loading port</b>	
6. Distance sailed (nm)	
7. Fuel consumed (mt) <sup>2</sup>	
a. MDO/MGO	
b. LFO	
c. HFO	
d. LPG (Propane)	
e. LPG (Butane)	
f. LNG	
g. Methanol	
h. Ethanol	
Other fuels: (bunker type and amount consumed (in mt) to be specified in rows below)	
i.	
j.	
k.	

<b>From EOSP (end of sea passage) loading port To COSP (commencement of sea passage) last discharge port</b>	
8. Distance sailed (nm)	
9. Fuel consumed (mt) <sup>2</sup>	
a. MDO/MGO	
b. LFO	
c. HFO	
d. LPG (Propane)	
e. LPG (Butane)	
f. LNG	
g. Methanol	
h. Ethanol	
Other fuels: (bunker type and amount consumed (in mt) to be specified in rows below)	
i.	
j.	
k.	

<sup>2</sup> Emission factors for marine fuels can be found in MEPC.308(73). These, as well as fuel carbon factors for alternative fuels can be found in Appendix 5 (Table 7) of the Sea Cargo Charter Technical Guidance. It should be noted that low sulphur variants carry the same CO<sub>2</sub> emission factor as high sulphur equivalents.