



Drewry Standard BAF Policy

Standardise, simplify and reduce cost exposure

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Standardise the BAF charges for all your providers and control your cost exposure

BENEFITS

Standard BAF Policy



Less complexity

- Align and standardise your BAF charges for all carrier/providers
- Only 1 amount charge for a given lane and container size
- Request the use of your standard BAF policy as a pre-condition to bid for your business



Simplify invoicing and auditing

- Fewer different fuel charges between carriers; clear, once-a-quarter changes in fuel charges
- Simplify freight auditing and reduce the risk of invoicing errors



Reduce risk of excessive fuel costs

- Implementing the Drewry standard BAF policy reduces exposure to unilateral increases in fuel charges asked by carriers



Greater transparency and generally accepted levels of fuel charges

- The Drewry standard BAF policy reflects a fair cost baseline (neither high, nor low) and provides updated quarterly BAF charges. Drewry policy is known and accepted by ocean carriers.

Our standard BAF policy uses up-to-date per-container “trade factors” and reference per-tonne fuel prices from a position of neutrality to determine quarterly, standard charges.

Key Features of a BAF Policy

1. A transparent bunker program policy bespoke to your company, to communicate to providers ahead of launching your next bid event.
2. Drewry fuel trade coefficients by lane and by equipment type, for FCL, for all existing.
3. A BAF adjustment schedule with recommended lead times to fit with your contract.
4. Ongoing support of Drewry consultants to answer providers' questions.
5. Additional option of Drewry maintaining the BAF policy for the duration of your annual contract.

NOTE: This service is a standard package which can be adapted to meet the needs of your organisation