



# Liner Freight Rates



- Liner freight rates refer to the **charges associated with the transportation of cargo on regular, scheduled routes, typically in the context of containerized cargo shipping.**
- **Basic Ocean Freight Rate:**
- The basic ocean freight rate is the core cost of shipping cargo from one port to another. It is typically calculated based on factors like the **distance between the departure and arrival ports, the specific route taken, and the size and type of container used.**
- **Bunker Adjustment Factor (BAF):**
- The Bunker Adjustment Factor is a surcharge that accounts for **fluctuations in fuel prices.** It is added to the basic ocean freight rate and can change periodically as fuel costs rise or fall.