

Stability Approval Estimates

The following table is broken down into typical ship types and provides an estimate of fees required for approval of Stability Information Booklets. For non-standard or unusual ship cases, the Stability Unit should be contacted for an estimate.

Ship Type	Est. Hours
Cargo - Code Vessel	7
Cargo - intact stability approval only	30
Cargo - intact and damage stability (Small Ships)	70
Cargo - intact and damage stability (Large Ships)	120
Small passenger vessel	50
Small passenger vessel	70
Large passenger ship Class II, EC Class A and B	120
Large passenger ship Class I	160

These estimates are based on the following assumptions:-

1. That all relevant information is provided i.e. completed Stability Questionnaire (MSF 2200) with attached plans.
2. That the accuracy and content of the initial submission is of a high standard.
3. That the vessel has not been previously defined by the MCA on Sikob or Seasafe i.e. sister vessel or alteration to existing vessel.
4. Add 5 hours to the estimate if probabilistic damage is required.
5. Add 3 hours to the estimate if water on deck is required.