



FLAT MONTHLY

INFORMATION AND FEE RATE TABLES EFFECTIVE 2007

WHO IS ELIGIBLE - Motor carriers transporting the qualified commodities shown below may elect to report and pay an annual flat fee instead of a mileage tax. However, carriers electing to report and pay annual flat fees are still required to maintain daily records in accordance with weight-mile tax record requirements (740-055-0120 (1)).

QUALIFIED COMMODITIES - Logs, poles, piling, or peeler cores; wood chips, sawdust, barkdust, hog fuel, shavings; and the following commodities when transported by trucks with dump bodies: sand, gravel, rock, dirt, debris, cinders, asphalt concrete mix, and metallic ores and concentrates or raw nonmetallic products, whether crushed or otherwise, moving from mines, pits, or quarries; farm commodities hauled by vehicles operated under a permit issued under ORS 825.102 with a combined weight of less than 46,000 pounds. The flat fee must be applied to all your vehicles transporting an eligible, elected flat fee commodity and not to individual vehicles.

ADDING AND DELETING EQUIPMENT - Flat fees follow the power unit. When a vehicle is added to your authority and operated, the full amount of the flat fee must be paid on that truck for the entire month unless it has been paid by another carrier. A single flat fee cannot cover more than one vehicle during a month.

WHAT TO REPORT - List all flat fee vehicles, whether operated or not. Beginning and ending odometer readings for each vehicle must be reported. Fees must be paid for each vehicle that is operated during the month. If you haul **anything other** than elected commodities eligible for flat fees, you must report and pay mileage tax for those miles **in addition** to your flat fees. Mileage tax report forms will be mailed to you upon request. When you have no operations, the report is due, but there is no tax.

WHEN TO FILE - Your flat monthly report must be filed and all fees paid on or before the tenth day of each month for operations during the preceding month.

LATE PAYMENT CHARGE AND SUSPENSION - If a report and payment are not made on time, a late payment charge of 10 percent of the unpaid fee is required. If either your report or payment becomes delinquent, your account will be subject to suspension.

CHANGE OF FEE BASIS (Monthly/Quarterly Mileage OR Flat Fee) – You may only make a change to your account's fee basis once each year. Once a fee basis change is elected, you must remain on that fee basis through the end of that calendar year (unless the change is mandated by the department). A written application to change (Form 735-9910) must be submitted. It cannot be retroactive. You cannot use your tax report to change weight declarations, body type, or fee basis.

You will receive written notification from the Department authorizing the change and effective date of the fee basis.

- Mileage tax must be reported and paid up to the date the change to flat fee is authorized. If you change to flat fee at any time other than the first day of the month, the mileage tax is due in addition to the flat fee up to the effective date of the fee change.
- Flat fees must be paid for the entire month even if the change to monthly or quarterly mileage is approved at any time other than the first day of the month.

Once you have been approved for flat fees:

- If you will not be transporting a commodity that qualifies for flat fees, you must notify the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) in writing in advance of operations. You must file monthly mileage tax reports in addition to flat fee reports.
- If you return to hauling a commodity that qualifies for flat fees during the calendar year, you must notify the Department in advance of operations and return to flat fee reporting. You must continue to file mileage tax reports until approved to return to flat fee only reporting.

REPORT FORMS - Report forms printed with your name, address, and account number are mailed to your official address of record. Additional forms will be mailed upon request. Do NOT use obsolete, changed, or copied forms. Failure to use the proper forms can lead to delayed or improper processing, late charges, and possible suspension. When there is a change of ownership, notify ODOT at once and new forms will be sent. Destroy all obsolete forms.

COMPUTATION OF FEES - The vehicle's heaviest declared combined weight and the flat fee commodity hauled determines the fee rate. If the declared weight for the vehicle is not displayed on the table, add rates for weight classes for the appropriate commodity to calculate the total fee. See example computations on the reverse side.

For more information on Flat Monthly Fees and filing information, see our Motor Carrier Education documents available on our Web site:

www.oregon.gov/ODOT/MCT/EDUCATION.shtml

FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CALL(503) 378-6699

FLAT MONTHLY FEE RATE TABLE

Effective January 1, 2007

WEIGHT IN POUNDS	DUMP TRUCKS	LOG TRUCKS	WOOD CHIP TRUCKS
100	\$0.50	\$0.51	\$2.05
200	\$1.01	\$1.02	\$4.10
300	\$1.51	\$1.53	\$6.16
400	\$2.02	\$2.03	\$8.21
500	\$2.52	\$2.54	\$10.26
600	\$3.03	\$3.05	\$12.31
700	\$3.53	\$3.56	\$14.36
800	\$4.03	\$4.07	\$16.41
900	\$4.54	\$4.58	\$18.47
1,000	\$5.04	\$5.08	\$20.52
2,000	\$10.08	\$10.17	\$41.03
3,000	\$15.13	\$15.25	\$61.55
4,000	\$20.17	\$20.33	\$82.07
5,000	\$25.21	\$25.42	\$102.58
6,000	\$30.25	\$30.50	\$123.10
7,000	\$35.29	\$35.58	\$143.62
8,000	\$40.33	\$40.67	\$164.13
9,000	\$45.38	\$45.75	\$184.65
10,000	\$50.42	\$50.83	\$205.17
20,000	\$100.83	\$101.67	\$410.33
30,000	\$151.25	\$152.50	\$615.50
40,000	\$201.67	\$203.33	\$820.67
50,000	\$252.08	\$254.17	\$1,025.83
60,000	\$302.50	\$305.00	\$1,231.00
70,000	\$352.92	\$355.83	\$1,436.17
78,000	\$393.25	\$396.50	\$1,600.30
80,000	\$403.33	\$406.67	\$1,641.33

WEIGHT OVER 80,000 REQUIRES AN ANNUAL EXTENDED WEIGHT PERMIT

82,000	\$413.42	\$416.83	\$1,682.37
84,000	\$423.50	\$427.00	\$1,723.40
86,000	\$433.58	\$437.17	\$1,764.43

FEE COMPUTATION EXAMPLES

DUMP TRUCK			TRUCK HAULING		
WEIGHT IN POUNDS	FEE		WEIGHT IN POUNDS	FEE	
40,000	\$201.67		80,000	\$406.67	
DECLARED AT			LOGS AT 98,000		
2,000	10.08		10,000	50.83	
42,500 POUNDS			8,000	40.67	
			98,000	\$498.17	
	<u>2.52</u>				
	42,500	\$214.27			