



**Indicative Card Scheme Fee Rates  
Malta**

Indicative Card Scheme Fee Rates	Applies to every Trx (with regional differences)	Depending on Trx / Terminal Criteria (see remarks)	Remarks	Brand Region Amount Limit	MasterCard			Visa			Maestro			V PAY		UnionPay	Diners	JCB	BC	Twint
					Domestic	Intra	Inter	Domestic	Intra	Inter	Domestic	Intra	Inter	Domestic	Intra	All regions	All regions	All regions	All regions	All regions
					€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€	€
Clearing Mastercard/ Maestro Acquirer POS (applies to Face-To-Face and Card-Not-Present transactions)	X			Micro < € 5	€ 0.0096	€ 0.0096					€ 0.0096	€ 0.0096								
				Mid € 5 - € 100	€ 0.0180	€ 0.0180	€ 0.0850				€ 0.0180	€ 0.0180	€ 0.0850							
				Macro > € 100	€ 0.0250	€ 0.0250					€ 0.0250	€ 0.0250								
Mastercard/ Maestro Acquirer purchase Volume Fee	X					0.0275%	0.0275%	0.0275%				0.0275%	0.0275%	0.0275%						
Mastercard/ Maestro Acquirer Authorisation Fee	X					0.0090%	0.0090%	0.0090%				0.0090%	0.0090%	0.0090%						
Non-Trx based Card Scheme Fees	X					0.0086%	0.0086%	0.0086%				0.0074%	0.0074%	0.0074%						
Mastercard/ Maestro Acquirer Cross-border Fee (does not apply for intra EEA EUR trx)		X	Intra EEA trx with currency ≠ EUR; all Intra Non-EEA trx with any currency; all Inter-Trx with any currency				0.1000%	0.5000%				0.1000%	0.5000%							
Mastercard/Maestro Acquirer Card Not Present (CNP) Fee (does not apply for intra EEA EUR trx)		X	Intra EEA CNP trx with currency ≠ EUR; all Intra Non-EEA CNP trx with any currency; all Inter-Trx CNP with any currency; As of 01.07.2018					0.0250%	0.0500%				0.0250%	0.0500%						
Mastercard/Maestro Acquirer Mail Order / Telephone Order (MOTO) Fee		X	Applies to all Card not Present MOTO trx; As of 01.07.2018				0.0250%	0.0250%	0.0500%				0.0250%	0.0500%						
Mastercard/ Maestro Non-EMV/ Contactless Acquirer Fee		X	Non-EMV / Non-CLP terminal only				0.0400%	0.0400%	0.0400%				0.0400%	0.0400%						
Mastercard/ Maestro SecureCode Authentication / Mastercard or Maestro Identity Check Transaction Fee		X	In case of a SecureCode authenticated / Mastercard or Maestro Identity Check Trx only				€ 0.02200	€ 0.02200	€ 0.0220				€ 0.02200	€ 0.0220	€ 0.0220					
Mastercard/ Maestro E-commerce Development Fee (non-secure trx only)		X	Non-Secure CNP trx only				0.0500%	0.0500%	0.1000%				0.0500%	0.0500%	0.1000%					
Mastercard/ Maestro Authorisation Integrity Fee (only applies for non-compliant final authorizations)		X	Non-compliant Final Authorisations only				0.2500%	0.2500%	0.2500%				0.2500%	0.2500%	0.2500%					
Mastercard/ Maestro PreAuthorisation Fee		X	PreAuthorisations only				0.0800%	0.0800%	0.0800%				0.0800%	0.0800%	0.0800%					
Global Wholesale Travel Transaction Program Fee (no Authoris, Clearing&Settlement and Cross-border Fees for GWTP Trx)		X	GWTP Trx only				0.6000%	0.6000%	0.6000%				0.6000%	0.6000%	0.6000%					
Visa Acquirer Clearing & Settlement Fee (applies to F2F and CNP transactions)	X									€ 0.005	€ 0.010	€ 0.065			€ 0.005	€ 0.010				
Visa Acquirer Authorization Fee	X									€ 0.0032	€ 0.0068	€ 0.0425			€ 0.0032	€ 0.0068				
Visa Acquiring Association	X									0.0140%	0.0140%	0.0140%			0.0100%	0.0100%				
Visa International Acquiring	X											0.4500%								
Non-Trx based Card Scheme Fees	X									0.0051%	0.0051%	0.0051%			0.0006%	0.0006%				
Visa Electronic Commerce Development Fee		X	e-Com Trx only. Inter as of 1.4.2019: 0.40%; as of 1.4.2020: 0.55%							0.0100%	0.0100%	0.25%			0.0100%	0.0100%				
Visa Mail order Phone order (MOTO) Fee		X	Mail- / Phone Order Trx only							0.0100%	0.0100%	0.1000%			0.0100%	0.0100%				
Reversal Fee (applies only for reversals that were processed via the Visa network)		X	Reversal Trx only							€ 0.27115	€ 0.27115	€ 0.27115			€ 0.27115	€ 0.27115				
Indicative, 2018' average CSF rate for general Face-to-Face Purchase Transaction (both amount based CSF and percentage CSF included)							n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0.1000%	0.1200%	0.0500%	n.a.	n.a.	
Indicative, 2018' average CSF rate for general Card-Not-Present Purchase Transaction (both amount based CSF and percentage CSF included)							n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

**Definitions:**

Domestic transaction:  
Intra EEA transaction:  
Intra non-EEA transaction:  
Interregional transaction:

A domestic payment transaction means a card-based payment transaction where the card-based payment instrument is issued by an issuing payment service provider located in the same country as the that of the point of sale.  
An Intra EEA payment transaction means a card-based payment transaction where the card-based payment instrument is issued by an issuing payment service provider located in a different EEA member state than that of the point of sale.  
An Intra non-EEA payment transaction means a card-based payment transaction where the card-based payment instrument is issued by an issuing payment service provider located outside the EEA but still in the Europe region and the point of sale is within the EEA and vice versa.  
An Interregional payment transaction means a card-based payment transaction where the card-based payment instrument is issued by an issuing payment service provider located outside of the Europe Region and the point of sale lies within the Europe Region and vice versa.

