

Amazon SQS pricing



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Overview

With AWS SQS, you pay only for what you use and there is no minimum fee.

Amazon SQS Free Tier*

You can get started with Amazon SQS for free. All customers can make 1 million Amazon SQS requests for free each month. Some applications might be able to operate within this Free Tier limit.

[View AWS Free Tier details](#)

How are Amazon SQS requests priced?

The pricing for monthly requests is shown below:

Region:

Europe (London) ▼

	Standard Queues (per Million requests)	FIFO Queues (per Million requests)
First 1 Million Requests/Month	Free	Free
From 1 Million to 100 Billion Requests/Month	\$0.40	\$0.50
From 100 Billion to 200 Billion Requests/Month	\$0.35	\$0.46
Over 200 Billion Requests/Month	\$0.32	\$0.42

Fair queues

Region: Europe (London) ▼

Amazon SQS charges \$0.10 per million fair queue requests. Standard queue rates apply separately.

How are Amazon SQS charges metered?

API Actions	Every Amazon SQS action counts as a request.
FIFO Requests	API actions for sending, receiving, deleting, and changing visibility of messages from FIFO queues are charged at FIFO rates. All other API requests are charged at standard rates.
Fair Queue Requests	API actions for sending, receiving, deleting, and changing message visibility in standard queues incur fair queue rates when at least one message with a message group ID is involved. These requests are charged both fair queue rates and standard queue rates. All other API requests are charged only standard rates.
Contents of Requests	A single request can have from 1 to 10 messages, up to a maximum total payload of 1 MiB.
Size of Payloads	Each 64 KB chunk of a payload is billed as 1 request (for example, an API action with a 1 MiB payload is billed as 16 requests).
Interaction with Amazon S3	When using the Amazon SQS Extended Client Library to send payloads using Amazon S3, you incur Amazon S3 charges for any Amazon S3 storage you use to send message payloads.
Interaction with AWS KMS	When using the AWS Key Management Service to manage keys for SQS server-side encryption, you incur charges for calls from Amazon SQS to AWS KMS. For more information see KMS pricing and How Do I Estimate My AWS KMS Usage Costs? in the <i>Amazon SQS Developer Guide</i> .
Data transfer	AWS does not charge for data transfer when sending messages to Amazon SQS or receiving messages from Amazon SQS if all resources are in the same AWS region. For cross-region data transfer and data transfer to or from the internet, standard AWS Data Transfer Charges apply.

Amazon SQS requests are listed on the [product features](#) page.

* Your usage of the free tier is calculated each month across all regions (except the GovCloud region) and is applied to your bill automatically. Unused free usage does not roll over to the next month. Restrictions apply. See offer terms for more details.

Additional pricing resources

[AWS Pricing Calculator](#)
 Easily calculate your monthly costs with AWS

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 Contact AWS specialists to get a personalized quote

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