# Damietta Port





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# Coordinate

Long	31 ° 48 <sup>/</sup> E
Lat	31 ° 23 <sup>/</sup> N

# **Natural Characteristics**

Weather	Mild
Water Density	1.025 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Raining Season	Autumn - winter
Tidal range and flow	0.61 m.

### **Location**

Damietta Port is situated 10.5 km. west of the Nile river of Damietta branch westward Ras El-Bar, and 70 km. away from Port Said Port. The port installations extend on an area of 11.8 sq. Km. The port is bordered by an imaginary line connecting the eastern and western external breakwaters.

### **Geographical Overview**

### **Entrance Channel**

11.4 km. long, 15 m. deep, and 300 m. wide gradually decreasing to reach 250 m. at the breakwater fringe, the approach channel is bordered by 18 nightly-lit buoys.

#### **Breakwaters**

The western breakwater is 1640 m. long with 140 m. land-based and 1500 m. sea-based area. The eastern breakwater is 750 m. long with 200 m. land-based and 550m sea-based area. Both breakwaters are made of stacked artificial acrobod piles topped with a concrete head.

#### **Barge Channel**

The barge channel consists of two sections; one is 1350 m. long connecting the barge dock to the sea and the other is 3750 m. connecting the basin to the Nile branch. The barge dock area is 250x250 m comprising a 250 m. long, 5m. deep quay.

### **Turning Dock**

The turning dock diameter is 500 m. with 14.5 m. depth at the container berth, and 12 m. depth at the general cargo berth.

Total Area	11.8 km².
Land Area	8.5 km².
Water Area	3.3 km <sup>2</sup> .
Total Warehouses Area	0.1 km <sup>2</sup> (142510 m <sup>2</sup> ).
Total Yards Area	0.25 km² (254231 m²).
Total Silos Area	0.09 km <sup>2</sup> (98304 m <sup>2</sup> ).
Maximum Port Length M	4 Km.
Maximum Port Breadth	3 km.

## **Port Specifications**

Maximum capacity 19.75 million tons annually, as follows:

- 7 million ton (General Cargo)
- 7.50 million ton (Dry Bulk)
- 5.25 million tons containerized cargo.
- TEU Capacity 1.2 million TEU

- Max. Ship Size 14 m. draft-vessels
- Unloading Containers Rate 2096 TEU/day .
- Unloading Ships Rate 4523 ton/day
- Working Hours Throughout 24 hours (in 3 shifts)

## **Navigation Channels**

Entrance Channel 11.3 km. Length, 300 m. width, 15 m. depts.

Barge Channel 4.5 km. length, 90 m. width, 5 m. depth

# **Pilotage**

Pilotage is compulsory. Pilotage charges are payable in accordance with decree 60/1988 (concerning Egyptian vessels) and decree 73/1988 (concerning foreign vessels). Transshipment Containers are accorded 20-50% reduction according to decree 40/1990. Container carriers transiting the Egyptian ports are accorded 75% reduction.

### **Pilots**

Rank	Number of Pilots
Senior Pilot	2
First Pilot	1
Third Pilot	6

## **Berths**

## **Berths Information according to their types**

Berth Type	Number of Berths	Auxiliary Berths	Length (m.)	Depth (m.)
Container	4	1،2،3،4	1050	14.5
General Cargo	4	5،6،7،8	800	12
Bulk	4	9،10،11،12	900	12
Grains	2	13،14	600	14.5
Oil	2	15،16	600	14.5
Gas	2	-	800	-
Total	18	-	4750	-

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