



Verified Gross Mass Form (VGM)  
Safety of Cargo and Life at Sea (SOLAS effective 7/1/2016)

*All fields are mandatory*

<b>Date:</b>		
<b>Shipper's Information:</b>		
<b>Company Name:</b>		
<b>Weight Verified by - FULL NAME:</b>		
<b>Contact Information</b>		
<b>Phone Number:</b>		
<b>Email Address:</b>		
<b>MAO Inc Reference Number:</b>		
<b>Booking Number   BL Number:</b>		
<b>Method Used for Deriving Weight - Please select one of the options below:</b>		
Actual – Where the weight was derived by weighing the packed/sealed container.	Calculated – Where the weight was derived by adding the weight of the packages/cargo items including pallets, dunnage, etc. to the tare weight of the container.	
<b>Weight UOM (Unit of Measure) Select One:</b>	<b>KGS</b>	<b>LBS</b>
<b>Container Number:</b>	<b>Weight:</b>	

***Upon completion of container loading, please send this fully completed form back to your MAO Inc representative by the advised VGM cut-off date and time.***

It is very important to emphasize, the shipper will be responsible for the weight accuracy and the verified gross mass as defined in the IMO Guidelines. If the shipper provides any untimely and/or inaccurate information, the shipper will be liable and responsible to Mid-America Overseas, Inc for any fines, penalties, delays, additional costs of any kind (e.g., demurrage, detention, storage etc.), damages or losses resulting therefrom.

For more information, please refer to the [IMO's Guidelines on SOLAS](#)

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