

Demurrage

Demurrage is charged by the railways for not releasing a car on time.

- **CN** - To avoid demurrage charges, you must release the rail car by midnight on the day after you receive it. For example:
 - The car arrives at your loading site on Monday at 11 a.m.
 - Your free-time period begins Monday at 11:01 a.m. and ends Tuesday at midnight.
 - Starting at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, demurrage is assessed at \$87 per car, per day¹. Check with CN for current rates.
 - Contact CN's customer support centre for information on when the rail cars will arrive at your producer car loading site. Continue to call until you have been advised your cars have been placed.
- **CP** - Demurrage starts the first 00:01 after the applicable start event and ends at the next 00:01. A portion of a day is counted as one day. Check CP's web site at 222.Mycpr.ca for complete information and rates.

¹ as of August 1, 2010