

# Key Fact Statement - Metro Kotak Credit Card

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## 1. Schedule of Fees and Charges

A. Joining Fees, Annual Fees and Add-On Card Fees:

Credit Card Variant	Joining Fee	Annual Fee	Add-on Card Joining Fee	Condition for Joining Fee Waiver	Condition for Annual Fee Waiver
Metro Kotak Credit Card	NIL	NIL	NIL	NA	NA

Note: Annual fees is not applicable to Add-on cards.

Charges can be revised from time to time at the sole discretion of the bank. Such changes if any, will be communicated with prior notice

#### B. Finance/ Interest Charges:

C	Overdue Interest Charges			
Credit Card Variant	Monthly Rate	Annual Rate (APR)	Cash Advance Fee	
Metro Kotak Credit Card	3.50%	42.00%	2.5% on advance amount, Subject to minimum of ₹ 500	

#### C. Other Charges:

	Outstanding Balance	Late Payment Charges	
	<₹100	₹0	
Late Payment Charges	₹100-₹500 ₹100		
	₹501-₹5000 ₹500		
	₹5,001-₹10,000 ₹600		
	₹10,001-₹25,000	₹800	
	₹25,001-₹50,000	₹1,000	
	>₹50,000	₹1,200	
Over limit charges	₹500 (if over limit amount is equal to or greater than ₹500)  2% on bounce amount, subject to minimum of ₹500  2% on bounce amount, subject to minimum of ₹450  ₹100  Minimum Amount Due is calculated as 5% of all purchase transactions & 100% of EMI, Fees/Charges & Tax, as applicable. It will reflect in your monthly statement in the summary section fee  3.50%  ₹100  1% fee on transaction amount  Charged as per Applicable Rate subject to minimum of ₹10^  Charged as per Applicable Rate  Applicable on all fees and charges at the current rate, as notified by Ministry of Finance, Government of India		
Cheque Return Fee			
Standing Instruction Failure / Auto-debit return fee (includes NACH, ECS, Auto Debit)			
Fee for Cash Payment at branches			
Minimum Amount Due ("MAD")			
Foreign Currency Transaction Markup fee			
Card Replacement Fees (Lost & Damaged Cards)			
Fee on Rent Payments			
Fuel Surcharge			
Railway Booking Surcharge			
Goods and Services Tax (GST)			

<sup>^</sup>GST on fuel surcharge as per standard rate shall be applicable and borne by the customer

## D. Interest Free Period:

Interest free period can range up to 51 days depending on the Payment Due Date.

Payment Due Date can be between 18 and 21 days after the Statement Date. To check for exact Payment Due Date, refer monthly credit card statement. Depending on the Payment Due Date, credit free period can range from 18-48 days or 21-51 days. Interest-free period is not applicable if Total Amount Due is not paid in full.

## Illustrative Example for Interest Free Period Calculation:

For a statement for the period 11th April to 10th May the payment due date will be 28th May. Assuming you have paid your Total Amount Due of the previous month statement by the payment due date, the interest free period would be:

- 1. For a purchase dated 12th April, the interest free grace period is from 12th April to 28th May which equals to 47 days
- 2. For the purchase dated 2nd May, the interest free grace period is from 2nd May to 28th May which equals to 27 days

However, if you have not paid the previous month's balance in full before due date, then there will be no interest free period

## E. Finance Charges (Interest Charges):

- Interest will be charged as per table b above; on a daily accrual basis if the Total Amount Due of the previous statement is not paid in full on or by the payment due date
- Interest will be charged on the Total Amount Due and on all new transactions except Fees/charges and GST/Taxes (from the transaction date) till
  such time as the previous outstanding amounts are paid in full.
- . In addition, interest will be levied on all cash advances from the date of the transaction until the date of payment.
- . Interest would also be charged if the full payment is received after the due date but before the next statement date
- If you have been making a partial payment but you have paid the current statement outstanding in full on or before Payment Due Date then Interest will not be charged. E.g. 20th June statement total balance is ₹5000. Payment Due Date is 11th July. Payment of ₹5000 is made on 8th July. No interest will be charged in 20th July statement.

## Illustration of Interest Calculation:

Assume that you have paid all previous dues in full, and there is no outstanding due on your Credit Card Account. Your monthly statement is generated on the 25th of every month. You have purchased household goods for ₹10000 on 10th May and withdrawn cash from an ATM for ₹2,000 on 16th May. Assuming interest is charged at a rate of 3.5% monthly (42.00% annualized), interest will be calculated as follows:

Date	Transaction Type	Amount
10th May	Purchase of Household Goods	₹10,000
16th May	Cash Advance (withdrawal)	₹2,000
25th May	Cash Advance Fee	₹500
25th May	Interest on Cash Advance	₹23.01
25th May	GST on Interest	₹4.14
25th May	GST on Fee	₹90
Total Amount D	Total Amount Due as on Statement Date:	

In the above example, statement generated on 25th May with Total Amount Due of ₹12.617.16. Interest is calculated on Cash Advance of ₹2.000 at month from 16th May to 25th May (i.e. for 10 days) = ₹2000\*3.5%\*10\*12/365 = ₹23.01. GST @ 18% is applied on Cas Advance Fee and Interest.

 $Formula\ for\ Interest\ calculation = Amount*rate\ of\ interest\ per\ month*no\ of\ days*12months/365$ 

Actual interest calculation and Due Date would vary based on the individual purchase and revolve behavior.

Assuming in the above example, the Payment Due Date is 12th June and you made partial payment of only ₹3,000 on 12th June with no new fresh purchases, then interest levied in statement generated on 25th June will be calculated as follows

# Interest Calculation:

a. Interest on Cash Advance of ₹2000 @ 3.5%pm from 26th May to 12th June (i.e. 18 days)	(₹2000*3.5%*18*12/365)	₹41.42
b. Interest on Purchase of ₹10000 @ 3.5%pm from 10th May to 12th June (i.e. 34 days)	(₹10000*3.5%*34*12/365)	₹391.23
c. Interest on balance Purchase of ₹9617.16 after payment adjustments @ 3.5%pm from 13th June to 25th June (i.e. 13 days)	(₹9381.16*3.5%*13*12/365)	₹143.86
d. Interest on Interest levied in May, 24 statement @ 3.5%pm from 26th May to 12th June (i.e. 18 days)	(₹23.01*3.5%*18*12/365)	₹0.48
Total Interest levied in 25th June statement will be	a+b+c+d	₹577

Here, payment of ₹3,000 is adjusted first against fees and others charges totaling to ₹617.16, balance ₹2000 against Cash Advance and remaining amount of ₹380.84 against Retail Purchase.

Total Payable for 25th June statement = (Previous Statement Total Due fi Payment Made + Total Interest & GST of current Billing statement)

## Total Payable = (₹12,617.16 - ₹3,000 + ₹577+ ₹103.86) = ₹10298.01

Note: If you spend ₹1,000 and you pay back exactly the Minimum Amount Due ("MAD") every month, and then it may result in repayment stretching over 14 months (calculation done with MAD as 5%) with consequential compounded interest payment on the outstanding amount. It is therefore suggested that whenever cash flow is available with you, substantial amount more than MAD be paid to the Bank.

Interest & Late Payment Charges will be applicable as mentioned in schedule of charges if no payment or payment made is less than MAD amount.

#### 2. Credit and Cash Withdrawal Limits

- Credit Limit means the maximum limit up to which you are authorized to spend on your Credit Card.
- Cash Limit forms a subset of your Credit Limit and is lower than the Total Credit Limit. Bank will make the cash limit available to the Cardholder at its sole discretion and on such terms as may be communicated by the Bank from time to time.
- · Add-On cardholders share the same limits as that of the Primary Account Holder
- . The Credit Limit and Cash Withdrawal Limit will vary for each Cardholder and is communicated at the time of delivery of the Card. It is also
- . The available Credit Limit at any time is the difference between assigned Credit Limit & Outstanding balance on the Card at that point of time
- The available Credit Limit at the time of generation of each monthly statement is provided as a part of the said statement
- The Cardholder must not exceed his Credit Limit/Cash Limit under any circumstances. However, as per cardholder's explicit consent, the Bank may
  allow the facility to transact above assigned credit limit, and accordingly over limit fee/charges as applicable will be levied.
- In cases where multiple credit cards are mapped to one customer, total spend(s) can be done only up to the combined aggregate credit limit
  calculated over all the credit cards cumulatively. It is clarified that the aggregate credit limit has been defined as the maximum limit across all the calculated over all the credit cards are inapped to divide customer, own periods call to be only up to the commone organized extent limit calculated over all the credit cards cumulatively. It is clarified that the aggregate credit limit has been defined as the maximum limit across all the credit cards held by the customer. Any transaction(s) done in excess of the aggregate credit limit shall be declined (except in cases where explicit consent is obtained for over-limit facility and subject to eligibility as per Bank policy.)
- If you opt for availing international transactions at the time of applying for the Card, the Credit Limit for international transactions will be the same
- If you wish to disable International transactions or increase/decrease the Credit Limit for international transactions then you can do so through Net Banking/Mobile Banking.
- The Bank will review your Card Account periodically and may decrease your Credit and Cash Limit based on internal criteria without prior notice

#### 3. Your guide to Bill Payment

### A. Your Statement

- Bank will send you a monthly statement, e-mail and/or physical, through the delivery mode as specified by the Bank for each billing period during which there is any transaction/payment or any amount outstanding on the Card
- No statement will be sent/generated where the outstanding due is less than ₹100 and no transaction is done on the Card Account
- Non-receipt of statement would not affect your obligations and liabilities under the Cardholder Agreement and you shall be liable to settle at least the Minimum Amount Due before the payment due date.

## B. Choose what amount you prefer to pay

- . If your payment of at least the MAD is received on or before the payment due date, you avoid Late Payment Charges
- . Minimum Amount due (MAD) as reflected in billing statement should be fully paid on or before Payment Due date to avoid any Late payment
- . Minimum Amount Due is calculated as 5% of all purchase transactions & 100% of EMI, Fees/Charges & Tax, as applicable
- . Any finance charge (interest charge), if levied, 5% of such amount shall form part of Minimum Amount Due
- If as on the billing date the total outstanding is more than the credit limit sanctioned, then any such amount by which the outstanding excredit limit, shall be added in full to Minimum Amount Due. This shall be over & above the Minimum Amount Due as calculated above.
- If there is any unpaid Minimum Amount Due for previous month, it shall also be added in the current month MAD. Such carry forward will not
  factor in any over limit amount for previous month.
- Minimum Amount Due = 5% of Purchase Transaction + 5% of Finance Charges (interest charges) + 100% of EMI+ 100% of Fees/Charges + 100% of Tax, as applicable + 100% of over limit amount as on billing date + Any unpaid MAD for previous month (excluding the over limit amount for previous month)
- On payment of total outstanding on or before payment due date, no finance charge (interest) will be applied on customer. Customer should always
  attempt to pay total amount outstanding to avoid interest charges.
- If customer pays any amount less than total outstanding on or before payment due date, interest free credit period for the month will be suspended.
- Making only the minimum payment every month would result in the repayment stretching over months/years with consequential compounded interest payment on your outstanding balance.

Payments received from you against the Card outstanding will be adjusted against all taxes, fees and other charges, interest charges, EMIs, cash advances, purchases and balance transfer in that order. You should make all payments in Indian Rupees only.

You can pay your Credit Card bill through the following wavs:

## 1. Online Mode:

- a) Using Kotak Bank Account: Pay via Mobile & Net Banking using Funds Transfer for instant or same day credit to your card account.
- b) Pay through standing instructions (Auto Debit): You can set-up standing instructions to debit your Kotak Bank Account every month for Total amount due or Minimum Amount due on the payment due date
- c) Using Non Kotak Bank Account: WebPay / NEFT / IMPS
- Payment through WebPay will be credited within 3 working days (excluding weekends and bank holidays). Payment via IMPS is credited instantly while NEFT may take 30 minutes up to 3 working days. Add Kotak Credit Card as payee and use IFSC code KKBK0000958 for NEFT/IMPS.
- d) Using Visa Payment: You can pay your monthly Kotak Credit Card bill by transferring money from your VISA Debit Card. Please note that the transfer will typically be reflected in 2-3 working days.
- e) Using BBPS (Bharat Bill Payment Services) fi You can pay using BBPS service on partner bank app/website, Bharat BillPay platform, or physical outlet or using third party payment services through UPI.

## 2. Other Modes:

- a) Pay via cash across Kotak Mahindra Branch counter. Payment will be credited within 24 hours. For applicable charges, please refer the schedule
- b) Pay via Cheque favoring Kotak Credit Card <16 digit Credit Card no>. Write your name & contact no on the reverse of the cheque and drop the cheque at your nearest branch at ATM dropboxes. Payment will be credited within 5 working days.

Non-Resident Kotak Mahindra Bank Credit Card holders can make all payments only from their NRE account.

For detailed information on how to make payments visit www.kotak.com

## D. Billing disputes resolution

- In the event the Cardholder disagrees with the charges indicated in the statement, it should be communicated in writing to the correspondence address of Kotak Mahindra Bank within 60 (Sixty) days of receipt of the statement, failing which it would be construed that all charges indicated in the statement are in order and acceptable to you.
- In case of unsuccessful / failed transaction, as per Harmonisation of TAT guidelines, the Bank will reverse blocked amount as per the timelines
  mentioned in the circular. In case if the merchant claims such transaction, the regular dispute process will be followed as per franchise guidelines
  which is covered in the compensation policy.
- · Please note that in case you have a dispute in relation to an international transaction, you must provide us with a copy of your passport
- In case of excess payment towards Credit Card initiated by the Cardholder, refund shall be processed upon request subject to Bank's internal checks.

## 4. Customer Contact Centre

- In all your communication with us, please indicate your 16-digit Kotak Credit Card number.
- · You may contact the Bank in any of the following ways:
- a) By calling our 24 Hour Customer Service Center 1860 266 2666 (local call rates apply). Privy League Customers can call on 1800 266 6666 (Toll - free). The detailed list of phone numbers is available on
- b) Through email by logging on www.kotak.com or through your internet banking account
- c) Through courier-The Service Manager, Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited, 3rd Floor, Neptune Element, Road no: 22, Waqle Estate, Thane West, Maharashtra- 400604, India

## 5. Grievances Redressal / Complaints / Escalation

In the unlikely event of not being satisfied with our services, you can register your grievance by using Grievance Redressal mechanism -

Level 1 fi Branch/Customer Experience Centre/Online channel

Level 2- Nodal Officer\* Level 3- Principal Nodal Officer\*\*

"If you have not received a satisfactory response at Level 1, send an email to our Nodal officer, P. Balgi at nodalofficer@kotak.com or call 022-62042110 or write at Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd, 4th Floor, Kotak Infiniti, Building no 21, Infinity Park, Off Western Express Highway, General AK Vaidya Marg, Malad E, Mumbai 400097

\*\* If you have not received a satisfactory response within 2 working days at Level 2, send an email to our Principal Nodal Officer, K Vora at k.vora@kotak.com.

If your complaint is not resolved within 30 days of receipt at the Bank then the said complaint can be escalated to Banking Ombudsman. The details of banking ombudsman for your location are displayed at the branches. In case of delay in providing a resolution within the stipulated time, Bank at its sole discretion will decide if cardiholder is entitled to any compensation.

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