

## Comparison of Commercial Bank Fees & Charges<sup>1</sup> (June 30, 2023)

	SBL	FCB	FCIB	RBBL	RBC	SBB
NO MAINTENANCE FEE ACCOUNT <sup>2</sup>						
Minimum opening balance	None	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$100.00	None	None
Point of Sale Transactions	Free	Free	Free	Free	Local - Free	Free
In-branch withdrawal/debits	Free <sup>3</sup>	Free	Free	Free <sup>4</sup>	Free <sup>5</sup>	n.a.
In-branch deposits/credits	Free <sup>3</sup>	Free	Free	Free <sup>4</sup>	Free <sup>5</sup>	n.a.
MINIMUM SAVINGS ACCOUNT <sup>6</sup>						
Monthly fee	Free <sup>7</sup>	Free <sup>8</sup>	Free	\$5.00	Free	Free
In-branch withdrawal/debits	\$5.00	\$3.00 <sup>9</sup>	Free	\$2.00	Free <sup>10</sup>	n.a.
In-branch deposits/credits	\$5.00	Free	Free	Free	Free <sup>10</sup>	n.a.
MINIMUM CHEQUING ACCOUNT <sup>11</sup>						
Monthly fee	Free	\$5.00 <sup>12</sup>	\$10.00	\$5.00	\$15.00	n.a.
In-branch withdrawal/debits	\$5.00	Free	\$3.00	\$1.50 <sup>13</sup>	\$6.00/\$3.5014	n.a.
In-branch deposits/credits	\$5.00	Free	Free	Free	\$6.00 <sup>14</sup>	n.a.
Returned Cheque (NSF)	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$60.0015	\$60.00	\$50.00	n.a.
SENIOR ACCOUNTS <sup>16</sup>						



Monthly fee	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	n.a.
In-branch withdrawal/debits (over 70yrs)	Free <sup>17</sup>	Free	Free	Free <sup>18</sup>	Free	n.a.
In-branch deposits/credits (over 70yrs)	Free <sup>17</sup>	Free	Free	Free <sup>18</sup>	Free	n.a.
Point of Sale (own)	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free
YOUTH ACCOUNTS <sup>19</sup>						
Minimum opening balance	None	\$50.00	\$40.00	\$20.00	None	n.a.
Monthly fee	Free	Free <sup>20</sup>	Free	Free	Free	n.a.
In-branch withdrawal/debits	\$5.00	Free	\$1.00 <sup>21</sup>	\$2.00	Free	n.a.
In-branch deposits/credits	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	n.a.



	SBL	FCB	FCIB	RBBL	RBC	SBB
MISCELLANEOUS						
VISA/Mastercard Debit Card:						
ATM (own)	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	\$Free
ATM (other)	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00
<ul> <li>Point of Sale</li> </ul>	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free
Online Banking <sup>22</sup>	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free
Stop payment (local)	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	n.a.
Inactive account notice (per year)	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	n.a.
Manager's cheque (plus stamp duty)	\$12.00	\$15.00	\$12.10	\$12.00	\$13.00	n.a.
Bill payment						
Online	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free
• In-branch	\$10.00	n.a.	n.a.	\$2.00	n.a.	n.a.
CREDIT CARDS						
Over limit	\$49.00	\$55.00/\$60.00	\$80.00	\$75.00	\$50.00	n.a.
Late payment	\$49.00	\$50.00	\$80.00	\$75.00	\$50.00	n.a.
Cash Advance	3.0% or minimum \$10.00	5.0% no minimum	3.5% or minimum \$10.00	3.5% or minimum \$5.00	3.0% or minimum \$10.00	n.a.
Annual Fee (Primary Card):						
Visa Classic	n.a.	\$50.00	Free <sup>23</sup>	\$60.00	\$25.00	n.a.
Visa Gold	n.a.	\$80.00	\$100.00	\$90.00	\$90.00	n.a.



Visa Platinum	n.a.	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$250.00	n.a.
Mastercard Standard	\$35.00	n.a. (Discontinued in 2022)	\$65.00	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Mastercard Gold	\$115.00	n.a.	\$100.00	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

## **Notes:**

- 1. Data reflects a sample of the fees and charges (inclusive of taxes) by individual commercial banks for retail/personal banking products and services as at June 30, 2023. The commercial banks are as follows:
  - SBL Scotiabank (Barbados) Limited
  - FCB First Citizens Bank (Barbados) Limited
  - FCIB First Caribbean International Bank (Barbados) Limited
  - RBBL Republic Bank (Barbados) Limited
  - RBC RBC Royal Bank (Barbados) Limited
  - SBB Sagicor Bank (Barbados) Limited
- 2. This account is free of monthly maintenance charges.
- 3. Four (4) free in branch transactions (debits and/or credits), thereafter \$5.00.
- 4. Three (3) free in branch transactions thereafter \$5.00.
- 5. Three (3) free in branch debits and credits per month, thereafter \$8.00.
- 6. Lowest cost option for a savings (interest bearing) account.

<sup>\*</sup> n.a. means Not Available. This indicates where the product or service is not offered by the bank.



- 7. If minimum balance falls below \$300.00, charge of \$10.00 applied.
- 8. If minimum balance falls below \$300.00, charge of \$3.00 applied.
- 9. Only applicable if withdrawal amount is below \$2,500.00.
- 10. Three (3) free debits or credits per month thereafter \$8.00.
- 11. Lowest cost option for a chequing account.
- 12. If minimum balance falls below \$500.00, charge of \$5.00 applied.
- 13. Five (5) free cheques per month, thereafter \$1.50 each is applied.
- 14. Five (5) free cheques per month, thereafter \$6.00 for debits or credits and \$3.50 for cheques is applied.
- 15. Plus stamp duty
- 16. Most of the banks have a minimum age for a Senior Account of 60 years, with the exception of two entities (FCB 50 years & RBBL 49 years); only FCIB's account combines Savings & Chequing account features, all other accounts are Savings.
- 17. Ten (10) free in-branch transactions (debits and/or credits) for persons under 70 years, thereafter \$5.00
- 18. Persons under 65 years \$2.00 per transaction.
- 19. Most of the banks have a maximum age for a Youth Account of 17 years, with the exception of (FCB 18 years & RBBL 19 years); all of the accounts are savings.
- 20. If minimum balance falls below \$50.00, there is a service fee of \$1.00.
- 21. Four (4) free withdrawals/debits, thereafter \$1.00. (In-branch withdrawal/debits)
- 22. Includes Internet banking, mobile banking and telephone banking.
- 23. Visa Cash Back card rebranded as Visa Silver.