

C DPC/1

Hull's Registers of Shipping

1804-1994

Historical Background/Biographical Background: Hull's Registers of Shipping transferred from HM Customs and Excise, Queen's Gardens, Hull under section 4 (1) Public Records Act, 1958.

Custodial history: The registers of shipping were deposited at the Hull City Archives over a number of years throughout the period 1980 to 2003.

Description: Registers of shipping 1804-1994; transaction books 1852-1893, declaration books 1838-1845, fishing registers 1869-1988, shipping transfer registers 1885-1985 and a register of the appropriation of Official Numbers for the Ports of Hull, Goole, Grimsby and Scarborough 1979-1994.

The Shipping Registers are listed in Port Number order by year.

The majority of Hull's Fishing Vessel Registers (C DPC/1/50-60) were deposited by the Registry of Shipping and Seamen in 2002. Three volumes were deposited earlier (C DPC/1/38-40). C DPC/1/50 is the earliest register and is the only register in which vessels are recorded in a chronological series. Ordinarily fishing vessels were neither recorded in order of date of registration or of their H number. It appears that H numbers became vacant as vessels were lost, sold or scrapped, the H number was then reassigned and recorded in a later volume. Also entries were periodically closed in one volume and transferred to another. When this happened, the previous and subsequent volumes are recorded in each entry. The covering dates for each register are therefore purely indicative.

Registers relating to Bridlington and Gainsborough were transferred in 1980 to the East Riding Archives Service and Lincolnshire Archives respectively. The registers remain in this list (C DPC/1/42-46) and their new references are noted for your information.

Extent: 99 volumes

Finding Aids: There is an index of Ships available in the form of a card catalogue. Please ask a member of staff for details. It is essential that from these cards you note down the full reference as well as the year the ship was registered. It is also useful if you know the type of ship, it's official number and/or its tonnage. This will help you to distinguish between two vessels of the same name. If you only know the names of the ship's owner, our names index, also in the form of a card catalogue, may help you find the names of ships that individuals/companies owned.

Related Material: For canal boats registered under the Canal Boats Act, 1877 and subsequent legislation, please see C WHG/8

For dues and registration fees levied on shipping, for Hull, Grimsby, Immingham, Goole, Keadby and other minor ports covering inland, coastal, river and foreign shipping (where appropriate) see C DPD/1/16

'Custom Records as a source for historical research' by Edward Carson, in Archives Vol XIII, no. 58, 1977

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C DPC/1/1	Hull Shipping Register no. 1 From Port number 1 in 1804 to Port number 53 in 1816 Microfilm roll number 144 1 volume	1804-1816
C DPC/1/2	Hull Shipping Register no. 2 From Port number 54 in 1816 to Port number 62 in 1823 Microfilm roll number 144 1 volume	1804-1816
C DPC/1/3	Hull Shipping Register no. 3 From Port number 1 in 1824 to Port number 91 in 1825 Microfilm roll number 144 1 volume	1824-1825
C DPC/1/4	Hull Shipping Register no. 4 From Port number 92 in 1825 to Port number 284 in 1825 Microfilm roll number 145 1 volume	1825
C DPC/1/5	Hull Shipping Register no. 5 From Port number 285 in 1825 to Port number 126 in 1826 Microfilm roll number 145 1 volume	1825
C DPC/1/6	Hull Shipping Register no. 6 From Port number 127 in 1826 to Port number 34 in 1829 Microfilm roll number 145 1 volume	1826-1829
C DPC/1/7	Hull Shipping Register no. 7 From Port number 35 in 1829 to Port number 14 in 1834 Microfilm roll number 146 1 volume	1829-1834
C DPC/1/8	Hull Shipping Register no. 8 From Port number 15 in 1834 to Port number 32 in 1837 Microfilm roll number 146 1 volume	1834-1837
C DPC/1/9	Hull Shipping Register no. 9	1837-1841

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From Port number 33 in 1837 to Port number 5 in 1841

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C DPC/1/10	Hull Shipping Register no. 10 From Port number 6 in 1841 to Port number 6 in 1845 Microfilm roll number 147 1 volume	1841-1845
C DPC/1/11	Hull Shipping Register no. 11 From Port number 7 in 1845 to Port number 50 in 1849 Microfilm roll number 148 1 volume	1845-1849
C DPC/1/12	Hull Shipping Register no. 12 From Port number 1 in 1850 to Port number 50 in 1853 Microfilm roll number 148 1 volume	1850-1853
C DPC/1/13	Hull Shipping Register no. 13 From Port number 51 in 1853 to Port number 20 in 1855 Microfilm roll number 149 1 volume	1853-1855
C DPC/1/14	Hull Shipping Register no. 14 From Port number 21 in 1855 to Port number 17 in 1858 Microfilm roll number 149 1 volume	1855-1858
C DPC/1/15	Hull Shipping Register no. 15 From Port number 18 in 1858 to Port number 8 in 1861 Microfilm roll number 136 1 volume	1858-1861
C DPC/1/16	Hull Shipping Register no. 16 From Port number 9 in 1861 to Port number 15 in 1864 Microfilm roll number 137 1 volume	1861-1864
C DPC/1/17	Hull Shipping Register no. 17 From Port number 16 in 1864 to Port number 8 in 1867 Microfilm roll number 138 1 volume	1864-1867

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C DPC/1/18	Hull Shipping Register no. 18 From Port number 9 in 1867 to Port number 64 in 1871 Microfilm roll number 138 1 volume	1867-1871
C DPC/1/19	Hull Shipping Register no. 19 From Port number 65 in 1871 to Port number 60 in 1873 Microfilm roll number 139 1 volume	1871-1873
C DPC/1/20	Hull Shipping Register no. 20 From Port number 61 in 1873 to Port number 43 in 1876 Microfilm roll number 139 1 volume	1873-1876
C DPC/1/21	Hull Shipping Register no. 21 From Port number 44 in 1876 to Port number 52 in 1878 Microfilm roll number 149 1 volume	1876-1878
C DPC/1/22	Hull Shipping Register no. 22 From Port number 53 in 1878 to Port number 26 in 1881 Microfilm roll number 150 1 volume	1878-1881
C DPC/1/23	Hull Shipping Register no. 23 From Port number 27 in 1881 to Port number 65 in 1884 Microfilm roll number 150 1 volume	1881-1884
C DPC/1/24	Hull Shipping Register no. 24 From Port number 66 in 1884 to Port number 33 in 1888 Microfilm roll number 150 1 volume	1884-1888
C DPC/1/25	Hull Shipping Register no. 25 From Port number 34 in 1888 to Port number 15 in 1893 Microfilm roll number 151 1 volume	1888-1893
C DPC/1/26	Hull Shipping Register no. 26 From Port number 16 in 1893 to Port number 69 in	1893-1897

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C DPC/1/27	Hull Shipping Register no. 27 From Port number 70 in 1897 to Port number 37 in 1899 Microfilm roll number 152 1 volume	1897-1899
C DPC/1/28	Hull Shipping Register no. 28 From Port number 38 in 1899 to Port number 35 in 1900 Microfilm roll number 152 1 volume	1899-1900
C DPC/1/29	Hull Shipping Register no. 29 From Port number 36 in 1900 to Port number 22 in 1902 Microfilm roll number 152 1 volume	1900-1902
C DPC/1/30	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 1 From Port number 38 in 1852 to Port number 95 in 1853 Microfilm roll number 152 1 volume	1852-1853
C DPC/1/31	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 2 From Port number 5 in 1854 to Port number 30 in 1869 Microfilm roll number 153 1 volume	1854-1869
C DPC/1/32	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 3 From Port number 37 in 1855 to Port number 44 in 1862 Microfilm roll number 153 1 volume	1855-1862
C DPC/1/33	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 4 From Port number 43 in 1871 to Port number 99 in 1870 Microfilm roll number 154 1 volume	1870-1871
C DPC/1/34	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 5 From Port number 8 in 1875 to Port number 71 in 1866 Microfilm roll number 154 1 volume	1866-1875

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C DPC/1/35	Hull Shipping Transaction Book no. 6 From Port number 17 in 1880 to Port number 3 in 1892 Microfilm roll number 154 1 volume	1880-1892
C DPC/1/36	Hull Shipping Declaration Book no. 1 Microfilm roll number 155 1 volume	1838-1841
C DPC/1/37	Hull Shipping Declaration Book no. 2 Microfilm roll number 155 1 volume	1842-1845
C DPC/1/38	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 1 Please see C DPC/1/50 for the period 1869-1886 includes index of ships names Microfilm roll number 156 1 volume	1886-1896
C DPC/1/39	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 2 includes index of ships names Microfilm roll number 156 1 volume	1876-1886
C DPC/1/40	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 3 includes index of ships names Microfilm roll number 156 1 volume	1902-1941
C DPC/1/41	Bridlington's Registers of Shipping Register no. 1 From Port number 1 in 1786 to Port number 6 in 1823 This register was transferred to the East Riding Record Office in 1980. Their reference for this volume is NSB/1 1 volume	Sep 1786-Sep 1823
C DPC/1/42	Bridlington's Registers of Shipping Register no. 2 From Port number 1 in 1824 to Port number 3 in 1847 This register was transferred to the East Riding Record Office in 1980. Their reference for this volume is NSB/2 1 volume	Feb 1824-Apr 1847
C DPC/1/43	Bridlington Boat License Register This register was transferred to the East Riding Record Office in 1980. Their reference for this volume is NSB/2 1 volume	May 1808-May 1832

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C DPC/1/44	Gainsborough's Registers of Shipping Register no. 1 From Port number 1 in 1841 to Port number 3 in 1854 This register was transferred to the Lincolnshire Archives, Lincoln in 1980. Their reference for this volume is MSR/GAINSBOROUGH/1 1 volume	1841-1854
C DPC/1/45	Gainsborough's Registers of Shipping Register no. 2 From Port number 1 in 1856 to Port number 1 in 1879 This register was transferred to the Lincolnshire Archives, Lincoln in 1980. Their reference for this volume is MSR/GAINSBOROUGH/2 1 volume	1856-1879
C DPC/1/46	Gainsborough's Shipping Transaction Book This register was transferred to the Lincolnshire Archives, Lincoln in 1980. Their reference for this volume is MSR/GAINSBOROUGH/3 1 volume	n.d.
C DPC/1/47	Hull Shipping Register no. 30 From Port number 23 in 1902 to Port number 74 in 1903 Microfilm roll number 157 1 volume	1902-1903
C DPC/1/48	Hull Shipping Register no. 31 From Port number 75 in 1903 to Port number 26 in 1905 Microfilm roll number 157 1 volume	1903-1905
C DPC/1/49	Hull Transaction Book no. 7 From Port number 62 in 1870 to Port number 8 in 1893 Microfilm roll number 157 1 volume	1870-1893
C DPC/1/50	Hull's Fishing Vessel Register Hull Fishing Register Book no. 4 Please see C DPC/1/38-40 for the period 1886-1935 Microfilm roll number 158 1 volume	1869-1886
C DPC/1/51	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 5 This register was closed in 1952 Microfilm roll number 158 1 volume	c. 1913-1944
C DPC/1/52	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 6 Microfilm roll number 159	c. 1906-1934

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C DPC/1/53	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 7 This register was closed in 1954 Microfilm roll number 159 1 volume	c. 1921-1949
C DPC/1/54	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 8-Indexed Microfilm roll number 159 1 volume	c. 1948-1953
C DPC/1/55	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 9-Indexed Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1937-1955
C DPC/1/56	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 10-Indexed Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1924-1966
C DPC/1/57	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 11-Indexed Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1937-1976
C DPC/1/58	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 12-Indexed This register was closed in 1989 Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1952-1980
C DPC/1/59	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 13-Indexed This register was closed in 1989 Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1960-1984
C DPC/1/60	Hull Fishing Register Book no. 14-Indexed This register was closed in 1989 Microfilm roll number 160 1 volume	c. 1981-1988
C DPC/1/61	Hull Shipping Register no. 18 From Port number 27 in 1905 to Port number 48 in 1906 Microfilm roll number 161 1 volume	1905-1906
C DPC/1/62	Hull Shipping Register no. 19 From Port number 49 in 1906 to Port number 74 in 1907 Microfilm roll number 161 1 volume	1906-1907
C DPC/1/63	Hull Shipping Register no. 20	1907-1909

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C DPC/1/64	Hull Shipping Register no. 21 From Port number 42 in 1909 to Port number 59 in 1910 Microfilm roll number 161 1 volume	1909-1910
C DPC/1/65	Hull Shipping Register no. 22 From Port number 60 in 1910 to Port number 44 in 1912 Microfilm roll number 162 1 volume	1910-1912
C DPC/1/66	Hull Shipping Register no. 23 From Port number 45 in 1912 to Port number 33 in 1914 Microfilm roll number 162 1 volume	1912-1914
C DPC/1/67	Hull Shipping Register no. 24 From Port number 34 in 1914 to Port number 20 in 1916 Microfilm roll number 162 1 volume	1914-1916
C DPC/1/68	Hull Shipping Register no. 25 From Port number 21 in 1916 to Port number 6 in 1920 Microfilm roll number 162 1 volume	1916-1920
C DPC/1/69	Hull Shipping Register no. 26 From Port number 7 in 1920 to Port number 61 in 1921 Microfilm roll number 163 1 volume	1920-1921
C DPC/1/70	Hull Shipping Register no. 27 From Port number 62 in 1921 to Port number 111 in 1922 Microfilm roll number 163 1 volume	1921-1922
C DPC/1/71	Hull Shipping Register no. 28	1922-1924

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C DPC/1/72	Hull Shipping Register no. 29 From Port number 4 in 1924 to Port number 48 in 1925 Microfilm roll number 163 1 volume	1924-1925
C DPC/1/73	Hull Shipping Register no. 30 From Port number 49 in 1925 to Port number 63 in 1926 Microfilm roll number 164 1 volume	1925-1926
C DPC/1/74	Hull Shipping Register no. 31 From Port number 64 in 1926 to Port number 35 in 1930 Microfilm roll number 164 1 volume	1926-1930
C DPC/1/75	Hull Shipping Register no. 32 From Port number in 36 in 1930 to Port number 25 in 1933 Microfilm roll number 164 1 volume	1930-1933
C DPC/1/76	Hull Shipping Register no. 33 From Port number in 26 in 1933 to Port number 4 in 1936 Microfilm roll number 165 1 volume	1933-1936
C DPC/1/77	Hull Shipping Register no. 34 From Port number 5 in 1936 to Port number 63 in 1937 Microfilm roll number 165 1 volume	1936-1937
C DPC/1/78	Hull Shipping Register no. 35 From Port number 64 in 1937 to Port number 6 in 1940 Microfilm roll number 165 1 volume	1937-1940
C DPC/1/79	Hull Shipping Register no. 36 From Port number 7 in 1940 to Port number 74 in 1943 Microfilm roll number 166	1940-1943

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C DPC/1/80	Hull Shipping Register no. 37 From Port number 75 in 1943 to Port number 134 in 1944 Microfilm roll number 166 1 volume	1943-1944
C DPC/1/81	Hull Shipping Register no. 38 From Port number 135 in 1944 to Port number 58 in 1946 Microfilm roll number 166 1 volume	1944-1946
C DPC/1/82	Hull Shipping Register no. 39 From Port number 59 in 1946 to Port number 38 in 1948 Microfilm roll number 167 1 volume	1946-1948
C DPC/1/83	Hull Shipping Register no. 40 From Port number 39 in 1948 to Port number 70 in 1950 Microfilm roll number 167 1 volume	1948-1950
C DPC/1/84	Hull Shipping Register no. 41 From Port number 71 in 1950 to Port number 10 in 1954 Microfilm roll number 167 1 volume	1950-1954
C DPC/1/85	Hull Shipping Register no. 42 From Port number 11 in 1954 to Port number 45 in 1957 Microfilm roll number 168 1 volume	1954-1957
C DPC/1/86	Hull Shipping Register no. 43 From Port number 46 in 1957 to Port number 5 in 1962 Microfilm roll number 168 1 volume	1957-1962
C DPC/1/87	Hull Shipping Register no. 44 From Port number 6 in 1962 to Port number 2 in 1966 Microfilm roll number 168 1 volume	1962-1966
C DPC/1/88	Hull Shipping Register no. 45	1966-1967

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From Port number 3 in 1966 to Port number 31 in 1967

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C DPC/1/89	Hull Shipping Register no. 46 From Port number 32 in 1967 to Port number 38 in 1970 Microfilm roll number 169 1 volume	1967-1970
C DPC/1/90	Hull Shipping Register no. 47 From Port number 39 in 1970 to Port number 16 in 1972 Microfilm roll number 169 1 volume	1970-1972
C DPC/1/91	Hull Shipping Register no. 48 From Port number 17 in 1972 to Port number 51 in 1974 Microfilm roll number 169 1 volume	1972-1974
C DPC/1/92	Hull Shipping Register no. 49 From Port number 52 in 1974 to Port number 41 in 1979 Microfilm roll number 170 1 volume	1974-1979
C DPC/1/93	Hull Shipping Register no. 50 From Port number 42 in 1979 to Port number 8 in 1986 Microfilm roll number 170 1 volume	1979-1986
C DPC/1/94	Hull Shipping Register no. 51 From Port number 9 in 1986 to Port number 13 in 1986 Microfilm roll number 170 1 volume	1986
C DPC/1/95	Hull Register of Shipping Includes vessels registered at Grimsby, Goole and Scarborough as well as Hull Register no. 200/314 Hull: From Port number 14 in 1986 to Port number 18 in 1991 Grimsby: From Port number 1 in 1987 to Port number 6 in 1991 Goole: From Port number 1 in 1988 to Port number 1 in 1991	1986-1991

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Scarborough: From Port number 2 in 1988 to Port number 4 in 1988
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C DPC/1/96	Hull Register of Shipping Includes vessels registered at Grimsby and Scarborough as well as Hull Register no. 201/310 Hull: From Port number 19 in 1991 to Port number 4 in 1994 Grimsby: From Port number 7 in 1991 to Port number 2 in 1994 Scarborough: From Port number 1 in 1991 to Port number 2 in 1993 Microfilm roll number 171 1 volume	1991-1994
C DPC/1/97	Shipping Transfer Volume Includes vessels transferred from Hull, Grimsby and Goole Includes index of ships names at the front of each section. Sections are divided into Ports. Number on Spine of volume-312 Microfilm roll number 172 1 volume	1950-1985
C DPC/1/98	Shipping Transfer Volume Includes vessels transferred from Hull, Grimsby, Goole and Scarborough Includes index of ships names at the front of each section (please note that the index for Hull is missing). Sections are divided into Ports. Number on Spine of volume-313 Microfilm roll number 172 1 volume	1885-1985
C DPC/1/99	Register of the Appropriation of Official Numbers for the Ports of Hull, Goole, Grimsby and Scarborough For Official no's 376841-723653 (with gaps) giving name of ship the official number is assigned to, tonnage of vessel, date of appropriation and date of registry. Microfilm roll number 172 1 volume	9 May 1979- 24 Feb 1994