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Our Corporate Websites

By now you may have noticed a new 'look' and feel to both of Melco Group's Corporate websites; www.melcogroup.com and www.oasis-web.net

Starting with [OASIS r2016.08 \(next update release\)](#) OASIS systems will have one click access via HELP=>Online Assistance.

We now incorporate the latest technologies including RWD

Responsive web design (**RWD**) is an approach to web design aimed at allowing desktop webpages to be viewed in response to the size of the device one is viewing with.

A site designed with RWD adapts the layout to the viewing environment by using fluid,

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proportion-based grids, flexible images, and CSS3 media queries, an extension of the @media rule, in the following ways:

The fluid grid concept calls for page element sizing to be in relative units like percentages, rather than absolute units like pixels or points.

Flexible images are also sized in relative units, so as to prevent them from displaying outside their containing element.

Media queries allow the page to use different CSS style rules based on characteristics of the device the site is being displayed on, most commonly the width of the browser.

Responsive web design has become more important as the amount of mobile traffic now accounts for more than half of total internet traffic.

[oasis-web.net](http://www.oasis-web.net)

The best of both worlds!

Melco Group International's **OASIS** the '*Ocean Air Shipping Information System*' -Powerful, tested, continually improved since 1988 client based Network system and...

[oasis-web](http://www.oasis-web.net) the **OASIS** '*Ocean Air Shipping Information System*' web based, Internet driven,

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SQL application. **oasis-web** is designed to operate in the "Cloud" and integrated to the OASIS 'Ocean Air Shipping Information System".

(this mandatory option is now added to all client sites license fee.)

- **Every OASIS site now has capability of complete overview of customers data & activity on a '24/7 anytime/anyplace access via Smartphone, Tablet or even a Mac...**
- Rolodex Global Geo-Coding of addresses - Visualize Shipment activity by Continent, Country, Area, City...
- All Shipment Transaction Activity (Bookings, Quotes, Ocean, Air, Inbound)...
- Warehouse MR's (Warehouse Receipts... *1
- Verified Gross Mass Certificates (VGM)... *2

We have now created a more budget friendly price point entry for our Tracking module.

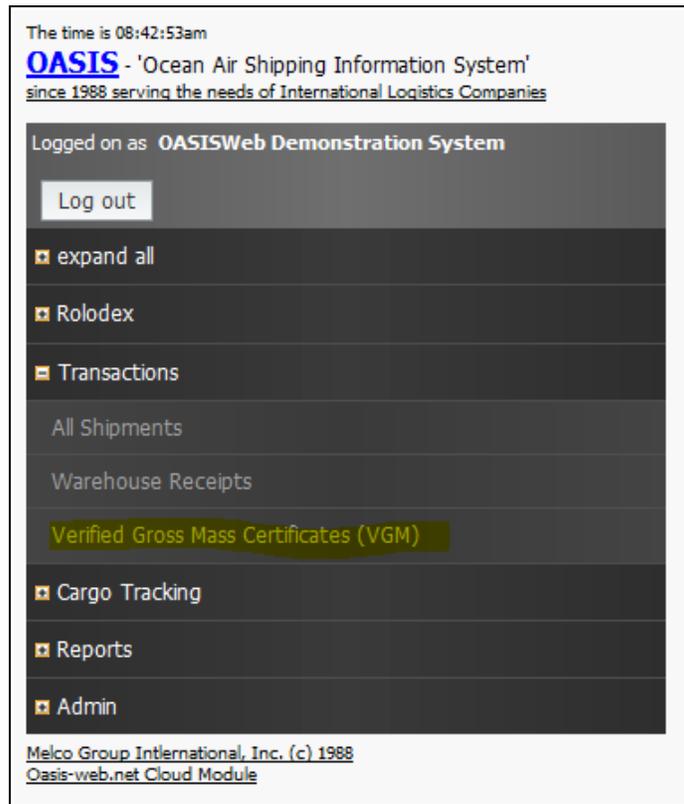
You can now offer as an addition to your invaluable personal service a further enhancement in the form of providing your clients with detailed shipment data they can access at their convenience beyond normal business hours....

- Cargo Tracking -Customers which you have activated receive automated FedEx type tracking emails. May also have access to 'Their' shipments... *3
- Reports - various depending if access by OASIS site or by OASIS site customer...

- *1 requires Warehouse module in OASIS
- *2 Experimental Requires Customer Feedback
- *3 Requires Etrack Tracking module

Once the cloud service is activated in **OASIS**, the system will activate it's web services function in the background & transfer current and transaction data as it is updated and saved in OASIS and made available on the 'cloud'.

<http://www.oasis-web.net/> - the affordable **OASIS web 'cloud' component! Companion**



NOTE:

1. oasis-web requires an update to **OASIS r2016.08**
2. Customers that primarily process Ocean Shipments may update now
3. oasis-web installation will require remote access to the server by our staff to initiate oasis-web configuration
4. Once installation is complete you will be automatically enrolled in a series of timed training emails

QCR OASIS r2016.08

More detailed information may be viewed by accessing <http://www.melcogroup.com/oasis-support.html>

To request Update appointment select from above link or [Requesting Support](#)

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Solas VGM Verified Gross Mass

Following are official Guidelines from the World Shipping Organization.

<http://www.worldshipping.org/industry-issues/safety/MSC 1-Circ 1475 - Guidelines Regarding The Verified Gross Mass Of A Container Carrying Cargo - Secretariat-.pdf>

Please note that as of OASIS r2016.08 Fields for Tare weight have been incorporated and information is automatically transferred to oasis-web for review / action. We encourage & appreciate OASIS customers to submit suggestions and or comments as appropriate.

A Unisys-Sponsored Study Shows IT Executives Struggling with Transition to Digital Business Model

- 54 percent assess progress toward a digital model as only average or below
- 55 percent view quality of end-user/customer service as key 2016 challenge
- 65 percent see modifying IT resources and processes as an immediate priority
- Less than 20 percent report major progress in priority IT areas
- 70 percent are delivering personalized end-user services

Melco Group's OASIS to partner with Unisys Corp

Over the past several months Melco Group and Unisys have had multiple technical teleconferences regarding IATA's eAwb processing. Discussions have centered on:

- eAwb concept from Unisys standpoint.

MGI demonstrated examples of how we process currently:

- ACE x12.Edi files
- Intra Xml files

via Portal for ACE & for Intra via FTP uploads. Demonstrated OASIS output & examples of actual files.

Proposed Steps may be as follows:

1. OASIS site Initiates AIR Booking via Unisys Portal. Airline issues AWB #.
2. OASIS site then processes AWB info
3. Transmission would be

via Host to Host - meaning direct transmission to Unisys => Airline from OASIS site

We are continuing discussions and awaiting further [technical] instructions but above an initial outline of progress thus far.

eAwb Info Sign Up

If you would like to **receive automated emails regarding the OASIS eAwb project and be kept abreast of developments** click and submit to be placed on our => [OASIS eAwb distribution list](#).

