

Fees for EU Ecolabel

The European Commission has adopted Commission Regulation 782/2013 amending Annex III to Regulation (EU) No 66/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the EU Ecolabel on fees.

Application fee and fee for recertification (per production site)	
Normal application fee	2 000 €
Small and medium size enterprises (SME) ¹ and applicants from developing countries	600 €
Microenterprise ²	350 €
Reductions in the application fee and the fee for recertification³	
EMAS-registered enterprises	30%
ISO-1400-certified enterprises	15%
Inspection fee	All travel expenses Workingday 1 000 €
Changes and/or extensions of the license	0 – 2000 €
The fee is depending on the extent of the work	not higher than the above mentioned application fees. Working hours 125 €/t
Annual fee (per production site)	0,15 % of the turn over in the EU/EEA-area
Based on ex-factory turnover	
Minimum fee	1 500 €
Maximum fee	25 000 €
Reduced annual fee for	
SME, microenterprises and licence holders from developing countries	25 %

All fees are given exclusive VAT. Norwegian VAT will be added.

¹ Small and medium enterprise as defined by Commission Recommendation 2003/361/EC (OJ L 124, 20.5.2003, p. 36
The category of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) is made up of enterprises which employ fewer than 250 persons and which have an annual turnover not exceeding EUR 50 million, and/or an annual balance sheet total not exceeding EUR 43 million.

² Micro-enterprises as defined by Recommendation 2003/361/EC.
Within the SME category, a microenterprise is defined as an enterprise which employs fewer than 10 persons and whose annual turnover and/or annual balance sheet total does not exceed EUR 2 million.

³ The reduction is subject to the condition that the applicant, at the time of application, explicitly commits to ensuring full compliance of its ecolabelled products with the relevant EU Ecolabel criteria throughout the period of validity of the contract and that this commitment, at the time of application, is appropriately incorporated into its environmental policy and detailed environmental objectives.

Reductions are not accumulative.