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RD261 Biofertiliser Certification Scheme for Anaerobic Digestion Units – Inspection and Certification Fees

Certification Fee	Cost	Inc VAT
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) up to 6000	£994	£1,192.80
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 6001 to 15000	£1,276	£1,531.20
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 15001 to 25000	£1,930	£2,316.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 25001 to 50000	£2,538	£3,045.60
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 50001 to 75000	£3,173	£3,807.60
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) over 75001	£3,695	£4,434.00

Annual Research Fee	Fee	Inc VAT
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) up to 6000	£100	£120.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 6001 to 15000	£300	£360.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 15001 to 25000	£600	£720.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 25001 to 50000	£800	£960.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) 50001 to 75000	£1200	£1440.00
Annual Throughput (Tonnes) over 75001	£1500	£1800.00

Since 2020, REAL now recovers from the Certification Bodies some of the laboratory approval process for accreditation purposes. This cost has now been incorporated into the above fees.

Other fees as required	Cost	Inc VAT
Additional / Spot / Extension Inspections	£564	£676.80
Cancellation charge	£440	£528.00

Payment Methods	
BACS	Details will be on your invoice.
Credit or Debit Card	We can also take payment by Credit or Debit Card. Please contact us for further details.
Direct Debit	A Direct Debit scheme is available at an extra charge for amounts over £250. Please ask for further details.
Cheque	Cheques should be made payable to OF&G. Please write your invoice number on the back of the cheque (if known).

Transferring from another certification body

If you would like to switch from your current certification body, we will discount your fee by 10% for the first year. We will work with you to manage the transition smoothly, so if you are thinking of doing this, please call us for a confidential chat.

We are always happy to help, so if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us using the details below. In addition, all of our documents, including our standards, technical leaflets, application forms and fee sheets are available to view and download from our website. www.ofgorganic.org

Valid from 01/01/2025. Fees are under review and may be revised at any time. The fees relate to inspection and certification charges but do not guarantee that a Certificate of Compliance will be issued

For operators with more than one site registered with us a further 10% discount will be available.

For operators registering an Organic, Compost or Anaerobic Digestion unit with us we would be happy to discuss a discount for registering all the units with OF&G.

The fees above cover all costs for the year for the inspection and certification of plants within mainland Great Britain. For plants outside mainland Great Britain (including Northern Ireland, Scottish Islands, Channel Islands and the Isle of Man), additional charges will be applied to cover travel and accommodation.

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