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Finnish Safety and Chemicals Agency (Tukes)

## Price List

### Pricing principles

FINAS operates in a non-profit distributing manner and its assessment services are carried out following the self-financing principle. The fees used in accreditation services are the application fee, the basic fee, the annual fee, the hourly fee based on the working time used and the fee for the technical assessment. The body requesting accreditation is given a cost estimate. Fees may be charged in more than one instalment. If an assessment is stopped before its completion, the costs incurred before the interruption are charged. Finnish Safety and Chemicals Agency charges the fees by virtue of the Decree 1283/2021 issued by The Ministry of Employment and the Economy as of 1.1.2022.

### Application fee

An application fee is charged for every application submitted for the first accreditation and for assessment service. No application fee is charged for extending or amending the scope of accreditation or for re-accreditation.

### Basic and annual fee

The basic fee is collected from all bodies applying for accreditation or assessment. The annual fee is charged of the accredited bodies yearly. The basic and annual fees cover travel costs, the maintenance of assessors competence, the management of documents, harmonization of operations as well as some of the costs arisen from co-operation with stake holder groups and from national and international co-operation. The travel costs for assessment visits abroad will be charged separately if they exceed the costs of an average assessment visit in Finland.

The basic and annual fee is determined based on the category of fees set for each body. FINAS classifies bodies into price categories on the basis of their size and the extent (e.g. methods) and complexity of their scope of accreditation.

The price category of the annual fee is confirmed in the accreditation decision or in an amendment decision. The annual fee for accredited bodies will be invoiced yearly according to the fee category in the valid accreditation decision (1st of April).

### Hourly fee, decision making and technical assessment

The working time used in the assessment is charged based on the use of working hours and the hourly fee. Included in the assessment are the compilation of the assessment team, preparation of assessments, site visits, reporting and analysis of their results, and preparation of the accreditation decision. Decision-making consists of the working time used for the preparation of decision documents, the presentation and discussion of the decision and the actual decision-making. Minimum charge is one hour. The fee for technical assessment covers the work input of technical assessors and experts.

### Other services

The price list of accreditation services is applied to all other assessment services, depending on the type of body to be assessed.

VAT (24%) is added to the prices of courses and training events. If a place on a course is not cancelled and not used, the fee payable is 50% of the course fee.

## Accreditation and assessment services

	Basic fee € (fixed fee)	Supplement, hourly €/h (assessment, hourly)	Technical assessment €
<b>Laboratories, inspection bodies and proficiency test providers</b>			
Application	755	-	-
<b>Basic fee for assessment</b>			
Price category L1	2 515	130	determined by case
Price category L2	3 455	"	"
Price category L3	4 490	"	"
Price category L4	5 520	"	"
<b>Annual fee</b>			
Price category L1	1 475	130	determined by case
Price category L2	2 050	"	"
Price category L3	2 670	"	"
Price category L4	3 310	"	"
Price category L5	4 040	"	"
Price category L6	4 690	"	"
Price category L7	5 350	"	"
Price category L8	6 010	"	"
Price category L9	6 660	"	"
Price category L10	7 320	"	"
Price category L11	8 190	"	"
Price category L12	9 065	"	"
Price category L13	10 050	"	"
Price category L14	11 140	"	"
Price category L15	12 230	"	"
Price category L16	13 435	"	"
Price category L17	14 520	"	"
Price category L18	15 610	"	"
Price category L19	16 710	"	"
Price category L20	17 800	"	"
Decision-making	-	130	-
<b>Certification and verification bodies</b>			
Application	755	-	-
<b>Basic fee for assessment</b>			
Price category S1	2 805	130	determined by case
Price category S2	4 585	"	"
Price category S3	7 445	"	"
Price category S4	10 155	"	"
<b>Annual fee</b>			
Price category S1	1 610	130	determined by case
Price category S2	2 630	"	"
Price category S3	3 655	"	"
Price category S4	5 025	"	"
Price category S5	6 335	"	"
Price category S6	7 645	"	"
Price category S7	9 065	"	"
Price category S8	10 375	"	"
Price category S9	11 685	"	"
Price category S10	13 435	"	"
Decision-making		130	
<b>Other assessment services</b>			
The price list for accreditation services is applied to assessment services, depending on the type of body to be assessed.			

## Other services

	Unit value excl. VAT €	Unit value incl. VAT€
Expert services and other services	130 €/h	161,20 €/h
Assessment course	1 350	1 674
Seminars and other training	determined by case	determined by case
Travel costs	determined by case	determined by case
Accreditation and assessment services are exempt from tax. 24% VAT is added to the price of other services.		