



10th May 2021

Schedule of fees - PATENTS	Euro
Filing fee for a patent application	58.23
Grant of a patent	58.24
Filing and Grant fee for a patent application can be paid together on filing	116.47
Claims fee, for each additional claim, where patent application contains more than 10 claims	23.29
On request for an application to be divided in two applications (i.e. divisional application)	58.23
For every other request for the application to be divided into more than two applications at the same time	34.94
For any certificate issued by the Comptroller	11.65
On a request to amend the application in order to fulfill the formal requirements	23.29
On a request for withdrawal of the application	23.29
On a request for an extension of a time limit, fixed for an action in a procedure before the Office, in respect of an application or a patent, by two months from the date of the expiration of the unextended time limit	23.29
On a request for a correction or addition of a priority claim or the restoration of priority rights before advertising	23.29

Maintenance Renewal Fees:	
before the expiration of the 2nd year from the filing date, in respect of the 3rd year	34.94
before the expiration of the 3rd year from the filing date, in respect of the 4th year	46.59
before the expiration of the 4th year from the filing date, in respect of the 5th year	58.23
before the expiration of the 5th year from the filing date, in respect of the 6th year	69.88
before the expiration of the 6th year from the filing date, in respect of the 7th year	81.53
before the expiration of the 7th year from the filing date, in respect of the 8th year	93.17
before the expiration of the 8th year from the filing date, in respect of the 9th year	104.82
before the expiration of the 9th year from the filing date, in respect of the 10th year	116.47
before the expiration of the 10th year from the filing date, in respect of the 11th year	128.12
before the expiration of the 11th year from the filing date, in respect of the 12th year	139.76
before the expiration of the 12th year from the filing date, in respect of the 13th year	141.41
before the expiration of the 13th year from the filing date, in respect of the 14th year	163.06
before the expiration of the 14th year from the filing date, in respect of the 15th year	174.10
before the expiration of the 15th year from the filing date, in respect of the 16th year	186.35
before the expiration of the 16th year from the filing date, in respect of the 17th year	198.00
before the expiration of the 17th year from the filing date, in respect of the 18th year	209.64
before the expiration of the 18th year from the filing date, in respect of the 19th year	221.29
before the expiration of the 19th year from the filing date, in respect of the 20th year	232.94
Surcharge, where maintenance fee is paid:	
within 1 month from due date	11.65
within 2 months from due date	16.31
within 3 months from due date	23.29
within 4 months from due date	32.61
within 5 months from due date	44.26
within 6 months from due date	58.23
On a request for a re-establishment of rights as a consequence of failure to comply with a time limit fixed for an action in a procedure before the office	23.29
Search or inspection fee (per application or patent document)	11.65
For copies of file documents – per page	1.16
For any extract from the register	11.65
Amendment of the patent specifications of a registered patent	23.29
On opposition and counterstatement to the amendment of specification	34.94
On a request for the recordal of a:	
change of name (each)	11.65
change of address (each)	11.65

On a request for the recordal of a change in applicant or owner (i.e. by assignment, merger, court order, etc.)	58.23
For every other application or patent being transferred at the same time	11.65
On request for the recordal of a licence or for the cancellation of the recordal of a licence	58.23
For every other application or patent being licensed at the same time or for every other cancellation of a licence made at the same time	11.65
On request for correction of a mistake in the application, patent or any such request communicated to the office and which is correctable by the office	23.29
Surrender of a registered patent	93.17

Schedule of fees – Supplementary Protection Certificates	Euro
Filing fee for a supplementary protection certificate application	116.47
Maintenance Fees:	
before the expiration of the 20th year of the patent, in respect of the 1st year of the certificate	244.58
before the expiration of the 1st year, in respect of the 2nd year of the certificate	256.23
before the expiration of the 2nd year, in respect of the 3rd year of the certificate	267.88
before the expiration of the 3rd year, in respect of the 4th year of the certificate	279.52
before the expiration of the 4th year in respect of the 5th year of the certificate	291.17
Filing of an application for a declaration of invalidity of a certificate	23.29
Fee for Paediatric Extension	300.00

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