



## Certification fees for products to COSMOS or Soil Association Health & Beauty standards

**Application fees** are payable on application and cover your first year with us.

**Annual fees** are based on your total certified sales each year and are payable on your annual renewal date.

**International inspection fees** and expenses apply for inspections outside of the UK.

### COSMOS – Organic, Natural and Certified Ingredient Schemes

#### Application Fees

Item	Fee
Application Fee	£800
Inspection Fee *	£595

#### Annual Fees

##### Certified Sales (< £2,722,500)

Item	Fee
Annual Renewal Fee	£800
Inspection Fee *	£595
Product Review (Organic, Natural)	£55 per product
Ingredient Review (Certified Ingredients)	£25 per product
COSMOS Recharge Fee <i>To cover fees payable direct to COSMOS</i>	£6 per product
Certified Sales Fee <i>(if certified sales £387,500 - £2,722,500)</i>	0.0036 x by your certified sales

*Product and ingredient review fees are calculated based on approvals in the previous 12 months*

##### Certified Sales (£2,722,500 +)

*Multiple tiers apply to declared sales*

Item	Fee
Certified Sales Fee <i>(certified sales for the first £2,722,500)</i>	0.0036 x by your certified sales
Certified Sales Fee <i>(then for certified sales between £2,722,501 and £5,049,000)</i>	0.0018 x by your certified sales
Certified Sales Fee	0.0012 x by your certified sales

(then for certified sales between £5,049,000 and £26,084,300)	
Certified Sales Fee (for certified sales over 26,084,301)	0.00036 x by your certified sales
COSMOS Recharge Fee <i>To cover fees payable direct to COSMOS</i>	£6 per product
Inspection Fee (International only)	<i>See international inspection fees</i>

### Raw Material Approval

*Confidential raw material review to assess if material is compliant under COSMOS.  
Review fees are calculated quarterly.*

Item	Fee
Raw Material Review	£25 per raw material

## **COSMOS – Approved Raw Material Scheme**

### Application Fees

Item	Fee
Application Fee	£136
Product Review	£70 per product
COSMOS Registration Fee	£25 per product

### Annual Fees

Item	Fee
Annual Fee	£136
Annual Product Fee	£70 per product
Annual COSMOS Registration Fee	£25 per product
Additional Product Review	£70 per product
Additional Product COSMOS Registration Fee	£25 per product

*Additional product assessment fees are calculated upon submission. Payment must be received before the review can be undertaken.*

## **Soil Association Health & Beauty Scheme**

*Available to new applicants for non-cosmetic products only*

### Application Fees

Item	Fee
Application Fee	£1395

## Annual Fees

### Certified Sales (< £387,500)

Item	Fee
Annual Renewal Fee	£1395

### Certified Sales (£387,500 - £2,722,500)

Item	Fee
Certified Sales Fee	0.0036 x by your certified sales

### Certified Sales (£2,722,500 +)

*Multiple tiers apply to declared sales*

Item	Fee
Certified Sales Fee (certified sales for the first £2,722,500)	0.0036 x by your certified sales
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Inspection Fee (International only)	<i>See international inspection fees</i>

### Transferring from another certification body

We offer a discounted fee for businesses transferring from other certification bodies for the first year. This fee will be charged at the cost of inspection only for the first year.

### Inspection Fees

#### \*International Inspections

Costs and expenses associated with conducting inspections differ for inspections outside of the UK. The inspection fee noted above will be charged in addition to international inspection costs. Please contact [international@soilassociation.org](mailto:international@soilassociation.org) for a quotation/estimate.

#### Additional Inspections

If more than one day is required for annual inspection, or an additional inspection is required during the year, these are charged at £ 595. Remote compliance inspections are charged at £200

#### Inspection Cancellation

Item	Fee
Less than 10 working days' but more than 5 working days' notice given	£ 297.50
Less than 5 working days' notice given	£ 595

We reserve the right to pass on travel costs already incurred when an inspection is cancelled with less than a month's notice.

## **Paying by instalments**

Fees for UK-based businesses can be paid in six monthly instalments by way of a credit agreement from Premium Credit. For further information please contact our Credit Controller on [creditcontrol@soilassociation.org](mailto:creditcontrol@soilassociation.org) or 0117 914 2456.

## **VAT**

All fees are exclusive of VAT.

## **Exchange rates**

We reserve the right to pass on exchange rate related price increases due to fluctuating exchange rates.