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FEES

This fee table applies only to USA and Canada. The decisive factor for the location of the company (country) is the location of the legal entity. In case your company is located outside the USA or Canada, the “[GLOBALG.A.P. System Participation Fees](#)” apply. The fees in Euros are invoiced by the GLOBALG.A.P. Secretariat in Germany.

GLOBALG.A.P. system participation fees consist of a registration fee plus a certificate or assessment license fee and are charged by the GLOBALG.A.P. Secretariat via the certification bodies. They are described below in the following chapters for the various products offered.

1 CORE SOLUTIONS

1.1 INTEGRATED FARM ASSURANCE PLANTS (IFA) PRODUCT CATEGORIES: FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, COMBINABLE CROPS, TEA, HOPS

1.1.1 Registration Fee

Covered Production

Area under Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee Smart and GFS (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	17.00
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	51.00
≥ 0.5 - < 1	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	97.75
≥ 1 - < 1.5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	127.50
≥ 1.5 - < 5	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	212.50
≥ 5 - < 10	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	318.75
≥ 10 - < 30	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	386.75
≥ 30 - < 100	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	637.50
≥ 100 - < 500	≥ 247.1 - < 1,235.5	1,275.00
≥ 500	≥ 1,235.5	2,295.00

Non-Covered Production

Area under Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee Smart and GFS (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	8.50
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	21.25
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.2 - < 4.9	38.25
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.9 - < 12.4	63.75
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.4 - < 37.1	106.25
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.1 - < 247.1	191.25
≥ 100 - < 1,000	≥ 247.1 - < 2,471.1	340.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	≥ 2,471.1 - < 12,355.3	637.50
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	≥ 12,355.3 - < 24,710.5	1,275.00
≥ 10,000	≥ 24,710.5	2,295.00

1.1.2 Certificate License Fee

Option	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (base level)	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate	0.00 (none)

1.2 INTEGRATED FARM ASSURANCE PLANTS (IFA) PRODUCT CATEGORIES: FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTALS, PLANT PROPAGATION MATERIAL

1.2.1 Registration Fee

Covered Production

Area under Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee Smart (\$)
< 0.5	< 1.2	75.00
≥ 0.5 - < 1	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	145.00
≥ 1 - < 1.5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	190.00
≥ 1.5 - < 5	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	310.00
≥ 5 - < 10	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	470.00
≥ 10 - < 30	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	570.00
≥ 30 - < 100	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	940.00
≥ 100 - < 500	≥ 247.1 - < 1235.5	1870.00
≥ 500	≥ 1235.5	3370.00

Non-Covered Production

Area under Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee Smart (\$)
< 0.5	< 1.2	25.00
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.2 - < 4.9	50.00
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.9 - < 12.4	125.00
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.4 - < 37.1	190.00
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.1 - < 247.1	375.00
≥ 100 - < 1,000	≥ 247.1 - < 2,471.1	875.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	≥ 2,471.1 - < 12,355.3	1,880.00
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	≥ 12,355.3 - < 24,710.5	3,755.00
≥ 10,000	≥ 24,710.5	6,260.00

1.2.2 Certificate License Fee

Option	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (base level)	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate	0.00 (none)

1.3 HARMONIZED PRODUCE SAFETY (HPS)

1.3.1 Registration Fee

Covered Production

Area under Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	15.00
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	45.00
≥ 0.5 - < 1	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	86.25
≥ 1 - < 1.5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	112.50
≥ 1.5 - < 5	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	187.50
≥ 5 - < 10	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	281.25
≥ 10 - < 30	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	341.25
≥ 30 - < 100	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	562.50
≥ 100 - < 500	≥ 247.1 - < 1,235.5	1,125.00
≥ 500	≥ 1,235.5	2,025.00

Non-Covered Production

Area under Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	7.50
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	18.75
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.2 - < 4.9	33.75
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.9 - < 12.4	56.25
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.4 - < 37.1	93.75
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.1 - < 247.1	168.75
≥ 100 - < 1,000	≥ 247.1 - < 2,471.1	300.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	≥ 2,471.1 - < 12,355.3	562.50
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	≥ 12,355.3 - < 24,710.5	1,125.00
≥ 10,000	≥ 24,710.5	2,025.00

1.3.2 Certificate License Fee

Option	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (base level)	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate	0.00 (none)

1.4 INTEGRATED FARM ASSURANCE AQUACULTURE (IFA) PRODUCT CATEGORIES: FINFISH, MOLLUSCS, CRUSTACEANS, SEAWEED/MACRO ALGAE

1.4.1 Registration Fee

Farmed Fish

Annual Production Quantity (metric tons, live weight)	Annual Fee Smart and GFS (\$)
< 10	15.00
≥ 10 - < 100	75.00
≥ 100 - < 500	150.00
≥ 500 - < 1,000	225.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	750.00
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	1,500.00
≥ 10,000 - < 25,000	2,250.00
≥ 25,000	3,000.00

Broodstock and Seedlings

Reproduction	Annual Fee Smart and GFS (\$)
Broodstock	150.00
Seedlings – ova	150.00
Seedlings – juveniles	150.00

1.4.2 Certificate License Fee

Option	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (base level)	Each certificate issued	180.00
Option 2 (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate	0.00 (none)

1.5 CHAIN OF CUSTODY (COC)

1.5.1 Registration Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each registered and accepted company	337.50

1.5.2 Certificate License Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each certified company	37.50

1.6 CROPS FOR PROCESSING (CFP)

1.6.1 Registration Fee

Covered Production

Area under Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	40.00
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	120.00
≥ 0.5 - < 1	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	230.00
≥ 1 - < 1.5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	300.00
≥ 1.5 - < 5	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	500.00
≥ 5 - < 10	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	750.00
≥ 10 - < 30	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	910.00
≥ 30 - < 100	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	1,500.00
≥ 100 - < 500	≥ 247.1 - < 1,235.5	3,000.00
≥ 500	≥ 1,235.5	5,400.00

Non-Covered Production

Area under Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	20.00
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	50.00
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	90.00
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	150.00
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	250.00
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	450.00
≥ 100 - < 1,000	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	800.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	1,500.00
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	≥ 247.1 - < 1,235.5	3,000.00
≥ 10,000	≥ 1,235.5	5,400.00

1.6.2 Certificate License Fee

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1	Each certificate issued	37.50
Option 2 (base level)	Each certificate issued	195.00
Option 2 (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate	1.50

1.7 PRODUCE HANDLING ASSURANCE (PHA)

1.7.1 Registration Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each registered and accepted site	75.00

1.7.2 Certificate License Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each certified site	125.00

1.8 COMPOUND FEED MANUFACTURING (CFM)

1.8.1 Registration Fee

Compound Feed Produced Annually (Quantity tons)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 1000	75.00
≥ 1000 - < 2,500	112.50
≥ 2,500 - < 5,000	150.00
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	225.00
≥ 10,000 - < 25,000	450.00
≥ 25,000 - < 50,000	750.00
≥ 50,000 - < 100,000	1,500.00
≥ 100,000 - < 200,000	2,250.00
≥ 200,000	3,000.00

1.8.2 Certificate License Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each certified company	37.50

2 ADD-ONS TO CORE SOLUTIONS

2.1 GLOBALG.A.P. RISK ASSESSMENT ON SOCIAL PRACTICES (GRASP)

2.1.1 Assessment License Fee

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1 GRASP assessment license fee	Each individual producer assessed for GRASP	75.00
Option 2 GRASP assessment license fee (base level)	Each producer group assessed for GRASP	390.00
Option 2 GRASP assessment license fee (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group assessment	3.00

2.2 SUSTAINABLE PROGRAM FOR IRRIGATION AND GROUNDWATER USE (SPRING)

2.2.1 Assessment License Fee

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1 SPRING assessment license fee	Each individual producer assessed for SPRING	45.00
Option 2 SPRING assessment license fee (base level)	Each producer group (QMS) assessed for SPRING	195.00
Option 2 SPRING assessment license fee (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group's letter of conformance	15.00

2.3 FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT PRODUCE SAFETY RULE (FSMA PSR)

The FSMA PSR Add-on is provided at no cost to users in United States and Canada when paired with the Integrated Farm Assurance (IFA) standard for fruit and vegetables.

2.4 GLOBALG.A.P. FARM SUSTAINABILITY ASSESSMENT (GGFSA)

2.4.1 Registration Fee

Covered Production

Area under Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	0.21
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	3.98
≥ 0.5 - < 1	≥ 1.2 - < 2.5	7.95
≥ 1 - < 1.5	≥ 2.5 - < 3.7	11.93
≥ 1.5 - < 5	≥ 3.7 - < 12.4	23.85
≥ 5 - < 10	≥ 12.4 - < 24.7	39.75
≥ 10 - < 30	≥ 24.7 - < 74.1	63.60
≥ 30 - < 100	≥ 74.1 - < 247.1	119.25
≥ 100 - < 500	≥ 247.1 - < 1,235.5	238.50
≥ 500	≥ 1,235.5	397.50

Non-Covered Production

Area under Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.1	< 0.25	0.09
≥ 0.1 - < 0.5	≥ 0.25 - < 1.2	1.59
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.2 - < 4.9	3.18
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.9 - < 12.4	7.95
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.4 - < 37.1	11.93
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.1 - < 247.1	23.85
≥ 100 - < 1,000	≥ 247.1 - < 2,471.1	55.65
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	≥ 2,471.1 - < 12,355.3	119.25
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	≥ 12,355.3 - < 24,710.5	238.50
≥ 10,000	≥ 24,710.5	397.50

2.5 NON-GM/”OHNE GENTECHNIK” ADD-ON

2.5.1 Registration Fee

Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Each registered and accepted company (compound feed manufacturer/producer/processor) and for each assessment module	375.00

2.6 IMPACT-DRIVEN APPROACH TO SUSTAINABILITY ADD-ON – PLANTS AND AQUACULTURE (IDA)

2.6.1 Registration Fee Plants

Area under Covered and Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered and Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.5	< 1.24	75.00
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.24 - < 4.94	112.50
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.94 - < 12.36	150.00
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.36 - < 37.07	225.00
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.07 - < 247.11	262.50
≥ 100	≥ 247.11	300.00

2.6.2 Registration Fee Aquaculture

Size (metric tons)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 1,000	75.00
≥ 1,000 - < 5,000	150.00
≥ 5,000 - < 10,000	187.50
≥ 10,000 - < 20,000	225.00
≥ 20,000 - < 50,000	262.50
≥ 50,000 - < 100,000	300.00
≥ 100,000	750.00

3 PRIMARY SOLUTIONS

3.1 PRIMARY FARM ASSURANCE (PFA)

3.1.1 Registration Fee

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Registration fee	Production registered according to the PFA standard.	See registration fees for HPS standard

3.1.2 Assessment License Fee

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Option 1 PFA fee	Each letter of conformance issued	180.00
Option 2 PFA fee (base level)	Each letter of conformance issued	180.00
Option 2 PFA fee (producer supplement)	Each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group's letter of conformance	0.00 (none)

3.2 IMPACT-DRIVEN APPROACH MODULE

3.2.1 Registration Fee

Area under Covered and Non-Covered Production (hectares)	Area under Covered and Non-Covered Production (acres)	Annual Fee (\$)
< 0.5	< 1.24	75.00
≥ 0.5 - < 2	≥ 1.24 - < 4.94	112.50
≥ 2 - < 5	≥ 4.94 - < 12.36	150.00
≥ 5 - < 15	≥ 12.36 - < 37.07	225.00
≥ 15 - < 100	≥ 37.07 - < 247.11	262.50
≥ 100	≥ 247.11	300.00

4 OTHER PROGRAMS

Fee Type	Applies to	Annual Fee (\$)
Service fee – other programs Option 1 – individual producer	All individual and multi-site producers registering at least one other program in the GLOBALG.A.P. database	15.00
Service fee – other programs Option 2 – producer group	Each producer group registering at least one producer with one other program in the GLOBALG.A.P. database	37.50
Service fee – other programs (producer supplement) Option 2 – producer group member	Each individual producer group member who is registered for at least one other program in the GLOBALG.A.P. database	1.50

5 EXPLANATIONS

Registration Fee

Registration fees apply to each individual producer and also to each producer group member.

The registration fee *for plants* is calculated based on the area registered and accepted under *first harvest for each crop*. Any area that is used more than once in an annual certificate validity (certification cycle), for the cultivation of the same product only, shall be registered as further harvest. Areas registered under *further harvest* of the same product, are not subject to additional registration fees.

Product quantity changes during the validity of a certificate may also result in changes of the registration fee.

Certificate License Fee/Assessment License Fee

The certificate/assessment license fee applies per certificate/letter of conformance issued for each standard/add-on and each certification/assessment validity (certification cycle).

The certificate/assessment license fee for producer groups “*Option 2, base level fee*” refers to each certificate or assessment of a producer group. The certificate/assessment license fee for producer groups “*Option 2, producer supplement*” refers to each individual producer group member who is included in the producer group certificate. It is an additional fee component according to the number of producer group members which the producer group shall also pay.

Aquaculture

The hatchery-related fees are flat fees calculated independently from the estimated number of produced organisms. “Seedling – juveniles” refer to: smolt, fingerling, alevin, nauplii, post-larvae, others.

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