

Nordic Swan Ecolabel fees

Valid from January 1st 2024 until further notice

Fees for Inspection of Paper/Board

The fees comprise following paper categories

- Printing paper/board - Basic Module, generation 3*
- Printing paper/board already EU Ecolabelled - Basic Module, generation 3
- Board for Disposables for Food - criteria generation 4
- Board for Liquid Food Packaging - criteria generation 1

* Definition of inspected paper

- Wood containing and wood-free unconverted printing paper produced from chemical and/or mechanical pulp and/or recycled fibre for printing.
- Boards produced from chemical and/or mechanical pulp and/or recycled fibre:
 - Homogenous board SBB (Solid Bleached Board), SBS (Solid Bleached Sulphate) and SUB (Solid Unbleached Board).
 - FBB (Folding Boxboard).
 - Board based on recycled fibre WLC (White Lined Chipboard).
 - Kraftliner, testliner, wellenstoff, semichemical fluting made from NSSC (Neutral Sulphite Semi-Chemical Pulp).

Application fee:

€ 5,000 per paper mill including the pulps made and used only in the same paper mill. Pulps from other pulp mills must be inspected and listed before the application is approved.

Renewal of inspection:

€ 3,500 per paper mill including the pulps made and used only in the same paper mill (Integrated pulp mills). Market pulps from other pulp mills must be inspected and listed before the application is approved.

Annual listing fee:

€ 5,000 per paper mill. A listing fee will not be charged during the year of application.

Listing fees Inspection of board (Disposables for food, criteria generation 4 and Liquid packaging board, criteria generation 1):

Annual administration fee for My Swan Account:

€ 800 per board mill (paperboard for disposables, fluting or kraft liner, liquid packaging board). An administration fee will not be charged during the year of new application.

Annual listing fee at Nordic Swan Ecolabel's website (includes administration fee for MSA):

€ 5,000 per board mill. A listing fee will not be charged during the year of new application.



Inspection of market pulps (including fluff pulps)

Application fee:

New application: 3,500 per production site for market pulps and fluff pulps.

Renewal of inspection:

€ 2,500 per production site for market pulps and fluff pulps.

Listing fees:

All market pulps must be listed in MSA.

Annual listing fee in My Swan Account for market pulps/fluff pulps:

€ 800 per production site. A listing fee will not be charged during the year of new application for inspection.

Annual listing fee on the Nordic Swan Ecolabel website (includes listing fee in MSA):

€ 2,500 per production site. A listing fee will not be charged during the year of new application for inspection.

Pre-inspection of chemicals

Free of charge.

Time related fee for application or extension for inspected paper/board and pulps

Standard fees are available from product group web-sight for paper related product groups. <https://www.nordic-swan-ecolabel.org/criteria/printing-companies-and-printed-matter-041/>

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