

PCT Fee Tables

(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

The following Tables show the amounts and currencies of the main PCT fees which are payable to the receiving Offices (ROs) and the International Preliminary Examining Authorities (IPEAs) during the international phase under Chapter I (Tables I(a) and I(b)) and under Chapter II (Table II). Fees which are payable only in particular circumstances are not shown; nor are details of certain reductions and refunds which may be available; such information can be found in the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annexes C, D and E. Note that all amounts are subject to change due to variations in the fees themselves or fluctuations in exchange rates. The international filing fee may be reduced by CHF 100, 200 or 300 where the international application, or part of the international application, is filed in electronic form, as prescribed under Item 3(a), (b), (c) and (d) of the Schedule of Fees (annexed to the Regulations under the PCT) and the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, paragraph 202(A). A 90% reduction in the international filing fee (including the fee per sheet over 30) and the handling fee, as well as an exemption from the transmittal fee payable to the International Bureau as receiving Office, is also available to applicants from certain States—see footnotes 2 and 12. (Note that if the CHF 100, 200 or 300 reduction, as the case may be, and the 90% reduction are applicable, the 90% reduction is calculated **after** the CHF 100, 200 or 300 reduction.) The footnotes to the Fee Tables follow Table II.

Key to abbreviations used in fee tables:

eq	equivalent of –	BGL	Bulgarian lev	GEL	Georgian lari	LVL	Latvian lat	SEK	Swedish krona
IPEA	International Preliminary Examining Authority	BHD	Bahraini dinar	GHC	Ghanaian cedi	LYD	Libyan dinar	SGD	Singapore dollar
ISA	International Searching Authority	BRR	Brazilian real	HRK	Croatian kuna	MAD	Moroccan dirham	SKK	Slovak koruna
RO	receiving Office	BYR	Belarussian rouble	HUF	Hungarian forint	MKD	Macedonian denar	TJS	Tajik somoni
		BZD	Belize dollar	IDR	Indonesian rupiah	MWK	Malawian kwacha	TND	Tunisian dinar
		CAD	Canadian dollar	ILS	New Israel shekel	MXP	Mexican peso	TTD	Trinidad and Tobago dollar
		CHF	Swiss franc	INR	Indian rupee	MYR	Malaysian ringgit	UAH	Ukrainian hryvnia
Currencies:		CNY	Yuan renminbi	ISK	Icelandic krona	NOK	Norwegian krone	USD	US dollar
		COP	Colombian peso	JPY	Japanese yen	NZD	New Zealand dollar	VND	Vietnamese dong
AED	United Arab Emirates dirham	CUC	Cuban convertible peso	KES	Kenyan shilling	PGK	Kina	XAF	CFA franc BEAC
ALL	Albanian lek	CZK	Czech koruna	KGS	Kyrgyz som	PHP	Philippine peso	ZAR	South African rand
AMD	Armenian dram	DKK	Danish krone	KPW	KP won	PLZ	Polish zloty	ZWD	Zimbabwe dollar
AUD	Australian dollar	DZD	Algerian dinar	KRW	KR won	ROL	Romanian leu		
AZM	Azerbaijani manat	EEK	Estonian kroon	KZT	Kazakh tenge	RSD	Serbian dinar		
BAM	Convertible mark	EUR	Euro	LSL	Lesotho loti	RUR	Russian rouble		
		GBP	Pound sterling	LTL	Lithuanian litas	SDP	Sudanese pound		

Table I(a) — Transmittal and international filing fees

(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1,2} (CHF 1,330)		Fee per sheet over 30 ^{1,2,3} (CHF 15)	E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ⁴
						Items 3(a) ⁵ and (b) ⁶ (CHF 100)	Item 3(c) ⁷ (CHF 200)	Item 3(d) ⁸ (CHF 300)	
AG	Information not yet available								
AL	ALL	9,000	CHF	1,330	15	–	–	–	EP
AM	AMD	32,000	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP RU
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)	
AP	USD	50	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	AT EP SE
	(or eq in local currency)		(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)	
AT	EUR	50	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP
AU	AUD	150	AUD	1,353	15	102	204	305	AU
			(from 1.1.09	1,510)	(17)	(114)	(227)	(341)	
AZ	AZM	55,000	USD	1,338	15	–	–	–	EP RU
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(–)	(–)	(–)	
BA	BAM	50	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP
BE	EUR	40	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP
BG	BGL	80	BGL eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP RU
BH	BHD	70	USD	1,338	15	–	–	–	AT EP US
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(–)	(–)	(–)	
BR	BRR	305	BRR eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	AT EP SE US
BW	USD ⁹	–	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)	
BY	BYR eq USD	70	USD	1,338	15	–	–	–	EP RU
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(–)	(–)	(–)	
BZ	BZD	300	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	CA EP
			(from 1.1.09	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)	

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Table I(a) — Transmittal and international filing fees [continued]

(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1,2}		Fee per sheet over 30 ^{1,2,3}		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ⁴
							Items 3(a) ⁵ and (b) ⁶	Item 3(c) ⁷	Item 3(d) ⁸	
CA	CAD	300	CAD	1,289		15	97	194	291	CA
CH	CHF	100	CHF	1,330		15	100	–	–	EP
CN	CNY	500	CNY	eq CHF 1,330		eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	CN
CO	COP ⁹	–	COP	eq USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		eq USD 15 (14)	eq USD 101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT, EP, ES, RU
CR	USD	250	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP ES
CU	CUC	200	CUC	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT EP ES RU
CY	EUR	128.15	EUR	848		10	–	–	–	EP
CZ	CZK	1,500	EUR	848		10	64	–	–	EP
DE	EUR	90	EUR	848		10	64	128	191	EP
DK	DKK	1,500	DKK	6,320		70	480	950	1,430	EP SE XN
DM	Information not yet available									
DO	USD	275	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP ES US
DZ	DZD	None	CHF	1,330		15	100	–	–	AT EP
EA	RUR	1,600	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU
EC	USD ⁹	–	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP ES
EE	EEK	1,800	EEK	eq CHF 1,330		eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP
EG	USD	142	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT EP US
EP	EUR	110	EUR	848		10	–	128	191	EP
ES	EUR	69.25	EUR	848		10	64	128	191	EP ES
FI	EUR	135	EUR	848		10	–	128	191	EP FI SE
FR	EUR	60	EUR	848		10	64	128	191	EP
GB	GBP	55	GBP	675		8	51	101	152	EP
GD	Information not yet available									
GE	GEL ¹⁰	10	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU
GH	GHC ¹¹	2,500 or 5,000	USD	1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)		15 (14)	– (–)	– (–)	– (–)	AT AU CN EP SE
GR	EUR	115	EUR	848		10	64	–	–	EP
GT	Information not yet available									
HN	Information not yet available									
HR	HRK	200	HRK	eq CHF 1,330		eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP
HU	HUF	10,700	HUF	eq CHF 1,330		eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP RU

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Table I(a) — Transmittal and international filing fees [continued]

(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1,2}		Fee per sheet over 30 ^{1,2,3}		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ⁴
							Items 3(a) ⁵ and (b) ⁶	Item 3(c) ⁷	Item 3(d) ⁸	
IB	CHF ¹²	100	CHF	1,330	15	100	200	300	See footnote 13	
	or EUR ¹²	64	or EUR	848	10	64	128	191		
	or USD ¹²	101	or USD	1,338	15	101	201	302		
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(182)	(273)		
ID	IDR	1,000,000	IDR eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	AU EP KR RU	
IE	EUR	76	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP	
IL	ILS	503	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP US	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
IN	INR	8,000 (filing by indiv: 2,000)	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	AT AU CN EP SE US	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
IS	ISK	7,700	ISK	101,400	1,100	7,600	–	–	EP SE XN	
IT	EUR	30.99	EUR	848	10	–	–	–	EP	
JP	JPY	13,000	JPY	133,400	1,500	10,000	–	30,100	EP JP	
KE	USD (or KES equiv) ²⁵⁰ plus cost of mailing		USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	AT AU CN EP SE	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
KG	KGS eq USD	100	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP RU	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
KM	Information not yet available									
KN	Information not yet available									
KP	KPW eq CHF	50	KPW eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	AT CN RU	
KR	KRW	45,000	KRW	1,327,000	15,000	100,000	–	299,000	AT AU JP ¹⁴ KR	
KZ	KZT	7,360	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP RU	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
LR	USD	45	USD	1,338	15	–	–	–	AT AU CN EP SE	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(–)	(–)	(–)		
LS	LSL ⁹	–	LSL eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT EP	
LT	LTL	320	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP RU	
LU	EUR	19	EUR	848	10	–	–	–	EP	
LV	LVL	47.20	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP RU	
LY	LYD ⁹	–	CHF	1,330	15	100	–	–	AT EP	
MA		None	CHF	1,330	15	–	–	–	AT EP RU SE	
MC	EUR	54 ¹⁵	EUR	848	10	–	–	–	EP	
MD	USD	40	USD	1,338	15	101	–	–	EP RU	
			(from 1.1.09:	1,210)	(14)	(91)	(–)	(–)		
MK	MKD	2,700	MKD eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP	
MN		None	CHF	1,330	15	100	–	–	EP KR RU	
MT	EUR	55	EUR	848	10	64	–	–	EP	
MW	MWK	6,000	MWK	182,500	2,100	13,700	–	–	EP	
MX	MXP eq USD	323.70	MXP eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP ES SE US	
MY	MYR	375 ¹⁶	MYR eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AU EP KR	

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Table I(a) — Transmittal and international filing fees [continued]

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						Items 3(a) ⁵ and (b) ⁶	Item 3(c) ⁷	Item 3(d) ⁸	
NI	USD	200	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP ES	
NL	EUR	50	EUR 848	10	64	128	191	EP	
NO	NOK	550	NOK 6,820	80	510	–	–	EP SE XN	
NZ	NZD	180 ¹⁷	NZD 1,704	19	128	–	–	AU EP KR US	
OA	XAF ⁹	–	XAF eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT EP RU SE	
PG	PGK	250	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AU	
PH	PHP	3,500	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	201 (182)	302 (273)	AU EP JP KR US	
PL	PLZ	300	PLZ eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	EP	
PT	EUR	34.34	EUR 848	10	64	–	–	EP	
RO	ROL	300,000	CHF 1,330	15	100	200	300	EP RU	
RS	RSD	3,000	RSD eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	–	–	EP	
RU	RUR	600	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU	
SC	USD ⁹	–	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	– (–)	– (–)	– (–)	EP	
SD	SDP	50	SDP eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	EP	
SE	SEK	1,200	SEK 7,960	90	600	1,200	1,790	EP SE	
SG	SGD	150	SGD 1,845 (from 1.12.08: 1,708)	21 (19)	139 (128)	– (–)	– (–)	AT AU EP KR	
SI	EUR	91	EUR 848	10	64	–	–	EP	
SK	SKK	2,000	SKK eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	eq CHF 100	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	EP	
SM	EUR	50	EUR 848	10	–	–	–	EP	
SV	USD	200	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP ES	
SY	USD ⁹	–	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT EP RU	
TJ	TJS ⁹	–	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	– (–)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU	
TM	USD ⁹	–	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU	
TN	TND ⁹	–	CHF 1,330	15	–	–	–	EP	
TR	CHF	100	CHF 1,330	15	100	–	–	EP	
TT	TTD	750	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT EP SE US	
UA	UAH	255	USD (or eq UAH) 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	– (–)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU	
US	USD	300	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	201 (182)	– (–)	EP KR US	
UZ	USD ⁹	–	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	EP RU	
VC	Information not yet available								

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				Items 3(a) ⁵ and (b) ⁶	Item 3(c) ⁷	Item 3(d) ⁸	
VN	VND eq USD 150	VND eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT AU EP KR RU SE
ZA	ZAR 500	ZAR 10,030	110	750	–	–	AT AU EP US
ZM	USD 50	USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	15 (14)	– (–)	– (–)	– (–)	AT SE
ZW	ZWD 6,000	ZWD eq USD 1,338 (from 1.1.09: 1,210)	eq USD 15 (14)	eq USD 101 (91)	– (–)	– (–)	AT AU CN EP RU

Table I(b) — Search fees

(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

ISA	Search fee ¹									
AT	EUR 200	CHF 330	KRW 306,000	SGD 420	USD 314	ZAR 2,380				
AU	AUD 1,600 USD*** 1,514 * (from 1.1.09: CHF 1,425 ** (from 15.12.08: EUR 919 *** (from 1.12.08: USD 1,302)	CHF* 1,594 ZAR* 11,640 CHF 1,425 EUR 919 USD 1,302	EUR** 987 SGD 1,870	KRW 1,590,000 ZAR 10,540	NZD 2,029	SGD* 2,084				
CA	CAD 1,600	CHF 1,587	EUR 995	USD 1,597						
CN	CNY 2,100	CHF 328	EUR 199	USD 280						
EP ¹⁸	EUR 1,700 MWK 344,000 ZAR* 20,650 * (from 1.1.09: USD 2,410	CHF 2,726 NOK 13,440 USD 2,410	DKK 12,670 NZD 3,395 ZAR 19,450	GBP 1,352 SEK 15,830	ISK 207,000 SGD 3,530	JPY 268,800 USD* 2,665				
ES ¹⁸	EUR 1,700 * (from 1.1.09: USD 2,410)	CHF 2,726 USD 2,410	USD* 2,665							
FI	EUR 1,700	CHF 2,726	USD 2,665							
JP	JPY 97,000 * (from 1.1.09: KRW 1,331,000)	CHF 926 KRW 1,331,000	EUR 600	KRW* 924,000	USD 949					
KR	KRW 225,000 * (from 15.1.09: SGD 267)	CHF 226 SGD 267	EUR 148	NZD 289	SGD* 320	USD 220				
RU ¹⁹	USD 500	CHF 507	EUR 319							
SE	SEK 15,830 USD* 2,665 * (from 1.1.09: USD 2,410)	CHF 2,726 USD 2,410	DKK 12,670	EUR 1,700	ISK 207,000	NOK 13,440				
US	USD 1,800 * (from 1.1.09: CHF 1,978 ** (from 15.12.08: EUR 1,225)	CHF* 1,789 CHF 1,978 EUR 1,225	EUR** 1,154 NZD 2,700	NZD* 2,370	ZAR 14,000					
XN	DKK 12,670 * (from 1.1.09: ISK 207,000)	CHF 2,726 ISK 207,000	EUR 1,700	ISK* 192,000	NOK 13,440	USD 2,665				

Table II — Preliminary examination fees
(amounts on 1 November 2008, unless otherwise indicated)

IPEA	Preliminary examination fee²⁰		Handling fee^{2, 20} (CHF 200)	
AT	EUR	200		EUR 121
AU	AUD	550	780 ²¹	AUD 196
CA	CAD	800		CAD 171
CN	CNY	1,500		CNY eq CHF 200
EP¹⁸	EUR	1,675		EUR 121
ES	EUR	544.44		EUR 121
FI	EUR	550		EUR 121
JP	JPY	36,000		JPY 19,600
KR	KRW	225,000		KRW 157,000
RU¹⁹	USD	200 ²²	300 ²³	USD 171
SE	SEK	5,000		SEK 1,110
US	USD	600	750 ²⁴	USD 171
XN	DKK	5,000		DKK 900

Footnotes to fee tables:

- 1 Payable to the receiving Office in the currency or one of the currencies prescribed by it.
- 2 This fee is reduced by 90% where the applicant or, if there are two or more applicants, each applicant fulfills the criteria indicated on the PCT Resources page at: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees/fee_reduction.pdf
- 3 Where the PCT application as filed contains a sequence listing part in computer readable form only, or both in that form and on paper, under Section 801 of the Administrative Instructions under the PCT, and where that application is filed with a receiving Office which is prepared to accept such filings, a fixed component of 400 times the fee per sheet over 30 is payable for the sequence listing part, irrespective of the actual length of that part (see Section 803(ii) of the *Administrative Instructions*).
- 4 For the search fee payable to the receiving Office, consult the entry in Table I(b) for the competent International Searching Authority.
- 5 If the international application is filed on paper together with a copy in electronic form, in character coded format, of the request and the abstract.
- 6 If the international application is filed in electronic form, the request not being in character coded format.
- 7 If the international application is filed in electronic form, the request being in character coded format.
- 8 If the international application is filed in electronic form, the request, description, claims and abstract being in character coded format.
- 9 The amounts are not yet known or, where known, are subject to periodical revision. The Office or the agent should be consulted for the latest applicable schedule of fees.
- 10 This fee is reduced by 80% where the applicant is a natural person.
- 11 The first amount of the transmittal fee is applicable to individuals or entities employing less than 25 persons. The second amount is applicable to entities employing 25 persons or more.
- 12 This fee is not payable in respect of international applications filed by applicants fulfilling the conditions indicated on the PCT Resources page at: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees/fee_reduction.pdf
- 13 The competent International Searching Authority(ies) for an international application filed with the International Bureau as receiving Office is (are) the Authority(ies) which would have been competent if the international application had been filed with the receiving Office of, or acting for, the Contracting State of which the applicant (or any of the applicants) is a resident or national. See also *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annex C (IB).
- 14 The Japan Patent Office is competent only for international applications in Japanese.
- 15 Plus EUR 1.50 for the preparation of additional copies, for each page and each copy.
- 16 Plus MYR 45 for each sheet in excess of 30.
- 17 Plus 12.5% GST (Goods and Services Tax) for New Zealand residents.
- 18 The search fee payable to the EPO and the Spanish Patent and Trademark Office, as well as the preliminary examination fee payable to the EPO, are reduced by 75% under certain conditions, in accordance with the decision of the EPO's Administrative Council of 11 October 2000 (OJ EPO 2000, page 446, available at: www.european-patent-office.org/epo/pubs/oj000/10_00/10_4460.pdf). For a more detailed explanation of those conditions, together with a list of the States whose nationals and residents are entitled to this reduction, see: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees/epo_fee_reduction.html
- 19 The applicant may, instead of paying the USD amount, pay the equivalent amount in RUR at the exchange rate applicable, on the date of payment, at the Central Bank of the Russian Federation, provided that, in the case of the search fee, the receiving Office accepts payment in RUR.
- 20 Payable to the International Preliminary Examining Authority in the currency or one of the currencies prescribed by it.
- 21 Payable when the international search report was not issued by the Australian Patent Office.
- 22 Payable when the international search report was established by the Federal Service for Intellectual Property, Patents and Trademarks (Russian Federation).
- 23 In all cases where footnote 22 does not apply.
- 24 Payable when the international search was not carried out by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) (provided that the USPTO is a competent International Preliminary Examining Authority in the particular case—see *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annex C (US)).