

PCT Fee Tables (amounts on 1 June 2023, 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 4(a), (b) and (c) of the Schedule of Fees (annexed to the Regulations under the PCT) and the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, paragraph 5.189. A 90% reduction in the international filing fee (including the fee per sheet over 30), the supplementary search handling fee 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—refer to footnotes 2 and 14. (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 –	BRL	Brazilian real	HUF	Hungarian forint	MKD	Macedonian denar	SYP	Syrian pounds
IA	international application	BYN	Belarusian rouble	IDR	Indonesian rupiah	MUR	Mauritian rupee	THB	Baht
IPEA	International Preliminary Examining Authority	BZD	Belize dollar	ILS	New Israeli sheqel	MWK	Malawian kwacha	TJS	Tajik somoni
ISA	International Searching Authority	CAD	Canadian dollar	INR	Indian rupee	MYR	Malaysian ringgit	TND	Tunisian dinar
ISR	international search report	CHF	Swiss franc	IQD	Iraqi dinar	NOK	Norwegian krone	TRY	Turkish lira
RO	receiving Office	CLP	Chilean peso	IRR	Iranian rial	NZD	New Zealand dollar	TTD	Trinidad and Tobago dollar
		CNY	Yuan renminbi	ISK	Icelandic krona	OMR	Omani rial	UAH	Ukrainian hryvnia
		COP	Colombian peso	JMD	Jamaican dollar	PEN	Nuevo sol	UGX	Uganda shilling
		CUP	Cuban peso	JOD	Jordanian dinar	PGK	Kina	USD	US dollar
		CVE	Cabo Verde escudo	JPY	Japanese yen	PHP	Philippine peso	UZS	Uzbek sum
		CZK	Czech koruna	KES	Kenyan shilling	PLN	Polish zloty	VND	Vietnamese dong
		DJF	Djibouti franc	KGS	Kyrgyz som	QAR	Qatari riyal	XAF	CFA franc BEAC
		AMD	Armenian dram	DKK	Danish krone	RON	New leu	XCD	East Caribbean dollar
		AUD	Australian dollar	DZD	Algerian dinar	KPW	Won (KP)	RSD	Serbian dinar
		AZN	Azerbaijani manat	EGP	Egyptian pound	KRW	Won (KR)	RUB	Russian rouble
		BAM	Convertible mark	EUR	Euro	KZT	Kazakh tenge	SAT	Samoa tala
		BGN	Bulgarian lev	GBP	Pound sterling	LSL	Lesotho loti	SDG	Sudanese pound
		BHD	Bahraini dinar	GHS	Ghanaian cedi	LYD	Libyan dinar	SEK	Swedish krona
		BND	Brunei dollar	HRK	Croatian kuna	MAD	Moroccan dirham	SGD	Singapore dollar

Table I(a) — Transmittal and international filing fees
(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1, 2} (CHF 1,330)		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ³	
					Fee per sheet over 30 ^{1, 2} (CHF 15)	Item 4(a) ⁴ (CHF 100)	Item 4(b) ⁵ (CHF 200)		Item 4(c) ⁶ (CHF 300)
AL	ALL	9,000	CHF	1,330	15	–	200	300	EP
AM	AMD	32,000	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	EA EP RU
AP	USD	50 (or eq in local currency)	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	AT EP SE
AT	EUR	52	EUR	1,378	16	–	207	311	EP
AU	AUD	200	AUD	2,088 (from 1.7.23: 2,247)	24 (25)	– (–)	314 (338)	471 (507)	AU KR
AZ	AZN	30	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	EA EP RU
BA	BAM	50	EUR	1,378	16	–	–	–	EP
BG	BGN	80	EUR	1,378	16	–	207	311	EP RU
BH	BHD	70	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	AT EP US
BN	BND	150	BND	eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AU EP JP KR SG
BR	BRL ⁷ online: on paper: ⁸	175 260	BRL	eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AT BR EP SE US
BW	USD	32	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	EP
BY	BYN	90.65	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	EA EP RU
BZ	BZD	300	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	CA EP
CA	CA	315.77	CAD	1,956	22	–	294	441	CA
CH	CHF	100	CHF	1,330	15	–	200	300	EP
CL	CLP eq USD ⁹	130	CLP	eq USD ⁹ 1,435	eq USD ⁹ 16	–	eq USD ⁹ 216	eq USD ⁹ 324	CL EP ES KR US
CN	CNY	none	CNY	9,620 (from 1.7.23: 10,350)	110 (120)	– (–)	1,450 (1,560)	2,170 (2,340)	CN EP ¹⁰
CO	COP online: on paper:	419,640 503,470	COP	eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AT BR CL EP ES KR RU
CR	USD online: on paper:	237 289	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	CL EP ES

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

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1, 2}		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ³		
					Item 4(a) ⁴	Item 4(b) ⁵	Item 4(c) ⁶			
CU	CUP	2,400	CUP eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF	15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AT BR CL EP ES RU
CV	EUR	– ¹¹	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	BR EP KR
CY	EUR	191	EUR	1,378		16	–	–	–	EP
CZ	CZK	1,500	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP XV
DE	EUR	90	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
DJ	USD	none	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT EG EP
	or eq DJF									
DK	DKK	1,500	DKK	10,250		120	–	1,540	2,310	EP SE XN
DO	USD	360	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	CL EP ES US
DZ	DZD	10,000	CHF	1,330		15	–	200	300	AT EP
EA	RUB	2,000	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	EA EP RU
			or EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	
EC	USD	300	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	CL EP ES
EE	EUR	120	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
EG	USD	142	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT EG EP US
EP	EUR	145	EUR	1,378		16	104	207	311	EP
ES	EUR	75.75	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP ES
FI	EUR	135	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP FI SE
FR	EUR	62	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
GB	GBP	75	GBP	1,200		14	–	181	271	EP
GD	Information not yet available									
GE	USD ¹²	100	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT EP IL RU US
GH	GHS ¹³	2,500 or 5,000	USD	1,435		16	–	–	–	AT AU CN EP SE
GR	EUR	115	EUR	1,378		16	–	–	–	EP
HN	USD	200	USD	1,435		16	–	–	–	EP ES
HR	EUR	26.54	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
HU	HUF	11,800	HUF	518,700		5,900	–	78,000	117,000	EP XV
IB	CHF ¹⁴	100	CHF	1,330		15	100	200	300	Refer to footnote 15
	or EUR ¹⁴	104	or EUR	1,378		16	104	207	311	
	or USD ¹⁴	108	or USD	1,435		16	108	216	324	
ID	IDR	1,000,000	IDR eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF	15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AU EP JP KR RU SG
IE	EUR	76	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
IL	ILS	596	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	EP IL US
IN	Paper filings:		USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT AU CN EP IN JP
	INR	3,500 ¹⁶								SE US
	INR	17,600 ¹⁷								
	No fee for e-filings									
IQ	IQD	77,075	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AU CA EG EP TR
	or USD	55								
IR	IRR	50,000	IRR eq CHF	1,330	eq CHF	15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	CN EP IN RU
	(natural persons)									
	IRR	500,000								
	(legal persons)									
IS	ISK	18,200	ISK	195,300		2,200	–	29,400	44,100	EP SE XN
IT	EUR	30.99	EUR	1,378		16	–	207	311	EP
JM	JMD	8,500	JMD eq USD	1,435	eq USD	16	–	eq USD 216	eq USD 324	AT AU CA EP
JO	JOD	100	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT AU EP US
JP	JPY	17,000 ¹⁸	JPY	195,000		2,200	–	–	44,000	EP IN JP SG
KE	USD 250 or KES 5,000		USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	AT AU CN EP SE
	plus cost of mailing									
KG	KGS	4,000 ¹⁹	USD	1,435		16	–	216	324	EA EP RU
KH	KHR	420,000	USD	1,435		16	–	–	–	CN EP JP KR SG

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

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1, 2}		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ³
					Item 4(a) ⁴	Item 4(b) ⁵	Item 4(c) ⁶	
KN	XCD	50	XCD eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	EP US
KP	KPW eq CHF	50	KPW eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT CN RU
KR	KRW	45,000	CHF 1,330	15	–	–	300	AT AU JP ²⁰ KR SG
KZ	KZT	10,264.80	USD 1,435	16	–	–	–	EP RU
LR	USD	50	USD 1,435	16	–	–	–	AT AU CN EP SE
LS	LSL	– ²¹	LSL eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT EP
LT	EUR	92	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP XV
LU	EUR	19	EUR 1,378	16	–	–	–	EP
LV	EUR	70	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP
LY	LYD	– ²¹	CHF 1,330	15	–	(from 3.7.23: 200)	(from 3.7.23: 300)	AT EP
MA	MAD	none	CHF 1,330	15	–	200	300	AT EP RU SE
MD	EUR	100	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	EP RU
MK	MKD	2,700	MKD eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	200	300	EP
MN		None	CHF 1,330	15	–	–	–	EP KR RU
MT	EUR	55	EUR 1,378	16	–	–	–	EP
MU	MUR	5,000	MUR eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	EP
MW	MWK	6,000	USD 1,435	16	–	–	–	EP
MX	USD	93.87 ²² (natural persons)	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	AT CL EP ES KR SE SG US
	USD	375.50 ²¹ (legal persons)						
MY	MYR	550 ²³	MYR eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AU EP JP KR
NI	USD	200	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	EP ES
NL	EUR	50	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP
NO	NOK	800	NOK 14,570 (from 1.7.23: 15,950)	160 (180)	–	2,190 (2,400)	3,290 (3,600)	EP SE XN
NZ	NZD	207	NZD 2,249 (from 1.8.23: 2,387)	25 (27)	–	338 (359)	507 (539)	AU EP KR US
OA	XAF	– ²¹	XAF eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	–	–	AT EP RU SE
OM	OMR	40	OMR eq USD 1,435	eq USD 16	–	eq USD 216	eq USD 324	ATAUEGEP US
PA	USD	240	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	BR CL EP ES US
PE	PEN	233.35	PEN eq USD 1,435	eq USD 16	–	eq USD 216	eq USD 324	ATBRCL EPESKRUS
PG	PGK	250	USD 1,435	16	–	–	–	AU
PH	PHP	4,200	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	AU EP JP KR PH US
PL	PLN	300	PLN eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	EP XV
PT	EUR online:	10.91	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP
	on paper:	21.82						
QA	QAR	400	QAR eq USD 1,435	eq USD 16	–	eq USD 216	eq USD 324	EG EP US
RO	RON	495	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP RU
RS	RSD	8,210 ²⁴	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP XV
RU	RUB	1,700	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	EA EP RU
RW	Information not yet available							
SA	USD	100	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	CA CN EG EP JP KR RU SG US
SC	USD	– ²¹	USD 1,435	16	–	–	–	EP
SD	SDG	50	SDG eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	EG EP
SE	SEK	1,200	SEK 15,010	170	–	2,260	3,390	EP SE XN
SG	SGD	150	SGD 1,932	22	–	291	436	AT AU EP JP KR SG
SI	EUR	91	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP
SK	EUR on paper:	66 ²⁵	EUR 1,378	16	–	207	311	EP XV
SV		none ²⁶	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	CL EP ES
SY	SYP	5,000	USD 1,435	16	–	216	324	AT EG EP RU

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

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

RO	Transmittal fee ¹		International filing fee ^{1, 2}		E-filing reductions according to Schedule of Fees:			Competent ISA(s) ³	
					Item 4(a) ⁴	Item 4(b) ⁵	Item 4(c) ⁶		
TH	THB	3,000	THB	eq CHF 1,330	eq CHF 15	–	eq CHF 200	eq CHF 300	AU CN EP JP KR SG US
TJ	TJS	– ²¹	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	EA EP RU
TM	USD	– ²¹	USD	1,435	16	–	–	–	EA EP RU
TN	TND	100	CHF	1,330	15	–	200	300	EP
TR		none	CHF	1,330	15	–	200	300	EP TR
TT	TTD	750	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	AT CL EP SE SG US
UA	UAH (or eq EUR or USD) ²⁷	2,600	USD (or eq UAH or EUR)	1,435	16	–	–	–	EP UA
UG	UGX	refer to Office	UGX	eq USD 1,435	eq USD 16	–	eq USD 216	eq USD 324	AT EP SG
US	USD	260 ²⁸ small entity ²⁹ : 104 ²⁸ micro entity ²⁹ : 52 ²⁸	USD	1,435	16	108	216	–	AU EP IL JP KR SG US
UZ	UZS	245,000 ³⁰	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	EP RU
VN	VND	300,000	CHF	1,330	15	–	200	300	AT AU EP JP KR RU SE SG
WS	SAT	200	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	EP PH
ZA	ZAR	525	ZAR	25,920 (from 1.8.23: 28,990)	290 (330)	– (–)	3,900 (4,360)	5,850 (6,540)	AT AU EP US
ZM	USD	50	USD	1,435	16	–	216	324	AT SE
ZW	ZWD	6,000	ZWD	eq USD 1,435	eq USD 16	–	–	–	AT AU CN EP RU

Table I(b) — Search fees

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

ISA	Search fee ¹											
AT ³¹	EUR	1,775	CHF	1,713	KRW*	2,367,000	SGD	2,488	USD	1,875	ZAR	34,300
		*(from 1.7.23: KRW 2,572,000)										
AU	AUD	2,200	CHF*	1,401	EUR*	1,452	KRW	1,864,000	NZD	2,340	SGD	2,036
	USD	1,523	ZAR	26,950								
		*(from 1.7.23: CHF 1,302 EUR 1,345)										
BR ⁷	Online:		BRL	1,685	CHF	307	EUR	319	USD*	311		
	*(from 1.7.23:								USD	334)		
	On paper:		BRL	2,525	CHF	461	EUR	477	USD*	466		
	*(from 1.7.23:								USD	500)		
CA	CAD	1,684.12	CHF	1,145	EUR	1,175	USD	1,226				
CL	USD	2,000	CHF	1,853	EUR	1,894						
	In case of filing by a natural person or a legal entity ² :				USD	400	CHF	371	EUR	379		
	In case of filing by a university ³² :				USD	300	CHF	278	EUR	284		
CN	CNY	2,100	CHF*	290	EUR	283	USD	294				
	*(from 1.7.23:		CHF	270)								
EA	For searches carried out in Russian:		RUB	9,000	CHF	108	EUR	109	USD	115		
	For searches carried out in English:		RUB	40,000	CHF	479	EUR	485	USD	512		
EG ³³	EGP	4,000	CHF	121	EUR	121	USD	132				
EP ³⁴	EUR	1,775	CHF	1,713	DKK	13,200	GBP	1,546	HUF	690,700	ISK	271,000
	JPY	251,100	NOK	19,970	NZD	3,064	SEK	19,330	SGD	2,488	USD	1,875
	ZAR	34,300										
ES ³⁴	EUR	1,775	CHF	1,713	USD	1,875						
FI	EUR	1,775	CHF	1,713	USD	1,875						
IL	ILS	3,820	CHF*	1,010	EUR*	1,024	USD	1,075				
	*(from 1.7.23:		CHF	934	EUR	948)						

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Table I(b) — Search fees [continued]
(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

ISA	Search fee ¹											
IN	INR	10,000	CHF	113	EUR	114	JPY	16,000	USD	121		
	In case of filing by an individual:											
	INR	2,500	CHF	28	EUR	28	JPY	4,000	USD	30		
JP ³⁵	For IAs in Japanese:											
	JPY	143,000	CHF	975	EUR	1,011	KRW	1,434,000	USD	1,080		
For IAs in English:												
	JPY	169,000	CHF	1,153	EUR	1,195	SGD	1,674	USD	1,277		
KR ³⁶	For IAs in Korean:											
	KRW	450,000	AUD	531	CHF	315	EUR*	336	NZD	547		
	SGD*	484	USD	347								
	*(from 1.7.23: EUR 312 SGD 456)											
	For IAs in English:											
	KRW	1,200,000	AUD	1,416	CHF	840	EUR*	897	NZD	1,460		
	SGD*	1,290	USD	924								
*(from 1.7.23: EUR 831 SGD 1,215)												
PH	USD	600	CHF	561	EUR	564						
	Small entity or government ³⁷ :											
	USD	200	CHF	187	EUR	188						
RU	For IAs in Russian:											
	RUB	8,500	CHF	102	EUR	103	USD	109				
For IAs in English:												
	RUB	40,000	CHF	479	EUR	485	USD	512				
SE	SEK	19,330	CHF	1,713	DKK	13,200	EUR	1,775	ISK	271,000	NOK	19,970
	USD	1,875										
SG	SGD	2,240	CHF	1,542	EUR	1,598	JPY	226,000	KRW*	2,074,000	USD	1,664
	*(from 1.7.23: KRW 2,218,000)											
TR	TRY	32,210	CHF	1,713	EUR	1,775	USD	1,875				
UA	For IAs in Ukrainian or Russian:											
	EUR	100	CHF	96	USD	106						
For IAs in English, French or German:												
	EUR	300	CHF	289	USD	317						
US	USD	2,180	CHF	2,020	EUR	2,064	NZD	3,400	ZAR	39,210		
	For small entity ²⁹ :											
		USD	872	CHF	808	EUR	826	NZD	1,360	ZAR	15,680	
For micro entity ²⁹ :												
	USD	436	CHF	404	EUR	413	NZD	680	ZAR	7,840		
XN	DKK	13,200	CHF	1,713	EUR	1,775	ISK	271,000	NOK	19,970	SEK	19,330
	USD	1,875										
XV	EUR	1,775	CHF	1,713	HUF	690,700	USD	1,875				

Table I(c) — Supplementary search fees
(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

ISA	Supplementary search fee	Supplementary search handling fee ^{2, 38}
AT	– for a search of German-language documentation:	CHF 820
	– for a search of European and North American documentation:	CHF 1,148
	– for a search of PCT minimum documentation:	CHF 1,640
EP	CHF 1,713 ³⁴	CHF 200
FI	CHF 1,713	CHF 200
RU	CHF 141	CHF 200
	CHF 226 ³⁹	
SE	CHF 1,713	CHF 200
SG	CHF 1,542	CHF 200
TR	– for a full search:	CHF 1,713
	– for a search only of documents in Turkish held in the search collection of the Authority	CHF 47

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Table I(c) — Supplementary search fees [continued]

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

ISA	Supplementary search fee	Supplementary search handling fee ^{2, 40}
UA	– for a search of the documents in the search collection of the Authority, including the PCT minimum documentation: CHF 87	CHF 200
	– for a search of only the European and North American documentation: CHF 87	
	– for a search of only the Russian language documentation of the former USSR and the Ukrainian language documentation: CHF 68	
	– for a search where a declaration referred to in PCT Article 17(2)(a) has been made because of subject matter referred to in PCT Rule 39.1(iv): CHF 58	
XN	– for a full search: CHF 1,713	CHF 200
	– for searches only of documentation in Danish, Icelandic, Norwegian and Swedish: CHF 519	
XV	– for a full search: CHF 1,713	CHF 200
	– for searches only of documentation in Czech, Hungarian, Polish and Slovak: CHF 531	

Table II — Preliminary examination fees

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

IPEA	Preliminary examination fee ⁴¹	Handling fee ^{2, 41} (CHF 200)
AT	EUR 1,749 ³¹	EUR 207
AU	AUD 590 820 ⁴²	AUD 314 (from 1.7.23 : AUD 338)
BR	Online: BRL 630 ⁷ On paper: BRL 945 ^{7,8}	BRL eq CHF 200
CA	CAD 842.06	CAD 294
CL	USD 1,500 in case of filing by a natural person or a legal entity ² : USD 400 in case of filing by a university ³² : USD 300	USD 216
CN	CNY 1,500	CNY 1,450 (from 1.7.23 : CNY 1,560)
EA	Examination carried out in Russian: RUB: 6,750 Examination carried out in English: RUB: 24,000 Where ISR was prepared by Eurasian Patent Office: Examination carried out in Russian: RUB: 4,500 Examination carried out in English: RUB: 16,000	USD 216
EG	EGP 3,000	USD 216
EP	EUR 1,840 ³⁴	EUR 207
ES	EUR 595.37 ³⁴	EUR 207
FI	EUR 600	EUR 207
IL	ILS 1,637	ILS 769 (from 1.7.23: ILS 818)
IN	If ISR prepared by ISA/IN: INR 10,000; in case of filing by individual: INR 2,500 If ISR not prepared by ISA/IN: INR 12,000; in case of filing by individual: INR 3,000	USD 216
JP ³⁵	For IAs in Japanese: JPY 34,000 For IAs in English: JPY 69,000	JPY 29,300
KR	KRW 450,000	KRW 286,000
PH	USD 300 Small entity or government ³⁷ : USD 150	USD 216
RU	For IAs in Russian: RUB 4,500 ⁴³ 6,750 ⁴⁴ For IAs in English: RUB 16,000 ⁴³ 24,000 ⁴⁴	USD 216

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Table II — Preliminary examination fees*[continued]*

(amounts on 1 June 2023, unless otherwise indicated)

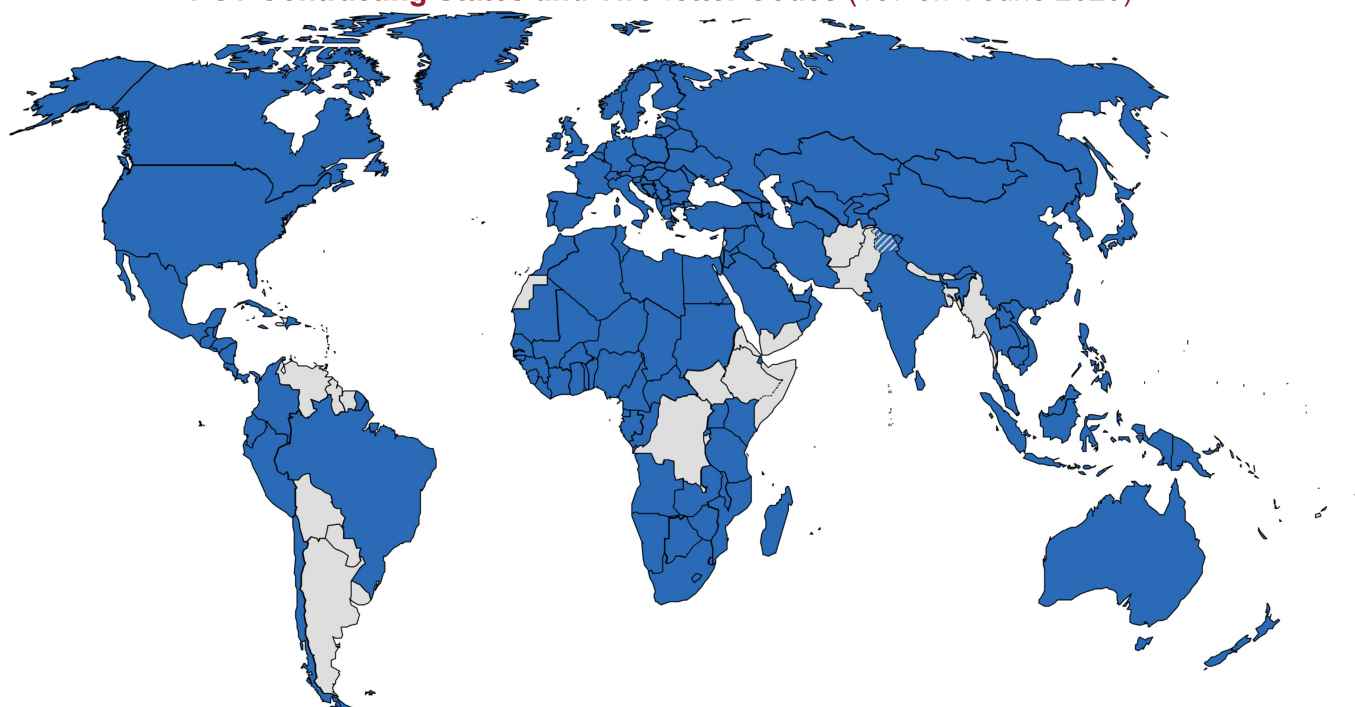
IPEA	Preliminary examination fee⁴⁵			Handling fee^{2, 41}(CHF 200)	
SE	SEK	5,000		SEK	2,260
SG	SGD	830		SGD	291
TR	TRY	1,000		CHF	200
UA	If the ISR has been prepared by ISA/UA:			EUR	207
			– for IAs in English, French or German: EUR	160	
			– for IAs in Russian or Ukrainian: EUR	50	
	If the ISR has been prepared by another ISA:				
			– for IAs in English, French or German: EUR	180	
			– for IAs in Russian or Ukrainian: EUR	70	
US	USD	640	800 ⁴⁶	USD	216
		For small entity ²⁹ :	USD 256 320 ⁴⁶		
		For micro entity ²⁹ :	USD 128 160 ⁴⁶		
XN	DKK	5,000		DKK	1,540
XV	EUR	900		EUR	207

[footnotes to fee tables follow]

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 website at: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees. Note that the PCT Assembly adopted an Understanding, with effect from 11 October 2017, which clarifies that this fee reduction is intended to apply only in the case where the applicants indicated in the request are the sole and true owners of the application and under no obligation to assign, grant, convey or license the rights in the invention to another party which is not eligible for the fee reduction.
- 3 For the search fee payable to the receiving Office, consult the entry in Table I(b) for the competent International Searching Authority.
- 4 If the IA is filed in electronic form, the request not being in character coded format.
- 5 If the IA is filed in electronic form, the request being in character coded format.
- 6 If the IA is filed in electronic form, the request, description, claims and abstract being in character coded format.
- 7 This fee is reduced by 60% where the IA is filed by a natural person, a small or medium-sized enterprise, a cooperative, an academic institution, a non-profit-making entity or a public institution. For further details, refer to Official Resolution of the National Institute of Industrial Property (Brazil) No. 251 of 2 October 2019.
- 8 Paper filings are only accepted if received by mail. For further details, refer to the Official Resolution of the National Institute of Industrial Property (Brazil) No. 253 of 13 November 2019 (<http://revistas.inpi.gov.br/pdf/Comunicados2550.pdf>).
- 9 When calculating the USD equivalent amount in CLP, applicants should use the exchange rate fixed by the Central Bank of Chile on the day before the date of payment.
- 10 The EPO is available as International Searching and Preliminary Examining Authority as of 1 December 2020 for a duration of two years as a pilot project. For further details, please refer to the EPO's website at: <https://www.epo.org/service-support/faq/own-file/cnipa-epo-pilot.html> and to the CNIPA's website at: https://www.cnipa.gov.cn/art/2020/10/20/art_364_153578.html. The pilot project has been extended by one year until 30 November 2023.
- 11 The amount of this fee is not yet known. The Office should be consulted for the applicable fee amount.
- 12 This fee is reduced by 70% where the applicant is a natural person and by 90% where the applicant is a student or a retiree.
- 13 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.
- 14 This fee is not payable in respect of IAs filed by applicants fulfilling the conditions indicated on the PCT website at: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees.
- 15 The competent International Searching Authority(ies) for an IA filed with the International Bureau as receiving Office is (are) the Authority(ies) which would have been competent if the IA 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. Refer also to the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annex C (IB).
- 16 The fee for paper filings for a natural person or startup or small entity(ies).
- 17 The fee for paper filings for other(s), alone or with natural person(s) or startup(s) or small entity(ies).
- 18 This fee is reduced if the application is filed in Japanese by applicants who are eligible for fee reductions, such as small or medium-sized enterprises, micro enterprises and academic institutions. Further details on eligibility for the fee reduction are available at: www.jpo.go.jp/system/process/tesuryo/genmen/genmen20190401/document/index/leaflet_e.pdf.
- 19 This fee is reduced by 90% if the applicant is an individual. The amount does not include the postage/mailling costs which must be paid by the applicant directly to the express delivery service (e.g. DHL). For non-residents of Kyrgyzstan, the equivalent amount of the fee can be paid in a freely convertible currency, in accordance with the exchange rate established by the National Bank of the Kyrgyz Republic and applicable on the date of payment.
- 20 The Japan Patent Office is competent only for IAs filed in Japanese or for which a translation into Japanese has been furnished under PCT Rule 12.3.
- 21 The amount of this fee is not yet known. The Office should be consulted for the applicable fee amount.
- 22 This fee is subject to a national tax of 16%.
- 23 Plus, for paper filings: MYR 5 for one to ten pages, MYR 10 for 11 to 20 pages, MYR 40 for 21 to 50 pages, MYR 60 for 51 pages or more.
- 24 This fee is reduced by 50% where the applicant is a natural person.
- 25 This fee is reduced by 50% for online filings.
- 26 Although there is no transmittal fee payable, the applicant must nevertheless pay the postage fee for the transmittal of the copy of the international application to the International Bureau and the International Searching Authority.
- 27 This fee is reduced by 90% where all applicants are also inventors and by 80% where all applicants are also non-profitable institutions and/or organizations. When the fee is payable with relation to an application made by both types of applicant, and all applicants are either also inventors, or non-profitable institutions and/or organizations, the fee is reduced by 80%.
- 28 Plus non-electronic filing fee portion for IAs filed other than by the Office electronic filing system of USD 400, or in the case of filings by small entities or micro entities: USD 200.
- 29 For further details about entitlement to and establishment of "small entity" status and "micro entity" status, refer to 37 CFR § 1.27 and 1.29 (pages R-41 and R-47), respectively, at: www.uspto.gov/web/offices/pac/mpep/consolidated_rules.pdf.
- 30 Reductions may apply – for further details refer to the Office's website at: <http://ima.uz/ru/regulatory/tarify-i-poshliny/>.
- 31 The fee is reduced by 75% where the applicant, or if there are two or more applicants, each applicant is a natural person and is a national of and resides in a State for which the Austrian Patent Office is an International Searching Authority (in the case of the search fee)/International Preliminary Examining Authority (in the case of the preliminary examination fee).
- 32 Applicable where the applicant is (a) a Chilean university, or (b) a foreign university headquartered in any of the States which benefit, in accordance with the Schedule of Fees under the PCT Regulations, from the 90% reduction of the international filing fee and authenticated by its legal representative, in a simple declaration signed in the presence of a notary, as constituted as a university in accordance with the law of that State, provided that, if there are several applicants, each must satisfy the criterion set out in either sub-item (a) or (b)). For details of applicants entitled to the 90% reduction, refer to: www.wipo.int/pct/en/fees.
- 33 This fee is reduced by 25% where the applicant, or, if there are two or more applicants, each applicant is a natural person or a legal entity and is a national of and resides in a State which is classified by the World Bank in the group of countries of "low income", "lower middle income" or "upper middle income".
- 34 The search and preliminary examination fees payable to the European Patent Office (EPO) and the Spanish Patent and Trademark Office, and the supplementary search fee in the case of the EPO, are reduced by 75% under certain conditions. For further information, refer to the relevant footnotes in the *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annexes D (EP and ES) and E (EP and ES) at: <https://www.wipo.int/pct/guide/en/index.html>.
- 35 This fee is reduced for applications filed in Japanese, or for applications in respect of which a translation into Japanese has been furnished under PCT Rule 12.3, by applicants who are eligible for fee reductions, such as small or medium-sized enterprises, micro enterprises and academic institutions. For further details refer to: https://www.jpo.go.jp/system/process/tesuryo/genmen/genmen20190401/document/index/leaflet_e.pdf.
- 36 This fee is reduced by 75% where the applicant, or if there are two or more applicants, each applicant is a national of, and has a residence or business domicile in, one of the following States: Cabo Verde, Cambodia, Colombia, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Mexico, Mongolia, Peru, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam.
- 37 Applicable where the applicant is a small entity which refers to any natural or juridical person whose assets are worth not more than one hundred million pesos (P100M); or any entity, agency, office, bureau or unit of the Philippine government including government-owned or controlled corporations, state universities and colleges and government-owned or government-run schools.
- 38 Payable to the International Bureau in Swiss francs.
- 39 This fee applies where a declaration referred to in PCT Article 17(2)(a) has been made by the International Searching Authority because of subject matter referred to in PCT Rule 39.1(iv) (methods of treatment).
- 40 Payable to the International Bureau in Swiss francs.
- 41 Payable to the International Preliminary Examining Authority in the currency or one of the currencies prescribed by it.
- 42 Payable when the international search report was not issued by the Australian Patent Office.
- 43 Payable when the international search report was established by the Federal Service for Intellectual Property (Rospatent) (Russian Federation).
- 44 In all cases where footnote 43 does not apply.
- 45 Payable to the International Preliminary Examining Authority in the currency or one of the currencies prescribed by it.
- 46 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—refer to *PCT Applicant's Guide*, Annex C (US)).

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AE United Arab Emirates	CY Cyprus (EP) ²	IR Iran (Islamic Republic of)	ML Mali (OA) ²	SI Slovenia (EP) ²
AG Antigua and Barbuda	CZ Czechia (EP)	IS Iceland (EP)	MN Mongolia	SK Slovakia (EP)
AL Albania (EP)	DE Germany (EP)	IT Italy (EP) ³	MR Mauritania (OA) ²	SL Sierra Leone (AP)
AM Armenia (EA)	DJ Djibouti	JM Jamaica	MT Malta (EP) ²	SM San Marino (EP) ²
AO Angola	DK Denmark (EP)	JO Jordan	MU Mauritius	SN Senegal (OA) ²
AT Austria (EP)	DM Dominica	JP Japan	MW Malawi (AP)	ST Sao Tome and Principe (AP)
AU Australia	DO Dominican Republic	KE Kenya (AP)	MX Mexico	SV El Salvador
AZ Azerbaijan (EA)	DZ Algeria	KG Kyrgyzstan (EA)	MY Malaysia	SY Syrian Arab Republic
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina ¹	EC Ecuador	KH Cambodia ⁴	MZ Mozambique (AP)	SN Senegal (OA) ²
BB Barbados	EE Estonia (EP)	KM Comoros (OA) ²	NA Namibia (AP)	ST Sao Tome and Principe (AP)
BE Belgium (EP) ²	EG Egypt	KN Saint Kitts and Nevis	NE Niger (OA) ²	TD Chad (OA) ²
BF Burkina Faso (OA) ²	ES Spain (EP)	KP Democratic People's Republic of Korea	NG Nigeria	TG Togo (OA) ²
BG Bulgaria (EP)	FI Finland (EP)	KR Republic of Korea	NI Nicaragua	TH Thailand
BH Bahrain	FR France (EP) ²	KW Kuwait	NL Netherlands (EP) ²	TJ Tajikistan (EA)
BJ Benin (OA) ²	GA Gabon (OA) ²	LA Lao People's Democratic Republic	NO Norway (EP)	TM Turkmenistan (EA)
BN Brunei Darussalam	GB United Kingdom (EP)	LC Saint Lucia	NZ New Zealand	TN Tunisia ⁴
BR Brazil	GD Grenada	LK Sri Lanka	OM Oman	TR Turkey (EP)
BW Botswana (AP)	GE Georgia	LR Liberia (AP)	PA Panama	TT Trinidad and Tobago
BY Belarus (EA)	GH Ghana (AP)	LS Lesotho (AP)	PE Peru	TZ United Republic of Tanzania (AP)
BZ Belize	GM Gambia (AP)	LT Lithuania (EP) ²	PG Papua New Guinea	UA Ukraine
CA Canada	GN Guinea (OA) ²	LU Luxembourg (EP)	PH Philippines	UG Uganda (AP)
CF Central African Republic (OA) ²	GQ Equatorial Guinea (OA) ²	LV Latvia (EP) ²	PL Poland (EP)	US United States of America
CG Congo (OA) ²	GR Greece (EP) ²	LY Libya	PT Portugal (EP)	UZ Uzbekistan
CH Switzerland (EP)	GT Guatemala	MA Morocco ⁴	QA Qatar	VC Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
CI Côte d'Ivoire (OA) ²	GW Guinea-Bissau (OA) ²	MC Monaco (EP) ²	RO Romania (EP)	VN Viet Nam
CL Chile	HN Honduras	MD Republic of Moldova ⁴	RS Serbia (EP)	WS Samoa
CM Cameroon (OA) ²	HR Croatia (EP)	ME Montenegro (EP) ^{2,5}	RU Russian Federation (EA)	ZA South Africa
CN China	HU Hungary (EP)	MG Madagascar	SA Saudi Arabia	SC Seychelles
CO Colombia	ID Indonesia	MK North Macedonia (EP)	SD Sudan (AP)	ZM Zambia (AP)
CR Costa Rica	IE Ireland (EP) ²		SE Sweden (EP)	ZW Zimbabwe (AP)
CU Cuba	IL Israel		SG Singapore	
CV Cabo Verde (AP)	IN India			
	IQ Iraq			

¹ Extension of European patent possible.

² May only be designated for a regional patent (the "national route" via the PCT has been closed).

³ Italy may be designated for a national patent only in international applications filed on or after 1 July 2020.

⁴ Validation of European patent possible.

⁵ For international applications filed before 1 October 2022, only an extension of a European patent is possible (there is no national phase before the Intellectual Property Office of Montenegro). International applications filed on or after 1 October 2022 will include the designation of Montenegro for a European Patent.

Where a State can be designated for a regional patent, the two-letter code for the regional patent concerned is indicated in parentheses (AP = ARIPO patent, EA = Eurasian patent, EP = European patent, OA = OAPI patent).

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Note that even though the filing of a request constitutes under PCT Rule 4.9(a) the designation of all Contracting States bound by the PCT on the international filing date, for the grant of every kind of protection available and, where applicable, for the grant of both regional and national patents, applicants should always use the latest version of the e-filing software used to generate the request form, or the latest versions of the request form (PCT/RO/101) and demand form (PCT/IPEA/401) (the latest versions are dated 1 July 2022). The request and demand forms can be printed from the website, in editable PDF format, at: <https://www.wipo.int/pct/en/forms/>, or obtained from receiving Offices or the International Bureau, or, in the case of the demand form, also from International Preliminary Examining Authorities. Where possible, applicants are encouraged to use ePCT-Filing in order to benefit from the most up-to-date PCT data.