WSR 22-02-028 PERMANENT RULES

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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Effective Date of Rule: Thirty-one days after filing. Purpose: This rule-making order amends chapter 16-303 WAC, Seed assessment, fees for seed services and seed certification by:

- Increasing fees for certification and testing to ensure the financial stability of the seed inspection program.
- Establishing new testing and certification fees for services not previously identified in the rule.
- Restructuring the fee schedule to clarify and allow for easier interpretation of the fees.
- Creating WAC 16-303-117 Seed program testing categories, to standardize the seed testing categories and associated crop kinds referenced in WAC 16-303-200 and 16-303-210. This change is also being made to clarify inconsistencies in these sections.
- Creating WAC 16-303-350 Seed tagging fees, to capture all of the seed tagging fees in one place.
- Updating the footnote characters in all tables of this chapter to provide clarity.
- Repealing WAC $\bar{1}6-303-317$ to clarify the rule language by ensuring that all quarantine inspections are handled in the same manner.

Citation of Rules Affected by this Order: New WAC 16-303-117 and 16-303-350; repealing WAC 16-303-317; and amending WAC 16-303-020, 16-303-105, 16-303-200, 16-303-210, 16-303-230, 16-303-240, 16-303-250, 16-303-300, 16-303-310, 16-303-315, and 16-303-320. Statutory Authority for Adoption: RCW 15.49.005, [15.49].310, and [15.49].370.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-020 Schedule of charges—Billing policies and procedures. (1) Accounts.

- (a) All billable services provided for under chapter 15.49 RCW are due and payable upon billing by the department. For the convenience of established accounts and in accord with good business practices, the department provides a monthly billing service. Accounts not paid in full within ((thirty)) 30 days of billing are considered delinguent.
- (b) ((On all debts due and payable after July 28, 1991,)) All delinguent accounts are assessed a late charge equal to two percent per month, or portion of a month, on the unpaid balance.
- (c) Except for established accounts where there is a reasonable expectation of additional charges during a calendar month, the minimum billable amount through the monthly billing system is ((twenty dollars)) \$20. All billable services of less than ((twenty dollars)) \$20 are due and payable on the date that service is rendered.
- (d) No person with an account ((ninety)) <u>90</u> days or more in arrears may receive service except on the basis of payment in full at the time service is rendered. Accounts in arrears may be subject to legal action for collection and are not restored to monthly billing status until all past due amounts are paid-in-full.
- (e) Accounts that become ((ninety)) 90 or more days in arrears twice within a five-year period may be subject to a permanent requirement for payment in full at the time service is provided.
- (2) Unless otherwise provided for in rule, requests for refund fees or assessments must be submitted to the department by June 30th of the year following payment of the fee or assessment.
- (3) Fees for services not listed in rule are set on the basis of the actual cost to the department of agriculture, or the most appropriate fee established by rule.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-020, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-020, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-020, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-105 Annual seed inspection charge. (1) Each person required to obtain a seed labeling permit, pursuant to RCW 15.49.400, of the Washington State Seed Act, must also, pursuant to RCW 15.49.310 and 15.49.370, pay a general seed inspection charge annually to the department in the amount of ((eleven)) 28 cents per ((one hundred dollars)) \$100 gross annual dollar sales in excess of ((ten thousand dollars)) \$10,000 of agricultural and/or vegetable seed distributed in this state during the preceding fiscal year, except that no assessment shall be collected on:

- (a) Seed for which the assessment has been previously collected, except when such seed is relabeled;
 - (b) Agricultural or vegetable seed distributed out-of-state;
 - (c) Seed distributed in containers of four ounces or less;
 - (d) Stock seed; ((and)) or
- (e) Seed distributed by governmental agencies ((τ)) such as, but not limited to, the United States Department of Agriculture national foundation seed project. Agricultural and/or vegetable seeds distributed under bailment contract are valued at the producer-conditioner agreement rate in lieu of sale.
- (2) The seed assessment fees for the fiscal period beginning July $1\underline{st}$ through June $30\underline{th}$ are payable on February $1\underline{st}$ of the following calendar year.
- (3) The seed assessment (($\frac{may}{may}$)) will accompany the annual application for the seed labeling permit. A penalty of (($\frac{fifteen}{may}$)) $\frac{25}{28}$, ent of the assessment fee or a minimum of (($\frac{may}{may}$)) $\frac{528}{may}$, whichever is greater, is added to all assessments not paid by February 1st.
- (4) The annual (($\frac{\text{seed-labeling}}{\text{seed labeling}}$) seed labeling permit (($\frac{\text{may}}{\text{may}}$)) will not be issued until all seed assessments and penalties are satisfied.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-105, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-105, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-303-117 Seed program testing categories. (1) Seed testing categories and associated crop kinds for WAC 16-303-200 and 16-303-210 are as follows:

Category	Crop Kind	Additional Crops in each Category *1	
1	Alfalfa and Clover	Alfalfa, Black Medic, Clover, Milkvetch, Sainfoin, Trefoil	
2	Bean	Bean	
3	Beet	Beet	
4	Bentgrass, Redtop	Bentgrass, Redtop	
5	Bluegrass	Bluegrass, all types except Native and Reclamation	
6	Brassica Species Brassica Species, Camelina		
7	Brome	Brome: Mountain, Smooth, Meadow	
8	Fescue	Fescue: Tall and Meadow	
9	Fescue, all others	Fescue: Arizona, Blue, Blue Hard, Chewings, Creeping, Hard, Idaho, Red, Sheep	
10	Flax	Flax, all types	
11	Hemp	Hemp, all types	
12	Orchardgrass	Orchardgrass	
13	Peas and other large seeded legumes	Peas, Chickpeas, Lentil, Lupine, Vetch	
14	Ryegrass (perennial or annual)	Ryegrass (perennial or annual)	
15	Sudangrass	Sudangrass	

Category	Crop Kind	Additional Crops in each Category *1
16	Timothy	Timothy
17	Fruit and Vegetable	Fruit and Vegetables: Arugula, Asparagus, Any Berries, Cantaloupe, Carrot, Celery, Corn, Coriander, Cucumber, Dill, Eggplant, Endive, Leek, Lettuce, Okra, Onion, Parsley, Parsnip, Pepper, Pumpkin, Radish, Swiss chard, Spinach, Squash, Tomato, Watermelon
18	Grain (500 g. or 1000 g.)	Wheat, Triticale, Sunflower, Sorghum, Safflower, Rye, Rice, Millet, Buckwheat, Barley, Oats, Emmer, Spelt
19	Other native species and flowers (test requires 400 seed TZ according to AOSA rules)	Green needlegrass, Needle and Thread, Penstemon
20	Native and Reclamation Grass	Bluestem, Buffalograss, Lovegrass, Sand dropseed, Sideoats, Squirreltail, Wheatgrass (Crested, Intermediate, Pubescent, Siberian, Slender, Tall, Thickspike, and Western), Wildrye, Indian ricegrass, Junegrass, Oatgrass, Native and Reclamation bluegrass
21	Woody Plants and Forbs (natives)	Bitterbrush, Echinacea, Kochia, Yarrow, Sagebrush, Rabbitbrush, Native buckwheat, Native clover

^{*1} Crops not listed in the above table will be charged by the category that they best fit into.

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 $\underline{\text{AMENDATORY SECTION}}$ (Amending WSR 17-08-090, filed 4/5/17, effective 5/6/17)

WAC 16-303-200 Seed program testing fees. (1) Seed testing fees are as follows:

((Category	Crop kind	PURITY	GERM/1	TZ	Additional Crops in each Category/2
1	Agricultural Grasses	40.00	25.00	45.00	Alkaligrass, Bermudagrass, Canarygrass, Foxtail, Switchgrass, Timothy, Zoysia
2	Alfalfa & Clover	31.00	27.00	45.00	Alfalfa, Black Medic, Clover, Lupine, Milkvetch, Sainfoin, Trefoil
3	Beans	29.00	27.00	45.00	Beans
4	Beets	42.00	47.00	45.00	Beets, Swiss chard, Spinach
5	Bentgrass, redtop	72.00	38.00	45.00	Bentgrass, Redtop
6	Bluegrass	49.00	33.00	45.00	Bluegrass, all types
7	Brassica Species	75.00	38.00	45.00	Brassica Species
8	Brome	51.00	27.00	45.00	Brome: Mountain, Smooth, Meadow
9	Fescue	40.00	27.00	45.00	Fescue: Tall and Meadow
10	Fescue, all others	49.00	27.00	45.00	Fescue: Arizona, Blue, Blue Hard, Chewings, Creeping, Hard, Idaho, Red, Sheep
11	Flax	31.00	27.00	45.00	Lewis flax
12	Industrial hemp	50.00	40.00	45.00	
13	Orchardgrass	55.00	29.00	45.00	Orchardgrass
14	Peas and other large seeded legumes	31.00	27.00	45.00	Peas, Chickpeas, Lentil, Vetch

((Category	Crop kind	PURITY	GERM/1	ŦZ	Additional Crops in each -Category/2
15	Primrose	31.00	27.00	45.00	Primrose
16	Ryegrass	49.00	25.00	45.00	Ryegrass, (Perennial or Annual)
17	Small burnet	31.00	27.00	45.00	Small burnet
18	Sudangrass	31.00	27.00	45.00	Sudangrass
19	Vegetables	31.00	27.00	49.00	Vegetables: Arugula, Asparagus, Cantaloupe, Carrot, Celery, Corn, Coriander, Cucumber, Dill, Eggplant, Endive, Leek, Lettuce, Okra, Onion, Parsley, Parsnip, Pepper, Pumpkin, Radish, Squash, Tomato, Watermelon
20	Grains	31.00	27.00	45.00	Wheat, Triticale, Sunflower, Sorghum, Safflower, Rye, Rice, Millet, Buckwheat, Barley, Oats, Emmer, Spelt
21	Wheatgrass, Wildrye, other native species Group A	84.00	33.00	45.00	Bluestem, Buffalograss, Lovegrass, Penstemon, Sand dropseed, Sideoats, Squirreltail; Intermediate, Pubescent, Tall, Thickspike, Slender, and Western wheatgrasses; Small-seeded wildrye
22	Wheatgrass, Wildrye, other native species and flowers Group B	75.00	33.00	45.00	Bitterbrush, Echinacea, Indian ricegrass, Junegrass, Kochia, Oatgrass, Indian ricegrass, Blue and other large-seeded wildrye, Crested and Siberian wheatgrasses
23	Wheatgrass, Wildrye, other native species and flowers Group C	75.00	123.00/3	45.00	Green needlegrass, Needle & Thread, Penstemon

Category	Purity W/ Noxious	GERM *1	<u>TZ</u>	Sample Processing per request	Manual Sample Processing per request
1	<u>\$76.00</u>	\$60.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>2</u>	\$68.00	\$60.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	\$13.00
3 *2	<u>\$70.00</u>	\$60.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	<u>\$13.00</u>
4	<u>\$153.00</u>	\$60.00	<u>\$101.00</u>	\$8.00	\$13.00
<u>5</u>	<u>\$118.00</u>	\$70.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	\$13.00
<u>6</u>	<u>\$117.00</u>	\$60.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	\$13.00
7	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
8	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
9	<u>\$106.00</u>	\$76.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	\$13.00
<u>10</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>11</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>12</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>13</u>	\$68.00	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>14</u>	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>15</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>16</u>	\$76.00	\$70.00	<u>\$101.00</u>	\$8.00	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>17</u>	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	\$8.00	<u>\$13.00</u>

 $[\]frac{/1~Standard~400~seed~germination~test.}{/2~Crops~not~listed~in~the~above~table~will~be~charged~by~the}$

Category	Purity W/ Noxious	GERM *1	<u>TZ</u>	Sample Processing per request	Manual Sample Processing per request
18 *3	500 g. \$68.00 1000 g. \$136.00	<u>\$60.00</u>	\$101.00	\$8.00	\$13.00
<u>19</u>	\$90.00	\$146.00 *4	\$202.00 *5	\$8.00	\$13.00
<u>20</u>	<u>\$90.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$101.00</u>	<u>\$8.00</u>	<u>\$13.00</u>
<u>21</u>	\$90.00	\$82.00	\$101.00	\$8.00	<u>\$13.00</u>

^{*1} Standard 400 seed germination test.

- (2) There will be no refund on completed tests. Work will be billed proportional to the amount completed at the time of cancellation. Minimum billed will be one quarter of the hourly rate.
- (3) Additional billing will be in 15-minute increments with a minimum of one quarter of the hourly rate for dirty or heavy inert samples which require hand picking for purity analysis.
- (4) Additional requests will incur another sample processing check-in fee.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.120.030(3), 15.49.021, 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 17-08-090, § 16-303-200, filed 4/5/17, effective 5/6/17. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-200, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-200, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter $34.0\overline{5}$ RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-200, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-200, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-200, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-200, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-200, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-210 Fees for special seed tests.

((Test	Fee	Additional Information
(1) All states noxious weed examination	\$36.00	
(2) Dormant Seed Test	\$45.00	
(a) For crops requiring a 400 seed TZ as required in the AOSA rules	\$90.00	
(b) This fee also applies to paired tests when required by AOSA rules		
(3) Cold (vigor) test for wheat	\$70.00	

^{*2} Additional sprout counts incur hourly charge.

^{*3} Includes sodium hydroxide test.

^{*4} Germ includes dormant TZ count.

^{*5} Test requires 400 seed TZ according to AOSA rules.

((Test	F	ee	Additional Information	
(4) Crop or weed exam			Standard noxious amount from AOSA rules	
(a) Turf-type and other small seeded grasses	\$41.00		Kentucky bluegrass, timothy, alkaligrass, fine- leaved fescues	
(b) Small seeded legumes and medium seeded crops	\$47.00		Brassicas, ryegrass, tall fescue	
(c) Wheatgrass and native species	\$54.00			
(d) Grains and large seeded legumes	\$2 4	.00		
(5) Fescue seed ammonia test	\$33	5.00	Required on all certified Blue, Hard, and Sheep fescues	
(6) Fluorescence test (400 seed test)	\$29).00	Required on all Perennial and Annual ryegrass samples	
(7) Miscellaneous services, samples requiring extra time, field run samples, etc.	\$40.00)/hour		
(8) Pest and disease (phyto exam) and/or soil exam	\$39).00		
(9) Quarantine tests on seed				
Bluegrass and Bentgrass	\$20.00/	5 grams		
Other grasses	\$20.00/ 1	0 grams		
(10) Rules test—Canadian	PUR	HTY	GERMINATION	
Alfalfa, clover, peas, lentils	\$35	5.00	\$27.00	
Kentucky bluegrass	\$53	.00	\$33.00	
Bentgrass	\$78	3.00	\$38.00	
(11) Rules test—I.S.T.A.	PUR	HTY	GERMINATION	
Alfalfa, clover, peas, lentils	\$35	5.00	\$33.00	
Kentucky bluegrass	\$53	5.00	\$33.00	
(12) Moisture test	\$33	.00		
(13) Seed Count				
(a) Large seed	\$10).00		
(b) Small seed	\$13	.00		
(14) Sod seed analysis	Bluegrass Fescue Ryegrass	\$81.00 \$56.00 \$45.00		
(15) Sodium Hydroxide test for presence of red and/or white wheat	\$23.00			
(16) Undesirable grass species test (includes an all states noxious test) examination (UGS test)	\$ 76.00			
(17) Germination test in soil	\$54.00			
(18) Wheat bioassay test	\$5 4	.00		
(19) Germination on mixtures Germination requiring embryo excision	\$40.00 per hour for separation of kinds or preparation time		This is in addition to the established germination fee))	

Miscellaneous lab testing fees are as follows:

Miscellaneous Lab Fees - Part A														
			Paired tests	Crop or weed exam standard	Quarantine tests on seed			Rules test-Canadian				(No or	Rules test-ISTA (No orange certificate)	
Category	Sod or quality seed analysis *1	Undesirable grass species test, no other purity requested	or 400 TZ when required by AOSA (from section 200)	AOSA working amount (in addition to other tests requested)	Bluegrass (25 gram test)	Bentgrass and redtop (10 gram test)	Other seed stock (25 gram test)	<u>Purity</u>	<u>Germ</u>	<u>Purity</u>	<u>Germ</u>			
1	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$76.00</u>	\$59.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$59.00</u>			
2	N/A	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	<u>\$68.00</u>	\$59.00	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$59.00</u>			
3 *2	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	\$70.00	\$68.00	\$70.00	\$68.00			
4	N/A	<u>\$114.00</u>	\$202.00	\$76.00	<u>N/A</u>	\$86.00	N/A	\$153.00	\$70.00	\$153.00	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>5</u>	<u>\$126.00</u>	<u>\$114.00</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	\$139.00	N/A	N/A	\$117.00	\$70.00	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>6</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	<u>\$117.00</u>	\$60.00	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>			
7	N/A	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$106.00	\$70.00	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
8	<u>\$126.00</u>	<u>\$114.00</u>	\$202.00	\$76.00	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	\$88.00	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
9	\$126.00	<u>\$114.00</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	\$95.00	\$106.00	\$76.00	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>			
<u>10</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$106.00	\$70.00	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>11</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$70.00</u>	\$60.00	\$70.00	<u>\$60.00</u>			
<u>12</u>	<u>\$126.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>13</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$68.00</u>	\$59.00	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$59.00</u>			
<u>14</u>	\$126.00	<u>\$114.00</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>			
<u>15</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$106.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>16</u>	\$126.00	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$76.00</u>	\$70.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>17</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>			
18	N/A	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	\$68.00	\$60.00	<u>\$68.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>			
10	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	\$139.00	<u>\$60.00</u>	<u>\$139.00</u>	<u>\$60.00</u>			
<u>19</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>\$202.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>20</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	<u>\$202.00</u>	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	N/A	N/A	<u>\$125.00</u> *1	<u>\$70.00</u>	<u>\$125.00 *1</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>			
<u>21</u>	N/A	<u>N/A</u>	\$202.00	<u>\$76.00</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	\$125.00 *1	\$82.00	<u>\$125.00</u> *1	\$82.00			

^{*1} Minimum one hour, then billed in 15 minute increments.
*2 Additional sprout counts incur hourly charge.

Miscellaneous Lab Fee - Part B					
Additional sodium hydroxide exam (wheat only)	<u>\$47</u>				
Ammonia test (required for Fescue certification)	<u>\$46</u>				
Bioassay (variety specific)	<u>\$96</u>				
Broomrape (Orobanche minor) in red clover and other species (dry method)	<u>\$110</u>				
Canadian seed grade report (Canadian test required)	<u>\$45</u>				
Cold (vigor) test for wheat with Palouse soil	\$107				
Cold test without soil	<u>\$57</u>				
Cold test with soil - Specify soil type *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Dust like species exam (dry method) including broomrape (Orobanche minor)	<u>\$152</u>				
<u>Dodder exam</u>	<u>\$90</u>				
EC norms conversion from AOSA report	<u>\$45</u>				
Electrical conductivity (EC)	<u>\$158</u>				
Fluorescent test (all perennial and annual ryegrass)	<u>\$40</u>				
Germination test in soil *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Hourly charge (applies to especially contaminated or extraordinary samples, e.g., sample prep for coated seed; also used for custom work such as sample preparation, special bulk searches). *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Mill check *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Miscellaneous service, in dirt samples, field run samples, cleaning inert *1	\$65/hour				

Miscellaneous Lab Fee - Part B					
Moisture test (oven) *1	\$65/hour				
Moisture test/Dickey-John test	<u>\$63</u>				
Noxious weed conversion fee	<u>\$45</u>				
Noxious weed search in animal feed pellets, bird seed or organic matter *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Pest and disease (phytosanitary exam) and/or soil exam including sclerotinia, ergot, smut	<u>\$95</u>				
Potassium iodine/iodide test *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Preliminary germination percent via email	<u>\$15</u>				
Preclean quality grain exam	<u>\$139</u>				
Seed coat dehull for TZ (Sanfoin/oat) *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
Seed count, manual *1	\$65/hour				
Seed count, mechanical	<u>\$24</u>				
Seed mixture purity exam, each crop component	<u>\$76</u>				
Species or veskof exam	\$222				
Stress germination exam *1	<u>\$65/hour</u>				
TKW 1000 seed count (total kernel weight/1000 seed)	<u>\$56</u>				
Wheat species exam *1	\$65/hour				

^{*1} Billing in 15-minute increments with a minimum of one quarter of the hourly rate.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-210, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-210, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-210, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-210, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-210, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-210, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-210, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.1

 $\underline{\text{AMENDATORY SECTION}}$ (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-230 Official seed sampling or similar service. Seed lots for official sampling must be made available to the inspector upon arrival to avoid assessment of additional fees for standby-time. Standby-time when the inspector is on-site while samples are prepared for official sampling will be billed in 15-minute increments at a minimum of one quarter of the hourly rate.

Fees for official sampling are in addition to travel time and mileage.

((Crop	Fee	Minimum charge
Peas, beans, small grains or seeds of similar size	Standard sampling \$0.09 per ewt.	\$40.00
	I.S.T.A. sampling \$0.11 per ewt. plus \$9.00 per lot	\$40.00 plus \$9.00 per lot
For all other kinds	Standard sampling \$0.20 per cwt.	\$40.00
	I.S.T.A. sampling \$0.24 per cwt. plus \$9.00 per lot	\$40.00 plus \$9.00 per lot))

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Test</u>	<u>Fee</u>	Minimum charge
Peas, beans, small grains or seeds of similar size	Standard sampling	\$0.13 per cwt.	<u>\$90</u>
Peas, beans, small grains or seeds of similar size	I.S.T.A. sampling	\$0.21 per cwt. plus \$13.00 per lot	<u>\$90</u>
For all other kinds	Standard sampling	\$0.28 per cwt.	<u>\$90</u>
For all other kinds	I.S.T.A sampling	\$0.33 per cwt. plus \$13.00 per lot	<u>\$90</u>

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-230, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060 and 07-24-082, § 16-303-230, filed 10/12/07 and 12/5/07, effective 12/1/07 and 1/5/08. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-230, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-230, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-230, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-230, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-240 Fees for blending seed. (1) Blending fee is not applicable to salvage blends.

((Grass option B*	Washington origin seed	\$1.10 per cwt.	
Grass option B*	Out-of-state origin	\$0.66 per ewt.	
Grass option A and all other blends of other crops		\$0.10 per cwt.	
*See WAC 16-303-320, footnote 6 for information on option A and option B.))			

(2) Blending fees are as follows:

Seed Origin	<u>Fee</u>
Washington origin certified seed	\$17.00 Application plus cost of tag
Out-of-state origin certified seed	\$17.00 Application plus cost of tag

(3) See WAC 16-303-350 for tagging fees.

(4) A blend data sheet is filled out with the certifying agency and must be presented at the time of application and maintained by the seed conditioner. Blend data sheet forms can be obtained from the department.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-240, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-240, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-240, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-240, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.1

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-250 Miscellaneous charges for seed services. Fees for miscellaneous department seed services are as follows:

((Service	Fee
Rush samples (including phone or FAX report if requested at time sample is submitted)	\$16.00
High priority sample - Purity result completed before the end of the next business day. (Special circumstances only. Call ahead for availability.)	\$160.00
Additional mailing of report	\$6.00 each destination
Additional copies of reports	\$3.00 minimum fee
Revised reports	\$11.00 minimum (hourly fee when applicable)
Fee for special shipping and handling service, for example Federal Express, Air Parcel or air freight	\$5.00 plus exact shipping cost
Fee for faesimile transmission of documents	\$1.00 per document

((Service		Fee
Mileage - Additional or special requested trips		As established by the Washington State Office of Financial Management
Stand-by time - Or travel time	\$40.00/hour	Travel time to be charged when special trip is requested.))

<u>Service</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Rush sample (purity started in 48 hours, including phone report if requested at time sample is submitted)	\$136.00
Super rush sample - Purity result completed before the end of the next business day. (Based upon availability with a limit per day, call ahead for availability.)	\$204.00
Paper documents: Additional copies-digital	<u>\$8.00</u>
Paper documents: Additional copies-registered mail	\$8.00 plus exact shipping cost
Samples: Fee for special shipping/packaging for seed samples, plant health samples (live plants) by Federal Express, air parcel or air freight	\$20.00 plus exact shipping cost
All other shipping and handling	\$8.00 plus exact shipping cost
Revised reports	\$15.00 minimum (hourly fee when applicable)
Combined reports	\$15.00 minimum (hourly fee when applicable)
Drive time and mileage for additional or special requested trips	Drive time at hourly rate plus mileage - OFM rate
Field staff stand-by time at warehouse *1 *2	<u>\$65/hour</u>
Split seed sample for outsourcing	<u>\$50.00</u>
<u>Digital photo</u>	\$11.00/photo
Washington Wilderness Hay and Mulch (WWHAM) certification, if conducted at time of seed certification inspection	\$90.00
Washington Wilderness Hay and Mulch (WWHAM) certification, if not conducted at time of seed certification inspection	\$90.00 plus drive time at hourly rate plus mileage - OFM rate
Cancellation of seed test *1	Proportional to work completed prior to cancellation-hourly rate for a minimum of 15 minutes
Hourly rate	<u>\$65/hour</u>

^{*1} No refund on completed tests or work. Work will be billed proportional to amount completed at the time of request.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-250, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-250, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-250, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-250, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-250, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-250, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3) and chap-

^{*2} Minimum billed will be one quarter of the hourly rate.

ter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, \$ 16-303-250, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-300 Phytosanitary certification of seed—Fees.

((Service	Fee	Additional Information
Federal Phytosanitary certificate	\$ 50.00	
State Phytosanitary certificate	\$45.00	
Field inspection - All seed except wheat seed (for each required inspection)	\$5.83 per acre, per required inspection	\$55.00 minimum fee, per inspection
Field inspection - Wheat seed only	\$2.33 per acre or fraction thereof	\$55.00 minimum fee, per inspection
Area inspection	\$0.60 per acre	
Late fee - Per application	\$50.0 0))	

<u>Service</u>	<u>Fee</u>	Additional Information
Federal phytosanitary certificate	\$70.00	Additional hourly fee may apply for consultation and billed at one quarter of the hourly rate
State phytosanitary certificate	\$63.00	Additional hourly fee may apply for consultation and billed at one quarter of the hourly rate
Certificate of origin	<u>\$55.00</u>	Additional hourly fee may apply for consultation and billed at one quarter of the hourly rate
Resignature	<u>\$4.00</u>	Resignature of expired visual *1
<u>Verification</u>	<u>\$4.00</u>	Reexport phytosanitary verification
Phytosanitary field application *2	<u>\$45.00</u>	No refund after processing
Phytosanitary field inspection - All seed (for each required inspection) *2 *3	\$8.00 per acre, per required inspection	\$90 minimum fee, per inspection. No refund after inspection is completed
Area inspection *2 *3	\$3.11 per acre, per required inspection	Plus travel time and mileage
Late fee - Per field application	\$139.00	Based on scheduling may also include travel time and mileage. After application due date, application may be rejected
Nematode soil sample	<u>\$33.00</u>	Flat fee per sample

Phytosanitary field application due dates are found in WAC 16-301-220.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-300, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-300, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR

^{*1} Prior departmental authorization required in advance and site must meet specific criteria to qualify.

^{*2} No refund on rejected fields due to findings or results. To be eligible for a refund of the per acre fee, the seed crop application must be withdrawn prior to field inspection.

^{*3} An outsourced plant health analysis or laboratory exam may be applicable to assess field health and may result in costs separate from the inspection application and acreage fee.

03-18-071, § 16-303-300, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-300, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-300, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-300, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-310 Organization for economic cooperation and development scheme for varietal certification (O.E.C.D.) fees. In addition to fees required by applicable Washington certification rules, the following fees shall apply to all seed tagged O.E.C.D. and is payable by the person requesting O.E.C.D. certificate. The certifying agency may require fees paid in advance:

((Service	Fee	Additional Information
O.E.C.D. certificate	\$17.00 each	
O.E.C.D. grow out test	\$72.00 each entry	No charge for control entry
O.E.C.D. assessment	cost to program	This is a pass through fee to USDA
O.E.C.D. tagging fee*	\$0.91/ewt.	All grasses except tall fescue
	\$0.55/cwt.	Tall fescue
	\$0.57/ewt.	All other crops

^{*} Minimum tagging fee is \$13.00.))

<u>Service</u>	<u>Fee</u>
O.E.C.D. assessment *1	Actual cost to program. This is a pass through fee to USDA
O.E.C.D. certificate *2	\$40.00 each
O.E.C.D. reissued certificate	See Section 250 for additional document copies
O.E.C.D. grow out test *3	\$100.00 each entry
O.E.C.D. tagging fee *4	\$17.00 Application plus tag fee cost

^{*1} An additional O.E.C.D. assessment will be billed on each O.E.C.D. seed lot assessed by USDA-O.E.C.D. authorities.

These charges will be billed in addition to other listed fees.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-310, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-310, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-310, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-310, filed 8/29/03, ef-

^{*2} O.E.C.D. certificate fee does not include required field application,

inspection, laboratory fees or tagging.

^{*3} No charge for control entry.

 $[\]frac{\overline{*4}}{}$ See WAC 16-303-350 for tagging fee.

fective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 03-08-005, § 16-303-310, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-310, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-310, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.1

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 12-19-065, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12)

WAC 16-303-315 ((Service fee for sod)) Quality seed ((tags and)) tagging. (1) Service fee for ((sod)) quality seed tags and tagging shall be \$0.25 per cwt. ((Minimum tagging fee is \$13.00.))

<u>Service</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Quality Sod tag	\$17.00 Application plus \$0.25 cwt and tag fee
Quality Timothy tag	\$17.00 Application plus tag fee
Quality Orchardgrass tag	\$17.00 Application plus tag fee

- (2) Seed lots which meet the field and seed standards will be tagged with a "quality seed" tag per WAC 16-302-395 through 16-302-410 or WAC 16-302-740 through 16-302-756.
 - (3) Tag fees are specified in WAC 16-303-350.
- (4) Quality tagging does not include required field inspection or laboratory analysis.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-315, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-315, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-315, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-315, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.1

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 17-08-090, filed 4/5/17, effective 5/6/17)

- WAC 16-303-320 Certification fees for seed certified by the department. Seed certification fees apply to seed classes identified in WAC 16-302-015, as follows:
 - (1) Fees apply to both new and renewal applications.
- (2) Seed certification application due dates are specified in WAC 16-302-050.
- (3) The ((seed processor)) applicant for seed certification is responsible for seed certification fees including sampling, testing, ((production)) tagging and final certification fees, and may accept responsibility for any other additional fees associated with certifi-

cation. Fees for services such as O.E.C.D. and ((sod)) quality exams, etc., are in addition to the fees listed in this section.

((Seed	Application Fee 1/	Seedling field inspection fee	Seedling producing or field inspection Fee 2/	Late Application Penalty Fee	Reinspection Fee (other than isolation)	Production Fee (includes tagging) 7/10/11/	Seed shipped Out-of-State (uncleaned)
Alfalfa, Red clover, White clover and Trefoil	\$32.25 per variety per grower	\$54.00 per field	\$2.00 per acre	\$50.00	\$58.00 per field	\$0.57/ewt. 5/	\$0.22/ewt.
Annual grasses	\$32.25 per field	N/A	\$2.00 per acre	\$50.00 per field	\$58.00 per field	\$0.45/ewt.	\$0.22
Bean	\$32.25 per variety per grower	N/A	\$2.00 per acre 3/ (one inspection) \$4.00 per acre 4/ (two inspections)	\$50.00	\$58.00 per field	\$0.57/ewt.	\$0.22/ewt.
Corn	\$32.25 per field	N/A	\$55.00 first acre \$12.00 ca. additional acre except hybrid corn \$5.35 ca. additional acre	\$50.00		\$0.15 per tag issued	\$4.00 per document
Industrial hemp	\$32.25 per field	N/A	Hourly rate, travel time and mileage as established in WAC 16-303-250	\$50.00	Additional inspections: Hourly rate, travel time and mileage as established in WAC 16-303-250	\$0.15 per tag issued; \$15.00 minimum fee	N/A
Perennial Grasses 6/	\$32.25 per field	\$54.00 per field	\$54.00 per field	\$50.00	\$58.00 per field	Option A \$0.91/cwt. for all grass except tall fescue \$0.55/cwt. tall fescue Option B \$1.26/cwt. (min. \$12.54)	\$0.34
Rapeseed, Canola, and Mustard	\$32.25 per variety per grower	N/A	\$2.00 per acre (one inspection)	\$50.00 per grower	\$58.00 per field	\$0.57/ewt.	\$0.22
Turnip, Rutabaga, Kale	\$32.25 per field	N/A	\$4.00 per acre (two inspections)	\$50.00	\$58.00 per field	\$0.57/ewt.	\$0.22

- 1/ Seed certification application due dates can be found in WAC 16-302-050.
- 2/ Seedling producing or field inspection fees are refundable if the acreage is withdrawn before the inspection is completed. In the case of bean seed, fees are required of seedling fields to be harvested for certification the year of planting.
- 3/ One inspection is required for Great Northern Red Mexican, pinto, pink, and small white bean.
- 4/ Includes windrow inspection which is required for certification of snap beans, kidney beans, and eligibility for shipment into the state of Idaho.
- 5/ Production fees are billed at completion of laboratory analysis tests. If no seed is tagged, \$0.10 of the \$0.57 per cwt. production fee is refundable.
- 6/ Option A: Inspection and final certification fees are based on pounds sampled and billed upon completion of required laboratory tests.

Option B: Inspection and final certification fees are based on pounds tagged after required laboratory tests are completed. Those dealers requesting sampling and tagging privileges and/or participation in Option B must sign a memorandum of agreement that shall expire on June 30 of each year. The memorandum may be terminated by the director if the conditioner violates certification standards or requirements of memorandum.

- 7/ Does not include shipping and handling charge for tags.
- 8/ Service inspection of seed fields
 Service inspection will be charged the established hourly
 rate inclusive of travel time and inspection time. This
 excludes the seedling inspection which is charged according
 to the above chart.

Service inspections will be charged a mileage fee based upon the OFM mileage rate.

- 9/ Hybrid inspections (pollen counts)
 All crops except corn and industrial hemp:
 (a) \$48.50 per inspection if done at the time of the certification inspection.
 (b) \$135.00 per inspection if not conducted at the time of the certification inspection.
- 10/ Minimum tagging fee is \$13.00.
- 11/ For seed lots in packages of less than 25 lbs., tags are \$0.15 per tag in addition to the production fee.
- (2) Other fees associated with grass seed certification:
 Out-of-state origin seed tagged with interagency certification
 tags.

Grass Option A:	\$0.33 per cwt.
Grass Option B:	\$0.73 per cwt.

- (3) Reissuance of certification tags is \$0.15 per tag or a minimum fee of \$13.00.)
- (4) Certification fees for seed certified by the department are
 as follows:

<u>Crop</u>	Application Fee	Seedling Field Inspection Fee	Seedling Producing or Field Inspection Fee	<u>Late</u> <u>Application</u> Penalty Fee	Reinspection Fee (other than isolation)	Seed Shipped Out-of-State (uncleaned) Document Fee
Alfalfa, Red clover, White clover and Trefoil	\$45 per field	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Annual grass	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Bean *1 *2	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Camelina	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document

<u>Сгор</u>	Application Fee	Seedling Field Inspection Fee	Seedling Producing or Field Inspection Fee	<u>Late</u> <u>Application</u> <u>Penalty Fee</u>	Reinspection Fee (other than isolation)	Seed Shipped Out-of-State (uncleaned) Document Fee
Corn (Hybrid and nonhybrid) *3	\$45 per field	N/A	\$76.00 first acre, \$17 each additional acre	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$8 each document
Нетр	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Perennial grass	\$45 per field	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Radish	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Rapeseed, Canola, and Mustard	\$45 per field	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
			Hybrid rapeseed, canola and mustard \$7.00 per acre, per required inspection			
Sunflower	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
			Hybrid sunflower \$7.00 per acre, per required inspection			
Turnip, Rutabaga, Kale	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Woody Plants and Forbs	\$45 per field	N/A	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$139 fee per late application	hourly rate plus drive time and mileage	\$7 each document
Service Inspections excluding hybrid	\$45 per field	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	\$3.90 per acre, per required inspection	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual and Rough Bluegrass Quarantine	\$45 per field	\$87.60 per acre plus time and mileage including travel time	\$87.60 per acre plus time and mileage including travel time	N/A	N/A	N/A

^{*1} One inspection is required for Great Northern, Red Mexican, pinto, pink, and small white bean.

*2 Includes windrow inspection which is required for certification of snap beans, kidney beans, and eligibility for shipment into the state of Idaho.

*3 Corn bin inspection billed at 45 minutes of the hourly rate per inspection.

- (5) Crop acreage fee does not include required laboratory fees or tagging. Minimum tagging fee is \$17.00 per application. Tagging fees are specified in WAC 16-303-350. This does not include the shipping and handling charge for tags.
 - (6) (a) Crop hybrid pollen count:
 - (b) All crops except corn and hemp:
- (i) \$67.42 per inspection if done at the time of the certification inspection.
- (ii) \$187.00 per inspection is not conducted at the time of the certification inspection.
- (7) No refund on rejected fields due to findings or results. To be eligible for a refund of the per acre fees, the seed crop application must be withdrawn prior to the field inspection.
- (8) Seed stock class (foundation/prebasic, registered/basic) of all crops for certification \$32.50 per field plus per acre fee.
- (9) Seedling field inspection and seedling producing or field inspection fee is \$90 minimum fee, per inspection.
- (10) Seedling field inspection and seedling producing or field inspection fees are refundable if the acreage is withdrawn before the inspection is completed. In the case of bean seed, fees are required of seedling fields to be harvested for certification the year of planting.
- (11) Late application penalty fee is based on scheduling and may also include travel time and mileage. After application due date, application may be rejected.
- (12) Reinspection fee mileage will be charged at the current OFM mileage rate.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.120.030(3), 15.49.021, 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 17-08-090, § 16-303-320, filed 4/5/17, effective 5/6/17. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310, chapter 34.05 RCW, and 2012 2nd sp.s. c 7. WSR 12-19-065, § 16-303-320, filed 9/17/12, effective 10/18/12. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.310 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 07-21-060, § 16-303-320, filed 10/12/07, effective 12/1/07. Statutory Authority: 2003 1st sp.s. c 25 § 309(2), RCW 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 05-12-053, § 16-303-320, filed 5/26/05, effective 6/26/05. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW, 2003 c 308. WSR 03-18-071, § 16-303-320, filed 8/29/03, effective 9/29/03. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.370(3), 15.49.310, and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR $\overline{03}$ -08-005, § 16-303-320, filed 3/20/03, effective 4/20/03. Statutory Authority: Chapters 15.49 and 34.05 RCW. WSR 02-12-061, § 16-303-320, filed 5/30/02, effective 6/30/02. Statutory Authority: RCW 15.49.005, 15.49.081, 15.49.310, 15.49.370(3) and chapter 17.24 RCW. WSR 01-01-015, § 16-303-320, filed 12/6/00, effective 1/6/01.]

NEW SECTION

WAC 16-303-350 Seed tagging fees. (1) Seed tagging fees for certification, O.E.C.D., crucifer and specialty tags are as follows:

Certified Tags			
Card stock 4x3: Sod quality, Quality Timothy, Quality Orchard grass, Foundation, Registered, Certified, Experimental, Select, Source Identified	\$0.03/tag		
Certified substandard class	\$0.13/tag		

Certified Tags				
Certified adhesive 4x3	\$0.06/tag			
Registered adhesive	\$0.09/tag			
OECD Tags				
OECD 4x3 1st Gen tag	\$0.08/tag			
OECD 4x3 Prebasic, Basic	\$0.31/tag			
OECD 4-5/8 x 2-7/8 adhesive	\$0.08/label			

Crucifer Tags		
1.5x1 Crucifer adhesive label	\$0.19/label	
1x3 Crucifer adhesive label	\$0.19/label	
4x1 Crucifer adhesive label	\$0.10/label	
4x3 Crucifer card stock	\$0.13/tag	
4x8 Crucifer adhesive label	\$0.10/label	
4x8 Crucifer card stock	\$0.13/tag	

Specialty Tags		
Zip tie and all other specialty tags	\$2.22 each	

(2) Reissuance of certification tags requires an application fee of \$17.00 plus price of tags.

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REPEALER

The following section of the Washington Administrative Code is repealed:

Annual and rough bluegrass quarantine WAC 16-303-317 fees.