

# SOPA Fee Schedule 2026



**SOPA fees are charged on an annual basis and validate your membership for the calendar year.**

| PRODUCER FEE BANDS  |  | Registered In Conversion/<br>Organic Hectarage (Ha) | 2025 Annual Fee<br>(Net of VAT) |
|---|--|---|---------------------------------|
| Introductory - <i>Set fee for first year for new farmer and grower Members (incl. transfer from another certification body)</i> |  | n/a   | £450.00                         |
| 1   |  | 0 – 10  | £689.80                         |
| 2   |  | 10.1 - 40   | £764.20                         |
| 3   |  | 40.1 - 100  | £838.60                         |
| 4   |  | 100.1 - 250   | £1,000.90                       |
| 5   |  | 250.1 - 500   | £1,136.16                       |
| 6   |  | 500 +   | £1,244.37                       |
| Sub-Contracting (per site)  |  |   | £139.97                         |
| On-Farm Processing  |  |   | £139.97                         |
| AUCTION MART  |  | 2025 Annual Fee (Net of VAT)                        |                                 |
|   |  | £500.91   |                                 |
| EVALUATION SCHEME   |  | 2025 Annual Fee (Net of VAT)                        |                                 |
| First 5 products  |  | £263.35   |                                 |
| Additional Product  |  | £66.27  |                                 |
| MERCHANT  |  |   | 2025 Annual Fee (Net of VAT)    |
| Small Scale annual audit or Risk Assessed pre-packaged goods/1-in-3 onsite audit  |  |   | £493.81                         |
| Medium-Large Scale annual audit   |  |   | £683.43                         |
| PROCESSOR   |  |   | 2025 Annual Fee (Net of VAT)    |
| Introductory - <i>Set fee for first year of membership for new processor Members (incl. transfer from another cert body)</i>    |  |   | £703.20                         |
| Small Processing Site annual audit (0.5 day, < 4 hrs)   |  |   | £703.20                         |
| Artisan Food Processor annual audit   |  |   | £932.78                         |
| Medium Site annual audit (1 day, <7 hrs)  |  |   | £1,185.15                       |
| Large Site annual audit (1.5 days, <10 hrs)   |  |   | £2,039.53                       |

Please also refer to SOPA's Payment Terms (issued Feb 2025)

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| FEE DISCOUNTS AND SURCHARGES 2025   |   |                  |
|-------------------------------------|---|------------------|
| Rough Grazing Discount              | Where more than 80% of the organic holding is registered as Rough Grazing   | -25%             |
| Late Payment Surcharge              | Applied if the membership invoice was not paid by the due date the previous year  | +5%              |
| Flexi Payment Admin Charge          | Where a Member wishes to pay in instalments, noting that the annual fee must be paid in full by 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2025. | +10%             |
| Multiple Membership Discount        | Where two or more memberships are linked by operational management  | -3%              |
| Member Services Fee                 | Flat rate fee charged to every SOPA Member to support & invest in the Member Services activities                                | £72.00 +VAT      |
| Certificate of Inspection (COI) Fee | Administrative cost for handling Import/Export Certificates of Inspection   | From £17.00 +VAT |

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