

# Directive

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## SERVICE FEES AND BILLING CODES

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## **1. PURPOSE**

This Directive transmits the fee schedule and billing codes for official services performed by the Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS), Federal Grain Inspection Service (FGIS), under the United States Grain Standards Act, and the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946. Additionally, the directive transmits the fee schedule for supervision of grain inspection and weighing services applicable to official inspection agencies.

## **2. REPLACEMENT HIGHLIGHTS**

This directive revises the fee schedule for rice inspection per Federal Register (87 FR 12795), dated June 14, 2022, with changes effective October 1, 2022. Additionally this directive revises specific rate codes associated with pesticide residue testing (PAM), ship stowage examinations with clarifying footnote for subsequent exams, and cooperator agreement fees to provide unique identifiers for service tracking purposes.

This Directive supersedes FGIS Directive 9180.74, dated February 1, 2022.

## **3. AUTHORITIES**

The United States Grain Standards Act, as amended

The Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946

Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 800 and 868

## **4. POLICY**

Fees assessed by FGIS for official services shall be reasonable, nondiscriminatory, and cover the estimated cost of the service. These costs include direct, administrative, and supervisory costs related to these services.

## **5. FEES AND BILLING CODES**

The attachments transmit the fees and billing codes for official services provided by FGIS.

Attachment 1- Fees for grain inspection and weighing services in the United States and Canada - As published in section 800.71(a) of the regulations under the United States Grain Standards Act, as amended. See Federal Register (87 FR 920), dated January 7, 2022, and became effective February 1, 2022.

Attachment 2- Fees for supervision of grain inspection and weighing services in the United States - As published in section 800.71(b) of the regulations under U.S. Grain Standards Act, as amended. See Federal Register (87 FR 920), dated January 7, 2022, and became effective February 1, 2022.

Attachment 3- Fees for rice inspection services - As published in section 868.91 of the regulations under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946. See Federal Register (87 FR 12795), dated June 14, 2022, and applicable beginning October 1, 2022.

Attachment 4- Fees for commodity inspection services - As published in section 868.90 of the regulations under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946. See Federal Register (66 FR 17775), dated April 4, 2001, and became effective May 4, 2001.

Attachment 5- Fees for laboratory tests – As published in section 868.90 of the regulations under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946. See Federal Register (69 FR 1893), dated January 13, 2004, and became effective February 12, 2004.

Attachment 6- Miscellaneous fees for other services – As published in section 800.71(d) of the regulations under U.S. Grain Standards Act, as amended. See Federal Register (87 FR 920), dated January 7, 2022, and became effective February 1, 2022.

## **6. FURTHER INFORMATION**

Direct any questions concerning this Directive to the Deputy Administrator, FGIS at (202) 720-9170.

Attachments

**Billing Codes and Fees for Official Grain Inspection and Weighing Services  
Provided under the United States Grain Standards Act in the United States and Canada<sup>1</sup>**

**TABLE 1**

**Fees for Official Services Performed at an Applicant's Facility  
in an Onsite FGIS Laboratory <sup>2</sup>**

<u>Service Description</u>		<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<u>Inspection and Weighing Services Hourly Fees (per service representative):</u>			
One-Year Contract	Monday-Friday (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	G201	\$37.30/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Monday-Friday (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.)	G202	\$39.10/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Saturday, Sunday, overtime <sup>3</sup>	G203	\$44.60/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Holidays	G204	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
Non-contract	Monday-Friday (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	G213	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Monday-Friday (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.)	G214	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Saturday, Sunday, overtime <sup>3</sup>	G215	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
	Holidays	G216	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
<u>Additional Tests (cost per test, assessed in addition to the hourly rate):<sup>4</sup></u>			
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method)		G218	\$10.60
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>5</sup>		G217	\$ 8.70
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method)		G293	\$19.30
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>5</sup>		G265	\$17.50
NIR or NMR Analysis (protein, oil, starch, etc.)		G230	\$ 2.60
Waxy corn (per test)		G284	\$ 2.60
Fees for other tests not listed above will be based on the noncontract hourly rate (per hour / per representative)		G240	\$66.20/hour <sup>8</sup>
<u>Other Services</u>			
<u>Class Y Weighing (per carrier)</u>			
Truck/container		G238	\$ 0.70
Railcar		G237	\$ 1.60
Barge		G236	\$ 2.80

**TABLE 1 – Continued**

**Fees for Official Services Performed at an Applicant’s Facility  
in an Onsite FGIS Laboratory <sup>2</sup>**

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
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Tonnage Fee (assessed in addition to all other applicable fees, only one tonnage fee will be assessed when inspection and weighing services are performed on the same carrier):

*National tonnage fee calculated \$0.054 plus 5% increase equals \$0.057*

*Local tonnage fees:*

*League City (calculated local \$0.043 plus 5% increase equals \$0.045)*

*New Orleans (calculated local \$0.019 plus 5% increase equals \$0.020)*

*Portland (calculated local \$0.134 plus 5% increase equals \$0.141)*

*Toledo (calculated local \$0.118 plus 5% increase equals \$0.124)*

All outbound carriers serviced by the specific field office (per-metric ton): <sup>7</sup>

Delegated States/Designated Agencies (national \$0.057) <sup>6</sup>	G24D	\$ 0.057
League City tonnage fee (local \$0.045 plus national \$0.057)	G24L	\$ 0.102
New Orleans tonnage fee (local \$0.020 plus national \$0.057)	G24N	\$ 0.077
Portland tonnage fee (local \$0.141 plus national \$0.057)	G24P	\$ 0.198
Toledo tonnage fee (local \$0.124 plus national \$0.057)	G24T	\$ 0.181

<sup>1</sup>Canada fees include the noncontract hourly rate, the Toledo field office tonnage fee, and the actual cost of travel.

<sup>2</sup>Fees apply to original inspection and weighing, re-inspection, and appeal inspection service and include, but are not limited to, sampling, grading, weighing, prior to loading stowage examinations, and certifying results performed within 25 miles of an employee’s assigned duty station. Travel and related expenses will be charged for service outside 25 miles as found in section 800.72(a) – use travel rate code G276.

<sup>3</sup>Overtime rates will be assessed for all hours in excess of 8 consecutive hours that result from an applicant scheduling or requesting service beyond 8 hours, or if requests for additional shifts exceed existing staffing.

<sup>4</sup>Appeal and re-inspection services will be assessed the same fee as the original inspection service.

<sup>5</sup>Applicant must provide the test kit, instrument hardware, calibration control, and all supplies required by the test kit manufacturer.

<sup>6</sup>Tonnage fee is assessed on export grain inspected and/or weighed, excluding land carrier shipments to Canada and Mexico.

<sup>7</sup>Standard carrier capacity for trucks/submitted samples – 52,800 lbs. (approx. 23.95 metric tons (mt)), container – 54,000 lbs. (approx. 24.49 mt), rail – 220,000 lbs. (approx. 99.79 mt), barge – 3,648,000 lbs. (approx. 1,654.70 mt), Pacific Northwest (PN) barge – 6,707,000 lbs. (approx. 3,042.24 mt).

<sup>8</sup>Hourly fees will be assessed in ¼-hour increments for each service representative.

**TABLE 2**

**Services Performed at Other Than an Applicant's Facility in an FGIS Laboratory** <sup>1/2/</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<u>Original Inspection and Weighing (Class X) Services</u>		
<i>Sampling only (use hourly rates from Table 1)</i>		
<i>Stationary Lots (sampling, grade/factor, &amp; checkloading):</i>		
Truck/trailer/container (per carrier)	G278	\$ 20.80
Railcar (per carrier)	G250	\$ 30.80
Barge (per carrier)	G222	\$ 193.70
Sacked grain (per hour per service representative plus an administrative fee per hundred weight)(CWT)	G254	\$ 0.074/CWT
<i>Lots sampled online during loading (sampling use hourly rates from Table 1, plus):</i>		
Truck/trailer/container	G277	\$ 12.60
Railcar (per carrier)	G249	\$ 26.00
Barge (per carrier)	G221	\$ 132.40
Sacked grain (per hour per service representative plus an administrative fee per hundred weight)(CWT)	G253	\$ 0.074/CWT
<i>Other services:</i>		
Submitted sample (per sample - grade and factor)	G271	\$ 12.60
Warehouseman inspection (per sample)	G283	\$ 21.80
Factor only (per factor - maximum 2 factors)	G239	\$ 6.20
Checkloading/condition examination (use hourly rates from Table 1, plus an administrative fee per hundred weight if not previously assessed)(CWT)	G234	\$ 0.074/CWT
Re-inspection (grade and factor only. Sampling service additional, use hourly rates from Table 1)	G251	\$ 13.50
Class X Weighing (per hour per service representative)	G235	\$ 66.20

**TABLE 2 – Continued****Services Performed at Other Than an Applicant's Facility in an FGIS Laboratory** <sup>1/2/</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<i>Additional tests (excludes sampling)</i>		
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method)	G220	\$31.10
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>3</sup>	G219	\$29.30
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method)	G294	\$40.10
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>3</sup>	G266	\$38.00
<i>NIR or NMR Analysis (protein, oil, starch, etc.)</i>		
Waxy Corn (per test)	G264	\$ 10.60
Canola (per test - 00 dip test)	G285	\$ 10.60
<i>Pesticide Residue Testing</i>		
<i>Routine Compounds (per sample)</i>		
Pesticide Residue PAM-1r7 (C/SB/W) (per sample)	PAM01	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-2r4 (C/SB/W) (per sample)	PAM02	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-3r4 (C/SB/W) (per sample)	PAM03	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-5r2 (C/SB) (per sample)	PAM05	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-10r5 (C/SB/W) (per sample)	PAM10	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-11r1 (C/SB/W) (per sample)	PAM11	\$223.20
Pesticide Residue PAM-12r1 (SB) (per sample)	PAM12	\$223.20
Non-routine Compounds (Subject to availability) (per hour per service representative)	G248	\$119.00/hour <sup>6</sup>
Fees for other tests not listed above will be based on the noncontract hourly rate from Table 1	G240	\$66.20/hour <sup>6</sup>
<u>Appeal inspection and review of weighing service<sup>4</sup></u>		
Board appeal and Appeals (grade and factor)	G226	\$ 84.70
Factor only (per factor - max 2 factors) <sup>5</sup>	G225	\$ 44.60
<i>Sampling service for Appeals additional (hourly rates from Table 1)</i>		
<i>Additional tests (assessed in addition to all other applicable tests):</i>		
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method)	G223	\$ 31.10
Aflatoxin (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>3</sup>	G224	\$ 29.10
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method)	G295	\$ 48.70
All other Mycotoxins (rapid test kit method-applicant provides kit) <sup>3</sup>	G298	\$ 46.80
NIR or NMR Analysis (protein, oil, starch, etc.)	G267	\$ 18.40
Sunflower oil (per test)	G228	\$ 18.40
Mycotoxin (per test - HPLC)	G297	\$145.60
Tilletia controversa Kühn (TCK) spores testing (per sample)	G2TCK	\$231.70
Fees for other tests not listed above will be based on the noncontract hourly rate from Table 1	G240	\$ 66.20/hour <sup>6</sup>
Review of weighing (per hour per service representative)	G252	\$ 85.50/hour <sup>6</sup>

**TABLE 2 – Continued**

**Services Performed at Other Than an Applicant’s Facility in an FGIS Laboratory** <sup>1/2/</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<u>Stowage examination (service on request)</u>		
Ship (per stowage space)(minimum 5 spaces per ship)	G270	\$ 52.80
Subsequent ship examinations(same as original) <sup>7</sup> (minimum 3 spaces per ship)	G270SR	\$ 52.80
Barge (per examination)	G259	\$ 42.30
All other carriers (per examination)	G260	\$ 16.70

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<sup>1</sup>Fees apply to original inspection and weighing, re-inspection, and appeal inspection service and include, but are not limited to, sampling, grading, weighing, prior to loading stowage examinations, and certifying results performed within 25 miles of an employee’s assigned duty station. Travel and related expenses will be charged for service outside 25 miles as found in section 800.72(a) – use travel rate code G276.

<sup>2</sup>An additional charge will be assessed when the revenue from the services in Schedule A, Table 2, does not cover what would have been collected at the applicable hourly rate as provided in section 800.72(b).

<sup>3</sup>Applicant must provide the test kit, instrument hardware, calibration control, and all supplies required by the test kit manufacturer.

<sup>4</sup>If, at the request of the Service, a file sample is located and forwarded by the Agency, the Agency may, upon request, be reimbursed at the rate of \$3.50 per sample by the Service. (Invoice processed through appropriate payment method.)

<sup>5</sup>Factor only appeal – In accordance with 800.135(b) Kind and Scope, an appeal inspection is limited to the kind and scope of the original or re-inspection service; in the case of factor-only inspections, the service is limited to a maximum of two factors with no grade assignment.

<sup>6</sup>Hourly fees will be assessed in ¼-hour increments for each service representative.

<sup>7</sup>Ship subsequent examinations must be completed within 24 hours of the previous exam.



**TABLE 3**

**Miscellaneous Services** <sup>1</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
Grain grading seminars (per hour per service representative) <sup>2</sup>	G242	\$ 66.20
Certification of diverter-type mechanical samplers (per hour per service representative) <sup>2</sup>	G258	\$ 66.20
<u>Special Weighing Services (per hour per service representative)<sup>2/5/</sup></u>		
Scale testing and certification	G246	\$ 86.10
Scale testing and certification of railroad track scales	G246	\$ 86.10
Evaluation of weighing and material handling systems	G246	\$ 86.10
NTEP prototype evaluation (other than Railroad Track Scales)	G246	\$ 86.10
NTEP prototype evaluation of Railroad Track Scales	G246	\$ 86.10
Use of FGIS railroad track scale test equipment per facility for each requested service (except agreements)	G245	\$516.20
Mass standards calibration and re-verification	G246	\$ 86.10
Special [weighing] projects	G246	\$ 86.10
Foreign travel (hourly fee) <sup>3</sup>	G241	\$ 86.10
Samples provided to interested parties (per sample)	G255	\$ 3.00
Extra copies of certificates (per certificate), faxing (per page), and divided lots (per certificate)	G299	\$ 2.10/copy
Special mailing (actual cost) <sup>4</sup>	G2XX	Actual Cost
Travel (mileage, airfare, per diem, etc.)	G276	Actual Cost
Preparing certificates onsite or during other than normal business hours (use hourly rates from Table 1.)		

<sup>1</sup>Any requested service that is not listed will be performed per hour (based on the noncontract hourly rate – rate code G240).

<sup>2</sup>Regular business hours-Monday through Friday-service provided at other than regular business hours will be charged at 1½ times the applicable hourly rate (see Section 800.0(b)(14) for definition of “business day.”)

<sup>3</sup>Foreign travel charged hourly fee based on rate code G241, plus travel, per diem, and related expenditures – using travel rate code G276.

<sup>4</sup>Rate code G2XX should only be used when there is no other rate code that matches the service performed.

<sup>5</sup>Travel time will be assessed at the applicable hourly rate using rate code G246.

**Fees for FGIS Supervision of Official Inspection and Weighing Services  
Performed by Delegated States and/or Designated Agencies in the United States**

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
Supervision fee charged is charged per metric ton of domestic U.S. grain shipments inspected and/or weighed, including Land carrier shipments to Canada and Mexico <sup>1/2/3/</sup>	D308	\$0.000

***Supervision fee assessment is suspended effective 2/1/2022***

<sup>1</sup>The tonnage fee will be assessed only on original inspections or weights.

<sup>2</sup>Inspections involving “Warehouseman Inspections” must indicate the type of carrier involved.

<sup>3</sup>Standard carrier capacity for trucks/submitted samples – 52,800 lbs. (approx. 23.95 metric tons (mt)), rail – 220,000 lbs. (approx. 99.79 mt), barge – 3,648,000 lbs. (approx. 1,654.70 mt), Pacific Northwest (PN) barge – 6,707,000 lbs. (approx. 3,042.24 mt).

**Billing Codes and Rates for Federal Rice Inspection Services**  
**Under the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946**

**TABLE 1**

**Fees for certain Federal rice inspection services**

Hourly Rates <sup>1</sup>

<u>Service</u>		<u>Billing</u>	<u>Billing</u>
<u>Description</u>		<u>Code</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Contract	Regular Monday-Friday (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	R7CRG	\$ 56.30/hour <sup>3</sup>
	Overtime	R7COT	\$ 84.50/hour <sup>3</sup>
	Holiday	R7CHL	\$112.60/hour <sup>3</sup>
Non-contract	Regular Monday-Friday (6 a.m. to 6 p.m.)	R7NRG	\$ 66.60/hour <sup>3</sup>
	Overtime	R7NOT	\$ 99.90/hour <sup>3</sup>
	Holiday	R7NHL	\$133.20/hour <sup>3</sup>

Unit Rate per hundred weight (CWT)

Export Rice Inspection <sup>2</sup>	R705	\$0.047/CWT
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<sup>1</sup>Original and appeal inspection services include: Sampling, grading, weighing, and other services requested by the applicant when performed at the applicant's facility.

<sup>2</sup>This is a unit fee per hundred weight (CWT) for all rice inspection services performed on lots at rest at export locations; e.g., condition examination of sacked rice at a dockside warehouse.

<sup>3</sup>Hourly rates are assessed in ¼ -hour increments for each service representative.

**TABLE 2**

Unit Rates Service <sup>1/3/</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<u>Inspection for quality (per lot, subplot, or sample inspection):</u>		
Rough rice	R712	\$41.80
Brown rice for processing	R710	\$37.60
Milled rice	R711	\$30.30
<u>Factor analysis for any single factor (per factor):</u>		
Milling yield (per sample) (Rough or Brown rice)	R709	\$32.00
All other factors (per factor) (all other rice)	R733	\$19.90
Total oil and free fatty acid	R713	\$45.80
<u>Stowage Examination (service-on-request)</u>		
Ship (per stowage space) (minimum 5 spaces per ship)	R715	\$38.50
Subsequent ship examinations (same as original) <sup>4</sup> (minimum 3 spaces per ship)	R715SR	\$38.50
Barge (per examination)	R716	\$35.10
All other carriers (per examination)	R717	\$12.90
Aflatoxin (Rapid Test Kit)(per test) <sup>2</sup>	R722	\$31.40
All other Mycotoxins (Rapid Test Kit)(per test) <sup>2</sup>	R725	\$37.50
Travel (mileage, airfare, per diem, etc.)	R7TRV	Actual Cost
Faxed and extra copies of certificates (per copy/page)	R799	\$1.90
AMA Rice Cooperative Agreement Fees (% of fees collected)	R7CA%	4%

Fees for other services not referenced in Table 2 will be based on the applicable non-contract hourly rate listed in Table 1

<sup>1</sup>The unit rates apply to determinations (original or appeal) for kind, class, grade, factor analysis, equal to type, milling yield, or any other quality designation as defined in the U.S. Standards for Rice or applicable instructions, whether performed singly or combined at other than at the applicant's facility (the point of service). Refer to §868.92 Explanation of service fees and additional fees, for all other service fees except travel and per diem.

<sup>2</sup>Rate based on ¼ hour non-contract hourly rate, plus kit and supplies, for all levels of service (original, re-inspection, Appeal, Board Appeal).

<sup>3</sup>Rate code R7XX should only be used when there is no other rate code that matches the service performed.

<sup>4</sup>Ship subsequent examinations must be completed within 24 hours of the previous exam.

**Billing Codes and Rates for Commodity Inspection Services  
(Pulses, Hops, and Miscellaneous Processed Commodities)  
Under the AMA of 1946**

Table 1 – Hourly/Unit Rates<sup>1/4/</sup>

[Fees for inspection of commodities other than rice]

**TABLE 1**

Hourly Rates<sup>1</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
Hourly rates (per service representative per hour):		
Regular Hourly Rate: Monday – Friday	C801	\$34.20/hour <sup>3</sup>
Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays	C802	\$44.40/hour <sup>3</sup>

Unit Rates<sup>1</sup>

**Miscellaneous Processed Commodities<sup>2</sup>**

*Additional Tests (costs per test, assessed in addition to the hourly rate):*

Falling Number	C808	\$12.50/test
Aflatoxin Test Kit – Online	C804	\$ 7.50/kit

**Graded Commodities (Beans, Peas, Lentils, and Pulses)**

*Additional Tests (costs per test, assessed in addition to the hourly rate):*

Field run (per lot or sample, Appeal, Board Appeal)	C809	\$23.00/test
Other than field run (per lot or sample, Appeal, Board Appeal)	C811	\$13.75/test
Factor analysis (per lot or sample, Appeal, Board Appeal)	C807	\$ 5.65/factor

*Additional Tests—Unit Rate (Hops)*

Lot or sample (per lot or sample, Appeal, Board Appeal)	C810	\$29.30/lot
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*Additional Tests—Unit Rates (Nongraded Nonprocessed Commodities):*

Factor analysis (per factor)	C806	\$ 5.65/factor
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**TABLE 1 - Continued**

Unit Rates<sup>1</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
<u>Stowage Examination (service-on-request)</u>		
Ship (per stowage space) (minimum 5 spaces per ship)	C814	\$50.50
Subsequent ship examinations (same as original) (minimum 3 spaces per ship)	C814SR	\$50.50
Barge (per examination)	C812	\$40.50
All other carriers (per examination)	C813	\$15.50
<u>Services Performed Online at the Applicant's Facility<sup>2</sup>:</u>		
Vomitoxin (Qualitative) - Online	C816	\$12.50/test
Vomitoxin (Quantitative) - Online	C817	\$18.50/test
All Other Mycotoxins - Online	C818	\$18.50/test
<u>Services Performed at Other Than an Applicant's Facility<sup>2</sup>:</u>		
Aflatoxin – Non Field Run	C805	\$22.50/test
Vomitoxin (Qualitative)	C819	\$31.00/test
Vomitoxin (Quantitative)	C820	\$38.50/test
All Other Mycotoxins	C821	\$38.50/test
<u>Services Performed on Board Appeals and Appeals<sup>2</sup>:</u>		
Aflatoxin	C822	\$30.00/test
Vomitoxin (Qualitative)	C823	\$41.00/test
Vomitoxin (Quantitative)	C824	\$47.00/test
All Other Mycotoxins	C825	\$47.00/test
Travel (mileage, airfare, per diem, etc.)	C815	Actual Cost
Faxing and extra copies of certifications (per page) AMA	C899	\$ 1.50
Commodity Cooperative Agreement Fees (% of fees collected)	C8CA%	4%

<sup>1</sup>Fees for original commodity inspection and appeal inspection services include, but are not limited to, sampling, grading, weighing, stowage examinations, pre-inspection conferences, sanitation inspections, and other services requested by the applicant and that are performed within 25 miles of the field office. Travel and related expenses (commercial transportation costs, mileage, and per diem) will be assessed in addition to the hourly rate for service beyond the 25-mile limit – use travel rate code C815. Refer to §868.92 Explanation of service fees and additional fees, for all other service fees except travel and per diem.

<sup>2</sup>When performed at a location other than the Commodity Testing Laboratory.

<sup>3</sup>Hourly rates are assessed in ¼ -hour increments for each service representative.

<sup>4</sup>Rate code C8XX should only be used when there is no other rate code that matches the service performed.

<sup>5</sup>Ship subsequent examinations must be completed within 24 hours of the previous exam.

**Billing Codes and Rates for Commodity Inspection Services  
(Pulses, Hops, and Miscellaneous Processed Commodities)  
Under the AMA of 1946**

**TABLE 2**

Fees for Laboratory Test Services<sup>1/2/3/4/</sup>

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
Aflatoxin (Quantitative—HPLC)	CTL001	\$182.00
Aflatoxin (Quantitative—Test Kit)	CTL002	\$ 87.00
Aflatoxin (Qualitative—Test Kit)	CTL003	\$ 47.00
Appearance and odor	CTL004	\$ 7.00
Ash	CTL005	\$ 17.00
Brix	CTL006	\$ 16.00
Calcium	CTL007	\$ 27.00
Caroteniod color	CTL008	\$ 27.00
Cold test (oil)	CTL009	\$ 20.00
Color test (syrups)	CTL010	\$ 13.00
Cooking test (pasta)	CTL011	\$ 13.00
Crude fat	CTL012	\$ 20.00
Crude fiber	CTL013	\$ 27.00
Falling number	CTL014	\$ 24.00
Free fatty acid	CTL015	\$ 24.00
Insoluble impurities (oils and shortenings)	CTL016	\$ 9.00
Iron enrichment	CTL017	\$ 30.00
Lovibond color	CTL018	\$ 20.00
Moisture	CTL019	\$ 13.00
Moisture and volatile matter	CTL020	\$ 17.00
Oxidative stability index (OSI)	CTL021	\$ 54.00
Peroxide Value	CTL022	\$ 27.00
Peroxide Value (dry commodities)	CTLF12	\$ 50.25
Popping ratio	CTL023	\$ 38.00
Protein	CTL024	\$ 16.00
Sanitation (filth light)	CTL025	\$ 47.00
Sieve test	CTL026	\$ 11.00
Smoke point	CTL027	\$ 43.00
Solid fat index	CTL028	\$168.00
Visual exam	CTL029	\$ 22.00
Vomitoxin (Qualitative—Test Kit)	CTL030	\$ 61.00
Vomitoxin (Quantitative—Test Kit)	CTL031	\$ 81.00
Other laboratory analytical services (per hour per service representative)	CTL032	\$ 67.00

<sup>1</sup>When laboratory tests/services are provided for FGIS by a private laboratory, the applicant will be assessed a fee, which, as nearly as practicable, covers the costs to FGIS for the service provided.

<sup>2</sup>In addition to the fees, if any, for sampling or other requested service, a fee will be assessed for each laboratory test (original, retest, or appeal) listed in Table 2 of this section.

<sup>3</sup>If a requested test is to be reported on a specified moisture basis, a fee for a moisture test will also be assessed.

<sup>4</sup>Laboratory tests referenced in Table 2 of this section will be charged at the applicable laboratory fee.



**Billing Codes and Rates for Miscellaneous Fees for Other Services  
Under the USGSA**

<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>	<u>Billing Rate</u>
Export Registration Fee	ER04	\$331.00
Designation Amendments	DA01	\$519.20