

**PROTECTIVE SERVICES**

**Trading Standards fees and charges for year commencing 6th April 2026**

<i>The following fees are subject to VAT</i>	<b>Cost</b>
<b>Liquid Fuel Measuring Instruments</b>	
First nozzle tested, per site	£195.15
Each additional nozzle	£109.15
Testing of peripheral equipment i.e. OPT	£120.18 per hour
STA dispensers incur the following charge in addition to nozzle fee:	£24.25 each
<b>Measures</b>	
Rigid linear measures, not exceeding 1 m	£20.95 each
Capacity measures/cylinders/flasks not exceeding 1 litre	£18.17 each
Capacity measures etc as above, exceeding 1 litre but not exceeding 20 litres	£33.08 each
Liquid capacity measures for making up and checking average quantity packages	£45.73 each
<b>Measuring Instruments for Intoxicating Liquor</b>	
Not exceeding 175ml	£33.08 each
Other	£38.60 each
<b>NAWI</b>	
Not exceeding 100 kg	£77.70 per hour
Exceeding 100 kg to 1 tonne	£141.12 per hour
Exceeding 1 tonne to 10 tonnes	£257.69 per hour
Exceeding 10 tonnes to 60 tonnes	£551.85 per hour
<b>Non-NAWI</b>	
Not exceeding 100 kg	£77.70 per hour
Exceeding 100 kg to 1 tonne	£141.12 per hour
Exceeding 1 tonne to 10 tonnes	£257.69 per hour
Exceeding 10 tonnes to 60 tonnes	£551.85 per hour
Notes:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> When testing NAWI or Non-NAWI instruments incorporating a remote display or printing facilities, and/or where testing requires the presence of a second officer, an additional fee will be charged.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A fee will be chargeable to cover officer's time for undue delay to the testing process if equipment is not ready or if testing is aborted as a result of further repair work required etc.</li> </ul>	<p>50% surcharge on stated fee.</p> <p>50% of stated fee.</p>

□ Where overnight accommodation or non-standard travel expenses are necessary, the full cost of such will be recharged to the customer.	
<b>Certificate of errors</b>	
For supplying a certificate containing results of errors found upon testing (certificate supplied upon request of the submitter; fee applies when no other fee is payable).	£59.54 each

<b>Weights submitted for testing/calibration</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Weights up to 5 kg	£15.96 each
Weights over 5 kg	£19.27 each
Adjustment of weights	£11.00 per weight
<b>Capacity Measures</b>	
Any measure up to and including 20 litres	£121.28 per hour
	(inc. part hour)
<b>Miscellaneous charges</b>	
Issue of duplicate Certificate of Calibration (when requested other than at time of testing)	£18.17
Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations – to research, acquire, assemble, and forward information requested under the legislation (minimum fee £49.61)	£115.18 per hour (fee subject to VAT)
Notes: 1. Any verifications, calibrations, inspections, or testing carried out at weekends, or on Public Holidays, will be charged at 200% of the normal fee. 2. Fife Council reserves the right to amend the amounts for any fees or charges should it need to do so - for example on the publication of any new, centrally issued statutory fees.	

<b>The Health and Safety and Nuclear (Fees) (Amendment).... Regulations 2024</b>	
Applications for the granting of storage certificates and petrol licences under ' <b>The Petroleum (Consolidation) Regulations 2014'</b>	<b>Cost per annum</b>
(The following licence fees are set by statute and are not subject to VAT)	
<b>Storage Certificate, where premises to be used to store petrol of a quantity:</b>	
Not exceeding 2,500 litres	£48.00
Exceeding 2,500 litres but not exceeding 50,000 litres	£65.00
Exceeding 50,000 litres	£137.00
<b>Licence to keep petrol of a quantity:</b>	
Not exceeding 2,500 litres	£48.00
Exceeding 2,500 litres but not exceeding 50,000 litres	£65.00
Exceeding 50,000 litres	£137.00

n.b. Application can be made for a period of 1 – 10 years.

<b>EXPLOSIVES STORAGE (Explosives Regulations 2014)</b>	<b>Cost</b>
<u>New</u> licence to store explosives where no minimum separation distance or a 0 metres separation is prescribed	
1 year duration	£119.00
2 years duration	£154.00
3 years duration	£190.00
4 years duration	£226.00
5 years duration	£260.00
<u>Renewal</u> of licence to store explosives where no minimum separation distance or a 0 metres minimum separation distance is prescribed.	
1 year duration	£59.00
2 years duration	£94.00
3 years duration	£132.00
4 years duration	£166.00
5 years duration	£202.00
<u>New</u> licence to store explosives where a minimum separation distance of greater than 0 metres is prescribed.	
1 year duration	£202.00
2 years duration	£266.00
3 years duration	£333.00
4 years duration	£409.00
5 years duration	£463.00
<u>Renewal</u> of licence to store explosives where a minimum separation distance of greater than 0 metres is prescribed.	
1 year duration	£94.00
2 years duration	£161.00
3 years duration	£226.00
4 years duration	£291.00
5 years duration	£357.00
Varying name of licensee or address of site	£40.00
Any other kind of variation is charged at the reasonable cost to the licensing authority of having the work carried out.	
Transfer of a licence	£40.00
Replacement of a licence if lost	£40.00
Note – the onus to renew any existing Explosives Licence before it expires is the responsibility of the person who holds, or is deemed to hold, any relevant current licence. No reminder letter to renew an Explosives Licence will be issued by Fife Council.	

<b>Fireworks Regulations 2004</b>	
Issue of Licence to store explosives for the purposes of Regulation 9 of the 'Fireworks Regulations 2004'	
Licensing of fireworks suppliers	£500.00
Note – allows the Licensee to sell fireworks all year round, including outside the prescribed time periods.	
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