

CERTIFICATION RULES NF 441

DOMESTIC SOLAR WATER HEATERS



2016 Fees (amounts € HT)

In application of the NF 441 certification rules

(The indicated price lists get onexclusive of tax and are to be increased of the rate of current VAT)

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Applicable fees – terms of payment

1. APPLICABLE FEES

Fees for the services involved in obtaining certification and surveillance of certified products are indicated in a list of charges which may be revised annually. The rates for the current year are sent to all licensees of the mark.

The rates are expressed in Euro, and are exclusive of VAT. With regard to test fees, samples shall be delivered to the testing laboratory carriage-free and customs-cleared if necessary, within a period of time to exceed 2 weeks from the sampling date.

Invoices for tests are sent once the laboratory in charge of the tests is in possession of the samples.

1.1. FEES FOR OBTAINING CERTIFICATION (in € EXCL. VAT)

SERVICES			RATE
TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION OF THE FILES (1)			
- For the first range			2 491 € HT
- For the following range, per range			1060 € HT
- Issue of certificate on the basis of simulation/per certificate			371 € HT
ADMISSION AUDIT			
Fixed rate admission audit France metropolitan or Europe (EU and Switzerland) (including the preparation, the audit's service, the report and the time of travel) (Additional stay and travel fees: see § 1.6)			
Distributor	Production unit of collectors(*) or tanks	Manufacturer	Manufacturer including in the same site a production of collectors (*) or tanks
2968 € HT	3763 € HT	2968 € HT	4134 € HT
Fixed rate admission audit outside France metropolitan or outside Europe (Out of EU and Switzerland) (including the preparation, the audit's service, the report and the time of travel) (Additional stay and travel fees: see § 1.6)			
Distributor	Production unit of collectors(*) or tanks	Manufacturer	Manufacturer including in the same site a production of collectors (*) or tanks
3604 € HT	4134 € HT	3604 € HT	5247 € HT

(1) Management fees are charged at the minimum rate, per assembly site. However, additional fees may be charged on the basis of EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION 's hourly rate, in case of review or additional technical assistance necessary to process an application.

hourly rate = 159 € HT

(*) in the case of collectors not certified at the time of NF CESA application processing

BELENOS RATE	
Simulations, tests and extrapolation calculations (2)	
<u>Simulation as per NF EN 15316-4-3</u> - For the 1 st range - For the 2 ^{ème} range - For the 3 ^{ème} range and the following ranges	2 080 € HT 1 675 € HT 1 015 € HT
<u>Thermal performance tests as per ISO 9459-5 and NF EN 12976-2</u> Domestic Solar Water Heaters No auxiliary Domestic Solar Water Heaters with Electric auxiliary Domestic Solar Water Heaters with Hydraulic auxiliary Domestic Solar Water Heaters with Mixed auxiliary (Electric & Hydraulic) Domestic Solar Water Heaters with hydraulic auxiliary powered by a device inseparable from the tank	6 630 € HT 7 260 € HT 7 970 € HT 8 425 € HT 7 970 € HT
<u>Extrapolation</u> as per § 2.1.3.2 of the certification rule NF Mark – Domestic Solar Water Heater of the results obtained on the reference system to whole systems of a range per range (for 15 models)/per auxiliary.	1 675 € HT
CSTB RATE	
Simulations, tests and extrapolation calculations (2)	
<u>Simulation as per NF EN 15316-4-3</u> - For the 1 st range - For the 2 ^{ème} range - For the 3 ^{ème} range and the following ranges	2 000 € HT 1 600 € HT 1 000 € HT
<u>Thermal performance tests as per ISO 9459-5 and NF EN 12976-2</u> "Classical Domestic Solar Water Heaters" Domestic Solar Water Heaters with hydraulic auxiliary powered by a device inseparable from the tank	6 400 € HT 7 400 € HT
<u>Extrapolation</u> as per § 2.1.3.2 of the certification rule NF Mark – Domestic Solar of the results obtained on the reference system to whole systems of a range (15 models).	1 600 € HT

(2) In case of review or additional technical assistance, necessary to process simulations, tests and extrapolations, a quotation will be done for these services.

1.2. MONITORING OF CERTIFIED PRODUCTS (in € EXCL. VAT)

SERVICES		RATE	
QUALITY FOLLOW-UP OF THE FILE,			
- For the 1st certificat		2 491 € HT	
- For the following certificate, per certificate		212 € HT	
FOLLOW-UP AUDIT			
Fixed rate admission audit France metropolitan or Europe (EU and Switzerland) (including the preparation, the audit's service, the report and the time of travel) (Additional stay and travel fees: see § 6.1.4.)			
Distributor	Production unit of collectors(*) or tanks	Manufacturer	Manufacturer including in the same site a production of collectors (*) or tanks
2650 € HT	3180 € HT	2650 € HT	3816 € HT
Fixed rate admission audit outside France metropolitan or outside Europe (Out of EU and Switzerland) (including the preparation, the audit's service, the report and the time of travel) (Additional stay and travel fees: see § 6.1.4.)			
Distributor	Production unit of collectors(*) or tanks	Manufacturer	Manufacturer including in the same site a production of collectors (*) or tanks
3286 € HT	3816 € HT	3286 € HT	4452 € HT
BELENOS RATE			
Follow-up tests: Tests as per S-Store Sequence of §6.3.5 of ISO 9459-5		3 850 € HT	
CSTB RATE			
Follow-up tests: Tests as per S-Store Sequence of §6.3.5 of ISO 9459-5		3 500 € HT	

1.3. ADMISSION EXTENSION (IN € EXCL. VAT)

SERVICES	RATE
Technical instruction of the file (1)	
- per range	954 € HT
Test	§ 1.1

(1) Management fees are charged at the minimum rate, per assembly site. However, additional fees may be charged on the basis of EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION 's hourly rate, in case of review or additional technical assistance necessary to process an application.

hourly rate = 159 € HT

1.4. RIGHT TO USE – DISTRIBUTORS (IN € EXCL. VAT)

SERVICES	RATE
Technical instruction of the file and certificat (1)	
- per certificat	954 € HT

(1) Management fees are charged at the minimum rate, per assembly site. However, additional fees may be charged on the basis of EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION 's hourly rate, in case of review or additional technical assistance necessary to process an application.

hourly rate = 159 € HT

1.5. OBTAINING CERTIFICATION FOR A DISTRIBUTOR (in € EXCL. VAT)

1.5.1 Certification achievement

SERVICES	RATE
Technical instruction of the file (1)	
- first range	2 491 € HT
- for subsequent range	1060 € HT
Audit	§ 1.1

((1) Management fees are charged at the minimum rate, per assembly site. However, additional fees may be charged on the basis of EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION 's hourly rate, in case of review or additional technical assistance necessary to process an application.

hourly rate = 159 € HT

1.5.2 Certification follow - up

SERVICES	RATE
Quality follow-up of the file	
- For the 1st certificat	2 491 € HT
- For the following certificate, per certificate	1060 € HT
Audit	§ 1.1

1.6. INVOICING OF LIVING AND TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

Living and transportation expenses are invoiced based on actual costs with expenses of 11 % service

1.7. AUDIT CANCELLATION

Any cancellation of an audit, the date of which has been established between EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION and audited company, shall be invoiced on the following basis:

- cancellation 16 days to 11 days prior to the foreseen date: 50% of the audit amount
- cancellation 10 days to 6 days prior to the foreseen date: 75% of the audit amount
- cancellation 5 days before foreseen date: 100 % of the audit amount.

2. TERMS OF PAYMENT

The sending of invoices is only made by e-mail. If you need a hard copy of the invoice, feel free to ask it. We will send it in the shortest possible time.

2.1. PAIEMENT OF INVOICES



RELEVÉ D'IDENTITÉ BANCAIRE

Titulaire
EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION

Domiciliation
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Référence bancaire

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30003	03020	00020682179	43

IBAN : **FR76 3000 3030 2000 0206 8217 943**

BIC-ADRESSE SWIFT : **SOGEFRPP**

2.2 COLLECTING PAYMENT

EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION, mandated body, is empowered to collect all payments.

The applicant or the licensee shall settle these invoices under the prescribed conditions: any failure on the part of the licensee prevents EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION from exercising its inspection and operating responsibilities incumbent on it by virtue of these regulations.

In cases where an initial formal notice by registered letter with acknowledgment of receipt does not result in the payment of all sums due within one month, EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION may adopt conservatory measures regarding the right to use the NF Mark for all of the licensee's allowed products.

2.3. OBTAINING CERTIFICATION

The services payable for each factory include the examination of files, the audit and simulation or testing on samples taken during this audit.

The fee for examination of the application is paid as a single sum when the application is filed and covers its examination (for a production site), its presentation to the Mark Committee, and



contribution to the general operation of the mark and to the right to use the NF Mark paid to AFNOR Certification.

The test fee is payable once the laboratory in charge of the tests is in possession of the samples.

No fees relating to examination of the application can be refunded, regardless of the result of the examination.

2.4. CERTIFIED PRODUCT SURVEILLANCE

Invoicing covers the right to use the NF Mark, passed on to AFNOR Certification, application follow-up, and the audit and tests carried out on samples during this audit.

If acceptance is granted during the course of the year, the amounts invoiced correspond to the services provided. Invoices for tests are sent once the laboratory in charge of the tests is in possession of the samples.

Following product certification, EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION invoices the licensee the right to use the NF Mark on an annual basis and paid to AFNOR Certification. This license fee is included in these rates.

This license fee is intended to cover:

- General operation of the NF Mark (organization of quality system, monitoring of bodies in the NF network, management of the certification committee),
- Defense of the NF Mark: filing and protecting the mark, legal advice, processing of appeals, legal fees, management of the misuses
- Contribution to the general promotion of the NF Mark.

In case of certification cancelling, collected fees are still acquired even in the case of the suspension or withdrawal of the right to use the NF Mark.

2.5. ADDITIONAL VERIFICATIONS

Costs resulting from additional audits or tests are payable by the manufacturer, regardless of the results.

Additional examination of the application is also invoiced for the processing of inadequacies or anomalies observed by EUROVENT CERTITA CERTIFICATION or following sanctions proposed by the committee.

Inspections continue and the corresponding fees continue to be charged for as long as stocks of NF-marked products remain on the licensee's premises.