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1 Introduction

1.1 General

The GMP+ Feed Safety Assurance Scheme (GMP+ FSA scheme) was initiated and developed in 1992 by the Dutch feed industry in response to various more or less serious incidents involving contamination in feed materials. Although it started as a national scheme, it has developed to become an international scheme that is managed by GMP+ International in collaboration with various international stakeholders.

The GMP+ FSA scheme is a complete scheme for the assurance of feed safety in all the links of the feed chain. Demonstrable assurance of feed safety is a 'license to sell' in many countries and markets and participation in the GMP+ FSA scheme can facilitate this excellently.

The basic principle of the GMP+ FSA scheme is that the feed chain is part of the food production chain. Proper quality assurance of feed safety throughout the feed chain has a high priority. It is important that companies take their responsibilities in this respect by responding in a proper and convincing way to the need for safe feed materials in the food production chain.

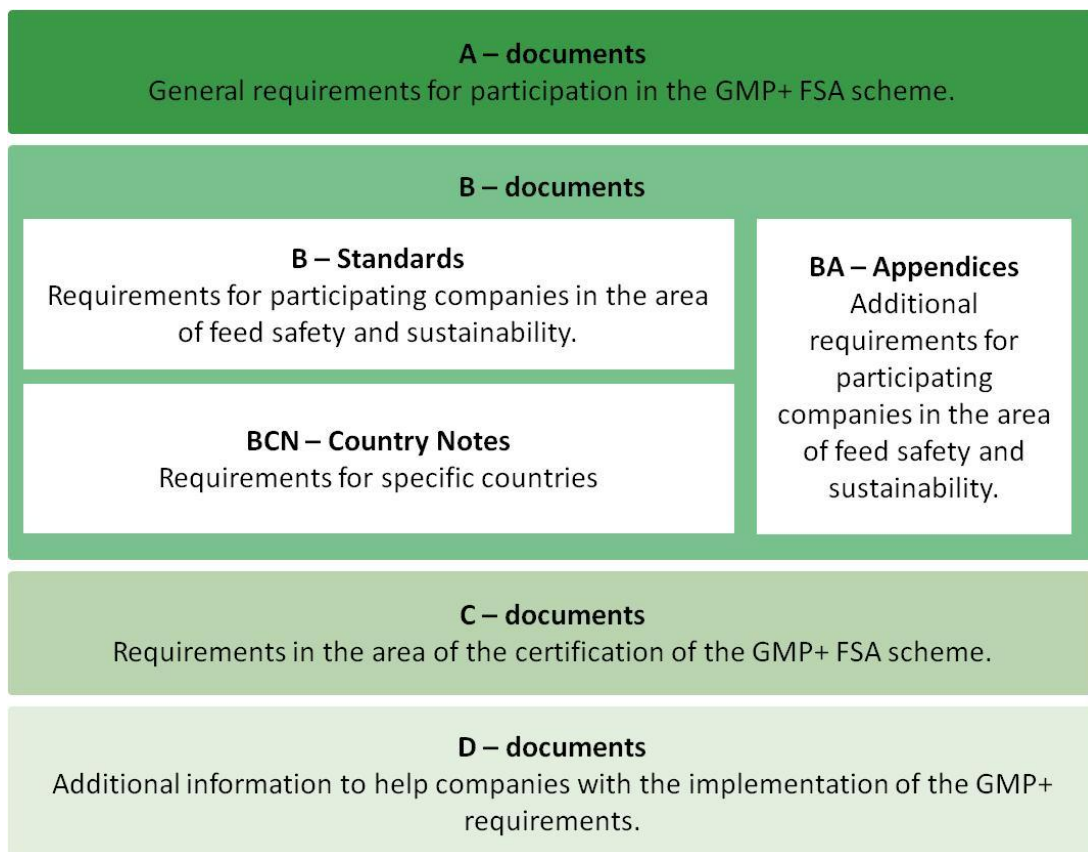
Based on needs in practice, multiple components have been integrated into the GMP+ FSA scheme, such as requirements for the quality management system (ISO 9001), HACCP, product standards, traceability, monitoring, prerequisites programmes, chain approach and the Early Warning System.

Together with the GMP+ partners, GMP+ International transparently sets clear requirements so that feed safety is guaranteed and certification bodies are able to carry out GMP+ certification independently.

GMP+ International supports the GMP+ participants with useful and practical information by way of its various databases, newsletters, Q&A lists and seminars.

1.2 Structure of the GMP+ Feed Safety Assurance scheme

The documents within the GMP+ FSA scheme are subdivided into a number of series. The next page shows a schematic representation of the contents of the GMP+ FSA scheme:



All of these documents are available through the GMP+ International website (www.gmpplus.org) .

This document will be referred to as the standard GMP+ C4 *Tariffs* and is part of the GMP+ FSA scheme.

2 Purpose of the document

This document contains the tariffs for the contributions in ~~2011-2012~~ which the certification bodies and the certified companies are due to pay to GMP+ International. This applies to the certification bodies which are approved for the issuing of GMP+ certificates to companies on the basis of the GMP+ Feed Safety Assurance scheme (GMP+ FSA scheme). It also applies to companies certified on the basis of the GMP+ FSA scheme. ~~The tariffs in 2011 are the same as in 2010.~~

The obligation to pay these financial contributions is laid down, on the one hand, in the approval contracts between the certification bodies and GMP+ International and, on the other hand, in the contracts between the certification bodies and the GMP+ certified companies.

Tariffs are also included for other services and products or for the establishment of mutual recognition between another scheme and the GMP+ FSA scheme.

The basic principle of the tariffs is that the income should cover all the costs incurred in the administration of the GMP+ FSA scheme and the associated support activities.

All amounts are exclusive of VAT. By GMP+ International is meant: GMP+ International B.V.

3 Certification bodies

3.1 Basic payment

- 3.1.1 The certification body will make the basic payments shown in Table 1 annually to GMP+ International.

Table 1: Tariffs basic payments (in euro's) for certification bodies

a. basic tariff	€ 1,200.00
b. use of database web application	€ 800.00
c. per standard / scope to be certified	€ 900.00 € 850.00
d. per approved auditor	€ 120.00

- 3.1.2 The certification body will be due to pay the basic rates in April ~~2011~~2012. Payment must be made on the basis of an invoice to be issued by GMP+ International.

- ~~3.1.3 In the event of the application of the International Feed Ingredient Standard (IFIS), the tariffs specified in Table 1 are correspondingly applicable.~~

3.2 Other payments

- 3.2.1 A certification body which submits an application for approval as specified in standard C1 *Approval Requirements and Procedure for Certification Bodies* in order to obtain a licence to be allowed to carry out GMP+ certification must make a payment prior to the start of the assessment to GMP+ International as specified in a. in Table 2.
- 3.2.2 A certification body which submits an application for approval for an auditor must make a payment prior to the start of the assessment to GMP+ International as specified in b. in Table 2.
- 3.2.3 A certification body which registers auditors for the taking of examinations must make a payment to GMP+ International per registered auditor, per standard as specified in c. in Table 2.
- 3.2.4 A certification body must make a payment to GMP+ International as specified in d. in Table 2 for the issuing of a written examination certificate for an auditor.
- 3.2.5 A certification body must make a payment per examination form to GMP+ International as specified in e. in Table 2 for the issuing of a copy of examinations.

Table 2: Tariffs basic payments (in euro's) for certification bodies

a.	application for the approval of a certification body	€ 1,500.00
b.	application for the approval of auditors	€ 380.00
c.	registration of an auditor for an examination	€ 90.00
d.	issuing of an examination certificate	€ 25.00
e.	issuing a copy of examination forms	€ 10.00

- 3.2.6 The certification bodies are required to pay the contributions of the GMP+ certified companies as referred to under par. 4 to GMP+ International. GMP+ International usually sends an invoice two months after the issuance of the certificate and in the corresponding month in each subsequent year that the certificate is valid. As a reference date, the end date of the certificate is used. If, after the issuance of the initial certificate, scopes/certificates are added, the month of each year similar to the one in which the end date lies, shall apply.
- 3.2.7 The amounts specified in sections 3.2.1 to 3.2.6 must be transferred within 30 days to the account of GMP+ International after receipt of an invoice.

4 GMP+ certified companies

4.1 General

- 4.1.1 A GMP+ certified company must make a financial payment to GMP+ International as specified below. The GMP+ certified company will make this payment via the certification body with which it has an agreement and it in turn must pay the amount in accordance with that which is determined in section 3.2.6 to GMP+ International.
- 4.1.2 If the certification for a company location relates to multiple areas of applicability (scopes) or to multiple standards then, for each additional area of applicability (scope) ~~and/or standard~~, 40% of the appropriate applicable amount is due. In these cases the highest amount is due in full and the discount applies to the lower tariffs. This does not apply to the scope "Transport animal feed ≤ 2 and (road- and train transport)". For these scopes, fixed amounts have been determined.

4.2 Certified companies

The GMP+ certified companies are due the basic fee listed in table 3 per business location and listed scope.

Table 3: Rates basic fee (in Euros) per scope for certified companies

Scopes	1 ^e t/m 5 ^e	6 ^e t/m 10 ^e	11 ^e t/m 15 ^e	16 ^e t/m 40 ^e	41 ^e t/m 60 ^e	61 ^e t/m 80 ^e	>80
Production of compound feed	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Production of premixes	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Production of feed materials	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Production of additives	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Storage and transfer of animal feed	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 50,00	€ 35,00	€ 20,00
Trade in animal feed	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Trade to livestock farms	€ 40,00	€ 30,00	€ 20,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00
Transport animal feed, road transport ≤ 2 mw.	€ 100,00	€ 100,00	€ 100,00	€ 100,00	€ 100,00	€ 100,00	€ 100,00
Transport animal feed, road transport >2 mw.	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Transport animal feed, rail transport	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Transport animal feed, inland waterway	€ 40,00	€ 30,00	€ 20,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00	€ 12,00
Transport of own products	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Affreightment of animal feed, road transport	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Affreightment of animal feed, inland waterway	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Affreightment of animal feed, short sea shipping	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Affreightment of animal feed, sea transport	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Affreightment of animal feed, rail transport	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Feed materials cultivation	€ 25,00						
Laboratory testing	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
GMP+ BCN-NL1 Antibiotics free feed*	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
GMP+ BCN-NL2 Dioxin-monitoring in laying hens (rearing) feed	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
GMP+ BCN-CN1 Sourcing of feed ingredients	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50

*The tariffs of the sample taking and analysis are €650,00 per sample. This will be charged directly by GMP+ International to the concerned company

Explanation:

A company will be assigned the scope Trade if it trades in animal feed it hasn't produced itself. Sale of self-produced animal feed is covered by the scope Production.

In the scope Transport, there is a distinction between small companies with less or equal to (\leq) 2 employees or with more employees.

The certification body is required to inform GMP+ International about the numbers of employees per certified company. If no registration was conducted, the highest rate will be used.

In addition to transport companies, there are also tractionairs with and without own manual. These fall under the structure of Transport animal feed

5 Other companies

In addition to the companies certified for the GMP+ FSA scheme there are also companies that are linked to GMP+ International in another way.

5.1 QS certified participants

A QS certified participant registered for acceptance within the GMP+ FSA scheme is due to GMP+ International an annual registration fee as referred to hereinafter., to cover the associated costs. The amount is to be transferred to the account of GMP+ International within 30 days after the invoice date.

Number of business locations	1 ^e t/m 5 ^e	6 ^e t/m 10 ^e	11 ^e t/m 15 ^e	16 ^e t/m 40 ^e	41 ^e t/m 60 ^e	61 ^e t/m 80 ^e	>80
Production animal feed compound feed	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Production animal feed premixes	€ 235,00	€ 176,25	€ 117,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50	€ 70,50
Other scopes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

If the certification for a business location concerns several scopes, 40% of the applicable registration fee is due for each additional scope. In these cases the highest amount is fully due and the discount applies to the lower rates.