

Defra

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Consultation on the review of fees for Seed Marketing (England & Wales)

Statutory seed testing fees

	Current fee (£)	Proposed fee (£)	Increase (%)
Loose smut infection in wheat, durum wheat, spelt wheat and barley (per thousand embryos examined)	65	73	12
<i>Botrytis</i> spp in sunflower	49	55	12
<i>Alternaria</i> spp, <i>Phoma exigua</i> var <i>linicola</i> , <i>Colletotrichum lini</i> , <i>Fusarium</i> spp and <i>Botrytis</i> spp in flax and linseed	39	45	15
<i>Pseudomonas syringae</i> pv <i>glycinea</i> in soya bean			
One sub-sample test	69	77	12
Five sub-sample test	230	257	12
<i>Diaporthe phaseolorum</i> in soya bean	43	48	12
<i>Botrytis</i> spp in hemp	Not listed	55	NA
<i>Orobanche</i> spp in hemp	Not listed	47	NA

Fees for specific tests required by the legislation but where Licensed Seed Testing Stations are not authorised for the work. Testing is done by an Official Seed Testing Station.