

<b>EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL – TRADING STANDARDS METROLOGICAL FEES 2020/2021</b>	<b>Fee 2020/2021</b>
<b>A – Chargeable Cost Recovery Rate Per Officer Hour</b>	
<p>The 2020/2021 guidance is based on a <b>chargeable rate of £80.98 per Officer hour</b>, designed to facilitate full cost recovery. When a visit is made by a Trading Standards Officer to any premises for the purpose of carrying out any of the functions or activities listed below, each visit <b>may be subject to a minimum charge of £80.98 per Officer per visit regardless of the nature or amount of work requested or completed.</b> Visits carried out partly or entirely outside of normal office hours <b>may incur a surcharge of 50% on the standard fee or on the standard hourly rate per Officer per hour.</b></p>	£80.98
<b>B – Special Weighing and Measuring Equipment</b>	
<p>The charges for examining, testing, certifying, stamping, authorising or reporting on special weighing or measuring equipment may be individually calculated by a local authority based upon a figure of £80.98 per officer/hour at the place where the service is provided. Such types of equipment, specifically excluded from tables (C) to (I) below, include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Automatic or totalising weighing machines</li> <li>2) Equipment designed to weigh loads in motion</li> <li>3) Bulk fuel measuring equipment tested following a Regulation 65 or 66 occurrence</li> <li>4) Weighing or measuring equipment tested by means of statistical sampling</li> <li>5) The establishment of calibration curves from templets</li> <li>6) Templets graduated in millilitres</li> <li>7) Testing or other services in pursuance of a Community obligation other than EC initial or partial verification</li> </ol>	£80.98
<b>C - Weights</b>	
1) Weights exceeding 5kg or not exceeding 500mg, 2CM	£9.33
2) Other Weights	£6.85

<b>D – Measures</b>	
1) Linear measures not exceeding 3m, for each scale	£10.50
2) Capacity measures, without divisions, not exceeding 1 litre	£7.23
3) Cubic ballast measures (other than brim measures)	£178.06
4) Liquid capacity measures for making up and checking average quantity packages	£28.16
5) Templets: (a) Per scale – first item	£49.30
(b) Second and subsequent items	£19.00
<b>E – Weighing Instruments</b>	
a) <b>Non-EC</b>	
Not exceeding 1 tonne	£63.91
Exceeding 1 tonne to 10 tonne	£103.35
Exceeding 10 tonnes	£216.26
b) <b>EC (NAWI)</b>	
Not exceeding 1 tonne	£106.50
Exceeding 1 tonne to 10 tonne	£172.05
Exceeding 10 tonnes	£360.45
<p>Note: When testing instruments incorporating <b>remote display or printing facilities</b>, and where completion of the test requires a second person or a second series of tests by the same person, an additional fee may be based upon the basic fee given above plus a 50% surcharge.</p> <p>Note: When supplying specialist equipment (including but not limited to <b>weighbridge test unit, van and test weights</b>, etc) an additional fee may be charged hourly, daily or per appointment, according to circumstance.</p>	
<b>F – Measuring Instruments for Intoxicating Liquor</b>	
1) Not exceeding 150ml	£17.58
2) Other	£20.26

<b>G – Measuring Instruments for Liquid Fuel and Lubricants</b>	
1) Container type (unsubdivided)	£73.10
2) Single/multi-outlets (nozzles): First nozzle tested, per site	£118.87
Each additional nozzle tested	£73.60
3) Testing of peripheral electronic equipment on a separate visit (per site)	£80.47
4) Testing of credit card acceptor (per unit, regardless of no. of slots/nozzles/pumps)	£80.47
<b>H – Road Tanker Fuel Measuring Equipment (above 100 litres)</b>	
1) Meter measuring systems	
a) Wet hose with two testing liquids	£257.26
b) Wet hose with three testing liquids	£300.16
c) Dry hose with two testing liquids	£284.44
d) Dry hose with three testing liquids	£327.11
e) Wet/dry hose with two testing liquids	£400.18
f) Wet/dry hose with three testing liquids	£428.65
2) Dipstick measuring systems	
a) Up to 7,600 litres (for calibration of each compartment and production of chart) (NB: for any compartment over 7,600 litres, basic fee plus additional costs at the rate of £79.00 per extra officer/hour).	£175.08
b) Initial dipstick	£19.52
c) Spare dipstick	£19.52
d) Replacement dipstick (including examination of compartment)	£44.47
<b>I – Certificate of Errors</b>	
For supplying a certificate containing results of errors found on testing (Certificate supplied upon request of the submitter; fee applies when no other fee is payable)	£40.38