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TESTING CHARGES FOR THE YEAR 2021- 22

(w.e.f. 01.04.2021)

S.No.	Items	Testing Fees (Rs)	GST @ 18 % Extra	Total (Rs)
1	Components	18,577	3344	21,921
2	Hand Tools	18,577	3344	21,921
3	Power operated thresher, decorticator, Sheller, winnowers, Chaff cutter etc.	74,251	13,365	87,616
4	Animal drawn equipments	39,609	7130	46,739
5	Tractor drawn/operated implements/equipments : Rotavator, Cultivator, Harrow, Plough etc.	1,26,241	22,723	1,48,964
6	Manually operated equipment	27,957	5032	32,989
7	Power till driven/Self propelled reaper, power weeder (Walk behind) etc.	74,251	13,365	87,616
8	Tractor drawn/operated seed cum fertilizer drill/planter, straw reaper, Mini Rice Mill, Power seed cleaner/grader, Laser leveler, Potato digger, <i>shredder</i>	1,32,418	23,835	1,56,253
9	Animal drawn Multi tool bar (Minimum four attachments)	1,05,185	18,933	1,24,118
10	Self propelled Paddy Transplanter, vegetable transplanter	1,80,685	32,523	2,13,208
11	Tractor/Power operated: Multi-crops thresher (Two or more crops)	1,36,140	24,505	1,60,645

Note:

1. To test the machine on Additional Crops, extra @ 40% test fee over and above the original test fee shall be charged. In case, where the manufacturers get the machine tested partly, i.e. test of few parameters, rather than going for full test, the test fee will be charged at the following rates:
 - (a) For testing of one parameter, the testing fee will be at the rate of 40% of the full test fee.
 - (b) For testing of more than one parameter and upto 50% of the total test parameters, the test fee will be at the rate of 75% of the full test fee.
 - (c) For full laboratory test (where laboratory and field tests are prescribed), test fee will be at 90% of the full test fee. In the same way it will be applicable for field test as well.
 - (d) The test fee for confidential test would be 10% higher than the test fee applicable for Initial Commercial Test.
2. The Raw material required for test shall be arranged by the applicant at his own cost as per the requirement of the parameters.
3. The above testing charges shall be applicable w.e.f. date of issue of order.
4. The GST rates would be extra over and above the above testing fee.
5. **Once the machine is submitted for test with all necessary test fees and subsequently if the manufacturer/applicant withdraws the machine from test, there shall be no refund of the test fee deposited.**
6. DD for testing charges should be drawn in favor of **The DEAN, FMTC, AEC&RI, Kumulur**, payable at **State Bank of India, Lalgudi**.
7. The test fee shall be revised annually. In this direction, the test fee should be enhanced by 15% over the test fee prevailing in the previous year. The revised test fee shall be applicable with effect from 1st day of every financial year. The new test fee may be made applicable on those machines, which have been admitted for test on the 1st day of every financial year and thereafter.
8. Both Testing charges and GST are subject to revision by the respective competent authority from time to time.
9. For more details, Operational Guidelines of SUB-MISSION ON AGRICULTURAL MECHANIZATION (SMAM) (Revised 2021-22) issued by Govt. of India may be referred.
The above guidelines recommended by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, GOI for all the test centers in India, is approved for adoption at FMTC, AEC&RI, Kumulur, TNAU.


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