

Prices at MIC 2020

Please note:

- Accumulated bills will be sent bimonthly for all users.
- Prices are exclusive VAT (MVA/"moms").
- VAT is *not charged* for researchers with funds administrated through the University of Bergen.
- **The prices listed are in most cases 2-3 times lower than full cost per hour.**
- The income from instrument use is accumulating in corresponding instrument accounts and spent for maintenance and upgrades.
- The price for supervised use includes the hourly fee of both the instrument and personnel
(Hourly fee for personnel only is NOK 450,- academic price, and otherwise NOK 900,-).

Cell & tissue imaging	Academic price <i>(non-commercial activity)</i>	Commercial activity
Fluorescent microscopy (Nikon)		
Use of microscope and training	80 NOK / hour	160 NOK / hour
Time lapse (in agreement with MIC personnel)	240 NOK / 12 hours	480 NOK / 12 hours
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	530 NOK / hour	1060 NOK / hour
Confocal microscopy (Leica SP5)		
Use of microscope (08:00-18:00) and training	200 NOK / hour	400 NOK / hour
Use of microscopes (18:00-08:00) and weekend	120 NOK / hour	Not available
Timelapse (in agreement with MIC personnel)	600 NOK / 12 hours	1200 NOK / 12 hours
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	650 NOK / hour	1300 NOK / hour
Confocal microscopy (Leica SP8-STED, Andor Dragonfly)		
Use of microscope and training	280 NOK / hour	850 NOK / hour
Use of microscopes (18:00-08:00) and weekend	200 NOK / hour	Not available
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	730 NOK / hour	1460 NOK / hour
Timelapse (in agreement with MIC personnel)	840 NOK / 12 hours	1680 NOK / 12 hour
Long term live cell imager (IncuCyte)		
Use of microscope per position (1-6)	15 NOK/hour	30 NOK/hour
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	465 NOK/hour	930 NOK/hour
Slide skanner (Olympus V120 S6)		
Use of microscope and training	150 NOK/hour	360 NOK/hour
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	650 NOK/hour	1260 NOK/hour
Electron microscopy (SEM and TEM)		
Use of microscope and training	200 NOK / hour	400 NOK / hour
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	650 NOK / hour	1300 NOK / hour

<i>Small animal imaging</i>	<i>Academic price (non-commercial activity)</i>	<i>Commercial activity</i>
MRI (Bruker)		
Use of instrument and training	450 NOK / hour	1400 NOK / hour
Timelapse (in agreement with MIC personnel)	2700 NOK / 12 hours	5400 NOK / 12 hours
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	900 NOK / hour	2300 NOK / hour
PET / CT (Mediso)		
Use of instrument	450 NOK / hour	2200 NOK / hour
Training / Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	900 NOK / hour	3100 NOK / hour
• PET tracers (Prices of FLT and FMISO will change when the synthesis unit is in house)		
FDG	Free of charge	Free of charge
FLT	3440 NOK per kit	3440 NOK per kit
FMISO	2800 NOK per kit	2800 NOK per kit
Optical Imagers (eXplore Optix)		
Use of instrument	300 NOK / hour	600 NOK / hour
Training / Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	750 NOK / hour	1500 NOK / hour
Optical Imagers (IVIS)		
Use of instrument	575 NOK / hour	1150 NOK / hour
Training / Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	1025 NOK / hour	2050 NOK / hour
Ultrasound (Vevo2100)		
Use of instrument and training	175 NOK / hour	350 NOK / hour
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	625 NOK / hour	1250 NOK / hour
Ultrasound (Verasonics Vantage)		
Use of instrument and training	Contact MIC	
Supervised use (incl. instrument time)	Contact MIC	

Sample preparation for transmission electron microscopy (TEM)*

	Academic price <i>(non-commercial activity)</i>	Commercial activity
Sample preparation 1-4 samples	2000 NOK	3000 NOK
Sample preparation 5-9 samples	2500 NOK	3750 NOK
Sample preparation 10-14 samples	3000 NOK	4500 NOK
Sample preparation 15-19 samples	3500 NOK	5250 NOK
Sample preparation 20-25 samples	4000 NOK	6000 NOK
Sectioning (per sample, usually 3 grids)	350 NOK	525 NOK
Staining (per sample, usually 2 grids)	200 NOK	300 NOK
Extraordinary work/time	500 NOK	750 NOK
Grid box	400 NOK	400 NOK
Negative staining (Uranyl acetat)	500 NOK	750 NOK

Sample preparation for scanning electron microscopy (SEM)*

	Academic price <i>(non-commercial activity)</i>	Commercial activity
Sample preparation	500 NOK/hour	750 NOK/hour
Critical point drying	700 NOK/run	1050 NOK/run
Coating with Au/Pd (max 12 samples pr load)	200 NOK/run	300 NOK/run
Stubs incl. carbon tape/silver paint/carbon coating	20 NOK/stub	20 NOK/stub

*A one time fee is added to orders of preparation for TEM and SEM that are not followed by imaging at MIC within 2 weeks (or in agreement with MIC personnel) . For internal user NOK 400,- and external user NOK 600,-.

Sample preparation for light microscopy – paraffin embedding/sectioning

	Academic price <i>(non-commercial activity)</i>	Commercial activity
Pre-preparations for processing (per sample)	15 NOK	20 NOK
Tissue processing + embedding (per sample)	23 NOK	31 NOK
Sectioning (per slide)	20 NOK	25 NOK
H&E staining (per slide)	8 NOK	11 NOK
Extraordinary work/time	500 NOK/hour	750 NOK/hour
Start cost	250 NOK	250 NOK
Slidebox (for 100 slides)	100 NOK	100 NOK