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2. General

- 1.1. We charge either upon time consumed or - as outlined hereinafter - based on fixed fees. Our hourly rates are available upon request.
- 1.2. Our fees quoted hereafter are fixed fees, unless indicated otherwise.
- 1.3. Our fees do not include value added taxes (7.7%, for Swiss clients only) and expenses such as postage, telecommunication costs, printing and photocopies or other incidentals, which will be charged at 3% of our fees¹. Further expenses including notarisation, legalisation or courier costs will be charged separately.
- 1.4. Discounts based on bulk filings are available upon request, usually for ten or more simultaneous filings.
- 1.5. Invoices are payable within 30 days.

¹ According to Article 9 of the Regulation on Fees of the Grisons lawyers association.



3. Swiss and International Trademark Protection

The following documents and information are required for trademark applications:

- sign (word mark, for a trademark with logo, we need one representation - if colours are claimed one in colour with specification of colour in words or internationally accepted colour codes such as Pantone, RAL or NCS - that can be transmitted electronically (in jpg. format, max. 300KB));
- list of goods/services;
- applicant's particulars;
- POA (for our files, the IPO does usually not ask for a POA);
- priority information (optional).

3.1 Swiss Trademarks

| | Official Fee CHF | Our Fee CHF | Total CHF |
|--|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Application (up to three classes), including application and registration, checking and forwarding the certificate of registration (by e-mail only), entering the data into our computer system, acting as agent for ten years and sending one non-registered renewal reminder to the latest known address | 550 | 700 ² | 1250 |
| For the fourth and additional classes (per class) | 100 | 50 ³ | 150 |
| Additional fee for express examination (within four weeks) | 400 | 50 | 450 |
| Claiming priority (optional) | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Late filings | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Renewal (irrespective of the amount of classes covered; including maintaining the file for another ten years and being registered agents) | 700 | 400 | 1100 |
| Late renewal (additional fees) | 50 | 50 | 100 |
| Recordal of changes in the Register | | | |
| - assignment/merger (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided (see our standard assignment form)) | -- | 150 | 150 |
| - licence (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | -- | 150 | 150 |
| - change of owner's name/address (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | -- | 150 | 150 |
| - recordals for additional marks recorded simultaneously | -- | on request ⁴ | |
| Limitation of goods/services from the list of a recorded trademark, renouncing to a registered trademark | -- | 150 | 150 |
| Obtaining extracts from the Trademark Register (each) | -- | 100 | 100 |
| Taking over the representation of a Swiss Trademark (no charge if there is a simultaneous order for renewal, assignment or others) | -- | -- | -- |
| Reporting and replying to Office Actions | -- | upon time consumed ⁵ | |
| Filing oppositions | 800 | upon time consumed ⁶ | |
| Filing non-use cancellation actions with the IPO | 800 | upon time consumed ⁷ | |

² The Swiss IPO does not accept lists of goods and services in English; our fees include the translation of standard lists.

³ Again, our fees include the translation of standard lists.

⁴ We are happy to provide an individual offer in case of recordals for multiple marks.

⁵ Our hourly rates are available upon request.

⁶ Our hourly rates are available upon request. Drafting and filing a submission typically amounts to approx. CHF 1200.

⁷ Our hourly rates are available upon request. Additional costs for in-use search may be charged.



3.2 International Trademarks (Madrid Protocol)⁸

| | Official Fee CHF | Our Fee CHF | Total CHF |
|--|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Application (up to three classes) (basic fee), including application and registration, checking and forwarding the certificate of registration (by e-mail only), entering the data into our computer system, acting as agent for ten years and sending one non-registered renewal reminder to the latest known address; but not including additional fees for colour claims or certification marks | 653 | 700 | 1353 |
| Official Fee of the Swiss Trademarks Office for forwarding the application to WIPO | 100 | -- | 100 |
| Additional fee for marks in colour | 250 | -- | 250 |
| For the fourth and additional classes (per class) | 100 or more ⁹ | 50 | 150 or more |
| Fee per country claimed | 100 or more ¹⁰ | 50 | 150 or more |
| Renewal (basic fee) | 653 | 400 | 1053 |
| For the fourth and additional classes (per class) | 100 or more ¹¹ | 50 | 150 or more |
| Fee per country claimed | 100 or more ¹² | 50 | 150 or more |
| Late renewal (additional fees) | 326.50 | 50 | 376.50 |
| Territorial extensions (basic fee) | 300 | 200 | 500 |
| Fee per country claimed | 100 or more ¹³ | 50 | 150 or more |
| Recordal of changes in the Register | | | |
| - assignment/merger (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided (see our standard assignment form)) | 177 | 150 | 327 |
| - licence (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | 177 | 150 | 327 |
| - change of owner's name/address (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | 150 | 150 | 300 |
| Limitation of goods/services from the list of a recorded trademark | 177 | 150 | 327 |
| Division of a registration | 177 | 150 | 327 |
| Obtaining extracts from the Trademark Register (each) | 77 or more | 100 | 177 or more |
| Taking over the representation (no charge if there is a simultaneous order for renewal, assignment or others) | -- | -- | -- |
| Reporting and replying to Office Actions | -- ¹⁴ | upon time consumed ¹⁵ | |

3.3 European Union Trademark applications and other foreign applications¹⁶

In general, our fees correspond to the fees for trademark work in Switzerland.

⁸ We are happy to provide specific cost offers on request.

⁹ Subject to individual country fees.

¹⁰ Subject to individual country fees.

¹¹ Subject to individual country fees.

¹² Subject to individual country fees.

¹³ Subject to individual country fees.

¹⁴ Subject to country fees.

¹⁵ Our hourly rates are available upon request.

¹⁶ We are happy to provide specific cost offers on request.



4. Trademark Searches

Delivery time

- Immediate: Within 1 working day (24 hrs)
- Express: Within 2 - 4 working days
- Standard: Within 5 - 8 working days

In the absence of instructions to the contrary, search reports are delivered by e-mail only.

In case of legally difficult issues and/or unusually high numbers of hits, there can be additional costs. In such case we will advise in advance and provide a cost estimate.

4.1 Switzerland

| | Costs of Service Provider CHF | Our Fee CHF | Total CHF |
|--|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Identity search for word marks | | | |
| for one class | -- | 100 | 100 |
| for each additional class | -- | 30 | |
| Similarity search for word marks | | | |
| for one class | 300 | 400 | 700 |
| for each additional class | -- | 100 | |
| Additional fees for express delivery | | 50 | |
| Additional fees for immediate delivery | | 100 | |
| Similarity search for device marks | | | |
| for one class | 400 | 400 | 800 ¹⁷ |
| for each additional class | 100 | 100 | |
| Additional fees for express delivery | 100 | 100 | |
| Similarity search for word and device marks | | | |
| for one class | 600 | 600 | 1200 ¹⁸ |
| for each additional class | 100 | 100 | |
| Additional fees for express delivery | 100 | 100 | |
| Proprietor search | -- | 100 | 100 |
| Domain name identity search | -- | 100 | 100 |
| Company name search (Swiss Commercial Register) | | | |
| identity search | -- | 100 | 100 |
| similarity search | 40 | 250 | 290 |

4.2 International

We are happy to provide specific cost offers for searches in jurisdictions outside Switzerland on request.

¹⁷ 700 if you can provide us with a concluding list of Vienna classes to be searched.

¹⁸ 1000 if you can provide us with a concluding list of Vienna classes to be searched.



5. Swiss and International Design Protection

The following documents and information are required for design applications:

- reproduction of the design (>300dpi) (.jpg, .bmp, .tif);
- applicant's particulars;
- name and address of the designer;
- POA (for our files, the IPO does usually not ask for a POA, it may be sent to us by e-mail or fax, no notarisation, no legalisation);
- priority information (optional);
- design description (optional);
- deferment of publication (optional).

5.1 Swiss Designs

| | Official Fee CHF | Our Fee CHF | Total CHF |
|--|---------------------|---|-------------------|
| Application (one design incl. one reproduction), including application and registration, checking and forwarding the certificate of registration, entering the data into our computer system, acting as agent for five years and sending one non-registered renewal reminder to the latest known address | 200 | 400 | 600 |
| For each additional design up to five in the same application (only possible if it falls under the same class of the Locarno Classification) | 100 | 100 | 200 |
| For six and more designs in the same application, total (only possible if it falls under the same class of the Locarno Classification) | 700 | 800 | 1500 |
| Publication fee for the second and each additional reproduction | 20 | 20 | 40 |
| Deferment of publication (optional) | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Claiming priority (optional) | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Design description (optional) | -- | 100 | 100 |
| Late filings | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Renewal (one design) including maintaining the file for another five years and being registered agents) | 200 | 200 | 400 |
| For each additional design up to five in the same registration | 100 | 50 | 150 |
| For six and more designs in the same registration | 700 | 400 | 1100 |
| Late renewal (additional fees) | 50 | 50 | 100 |
| Recordal of changes in the Register - assignment/merger (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) - licence (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) - change of owner's name/address (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) - recordals for additional marks recorded simultaneously (each) | -- | 150 150 150 on request ¹⁹ | 150 150 150 |
| Renouncing to a registered Design | -- | 150 | 150 |
| Obtaining extracts from the Design Register (each) | -- | 100 | 100 |
| Taking over the representation of a Swiss Design (no charge if there is a simultaneous order for renewal, assignment or others) | -- | -- | -- |

¹⁹ We are happy to provide an individual offer in case of recordals for multiple marks.



5.2 International Designs (Hague Agreement)

| | Official Fee CHF | Our Fee CHF | Total CHF |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Application (one design), including application and registration, checking and forwarding the certificate of registration, entering the data into our computer system, acting as agent for five years and sending one non-registered renewal reminder to the latest known address | 397 | 400 | 797 |
| For each additional design in the same application | 19 | 50 | 69 |
| Publication fee for each reproduction (black/white) for each page, in addition to the first page, on which one or more reproductions are shown (where the reproductions are submitted on paper) | 17 150 | 20 50 | 37 200 |
| Fee per country claimed for one design | 42 or more | 50 | 92 or more |
| for each additional design of the same application | 2 or more | -- | |
| Deferment of publication (optional) | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Claiming priority (optional) | -- | 50 | 50 |
| Design description (per word exceeding 100 words) | 2 | -- | |
| Renewal (one design) including maintaining the file for another five years and being registered agents) | 200 | 200 | 400 |
| For each additional design in the same registration | 17 | 20 | 37 |
| Fee per country claimed for one design | 21 or more | 20 | 41 or more |
| for each additional design of the same registration | 1 or more | -- | |
| Late renewal (additional fees) | 100 | 50 | 150 |
| Recordal of changes in the Register | | | |
| - assignment/merger (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | 144 | 150 | 294 |
| - change of owner's name/address (for a single registration if an appropriate document is provided) | 144 | 150 | 294 |
| - recordals for additional designs of the same proprietor (each) | 72 | on request ²⁰ | |
| Renunciation / Limitation of a registered Design | 144 | 150 | 294 |
| Obtaining extracts from the Design Register (each) | 46 or more | 100 | 146 or more |
| Taking over the representation of a Swiss Design (no charge if there is a simultaneous order for renewal, assignment or others) | -- | -- | -- |

5.3 Other foreign design applications²¹

In general, our fees correspond to the fees for design work in Switzerland.

²⁰ We are happy to provide an individual offer in case of recordals for multiple marks.

²¹ We are happy to provide specific cost offers on request.