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DECLARATION OF ACCESSION

Status: 08 Sept 2025
Company/Organisation
Contact person
Phone (landline)
Mobile
Email
Website
Address
Postal code, city
VAT-Number
Email (for invoicing)
Our company/organisation joins the Donau Soja Association as¹
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☐ Associate member, with a membership fee of €
- I want to receive the Donau Soja newsletter.
Self-description and logo
Please attach your logo in high-resolution jpeg or png format to the email with your filled in declaration of accession.
To help you become more visible and connect with other Donau Soja members, we invite you to write a short description of your organisation. We recommend highlighting what you can offer and what you would like to achieve through joining the DS network - maximum 100 words.
Short title:
Text:

¹ Based on the Contribution Rules of the Donau Soja Association (see next page)

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With my signature, I confirm that

- I have read the statutes of the Donau Soja Association and hereby commit to complying with them.²
- I have read the guidelines for the use of the Donau Soja and Europe Soya labels and I commit to complying with these guidelines.³
- I have noted the Donau Soja data protection policy.4
- Donau Soja may use the logo and self-description of my company/organisation to indicate its membership. I can withdraw my consent by writing to <u>office@donausoja.org</u>. Texts may be adapted to fit the respective application.

Place, date	S	Signature

² Donau Soja statutes: <u>www.donausoja.org/membership/</u>

³ Guidelines for logo use: <u>www.donausoja.org/downloads/</u>

⁴ Donau Soja data protection policy: www.donausoja.org/privacy-policy-2/

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CONTRIBUTION RULES

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Yearly Donau Soja membership fees for full members, based on business turnover

Business turnover, in million €	Membership fee, in €
< 0.5	275
0.5 to 1	550
1 to 10	1,100
10 to 25	2,200
25 to 50	3,300
50 to 150	4,950
150 to 300	6,600
300 to 500	8,250
> 500	9,900
> 1000	11,500

Remarks

- If the full member is part of a group of companies, membership fees are based on the group's turnover as stated in the last consolidated balance sheet, or in the absence of a consolidated balance sheet of the combined turnover of all companies.
- There is an automatic adjustment of membership fees foreseen when the cumulated inflation rate in the Eurozone reached 4% based on the Consumer Price Index of the European Central Bank.
- In case, the turnover increases or decreases, the membership fee must be adapted to the above table. Donau Soja is empowered to change the above table in accordance with the statutes of the Association. These changes have to be announced to the member in writing.

Special rates for full members

- **Producer unions, -associations or umbrella associations** of producers are generally charged € 4,500 (if their members' business turnover is higher than € 300 million) or € 2,500 (if their members' business turnover is lower than € 300 million). If more than 5 members of an association become members of the Donau Soja Association, the fee will be reduced to € 2,250/1,250 respectively.
- Subsidiary entities of full Donau Soja members may join the Donau Soja association with an affiliate membership for an annual processing fee of € 500.
- **Private individuals** may become members but shall not be linked to any company in the agriculture, seed, food, or feed sector. Membership fee: € 50
- Membership fee for farmers: € 50 (if below 50 hectares or € 50,000 turnover); membership fee: € 100 (if below 100 hectares or € 100,000 turnover).
- Membership fees of Verein Soja aus Österreich and of ARGE Gentechnik-frei can be deducted from the Donau Soja membership fee.

Special rates for associate members

Associate members include in particular the circle of institutions such as government institutions, representatives of regional authorities, chambers of agricultural trade, organisations that are standard and trademark owners for quality programmes, associations, organisations and umbrella organisations which are no industry associations, NGOs and other institutions. The membership fee is \in 3,500. Exceptions based on reasonable requests can be made by the DS Board. Non-profit organisations, associations and umbrella organisations of non-profit organisations join as associate members by default and are exempt from membership fees.