

NHDAMF ORGANIC CERTIFICATION and INSPECTION FEES SCHEDULE
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Applicants applying for Organic Crop Certification shall pay an **ESTIMATED MINIMUM CERTIFICATION AND INSPECTION FEE OF \$150** per year. An increase in Inspection fees shall apply as indicated in Table 911-1 below:

Table 911-1 Inspection Fees for Organic Maple, Horticultural and Agronomic Crops, and Greenhouse Production

Production Type	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
	\$50	\$100	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500
Agronomic crops, including hay & pasture; production # acres	50 or less	>50-100	>100-200	>200-300	>300-400	>400
Horticultural crops, including fruits & vegetables; production # acres	10 or less	>10-25	>25-75	>75-100	>100-250	>250
# Maple Taps	1000 or less	>1000-2000	>2000-3000	>3000-5000	>5000-10,000	>10,000
# Sq. Ft. controlled environ production	2000 or less	>2000-4000	>4000-6000	>6000-10,000	>10,000-20,000	>20,000

Applicants applying for Organic Livestock Certification shall pay an **ESTIMATED MINIMUM CERTIFICATION AND INSPECTION FEE OF \$150** per year. An increase in Inspection fees shall apply as indicated in Table 911-2 below:

Table 911.2 Inspection Fees for Organic Livestock

	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
	\$50	\$100	\$150	\$200	\$300	\$400
Animal Units (AU)	<4 AU	>4-20 AU	>20-40 AU	>40-60 AU	>60-80 AU	>80 AU

Inspection fees for livestock shall be determined as indicated below:

To determine the number of animal units (AU) per animal type, use Table 911.3:

Table 911.3 Animal Unit (AU) Equivalent

<u>Animal type</u>	<u>Animal Unit (AU) Factor</u>
Beef Cow	1.00
Dairy Cow	1.40
Swine	0.20
Sheep	0.10
Turkeys and other fowl	0.01
Chickens	0.0025

- An AU shall be calculated by multiplying the number of animals by its respective AU factor, as in the formula below:

$$\# \text{ Animals of each type} \times \text{AU factor} = \text{total number AU's for each animal type}$$

- An AU shall represent 1000 pounds of live animal weight. NOTE: All dairy animals, regardless of age shall be calculated at the 1.4 AU factor.
- An applicant with multiple animal types shall calculate the number of AU per species, then add these figures to get the total number of AU to determine the inspection fee.