New Fees for Operating Air Permits
As of Jan. 1, 2017

Minor and Major Air Permit Amendments and Off Permit Changes
• The department does not charge a filing fee for amendments and off permit changes.

Basic Operating Air Permits
• The filing fee for a basic operating permit is $500.

Part 70 and Intermediate Operating Air Permits
• The filing fee for a Part 70 operating permit or an intermediate operating permit ranges from $750 to $6000. * See Steps 1, 2 and 3, below.

Calculation of Filing Fee for a Part 70 or Intermediate Operating Air Permit

*Total filing fee = (base fee) + (total complexity fee)

STEP 1: Determine the base fee from the number of emission units at the installation.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Number of Emission Units</th>
<th>Base Fee</th>
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<tr>
<td>0 to 30</td>
<td>$750</td>
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<tr>
<td>31 to 60</td>
<td>$1,000</td>
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<td>61 to 90</td>
<td>$1,250</td>
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<td>Over 91</td>
<td>$1,500</td>
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**STEP 2:** Determine the total complexity fee using the following worksheet.

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<tr>
<th>Category of Complexity</th>
<th>Calculation</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Number per</td>
<td>Fee</td>
<td>Additional</td>
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<td></td>
<td>installation at time of submission x Fee = Additional complexity fee subtotal</td>
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<tr>
<td>New Source Performance Standard (NSPS)</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$1,000</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maximum Achievable Control Technology (MACT)</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$1,500</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<tr>
<td>National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP)</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$1,500</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<td>Compliance Assurance Monitoring (CAM)</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$1,000</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<td>Confidentiality Request</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$500</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<td>Acid Rain</td>
<td>_____</td>
<td>$500</td>
<td>_____</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Total complexity fee</strong>*</td>
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**STEP 3:** Complete the equation: Total filing fee = (base fee) + (total complexity fee).

*Total filing fees are capped at $6000 when calculated fee exceeds $6000.
Examples of Operating Permit Fees

Example No. 1: Company A is renewing its Part 70 operating permit at an installation that has eight emission units ($750 base fee). It is not subject to any complex items ($0 complexity fee).

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$750 + \$0
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$750
\]

Example No. 2: Company B is renewing its intermediate operating permit at an installation with 265 emission units ($1500 base fee). The company is making a confidentiality request ($500), but no other complex items exist at the installation.

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$1500 + \$500
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$2000
\]

Example No. 3: Company C is renewing its intermediate operating permit at an installation with 60 emission units ($1000 base fee). The installation is also subject to one MACT (1 x $1500 = $1500) and two NSPS (2 x $1000 = $2000).

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$1000 + \$3500
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$4500
\]

Example No. 4: Company D is renewing its Part 70 operating permit at an installation with 15 emission units ($750 base fee). The installation is also subject to one NSPS (1 x $1000 = $1000) and two MACTs (2 x $1500 = $3000); it also has a CAM plan (1 x $1000 = $1000).

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$750 + \$5000
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$5750
\]

Example No. 5: Company E is applying for an initial Part 70 operating permit for an installation that will have 20 emission units ($750 base fee). This installation will be subject to four MACTs (4 x $1500 = $6000) and one NESHAP (1 x $1500 = $1500).

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$750 + \$6000
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$6250, \text{ which is more than the}\n\[
\text{\$6,000 ceiling}\n\]
\[
\text{Actual total filing fee} = \$6000
\]

Example No. 6 stems from the fifth example, above: Company E applies for renewal of its Part 70 permit five years later. The installation still has 20 emission units ($750 base fee), but because the company moved a process to a different facility, it now has only three applicable MACTs (3 x $1500 = $4500). In addition, there is no longer an applicable NESHAP.

\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \text{(base fee)} + \text{(total complexity fee)}
\]
\[
\text{Total filing fee} = \$750 + \$4500
\]
\[
\text{Total Filing fee} = \$5250
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