



# Ethical Clothing Australia

## Fees and Discounts Explained

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Fees range from a minimum of \$315 for sole traders, through to a maximum of \$6,300 for larger businesses out-sourcing \$10M or more of their production.

Use the chart below to work out your fees in 4 easy steps.

1. Identify what kind of business you are	2. Identify the fees that apply to your business	3. Identify and subtract the discounts that apply from your fee	4. Add GST
A business that has been going less than 2 years. Please note that this discount does not apply to restructured businesses applying under a new name or to established businesses under new ownership.	\$315	10% discount if your business is accredited and has used the Ethical Clothing Australia labels for the previous 12 months.	+ 10% GST
A sole trader that does all of its cut, make, trim and value-adding manufacturing in-house.	\$315	10% discount if your business is accredited and has used the Ethical Clothing Australia labels for the previous 12 months.	+ 10% GST
A business that does all of its cut, make, trim and value-adding manufacturing in-house (exclusively on-premise).	Your fees are based on how many full time equivalent textile, clothing or footwear production staff your business employs. a) 4 or less = \$420 b) 5-15 = \$630 c) 16-40 = \$1,050 d) 41 + = \$2,100	10% discount if your business is accredited and has used the Ethical Clothing Australia labels for the previous 12 months.	+ 10% GST
A business that outsources part or all of its cut, make, trim and value-adding manufacturing.	Your fees are based on the annual value of your out-sourced work. a) up to \$50,000 = \$630 b) \$50,001 - \$200,000 = \$1,050 c) \$200,001 - \$1,000,000 = \$2,100 d) \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000 = \$3,150 e) \$5,000,001 - \$9,999,999 = \$4,200 f) \$10,000,000 + = \$6,300	10% discount if your business is accredited and has used the Ethical Clothing Australia labels for the previous 12 months.  + If your business employs 4 or less full time equivalent textile, clothing and footwear production staff you are eligible for small business discounted fees. a) If the annual value of your out-sourced cut, make and trim and value-adding manufacturing is less than \$50,000 your annual fee will be \$630 plus any relevant discount.  or b) If the annual value of your out-sourced cut, make and trim and value-adding manufacturing is less than \$200,000 your annual fee will be \$1,050 plus any relevant discounts.	+ 10% GST



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## Fees and Discounts Form

### IMPORTANT NOTE

All questions relate to your business's Australian cut, make and trim manufacturing, and value adding work only.

Please complete this form as accurately as possible and return to Ethical Clothing Australia.

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#### 1. Is your business already accredited?

- Yes *go to 2*  
 No *go to 3*

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2. If your business has used the Ethical Clothing Australia labels for the last 12 months your business will qualify for a 10% discount on its fees.

Has your business used these labels in its garments for the last 12 months?

- Yes  
 No

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3. If your business has been operating for less than 2 years your annual fee will be \$315 + GST.

How long has your business been going?

- less than 2 years *go to 8*  
 more than 2 years *go to 4*

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4. If you are a sole trader, and either complete all of your cut, make and trim manufacturing in-house or value-add to products in-house, your annual fee will be \$315 + GST.

Are you a sole trader that matches this profile?

- Yes *go to 8*  
 No *go to 5*

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5. Does your business complete all of its textile, clothing and footwear cut, make and trim, and value-adding manufacturing in-house (i.e. exclusively on-premise)?

- Yes *go to 6*  
 No *go to 7*

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6. How many full time equivalent textile, clothing and footwear production employees does your business employ in Australia?

- 4 or less  
*(Your annual fee is \$420 + GST) go to 8*  
 5-15  
*(Your annual fee is \$630 + GST) go to 8*  
 16-40  
*(Your annual fee is \$1,050 + GST) go to 8*  
 41 or more  
*(Your annual fee is \$2,100 + GST) go to 8*

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7. Is the annual value of cut, make and trim and/or value-adding manufacturing that your business outsources to other suppliers (i.e. away from your premises):

- Less than \$50,000  
*(Your annual fee is \$630 + GST) go to 8*  
 \$50,001 - \$200,000  
*(Your annual fee is \$1,050 + GST) go to 8*  
 \$200,001 - \$1,000,000  
*(Your annual fee is \$2100 + GST) go to 8*  
 \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000  
*(Your annual fee is \$3150 + GST) go to 8*  
 \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000  
*(Your annual fee is \$4,200 + GST) go to 8*  
 \$10,000,001+  
*(Your annual fee is \$6,300 + GST) go to 8*

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#### 8. Declaration and signature

I declare that this form has been completed accurately.

• I understand that Ethical Clothing Australia will use my answers to work out which category and fee structure our business falls into, and whether it qualifies for any discounts or exemptions.

• I acknowledge that any errors or omissions made by me may result in the charging of incorrect fees. If this occurs I accept that penalties may apply.

• I will advise ECA within 7 days of any changes to my manufacturing circumstances such as the dropping or adding of new suppliers or homeworkers, ceasing all local manufacturing, moving location or changing contact details.

I complete all work in-house

OR

My business outsources 'cut, make, trim or value adding' such as to screen printers, dye houses, laundries etc., and/or homeworkers, as per the attached list.

SIGNATURE

NAME

POSITION

COMPANY

DATE



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## List of Contractors/Homeworkers

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List of all contractors and/or homeworkers your business gives work out to.

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name	Address	Contact Person	Phone Number	Is this person a homemaker? Yes/No
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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*If there is insufficient space to list all makers please make a copy of this sheet.*