

Zebrafish core facility Karolinska Institutet, price list 2026

Item	price	explanation
Montly user fee	3 822 kr	Covers running costs, consumables, repairs and depreciations for facility equipment
Holding tank fees	Rearing tank, per month	274 kr for zebrafish < 11 weeks (during rearing)
	Colony tank, per month	164 kr for zebrafish > 11 weeks (adults)
	single-housing tank, per fish	33 kr for single housed animals. Includes daily inspection and feeding, distribution and sexing of fish, cleaning of tanks and racks.
Embryo fees	incross: 100-300 embryos	655 kr includes setting up and taking down a sufficient number of
	incross: 301-600 embryos	1 310 kr breedings, pulling divides and exchanging water during the
	Incross: 601-1000 embryos	2 402 kr morning, collecting eggs, washing and disinfection of all
	Incross: 1001-1500 embryos	2 730 kr breeding tanks in dishwasher and reporting of results.
	Outcross: one pair	164 kr including fin-clip for safe identification of individuals
	Testbreeding, incross	344 kr up to 7 mating tanks are set up, no embryos are collected.
Fees for embryo handling	Sorting, per 100 embryos	109 kr
	Screening for fluorescent marker, per 100 embryos	284 kr
	Manual chorion removal, per 100 embryos	284 kr
	Surface disinfection, up to 2 lines	928 kr
	Surface disinfection, 3-4 lines	1 310 kr
Fin-clipping and genotyping fees	Preparation genotyping, flat fee	437 kr Includes preparation of animals and fin-clipping bench, cleaning and disinfection after finishing
	Fin-clip, per fish	22 kr Includes anesthesia, fin-clip, collection of fin in tubes (if needed), inspection of animals until fully recovered

Tattooing, injections, gavage or other surgical procedures	Preparation surgical procedure, flat fee	437 kr	Includes preparation of animals and bench, cleaning and disinfection after finishing
	Surgical procedure, per fish	38 kr	Includes anesthesia, surgical procedure, consumables for procedure (e.g. tattoo ink, needles etc) inspection of animals until fully recovered
Regeneration of strains	Through incross, per strain	1 420 kr	Following the facility SOP for minimizing genetic drift
	Through outcoss, per strain	2 075 kr	Following the facility SOP for minimizing genetic drift
	Cryopreservation, per strain	1 747 kr	Includes consumables, freezing of 10 samples per strain and test-IVF for quality control
	In-vitro fertilization, per strain	1 966 kr	Includes consumables, IVF of one strain including sorting and bleaching of min 30 and max 200 embryos.
	Liquid nitrogen storage, per line cryopreserved		current price for LN2, ca 110 kr/line/year
Animals	Juveniles < 11 weeks, non sexed	13 kr	
	Adults > 11 weeks, sexed	66 kr	
	Packing fee for shipping	382 kr	Styrofoam box, fish transport bags and time to pack fish
Consumables	E3-medium, 50x, 1 liter	246 kr	working time + price of chemicals
	96-well imaging plate with agarose bed	382 kr	working time + current price of supplier
	Air-permeable seal for imaging plate		current price of the supplier
	Fish feed, different particle sizes		current price of the supplier
	Health monitoring per sample		current price of the supplier
	Other consumables		current price of the supplier
Late cancellation policy	Services cancelled less than 24 hours before delivery will be charged with 50 %.		
Last-minute bookings (next day delivery)	Late incoming service requests with next-day delivery will be charged with an extra admin fee of 20 %		
External (=non-KI users)	+ 30 %		
Corporate users	+ 100 %		