Hourly rates
For in kind contributions by third parties in the form of hours worked 2016 - 2024

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NWO Domain Applied and Engineering Sciences (NWO Domain AES) uses fixed hourly rates for capitalising hours worked which are provided as in-kind co-funding by third parties and/or ‘users’ in all new applications for NWO-AES resources. The conditions for making in-kind contributions and the applicable rates are set out in the Call for proposals. If no tariffs are included in the Call for proposals, the tariffs from the year of submission of the research project apply. Below is an overview of these rates per year, whereby NWO Domain AES accepts two integral hourly rates.

For projects using the Dutch government rates (HOT), submitted between 01.01.2024 to 31.12.2024:

For the rates, see Table 2.2, column ‘Hourly rate productive hours, excl. Dutch VAT’ of the most recent manual for Dutch government rates (Handleiding Overheidstarieven, HOT) on the NWO website (www.nwo.nl/en/salary-tables). You should choose the rate that approximates the actual labour costs most closely.

For projects not using the Dutch government rates (HOT), submitted between 01.01.2024 to 31.12.2024:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €129,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €89,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1364 hours a year.

For OTP projects submitted between 01.01.2023 to 31.12.2023:

For the rates, see Table 2.2, column ‘Hourly rate productive hours, excl. Dutch VAT’ of the most recent manual for Dutch government rates (Handleiding Overheidstarieven, HOT) on the NWO website (www.nwo.nl/en/salary-tables). You should choose the rate that approximates the actual labour costs most closely.

For projects except OTP submitted between 01.01.2023 to 31.12.2023:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €109,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €75,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1415 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2022 to 31.12.2022:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €109,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €75,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1415 hours a year.
For projects submitted between 01.01.2021 to 31.12.2021:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €108,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €74,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1415 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2020 to 31.12.2020:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €115,73 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €66,89 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1410 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2019 – 31.12.2019:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €103,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €71,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1400 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2018 – 31.12.2018:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €111,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €78,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1400 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2017 – 31.12.2017:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €111,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €78,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1400 hours a year.

For projects submitted between 01.01.2016 – 31.12.2016:

- Senior researcher: hourly rate of €109,00 applicable to all staff with a university education
- Junior researcher: hourly rate of €77,00 applicable to all staff educated at a university of applied sciences
- Maximum of 1400 hours a year.