

HOLLANDBIO MEMBERSHIP RATES 2026

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Hollandbio is a privately funded association. Any company[1] involved in biotechnology can become a member of hollandbio: both companies that apply biotech and organizations that provide supporting services. To determine the membership fee, hollandbio distinguishes between three types of members[2]: biotech, biotech-as-a-service, and business.

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

- **Biotech members** *use biological systems and processes to develop new technologies or products.* They conduct research, test the feasibility of their innovations, and work on scaling up towards market introduction. Their activities contribute to finding smart solutions for societal challenges, such as in the fields of health, nutrition, agriculture, industry, or the environment.

- **Biotech-as-a-service members** *provide specialized, supportive products and services that directly contribute to biotech innovation*. They work on behalf of biotech companies to develop, test, and commercialize biotech applications and possess in-depth knowledge of biotech processes, regulations, and market introduction.

- **Business members** *provide services that support organizations within and outside the biotech sector in their strategic and operational processes*. Their services are aimed at optimizing business operations and achieving business objectives.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP TERMS

- Hollandbio's membership year runs from January 1 through December 31.
- The membership automatically renews for a term of 1 year unless terminated in time.
- The notice period is three months, meaning terminations for the next year must be received by October 1 at the latest.
- Membership fees are adjusted annually based on the inflation rate[3] published by CBS for the period August 1 to July 31, with a minimum of 0%.

[1] A company as defined under Dutch VAT regulations. In case of doubt, please contact the hollandbio office.
[2] The hollandbio board decides on admission and the type of membership.
[3] For 2026, the inflation adjustment is 3,58%.

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You can determine the membership fee for 2026 using the category table that applies to your organization. Based on (a combination of) your organization's characteristics (in blue), these tables show your membership code (in green) and corresponding contribution amount (in white). Per category these are based on:

➔ **Biotech (B):** Number of employees in The Netherlands on October 1st, 2025, and revenue achieved worldwide in 2024.
➔ **Biotech as a service (BAAS):** Number of employees in The Netherlands and number of employees worldwide on October 1st, 2025.
➔ **Business (ZD):** Number of employees in The Netherlands on October 1st, 2025.

Example: A biotech member with 50 employees and € 25 million in global revenue falls under category B-5B with a contribution amount of € 14,501.

Biotech (B)

Number of employees in The Netherlands		Revenue achieved worldwide (in euros)					
		0-20 M	20-100 M	100-500 M	500 M-2 B	2-8 B	>8 B
		A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	F.
0-6	1.	€ 1.908*	€ 6.422	€ 10.876	€ 14.501	€ 18.644	€ 38.843
7-15	2.	€ 2.289	€ 10.876	€ 14.501	€ 14.501	€ 18.644	€ 38.843
16-25	3.	€ 3.150	€ 10.876	€ 14.501	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 38.843
26-40	4.	€ 3.988	€ 14.501	€ 18.644	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 38.843
41-55	5.	€ 4.972	€ 14.501	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 30.038	€ 38.843
56-80	6.	€ 7.043	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 22.788	€ 30.038	€ 38.843
81-120	7.	€ 10.876	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 30.038	€ 38.843	€ 38.843
121-300	8.	€ 14.501	€ 22.788	€ 30.038	€ 30.038	€ 38.843	€ 38.843
>300	9.	€ 18.644	€ 22.788	€ 30.038	€ 38.843	€ 38.843	€ 38.843

***Startup discount:** A biotech member that exists for less than 5 years (as of January 1, 2026), has ≤6 employees in The Netherlands, has not yet achieved any revenue, and invests in R&D receives a 70% discount on the B-1A rate.

Biotech as a service (BAAS)

Number of employees in The Netherlands		Number of employees worldwide			
		0-50	51-500	501-5000	>5000
		A.	B.	C.	D.
0-4	1.	€ 2.072	€ 2.590	€ 3.625	€ 5.179
5-12	2.	€ 2.590	€ 3.625	€ 5.179	€ 9.322
13-35	3.	€ 3.625	€ 5.179	€ 5.179	€ 9.322
36-70	4.	€ 5.179	€ 5.179	€ 9.322	€ 15.537
71-120	5.	€ 9.322	€ 9.322	€ 15.537	€ 21.752
121-300	6.	€ 15.537	€ 15.537	€ 21.752	€ 21.752
>300	7.	€ 21.752	€ 21.752	€ 21.752	€ 21.752

Business (ZD)

Number of employees in The Netherlands		
0-6	1.	€ 2.279
7-15	2.	€ 3.625
16-50	3.	€ 4.972
51-100	4.	€ 8.183
>100	5.	€ 11.446

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