

2026 Fee Schedule

MMSM's 2026 fee rates were calculated using the Four-Step Fee Methodology and the Material Cost Index (MCI). The 2026 average fee rate increased by 6.8% compared to 2025, reflecting a budget increase along with a decrease in the quantity of supplied tonnes. Fee rates for Aluminum Food & Beverage Cans decreased, driven by higher commodity prices. In contrast, fee rates for HDPE Containers and Bottles increased compared to 2025, due to a decrease in its commodity price. Please see the Fee Setting Methodology section earlier in this report for a description of these factors and their impact on material fee rates.

MMSM Fee Schedule (Cents/Kg)				
Category	Material	2026 Fee Rates (cents/kg)	2025 Fee Rates (cents/kg)	Variance
Printed Paper	Newsprint - Publishers	29.45	27.97	5.3%
	Newsprint - Other	31.96	31.20	2.4%
	Magazines and Catalogues	25.59	24.21	5.7%
	Telephone Books	24.76	24.52	1.0%
	Other Printed Paper	36.23	32.45	11.6%
Paper Packaging	Corrugated Cardboard	26.70	22.93	16.4%
	Boxboard	15.65	14.16	10.5%
	Gable Top Cartons	48.61	44.44	9.4%
	Paper Laminates	41.76	34.40	21.4%
	Aseptic Containers	34.54	33.59	2.8%
Plastics	PET Containers and Bottles	33.25	30.57	8.8%
	HDPE Containers and Bottles	-2.76	-18.43	85.0%
	Plastic Film	73.04	74.76	-2.3%
	Plastic Laminates	73.84	71.58	3.2%
	Polystyrene	135.33	118.47	14.2%
	Other Plastics	45.67	44.73	2.1%
Steel	Steel Food & Beverage Cans	27.88	29.12	-4.3%
	Steel Aerosols	21.94	22.70	-3.3%
	Other Steel Containers	17.52	17.24	1.6%
Aluminum	Aluminum Food & Beverage Cans	-15.43	-11.51	-34.1%
	Other Aluminum Packaging	17.69	14.63	20.9%

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Glass	Clear Glass	22.19	21.47	3.4%
	Coloured Glass	21.66	20.68	4.7%