

Government of **Western Australia** Department of **Mines and Petroleum** Mineral Titles

Fees and Charges Information on Mining Tenements Effective from 2 February 2013 Mining Act 1978

	Maximum Area	Terms (years)	Fe Application	ees Pont	Minimum Annual Expenditure
Prospecting Licence	200 ha.	4 years Renewable for 1 period of 4 years (for licences applied for after 10 February 2006)	\$292.30	Rent \$2.25 per ha. or part thereof minimum \$22.50	\$40.00 per ha. minimum \$2000
Special Prospecting Licence for Gold	10 ha. (maximum)	Minimum 3 months or further multiples of 3 months (4 year maximum)	\$292.30	\$22.50	\$2000
Exploration Licence (Non-Graticular)	200 km ² minimum 10 km ²	5 years Renewable for 2 periods of up to 2 years and further periods of 1 year	N/A	\$44.70 per km ² or part thereof for years 1–7 \$150.60 for subsequent years	\$300 per km ² minimum \$20,000 Extensions: Years 6 & 7 \$50,000 per year; thereafter \$100,000 per year
Exploration Licence (Graticular)	70 Blocks 200 Blocks (outside known mineralised areas)	5 years May extend for 2 periods of up to 2 years and further periods of 1 year for licences applied for prior to 10 February 2006 On or after this date term is 5 years, may extend for one period of 5 years and by a further period or periods of 2 years	\$1232.90 (\$307.70 if for 1 block only)	Years 1–3 \$116.70 per block (\$280.65 if for only 1 block) Years 4 and 5 \$181.45 Years 6 and 7 \$246.20 Years 8 on \$466.20	Years 1–3: \$1000 per block, with • Minimum \$10,000 for 1 block • Minimum \$15,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$20,000 for 6-20 blocks Years 4-5: \$1500 per block, with • Minimum \$10,000 for 1 block • Minimum \$10,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$30,000 for 6-20 blocks Years 6-7: \$2000 per block, with • Minimum \$15,000 for 1 block • Minimum \$15,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$50,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$50,000 for 6-25 blocks Year 8 onwards: \$3000 per block, with • Minimum \$20,000 for 1 block Minimum \$20,000 for 1 block • Minimum \$20,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$20,000 for 2-5 blocks • Minimum \$20,000 for 2-5 blocks
Mining Lease	N/A	21 years renewable	\$431.05	\$15.40 per ha. or part thereof	\$100 per ha. minimum \$5000 if 5 ha. or less otherwise \$10,000
General Purpose Lease	10 ha. (larger area with Minister's consent)	21 years renewable	\$431.05	\$13.65 per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Miscellaneous Licence	N/A	21 years renewable	\$431.05	\$13.65 per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Miscellaneous Licence (search for groundwater)	N/A	21 years renewable	\$431.05	50c per ha. or part thereof	Covenant in lieu
Retention Licence	N/A	Up to 5 years renewable	\$708.60	\$6.70 per ha. or part thereof	As per approved exploration programme
Retention Status Application			\$257.00		
NOTE: ha. = hectare	km² = square kilon	netre			

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Securities	
For all mining tenements	\$5000
Registration of dealings	
Copy document (per document)	\$102.80
Caveat (per caveat)	\$102.80
Devolution (per devolution)	\$102.80
Discharge/Withdrawal of encumbrance (per tenement)	\$6.80
Injunction (per tenement)	\$102.80
Judgement/Order of court (per tenement)	\$102.80
Mortgage (per tenement)	\$102.80
Partial surrender (not section 65)	\$102.80
Power of attorney	\$102.80
Transfer	
Mining tenement (per transfer)	\$102.80
Mortgage (per tenement)	\$102.80
Other fees	
Search for mining tenement register	\$8.20
Dealing	\$8.20
Form 5	\$8.20
Other	\$8.20
Certification of a document	\$6.80
Exemption	
Prospecting Licence – one year (per tenement)	\$335.00
Exploration Licence – one year (per tenement)	\$380.00
Mining Lease – one year (per tenement)	\$465.00
Mining Lease – five year (per tenement)	\$2325.00
Duplicate Instrument of lease (per lease)	\$33.90
Instrument of licence (per licence)	\$33.90
Miner's Right	\$25.00
Objection	Nil
Permit under Section 40E	\$25.00
Permit to enter private land (minimum \$27.20)	per lot \$6.80
Restoration (per tenement)	\$208.70
Proceedings before Warden's Court/Warden	
Plaints (per tenement)/Application for forfeiture	\$58.10
Response and witness summons	\$40.10
All necessary applications and affidavits (includes Interlocutory Application)	\$5.85
Order by Warden including order for an injunction	\$17.50
Copy of evidence per page	\$8.20
Copy of judgements, decisions or order per page	\$1.10