

## EUROGAS Membership Application

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### Why become a member?

**Eurogas represents the European Gas Industry interests at large.**

Eurogas accelerates the transition to climate neutrality through dialogue and advocacy on optimising the use of gases. To do this Eurogas focuses on:

- actively contributing to a robust, efficient and increasingly decarbonised European gas market,
- highlighting the role of gases and gas infrastructure in providing storage, flexibility to reach climate ambitions,
- creating high quality non-seasonal jobs,
- supporting EU industry's competitiveness,
- enhancing security of supply,
- delivering benefits to consumers and addressing energy poverty,
- improving energy efficiency, contributing to GHG emissions reductions, and the development of renewable and low carbon gases,
- ensuring a just transition.

We carry out our work in adherence with the association's values. These are:

- Science and evidence-based dialogue with and respect for the voice of all climate and energy stakeholders.
- A Just Transition through a credible pathway to EU 2030 and 2050 targets.
- Diversity and Inclusion in the energy sector.

The overarching objective of Eurogas is to strengthen the role of gases in a sustainable, competitive and increasingly decarbonised EU energy market by:

- Helping to improve knowledge of gases and their use in Europe, including its performance and benefits.
- Supporting information exchange on gas issues of general interest with stakeholders.
- Promoting the development of gaseous fuels and feedstock through studies in legal, economic, technical and scientific fields.
- Promoting the smooth functioning of the internal gas market and, within its field of competence, any activity that may contribute to sustainable development in Europe.
- Taking positions on relevant EU legislative and political issues vis-à-vis European institutions and other stakeholders.

## Membership Categories

You can sign up to become a EUROGAS member by filling in this Membership Application Form and sending it to us by email (details at the bottom of this page).

As stated in the Eurogas Statutes, the membership categories are the following:

### Companies & Associations Membership

There are two categories of Full Members:

- Category I Companies Full Membership
- Category II Associations Full Membership.

(i) Category I Companies Full Membership: consisting of companies or undertakings having a direct link with the gas supply market and meeting all the following conditions:

- they have their main decision making centre in the territory of one of the present or past Member States of the EU or in the territory of one of the present or past Member States of the EFTA;
- they support the objectives and activities of the Association;
- they engage in a significant manner in the European gas market in one or more of the following activities: supply, trading, distribution, transport and their related activities such as storage and LNG;
- they are approved as a Full Member by the Board of Directors.

Category I Companies Full Membership fee is calculated as follows:

### COMPANY ANNUAL FEES

Annual fees for companies are calculated in relation to the global turnover in million EUR*		
(*Flat fees are applied to companies with a low turnover)		
Turnover (million EUR)		Fee (EUR)
From	To	
50 001	+	150 000
5 001	50 000	100 000
301	5000	80 000
Flat fees (million EUR)		Fee (EUR)
From	To	
151	300	20 000
0	150	10 000

(ii) Category II Associations Full Membership: consisting of federations and associations at national level which represent the gas industry or part thereof in one of the present or past Member States of the EU or of the EFTA and which support the objectives and activities of the Association and which are approved as a Full Member by the Board of Directors; Category II Members pay an annual subscription between **EUR 35,000** and **EUR 68,300**.

### ASSOCIATION ANNUAL FEES

Annual fees for Associations are calculated in relation to specified ranges of the associations members' gas sales in Europe in petajoules (PJ)

Gas sales of members (PJ)		Fee (EUR)
From	To	
1 601	+	68 300
401	1 600	60 900
101	400	53 500
0	100	35 000

#### Distribution Companies Membership

Distribution system operators may apply for Full Membership provided that they respect the Association's policies and decisions on the unbundling regime. Otherwise Distribution members can pay a reduced fee to become an associate member. such members pay an annual subscription of **EUR 10,000** and do not have the right to vote at the General Assembly.

#### Associate Membership

Associate Membership is open to (i) companies and associations engaged solely in distribution activities and which support the objectives of the Association and which are approved as an Associate Member by the Board of Directors and (ii) associations, companies and federations which do not fulfill the conditions to become a Full Member but which are in other ways direct participants of the gas value chain, and which support the objectives of the Association and which are approved as an Associate Member by the Board of Directors; Associate Members pay an annual subscription of **EUR 10,000** (EU /UK/ EFTA) or **EUR 15,000** for third countries (non-EU /non-UK/non-EFTA), and do not have the right to vote in the General Assembly.

### Associate Membership – Transport Division

Associate Membership – Transport Division is open to (i) companies and associations engaged solely in transport activities and which support the objectives of the Association and which are approved as an Associate Member by the Board of Directors; Transport Associate Members pay an annual subscription of **EUR 5,000** and may attend the Transport and Advocacy Committees only. They do not have the right to vote in the General Assembly.

The Board of Directors has the power to add, cancel and modify the benefits attached to the membership categories discussed above, and to modify the membership categories and to create new, or cancel, membership categories.

The Board of Directors will determine the annual subscription fee to be paid by the respective members each year taking into account the above provisions.

Unless a member notifies a change of category six months in advance, they will be held to their existing category for the forthcoming year.

## Membership Application Form

WE, the organisation/company, mentioned below hereby apply to become a member of EUROGAS.

Organisation/Company name:

VAT N°:

Represented by Mr/Ms:

Job Title:

Address (Street):

Postal code:

City:

Country:

Telephone:

Mobile:

Email:

WE, the organisation/company apply for one of the following membership category:

- Category I **Companies** Full Membership
- Category II **Associations** Full Membership
- Distribution** Companies Membership
- Associate** Membership (EU/UK/EFTA)
- Associate** Membership (non-EU/non-UK/non-EFTA)
- Associate** Membership – Transport Division

**Main contacts:**

Please provide the contact details for Membership (General Assembly) and Board Member, if eligible, for:

**Membership (General Assembly representative):**

	Full Name	Position	E-mail	Phone
Main				
For information				

**Board (if eligible):**

	Full Name	Position	E-mail	Phone
Main				
Deputy/for information				



**Terms and conditions:**

By signing this Membership Application Form, you agree that your organization, if it is accepted by EUROGAS as a Member, will be subject to EUROGAS's Statutes. Your application will be deemed to be accepted if EUROGAS invoices the Annual Fee.

Your Membership will only be activated upon payment of the Annual Fee following the invoice sent by EUROGAS. Your Membership is automatically and tacitly renewed yearly (and an invoice will be issued by EUROGAS in payment of the Annual Fee) in January of the calendar year, unless it is cancelled in writing by registered letter at least six months, each member shall have the right to terminate its membership as of the first of January of the year, following the year in which the notice was given (the latter date being the Effective Termination Date). Until the Effective Termination Date membership, and the rights and obligations associated with it shall not be affected, including the obligation to pay the subscription for the current year. Notice of termination must be given by registered letter with acknowledgement of receipt in order to be valid and shall be deemed given three business days following the date of the registered letter.

EUROGAS may at all times review whether the information given in this application form corresponds with the true eligibility exigencies of your organisation and may invoice the Annual Fee for your membership accordingly.

Late payment of the invoiced Annual Fee will result in suspension of your membership rights until full payment of the invoice occurs.

I [your name] \_\_\_\_\_  
agree with the Eurogas privacy policy (GDPR) as detailed on the Eurogas website ([www.eurogas.org](http://www.eurogas.org))

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Signature (Member)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature (EUROGAS)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_