

Membership Subscription Regulations of the German Mineralogical Society e.V.

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Membership	Annual Subscription
Individual Full Member	85 €
Individual Full Member, reduced rate ¹	35 €
Individual Full Member, (without benefits) ²	50 €
Institutional Member, (libraries, institutes, companies and similar organisations)	50 €
Subscription-exempt Member ^{3,4}	0 €

Unless otherwise specified, all subscription fees apply to the full calendar year. Partial subscription fees are not refundable.

Joint membership: Individual Members who are also members of one or more other member societies of the Dachverband der Geowissenschaften (DVGeo), the Berufsverband Geowissenschaftler (BDG) or the Geowissenschaftliches Studentisches Erfahrungs- und Interessensnetzwerks (GeStEIN e.V.) are entitled to a discount of 10.00 € on their annual subscription.

GMIT/ELEMENTS: The annual subscription includes all issues of the Society's newsletter GMIT and the international magazine ELEMENTS. Members may opt out of receiving the printed version, however, digital access to the content will remain available in all cases.

EJM: Since 2020, the European Journal of Mineralogy (EJM) has been published as a fully open access journal. DMG members are entitled to online access to previous issues. A printed edition may be ordered for an additional charge, currently 240.00 € + MwST. The subscription price for the printed edition is reviewed annually.

Late payment: A processing fee of 10.00 € will be charged if payment is more than four months overdue following the issue of the invoice.

¹ The reduced subscription rate applies to students (incl. doctoral candidates), apprentices/trainees and unemployed people. Eligibility must be confirmed once per calendar year. Otherwise, the subscription will automatically revert to the full rate in the following year. A processing fee of 5.00€ shall be charged where proof of eligibility is submitted after the deadline. The Executive Board may also grant reduced subscription upon receipt of a written application. Students enrolled in Bachelor's or Master's degree programs are exempt from paying membership subscription during their first two years of membership.

² Available upon application to the Membership Office. This membership category offers a reduced annual subscription but does not include member benefits. Member benefits include reduced registration fees for conferences, seminars and congresses (e.g. the Annual Assembly and the Goldschmidt conference) or the discount on article processing charges (APC's) for the European Journal of Mineralogy (EJM).

³ The Executive Board may grant exemption from the annual subscription upon receipt of a written application. Honorary Members are automatically exempt from paying membership subscriptions.

⁴ From 2026 onwards, members who have belonged to DMG for at least 30 years may apply for Lifetime Membership. This requires a one-off payment of 1200€ for members aged up to 69 years (based on year of birth), or 600€ for members aged 70 years or over (based on year of birth). Members aged 85 years or over are exempt from paying annual membership subscription.