



Membership in the European Association for Food Safety, SAFE consortium is open to any organisation that

1. provides research, development & innovation or other technology-related services related to food safety.
2. is managerially independent.
3. is of high scientific excellence.
4. wants to participate in the SAFE mission of **Keeping Food Safety on the Agenda**

Membership categories

SAFE consortium has two member categories:

1. Full members

Organisations that do food safety research, development & innovation or other technology-related services as their predominant activity.

These may be societies or associations (national or international); public or private research institutes; government food safety authorities; or universities or faculties, departments and/or research groups within them.

2. Associate members

Food industry and industry associations that have activities related to food safety. Associate members enjoy all benefits of full SAFE membership except i) they may not serve on the SAFE Executive Board and ii) they may not vote at SAFE member meetings.

**All scientific employees of SAFE member institutes may fully participate in SAFE initiatives.
Membership fees**

1. Full Members:

- €3000/year for large organisations, more than 250 scientific employees
- €1500/year for small organisations, 250 or less scientific employees

2. Associate Members:

- €6000/year for large organisations, more than 250 scientific employees
- €3000/year for small organisations, 250 or less scientific employees

The demands for membership

a) the member institute or research group should have a scientific integrity guaranteed by the unlimited right to publish in the public interest about food safety issues and

b) the member institute should show academic quality, proven by publications in international scientific journals.

Further steps

If your organisation is interested in a membership, please complete the form [here](#) and send it to the SAFE Office by email. All membership requests are considered by the SAFE Executive Board at their monthly meetings:

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