# <u>News story: 1 April 2018: Update to</u> <u>the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT)</u> <u>fees</u>

The Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) fee structure changes on 1 April 2018 and will be as follows:

### Transmittal fee:

• £75

#### Search fee:

• £1,552

## International fee:

- £1,029 for the first 30 sheets
- £12 for each sheet over 30

### Restoration for restoration of priority

• £150

## **Reductions for e-filing**

- £155: electronic filing (not being in character coded format)
- £232: electronic filing (being in character coded format)

## Fees for preparation of priority document

• £20

## **PCT** forms

- PCT Request Form (R0/101)
- PCT Request Form (R0/101) completed example
- <u>PCT Demand Form (IPEA/401)</u>
- <u>PCT Power of Attorney (POA)</u>

### Further information

- protecting your patent abroad
- protecting your inventions abroad: PCT frequently asked questions