

## FCC Adopts 2008 Annual Regulatory Fees

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The FCC has adopted its schedule of annual regulatory fees for fiscal year 2008. They will be due to be paid to the FCC in September, but the FCC has not yet announced the specific date fees are due. The final fees by type of mass media license are listed below. Watch the FCC's web page for updates. At some point in the near future, the web page that allows you to determine the fee applicable to a particular broadcast call sign will be posted at [www.fccfees.com](http://www.fccfees.com).

**FY 2008 RADIO STATION REGULATORY FEES**    **Population**  
**Served AM Class A AM Class B AM Class C AM Class D FM Classes**  
**A, B1 & C3 FM Classes**

Population	AM Class A	AM Class B	AM Class C	AM Class D	FM Classes
25,001 – 75,000	1,325	1,025	650	775	1,225
75,001 – 150,000	1,375	1,975	1,275	875	1,300
150,001 – 500,000	1,675	2,550	1,325	1,550	2,600
500,001 – 1,200,000	3,325	4,300	3,325	2,200	2,575
1,200,001 – 3,000,000	4,125	4,900	6,600	5,100	3,300
>3,000,000	4,125	6,700	7,850	7,925	6,125
	4,175	5,150	8,550	10,200	

AM Radio Construction Permits 415    FM Radio Construction Permits 600    Low Power TV, TV/  
 FM Translators & Boosters 365    TV VHF Commercial    Markets 1-10 71,050    Markets 11-25  
 53,525    Markets 26-50 33,525    Markets 51-100 21,025    Remaining Markets 5,600  
 Construction Permits 5,600    TV UHF Commercial    Markets 1-10 21,225    Markets 11-25  
 19,475    Markets 26-50 11,900    Markets 51-100 6,800    Remaining Markets 1,800  
 Construction Permits 1,800    Satellite Television Stations (All Markets) 1,175    Broadcast  
 Auxiliaries 10    Earth Stations 195