

VIC Scale Legal Fees for Undefended Matters

Magistrates' Court of Victoria – Complaint (Summons)

Claim Amount	Professional Costs	Filing Fee	Service Fee	Certificates	Total
Under \$500.00	\$217.00	\$145.00	\$71.00	\$96.00	\$529.00
\$500.00 - \$1,000.00	\$454.00	\$145.00	\$71.00	\$172.00	\$842.00
\$1,000.00 - \$5,000.00	\$454.00	\$302.90	\$71.00	\$172.00	\$999.90
\$5,000.00 - \$7,500.00	\$557.00	\$302.90	\$71.00	\$202.00	\$1,132.90
\$7,500.00 - \$10,000.00	\$669.00	\$302.90	\$71.00	\$242.00	\$1,284.90
\$10,000.00 - \$20,000.00	\$669.00	\$460.70	\$71.00	\$242.00	\$1,442.70
\$20,000.00 - \$40,000.00	\$831.00	\$460.70	\$71.00	\$302.00	\$1,664.70
\$40,000.00 - \$70,000.00	\$1,001.00	\$691.10	\$71.00	\$354.00	\$2,117.10
Over \$70,000.00	\$1,196.00	\$691.10	\$71.00	\$428.00	\$2,386.10

Magistrates' Court of Victoria - Application for Order (Default Judgment)

Claim Amount	Professional Costs	Filing Fee	Total
Under \$500.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$500.00 - \$1,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$1,000.00 - \$5,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$5,000.00 - \$7,500.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$7,500.00 - \$10,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$10,000.00 - \$20,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$20,000.00 - \$40,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
\$40,000.00 - \$70,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70
Over \$70,000.00	\$45.00	\$42.70	\$87.70

NB: Professional costs and service fees quoted above exclude GST. GST not applicable on Filing Fees. Service fee is the scale fee recoverable <u>per defendant</u>. Additional (unrecoverable) process server fees may be applicable for personal service.