

### Sydney Imaging Core Research Facility Internal User Costs 2024

*All rates exclude GST*

*As an investment and support provided by The University of Sydney, internal researchers are heavily subsidized to provide every opportunity to achieve world class research outcomes. Funding is usually accessed via Project/Grant codes and not via commercial enterprise.*

#### PRECLINICAL

<b>GROUP ONE</b>	<b>Unassisted per hour</b>	<b>Assisted per hour</b>
IVIS Spectrum, VisualSonics Ultrasound (Vevo2100 + VevoLAZR, Vevo F2), micro CT	\$60	\$120
Dual-Energy X-ray Absorptiometry (DXA)	\$50	\$110
echoMRI	\$25	\$85
Training/registration	Required for independent operation of instruments. Charged at the assisted rate for up to 4 trainees, approx. time 1-2hrs.	
<b>GROUP TWO</b>	<b>Unattended per hour</b>	<b>Attended per hour</b>
MRI (3T and 7T)*	\$115	\$175
PET MR <sup>^</sup>		\$175 plus tracer consumables
PET/CT <sup>^</sup>		\$175 plus tracer consumables
Computer Analysis Computer/VRD	\$2/hr	
Technical staff assistance	\$60/hr	

\*Contact us for an extended out of hours unattended quote

<sup>^</sup>Rate charged will include experiment set up and conclusion time

**Note:** costs will be calculated based on 30 minute blocks (e.g. 20mins of usage will be charged as 30min). Rates are business hours only. Contact us for an out of hours quote.

**External Academic or publicly funded research organisation rates = 2x Base internal rate**

**Commercial rates: Quote on request.**

#### CLINICAL

<b>Total body PET</b>	\$600 for the first 15min block, plus \$600/hr thereafter <sup>#</sup>
<b>AIS data storage</b>	2 weeks included. Contact us for a quote for longer storage time.

<sup>#</sup>Tracer and clinical reporting (when required) are an additional cost.

Longer term image analysis and acquisition costs can be negotiated by project.

Scanner is available for large animal research and will be negotiated by project.

Scanner is available for research 1.30pm-6pm Monday to Friday. Other times by negotiation. Hours outside of 9am-6pm will incur an additional cost.

Please contact us to discuss.

**Note:** costs will be calculated based on 15 minute blocks of scanner utilisation time (patient in-scanner prep plus image acquisition) and are calculated per human research participant. Please see example costing <insert link>.

#### HYBRID THEATRE

Please contact us for a bespoke quote for Hybrid Theatre projects.



**FUNDING SCHEMES**

[Sydney Research Infrastructure Access Grants](#)

[Total Body PET Pilot Seed funding Scheme](#)

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