

Advanced Biofilm Imaging Facility (ABIF)

Microscope usage fees:

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- Usage is charged based on the time booked in the instrument booking system or the actual time spent using the instrument whichever is longer.
- ABIF staff assistance is charged on top of the instrument usage fee.
- Training sessions are charged as assisted sessions (ABIF staff assistance + instrument usage fee); a typical training session duration is 1.5 2.5 hours (depending on instrument).
- Long-term discounts of 75% and 95% apply after 8 and 24 hours of continuous usage, respectively.

Prices in SGD/hour:

Service/equipment category	Academia	Industry
Specialised optical microscopes	45.00	90.00
Advanced optical microscopes	30.00	60.00
Scanning electron microscope	30.00	60.00
Live-cell optical microscopes	15.00	30.00
Standard optical microscopes	8.40	16.80
Basic optical microscopes	0.00	0.00
ABIF staff assistance	66.00	132.00

Specialised optical microscopes:

• Custom Raman/Brillouin microscope

Advanced optical microscopes:

- Carl Zeiss ELYRA PS.1 with LSM 780 confocal
- Carl Zeiss LSM 780
- Olympus FV 1200

Live-cell optical microscopes:

• Carl Zeiss Axio Observer 7 with Aurox Clarity

Standard optical microscopes:

- Carl Zeiss Axio Observer Z1 inverted epifluorescence microscope
- Carl Zeiss Axio Imager M2 upright epifluorescence microscope

Basic optical microscopes:

- Discovery.V8 stereomicroscope
- Carl Zeiss Primo Star
- Nikon Eclipse Ts2 FL