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Competent receiving Office for nationals and residents of:	Turkey
Language in which international applications may be filed:	English, French, German or Turkish ^{1, 2}
Language in which the request may be filed:	English, French or German
Number of copies on paper required by the receiving Office:	1
Does the receiving Office accept the filing of international applications in electronic form? ^{3, 4}	Yes, the Office accepts electronic filing via ePCT-Filing ⁵
Does the receiving Office accept requests for restoration of the right of priority (PCT Rule 26bis.3)?	Yes, the Office applies the “ due care ” criterion to such requests
Competent International Searching Authority:	European Patent Office or Turkish Patent and Trademark Office (Turkpatent)
Competent International Preliminary Examining Authority:	European Patent Office or Turkish Patent and Trademark Office (Turkpatent)

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¹ If the language in which the international application is filed is not accepted by the International Searching Authority (see Annex D), the applicant will have to furnish a translation (PCT Rule 12.3).

² If the language in which the international application is filed is not a language of publication and no translation is required for the purposes of international search (PCT Rule 12.3(a)), the applicant will have to furnish a translation of the application into English, French or German (PCT Rule 12.4(a)).

³ Where the international application is filed in electronic form in accordance with and to the extent provided for in Part 7 and Annex F of the Administrative Instructions, the total amount of the international filing fee is reduced (see “Fees payable to the receiving Office”).

⁴ Where the international application contains a sequence listing as a separate part of the description, this must be furnished in accordance with Annex C of the Administrative Instructions, that is, in compliance with WIPO Standard ST.25 text format; no additional fees are due for sequence listings filed in this format (see *Official Notices (PCT Gazette)* dated 14 May 2009, page 79).

⁵ For the relevant notification by the Office, refer to the *Official Notices (PCT Gazette)* dated 28 May 2015, pages 87 *et seq.*

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Fees payable to the receiving Office:	Currency: Swiss franc (CHF)
Transmittal fee:	None
International filing fee: ⁶	CHF 1,330
Fee per sheet in excess of 30: ⁶	CHF 15
Reductions (under Schedule of Fees, item 4):	
Electronic filing (the request in character coded format):	CHF 200
Electronic filing (the request, description, claims and abstract in character coded format):	CHF 300
Search fee:	See Annex D(EP) or (TR)
Fee for priority document (PCT Rule 17.1(b)):	CHF 30
Fee for requesting restoration of the right of priority (PCT Rule 26bis.3(d)):	None
Is an agent required by the receiving Office?	No, if the applicant resides in Turkey Yes, if he is a non-resident
Who can act as agent?	Any natural or legal person registered to practice as a patent attorney before the Office
Waiver of power of attorney:	
Has the Office waived the requirement that a separate power of attorney be submitted?	Yes ⁷
Particular instances in which a separate power of attorney is required:	Where there is an unresolved dispute about who is the agent representing the applicant(s); or upon appointment of, or for any paper submitted by, an agent or a common representative who was not indicated in the request form at the time of filing.
Has the Office waived the requirement that a copy of a general power of attorney be submitted?	Yes ⁷
Particular instances in which a copy of a general power of attorney is required:	Where there is an unresolved dispute about who is the agent representing the applicant(s); or upon appointment of, or for any paper submitted by, an agent or a common representative who was not indicated in the request form at the time of filing.

⁶ This fee is reduced by 90% if certain conditions apply (see Annex C(IB)).

⁷ Waivers of powers of attorney do not apply (PCT Rule 90.4(e) and 90.5(d)) where the agent or common representative submits any notice of withdrawal during the international phase (PCT Rule 90bis.1 to 90bis.4; see also International Phase, paragraph 11.048).