

Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering (CBE) Department at Tulane University Current Rates for SAXS and AFM (2026)

| SAXS | Per HR |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Internal [^] * | \$20.00 |
| External | \$50.00 |
| External For Profit | \$120.00 |
| Operator Fee | \$30.00 |
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| AFM | Per HR |
| Internal! [*] | \$15.00 |
| External | \$42.00 |
| External For Profit | \$100.00 |
| Operator Fee | \$30.00 |

- New users must register via facility online manager which can be found in the link, <https://www.instrumentschedule.com/fom/welcome?lid=0243>. Please contact Dr. Alexis Blanco (he/him) at ablanco1@tulane.edu for instructions on registration.
- If training is needed, training is based on operator fee + category fee (external only). Training is broken into multi-session. Please contact Dr. Alexis Blanco for more details on training.
- Sampling done by operator is also the operator fee + category fee. Only applies to non-Tulane.
- Consulting is charged only for written report or special sample preparation.
- *** Internal Rate will be increased every six months until final competition rate is met.**
- **! Internal Rate will increase on 10/1/25 for AFM and then on 4/1/26.**
- **^ Internal Rate will increase on 1/5/26 for SAXS and then again on 7/1/2026.**