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Dear Members

### Membership Fees 2023

On behalf of the Council of the GSSA, I would like to thank you for your continued support and involvement with the Society. In recent years, the GSSA has increased membership fees by less than inflation by becoming more efficient in its operation. Inflation is now climbing with no certainty as to when it will reverse trend, and the Rand continues to weaken. 2023 fees have been increased by an average of 6.5 per cent, still well under the current CPI. If you pay before January 31, 2023, you can pay at the 2022 rate, a significant saving.

The South African Journal of Geology (SAJG) is accessible online through GeoScience World via the member portal on the GSSA website, and we encourage all members to make use of the service. Our quarterly publication Geobulletin is also available on the GSSA website.

The option to receive a physical copy of SAJG is still available at an additional cost noted in the fees table, the higher rate partially covers printing and air mail and courier charges. While surface mail charges are considerably less expensive, we cannot guarantee delivery of SAJG by surface mail because of the poor state of the South African Post Office.

Voluntary donations additional to the fees are welcome, and we gratefully thank those who have made donations in past years. There is a donation option on your invoice.

We encourage members to pay online on our website: [www.gssa.org.za](http://www.gssa.org.za), please log in to your member portal and enter your card details, it is 3D secured.

Please contact [accounts@gssa.org.za](mailto:accounts@gssa.org.za) for any finance related matters. Remember to check the GSSA website, the Facebook page, LinkedIn, Instagram, the weekly events reminder and the monthly newsletter for regular updates on news and events.

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## GSSA Membership Fees Schedule 2023

<b>Membership 2023 Fees</b>	<b>Due by 31/01/2023</b>	<b>Due by 28/02/2023</b>
	<b>2023 Fees</b>	<b>2023 Fees</b>
	<b>Early Bird</b>	
Affiliate	1 050,00	1 050,00
Retired Affiliate	450,00	450,00
Dual	2 000,00	2 130,00
Fellow	1 500,00	1 600,00
Member	1 500,00	1 600,00
Institutional Member	7 500,00	8 000,00
Retired: Fellow	450,00	480,00
Retired: Member	450,00	480,00
Students - Only digital	Nil	Nil
Life Member/Life Fellow /Honorary Members are Free - Digital	Nil	Nil
Membership gives full digital access to SAJG at no extra cost.		
<b>For printed copies of SAJG add R1400 for RSA or R3000 for International.</b>		
Prices are based on 10 day air mail/courier.		