### ChemIT's billing to faculty

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# What is the ChemIT invoice (bill), and who provides oversight on rates and process?

Under the direction of the faculty-led **Chemistry Computing Committee**, ChemIT bills each faculty member's group monthly for about 1/4 of ChemIT's total expenses.

Charges in the invoices are based on an algorithm provided by the Chemistry Computing Committee:

| Charge/ FY          | Charge (\$)<br>FY 2013-2013 | Charge (\$) Oct?-June 2015 | Charge (\$) When, if ever? |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Group, per          | 50.00                       | 55                         | 55                         |
| Staff member, per   | 8.39                        | 10                         | 10                         |
| Group computer, per | 2.98                        | 3                          | 5                          |

Source for the counts for each group:

- Staff members for groups are derived from HR and Grad data.
- · Computer counts are based on ChemIT's inventory data, usually confirmed through the CCB IT Rep. for each group.

#### What is the billing process?

ChemIT repeats each month's billing, with no changes.

• This avoids the extra work of requiring each group to update their data monthly.

When there are significant changes (account numbers, "true-up" months), ChemIT communicates these changes to the affected research groups.

If your group has experienced a significant change you want reflected in the forthcoming monthly invoices, notify the Chair of the Chemistry Computing Committee to vet your request. Thank you.

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- ChemIT provides each group with a list of staff and computer counts, for confirmation and corrections.
- Using the confirmed numbers, ChemIT to use them for the July 2014 bill, onwards for the year.

#### What if something changes in my bill- how will I know?

For most months, there are no changes in each bill.

• If there are changes (account numbers, etc.), ChemIT will contact the appropriate faculty member so there are no surprises.

#### I want a copy of my bill. How do I get it?

Please contact Kevin Ashman (CCB Finance) for a copy your invoice, if you require it.

• Note that the invoices are identical from one month to the other, unless a change has been communicated to the group's faculty member.

# I have a question or concern about these bills not addressed above. Who do I contact?

Please contact Oliver Habicht at ChemIT@cornell.edu.

## Info for ChemIT staff

See also process-related info:

• ChemIT Monthly Billing (ChemIT staff only)