

Applies to: **Citizens**

The issue and maintenance of a licence authorising fishing shall be subject to the payment of a licence fee.

➤ **Description**

Citizens wishing to obtain a fishing licence are required to pay a regional tax.
The following **FISHING** licences may be issued:

- **Professional fishing licence (licence A)** obtained after passing an aptitude test at the end of a specific training course organised by the Regional or Provincial Authorities of Sondrio for the areas falling under their respective jurisdiction. The licence consists of a ten-year card (issued by the Regional or Provincial Authorities of Sondrio), to which receipt of payment of the annual fee must be attached.
- **Amateur fishing licence (licence B) consisting solely of receipt for payment of the annual regional licence fee, which must be shown together with an identity document, if necessary. The licence is also valid for foreigners, for whom a tourist permit is no longer required.**

Exemption is granted to:

- Italian residents aged below 18 years or above 65 years
- Individuals as under Article 3 of Law 104/1992 – "Framework law for assistance, social integration and rights of disabled people"

who engage in fishing activities using the rod only, with or without a reel, fitted with one or more hooks.

➤ **How to Access**

The amount to be paid for the annual fee is:

- **€ 23.00** for **amateur fishing**

Payment must be made online from the [Payment Portal](#) of the Lombardy Regional Authority.

The portal also allows (i) payment notice to be printed and presented for payment at authorised counters, such as banks, tobacco shops (SISAL, Lottomatica and Banca5) or (ii) payment to be made using your Home Banking service (via CBILL) or via APP (PayPal, SatiSpay, etc.).

N.B.: The fishing licence fee due by foreign citizens must be paid by bank transfer using the following details:

IBAN IT95D0306909790100000300047 registered in the name of Regione Lombardia, specifying BIC/SWIFT code BCITITMM (add XXX if your bank's system requires three additional characters to identify the branch).

➤ **Information and contact details**

For further information about obtaining your fishing licence and how to collect your card, please reach out to your Local Regional Board. Follow this link to find out addresses and timetables: [Local Boards of the Lombardy Regional Authority](#).

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