



MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

The **membership categories** (Charter/Statutes, art. 2) are :

1. Full membership (= Direct membership)

“Full Membership”: Manufacturers of the Cutlery, Flatware, Hollowware, Cookware and Houseware Industry and/or well established brands of Cutlery, Flatware, Hollowware, Cookware and Housewares from EU or EFTA countries are welcome to apply for “Full Membership”.

2. Extraordinary membership

“Extraordinary Membership”: Industrial manufacturers from the EU/EFTA countries that are not belonging to the Cutlery, Flatware, Hollowware, Cookware and Housewares industry e.g. sub-suppliers of this industry like coating manufacturers can apply for “Extraordinary Membership”.

“Extraordinary Membership”: Industrial manufacturers of Cutlery, Flatware, Hollowware, Cookware and Housewares from European countries not belonging to the EU/EFTA countries can apply for “Extraordinary Membership”.

3. National Association membership

“National Association Membership”: Any National Association from EU/EFTA countries representing Cutlery, Flatware, Hollowware, Cookware and Housewares industry can apply to become a “National Association Member”, especially with the goal to represent the smaller companies, of that country, that are not able to afford a direct involvement on the European level.”

4. Associated membership

“Associated Membership”: European Associations of different industries with similar objectives (Glassware, ...) can apply for “Associated Membership”.