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Adult Business Guide to .XXX

.....**Buyer Beware**



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Introduction

Buyer Beware! After ICM's launch of the Sunrise period a number of adult businesses have lost money in the application process because they have been getting mixed messages from ICM about domain name pricing and the application process. Many businesses are finding out too late that names they thought to be theirs have been reserved, sold or do not qualify for registration. FSC has created this guide to help adult businesses navigate information about .XXX and its application process and pricing.

Buyer Beware! You need to understand the dynamics of the product you are about to purchase and the process you are being asked to go through before you hand over any money or you may end up with a lost registration fee and no domain...

ABOUT IFFOR

(International Foundation for Online Responsibility)

Time and time again, FSC voiced concern over IFFOR, the non-profit entity set up by ICM Registry to govern the .XXX platform. The ICM Registry is, the for-profit entity that essentially owns and operates .XXX. ICM claims that IFFOR is separate from ICM, yet ICM selected IFFOR's board members and has gone as far as to place itself in the ultimate leadership position for the non-profit.

ICM has touted that IFFOR will use its resources to advocate for the adult entertainment industry, yet nowhere in its application to ICANN, its bylaws or any of its policy documents is there any binding reference to adult industry advocacy. Rather, IFFOR was put forth to ICANN as the entity set up to be the watchdog for child-protection and consumer rights in the irresponsible adult community.

It is highly likely that ICM will use IFFOR's regulatory authority to create an environment that advocates for ICM's profits and supports its business model, rather than advocate for the good of the industry. Moreover, ICM is likely to push these regulations through in the name of child protection and consumer advocacy just as it used these issues to push its .XXX application through ICANN.

One such issue may well be payment processing. In addition to .XXX, ICM has decided to go into the payment processing business. In its "Win, Win, Win" campaign, ICM touts its "high security, privacy protected" payment processing system that will offer users "peace of mind," <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pq1yiA-oxM4>. Could ICM try to use IFFOR's authority to regulate-out its competitors in the name of consumer advocacy? Of course it could.

As adult businesses consider their options concerning .XXX, it is essential that they understand and familiarize themselves with .XXX's governing entity. For adult businesses considering registering their names defensively and redirecting to their .coms, keep in mind that those .coms will then be subject to IFFOR regulation. Listed below are some key points about IFFOR adult businesses should know.

The Board

- Is the voting entity responsible for all IFFOR policy decisions.
- Is made up of three members, Stuart Lawley, Sebastien Bachollet and Clyde Beattie-none of whom come from the adult entertainment industry - <http://www.iffor.org/about.html>.

- Is chaired by Stuart Lawley, chair of the Board for ICM Registry as required by IFFOR Bylaws Article III (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/iffor-bylaws-26jul10-en.pdf>).

IFFOR Policies and Policy Development

- Owners of .XXX domain names are required to follow policies as developed “from time to time” by IFFOR. Section I (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/appendix-b-baseline-policies-26jul10-en.pdf>)
- A third-party entity will regularly monitor .XXX sites for compliance with IFFOR policies see Section F (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/appendix-b-baseline-policies-26jul10-en.pdf>)
- IFFOR Policies are based on its “Policy Goals” which are to, “combat child pornography, facilitate user choice and parental control regarding access to online adult entertainment, and protect the privacy, security, and consumer rights of consenting adult consumers of online adult entertainment goods and services.” (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/appendix-b-baseline-policies-26jul10-en.pdf>)
- A 9-person policy council makes “Policy Recommendations” to the IFFOR Board and the Board votes on the recommendation. IFFOR Bylaws Section 5.9 Step 11 (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/iffor-bylaws-26jul10-en.pdf>)
- Only a minority of policy council members are designated by the sponsored community stakeholder group and ICM has reserved to itself the right to appoint the two sponsored community stakeholders who will hold the balance on the policy council
- Policy issues can be raised by ICM directly but it takes 3-members of the policy council to raise a policy issue. IFFOR Bylaws Section 5.9 Step 1 (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/iffor-bylaws-26jul10-en.pdf>)
- Even if the IFFOR Board approves the” Policy Council Recommendations,” ICM has final say over IFFOR’s decisions. IFFOR Bylaws Section 5.9 Step 1 (<http://www.iffor.org/docs/iffor-bylaws-26jul10-en.pdf>)

ADULT BUSINESS OPTIONS CONCERNING .XXX

A. Choosing NOT to Participate in .XXX-Pros, Cons and options

.XXX De-valued-“Defensive Registrations”

ICM Registry and its registrars stand to experience significant financial benefits from the blocking of .XXX domain names by adult businesses, mainstream businesses and the general public. As a result, adult businesses that purchase .XXX domain names will experience a significant de-valuing of their .XXX domain name asset.

As internet users explore this new adult platform, time and time again they will land on non-resolving domains. The more successful ICM and its Registrars are in this phase of their launch, the less dynamic the platform will be as a whole. With its current business model, ICM and its registrars will continue to benefit even as more and more of its domain names become un-resolving. ICM and its registrars win--even if there is an overall rejection of .XXX--while adult businesses investing in .XXX as a potential asset, lose. Not only will ICM sell the ability to block .XXX domain names through Sunrise B, but also ICM is selling the ability to block names to the general public during general availability phase of the launch as described below.

Below is the statement from ICM’s *Launch Plan and Related Policies* (http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/plan/#general_aval):

4.0 GENERAL AVAILABILITY

During General Availability, Registration Requests for Available Names will be allocated by the Registry through Accredited Registrars on a first come, first-served basis subject to the Registry Policies and ICANN Requirements. No name in the .XXX TLD will resolve unless and until the registrant has completed the Membership Application Process and provided Membership Credentials to the Accredited Registrar. Registrants who are not members of the Sponsored Community may submit a Registration Request to register a standard non-resolving name in the .XXX sTLD. These names will not resolve, and queries on these names will return an NX domain result.

Here is an excerpt from just one of ICM's 70 Registrars (<http://www.networksolutions.com/domain-name-registration/xxx-domain-extension/membership-process.jsp>)-similar statements are posted on the others:

Defensive Registrations:

During Sunrise B and General Availability, non-members of the Sponsored Community will have the opportunity to register domain names defensively. They will simply register the domain, NOT authenticate on the ICM website and the domain will not resolve.

.XXX De-valued-Countries Prepared to Block

In March of 2011 when ICANN approved the.XXX sTLD, it did so despite significant concerns expressed by its own Government Advisory Council (GAC). GAC consists of leadership from 150 countries and while ICANN chose to ignore these countries' concerns. Many of these disgruntled countries, ignored by ICANN, have stated that they intend to block .XXX. India has expressed its intent to block (<http://www.futureofcopyright.com/home/blog-post/2011/03/27/xxx-top-level-domain-will-be-blocked-in-india-and-many-islamic-countries.html>) Kenya issued a statement that it plans to block .XXX (<http://www.domainpulse.com/2011/05/04/kenya-says-it-will-block-xxx/>). And it is likely that many more will follow suit. This can and will compromise the very stability of the.XXX platform.

sTLD's Present a History of Failure - .XXX is likely to fail as well

sTLD's like .travel, .museum and even .mobi have been famously unsuccessful. And those sTLDs have the genuine support of their sponsorship community AND they weren't blocked by whole countries.

People who have watched these issues and are active in the domain system are skeptical as to the success of .XXX. One such person is Marc Jeftovic, *the founder and president of [easyDNS.com](http://www.easydns.com) – the DNS hosting provider & domain name registrar, a libertarian and former Director to the Canadian Internet Registration Authority (CIRA)*. On [DomainNameNews](http://www.domainnamenews.com), Marc writes,

“When one looks at the track record of introducing new Top Level Domains it is perplexing to see where all the enthusiasm around unlimited new TLDs comes from. So far every attempt to roll one out owes its sustenance to purely defensive registrations (.biz, .info) or else it's degraded into an utter fracas (.jobs) or just plain flopped (.pro).”

Mr Jacobs goes on to predict, “ .xxx – reviled by the industry it extorts , err, purports to serve and first new TLD that we are seriously considering making a conscious decision not to “grab our name before somebody else does!”. I'm certain it won't be the last. I believe one of the first things we will see as all this unfolds is a buyers strike in defensive regs. Once that happens everything will go sideways.”

Will .XXX be successful? The question is how is ICM measuring success? Will ICM recover its investment and make a great deal of money? Quite probably. But history and the current environment suggests that

that “success” will be derived from the initial frenzy of fear with defensive registrations (clicking through to .coms) and all out blocking of domain names.

Consumer behavior dictates that in the best of environments, an STLD will fail. ICM’s success will depend on the extent to which it can scare adult businesses into purchasing .XXX to protect their brand and traffic and scare mainstream into blocking their name so they have no association with adult. “For all of these reasons, it appears highly likely that that in 5 years, .XXX will be understood to be a failure and have no value.

Put ICM on Notice-NOT to sell your trademarked name

A letter template has been created by Free Speech Coalition (FSC) for adult online business owners to send to ICM Registry, to demand that their trademarks be protected from sale on .XXX domains to third parties.

The “letter of notice” informs ICM Registry – operators of the .XXX domain – that the sender will consider any infringement on their trademark as potentially actionable. The letter also clearly states concerns about potential anti-trust issues and unfair businesses practices on the part of ICM, as well as the certainty of cyber-squatting and other exploitation of established trademarks in the .XXX domain.

The letter template can be downloaded in a Word doc or a PDF version

[Letter Template – Trademark Protection Letter of Notice](#), pdf

[Letter Template – Trademark Protection Letter of Notice](#), Word doc

Companies interested networking with other adult businesses concerning litigation can contact Diane at FSC for information concerning other interested parties. (diane@freespeechcoalition.com)

B. Sunrise –Purchase or block trademarked names or purchase .XXX domain names if the adult business owns that domain name in another TLD. (ends October 28)

Buyer Beware!

Applications are being rejected a very high rate and applicants are losing their NON-REFUNDABLE registration fees. According to Kevin Murphy writer for [The Register](#), “***Under ICM's rules, a sunrise application that contains erroneous information must be re-filed and paid for a second time. Most registrars are charging \$200 to \$300 to handle these filings,***”

(http://www.theregister.co.uk/2011/09/29/mistakes_rife/). This issue has become so problematic that one ICM contracted registrar Encirca issued a statement admitting that 50% of its applications were being rejected by ICM for “correctable errors.” (<http://www.ereleases.com/pr/encirca-issues-xxx-sunrise-advisory-application-failures-caused-common-correctable-errors-66163>). Registration fees are non-refundable; many adult businesses are out the funds submitted while attempting to purchase or block their .XXX associated domain names.

Moreover, some names that adult business owners thought to be rightfully theirs, may have been sold or reserved prior to the Sunrise period. A great deal of money will be made, by registrars and ICM, and lost, by misled adult business owners, during the sunrise phase. Understand the risks and read the fine print.

About Pre-sold names

According to ICM Registry Launch Plan and Related Policies

(<http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/plan/#sunriseat>):

2.1 Scope and Applicability

These provisions describe the processes, procedures, and rules applicable to Sunrise A – Trademark (“AT”), Sunrise A – Domain Holders (“AD”), and Sunrise B – Non-Community Trademark (“B”), as described in Section 1.2 above.

Sunrise applications may be submitted for Available Names, meaning .XXX names that have not been reserved, restricted, registered, awarded, or otherwise allocated prior to commencement of the Sunrise period.

Sunrise AT –For trademark owners attempting to purchase their trademarked name.

There are a number of registrars available for sign-up. Ironically, ICM charges the highest prices for this phase (see registrar pricing). A word of warning... **BE CAREFUL** a business may think that because it has sexychicks.com trademarked, it qualifies for sexychicks.xxx. That is **NOT** the case. According to ICM policy, the business would only be eligible to purchase sexychickscom.XXX. In other words a business can only purchase a .XXX domain name in the AT phase if it purchases the exact name as listed in the trademark document. If com is listed in the trademark it will have to be listed in the .XXX domain name.

According to ICM Registry Launch Plan and Related Policies

(<http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/plan/#sunriseat>):

2.2.1 Sunrise AT Eligibility

To be eligible to submit a Registration Request under Sunrise AT, a Sunrise Applicant must:

- A. be a member of the Sponsored Community; and*
- B. own a registered trademark actually and substantially used in Eligible Commerce in the jurisdiction where issued for the stated goods or services, and which directly corresponds to the name in the Registration Request; the registered trademark must be in full force and effect at the time of submission of the Registration Request and at the time of Registration of any awarded name.*

For the purpose of AT Eligibility, the registered trademark must be a trade or service mark registration of national or regional international effect issued prior to 1 Sept. 2011 and in use in Eligible Commerce by the Applicant.

For either textual registered trademarks or graphical registered trademarks, the domain name sought must correspond to the complete textual component of the registered trademark, provided that such textual component as a whole or in all parts is not disclaimed or otherwise excluded from the full rights conferred by the registration or the commercial impression conveyed by the registered trademark.

The registered trademark may not include “.XXX” as either a portion of a textual registered trademark or as a portion of the textual component of a graphical registered trademark, and must not include figurative marks or special characters presented in a trademark registration for the apparent purpose of obtaining dictionary words or common expressions under sunrise registration procedures or under circumstances suggesting such a purpose.

For the purpose of AT Eligibility, qualified registered trademarks shall not include:

- i. trademarks or service marks for which an application for registration has been filed, but is not actually registered by the competent public authority or intergovernmental organization prior to 1 Sept. 2011;*
- ii. trademarks or service marks for which an application has lapsed, been withdrawn, revoked, cancelled, or otherwise is no longer in full force and effect;*
- iii. unregistered trademarks or service marks (including common law); U.S. state trademarks or service marks;*
- iv. international applications for the registration of trademarks, made through the Madrid system, unless these are based on or have resulted in a registered trademark of national effect; or*
- v. U.S. supplemental registrations; or any other rights in a sign or name, including domain names, trade names, and appellations of origin.*

Sunrise AD – for adult businesses wishing to purchase a .XXX domain name that it owns in another TLD.

According to the ICM Registry website, Sunrise AD is for, “Applicants own and operate an existing domain name in another gTLD or ccTLD (in connection with eligible commerce for registration in the .XXX) and they satisfy the adult Sponsored Community definition. This process is often referred to as “Grandfathering” (from an existing TLD).”

Don’t assume that because you own the .com version of a name, you will be able to obtain the .XXX version. ICM has reserved a number of names that it will sell at auction AND a number of names have apparently already been sold. Remember if an adult business applies for a .XXX domain name and is rejected by ICM, registration fees will not be refunded. **BUYER BEWARE!** Read the fine print!

According to ICM Registry Launch Plan and Related Policies

(<http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/plan/#sunriseat>):

2.2.2 Sunrise AD Eligibility

To be eligible to submit a Registration Request under Sunrise AD, a Sunrise Applicant must:

- a. be a member of the Sponsored Community; and*
- b. operate a Corresponding Domain Name in another IANA-recognized TLD in current use in Eligible Commerce.*

For purposes of Sunrise AD, a “Corresponding Domain Name” is a domain name (i) created on or before February 1, 2010, and (ii) registered at the first level ordinarily permitted by the registration authority in the relevant IANA-recognized TLD, e.g., the second-level name “string” in string.com, or the third-level name in string.co.uk.

Sunrise B-for businesses adult and non-adult that wish to block their .XXX trademarked name.

The same issues of trademark that apply in Sunrise AT apply in this instance, if an adult business has sexychicks.com trademarked it will not be able to block sexychicks.xxx. Make sure to read the fine print below-especially the “registered trademarks **shall not** include,” section. Understand that **application fees will not be refunded.**

According to ICM Registry Launch Plan and Related Policies

(<http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/plan/#sunriseat>):

2.2.3 Sunrise B Eligibility

To be eligible to submit a Reservation Request under Sunrise B, an Applicant must seek to reserve a name in the .XXX sTLD corresponding to a registered trademark that will, if approved, resolve to a standard informational page reflecting the status of the name as reserved. For the purpose of Sunrise B Eligibility, the registered trademark shall be a trade or service mark registration of national or regional international effect issued prior to 1 Sept. 2011.

For either textual registered trademarks or graphical registered trademarks, the domain name sought must correspond to the complete textual component of the registered trademark, provided that such textual component as a whole or in all parts is not disclaimed or otherwise excluded from the full rights conferred by the registration or the commercial impression conveyed by the registered trademark.

The registered trademark may not include “.XXX” as either a portion of a textual registered trademark or as a portion of the textual component of a graphical or compound registered trademark, and must not include figurative marks or special characters presented in a trademark registration for the apparent purpose of reserving dictionary words or common expressions under sunrise registration procedures or under circumstances suggesting such a purpose.

*For the purpose of Sunrise B Eligibility, registered trademarks **shall not** include:*

- a. trademarks or service marks for which an application for registration has been filed, but is not actually registered by the competent public authority or intergovernmental organization prior to 1 Sept. 2011;*
- b. trademarks or service marks for which an application has lapsed, been withdrawn, revoked, canceled, or otherwise is no longer in full force and effect;*
- c. unregistered trademarks or service marks (including common law); U.S. state trademarks or service marks;*
- d. international applications for the registration of trademarks, made through the Madrid system, unless these are based on or have resulted in a registered trademark of national effect; or*
- e. U.S. supplemental registrations; or any other rights in a sign or name, including domain names, trade names, and appellations of origin.*

C. Landrush-begins November 8, 2011 and runs for 18 days.

From ICM's website (<http://www.icmregistry.com/launch/landrush/>), the landrush phase is described as follows:

The Landrush period will run for approximately 18 days starting on November 8, 2011. During this limited period, only those members of the adult Sponsored Community can apply for .XXX domain names. Apart from being a member of the adult Sponsored Community, there are no trademark or pre-ownership rights requirements during this phase of the launch.

There is no first come, first served ranking during Landrush. At the end of the Landrush period, those .XXX domain names with a single applicant will be automatically allocated. However, those .XXX domain names with more than one applicant will proceed to a closed mini-auction between the competing parties only

ICM and its registrars stand to make a great deal of money during this phase of the launch. Not only will they collect the non-refundable registration fees from more than one entity bidding on the same name, but also benefit from the inflated prices that will come with an auction.

Adult businesses should consider the overall value, or lack thereof, that comes with a .XXX domain name prior to participating in the landrush. Remember, **registration fees are nonrefundable.**

ABOUT .XXX DOMAIN NAME PRICES

As adult business owners try to determine options for their businesses concerning .XXX, it's critical for them to know the cost of .XXX domain names. Unfortunately, as with much of the information distributed about .XXX, it seems like a lot of "smoke and mirror" activity is covering up the actual costs of .XXX domain names.

During the .XXX debate in London, the CEO of DomainMonster corrected FSC Executive Director Diane Duke when she stated that the cost of a .XXX domain name for the first year would be \$199. DomainMonster's CEO stated emphatically that the price was \$74. Ms. Duke quoted the price for someone to purchase their trademarked name for the first year. The CEO from DomainMonster quoted a price for general availability - AND he neglected to state that the price of \$74 was only for businesses who committed to a contract for the domain name for a term of **25 YEARS!**

Clearly, information about real numbers for real costs is needed. FSC painstakingly went through each link to registrars from ICM's site and created a table of prices for our members and all adult business owners to consider. This table of Registrar Prices for .XXX domains covers the first year (including registration fees) for Sunrise AT (trademark holders), Sunrise AD (.com associated names), Sunrise B (trademarks wishing to block) and Landrush (pre-registered). These numbers were the prices listed at the time this report was created. Links are provided so the viewer can confirm current prices.

Buyer Beware!

Registration fees are non-refundable and stories are already surfacing about application rejections. Encira, one of ICM's registrars is reporting that 50% of Sunrise A Applications are being rejected (http://www.theregister.co.uk/2011/09/29/mistakes_rife/) by ICM leaving applicants without their domain name OR their registration fee-where did the money go?????

.XXX Domain Name Prices-From Registrar Listing on ICM Registry's Website <http://www.icmregistry.com/registrars/>

Registrar	\$ Sunrise AT	\$ Sunrise AD	\$ Sunrise B	\$ Landrush	Link to Registrar
GoDaddy	\$209.99	\$209.99	\$199.99	199.99	http://www.godaddy.com/tlds/xxx-domain.aspx?tld=xxx&ci=51450
Network Solutions	\$249.99	\$249.99	\$249		http://www.networksolutions.com/domain-name-registration/xxx-domain-extension/xxx-select-phase.jsp;jsessionid=bb5a59a3c91107a2f46613e36573:1nkF
enom	\$245	\$245	\$250		http://www.enomcentral.com/tlds/dot-xxx.aspx
Name.com	\$199	\$159	\$199		http://manage.name.com/pre-order/xxx
101 Domain	\$169	\$169	\$199	\$169	http://www.101domain.com/tlds/xxx/index.htm
Encirca	Not Selling Sunrise A		\$245		http://www.encirca.com/html/ex-ex-ex-registration-sunrisea.shtml
Marcaria	\$215	\$200	\$387		http://www.marcaria.com/register/domain/xxx_sunrise_domain_registration.asp
CSC	No link provided				
MarkMonitor	No link provided				
WebNames.ca	Not Selling Sunrise A		\$349		http://www.webnames.ca/xxx/default.aspx
Register.com	No link provided				
OpenSRS	\$200	\$160	\$200/10 yrs	\$160	http://www.opensrs.com/site/services/domains/tlds/xxx
NamesBeyond	\$278	\$278	\$188	\$188	http://www.namesbeyond.com/index.php/home/xxx_domain_registration
007Names.com	\$209	\$179	\$199	\$199	https://www.007names.com/XXX/aboutXXX.jsp
Moniker	\$208	\$208	\$198	\$196	http://www.moniker.com/dotxxx/phases.jsp
Directnic	\$209	\$199	\$229	\$199	http://www.directnic.com/xxx/order.php
NameScout	\$360	\$360	\$285	\$185	http://www.namescout.com/xxx
NameVault	No link provided				
EuroDNS	No link provided				
NameISP	Approx \$209	Approx \$209	Approx \$284	Approx \$119	http://www.icmregistry.com/registrars/
DomainInfo.Com	320 Euros	320 Euros	300Euros/10 yrs	215 Euros	http://preorders.domaininfo.com/
Register.it	No prices available				http://we.register.it/brandprotection/dnm_contacts.html?infopage=xxx-prereg
Core	149 Euros	149 Euros	249 Euros	99 Euros	http://www.knipp.de/domains/types/std/xxx/sunrise_overview.do
DomainMonster*	199 pounds*	139 pounds*	Not listed	129 pounds*	http://www.domainmonster.com/domains/
EasySpace	\$312.92	\$219.04	\$297.28	\$219.04	http://www.easyspace.com/domain_names/xxx-prereg
Safenames	\$299	\$299	\$399	No price lstd	http://www.safenames.net/pages/xxx-domain-preregistration.aspx
Com Laude	No prices listed				http://www.comlaude.com/xxx
Ascio	No link provided				
Mailclub	199 Euros	129 Euros	299 Euros	129 Euros	http://www.mailclub.fr/domaines/actualites-13/article/lancement-des-domaines-en-xxx
Gandi.net	150 Euros Excl Vat			Not listed	http://www.gandi.net/domaine/xxx/info
Omon	195 Euros	150 Euros	195 Euros	150 Euros	https://www.cdmon.com/cas/dominios/microsites/xxx/

Registrar	\$ Sunrise AT	\$ Sunrise AD	\$ Sunrise B	\$ Landrush	Link to Registrar
Entorno	No rates available				http://www.entorno.es/dominio_XXX.php
DonDomino	149 Euros	129 Euros	199 Euros	129 Euros	http://www.dondominio.com/products/domains-XXX/
Networking4all	154 Euros	109 Euros	154 Euros	109 Euros	https://www.networking4all.com/en/domain+names/promo/XXX/
United Domains	\$278	\$278	\$299	\$199	https://www.uniteddomains.com/new-top-level-domain/XXX-domain-registration
EPAG	160.65 Euros	107.10 Euros	297.50 Euros	101.15 Euros	http://www.epag.de/en/XXX
1API-HEXONET	\$200	\$160	\$200	\$150	http://www.hexonet.net/TLD-XXX.php
InternetX	No prices available				http://www.XXX-registry.info/de/home.html
CPS	No link provided				
Key systems	113.05 Euros	113.05 Euros	297.50 Euros	88 Euros	http://dd24.com/?js=1&page=specials&special=XXX
Namebay	195 Euros	150 Euros	175 Euros	150 Euros	http://www.namebay.com/XXX/nom-de-domaine-XXX/enregistrement-nom-de-domaine-XXX.aspx
dinahosting	127 Euros	97 Euros	Not listed	97 Euros	https://en.dinahosting.com/promos/registro-dominios-XXX
OVH.com	166.24 Euros	142.32 Euros	166.24 Euros	142.32 Euros	http://www.ovh.com/fr/domaines/dotXXX.xml
Blacknight Solutions	Prices not listed				http://www.blacknight.com/register-XXX-domains.html
RU Center	Approx \$297	Approx \$237	Approx \$297	Not listed	http://nic.ru/dns/domain/XXX.html
NET IM	\$192 VAT Ex.	\$158 VAT Ex.	\$258 VAT Ex.	\$158 VAT Ex.	http://www.netim.com/domain/XXX-domain-name.php
lexsynergy	No link provided				
GratisDNS					https://web.gratisdns.dk/node/224
Register.EU	\$195*	\$145*	N/A	\$195*	http://www.register.eu/uk/domain-name/XXX/register-domain-name-XXX.asp
NordNet	No link provided				
Vario media	Not listed		279 Euros	\$204	http://www.variomedia.de/index.php?area=XXX
IPMIRROR	N/A	N/A	\$235	N/A	http://www.ipmirror.com/en/news/launches_details/XXX/
Webnic	Prices not listed				http://www.webnic.cc/subsite/20110901_XXX_promo/XXX_promo.html
Instra Corporation	\$249	\$249	\$299	\$218	http://www.instra.com/en/domain-names/world/XXX-domain-registration/XXX
WHOIS.CO.KR	No link provided				
ONAMAE	N/A	N/A	\$586	N/A	http://www.onamae.com/campaign/XXX01/
Domaininthenet	\$248	\$168	\$299	\$198	http://domainthenet.com/XXX/en/XXX-main.aspx
Melbourneit	N/A	N/A	\$300	N/A	http://www.melbourneit.com.au/domainname/XXX-domain-names
Net.Chinese.com.tw	Link not provided				
gabia	Link not provided				
PDR	Prices not listed				http://publicdomainregistry.com/dotXXX/

* Discounted prices available for 10 and 25 year contracts

Prices listed above are for the first year and were listed as of the creation of this report. Prices may be subject to change, check the associated links for current information.