

Setting the standard

Registration Fee

Per title - payable on application and non-refundable	£ 472
Only one registration fee is chargeable if registering a product for more than one ABC audit scheme at the same time	

Annual Subscription per title

(invoiced March 2016 or on joining)

Circulation band:

Up to 30,000	£ 379
30,001 to 60,000	£ 531
60,001 to 100,000	£ 665
100,001 to 200,000	£ 929
200,001 to 400,000	£ 1,061
400,001 to 600,000	£ 1,328
600,001 to 1 million	£ 1,567
Over 1 million	£ 1,924

(Note that the ABC subscription year runs from 1st April to 31st March each year. If a title joins ABC between 1st April and 31st December the relevant annual subscription fee is payable in full as detailed above, the fee is not reduced pro-rata. However, for titles joining between 1st January and 31st March a 50% reduction in the current year's subscription is allowed).

GROUP CERTIFICATE - per certificate	£ 271
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GROUP PRODUCT REPORT - set up fee	£ 324
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A Group Product Report is a report which includes information from a variety of ABC certificates from any certified sector (subsequent reports will be issued when new certificates are published)

Audit Fee per certificate audited

(normally invoiced in the month when the auditor is on-site)

Fee applicable on audit periods that end after 1st June 2015	
Per certificate audited	£ 1,033
Extra work - additional audit time will be charged after agreement with the publisher at an hourly rate of £ 102	

Digital Edition - Standard Audit Fee per digital edition audited

(First payment with registration, thereafter invoiced per audit)

Digital Edition - Standard Audit Fee per digital edition audited	£ 508
(£254 is payable in advance on registration and is non refundable.)	

Annual Inspection Fee per title

(invoiced March 2016 or on joining. Note - if title is ABC audited, the inspection fee is not applicable)

Titles inspected annually*	£ 383
Titles inspected biennially	£ 191

* Titles will be inspected annually if they meet one of the following criteria:

1. Display advertisement of £5m p.a. or more as measured by MMS
2. Circulation is less than 80% actively purchased

Extra work - additional audit time will be charged after agreement with the publisher at an hourly rate of £ 102

All fees are shown exclusive of VAT (where applicable) and are payable within 30 days of the invoice date