

Setting the standard

Registration Fee

Per title - payable on application and non-refundable	£ 456
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 2012 or on joining)

Circulation band:

Up to 30,000	£ 361
30,001 to 60,000	£ 506
60,001 to 100,000	£ 633
100,001 to 200,000	£ 885
200,001 to 400,000	£ 1,011
400,001 to 600,000	£ 1,265
600,001 to 1 million	£ 1,493
Over 1 million	£ 1,834

(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	£ 254
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GROUP PRODUCT REPORT - set up fee	£ 319
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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 1st June [June period end] or 1st December [December period end])

Per certificate audited	£ 1,018
Extra work - additional audit time will be charged after agreement with the publisher at an hourly rate of £ 101	

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	£ 502
(£279 is payable in advance on registration and is non refundable.)	

Annual Inspection Fee per title

(invoiced March 2012 or on joining. Note - if title is ABC audited, the inspection fee is not applicable)

Titles inspected annually*	£ 377
Titles inspected biennially	£ 188

* 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 £ 101

Registration of Short Term Certificate

Additional single issue/three month certificate	£ 261
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Note - short period certificates are only available in addition to a title's mandatory reporting period and may only be applied for when all issues included are closed for newstrade returns. A separate audit is also required.

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