

Fixed Recoverable Costs

Intermediate Track

Complexity band 1	Complexity band 2	Complexity band 3	Complexity band 4
Any claim where: (a) Only one issue is in dispute; and (b) The trial is not expected to last longer than one day, including: (i) Personal injury claims where liability or quantum is in dispute; (ii) Non-personal injury road traffic claims; and (iii) Defended debt claims	Any less complex claim where more than one issue is in dispute, including personal injury accident claims where liability and quantum are in dispute	Any more complex claim where more than one issue is in dispute, but which is unsuitable for assignment to complexity band 2, including noise induced hearing loss and other employer's liability disease claims	Any claim which would normally be allocated to the intermediate track, but which is unsuitable for assignment to complexity bands 1 to 3, including any personal injury claim where there are serious issues of fact or law

Complexity band

Stage (S)	Complexity band 1	Complexity band 2	Complexity band 3	Complexity band 4
S1 From pre-issue up to and including the date of service of the defence	£1,600 plus an amount equivalent to 3% of the damages	£5,000 plus an amount equivalent to 6% of the damages	£6,400 plus an amount equivalent to 6% of the damages	£9,300 plus an amount equivalent to 8% of the damages
S2 Specialist legal representative providing post-issue advice in writing or in conference or drafting a statement of case	£2,000	£2,000	(a) £2,300; or (b) £3,500 if counsel is also instructed to draft a defence to a counterclaim	(a) £2,300; or (b) £3,500 if counsel is also instructed to draft a defence to a counterclaim
S3 From the date of service of the defence up to the earlier of the date set for CMC or the order giving directions under CPR 28.2	£4,000 plus an amount equivalent to 10% of the damages	£7,700 plus an amount equivalent to 12% of the damages	£9,100 plus an amount equivalent to 12% of the damages	£13,000 plus an amount equivalent to 14% of the damages
S4 From the end of Stage 3 up to and including the date set by the court for inspection of documents	£4,600 plus an amount equivalent to 12% of the damages	£9,400 plus an amount equivalent to 14% of the damages	£9,400 plus an amount equivalent to 14% of the damages	£16,000 plus an amount equivalent to 16% of the damages
S5 From the end of Stage 4 up to and including the later of the dates set by the court for service of witness statements or expert reports	£5,200 plus an amount equivalent to 12% of the damages	£11,000 plus an amount equivalent to 16% of the damages	£12,000 plus an amount equivalent to 16% of the damages	£20,000 plus an amount equivalent to 18% of the damages
S6 From the end of Stage 5 up to and including the date set for the pre-trial review or up to 14 days before the trial date, whichever is earlier	£5,900 plus an amount equivalent to 15% of the damages	£15,000 plus an amount equivalent to 16% of the damages	£15,000 plus an amount equivalent to 16% of the damages	£24,000 plus an amount equivalent to 18% of the damages
S7 Specialist legal representative advising in writing or in conference following the filing of a defence	£1,400	£1,700	£2,300	£2,900

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S8 From the end of Stage 6 up to the date of the trial	£6,600 plus an amount equivalent to 15% of the damages obtained, less £580 if that party did not prepare the trial bundle	£17,000 plus an amount equivalent to 20% of the damages obtained, less £870 if that party did not prepare the trial bundle	£19,000 plus an amount equivalent to 20% of the damages obtained, less £1,120 if that party did not prepare the trial bundle	£29,000 plus an amount equivalent to 20% of the damages obtained, less £1,400 if that party did not prepare the trial bundle
S9 Attendance of a legal representative (other than the trial advocate) at trial per day, less an amount equivalent to 50% per day where, on any day, the trial lasts no more than half a day	£580	£870	£1,200	£1,400
S10 Advocacy fee: day one	£3,200	£3,500	£4,000	£5,800
S11 Advocacy fees for subsequent days, less an amount equivalent to 50% per day where, on any subsequent day, the trial lasts no more than half a day	£1,400	£1,700	£2,000	£2,900
S12 Handing down of a reserved judgment and consequential matters, where dealt with separately from the trial	£580	£580	£580	£580
S13 Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR): additional fee payable once only where a mediation or joint settlement meeting takes place	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200	£1,200
S14 ADR: additional fee payable once only for specialist legal representative attendance at a mediation or joint settlement meeting covered by S13	£1,400	£1,700	£2,000	£2,300
S15 Approval of settlement for child, unless the settlement is approved at trial	£1,200	£1,400	£1,700	£2,000

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