

Updated Fee Structure for QCI Schemes - Jan 2026 (Rev. 12)

Heads	Particular	Minimum Man-Days	INDGAP*	IFWCS*	RMPCPS	STAR*	AYUSH MARK*	VCSMPPT*	ICMED*	IGH	Conformity Assessment Framework for Safeguarding Critical Sector Entities (to be operational soon)								TCHP*				UAS		HRAA				
			Minimum Man-days	CSMS Scheme for BTC (Level 1)	CSMS Scheme for STC (Level 2)	CSMS Scheme for ATC (Level 3)	Inspection Scheme	Personnel Certification Scheme	Accreditation Scheme for COs	Accreditation Scheme for TBs	PrCB		Training Bodies		Minimum Man-Days	Total Fee (in ₹)	Minimum Man-Days	Applicant Non-Accredited	Applicant applied for NABCB accreditation	Applicant accredited under NABCB									
											Total Fee (in ₹)	Minimum Man-Days	Total Fee	Minimum Man-Days							Total Fee (in ₹)								
	Application Fee	-	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	-	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 50,000	₹ 50,000	-	₹ 20,000	-	₹ 20,000	-	₹ 20,000	-	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 10,000	
	Document Review	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	2	₹ 40,000	2	₹ 40,000	2	₹ 40,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	NA	
	Office Assessment Fee	3	₹ 60,000	60000 +	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	3	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60000 + (refer the excel per WHs)	₹ 60000+ (refer the excel per WHs)	₹ 60000+ (refer the excel per WHs)	2	₹ 40,000	4 (per location)	₹ 80,000	5	₹ 1,00,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	NA	
	Report Writing Fee	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	-	-	-	-	
	Follow Up Audit (as applicable)	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20000 + refer the excel per WHs)	₹ 20000 + (refer the excel per WHs)	₹ 20000 + (refer the excel per WHs)	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	-	-	-	-	
	Annual Maintenance Charges (only for TCHP TBs)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	₹ 1,00,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Witness Assessment	As per Scheme requirement applied Scope/Domain/Workheads (WFs)	-	Man-days to be charged as per the activities to be witnessed, @ ₹ 20000 per man-day as per Scheme Requirements based on Mandays offered by CAB for client assessment 1. Applicable only for NCIIPC Scheme wherein approval to be granted per domain/per scope/per WHs. 2. The MDs per domain/per scope/per WHs is placed in subsequent worksheets. The 3 MDs in OA shall cover upto 4 domain/scope/WHs and 01 MD for report writing.																										
Administrative Fee (AF) per certification cycle for all approved (provisionally approved or accredited) CBs	Per Client/ per project	-	₹ 2,000	₹ 2,000	Regular: ₹2000, 3 Star: ₹3000, Management System: ₹3000 Multi-site: ₹500 per additional site	1 Star: ₹2000, 3 Star: ₹3000, 5 Star: ₹4000, 7 Star: ₹10000	Standard: ₹2000, Premium: ₹3000	₹ 2,000	ICMED 9000: ₹3000, ICMED 13845: ₹4000, ICMED+: ₹5000	₹2000	-	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	-	₹ 30,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	-	
	Per Product	-	₹ 100	₹ 500		-	Standard: ₹100, Premium: ₹150	₹ 100	₹ 500	₹ 100	-	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	₹ 10,000	-	-	-	-		
	Per Personnel per certification cycle	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	NA	NA	NA	NA	Foundation: ₹1000 Advanced: ₹3000 Master: ₹5000	NA	Foundation: ₹1000 Advanced: ₹5000 Master: ₹7500	₹ 500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
	Assessment for Provisional Approval for 3 year	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	3	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4	₹ 80,000	4	₹ 80,000	-	-	-	₹ 20,000	₹ 10,000	₹ 10,000	
Renewal of approval / Recognition	Assessment for Provisional Approval for 1 year	4	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	₹ 80,000	-	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	-	-	-	-	6	₹ 1,20,000	-	-	-	-	
SA and Addition of Scopes	Surveillance Assessment Fee (as per defined frequency)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	₹ 60,000	2	₹ 40,000	2	₹ 40,000			1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	
	Application Fee for addition/ extension of Scope/domain/WHs	Minimum 1 Manday	@ ₹ 20000 per man-day as per Scheme Requirements based on Mandays offered by CAB for client assessment																										
Special Visits	Unannounced or announced audit, review of reports or complaint handling, validation audit, extension of scope assessment, regulatory /govt. representative visit etc.	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	1	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	
Scheme Approval Fee	If CB is applying directly to Accreditation Body for the accreditation under voluntary certification schemes of QCI	1	In order to be formally accredited by NABCB as above, the certification body, even if already accredited to ISO 17065/ 17021/ 17024/ 17020 or any ISO driven standards, shall be required to obtain formal approval for scheme through a short assessment from PAD Division, QCI. They are required to submit a technical support fee of Rs. 20,000 per year for covering the expenses of operating the scheme. * HRAA to pay a technical support fee of ₹ 10,000/- annually.																										
Validation assessments	PADD will undertake assessments to ascertain continued compliance by CABs	3	As the Scheme owner PADD shall undertake integrity assessments of approved (accredited) entities to ascertain rigour of compliance as per Scheme requirements																										

*Note-

- This fee structure supercedes fees mentioned in the respective Scheme documents. Please refer additional MDs to be charged for NCIIPC as per expansion or additional scope/domain/WHs.
- Planning and scheduling of assessments shall be undertaken only after receipt of the prescribed fees in advance.
- Fees to be paid in INR which is exclusive of taxes.
- QCI reserves all rights for periodic revision of the Scheme including introducing new Schemes
- All reports shall be only released once complete payments are received
- In the event of non-payment of dues, QCI reserves the right to suspension/withdrawal/ cancel approvals

For filling out the application form, please register at our Portal
<https://paddscheme.qci.org.in/register>

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Annexure-1 (NCIIPC Scheme)

Certification Scheme for Persons for IT/ICS Cyber Security Professionals			
S No.	Domain	OA MDs	WA MDs
1	Governance, Risk and Compliance	0.5	1.5
2	Technology & System Security Architecture	0.5	1.5
3	Secure Software Development	0.5	1.5
4	Application Security Testing	0.5	1.5
5	Security Product Testing	0.5	1
6	Network Security Administration	0.5	1
7	System Security Administration	0.5	1
8	Applications & Data Security Administration	0.5	1
9	Security Support Services	0.5	1
10	Security Performance Management	0.5	1
11	ICS Cyber Security	0.5	1.5
12	ICS Cyber Risk Assessor	0.5	2
13	ICS Cybersecurity design, & Implementation	0.5	2
14	ICS Cybersecurity Operations & Maintenance	0.5	2
15	Cyber Defence	0.5	2
16	Cyber Vulnerability, Threat & Risk Management	0.5	2
17	Security Operations	0.5	2
18	Cyber Forensics & Investigation	0.5	1
19	Cyber Training & Awareness	0.5	1
	Total	9.5	27.5

Accreditation Scheme for IT/ICS Cyber Security Consultancy Organisation			
S No.	Work Head	OA MDs	WA MDs
1	Designing and facilitation of implementation of CSMS (L1/L2/L3) with focus on Governance, Risk and Compliance Requirements	0.5	2
2	IT Cyber Security, Architecture, Design, Engineering and Implementation	0.5	2
3	IT Cyber Security Administration and Management	0.5	1
4	ICS Cybersecurity Risk Assessment	0.5	2
5	ICS Cybersecurity Architecture, Design, Engineering and Implementation	0.5	2
6	ICS Cybersecurity Operations & Maintenance	0.5	2
7	Cyber Defence	0.5	2
8	Cyber Security Monitoring and Assessment	0.5	1
9	Cyber Security Operations	0.5	2
10	Cyber Security Forensics & Investigation	0.5	2
11	Cyber Training & Skill Gap Assessments	0.5	1
	Total	5.5	19

Accreditation Scheme for IT/ICS Training Bodies

S No.	Work Heads	OA MDs	WA MDs
1	Governance, Risk and Compliance	0.5	1.5
2	Technology & System Security Architecture	0.5	1.5
3	Secure Software Development	0.5	1.5
4	Application Security Testing	0.5	1.5
5	Security Product Testing	0.5	1
6	Network Security Administration	0.5	1
7	System Security Administration	0.5	1
8	Applications & Data Security Administration	0.5	1
9	Security Support Services	0.5	1
10	Security Performance Management	0.5	1
11	ICS Cyber Security	0.5	1.5
12	ICS Cyber Risk Assessor	0.5	2
13	ICS Cybersecurity design, & Implementation	0.5	2
14	ICS Cybersecurity Operations & Maintenance	0.5	2
15	Cyber Defence	0.5	2
16	Cyber Vulnerability, Threat & Risk Management	0.5	2
17	Security Operations	0.5	2
18	Cyber Forensics & Investigation	0.5	2
19	Cyber Training & Awareness Documentation	0.5	1
20	Implementation and Internal Auditing of CSMS (BTC-L1, STC- L2 and ATC -L3 as applicable)	0.5	2
21	Implementation/Execution of Cyber Crisis Management Process (CCMP)	0.5	2
	Total	10.5	32.5