

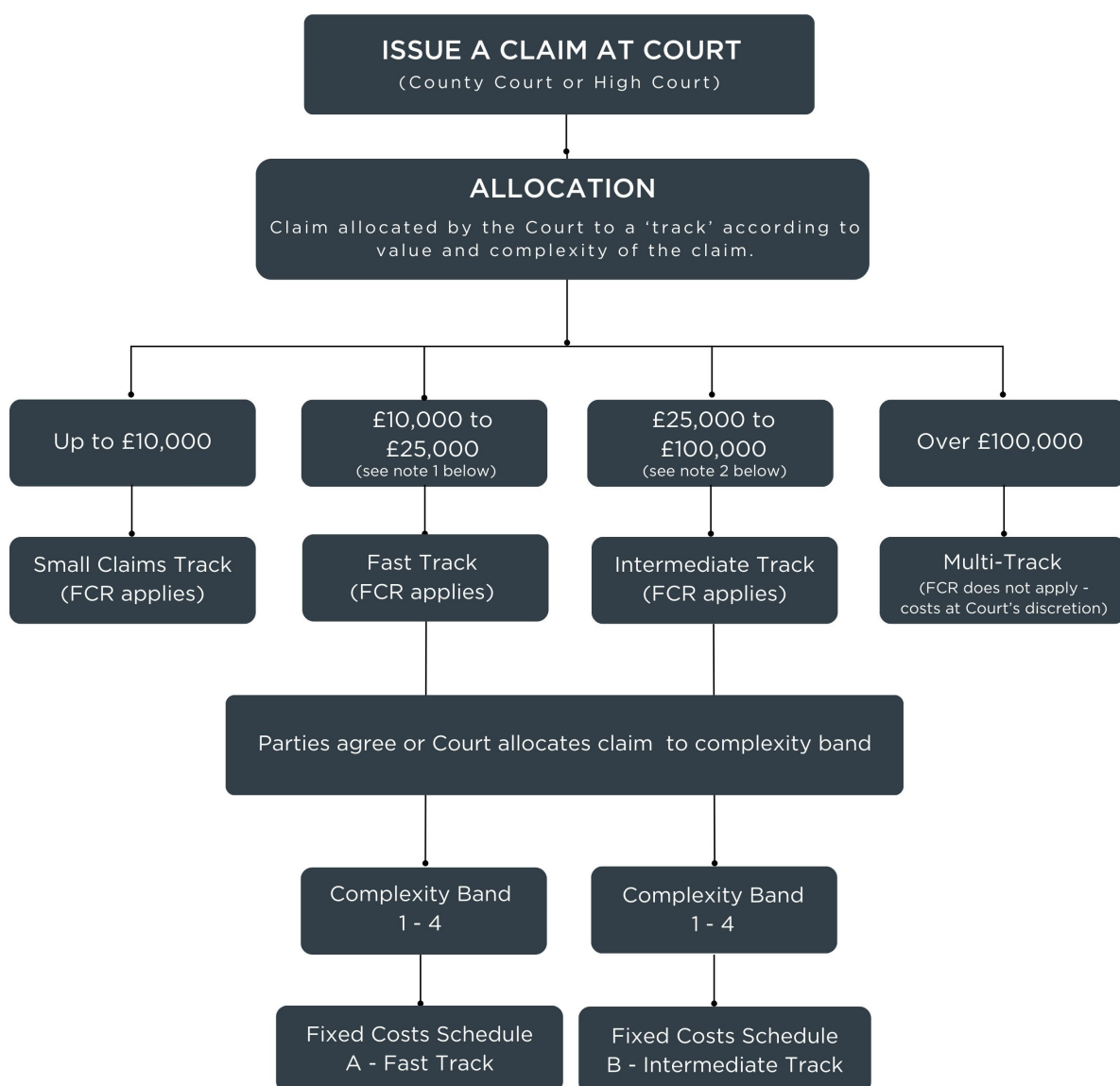
Fixed Recoverable Costs (FRCs)

The Fixed Recoverable Costs (FRCs) sets the maximum amount of legal costs that a winning party can claim from a losing party in a civil litigation case.

Our FRC flow chart illustrates what happens when a claim is issued at court and what the allocation of a claim means for recovery of legal costs.

Complexity Bands are influencing factors which include value, nature of remedy, complexity of facts/law/ evidence and number of parties.

For non-money claims or claims involving non-monetary relief, the 'non-money' element will be assigned a value to calculate fixed costs.



Note 1: Where the trial is expected to last no longer than 1 day. Oral expert evidence likely to be 1 expert per party per field. Expert evidence likely to be limited to 2 fields.

Note 2: Trial not likely to exceed 3 days. Oral expert evidence likely to be 2 experts per party. Claim is by 1 claimant vs up to 2 defendants/ 2 claimants vs 1 defendant.

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