

Calculating the RAC Carnet de Passage and insurance indemnity fees:

Step 1: Cost of the Carnet de Passage document (non refundable) -

- 5 pages- £190
- 10 pages- £195
- 25 pages- £200

Step 2: RAC deposit (100% refundable) -

- £350

Step 3: Cost of insurance indemnity security fee (50% refundable)-

(Always value the vehicle using the make & model found on the v5 logbook only, regardless of any modifications that have made to the vehicle. You must always assume that the vehicles condition and mileage is 'average').

Vehicle value: £1,000 (**this is the minimum vehicle value we can accept**). E.g. If the vehicle is valued at £500 your quotation will be based on £1,000.

Security risk of country used is the percentage for the country with the highest security risk you are travelling to

SECURITY RATE TABLE	
Security required depends on the risk of the countries visiting but is always a multiple of the value of the vehicle (chassis value). For example £3,000 value X 250% = £7,500(South Africa) X 10% = £750 Security to pay plus 6% Insurance Premium Tax	
Egypt	800%
Iran, Pakistan, India, Nepal	500%
Sri Lanka, Middle & Far East (eg Singapore/Malaysia)	200%
South America (Carnet is recommended only)	150%
Africa (excluding Egypt)	250%
Japan/New Zealand	150%
Australia	150% + £8,000 Vehicle Import Approval Supplement (cars only)

Calculation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{£3,000} \times 250\% &= \text{£7,500 (10\% of this)} \\
 &= \text{£750 (+ 6\% of this figure for IPT)} \\
 &= \text{£795}
 \end{aligned}$$

Example Quote:

Total initial cost outlay:

5 page Carnet: £190

Refundable deposit: £350

Insurance Indemnity Security Fee: £795 including 6% Insurance Premium Tax (Based on Value of vehicle: £3,000 & Country with highest security risk travelling to in the example is South Africa @ 250%). NB: If you were travelling to or through Egypt it would be calculated @ 500%

Total: £1,335

Total refundable amount applicable to customer upon return of vehicle to the UK and return of correctly stamped Carnet document to the RAC:

£350 RAC deposit

£397.50 (50% of Insurance indemnity security fee)

Total: £747.50

Courier Costs

Courier costs will be charged as incurred by RAC and added to your quote.

Replacement of a Carnet

If your Carnet is lost or stolen whilst on your trip you must notify the RAC immediately. An administration charge of £50 plus the Carnet Document fee and any associated courier costs will be charged.

If your Carnet is issued with incorrect information on it then it will need to be replaced. An administration charge of £50 plus the Carnet Document fee and any associated courier costs will be charged. If the RAC are responsible for the error then no charges will be made

Also for your consideration:

The International Driving Permit (IDP) £8.00 (application form can be downloaded from RAC website - <http://www.rac.co.uk/travel/driving-abroad/international-driving-permit/> or available on request)