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### Announcement – Release of soft copy of the study material

Greetings from Institute of Actuaries of India!

Due to COVID 19 pandemic situation, distribution of hard copy has been affected to certain extent. There has been request from students to restart the distribution of study material in softcopy format.

Keeping member's interest into consideration, IAI has restarted with the distribution of study material in softcopy format (eBook format).

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- 4. Price list of soft copy material is given below in Annexure 1



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#### Annexure 1

#### Price list for soft copy

Subject Code	Subject Name	Fees
CM1 (Part A)	Actuarial Mathematics	₹8,000/-
CM2 (Part A)	Financial Engineering and Loss Reserving	₹6,500/-
CS1 (Part A)	Actuarial Statistics	₹6,500/-
CS2 (Part A)	Risk Modelling and Survival Analysis	₹8,000/-
CB1	Business Finance	₹5,000/-
CB2	Business Economics	₹ 5,000/-
CP1	Actuarial Practice	₹ 12,500/-
CP2	Modelling Practice	₹ 3,000/-
CP3	Communication Practice	₹ 3,000/-
SP	Specialist Principle	₹9,500/-(each
SA	Specialist Advanced	subject) ₹ 10,000/- (each subject)