

IMA Membership Fees and Registration Links

There are four separate fees for taking the CMA exams:

1. **IMA Membership:** \$245 annually (discounts are available for students, academics, and young professionals)
2. **IMA Registration Fee:** \$15 one-time payable with your first year of membership
3. **CMA Exam Entrance Fee:** \$245 (good for 3 years)
4. **CMA Exam Registration Fee:** \$415 per Part

Therefore, the **minimum** cost to become a CMA is **\$1,315**, assuming that you pass both exams on your first attempt and within your first year.



When should I register for the CMA exams?

We recommend that you wait to register for the exam until 6-8 weeks before you are ready to sit for your first exam part. The reason for waiting is that after you pay the CMA Entrance Fee, you only have 1 year to take your first exam part and 3 years to pass both parts. So, by waiting to register you can give yourself more time to complete your exams.



How do I register for the CMA exams?

To register with the IMA and to take your first exam, follow these steps

(steps 1-3 can be paid in one transaction in the IMA Online Store):

1. Join the IMA (\$245 annually, plus \$15 your first year):

<http://www.imaonlinestore.com/personifyebusiness/Membership.aspx>

2. Pay the CMA Entrance Fee (\$245):

<http://www.imaonlinestore.com/personifyebusiness/OnlineStore/ProductListing/tabid/56/category/ENTRANCE/Default.aspx>



3. Register for the CMA Exam (\$415):

<http://www.imaonlinestore.com/personifyebusiness/OnlineStore/ProductListing/tabid/56/category/EXAMS/Default.aspx>

4. After you register for the exam, you will receive an authorization number. The authorization number is needed to schedule your appointment with Prometric.

5. Schedule your exam appointment with Prometric:

<https://www.prometric.com/en-us/clients/icma/Pages/landing.aspx>

