

Solvency UK

Frequently Asked Questions

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1. Version Control

Version	Period	QRT	Question	Date	Comments
1.0	Annual 2024	IR.31.01, IR.05.03, IR.05.04	What are the validation requirements between these three templates?	15/10/25	First Version
1.1	Annual 2024	IR.01.02	What entity ID code should a Lloyd's syndicate use?	20/10/25	Updated to include Entity ID code details
1.2	Annual 2024		Is there a checklist syndicates can refer to before submitting a return?	3/11/25	Updated to include submission checklist

2. Introduction

The purpose of this Frequently Asked Questions ('FAQ') document is to provide supplementary information and/or clarification in respect of the <https://www.lloyds.com/solvency-uk-reporting-instructions-for-syndicates> (the "Instructions") issued on 18 August 2025.

These FAQs will be updated as required during the reporting period and published on the Lloyd's website ([Solvency UK - Lloyd's](#)), with all changes clearly logged in the Version Control section of this document. Once issued, these FAQs are a formal addendum to the SUK instructions v.1.1 and must be complied with.

The answers to all FAQ's included in this version will be used to update the SUK Instructions issued ahead of the next reporting period.

For further clarification on the content of this document please email Central Finance at reporting.rationalisation@lloyds.com.

3. Frequent Asked Questions

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A1	What are the validation requirements between IR.31.01.01 – Outwards reinsurance balance sheet exposures, IR.05.03.01 – Life income and expenditure and IR.05.04.01 – Non-life income, expenditure and business model analysis?	In addition to the validations defined in the instructions and taxonomy, the following validation must also be applied at syndicate level—even if it is not triggered by the taxonomy through the CoreFiling portal. The taxonomy only triggers this validation when all three QRTs—IR.31.01.01, IR.05.03.01, and IR.05.04.01—are reported together. However, syndicates typically report either: IR.31.01.01 and IR.05.03.01, or IR.31.01.01 and IR.05.04.01. As a result, the validation does not trigger during syndicate-level submissions. However, when Lloyd’s aggregates syndicate data, all three QRTs are present, causing the validation to trigger at the Lloyd’s level. To ensure smooth validation and avoid issues during aggregation, syndicates must adhere to this validation even if it is not automatically enforced by the taxonomy at their level. This proactive approach ensures consistency and prevents validation failures during Lloyd’s consolidated reporting. We will check all submissions and request re-submissions as needed. The validation error triggered at aggregate is IR_bv0175: IR_bv0175 – SHORT_LABEL(en) - The sum of the values in "Reinsurers’ share of Premiums written" (C0200) on template IR.31.01.01, should equal the value in "Total life and health" for "Reinsurers’ share" in template IR.05.03.01 plus the value in all business for "Gross Premiums Written" (R0110C0015 + R0110C0525 + R0110C0545) in template IR.05.04.01 minus all business for "Net written premiums" (R0160C0015 + R0160C0525 + R0160C0545) on IR.05.04.01. Example: <table><tr><th>QRT</th><th>Row / Column Ref</th><th>Amount</th><th>Comment</th></tr><tr><td>IR.31.01.01 (Figure A)</td><td>C0200</td><td>80,000.00</td><td>The amount in this cell should equal:</td></tr><tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>IR.05.03.01</td><td>R0040 / C0070</td><td>40,000.00</td><td>Total life and health for reins share in template IR.05.03.01</td></tr><tr><td>IR.05.04.01</td><td>(R0110 / C0015 + R0110 / C0525 + R0110 / C0545)</td><td>170,000.00</td><td>plus the value in all business for GPW in template IR.05.04.01</td></tr><tr><td>IR.05.04.01</td><td>(R0160 / C0015 + R0160 / C0525 + R0160 / C0545)</td><td>130,000.00</td><td>minus all business for NWP on IR.05.04.01</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Subtotal of IR.05 (Figure B)</td><td>80,000.00</td><td></td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Figure A less Figure B</td><td>-</td><td></td></tr></table>	QRT	Row / Column Ref	Amount	Comment	IR.31.01.01 (Figure A)	C0200	80,000.00	The amount in this cell should equal:					IR.05.03.01	R0040 / C0070	40,000.00	Total life and health for reins share in template IR.05.03.01	IR.05.04.01	(R0110 / C0015 + R0110 / C0525 + R0110 / C0545)	170,000.00	plus the value in all business for GPW in template IR.05.04.01	IR.05.04.01	(R0160 / C0015 + R0160 / C0525 + R0160 / C0545)	130,000.00	minus all business for NWP on IR.05.04.01	Subtotal of IR.05 (Figure B)		80,000.00		Figure A less Figure B		-	
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