

Corporations, their management and professionals such as architects, engineers and lawyers can be exposed to potential claims related to 'professional liability'. If a third party suffers a financial loss due to the wrongful acts of a company executive or a professional service provider, the third party may have the right to sue for their loss. Senior executives and professionals require cover to protect them against potential burden of litigation and to help protect their reputation, integrity and assets. Cover for legal costs and expenses is important as litigation involving these

It is imperative that they have access to specialised and quality legal representation to safeguard their interests in the most effective way.

individuals is often extremely complex.

QBE's Financial & Professional Liability suite of insurance solutions are essential to the risk management for corporations and professionals as well as the personal protection of the management involved. Our products provide protection against legal liability arising from professional advice, wrongful management acts and services provided. Customers also benefit from our extensive global

#### **Professional Indemnity Insurance**

Protects professionals against a wide range of potential actions arising from a breach of their professional duty in the conduct of their professional business practice.

#### **Directors & Officers Insurance**

Protects directors and officers against liability for wrongful acts during the course of their duties as company directors or officers.

# **Medical Malpractice Insurance**

Protects healthcare professionals and the medical establishments against their legal liability for breach of their professional duty during the conduct of their professional medical practice.

# Information & Communication Technology (ICT) Liability Insurance

Provides protection against liability arising from their negligent acts, errors or omissions incurred from the failure of their products, services and/or advice.

# Cyber

Protects against the range of risks associated with digital technology and provides critical support in the event of a cyber attack.

# **Single Project Professional Indemnity**

Protects construction professionals such as engineers and project managers against breach of their professional duty

Product	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Crime	US\$20M	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Cyber & Data Security	US\$10M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Directors & Officers	US\$50M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Information & Communication Technology (ICT)	US\$20M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Medical Malpractice	US\$20M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Professional Indemnity	US\$50M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Single Project Professional Indemnity (SPPI)	US\$50M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets including countries where QBE is not represented				

# **Cyber & Data Security**

#### By country

Product /Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Cyber & Data Security	US\$10M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets including	countries where QBE is not represer	nted		

#### Appetite at a glance

# **Target occupation / industry**

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Accounting services
- Advertising, market research/ consultant
- Agriculture, forestry
- Architects, engineers, surveyors
- Arts and recreational services
- Cleaning
- Construction, design, tradesman
- Legal services
- Library and other information services
- Misc. services

# **Not QBE appetite**

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks. They include:

- >25% US derived revenue
- Accounts with more than \$10m personal records, especially if they are credit cards
- Crypto-currency related entities and peer-to-peer lenders
- Financial and insurance services (except insurance brokers)
- Government / public sector entities
- Large hospital / healthcare risks, especially if they have US exposure
- Large retail firms (revenue above \$5bn) especially if they have US exposure (redundancy readiness at the store level is key should the store operate autonomously without the POS/network for a period of time)
- Oil / Gas / Energy / Utilities

### **Moderate appetite**

- Accommodation and food services
- Administrative and support services (HR, travel agents, BPO)
- · Education and training
- Electricity, gas, water and waste services, utilities
- Insurance brokers
- IT consultants and Business Process Outsourcing (BPO)
- ISP / telco / hosting / cloud
- Manufacturing (BI and asset rectification)
- Media (paper, broadcasting, publishing)
- Mining
- Misc. professional, scientific and technical services
- Rental, hiring and real estate services
- Retail with revenue < \$5bn
- Transport, postal and warehousing (BI)
- Wholesale and trade

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
>25% US derived revenue	
Accommodation and food services	
Accounting services	
Accounts with more than 10m personal records, especially if they are credit cards	
Administrative and support services (HR, travel agents, BPO)	
Advertising, market research/consultant	
Agriculture, forestry	
Architects, engineers, surveyors	
Arts and recreational services;	
Cleaning	
Construction, design, tradesman	
Crypto-currency related entities and peer-to-peer lenders	
Education and training	
Electricity, gas, water and waste services, utilities	
Financial and insurance services (except insurance brokers)	
Government / public sector entities	
Insurance brokers	

Occupancy / Industry	QBE's appetite
ISP / telco / hosting / cloud	
IT consultants and Business Process Outsourcing (BPO)	
Large hospital / healthcare risks, especially if they have US exposure	
Large retail firms (revenue above \$5bn) especially if they have US exposure (redundancy readiness at the store level is key should the store operate autonomously without the POS/network for a period of time).	
Library and other information services	
Limits more than \$10M	
Manufacturing (BI and asset rectification)	
Media (paper, broadcasting, publishing)	
Mining	
Misc. professional, scientific and technical services	
Misc. services	
Oil / Gas / Energy / Utilities	
Rental, hiring and real estate services	
Retail with revenue < \$5bn	
Transport, postal and warehousing (BI)	
Wholesale and trade	

# **Directors & Officers**

# By country

Product / Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Directors & Officers	US\$50M	✓	$\checkmark$	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets including	countries where QBE is not represe	nted		

# Appetite at a glance

# Target occupation / industry

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Aged care
- Agriculture
- Airlines
- Association
- Banking (Hong Kong and Singapore excess layer)
- Charities / not for profit (except education)
- Childcare pre-schools/ kindergartens, day care centres (not adoption)
- Construction
- Education
- Financial Institutions non-bank, general insurance companies
- Healthcare
- Leisure & Hospitality
- Manufacturing
- Media & Advertising
- Non-government infrastructure companies
- Oil & gas (excess layer)
- Online Business
- Publishers & Printers
- Religious Institutions
- Retail & Wholesale
- Telecommunications
- Textiles
- Transportation
- Trade companies non-professionals

# **Moderate appetite**

- Biotechnology and pharmaceutical
- Budget airlines and sea transportation
- Funds Management
- Gambling
- Government bodies, organisation, municipal councils
- High technology risks
- Insurance brokers
- Mining

# Limited:

 US-listed risks with Level 2 and/or Level 3 American Depository Receipt (ADR)

# **Not QBE appetite**

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks. They include:

- Adult entertainment
- Nuclear
- Spacecraft manufacturing and related products
- Tobacco
- Weapons and ammunitions

		QBE's P Posi	referred tion
Occupation / Industry	Companies both public listed and private	Primary (Lead)	Excess (Follow)
Aged care - nursing, retirement / villages			
Agriculture			
Airlines			
Associations			
Banks - retail / trading banks / merchant / investment banks/life insurers and reinsurers			
Biotechnology / pharmaceuticals			
Charities / not for profit (except education)			
Childcare - pre-schools/kindergartens, day care centres (not adoption)			
Construction and engineering			
Education - schools, colleges			
Education - universities			
Funds management	SG/HK Only (Not Large Cap)		
Government entities, gte, soe - for profit			
Government entities, gte, soe - non- profit, local government councils			
Healthcare			
High technology - information technology / scientific/commercial / industrial			
Hospitality & entertainment - hotel / resort management / casinos			
Hospitality & entertainment - leisure centres/ tourism/travel agents			
Infrastructure companies (non-govt) - rail, shipping, aviation, utilities			
Infrastructure companies (non-govt) - road/toll ways			
Insurance companies - general insurance			

		QBE's P Posi	referred tion
Occupancy / Industry	Companies both public listed and private	Primary (Lead)	Excess (Follow)
Insurance companies - life insurance			
Insurance companies - reinsurance			
Manufacturing - light, heavy, f&b			
Media & advertising			
Mining & exploration - established/ producing mining company			
Mining & exploration - speculative mining company			
Non-bank financial institutions - building societies / friendly societies / credit unions			
Non-bank financial institutions - finance/leasing companies			
Oil and gas	Large cap considered		
Online businesses			
Publishers & printers			
Religious institutions			
Stockbrokers - institutional / retail			
Telecommunications			
Textiles			
Trade companies - non-professionals (plumbers, electricians, etc.)			
Transportation - air	Public Private		
Transportation - land			
Transportation - sea	Public Private		
Utilities - water, gas, electricity, sewerage			
Wholesale / retail - local / domestic / international			



# Information & Communication Technology

#### **Bv** country

Product / Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Information & Communication Technology	US\$20M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets includin	g countries where QBE is not represer	nted		

# Appetite at a glance

# Target occupation / industry

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Application service provider (ASP) / development
- Data processing/entry, bureau services and business process outsourcing (BPO)
- · Facilities management
- ICT recruitment / provision of ICT contractors
- ICT security provider / system audit and certification
- Managed service provider (MSP)
- Own shrink wrap / prepackaged software (sale)
- Software maintenance / support or licensing fees
- Telco fixed line telecommunications (broadband / phone) including virtual
- Telco internet service provider (ISP) including virtual
- Telco mobile network operator (MNO) including virtual
- Third party shrink wrap / pre-packaged or customisable software (reselling)
- Training and education

## **Moderate appetite**

- Bespoke software development
- Cloud hosting / data hosting
- Gambling
- Gaming
- Hardware manufacturing and sales of such hardware
- Hardware sales (third party hardware)
- ICT consultancy and project management
- Own customisable software (sale)
- SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) and CIS (Industrial Control Systems) and ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning)
- Software / system installation / integration
- Surgical / medical softward e.g medical treatment, diagnosis and dispensing

### **Not QBE appetite**

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks.
They include:

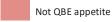
- Aviation control / navigation systems / radar / aeronautical / satellites / railway / military installation
- Pornography

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
Application service provider (ASP) / development	
Aviation control / navigation systems / radar / aeronautical / satellites / railway / military installation	
Bespoke software development	
Cloud hosting / data hosting	
Data processing / entry, bureau services and business process outsourcing (BPO)	
Facilities management	
Gambling	
Gaming	
Hardware manufacturing and sales of such hardware	
Hardware sales (third party hardware)	
ICT consultancy and project management	
ICT recruitment / provision of ICT contractors	
ICT security provider / system audit and certification	
Managed service provider (MSP)	
Own customisable software (sale)	
Own shrink wrap / pre-packaged software (sale)	
Pornography	

Occupancy / Industry	QBE's appetite
SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) and CIS (Industrial Control Systems) and ERP _(Enterprise Resource Planning)	
Software / system installation / integration	
Software maintenance / support or licensing fees	
Surgical / medical software e.g medical treatment, diagnosis and dispensing	
Telco - fixed line telecommunications (broadband / phone) including virtual	
Telco - internet service provider (ISP) including virtual	
Telco - mobile network operator (MNO) including virtual	
Third party shrink wrap / pre-packaged or customisable software (reselling)	
Training and education	
Website hosting and design	

Legend: Target





# **Medical Malpractice**

# By country

Product / Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Medical Malpractice	US\$20M	✓	✓	$\checkmark$	✓
Wholesale	All markets including	countries where QBE is not represer	nted		

# Appetite at a glance

# Target occupation / industry

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Aged care facilities
- Audiologists / audiometrists
- Chemists and pharmacists
- Chinese medical practitioners and clinics
- Chiropodists
- Chiropractors
- Clinic day surgery, pathology, radiology, hair & scalp treatment
- Dental
- Dental clinics
- Dentists
- Dermatologist
- Employment agencies for nursing staff
- Hospitals
- Midwives
- Natural and alternative medicine
- Orthodontists
- Physiotherapists
- Psychiatrists
- Psychologists
- Radiographers
- Speech therapists
- Therapists

# **Moderate appetite**

• Family planning clinic

# Limited:

- Medical practitioners (nonspecialists)
- Malpractice risks outside of those countries where QBE has operations

# **Not QBE appetite**

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks.
They include:

- Blood banks and facilities
- Cosmetic and plastic surgery
- Hypnotherapy
- Maternity hospitals
- Medical practitioners (specialists i.e doctors with advanced education and clinical training)
- Past life regression therapy
- Re-birthing
- Standalone nurses

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
Acupuncturists	
Aged care facilities	
Allied healthcare (not already mentioned) - non- surgical procedures	
Audiologists / audiometrists	
Beauticians (excluding aestheticians)	
Beauticians (including aestheticians)	
Blood banks & facilities	
Chemists & pharmacists	
Chinese medical practitioners	
Chinese medicine clinics	
Chiropodists	
Chiropractors	
Cosmetic & plastic surgery risks	
Day surgeries & medical clinics (including rehabilitation centres)	
Dental practices & dental care	
Employment agencies for nursing staff	
Family planning clinics	
Hair & scalp treatment clinics	
Home nursing services	
Hospital - private	
Hospital - public	

Occupancy / Industry	QBE's appetit
Hypnotherapy	
Masseurs	
Maternity hospitals	
Medical practitioners (non-specialists)	
Medical practitioners (specialists)	
Midwives & doula services	
Natural & alternative medicine risk	
Naturopaths	
Nursing homes	
Nutritionists & dietitians	
Osteopaths	
Past life regression therapy	
Pathology clinics	
Physiotherapists	
Podiatrists	
Podiatrists	
Psychologists	
Radiology clincs	
Re-birthing	
Speech therapists	
Stand-alone nurses	

# **Professional Indemnity**

#### By country

Product / Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Professional Indemnity	US\$50M	✓	$\checkmark$	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets including countries where QBE is not represented				

# Appetite at a glance

# Target occupation / industry

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Accountants / tax agents / advisors / audit / bookkeeping
- Advertising
- Architects including landscape
- Auctioneers
- Broadcasters / radio / television / media
- Builders PI design and consult only
- Charities
- Consultants agricultural / horticultural / agronomy / forestry / occupational health and safety / human resources / marketing / public relations / business corporate
- Draftsmen
- Engineers (except naval, marine, chemical, nuclear, mining or environmental)
- Finance and mortgage brokers
- Fitness instructors
- Human resources industry professionals

- Industry associations and trade unions
- Interior designers
- IT consultants
- Loss assessors / adjusters
- Marketing
- Project / construction managers
- Property inspections
- Public relations
- Publishing and printing
- Real estate agents
- Single project
- Solicitors / conveyancers / barristers / legal management /
- Sporting coaches / instructors (except diving)
- Surveyors
- Town planners
- Translators / translinguists
- Travel agents and tour operators
- Trustee companies
- Veterinary clinics

# **Moderate appetite**

- Childcare
- Consultants environmental / geological / mineral / fire protection
- Education schools, universities, and colleges
- Financial planners / advisors
- Freight forwarders
- Hairdressers / Barbers
- Insurance broker / agents (life)
- Patent attorneys
- Pest control
- Property manager / body corporate
- Risk managers

# Not QBE appetite

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks. They include:

- Actuaries
- Financial institutions banks, credit unions, stockbrokers, insurance, brokers, share registry services, investment
- Government bodies / authorities incl. non-council
- Insurance: broker / agents (general)
- Motor dealers
- · Real estate valuers

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
Accountants / tax agents / advisors	-
Actuaries	
Advertising	
Architects including landscape	
Auctioneers	
Builders - PI design and consult only	
Charities	
Childcare	
Consultants - agricultural / horticultural / agronomy / forestry / occupational health and safety / human resources / marketing / public relations / business management / corporate	
Consultants - environmental / geological / mineral / fire protection	
Draftsmen	
Education	
Engineers (except naval, marine, chemical, nuclear, mining or environmental)	
Finance and mortgage brokers	
Financial institutions - banks, credit unions, stockbrokers, insurance, brokers, share registry services, investment advisors and financial planners	
Freight forwarders	
Government bodies / authorities incl. non-council	
Hairdressers / Barbers	
Industry associations and trade unions	
Insurance - brokers and life agents	

Occupancy / Industry	QBE's appet
Interior designers	
IT consultants	
Loss assessors / adjusters	
Motor dealers	
Patent attorneys	
Pest control	
Project / construction managers	
Property inspections	
Property manager / body corporate	
Real estate agents	
Real estate valuers	
Risk managers	
Single project	
Solicitors / conveyancers / barristers / legal	
Sporting coaches / instructors (except diving)	
Surveyors	
Town planners	
Translators / translinguists	
Travel agents and tour operators	
Trustee companies	
Veterinary clinics	

# Single Project Professional Indemnity (SPPI)

### By country

Product / Country	Underwriting Capacity	Hong Kong & Macau	Malaysia	Singapore	Vietnam
Single Project Professional Indemnity (SPPI)	US\$50M	✓	✓	✓	✓
Wholesale	All markets including countries where QBE is not represented				

# Appetite at a glance

# Target occupation / industry

Below are occupation / industries QBE has identified as target growth areas:

- Acoustical engineering
- · Electrical engineering
- Heating and ventilation
- Hydraulic / fire engineering
- · Mechanical engineering
- Plumbing engineering

# **Moderate appetite**

- Bridges
- Civil engineering
- Dams
- Geotechnical / soil engineering
- Marine / naval engineering
- · Mining underground
- Offshore projects
- Oil, gas, petrochemical
- Project management (less than 25%)
- Structural engineering
- Transmission and distribution
- · Underground tunnels
- Wet risks

# Not QBE appetite

QBE is not able to support the following products or industries due to the nature of the risks.
They include:

- Chemical engineering
- Environmental engineering
- Mining engineering
- Nuclear engineering

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
Acoustical engineering	
Bridges	
Chemical engineering	
Civil engineering	
Dams	
Electrical engineering	
Environmental engineering	
Geotechnical / soil engineering	
Heating and ventilation	
Hydraulic / fire engineering	
Marine / naval engineering	
Mechanical engineering	

Occupation / Industry	QBE's appetite
Mining - underground	
Mining engineering	
Nuclear engineering	
Offshore projects	
Oil, gas, petrochemical	
Plumbing engineering	
Project management (<25%)	
Structural engineering	
Transmission and distribution lines	
Underground tunnels	
Wet risks	

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