Costs in Criminal cases – LAG – Anthony Edwards - https://www.lag.org.uk/shop/book-title/206276/criminal-costs--legal-aid-costs-in-the-criminal-courts

Costs decisions on Gov.uk https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/key-cost-judge-decisions

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https://www.barcouncil.org.uk/policy-representation/policy-issues/remuneration/cost-judge-decisions-listing.html

eg R v Dragnea SCCO Ref: 239/18 29 April 2020

"if one cannot readily decipher or consider the contents of a thumbnail image then it is not duplication to consider that image in an expanded format."

Eg R v Grant SCCO Ref: 263/18 Dated: 24th April 2020

"in the PDF format, and noted – indeed this was agreed by the parties – that the reproduction condensed the page size, so that several pages were often reproduced on a single page. The effect of this was twofold. First, the actual page count was depressed in the PDF format, in my view artificially. Second, the sizing made it particularly difficult for the PDF format to be utilised at all, or at least with any degree of ease, regardless of an individual's preference.....

it is prima facie reasonable to base the page count on the material reproduced in the Excel/HTML formats "

Eg R v Mehmetaj SCCO Ref: 188/18 Dated: 16th December 2019 - rare case where technical meta data was allowed as PPE

Eg R v Ridwan SCCO Ref: 118/19 Dated: 26th September 2019 – cover sheets can count towards PPE

Eg R v Salazar-Duarte SCCO Ref: 67/19 & 131/19 Dated: 12 June 2019 – disc material may attract renumeration by a combination of PPE and special preparation