

1. Total Parts

2. Total Sewing Inches

3. Total Seams

5. Buttons

6. Button Holes

4. Match Points

In today's fast-paced and time-compressed business environment, fashion and sewn products companies are constantly challenged to identify and manage costs at every stage of the product lifecycle; from concept to delivery. Product development teams must accurately predict new product costs and manage the cost implications of each pre-production change or addition.

Quick TruCost™ (QTC) enables manufacturers, brands and retailers to solve these challenges by empowering teams to accurately predict labor costs answering as few as eight simple questions about the product.

QTC quickly predicts total manufacturing costs with near-engineered cost accuracy. It uses information on common construction details to calculate total manufacturing time and cost. Full product costing can be accomplished in less than 10% of the time of standard data systems with no loss of accuracy.

By knowing true labor costs from the start, development teams can quickly determine target price points. Manufacturers use QTC to quickly and accurately quote and ensure profitability of production programs without relying on "guesstimates".

QTC is the perfect solution for retailers, brands and manufacturers that need to quickly identify costs. Design, product development, sourcing, engineering and production teams can all achieve quick costing accuracy by simply counting and measuring product parts, seams, buttons, sewing length and other product characteristics. Users can also compare costs across a variety of sourcing or manufacturing locations. No machinery, operation details, or construction details are required with QTC.



Key Benefits:

- Quick & Accurate Labor Costing
- Increased Productivity and Efficiency
- Predictive Costing Capabilities
- Near-Production Costing Accuracy
- Analyze Costs in Minutes vs Hours
- Add OH, Fabric, Trim, Other Costs
- Fact-Based Sourcing Decisions
- Calculate Costs in Various Countries

Key Capabilities/Features:

- Simple Drag & Drop Operation
- Advanced Search Tools
- Browser-Style Navigation
- Multi-Language/Currency
- Include Product Images
- Maintain Costing Histories
- Single Day of Training
- Microsoft .NET/SQL

Typical Costing Questions:

- Number/Length of Seams
- Number/Type of Components
- Number of Component Corners
- Number of Match Points
- Number of Backtacks
- Number of Bartacks
- Number/Location of Buttons
- Number/Location of Buttonholes

Methods Workshop LLC is the leading developer and provider of engineering and costing software solutions for the global fashion and sewn products industries. Since 1982, Methods Workshop has provided more than 400 apparel, footwear, furniture, home fashion, transportation, industrial textiles, and other sewn products companies with the solutions they need to increase competitiveness and accelerate speed to market.

Select QTC clients include Carhartt, Dickies, Elite Sportswear, Integrated Textile Solutions, NIB and UNICOR.

