

Quality that really matters



Cross-sector Competence

Market leader with many years of experience

SQS is the leading Swiss organization for assessment and certification services. It was founded in 1983 as one of the world's first companies in this sector. Today, the Swiss Association for Quality and Management Systems (SQS) operates internationally and has more than 150 permanent and around 250 independent employees in several countries.

Neutral and independent

Constituted as a Swiss association, SQS is a neutral and independent not for profit organization. It comprises over 60 members from Swiss business associations and federal agencies which support the concept of quality certification.

Everything from one source

With around 100 permanent auditors and a market share of around 70 percent in Switzerland, SQS competently covers all industrial and service fields.

It offers customized audit, assessment and certification services as well as valuable synergies and added value. Thanks to partnerships with the Liechtenstein Society for Quality Assurance Certificates (LQS) and bio.inspecta AG, SQS supports its customers in their market positions. Cross-sector expertise creates interesting combination opportunities, especially for internationally operating companies.

For companies of any size

The vast experience of SQS auditors ensures that the audit, assessment and certification services are precisely tailored to the needs of enterprises of every size and in every industry.

Comprehensive added value

Comprehensive support

SQS auditors are not limited to their certification work, but also offer valuable support. They are at the cutting edge of development, know current practices and benchmarks in individual sectors and, on request, can advise on improvement potential. This ensures a continuous development for the certified companies.

Efficient training

In addition to certifications and assessments, SQS offers practice-oriented workshops and seminars. These can be held as in-house seminars or on the premises of customers and tailored to specific needs.

Knowledge transfer from international activity

SQS supports its customers worldwide. In collaboration with its partners, SQS can make auditors available for all current management system assessments and certifications. Thus, services can be provided in all regions and in many languages. The global network enables a rapid and comprehensive transfer of knowledge and global customer service.

SQS certificates represent quality

Quality and sustainability are the centre of all activities. SQS certificates are universally recognized and stand for strict policies and independent audit, assessment and certification work. SQS is accredited by the Swiss Accreditation Service (SAS) and is a Member of IQNet, the international network for certification.

Diverse range of products

SQS offers services for all industry branches, for public administration and social institutions.

Sectors

Automotive	Health service	Services
Construction	ICT	Tourism
Education	Industry	Vehicles
Financial services	Medical	
Food	Paper and wood industry	



An excerpt from the services offering

	Number		Number
ISO 9001	9421	FSSC 22000 / ISO 22000	263
ISO 14001	3140	GoodPriv@cy®	93
OHSAS 18001	1972	ISO 13485	267
ISO 50001	217	ISO/TS 16949 / IATF 16949	180
eduQua / ISO 29990	768	naturemade basic/star	293
FSC COC	647		

Total certifications

17261



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