

Audit of the quality management system during its implementation

Objective:

- identifying the level of QMS implementation

During this stage:

- an assessment of the QMS implementation level is planned and performed, the records that prove this level of implementation are verified and improvement opportunities for the QMS are identified
- an audit report is prepared, by which both the strengths and the weaknesses (nonconformities, recommendations) of the QMS are communicated to your company management

Other info:

- the duration of this step varies, depending on your company size (number of positions, number of employees), as well as on the processes complexity
- if you have any internal auditors in your company, they have the opportunity to improve their auditing techniques by effectively participate in this audit, as trainees