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TÜV SÜD Sustainability Assessment

Based on United Nations
Sustainable Development
Goals (SDGs)



Industry requirements

In many value chains, being sustainable and having a sustainable operation have become a mandatory feature and an entrance ticket to global markets, especially for products and services that are related to excessive consumption of energy and natural resources.

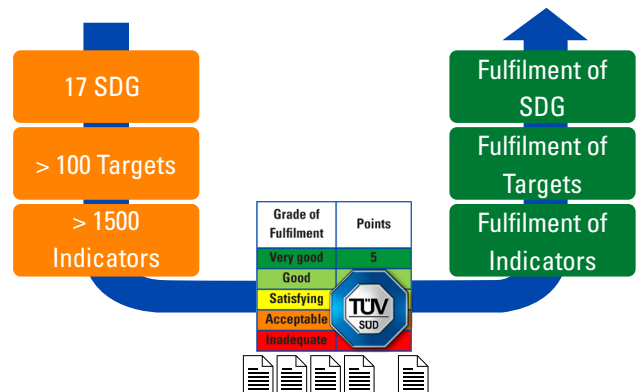
Making sustainability measurable with SDGs

As sustainability is a wide-spread field with social, economic and ecological implications, the main challenge is how to measure and quantify it. TÜV SÜD comprehensive approach is based on United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).



Sustainability Assessment by TÜV SÜD

Approved by 193 UN members, United Nations SDGs can be broken down into 126 targets and 1533 indicators describing each facet of sustainability using a top-down approach. TÜV SÜD's approach is to weigh the SDGs specifically to your industry, region and business model. By determining suitable justification documents for the indicators, it becomes possible to calculate a degree of fulfilment for each indicator, target, SDG and the entire company using bottom-up approach.



As the result will show a clear quantification of weightage (impact) of each SDG (one facet of sustainability) of the total sustainability of the client, it will be:

- Holistic
- Comprehensible
- Fully transparent

Fully transparent results

TÜV SÜD provides you a systematic examination of corporate sustainability based on industry-specific tailored questionnaires and predefined verification documents. This assessment produces an overall value for the company, as well as individual values for the various aspects of sustainability such as social, economic and environmental. You will receive a sustainability report that shows concrete potential for improvement and recommendations. Ideally, the evaluation should be carried out on a recurring basis for development tracking.

| SDG | Fulfilment | Weight | Total Contribution |
|--------------|------------|--------|------------------------------|
| SDG 1 | 86 % | 9 % | $86 \% \times 9 \% = 7,8 \%$ |
| SDG 2 | 84 % | 7 % | $84 \% \times 7 \% = 5,9 \%$ |
| SDG 3 | 92 % | 7 % | $92 \% \times 7 \% = 6,4 \%$ |
| SDG n | ... | ... | ... |
| SDG ... | ... | ... | ... |
| SDG 16 | 90 % | 5 % | $90 \% \times 5 \% = 4,5 \%$ |
| Total | | 100 % | $\Sigma 82 \%$ |

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TÜV SÜD is a premium quality, safety and sustainability solutions provider that specialises in testing, inspection, auditing, certification, training and knowledge services. Represented in over 1000 locations worldwide, we hold accreditations in Europe, the Americas, the Middle East and Asia. By delivering objective solutions to our customers, we add tangible value to businesses, consumers and the environment.



Key business benefits

- Holistic view on corporate sustainability
- Corporate strengths and weaknesses at a glance – details for each facet of sustainability
- Strong marketing message
- Entrance ticket for many value chains globally
- Management tool for future improvements of corporate sustainability

Related services

TÜV SÜD provides the following related services:

- Risk Assessment
- Business Continuity Management
- Management System Audits for ISO 9001, 14001, 45001, 50001 etc.
- Lifecycle Assessments (ISO 14040)
- Product Water Footprint (ISO 14046)
- Product Carbon Footprint (GHG Protocol)
- Renewable Resources Verification (TÜV SÜD Standard CMS 71)
- Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)
- Energy Efficiency (ErP Directive 2009/125/EC)
- Packaging and Packaging Waste (Directive 94/62/EC)
- Corporate Social Responsibilities Audit
- Environmental and Technical Due Diligence

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