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## AQC CREDIBILITY PRINCIPLES

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# SCOPE OF THE AQC STANDARDS



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Certification of the organisation  
Ongoing : ISO 9001, ISO 17021  
until 2020  
Third party audit SQS



AQC Label – Product  
standard  
Ongoing : third party audit  
ISEAL Alliance, BVQI, SQS



Certification of Bracelets  
Manufacturers  
AQC standards  
Third party audit SGS



Certification of Tanners  
AQC standards  
Third party audits  
SGS & other...







Certification of Rubber Suppliers  
AQC standards  
Third party audits  
SGS & other...



Certification of Laboratories  
AQC standards  
AQC audits

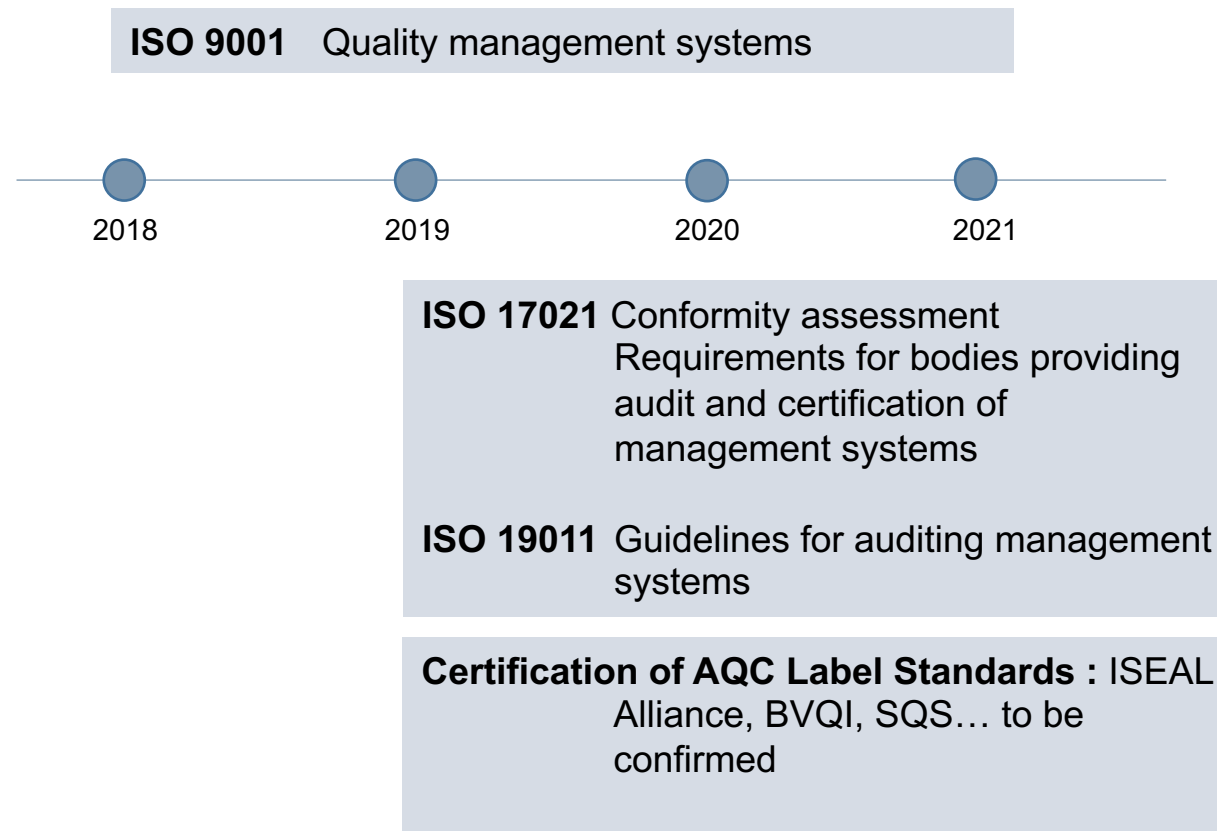
# AQC AUDIT PROGRAM

Certification			2016	2017	2018	2019
	Bracelet Manufacturers (production sites)	Audits by AQC		5	2	
		Audits by third party			5	6
	Bracelet (product)	Audits by AQC	0	5	3	5
	Laboratories	Audits by AQC	3	0	3	3
	Tanneries	Audits by AQC	6		5	
		Audits by third party			6	17
	Rubber Suppliers	Audits by third party				4
Total number of audits			9	10	24	35

Average costs per audit for a supplier:  
4'500 CHF

# AQC ORGANISATION CREDIBILITY

## Third party certification plan for ISO – and others



# AQC EXPERTISE CREDIBILITY

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