

What is the scheme about?

The Accreditation Scheme for Inspection Bodies provides formal recognition of the integrity and reliability of an inspection body's services. Achieving effective inspection is important in maintaining the safety of plant machinery, equipment, structures and systems in operation.

Who can be accredited?

Accreditation is open to all inspection bodies, ranging from in-house to independent third party inspection bodies. The accreditation scopes include:

- Cargo Inspection
- Central Alarm Monitoring Stations Inspection
- Hook-Lift and Container Inspection
- Marine and Offshore Inspection
- Motor Vehicle Inspection
- Pressure Vessel and Lifting Equipment Inspection
- Site Investigation
- Structural Steelwork Inspection
- Technical Audit of Extension Schemes for Pressure Vessels

What are the criteria?

Inspection bodies are accredited based on:

 ISO/IEC 17020 Conformity assessment – Requirements for the operation of various types of bodies performing inspection

There may be other specific technical requirements that the inspection body needs to comply with, depending on the type and area of inspection.

Benefits

- Increase the level of confidence in the integrity of your reports
- Meet prevailing industry standards and best practices
- Improve your operational performance



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