



Pre-qualification costs the construction industry up to

£1 billion
a year

The Common Assessment Standard, developed by Build UK, is designed to improve efficiency and reduce cost in the construction pre-qualification (PQ) process.

A growing number of organisations across the public and private sectors are now using the industry-recognised standard which is not only minimising duplication across the industry but raising the bar in assessing the competence of the supply chain.



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Contractors and Clients specifying the Common Assessment Standard for their supply chains



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Trade Associations accepting the standard as part of their membership audit scheme



18,500

Supply Chain Companies certified to the standard

Key Features

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Certification per year from a choice of Recognised Assessment Bodies



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Levels of certification – desktop and site-based to suit a company's needs



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Questions covering 10 key areas to fully assess a company's competence



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Key questions for which data is shared between Recognised Assessment Bodies



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