



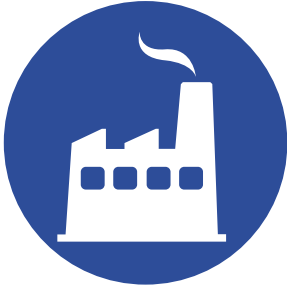
Choose IT products certified for social and environmental responsibility

TCO Certified is a worldwide sustainability certification for IT products. Professional buyers have used TCO Certified for over 20 years to make more sustainable choices when buying computers, displays and other devices.

TCO Certified is a complete sustainability certification. Our criteria go beyond legislation and include environmental and social responsibility throughout the product life cycle, including manufacturing, use and end of life phases.

Available for displays, notebooks, smartphones, tablets, all-in-one PCs, desktops, projectors and headsets

Life cycle social and environmental criteria



Manufacturing phase

Social responsibility
Conflict minerals
Env. management system



Use phase

Climate and emissions
Ergonomics, health/safety
Extended product life



End of life phase

Limit hazardous substances
Designed for recycling
Take back system

With TCO Certified you can reduce the risks associated with IT products. Our built-in verification program monitors compliance throughout the life cycle. All certified product models have been third party tested prior to certification, and final assembly factories are third party audited for compliance with key international labor conventions and laws for worker protections. We also carry out regular follow up verification of products and manufacturing facilities. All testing and verification is carried out by independent, accredited partner organizations according to ISO/IEC 17025.

TCO Certified is a third party ecolabel in accordance with ISO14024.

Built-in verification program

Challenges

- Complex supply chains
- Undefined responsibilities
- Manufacturing in "risk countries"
- Different business cultures
- Human rights violations
- Circumstances change quickly

The solution in TCO Certified

- Pre-certification verification
- Product testing
 - Verification of factory and brand compliance
- Verification during the life of the product
- Product spot checks, tests and verification
 - Factory spot check audits
 - Review of IT brand engagement
- Verification of test and verification partners
- Round Robin Testing

Benefits for buyers

TCO Certified offers

- Complete sustainability certification
- Current, life cycle criteria
- Environmental and social responsibility
- Built-in verification system
- Third party verification of products and factories