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## Multi-regulation management

Access global automotive markets with a single partner.



### Your challenges

OEMs and suppliers need to understand the regulations and product requirements to enter growing markets such as Brazil and China, which are increasing in importance compared with the European car market. Gaining access to these lucrative markets poses considerable challenges, as each has its own regulations and certification processes. Some regulations are only written in the local language (e.g. INMETRO is only available in Portuguese), which can hamper the homologation process and increase the risk of miscommunication. As automotive engineers may not be fully familiar with the many different regulations involved, manufacturers may have to make last-minute adjustments to products in order to comply with homologation requirements, which increases development costs and time to market.

### What is multi-regulation management?

Multi-regulation management is a holistic service package that enables automotive OEMs and suppliers

to access multiple markets efficiently. Managed as one project through a single point of contact, the service covers all the required homologation and certification processes. This eliminates the need for the client to coordinate between multiple vendors and government agencies, reduces overlaps in testing and ensures that the client receives certificates for several markets.

### Why is multi-regulation management important for your business?

Homologation and certification for key automotive markets, especially emerging ones, requires a knowledgeable partner with an extensive international network to overcome the many challenges of dealing with multiple regulations. This service reduces the overall homologation cost and helps avoid delays in accessing the different markets.

### How can we help you?

TÜV SÜD possesses an in-depth understanding of the different regulation requirements in key automotive



markets. We support you throughout the entire homologation and certification process.

## Our multi-regulation management services

### ▪ Knowledge services

Our experts help you to understand and identify the overlaps and evolving requirements of different regulations. We develop test plans that allow you to achieve multiple certifications within a single project.

### ▪ Homologation services

We provide the necessary services to help you obtain European and non-European type approval for your products. This includes preparing test reports and project management of the entire homologation process.

### ▪ Interface management

Our local language experts provide an interface between your organisation and the relevant national authorities and certification bodies, ensuring smooth communication throughout the homologation process.

### ▪ Testing

We provide testing for whole vehicles, systems and components against regulations/standards. Once you have obtained approval from the authorities, our experts also assist you with the cop test. By conducting one test to cover several market requirements, we help you save on development costs and time.

## Your business benefits

- **Save money** – by engaging our experts at the development stage to identify product requirements for market access, thereby avoiding costly reworks later on.

- **Save time** – by streamlining the homologation process and gaining multi-market access within one project.
- **Ensure efficient project management** – with a single point of contact through TÜV SÜD.
- **Benefit from a global solution** – with an expert partner that can draw upon an international network of automotive experts with extensive industry experience and local market knowledge.

## Why choose TÜV SÜD?

As an expert partner for the automotive industry, TÜV SÜD's extensive experience includes homologation projects with the world's top OEMs and suppliers.

We provide an end-to-end automotive solution from development through to production and distribution, catering to all of our customers' homologation needs including testing, project management and certification, all under one roof.

TÜV SÜD has an extensive network of experts and access to test laboratories in all the key automotive markets worldwide. Our experts speak the local language and can support your business needs.

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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 800 locations worldwide, we hold accreditations in Europe, the Americas, the Middle East, Asia and Africa. By delivering objective solutions to our customers, we add tangible value to businesses, consumers and the environment.

## Related services

TÜV SÜD provides the following related services:

- Active and passive safety
- Component testing
- Conformity of Production (CoP)
- Exhaust emissions testing
- Whole vehicle testing