

## Rates Safety Culture Ladder 2021

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The Safety Culture Ladder is a market initiative. The principle of the certification scheme is that all companies and organizations involved, jointly finance the scheme and contribute proportionately to the costs of the ladder. This way, the helpdesk, the management of the certification scheme, the register of certificates, the website, the administration, the further development, quality control and the supporting of initiatives are financed. Use of the Safety Culture Ladder should consequently generate sufficient income to ensure that the scheme remains up-to-date and applicable in the future.

The rates (excluding VAT) as indicated below are relevant for the audited organizations and are effective from 1 January 2021 for all new contracts.

### Certification fee for SCL Original, SCL and SCL Light

A certification fee applies for:

- the initial certification and the re-certification per year for SCL Original;
- the initial and follow-up audits for SCL;
- the initial statement for SCL Light.

The certification fee is based on the size of the audit in man-days, following the table below. The certification fees are charged quarterly to the certification bodies based on the audits performed.

Audit duration in mandays	Annual certification fee <sup>1</sup>
2 t/m 3	€ 524,00
4 t/m 7	€ 788,00
8 t/m 9	€ 1.049,00
10 t/m 14	€ 1.573,00
15 t/m 19	€ 2.097,00
20 t/m 24	€ 2.622,00
25 t/m 29	€ 3.146,00
30 t/m 34	€ 3.670,00
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<sup>1</sup>From ten man-days onwards, the certification fee are increased by € 524 per five man-days..

### **Fee for Approved Self-Assessment and 'Check on action plan'**

In the following situations, a fee is charged depending on the size of the company with respect to the amount of employees:

- per year for the Approved Self-Assessment, for the initial audit as well as for the check on action plan in year 2 and 3;
- For the check on action plan for SCL Light in year 2 and 3

Up to and including 25 employees:	Euro 51,00
More than 25 employees:	Euro 103,00

### **Validity and indexation of rates**

All rates stated in this document, are valid starting 1 January, 2021 and will be indexed per January 1, of the next year.