

EHSS Auditing Services

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WKC Group is an award-winning, international **environmental consultancy firm.**

Through specialist, science-based study we advise clients in various sectors including;



We operate out of strategically located offices in the Middle East, Africa and Europe.

Our services are broadly categorised as follows;

- Air Quality
- Noise & Vibration
- Marine Modelling
- Ecology
- Environmental and Social Impact Assessment
- Assurance
- Environmental, Social and Corporate Governance
- GIS & Remote Sensing

While supporting developments that make our lives stronger, safer and richer, our mission is to promote a healthy future for our world and all of us that call it home.





WKC's Approach

We believe that the style and scope of an audit should be tailored to the client's individual needs and priorities. We work with front line staff and senior management, throughout the audit process, to identify important environmental, health, safety and social (EHSS) issues and provide robust cost-effective recommendations to solve them.

WKC is a leading provider of EHSS auditing services, including:

- Auditor training
- Compliance assurance
- Contractor and supplier evaluation
- Design and implementation of multi-site audit programs
- Independent (third-party) verification
- Management system auditing
- Regulatory review
- Site and facility supervision / auditing
- Social welfare auditing
- Specific activity or issue auditing (e.g. construction, noise, dust)
- Supply chain auditing

Why us?

WKC provides a wide range of EHSS auditing services as part of our Assurance Practice across a wide range of sectors. We have advised our clients in over fifty countries and look beyond regulatory requirements to identify ways to improve business performance and drive innovation. Each WKC audit is conducted by highly competent EHSS professionals, including engineers and scientists, with expert knowledge in key fields such as air quality, energy, climate change, ecology, water, waste, social impacts and EHSS management systems. WKC auditors have considerable practical experience in a range of construction sites and operational facilities, EHSS regulations and key mechanisms for cost-effective performance improvement.





Our Audit Process

In general, our audit process comprises the following steps:

- **Opening Meeting:** The audit will commence with an opening meeting with the key site contacts and senior management, where possible, to set out the purpose, scope and logistics of the audit;
- **Document Review:** Documentation will be reviewed, including, for example EHSS management and monitoring documents, reports of any site inspections, EHSS incidents, investigations or correspondence from the regulators and training records;
- **Site Visit:** A site walkover will be undertaken in order to assess the operations and existing EHSS conditions at the site, against a comprehensive pre-populated checklist of compliance requirements. Field notes will be taken during the audit and, security permitting, photographs will be taken of non-conformances to stipulated requirements;
- **Interviews With Key Personnel:** Interviews will be held with key site personnel throughout the duration of the audit, including front line staff and senior management;
- **Closing Meeting:** At the conclusion of the on-site audit, a closing meeting will be held with the key site contacts and management personnel where possible, to summaries the key findings of the audit and to provide an open forum for discussion of the issues, before issuing the audit report; and
- **Reporting:** A detailed audit report will be issued that summarises the process followed, the audit scope and the findings which will include recommendations for corrective actions, relating to any identified non-conformances with identified requirements. Best practices will also be communicated as appropriate.

An audit is an excellent way of identifying environmental, health, safety and social (EHSS) risks and liabilities, ensuring legislative compliance and enabling informed decision making.

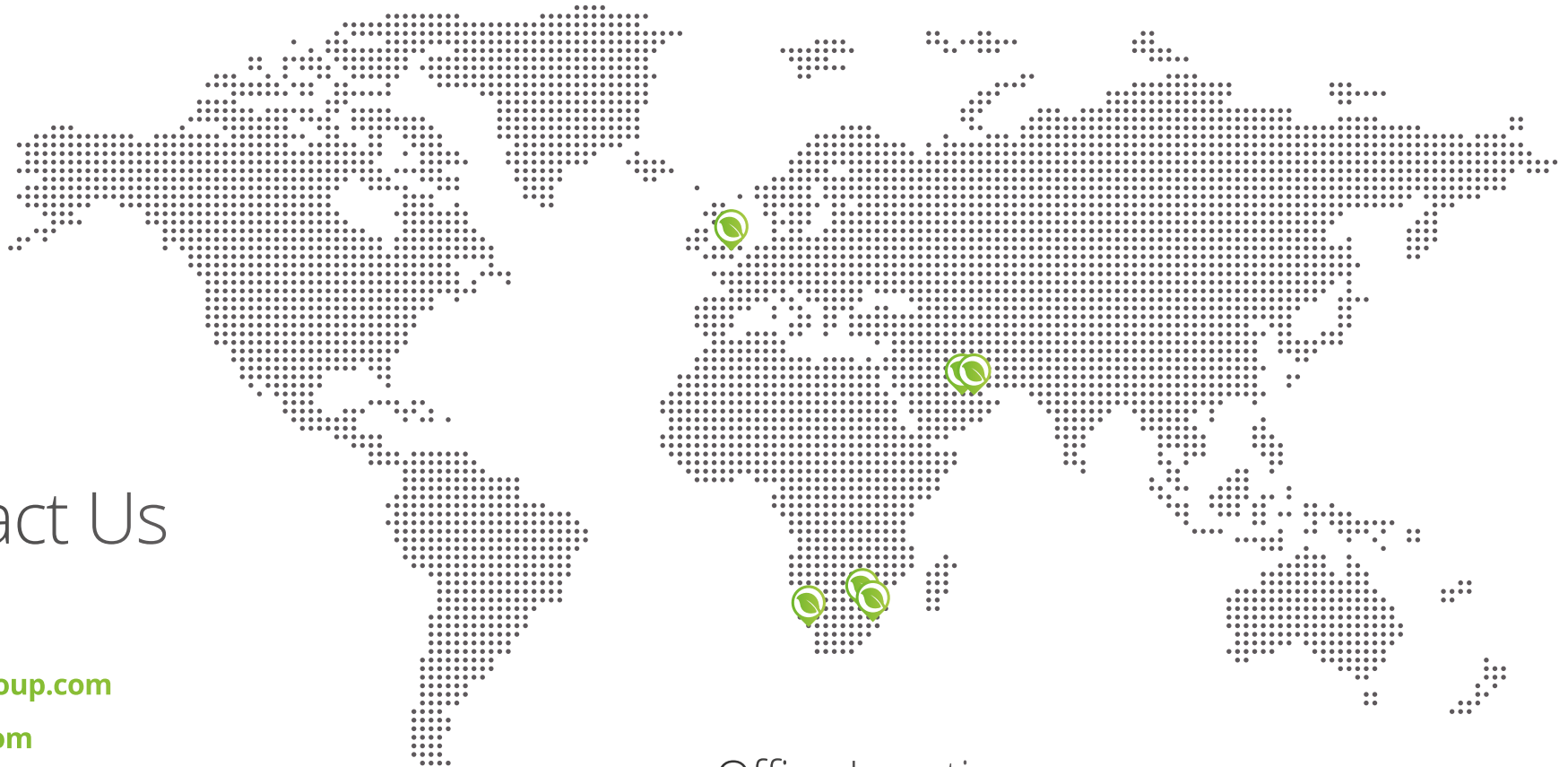
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