

BQMS Benefits

SUPPLIER

- Based upon ISO 9001, the recognized international quality standard
- Supplemented by AS9100, the international quality standard for the aerospace industry
- Allows Boeing audit results to be shared with other customers
- Non-prescriptive, allowing suppliers to implement best practices
- Encourages continuous improvement
- May allow Boeing to use the results of other customer audits to validate system compliance
- Consistent set of expectations from all Boeing sites and groups resulting in a single quality system validation
- Single Boeing voice to supplier
- Consistent with the requests of the Aerospace Industry Association (AIA) Supplier Management committee
- Consistent with the standard practices of the International Aerospace Quality Group and the Americas Aerospace Quality Group

BOEING

- Facilitates product to be designed anywhere and built anywhere within Boeing
- Consistent set of expectations for all Boeing sites
- Allows use of a common quality manual, with supplementation required only for site-unique activity
- Quality system training can be shared
- Facilitates adoption of best practices
- Accelerates orientation of employees that are transferred within the company
- Reduces costs associated with 3rd-party registration
- Minimizes Boeing's costs associated with quality system assessment costs at suppliers
- Meets customer and Civil Aviation Authority expectations
- Allows Boeing to use the results of other prime contractors in performing quality system validation audits