



Established in January 2017, the Concrete Sustainability Council (CSC) launched the CSC certification system to help promote environmentally, socially, and economically responsible working practices in the concrete industry. Recognised around the world, CSC certification is the first quality mark to verify concrete, cement and aggregate companies are using sustainable production methods.

With expert knowledge and a wide range of services for the construction industry, SGS is the ideal partner for CSC certification.

# RESPONSIBLY SOURCED CONCRETE PRODUCTS

The world of concrete is becoming greener. Consumers are demanding greater transparency concerning sustainability when working with concrete and cement businesses.

The industry must be able to show its products are generated in a responsible manner.

The CSC quality mark provides independent, credible insight into responsible production processes, indicated by four levels of certification – bronze, silver, gold and platinum.

## BENEFITS OF THE CSC QUALITY LABEL

CSC certification provides credible results, audited and verified by independent experts. It gives concrete producers substantial benefits, including the ability to:

- Gain competitive advantage
- Achieve LEED, BREEAM, DGNB and other certifications
- Benefit from green government procurement policies and building rating systems
- Contribute to sustainable and certified construction projects
- Provide insights into the whole supply chain's sustainability performance, allowing continuous improvement
- Benchmark within the industry
- Contribute to the sustainability goals of clients
- Enhance brand reputation



#### **ABOUT THE CSC**

The Concrete Sustainability Council (CSC) is an independent international organization, initiated by the World Business Council for Sustainable Development's (WBCSD) Cement Sustainability Initiative (CSI), with representatives from the aggregate, concrete and cement industries. With many international stakeholders, CSC certification provides benefits for concrete manufacturers around the world.

#### WHY CHOOSE SGS?

As an accredited certification body and founding member of the CSC, SGS was involved in establishing the CSC certification system. SGS has unrivalled knowledge of product and process certification for the construction industry and are world leaders on topics including concrete, environment protection and sustainability. Our experts have in-depth knowledge of ISO 14001 environmental management systems certification, product certification, life cycle analysis, the recycling of building materials, the application for waste flows, secondary materials and circular construction.

This makes SGS the ideal partner when considering CSC certification.

#### **ABOUT SGS**

SGS is the world's leading inspection, verification, testing and certification company. With experts in construction materials, processes and structural damage assessment around the world, backed-up by an international network of over 2,600 offices and laboratories, SGS offers you flexibility and a comprehensive range of services all in one place.

## **HOW CAN WE HELP?**

Do you have a question or would you like more information? Please contact us today.

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