



Social Audits – SMETA methodology

FLOCERT provides third party auditing services, offering SMETA/Sedex Social Audits based on the ETI baseline code. The SMETA/Sedex Social Audit system offers ready-made audit tools and a best practices guide. In this sense, FLOCERT operates all its Social Audits with a globally recognized set of verification instruments. These Social Audit services can be booked either to complement an existing Fairtrade service, or as a stand-alone.

About Sedex

Sedex is a non-profit global membership organization dedicated to driving improvements in responsible and ethical business practices in global supply chains. Sedex is the largest collaborative platform for sharing ethical supply chain data. It is an innovative and effective supply chain management solution, helping you to reduce risk, protect your company reputation and improve supply chain practices.

Social Audit options from FLOCERT

We offer two SMETA Audits:

- The SMETA "2 Pillar" Audit looks at two main aspects of an organization's working practices: labor standards and health & safety.
- The SMETA "4 Pillar" Audit is a more in-depth version of an ETI audit, with additional requirements based on the needs and choice of the customer. As well as labor standards and health & safety, it also looks at environmental and business practices.

Your benefits

High quality services

- Our standing and expertise as the global certifier for Fairtrade ensures that we deliver credible, high-quality services.
- Supply chain audits are our core strength.
- We can upload your audit report onto the Sedex platform.

Reduced time and costs for audits

- We can carry out Social Audits bundled together with regular Fairtrade audits which allows for reduced time, cost and administrative work.

Globally local

- Our experienced auditors are familiar with local conditions and languages.
- We have close connections with farmers.

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SMETA/Sedex Audits?
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