

Internal Audit Schedule for ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018

Organization Name: Document ID: [Unique Identifier] Date of Issue: [Date] Audit Period: [Specify the Time Period Covered by the Schedule, e.g., Quarterly, Bi-Annually, Annually]

Internal Audit Schedule:

Audit Date	Department/Process/Area	Auditors	Focus Areas/Process
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Notes:

- 1. Audit Date: Specify the date(s) on which the internal audits will be conducted.
- 2. **Department/Process/Area:** Identify the department, process, or area of the organization to be audited.
- 3. Auditor(s): Specify the name(s) of the auditor(s) responsible for conducting the audit.
- 4. **Focus Areas/Processes:** Outline the specific focus areas or processes to be audited during each audit, including relevant ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018 clauses or requirements.

Audit Planning and Preparation:

- **Develop Audit Plans:** Ensure that audit plans are developed for each audit, outlining objectives, scope, criteria, and methods in alignment with ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018.
- Schedule Audit Activities: Schedule audit activities in advance, including interviews, document reviews, and process observations.
- **Communication:** Communicate audit schedules to relevant stakeholders, including auditees and management, in advance to ensure their availability and cooperation.



Audit Execution:

- **Conduct Audits:** Conduct audits according to the schedule, following established audit plans and procedures.
- **Competent Auditors:** Ensure that auditors are adequately trained and competent to perform their roles effectively.
- **Document Findings:** Document audit findings, observations, and nonconformities accurately and objectively.

Audit Reporting and Follow-Up:

- **Prepare Reports:** Prepare audit reports promptly following the completion of each audit, detailing findings, observations, and recommendations.
- **Communicate Reports:** Communicate audit reports to relevant stakeholders, including management and auditees, for review and action.
- **Implement Corrective Actions:** Ensure that corrective actions are implemented to address identified nonconformities and improve processes.

Review and Improvement:

- **Review Schedules:** Review audit schedules regularly to ensure coverage of all relevant areas and processes within the organization.
- Seek Feedback: Seek feedback from stakeholders on the effectiveness of the internal audit process and make improvements as necessary.
- Monitor and Evaluate: Continuously monitor and evaluate the internal audit program to ensure its alignment with organizational objectives and ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018 requirements.

This revised content aligns with ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018 standards, focusing on the management and delivery of services. It provides a comprehensive framework for internal audits, ensuring that they are conducted effectively and contribute to continual improvement in line with ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018.