COS SEMS Audit Guidance Documents

All COS SEMS Auditing Guidance (Series 1 Documents) can be found on COS' website by clicking on "Guidelines and Reports" and then "SEMS Auditing."

- COS-1-01 – COS SEMS II Audit Protocol – Checklist (Rev 2.1. 2014)
- COS-1-10 – Guidance for Remote Audits (1st Edition, May 2023)
- For API RP 75 3rd Edition:
  - COS-1-06/RP 75 3rd Ed. – Guidance for Developing a SEMS Audit Plan for API RP 75 3rd Ed. (2nd Ed., May 2023)
  - COS-1-07/RP 75 3rd Ed. – Guidance for Developing a SEMS Corrective Action Plan for API RP 75 3rd Ed. (2nd Ed., May 2023)
  - COS-1-08/RP 75 3rd Ed. – SEMS Audit Report and Guidance for API RP 75 3rd Ed. (2nd Ed., May 2023)
  - COS-1-09/RP 75 3rd Ed. – Guidance for Conducting SEMS Audits for API RP 75 3rd Ed. (2nd Ed., June 2023)
- For API RP 75 4th Edition:
  - COS-1-06/RP 75 4th Edition – Guidance for Developing a SEMS Audit Plan for API RP 75 4th Edition (1st Edition, August 2023)
  - COS-1-07/RP 75 4th Edition – SEMS Audit Report Format and Guidance for API RP 75 4th Edition (1st Edition, August 2023)
  - COS-1-08/RP 75 4th Edition – Guidance for Developing a SEMS Audit Plan for API RP 75 4th Edition (1st Edition, August 2023)
  - COS-1-09/RP 75 4th Ed. – Guidance for Conducting SEMS Audits for API RP 75 4th Ed. (1st Ed., May 2023)

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Guidance Documents	US OCS Operators With Use of COS-2-03 1st Edition	US OCS Contractors and Drillers Seeking SEMS Certificate Must Use COS-2-03 3rd Edition	Seeking SEMS Certificate Outside USOCS Must Use COS-2-03rd Edition‡
COS-1-01	Required	No	Not unless using COS-2-03 1st Ed
COS-1-06	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended	For RP 75 4th Ed. Required	For RP 75 4th Ed. Required‡
COS-1-07	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended
COS-1-08	For RP 75 3rd Ed. Recommendedα	For RP 75 4th Ed. Required	For RP 75 4th Ed. Required‡
COS-1-09	For RP 75 3rd Ed. Recommendedα	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended	For RP 75 4th Ed. Recommended
COS-1-10, 1st Ed.	Recommended†	Recommended†	Recommended†

α Unless the audit is approved by BSEE for use of API RP 75 4th Edition, then 4th Edition documents are recommended.

† Note that IAF MD4 obliges that risks of use of Information and Computer Technology be identified and documented.

‡ Unless local regulations require an earlier edition.