

Claims Matrix - IAC

Version: v1.0

Date: 2026-02-20

Owner: Compliance

Allowed claims

- "IAC accredits conformity assessment bodies within defined scopes."
- "Accreditation status is publicly verifiable in the IAC Directory."
- "Accreditation decisions are independent from evaluation functions."

Conditional claims (require evidence)

- Recognition or status claims must be published in /status-recognition with supporting evidence.
- Any claim referencing partnerships must have signed authorization.

Prohibited claims

- Certification of end organizations or products.
- Guaranteed international recognition without formal agreements.
- Use of third-party logos as endorsements without permission.

Enforcement

Violations require immediate correction and may trigger suspension or withdrawal.