

BSA Verafirm SAM Certification

The must-have credential for Software Asset Management professionals

In Practice: When You Apply Standardized Configurations

Assets identified in most businesses often bring along SAM's standardized configurations with other Open Source. It is generally agreed to find the options to be the best. Thanks to the partnership approach that is often used, involving other teams and existing Management support, Assets from that same configuration are always in use.

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Prioritization, Deployment, User Groups, Support Plans, The OIG, Financial Management

SAM skills are in demand.

Meet the growing demand for skilled professionals who can build and manage SAM systems.

Get certified on the SAM Gold Standard.

The only SAM certification aligned to the 2017 ISO 19770-1 standard, the only standard written to also manage software assets.

The ISO Standard Brief

You just learned about the ISO and the five existing ITAM Standards. Let us discuss the logic of the new ISO standard and the general PDCA requirements for ITAM.

Select each tab to learn more.

ISO MSS	Requirements	Processes & TI	Conformance
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ISO 19770-1: ITAM Systems – Requirements

ISO 19770-1 is a Management Systems Standard for IT Asset Management and is the only international standard for ITAM/SAM. The 1st edition of this standard (the first to follow the MSB format) was published in 2017.

The body of the ITAM Standard does not provide substantive guidance on what should be included in an ITAM System. It only discusses the general framework, or PDCA Methodology, around continuous improvement for an ITAM System, as reflected in the general PDCA requirements.

Bring-Your-Own-Device (BYOD)

Technology is increasingly part of our everyday lives and is more readily found in the workplace. The concept of Bring-Your-Own-Device (BYOD) allows employees to leverage their personal technological device (such as a cell phone, tablet, laptop, etc.) to access work functions and company information and applications. Naturally, this adds layers of difficulty for companies and their SAM process managers. BYOD has its own challenges and deserves its own set of policies and proper procedures.

Select the forward arrow to learn more about SAM best practices for BYOD.

Mobile Challenges

One growing challenge that companies face is the difficulty of provisioning mobile devices for their employees while adhering to the licensing restrictions around these mobile devices. Mobile devices add new management complexities, such as ensuring both employee privacy and corporate data protection and their respective policies and procedures.

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Characteristics of Service Provider Managed Cloud Delivery Methods

SaaS, PaaS, IaaS

Knowledge Check

One of the most important steps in exploring the organization's context is determining who the stakeholders are. Take a look at this list and select all the possible stakeholders in a SAM System.

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Service Management, IT department, Legal, Marketing department

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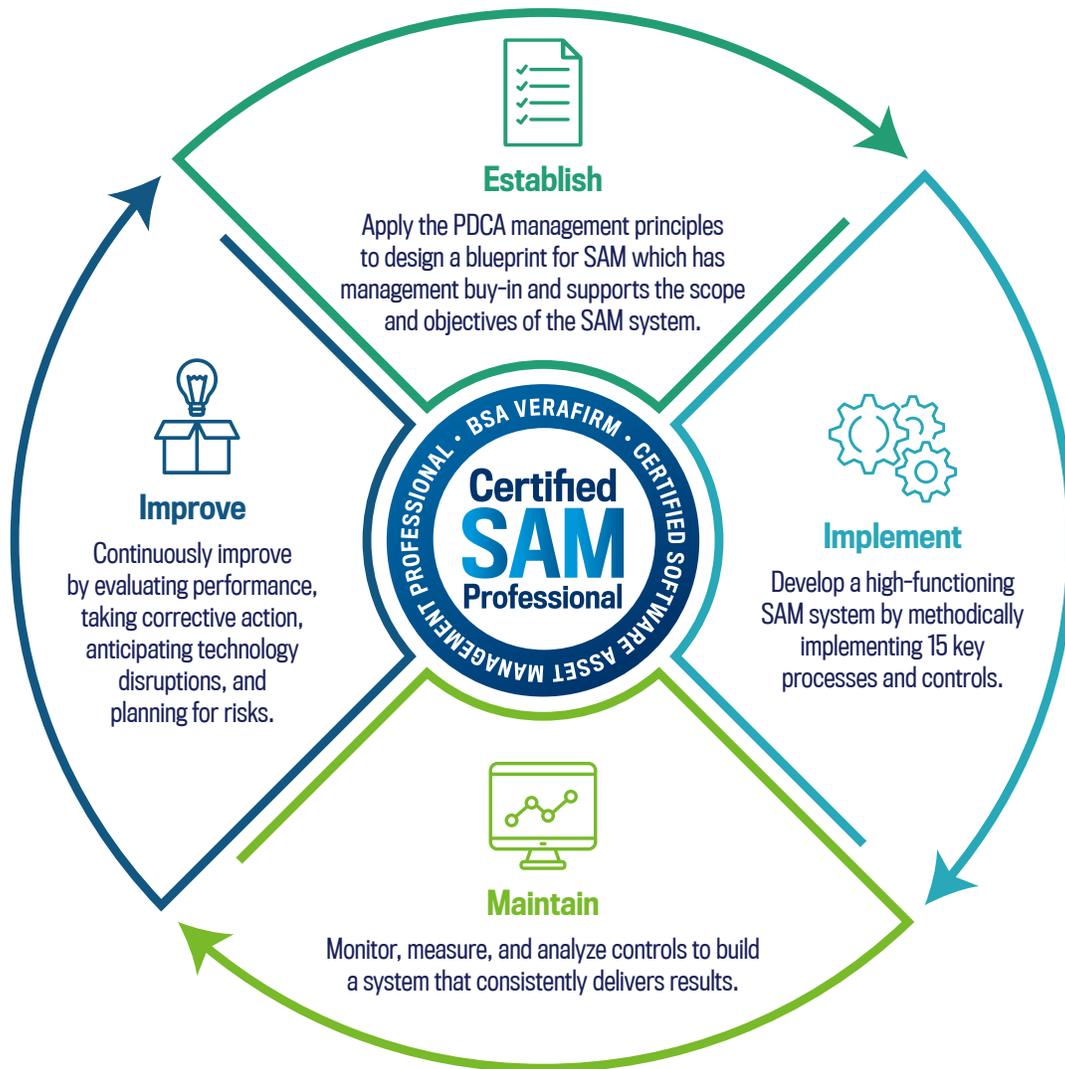


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Establish, Implement, Maintain, and Improve SAM systems by applying principles and processes from the ISO 19770-1 standard



Master the management principles that make SAM systems consistently produce results and stand the test of time, with processes that ensure software is managed through its lifecycle.

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