



Subsidiary Governance

An innovative management tool to manage corporate subsidiaries and strategic partnerships.

We offer a solution to assess and improve the cooperation between a corporate headquarter and its subsidiaries and strategic partnerships. Leading and controlling subsidiaries and partnerships is a major challenge in globalized markets. Use the «Subsidiary Governance» methodology to ensure that your defined strategies and objectives are achieved in an appropriate and consistent way.

Our management tool enables you to

- monitor the operationalization of your strategy
- improve the understanding of decentralized markets
- evaluate and optimize the consistency along official channels
- minimize reputational risks
- ensure shareholder interests
- improve risk management
- display potentials for innovation

Easy usage - Meaningful results

The Subsidiary Governance Toolkit is based on a system-independent web application which is available anytime and everywhere.

«Identifying Governance Gaps is not just NICE, it is a MUST. At Schindler we use our own scorecards to identify «hard factors» across the group, with great success. Additionally the Subsidiary Governance Assessments enables us to understand and use the «soft factors» within the organization.»

Benny de Bever, Head Group Assurance, Schindler

«93% of persons responsible at Headquarters equals the management of subsidiaries with trust in local management.»

Financial Times & IMD Lausanne, 2006

«94% of the board of directors assesses their added value towards the corporate management as very high, only two of three management members recognize it the same way.»

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Assessment

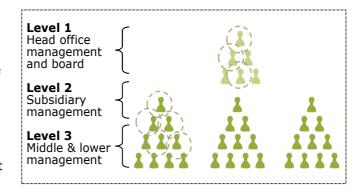
An overview of the Self-Assessment

The Self-Assessment enables you to autonomously assess your own organization. The following actors are involved during the execution:

- Process owner (setup, generate survey, evaluation, follow-up)
- Management members from three management levels (answer survey)

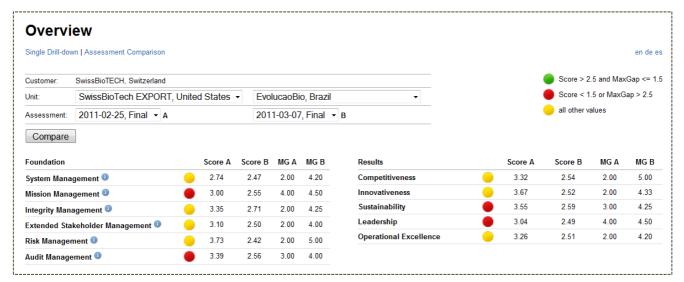
During the assessment **members of the management** from different management levels are
asked about predefined business and leadership
indicators on their hierarchy level through an online
survey. The online application evaluates the **answers**and compares them with other management levels.
That determines the discrepancies between settled
strategies and operational understanding.

The discrepancies are graphically visualized in the **management cockpit.** A drill-down function gives the opportunity to view the detailed results of the business topics. It gives you also the possibility to compare different assessments to gather insights about improvements or deteriorations of the situation.



The application uses a **maturity scale** from 0 to 5 to assess the situation which gives information about the current situation.

| Scale | Signification |
|---------|--|
| Level 0 | Not existing |
| Level 1 | Initial, not yet conscious, ad-hoc solutions, intuitive |
| Level 2 | Repeated, singular instances of conscious processes |
| Level 3 | Defined, communicated, trained |
| Level 4 | Managed and lived |
| Level 5 | Improving, continuous reflection, systematically measuring and improving |



The company is able to perform an assessment **autonomously** at little cost and with little time with as many subsidiaries and partnerships as desired. Assessments from subsidiaries and partnerships are comparable and best practice and potential for improvements can be deducted. Progress becomes measurable and immediately visible.

