

## Announcement – Publication of IAF MD 4:2018

This serves to announce the publication of Issue 2 of IAF MD 4:2018 IAF mandatory document for the use of information and communication technology (ICT) for auditing/assessment purposes. This revised version of the document was published on 8 July 2018.

The document provides for the consistent application when using information and communication technology (ICT) as part of the auditing/assessment methodology. The document covers the auditing/assessment of management systems, persons, and product and is applicable to conformity assessment bodies and accreditation bodies. The use of ICT is not mandatory and may be used for other types of conformity assessment activities, but if used as part of the audit/assessment methodology, it is mandatory to conform to this document.

The document was prepared by IAF Technical Committee and approved by IAF members of which SADCAS is an Accreditation Body Member.

**The published document is available from the IAF website:**

<https://www.iaf.nu/upFiles/IAF%20MD4%20Issue%202%2004072018.pdf>

