

QUALITY SYSTEM

IR's Quality System is organized in four tiers. The first is the umbrella document, TECPLAN 9000, our global Quality Manual, that establishes policy and sets common standards across all manufacturing locations. TECPLAN 9000 is fully compliant with ISO9000, QS9000 and the semiconductor supplement of QS9000, and it further builds on this foundation of world-class standards with bedrock IR processes and programs.

The individual site Quality Manuals form the second tier. They define how the elements of TECPLAN 9000 are to be implemented at the site considering for their own unique culture.

Site Quality Operating Procedures describe how the components of the Site Quality Manual are accomplished and reference any lower level documents that may be necessary to fully describe the implementation of processes relating to product, process or system quality.

The final layers are the process specifications, work instructions and other procedures that provide specific or department level instructions for work affecting quality.

All International Rectifier manufacturing facilities are certified to ISO9001 and QS9000. In addition to these International Standards, El Segundo and HEXFET America are certified to MIL-PRF-19500, the successor of MIL-S-19500.

Copies of the following ISO9000/QS9000 certificates are available upon request.

