

Maturity Levels

1	Initial awareness	<p>A few people in the organisation are becoming interested in the potential value of developing the capability or implementing the standard.</p> <p>The organisation as a whole is unaware of the need for the capability or standard.</p>
2	Pre-implementation	<p>The capability or standard is considered experimental, and is limited to a few people or parts of the organisation.</p> <p>Some other parts of the organisation are becoming interested in the potential value of the capability or standard.</p>
3	Early implementation	<p>Awareness of the need for the capability or standard is spreading, but it is implemented in an inconsistent manner by different people or different parts of the organisation.</p> <p>An organisation-wide programme or strategy to implement the capability or standard is being prepared.</p>
4	Corporate implementation	<p>An organisation-wide programme or strategy for the capability or standard is in place.</p> <p>There is a widespread awareness of the need for the capability or standard, and it is implemented in a consistent manner across the organisation.</p>
5	Mature implementation	<p>The capability or standard is seen as an important part of the work of the organisation. It is delivering benefits throughout the organisation.</p> <p>The need for the capability or standard is well understood. It is integrated into the work of the organisation, and it is implemented in a consistent way throughout the organisation.</p>