

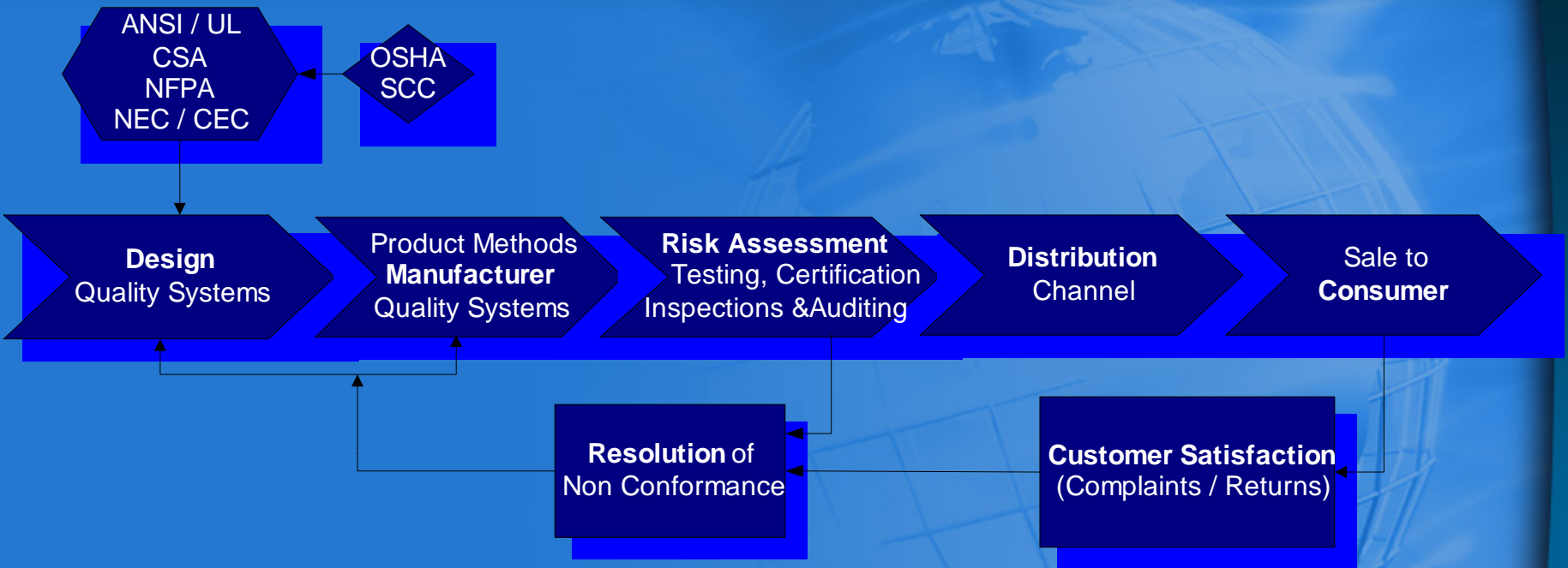


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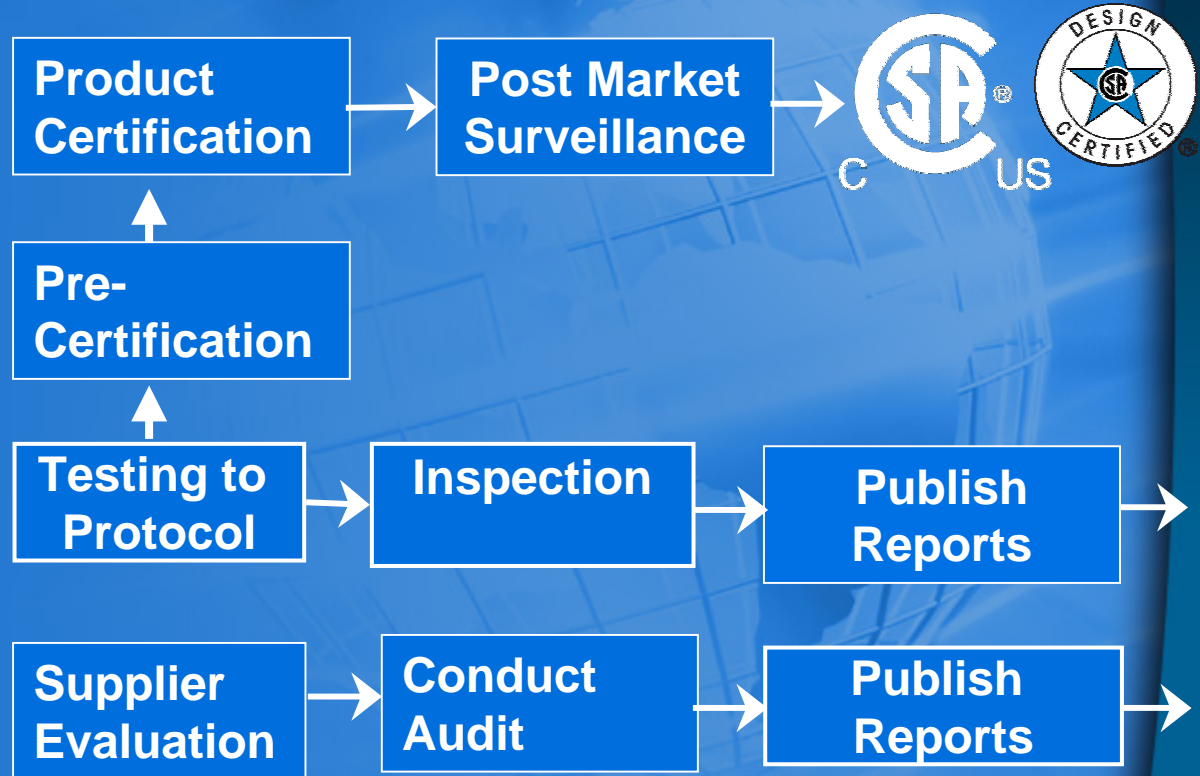
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Managing Risk through the Supply Chain



Concurrent Evaluation Services

- Compliance
- Ergonomics
- Hazards
- Misuse
- Performance
- Reliability





- **Compliance**

- Product Certification
- Country specific

- **Performance / Reliability**

- OnSpeX, ITS, SGS, BV, STR, TUV, etc
- To facilitate product sourcing
- Allow merchandisers to make informed and expedient decisions

“Managing risk requires that we consider Compliance, Performance, Reliability, and Safety in bringing products to the consumer”