What SERMI certification do I need?
The difference between IO and RSS

In the SERMI accreditation scheme, you might encounter terms and abbreviations that you have not seen before. To apply for the right certification, it is important to know the difference between IO and RSS. This decision tree will help you out.

Do you work on components and/or software related to vehicle security?

- No → You do not need a SERMI certificate.
- Yes → Are you physically working on vehicles?
  - No → You are an Remote Service Supplier (RSS). Go to www.kiwa.de/sermi-rss to start your certification process.
  - Yes → Are you a brand dealer and therefore already affiliated to the vehicle manufacturer?
    - No → You are an Independent Operator (IO). Go to www.kiwa.de/sermi-io to start your certification process.
    - Yes → Do you work on components and/or software from other vehicle manufacturers?
      - No → You do not need a SERMI certificate.
      - Yes → You are an Independent Operator (IO). Go to www.kiwa.de/sermi-io to start your certification process.

Discover more at **www.kiwa.de/sermi-certification**. Sign up for our newsletter so that we can keep you informed about the latest news regarding SERMI certification.

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