

# CII IQ National 5S Excellence Competition 2026

19 - 20 March 2026 | Virtual Platform



## 5S

整理 Seiri  
SORT

整顿 Seiton  
SET IN ORDER

清掃 Seiso  
SHINE

标准化 Seiketsu  
STANDARDIZE

持续 Shitsuke  
SUSTAIN

## COMPETITION DATES

19 - 20 March 2026

0900 - 1730 hrs

Virtual Competition  
Cisco Webex



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13 March 2026

## CALL FOR PAPERS

In today's technology-driven business environment, organizations must continuously enhance competitiveness to ensure long-term sustainability. While quality management remains a strategic priority, growing emphasis is placed on continuous improvement and workplace excellence to improve shopfloor productivity, operational efficiency, and product and service quality.

Organizations are increasingly achieving success through productivity enhancement and cost reduction initiatives driven by structured shopfloor management practices. To meet these objectives, companies adopt various improvement methodologies. However, increasing competition demands methodologies that are simple, effective, measurable, and sustainable, enabling organizations to assess improvements and their impact both in the short and long term.

In this context, 5S emerges as a proven workplace management methodology originating from Japan. Many organizations begin their TPM and Lean transformation journey with 5S implementation, as it establishes the foundation for operational discipline, visual management, and continuous improvement. With manufacturing and service costs under constant pressure, losses often remain hidden in the form of excess inventory, inefficient space utilization, poor layout, and multiple forms of waste across the value chain. The 5S philosophy enables organizations to identify, eliminate, and prevent such hidden losses, resulting in better space utilization, improved quality, higher productivity, cost reduction, enhanced employee morale, and a safer work environment. To strengthen organizational capability and provide a national platform for showcasing and sharing best-in-class 5S practices across Indian industries, CII –Institute of Quality is organizing the CII National 5S Excellence Competition 2026.



## CII IQ National 5S Excellence Competition 2026

The competition focuses on case study presentations showcasing successful and sustained 5S implementation across organizations. Improvements carried out by different departments and cross-functional teams will be evaluated, emphasizing:

- Successful implementation and sustained results
- Improvement of workplace conditions
- Sustained 5S practices
- Measurable business impact

### MAJOR COMPETITION CATEGORIES

#### MANUFACTURING SECTOR

- Manufacturing & Engineering
- Sustainability, Safety & Environmental Management
- MSMEs, Start-ups & Emerging Enterprises (Manufacturing-focused MSMEs)

#### SERVICE SECTOR

- IT, Digital & Knowledge Services
- Healthcare & Life Sciences
- Education, Skill Development & Research
- Aviation, Aerospace & MRO
- Logistics, Warehousing & Supply Chain
- Infrastructure, Utilities & Public Services
- Retail, Hospitality & Customer Services
- MSMEs, Start-ups & Emerging Enterprises (Service-focused MSMEs)

### CALL FOR PAPERS – KEY INFORMATION

- Presentation Time: Maximum 10 minutes (8 minutes + 2 minutes (Pre-recorded Shopfloor video))
- Presentations may be made in English or Hindi (English preferred)
- Presenters should be from implementation team (2 Presenters)
- Platinum Award winners will qualify for the Champions' Trophy 2026
- Gold and Silver Award winners will qualify for the Challengers' Trophy 2026
- Case studies will be evaluated by a Panel of Judges during the presentation
- TPM Club India reserves the right to take final decisions regarding awards and assessments

## EVALUATION CRITERIA

S.No	Description	% of marks
1	5S – Aim, Objectives & Alignment with Business Strategy	5
2	Organization structure along with Zone leaders, members & Audit team members	5
3	Workplace / Digital Layout & Space Optimization	5
4	Strategy for Implementing 5S - Sequence of planning of improvement – daily, weekly, monthly, etc., Method of conducting periodic meetings	10
5	1S (Sorting) – Activities implementation along with Before & After Photos	10
6	2S (Set in order) – Activities implementation along with Before & After Photos	10
7	3S (Shine) – Activities implementation along with Before & After Photos	10
8	4S (Standardize) – Activities implementation along with Before & After Photos	10
9	5S (Sustain) – Activities implementation along with Before & After Photos	10
10	5S Auditing and Evaluation sheets explanation	5
11	Digitalization, Creativity and Innovation in implementing 5S	10
12	Impact of Visual management	5
13	Results – 5S audit score, Space saving, Cost saving, etc.	5
	<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

## AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- **Platinum Award:** Score above 85%
- **Gold Award:** Score between 70% – 85%
- **Silver Award:** Score between 50% – 60%

## FEE STRUCTURE

- **CII/TPM Club Member:** INR 13,000+18% GST
- **CII Non-Member:** INR 15,000+ 18% GST

### DELEGATE FEE:

- **Presenting Company & CII Members:** ₹ 2000 + 18% GST
- **Non-presenting Company:** ₹4000 + 18% GST
- **CII Non-Member:** ₹ 5000 + 18% GST



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