The quarterly round trials were conceived by the CSITC Task Force, a working group of ICAC, in its effort to establish international standardization of cotton classification based on the Universal Calibration Cotton Standards to promote efficiency in cotton production and marketing. Participation in the trials confirms testing centers ability to provide reproducible test measurements based on established international standards. From 2007 to 2011, the round trials were sponsored by Project 33 between the Common Fund for Commodities and ICAC, involving the Bremen Fibre Institute, Germany; the Cotton Program of the United States Department of Agriculture; and the EC. The project continued as a self-paying program. Testing centers officially recognized for their participation in one or more trials in 2014 were:

Argentina
- Alpargatas Textil, S. A.I.C.
- INTA-EEA Saenz Peña - Laboratorio de Fibra

Australia
- 1st Class
- Auscott Limited
- Australian Classing Services P/L
- Proclass Pty Ltd.
- Queensland Cotton Corp. Ltd.

Brazil
- AGOPA
- BM&FBOVESPA S.A.
- Brazagro Analysis & Surveyors Ltda.
- Cedro Textil
- Centro de Analise de Fibras EBDA/ABAPA
- Comfio Companhia Catarinense de Fiacao
- COOPERFIBRA (Cooperfibra dos Colonicultores de Campo)
- FBET(Fundação Blumenauense de Estudos Têxteis)
- Kuhlmann Labs:
  - AMPASUL-Mato Grosso do Sul
  - Sapezal
  - Roda Velha
- Minas Cotton (AMIPA)
- SENAI/CETIQ
- SGS do Brasil Ltda
- Unicotton–Cooperativa de Produtores de Algodão

Burkina Faso
- SOFITEX - Laboratoire de Classement Cotton

China, People’s Republic
- Uster Technologies (Suzhou) Co. Ltd.
- Shandong Technical Center for Inspection & Quarantine
- Xinjiang Esquel Textile Company Ltd.
- Zhanjiagang Academy of Inspection and Detection

Colombia
- DIAGONAL - Distribuidora de Algodón Nacional

Egypt
- CATGO - Cotton Arbitration & Testing General Organization

Ethiopia
- Textile Industry Development Institute
- Ethiopian Conformity Assesment Enterprise

France
- Cirad PERSYST LTC

Germany
- FIBRE - Faserinstitut Bremen e.V.
- Texttechno Herbert Stein GmbH & Co. KG

Greece
- Hellenic Agric. Organization DIMITRA
- INA, S.A.
- Konstantinos V. Markou A.B.E.E.

India
- Ahmedabad Textile Industry’s Research Association
- Cotton Association of India
  - CAI Lab Akola
  - CAI Aurangabad
  - CAI Bathinda
  - CAI Hissar
  - CAI Hubli
  - CAI Indore
  - CAI Mumbai
  - CAI Rajkot
  - CAI Warangal
- Sportking Industries (Show Room Sportking)
- Premier Evolvics Pvt. Ltd.
- The Bombay Textile Research Association
- Thiagarajar Mills (P) Ltd.
- U. B. Cotton Pvt. Ltd.
- Wakefield Inspection Services Pvt. Ltd.
  - Munda Lab
  - Mumbai Lab
  - Rajkot Lab

Italy
- Filartex s.p.a.

Japan
- Boken Quality Evaluation Institute

Latvia
- Wakefield Inspection Services Riga

Mali
- CERFITEX

Pakistan
- Karachi Cotton Association

Poland
- Gdynia Cotton Association Laboratory

South Africa
- Cotton South Africa
- Prilla 2000 (Pty) Ltd

Spain
- Laboratorio Agroalimentario de Sevilla
- Laboratorio Agrario de Sevilla

Sudan
- SCCL The Sudan Cotton Co. Ltd
- ARC Sudan
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**Switzerland**
Uster Technologies AG

**Tajikistan**
Wakefield Inspection Services Dushanbe

**Tanzania**
Regional Technical Center at Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)
Tanzania Cotton Board
Wakefield Inspection Services Tanzania Ltd

**Thailand**
THAI Industries Development Co., Ltd

**Uganda**
Cotton Development Organisation

**United States of America**
Cotton Incorporated/Product Evaluation Laboratory
Fiber & Biopolymer Research Institute (Texas Tech University)
Monsanto HVI Lab
USDA, AMS Cotton Program:
  - Abilene TX
  - Corpus Christi TX
  - Dumas, AR
  - Florence SC
  - Lamesa, TX
  - Lubbock, TX
  - Macon GA
  - Memphis TN Cotton Program
  - Memphis TN Classing Office
  - Memphis TN Quality Assurance Branch
  - Rayville, LA
  - Visalia, CA

**Uzbekistan**
SGS Tashkent Ltd.
SIFAT Regional Labs:
  - Karakalpak
  - Samarkand
  - Tashkent
  - Nukus
SIFAT - Uzbek centre for Certification-Central Laboratory

**Zimbabwe**
Cotton Company of Zimbabwe COTTCO