



Foreign Trade Association
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What is FTA?

1977 FTA was founded in Brussels

Our Vision Free trade – Sustainable trade



FTA Members Collectively Represent



1,900+ retailers, brands, importers



37 countries



12 national associations



1 trillion Euro turnover



3 million employees

FTA Sustainable Supply Chains



41,000 Factories and Farms



From 75 countries



Around 21,000 audits



Over 380 training classes



With 6,000 people trained



The Business Social Compliance Initiative (BSCI)



About BSCI

The Business Social Compliance Initiative (BSCI) is a leading business-driven initiative supporting retailers, importers and brands to **improve working conditions in supplying factories and farms worldwide.**

Our Values

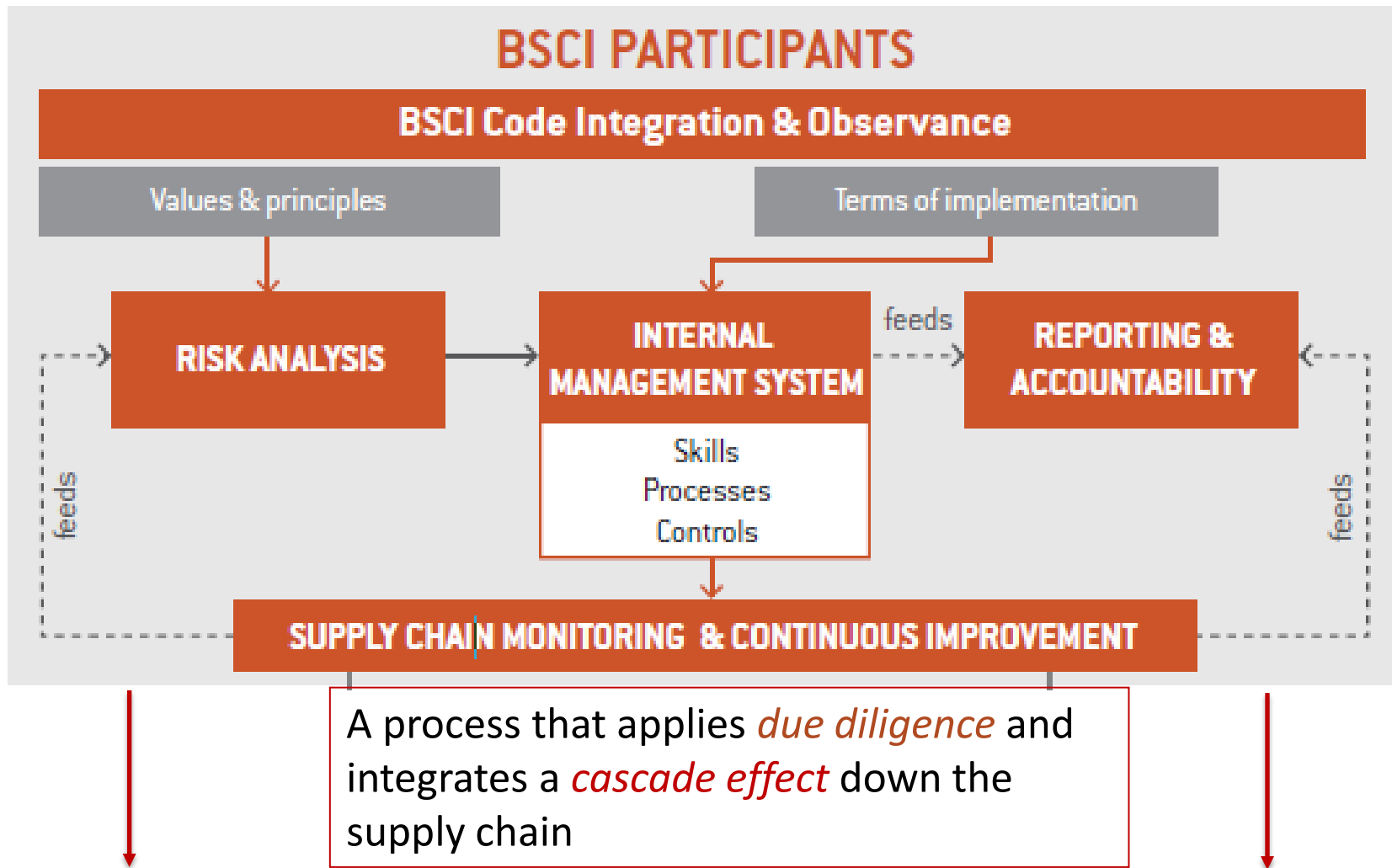


Cooperation

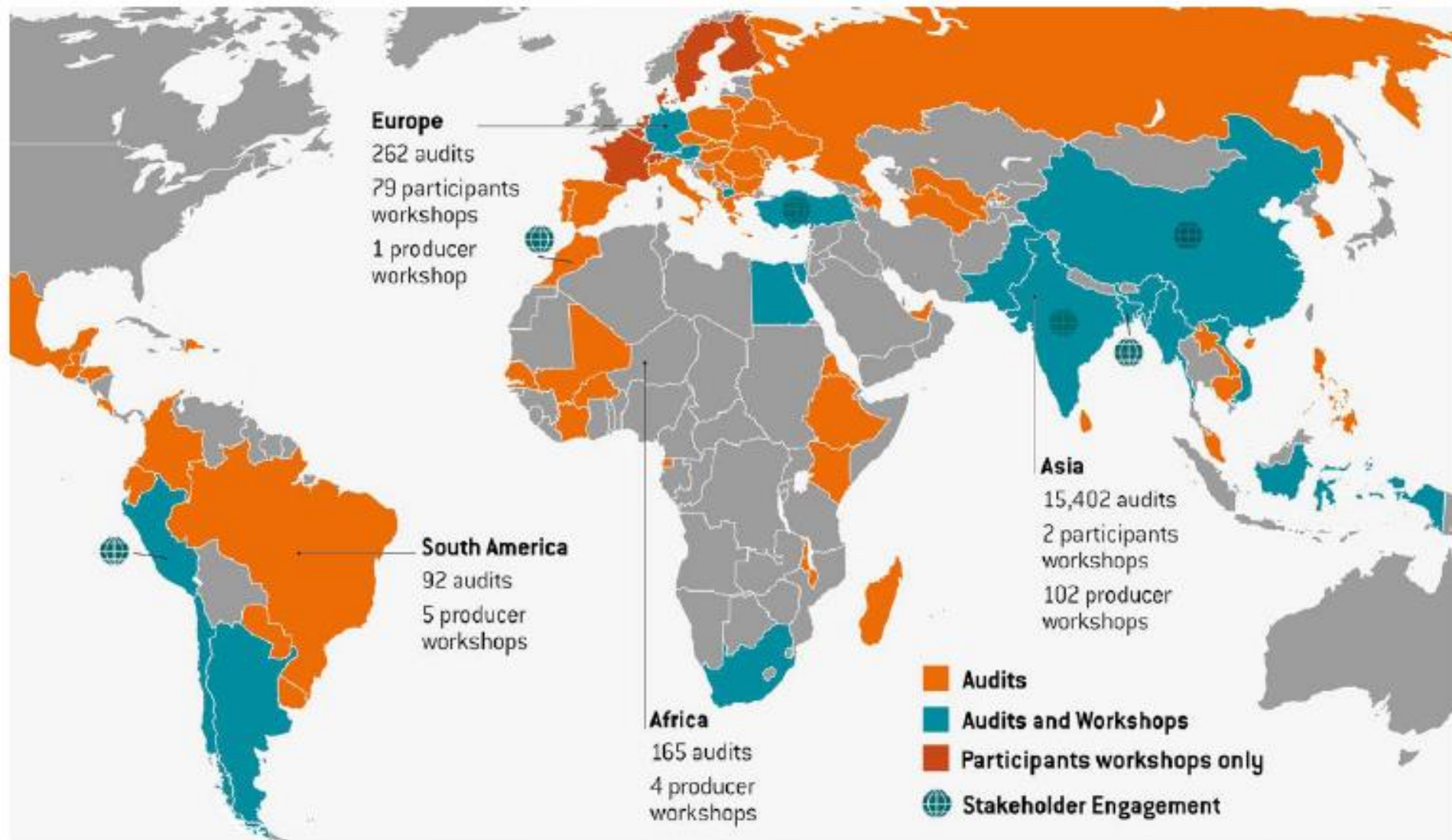
Continuous
Improvement

Empowerment

One Common Implementation Process



BSCI 2015 Activities



BSCI Monitoring Findings

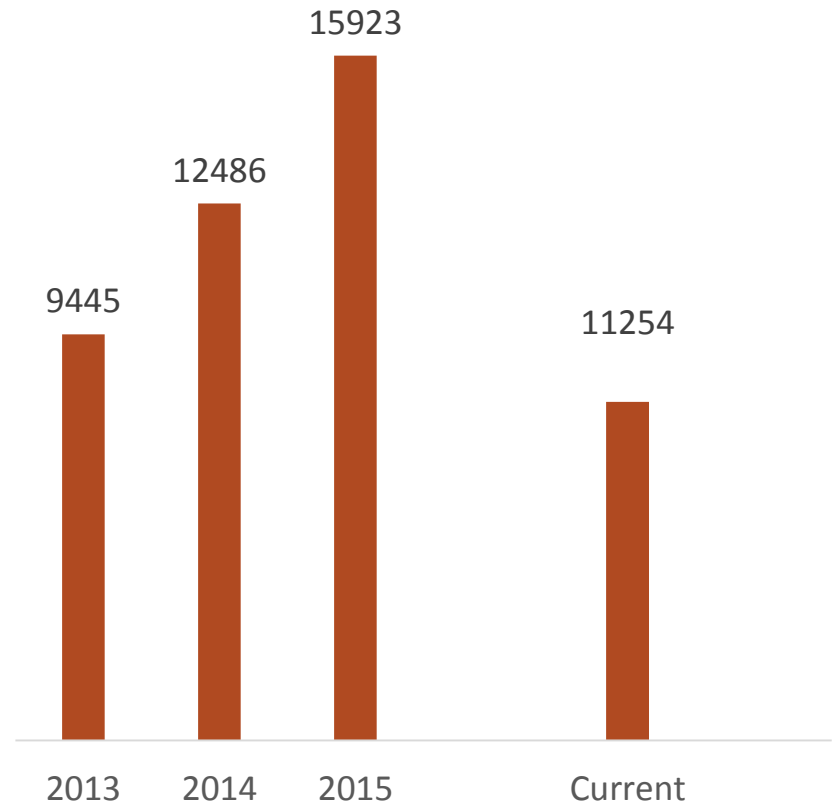
Most significant sourcing countries:

- China (72%)
- Bangladesh (9.5%)
- Turkey (5.3%)
- India (5.1%)
- Vietnam (2.6)
- Others (5.5%)

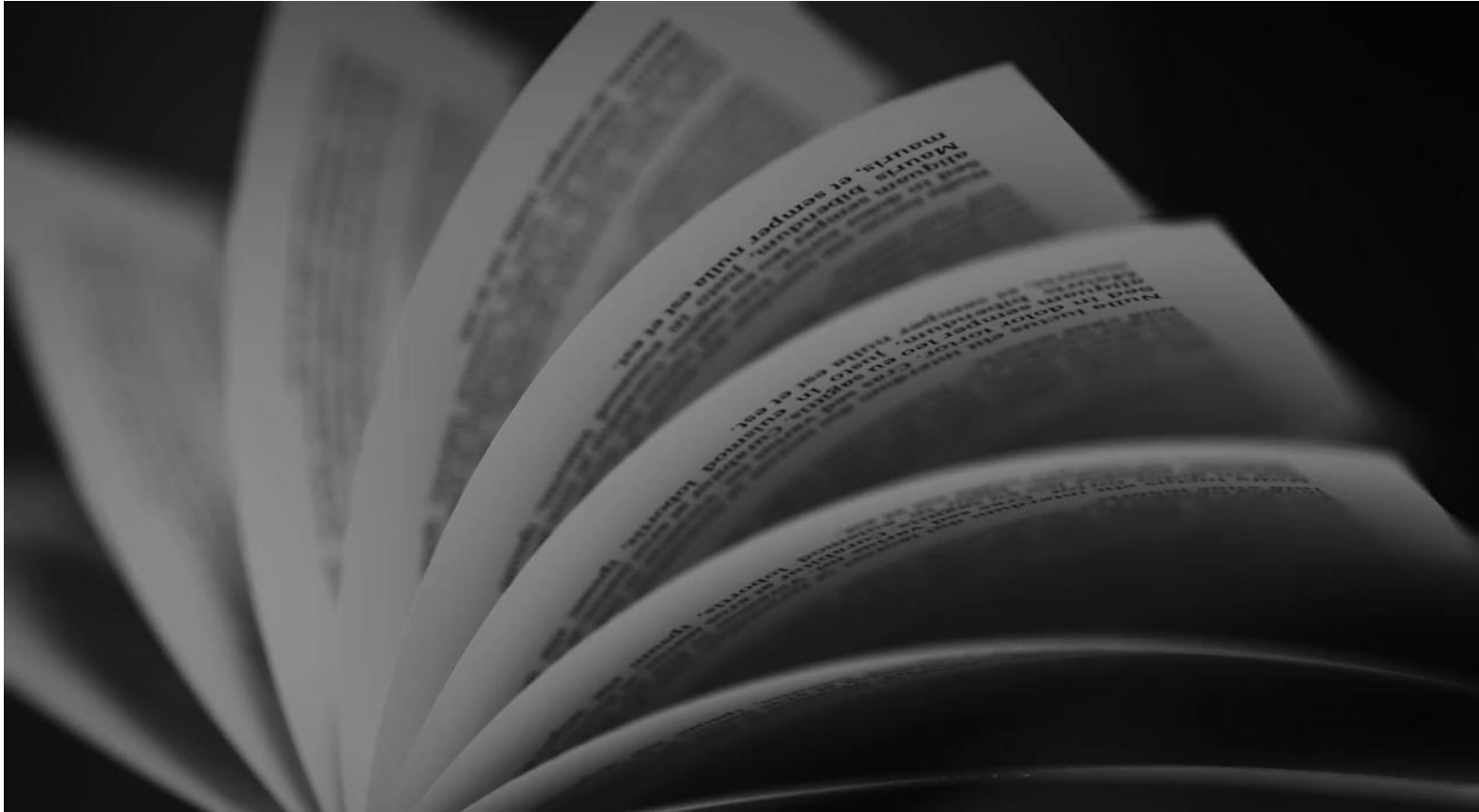
Major Findings:

- Occupational Health and Safety
- Social Management Systems and Cascade Effect
- Workers' Involvement and Protection

Auditing Volume



BSCI Capacity Building Activities



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E-learning courses



Quizzes (to assess your CSR maturity)

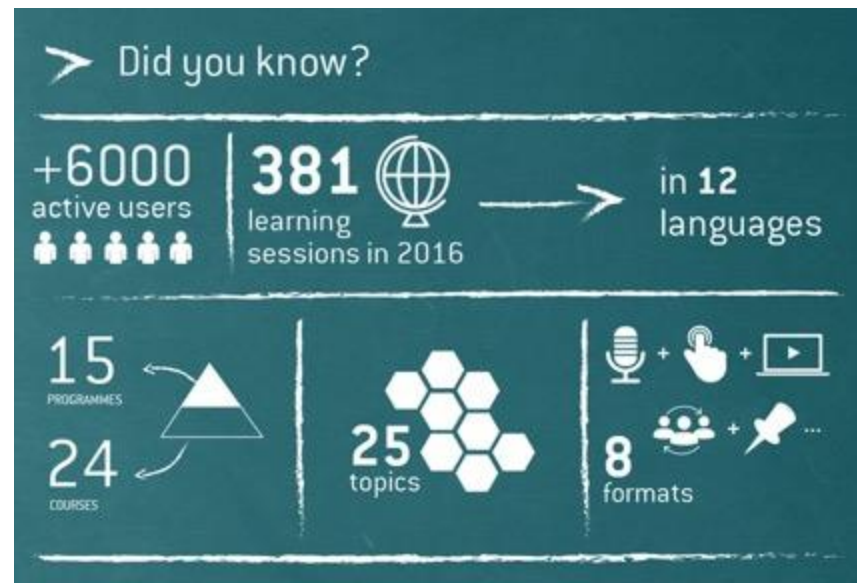
Resources:
documents
& videos



Face-to-face sessions



Live webinars



BSCI Collaboration – Zero Tolerance Protocol (Case Study)



**Thank you for
your attention !**