View from Germany

Successful Prevention for SMEs in the Mining-Industry

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Some Facts

Prevention 2000 plus

The Employers-Model

Seminars - Trainings - Models

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The StBG-Safety Award

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member branches

Aggregates and Quarries



Concrete

Asphalt Mixing Plants

Natural Oil and Gas

Gravel and Sand

Lime and Gypsum



Recycling

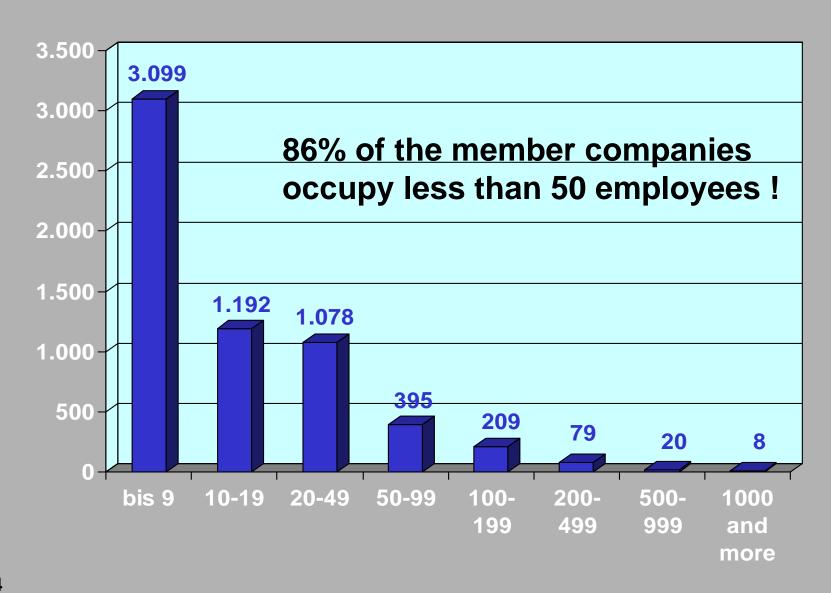
the companies

5.738 companies

10.707 subsidiaries

152.779 employees

■ company sizes in relation to full-time-employees



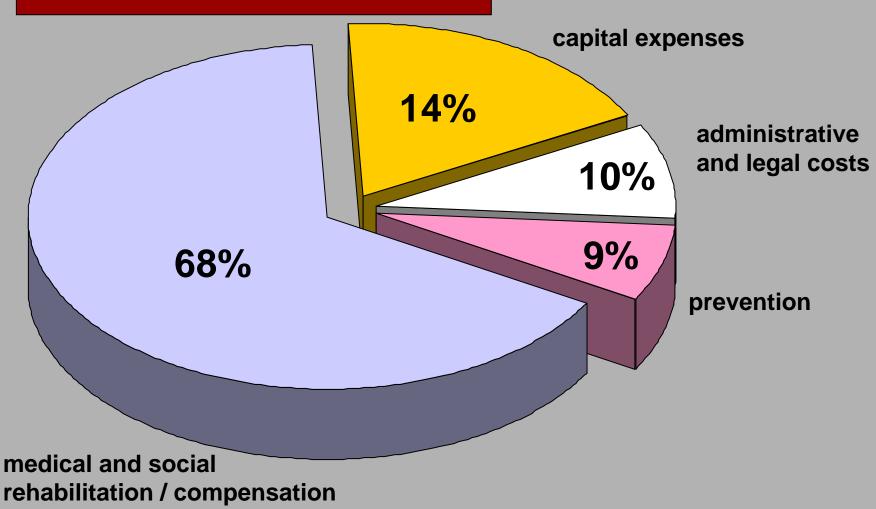
■ accidents at work and occupational diseases 1995 - 2003

	1995		2003	
companies	6.467	-11,27 %	5.738	
employees	220.929	-30,85%	152.779	
accidents at work in total	28.431	-46,79%	15.128	
notifiable accidents at work	17.735	-60,07%	7.081	
new accident pensions	525	-52,19%	251	
fatal accidents	29	-20,69%	23	
notifiable accidents at work per 1000 full-time-employees	87,37	-41,74%	50,90	
suspected	1.118	-59,66%	451	
occupational diseases occup. dis.: new pensions	122	-27,05%	89	

in the mining-industry every 10th employee is involved in a notifiable accident

expenses of the StBG in 2002





our legal task

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Social law code VII (SGB VII)

Responsibility of accident insurance

- To do everything possible to prevent
 - Accidents at work
 - Occupational diseases
 - Occupational health hazards
- To do everything possible to
 - Restore the health of sufferers or provide financial compensation

(§ 1 "Prevention, rehabilitation, compensation")

our principle:

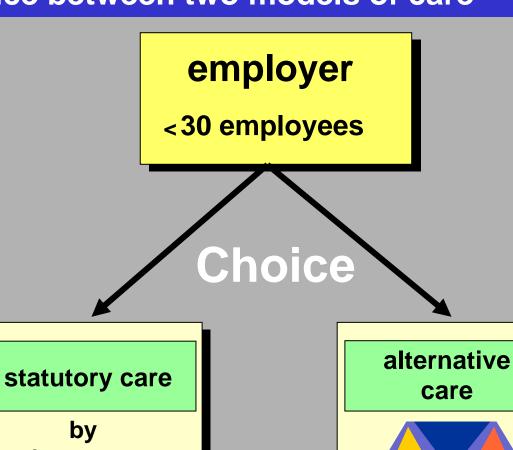
service and consulting before supervision and penalty

Elements of

Prevention 2000



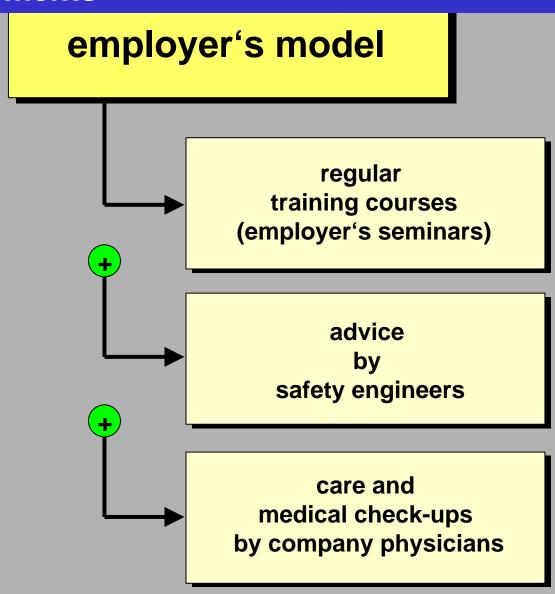
choice between two models of care



by safety experts and company physicians

employer's model

the elements



training and motivation courses

part 1 (2 days)

- employer's responsibility
- basics of safety at work
- economy of safety at work

part 2 (2 days)

- branch-specific health problems (noise/dust/ergonomics/spinal column)
- leading and instructing

part 3 (2 days)

- branch-specific safety problems
- transport, maintenance
- risk management / safety-checks

part 4 (2 days)

- dangerous agents
- safety programs
- strategies for realization
- advisatory care of StBG

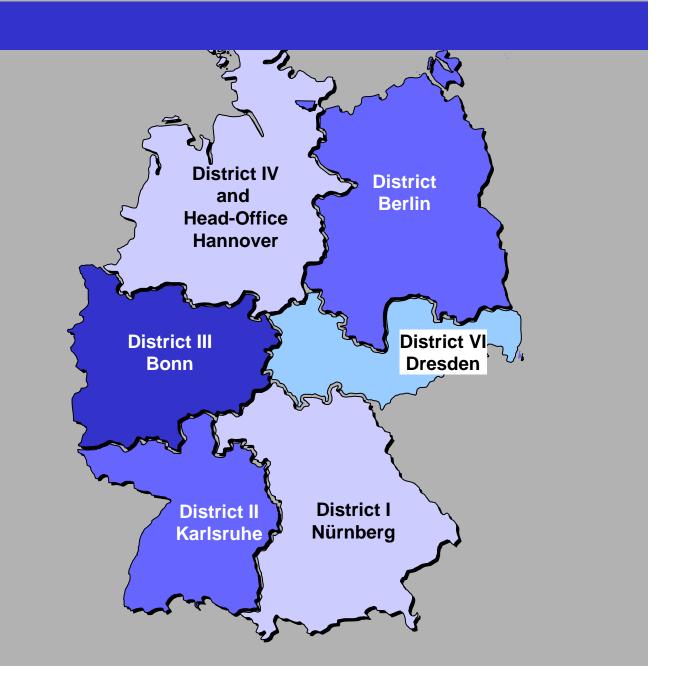


regular further training (2 days)

- repetition and consolidation
- new Knowledge
- exchange of experiences



the team

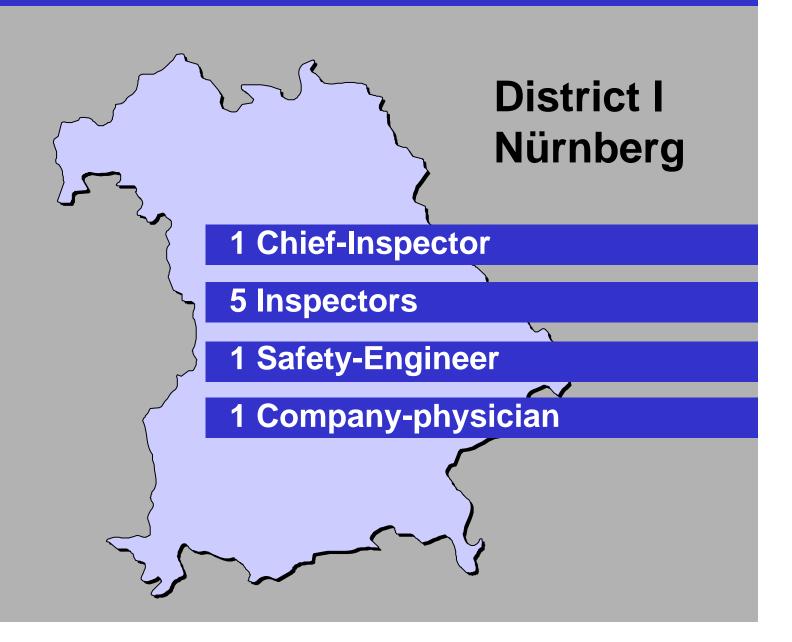


the team

- 46 inspectors
- 8 safety-engineers
- 7 company physicians
- 2 course instructors
- 1 psychologist
- 2 media experts
- 1 gauging engineer
- 29 administrators of the preventative occupational medicine



the team



Since 1995 the risk to be involved in an accident receded more than 36 % for employees in the Employers Modell

Elements of Prevention

Seminars Trainings Models

lifelong learning

seminars - trainings - models

employers

chiefs in command

per Year: 6000 participants in 300 courses

arivers

first aid

■ the mobile exposition "hearing"

■ the conveyor-belt model

■ the slip, trip and fall parcour

■ the securing cargo circuit

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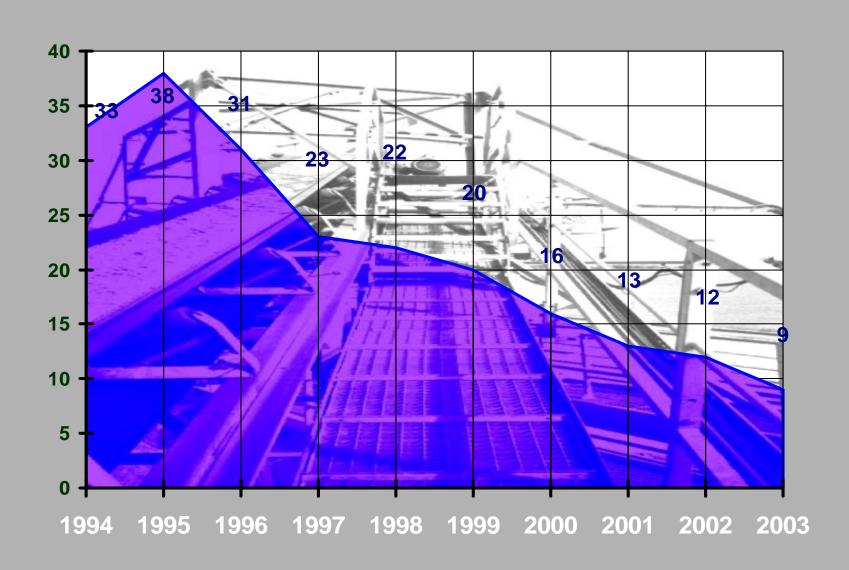
Campaigns for better Awareness

safety live

prevention package "safety at conveyor belts"

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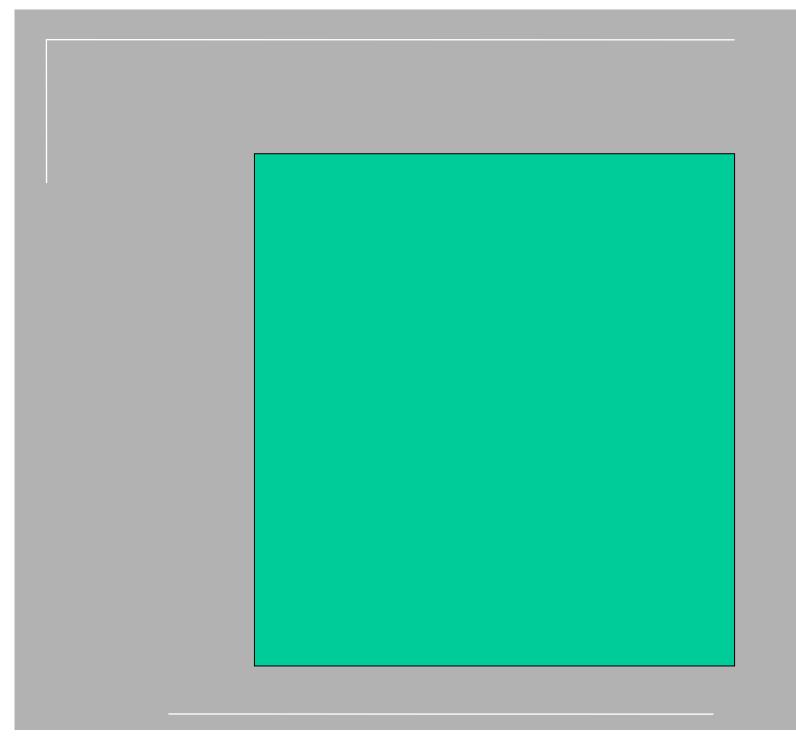
new accident pensions caused by conveyor belts



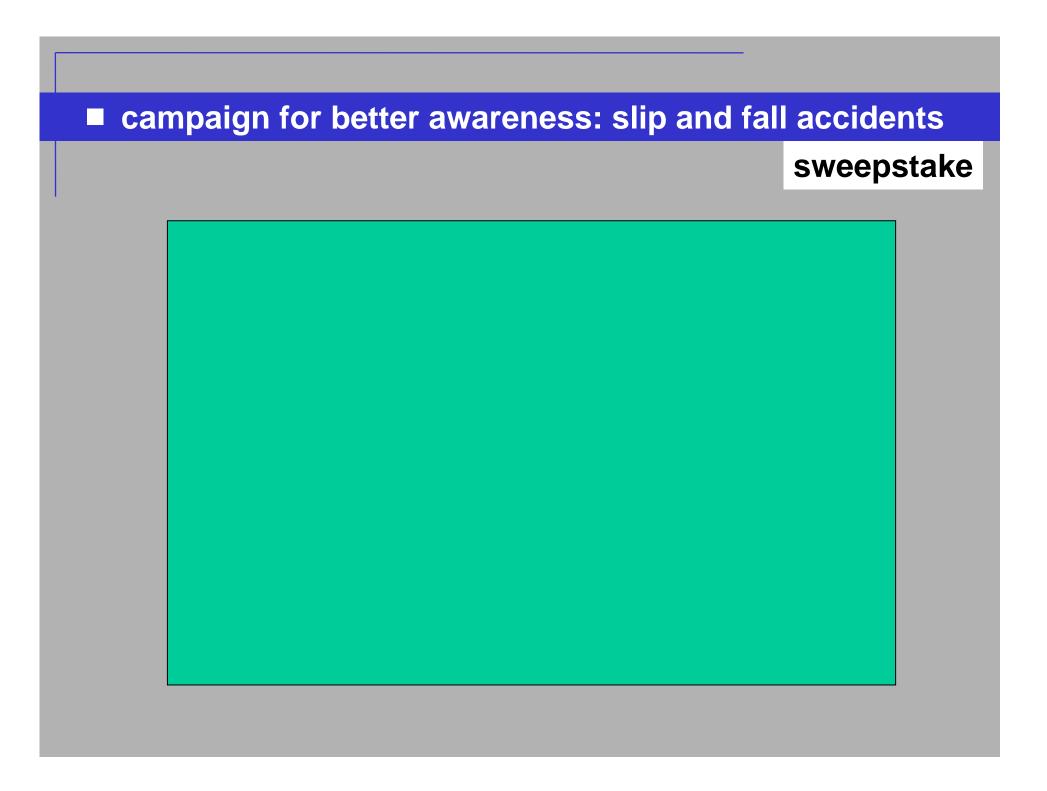
campaign for better awareness: slip and fall accidents













the elements

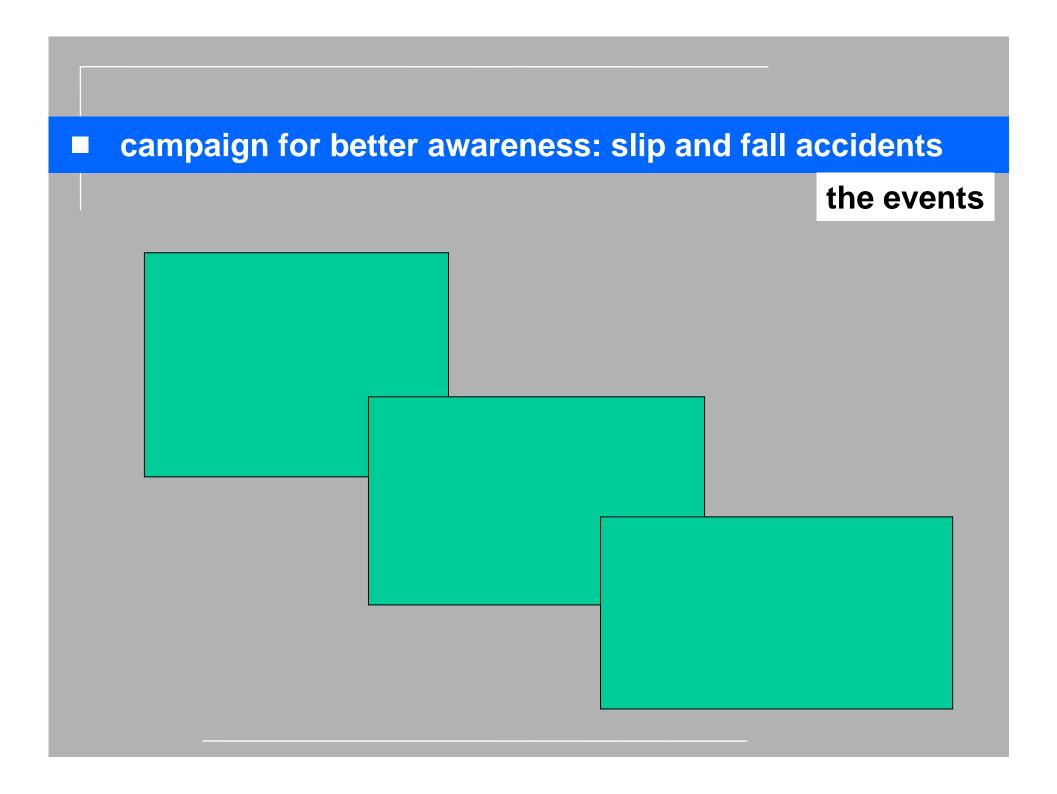
newspaper

posters

stickers

sweepstakes

information - box



New accident pensions caused by slip, trip and fall

The new accident pensions caused by slip, trip and fall accidents decreased from 181 in 1996 for 42,5 % to 104 in 2003

campaign for better awareness: eye safety



campaign to improve awareness: eye safety the newspaper

campaign to improve awareness: eye safety

More than 23.000 eye injuries form 1998 to 2002

18 % of these accidents are notifiable

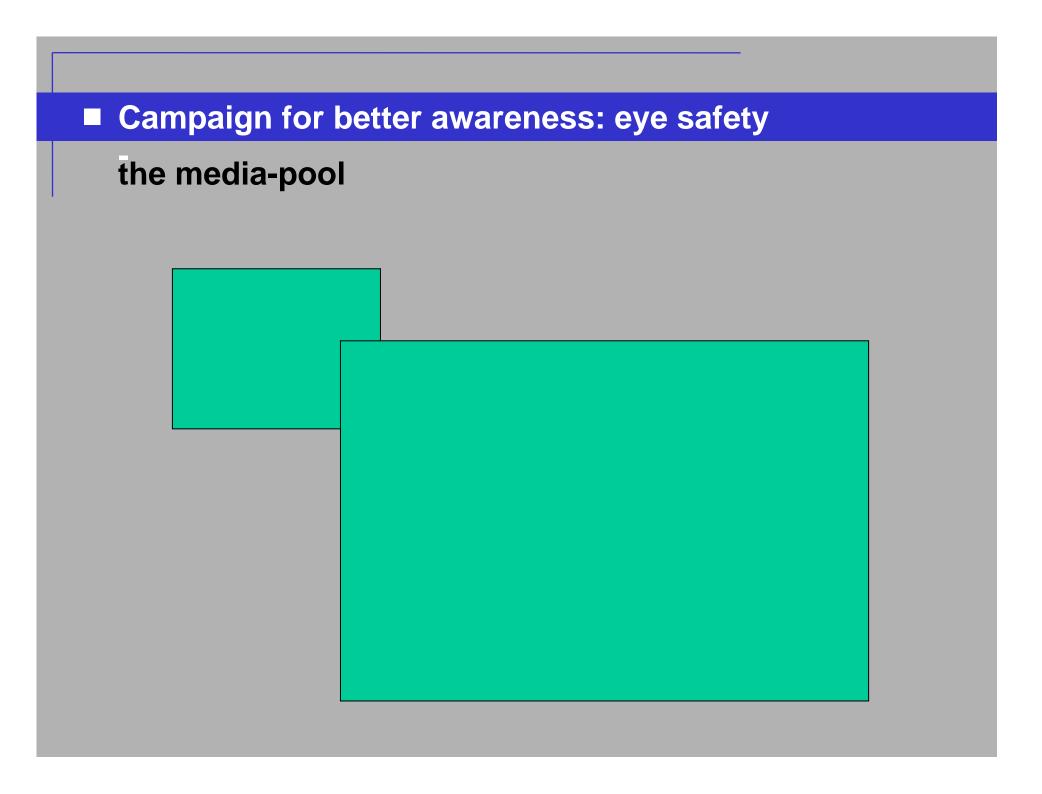
Eye injuries are on the second place of the list of accidents

50 % of the accidents are caused by handling tools or other utilities

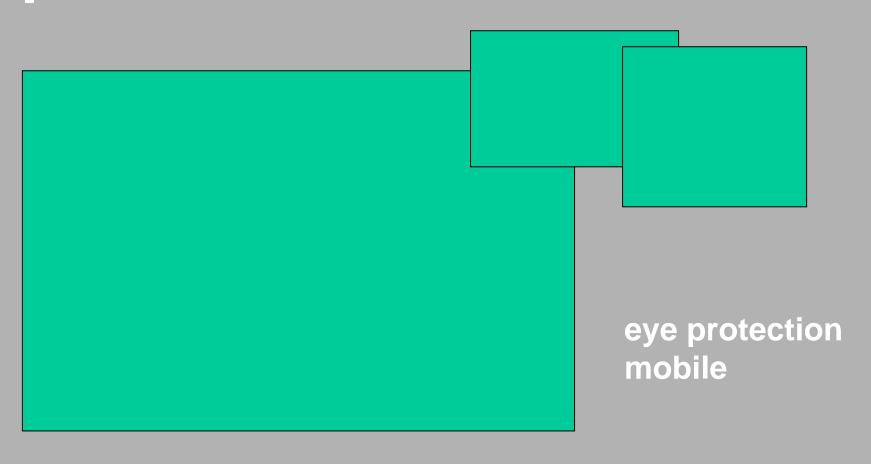
A non-measured part of accidents at work is caused by short-sightedness or other eye related causes.

■ campaign to improve awareness: eye safety

info-papers



■ campaign for better awareness: eye safety



■ campaign to improve awareness: eye safety campaign opening

■ campaign to improve awarenes safety

176 visits in Member-Companies

Ca. 9.500 visitors

90% of the visitors are taking advantage of the visual test



Elements of

Prevention 2000



a worldwide market place for ideas

the aims



Collect good solutions



Produce initiatives and realize good ideas



Make good ideas available for the whole industry



Promote the idea of a safe and healthy working environment

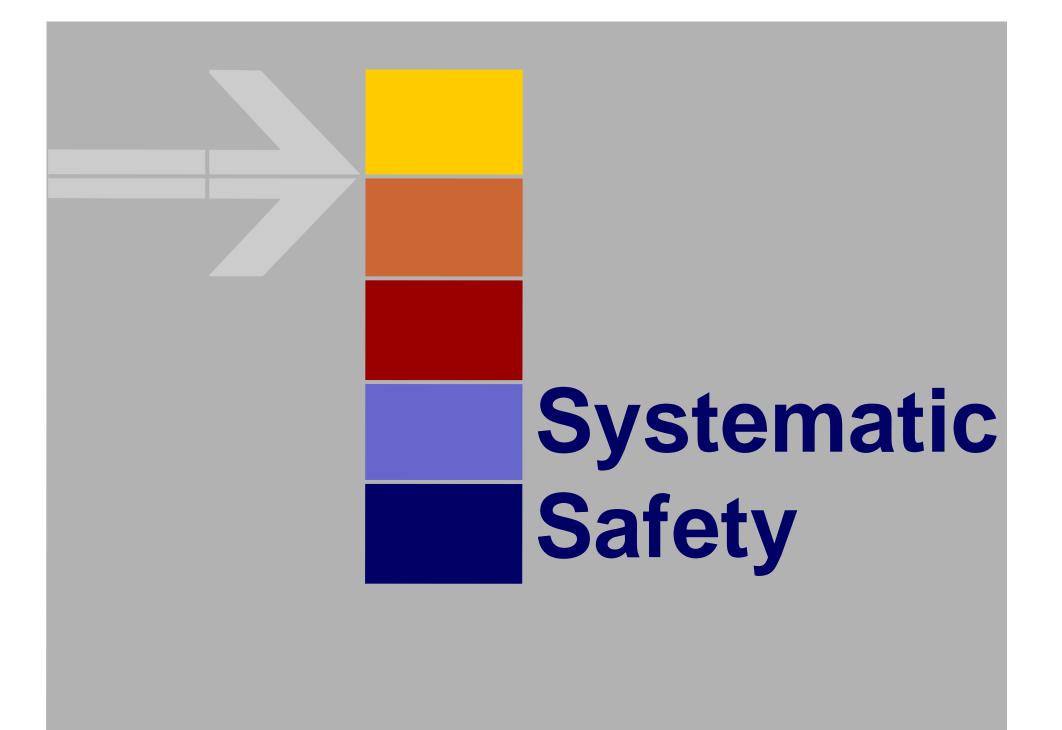


attendance 1996 - 2003

	ideas	participants
1997	125	230
1998	196	420
1999	145	300
2000	186	458
2001	156	387
2002	174	375
2003	158	403
in total	1.140	2.573

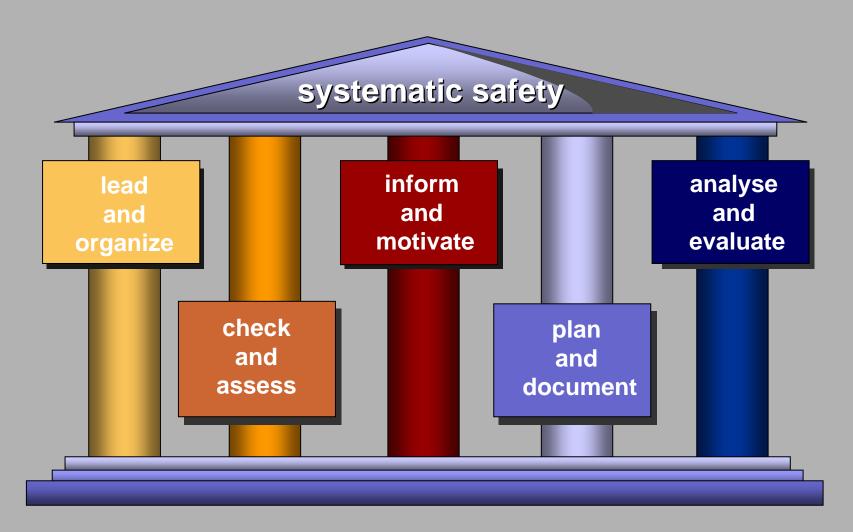
Elements of Prevention

Systematic Safety



accident causes no instruction 10 % insufficient planning and technical preparation of work deficiencies lack of communication insufficient coordination uncertain responsibilities lack of checks 90 % deficiencies in organisation and behaviour

■ 5 main columns

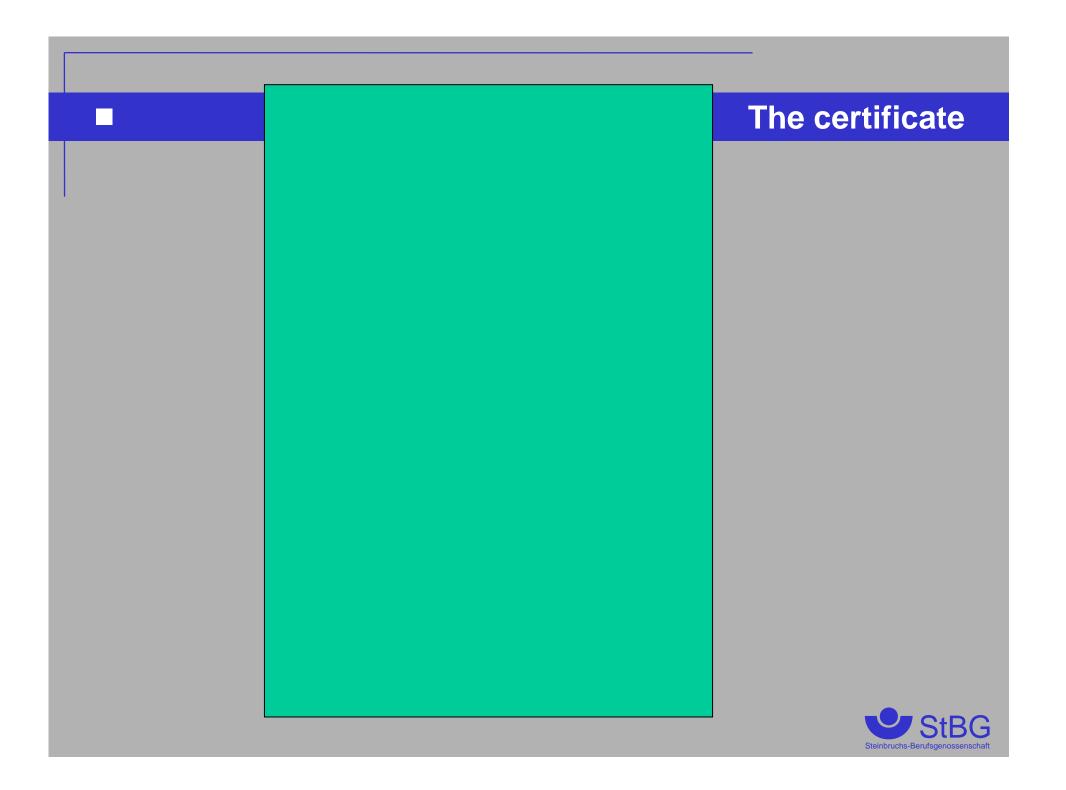




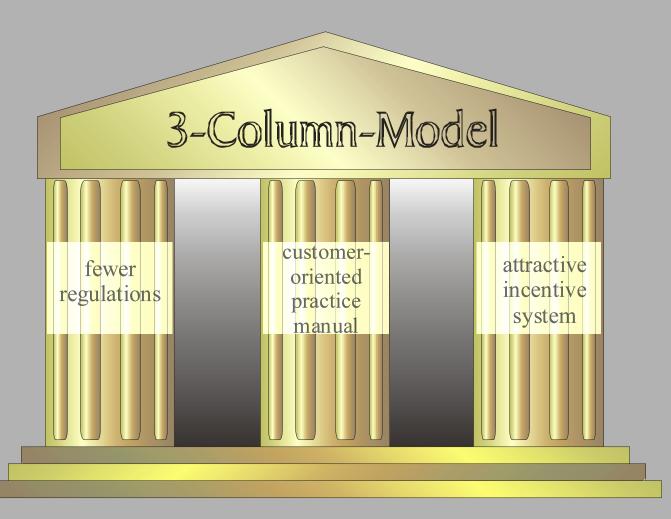
■ The seal of approval: systematic safety

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Outlook





Content



the road to more personal responsibility

fewer regulations

B

the easy to comprehend, clear and up-to-date tool for work

customer-oriented practice manual

C

who does more receives more

attractive incentive system



Regulations of the StBG up to 2004

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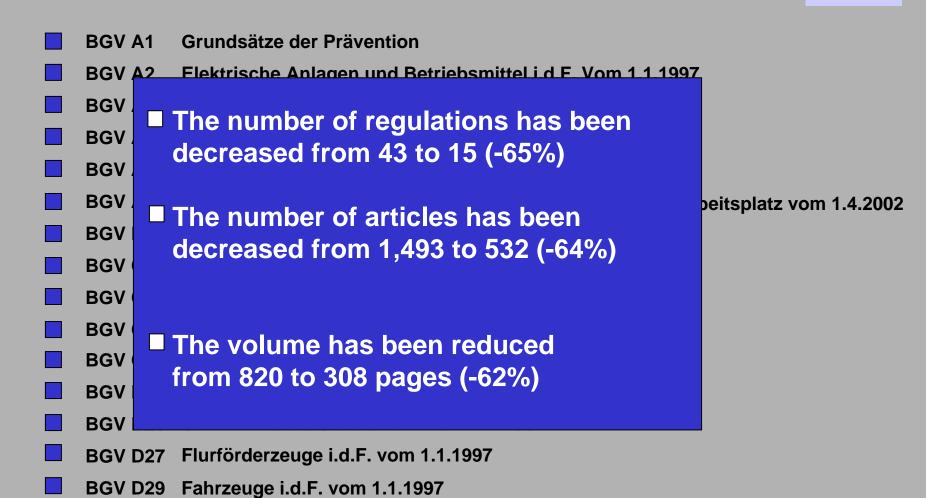


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The new reduced body of regulation







up to the end of 2004 a branch related practice manual will replace a great part of the body of regulations





the situation



the most common hazards





measures



further informations



from the year 2005 on, insured companies will be able to take advantage of premiums

Targets of the incentive system

C

- Supporting innovations
- Establish positive material incentives
- ☐ Support the implementation of best practice solutions
- Increase employers motivation to invest in occupational safety
- Meet the demands of insured companies



the amount of awarded money will cover approx. 20% of the total investment

C

relevant initiavtives for awarding

obtainment of the Seal "Systematic Safety" or similiar proof putting certain improvements of OSH into practice putting certain measures aiming at the decrease of occupational hazards into practice outstanding results in preventing work accidents putting certain innovations on the basis of StBG's Award Work - Safety - Health into practice