

Getting Started with Ethical Supply Chain Program (ESCP) Audit



QUICK FACTS

- Applicable to all manufactured goods including toys, entertainment, juvenile, gifting, seasonal, and packaging products
- Audits conducted globally
- Certification scheme
- Capability-building training and support provided to all factories
- Membership encouraged / not required

Ethical Supply Chain Program (formerly Ethical Toy Program) is an internationally-accepted ethical supply chain program for any globally manufactured goods including but not limited to toy, apparel, home goods, juvenile, seasonal and gifting industries, as well as printing and packaging suppliers. Factories can achieve IETP Certification and training, education and support is provided to all factories to address social compliance issues, improve labor standards and make continuous improvements in their business. IETP Certification successfully reduces the number of audits a factory may be requested to undergo, saving toy factories time and money. For more information, view [IETP's factory program](#), instructions on [how to get certified](#), and additional [factory resources](#).

MEMBERSHIP

ESCP is globally available to suppliers manufacturing hard goods including toy, play, child, baby, education, entertainment, seasonal, promotional and gifting products, as well as printing and packaging suppliers. Brands and retailers can also become Ethical Supply Chain Program Buyer Members. Members have access to the ESCP online supply chain management and sourcing tool (Connect). ESCP encourages membership but it is not required for participation in this program for Flipkart Group. Flipkart Group is currently an Ethical Supply Chain Program Buyer Member.

ESCP SUPPORT

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SHARE FACILITY REPORT WITH FLIPKART

Provide visibility to facility information and audit reports to Flipkart Group through the Ethical Supply Chain Program Connect platform.

For ESCP Members:

Step 1: Access the Connect platform.

Register to join [ESCP Connect Platform](#). (instructions for registration provided by ESCP) Buyer membership is not required by Flipkart Group.)

Step 2: Establish a trading relationship with Flipkart.

In Connect, navigate to “Ethical Sourcing – Trading Relationship Management”. In the search bar, type in the Flipkart Group Member ID # B000012 to send a connection request. Once accepted by Flipkart Group, all audit data and Certificate will be visible.

Step 3: Download the audit report and ESCP Certificate.

Once a trading relationship has been established with the supplier, Flipkart Group will have the ability to view and/or download complete audit reports, CAP’s and ESCP Factory Certificates.

For non-ESCP Members:

Non-member must submit a copy of a factory’s ESCP Certificate and audit report manually to Flipkart Group.

The certification status of any supplier in the Ethical Supply Chain Program can be verified and the authenticity of certificates and audit reports can be validated through [ESCP’s certified supplier search](#).

Additional Requirements

To be accepted by Flipkart Group:

1. The audit must be conducted by an APSCA-certified auditor on behalf of an APSCA member firm. Confirm with APSCA and your selected program that the approved firm and auditor(s) are in good standing.
2. Audits must be conducted as semi-announced (within a window of time) or fully unannounced beginning August 1, 2024.



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Have additional questions?
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