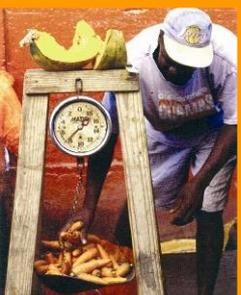
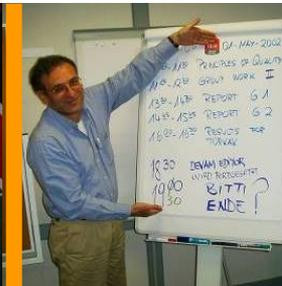




Since the start of the German development assistance about 40 years ago, the PTB – International Technical Cooperation has been active worldwide in developing countries and countries in transition.



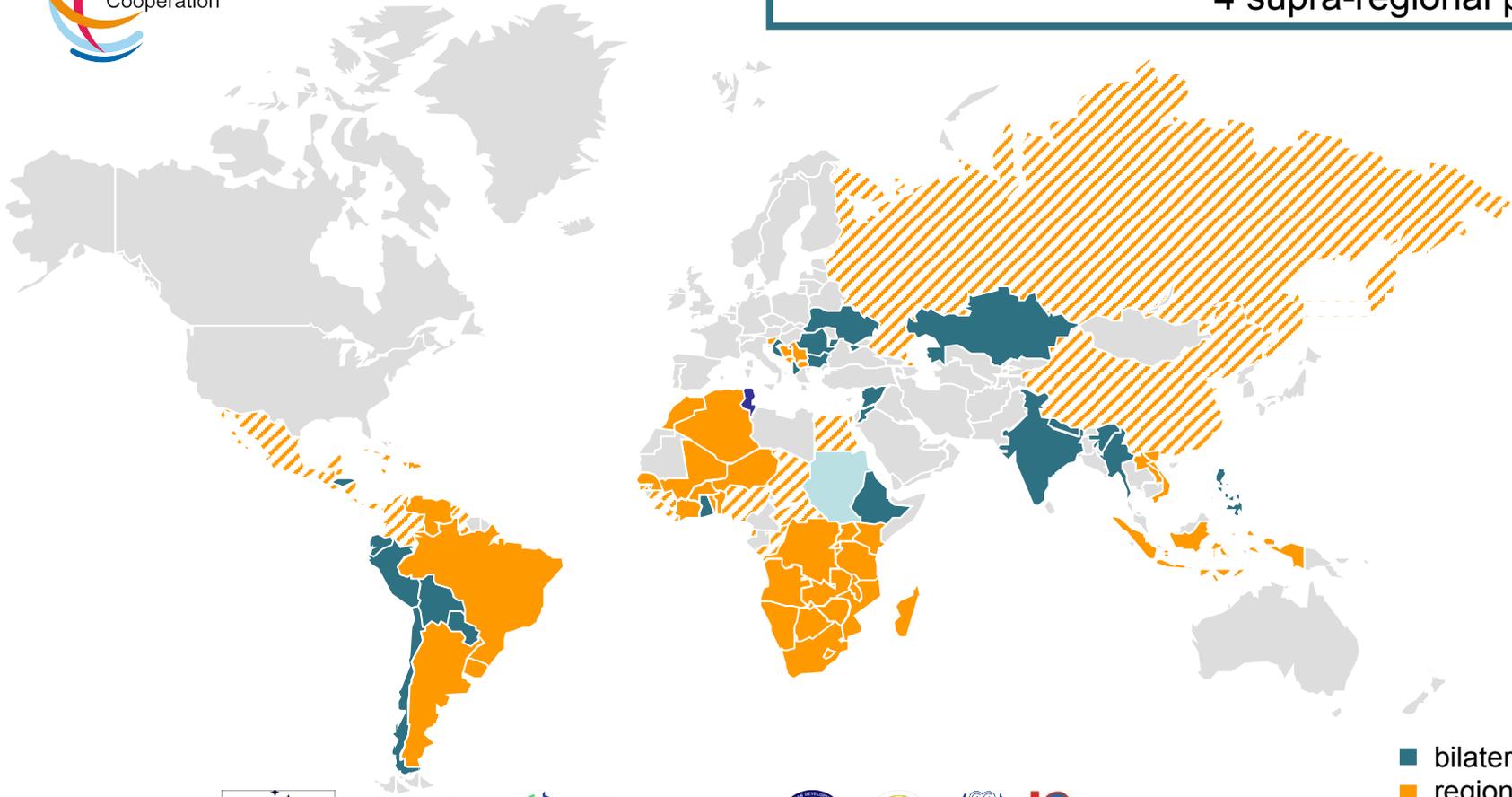
**40 years of
experience with
developing countries**





45 projects
in 76 countries
on 4 continents

there of
23 bilateral projects
18 regional projects
4 supra-regional projects



■ bilateral
■ regional
▨ regional indirect



PTB TC Projects in Africa

Maghreb	2006-2012
Regional Cooperation in the field of Quality Infrastructure	

Morocco	2005-2009
Support of the Directorate of Standardization and Quality Promotion in the harmonization and implementation of Technical Regulations	

Tunisia	2009-2013
Promotion of CMC registrations	

UEMOA	2004-2009
Promotion of metrology and testing	

Ethiopia	2006-2009
Support of customer-oriented quality infrastructure	

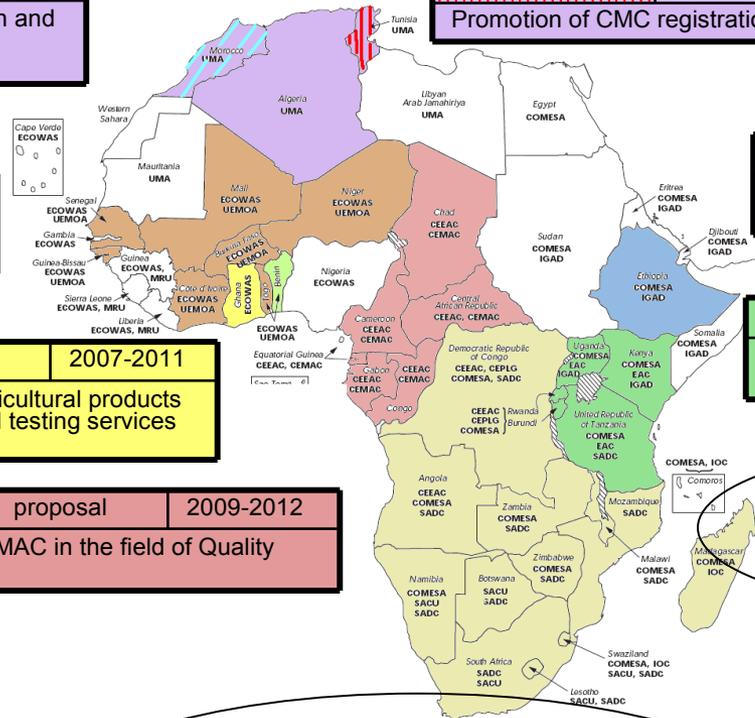
Ghana	2007-2011
Quality assurance of agricultural products through metrological and testing services	

EAC	2007-2010
Establishment of a regional SQMT architecture in the East African Community	

CEMAC	proposal	2009-2012
Support to CEMAC in the field of Quality Infrastructure		

SADC		2007-2009
Support to SADC in implementing the SQAM Program		

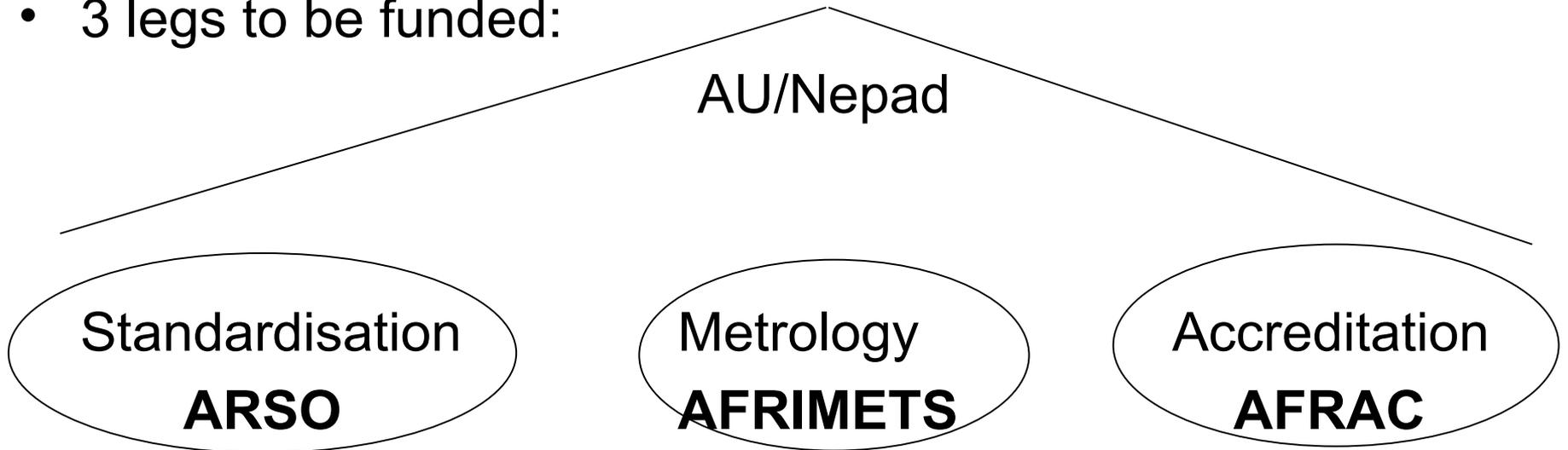
Africa	2007-2009
Program promotion of Quality Infrastructure	
	



The future of PTB support to pan-African QI-setup

- Future funding not yet determined
- Review of the running program presently ongoing
- Findings and recommendations for future support will be submitted to funding ministry (BMZ) in August/September

- 3 legs to be funded:



The future of PTB support to pan-African QI-setup (cont.)

no major interruptions

3 different possible scenarios:

4. Continued funding at present level
5. Increased funding due to additional funds for the SADC component
6. Increased funding due to additional funds for the SADC component at a later stage



Envisaged AFRIMETS support 2009/2010

- Operationalisation of priority WGs
 - Selected intercomparisons in priority areas
 - Contribution to „AFRIMETS summer school“
 - Design and production of promotion material
 - Facilitation of GA participation for selected members
 - Strengthening AFRIMETS Secretariat
 - Support of advocacy for metrology
- in close cooperation with AFRIMETS and other donors*
- Support to metrology systems on sub-regional and national level through targeted programs

