



# SolidStandards

## Quality and sustainability standards for solid biofuels

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# Background



- **Solid biofuels: Fire wood, wood chips, pellets, briquettes, non-woody biofuels**
- **New CEN (and ISO) quality standards: EN14961/15234**
- **Sustainability: policy decisions and standards**
- **SolidStandards aims:**
  - **Increase standard implementation in the industry**
  - **Contribute to the development and improvement of standards and policy frameworks through industry feedback collection**



# SolidStandards training



- **Training for industry representatives on the implementation of EU quality standards**
- **Development of a training concept covering the whole range of solid biofuels**
- **35 training events in 11 countries**

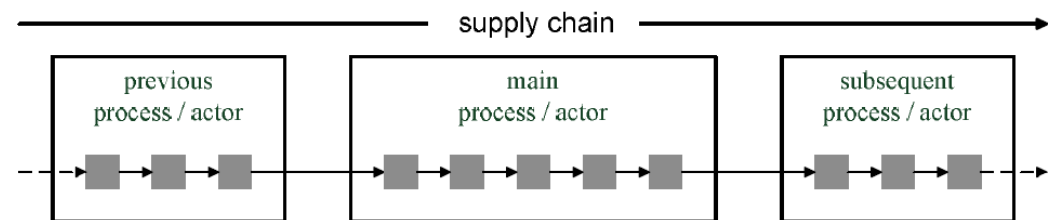




# Standards implementation



- **Implementation of EU quality standards in 7 selected companies**
- **Feasibility studies**
- **Product testing**
- **Quality assurance and control**
- **Workshops**
- **Please contact us!**



Mohrig et al. 2009



# Sustainability



- **EC decision on sustainability requirements for solid biofuels: Workshop**
- **Overview and analysis of sustainability certification schemes**
- **Practical case studies**







# Industry feedback collection



- **Contribution to the development of supportive frameworks**
- **Improvement of existing standards**
- **Feedback collection during training events and via online tools**
- **Discussion of results with standardisation bodies and technical committees**

**I WANT YOU**



**FOR FEEDBACK!**



# Project facts

- Co-funding from Intelligent Energy Europe
- Project duration: April 2011 – March 2014
- Find out more soon: [www.solidstandards.eu](http://www.solidstandards.eu)
- Consortium:





# THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR ATTENTION!!



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