



PURCHASING, LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN

Supply Chain Risk Management and Resilience Planning

3 day course

Classroom, online or in-house

Course overview

Supply chains in this region carry exposures that generic frameworks do not describe: a single port, a border that closes, fuel that becomes unobtainable, and a currency that moves faster than the lead time. This course works from those. Delegates work through mapping a supply chain beyond the first tier, since the dependency that stops production is usually two suppliers away, and identifying single points of failure including sole sources, single routes and single people. Risk assessment across supply, demand, operational and external categories follows. Mitigation is covered honestly: buffer stock, dual sourcing, route alternatives and what each costs. Business continuity for supply disruption is addressed. Early warning indicators and supplier financial distress signals follow. The course closes on responding to a disruption and on rebuilding after one.

What you will learn

- Map a supply chain beyond the first tier
- Identify single points of failure in sources, routes and people
- Assess risk across supply, demand, operational and external categories
- Weigh buffer stock, dual sourcing and route alternatives against cost
- Build continuity plans for supply disruption
- Watch early warning indicators including supplier financial distress
- Respond to a disruption and rebuild the chain afterwards

Who should attend

- Supply chain risk and resilience managers
- Procurement and sourcing leaders
- Operations and logistics directors
- Business continuity and enterprise risk managers
- Supply chain planners responsible for inventory strategy

Course outline

- 01 One port, one border, one currency
- 02 Mapping beyond the first tier
- 03 Single points of failure
- 04 Risk assessment by category
- 05 Buffer stock and dual sourcing
- 06 Route alternatives and their cost
- 07 Continuity planning for disruption
- 08 Early warning, supplier distress and recovery

Upcoming dates

Dates	Venue	Format	Fee per delegate
21 to 23 September 2026	Online	Online	R6,500
7 to 9 December 2026	Windhoek, Namibia	Classroom	R14,950
13 to 15 January 2027	Durban, South Africa	Classroom	R14,950



Fees and how to register

This 3 day course is **R6,500** per delegate online, **R14,950** in the classroom in South Africa, Botswana, Namibia, Lesotho and Eswatini, and **USD 995** in the classroom elsewhere in Africa. In-house training is quotation on request. Book 2 or more delegates on this course and save 10%.

To register or request an in-house proposal, visit www.afrisciencegroup.com, email info@afriscience.co.za, or WhatsApp us on **+27 63 479 1136**.

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