

# TAKE A STAND AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING BY RAISING AWARENESS ACROSS INTEGRAL ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIPS

*Prevent human trafficking by prioritizing the integrity of critical customer and third-party connections, valuable transactions and core supply chains*

## Human trafficking is an explosive human rights issue with damaging societal and global security impacts



**Human Trafficking is a gateway to slavery.** Currently it is estimated that there are 40.3 million slaves throughout the world.<sup>1</sup>



**Children make up 27% of all human trafficking victims worldwide,** and two out of every three identified child victims are girls.<sup>2</sup>



**Human trafficking fuels conflict** by enabling armed and extremist groups to raise income and expand their power and military capabilities.<sup>4</sup>



**The International Labour Organisation estimates 170 million are engaged in child labor, with many making textiles and garments.** This translates to 11% of the world's children being in situations that deprive them of their right to go to school without interference from work.<sup>3</sup>



**State-sponsored trafficking provides corrupt regimes a source of income** and bolsters their military capabilities.<sup>5</sup>



**Human trafficking undercuts** the ability of international institutions to promote peace and stability.<sup>6</sup>

## The impacts of human trafficking directly extend to your business



**Global regulatory scrutiny** has increased around bribery and corruption, human rights and environmental issues



**Shareholder and consumer expectations** around corporate accountability have escalated



**Protect business continuity,** brand reputation and shareholder value

## Every business has a responsibility to prevent human trafficking. Safeguarding the integrity of your supply chains and critical business relationships is a strong place to start.



**Raise institutional awareness** of the impacts and extent of human trafficking



**Review** asset management guidelines



**Improve risk visibility** across every component of your supply chain



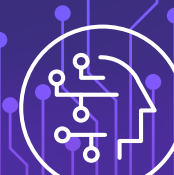
**Build synergies** between the Environmental Societal and Corporate Governance (ESG) function and the procurement team



**Increase clarity** into core investments and lending practices

## Effectively avoiding human trafficking takes a specific and targeted view of risk

Ties to human trafficking can be tenuous and difficult to detect. Often transactions are small or payments and activities are hidden within legitimate businesses. Advanced technologies help isolate suspicious behaviors or transaction anomalies.



**Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning** provide a more nuanced look into transactions, behaviors and relationships



**Digital identity intelligence** adds near real-time insight into device, location and behaviors



**Assess payments** across all types of platforms

## Take a stand against human trafficking by taking direct action



**File Suspicious Activity Reports** to document trafficking risks



**Conduct ongoing monitoring** against current sanctions, Politically Exposed Person (PEP) and adverse media intelligence



**Blacklist individuals or companies** found to be participating in slavery or human trafficking



**Make an ongoing commitment to prioritize this issue** and play an active role in combatting human trafficking

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