

Trade Facilitation Indicators: o support and monit entation of the WTO

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OECD Trade Facilitation Indicators

- > A tool to measure the impact of TF Measures on Trade Flows and Trade Costs
- > and provide an overview of country performance
- > A basis for prioritising trade facilitation actions by governments
- A support for mobilising technical assistance by donors in a targeted way
- Following the structure of the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement and covering 133 countries



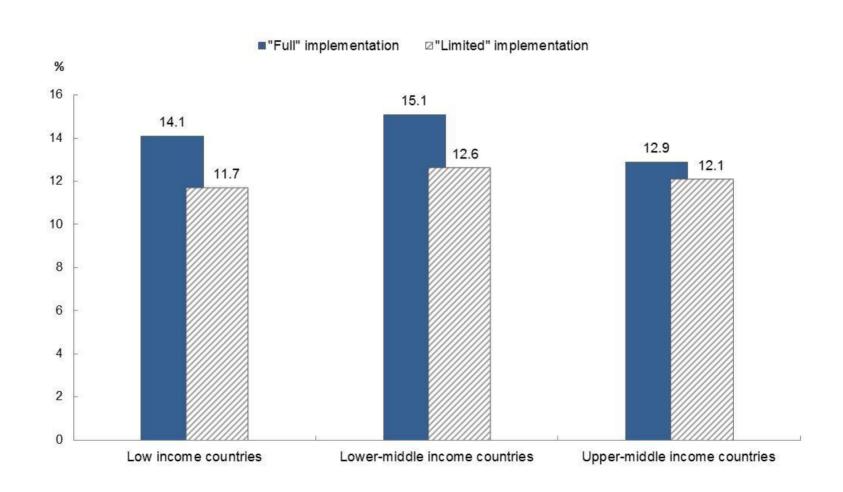
TFIs structure

Import/export TFIs

- a. Information availability
- b. Involvement of the trade community
- c. Advance rulings
- d. Appeal procedures
- e. Fees and charges
- f. Formalities Documents
- g. Formalities Automation
- h. Formalities Procedures
- i. Border agency cooperation internal
- j. Border agency cooperation external
- k. Governance and impartiality



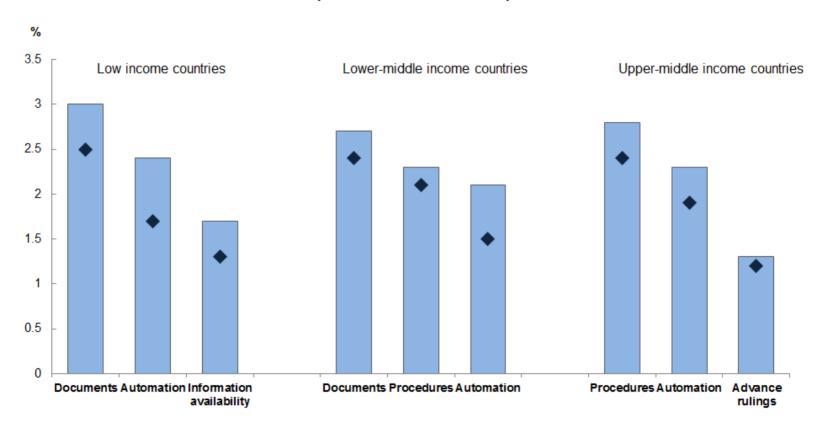
Impact on trade costs - potential reductions





Potential trade costs reductions for the "top three" sets of measures

■ "Full" implementation ◆"Limited" implementation





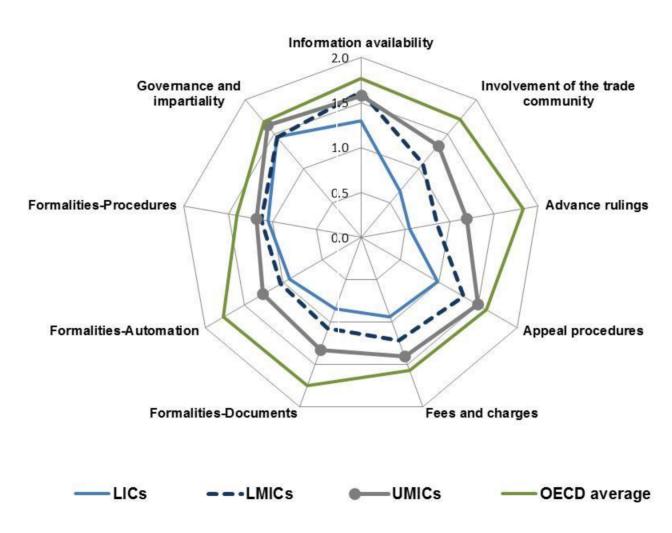
Application to Regions and countries

The trade facilitation indicators are a **tool** that allows exploring the importance of trade facilitation performance across different:

- > regions
- > countries



TFIs: state of implementation



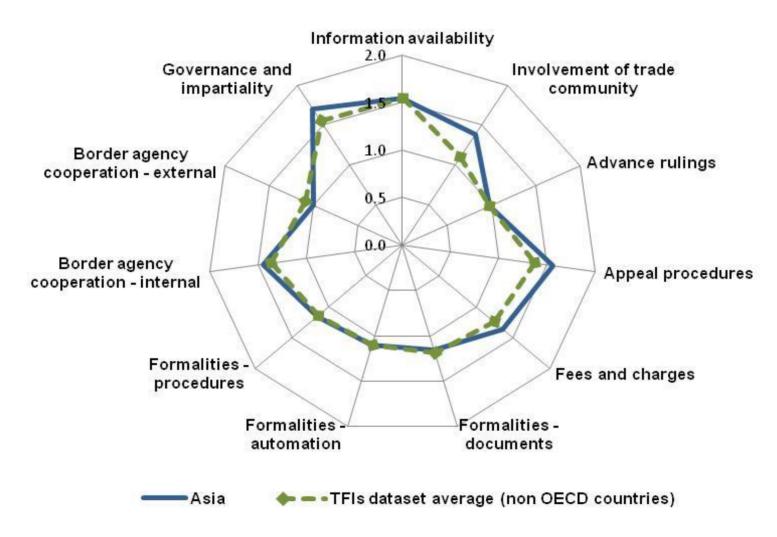






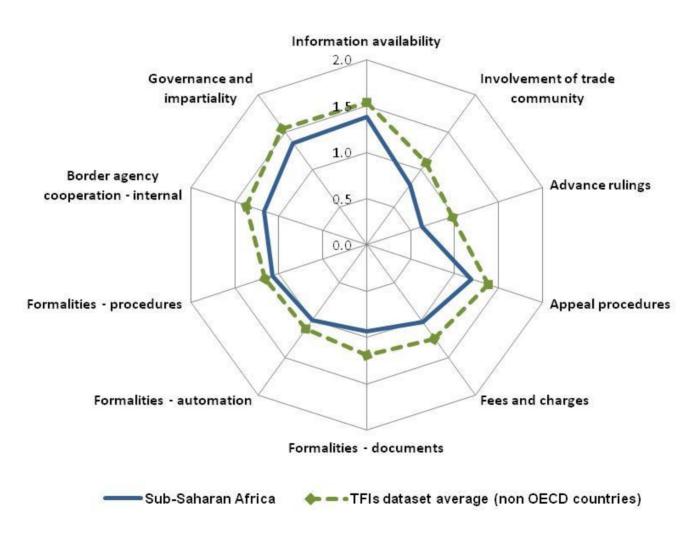


Asia



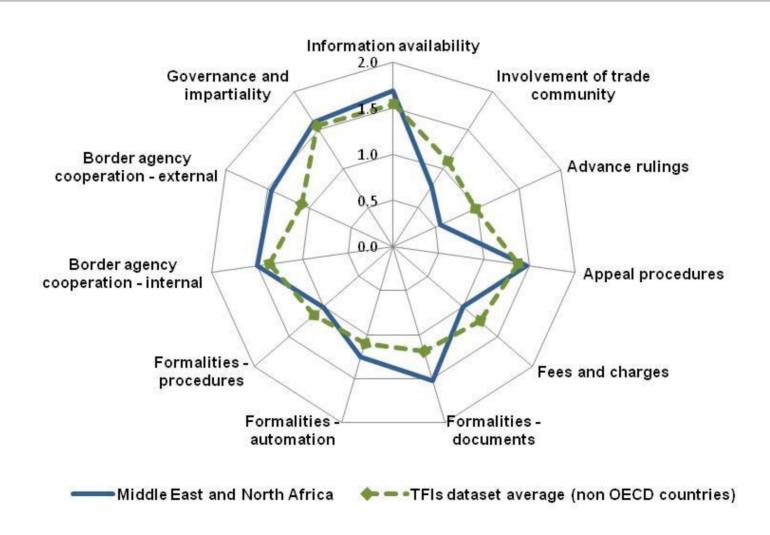


Sub-Saharan Africa



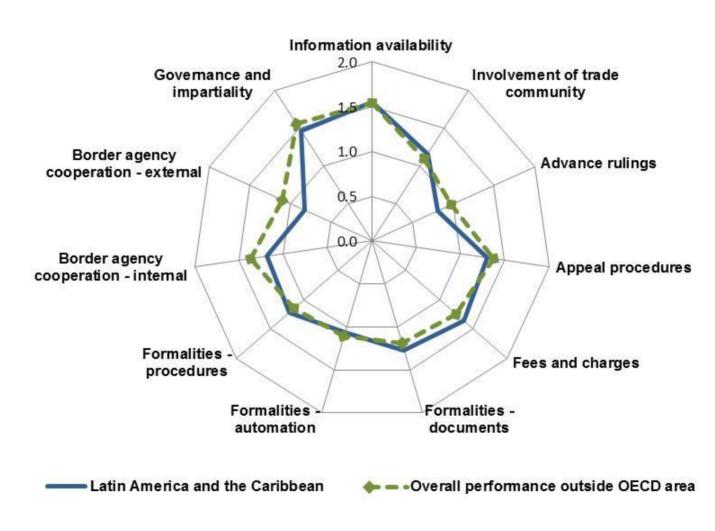


Middle East and North Africa



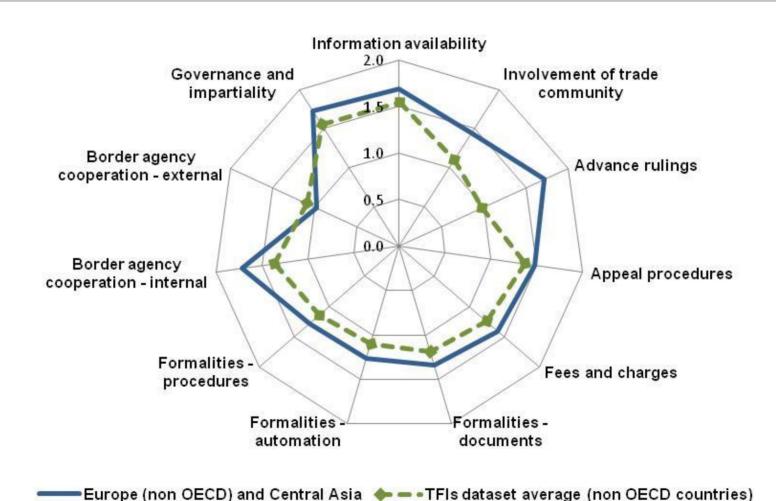


Latin America and the Caribbean



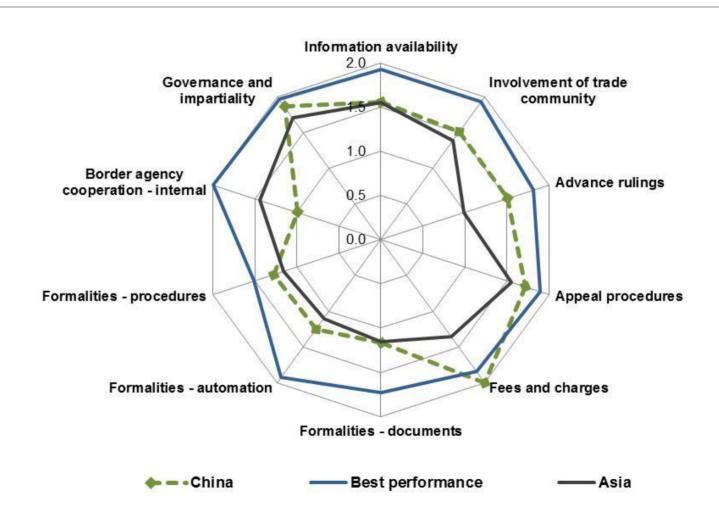


Europe (outside the OECD area) and Central Asia



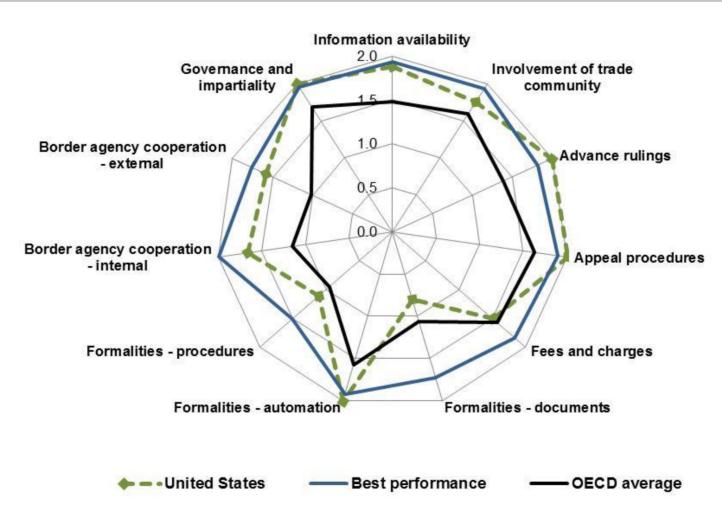


People's Republic of China



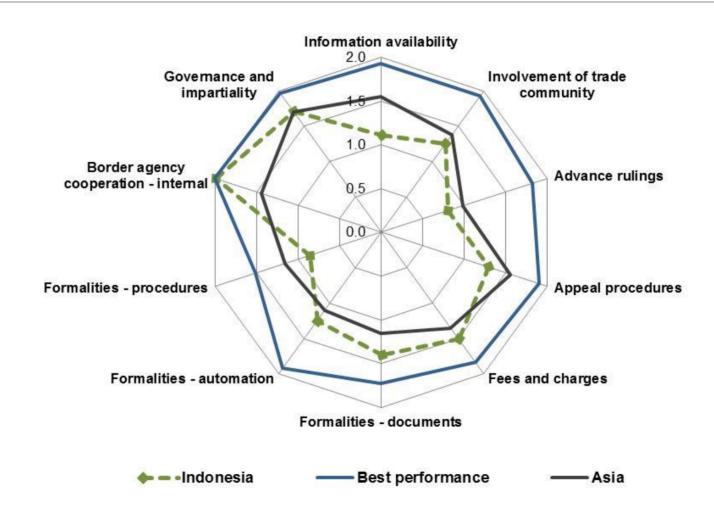


United States



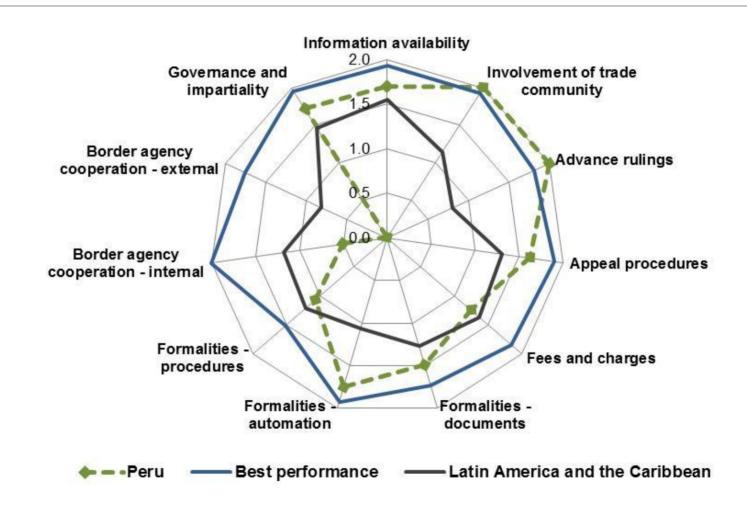


Indonesia





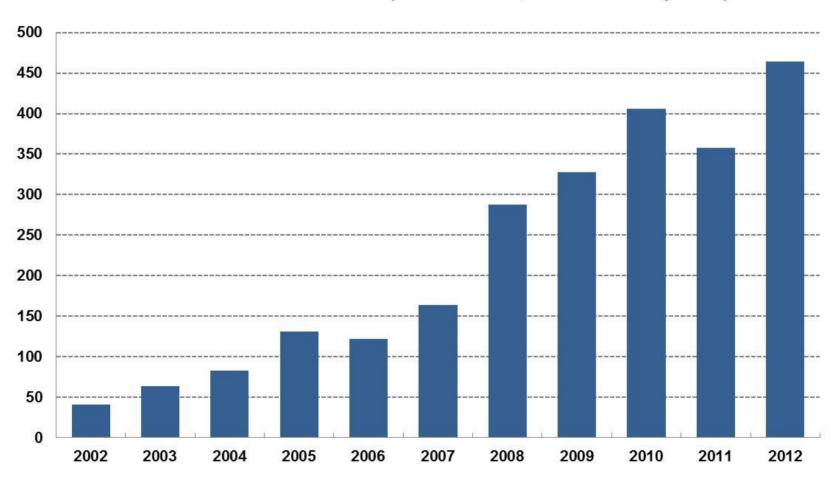
Peru





Aid for Trade Facilitation

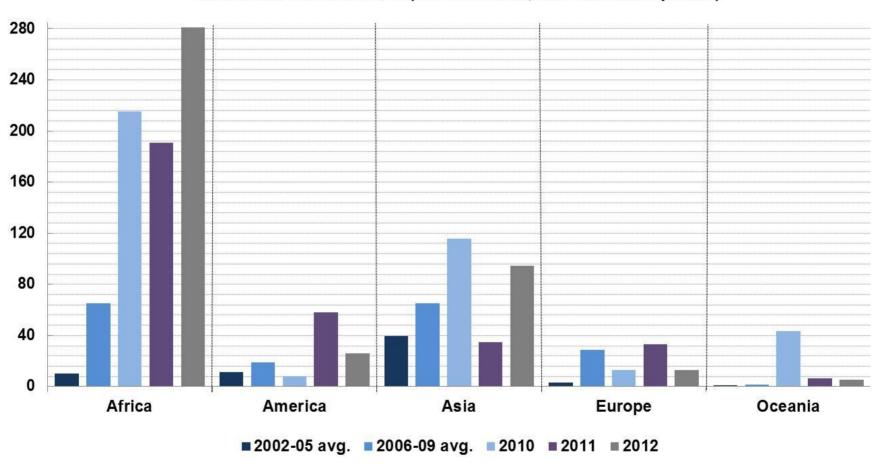
Commitments 2002-2012 (USD millions, 2012 constant prices)





Aid for Trade Facilitation by Region

Commitments 2002-2012 (USD millions, 2012 constant prices)





Thank you for your attention

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http://www.oecd.org/tad/facilitation/indicators.htm