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Q3: Do you have an Aid-for-Trade Strategy?
Unsure

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Q4: If no, please indicate if your development policy includes trade priorities.
Yes

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Q5: Below are listed the most common priority areas grouped according to broad Aid-for-Trade categories. If yes, please rank the top 5 priorities areas among the items listed. (1 being the most important)

Transport infrastructure (airport, roads, rail, port) 1
Export diversification 3
Regional integration 2
Industrialization 5
WTO accession 4
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<th>Q6: Has your Aid-for-Trade strategy changed since 2014?</th>
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<td>Q7: If yes, what are the top 3 drivers of these changes? (Please choose no more than 3 options)</td>
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<td>Between 0-10% increase</td>
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<td>Q9: How do you expect your Aid-for-Trade spending to change in the next 5 years?</td>
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<td>Q10: Looking ahead, what changes do you expect to your Aid-for-Trade strategy in the next 5 years?</td>
<td>Alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals, More focus on private sector development, More focus on regional integration, More focus on trade facilitation, Specific focus on implementation of the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement</td>
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<td>Q11: Are you engaging with the private sector in the design, delivery and monitoring of your Aid-for-Trade programmes?</td>
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<td>Q12: If yes, how are you engaging with the private sector:</td>
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<td>Q13: In your view, can Aid for Trade make a contribution to the achievement of the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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Q14: If yes, please specify which Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) you think that Aid for Trade may help to achieve? Sustainable Development Goals:

7. Affordable and clean energy,
8. Decent work and economic growth,
9. Industry, innovation and infrastructure,
10. Sustainable cities and communities,
11. Partnership for the goals

Q15: Are you integrating women's economic empowerment into your Aid-for-Trade programmes?

Yes

Q16: Have you undertaken an evaluation of your Aid-for-Trade support?

No,

Additional information on the evaluation of your Aid-for-Trade support. (Please include information on the review's finding and/or a weblink to the evaluation document).

AFTIAS (Aid for Trade Initiative for Arab State) program implementation will be evaluated by external evaluator.

Q17: Is trade facilitation reflected as a priority in your Aid-for-Trade programming? (You may tick more than 1 box)

Yes, Aid-for-Trade strategy with a broader conception of trade facilitation (e.g. trade and transport facilitation).

Yes, Overall Development Strategy with a broader conception of trade facilitation (e.g. trade and transport facilitation).

Q18: Are you providing Aid-for-Trade support to implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement? (You may tick more than 1 box)

Yes, direct national programming/project support,

Additional information on Aid-for-Trade support to implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement.

Yes, funding to regional/multilateral TFA implementation mechanism.

Q19: If yes, how are you programming Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation support? (You may tick more than 1 box)

As part of on-going programmes offering regional support for Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation.

As part of dedicated global thematic programmes.
Q20: In which regions are you providing Aid-for-Trade support to implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement? (You may tick more than one box)
- Asia and the Pacific,
- North Africa and the Middle East,
- Sub-Saharan Africa

Q21: For implementation of which disciplines of the Trade Facilitation Agreement are you providing Aid-for-Trade support? (You may tick more than one box)
- Art 9: Movement of Goods Intended for Import under Customs Control
- Art 10: Formalities Connected with Importation, Exportation and Transit
- Art 12: Customs Cooperation

Q22: What difficulties, if any, are you facing in programming and providing support to partner countries or regional economic communities to implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement? (You may tick more than one box)
- Accessing the necessary expertise,
- Integrating TFA implementation into ongoing programmes,
- National coordination and demonstration of political will for TFA reform,
- Problems accessing external funds,
- Problems in formulating requests

Q23: Are you working with the private sector to support implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement? Unsure

Q24: If yes, how are you engaging with the private sector? (You may tick more than one box)

Respondent skipped this question

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Q25: Does e-commerce (or other digital strategy) feature among the priorities in your national development policy?  
No

Q26: If yes, please indicate which of the following is included: (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q27: Do you have any special policy initiatives that cover the area of e-commerce (or other digital strategy)?  
No

Q28: Does e-commerce feature in your in-country dialogues with partner countries?  
Unsure

Q29: If yes, please indicate which of the following is included: (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q30: If yes, please indicate how demand from partner countries for e-commerce support has grown in the past 5 years:  
Respondent skipped this question

Q31: Does e-commerce feature in your dialogues with regional partners e.g. regional economic communities or transport corridors?  
Respondent skipped this question

Q32: If yes, please indicate which of the following: (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q33: If yes, please indicate how demand from regional partners for e-commerce support has grown in the past 5 years:  
Respondent skipped this question
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Q34: What types of support are you offering for e-commerce development? (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Information and Communication Technology (ICT) infrastructure upgrading
- Telecommunications infrastructure

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Q35: Are you working with the private sector to support growth in e-commerce in partner countries and regions?
- Unsure

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Q36: Based on your experience of e-commerce support programmes, please indicate the main issues that firms and consumers in your partner countries face in accessing and using internet services? (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Respondent skipped this question

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Q37: What are the most common trade issues that you encounter in your e-commerce support programmes? (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Respondent skipped this question

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Q38: Do you anticipate a growth in future demand from partner countries and regional partners in the area of e-commerce?
- Yes

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Q39: If yes, please elaborate:
- Significant growth in demand for support
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<td>Q41: Does your development policy or Aid-for-Trade strategy include trade-related infrastructure development priorities?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Q42: Do you have any special policy initiatives that cover the area of infrastructure or trade-related infrastructure specifically?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Maritime transport infrastructure, Air transport infrastructure, Rail transport infrastructure, Road transport infrastructure, Telecommunications infrastructure, Network cable infrastructure, Energy distribution infrastructure, Energy transport infrastructure (pipelines for transportation of petroleum, natural gas, etc.)</td>
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<td>Q45: Does trade-related infrastructure feature in your dialogues with regional partners (e.g. regional economic communities or transport corridors)?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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Q46: If yes, please indicate which of the following services trade sectors feature as priority sectors in your national development strategy: (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Maritime transport infrastructure,
- Air transport infrastructure,
- Rail transport infrastructure,
- Road transport infrastructure,
- Telecommunications infrastructure,
- Network cable infrastructure,
- Energy distribution infrastructure,
- Energy transport infrastructure (pipelines for transportation of petroleum, natural gas, etc.)

Q47: Do your programmes link trade-related infrastructure to the development of related services sectors? Unsure

Q48: If yes, please specify which services sectors feature as priority sectors in your national development strategy. (You may tick more than 1 box)

Respondent skipped this question

Q49: Which service sectors do you expect will support implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement and will help realize associated economic benefits in partner countries? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Telecommunication services,
- CONSTRUCTION AND RELATED ENGINEERING SERVICES,
- Banking and other financial services (excluding insurance),
- Air transport services, Rail transport services,
- Road transport services
Q50: Do your development programmes link growth in services capacity and services trade to growth in industrial capacity and manufacturing exports?  Yes

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Q51: If yes, please specify which services sectors are identified for growth in industrial capacity and manufacturing. (You may tick more than 1 box)

- EDUCATIONAL SERVICES,
  - Primary education services,
- FINANCIAL SERVICES,
  - Insurance and insurance-related services,
  - Banking and other financial services (excluding insurance),
  - Hospital services,
  - Other human health services,
- TRANSPORT SERVICES (passenger and freight transportation),
- Maritime transport services

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Q52: What are the main issues constraining growth in national services capacity and trade in your partner countries? Issues constraining growth: (You may tick more than 1 box)

Respondent skipped this question

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Q53: Does your Aid-for-Trade programming include actions to improve the investment climate in partner countries?  Unsure

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Q54: If yes, please specify how: (You may tick more than 1 box)

Respondent skipped this question

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Q55: What Aid-for-Trade actions have you taken to support national or regional initiatives to improve the investment climate in partner countries during the past 5 years? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q56: Are you providing specific assistance and capacity building to help LDCs utilize services waiver opportunities?  
Yes

Q57: If yes, what kind of support are you providing? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Broader Aid-for-Trade programmes, Cross-cutting supply-side capacity building to help utilize preference (i.e. infrastructure)

Q58: In your view, can the development of services trade contribute to women's economic empowerment?  
Yes

Q59: If yes, please specify in which services sectors? Services sectors:(You may tick more than 1 box)  
Computer and related services, Legal services, EDUCATION SERVICES, ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, TOURISM AND TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES

Q60: CONSULTATION Please list other ministries/agencies consulted in preparing this questionnaire reply.  
Respondent skipped this question