### Q1: COUNTRY / CUSTOMS TERRITORY
CZECH REPUBLIC

### Q2: INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION
Respondent skipped this question

### Q3: YOUR CONTACT DETAILS
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### Q4: CONSULTATION (Other ministries/agencies consulted in preparing this questionnaire reply):
Ministry of Industry and Trade

### Q5: Do you have an Aid-for-Trade strategy?
No

### Q6: Has your strategy changed since 2012?
Respondent skipped this question

### Q7: Why has your strategy changed? (Please choose no more than 5 options)
Respondent skipped this question
**Q8:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q9:** How has your Aid-for-Trade spending changed since 2012?  
*More than 10% increase*

**Q10:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q11:** How do you expect your Aid-for-Trade spending to change in the next 5 years?  
*No change*

**Q12:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q13:** Can you provide detailed information on past or planned future Aid-for-Trade spending? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
*Past support disaggregated by country,  
Future support disaggregated by country*

**Q14:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q15:** What information about other donors’ Aid-for-Trade would you find helpful in planning your own assistance? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
*Disaggregated information,  
Links to current national strategy,  
Links to project list/additional information*

**Q16:** How has your Aid for Trade facilitation spending changed since 2012?  
*Significant increase (10%+>)*

**Q17:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q18:** How do you expect your Aid for Trade facilitation spending to change in the next 5 years?  
*No change*

**Q19:** Additional information.  
*Respondent skipped this question*
Q20: Looking ahead, what changes do you expect to your Aid-for-Trade strategy in the next 5 years? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Change in government and priorities
- Streamlining of issues receiving support
- More focus on private sector development
- Alignment with the post-2015 development agenda
- More focus on results

Q21: Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question

Q22: How important are trade costs for the economic integration and development of developing countries and LDCs?

Important

Q23: Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question

Q24: For MERCHANDISE GOODS: What are the most important sources of trade costs for the export of merchandise goods from developing countries? (You may tick more than one box)

- Non-tariff Measures (including standards)
- Transport infrastructure
- Access to trade finance

Q25: Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question

Q26: For SERVICES: What are the most important sources of trade costs for the export of services from developing countries? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Network infrastructure (ICT, power, telecoms)
- Transport infrastructure
- Poor regulatory environment for services

Q27: Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question

Q28: Does your Aid-for-Trade strategy specifically address the issue of trade costs?

No
Q29: Where in your Aid-for-Trade strategy is the issue of trade costs addressed? (You may tick more than 1 box) 
Respondent skipped this question

Q30: Additional information. 
Respondent skipped this question

Q31: How is the issue of trade costs reflected in your Aid for Trade programming? (You may tick more than 1 box) 
Unsure

Q32: Additional information. 
Respondent skipped this question

Q33: In which regions do you provide Aid-for-Trade support to reduce trade costs? (You may tick more than 1 box) 
Respondent skipped this question

Q34: Provide web links to programmes you wish to showcase: 
Respondent skipped this question

Q35: What difficulties, if any, do you expect partner countries to face in securing support to implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement, when adopted? (You may tick more than 1 box) 
Accessing the necessary expertise, Ensuring Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation is a priority in national development planning documents, Integrating Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation into on-going programmes

Q36: Additional information. 
Respondent skipped this question

Q37: How do you envisage programming Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation support, when adopted? (You may tick more than 1 box) 
Respondent skipped this question
**E.1) SUPPORTING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT**

**Q39:** What difficulties, if any, do you expect to face in programming support for Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation, when adopted, as part of your Aid-for-Trade activities? (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Differing priorities of partner countries,
- Ability to access necessary expertise

**Q41:** Which disciplines of the Trade Facilitation Agreement do you think will prove the hardest for developing countries to implement and where Aid-for-Trade support should be focused? (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Unsure

**Q43:** Will the Trade Facilitation Agreement, when adopted, benefit other development programmes that you operate?
- Unsure

**E.1) SUPPORTING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT**

**Q44:** Please specify the other programmes that Trade Facilitation Agreement implementation would benefit when adopted: (You may tick more than 1 box)
- Respondent skipped this question

**F.1) REDUCING TRADE COSTS**

**Q46:** Do you track trade costs as part of your Aid-for-Trade programmes?
- No
Q47: How do you track trade costs? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q48: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question

Q49: What data sources do you use? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q50: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question

Q51: How do you validate the results? (You may tick more than 1 box)  
Respondent skipped this question

Q52: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question

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Q53: What immediate outputs have you observed from actions taken to reduce trade costs? (You may tick more than 1 box.)  
Unsure

Q54: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question

Q55: What outcomes have you observed from actions taken to reduce trade costs? (Please choose no more than 5 options)  
Unsure

Q56: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question

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Q57: What impacts have you observed from actions taken to reduce trade costs? (Please choose no more than 5 options)  
Unsure

Q58: Additional information.  
Respondent skipped this question
Q59: Which types of actions have achieved the most positive results in reducing trade costs for goods and services? (Please choose no more than 7 options)

- Upgrading network infrastructure

Q60: Additional information.

Q61: What have been the key success factors in reducing trade costs? (Please choose no more than 5 options)

- Alignment of actions with private sector priorities,
- Alignment of donor support with national priorities,
- Sustained political engagement and commitment by national authorities

Q62: Additional information.

Q63: Is private sector development an Aid-for-Trade priority of your agency?

- Unsure

Q64: Additional information.

Q65: What approaches do you use to promote private sector development? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Respondent skipped this question

Q66: Additional information.

Q67: What is the focus of your private sector development programme? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Respondent skipped this question

Q68: Additional information.

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| **Q79**: Are there examples of private sector development that you would like to showcase? | Respondent skipped this question |
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Q0: Please provide details of relevant programme/project evaluations you would like to showcase (include weblinks where appropriate). You may also wish to elaborate by submitting information in a case story format. Details on how to submit a case story can be found at the end of this questionnaire.

Respondent skipped this question

### PAGE 36: H.1) CONTRIBUTION OF AID FOR TRADE TO INCLUSIVE, SUSTAINABLE GROWTH

**Q81:** What contribution can reducing trade costs make to inclusive, sustainable growth? (Please choose no more than 7 options)

- Increase in exports
- Rise in employment
- Entry into new value chains
- Diversification in export markets
- Diversification in export products
- Reduction in poverty

**Q82:** Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question

**Q83:** What impact has the Aid-for-Trade Initiative had since its launch in 2005? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Increase in resources available for trade development
- More attention to trade issues in development
- More priority given by donors to trade issues in national development planning
- More priority given by private sector to trade issues

**Q84:** Additional information.

Respondent skipped this question
**Q85:** What potential future contribution could the Aid-for-Trade Initiative make to the post-2015 development agenda? (You may tick more than 1 box)

- Contribution of financing for development,
- Contribution to improving the business and regulatory environment,
- Ensuring continued attention to trade issues in development,
- Engaging the private sector in development issues,
- Making a contribution to economic growth and poverty eradication,
- Helping to create the conditions for employment

**Q86:** Additional information.

*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q87:** What potential future contribution could the Enhanced Integrated Framework for LDCs make to the post-2015 development agenda? (Please choose no more than 5 options)

- Mainstreaming of trade issues in national policy,
- Coherence in trade and development policy,
- Catalyst for Aid-for-Trade flows,
- Contribution to inclusive, sustainable growth

**Q88:** Additional information.

*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q89:** How could the Aid-for-Trade Initiative be improved?

*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q90:** Additional information on "Reducing trade costs and inclusive, sustainable growth". If there is anything you would like to add on the topic of "Reducing trade costs for inclusive, sustainable growth", which you feel has not been covered in this questionnaire, please use this box.

*Respondent skipped this question*