





# Angola

**Ratified Agreement: Yes** 

Ratification Date: 2019-04-09

Implementation Notifications (Categories A, B, C)  Notified all category ABC designations		Due date  by 22 February 2018		Status
				Yes
A - 22.7% B - 55.9%		<b>C</b> - 21.4%	Not yet notified - 0.0%	
Notified indicative dates in Category B			by 22 February 2018	Yes
Notified definitive dates in Category B			by 22 February 2020	Yes
Notified indicative dates in Category C			by 22 February 2021	Yes
Notified definitive dates in Category C			by 22 August 2022	Yes
Notified Technical Assistance requirements			by 22 February 2019	Yes
Notified arrangements on the provision of technical assistance support			by 22 February 2021	Yes
Notified progress in the provision of technical assistance support			by 22 August 2022	Yes

### **Transparency notifications**

Notified Art. 1.4	Category B	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2021	Yes
Notified Art. 10.4.3	Category C	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2027	No
Notified Art. 10.6.2	Category C	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2026	No
Notified Art. 12.2	Category B	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2024	Yes
Information on Assistance	and Capacity Building		
Notified Art. 22.3			Yes
Legend: Yes	Notification presented	Notification due No Notification	not yet due

Implem	nentation schedule		Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
1.1	Publication	В	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2022
1.2	Information available through internet	C E	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2026
1.3	Enquiry points	В	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2021
1.4	Notification	В	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2021
2.1	Comments and information before entry into force	В	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2021
2.2	Consultations	ВЕ	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2026
3	Advance rulings	В С»В	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2024
4	Procedures for appeal or review	А		by 22 February 2018
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	А		by 22 February 2018
5.2	Detention	А		by 22 February 2018
5.3	Test procedures	С	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2024
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	C E	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2026
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	CE	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2026
6.3	Penalty Disciplines	А		by 22 February 2018
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	А		by 22 February 2018
7.2	Electronic payment	А		by 22 February 2018
7.3	Separation of release	В	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2023

Implem	entation schedule		Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
7.4	Risk management	CE	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2026
7.5	Post-clearance audit	А		by 22 February 2018
7.6	Average release times	А		by 22 February 2018
7.7	Authorized operators	C	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2023
7.8	Expedited shipments	А		by 22 February 2018
7.9	Perishable goods	В	by 30 June 2020	by 30 June 2022
8	Border Agency Cooperation	CE	by 30 June 2023	by 30 June 2026
9	Movement of goods	А		by 22 February 2018
10.1	Formalities	А		by 22 February 2018
10.2	Acceptance of copies	C	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2023
10.3	Use of international standards	ВЕ	by 30 June 2021	by 30 June 2026
10.4	Single window	CE	by 30 June 2023	by 30 June 2027
10.5	Preshipment inspection	А		by 22 February 2018
10.6	Use of customs brokers	C E	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2026
10.7	Common border procedures	ВЕ	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2026
10.8	Rejected Goods	А		by 22 February 2018
10.9	Temporary admission of goods and inward and outward processing	В	by 30 June 2023	by 30 June 2024

Implen	nentation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
11	Transit	В	E	by 30 June 2022	by 30 June 2026
12	Customs cooperation	АрВ	Вр С»В	from 22 February 2018 to 30 June 2022	from 22 February 2018 to 30 June 2024
Legen	d				
Α	Notified in Cat. A	Ар	Partially notified in A		
В	Notified in Cat. B	Вр	Partially notified in B	C»B	Shift from C to B
С	Notified in Cat. C	Ср	Partially notified in C	B»C	Shift from B to C
N	Not yet notified	E	Extension of time request	ed	

#### **Notifications and other documents**

Symbol	Date	Description
G/TFA/N/AGO/6	2024-08-14	Donor arrangements and progress in the provision of technical assistance
G/TFA/2/AGO/INF/1	2024-08-14	Report on the implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement
G/TFA/N/AGO/5	2024-04-17	Extension of implementation dates
G/TFA/W/92	2023-07-05	The role of technology transfer in building resilience: Trade Facilitation
G/TFA/N/AGO/4	2023-03-23	Extension of implementation dates
G/TFA/N/AGO/3	2022-11-07	Articles 1.4, 11.17 and 12.2.2
G/TFA/W/86	2022-11-07	Information on Articles 7.3 and 7.9 of the Trade Facilitation Agreement
G/TFA/N/AGO/1/Add.1/Corr.1	2020-03-10	Categories B and C notification - Corrigendum
G/TFA/N/AGO/1/Add.1	2020-02-28	Categories B and C notification
G/TFA/N/AGO/2	2020-02-19	Article 22.3
G/TFA/N/AGO/1	2018-03-21	Categories A, B and C notification

### **Experience Sharing**

National Trade Facilitation Committee	
Date	Title

30 June 2022 Angola National Committee on Trade Facilitation

#### 1.2 Information available through internet



1.2.1 (a), (b), (c)

1.2.2 1.2.3 Indicative date of implementation

30 June 2021

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Undertake a study to take stock of the range of publications produced by various institutions, and assess the gaps.

Prepare and implement guidelines and standard operating procedures for the publication of trade-related information.

Assistance to prepare a description of the practical steps involved in import, export, transit and appeal procedures for each relevant border agency, and to identify all the documents required.

Tags: Information and communication technologies (ICT), Legislative and regulatory framework, Diagnostic and Needs Assessment

Donor Agencies: World Bank

#### **Progress reported**

Work is underway to define the ToR for the development and implementation of a Trade Information Portal.

- -Financing agreement between the Republic of Angola and the World Bank, approved by Presidential Order no. 117/23 of June 5: https://www.cnfc.gov.ao/PortalCNFC/#!/normas-e-procedimentos/decreto-presidencial
- Executive Decree no. 221/23 of October 3 creating the Implementation Unit for the Project to Accelerate Economic Diversification and Job Creation:

https://www.cnfc.gov.ao/PortalCNFC/#!/normas-e-procedimentos/decreto-executivo



5.3.1 5.3.2 5.3.3

#### Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2022

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2024

#### Assistance required for implementation

Amend the relevant laws/regulations and ensure that traders have access to a second test.

Help to develop accreditation criteria and/or to identify laboratories equipped to carry out the relevant test procedures.

Develop standard operating procedures, particularly those pertaining to appropriate sampling techniques and the handling of results that contradict the results of the second test.

Human resources/training: capacity building for the border agencies, laboratories/technicians and traders involved.

Tags: Legislative and regulatory framework, Human resources and training



6.1.1 6.1.2 6.1.3 6.1.4

#### Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2021

**Definitive date of implementation** 

30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Develop competence in the use of methodologies for quantifying costs in order to justify fees and charges. Develop a comprehensive training programme to periodically assess existing and new fees and charges. Draw up and publish a single schedule of all fees and charges related to imports and exports.

**Tags:** *Information and communication technologies (ICT)* 

**Donor Agencies:** World Bank

#### **Progress reported**

Development of a legal framework, operational procedures and reinforcement of staff capabilities.

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6.2 (i), (ii)

Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2021

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Technical assistance for the mapping and costing of services rendered by the customs authorities, including the development of a fair and transparent fee structure.

Tags: Legislative and regulatory framework, Human resources and training

#### 7.4 Risk management



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7.4.2
7.4.3
7.4.4

Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2022

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Review of the profiling mechanism and procedures of customs and other government agencies.

Training and capacity building for border agencies on risk management.

Establishment of an ICT infrastructure to support the national risk management framework.

Development of a multi-agency risk management framework.

**Tags:** Information and communication technologies (ICT), Legislative and regulatory framework, Institutional procedures, Human resources and training

C

7.7.1 7.7.2 (a) (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (i), (ii) 7.7.3 (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g) 7.7.4 7.7.5 7.7.6

# Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2021

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2023

#### Assistance required for implementation

Awareness-raising among private sector stakeholders.

Change management.

Development of a national mechanism for coordination and cooperation between customs and other border agencies.

Tags: Legislative and regulatory framework, Institutional procedures, Awareness-raising

Donor Agencies: to be determined

#### **Progress reported**

Measure implemented with own resources

- -Articles 552-572 of Tariff Code & Presidential Decree no. 293 18 of December 3 https://www.ucm.minfin.gov.ao/cs/groups/public/documents/document/aw4z/nzcw/~edisp/minfin1237340.pdf
- -Requirements information, procedures and forms https://agt.minfin.gov.ao/PortalAGT/#!/servicos-aduaneiros//operador-economico-autorizado



8.1 8.2 (a), (b), (c), (d), (e)

# Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2023

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Review existing cooperation mechanisms both within Angola and across borders. Human and institutional capacity building for coordinated border management. Funding of border agencies. ICT

Tags: Information and communication technologies (ICT), Legislative and regulatory framework, Human resources and training



10.2.1 10.2.2 10.2.3 Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2021

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2023

#### Assistance required for implementation

Review and amend legislation if necessary.

Draw up regulations and instructions.

Training of officials.

Awareness-raising programme for notification of fees.

Tags: Legislative and regulatory framework, Institutional procedures, Human resources and training, Awareness-raising

### 10.4 Single window



10.4.1	
10.4.2	
10.4.3	
10.4.4	

## Indicative date of implementation

30 June 2023

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2027

#### Assistance required for implementation

ICT infrastructure.
Institutional capacity building.
Training of personnel and awareness-raising.

Tags: Information and communication technologies (ICT), Infrastructure and equipment, Human resources and training

#### 10.6 Use of customs brokers



10.6.1 10.6.2 10.6.3

Indicative date of implementation 30 June 2022

**Definitive date of implementation** 30 June 2026

#### Assistance required for implementation

Review licensing requirements to ensure that they are objective and transparent. Training on publication requirements.

Tags: Legislative and regulatory framework, Human resources and training

#### Legend



Notified in Cat. C



Partially notified in C



Extension of time requested

Donor arrangement notified



Donor arrangement not yet notified

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