



WORLD TRADE
ORGANIZATION



Trade Facilitation
Agreement Facility

The Trade Facilitation Agreement Facility

UPDATE

TFAF Grant Programme Progress

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Kyrgyz Republic (PG/KGZ/6)	Article 10.1	
Kenya (PG/KEN/10)	Article 7.1	
Madagascar (PG/MDG/8)	Article 6.1-6.3	
Myanmar (PPG/MMR/18)	Article 11	
Niger (PG/NER/12)	Article 7.4	
Saint Vincent & Grenadines (PG/SVG/17)	Article 3	
Sri Lanka (PG/LKA/7)	Article 3	
~~Tunisia (PPG/TUN/20)~~	~~Article 10.4~~	WB / TFSP

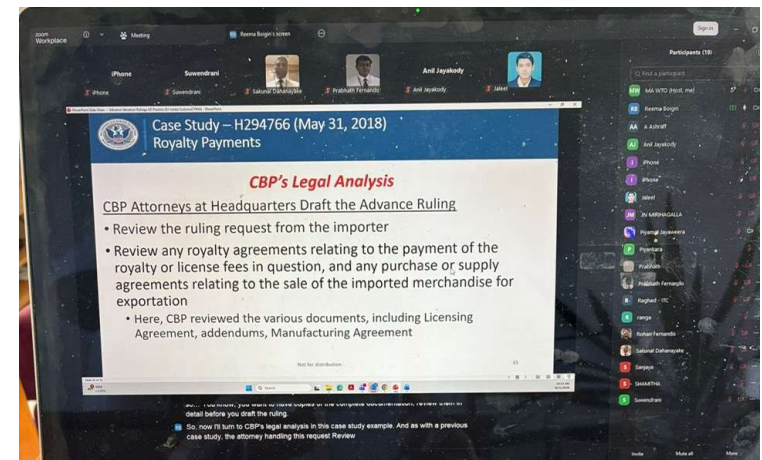
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Cameroon (PG/CAM/14/Rev)	Article 6.3
Comoros (PG/COM/9/Rev)	Article 6.1-6.2
Gabon (PG/GAB/11/Rev)	Article 1.1, 1.2, 2.2
CARICOM (PG/COM/15/Rev)	Article 3
Bolivia (PPG/BOL/11)	Article 10.4

Implementation duration of all grants
December 2026-June 2027

Peer-to-peer in Grants

- **Niger grant**
 - Sharing of experience between Risk management teams of Niger and Togo customs administrations
 - Most engaging session
- **Sri Lanka Grant**
 - Online experience sharing on Advance Ruling for Valuation practices by USBCP
 - Feedback was positive: «Practical & relevant», Liked case studies, Liked the «how to do stg»
- **Upcoming**
 - **Bolivia/Uruguay:** Building cross-agency adherence to Single Window
 - **CARICOM:** Consolidating Members' Advance Ruling practices
 - **Comoros:** Fees and charges (



Closing TACB gaps

Reports 2024
and 2025

1. Mobilisation of TACB for the Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA)
2. Since 2024 using data from developing Members, Donor Members, and Annex D+ organisations
3. Report in 2024: Geographical disparities, TACB assistance not directly correlated with Members' category C commitments
4. Report in 2025: Majority of D. Members were still seeking developing partners and TACB arrangements to address outstanding implementation capacity gaps. Concentration of support around a limited number of TFA provisions and established types of interventions.
5. **Where are we in 2026?**

Member	Art 1.1	Art 1.2	Art 1.3	Art 1.4	Art 2.1	Art 2.2	Art 3	Art 4	Art 5.1	Art 5.2	Art 5.3	Art 6.1	Art 6.2	Art 6.3	Art 7.1	Art 7.2	Art 7.3	Art 7.4	Art 7.5	Art 7.6	Art 7.7	Art 7.8	Art 7.9	Art 8	Art 9	Art 10.1	Art 10.2	Art 10.3	Art 10.4	Art 10.5	Art 10.6	Art 10.7	Art 10.8	Art 10.9	Art 11	Art 12.	
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Closing TACB gaps

Findings 2026

1. Scale of needs

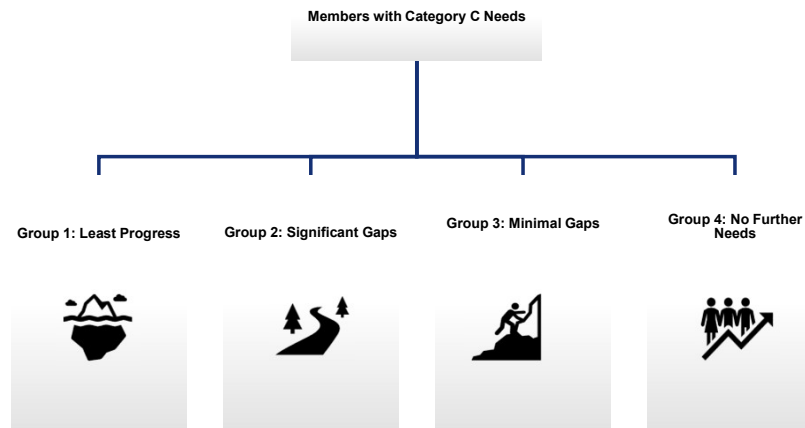
- Less Members with no development partners and arrangements
 - In 2025 17 Members
 - 3 still with no partner / arrangement: Comoros, Djibouti, Gabon
 - 5 found partners and
 - 9 unknown
- More Members with no TACB needs anymore
 - In 2025 5 Members
 - In 2026 3 additional Members

Findings 2026

Geographical differences

Differences across Members remain static

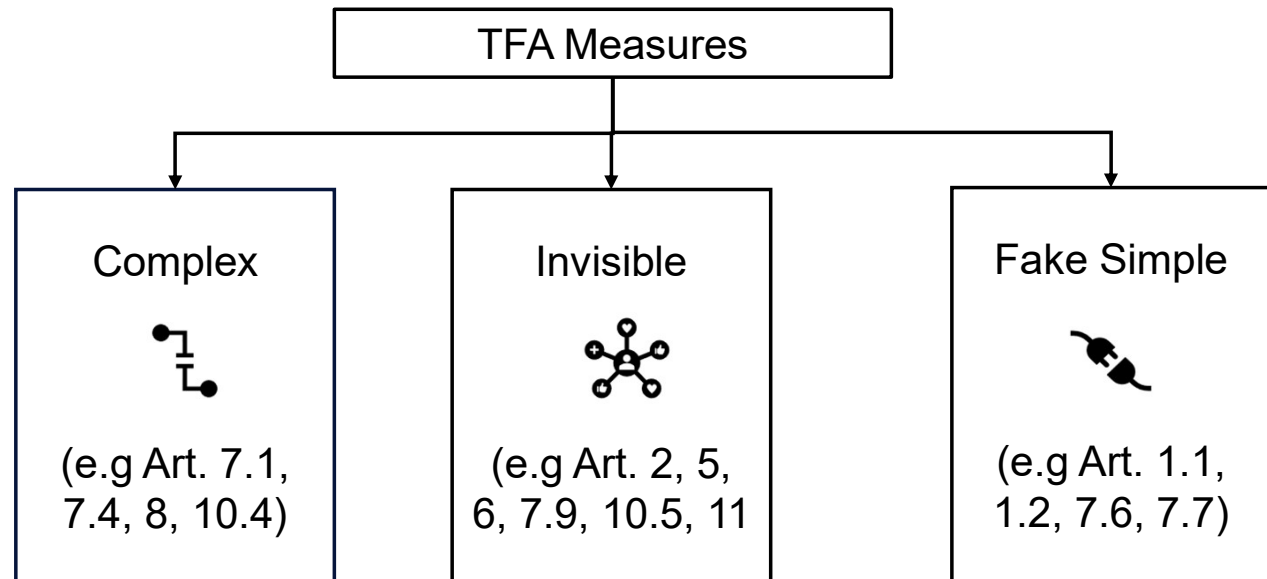
- Members with fair to good mobilisation continue to close TACB gaps – Eswatini, Guatemala, Mauritius, Namibia, Solomon Islands and Sri Lanka.
- Members with poor mobilisation rate find partners at a lower rate for less measures (i.e. Togo, Burkina Faso, Cameroon report one arrangement for one measure).



Findings 2026

Thematical differences

- Thematical gaps remain
 - Mobilisation gaps remain high for Articles 10.4, 7.4, 11, 5.1-5.3, 6.3, 7.3 and 7.9.
 - Continued existence of sticky and forgotten issues



Findings 2026

Annex D + organisations

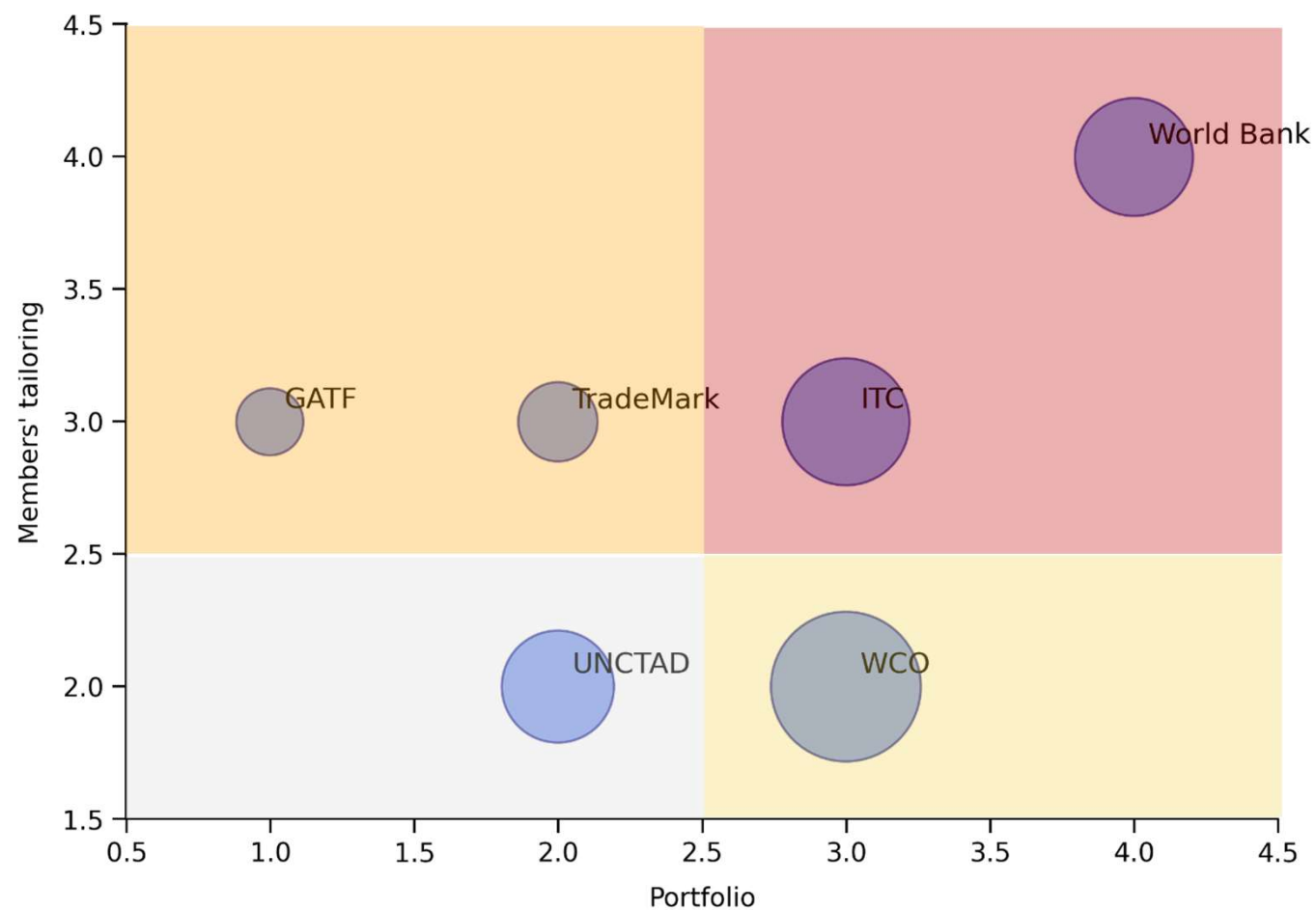
- Multilateral Organisations increased number of TFA related interventions but for less Members
 - 387 active or upcoming interventions in 88 Members
- Significant differences across Members
 - 51 Members only have one or two interventions
 - 6 Members Djibouti, DRC, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda more than 10 interventions
- Differences in assistance reported by organisations and Members
 - NTFC not informed by parties, i.e Agency specific interventions
 - Interventions not aligned with TFA roadmap and priorities
 - Interventions may not be considered critical towards implementation

Findings 2026

Annex D + organisations

- 47% of the reported interventions are directly and specifically linked to measures of the Section I of the TFA; 28% are not linked at all and 25% not specifically
- The TFA section I specific interventions concentrate on few Articles:
 - Frequently: Articles 7.4, 10.1, 8, 7.7 and 10.4.
 - Articles 7.4 and 10.1 are part of a global or regional instruments; whilst the Articles 10.4 and 7.6 are part of beneficiary specific interventions.
 - Limited: Articles 6.1, 6.2, 6.2.10.3, 10.2, 5.1, 5.3, 5.2, 2.2, 4 and 11.
- Organisations priorities are determined by i) strategic or organisational priorities; ii) priorities of their funding parties; iii) expertise and experiences
- Organisations have different TFA portfolio (expertise spread over TFA articles) and different ability to tailor to Members' category C needs (identical interventions for a large number of Members versus specific interventions).

Comparative Positioning of Organizations



Findings 2026

Conclusions

1. TACB mobilisation progress is possible but uneven and slow
2. Mobilisation progress and success is mainly determined by responsiveness of donors and development partners to Members and thematic areas
3. Increased risk that the gap between Members in terms of TACB mobilisation widens
4. Sticky and overlooked TFA capacity gaps remain unaddressed
5. The thematical and geographical positioning of Annex D + organisations is static
6. Few TFA dedicated TACB instruments
7. Members often have limited choice of multilateral partners for their specific category C needs
8. Annex D+ organisations focus and flexibility to respond to specific category C needs is determined by organisations strategic and organisational objectives as well as donor priorities

