

# Update on ratifications and notifications

WTO Secretariat

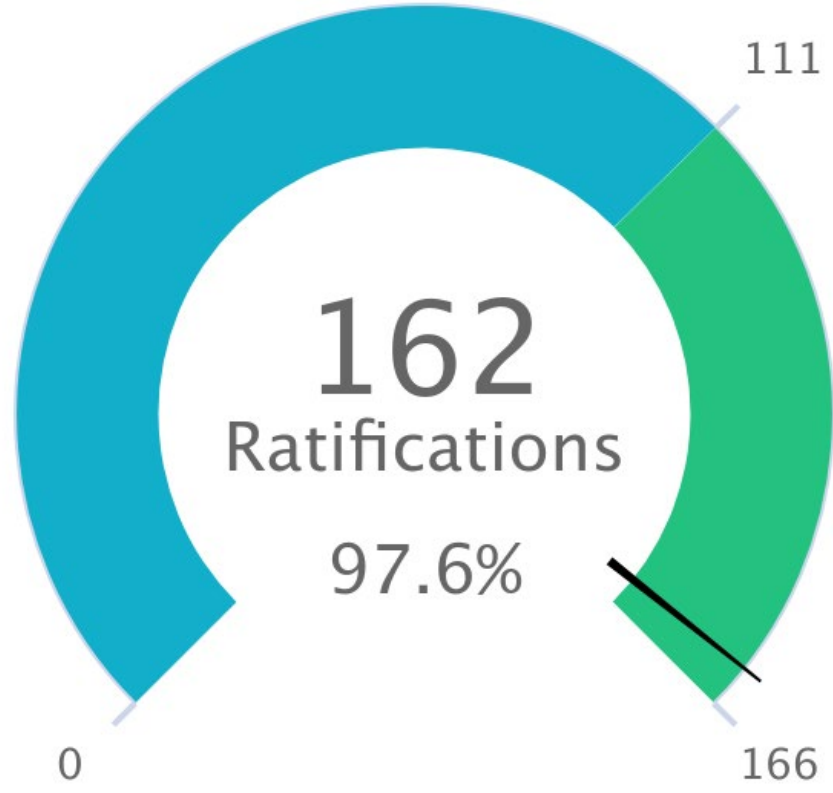
10 June 2026



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# Ratification updates

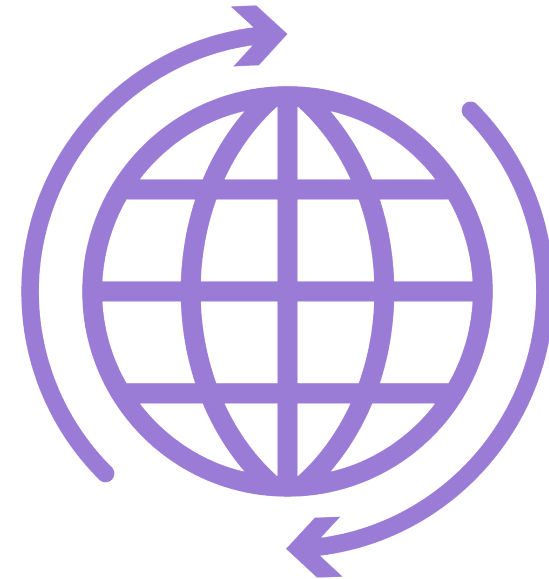




▶▶ 4 ratifications yet to be presented:  
Haiti, Mauritania, Suriname, Yemen

# Section I

## Transparency notifications



# Transparency notifications

Articles  
1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2  
and 12.2.2

**7 Members** presented transparency notifications since the last meeting

Angola	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/AGO/3/Rev.1</u></a>
Bangladesh	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/BGD/6/Rev.1</u></a>
Cabo Verde	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/CPV/4/Rev.1</u></a>
Costa Rica	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/CRI/2/Rev.1</u></a>
European Union	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/EU/1/Add.1/Rev.6</u></a>
Moldova, Republic of	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/MDA/5</u></a>
Nigeria	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/NGA/3/Rev.1</u></a>



<https://tfadatabase.org/notifications/transparency/notifications-by-member>

# OVERDUE TRANSPARENCY NOTIFICATIONS



Article 1.4

**22**



Article 10.4.3

**18**



Article 10.6.2

**16**



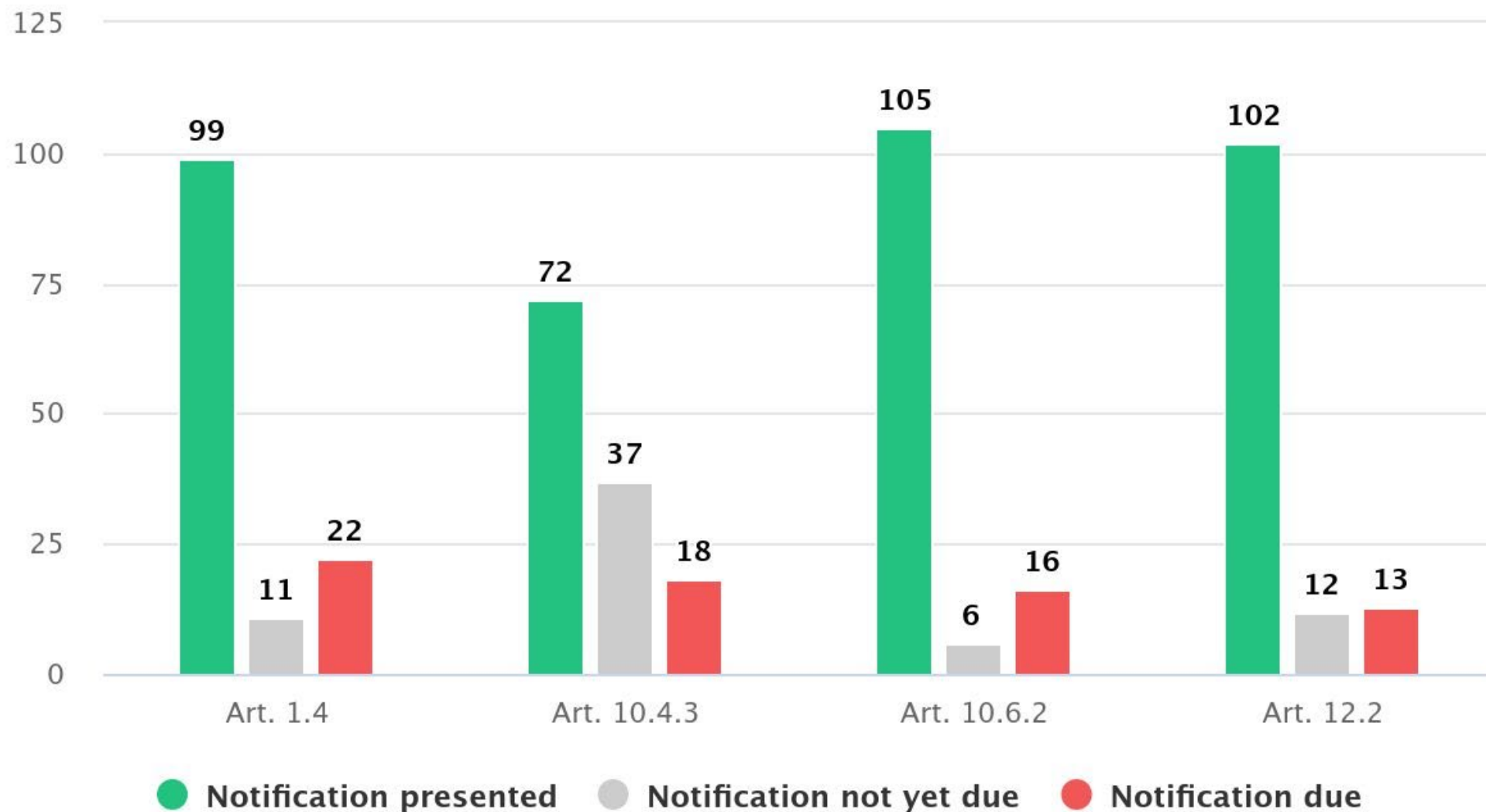
Article 12.2.2

**13**



# Status of transparency notifications by article

Developing & LDCs





## Donor arrangements and technical assistance progress

Notifications under  
Article 16

**3 Members** presented notifications since the last meeting:

Angola	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/AGO/6/Rev.1</u></a>
Moldova, Republic of	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/MDA/4/Rev.1</u></a>
Nicaragua	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/NIC/4/Rev.2</u></a>



<https://tfadatabase.org/en/implementation/technical-assistance-tracker>



## Donor arrangements and technical assistance progress – Notifications under Article 16

1144 Total Category C measures →  97 Members



With donor  
arrangements

26.0%

Implemented with  
own resources

2.9%

Donor arrangements  
unknown

57.7%

No donor  
arrangements

13.4%



# Accessing the Technical Assistance Tracker on the TFA Database



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Explore the status of donor arrangements and technical assistance for implementing category C measures

[NEW DASHBOARD](#) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TRACKER >

**85.3%** Current rate of implementation commitments →

**64**  
MEMBERS Have committed to implement 280 Category C measures in 2025-2026 →

**30**  
MEMBERS Have committed to implement 104 Category B measures in 2025-2026 →

**50**  
MEMBERS Have requested extensions of implementation dates →

**22**  
MEMBERS Have notified earlier implementation dates →

**65**  
DONORS OR AGENCIES Are providing technical assistance, as reported by beneficiary Members →



<https://tfadatabase.org/en/implementation/technical-assistance-tracker>



# Four ways to view data

Home / Implementation / Technical Assistance Tracker

## Technical Assistance Tracker

Explore the status of donor arrangements and technical assistance for implementing Category C measures

Beneficiary Member

Select a member

Development Partner

Select a donor/agency

TFA Measure

Select a measure

Show additional filters

Status View

Calendar View

Visual analytics

Data Table



1'144 Total Cat. C measures

Members: 97

298 (26.0%)

With donor arrangements

33 (2.9%)

Implemented with own resources

660 (57.7%)

Donor arrangements unknown

153 (13.4%)

No donor arrangements

# Notifications under Article 16

Earlier  
implementation dates



**1 Members** presented a notification since the last meeting:

Kenya

[G/TFA/N/KEN/1/Add.4](#)



<https://tfadatabase.org/en/notifications/earlier-implementation>



## Notifications of earlier implementation

**159** measures implemented ahead of schedule →  23 Members



Average accelerated implementation period: **20 months**

# Notifications under Article 17

Extension of  
implementation dates



**7 Members** presented notifications since the last meeting:

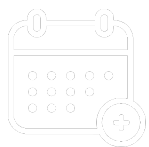
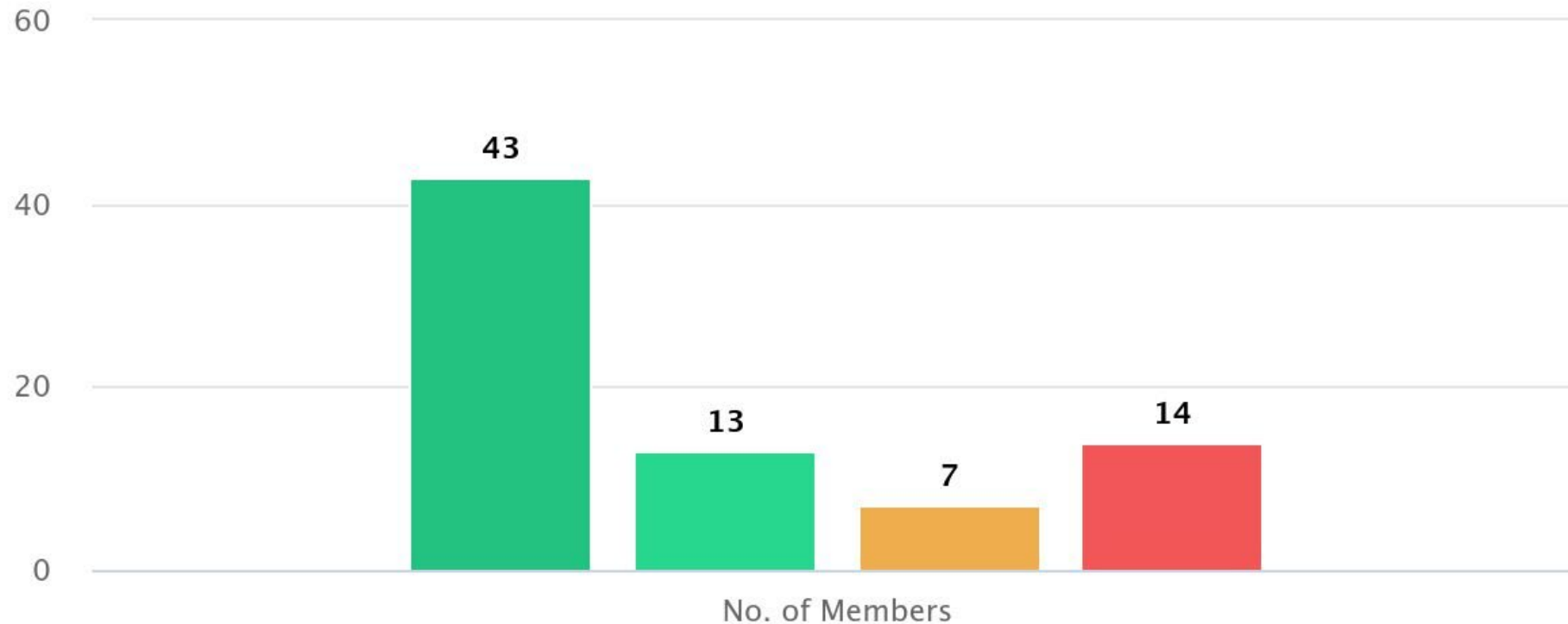
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Ecuador	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/ECU/1/Add.11</u></a>
Kenya	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/KEN/1/Add.3</u></a>
Pakistan	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/PAK/1/Add.6</u></a>
Rwanda	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/RWA/5</u></a>
Togo	<a href="#"><u>G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.9</u></a>



<https://tfadatabase.org/en/notifications/extension-of-implementation-dates>

# Status of requests for extension of implementation dates by Member

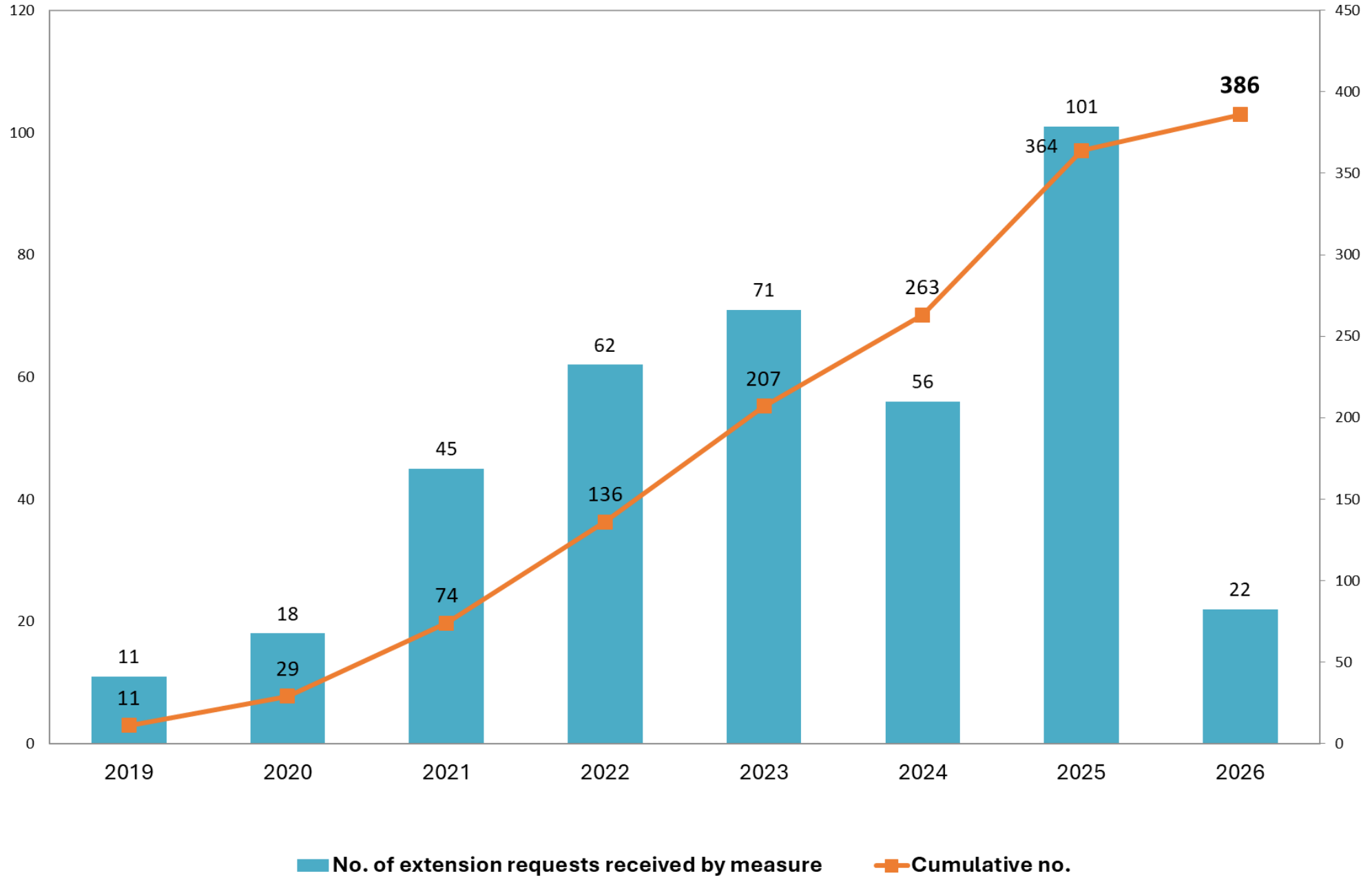
Requests approved, not approved or pending consideration by the Trade Facilitation Committee by Member



- Approved (with requested date)
- Approved (with new date)
- Pending
- Not approved



# Timeline of extension requests received, by measure



# Recurring requests for extensions under Article 17

■ 1st request ■ 2nd request ■ 3rd request ■ 4th request

52

Members



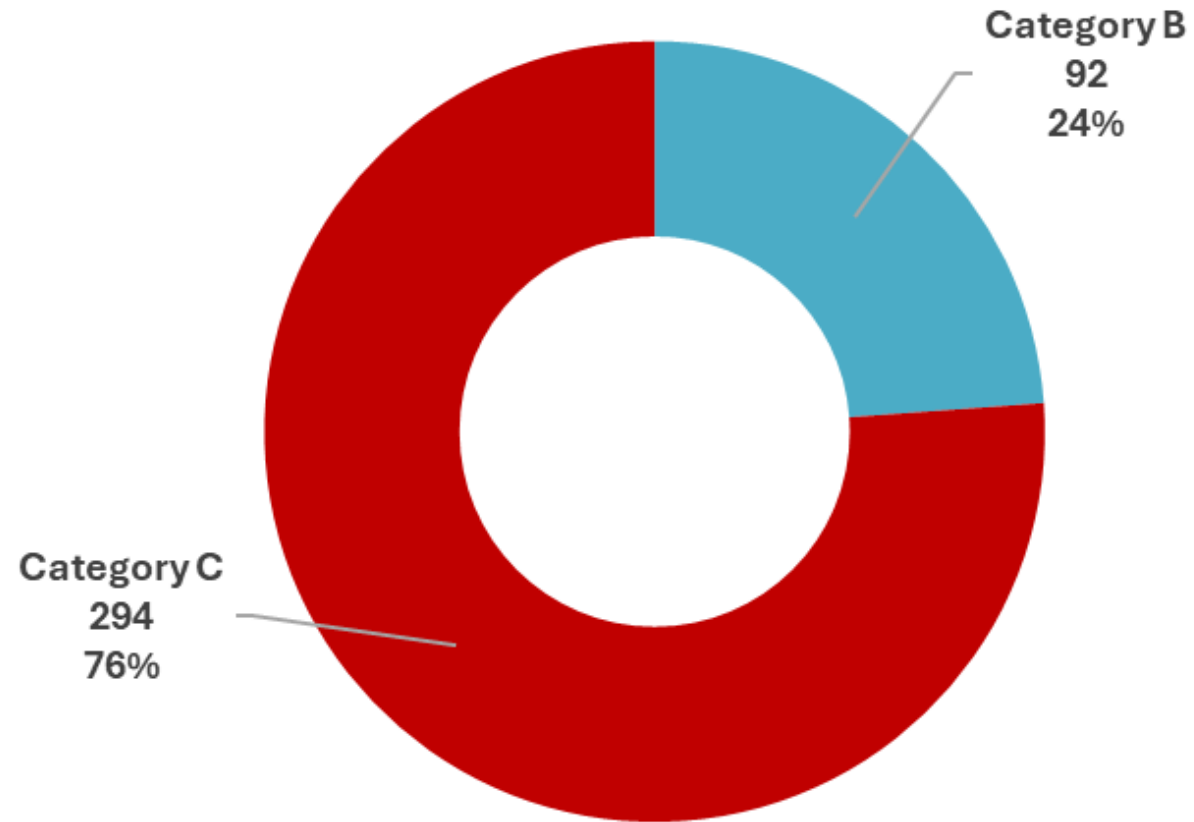
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Measures

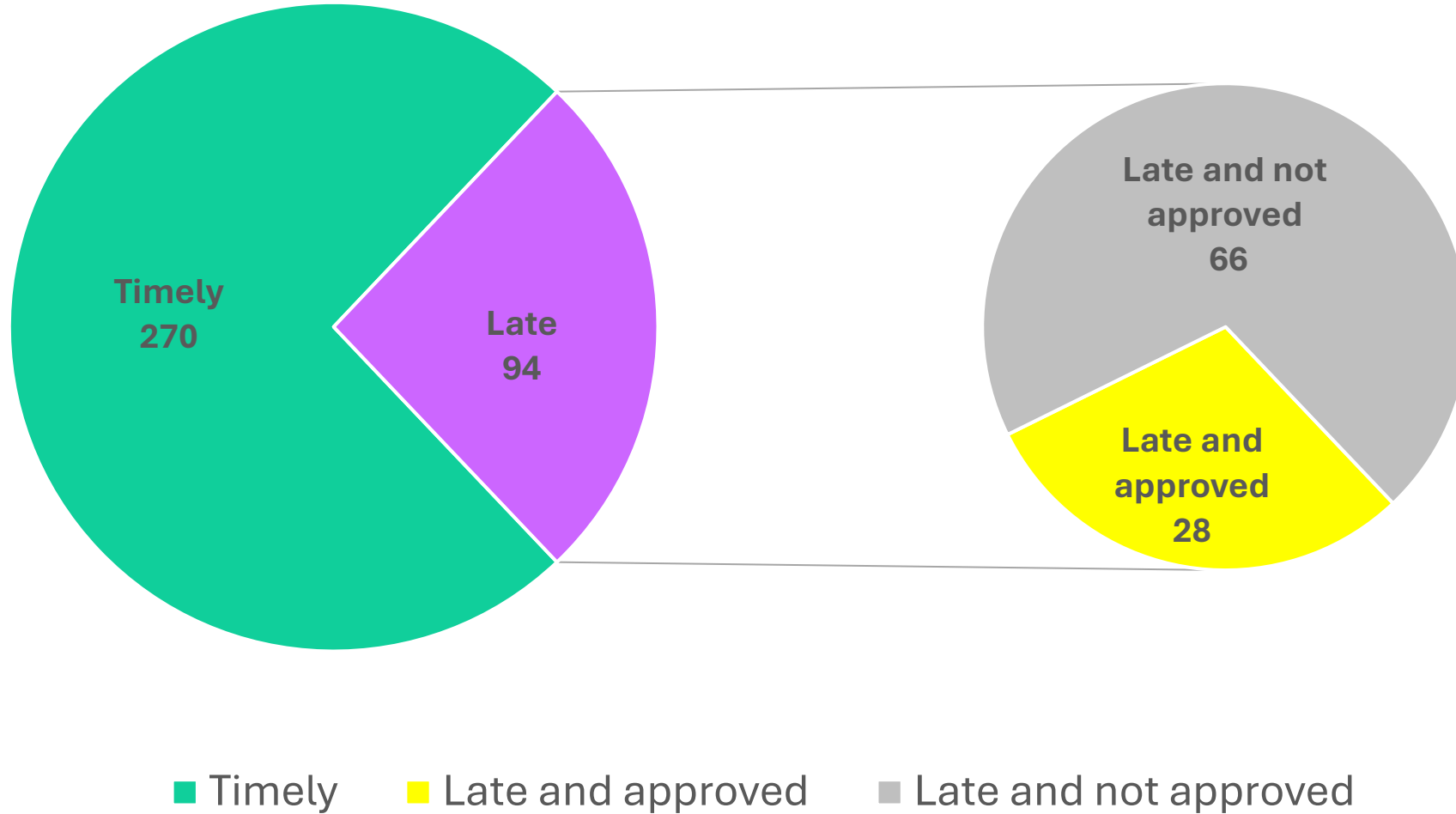


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Number of extension requests received,  
by measure and by category

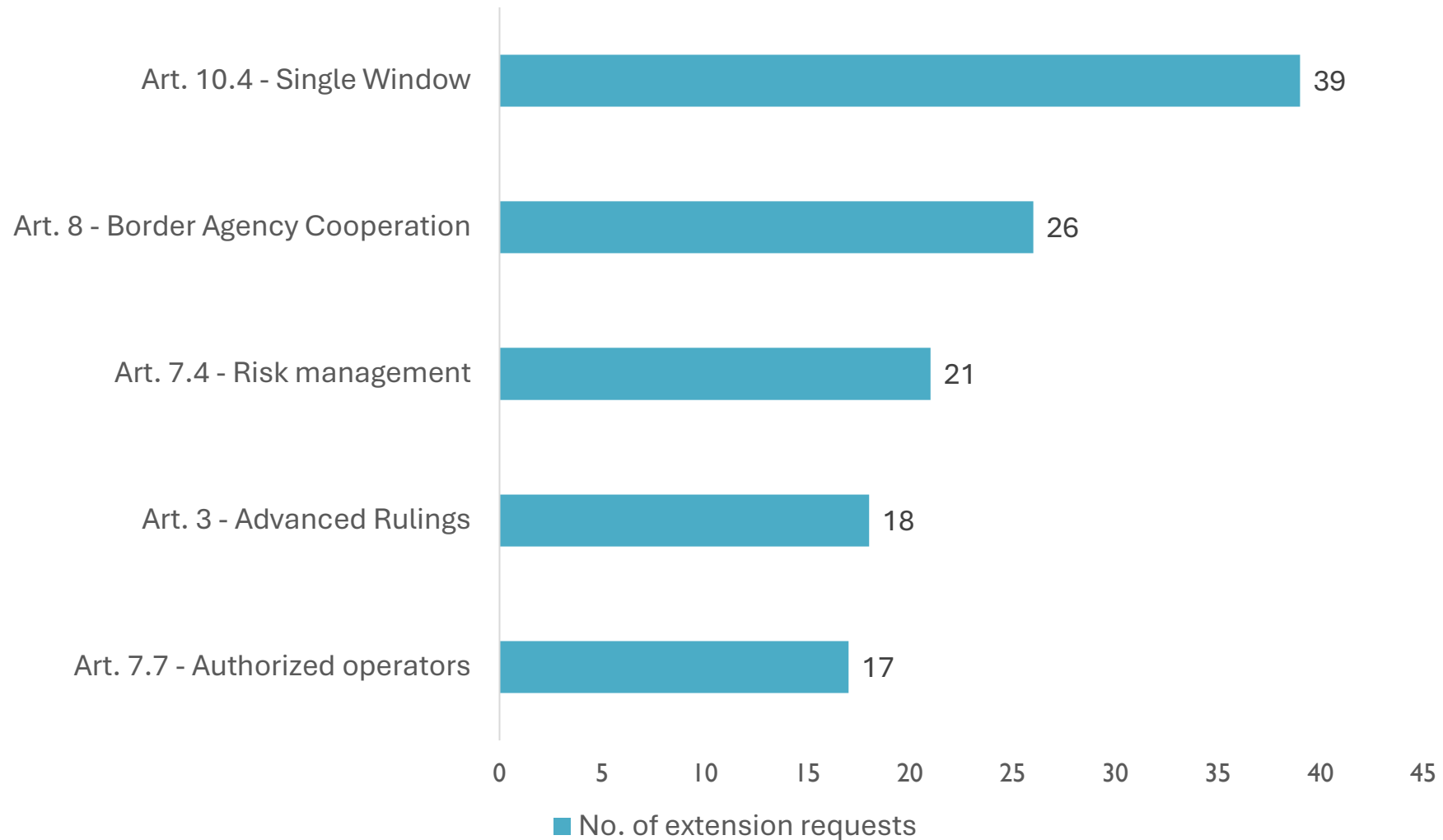


# Extension requests: timeliness and approval status\*



\*Excludes requests for extensions considered at today's meeting

## Top 5 measures with highest no. of extension requests



<https://tfadatabase.org/notifications/extension-of-implementation-dates>

# Notifications under Article 22

Technical Assistance  
and capacity building



**5 notifications** received since the last meeting:

## **Article 22.1-22.2** – donor notifications

European Union

[G/TFA/N/EU/2/Add.6](#)

United Kingdom

[G/TFA/N/GBR/7](#)

**Article 22.3** – contact points of developing and LDC Members  
for coordinating capacity building support

Angola

[G/TFA/N/AGO/2/Rev.1](#)

Liberia

[G/TFA/N/LBR/2/Rev.1](#)

Panama

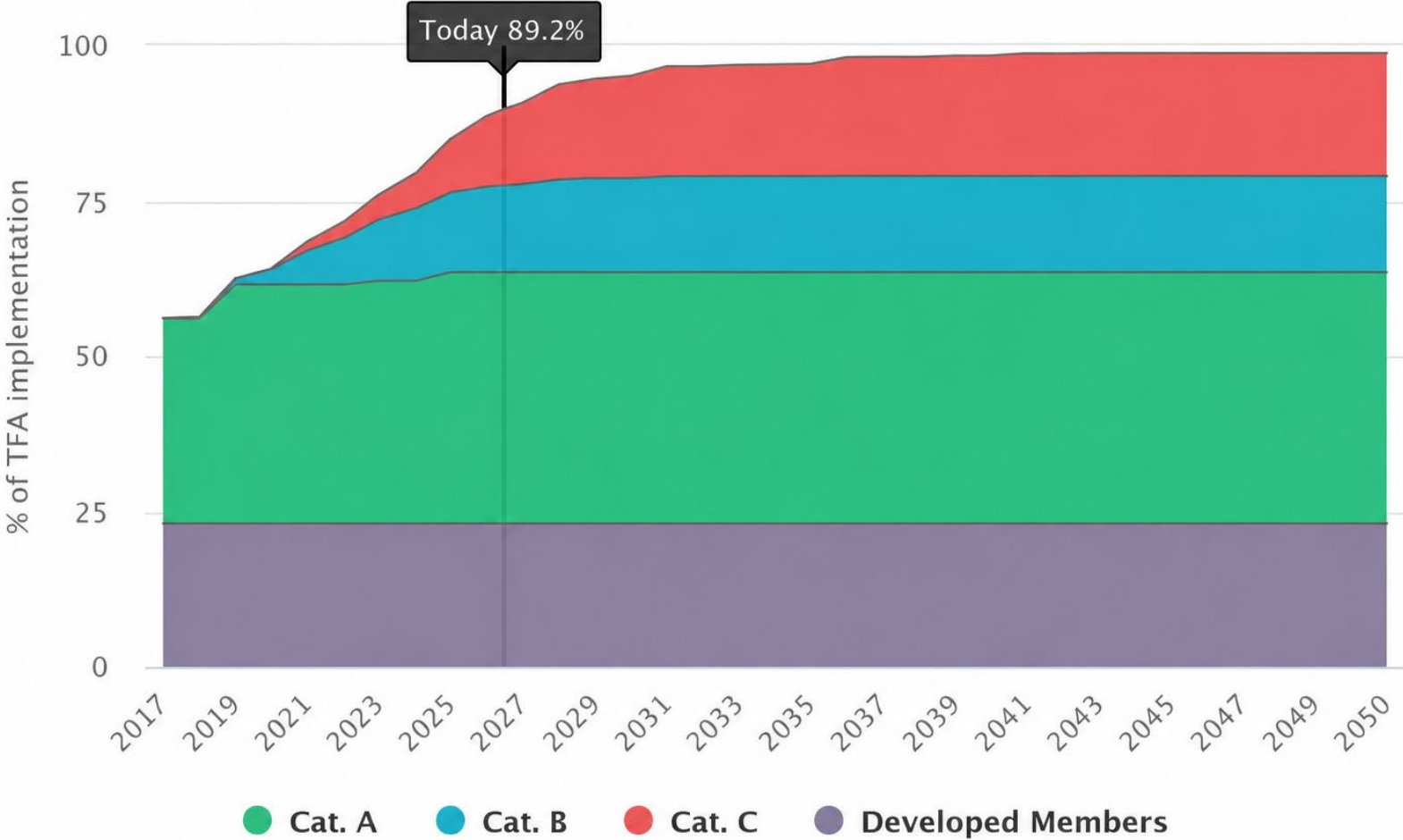
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# Overview of TFA implementation commitments



## Timeline of implementation commitments

Based on implementation commitments by all WTO Members over time



# Overview of TFA implementation commitments



## Progress on implementation commitments

### Trade Facilitation Agreement

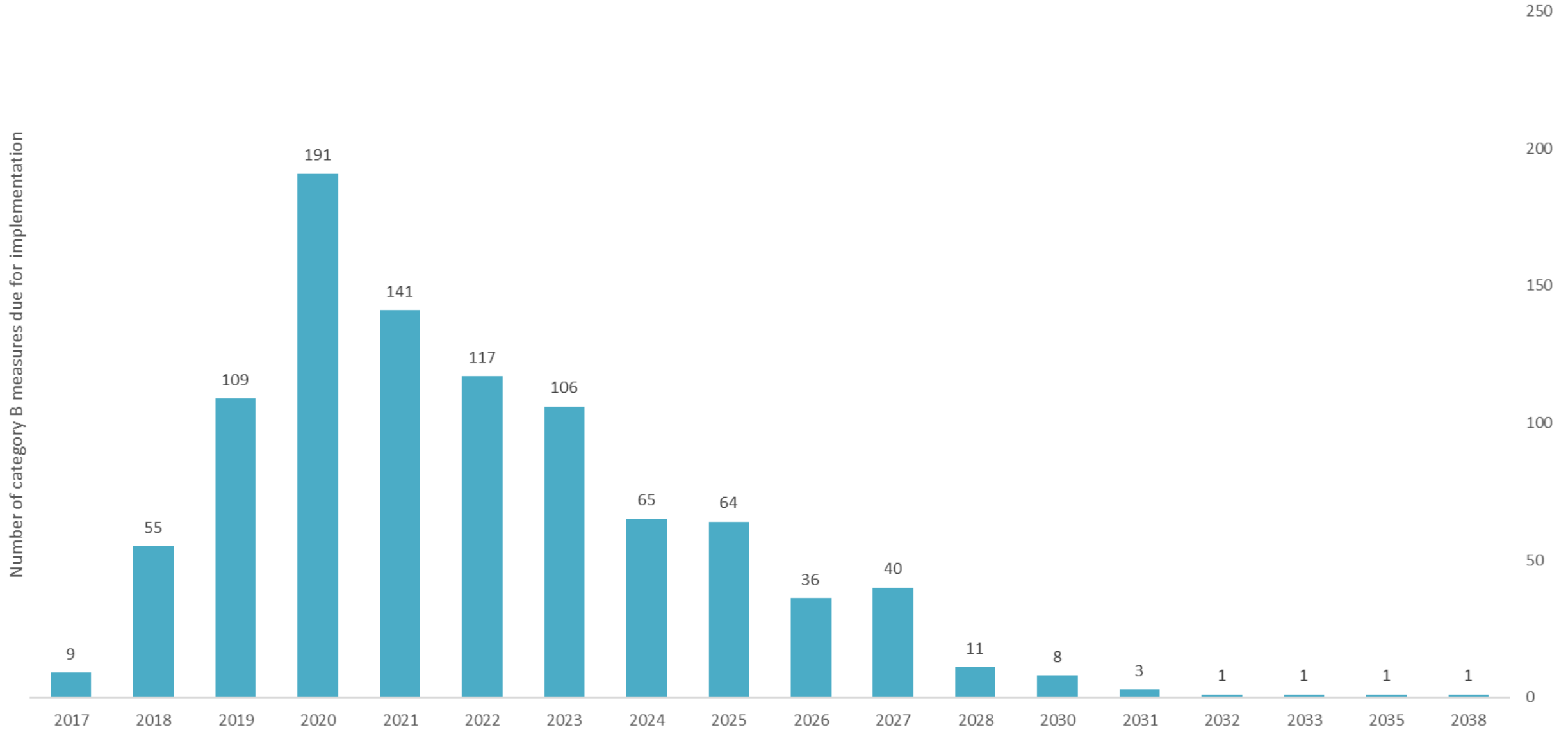


- Developed members
- Cat. A commitments for implementation to date
- Cat. B commitments for implementation to date
- Cat. C commitments for implementation to date

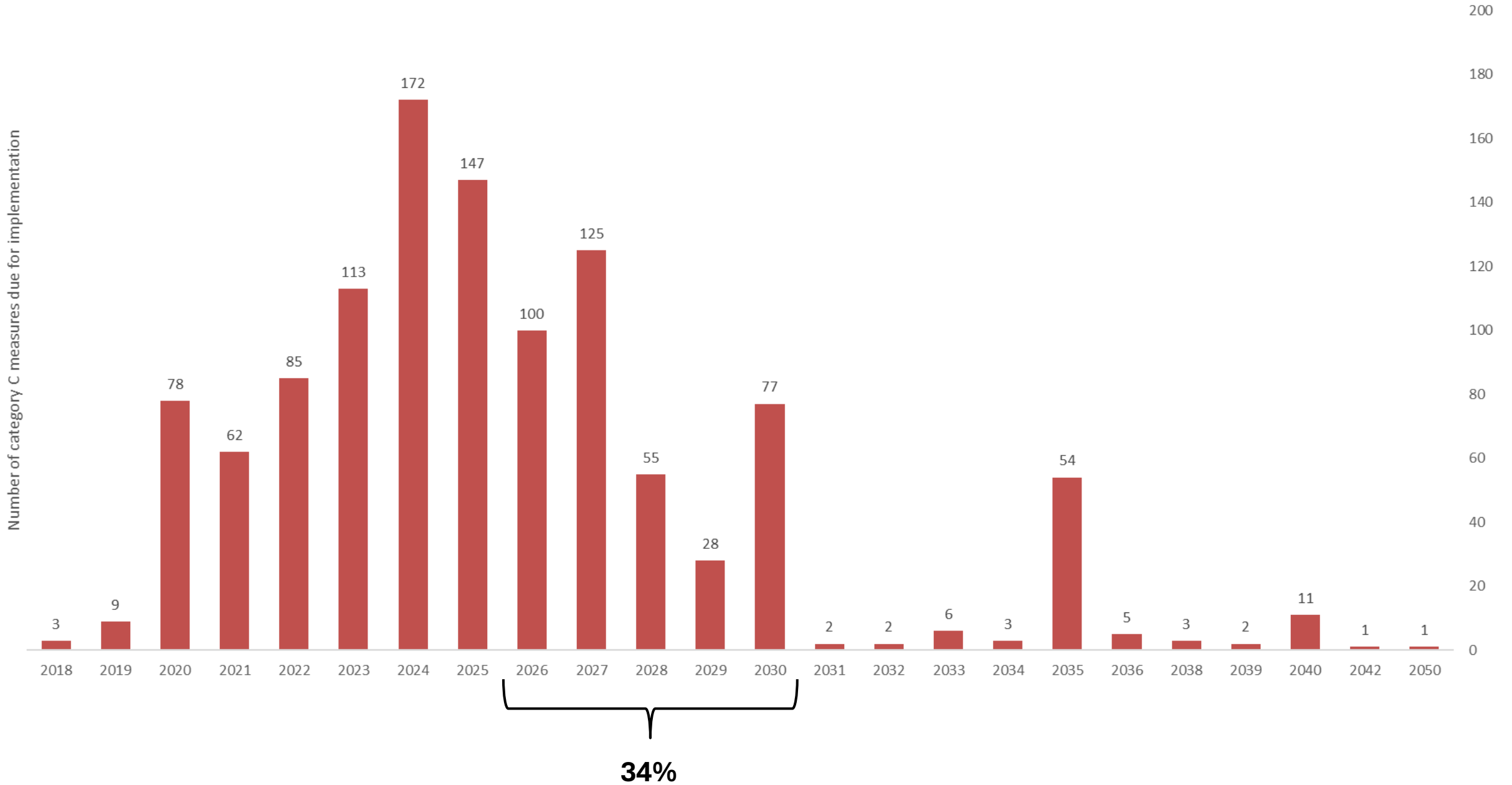
# Due implementation commitments



## No. of category B measures due to be implemented, yearly



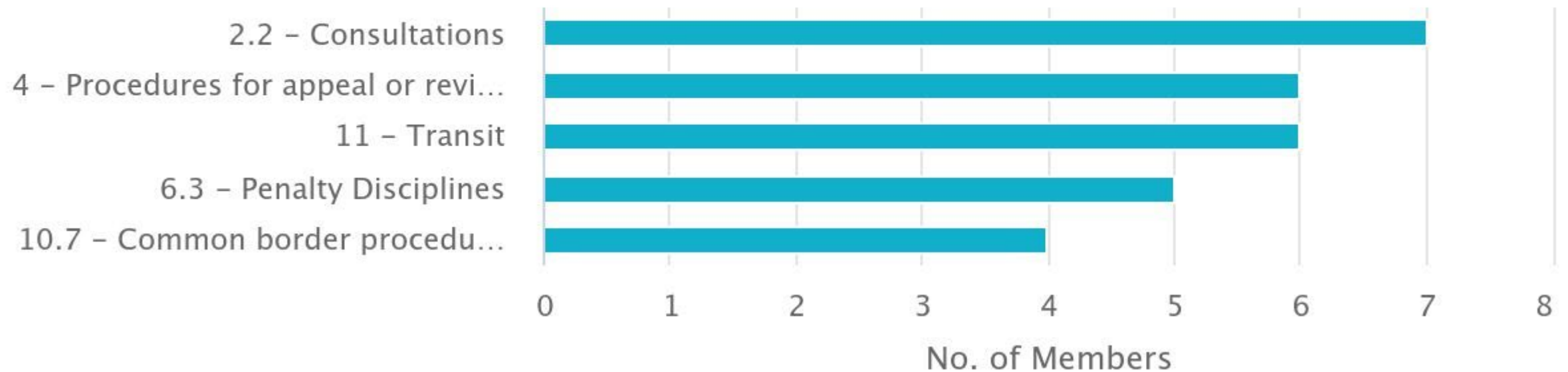
# No. of category C measures due to be implemented, yearly



# Top 5 **category B** measures due for implementation in **2026-2027**

## Top 5 measures due for implementation

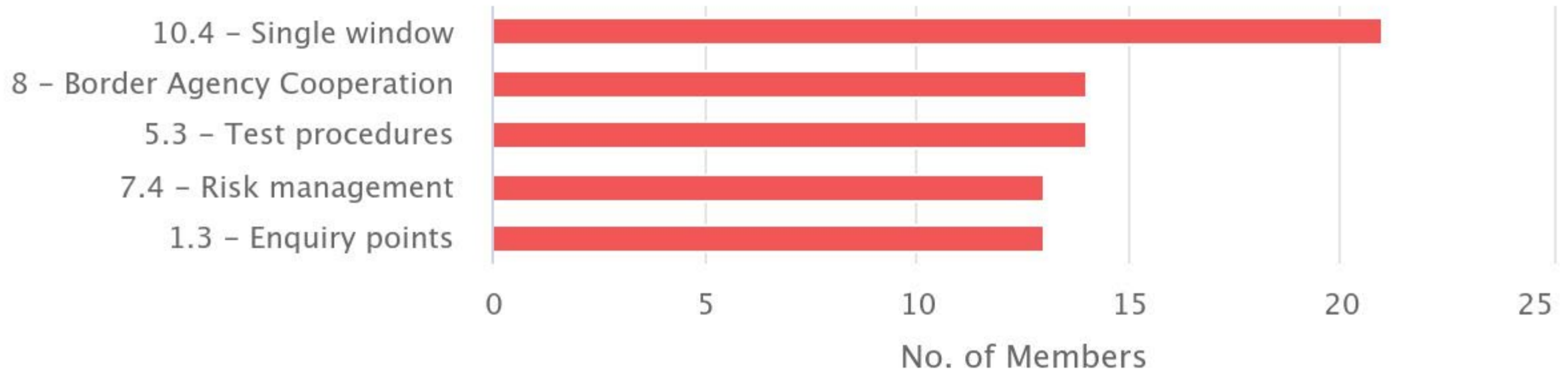
2026-2027



# Top 5 **category C** measures due for implementation in **2026-2027**

## Top 5 measures due for implementation

2026-2027



**TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT DEFINITIVE IMPLEMENTATION DATES COVERING THE PERIOD 1 JANUARY 2026 TO 31 DECEMBER 2027**

*Revision*

The following is a listing of the provisions of the Trade Facilitation Agreement that are scheduled for implementation for each Member over the upcoming two-year period from 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2027.<sup>1</sup> This document has no legal status and serves only to assist Members to keep track of their deadlines. As this information may be updated to reflect new notifications received and to account for decisions of the Committee, an online version with up-to-date information can also be consulted on this page:

<https://tfadatabase.org/implementation/commitments-due-by-date>.

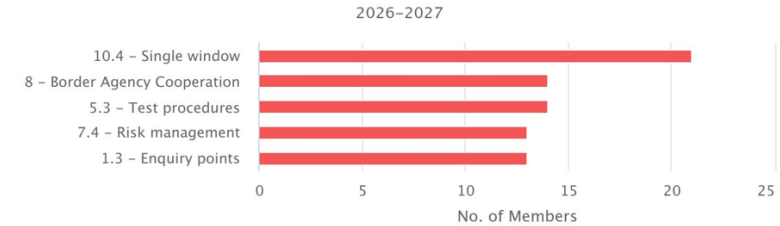
In line with the provisions of the Trade Facilitation Agreement, Article 17 outlines the process for requesting extensions of implementation deadlines. Specifically, developing Members may submit notifications for extensions of implementation dates no later than 120 days before the scheduled implementation date, whereas least-developed country (LDC) Members must submit such notifications no later than 90 days before the scheduled implementation date.

To further assist Members keeping track of their implementation deadlines, the TFA Database offers the option to subscribe to automatic email reminders of upcoming implementation dates, including deadlines for submitting extension requests. Concerned Members can activate this feature through their Member Profile page at <https://www.tfadatabase.org/en/members>.

<sup>1</sup> This document was updated on 4 December 2025 and is circulated by the Secretariat pursuant to a directive from the Committee on Trade Facilitation at its meeting of 22-23 April 2021.

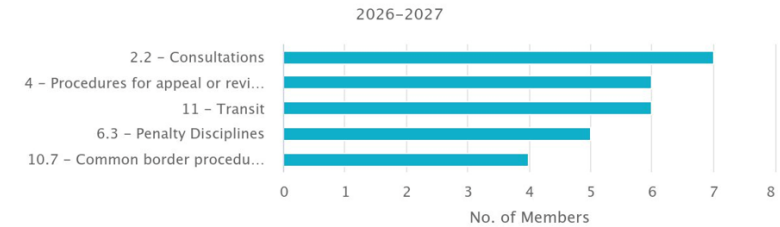
**54 Members have committed to implement 240 Category C measures in 2026-2027**

**Top 5 measures due for implementation**



**22 Members have committed to implement 78 Category B measures in 2026-2027**

**Top 5 measures due for implementation**



<https://tfadatabase.org/en/implementation/commitments-due-by-date>

**Afghanistan**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
4	Procedures for appeal or review	B	31 December 2027
6.3	Penalty Disciplines	B	31 December 2027
10.7	Common border procedures	B	31 December 2027
11.1, 11.2, 11.6, 11.12, 11.14, 11.15, 11.17	Transit	B	31 December 2027
12.1	Customs cooperation	B	31 December 2027

**Angola**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
1.2	Information available through internet	C	30 June 2026
2.2	Consultations	B	30 June 2026
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	C	30 June 2026
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	C	30 June 2026
7.4	Risk management	C	30 June 2026
8	Border Agency Cooperation	C	30 June 2026
10.3.1, 10.3.2	Use of international standards	B	30 June 2026
10.4	Single window	C	30 June 2027
10.6	Use of customs brokers	C	30 June 2026
10.7	Common border procedures	B	30 June 2026
11	Transit	B	30 June 2026

**Argentina**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
3.9 (a) (ii)	Advance rulings	B	23 January 2026
10.4	Single window	B	25 January 2026

**Bangladesh**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
1.3	Enquiry points	C	30 June 2026
7.4	Risk management	C	30 June 2026
7.5	Post-clearance audit	C	30 June 2026
7.8	Expedited shipments	C	30 June 2026
7.9	Perishable goods	C	30 June 2026
10.1.1 (a)	Formalities	C	30 June 2026

**Barbados**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	C	31 December 2026
7.5	Post-clearance audit	C	31 December 2027

**Belize**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	C	31 December 2026
7.2	Electronic payment	C	31 December 2026
10.4	Single window	C	31 December 2026

**Botswana**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
10.4	Single window	C	31 December 2027

**Burkina Faso**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	C	31 December 2026
5.3	Test procedures	C	31 December 2026
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	C	31 December 2026
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	C	31 December 2026
7.2	Electronic payment	C	31 December 2027
7.4	Risk management	C	31 December 2026
7.5	Post-clearance audit	C	31 December 2027
7.7	Authorized operators	C	31 December 2027
12	Customs cooperation	C	31 December 2026

**Burundi**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
1.1	Publication	C	31 December 2026
1.3	Enquiry points	C	31 December 2027
3	Advance rulings	C	31 December 2027
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	C	31 December 2027
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	C	31 December 2026
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	C	31 December 2027
7.6	Average release times	C	31 December 2027
10.1.1	Formalities	C	31 December 2027
10.3.1, 10.3.2	Use of international standards	C	31 December 2027

**Cabo Verde**

Article	Measure name	Category	Definitive implementation date
5.3	Test procedures	C	1 July 2026
7.7	Authorized operators	C	1 January 2027
10.1.1	Formalities	B	1 January 2026
10.4	Single window	C	1 July 2027



**Important:**  
Subscribe to automatic  
reminders of upcoming  
implementation dates



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<https://tfadatabase.org/en/members>

# How to sign up to automatic reminders on the TFA Database?

Go to **Member profiles**

Select the **Member** you wish to subscribe to reminders for

The screenshot shows the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement Database website. The header includes the WTO logo and navigation links: About us, NewsBytes, TFA Facility, FAQ, Contact us, and EN. The main navigation menu has tabs for IMPLEMENTATION, NOTIFICATION, PROFILES, TRADE INFO, TF COMMITTEE, and RESOURCES. The 'PROFILES' tab is active, and a dropdown menu is open, highlighting 'WTO Members'. Below the navigation, the page title is 'Member Profiles' with a breadcrumb 'Home / Member profiles'. A search bar is present with the text 'Search for a Member'. The main content area displays a list of member profiles organized by letter: A, B, H, I, J, Q, R, and S. Each letter has a list of member names below it. An arrow from the text 'Go to Member profiles' points to the 'PROFILES' tab, and another arrow from 'Select the Member you wish to subscribe to reminders for' points to the 'A' section of the member list.

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- Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
- Samoa
- Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of
- Senegal

# How to sign up to automatic reminders on the TFA Database?

Once on the Member page\*, go to **implementation schedule**



## Implementation schedule

- 13 Measures due for implementation in **2017-2023** →
- 15 Measures due for implementation in **2026-2027** →
- 8 Measures due for implementation in **2028-2035** →

[VIEW IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE](#)

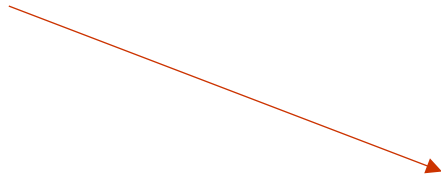
[Subscribe to reminders](#)

Click on **Subscribe to reminders**

\* If the selected Member has all implementation deadlines falling less than 6 months from the time of the subscription, the reminder functionality will not appear on the page

# How to sign up to automatic reminders on the TFA Database?

Fill out the **subscription form**



**Subscribe to reminders of upcoming implementation deadlines**

You can sign up to receive automatic reminders before a TFA measure is due to be implemented. The first reminder will be sent **9 months** before the due implementation date and will be followed by a second reminder **6 months** before the due date.

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Affiliation

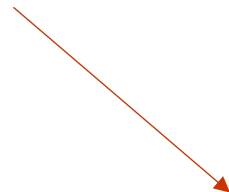
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You will receive an email asking you to **confirm the subscription**.

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From: TFA Database <[noreply@tfadatabase.org](mailto:noreply@tfadatabase.org)>  
Date: 14 June 2023 at 10:15:45 CEST  
To:  
Subject: Confirm subscription to receive automatic reminders

**Trade Facilitation Agreement Database**

Hello,

Please confirm that you wish to subscribe to receive automatic reminders 6 months before a TFA measure is due to be implemented.

[Confirm](#)

Should you not have requested this service, you can ignore this email.

Once confirmed, you will receive an email notifying you 6 months before the implementation date.

Thank you for using our application!

The WTO Trade Facilitation Committee team

*Disclaimer: this information does not constitute a legal interpretation of relevant provisions in the Agreement and serves only to assist WTO Members in keeping track of their notified definitive implementation dates.*



## First reminder:

**9 months** before the due implementation date



## Second reminder:

**6 months** before the due implementation date

The reminder will contain the deadline to present an **extension request**, if required

### TFA Database: reminder of upcoming implementation deadlines



TFA Database <noreply@tfadatabase.org>

To Alvarez de Cozar, Maria

Follow up. Start by 08 May 2023. Due by 08 May 2023.  
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## Trade Facilitation Agreement Database

### Reminder of upcoming implementation deadlines

The following measure(s) are 6 months away from their notified implementation date, the 31 December 2023:

#### Gabon

#### Article 7.5 - Post-clearance audit

**Deadline for [extension request](#), if required:**

2 September 2023

**Due implementation date:**

31 December 2023

**NEW**



## Third reminder:

**1 month** before the deadline to present an extension request under Article 17

TFA Database: Deadline to present an extension of implementation date(s)



TFA Database <noreply@tfadatabase.org>

To Alvarez de Cozar, Maria

Cc TFAD, WTO

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### Trade Facilitation Agreement Database

#### Deadline to present an extension of implementation date(s), if required

The deadline to submit a request to extend the implementation date(s) listed below under Article 17 of the TFA is **1 month away**.

The extension request template can be [downloaded here](#) If you have any questions or need assistance, please [contact us](#).

#### Angola

##### Article 11 - Transit

**Deadline for [extension request](#), if required:**

1 April 2026

**Due implementation date:**

30 June 2026



# The TFA Database at 10 years: a tool that has grown



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# The TFA Database at 10 years



Expanded data, functionalities and admin workflows in line with evolution of the TFA and Members' needs

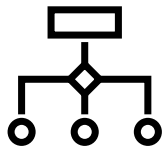


Technical growth: from 17,000 lines of code in 2016 to 130,000 in 2026



A technical upgrade is needed to ensure the tool remains reliable and easier to maintain

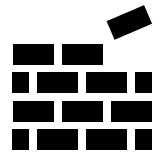
# Upgrade project: strengthening the foundations



Review data flows and architecture and identify what should be maintained, improved, simplified or retired



Improve navigation and presentation of information for users



Ensure the system is better prepared to accommodate future needs, subject to Members' guidance



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89.2%

Current implementation commitments →

53 MEMBERS

Have implemented 225 Category C measures in 2026-2027 →

21 MEMBERS

Have committed to implement 76 Category B measures in 2026-2027 →

52 MEMBERS

Have requested extensions of implementation dates →

23 MEMBERS

Have notified earlier implementation dates →

66 DONORS OR AGENCIES

Are providing technical assistance, as reported by beneficiary Members →

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**Thank you**

WTO Secretariat

10 June 2026



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