



WTO - COMMITTEE ON TRADE FACILITATION

DEDICATED SESSION ON TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND CAPACITY BUILDING

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We are a public private partnership for trade-led growth, supporting governments in developing and least developed countries in implementing the WTO Trade Facilitation Agreement (TFA).



WHAT WE DO

To deliver targeted and measurable trade facilitation reforms through public private partnership in developing countries



OUR PURPOSE

To drive economic growth and opportunity for everyone by boosting international trade



OUR VISION

A world where cross-border trade is simple, safe, and inclusive

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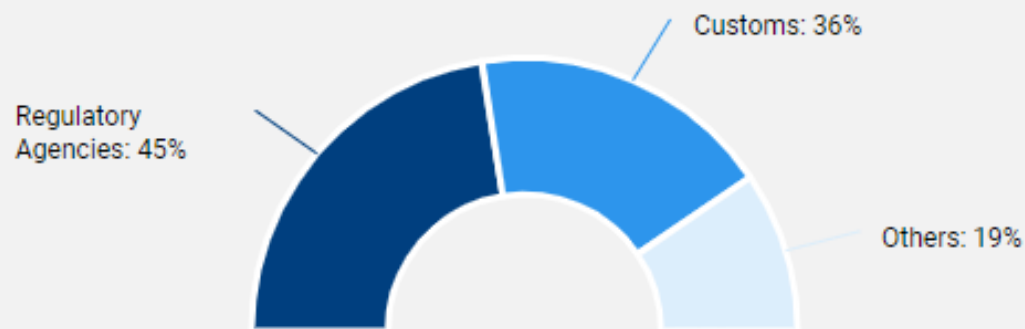
OUR NETWORK



Widespread Reach

46 projects in 33 countries

More than 50% of projects focus on digital transformation



Private Sector Engagement



More than **US\$15 million** contributed by the private sector through expertise. Contributions are evenly distributed among stakeholders, with approximately one-third coming from each.

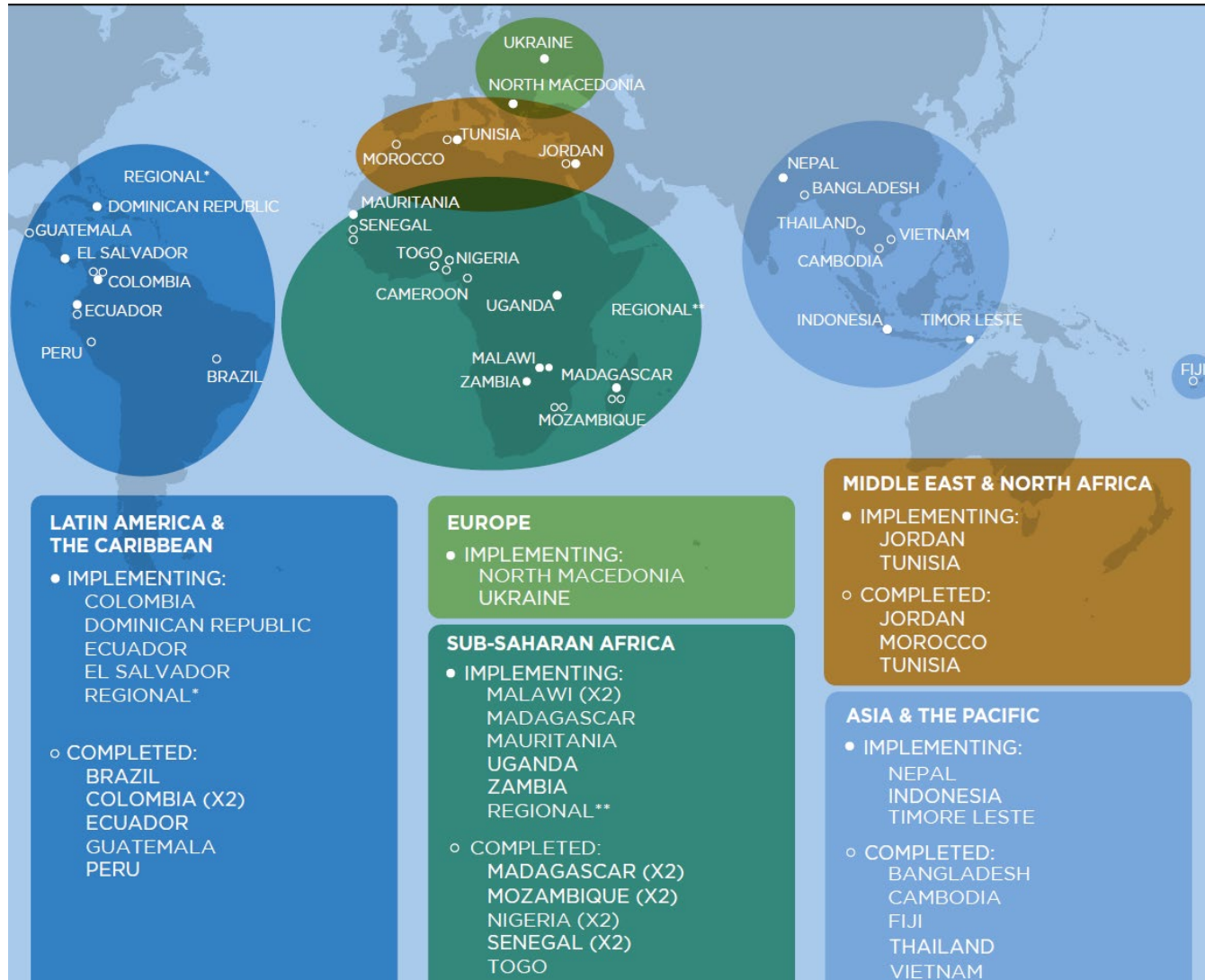
Proven Impacts

Over **US\$142 million** in savings generated to the economy.

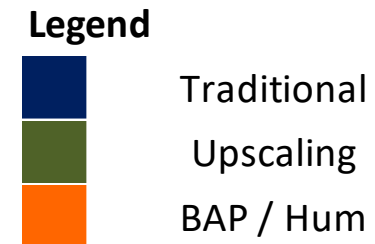
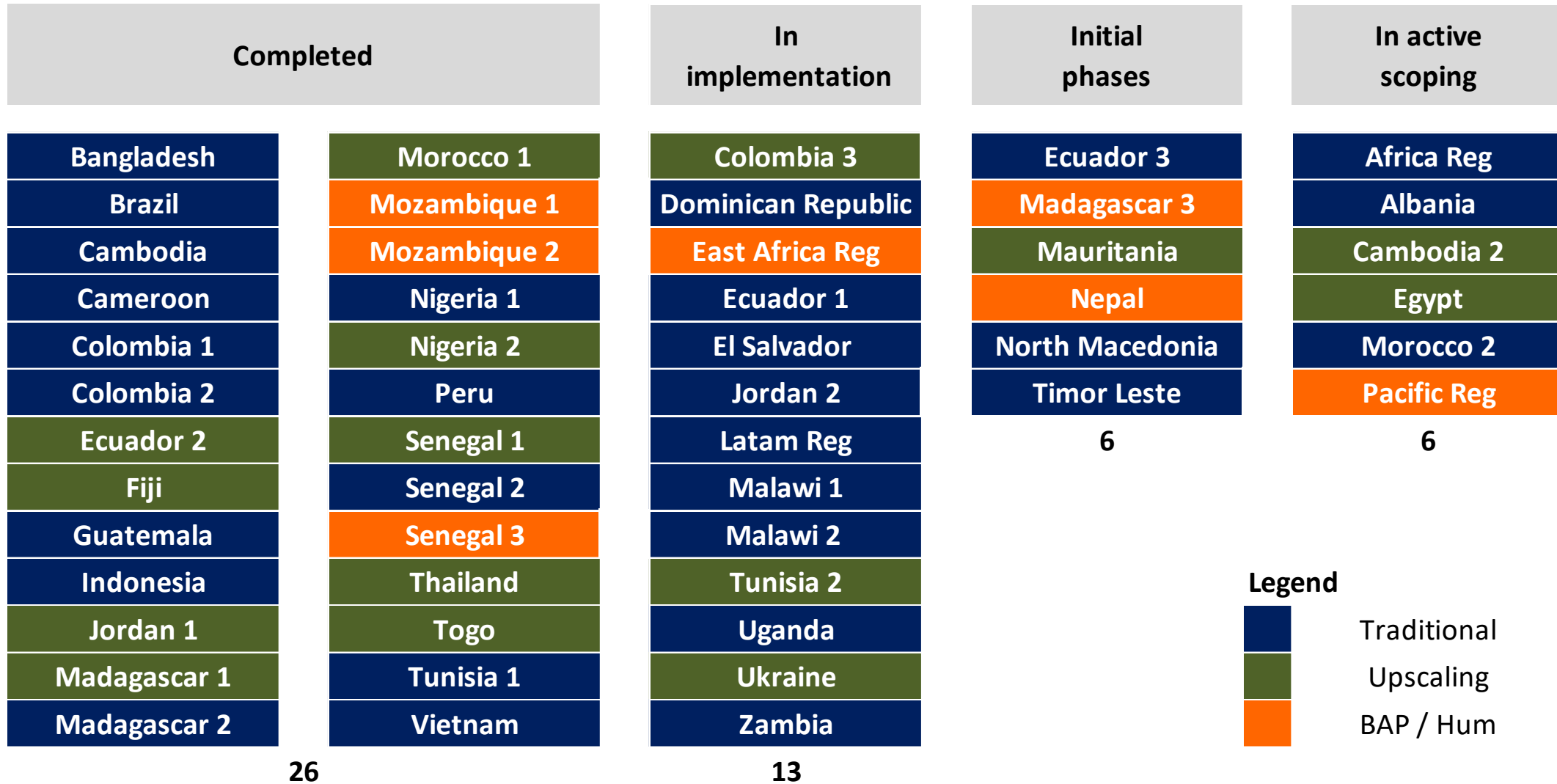
260% return on investment in trade facilitation.

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WHERE WE WORK



GLOBAL ALLIANCE FOR TRADE FACILITATION PROJECT STATUS



2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
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Number of projects per quarter **1 1 1** **1 1 1 1 1** **4 8 4 1 3 2** **2 2** **3 3** **40**

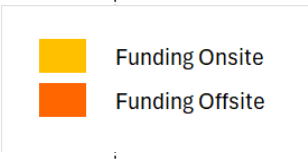
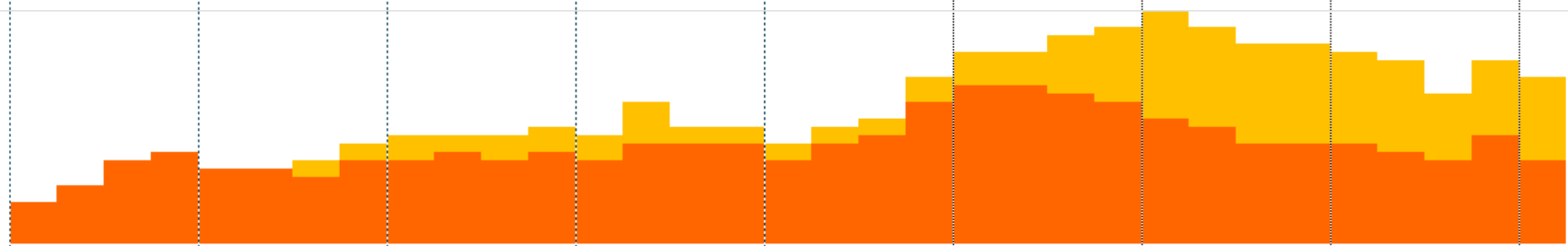
- ✚ Vietnam
- ✚ Colombia 1
- ✚ Colombia 2
- ✚ Brazil
- ✚ Morocco 1
- ✚ Zambia
- ✚ Malawi 1
- ✚ Latam

Startup phase →

Growth phase ↘

- ✚ Nigeria 1
- ✚ Tunisia 1
- ✚ Senegal 1
- ✚ Senegal 2
- ✚ Senegal 3
- ✚ Ecuador 1
- ✚ Madagsacar 1
- ✚ Madagsacar 2
- ✚ Jordan
- ✚ Ecuador 2
- ✚ Colombia 3
- ✚ Cambodia
- ✚ Uganda
- ✚ Peru
- ✚ Guatemala
- ✚ Mozambique
- ✚ Thailand
- ✚ Bangladesh
- ✚ Fiji
- ✚ Jordan 2
- ✚ Cameroon
- ✚ Indonesia
- ✚ Nigeria 2
- ✚ Ukraine
- ✚ Togo
- ✚ Tunisia 2
- ✚ Nigeria 2
- ✚ Dominican Rep
- ✚ Malawi 2
- ✚ Madagsacar 3
- ✚ El Salvador
- ✚ EAC
- ✚ North Macedonia

Consolidation phase →



Disaster-Resilient Borders

Scaling solutions from Madagascar to Timor-Leste to ensure better preparedness to potential disasters, maintaining clearance amid system disruptions.

Humanitarian Supply Chain

Expanding UNICEF partnership to streamline import processes for essential supplies in 10 countries, following Mozambique's success in reducing border processing times by 10 days.

Scaling SPS/ePhyto in Africa

Collaborating with IPPC, STDF, TMA, IAG, AU, AfCFTA to connect 80% of African countries to the ePhyto Hub, building on successful implementation in 12 countries.

Enabling Circular Economy

Partnering with Apple, AWS, and Cisco to digitalize the Basel Convention's PIC procedure for electronic waste, facilitating faster, safer recycling

Leveraging New Technologies

Collaborating towards the global adoption of TWIN through a collaboration with TradeMark Africa, IOE, TBI, and WEF to improve cross-border data exchange.




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