



Togo

Ratified Agreement: **Yes**

Ratification Date: **2015-10-01**

Implementation Notifications (Categories A, B, C)

	Due date	Status
Notified all category ABC designations	by 22 February 2018	Yes
A - 42.9% B - 32.8% C - 24.4% 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	Extension agreed until 31 December 2023	Yes
Notified Technical Assistance requirements	by 22 February 2019	Yes
Notified arrangements on the provision of technical assistance support	by 22 February 2021	No
Notified progress in the provision of technical assistance support	by 22 August 2022	No

Transparency notifications

Notified Art. 1.4	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2018	Yes
Notified Art. 10.4.3	Category B	Definitive implementation date 30 June 2025	Yes
Notified Art. 10.6.2	Category B	Definitive implementation date 31 December 2024	Yes
Notified Art. 12.2	Category A	Definitive implementation date 22 February 2018	Yes

Information on Assistance and Capacity Building

Notified Art. 22.3	No
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Legend: **Yes** Notification presented **No** Notification due **No** Notification not yet due

Implementation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
1.1	Publication	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
1.2	Information available through internet	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2030
1.3	Enquiry points	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
1.4	Notification	A		by 22 February 2018
2.1	Comments and information before entry into force	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
2.2	Consultations	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
3	Advance rulings	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
4	Procedures for appeal or review	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
5.1	Notifications for enhanced controls or inspections	A		by 22 February 2018
5.2	Detention	A		by 22 February 2018
5.3	Test procedures	A		by 22 February 2018
6.1	General disciplines on fees and charges	A		by 22 February 2018
6.2	Specific disciplines on fees and charges	A		by 22 February 2018
6.3	Penalty Disciplines	A		by 22 February 2018
7.1	Pre-arrival processing	A		by 22 February 2018
7.2	Electronic payment	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2030
7.3	Separation of release	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 31 December 2023
7.4	Risk management	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2030

Implementation schedule			Indicative implementation date	Definitive implementation date
7.5	Post-clearance audit	A		by 22 February 2018
7.6	Average release times	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2035
7.7	Authorized operators	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2035
7.8	Expedited shipments	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 31 December 2023
7.9	Perishable goods	A		by 22 February 2018
8	Border Agency Cooperation	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2035
9	Movement of goods	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
10.1	Formalities	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
10.2	Acceptance of copies	A		by 22 February 2018
10.3	Use of international standards	A		by 22 February 2018
10.4	Single window	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 30 June 2025
10.5	Preshipment inspection	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2030
10.6	Use of customs brokers	B E	by 12 November 2020	by 31 December 2024
10.7	Common border procedures	A		by 22 February 2018
10.8	Rejected Goods	A		by 22 February 2018
10.9	Temporary admission of goods and inward and outward processing	A		by 22 February 2018
11	Transit	C	by 30 November 2019	by 31 December 2038
12	Customs cooperation	A		by 22 February 2018

Legend

A	Notified in Cat. A	Ap	Partially notified in A		
B	Notified in Cat. B	Bp	Partially notified in B	C»B	Shift from C to B
C	Notified in Cat. C	Cp	Partially notified in C	B»C	Shift from B to C
N	Not yet notified	E	Extension of time requested		

Notifications and other documents

Symbol	Date	Description
G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.5	2023-12-22	Category C notification
G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.4	2023-09-21	Extension of implementation dates
G/TFA/W/92	2023-07-05	The role of technology transfer in building resilience: Trade Facilitation
G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.3	2022-08-12	Extension of implementation dates
G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.2	2022-08-10	Extension of time to notify Category C definitive dates
G/TFA/N/TGO/2	2021-04-13	Articles 1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2, 12.2.2
G/TFA/N/TGO/1/Add.1	2020-02-20	Category B notification
G/TFA/N/TGO/1	2017-12-13	Categories A, B and C notification

Experience Sharing

National Committee on Trade Facilitation

Date	Title
12 February 2019 - 13 February 2019	Togo's experience (in French)

11 - Transit

Date	Title
16 April 2024 - 17 April 2024	Digitalization of cross-border transit procedure: SIGMAT (Interconnected System for the Management of Goods in Transit)

Technical Assistance detailed information

1.2 Information available through internet



1.2.1 (a), (b), (c)
1.2.2
1.2.3

Indicative date of implementation

30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation

31 December 2030

Assistance required for implementation

- Development and implementation of policy guidelines on publication of trade related information.
- Timely review and update of trade related information on internet by the relevant agencies.
- Creation of a trade information portal.
- Institutional capacity building.

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



7.2

Indicative date of implementation

30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation

31 December 2030

Assistance required for implementation

- Preparation of the strategic document for the development of e-payment.
- Development of e-payment solutions (all banks).
- Establishment of technical and financial support measures in digital sectors relating to e-commerce (training, research).
- Enhancement of the GUCE's current functionalities.
- Establishment of e-commerce incubators or start-ups.
- Quality improvement of internet connection.

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

7.4.1
7.4.2
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7.4.4

Indicative date of implementation

30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation

31 December 2030

Assistance required for implementation

- Establishment and equipment of the risk management directorate.
- Training of risk management directorate personnel.

Tags: *Institutional procedures, Human resources and training*

7.6.1
7.6.2

Indicative date of implementation
30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation
31 December 2035

Assistance required for implementation

- Preparation of a study on average release times (guide to measure the average time required for the release of goods).

Tags: *Diagnostic and Needs Assessment*

	Indicative date of implementation	Definitive date of implementation
7.7.1		
7.7.2 (a) (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (i), (ii)	30 November 2019	31 December 2035
7.7.3 (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g)		
7.7.4		
7.7.5		
7.7.6		

Assistance required for implementation

- Establishment and strengthening of the Privileged Partnership Framework (CPP).
- Private-sector capacity building.
- Training of economic operators.
- Upgrading of operator capacity with a view to the CPP.

Tags: *Institutional procedures, Human resources and training*



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

Indicative date of implementation
30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation
31 December 2035

Assistance required for implementation

- Preparation of texts establishing and organizing joint controls and one-stop border post control.
- Creation of single windows with proper infrastructure facilities.
- Revision of current goods import, export or transit formalities and procedures at border crossings.
- Recruitment of a specialized firm to draw up the harmonized border procedures manual.
- Interconnection of other customs units (customs posts and brigades in the interior) with the customs systems.
- Training in and awareness-raising of new cooperation practices for border agency officials.

Tags: *Legislative and regulatory framework, Institutional procedures, Human resources and training*

10.5.1
10.5.2

Indicative date of implementation
30 November 2019

Definitive date of implementation
31 December 2030






Assistance required for implementation

- Training of customs officers in scanner management techniques.
- Transfer of competence (Cotec, Cotecna) to customs officers.
- Training of valuation and tariff division personnel.

Tags: *Institutional procedures, Human resources and training*

	Indicative date of implementation	Definitive date of implementation
11.1 (a), (b)	30 November 2019	31 December 2038
11.2		
11.3		
11.4		
11.5		
11.6 (a), (b)	Assistance required for implementation	
11.7	Analysis of an efficient transit system, with the building of:	
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11.10		
11.11		
11.12		
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11.14		
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11.16 (a), (b), (c)		
11.17	Tags: <i>Infrastructure and equipment, Diagnostic and Needs Assessment</i>	

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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