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Respondent (Country or Customs Territory)

Q2

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Q3

Does your national development strategy, policy or plan include trade priorities (i.e., Aid-for-Trade priorities)?

Yes,

Additional information on the trade (or Aid-for-Trade priorities) included in your national development strategy, policy or plan (or other trade-related policy document).: Home grown Economic reform & ten year (2020-2030) policies have aid for trade elements

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Q4

If yes, please highlight what these Aid-for-Trade priorities are: Below are listed the most common priority areas grouped according to broad Aid-for-Trade categories. Please rank the top priority areas among the ones listed below (1 being the most important).

Building productive capacity	4
Export diversification	2
Regional integration	1
Trade facilitation	5
WTO accession	3

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Q5 **Unsure**

Have your Aid-for-Trade priorities changed since 2019?

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Q6 **Respondent skipped this question**

If yes, please identify the top drivers of change in your Aid-for-Trade priorities from the list below: (Please select no more than 5 options from the areas listed below).

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Q7 **Same**

Has Aid for Trade become more or less important to your government since 2019?

Q8 **Yes**

Have these changes been reflected in your dialogue with development partners?

Q9 **Yes**

Do you have a specific national strategy, policy or plan for economic recovery post COVID-19 pandemic?

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Q10 **Agricultural sector, food production and supply chain support**

If yes, please indicate whether your strategy, policy or plan for economic recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic addresses any of the following areas: (You may tick more than one box).

Building productive capacity,

Job creation,

Industrial sector support

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Q11

Please provide names, titles, references or weblinks to policy documents relevant to Aid for Trade in your country.

Home grown economic reform

Ten year (2020-2030) development plan

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Q12

Yes

Is the environmental dimension of sustainable development reflected in your national policy document(s), plan(s) or strategy(ies)?

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Q13

National development strategy, policy or plan,

If yes, please indicate in which of your national strategy(ies), policy(ies) or plan(s) sustainable development is reflected:(You may tick more than one box).

National export strategy, policy or plan

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Q14

Affordable and Clean Energy (SDG 7),

Does your national development strategy, policy or plan explicitly target any of the following environment-specific goals? (You may tick more than one box).

Sustainable Production and Consumption (SDG 12)

Q15

Yes

Does your national sustainable development strategy, policy, or plan include trade objectives?

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Q16

Yes

If yes, do the trade objectives address the environmental dimension of sustainable development?

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Q17

Yes

Does your government have a national committee (or has coordination or dialogues across ministries and agencies) on sustainable development that includes the Ministry of Trade?

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Q18

Yes

If yes, does that national committee address the environmental dimension of sustainable development?

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Q19

Please identify the economic sector(s) that would gain the most in terms of economic and export diversification as a result of the move to sustainable development? (You may tick more than 1 box).

Agriculture,
Mining,
Industry

Q20

Please identify the sector(s) of your economy that may face the biggest challenge from the move to sustainable development. (You may tick more than 1 box).

Agriculture,
Mining,
Industry

Q21

In your view, what challenges constitute the main obstacles to the transition towards sustainable development in your country?(You may tick more than 1 box).

Dependence on a narrow basket of goods and services
,
Domestic political challenges (e.g., security and stability)
,
Economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic,
Existing transport infrastructure,
High trade costs,
Limited economic and export diversification,
Lack of technology and innovation enabling environment
,
Lack of technology transfer (including know-how)

Q22

Please highlight the main challenges that Aid for Trade should address to support a transition to sustainable development in your country? (You may tick more than 1 box)

Dependence on a narrow basket of goods and services
,
Economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic,
Existing transport infrastructure,
High trade costs,
Lack of data to support decision-making

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Q23**Unsure**

Do you have a circular economy strategy, policy, plan?

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Q24**Respondent skipped this question**

If yes, which economic sectors does the circular economy strategy, policy, or plan cover?(You may tick more than 1 box).

Q25**Respondent skipped this question**

If yes, does the circular economy strategy, policy, plan include trade objectives?

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Q26**No**

Is digital connectivity reflected as a priority in your national sustainable development strategy(ies), policy(ies), or plan(s)?

Q27**Yes,**

Do you have a national strategy, policy or plan for digital connectivity (including digital economy, e-commerce, etc.)?

Additional information on your national policy documents for digital connectivity. (Please include weblinks of the source used).:

It is in a preliminary stage We have the policy, proclamations but still the system is not Fully implemented

Q28

In which sectors could digital connectivity best support the transition to sustainable development in your country?(You may tick more than 1 box).

**Agriculture,
Industry,
Services****Q29**

Please identify which issues where digital connectivity would offer most promise in the move to sustainable development in your country?(You may tick more than one box).

**E-civil service,
E-commerce,
E-government,
E-logistics**

Q30

No

Is there an existing Aid-for-Trade project for digital connectivity towards sustainable development and/or environmentally sustainable growth (or circular economy) that you want to showcase as an example of best practice?

Q31

Yes

Do you agree that the COVID-19 pandemic has acted as an accelerator for the move to digital economy in your country ?

Q32

In which areas has the COVID-19 pandemic exposed shortcomings in national digital connectivity?(You may tick more than one box).

- Inadequate network infrastructure including broadband capacity**
 - Insufficient or uneven internet coverage,**
 - Poor access to internet services,**
 - Poor digital skills and IT literacy**
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Q33

Looking ahead, in which sectors do you think future Aid-for-Trade support to your country should focus so as to support sustainable development objectives? (You may tick more than 1 box).

- Agriculture,**
 - Mining,**
 - Industry,**
 - Services**
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Q34

Looking ahead, in which categories of Aid for Trade do you think support should be focused so as to advance the environmental dimension of sustainable development?(You may tick more than 1 box).

Trade policy and administrative management,

Trade facilitation,

Regional trade agreements (RTAs),

Multilateral trade negotiations,

(a) Trade policy and regulations (Including training of trade officials, analysis of proposals and positions and their impact, support for national stakeholders to articulate commercial interest and identify trade-offs, dispute issues, institutional and technical support to facilitate implementation of trade agreements and to adapt to and comply with rules and standards)

,

Transport and storage infrastructure,

Communications infrastructure,

Building productive capacity,

Agriculture,

Industry,

Mineral resources and mining

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Q35

Which donor(s) are the most important for Aid-for-Trade financing for the environmental dimension of sustainable development in your country? (You may tick more than 1 box).

African Development Bank (AfDB),

EU Institutions,

International Monetary Fund (IMF),

World Bank,

World Trade Organization (WTO)

Q36

Which South-South partner(s) are the most important source of Aid-for-Trade financing for the environmental dimension of sustainable development?(You may tick more than 1 box).

Unsure

Q37

Have you received Aid-for-Trade financing as part of triangular co-operation projects?

Unsure

Q38

Is there an Aid-for-Trade project or programme for sustainable trade or development, green growth or circular economy that you want to showcase as an example of best practice?

Respondent skipped this question

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Q39 **Yes**

Do you implement policies that address the environmental dimension of sustainable development while also supporting progress on gender equality and/or women's economic empowerment?

Q40 **Yes**

Do you implement Aid-for-Trade projects that combine the objectives of women's economic empowerment and environmentally sustainable development?

Q41 **Respondent skipped this question**

Any other information you wish to share? (e.g., where support for sustainable trade or development is needed).

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Q42 **Yes**

Is women's economic empowerment included as an objective in any of your national strategy(ies), policy(ies) or plan(s)?

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Q43 **National development strategy, policy or plan,**

If yes, please indicate the strategy, policy, or plan in which women's economic empowerment is included: (You may tick more than one box).

National export strategy, policy or plan

Q44 **Yes**

Do the strategy(ies), policy(ies) or plan(s) that you have identified seek to ensure non-discrimination with respect to conditions of employment or occupation (including through the provision of flexible work arrangements)?

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Q45 **Yes**

Does your government collect data on women's economic empowerment in relation to trade and development?

Q46

In your view, what trade and development constraints do women face in your country?(You may tick more than one box).

Difficult working conditions,
Discriminatory practices,
Gender pay gap,
Occupational segregation

Q47

Can Aid for Trade play a role in addressing these constraints?

Yes

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Q48

Have you requested Aid for Trade to finance projects for women's economic empowerment in your country during the period 2015-2020?

Yes

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Q49

If yes, please provide further information on the donors, South-South or triangular cooperation partners that have supported your Aid-for-Trade programmes on women's economic empowerment.

Number of total projects implemented in the period 2015-2020

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Q50

Please specify the areas that your Aid-for-Trade projects for women's economic empowerment sought to address:(You may tick more than one box).

Developing training programmes,
Capacity-strengthening initiatives,
Facilitating access to digital technologies and e-commerce platforms
 ,
Supporting women's entrepreneurship

Q51

Have public-private partnerships been used to achieve your Aid-for-Trade objectives in relation to women's economic empowerment?

Unsure**Q52**

Does Aid for Trade help to mobilize funds for women's economic empowerment?

Yes

Q53

Yes

Are your Aid-for-Trade projects involving women's economic empowerment underpinned by a monitoring and evaluation/ results framework?

Q54

Yes

Does the Aid-for-Trade support for women's economic empowerment that you receive align with your trade priorities and objectives?

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Q55

Yes

Do women face particular difficulties in accessing digital technologies in your country?

Q56

High cost of device (e.g., mobile phone),
Inadequate network infrastructure,
Limited internet connectivity

Please identify the top 5 barriers that prevent women from accessing digital technology in your country:(You may tick a maximum of 5 boxes).

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Agriculture,
Mining,
Industry,
Services

Looking ahead, in which trade sectors do you think future support for women's economic empowerment should be focussed?(You may tick more than 1 box).

Q58

Trade facilitation,
Regional trade agreements (RTAs),
Trade education/training,
Building productive capacity,
Agriculture,
Industry,
Mineral resources and mining

Looking ahead, in which Aid-for-Trade categories do you think future support for women's economic empowerment should be focussed?(You may tick more than 1 box).

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Respondent skipped this question

You may use the box below to elaborate on how you think that Aid for Trade can advance women's economic empowerment.

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