Status of Ratification & Notification Process
Update by the WTO Secretariat

TF Committee 9–11 October 2018

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Ratification news

THE ONLY WAY IS UP

Notifications

Implementation notifications
WTO Members with submitted notifications

114  71  60

Transparency notifications

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TACB notifications

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Ratification news

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Ratification levels for DCs & LDCs

![Graph showing ratification levels for DCs & LDCs](image-url)
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Implementation notifications

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Share of Categories A, B, C

Based on % of all notifiable items

A – 47.7%  B – 11.7%  C – 15.8%  Not yet notified – 24.8%
Share of Categories A, B, C by region

Based on % of all notifiable article items

- Africa
- Asia & the Pacific
- Commonwealth of Independent States
- Europe
- Latin America & The Caribbean
- Middle East

%
Notification status: DCs

- **Green**: Have notified ALL designations
- **Blue**: Have SOME designations still to be notified
- **Red**: Have not yet notified ANY designation

- 60 (68%) have notified ALL designations
- 26 (29%) have SOME designations still to be notified
- 3 (3%) have not yet notified ANY designation
Notification status: LDCs

- Green: Have notified ALL designations
- Blue: Have SOME designations still to be notified
- Red: Have not yet notified ANY designation

- 21 (58%)
- 7 (20%)
- 8 (22%)
Notification status: DCs that already ratified

- **Green**: Have notified ALL designations
- **Blue**: Have SOME designations still to be notified

- **Green**
  - 57
  - 75%

- **Blue**
  - 19
  - 25%
Rate of implementation commitments

Developed Members: 100.0%  Developing Members: 59.6%  LDCs: 22.3%
Implementation dates
TACB needs
TACB notifications from DCs

- Have notified TACB requirements for ALL designations: 38 (97%)
- Have notified TACB requirements for SOME designations: 1 (3%)
TACB Notifications from LDCs

- 19 (90%) have notified TACB requirements for ALL designations
- 2 (10%) have not notified any TACB requirements
Type of technical assistance requested

- To be determined
- Human resources and training
- Legislative and regulatory framework
- Information and communication
- Institutional procedures
- Infrastructure and equipment
- Diagnostic and Needs Assessment
- Awareness-raising
- Various

Share of technical assistance requested
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TFAD (Trade Facilitation Agreement Database) www.tfadatabase.org

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## Transparency notifications

### Filters
- **Notification type**
  - 1.4
  - 10.4.3
  - 10.6.2
  - 12.2.2

### Grouping
- **Select option**

### Region
- **Select option**

### Search
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TACB notifications

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