



GIZ's Central Asia Trade Facilitation Program

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- **Implementation timelines:** 01.2017 - 12.2019
- **Countries:** Kazakhstan, Tajikistan,
Kyrgyzstan, Uzbekistan
- **Goal:**

Provide benefits to Central Asia's traders from regional measures to reduce costs through trade facilitation



Program's Components

✓ **Output A:**
*Practical
implementation of
RMS by customs*

1. Risk
management
system in
customs
agencies

2. Transport
and transit

Output B:
*Simplification of
selected procedures for
отдельных процедур
cross-border transport
and transit*

✓ **Output C:**
*Private sector 's proposals
on trade facilitation are
addresses under the NTFC*

3. Trade facilitation
based on the private
sector needs



Component 1. Risk management system in customs agencies

- Support to improve the legal framework and the organizational structure
- Support to improve the risk management system's methodology and tools
- Support to enhance information systems
- Introduction/improvement of the methodology to categorize traders
- Customs officials' capacity building



Component 2. Transport and transit

- Support in developing and improving the customs guarantee system
- Support in using the system of advance information
- Support in developing forwarding services in the region
- Support in improving coordinated border management
- Support in developing the institute of Authorized Economic Operators in the region
- Support to the regional dialogue



Component 3. Trade facilitation based on private sector needs

- 1) Support to the National Trade Facilitation Committees or other organizations representing businesses' interests
- 2) Round tables with private sector representatives to explain changes in legislation related to trade facilitation
- 3) Organization of a dialogue between representatives of public and private sectors to look for common solutions to issues related to trade facilitation



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