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**COUNTER-MEASURES TO SUSTAIN TRADE FACILITATION DURING AND
AFTER COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN THE OIC MEMBER COUNTRIES**

Trade Facilitation Measures in OIC Countries
Expert View Survey Results



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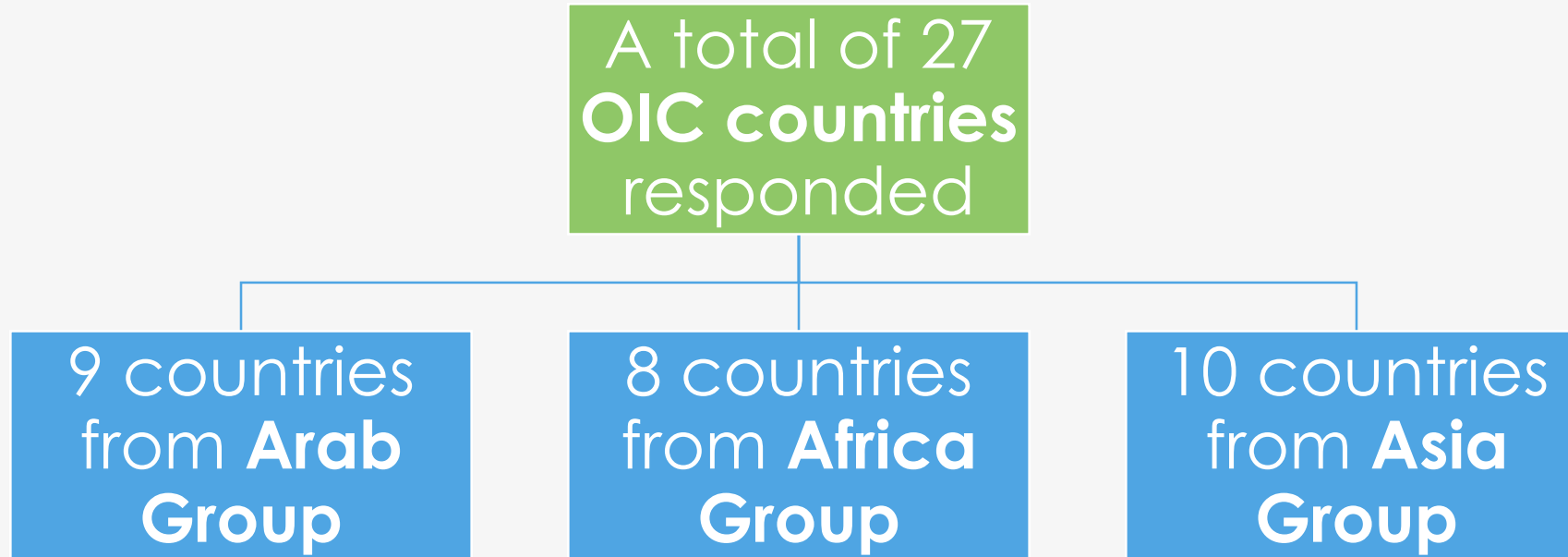
► Online Survey

- ❖ The Questionnaire was prepared in 4 languages:



- ❖ E-mail requests for their participation in the Survey were sent to a total of 1995 stakeholders' / key informants' addresses in;
 - A total of 49 OIC Countries registered with the COMCEC Trade Working Group,
 - 981 in 20 Arab Group countries,
 - 507 in Africa Group countries and
 - 507 in Asia Group countries

► Online Survey



► Effects of COVID-19 on Trade and Customs

	I Key Criteria for Trade Facilitation Activity	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5
DOMAINS	A. Effects of Covid -19 on Trade and Customs	A score of 4 or higher out of 5	A score between 3 and 4 out of 5	A score between 2 and 3 out of 5	A score between 1 and 2 out of 5	A score less than 1 out of 5
	B. Institutions and Capacity Building					
	C. Trade Facilitation-Procedures					
	D. Transparency and Cooperation-Coordination Enforcement					
	E. Specific Trade Facilitation Measures for Covid - 19 period					
	F. Trade Facilitation Measures for post Covid -19 period					

► Overall Tier Placement

II	Overall Tier Placement	
	Tier 1	5 or more Tier 1 placements out of 6 or at least 4 Tier 1 placement and 2 Tier 2 placements across domains A to F
	Tier 2	5 placements out of 6 higher than or equal to Tier 2 or 4 Tier 2 placement and 2 Tier 3 placements across domains A to F
	Tier 3	4 placements out of 6 higher than or equal to Tier 3 or 3 Tier 3 placement and 3 Tier 4 placements across domains A to F
	Tier 4	3 placements out of 6 higher than or equal to Tier 4 or 3 Tier 4 placement and 3 Tier 5 placements across domains A to F
	Tier 5	3 or more Tier 5 placements out of 6 across areas A to F. Tier 5 placement has priority over all others

► Tier Placements

Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5
Turkey	Afghanistan	Azerbaijan	Burkina Faso	Chad
Morocco	Algeria	Brunei	Mali	Lebanon
	Bahrain	Indonesia	Niger	Tunisia
	Bangladesh	Iran	Uganda	
	Cameroon	Iraq		
	Kyrgyzstan	Jordan		
	Libya	Malaysia		
		Maldives		
		Nigeria		
		Senegal		
		Sudan		

► Non-Participating Countries

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Benin	Mozambique
Comoros	Pakistan
Djibouti	Palestine
Egypt	Qatar
Gabon	Saudi Arabia
Gambia	Sierra Leone
Guinea	Somalia
Ivory Coast	Sultanate of Oman
Kazakhstan	Suriname
Kuwait	Togo
Mauritania	Yemen

▶ Rankings

No	Country	Score A	Score B	Score C	Score D	Score E	Score F	Avg. Score	PCA Score	Rank	Tier Class
1	Turkey	4.00	3.00	4.50	4.43	4.58	4.00	4.09	5.00	1	Tier 1
2	Morocco	3.33	4.18	4.89	4.14	4.17	3.63	4.06	4.96	2	Tier 1
3	Kyrgyzstan	1.50	3.32	4.50	4.50	4.17	4.56	3.76	4.55	3	Tier 2
4	Bahrain	3.83	2.50	4.00	3.71	5.00	3.75	3.80	4.52	4	Tier 2
5	Indonesia	1.92	2.52	4.56	5.00	3.54	4.16	3.62	4.39	5	Tier 3
6	Afghanistan	3.67	0.14	4.00	4.43	5.00	5.00	3.71	4.38	6	Tier 2
7	Algeria	3.50	2.45	3.56	4.00	5.00	3.25	3.63	4.33	7	Tier 2
8	Cameroon	2.33	3.00	4.00	4.00	5.00	3.00	3.56	4.23	8	Tier 2
9	Jordan	2.17	2.82	4.72	5.00	2.92	2.50	3.35	4.05	9	Tier 3
10	Nigeria	1.83	3.32	2.83	3.93	3.75	4.50	3.36	4.00	10	Tier 3
11	Iraq	2.67	2.64	1.11	3.43	5.00	5.00	3.31	3.89	11	Tier 3
12	Malaysia	3.00	3.09	3.89	4.29	1.67	2.75	3.11	3.69	12	Tier 3
13	Azerbaijan	2.00	2.09	4.71	3.77	3.00	3.23	3.13	3.58	13	Tier 3
14	Libya	2.67	2.27	3.67	3.43	3.33	3.00	3.06	3.49	14	Tier 2
15	Bangladesh	2.50	2.00	3.61	3.29	3.33	3.56	3.05	3.44	15	Tier 2
16	Senegal	1.80	1.95	3.78	2.94	2.17	3.10	2.62	2.82	16	Tier 3
17	Sudan	1.67	1.27	4.00	3.00	2.50	3.25	2.61	2.78	17	Tier 3
18	Iran	0.00	2.18	3.67	3.57	2.50	3.25	2.53	2.75	18	Tier 3
19	Brunei Darussalam	1.67	1.82	3.22	3.29	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.70	19	Tier 3
20	Maldives	2.17	1.86	3.61	3.57	0.83	2.25	2.38	2.58	20	Tier 3
21	Niger	1.00	2.55	1.56	3.71	3.33	1.38	2.25	2.48	21	Tier 4
22	Mali	1.67	1.36	2.22	2.14	1.67	4.50	2.26	2.25	22	Tier 4
23	Lebanon	3.33	0.73	3.22	3.14	0.00	0.00	1.74	1.65	23	Tier 5
24	Uganda	1.67	0.73	3.22	1.43	0.83	2.75	1.77	1.47	24	Tier 4
25	Tunisia	1.67	0.00	4.33	2.57	0.00	0.63	1.53	1.23	25	Tier 5

► Findings

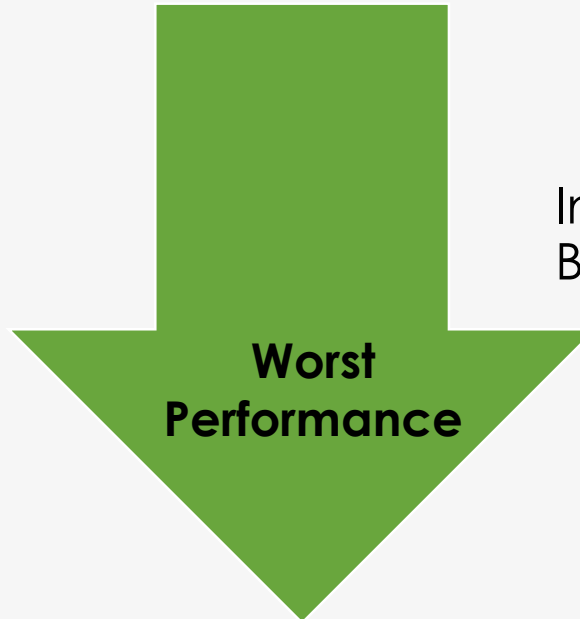
- ❖ Domain-wise, majority of countries are doing below average (11 countries in Tier 3, 4 in Tier 4, and 3 in Tier 5)
- ❖ The **poor performance** of all countries is due to low performance on two domains:





Trade Facilitation-
Procedures (**Domain C**)

Transparency and
Cooperation Coordination
Enforcement (**Domain D**)



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