The Republic of Sudan

General Administration of customs

Presentation on Trade statistics compilation.


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(A) **Background** :-

*1972 establishment of statistics division

*1972 – 1991 manual process of declarations

* Hard copies sent to CBS
(B) Use of computerization

* 1991 – Asycuda Implementation
* II sites computerized.
* 5 sites interconnected through a wide area network.
* 98% of foreign trade through the computerized stations
*33 offices still operate manually
* 166376 declarations processed per year.
* Most declarations are processed within one working day.
* 74 different customs procedures are used.
Description of declaration processing steps

* Face check.
* Data input.
* Manifest.
* Physical examination.
* Tariff check.
* Permit check.
* Exemption check.
* Clearance.
* Extraction of data (HQS)
* Data release for the CBS
(D) Problems Faced :
* use of SUQ
* Misclassification of products.
* Country of origin codes.
(E) Recent Developments