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Compliance to UN recommendations

Comparison between 1996 and 2006
for selected questions

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12.01 - Do you include in trade statistics non-monetary gold?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	77.7	17.6	4.7
Africa	68.8	28.1	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	86.8	10.7	2.5
Africa	82.6	17.4	0.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	9.1
Africa	13.8

12.07 - Do you include in trade statistics goods for military use?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	50.0	42.6	7.4
Africa	21.9	65.6	12.5

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	59.8	33.6	6.6
Africa	43.5	47.8	8.7
Developed econ.	88.9	7.4	3.7

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	9.8
Africa	21.6

12.19 - Do you include in trade statistics goods dispatched through postal or courier services?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	75.7	20.9	3.4
Africa	90.6	6.3	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	82.0	13.9	4.1
Africa	82.6	13.0	4.4

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	6.3
Africa	-8.0

13.04 - Do you exclude from trade statistics goods in transit?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	70.9	10.9	18.2
Africa	71.8	6.3	21.9

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	83.6	10.7	5.7
Africa	87.0	8.7	4.3

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	12.7
Africa	15.2

13.24 - Do you exclude from trade statistics goods entering or leaving the economic territory of your country illegally?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	83.1	10.1	6.8
Africa	81.2	9.4	9.4

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	50.8	22.2	27.0
Africa	47.8	26.1	26.1

Difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	**-32.3**
Africa	**-33.4**

13.01 - Do you exclude from trade statistics monetary gold?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	78.4	13.5	8.1
Africa	71.9	15.6	12.5

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	80.3	12.3	7.4
Africa	65.3	21.7	13.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	1.9
Africa	**-6.6**

7.02 – Is the statistical value of imported goods a CIF-type value?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	90.5	6.1	3.4
Africa	90.6	6.3	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	93.4	4.9	1.7
Africa	87.0	8.7	4.3

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	2.9
Africa	-3.6

7.05 – Is the statistical value of exported goods an FOB-type value?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	94.6	2.0	3.4
Africa	96.9	0.0	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	96.7	2.5	0.8
Africa	100.0	0.0	0.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	2.1
Africa	3.1

8.02 – Do you compile import statistics by country of origin?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	81.7	14.9	3.4
Africa	78.0	18.8	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	90.2	8.2	1.6
Africa	95.7	4.3	0.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	8.4
Africa	17.7

8.09 – Do you compile export statistics by country of last known destination?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	87.8	7.4	4.8
Africa	87.4	6.3	6.3

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	91.8	5.7	2.5
Africa	100.0	0.0	0.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	4.0
Africa	12.6

6.01 – Do you use the Harmonized System as the basis for your detailed commodity trade database?

1996 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	77.0	18.2	4.8
Africa	71.9	25.0	3.1

2006 response in %

	Yes	No	N/A
All respondents	94.2	2.5	3.3
Africa	100.0	0.0	0.0

difference in compliance (2006-1996)

All respondents	17.2
Africa	28.1

Thank you for your attention