Overview: Ukraine's average implementation rate of trade facilitation measures increased from 45% in 2015 to 49% in 2017. Despite this increase, Ukraine's implementation level remains below that of the UNECE (69%) and Eastern European (61%) regions. Among the six categories, Transparency-related measures have been implemented the most (60%) and
Cross-Border Paperless Trade related measures have been implemented the least (33%). Implementation rates of the above-mentioned categories are below those of the UNECE and Eastern Europe regions.

### Spotlight:
Ukraine significantly improved its performance in terms of Institutional arrangement related measures, increasing its average implementation to 56% in 2017. The country has also made noteworthy progress in the implementation of Paperless Trade-related measures: it partially implemented electronic application and issuance of trade licenses, electronic submission of air cargo manifests, electronic application for customs refunds and e-payment of customs duties and fees. Moreover, in 2018 Ukraine implemented a Single Window System. It should be also noted that the country adopted regulation and laws for electronic transactions.

### Moving up the trade facilitation ladder:
Ukraine is slowly but steadily moving up the trade facilitation ladder. Based on the graph shown, Ukraine should direct its efforts to the further improvement of Institutional Arrangement provisions. Here, a special attention should be given to the full implementation of a National Trade Facilitation Committee and its activities. Furthermore, the country could also improve its performance by fully implementing measures related to the Transparency and Formalities categories, such as advanced publication of new regulations before their implementation, establishment and publication of average release times, and trade facilitation measures for authorized economic operators.

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