OSCE-UNECE Handbook on best practices in border crossing

Chapter 1: Trade and Customs Legal Framework

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**Agreements:**
- GATT
- GATS
- TRIPS

**Additional Details:**
- Other goods agreements and annexes
- Services annexes

**Customers market access / Commitments**
- Countries schedules of commitments
- Countries schedules of commitments (and MFN exemptions)

**Disputes settlement**
**Trade policies review**

Source: WTO
World Customs Organisation

- Manage International Trade: import and export procedures; Classification; Valuation; Origin
- Global Supply Chain Security
- Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)
- Customs Intelligence
- ....
Regulatory Environment

- WCO Revised Kyoto Convention
- WCO SAFE Framework of Standards
- WCO International Convention on the Harmonized System
- WCO Istanbul Convention on Temporary Admission
- WCO Model Bilateral Agreement on Mutual Administrative Assistance
- UNECE International Convention on the Harmonisation of Frontier Controls of Goods
Trading Environment

- Bi-lateral / Pluri-Lateral Trade Agreements
- Customs Union
- Common Market
- Economic Union
Multiplication of Trade Agreements

Ukraine:
Azerbaijan, Belarus, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan

Armenia: Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russian Federation, Turkmenistan, Ukraine

Georgia: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Turkmenistan, Ukraine