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# Structure of the new project *Trade Facilitation in Central Asia*

## Project Objective

The implementation of trade facilitation measures in Central Asia has improved

## Outputs

Risk management systems for border clearance are improved

Simplified transit procedures are introduced

The involvement of the private sector in policy making for trade facilitation has improved

Innovative measures of trade facilitation have been piloted

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