

# Online Public Consultation (OPC): Ex post evaluation of the impact of the trade chapters of the EU's Association Agreements with six EuroMed countries

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## Introduction

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### Objective of the consultation

The aim of this public consultation is to collect information, views and opinions on the effectiveness, efficiency, coherence and relevance of the EU-Mediterranean Association Agreements' trade chapters with Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco and Tunisia. The results of the consultation serve as input for the evaluation of the impacts of these Agreements, a project jointly conducted by Ecorys, CASE and FEMISE on behalf of the European Commission. For more background information on the project please consult the following website. The consultation will be open for 12 weeks.

### Context of the consultation

Due to its geographical proximity and historically close cultural and economic ties, the Southern Mediterranean (SM) region has long had close trading relationships with Europe. The current EU Association Agreements (AAs) and their associated trade provisions (FTAs) between Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco and Tunisia and the EU were signed in mid to late 1990s. These FTAs are traditional FTAs, providing reciprocal but asymmetrical liberalisation of tariffs on industrial goods in favour of the Southern Mediterranean countries. To a varying degree, they also provide for liberalization in agricultural, processed agricultural, fish and fishery products. They do not cover services or investment, nor do they cover regulatory convergence.

Transition periods for the implementation of these FTAs are completed for Tunisia, Jordan and Lebanon, and nearly completed for Egypt, Algeria, and Morocco (due by 2019, 2020, and 2022 respectively). The evaluation will help to determine best practices and lessons learnt from these FTAs in order to better inform further implementation of the current FTAs. They can also provide lessons for ongoing or future FTA negotiations.

The evaluation is timely because there is an interest in further deepening the existing AAs, for example to expand liberalization in agriculture and to include provisions on regulatory areas like trade facilitation and public procurement. Bilateral negotiations for Deep and Comprehensive Free Trade Areas (DCFTAs) are on-going between the EU and Tunisia (as of 2015). With Morocco the negotiations began in 2013 and were suspended at the request of Morocco in 2015.

The present evaluation study will feed into the European Commission's own ex-post assessment (Evaluation Staff Working Document). It will include an assessment of the effectiveness and efficiency of the FTAs in achieving the objectives, as well as of the relevance and coherence of these instruments in the current trade landscape. The evaluation will cover economic, social, labour, environmental, human rights, consumer welfare, and gender equality impacts, among others.

Once the evaluation is finalized the study will be published on the DG TRADE website, as well as on the evaluation website. On this website, you can also find more information about the evaluation.

**You can choose to fill in one or several questionnaires:**

- The general questionnaire on this main page allows you to report your general experiences with several of the FTAs, if you feel they have had similar impacts.
- However, if you would like to make country-specific comments on a particular FTA, you can choose one of the six country-specific questionnaires on this related website: **<https://www.fta-evaluation.com/eu-mediterranean>**

You can choose the language of this questionnaire by clicking on the speech bubble in the upper part of the screen and then selecting the language in a sub-menu (English, French, German or Arabic).

It will take approximately 15-20 minutes to complete the questionnaire below. Thank you for your time.

## About you

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\* Language of my contribution

- Bulgarian
- Croatian
- Czech
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- Dutch
- English
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- Finnish
- French
- Gaelic
- German
- Greek
- Hungarian
- Italian
- Latvian
- Lithuanian
- Maltese
- Polish

- Portuguese
- Romanian
- Slovak
- Slovenian
- Spanish
- Swedish

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- Academic/research institution
- Business association
- Company/business organisation
- Consumer organisation
- EU citizen
- Environmental organisation
- Non-EU citizen
- Non-governmental organisation (NGO)
- Public authority
- Trade union
- Other

\* First name

\* Surname

\* Email (this won't be published)

\* Scope

- International
- Local
- National
- Regional

\* Organisation name

*255 character(s) maximum*

\* Organisation size

- Micro (1 to 9 employees)
- Small (10 to 49 employees)
- Medium (50 to 249 employees)

- Large (250 or more)

## Transparency register number

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Check if your organisation is on the [transparency register](#). It's a voluntary database for organisations seeking to influence EU decision-making.

## \* Country of origin

Please add your country of origin, or that of your organisation.

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- Bermuda
- Bhutan
- Bolivia
- Bonaire Saint Eustatius and Saba
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Botswana
- Bouvet Island
- Brazil
- British Indian Ocean Territory
- British Virgin Islands
- Brunei
- Bulgaria
- Burkina Faso
- Burundi
- Cambodia
- Cameroon
- Canada
- Cape Verde
- Cayman Islands
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Chile
- China
- Christmas Island
- Clipperton
- Cocos (Keeling) Islands
- Colombia
- Comoros
- Congo
- Cook Islands
- Greece
- Greenland
- Grenada
- Guadeloupe
- Guam
- Guatemala
- Guernsey
- Guinea
- Guinea-Bissau
- Guyana
- Haiti
- Heard Island and McDonald Islands
- Honduras
- Hong Kong
- Hungary
- Iceland
- India
- Indonesia
- Iran
- Iraq
- Ireland
- Isle of Man
- Israel
- Italy
- Jamaica
- Japan
- Jersey
- Jordan
- Kazakhstan
- Kenya
- Mozambique
- Myanmar /Burma
- Namibia
- Nauru
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- New Caledonia
- New Zealand
- Nicaragua
- Niger
- Nigeria
- Niue
- Norfolk Island
- Northern Mariana Islands
- North Korea
- North Macedonia
- Norway
- Oman
- Pakistan
- Palau
- Palestine
- Panama
- Papua New Guinea
- Paraguay
- Peru
- Philippines
- Pitcairn Islands
- Poland
- Portugal
- Puerto Rico
- Suriname
- Svalbard and Jan Mayen
- Sweden
- Switzerland
- Syria
- Taiwan
- Tajikistan
- Tanzania
- Thailand
- The Gambia
- Timor-Leste
- Togo
- Tokelau
- Tonga
- Trinidad and Tobago
- Tunisia
- Turkey
- Turkmenistan
- Turks and Caicos Islands
- Tuvalu
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United Arab Emirates
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- United States Minor Outlying Islands
- Uruguay
- US Virgin Islands
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**Anonymous**

Only your type of respondent, country of origin and contribution will be published. All other personal details (name, organisation name and size, transparency register number) will not be published.

**Public**

Your personal details (name, organisation name and size, transparency register number, country of origin) will be published with your contribution.

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## About your enterprise/organisation

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If you are responding on behalf of an enterprise or any other organisation, please fill in the following information:

Telefon number:

Country where your organisation is based:

Country where your organisation's headquarter is based:

## Awareness

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1 - Were you aware of an FTA between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region prior to hearing about this evaluation?

- Yes
- No

If you were not aware of a FTA between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region please jump to the closing section.

## Objectives and Coherence

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2 - To what extent do you believe that the FTAs have met the following objectives related to the bilateral relations between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	No opinion /do not know
The FTAs have promoted trade relations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The FTAs have promoted fair competition	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The FTAs have expanded harmonious economic relations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The FTAs have expanded harmonious social relations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The FTAs have established the conditions necessary for the gradual liberalisation of trade in goods, services and capital	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

4 - To what extent do you believe the FTAs have met the following objectives related to regional cooperation?

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	No opinion /do not know
The FTAs have increased trade and cooperation within the Southern Mediterranean region	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The FTAs have increased trade and cooperation between the region and the EU and its Member States	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

5 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

6 - To what extent are the FTAs between the EU and Southern Mediterranean region coherent with the following policies? (Click on the name of the policy for more information.)

	Incoherent	Partially Coherent	Fully Coherent	No opinion/do not know
<a href="#">European Neighbourhood Policy</a>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<a href="#">Association Agreements</a>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<a href="#">Action Plans</a>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<a href="#">Partnership Priorities</a>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<a href="#">Current EU Trade Policy</a>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

7 - Please provide an explanation:

## Business and Trade proceedings

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8 - What is the number of employees of your company?

- 1-9
- 10-49
- 50-249
- 250 or more



9 - In which sector does your company/do your member companies operate?

*Note: Please mark all that apply*

- Agriculture, forestry and fishing
- Mining and quarrying
- Manufacturing
- Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply
- Water supply, sewerage, waste management
- Construction
- Wholesale and retail trade
- Transportation and storage
- Accommodation and food service activities
- Information and communication
- Financial and insurance activities
- Administrative and support service activities
- Public administration and defence; compulsory social security
- Education
- Human health and social work activities
- Arts entertainment and recreation
- Other services activities
- Activities of households as employers
- Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies
- Real state activities
- Professional, scientific and technical activities

10 - Do you currently engage in trade between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- We were involved in the past
- We are planning or exploring the possibilities for the future
- No. We do not engage in EU-Southern Mediterranean trade.

11 - If you are not/no longer involved in trade between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region, please indicate why:

- We see no interesting opportunities in engaging in this trade
- We lack the capacity to invest in this trade relation (market research, market contacts)
- We lack the capacity to realise this trade as we are not able to meet market requirements (standards, consumer preferences)
- We are not able to realise this trade due to business environment constraint (e.g. related infrastructure, access to finance)
- We see opportunities elsewhere (other markets, domestic markets) that are more interesting (comparing benefits and costs)
- Other

12 - If you selected "Other", please specify:

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13 - Do you currently engage in cross-border investment between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- We were involved in the past
- We are planning or exploring the possibilities for the future
- No. We do not intend to engage in EU-Southern Mediterranean region investment.

14 - In your view, have the following aspects of your company (or your member companies) changed as a result of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

	Decreased	Somewhat decreased	No change	Somewhat increased	Increased	Not applicable	No opinion /do not know
Exports to the partner countries (EU or Southern Mediterranean)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Imports from the partner countries (EU or Southern Mediterranean)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Number of employees	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Output of products and /or service	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Production costs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cross-border investments to the partner country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Cross-border investments from the partner country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Value added of products /services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access to new technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access to expertise, skills, know-how	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

15 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

## Tariffs

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16 - Would you like to answer questions related to tariffs?

- Yes
- No

17 - The FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region allow companies established in the Southern Mediterranean region and the EU to pay lower or no tariffs when exporting to the partner territory, in comparison to many third countries which face higher tariffs when exporting to the EU or to the Southern Mediterranean region.

Are you aware of customs duty/tariff preferences under the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- No

18 - Has your company made use of the available customs duty/tariff preferences under the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

19 - If you only make use of the tariff preferences for part of your exports, please specify what share:

20 - Why has your company (or your member companies) not made use of the custom duty/tariff preferences?

- We are not eligible for the preferences
- We are not aware of the tariff preferences
- We do not know how to make use to tariff preferences
- There is a cost involved with using tariff preferences (e.g. administrative burden), which outweigh the benefits
- The preference is not relevant for us (e.g. it offers too small a preference margin, or none at all)
- Other

21 - If you chose 'Other' please specify:

22 - Are you aware that under the Regional Convention on pan-Euro-Mediterranean preferential rules of origin ([PEM Convention](#)) it is possible to have a higher share of imported inputs in the product that you export and still make use of the customs duty/tariff preferences available under the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region? This is referred to as 'diagonal cumulation' and can be applied if imports come from countries that are also a contracting party of the PEM Convention.

- Yes
- No

23 - Has your company made use of the possibility of 'diagonal cumulation' under the PEM Convention?

(As explained in Question 22 above, 'diagonal cumulation' allows you to have a higher share of imported inputs in the product that you export and still make use of the customs duty/tariff preferences available under the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region.)

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

24 - If yes, please specify for what products it is used, and how relevant this diagonal cumulation is for your exports:

25 - Why has your company (or your member companies) not made use of the possibility of diagonal cumulation to obtain custom duty/tariff preferences?

- We are not aware of the possibility of diagonal cumulation
- We do not know how to apply diagonal cumulation for making use of tariff preferences
- The complexity of the rules and associated costs (e.g. administrative burden) are too high and outweigh the benefits
- The possibility of diagonal cumulation is not relevant for us (e.g. we do not import inputs from a country that is a contracting party of the PEM)
- Other

26 - If you chose 'Other' please specify:

## Customs proceedings

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27 - Would you like to answer questions regarding customs procedures?

- Yes
- No

28 - Regarding the **total costs** of dealing with EU customs procedures when exporting goods: did you experience a change that you associate with the

implementation of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- No

29 - If so, how?

- Increased greatly
- Somewhat increased
- No change
- Somewhat decreased
- Greatly decreased
- Do not know/no opinion

30 - If you experienced that the **time required** for customs clearance when exporting/importing goods to the EU has changed because of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region, please indicate how it has changed?

- Increased greatly
- Somewhat increased
- No change
- Somewhat decreased
- Greatly decreased
- Do not know/no opinion

31 - If you experienced that the **time required** for customs clearance when exporting/importing goods to the Southern Mediterranean region has changed because of the FTAs between the EU and Southern Mediterranean region, please indicate how it has changed?

- Increased greatly
- Somewhat increased
- No change
- Somewhat decreased
- Greatly decreased
- Do not know/no opinion

32 - If you experienced that the **administrative burdens (i.e. costs of regulatory compliance)** related to customs procedures in the EU have changed because of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region, please indicate how it has changed?

- Increased greatly
- Somewhat increased
- No change
- Somewhat decreased
- Greatly decreased
- Do not know/no opinion

33 - If you experienced that the **administrative burdens (i.e. costs of regulatory compliance)** related to customs procedures in the Southern Mediterranean region

have changed because of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region, please indicate how it has changed?

- Increased greatly
- Somewhat increased
- No change
- Somewhat decreased
- Greatly decreased
- Do not know/no opinion



34 - How satisfied are you with the implementation and functioning of the following customs-related provisions of the FTAs?

	Not at all satisfied	Somewhat dissatisfied	Neutral	Somewhat satisfied	Very satisfied	No opinion /do not know
Administrative cooperation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Product specific rules	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Approved exporter status	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Direct transport provision	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Duty drawback	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Obtaining certificates	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Verification procedure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Process of claiming preferences	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Management of tariff-rate quotas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

35 - Please provide an explanation:

36 - Please expand on any additional customs-related benefits or costs experienced by your company (or your member companies) as a direct result of the FTAs:

## Regulatory changes

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37 - Would you like to answer questions related to regulatory changes?

- Yes
- No

38 - Have you observed regulatory changes in your sector/area since the implementation of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

39 - In your view, do you think this regulatory change is related to the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

40 - Please expand on the main regulatory changes that were made in your sector /area in relation to the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region and indicate how these changes have been triggered by the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region.

41 - Please expand on the regulatory changes that **should have** been made in your sector/area related to implementing the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region (e.g. to improve the impact of the FTA):

## Impacts on consumers

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42 - Would you like to answer questions related to consumer impacts?

- Yes
- No

43 - In your experience, what has been the impact of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region on consumers on the following aspects (**for EU consumers**):

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion /do not know
Prices of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Availability/choice of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainability of goods available to consumers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Information available to consumers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Protection and enforcement of consumer rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consumer trust in enforcement and redress mechanisms	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consumption of vulnerable consumers (e.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

g. elderly, low income,  
low education, with  
disabilities)

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44 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

45 - In your experience, what has been the impact of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region on consumers on the following aspects (**for Southern Mediterranean consumers**):

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion /do not know
Prices of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Availability/choice of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety of goods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainability of goods available to consumers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Information available to consumers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Protection and enforcement of consumer rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consumer trust in enforcement and redress mechanisms	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consumption of vulnerable consumers (e.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

g. elderly, low income,  
low education, with  
disabilities)

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46 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

**Sustainability, human rights, the environment and third countries**

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47 - Would you like to answer questions related to sustainability, human rights, the environment and third countries?

- Yes
- No

48 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of sustainable development and human rights? With human rights we refer to social and economic human rights **(in the EU)**:

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Social development	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social and economic human rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

49 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

50 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of sustainable development and human rights? With human rights we refer to social and economic human rights **(in the Southern Mediterranean region)**:

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Social development	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Social and economic human rights	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

51 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

52 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of social development (**in the EU**)?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Low-skilled employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
High-skilled employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transition from informal to formal employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wages	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Household incomes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Freedom of association and effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The elimination of all forms of forced or compulsory labour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The effective abolition of child labour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social protection	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social dialogue	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Poverty reduction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gender-related issues	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Occupational health and safety	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Working conditions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

53 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

54 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of social development **(in the Southern Mediterranean region)**?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Low-skilled employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
High-skilled employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transition from informal to formal employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wages	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Household incomes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Freedom of association and effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The elimination of all forms of forced or compulsory labour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The effective abolition of child labour	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social protection	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social dialogue	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Poverty reduction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gender-related issues	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Occupational health and safety	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Working conditions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

55 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

56 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on social and economic human rights **(in the EU)**?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Right to work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to enjoyment of just and favourable conditions of work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to social security, including social insurance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to an adequate standard of living	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Availability of essential goods or services (including, as a minimum: water; essential foodstuffs; clothing; essential primary healthcare; basic shelter and housing; and the most basic forms of education)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Affordability of essential goods or services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to freedom of opinion and expression	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Right to non-discrimination and equality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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57 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

58 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on social and economic human rights **(in the Southern Mediterranean region)**?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Right to work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to enjoyment of just and favourable conditions of work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to social security, including social insurance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to an adequate standard of living	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Availability of essential goods or services (including, as a minimum: water; essential foodstuffs; clothing; essential primary healthcare; basic shelter and housing; and the most basic forms of education)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Affordability of essential goods or services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Right to freedom of opinion and expression	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Right to non-discrimination and equality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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59 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

60 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of environmental development (**in the EU**)?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Waste	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Penetration of renewable energy in the energy mix	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy efficiency	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Local air pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Global air pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Water resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural fertilisers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural land use and soil	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural livestock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Forests/forest resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fisheries/fish resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wildlife resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Greening of the economy (incl. trade in environmental goods and services)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

61 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

62 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on the following aspects of environmental development (in the Southern Mediterranean region)?

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Waste	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy use	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Penetration of renewable energy in the energy mix	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy efficiency	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Local air pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Global air pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Water resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural fertilisers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural land use and soil	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agricultural livestock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Forests/forest resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fisheries/fish resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wildlife resources	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Greening of the economy (incl. trade in environmental goods and services)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

63 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

64 - In your view, did the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region have an impact on third countries (i.e. countries not part of one of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region)?

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

65 - What type of impact have the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region had on third countries? If the impact differs per country, please elaborate on this in the next question.

	Negative impact	Somewhat negative impact	No impact	Somewhat positive impact	Positive impact	No opinion/ do not know
Economic impact	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social impact	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Human rights impact	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Environmental impact	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

66 - Please provide an explanation of how the FTAs have led to this impact:

### Civil Society engagement

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67 - Would you like to answer questions related to civil society engagement?

- Yes
- No

68 - In your view, have civil society groups been involved in the following aspects of the implementation of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

	Agree	Somewhat agree	Neutral	Somewhat disagree	Disagree	No opinion/ do not know
Civil Society Organisations received information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Civil Society Organisations are/were consulted	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Civil Society Organisations provided input	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

69 - Please elaborate:

## Closing

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70 - What are the most positive aspects of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

71 - What are the more negative aspects of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region?

72 - If there are any additional issues you would like to comment on regarding trade relations between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region, please elaborate below:

73 - Do you see a need to improve the implementation of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region or to upgrade/expand the FTAs?

- Yes
- No
- Do not know

74 - Please describe what would be most beneficial to you in improved implementation of the FTAs between the EU and the Southern Mediterranean region or upgraded/expanded FTAs:

75 - Can the European Commission and the contractor of the evaluation contact you if further details are required?

- Yes
- No

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