



### Key Benefits of the Trade Capacity Building Resource Guide, 2010 Edition:

- Increased accessibility to UN system-wide and bilateral technical assistance services;
- Support for the conceptualization and development of systemic inter-agency trade capacity building programmes and projects for countries and regions.

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What is new in the 2010 edition?

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Five regional development banks

24 OECD bilateral development partners



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Trade Capacity Building – Areas of intervention covered by the Resource Guide:

- Global advocacy
- Trade policy development
- Legal and regulatory framework
- Supply capacity
- Compliance support infrastructure and services
- Trade promotion capacity building
- Market and trade information
- Trade facilitation
- Physical trade infrastructure
- Trade-related financial services

The Resource Guide has so far been used as a reference tool within the UN system, by countries, and by other agencies.

It now increases visibility on multilateral and bilateral technical assistance in trade capacity building as an even more holistic contribution to better technical assistance programming.

The forthcoming 2012 edition of the Resource Guide will further expand the potential for South-South technical assistance cooperation.

How to order the 2010 edition of the Trade Capacity Building Resource Guide:

The 2010 edition of the Trade Capacity Building Resource Guide is now available free of charge. You can place your order by post or email:

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UNIDO has been mandated by the United Nations Chief Executives' Board to coordinate an inter-agency mapping of trade capacity-building services and activities available to developing countries. The first outcome of these efforts, the 2008 edition of the Trade Capacity Building Inter-Agency Resource Guide, has received a very positive response from developing countries, technical assistance agencies, donor countries and other development partners.

UNIDO has now published an updated and expanded 2010 edition of the Resource Guide, with a strong focus on the WTO-led Aid for Trade Initiative (AfT). The 2010 edition of the Resource Guide extends its coverage to 25 multilateral agencies, five regional development banks and seven inter-agency cooperation mechanisms, with a second volume covering 24 OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC) members and bilateral donors.

What is new in the 2010 edition?

- **A strong Aid for Trade focus** is the hallmark of the 2010 edition. It highlights how development partners and inter-agency cooperation mechanisms relate to and concretely support the AfT agenda.
- **Four additional UN Agencies**, the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), the International Monetary Fund (IMF), the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and the World Tourism Organization (UNWTO), are included with their services.
- **Five regional development banks**, the African Development Bank (AfDB), the Asian Development Bank (ADB), the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB), the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), and the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), all strong regional pillars of AfT delivery, and their services are described.
- **The OECD Creditor Reporting System**, a database covering around 90 per cent of all DAC official development assistance (ODA), is referenced.
- **Bilateral development partners**, their AfT strategies and their related aid agencies and programmes are featured in the second volume of the Resource Guide, complementing the UN system activities and services of the first volume.

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