AGENDA - MONDAY

- Opening of the workshop (9.00)
- Adoption of the agenda (9.15)
- Activities in international merchandise trade statistics [UNSD, UNCTAD and ECA] (9.30)
- Compilers Manual [UNSD] (10.00)
- Break --- 10.30
- Presentation by FAO (11.45)
- Break --- 12.30
- Presentation by UNCTAD (12.50)
- UN Comtrade database [UNSD] (13.45)

AGENDA - TUESDAY

- ASYCUDA. An overview [UNCTAD] (9.00)
- COMESA's Experience Regarding Improving the Quality of Merchandise Trade Statistics in the Region. [COMESA] (9.45)
- Break --- 10.30
- Country presentations
  - Gambia (10.45/11.05)
  - Ghana (11.25/11.45)
  - Kenya (12.05)
- Break --- 12.30
- Country presentations
  - Kenya (12.50)
  - Malawi (13.05/13.25)
  - Namibia (13.45/14.05)

AGENDA - WEDNESDAY

- Country presentations
  - Nigeria (9.00)
  - Uganda (9.25)
  - Ethiopia (9.50/10.10)
- Break --- 10.30

- FIELD TRIP 11.00 – 14.30

AGENDA - THURSDAY

- Country presentations
  - Sudan (9.00/9.20)
  - Tanzania (9.40/10.00)
- Break --- 10.30
- Country presentations
  - Yemen (10.45)
- Problems and possible solutions. [UNCTAD, UNSD] (11.05)
- Keeping in touch [UNCTAD, UNSD] (12.00)
- Evaluation of the workshop (12.15)
- Closing of the workshop (12.30)

Chair persons

- Monday - UNECA (Mr. Dosso)
- Tuesday - UNCTAD (Mr. Butkevicius)
- Wednesday – ASYCUDA (Mr. Favaro)
- Thursday – COMESA (Mr. Walakira)

Purpose of Workshop

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Can cooperation between Customs and NSO be improved?

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