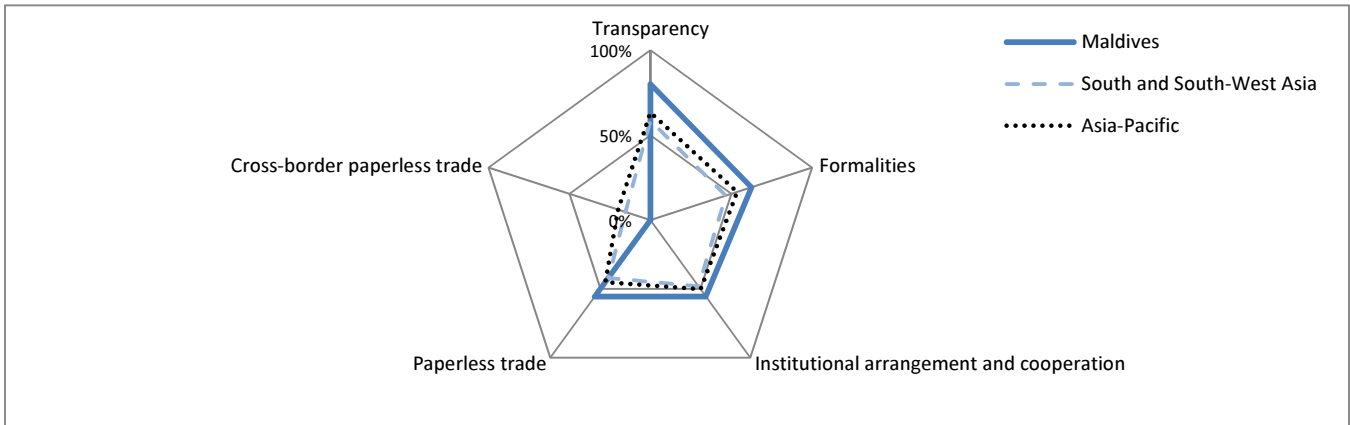
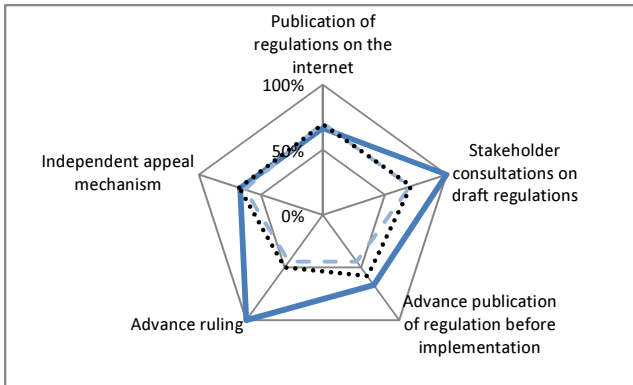


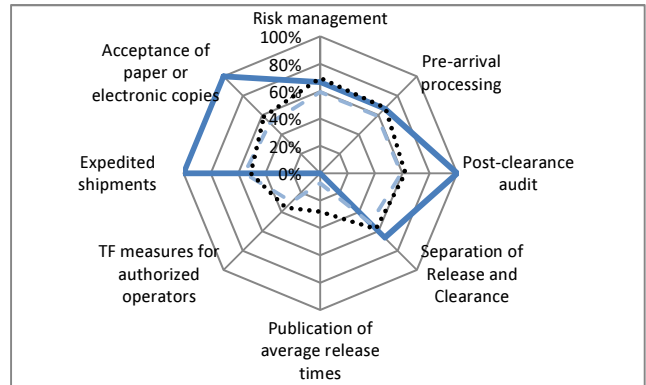
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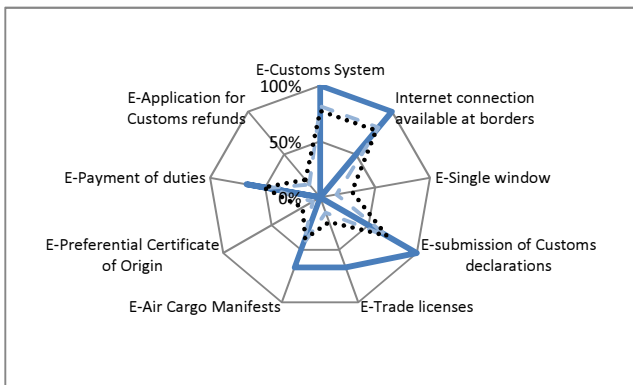
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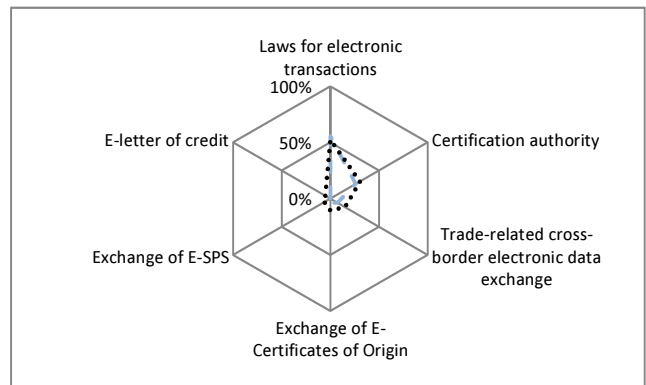
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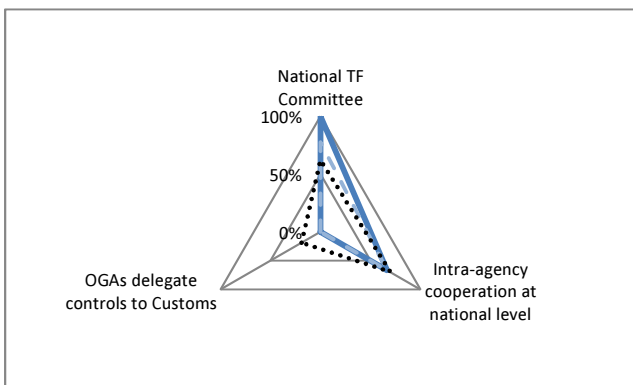
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Cross-border paperless trade



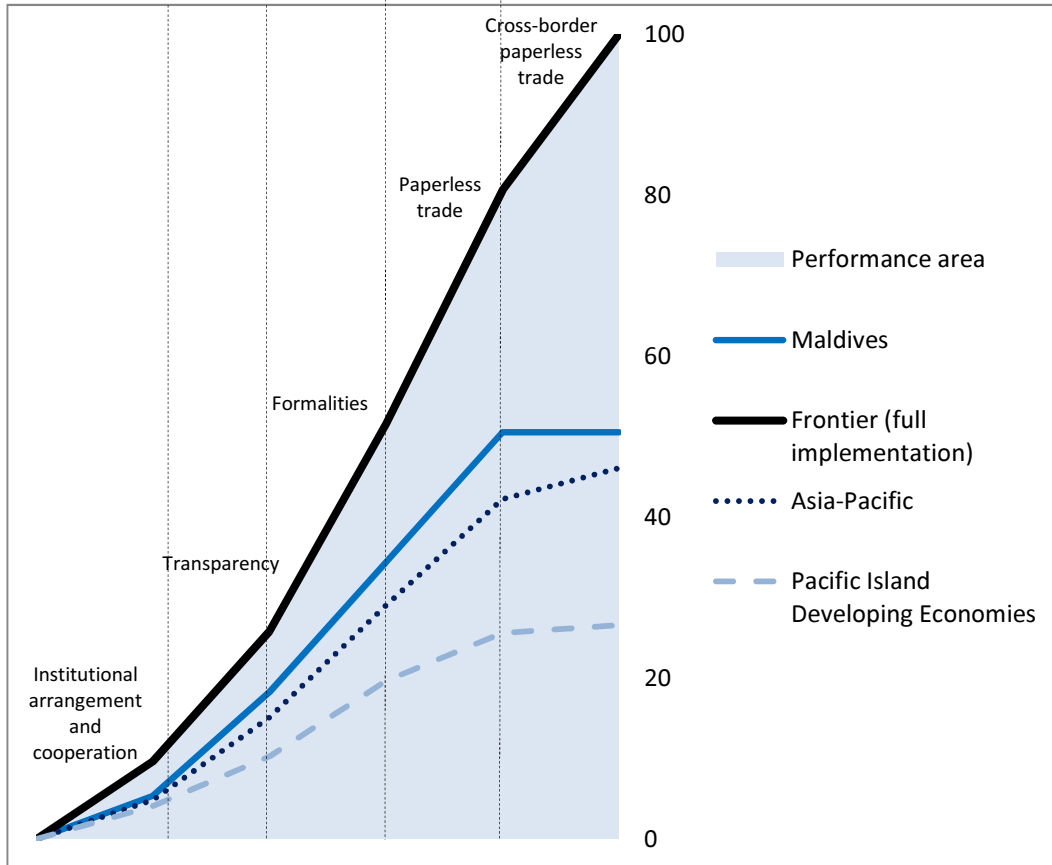
Institutional arrangement and cooperation



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Moving up the trade facilitation ladder towards seamless international supply chains

[Cumulative implementation scores of core groups of measures; full implementation =100]



The level of implementation of trade facilitation measures in Maldives (51%) is above the level in Asia-Pacific (46.5%). It also exceeds the level of implementation in South and South-West Asia (42%). Among the five core groups of trade facilitation measures, the most implemented in Maldives are “Transparency” measures (80%). The least implemented are “Cross-border paperless trade” measures (0%).

Implementation of “Transparency” measures is above both the regional and sub-regional averages. The measures least implemented in this area in Maldives are *Publication of regulations on the internet*, *Advance publication of regulation before implementation* and *Independent appeal mechanism*. Implementation of improved “Formalities” is higher than both the regional and sub-regional averages. The least implemented measures in this area are *Publication of average release times* and *TF measures for authorized operators*.

In “Paperless trade”, Maldives’ implementation is above both the regional and sub-regional averages. *E-Single window*, *E-Preferential Certificate of Origin* and *E-Application for Customs refunds* are least implemented.

Maldives may focus its trade facilitation efforts in particular on implementation of “Institutional arrangement and cooperation” and “Paperless trade” measures, as well as on moving towards “Cross-border paperless trade”.