





## Factors impacting inequality:

IMF Staff Discussion Note - Causes and  
Consequences of Income Inequality:  
A Global Perspective

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## Trade's impact on inclusive growth:

Trade Costs and Inclusive Growth: Cases  
Studies from WTO Chair Holders

How implementation of the WTO's Trade  
Facilitation Agreement (TFA) can help to reduce  
trade costs and promote growth

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## EU contribution

- 2014 Aid for Trade – EUR 12 billion
- GSP can grow exports of products covered in developing countries by up to 5%
- Everything but Arms can grow exports of products covered in LDCs by up to 10%





## EU contribution

- 2015 report: Assessment of economic benefits generated by the EU trade regimes towards the developing countries - Volume I & II
- 10 ways EU trade and development policy supports LDCs





A serious challenge remains





## Trade in the 2030 Agenda

- One of seven action areas identified as the means of implementation
- "Integrate sustainable development into trade policy at all levels"
- 'MIKTA' workshop identified clear links between trade and SDGs – 12 October 2016





Lessons learned?

