

## Questionnaire manual: Loading-unloading

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### DATA COLLECTED WITH THE QUESTIONNAIRE

**Table 1. LOADING OF GOODS TRANSPORTED TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND UNLOADING OF GOODS TRANSPORTED FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES**

Carriage of goods – goods transported on commercial sea journeys. Bunker fuel for ships, ship's stores of maintenance equipment, food and supplies are excluded, since these are related to the operation of vessels. Indicate the gross weight of goods, which includes the weight of the package but not the tare weight of containers and roll-on/roll-off units.

Carriage of goods – goods transported on commercial sea journeys. Cargo journey is a movement of cargo by sea, between the place of loading onto a vessel and the place of discharge from the same vessel. Bunker fuel for ships, ship's stores of maintenance equipment, food and supplies are excluded, since these are related to the operation of vessels. Indicate the gross weight of goods, which includes the weight of the package but not the tare weight of containers and roll-on/roll-off units.

| Row code/<br>column<br>code | Name of variable<br>* - mandatory                           | Code of<br>variable | Explanation   | Type of data<br>(number of<br>decimals) or<br>list/<br>classification<br>name | You need<br>not fill in<br>the value:<br>period,<br>economic<br>activity |
|-----------------------------|---|---------------------|---|---|--|
| 1 / 1                       | Quantity of outward goods transported to foreign countries  | TS1140_01           | Quantity of goods loaded on vessels when transporting goods to foreign countries. When transporting goods to foreign countries, loading means loading goods on a vessel. Loading is the sum of loaded goods transported to foreign countries and transit goods. The unit of measurement is thousand tonnes with the precision of three decimal places.        | Real number<br>(0,3)  |  |
| 2 / 1                       | Quantity of inward goods transported from foreign countries | TS1140_02           | Quantity of unloaded goods when transporting goods from foreign countries. When transporting goods from foreign countries, unloading means unloading goods from a vessel. Unloading is the sum of unloaded goods transported from foreign countries and transit goods. The unit of measurement is thousand tonnes with the precision of three decimal places. | Real number<br>(0,3)  |  |

**Table 2. TIME SPENT ON FILLING OUT THE QUESTIONNAIRE (incl. for preparing the data) (only for April)**

The table need not be filled in period(s) **2022-01, 2022-02, 2022-03, 2022-05, 2022-06, 2022-07, 2022-08, 2022-09, 2022-10, 2022-11, 2022-12.**

Please estimate how much time you spent on filling out the questionnaire (incl. time spent on reading the instructions, collecting and preparing data). Record the total time spent by all employees.

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| code |   |                            |  | list/<br>classification<br>name | period,<br>economic<br>activity |
|------|---|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| /    | Number of hours spent on completing the questionnaire and collecting and preparing the necessary data   | TAITMIS<br>EAEGTU<br>NDI   | Number of hours spent by all employees on completing the questionnaire. The time spent on completing the questionnaire includes the time spent on reviewing instructions, collecting and preparing the necessary data.                 | Positive integer                |                                 |
| /    | Number of minutes spent on completing the questionnaire and collecting and preparing the necessary data | TAITMIS<br>EAEGMI<br>NUTIT | Number of minutes spent by all employees on completing the questionnaire. The time spent on completing the questionnaire includes the time spent on reviewing instructions, collecting and preparing data. Permitted value range 0–59. | Positive integer                |                                 |

### Table Y1. Assessment on a scale of 1 to 5

The table need not be filled in period(s) **2022-01, 2022-02, 2022-03, 2022-04, 2022-06, 2022-07, 2022-08, 2022-09, 2022-10, 2022-11, 2022-12.**

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|-----------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------|---|--|
| /                           | Wording of questions  | TAGASI<br>S_2       |             | rahulolu_nu<br>mbriline_5_<br>kuni_1_9L                                       |  |
| /                           | Wording of error messages or controls of questions  | TAGASI<br>S_3       |             | rahulolu_nu<br>mbriline_5_<br>kuni_1_9L                                       |  |
| /                           | Explanatory texts (appearing when the mouse cursor hovers over them) of the questionnaire | TAGASI<br>S_7       |             | rahulolu_nu<br>mbriline_5_<br>kuni_1_9L                                       |  |
| /                           | User-friendliness of eSTAT  | TAGASI<br>S_9       |             | rahulolu_nu<br>mbriline_5_<br>kuni_1_9L                                       |  |

### Table Y2. Overall assessment on the questionnaire

The table need not be filled in period(s) **2022-01, 2022-02, 2022-03, 2022-04, 2022-06, 2022-07, 2022-08, 2022-09, 2022-10, 2022-11, 2022-12.**

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|-----------------------------|--|---------------------|-------------|---|--|
| /                           | Overall assessment on the ease of completing the questionnaire | TAGASI<br>SY_1      |             | rahulolu_va<br>ga_lihtne_v<br>aga_keeruli<br>ne_5L                            |  |

### Table Y3. Suggestions and comments (200 characters max)

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#### 2022-12.

| Row code/<br>column code | Name of variable<br>* - mandatory | Code of variable      | Explanation | Type of data<br>(number of decimals) or list/<br>classification name | You need not fill in the value:<br>period, economic activity |
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| /                        | Suggestions and comments          | TAGASI<br>S_TESS<br>T |             | Text   |  |