

## DCFTA Implementation Action Plan for 2021

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<b>Goal 1.</b>	Further improvement in the field of trade statistics								
<b>Objective 1.1.</b>	Calculation of Foreign Trade Indices (Export-Import Unit Value Indices)								
1.1.1. Production of External Trade Indices (Export-Import Unit Value Indices) on the basis of the Foreign Economic Activity Commodity Nomenclature (HS) by sections	Produced Export-Import Unit Value Indices (UVI) on the basis of the Foreign Economic Activity Commodity Nomenclature (HS) by sections	External Trade Unit Value Indices published on the Geostat webpage: <a href="http://www.geostat.ge">www.geostat.ge</a>	LEPL National Statistics Office of Georgia		2021	97 185		EU Twinning Project	
<b>Objective 1.2.</b>	Mirror Comparison in International Merchandise Trade Statistics								
1.2.1. Detect the largest asymmetries in trade statistics between Georgia and EU countries through mirror comparisons and identify the main reasons for the differences in data	List of EU Member States by commodity positions identifying the largest asymmetries	Mirror Comparison Report on International Merchandise Trade Statistics with relevant trade partner: <a href="http://www.geostat.ge">www.geostat.ge</a>	LEPL National Statistics Office of Georgia	Customs Department of the Revenue Service	2021	81 906		EU Twinning Project	
<b>Objective 1.3.</b>	Production of Statistics on International Trade in Services								
1.3.1. Develop a pilot survey on International Trade in Services	Statistics on International Trade in Services by types of services and countries	Report on pilot survey on International Trade in Services	LEPL National Statistics Office of Georgia	National Bank of Georgia	2021	81 906		EU Twinning Project	After pilot version, Survey on International Trade in Services will be conducted on regular basis. Results of the survey will be published from 2023 on the webpage of Geostat

<sup>1</sup> In some cases, the official exchange rate 1EUR = 4.00 GEL of the National Bank of Georgia of the January 22, 2021 is used for conversion

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<b>Goal 2.</b>	<b>Promoting exports to the EU</b>								
<b>Objective 2.1.</b>	<b>Diversification of export products within the EU</b>								
2.1.1 Promoting the participation of Georgian companies in international events, exhibitions and trade missions in EU countries	Number of exporting companies participating in international events, exhibitions and trade missions in EU countries  Number of exhibitions and trade missions held in EU countries	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia  enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia		2021	600 000	LEPL Budget		Additional donor assistance needed
<b>Objective 2.2.</b>	<b>Improving access to finance for small and medium-sized businesses</b>								
2.2.1. Support to the small and medium entrepreneurship in access to finance and / or technical support	Quantity of created and / or extended enterprises;  Number of consultations for access to the EU market	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia  enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia		2021	20 000 000	LEPL Budget		
<b>Objective 2.3</b>	<b>Development of small and medium business export opportunities</b>								
2.3.1. Training of export managers of small and medium businesses	Number of certified export managers	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia  enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia	Relevant higher education institution	2021	60 000	LEPL Budget		Additional donor assistance needed
2.3.2. Promoting registration of entrepreneurs in the European Entrepreneurs Network (EEN)	Number of Georgian companies consulted/supported about EEN platform register	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia  enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia		2021		LEPL Budget		Donor assistance needed
2.3.3. Promoting the platform “Trade with Georgia” and increasing its usage	Number of companies registered on the platform	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia  enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia		2021		LEPL Budget		Donor assistance needed
2.3.4. Provide Consultations on international and European	Number of beneficiaries consulted on international and European standards	Annual Report of Enterprise Georgia	LEPL-Enterprise Georgia		2021		LEPL Budget		Donor assistance needed

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standards of production and products		enterprisegeorgia.gov.ge							
<b>Goal 3.</b>	Legislative and institutional approximation with relevant EU legislation and best practice in the field of technical barriers to trade								
<b>Objective 3.1.</b>	Elaboration of legislation that Georgia has undertaken to approximate in accordance with Annex III-A to the Association Agreement								
3.1.1. Adoption of the technical regulations and revision of already approximated Georgian Legislation according to the Annex III-A of the AA, in order to check their compatibility and update it in accordance with the repealed and recast Directives and Regulations in Appendix III –A	Adopted normative acts;  Adopted amendments to the relevant legislation in case of necessity	matsne.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021				
3.1.2. Elaboration of technical regulations on medical devices in accordance with Regulation 2017/745 / EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 April 2017	The working group has been created to work on developing technical regulations;  International best practices are shared and a draft technical regulations framework document is prepared	The framework document of the draft technical regulation prepared by the working group	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia		2021				Donor assistance needed
3.1.3 Elaboration of technical regulations on in vitro diagnostic medical devices in accordance with Regulation 2017/746 / EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 April 2017	The working group has been created to work on developing technical regulations;  International best practices are shared and a draft technical regulations	The framework document of the draft technical regulation prepared by the working group	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour,		2021				Donor assistance needed

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	framework document is prepared		Health and Social Affairs of Georgia						
3.1.4 Start preparatory procedures for approximation process in the field of metrology with the MID (Measuring Instruments Directive) and NAWI (Non-automatic weighing instruments) directives	The European standard/s, harmonized with the MID and/or NAWI Directives adopted as Georgian standard/s, priority standard/s are translated into Georgian language	Agency Gen. Directorial Ordinances on the Adoption of Standards	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		
3.1.5 Adopt the International and European Standards as a Georgian Standards; Particularly the harmonized standards referred in sectoral directives, specified in Annex III-A (TBT) of the AA	Number of international and European standards adopted as Georgian ones	Agency Gen. Directorial Ordinances on the Adoption of Standards	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		
<b>Objective 3.2.</b>	<b>Institutional and infrastructural development necessary for technical regulation, standardization, metrology, accreditation, conformity assessment and market surveillance administration</b>								
3.2.1 Continue the process of updating the equipment of reference laboratories in the field of metrology in order to provide new and/or enhanced services in priority areas	Increased number and range of services offered (Procurement of additional new equipment for reference divisions/labs. in 1 laboratory)	Calibration certificates issued by the Agency  Annual Report of the agency	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		
3.2.2 Take necessary measures to maintain and / or expand the international recognition of priority reference laboratories in metrology field	The number of CMC recordings on calibration and measuring capabilities of the country	Data base of BIPM <a href="http://www.bipm.org">www.bipm.org</a>	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		

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3.2.3 Start preparatory process for certification of Quality Management System (QMS) in Standards Department of GEOSTM according to ISO 9001:2015.	Elaborated and implemented procedures according to ISO 9001:2015 in Standards Department	Annual report of Agency  Twinning project reports	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		
3.2.4 Initiation of preparatory work for the introduction of the new services in the field of metrology in accordance with ISO 17034: 2016 reference materials	Prepared documents and procedures required for the implementation of the Quality Management System in accordance with the international standard ISO 17034: 2016	Annual report of Agency  Twinning project reports	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		
3.2.5 Establishing a risk assessment system for the market surveillance agency	Implemented risk assessment system	Annual report of the agency	LEPL – Market Surveillance Agency		2021			EU technical assistance	
3.2.6 Establishing an electronic information system on hazardous products	Electronic information system on hazardous products	Annual report of the agency	LEPL – Market Surveillance Agency		2021				Implementation of this action depends on finding the donors assistance
3.2.7 Developing a long-term institutional development strategy for the LEPL Market Surveillance Agency	Developed and approved long-term institutional development strategy	Order of the Head of the Agency	LEPL – Market Surveillance Agency		2021			EU technical assistance	
3.2.8 Strengthening capacity of the Accreditation Center and development of accreditation schemes for accreditation in various areas of conformity assessment	Number of accreditation schemes created	Developed scheme / schemes in both voluntary and regulated areas  Gac.gov.ge	LEPL - Georgian National accreditation body –	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Developme	2021		State budget	EU Twinning project	

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			Accreditation Center	nt of Georgia					
3.2.9 Preparation of the technical assignment for the digitalization programme of the Accreditation Centre`s Activities	Prepared technical assignment	Functional electronic system	LEPL - Georgian National accreditation body – Accreditation Center	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia	2021	200 000	LEPL Budget		The total budget of the program for digitalization of the activities of the Accreditation Center is indicated
<b>Objective 3.3.</b>	<b>Facilitate the training and adaptation of stakeholders, including economic operators for the implementation of related legislation</b>								
3.3.1 Organize meetings / seminars for stakeholders, including small and medium entrepreneurs	Meetings held / Number of seminars;  Number of attendees	List of attendees of seminars / meetings	LEPL - National Agency for Standards and Metrology;  LEPL – Market Surveillance Agency;  LEPL - Georgian National accreditation body – Accreditation Center		2021		LEPL Budget	EU technical assistance;  EU Twinning Projects	
3.3.2 Organize trainings for accredited conformity assessment bodies in the fields of standards related to their activities and in the fields of	Number of organized trainings	Annual Report of the agency  www.gac.gov.ge	LEPL - Georgian National accreditation body –	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Developme	2021		State budget (LEPL – budget)	EU Twinning project	

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mandatory documents adopted by international and European organizations operating in the field of accreditation	Number of conformity assessment bodies present at the trainings		Accreditation Center	nt of Georgia					
<b>Objective 3.4.</b>	<b>Capacity building of the relevant state institutions</b>								
3.4.1 Upgrading qualification of staff in the field of standardization and metrology	Number of seminars/trainings/internships conducted for the staff of Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology	Annual report of the agency geostm.ge	LEPL – Georgian National Agency For Standards And Metrology		2021		LEPL Budget		The activity will continue permanently
3.4.2 Upgrading the qualification of the Accreditation Center staff	Number of trainings conducted with the participation of accreditation staff and number of trained employees	Annual Report of the agency www.gac.gov.ge	LEPL - Georgian National accreditation body – Accreditation Center	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia	2021	≈60 000		EU Twinning project	
<b>Objective 3.5.</b>	<b>Enforcement of the market surveillance in accordance with DCFTA obligations</b>								
3.5.1 Enforce market surveillance in the supervisory area of agency based on risk analysis by LEPL Market Surveillance Agency.	Number of inspections performed (documentary and technical)	Annual Report of the agency	LEPL – Market Surveillance Agency				State budget		

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<b>Goal 4.</b>	Promoting trade in products subject to sanitary and phytosanitary measures and protecting the life or health of humans, animals and plants								
<b>Objective 4.1.</b>	Improvement of sanitary and phytosanitary, animal welfare and other legislative measures								
4.1.1 Approximation of Georgia's legislation to the relevant EU legal acts in accordance with Annex XI-B of the Association Agreement	Elaborated legal acts;  Number of Georgia's legislation is approximated to 16 EU legal acts, referred to in Annex XI-B;	Georgian legislation published In the Legislative Herald of Georgia - Matsne.gov.ge /public space (in case of non-normative acts).  Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia	LEPL National Food Agency	2021	856 400	Administrative costs	EU Twinning project (21410 0,00 EUR)	The approximated budget for this component from the total EU Twinning project budget
<b>Objective 4.2.</b>	Raising awareness of consumers and rights holders in business circles and civil society								
4.2.1 Raising stakeholders' awareness of EU approximated Georgian legislation and facilitating adaptation to new requirements	Number of conducted trainings and other events;  Number of persons trained in trainings and other events	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	LEPL National Food Agency	Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia	2021	1 545 857	LEPL budget	EU Twinning project (21410 0,00 EUR)	The approximated budget for this component from the total EU Twinning project budget
<b>Objective 4.3.</b>	Strengthen the capacity and skills of the competent bodies								
4.3.1 Training of employees of the relevant competent authority in legal drafting and implementation; Capacity development of the competent authority, in terms of program development and strengthening laboratory skills	Number of conducted trainings and other events;  Number of persons trained in trainings and other events	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	LEPL National Food Agency	Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia; LEPL - Revenue Service;	2021	2 070 857	1) LEPL National Food Agency budget (689457.14 GEL)  2) LEPL – State Laboratory	3) Czech project - "Development of Georgia Phytosanitary	1. The approximated budget for this component from the total EU Twinning project budget  2. The budget of the LEPL National Food



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				LEPL - State Laboratory of Agriculture			of Agriculture budget (25 000 GEL)	System " (12500 0,00 EUR) 4) Twinning project (21410 0,00 EUR) 5) Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA ) (11000, 00 \$)	Agency indicates the whole budget for staff trainings, from which the relevant activity will be financed.
4.3.2 Introduction of new laboratory diagnostics methods in sanitary and phytosanitary direction and/or expansion of the scope of accreditation	Relevant studies added to the list (statement of prices) of laboratory services (studies).	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	LEPL – State Laboratory of Agriculture	Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia	2021	1 455 000	State budget		Requires donor assistance
4.3.3 Training of specialists in sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary border control, step-by-step upgrading of standard procedural manuals	Number of trainings conducted, specialists participating in it.  Number of standard procedural manuals introduced	Annual report of Revenue Service  www.rs.ge	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service	Ministry of Environmental protection and agriculture ;	2021				

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				National Food Agency					
<b>Objective 4.4.</b>	Implementation of sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary border control								
4.4.1 Implementation of sanitary, phytosanitary and veterinary border control procedures	Number of implemented border control procedures	The results of the implemented procedures are reflected in the control acts - in the relevant software module	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service	Ministry of Environmental protection and agriculture ; National Food Agency	2021		State budget		
4.4.2 Identifying sources for financing for the construction / Reconstruction and equipping of 1 border inspection posts for implementation of approximated sanitary and phytosanitary legislation	Financing source of construction of 1 Border Inspection Post is identified.	Annual report of Revenue Service  www.rs.ge	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service	Ministry of Environmental protection and agriculture . National Food Agency	2021		4 000 000		Implementation of this action depends on finding a donor
<b>Goal 5.</b>	Approximation with EU legislation and EU best practice in the field of customs								
<b>Objective 5.1.</b>	Legal and procedural support for accession to the Common Transit Procedures (CTC) and the Single Administration Document (SAD) and the implementation of the New Computerized Transit System (NCTS)								
5.1.1 Conduct mobilization workshop and awareness raising seminar for the NCTS Software System Development project's national working group and senior policy decision makers	Conducted workshops/seminars	www.rs.ge	Revenue Service		2021			EU	The NCTS Software System Development Project is a 2-year project starting in 2021 and

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									ending in late 2022.
5.1.2 Design and development of GRS NCTS national transit application and eCustoms component for connection and NCTS messages management	Developed components of NCTS application	Report of the Project Steering Committee Meeting	MOF Revenue Service		2021				The end product will be ready at the end of 2022.
<b>Objective 5.2.</b>	<b>Facilitate the implementation of the new Customs Code</b>								
5.2.1 Organize meetings/seminars for the purposes of elaboration of implementing provisions for certain articles of the new Customs Code	Number of conducted meetings	www.rs.ge	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service		2021		State budget		Requires donor assistance
5.2.2 Drafting of implementing provisions for certain articles of the new Customs Code	Draft implementing provisions of certain articles of the Customs Code	www.matse.gov.ge www.rs.ge	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service		2021		State budget		Requires donor assistance
5.2.3 Organize workshops/seminars for the purposes of elaboration of Post Clearance Audit procedural manual	Number of conducted meetings	www.rs.ge	Revenue Service		2021				Implementation of this activity depends on finding a donor assistance
5.2.4 Elaboration of Post Clearance Audit procedural manual	Procedural Manual Drafted	www.rs.ge	Revenue Service		2021				Implementation of this activity depends on finding a donor assistance
<b>Objective 5.3.</b>	<b>Further approximation of the Georgia's Authorized Economic Operators (AEO) program with that of the EU</b>								
5.3.1 Organize workshops aimed at elaboration of the AEO program procedural manual	Number of conducted meetings	www.rs.ge	Revenue Service		2021				Implementation of this activity depends on

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									finding a donor assistance
5.3.2 Drafting of the AEO program manual	Procedural Manual Drafted	Draft of the project; NCTF Information Newsletter	Revenue Service		2021				Implementation of this activity depends on finding a donor assistance
5.3.3 Initiation of negotiations with the EU on conclusion of the AEO Mutual Recognition Memorandum	Initiated negotiations	Minutes of the meeting of the Customs Subcommittee  <a href="https://trade.ec.europa.eu/">https://trade.ec.europa.eu/</a> and/or an official letter	Ministry of Finance; Revenue Service	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	2021				Depends on the consent from the EU side
<b>Goal 6.</b>	Legislative and institutional approximation in the field of establishment, trade in services and e-commerce with relevant EU legislation								
<b>Objective 6.1.</b>	Develop a legal framework in line with European best practices in telecommunications, e-commerce and postal services and promote the development of the postal market								
6.1.1 Adoption of the Law of Georgia on E-Commerce	Adopted Law of Georgia on Electronic Commerce	matsne.gov.ge  dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia		2021		State Budget		

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6.1.2 Approximation of Georgian legislation with the relevant EU directives: Directive on privacy and electronic communications (2002/58/EC), Authorisation Directive (2002/20/EC), Access Directive (2002/19/EC), Framework Directive (2002/21/EC) and Universal Service Directive (2002/22/EC)	Legislative changes adopted in order to approximate the five EU legal acts provided for in Annex XV-B	matsne.gov.ge dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia	Georgian National Communications Commission	2021		State Budget		
6.1.3 Adoption of Postal Law	Adopted law on postal services	matsne.gov.ge dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia		2021		State Budget		
<b>Goal 7.</b>	Legislative and institutional approximation in the field of public procurement with relevant EU legislation and institutional capacity building								
<b>Objective 7.1.</b>	Adopt a new law on public procurement and by-laws and develop guidelines, methodological guidelines and instructions on this topic.								
7.1.1. Implementation of legislative changes in the field of public procurement in accordance with Annexes XVI-E, XVI-F, XVI-G, XVI-H, XVI-I, XVI-J, XVI-K to the Association Agreement	Adopted Law on State Procurement	matsne.gov.ge; procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge	LEPL State Procurement Agency	Government of Georgia, Ministries, Parliament of Georgia	2021		LEPL Budget		
7.1.2. Elaboration and adoption of “secondary legislation” - by-laws based on the Law on Public Procurement	Adopted secondary legislation	matsne.gov.ge; procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge	LEPL State Procurement Agency		2021		LEPL Budget		

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7.1.3. Develop manuals, methodological guidelines and instructions in accordance with the Law on Public Procurement and publish them electronically on the website	Published methodological guidelines, manuals and instructions	Annual Report of the State Procurement Agency; E-Newsletter of the State Procurement Agency;  procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge	LEPL State Procurement Agency		2021		LEPL Budget		
<b>Objective 7.2.</b>	Modernization of the unified electronic system of public procurement								
7.2.1. Development of new e-services, procedures and tools of the Unified System of Public Procurement (e-Procurement)	Additional services and opportunities introduced in the Unified System of Public Procurement;	Modernized Unified System of Public Procurement (e-Procurement; Electronic Government procurement system); Annual Report of the State Procurement Agency; E-Newsletter of the State Procurement Agency; procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge	LEPL State Procurement Agency	LEPL National Agency of Public Registry of the Ministry of Justice; LEPL Financial-Analytical Service of the Ministry of Finance	2021		LEPL Budget		
<b>Objective 7.3.</b>	Human resource development in the field of public procurement								
7.3.1 Conduct trainings for the relevant employees of the State Procurement Agency according to the requirements of the new Law on Public Procurement	Number of trained employees of the State Procurement Agency, 20 employees	Annual Report of the State Procurement Agency; E-Newsletter of the State Procurement Agency;	LEPL State Procurement Agency		2021		LEPL Budget		Requires donor assistance

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		procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge							
7.3.2. Conduct trainings for the procuring authorities, economic operators and other relevant stakeholders according to the new Law on Public Procurement	Number of trained staff of procuring authorities, economic operators and relevant stakeholders: 10 classes in one academic year	Annual Report of the State Procurement Agency; E-Newsletter of the State Procurement Agency; procurement.gov.ge; spa.ge	LEPL State Procurement Agency		2021		LEPL Budget		Requires donor assistance
<b>Goal 8.</b>	<b>Approximation to EU standards and best practices in the field of intellectual property</b>								
<b>Objective 8.1.</b>	<b>Ensuring access to justice in the field of intellectual property</b>								
8.1.1 Conduct trainings on intellectual property rights for representatives of relevant government or executive agencies, judges and lawyers;  Preparation of a collection of interesting and important decisions of the European Court of Justice and the Boards of Appeal of European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO).	The number of trainings organized for representatives of relevant government or executive agencies, judges and lawyers;  A collection of developed decisions	sakpatenti.gov.ge	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti	LEPL High School of Justice	2021	35 000	State budget	EU technical assistance; EU funded, Project with the European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO)	Additional donor assistance is needed/ Preparation of a set of decisions is funded by the EU and By the European Union Intellectual Property Office
<b>Objective 8.2.</b>	<b>LEPL - Institutional Development of the Georgian National Intellectual Property Center - Sakpatenti</b>								

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8.2.1 Holding trainings and workshops for Sakpatenti employees; Organizing bilateral meetings and seminars with third country governments and industry associations to share best practices and experiences from developed countries	Number of participants in meetings and trainings organized for employees	sakpatenti.gov.ge	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti		2021	3 000	State budget		Requires donor assistance
8.2.2 Development of Trademark Guidelines with the support of European Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO)	Developed guidelines within the project	sakpatenti.gov.ge	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti		2021	88 000		EU and EUIPO	
<b>Objective 8.3.</b>	Raising awareness in the field of intellectual property								
8.3.1 Conduct trainings and workshops to raise public awareness	At least 200 trained individuals, including in the regions.  Number of trainings and workshops conducted	sakpatenti.gov.ge	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti		2021	17 000	LEPL Budget		Requires donor assistance
8.3.2 Publication of information booklets and flyers	Number of published information materials	Published booklets and flyers	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti		2021	14 000	LEPL Budget		Requires donor assistance
<b>Objective 8.4.</b>	Implement effective measures against contraception and piracy								
8.4.1 Conducting workshops and seminars for owners of intellectual property rights and stakeholders to raise awareness;	Number of workshops and trainings for owners and stakeholders;	Number of workshops and trainings for owners and stakeholders;	Number of workshops and trainings for owners and		2021	34 000	LEPL Budget (10000 GEL)	EUIPO (6000 EUR)	Requires additional donor assistance
Development of the guidelines	Developed guidelines								



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		Developed guidelines	stakeholders ; Developed guidelines						
8.4.2 Review the cases related to the violation of rights and development of relevant recommendations by the Interagency Coordination Council for the Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights	Number of meetings held by the Council	Prepared Minutes of the council meeting; sakpatenti.gov.ge	LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti	Interagency Coordination Council for the Enforcement of Intellectual Property Rights	2021		LEPL Budget		Implementation of the activity depends on whether the right holders apply to the Council
8.4.3 Detection of counterfeit and pirated products, including on the border and abating of infringing activities	Number of cases identified and investigated	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	MOF;  Revenue Service;  LEPL National Intellectual Property Center of Georgia – Sakpatenti		2021				
<b>Goal 9.</b>	<b>Develop competition and trade remedy fields in line with EU best practices</b>								
<b>Obejctive 9.1.</b>	<b>Raising awareness on competition policy and trade remedies among public and private sector representatives</b>								
9.1.1 Organizing seminars and information meetings on current issues of competition for public and private sector representatives	Number of seminars and information meetings held	Annual report of the agency, www.competition.ge	LEPL Georgian National Competition Agency		2021	5 000	State Budget		Requires additional donor assistance
9.1.2 Organizing seminars and meetings for representatives of	Number of seminars and meetings held, number of participants	Annual report of the agency,	LEPL Georgian National		2021				Implementation of the activity

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the private sector on taking the anti-dumping measures		www.competition.ge	Competition Agency						depends on finding donor assistance
9.1.3 Production and dissemination of information materials on the use of anti-dumping measures	Number of newsletters produced and disseminated	Annual report of the agency, www.competition.ge	LEPL Georgian National Competition Agency		2021		Donor		Implementation of the activity depends on finding donor assistance
<b>Objective 9.2.</b>	<b>Improving the qualification of employees</b>								
9.2.1 Organizing trainings / seminars / study visits on current issues of competition policy (including on legislative changes)	Number of trainings / seminars / study visits conducted	Annual report of the agency, www.competition.ge	LEPL Georgian National Competition Agency		2021	5 000	LEPL budget		Requires additional donor assistance
9.2.2 Raising the qualification of the Agency staff in relation to the use of anti-dumping measures	Number of trainings / seminars / study visits conducted	Annual report of the agency, www.competition.ge	LEPL Georgian National Competition Agency		2021				Implementation of the activity depends on finding donor assistance
<b>Goal 10.</b>	<b>Promoting sustainable development</b>								
<b>Objective 10.1.</b>	<b>Sustainable management of natural resources and contribution to the conservation</b>								
10.1.1 Extend cooperation with the EU and the GFCM to develop electronic fisheries monitoring system and to fight against illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing.	Identified actions to be carried out to equip commercial fishing vessels with appropriate technical equipment for the electronic monitoring system. Identified needs and planned future actions to combat illegal, unreported and unregulated (IUU) fishing.	DCFTA Annual Action Plan Report  dcfta.gov.ge	The state sub-agency Department of Environmental Supervision	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia  LEPL – National	2021	85 000			

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				Environmental Agency					
10.1.2 Close and continuous cooperation between the Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia and FAO/GFCM	Number of meetings and surveys in the frame of the BlackSea4Fish project	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia	The state sub-agency Department of Environmental Supervision  LEPL – National Environmental Agency	2021	10 000			Additional funding is needed
10.1.3 Ensure compliance of the draft by-laws with the new Forest Code	Elaborated by-laws in accordance with the new Forest Code	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia		2021	40 000	State Budget	German Federal Enterprise for International Cooperation (GIZ) (10 000 EUR)	
10.1.4 Improvement of information and decision support system for forest and land use	The basic modules of the forest information and monitoring system are developed	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia		2021	26 600 000		Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development	

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								of Germany (BMZ) (5 400 000 EUR)	
10.1.5 Supporting trade in timber produced as a result of a sustainable forest management	There are 25 active “Business Yards” across the country	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia		2021	3 500 000	State Budget		
<b>Objective 10.2.</b>	<b>Implementation of international commitments / agreements related to climate change</b>								
10.2.1 The preparation and approval of the final version of the Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC)	The document approved by the government;  The document registered in the Convention system	NDC Registry  <a href="https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/NDCStaging/Pages/All.aspx">https://www4.unfccc.int/sites/NDCStaging/Pages/All.aspx</a>	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia		2021				
10.2.2 Preparation and approval of the final versions of the Climate Change Strategy 2030 and Action Plan 2021-2023 (CSAP)	The final version of the CSAP is approved by the government	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  dcfta.gov.ge	The Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia		2021	3 315 180		German Federal Enterprise for International Cooperation (GIZ)	The amount indicated is the total budget of the project
10.2.3 The preparation of the final version of Georgia’s 4th National Communication	FNC is submitted to the Secretariat of the Convention	The document of Fourth National Communication is	The Ministry of Environmen		2021	2 529 175		Global Environment	The amount indicated is the total

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(FNC) to the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and submission of the document to the Secretariat of the Convention		placed on Convention web-page - <a href="http://www.unfccc.int">www.unfccc.int</a>	tal Protection and Agriculture of Georgia					Facility (GEF)	budget of the project
<b>Objective 10.3.</b>	<b>Ensuring protection of labour rights in line with international standards</b>								
10.3.1 Informing employers and employees about occupational safety and health rules in the workplace which derives from the national and international law	Number of information meetings and consultations provided	<a href="http://www.moh.gov.ge">www.moh.gov.ge</a>	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia	LEPL - Labour Inspection Service	2021		State budget		
10.3.2 Raising the awareness of employers and employees about child labour	Number of information meetings held to raise awareness about child labour	<a href="http://www.moh.gov.ge">www.moh.gov.ge</a>	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia	LEPL - Labour Inspection Service	2021		State budget		Requires donor assistance
10.3.3 Transformation of the Labour Inspection Department into a Legal Entity of Public Law and its Institutional Strengthening by collaboration with social partners	LEPL - Labour Inspection Service is set up  LEPL - Labour Inspection Service staffed with relevant human resources	<a href="http://matsne.gov.ge">matsne.gov.ge</a>  Annual report of the Labour Inspection  <a href="http://www.moh.gov.ge">www.moh.gov.ge</a>	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories,		2021	6 000 000	State budget		

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	Number of measures taken to increase the capacity of labour inspectors		Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia						
10.3.4 Functioning of the Labour Inspectorate in accordance with the extended mandate defined by the legislation	Number of companies inspected and recommendations issued per year;  Number/indicator of recommendations implemented;	Annual report of the Labour Inspection - <a href="http://www.moh.gov.ge">www.moh.gov.ge</a>	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia	LEPL - Labour Inspection Service	2021	6 000 000	State budget		
10.3.5 Functioning of the Tripartite Social Partnership Commission and discussing the issues envisioned by the action plan	Number of commission and working group meetings	Minutes of the meeting of the Tripartite Social Partnership Commission	Ministry of Internally Displaced Persons from the Occupied Territories, Labour, Health and Social Affairs of Georgia	Member Agencies / Organizations of the Tripartite Social Partnership Commission	2021		State budget		
<b>Goal 11.</b>	<b>Ensure effective coordination and communication about the DCFTA implementation</b>								
<b>Objective 11.1.</b>	<b>Disseminate information about the benefits, opportunities and benefits of the DCFTA</b>								
11.1.1 Efficient operation of the web-portal on DCFTA	Number of website visitors  Number of published draft legislative acts	Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021		State budget		

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11.1.2. Organization of DCFTA Advisory Group meetings to involve and inform civil society, business representatives, and NGOs in the DCFTA implementation process	At least 1 meeting per year	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021		State budget		
11.1.3 Holding thematic Meetings with the representatives of business, NGOs, local government, academics and other stakeholders to raise their awareness on the DCFTA related issues	Number of meetings held	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021		State budget		Requires donor assistance
11.1.4. Issuing printed materials/ informative booklets in order to raise awareness on the DCFTA implementation process	Number of Published printed materials	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021		State budget		Implementation of this action depends on the donor assistance
<b>Objective 11.2.</b>	<b>Improving the functioning of a coordination mechanism for timely and successful implementation of the undertaken obligations</b>								
11.2.1. Organizing meetings of the Interagency Subcommission on the DCFTA Implementation	At least 1 meeting per year	Annual report on the implementation of the DCFTA National Action Plan  Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021				
11.2.2 Develop DCFTA Implementation National Action Plan for 2022	Adopted DCFTA Implementation Annual National Action Plan	Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development		2021				
11.2.3 Drafting and publishing of the quarterly and annual	Prepared DCFTA implementation reports	Dcfta.gov.ge	Ministry of Economy		2021				

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reports on the implementation of the DCFTA Implementation National Action Plan			and Sustainable Development						