

InfoTrade Bulletin

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Key Functions of the InfoTrade Portal

- A step-by-step guide on procedures required to export, import, and transit goods within the country.
- Documentation of trade procedures.

Key Milestones

The information for trade simplification exercise has seen reduction & duplication of steps and documentation as well as costs as below:

- > 53 procedures have undergone simplification.
- > 45 steps have been eliminated.
- > 66 required documents have been removed.
- > 21 steps can now be completed online.
- > There has been KES 218, 611 administrative burden cost savings for these procedures.
- > 93 hours waiting time in the gueue, at the counter & in between steps have been saved.
- The table below shows 2 commodity procedures simplified since 2018 with support from TMEA, EU Markup Project & GIZ for Meat & meat products and Flowers, through the port of Mombasa and JKIA, respectively.

	Product/Process	Original procedure	Current procedure
1.	Export of Meat and Meat products through Port of Mombasa	57	37
2.	Export of Flowers through JKIA	40	35

> The table below demonstrates the number of infoTradeKe portal visitors per country in Q1 of FY 2023-2024.

	Country + +	↓ Users	Newusers	Engaged sessions	Engagement rate
		8,732 100% of total	8,395 100% of total	6,506 100% of total	52.06% Avg 0%
1	Kenya	6,456	6,112	4,723	51.39%
2	India	235	225	193	63.91%
3	Netherlands	228	217	169	65.76%
4	United States	226	215	145	48.17%
5	United Kingdom	165	163	104	49.29%
6	South Africa	116	110	96	60.76%
7	China	96	91	28	25.23%
8	Germany	96	88	49	42.98%
9	United Arab Emirates	82	75	65	59.63%
10	Tanzania	66	64	47	55.29%

> For increased awareness and accessibility of the portal from different sites, the Agency in Q1 of FY 2023-2024, managed to embed the infotrade portal on Uasin Gishu County website.

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