

BETTER TRADE 4 THE SDGs

Using trade as a motor for achieving the SDGs

Information Sheet

Useful resources, links and analytical tools

UNCTAD website: <http://www.unctad.org>

Session 1: Green Export Opportunities

- [UNCTAD project: National Green Export Review \(NGER\)](#)
 - [NGER Factsheet](#)
 - [Green Product Space of Nations \(Technical Paper\)](#)
- Publications
 - [National Green Export Review of Ethiopia: Leather and Sesame Seeds](#)
 - [Examen national de l'export vert de Madagascar : étude de base de la CNUCED](#) (French only)
 - [National Green Export Review of Vanuatu: Copra-Coconut, Cocoa-Chocolate and Sandalwood](#)
 - [Política Nacional de Exportación de Productos Verdes del Ecuador: Cacao-Chocolate y Pesca Sostenible](#) (Spanish only)
 - [Examen national de l'export vert du Maroc : produits oléicoles, romarin et thym](#) (French only)

Session 2: Voluntary Sustainability Standards (VSS)

- [UNCTAD Project: Fostering green exports through voluntary sustainability standards](#)
 - [Newsletter Volume 1](#)
 - [Newsletter Volume 2](#)
- [United Nations Forum on Sustainability Standards \(UNFSS\)](#)

Steering Committee Members:

 - UNCTAD: [Fostering green exports through voluntary sustainability standards](#)
 - UN Environment, [Environnement and Trade Hub](#)
 - International Trade Center (ITC), [Sustainability Map](#)
 - Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), [Environmental and social standards; Sustainable food and agriculture](#)
 - UN Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), [Meeting the standards](#)
- Other organizations
 - [International Organization for Standardization \(ISO\), Developing sustainably.](#)

- [ISEAL Alliance](#): A global membership association for credible standards, with 21 [members and subscribers](#)
- [Fairtrade International](#)
- [Fairtrade America](#)

Session 3: BioTrade and Access and Benefit-Sharing

- [UNCTAD BioTrade Initiative](#)
- UNCTAD BioTrade Programme: [Linking trade, biodiversity and sustainable development](#)
- [BioTrade Congress](#) (bi-annual)
- Publications (complete list can be found [here](#))
 - [Trade and Biodiversity Conservation, Report of the IV BioTrade Congress](#)
 - [BioTrade and Access and Benefit Sharing: From concept to practice. A handbook for policymakers and regulators](#)
 - [20 Years of BioTrade: Connecting People, the Planet and Markets](#)
- Social Media
 - [Twitter](#)
 - [LinkedIn](#)
- BioTrade Partners
 - [ABS Capacity Development Initiative](#)
 - [CITES Secretariat](#)
 - [Development Bank for Latin America \(CAF\)](#)
 - [Forum for Law, Environment, Development and Governance \(FLEDGE\)](#)
 - [Helvetas Swiss Intercooperation](#)
 - [International Trade Centre \(ITC\)](#)
 - [PhytoTrade Africa Network](#)
 - [Swiss Import Promotion Programme \(SIPPO\)](#)
 - [Union for Ethical BioTrade \(UEBT\)](#)
- Other Links:
 - [Swiss State Secretariat for Economic Affairs SECO](#)
 - [Convention on Biological Diversity \(CBD\)](#)