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Performance Indicators in TF Context

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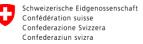
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Annually held on January 26, International Customs Day (ICD) recognizes the role of Customs officials and agencies in maintaining border security. It focuses on the working conditions and challenges that Customs officers face in their jobs.

"In recent years, we have witnessed the emergence of a whole gamut of new tools that have the potential to help people leverage data in new and powerful ways. Traditional methods for detecting and managing risks have served many administrations well, but there are now new opportunities to use more advanced methods to get the most value from the information available."

"Over the course of 2017, I invite all WCO Members to promote and share information on how they are leveraging the potential of data to advance and achieve their objectives and to respond to the expectations of traders, transport and logistic operators, as well as governments.

Wishing you all a very joyful International Customs Day!"

K. Mikuriya, Secretary General, WCO 26 January 2017







"However beautiful the strategy, you should occasionally look at the results."

Winston Churchill









 Governments and the donor community have moved to RBM methodology to demonstrate results for programs

 RBM is a management tool – for Customs administrations, it can serve as a project/program planning, monitoring and evaluation tool

 It is not just indicators - it is a means to assist in managing risk, monitoring progress, and reporting





What is RBM?

Results-based management (RBM) is a lifecycle approach to management to improve decision-making, transparency and accountability.



Defining where you're going and how you plan to get there....



RM Chain



What resources are used? What is done?

What is produced or delivered? What do you wish to achieve? What long-term change are you aiming for?

Inputs

Activities

Outputs

Outcomes

Impact

Enhanced/increased skills, knowledge, ability

Immediate Outcomes

Enhanced/increased organizational or individual capacity

Intermediate Outcomes





Outcomes

Immediate:

Increased understanding of....
Increased knowledge of.....
Increased skills to.....

Intermediate:

Increased number of
Increased capacity in
Improved quality of



Impact



Organizational:

Efficiency

Compliance with international standards

Client satisfaction

Better funding

Cultural

Macro and micro economic:

Poverty reduction

Improved investment climate

Job creation





"It is much more difficult to measure non-performance than it is to measure performance"



Harold S Geneen

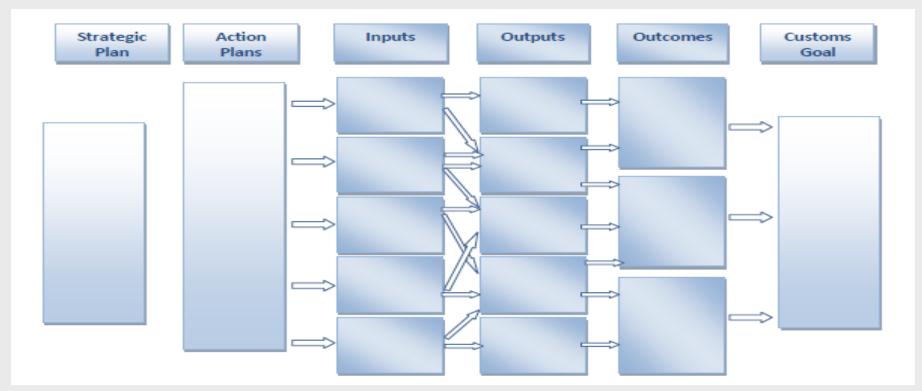
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Definitions

Performance Measurement

The on-going monitoring and reporting of a Customs administration's progress toward reaching its organizational goals







TYPES OF PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT



PM Methods



Balanced Scorecard

Benchmarking

Business Process Reengineering

ISO9000

Knowledge Management

Management by Objectives

Total Quality Management





TYPES OF PERFORMANCE INDICATORS



Types of Indicators

- ➤ Outcome or Impact Indicators
- ➤Input or Activity Indicators
- **≻Output Indicators**
- >Efficiency Indicators
- > Effectiveness Indicators
- >Holistic Direct & Indirect Indicators



Criteria for Identifying Performance Indicators

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Clarity of purpose

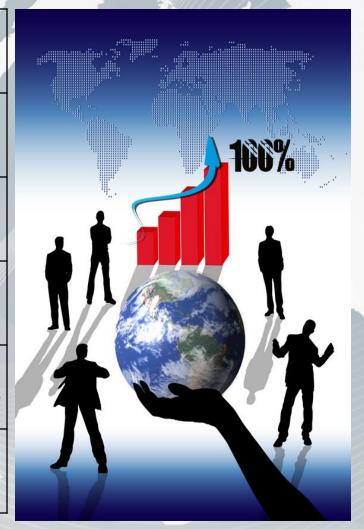
Focus

Alignment

Balance

Regular refinement

Robust



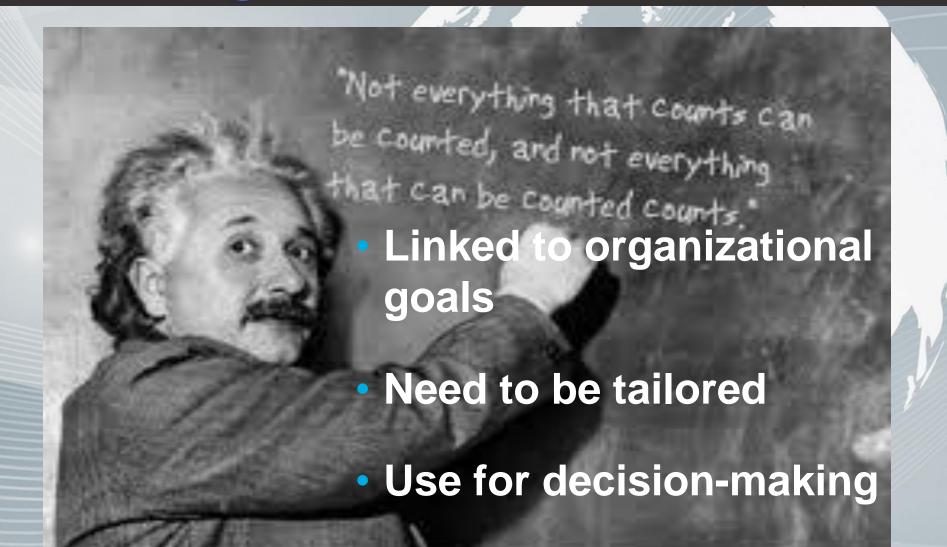




DESIGNING PERFORMANCE INDICATORS



Key Messages







Performance Indicator Design Steps

Identify Customs Administration Strategic Goals & Objectives

List Core Functions That Deliver Objectives (Inputs/Outputs/Outcomes)

Consider other Action Plans of the Organization

Include External Performance Requirements That May Be Imposed On Customs To Collect & Report On

Categorize Indicators Based On Objectives:

- Strategic & Operational
- Quantitative & Qualitative
- Efficiency

Ownership / Timeframes



Developing Performance Indicators example

Performance Indicators	Questions		
Title	Name of indicator		
Purpose	Why is it being measured?		
Object	What is being measured?		
Metric	What is the definition?		
Data requirement	Where will the input data originate?		
Data collection method	How will the data be collected?		
Responsible	Who will collect the data?		
Timing	How often will the data be collected & reported?		
Ownership	Who needs the data?		
Linkage	Is the indicator associated with another indicator?		



Examples



RESOURCES							
Outcome – E.G. Foster a skilled, service-oriented workforce that is adequately equipped to undertake Customs role							
	Input / Activity / Indicator	Output	Possible Target Methodology	Possible Sources			
	Number of staff	E.G Appropriate human	Time taken to recruit	Human Resource			
	Organisational demographic	resource policies to deliver		Information			
	# Vacant positions	Customs goals and objectives	Minimum number of	Management System			
	Time taken to recruit	Overall organizational	training hours/days per				
Human Resources	% Officers trained during reporting period	structure	employee	Scheduled staff surveys			
	Training hours per officer during reporting period						
	Days taken for unscheduled absence per officer	Most efficient & effective		Performance feedback			
	Attrition rate and reason	number of officers and		interviews			
	Staff morale	Customs Houses at the					
		Regional and Local levels		Exit interview/ survey			
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CUSTOMS SYSTEMS & PROCEDURES						
Outcome - E.G The border is managed efficiently and proactively and high-risk travellers, conveyances and consignments are identified						
Input / Activity / Indicator		Output	Possible Target	Possible Sources		
			Methodology			
	Forecast revenue vs. actual collected amount	E.G Collecting the correct				
	% Revenue split by import duty, tax and excise	amount of revenue on behalf	Customs Import/Export	Trade Statistics		
	% Revenue collected for each: red, amber, green imports	of government	Management System			
	% Revenue collected exports					
Revenue Collection	% Revenue collected post clearance audit					
	% Revenue collected import processing charges					
	% Revenue collected passenger movement charge					
	% Revenue collected levies (marine, navigation, pollution,					
	etc.)					
	% Revenue collected on behalf of other agencies (transport,					
	quarantine, etc.)					
	% Revenue collected resulting from Court action					

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