

**Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures**

**SPS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES  
1 SEPTEMBER 1994 TO 31 DECEMBER 2011**

Note by the Secretariat<sup>1</sup>

Revision

1. This document provides an update of all the SPS technical assistance (TA) and training activities undertaken by the Secretariat from 1 September 1994 to 31 December 2011.
2. The main objective of SPS technical assistance and training activities undertaken by the WTO Secretariat is to increase participants' awareness about Members' rights and obligations under the Agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures (SPS Agreement) and its implications for national policymaking. The SPS technical assistance activities also provide an opportunity to inform participants on the discussions held and latest documents considered by the SPS Committee. In addition, participants are informed about upcoming SPS workshops and technical assistance initiatives available to their countries on SPS matters.
3. The programme and presentations are adapted to take into account specific needs identified by the countries, participants' knowledge of the SPS Agreement, the level of development of the countries, and any specific concerns relating to the implementation of the SPS Agreement in order to adequately respond to individual requests. SPS technical assistance and training activities typically include presentations on the basic provisions of the SPS Agreement, the transparency provisions, specific trade concerns raised at the SPS Committee, the WTO dispute settlement and SPS-related cases, and specific issues such as risk analysis, regionalization and equivalence.
4. Altogether, 242 SPS training activities have been undertaken by the WTO Secretariat from 1 September 1994 to 31 December 2011. In 2011, 21 SPS training activities were undertaken: four regional or sub-regional workshops, ten national seminars, six other activities (including one Special SPS workshop held back to back with the October SPS Committee meeting) and one Advanced SPS Course.<sup>2</sup>
5. For each of these 242 events, the annexed table identifies the type of activity; the region, venue and dates; participating countries; the language used; as well as whether representatives from the FAO/WHO Codex Alimentarius Commission (Codex), the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE), and the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) Secretariat participated in the activity.

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<sup>1</sup> This document has been prepared under the Secretariat's own responsibility and is without prejudice to the positions of Members or to their rights or obligations under the WTO.

<sup>2</sup> The Advanced SPS Course includes a follow-up activity which is held back-to-back with the July SPS Committee meeting of the following year.

6. A regional workshop refers to an activity organized by the WTO in which a region or sub-region was invited to participate. A national seminar refers to an activity undertaken at the national level only. The "other" category refers to all other SPS TA and training activities that do not fall under either of the first two categories. This includes other types of SPS-specific activities organized by the WTO Secretariat as well as activities organized by Members or other bodies in which the WTO Secretariat participated. Other general WTO training courses, such as Trade Policy Courses, Regional Trade Policy Courses, Geneva Weeks and Introduction Courses for Least-developed Countries also include sessions on the SPS Agreement; however, they are not included in the list of TA activities covered by this document.

7. The information provided in the Annex below is organized on an annual basis and in alphabetical order based on the region where the activity was undertaken, with the more recent activities listed first. Detailed information is not available for all technical assistance activities undertaken prior to 1999.

8. SPS TA activities are organized in close collaboration with Members, the three international standard-setting organizations referenced in the SPS Agreement (Codex, IPPC and the OIE), as well as with regional organizations, when appropriate. Since 1994, the Codex has participated in 88 activities, while the IPPC Secretariat participated in 75 activities and the OIE in 87 activities.

9. To meet the demands for more advanced SPS TA and training activities, a three-week Advanced Course on the SPS Agreement has been offered each year since 2005. This Advanced SPS course provides in-depth and "hands-on" SPS training, where at the end of the course participants must elaborate an "action plan" to address identified SPS needs in their countries. The implementation of the action plans is monitored after the course, and participants are invited to return to Geneva eight months after the end of the course to present the achievements reached through their action plans. The next Advanced SPS course is scheduled for October 2012, and it will be held in French.

10. In addition to the above-mentioned SPS technical assistance and training activities, the WTO offers an E-Learning course on the SPS Agreement. The course is offered each year in all three official languages of the WTO: English, French and Spanish.

11. At the beginning of 2011, Members were informed of all planned technical assistance activities and interested officials were invited to submit applications for specific events (G/SPS/GEN/997/Rev.1).<sup>3</sup> The Codex, IPPC and OIE secretariats also drew attention to this information on SPS training activities in their respective meetings. More than 300 applications were received for the six SPS-related activities, other than national seminars and E-Learning, that were offered by the WTO Secretariat in 2011; 231 candidates were selected in total.<sup>4</sup> For the Advanced SPS course, candidates were required to have previously completed the WTO E-Learning course on the SPS Agreement. For the regional workshops, preference was given to candidates that had successfully completed the WTO E-Learning course on the SPS Agreement at the time of their application. Applicants were requested to provide information that indicated how their professional responsibilities were related to the SPS Agreement, and the endorsement of Members' permanent

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<sup>3</sup>Starting in 2010, the Secretariat introduced a more structured approach for its SPS training activities whereby Members are informed of all planned technical assistance activities at the beginning of the year and interested official are invited to submit applications for specific events (as contained in G/SPS/GEN/997 and subsequent revisions).

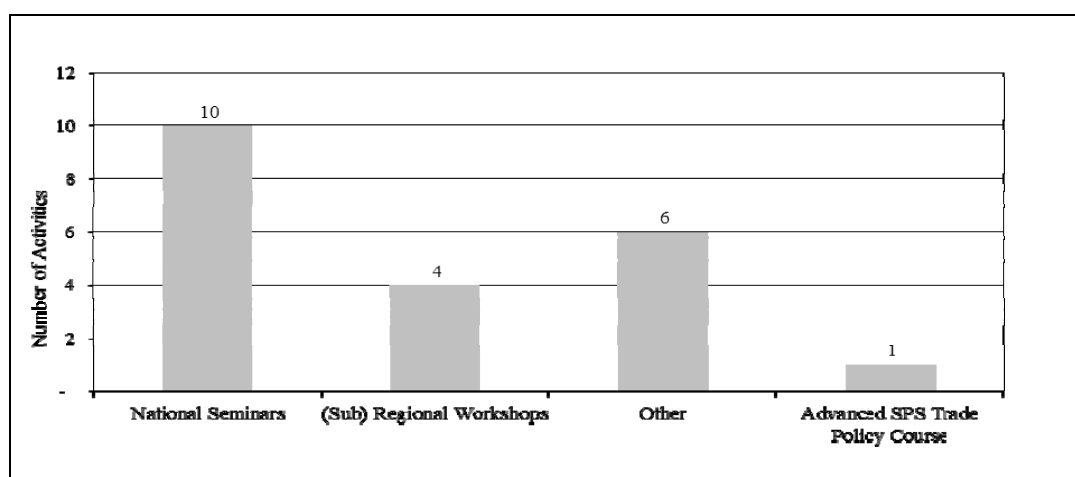
<sup>4</sup> In the case of the Regional Workshop for the Caribbean, very few applications were initially received from interested government officials and as such, the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) assisted in further disseminating information on the workshop, resulting in additional officials being nominated to participate in this Regional Workshop.

representations to the WTO was sought before the final selection of participants. The Secretariat endeavoured to ensure that the selected participants represented a balance of officials with responsibilities in the food safety, animal health or plant protection area within their national administrations, as well as SPS enquiry points and national notification authorities; and other officials responsible for coordination of WTO trade issues and SPS matters within their governments.

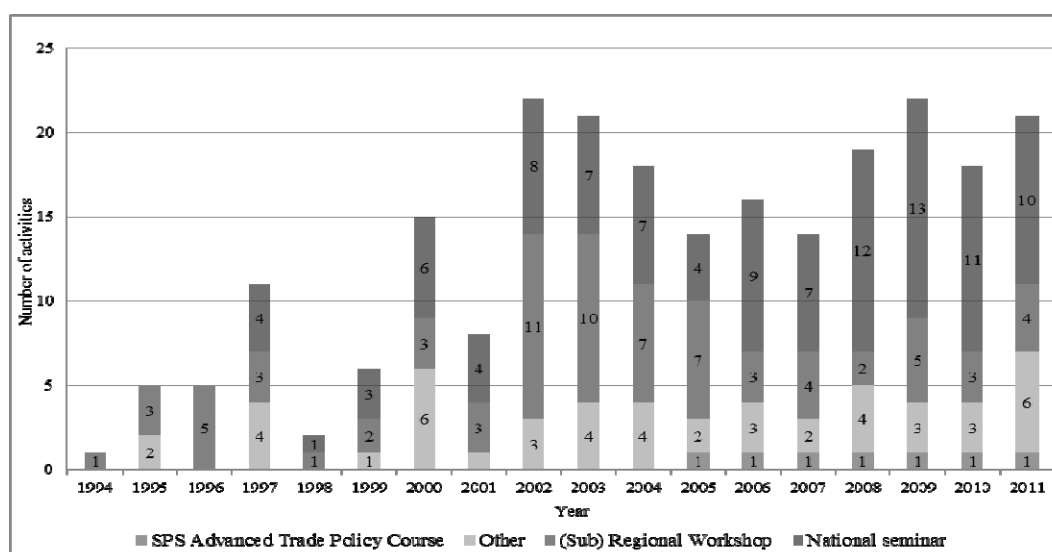
12. The Secretariat considers that this more "demand-driven" approach, based on applications from interested officials, together with the pre-requisite of completion of the SPS E-Learning course, has resulted in a more homogeneous and higher level of background knowledge by participants, and permitted the delivery of more advanced and effective training activities during 2010 and 2011. The Secretariat will organize its 2012 training activities in this manner, as indicated in document G/SPS/GEN/997/Rev.2.

13. Chart 1 below lists the breakdown of the type of activities undertaken in 2011 and Chart 2 shows the number of activities per year.

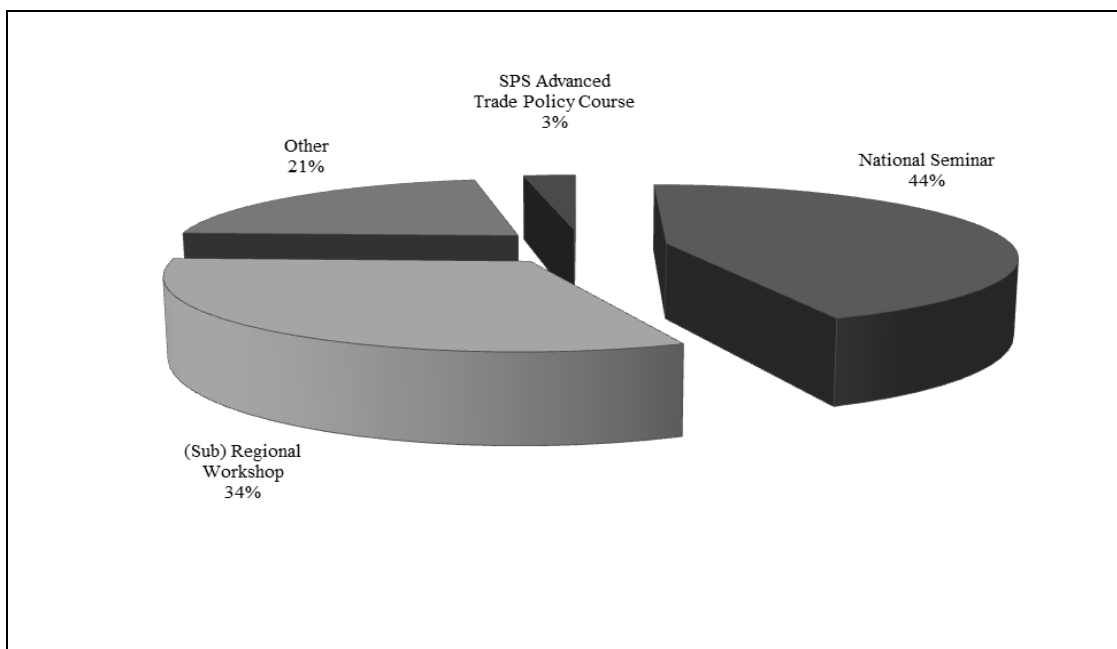
**Chart 1 - SPS Technical Assistance Activities 2011**



**Chart 2 - SPS Technical Assistance Activities per year, 1994-2011**

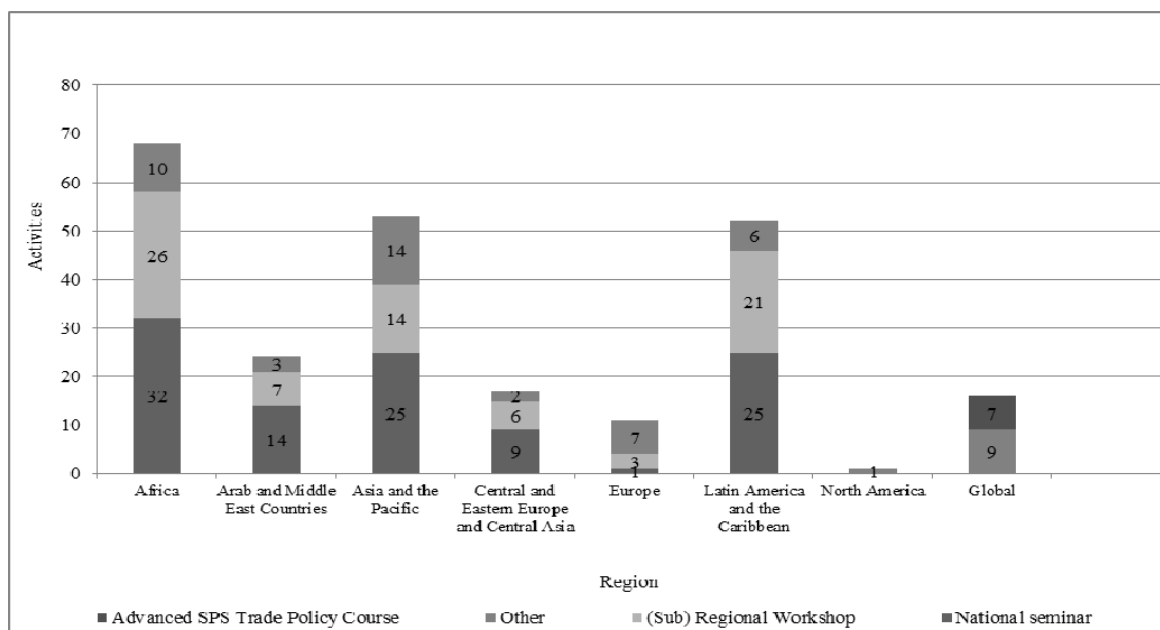


**Chart 3 - Type of SPS Technical Assistance Activities, 1994-2011**



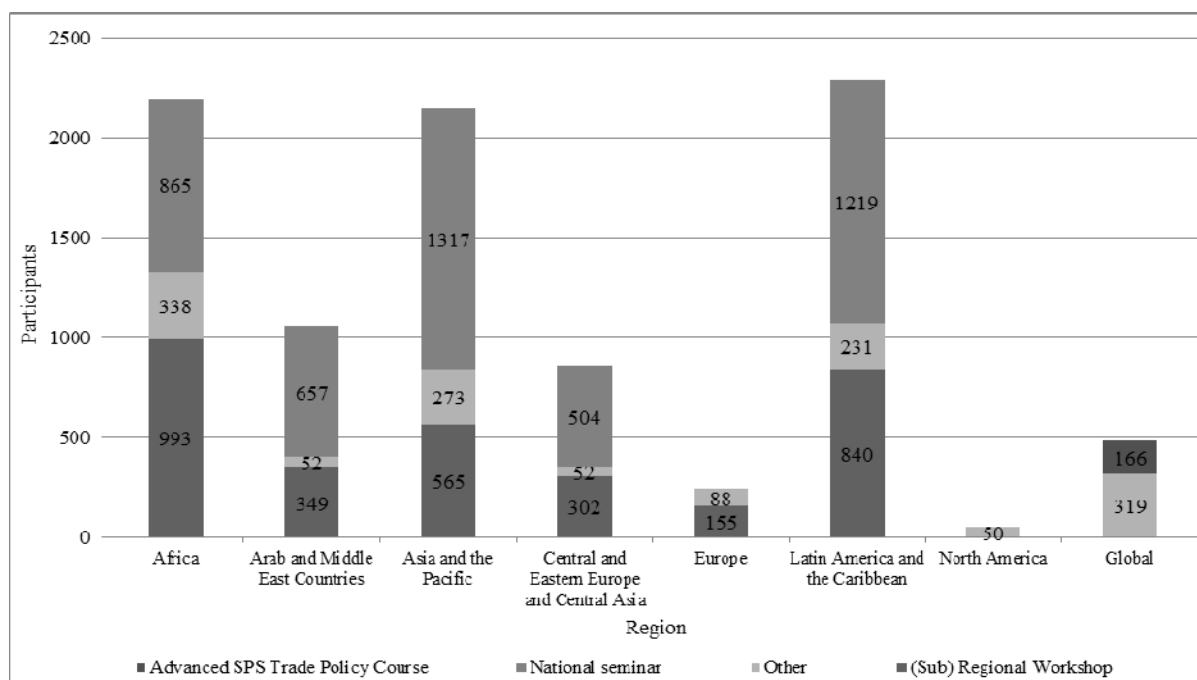
14. Chart 3 presents a breakdown of the type of activity undertaken since 1994: 106 national seminars, 77 regional or sub-regional workshops, 52 "other" activities and seven advanced courses on the SPS Agreement.

**Chart 4 - SPS Technical Assistance Activities per Region, 1994-2011**

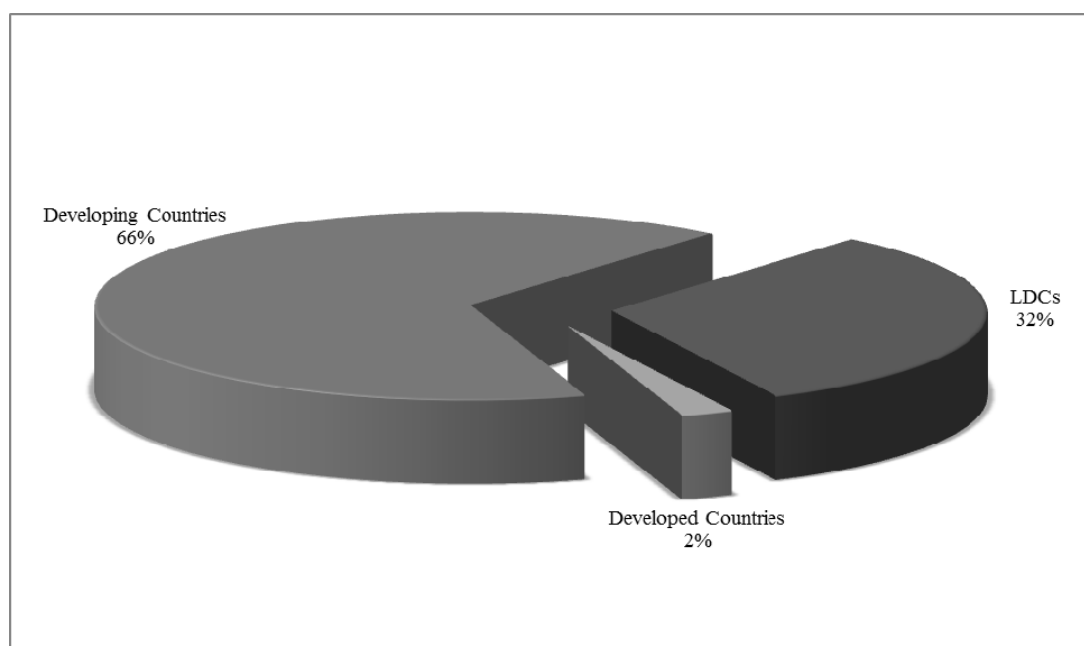


15. Chart 4 shows the number and type of TA activities per region, while Chart 5 presents the total number of participants who have attended SPS TA and training activities per region and per type of activity. Overall, a total of 9,335 people have been given training by the WTO Secretariat on the SPS Agreement since 1994.

**Chart 5 - Participants per Region, 1994-2011**

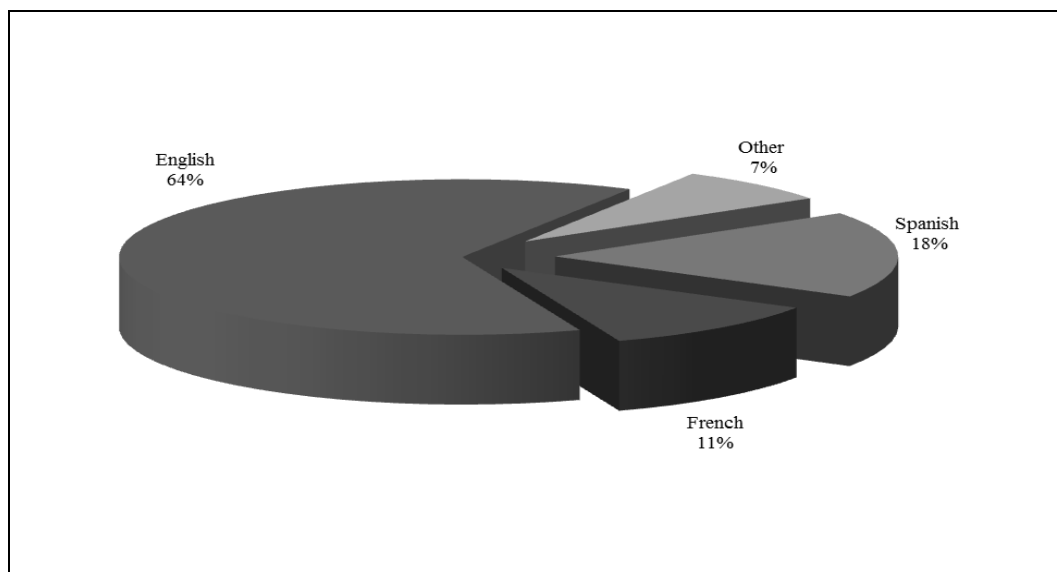


**Chart 6 - Breakdown of country participation from 1994 to 2011**



16. As shown in Chart 6, 32 per cent of the beneficiaries of all SPS TA and training activities undertaken by the Secretariat have been from least-developed countries (LDCs), 66 per cent from developing countries, and two per cent from developed countries.

**Chart 7 - Language breakdown of SPS Technical Assistance activities - 1994-2011**



17. Chart 7 presents the language breakdown of all SPS TA and training activities that have been undertaken. Overall, 64 per cent of activities have been conducted in English, 18 per cent in Spanish, and 11 per cent in French. The remaining seven per cent have been undertaken in other languages, including Arabic, Portuguese, Turkish and Russian.<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>5</sup> For all the SPS TA and training activities undertaken in other languages, at least one of the official WTO languages was also used (with the exception of activities conducted in Portuguese).

**ANNEX**

**SPS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES  
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Year	Region	SPS TA Activity	Host	Location	From	To	Participants			Participants	Participation of representatives from the standard-setting organizations			Language
							LDCs	Developing	Developed		Codex	OIE	IPPC	
2011	Africa	National seminar	Burundi	Bujumbura	25/1/2011	28/1/2011	Burundi			40	No	No	No	French
2011	Africa	National seminar	Senegal	Dakar	3/10/2011	5/10/2011	Senegal			30	No	No	No	French
2011	Africa	National seminar	Namibia	Windhoek	18/10/2011	19/10/2011		Namibia		23	No	No	No	English
2011	Africa	National seminar	Gabon	Libreville	5/12/2011	7/12/2011		Gabon		49	No	No	No	French
2011	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mali	Bamako	15/11/2011	18/11/2011	Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Republic, Comoros, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Madagascar, Mali, Sao Tomé and Príncipe, Senegal, Togo	Gabon, Morocco		52	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2011	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Kenya	Nairobi	22/11/2011	25/11/2011	Ethiopia, Lesotho, Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia	Botswana, Egypt, Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria, Seychelles, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		51	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2011	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Qatar	Doha	27/11/2011	30/11/2011	Sudan, Yemen	Egypt, Jordan, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Tunisia		43	Yes	Yes	Yes	English, Arabic
2011	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Chinese Taipei	Taipei	27/09/2011	29/09/2011		Chinese Taipei		58	No	No	No	English
2011	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Samoa	Apia	1/11/2011	3/11/2011	Samoa			38	No	No	No	English
2011	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National seminar	Iran, Islamic Republic of	Tehran	13/06/2011	15/06/2011		Iran, Islamic Republic of		88	No	No	No	English
2011	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	2/2/2011	4/2/2011		Iraq		28	No	No	No	English

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2011	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	9/3/2011	11/3/2011		Bosnia and Herzegovina, Georgia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Moldova		24	No	No	No	English
2011	Global	Advanced SPS Course	Switzerland	Geneva	10/10/2011	28/10/2011	Central African Republic, Malawi, Mozambique, Nepal, Tanzania, Togo	Barbados, Belize, Botswana, Egypt, Guatemala, Honduras, Jamaica, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Mauritius, Mexico, Panama, Seychelles, Swaziland, Syrian Arab Republic, Ukraine, Zimbabwe		24	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2011	Global	Special SPS Workshop	Switzerland	Geneva	17/10/2011	21/10/2011	Angola, Benin, Bhutan, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Republic, Comoros, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Malí, Nepal, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Sudan, Togo, Uganda, Zambia	Argentina, Belize, Botswana, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Egypt, Gabon, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, Kazakhstan, Morocco, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Serbia, Seychelles, Syrian Arab Republic, Chinese Taipei, Tanzania, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine		54	Yes	Yes	Yes	English, French, Spanish
2011	Global	Other	Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur	15/3/2011	17/3/2011	Bangladesh	Azerbaijan, Brunei, Iran, Kyrgyz Republic, Malaysia, Maldives, Suriname, Turkey, Uzbekistan		35	No	No	No	English
2011	Global	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	30/03/2011	31/03/2011	Yemen	Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, Morocco, Palestinian Authority, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia		29	No	No	No	English
2011	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Colombia	Bogota	8/4/2011	8/4/2011		Colombia		28	No	No	No	Spanish
2011	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Nicaragua	Managua	28/09/2011	30/09/2011		Nicaragua		35	No	No	No	Spanish



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2011	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Panama	Panama City	5/10/2011	7/10/2011		Panama		30	No	Yes	No	Spanish
2011	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Argentina	Buenos Aires	30/05/2011	31/05/2011		Argentina, Brazil, Mexico, Uruguay		41	No	No	No	Spanish
2011	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Barbados	Bridgetown	26/07/2011	29/07/2011	Haiti	Antigua & Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, St Vincent & the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago		32	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2010	Africa	National seminar	Nigeria	Abuja	26/07/2010	29/07/2010		Nigeria		50	No	No	No	English
2010	Africa	National seminar	Madagascar	Antananarivo	30/03/2010	31/03/2010	Madagascar			61	No	No	No	French
2010	Africa	National seminar	Seychelles	Mahé	25/03/2010	26/03/2010	Seychelles			19	No	No	No	English
2010	Arab and Middle East Countries	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	13/10/2010	15/10/2010		Iraq		24	No	No	No	English
2010	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Samoa	Apia	28/09/2010	29/09/2010	Samoa			19	No	No	No	English
2010	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	China	Yantal	15/09/2010	16/09/2010		China		20	No	No	No	English
2010	Arab and Middle East Countries	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	01/09/2010	03/09/2010		Iraq		28	No	No	No	English
2010	Asia and the Pacific and Central and Eastern European & Central Asian Countries	Regional Workshop	Sri Lanka	Colombo	23/11/2010	26/11/2010		Afghanistan, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, China, Cook Islands, Croatia, India, Indonesia, Israel, Korea, Kyrgyz Republic, Philippines, Chinese Taipei, Turkey, Viet Nam		45	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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2010	Asia, Latin America, Pacific and Central and Eastern European, & Countries Caribbean	Advanced SPS Course	Switzerland	Geneva	11/10/2010	29/10/2010	Bangladesh, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Sudan, Zambia, Bhutan	Belarus, China, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iran, Kenya, Mali, Namibia, Peru, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Suriname, Swaziland, Chinese Taipei, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey, Ukraine, Viet Nam		26	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2010	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National seminar	Serbia	Belgrade	26/05/2010	27/05/2010		Serbia		32	No	No	No	English
2010	Central and Eastern European & Central Asian Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Uzbekistan	Tashkent	16/02/2010	19/02/2010		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Iran, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Russian Federation, Tajikistan		38	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2010	Global	Special SPS Workshop	Switzerland	Geneva	18/10/2010	22/10/2010	Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Comoros, Guinea, Madagascar, Mali, Niger, Samoa, Senegal, Togo, Uganda, Zambia	Argentina, Barbados, Belarus, Belize, Costa Rica, Egypt, El Salvador, Nepal, Ghana, Guatemala, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Morocco, Mauritius, Mozambique, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Philippines, Dominican Republic, Sri Lanka, Chinese Taipei, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukraine, Yemen		150	Yes	Yes	Yes	English, French, Spanish
2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Honduras	Tegucigalpa	08/12/2010	10/12/2010		Honduras		26	No	No	No	Spanish
2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	El Salvador	San Salvador	25/11/2010	26/11/2010		El Salvador		36	No	No	No	Spanish

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2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Ecuador	Quito	09/11/2010	10/11/2010		Ecuador		35	No	No	No	Spanish
2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Regional Workshop	Peru	Lima	02/11/2010	05/11/2010		Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Uruguay, Andean Community		49	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Argentina	Buenos Aires	30/08/2010	01/09/2010		Argentina		46	No	No	No	Spanish
2010	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Dominican Republic	Santo Domingo	07/06/2010	10/06/2010		Dominican Republic		82	No	No	No	Spanish
2009	Africa	National seminar	Uganda	Kampala	15/12/2009	16/12/2009	Uganda			25	No	No	No	English
2009	Africa	National seminar	Malawi	Lilongwe	17/11/2009	18/11/2009	Malawi			22	No	No	No	English
2009	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Ghana	Accra	03/11/2009	06/11/2009	Eritrea, Ethiopia, The Gambia, Liberia, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Uganda	Egypt, Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria		31	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2009	Africa	National seminar	Zimbabwe	Harare	08/09/2009	10/09/2009		Zimbabwe		42	No	No	No	English
2009	Africa	Other	Mali	Bamako	20/07/2009	23/07/2009	Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Rep., Chad, Comoros, Dem. Rep. of Congo, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Sao Tome & Principe, Senegal, Togo	Cameroon, Cape Verde, Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon		50	Yes	Yes	Yes	French

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2009	Africa	Other	Kenya	Nairobi	13/07/2009	16/07/2009	Eritrea, Ethiopia, The Gambia, Lesotho, Liberia, Malawi, Mozambique, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia	Botswana, Ghana, Kenya, Mauritius, Namibia, Nigeria, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		50	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2009	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Cameroon	Douala	16/06/2009	19/06/2009	Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Central African Rep., Dem. Rep. of Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Senegal	Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire		42	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2009	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Maseru	Lesotho	08/06/2009	11/06/2009	Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Tanzania, Zimbabwe		44	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2009	Africa	National seminar	Angola	Luanda and Huambo	18/05/2009	21/05/2009	Angola			30	No	No	No	Portuguese
2009	Africa	National seminar	Mauritius	Port Louis	15/05/2009	15/05/2009		Mauritius		25	No	No	No	English
2009	Arab and Middle East Countries	National seminar	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Riyadh	16/05/2009	17/05/2009		Kingdom of Saudi Arabia		50	No	No	Yes	English
2009	Arab and Middle East Countries	National seminar	Oman	Muscat	24/03/2009	25/03/2009		Oman		40	No	No	No	English
2009	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	08/12/2009	09/12/2009		Chinese Taipei		48	No	No	No	English
2009	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Indonesia	Jakarta	06/10/2009	08/10/2009		Indonesia		140	No	Yes	No	English
2009	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Bangladesh	Dhaka	10/08/2009	11/08/2009		Bangladesh		31	No	No	No	English
2009	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Lao, PDR	Luang Prabang	03/06/2009	06/06/2009	Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Myanmar	China, Indonesia, Thailand, Viet Nam		29	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2009	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Fiji	Suva	13/02/2009	13/02/2009		Fiji		19	No	No	No	English

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2009	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Fiji	Nadi	09/02/2009	12/12/2009	Kiribati, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu, Vanuatu	Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Tonga		54	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2009	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National seminar	Lebanon	Beirut	19/05/2009	20/05/2009		Lebanon		60	No	No	No	English
2009	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National seminar	Turkey	Ankara	11/03/2009	12/03/2009		Turkey		80	No	No	No	Turkish
2009	Global	SPS Specialized Trade Policy Course	Geneva (WTO)	Switzerland	12/10/2009	31/10/2009	Angola, Guinea, Haiti, Mozambique	Argentina, Brazil, Cape Verde, Chile Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Chinese Taipei		24	Yes	Yes	No	Spanish
2008	Africa	National seminar	Mozambique	Maputo	29/10/2008	31/10/2008	Mozambique			10	No	No	No	Portuguese
2008	Africa	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	26/08/2008	27/08/2008				25	No	No	No	English
2008	Africa	National seminar	Rwanda	Kigali	07/07/2008	08/07/2008	Rwanda			60	No	No	No	English
2008	Africa	National seminar	Burkina Faso	Ouagadougou	26/06/2008	28/06/2008	Burkina Faso			n.a.	No	No	No	French
2008	Africa	National seminar	Cape Verde	Cidade da Praia	15/04/2008	17/04/2008	Cape Verde			16	No	No	No	Portuguese
2008	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Qatar	Doha	18/11/2008	20/11/2008	Yemen	Bahrain, Kingdom of, Iraq, Jordan, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates		45	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	China	Hangzhou and Beijing	02/12/2008	05/12/2008		China		191	No	No	No	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	19/11/2008	20/11/2008		Mongolia		n.a.	No	No	No	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	India	New Delhi	11/11/2008	14/11/2008		India		44	No	No	No	English

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2008	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	10/11/2008	11/11/2008		Viet Nam		7	No	No	No	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Japan	Tokyo	25/09/2008	26/09/2008			Japan	16	No	No	No	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Indonesia	Jakarta	29/07/2008	01/08/2008		Indonesia		n.a.	No	No	No	English
2008	Asia and the Pacific	National seminar	Lao, PDR	Vientiane	11/06/2008	12/06/2008	Lao, PDR			20	No	No	No	English
2008	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	10/03/2008	10/03/2008		Ukraine		5	No	No	No	English
2008	Global	SPS Specialized Trade Policy Course	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	29/09/2008	17/10/2008	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Malawi, Mozambique, Samoa, Uganda, Yemen, Zambia	Albania, Armenia, Bahrain, Kingdom of, Belarus, Ecuador, Fiji, Honduras, Hong Kong, China, Kyrgyz Rep., Macao, China, Mongolia, Nigeria, Serbia, South Africa		23	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2008	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Chile	Santiago	13/05/2008	15/05/2008		Chile		77	No	No	No	Spanish
2008	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Paraguay	Asunción	22/04/2008	24/04/2008		Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay		49	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2008	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Belize	Belmopan	11/03/2008	13/03/2008		Belize		54	No	No	No	English
2008	Latin America and the Caribbean	National seminar	Costa Rica	San Jose	30/01/2008	31/01/2008		Costa Rica		48	No	No	No	Spanish
2007	Africa <sup>a</sup>	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Zambia	Lusaka	10/12/2007	12/12/2007	Ethiopia, Malawi, Rwanda, Sudan, Uganda, Zambia	Egypt, Kenya, Mauritius, Seychelles, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		62	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2007	Africa	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	03/10/2007	05/10/2007	Democratic Rep. of Congo, Lesotho, Mozambique, Zambia, Tanzania	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland		49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
2007	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mali	Bamako	20/02/2007	23/02/2007	Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Mauritania, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire		45	Yes	Yes	Yes	French

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2007	Africa	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	24/01/2007	26/01/2007	Burundi, Ethiopia, Malawi, Mozambique, Rwanda, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia	Kenya		28	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
2007	Arab and Middle East Countries	National	Yemen	Sana'a	20/11/2007	21/11/2007	Yemen		64	No	No	No	English	
2007	Asia and the Pacific	National	Indonesia	Jakarta	24/07/2007	25/07/2007		Indonesia	125	No	No	No	English	
2007	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	India	New Delhi	24/04/2007	26/04/2007	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives, Nepal	India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka	37	Yes	Yes	Yes	English	
2007	Asia and the Pacific	National	Sri Lanka	Colombo	21/03/2007	22/03/2007		Sri Lanka	26	No	No	No	English	
2007	Global	SPS Specialized Trade Policy Course	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	15/10/2007	02/11/2007	Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Djibouti, Guinea, Haiti, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Togo	Cameroon, Georgia, Morocco, Mauritius, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine	24	Yes	Yes	Yes	French	
2007	Latin America and the Caribbean	National	Nicaragua	Managua	13/11/2007	15/11/2007		Nicaragua	64	No	No	No	Spanish	
2007	Latin America and the Caribbean	National	El Salvador	San Salvador	25/09/2007	26/09/2007		El Salvador	45	No	No	No	Spanish	
2007	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Jamaica	Kingston	31/07/2007	02/08/2007	Haiti	Antigua & Barbuda, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Montserrat, St. Kitts & Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent & the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad & Tobago	48	Yes	Yes	Yes	English	
2007	Latin America and the Caribbean	National	Ecuador	Quito	06/06/2007	08/06/2007		Ecuador	37	No	No	No	Spanish	

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2007	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Mexico	Mexico City and Hermosillo	12/02/2007	16/02/2007		Mexico		276	No	No	No	Spanish
2006	Africa	National Seminar	Ethiopia	Addis Ababa	20/09/2006	22/09/2006	Ethiopia			52	No	Yes	No	English
2006	Africa	National Seminar	Djibouti	Djibouti	17/09/2006	20/09/2006	Djibouti			10	No	Yes	No	French
2006	Africa	National Seminar	Madagascar	Antananarivo	13/07/2006	14/07/2006	Madagascar			34	No	No	No	French
2006	Africa	National Seminar	Angola	Luanda	29/05/2006	31/05/2006	Angola			30	No	No	No	Portuguese
2006	Africa	National Seminar	Rwanda	Kigali	28/02/2006	02/03/2006	Rwanda			27	No	No	No	English
2006	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Egypt	Cairo	12/06/2006	15/06/2006		Iraq, Libya, Syrian Arab Republic, Yemen, Bahrain, Kingdom of, Egypt, Jordan, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, United Arab Emirates		75	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2006	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Egypt	Cairo	12/06/2006	15/06/2006		Egypt		75	No	Yes	No	English
2006	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Japan	Tokyo	30/10/2006	31/10/2006			Japan	22	No	No	No	English
2006	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Viet Nam	Hanoi	10/10/2006	13/10/2006	Cambodia	Viet Nam, Thailand		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
2006	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	26/09/2006	28/09/2006	Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Nepal	Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam		31	No	No	No	English
2006	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Bulgaria	Sofia	25/07/2006	26/07/2006		Bulgaria		24	No	No	No	English
2006	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Austria	Vienna	17/07/2006	19/07/2006		Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Ukraine, Armenia, Georgia, Moldova		22	Yes	Yes	Yes	English



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2006	Global	SPS Specialized Trade Policy Course	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	16/10/2006	27/10/2006	Angola, Bhutan, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Nepal, Rwanda	Antigua and Barbuda, China, Dominica, Egypt, India, Indonesia, Jamaica, Jordan, Kenya, Malaysia, Oman, Pakistan, Philippines, Russian Federation, Swaziland, Chinese Taipei, Thailand, Tonga, Zimbabwe		24	Yes	Yes	Yes	
2006	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Cuba	Havana	15/11/2006	17/11/2006		Cuba		18	No	No	No	Spanish
2006	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Colombia	Bogotá	03/11/2006	03/11/2006		Colombia		50	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2006	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Colombia	Bogotá	30/10/2006	02/11/2006		Argentina, Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Bolivia, Plurinational States of, Colombia, Brazil, Chile, Ecuador, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay		68	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2005	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mali	Bamako	03/10/2005	07/10/2005	Benin, Burkina Faso, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Mauritania, Mali, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire, Nigeria		46	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2005	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	South Africa	Johannesburg	01/08/2005	05/08/2005	Angola, Democratic Rep. of Congo, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania	Botswana, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland		47	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2005	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Zambia	Lusaka	19/07/2005	22/07/2005	Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia	Botswana, Ghana, Kenya		27	Yes	No	No	English
2005	Africa	Other	South Africa	Johannesburg	21/03/2005	23/03/2005	Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Egypt, Jordan, Mauritius, Morocco, Namibia, Palestine, South Africa, Swaziland, Tunisia		20	No	No	No	English
2005	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	14/11/2005	18/11/2005		Iraq		24	No	No	No	English
2005	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Melbourne	01/12/2005	01/12/2005	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	No	No	English

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2005	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Fiji	Suva	22/11/2005	24/11/2005	Kiribati, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tuvalu, Vanuatu	Cook Islands, Fiji, Federated States of Micronesia, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Tonga	n.a.	44	Yes	No	Yes	English
2005	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Thailand	Bangkok	10/10/2005	12/10/2005	Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Myanmar	China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam	n.a.	59	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2005	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	India	New Delhi	17/04/2005	20/04/2005		India		75	Yes	No	No	English
2005	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	29/03/2005	30/03/2005		Chinese Taipei		150	Yes	No	No	English
2005	Global	SPS Specialized Trade Policy Course	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	31/10/2005	11/11/2005	Haiti, Mozambique	Argentina, Belize, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Sao Tome and Principe, Uruguay		21	No	No	No	Spanish
2005	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Nicaragua	Managua	30/11/2005	02/12/2005		Bolivia, Plurinational States of, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru		55	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2005	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Ecuador	Quito	11/09/2005	13/09/2005		Ecuador		25	No	No	No	Spanish
2005	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Jamaica	Kingston	16/02/2005	18/02/2005		Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bulgaria, Cuba, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Montserrat, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago		57	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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2004	Africa	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	26/09/2004	22/10/2004	Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Egypt, Morocco, Jordan, Mauritius, Namibia, Palestine, Swaziland, South Africa, Tunisia		21	No	No	No	English
2004	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Madagascar	Antananarivo	18/08/2004	20/08/2004	Burundi, Central African Republic, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Djibouti, Madagascar, Rwanda	Congo		50	Yes	Yes	No	French
2004	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mozambique	Maputo	10/02/2004	12/02/2004	Angola, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Zambia	Botswana, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		37	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	25/09/2004	26/09/2004		United Arab Emirates		30	No	No	No	English
2004	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Yemen	Saana	14/09/2004	15/09/2004		Yemen		48	No	No	No	English/ Arabic
2004	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Lebanese Republic	Beirut	04/05/2004	06/05/2004	Yemen	Bahrain, Kingdom of, Jordan, ;Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Lebanese Republic, Oman, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates		70	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/ Arabic
2004	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Melbourne	09/12/2004	09/12/2004	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	No	No	English
2004	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Singapore	Singapore	30/11/2004	02/12/2004	Cambodia	China, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Chinese Taipei, Thailand, Viet Nam		39	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Tonga	Nuku'alofa	30/11/2004	01/12/2004		Tonga		23	No	No	No	English
2004	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Bangladesh	Dhaka	18/10/2004	20/10/2004	Bangladesh, Nepal	Sri Lanka, Pakistan		38	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Maldives	Male	28/09/2004	29/09/2004	Maldives			25	No	No	No	English

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2004	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Thailand	Chiang Mai	12/07/2004	16/07/2004	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Myanmar	Brunei Darussalam, India, Indonesia, Iran, Malaysia, Nepal, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Viet Nam		40	Yes	Yes	No	English
2004	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Turkey	Ankara	27/09/2004	29/09/2004		Turkey		100	No	No	No	English/Turkish
2004	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Austria	Vienna	27/07/2004	29/07/2004		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		29	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2004	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Moldova	Chisinau	28/04/2004	30/04/2004		Moldova		60	No	No	No	English
2004	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Lausanne and Geneva	14/06/2004	18/06/2004	Maldives, Nepal, Rwanda	Egypt, Guatemala, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nigeria, Viet Nam	Switzerland	28	No	No	No	English
2004	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Sao Tomé & Principe	Sao Tomé	07/09/2004	09/09/2004		Sao Tomé and Principe		25	No	No	No	Portuguese
2004	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Chile	Santiago	09/03/2004	11/03/2004		Argentina, Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay		52	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2003	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Uganda	Kampala	11/11/2003	13/11/2003	Eritrea, Ethiopia, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda	Kenya		35	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Africa	National Seminar	Nigeria	Abuja	08/10/2003	09/10/2003		Nigeria		30	No	No	No	English
2003	Africa	National Seminar	Gambia	Banjul	01/10/2003	02/10/2003	The Gambia			20	No	No	No	English
2003	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Benin	Cotonou	14/05/2003	16/05/2003	Benin, Burkina Faso, Mali, Mauritania, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire		45	Yes	No	No	French
2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Bahrain, Kingdom of	Manama	14/10/2003	15/10/2003		Bahrain, Kingdom of		26	No	No	No	English

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2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Lebanese Republic	Beirut	04/09/2003	04/09/2003		Lebanese Republic		40	No	No	No	English/ Arabic
2003	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Cyprus	Nicosia	02/06/2003	04/06/2003		Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanese Republic, Syrian Arab Republic		36	Yes	Yes	No	English
2003	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Sri Lanka	Colombo	09/12/2003	10/12/2003	Bangladesh, Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Rep., Myanmar	India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Viet Nam		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
2003	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Brisbane	02/12/2003	02/12/2003	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	No	No	English
2003	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Indonesia	Jakarta	05/03/2003	07/03/2003	Cambodia	Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, Viet Nam		18	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Albania	Tirana	20/10/2003	23/10/2003		Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro		32	n.a.	Yes	Yes	English
2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Kyrgyz Republic	Bishkek	30/08/2003	01/09/2003		Kyrgyz Republic		30	No	No	No	English/ Russian
2003	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	National Seminar	Georgia	Tbilisi	15/08/2003	17/08/2003		Georgia		30	No	No	No	English/ Russian
2003	Europe	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	28/09/2003	24/10/2003	Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Malawi, Mali, Rwanda, Senegal, Uganda	Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Kenya, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Nigeria		29	No	No	No	English
2003	Europe	Other	Sweden	Stockholm	30/04/2003	01/05/2003		Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Moldova, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro		26	No	No	No	English

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2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Basseterre	22/07/2003	24/07/2003		Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Grenada, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines		15	No	No	No	English
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Uruguay	Montevideo	21/07/2003	23/07/2003		Argentina, Bolivia, Plurinational States of, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay		50	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Bolivia	La Paz	05/05/2003	07/05/2003		Bolivia, Plurinational States of		n.a.	No	No	No	Spanish
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Ecuador	Quito	28/04/2003	30/04/2003		Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Bolivia, Plurinational States of, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Peru		41	Yes	No	Yes	Spanish
2003	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Dominican Republic	Santo Domingo	24/03/2003	26/03/2003		Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua		48	Yes	Yes	Yes	Spanish
2003	North America	Other	United States	Washington, DC	08/03/2003	09/03/2003			United States	50	No	No	No	English
2002	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Angola	Luanda	09/12/2002	11/12/2002	Angola, Cape Verde, Guinea Bissau, Mozambique, Sao Tome and Principe			60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Portuguese
2002	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Lesotho	Maseru	02/12/2002	05/12/2002	Lesotho	Botswana, Namibia, South Africa, Zimbabwe		26	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Tunisia	Tunis	30/09/2002	01/10/2002		Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanese Republic, Malta, Morocco, Tunisia, Turkey		60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/French
2002	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Zambia	Lusaka	03/06/2002	05/06/2002	Ethiopia, Malawi, Sudan, Uganda, Tanzania, Zambia	Kenya, Seychelles		46	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Africa	National Seminar	Mauritius	Port Louis	31/05/2002	31/05/2002		Mauritius		40	No	No	No	English

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2002	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Oman	Muscat	08/04/2002	09/04/2002		Oman		30	No	No	No	English
2002	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	03/02/2002	05/02/2002		Bahrain, Kingdom of, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, United Arab Emirates		40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	Other	China	Beijing	11/12/2002	12/12/2002		China, Korea, Malaysia, Thailand	New Zealand, United States	57	No	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Brisbane	25/02/2002	01/03/2002		China, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Viet Nam	Australia, Japan, New Zealand	n.a.	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	01/02/2002	01/02/2002		China		40	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	28/01/2002	30/01/2002		China		40	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Beijing	25/01/2002	25/01/2002		China		20	No	No	No	English
2002	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	China	Xiamen	22/01/2002	23/01/2002		China		150	No	No	No	English
2002	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Russian Federation	Moscow	03/09/2002	05/09/2002		Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		51	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/Russian
2002	Europe	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Estonia	Tallinn	05/03/2002	07/03/2002			Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania	35	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Paraguay	Asuncion	21/10/2002	22/10/2002		Paraguay		72	No	No	No	Spanish

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2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Dominican Republic	n.a.	14/09/2002	20/09/2002	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	Yes	No	Spanish
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Barbados	Bridgetown	11/09/2002	13/09/2002		Antigua and Barbuda, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago		37	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Panama	Panama City	03/06/2002	05/06/2002		Belize, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama		53	Yes	No	No	Spanish
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Peru	Lima	27/05/2002	28/05/2002		Peru		60	No	No	No	Spanish
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Peru	Lima	22/05/2002	24/05/2002		Brazil, Chile, El Salvador, Jamaica, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru	Canada, New Zealand, United States	30	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
2002	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mexico	Merida	16/05/2002	17/05/2002		China, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Chinese Taipei, Thailand Viet Nam	Australia, Japan, New Zealand, United States	50	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	National Seminar	Kenya	Nairobi	28/08/2001	29/08/2001		Kenya		n.a.	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2001	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Cameroon	Yaoundé	05/06/2001	07/06/2001	Central African Republic, Chad, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea	Cameroon, Gabon		45	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2001	Africa	Other	Botswana	Gaborone	05/03/2001	09/03/2001	Angola, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		25	No	No	No	English



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2001	Africa	National Seminar	Egypt	Cairo	05/02/2001	05/02/2001		Egypt		40	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Egypt	Cairo	31/01/2001	31/01/2001	Mauritania, Sudan	Bahrain, Kingdom of, Egypt, Iran, Jordan, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Libya, Oman, Pakistan, Tunisia, United Arab Emirates		n.a.	No	No	No	English
2001	Africa	National Seminar	Democratic Rep. of the Congo	Kinshasa	15/01/2001	19/01/2001	Democratic Rep. of the Congo			40	No	No	No	English
2001	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Chinese Taipei	Chinese Taipei	03/12/2001	06/12/2001		Chinese Taipei		n.a.	No	No	No	English
2001	Central and Eastern Europe and Central Asia	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Iran	Tehran	05/03/2001	08/03/2001		Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		130	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
2000	Africa	Other	Morocco	Casablanca	13/11/2000	13/11/2000		Morocco		n.a.	No	No	No	French
2000	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Côte d'Ivoire	Abidjan	16/05/2000	17/05/2000	Burkina Faso, Mali	Côte d'Ivoire		8	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2000	Africa	National Seminar	Mali	Bamako	03/04/2000	07/04/2000	Mali			n.a.	No	No	No	French
2000	Africa	Other	Senegal	Dakar	24/01/2000	26/01/2000	Benin, Burkina Faso, Guinea, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Togo	Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Mauritius, Nigeria		70	Yes	Yes	Yes	French
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Turkey	Ankara	21/09/2000	21/09/2000		Turkey		60	No	No	No	English/Turkish
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Jordan	Amman	05/06/2000	06/06/2000		Jordan		130	No	No	No	English
2000	Arab and Middle East Countries	Other	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	28/03/2000	29/03/2000		Bahrain, Kingdom of, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, United Arab Emirates		n.a.	Yes	No	No	English

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2000	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Belarus	Minsk	14/12/2000	14/12/2000		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic, Moldova, Russian Federation, Ukraine, Uzbekistan		n.a.	No	No	No	English
2000	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Philippines	Manila	20/11/2000	20/11/2000		Philippines		40	Yes	No	No	English
2000	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Australia	Adelaide	21/02/2000	25/02/2000		Argentina, Brazil, Chile, China, Cuba, Egypt, India, Korea, Malaysia, Morocco, Nigeria, Philippines, Singapore, Swaziland, Thailand, Uruguay, Viet Nam	Canada, European Communities	60	Yes	No	No	English
2000	Europe	National Seminar	Portugal	Lisbon	n.a.	n.a.				n.a.	No	No	No	Portuguese
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Panama	Panama City	17/10/2000	18/10/2000		Panama		50	Yes	No	No	Spanish
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Uruguay	Montevideo	10/10/2000	11/10/2000		Argentina, Brazil, Panama, Uruguay		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	Spanish
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Brazil	Fortaleza	08/08/2000	10/08/2000	n.a.	Brazil	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2000	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Cuba	Havana	29/05/2000	30/05/2000		Cuba		n.a.	Yes	No	No	Spanish
1999	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Namibia	Windhoek	29/03/1999	01/04/1999	Angola, Democratic Rep. of the Congo, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Zambia	Botswana, Mauritius, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe		74	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1999	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Jordan	Amman	24/11/1999	25/11/1999		Jordan		20	No	No	No	English
1999	Arab and Middle East Countries	National Seminar	Bahrain, Kingdom of	Manama	22/11/1999	22/11/1999		Bahrain, Kingdom of		20	No	No	No	English

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1999	Asia and the Pacific	National Seminar	Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar	16/09/1999	17/09/1999		Mongolia		15	No	No	No	English
1999	Asia and the Pacific	Other	Australia	Melbourne	25/02/1999	26/02/1999	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
1999	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Costa Rica	San Jose	24/02/1999	25/02/1999		Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama		26	No	No	No	Spanish
1998	Africa	National Seminar	Uganda	Kampala	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	Yes	No	English
1998	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Philippines	Manila	30/06/1998	03/07/1998	Cambodia, Myanmar, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu	Fiji, Indonesia, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea, Chinese Taipei, Tonga, Viet Nam	New Zealand, United States	72	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Nigeria	Abuja	19/11/1997	20/11/1997		Nigeria		n.a.	Yes	No	No	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Kenya	Nairobi	24/06/1997	24/06/1997		Kenya		n.a.	No	No	No	English
1997	Africa	National Seminar	Ghana	Accra	09/06/1997	09/06/1997		Ghana		40	No	No	No	English
1997	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	India	New Delhi	30/09/1997	01/10/1997	Bangladesh, Maldives, Nepal	China, Pakistan, Sri Lanka		15	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	26/03/1997	26/03/1997	Haiti, Senegal	Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Morocco	France	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	French
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	12/03/1997	12/03/1997		Argentina, Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Uruguay	Spain	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	Spanish
1997	Europe	Other	Switzerland	Geneva (WTO)	06/03/1997	06/03/1997		Chile, Czech Republic, Egypt, India, Mauritius, Morocco, Pakistan, Philippines, Slovenia, South Africa, Thailand	Canada, Spain, Norway	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Colombia	Bogota	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	No	Yes	No	Spanish
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	National Seminar	Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela	Caracas	11/12/1997	11/12/1997		Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela		n.a.	No	No	No	Spanish

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1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Trinidad & Tobago	Port of Spain	09/12/1997	11/12/1997	Haiti	Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Jamaica, Netherlands Antilles, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago		n.a.	No	Yes	No	English
1997	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mexico	Mexico City	23/01/1997	23/01/1997	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	English
1996	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Egypt	Cairo	18/12/1996	19/12/1996		Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Morocco, Tunisia		60	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1996	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Zimbabwe	Harare	18/11/1996	22/11/1996	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	Yes	No	No	English
1996	Arab and Middle East Countries	(Sub) Regional Workshop	United Arab Emirates	Dubai	15/12/1996	16/12/1996	Yemen	Bahrain, Kingdom of, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, United Arab Emirates		40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1996	Europe	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Russian Federation	Moscow	09/07/1996	10/07/1996		Belarus, Kazakhstan, Moldova, Russian Federation, Ukraine		80	Yes	Yes	Yes	English
1996	Europe	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Czech Republic	Prague	28/03/1996	29/03/1996		Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Former Yugoslav Rep. of Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Slovak Republic, Slovenia	United States	40	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/ Czech
1996	Latin America and the Caribbean	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Mexico	Mexico City	01/05/1996	01/05/1996		Argentina, Barbados, Bolivarian Rep. of Venezuela, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Saint Lucia, Uruguay	Canada, United States	80	Yes	Yes	Yes	English/ Spanish
1995	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Pretoria	South Africa	07/11/1995	08/11/1995	Lesotho, Zambia	Kenya, Mauritius, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Zimbabwe	United States	n.a.	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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1995	Africa	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Senegal	Dakar	02/11/1995	03/11/1995	Burkina Faso, Mali , Senegal			n.a.	Yes	Yes	Yes	French/English
1995	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Honduras	Tegucigalpa	30/11/1995	01/12/1995		Honduras		40	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	Spanish
1995	Latin America and the Caribbean	Other	Colombia	Bogota	19/07/1995	19/07/1995		Colombia		150	No	Yes	No	English
1994	Asia and the Pacific	(Sub) Regional Workshop	Thailand	Bangkok	08/11/1994	09/11/1994		Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Korea, Thailand		55	Yes	Yes	Yes	English

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- a Also invited: Eritrea and Libya.
- b Also invited: Bahamas.