

**SMALL ARMS SURVEY 2012**
**Small Arms Trade Transparency Barometer 2012, covering major exporters\***

Country	Total (25.00 max)	Export report** / EU Annual Report***	UN Comtrade**	UN Register**	Timeliness (1.50 max)	Access and consistency (2.00 max)	Clarity (5.00 max)	Comprehensiveness (6.50 max)	Deliveries (4.00 max)	Licences granted (4.00 max)	Licences refused (2.00 max)
Switzerland	21.00	X	X	X	1.50	1.50	4.00	5.25	3.00	4.00	1.75
United Kingdom	19.75	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	2.00	3.75	5.25	3.50	2.50	1.25
Romania	19.00	X / EU Report	-	X	1.50	2.00	2.50	4.50	3.00	3.50	2.00
Serbia	18.75	X (09)	X	X	1.50	1.00	3.25	5.00	3.50	2.50	2.00
Germany	18.50	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	3.75	4.25	2.50	3.50	1.50
Netherlands	18.50	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	2.00	4.25	4.75	2.50	2.50	1.00
Belgium	17.00	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	2.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.50	2.00
Denmark	16.50	X / EU Report	X	X (09)	1.50	1.50	4.75	3.25	2.50	2.00	1.00
Italy	16.00	X / EU Report	X	X (09)	1.50	1.50	3.25	5.00	2.50	2.00	0.25
Spain	15.75	X / EU Report	X	X (09)	1.50	2.00	2.25	4.00	3.50	1.50	1.00
Slovakia	15.50	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	2.50	3.50	2.50	2.00	2.00
Norway	15.25	X	X	X	1.50	1.50	3.75	3.00	3.00	2.50	0.00
Sweden	15.25	X / EU Report	X	X (09)	1.50	2.00	3.50	4.00	2.50	1.50	0.25
United States	15.00	X	X	X	1.50	1.50	2.75	4.25	3.00	2.00	0.00
Croatia	14.75	X	X	X	1.50	1.00	3.00	3.25	3.00	3.00	0.00
Montenegro	14.50	X (09)	X	-	1.50	0.50	3.00	5.00	2.50	2.00	0.00
Finland	14.25	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	3.25	3.25	2.50	2.00	0.25
Czech Republic	14.00	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	2.50	3.25	3.00	1.50	0.75
France	14.00	X / EU Report	X	-	1.50	1.50	4.00	2.75	2.50	1.50	0.25
Austria	13.75	X (09) / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	2.25	3.75	3.00	1.50	0.25
Poland	12.75	X / EU Report	X	-	1.50	1.00	2.00	3.75	3.00	1.50	0.00
Hungary	12.50	X / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.00	3.00	2.75	2.50	1.50	0.25
Canada	12.25	X (07-09)	X	X	1.50	1.00	2.75	4.00	3.00	0.00	0.00
Greece	12.00	EU Report	X	X	1.50	0.50	2.00	3.25	3.00	1.50	0.25
Portugal	11.75	X (08) / EU Report	X	X	1.50	1.50	2.00	2.25	2.50	2.00	0.00



## Notes

\* Major exporters are countries that export—or are believed to export—at least USD 10 million worth of small arms, light weapons, their parts, accessories, or ammunition in a given calendar year. The 2012 Barometer includes all countries that qualified as a major exporter at least once during the 2001-10 period.

\*\* X indicates that a state submitted a report on activities in 2010. Reports provided for earlier years are indicated in parentheses.

\*\*\* The Barometer assesses information provided in the EU's 13th Annual Report (CoEU, 2011b), reflecting military exports by EU member states in 2010.

## Scoring system

The scoring system for the 2012 Barometer is identical to that used in 2011, providing comprehensive, nuanced, and consistent thresholds for the various categories. The Barometer's seven categories assess: timeliness as well as access and consistency in reporting (categories i-ii), clarity and comprehensiveness (iii-iv), and the level of detail provided on actual deliveries, licences granted, and licences refused (v-vii). For more detailed information on the scoring guidelines, visit: <http://www.smallarmssurvey.org/weapons-and-markets/tools/the-transparency-barometer.html>.

## Explanatory notes

**Note A:** The Barometer is based on each country's most recent arms export report, made publicly available between 1 January 2010 and 31 December 2011.

**Note B:** The Barometer takes into account information that states have submitted to UN Comtrade for their 2010 exports through 17 January 2012, and national reporting to the UN Register through 31 December 2011. However, efforts to improve the Register's online interface have led to delays in access to reporting, with the consequence that some states' contributions for 2010 activities have not been made available for analysis. The 2012 Barometer therefore relies on data provided in the UN Secretary-General's 2011 report on the UN Register (UNGA, 2011a). While the Secretary-General's report is typically followed by the publication of addenda that contain additional states' reports, as of 22 February 2012 no addenda had been published. This explains why the level of reporting for 2010 activities is lower than expected.

**Note C:** The fact that the Transparency Barometer is based on three sources—national arms export reports (including reporting to the EU Report), reporting to the UN Register, and UN customs data—works to the advantage of states that publish data in all three outlets. All information provided to the three sources is reflected in the scoring. The same information is not credited twice, however.

## Country-specific notes

\* Cyprus declared no exports of defence equipment to the 13<sup>th</sup> EU Report.

**Source:** Small Arms Survey (2012)