

WTO (WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION)

WTO : is the only international body dealing with the rules of trade between nations



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FUNGSI

1. Wadah mengatasi konflik dagang
2. Lembaga pengawas implementasi prinsip-prinsip GATT (Lembaga permanen)

PERANAN

1. Mengadministrasikan

- Persetujuan Putaran Uruguay di bid barang dan jasa.

2. Mengawasi

- pelaksanaan komitmen akses pasar di bid tarif/non tarif

3. Mengawasi

- praktek perdagangan internasional

4. Forum menyelesaikan sengketa

- mekanisme konsiliasi

5. Bantuan teknis

- melaksanakan hasil Uruguay Round

6. Forum

- perundingan pertukaran konsesi di bid perdagangan

3 MAIN PURPOSES

1. To help trade flow as freely as possible
 - the rules have to be “ *Transparant and Predictable* “ .
2. To serve as a forum for trade negotiation
3. The WTO's work is dispute settlement

PRINSIP

1. Trade without discrimination

- **MFN** → treating other people equally
- **National treatment** → treating foreigners and locals equally
- **Freer trade** → gradually , through negotiation

2. Predictable

- Predictability : through binding
- To make the business environment stable and predictable

3. More competitive by discouraging “ unfair “

- Promoting fair competition

4. More beneficial for less developed countries

- encouraging development and economic reform

KOMITMEN

1. Komitmen Akses pasar

- untuk produk industri dan pertanian
- penurunan tarif

2. Komitmen Liberalisasi di bidang jasa

3. Komitmen yang berhubungan dengan hak milik intelektual

- TRIPS : Trade Related aspects of Intellectual Property Rights .

4. Komitmen dalam masalah investasi

- TRIMS : Trade Related aspects of Investment Measures.

5. Komitmen terhadap Trade Rules

THE MAIN DIFFERENCES

GATT

1. ad hoc and provisional
 - Conditional , temporary
2. Contracting parties
3. GATT deal with Trade in goods
4. Old system

WTO

1. its agreements are permanent
 - Legal basis
- 2 . Members
3. Goods, services and intellectual property
4. Dispute settlement system is faster, more automatic