

BENIN

Was the 2024 annual report submitted?	Yes – On time	Was the 2024 annual report made public?	Yes
Was data withheld for 'commercial sensitivity/national security-related' reasons?	No	What reporting template was used?	ATT reporting template 2021
Were reports submitted in previous years in which reports were due?	2020 ✓ 2021 ✓ 2022 ✓ 2023 ✓ 2024 ✓	Were submitted reports made publicly available?	2020 ✗ 2021 ✓ 2022 ✓ 2023 ✓ 2024 ✓

REPORTING PRACTICE SUMMARY – 2024

Benin continued to submit a 'nil' report for exports. Benin continued to report **Actual Numbers** of imports of small arms and light weapons.

GOOD PRACTICES

- Benin disaggregated SALW imports by weapon sub-category and exporting State.
- Benin submitted a 'nil' report for exports, indicating clearly that it had no transfers to report.
- Benin provided descriptions for all its imports.

ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT

- Benin could indicate clearly that there were no imports of specific categories and sub-categories of arms, rather than leaving the relevant sections of the reporting template blank.
- Benin could provide comments describing the nature of its reported imports.

TRANSFER SUMMARY – 2024: EXPORT DATA

- Benin submitted a 'nil' report for exports.

TRANSFER SUMMARY – 2024: IMPORT DATA

- Benin reported imports from one ATT State Party in 2024 (Serbia).
- Benin did not report the import of any major conventional arms.
- Benin reported the import of 70 small arms and light weapons. These were assault rifles (85.7 per cent), heavy machine guns (8.6 per cent), light machine guns (2.9 per cent) and hand-held under-barrel and mounted grenade launchers (2.9 per cent).