

ALBANIA

Was an annual report submitted by 31 May 2019?	Yes
Was the Annual Report made public?	Yes
Was a 'nil' report submitted for exports or imports in 2018?	No
Was data withheld for 'commercial sensitivity/national security-related' reasons?	Unspecified - Not ticked
What type of report was submitted?	ATT reporting template



Good practices:

Albania provided clear, disaggregated information on its exports and imports in 2018.

Albania provided comments on exports and imports reported for 2018, describing the end-use and/or end-user.

Albania provided descriptions of items transferred.



Room for improvement:

Albania indicated on the front page of its 2018 annual report that it used national definitions of categories of arms reported and made reference to the EU Common Military List in Annex 2. It did not, however, provide export or import data under the voluntary national categories section for either exports or imports.

Transfer summary - 2018: Export Data

- Albania reported exports to one ATT State Party in 2018.
- Albania did not report any exports of major conventional weapons.
- Albania reported one export of 53,100 small arms, all rifles and carbines, to Austria. The state of origin was China.

Reporting practice summary - 2018

Albania's reporting changed in its 2018 annual report.

Albania reported **Authorized Numbers** of small arms exports and **Actual Numbers** of small arms imports. It did not report exports or imports of light weapons or major conventional weapons as it did in its 2017 annual report.

Albania provided information on both exports and imports of small arms in its 2018 annual report, though it did not indicate whether it was submitting 'nil' reports by checking the relevant boxes on the front page.

Transfer summary - 2018: Import Data

- Albania reported imports from six countries in 2018. Of these, five were ATT States Parties and one was a Signatory.
- Albania did not report any imports of major conventional weapons.
- Albania reported imports of 7,882 small arms items. Of these, the majority were assault rifles (63 per cent) and revolvers and self-loading pistols (31 per cent).
- The main exporters to Albania were Italy (65 per cent of reported import items), Austria (27 per cent) and the Czech Republic (5 per cent).