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What type of report was submitted?

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? No

Good practices:
Portugal provided clear, disaggregated data on all reported exports and imports.
Portugal provided descriptions of items for major conventional weapons exports.

Room for improvement:
Portugal did not provide comments describing the end-use and/or end-user for any of its transfers, and it provided fewer descriptions of items than it did in its 2017 report.

Transfer summary - 2018: Export Data

• Portugal reported exports to 35 countries in 2018. Of these, 31 were ATT States Parties and four were Signatories.
• Portugal reported the export of 47 major conventional weapons items, with a total value of €2.9m (US$3.2m), all of which were armoured combat vehicles.
• In terms of value, the two importers of major conventional weapons from Portugal were Guatemala (68 per cent) and Panama (32 per cent).
• Portugal reported the export of 61,613 SALW items, covering three sub-categories: rifles and carbines (99 per cent).
• The main importers of SALW items from Portugal were the United States (45 per cent) and Belgium (40 per cent).

Transfer summary - 2018: Import Data

• Portugal reported imports from 20 countries in 2018. Of these, 18 were ATT States Parties, one was a Signatory and one was a non-member (Venezuela).
• Portugal did not report any imports of major conventional weapons.
• Portugal reported the export of 5,035 SALW, covering four sub-categories: rifles and carbines (44 per cent) and revolvers and pistols (42 per cent).
• The main importers of SALW items from Portugal were Austria (26 per cent), Italy (25 per cent) and Germany (19 per cent).