

## NEW ZEALAND

Was an Annual Report submitted by 31 May 2017?	Yes
Was the report made public?	Yes
Was a nil report submitted for exports or imports in 2016?	No
Was data withheld for 'commercial sensitivity/national security-related' reasons?	No



### Good practice:

New Zealand provided clear, disaggregated data for each reported export and import in 2016.

New Zealand reported exports and imports under voluntary national categories, and provided extensive information in Annex 2 to clarify specific national definitions of Category VIII weapons, and of its voluntary national categories reported in 2016.



### Room for improvement:

New Zealand did not provide any comments on transfers in 2016.

New Zealand reported one of its final importing countries simply as 'Other', without providing any further explanation.

### Transfer summary - 2016: Export Data

- New Zealand reported exports to 30 countries and territories in 2016.
- Of these, 16 were ATT States Parties, two were Signatories and seven were non-members (Canada, China, Fiji, Indonesia, Oman, Papua New Guinea and Tonga).<sup>1</sup>
- The only major weapons export reported by New Zealand was 41 missiles and missile launchers to Peru.
- New Zealand reported the export of 1,368 SALW items in 2016, covering six sub-categories. The majority of these were rifles and carbines (68 per cent). The majority of exports were to Australia (37 per cent) and Papua New Guinea (12 per cent).
- Under Section C: Voluntary National Categories, New Zealand also reported the export of two maritime anti-submarine warfare helicopters and 466 shotguns.

### Reporting practice summary - 2016

New Zealand reported **Actual Numbers** of major weapons exports and imports in 2016, and **Authorized Numbers** of SALW exports and imports.

New Zealand did not change its reporting practice, except that in 2015, when it had no major weapons exports to report, it indicated that its practice was to report Authorized exports, not Actual. In its 2015 Annual Report, it indicated that its small arms exports were 'Small arms categories ML1 and MLg01'. It did not make the same declaration in its 2016 report.

### Transfer summary - 2016: Import Data

- New Zealand reported imports from 46 countries and territories in 2016.
- Of these, 26 were ATT States Parties, eight were Signatories and nine were non-members (Canada, China, Fiji, India, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Russia and Vietnam).<sup>2</sup>
- New Zealand did not report imports of major weapons.
- In total, New Zealand reported the import of 33,708<sup>3</sup> SALW items, spanning eight sub-categories. The vast majority were rifles and carbines (83 per cent).
- The main exporters of SALW to New Zealand were the United States (43 per cent), Finland (27 per cent) and China (5 per cent).
- Under Section C: Voluntary National Categories, New Zealand also reported the import of 7,458 shotguns; 46 per cent of these were from Turkey, 22 per cent from Italy and 19 per cent from the United States.

1 New Zealand also reported exports to five non-UN members (Cook Islands, French Polynesia, Macau, New Caledonia and Niue).

2 New Zealand also reported imports from French Polynesia, New Caledonia and 'Other'.

3 There is a minor discrepancy in New Zealand's reporting of its imports of 'Rifles and carbines'. It reported an aggregate of 28,125 items but total imports add up to 28,123.