

## UNITED KINGDOM

Was an Annual Report submitted by 31 May 2018?	Yes
Was the Annual Report made public?	Yes
Was a 'nil' report submitted for exports or imports in 2017?	No
Was data withheld for 'commercial sensitivity/national security-related' reasons?	No



### Good practices:

United Kingdom provided clear, disaggregated data for each export of major conventional weapons and SALW in 2017.

United Kingdom provided descriptions of items and some comments on transfers for many, but not all, of its exports. Descriptions and comments were largely provided in connection with Authorized exports of major conventional weapons.



### Room for improvement:

United Kingdom indicated that it was not providing a 'nil' report for imports, yet it provided no data on imports for major conventional weapons or SALW in 2017.

United Kingdom did not provide comments on all reported transfers and did not comment on the end-use and/or end-user for all transfers.

### Transfer summary - 2017: Export Data

- United Kingdom reported Authorized exports to 71 countries for 2017. Of these, 41 were ATT States Parties, 12 were Signatories and 18 were non-members (Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Botswana, Canada, Ecuador, Egypt, India, Indonesia, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Morocco, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Russia, Saudi Arabia and Somalia).
- United Kingdom reported authorizing the export of 965 major conventional weapons items in 2017, spanning seven categories. Of these, 58 per cent were missiles and missile launchers, 18 per cent were MANPADS missiles and 16 per cent were armoured combat vehicles.
- The majority of major conventional weapons were exports to India (40 per cent), Saudi Arabia (19 per cent) and Indonesia (13 per cent).
- United Kingdom reported exports of 36,066 SALW items in 2017, spanning ten sub-categories, including 'Others'. Of these, 80 per cent were rifles and carbines and 10 per cent were assault rifles.
- The main reported destinations for SALW items exports from United Kingdom were the United States (63 per cent) and Kenya (8 per cent).

### Reporting practice summary - 2017

United Kingdom's reporting practice for its 2017 ATT Annual Report matched that for its 2016 ATT Annual Report. It ticked the 'Other' box for its definition of the term 'export', elaborating that 'UK data is based on licenses granted, not actual transfers.' It did not define the term 'import'.

United Kingdom reported **Authorized Numbers** of exports of major conventional weapons and SALW in 2017.

United Kingdom did not report imports in 2017.

### Transfer summary - 2017: Import Data

- The United Kingdom did not report imports in 2017.