

**Question for written answer E-003648/2023
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Customs value

1. Does the European Commission provide national administrations responsible for collecting customs duties with access to databases that would allow them to impose secondary methods for customs valuation (Article 74 of the Union Customs Code - UCC), such as the transaction value of identical goods sold for export at the same time as the goods being valued?
2. Is a Customs Union that refers to 27 (or even more) different databases really compatible with WTO rules on customs valuation for imports of identical products into the Union?

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