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LEGAL TRADE IN IVORY

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Tables D1 to D4 have been sourced from the CITES Trade Database and Species+ and were compiled by UNEP-WCMC in relation to the section on legal trade in ivory.

*Table D1. Direct trade in \*wild-sourced tusks of Loxodonta africana from African range states, 2014-2015 (all purposes) - reported as number of tusks.*

<b>Exporter</b>	<b>Reported by</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>Total</b>
Botswana	Exporter	325	NR	325
	Importer	137	36	173
Cameroon	Exporter	NR	NR	-
	Importer	6	12	18
Mozambique	Exporter	25	8	33
	Importer	42	24	66
Namibia	Exporter	48	0	48
	Importer	45	56	101
South Africa	Exporter	83	22	105
	Importer	34	37	71
Tanzania, United Republic of	Exporter	6	0	6
	Importer	8	9	17
Zambia	Exporter	2	0	2
	Importer	2	18	20
Zimbabwe	Exporter	6	0	6
	Importer	371	312	683
<b>Total</b>	<b>Exporter</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>525</b>
	<b>Importer</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>1149</b>

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NR = No report

\* 'Wild-sourced' includes trade recorded as source 'W', 'U' and without a source specified.

Source: CITES Trade Database, UNEP WCMC, Cambridge, United Kingdom.

*Table D2. Direct trade in \*wild-sourced Loxodonta africana tusks reported by weight (kg) from African range states, 2014-2015 (all purposes), rounded to the nearest kilogram.*

Exporter	Reported by	2014	2015	Total
Zimbabwe	Exporter	8206	7599	15805
	Importer	178	42	220

\* 'Wild-sourced' only includes trade recorded as source 'W'. No trade in tusks reported by weight (kg) was recorded as 'U' or without a source specified.

Source: CITES Trade Database, UNEP WCMC, Cambridge, United Kingdom.

*Table D3. Export quotas for Loxodonta africana tusks as sport-hunted trophies 2013-2017 established in compliance with Resolution Conf. 10.10 (Rev. CoP17) on trade in elephant specimens. The number of elephants represented by the quotas is half the number of tusks (i.e. two tusks per elephant). Where there was no published quota for tusks as trophies, this is indicated by "-".*

Exporter	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Botswana	800	800	-	0	0
Cameroon	160	160	-	160	160
Mozambique	200	200	200	56	38
Namibia	180	180	180	180	180
South Africa	300	300	300	300	300
Tanzania, United Republic of	400	200	200	200	200
Zambia*	-	-	160	160	160
Zimbabwe	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000

\*Export quotas for Zambia in 2015, 2016 and 2017 were published for "tusks and other trophies" of a specified number of animals.

Source: Species+, UNEP WCMC, Cambridge, United Kingdom.

*Table D4. Direct trade in \*wild-sourced \*\*sport-hunted trophies of Loxodonta africana from African range States, 2014-2015.*

Exporter	Reported by	2014	2015	Total
Botswana	Exporter	0	NR	0
	Importer	275	63	338
Cameroon	Exporter	NR	NR	-
	Importer	26	12	38
Mozambique	Exporter	17	11	28
	Importer	47	34	81
Namibia	Exporter	44	82	126
	Importer	26	48	74
South Africa	Exporter	101	102	203
	Importer	51	60	111
Tanzania, United Republic of	Exporter	33	1	34

	Importer	33	10	43
Zambia	Exporter	2	3	5
	Importer	1	2	3
Zimbabwe	Exporter	181	156	337
	Importer	193	134	327
<b>Total</b>	<b>Exporter</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>733</b>
	<b>Importer</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>1015</b>

NR = No report

\*'Wild-sourced' includes only trade recorded as source code 'W'. No trade in trophies was recorded as 'U' or without a source specified.

\*\* 'Sport-hunted trophies' consist of trade in 'trophies' reported as purposes 'H', 'P' and 'T'. This does not include trade in other "trophy items" such as skins, skulls, ears, tails, etc.

Source: CITES Trade Database, UNEP WCMC, Cambridge, United Kingdom.