Goods Liberalization by APEC Economies

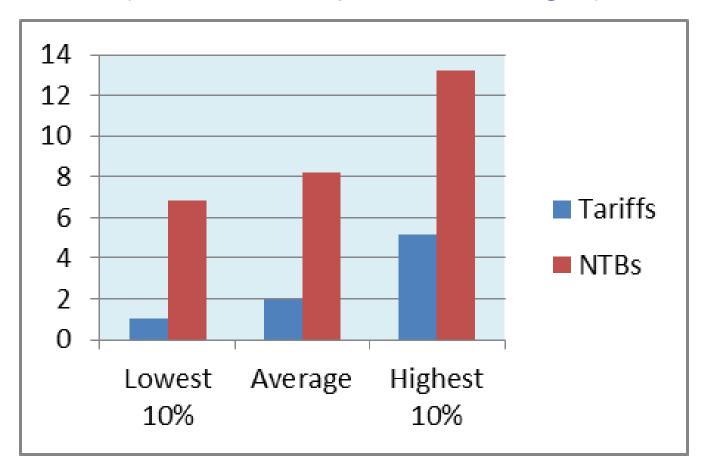
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Goods in next-generation agreements

- Goods barriers are still important
- Goods liberalization yields about ½ of benefits
- Liberalization of goods varies across agreements
- ROOs are getting better
- FTAAP promises better results than TPP, RCEP

Tariffs vs. NTBs in APEC

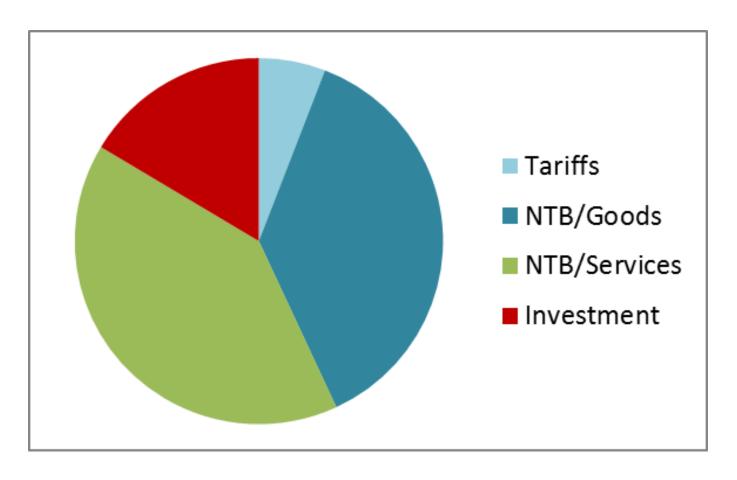
(Ad Valorem equivalent averages)



Source: TPP dataset

Distribution of TPP benefits

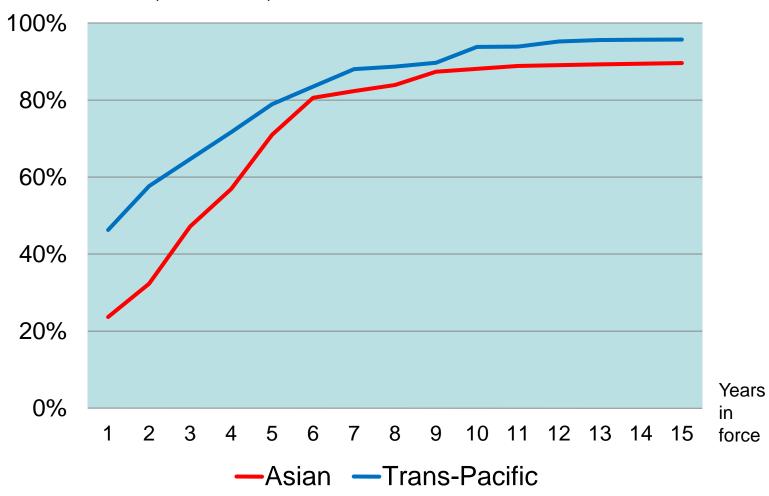
(income gains for members)



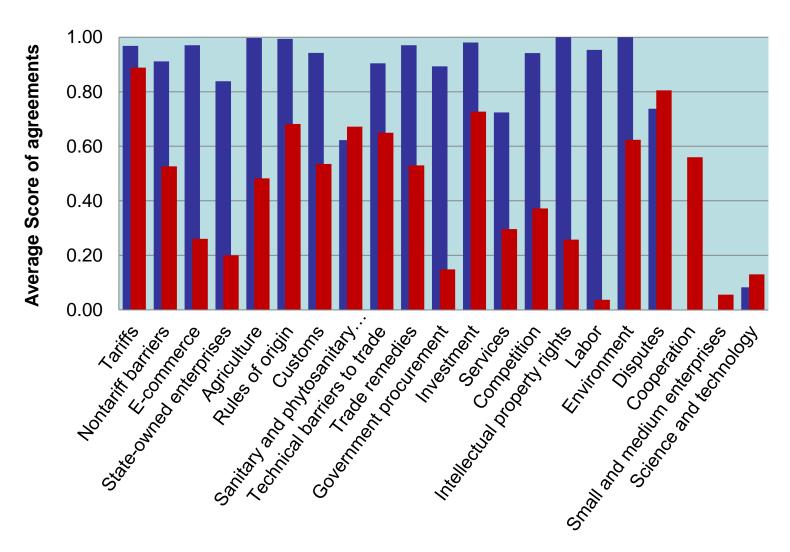
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How do templates differ (1)?

Tariff reduction (%MFN rate)



How do templates differ (2)?



Gains from TPP, RCEP, FTAAP

(% increase in incomes)

