

Index

A

- AANZFTA. *See* ASEAN-Australia-New Zealand FTA (AANZFTA)
- AAR. *See* ASEAN Architect Register (AAR)
- ABAC. *See* ASEAN Business Advisory Council (ABAC)
- ABC. *See* ASEAN Business Club (ABC)
- abuse of dominance, 260, 267
- anti-competitive agreements and, 264
 - provisions and guidelines, 264
 - structural hurdle for, 259
- ACB. *See* ASEAN Compliance Body (ACB)
- accountancy services, MRA, 104
- ACIA. *See* ASEAN Comprehensive Investment Agreement (ACIA)
- ACMB. *See* ASEAN Compliance Monitoring Body (ACMB)
- ACPE. *See* ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE)
- ACPECC. *See* ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineers Coordinating Committee (ACPECC)
- ACT. *See* ASEAN Consultation to Solve Trade and Investment Issues (ACT)
- ACWL. *See* Advisory Centre on WTO Law (ACWL)
- ADB. *See* Asian Development Bank (ADB)
- Advisory Centre on WTO Law (ACWL), 400
- AEC. *See* ASEAN Economic Community (AEC)
- AEC Blueprint. *See* ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) Blueprint
- AEGC. *See* ASEAN Experts Group on Competition (AEGC)
- AEM. *See* ASEAN Economic Ministers (AEM)
- AFAS. *See* ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services (AFAS); ASEAN Framework Agreement on Trade in Services (AFAS)
- AFlag. *See* ASEAN Federation of Land Survey and Geomatics (AFlag)
- Africa, competition policy, 221
- AFTA. *See* ASEAN Free Trade Agreement (AFTA); ASEAN Free Trade Area (AFTA)
- AFTA Council
- adopting roadmap for priority sectors, 37
 - establishment of, 36
 - identifying NTBs, 36–37
 - NTMs, reviews and assessments of, 37
- agreement commitments, 390
- Agreement on Trade in Goods, 354
- Agreements and Compliance Unit of Secretariat, 400

- agriculture sector
 intra-regional trade costs in, 68
 trade facilitation measures in,
 78–79
- agro-based sector
 frequency ratio, 45–47
 import coverage ratio, 44, 48–49
 NTMs, 44–50
- AIA. *See* ASEAN Investment Area
 (AIA)
- AICO. *See* ASEAN Industrial
 Cooperation Scheme (AICO)
- AIFTA. *See* ASEAN-India FTA (AIFTA)
- AIJV. *See* ASEAN Industrial Joint
 Venture (AIJV)
- AIMO. *See* ASEAN Integration
 Monitoring Office (AIMO)
- Air Asia, 157
- air transportation, 116–118
- AiT_i issues infrastructure (InTi), 257
- AJCEP Agreement. *See* ASEAN-
 Japan Comprehensive Economic
 Partnership Agreement
- AJCEP Framework Agreement, 354
- AKFTA. *See* ASEAN-Republic of
 Korea FTA (AKFTA)
- amber box, NTMs, 36
- Amendments
 to AIA, 152
 to AICO, 152
 to IGA, 151
- AMRO. *See* ASEAN Plus Three
 Macroeconomic Research Office
 (AMRO)
- “Angkor Agenda”, 361
- anti-competition provisions of laws,
 22
- anti-competitive agreements, 253
 Competition Act, Singapore, 264
- anti-competitive conduct, 209
- anti-dumping, ASEAN goals, 254
- anti-monopoly policies, 21
- anti-monopoly provision, Myanmar,
 261
- ANZCERTA. *See* Australia New
 Zealand Closer Economic
 Relations Trade Agreement
 (ANZCERTA)
- Appellate Body
 composition of panels and,
 396–397
 DSM, 395, 396
 reports of panel and, 399
 WTO, 389, 394, 395
- APT FTA, 372
- Aquino, Benigno S., III, 263
- architectural services, MRA, 104
- ASEAN-5
 agro-based sector, 48–49
 automotive sector, 67
 commodities, 50
 economies, 35
 electronics sector, 64
 fisheries sector, 53
 healthcare sector, 55
 ICT sector, 61
 rubber-based sector, 56
 share of imports with NTMs, 50
 textiles and garments sector, 59
 wood-based sector, 57
- ASEAN Agreement for Promotion
 and Protection of Investments
 (1987), 386
 investment dispute settlement
 under, 386–387
- ASEAN Agreement on
 Transboundary Haze Pollution,
 8
- ASEAN Architect (AA), 104
- ASEAN Architect Council (AAC),
 105, 130
- ASEAN Architect Register (AAR),
 130
- ASEAN-Australia-New Zealand FTA
 (AANZFTA), 341, 357, 361–362,
 367, 369
- ASEAN Broadband Corridor, 301
- ASEAN Business Advisory Council
 (ABAC), 419, 432
- ASEAN Business Club (ABC), 157
 “ASEAN Centrality”, 155
- ASEAN Charter, 9, 211, 418, 421

- ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE), 104–105, 128–129
- ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineers Coordinating Committee (ACPECC), 105, 128
- ASEAN Community, 96, 153
 - achievement of, 6
 - description, 3
 - pillars of, 443
- ASEAN Compliance Body (ACB), 5, 27, 397, 398
- ASEAN Compliance Monitoring Body (ACMB), 398
- ASEAN Comprehensive Investment Agreement (ACIA), 152–155, 190, 323, 386
 - investment dispute settlement under, 387–388
- ASEAN Connectivity, 304–305
 - Master Plan on, 301–302, 308
- ASEAN Consultation to Solve Trade and Investment Issues (ACT), 323, 397–398
- ASEAN Coordinating Council, 384
- ASEAN Economic Community (AEC) Blueprint, 2, 13, 96
 - addressing NTBs, 76
 - air transportation, 116–118
 - ASEAN Political-Security Community, 11
 - ATA, 112–114
 - capital restrictions, 132
 - competition policy, 253–254
 - compliance with, 111–114
 - Declaration of, 211
 - e-ASEAN, 114–116
 - for elimination of NTBs, 37
 - gaps in, 431
 - goals of, 280
 - healthcare sector, 118–121
 - implementation of, 463–465
 - IP protection measures, 244
 - liberalization commitments, 105–110
 - 7th service liberalization package, 121–127
 - single market, 207–209, 212
 - targets and timelines, 418
- ASEAN Economic Ministers (AEM), 6, 39, 128
- ASEAN Expert Group on Communicable Diseases, 8
- ASEAN Experts Group on Competition (AEGC), 249, 272n2
- ASEAN Federation of Land Survey and Geomatics (AFlag), 130–131
- ASEAN filing system, 210, 244
- ASEAN Framework Agreement on Services (AFAS), 16, 322
- ASEAN Framework Agreement on Trade in Services (AFAS), 95, 98
 - Article VII of, 110
 - liberalization commitments, 100–103
 - SCR, 102
- ASEAN Free Trade Agreement (AFTA), 95, 466, 467
- ASEAN Free Trade Area (AFTA)
 - AEC and related agreements, 321–325
 - political economy of, 370
 - strength of, 346–348, 365–368
 - utilization rates of, 14
- ASEAN+1 FTAs, 349
 - AANZFTA, 357, 361–362
 - ACFTA, 349–353
 - AIFTA, 355–360
 - AJCEP Agreement, 353–354
 - AKFTA, 354–355
 - assessment of, 363–369
- ASEAN Group of Competition Experts, 253–254
- ASEAN human development indicators, 298
- ASEAN-India Framework Agreement, 356
- ASEAN-India FTA (AIFTA), 355–360, 366, 369
- ASEAN Industrial Cooperation Scheme (AICO), 151
- ASEAN Industrial Joint Venture (AIJV), 151

- ASEAN Informal Summit in Singapore (2000), 114
- ASEAN Institute for Peace and Reconciliation, 10
- ASEAN Integration Monitoring Office (AIMO), 423, 434
- ASEAN Investment Area (AIA), 152–154, 322–323
- ASEAN Investment Area Council, 387
- ASEAN-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership (AJCEP) Agreement, 353–354
- ASEAN-Japan FTA, 366, 368
- ASEAN-Republic of Korea FTA (AKFTA), 354–355, 366, 368
- ASEAN Maritime Forum, 10
- ASEAN Multilateral Agreement on Air Services, 12
- ASEAN NTM Database, 38–39, 41–42
- ASEAN Plus Three Macroeconomic Research Office (AMRO), 423, 434
- ASEAN Plus Three program, 8
- ASEAN Political-Security Community, 11
- ASEAN-PRC FTA (ACFTA), 349–353, 365, 368, 443
- ASEAN-PRC trade, 352
- ASEAN Protocol, 26–27, 388, 393
- ASEAN Regional Forum, 9
- ASEAN Secretariat, 128, 411, 418, 422, 423, 434
- administrative costs of, 389, 400
 - in Indonesia, 398
 - integration conducted by, 432
 - in Jakarta, 398, 399
 - legal duties, 399–400
 - regional guidelines on competition policy, 212
- ASEAN Senior Economic Officials Meeting (SEOM), 388, 393, 418
- role of, 404
- ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community, 11, 279
- Blueprint for, 10
- ASEAN Specialized Meteorological Centre in Singapore, 8
- ASEAN Summit, 153, 384–386
- in Bali, 5
 - in Cambodia (2002), 112
 - in Phnom Penh, 4
 - in Singapore 2007, 211
- ASEAN Tourism Agreement (ATA), 112–114
- ASEAN Tourism Strategic Plan (ATSP) 2011-2015, 112
- ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA), 32, 37–38, 77, 323, 398
- ASEAN Trade Repository (ATR), 38, 77
- ASEAN Vision 2020, 3
- ASEAN Way, 10, 403, 405
- ASEAN Working Group on Intellectual Property Cooperation (AWGIPC), 243–244
- “ASEAN-x” formula, 323
- Asian Development Bank (ADB), 1, 177
- ASEAN Connectivity, 302
 - assistance from, 286
 - commitment device, 419, 420
 - flagship, 415, 417
- Asian financial crisis, 98, 148
- Asian FTAs, 345
- Asian regional economic integration, 371–374
- ATA. *See* ASEAN Tourism Agreement (ATA)
- ATIGA. *See* ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA)
- ATR. *See* ASEAN Trade Repository (ATR)
- ATSP 2011-2015. *See* ASEAN Tourism Strategic Plan (ATSP) 2011-2015
- Australian Competition and Consumer Commission, 230
- Australia New Zealand Closer Economic Relations Trade Agreement (ANZCERTA), 223, 229–230, 254
- Australia-New Zealand FTA, 341

- Austria, Myrna S., 92n1
- Authority for Info-communications
Technology Industry of Brunei
Darussalam Order of 2001 (AiTi
Order), 257
- automobile industry, Thailand, 185,
188, 190
- automotive sector
frequency ratio, 65
import coverage ratio, 67
NTMs, 62–66
- aviation authority, 157
- awareness, AEC, 450–458
export orientation and, 458
and firm characteristics, 458–461
foreign ownership and, 459
and information dissemination,
462
and role of government in
information dissemination,
461–462
by sector of business, 460
- AWGIPC. *See* ASEAN Working
Group on Intellectual Property
Cooperation (AWGIPC)
- B**
- Bali Summit, 153
- banking, financial services, 107
- BEBC. *See* BIMP-EAGA Business
Council (BEBC)
- behind-the-border interventions, 32
- Berne Convention, 238, 242
- bilateral FTAs, ASEAN countries,
325–338, 365, 368
- bilateral investment treaties (BITs),
407n9
- bilateral trade agreement (BTA),
342
- BIMP-EAGA. *See* Brunei
Darussalam-Indonesia-Malaysia-
The Philippines East ASEAN
Growth Area (BIMP-EAGA)
- BIMP-EAGA Business Council
(BEBC), 292
- BIMSTEC, 340
- Biopolis hub, 184
- bite-sized regional integration, 173
- Boehringer Ingelheim, 252–253
- “bottom-up” approach, 100
- bottom-up integration processes, 157
- Brazil, Fortaleza Protocol, 228
- Brunei Darussalam, 161, 205, 342
agro-based sector, 45–47
air transport sector, foreign equity
ownership in, 117
automotive sector, 65
fisheries sector, 52
foreign equity participation
policies in, 113
healthcare sector, foreign
ownership in, 54, 119
ICT sector, 60
restrictions on land ownership, 134
statutes and regulations, 270
survey of competition laws,
257–258
telecommunication industry in,
115
trade agreements, 327–328
wood-based sector, 57
- Brunei Darussalam-Indonesia-
Malaysia-The Philippines
East ASEAN Growth Area
(BIMP-EAGA), 179–180
cooperation, 302
impact on, 23, 293
IMT-GT and, 281, 294
institutional capacity in, 295
scale of investment, 293
Summit in Jakarta, 293–294
West Kalimantan-Sarawak
Interconnection in, 304–305
- BTA. *See* bilateral trade agreement
(BTA)
- Bumiputera policies, 341
- business community, AEC in, 156,
442–443
- Business Forum (GMS-BF), 288
- business law, 229
- business rankings, ASEAN countries,
218

- business survey, 76
 in ASEAN, 76
 assessment, 156
 background, 443–444
 basic dimensions of survey, 445–450
 design and implementation, 444–445
 distribution by export orientation, 448–449
 distribution by firm size, 445, 447
 distribution by foreign ownership, 447–448
 distribution by industry, 445, 446, 474–476
 executive summary, 442–443
 job descriptions of survey respondents, 449–450, 473
 business views, 14
- C**
- Cambodia, 204
 agro-based sector, 45–47
 air transport sector, foreign equity ownership in, 117
 fisheries sector, 52
 healthcare sector, foreign ownership in, 54, 119
 LPI, 73, 74
 policies, foreign equity participation, 113
 restrictions on land ownership, 136
 telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 and Thai forces, 7
 trade agreements, 335–336
- Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar and Viet Nam (CLMV), 178, 296, 301, 342
 ASEAN Dialogue Partners to, 304
 implications for, 110–111
 private-sector participation, 310
- Canada Post Corporation Act of 1981, 225
- Canadian Supreme Court, trademarks, 248
 capital, free flow of, 154
 capital market, financial services, 107
 capital restrictions, 132–133
 CARI. *See* CIMB ASEAN Research Institute (CARI)
 Caribbean Community and Common Market (CARICOM) agreement, 272n4
 CCS. *See* Competition Commission of Singapore (CCS)
 CDC. *See* Committee for Protection/Defense of Competition (CDC)
 Cebu Declaration, 444
 on Acceleration of the Establishment of an ASEAN Community, 153
 Central Product Classification Code (CPC Code), 131
 CEPT. *See* Common Effective Preferential Tariff Scheme (CEPT)
 CER agreement. *See* Closer Economic Relations agreement
 Charter of ASEAN, 382, 383, 407n5, 407n7
 and dispute settlement, 384–386
 principles of, 384
 Chicago Convention (1944), Article 6 of, 116
 Chin, David, 409n36
 cif-fob gap measures, 317n34
 CIMB ASEAN Research Institute (CARI), 432
 civil law, 241
 clear competition policy, establishment of, 154
 CLMV. *See* Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Myanmar and Viet Nam (CLMV)
 Closer Economic Relations (CER) agreement, 357
 CMC. *See* Council of the Common Market (CMC)

- CMG. *See* Common Market Group (CMG)
- Commerce Act of New Zealand, 1986, 230
- Commerce and Economic Development Bureau, 191
- commercial interests, NTBs, 80–91
- Commission for Supervision of Business Competition (KPPU), 259
- Commission Report, IP laws, 237
- Committee for Protection/Defense of Competition (CDC), 228
- commodities, ASEAN-5, 50
- Common Effective Preferential Tariff Scheme (CEPT), 322, 345, 392
- common law, 241
- Common Market Group (CMG), 227–228
- Common Market of the Southern Cone (MERCOSUR), 227–229, 254
- Community Design system, 242
- Community Patent, European Union, 240
- Community Trade Mark, 1994, 241
- Competition Act
 Malaysia, 260
 Philippines, 263
 Singapore, 263–265
- Competition Commission Act, 260, 261
- Competition Commission of Singapore (CCS), 263, 264
- Competition Commission of South Africa, 252–253
- competition laws, 249
 in ASEAN countries, 222–223
 competitiveness, competition policy and trade, 216, 219–222
 compulsory licensing, 252
 conflicts, intellectual property law and, 210–211
 economic integration, 212–213
 and integration, 216
 international agreements, 211
 and IPRs, 249–253
 mutual recognition, 213
 one-size-fits-all model, 250
 policy issues, 246–249
 provisions of, 254
 regional trade agreements, 209
- competition laws, survey of
 Brunei Darussalam, 257–258
 Indonesia, 258–259
 Lao PDR, 259
 Malaysia, 260–261
 Myanmar, 261–262
 Philippines, 262–263
 Singapore, 263–265
 Thailand, 265–266
 Viet Nam, 266–268
- competition policy, 21–22, 228
 ASEAN countries, 253–254
 competition laws, 216, 219–222
 in developed countries, 221–222
 goals of, 220
 competition related provisions (CRPs), 231
- competitive economic region, 154–155
- competitiveness
 competition laws, 216, 219–222
 concept of, 21
 framework, 216
 indicators, ASEAN countries, 214–215
- complementary trade patterns, 352
- compulsory licensing, 252
- concept of competitiveness, 21
- Consten and Grundig* case, 1966, 251
- consumer protection, 154
- Consumer Protection Commission, 266
- copyrights, 248–249
 EU, 241–242
- Corporation Code, Philippines, 263
- Corridor Chronicles*, 313n14
- Council of the Common Market (CMC), 227–228
- covered agreements, 393–394

- CPC Code. *See* Central Product Classification Code
- cross-border anti-competitive practices, 209
- cross-border IP licensing, 238
- cross-border transaction costs, reduction of, 245
- Cross Border Transport Agreement, 313n7
- CRPs. *See* competition related provisions (CRPs)
- cultural heritage, 10
- Cyclone Nargis, 9
- D**
- database
- on NTBs, 419, 430, 432–433
 - on NTMs, 36–37
- data sources, 40–42
- decision making, key feature of, 417
- Decision or Agreement for the Protection of Competition (2010), 228–229
- democracy, principles of, 9
- dental practitioners, MRA, 104
- designs, protection of, 242–243
- developing countries
- competition laws, 252–253
 - TRIPS, 238–239
- diamond framework, 219
- digital divide, 296, 299
- director liability, 195
- discriminatory measures, 42–44
- dispute reports, transparency of, 396
- dispute resolution, ASEAN goals, 254
- dispute settlement body, 383, 388
- Dispute Settlement Gateway page, 402
- dispute settlement mechanisms (DSMs), 387, 392–393
- Appellate Body, 26–27, 395, 396–397, 404
 - establishment of enhanced, 397
 - factors and policy recommendations, 393–405
 - features of, 389–391
 - information and publicity, 400–403
 - infrastructure of, 389
 - legal certainty, 395–397
 - legal, resource and financial support, 397–400
 - panel, 395, 396–397, 404
 - policy factors, 403–405
 - politicized system, 403
 - practical recommendations, 26–27
 - rules-based system, 403–405
 - translation services for, 27
 - use of, 391–393
- dispute settlement system, 382
- aspects of, 383
 - Charter and, 384–386
 - investment. *See* investment dispute settlement
 - trade. *See* trade dispute settlement
 - Treaty of Amity and Cooperation, 383
 - WTO, 27
- Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU) system, 392–393
- panel/Appellate Body, 389, 404
 - to quote, 406
 - WTO, 388, 389, 391–393
- Dispute Settlement Web page, 402
- Doha Declaration of 2001, 238–239
- domestic consumers protection, 220–221
- domestic investment, 147–148
- domestic market, licensing, 252
- domestic policy, pursuit of, 33
- domestic political considerations, 27
- domestic ratification, 420
- dominant firm conduct, 253
- domino effect of multiplying FTAs, 370
- Downstream Oil Industry Deregulation Act (1998), 263
- drugs, patent protection, 251
- DSB
- recommendations and rules of, 404
 - role of, 404

- DSMs. *See* dispute settlement mechanisms (DSMs)
- DSU system. *See* Dispute Settlement Understanding (DSU) system
- E**
- Early Harvest Package (EHP), 349
- EAS. *See* East Asia Summit (EAS)
- e-ASEAN, 114–116
- ease of doing business
- identify weaknesses in, 191–195
 - index, 158
- East Asia
- FTA, 371
 - trade agreements in, 326–338
 - trade facilitation indicators, 73
- East Asia Summit (EAS), 371
- EC-ASEAN Intellectual Property Rights Co-operation Programmes, 244
- EC-ASEAN Patents and Trade Marks, 244
- ECJ. *See* European Court of Justice (ECJ)
- e-commerce, 155
- economic corridor approach, 175, 286
- economic development
- ASEAN countries, 256
 - FDI in, 18
- Economic Development Board (EDB), 185, 191
- economic disputes, 388
- economic diversity, 175–176
- economic integration, 4, 77, 79, 325, 443
- awareness of AEC 2015 and, 454, 455
 - business affected by, 453
 - forms of, 173–175
 - HLTF on, 4, 27, 36
 - impact of, 454, 455
 - impediments, 465–469
 - institutional underpinnings of, 27
 - NTBs undermining, 32
 - process, 15
 - regional institutions for. *See* regional institutions for ASEAN economic integration
- SRZs and, 24
- survey, 477–481
- economic partnership agreements, ASEAN and external partners, 7
- Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA), 190
- economic strategy, 370
- Economic Transformation Programme (ETP), 183
- economy, 103
- intra-regional trade transactions among, 31
 - service sector and services trade in, 96–100
- EDB. *See* Economic Development Board (EDB)
- EDSM. *See* Enhanced Dispute Settlement Mechanism (EDSM)
- EEC. *See* European Economic Community (EEC)
- EHP. *See* Early Harvest Package (EHP)
- Electric Power Industry Reform Act, 263
- electronic filing systems, 195
- electronics sector
- frequency ratio, 63
 - import coverage ratio, 62, 64
 - NTMs, 62
- Emerging Asian Regionalism, 371
- Emerging Infectious Diseases program, 8
- Eminent Persons Group (EPG), 301, 308
- Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC), 263
- engineering services, MRA, 104
- Enhanced Dispute Settlement Mechanism (EDSM), 26, 325, 388
- ASEAN Protocol on, 110
- Entry Point Projects, 183

- EPC. *See* European Patent Convention (EPC)
- EPG. *See* Eminent Persons Group (EPG)
- EPLA. *See* European Patent Litigation Agreement (EPLA)
- equitable economic development, 155
- ERC. *See* Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC)
- ERIA. *See* Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA)
- ESCAP Trade Cost Database, 41
- ETP. *See* Economic Transformation Programme (ETP)
- e-training modules, 402
- EU. *See* European Union (EU)
- EU commitments, 344
- EU-Republic of Korea FTA, 343, 347, 348, 367, 369
- Europe
 - enforcement harmonization in, 245
 - IPRs and competition law intersection, 251
- European Commission
 - copyright licence, 248–249
 - Green Paper, 242
- European Commission Directive, harmonization, 245
- European Court of Justice (ECJ)
 - doctrine of Community IPR Exhaustion, 211
 - IP rights, 251
- European Economic Community (EEC), 4
- European Patent Convention (EPC), 240
- European Patent Litigation Agreement (EPLA), 240
- European system of examination, 240
- European Union (EU), 6
 - cross-border sale, 210–211
 - harmonizing IP laws in, 239–243
 - model, 374
- Eurozone, 6
- exports
 - cartels, ASEAN goals, 254
 - markets, global competition for, 1
 - Porter's typology of industries and clusters, 219
- extra-regional trade costs, non-tariff of ASEAN-4, 68, 69
- East Asia-3, 69
- F**
- face-to-face familiarization sessions, 27
- face-to-face information sessions, 403
- FDI. *See* foreign direct investment (FDI)
- Federal Trade Commission (FTC), 252
- Filipino authority, 316n29
- finance measures, 34
- financial incentives, 187
- financial service
 - sector liberalization, 109
 - subsectors for liberalization, 106–107
- first-class mail, 225
- fisheries sector
 - frequency ratio, 52
 - import coverage ratio, 53
 - NTMs, 50–53
- foreign direct investment (FDI), 141, 143–144, 234, 236, 238, 243
 - in economic development, 18
 - facilitation, complaints about, 163
 - formidable obstacles to, 20
 - global competition for, 1
 - PRC and India, 144–146
 - Russian Federation's share of, 146
 - transmission channels, 155–156
- foreign equity ownership
 - in air transport sector, 117
 - in telecommunications, 114, 115
- foreign equity participation policies
 - in tourism sectors, 113
- foreign investments, 141
 - in Southeast Asia, 18–19

- foreign ownership in healthcare sector, regulations on, 119
- foreign-policy motives, 370
- Fortaleza Protocol, 228
- Framework Agreement on ASEAN Investment Area (1998), 407n10
- investment dispute settlement under, 386, 387
- free flow of trade in services, 5
- free trade agreements (FTAs)
- ASEAN+1. *See* ASEAN+1 FTAs
 - assessment of, 344–348
 - bilateral and plurilateral, 424, 430, 434–435
 - external, 24–26
 - IP standards, 210
 - respondents' awareness of, 451
 - Singapore, 339
 - trade policy in Southeast Asia, 321
- frequency ratio, 92n6
- agri-based sector, 45–47
 - automotive sector, 65
 - electronics sector, 63
 - fisheries sector, 52
 - healthcare sector, 54
 - ICT sector, 60
 - NTMs measured by, 41
 - rubber-based sector, 56
 - textiles and garments sector, 58
 - wood-based sector, 57
- FTAs. *See* free trade agreements (FTAs)
- FTC. *See* Federal Trade Commission (FTC)
- G**
- GCI. *See* Global Competitiveness Index (GCI)
- GDP. *See* gross domestic product (GDP)
- General Agreement on Trade in Services (GATS), 226, 324
- approach of request and offer, 95, 100
- Geneva Act of Hague Agreement, 242
- geographical indicators (GIs), 344
- GFCF. *See* gross fixed capital formation (GFCF)
- GlaxoSmithKline, 252–253
- Global Competitiveness Index (GCI), 158
- global economy, integration into, 155
- global investment, 148
- globalization, 28
- global production network (GPN), 92n2
- global supply networks, enhanced participation in, 155
- Global Trade Alert, 40–41
- GMS. *See* Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS)
- GMS-ECP. *See* Greater Mekong Subregion Economic Cooperation Program (GMS-ECP)
- Goh Chok Tong, 4
- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA), 339
- GPA. *See* Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
- GPN. *See* global production network (GPN)
- Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS), 175–176, 281, 283, 286–289
- Cross Border Transport Agreement, 289
 - institutional capacity in, 295
 - program, 302
- Greater Mekong Subregion Economic Cooperation Program (GMS-ECP), 180–181
- green box, NTMs, 36–37
- Green Paper, 242
- gross domestic product (GDP), 96–98
- share of services in, 16
- gross fixed capital formation (GFCF), 147
- H**
- Habibie, B. J., 312
- harmonization
- of regional standards, 22
 - registration systems, 247

- healthcare sector, 118–121
 frequency ratio, 54
 import coverage ratio, 55
 NTMs, 53–56
- Heritage Foundation, 158
- High Level Task Force (HLTF), 4,
 390, 397
 on ASEAN Economic Integration,
 15, 36
 recommendations, 397–398
- Highly Sensitive List, 355, 356
- high-speed rail (HSR) system, 182
- HIV/AIDS, special task force on,
 8
- HLTF. *See* High Level Task Force
- horizontal agreements, 260
- Host ACT, 398
- HSR system. *See* high-speed rail
 (HSR) system
- Human resources, supporting DSM
 process, 397–398
- human rights, view of, 7
- I**
- IAI. *See* Initiative for ASEAN
 Integration (IAI)
- iconic connectivity projects, 181
- ICT infrastructure indicators, 299
- ICT sector
 frequency ratio, 60
 import coverage ratio, 61
 NTMs, 59–62
- IDR. *See* Iskandar Development
 Region (IDR)
- IGA. *See* Investment Guarantee
 Agreement (IGA)
- illicit drugs, narcotics and trafficking
 in, 9
- ILO. *See* International Labour
 Organization (ILO)
- implementation of AEC, 432, 444
 flexible approaches to, 431
 regional institutions to, 412
- import coverage ratio, 92n6
 agri-based sector, 48–49
 automotive sector, 67
 electronics sector, 62, 64
 fisheries sector, 53
 healthcare sector, 55
 ICT sector, 59, 61
 NTMs measured by, 41
 rubber-based sector, 56
 textiles and garments sector,
 59
 wood-based sector, 57
- imports share with NTMs, 51
- IMS-GT. *See* Indonesia-Malaysia-
 Singapore Growth Triangle
 (IMS-GT)
- IMT-GT. *See* Indonesia-Malaysia-
 Thailand Growth Triangle
 (IMT-GT)
- IMT-GT Joint Business Council
 (IMT-GT JBC), 289
 cooperation, 302
- IMT-GT Road Map, 290
- IMT-GT summit (2005), 290
- India
 domestic investment, 147
 economic rise of, 144
 LPI, 72
 trade agreements, 337–338
- Indochinese asylum-seekers, 7
- Indonesia, 192, 193, 203–204, 342
 affected by prohibition, 57
 agro-based sector, 45–49
 ASEAN Secretariat in, 398
 automotive sector, 65, 67
 commercial interests, 80–85
 commodities, 50
 domestic consumers, 221
 electronics sector, 63, 64
 FDI rules, 160
 fisheries sector, 52, 53
 foreign equity participation
 policies in, 113
 healthcare sector, 54, 55
 ICT sector, 60, 61
 import coverage ratios, 44
 IMT-GT Projects, 291
 LPI, 74
 MP3EI, 183–184

- policy on foreign equity
 - ownership in air transport sector, 117
- regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
- restrictions on land ownership, 134
- share of imports with NTMs, 51
- statutes and regulations, 270
- survey of competition laws, 258–259
- technical regulations in, 44
- telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
- textiles and garments sector, 58, 59
- trade agreements, 328–329
- wood-based sector, 57
- Indonesia-Japan FTA, 347, 348
- Indonesia-Malaysia-Singapore Growth Triangle (IMS-GT), 178–179
- Indonesia-Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle (IMT-GT), 180, 281, 284, 289–292
- institutional capacity in, 297
- Indonesian authority, 316n29
- Indonesia's Master Plan, 21
- industry-wide technology standard, 248
- Information Technology Agreement (ITA), 114
- infrastructure projects, 184
- Initiative for ASEAN Integration (IAI), 22, 280, 300, 305, 421, 434
 - Strategic Framework, 5
 - Work Plan, 300, 306
- initiatives to address NTMs and NTBs, 35–40
- innovation, domestic economic impact on, 250
- institutional architecture for regional integration, 411
- institutions, 27–29, 424–430
- Institutions for Asian Integration, 372
- institutions for integration, 415
 - commitment devices, 417–420
 - decision rules, 416–417
 - facilitating organizations and structures, 421–424
- insurance, financial services, 106
- integration
 - initiative for, 300–301
 - institutions for. *See* institutions for integration
 - political economy of, 412–415
 - sectors, rapid liberalization of, 154
- intellectual property (IP), 208
 - “Action Plans”, 212
 - and AEC, 209–215, 217–218
 - AEC Blueprint, 210
 - in ASEAN, integration of, 243–246
 - commitments, 339
 - and competition laws, conflicts, 210–211
 - economic integration, 212–213
 - in EU, harmonizing, 239–243
 - innovation, 232–234
 - international agreements, 211
 - IPRs, 233–237
 - knowledge, 233
 - levels of enforcement, 210
 - mutual recognition, 213
 - standards, 210, 212
 - TRIPS, 237–239
- intellectual property rights (IPRs), 208, 209, 243
 - abusive enforcement of, 249
 - Action Plan, 243, 244
 - anti-competitive use of, 246–247
 - competition laws and, 249–253
 - domestic research and development, 211
 - examining and granting procedures, 247–248
 - intellectual property laws, 233–237
 - one-size-fits-all model, 250
 - policy issues, 246–249
 - protection, 154
 - protection and enforcement of, 245
 - protection in ASEAN, 2, 21–22

- standards, anti-competitive use of, 250–251
 - used to limit competition, 248–249
 - welfare effects of harmonizing, 233–235, 255
 - intergovernmental agreements, 19, 20
 - internal market in knowledge, 243
 - international automobile companies, 188
 - International Center for the Settlement of Investment Disputes (ICSID), 407n9
 - international community, 7
 - International Labour Organization (ILO), 98
 - International Long Distance Rules, 226
 - international terrorism, 9
 - international trade and investment, 219
 - intra-ASEAN state disputes, 387
 - intra-ASEAN trade, 4–5, 14
 - anti-competitive conduct, 251–253
 - ASEAN goals, 254–255
 - disputes, 391
 - NTBs to, 15
 - intra-regional trade, 2, 279–280
 - transactions among ASEAN economies, 31
 - intra-regional trade costs, non-tariff
 - in agriculture sector, 68
 - ASEAN-4 and East Asia-3, 69
 - in manufacturing sector, 68
 - and sectoral trade costs, 66
 - InvestHK, 191
 - investment, 18–21
 - policy, 19
 - investment agreements, 158
 - to AEC Blueprint, 150–158
 - FDI factor, 161–169
 - regional agreements, 158–161
 - investment climate
 - in ASEAN, 141–148, 164–169
 - parameters that determine, 148–150
 - investment dispute settlement, 383, 386–388
 - under ACIA 2009, 387–388
 - under 1987 Agreement, 386–387
 - under 1998 Framework Agreement, 387
 - investment, free flow of, 154
 - Investment Guarantee Agreement (IGA), 151, 153, 184
 - investment liberalization
 - in ASEAN, 163
 - measures, 468
 - investment promotion organization, 190–195
 - investors, ASEAN-based, 4
 - investor-state arbitration
 - mechanism, 387
 - investor-state dispute settlement
 - mechanisms, 386
 - provisions, 387
 - IP. *See* intellectual property (IP)
 - IPRs. *See* intellectual property rights (IPRs)
 - Iskandar Development Region (IDR), 285
 - Iskandar Malaysia development region, 175
 - “isolated” individual sectors, 17–18
 - ITA. *See* Information Technology Agreement (ITA)
- J**
- Jakarta, ASEAN Secretariat in, 398, 399
 - Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association, 188
 - Japan-Philippines FTA, 342
 - Japan-Thailand FTA, 341
 - JBC. *See* Joint Business Council (JBC)
 - Johor and Singapore, rapid transit system between, 182
 - Joint Business Council (JBC), 314n17
 - Journal of GMS Development Studies, 288

K

- Korean commitments, 344
- KORUS FTA. *See* Republic of Korea-US (KORUS) FTA
- Kuala Lumpur and Singapore, train link between, 182
- Kunming-Singapore rail link, 316n30

L

- labor, cross-border investment and movement of, 18
- labor force in Viet Nam, 176
- landholding restrictions, 133–136
- land ownership, ASEAN member states' restrictions on, 134–136
- land swap agreement, 182
- Lao PDR, 116, 134, 201–203
 - agro-based sector, 45–47
 - automotive sector, 65
 - electronics sector, 63
 - foreign equity participation policies in, 113
 - healthcare sector, 54
 - ICT sector, 60
 - LPI, 73, 74
 - policy on foreign equity ownership in air transport sector, 117
 - regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
 - statutes and regulations, 270
 - survey of competition laws, 259
 - telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 - wood-based sector, 57
- Lao People's Democratic Republic, trade agreements, 329
- Latin American preferential trade agreements, 231
- Law Concerning Prohibition of Monopolistic Practices and Unfair Business Practices (1999), 258
- laws, anti-competition provisions of, 22

- Lead ACT, 398
- Lee Kuan Yew, 312
- legal certainty, 395–397
- legal duties of ASEAN Secretariat, 399–400
- legalization, 417
- Legal Unit, ASEAN, 397
- LEGO's patents, 248
- liberalization
 - goals and lax implementation, 18
 - protection and opposition to, 28–29
 - regional, 413–415, 420
 - regional economic, 412
 - services, 16–17
 - of trade in services, 11
- liberalization commitments of trade, 100
 - AEC Blueprint, 105–110
 - AFAS, 100–103
 - CLMV countries, implications for, 110–111
 - of MRAs, 103–105
- licenses, competition restriction prohibition, 257–258
- Lisbon Strategy, 243
- Logistics Development Study of the IMT-GT, 290
- Logistics Performance Index (LPI), 68–73
 - ASEAN, India, and Northeast Asia, 72
 - and components, 71
 - country rankings, 70
 - database, 41
 - scorecard, ASEAN, 74–75
 - World Bank, 308
- Long Term National Development Plan, 184
- LPI. *See* Logistics Performance Index (LPI)

M

- Macroeconomic and Finance Surveillance Office, 423
- macroeconomic indicators, 297

- Malaysia, 121, 134, 161, 193, 200–201, 341–342
- affected by non-automatic licensing, 57
 - agro-based sector, 45–49
 - automotive sector, 65, 67
 - commercial interests, 85–87
 - commodities, 50
 - domestic consumers, 221
 - electronics sector, 63, 64
 - ETP, 183
 - FDI rules, 160
 - fisheries sector, 52, 53
 - foreign equity participation
 - policies in, 113
 - FTAs, 346, 348
 - healthcare sector, 54, 55
 - ICT sector, 60, 61
 - import coverage ratios, 44
 - IMT-GT Projects, 291
 - LPI, 74
 - policy on foreign equity
 - ownership in air transport sector, 117
 - regulations on foreign ownership
 - in the healthcare sector, 119
 - rubber-based sector, 56
 - share of imports with NTMs, 51
 - statutes and regulations, 270
 - survey of competition laws, 260–261
 - telecommunication industry,
 - foreign equity ownership in, 115
 - textiles and garments sector, 58, 59
 - trade agreements, 329–331
 - wood-based sector, 57
 - WTO DSU system, 391, 392
- Malaysia-Chile FTA, 341
- Malaysia-India FTA, 342
- Malaysia-New Zealand FTA, 341
- Malaysian House of Representatives, 260
- Malaysia's Economic Transformation Programme, 21
- Malaysia-Thailand cross-border trade, 23
- manufacturing sector, intra-regional trade costs in, 68
- marine water quality, 8–9
- Maritime Sector Study of IMT-GT, 291
- market-driven development, 23
- market-economy status (MES), 352
- market economy system of Myanmar, 261
- market-expansion effect, 235
- market-power effect, 235
- Master Plan for ASEAN Connectivity, 4
- Master Plan for the Acceleration and Expansion of Indonesia's Economic Development (MP3EI), 183–184
- Master Plan on ASEAN Connectivity, 280, 301–302
- medical practitioners, MRA, 104
- medical professional workforce, 120
- Medium Term National Development Plan, 184
- Melaka-Dumai ferry project, 23, 291
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), 229–230, 274n26
- Memorandums of Agreement, 172
- Mercado Común del Sur (MERCOSUR), 22
- MERCOSUR. *See* Mercado Común del Sur (MERCOSUR)
- MERCOSUR Trade Commission (MTC), 227–228
- MES. *See* market-economy status
- MFN treatment. *See* Most Favored Nation (MFN) treatment
- micro-processor manufacturers, patent portfolio, 248
- Midterm Review* (2008), 293
- MNCs. *See* US multinational companies
- mobility of professionals restrictions, 136–137
- mobilization, political leaders of, 417

- Monopolies Act, 257
monopolistic measures, 34
Most Favored Nation (MFN)
 treatment, 153
MOU. *See* Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)
MRAs. *See* mutual recognition agreements (MRAs); Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MRAs)
MTC. *See* MERCOSUR Trade Commission (MTC)
Multilateral Agreement on Air Services, 111
mutual recognition agreements (MRAs), 95, 103–106, 136
mutual recognition arrangements (MRAs), 4, 11
Myanmar, 161, 199–200, 313n6
 agro-based sector, 45–47
 foreign equity participation policies in, 113
 ICT sector, 60
 international assistance to, 9
 LPI, 72–74
 under 1987 Agreement against, 387
 policy on foreign equity ownership in air transport sector, 117
 regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
 restrictions on land ownership, 134
 statutes and regulations, 271
 survey of competition laws, 261–262
 telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 trade agreements, 331
- N**
NAFTA. *See* North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA)
Nanning-Singapore Economic Corridor, 177–178
Nargis, Cyclone, 9
narrowing the development gap (NDG) element, 305–306
National Competition Authorities (NCAs), 229
national consultants
 qualitative comments of, 469–470
National Economic Development Authority, 263
National Key Economic Areas (NKEAs), 183
national policy-makers, 141
national political systems, diversity of, 413
National Telecommunications Commission (NTC), 263
national treatment, principle of, 242
natural disasters, 9
NCAs. *See* National Competition Authorities (NCAs)
NDG. *See* narrowing the development gap
New Zealand Closer Economic Relation Trade Agreement (ANZCERTA), 22
New Zealand Commerce Commission, 230
9th ASEAN Summit (2003), 96
NKEAs. *See* National Key Economic Areas (NKEAs)
non-automatic licensing affecting Malaysia, 57
non-binding agreements, 232
non-tariff barriers (NTBs), 3, 14–16, 153, 279, 443, 470, 471
 AEC Blueprint addressing, 76
 AEC Blueprint for elimination of, 37
 ASEAN database on, 419, 430, 432–433
 ASEAN initiatives to address, 35–40
 in ASEAN region, 42–44
 criteria for identifying, 36–37
 dealing with, 77–79
 definition and conceptual issues, 32–35

- discriminating against commercial interests, 80–91
 - effects of, 32
 - elimination of, 37
 - harmonization of standards, 78
 - identification and elimination of, 39, 40
 - implementation of initiatives on, 38–40
 - “little progress” on reducing, 15
 - policy recommendations, 77–79
 - replacing tariffs as protective measures, 31, 33
 - reporting, monitoring and eliminating, 77–78
 - tariff reduction, 31
 - trade facilitation, 35, 68–76
 - undermining economic integration process, 32
 - non-tariff distortion, 33
 - non-tariff measure (NTMs)
 - agro-based sector, 44–50
 - ASEAN database on, 36–37
 - ASEAN initiatives to address, 35–40
 - in ASEAN region, 44–66
 - ASEAN-5 share of imports with, 51
 - automotive sector, 62–66
 - classification of, 34–35
 - definition and conceptual issues, 32–35
 - electronics sector, 62
 - fisheries sector, 50–53
 - frequency ratio, measured by, 41
 - healthcare sector, 53–56
 - ICT sector, 59–62
 - implementation of initiatives on, 38–40
 - import coverage ratio, measured by, 41
 - reviews and assessments of, 37
 - rubber-based sector, 56
 - textiles and garments sector, 58–59
 - to trade, 34
 - wood-based sector, 57–58
 - non-tariff trade costs, 35, 66–68
 - North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), 22, 224, 254, 387
 - model, 339
 - United States vs. Telmex*, 225–227
 - UPS vs. Government of Canada*, 225
 - North-South corridor, 289
 - NTBs. *See* non-tariff barriers (NTBs)
 - NTC. *See* National Telecommunications Commission (NTC)
 - NTMs. *See* non-tariff measure (NTMs)
 - nuclear weapons, development and use of, 7
 - nursing services, MRA, 104
- O**
- Øresund Bridge, 181–182
 - organizational culture, 417
 - over-arching dispute settlement, 383
 - architecture, 384
 - KORUS, 344
- P**
- Pan-Beibu Gulf Economic Cooperation Zone, 177
 - Pan-Beibu Gulf Economic Region (PBG), 177, 178
 - para-tariff measures, 34
 - Paris Convention, 238
 - Parke, Davis v. Probel*, 1968, 251
 - patents
 - boundaries, 247
 - EU, 240
 - grants, anti-competitive impact of, 248
 - LEGO, 248
 - protection, drugs, 251
 - PBG. *See* Pan-Beibu Gulf Economic Region (PBG)
 - Pearl River Delta SRZ, 312n1
 - PEMANDU. *See* Performance Management and Delivery Unit (PEMANDU)

- Performance Management and Delivery Unit (PEMANDU), 183
- peripheral economies, 161
- pharmaceutical companies, 248
- pharmaceutical industry, Singapore, 184–185
- pharmaceutical sector-specific incentives, 187
- Philippines, 193, 342
- agro-based sector, 45–49
 - automotive sector, 65, 67
 - commercial interests, 87
 - commodities, 50
 - electronics sector, 63, 64
 - foreign equity participation policies in, 113
 - ICT sector, 60, 61
 - LPI, 72, 73, 75
 - policy on foreign equity ownership in air transport sector, 117
 - regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
 - restrictions on land ownership, 135
 - share of imports with NTMs, 51
 - statutes and regulations, 271
 - survey of competition laws, 262–263
 - telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 - trade agreements, 331
 - WTO dispute, 392, 394
- Philippines-Japan FTA, 347, 348
- Phnom Penh Plan for Development Management, 288
- policy factors of ASEAN DSM, 403–405
- policy-led infrastructure programs, 170–171
- policy-makers, ASEAN, 28, 310
- political decision-makers, 17, 403
- political leaders, mobilization of, 417
- politicized system, DSM, 403
- Porter, Michael E., 216
- “positive list” approach, 100
- poverty, 299
- PPP. *See* Public-Private Partnership (PPP)
- PRA. *See* Professional Regulatory Authority (PRA)
- PRC, 145, 177, 352–353
- domestic investment, 147
 - economic rise of, 144
 - and India, 147
- Preferential Trade Arrangements (PTA), 35
- Price Act, 262
- price control measures, 34
- priority sectors, integration of, 32, 37, 39, 92n3
- private investment, 148
- private sectors
- with NTBs, 77
 - participation, CLMV, 310
- production-process competition, 21
- Professional Regulatory Authority (PRA), 128, 129
- prohibition
- affecting Indonesia, 57
 - Singapore, 59
- property right, IPRs, 246
- protectionism, 42
- Protection of Intellectual Property Rights, 244
- Protocol on Enhanced Dispute Settlement Mechanism, 383, 389
- Protocol to ASEAN Charter on Dispute Settlement Mechanisms, 384
- PTA. *See* Preferential Trade Arrangements (PTA)
- Public-Private Partnership (PPP), 307
- Public Telecommunications Policy Act, 263
- Q**
- quid pro quo for ASEAN, 414

R

- Razak, Najib, 183
- re-adjustment process, 170
- red box, NTMs, 36
- regional competition agreements, 231
- regional economic integration, 1, 28
- abolition of tariffs to, 4–5
 - AEC and, 29
 - ASEAN's approach to, 412, 413
 - commitments to, 20
 - desirability of, 11
 - measures for, 3
 - principal objectives of, 24
- regional economic liberalization, 412
- regional enforcement system, 229
- regional free/preferential trade agreements, 231
- regional institutions for ASEAN
- economic integration, 424–430
 - effectiveness of monitoring and feedback, 431–433
 - flexibility, maintaining, 431
 - organizational structure to support regional integration, 434–435
 - redistributive transfers and non-business stakeholders, 433–434
- regional integration, 422, 424
- ASEAN Secretaria support for, 423
 - ASEAN's institutional architecture for, 411
 - aspects of, 411
 - benefits of, 413
 - globalization and, 28
 - organizational structure to support, 434–435
 - in Southeast Asia, 414
- regional liberalization, 413–415, 420
- regional market, development of, 245
- regional policy-makers, 28
- regional standards, harmonization of, 22
- regional technical assistance (RETA), 177
- regional trade agreements (RTAs), 223–224
- ANZCERTA, 229–230
 - competition law, 209
 - and competition provisions, 230–232
 - MERCOSUR, 227–229
 - NAFTA, 224–227
- region, ASEAN
- NTBs in, 42–44
 - NTMs in, 44–66
- Registered Foreign Professional Engineer (RFPE), 105, 129
- Regulation 6/2002 on Community Designs, 242
- Regulation 40/94 on Community Trade Mark, 241
- Republic of Korea-US (KORUS) FTA, 342–343
- request-and-offer approach, 111
- GATS, 10, 95
- Research & Development (R&D)
- domestic, 256
 - levels of, 250
- resource mobilization, 307–308
- RETA. *See* Regional Technical Assistance (RETA)
- return on capital employed in Asia for US corporations, 148
- return on investment (ROI), 149, 184
- Revised Penal Code, 262
- RFPE. *See* Registered Foreign Professional Engineer (RFPE)
- right to compete, 266
- ROI. *See* return on investment (ROI)
- Rome Convention, 1961, 242
- RTAs. *See* regional trade agreements (RTAs)
- rubber-based sector
- frequency ratio, 56
 - import coverage ratio, 56
 - NTMs, 56
- rules-based system of DSM, 403–405
- Russian Federation's share of FDI, 146

S

- sanitary and phytosanitary (SPS) measures, 33

- scale economies, 171–172
- SCR. *See* Sectoral Coverage Ratio (SCR)
- SEC. *See* Southern Economic Corridor (SEC)
- Secretariat's legal duties, 399–400
- Section 20 of the AEC, 108
- Section 3 of the AEC Blueprint, 108
- Sectoral Coverage Ratio (SCR), 102
- sectoral trade costs, intra-regional aggregate and, 66
- sector-specific regulation, antitrust provision, 263
- SEOM. *See* ASEAN Senior Economic Officials Meeting
- separate dispute settlement architecture, 384
- services, 16–18
- sector liberalization targets by AEC Blueprint, 111
- services licenses (SeTi), 257
- services trade negotiation (1995–2011), ASEAN achievements in, 101
- 17th ASEAN Summit, 301
- 7th BIMP-EAGA Summit, 293–294
- 7th service liberalization package, 121–127
- SEZs. *See* special economic zones (SEZs)
- shallow integration, 372
- Sherman Act, 249
- Shinawatra, Yingluck, 313n11
- Siam Cement, 157
- Sijori zone. *See* Singapore-Johor-Riau (Sijori) zone
- Simelane, Menzi, 253
- Singapore, 158, 174, 198–199, 338–340
- agro-based sector, 45–49
 - automotive sector, 65, 67
 - commercial interests, 87–89
 - commodities, 50
 - competition policy, 220–221
 - EDB, 191
 - electronics sector, 63, 64
 - fisheries sector, 52, 53
 - foreign equity participation policies in, 113
 - FTAs, 346, 348, 365, 368
 - GDP, 97, 98
 - healthcare sector, 54, 55
 - ICT sector, 60, 61
 - IPR protection, 250
 - LPI, 69, 75
 - online registration system, 192
 - pharmaceutical industry, 184–185
 - policy on foreign equity ownership in air transport sector, 117
 - rapid transit system between Johor and, 182
 - regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
 - restrictions on land ownership, 135
 - share of imports with NTMs, 51
 - statutes and regulations, 271
 - survey of competition laws, 263–265
 - telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 - trade agreements, 331–333
 - train link between Kuala Lumpur and, 182
 - WTO DSU system, 391, 392
- Singapore-Johor-Riau (Sijori) zone, 22–24, 281, 285–286
- Singapore-Jordan agreement, 340
- Singapore-Malaysia Iskandar project, 20
- Singapore Telecommunications, 220–221
- single market
- description, 207–208, 253–256
 - and production base, 14–15, 76
- “Single Window” systems, 5
- national and regional, 11
- SITS. *See* Sumatra Investment and Trade Survey (SITS)
- skilled labor, free flow of, 154

- small-scale traders, 293
 socio-cultural cooperation, 10
 'soft-law' approach, 244
 of political commitments, 211
 Southeast Asia
 economy and image, 20
 foreign investments in, 18–19
 policymakers, 28
 regional integration in, 414
 subregional cooperation and
 connectivity in, 22–24
 Southeast Asian political economy,
 413
 Southern Economic Corridor (SEC),
 175
 special economic zones (SEZs), 178
 SPS measures. *See* sanitary and
 phytosanitary (SPS) measures
 SRIs. *See* Strategic Reform Initiatives
 (SRIs)
 SRZs. *See* subregional economic
 zones (SRZs)
 standards and regulations of
 ASEAN, 39–40
 State-owned Economic Enterprises
 Law (SLORC Law 9/89), 261, 262
 State-to-State mechanism, 387
 statutes and regulations
 Brunei Darussalam, 270
 Indonesia, 270
 Lao PDR, 270
 Malaysia, 270
 Myanmar, 271
 Philippines, 271
 Singapore, 271
 Thailand, 271
 Viet Nam, 271
 Strategic Reform Initiatives (SRIs),
 183
 subregional arrangements in
 Southeast Asia, 22–24
 subregional integration
 GMS, 175–176
 Iskandar region, 173–175
 "One Economy, Many Countries"
 model, 176
 subregional economic zones (SRZs),
 22–23, 281, 294–295
 in AEC, 302–306
 BIMP-EAGA, 292–294
 GMS, 286–289
 IMT-GT, 289–292
 institutional capacity in, 295
 Sijori, 279, 285–286
 in Southeast Asia, 284
 substantial interest
 under DSM, 394
 DSU system, 394
 Sumatra Investment and Trade
 Survey (SITS), 291
 Sunda Strait Bridge, 182
 survey of competition laws in
 ASEAN, 257–268
- T**
 TAI. *See* Thai Automotive Industry
 (TAI)
 tariff liberalization, substantial
 progress in, 31
 tariff-rate quotas (TRQs), 354
 tariffs
 as protective measures, NTBs
 replacing, 31, 33
 reduction, 31
 taxation rationalization, 155
 tax incentives, 186
 tax laws, 192
 technical regulations
 compliance with, 33
 Philippine imports, affecting, 59
 Singapore, 59
 tariff lines, affecting, 55, 59
 Telecommunications Order of 2001
 (Telecom Order), 257
 "Telecom Reference Paper", 133
 textiles and garments sector
 frequency ratio, 58
 import coverage ratio, 59
 NTMs, 58–59
 Thai Automotive Industry (TAI),
 188
 Master Plan for, 189

- Thai economy, 188
Thai Engineer Act (1999), 129
Thai government, 188
Thailand, 109, 135, 161, 176, 194, 197, 340–341
 agro-based sector, 45–49
 automobile industry, 185, 188, 190
 automotive sector, 65, 67
 commercial interests, 89–90
 commodities, 50
 electronics sector, 63, 64
 fisheries sector, 52, 53
 foreign equity participation
 policies in, 113
 FTAs, 346, 348
 healthcare sector, 54, 55
 ICT sector, 60
 import coverage ratios, 44
 IMT-GT Projects, 291
 LPI, 73, 75
 policy on foreign equity
 ownership in air transport
 sector, 117
 regulations on foreign ownership
 in the healthcare sector, 119
 rubber-based sector, 56
 share of imports with NTMs, 51
 statutes and regulations, 271
 survey of competition laws,
 265–266
 telecommunication industry,
 foreign equity ownership in,
 115
 textiles and garments sector, 58, 59
 trade agreements, 333–334
 WTO dispute, 392, 394
Thailand-Australia FTA, 340–341
Thailand-New Zealand FTA, 341
13th ASEAN Summit (2007), 96
Three-Pillared ASEAN Community,
 9–11
time-bound specific measures, 1
tourism products, Singapore, 174
tourism sectors of ASEAN countries,
 foreign equity participation
 policies in, 113
trade, 350
 agreements in East Asia, 326–338
 barriers, reduction of, 245
 competition laws, 216, 219–222
 distortion, 33
 facilitation indicators, 73
 facilitation-related NTBs, 35
 restrictiveness, 360
Trade Analysis Information System
 (TRAINS), 41, 92n5
Trade Competition Act, 265
Trade Competition Commission, 259,
 265, 266
traded clusters, market for, 219
trade dispute settlement, 383, 388,
 402
 ASEAN DSM and WTO DSU
 Systems, 391–393
 assessment and challenges, 388
 DSM features, 389–390
 factors and policy
 recommendations of DSM,
 393–405
 structural strengths and
 weaknesses, 388–389
trade enabling index, 359
trade facilitation
 indicators, ASEAN and East Asia,
 73
 as NTBs, 68–76
trade facilitation measures, 35
 in agriculture, 78–79
Trade in Goods Agreement, 355
trade in services, 131–132
 capital restrictions, 132–133
 employment shares of, 98–100
 GDP, 96–98
 landholding restrictions,
 133–136
 liberalization commitments of. *See*
 liberalization commitments of
 trade
 mobility of professionals
 restrictions, 136–137
Trade in Services Agreement, 349
Trade Mark Directive, 1988, 241

- trademarks, 248
 EU, 240–241
- Trade Practices Act of Australia, 1974, 230
- trade privileges, exploitation of, 128–131
- Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS), 208
 agreement, WTO, 339
 compulsory licensing, 252
 intellectual property laws, 237–239
 protection standard, 255
 uniform protection standards, 239
- trade secrets, EU, 243
- trading across borders, indicators for, 358
- TRAINS. *See* Trade Analysis Information System (TRAINS)
- Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP), 339, 371
- trans-Tasman impact market, 230
- Treaty of Amity and Cooperation, 383
- Treaty of Asunción, 227–228
- TRIPS. *See* Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS)
- TRQs. *See* tariff-rate quotas (TRQs)
- U**
- UK Commission on IPRs, 236
- UNCTAD Coding System on Trade Control Measures, 34
- UNCTAD Trade Analysis Information System (TRAINS), 41, 92n5
- unilateral liberalization, 17
- United States
 company's strategic use of IPRs, 250
 compulsory licensing, 252
- United States Trade Representative (USTR), 226
- unresolved disputes, 384–386, 407n7, 409n35
- Uruguay Round, TRIPS agreement, 237–238
- US FTAs (with Singapore and Republic of Korea), 347, 348, 367, 369
- US multinational companies (MNCs), 149
- US patent system, 247
- USTR. *See* United States Trade Representative (USTR)
- V**
- VAP. *See* Vientiane Action Program
- variable-speed geometry model of integration, 421
- vertical agreements, 260, 264
- Vientiane Action Program (VAP), 17, 302
- Viet Nam, 194, 196
 agro-based sector, 45–47
 automotive sector, 65
 commercial interests, 90–91
 electronics sector, 63
 foreign equity participation policies in, 113
 healthcare sector, 54
 ICT sector, 60
 labor force, 176
 LPI, 73, 75
 policy on foreign equity ownership in air transport sector, 117
 regulations on foreign ownership in the healthcare sector, 119
 restrictions on land ownership, 135
 rubber-based sector, 56
 statutes and regulations, 271
 survey of competition laws, 266–268
 telecommunication industry, foreign equity ownership in, 115
 textiles and garments sector, 58, 59
 trade agreements, 334–335

- wood-based sector, 57
- Viet Nam Competition
 - Administration Department, 268
- Viet Nam Competition Council, 268
- W**
- website of ASEAN, 396, 401–403
- WIPO. *See* World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
- wood-based sector
 - frequency ratio, 57
 - import coverage ratio, 57
 - NTMs, 57–58
- World Bank, 158
- World Bank Logistics Performance Index, 308
- World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), 237, 238
- World Trade Organization (WTO)
 - Appellate Body, 389, 394, 395
 - Dispute Settlement Gateway page, 402
 - dispute settlement proceedings, 400
 - dispute settlement system, 27
 - DSU systems, 388, 389, 391–393
 - ITA, 114
 - members, 100
 - mode of customs valuation, 11
 - panels, 389, 394
 - on physical/technological facilities, 398–399
 - reverse consensus method, 404
 - Secretariat, 399
 - “Telecom Reference Paper”, 133
 - tried and tested system, 395
 - various stages and processes of, 396
- World Trade Organization (WTO)
 - agreement
 - competition policy, 232
 - GATS, 324
 - GPA, 339
 - on technical barriers, 5
 - TRIPS, 208
- WTO. *See* World Trade Organization (WTO)
- WTO agreement. *See* World Trade Organization (WTO) agreement
- WTO-plus, 345
- commitments, 362
- WTO’s Dispute Settlement Understanding, 27
- WTO Textile Monitoring Body, 5
- Y**
- youthful demographic profile, Iskandar’s, 174
- Z**
- zero-burning policy, 8

