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1 Supplementary Online Materials,

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3 Appendix 1. List of the twenty surveyed localities (2015-2017). Symbols: OKM = Oti-Keran-

4 Mandouri; FM = Fazao-Malfakassa

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Locality name	Protected area
Mandouri	OKM
Pansieri	OKM
Koundjouare	OKM
Tchamoaga	OKM
Toutoundji	OKM
Wogou	OKM
Takpapieni	OKM
Akponté/Kokout	OKM
Nabougou	OKM
Ossacré	OKM
Mantché	OKM
Bougabou	FM
Hèzoudè	FM
Kpéyi Tchila	FM
Hèzoudè	FM
Lama-Tessi	FM
Alibi 1	Abdoulaye
Goubi	Abdoulaye
Bago	Abdoulaye
Koussountou	Abdoulaye

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9 Appendix 2: Recorded data on the trafficking events in Togo (data from the Togolese police)

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Structure	Soldiers/policemen with TALFF	date of operation	Crime	Profile	Nationality	Processed quantity	Weight (kg)	Destination
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	03/01/2013	Ivory traffic	Exportator + ivory trafficker	Togolese + Chinese	2341 pieces	6034.3	China
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	06/08/2013	Ivory traffic	Seller	Togolese	–	700	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	07/08/2013	Ivory traffic	sculptor/seller	Guinean	–	25	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	06/08/2013	Ivory traffic	Seller	Guinean	–	0.5	–
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	sept-13	Ivory traffic	Exportator	Togolese	1148 tusks	2183	China
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	sept-13	Ivory traffic	Exportator	Togolese	1148 tusks	2183	China
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	31-oct-13	Ivory traffic	Exportator	Chinese	8 ivory bracelets	0.5	China
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	14/11/2013	Ivory traffic	Seller	Togolese	3 Kg	3	Ghana
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	14/11/2013	Ivory detention	sculptor	Guinean	3 Kg	11	Ghana
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	14/11/2013	Ivory detention	sculptor	Togolese	3 Kg	11	Ghana

ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	14/11/2013	Ivory detention	sculptor	Togolese	3 Kg	11	Ghana
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	16/11/2013	Ivory detention	Sculptor	Togolese	1Kg	1	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	16/11/2013	Ivory detention	Sculptor	Malian	1Kg	1	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	16/11/2013	Ivory detention	Sculptor	Guinean	1Kg	1	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	UMCC/OCRTIDB	23-jan-14	Ivory traffic	Exportator	Togolese & Vietnamese	4 tonn.	3830	Vietnam
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	14-feb-14	Ivory detention	Seller	Guinean	0.2267Kg	0.2267	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	19-mar-14	Ivory detention	Seller	Togolese	28.32 Kg	28.32	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	Police Judiciaire	08-jun-14	Ivory traffic	Exportator	Beninese, Togolese	50 pieces	125.1	Côte d'Ivoire
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	19/09/2014	Complicity in traffic of protected species (elephant)	Poacher	Togolese	2 tasks	13.78	Administration de la faune, Togo
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	05-dec-14	Ivory traffic	Seller	Togolese	28 ivory bracelets	0.56	Ghana
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	29-jan-15	Ivory detention	Sculptor/seller	Togolese	35.22 kg	35.22	Ministère de la sécurité

ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	09-jul-15	Ivory traffic	Trader of souvenir objects	Togolese	2 tusks	4.48	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	Service de Renseignement et d'Investigation	11-aug-15	Ivory traffic	Trafficants, farmers	Burkinabe, Togolese, Ivoirien, Guinean	8 tusks	18	Found inside the seller shop
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	12-dec-15	Ivory traffic	Trafficants, sellers of frozen food	Togolese	2 tusks	3.2	Ministère de la sécurité
ANCE/TALFF	OCRTIDB	17-dec-15	Ivory traffic	Wood trafficker	Togolese	2 tusks	3.2	Ministère de la sécurité
ANCE/TALFF	Gendarmerie locale de Tchiffama	28-may-16	Ivory traffic	Poacher, farmer	Togolese	2 tusks	4.48	Direction Régionale de l'environnement, Togo
ANCE/TALFF	Police Judiciaire	03-jun-16	Ivory traffic	Lagos-Lomé taxi driver	Nigerian	124.2 Kg	124.2	MERF
ANCE/TALFF	Police Nationale de Dapaong	18-jun-16	Ivory traffic	Dealer	Togolese	30 tusks	40	Ministère de la sécurité
ANCE/TALFF	Police Nationale de Sokodé	10-aug-16	Ivory traffic	Dealers	Togolese	1 tusk	2.24	Direction Régionale de l'environnement, Togo

11 Source: OCRTIDB, 2016, unpublished raw data

