

Economic Commission for Europe

Conference of European Statisticians

Group of Experts on National Accounts

Sixteenth session

Geneva, 31 May – 2 June 2017

Provisional timetable

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The meeting will be held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva
Starting at 9:30 on Wednesday, 31 May in Room XII

Time	Item	Topic	Document
Wednesday, 31 May (9:30-12:30 and 14:30-17:30)			
09:30 – 09:45	1	OPENING AND ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA	
09:45 – 17:00	2	COUNTRY EXPERIENCE WITH MEASURING GLOBAL PRODUCTION	
		Session Organizer: Eurostat Chair: Henk Nijmeijer, Eurostat	
09:45 – 09:50		Opening (Eurostat)	
09:50 – 10:05		Consistency between National Accounts and Balance of Payments statistics – the status of consistency in the nonfinancial accounts (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/5
10:05 – 10:20		From Balance of Payment totals to detailed supply and use products - handling globalized production set ups (Denmark)	Power point presentation
10:20 – 10:35		Integrating Balance of Payments and Sector Accounts in the Netherlands (the Netherlands)	Power point presentation
10:35 – 10:50		Discussant: Sanjiv Mahajan, United Kingdom	
10:50 – 11:10		Discussion	
11:10 – 11:30		<i>Coffee/tea break</i>	
11:30 – 11:45		The OECD Handbook on Linking Trade and Business Statistics (OECD)	Power point presentation
11:45 – 12:00		How to implement the principle of economic ownership (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/8
12:00 – 12:15	8	Information item: EU Task Force on Factoryless Goods Producers (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/6
12:15 – 12:30		Discussion	
12:30 – 14:30		<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:30 – 17:00	2	COUNTRY EXPERIENCE WITH MEASURING GLOBAL PRODUCTION (Cont.)	
14:30 – 14:45		Measuring global production: Results of a stocktaking exercise (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/12
14:45 – 15:00		Paging and Collecting Global Production Data in Indonesia (Indonesia)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/10
15:00 – 15:15		Identifying Global Value Chains in Mexico: Challenges (Mexico)	Power point presentation
15:15 – 15:20		Questions to the presenters	
15:20 – 15:40		<i>Coffee/tea break</i>	
15:40 – 15:55		Highlights and Challenges of Measuring Global Production (United States)	Power point presentation Based on: ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/7
15:55 – 16:10		Factoryless Goods Production – a Case Example from Current Prices to	Power point presentation

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16:10 – 16:30		Volume Measures in Finland (Finland)	
16:30 – 17:00		Discussant: Mark de Haan, the Netherlands	
16:30 – 17:00		Discussion and conclusions	
17:00 – 17:30	5	PRICE AND VOLUME MEASURES	
		Session Organizer: Norway Chair: Ann Lisbet Brathaug, Norway	
17:00 – 17:15		Challenges in compiling price and volume measures related to global production (Norway)	Power point presentation
17:15 – 17:30		Czech Approach to Price and Volume Measures of Global Production (Czechia)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/9
Thursday, 1 June (09:15-12:30 and 14:30-17:30)¹			
09:15 – 9:55	5	PRICE AND VOLUME MEASURES (CONT.)	
09:15 – 09:30		Measuring Prices and Volumes for Multinational Enterprises (Australia) – <i>no interpretation</i>	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/17
09:30 – 09:55		Discussion and closing	
09:55 – 12:30	4	LARGE AND COMPLEX ENTERPRISES UNITS AND INTERNATIONAL PROFILING	
		Session Organizer: UNECE Chair: Gerard Eding (the Netherlands)	
09:55 – 10:00		Opening (the Netherlands)	
10:00 – 10:15		Profiling Multinational Corporations in Australia and the Impacts on the Australian National Accounts (Australia)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/18
10:15 – 10:30		EuroGroup Register and profiling of the largest multinational groups (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/11
10:30 – 10:45		Introducing Profiling in Germany: Conceptual and practical implications (Germany)	Power point presentation
10:45 – 11:00		<i>Coffee/tea break</i>	
11:00 – 11:15		Statistics Canada's Enterprise Portfolio Management – Profiling of Large and Complex Enterprises (Canada)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/13
11:15 – 11:30		Setting up a Large Cases unit (LCU): Why, how and who? Sharing experiences from an ongoing project (Denmark)	Power point presentation
11:30 – 11:45		Large cases unit in Ireland (Ireland)	Power point presentation
11:45 – 12:00		Discussant: Gerard Eding, the Netherlands	
12:00 – 12:30		Discussion and closing	
12:30 – 14:30		<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:30 – 17:30	3	DATA EXCHANGE AND CONFRONTATION	
		Session Organizer: Finland Chair: Ville Tolkki, Finland	
14:30 – 14:35		Opening (Finland)	
14:35 – 14:50		National experience, concerns and challenges in the exchange and sharing of economic data (UNECE)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/16
14:50 – 15:05		New approach to data suppression in macroeconomic accounts (Canada)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/15
15:05 – 15:20		In-depth review of exchange and sharing of economic data (Finland)	ECE/CES/2017/10 ECE/CES/BUR/2017/ FEB/4/Rev.1
15:20 – 15:50		Discussion	

¹ Interpretation will start at 9:30

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15:50 – 16:10	<i>Coffee/tea break</i>		
16:10 – 16:35		International Collaboration for Microdata Access: Lessons from OECD work (OECD)	Power point presentation
16:35 – 16:50		Addressing Bilateral Asymmetries in the Coordinated Direct Investment Survey (IMF)	Power point presentation
16:50 – 17:00		G20 DGI –data sharing (Eurostat)	Power point presentation
17:00 – 17:30		Discussion and conclusions	
Friday, 2 June (09:30-16:30)			
09:30 – 10:40	7	GLOBAL ACCOUNTS	
		Session Organizer: OECD and UNSD Chair: Jennifer Ribarsky, OECD	
9:30 – 9:35		Opening (OECD)	
09:35 – 09:50		A Handbook on Accounting for Global Value Chains: Extended National Accounts and Integrated Business Statistics (Ireland)	Power point presentation
09:50 – 10:05		Measuring Global Value Chains (UNSD)	Power point presentation
10:05 – 10:20		The Financial Side of Global Value Chains – Financial Supply Chains (IMF)	Power point presentation
10:20 – 10:50		Discussion and conclusions	
10:50 – 11:15	<i>Coffee/tea break</i>		
11:15 – 11:30		Findings of the OECD Expert Group on Extended Supply and Use Tables and an update on TiVA (OECD)	Power point presentation
11:30 – 11:45		The EU Inter-country Supply, Use and Input-Output Tables (FIGARO Project): Recent progress (Eurostat)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/3
11:45 – 12:00		Globalisation and financial stability risks: is the residency-based approach of the national accounts old-fashioned? (BIS)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/4
12:00 – 12:30		Discussion and conclusions	
12:30 – 14:30	<i>Lunch break</i>		
14:30 – 15:40	6	GLOBAL PRODUCTION INSIGHTS	
		Session Organizer: Canada Chair: James Tebrake, Canada	
14:30 – 14:35		Opening (Statistics Canada)	
14:35 – 14:50		Update on Country by Country reporting under the BEPS project (OECD)	Power point presentation
14:50 – 15:05		Canada in the Global Economy – A New Perspective (Canada)	ECE/CES/GE.20/2017/14
15:05 – 15:20		Irish Economic Statistics and the Economic Statistics Review Group Report (Ireland)	Working Papers 1 and 2
15:20 – 15:45		Discussion and conclusions	
15:45 – 16:30	9	Future work and adoption of the report	
16:30		Closing of the meeting	