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Eurostat GNI MNE Group Pilot Exercise

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EU MNE Group Early Warning System

Purpose

- Early knowledge of important MNE Group **restructuring**.
- Agree treatment among countries affected.
- Ensure consistent statistics and coordinated implementation and communication.



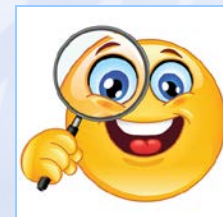
Information exchange

- Limited to what is necessary for the purpose.
- Information on specific case only shared among Eurostat and affected countries.
- Secure channels for exchange.



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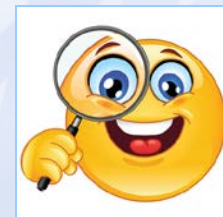


Context

- By the end of the current EU GNI verification cycle in December 2019, a reasonable assurance needs to be established showing that the data are fit for purpose, taking globalisation into account.
 - Two globalisation related recommendations from ECA need to be met.
- Joint BSDG / DMES Task Force endorsed GNI MNE Group Pilot Exercise as well as by the ESSC.
 - All Member States are to participate and exchange information for the Pilot Exercise.
 - Lead country and partner country(ies) identified for each GNI MNE Group.
- Two phases of work - this is the first phase, Pilot Exercise.
- Kick-off meeting of the MNE Group Pilot Exercise on 19-20 April 2018.
 - 1st day - general arrangements for the MNE Group Pilot exercise, rules of engagement, etc.
 - 2nd day - two Member States have the first start-up meetings for two particular MNE Groups.

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Aim

- Evaluate the **recording** of a selection of MNE Groups across EU Member States.

Coverage

- 25 MNE Groups selected - 10 for 2018 and 15 for 2019.

Working procedure:

- For each MNE Group - determine all the countries involved.
 - Involving NA, BoP, business statistics and business registers.
- Country where the EU Decision Centre exists takes the lead:
 - Collects information from all EU partner countries.
 - Undertakes a range of work and developing a picture of the whole MNE Group for the EU using published data, register data, business survey based data and any other sources relevant such as administrative data.
 - Identifies eventual inconsistencies, if any.

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Qualitative data

- General information on the Global Enterprise Group.
 - To be completed by the Lead Country.
- General Information for each National Enterprise belonging to the Global Enterprise Group.
 - To be completed by the Partner Country(ies).
- Information on the data sources for each National Enterprise.
- Description of current recording of each National Enterprise.

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Quantitative data - List of GNI MNE Group variables (1)

- Essential economic variables
- As defined in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2700/98 of 17 December 1998:

SBS / FATS Code	Title
12 11 0	Turnover
12 12 0	Production Value
12 15 0	Value added at factor cost
16 11 0	Number of persons employed

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Quantitative data - List of GNI MNE Group variables (2)

- Desirable economic variables to be completed if available
- As defined in Commission Regulation (EC) No 2700/98 of 17 December 1998:

SBS / FATS Code	Title
12 17 0	Gross operating surplus
13 11 0	Total purchases of goods and services
13 31 0	Personnel costs
15 11 0	Gross investment in tangible goods
22 11 0	Total intra-mural R&D expenditure
n/a	Imports of goods according to Intrastat and Extrastat
n/a	Exports of goods according to Intrastat and Extrastat
n/a	Imports of services according to International Trade in Services survey
n/a	Exports of services according to International Trade in Services survey
n/a	Stock value of intangible assets from company accounts
n/a	Investment income flows (credit and debit) from balance of payments (code D4P-F)

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