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Regional priorities and Global Assessments

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What is a Global Assessment?



- A Global Assessment is a review of a national statistical system to identify strengths and weaknesses and make recommendations for improvements
- Conducted by a team of experts in official statistics, in partnership between:





Aim

To provide a clear picture of the state of development of official statistics in the country, to help:

- The country to set priorities and plan the long-term development of official statistics
- International partners to understand the state of development of the statistical system, to better target technical cooperation to meet national priorities



Objectives

- ❖ Strengthen legal and institutional frameworks in line with the Fundamental Principles of Official Statistics
- ❖ Support the development of an effective and efficient national statistical system
- ❖ Improve coordination of work between producers of state statistics
- ❖ Encourage implementation of international recommendations and guidelines

On request from the country



2nd round of Global Assessments for EECCA
countries: 2015-2020

2019 – Belarus; Kyrgyzstan

2018 – Georgia; Uzbekistan*; Armenia*

2017 – Moldova

2016 – Azerbaijan; Kazakhstan

2015 – Ukraine

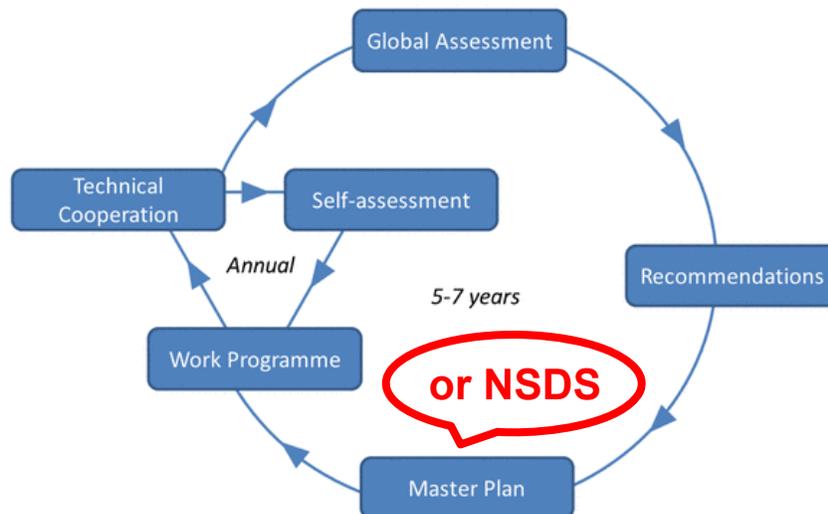
* Partial assessments

Contents



- ❖ Executive Summary
- ❖ Institutional issues
 - Legal framework
 - Resources
 - Quality
- ❖ Technical issues
 - For each subject-matter domain
 - ♦ **Now including SDGs**

Follow-up



SDG statistics: Global Assessment recommendations



- ❖ Clear mandate needed for cross-government coordination on SDG statistics
- ❖ Use SDGs as a mechanism to increase coordination of national statistical system
- ❖ Develop national roadmaps
- ❖ Training in specific domains (e.g. environment)
- ❖ MICS can be useful for baseline data, but consider data sustainability
- ❖ Resources needed!



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- ❖ Integrating statistical and geospatial information
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**Workshop: Belgrade
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Task Force on NRPs

**Modernstats initiative
Sector review: IT in Georgia**



Thank-you!

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