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NOTE: Sessions each day will be as follows:

First morning session	09.30 to 11.00
Coffee break	11.00 to 11.30
Second morning session	11.30 to 13.00
Lunch break	13.00 to 14.30
First afternoon session	14.30 to 16.00
Coffee break	16.00 to 16.30
Second afternoon session	16.30 to 18.00

Tuesday, 26 September 2000

1.	Adoption of the draft agenda	STD/NA/A(2000)01
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1. Household and government sector issues

2.	Disaggregating the household sector (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)01
3.	A simple module linking social protection statistics and the national accounts (<i>Netherlands</i>)	STD/NA(2000)02
4.	Augmenting and disaggregating estimates of household wealth (<i>Australia</i>)	STD/NA(2000)04

2. Satellite accounts and input-output tables

5.	Presentation of the Greek NAMEA tables for the period 1988/1996 (<i>Greece</i>)	STD/NA(2000)06
6.	The magic triangle of input-output tables (<i>Germany</i>)	STD/NA(2000)07
7.	Using input-output tables for economic analysis (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)09
8.	Development of Social Accounting Matrices in the EU; progress report on the Leadership Group on SAMs (<i>Netherlands</i>)	STD/NA(2000)10
9.	Integration of the labour market statistics into the Belgian national accounts (<i>Belgium</i>)	STD/NA(2000)03

9. Transfer costs

10.	What is an asset worth? (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)30
11.	Summary and tentative conclusions by the moderator (Peter van de Ven, Statistics Netherlands) of the electronic discussion group (EDG) on transfer costs	STD/NA(2000)RD02

Wednesday, 27 September 2000

3. Measuring real interest

12.	The treatment of real interest in the national accounts (<i>UK</i>)	STD/NA(2000)12
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4. Mobile phone licences

13.	Report of the special ISWGNA meeting on the treatment of mobile phone licences; and some questions (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)13
14.	The treatment of payments for mobile phone licences in the national accounts (<i>UK</i>)	STD/NA(2000)14
15.	The treatment of sales of mobile phone licenses in the national accounts (<i>IMF</i>)	STD/NA(2000)15

Discussion of above 3 papers

5. Recording on an accruals basis

16.	Recording taxes on an accruals basis (Denmark)	STD/NA(2000)16
17.	Recording of taxes in national accounts and government finance statistics (<i>IMF</i>)	STD/NA(2000)17

Discussion of above 2 papers

18.	Handling disaster insurance in the national accounts (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)18
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6. The underground economy

19.	Empirical procedure in measuring non-observed economy in GDP estimates (<i>Greece</i>)	STD/NA(2000)19
20.	Macroeconomic approach to the estimate of the underground economy (<i>Italy</i>)	STD/NA(2000)20
21.	Handbook on "The non-observed economy" (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)21

7. PPPs

22.	Proposed expenditure classification in the OECD-Eurostat PPP Programme (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)22
23.	The draft expenditure classification (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA/RD(2000)01

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8. Volume estimates and productivity

24.	The chain index for GDP volume measures: the Italian experience (<i>Italy</i>)	STD/NA(2000)11
25.	Consistent aggregation and chaining of price and quantity measures (<i>Germany</i>)	STD/NA(2000)23
26.	Chain volumes based on the Hillinger aggregation method (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)24
27.	How the chain additivity issue is treated in the U.S. economic accounts (<i>USA</i>)	STD/NA(2000)25

Discussion of above 4 papers

28.	Developments in the measurement of general government output (<i>UK</i>)	STD/NA(2000)26
29.	Development in the measurement of general government output (<i>UK</i>)	STD/NA/RD(2000)03
30.	Non-market output - recent work by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (<i>Australia</i>)	STD/NA/RD(2000)04
31.	Volume measurement of education (<i>Netherlands</i>)	STD/NA(2000)27
32.	The OECD's Productivity manual (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)28
33.	Metadata on calculation of constant price value added for services (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)29

10. Employee share (or stock) options

34.	Employee share options in Finland (<i>Finland</i>)	STD/NA(2000)31
35.	Employee stock options (<i>Canada</i>)	STD/NA(2000)32
36.	Employee share compensation and its treatment in the national accounts (<i>Australia</i>)	STD/NA(2000)33
37.	The treatment of stock options in the U.S. economic accounts (<i>USA</i>)	STD/NA(2000)34
38.	Employee stock options and national accounts - using economic theory to clarify measurement issues (<i>Canada</i>)	STD/NA(2000)35

Discussion of above 5 papers

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11. Technology - current issues

39.	Direct impact of new technologies on economic growth (<i>France</i>)	STD/NA(2000)08
40.	Measuring e-commerce in the U.S. economic accounts: What can we do? (<i>USA</i>)	STD/NA(2000)36
41.	Software in the national accounts: recent developments (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)37
42.	Report on recording expenditures on the Y2K bug in the national accounts (<i>OECD</i>)	STD/NA(2000)38

12. Life insurance

43.	A note on the calculation of FISIM in Korea (<i>Korea</i>)	STD/NA(2000)39
44.	Individual consumption provided to households by general government (<i>Italy</i>)	STD/NA(2000)05

13. Other business

45.	Progress made in the measurement of activities in start-ups (<i>Israel</i>)	STD/NA/RD(2000)05
46.	Topics for next year's meeting	