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Joint UNECE/Eurostat/OECD  
Meeting on National Accounts  
(Geneva, 30 April-3 May 1996)

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

The meeting will be held at the Palais des Nations, starting on 30 April at  
9:30 a.m.

The Meeting on National Accounts is convened jointly by UN ECE,  
Eurostat and OECD.

30 April: Organised by UN ECE

1. Adoption of the agenda

✓ Document CES/AC.68/24.

2. Election of officers

3. Experiences of Central and Eastern European countries in  
estimating the size of the hidden economy

Documents: CES/AC.68/33 by ISTAT, ✓ CES/AC.68/28 by Poland,  
✓ CES/AC.68/29 by Romania, ✓ CES/AC.68/30 by Latvia, ✓  
CES/AC.68/31 by Kazakstan, CES/AC.68/32 by the Russian  
Federation, STD/NA(96) <sup>6</sup> by OECD. ✓

- ✓ 4. Adjustments to ensure exhaustiveness of GNP estimates in the EU  
Member States

Document CES/AC.68/25 by Eurostat.

- (✓) 5. Valuation of stock and consumption of fixed capital in transition  
economies

Document CES/AC.68/35 by Hungary.

1 May: Organised by OECD

6. Borderline problems with institutional sectoring

✓ Documents: STD/NA(96) <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> by OECD: Issues relating to Member  
Countries; STD/NA(96) <sup>2</sup>/<sub>2</sub> by OECD: Issues relating to  
Transition Countries; OECD Room document No.1: Borderline  
Issues Encountered by OECD Member Countries.

*OECD Room document*

2: COFOG

3: COICOP / CEC

4: Differences SNA + ESA

5: Borderline problems etc

6: Sectoring - current practice in ABS

7:

8: Quasi-corporations

7. Proposals for the revision of COFOG

✓ Document SDT/NA(96)<sup>3</sup> by OECD.

✓ 8. Measuring output and productivity in the government sector

Document SDT/NA(96)<sup>5</sup> by Australian Bureau of Statistics.

2 May: Organised by Eurostat <sup>4</sup>

9. Calculation and allocation of FISIM

a. Presentation of a method by Eurostat

Document by Eurostat.

✓ b. Comments on the Eurostat proposals by Australia, Canada, Japan and United States

Document by Eurostat.

✓ c. An estimate of FISIM for Italy

Document by ISTAT (Italy).

✓ 10. Implementation of the ESA 95 financial accounts in the EU Member States

Document by Eurostat

3 May (morning): Organised jointly by UN ECE, Eurostat, OECD

✓ 11. Review of final draft of COICOP

Document SDT/NA(96)<sup>5</sup>: Final draft of COICOP by OECD.

12. Harmonisation of the 1993 SNA and 1995 ESA questionnaires

Document: Joint report by Eurostat, OECD and UNSD.

✓ 13. Future work

Document CES/AC.68/34 by the ECE secretariat: Summary of countries replies to the enquiry on current and future developments in national accounts.

14. Other business

15. Adoption of the report

3 May (afternoon\*): OECD Meeting of Donors and Receivers on Technical Assistance to Transition Economies (Organised by OECD)

There will be a separate agenda and documentation for this meeting.

\* The OECD Donors and Receivers meeting may start in the later part of the morning, depending on progress with items 11 through 15.