

Meeting of the Task Force on International Trade Statistics 10-11 October 2016

New York, UNSD, Room tbc

Starting at 09:00

Provisional Agenda

10 October 2016

- 09:00**
- 1. Welcome and Opening**
 - 2. Adoption of the agenda**
 - 3. Approval of the report of the last TF meeting in Paris, October 2015**
 - 4. Ecommerce -- measuring cross-border transactions (OECD, WTO)**
 - 5. Methodological issues on e.g. manufacturing services and merchanting) arising from the OECD IRG consultations (OECD)**
 - 6. Revision of concordance tables of EBOPS, including EBOPS to CPA**
 - 7. Asymmetries in merchandise trade statistics (OECD, WTO, UN, *others*)**
 - 8. Asymmetries in trade in services statistics (OECD, WTO, *others*)**
 - 9. Bilateral trade in services matrix (OECD, WTO)**

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- 9.30** **10. Joint EBOPS 2010 metadata questionnaire – next steps (OECD, Eurostat)**
- 11. Metadata survey for merchandise trade statistics (UN)**
- 12. Inclusion of non-monetary gold in trade statistics (UN, others)**
- 13. New Services categories (WTO, *others*)**
- 14. Progress with respect to measuring TIS by Modes of Supply (WTO, Eurostat, *others*)**
- 15. Progress report on EUROSTAT STEC Compilation Guide and OECD's WPTGS work on producing a guide on linking trade and business statistics**
- 16. Statistical capacity building for international trade statistics (WTO, UNCTAD/UEMOA, *others*)**
- 17. Online version of the MSITS2010 Compilers Guide (UN, others)**
- 18. Update on trade data dissemination (current and plans) (*all*)**
- 19. SDMX for IMTS: progress made (UNSD)**
- 20. Promoting trade statistics and organizing TF work**
TFITS website and Newsletter (UNSD)
- 21. Other Business:**
- ITSS and FRIBS – Eurostat's considerations on service trade statistics in relation with other business statistics.**
- 22. Date and location of next TF meeting**