

# Institutional arrangements and recent development within the NSS of GEORGIA



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## about GEOSTAT



- Legal Entity of Public Law
- **Responsible for official statistics**
- Coordinator of National Statistical System
- Reporting/accountable to the Parliament and to the Prime Minister
- Management and advisory Board
- The Law on Official Statistics of Georgia









## Objectives







Production of reliable and high quality statistics, based on user needs and necessary for decision-making

Dissemination of data in more understandable and visually attractive manner

> Increasing credibility and developing trust in Statistics

efficient and transparent System

environment for personnel

### Goals



#### Produce

improved quality data

in more understandable manner



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- acceptable for a
- wide range of different users

### **Recent Development in Statistics Georgia**







## **Data Collection methods**



#### **Online Questionnaires and** Web based self reporting for Business surveys



**GEOSTAT - "Paperless Office"** 





#### **Computer Assisted Personal Interview (CAPI)** For Household surveys

### Alternative sources and non-traditional methods



Use more and more administrative data sources

Establish modern system for data collection

Looking for new alternative data sources **BIG DATA** 



## New Law on Official Statistics



## **Basis for preparation of the new LOS**





EU Association agreement, (articles 286-291)



#### **Global assessment of the National Statistical System**







## **Global Assessment of the NSS**

UNECE



DEMAND

#### **Stages of GA activities**

- Completion of self-assessment questionnaires (June-July, 2023)
- Expert Mission (September, 2023)
- > Final report and recommendations (November-December, 2023)







## New Strategy of NSS of Georgia







Increase trust and credibility



Facilitating the use of data

## **Ongoing Activities**







#### **Population and Agricultural** holding census 2024

Time for the census: November 14- December 19, 2024



- 1. Convergence of existing methodologies and standards with EU requirements
  - Modernization of statistical processes in line with GSBPM
  - Implementation of the EU NUTS classification system
- **2.** Development of demographic and population statistics
- **3.** Strengthening the capacity of the state institution for production and use of statistics







### Data Users





Individuals

## NGOs forter





#### **Persons with Disabilities**

#### Scientific community

## **Dialogue with users**







#### Around 15 meetings annually, with:

- > Media
- ➢ Academia
- Business sector
- > Mayors, Local government and self-government
- Public institutions
- > NGOs
- > Respondents





## **Data dissemination channels**







#### Android & IOS



## **Thematic Interactive Portals**



#### Data dissemination methods











## FUTURE PLANS



- > Creating new products and launching new services > Improving the quality of data at the regional level > Develop list of short-term statistics indicators

- > Enhancement of the IT system of GEOSTAT
- Capacity development of employees of GEOSTAT
- > Improvement of data dissemination capacity of relevant stakeholders
- > Increasing the credibility of and developing trust in official statistics



## LESSONS LEARNED



- Global interest on data made statisticians and policimakers close to each other
- Bilateral cooperation ensures, that objectives are measurable and selected indicators are recognized by policymakers
- Cooperation and coordination between statisticians and policimakers needs to be strengthened
- Statistics system needs to be developed



#### **COMMUNICATION**

- Regular communication at different levels
- Active cooperation with users and owners of data sources
- Ensure establishment of transparent and reliable system





## DEFINE CONCRETU RULES AND OBLIGATIONS OF RELEVAN STAKEHOLDERS



#### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!**

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