European business statistics manual(s)



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- "System" of European business statistics manuals: "Umbrella" European Business statistics manual + domain specific manuals
 - Umbrella manual:
 - Umbrella of cross-domain methodologies structured according to EBS statistical production process (GSBPM structure & non-legal measures to support transmission etc.)
 - Targeted to primarily data compilers, and end users
 - Summaries with hyperlinks to detailed methodologies ≈ repository
 - Format: dynamic online publication plus time-stamped (static) version
- <u>ShowVoc</u>



« Umbrella » manual

• Structure:

- 1.Introduction to business statistics (*Business statistics = statistics covered by European business statistics Regulation*)
- 2. Scope and main concepts
- 3. Legal and non-legal measures (standards and guidelines)
- 4. Business registers
- 5. EuroGroups register
- 6. Profiling
- 7. Statistical units
- 8. Classifications
- 9. Data sources
- 10. Processing methods at national level
- 11. Data validation
- 12. Reference metadata



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• Structure:

- 13. Data exchange EDAMIS
- 14. Data exchange SDMX
- 15. Data requirements
- 16. Production of European aggregates
- 17. Statistical disclosure control
- 18. Dissemination
- 19. Microdata for researchers
- 20. Detailed domain methodologies





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• Structure:

- 2. Scope and main concepts:
 - Target population
 - Market/non-market délimitation
 - Key concepts and cost-effective production (quality framework, consistency measures,...)
 - Business statistics as building blocks for national accounts
 - Special topic: globalisation and potential impacts on consistency and coverage in business statistics
 - Further information: e.g. European Statistics Code of Practice, ESS handbook for quality reports, Guide to measuring global production UNECE,...
- 4. Business registers: summary information on population, recorded variables, use; specific methodological manual on statistical business registers is available and link is provided under further information



Domain-specific manuals

- Methodological manual
- Compilers' manual
- Users' manual





Domain-specific manuals

- <u>Structural Business Statistics</u>
- Business demography statistics (to be published soon)
- Short-term business statistics
- Monthly index of production in construction
- PRODCOM (production of manufactured goods)
- International trade in goods statistics detailed data
- International trade in goods statistics aggregated data
- International trade in goods statistics trade by enterprise characteristics
- International trade in goods statistics trade by invoicing currency
- <u>Statistics on international supply of services by mode of supply</u>
- Global value chains
- Foreign affiliate statistics
- Statistics on the information and communication technology (ICT) usage and e-commerce
- <u>Statistics on business innovation</u> (in addition to Oslo manual)
- <u>R&D statistics</u> (in addition to Frascati manual)
- <u>Statistical business registers</u>
- <u>EuroGroups register (EGR)</u>



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