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CIS-STAT

<p>Brief description of the organisation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CIS-STAT is the Interstate Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States and is situated in Moscow, Russian Federation. ▪ CIS-STAT was established in accordance with the Decision of the Heads of Governments of the CIS in December 1991 for the coordination of activities of statistical services of the CIS countries, the development of unified statistical methodology in compliance with international standards, securing the comparability of statistical data and rendering assistance to the CIS national statistical services.
<p>Mission</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CIS-STAT's mission is to collect and disseminate major social and economic statistical indicators for the CIS countries which are comparable within the CIS region but also in a broader international context. This information is provided to the governments of the CIS countries, including their statistical offices, to the CIS bodies, such as the Council of the Heads of Governments of the CIS, the Economic Council, the Executive Committee of the CIS and others. It enables them to analyse the major results of socio-economic development, to assess the role of each country in the regional and world economy and to take decisions on issues of economic cooperation among the CIS countries. ▪ CIS Statistical System comprises CIS-STAT and national statistical services of the CIS countries. CIS-STAT's role in the CIS Statistical System is to lead the way in the harmonisation of statistics in close cooperation with the national statistical services.
<p>Fields of Activity/ structure</p> <p><i>Statistics</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fields of activity - production of CIS statistics: general and regional statistics, economy and finance, population and social conditions, industry, trade and services, agriculture and fisheries, external trade, transport, environment and energy, science and technology. ▪ CIS-STAT is organised in four Departments: Department of Economic Statistics; Department of Social and Demographic Statistics; Information and Publishing Department; Administration Department.
<p>Mandate</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ December 1991: Protocol of the Meeting of the Heads of Governments of the Independent States on the advisability to establish a statistical committee coordinating the activities of statistical services of the Commonwealth of Independent States; ▪ February 1992: Agreement on the Establishment of Statistical Service of the Commonwealth of Independent States signed by the heads of statistical services of the Commonwealth of Independent States;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ February 1995: Decision of the Council of the Heads of Governments of the Commonwealth of Independent States to consider the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States as an Interstate body functioning in the framework of the Commonwealth of Independent States; ▪ May 1995: Decision of the Council of the Heads of Governments of the Commonwealth of Independent States to rename the Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States into the Interstate Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States; ▪ February 1996: Agreement between the Government of the Russian Federation and the Interstate Statistical Committee of the CIS on the conditions of location of the Interstate Statistical Committee of the CIS on the territory of the Russian Federation; ▪ April 1996: Statute of the Interstate Statistical Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States; January 1997: Federal Law of the Russian Federation on the ratification of the Agreement between the Government of the Russian Federation and the Interstate Statistical Committee of the CIS on the conditions of location of the Interstate Statistical Committee of the CIS on the territory of the Russian Federation.
Statistical work programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Annual programme. The current programme covers the period 2012 and is intended to provide an overview of the strategies, priorities and work plans for the period.
Number of staff <i>Total/Statistical division</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 73
Flagship Publications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ “Commonwealth of Independent States”-Statistical Yearbook ▪ “Commonwealth of Independent States”- Digest of provisional statistical results ▪ “Main Macro-economic Indicators of the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States” ▪ “Foreign Trade of the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States” ▪ “Population, Employment and Living Conditions in the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States” ▪ “Finances, Investments and Prices in the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States” ▪ Statistical Bulletin “Statistics of the CIS” (monthly) ▪ Report “ Socio-economic Situation of the Countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States” (monthly)
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