


DIRECTORY OF STATISTICAL SERVICES OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

Logo	
Brief Description of the Organisation¹	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRIC) is a subsidiary organ of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) operating in Ankara, Republic of Türkiye since June 1978. • The Statistics and Information Department of the Centre is mainly responsible for collecting, processing and disseminating socio-economic statistics and information on and for the utilisation of the OIC countries.
Mission²	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contributing to the development of National and Regional Statistical Systems of OIC Member Countries. • Increasing the proper knowledge production and dissemination through promoting internationally accepted statistics standards.
Fields of Activity/ Structure <i>Statistics</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fields of activity – collecting, processing and disseminating socio-economic statistics and information on and for the utilisation of the OIC Member Countries; technical cooperation programme; and coordination of international statistical programmes and activities, namely: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Organises the OIC Statistical Commission (OIC-StatCom) Main and Follow-Up Sessions regularly. - Carries out the Statistical Capacity Building Programme (StatCaB) Programme, which includes statistical training courses, study visits, technical missions, webinars, and workshops, for the benefit of National Statistical Systems (NSSs) of the OIC countries. - Maintains and updates regularly the OIC Statistics (OICStat) Database, the first and only international statistics repository on the OIC member countries. - Hosts data concerning COVID-19 related cases, deaths, and people vaccinated and fully vaccinated against COVID-19 in the OIC Countries in its SESRIC COVID-19 Pandemic Database for OIC Member Countries. - Produces flagship statistical publications such as Statistical Yearbook on OIC Member Countries, OIC Statistical Outlook, SWOT Outlook on OIC Member Countries, and ‘Did You Know (DYK)’ Modules. - Maintains and updates regularly the OIC Country in Figures (OIC-CIF). - Maintains and updates regularly the Directory of NSOs and Directory of National Institutions of OIC member countries based on information received

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	<p>from the relevant institutions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hosts the Roster of Statistics Experts (ROSE), which serves for hosting the profiles of professionals that work in the official statistics sector or in other statistics related sectors. - Coordinates statistical projects such as the Integration of the Tobacco Questions for Surveys (TQS) and Tobacco Questions for Surveys of Youth (TQS-Youth) into the National Surveys in OIC Member Countries. - Maintains the websites of OIC-StatCom, TQS, and TQS-Youth; - Represents the OIC in the statistical meetings of the international organisations.
Mandates	<p>The basic mandate drawn up for SESRIC is threefold:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To collate, process and disseminate socio-economic statistics and information on and for the utilisation of the member countries, 2. To study and evaluate the economic and social developments in the member countries to help generate proposals that will initiate and enhance co-operation among them, and 3. To organise training programmes in selected fields geared to the needs of the member countries as well as to the general objectives of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation.
Statistical Work Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The relevant SESRIC mandate, namely to collate, process and disseminate socio-economic statistics and information on and for the utilisation of the OIC member countries. • Strategic Vision of the Statistical Commission of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC-StatCom) for 2030 and Programme of Action for 2021-2025 (accessible through https://www.oicstatcom.org). • Activities agreed upon during the OIC-StatCom Sessions and reflected in the Resolutions. • Joint activities and cooperation matrices with OIC institutions and international organisations.
Number of Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 (Statistics and Information Department)
Flagship Publications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OIC Statistics Database (OICStat) • OIC Countries in Figures (OIC-CIF) • Statistical Yearbook of OIC Member Countries • OIC Statistical Outlook • SWOT Outlook on OIC Member Countries • ‘Did You Know (DYK)’ Modules • Statistical activities under StatCaB programme published in SESRIC website.

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