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UNSD Questionnaire on National Gender Statistics Programmes and Activities *

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PART A: BACKGROUND

COUNTRY: SPAIN

ORGANISATION: INSTITUTO NACIONAL DE ESTADISTICA (INE)

Name: NO ATTENDANT TO THE MEETING

Title:

Department or unit: (SPAIN)

Persons/institutions consulted:

PART B: INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENT

1. *Is there a special unit/desk/focal point responsible for gender statistics in your National Statistical Office (NSO)?*

Yes No

If yes,

- a. *Where in the organizational structure of the NSO is the gender statistics unit/desk/focal point (i.e. Department of Social Statistics, etc.). Please attach a copy of the organizational chart of your NSO indicating the placement of the gender statistics special unit/desk/focal point.*

See attached chart (next page)

- b. *What is the functional title of the head of the gender statistics unit/desk/focal point (senior statistician, junior statistician, etc.)?*

Head of Service

- c. *Briefly describe or attach a description of the main tasks conducted by the gender statistics unit/desk/focal point.*

Compilation of Statistics. Production of annual publication (women and men in Spain). International meetings (UNECE) and transmission of data to them for the gender statistics website.

- d. *What is the nature of the interaction/collaboration between the gender statistics unit/desk/focal point and other departments/divisions of the NSO (eg. regularity of meeting, specific joint activities/outputs)?*

There are no joint activities so far.

PART C: GENDER STATISTICS ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

User-producer dialogue

2. *Has your NSO established a user-producer group for gender statistics?*
_____ Yes ___X___ No

Materials and capacity-building activities

3. *List all materials and activities produced/conducted by your NSO in the area of gender statistics, including those that have addressed issues related to the mainstreaming of gender into statistics. Include such materials and activities as: technical handbooks and manuals, dissemination materials (analytical publications, wall-charts, brochures, etc.), other resource materials, training packages, workshops, seminars, and conferences. For each material and activity, provide the title, type of material or activity, and reference year.*

As in other member states of the EU, the gender mainstreaming is present in general terms in the statistical production. Most report made from social statistics (earnings, labour force, living conditions, education, health,...) dedicate an important part to analysing the differences between men and women. But, specifically speaking, the only product issued by INE-Spain in the field of Gender statistics is the annual publication "Women and Men". Next released is foreseen for march 8th, 2007.

Available on the Internet at www.ine.es/en/prodyser/pubweb/myh/myh_en.htm

4. *Which of these materials and activities have been most effective in promoting the development of gender statistics? What specific aspects have made the material and/or activity particularly effective? What was the purpose and what were the accomplishments?*
5. *In the past five years, has any NSO staff participated in a regional or international forum on gender statistics?* ___X___ Yes _____ No

If yes,

- a. *List the regional or international forums on gender statistics in which your NSO has participated.*

UNECE work sessions on Gender Statistics

Collection and compilation of gender statistics

6. *Has your NSO been involved in or conducted a survey, or a component of a survey (survey module), on specific gender issues?* _____ Yes ___X___ No
7. *Does your country have a specific initiative to collect/compile gender-sensitive data from administrative sources on such topics as decision-making, crime and violence, access to credit/land, etc?* ___X___ Yes _____ No

If yes,

- a. Please describe a specific initiative, if any, that you consider has been particularly successful. What has made the initiative successful? What organizations are/were involved in the initiative? What has been the role of the NSO?

The organization involved is the *Woman's Institute* that belongs to the Ministry of Labour and social affairs. They (not very often) conduct specific surveys on gender's issues such as violence against women. But the main role in this area is the gender database named *Woman in figures*.

8. On what specific gender issues have users requested statistics in the past five years? Which of these requests have been met and which have not been met? What has been done to address the gaps?

PART D: INTERNATIONAL REPORTING

9. Please indicate whether your NSO is/has been involved in the preparation of the listed country reports. If involved, please describe the role played by your NSO (provide sex-disaggregated statistics, write report, etc.).

10.

Report	NSO involvement		If yes, NSO's role
	Yes	No	
Beijing Platform for Action		x	
CEDAW		x	
MDG	x		Data collection from existing sources

PART E: TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

11. In the past five years, has your NSO hosted a study tour/exchange visit related to the development of gender statistics? Yes No

12. Has your NSO provided technical support on the development of gender statistics to other government agencies within your country or to other countries?

Yes No

If yes,

- a. List all technical support projects that your NSO has provided in the last 10 years and indicate which of those projects are currently underway or are expected to take place in the near future.

Describe the role played by your NSO; the objective of the technical assistance project; the specific type of support provided and the types of outputs completed or expected.

INE provides technical support to the Woman's Institute on a regular basis to maintain the Gender database (see question 7)

INE-Spain Placement of Gender Statistics Unit within the organisation

