

## Botswana DQAF overview

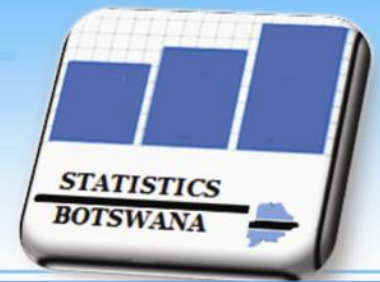
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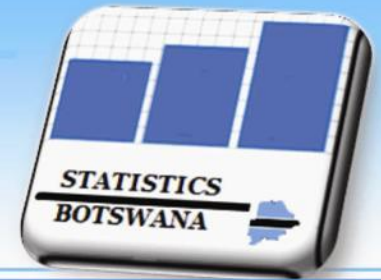
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## Overview



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2. NSDS in Botswana
3. Roadmap of developing the DQAF
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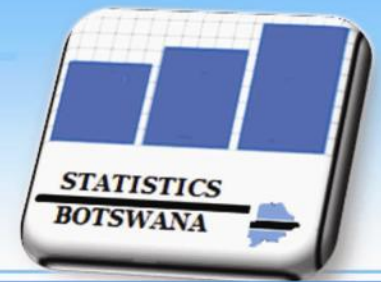
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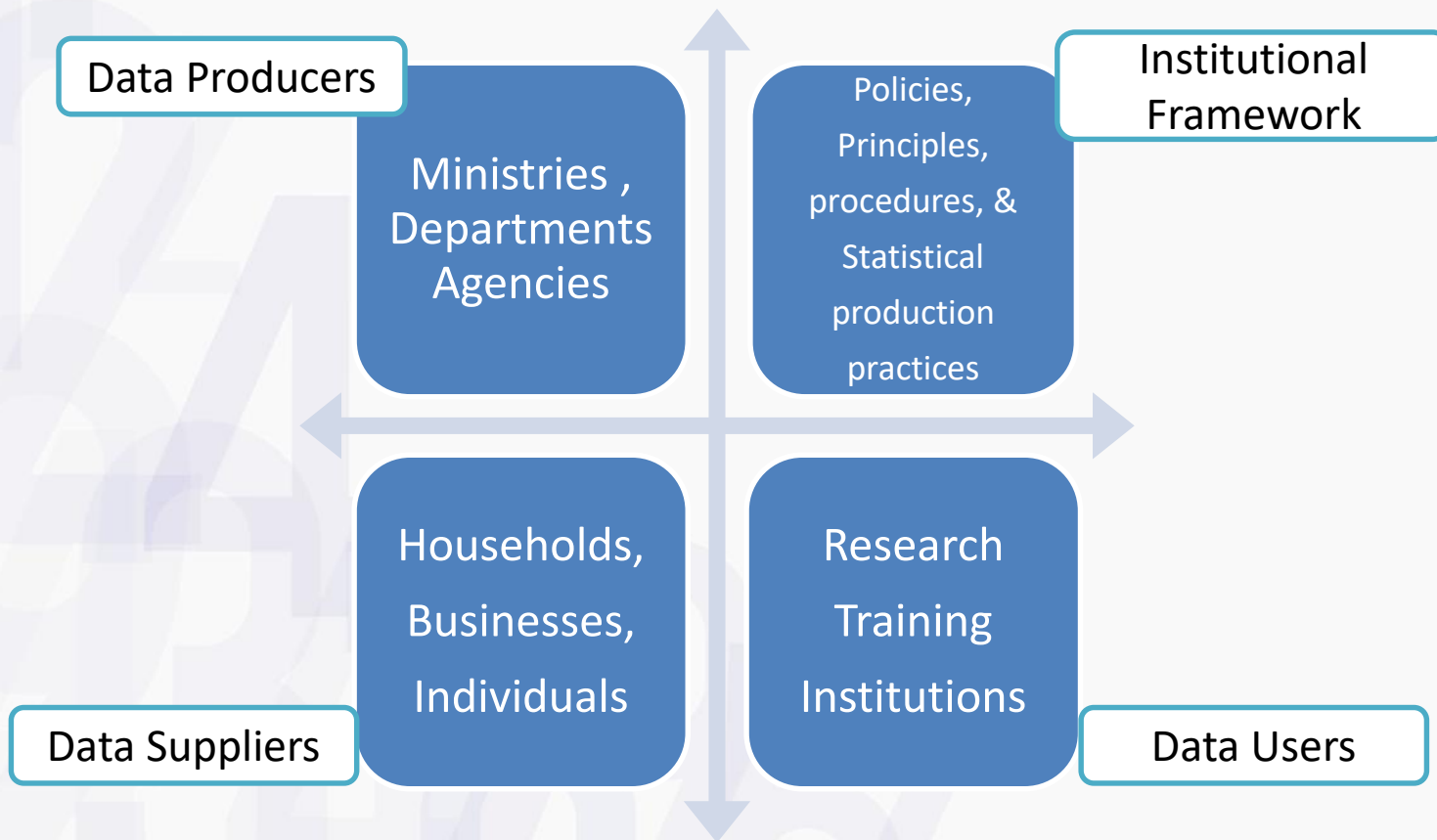
## National Statistics System in Botswana

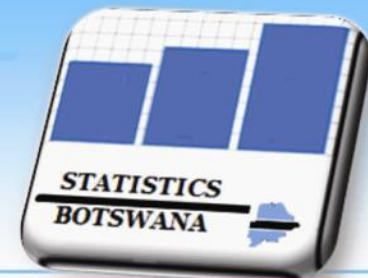
- SB shall conduct its functions under the Statistics Act of 2009 as a primary agency of a system to be known as the National Statistical System(NSS)
- SB shall coordinate, monitor and supervise the activities of the NSS for the purpose of carrying out statistical business in accordance with the principles of official statistics
- National Statistics System comprise of all users and data producers of official statistics

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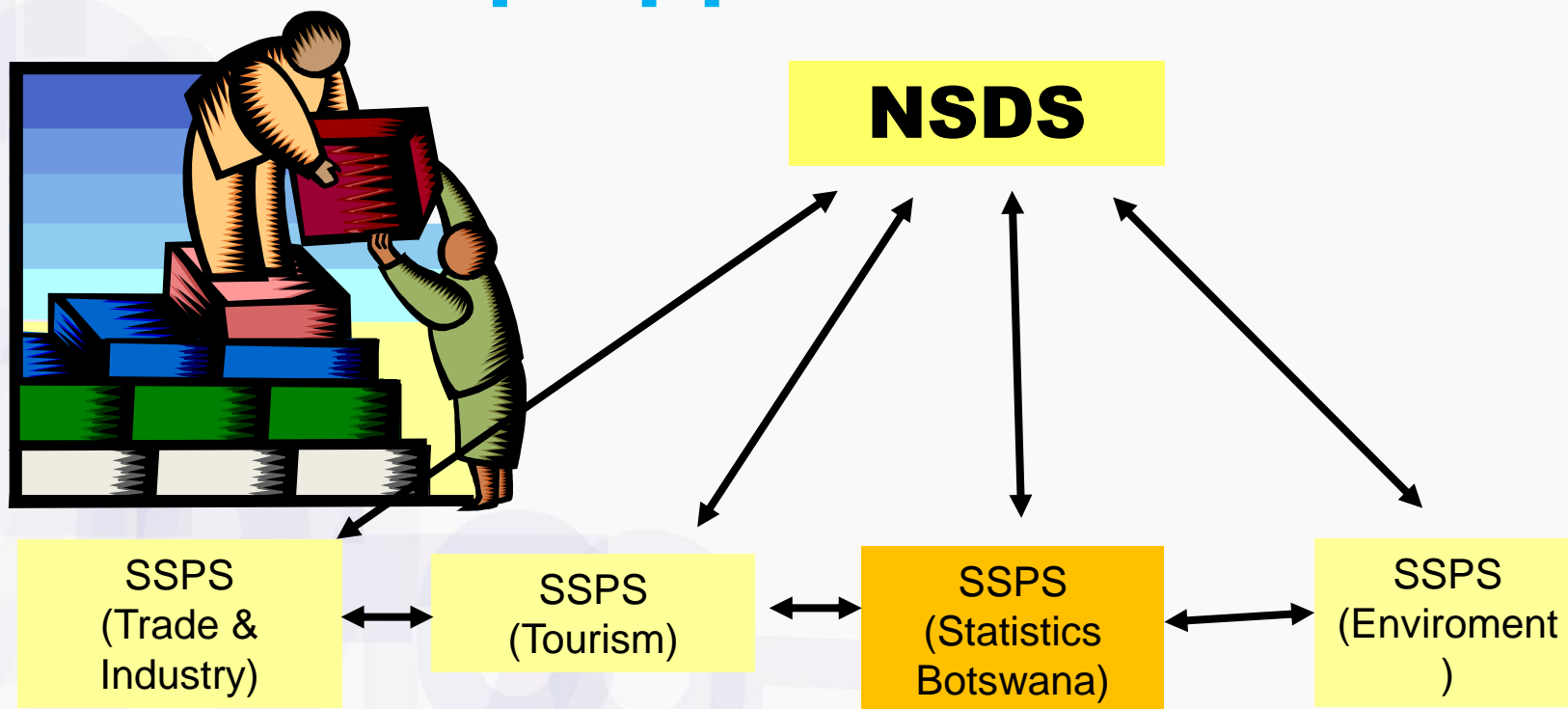


## National Statistical System (NSS)



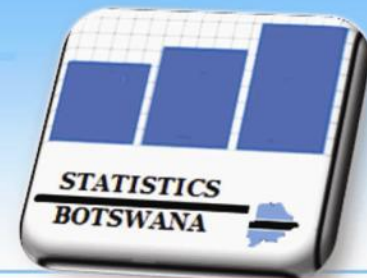


## Bottom-up approach to NSDS



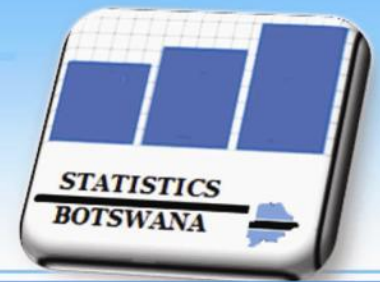
SSPS – Sector Strategic Plan for Statistics

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## NSS STRATEGIC GOALS

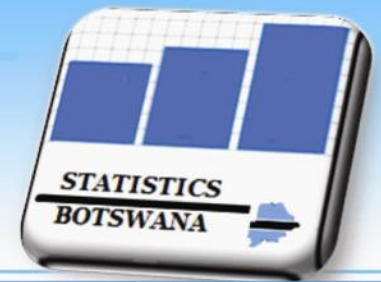
<b>Goal 1:</b>	Greater use of statistics for policy, planning and decision-making
<b>Goal 2:</b>	Effective National Statistical System
<b>Goal 3:</b>	Increase resources for statistics



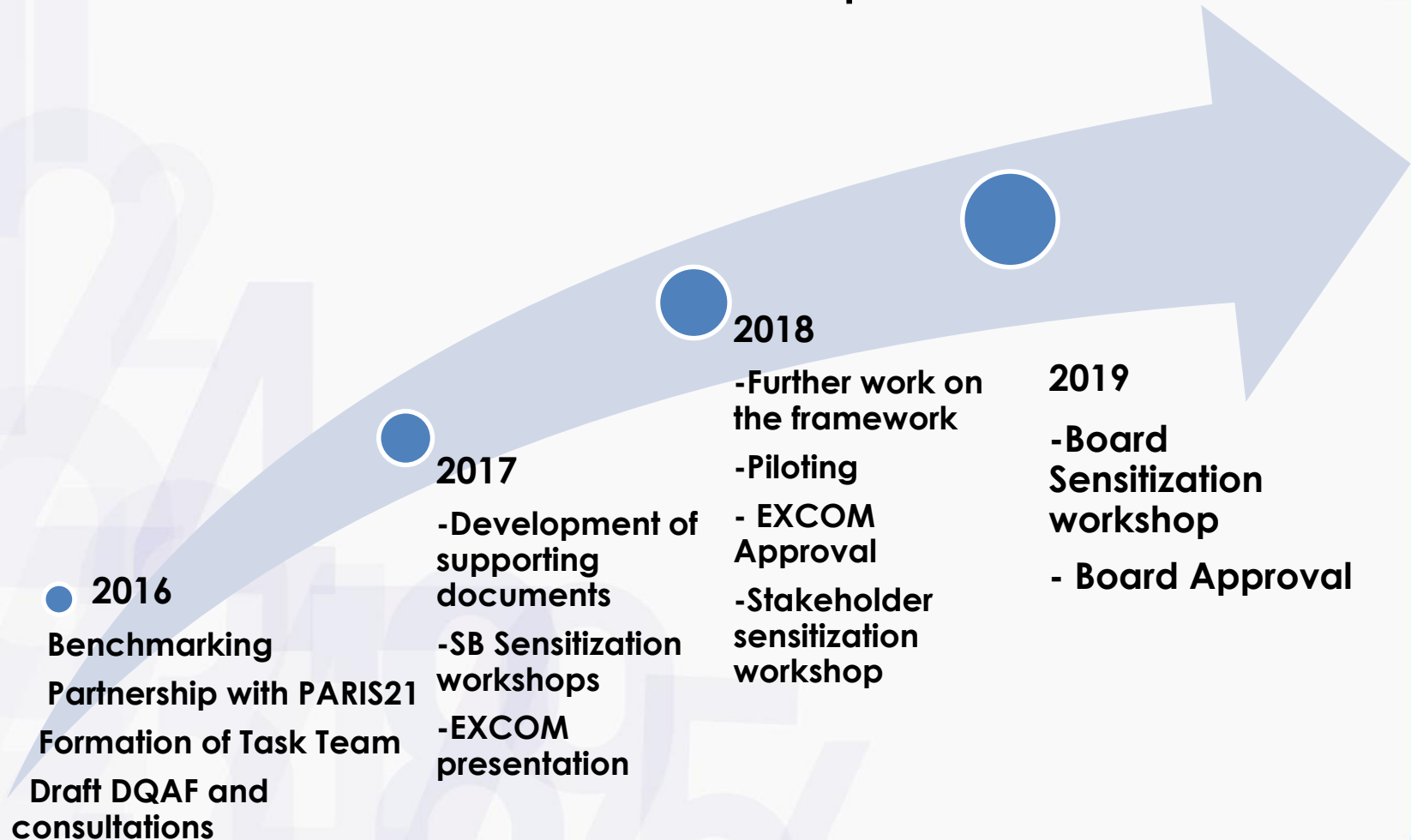
## QUALITY ASSURANCE - DQAF



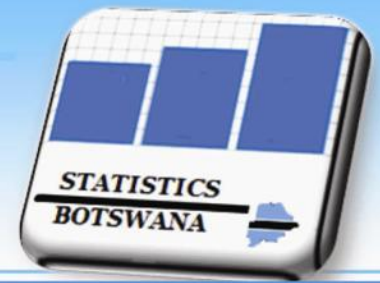
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## Road map



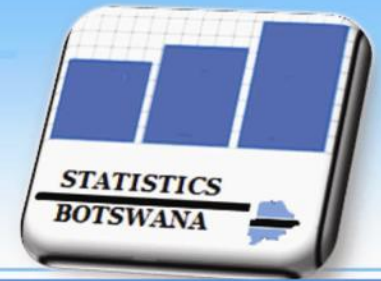




## D1. Data Quality Dimensions

- a. Prerequisite to Quality
- b. Credibility
- c. Comparability and Coherence
- d. Methodological Soundness
- e. Relevance
- f. Accuracy
- g. Timeliness/Punctuality
- h. Accessibility
- i. Interpretability

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## Applicability of the Framework & Exceptions

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### **Applicability**

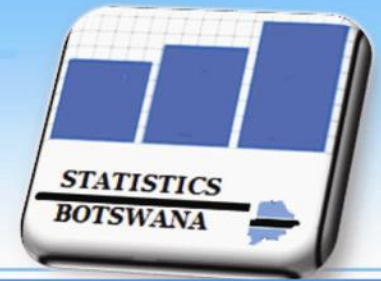
It is based on the following criteria;

- The producing agency must be a member of the NSS.
- The statistical product should be part of a sustainable series, not a once-off.

### **Exemptions**

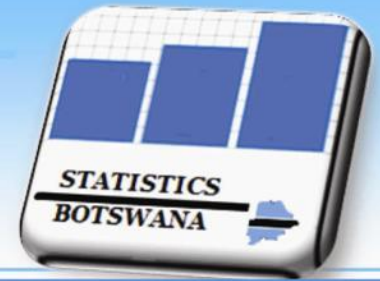
- Adhoc researches and studies

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## Requirements for Assessment

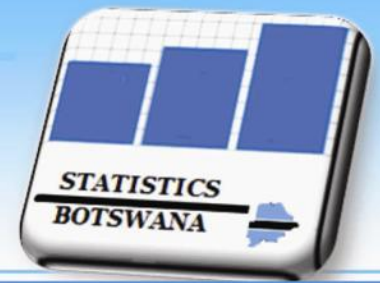
- There must be a team formed called Quality Assessment Team (QAT) to conduct the assessment (QA, requester, CIA)
- Self assessments are done by the requester
- The producing agency for which the product is to be assessed must be a member of the National Statistics System (NSS).
- The statistics produced must be used to meet user needs beyond the specific and internal to the producing agency.
- The statistics produced must be continuous and sustainable, thus not a once-off product.



## Way Forward

- Training on Development of Standards
- Further training of the NSS on DQAF and standards
- Implementation plan

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