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<i>Statement provided by:</i> DANE-Colombia	
<i>Statement:</i> Colombia takes note of the report provided by the Network of Economic Statisticians Working Group. We would like to underpin the efforts made by the members of the working group and we are convinced that the programmed activities are going to facilitate coordination schemes with the academia and the private sector. In addition, we are looking forward to the stream “Beyond GDP” as we consider it important to innovate in the measurement of traditional economic indicators so they can have a multidimensional approach to assess the development processes. Finally, Colombia celebrates the creation of the Data Access stream, as we consider this issue as one of the main barriers preventing NSOs to advance in the production of quality and relevant statistics for users. Providing collaboration frameworks and strategies that respect privacy is paramount to advance on data literacy and innovation processes.	
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