The meeting starts at 9:30 on the first day and ends at noon on the second day.

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*Co-chairs Fabienne Fortanier (OECD) and Andreas Maurer (WTO)*  
**Item 2. Adoption of the agenda**  
**Item 3. Approval of the report of the last TF meeting in New York, October 2016**  
**Item 4. Issues related to the UN Statistics Commission**  
*Markie Muryawan (UNSD)*  
**Item 5. Balancing asymmetries in merchandise trade statistics**  
*Fabienne Fortanier (OECD) and Andreas Maurer (WTO)*  
*Markie Muryawan (UNSD)*  
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*Fabienne Fortanier (OECD) and Andreas Maurer (WTO)*  
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| 11.30-13.00 | **Item 7. Process report on the updating of BPM6**  
*Silvia Matei (IMF)*  
**Item 7.a. Services compilation in the context of FRIBS**  
*Veijo Ritola (Eurostat)*  
**Item 8. New services and ICT products**  
*Andreas Maurer (WTO)*  
*Diana Korka (UNCTAD)*  
**Item 9. Developing detailed merchandise trade price indices**  
*Guannan Miao & Fabienne Fortanier (OECD)*  
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| 14.30-16.00 | **Item 10. Trade in Value Added Nowcast Estimates 2012-2014**  
*Guannan Miao & Fabienne Fortanier (OECD)*  
**Item 11. Results of the UN Metadata survey for merchandise trade statistics (UNSD)**  
*Markie Muryawan (UNSD)*  
**Item 12. Measuring Trade in Services by Modes of Supply**  
*Andreas Maurer (WTO)*  
*Veijo Ritola (Eurostat)* |
Diana Doyle (OECD)

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Item 14. Developing a database on multinational enterprises: proof of concept
Diana Doyle, Graham Pilgrim and Cecilia Caliandro (OECD)

Item 15. Classifications
Markie Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 16. Online version of the MSITS2010 Compilers Guide: Chapter on Merchanting and Goods for Processing
David Brackfield (OECD)

Item 17. Update on trade data dissemination (current and plans)
All

Day 2 – 11 October

9.30-11.00

Item 18. Statistical capacity building for international trade statistics
Andreas Maurer & Barbara d’Andrea (WTO) on behalf of the TFITS
Johannes Jütting (Paris21)

Item 19. SDMX for IMTS: progress made
Marky Muryawan (UNSD)

Coffee break (11.00-11.15)

11.15-12.00

Item 20. Promoting trade statistics and organizing TF work: TFITS website and Newsletter
Marky Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 21. Any Other Business

Item 22. Date and location of next TF meeting