

INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE STATISTICS

Agenda

9-10 October 2018
World Trade Organization, Geneva

The meeting starts at **14.00 on 9 October (room B)** and ends at **18.00 on 10 October**.

Please account for time to go through security.

Indicated timing on the agenda is tentative.

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Day 1 – 9 October

14.00-15.30

Item 1. Welcome and Opening*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 Paris, October 2017****Item 4. Issues related to the UN Statistics Commission – the role of the TFITS***Markie Muryawan (UNSD)***Item 5. Balancing asymmetries in merchandise trade statistics – progress report***Fabienne Fortanier (OECD) and Andreas Maurer (WTO)**Markie Muryawan (UNSD)***Item 6. Balancing asymmetries in trade in services statistics – progress report***Fabienne Fortanier (OECD) and Andreas Maurer (WTO)*

Coffee break (15.30-16.30)

16.30-18.00

Item 7. BPM6 and related issues for discussion*Silvia Matei (IMF)***Item 8. New services and ICT products***Andreas Maurer (WTO)**Diana Korka (UNCTAD)***Item 9. Trade in services by end-use categories***Fabienne Fortanier (OECD)*

Day 2 – 10 October

09.30-11.00

Item 10. Measuring Trade in Value Added Initiative -- update on Regional-Global TiVA initiatives*Fabienne Fortanier (OECD)***Item 11. Results of the UN Metadata survey for merchandise trade statistics (UNSD) – progress report***Markie Muryawan (UNSD)***Item 12. Measuring Trade in Services by Modes of Supply – progress report***Andreas Maurer (WTO)**Riina Kerner (Eurostat)*

Coffee break (11.00-11.30)

11.30-13.00

Item 13. The OECD Analytical Database on Individual Multinational Enterprises and their Affiliates (ADIMA): progress report

Fabienne Fortanier (OECD)

Item 14. Classifications

Markie Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 15. Online version of the MSITS2010 Compilers Guide: What's new?

Markie Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 16. Update on trade data dissemination (current and plans)

All

Lunch break (13.00-14.30)

14.30-16.00

Item 17. Statistical capacity building for international trade statistics

Barbara d'Andrea (WTO) on behalf of the TFITS

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Item 18. SDMX for trade statistics: progress report

Marky Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 19. Business statistics

UNSD, UNIDO and Eurostat

Item 20. Eurostat's FRIBS initiative – where are we?

Coffee break (16.00-16.15)

16.15-18.00

Item 21. Promoting trade statistics and organizing TF work: TFITS website and Newsletter

Marky Muryawan (UNSD)

Item 22. Any Other Business

Item 23. Date and location of next TF meeting
