



Submission of trade in services statistics to international organizations

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UNSD mission

UNSD mission:

- to develop and promote global statistical standards in the measurement of economic performance, social progress, environmental changes and political attributes
- to collect, analyse and disseminate social, economic, political and environment statistical data at country, regional and global level
- to assist Member States to establish a functioning statistical system which serves as foundation to an effective international statistical system
- to coordinate and promote global statistical activities and enhance the functioning of the UN Statistical Commission as apex entity
- to support DESA in its multidimensional programme of work on social and economic affairs



UNSD mission

Statistical Commission

History/Mandate:

- Started in 1946
- Small (24 members) and technical
- Promoting development of national statistics and improvement of comparability
- Coordination of statistical work of specialized agencies
- Development of statistical services of the UN secretariat
- Advising UN system on statistical matters
- Promoting improvement of statistics and statistical methods generally





The principal objectives for UNSD in SITS

- (i) the establishment of a world-wide database on SITS,**
- (ii) the creation of database of country practices in the compilation and dissemination of SITS, and**
- (iii) the further development of the methodology of SITS together with the other members of the Task Force on SITS.**



Data availability in Latin American and Caribbean countries

UN MEMBER STATES

Non-member countries	Continent	2000	2007	2008	Source, all	Most recent Source, with data
Anguilla (UK)	America	30	33	8	IMF	IMF
Antigua and Barbuda	America	35	35	40	NSO	NSO
Argentina	America	99	96	95	NSO	NSO
Aruba (NL)	America	32	37	36	CB	CB
Bahamas	America	54	53	53	CB	CB
Barbados	America	80	77	0	CB	CB
Belize	America	65	80	82	CB	CB
Bermuda (UK)	America	12	106	106	NSO	NSO
Bolivia	America	51	96	2	CB	CB
Brazil	America	44	121	124	CB	CB
British Virgin islands (UK)	America	0	0	0	NSO	0
Cayman Islands (UK)	America	0	0	0	FM	0
Chile	America	63	63	63	CB	CB

Data availability in Latin American and Caribbean countries

Non-member countries	Continent	2000	2007	2008	Source, all	Source, with data
Colombia	America	57	57	58	CB	CB
Costa Rica	America	85	87	88	CB	CB
Cuba	America	3	2	3	WTO	WTO
Dominica	America	36	35	8	NSO	NSO
Dominican Republic	America	54	62	62	CB	CB
Ecuador	America	37	37	37	CB	CB
El Salvador	America	36	81	82	CB	CB
Falkland Islands (Malvinas) (UK)	America	0	0	0	0	0
Greenland (DK)	America	0	0	0	NSO	0
Grenada	America	45	47	48	NSO	NSO
Guatemala	America	37	86	86	CB	CB
Guyana	America	28	44	0	CB	CB
Haiti	America	21	28	2	IMF	IMF
Honduras	America	64	61	62	CB	CB
Jamaica	America	29	93	95	CB	CB

Data availability in Latin American and Caribbean countries

Non-member countries	Continent	2000	2007	2008	Source, all	Source, with data
Mexico	America	58	53	47	CB	CB
Montserrat (UK)	America	32	32	8	IMF	IMF
Netherland Antilles (NL)	America	1647	2299	2496	CB	CB
Nicaragua	America	39	41	41	CB	CB
Panama	America	65	70	68	FM	FM
Paraguay	America	82	84	82	CB	CB
Peru	America	51	64	64	CB	CB
Puerto Rico (US)	America	50	0	0	NSO	NSO
Saint Kitts and Nevis	America	38	38	8	IMF	IMF
Saint Lucia	America	32	31	8	IMF	IMF
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	America	65	65	8	NSO	NSO
Suriname	America	30	34	2	IMF	IMF
Trinidad and Tobago	America	25	16	0	CB	CB
Turks and Caicos Islands (UK)	America	0	0	0	0	0
Uruguay	America	56	58	58	CB	CB
Venezuela	America	83	83	83	CB	CB
Virgin Islands of the United States (US)	America	0	0	0	0	0