

Macroeconomic Statistics Logical Framework 2018

Measurable Outcome	Country	Progress against Milestone as at end-FY2017 ¹	Activity/Mission Description	Person Days	Relevant Milestone ²	Comments
4.1 <i>Compilation methodologies in line with international standards are in place for national accounts and government finance statistics</i>						
Strengthening methodologies-in line with international standards used for the compilation of gross domestic product (GDP) estimates by production						
	Kiribati	3	Further improve annual estimates of GDP by production alongside expenditure developments	STX: 21	Deviations from 2008 SNA are reduced and/or eliminated [RBM NA 4.1]	
	PNG	3	Review new GDP by production system and update road map	STX: 21	Deviations from 2008 SNA are reduced and/or eliminated [RBM NA 4.1]	Joint work with ABS advisor(s)
	Sub-regional workshop	-	Delivery of training to compilers from FSM, Palau and RMI	LTX: 7 STX: 14	Deviations from 2008 SNA are reduced and/or eliminated [RBM NA 4.1]	Combined workshop – multiple advisors linking topic areas
	Joint sub-regional workshop	-	Delivery of training to compilers excluding Micronesian countries	LTX: 7 LTX: 7	Deviations from 2008 SNA are reduced and/or eliminated [RBM NA 1.4; 3.1; 4.1; 5.3; 13.1]	Combined workshop – multiple advisors linking topic area
Increasing the scope of national accounts estimates by developing expenditure measures						
	Fiji	4	Refine expenditure estimates within the Supply and Use framework	LTX: 5	Additional accounts/aggregates are developed to meet national data requirements and ISWGNA minimum requirements and/or recommended tables and accounts [RBM NA 4.1]	
	Kiribati	2	Develop GDP by expenditure estimates	STX: 21	Additional accounts/aggregates are developed to meet national data requirements and ISWGNA minimum	

¹ Ratings defined as follows: 1= Very limited progress towards objective; 2= Some progress towards objective; 3= Substantial progress towards objective; 4= Objective largely or fully achieved.

² These are in accordance with the IMF-prescribed Results-based Management framework for PFM Technical Assistance Programs.

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					requirements and/or recommended tables and accounts [RBM NA 5.1]	
	Samoa	3	"	LTX: 14	Additional accounts/aggregates are developed to meet national data requirements and ISWGNA minimum requirements and/or recommended tables and accounts [RBM NA 5.1]	
Improving the frequency of GDP by developing quarterly measures						
	Fiji	3	Assist in refining new quarterly GDP estimates	LTX: 5	Frequency of national accounts compilation and/or dissemination improves from annual to quarterly, or from quarterly to monthly [RBM NA 12.1]	
Improving the coverage and quality of Government Finance Statistics (GFS). GFS data should cover the whole of general government (budgetary government and extra-budgetary units). Debt data should cover the entirety of the public sector (general government activity plus quasi-government units and public corporations)						
TBA						
Improving the frequency of GFS by developing quarterly measures						
TBA						
4.2 Accurate and reliable macroeconomic statistics are available						
Strengthening the accuracy and reliability of GDP estimates by making full use of administrative data supplemented by surveys where needed.						
	Tonga	3	Finalize new estimates of GDP by production, based on tax data	STX: 21	Relative to the baseline, improvements to source data used for annual estimates are made [RBM NA 10.2]	
Strengthening of GDP estimates by improving compilation procedures and source data analysis						
	Solomon Islands	3	Review business survey editing and imputation and use of other key sources	STX: 21	Relative to the baseline, improvements are made to the compilation system. [RBM NA 9.1]	

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Improving the usefulness of national accounts with timely rebasing						
	Cook Islands	3	Assist with rebasing GDP, as well as updating sources and methods	STX: 21	Improvements to source data used for periodic benchmark estimates are made [RBM NA 4.1]	
	Nauru	1	Assist with rebasing GDP, as well as updating sources and methods	LTX: 14	Improvements to source data used for periodic benchmark estimates are made [RBM NA 4.1]	
	Tonga	1	Assist with rebasing GDP by production and expenditure and conduct benchmarking	STX: 14	Improvements to source data used for periodic benchmark estimates are made [RBM NA 4.1]	
	Tuvalu	2	Assist with rebasing GDP by production and conduct benchmarking	STX: 14	Improvements to source data used for periodic benchmark estimates are made [RBM NA 4.1]	
	Vanuatu	1	Assist with rebasing GDP by production and expenditure and conduct benchmarking	STX: 21	Improvements to source data used for periodic benchmark estimates are made [RBM NA 4.1]	
Improving the coverage, quality and timeliness of data sources for GFS.						
TBA						
4.3 Timely and consistent data are produced. They are readily available, presented clearly and well-documented						
Ensuring the national accounts data are disseminated in a timely manner and are consistent with other datasets such as GFS and External Sector Statistics						
	Cook Islands	2	Improvements to BOP current account	STX: 21	The BOP and/or IIP are consistent or reconcilable with the national accounts [RBM BP 15.1]	
	Nauru	2	Improve BOP coverage and methodology	STX: 21	The BOP and/or IIP are consistent or reconcilable with the national accounts [RBM BP 15.1]	

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		3	Provide supplementation to produce latest estimates of GDP by production	LTX: 7	New national accounts statistics, as set out in the latest System of National Accounts (2008) manual, are available [RBM NA 18.1; 3.1]	
	Niue	3	Provide supplementation to produce latest estimates of GDP by production	STX: 21	New national accounts statistics, as set out in the latest System of National Accounts (2008) manual, are available [RBM NA 18.1; 3.1]	
<i>Ensuring the national accounts metadata is available and up to date.</i>						
	Regional	2	Participation in the Pacific Statistics Steering Committee which coordinates TA in the region	LTX: 5	More metadata have been compiled and/or made available to users to support data analysis [RBM NA 20.1]	
<i>Ensuring the GFS data are disseminated in a timely manner and are consistent over time</i>						
No activity planned						
<i>Ensuring the GFS data are available to users and adequately documented</i>						
No activity planned						