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**Joint distribution of income, consumption and wealth at the individual level: insights from
the Eurostat-OECD EG ICW**

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Abstract

Under the guidance of Eurostat and the OECD chief statisticians, a Eurostat-OECD Expert Group was set up in September 2017 to develop estimates of the joint distribution of household income, consumption and wealth (ICW) that could in the future be disseminated regularly, at the appropriate aggregation levels, through a statistical product with data as harmonised as possible.

This paper provides an overview of the project and of the work conducted so far. It also presents some initial comparative findings on the joint distribution of ICW and highlights potential uses of such data.