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Work session on statistical data editing
(Bonn, 25-27 September 2006)

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA
AND
TENTATIVE TIMETABLE**

The meeting will begin on Monday, 25 September 2006 at 10:00 a.m.
at the branch office of DESTATIS
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Graurheindorfer Straße 198

Monday, 25 September 2006

Time	Topic and documentation	
10:00	Opening of the meeting; Adoption of the agenda; Designation of officers	WP.1
	Topic (i): Editing nearer the source	
	Discussants: Pedro Revilla, Spain (previlla@ine.es); and Heather Wagstaff, United Kingdom (Heather.Wagstaff@ons.gsi.gov.uk)	
	<i>Invited papers: 20 minutes per paper</i>	
	Germany – eSTATISTIK.core: collecting raw data from ERP systems	WP.2
	Italy – Data capturing strategies used in Istat to improve quality	WP.3
	Spain – Editing Web questionnaires: challenges and opportunities	WP.4
	<i>Supporting papers: 10 minutes per paper</i>	
	Hungary – Editing during the data capture - Hungarian experiences in the business statistics	WP.5
	United Kingdom – Diagnostics for the evaluation of imputed data	WP.6
	United Kingdom – Tool for assessing impact of changing editing rules on cost and quality	WP.7
10:15	Topic (i): Presentation of invited papers	
11:30	<i>Coffee break 20 minutes</i>	
11:50	Topic (i): Supporting papers	
12:20	Topic (i): General discussion	
13:00	<i>Lunch break 1 hour 30 minutes</i>	
	Topic (ii): Editing data from multiple sources	
	Discussants: Ton de Waal, Netherlands (twal@cbs.nl) and Thomas Burg, Austria (thomas.burg@statistik.gv.at)	
	<i>Invited papers: 20 minutes per paper</i>	
	Canada - Editing a mixture of Canadian 2006 Census and Tax Data	WP.8
	France – First methodological studies for the redesigning of French business statistics	WP.9
	Netherlands – Handling inconsistencies in integrated business data	WP.10
	<i>Supporting papers: 10 minutes per paper</i>	
	Canada – Re-editing of data in Canadian business surveys	WP.11
	Finland - Re-editing of Cross-sectional and Longitudinal Data with Applications to the European Community Household Panel	WP.12
	Finland - CANCELLED	WP.13
	Norway – Data editing across sources in “Municipality-State Reporting”	WP.14
	Sweden – Register-based economic statistics on enterprises – editing issues	WP.15
14:30	Topic (ii): Presentation of invited papers	
15:30	Topic (ii): Supporting papers	
16:00	<i>Coffee break 20 minutes</i>	
16:20	Topic (ii): Supporting papers (continued)	
16:40	Topic (ii): General discussion	
17:30	EOB	

Tuesday, 26 September 2006

Time	Topic and documentation	
Topic (iii): Editing microdata for release		
Discussants: Natalie Shlomo (N.Shlomo@soton.ac.uk) and Rainer Lenz, Germany		
<i>Invited papers: 20 minutes per paper</i>		
	Netherlands/University of Southampton – Statistical disclosure control for continuous variables under edit restrictions	WP.16
	Norway - Editing and imputation of linked micro files to be used for statistics, research projects and administrative procedures	WP.17
	Germany – A new approach for disclosure control in the IAB Establishment Panel – Multiple imputation for a better data access	WP.18
<i>Supporting papers: 10 minutes per paper</i>		
	Netherlands – Post-editing: a potential source of inconsistencies	WP.19
10:00	Topic (iii): Presentation of invited papers	
10:40	Topic (iii): Supporting papers	
11:10	<i>Coffee break 20 minutes</i>	
11:30	Topic (iii): General discussion	
12:00 Software presentations		
	United States -	
	Spain – A new software for data editing	WP.30
13:00	<i>Lunch break 1 hour 30 minutes</i>	
Topic (iv): Macro-editing		
Discussants: Leopold Granquist (leopold.granquist@swipnet.se); Dan Hedlin (dan.hedlin@scb.se) and Svein Nordbotten, Sweden (svein@nordbotten.com)		
<i>Invited papers: 20 minutes per paper</i>		
	Canada – Prioritizing follow-up of non-respondents using scores for the Canadian quarterly survey of financial statistics for enterprises	WP.20
	France – Editing in a two-stage design with multiple variables: from elementary questionnaires checks to local units scores	WP.21
	Spain - Using selective editing combined with an automatic system in the FSS of Spain	WP.22
<i>Supporting papers: 10 minutes per paper</i>		
	United States – Selective Editing Strategies for the U. S. Census Bureau Trade Statistics Programs	WP.23
14:30	Topic (iv): Presentation of invited papers	
15:30	Topic (iv): Supporting papers	
15:40	Topic (iv): General discussion	
16:00	<i>Coffee break 20 minutes</i>	
16:30	Statistical Data Editing, Volume 3, Impact on Quality	
	This session is intended as a wrap up after completion of work on Volume 3, and thoughts what may be envisaged in the future as a target output.	
	Future Work	
	Introduction to the discussion on future work planned for Wednesday.	
17:30	EOB	

Wednesday, 27 September 2006

Time	Topic and documentation
Topic (v): New and emerging methods	
	Discussants: Paula Weir (pweir@eia.doe.gov), Maria Garcia, United States (maria.m.garcia@census.gov) and Orietta Luzi, Italy (luzi@istat.it)
	<i>Invited papers: 20 minutes per paper</i>
	Italy/Netherlands/Switzerland - Recommended practices for editing and imputation in the European Statistical System: the EDIMBUS project WP.24
	Italy – A semi-parametric predictive mean matching: an empirical evaluation WP.25
	United States – Seeing the forest through the trees: a graphical view for editing through E-Sphere WP.26
	<i>Supporting papers: 10 minutes per paper</i>
	Israel – Geospatial Editing WP.27
	Netherlands – Regression imputation with linear equality constraints on the variables WP.28
	Netherlands – On the use of sequential regression methods to impute data subject to linear restrictions WP.29
	Switzerland – Handling of outliers at SFSO WP.31
	United States – Further Improvements to an Edit and Imputation system for the 2007 United States Census of Agriculture WP.32
09:00	Topic (v): Presentation of invited papers
10:15:	Topic (v): Supporting papers
11:10	<i>Coffee break 20 minutes</i>
11:40	Topic (v): General discussion
12:30	Discussion on the future work of the Conference of European Statisticians in the field of Statistical Data Editing
	This discussion shall focus not only on suggestion of topics for the next meeting, but also on identifying the needs in the longer-term perspective and recommending future final outputs after Volume 3.
13:00	<i>Lunch break 1 hour 30 minutes</i>
14:30	Adoption of the report, conclusion of the meeting
15:00	EOB

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