Handbook on Supply, Use and Input-Output Tables with Extensions and Applications

Group of Experts on National Accounts

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Overview

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Background

• Need to update present version of Handbook on Input-Output Compilation and Analysis (1999)
• Build on the Eurostat handbook (2008)
• Formally started by UNSD in January 2013.

Editorial Board

• Led by UNSD.
  • 12 members plus UNSD.
  • Nine members of IIOA – including IIOA Council Members.
  • Leading international experts with decades of experience.
  • Mix of members from different continents, academia, NSOs, etc.
  • Chief Editor – Sanjiv Mahajan (Office for National Statistics, UK)
Process

• Team effort
  • Joint author for each chapter plus editor.
  • Numerous iterations of each chapter.
  • All tables, boxes and figures formatted by Joerg Beutel.
• Feedback from all EB Members.

• Communication
  • Teleconferences and emails.
  • 2-day meeting in New York.
  • Regular progress reports.

• Title: Handbook on Supply, Use and Input-Output Tables with Extensions and Applications
Goals

• Consistency with 2008 SNA, BPM 6, SEEA ,ISIC Rev. 4. and CPC Ver. 2
  • Minimal overlap with other handbooks / manuals, e.g. Globalisation.
• Recommend best practice and acceptable alternatives.
• Integration theme using the “H-Approach”
  • SUTs, IOTs, physical and monetary tables.
• Focus on the evolution and driving role of SUTs:
  • SUTs at the heart of the National Accounts
  • SUTs produced in basic prices and purchasers’ prices
  • SUTs produced in current prices and in volume terms
  • SUTs should be produced before IOTs
  • Include environmental considerations and physical SUT
• Terminology and presentation changes / improvements
  • No use of term “symmetric”, reduced use of “homogeneity”, etc.
  • Correct use of terminology for IOTs, removal of misrepresentations
Structure of Handbook

• **Part A** 2 chapters, **Overview**
• **Part B** 13 chapters, **Design, build, compile and disseminate** SU and IO tables including monetary and physical tables
• **Part C** 6 chapters, **Extensions and Applications**
  • Focus on the principles and use of GSBPM and IES
  • Business processes and stages of production.

• **Package:**
  • Printed copy and electronic PDF;
  • Primer (50 page elementary version); and
  • Excel Workbook containing all tables and figures.
Way forward

• Currently under editorial review
• Global consultation – around Summer 2016
• Incorporation of feedback.
• Finalise handbook and primer at end of 2016
Thank you