

## **Task Team on Data Transmission**

### **Purpose and 2023 Work Plan**

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#### *Aim and scope*

Facilitate SDG data transmission through exchanging knowledge and experiences on the application of transmission standards (such as SDMX), transmission methods and similar tools (such as APIs) that allow to automate data transmission.

The task team will focus on data transmission techniques and tools.

It will take into account the context of data transmission (national reporting platforms or data flow relationships between countries and agencies i.e. the 'nodes' of data flow) if necessary, but will not focus exclusively on it.

#### *2023 Workplan High-Level priorities*

1. Contribution to expert meeting on country experience of SDG Data Lab and detail on how it can be completed
2. Pilot on uploading and comparing SDMX data through the SDG Data Lab
3. Add a column to the country progress table on the use of SDMX to transfer SDG data

#### *Workplan priority: SDG Data Lab*

The SDG Data Lab allows countries to upload SDMX data and metadata to compare with custodian agencies. This allows comparison in the data to identify discrepancies and help understand why these have emerged. A pilot was part of last year's workplan however was shelved due to a lack of interest. Priority this year is on showcasing the advantages of the Data Lab and countries' experiences before re-attempting a trial.

The aim is to hold a showcase session as part of the 2023 Expert Group meeting. Have had provisional interest from Armenia, Germany and Spain who could feature in the pilot after the showcase in the Expert Group meeting.

The 2023 Expert Group meeting will feature a 90-minute session on uploading to the labs with a Q&A session. Presented by either France or the UK, it will share experiences and how different countries can benefit from use of the Data Lab.

Timeline

2022

2023

