

Q2010 Training Courses

Implementation aspects and future plans

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What will be next ?

1. In terms of SDMX

- Improvement of the SDMX Content-oriented Guidelines (in particular with regard to code lists and cross-domain concepts)
- Quality related concepts should be better reflected there

2. In terms of the ESMS

- ESMS nearly fully implemented at Eurostat
- ESMS to be successively implemented for national reference metadata
- The quality related contents needs to be improved.

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3. In terms of the ESQRS

- Final definition of the ESQRS necessary (including the quality indicator to be used)
- Sponsorship on Quality: work ongoing

4. In terms of the Eurostat Metadata Handler

- The National Reference Metadata Handler needs to be deployed and opened to Member states as soon as possible
- The whole Eurostat IT applications need to be made SDMX compliant
- Once ready the ESQRS needs to be incorporated into the Metadata Handler

What will be next ?

5. Other issues

- International exchange of metadata (also related to data quality) to be put in place
- Strategic definition of the size of quality reporting needed in the ESS
- Legislation related to certain parts of the statistical business process could be envisaged (e.g. the ESMS, Single Entry Point, etc.)
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