



**National Accounts Annual Seminar**  
**Latin America and the Caribbean Emerging issues and new challenges in the measurement of economic statistics: an agenda for change**

*Virtual meeting, 3 to 6 October 2022*

*10:30 -13:00 hrs*

*Chilean time, UTC-4*

**A G E N D A**

**Monday, 3 October**

**Session 1      Opening**

- 10:30 – 10:43      Welcome remarks  
                         Representative of ECLAC Statistics Division  
                         Representative of the United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD)
- 10:43 – 10:45      Adoption of the agenda

**Session 2      Progress in the SNA 2025 update process and the future of economic statistics**

- 10:45 – 11:00      SNA 2025 and the updating of economic statistics (UNSD)
- 11:00 – 11:15      Follow-up to the Beyond GDP initiative – (Expert)
- 11:15 – 11:25      Overview of the Beyond GDP webinar-EC-SCA – (ECLAC)
- 11:25 – 11:30      Brief break

**Session 3      SNA status in Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)**

- 11:30 – 11:40      National Accounts (NAs) status in the region. (ECLAC)
- 11:40 – 11:50      Disclosure of change reference year of regional NAs. (ECLAC)
- 11:50 – 12:05      Country experiences of base year change: Saint Lucia
- 12:05 – 12:20      Country experiences of base year change: Bolivia
- 12:20 – 12:35      Country experiences of base year change every five years, regional challenges:  
                         Costa Rica
- 12:35 – 12:50      Automation of economic statistics processing: Cuba
- 12:50 – 13:00      Participant's intervention



## Tuesday, 4 October

### **Session 4** Quarterly National Accounts (QNA) in Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)

- 10:30 – 10:45 QNA Manual Update. (IMF)
- 10:45 – 11:05 New Measurements in QNA. Institutional Sector Accounts. (Colombia)
- 11:05 – 11:15 Regional Quarterly GDP Project. (ECLAC)
- 11:15 – 11:30 Participant's intervention
- 11:30 – 11:35 Brief break

### **Session 5** SNA-2025 Update

- 11:35 – 11:50 Methodological notes, global consultation, testing process. (UNSD)
- 11:50 – 12:05 Wellbeing and Sustainability Task Team. (OECD).
- 12:05 – 12:25 Merchanting. (Uruguay)
- 12:25 – 12:45 Care economy: unpaid work satellite account. (Mexico)
- 12:45 – 13:00 Participant's intervention

## Wednesday, 5 October

### **Session 6** NAs: emerging topics new measurement challenges

- 10:30 – 10:50 Satellite accounts: Ecosystem. (ECLAC)
- 10:50 – 11:10 Measuring Digital Economy: (Chile)
- 11:10 – 11:15 Brief break

### **Session 7** Economic Censuses, Administrative Registers and their uses in NAs

- 11:15 – 11:35 Country cases and experiences: Argentina (INDEC)
- 11:35 – 11:55 Country cases and experiences: Brazil (IBGE)
- 11:55 – 12:15 Country cases and experiences: Peru (INEI)
- 12:15 – 12:30 Participant's intervention

**Session 8 ICP Activities**

- 10:30 – 10:40 International Comparison Program activity update and recent highlights. (World Bank)
- 10:40 – 10:50 Summary of the International Comparison Program in Latin America and the Caribbean. (ECLAC)
- 10:50 – 10:55 Participant's intervention

**Session 9 Otros proyectos y grupos de trabajo de la CEA**

- 10:55 – 11:05 Guide for the compilation and use of IOT - activities performed. (BANGUAT)
- 11:05 – 11:15 BADECON results. (ECLAC)
- 11:15 – 11:25 SUT-IOT Repository - progress of harmonization results. (ECLAC)
- 11:25 – 11:35 Sub-national GDP – Regional results. (ECLAC)
- 11:35 – 11:40 Brief break
- 11:40 – 12:00 Administrative registers – Video and progress of the GSP project. (ECLAC)
- 12:00 – 12:30 Conclusions and next steps. (ECLAC)



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