



Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

Commission Expert Group

Name: WG Energy Statistics (E01497)
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

Abbreviation: ESWG

Policy Area: Statistics

Lead DG: ESTAT - Eurostat

Associated DG: JRC - Joint Research Centre
CLIMA - DG Climate Action
ENER - DG Energy

Type: Informal, Permanent

Scope: Limited

Mission: This expert group advises the European Commission and the Directors of sectoral and environmental statistics and accounts (DIMESA) on all relevant matters in the field of energy statistics. Being part of the governance system of the European Statistical System (ESS), the group is in charge of the preparation of technical proposals related to the energy statistics domain, prior to the decisions to be taken by the DIMESA and the ESS Committee. The group also works to establish close cooperation between the energy-related statistical institutions of the Member States and the European Commission – Eurostat as well as to facilitate the exchange of information, knowledge, experiences and good practices among its members. It is also a forum for discussing methodology issues linked to the energy statistics, data collection and reporting. The group discusses the practical aspects of the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1099/2008 on energy statistics and of Directive 2008/92/EC concerning a Community procedure to improve the transparency of gas and electricity prices charged to industrial end-users. It coordinates the work of the European Commission and of the Member States in the field of energy statistics and assists the Commission in the preparation of relevant legislation or implementing measures.

Task: Assist the Commission in the preparation of legislative proposals and policy initiatives

Assists the Commission in the preparation of legislation, advises on practical and technical aspects of the implementation of policies and data validation. Coordinates with Member States, organises exchange of views, discusses and supports harmonised approach on the field of definitions, develops methodology, reporting and validation rules in the field of energy statistics.

Coordinate with Member States, exchange of views

Other

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Additional Information

Activity Report

All relevant documents related to the activities of the group can be found at the provided link.

<https://circabc.europa.eu/w/browse/8bb3946c-4d6c-46f3-9f56-4ff29b3f9474>

Activity Report

Frequency of meetings: yearly. In exceptional circumstances, additional meetings may be organised. The annual meeting usually takes place in May or June, and is spread over two days. Meetings on specific topics (see sub-groups) might also be organized. Several ad-hoc workshops associated with dedicated areas in the energy statistics field (Task Force meetings) can also be organized regularly within the framework of the Energy Statistics Working Group.

Selection Procedure (members)

The members of this group are the delegates of the Member States of the European Union (representing national administrations in charge of energy statistics). It is of the competence of each country to decide on who will represent them. The EEA/EFTA Member States participate fully in the group meetings on all EEA relevant matters (also, Switzerland participates fully in the meetings on all Swiss/EU-relevant matters). For the matters which are only EU-relevant, EEA/EFTA states as well as EU official candidate or potential candidate countries hold an observer status within the group. Moreover, European Agencies or other international organizations can also attend the meetings as observers. The following organizations / institutions are currently participating as observers in the group's meetings: EEA (European Environment Agency), Energy Community Secretariat and the IEA (International Energy Agency). Eventually, technical experts may be invited occasionally if this is required by the subjects treated. Type of experts: government bodies.

Internal Rules of Procedure

Expert groups usually operate in an informal setting out without any formal rules of procedure. This is the case for this group.

Members

Type D - Member State Authority

Country		Membership Status
Austria	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Belgium	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Bulgaria	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Croatia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Cyprus	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Czech Republic	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Denmark	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Estonia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Finland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
France	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Germany	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Greece	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Hungary	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Ireland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Italy	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Latvia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Lithuania	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Luxembourg	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Malta	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Netherlands	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Poland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Portugal	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Romania	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovakia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovenia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Spain	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Sweden	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
United Kingdom	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

Type E - Other public entity

Subgroups

Name	Duration	Composition
Energy Statistics Task Force	permanent	
Type D - Member State Authority		
Country	Public Authority	Membership Status
United Kingdom		Member
Sweden		Member
Spain		Member
Slovenia		Member
Slovakia		Member
Romania		Member
Portugal		Member
Poland		Member
Netherlands		Member
Malta		Member
Luxembourg		Member
Lithuania		Member
Latvia		Member
Italy		Member
Ireland		Member
Hungary		Member
Greece		Member
Germany		Member
France		Member
Finland		Member
Estonia		Member
Denmark		Member
Czech Republic		Member
Cyprus		Member
Croatia		Member
Bulgaria		Member
Belgium		Member
Austria		Member

Type E - Other public entity

No members currently attached to the sub-group.

Name	Duration	Composition
Energy Statistics Workshop	permanent	
Type D - Member State Authority		

Country	Public Authority	Membership Status
United Kingdom		Member
Sweden		Member
Spain		Member
Slovenia		Member
Slovakia		Member
Romania		Member
Portugal		Member
Poland		Member
Netherlands		Member
Malta		Member
Luxembourg		Member
Lithuania		Member
Latvia		Member
Italy		Member
Ireland		Member
Hungary		Member
Greece		Member
Germany		Member
France		Member
Finland		Member
Estonia		Member
Denmark		Member
Czech Republic		Member
Cyprus		Member
Croatia		Member
Bulgaria		Member
Belgium		Member
Austria		Member

Type E - Other public entity

No members currently attached to the sub-group.

Statistics

Number of Members: 31

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	28		

Number of Alternate Members: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

Number of Observers: 14

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		