



## Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

### Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Expert group - Directors of macroeconomic statistics (E01515)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** DMES

**Policy Area:** Statistics

**Lead DG:** ESTAT - Eurostat

**Type:** Informal, Permanent

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** to ensure general strategic coordination of national accounts work at an intermediate level between working groups and the European Statistical System Committee and to provide a forum for exchange of views on a range of management issues related to national accounts

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

Coordinate with Member States, exchange of views

**Publication in RegExp:** 03 Oct 2005

**Last updated:** 25 Nov 2016

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

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

<https://circabc.europa.eu/w/browse/8e3574fb-f257-450e-8108-d0deed9e8d6b>

### **Activity Report**

Main activities: the DMES (Directors' group of MacroEconomic Statistics) has a strategic role in orienting and coordinating the work on national accounts and other macro-economic statistics. It acts as an intermediary between the activities at more technical levels and the European Statistical System Committee. The DMES provides a forum for exchange of views on a range of strategic and management issues related to macro-economic statistics. In particular, the DMES is involved at an early stage in the preparation of the annual and multi-annual programmes by identifying new statistical priorities and possible statistical fields where simplification, reprioritisation and/or phasing-out of certain work could be envisaged.

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

The members of this group are the Member States, EFTA and candidate countries. It is for the authority of each country to decide on who will represent them. ECB (European Central Bank) and OECD (Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development) are observers.

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

New Rules of Procedures (RoP) have been adopted at the ESSC meeting in May 2013. Please find the document attached. the group has also a mandate which was updated in the ESSC meeting in November 2014.

[Document 1](#)

(approx. 45 kb)

[Document 2](#)

(approx. 42 kb)

## 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
<b>Task Force on prices and volumes</b>	temporary	
<b>Type D - Member State Authority</b>		
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

Name	Duration	Composition
<b>Task Force on Benchmark Revision Policy</b>	temporary	
<b>Type D - Member State Authority</b>		
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

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**Task Force on European needs for a future SNA** temporary

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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

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## Statistics

### Number of Members: 28

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: 13

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		