Tendency Surveys
developments and plans

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- UNSD led statistical response to the recent crisis
- tendency surveys and composite business cycle indicators identified as an area which is valuable for short-term forecasting and can benefit from international development
- recommendation and road-map to be formulated in Moscow later this week (furthering harmonization and widening the international scope)
Distributed CACIS package

• [https://community.oecd.org/community/cacis](https://community.oecd.org/community/cacis)
• Beta version
• Composite leading/coincident indicator construction
• For benchmarking, or construction of composite indicator variants with the OECD CLI methodology.
CIRET conference

- Hosted by The Conference Board – New York
- Rich programme (4 parallel sessions, luncheon keynote speakers)
- Next conference: in 2012, in Vienna, hosted by the WIFO institute