

"European Network of Multinational Enterprise Coordinators (MNEnet)"

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Background

 2019 DGINS Bratislava conclusions and the European Statistical System Committee (ESSC) recognition:

activities on Multinational Enterprises (MNEs) carried out by the ESS, such as the EuroGroups Register (EGR), European profiling, LCU coordination and Early Warning System (EWS) to be organised in a systematic, coordinated and cost-effective approach, in particular to ensure the data consistency in business and macroeconomic statistics.



MNEnet

Eurostat established the expert group called "European Network of MNE Coordinators (MNEnet)"

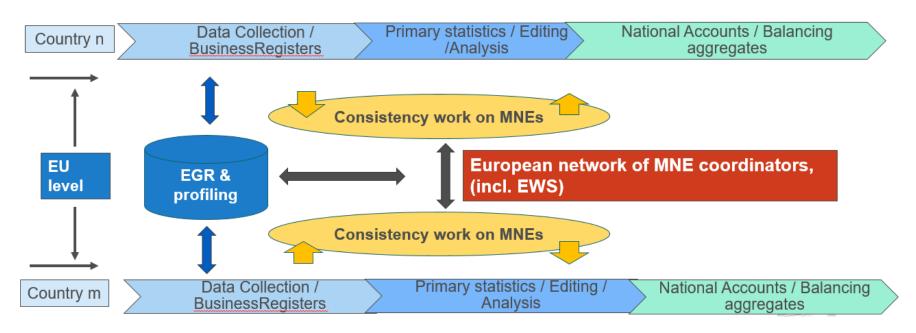
- a virtual Workshop to prepare the launch of the MNEnet group took place on 12 March 2021
- MNEnet members: 27 EU Member States, observers: EEA/EFTA countries
- Planned frequency of meetings: 2 meetings per year



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Final goal: quality of the output

=> ensuring consistency on MNEs data across the statistical production chain





MNEnet is contributing to:

- the improved quality and consistency of the European business and macroeconomic statistics by following harmonized methodological principles
- the enhanced comparability between EU Member States
- the improved quality of economics statistics by capturing and recording restructuring processes of MNEs in a consistent way across domains



MNEnet:

- strengthens the cooperation of the European MNE experts and Large Cases Units to create a network where knowledge, experiences and information are shared
- ensures knowledge flows to all the statistical domains and countries as well as that the information on top MNEs are coherent and consistent



- supports consistency work done by LCUs (or similar organisational structures) and the Early Warning System (EWS)
- assists Eurostat in optimising the organization of the MNEnet and the EWS process



- shares knowledge about the various statistical tools and processes used, such as: Large Cases Units (LCUs), EuroGroups Register (EGR), Interactive Profiling Tool (IPT), Early Warning System (EWS)
- collaborates with other expert groups and domains, addresses the needs of the users



Thank you for your attention!