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Increasing Transparency of Energy Data:

Cooperation, Harmonisation, Dissemination

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Why is there a need for more cooperation between international organisations?

Why is there a need for more cooperation between international organisations?

- Resources: both in countries and organisations
- A need to reduce the reporting burden on member countries
 - One international questionnaire
 - One set of agreed definitions

- A need to be able to show consistent energy data published by international organisations
 - Not necessarily same data to be published
 - But differences can be explained.



Why is there a need for more cooperation between international organisations? (2)

- Joining expertise and forces between organisations
 - Each organisation has strengths and weaknesses
 - Organisations have particular areas of expertise
 - Organisations, like countries, face resources cuts



- Statistics often lack a good image
- Global initiatives draw the attention of policy makers at the highest level
- JODI has certainly contributed to raising profile of energy statistics





International co-operation

Stronger together



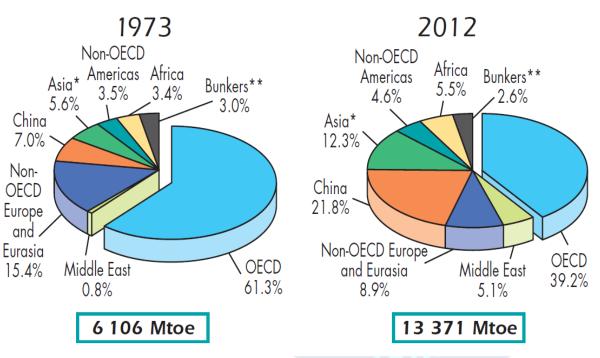
More international cooperation in a changing energy world

- World balance of energy is changing: OECD versus Non-OECD. Data gathering history for most OECD countries much longer than non-OECD.
- Energy markets are more and more global
- An increasing need to be more transparent and to improve the coverage of global energy data
- A need to improve energy data quality: both in OECD and non-OECD countries
- An increasing need for more detailed information

A changing energy world

World balance of energy is changing: OECD versus Non-OECD

1973 and 2012 regional shares of TPES



NON OECD Share

Oil refining:

33% in 1973,

50% in 2012

•Gas production:

29% in 1973,

65% in 2012

Electricity

consumption:

27% in 1973,

52% in 2012,

TPES:

39% in 1973,

61% in 2012,

70% in 2040

Some of the history behind international cooperation

Energy Statistics – Quality problems The symptoms (Early 2000s)

First Signs of Deterioration in Energy Statistics (OECD)

Completeness

- More and more data are estimated
- More and more data are missing and/or confidential
- Less and less details, more aggregation (CHP, public vs. auto producers, ...)

Quality

- Efficiency of power plants > 100%
- Subtotals do not add up to totals
- Large statistical difference (>20%)
- Breaks in time series no revisions in time series
- "Other sectors" often used as a balancing item.

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More and more time to collect, process, check and release data

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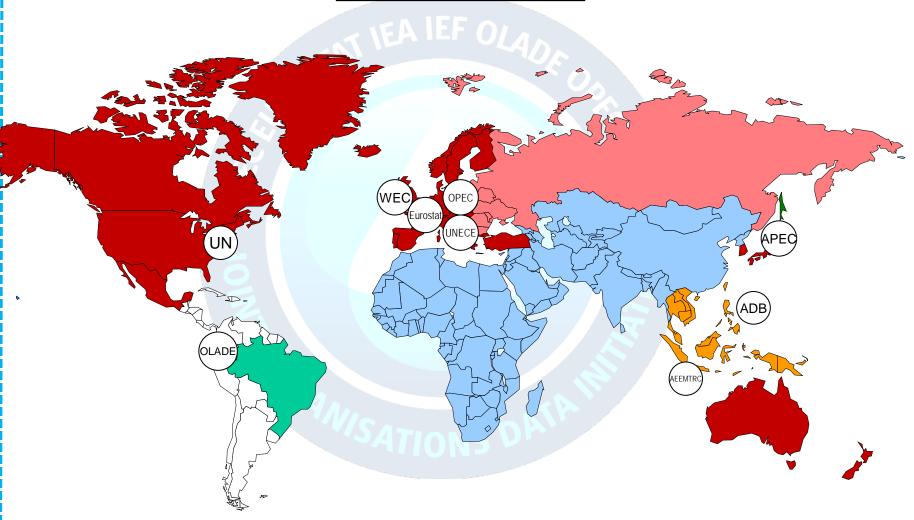
The reasons for decreasing data quality

New developments make the tasks of statisticians much harder

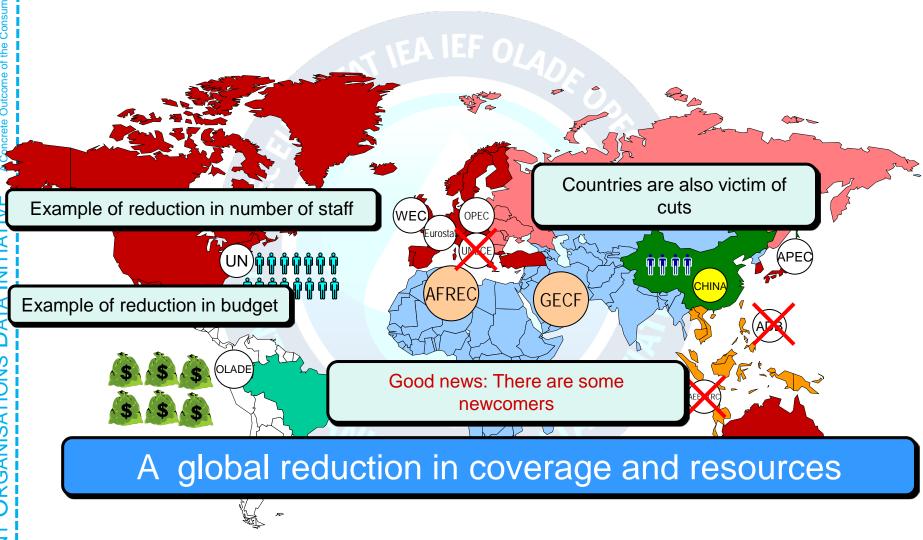
- Liberalisation of the market:
 - From one company to hundreds
- Confidentiality (linked to liberalisation)
- More work passed to statistics offices:
 - More companies to survey (liberalisation)
 - Renewables (remote information)
 - Energy efficiency indicators (including socio-economic data)
 - Environment (estimation of GHG emissions,)
- Resources do not follow work load:
 - Statistics still have a low profile, budget cuts
- Fast turnover in staff: Lack of experience, continuity

The problem was shared by many organisations

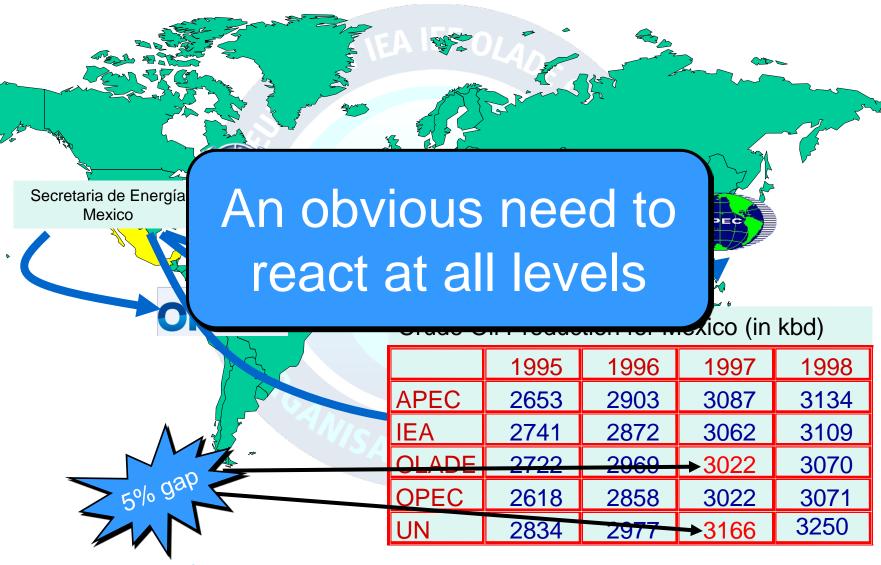
The Past Situation:



The Problem was Shared by Many Organisations



A lack of resources, but also a lack of harmonization and co-operation



Organisations started to react

IEA an example: A quick reaction in order to reverse the trends

At the political level:

- Several presentations on the situation at the Governing Board
- Transparency and statistics were also high on the agenda of the Ministerial Meeting in May 2005

Recognition/Commitment/Resources

Investment started to pay back:
More timely, more complete, more reliable data

At the technical level:

- Release of an Energy Statistics Manual (together with Eurostat)
- > Training of statisticians from Member / Non-Member countries
- A series of meetings with Member countries

Expertise/Recognition/Commitment

The concern expressed by the IEA was echoed by several organisations

- At International Energy Forum Meetings
- By UNSD at the 36th Session of the UN Statistical Commission where energy was in the spotlight of the Commission
 - This led to the Ad-hoc Energy Group Meeting (23-25 May 2005, UN, New York) and the recommendation to establish the Oslo City Group and an Inter-Secretariat Working Group

Cooperation encompasses various aspects



Development of energy statistics

Harmonising questionnaires







Launching joint initiatives

Writing common manuals

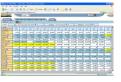




Joint training sessions

Exchanging statistics and information





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Several initiatives for better harmonisation and cooperation

- ✓ Eurostat IEA UNECE cooperation longstanding!
- ▼ The JODI Joint Organisations Data Initiative
- APEC decided (in 2005) to align their annual questionnaires with those of IEA/Eurostat/UNECE
- AFREC established (in 2008) and working towards a similar statistics approach on 5 questionnaires
- ✓ Joint capacity building and training
- ✓ Oslo City Group
- ✓ InterEnerStat



Global initiatives

InterEnerStat

International Energy Statistics initiative started by the IEA in 2005 gathering together 20+ organisations with the objective to improve the overall quality of global energy statistics through a strengthening of international cooperation

Participants:

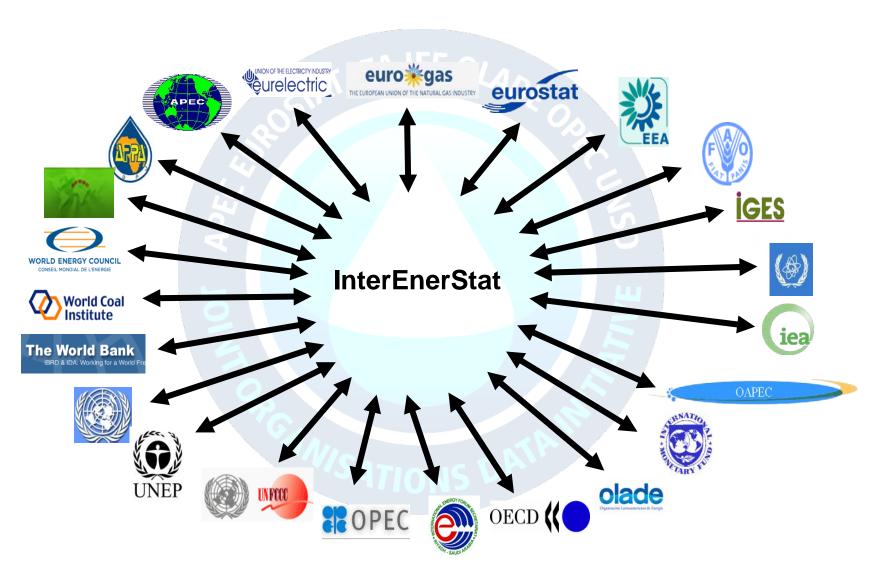
24 major regional and international organisations. Both data providers (IEA, UNSD, OPEC, Eurostat, FAO) and users (WB, IMF, UNFCCC,...)

Objective:

To improve the overall quality of global energy statistics through a stronger international cooperation

Organisations involved in the process

First meeting held in 2005



Participants Agreed on a Communiqué



IEA/PRESS(05)24 Paris, 29 November 2005

International Energy Statistics Meeting

Twenty-four major regional and international organisations, either collecting or using energy statistics, convened in Paris at the International Energy Statistics (InterEnerStat) meeting hosted by the International Energy Agency (IEA) on 22-23 November 2005.

The objective of the meeting was twofold: to share experience and to explore avenues of further cooperation.

The organisations shared positive experiences and challenges encountered in the development and maintenance of strong and reliable energy statistics. Although there was broad acknowledgement of

Participating Organisations:

African Energy Commission (AFREC), Asian Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC), African Petroleum Producers Association (APPA), EURELECTRIC, Eurogas, European Commission — Eurostat, European Environment Agency (EEA), Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO), International Atomic Energy Agency (IEA), International Energy Agency (IEA), International Energy Forum Secretariat (IEFS), International Monetary Fund (IMF), Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), Organisation of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC), Organisation of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Latin American Energy Organisation (OLADE), Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC), United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE), United Nations Framework Convention on Climate

Building on successful cooperation and harmonisation initiatives, such as the recent launch of the JODI World Database, participants agreed to:

- Seek stronger political will and commitment to increase quality of energy reporting;
- Strengthen the exchange of information and expertise;
- Emphasise capacity building and training;
- Further harmonise methodologies, terminologies and definitions; and
- Meet at regular intervals on a rotational basis to review progress.

with the proper resources.

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Two Clear Requests

Harmonisation

- Methodologies
- Definitions
- Units
- Conversion factors
- Harmonised demands and questionnaires
- Handbooks and manuals
- Training
- Quality framework

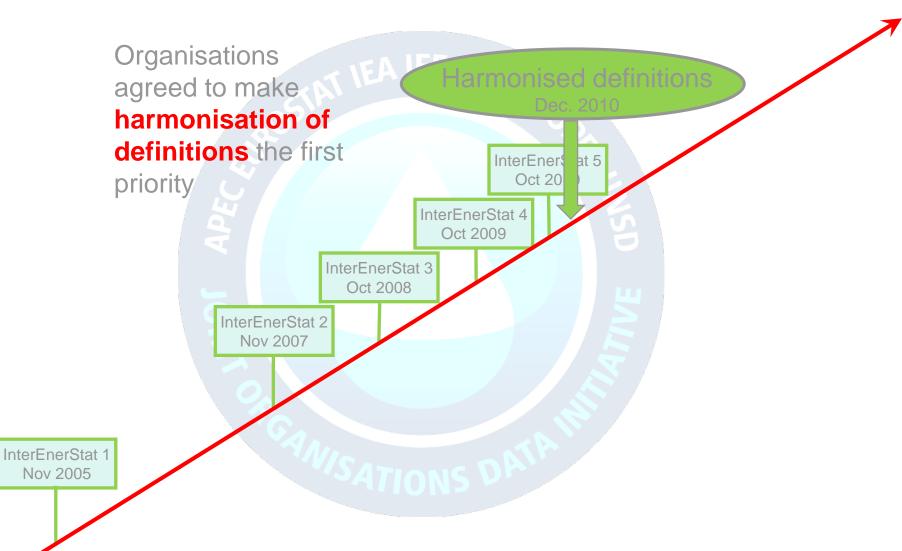
Co-operation

- political awareness
- Harmonisation
- Joint Questionnaires

Joint Training

- Common manuals
- Joint quality assessment
- Exchange of data

Timeline





Definitions Products + Coal □ Oil Crude Oil ■ Natural Gas Liquids (NGL) Refinery Feedstocks + Additives/Oxygenates ■ Bituminous Sands Other Hydrocarbons Refinery Gas (not liquified) ■ Ethane ☐ Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG) Naphtha H Motor Gasoline Aviation Gasoline ■ Gasoline Type Jet Fuel ■ Kerosene Type Jet Fuel Other Kerosene → Gas/Diesel Oil (Distillate Fuel + Fuel Oil ■ White Spirit and SBP ■ Lubricants Parafin Waxes Petroleum Coke Other Products Orimulsion ■ Tar Sand ■ Shale Oil Bitumen

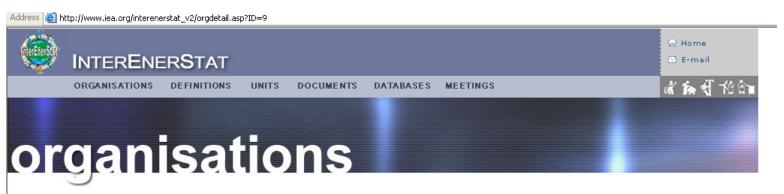
Natural Gas

+ Renewables

range or part of this range.

UNSD Energy Statistics Section

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Europear	n Commission - Eurostat
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Latin Am	erican Organisation for Energy (OLADE)
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Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC)



Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation, or APEC, is the premier forum for facilitating economic growth, cooperation, trade and investment in the Asia-Pacific region. APEC is the only inter governmental grouping in the world operating on the basis of non-binding commitments, open dialogue and equal respect for the views of all participants. Unlike the WTO or other multilateral trade bodies, APEC has no treaty obligations required of its participants. Decisions made within APEC are reached by consensus and commitments are undertaken on a voluntary basis.

The APEC Energy Working Group (EWG) is a voluntary, regional-based forum operating under the APEC umbrella. EWG helps further APEC goals to facilitate energy trade and investment, and ensure that energy contributes to the economic, social and environmental enhancement of the APEC community.

The Expert Group on Energy Data and Analysis (EGEDA) is responsible for providing policy relevant energy information to APEC bodies and the wider community, through collecting energy data of the APEC region, managing the operation of the APEC Energy Database through the Coordinating Agency, collecting policy relevant information from member economies, and examining and advising on the research activities of the Asia Pacific Energy Research Centre (APERC).

APEC?s Energy Working Group, launched in 1990, seeks to maximize the energy sector's contribution to the region's economic and social well-being, while mitigating the environmental effects of energy supply and use.

Key energy statistics activities:

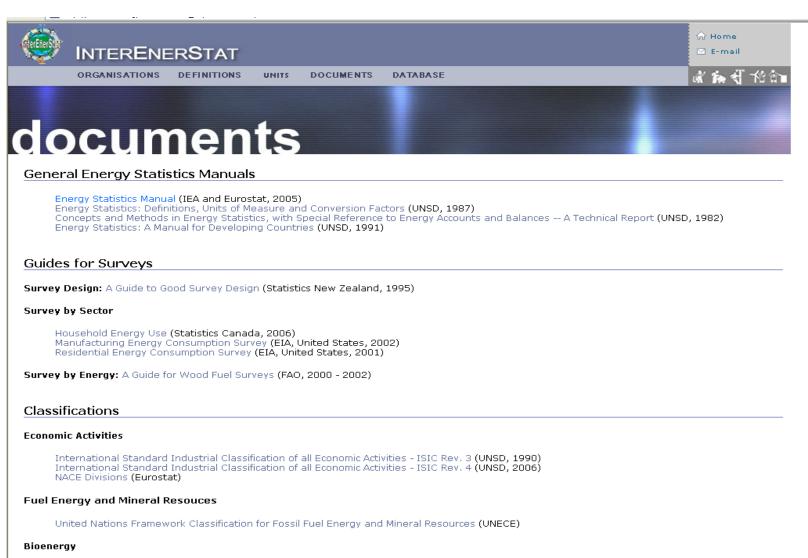
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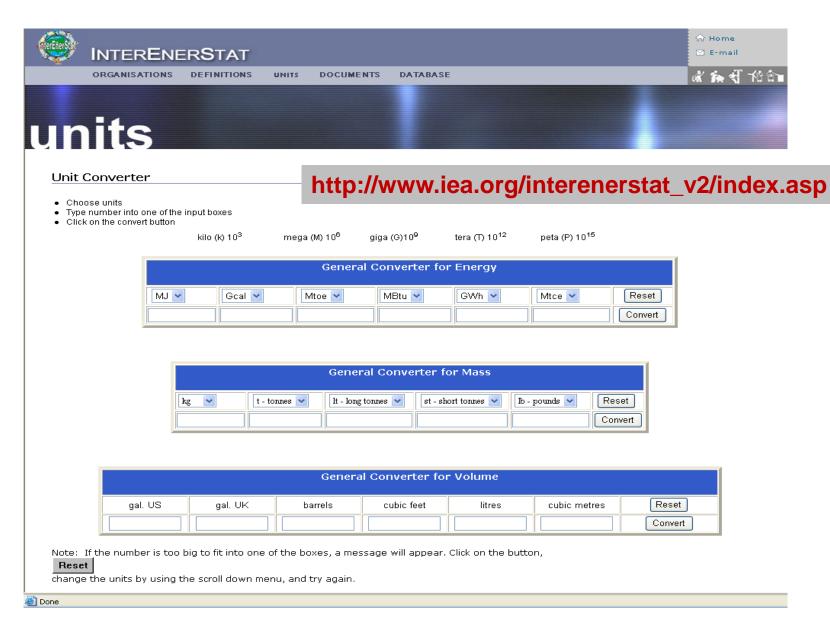
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UBET - Unified Bioenergy Terminology (FAQ)

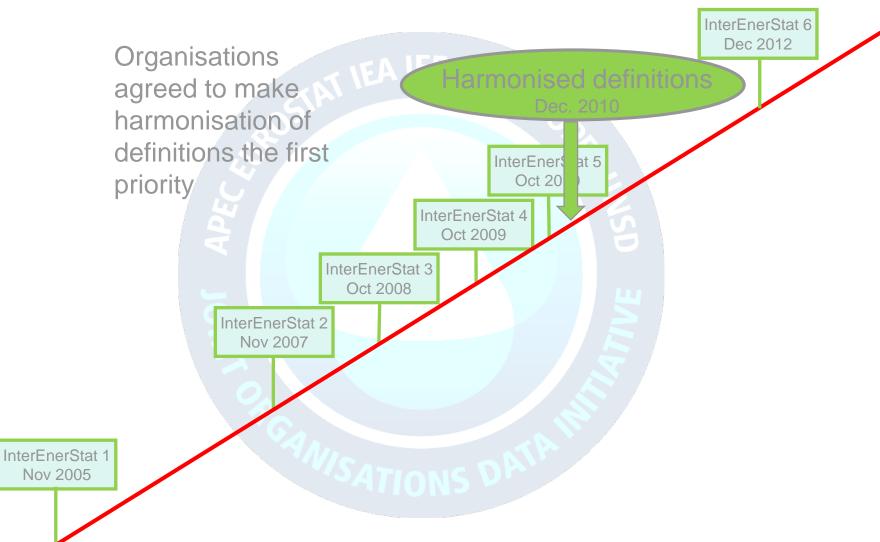


Agreement on harmonised definitions reached at the end of 2010 after 5 years of negotiations



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The 6th InterEnerStat Meeting



IEA, Paris, 4-5, December 2012

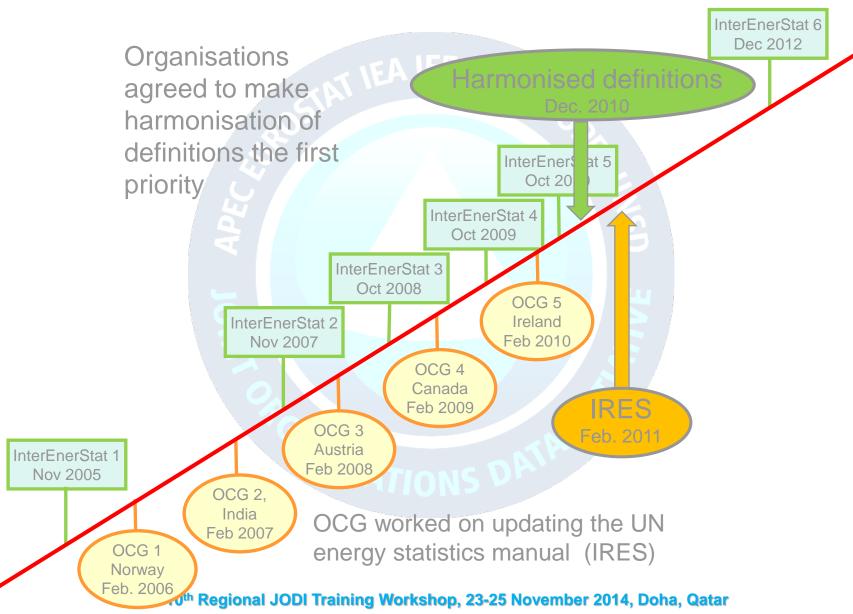


In parallel the Oslo City Group was very active

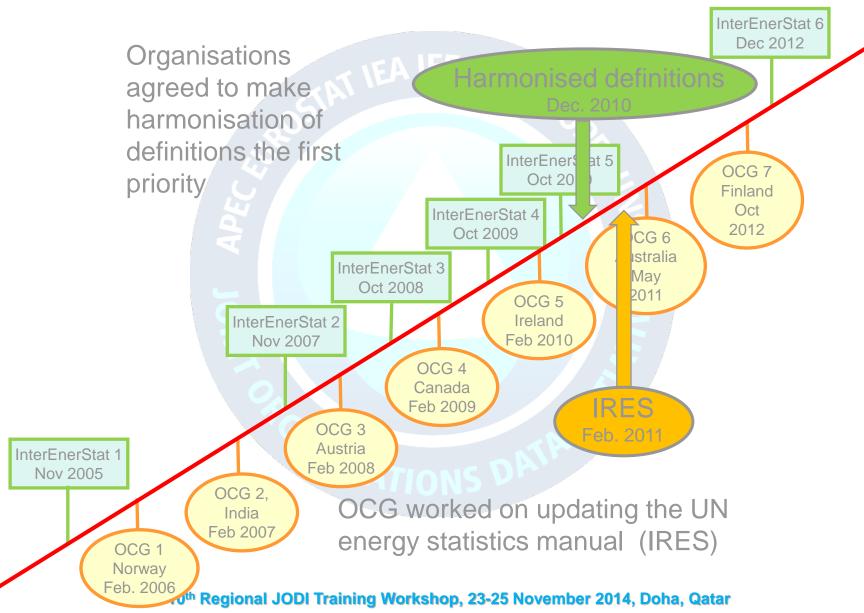


- User needs for energy statistics
- Scope of official energy statistics
- National good practices
- Selected methodological and quality problems
- Needs for harmonization of energy statistics systems
- Key content provider for International Recommendation on Energy Statistics (IRES - Feb 2011) and Energy Statistics Compilers Manual (ESCM – 2014?)
- Methods for improving consistency in different statistical systems and reducing response burden

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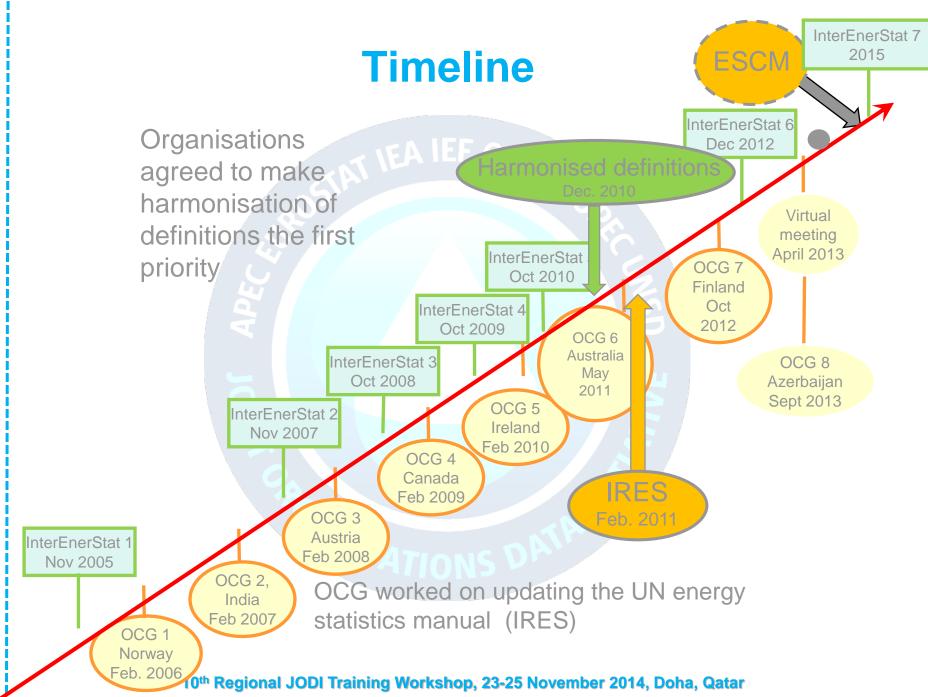
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Energy Statistics Compilers Manual (ESCM)



- Intended to:
 - provide practical guidance on compilation of energy statistics, balances and accounts
 - provide more detailed guidance on recommendations contained in IRES
 - reflect successful country practices
- Prepared by UNSD in cooperation with Oslo Group and other expert groups
- Is part of the implementation of IRES as approved by the UN Statistical Commission



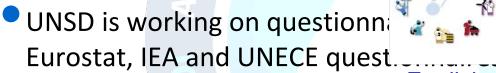
Other examples of Harmonisation: Training, manuals, questionnaires







- Jodi Manuals
- Jodi Training (Caracas, Johannesk
- Joint IEA-Eurostat Manual





- APEC has mostly adopted the joint EA-Eurostat-UNECE Russian questionnaires. Representatives from international organisations invited at APEC training
- AFREC has started to use a WEC-IEA designed questionnaire.
 Representatives from international organisations invited at APEC training

Harmonisation and Cooperation

Definitions:

 InterEnerStat – international organisations (both providers and users of energy data)



Methodologies:

 Oslo City Group – countries plus a few international organisations (UNSD, IEA, Eurostat, IAEA, IMF)

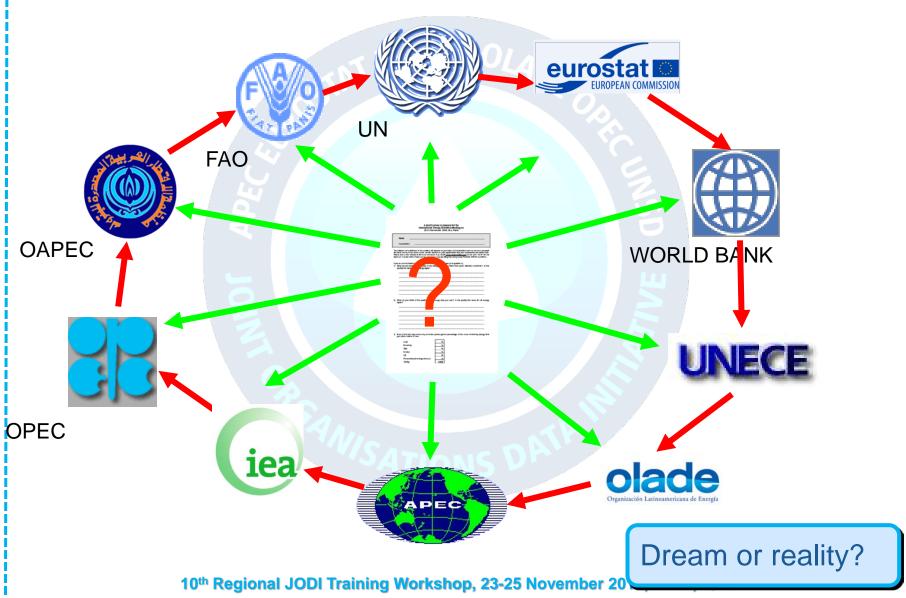


- Joint capacity building and training
 - Joint Manuals: IEA/Eurostat, JODI manuals, input UN IRES and UN ESCM



- JODI training, AFREC, APEC, OLADE etc
- What is next?
 - And....

The ultimate goal would be to have one questionnaire common to all countries and organisations



A few words to conclude

- Harmonisation does not happen overnight. It needs time, effort, resources and commitment.
- A lot has been achieved: agreement on product and flow definitions (InterEnerStat and IRES and ESCM)
- Several joint initiatives: JODI Oil and JODI Gas
- Joint training and capacity building
- Underlying principle: evolution not revolution. The main objective is to support energy policy and energy analysis.
- Further cooperation includes joint training material (open university) with on-the-shelf training material (experience of OLADE in on-line training very valuable)

Thank you

For more information: www.jodidata.org















