

FY24 Work Plan May 2023 to April 2024: Real Sector Statistics (RSS)

TA Area	Objective	Country	Outcome Targeted	Activity	May 2023 - April 2024 (in person-days)			Number of Missions/ Activities	Milestones	Comments	Planned Date	Experts
					PFTAC resident advisors	ST experts	Total					
Real Sector Statistics	Strengthen compilation and dissemination of real sector statistics- national accounts	Cook Islands	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Training new National Accounts staff and improving deflator methodology	-	15	15	1	NA staff better trained & more confident & recommendations from previous visit implemented	NA staff are all entirely new to NA and require support in first year	Nov 13 - 24, 2023	Krishna
			A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Compilation of Balance of Payments statistics	-	8	8	1	BoP available to 2022. Net Errors for recent years reduced	BoP available to 2021. Net Errors for recent years up to 90% of imports	Jul 24 - 28, 2023	HQX - Angulo
		Fiji	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Rebasing national accounts to HIES 2019-20	10	-	10	1	National Accounts include 2019-20 HIES	National Accounts do not include 2019-20 HIES	Jul 31 - Aug 11, 2023	Powell
			A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Reducing statistical discrepancy for BoP	-	15	15	1	A lower Statistical Discrepancy	Current BoP discrepancy Circa 8%	Aug 14 - 25, 2023	HQX - Borys
		Kiribati	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Rebase GDP - new benchmark	-	15	15	1	GDP based on New Benchmark	GDP based on old Benchmark	Oct 16 - 21, 2023	McAllister
			A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Update GDP 2022	7	-	7	1	GDP updated to 2022	GDP not updated to 2022	Sep 11 - 22, 2023	Powell
		Nauru	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Updating national accounts to 2021-22	12	-	12	1	GDP updated to 2021-2022 & compilation system improved	GDP not updated to 2021-2022 & compilation system opaque	Jul 3 - 14, 2023	Powell
		Niue	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	New GDP Benchmarks - Data Sources	-	15	15	1	Sources for new GDP benchmarks prepared	Sources for new GDP benchmarks not prepared	Mar 4 - 15, 2024	Freeman
			A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Update GDP 2021-22	10	-	10	1	GDP updated to 2021-2022	GDP not updated to 2021-2022	Oct 30 - Nov 10, 2023	Powell
			A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	New GDP Benchmarks - Publication	-	15	15	1	GDP series with new Benchmarks Published	GDP series with new Benchmarks not Published	Jul 17 - 28, 2023	Freeman
		Palau	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Develop Producer Price Index (PPI)	-	20	20	1	Office of Planning & Statistics has begun new data collection	Office of Planning & Statistics has not begun new data collection	Nov 27 - Dec 8, 2023	Draper
		PNG	Staff capacity increased through training, especially on developing source data, compilation methods, and dissemination.	Improve timeliness of GDP production	12	-	12	1	Implementation of FY23 recommendations started	Scoping mission to identify the most appropriate form of engagement will report end of FY23	Mar 18 - 29, 2024	Powell
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		Samoa	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Reduce Expenditure/Production discrepancy and provide recommendations for Supply & Use table development	-	15	15	1	GDP discrepancy lower	GDP discrepancy almost 10% of GDP	Aug 21 - Sep 1, 2023	STX
Solomon Islands	Improved periodicity, timeliness, and consistency of data.	Updating Quarterly GDP	12	-	12	1	Quarterly GDP prepared up to 2023Q1 and regular production started	Quarterly GDP prepared internally up to 2022Q1	Jun 3 - 14, 2023	Powell		

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		Tokelau	A new data set has been compiled and disseminated internally and/or to the public.	Updating national accounts	-	15	15	1	More recent GDP estimates	Latest GDP estimate for 2015	Jul 10 - 21, 2023	Krishna
		Tonga	Improved periodicity, timeliness, and consistency of data.	Maintaining Annual GDP Production	12	-	12	1	Annual Estimate for 2020-21 prepared and QNA compiler better able to deliver annual accounts	The head of Economic Statistics & the Annual National Accounts Compiler have recently left leaving the Quarterly National Accounts Compiler to prepare the 2021-22 Annual Estimates	Jun 5 - 16, 2023	Powell
		Tuvalu	Improved periodicity, timeliness, and consistency of data.	Updating national accounts to 2022	-	15	15	1	2022 GDP available	2022 GDP not available	May 29 - Jun 9, 2023	Andrews
		Vanuatu	Improved periodicity, timeliness, and consistency of data.	Preparing Vanuatu for Rebasing	12	-	12	1	Plan for incorporating new Datasets and releasing benchmark established	Vanuatu has recently completed several new surveys that must be processed for establishing a new GDP benchmark	Feb 26 - Mar 8, 2024	Powell
		Regional	Staff capacity increased through training, especially on developing source data, compilation methods, and dissemination.	Workshop on Annual National Accounts (ANA)	7	7	14	1	Workshop held	Workshop not held	Aug 27 - Sep 1, 2023	Powell/ Pegoue
<b>Total Days:</b>					<b>118</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>21</b>				