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II. H.HEADER DATA

III. 0. PREREQUISITES

A. 0.2 Resources

0.2.1 Staff, facilities, computing resources, and financing (Encouraged)

[Staff, facilities, computing resources, and financing for statistical programs currently available as well as what would be required for programmed statistical outputs.]

Five staffs in Foreign exchange regulation and balance of payments department of the Central Bank of the Republic of Uzbekistan compile balance of payments statistics of Uzbekistan.

IV. 2. METHODOLOGY

A. 2.1 Concepts and definitions

2.1.1 Concepts and definitions (Required)

[Degree to which the overall structure of concepts and definitions follows internationally accepted standards, guidelines, or good practices.]

Foreign exchange regulation and balance of payments department of the Central Bank of the Republic of Uzbekistan compiles balance of payments data of Uzbekistan in accordance with the methodology recommended in the IMF's *Balance of Payments Manual 6*.

B. 2.2 Scope

2.2.1 Scope (Required)

2.2.1.1 *Scope of the data*

[Scope of the data.]

All known international transactions of Uzbekistan are covered.

2.2.1.2 *Exceptions to coverage*

[Exceptions to coverage.]

No known exceptions to coverage.

2.2.1.3 *Unrecorded activity*

[Unrecorded activity.]

C. 2.3 Classification/sectorization

2.3.1 Classification/sectorization (Required as relevant to data category)

[Broad consistency of classification/sectorization systems used with internationally accepted standards, guidelines, or good practices.]

Classification/sectorization used is taken from the IMF's *Balance of Payments Manual 6*.

D. 2.4 Basis for recording

2.4.1 Valuation (Required as relevant to data category)

[Types of prices (market, historical, administrative, basic, purchasers', producer, etc.) used to value flows and stocks.]

Balance of payments data present exports on f.o.b. basis, and imports on f.o.b. basis estimated from customs data on imports on c.i.f. basis.

2.4.2 Recording basis (Required as relevant to data category)

[Degree to which recording meets requirements for accrual accounting.]

Accrual basis with some adjustments.

2.4.3 Grossing/netting procedures (Encouraged)

[Broad consistency of grossing/netting procedures with internationally accepted standards, guidelines, or good practices.]

V. 3. ACCURACY AND RELIABILITY

A. 3.1 Source data

3.1.1 Source data collection programs (Required)

[Comprehensiveness of source data from administrative and survey data collection programs, and appropriateness of the collection modality for country-specific conditions.]

Following source data are used on the different components of the balance of payments.

Merchandise exports and imports—from Customs Committee, Central bank of Uzbekistan, National airplane company, border surveys.

Services—base data prepared by the State Committee of the Republic of Uzbekistan on Statistics complemented by data from National airplane company, National railroad company and leasing companies.

Capital accounts data—Data on Foreign Direct Investment as prepared by survey on foreign investment conducted by the State Committee of the Republic of Uzbekistan on Statistics complemented by data obtained from PSA companies investments and repayments. Data on government and government-guaranteed foreign loans as prepared by the Ministry of Finance, and data on non-guaranteed loans as prepared by the Central Bank of Uzbekistan. Data on movements on correspondent accounts of commercial banks of Uzbekistan and foreign banks correspondent accounts opened in Uzbekistan.

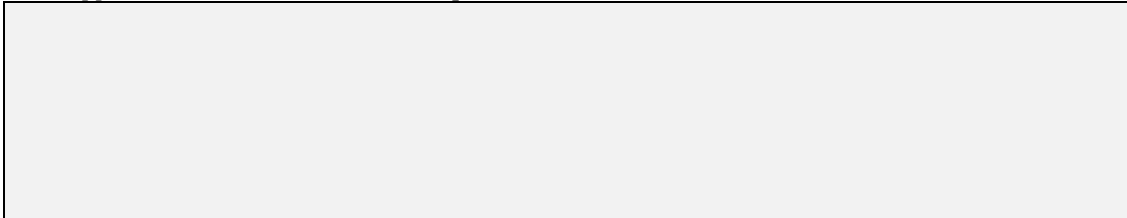
3.1.2 Source data definitions, scope, sectorization, classifications, valuation, and time of recording (Encouraged)

[Degree to which source data approximate definitions, scope, sectorization, classifications, valuation, and time of recording required (as described in 2.1.1-2.4.3).]



3.1.3 Source data timeliness (Encouraged)

[Source data timeliness relative to what is required for producing statistical outputs whose timeliness meets applicable data standard (SDDS requirements or GDDS recommendations).]



B. 3.2 Assessment of source data

3.2.1 Source data assessment (Encouraged)

[Routine assessment of source data—including censuses, sample surveys, and administrative records (e.g., for coverage, sample error, response error, and nonsampling error); whether assessment results are monitored; how results are used to guide statistical processes.]



C. 3.3 Statistical techniques

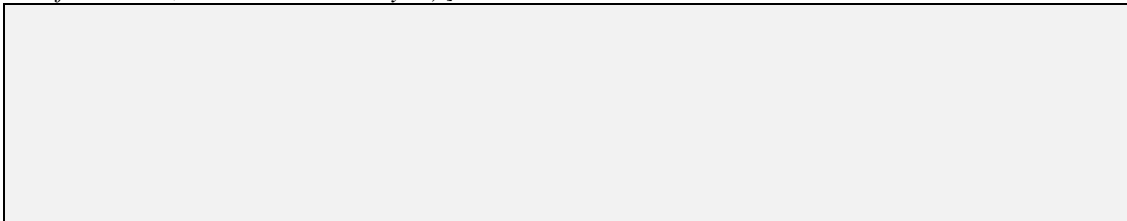
3.3.1 Source data statistical techniques (Required as relevant to data category)

[Statistical techniques in data compilation to deal with data sources (e.g., to align them with target concepts from 2.1.1).]

Adjustments to data are carried out before they are used in compilation. Imports f.o.b. are estimated by using survey of freight forwarding enterprises based on weight and country of shipment of goods. Insurance costs are calculated as a ratio to the price of the goods.

3.3.2 Other statistical procedures (Required as relevant to data category)

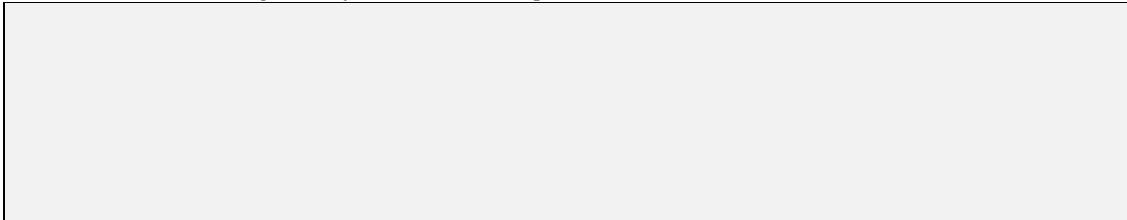
[Statistical techniques employed in other statistical procedures (e.g., data adjustments and transformations, and statistical analysis).]



D. 3.4 Data validation

3.4.1 Validation of intermediate results (Encouraged)

[Assessment and investigation of statistical discrepancies in intermediate data.]



3.4.2 Assessment of intermediate data (Encouraged)

[Assessment and investigation of statistical discrepancies in intermediate data.]



3.4.3 Assessment of discrepancies and other problems in statistical outputs (Encouraged)

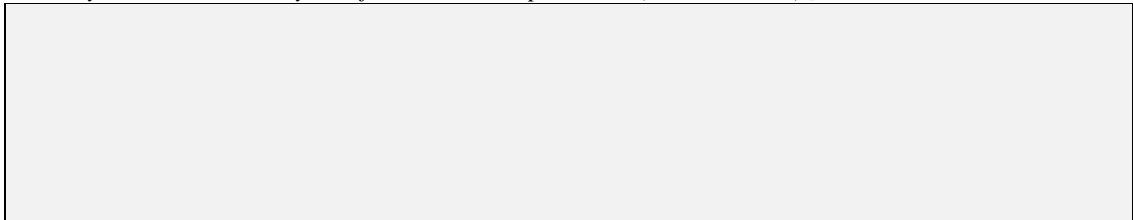
[Investigation of statistical discrepancies and other potential indicators of problems in statistical outputs.]



E. 3.5 Revision studies

3.5.1 Revision studies and analyses (Encouraged)

[Periodicity with which studies and analyses of revisions and/or updates are carried out; whether and how they are used internally to inform statistical processes (see also 4.3.3).]

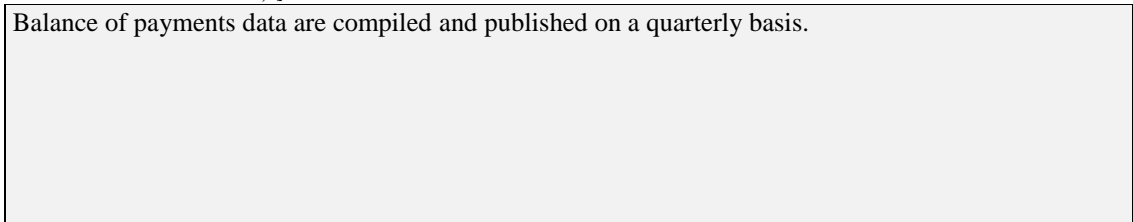


VI. 4. SERVICEABILITY

A. 4.1 Periodicity and timeliness

4.1.1 Periodicity (Required)

[Periodicity of statistical outputs relative to applicable dissemination standard (SDDS requirement or GDDS recommendation).]



4.1.2 Timeliness (Required)

[Timeliness of statistical outputs relative to applicable dissemination standard (SDDS requirement or GDDS recommendation).]

Balance of payments data is published on quarterly basis.

B. 4.2 Consistency

4.2.1 Internal consistency (Required as relevant to data category)

[Consistency of statistics within the dataset.]

4.2.2 Temporal consistency (Encouraged)

[Consistency or reconcilability of statistics over a reasonable period of time.]

4.2.3 Intersectoral and cross-domain consistency (Encouraged)

[Consistency or reconcilability of statistics with those obtained through other data sources and/or statistical frameworks.]

C. 4.3 Revision

4.3.1 Revision and/or update schedule (Required)

[Transparency and regularity of revision/update schedule.]

Balance of payments data can be revised, every quarter when new publication is issued depending on the availability of new information pertinent to previous periods.

4.3.2 Identification of preliminary and/or revised/updated data (Required)

[Identification of preliminary and/or revised/updated data.]

When data is revised it is indicated in the publication with explanations to changes that were made.

4.3.3 Dissemination of revision studies and analyses (Encouraged)

[Dissemination of revision studies and analyses (see also 3.5.1).]

VII. 5. ACCESSIBILITY

A. 5.1 Data

5.1.1 Statistical presentation (Required)

[Statistics are presented in a way that facilitates proper interpretation and meaningful comparisons (layout and clarity of text, tables, and charts).]

Balance of payments data are compiled in a standard format and provided to the public in the form of a publication to facilitate understanding of changes in the economic and their implications.

5.1.2 Dissemination media and format (Required)

5.1.2.1 Hard copy - New release

[Hard copy - New release.]

Publication is released in pdf and word formats and downloadable from web page of the Central bank.

5.1.2.2 Hard copy - Weekly bulletin

[Hard copy - Weekly bulletin.]

5.1.2.3 Hard copy - Monthly Bulletin

[Hard copy - Monthly Bulletin.]

5.1.2.4 Hard copy - Quarterly bulletin

[Hard copy - Quarterly bulletin.]

5.1.2.5 Hard copy - Other

[Hard copy - Other.]

5.1.2.6 Electronic - On-line bulletin or data

[Electronic - On-line bulletin or data.]

Publication is released in pdf and word formats and downloadable from web page of the Central bank.

5.1.2.7 Electronic - Other

[Electronic - Other.]

Publication is released in pdf and word formats and downloadable from web page of the Central bank.

5.1.5 Dissemination on request (Encouraged)

[Dissemination on request of unpublished but non-confidential statistics.]

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B. 5.2 Metadata

5.2.1 Dissemination of documentation on concepts, scope, classifications, basis of recording, data sources, and statistical techniques (Required)

[Dissemination of documentation on concepts, scope, classifications, basis of recording, data sources, and statistical techniques, including annotation of differences from internationally accepted standards, guidelines.]

Methodological notes explaining compilation practices are published with every publication.

VIII. 9. PLANS

A. 9.1 Recent

9.1.1 Plans for improvement - Recent improvements

[Plans for improvement - Recent improvements.]

Compilation of balance of payments for 2016-2017 in March 2018.

B. 9.2 General

9.2.1 Plans for improvement - Short-term

[Plans for improvement - Short-term.]

Compilation of balance of payments for 2016-2017 in March 2018.

9.2.2 Plans for improvement - Medium-term

[Plans for improvement - Medium-term.]

C. 9.3 Financial

9.3.1 Plans for improvement - TA/financing needs - Short-term

[Plans for improvement - TA/financing needs - Short-term.]

Support is being provided by the IMF in the form of short term expert visits and training to the personnel.

9.3.2 Plans for improvement - TA/financing needs - Medium-term

[Plans for improvement - TA/financing needs - Medium-term.]

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