

# **SIAP** Information

### Statistical Analysis of Disaggregated SDG Indicators for Inclusive Development Policies [21 May-13 July 2018] Chiba, Japan]



Eighteen statisticians from 18 countries are attending this course. The participants are from: (i) *Asia & Pacific*- Bangladesh, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Thailand and Viet Nam; *West Asia*- Iraq; Southeastern Europe : Albania; *Africa*– Egypt, Ghana, Kenya, Malawi, Mali, Sierra Leon and Sudan.

The two month training program is to strengthen capacity to produce SDG indicators and relevant economic, social, and environment statistics that facilitate the analysis of disparities and monitoring of impacts of inclusive development policies and programs.

Country Reports were presented by the participants, bringing out geographical details of the countries, major government institutions, official statistical system in the country and status of compilations of SDG indicators. The course has so far taken up discussion on Sustainable Development Goal global indicator frame work, Data and Statistics needed for compilation of these indicators, concepts and measurement of inclusive development, compilation of the indicators preparing data for measurement of disaggregated SDG indicators; and sample design in agricultural and other surveys. Trainees have started the work on projects on disparities in development outcomes focusing on SDG indicators.

## **Events Highlights**

Workshop of Quality on Statistics for Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) Indicators [23-25 April 2018 | Chiba, Japan]



The workshop provided an opportunity to participants to learn basic concepts and frameworks for the quality of statistics through hands-on sessions, with the overall aim of enhancing the capacity to produce a set of quality statistics including indicators, to track and monitor Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

#### Regional Training Course on Agricultural Costs of Production Statistics [23–27 April 2018 | Daejeon, Republic of Korea ]

This training course has been conducted to strengthen the technical capacity of statistics producers to apply relevant internationals, comparable methods and standards in the compilation of agricultural cost of production statistics.

Twenty participants from following countries attended the course; Bangladesh, Cambodia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia Nepal, Papua New Guinea, Republic of Korea Thailand and Viet Nam.

#### Regional Course on Statistical Business Registers: Data sources, maintenance and quality assurance [Online Module: 9-16 May, Face-to-Face Module: 21-25 May, Perak, Malaysia]

The training course was conducted in collaboration with Department of Statistics, Malaysia and the ESCAP Statistics Division. Twenty seven participants from the following 7 countries attended the programme; Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Sir Lanka, Thailand and Viet Nam.

The objective of the workshop was to help countries in the early stages of establishing statistical business registers to provide a platform for demonstrating good practices and exchanging experiences in the improvement, maintenance and use of statistical business registers.

# On going & Coming up Events

- ⇒ e-Learning course on Introduction to Official Statistics [9 May—5 June 2018]
- ⇒ e-Learning course on Food Balance Sheet [21 May – 14 June]
- ⇒ e-Learning course on R for Official Statistics [11 – 22 June 2018]
- ⇒ Regional Training Course on Big Data for Sustainable Development [25 – 29 June 2018, Daejeon, Republic of Korea]