Linking Iran and Dual-Participation Countries

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Linking Iran

Iran (IRN) has been linked through different approaches during previous ICP rounds

- **ICP 2005**: Linking through Asia and the Pacific
- **ICP 2011**: Linking through Turkey (Eurostat-OECD)

For ICP 2017, Iran is linked through Western Asia (WAS)

- WAS results are calculated with and without Iran
- WAS is linked to global results without Iran
- Iran is linked through WAS global results
- WAS regional results are not impacted by the linking approach and Iran will not be presented as part of the WAS results, but separately as a “Special participation country” together with GEO and UKR.
Linking Dual-Participation Countries

Dual-participation countries participate in more than one region: Egypt (EGY) [AFR/WAS]; Sudan (SUD) [AFR/WAS]; Morocco (MAR) [AFR/WAS]; Russia (RUS) [CIS/EUO]

Linking EGY; SUD; MAR

- Published global PPPs are geometric means of respective global PPPs in AFR and WAS regions
- Dual participation complicates the global linking process, especially linking exception headings

Linking RUS

- Results for RUS will be per their results within EUO; RUS results within CIS are only used for linking CIS to global results
THANK YOU