3rd Meeting of the PPP Compilation and Computation Task Force

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Draft Agenda

Thursday, September 27, 2018

14:00 – 14:15 Introductory remarks
   – Recommendations from the 2nd Meeting of the ICP Technical Advisory Group, Erwin Diewert, University of British Columbia

14:15 – 16:00 Review of the ICP 2017, interim and extrapolation data submitted to date
   – Submission status, coverage and quality, Global ICP Unit, World Bank

16:00 – 17:00 Building PPP timeseries for the interim period
   – Refined proposal for producing “interpolated” PPP time-series for the years between reference year comparisons, Prasada Rao, The University of Queensland and Hitotsubashi Institute for Advanced Study
   – Alternative Methods for Interpolating PPPs, Erwin Diewert, University of British Columbia

Friday, September 28, 2018

09:00 – 10:00 Recalculating ICP 2011 results
   – Eurostat PPP revision exercise, Paulus Konijn, Eurostat
   – Process and requirements, Yuri Dikhanov, Global ICP Unit, World Bank

10:00 – 11:00 Productivity adjustment for government
   – Impact of relying on new data sources for estimating productivity adjustment factors, Robert Inklaar, University of Groningen

11:00 – 11:30 Substitution bias in the CPD results
   – Checking for substitution bias in the CPD results, Robert Hill, University of Graz

11:30 – 12:00 Conclusions and recommendations, Erwin Diewert, University of British Columbia