

# **Planning for the ICP 2024 cycle**

**International Comparison Program (ICP)  
Inter-Agency Coordination Group (IACG) Meeting**

# Outline

- **ICP 2024 Item Lists**
- **COICOP 2018 update**



# ICP 2024 Item Lists

# ICP 2024 Household Consumption: Item List

- **ICP 2021 item list:**
  - 636 Global core list items; 633 items priced by at least two ICP regions
- **ICP 2024 item list:**
  - Update “philosophy”, only necessarily updates
  - Approx. 70 **new item** proposals based on existing regional “overlap” items (subject to review and possible edits)
  - **Motor cars and Motorcycles:** review the list composition for types of vehicles | keep the same make and model for the most priced items, and update the specifications
  - **Fast-evolving technology items:** to be updated by October 2023
  - **Communication services:** review of the list composition for types of items

# ICP 2024 Household Consumption: Feedback from the Regions

- **ICP 2024 current item proposals:**
  - Based on similar regional items priced by 2 or more ICP regions
  - The pre-survey goal is to assess the feasibility of introducing the items as “core items”, and to harmonize the item definitions, as needed, to ensure these items can be priced by 2 or more ICP regions
- **ICP 2024 additional feedback from RIAs:**
  - RIAs are invited to provide feedback on the current items (A/I/comments)
  - RIAs can submit new item proposals directly on the ILMT
    - The new proposals should ideally focus on those BHs with a low number of GCL items priced in the region

# ICP 2024 Household Consumption: Brand classifications

- **ICP 2021 brand classifications:**

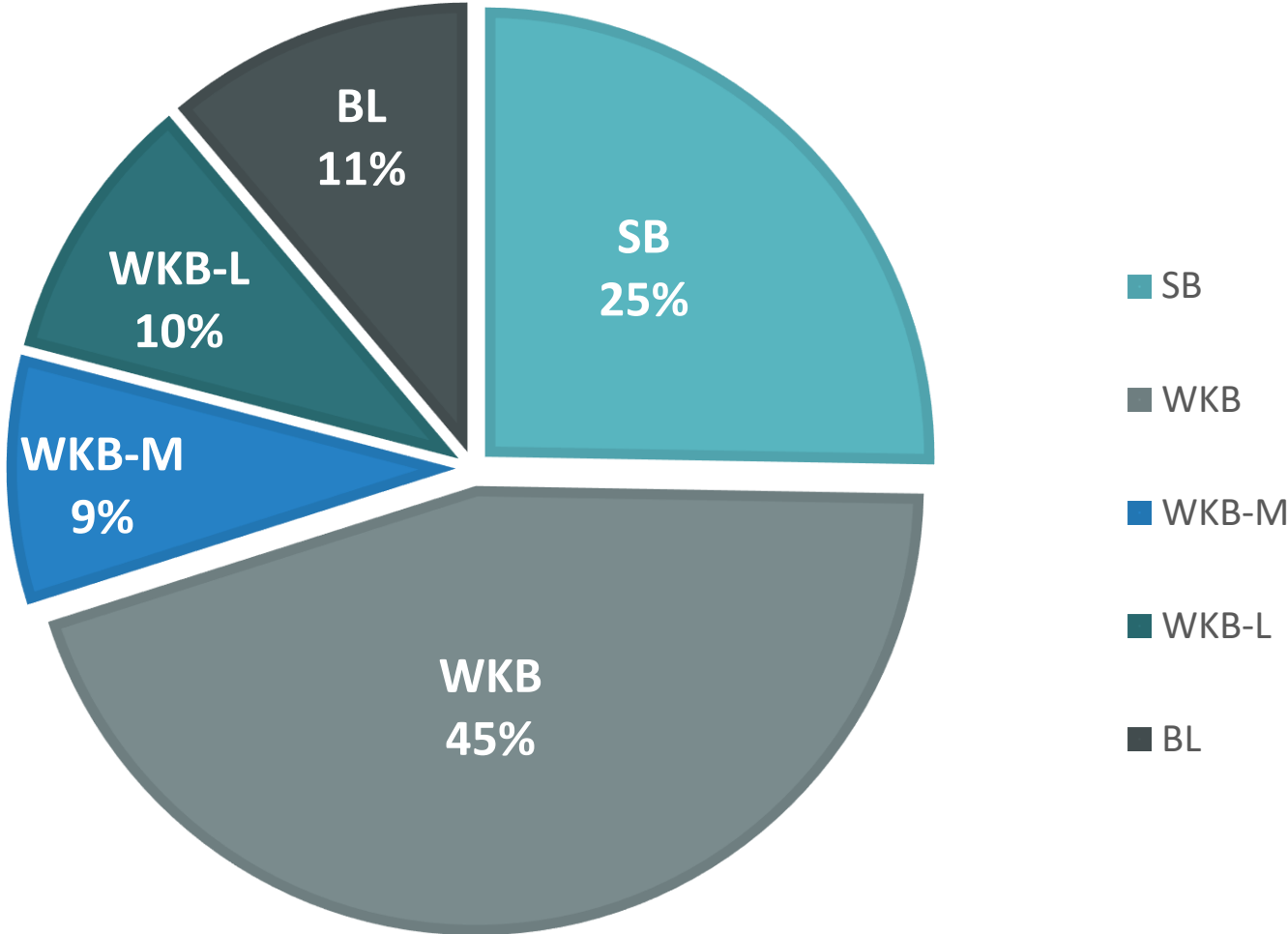
- **SB:** Specified Brand(s) (may include specified models)
- **WKB:** Well-known brand (may be subdivided into WKB-M and WKB-L)
- **BL:** Brandless (store-owned brands, lesser-known brands)
- **BNR** or “non-applicable”: for items sold loose, services, etc.

- **Additional notes:**

- Most branded items are classified as either: SB, WKB, or BL
- Only for clothing, furniture, and household appliances, a further distinction of WKB is introduced: SB, WKB-M, WKB-L or BL

# Brand composition: Branded items in the Global Core List

BRAND COMPOSITION IN THE ICP 2021 LIST (FOR BRANDED ITEMS)



## Types of Item Definitions

	Specified brands items	Unspecified brand items		
Title of item type	Specified brands	Well known brands	Brandless	Brand not relevant
Abbreviation used in the item list	SB	WKB	BL	BNR
Underlying brand concept	Brands and shop-chains with considerable spread, and/or which may have only local reputation and spread	Brands and shop-chains with considerable spread, and/or which may have only local reputation and spread	Brandless goods – however, a “label” without reputation might exist (bottom range of market production)	Products, usually sold loose, and services
	Shop-own-brands (store-brands) of higher or standard quality (brand value is seen as part of product quality)	Shop-own-brands (store-brands) of higher or standard quality (brand value is seen as part of product quality)	Shop-own-brands (store-brands) of lower quality level	
Brand value	Yes	Yes	No	Concept does not apply
Typical selling argument	Quality or reputation of the brand	Quality or reputation of the brand	Low price	
Prices to be collected	Prices <b>only</b> for brands or models listed in the item definition	Prices for non-branded products fulfilling the item definition (some items have a list of example brand(s) to be priced, however, also other brands can be priced)	Prices for non-branded products fulfilling the item definition	Products or services fulfilling the item description
Should price collector report the name(s) of the observed brands?	Yes, if several different brands are listed	Yes, always	Yes, an existing label, if any, should be reported	No



# Brand classification: food, drinks and other products

## Specified Brands

- Original product from the specified brand
- Imitation or counterfeit products should not be priced



## Well Known Brands

- A “well-known brand” within that country
- Typically associated with good quality products



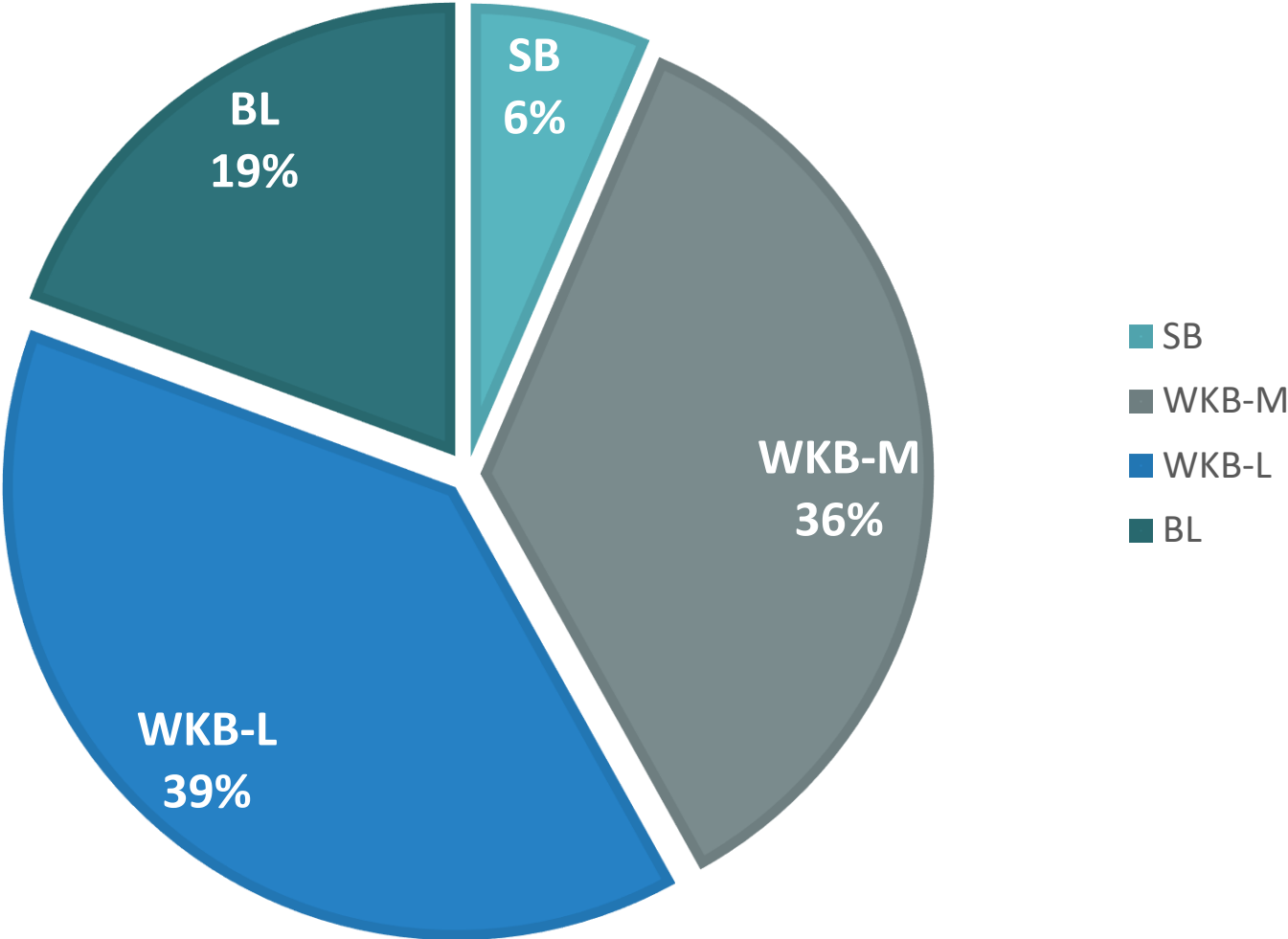
## Brandless

- No brand name, or supermarket brands/labels
- Typically associated with lower-quality, more affordable products.



# Brand composition: clothing, furniture and household appliances

BRAND COMPOSITION IN THE ICP 2021 LIST (FOR SELECT BH)



# Brand classification: clothing, furniture and household appliances

## Well Known Brand - Medium

- A “well-known brand” within that country
- Typically sold in specialized stores
- Associated with higher quality, more durable products
- Store clerks usually take the initiative to offer help to costumers

## Well Known Brand – Low

- A “well-known brand” within that country
- Typically sold in specialized stores
- Associated with lower-quality, less durable products
- Store clerks usually do not offer help to costumers, unless directly solicited

## Brandless

- No brand name, or lesser-known brand
- Typically sold in generalist stores, supermarkets, street markets and the like
- Associated with lower-quality products, less durable products
- No dedicated store clerks, usually full self-service.

- **Notes:** The GCL does not include WKB-“High” products, or luxury brands, or counterfeit products imitating luxury brands.

# ICP 2024 Household Consumption: Brand classifications

- **ICP 2024 brand classifications suggestions:**
  - Keep the same brand classifications for clothing, furniture, and household appliances: SB, WKB-M, WKB-L, and BL?
  - Drop the WKB distinction for all Basic Headings: SB, WKB, and BL?
  - Drop the BL items for clothing, furniture, and household appliances: SB, WKB-M, and WKB-L?
  - Create an “indicative” list of WKB-M and WKB-L brands, agreed upon by all ICP regions? **ICP 2017 attempt: [LINK](#)**
  - Adding more SB items to the item list, creating “generic” WKB items when possible (similar to the MEQ approach)?
  - **Other ideas and suggestions?**

# ILMT: Pre-survey list discussion for ICP 2021 [1]

International Comparison Program **ICP** PPP Item List Management Tool

Homepage > Household Consumption 2020 > Final WB list (WB) Logout: ruicosta, (WB ADMIN)

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Household Consumption 2020

Working list: Final WB list / finalised

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Item Lists

- Final WB list
- Draft WB list
- Regional pre-survey list**
  - Africa
  - Asia and the Pacific
  - Commonwealth of Independent States
  - Eurostat-OECD
  - Latin America
  - Western Asia
- Pre-survey list
- Initial list
- Guest list

Survey Items

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# ILMT: Pre-survey list discussion for ICP 2021 [2]

International Comparison Program **ICP** PPP Item List Management Tool

Homepage > Household Consumption 2020 > Pre-survey list (WB) > 11.01.11.1.01.04 Jasmine rice, family pack, WKB Logout: ruicosta, (WB ADMIN)

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View Discussion

Delete Recode/Rename Rename Move To SPD New Item Version Answers & A/I Notes

**11.01.11.1.01.04 - Jasmine rice, family pack, WKB (548)**

Avail./Imp.

AF	AS	CS	EU	LA	WA

Refresh Switch to Q/A Threads Export

Q/A	Code	Name
Q:	11.01.11.1.01	Rice
Q:	11.01.11.1.01.04	Jasmine rice, family pack, WKB
Q:	11.01.11.1.01.08	Brown rice, family pack, BL
Q:	11.01.11.2.01.05a	Corn (maize) flour, white, WKB
Q:	11.01.11.3.01.06	Pita bread, BNR
Q:	11.01.11.3.01.07	Bread loaf, rye, BNR
Q:	11.01.11.5.01.07	Couscous, BNR
Q:	11.01.12.3.01.04	Goat, mixed cut, with bones
Q:	11.01.13.1.01.05	Shrimps, whole, fresh
Q:	11.01.13.1.01.08a	Cod, fresh
Q:	11.01.14.1.01.04	Sov Milk WKB

Pre-Survey Questions/Answers

Pre-survey list	WB	
Regional pre-survey list	AS	It is possible to price this item in Asia and we will propose this to the countries for 2020. It might be possible to buy this in 5-10kg.
Regional pre-survey list	CS	In ICP 2017 this item was intersected with the similar item from CIS regional list and it was estimated by the weight of 0.5-1 kg with recalculation for 1 kg. For ICP 2020 we suggest to change the minimum/maximum quantity from 6-15 kg to 0.5-1 kg
Regional pre-survey list	EU	Not available.
Regional pre-survey list	LA	Not common, when available is sold in small packs +-1kg.
Regional pre-survey list	WA	We can remove it.

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# ILMT: Creating a new item proposal [1]

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Homepage > Household Consumption 2024 > Pre-survey list (WB) > 11.01.11.2.01 Other cereals, flour and other cereal products Logout: ruicosta, (WB ADMIN)

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**11.01.11.2.01 - Other cereals flour and other cereal products (9)**

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Label	Cornflakes KELLOGG'S	Wheat flour BL	Corn flour WKB	Wheat semolina (suji) WKB	Oats rolled WKB	Corn/Maize BNR
Brand	<b>Kellogg's</b>		(S)	(S)	(S)	
Brand Type	<b>Single / multiple brand specified</b>	<b>Brandless</b>	<b>Well Known</b>	<b>Well Known</b>	<b>Well Known</b>	<b>Brand not relevant</b>
Minimum quantity	250	400	400	400	400	1000
Maximum quantity	600	2400	2400	1200	1200	1000
Unit of measurement	Gram	Gram	Gram	Gram	Gram	Gram
Type	Corn flakes	Plain, white (bleached), all-purposes	Whole grain corn, all-purpose flour	Wheat semolina	Flaked rolled oats for oatmeal (porridge)	Corn/maize grains
From	Milled corn (maize)	Common wheat	White or yellow corn (maize)	White soft wheat (bread wheat, triticum Aestivum, suji)	Whole grain oats	

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**Workarea**

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Code	Name
11.01.11.2.01.	

Characteristic	Value	Type	Specify?
Brand Type	Single / multiple brand specified	Global Enumeration	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brand			<input type="checkbox"/>
Reference Quantity			<input type="checkbox"/>
Reference unit of measure	Gram	SPD enumeration	<input type="checkbox"/>
Minimum quantity		Text	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maximum quantity		Text	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unit of measurement		Text	<input type="checkbox"/>
Type		Text	<input type="checkbox"/>



# ICP 2024 non-HHC price surveys

- **Non-HHC price surveys for ICP 2024:**
  - Private Education – no changes?
  - Rents – no changes?
  - Government Compensation – no changes?
  - Machinery and Equipment – to be updated based on EUO 2023 item list
  - Construction and Civil Engineering – more detailed SPDs?
- **RIAs are invited to suggest any changes to these item lists until the end of September.**

# ICP 2024 HHC Item List

ICP 2021 Cycle	2023							
	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Pre-survey available on the ILMT	26 May							
Pre-survey discussion of new items and feedback on current items <sup>1</sup>								
Draft list available on the ILMT <sup>2</sup>								
Final HHC item list distributed to RIAs <sup>3</sup>							6 Nov	
Update of fast-evolving tech items								

- <sup>1</sup> RIAs are invited to submit new item proposals during this period
- <sup>2</sup> Deadline for new proposals is closed and the changes discussed are introduced on the ILMT
- <sup>3</sup> Without the final update on fast-evolving technology items

# ICP 2024 non-HHC Item Lists

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# COICOP 2018

