



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

October 31 – November 3, 2023

World Bank HQ (Washington, DC)

Agenda

DAY 1: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2023

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| 09:00 – 09:10 | Opening remarks |
| 09:10– 10:30 | Regional updates on the ICP 2021 cycle implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Country participation status– Implementation status<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Survey status○ Expenditure compilation status○ Data and metadata submission and validation status○ Metadata questionnaire submission status○ PPP estimation status (2021, 2017, timeseries)– Recent and forthcoming workshops and meetings– Outreach activities and announcements |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Break |
| 10:45 – 12:00 | Regional updates on the ICP 2021 cycle implementation (Cont'd) |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Lunch |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Global updates on the ICP 2021 cycle implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Overall ICP 2021 cycle timetable and production roadmap– Data submission and validation status– Risk assessment– Outreach activities and announcement |
| 14:00 – 14:45 | Data review: Household consumption price and importance data |

14:45 – 15:00 Break
15:00 – 17:00 Data review: Household consumption price and importance data

DAY 2: WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2023

09:00 – 10:30 Data review: Housing prices and volumes
10:30 – 10:45 Break
10:45 – 11:30 Data review: Private education
11:30 – 12:00 Data review: Government compensation and productivity adjustment
12:00 – 13:00 Lunch
13:00 – 14:00 Data review: Government compensation and productivity (cont'd)
14:00 – 15:30 Data review: Machinery and equipment
15:30 – 15:45 Break
15:45 – 17:00 Data review: Construction and civil engineering

DAY 3: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2023

09:00 – 10:30 Data review: 2017-2021 National accounts expenditures
10:30 – 10:45 Break
10:45 – 11:15 Data review: 2017-2021 National accounts expenditures (cont'd)
11:15 – 12:00 Data review: 2017-2021 Population and market exchange rates
12:00 – 13:00 Lunch
13:00 – 14:00 Data review: 2017-2021 timeseries data (PPPs, CPIs, deflators)
14:00 – 14:15 Break
14:15 – 15:30 Data reviews (cont'd)
15:30 – 15:45 Break

15:45 – 17:00 **Data reviews (cont'd)**

DAY 4: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2023

09:00 – 10:30 **Planning for the 2023/4 governance activities and ICP 2021 cycle release at regional and global levels**

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45 – 12:00 **Planning for the ICP 2024 cycle**
– Timetable
– Operational materials

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 – 14:00 **Planning for the ICP 2024 cycle**
– Timetable
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14:00 – 14:15 Break

14:15 – 16:30 **Planning for an approach to produce annual ICP results and forecasts**

16:30 – 17:00 **Any other business and closing**