

Annex VI _PSSC-12 Agenda 3.1

TYPSS Objectives	TYPSS Activity Focus	USP Strategic Plan	Activity	In train/ completed in 2015/2016	Planned for 2016/2017
Objective 1 Pacific island countries and territories have the technical capacity (either in-house capacity or through timely accessible technical support), to manage and implement all core statistical collections, including key administrative databases, as required by national development plans, including national strategies for the development of statistics (NSDS).	Activity Focus 1.1 Support to core (ongoing) collections				
	Activity Focus 1.2 Support in integration, quality and increased use of administrative stats (largely for economic statistics)				
	Activity Focus 1.3 Support to social statistics				Fiji immigration statistics De-briefing sessions at FBOS on immigration statistics collected for USP research project

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Objective 2 Pacific island countries and territories are producing the agreed core of statistics across key sectors including but not restricted to economics, population, CRVS, education and health, as required by their national plans and agreed-upon regional and international reporting frameworks as required by the national development plans, with timely analysis and dissemination of results to national users	Activity Focus 2.1 Support to NSO capacity building efforts			<p>OS Course revision and online conversion Update and revision of teaching and learning materials for all OS courses in face-to-face and print mode according to the guidelines provided by OS consultant Dennis Trewin. Planning and design of online course materials (funded by UNFPA)</p> <p>New Course OS203 Development of new OS course <i>OS203: Statistical Methods for Official Statistics</i> (funded by UNFPA)</p> <p>New Online Course OS303 The new OS course <i>OS303: IT and Information Management for Official Statistics</i> has been fully developed by ABS on behalf of USP</p> <p>Regional training workshop 5-day data analysis and report writing workshop for NSO junior staff and USP staff and students (funded by UNFPA)</p> <p>Data Visualization workshop 3-day workshop on data visualization for NSO and USP staff (funded by Paris21 and jointly conducted with Paris21 and SPC)</p> <p>Student internship at SPC 3-month internship for USP post-graduate student at SPC Statistics Division working on census, GIS and education statistics cross-credited as post-graduate demography course PD402 (sponsored by SPC)</p> <p>USP junior staff involvement in PSSC-12 meeting USP junior staff joined PSSC-12 organizing team to gain exposure to TYPSS and high-level discussion on regional statistics</p>	<p>Post-graduate training Supervision of post-graduate students tutoring and conducting research in OS relevant areas (subject to funding support by PSSC)</p> <p>Finalization of course conversion OS team to work with USP Instructional designer on development of platform for online course offering (funded by UNFPA)</p> <p>Student internship Internship opportunities for USP post-graduate students to be explored with SPC-SD and other PSSC partners</p> <p>Regional training workshop The data analysis and report writing workshop will be offered again in 2017 (subject to funding by UNFPA for 2016/17 Activity Program)</p>

	Activity Focus 2.2 Improved analysis and dissemination of statistics			Research Report on Post-MDG Prof. Satya Paul (researcher) completed the report on 'Millennium Development Goals: Achievements and Agenda for Post 2015' (funded and currently under review by UNFPA)	Workshop on demographic data and research in SIDS 3-day workshop organized by USP in collaboration with the IUSSP Panel on Population and Development in SIDS and UNFPA bringing together 30 researchers, official statisticians, development practitioners and policy makers working on or with demographic statistics (subject to funding by UNFPA for 2016/17 Activity Program)
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Objective 3 All countries and territories have in place some form of national statistics strategy or plan in line with their national development strategies	Activity Focus 3.1 NSDS design and implementation				
	Activity Focus 3.2 Development of national statistical priorities				

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Objective 4 National level statistics stakeholders are advised on an ongoing basis about emerging statistical tools and systems, processes for effective data analysis, communication and quality assurance and Pacific interaction and proposed responses to international statistical standards	Activity Focus 4.1 Core statistical systems ¹				
	Activity Focus 4.2 Added value in analysis and reporting ²				
	Activity Focus 4.3 Added value in decision-making ³				

¹ Outputs proposed by Friend of the Chair (Note: no Outputs were included in the Phase II Interim Activity Plan)

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Objective 5 National and regional statistics governance is functioning effectively	Activity Focus 5.1 Statistics advocacy support (regional level)				Promotional school visits in the region OS staff to visit secondary schools in USP member countries (Tonga, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu and/or Kiribati) to raise awareness of OS program (subject to funding by UNFPA for 2016/17 Activity Program)
	Activity Focus 5.2 Statistics advocacy support (national level)			Promotional materials Marketing and advocacy materials were developed and disseminated for raising awareness of Official Statistics and fostering demand for OS training (funded by UNFPA) Promotional school and USP campus visits in Fiji OS team visited 55 secondary schools around the country and USP Lautoka and Labasa campuses to promote OS program (funded by UNFPA) Promotional event for World Statistics Day Public Panel discussion featuring Fiji Government Statistician and members of OS team was hosted at USP	Continuation of promotional school visits in Fiji (subject to funding by UNFPA for 2016/17 Activity Program)
	Activity Focus 5.3 TA inputs are in line with country and territory priorities, transparent and are delivered efficiently across the region				
	Activity Focus 5.4 Pacific leaders receive recommendations about priorities for statistical collections at national and regional level with accompanying data about				

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	resource and technology requirements				
	Activity 5.5 TYPSS Phase II operates in a coordinated and efficient manner with the best use being made of available technical assistance and informed progress assessment being made available to PSSC				