

<b>Name</b>	<i>Strengthening the National Statistical System of Armenia – II</i>		
<b>Role/other partners</b>	Statistics Denmark (leader) Statistics Lithuania Statistics Finland ISTAT	<b>Financing body</b>	EU Delegation to Armenia
		<b>Max total funding</b>	€ 1.200.000
<b>Type of contract</b>	Twinning		
<b>Duration (total months; from/to)</b>	24 months September 2015 – August 2017		
<b>Short description</b>	<b>Beneficiary</b>		
	<i>NSSRA – National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia</i>		
	<b>Specific objective</b>		
	Support the National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia (NSSRA) by institutional twinning with equivalent authorities from the EU Member States with the aim of upgrading some elements and sectors of the Armenian system of official statistics, namely: A. Dissemination of official statistics B. Demographic statistics C. Labour Market statistics D. Poverty statistics E. R & D statistics F. Environment statistics		
	<b>Expected results</b>		
<p>– The Statistical Information Dissemination Strategy paper developed and adopted, the user-producer dialogue improved, the existing User satisfaction survey questionnaire updated, tested and published at the NSSRA website. The existing Statistical Information Dissemination System: availability, description and presentation of statistics and metadata improved.</p> <p>– Vital statistics improved concerning data collection mechanisms (transition from paper sources to electronic), coverage, timeliness and quality. A System of Migration statistics reorganized based on administrative registers and established surveys, increased data quality.</p> <p>– Labour cost, labour cost index, structural statistics on earnings calculated and published.</p> <p>– Social exclusions statistics introduced, calculated and published.</p> <p>– Methodology on innovation statistics introduced, questionnaire designed to maintain an innovation statistics, innovation statistics published</p> <p>– Water account compiled.</p> <p><b>Components in which Istat is involved:</b></p> <p>- Component B - Component D - Component F</p>			
<b>Progress of activities</b>	In the seventh quarter of activity, that see the technical assistance towards the conclusion with the last planned missions.		
<b>Budget</b>	Istat funding share: € 89.329		