

# SESSION 1

## 1. What is needed and not available:

1. Data on governance and institutions
2. Data on participation of people in democratic processes
3. Data on services
4. Data on chronicle poors
5. Data on social cohesion and social dialogue
6. Cross sector linkages data required

## 2. What hampers the utility of existing data:

1. Disaggregated data are required (big samples).
2. Time lags in data delivery
3. Predictability of future data availability?

## 3. Good/cheap/fast : each 2 combination does not go with the 3rd

# SESSION 2

## 1. Agreed context:

1. Demand is increasing – we have to work smarter
2. Official production follows PSDP, which feeds PDP and incl. growth agenda
3. Different users = different needs (quick facts / microdata)
4. Different producers = different comparative advantages

## 2. 3 ways to improve:

1. Access, analysis, communication: lots of data but a relative lack of information
2. Continue the effort to reduce time lags and increase frequency
3. Harmonization of production: standards for concepts, indicators, classifications
  - Discrepancies between sources at the national level / regional

## 3. Capacity to produce remains an issue:

1. Volume 2 of PSDP: medium term expenditure plan
2. Funding of core SDS priorities should be guaranteed.
3. Capacity building and training

# SESSION 3

## 1. HOW? Partnership model to be strengthened

1. Exploding data demand VS Resources might increase - limited
2. More data collectors / compilers / brokers on the market

## 2. WHAT ? Next priorities

1. Go first for quick wins: identify champions, eGovernment Fund
2. Keep improving the timeliness, cost effectiveness, relevance (local needs) of production. IT innovation!
3. Rationalize data collection
  - From modular approach (like FIES) ...
  - ...to split local and national data systems??? To increase frequency at national level and relevance at local level.
4. Strong political support required (high level communication)
5. Increase statistical literacy (explain stat generation, TV)
6. Public Private Partnership to be implemented
7. Similar dialogue should be conducted at the local level