The Central Statistical Office (CSO), PARIS21 & GTZ working together in

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through the GTZ Macro project.

“The National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS) is the strategic plan designed by CSO for developing the National Statistical System (NSS) over the period 2009-2013. Within the NSDS framework, GTZ provides technical assistance to the CSO in:

- Improving the quality of reporting and statistics
- Enhancing internal organization and managing external relations
- Improving organizational infrastructure through IT assistance
- Improving data archiving documentation and dissemination
- Reviewing of Living Conditions Monitoring Survey data and methodology
- Developing individual training and capacity-building programmes

Major impacts:

- Web-based National Data Archive (NADA - developed in partnership with PARIS21/ADP and Macro International)
- 25 surveys (data and metadata) documented in compliance with international standards and available on the NADA on-line catalogue
- Improved CSO capacity for the management and dissemination of survey data

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Into 2010 and beyond...

- Developing data access and dissemination policy
- Improving Comparability of Survey Microdata
- Extending data documentation best practices into the NSS

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