Joint Eurostat-UNODC data collection: Implementing revised CTS

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Eurostat and EU crime statistics

• Eurostat processes and publishes comparable statistical information at European level collected by the European Statistical System at national level: European Statistics

• Co-ordinates statistical activities at Union level and more particularly inside the European Commission: Other statistics; for crime DG HOME and DG JUST

• First Eurostat data collection on crime and criminal justice for reference year 2005 across EU Member States and some neighbour countries; current series from 2008 reference year

• Since 2014, the figures on crime and criminal justice are collected through a joint Eurostat-UNODC data collection across EU Member States and some neighbour countries
Regular European crime statistics

- EU part: specific needs for EU-law, e.g. more details
- Additional collections (non "regular") for specific cases, e.g. legal definition of an offence (migrants smuggling, etc.)
European crime statistics - ICCS

- ICCS implemented in the joint Eurostat-UNODC data collection since 2016 reference year (to be published soon)
- Eurostat provides guidelines, link to EU polices and financing

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European crime statistics – revised CTS

• Some data needed for EU laws are not available anymore, hence included in Eurostat additional part
• The same due to the every 2-year rotation, the year when data needed for EU laws are not collected in the UN part they should be included in Eurostat additional part
• Consequence 1: more important Eurostat additional part
• Consequence 2: delays in delivery of 2016 data (1st year)
• Consequence 3: missing 2016 data for some Member States (1st year) that will be provided together with the 2017 reference year data
• Metadata: very good improvement
European crime statistics – ICCS

- Revisions: -> breaks / large changes in series but this is an improvement for better comparability; Over 32 countries that sent 2016 data:
  - 11 have sent full revised time series back to 2008
  - Others sent partial back series starting only from 2013
  - Covering some of the 13 core offences, in particular Theft of a motorised vehicle, Theft, Burglary, Attempted intentional homicide and/or Homicide, Serious assault and/or Sexual assault and Sexual violence
ICCS – break in times series: Assault

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Other EU crime statistics

- DG HOME: 2017 special data collection on trafficking of human beings; implemented with the Anti-trafficking Coordination network while working together with Eurostat on checking and analysing data

- DG JUST: 2018 EU Justice Scoreboard together with the Council of Europe Commission for the Evaluation of the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ, non EU body)

- European Multidisciplinary Platform against Criminal Threats (EMPACT): work for setting up a permanent data collection system of seized, found or returned firearms; currently pilot phase is taking place (2018, 2019).
EU crime statistics - links

- [http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/crime/overview](http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/crime/overview)
- [http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/data/database](http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/data/database)
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  -> Crime and criminal justice
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