



Forty-Fourth Meeting of the IMF Committee on Balance of Payments Statistics

Washington DC
November 5–7, 2024

BOPCOM—24/01

Agenda

<div><div>Tuesday, November 5, 2024</div><div>IMF HQ1 R-584</div><div>8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.</div><div>Chair: Bert Kroese, BOPCOM Chair</div></div>			
8:30-9:00 a.m.	Registration and coffee	Bert Kroese, Director, Statistics Department, IMF, and Chair of the BOPCOM BOPCOM secretariat	
9:00–9:45 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks		
	Administrative matters		
	Group Photo		
A. BPM6 Update Planning and Progress			
9:45–10:15 a.m.	1. Progress Report on <i>BPM6</i> Update and Next Steps	<i>BPM Editorial Team</i>	<i>Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/02)</i>
B. Draft BPM7 and Implementation			
10:15 a.m.–12:30 p.m. <i>(including coffee break)</i>	2. Summary of Key Issues from the Global Consultation of the Consolidated <i>BPM7</i> Chapters: General Guidance and Approval of BOPCOM <ul style="list-style-type: none">Joint BPM/SNA ChaptersBPM-Only Chapters	<i>BPM/SNA Editorial Teams</i>	<i>Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/03)</i>
12:30–2:00 p.m.	Lunch – HQ1-C-725		
2:00–2:45 p.m.	3. <i>BPM7 Standard Components and Selected Other Items: General Guidance from BOPCOM</i>	<i>BPM Editorial Team</i>	<i>Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/04)</i>
2:45–3:30 p.m.	4. <i>BPM7/2025 SNA Implementation Strategy</i>	<i>IMF</i>	<i>Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/05)</i>
3:30–3.45 p.m.	Coffee Break		
C. Post BPM7/2025 SNA Research Agenda			
3:45-4:30 p.m.	5. Joint BPM/SNA Research Agenda	<i>BPM/SNA Editorial Teams</i>	<i>Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/06)</i>
5.30 p.m.	Welcome Cocktails hosted by IMF IMF HQ1 R-700 (Gallery)		

<div><div><div>Wednesday, November 6, 2024</div><div>IMF HQ1 R-584</div><div>9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.</div><div>Chair: Bert Kroese, BOPCOM Chair</div></div></div>			
D. Implementing the Research Agenda			
9:00–9:45 a.m.	6. Treatment of Crypto Lending and Related Revenue	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/07)
E. Global Asymmetries, COFER, and Framework for Updating Macroeconomic Statistics Manuals			
9.45–10.30 a.m.	7. Report of the Task Team on Global Asymmetries: Progress and Work Plan for 2025	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/08)
10.30–10.45 a.m.	Coffee Break		
10.45–11.30 a.m.	8. Currency Composition of Foreign Exchange Reserves (COFER) Data: Improving the Analytical Usefulness	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/09)
11.30 a.m.-12.15 p.m.	9. Task Team to Develop a Framework for Maintaining and Updating International Economic and Environmental Accounting Systems and Manuals: Progress and Next Steps	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/10)
12:30–2:00 p.m.	Lunch – HQ1-C-725		
F. Updates of Other Macroeconomic Statistics Manuals and Compilers Hub			
2:00–2:45 p.m.	10. GFSM 2014 Update: Process, Timeline, and Research Issues	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/11)
2:45–3:30 p.m.	11. Update on Compilers Hub	IMF	Paper for discussion (BOPCOM 24/12)
3:30–3.45 p.m.	Coffee Break		
6.30 p.m.	Farewell Dinner hosted by IMF Venue (TBA)		

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Thursday, November 7, 2024</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>IMF HQ1 R-584</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chair: Bert Kroese, BOPCOM Chair</p>			
G. 2025 Work Program and Summary of Discussions			
9:30–10:15 a.m.	12. 2025 Work Program of the IMF Committee on Balance of Payments	BOPCOM Secretariat	<i>Paper for discussion</i> (BOPCOM 24/13)
10:30–10:45 a.m.	Coffee Break		
10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.	13. Main Conclusions and Action Points	BOPCOM Secretariat	<i>Paper for discussion</i> (BOPCOM 24/14)
12:15 p.m.	Close of the meeting		
12:30–1:30 p.m.	Lunch – HQ1-C-725		

Items for Information: <i>Documents prepared for information will not be discussed during the meeting. However, they will be part of the official BOPCOM papers and will be posted on the BOPCOM webpage.</i>		
1. Update on the System of Environmental and Economic Accounting (SEEA)	UNSD	<i>Report for information</i> (BOPCOM 24/15)
2. Updates of Trade Statistics Manuals (MSITS and IMTS)	UNSD	<i>Report for information</i> (BOPCOM 24/16)
3. Update on the OECD Benchmark Definition of Foreign Direct Investment, 4th Edition	OECD	<i>Report for information</i> (BOPCOM 24/17)
4. Updates on the Compilation Guidance Work—Data as an Asset, Crypto Assets, and Marketing Assets	Relevant TTs	<i>Report for information</i> (BOPCOM 24/18)
5. World Investment Report 2024	UNCTAD	<i>Report for information</i> (BOPCOM 24/19)