

COMPILATION OF CONSOLIDATED GFS

PROPOSED DATES | January 20-23, 2025

TARGET GROUP | Target audience for this workshop should be technical or middle management level staff from ministries of finances, national statistical institutes, or central banks, directly or indirectly involved in the compilation of Government Finance Statistics (GFS). Ideally, the applicants are counterparts during the GFS technical assistance missions, having advanced knowledge of GFS main definitions and principles.

DESCRIPTION | The workshop, delivered by the IMF's Statistics Department in cooperation with the Caucasus, Central Asia, and Mongolia Regional Capacity Development Center, will primarily focus on the topic of consolidation in line with the international standards. The workshop will provide a quick overview of the GFS definitions and principles and will also deal with the distinctions of below and above the line transactions and their recording in GFS. Participants are expected to share their experience and may be asked to make country presentations.

OBJECTIVES | Upon completion of this workshop, participants should be able to independently apply the rules set up in GFS Manual 2014 in the compilation of their fiscal statistics.

LANGUAGE | The workshop will be delivered in English language, with simultaneous interpretation to Russian.