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TITLE: Standardisation and capacity development to support the integration of statistical and geospatial information

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ABSTRACT: This presentation will outline a new UNECE project, supported by a Eurostat grant, to foster stronger links between the statistical and geospatial communities across the UNECE region, facilitating greater collaboration and encouraging greater integration of geospatial and statistical information by promoting stronger institutional partnerships and the use of common standards.

The project will support existing Eurostat and joint activities to strengthen the integration of statistical and geospatial data in target countries (Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bosnia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Republic of Moldova, Serbia, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan).

The expected results of the project are:

- Increased awareness of the need for more integration of geospatial and statistical data in the target countries
- Better understanding of the limitations of current geospatial and statistical data standards in the context of data integration
- Improved collaboration between the geospatial and statistical communities, based on greater mutual awareness and understanding

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