

List of Abbreviations

Sources

Eurostat	Statistical office of the European Union https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat
IEA	International Association for the Evaluation of Educational Achievement https://www.iea.nl
IMF	International Monetary Fund https://imf.org
ITU	The International Telecommunication Union https://www.itu.int/en/Pages/default.aspx
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development https://www.oecd.org
RCC	Regional Cooperation Council (RCC) https://www.rcc.int
UNECE	United Nations Economic Commission for Europe https://unece.org
WDI	World Development Indicators database of World Bank https://datatopics.worldbank.org/world-development-indicators
NSO	National Statistical Office
NSO Austria	Statistics Austria https://www.statistik.at/
NSO Bosnia and Herzegovina	Agency for Statistics of Bosnia and Herzegovina https://bhas.gov.ba/?lang=en
NSO Bulgaria	NSI - National Statistical Institute of the Republic of Bulgaria https://www.nsi.bg
NSO Croatia	Croatian Bureau of Statistics https://dzs.gov.hr
NSO Czech Republic	CZSO - Czech Statistical Office https://www.czso.cz
NSO Germany	DESTATIS - Federal Statistical Office https://www.destatis.de
NSO Hungary	KSH - Hungarian Central Statistical Office https://www.ksh.hu
NSO Montenegro	MONSTAT- Statistical Office of Montenegro http://www.monstat.org
NSO Republic of Moldova	NBS - National Bureau of Statistics of the Republic of Moldova https://statistica.gov.md
NSO Romania	NIS - National Institute of Statistics https://insse.ro/
NSO Serbia	RZS - Statistical Office of the Republic of Serbia https://www.stat.gov.rs
NSO Slovakia	Statistical Office of the Slovak Republic https://slovak.statistics.sk
NSO Slovenia	SURS - Statistical Office of the Republic of Slovenia https://www.stat.si
NSO Ukraine	State Statistic Service of Ukraine https://ukrstat.gov.ua/

Classifications

ISCED	International Standard Classification of Education. Data by levels of education/educational attainment until 2013 are classified according to ISCED 1997 and data from 2014 according to ISCED 2011. https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php?title=Glossary:ISCED
ISCED 0	Early childhood education
ISCED 1	Primary education
ISCED 2	Lower secondary education
ISCED 3	Upper secondary education
ISCED 4	Post-secondary non-tertiary education
ISCED 5-8	Tertiary education (ISCED 2011, levels 5-6 of ISCED 1997)
NACE	Nomenclature statistique des Activités Économiques dans la Communauté européenne (Statistical Classification of Economic Activities in the European Community). https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php?title=Glossary:NACE

Programms

PISA	OECD Programme for International Student Assessment https://www.oecd.org/pisa/
TIMSS	IEA' Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study https://www.iea.nl/studies/iea/timss