Eurostat data for evidence based policy making

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Eurostat data for evidence based policy making using Euromod

- Euromod for quantitative policy analysis and monitoring (In depth analysis of tax reform for the European Semester, DG-EMPL's annual publication Employment and Social Developments in Europe, DG-TAXUD/DG-ECFIN annual reports on Tax Policies and Tax Reforms in the European Union)
- Input data: mainly **EU-SILC** (EU Statistics on Income and Living Conditions) key source for measuring poverty and social exclusion in EU
- Survey currently implemented by the European Statistical System in 36 countries (all EU MSs)
- SILC launched by Eurostat in 2003
- Multipurpose survey with a focus on income and social exclusion but also covering demographic information, information on housing, work, education and health
- Panel survey



EU-SILC: need for quality/comparable data for evidence based policy making

- Data collected at national level on a sample of households/individuals – 400.000 households yearly
- Quality/comparability between countries and over time is ensured through:
 - ✓EU statistical laws and associate guidelines: data collected nationally need to follow the requirements in terms of sampling, collection guidelines, definitions and concepts defined in EU regulations
 - ✓ Collected data are transmitted in the form of micro-data to Eurostat that validate them
 - ✓ With a lot of meta-data and quality information



EU-SILC: need for timely and extensive data for evidence based policy making

- **Timeliness** is a requirement of the EU regulations (which are amended to further progress on timeliness)
 - Until end of 2021: EU-SILC data to be transmitted by 1 October/31 November N+1
 - From 2021: EU-SILC data to be transmitted by December N/end February N+1
- EU-SILC to include policy-relevant and extensive data
 - Include gross and net income
 - Data/meta-data on benefits (Contributory and means-tested)
 - Include more information on migrants/disability; ad-hoc information when needed COVID variables)

Floor is open for discussion



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