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## Report from UN-GGIM: Europe Line of Work on 'Data Integration'



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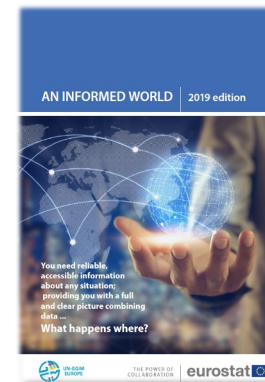
# Line of Work ‘Data Integration’

Work Plan 2017 – 2019: Policy Outreach Paper + Leaflet



Develop an outreach document

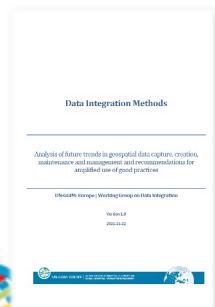
→ **Main audience:**  
Senior manager in NSIs, NMCA and ministries



Develop a leaflet

→ **Main audience:**  
Policy makers who are not “geospatially related”

Work Plan 2019 – 2022: Report on Data Integration Methods



Collect **national best practice examples** for data integration and describe **methods in the context of the European strategies and developments** (Data spaces, Geospatial Knowledge Infrastructure)

→ Derive **key recommendations** on Data Integration Methods



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# 2022 ->: Line of Work 'Data Integration' – Work plan



- To promote and conduct **webinars** on specific **data integration topics**
- To compile and put together **use cases/discussion papers on best practices** on data integration methods and produce recommendations and guidelines
- To support and promote **capacity building and development initiatives** on data integration

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# Line of Work ,Data Integration‘ – Webinar series



**Setting the scene: to promote and conduct webinars on specific data integration topics**

1	<b>Data integration in Europe – challenges, findings, added value and cost savings</b> data integration experiences and perspectives	Eurostat, DG REGIO, JRC	15 March 	<b>Eurostat</b>
2	<b>The way towards a Geospatial Knowledge Infrastructure</b> greater understanding of the geospatial knowledge	Geospatial World, EuroSDR, swisstopo	19 June 	<b>IGN Belgium</b>
3	<b>Linked Data in the European spatial data infrastructure – an operational view</b> up-to-date overview of the application and perspectives of linked data	NSI Ireland, NMCA Finland & Netherlands	7 November 	<b>BEV Austria</b>

Recording and presentations available on website

<https://un-ggim-europe.org/un-ggim-europe-webinar-series/>



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# Outcomes & Findings physical meeting LoW DI in Lisbon



The Line of Work on Data Integration identified the following potential actions/tasks that include:

- to write an **evaluation and assessment** report for the UN-GGIM: Europe data integration **report series** (recommendations, obstacles for implementation, etc.)
- to write an **assessment use case example report (storyboard) on pragmatic data integration** (utilizing a prominent use case example from the global UN-GGIM Task Team on Climate Resilience)
- to develop and conduct an **assessment/questionnaire on data integration issues** in order to “understand other domains”



## Tasks for the Plenary



The Plenary is kindly requested

- to **approve** the ongoing work of the Line of Work on Data Integration within the Work Plan 2022 – 2025
- to **adopt** the decisions (tasks) being made within the Line of Work on Data Integration at the physical meeting in Lisbon in April for the remaining working period.
- to further **promote** the function of the Line of Work as ‘Advisory Group’ to continuously contribute to global and regional data integration issues



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