Survey for road freight transport

State Statistical Office
Republic of North Macedonia
National legal framework (for all statistics):

- Law on State Statistics
- Programme for Statistical Surveys (2018-2022)
EU legal framework

- Regulation (EU) No 70/2012 of 18 January 2012, on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road (recast) (replacing Directives 78/546 and 89/462)
- Commission Regulation (EC) No 2691/1999 of 17 December 1999, on the rules for implementing Council Regulation (EC) No.1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road,
- Commission Regulation (EC) No 2163/2001 of 7 November 2001, concerning the technical arrangements for data transmission for statistics on the carriage of goods by road,
EU legal framework (cont.)

- Commission Regulation (EC) No 642/2004 of 6 April 2004, on precision requirements for data collected in accordance with Council Regulation (EC) No 1172/98 on statistical returns in respect of the carriage of goods by road,
EU legal framework (cont.)

Methodologies

- Road freight transport methodology  
  (2016 edition)

- Glossary for transport statistics  
  (2019 edition)
Classifications used:

- Standard Goods Classification for transport statistics (SDR)
- European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR)
- Other classifications related to statistics
  - NUTS - classification of territorial units for statistics,
  - NACE Revision 2 - statistical classification of economic activities etc.
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• The first steps were done in 1997 when pilot survey on road freight transport was carried out in 1997.

• As a regular survey it has been established since 2001.

• Data are published on quarterly basis.
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- Sample based survey
- Sample size is 5000 reporting units annually
- Reporting units with load capacity 3,5 tonnes and over
- The address data and other related data are obtained from the Ministry of Interior
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- Paper based questionnaire
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• Types of goods carried (detailed description) – filled in by responding unit

• Types of goods carried – filled in by statistics (codes)
Data transmission to Eurostat

- ROAD_A1_Q: Vehicle-Related Variables.
- ROAD_A2_Q: Journey-Related Variables.
- ROAD_A3_Q: Goods-Related Variables
Thank you for your attention

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