

User orientation in Capacity Development

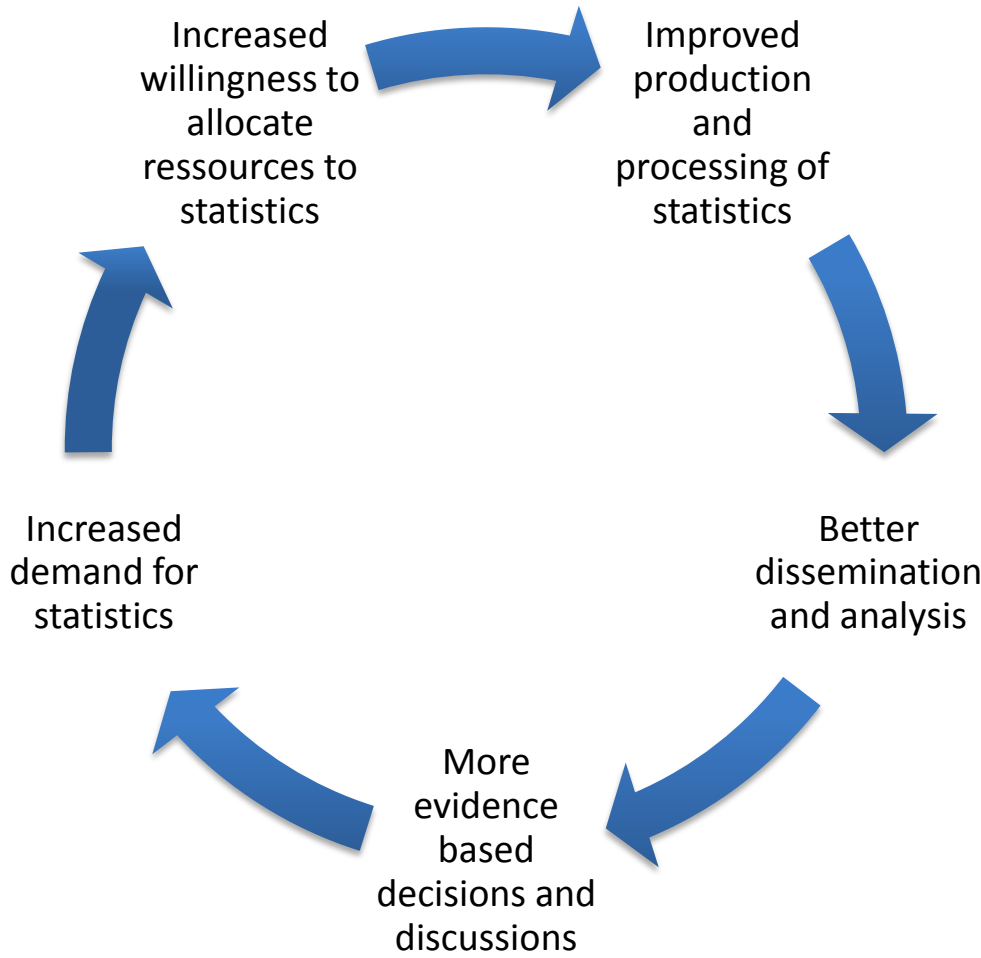
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The positive circle of development of statistics



2 examples of a broad approach:

- Support to macroeconomic analysis and modelling
- CD on statistics under the Norwegian Oil for Development (OfD) programme

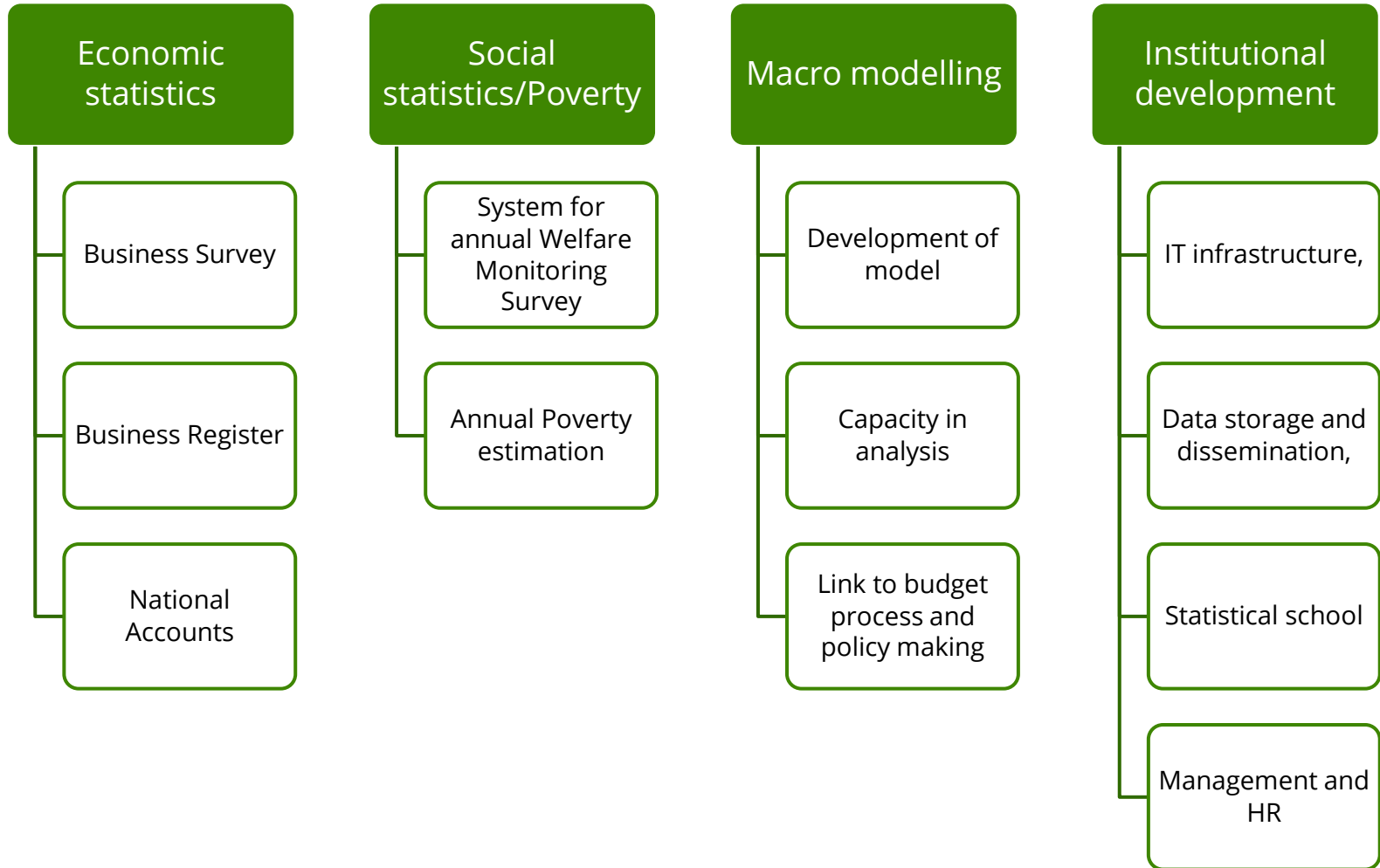
Support to macroeconomic analysis and modelling

- Purpose:
 - Development of tailor made macroeconomic models that are based on all available statistics and relevant information.
 - Development of institutional and human capacity for macroeconomic and fiscal analysis
 - Develop routines so that macroeconomic analysis are directly linked to the annual budgeting processes and policy making in general

How does this help statistical CD?

- Identifies gaps in the NSS
- Increases demand and use
- Better quality
- Increases national funding
- CD on the user- and producer side
- Increases partnerships and cooperation across institutions

Malawi



Oil for Development (OfD)

- Goal: Poverty reduction through responsible management of petroleum resources
- Holistic approach, combining management of resources, the environment, safety and revenue

OfD - Building Partnerships

- The Norwegian public institutions involved in the OfD Programme are:
 - The Norwegian Petroleum Directorate
 - Norwegian Environment Agency
 - Petroleum Safety Authority Norway
 - Norwegian Oil Taxation Office
 - Norwegian Coastal Administration
 - Statistics Norway
- Long term and broad based institutional cooperation with sister organisations in partner countries
- Other actors involved are consultancies and research institutions and multilateral actors such as the IMF and the World Bank.

**Statistics
Production and
dissemination**

**Users of
Statistics**

**Outcome:
Statistics
contribution**

Statistics:
Oil and Gas investment statistics, Oil Production statistics, Trade statistics, Business statistics, Employment statistics, Price indices, Environmental statistics, Statistics on living condition etc.

National Accounts

Macroeconomic models

**Public/society/
media/researchers**

Policy makers

**Statistics
Enables**

**Better management of oil
resources**

**Holding politicians
accountable**

Knowledge based decisions

OfD - Statistics component Uganda

- Cooperation between Uganda Bureau of Statistics and Statistics Norway
- Current 3 year program 2015-17:
 - Oil and gas investment statistics (survey)
 - National accounts
 - Statistical business register

OfD - Statistics component Ghana

- Cooperation between Ghana Statistical Service, Ministry of Finance in Ghana and SN
- Development of economic statistics
 - Focus on the petroleum sector
 - System for regular Business Surveys
 - Develop infrastructure for a statistical business register
 - Oil investments
 - National Accounts
 - Introduce supply and use tables
- Planning phase but some work has started

OfD - Macroeconomic component Ghana

- Develop a macroeconomic model
 - From guesstimate sectoral growth rates
 - To a model rooted in the national accounts
- Provide useful feedback to the producers of statistics
- Increase demand for new statistics
- Will start in April 2017

Summing up

- Build new partnerships in the effort of developing better NSS and capacity for statistics
- Work more directly with users
- Find new ways of aligning donor funding to statistics to prioritised political issues