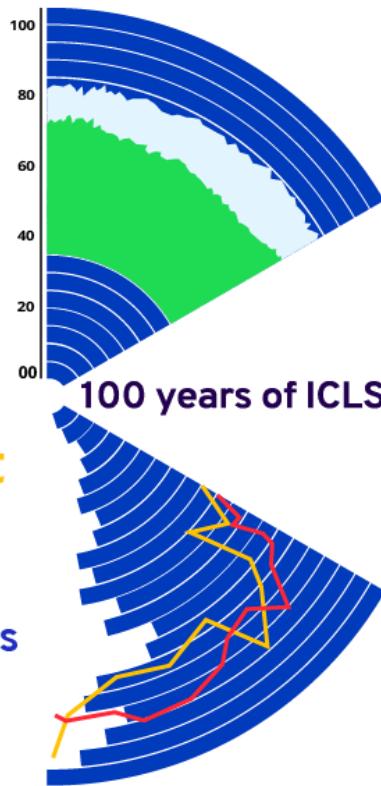


21<sup>st</sup>

► International Conference of Labour Statisticians  
11-20 October 2023



Update of the resolutions and guidance  
on the measurement of work-related  
income

## Update of the resolutions and guidance on the measurement of work-related income

## Mise à jour des résolutions et de la documentation concernant la mesure des revenus liés au travail

## Actualización de las resoluciones y las orientaciones sobre la medición de los ingresos relacionados con el trabajo

Participants in the Conference will be asked to express their views on: (a) the proposed amendments to the 16th ICLS resolution I and the 17th ICLS resolution I; (b) the priorities for future work, referring to the areas identified in the room document on the amendment of existing standards and guidance on work-related income; and (c) whether there is a need to develop new statistical standards for presentation to the 22nd ICLS, necessitating the establishment of a working group of experts or, if not, how else this work could be advanced.

Les participants à la Conférence seront invités à donner leur avis sur: a) les propositions d'amendements à la résolution I de la 16e CIST et à la résolution I de la 17e CIST; b) les priorités des travaux futurs, à partir des domaines indiqués dans le document de séance sur la modification des normes et de la documentation actuelles sur les revenus liés au travail; c) la nécessité ou non d'établir de nouvelles normes statistiques à présenter à la 22e CIST, ce qui supposerait la création d'un groupe d'experts ou, dans la négative, la manière dont ces travaux pourraient être menés à bien.

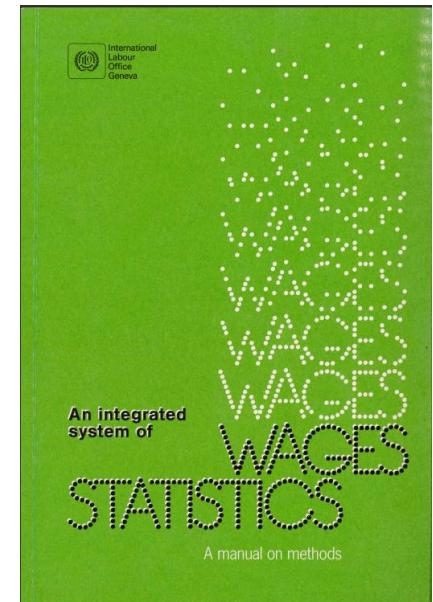
Se pedirá a los participantes en la Conferencia que expresen sus puntos de vista en cuanto a: a) las propuestas de enmiendas a la Resolución I de la 16.<sup>a</sup> CIET y la Resolución I de la 17.<sup>a</sup> CIET; b) las prioridades respecto a la labor futura, que se refieren a las esferas señaladas en el documento de sala relativo a la modificación de las normas y orientaciones existentes sobre los ingresos relacionados con el trabajo, y c) si es necesario elaborar nuevas normas estadísticas para su presentación a la 22.<sup>a</sup> CIET, lo que requeriría la creación de un grupo de trabajo de expertos, o, en caso contrario, de qué otra forma podría impulsarse esta labor.

## Content

- ▶ Statistical standards on work-related income
- ▶ Need for revision
- ▶ Proposed amendments to the 16th and 17th ICLS resolutions
- ▶ Ideas for future work
- ▶ Regional consultations
- ▶ Discussions
- ▶ Presentation of amended resolutions

## Evolution of standards

- ▶ **1923, 1st ICLS**, Statistics of wages and hours of labour were discussed
- ▶ **1938, Convention concerning Statistics of Wages and Hours of Work (No. 63, outdated instrument)**
- ▶ **1949, 7th ICLS**, Resolution concerning the methods of obtaining statistics of earnings from payroll
- ▶ **1954, 8th ICLS**, Resolution concerning the international comparison of real wages
- ▶ **1962, 10th ICLS**, Resolution concerning statistics of hours of work
- ▶ **1966, 11th ICLS**, Resolution concerning statistics of labour cost
- ▶ **1973, 12th ICLS**, Resolution concerning an integrated system of wages statistics
- ▶ **1979, An integrated system of wages statistics. A manual on methods, ILO**
- ▶ **1985, Labour Statistics Convention (No. 160)**
- ▶ **1998, 16th ICLS**, Resolution concerning the measurement of employment-related income
- ▶ **2003, 17th ICLS**, Resolution concerning household income and expenditure statistics



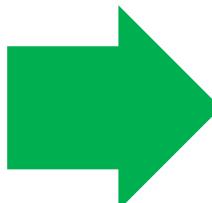
► **Amendments to the 16th ICLS resolution (I)**

**The ways in which people work and receive remuneration have evolved significantly**

## Need for revision (II)

**18th ICLS, 2008**

Resolution concerning the measurement of working time

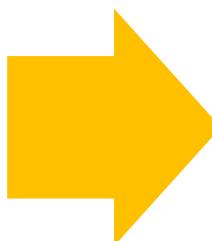


**10th ICLS, 1962**

Resolution concerning statistics of hours of work

**19th ICLS, 2013**

Resolution concerning statistics of work, employment and labour underutilization

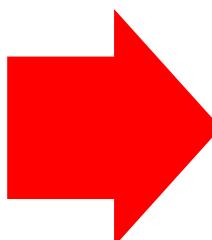


**13th ICLS, 1982**

Resolution concerning statistics of the economically active population, employment, unemployment and underemployment

**20th ICLS, 2018**

Resolution concerning statistics on work relationships



**15th ICLS, 1993**

Resolution concerning the International Classification of Status in Employment (ICSE)

## Amendments to the 16th ICLS resolution (I)

### 20th ICLS, ICSE-18

- employment for pay
- employment for profit

ICSE is essential for the concepts of employment-related income

### 15th ICLS, ICSE-93

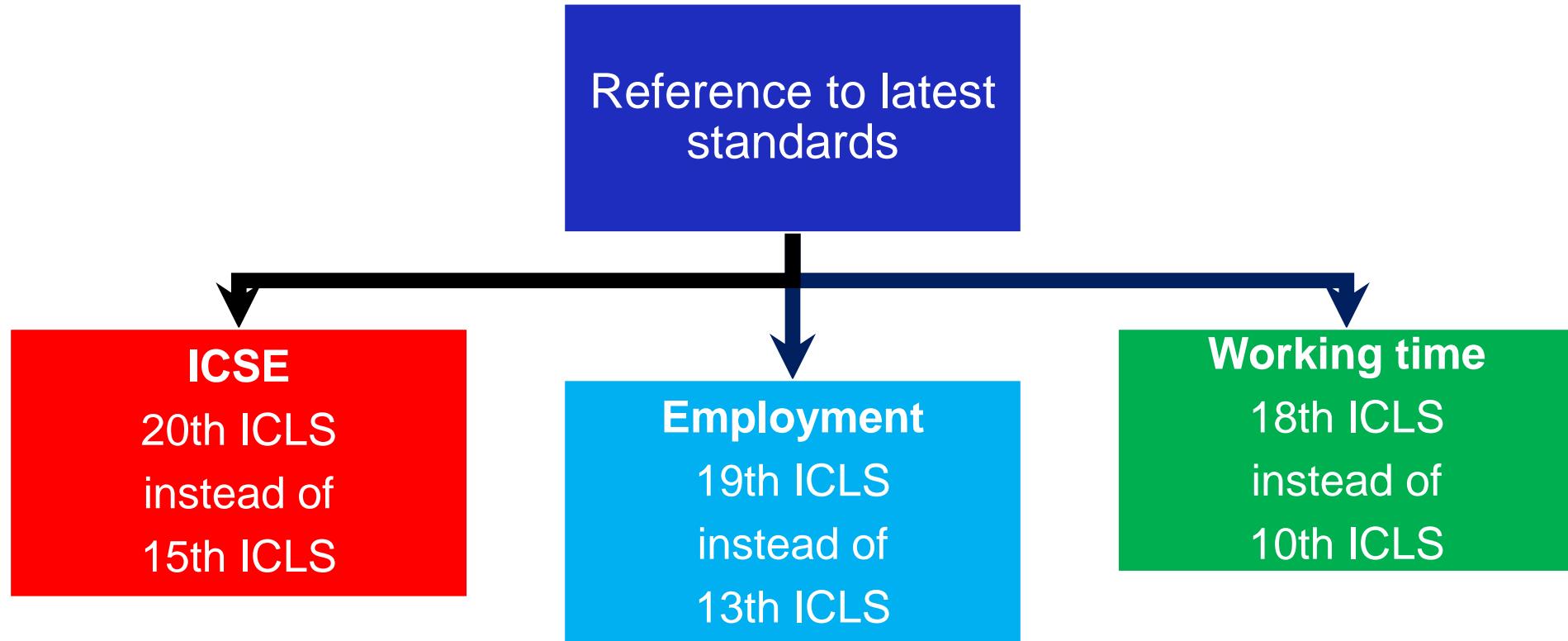
- paid employment
- self-employment

### Owner-operators of corporations

ICSE-18: employment for pay

ICSE-93: self-employment

## Amendments to the 16th ICLS resolution (II)



## ► Amendments to the 16th ICLS resolution (III)

Add details to make text clearer, to avoid ambiguity

Update language

Exclude text not relevant anymore or contradicting latest standards

► **Amendments to the 17th ICLS resolution**

## Changes proposed to the 16th ICLS resolution

Recognize income generated by engagement in all forms of work  
*not just from employment and production of goods for own consumption*

► **Special case – Spanish versions of resolutions**

Reemplazo de los términos "empleo" y "desempleo" por los términos "ocupación" y "desocupación", como se decidió en la 19.<sup>a</sup> CIET

## Importance for future work



# Regional consultations

## May – June 2023

## Regional consultations

### Four online meetings with ILO constituents

- ▶ Africa
- ▶ Asia and the Pacific
- ▶ Latin America and the Caribbean
- ▶ Europe, North America, Arab States

#### Agenda:

- Amendments to resolutions
- Survey tools tested by the ILO
- Countries' needs and future work

### Key conclusions

- ▶ General agreement on the need to amend resolutions at the 21st ICLS
- ▶ Strong request for a review of existing standards and measurement guidance in the future



# 16th and 17th ICLS resolutions

## Proposed amendments