



Meeting Challenges and Innovating Government Statistics

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I. Introduction



II. Challenges of Chinese Government Statistics

- **Dramatic increase in statistical demand**
- **Extremely complicated situation of respondents**
- **Increasing complexity in organizing statistical surveys**
- **Growing difficulty in collecting data**



III. Measures to Innovate Chinese Government Statistics

- **Reform of statistical methodology**
- **Continuous improvement of statistical monitoring system**
- **Further efforts to improve statistical capacity**
- **Utilization of new information and communications technology**



Reform of Statistical Methodology

- Overall design of statistical survey system
- Statistics on service industries
- Statistics on employment and livelihood
- Improving statistical indicator systems



Continuous Improvement of Statistical Monitoring System

- **Statistical monitoring system on income distribution**
- **Statistical monitoring system on resources and environment**
- **Statistical monitoring system on economic performance**
- **Statistical monitoring system on social development**



Further Efforts to Improve Statistical Capacity

- **Reforming the mode of producing statistics.**
- **Exploring new sources of data.**



Utilization of New Information and Communications Technology

- **Wider use of ITC in censuses and statistical surveys**
- **Better network coverage of local statistical offices**
- **Stronger databank system**



Thank you!

