

## Annex: Q & A

Country /Name	Questions	Answers
Indicator 8.5.2		
Iraq – Hamid Abdulla	What is the impact of unregistered labor on the local labor market (unskilled) and its impact on the extent to which sustainable development goals are achieved?	<p>There is a conceptual difference between the unemployment rate captured from a household survey and the registered unemployment. And because there are different conceptually in how the two measures are, ILO does not include the registered unemployment in the global database.</p> <p>For the same reason, the unemployment rate that only meets two of the criteria (instead of three) is not included as well. In summary, only internationally comparable data from household surveys are included in the measure of this indicator.</p>
Indicator 8.b.1		
Oman – Saif Al Fuliti	What is the age group covered by this indicator and questionnaire?	For this indicator, the “youth” age group depends on the national definition that could or could not match the UN youth definition (those aged 15 to 24). In some cases, the age bracket for youth is specified by policy / programme.
Indicator 10.7.1		
ESCWA	What is the time period to consider a person a resident in a country? Is it from three to 12 months?	As per the definition of international migrants, the recommendation is most of the time each year so that countries decide on the definition. But the choice is usually between more than six months or 12 months or more. Of course, there are migrant workers that go for shorter programs, and of course, these are also recognized as migrant workers, but for this indicator, the focus has been limited to those who are their country of residence because it involves a sort of greater investment in terms of a complete change of country of residency.
Saudi Arabia – Abdel Rahman Alarifi	Are administrative data a useful source of data for this indicator?	Administrative sources are very important, especially in countries where the administrative system is well established for producing statistics. It can be a very important source to, for example, identify the target population for a survey to capture the information at the individual level regarding the salary, and cost of recruitment.