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ADB/ESCAP Workshop on research, tools and data for evidence-based trade policymaking 5-6 November 2015 (UNCC, MR A)	
5 November	Day 1
08.45-9.00	Opening Yu Bokhwan, Deputy Dean (CBT and Special Activities), ADBI Susan F. Stone, Director, TID, ESCAP
09:00 – 10.15	Global Value Chains: Concepts and main drivers and measuring GVCs participation (basic statistical issues) - Input-output approach - Parts and components trade Mia Mikic, ESCAP and Marko Javorsek, ESCAP (tbc)
10.15 – 10.30	Coffee break
10.30 – 11.00	GVCs in Asia and the Pacific: Stylized facts (based on APTIR Part II) ESCAP Witada Anukoonwattaka, ESCAP
11.00 -12.30	Competitiveness in GVCs: selected issues - The hidden role of service sectors (servicification) - Trade costs Witada Anukoonwattaka, ESCAP and Yann Duval, ESCAP
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
13.30 – 14.45	Production transformation and GVCs - Skill mapping - FDI dynamics - Productivity spillovers (TBC)
14.45 – 15.00	Coffee break
15.00 – 16.30	Case studies review (3-4 country case-studies to review conditions and drivers for success or failure from long-term development perspective) Examples to consider: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Thailand Automotive, - Malaysia Electronics,

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangladesh Garments, - Food/Agriculture supply chains, - Cambodia Footwear <p>Speakers from private sector (tbc), Andre Wirjo, PSU, APEC Masato Abe, ESCAP (tbc)</p>
16.30-17.00	Discussion and summary of day 1
6 November	Day 2
09:00 -12:00	<p>Managing NTMs: classification, statistical challenges and policy implications (resource persons from ITC and UNCTAD to be confirmed)</p> <p>Monder Mimouni (ITC, tbc) Adam Heal, ESCAP Gloria Pasadilla, PSU, APEC</p>
12.00 -13.00	Lunch
13.00 - 16.00	<p>a) Update on measuring services trade flows and (b) Use of iTIP-services and other relevant platform for services statistics.</p> <p>Mia Mikic, ESCAP /Witada Anukoonwattaka, ESCAP Andre Wirjo, PSU, APEC WTO (tbc)</p>