## THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Statistics South Africa Agricultural Statistics

## THE CLASSIFICATION

The Agricultural Statistics Unit produces statistics on: Primary agriculture products only

The classification used is: Central Product Classifications (CPC)

Website	No
Languages	English
Correspondence tables	No
Explanatory notes	No

Extent of coherence of the classification with other international or regional classifications: A number of products are provided at lower/more specific level

No relationship	Only minor similarities	Similar	Very Similar	Identical
			CPC Ver.2	

Plans to implement other international/regional classifications in the future: Already in use

Data conversion to other international classifications: Yes (CPC Ver.2)

## **CLASSIFICATION MANAGEMENT**

Storage	Spreadsheet
Dissemination	Attached to time series data tables
Editing	Directly in spreadsheet, document or XML file
Dissemination through web services	No
Update/maintenance of different versions	Yes
SDMX/DDI	Neither

## **CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT**

Capacity development is required on: Information (e.g. conferences, seminars, workshops etc.); Trainings; International classifications principles and features; Classifications good practices; Correspondences between national and international classifications; How to develop, structure and implement your classification for agriculture and food statistics based on international classifications; How to manage your classifications (store, disseminate, update and maintain).