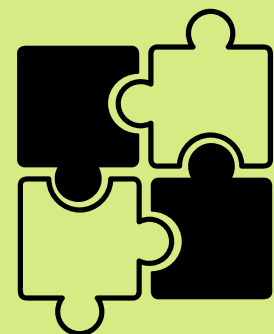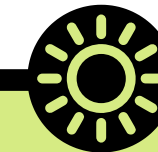# GSIM

What is GSIM?

GSIM is a reference framework for information needed by statistical organizations to produce statistical outputs.
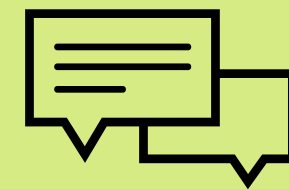
GSIM contains about 130 information objects (e.g. "Variable", "Data Set", "Provision Agreement") with their definition and relation with each other.

GSIM evolves to reflect new ways of producing statistics. The latest version came out in 2019.
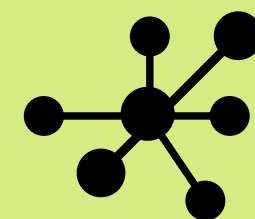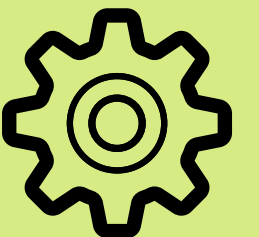
How does GSIM help statistical organizations?

GSIM facilitates communication between different fields (e.g. business, IT, methodology) by providing common language.

GSIM provides greater opportunity to reuse and share methods, components & processes.

Greater value will be obtained when used together with GSBPM as GSBPM harmonizes process and GSIM standardizes information flow within the process.

For more details, visit UNECE GSIM Wikis: https://statswiki.unece.org/display/GSIM/