

# Colectica for Metadata at Statistics Denmark

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## Scope for project #1

Pilot study using QAF, DDI, GSBPM and parts of GSIM

- DDI as common model with reuse of concepts, variables, categories and codes
- Fulfilment of Code of Practice (CoP) and Quality Assurance Framework (QAF) using Single Integrated Metadatastructure (SIMS)
- Thesaurus with concepts that links micro and macro (on selected areas)
- Common categories and codes
- “Information at your fingertips” via metadata on Internet
- GSBPM-processes and external-user processes established

## Scope for project #2

### **A. "What-documentation" – content of statistics**

- 1) Quality declarations
- 2) Concepts
- 3) Variables
- 4) Categories and codes (classifications)

**Focus in 2013-14: Quality  
Declarations and Concepts**

### **B. "How-documentation" – how we produce the statistics**

- 1) Management : Business Case, Project plan, Status, Evaluation etc
- 2) Work-processes: (workflow, user-guides, process descriptions etc.)
- 3) IT: Requirement-, Design-, Test-, Maintenance-documents etc

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## Deliverables end 2014

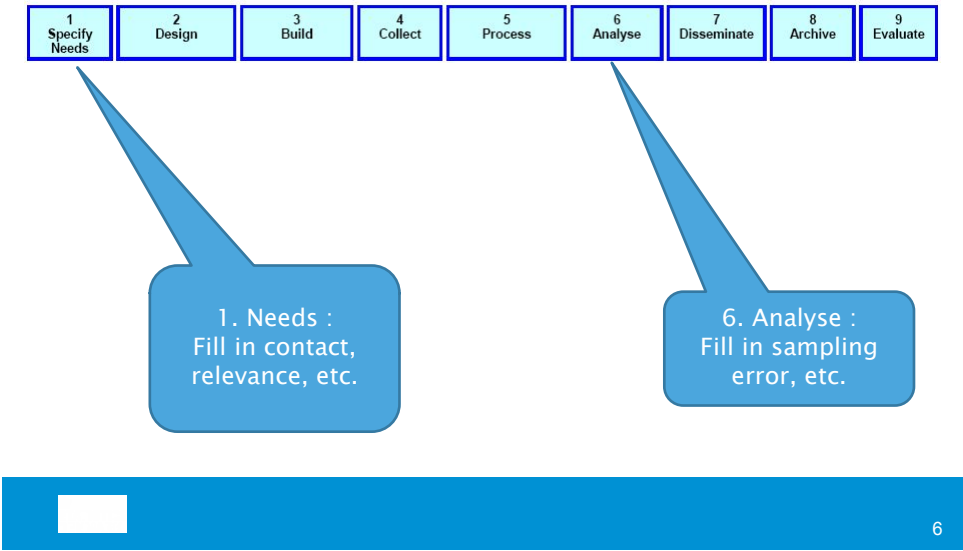
- Quality Declarations for all (EU) products
- Complying with EU standards
  - Structure
  - Quality indicators
- Accessible on [www.dst.dk](http://www.dst.dk)
  - According to our own standards
  - A one-page overview

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Selected processes in focus

Quality Management / Metadata management								
1 Specify Needs	2 Design	3 Build	4 Collect	5 Process	6 Analyse	7 Disseminate	8 Archive	9 Evaluate
1.1 Determine needs for information	2.1 Design outputs	3.1 Build data-collection instrument	4.1 Select sample	5.1 Integrate data	6.1 Prepare draft output	7.1 Update output system	8.1 Define archive rules	9.1 Gather evaluation inputs
1.2 Consult and confirm needs	2.2 Design variable description	3.2 Build or enhance process components	4.2 Set up collection	5.2 Classify and code	6.2 Validate output	7.2 Produce dissemination product	8.2 Manage archive repository	9.2 Conduct evaluation
1.3 Establish output objectives	2.3 Design data collection methodology	3.3 Configure work flows	4.3 Run collection	5.3 Review, validate and edit	6.3 Scrutinize and explain	7.3 Manage release of dissemination product	8.3 Preserve data and associated metadata	9.3 Agree action plan
1.4 Identify concepts	2.4 Design frame & sample meth.	3.4 Test production system	4.4 Finalize collection	5.4 Impute	6.4 Apply disclosure control	7.4 Promote dissemination product	8.4 Dispose of data and associated metadata	
1.5 Check data availability	2.5 Design statistical processing methodology	3.5 Test statistical business process		5.5 Derive new variables and stat. Units	6.5 Finalize output	7.5 Manage user support		
1.6 Prepare business case	2.6 Design prod. system and workflow	3.6 Finalise production system		5.6 Calculate weights				
				5.7 Calculate aggregates				
				5.8 Finalise data files				
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Workprocesses and quality declarations



## Future

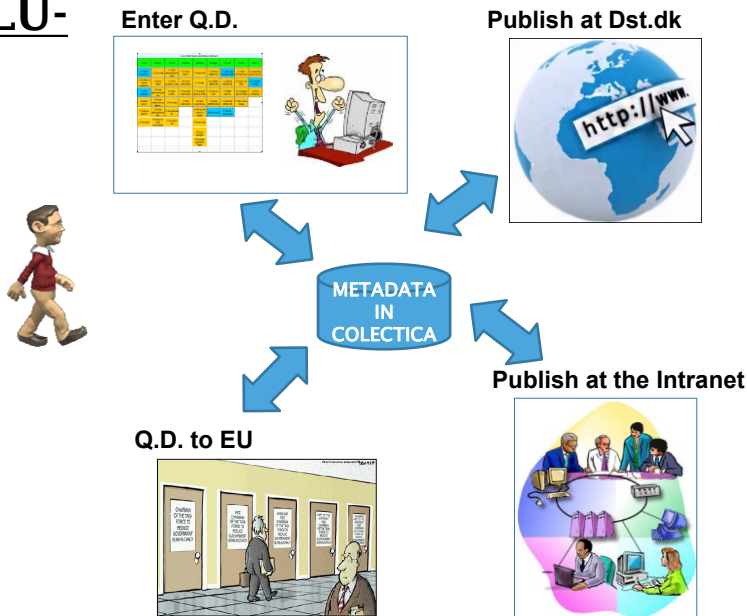
- Sustained contact with key user segments (from focus groups)
- Demonstrate and discuss progress
- Provoke feed-back
- Continuous improvement



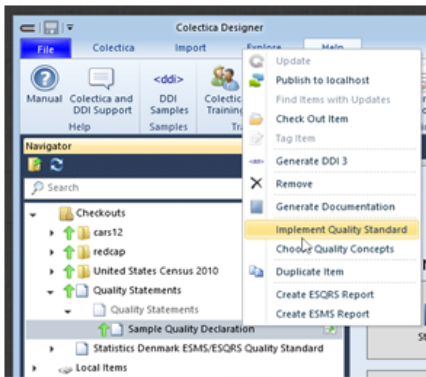
# Implementation Using Colectica

**THE SOLUTION**

**REUSE EXISTING  
METADATA**

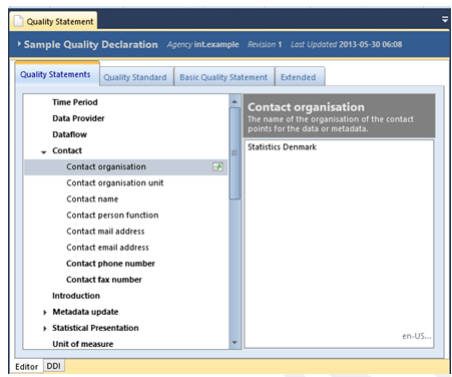


**Many standards supported**



- ESMS
- ESQRS
- SIMS
- NSI-specific standards
- etc

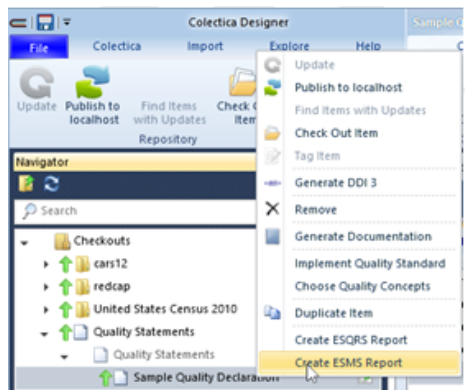
## Internal interface



- Prefill as much as possible from existing metadata
  - Contacts
  - Contact information
  - Data description
  - Coverage
  - Statistical population
  - Release policy
  - Etc.

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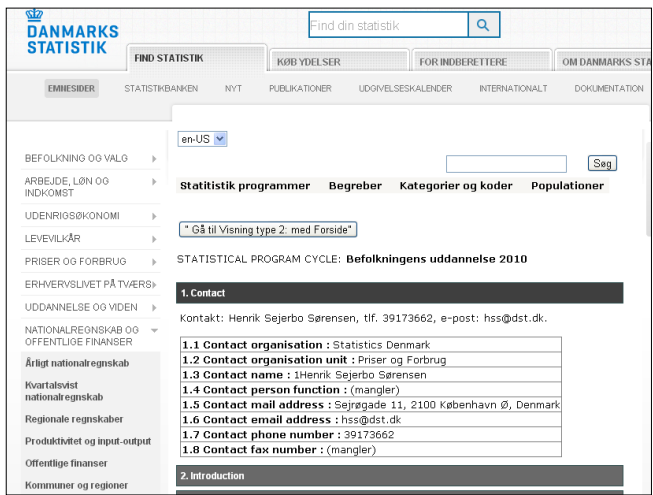
## Generate reports with standard compliance



- ESMS
- ESQRS
- SIMS
- etc

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## Customized presentation at dst.dk

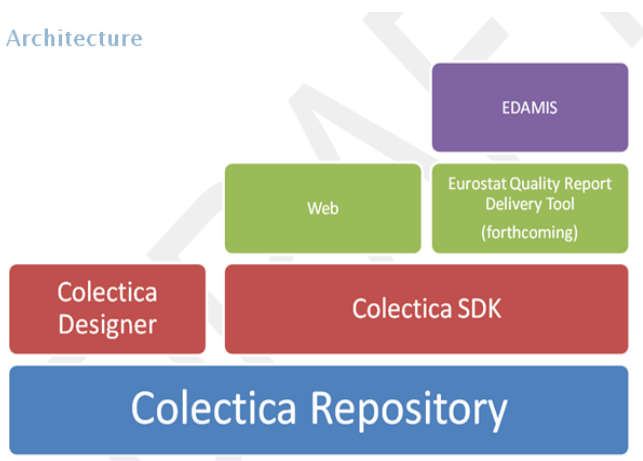


- Must support user's business processes
- Many views into quality declarations

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## Software elements

Architecture



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## Why Colectica

- Standard product
  - Minimized own development
  - Minimized maintenance
  - Total cost decimated
- Building on well established standards
  - SDMX, DDI, SIMS, GSBPM
- Used by some good NSIs
  - New Zealand, Canada, Denmark
  - Allows for help & sharing of knowledge
- Elements from NSIs being integrated
- Competent company with high quality people

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