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Miscellaneous

The CEPII is animating a Group of Scientific Interest (GIS) focused on Trade policy, created in 2002, jointly with the INRA (French institute for agronomic research) and the French Ministry of Finance (Forecasting Directorate and Directorate for External Economic Relationships). This Group facilitates exchanges and co-operation between its members, and organises seminars on trade policies.

The CEPII has in addition provided to GTAP successive versions of the MAcMap database in the GTAP classification, in view to serve as input for the GTAP 6 database. The 2004 version of the database is under construction and will be made available to the Consortium in HS6 format for evaluation. Updated documentation for this database is made available at http://www.cepii.fr/anglaisgraph/bdd/macmap.htm.

A detailed version of MAcMap-HS6, version 1 (at the HS6 level), has been made available to board members. This same version is also publicly available from the CEPII, conditional to the payment of $900 to ITC (UNCTAD-WTO). Contact: macmap@cepii.fr The objective in 2006 is to disseminate at zero cost and through WITS MAcMap-HS6 2004 in order to allow the wide community of modellers to run tariff cuts at the detailed level.

The CEPII has launched a group of users of its CGE model nicknamed MIRAGE (EU Commission, UNECA, IFPRI, ITC, inter alia), model using the GTAP and the MacMapHS6 databases. A Scientific Advisory Board comprising representatives of institutions having signed an agreement with the CEPII will take care of the co-ordination of the works done by its members.