WORKING CONFERENCE

An working conference with managers of electronic computing centres from ministries, central bodies of synthesis and from certain industrial centrals, enterprises and districts, organized by the Centre of Informatics and Cybernetics for Planning in collaboration with Central Institute of Management and Informatics, unfolded during 14th — 15th of October, 1976 within the State Planning Committee.

The conference was opened by G. Stroe-Vicepresident-from State Planning Committee and Professor M. Drăgănescu-General Director-from Central Institute of Management and Informatics, which refered to the trends and ways concerning the continuous increase of designing efficiency and utilization of information systems and economic-mathematical models into the planning activity.

The conference works unfolded both in plenary meetings and on sections having the following themes;

— Unitary concept of planning information systems at the level of national economy and of branch and subbranch coordinates;

— Information subsystems for investment planning;

— Information subsystems for planning the foreign trade, labour force and price-finance.

— The debates foccussed on the concrete informatic designs. The discussions were directed toward the integrating possibilities of these applications into a unitary system as well as, the programs generalization at more organizational levels.

The participants- specialists in the field of informatics and planning activity- have outlined the initiative of State Planning Committee to organize such an working conference.

It was also stressed the present and future demand for a close lucrative collaboration among the electronic computing centres within a unitary concept of achieving the planning information system.

With a view to increasing the efficiency in designing and planning the information system, a program for working out and coordinating this activity was presented. The collaboration among specialists which take part in achieving this system was also decided to be intensified.

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