

**12<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the INTOSAI Standing Committee on EDP Audit:  
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**Report on the Committee's Web Site: Paper by SAI-UK**

1. This paper reports developments on the Committee's Internet Web Site (<http://www.intosaiitaudit.org>) since the last meeting in New Delhi in November 2002.
2. Over the past two years the number of web site visits has increased steadily from under 2,000 to over 7,500 per month, with the average length of a visit doubling to over 20 minutes. Unfortunately we do not know what types of visitors we attract. An analysis by country suggests that the majority are from the USA, followed by the UK, Australia and Canada. The annex contains a summary of statistics.
3. With regards to web site development and maintenance, since November 2002 we have:
  - Introduced the new domain name [www.intosaiitaudit.org](http://www.intosaiitaudit.org);
  - Added Editions 17 & 18 of *intoIT*;
  - Introduced drop-down menus and a site map to aid navigation;
  - Maintained facilities to allow users to register interests;
  - Maintained the index of Committee member's web sites;
  - Significantly expanded the list of reference material (see separate report).
4. We aim to update the web site approximately every two weeks. This involves cataloguing other quality IT-related performance audit material that comes to our attention, and adding additional information resources that we believe will be of interest or use to IT auditors working in the public sector. We also carry out a review of the validity of our pointers to material held on other web sites from time to time and remove any links that are no longer valid.
5. As always we welcome comments and suggestions for improvements and the inclusion of new material.
6. As the last meeting, the Committee suggested that any major changes to the web site could be tested by an Advisory Board – consisting of SAIs India, Oman, USA and Zimbabwe, an offer that was most welcome. In the event it has not been necessary to make any major changes that require testing in this way, but we hope that the offer still stands for the future.
7. The Committee is invited to note the improvements and additions to the web site, and to make suggestions for further improvements and the addition of new material.

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