

## **EUROSAI DEA SG2 workshop VII: “On the DEA Project and Other Benchmarking Methods”**

**Lisbon, 5–6 December 2024**

On 5–6 December 2024, the 7th Workshop on the DEA (Data Envelopment Analysis) Project was held in Lisbon, Portugal, organized by EUROSAI SG2 in cooperation with the Swedish National Audit Office and the Office of the Auditor General of Norway. The event promoted the exchange of knowledge on the use of the DEA method and other advanced benchmarking methods, aimed at improving performance audits.



On the first day, the event began with presentations on the fundamental principles of DEA and its applications. The presentations focused on efficiency and productivity analysis, while participants took part in discussions and practical exercises. The main focus was on assessing efficiency in performance audits, including the identification of key audit questions, data collection methods, and data analysis.

On the second day, presentations were delivered by national and international experts on the application of DEA in the public sector and its combination with other methods for assessing efficiency. Participants engaged in practical case studies using the pioneerR application, which helped further develop their practical skills.

The participants subsequently presented and interpreted their results. The event concluded with discussions on the next steps and closing remarks from the organizers.

At this event, the Albanian Supreme Audit Institution (ALSAI) was represented by Ms. Aulona Jonuzi, Director of the Department of Methodology, Strategic Planning and Professional Development, and Ms. Miranda Misini, auditor in the same department.