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Chapter 14: Typical summary presentations

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Comments on Chapter 14: Typical summary presentations

Comments received as of 12 March 2007¹ from:

Countries (12)	ISWGNA (4)	Others (2)
Australia	Eurostat	European Central Bank
Canada	IMF	Pitzer, John
China	OECD	
Czech Republic	UNSD	
Denmark		
Hong Kong		
Korea		
Mexico		
Russia		
South Africa		
Switzerland		
Vietnam		

After having carefully reviewed the comments received from countries, AEG members, ISWGNA members and individuals, the ISWGNA decided that many comments seem to be related to the unconventional way of presenting the sequence of accounts for a closed economy by aggregating the rest of the world accounts to the account of the total economy.

The ISWGNA decided that the redrafting should be from the perspective of an open economy. Follow-up on other comments will be undertaken by the ISWGNA and the Editor.

¹ All comments on this chapter received as of 12 March 2007 can be found at the 1993 Update website.