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**Global Consultation  
Draft Guidelines on  
Integrated Economic  
Statistics**

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## Comment Form

### *Draft Guidelines on Integrated Economic Statistics*

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To submit responses please save the completed form and send it as an attachment to the following e-mail address: [sna@un.org](mailto:sna@un.org) by Monday, 10 January 2011. You are encouraged to submit a short response to the questions (yes/no/no comment) even if you have no further comments to offer in the comment boxes. Please focus your comments on substantive issues since a final edit of the Guidelines will be conducted after the February 2011 Statistical Commission meeting.

#### Relevant documents

The draft publication is available on the global consultation website:  
<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/nationalaccount/ies/>

#### Questions

1. Do you agree that the *Guidelines* covers well the practical aspects and experiences of the integration of economic statistics?

Yes  No  No comment

#### Comment:

The Guidelines on integrated economic statistics is very useful and comprehensive material, covering a lot of practical examples and valuable methodological concepts and definitions in respect to the harmonisations of business and sectoral statistics standards with macroeconomic standards. It examines in details institutional arrangements and management culture to achieve integration of economic statistics, which could be a good base for reorganisation of the statistical systems for some countries.

2. Do you consider that the *Guidelines* takes due note of the difficulties faced by countries in the integrated collection, compilation and dissemination of economic statistics?

Yes  No  No comment

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The Guidelines covered very well the difficulties, which could be faced by countries in the integrated collection, compilation and dissemination of economic statistics, including difficulties related to institutional arrangements persistent in some countries.

3. Were there any aspects of integration which you feel have not been sufficiently well-covered?

Yes  No  No comment

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The Guidelines could also point out the harmonisation and integration of national accounts with monetary and financial statistics, which is important for ensuring consistency, improving data quality and users understanding for analytical purposes.

4. Do you find the case studies useful and practical?

Yes  No  No comment

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5. Would you like to make or seek any specific elaborations in Chapter 1 to Chapter 7 or in the Annexes?

Yes  No  No comment

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