Comments on draft SNA chapter: Chapter 14: Summarising and presenting the accounts

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1. Sections B and C describe the derivation of the most common macro-economic aggregates.

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	Click here and start typing. I would recommend to combine the tables 14.1 and at least the first part of 14.5. It should be explained more clearly whether balance of primary incomes is 1854 or 1883.
	In 14.23, the equation should be corrected on 1854=762+459+442+191, i.e. Compensation of employees should not contain compensation payable by non-residents.
2.	Section D mentions the need to present the accounts in time series format.
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3.	Section E describes the place of volume measures in the accounts.
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5.	Section J describes alternative presentations of the accounts.
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