

**Comments on draft SNA**  
**Chapter 29: Satellite accounts and other extensions**

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This template allows you to record your comments on draft SNA chapter 29 “Satellite accounts and other extensions” and, at the same time, makes it easy for us to use your comments in considering revisions to the draft chapter. You may complete any or all parts of the template.

*Note that the examples of tables for the tourism, environmental and health satellites included in the chapter are exact pdf extracts from pages of those manuals. They will be formatted and numbered for the SNA later.*

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**Part I: General comments**

In the space below, please provide any general comments. This may cover e.g. the structure of the chapter, issues missing and (lack of) consistency with other chapters of the 2008 SNA.

*General comments:*

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## Part II: Comments on specific draft paragraphs and sections

All comments on specific draft paragraphs are welcome. They can be about e.g. scope, content and clarity. Proposing a concrete alternative text or table is also possible. For the paragraphs in separate sections, separate forms are used for providing and collecting comments (see below).

### A. Introduction (paragraphs 29.1-29.8)

General comment	Click here and start typing.
29.1	To say that satellite accounts remain still <u>fully</u> integrated seems for us a bit thick. Perhaps “more or less” would be more adequate.
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\* Insert rows in this Word table for each paragraph on which you wish to comment.

### B. Functional classifications (paragraphs 29.9-29.20)

General comment	Click here and start typing.
29.9	Click here and start typing.
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### C. Satellite accounts for key sector and other special sector accounts (paragraphs 29.21-29.30)

General comment	Click here and start typing.
29.21	We would prefer to label groupings of industries rather as “industries” or “groups of industries” than “sectors”. Although it was common practise, why should industries be mixed with (institutional) sectors?
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### D. Satellite accounts; options for conceptual variations (paragraphs 29.31-29.52)

General comment	Click here and start typing.
29.37	On 11 <sup>th</sup> row, the second “is” should perhaps be replaced, e.g. with “in”.
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**E. Possible tables for a satellite account (paragraphs 29.53-29.82)**

General comment	Click here and start typing.
29.64	On the 6 <sup>th</sup> row, the last “s” should perhaps be deleted.
29.67 d	Inclusion of agriculture should be considered in 2 <sup>nd</sup> sentence (for industries with important non-produced non*financial assets).

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**F. Examples of satellite accounts (paragraphs 29.83-29.157)**

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29.83	Click here and start typing.
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**Part III. Other specific comments**

You are welcome to make other specific comments. To assist you in doing so, the following points are provided as a guide to the types of points on which you might wish to comment. Note, though, that you are not restricted to commenting on only these points.

1. Is the description of key satellite accounts clear and sufficient?
2. Are Sections D and E concerning the options for satellite accounts in general helpful?
3. Are there more examples of satellite accounts that should be referenced or described in Section F?

*Specific comments:*

Specific comments	<p>In table labeled 2.9, part of the name “(SEEALand ...) is not clear.</p> <p>In the column for Total economy, the number for sum of Products in physical units is missing although it is shown in Total use (701). Similarly the sum for “Total supply” should be filled in the same column.</p> <p>We recommend to adjust figures for item 10. There is an inequality in row for item 10:  <math>(7+26 = 33) + 4+373 = 410 \neq 409</math></p>
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