

Impact of the SUT and NA integration on the compilation process of the annual Hungarian NAs

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Hungary has been working on the new integrated approach to National Accounts for several years. The aim at this paper is to present the most recent strategic improvement in this field. That is the full integration of the SUT and the regular National Accounts compilation process implementing the Norwegian software called SNA-NT. The first part of this paper gives an overview on the new methodology and data sources. Special attention is made on the solutions of problems raised during the adoption of the system.

The second part of this paper focuses on the advantages and difficulties of this improvements and deals with its impact on the whole NA compilation process. The SUT integration revealed a number of issues that were assessed in the form of new or improved methodologies, corrections to the raw data and balancing adjustments.