

ANNEX A

Text Figure 9 and Annex Figure 1 show differences in trade data compiled by the U.S. and Canada. The U.S.-source data show a U.S. trade surplus in recent years while Canada-source data show a Canadian surplus. That outcome may please citizens of the respective countries but both countries cannot enjoy trade surplus at the same time! We were unable to reconcile the two sources of data from information on coverage of commodities and transshipments, although the U.S. data on exports to Canada appear to be underestimated in the 1980s.

