

SUMMARIES IN ENGLISH

1. INDEXES CHARACTERIZING CHANGES IN EXPORT-IMPORT RATE FOR ANALYZING THE VIET NAM'S TRADING CONDITION IN PERIOD 1991-2000 (Continued)

Dr. Ly Minh Khai

The article presents some indexes that can be characterized for changes in export-import rate and applied in analysis of the Viet Nam's trading condition in period 1991 – 2000.

2. SOME VIEWS ON CALCULATION OF QUARTERLY AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION VALUE

Dr. Phung Chi Hien

The calculation of quarterly agricultural production value is a new issue that the General Statistical Office has not had detailed stipulations and guidance yet. According to the author, it is necessary to base on characteristics of the cultivating and breeding products; flexible application of general principles into concrete cases; and use of data from existing report regimes and surveys and specialist methods to calculate.

3. MODELS FOR ANALYZING CHANGES IN GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BECAUSE OF CHANGES IN FACTORS: LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY, NUMBER OF LABOURERS AND INTERMEDIATE COSTS

Tran Phuoc Tru - University of Da Nang

If viewing under the angle of labour utilization, the gross domestic product (GDP) depends on three factors: number of labourers, labour productivity and intermediate costs. There exists three cases (with particular models), which can be used for measuring and analyzing impact of each of the above-mentioned factors to changes in GDP.

4. SOME ISSUES ON CLASSIFICATION OF NATIONAL ECONOMIC BRANCHES

Ta Van Toan

The current system of national economic branches (industries) reveals many limitations in statistical work, which need to be studied to improve its scientificness, reality on some aspects. The author presents his opinions on concrete improvements and amendments to industries of levels 1, 2, 3 and 4.

5. ISSUES ON BASIC THEORY OF INCOME

MA. Pham Thi Lien - University of the Trading Union

According to the system of national accounts, income is viewed under four aspects: gross national income, net national income, used national income, and income of the people.

The article briefly presents basic arguments and formula for computing these statistics.

6. CORRECT DETERMINATION OF THE NATURE OF THE COMPONENT FACTORS OF THE INDICATOR OF INTERMEDIATE COSTS FACILITATING AN ACCURACY COMPUTATION OF THE GDP

Pham Dinh Han - Department of National Accounts

According to the production method, GDP is made up by three factors: production value, intermediate costs and import tax. The article clearly presents nature of components made up the intermediate costs. This would help to improve the accuracy in computing the GDP. For computing the production value, the GSO has given guide in accordance with UN standard methods.

7. DISCUSSION ON ECONOMIC EFFECT

Hong Loan - Ho Chi Minh City Statistical Office

Analysis of the economic result and effect is a complicated issue with various standpoints and views.

In recent years, the indicator of TFP has been widely used. It can be also used to analyze the TFP from the growth of added value or from the growth of labour productivity.

8. ASSESSMENT OF THE INFLATION

Nguyen Bich Lam

It is necessary to have a clear understanding and a right assessment of the inflation as it plays an important role in monitoring the economy.

The article presents concepts of the inflation and proposes two ways for computing the inflation, analyzing differences between the two indicators through evident of concrete data within and outside Viet Nam.

9. ESTABLISHMENT OF A SYSTEM OF TRANSPORTATION STATISTICS INDICATORS AND TABLES FOR ENTERPRISES

Nguyen Thi Ha

The implementation of the regime of transportation statistics reports has gained results, though there still exists certain limitations.

From the real implementation, in order to improve the quality of the statistics reports applied to transportation enterprises, it is necessary to establish a concrete system of statistic indicators and tables.