

	2008			2009				
	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Total	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Total
<b>The Real Sector</b> (% from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)								
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	195.7	175.4	-	159.5	176.4	185.7	199.8	-
Manufacturing Production Index without seasonally adjusted (level)	195.8	176.4	<b>190.2</b>	162.4	171.9	186.0	201.0	<b>180.3</b>
Manufacturing Production Index <b>without</b> seasonal adjustment	7.6	-8.0	<b>5.3</b>	-18.5	-9.2	-5.0	13.9	<b>-5.2</b>
Industrial Capacity Utilization (%)	67.9	60.2	<b>67.6</b>	58.1	59.2	62.5	67.2	<b>61.8</b>
Private Consumption Indicators								
- Retail Sales (at 2002 prices)	3.4	-6.4	<b>3.7</b>	-10.2	-8.4	-4.6	n.a.	<b>n.a.</b>
- Passenger Car Sales (units)	22.5	47.9	<b>33.1</b>	-16.2	-8.6	4.8	33.3	<b>4.2</b>
- Motorcycle Sales (units)	23.4	5.8	<b>12.1</b>	-17.1	-23.9	-13.0	3.0	<b>-13.0</b>
- Import of Consumer Goods (at 2000 prices)	29.9	1.6	<b>21.7</b>	-15.2	-17.2	-3.3	11.7	<b>-6.2</b>
Private Investment Indicators								
- Commercial Car Sales (units)	-25.9	-32.7	<b>-15.9</b>	-41.1	-30.2	-8.9	8.8	<b>-19.2</b>
- Imports of Capital Goods <sup>1/</sup> (at 2000 prices)	17.8	4.3	<b>14.2</b>	-17.6	-22.3	-17.3	-6.4	<b>-15.9</b>
- Cement Sales (tons)	-16.5	-13.9	<b>-10.3</b>	-12.5	-6.7	2.9	9.6	<b>-2.4</b>
Government cash balance (billions of baht)	40.0	-147.6	<b>-96.5</b>	-240.2	57.8	-90.3	-128.5	<b>-401.1</b>
Consumer Price Index								
- Food	13.9	14.4	<b>11.6</b>	10.0	4.9	1.8	1.5	<b>4.4</b>
- Non-food	3.0	-5.4	<b>1.7</b>	-6.9	-8.2	-5.2	1.9	<b>-4.8</b>
Core Inflation (exclude raw food and energy)	2.9	2.1	<b>2.4</b>	1.7	-0.1	-0.5	0.1	<b>0.3</b>
<b>External Accounts</b> (Millions of US\$, unless specified otherwise)								
Exports <sup>2/</sup>	49,353	38,212	<b>175,233</b>	33,331	33,968	40,714	42,870	<b>150,883</b>
(△%)	(26.1)	-(10.4)	<b>(15.9)</b>	-(20.0)	-(26.1)	-(17.5)	(12.2)	<b>-(13.9)</b>
Imports <sup>2/</sup>	49,635	39,630	<b>175,125</b>	25,587	30,087	35,595	40,197	<b>131,467</b>
(△%)	(39.4)	(5.3)	<b>(26.5)</b>	-(37.6)	-(33.0)	-(28.3)	(1.4)	<b>-(24.9)</b>
Trade Balance	-282	-1,418	<b>108</b>	7,744	3,882	5,118	2,673	<b>19,416</b>
Current Account Balance <sup>3/</sup>	-962	-1,540	<b>1,633</b>	9,541	2,763	3,713	4,274	<b>20,291</b>
Net Capital Flow <sup>3/ 4/</sup>								
- Monetary authorities <sup>5/</sup>	-56	-149	<b>61</b>	-149	-56	1,588	89	<b>1,472</b>
- Government	-504	-156	<b>-502</b>	-809	-107	-81	520	<b>-477</b>
- Bank	2,117	618	<b>10,602</b>	-2,180	1,142	4,407	4,908	<b>8,277</b>
- Others	-1,771	5,574	<b>4,443</b>	-61	-4,444	-4,129	-463	<b>-9,097</b>
Balance of Payments	503	8,198	<b>24,693</b>	7,428	1,274	7,657	7,768	<b>24,127</b>
Official Reserves (billions of US\$)	102.4	111.0	<b>111.0</b>	116.2	120.8	131.8	138.4	<b>138.4</b>
<b>Monetary Statistics (End of period)</b> (Billions of baht)								
Monetary Base	903.1	1,039.7	<b>1,039.7</b>	974.2	980.7	983.2	1,103.4	<b>1,103.4</b>
(△%)	(5.5)	(11.3)	<b>(11.3)</b>	(4.2)	(8.2)	(8.9)	(6.1)	<b>(6.1)</b>
Narrow Money	977.1	1,041.2	<b>1,041.2</b>	1,033.0	1,025.6	1,052.1	1,174.6	<b>1,174.6</b>
(△%)	(6.3)	(4.1)	<b>(4.1)</b>	(3.2)	(3.9)	(7.7)	(12.8)	<b>(12.8)</b>
Broad Money <sup>6/</sup>	9,410.0	9,948.7	<b>9,948.7</b>	10,241.0	10,143.0	10,120.6	10,597.3	<b>10,597.3</b>
(△%)	(4.7)	(9.2)	<b>(9.2)</b>	(9.0)	(9.1)	(7.6)	(6.5)	<b>(6.5)</b>
Depository Corporations Deposits <sup>6/ 7/</sup>	8,719.2	9,203.1	<b>9,203.1</b>	9,496.8	9,400.9	9,356.3	9,728.9	<b>9,728.9</b>
(△%)	(1.2)	(8.6)	<b>(8.6)</b>	(6.9)	(9.2)	(7.3)	(5.7)	<b>(5.7)</b>
Depository Corporations Private Credits <sup>6/ 7/</sup>	8,475.2	8,565.2	<b>8,565.2</b>	8,460.7	8,473.6	8,510.4	8,824.7	<b>8,824.7</b>
(△%)	(11.2)	(9.3)	<b>(9.3)</b>	(6.4)	(2.9)	(0.4)	(3.0)	<b>(3.0)</b>
<b>Interest Rates (% p.a.)</b>								
- Repurchase Rate, 1 day (closing rate daily average)	3.56	3.45	<b>3.38</b>	1.89	1.27	1.25	1.25	<b>1.42</b>
- Overnight Interbank Rate (mode daily average)	3.54	3.45	<b>3.35</b>	1.87	1.18	1.15	1.15	<b>1.34</b>
- Fixed Deposit Rate (1 year) <sup>8/</sup>	2.75-3.00	1.75-2.00	<b>1.75-2.00</b>	0.75-1.00	0.65-1.00	0.65-1.00	0.65-1.00	<b>0.65-1.00</b>
- Prime Rate (MLR) <sup>8/</sup>	7.25-7.50	6.75-7.00	<b>6.75-7.00</b>	6.00-6.50	5.85-6.25	5.85-6.25	5.85-6.25	<b>5.85-6.25</b>
<b>Exchange Rate (Baht : US\$)</b>	<b>33.89</b>	<b>34.84</b>	<b>33.38</b>	<b>35.36</b>	<b>34.68</b>	<b>33.96</b>	<b>33.31</b>	<b>34.32</b>
<sup>1/</sup> Excluding transportation <sup>2/</sup> BOP Basis <sup>3/</sup> From October 2006, the reinvested earning data (R.E.) is included in the Financial Account, with corresponding contra entry under "Investment Income" item by the same amount in the Current Account. Also, adjustments are made to the Balance of Payments data series to reflect RE since 2001. (Detail on BOT Press release No.45/2006) <a href="http://www.bot.or.th/bothomepage/General/PressReleasesAndSpeeches/PressReleases/news2549/Eng/n4549e.htm">http://www.bot.or.th/bothomepage/General/PressReleasesAndSpeeches/PressReleases/news2549/Eng/n4549e.htm</a> <sup>4/</sup> The latest net capital flow data shown is preliminary which will be revised in the following month. <sup>5/</sup> Include investment in BOT bond by non-residents since 2005 <sup>6/</sup> Since September 2008, BOT has extended the coverage of broad money, deposits and private credits to include data from the Thrift and Credit Cooperatives and Money Market Mutual Funds. The broad money series is also adjusted to include Bill of exchange. <sup>7/</sup> Depository Corporations comprise Domestically Registered Commercial Banks, Branches of Foreign Banks, International Banking Facilities, Finance Companies, Specialized Banks, Thrift and Credit Cooperatives and Money Market Mutual Funds. <sup>8/</sup> As quoted by the 5 largest banks p = preliminary e = estimate								