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	2012					
	February	March	April	May	June	July
<b>The Real Sector</b> (% change from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)						
Farm income index	13.5 <sup>R</sup>	1.7 <sup>R</sup>	9.0 <sup>R</sup>	9.2 <sup>R</sup>	19.8 <sup>R</sup>	9.0 <sup>P</sup>
Agricultural production index	14.2 <sup>R</sup>	2.4 <sup>R</sup>	5.8 <sup>R</sup>	4.7 <sup>R</sup>	14.3 <sup>R</sup>	2.6 <sup>P</sup>
Agricultural price index	-0.6 <sup>R</sup>	-0.6 <sup>R</sup>	3.0 <sup>R</sup>	4.3 <sup>R</sup>	4.8 <sup>R</sup>	6.3 <sup>P</sup>
Major Crop Prices						
Second rice 14-15%	5.5	14.4	26.2	29.5	30.2	25.3
Longan	-	-	-	-	-	11.0
Swine ,each weighting 100 kgs. and over	2.5	-5.2	-1.9	-6.6	-10.9	-14.3
Live broilers	-15.6	-29.6	-27.2	-28.2	-25.6	-20.0
Fresh hen eggs, mixed	-5.9	-9.6	-22.7	-21.6	-11.5	-15.4
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	98.1	106.8 <sup>R</sup>	109.6	102.8 <sup>R</sup>	93.1	90.0 <sup>P</sup>
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment (level)	103.3	135.1	109.1	83.8 <sup>R</sup>	78.0	74.1 <sup>P</sup>
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment	-5.0	9.5	5.6	6.0 <sup>R</sup>	-1.0	1.6 <sup>P</sup>
Services						
- Number of air passengers	21.1	18.1	20.5	18.9	17.4	9.7
- VAT collected from hotels and restaurants*	18.2	13.8	-6.4	-3.0 <sup>R</sup>	11.9 <sup>R</sup>	11.8 <sup>P</sup>
- Average of hotel occupancy rate (percent)	63.4	46.5	44.1	39.8 <sup>R</sup>	38.2 <sup>R</sup>	45.5 <sup>P</sup>
- Average of hotel room rate (Baht/room-night)	1,376.4	1,296.7	1,326.4	1,194.1 <sup>R</sup>	1,156.8 <sup>R</sup>	1,201.2 <sup>P</sup>
- Wholesale trade index	41.3	26.7	46.1	0.5	26.7	12.9 <sup>P</sup>
- Retail trade index	3.8	12.4	11.9	12.4	26.7	23.5 <sup>P</sup>
Private Consumption Indicators	5.6	6.3	6.8	12.9	12.2	12.9 <sup>P</sup>
- VAT collected from all types of businesses (Real term)	4.0	15.2	10.7	9.0	28.3	21.2 <sup>P</sup>
- Registered cars	-8.6	-10.6	6.6	46.2	63.5	107.1
- Registered motorcycles	8.8	9.2	-2.3	10.7	-4.0	5.2
Private investment	-0.6	2.8	3.5	7.3	9.9	14.7
- Construction areas permitted in municipal zones	0.0	2.1	-11.6	71.2	9.9	164.5
- Land transaction fees	9.6	-13.2	1.0	15.3	25.9	60.2
Government disbursements	70.8	30.9	-3.1	29.1	31.8	18.2
- Current expenditure	96.2	47.2	-6.6	21.9	23.3	9.9
- Capital expenditure	-12.4	-24.7	11.0	51.4	60.3	45.4
Headline Inflation	3.94	3.88	2.89	2.49	2.22	1.84
- Food	8.56	8.11	5.30	4.83	3.99	3.42
- Non-food	1.09	1.27	1.36	0.99	1.07	0.82
Core Inflation (excluding raw food and energy)	3.31	3.45	3.15	2.70	2.36	2.34
<b>Foreign trade</b> (Million US\$, unless specified otherwise)						
Exports passed through customs houses	360.6	400.0	295.9	388.5	376.1	346.5
(Δ%)	44.2	28.2	1.9	33.5	19.2	16.4
Imports passed through customs houses	129.7	133.9	128.9	126.6	134.1	138.0
(Δ%)	19.2	4.9	9.0	1.0	-3.6	6.1
<b>Banking</b> (Billion Baht, unless specified otherwise)						
Commercial banks' deposits	457.2	479.1	489.2	495.2	510.1	n.a.
(Δ%)	7.2	11.0	12.9	14.5	17.2	n.a.
Commercial banks' credits	408.4	415.6	419.1	421.1	429.6	n.a.
(Δ%)	16.8	17.2	17.9	16.3	15.8	n.a.

P = preliminary, n.a. = not available, R = revise

\* Data shown activities in the previous month