



Table Attached to Press Release on Northern Region Economy Conditions in May 2013

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	2012	2013				
	December	January	February	March	April	May
The Real Sector (% change from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)						
Farm income index	7.8	-1.2	-5.4	-3.8	-3.8	-8.6 ^P
Agricultural production index	10.3	-2.0	-6.9	-6.5	-4.9	-8.6 ^P
Agricultural price index	-2.2	0.8	1.6	2.9	1.2	-0.1 ^P
Major Crop Prices						
Major Rice 14-15 %	-0.7	8.1	8.2	2.1	-3.3	-4.2
Pineapple	4.4	N.A.	8.9	48.4	73.2	75.4
Lychee	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	163.2
Swine ,each weighting 100 kgs. and over	-12.2	-10.0	8.1	10.2	11.4	3.1
Live broilers	3.2	6.1	12.3	31.6	44.4	24.1
Fresh hen eggs, mixed	-18.7	-5.0	5.9	6.4	17.8	24.8
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	82.0	95.3	96.5	101.0	90.2	93.2 ^P
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment (level)	112.1	101.3	103.9	132.3	85.5	78.5 ^P
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment	-15.1	3.0	0.4	-3.8	-20.7	-8.0 ^P
Services						
- Number of air passengers	18.8	9.6	17.0	16.2	15.5	23.3
- VAT collected from hotels and restaurants*	18.3	10.6	7.6	16.4 ^R	27.7	17.1 ^P
- Average of hotel occupancy rate (percent)	65.1	64.4	64.0	53.6 ^R	45.4 ^R	45.5 ^P
- Average of hotel room rate (Baht/room-night)	1,809.2	1,667.1	1,602.9	1,410.1 ^R	1,247.0 ^R	1,214.1 ^P
Trade						
- Wholesale trade index	8.3	13.5	29.0	7.0	15.6 ^R	11.2 ^P
- Retail trade index	37.3	32.8	21.6	11.4	11.5 ^R	11.8 ^P
Private Consumption Indicators						
- VAT collected from all types of businesses (Real term)	20.1	14.0	8.8	6.0	8.9 ^R	3.7 ^P
- Registered cars	28.0	26.4	22.2	9.6	12.2 ^R	11.4 ^P
- Registered motorcycles	454.6	111.5	76.9	69.5	79.2	28.6
- Registered motorcycles	35.9	23.0	4.5	-4.2	21.2	-7.4
Private investment						
- Construction areas permitted in municipal zones	24.7	16.5	6.9	6.2	6.3 ^R	3.6 ^P
- Land transaction fees	27.6	137.8	7.6	29.6	17.5	-50.2
- Land transaction fees	-8.3	56.3	17.9	24.9	48.7	-1.1
Government disbursements						
- Current expenditure	25.7	20.6	-31.4	-21.1	37.9	-12.4
- Current expenditure	11.0	4.3	-40.0	-33.2	45.4	-12.1
- Capital expenditure	86.0	111.0	31.8	59.9	12.5	-13.3
Headline Inflation						
- Food	3.49	3.01	2.70	2.28	2.20	2.32
- Food	3.68	3.57	3.07	2.96	4.08	4.17
- Non-food	3.36	2.63	2.39	1.78	1.05	1.25
Core Inflation (excluding raw food and energy)	2.06	1.76	1.49	1.11	1.04	0.99
Foreign trade (Million US\$, unless specified otherwise)						
Exports passed through customs houses	367.0	348.1	330.5	405.8	349.5	417.3
(Δ%)	10.2	12.0	-8.3	1.4	18.1	7.4
Imports passed through customs houses	132.2	134.6	110.7	133.6	113.4	121.2
(Δ%)	-6.9	1.8	-14.2	-0.2	-12.0	-4.3
Banking (Billion Baht, unless specified otherwise)						
Commercial banks' deposits	543.0	548.3	545.8	559.2	562.5	N.A.
(Δ%)	23.5	22.0	19.4	16.7	15.0	-
Commercial banks' credits	477.1	480.0	486.5	513.0 *	518.2 *	N.A.
(Δ%)	18.3	18.6	19.1	23.4	23.6	-

P = Preliminary, N.A. = Not available, R = Revise

* Data shown activities in the previous month

** Include an adjustment of 14,059 million Baht credit from head office's accounts to the Northern region's accounts, if excluded, 20.1 percent of credit growth was noted.