



Table Attached to Press Release on Northern Region Economy Conditions in March 2015

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	2014			2015		
	Qct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
The Real Sector (% change from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)						
Farm income index	-4.8 ^R	-5.1 ^R	-4.9 ^R	-2.7 ^R	-1.4 ^R	-13.3 ^P
Agricultural production index	0.0 ^R	-0.5 ^R	-0.4 ^R	1.0 ^R	0.1 ^R	-11.9 ^P
Agricultural price index	-4.8 ^R	-4.6 ^R	-4.6 ^R	-3.7 ^R	-1.4 ^R	-1.6 ^P
Major Crop Prices						
Rice 14-15 %	-4.1	-2.8	-2.3	1.1	-1.0	1.7
Sugar cane	N.A.	N.A.	-2.1	-2.4	-2.2	-2.4
cassava	17.7	9.7	16.7	8.1	-10.0	-4.8
Swine ,each weighting 100 kgs. and over	6.8	-0.4	1.6	-8.0	-12.4	-15.9
Live broilers	-2.2	-3.8	-7.1	-8.4	-13.0	-9.0
Fresh hen eggs, mixed	-11.0	-5.0	-13.5	-9.1	-9.7	-5.9
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	107.6	98.9	99.7	112.6	107.4	96.4 ^P
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment (level)	99.3	124.0	121.0	122.1	120.4	130.9 ^P
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment	1.9	-7.3	-2.3	8.9	-4.7	-3.0 ^P
Services						
- Number of air passengers	33.1	26.9	28.8	26.0	33.3	30.4
- VAT collected from hotels and restaurants	1.1	4.8	0.8	9.9	13.8 ^R	9.7 ^P
- Average of hotel occupancy rate (percent)	54.1	62.7	70.4	68.0	70.1 ^R	55.6 ^P
- Average of hotel room rate (Baht/room-night)	1,309.1	1,601.6	1,885.4	1,811.3	1,551.8 ^R	1,472.5 ^P
Trade						
- Wholesale trade index	4.5 ^R	7.0 ^R	4.0 ^R	19.8 ^R	16.5 ^R	9.0 ^P
- Retail trade index	-9.2 ^R	-6.4 ^R	-8.4 ^R	1.9 ^R	-5.4 ^R	-4.2 ^P
Private Consumption Indicators						
- VAT collected from all types of businesses (Real term)	-4.0 ^R	-2.0 ^R	-0.4 ^R	0.7 ^R	2.2 ^R	1.3 ^P
- Registered cars	-5.9	-2.8	-5.9	5.0	-0.7 ^R	-1.1 ^P
- Registered motorcycles	-39.7	-33.8	-19.1	-20.0	-11.8	-13.6
- Registered motorcycles	-7.4	-7.3	4.2	-5.0	17.4	21.0
Private investment						
- Construction areas permitted in municipal zones	-1.9 ^R	-4.1 ^R	-6.9 ^R	-10.9 ^R	-9.0 ^R	-4.1 ^P
- Land transaction fees	-36.7	21.8	29.9	-24.8	-21.2	-20.6
- Land transaction fees	4.0	-16.1	36.1	-8.6	-32.0	-63.7
Government disbursements						
- Current expenditure	7.9	-34.9	-13.5	-19.5	-23.4	23.5
- Current expenditure	-11.9	-43.6	-29.7	-22.1	-40.7	-4.6
- Capital expenditure	173.8	16.0	49.4	-11.5	46.5	112.6
Headline Inflation						
- Food	1.49	1.19	0.47	-0.57	-0.77	-0.97
- Food	3.14	3.09	3.09	2.65	2.03	1.18
- Non-food	0.52	0.07	-1.05	-2.45	-2.41	-2.23
Core Inflation (excluding raw food and energy)						
	1.79	1.89	1.92	1.96	1.55	1.17
Foreign trade (Million US\$, unless specified otherwise)						
Exports passed through customs houses	481.9	449.2	477.4	443.1	400.1	489.8
(Δ%)	16.5	2.1	10.6	5.3	0.2	8.0
Imports passed through customs houses	162.6	146.3	136.5	120.8	120.3	137.9
(Δ%)	18.1	-9.3	13.7	-17.3	-8.0	1.2
Banking (Billion Baht, unless specified otherwise)						
Commercial banks' deposits	590.0	598.5	603.3	612.8	608.1	N.A.
(Δ%)	4.7	4.6	3.4	4.2	1.6	-
Commercial banks' credits	583.7	591.0	595.6	595.1 ^E	595.5 ^E	N.A.
(Δ%)	4.8	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.5	-

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