



Table Attached to Press Release on Northern Region Economy Conditions in April 2017

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	2016		2017			
	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
<b>The Real Sector (% change from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)</b>						
<b>Farm income index</b>	-1.5	-4.0	3.6	11.8	68.0	92.9
Agricultural production index	6.1	-4.9	4.4	15.4	70.2	98.6
Agricultural price index	-7.1	1.0	-0.8	-3.1	-1.3	-2.9
Major Crop Prices						
Rice 14-15 %	-4.7	-1.0	-1.8	-4.4	-2.8	-2.9
Sugar cane	n.a.	9.8	11.5	11.7	12.3	12.4
Maize	-39.9	-14.6	-20.3	-20.9	-21.6	-21.4
Swine ,each weighting 100 kgs. and over	-2.4	-6.6	-9.6	-10.5	-13.0	-12.6
Live broilers	-3.1	1.5	2.6	1.0	-2.5	-1.1
Fresh hen eggs, mixed	13.3	10.5	12.0	11.4	-14.9 <sup>R</sup>	-18.7
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	91.6	87.0	89.4	95.2	100.9 <sup>R</sup>	91.9 <sup>P</sup>
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment (level)	115.7	102.3	104.3	113.6	133.7 <sup>R</sup>	80.3 <sup>P</sup>
Manufacturing Production Index, without seasonal adjustment	4.2	-3.8	-6.8	-6.0	19.0 <sup>R</sup>	9.7 <sup>P</sup>
Services						
- Number of air passengers	8.0	13.1	14.4	3.9	14.6	10.3
- VAT collected from hotels and restaurants	-0.3	-1.3	13.7	10.5	2.8	8.0
- Average of hotel occupancy rate (percent)	65.1	75.3	74.8	68.3	60.9	56.4
- Average of hotel room rate (Baht/room-night)	1,024.9	1,163.9	1,256.3	1,205.3	1,111.3	904.2
Trade						
- Wholesale trade index	17.9	18.0	7.8	26.5	17.4 <sup>R</sup>	17.0 <sup>P</sup>
- Retail trade index	-1.2	-2.0	2.1	5.9	0.9 <sup>R</sup>	4.3 <sup>P</sup>
Private Consumption Indicators						
- Nielsen's Fast Moving Consumer Goods Index	-9.7	-8.4	-10.3	-10.5	-8.2	-8.4
- VAT collected from all types of businesses (Real term)	10.3	10.1	10.6	20.2	6.9 <sup>R</sup>	8.7 <sup>P</sup>
- Registered cars	-15.3	-33.8	-9.7	-5.0	-11.9	9.9
- Registered motorcycles	5.6	-6.0	-7.3	13.1	-3.9	22.2
Private investment						
- Construction areas permitted in municipal zones	6.3	-2.9	-3.8	35.9 <sup>R</sup>	-32.9 <sup>R</sup>	25.9
- Land transaction fees	137.3	62.3	143.1	131.3	131.2	75.9
Government disbursements						
- Current expenditure	4.1	24.4	-31.6	-30.9	-32.4	-45.6
- Capital expenditure	-1.2	31.0	-45.2	-52.0	-49.5	-52.6
- Capital expenditure	19.7	17.7	-0.2	8.1	-5.2	-32.2
Headline Inflation						
- Food	0.68	1.27	1.67	1.50	0.56	0.08
- Non-food	1.67	1.44	1.43	0.62	-0.29	-1.33
- Non-food	0.08	1.17	1.83	2.05	1.07	0.94
Core Inflation (excluding raw food and energy)	0.49	0.58	0.49	0.37	0.39	0.24
<b>Foreign trade (Million US\$)</b>						
Exports passed through customs houses	461.7	490.0	411.3	449.6	484.1	372.6
(Δ%)	-2.6	5.7	-2.3	8.5	-2.1	-9.2
Imports passed through customs houses	174.8	189.9	124.3	157.2	199.9	189.8
(Δ%)	10.7	30.9	5.0	-234.0	63.6	42.7
Banking (Billion Baht)						
Commercial banks' deposits	634.7	637.9	652.1	653.8	654.9	n.a.
(Δ%)	2.1	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.6	-
Commercial banks' credits	582.5	584.5	579.7	577.6	579.4	n.a.
(Δ%)	-0.1	-0.7	-0.8	-1.0	-1.1	-

P = Preliminary, R = Revise, E = Estimate □