



Table Attached to Press Release on Northern Region Economy Conditions in August 2018

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	2018					
	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
The Real Sector (% change from the same period of last year, unless specified otherwise)						
Farm income index	14.7	41.5	30.2	14.7	12.7	11.6
Agricultural production index	13.2	36.0	21.7	6.2	7.2	4.5
Agricultural price index	1.3	4.0	7.0	8.0	5.1	6.8
Major crop prices						
Rice 15 % (Baht/MT)	7,558	7,435	7,595	7,722	7,386	7,300
Longan (Baht/Kg.)	25.5	25.7	24.5	27.5	26.0	24.3
Maize (Baht/Kg.)	7.3	7.0	6.7	8.4	7.6	7.0
Casava (Baht/Kg.)	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.5
Swine, each weighting 100 kgs. and over (Baht/Kg.)	45.3	50.7	56.9	56.3	56.5	58.1
Live broilers (Baht/Kg.)	34.3	34.6	34.9	34.5	34.5	35.6
Fresh hen eggs, mixed (Baht/ 100 eggs)	272.6	273.5	283.0	283.4	289.0	289.2
Manufacturing Production Index, seasonally adjusted (level)	105.9	110.2	97.7	90.0	97.5	83.1
Manufacturing Production Index, non-seasonally adjusted (level)	140.3	96.1	78.9	71.4	75.8	70.1
Manufacturing Production Index, non-seasonally adjusted	5.1	20.2	5.8	2.2	6.2	-26.7
Services						
- Number of air passengers	12.2	14.0	12.9	10.2	9.6	6.0
- VAT collected from hotels and restaurants	9.3	8.7	8.6	20.8	13.2	n.a.
- Average of hotel occupancy rate (percent)	66.2	61.3	54.4	55.9	54.5	53.2
- Average of hotel room rate (Baht/room-night)	1,432.3	1,429.9	1,368.4	1,088.0	1,147.9	1,074.0
Trade						
- Wholesale trade index	5.8	15.4	0.8	5.8	-10.0	-8.1
- Retail trade index	2.6	6.9	5.1	3.4	5.0	2.8
Private Consumption Index						
- Nielsen's fast moving consumer goods index	-4.5	-4.6	-1.8	-2.1	1.7	1.1
- VAT collected from all types of businesses (real term)	3.2	9.6	4.5	5.1	1.2	n.a.
- Registered cars	11.0	18.0	5.7	1.4	24.3	6.7
- Registered motorcycles	0.5	-2.1	-10.6	-4.0	-9.5	8.8
Private Investment Index						
- Permitted construction area	-24.9	-8.9	-28.6	-6.4	6.0	-0.2
- Land transaction fees	14.6	-11.4	-10.8	8.0	0.8	0.5
Government expenditure *	-10.0	-1.2	25.0	-1.8	-34.5	21.1
- Current expenditure *	1.0	-10.8	39.9	-13.9	-46.1	22.4
- Capital expenditure	-19.2	11.5	6.2	11.5	-7.0	19.5
Headline Consumer Price Index	0.41	0.64	0.97	0.90	1.07	1.20
- Food	-0.40	-0.13	-0.58	-1.30	-1.14	-0.47
- Non-food	0.91	1.10	1.89	2.25	2.40	2.21
Core Consumer Price Index (excluding raw food and energy)	0.49	0.47	0.60	0.59	0.52	0.48
Border Trade (million US\$)						
Exports	376.4	324.6	402.4	337.3	302.2	315.8
(Δ%)	17.1	37.1	33.6	17.1	6.2	11.8
Imports	84.8	97.1	97.6	97.5	95.7	100.3
(Δ%)	20.9	21.8	1.3	13.0	-4.5	-9.6
Banking (billion Baht)						
Commercial banks' deposits	674.0	678.7	680.4	677.4	672.6	n.a.
(Δ%)	2.9	3.1	4.7	4.6	4.2	n.a.
Commercial banks' credits	564.6	560.3	559.7	562.3	563.1	n.a.
(Δ%)	-2.5	-2.9	-3.3	-3.0	-2.9	n.a.

P = Preliminary, R = Revise, E = Estimate, * = Excluded Salary