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|  | YOY | Year-on-year percentage change <br> QOQ |
| NOTE | 1 | Quarter-on-quarter percentage change |
|  | 2 | The data for the current quarter are preliminary. <br> Except for headline numbers like GDP growth, numbers <br> beyond single digits have been rounded to whole numbers |

MAI N I NDI CATORS OF THE SI NGAPORE ECONOMY

|  |  | 2011 |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \hline \text { 1st Qtr } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1st Qtr | 2nd Qtr | 3rd Qtr | 4th Qtr | Annual |  |
| Overall EconomyGDP at 2005 Market PricesGDP at Current Market Prices | \$m | 73,974 | 74,638 | 75,992 | 75,021 | 299,625 | 75,135 |
|  | yoy\% | 9.1 | 1.2 | 6.0 | 3.6 | 4.9 | 1.6 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 19.7 | -3.0 | 2.0 | -2.5 | 4.9 | 10.0 |
|  | \$m | 81,559 | 80,147 | 81,003 | 84,124 | 326,832 | 84,237 |
|  | yoy\% | 9.7 | 3.8 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 5.4 | 3.3 |
| Labour Market |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Job Creation ${ }^{1}$ | thous | 28.3 | 24.8 | 31.9 | 37.6 | 122.6 | 27.4 |
| Unemployment Rate (SA) | \% | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.1 |
| Redundancy | thous | 2.8 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 3.3 | 10.0 | 2.7 |
| Labour Productivity | yoy\% | 5.2 | -2.3 | 2.0 | -0.5 | 1.0 | -2.2 |
| Unit Business Cost of Manufacturing | $2005=100$ | 106.6 | 103.0 | 102.0 | 109.0 | 105.2 | 112.1 |
|  | yoy\% | -0.4 | 8.0 | 1.0 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 5.1 |
| Unit Labour Cost of Manufacturing | saqoq\% | -0.3 | 3.9 | -0.6 | -0.5 | 2.6 | 2.4 |
|  | $2005=100$ | 96.5 | 85.2 | 80.4 | 97.0 | 89.8 | 100.5 |
|  | yoy\% | -7.9 | 13.9 | -7.7 | -4.6 | -2.5 | 4.2 |
|  | saqoq\% | -6.4 | 3.3 | -2.2 | 0.8 | -2.5 | 2.6 |
| Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consumer Price Index | $2009=100$ | 106.3 | 107.1 | 109.2 | 110.2 | 108.2 | 111.5 |
|  | yoy\% | 5.2 | 4.7 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 5.2 | 4.9 |
|  | saqoq\% | 2.0 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 5.2 | 1.4 |
| Domestic Supply Price Index | $2006=100$ | 104.2 | 105.9 | 104.1 | 107.4 | 105.4 | 110.0 |
|  | yoy\% | 6.2 | 7.8 | 9.3 | 10.4 | 8.4 | 5.5 |
| External Trade Exports |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 124,637 | 128,220 | 130,940 | 130,944 | 514,741 | 130,635 |
|  | yoy\% | 13.4 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 4.8 |
|  | saqoq\% | 6.2 | -1.0 | -1.6 | 3.3 | 7.5 | 3.3 |
| Domestic Exports | \$m | 67,204 | 69,329 | 74,020 | 70,797 | 281,350 | 73,973 |
|  | yoy\% | 19.4 | 10.5 | 14.5 | 9.0 | 13.2 | 10.1 |
|  | saqoq\% | 8.7 | -1.9 | 2.7 | 0.8 | 13.2 | 7.4 |
| Non-Oil Domestic Exports | \$m | 43,659 | 43,614 | 45,700 | 44,424 | 177,396 | 46,325 |
|  | yoy\% | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 2.2 | 6.1 |
|  | saqoq\% | 1.1 | -1.8 | -0.6 | -0.7 | 2.2 | 8.7 |
| Re-Exports | \$m | 57,434 | 58,891 | 56,920 | 60,147 | 233,392 | 56,662 |
|  | yoy\% | 7.2 | 2.6 | -5.7 | 2.2 | 1.4 | -1.3 |
|  | saqoq\% | 3.3 | 0.1 | -6.7 | 6.5 | 1.4 | -1.7 |
| Imports | \$m | 110,062 | 116,243 | 116,071 | 117,280 | 459,655 | 121,552 |
|  | yoy\% | 10.2 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 9.9 | 8.6 | 10.4 |
|  | saqoq\% | 8.2 | 2.1 | -1.3 | 1.3 | 8.6 | 7.5 |
| Balance of Payments |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Overall Balance | \$m | 6,235 | 5,466 | 10,087 | -301 | 21,488 | 6,264 |
| Current Account Balance | \$m | 18,277 | 16,939 | 19,397 | 17,067 | 71,680 | 13,213 |
| Capital and Financial Account Balance | \$m | -10,982 | -11,828 | -11,048 | -16,504 | -50,361 | -7,731 |
| Official Foreign Reserves | \$m | 295,233 | 297,445 | 305,285 | 308,403 | 308,403 | 306,232 |
| Import Cover | months | 8.2 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 7.8 |

yoy\% : Year-on-year percentage change.
saaqoq\%: Seasonally adjusted annualised quarter-on-quarter percentage change.
saqoq\% : Seasonally adjusted quarter-on-quarter percentage change.
${ }^{1}$ Compared to the previous period.

MAI N I NDI CATORS OF THE SI NGAPORE ECONOMY (CONT'D)

|  |  | 2011 |  |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1st Qtr | 2nd Qtr | 3rd Qtr | 4th Qtr | Annual | 1st Qtr |
| ManufacturingValue Added at 2005 PricesIndex of Industrial Production |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 20,041 | 19,770 | 21,114 | 20,311 | 81,236 | 19,847 |
|  | yoy\% | 15.8 | -5.9 | 13.7 | 9.2 | 7.6 | -1.0 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 80.7 | -19.5 | 11.0 | -11.1 | 7.6 | 19.8 |
|  | $2011=100$ | 101.3 | 99.3 | 99.4 | 99.9 | 100.0 | 100.2 |
|  | yoy\% | 19.1 | -3.8 | 8.9 | 9.3 | 7.8 | -1.0 |
|  | saqoq\% | 16.7 | -5.5 | -2.5 | 1.2 | 7.8 | 5.5 |
| Construction <br> Value Added at 2005 Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 2,770 | 2,726 | 2,808 | 2,903 | 11,206 | 2,983 |
|  | yoy\% | 4.2 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 7.7 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 8.8 | 9.5 | -4.0 | -2.2 | 2.6 | 32.1 |
| Contracts Awarded | \$m | 8,085 | 8,803 | 8,492 | 6,887 | 32,267 | 4,889 |
|  | уоу\% | 36.6 | 20.6 | 20.3 | -5.5 | 17.1 | -39.5 |
| Certified Payments | \$m | 6,652 | 6,639 | 6,964 | 7,433 | 27,688 | 7,337 |
|  | yoy\% | -5.0 | -3.0 | 3.5 | 8.4 | 0.9 | 10.3 |
| Wholesale and Retail Trade Value Added at 2005 Prices <br> Retail Sales at Constant Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 11,533 | 11,748 | 11,557 | 11,576 | 46,414 | 11,493 |
|  | yoy\% | 4.3 | 0.9 | -1.4 | 0.9 | 1.1 | -0.3 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 3.6 | 0.5 | -8.9 | 10.2 | 1.1 | -2.3 |
|  | $2010=100$ | 98.3 | 101.2 | 100.1 | 109.0 | 102.1 | 106.1 |
|  | yoy\% | -4.9 | 7.5 | 2.0 | 4.4 | 2.1 | 7.9 |
|  | saqoq\% | -2.5 | 6.0 | -1.1 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.2 |
| Transportation and Storage Value Added at 2005 Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 6,149 | 6,505 | 6,464 | 6,390 | 25,509 | 6,367 |
|  | уoy\% | 4.0 | 7.3 | 5.1 | 2.4 | 4.7 | 3.5 |
|  | saaqoq\% | -3.0 | 18.0 | -1.2 | -2.9 | 4.7 | 1.5 |
| Sea Cargo Handled | mil Tonnes | 127.3 | 140.2 | 133.9 | 129.7 | 531.2 | 134.4 |
|  | yoy\% | 2.5 | 10.6 | 7.4 | 1.6 | 5.5 | 5.6 |
| Total Container Throughput | thous TEUs | 7,067 | 7,515 | 7,675 | 7,680 | 29,938 | 7,537 |
|  | yoy\% | 2.1 | 5.3 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 5.3 | 6.6 |
| Air Cargo Handled | thous Tonnes | 441.7 | 466.9 | 468.7 | 491.0 | 1,868.2 | 444.9 |
|  | yoy\% | 2.8 | 3.6 | 1.0 | 4.1 | 2.9 | 0.7 |
| Accommodation and Food Value Added at 2005 Prices Visitor Arrivals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 1,343 | 1,344 | 1,361 | 1,373 | 5,422 | 1,397 |
|  | yoy\% | 8.8 | 5.7 | 5.6 | 3.3 | 5.8 | 4.0 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 9.6 | 3.3 | 1.5 | -0.6 | 5.8 | 11.9 |
|  | thous | 3,118 | 3,237 | 3,486 | 3,330 | 13,171 | 3,574 |
|  | yoy\% | 15.7 | 14.1 | 14.7 | 8.4 | 13.1 | 14.6 |
|  | saqoq\% | 4.6 | 3.6 | 1.2 | -0.9 | 13.1 | 10.0 |
| Hotel Occupancy Rate | \% | 84.2 | 86.3 | 88.4 | 87.2 | 86.5 | 86.6 |
| I nformation and Communications Value Added at 2005 Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 2,546 | 2,559 | 2,544 | 2,529 | 10,178 | 2,590 |
|  | yoy\% | 2.6 | 1.7 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.5 | 1.7 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 2.7 | 0.9 | -0.2 | -0.2 | 1.5 | 6.8 |
| Mobile Subscribers | thous | 7,385 | 7,537 | 7,668 | 7,755 | 7,755 | 7,794 |
|  | yoy\% | 7.3 | 7.4 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 5.5 |
| International Telephone Call Minutes | million | 3,080 | 3,010 | 3,070 | 3,127 | 12,287 | 3,303 |
|  | yoy\% | 6.0 | -2.1 | -5.5 | -2.5 | -1.2 | 7.2 |
| yoy\% $\quad$ : Year-on-year percentage change   <br> saaqoq\% $:$ Seasonally adjusted annualised $q$  <br> saqoq $\%$ $:$ Seasonally adjusted quarter-on-q | arter-on-quarter uarter percentage | centage ange. | ange. |  |  |  |  |

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|  |  | 2011 |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \hline \text { 1st Qtr } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 1st Qtr | 2nd Qtr | 3rd Qtr | 4th Qtr | Annual |  |
| Finance and Insurance Value Added at 2005 Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | \$m | 9,136 | 9,219 | 9,394 | 9,289 | 37,038 | 9,209 |
|  | yoy\% | 12.0 | 9.6 | 11.6 | 3.5 | 9.1 | 0.8 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 7.3 | 3.7 | 7.8 | -4.4 | 9.1 | -3.4 |
| Loans and Advances to Non-Bank | \$m | 343,395 | 374,320 | 405,437 | 420,456 | 420,456 | 432,608 |
| Customers | yoy\% | 19.9 | 26.2 | 31.1 | 30.3 | 30.3 | 26.0 |
| Prime Lending Rate | \% per annum | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 |
| Exchange Rate (Average) | Per US\$ | 1.2780 | 1.2400 | 1.2255 | 1.2881 | 1.2579 | 1.2642 |
| Straits Time Index | ST Index | 3,106 | 3,120 | 2,675 | 2,646 | 2,646 | 3,010 |
| Business Services |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Value Added at 2005 prices | \$m | 7,914 | 7,924 | 7,972 | 8,065 | 31,875 | 8,189 |
|  | yoy\% | 4.7 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.5 |
|  | saaqoq\% | 6.6 | -2.4 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 12.7 |
| Property Price Indices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Private Residential | 1998 Q4=100 | 199.1 | 203.0 | 205.7 | 206.2 | 206.2 | 206.0 |
|  | yoy\% | 13.8 | 10.2 | 8.5 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 3.5 |
|  | qoq\% | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 5.9 | -0.1 |
| Office Space | 1998 Q4=100 | 114.8 | 118.9 | 123.3 | 124.5 | 124.5 | 124.5 |
|  | yoy\% | 22.5 | 21.3 | 18.4 | 13.8 | 13.8 | 8.4 |
|  | qoq\% | 4.9 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 1.0 | 13.8 | 0.0 |
| Shop Space | 1998 Q4=100 | 115.3 | 116.6 | 120.6 | 120.8 | 120.8 | 121.1 |
|  | yoy\% | 7.3 | 4.4 | 6.6 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5.0 |
|  | qoq\% | 0.5 | 1.1 | 3.4 | 0.2 | 5.3 | 0.2 |
| Factory Space | 1998 Q4=100 | 123.6 | 130.6 | 139.3 | 144.6 | 144.6 | 155.0 |
|  | yoy\% | 32.3 | 32.7 | 30.1 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 25.4 |
|  | qoq\% | 8.6 | 5.7 | 6.7 | 3.8 | 27.1 | 7.2 |
| Economic Outlook |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Composite Leading Index | $2005=100$ | 119.2 | 119.5 | 116.2 | 117.6 | na | 121.0 |
|  | saqoq\% | -0.3 | 0.3 | -2.8 | 1.2 | na | 2.9 |
| General Business Expectations ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturing |  | +12 | +12 | -10 | -11 | na | +15 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade |  | +15 | +25 | +3 | -20 | na | +13 |
| Transport \& Storage |  | +5 | +15 | -14 | -14 | na | -6 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services |  | +31 | +45 | +34 | -28 | na | +9 |
| Information \& Communications |  | +12 | +23 | +4 | -16 | na | +16 |
| Finance \& Insurance |  | +38 | +20 | -36 | -52 | na | +6 |
| Real Estate |  | +2 | 0 | -35 | -60 | na | -23 |
| Business Services |  | +14 | +10 | -5 | -15 | na | +2 |
| Recreation, Community \& Personal Services |  | +22 | +24 | +7 | +9 | na | +26 |

yoy\% : Year-on-year percentage change.
saaqoq\%: Seasonally adjusted annualised quarter-on-quarter percentage change.
saqoq\% : Seasonally adjusted quarter-on-quarter percentage change.
${ }^{2}$ Figures refer to the net balance of firms in percentage terms. A plus sign indicates a positive balance or net upward trend and a minus sign denotes a negative or net down trend for the next six months.

## CHAPTER 1

## THE SI NGAPORE ECONOMY

## OVERVI EW

In the first quarter of 2012,

- The economy grew by 1.6 per cent compared to the same period in 2011.
- Growth was mainly supported by services producing industries, notably the other services industries and the business services sector.
- Employment grew by 27,400.
- The consumer price index increased by 4.9 per cent compared to a year ago.


## OVERALL PERFORMANCE

- The economy grew by 1.6 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, slower than the 3.6 per cent growth in the preceding quarter. On a quarter-on-quarter seasonallyadjusted annualised basis, the economy expanded by 10.0 per cent, reversing the 2.5 per cent contraction in the previous quarter.
- With the exception of the manufacturing and wholesale and retail trade sectors, all major sectors grew. Notably, the construction sector expanded by a healthy 7.7 per cent, while the other services industries as well as accommodation and food services sector registered moderate gains of 5.1 per cent and 4.0 per cent respectively.
- By contrast, the manufacturing sector contracted by 1.0 per cent, while the wholesale and retail trade sector declined marginally by 0.3 per cent.
- The services sectors were the main drivers of growth. The other services industries, business services as well as transportation and storage sectors added a total of 1.2 percentage-points of growth.

Exhibit 1.1: GDP and Sectoral Growth Rates in 1Q 2012


Exhibit 1.2: Percentage-Point Contribution to Growth in Real GDP in 1Q 2012 (By Industry)


## SOURCES OF GROWTH

- Total demand increased by 3.8 per cent in the first quarter, up from 1.8 per cent in the preceding quarter.
- Growth was led by domestic demand, which rose 9.2 per cent following the 4.9 per cent increase in the preceding quarter. External demand grew by 2.2 per cent, compared to 0.9 per cent in the previous quarter.
- The expansion in domestic demand was mainly attributable to an 18 per cent increase in gross fixed capital formation. Notably, private investment surged by 24 per cent, largely due to gains in the transport equipment and non-residential buildings segments. This more than offset the 1.2 per cent contraction in public investment.
- Consumption expenditure grew by 2.0 per cent, as the 4.3 per cent gain in private consumption more than offset the 3.7 per cent decline in government consumption.
- Inventories also increased, contributing 0.4 percentage-points to total demand growth.

Exhibit 1.3: Changes in Total Demand ${ }^{1}$

|  | 2011 |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | I |  |  | II | IIII |
| IV | I |  |  |  |  |
| Total Demand | 6.9 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 3.8 |
| External <br> Demand | 8.1 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 2.2 |
| Total Domestic <br> Demand | 3.4 | 4.9 | 8.5 | 4.9 | 9.2 |
| Consumption <br> Expenditure | 3.5 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 0.2 | 2.0 |
| Public | 4.0 | 4.7 | 1.3 | -5.8 | -3.7 |
| Private | 3.4 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 1.9 | 4.3 |
| Gross Fixed <br> Capital <br> Formation | -3.4 | 8.6 | 8.0 | -0.2 | $\mathbf{1 8 . 4}$ |
| Changes in <br> Inventories | 1.5 | -0.9 | 1.4 | 3.2 | 1.2 |

${ }^{1}$ For inventories, this refers instead to change as a percentage of GDP in the previous year.

Exhibit 1.4: Percentage-Point Contribution to Total Demand Growth


Exhibit 1.5: Change in Total Employment


## Unemployment

- The seasonally-adjusted overall unemployment rate increased from 2.0 per cent in December 2011 to 2.1 per cent in March 2012. Similarly, the unemployment rate rose over the same period from 2.9 per cent to 3.0 per cent for residents, and from 3.0 per cent to 3.2 per cent for citizens.
- An estimated 59,100 residents, including 52,800 citizens, were unemployed in March 2012. The seasonally-adjusted figures were 64,000 for residents and 57,700 for citizens.


## COMPETITIVENESS

## Productivity

- Labour productivity fell by 2.2 per cent in the first quarter, compared to the same period a year ago. This followed the 0.5 per cent decline in the previous quarter.
- Productivity growth was the strongest in the other services industries (1.5 per cent), the construction sector (1.2 per cent), as well as the transportation and storage sector ( 0.2 per cent). The sectors with the sharpest declines in productivity were finance and insurance (-4.8 per cent), information and communications (4.8 per cent), and wholesale and retail trade ( -3.8 per cent).

Exhibit 1.6: Seasonally Adjusted Overall, Resident and Citizen Unemployment Rates


Exhibit 1.7: Changes in Labour Productivity for the Overall Economy and Sectors in 1Q 2012

| Other Services |
| ---: |
| Construction |

## Unit Labour Cost and Unit Business Cost

- Overall unit labour costs (ULC) for the whole economy grew by 3.7 per cent in the first quarter, compared to the same period a year ago. This was a larger increase compared to the 1.7 per cent growth in the previous quarter.
- Manufacturing ULC rose by 4.2 per cent, reversing the 4.6 per cent decline in the previous quarter. The increase was due to both rising labour costs as well as declining productivity.
- Unit business costs (UBC) in the manufacturing sector increased by 5.1 per cent, following the 2.4 per cent gain in the previous quarter.
- The rise in manufacturing UBC was mainly driven by increases in the ULC and services costs.

Exhibit 1.8: Change in Unit Labour Cost


Exhibit 1.9: Percentage-Point Contribution to Change in Unit Business Costs for Manufacturing


Exhibit 1.10: Fixed Asset Investments by Industry Cluster in 1Q 2012


- In terms of TBS, the headquarters and professional services cluster attracted the largest amount of commitments at $\$ 538$ million. This was followed by the chemicals cluster, which secured $\$ 492$ million of commitments.


## I nvestment Commitments

- Investment commitments in terms of total fixed asset investments (FAI) and total business spending less depreciation (TBS) amounted to $\$ 6.0$ billion and $\$ 1.8$ billion respectively in the first quarter.
- For FAI, the chemicals cluster attracted the strongest foreign interest, garnering $\$ 4.0$ billion in commitments. The electronics cluster also attracted significant commitments of $\$ 0.9$ billion, mainly for the semiconductor segment.
- The US was the biggest foreign contributor for both FAI and TBS, accounting for 43 per cent and 37 per cent of total FAI and total TBS respectively.
- When fully realised, the total FAI and TBS commitments secured in the quarter are expected to generate value-added of $\$ 4.8$ billion and more than 5,400 skilled jobs.


## PRICES

## Consumer Price I ndex

- Compared to the same period in 2011, the consumer price index (CPI) increased by 4.9 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, down from 5.5 per cent in the preceding quarter. On a quarter-onquarter seasonally adjusted basis, the CPI rose by 1.4 per cent, compared to the 1.1 per cent increase in the previous quarter.
- Housing costs, which remained the largest contributor to CPI inflation, rose by 9.4 per cent, due to higher accommodation costs and electricity tariffs.
- Transport costs increased by 5.5 per cent, on account of rising prices of cars and petrol.
- Food prices increased by 3.0 per cent, as a result of costlier prepared meals, seafood, dairy products \& eggs, rice \& other cereals, meat \& poultry, as well as fruits.
- The overall cost of the "Recreation \& Others" category increased by 2.8 per cent, due to higher salaries for foreign maids, as well as increases in holiday travel cost.
- Education \& stationery costs rose by 3.0 per cent, mainly due to higher fees at commercial institutions, childcare centres, kindergartens, playgroups and universities.

Exhibit 1.11: Total Business Spending by I ndustry Cluster in 1Q 2012


Exhibit 1.12: Changes in CPI


Exhibit 1.13: Percentage-Point Contribution to Change in Overall CPI in 1Q 2012


- The cost of healthcare went up by 3.6 per cent, due to higher fees for hospitalisation and specialised medical and dental treatment, as well as more expensive proprietary medicines.


## EXTERNAL BALANCE

## Trade

- Total trade in nominal terms expanded by 7.5 per cent in the first quarter, similar to the 7.7 per cent gain in the preceding quarter. In volume terms, total trade rose by 4.4 per cent, following the 0.1 per cent increase in the previous quarter.
- Total exports grew by 4.8 per cent in nominal terms after the 5.8 per cent increase in the previous quarter. Domestic exports expanded by 10 per cent, in contrast to the 1.3 per cent decline in re-exports.
- Within domestic exports, both oil and non-oil exports grew. Domestic exports of oil rose strongly by 17 per cent, while domestic exports of non-oil products expanded by 6.1 per cent.
- Total imports increased by 10 per cent, led by a 16 per cent growth in oil imports. Non-oil imports grew by 7.5 per cent, with a 13 per cent gain in non-electronic imports partly offset by the 1.7 per cent decline in electronic imports.


## Balance of Payments

- The overall balance of payments recorded a surplus of $\$ 6.3$ billion in the first quarter of 2012, compared to the deficit of $\$ 0.3$ billion in the preceding quarter.
- This reflected the narrowing of the deficit in the capital and financial account, which more than offset the decline in the current account surplus.


## Current Account

- The surplus in the goods account declined to $\$ 18$ billion from $\$ 23$ billion in the preceding quarter. This was due to a rise in retained imports which more than offset the increase in domestic exports.

Exhibit 1.14: Growth Rates of Total Trade, Exports and I mports (In Nominal Terms)

|  |  |  |  |  | Per Cent |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2011 |  |  |  |  | 2012 |
|  | 1 | II | III | IV | Annual | I |
| Total Trade | 11.9 | 7.5 | 5.4 | 7.7 | 8.0 | 7.5 |
| Exports | 13.4 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 4.8 |
| Domestic Exports | 19.4 | 10.5 | 14.5 | 9.0 | 13.2 | 10.1 |
| Oil | 35.2 | 29.1 | 53.8 | 36.9 | 38.6 | 17.4 |
| Non-Oil | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 2.2 | 6.1 |
| Re-Exports | 7.2 | 2.6 | -5.7 | 2.2 | 1.4 | -1.3 |
| Imports | 10.2 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 9.9 | 8.6 | 10.4 |
| Oil | 29.7 | 27.2 | 30.5 | 31.6 | 29.7 | 16.4 |
| Non-Oil | 2.4 | 1.0 | -2.6 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 7.5 |

Exhibit 1.15: Balance of Payments


- In comparison, the services surplus widened to $\$ 0.8$ billion from $\$ 0.1$ billion in the previous quarter. This was mainly because increases in net receipts from travel, transport and other business services exceeded larger net payments for financial as well as maintenance and repair services.
- The primary income balance saw a smaller deficit as the increase in income receipts exceeded that of payments. This more than offset the wider secondary income deficit, where net payments by the general government and other sectors picked up.
- On the whole, the current account surplus fell as the larger surplus in the services account and the narrowing of the primary income account deficit were insufficient to offset the decline in the goods account surplus.


## Capital and Financial Account

- The deficit in the capital and financial account narrowed sharply to $\$ 7.7$ billion from $\$ 17$ billion in the fourth quarter of 2011, due to a significant decline in net outflow of "other investment" which was in turn mainly driven by reduced net outflows from the domestic banking (or deposit-taking corporate) sector. At the same time, the borrowing of the nonbank private sector from abroad increased by more than its lending.
- Meanwhile, the net outflow from the portfolio investment account picked up to $\$ 7.9$ billion from $\$ 3.4$ billion in the fourth quarter last year.
- Net inflow of direct investment fell to $\$ 11$ billion from $\$ 12$ billion in the preceding quarter as the decline in foreign direct investment into Singapore was larger than the decrease in residents' gross direct investment overseas.


## PERFORMANCE OF SELECTED SECTORS

## OVERVI EW

- The manufacturing sector contracted in the first quarter of 2012, led by declines in the chemicals and electronics clusters which offset the gains in the biomedical manufacturing and transport engineering clusters.
- Growth of the construction sector accelerated in the first quarter of 2012, driven by strong growth in private construction activities.
- The accommodation and food services sector continued to expand, supported by healthy growth in visitor arrivals.
- Growth of the financial and insurance sector decelerated in the first quarter of 2012, largely due to poor performances in the sentiment-sensitive (e.g. stock broking) and insurance segments.


## MANUFACTURI NG

- The manufacturing sector contracted by 1.0 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, after expanding by 9.2 per cent in the previous quarter.
- The electronics cluster shrank by 18 per cent, with most segments recording lower output. The exception was the data storage segment which grew by 17 per cent as it recovered from the supply chain disruptions caused by the floods in Thailand in the fourth quarter of last year.
- The chemical cluster contracted by 6.8 per cent, with all segments recording lower output. In particular, the petrochemicals and other chemicals segments shrank by 7.6 per cent and 17 per cent respectively, weighed down by plant shutdowns for maintenance.
- The biomedical manufacturing cluster grew by 18 per cent. Growth in both the pharmaceuticals and medical technology segments was strong, at 18 per cent and 21 per cent respectively.

Exhibit 2.1: Manufacturing Growth Rates


Exhibit 2.2: Percentage-Point Contribution to Manufacturing Sector's Growth in 1Q 2012


- The transport engineering cluster surged by 20 per cent, driven primarily by the marine \& offshore engineering segment. The marine \& offshore engineering segment expanded by 26 per cent on the back of increased activities in rig building, ship conversion and the production of oil field equipment. The aerospace engineering segment also grew at a healthy 14 per cent, supported by higher demand for aircraft maintenance and repair work.
- The general manufacturing cluster grew by 3.1 per cent. Growth was supported by the food, beverages \& tobacco and miscellaneous industries segments which saw expansions of 6.6 per cent and 4.4 per cent respectively.
- The precision engineering cluster registered a modest rate of growth of 0.4 per cent. This was largely due to the machinery \& systems segment which grew by 5.3 per cent as export demand for semiconductor-related equipment expanded.


## CONSTRUCTI ON

- The construction sector grew by 7.7 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, faster than the 2.9 per cent growth in the preceding quarter.
- Certified progress payments rose by 10 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, further extending the 8.4 per cent growth recorded in the previous quarter. Growth was driven by private certified payments which grew by 19 per cent largely because of private industrial construction activities. Public certified payments reversed the 3.5 per cent decline in the previous quarter to register a modest rise of 0.1 per cent, supported by the institutional and others segment.
- By contrast, contracts awarded fell sharply by 40 per cent in the first quarter of 2012 after declining by 5.5 per cent in the previous quarter. Private contracts awarded contracted for the fourth consecutive quarter, falling by 55 per cent due to a reduction in commercial contracts awarded. Public contracts awarded also contracted by 11 per cent, dragged down by a sharp decline in contracts awarded in the institutional and others segment.

Exhibit 2.3: Changes in Contracts Awarded and Certified Payments


## ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVI CES

- The accommodation and food services sector grew by 4.0 per cent in the first quarter of 2012 , following the 3.3 per cent gain in the previous quarter.
- In the first quarter, the average room rate of gazetted hotels grew by 11 per cent to reach $\$ 259$. The average occupancy rate of gazetted hotels rose to 87 per cent, an increase of 2.5 percentage-points over the same period last year. Overall, the room revenue of gazetted hotels grew by 4.1 per cent to reach $\$ 651$ million in the first quarter.
- The growth of the accommodation segment was supported by healthy growth in international visitor arrivals. In the first quarter, Singapore received a record high of 3.6 million visitor arrivals, an increase of 15 per cent from a year ago.
- The top five visitor-generating markets in the first quarter were Indonesia $(670,000)$, China $(542,000)$, Malaysia $(285,000)$, Australia $(230,000)$ and Japan $(193,000)$. Together, they accounted for 54 per cent of visitor arrivals in the quarter.
- The food segment also registered healthy growth. The food and beverage services index rose by 5.3 per cent in the first quarter, higher than the 2.9 per cent increase in the previous quarter. Food caterers posted the highest growth rate of 8.0 per cent, followed by fast food outlets ( 7.6 per cent), restaurants (5.6 per cent) and other eating places (3.3 per cent).

Exhibit 2.4: Average Hotel Room Rate


Exhibit 2.5: Visitor Arrivals


Exhibit 2.6: Changes in Food and Beverage
Services Index at Constant Prices


## FINANCE AND INSURANCE

- The growth of the finance and insurance sector decelerated to 0.8 per cent in the first quarter of 2012, from 3.5 per cent in the preceding quarter.
- Financial intermediation segments remained a key support to growth, underpinned by gains in the non-bank segments. Domestic corporate loan volumes grew for the eighth consecutive quarter, rising by 33 per cent year-onyear in the first quarter of 2012. This growth was driven by lending extended to manufacturing and general commerce sectors. Offshore loan growth also stayed firm, as strong demand for credit from the region helped offset the pullback in lending to the advanced economies.
- However, the strength witnessed in the financial intermediation cluster was offset by weakness in sentiment-driven segments, such as fund management and stock broking. Fee-based activities tied to fundraising in the capital markets also declined significantly. For example, IPOs sank to their lowest level since the second quarter of 2009, raising only a small fraction of the total amount garnered during the same period a year ago.
- In addition, the insurance segment contracted, reflecting the surge in claims arising from the series of natural disasters in the region in the second half of 2011.

Exhibit 2.7: Growth of Bank Loans and Advances to Non-Bank Customers by I ndustry in 1Q 2012


## CHAPTER 3

## ECONOMI C OUTLOOK

LEADI NG I NDI CATORS

- In the first quarter of 2012, the composite leading index (CLI) rose by 2.9 per cent on a quarter-on-quarter basis, compared to the 1.2 per cent increase in the preceding quarter.
- Of the nine components within the CLI, eight components increased, namely, new companies formed, stock prices, domestic liquidity, stock of finished goods, wholesale trade, non-oil retained imports, non-oil sea cargo handled and US Purchasing Managers' Index.
- The only indicator that declined was money supply.

Exhibit 3.1: Composite Leading I ndex Levels and Growth Rate


## CONCLUSION

Singapore's growth momentum has picked up in the first quarter of 2012, alongside improvements in global macroeconomic conditions. On a quarter-on-quarter seasonally-adjusted annualised basis, the economy grew by 10.0 per cent, reversing the 2.5 per cent contraction in the previous quarter. The turnaround largely reflected the strong sequential upturn in the manufacturing sector. However, on a year-on-year basis, the economy grew at a more modest pace of 1.6 per cent, compared to the 3.6 per cent gain in the preceding quarter.

The external environment remains challenging, given the fragility in the global economic recovery. In the US, the strength of household consumption will be curtailed by a high level of unemployment. In the Eurozone, ongoing fiscal consolidation and bank deleveraging will continue to weigh on domestic demand. Although growth in Asia will be supported by rising domestic consumer demand, it will be negatively affected by lacklustre export performances amidst the external headwinds.

In addition, there is increased uncertainty surrounding the Eurozone's political climate and fiscal outlook. Despite earlier efforts to address the Eurozone sovereign debt crisis, a disorderly sovereign debt default cannot be ruled out at this stage. If it materialises, there will be considerable downsides for the global economy and adverse effects on Singapore's externally-oriented industries. Taking these factors into consideration, the Ministry of Trade and Industry is maintaining the economic growth forecast for 2012 at 1.0 to 3.0 per cent.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- This article examines if foreign participation in Singapore's manufacturing sector has led to productivity spillovers to local-owned firms. Three specific channels of productivity spillovers are considered - horizontal, backward and forward linkages.
- We find that foreign-owned firms tend to be more productive than local-owned firms in the various manufacturing clusters. We also find evidence that foreign direct investment (FDI) has led to productivity improvements in local-owned firms in clusters that have stronger vertical linkages with foreign-owned firms. This is particularly the case for local-owned firms supplying to foreign-owned firms in other clusters.
- However, the presence of foreign-owned firms has no clear productivity impact on local-owned firms in the same cluster.

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## BACKGROUND

Many developing countries and transition economies place attracting foreign direct investment (FDI) high on their agenda, as FDI is often seen as a means of increasing competition, obtaining technological transfers or achieving a more efficient allocation of resources in the domestic economy. Singapore is one of the pioneers in the use of this development strategy. Over the years, the multinational companies (MNCs) have brought many direct benefits to Singapore, especially in terms of (i) providing employment and higher wages for Singaporeans; and (ii) bringing in new technology and expertise to sustain Singapore's competitiveness.

Beyond such direct impact, FDI is also often seen to catalyse improvements in domestic firms' productivity through linkages between multinational and domestic firms. However, as Dani Rodrik (1999) remarked, "today's policy literature is filled with extravagant claims about positive spillovers from FDI but the evidence is sobering". Indeed, the empirical literature finds mixed support on the impact of MNCs on domestic firms' productivity.

This article examines whether foreign participation in the manufacturing sector (from FDI) has had an impact on the productivity of local-owned manufacturing firms. ${ }^{1}$ We investigate this impact via three possible spillover channels - horizontal, backward and forward linkages.

## HOW PRODUCTI VI TY SPI LLOVERS CAN ARI SE FROM FDI LI NKAGES

To introduce the various forms of linkages, let us first consider a stylized electronics manufacturing value chain, with the foreign-owned firm in the printed circuit board (PCB) assembly sub-cluster as the point of reference [Exhibit 1].

[^0]The linkages between local-owned firms and their foreign-owned competitors in the same PCB assembly industry are known as horizontal linkages. When foreign-owned firms in the PCB assembly industry purchase inputs from local-owned firms in another industry, the linkages created are known as backward linkages. ${ }^{2}$ Conversely, when the foreign-owned firms sell to local-owned firms in another industry, the linkages are known as forward linkages. As these backward and forward linkages refer to linkages outside the foreign-owned firms' industry, they are also commonly referred to as vertical linkages.

Exhibit 1: Horizontal, Forward and Backward Linkages - a Stylised Example


We next discuss the possible ways in which horizontal and vertical linkages may result in productivity spillovers from the foreign-owned firms to the local-owned firms.

## Horizontal Linkages

To the extent that local-owned firms are able to imitate the more efficient technology, production processes and management of foreign-owned firms in their industry, their productivity may increase. This is often referred to in the literature as the 'demonstration effect'. Also, foreign-owned firms tend to provide valuable training to their employees, which results in a highly skilled and experienced labour pool that their local competitors can subsequently tap on.

However, given that foreign-owned and local-owned firms within an industry tend to be in direct competition with one another, the foreign-owned firms are likely to guard their technological and management practices closely to prevent local competitors from imitating them. This could work to restrict the extent of any positive learning spillovers on local-owned firms.

The effect of the competition posed by foreign-owned firms is also unclear. While greater competition may spur local-owned firms to use existing resources more efficiently, it may also reduce their market share, thereby reducing economies of scale. Furthermore, increased competition from the MNCs in the factor markets for labour, capital and intermediate goods may drive up wages, the borrowing costs of capital and the costs of intermediate goods, thus causing local-owned firms to switch towards the use of inferior substitutes that reduce their productivity.

[^1]
## Backward Linkages

Increased local sourcing by MNCs is often highlighted as a key source of productivity gains for localowned firms. The high technical standards set by MNCs for the intermediate inputs they use increase their incentive to improve the quality of their local suppliers through the sharing of technology and organisational processes (Javorick, 2004). However, even though the MNCs and their local suppliers tend to be in different industries, the increased competition in the factor markets for labour, capital and intermediate goods may still dampen the productivity of local suppliers, albeit to a lesser extent than if the firms were in the same industry.

## Forward Linkages

The presence of MNCs may benefit local-owned firms to the extent that their supplier market becomes more competitive and the quality of their inputs improves. However, just as in the case for backward linkages, the productivity of local-owned firms may also be adversely affected because of increased competition in the factor markets. In the literature, this channel has generally been found to have an insignificant impact on local-owned firms' productivity (Smeets, 2008).

Exhibit 2 summarises the various sources of productivity spillovers that may arise from horizontal, backward and forward linkages.

Exhibit 2: Spillover channels through which local-owned firms' productivity may be affected by FDI

| Horizontal Linkages | Vertical Linkages |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Backward Linkages | Forward Linkages |
| Increase in foreign-owned competitors <br> in the same industry | Foreign-owned firms buy from local- <br> owned firms in another industry | Foreign-owned firms sell to local- <br> owned firms in another industry |

Sources of Positive Productivity Spillovers on Local-owned Firms

- Imitation of technology and management practices
- Larger experienced labour pool (with MNC experience) to hire from
- Positive competition effect, as localowned firms are spurred to use existing resources more effectively
- Increased incentive to share technological and organisational improvements with local suppliers
- Increased local sourcing by foreign-owned firms may lead to greater economies of scale
- Local-owned firms benefit from a more competitive supplier market and higher quality inputs due to the entry of foreignowned suppliers

Sources of Negative Productivity Spillovers on Local-owned Firms

- Increased competition in factor markets (capital and intermediate goods)
- Foreign-owned firms are able to pay higher wages to attract talent from local-owned firms
- Negative competition effect, from reduced market share and economies of scale


## International Empirical Evidence

The empirical literature offers mixed evidence on the productivity spillovers from FDI to domestic firms. For horizontal linkages, Gorg and Greenaway (2004)'s review of 33 empirical studies done for a range of developing, developed and transition economies showed that most (19 out of 33) of the studies did not find a statistically significant FDI spillover impact on domestic firms' productivity, while the rest either reported a positive impact or a negative one. ${ }^{3}$

[^2]More recent literature considered the impact of vertical spillovers (from both backward and forward linkages) on domestic firms, in addition to horizontal spillovers. Javorcik (2004) found horizontal and backward spillovers to be positive and significant for Lithuania, while forward spillovers were not significant. In the case of Hungary, Bekes, Keinert and Toubal (2009) found horizontal spillovers to be positive and significant, but not for backward and forward spillovers. For the UK, Girma, Gorg and Pisu (2008) found positive backward and insignificant forward spillovers in aggregate as well as positive horizontal spillovers for exporters.

Closer to home, Blalock and Gertler (2005)'s study on Indonesia found positive and significant backward spillovers, but no horizontal spillovers. On the other hand, Blake et al (2009)'s study on China found that horizontal spillovers were generally negative for local firms but positive for large state-owned enterprises. They did not find any evidence of backward or forward spillovers.

## DATA AND EMPI RI CAL STRATEGY

To determine if FDI in the manufacturing sector in Singapore has led to productivity spillovers on localowned manufacturing firms via horizontal, backward and forward linkages, we adopt the approach taken by Bekes, Kleinert and Toubal (2009). ${ }^{4}$

For the study, we use a panel dataset from EDB's Census of Manufacturing Activities survey covering about 2,650 to 3,400 manufacturing firms annually from 2001 to $2008 .{ }^{5}$ We conduct a firm-level analysis of the impact of horizontal, backward and forward linkages on local-owned firms' productivity using a two-step approach.

First, we derive the total factor productivity (TFP) - which is the measure of productivity we use for this study - of each firm. This is done by estimating the production function of each of the 17 manufacturing sub-clusters (with capital being instrumented by expenditure on capital repairs), and then taking the firm-level residuals as the TFP of each firm in the sub-cluster. Second, we run a fixed-effects regression of the TFP of local-owned firms on variables that proxy the extent of their horizontal, backward and forward linkages to foreign-owned firms. ${ }^{6}$ Our model also controls for industry concentration through the use of a Herfindahl index. The basic econometric model (Model 1) is shown below:

$$
T F P_{i j t}=\alpha+\beta_{1} H_{j t}+\beta_{2} B_{j t}+\beta_{3} F_{j t}+\gamma C_{j t}+v_{i}
$$

For firm i, sub-cluster $j$ and time $t$,
Where:

| $T F P_{i j t}$ | $=$ Total factor productivity of local manufacturing firm |
| :--- | :--- |
| $H_{j t}$ | $=$ Sub-cluster's extent of horizontal linkages to foreign-owned firms |
| $B_{j t}$ | $=$ Sub-cluster's extent of backward linkages to foreign-owned firms |
| $F_{j t}$ | $=$ Sub-cluster's extent of forward linkages to foreign-owned firms |
| $C_{j t}$ | $=$ Herfindahl index of sub-cluster |
| $v_{i}$ | $=$ Firm fixed-effects |

As it is highly possible that the productivity spillovers from FDI will vary by clusters, we also run an additional model (Model 2) where the coefficients of the various linkages are allowed to vary for five broad clusters, viz. electronics, chemicals, precision engineering, transport engineering and general manufacturing. ${ }^{7}$

[^3]Before discussing the results of the regressions, it is perhaps useful to first understand the characteristics of foreign-owned and local-owned firms in the various broad manufacturing clusters. These are provided in Box 1 below. In sum, we find that foreign-owned manufacturing firms across the broad clusters tend to be larger, employ more workers, and are more productive than local-owned firms. This suggests that foreign-owned firms are directly contributing to the Singapore economy in terms of providing good jobs for Singaporeans as well as enhancing the competitiveness of our manufacturing industries. It also suggests that there is scope for local-owned manufacturing firms to learn and benefit from the presence of foreign-owned firms in Singapore.

## Box 1: Comparison between local-owned and foreign-owned manufacturing firms in Singapore

There has been a significant degree of foreign participation in Singapore's manufacturing sector over the past decade. The foreign-owned firms in Singapore are mostly global MNCs from G3 countries. Out of the 783 foreign-owned firms in the manufacturing sector in 2008, 83 per cent were from USA, Europe and Japan, while the remaining 17 per cent were from other countries [Exhibit 3].

Exhibit 3: Foreign-Owned* Manufacturing Firms in Singapore in 2008 by Capital Source, Per Cent of Establishments


Note: *Capital source determined using 50 per cent equity as cut off Source: EDB Census of Manufacturing Activities

Exhibit 4 shows that foreign-owned firms were on average significantly larger than local-owned firms in terms of their value-added, labour and capital employed. Across the manufacturing clusters, foreignowned firms were also substantially more productive than local-owned firms.

Exhibit 4: Comparison of Mean of Key Firm Characteristics by Clusters in 2008

| Cluster | Ownership | TFP* | Value-added <br> (\$ Mil) | Labour <br> $($ No.) | Capital <br> (\$ Mil) | No. of <br> Estabs in <br> 2008 |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| General | Local | -0.018 | 1.0 | 19 | 0.8 | 3,986 |
|  | Foreign | 0.208 | 12.2 | 116 | 12.6 | 110 |
| Electronics | Local | -0.067 | 22.8 | 233 | 49.9 | 104 |
|  | Foreign | 0.133 | 137.0 | 781 | 197.8 | 85 |
| Chemicals | Local | -0.110 | 3.6 | 24 | 2.5 | 229 |
|  | Foreign | 0.143 | 14.8 | 114 | 62.8 | 155 |
| Precision <br> Engineering | Local | -0.030 | 1.2 | 25 | 1.2 | 2,482 |
|  | Foreign | 0.257 | 13.0 | 134 | 8.5 | 278 |
| Transport <br> Engineering | Local | -0.024 | 6.2 | 105 | 2.3 | 973 |
|  | Foreign | 0.207 | 25.3 | 162 | 12.2 | 110 |

Note: *TFP values are centered around zero and averaged from 2001-2008. Foreign-owned firms are defined as
firms with foreign shareholdings of 50 per cent or more.
Source: EDB Census of Manufacturing Activities

## DI SCUSSI ON OF RESULTS

Our findings on the impact of FDI on the productivity of local-owned manufacturing firms via the three spillover channels are shown in Exhibit 5.

## Horizontal Linkages

We find that FDI has no clear productivity impact on local-owned firms in the same subcluster. While regression model (1) yields a negative and significant coefficient for horizontal linkages, regression model (2) shows that the coefficients for horizontal linkages for the various clusters are mostly insignificant with the exception of precision engineering.

Exhibit 5: Summary of Productivity Spillover Effects on Local-owned Manufacturing Firms, 2001-2008

| Model | (1) | (2) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dependent Var | TFP | TFP |  |  |  |  |
| Cluster | Overall | Gen | Elec | Chems | PE | TE |
| Horizontal | Negative*** | Not sig. | Not sig. | Not sig. | Positive*** | Not sig. |
| Backward | Positive*** | Positive*** | Positive*** | Negative** | Positive*** | Positive* |
| Forward | Not sig. | Positive*** | Not sig. | Positive** | Not sig. | Positive** |

*, ** and $* * *$ indicate significance at levels of $10 \%, 5 \%$ and $1 \%$ respectively.
Notes: The magnitude of the impact is not meaningful as the TFP measures are not comparable across clusters. Refer to Annexes C and D for detailed results of the first step and second step respectively. The Biomedical Sciences cluster was excluded from the regressions due to the volatile and nascent nature of the cluster in the period studied.

Our results differ from studies done in countries such as Hungary and Lithuania where horizontal spillovers were found to be positive and significant. This could be due to the fact that many of these countries are transition economies where the level of foreign participation in their economies is still low. By contrast, Singapore's policy of encouraging FDI has been in place since the 1960s. By 2001-2008, which is the sample period of the data used for our study, foreign participation in most clusters was already extensive. It is therefore likely that any productivity spillovers that could be gained by learning from foreign-owned firms would already have been reaped earlier, leaving the negative competition effect to dominate in most of the clusters during the sample period.

An exception is the precision engineering cluster, where foreign participation has led to significant positive horizontal spillovers on local-owned firms. As firms in the cluster tend to be highly specialised firms that deal in niche products, there could have been a much higher level of linkages between foreign- and local-owned firms within the cluster. For instance, precision component OEMs, which are mostly foreign firms selling specialised parts, are likely to outsource to local suppliers in the same cluster work such as electroplating and polishing. Akin to the case of backward linkages, these foreign-owned firms could have a greater incentive to share their technology or processes with their local suppliers within the cluster in order to raise the quality of their work.

## Backward Linkages

In contrast to horizontal linkages, we find that local-owned firms that supply to foreign-owned firms in another cluster are the most likely to experience productivity gains. The coefficient for backward linkages in regression model (1) is positive and significant, suggesting that an increase in sales to foreign-owned firms in another cluster would increase the productivity of local-owned firms supplying to these firms. Such productivity gains from backward integration are not surprising, as foreign-owned firms that set up local supplier networks would be more willing to share technological and organisational improvements with their local suppliers. These local suppliers would also enjoy increased economies of scale with the entry of more foreign-owned customers.

For regression model (2), the impact of backward linkages on local-owned firms' productivity is positive and significant in all the clusters, except for chemicals. In the case of the chemicals cluster, the majority of the firms upstream are foreign-owned firms that purchase their intermediate inputs of crude oil from abroad. The extent of their backward linkages with local-owned firms thus tends to be weaker than is the case for the other clusters.

Given the potential benefits to be reaped from backward linkages, economic agencies in Singapore such as the EDB have implemented initiatives that encourage foreign-owned firms to engage in local sourcing. For instance, local precision engineering companies are listed in supplier directories that are provided to foreign companies in the machinery, aerospace, oil \& gas and medical technology sectors. These directories enable the foreign-owned firms to easily identify local suppliers should they wish to source locally.

## Forward Linkages

The productivity spillover impact from forward linkages is positive for most clusters, although it is insignificant at the overall level. In regression model (1), the coefficient for forward linkages is insignificant, which is similar to the findings of most other studies. However, regression model (2) suggests that local-owned firms in the general manufacturing, chemicals and transport engineering clusters may have reaped productivity gains as a result of the better-quality inputs they have been able to buy from their foreign-owned suppliers.

## CONCLUSION

Our study has found evidence that FDI in Singapore's manufacturing sector has led to productivity improvements in local-owned manufacturing firms in clusters that have stronger vertical linkages with foreign-owned firms. This is particularly the case for those that have backward linkages with the foreignowned firms. However, the presence of foreign-owned firms has no clear productivity impact on localowned firms in the same cluster.

As backward and forward linkages appear to be the key channels through which foreign-owned firms can bring about productivity gains to local-owned firms, the government can do more to help link up localowned firms to the MNCs as either their suppliers or customers. Such efforts will help to enhance the benefits of attracting FDI to the manufacturing sector in Singapore.

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## ANNEX A: REGRESSI ON METHODOLOGY

We use a two-step regression procedure similar to Bekes, Kleinert and Toubal (2009).
The first step involves the estimation of a production function for each of the 17 manufacturing subclusters. As the capital variable is prone to measurement error, we use expenditure on capital repairs to instrument for capital. ${ }^{8}$ All firms, regardless of whether they are local or foreign-owned, are included in the estimation for a particular sub-cluster. By running separate regressions for each sub-cluster, we allow the production technology to vary across sub-clusters. Time dummies are used to remove industry cycles specific to each sub-cluster.

The estimating equation for each EDB sub-cluster j is shown below:

$$
\begin{equation*}
V A_{i t}=\beta_{1} K_{i t}+\beta_{2} L_{i t}+\alpha_{t}, \forall \text { subcluster } j \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

For firm i, sub-cluster $j$ and time $t$, Where:
$V A_{i t} \quad=$ Natural log of real value-added, deflated by the GDP deflator
$K_{i t} \quad=$ Natural $\log$ of real capital, instrumented using the capital repair expenditure
$L_{i t} \quad=$ Natural log of total workers employed
$\alpha_{t} \quad=$ Time dummies
For each sub-cluster, the firm-level residuals are then used to derive the TFP - which is the indicator of productivity we use in this study - of each firm in the sub-cluster in each year.

In the second step, we analyse the impact of horizontal, backward and forward linkages with foreignowned firms on the demeaned TFP of local-owned firms derived via equation (1). Foreign-owned firms are excluded in the second stage regressions as we are only interested in the productivity impact on local-owned firms. ${ }^{9}$ We also exclude the top and bottom 5 percentile of the observations in terms of TFP to remove the effect of outliers.

Two models are used in the second stage regressions. Model (1) follows directly from Bekes, Kleinert and Toubal (2009). It assumes that productivity spillover effects do not vary across clusters - i.e., the impact that foreign-owned firms have on the productivity of a general manufacturing firm via each of the three spillover channels will be the same as their impact on an electronics firm. The model is shown below:

$$
\begin{equation*}
T F P_{i j t}=\alpha+\beta_{1} H_{j t}+\beta_{2} B_{j t}+\beta_{3} F_{j t}+\gamma C_{j t}+v_{i} \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

For firm i, sub-cluster $j$ and time $t$,
Where:
$T F P_{i j t} \quad=$ Total factor productivity of local manufacturing firm
$H_{j t} \quad=$ Sub-cluster's extent of horizontal linkages to foreign-owned firms
$B_{j t} \quad=$ Sub-cluster's extent of backward linkages to foreign-owned firms
$F_{j t} \quad=$ Sub-cluster's extent of forward linkages to foreign-owned firms
$C_{j t} \quad=$ Herfindahl index of sub-cluster
$v_{i} \quad=$ Firm fixed-effects
Model (2) allows the productivity spillover effects to vary for each of the five broad manufacturing clusters. It entails interacting the spillover variables with cluster dummies so that we are able to obtain separate spillover effects for each cluster.

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## ANNEX B: CONSTRUCTI ON OF LI NKAGES VARI ABLES AND TREATMENT OF DATA

We use 2001-2008 data from EDB's Census of Manufacturing Activity (CMA) survey with coverage of about 2,650 to 3,400 manufacturing firms annually. Based on the CMA sampling methodology, companies with less than 20 employees are surveyed on a random basis.

The various economic variables are deflated using price indices into real (or constant price) terms. Valueadded (VA) is deflated using the GDP deflator for each manufacturing cluster (e.g., electronics, transport engineering). Capital stock is deflated using either the relevant sub-categories of the Wholesale Price Index or the Tender Price Index (for land buildings and structure). The firm's total real capital stock is obtained by summing up the various sub-categories of capital.

To derive the extent of backward and forward linkages among the manufacturing sub-clusters, an adapted version (mapped to EDB sub-clusters) of table 4 of the 2005 input/output tables is used. Linkages from the 2000 input/output tables are also compiled and found to be largely similar to the 2005 tables.

Observations which have negative VA or missing/zero values for key firm characteristics such as capital or total workers are dropped from the sample.

## Construction of Linkages Variables

To obtain a measure of the extent of exposure that firms in an industry have to FDI within their own industry, and also in terms of backward and forward linkages with other industries ${ }^{10}$, we follow the methodology in Javorcik (2004).

Horizontal linkages with foreign-owned firms are defined as:

$$
H_{j t}=\left[\sum_{i \in j} \operatorname{share}_{i t} * Y_{i t}\right] / \sum_{i \in j} Y_{i t}
$$

where $^{\text {share }}{ }_{i t}$ is the share of the firm's total equity that is foreign-owned, and $Y_{i t}$ is the output of the firm $i$ at time t .

Backward linkages with foreign-owned firms (local-owned firms supply to foreign-owned firms) are defined as:

$$
B_{j t}=\sum_{k \neq j} \theta_{j k} H_{k t}
$$

where $\theta_{\mathrm{jk}}$ is the fraction of industry j 's output shipped to sector k , constructed from the 2005 input-output tables from DOS.

As in Javorcik (2004), the output shipped within the sector is excluded in the computation due to its inclusion in the horizontal spillovers variable.

Forward linkages with foreign-owned firms are defined as:

$$
F_{j t}=\sum_{m \neq j} \theta_{j m} H_{m t}
$$

where $\theta_{j m}$ is the share of inputs purchased by industry j from industry m in total inputs purchased by industry j computed using input-output tables.

[^5]As data on the foreign share of the output of services sectors are not available, the backward and forward linkages with services sectors are not captured in the linkages variables.

Herfindahl Index. To proxy for the level of competition in each sub-cluster, we calculate the normalised Herfindahl index for each sub-cluster $j$ for each year $t$. The index ranges from 0 to 1 , with 0 being highly competitive and 1 for a monopoly. To be more precise, the index is defined as:

$$
C_{j t}=\frac{\text { sum of squares of market share of top } 50 \text { firms }-\frac{1}{N}}{1-1 / N}
$$

where market share is proxied using total sales, while $N$ is the number of firms in sub-cluster $j$ at time $t$.

## ANNEX C: RESULTS OF FI RST-STEP TFP REGRESSI ONS

| Dep. Var | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cluster | Gen | Gen | Gen | Elec | Elec | Elec | Elec | Elec | Chems | Chems |
| Sub-cluster | Gen Misc | FBT | Printing | Semicon | Peripherals | Data Storage | Infocomms | Other Mods. \& Comp. | Petroleum | Petrochem |
| $\operatorname{Ln}(\mathrm{L})$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.719 * * * \\ (43.77) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.445 * * * \\ (7.78) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.451 * * * \\ (7.32) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 1.153 * * * \\ (4.66) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.378^{*} \\ (2.12) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.878 * * * \\ (5.69) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.621^{* * *} \\ (5.32) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.442 \\ & (1.66) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.0216 \\ & (-0.06) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.206 \\ & (-1.15) \end{aligned}$ |
| $\operatorname{Ln}(\mathrm{K})$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.308 * * * \\ (26.77) \end{gathered}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} 0.524 * * * \\ (12.51) \end{array}\right\|$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.509 * * * \\ (10.92) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} -0.0135 \\ (-0.08) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.562 * * * \\ (4.22) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 0.381 * * * \\ (2.37) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.393 * * * \\ (4.77) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.477 * \\ (2.52) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.869 * * \\ (3.28) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline 0.784 * * * \\ (7.60) \end{array}$ |
| Constant | $\begin{gathered} 7.210 * * * \\ (67.55) \end{gathered}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} 4.926 * * * \\ (12.46) \end{gathered}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.595 * * * \\ (12.85) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 10.65 * * * \\ (5.96) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 5.514 * * * \\ (4.82) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} 6.554 * * * \\ (4.10) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7.178 * * * \\ (9.69) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} 6.192 * * * \\ (3.78) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2.019 * * * \\ (0.67) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3.345^{* *} \\ (2.73) \end{gathered}$ |
| Fixed Effects | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time |
| R-Squared No. of obs | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.804 \\ & 5,464 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.7384 \\ 2,256 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.816 \\ & 1,823 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.707 \\ 268 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.862 \\ 295 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.839 \\ 59 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.803 \\ 311 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.878 \\ 249 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.773 \\ 124 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.670 \\ 335 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |


| Dep. Var | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) | Ln(VA) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cluster | Chems | Chems | PE | PE | TE | TE | TE |
| Sub-cluster | Specialty | Other Chems | Mach \& Sys | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Prec Mod } \\ \text { Comp } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Marine \& Offshore | Aerospace | Land |
| $\operatorname{Ln}(\mathrm{L})$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.464 * * * \\ (5.45) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.643 * * * \\ (7.96) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.661^{* * *} \\ (11.66) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.483 * * * \\ (14.31) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 0.445 * * * \\ (18.46) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.660 * * * \\ (3.39) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.292 \\ & (-0.64) \end{aligned}$ |
| $\operatorname{Ln}(\mathrm{K})$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.575 * * * \\ (9.74) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.400 * * * \\ (8.14) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.342 * * * \\ (7.27) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.494 * * * \\ (18.17) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 0.434 * * * \\ (17.47) \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.348^{*} \\ & (2.21) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1.027 * * \\ (3.23) \end{gathered}$ |
| Constant | $\begin{gathered} 4.476 * * * \\ (7.12) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 6.186 * * * \\ (13.81) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7.027 * * * \\ & (15.97) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5.406 * * * \\ (20.36) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} 6.900 * * * \\ (27.28) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 7.740 * * * \\ (4.88) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.857 \\ (0.32) \end{gathered}$ |
| Fixed Effects | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time | Time |
| R-Squared No. of obs | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.754 \\ & 1,017 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.792 \\ 596 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.796 \\ & 3,002 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.759 \\ & 6,074 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 0.744 \\ & 2,449 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.826 \\ 404 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.609 \\ 275 \end{gathered}$ |

Note: t-statistics in parentheses, ${ }^{*}, * *$ and ${ }^{* * *}$ indicate significance at levels of $5 \%, 1 \%$ and $0.1 \%$ respectively.
Capital was instrumented using capital repair in the first stage of the IV regression.
Each column estimates a production function for each of the 17 manufacturing sub-clusters.
All firms (local and foreign owned) included in the sample.
Firms with negative VA were excluded.
VA and $K$ are in real terms.

ANNEX D: RESULTS OF SECOND-STEP REGRESSI ONS, 2001-2008

| Specification | (1) | (2) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dependent Var | TFP | TFP |  |  |  |  |
| Cluster | Overall | Gen | Elec | Chems | PE | TE |
| Horizontal | $\begin{gathered} -0.246 * * * \\ (-2.85) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.175 \\ & (-1.12) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.183 \\ & (-0.47) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.671 \\ & (-1.07) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.859 * * * \\ (2.66) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.030 \\ & (-0.11) \end{aligned}$ |
| Backward | $3.816^{* * *}$ <br> (5.48) | $\begin{gathered} 7.107^{* * *} \\ (3.11) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11.39 * * * \\ (2.92) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} -42.67^{* *} \\ (-2.24) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 4.604^{* *} \\ (2.51) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19.81^{*} \\ & (1.89) \end{aligned}$ |
| Forward | $\begin{gathered} -1.07 \\ (-0.06) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8.943 * * * \\ (2.69) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5.124 \\ & (0.65) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 82.70^{* *} \\ (2.39) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -3.197 \\ & (-0.52) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 8.187 * * \\ (2.38) \end{gathered}$ |
| Herfindahl | $\begin{aligned} & -0.203 \\ & (-0.66) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} -2.261^{* * *} \\ (-3.40) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.732 \\ & (1.26) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.321 \\ & (-0.25) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} -11.88^{* *} \\ (-2.33) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -0.590 \\ & (-0.85) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Constant Fixed Effects | $\begin{gathered} -0.127 \\ (-1.58) \\ \text { Firm } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} -0.596^{* * *} \\ (-3.60) \\ \text { Firm } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |
| R-squared | 0.749 | 0.750 |  |  |  |  |
| Observations | 17,597 | 17,597 |  |  |  |  |
| No. of Firms | 6,166 | 6,166 |  |  |  |  |

Note: t-statistics in parentheses, *, ** and $* * *$ indicate significance at levels of $10 \%, 5 \%$ and $1 \%$ respectively.
Only local-owned manufacturing firms ( $>50 \%$ local shareholdings) were used in the second-stage sample.
Observations in the top and bottom 5 percentiles of local-owned firms in TFP in each cluster were dropped.

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|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES | 268,772.4 | 270,012.7 | 310,036.8 | 326,832.4 | 74,322.9 | 77,209.2 | 77,438.4 | 81,066.3 | 81,558.7 | 80,146.7 | 81,002.9 | 84,124.1 | 84,236.5 |
| Goods Producing Industries | 67,703.4 | 71,514.7 | 81,576.4 | 81,684.5 | 19,862.7 | 20,907.9 | 20,271.6 | 20,534.2 | 20,246.8 | 19,731.0 | 20,674.7 | 21,032.0 | 20,707.7 |
| Manufacturing | 52,475.9 | 53,999.8 | 64,459.8 | 64,198.0 | 15,655.5 | 16,645.3 | 16,014.7 | 16,144.3 | 16,000.9 | 15,343.0 | 16,254.1 | 16,600.0 | 16,175.7 |
| Construction | 11,256.7 | 13,584.9 | 12,610.6 | 12,759.0 | 3,165.7 | 3,115.8 | 3,118.7 | 3,210.4 | 3,150.1 | 3,104.8 | 3,202.1 | 3,302.0 | 3,385.9 |
| Utilities | 3,863.2 | 3,825.0 | 4,403.8 | 4,624.6 | 1,016.5 | 1,121.4 | 1,113.7 | 1,152.2 | 1,067.9 | 1,257.5 | 1,195.0 | 1,104.2 | 1,119.0 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 107.6 | 105.0 | 102.2 | 102.9 | 25.0 | 25.4 | 24.5 | 27.3 | 27.9 | 25.7 | 23.5 | 25.8 | 27.1 |
| Services Producing Industries | 176,159.0 | 173,668.6 | 199,015.0 | 211,877.9 | 47,715.1 | 48,851.5 | 49,652.1 | 52,796.3 | 53,333.4 | 51,936.1 | 51,979.1 | 54,629.3 | 55,155.2 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 44,396.7 | 45,101.8 | 52,264.6 | 53,328.3 | 12,483.1 | 13,174.8 | 12,991.1 | 13,615.6 | 13,102.9 | 13,418.4 | 12,805.0 | 14,002.0 | 13,091.5 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 26,010.0 | 21,627.7 | 25,191.9 | 25,169.5 | 5,982.6 | 6,190.3 | 6,321.3 | 6,697.7 | 6,191.5 | 6,268.9 | 6,143.3 | 6,565.8 | 6,264.4 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 5,909.2 | 5,461.6 | 6,447.3 | 7,300.4 | 1,505.6 | 1,607.4 | 1,648.1 | 1,686.2 | 1,762.5 | 1,809.1 | 1,861.4 | 1,867.4 | 1,939.4 |
| Information \& Communications | 9,639.4 | 10,269.5 | 10,650.0 | 11,013.7 | 2,642.5 | 2,625.9 | 2,632.2 | 2,749.4 | 2,754.2 | 2,742.1 | 2,712.6 | 2,804.8 | 2,931.7 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 30,599.2 | 31,228.6 | 33,469.1 | 36,688.5 | 8,062.2 | 8,168.2 | 8,283.0 | 8,955.7 | 9,189.6 | 9,030.0 | 9,327.3 | 9,141.6 | 9,639.9 |
| Business Services | 34,915.4 | 34,554.4 | 39,885.4 | 43,390.2 | 9,510.9 | 9,871.0 | 10,087.2 | 10,416.3 | 10,621.4 | 10,692.0 | 10,858.9 | 11,217.9 | 11,243.0 |
| Other Services Industries | 24,689.1 | 25,425.0 | 31,106.7 | 34,987.3 | 7,528.2 | 7,213.9 | 7,689.2 | 8,675.4 | 9,711.3 | 7,975.6 | 8,270.6 | 9,029.8 | 10,045.3 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 10,678.0 | 10,887.8 | 11,579.3 | 13,495.8 | 2,768.9 | 2,842.5 | 2,897.4 | 3,070.5 | 3,225.2 | 3,364.6 | 3,432.0 | 3,474.0 | 3,664.6 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | $254,540.4$ | 256,071.1 | 292,170.7 | 307,058.2 | 70,346.7 | 72,601.9 | 72,821.1 | 76,401.0 | 76,805.4 | 75,031.7 | 76,085.8 | 79,135.3 | 79,527.5 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | $14,232.0$ | $13,941.6$ | $17,866.1$ | $19,774.2$ | 3,976.2 | 4,607.3 | $4,617.3$ | 4,665.3 | $4,753.3$ | $5,115.0$ | $4,917.1$ | 4,988.8 | $4,709.0$ |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT CURRENT MARKET PRICES | 0.4 | 0.5 | 14.8 | 5.4 | 19.3 | 18.0 | 12.1 | 10.7 | 9.7 | 3.8 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 3.3 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -7.2 | 5.6 | 14.1 | 0.1 | 35.2 | 21.8 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 1.9 | -5.6 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.3 |
| Manufacturing | -14.1 | 2.9 | 19.4 | -0.4 | 48.9 | 29.2 | 4.7 | 5.5 | 2.2 | -7.8 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 1.1 |
| Construction | 43.0 | 20.7 | -7.2 | 1.2 | -4.7 | -4.5 | -8.1 | -11.0 | -0.5 | -0.4 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 7.5 |
| Utilities | 0.4 | -1.0 | 15.1 | 5.0 | 23.5 | 13.8 | 19.8 | 5.9 | 5.1 | 12.1 | 7.3 | -4.2 | 4.8 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | -2.7 | -2.4 | -2.7 | 0.7 | -9.7 | 3.3 | 0.0 | -3.2 | 11.6 | 1.2 | -4.1 | -5.5 | -2.9 |
| Services Producing Industries | 3.1 | -1.4 | 14.6 | 6.5 | 13.5 | 15.9 | 15.6 | 13.5 | 11.8 | 6.3 | 4.7 | 3.5 | 3.4 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | -7.6 | 1.6 | 15.9 | 2.0 | 24.9 | 17.5 | 13.2 | 9.6 | 5.0 | 1.8 | -1.4 | 2.8 | -0.1 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 5.0 | -16.8 | 16.5 | -0.1 | 7.7 | 21.1 | 25.1 | 13.3 | 3.5 | 1.3 | -2.8 | -2.0 | 1.2 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 10.9 | -7.6 | 18.0 | 13.2 | 12.4 | 23.4 | 19.8 | 16.9 | 17.1 | 12.5 | 12.9 | 10.7 | 10.0 |
| Information \& Communications | 8.6 | 6.5 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 5.5 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 6.4 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 1.4 | 2.1 | 7.2 | 9.6 | 9.3 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 9.5 | 14.0 | 10.6 | 12.6 | 2.1 | 4.9 |
| Business Services | 15.2 | -1.0 | 15.4 | 8.8 | 13.8 | 19.0 | 16.5 | 12.6 | 11.7 | 8.3 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 5.9 |
| Other Services Industries | 5.6 | 3.0 | 22.3 | 12.5 | 10.3 | 22.7 | 28.3 | 29.0 | 29.0 | 10.6 | 7.6 | 4.1 | 3.4 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 28.3 | 2.0 | 6.4 | 16.6 | -0.5 | 3.9 | 7.4 | 14.9 | 16.5 | 18.4 | 18.5 | 13.1 | 13.6 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | 1.0 | 0.6 | 14.1 | 5.1 | 18.2 | 17.0 | 11.5 | 10.4 | 9.2 | 3.3 | 4.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | -8.3 | -2.0 | 28.1 | 10.7 | 42.7 | 36.7 | 22.3 | 16.3 | 19.5 | 11.0 | 6.5 | 6.9 | -0.9 |

[^6]Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT 2005 MARKET PRICES | 251,374.0 | 248,911.2 | 285,658.5 | 299,624.7 | 67,810.8 | 73,726.9 | 71,686.5 | 72,434.3 | 73,973.5 | 74,638.4 | 75,992.3 | 75,020.5 | 75,135.2 |
| Goods Producing Industries | 73,465.3 | 72,467.9 | 90,392.9 | 96,506.8 | 20,933.4 | 24,712.2 | 22,316.0 | 22,431.3 | 23,798.4 | 23,540.2 | 24,946.9 | 24,221.3 | 23,846.1 |
| Manufacturing | 60,738.5 | 58,217.8 | 75,492.8 | 81,236.0 | 17,304.8 | 21,011.1 | 18,577.9 | 18,599.0 | 20,041.2 | 19,770.4 | 21,113.9 | 20,310.5 | 19,847.3 |
| Construction | 8,975.3 | 10,509.4 | 10,918.2 | 11,205.8 | 2,658.9 | 2,696.9 | 2,741.2 | 2,821.2 | 2,769.6 | 2,725.5 | 2,807.8 | 2,902.9 | 2,983.3 |
| Utilities | 3,644.7 | 3,635.8 | 3,880.2 | 3,960.2 | 944.1 | 978.7 | 972.2 | 985.2 | 959.1 | 1,018.6 | 1,001.5 | 981.0 | 987.3 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 106.8 | 104.9 | 101.7 | 104.8 | 25.6 | 25.5 | 24.7 | 25.9 | 28.5 | 25.7 | 23.7 | 26.9 | 28.2 |
| Services Producing Industries | 161,302.9 | 159,660.6 | 177,365.5 | 185,186.3 | 42,569.6 | 44,468.1 | 44,876.8 | 45,451.0 | 45,764.9 | 46,516.1 | 46,507.5 | 46,397.8 | 46,755.8 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 41,807.0 | 39,859.8 | 45,895.7 | 46,413.5 | 11,060.8 | 11,646.1 | 11,720.2 | 11,468.6 | 11,532.9 | 11,748.3 | 11,556.7 | 11,575.6 | 11,493.1 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 25,082.2 | 22,588.0 | 24,367.4 | 25,509.1 | 5,912.3 | 6,063.6 | 6,150.8 | 6,240.7 | 6,149.0 | 6,505.3 | 6,464.4 | 6,390.4 | 6,367.2 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 4,661.1 | 4,569.1 | 5,124.9 | 5,421.5 | 1,235.1 | 1,271.7 | 1,289.1 | 1,329.0 | 1,343.4 | 1,344.4 | 1,360.9 | 1,372.8 | 1,396.5 |
| Information \& Communications | 9,371.5 | 9,701.8 | 10,030.3 | 10,178.4 | 2,481.8 | 2,515.4 | 2,522.9 | 2,510.2 | 2,545.8 | 2,559.2 | 2,544.4 | 2,529.0 | 2,590.3 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 29,581.1 | 30,223.5 | 33,960.0 | 37,038.1 | 8,156.7 | 8,409.5 | 8,417.1 | 8,976.7 | 9,136.1 | 9,219.1 | 9,393.6 | 9,289.3 | 9,209.1 |
| Business Services | 28,382.6 | 29,216.2 | 31,035.5 | 31,875.0 | 7,555.4 | 7,745.0 | 7,820.5 | 7,914.6 | 7,913.5 | 7,924.3 | 7,972.0 | 8,065.2 | 8,189.3 |
| Other Services Industries | 22,417.4 | 23,502.2 | 26,951.7 | 28,750.7 | 6,167.5 | 6,816.8 | 6,956.2 | 7,011.2 | 7,144.2 | 7,215.5 | 7,215.5 | 7,175.5 | 7,510.3 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 6,289.8 | 6,315.3 | 6,295.5 | 6,281.7 | 1,583.4 | 1,579.8 | 1,564.7 | 1,567.6 | 1,576.2 | 1,574.1 | 1,562.9 | 1,568.5 | 1,563.0 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | 241,058.0 | 238,443.8 | 274,053.9 | 287,974.8 | 65,086.4 | 70,760.1 | 68,757.5 | 69,449.9 | 71,139.5 | 71,630.4 | 73,017.3 | 72,187.6 | 72,164.9 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | 10,316.0 | 10,467.4 | 11,604.6 | 11,649.9 | 2,724.4 | 2,966.8 | 2,929.0 | 2,984.4 | 2,834.0 | 3,008.0 | 2,975.0 | 2,832.9 | 2,970.3 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT 2005 MARKET PRICES | 1.7 | -1.0 | 14.8 | 4.9 | 16.5 | 19.8 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 9.1 | 1.2 | 6.0 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -1.5 | -1.4 | 24.7 | 6.8 | 31.0 | 38.3 | 12.0 | 20.0 | 13.7 | -4.7 | 11.8 | 8.0 | 0.2 |
| Manufacturing | -4.2 | -4.2 | 29.7 | 7.6 | 37.2 | 45.2 | 13.7 | 25.7 | 15.8 | -5.9 | 13.7 | 9.2 | -1.0 |
| Construction | 20.1 | 17.1 | 3.9 | 2.6 | 6.6 | 9.4 | 3.8 | -3.1 | 4.2 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 7.7 |
| Utilities | 1.9 | -0.2 | 6.7 | 2.1 | 11.9 | 6.9 | 5.4 | 3.3 | 1.6 | 4.1 | 3.0 | -0.4 | 2.9 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | -4.3 | -1.8 | -3.1 | 3.0 | -7.9 | 4.1 | 1.6 | -8.5 | 11.3 | 0.8 | -4.0 | 3.9 | -1.1 |
| Services Producing Industries | 4.6 | -1.0 | 11.1 | 4.4 | 11.4 | 12.7 | 10.6 | 9.7 | 7.5 | 4.6 | 3.6 | 2.1 | 2.2 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 3.2 | -4.7 | 15.1 | 1.1 | 17.1 | 19.0 | 14.2 | 10.7 | 4.3 | 0.9 | -1.4 | 0.9 | -0.3 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 5.1 | -9.9 | 7.9 | 4.7 | 8.1 | 9.7 | 8.0 | 5.8 | 4.0 | 7.3 | 5.1 | 2.4 | 3.5 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 0.9 | -2.0 | 12.2 | 5.8 | 11.2 | 15.6 | 11.7 | 10.3 | 8.8 | 5.7 | 5.6 | 3.3 | 4.0 |
| Information \& Communications | 8.0 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.7 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 5.2 | 2.2 | 12.4 | 9.1 | 17.8 | 10.6 | 8.9 | 12.6 | 12.0 | 9.6 | 11.6 | 3.5 | 0.8 |
| Business Services | 7.3 | 2.9 | 6.2 | 2.7 | 6.3 | 7.6 | 6.4 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3.5 |
| Other Services Industries | 2.1 | 4.8 | 14.7 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 17.4 | 17.1 | 17.1 | 15.8 | 5.8 | 3.7 | 2.3 | 5.1 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | -0.4 | 0.4 | -0.3 | -0.2 | -0.8 | -0.4 | -0.4 | 0.4 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -0.1 | 0.1 | -0.8 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | 2.6 | -1.1 | 14.9 | 5.1 | 16.6 | 20.1 | 10.8 | 12.6 | 9.3 | 1.2 | 6.2 | 3.9 | 1.4 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | -15.0 | 1.5 | 10.9 | 0.4 | 14.1 | 13.1 | 6.4 | 10.4 | 4.0 | 1.4 | 1.6 | -5.1 | 4.8 |

${ }^{1}$ Comprise Agriculture, Fishing and Quarrying
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics
Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY AT 2005 PRICES, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED [TABLE A1.2]

|  | 2009 |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT 2005 MARKET PRICES | 59,184.3 | 61,770.5 | 64,004.1 | 63,901.8 | 69,064.4 | 73,934.7 | 70,798.4 | 71,996.5 | 75,301.7 | 74,725.8 | 75,089.7 | 74,607.1 | 76,405.1 |
| Goods Producing Industries | 16,703.2 | 18,203.4 | 19,356.5 | 18,148.4 | 21,882.7 | 25,060.4 | 21,689.0 | 21,878.3 | 24,827.3 | 23,799.4 | 24,291.5 | 23,671.1 | 24,820.0 |
| Manufacturing | 13,335.7 | 14,688.0 | 15,784.4 | 14,364.2 | 18,241.9 | 21,251.9 | 17,960.4 | 18,154.0 | 21,047.3 | 19,936.1 | 20,462.6 | 19,871.9 | 20,791.2 |
| Construction | 2,479.6 | 2,586.4 | 2,630.3 | 2,803.2 | 2,651.6 | 2,818.6 | 2,735.5 | 2,714.1 | 2,772.2 | 2,835.7 | 2,807.1 | 2,791.4 | 2,992.5 |
| Utilities | 861.9 | 903.9 | 916.1 | 953.0 | 965.3 | 963.8 | 966.8 | 984.6 | 981.2 | 1,001.3 | 996.5 | 981.3 | 1,010.0 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 26.0 | 25.1 | 25.7 | 28.0 | 23.9 | 26.1 | 26.3 | 25.6 | 26.6 | 26.3 | 25.3 | 26.5 | 26.3 |
| Services Producing Industries | 38,466.2 | 39,399.5 | 40,365.2 | 41,452.3 | 42,807.0 | 44,386.6 | 44,668.6 | 45,530.3 | 45,981.8 | 46,406.8 | 46,313.3 | 46,505.5 | 46,962.8 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 9,574.0 | 9,760.1 | 10,122.3 | 10,418.4 | 11,192.5 | 11,593.5 | 11,562.4 | 11,559.1 | 11,660.8 | 11,675.7 | 11,405.5 | 11,685.2 | 11,618.2 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 5,519.2 | 5,499.0 | 5,666.9 | 5,905.3 | 5,963.7 | 6,028.9 | 6,126.3 | 6,249.1 | 6,201.5 | 6,463.7 | 6,444.9 | 6,397.2 | 6,421.5 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 1,113.8 | 1,112.9 | 1,153.2 | 1,189.5 | 1,237.6 | 1,284.7 | 1,288.7 | 1,314.8 | 1,345.4 | 1,356.3 | 1,361.3 | 1,359.3 | 1,398.1 |
| Information \& Communications | 2,389.7 | 2,413.8 | 2,441.5 | 2,456.0 | 2,476.6 | 2,503.1 | 2,525.8 | 2,524.6 | 2,541.5 | 2,546.9 | 2,545.7 | 2,544.3 | 2,586.3 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 6,926.8 | 7,600.9 | 7,725.7 | 7,970.1 | 8,156.7 | 8,409.5 | 8,417.1 | 8,976.7 | 9,136.1 | 9,219.1 | 9,393.6 | 9,289.3 | 9,209.1 |
| Business Services | 7,192.2 | 7,201.8 | 7,329.2 | 7,496.0 | 7,631.6 | 7,749.6 | 7,806.8 | 7,853.7 | 7,979.6 | 7,931.0 | 7,961.1 | 8,008.3 | 8,250.9 |
| Other Services Industries | 5,750.5 | 5,811.0 | 5,926.4 | 6,017.0 | 6,148.3 | 6,817.3 | 6,941.5 | 7,052.3 | 7,116.9 | 7,214.1 | 7,201.2 | 7,221.9 | 7,478.7 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 1,596.3 | 1,586.7 | 1,571.6 | 1,560.7 | 1,583.4 | 1,579.8 | 1,564.7 | 1,567.6 | 1,576.2 | 1,574.1 | 1,562.9 | 1,568.5 | 1,563.0 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | 56,765.7 | 59,189.6 | 61,293.3 | 61,161.4 | 66,273.1 | 71,026.8 | 67,922.3 | 68,976.2 | 72,385.3 | 71,780.3 | 72,167.7 | 71,745.1 | 73,345.8 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | 2,418.6 | 2,580.9 | 2,710.8 | 2,740.4 | 2,791.3 | 2,907.9 | 2,876.1 | 3,020.3 | 2,916.4 | 2,945.5 | 2,922.0 | 2,862.0 | 3,059.3 |
|  | Annualised Percentage Change Over Preceding Quarter |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT 2005 MARKET PRICES | -8.8 | 18.7 | 15.3 | -0.6 | 36.4 | 31.3 | -15.9 | 6.9 | 19.7 | -3.0 | 2.0 | -2.5 | 10.0 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -13.3 | 41.1 | 27.8 | -22.7 | 111.4 | 72.0 | -43.9 | 3.5 | 65.8 | -15.6 | 8.5 | -9.8 | 20.9 |
| Manufacturing | -16.0 | 47.2 | 33.4 | -31.4 | 160.1 | 84.2 | -49.0 | 4.4 | 80.7 | -19.5 | 11.0 | -11.1 | 19.8 |
| Construction | 6.4 | 18.4 | 7.0 | 29.0 | -19.9 | 27.7 | -11.3 | -3.1 | 8.8 | 9.5 | -4.0 | -2.2 | 32.1 |
| Utilities | -21.0 | 21.0 | 5.5 | 17.1 | 5.3 | -0.6 | 1.3 | 7.6 | -1.4 | 8.4 | -1.9 | -6.0 | 12.2 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 22.8 | -13.1 | 9.9 | 40.9 | -46.9 | 42.2 | 3.1 | -10.2 | 16.6 | -4.4 | -14.4 | 20.4 | -3.0 |
| Services Producing Industries | -7.6 | 10.1 | 10.2 | 11.2 | 13.7 | 15.6 | 2.6 | 7.9 | 4.0 | 3.7 | -0.8 | 1.7 | 4.0 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | -11.7 | 8.0 | 15.7 | 12.2 | 33.2 | 15.1 | -1.1 | -0.1 | 3.6 | 0.5 | -8.9 | 10.2 | -2.3 |
| Transportation \& Storage | -23.7 | -1.5 | 12.8 | 17.9 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 6.6 | 8.3 | -3.0 | 18.0 | -1.2 | -2.9 | 1.5 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | -15.4 | -0.3 | 15.3 | 13.2 | 17.2 | 16.1 | 1.3 | 8.4 | 9.6 | 3.3 | 1.5 | -0.6 | 11.9 |
| Information \& Communications | -0.5 | 4.1 | 4.7 | 2.4 | 3.4 | 4.3 | 3.7 | -0.2 | 2.7 | 0.9 | -0.2 | -0.2 | 6.8 |
| Finance \& Insurance | -4.8 | 45.0 | 6.7 | 13.3 | 9.7 | 13.0 | 0.4 | 29.4 | 7.3 | 3.7 | 7.8 | -4.4 | -3.4 |
| Business Services | 0.3 | 0.5 | 7.3 | 9.4 | 7.4 | 6.3 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 6.6 | -2.4 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 12.7 |
| Other Services Industries | 3.3 | 4.3 | 8.2 | 6.3 | 9.0 | 51.2 | 7.5 | 6.5 | 3.7 | 5.6 | -0.7 | 1.2 | 15.0 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 5.3 | -2.4 | -3.8 | -2.7 | 5.9 | -0.9 | -3.8 | 0.7 | 2.2 | -0.5 | -2.8 | 1.4 | -1.4 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | -9.0 | 18.2 | 15.0 | -0.9 | 37.9 | 31.9 | -16.4 | 6.4 | 21.3 | -3.3 | 2.2 | -2.3 | 9.2 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | -4.0 | 29.7 | 21.7 | 4.4 | 7.6 | 17.8 | -4.3 | 21.6 | -13.1 | 4.1 | -3.2 | -8.0 | 30.6 |

${ }^{1}$ Comprise Agriculture, Fishing and Quarrying
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics
Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.

PERCENTAGE CONTRIBUTION TO GROWTH IN REAL GDP [TABLE A1.3]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ <br> I |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Per Cent |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT 2005 MARKET PRICES | 1.7 | -1.0 | 14.8 | 4.9 | 16.5 | 19.8 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 9.1 | 1.2 | 6.0 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -0.4 | -0.4 | 7.2 | 2.1 | 8.5 | 11.1 | 3.7 | 5.8 | 4.2 | -1.6 | 3.7 | 2.5 | 0.1 |
| Manufacturing | -1.1 | -1.0 | 6.9 | 2.0 | 8.1 | 10.6 | 3.5 | 5.9 | 4.0 | -1.7 | 3.5 | 2.4 | -0.3 |
| Construction | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| Utilities | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Services Producing Industries | 2.9 | -0.7 | 7.1 | 2.7 | 7.5 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 6.3 | 4.7 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 0.5 | -0.8 | 2.4 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 0.1 | -0.2 | 0.1 | -0.1 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 0.5 | -1.0 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Information \& Communications | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 0.6 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Business Services | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| Other Services Industries | 0.2 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | -0.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -0.2 | 0.2 |

[^7]Source: Singapore Department of Statistics
Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT DEFLATORS BY INDUSTRY [TABLE A1.4]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | 2005=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT MARKET PRICES | 106.9 | 108.5 | 108.5 | 109.1 | 109.6 | 104.7 | 108.0 | 111.9 | 110.3 | 107.4 | 106.6 | 112.1 | 112.1 |
| Goods Producing Industries | 92.2 | 98.7 | 90.2 | 84.6 | 94.9 | 84.6 | 90.8 | 91.5 | 85.1 | 83.8 | 82.9 | 86.8 | 86.8 |
| Manufacturing | 86.4 | 92.8 | 85.4 | 79.0 | 90.5 | 79.2 | 86.2 | 86.8 | 79.8 | 77.6 | 77.0 | 81.7 | 81.5 |
| Construction | 125.4 | 129.3 | 115.5 | 113.9 | 119.1 | 115.5 | 113.8 | 113.8 | 113.7 | 113.9 | 114.0 | 113.7 | 113.5 |
| Utilities | 106.0 | 105.2 | 113.5 | 116.8 | 107.7 | 114.6 | 114.6 | 117.0 | 111.3 | 123.5 | 119.3 | 112.6 | 113.3 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 100.7 | 100.1 | 100.5 | 98.2 | 97.7 | 99.6 | 99.2 | 105.4 | 97.9 | 100.0 | 99.2 | 95.9 | 96.1 |
| Services Producing Industries | 109.2 | 108.8 | 112.2 | 114.4 | 112.1 | 109.9 | 110.6 | 116.2 | 116.5 | 111.7 | 111.8 | 117.7 | 118.0 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 106.2 | 113.2 | 113.9 | 114.9 | 112.9 | 113.1 | 110.8 | 118.7 | 113.6 | 114.2 | 110.8 | 121.0 | 113.9 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 103.7 | 95.7 | 103.4 | 98.7 | 101.2 | 102.1 | 102.8 | 107.3 | 100.7 | 96.4 | 95.0 | 102.7 | 98.4 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 126.8 | 119.5 | 125.8 | 134.7 | 121.9 | 126.4 | 127.8 | 126.9 | 131.2 | 134.6 | 136.8 | 136.0 | 138.9 |
| Information \& Communications | 102.9 | 105.9 | 106.2 | 108.2 | 106.5 | 104.4 | 104.3 | 109.5 | 108.2 | 107.1 | 106.6 | 110.9 | 113.2 |
| Finance \& Insurance | 103.4 | 103.3 | 98.6 | 99.1 | 98.8 | 97.1 | 98.4 | 99.8 | 100.6 | 97.9 | 99.3 | 98.4 | 104.7 |
| Business Services | 123.0 | 118.3 | 128.5 | 136.1 | 125.9 | 127.4 | 129.0 | 131.6 | 134.2 | 134.9 | 136.2 | 139.1 | 137.3 |
| Other Services Industries | 110.1 | 108.2 | 115.4 | 121.7 | 122.1 | 105.8 | 110.5 | 123.7 | 135.9 | 110.5 | 114.6 | 125.8 | 133.8 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 169.8 | 172.4 | 183.9 | 214.8 | 174.9 | 179.9 | 185.2 | 195.9 | 204.6 | 213.7 | 219.6 | 221.5 | 234.5 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | 105.6 | 107.4 | 106.6 | 106.6 | 108.1 | 102.6 | 105.9 | 110.0 | 108.0 | 104.7 | 104.2 | 109.6 | 110.2 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | 138.0 | 133.2 | 154.0 | 169.7 | 145.9 | 155.3 | 157.6 | 156.3 | 167.7 | 170.0 | 165.3 | 176.1 | 158.5 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GDP AT MARKET PRICES | -1.3 | 1.5 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 2.4 | -1.5 | 1.3 | -1.6 | 0.6 | 2.5 | -1.3 | 0.2 | 1.7 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -5.8 | 7.1 | -8.6 | -6.2 | 3.2 | -11.9 | -7.9 | -14.5 | -10.3 | -0.9 | -8.8 | -5.1 | 2.1 |
| Manufacturing | -10.4 | 7.4 | -7.9 | -7.4 | 8.5 | -11.1 | -7.9 | -16.0 | -11.7 | -2.0 | -10.7 | -5.8 | 2.1 |
| Construction | 19.1 | 3.1 | -10.6 | -1.4 | -10.6 | -12.7 | -11.5 | -8.2 | -4.5 | -1.4 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.2 |
| Utilities | -1.5 | -0.7 | 7.9 | 2.9 | 10.4 | 6.5 | 13.7 | 2.6 | 3.4 | 7.7 | 4.2 | -3.8 | 1.8 |
| Other Goods Industries ${ }^{1}$ | 1.7 | -0.6 | 0.4 | -2.3 | -2.0 | -0.8 | -1.6 | 5.8 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -9.0 | -1.8 |
| Services Producing Industries | -1.5 | -0.4 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.9 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 4.0 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 1.2 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | -10.5 | 6.6 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 6.7 | -1.2 | -0.9 | -0.9 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 0.3 |
| Transportation \& Storage | -0.1 | -7.7 | 8.0 | -4.6 | -0.4 | 10.4 | 15.8 | 7.1 | -0.5 | -5.6 | -7.5 | -4.3 | -2.3 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | 9.9 | -5.7 | 5.2 | 7.0 | 1.1 | 6.7 | 7.2 | 5.9 | 7.6 | 6.5 | 7.0 | 7.2 | 5.9 |
| Information \& Communications | 0.6 | 2.9 | 0.3 | 1.9 | -1.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 4.6 |
| Finance \& Insurance | -3.6 | -0.1 | -4.6 | 0.5 | -7.2 | -5.4 | -3.4 | -2.8 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 | -1.4 | 4.1 |
| Business Services | 7.3 | -3.9 | 8.7 | 5.9 | 7.1 | 10.7 | 9.5 | 7.6 | 6.6 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.7 | 2.3 |
| Other Services Industries | 3.4 | -1.8 | 6.7 | 5.4 | 3.1 | 4.6 | 9.5 | 10.1 | 11.4 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 1.7 | -1.6 |
| Ownership of Dwellings | 28.8 | 1.6 | 6.7 | 16.8 | 0.3 | 4.4 | 7.9 | 14.4 | 17.0 | 18.8 | 18.6 | 13.1 | 14.6 |
| Gross Value Added At Basic Prices | -1.6 | 1.7 | -0.7 | 0.0 | 1.4 | -2.6 | 0.6 | -2.0 | -0.1 | 2.1 | -1.6 | -0.3 | 2.1 |
| Add: Taxes on Products | 7.9 | -3.5 | 15.6 | 10.2 | 25.1 | 20.9 | 15.0 | 5.4 | 14.9 | 9.5 | 4.8 | 12.7 | -5.5 |

[^8]Source: Singapore Department of Statistics
Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.

EXPENDITURE ON GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT 2005 MARKET PRICES [TABLE A1.5]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 251,374.0 | 248,911.2 | 285,658.5 | 299,624.7 | 67,810.8 | 73,726.9 | 71,686.5 | 72,434.3 | 73,973.5 | 74,638.4 | 75,992.3 | 75,020.5 | 75,135.2 |
| Private Consumption Expenditure | 97,034.5 | 97,170.7 | 103,449.1 | 107,724.8 | 24,744.6 | 25,940.3 | 25,499.9 | 27,264.3 | 25,573.6 | 27,361.4 | 26,998.0 | 27,791.8 | 26,663.6 |
| Government Consumption Expenditure | 25,108.2 | 26,011.7 | 28,881.3 | 29,138.6 | 9,548.3 | 4,828.4 | 6,910.1 | 7,594.5 | 9,928.2 | 5,057.5 | 7,000.9 | 7,152.0 | 9,555.9 |
| Gross Fixed Capital Formation | 66,530.4 | 64,598.8 | 69,100.8 | 71,364.2 | 16,753.5 | 17,029.3 | 17,490.7 | 17,827.3 | 16,186.2 | 18,497.5 | 18,891.7 | 17,788.8 | 19,165.6 |
| Changes in Inventories | 6,151.1 | -6,550.8 | -7,670.0 | -3,995.5 | -2,661.9 | 2,395.2 | -2,868.7 | -4,534.6 | -1,665.9 | 1,748.6 | -1,838.0 | -2,240.2 | -751.6 |
| Net Exports of Goods \& Services | 56,139.1 | 69,738.5 | 97,432.5 | 100,743.7 | 20,645.7 | 24,904.4 | 26,115.6 | 25,766.8 | 25,210.5 | 23,083.5 | 26,478.2 | 25,971.5 | 21,931.5 |
| Exports of Goods \& Services | 606,821.9 | 559,532.5 | 666,347.4 | 683,488.3 | 153,669.6 | 167,524.7 | 173,455.5 | 171,697.6 | 166,048.6 | 169,284.0 | 174,856.8 | 173,298.9 | 169,656.4 |
| Less: Imports of Goods \& Services | 550,682.8 | 489,794.0 | 568,914.9 | 582,744.6 | 133,023.9 | 142,620.3 | 147,339.9 | 145,930.8 | 140,838.1 | 146,200.5 | 148,378.6 | 147,327.4 | 147,724.9 |
| Statistical Discrepancy | 410.7 | -2,057.7 | -5,535.2 | -5,351.1 | -1,219.4 | -1,370.7 | -1,461.1 | -1,484.0 | -1,259.1 | -1,110.1 | -1,538.5 | -1,443.4 | -1,429.8 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 1.7 | -1.0 | 14.8 | 4.9 | 16.5 | 19.8 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 9.1 | 1.2 | 6.0 | 3.6 | 1.6 |
| Private Consumption Expenditure | 3.3 | 0.1 | 6.5 | 4.1 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 6.7 | 3.4 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 1.9 | 4.3 |
| Government Consumption Expenditure | 6.4 | 3.6 | 11.0 | 0.9 | 12.7 | 3.1 | 9.7 | 15.8 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 1.3 | -5.8 | -3.7 |
| Gross Fixed Capital Formation | 13.0 | -2.9 | 7.0 | 3.3 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 10.3 | 5.8 | -3.4 | 8.6 | 8.0 | -0.2 | 18.4 |
| Changes in Inventories | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na |
| Net Exports of Goods \& Services | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na |
| Exports of Goods \& Services | 4.7 | -7.8 | 19.1 | 2.6 | 21.2 | 24.5 | 19.0 | 12.6 | 8.1 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 2.2 |
| Less: Imports of Goods \& Services | 9.5 | -11.1 | 16.2 | 2.4 | 17.5 | 21.7 | 15.7 | 10.5 | 5.9 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 4.9 |
| Statistical Discrepancy | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na | na |

CHANGES AND CONTRIBUTION TO GROWTH IN TOTAL DEMAND AT 2005 MARKET PRICES [TABLE A1.6]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Percentage Change Over Same Period of Previous Year ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL DEMAND | 6.3 | -7.6 | 16.1 | 3.2 | 18.6 | 21.0 | 14.3 | 11.2 | 6.9 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 3.8 |
| Total Domestic Demand | 11.6 | -7.0 | 6.9 | 5.4 | 11.2 | 10.7 | -0.2 | 6.4 | 3.4 | 4.9 | 8.5 | 4.9 | 9.2 |
| Final Domestic Demand | 6.9 | -0.5 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 9.9 | 5.0 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 1.3 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 0.1 | 7.2 |
| Consumption Expenditure | 3.9 | 0.9 | 7.4 | 3.4 | 9.7 | 6.6 | 4.7 | 8.6 | 3.5 | 5.4 | 4.9 | 0.2 | 2.0 |
| Public | 6.4 | 3.6 | 11.0 | 0.9 | 12.7 | 3.1 | 9.7 | 15.8 | 4.0 | 4.7 | 1.3 | -5.8 | -3.7 |
| Private | 3.3 | 0.1 | 6.5 | 4.1 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 6.7 | 3.4 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 1.9 | 4.3 |
| Gross Fixed Capital Formation | 13.0 | -2.9 | 7.0 | 3.3 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 10.3 | 5.8 | -3.4 | 8.6 | 8.0 | -0.2 | 18.4 |
| Public | 16.3 | 20.1 | 15.4 | 11.4 | 19.9 | 18.3 | 16.4 | 7.8 | 16.4 | 11.7 | 11.8 | 5.4 | -1.2 |
| Private | 12.6 | -6.0 | 5.5 | 1.8 | 8.3 | -0.1 | 9.2 | 5.4 | -7.6 | 8.1 | 7.3 | -1.3 | 23.6 |
| Changes in Inventories | 3.2 | -5.1 | -0.4 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 4.2 | -4.9 | -1.3 | 1.5 | -0.9 | 1.4 | 3.2 | 1.2 |
| External Demand | 4.7 | -7.8 | 19.1 | 2.6 | 21.2 | 24.5 | 19.0 | 12.6 | 8.1 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 2.2 |
|  | Percentage Contribution To Growth |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL DEMAND | 6.3 | -7.6 | 16.1 | 3.2 | 18.6 | 21.0 | 14.3 | 11.2 | 6.9 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 1.8 | 3.8 |
| Total Domestic Demand | 2.7 | -1.7 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 2.1 |
| Final Domestic Demand | 1.6 | -0.1 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 2.7 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 1.7 |
| Consumption Expenditure | 0.6 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Public | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | -0.2 | -0.2 |
| Private | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| Gross Fixed Capital Formation | 1.0 | -0.2 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.5 | -0.3 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 1.4 |
| Public | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Private | 0.9 | -0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | -0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 1.4 |
| Changes in Inventories | 1.1 | -1.6 | -0.2 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 1.4 | -1.6 | -0.4 | 0.5 | -0.3 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 0.4 |
| External Demand | 3.6 | -5.9 | 14.4 | 2.0 | 15.8 | 18.4 | 14.4 | 9.7 | 6.1 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 1.7 |

${ }^{1}$ For inventories, this refers instead to change as a percentage of GDP in the previous year.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

GROSS FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION AT 2005 MARKET PRICES [TABLE A1.7]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 66,530.4 | 64,598.8 | 69,100.8 | 71,364.2 | 16,753.5 | 17,029.3 | 17,490.7 | 17,827.3 | 16,186.2 | 18,497.5 | 18,891.7 | 17,788.8 | 19,165.6 |
| Construction \& Works | 29,349.7 | 33,625.3 | 35,135.5 | 35,647.8 | 8,547.1 | 8,943.9 | 8,791.9 | 8,852.6 | 8,823.5 | 8,931.2 | 8,913.7 | 8,979.4 | 9,388.7 |
| Residential Buildings | 11,260.5 | 12,658.2 | 16,073.9 | 16,164.8 | 3,659.7 | 4,014.5 | 4,134.7 | 4,265.0 | 4,117.5 | 4,180.9 | 4,003.3 | 3,863.1 | 4,091.1 |
| Non-Residential Buildings | 13,539.4 | 15,615.0 | 13,085.5 | 13,205.4 | 3,363.6 | 3,459.3 | 3,175.6 | 3,087.0 | 3,129.3 | 3,272.7 | 3,321.5 | 3,481.9 | 3,795.5 |
| Other Construction \& Works | 4,549.8 | 5,352.1 | 5,976.1 | 6,277.6 | 1,523.8 | 1,470.1 | 1,481.6 | 1,500.6 | 1,576.7 | 1,477.6 | 1,588.9 | 1,634.4 | 1,502.1 |
| Transport Equipment | 13,557.7 | 9,223.5 | 6,775.3 | 7,868.2 | 2,184.6 | 1,170.5 | 1,540.4 | 1,879.8 | 1,144.6 | 2,423.9 | 2,617.7 | 1,682.0 | 3,246.6 |
| Machinery, Equipment \& Software | 23,623.0 | 21,750.0 | 27,190.0 | 27,848.2 | 6,021.8 | 6,914.9 | 7,158.4 | 7,094.9 | 6,218.1 | 7,142.4 | 7,360.3 | 7,127.4 | 6,530.3 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 13.0 | -2.9 | 7.0 | 3.3 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 10.3 | 5.8 | -3.4 | 8.6 | 8.0 | -0.2 | 18.4 |
| Construction \& Works | 12.6 | 14.6 | 4.5 | 1.5 | 9.2 | 11.6 | 2.6 | -3.9 | 3.2 | -0.1 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 6.4 |
| Residential Buildings | 11.5 | 12.4 | 27.0 | 0.6 | 30.6 | 33.8 | 26.4 | 19.0 | 12.5 | 4.1 | -3.2 | -9.4 | -0.6 |
| Non-Residential Buildings | 7.3 | 15.3 | -16.2 | 0.9 | -7.3 | -10.1 | -20.3 | -25.7 | -7.0 | -5.4 | 4.6 | 12.8 | 21.3 |
| Other Construction \& Works | 35.4 | 17.6 | 11.7 | 5.0 | 9.0 | 26.3 | 12.9 | 1.5 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 7.2 | 8.9 | -4.7 |
| Transport Equipment | 47.1 | -32.0 | -26.5 | 16.1 | -24.8 | -69.5 | 8.4 | 76.9 | -47.6 | 107.1 | 69.9 | -10.5 | 183.6 |
| Machinery, Equipment \& Software | 0.2 | -7.9 | 25.0 | 2.4 | 34.5 | 43.3 | 21.9 | 7.9 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 0.5 | 5.0 |

[^9]CHANGES IN EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR [TABLE A2.1]

| umber |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2012 |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | Ip |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | mpared | The Previc | ous Peri |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 221,600 | 37,600 | 115,900 | 122,600 | 36,500 | 24,900 | 20,500 | 33,900 | 28,300 | 24,800 | 31,900 | 37,600 | 27,400 |
| Goods Producing Industries | 85,200 | -21,000 | 3,300 | 26,500 | 2,800 | 300 | 800 | -600 | 2,900 | 5,500 | 10,800 | 7,400 | 7,600 |
| Manufacturing | 19,500 | -43,900 | -800 | 3,400 | 3,000 | -1,400 | 200 | -2,500 | 500 | 500 | 3,900 | -1,400 | -500 |
| Construction | 64,000 | 24,000 | 3,400 | 22,000 | 0 | 1,700 | 300 | 1,400 | 2,300 | 4,600 | 6,700 | 8,400 | 8,000 |
| Others | 1,600 | -1,100 | 700 | 1,100 | -200 | 100 | 300 | 500 | 100 | 400 | 200 | 400 | 100 |
| Services Producing Industries | 136,400 | 58,600 | 112,600 | 96,100 | 33,700 | 24,600 | 19,700 | 34,500 | 25,400 | 19,300 | 21,200 | 30,200 | 19,800 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | 16,400 | 5,700 | 14,500 | 15,900 | 2,800 | 1,700 | 1,800 | 8,200 | 3,100 | 2,100 | 2,900 | 7,900 | 2,600 |
| Transportation \& Storage | 13,700 | -2,400 | 6,200 | 6,700 | 1,000 | 1,900 | 1,500 | 1,800 | 1,300 | 2,700 | 1,600 | 1,200 | 1,700 |
| Accomodation \& Food Services | 16,900 | 3,200 | 12,700 | 9,200 | 900 | 1,000 | 2,300 | 8,500 | -300 | 200 | 3,100 | 6,200 | -2,700 |
| Information \& Communications | 5,700 | 2,900 | 8,800 | 8,000 | 1,600 | 2,200 | 2,300 | 2,700 | 2,600 | 2,800 | 2,000 | 700 | 500 |
| Financial \& Insurance Services | 11,500 | 2,200 | 11,400 | 10,900 | 2,600 | 3,000 | 4,100 | 1,600 | 3,300 | 2,600 | 3,000 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Business Services | 36,100 | 15,100 | 25,000 | 21,100 | 8,100 | 7,200 | 6,100 | 3,600 | 6,600 | 6,700 | 3,600 | 4,200 | 6,900 |
| Other Services Industries | 36,100 | 31,900 | 34,000 | 24,300 | 16,700 | 7,700 | 1,500 | 8,100 | 8,900 | 2,300 | 5,100 | 8,000 | 8,800 |

Notes: 1 Prior to 2009, industries are classified according to SSIC 2005 while SSIC 2010 is used for subsequent years.
2 Under Goods Producing Industries, 'Others' comprise Agriculture, Fishing, Quarrying, Utilities, Sewerage and Waste Management.
3 The Business Services sector comprises Real Estate Services, Professional Services and Administrative \& Support Services.
4 Data in the table may not add up to the total due to rounding.
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LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY BY INDUSTRY ${ }^{1}$ [TABLE A2.2]

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | I |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ${ }^{2}$ | -7.3 | -3.6 | 11.1 | 1.0 | 14.3 | 16.0 | 6.4 | 8.2 | 5.2 | -2.3 | 2.0 | -0.5 | -2.2 |
| Total ${ }^{2}$ (excluding Construction) | -6.7 | -3.1 | 11.6 | 1.0 | 15.2 | 16.5 | 6.5 | 8.5 | 4.9 | -2.5 | 2.1 | -0.3 | -2.1 |
| Goods Producing Industries | -12.4 | -2.3 | 24.5 | 5.5 | 32.7 | 37.8 | 10.9 | 19.2 | 13.5 | -5.4 | 10.0 | 5.3 | -2.8 |
| Manufacturing | -11.2 | 1.5 | 32.2 | 7.7 | 45.3 | 48.2 | 13.8 | 25.5 | 16.5 | -5.4 | 13.4 | 8.7 | -1.4 |
| Construction | -1.2 | 4.2 | 0.5 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 5.2 | 1.1 | -4.3 | 3.2 | -1.0 | -0.8 | -2.2 | 1.2 |
| Services Producing Industries | -3.6 | -4.4 | 6.1 | -0.5 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 5.1 | 4.1 | 2.1 | -0.2 | -1.2 | -2.5 | -2.0 |
| Wholesale \& Retail Trade | -1.5 | -6.2 | 12.2 | -2.4 | 15.0 | 16.0 | 10.9 | 7.2 | 0.7 | -2.5 | -5.0 | -2.7 | -3.8 |
| Transportation \& Storage | -2.1 | -10.6 | 6.5 | 1.0 | 8.8 | 8.6 | 5.8 | 3.0 | 0.7 | 3.5 | 1.1 | -1.0 | 0.2 |
| Accommodation \& Food Services | -9.0 | -5.9 | 7.1 | -0.1 | 8.3 | 10.8 | 5.9 | 3.7 | 2.3 | 0.0 | -0.2 | -2.2 | 0.0 |
| Information \& Communications | 0.0 | -0.8 | -2.8 | -8.6 | -0.3 | -1.6 | -3.4 | -5.7 | -7.6 | -8.8 | -9.7 | -8.1 | -4.8 |
| Finance \& Insurance | -7.1 | -0.2 | 6.4 | 1.5 | 14.5 | 5.3 | 2.0 | 4.7 | 3.7 | 1.8 | 3.9 | -3.0 | -4.8 |
| Business Services | -5.2 | -1.6 | 0.4 | -2.7 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 0.0 | -1.8 | -1.2 | -3.3 | -3.2 | -3.1 | -1.4 |
| Other Services Industries | -4.4 | -0.3 | 8.1 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.8 | 10.4 | 2.1 | 0.0 | -1.6 | 1.5 |

${ }^{1}$ Based on Gross Value Added At 2005 Basic Prices
${ }^{2}$ Based on GDP At 2005 Market Prices
Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics and Manpower Research \& Statistics Department, Ministry of Manpower

INDICES OF UNIT BUSINESS COST AND UNIT LABOUR COST [TABLE A2.3]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 |
|  | 2005=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| UNIT LABOUR COST INDEX OF OVERALL ECONOMY | 112.6 | 113.5 | 110.9 | 114.7 | 119.9 | 99.1 | 103.8 | 120.9 | 123.2 | 107.3 | 105.5 | 123.0 | 127.7 |
| UNIT BUSINESS COST INDEX OF MANUFACTURING | 114.1 | 107.9 | 102.5 | 105.2 | 107.1 | 95.4 | 101.0 | 106.5 | 106.6 | 103.0 | 102.0 | 109.0 | 112.1 |
| Unit Labour Cost | 114.1 | 109.3 | 92.1 | 89.8 | 104.8 | 74.8 | 87.1 | 101.6 | 96.5 | 85.2 | 80.4 | 97.0 | 100.5 |
| Services Cost | 113.9 | 107.4 | 109.6 | 115.3 | 109.0 | 109.0 | 110.3 | 109.9 | 113.4 | 114.7 | 116.1 | 116.9 | 119.7 |
| Government Rates \& Fees | 124.8 | 79.8 | 87.1 | 103.3 | 80.6 | 84.4 | 90.0 | 93.3 | 98.2 | 101.0 | 105.5 | 108.7 | 114.5 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| UNIT LABOUR COST INDEX OF OVERALL ECONOMY | 4.1 | 0.8 | -2.2 | 3.4 | -7.7 | -6.5 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 8.2 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 3.7 |
| UNIT BUSINESS COST INDEX OF MANUFACTURING | 11.0 | -5.4 | -5.0 | 2.6 | -11.4 | -7.1 | 2.6 | -2.9 | -0.4 | 8.0 | 1.0 | 2.4 | 5.1 |
| Unit Labour Cost | 13.1 | -4.2 | -15.8 | -2.5 | -23.4 | -24.5 | -0.5 | -10.7 | -7.9 | 13.9 | -7.7 | -4.6 | 4.2 |
| Services Cost | 9.7 | -5.7 | 2.0 | 5.2 | -1.7 | 3.5 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 4.0 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 6.4 | 5.5 |
| Government Rates \& Fees | 9.7 | -36.0 | 9.1 | 18.6 | -1.2 | 6.2 | 14.9 | 16.9 | 21.8 | 19.6 | 17.2 | 16.5 | 16.6 |

Note: The weights are based on the 2005 input structure and are used in the compilation of the indices from 2005 onwards.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX [TABLE A3.1]

|  | Weights ${ }^{1}$ | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  |  | 2009=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALL ITEMS | 10,000 | 99.4 | 100.0 | 102.8 | 108.2 | 101.1 | 102.3 | 103.4 | 104.4 | 106.3 | 107.1 | 109.2 | 110.2 | 111.5 |
| Food | 2,205 | 97.7 | 100.0 | 101.3 | 104.4 | 100.7 | 101.0 | 101.6 | 102.0 | 103.4 | 104.0 | 104.7 | 105.7 | 106.6 |
| Food Excl Prepared Meals | 851 | 97.5 | 99.9 | 102.2 | 105.9 | 101.3 | 101.8 | 102.7 | 103.2 | 105.3 | 105.3 | 105.8 | 107.1 | 108.5 |
| Prepared Meals | 1,354 | 97.9 | 100.0 | 100.8 | 103.5 | 100.3 | 100.6 | 100.9 | 101.3 | 102.2 | 103.2 | 103.9 | 104.8 | 105.3 |
| Clothing \& Footwear | 341 | 99.0 | 99.9 | 100.4 | 100.5 | 99.4 | 99.4 | 101.1 | 101.6 | 100.2 | 100.1 | 100.8 | 101.1 | 101.6 |
| Housing | 2,548 | 98.3 | 100.0 | 102.0 | 110.5 | 100.5 | 100.9 | 102.9 | 103.8 | 106.6 | 108.3 | 112.8 | 114.1 | 116.6 |
| Transport | 1,553 | 103.2 | 100.0 | 110.3 | 123.5 | 104.6 | 110.4 | 111.9 | 114.2 | 121.0 | 121.3 | 125.2 | 126.4 | 127.6 |
| Communications | 475 | 99.7 | 99.9 | 97.7 | 96.2 | 97.7 | 96.9 | 98.3 | 98.0 | 96.5 | 96.1 | 96.1 | 96.2 | 96.2 |
| Education \& Stationery | 735 | 99.2 | 100.0 | 102.7 | 105.7 | 101.7 | 102.0 | 103.3 | 103.9 | 105.2 | 105.4 | 106.1 | 106.2 | 108.3 |
| Health Care | 586 | 98.0 | 100.0 | 101.9 | 104.3 | 100.7 | 101.4 | 102.5 | 102.9 | 103.8 | 104.0 | 104.4 | 105.1 | 107.5 |
| Recreation \& Others | 1,557 | 100.3 | 100.0 | 101.1 | 102.5 | 100.2 | 100.8 | 101.1 | 102.3 | 101.1 | 102.3 | 102.8 | 103.8 | 103.9 |
| All Items Less Accommodation | 7,998 | 100.5 | 100.0 | 103.3 | 107.6 | 101.5 | 103.0 | 103.9 | 104.7 | 106.3 | 106.9 | 108.3 | 109.1 | 110.1 |
|  |  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALL ITEMS | 10,000 | 6.6 | 0.6 | 2.8 | 5.2 | 0.9 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 4.0 | 5.2 | 4.7 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 4.9 |
| Food | 2,205 | 7.7 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 3.1 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 3.0 |
| Food Excl Prepared Meals | 851 | 9.7 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 3.6 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 3.7 | 3.0 |
| Prepared Meals | 1,354 | 6.1 | 2.1 | 0.8 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 3.1 |
| Clothing \& Footwear | 341 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.7 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 1.4 |
| Housing | 2,548 | 13.3 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 8.3 | -1.7 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 4.2 | 6.1 | 7.3 | 9.7 | 9.9 | 9.4 |
| Transport | 1,553 | 4.2 | -3.2 | 10.3 | 11.9 | 8.2 | 12.9 | 9.6 | 10.6 | 15.6 | 9.8 | 11.8 | 10.7 | 5.5 |
| Communications | 475 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -2.2 | -1.5 | -2.8 | -3.7 | -2.0 | -0.3 | -1.2 | -0.8 | -2.2 | -1.8 | -0.3 |
| Education \& Stationery | 735 | 3.3 | 0.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 2.6 | 2.3 | 3.0 |
| Health Care | 586 | 5.6 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 3.0 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 3.6 |
| Recreation \& Others | 1,557 | 3.6 | -0.3 | 1.2 | 1.4 | -0.5 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 2.8 |
| All Items Less Accommodation | 7,998 | 5.4 | -0.5 | 3.3 | 4.2 | 1.7 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.7 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 3.6 |

${ }^{1}$ Derived by relating expenditure on the item to the total monthly household expenditure.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics The expenditure values were obtained from the 2007/08 Household Expenditure Survey and updated to price level in 2009.

PRICE INDICES [TABLE A3.2]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 |
|  | 2006=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic Supply Price Index | 107.8 | 92.8 | 97.2 | 105.4 | 98.1 | 98.3 | 95.2 | 97.3 | 104.2 | 105.9 | 104.1 | 107.4 | 110.0 |
| Singapore Manufactured Products Price Index | 101.8 | 88.1 | 89.7 | 94.5 | 90.9 | 91.0 | 87.8 | 89.0 | 93.8 | 95.3 | 93.1 | 95.5 | 97.5 |
| Import Price Index | 101.1 | 93.0 | 93.7 | 98.2 | 94.4 | 94.1 | 92.6 | 93.6 | 97.8 | 98.3 | 96.8 | 99.8 | 100.9 |
| Export Price Index | 97.6 | 89.3 | 90.5 | 92.7 | 91.5 | 91.6 | 89.6 | 89.5 | 92.6 | 93.2 | 91.1 | 93.7 | 94.2 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Domestic Supply Price Index | 7.5 | -13.9 | 4.7 | 8.4 | 11.8 | 7.0 | -0.2 | 0.9 | 6.2 | 7.8 | 9.3 | 10.4 | 5.5 |
| Singapore Manufactured Products Price Index | 3.4 | -13.4 | 1.7 | 5.3 | 6.8 | 3.6 | -2.3 | -0.9 | 3.3 | 4.7 | 6.1 | 7.3 | 3.9 |
| Import Price Index | 3.0 | -8.0 | 0.7 | 4.8 | 3.4 | 1.6 | -1.5 | -0.5 | 3.6 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 6.6 | 3.2 |
| Export Price Index | 1.3 | -8.4 | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.8 | 3.3 | -0.8 | -0.8 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 4.8 | 1.8 |

DOMESTIC SUPPLY PRICE INDEX [TABLE A3.3]

|  | Weights ${ }^{1}$ | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  |  | 2006=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALL ITEMS | 10,000 | 107.8 | 92.8 | 97.2 | 105.4 | 98.1 | 98.3 | 95.2 | 97.3 | 104.2 | 105.9 | 104.1 | 107.4 | 110.0 |
| Food | 308 | 117.4 | 116.7 | 121.3 | 125.3 | 120.9 | 121.2 | 121.7 | 121.4 | 124.1 | 124.7 | 125.0 | 127.3 | 124.6 |
| Beverages \& Tobacco | 54 | 98.6 | 100.5 | 99.7 | 98.0 | 101.0 | 100.0 | 99.5 | 98.2 | 98.5 | 98.1 | 97.4 | 98.0 | 98.0 |
| Crude Materials | 43 | 133.3 | 101.8 | 105.3 | 116.5 | 101.6 | 107.8 | 104.0 | 107.7 | 114.7 | 115.6 | 116.6 | 119.1 | 121.4 |
| Mineral Fuels | 2,855 | 133.6 | 88.7 | 105.6 | 135.3 | 107.0 | 107.2 | 99.8 | 108.5 | 129.9 | 137.9 | 133.5 | 139.9 | 150.1 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 27 | 135.4 | 111.4 | 124.9 | 148.5 | 115.1 | 122.1 | 128.1 | 134.4 | 147.8 | 149.6 | 147.9 | 148.8 | 144.1 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 1,373 | 106.2 | 93.6 | 100.3 | 105.5 | 100.9 | 101.3 | 98.4 | 100.5 | 104.4 | 106.1 | 105.1 | 106.2 | 106.4 |
| Manufactured Goods | 807 | 115.3 | 103.7 | 105.4 | 107.6 | 104.2 | 106.0 | 105.6 | 105.9 | 108.2 | 108.2 | 107.4 | 106.9 | 105.4 |
| Machinery \& Equipment | 3,786 | 87.9 | 89.3 | 84.6 | 80.4 | 86.1 | 85.5 | 84.4 | 82.4 | 82.2 | 79.9 | 78.6 | 81.1 | 80.8 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactures | 747 | 99.9 | 102.1 | 103.2 | 105.4 | 102.7 | 103.9 | 103.0 | 103.1 | 102.7 | 103.1 | 105.6 | 110.0 | 108.5 |
|  |  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ALL ITEMS | 10,000 | 7.5 | -13.9 | 4.7 | 8.4 | 11.8 | 7.0 | -0.2 | 0.9 | 6.2 | 7.8 | 9.3 | 10.4 | 5.5 |
| Food | 308 | 10.2 | -0.6 | 3.9 | 3.3 | 2.7 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 4.8 | 0.4 |
| Beverages \& Tobacco | 54 | 0.0 | 1.9 | -0.9 | -1.7 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -0.8 | -2.9 | -2.4 | -1.9 | -2.1 | -0.2 | -0.6 |
| Crude Materials | 43 | 7.7 | -23.7 | 3.4 | 10.7 | -7.6 | 8.0 | 5.3 | 9.2 | 13.0 | 7.2 | 12.1 | 10.6 | 5.8 |
| Mineral Fuels | 2,855 | 26.5 | -33.6 | 19.1 | 28.1 | 57.2 | 26.1 | 2.1 | 4.4 | 21.4 | 28.6 | 33.8 | 28.9 | 15.5 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 27 | 22.5 | -17.7 | 12.2 | 18.9 | 8.2 | 9.4 | 11.4 | 19.5 | 28.5 | 22.5 | 15.5 | 10.7 | -2.5 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 1,373 | 3.5 | -11.9 | 7.2 | 5.2 | 13.4 | 8.8 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 3.4 | 4.8 | 6.8 | 5.7 | 1.9 |
| Manufactured Goods | 807 | 7.1 | -10.1 | 1.6 | 2.1 | -2.7 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.0 | -2.5 |
| Machinery \& Equipment | 3,786 | -5.6 | 1.6 | -5.2 | -4.9 | -6.2 | -4.9 | -4.7 | -5.1 | -4.6 | -6.5 | -6.8 | -1.7 | -1.7 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactures | 747 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 2.1 | -0.7 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 0.1 | -0.8 | 2.5 | 6.7 | 5.6 |

${ }^{1}$ The weights refer to 2006 distribution pattern of retained imports and locally manufactured goods sold in the domestic market and are used in the computation of the indices from 2006 onwards.

EXCHANGE RATES [TABLE A4.1]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 |
| SINGAPORE DOLLAR PER | Average For Period |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| US Dollar | 1.4148 | 1.4545 | 1.3635 | 1.2579 | 1.4029 | 1.3911 | 1.3567 | 1.3034 | 1.2780 | 1.2400 | 1.2255 | 1.2881 | 1.2642 |
| Malaysian Ringgit | 0.4247 | 0.4126 | 0.4234 | 0.4111 | 0.4161 | 0.4293 | 0.4298 | 0.4185 | 0.4193 | 0.4108 | 0.4059 | 0.4085 | 0.4131 |
| Euro | 2.0771 | 2.0242 | 1.8095 | 1.7495 | 1.9436 | 1.7727 | 1.7507 | 1.7710 | 1.7465 | 1.7845 | 1.7317 | 1.7352 | 1.6577 |
| Pound Sterling | 2.6162 | 2.2737 | 2.1073 | 2.0161 | 2.1918 | 2.0752 | 2.1022 | 2.0599 | 2.0470 | 2.0224 | 1.9721 | 2.0229 | 1.9859 |
| 100 Japanese Yen | 1.3738 | 1.5562 | 1.5543 | 1.5780 | 1.5476 | 1.5098 | 1.5805 | 1.5794 | 1.5524 | 1.5188 | 1.5762 | 1.6648 | 1.5967 |
| 100 Korean Won | 0.1306 | 0.1143 | 0.1180 | 0.1135 | 0.1226 | 0.1196 | 0.1147 | 0.1151 | 0.1142 | 0.1144 | 0.1131 | 0.1124 | 0.1118 |
| 100 New Taiwan Dollar | 4.4874 | 4.4023 | 4.3292 | 4.2798 | 4.3961 | 4.3725 | 4.2516 | 4.2964 | 4.3626 | 4.2994 | 4.2008 | 4.2564 | 4.2586 |
| Hong Kong Dollar | 0.1817 | 0.1876 | 0.1755 | 0.1616 | 0.1807 | 0.1788 | 0.1746 | 0.1679 | 0.1641 | 0.1594 | 0.1573 | 0.1656 | 0.1629 |
| Australian Dollar | 1.2016 | 1.1473 | 1.2524 | 1.2971 | 1.2679 | 1.2298 | 1.2249 | 1.2870 | 1.2836 | 1.3165 | 1.2874 | 1.3008 | 1.3339 |
| SINGAPORE DOLLAR PER | Percentage Change Over Previous Period |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| US Dollar | 6.5 | -2.7 | 6.7 | 8.4 | -0.6 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 1.2 | -4.9 | 1.9 |
| Malaysian Ringgit | 3.2 | 2.9 | -2.6 | 3.0 | -1.5 | -3.1 | -0.1 | 2.7 | -0.2 | 2.1 | 1.2 | -0.6 | -1.1 |
| Euro | -0.6 | 2.6 | 11.9 | 3.4 | 6.1 | 9.6 | 1.3 | -1.1 | 1.4 | -2.1 | 3.0 | -0.2 | 4.7 |
| Pound Sterling | 15.3 | 15.1 | 7.9 | 4.5 | 4.0 | 5.6 | -1.3 | 2.1 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 2.6 | -2.5 | 1.9 |
| Japanese Yen | -6.8 | -11.7 | 0.1 | -1.5 | 0.4 | 2.5 | -4.5 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 2.2 | -3.6 | -5.3 | 4.3 |
| Korean Won | 24.2 | 14.3 | -3.1 | 4.0 | -2.6 | 2.5 | 4.3 | -0.3 | 0.8 | -0.2 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| New Taiwan Dollar | 2.2 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.2 | -1.8 | 0.5 | 2.8 | -1.0 | -1.5 | 1.5 | 2.3 | -1.3 | -0.1 |
| Hong Kong Dollar | 6.3 | -3.1 | 6.9 | 8.6 | -0.4 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 4.0 | 2.3 | 2.9 | 1.3 | -5.0 | 1.7 |
| Australian Dollar | 5.1 | 4.7 | -8.4 | -3.4 | 0.1 | 3.1 | 0.4 | -4.8 | 0.3 | -2.5 | 2.3 | -1.0 | -2.5 |

EXChANGE RATES - Contd [TABLE A4.1]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
| SINGAPORE DOLLAR PER | End Of Period |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| US Dollar | 1.4392 | 1.4034 | 1.2875 | 1.3007 | 1.4028 | 1.4013 | 1.3175 | 1.2875 | 1.2617 | 1.2292 | 1.3003 | 1.3007 | 1.2572 |
| Malaysian Ringgit | 0.4155 | 0.4097 | 0.4175 | 0.4094 | 0.4285 | 0.4302 | 0.4269 | 0.4175 | 0.4170 | 0.4072 | 0.4076 | 0.4094 | 0.4098 |
| Euro | 2.0258 | 2.0163 | 1.7120 | 1.6835 | 1.8789 | 1.7113 | 1.7919 | 1.7120 | 1.7828 | 1.7838 | 1.7593 | 1.6835 | 1.6782 |
| Pound Sterling | 2.0769 | 2.2541 | 1.9887 | 2.0048 | 2.1143 | 2.1108 | 2.0872 | 1.9887 | 2.0296 | 1.9802 | 2.0273 | 2.0048 | 2.0083 |
| 100 Japanese Yen | 1.5924 | 1.5194 | 1.5798 | 1.6777 | 1.5016 | 1.5822 | 1.5760 | 1.5798 | 1.5248 | 1.5284 | 1.6975 | 1.6777 | 1.5321 |
| 100 Korean Won | 0.1143 | 0.1204 | 0.1141 | 0.1124 | 0.1238 | 0.1142 | 0.1155 | 0.1141 | 0.1146 | 0.1150 | 0.1102 | 0.1124 | 0.1107 |
| 100 New Taiwan Dollar | 4.3887 | 4.3656 | 4.4163 | 4.2920 | 4.4163 | 4.3546 | 4.2172 | 4.4163 | 4.2808 | 4.2799 | 4.2555 | 4.2920 | 4.2587 |
| Hong Kong Dollar | 0.1857 | 0.1810 | 0.1655 | 0.1674 | 0.1807 | 0.1800 | 0.1698 | 0.1655 | 0.1620 | 0.1579 | 0.1668 | 0.1674 | 0.1619 |
| Australian Dollar | 0.9959 | 1.2567 | 1.3091 | 1.3200 | 1.2830 | 1.1928 | 1.2748 | 1.3091 | 1.3026 | 1.3202 | 1.2668 | 1.3200 | 1.3074 |
| SINGAPORE DOLLAR PER | Percentage Change Over Previous Period |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| US Dollar | 0.1 | 2.6 | 9.0 | -1.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 6.4 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 2.6 | -5.5 | 0.0 | 3.5 |
| Malaysian Ringgit | 4.9 | 1.4 | -1.9 | 2.0 | -4.4 | -0.4 | 0.8 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 2.4 | -0.1 | -0.4 | -0.1 |
| Euro | 4.9 | 0.5 | 17.8 | 1.7 | 7.3 | 9.8 | -4.5 | 4.7 | -4.0 | -0.1 | 1.4 | 4.5 | 0.3 |
| Pound Sterling | 38.7 | -7.9 | 13.3 | -0.8 | 6.6 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 5.0 | -2.0 | 2.5 | -2.3 | 1.1 | -0.2 |
| Japanese Yen | -19.2 | 4.8 | -3.8 | -5.8 | 1.2 | -5.1 | 0.4 | -0.2 | 3.6 | -0.2 | -10.0 | 1.2 | 9.5 |
| Korean Won | 34.7 | -5.1 | 5.5 | 1.5 | -2.7 | 8.4 | -1.1 | 1.2 | -0.4 | -0.3 | 4.4 | -2.0 | 1.5 |
| New Taiwan Dollar | 1.2 | 0.5 | -1.1 | 2.9 | -1.1 | 1.4 | 3.3 | -4.5 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.6 | -0.9 | 0.8 |
| Hong Kong Dollar | -0.5 | 2.6 | 9.4 | -1.1 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 6.0 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 2.6 | -5.3 | -0.4 | 3.4 |
| Australian Dollar | 27.6 | -20.8 | -4.0 | -0.8 | -2.0 | 7.6 | -6.4 | -2.6 | 0.5 | -1.3 | 4.2 | -4.0 | 1.0 |

INTEREST RATES (At End Of Period) [TABLE A5.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Per Cent Per Annum |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 - Month Treasury Bill Rate ${ }^{1}$ | 0.57 | 0.55 | 0.39 | 0.37 | 0.34 | 0.33 | 0.30 | 0.39 | 0.25 | 0.32 | 0.22 | 0.37 | 0.30 |
| 3 - Month Interbank Rate ${ }^{2}$ | 1.00 | 0.69 | 0.44 | 0.38 | 0.69 | 0.56 | 0.50 | 0.44 | 0.44 | 0.44 | 0.25 | 0.38 | 0.38 |
| 3 - Month US\$ SIBOR Rate | 1.44 | 0.25 | 0.30 | 0.58 | 0.29 | 0.54 | 0.29 | 0.30 | 0.31 | 0.25 | 0.37 | 0.58 | 0.47 |
| Banks' Rates ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Prime Lending Rate | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 | 5.38 |
| Fixed Deposits |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 Months | 0.39 | 0.25 | 0.19 | 0.14 | 0.22 | 0.21 | 0.20 | 0.19 | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.16 | 0.14 | 0.13 |
| 6 Months | 0.51 | 0.34 | 0.28 | 0.19 | 0.31 | 0.30 | 0.29 | 0.28 | 0.26 | 0.26 | 0.23 | 0.19 | 0.19 |
| 12 Months | 0.70 | 0.53 | 0.45 | 0.32 | 0.51 | 0.48 | 0.47 | 0.45 | 0.43 | 0.43 | 0.38 | 0.32 | 0.29 |
| Savings Deposits | 0.22 | 0.15 | 0.13 | 0.11 | 0.14 | 0.14 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.11 |
| Finance Companies' Rates ${ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fixed Deposits - 3 Months | 0.46 | 0.25 | 0.19 | 0.15 | 0.22 | 0.22 | 0.19 | 0.19 | 0.16 | 0.16 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.15 |
| Savings Deposits | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.17 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.22 | 0.22 | 0.17 | 0.17 |

[^10]Source: Monetary Authority of Singapore

EXTERNAL TRADE [TABLE A6.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL TRADE AT CURRENT PRICES | 927,654.8 | 747,417.4 | 902,062.6 | 974,396.3 | 209,813.0 | 227,403.6 | 234,328.3 | 230,517.7 | 234,698.8 | 244,462.2 | 247,011.0 | 248,224.4 | 252,187.5 |
| Imports | 450,892.6 | 356,299.2 | 423,221.8 | 459,655.1 | 99,915.0 | 107,265.5 | 109,285.2 | 106,756.1 | 110,061.5 | 116,242.5 | 116,070.6 | 117,280.5 | 121,552.1 |
| Exports | 476,762.2 | 391,118.2 | 478,840.7 | 514,741.2 | 109,898.0 | 120,138.1 | 125,043.1 | 123,761.6 | 124,637.2 | 128,219.7 | 130,940.4 | 130,943.9 | 130,635.5 |
| Domestic Exports | 247,618.0 | 200,003.1 | 248,609.8 | 281,349.7 | 56,297.1 | 62,724.4 | 64,663.6 | 64,924.7 | 67,203.6 | 69,328.9 | 74,020.2 | 70,796.9 | 73,973.4 |
| Oil | 89,526.2 | 58,655.0 | 75,011.1 | 103,953.8 | 17,414.9 | 19,913.7 | 18,412.2 | 19,270.3 | 23,545.1 | 25,714.9 | 28,320.6 | 26,373.2 | 27,648.5 |
| Non-oil | 158,091.8 | 141,348.2 | 173,598.8 | 177,395.8 | 38,882.2 | 42,810.7 | 46,251.3 | 45,654.4 | 43,658.5 | 43,614.0 | 45,699.6 | 44,423.7 | 46,325.0 |
| Re-Exports | 229,144.2 | 191,115.0 | 230,230.9 | 233,391.6 | 53,600.9 | 57,413.6 | 60,379.5 | 58,836.9 | 57,433.6 | 58,890.7 | 56,920.1 | 60,147.1 | 56,662.0 |
| TOTAL TRADE AT 2006 PRICES | 919,383.0 | 814,183.9 | 967,109.7 | 987,452.5 | 222,204.0 | 241,556.7 | 254,623.5 | 248,725.5 | 238,559.4 | 246,230.8 | 253,748.3 | 248,914.0 | 249,138.6 |
| Imports | 442,134.3 | 385,867.8 | 448,194.0 | 453,844.5 | 104,606.2 | 112,797.9 | 117,541.8 | 113,248.1 | 108,692.8 | 114,365.0 | 116,358.4 | 114,428.3 | 115,952.9 |
| Exports | 477,248.7 | 428,316.1 | 518,915.7 | 533,608.0 | 117,597.8 | 128,758.7 | 137,081.7 | 135,477.4 | 129,866.6 | 131,865.7 | 137,389.9 | 134,485.8 | 133,185.7 |
| Domestic Exports | 237,047.9 | 220,099.2 | 264,392.3 | 279,769.9 | 59,041.9 | 65,620.2 | 69,862.8 | 69,867.4 | 67,847.9 | 68,250.7 | 74,286.8 | 69,384.5 | 71,962.6 |
| Oil | 63,851.1 | 62,917.5 | 67,021.2 | 72,525.1 | 15,640.9 | 17,541.1 | 17,152.2 | 16,687.0 | 17,345.3 | 17,417.0 | 19,892.8 | 17,870.0 | 17,781.7 |
| Non-oil | 173,196.8 | 157,181.6 | 197,371.1 | 207,244.8 | 43,401.0 | 48,079.1 | 52,710.6 | 53,180.4 | 50,502.6 | 50,833.8 | 54,394.0 | 51,514.5 | 54,180.9 |
| Re-Exports | 240,200.8 | 208,216.9 | 254,523.4 | 253,838.1 | 58,555.9 | 63,138.5 | 67,218.9 | 65,610.1 | 62,018.7 | 63,615.0 | 63,103.1 | 65,101.3 | 61,223.1 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL TRADE AT CURRENT PRICES | 9.6 | -19.4 | 20.7 | 8.0 | 26.9 | 27.8 | 17.9 | 12.2 | 11.9 | 7.5 | 5.4 | 7.7 | 7.5 |
| Imports | 13.9 | -21.0 | 18.8 | 8.6 | 25.5 | 26.4 | 15.6 | 9.7 | 10.2 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 9.9 | 10.4 |
| Exports | 5.8 | -18.0 | 22.4 | 7.5 | 28.2 | 29.1 | 20.0 | 14.5 | 13.4 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 4.8 |
| Domestic Exports | 5.4 | -19.2 | 24.3 | 13.2 | 31.9 | 33.4 | 19.2 | 15.8 | 19.4 | 10.5 | 14.5 | 9.0 | 10.1 |
| Oil | 41.5 | -34.5 | 27.9 | 38.6 | 56.9 | 48.0 | 9.2 | 11.8 | 35.2 | 29.1 | 53.8 | 36.9 | 17.4 |
| Non-oil | -7.9 | -10.6 | 22.8 | 2.2 | 23.1 | 27.6 | 23.7 | 17.6 | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 6.1 |
| Re-Exports | 6.2 | -16.6 | 20.5 | 1.4 | 24.5 | 24.6 | 20.9 | 13.0 | 7.2 | 2.6 | -5.7 | 2.2 | -1.3 |
| TOTAL TRADE AT 2006 PRICES | 6.1 | -11.4 | 18.8 | 2.1 | 19.0 | 23.8 | 19.8 | 13.2 | 7.4 | 1.9 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 4.4 |
| Imports | 9.6 | -12.7 | 16.2 | 1.3 | 15.5 | 21.8 | 17.5 | 10.4 | 3.9 | 1.4 | -1.0 | 1.0 | 6.7 |
| Exports | 3.0 | -10.3 | 21.2 | 2.8 | 22.2 | 25.6 | 21.8 | 15.8 | 10.4 | 2.4 | 0.2 | -0.7 | 2.6 |
| Domestic Exports | -0.9 | -7.1 | 20.1 | 5.8 | 19.7 | 25.3 | 19.7 | 16.3 | 14.9 | 4.0 | 6.3 | -0.7 | 6.1 |
| Oil | 8.5 | -1.5 | 6.5 | 8.2 | 6.1 | 15.6 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 10.9 | -0.7 | 16.0 | 7.1 | 2.5 |
| Non-oil | -4.0 | -9.2 | 25.6 | 5.0 | 25.6 | 29.2 | 26.9 | 21.2 | 16.4 | 5.7 | 3.2 | -3.1 | 7.3 |
| Re-Exports | 7.2 | -13.3 | 22.2 | -0.3 | 24.8 | 25.9 | 24.1 | 15.2 | 5.9 | 0.8 | -6.1 | -0.8 | -1.3 |

IMPORTS BY COMMODITY AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.2]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 450,892.6 | 356,299.2 | 423,221.8 | 459,655.1 | 99,915.0 | 107,265.5 | 109,285.2 | 106,756.1 | 110,061.5 | 116,242.5 | 116,070.6 | 117,280.5 | 121,552.1 |
| Oil | 128,791.8 | 89,000.6 | 115,591.6 | 149,945.6 | 28,384.3 | 30,227.3 | 29,017.8 | 27,962.2 | 36,824.1 | 38,446.2 | 37,880.6 | 36,794.6 | 42,849.1 |
| Non-Oil | 322,100.8 | 267,298.6 | 307,630.2 | 309,709.6 | 71,530.7 | 77,038.3 | 80,267.4 | 78,793.9 | 73,237.5 | 77,796.3 | 78,190.0 | 80,485.9 | 78,702.9 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 11,538.6 | 10,797.6 | 12,358.1 | 13,974.4 | 2,778.1 | 2,986.6 | 3,251.7 | 3,341.7 | 3,091.0 | 3,450.7 | 3,575.3 | 3,857.4 | 3,309.9 |
| Crude Materials | 3,365.0 | 3,593.1 | 3,003.9 | 3,726.0 | 771.6 | 763.8 | 694.4 | 774.1 | 885.5 | 899.5 | 940.2 | 1,000.8 | 1,018.5 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 1,014.3 | 705.4 | 842.8 | 1,481.2 | 183.5 | 168.3 | 202.0 | 289.0 | 312.0 | 367.3 | 407.0 | 394.9 | 492.9 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 23,722.8 | 21,443.1 | 28,629.7 | 31,882.1 | 6,777.9 | 7,480.7 | 7,314.8 | 7,056.3 | 7,635.5 | 8,244.1 | 7,965.9 | 8,036.6 | 7,794.4 |
| Manufactured Goods | 34,953.9 | 26,036.9 | 26,457.6 | 30,995.6 | 6,160.9 | 6,806.7 | 6,758.6 | 6,731.4 | 7,092.8 | 8,324.7 | 7,587.6 | 7,990.4 | 7,115.6 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 209,514.7 | 169,832.5 | 196,105.6 | 188,268.1 | 45,355.5 | 48,774.3 | 52,306.8 | 49,669.0 | 44,604.2 | 47,080.2 | 47,870.5 | 48,713.1 | 49,498.3 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 29,145.7 | 24,869.5 | 29,683.6 | 32,060.3 | 6,737.8 | 7,349.4 | 7,665.9 | 7,930.5 | 7,664.8 | 7,718.9 | 7,995.5 | 8,681.1 | 7,711.3 |
| Miscellaneous Transaction Articles | 8,845.8 | 10,020.5 | 10,548.9 | 7,322.0 | 2,765.3 | 2,708.5 | 2,073.1 | 3,002.0 | 1,951.8 | 1,710.8 | 1,847.9 | 1,811.5 | 1,761.8 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 13.9 | -21.0 | 18.8 | 8.6 | 25.5 | 26.4 | 15.6 | 9.7 | 10.2 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 9.9 | 10.4 |
| Oil | 54.5 | -30.9 | 29.9 | 29.7 | 52.4 | 48.1 | 15.8 | 12.3 | 29.7 | 27.2 | 30.5 | 31.6 | 16.4 |
| Non-Oil | 3.0 | -17.0 | 15.1 | 0.7 | 17.3 | 19.6 | 15.6 | 8.8 | 2.4 | 1.0 | -2.6 | 2.1 | 7.5 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 10.7 | -6.4 | 14.5 | 13.1 | 15.6 | 16.7 | 16.4 | 9.9 | 11.3 | 15.5 | 10.0 | 15.4 | 7.1 |
| Crude Materials | 18.6 | 6.8 | -16.4 | 24.0 | -10.7 | -20.5 | -27.1 | -5.2 | 14.8 | 17.8 | 35.4 | 29.3 | 15.0 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 50.8 | -30.5 | 19.5 | 75.7 | 26.1 | -7.6 | 11.4 | 47.3 | 70.0 | 118.2 | 101.5 | 36.6 | 58.0 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | -0.8 | -9.6 | 33.5 | 11.4 | 71.6 | 48.1 | 22.6 | 8.9 | 12.7 | 10.2 | 8.9 | 13.9 | 2.1 |
| Manufactured Goods | 13.9 | -25.5 | 1.6 | 17.2 | -4.5 | 9.1 | 2.0 | 0.2 | 15.1 | 22.3 | 12.3 | 18.7 | 0.3 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 0.9 | -18.9 | 15.5 | -4.0 | 16.7 | 17.3 | 18.0 | 10.3 | -1.7 | -3.5 | -8.5 | -1.9 | 11.0 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | -0.8 | -14.7 | 19.4 | 8.0 | 25.8 | 25.6 | 17.3 | 11.2 | 13.8 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 9.5 | 0.6 |
| Miscellaneous Transaction Articles | 25.2 | 13.3 | 5.3 | -30.6 | -6.2 | 35.9 | 0.9 | -0.8 | -29.4 | -36.8 | -10.9 | -39.7 | -9.7 |

Note: Data are based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) Revision 4.1.
Source: International Enterprise Singapore

EXPORTS BY COMMODITY AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.3]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 476,762.2 | 391,118.2 | 478,840.7 | 514,741.2 | 109,898.0 | 120,138.1 | 125,043.1 | 123,761.6 | 124,637.2 | 128,219.7 | 130,940.4 | 130,943.9 | 130,635.5 |
| Oil | 115,478.5 | 78,398.0 | 103,511.0 | 136,773.5 | 25,045.7 | 27,213.4 | 25,572.3 | 25,679.6 | 32,498.5 | 35,439.6 | 35,626.8 | 33,208.7 | 34,994.3 |
| Non-Oil | 361,283.6 | 312,720.2 | 375,329.8 | 377,967.7 | 84,852.3 | 92,924.6 | 99,470.8 | 98,082.0 | 92,138.8 | 92,780.1 | 95,313.6 | 97,735.2 | 95,641.2 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 7,827.1 | 7,542.8 | 8,711.8 | 10,452.8 | 1,834.3 | 2,083.8 | 2,300.6 | 2,493.0 | 2,225.1 | 2,440.3 | 2,869.4 | 2,918.0 | 2,571.7 |
| Crude Materials | 3,037.4 | 2,262.1 | 2,819.9 | 3,315.2 | 651.3 | 749.7 | 696.8 | 722.1 | 804.5 | 908.1 | 851.7 | 750.9 | 726.4 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 888.7 | 593.0 | 610.6 | 546.1 | 155.7 | 165.0 | 154.3 | 135.6 | 133.7 | 127.3 | 119.2 | 165.9 | 115.8 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 48,514.1 | 46,597.8 | 56,644.3 | 64,777.1 | 12,976.0 | 13,956.9 | 15,283.7 | 14,427.8 | 15,544.1 | 16,370.3 | 16,900.8 | 15,961.9 | 17,875.8 |
| Manufactured Goods | 22,260.4 | 16,798.4 | 18,860.7 | 20,123.8 | 4,233.3 | 4,963.2 | 5,141.1 | 4,523.0 | 4,691.2 | 5,120.0 | 4,950.8 | 5,361.7 | 4,749.0 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 241,746.9 | 202,512.0 | 244,128.0 | 235,345.6 | 55,080.0 | 60,352.3 | 65,237.4 | 63,458.2 | 58,702.2 | 57,410.7 | 58,832.7 | 60,399.9 | 58,498.1 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 30,354.3 | 27,875.5 | 33,775.1 | 36,186.7 | 7,641.8 | 8,274.5 | 8,534.5 | 9,324.4 | 8,228.3 | 8,816.6 | 9,100.6 | 10,041.2 | 9,188.2 |
| Miscellaneous Transaction Articles | 6,654.7 | 8,538.6 | 9,779.5 | 7,220.4 | 2,279.9 | 2,379.2 | 2,122.4 | 2,998.0 | 1,809.6 | 1,586.7 | 1,688.2 | 2,135.8 | 1,916.2 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 5.8 | -18.0 | 22.4 | 7.5 | 28.2 | 29.1 | 20.0 | 14.5 | 13.4 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 5.8 | 4.8 |
| Oil | 44.8 | -32.1 | 32.0 | 32.1 | 65.6 | 46.5 | 17.0 | 12.4 | 29.8 | 30.2 | 39.3 | 29.3 | 7.7 |
| Non-Oil | -2.6 | -13.4 | 20.0 | 0.7 | 20.2 | 24.7 | 20.8 | 15.0 | 8.6 | -0.2 | -4.2 | -0.4 | 3.8 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 10.0 | -3.6 | 15.5 | 20.0 | 11.8 | 19.2 | 17.2 | 13.8 | 21.3 | 17.1 | 24.7 | 17.0 | 15.6 |
| Crude Materials | 5.2 | -25.5 | 24.7 | 17.6 | 26.4 | 33.8 | 13.6 | 26.1 | 23.5 | 21.1 | 22.2 | 4.0 | -9.7 |
| Animal \& Vegetable Oils | 60.8 | -33.3 | 3.0 | -10.6 | 16.2 | 14.0 | -0.1 | -15.2 | -14.1 | -22.9 | -22.7 | 22.3 | -13.4 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | -12.8 | -3.9 | 21.6 | 14.4 | 27.3 | 20.4 | 24.3 | 15.3 | 19.8 | 17.3 | 10.6 | 10.6 | 15.0 |
| Manufactured Goods | 2.0 | -24.5 | 12.3 | 6.7 | 2.3 | 10.0 | 19.3 | 17.9 | 10.8 | 3.2 | -3.7 | 18.5 | 1.2 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | -1.9 | -16.2 | 20.5 | -3.6 | 22.7 | 27.0 | 20.9 | 13.1 | 6.6 | -4.9 | -9.8 | -4.8 | -0.3 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 2.1 | -8.2 | 21.2 | 7.1 | 21.6 | 21.3 | 15.4 | 26.5 | 7.7 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 7.7 | 11.7 |
| Miscellaneous Transaction Articles | 0.6 | 28.3 | 14.5 | -26.2 | -19.1 | 48.3 | 31.9 | 19.6 | -20.6 | -33.3 | -20.5 | -28.8 | 5.9 |

Note: Data are based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) Revision 4.1.

DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY COMMODITY AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.4]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 247,618.0 | 200,003.1 | 248,609.8 | 281,349.7 | 56,297.1 | 62,724.4 | 64,663.6 | 64,924.7 | 67,203.6 | 69,328.9 | 74,020.2 | 70,796.9 | 73,973.4 |
| Oil | 89,526.2 | 58,655.0 | 75,011.1 | 103,953.8 | 17,414.9 | 19,913.7 | 18,412.2 | 19,270.3 | 23,545.1 | 25,714.9 | 28,320.6 | 26,373.2 | 27,648.5 |
| Non-Oil | 158,091.8 | 141,348.2 | 173,598.8 | 177,395.8 | 38,882.2 | 42,810.7 | 46,251.3 | 45,654.4 | 43,658.5 | 43,614.0 | 45,699.6 | 44,423.7 | 46,325.0 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 3,593.7 | 3,541.6 | 4,065.8 | 4,566.2 | 902.4 | 1,013.7 | 1,077.1 | 1,072.7 | 1,028.0 | 1,117.9 | 1,169.4 | 1,251.0 | 1,186.0 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 37,588.8 | 36,821.2 | 43,528.3 | 48,450.9 | 10,082.2 | 10,562.1 | 11,955.6 | 10,928.4 | 11,949.2 | 12,348.5 | 12,768.6 | 11,384.7 | 13,330.3 |
| Manufactured Goods | 7,337.4 | 5,427.2 | 7,027.7 | 6,932.1 | 1,512.5 | 1,733.9 | 2,081.7 | 1,699.7 | 1,712.1 | 1,804.1 | 1,781.8 | 1,634.2 | 1,491.9 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 88,131.9 | 75,465.5 | 94,412.0 | 91,057.6 | 20,675.5 | 23,438.3 | 25,044.0 | 25,254.2 | 22,825.2 | 21,832.3 | 23,323.5 | 23,076.5 | 23,530.8 |
| Office Machinery | 24,515.2 | 19,554.0 | 21,148.5 | 17,194.4 | 5,225.4 | 5,407.4 | 5,339.0 | 5,176.7 | 4,249.0 | 4,213.1 | 4,385.7 | 4,346.6 | 4,267.8 |
| Industrial \& Non-Electrical Machinery | 10,491.6 | 10,164.4 | 13,104.4 | 15,115.2 | 2,637.9 | 3,017.5 | 3,624.6 | 3,824.5 | 3,523.1 | 3,852.1 | 3,703.0 | 4,037.1 | 4,427.4 |
| Telecommunication Apparatus | 5,920.7 | 4,050.6 | 3,946.9 | 3,806.7 | 794.0 | 938.2 | 1,100.5 | 1,114.2 | 988.8 | 799.1 | 848.1 | 1,170.6 | 1,276.6 |
| Electrical Machinery \& Generators | 41,705.4 | 35,195.8 | 49,177.8 | 44,481.2 | 10,899.2 | 11,801.8 | 13,538.5 | 12,938.3 | 10,604.8 | 11,046.1 | 11,675.7 | 11,154.7 | 10,957.4 |
| Ships \& Other Transport Equipment | 5,499.1 | 6,500.7 | 7,034.3 | 10,460.1 | 1,119.1 | 2,273.4 | 1,441.4 | 2,200.5 | 3,459.6 | 1,922.0 | 2,711.0 | 2,367.5 | 2,601.6 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 16,314.3 | 15,483.6 | 19,498.7 | 21,322.0 | 4,433.8 | 4,800.3 | 4,860.7 | 5,404.0 | 4,851.8 | 5,198.7 | 5,429.3 | 5,842.2 | 5,424.8 |
| Others | 5,125.7 | 4,609.1 | 5,066.2 | 5,067.1 | 1,275.9 | 1,262.6 | 1,232.3 | 1,295.5 | 1,292.2 | 1,312.5 | 1,227.1 | 1,235.2 | 1,361.2 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 5.4 | -19.2 | 24.3 | 13.2 | 31.9 | 33.4 | 19.2 | 15.8 | 19.4 | 10.5 | 14.5 | 9.0 | 10.1 |
| Oil | 41.5 | -34.5 | 27.9 | 38.6 | 56.9 | 48.0 | 9.2 | 11.8 | 35.2 | 29.1 | 53.8 | 36.9 | 17.4 |
| Non-Oil | -7.9 | -10.6 | 22.8 | 2.2 | 23.1 | 27.6 | 23.7 | 17.6 | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 6.1 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 17.9 | -1.5 | 14.8 | 12.3 | 15.3 | 21.4 | 11.9 | 11.6 | 13.9 | 10.3 | 8.6 | 16.6 | 15.4 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | -16.6 | -2.0 | 18.2 | 11.3 | 23.9 | 15.0 | 22.6 | 12.0 | 18.5 | 16.9 | 6.8 | 4.2 | 11.6 |
| Manufactured Goods | 1.8 | -26.0 | 29.5 | -1.4 | 20.4 | 29.4 | 46.1 | 20.9 | 13.2 | 4.0 | -14.4 | -3.9 | -12.9 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | -7.1 | -14.4 | 25.1 | -3.6 | 22.6 | 35.0 | 25.5 | 18.7 | 10.4 | -6.9 | -6.9 | -8.6 | 3.1 |
| Office Machinery | -6.1 | -20.2 | 8.2 | -18.7 | 24.8 | 22.4 | 0.3 | -8.0 | -18.7 | -22.1 | -17.9 | -16.0 | 0.4 |
| Industrial \& Non-Electrical Machinery | -1.7 | -3.1 | 28.9 | 15.3 | 3.8 | 31.4 | 39.1 | 40.6 | 33.6 | 27.7 | 2.2 | 5.6 | 25.7 |
| Telecommunication Apparatus | -37.8 | -31.6 | -2.6 | -3.6 | -22.7 | 3.1 | -1.6 | 12.1 | 24.5 | -14.8 | -22.9 | 5.1 | 29.1 |
| Electrical Machinery \& Generators | -7.8 | -15.6 | 39.7 | -9.6 | 41.1 | 44.3 | 48.6 | 27.1 | -2.7 | -6.4 | -13.8 | -13.8 | 3.3 |
| Ships \& Other Transport Equipment | 64.2 | 18.2 | 8.2 | 48.7 | -19.1 | 46.1 | -19.9 | 24.8 | 209.1 | -15.5 | 88.1 | 7.6 | -24.8 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | -4.4 | -5.1 | 25.9 | 9.4 | 28.8 | 27.0 | 16.6 | 32.0 | 9.4 | 8.3 | 11.7 | 8.1 | 11.8 |
| Others | 16.3 | -10.1 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 15.9 | 18.5 | 10.8 | -2.6 | 1.3 | 4.0 | -0.4 | -4.7 | 5.3 |

NON-OIL DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY MAJOR PRODUCTS AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.5]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 158,091.8 | 141,348.2 | 173,598.8 | 177,395.8 | 38,882.2 | 42,810.7 | 46,251.3 | 45,654.4 | 43,658.5 | 43,614.0 | 45,699.6 | 44,423.7 | 46,325.0 |
| Electronics | 68,410.9 | 56,826.3 | 70,780.4 | 62,545.2 | 16,162.7 | 17,620.1 | 18,628.5 | 18,369.1 | 15,147.9 | 15,240.8 | 16,054.3 | 16,102.2 | 15,677.4 |
| Integrated Circuits | 20,902.1 | 19,082.5 | 27,187.1 | 25,761.0 | 5,620.6 | 6,233.3 | 7,546.8 | 7,786.4 | 5,926.9 | 6,145.3 | 6,824.7 | 6,864.1 | 6,598.1 |
| Parts of PCs | 14,536.3 | 11,880.9 | 12,884.6 | 11,051.3 | 3,009.2 | 3,358.3 | 3,315.2 | 3,201.9 | 2,651.3 | 2,756.2 | 2,886.1 | 2,757.7 | 2,727.9 |
| Disk Drives | 7,108.4 | 5,432.6 | 5,472.6 | 2,801.5 | 1,603.7 | 1,370.0 | 1,350.2 | 1,148.7 | 757.6 | 693.0 | 675.9 | 674.9 | 831.3 |
| Personal Computers | 1,335.4 | 1,219.7 | 1,657.7 | 2,338.0 | 339.2 | 355.8 | 423.1 | 539.6 | 597.2 | 488.7 | 597.9 | 654.1 | 491.4 |
| Telecom Equipment | 2,846.7 | 1,295.4 | 1,665.3 | 1,932.1 | 280.5 | 383.8 | 468.5 | 532.5 | 497.5 | 413.6 | 411.7 | 609.3 | 813.1 |
| Others | 21,682.0 | 17,915.1 | 21,913.2 | 18,661.4 | 5,309.5 | 5,918.8 | 5,524.8 | 5,160.0 | 4,717.4 | 4,744.0 | 4,657.9 | 4,542.1 | 4,215.4 |
| Non-Electronics | 89,680.9 | 84,521.9 | 102,818.4 | 114,850.6 | 22,719.6 | 25,190.7 | 27,622.8 | 27,285.3 | 28,510.6 | 28,373.2 | 29,645.3 | 28,321.5 | 30,647.6 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | -7.9 | -10.6 | 22.8 | 2.2 | 23.1 | 27.6 | 23.7 | 17.6 | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 6.1 |
| Electronics | -11.7 | -16.9 | 24.6 | -11.6 | 28.8 | 34.6 | 23.4 | 14.2 | -6.3 | -13.5 | -13.8 | -12.3 | 3.5 |
| Integrated Circuits | -6.6 | -8.7 | 42.5 | -5.2 | 31.1 | 40.3 | 52.6 | 44.0 | 5.4 | -1.4 | -9.6 | -11.8 | 11.3 |
| Parts of PCs | -6.3 | -18.3 | 8.4 | -14.2 | 20.3 | 29.6 | -0.6 | -7.3 | -11.9 | -17.9 | -12.9 | -13.9 | 2.9 |
| Disk Drives | -3.4 | -23.6 | 0.7 | -48.8 | 38.0 | 8.8 | -5.1 | -27.7 | -52.8 | -49.4 | -49.9 | -41.2 | 9.7 |
| Personal Computers | 0.6 | -8.7 | 35.9 | 41.0 | 14.1 | 24.3 | 30.8 | 72.6 | 76.1 | 37.3 | 41.3 | 21.2 | -17.7 |
| Telecom Equipment | -37.2 | -54.5 | 28.5 | 16.0 | -26.3 | 37.1 | 46.7 | 68.8 | 77.4 | 7.8 | -12.1 | 14.4 | 63.4 |
| Others | -17.8 | -17.4 | 22.3 | -14.8 | 35.5 | 39.9 | 16.2 | 3.0 | -11.2 | -19.8 | -15.7 | -12.0 | -10.6 |
| Non-Electronics | -4.7 | -5.8 | 21.6 | 11.7 | 19.4 | 23.1 | 24.0 | 20.0 | 25.5 | 12.6 | 7.3 | 3.8 | 7.5 |

Note: Data are based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) Revision 4.1.
Source: International Enterprise Singapore

RE-EXPORTS BY COMMODITY AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.6]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 229,144.2 | 191,115.0 | 230,230.9 | 233,391.6 | 53,600.9 | 57,413.6 | 60,379.5 | 58,836.9 | 57,433.6 | 58,890.7 | 56,920.1 | 60,147.1 | 56,662.0 |
| Oil | 25,952.4 | 19,743.1 | 28,499.9 | 32,819.7 | 7,630.8 | 7,299.7 | 7,160.0 | 6,409.3 | 8,953.4 | 9,724.6 | 7,306.1 | 6,835.5 | 7,345.8 |
| Non-Oil | 203,191.8 | 171,372.0 | 201,731.0 | 200,571.9 | 45,970.0 | 50,113.9 | 53,219.5 | 52,427.6 | 48,480.3 | 49,166.1 | 49,614.0 | 53,311.5 | 49,316.2 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 4,233.4 | 4,001.2 | 4,645.9 | 5,886.6 | 931.9 | 1,070.2 | 1,223.5 | 1,420.3 | 1,197.1 | 1,322.5 | 1,700.1 | 1,667.0 | 1,385.7 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 10,925.2 | 9,776.6 | 13,116.0 | 16,326.2 | 2,893.7 | 3,394.8 | 3,328.0 | 3,499.4 | 3,594.9 | 4,021.8 | 4,132.2 | 4,577.2 | 4,545.5 |
| Manufactured Goods | 14,922.9 | 11,371.2 | 11,833.0 | 13,191.7 | 2,720.9 | 3,229.4 | 3,059.4 | 2,823.3 | 2,979.1 | 3,315.9 | 3,169.1 | 3,727.6 | 3,257.1 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 153,615.0 | 127,046.5 | 149,716.0 | 144,288.0 | 34,404.5 | 36,914.1 | 40,193.5 | 38,204.0 | 35,877.0 | 35,578.4 | 35,509.2 | 37,323.4 | 34,967.3 |
| Office Machinery | 21,372.0 | 15,904.7 | 18,863.0 | 17,300.7 | 4,524.9 | 4,396.2 | 4,575.0 | 5,366.8 | 4,309.0 | 4,260.5 | 4,179.2 | 4,551.9 | 4,257.4 |
| Industrial \& Non-Electrical Machinery | 16,248.1 | 14,130.0 | 14,898.4 | 15,273.9 | 3,491.6 | 3,886.2 | 3,789.0 | 3,731.6 | 3,717.5 | 3,836.1 | 3,791.5 | 3,928.8 | 3,670.3 |
| Telecommunication Apparatus | 16,459.3 | 10,667.2 | 11,350.7 | 12,268.0 | 2,686.9 | 2,643.7 | 2,966.0 | 3,054.0 | 3,047.8 | 2,946.8 | 3,143.1 | 3,130.4 | 2,769.9 |
| Electrical Machinery \& Generators | 90,878.2 | 78,619.8 | 96,595.0 | 90,078.8 | 21,918.0 | 23,983.5 | 26,795.8 | 23,897.7 | 22,678.5 | 22,344.9 | 22,088.2 | 22,967.2 | 21,914.1 |
| Ships \& Other Transport Equipment | 8,657.3 | 7,724.7 | 8,009.0 | 9,366.7 | 1,783.0 | 2,004.4 | 2,067.7 | 2,153.9 | 2,124.2 | 2,190.1 | 2,307.2 | 2,745.1 | 2,355.5 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 14,040.0 | 12,391.9 | 14,276.4 | 14,864.7 | 3,208.0 | 3,474.2 | 3,673.8 | 3,920.4 | 3,376.5 | 3,617.9 | 3,671.3 | 4,199.0 | 3,763.4 |
| Others | 5,455.2 | 6,784.6 | 8,143.8 | 6,014.7 | 1,811.0 | 2,031.3 | 1,741.3 | 2,560.2 | 1,455.6 | 1,309.6 | 1,432.1 | 1,817.4 | 1,397.2 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 6.2 | -16.6 | 20.5 | 1.4 | 24.5 | 24.6 | 20.9 | 13.0 | 7.2 | 2.6 | -5.7 | 2.2 | -1.3 |
| Oil | 57.7 | -23.9 | 44.4 | 15.2 | 89.7 | 42.6 | 43.6 | 14.1 | 17.3 | 33.2 | 2.0 | 6.7 | -18.0 |
| Non-Oil | 2.0 | -15.7 | 17.7 | -0.6 | 17.8 | 22.4 | 18.4 | 12.9 | 5.5 | -1.9 | -6.8 | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 4.2 | -5.5 | 16.1 | 26.7 | 8.7 | 17.3 | 22.3 | 15.4 | 28.5 | 23.6 | 38.9 | 17.4 | 15.8 |
| Chemicals \& Chemical Products | 3.4 | -10.5 | 34.2 | 24.5 | 40.5 | 40.8 | 30.9 | 26.6 | 24.2 | 18.5 | 24.2 | 30.8 | 26.4 |
| Manufactured Goods | 2.1 | -23.8 | 4.1 | 11.5 | -5.6 | 1.8 | 6.1 | 16.1 | 9.5 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 32.0 | 9.3 |
| Machinery \& Transport Equipment | 1.3 | -17.3 | 17.8 | -3.6 | 22.8 | 22.4 | 18.2 | 9.6 | 4.3 | -3.6 | -11.7 | -2.3 | -2.5 |
| Office Machinery | -1.3 | -25.6 | 18.6 | -8.3 | 27.4 | 23.0 | 13.9 | 12.7 | -4.8 | -3.1 | -8.7 | -15.2 | -1.2 |
| Industrial \& Non-Electrical Machinery | 12.8 | -13.0 | 5.4 | 2.5 | 1.4 | 9.5 | 6.4 | 4.3 | 6.5 | -1.3 | 0.1 | 5.3 | -1.3 |
| Telecommunication Apparatus | -6.4 | -35.2 | 6.4 | 8.1 | -1.5 | 7.0 | 8.8 | 11.4 | 13.4 | 11.5 | 6.0 | 2.5 | -9.1 |
| Electrical Machinery \& Generators | 1.1 | -13.5 | 22.9 | -6.7 | 34.3 | 27.9 | 24.3 | 8.7 | 3.5 | -6.8 | -17.6 | -3.9 | -3.4 |
| Ships \& Other Transport Equipment | 6.0 | -10.8 | 3.7 | 17.0 | -9.7 | 9.5 | -3.8 | 21.6 | 19.1 | 9.3 | 11.6 | 27.5 | 10.9 |
| Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | 10.8 | -11.7 | 15.2 | 4.1 | 12.9 | 14.1 | 13.8 | 19.7 | 5.3 | 4.1 | -0.1 | 7.1 | 11.5 |
| Others | -3.4 | 24.4 | 20.0 | -26.1 | -23.5 | 63.3 | 37.6 | 34.2 | -19.6 | -35.5 | -17.8 | -29.0 | -4.0 |

NON-OIL DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY MAJOR MARKETS AT CURRENT PRICES [TABLE A6.7]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 158,091.8 | 141,348.2 | 173,598.8 | 177,395.8 | 38,882.2 | 42,810.7 | 46,251.3 | 45,654.4 | 43,658.5 | 43,614.0 | 45,699.6 | 44,423.7 | 46,325.0 |
| EU | 24,265.1 | 20,544.6 | 26,864.3 | 26,914.7 | 5,505.7 | 5,982.9 | 7,877.0 | 7,498.7 | 6,590.1 | 6,494.0 | 7,453.0 | 6,377.5 | 6,625.6 |
| United States | 20,158.4 | 15,261.0 | 19,037.2 | 16,828.7 | 3,788.7 | 4,566.2 | 5,210.4 | 5,471.8 | 4,320.9 | 4,456.3 | 4,041.9 | 4,009.5 | 4,847.1 |
| China, People's Republic of | 15,868.0 | 14,644.7 | 19,240.1 | 20,612.9 | 4,329.6 | 4,881.3 | 4,798.2 | 5,231.0 | 4,877.2 | 5,227.8 | 5,261.4 | 5,246.5 | 5,056.2 |
| Malaysia | 14,517.0 | 12,221.3 | 14,560.1 | 14,576.6 | 3,320.7 | 3,710.2 | 3,907.9 | 3,621.2 | 3,521.0 | 3,655.7 | 3,690.7 | 3,709.1 | 3,496.9 |
| Indonesia | 11,357.5 | 9,116.4 | 11,162.7 | 11,024.1 | 2,996.1 | 2,702.7 | 2,658.4 | 2,805.4 | 2,820.0 | 2,762.2 | 2,687.4 | 2,754.4 | 2,936.5 |
| Hong Kong, China | 11,601.3 | 12,146.0 | 16,565.7 | 14,652.9 | 3,727.1 | 3,840.4 | 4,474.5 | 4,523.6 | 3,532.1 | 3,120.0 | 3,989.3 | 4,011.5 | 4,205.2 |
| Japan | 10,572.9 | 8,460.4 | 10,586.2 | 10,792.5 | 2,491.9 | 2,854.0 | 2,602.9 | 2,637.5 | 2,508.3 | 2,635.9 | 2,703.2 | 2,945.2 | 2,737.4 |
| Taiwan | 6,066.1 | 6,547.3 | 9,626.3 | 9,564.0 | 2,233.4 | 2,373.1 | 2,637.9 | 2,381.9 | 2,324.5 | 2,574.7 | 2,289.2 | 2,375.6 | 2,379.8 |
| Thailand | 7,253.4 | 5,832.2 | 7,057.3 | 7,107.2 | 1,788.4 | 1,752.0 | 1,748.3 | 1,768.6 | 1,769.3 | 1,804.3 | 1,898.0 | 1,635.6 | 2,302.1 |
| South Korea | 5,917.0 | 5,859.5 | 7,964.4 | 7,746.1 | 1,890.4 | 1,938.9 | 2,191.3 | 1,943.9 | 1,705.3 | 1,949.9 | 2,002.0 | 2,088.9 | 2,336.7 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | -7.9 | -10.6 | 22.8 | 2.2 | 23.1 | 27.6 | 23.7 | 17.6 | 12.3 | 1.9 | -1.2 | -2.7 | 6.1 |
| EU | -18.7 | -15.3 | 30.8 | 0.2 | 4.7 | 30.4 | 52.6 | 35.4 | 19.7 | 8.5 | -5.4 | -15.0 | 0.5 |
| United States | -22.8 | -24.3 | 24.7 | -11.6 | 11.2 | 23.0 | 34.8 | 27.9 | 14.0 | -2.4 | -22.4 | -26.7 | 12.2 |
| China, People's Republic of | -2.3 | -7.7 | 31.4 | 7.1 | 25.3 | 42.8 | 30.7 | 27.6 | 12.6 | 7.1 | 9.7 | 0.3 | 3.7 |
| Malaysia | -8.8 | -15.8 | 19.1 | 0.1 | 28.8 | 26.4 | 17.6 | 7.0 | 6.0 | -1.5 | -5.6 | 2.4 | -0.7 |
| Indonesia | 2.7 | -19.7 | 22.4 | -1.2 | 54.1 | 22.9 | 8.0 | 11.7 | -5.9 | 2.2 | 1.1 | -1.8 | 4.1 |
| Hong Kong, China | 0.0 | 4.7 | 36.4 | -11.5 | 52.6 | 42.0 | 33.6 | 23.9 | -5.2 | -18.8 | -10.8 | -11.3 | 19.1 |
| Japan | -0.3 | -20.0 | 25.1 | 1.9 | 28.3 | 47.8 | 17.2 | 11.4 | 0.7 | -7.6 | 3.9 | 11.7 | 9.1 |
| Taiwan | -10.9 | 7.9 | 47.0 | -0.6 | 99.3 | 47.7 | 42.9 | 20.6 | 4.1 | 8.5 | -13.2 | -0.3 | 2.4 |
| Thailand | -12.4 | -19.6 | 21.0 | 0.7 | 42.9 | 28.3 | 11.3 | 7.6 | -1.1 | 3.0 | 8.6 | -7.5 | 30.1 |
| South Korea | -0.3 | -1.0 | 35.9 | -2.7 | 57.6 | 47.8 | 38.2 | 10.3 | -9.8 | 0.6 | -8.6 | 7.5 | 37.0 |

Note: The European Union (EU) comprises Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Rep, Denmark, Estonia, Finland,
Source: International Enterprise Singapore
France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland,
Portugal, Romania, Slovak Rep, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and the United Kingdom.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS [TABLE A7.1]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A CURRENT ACCOUNT BALANCE | 37,275.5 | 43,836.0 | 75,686.7 | 71,679.5 | 13,680.7 | 19,542.5 | 21,544.8 | 20,918.7 | 18,277.4 | 16,939.0 | 19,396.6 | 17,066.5 | 13,213.3 |
| Goods Balance | 58,948.3 | 68,755.4 | 86,033.6 | 84,840.5 | 18,160.9 | 22,352.8 | 22,893.8 | 22,626.1 | 21,344.4 | 19,086.6 | 21,536.4 | 22,873.1 | 17,784.7 |
| Exports of Goods | 502,067.2 | 419,493.0 | 505,937.3 | 540,049.1 | 117,077.9 | 128,481.1 | 131,068.1 | 129,310.2 | 130,741.5 | 134,287.5 | 136,577.2 | 138,442.9 | 137,383.1 |
| Imports of Goods | 443,118.9 | 350,737.6 | 419,903.7 | 455,208.6 | 98,917.0 | 106,128.3 | 108,174.3 | 106,684.1 | 109,397.1 | 115,200.9 | 115,040.8 | 115,569.8 | 119,598.4 |
| Services Balance | -3,781.3 | -4,637.0 | 2,083.9 | 2,319.8 | 241.9 | -127.5 | 1,243.3 | 726.2 | 510.3 | 205.8 | 1,477.9 | 125.8 | 844.7 |
| Exports of Services | 124,595.6 | 116,630.6 | 136,367.6 | 142,868.0 | 32,401.5 | 34,264.4 | 34,760.9 | 34,940.8 | 34,953.7 | 35,562.2 | 36,574.7 | 35,777.4 | 35,701.4 |
| Maintenance and Repair Services | 8,224.2 | 8,953.3 | 8,479.9 | 9,496.4 | 2,242.9 | 2,313.1 | 1,968.6 | 1,955.3 | 2,093.7 | 2,406.3 | 2,699.9 | 2,296.5 | 2,167.9 |
| Transport | 50,118.3 | 41,853.5 | 51,969.7 | 53,850.2 | 12,620.9 | 12,911.8 | 13,304.3 | 13,132.7 | 13,141.3 | 13,553.6 | 13,718.5 | 13,436.8 | 13,532.0 |
| Travel | 15,158.9 | 13,626.3 | 19,270.4 | 22,627.2 | 3,808.9 | 4,748.7 | 5,374.2 | 5,338.6 | 5,396.1 | 5,409.0 | 6,012.0 | 5,810.1 | 6,025.3 |
| Insurance | 2,633.2 | 3,744.6 | 4,408.9 | 3,730.6 | 1,164.6 | 1,257.4 | 1,206.7 | 780.2 | 1,227.8 | 916.7 | 804.2 | 781.9 | 811.1 |
| Government Goods and Services | 360.1 | 339.1 | 349.7 | 362.9 | 86.9 | 87.4 | 87.8 | 87.6 | 89.7 | 90.8 | 91.4 | 91.0 | 95.6 |
| Construction | 1,532.2 | 1,544.6 | 1,656.3 | 1,700.0 | 403.4 | 409.1 | 415.8 | 428.0 | 420.2 | 413.5 | 425.9 | 440.4 | 452.6 |
| Financial | 15,303.9 | 15,105.5 | 16,421.8 | 16,152.2 | 3,936.0 | 3,944.2 | 3,885.3 | 4,656.3 | 3,914.9 | 4,080.8 | 4,025.6 | 4,130.9 | 3,728.1 |
| Telecommunications, Computer \& Information | 3,690.2 | 3,780.6 | 4,694.0 | 4,757.8 | 1,130.2 | 1,168.6 | 1,194.6 | 1,200.6 | 1,187.4 | 1,181.8 | 1,190.6 | 1,198.0 | 1,240.4 |
| Charges for the use of intellectual property | 1,001.9 | 1,145.8 | 1,434.5 | 1,543.6 | 328.8 | 399.2 | 353.0 | 353.5 | 380.8 | 375.6 | 401.2 | 386.0 | 377.1 |
| Personal, Cultural and Recreational | 726.8 | 762.5 | 686.5 | 732.4 | 157.1 | 173.6 | 177.2 | 178.6 | 182.0 | 183.8 | 183.8 | 182.8 | 191.3 |
| Other Business Services | 25,845.9 | 25,774.8 | 26,995.9 | 27,914.7 | 6,521.8 | 6,851.3 | 6,793.4 | 6,829.4 | 6,919.8 | 6,950.3 | 7,021.6 | 7,023.0 | 7,080.0 |
| Imports of Services | 128,376.9 | 121,267.6 | 134,283.7 | 140,548.2 | 32,159.6 | 34,391.9 | 33,517.6 | 34,214.6 | 34,443.4 | 35,356.4 | 35,096.8 | 35,651.6 | 34,856.7 |
| Maintenance and Repair Services | 657.6 | 850.7 | 761.7 | 754.6 | 181.1 | 174.3 | 214.3 | 192.0 | 202.6 | 184.0 | 199.3 | 168.7 | 182.6 |
| Transport | 43,207.0 | 36,870.3 | 41,278.4 | 44,177.3 | 10,017.6 | 10,336.3 | 10,351.4 | 10,573.1 | 10,781.2 | 11,417.2 | 10,837.9 | 11,141.0 | 10,955.0 |
| Travel | 23,156.2 | 23,053.2 | 25,402.3 | 26,543.4 | 5,931.9 | 6,400.6 | 6,172.7 | 6,897.1 | 6,162.5 | 6,744.4 | 6,477.7 | 7,158.8 | 6,650.0 |
| Insurance | 3,699.2 | 4,120.4 | 5,459.5 | 4,243.9 | 1,399.9 | 1,432.2 | 1,438.6 | 1,188.8 | 1,251.4 | 1,057.5 | 1,028.1 | 906.9 | 1,018.0 |
| Government Goods and Services | 319.1 | 320.0 | 261.3 | 261.6 | 88.5 | 41.5 | 56.7 | 74.6 | 96.4 | 49.5 | 50.9 | 64.8 | 90.0 |
| Construction | 495.6 | 618.2 | 674.6 | 692.2 | 164.3 | 166.6 | 169.4 | 174.3 | 171.1 | 168.3 | 173.5 | 179.3 | 184.3 |
| Financial | 3,573.0 | 2,971.4 | 3,486.5 | 3,268.8 | 910.6 | 833.8 | 890.5 | 851.6 | 832.0 | 816.4 | 842.6 | 777.8 | 784.6 |
| Telecommunications, Computer \& Information | 3,213.7 | 3,271.7 | 3,997.0 | 4,026.8 | 957.7 | 993.9 | 1,021.8 | 1,023.6 | 1,007.9 | 999.6 | 1,007.9 | 1,011.4 | 1,057.6 |
| Charges for the use of intellectual property | 17,586.2 | 17,055.1 | 19,135.6 | 20,591.3 | 4,386.3 | 5,325.8 | 4,709.0 | 4,714.5 | 5,079.9 | 5,011.3 | 5,351.8 | 5,148.3 | 5,030.8 |
| Personal, Cultural and Recreational | 609.3 | 713.4 | 604.6 | 644.9 | 138.4 | 152.9 | 156.0 | 157.3 | 160.3 | 161.8 | 161.8 | 161.0 | 168.5 |
| Other Business Services | 31,860.0 | 31,423.2 | 33,222.2 | 35,343.4 | 7,983.3 | 8,534.0 | 8,337.2 | 8,367.7 | 8,698.1 | 8,746.4 | 8,965.3 | 8,933.6 | 8,735.3 |
| Primary Income Balance | -12,617.7 | -14,470.6 | -5,390.4 | -7,038.8 | -3,062.2 | -951.0 | -801.7 | -575.5 | -1,492.5 | -320.0 | -1,424.7 | -3,801.6 | -3,087.1 |
| Primary Income Receipts | 67,312.3 | 66,999.2 | 84,491.4 | 85,527.4 | 18,599.5 | 21,241.4 | 21,887.5 | 22,763.0 | 20,695.5 | 22,448.3 | 21,973.9 | 20,409.7 | 21,797.5 |
| Primary Income Payments | 79,930.0 | 81,469.8 | 89,881.8 | 92,566.2 | 21,661.7 | 22,192.4 | 22,689.2 | 23,338.5 | 22,188.0 | 22,768.3 | 23,398.6 | 24,211.3 | 24,884.6 |
| Secondary Income Balance | -5,273.8 | -5,811.8 | -7,040.4 | -8,442.0 | -1,659.9 | -1,731.8 | -1,790.6 | -1,858.1 | -2,084.8 | -2,033.4 | -2,193.0 | -2,130.8 | -2,329.0 |
| General Government (Net) | -273.6 | -232.8 | -287.2 | -292.7 | -104.1 | -51.6 | -69.7 | -61.8 | -118.3 | -42.2 | -71.1 | -61.1 | -89.6 |
| Other Sectors (Net) | -5,000.2 | -5,579.0 | -6,753.2 | -8,149.3 | -1,555.8 | -1,680.2 | -1,720.9 | -1,796.3 | -1,966.5 | -1,991.2 | -2,121.9 | -2,069.7 | -2,239.4 |

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS - Cont'd [table A7.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT BALANCE ${ }^{1}$ | -21,860.8 | -32,985.8 | -17,626.8 | -50,360.5 | 6,255.4 | -6,020.3 | -13,573.8 | -4,288.1 | -10,981.5 | -11,827.6 | -11,047.8 | -16,503.6 | -7,731.3 |
| Financial Account (Net) | -21,860.8 | -32,985.8 | -17,626.8 | -50,360.5 | 6,255.4 | -6,020.3 | -13,573.8 | -4,288.1 | -10,981.5 | -11,827.6 | -11,047.8 | -16,503.6 | -7,731.3 |
| Direct Investment | 7,053.9 | 9,765.5 | 37,389.9 | 48,771.4 | 4,425.0 | 9,817.2 | 9,707.3 | 13,440.4 | 9,683.7 | 12,796.9 | 13,893.7 | 12,397.1 | 11,261.4 |
| Assets | -9,638.3 | -25,750.2 | -28,926.7 | -31,730.6 | -6,962.7 | -6,922.4 | -7,190.4 | -7,851.2 | -6,963.7 | -5,704.5 | -10,093.8 | -8,968.6 | -6,321.4 |
| Liabilities | 16,692.2 | 35,515.7 | 66,316.6 | 80,502.0 | 11,387.7 | 16,739.6 | 16,897.7 | 21,291.6 | 16,647.4 | 18,501.4 | 23,987.5 | 21,365.7 | 17,582.8 |
| Portfolio Investment | 16,380.4 | -58,433.0 | -36,705.4 | -36,131.6 | -14,842.8 | 4,077.4 | -15,989.4 | -9,950.6 | -14,560.9 | -1,083.2 | -17,059.3 | -3,428.2 | -7,887.2 |
| Assets | 37,100.0 | -60,153.8 | -38,326.9 | -28,628.0 | -14,648.0 | 3,391.9 | -17,596.0 | -9,474.8 | -11,718.2 | 1,467.1 | -16,800.5 | -1,576.4 | -9,676.2 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | 50,755.8 | -49,387.2 | -9,272.9 | 6,789.9 | -7,958.5 | 10,081.9 | -9,921.7 | -1,474.6 | -3,996.7 | 11,670.8 | -7,945.2 | 7,061.0 | -1,517.9 |
| Official | -19,550.7 | -13,928.1 | -13,910.9 | -12,735.8 | -3,714.2 | -3,653.8 | -3,448.7 | -3,094.2 | -2,402.9 | -3,759.7 | -3,686.3 | -2,886.9 | -2,700.6 |
| Others | 5,894.9 | 3,161.5 | -15,143.1 | -22,682.1 | -2,975.3 | -3,036.2 | -4,225.6 | -4,906.0 | -5,318.6 | -6,444.0 | -5,169.0 | -5,750.5 | -5,457.7 |
| Liabilities | -20,719.6 | 1,720.8 | 1,621.5 | -7,503.6 | -194.8 | 685.5 | 1,606.6 | -475.8 | -2,842.7 | -2,550.3 | -258.8 | -1,851.8 | 1,789.0 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -2,937.9 | -1,595.1 | -883.4 | -2,872.1 | 264.1 | -549.0 | -250.6 | -347.9 | -225.5 | -855.7 | -516.0 | -1,274.9 | 518.1 |
| Others | -17,781.7 | 3,315.9 | 2,504.9 | -4,631.5 | -458.9 | 1,234.5 | 1,857.2 | -127.9 | -2,617.2 | -1,694.6 | 257.2 | -576.9 | 1,270.9 |
| Financial Derivatives | 2,821.9 | -25,593.9 | -13,114.4 | -13,979.8 | -4,326.3 | -2,952.8 | -2,413.9 | -3,421.4 | -6,807.1 | -2,070.4 | -2,316.4 | -2,785.9 | -3,280.4 |
| Assets | -40,568.7 | 23,260.8 | -17,029.7 | -23,207.4 | -4,344.6 | -3,876.3 | -3,786.4 | -5,022.4 | -9,635.6 | -3,994.4 | -4,691.7 | -4,885.7 | -6,070.6 |
| Liabilities | 43,390.6 | -48,854.7 | 3,915.3 | 9,227.6 | 18.3 | 923.5 | 1,372.5 | 1,601.0 | 2,828.5 | 1,924.0 | 2,375.3 | 2,099.8 | 2,790.2 |
| Other Investment | -48,117.0 | 41,275.6 | -5,196.9 | -49,020.5 | 20,999.5 | -16,962.1 | -4,877.8 | -4,356.5 | 702.8 | -21,470.9 | -5,565.8 | -22,686.6 | -7,825.1 |
| Assets | -44,163.8 | 109,912.6 | -52,871.4 | -140,096.5 | -4,808.1 | -27,325.6 | -19,037.6 | -1,700.1 | -32,243.0 | -35,232.2 | -85,717.5 | 13,096.2 | 12,911.4 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -49,442.4 | 148,153.8 | -12,191.2 | -69,596.6 | -11,040.5 | -8,416.6 | -5,508.6 | 12,774.5 | -12,095.7 | -21,477.8 | -59,761.2 | 23,738.1 | 21,550.7 |
| Official | -10,586.9 | -22,431.8 | -19,524.0 | -33,870.6 | -1,413.1 | -2,005.5 | -10,702.9 | -5,402.5 | -18,657.1 | -4,303.0 | -7,305.7 | -3,604.8 | -1,568.5 |
| Others | 15,865.5 | -15,809.4 | -21,156.2 | -36,629.3 | 7,645.5 | -16,903.5 | -2,826.1 | -9,072.1 | -1,490.2 | -9,451.4 | -18,650.6 | -7,037.1 | -7,070.8 |
| Liabilities | -3,953.2 | -68,637.0 | 47,674.5 | 91,076.0 | 25,807.6 | 10,363.5 | 14,159.8 | -2,656.4 | 32,945.8 | 13,761.3 | 80,151.7 | -35,782.8 | -20,736.5 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -2,525.5 | -87,614.2 | 34,184.5 | 62,323.9 | 24,664.9 | 12,812.1 | 5,952.6 | -9,245.1 | 14,861.8 | 3,590.5 | 81,063.0 | -37,191.4 | -28,040.9 |
| Others | -1,427.7 | 18,977.2 | 13,490.0 | 28,752.1 | 1,142.7 | -2,448.6 | 8,207.2 | 6,588.7 | 18,084.0 | 10,170.8 | -911.3 | 1,408.6 | 7,304.4 |
| C NET ERRORS AND OMISSIONS | 3,116.4 | 5,606.0 | -579.4 | 168.7 | 1,109.0 | 164.4 | -1,699.1 | -153.7 | -1,060.6 | 354.1 | 1,738.6 | -863.4 | 782.0 |
| D OVERALL BALANCE ( $\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{C}$ ) | 18,531.1 | 16,456.2 | 57,480.5 | 21,487.7 | 21,045.1 | 13,686.6 | 6,271.9 | 16,476.9 | 6,235.3 | 5,465.5 | 10,087.4 | -300.5 | 6,264.0 |
| E OFFICIAL RESERVES (NET) ${ }^{2}$ | -18,531.1 | -16,456.2 | -57,480.5 | -21,487.7 | -21,045.1 | -13,686.6 | -6,271.9 | -16,476.9 | -6,235.3 | -5,465.5 | -10,087.4 | 300.5 | -6,264.0 |
| Special Drawing Rights | -40.1 | -1,661.2 | 235.4 | 237.1 | 116.8 | 55.8 | -0.2 | 63.0 | 257.8 | 27.4 | -76.3 | 28.2 | 42.4 |
| Reserves Position in the IMF | -127.1 | -119.7 | -45.5 | -484.6 | 18.7 | 9.4 | 3.1 | -76.7 | -361.4 | 46.4 | -142.1 | -27.5 | 18.6 |
| Foreign Exchange Assets | -18,363.9 | -14,675.3 | -57,670.4 | -21,240.2 | -21,180.6 | -13,751.8 | -6,274.8 | -16,463.2 | -6,131.7 | -5,539.3 | -9,869.0 | 299.8 | -6,325.0 |

${ }^{1}$ The capital account is consolidated under the financial account.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics
${ }^{2}$ Increase in assets is indicated by a minus (-) sign.

INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION [TABLE A8.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | 2011=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL MANUFACTURING | 74.6 | 71.5 | 92.8 | 100.0 | 85.0 | 103.3 | 91.3 | 91.4 | 101.3 | 99.3 | 99.4 | 99.9 | 100.2 |
| Electronics | 92.4 | 84.5 | 114.7 | 100.0 | 101.9 | 112.8 | 123.3 | 120.7 | 111.8 | 101.5 | 94.8 | 91.9 | 92.1 |
| Semiconductors | 76.1 | 71.5 | 117.3 | 100.0 | 100.9 | 117.2 | 128.2 | 123.0 | 116.2 | 101.0 | 96.1 | 86.7 | 83.9 |
| Computer Peripherals | 117.5 | 133.1 | 107.9 | 100.0 | 98.0 | 100.3 | 114.0 | 119.0 | 110.8 | 104.7 | 87.4 | 97.0 | 107.8 |
| Data Storage | 141.2 | 108.3 | 116.7 | 100.0 | 119.2 | 108.0 | 117.3 | 122.4 | 107.4 | 105.2 | 105.8 | 81.5 | 125.9 |
| Infocomms \& Consumer Electronics | 121.0 | 78.8 | 91.6 | 100.0 | 81.8 | 82.6 | 97.0 | 105.1 | 99.0 | 97.5 | 88.9 | 114.7 | 93.2 |
| Other Electronic Modules \& Components | 140.1 | 113.0 | 123.1 | 100.0 | 122.4 | 133.9 | 125.8 | 110.2 | 104.4 | 105.9 | 94.0 | 95.7 | 80.8 |
| Chemicals | 94.0 | 85.7 | 96.8 | 100.0 | 89.6 | 97.6 | 98.0 | 101.9 | 105.6 | 104.2 | 97.8 | 92.4 | 98.5 |
| Petroleum | 113.1 | 96.4 | 95.6 | 100.0 | 87.0 | 91.6 | 95.8 | 108.1 | 101.3 | 98.2 | 104.7 | 95.7 | 99.9 |
| Petrochemicals | 85.5 | 83.9 | 106.4 | 100.0 | 97.0 | 107.7 | 109.8 | 111.1 | 107.5 | 103.3 | 94.9 | 94.3 | 99.3 |
| Specialty Chemicals | 80.8 | 74.1 | 86.4 | 100.0 | 81.8 | 92.1 | 86.7 | 85.1 | 104.3 | 108.5 | 97.7 | 89.4 | 98.3 |
| Others | 95.2 | 90.4 | 102.0 | 100.0 | 101.1 | 103.3 | 103.3 | 100.4 | 113.2 | 102.7 | 93.5 | 90.6 | 93.4 |
| Biomedical Manufacturing | 45.5 | 50.8 | 76.0 | 100.0 | 73.6 | 106.2 | 60.3 | 64.1 | 96.0 | 92.0 | 100.8 | 111.2 | 113.7 |
| Pharmaceuticals | 43.7 | 49.1 | 75.3 | 100.0 | 72.7 | 106.3 | 59.4 | 62.6 | 97.0 | 90.0 | 101.6 | 111.4 | 114.5 |
| Medical Technology | 89.3 | 90.7 | 94.2 | 100.0 | 94.8 | 102.6 | 80.9 | 98.7 | 90.8 | 102.6 | 96.1 | 110.5 | 109.6 |
| Precision Engineering | 74.5 | 62.5 | 87.2 | 100.0 | 73.3 | 85.0 | 96.3 | 94.2 | 95.3 | 108.9 | 101.3 | 94.5 | 95.7 |
| Machinery \& Systems | 55.1 | 47.1 | 75.7 | 100.0 | 56.2 | 71.3 | 88.0 | 87.2 | 91.4 | 113.8 | 101.4 | 93.3 | 96.3 |
| Precision Modules \& Components | 108.1 | 89.4 | 107.4 | 100.0 | 103.3 | 109.1 | 110.7 | 106.6 | 99.6 | 103.5 | 101.1 | 95.8 | 95.1 |
| Transport Engineering | 101.9 | 96.3 | 91.9 | 100.0 | 86.2 | 90.4 | 97.0 | 94.1 | 90.4 | 93.7 | 105.4 | 110.5 | 108.3 |
| Marine \& Offshore Engineering | 115.4 | 108.4 | 92.4 | 100.0 | 88.1 | 89.4 | 99.5 | 92.6 | 87.5 | 91.8 | 109.7 | 111.0 | 110.1 |
| Aerospace | 89.5 | 86.1 | 90.3 | 100.0 | 85.5 | 90.9 | 93.4 | 91.5 | 93.4 | 99.6 | 100.5 | 106.6 | 106.8 |
| Land | 98.4 | 86.7 | 98.3 | 100.0 | 77.7 | 91.4 | 103.8 | 120.1 | 104.0 | 85.0 | 88.1 | 122.9 | 98.8 |
| General Manufacturing Industries | 97.0 | 92.7 | 102.6 | 100.0 | 92.3 | 105.7 | 109.8 | 102.8 | 95.0 | 97.7 | 102.6 | 104.7 | 97.9 |
| Printing | 118.2 | 100.9 | 103.5 | 100.0 | 95.0 | 105.4 | 102.8 | 110.8 | 95.7 | 100.1 | 101.5 | 102.7 | 91.3 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 94.8 | 90.4 | 96.4 | 100.0 | 92.3 | 95.2 | 99.9 | 98.2 | 94.0 | 95.7 | 104.4 | 105.9 | 100.2 |
| Miscellaneous industries | 90.5 | 90.9 | 105.5 | 100.0 | 91.4 | 111.1 | 117.4 | 102.1 | 95.3 | 97.8 | 102.0 | 104.9 | 99.5 |

Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.
Source: Economic Development Board

INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION - Cont'd [TABLE A8.1\}

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | I |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL MANUFACTURING | -4.2 | -4.2 | 29.7 | 7.8 | 37.2 | 45.3 | 13.7 | 25.7 | 19.1 | -3.8 | 8.9 | 9.3 | -1.0 |
| Electronics | -7.1 | -8.5 | 35.7 | -12.8 | 66.4 | 52.8 | 26.1 | 14.7 | 9.7 | -10.1 | -23.1 | -23.9 | -17.6 |
| Semiconductors | -2.8 | -6.1 | 64.2 | -14.8 | 99.8 | 86.1 | 64.4 | 30.3 | 15.1 | -13.8 | -25.0 | -29.5 | -27.8 |
| Computer Peripherals | 3.5 | 13.3 | -19.0 | -7.3 | 4.5 | 2.5 | -40.2 | -20.7 | 13.1 | 4.4 | -23.3 | -18.5 | -2.7 |
| Data Storage | -0.2 | -23.3 | 7.7 | -14.3 | 34.0 | 0.1 | 2.3 | 0.4 | -9.9 | -2.6 | -9.8 | -33.4 | 17.2 |
| Infocomms \& Consumer Electronics | -45.6 | -34.9 | 16.2 | 9.1 | 23.3 | 8.2 | 20.9 | 13.7 | 21.0 | 18.0 | -8.3 | 9.1 | -5.8 |
| Other Electronic Modules \& Components | 3.5 | -19.3 | 8.9 | -18.7 | 67.6 | 27.7 | -8.3 | -19.7 | -14.7 | -20.9 | -25.3 | -13.1 | -22.6 |
| Chemicals | -3.6 | -8.8 | 12.9 | 3.3 | 16.7 | 17.2 | 8.6 | 10.1 | 17.9 | 6.7 | -0.2 | -9.3 | -6.8 |
| Petroleum | 1.0 | -14.8 | -0.8 | 4.6 | -12.3 | -4.3 | 0.6 | 13.5 | 16.5 | 7.2 | 9.3 | -11.4 | -1.5 |
| Petrochemicals | -8.2 | -1.9 | 26.8 | -6.0 | 42.5 | 40.2 | 18.4 | 13.2 | 10.8 | -4.1 | -13.6 | -15.1 | -7.6 |
| Specialty Chemicals | -1.3 | -8.3 | 16.6 | 15.7 | 35.9 | 22.5 | 9.7 | 3.8 | 27.5 | 17.8 | 12.8 | 5.1 | -5.8 |
| Others | -15.3 | -5.0 | 12.8 | -2.0 | 31.1 | 20.3 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 11.9 | -0.6 | -9.5 | -9.7 | -17.5 |
| Biomedical Manufacturing | -6.8 | 11.6 | 49.8 | 31.5 | 53.6 | 84.8 | -3.5 | 82.2 | 30.4 | -13.4 | 67.1 | 73.6 | 18.4 |
| Pharmaceuticals | -7.2 | 12.5 | 53.2 | 32.9 | 56.7 | 89.2 | -3.3 | 93.2 | 33.4 | -15.3 | 71.1 | 77.9 | 18.0 |
| Medical Technology | -2.5 | 1.6 | 3.9 | 6.1 | 12.8 | 15.6 | -7.6 | -3.7 | -4.2 | 0.0 | 18.7 | 12.0 | 20.7 |
| Precision Engineering | -7.4 | -16.1 | 39.6 | 14.7 | 38.3 | 41.8 | 46.8 | 32.0 | 30.0 | 28.1 | 5.2 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| Machinery \& Systems | -5.2 | -14.6 | 60.7 | 32.2 | 38.6 | 56.2 | 83.0 | 61.2 | 62.8 | 59.8 | 15.3 | 7.0 | 5.3 |
| Precision Modules \& Components | -9.4 | -17.3 | 20.2 | -6.9 | 37.9 | 28.4 | 15.3 | 5.0 | -3.6 | -5.1 | -8.6 | -10.2 | -4.5 |
| Transport Engineering | 7.1 | -5.5 | -4.6 | 8.8 | -13.8 | -10.4 | 2.0 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 3.7 | 8.6 | 17.4 | 19.7 |
| Marine \& Offshore Engineering | 9.7 | -6.0 | -14.8 | 8.2 | -22.0 | -23.4 | -7.4 | -4.1 | -0.7 | 2.7 | 10.2 | 19.9 | 25.8 |
| Aerospace | 4.3 | -3.8 | 4.9 | 10.7 | -5.9 | -0.5 | 11.0 | 17.4 | 9.2 | 9.6 | 7.6 | 16.5 | 14.4 |
| Land | 5.5 | -11.8 | 13.3 | 1.8 | 0.4 | 47.8 | 16.5 | 1.3 | 33.8 | -6.9 | -15.1 | 2.3 | -5.0 |
| General Manufacturing Industries | 2.2 | -4.5 | 10.7 | -2.6 | 14.6 | 15.9 | 11.8 | 2.0 | 3.0 | -7.6 | -6.5 | 1.9 | 3.1 |
| Printing | -3.3 | -14.6 | 2.6 | -3.4 | 3.9 | 10.0 | -2.2 | -0.2 | 0.7 | -5.0 | -1.2 | -7.4 | -4.6 |
| Food, Beverages \& Tobacco | 7.7 | -4.7 | 6.6 | 3.7 | 6.9 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 4.9 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 4.5 | 7.8 | 6.6 |
| Miscellaneous industries | 2.5 | 0.5 | 16.0 | -5.2 | 23.9 | 22.1 | 19.3 | 1.5 | 4.2 | -12.0 | -13.1 | 2.7 | 4.4 |

Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.
Source: Economic Development Board

INVESTMENT COMMITMENTS IN MANUFACTURING ${ }^{1}$ AND SERVICES BY INDUSTRY CLUSTER [TABLE A8.2]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Fixed Asset Investments (Million Dollars) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 18,046.0 | 11,753.9 | 12,854.2 | 13,734.3 | 2,954.0 | 4,590.7 | 2,639.8 | 2,669.7 | 2,640.2 | 3,672.4 | 4,038.9 | 3,382.8 | 5,959.0 |
| Manufacturing | 16,386.3 | 10,092.1 | 10,033.6 | 11,274.3 | 2,604.6 | 3,401.6 | 1,825.3 | 2,202.1 | 2,047.4 | 3,080.1 | 3,345.9 | 2,800.9 | 5,347.5 |
| Electronics | 2,942.4 | 4,672.4 | 5,647.8 | 7,384.4 | 2,265.7 | 2,330.6 | 618.2 | 433.3 | 1,459.2 | 2,122.1 | 2,399.5 | 1,403.6 | 896.7 |
| Chemicals | 11,549.9 | 3,055.6 | 1,651.4 | 2,523.8 | 22.9 | 135.7 | 107.2 | 1,385.6 | 22.8 | 600.9 | 712.3 | 1,187.8 | 3,978.2 |
| Biomedical Manufacturing | 738.3 | 1,041.9 | 426.3 | 196.6 | 136.0 | 10.9 | 205.2 | 74.2 | 45.9 | 77.5 | 23.0 | 50.2 | 103.7 |
| Precision Engineering | 297.3 | 868.4 | 476.8 | 669.7 | 101.4 | 32.7 | 194.8 | 147.9 | 405.0 | 14.3 | 109.0 | 141.4 | 105.9 |
| Transport Engineering | 655.7 | 337.6 | 1,480.5 | 423.7 | 76.1 | 580.1 | 699.9 | 124.4 | 50.5 | 265.3 | 90.0 | 17.9 | 263.0 |
| General Manufacturing Industries | 202.7 | 116.2 | 350.8 | 76.1 | 2.5 | 311.6 | 0.0 | 36.7 | 64.0 | 0.0 | 12.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Services Clusters | 1,659.7 | 1,661.8 | 2,820.6 | 2,460.0 | 349.4 | 1,189.1 | 814.5 | 467.6 | 592.8 | 592.3 | 693.0 | 581.9 | 611.5 |

${ }^{1}$ Including servicing, engineering and R\&D.

INVESTMENT COMMITMENTS IN MANUFACTURING ${ }^{1}$ AND SERVICES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN [TABLE A8.3]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { I } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Fixed Asset Investments (Million Dollars) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 18,046.0 | 11,753.9 | 12,854.2 | 13,734.3 | 2,954.0 | 4,590.7 | 2,639.8 | 2,669.7 | 2,640.2 | 3,672.4 | 4,038.9 | 3,382.8 | 5,959.0 |
| Local | 1,863.4 | 3,368.3 | 2,069.6 | 1,875.4 | 204.7 | 1,108.3 | 460.5 | 296.1 | 588.1 | 1,047.8 | 140.7 | 98.8 | 353.1 |
| Foreign | 16,182.6 | 8,385.6 | 10,784.6 | 11,858.9 | 2,749.3 | 3,482.4 | 2,179.3 | 2,373.6 | 2,052.1 | 2,624.6 | 3,898.2 | 3,284.0 | 5,605.9 |
| United States | 11,292.0 | 4,191.0 | 3,311.4 | 5,047.4 | 1,529.4 | 1,167.8 | 373.1 | 241.1 | 199.5 | 999.7 | 2,672.1 | 1,176.1 | 2,566.7 |
| Japan | 1,251.6 | 1,032.2 | 1,175.8 | 995.0 | 350.8 | 334.8 | 191.0 | 299.2 | 69.9 | 34.0 | 355.1 | 536.0 | 50.4 |
| Europe | 2,825.9 | 2,466.8 | 4,819.0 | 2,131.9 | 825.9 | 1,957.8 | 632.6 | 1,402.7 | 570.8 | 587.0 | 217.8 | 756.3 | 516.4 |
| Asia Pacific \& Others | 813.1 | 695.6 | 1,478.4 | 3,684.6 | 43.2 | 22.0 | 982.6 | 430.6 | 1,211.9 | 1,003.9 | 653.2 | 815.6 | 2,472.4 |

${ }^{1}$ Including servicing, engineering and R\&D.
Source: Economic Development Board

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES [TABLE A9.1]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CONTRACTS AWARDED | 35,684.1 | 22,518.4 | 27,564.6 | 32,266.5 | 5,920.1 | 7,296.9 | 7,059.6 | 7,288.0 | 8,084.5 | 8,803.2 | 8,491.7 | 6,887.1 | 4,889.1 |
| Public | 15,481.5 | 13,896.2 | 8,546.5 | 14,824.4 | 2,490.1 | 1,774.1 | 1,751.6 | 2,530.7 | 2,845.7 | 4,559.8 | 4,103.2 | 3,315.8 | 2,543.3 |
| Private | 20,202.6 | 8,622.2 | 19,018.1 | 17,442.1 | 3,430.0 | 5,522.8 | 5,308.0 | 4,757.3 | 5,238.8 | 4,243.4 | 4,388.5 | 3,571.4 | 2,345.8 |
| CERTIFIED PAYMENTS | 26,217.3 | 30,893.5 | 27,427.8 | 27,687.6 | 7,003.4 | 6,841.3 | 6,727.0 | 6,856.1 | 6,651.8 | 6,638.5 | 6,964.3 | 7,433.0 | 7,337.0 |
| Public | 7,772.9 | 10,142.5 | 10,975.7 | 11,362.4 | 2,780.1 | 2,579.0 | 2,740.5 | 2,876.1 | 3,043.1 | 2,724.1 | 2,820.8 | 2,774.5 | 3,045.0 |
| Private | 18,444.4 | 20,751.0 | 16,452.2 | 16,325.3 | 4,223.3 | 4,262.3 | 3,986.6 | 3,980.0 | 3,608.7 | 3,914.5 | 4,143.5 | 4,658.5 | 4,292.0 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CONTRACTS AWARDED | 45.9 | -36.9 | 22.4 | 17.1 | 26.7 | 29.7 | 4.6 | 33.2 | 36.6 | 20.6 | 20.3 | -5.5 | -39.5 |
| Public | 171.6 | -10.2 | -38.5 | 73.5 | -33.0 | -56.7 | -60.3 | 51.9 | 14.3 | 157.0 | 134.3 | 31.0 | -10.6 |
| Private | 7.7 | -57.3 | 120.6 | -8.3 | 259.4 | 262.1 | 127.0 | 25.1 | 52.7 | -23.2 | -17.3 | -24.9 | -55.2 |
| CERTIFIED PAYMENTS | 46.7 | 17.8 | -11.2 | 0.9 | -9.3 | -9.6 | -12.5 | -13.4 | -5.0 | -3.0 | 3.5 | 8.4 | 10.3 |
| Public | 40.9 | 30.5 | 8.2 | 3.5 | 9.8 | 8.4 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 9.5 | 5.6 | 2.9 | -3.5 | 0.1 |
| Private | 49.3 | 12.5 | -20.7 | -0.8 | -18.7 | -17.8 | -22.4 | -24.0 | -14.6 | -8.2 | 3.9 | 17.0 | 18.9 |

Source: Building and Construction Authority

|  | Weights ${ }^{1}$ | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  |  | 2010=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL AT CURRENT PRICES | 10,000 | 109.5 | 101.0 | 100.0 | 104.6 | 102.0 | 94.1 | 98.1 | 105.9 | 99.9 | 103.3 | 102.8 | 112.4 | 109.6 |
| Total (excluding Motor Vehicles) | 7,535 | 95.8 | 93.5 | 100.0 | 108.0 | 98.4 | 95.5 | 98.2 | 108.0 | 105.5 | 104.7 | 105.4 | 116.3 | 111.9 |
| Department Stores | 1,525 | 91.0 | 93.2 | 100.0 | 107.1 | 98.4 | 96.8 | 97.0 | 107.7 | 105.8 | 104.4 | 103.4 | 114.6 | 110.3 |
| Supermarkets | 453 | 95.2 | 98.7 | 100.0 | 100.8 | 103.3 | 96.8 | 100.0 | 99.8 | 102.6 | 96.9 | 101.1 | 102.8 | 109.0 |
| Provision \& Sundry Shops | 475 | 98.3 | 100.7 | 100.0 | 106.5 | 99.5 | 96.1 | 101.1 | 103.3 | 105.8 | 103.9 | 108.5 | 107.7 | 110.7 |
| Food \& Beverages | 201 | 100.6 | 99.6 | 100.0 | 107.4 | 109.3 | 90.4 | 98.4 | 101.9 | 117.4 | 99.3 | 102.7 | 110.2 | 126.2 |
| Motor Vehicles | 2,465 | 169.1 | 133.4 | 100.0 | 94.3 | 113.0 | 89.8 | 97.9 | 99.4 | 82.9 | 98.9 | 95.0 | 100.4 | 102.5 |
| Petrol Service Stations | 508 | 107.6 | 91.6 | 100.0 | 115.1 | 99.9 | 100.4 | 100.6 | 99.0 | 109.5 | 115.7 | 118.4 | 116.6 | 123.7 |
| Medical Goods \& Toiletries | 415 | 85.0 | 90.1 | 100.0 | 109.9 | 96.7 | 98.1 | 99.5 | 105.7 | 108.4 | 106.0 | 108.5 | 116.9 | 123.1 |
| Wearing Apparel \& Footwear | 746 | 94.1 | 91.1 | 100.0 | 106.1 | 101.4 | 90.4 | 92.6 | 115.5 | 106.6 | 99.2 | 99.6 | 118.8 | 110.6 |
| Furniture \& Household Equipment | 817 | 97.7 | 91.1 | 100.0 | 103.1 | 93.9 | 97.2 | 100.7 | 108.3 | 99.3 | 100.0 | 101.9 | 111.1 | 103.1 |
| Recreational Goods | 184 | 97.8 | 97.6 | 100.0 | 103.2 | 96.3 | 99.9 | 96.0 | 107.8 | 97.9 | 104.8 | 99.3 | 110.7 | 102.0 |
| Watches \& Jewellery | 770 | 92.9 | 86.3 | 100.0 | 119.1 | 93.4 | 94.3 | 96.5 | 115.8 | 110.4 | 121.4 | 116.3 | 128.3 | 119.6 |
| Telecommunications \& Computers | 556 | 94.0 | 94.7 | 100.0 | 113.0 | 100.7 | 87.7 | 100.9 | 110.6 | 102.9 | 101.9 | 106.3 | 141.0 | 113.3 |
| Optical Goods \& Books | 367 | 98.9 | 95.9 | 100.0 | 98.0 | 98.3 | 98.2 | 94.5 | 109.0 | 100.7 | 95.9 | 90.3 | 105.2 | 98.2 |
| Others | 518 | 105.9 | 96.2 | 100.0 | 107.5 | 97.0 | 95.7 | 100.3 | 107.0 | 105.8 | 103.9 | 107.7 | 112.4 | 109.9 |
|  |  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL AT CURRENT PRICES | 10,000 | 3.0 | -7.8 | -1.0 | 4.6 | -0.6 | -4.9 | -0.4 | 1.7 | -2.0 | 9.8 | 4.8 | 6.1 | 9.7 |
| Total (excluding Motor Vehicles) | 7,535 | 6.0 | -2.4 | 6.9 | 8.0 | 8.3 | 5.9 | 5.1 | 8.2 | 7.2 | 9.7 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 6.0 |
| Department Stores | 1,525 | 9.5 | 2.4 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 7.2 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 6.6 | 6.4 | 4.2 |
| Supermarkets | 453 | 11.0 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.1 | -0.7 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 3.0 | 6.3 |
| Provision \& Sundry Shops | 475 | 6.5 | 2.5 | -0.7 | 6.5 | -0.6 | -4.2 | -1.4 | 3.3 | 6.3 | 8.2 | 7.3 | 4.2 | 4.7 |
| Food \& Beverages | 201 | -0.8 | -1.0 | 0.4 | 7.4 | -3.9 | -2.0 | 2.8 | 5.3 | 7.4 | 9.9 | 4.3 | 8.2 | 7.5 |
| Motor Vehicles | 2,465 | -3.6 | -21.1 | -25.1 | -5.7 | -26.5 | -34.5 | -18.7 | -18.9 | -26.6 | 10.1 | -3.0 | 1.1 | 23.7 |
| Petrol Service Stations | 508 | 20.5 | -14.9 | 9.2 | 15.1 | 16.6 | 11.5 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 9.6 | 15.3 | 17.6 | 17.8 | 13.0 |
| Medical Goods \& Toiletries | 415 | 9.5 | 6.0 | 11.0 | 9.9 | 8.6 | 9.3 | 11.7 | 14.3 | 12.1 | 8.1 | 9.1 | 10.5 | 13.5 |
| Wearing Apparel \& Footwear | 746 | 2.3 | -3.1 | 9.7 | 6.1 | 13.7 | 6.9 | 2.6 | 15.0 | 5.1 | 9.7 | 7.6 | 2.8 | 3.8 |
| Furniture \& Household Equipment | 817 | 0.9 | -6.7 | 9.7 | 3.1 | 12.5 | 8.9 | 6.3 | 11.6 | 5.7 | 2.9 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 3.8 |
| Recreational Goods | 184 | -3.8 | -0.2 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 6.0 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.2 | 1.7 | 4.9 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 4.2 |
| Watches \& Jewellery | 770 | -1.8 | -7.1 | 15.8 | 19.1 | 19.4 | 20.5 | 12.7 | 12.2 | 18.2 | 28.8 | 20.5 | 10.8 | 8.3 |
| Telecommunications \& Computers | 556 | 6.3 | 0.8 | 5.6 | 13.0 | 11.5 | -0.6 | 8.3 | 3.4 | 2.2 | 16.1 | 5.4 | 27.4 | 10.0 |
| Optical Goods \& Books | 367 | 2.1 | -3.0 | 4.2 | -2.0 | 2.9 | 7.2 | 1.8 | 5.1 | 2.5 | -2.4 | -4.5 | -3.5 | -2.5 |
| Others | 518 | 5.8 | -9.2 | 3.9 | 7.5 | 4.6 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 6.2 | 9.0 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 5.1 | 3.9 |

${ }^{1}$ The weights are used in the computation of the indices from 2010 onwards.
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

RETAIL SALES INDEX - Cont'd [TABLE A10.1]

|  | Weights ${ }^{1}$ | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  |  | 2010=100 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL AT CONSTANT PRICES | 10,000 | 113.1 | 102.6 | 100.0 | 102.1 | 103.4 | 94.1 | 98.1 | 104.4 | 98.3 | 101.2 | 100.1 | 109.0 | 106.1 |
| Total (excluding Motor Vehicles) | 7,535 | 97.4 | 94.7 | 100.0 | 105.6 | 99.1 | 95.7 | 98.2 | 107.0 | 104.1 | 102.6 | 102.6 | 113.1 | 108.1 |
| Department Stores | 1,525 | 93.4 | 93.9 | 100.0 | 105.8 | 99.1 | 97.4 | 96.7 | 106.8 | 104.9 | 103.4 | 102.0 | 112.8 | 107.7 |
| Supermarkets | 453 | 99.3 | 100.4 | 100.0 | 97.9 | 104.2 | 97.2 | 99.7 | 98.9 | 100.2 | 94.6 | 98.2 | 98.9 | 103.8 |
| Provision \& Sundry Shops | 475 | 101.6 | 101.9 | 100.0 | 103.8 | 100.4 | 96.2 | 100.9 | 102.5 | 104.2 | 101.8 | 105.4 | 103.9 | 106.3 |
| Food \& Beverages | 201 | 104.7 | 101.5 | 100.0 | 103.8 | 110.2 | 90.9 | 98.0 | 100.9 | 114.0 | 96.5 | 99.2 | 105.4 | 118.9 |
| Motor Vehicles | 2,465 | 174.6 | 133.1 | 100.0 | 91.6 | 116.6 | 89.1 | 97.7 | 96.6 | 80.7 | 96.8 | 92.2 | 96.6 | 100.0 |
| Petrol Service Stations | 508 | 101.3 | 99.2 | 100.0 | 103.1 | 100.4 | 99.9 | 101.8 | 97.9 | 100.0 | 103.1 | 106.5 | 102.8 | 105.2 |
| Medical Goods \& Toiletries | 415 | 87.5 | 91.1 | 100.0 | 108.0 | 97.3 | 98.5 | 99.6 | 104.6 | 107.1 | 104.7 | 106.0 | 114.3 | 120.0 |
| Wearing Apparel \& Footwear | 746 | 95.1 | 91.2 | 100.0 | 106.0 | 102.5 | 91.2 | 91.9 | 114.4 | 107.1 | 99.5 | 99.2 | 118.3 | 109.7 |
| Furniture \& Household Equipment | 817 | 97.6 | 90.6 | 100.0 | 104.1 | 93.2 | 97.0 | 101.0 | 108.8 | 100.1 | 100.4 | 103.3 | 112.7 | 105.5 |
| Recreational Goods | 184 | 97.1 | 96.6 | 100.0 | 104.9 | 96.5 | 99.9 | 95.7 | 107.9 | 98.9 | 106.2 | 101.4 | 113.1 | 103.9 |
| Watches \& Jewellery | 770 | 111.3 | 94.6 | 100.0 | 108.2 | 97.5 | 94.6 | 96.6 | 111.3 | 106.5 | 112.8 | 101.8 | 111.9 | 104.3 |
| Telecommunications \& Computers | 556 | 86.6 | 90.0 | 100.0 | 118.3 | 98.7 | 87.4 | 102.7 | 111.2 | 105.1 | 105.3 | 112.2 | 150.4 | 121.6 |
| Optical Goods \& Books | 367 | 102.1 | 96.3 | 100.0 | 96.8 | 98.8 | 98.0 | 94.4 | 108.8 | 100.2 | 94.7 | 89.2 | 103.1 | 96.8 |
| Others | 518 | 107.7 | 97.6 | 100.0 | 105.4 | 97.8 | 96.1 | 100.0 | 106.1 | 104.9 | 102.2 | 105.2 | 109.2 | 106.2 |
|  |  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL AT CONSTANT PRICES | 10,000 | -1.7 | -9.3 | -2.5 | 2.1 | -0.9 | -6.7 | -1.6 | -1.0 | -4.9 | 7.5 | 2.0 | 4.4 | 7.9 |
| Total (excluding Motor Vehicles) | 7,535 | 1.4 | -2.7 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 7.1 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 6.4 | 5.0 | 7.2 | 4.5 | 5.7 | 3.8 |
| Department Stores | 1,525 | 5.0 | 0.5 | 6.5 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 5.5 | 5.6 | 2.7 |
| Supermarkets | 453 | 2.9 | 1.2 | -0.4 | -2.1 | 1.3 | -0.5 | -1.1 | -1.5 | -3.9 | -2.7 | -1.6 | 0.0 | 3.7 |
| Provision \& Sundry Shops | 475 | -2.7 | 0.4 | -1.9 | 3.8 | -0.8 | -5.1 | -2.9 | 1.2 | 3.8 | 5.8 | 4.4 | 1.4 | 2.1 |
| Food \& Beverages | 201 | -6.8 | -3.1 | -1.4 | 3.8 | -4.1 | -3.6 | 0.0 | 2.3 | 3.4 | 6.1 | 1.2 | 4.5 | 4.3 |
| Motor Vehicles | 2,465 | -7.8 | -23.8 | -24.9 | -8.4 | -22.7 | -34.5 | -19.2 | -22.7 | -30.8 | 8.7 | -5.6 | 0.0 | 23.9 |
| Petrol Service Stations | 508 | 3.2 | -2.1 | 0.8 | 3.1 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 2.4 | -0.2 | -0.4 | 3.2 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 5.2 |
| Medical Goods \& Toiletries | 415 | 5.8 | 4.1 | 9.8 | 8.0 | 7.5 | 8.2 | 10.9 | 12.5 | 10.0 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 9.3 | 12.0 |
| Wearing Apparel \& Footwear | 746 | 0.8 | -4.1 | 9.6 | 6.0 | 14.2 | 6.4 | 2.7 | 14.5 | 4.5 | 9.1 | 8.0 | 3.4 | 2.4 |
| Furniture \& Household Equipment | 817 | 0.0 | -7.2 | 10.4 | 4.1 | 12.5 | 9.4 | 7.1 | 12.8 | 7.4 | 3.5 | 2.3 | 3.6 | 5.3 |
| Recreational Goods | 184 | -3.6 | -0.4 | 3.5 | 4.9 | 7.4 | 3.5 | 2.5 | 1.1 | 2.5 | 6.4 | 6.0 | 4.9 | 5.1 |
| Watches \& Jewellery | 770 | -9.9 | -15.0 | 5.7 | 8.2 | 11.1 | 8.1 | 1.5 | 3.2 | 9.2 | 19.2 | 5.4 | 0.6 | -2.1 |
| Telecommunications \& Computers | 556 | 14.1 | 3.9 | 11.1 | 18.3 | 15.7 | 4.5 | 16.1 | 8.3 | 6.5 | 20.5 | 9.2 | 35.3 | 15.7 |
| Optical Goods \& Books | 367 | -0.4 | -5.6 | 3.8 | -3.2 | 2.9 | 6.5 | 1.2 | 4.6 | 1.4 | -3.4 | -5.5 | -5.2 | -3.4 |
| Others | 518 | -0.9 | -9.4 | 2.5 | 5.4 | 3.7 | 1.7 | 0.3 | 4.1 | 7.2 | 6.3 | 5.2 | 2.9 | 1.2 |

VISITOR ARRIVALS BY INBOUND TOURISM MARKETS [TABLE A11.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \mathrm{I} \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  | Thousand |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | 10,116.1 | 9,682.7 | 11,641.7 | 13,171.3 | 2,694.8 | 2,836.7 | 3,039.5 | 3,070.7 | 3,118.1 | 3,237.5 | 3,486.1 | 3,329.6 | 3,573.6 |
| ASEAN | 3,571.4 | 3,684.8 | 4,821.8 | 5,414.3 | 992.4 | 1,227.7 | 1,265.8 | 1,335.9 | 1,209.4 | 1,394.3 | 1,397.8 | 1,412.7 | 1,340.1 |
| Japan | 571.0 | 490.0 | 529.0 | 656.4 | 130.3 | 108.5 | 146.3 | 143.9 | 167.0 | 118.0 | 189.9 | 181.6 | 192.9 |
| Hong Kong SAR | 278.1 | 294.4 | 387.6 | 464.4 | 70.6 | 99.8 | 121.9 | 95.3 | 100.2 | 128.3 | 137.1 | 98.8 | 104.5 |
| India | 778.3 | 725.6 | 829.0 | 869.0 | 157.4 | 272.7 | 176.9 | 222.0 | 171.4 | 279.2 | 190.4 | 228.0 | 184.6 |
| China, People's Republic of | 1,078.7 | 936.7 | 1,171.5 | 1,577.5 | 330.0 | 232.4 | 322.8 | 286.2 | 411.7 | 346.1 | 472.0 | 347.8 | 541.8 |
| Taiwan | 175.9 | 156.8 | 191.2 | 238.5 | 48.5 | 45.2 | 58.4 | 39.2 | 52.6 | 58.0 | 79.1 | 48.8 | 76.1 |
| South Korea | 423.0 | 272.0 | 360.7 | 414.9 | 99.1 | 87.0 | 92.5 | 82.1 | 107.5 | 96.0 | 115.1 | 96.3 | 125.4 |
| Australia | 833.2 | 830.3 | 880.6 | 956.0 | 208.6 | 208.2 | 235.8 | 228.0 | 222.0 | 242.0 | 252.7 | 239.2 | 229.7 |
| United Kingdom | 492.9 | 469.8 | 461.8 | 442.6 | 146.5 | 96.4 | 98.5 | 120.4 | 132.8 | 97.7 | 99.6 | 112.5 | 139.3 |
| United States | 396.6 | 370.7 | 417.2 | 440.6 | 103.8 | 104.7 | 103.4 | 105.4 | 115.4 | 107.9 | 107.2 | 110.0 | 126.5 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL | -1.6 | -4.3 | 20.2 | 13.1 | 19.6 | 25.8 | 20.3 | 16.0 | 15.7 | 14.1 | 14.7 | 8.4 | 14.6 |
| ASEAN | -4.1 | 3.2 | 30.9 | 12.3 | 30.8 | 36.5 | 32.4 | 24.8 | 21.9 | 13.6 | 10.4 | 5.8 | 10.8 |
| Japan | -3.9 | -14.2 | 8.0 | 24.1 | 1.8 | 21.2 | -2.4 | 17.3 | 28.2 | 8.7 | 29.8 | 26.2 | 15.5 |
| Hong Kong SAR | -7.9 | 5.9 | 31.6 | 19.8 | 9.6 | 39.0 | 33.8 | 42.1 | 42.0 | 28.5 | 12.5 | 3.6 | 4.3 |
| India | 4.0 | -6.8 | 14.2 | 4.8 | 15.9 | 21.2 | -0.5 | 18.6 | 8.9 | 2.4 | 7.7 | 2.7 | 7.7 |
| China, People's Republic of | -3.2 | -13.2 | 25.1 | 34.7 | 19.4 | 29.0 | 47.8 | 9.4 | 24.8 | 48.9 | 46.2 | 21.5 | 31.6 |
| Taiwan | -15.5 | -10.9 | 22.0 | 24.7 | 17.4 | 28.8 | 28.9 | 11.5 | 8.5 | 28.5 | 35.5 | 24.6 | 44.7 |
| South Korea | -8.9 | -35.7 | 32.6 | 15.0 | 34.6 | 35.5 | 17.9 | 47.3 | 8.4 | 10.3 | 24.4 | 17.4 | 16.6 |
| Australia | 8.4 | -0.3 | 6.1 | 8.6 | 12.2 | 9.6 | 7.2 | -2.7 | 6.4 | 16.3 | 7.2 | 5.0 | 3.4 |
| United Kingdom | -0.6 | -4.7 | -1.7 | -4.1 | 3.5 | -1.2 | -7.6 | -2.9 | -9.4 | 1.4 | 1.1 | -6.6 | 4.9 |
| United States | -3.0 | -6.5 | 12.5 | 5.6 | 18.5 | 19.3 | 8.8 | 5.0 | 11.2 | 3.1 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 9.6 |

Notes: 1 Figures exclude Malaysian arrivals by land.
2 The term "ASEAN" stands for "Association of South East Asian Nations" and refers to the ten-country
political association comprising Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Philippines, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar,
Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam. However, when used in the statistical tables, the term excludes Singapore.

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS [TABLE A12.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
| Total Sea Cargo Handled (Million Tonnes) | 515.4 | 472.3 | 503.3 | 531.2 | 124.2 | 126.8 | 124.7 | 127.6 | 127.3 | 140.2 | 133.9 | 129.7 | 134.4 |
| General \& Bulk Cargo | 348.1 | 295.0 | 326.3 | 347.3 | 79.4 | 83.2 | 81.6 | 82.1 | 83.3 | 88.0 | 87.8 | 88.3 | 90.5 |
| Oil-in-Bulk | 167.3 | 177.3 | 177.1 | 183.8 | 44.8 | 43.6 | 43.2 | 45.5 | 44.0 | 52.3 | 46.1 | 41.4 | 44.0 |
| Total Container Throughput ('000 TEUs) | 29,918.2 | 25,866.6 | 28,431.1 | 29,937.7 | 6,925.1 | 7,138.3 | 7,181.1 | 7,186.6 | 7,067.2 | 7,515.2 | 7,675.5 | 7,679.8 | 7,536.9 |
| Sea Passenger Handled ('000) | 6,949.7 | 6,633.3 | 6,259.0 | 6,397.8 | 1,557.6 | 1,519.8 | 1,479.6 | 1,702.1 | 1,552.7 | 1,618.6 | 1,529.4 | 1,697.1 | 1,606.7 |
| Vessel Arrivals ${ }^{1}$ (Million Gross Tons) | 1,621.1 | 1,784.7 | 1,919.4 | 2,120.3 | 458.2 | 474.7 | 487.3 | 499.3 | 519.1 | 517.8 | 530.6 | 552.8 | 552.8 |
| Total Air Cargo Handled ('000 Tonnes) | 1,861.4 | 1,636.6 | 1,816.2 | 1,868.2 | 429.8 | 450.5 | 464.1 | 471.7 | 441.7 | 466.9 | 468.7 | 491.0 | 444.9 |
| Discharged | 954.2 | 848.2 | 942.8 | 985.0 | 223.5 | 234.5 | 241.7 | 243.2 | 230.7 | 246.0 | 248.7 | 259.7 | 236.3 |
| Loaded | 907.2 | 788.3 | 873.4 | 883.2 | 206.3 | 216.0 | 222.4 | 228.6 | 211.0 | 221.0 | 219.9 | 231.3 | 208.6 |
| Air Passenger Handled ('000) | 36,332.3 | 36,125.4 | 40,966.1 | 45,443.6 | 9,674.9 | 10,044.3 | 10,238.2 | 11,008.6 | 10,633.1 | 11,251.9 | 11,529.4 | 12,029.2 | 12,018.9 |
| Aircraft Landings (Number) | 120,793 | 123,739 | 135,474 | 154,536 | 32,427 | 33,625 | 34,349 | 35,073 | 35,900 | 37,967 | 39,533 | 41,136 | 41,078 |
| Postal Articles Handled (Mil) | 1,910.8 | 1,929.3 | 2,009.1 | 2,085.5 | 482.1 | 493.4 | 481.1 | 552.4 | 522.6 | 532.7 | 502.3 | 527.9 | 502.1 |
| Fixed Line Subscriptions ${ }^{2}$ ('000) | 1,872.0 | 1,896.1 | 1,983.9 | 2,016.9 | 1,930.9 | 1,944.0 | 1,966.2 | 1,983.9 | 1,996.1 | 2,007.7 | 2,017.4 | 2,016.9 | 2,018.1 |
| Mobile Subscriptions ${ }^{2}$ ('000) | 6,340.2 | 6,857.2 | 7,288.6 | 7,755.2 | 6,884.8 | 7,017.2 | 7,178.4 | 7,288.6 | 7,384.6 | 7,537.0 | 7,667.5 | 7,755.2 | 7,794.3 |
| Broadband Internet Subscriptions ${ }^{3}$ ('000) | 4,715.9 | 5,819.0 | 7,849.3 | 9,222.3 | 6,224.2 | 6,791.0 | 7,358.4 | 7,849.3 | 8,197.0 | 8,532.6 | 8,960.0 | 9,222.3 | 9,438.9 |
| Total International Telephone Call Minutes (Mil) | 8,456.7 | 10,169.0 | 12,436.3 | 12,286.8 | 2,905.5 | 3,075.2 | 3,249.7 | 3,205.9 | 3,080.3 | 3,009.8 | 3,070.0 | 3,126.7 | 3,303.5 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Sea Cargo Handled | 6.6 | -8.4 | 6.6 | 5.5 | 9.6 | 7.3 | 5.6 | 4.0 | 2.5 | 10.6 | 7.4 | 1.6 | 5.6 |
| General \& Bulk Cargo | 6.7 | -15.3 | 10.6 | 6.5 | 19.8 | 13.3 | 6.3 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 5.7 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 8.6 |
| Oil-in-Bulk | 6.3 | 6.0 | -0.1 | 3.8 | -4.8 | -2.7 | 4.3 | 3.2 | -1.7 | 19.9 | 6.9 | -9.0 | -0.1 |
| Total Container Throughput | 7.1 | -13.5 | 9.9 | 5.3 | 15.1 | 13.7 | 8.1 | 3.8 | 2.1 | 5.3 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.6 |
| Sea Passenger Handled | -2.5 | -4.6 | -5.6 | 2.2 | -2.3 | -7.6 | -8.4 | -4.4 | -0.3 | 6.5 | 3.4 | -0.3 | 3.5 |
| Vessel Arrivals ${ }^{1}$ | 11.1 | 10.1 | 7.5 | 10.5 | 8.2 | 5.8 | 6.4 | 9.8 | 13.3 | 9.1 | 8.9 | 10.7 | 6.5 |
| Total Air Cargo Handled | -2.0 | -12.1 | 11.0 | 2.9 | 18.7 | 14.7 | 9.5 | 3.1 | 2.8 | 3.6 | 1.0 | 4.1 | 0.7 |
| Discharged | -1.3 | -11.1 | 11.2 | 4.5 | 17.4 | 13.7 | 10.2 | 4.7 | 3.2 | 4.9 | 2.9 | 6.8 | 2.5 |
| Loaded | -2.8 | -13.1 | 10.8 | 1.1 | 20.1 | 15.7 | 8.7 | 1.4 | 2.3 | 2.3 | -1.1 | 1.2 | -1.1 |
| Air Passenger Handled | 3.0 | -0.6 | 13.4 | 10.9 | 17.1 | 18.1 | 12.4 | 7.4 | 9.9 | 12.0 | 12.6 | 9.3 | 13.0 |
| Aircraft Landings | 4.9 | 2.4 | 9.5 | 14.1 | 9.8 | 11.7 | 9.4 | 7.3 | 10.7 | 12.9 | 15.1 | 17.3 | 14.4 |
| Postal Articles Handled | 2.6 | 1.0 | 4.1 | 3.8 | -1.3 | 7.7 | -1.0 | 11.3 | 8.4 | 8.0 | 4.4 | -4.4 | -3.9 |
| Fixed Line Subscriptions ${ }^{2}$ | 0.7 | 1.3 | 4.6 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 4.2 | 4.6 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 1.1 |
| Mobile Subscriptions ${ }^{2}$ | 12.8 | 8.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 7.0 | 6.3 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 5.5 |
| Broadband Internet Subscriptions ${ }^{2}$ | 45.1 | 23.4 | 34.9 | 17.5 | 25.5 | 32.5 | 34.7 | 34.9 | 31.7 | 25.6 | 21.8 | 17.5 | 15.2 |
| Total International Telephone Call Minutes | 34.2 | 20.2 | 22.3 | -1.2 | 25.9 | 29.0 | 24.1 | 12.2 | 6.0 | -2.1 | -5.5 | -2.5 | 7.2 |

${ }^{1}$ Include all sea-going vessels \& regional ferries above 75 GT .
${ }^{2}$ At end of period.
Source: Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore
Singapore Cruise Centre Pte Ltd
Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore
Singapore Post Ltd
Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore

MONEY SUPPLY (At End Of Period) [TABLE A13.1]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$I |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Money Supply (M2) | 333,411.1 | 371,207.9 | 403,078.2 | 443,352.8 | 380,019.0 | 382,499.8 | 390,847.5 | 403,078.2 | 413,255.5 | 423,516.7 | 434,818.4 | 443,352.8 | 453,500.7 |
| Money Supply (M1) | 75,703.8 | 93,472.1 | 112,465.5 | 129,118.9 | 96,995.1 | 102,457.8 | 106,789.2 | 112,465.5 | 116,934.8 | 122,298.5 | 128,118.8 | 129,118.9 | 128,887.6 |
| Currency in Active Circulation | 18,997.4 | 20,216.5 | 22,299.5 | 24,690.3 | 21,162.4 | 21,350.1 | 21,680.7 | 22,299.5 | 22,956.0 | 23,166.6 | 23,664.6 | 24,690.3 | 25,340.0 |
| Demand Deposits of Private Sector | 56,706.4 | 73,255.6 | 90,166.0 | 104,428.6 | 75,832.7 | 81,107.7 | 85,108.5 | 90,166.0 | 93,978.8 | 99,131.9 | 104,454.2 | 104,428.6 | 103,547.6 |
| Quasi-Money | 257,707.3 | 277,735.8 | 290,612.7 | 314,233.9 | 283,023.9 | 280,042.0 | 284,058.3 | 290,612.7 | 296,320.7 | 301,218.2 | 306,699.6 | 314,233.9 | 324,613.1 |
| Fixed Deposits | 155,121.9 | 156,731.1 | 154,420.9 | 160,704.5 | 156,988.5 | 152,552.5 | 152,672.2 | 154,420.9 | 156,444.1 | 157,382.9 | 159,422.3 | 160,704.5 | 166,995.0 |
| Singapore Dollar Negotiable Certificates of Deposit Held | 18.0 | 0.0 | 20.0 | 165.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 85.0 | 165.0 | 165.0 | 170.0 |
| Savings \& Other Deposits | 102,567.4 | 121,004.7 | 136,171.8 | 153,364.4 | 126,035.4 | 127,489.5 | 131,366.1 | 136,171.8 | 139,856.6 | 143,750.3 | 147,112.3 | 153,364.4 | 157,448.1 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Money Supply (M2) | 12.0 | 11.3 | 8.6 | 10.0 | 8.8 | 7.3 | 8.1 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 10.7 | 11.3 | 10.0 | 9.7 |
| Money Supply (M1) | 18.4 | 23.5 | 20.3 | 14.8 | 13.9 | 18.1 | 17.1 | 20.3 | 20.6 | 19.4 | 20.0 | 14.8 | 10.2 |
| Currency in Active Circulation | 14.0 | 6.4 | 10.3 | 10.7 | 8.6 | 9.8 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 9.2 | 10.7 | 10.4 |
| Demand Deposits of Private Sector | 20.0 | 29.2 | 23.1 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 20.5 | 19.0 | 23.1 | 23.9 | 22.2 | 22.7 | 15.8 | 10.2 |
| Quasi-Money | 10.3 | 7.8 | 4.6 | 8.1 | 7.2 | 3.9 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 7.6 | 8.0 | 8.1 | 9.5 |
| Fixed Deposits | 2.2 | 1.0 | -1.5 | 4.1 | 2.8 | -1.2 | 0.4 | -1.5 | -0.3 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 4.1 | 6.7 |
| Singapore Dollar Negotiable Certificates of Deposit Held | -72.6 | na | na | 725.0 | na | na | na | na | na | na | 725.0 | 725.0 | 750.0 |
| Savings \& Other Deposits | 25.4 | 18.0 | 12.5 | 12.6 | 13.1 | 10.7 | 11.2 | 12.5 | 11.0 | 12.8 | 12.0 | 12.6 | 12.6 |

MONETARY SURVEY (At End Of Period) [TABLE A13.2]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Money Supply (M2) | 333,411.1 | 371,207.9 | 403,078.2 | 443,352.8 | 380,019.0 | 382,499.8 | 390,847.5 | 403,078.2 | 413,255.5 | 423,516.7 | 434,818.4 | 443,352.8 | 453,500.7 |
| Money Supply (M1) | 75,703.8 | 93,472.1 | 112,465.5 | 129,118.9 | 96,995.1 | 102,457.8 | 106,789.2 | 112,465.5 | 116,934.8 | 122,298.5 | 128,118.8 | 129,118.9 | 128,887.6 |
| Quasi-Money | 257,707.3 | 277,735.8 | 290,612.7 | 314,233.9 | 283,023.9 | 280,042.0 | 284,058.3 | 290,612.7 | 296,320.7 | 301,218.2 | 306,699.6 | 314,233.9 | 324,613.1 |
| Domestic Credit | 341,647.4 | 362,231.1 | 402,505.3 | 466,132.1 | 372,684.2 | 379,441.9 | 389,428.5 | 402,505.3 | 414,281.9 | 441,286.3 | 454,700.7 | 466,132.1 | 482,001.6 |
| Public Sector | 73,556.2 | 88,700.4 | 92,334.1 | 98,227.2 | 93,640.5 | 92,303.2 | 90,037.7 | 92,334.1 | 92,316.6 | 100,193.1 | 98,692.1 | 98,227.2 | 100,365.7 |
| Private Sector | 268,091.2 | 273,530.7 | 310,171.2 | 367,904.9 | 279,043.7 | 287,138.7 | 299,390.8 | 310,171.2 | 321,965.3 | 341,093.2 | 356,008.6 | 367,904.9 | 381,635.9 |
| Government Deposits | 134,810.0 | 120,401.9 | 142,188.2 | 160,243.4 | 124,119.9 | 132,634.2 | 134,124.4 | 142,188.2 | 137,541.2 | 148,748.3 | 152,538.3 | 160,243.4 | 164,114.2 |
| Net Foreign Position | 263,758.9 | 295,212.9 | 305,011.4 | 296,655.0 | 293,770.0 | 292,937.7 | 303,815.4 | 305,011.4 | 308,483.3 | 309,106.3 | 289,417.2 | 296,655.0 | 300,860.6 |
| Monetary Authorities | 249,585.9 | 261,294.6 | 286,606.3 | 305,121.0 | 273,259.7 | 277,324.1 | 279,678.1 | 286,606.3 | 291,995.3 | 294,227.9 | 301,947.7 | 305,121.0 | 303,118.4 |
| Banks | 14,173.0 | 33,918.3 | 18,405.1 | -8,466.0 | 20,510.3 | 15,613.6 | 24,137.3 | 18,405.1 | 16,488.0 | 14,878.4 | -12,530.5 | -8,466.0 | -2,257.8 |
| Other Items | -137,185.2 | -165,834.2 | -162,250.3 | -159,190.9 | -162,315.3 | -157,245.6 | -168,272.0 | -162,250.3 | -171,968.5 | -178,127.6 | -156,761.2 | -159,190.9 | -165,247.3 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Money Supply (M2) | 12.0 | 11.3 | 8.6 | 10.0 | 8.8 | 7.3 | 8.1 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 10.7 | 11.3 | 10.0 | 9.7 |
| Money Supply (M1) | 18.4 | 23.5 | 20.3 | 14.8 | 13.9 | 18.1 | 17.1 | 20.3 | 20.6 | 19.4 | 20.0 | 14.8 | 10.2 |
| Quasi-Money | 10.3 | 7.8 | 4.6 | 8.1 | 7.2 | 3.9 | 5.1 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 7.6 | 8.0 | 8.1 | 9.5 |
| Domestic Credit | 14.2 | 6.0 | 11.1 | 15.8 | 7.5 | 7.4 | 8.2 | 11.1 | 11.2 | 16.3 | 16.8 | 15.8 | 16.3 |
| Public Sector | 10.7 | 20.6 | 4.1 | 6.4 | 16.5 | 7.1 | 0.3 | 4.1 | -1.4 | 8.5 | 9.6 | 6.4 | 8.7 |
| Private Sector | 15.2 | 2.0 | 13.4 | 18.6 | 4.7 | 7.5 | 10.9 | 13.4 | 15.4 | 18.8 | 18.9 | 18.6 | 18.5 |
| Government Deposits | 19.2 | -10.7 | 18.1 | 12.7 | 2.3 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 18.1 | 10.8 | 12.1 | 13.7 | 12.7 | 19.3 |

ASSETS OF BANKS (At End Of Period) [TABLE A13.3]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 668,298.4 | 706,814.2 | 781,607.4 | 859,253.9 | 735,467.9 | 732,939.3 | 764,279.9 | 781,607.4 | 796,128.2 | 836,632.6 | 855,000.5 | 859,253.9 | 869,703.1 |
| Cash | 1,739.8 | 2,026.8 | 2,219.9 | 2,796.4 | 1,632.0 | 1,838.0 | 1,692.5 | 2,219.9 | 1,913.1 | 2,054.2 | 2,345.2 | 2,796.4 | 2,421.7 |
| Amounts Due from Banks \& Asian Currency Units | 217,089.8 | 227,923.9 | 232,272.3 | 216,223.0 | 242,789.3 | 228,064.5 | 230,015.5 | 232,272.3 | 224,738.7 | 218,100.5 | 221,196.4 | 216,223.0 | 211,633.4 |
| Balances with MAS | 13,466.0 | 13,999.9 | 15,878.7 | 17,815.3 | 13,429.1 | 13,713.3 | 14,453.9 | 15,878.7 | 16,893.0 | 18,287.0 | 17,770.2 | 17,815.3 | 17,515.7 |
| Securities \& Equities | 98,715.1 | 122,968.0 | 130,081.3 | 138,211.0 | 128,333.5 | 128,378.0 | 130,351.1 | 130,081.3 | 128,385.1 | 136,003.2 | 139,542.6 | 138,211.0 | 145,195.5 |
| Loans \& Advances Including Bills Financing | 272,175.4 | 281,296.8 | 322,743.8 | 420,455.5 | 286,295.5 | 296,629.5 | 309,370.7 | 322,743.8 | 343,394.7 | 374,320.3 | 405,436.5 | 420,455.5 | 432,608.2 |
| Loans \& Advances | 262,685.7 | 269,988.3 | 302,693.4 | 375,873.4 | 272,756.6 | 279,287.6 | 292,260.3 | 302,693.4 | 319,159.6 | 344,357.7 | 362,395.0 | 375,873.4 | 390,143.6 |
| Bills Discounted or Purchased ${ }^{1}$ | 9,489.7 | 11,308.5 | 20,050.4 | 44,582.2 | 13,538.9 | 17,341.9 | 17,110.5 | 20,050.4 | 24,235.2 | 29,962.5 | 43,041.4 | 44,582.2 | 42,464.6 |
| Other Assets | 65,112.3 | 58,598.7 | 78,411.4 | 63,752.7 | 62,988.5 | 64,316.1 | 78,396.2 | 78,411.4 | 80,803.7 | 87,867.4 | 68,709.6 | 63,752.7 | 60,328.5 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 14.7 | 5.8 | 10.6 | 9.9 | 8.5 | 6.8 | 10.4 | 10.6 | 8.2 | 14.1 | 11.9 | 9.9 | 9.2 |
| Cash | -1.9 | 16.5 | 9.5 | 26.0 | 3.7 | 10.5 | 5.4 | 9.5 | 17.2 | 11.8 | 38.6 | 26.0 | 26.6 |
| Amounts Due from Banks \& Asian Currency Units | 11.4 | 5.0 | 1.9 | -6.9 | 5.0 | 0.2 | 6.7 | 1.9 | -7.4 | -4.4 | -3.8 | -6.9 | -5.8 |
| Balances with MAS | 41.3 | 4.0 | 13.4 | 12.2 | 0.5 | -1.2 | 2.6 | 13.4 | 25.8 | 33.4 | 22.9 | 12.2 | 3.7 |
| Securities \& Equities | 7.4 | 24.6 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 21.2 | 13.4 | 4.9 | 5.8 | 0.0 | 5.9 | 7.1 | 6.2 | 13.1 |
| Loans \& Advances Including Bills Financing | 16.6 | 3.4 | 14.7 | 30.3 | 5.8 | 9.0 | 12.1 | 14.7 | 19.9 | 26.2 | 31.1 | 30.3 | 26.0 |
| Loans \& Advances | 17.1 | 2.8 | 12.1 | 24.2 | 4.3 | 6.1 | 9.5 | 12.1 | 17.0 | 23.3 | 24.0 | 24.2 | 22.2 |
| Bills Discounted or Purchased ${ }^{1}$ | 5.0 | 19.2 | 77.3 | 122.4 | 48.6 | 93.2 | 91.9 | 77.3 | 79.0 | 72.8 | 151.5 | 122.4 | 75.2 |
| Other Assets | 26.7 | -10.0 | 33.8 | -18.7 | 13.9 | 11.4 | 29.1 | 33.8 | 28.3 | 36.6 | -12.4 | -18.7 | -25.3 |

[^11]Source: Monetary Authority of Singapore

LIABILITIES OF BANKS (At End Of Period) [TABLE A13.4]

|  |  |  |  |  |  | 201 | 10 |  |  | 201 | 11 |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 668,298.4 | 706,814.2 | 781,607.4 | 859,253.9 | 735,467.9 | 732,939.3 | 764,279.9 | 781,607.4 | 796,128.2 | 836,632.6 | 855,000.5 | 859,253.9 | 869,703.1 |
| Capital \& Reserves | 51,315.7 | 54,967.6 | 62,441.7 | 64,944.9 | 58,566.8 | 59,726.6 | 60,009.1 | 62,441.7 | 66,450.7 | 64,873.6 | 65,416.8 | 64,944.9 | 65,513.8 |
| Deposits of Non-Bank Customers ${ }^{1}$ | 347,507.4 | 391,495.1 | 433,757.8 | 483,323.4 | 401,460.2 | 404,712.5 | 418,241.3 | 433,757.8 | 444,814.6 | 455,422.7 | 473,387.7 | 483,323.4 | 492,672.6 |
| Demand Deposits | 62,100.4 | 81,047.0 | 100,394.2 | 118,369.5 | 83,177.5 | 89,743.9 | 95,709.7 | 100,394.2 | 105,584.4 | 110,869.2 | 118,961.2 | 118,369.5 | 118,895.2 |
| Fixed Deposits | 175,646.9 | 179,571.8 | 185,564.8 | 197,822.5 | 181,853.3 | 176,762.5 | 180,084.2 | 185,564.8 | 187,687.0 | 188,467.9 | 194,411.7 | 197,822.5 | 201,383.1 |
| Savings Deposits | 109,033.5 | 129,995.1 | 146,802.5 | 165,546.2 | 135,557.4 | 137,291.0 | 141,504.7 | 146,802.5 | 150,429.9 | 154,621.8 | 158,492.4 | 165,546.2 | 168,386.1 |
| Amounts Due to Banks | 184,405.1 | 176,394.4 | 188,564.9 | 226,214.6 | 191,119.7 | 181,334.1 | 189,615.6 | 188,564.9 | 184,988.9 | 205,323.5 | 224,148.5 | 226,214.6 | 231,468.6 |
| In Singapore | 18,283.9 | 13,869.4 | 14,189.7 | 9,900.5 | 17,763.3 | 15,373.2 | 15,170.9 | 14,189.7 | 12,672.8 | 13,236.0 | 13,225.1 | 9,900.5 | 11,811.3 |
| Outside Singapore ${ }^{2}$ | 166,121.1 | 162,525.0 | 174,375.2 | 216,314.1 | 173,356.4 | 165,960.9 | 174,444.7 | 174,375.2 | 172,316.1 | 192,087.5 | 210,923.4 | 216,314.1 | 219,657.3 |
| Other Liabilities | 85,070.2 | 83,957.0 | 96,843.1 | 84,771.0 | 84,321.2 | 87,166.2 | 96,413.8 | 96,843.1 | 99,874.0 | 111,012.8 | 92,047.5 | 84,771.0 | 80,048.0 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 14.7 | 5.8 | 10.6 | 9.9 | 8.5 | 6.8 | 10.4 | 10.6 | 8.2 | 14.1 | 11.9 | 9.9 | 9.2 |
| Capital \& Reserves | 23.8 | 7.1 | 13.6 | 4.0 | 12.3 | 13.5 | 13.3 | 13.6 | 13.5 | 8.6 | 9.0 | 4.0 | -1.4 |
| Deposits of Non-Bank Customers ${ }^{1}$ | 10.3 | 12.7 | 10.8 | 11.4 | 10.2 | 8.7 | 10.9 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 12.5 | 13.2 | 11.4 | 10.8 |
| Demand Deposits | 19.2 | 30.5 | 23.9 | 17.9 | 16.6 | 22.5 | 23.1 | 23.9 | 26.9 | 23.5 | 24.3 | 17.9 | 12.6 |
| Fixed Deposits | 0.1 | 2.2 | 3.3 | 6.6 | 4.7 | 0.9 | 4.7 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 6.6 | 8.0 | 6.6 | 7.3 |
| Savings Deposits | 26.1 | 19.2 | 12.9 | 12.8 | 14.2 | 11.6 | 11.8 | 12.9 | 11.0 | 12.6 | 12.0 | 12.8 | 11.9 |
| Amounts Due to Banks | 11.4 | -4.3 | 6.9 | 20.0 | 0.1 | -0.7 | 7.6 | 6.9 | -3.2 | 13.2 | 18.2 | 20.0 | 25.1 |
| In Singapore | 6.1 | -24.1 | 2.3 | -30.2 | -9.7 | -4.0 | 16.0 | 2.3 | -28.7 | -13.9 | -12.8 | -30.2 | -6.8 |
| Outside Singapore ${ }^{2}$ | 12.0 | -2.2 | 7.3 | 24.1 | 1.2 | -0.4 | 7.0 | 7.3 | -0.6 | 15.7 | 20.9 | 24.1 | 27.5 |
| Other Liabilities | 39.7 | -1.3 | 15.3 | -12.5 | 19.6 | 10.7 | 12.3 | 15.3 | 18.4 | 27.4 | -4.5 | -12.5 | -19.9 |

[^12]BANK LOANS AND ADVANCES TO NON-BANK CUSTOMERS BY INDUSTRY (At End Of Period) [TABLE A13.5]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ 1 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL LOANS \& ADVANCES INCLUDING BILLS FINANCING | 272,175.4 | 281,296.8 | 322,743.8 | 420,455.5 | 286,295.5 | 296,629.5 | 309,370.7 | 322,743.8 | 343,394.7 | 374,320.3 | 405,436.5 | 420,455.5 | 432,608.2 |
| Manufacturing | 11,786.1 | 10,547.3 | 10,917.6 | 19,007.3 | 10,878.5 | 11,318.3 | 11,356.4 | 10,917.6 | 13,381.9 | 16,148.5 | 17,936.1 | 19,007.3 | 20,884.8 |
| Building \& Construction | 50,006.6 | 48,940.6 | 53,593.9 | 66,938.5 | 48,899.6 | 48,594.2 | 51,053.9 | 53,593.9 | 55,938.3 | 59,166.5 | 63,121.7 | 66,938.5 | 70,007.9 |
| Housing Loans | 79,587.0 | 91,429.5 | 112,381.3 | 131,104.5 | 94,960.8 | 101,134.4 | 106,882.8 | 112,381.3 | 116,717.5 | 121,344.2 | 126,704.5 | 131,104.5 | 134,807.7 |
| General Commerce | 24,861.6 | 23,357.4 | 30,982.9 | 49,250.1 | 25,268.7 | 28,037.6 | 28,105.9 | 30,982.9 | 35,330.8 | 40,329.7 | 48,301.7 | 49,250.1 | 49,608.1 |
| Transport \& Communications | 9,211.7 | 10,612.3 | 9,018.1 | 12,110.2 | 10,238.6 | 8,968.0 | 8,854.8 | 9,018.1 | 9,375.9 | 10,473.6 | 11,231.8 | 12,110.2 | 11,735.0 |
| Financial Institutions | 33,506.1 | 32,465.3 | 37,984.6 | 55,249.7 | 31,373.9 | 33,221.7 | 36,042.1 | 37,984.6 | 41,129.9 | 48,038.7 | 51,278.7 | 55,249.7 | 55,949.3 |
| Professional \& Private Individuals | 37,872.3 | 39,476.3 | 42,396.1 | 52,483.6 | 39,374.3 | 39,765.5 | 40,873.3 | 42,396.1 | 43,194.1 | 47,488.5 | 49,771.6 | 52,483.6 | 54,600.6 |
| Others | 25,343.8 | 24,468.3 | 25,469.4 | 34,311.5 | 25,301.1 | 25,589.8 | 26,201.6 | 25,469.4 | 28,326.1 | 31,330.5 | 37,090.4 | 34,311.5 | 35,014.8 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL LOANS \& ADVANCES INCLUDING BILLS FINANCING | 16.6 | 3.4 | 14.7 | 30.3 | 5.8 | 9.0 | 12.1 | 14.7 | 19.9 | 26.2 | 31.1 | 30.3 | 26.0 |
| Manufacturing | 15.3 | -10.5 | 3.5 | 74.1 | -8.9 | 0.4 | -0.6 | 3.5 | 23.0 | 42.7 | 57.9 | 74.1 | 56.1 |
| Building \& Construction | 33.3 | -2.1 | 9.5 | 24.9 | -3.8 | -3.1 | 4.2 | 9.5 | 14.4 | 21.8 | 23.6 | 24.9 | 25.2 |
| Housing Loans | 8.8 | 14.9 | 22.9 | 16.7 | 17.6 | 22.0 | 22.8 | 22.9 | 22.9 | 20.0 | 18.5 | 16.7 | 15.5 |
| General Commerce | 11.6 | -6.1 | 32.6 | 59.0 | 12.4 | 26.5 | 26.0 | 32.6 | 39.8 | 43.8 | 71.9 | 59.0 | 40.4 |
| Transport \& Communications | 0.9 | 15.2 | -15.0 | 34.3 | 8.3 | -11.7 | -17.9 | -15.0 | -8.4 | 16.8 | 26.8 | 34.3 | 25.2 |
| Financial Institutions | 6.8 | -3.1 | 17.0 | 45.5 | -2.5 | 4.9 | 11.5 | 17.0 | 31.1 | 44.6 | 42.3 | 45.5 | 36.0 |
| Professional \& Private Individuals | 8.0 | 4.2 | 7.4 | 23.8 | 4.7 | 2.4 | 6.2 | 7.4 | 9.7 | 19.4 | 21.8 | 23.8 | 26.4 |
| Others | 72.5 | -3.5 | 4.1 | 34.7 | -0.6 | 2.0 | 7.0 | 4.1 | 12.0 | 22.4 | 41.6 | 34.7 | 23.6 |

Source: Monetary Authority of Singapore

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF ASIAN CURRENCY UNITS (At End Of Period) [TAble a13.6]

|  |  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 20 |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | I |
|  | Million US Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 912,739.4 | 869,399.6 | 971,299.4 | 1,036,047.4 | 896,088.4 | 918,016.0 | 973,847.0 | 971,299.4 | 1,010,123.0 | 1,041,968.5 | 1,083,722.7 | 1,036,047.4 | 1,068,168.9 |
| Loans to Non-Bank Customers | 214,381.9 | 219,614.4 | 268,081.7 | 312,814.0 | 227,382.2 | 246,304.4 | 254,405.3 | 268,081.7 | 284,282.3 | 294,018.5 | 309,976.7 | 312,814.0 | 320,504.2 |
| Interbank Funds | 498,669.6 | 460,726.4 | 501,891.4 | 528,823.2 | 478,617.2 | 486,474.7 | 512,060.8 | 501,891.4 | 519,212.3 | 542,797.2 | 558,359.8 | 528,823.2 | 543,345.6 |
| In Singapore | 64,140.5 | 80,941.5 | 92,715.5 | 113,361.8 | 85,594.2 | 82,380.6 | 91,592.1 | 92,715.5 | 91,704.4 | 110,873.4 | 117,064.0 | 113,361.8 | 121,349.1 |
| Outside Singapore | 434,529.2 | 379,784.9 | 409,175.8 | 415,461.4 | 393,023.0 | 404,094.1 | 420,468.7 | 409,175.8 | 427,507.9 | 431,923.8 | 441,295.8 | 415,461.4 | 421,996.5 |
| Other Assets | 199,687.9 | 189,058.9 | 201,326.3 | 194,410.2 | 190,089.0 | 185,236.9 | 207,380.9 | 201,326.3 | 206,628.5 | 205,152.9 | 215,386.1 | 194,410.2 | 204,319.2 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 912,739.4 | 869,399.6 | 971,299.4 | 1,036,047.4 | 896,088.4 | 918,016.0 | 973,847.0 | 971,299.4 | 1,010,123.0 | 1,041,968.5 | 1,083,722.7 | 1,036,047.4 | 1,068,168.9 |
| Deposits of Non-Bank Customers | 262,162.1 | 269,370.2 | 273,952.5 | 296,376.6 | 264,788.6 | 257,001.1 | 272,267.9 | 273,952.5 | 286,156.4 | 295,429.7 | 295,279.1 | 296,376.6 | 308,383.9 |
| Interbank Funds | 523,690.5 | 502,232.6 | 584,246.0 | 599,569.5 | 529,505.3 | 556,887.6 | 580,148.4 | 584,246.0 | 608,261.0 | 621,588.0 | 637,860.9 | 599,569.5 | 605,715.4 |
| In Singapore | 62,600.9 | 87,208.3 | 79,206.4 | 77,629.4 | 80,287.2 | 85,753.0 | 92,084.3 | 79,206.4 | 84,462.4 | 83,812.4 | 88,283.4 | 77,629.4 | 73,171.0 |
| Outside Singapore | 461,089.6 | 415,024.3 | 505,039.5 | 521,940.2 | 449,218.1 | 471,134.6 | 488,064.1 | 505,039.5 | 523,798.7 | 537,775.6 | 549,577.6 | 521,940.2 | 532,544.4 |
| Other Liabilities | 126,886.8 | 97,796.8 | 113,100.9 | 140,101.2 | 101,794.5 | 104,127.3 | 121,430.6 | 113,100.9 | 115,705.5 | 124,950.9 | 150,582.7 | 140,101.2 | 154,069.6 |
|  | Percentage Change Over Corresponding Period Of Previous Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 0.6 | -4.7 | 11.7 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 4.8 | 10.5 | 11.7 | 12.7 | 13.5 | 11.3 | 6.7 | 5.7 |
| Loans to Non-Bank Customers | 8.4 | 2.4 | 22.1 | 16.7 | 11.1 | 16.9 | 18.8 | 22.1 | 25.0 | 19.4 | 21.8 | 16.7 | 12.7 |
| Interbank Funds | -6.4 | -7.6 | 8.9 | 5.4 | 2.5 | 1.2 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 8.5 | 11.6 | 9.0 | 5.4 | 4.6 |
| In Singapore | -3.4 | 26.2 | 14.5 | 22.3 | 29.5 | 10.5 | 13.0 | 14.5 | 7.1 | 34.6 | 27.8 | 22.3 | 32.3 |
| Outside Singapore | -6.8 | -12.6 | 7.7 | 1.5 | -2.0 | -0.5 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 8.8 | 6.9 | 5.0 | 1.5 | -1.3 |
| Other Assets | 13.1 | -5.3 | 6.5 | -3.4 | 10.0 | 0.2 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 8.7 | 10.8 | 3.9 | -3.4 | -1.1 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 0.6 | -4.7 | 11.7 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 4.8 | 10.5 | 11.7 | 12.7 | 13.5 | 11.3 | 6.7 | 5.7 |
| Deposits of Non-Bank Customers | -4.8 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 8.2 | 2.8 | -3.5 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 8.1 | 15.0 | 8.5 | 8.2 | 7.8 |
| Interbank Funds | -3.1 | -4.1 | 16.3 | 2.6 | 11.0 | 8.8 | 13.8 | 16.3 | 14.9 | 11.6 | 9.9 | 2.6 | -0.4 |
| In Singapore | 24.1 | 39.3 | -9.2 | -2.0 | 26.2 | 9.6 | 6.9 | -9.2 | 5.2 | -2.3 | -4.1 | -2.0 | -13.4 |
| Outside Singapore | -5.9 | -10.0 | 21.7 | 3.3 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 15.3 | 21.7 | 16.6 | 14.1 | 12.6 | 3.3 | 1.7 |
| Other Liabilities | 39.4 | -22.9 | 15.6 | 23.9 | -7.1 | 6.6 | 19.7 | 15.6 | 13.7 | 20.0 | 24.0 | 23.9 | 33.2 |

QUARTERLY COMPOSITE LEADING INDEX [TABLE A14.1]

|  | 1 | 11 | III | IV |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2005=100 |  |  |  |
| 1997 | 84.7 | 86.3 | 86.1 | 85.0 |
| 1998 | 81.7 | 79.9 | 80.1 | 81.3 |
| 1999 | 84.0 | 88.9 | 91.2 | 92.9 |
| 2000 | 92.0 | 91.9 | 91.5 | 88.8 |
| 2001 | 86.4 | 84.1 | 83.3 | 85.5 |
| 2002 | 88.9 | 89.6 | 88.4 | 88.6 |
| 2003 | 86.3 | 88.3 | 92.4 | 95.3 |
| 2004 | 98.3 | 98.7 | 98.6 | 97.6 |
| 2005 | 99.2 | 99.1 | 100.4 | 101.2 |
| 2006 | 102.3 | 103.2 | 102.8 | 105.0 |
| 2007 | 109.0 | 111.8 | 112.1 | 113.3 |
| 2008 | 110.4 | 110.7 | 110.2 | 102.1 |
| 2009 | 100.5 | 106.6 | 112.4 | 116.4 |
| 2010 | 119.1 | 117.3 | 117.4 | 119.6 |
| 2011 | 119.2 | 119.5 | 116.2 | 117.6 |
| 2012 | 121.0 |  |  |  |
|  |  | rcenta | s Qua |  |
| 1997 | 1.2 | 1.9 | -0.2 | -1.3 |
| 1998 | -3.9 | -2.2 | 0.3 | 1.5 |
| 1999 | 3.3 | 5.8 | 2.6 | 1.9 |
| 2000 | -1.0 | -0.1 | -0.4 | -3.0 |
| 2001 | -2.7 | -2.7 | -1.0 | 2.6 |
| 2002 | 4.0 | 0.8 | -1.3 | 0.2 |
| 2003 | -2.6 | 2.3 | 4.6 | 3.1 |
| 2004 | 3.1 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -1.0 |
| 2005 | 1.6 | -0.1 | 1.3 | 0.8 |
| 2006 | 1.1 | 0.9 | -0.4 | 2.1 |
| 2007 | 3.8 | 2.6 | 0.3 | 1.1 |
| 2008 | -2.6 | 0.3 | -0.5 | -7.4 |
| 2009 | -1.6 | 6.1 | 5.4 | 3.6 |
| 2010 | 2.3 | -1.5 | 0.1 | 1.9 |
| 2011 | -0.3 | 0.3 | -2.8 | 1.2 |
| 2012 | 2.9 |  |  |  |

Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

BUSINESS EXPECTATIONS FOR THE MANUFACTURING SECTOR (Forecast For The Next Quarter) [TABLE A14.2]

|  | 2009 |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | In Percentage Terms |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -33 | -2 | +9 | +14 | +29 | +18 | +3 | +20 | +12 | +12 | -10 | -11 | +15 |
| Numbers Employed | -23 | -9 | 0 | 0 | +10 | +7 | +8 | +10 | +11 | +10 | -2 | -2 | +8 |
| New Orders Received | -34 | +1 | +11 | +1 | +27 | +15 | -5 | +19 | +17 | +11 | -12 | -9 | +12 |
| Output | -15 | -3 | -3 | +8 | +30 | +15 | -1 | +17 | +10 | +14 | -16 | -7 | +22 |
| Direct Export Overseas | -28 | -3 | +9 | +11 | +32 | +17 | -5 | +16 | +15 | +8 | -11 | -5 | +18 |
| Stocks of Finished Goods | -20 | -9 | -15 | -12 | +15 | +7 | -10 | -4 | -1 | +1 | -18 | -3 | +8 |
| Average Selling Prices | -34 | -22 | -21 | -16 | -8 | -11 | -18 | -5 | -12 | -8 | -13 | -14 | -4 |

Note: "Net weighted balance" is the difference between the weighted percentages of "ups" and "downs".
Source: Economic Development Board
A plus sign indicates a net upward trend and a minus sign denotes a net downward trend.

BUSINESS EXPECTATIONS FOR THE SERVICES SECTOR (Forecast For The Next Quarter) [TABLE A14.3]

|  | 2009 |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Net Weighted Balance In Percentage Terms |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL SERVICES SECTOR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -48 | -3 | +17 | +24 | +36 | +33 | +27 | +19 | +17 | +19 | -9 | -25 | +6 |
| Employment | -15 | +4 | +16 | +11 | +20 | +21 | +21 | +15 | +18 | +17 | +7 | -4 | +9 |
| Operating Receipts | -36 | -1 | +18 | +11 | +30 | +24 | +24 | +13 | +21 | +21 | +1 | -15 | +8 |
| WHOLESALE \& RETAIL TRADE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -43 | -4 | +24 | +28 | +37 | +36 | +37 | +18 | +15 | +25 | +3 | -20 | +13 |
| Employment | -16 | +1 | +16 | +4 | +13 | +21 | +20 | +13 | +12 | +21 | +8 | -3 | +8 |
| Operating Receipts | -33 | +3 | +33 | +12 | +26 | +26 | +35 | +17 | +17 | +30 | +11 | -11 | +13 |
| Ending Stocks of Merchandise | -26 | -8 | -4 | +1 | +16 | +5 | +12 | +12 | -2 | +9 | -2 | -1 | +13 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -52 | -19 | -2 | +3 | +24 | +24 | +22 | -3 | +5 | +15 | -14 | -14 | -6 |
| Employment | -9 | +11 | +15 | +27 | +23 | +17 | +14 | +17 | +12 | +4 | -1 | -3 | +2 |
| Operating Receipts | -46 | -12 | -5 | -10 | +25 | +16 | +15 | -1 | +8 | +3 | -3 | -19 | -12 |
| ACCOMMODATION \& FOOD SERVICES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -55 | +18 | +42 | +35 | +35 | +45 | +40 | +25 | +31 | +45 | +34 | -28 | +9 |
| Employment | -7 | +13 | +35 | +5 | +45 | +25 | +52 | +11 | +26 | +34 | +48 | -12 | +7 |
| Operating Receipts | -25 | +28 | +57 | 0 | +37 | +45 | +50 | +10 | +37 | +46 | +46 | -38 | +22 |
| Ending Stocks of Merchandise | -10 | +6 | +12 | +7 | +15 | +27 | +20 | +12 | +13 | +22 | +14 | +4 | +5 |
| INFORMATION \& COMMUNICATIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -26 | +4 | 0 | -1 | +5 | +38 | +21 | -2 | +12 | +23 | +4 | -16 | +16 |
| Employment | -14 | -2 | +8 | +7 | +12 | +14 | +4 | +5 | +10 | +11 | +2 | -1 | +9 |
| Operating Receipts | -21 | -8 | +1 | -6 | +6 | +9 | +14 | -2 | +15 | +17 | +11 | -14 | +11 |
| FINANCIAL \& INSURANCE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -52 | +16 | +32 | +53 | +70 | +37 | +34 | +47 | +38 | +20 | -36 | -52 | +6 |
| Employment | -22 | +12 | +24 | +46 | +53 | +44 | +39 | +38 | +38 | +33 | -6 | -17 | +10 |
| Operating Receipts | -35 | +2 | +25 | +40 | +60 | +31 | +28 | +27 | +48 | +32 | -26 | -28 | +12 |
| Deposits of Non-bank Customers | -3 | +35 | +16 | +24 | +48 | +35 | +33 | +31 | +50 | +37 | -6 | +20 | +28 |
| Loans \& Advances to Non-bank Customers | -33 | +12 | +34 | +40 | +56 | +38 | +39 | +36 | +48 | +39 | -2 | -11 | +34 |
| REAL ESTATE |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -58 | -18 | +2 | +19 | +39 | +27 | -6 | +7 | +2 | 0 | -35 | -60 | -23 |
| Employment | -13 | +10 | +15 | -7 | +2 | +8 | +2 | +6 | -6 | +11 | 0 | -10 | +2 |
| Operating Receipts | -43 | -7 | 0 | +7 | +23 | +17 | +1 | -3 | +1 | +1 | -3 | -28 | -10 |
| BUSINESS SERVICES (excluding Real Estate) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | -55 | -8 | +15 | +21 | +20 | +25 | +12 | +18 | +14 | +10 | -5 | -15 | +2 |
| Employment | -22 | -3 | +7 | +9 | +14 | +16 | +14 | +14 | +21 | +5 | 0 | -2 | +2 |
| Operating Receipts | -39 | +5 | +16 | +10 | +16 | +19 | +11 | +14 | +17 | +17 | -4 | -6 | +7 |
| RECREATION, COMMUNITY \& PERSONAL SERVICES* |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| General Business Expectations (For Next 6 Months) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | +22 | +24 | +7 | +9 | +26 |
| Employment | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | +25 | +33 | +15 | +2 | +22 |
| Operating Receipts | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | +21 | +25 | +22 | +12 | +23 |

A plus sign indicates a net upward trend and a minus sign denotes a net downward trend.

* New industry with effect from 1Q2011. Comprises education, health \& social services, arts, entertainment \& recreation and other service activities.

GOVERNMENT OPERATING REVENUE [TABLE A15.1]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV | I |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ${ }^{1}$ | 41,376.7 | 37,872.1 | 44,581.2 | 50,985.5 | 10,430.1 | 11,911.5 | 12,394.6 | 9,845.1 | 11,909.1 | 13,572.4 | 14,112.7 | 11,391.2 | 11,996.2 |
| Tax Revenue | 37,518.6 | 35,272.4 | 40,662.2 | 46,171.8 | 9,462.0 | 11,024.9 | 11,381.0 | 8,794.3 | 10,647.7 | 12,432.0 | 12,911.9 | 10,180.2 | 10,552.1 |
| Income Tax | 18,559.0 | 16,884.2 | 18,276.8 | 20,976.2 | 3,750.2 | 5,648.0 | 5,734.4 | 3,144.1 | 4,160.2 | 6,325.9 | 6,701.6 | 3,788.5 | 3,763.0 |
| Corporate Income Tax | 10,115.1 | 9,537.3 | 10,488.9 | 12,227.9 | 1,803.4 | 3,645.1 | 3,551.8 | 1,488.7 | 2,001.0 | 4,393.3 | 4,267.6 | 1,566.0 | 1,869.5 |
| Personal Income Tax | 6,288.1 | 7,323.5 | 6,716.7 | 6,678.8 | 1,560.0 | 1,814.0 | 1,995.1 | 1,347.6 | 1,312.9 | 1,652.2 | 2,115.7 | 1,598.0 | 1,505.5 |
| Withholding Tax ${ }^{2}$ | 0.0 | 0.0 | 650.9 | 1,177.4 | 0.0 | 189.0 | 187.5 | 274.4 | 306.5 | 280.4 | 318.4 | 272.1 | 387.2 |
| Contributions by Statutory Board | 2,155.8 | 23.3 | 420.3 | 892.1 | 386.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 33.4 | 539.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 352.4 | 0.9 |
| Assets Taxes | 2,891.3 | 2,003.7 | 2,598.3 | 3,813.3 | 966.6 | 538.7 | 431.5 | 661.4 | 1,171.5 | 823.3 | 833.0 | 985.6 | 1,260.0 |
| Taxes on Motor Vehicles ${ }^{3}$ | 2,003.3 | 1,787.0 | 1,892.8 | 1,868.4 | 507.8 | 440.2 | 466.4 | 478.4 | 465.9 | 468.4 | 444.4 | 489.6 | 517.1 |
| Customs \& Excise Duties | 2,082.5 | 2,079.7 | 2,089.7 | 2,107.5 | 563.6 | 473.1 | 512.3 | 540.7 | 522.4 | 510.0 | 531.3 | 543.9 | 547.7 |
| Betting Taxes ${ }^{4}$ | 1,776.6 | 1,726.2 | 2,119.6 | 2,342.7 | 507.1 | 486.0 | 571.7 | 554.7 | 666.2 | 516.1 | 603.8 | 556.7 | 696.9 |
| Stamp Duty | 1,837.8 | 1,989.1 | 3,096.9 | 3,259.0 | 638.9 | 800.8 | 811.0 | 846.2 | 818.5 | 821.4 | 865.7 | 753.5 | 734.5 |
| Goods \& Services Tax | 6,632.1 | 6,632.5 | 7,699.3 | 8,913.9 | 1,650.4 | 2,092.2 | 2,032.2 | 1,924.4 | 2,149.1 | 2,323.3 | 2,154.6 | 2,286.9 | 1,922.2 |
| Others ${ }^{5}$ | 1,736.0 | 2,170.0 | 2,888.9 | 2,890.7 | 877.4 | 545.9 | 821.4 | 644.2 | 694.1 | 643.6 | 777.5 | 775.5 | 1,110.7 |
| Fees \& Charges ${ }^{5}$ | 3,726.2 | 2,423.0 | 3,778.9 | 4,472.9 | 925.9 | 846.6 | 979.3 | 1,027.1 | 1,133.4 | 1,063.7 | 1,139.4 | 1,136.3 | 1,359.5 |
| Other Receipts ${ }^{6}$ | 131.9 | 176.8 | 140.0 | 340.8 | 42.2 | 39.9 | 34.3 | 23.7 | 127.9 | 76.8 | 61.4 | 74.7 | 84.7 |

${ }^{1}$ Operating revenue refers to receipts credited to the Consolidated Revenue Account and Development Fund Account,
Source: Ministry of Finance
but excludes interest income, investment income and capital receipts.
${ }^{2}$ This refers to collection under Section 45 of the Income Tax Act which is a Withholding Tax on locally-sourced income earned by non-residents. The Withholding Tax collection was previously included in the figures reported under Personal Income Tax.
${ }^{3}$ Taxes on Motor Vehicles comprise additional registration fees, road tax, special tax on heavy-oil engines, passenger vehicle seating fees and non-motor vehicle licences, but exclude excise duties on motor vehicles which are classified under Customs and Excise Duties.
${ }^{4}$ With effect from March 2010, Betting Taxes include casino tax collected under Section 146 of the Casino Control Act.
${ }^{5}$ To more accurately reflect the nature of "Development Charges (DC)" as a tax under section 35 of the Planning Act, reporting of actual collection of DC has been reclassified from "Fees and Charges" to "Tax Revenue : Others" with effect from April 2009.
${ }^{6}$ Other receipts exclude repayment of loans and advances, interest income, investment income and capital receipts. Figures may not add up due to rounding.

## GOVERNMENT OPERATING EXPENDITURE [TABLE A15.2]

|  |  |  |  |  | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | 2012 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | 11 | III | IV | 1 |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ${ }^{1}$ | 28,590.3 | 29,871.1 | 32,754.8 | 35,010.6 | 11,432.7 | 5,345.5 | 7,328.4 | 8,648.2 | 11,948.0 | 6,482.8 | 8,165.2 | 8,414.6 | 12,096.3 |
| Security \& External Relations | 13,588.1 | 13,548.1 | 14,311.0 | 13,727.7 | 5,018.0 | 2,321.8 | 2,929.5 | 4,041.7 | 4,626.8 | 2,539.5 | 2,957.7 | 3,603.7 | 4,996.3 |
| Social Development | 12,568.3 | 13,464.9 | 15,399.7 | 17,719.8 | 5,368.2 | 2,472.4 | 3,581.7 | 3,977.3 | 6,063.4 | 3,292.4 | 4,315.6 | 4,048.4 | 5,930.2 |
| Education | 7,298.1 | 7,418.6 | 8,517.4 | 9,929.0 | 3,308.3 | 851.0 | 2,011.1 | 2,347.1 | 3,789.6 | 1,320.1 | 2,407.8 | 2,411.5 | 3,558.4 |
| Health | 2,295.1 | 2,763.9 | 3,070.4 | 3,500.6 | 835.2 | 679.3 | 750.4 | 805.5 | 1,022.8 | 803.5 | 846.1 | 828.3 | 1,011.0 |
| Community Development, Youth \& Sports | 1,172.6 | 1,403.8 | 1,793.2 | 1,854.5 | 527.2 | 353.5 | 453.1 | 459.4 | 562.7 | 396.4 | 540.5 | 354.9 | 429.7 |
| Information, Communications \& the Arts | 370.2 | 422.6 | 472.7 | 522.1 | 185.3 | 53.8 | 112.8 | 120.9 | 212.5 | 41.3 | 142.3 | 126.1 | 214.9 |
| Environment \& Water Resources | 560.1 | 661.5 | 660.6 | 746.4 | 155.0 | 169.0 | 158.7 | 177.9 | 214.4 | 172.6 | 179.2 | 180.2 | 194.4 |
| National Development | 872.4 | 794.5 | 885.4 | 1,167.2 | 357.4 | 365.9 | 95.7 | 66.5 | 261.5 | 558.4 | 199.7 | 147.5 | 521.9 |
| Economic Development | 1,436.0 | 1,786.7 | 1,913.9 | 2,198.1 | 671.4 | 323.4 | 531.5 | 387.5 | 787.8 | 389.3 | 584.2 | 436.8 | 733.7 |
| Transport | 373.8 | 372.1 | 420.0 | 481.6 | 99.6 | 103.0 | 106.8 | 110.7 | 135.4 | 115.9 | 113.9 | 116.4 | 117.6 |
| Trade \& Industry | 624.1 | 652.0 | 673.0 | 688.5 | 241.5 | 136.6 | 144.4 | 150.5 | 252.1 | 137.3 | 148.4 | 150.6 | 234.4 |
| Manpower | 405.8 | 721.9 | 745.7 | 876.3 | 281.6 | 83.6 | 262.6 | 117.9 | 339.0 | 126.9 | 277.0 | 133.4 | 311.9 |
| Info-Communications and Media Development | 32.2 | 40.7 | 75.2 | 151.7 | 48.7 | 0.3 | 17.8 | 8.4 | 61.3 | 9.2 | 44.9 | 36.4 | 69.7 |
| Government Administration | 998.0 | 1,071.4 | 1,130.2 | 1,365.1 | 375.1 | 227.8 | 285.6 | 241.6 | 470.0 | 261.6 | 307.8 | 325.6 | 436.2 |

${ }^{1}$ Government operating expenditure refers to expenditure on manpower, other operating expenditure
Source: Ministry of Finance
(excluding expenses on investment and agency fees on land sales) and operating grants.
Figures may not add up due to rounding.

GOVERNMENT DEVELOPMENT EXPENDITURE [TABLE A15.3]

|  | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |  |  |  | 2011 |  |  |  | $2012$I |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | II | III | IV | 1 | II | III | IV |  |
|  | Million Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL ${ }^{1}$ | 8,879.9 | 10,611.8 | 11,294.6 | 11,760.8 | 3,076.5 | 2,542.3 | 3,031.5 | 2,644.3 | 3,849.7 | 2,110.5 | 2,994.5 | 2,806.0 | 3,504.6 |
| Security \& External Relations | 862.1 | 853.8 | 777.0 | 703.2 | 337.4 | 114.3 | 169.8 | 155.5 | 278.1 | 127.7 | 149.3 | 148.2 | 292.6 |
| Social Development | 2,885.1 | 3,089.5 | 3,478.9 | 3,725.6 | 1,225.0 | 512.1 | 923.6 | 818.3 | 1,389.3 | 636.0 | 849.1 | 851.3 | 1,262.6 |
| Education | 856.0 | 761.5 | 841.1 | 934.2 | 335.4 | 110.3 | 252.7 | 142.6 | 371.0 | 68.0 | 174.5 | 320.7 | 479.3 |
| Health | 245.4 | 574.6 | 613.2 | 405.6 | 342.4 | 43.5 | 126.5 | 100.9 | 214.0 | 39.6 | 77.7 | 74.3 | 261.5 |
| Community Development, Youth \& Sports | 188.9 | 130.1 | 69.2 | 110.1 | 37.4 | 6.1 | 21.6 | 4.1 | 88.6 | 3.0 | 9.0 | 9.5 | 42.1 |
| Information, Communications \& the Arts | 109.8 | 124.8 | 93.6 | 136.5 | 59.7 | 1.7 | 16.4 | 15.9 | 74.9 | 16.4 | 15.4 | 29.8 | 61.3 |
| Environment \& Water Resources | 328.0 | 284.5 | 358.3 | 391.4 | 113.3 | 67.6 | 88.5 | 89.0 | 161.0 | 88.0 | 105.3 | 37.1 | 118.6 |
| National Development | 1,156.9 | 1,213.9 | 1,503.4 | 1,747.9 | 336.9 | 282.9 | 417.9 | 465.7 | 479.8 | 421.1 | 467.0 | 380.0 | 299.8 |
| Economic Development | 4,899.3 | 6,474.0 | 6,859.6 | 7,116.0 | 1,404.0 | 1,911.3 | 1,890.0 | 1,654.3 | 2,034.6 | 1,340.7 | 1,968.9 | 1,771.8 | 1,821.0 |
| Transport | 2,785.9 | 4,180.7 | 4,051.3 | 4,222.4 | 759.1 | 982.3 | 1,205.4 | 1,104.5 | 957.5 | 725.1 | 1,254.5 | 1,285.4 | 738.0 |
| Trade \& Industry | 2,056.4 | 2,225.5 | 2,363.3 | 2,573.1 | 600.6 | 795.1 | 515.5 | 452.1 | 910.4 | 595.4 | 650.3 | 417.0 | 896.7 |
| Manpower | 32.5 | 25.3 | 24.5 | 57.3 | 13.9 | 1.5 | 5.6 | 3.5 | 31.8 | 0.9 | 8.5 | 16.1 | 36.3 |
| Info-Communications and Media Development | 24.5 | 42.5 | 420.5 | 263.1 | 30.5 | 132.4 | 163.4 | 94.2 | 134.8 | 19.3 | 55.6 | 53.3 | 149.9 |
| Government Administration | 233.4 | 194.5 | 179.0 | 215.9 | 110.1 | 4.6 | 48.2 | 16.1 | 147.7 | 6.2 | 27.3 | 34.8 | 128.5 |

${ }^{1}$ Government development expenditure excludes land-related expenditure items and loans to statutory boards and industrial and commercial enterprises.
Source: Ministry of Finance Figures may not add up due to rounding.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ We measure the extent of foreign participation using the percentage of foreign shareholdings, with foreign-owned firms defined as firms with foreign shareholdings of 50 per cent or more, and local-owned firms as firms with local shareholding of more than 50 per cent.

[^1]:    ${ }^{2}$ The backward and forward linkages are defined from the perspective of the foreign-owned firm, in line with the academic literature.

[^2]:    ${ }^{3}$ Gorg and Greenaway (2004)'s review excludes earlier studies done using cross-sectional data. Gorg and Strobl (2001) argue that panel data analysis using firm-level data is the most appropriate estimation framework as i) it permits investigation of the development of domestic firms' productivity over a longer time period, and ii) it allows the investigation of spillovers after controlling for other factors. For example, higher productivity in the electronics sector compared to the food sector may attract MNCs into the electronics sector. In this case, cross-sectional data would show a positive and statistically significant relationship between the level of foreign investment and productivity consistent with spillovers even though the causation occurs in the reverse.

[^3]:    ${ }^{4}$ Refer to Annex A for detailed methodology.
    ${ }^{5}$ Companies with less than 20 workers are randomly surveyed and appear in the dataset on a random basis.
    ${ }^{6}$ Ideally, we would like the linkages variables to be firm-varying for it to accurately represent the firm's exposure to foreign-owned firms. However, as no such data is available, we follow a commonly used method in the literature by using industry-varying linkages instead as proxies, constructed based on Javorcik (2004). Refer to Annex B for more details.
    ${ }^{7}$ Firms in the Biomedical Sciences cluster was excluded from both regression models due to the volatile and nascent nature of the cluster in the period studied.

[^4]:    ${ }^{8}$ The measurement error arises from the difference between the use of the capital by the firm in the production function (which is unobserved) and the stock of capital in the firm (which we observe, but does not vary in the short run with output). By instrumenting capital stock with the expenditure on capital repair, we obtain coefficients on capital that are more reasonable in general compared to those obtained using simple OLS. In the literature, other methods like the Olley-Pakes (OP) and LevinsohnPetrin (2003) (Lev-Pet) methods are often used to obtain TFP - they are alternative versions of IV to account for similar endogeneity issues. We performed an alternative first-step regression using Lev-Pet, but elected to use our IV using capital repair as the instrument as the K and L coefficients were better behaved. We were unable to use the OP method due to the lack of the exit variable as well as data on capital investments.
    ${ }^{9}$ The two-step approach allows us to determine local-owned firms' productivity separately from foreign-owned firms', and enables us to subsequently exclude foreign-owned firms from the second stage regression. Although it is possible to do the same in a single step regression, the specification would be much more cumbersome.

[^5]:    ${ }^{10}$ Ideally, we would like the linkages variables to be firm-varying for it to accurately represent the firm's exposure to foreign-owned firms. However, as no such data is available, we follow a commonly used method in the literature by using industry-varying linkages instead as proxies.

[^6]:    ${ }^{1}$ Comprise Agriculture, Fishing and Quarrying
    Note: The industries are classified according to SSIC 2010.

[^7]:    ${ }^{1}$ Comprise Agriculture, Fishing and Quarrying.

[^8]:    ${ }^{1}$ Comprise Agriculture, Fishing and Quarrying.

[^9]:    Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

[^10]:    ${ }^{1}$ Closing bid rates quoted by SGS primary dealers.
    ${ }^{2}$ Closing offer rates.
    ${ }^{3}$ Refer to the average quoted by 10 leading banks.
    ${ }^{4}$ Refer to the average quoted by 10 leading finance companies.

[^11]:    ${ }^{1}$ Excluding bills rediscounted between banks.

[^12]:    ${ }^{1}$ Excluding non-bank customers' holdings of Singapore Dollar negotiable certificates of deposit.
    ${ }^{2}$ Including Asian Currency Units.

