

COUNTRY ECONOMIC INDICATORS
(As of 3 July 2012)

Item	Fiscal Year				
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
A. Income and Growth					
1. GDP per capita (\$, current)	1,070.2	1,129.7	1,223.8	1,408.5	...
2. GDP growth (% , constant prices) ^a	6.3	5.3	6.8	5.9	4.4
a. Agriculture	4.7	1.8	2.8	4.0	2.8
b. Industry	6.0	5.5	7.7	5.5	3.8
c. Services	7.4	6.6	7.5	7.0	5.6
B. Saving and Investment (% of GDP, current prices)					
1. Gross domestic investment	39.7	38.1	38.9	32.6	...
2. Gross national saving	27.8	31.3	34.9	32.8	...
C. Money and Inflation (annual % change)					
1. Consumer price index ^b	23.0	6.9	9.2	18.6	6.9
2. Liquidity (M2) ^c	20.3	29.0	33.3	12.1	12.1
D. Government Finance (% of GDP) ^d					
1. Revenue and grants	29.3	28.1	28.2	26.6	31.7
2. On-budget expenditure	27.7	30.6	30.7	28.0	34.2
3. On-budget fiscal surplus (deficit)	1.5	(2.5)	(2.4)	(1.4)	(2.5)
4. Off-budget expenditure and onlending ^e	4.6	6.8	5.5	3.6	...
5. Overall fiscal surplus (deficit)	(3.1)	(9.3)	(7.9)	(5.0)	...
E. Balance of Payments					
1. Merchandise trade balance (% of GDP) ^f	(14.0)	(7.8)	(4.8)	(0.4)	2.4
2. Current account balance (% of GDP) ^f	(11.9)	(6.8)	(4.0)	0.2	3.4
3. Merchandize export (\$) growth (annual % change) ^c	29.1	(8.9)	26.4	34.2	25.0
4. Merchandize import (\$) growth (annual % change) ^c	27.9	(14.3)	19.5	25.9	7.0
F. External Payments Indicators					
1. Gross official reserves (including gold, \$ million in weeks of current year's imports of goods) ^g	15.9	11.4	8.3	7.2	9.4
2. External debt service (% of exports of goods and services)	3.3	4.2	3.4
3. External debt service (% of GDP)	29.8	39.0	42.2
G. Memorandum Items					
1. GDP (VND trillions, current prices) ^h	1,485.0	1,658.4	1,980.9	2,535.0	2,729.2
2. Exchange Rate (period average, VND per \$) ⁱ	16,302	17,065	18,621	20,490	20,828
3. Population (million)	85.1	86.0	86.9	87.8	...

Numbers in parenthesis are negative, = data not available, GDP = Gross Domestic Product, VND = Viet Nam Dong

^a Figures for 2012 are for first half 2012 as compared with first half 2011.

^b Calculated as year-on-year consumer price index. For 2012, figures are year-on-year to June 2012.

^c Figures for 2012 are year-on-year to end of March 2012.

^d For 2010 and 2011, the figures are preliminary provided by the Ministry of Finance, based on the available data collected to date. Figures for 2012 are preliminary for first quarter 2012.

^e Includes gross off budget expenditure, financed through issuance of domestic sovereign bonds, and official development assistance financed onlending.

^f Figures for 2012 are cumulative twelve months to end of first quarter 2012.

^g Excludes the government's foreign exchange deposits at the State Bank of Viet Nam and the foreign exchange counterpart of swap operations. Figures for 2012 are as at 31 March 2012.

^h Figures for 2012 are cumulative twelve months to end of first half 2012.

ⁱ Figures for 2012 is average for first six months 2012.

Sources: Government of Viet Nam, International Monetary Fund, United Nations Population Fund, and Asian Development Bank staff estimates.