## PRELIMINARY STATISTICS OF CROSS-STRAIT ECONOMIC RELATIONS

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Item	<b>Current Month</b>	Year to Date	Cumulation	Source
The Cross-Strait Indirect Trade	Aug., 2012	Jan.~Aug., 2012	1992~Aug., 2012	
Total(US\$100 million)	98.5 (-11.2%)	797.0 (-8.8%)	8,824.3	Ministry of Finance(ROC)
Exports	66.7 (-7.5%)	525.7 (-8.7%)	5,768.1	
Imports	31.8 (-18.2%)	271.3 (-8.9%)	3,056.2	
Trade Balance	35.0 (5.0%)	254.3 (-8.5%)	2,711.9	
Indirect Investment to Mainland	Aug., 2012	Jan.~Aug., 2012	1991~Aug., 2012	
Cases	47 (-25.4%)	291 (-28.7%)	39,988	Investment Commission, Ministry of Economic Affairs(ROC)
Amount(US\$100 milliom)	8.4 (-32.7%)	72.0 (-25.1%)	1,200.0	
Reference: Statistics by Mainland	Aug., 2012	Jan.~Aug., 2012	Accumulated to Aug., 2012	
Items	184 (12.9%*)	1,440 (-16.1%)	87,212	
Realized Amount(US\$100 million)	1.7 (-29.2%*)	20.3 (42.4%)	562.3	Ministry of Commerce (PRC)
Exchange of Visits	Aug., 2012	Jan.~Aug., 2012	1987~Aug., 2012	China National
Taiwan Visitors Arrivals in Mainland (1000 persons)	468.6 (-0.9%)	3,588.1 (1.4%)	69,900.0	Tourism Administration
	Aug., 2012	Jan.~Aug., 2012	1988~Aug., 2012	
Mainland People Visit Taiwan	198.0 (49.0%)	1,657.5 (55.0%)	8,179.8	
(1000 persons)				National Immigration Agency, Ministry of The Interior ( ROC )

Note:1.Numbers in ( ) stand for growth rate compared with the same period of the last year.

<sup>2.</sup> Numbers with \* stand for growth rate compared with the last month.