

PRELIMINARY STATISTICS OF CROSS-STRAIT ECONOMIC RELATIONS

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| Item | Current Month | Year to Date | Cumulative | Source |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| The Cross-Strait Indirect Trade | Oct., 2005 | Jan.~Oct., 2005 | 1987~Oct., 2005 | |
| Total(US\$100 million) | 67.7 (23.0%) | 585.8 (15.9%) | 4,520.6 | Hong Kong Customs; Ministry of Finance(ROC) |
| Exports | 50.0 (25.5%) | 422.9 (13.7%) | 3,620.5 | |
| Imports | 17.7 (16.2%) | 162.8 (22.1%) | 900.2 | |
| Trade Balance | 32.2 (31.3%) | 260.1 (9.1%) | 2,720.2 | |
| Indirect Investment to Mainland | Oct., 2005 | Jan.~Oct., 2005 | 1991~Oct., 2005 | |
| Cases | 94 (-16.8%) | 1059 (-38.7%) | 34,214* | Investment Commission, Ministry of Economic Affairs(ROC) |
| Amount(US\$100 milliom) | 5.3 (0.0%) | 47.2 (-13.0%) | 460.4* | |
| Reference: Statistics by Mainland | Oct., 2005 | Jan.~Oct., 2005 | Accumulated to Oct., 2005 | |
| Projects | | 3,138.0 (-3.2%) | 67,764 | Ministry of Commerce (PRC) |
| Contracted Amount(US\$100 million) | | 77.8 (9.6%) | 877.2 | |
| Realized Amount(US\$100 million) | | 17.2 (-29.7%) | 413.4 | |
| Exchange of Visits | Oct., 2005 | Jan.~Oct., 2005 | 1987~Oct., 2005 | |
| Taiwan Visitors Arrivals in Mainland (1000 persons) | 385.2 (2.9%) | 3,513.9 (13.8%) | 40,180.9 | China National Tourism Administration |
| Mainland People Visit Taiwan (person) | Oct., 2005 17,466 (53.7%) | Jan.~Oct., 2005 145,662 (24.8%) | 1988~Oct., 2005 1,273,366 | Bureau of Immigration, Ministry of the Interior (ROC) |

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

2. "Taiwan People Visit Mainland" data from China National Tourism Administration.