

# PRELIMINARY STATISTICS OF CROSS-STRAIT ECONOMIC RELATIONS

May, 2018

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| Item  | Current Month                    | Year to Date                          | Cumulation                       | Source   |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| <b>The Cross-Strait Indirect Trade</b>                    | <b>May, 2018</b>                 | <b>Jan.~May, 2018</b>                 | <b>1992~May, 2018</b>            |  |
| Total(US\$100 million)                                    | 129.5 (16.0%)                    | 605.9 (16.3%)                         | 16,322.9                         | Ministry of Finance(ROC)                                   |
| Exports   | 81.2 (19.1%)                     | 386.3 (17.7%)                         | 10,566.7                         |  |
| Imports   | 48.3 (11.0%)                     | 219.6 (14.0%)                         | 5,756.2                          |  |
| Trade Balance   | 32.9 (33.5%)                     | 166.7 (22.9%)                         | 4,810.5                          |  |
| <b>Indirect Investment to Mainland</b>                    | <b>May, 2018</b>                 | <b>Jan.~May, 2018</b>                 | <b>1991~May, 2018</b>            |  |
| Cases   | 56 (36.6%)                       | 218 (1.9%)                            | 42,845                           | Investment Commission, Ministry of Economic Affairs(ROC)   |
| Amount(US\$100 milliom)                                   | 7.9 (236.4%)                     | 30.1 (16.9%)                          | 1,773.7                          |  |
| Reference: Statistics by Mainland                         | <b>May, 2018</b>                 | <b>Jan.~May, 2018</b>                 | <b>Accumulated to May, 2018</b>  | Ministry of Commerce (PRC); CEIC data                      |
| Items   | 348 (30.8%)                      | 1,522 (11.7%)                         | 103,801                          |  |
| Realized Amount(US\$100 million)                          | 1.0 (15.7%)                      | 4.6 (-38.0%)                          | 668.8                            |  |
| <b>Exchange of Visits</b>                                 | —                                | <b>Jan.~Dec., 2017</b>                | <b>1987~Dec., 2017</b>           |  |
| Taiwan Visitors Arrivals in Mainland<br>(million persons) | —                                | 587.0 (2.5%)                          | 9,928.1                          | Ministry of Culture and Tourism (PRC)                      |
| Mainland People Visit Taiwan<br>(million persons)         | <b>May, 2018</b><br>18.9 (-5.0%) | <b>Jan.~May, 2018</b><br>110.6 (4.4%) | <b>1987~May, 2018</b><br>2,727.6 | National Immigration Agency, Ministry of The Interior(ROC) |

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