Table 1: GDP by Economic Activity at Constant (2000) Prices Year-on-year % changes in real terms

|  |       |       |         |         |         |         | %                    |
|--|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|
| <b>Economic activity</b>   | 2003  | 2004  | Q3 2004 | Q4 2004 | Q1 2005 | Q2 2005 | Q3 2005 <sup>+</sup> |
| Agriculture and fishing  | -5.6  | 0.7   | -1.5    | 4.4     | -6.0    | 5.5     | 5.6                  |
| Mining and quarrying   | 2.2   | -17.0 | -19.6   | 4.9     | 0.0     | 12.8    | 18.9                 |
| Manufacturing  | -10.3 | 1.7   | 2.3     | 3.8     | -2.3    | -0.1    | 4.1                  |
| Electricity, gas and water   | 1.8   | 2.1   | 1.7     | 1.6     | 5.1     | 4.8     | 0.5                  |
| Construction   | -4.9  | -8.4  | -12.0   | -2.0    | -0.7    | -8.3    | -7.9                 |
| Services   | 4.5   | 9.4   | 8.1     | 8.0     | 6.8     | 7.7     | 8.4                  |
| Wholesale, retail and import and export trades, restaurants and hotels | 9.1   | 13.4  | 12.5    | 9.8     | 11.0    | 11.7    | 10.8                 |
| Wholesale and retail trades  | -1.1  | 7.5   | 4.9     | 4.6     | 6.4     | 6.2     | 4.0                  |
| Import and export trade  | 13.3  | 13.9  | 13.7    | 10.5    | 12.2    | 12.8    | 11.9                 |
| Restaurants and hotels   | -13.7 | 16.3  | 9.4     | 10.4    | 6.1     | 7.2     | 7.3                  |
| Transport, storage and communications                                  | 0.7   | 17.4  | 15.8    | 15.2    | 12.8    | 12.3    | 15.3                 |
| Transport and storage  | -1.6  | 19.0  | 17.6    | 17.3    | 14.0    | 13.0    | 16.6                 |
| Communications   | 7.8   | 12.7  | 10.8    | 9.0     | 9.7     | 10.5    | 11.4                 |
| Financing, insurance, real estate                                      | 5.7   | 9.4   | 5.8     | 8.9     | 4.9     | 8.7     | 9.2                  |
| and business services  |       |       |         |         |         |         |                      |
| Financing and insurance  | 10.3  | 17.5  | 13.2    | 14.6    | 6.1     | 10.0    | 11.4                 |
| Real estate  | 1.8   | -5.7  | -9.5    | -2.9    | 0.1     | 6.3     | 3.9                  |
| Business services  | -2.3  | 2.7   | 2.0     | 4.1     | 6.1     | 6.7     | 7.7                  |
| Community, social and personal services                                | 0.5   | 3.9   | 3.0     | 2.7     | 1.2     | 0.2     | 1.2                  |
| Ownership of premises  | 2.7   | 3.0   | 3.1     | 3.9     | 5.2     | 4.9     | 5.1                  |
| Taxes on production and imports  | 2.9   | 12.4  | 8.1     | 5.5     | -1.6    | 2.0     | 9.7                  |
| Statistical discrepancy (%)  | -0.4  | -0.4  | -0.1    | -0.7    | 0.1     | 0.0     | 0.6                  |
| GDP at constant (2000) market prices                                   | 3.1   | 8.2   | 6.7     | 7.2     | 6.2     | 7.3     | 8.2                  |

Notes: + Preliminary figures.

'0.0' Within  $\pm 0.05\%$ .

Statistical discrepancy refers to the difference in values of GDP compiled using the expenditure and production approaches, as a result of the adoption of different data sources and estimation methods. It is expressed as a percentage to GDP.

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