

Table 1 : Business Receipts Indices for Q3 2008

(Quarterly average of 2005 = 100)

	Index for Q3 2008 (Points)	Q3 2008 compared with Q2 2008		Q3 2008 compared with Q3 2007		Q1-Q3 2008 compared with Q1-Q3 2007	
		(Points)	(%)	(Points)	(%)	(Points)	(%)
<u>Service Industry</u>							
Wholesale/Retail	133.5	+1.0	+0.8	+12.4	+10.3	+15.8	+13.5
<i>breakdown</i> : Wholesale	136.2	+6.7	+5.1	+12.1	+9.8	+12.9	+11.1
Retail	132.7	-0.5	-0.4	+12.5	+10.4	+16.7	+14.1
Import and export trade	141.2	+8.9	+6.8	+11.9	+9.2	+14.2	+12.2
Restaurants	143.3	+7.0	+5.1	+17.6	+14.0	+18.3	+15.1
Hotels	124.8	-6.1	-4.7	+6.9	+5.9	+10.2	+8.5
Transport	137.6	+9.0	+7.0	+7.8	+6.0	+12.5	+10.7
<i>within which</i> : Air transport	125.9	+7.2	+6.1	+8.8	+7.5	+11.5	+10.6
Land transport	112.2	+2.6	+2.4	+1.8	+1.6	+4.1	+3.8
Maritime transport	156.9	+12.4	+8.6	+7.3	+4.9	+15.9	+12.2
Storage	137.5	+2.7	+2.0	+8.9	+6.9	+8.8	+7.0
Communications	122.9	-1.0	-0.8	+10.0	+8.9	+12.1	+11.2
<i>within which</i> : Telecommunications	123.7	-0.5	-0.4	+10.5	+9.3	+13.1	+12.2
Banking	142.6	-6.1	-4.1	-21.6	-13.1	-7.7	-5.0
Financing (except banking)	192.3	-35.9	-15.7	-71.1	-27.0	-0.2	-0.1
<i>within which</i> : Financial markets and asset management	192.0	-36.9	-16.1	-84.4	-30.5	-5.3	-2.3
<i>within which</i> : Asset management	201.7	-60.0	-22.9	-34.0	-14.4	+33.2	+15.8
Insurance	163.0	+3.0	+1.9	+4.5	+2.8	+11.0	+7.4
Real estate	127.6	-15.8	-11.0	-1.4	-1.1	+9.6	+7.6
Business services	143.6	-3.5	-2.4	+8.3	+6.1	+12.3	+9.3
<i>within which</i> : Professional services	137.8	-3.4	-2.4	+10.0	+7.8	+11.0	+8.7
Film entertainment	115.9	+6.9	+6.4	+2.2	+2.0	+2.9	+2.7
<u>Service Domain</u>							
Tourism, convention and exhibition services	144.8	+7.1	+5.1	+11.1	+8.3	+15.4	+12.1
Computer and information services	134.0	+12.7	+10.5	+3.4	+2.6	+13.4	+11.8

Note : Business receipts indices for Q3 2008 are provisional figures.

Table 2 : Business Receipts Indices for the Recent Five Quarters

(Quarterly average of 2005 = 100)

	2007		2008		
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2*	Q3#
<u>Service Industry</u>					
Wholesale/Retail	121.0	129.5	134.7	132.4	133.5
<i>breakdown</i> : Wholesale	124.0	129.9	119.5	129.5	136.2
Retail	120.2	129.4	138.9	133.2	132.7
Import and export trade	129.3	127.2	118.3	132.3	141.2
Restaurants	125.6	133.5	138.7	136.2	143.3
Hotels	117.9	163.5	135.6	130.9	124.8
Transport	129.9	137.1	124.7	128.6	137.6
<i>within which</i> : Air transport	117.1	132.4	115.9	118.7	125.9
Land transport	110.4	114.8	108.2	109.5	112.2
Maritime transport	149.6	149.0	137.2	144.4	156.9
Storage	128.6	133.2	132.1	134.8	137.5
Communications	112.8	119.2	113.7	123.8	122.9
<i>within which</i> : Telecommunications	113.2	117.8	115.1	124.2	123.7
Banking	164.2	194.8	151.9	148.7	142.6
Financing (except banking)	263.3	333.8	243.7	228.2	192.3
<i>within which</i> : Financial markets and asset management	276.4	341.4	246.9	228.9	192.0
<i>within which</i> : Asset management	235.7	321.3	267.2	261.7	201.7
Insurance	158.5	179.6	155.1	160.0	163.0
Real estate	129.0	179.6	135.1	143.4	127.6
Business services	135.4	144.5	143.1	147.1	143.6
<i>within which</i> : Professional services	127.8	130.7	135.5	141.2	137.8
Film entertainment	113.7	107.3	107.9	109.0	115.9
<u>Service Domain</u>					
Tourism, convention and exhibition services	133.7	158.9	146.2 #	137.7 #	144.8
Computer and information services	130.7	128.1	125.2	121.3	134.0

Notes : * Except for the tourism, convention and exhibition services domain, business receipts indices for all service industries and the computer and information services domain for Q2 2008 are revised figures.

Business receipts indices for all service industries and service domains for Q3 2008 and that for the tourism, convention and exhibition services domain for Q1 to Q2 2008 are provisional figures.