

Table 1 : Business Receipts Indices of Selected Service Industries and Service Domains, Q3 2010 to Q3 2011

(Quarterly average of 2008 = 100)

	2010		2011			Q1-Q3 2011 [#]
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3 [#]	
Service Industry						
Import/export trade	113.4 (+20.3%)	110.2 (+15.0%)	106.1 (+22.6%)	111.1 (+7.6%)	116.8 (+3.0%)	111.3 (+10.2%)
Wholesale	119.2 (+24.8%)	114.5 (+16.8%)	113.2 (+21.7%)	119.9 (+8.9%)	130.1 (+9.1%)	121.1 (+12.7%)
Retail	115.6 (+17.9%)	131.4 (+19.4%)	143.5 (+21.0%)	141.3 (+28.1%)	147.4 (+27.5%)	144.1 (+25.4%)
Transportation	105.9 (+32.4%)	106.2 (+15.0%)	97.2 (+13.4%)	105.1 (+4.3%)	108.5 (+2.5%)	103.6 (+6.3%)
<i>within which</i> : Land transport	106.6 (+7.6%)	108.5 (+4.9%)	106.1 (+10.4%)	107.3 (+5.8%)	111.0 (+4.1%)	108.1 (+6.7%)
Water transport	98.6 (+26.5%)	93.7 (+16.7%)	85.6 (+8.7%)	97.4 (+2.7%)	96.6 (-2.1%)	93.2 (+2.7%)
Air transport	111.8 (+46.2%)	116.2 (+16.4%)	104.9 (+18.0%)	111.1 (+5.3%)	118.0 (+5.5%)	111.3 (+9.0%)
Warehousing and storage	111.6 (+5.4%)	118.0 (+6.4%)	115.7 (+10.7%)	121.3 (+10.4%)	123.1 (+10.3%)	120.0 (+10.5%)
Courier	126.4 (+29.1%)	135.3 (+18.1%)	126.9 (+26.2%)	150.3 (+25.9%)	140.5 (+11.2%)	139.2 (+20.6%)
Accommodation	94.4 (+25.2%)	131.6 (+26.5%)	118.8 (+23.3%)	111.2 (+20.8%)	115.2 (+22.0%)	115.1 (+22.1%)
Food services	105.9 (+5.2%)	110.9 (+5.6%)	111.5 (+5.9%)	107.0 (+6.0%)	112.5 (+6.2%)	110.3 (+6.0%)
Information and communications	102.7 (+6.2%)	110.0 (+9.4%)	102.1 (+9.2%)	110.0 (+10.1%)	110.1 (+7.2%)	107.4 (+8.8%)
<i>within which</i> : Telecommunications	104.2 (+5.3%)	112.2 (+10.9%)	106.6 (+8.0%)	112.8 (+10.2%)	111.6 (+7.0%)	110.4 (+8.4%)
Film entertainment	90.0 (-3.8%)	79.6 (-11.7%)	73.9 (-17.0%)	73.6 (+6.9%)	81.5 (-9.4%)	76.3 (-7.6%)
Banking	109.5 (+9.3%)	125.5 (+20.0%)	121.9 (+23.0%)	126.6 (+17.6%)	117.2 (+7.1%)	121.9 (+15.7%)
Financing (except banking)	98.5 (-1.8%)	131.3 (+28.5%)	112.0 (+12.2%)	108.6 (+21.9%)	85.1 (-13.6%)	101.9 (+6.4%)
<i>within which</i> : Financial markets and asset management	94.3 (-5.5%)	130.1 (+28.4%)	110.0 (+12.3%)	106.5 (+25.2%)	79.4 (-15.8%)	98.6 (+6.7%)
<i>within which</i> : Asset management	103.4 (+17.1%)	143.3 (+19.8%)	127.8 (+24.5%)	130.2 (+27.6%)	118.6 (+14.8%)	125.5 (+22.3%)
Insurance	111.7 (+4.8%)	112.6 (+6.8%)	110.5 (+7.8%)	123.0 (+12.7%)	123.3 (+10.4%)	118.9 (+10.4%)
Real estate	130.1 (+8.6%)	134.1 (+15.2%)	117.5 (+11.4%)	134.1 (+12.5%)	106.4 (-18.2%)	119.3 (+0.9%)
Professional, scientific and technical services	113.3 (+11.2%)	121.0 (+13.4%)	116.5 (+10.5%)	119.6 (+5.4%)	122.9 (+8.5%)	119.7 (+8.1%)
Administrative and support services	103.0 (+15.4%)	107.3 (+12.3%)	100.5 (+14.9%)	106.1 (+10.7%)	111.8 (+8.6%)	106.1 (+11.2%)
Service Domain						
Tourism, convention and exhibition services	141.4 (+43.3%)	149.1 (+19.7%)	150.5 [#] (+16.9%)	148.5 [#] (+23.6%)	176.1 (+24.5%)	158.4 (+21.7%)
Computer and information technology services	126.7 (+42.6%)	116.6 (+28.2%)	118.5 (+27.7%)	119.0 (+3.8%)	127.7 (+0.8%)	121.7 (+9.3%)

Notes: [#] Provisional figures.

[○] Figures in brackets denote percentage changes as compared with the same period of the preceding year.

Table 2 : Quarter-to-Quarter Rates of Change in Business Receipts Indices of Selected Service Industries and Service Domains based on the Seasonally Adjusted Series ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾, Q3 2010 to Q3 2011

	2010		2011		
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3 [#]
Service Industry					
Import/export trade	+1.2%	+2.0%	+10.2%	-5.4%	-3.2%
Wholesale	+0.9%	+0.4%	+9.0%	-1.8%	+1.7%
Retail	+5.5%	+6.9%	+5.8%	+7.7%	+4.7%
Transportation	-2.1%	-0.9%	+6.3%	+1.1%	-3.7%
<i>within which</i> : Land transport	+1.3%	+0.8%	+4.6%	-1.0%	-0.1%
Water transport	-5.4%	-1.0%	+4.7%	+4.4%	-9.4%
Air transport	-0.7%	-1.9%	+9.1%	-0.7%	-0.5%
Warehousing and storage	+0.8%	+3.7%	+2.9%	+2.4%	+1.2%
Courier	+4.9%	+1.4%	+12.6%	+5.1%	-7.4%
Accommodation	+4.9%	+4.8%	+8.7%	+1.3%	+5.7%
Food services	+1.8%	+1.8%	+1.7%	+0.6%	+2.0%
Information and communications	+1.9%	+4.5%	-0.6%	+4.0%	-0.6%
<i>within which</i> : Telecommunications	+2.7%	+6.1%	-2.2%	+3.8%	-0.7%
Film entertainment	+21.3%	-4.8%	-7.7%	§	+3.6%
Banking	+5.6%	+5.6%	+5.6%	§	-4.1%
Financing (except banking) ⁽³⁾	+10.6%	+33.2%	-14.7%	-3.0%	-21.6%
<i>within which</i> : Financial markets and asset management ⁽³⁾	+10.9%	+38.0%	-15.5%	-3.2%	-25.5%
<i>within which</i> : Asset management ⁽³⁾	+1.4%	+38.6%	-10.8%	+1.8%	-8.8%
Insurance ⁽³⁾	+2.3%	+0.8%	-1.8%	+11.3%	+0.2%
Real estate	+10.6%	+0.3%	-2.6%	+4.4%	-19.4%
Professional, scientific and technical services	+1.5%	+3.7%	+2.5%	-2.4%	+4.6%
Administrative and support services	+4.3%	+4.4%	-2.4%	+3.9%	+3.1%
Service Domain					
Tourism, convention and exhibition services	+7.6%	-3.4%	+5.5% [#]	+12.9% [#]	+8.1%
Computer and information technology services	+0.4%	-1.3%	+10.7%	-6.1%	-1.4%

Notes: # Provisional figures.

§ Change within $\pm 0.05\%$.

(1) The quarter-to-quarter rates of change in the business receipts indices (BRIs) of selected service industries/domains are derived based on the seasonally adjusted series to reflect the underlying trend of business receipts. These seasonally adjusted BRIs are compiled using the X-12 ARIMA method, which is a standard method applied in compiling seasonally adjusted statistical data series.

(2) Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. The seasonally adjusted BRIs will be revised annually when the figures for the first quarter of the current year are published.

(3) The BRIs of a few service industries are found to have no identifiable seasonality in the seasonal adjustment exercise. Seasonal adjustment is therefore not applied to the BRIs of these industries.