

Long-term Macro Economic  
Statistics of Asia:  
A Plan for the Publication in  
Japanese of the Research Outcomes

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# Genesis of the plan:

Kazushi Ohkawa, Miyohei Shinohara and Mataji Umemura (eds.), *Estimates of Long-term Economic Statistics of Japan since 1868*, 14 vols, Tokyo: Toyo Keizai Shimpo Sha, 1965-88.

# LTES' English version:

Kazushi Ohkawa and Miyohei Shinohara, eds. with Larry Meissner, *Patterns of Japanese Economic Development, A Quantitative Appraisal*, New Haven: Yale University Press, 1979.

# East Asia

1. Mainland China

2. Japan

3. Korea

4. Taiwan

# Southeast and South Asia

5. Philippines

6. Indonesia

7. Thailand

8. Vietnam

9. India

# Other Areas

10. Russia

11. Central Asia

12. Egypt and Turkey

# Departures from the genesis:

- (1) Generally conforms to *1968 SNA*;
- (2) Traces from the beginning of industrialisation through 2000;
- (3) Recommends the use of chain-index method; and
- (4) Takes 1960 as the reference year.

# Standard contents:

- Institution of statistics compilation;
- Historical changes in the land area;
- Significance of the volume in relation to research in the past;
- Population, labor force and employment;
- Output and value added by two-digit industry groups;



# Standard contents (cont'd):

- External trade by major commodity groups;
- Prices, wages, interest rate), and foreign exchange rates;
- Money supply;
- GDP ;
- (If possible) GDE and its components;

## Standard contents (cont'd):

- Statistical tables (with English captions; taking up to 40-60% of the volume);
- English abstract of major findings;
- Subject and author index; and
- Related, more detailed series in an accompanying CD-ROM.

# Access to the relevant information

- Principal estimates to be on a website,
- Original source data and/or their copies to be deposited with an adjacent Library, and
- Worksheets of estimation processes to be kept in the same Library.

# Volume Contents: Taiwan

## **Part I: Sources and methods of estimation**

Ch. 1 Characteristics and development of statistical research in the government of Taiwan

Ch. 2 Population

Ch. 3 Labour force, employment, and labour compensation

(with an appendix on working hours)

Ch. 4 Production activities of the primary industry

Volume Contents: Taiwan (cont'd)

Ch. 5 Production activities of the secondary industry

Manufacturing

Mining

Electricity, water, and heat supply

Construction

Ch. 6 Production activities of the tertiary industry

Ch. 7 Public finance, money supply, and prices

Volume Contents: Taiwan (cont'd)

Ch.8 Private consumption and domestic  
capital formation

Ch. 9 Balance of foreign trade

Ch.10 National economic accounting

**Part II: Statistical tables**

# Volume Contents: The Philippines

## **Part I: National income accounting in the Philippines: a historical overview**

- Ch. 1 The formation of a ‘national economy’ in the Philippines (incl. geographical transition)
- Ch. 2 The place of national income accounting in the study of Filipino economic history
- Ch. 3 Filipino system of government statistical research and its products

## **Part II Sources, methods, and results of estimation**

- Ch. 4 Population and labour force
- Ch. 5 Outputs of the primary industry
- Ch. 6 Outputs of the secondary industry
- Ch. 7 Outputs of the tertiary industry
- Ch. 8 The structure of domestic expenditures
- Ch. 9 Prices, wages, interest rates, and foreign exchange rates



**Part III. Filipino macro economic history:  
an interpretation**

Ch.10 National economic accounting: GDP and GDE

Ch.11 Environmental conditions and the living standard in the Philippines

Ch. 12 Intra-Asian trade: the case of the Philippines

Ch. 13 Tasks for future research

**Part IV. Statistical tables**