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of
Introduction to Industrial Production Indices
for Mekong Countries**

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Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

ODA and JICA

Since 1954, Japan has been providing financial and technical assistance to developing countries through ODA (Official Development Assistance), aiming to contribute to the peace and development of the international community. JICA is in charge of administering all ODA such as technical cooperation, ODA loans and grant aid in an integrated manner. JICA assists and supports developing countries as the executing agency of Japanese ODA, and works in over 150 countries and regions and has some 100 overseas offices.

JICA's Vision

In accordance with its vision of "Inclusive and Dynamic Development," JICA supports the resolution of issues of developing countries by using the most suitable tools of various assistance methods and a combined regional-, country- and issue-oriented approach.

JICA's Mission

Mission 1 Addressing global agenda

Addressing the global agenda, including climate change, water, food, energy, infectious diseases and financing.

Mission 2 Reducing poverty through equitable growth

Pursuing sustained poverty reduction through inclusive and equitable growth

Mission 3 Improving governance

Strengthening policies, institutions, organizations and human resources as underpinnings of development

Mission 4 Achieving human security

Protecting people from threats and building societies where they can live with dignity

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Thailand International Cooperation Agency (TICA)

TICA's Vision

TICA aspires to be a central agency on technical and development cooperation under the Royal Thai Government to serve as a bridge for global sustainable development.

TICA's Mission

TICA is the main agency to execute international development cooperation with foreign governments, international organizations and intergovernmental organisations.

TICA is the focal agency in formulating strategic guidelines and policies on international development cooperation to be comprehensively in line with the Royal Thai Government's foreign policies.

Objectives

- To develop international cooperation plan, study and analysis on cooperation policy including implementation, follow-up and evaluation of technical cooperation projects.
- To administer development cooperation programmes provided to developing countries according to foreign policies of the Royal Thai government.
- To cooperate with various development partners including foreign governments and international organizations to develop technical cooperation projects for development under bilateral and multilateral frameworks.
- To administer fellowships and scholarships offered to developing countries for human resources development in public and private sectors as well as civil society.
- To coordinate international development cooperation.
- To disseminate information regarding development cooperation to government agencies concerned and international organizations.

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Office of Industrial Economics (OIE)

OIE's Vision

To be agency leading on industrial development of the country into sustainability

OIE's Mission

1. To prepare integrate and drive industrial development policies, plans and strategies into sustainable growth.
2. To prepare, link and provide information, guidance and warning of industrial economics and information technology systems with modern and reliability.
3. To strengthen to be the excellent agency on industrial economics.

Responsibilities

1. Recommending industrial development policies, guidelines and measures, including preparing industrial development plans of the country.
2. Proposing policies, defining positions and cooperation guidelines on international industrial economics, including attending conferences and negotiating with international industrial organizations and agencies.
3. Studying and analyzing industrial economics as the basic information for policy making and planning of industrial development as well as problems solving or development of industrial technology.
4. Analyzing Researching, forecasting and warning of industrial economics.
5. Coordinating, accelerating, following up and evaluating the performance results of industrial development.
6. Setting up policies on industrial information surveys, storage and use, including preparing industrial indices and acting as an information technology center of industrial economics.
7. Performing other duties which are required by law as authorities of the OIE, or which are assigned by the Ministry of Industry or the cabinet

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The Third Country Training Program on “Introduction to Industrial Production Indices for Mekong Countries” is conducted by the Government of Thailand and the Government of Japan as part of their Technical Cooperation Scheme.

The course arrangements are set up by Thailand International Cooperation Agency (TICA), Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) in collaboration with Office of Industrial Economics (Thailand) (OIE).

Title

Introduction to Industrial Production Indices for Mekong Countries.

Purpose

To strengthen regional production network and competitiveness by encouraging the participating countries fully comply in implementing of industrial production indices.

Anticipated Benefits

Participants are able to gain knowledge and know-how on the following issues upon completion of the course:

1. Introduction to Economic Indicator and index of industrial production and fundamental concepts
2. Classifications and statistical units and industrial census
3. Sources and methods to obtain industrial production
4. Index compilation
5. Presentation and dissemination
6. Data revisions of rebasing for industrial indices

Venue

The Program will be conducted during 7-11 March 2021 through online conference platform organized by Office of Industrial Economics (OIE).

Invited Countries

The government of the following countries will be invited to nominate their staffs to apply for the course: Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Vietnam.

Number of participants

The total number of participants will be 25.

Language

The courses will be conducted in English.

Institution

The course will be conducted by Office of Industrial Economics (OIE), Ministry of Industry, Thailand

Qualifications

The participants are requested to have the following requirements.

- 1) be nominated by their respective Government in accordance with the procedure stipulated in Application Procedure (1);
- 2) be under fifty (50) years of age;
- 3) be a person who has more than 3-year experience related to economic indicator analyst.
- 4) have at least bachelor degree;
- 5) be going to continuously work in the field of economic indicators after the training
- 6) have a good command of English and able to contribute effectively to classroom discussions;
- 7) be in good health both physically and mentally; each participant should have a health certificate provided by an authorized physician. The medical report form is also attached together with the Nomination form. Pregnancy is regarded as a disqualifying condition for participation in the Course.
- 8) be able to fully attend the course

Application Procedure

- (1) The Government applying for the Course on behalf of its applicant(s) should forward three (3) copies of the prescribed application form and list of facilities existing for each applicant not later than **January 17, 2022** to the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand through the Royal Thai Embassy, or Consular Representative in their countries, and send one (1) copy directly to

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- (2) The Government of the Kingdom of Thailand will inform the applying governments for the applicants accepted to the Courses and will issue the invitation letter to accepted applicants not later than three (3) weeks before the commencement of the Course.

Attendance and Evaluation

Participants who have successfully completed the course will be awarded E-certificate based on:

- Real Time Online Class (not less than 80%)
- Online Class participation and discussion
- Online presentation

Country report and preparation

Prior to the training, the participants are requested to prepare a country situation report on Country's Industry Overview and Industrial Production Indices (if any). The country's reporting guidelines is attached in the Annex 1 of this document.

Objectives

- To identify the development status of Industrial Production Indices
- To understand Industrial Production Indices in term of utilization through procedure management
- To propose feasible action on how to improve the development status of Industrial Production Indices in line with each national/ development context

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Outline Course (JFY 2021)

Programme

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Day 1 (Mon 7 Mar):	<i>Classification by Industry and the methodology to obtain data</i>
08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-09.30	Opening remarks by OIE, TICA and JICA
09.30-09.45	Orientation Class
09.45-10.00	- Break - (15 mins)
10.00-12.00	Session 1: Classifications and statistical units
12.00-13.00	Lunch
13.00-16.00	Session 1 : Industrial Census Process
Day 2 (Tue 8 Mar):	<i>Classification by Industry and the methodology to obtain data (Cont.)</i>
08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-12.00	Session 2: Workshop on Session 1
12.00-13.00	Lunch
	Sampling Frame
13.00-16.00	Session 3: Sampling Frame for survey and preparing data
Day 3 (Wed 9 Mar):	The methodology of Manufacturing Productivity Index (MPI) and Analysis
08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-12.00	Session 4: The methodology of Manufacturing Productivity Index (MPI) and Analysis
12.00-13.00	Lunch
13.00-16.00	Session 5: Workshop on Session 3 & 4
Day 4 (Thu 10 Mar):	MPI Reporting
08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-12.00	Session 6: Power BI for MPI Reporting
12.00-13.00	Lunch
13.30-16.00	Session 7: Workshop on Session 6
Day 5 (Fri 11 Mar):	Presentation Day
08.30-09.00	Registration
09.00-11.30	Session 8: Country Report (Annex-1) and Country Presentation (Annex-2)
11.30-12.00	Closing Remarks by OIE, TICA and JICA

Annex-1 : Country Report for the Third Country Training Program on Introduction to Industrial Production Indices for Mekong Countries

Content of Country Report

1. Name of Participant(s)
2. Chart of Organization the participant belong to, the type of participant's current responsibility, managing, training, instructing, and job description.
3. Information and importance note
 - Country Information (1 Slide)
 - Industry Overview
 - Current development status of IPI in the country (2 Slides)
 - List of product items and number of establishments (or distribution of target) included in IPI index on the basis of its monthly surveys. (for the country that have IPI monthly report)
 - Product and Industry classification.
 - Questionnaire and survey items which are eligible for participants' home countries with conditions and requirements.
 - Processes required to collect data, develop IPI and cooperate among related organization for the participants' home countries.
 - Laws and regulations related to statistical industries survey.
 - MPI Analysis (if any)
 - Etc
 - Future project (s)/plans on IPI in the country (1-2 Slides)

Annex-2 : Country presentation on “Lessons-Learned from this program and Framework/plan for implementation”

- Lessons-Learned from this program (1-2 Slides)
- Presentation on workshop project (1-2 Slides)
- Framework/plan of how to implement “Lessons-Learned” in each country (1-2 Slides)
- What are the challenges, e.g. regulations, technologies, budgets. (1 Slide)

Note:

- Time allotted for each country presentation is 25-30 minutes including questions and answers.
- Total number of power points slides should not be more than 12 slides