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Principal statistical indicators	Unit	Current period	Current period		Cumulative	
			Value	Year-on-year % change	Value	Year-on-year % change
<b>I - GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT</b>						
At current prices	Million MOP	Q2/2009	39 016.83	-14.3	77 032.25	-13.4
Growth rate in real terms	%	Q2/2009	-13.7	..	-12.8	..
<b>II - GAMING AND TOURISM</b>						
Gross gaming revenue	Million MOP	Sep/2009	11 017.73	54.7	83 906.77	-1.8
Game of chance	Million MOP	Sep/2009	10 942.99	54.4	83 207.80	-1.8
Others	Million MOP	Sep/2009	74.74	115.5	698.96	-9.7
Visitor arrivals	No.	Aug/2009	2 065 336	6.4	14 191 418	-9.6
Mainland China	No.	Aug/2009	1 050 357	8.9	7 030 457	-14.5
Arrivals under Individual Visit Scheme	No.	Aug/2009	499 448	-15.3	3 210 754	-33.7
Hong Kong SAR	No.	Aug/2009	666 700	2.9	4 574 626	-1.6
Taiwan region	No.	Aug/2009	125 931	12.6	860 662	-4.2
Southeast Asia	No.	Aug/2009	91 361	-0.5	830 397	-10.2
Visitor arrivals in package tours	No.	Aug/2009	387 407	3.7	2 923 256	-8.4
Available hotel rooms	No.	Aug/2009	18 147	9.5	..	..
Hotel overnight guests	No.	Aug/2009	631 454	15.5	4 261 908	-1.8
Hotel occupancy rate	%	Aug/2009	80.37	3.70 <sup>a</sup>	68.74	-5.92 <sup>a</sup>
Average length of stay of hotel guests	Night	Aug/2009	1.46	0.01 <sup>a</sup>	1.41	-0.05 <sup>a</sup>
<b>III - CONSTRUCTION AND REAL ESTATE</b>						
Gross floor area of new buildings started	m <sup>2</sup>	Aug/2009	1 777	57.3	217 652	-56.8
New building units started	No.	Aug/2009	22	69.2	1 471	-26.3
Gross floor area of buildings completed	m <sup>2</sup>	Aug/2009	32 565	-65.9	808 957	140.1
Building units completed	No.	Aug/2009	4	-88.6	1 808	733.2
Building units purchased & sold	No.	Aug/2009	1 515	-0.8	8 820	-52.4
Intermediate Transfer of Title	No.	Aug/2009	360	-56.4	2 709	-62.9
Value of building units purchased & sold	Million MOP	Aug/2009	2 120.92	-10.9	12 024.06	-61.2
Intermediate Transfer of Title	Million MOP	Aug/2009	739.46	-52.0	5 574.07	-71.4

Principal statistical indicators	Unit	Current period	Current period		Cumulative	
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<b>IV - EXTERNAL MERCHANDISE TRADE</b>						
Exports	Million MOP	Aug/2009	582.07	-55.7	5 112.06	-55.3
Domestic exports	Million MOP	Aug/2009	223.70	-70.0	2 165.26	-69.5
Re-exports	Million MOP	Aug/2009	358.37	-37.0	2 946.80	-32.1
Imports	Million MOP	Aug/2009	3 086.23	-13.9	23 097.06	-20.9
Consumer goods	Million MOP	Aug/2009	1 636.42	-6.7	11 998.93	-8.2
Raw materials and semi-manufactures	Million MOP	Aug/2009	462.95	-29.2	3 740.14	-41.6
Fuels and lubricants	Million MOP	Aug/2009	470.80	-10.4	2 861.59	-26.8
Capital goods	Million MOP	Aug/2009	516.06	-20.6	4 496.40	-22.4
Trade balance	Million MOP	Aug/2009	- 2 504.15	..	- 17 985.00	..
<b>V - COMPOSITE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX</b>						
(7/2004 - 6/2005 = 100)	Index	Aug/2009	126.26	0.4	..	3.9 <sup>b</sup>
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	Index	Aug/2009	143.76	3.0	..	9.6 <sup>b</sup>
Housing and fuels	Index	Aug/2009	141.60	-1.8	..	1.3 <sup>b</sup>
<b>VI - CONSUMPTION OF WATER, ELECTRICITY AND FUELS</b>						
Water	'000 m <sup>3</sup>	Aug/2009	6 098	2.0	43 895	0 <sup>#</sup>
Electricity	Million kWh	Aug/2009	369	10.7	2 279	4.0
Gasoline	'000 L	Aug/2009	6 156	15.7	45 727	9.7
Liquefied Petroleum Gas	Tonne	Aug/2009	2 726	-0.3	26 203	-2.2
Natural gas	'000 m <sup>3</sup>	Aug/2009	10 121	31.3	69 888	40.2
<b>VII - PUBLIC ACCOUNTS</b>						
Total revenue	Million MOP	Aug/2009	4 346.01	2.2	33 894.52	-1.4
Revenue from the gaming sector	Million MOP	Aug/2009	3 657.91	3.2	26 408.73	-9.6
Total expenditure	Million MOP	Aug/2009	3 174.11	59.0	18 511.90	46.4
Balance	Million MOP	Aug/2009	1 171.90	..	15 382.62	..

Principal statistical indicators	Unit	Current period	Current period		Previous period	
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<b>VIII - EMPLOYMENT</b>						
Employed population by main industry						
Manufacturing	'000	Q2/2009	16.9	-32.6	18.9	-28.7
Construction	'000	Q2/2009	35.4	-8.2	35.5	-3.8
Wholesale and retail trade	'000	Q2/2009	41.5	3.9	41.5	13.8
Gaming	'000	Q2/2009	64.4	-5.1	64.8	-4.7
Unemployment rate of local residents	%	Q2/2009	4.5	1.1 <sup>a</sup>	4.8	1.1 <sup>a</sup>
Median monthly employment earnings	MOP	Q2/2009	8 500	6.3	8 600	4.9
Employed population	'000	Jun/2009- Aug/2009	318.8	-2.4	320.5	-1.1
Labour force participation rate	%	Jun/2009- Aug/2009	72.6	-0.6 <sup>a</sup>	72.8	-0.2 <sup>a</sup>
Unemployment rate	%	Jun/2009- Aug/2009	3.8	0.8 <sup>a</sup>	3.7	0.8 <sup>a</sup>
Non-resident workers (end-balance)	No.	Aug/2009	78 536	-23.9	81 485	-19.5
<b>IX - MONEY</b>						
Narrow money supply (M1)	Million MOP	Jul/2009	28 733.0	31.5	26 966.5	22.5
Broad money supply (M2)	Million MOP	Jul/2009	208 472.4	11.8	203 307.7	11.3
Domestic loans and advances to the private sector	Million MOP	Jul/2009	91 063.4	8.8	91 149.9	12.9
Resident deposits	Million MOP	Jul/2009	203 758.3	11.8	198 674.6	11.3
Foreign exchange reserves	Million MOP	Jul/2009	140 759.31	17.0	141 948.91	19.8
<b>X - TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS</b>						
Licensed vehicles	No.	Aug/2009	186 352	3.2	185 700	3.3
Automobiles	No.	Aug/2009	85 682	1.2	85 521	1.2
Motorcycles	No.	Aug/2009	100 670	5.0	100 179	5.2
Mobile telephone users	No.	Aug/2009	990 312	14.7	993 545	15.2
Internet services subscribers	No.	Aug/2009	135 638	4.9	133 493	3.8

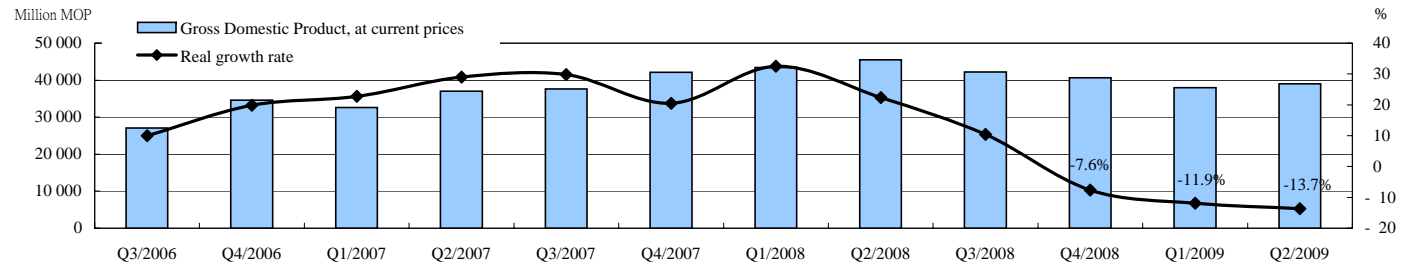
a Year-on-year change in percentage point; positive value represents an increase and negative value represents a decrease.

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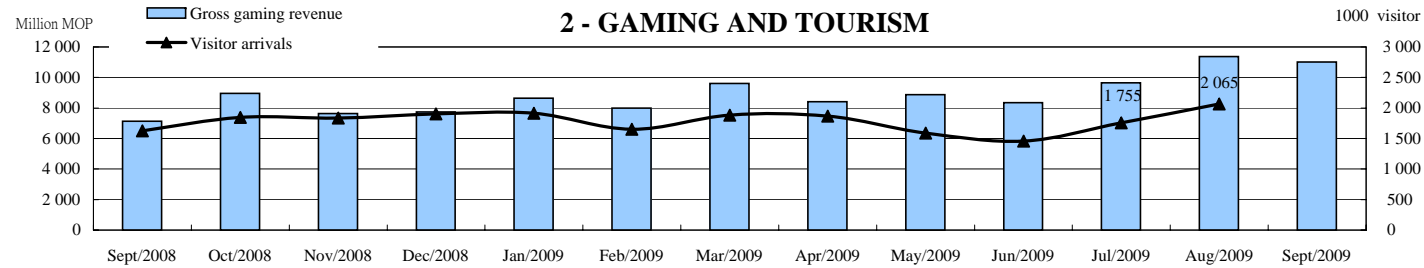
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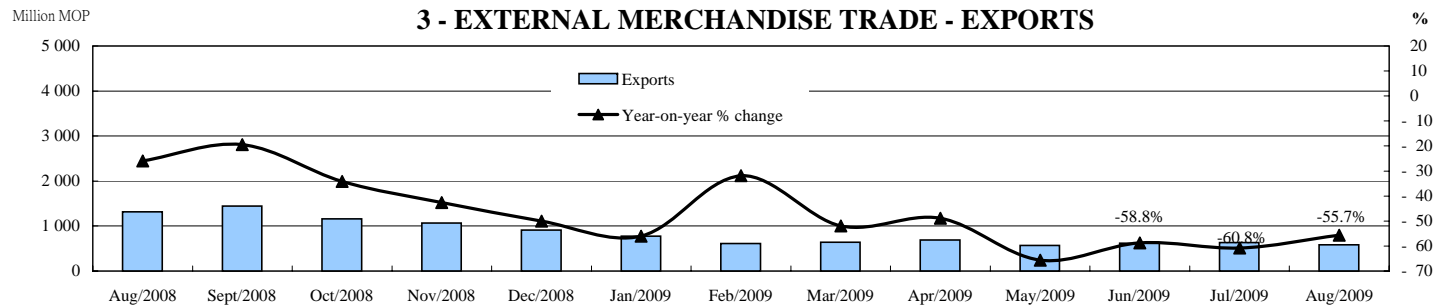
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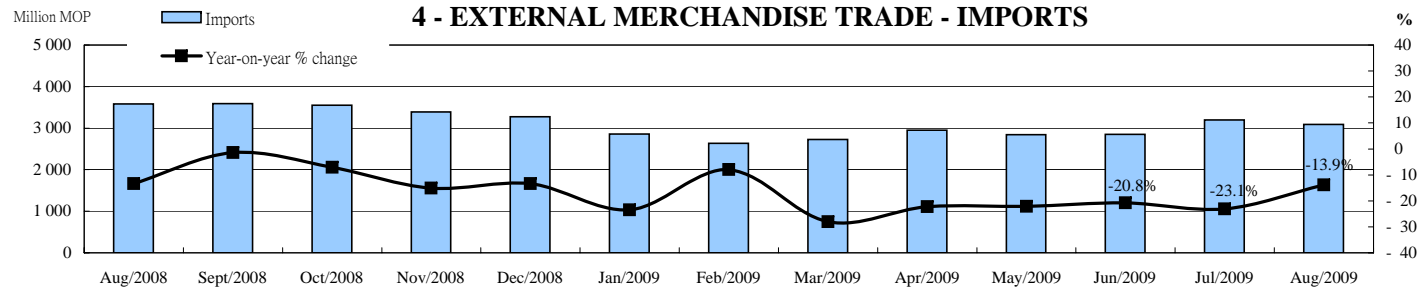
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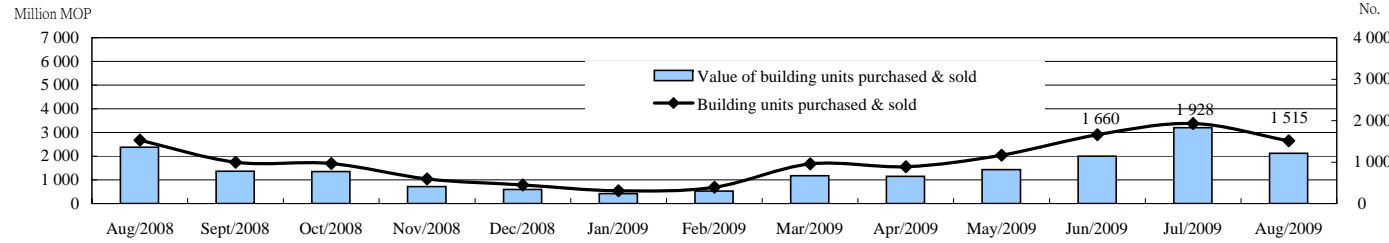
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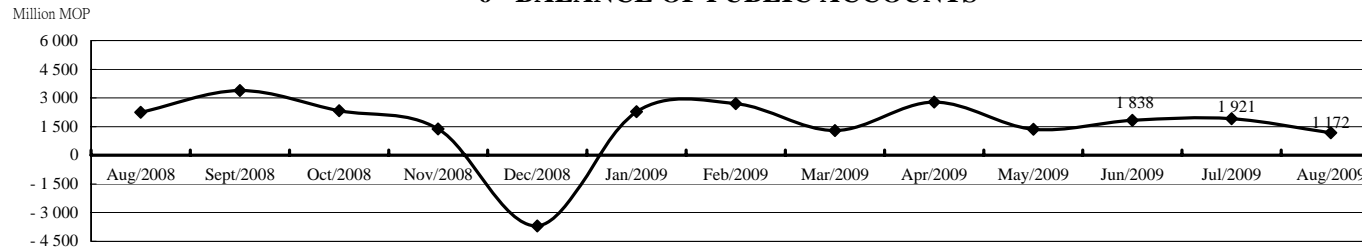
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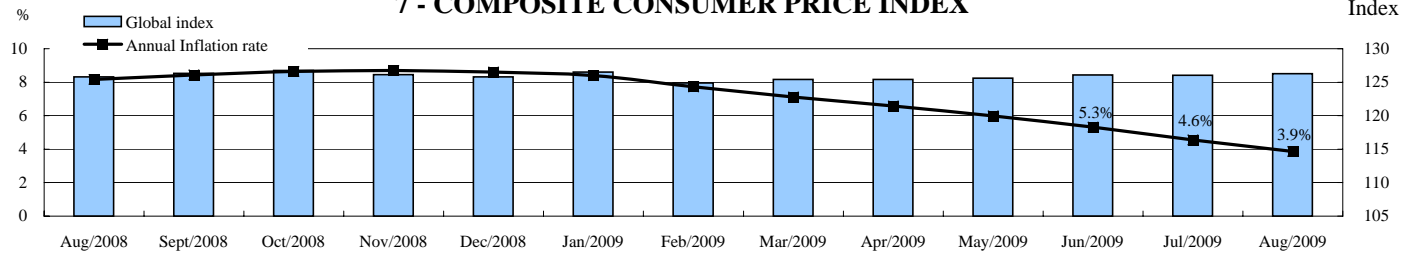
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