

Agricultural production as of August 15, 2016

	Unit: <i>Thousand ha</i>		
	Same period last year	This period	This period versus same period last year (%)
Summer-autumn rice harvest in the South	1111.4	951.3	85.6
<i>Of which:</i> Mekong Delta	1107.4	949.8	85.8
Cultivation of winter rice	1366.6	1352.0	98.9
The North	1142.7	1127.1	98.6
The South	223.9	224.9	100.4
Cultivation of other crops			
Maize	1003.6	948.8	94.5
Sweet potato	119.2	100.3	84.2
Peanut	182.2	177.4	97.4
Soya-bean	89.4	75.1	84.0
Vegetables	907.8	933.3	102.8

Industrial production index

	Unit: %			
	7 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015	August 2016 versus July 2016	August 2016 versus same period in 2015	8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015
Whole industrial sector	106.8	100.8	107.3	106.9
Mining and quarrying	96.4	96.3	94.9	96.2
Coal and lignite	99.0	117.2	130.5	101.9
Crude oil and natural gas	95.4	91.4	87.7	94.5
Others	101.9	101.4	104.9	102.3
Manufacturing	109.6	102.3	110.6	109.7
Food products	108.5	102.6	112.2	109.0
Beverages	109.5	97.3	108.6	109.4
Tobacco	104.0	98.8	104.2	104.1
Textiles	114.7	102.0	120.9	115.5
Clothes	107.5	104.0	117.9	108.9
Leather and related products	101.8	102.7	112.2	103.1
Paper and paper products	109.7	108.4	104.4	109.0
Chemicals and chemical products	102.4	92.9	103.9	102.6
Pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemical and botanical products	105.4	104.0	105.0	105.4
Rubber and plastic products	112.0	100.0	108.3	111.5
Other non-metallic mineral products	113.0	102.3	113.2	113.1
Basic metals	117.6	99.9	112.0	116.9
Prefabricated metal products (except machinery and equipment)	109.5	101.0	104.8	108.9
Computer, electronic and optical products	115.3	106.3	107.5	114.1
Electrical equipment	104.4	99.0	112.2	105.4
Motor vehicles	114.3	99.2	122.2	115.3
Other means of transport	106.3	103.5	102.6	105.8
Bed, wardrobe, table, chair	111.8	108.4	109.9	111.6
Power generation and supply	111.8	100.6	111.9	111.8
Water supply; sewage, waste management and remediation activities	106.9	101.2	106.1	106.8
Water collection, treatment and supply	108.3	102.3	108.5	108.3
Waste collection, treatment and disposal activities; materials recovery	105.1	99.8	102.9	104.8

Main industrial products

	Unit	Performance 7 months of 2016	Estimate August 2016	Accrued 8 months of 2016	August 2016 versus August 2015 (%)	8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)
Coal (pure)	'000 tons	23957.7	3268.2	27225.9	130.4	101.9
Extracted crude oil	'000 tons	9110.0	1170.0	10280.0	86.7	92.1
Natural gas (in the form of air)	MN m ³	6540.0	720.0	7260.0	92.3	104.2
Liquidized gas (LPG)	'000 tons	477.1	70.8	547.9	121.1	113.8
Processed seafood	"	1467.8	254.0	1721.8	108.2	106.8
Fresh milk	MN liters	650.6	99.5	750.1	107.1	105.3
Powder milk	'000 tons	60.7	8.7	69.4	102.2	110.0
Refined sugar	"	1118.7	3.5	1122.2	81.3	93.7
Monosodium glutamate	"	158.5	24.6	183.1	107.7	108.9
Animal feed	"	7783.9	1290.2	9074.1	125.8	121.3
Aquatic feed	"	2030.3	324.0	2354.3	109.9	108.4
Beer	MN liters	2026.3	338.9	2365.2	108.1	107.8
Cigarettes	MN packets	2977.7	448.5	3426.2	104.1	104.1
Textile fabric from natural yarn	MN m ²	182.5	23.7	206.2	87.9	96.6
Textile fabric from polyester or artificial yarn	"	408.5	55.2	463.7	111.6	105.1
Clothes	MN pieces	1889.1	318.1	2207.2	113.9	106.8
Leather footgear	MN pairs	147.0	26.2	173.2	107.7	100.0
Urea fertilizer	'000 tons	1252.6	142.1	1394.7	97.2	98.2
N.P.K mixed fertilizer	"	1336.9	177.0	1513.9	92.1	90.9
Chemical paint	"	398.2	66.2	464.4	112.9	107.8
Shampoo, hair conditioner	"	38.9	6.3	45.2	118.9	107.3
Cement	MN tons	44.1	6.5	50.6	113.1	115.2
Crude steel	'000 tons	2797.5	434.2	3231.7	110.7	115.9
Laminated steel	"	2874.5	411.0	3285.5	116.4	122.3
Steel bars and corners	"	2723.1	375.2	3098.3	104.2	113.5
Mobile phone	MN units	117.3	17.0	134.3	83.1	90.4
Television	'000 units	4344.6	964.6	5309.2	213.3	183.2
Automobile	"	130.8	19.7	150.5	119.9	121.8
Motorbike	"	1778.0	274.8	2052.8	99.0	99.3
Generated electricity	BN kwh	100.1	16.1	116.2	112.3	111.6
Running water	MN m ³	1456.1	221.4	1677.5	108.7	108.0

Consumption and stock indexes of the manufacturing

	Unit: %				
	Consumption indexes	Consumption indexes	Consumption indexes	Stock indexes as of	Stock indexes as of
	July 2016	July 2016 versus same period in 2015	7 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015	Aug. 01, 2016 versus same period last month	Aug. 01, 2016 versus same period in 2015
Whole manufacturing sector	104.4	109.1	108.1	101.2	108.9
Food products	99.9	105.5	107.4	98.8	113.4
Beverages	102.5	108.1	109.8	123.2	110.8
Tobacco	101.0	106.6	102.1	108.6	74.6
Textiles	103.5	114.4	106.9	107.4	108.6
Clothes	115.4	114.5	107.6	97.1	109.9
Leather and related products	99.3	106.1	103.3	98.7	95.7
Paper and paper products	97.1	98.0	100.8	105.9	126.4
Chemicals and chemical products	91.0	112.2	102.9	103.5	104.2
Pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemical and botanical products	96.5	99.8	104.4	98.8	95.9
Rubber and plastic products	102.0	103.3	105.4	102.6	124.4
Other non-metallic mineral products	101.2	108.2	111.5	104.7	120.7
Basic metals	116.5	113.1	110.5	100.5	104.5
Prefabricated metal products (except machinery and equipment)	99.2	111.0	110.7	99.7	87.7
Computer, electronic and optical products	104.4	119.2	116.2	156.8	230.0
Electrical equipment	107.1	106.5	107.6	104.3	81.6
Motor vehicles	123.2	125.7	116.7	87.9	130.9
Other means of transport	105.1	95.7	97.3	82.5	50.0
Bed, wardrobe, table, chair	105.5	104.8	109.5	103.0	115.8

Labor employed index (LEI) for industrial enterprises

Unit: %

	LEI as of Aug. 01, 2016 versus same period last month	LEI as of Aug. 01, 2016 versus same period in 2015
Whole industrial sector	101.4	105.0
Mining and quarrying	100.1	95.2
Coal and lignite	100.2	96.5
Crude oil and natural gas	100.0	91.9
Others	100.3	96.4
Manufacturing	101.6	105.7
Food products	101.2	98.9
Beverages	100.0	102.9
Tobacco	100.0	98.4
Textiles	100.9	108.2
Clothes	101.6	106.2
Leather and related products	102.4	105.0
Paper and paper products	100.6	100.4
Chemicals and chemical products	100.3	99.9
Pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemical and botanical products	100.7	105.0
Rubber and plastic products	101.0	108.3
Other non-metallic mineral products	100.5	98.9
Basic metals	100.8	102.1
Prefabricated metal products (except machinery and equipment)	100.9	101.8
Computer, electronic and optical products	101.8	120.3
Electrical equipment	102.8	106.2
Motor vehicles	100.8	105.1
Other means of transport	99.4	100.8
Bed, wardrobe, table, chair	103.3	106.4
Power generation and supply	100.3	100.0
Water supply; sewage, waste management and remediation activities	100.4	103.4
Water collection, treatment and supply	100.5	103.3
Waste collection, treatment and disposal activities; materials recovery	100.2	103.1

Realized investments under the State budget

	Unit: <i>BN dong</i>				
	Performance July 2016	Estimate August 2016	Accrued 8 months of 2016	8 months of 2016 versus 2016 Plan (%)	8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)
TOTAL	24007	24127	155290	60.1	112.9
Central	6105	6185	36455	58.2	117.8
<i>Of which:</i>					
Ministry of Transport	2265	2317	13419	74.9	131.1
Ministry of Agriculture & Rural Development	825	830	4244	60.1	123.7
Ministry of Health	223	232	1749	56.3	121.4
Ministry of Education & Training	260	263	1667	51.7	143.5
Ministry of Construction	95	95	617	66.5	57.2
Ministry of Natural Resources & Environment	63	64	446	49.7	106.7
Ministry of Culture, Sports & Tourism	51	52	335	49.4	99.1
Ministry of Trade & Industry	48	49	289	62.2	118.5
Ministry of Science & Technology	30	30	185	63.8	90.1
Ministry of Information & Communications	12	13	75	55.2	65.3
Local	17902	17942	118835	60.7	111.4
Provincial level	12449	12502	84147	58.5	114.5
District level	4530	4514	28688	64.6	106.5
Commune level	923	926	6000	80.0	96.2
<i>Selected localities</i>					
Ha Noi	3034	2844	19664	64.5	139.9
HCM City	1539	1649	10690	60.3	101.8
Nghe An	483	520	3563	61.7	113.2
Binh Duong	556	598	3510	54.6	135.5
Quang Ninh	541	446	3086	48.2	108.9
Vinh Phuc	498	512	3063	58.0	106.9
Ba Ria – Vung Tau	329	336	2939	47.9	106.0
Thanh Hoa	359	298	2714	65.7	110.2
Kien Giang	318	322	2531	68.1	89.1
Can Tho	364	362	2363	79.3	140.2
Dong Nai	382	392	2358	55.1	103.3
Da Nang	282	292	2332	53.3	95.9
Quang Nam	361	374	2235	55.8	109.4
Hai Phong	321	364	2185	73.2	102.6
Binh Dinh	376	403	1936	87.5	114.1
Thai Binh	284	284	1883	93.6	111.1
Ha Tinh	241	247	1728	60.8	85.0
Phu Tho	253	246	1711	89.3	110.6
Khanh Hoa	247	257	1646	48.2	98.5
Bac Ninh	223	211	1633	59.1	116.8
Quang Ngai	236	240	1619	67.1	136.5

Licensed FDI projects from January 01 to August 20, 2016

	No. of projects (Projects)	Registered capital (US\$ million)
TOTAL	1619	9795.6
By province		
Hai Phong	30	1861.1
Ha Noi	272	963.6
Binh Duong	168	897.8
Dong Nai	66	753.7
HCM City	525	710.5
Ha Nam	23	575.2
Bac Ninh	112	422.7
Bac Giang	35	356.0
Tien Giang	10	331.1
Tra Vinh	7	256.5
Ba Ria – Vung Tau	11	236.2
Long An	85	235.3
Tay Ninh	15	220.8
Quang Ninh	8	203.5
Vinh Phuc	23	186.7
Can Tho	3	175.8
Hung Yen	26	175.2
By country and geographical territory		
South Korea	517	3840.8
Singapore	127	1371.1
Special Administration Hong Kong (China)	104	818.1
Taiwan	78	558.5
China	185	552.5
Japan	220	552.0
Thailand	25	392.0
Malaysia	28	255.1
Brunei	16	187.0
Virgin Islands (UK)	24	176.4
Seychelles	25	162.3
The United Kingdom	30	152.1
France	25	121.6
The United States	43	97.8
Australia	24	90.6
Cayman Islands	5	87.9
India	15	85.1

Total retail sales of consumer goods and services

	Estimate Aug. 2016 (BN dongs)	Estimate 8 months of 2016		8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)
		Total (BN dongs)	Structure (%)	
TOTAL	292821.0	2307725.2	100.0	109.3
Retail sale	223638.8	1758653.6	76.2	109.7
Accommodation and catering service	33858.8	263680.1	11.4	106.9
Traveling service	2963.1	21169.7	0.9	107.0
Other services	32360.3	264221.8	11.5	109.0

Consumer price indexes, gold, US dollar price indexes and core inflation in August 2016

					Unit: %	
		August 2016 versus:			Average 8 months of	
		B. Y.	August	December	July	
		(2014)	2015	2015	2016	
					2016 versus same period in 2015	
CONSUMER PRICE INDEXES		102.76	102.57	102.58	100.10	101.91
Food and catering services		104.15	102.39	102.12	99.86	102.15
Of which:	Grain food	101.33	102.29	101.93	99.65	101.11
	Foodstuff	104.11	102.68	102.36	99.81	102.60
	Outdoor eating and drinking	105.67	101.78	101.63	100.10	101.96
Beverages and tobacco		103.88	102.14	101.60	100.05	102.32
Garment, hats and footgear		102.90	101.84	100.95	100.14	102.33
Housing and construction materials		101.24	102.28	102.15	99.98	102.09
Family appliances and tools		103.84	100.98	100.70	100.05	101.22
Medicaments and health service		136.28	133.98	133.14	106.18	120.67
Of which:	Medical service	148.21	145.89	144.91	108.12	127.21
Transport		81.82	90.82	95.70	98.03	90.66
Postal and communicational service		98.60	99.30	99.52	99.97	99.38
Education		109.08	104.18	102.75	100.47	104.17
Of which:	Educational service	110.32	104.66	103.13	100.50	104.57
Culture, entertainment and tourism		102.49	101.17	101.19	99.88	101.61
Others		106.14	102.37	101.85	100.11	102.11
GOLD PRICE INDEXES		108.00	117.50	117.54	101.72	103.30
US DOLLAR PRICE INDEXES		104.12	101.84	98.93	99.95	103.44
CORE INFLATION			1.83		0.09	1.81

Exports

Unit: 000 tons, US\$ million								
	Performance July 2016		Estimate August 2016		Accrued 8 months of 2016		8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)	
	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value
TOTAL VALUE		14908		15200		112190		105.5
Domestic economic sector		4411		4536		32618		104.0
FDI sector		10497		10664		79572		106.1
Crude oil		189		164		1473		53.8
Others		10308		10500		78099		108.1
MAIN ITEMS								
Aquatic products		611		620		4307		104.8
Vegetables		199		220		1572		128.0
Cashew	34	271	35	286	226	1764	105.5	113.3
Coffee	140	264	140	260	1263	2231	138.7	119.6
Tea	13	22	15	23	83	133	107.4	100.4
Pepper	14	122	14	117	135	1101	130.8	113.1
Rice	287	127	400	177	3339	1500	82.6	86.1
Cassava & products	204	62	300	84	2595	698	86.6	74.3
Coal	131	13	100	9	577	57	45.0	42.2
Crude oil	554	189	538	164	4645	1473	74.3	53.8
Petrol	145	60	150	67	1372	534	149.9	102.2
Chemicals		73		75		607		97.6
Chemical products		69		70		511		103.6
Plastic products		187		190		1428		104.8
Rubber	128	163	135	172	707	887	111.3	96.2
Hand bags, wallets, suitcases, umbrellas		288		290		2163		112.1
Rattan, bamboo, rust, carpet goods		21		20		167		100.2
Wood and products		577		580		4366		100.4
Textiles		2319		2300		15450		104.2
Footgear		1159		1150		8579		108.1
Porcelains and ceramics		32		30		278		88.3
Precious stones, metals and products		94		70		698		175.5
Iron, steel	297	178	250	156	2109	1195	130.6	104.4
Electronic goods, computers and their parts		1522		1700		11097		111.2
Telephone and spare parts		2680		2700		22303		110.6
Other machinery, equipment, tools and spare parts		896		880		6223		120.6
Electric wire and cables		69		70		560		101.9
Means of transport and spare parts		459		520		3861		100.5

Imports

Unit: '000 tons, US\$ million

	Performance July 2016		Estimate August 2016		Accrued 8 months of 2016		8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)	
	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value
TOTAL VALUE		14344		15000		109736		99.7
Domestic economic sector		5865		6150		45349		100.5
FDI sector		8479		8850		64387		99.2
MAIN ITEMS								
Aquatic products		99		110		693		96.5
Milk and dairy products		64		75		569		87.7
Vegetables and fruits		70		80		501		129.6
Wheat	153	32	450	97	2343	504	156.0	125.5
Vegetable oil and fat		50		45		399		93.7
Cattle feed and supplies		350		300		2111		94.2
Petrol	828	351	700	274	7951	3049	122.9	82.9
Liquefied gas	61	23	130	44	798	308	111.2	84.2
Other oil products		64		65		446		63.0
Chemicals		281		290		2024		94.9
Chemical products		319		360		2442		109.9
Medicament		219		230		1734		119.2
Fertilizer	447	119	380	91	2737	748	95.2	81.4
Insecticides		56		60		459	100.0	94.0
Plastic	370	514	380	523	2820	3852	115.0	100.0
Plastic products		367		400		2813		115.4
Rubber	34	54	35	55	265	404	106.2	93.5
Wood and products		125		150		1148		78.8
Paper of all kinds	160	125	170	135	1227	964	110.6	104.3
Cotton	88	138	110	182	719	1118	101.2	98.0
Textile yarn	73	139	80	150	564	1041	109.1	102.8
Fabrics		898		850		6804		102.3
Auxiliary materials for textile, footgear		416		430		3372		99.7
Iron, steel	1460	706	1500	767	12598	5259	127.3	102.1
Other metals	148	384	160	406	1203	3014	139.9	113.9
Electronics, computers and accessories		2396		2500		17520		115.5
Telephone and spare parts		824		900		6520		90.8
Machinery, equipment, tools and spare parts		2236		2400		17744		95.8
Automobile ^(*)		511		486		3867		100.6
<i>Of which: Assembled</i>	11	208	10	176	71	1592	94.2	83.2
Motorbike and spare parts		35		50		271		119.4
Other means of transport and supplies		39		60		650		41.9

^(*)Thousand units, US\$ million

Carriage of passengers and cargos

	Performance 8 months of 2016		8 months of 2016 versus same period last year (%)	
	Volume carried	Volume traffic carried	Volume carried	Volume traffic carried
A. PASSENGERS	<i>Thousand passengers</i>	<i>MN passengers-km</i>		
Total	2408014.4	113470.3	109.3	109.6
<i>By geographical range of transport</i>				
Domestic	2401770.5	95231.9	109.3	108.5
Overseas	6243.9	18238.4	110.8	115.8
<i>By types of transport</i>				
Railway	7160.2	2645.1	88.6	82.8
Seaway	4012.1	202.5	103.9	102.5
Waterway	109856.5	1914.7	105.2	105.1
Road	2260595.4	75918.9	109.5	107.9
Airway	26390.2	32789.1	127.3	117.4
B. CARGOS	<i>Thousand tons</i>	<i>MN tons-km</i>		
Total	829213.7	158887.4	109.0	103.6
<i>By geographical range of transport</i>				
Domestic	807393.1	72510.9	109.2	106.4
Overseas	21820.6	86376.5	102.5	101.4
<i>By types of transport</i>				
Railway	3437.3	2062.7	75.4	73.2
Seaway	39515.6	88008.0	103.0	100.6
Waterway	141845.1	29351.2	105.9	105.4
Road	644236.8	39021.1	110.3	112.1
Airway	178.9	444.4	128.1	120.4

International visitors to Vietnam

Unit: *Thousand arrivals*

	Estimate August 2016	Performance 8 months of 2016	August 2016 versus July 2016 (%)	August 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)	8 months of 2016 versus same period in 2015 (%)
TOTAL	899.7	6452.4	106.3	134.4	125.4
By means of transport					
Airway	779.0	5438.9	105.3	127.7	128.5
Seaway	12.5	98.9	108.7	220.6	84.6
Road	108.2	914.6	114.0	202.4	114.5
By citizenship and geographical territory					
Asia	668.0	4634.8	107.1	139.6	130.8
China	284.0	1752.5	107.6	178.6	157.9
South Korea	147.0	1005.1	125.7	141.2	137.6
Japan	69.1	482.4	120.4	109.2	112.1
Taiwan	45.2	341.3	84.1	111.9	115.4
Malaysia	26.2	252.4	99.4	106.8	114.7
Thailand	17.8	171.4	99.6	118.0	134.9
Singapore	17.8	159.5	105.3	92.9	109.2
Cambodia	14.0	120.0	66.1	160.1	87.3
Laos	12.9	84.8	79.8	107.1	126.6
Philippines	9.5	70.6	109.0	114.8	111.1
Indonesia	5.6	45.9	68.1	93.9	110.7
Special Administration Hong Kong (China)	3.4	22.8	115.0	127.6	192.8
Other Asian countries	15.5	126.1	114.7	102.3	77.9
America	52.9	503.7	82.9	117.3	113.0
Other Asian countries	42.3	386.8	82.1	118.5	114.8
Canada	7.8	83.1	86.8	114.2	113.8
Other American countries	2.8	33.8	84.7	109.9	94.4
Europe	148.5	1049.1	123.3	124.7	115.5
Russia	32.3	265.6	111.9	146.3	125.0
The United Kingdom	25.2	172.8	130.0	119.9	122.8
France	23.9	166.1	131.2	114.2	113.4
Germany	16.0	113.4	151.3	119.0	117.7
Netherlands	9.6	44.2	130.9	146.4	123.7
Spain	12.8	35.6	266.5	134.0	127.6
Italy	7.5	35.0	249.6	137.2	131.8
Sweden	1.5	27.2	53.7	125.1	124.3
Denmark	1.8	22.9	44.9	114.7	114.2
Switzerland	2.4	21.3	84.0	122.6	109.6
Belgium	2.5	17.5	67.8	108.5	108.3
Norway	1.4	17.2	35.0	109.5	109.6
Finland	0.4	11.2	75.0	86.6	102.9
Other European countries	11.2	99.1	108.6	99.2	83.7
Australia	28.0	247.0	77.7	113.8	106.7
Australia	23.3	219.0	76.1	107.5	106.7
New Zealand	4.6	27.4	86.1	167.1	126.4
Other Australian countries and territories	0.1	0.6	106.8	43.2	12.3
Africa	2.3	17.8	106.9	112.4	95.6