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UAE - Foreign Investment Statistics

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History : What we do

- ✓ In 2007, the NBS collects FDI data in UAE for the years 2005 and 2006
- ✓ NBS in collaboration with the local Centers began implementation of the survey of foreign investment from 2007 -Now .
- ✓ We are also preparing for the 2014 survey, It is expected to begin implementation of the survey in the second quarter- 2015 and completion of survey work at the end of 2015.



FI Survey , the design

✓ Questionnaire

Questionnaire was designed to be friendly to Accountants

✓ Statistical Frame

Frame consists of the big players in UAE (around 3000 companies)

✓ Statistical unit

Headquarters of the companies

FI Survey , the design

✓ Coverage

The Questionnaire is covered the following

1. Stock FDI- In UAE.
2. Stock FDI abroad.
3. Portfolio investment in UAE.
4. Portfolio investment abroad
5. Other investment in UAE
6. Other investment abroad

Foreign Trade on Services

Before 2010 some indicators about foreign trade on services was included in our questionnaire .

Because of non response, now we didn't collect any information about trade of services through FIS.

Foreign Trade on Services data

collected data include the inflows and outflows “from/to affiliated non-resident enterprises” for :

- ❖ Insurance services
- ❖ Freight services
- ❖ Royalties and license fees
- ❖ Operational leasing
- ❖ Communication services
- ❖ Computer and information services
- ❖ Business, professional, technical services
- ❖ Other services

Foreign affiliate trade statistics Data

For foreign affiliate trade , collected indicators include:

- ❖ No. of Workers
- ❖ Total Revenue
- ❖ Profit (net)
- ❖ Total dividends paid
- ❖ Total exports of goods (to DI& non-resident related parties)
- ❖ Total imports of goods (from DI& non-resident related parties)



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What's next:

Moving from survey only to produce the IIP



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Thank you

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