

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (by type of expenditure) - at 1980 prices
billions of francs and percentage change from previous period

	1996				1997				1998				1996	1997	1998
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4			
Gross Domestic Product	946.9	945.5	952.9	956.2	957.9	968.8	977.8	985.2	992.5	998.6	1007.7	1013.3	3801.5	3889.8	4012.2
% change from previous period	1.4	-0.1	0.8	0.3	0.2	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.9	0.6	1.6	2.3	3.1
Imports	277.9	274.9	279.7	287.2	286.1	298.8	308.5	312.8	320.7	322.2	327.1	331.3	1119.7	1206.3	1301.2
% change from previous period	3.0	-1.1	1.8	2.7	-0.4	4.5	3.2	1.4	2.5	0.5	1.5	1.3	3.0	7.7	7.9
Total resources	1224.8	1220.4	1232.6	1243.3	1244.0	1267.6	1286.3	1298.1	1313.2	1320.8	1334.8	1344.6	4921.2	5096.0	5313.4
% change from previous period	1.8	-0.4	1.0	0.9	0.0	1.9	1.5	0.9	1.2	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.9	3.6	4.3
Households' final consumption	575.7	569.6	575.6	571.9	572.7	573.0	581.0	586.7	590.6	596.7	603.4	607.4	2292.8	2313.5	2398.2
% change from previous period	2.5	-1.1	1.1	-0.6	0.1	0.0	1.4	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.7	2.0	0.9	3.7
General government final consumption	183.0	184.2	185.2	186.0	186.2	186.5	187.0	187.6	188.3	189.1	189.9	190.6	738.5	747.3	757.8
% change from previous period	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	2.6	1.2	1.4
Total investment (GFCF)	189.0	189.2	189.2	189.1	187.0	189.0	190.2	190.7	194.5	196.0	198.3	199.7	756.6	756.9	788.5
% change from previous period	-0.2	0.1	0.0	-0.1	-1.1	1.1	0.7	0.2	2.0	0.8	1.1	0.7	-0.5	0.0	4.2
Exports	282.9	277.5	287.7	296.2	301.5	320.3	330.4	335.5	338.0	336.7	340.0	342.7	1144.3	1287.6	1357.4
% change from previous period	5.4	-1.9	3.7	2.9	1.8	6.2	3.2	1.5	0.8	-0.4	1.0	0.8	5.2	12.5	5.4
Inventory changes	-5.8	-0.1	-5.2	0.1	-3.4	-1.2	-2.3	-2.4	1.9	2.2	3.3	4.1	-10.9	-9.3	11.5
Total uses	1224.8	1220.4	1232.6	1243.3	1244.0	1267.6	1286.3	1298.1	1313.2	1320.8	1334.8	1344.6	4921.2	5096.0	5313.4
% change from previous period	1.8	-0.4	1.0	0.9	0.0	1.9	1.5	0.9	1.2	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.9	3.6	4.3

SOURCES AND USES OF MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS
(at 1980 prices, per cent change previous period)

	1996				1997				1998				1996	1997	1998
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4			
Actual production	0.8	0.5	1.5	-0.4	0.3	3.6	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.9	1.7	0.5	1.1	4.7	5.7
of which value added	0.8	1.8	0.9	-0.1	0.8	3.2	1.4	0.3	1.9	0.7	1.7	0.5	2.0	4.9	5.2
intermediate consumption	0.7	-0.3	1.9	-0.6	0.0	3.9	1.3	2.0	1.0	1.0	1.7	0.5	0.6	4.6	6.0
Imports	2.5	-2.5	4.6	0.8	0.2	6.1	3.8	2.0	2.8	0.6	1.8	1.5	2.3	9.8	9.7
VAT	2.6	1.7	-1.0	-1.5	-0.3	2.6	3.5	6.0	-1.0	-1.9	0.8	0.4	0.1	3.6	4.7
Trade margins	1.6	-1.7	2.3	-0.8	0.9	0.9	1.7	0.3	2.4	2.1	2.4	0.9	1.4	2.6	6.8
Total resources	1.4	-0.5	2.3	-0.2	0.3	3.9	2.1	1.6	1.8	0.8	1.8	0.8	1.4	5.7	6.8
Intermediate uses	0.7	-0.4	1.5	-0.4	0.2	3.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.8	1.4	0.5	0.5	4.1	5.3
Household's consumption	4.0	-2.0	2.8	-3.5	0.6	-0.4	3.0	1.3	1.5	0.7	2.5	0.9	2.1	0.4	6.0
General government consumption	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	1.8	2.2	0.9
Total investment (GFCF)	1.1	1.7	1.8	0.1	-2.4	2.3	1.7	0.8	3.9	2.0	1.8	0.9	3.6	1.8	8.9
of which Corporate sector (1)	0.0	1.2	1.5	-0.1	-2.9	2.7	2.0	0.9	4.4	2.3	2.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	10.1
Exports	4.9	-1.3	4.8	1.7	2.1	7.2	3.0	3.4	1.0	-1.4	1.5	1.0	5.8	13.8	6.8
Total uses excluding inventories	2.5	-0.7	2.6	-0.5	0.5	3.3	2.1	1.8	1.5	0.3	1.7	0.8	2.5	5.3	6.1
Inventory changes (billions of '80 francs)	-7.0	-5.3	-7.7	-5.0	-6.2	-2.1	-2.4	-4.4	-2.2	2.3	3.0	3.3	-25.1	-15.0	6.4
Domestic demand (2)	0.3	-0.2	1.5	-0.8	-0.3	2.8	1.7	0.9	2.1	1.7	1.9	0.7	0.0	3.0	6.8
Domestic demand excl. inventories (3)	1.8	-0.5	1.9	-1.3	-0.1	2.0	1.8	1.3	1.7	0.9	1.7	0.7	1.5	2.5	5.9

(1) Corporate and quasi-corporate enterprises (including unincorporated enterprises).

(2) Total resources - exports

(3) Total resources - (exports + inventory changes)

PRODUCTION (per sector) - at 1980 prices
percentage change from previous period

	1996				1997				1998				1996	1997	1998
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4			
Food	1.5	-0.3	2.0	0.3	-0.6	1.3	-0.2	0.8	-0.2	-0.5	0.0	0.5	2.5	1.6	0.3
Energy	6.6	-3.5	-0.1	2.3	-1.2	1.2	0.2	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.6	4.0	0.8	2.9
Manufacturing	0.8	0.5	1.5	-0.4	0.3	3.6	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.9	1.7	0.5	1.1	4.7	5.7
Construction	-1.2	-1.6	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.6	-0.4	0.8	0.7	-3.5	-0.4	1.1
Trade	1.7	-2.1	2.3	-0.1	0.5	0.8	1.4	-0.1	1.7	2.4	2.0	0.8	1.0	2.3	5.6
Transports, telecom., private services	2.0	-1.8	1.9	0.5	-0.5	1.9	0.9	2.1	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	2.1	2.8	4.1
Financial services	7.3	6.4	5.0	4.2	3.7	4.1	6.0	6.4	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.0	28.5	19.9	27.7
Total	2.3	0.0	2.1	0.8	0.4	2.4	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.8	2.1	1.7	4.7	5.4	8.0

HOUSEHOLDS' CONSUMPTION - at 1980 prices
percentage change from previous period

	1996				1997				1998				1996	1997	1998
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4			
Food	1.2	-1.2	0.1	0.8	-0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	-1.0	1.6	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.8	1.5
Energy	4.0	-2.7	1.4	0.8	-3.2	0.5	2.6	-2.2	0.6	3.2	0.3	0.7	3.2	-1.5	3.1
Manufactured products	4.0	-2.0	2.8	-3.5	0.6	-0.4	3.0	1.3	1.5	0.7	2.5	0.9	2.1	0.4	6.0
of which intermediate goods	-0.3	-0.7	1.6	0.1	1.0	0.5	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.7	2.5	2.4
Professional investment goods	9.2	-8.5	6.1	1.1	-1.4	11.0	7.2	7.0	3.8	1.2	0.7	0.7	6.7	14.4	17.3
Transport equipment	11.4	-4.1	12.8	-14.7	-4.6	-3.0	10.5	-1.9	1.8	-2.9	10.8	1.5	7.4	-9.1	8.2
Consumer current goods	1.9	-0.7	0.3	-0.9	1.9	-0.7	0.8	2.1	1.2	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.7	1.6	3.9
Home equipment goods	3.1	-2.7	-1.6	0.2	3.3	0.2	2.8	-0.9	2.6	7.7	0.9	0.8	-0.3	3.3	10.0
Building, civil engineering	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	2.0	1.0	1.6
Transports and telecommunications	8.6	0.2	1.0	0.1	1.8	0.1	1.9	2.0	2.4	1.0	0.7	0.5	5.0	4.0	6.2
Private services	0.9	-0.4	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.7	1.8	2.3	2.8
Insurance and banking	0.3	0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.8	-0.5	1.7
Total trade consumption (1)	2.5	-1.1	1.1	-0.7	0.1	0.0	1.4	1.0	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.7	2.0	0.9	3.7
Non trade consumption	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	2.8	2.5	1.8
Total (1)	2.5	-1.1	1.1	-0.6	0.1	0.0	1.4	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.7	2.0	0.9	3.7

(1) territorial correction is included in trade consumption and in total consumption