Quality of Declaration

Name (please insert survey name)
Quarterly Account Department

Content
Time
Accuracy
Comparability
Data Accessibility

Sector (survey sector: social, economic, agricultural, etc.)
Economic, Agricultural, Administrative Records

Directorate and contact person (the directorate conducting the survey and the responsible person, and contact details)
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Purpose and historical reference
Purpose (please write down the survey purposes)
- Estimating Quarterly GDP in production method at current and constant price
- Estimating Quarterly growth rates.

Historical reference (please indicate the year the survey started)
The First Estimate of GDP was in 1992.

Users and Applications:
Users: economists, Researchers in Economic field, the Central Bank, Ministry of Finance, private sector
Applications: Formulation and implementation of government's fiscal policies, building economic decisions.

Source (please write all data resources)
Data are collected through surveys: (agricultural (animal, vegetable), extractive and manufacturing industries, transport, construction, services and foreign trade) / index numbers from the prices section / administrative records

Authorized organization to collect and publish data
Department of Public Statistics under Law No. 12 of 2012
1. Contents
1-1 Content description
GDP is published at current and fixed prices, existing production, intermediate consumption, workers' compensation, production and wear taxes are published, and growth rates are published.
1-2 statistical definitions
- GDP at market prices (GDP): The market value of the final goods and services produced by the economy over a specified period of time is usually one year, and is also expressed as the total value added at the basic prices achieved by all resident productive units plus taxes on products minus product subsidies.
- Total Value Added (GVA): The product of the intermediate consumption offering at buyers' prices from total production at basic prices.
- Intermediate consumption: Is the total value of goods and services consumed as inputs to the production process except for assets whose consumption is restricted

as a consumption of fixed capital, and may convert or consume the goods and services used entirely.
- Existing production: An activity carried out under the supervision and responsibility of an institutional unit that uses labor, capital, goods and services as inputs to produce outputs of goods and services, and there must be an institutional unit that is responsible for the production process and owns goods such as outputs or services for which it is entitled to receive a price or compensation.
- Employee compensation: Includes the total amount of cash and in kind payable by the employer in a project to employees in exchange for work performed by these employees during the accounting period, whether paid in advance or coinciding with the performance of the work or after the end of the work.

1-3 variables
Economic activity, enterprise category, intermediate consumption, main production
1-4 Classifications (basis of details in the tables)
Consolidated Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities Fourth revision.

2- Time
2-1 reference period (during which the data is collected)
Data is collected after 90 days at the end of the quarter.
2-2 date of dissemination
Data is disseminated after 90 days at the end of the quarter of the year based on the SDDS Standard Dissemination System.
2-3 commitment to date of dissemination
Data is disseminated on the date specified by SDDS Standard.
2-4 periodicity
Data is disseminated in current prices and base year prices at sector level in accordance with the UN National Accounts System.
2-5 availability of time series (mention available time series of this survey)
There is a quarterly time from 2008 to Q3 2021 for current and constant prices.

3- Accuracy
3-1 overall accuracy (very high if all items in checklist are implemented, high if two thirds are implemented, medium if less than half the items are implemented)
High.
3-2 sources of inaccuracy
Occurs when:-
- Annual estimates are not available on specific time.
- Failure to provide data on specific time.

3-3 available accuracy measures
Denton's technique is used to combine quarterly and annual indicators and growth rate also.

4- Comparability
4-1 comparability over time (ability to compare data with previously published data)
This data is comparable to previously produced data due to the use of the same methodology and the application of international standards.
4-2comparability with other statistics (ability to compare data with figures in other surveys, and with other countries)
These data are comparable to other statistics that use the same international definitions and characterizations relating to indices and economic surveys

5- data accessibility

5-1 publication formats (how can the user access the data, e.g. DOS website, paper copies, etc..)

The data is published in printed and electronic format on DOS website:

dos.gov.jo/ar/national account/quarterly-account