### **Quality of Declaration**

Name (please insert survey name) Annual Account Department

<u>Content</u> <u>Time</u> <u>Accuracy</u> <u>Comparability</u> Data Accessibili

Sector (survey sector: social, economic, agricultural, <u>Data Accessibility</u> etc.)

Economic , Agricultural, Administrative Records

# Directorate and contact person (the directorate conducting the survey and the responsile person, and contact details)

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#### **Purpose and historical reference**

**Purpose (please write down the survey purposes)** 

Estimate Annual GDP in several ways :

The method of production at current and constant price. And in the way of Spending and income at current prices, and Estimating Annual growth rates.

Historical reference (please indicate the year the

#### survey started)

The First Estimate of GDP was in 1968

**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 collected through economic and agricultural surveys and 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, worker numbers, intermediate consumption, main production and secondary production, workers' compensation, capital formation, production taxes, and product taxes.

**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 annually

2-2 date of dissemination

Data is published annually

2-3 commitment to date of dissemination

Publication dates are adhered to.

2-4 periodicity

Annually, there are some surveys that may be two years or more, such as a survey of family income and expenses, and administrative records.

2-5 availability of time series (mention available time series of this survey)

A time series from 1976 to 2009 published in excel format, and PDF is available on the Statistics Department website.

A series of 2010-2016 published in interactive data format is available on the Statistics Department website.

## **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** 

A slight deviation in the sample and compensation for lost values.

**3-3 available accuracy measures** 

Comparison to a year earlier.

## **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.

4-2 comparability 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: <u>http://www.dos.gov.jo/dos\_home\_a/main/economic/price\_num</u>