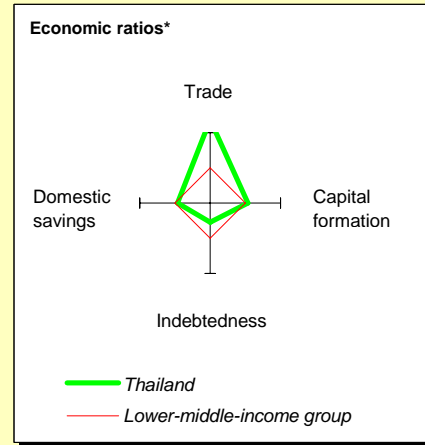
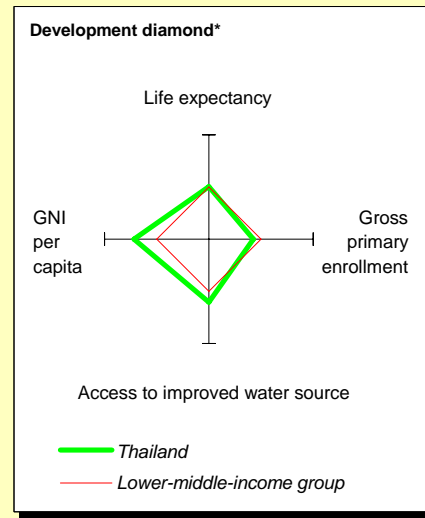


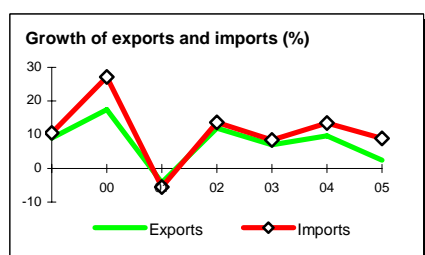
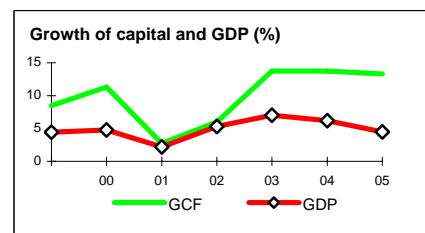
Thailand at a glance

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	Thailand	East Asia & Pacific	Lower-middle-income		
POVERTY and SOCIAL					
2005					
Population, mid-year (millions)	64.2	1,885	2,475		
GNI per capita (Atlas method, US\$)	2,750	1,627	1,918		
GNI (Atlas method, US\$ billions)	176.6	3,067	4,747		
Average annual growth, 1999-05					
Population (%)	0.9	0.9	1.0		
Labor force (%)	1.4	1.3	1.4		
Most recent estimate (latest year available, 1999-05)					
Poverty (% of population below national poverty line)	..	..	..
Urban population (% of total population)	32	41	50		
Life expectancy at birth (years)	71	70	70		
Infant mortality (per 1,000 live births)	18	29	33		
Child malnutrition (% of children under 5)	..	15	12		
Access to an improved water source (% of population)	99	79	82		
Literacy (% of population age 15+)	93	91	89		
Gross primary enrollment (% of school-age population)	97	115	114		
Male	100	116	115		
Female	95	114	113		
KEY ECONOMIC RATIOS and LONG-TERM TRENDS					
	1985	1995	2004	2005	
GDP (US\$ billions)	38.9	167.9	161.7	176.6	
Gross capital formation/GDP	28.2	42.1	27.1	31.1	
Exports of goods and services/GDP	23.2	41.8	70.5	73.7	
Gross domestic savings/GDP	25.5	35.4	31.8	28.8	
Gross national savings/GDP	24.3	34.0	31.2	29.0	
Current account balance/GDP	-4.0	-7.9	4.4	-2.1	
Interest payments/GDP	2.3	1.6	0.8	..	
Total debt/GDP	45.0	59.6	31.7	..	
Total debt service/exports	31.9	11.3	10.3	..	
Present value of debt/GDP	30.7	..	
Present value of debt/exports	41.4	..	
	1985-95	1995-05	2004	2005	2005-09
<i>(average annual growth)</i>					
GDP	9.8	2.5	6.2	4.5	5.3
GDP per capita	8.2	1.6	5.3	3.6	5.0
Exports of goods and services	17.0	7.2	9.6	2.4	7.4



	1985	1995	2004	2005
STRUCTURE of the ECONOMY				
<i>(% of GDP)</i>				
Agriculture	15.8	9.5	10.1	9.6
Industry	31.8	40.7	43.5	46.9
Manufacturing	21.9	29.9	34.5	36.6
Services	52.3	49.7	46.4	43.5
Household final consumption expenditure	61.0	54.7	57.1	61.1
General gov't final consumption expenditure	13.5	9.9	11.1	10.1
Imports of goods and services	25.9	48.6	65.8	75.8
	1985-95	1995-05	2004	2005
<i>(average annual growth)</i>				
Agriculture	2.1	2.3	-4.8	-5.0
Industry	13.5	3.6	8.0	7.5
Manufacturing	14.0	4.7	8.2	8.0
Services	9.2	1.5	6.9	3.2
Household final consumption expenditure	8.5	2.6	6.0	5.2
General gov't final consumption expenditure	4.8	3.3	4.7	19.4
Gross capital formation	15.5	-2.9	13.8	13.3
Imports of goods and services	19.0	4.1	13.5	8.9

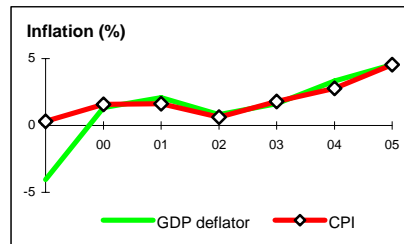


Note: 2005 data are preliminary estimates.

* The diamonds show four key indicators in the country (in bold) compared with its income-group average. If data are missing, the diamond will be incomplete.

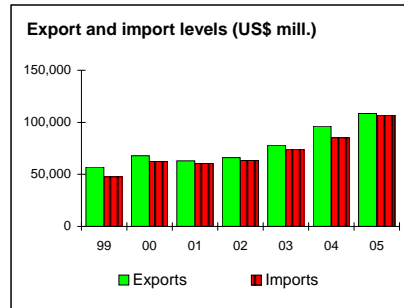
PRICES and GOVERNMENT FINANCE

	1985	1995	2004	2005
Domestic prices				
<i>(% change)</i>				
Consumer prices	2.4	5.8	2.8	4.5
Implicit GDP deflator	2.2	5.6	3.3	4.6
Government finance				
<i>(% of GDP, includes current grants)</i>				
Current revenue	15.4	18.2	17.1	17.6
Current budget balance	-0.6	7.8	3.2	3.3
Overall surplus/deficit	-4.9	3.2	0.0	0.0



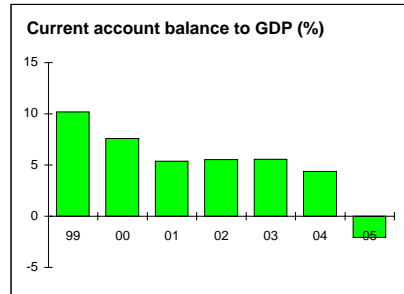
TRADE

	1985	1995	2004	2005
<i>(US\$ millions)</i>				
Total exports (fob)	7,059	55,731	96,064	108,574
Rice	826	1,960	2,694	3,060
Rubber	501	2,472	3,433	3,250
Manufactures	3,304	46,442	84,780	96,674
Total imports (cif)	9,248	70,383	85,000	107,109
Food	431	1,471	1,767	1,928
Fuel and energy	2,088	4,622	13,252	15,651
Capital goods	..	32,148	40,805	35,257
Export price index (2000=100)	..	..	114	126
Import price index (2000=100)	..	..	125	142
Terms of trade (2000=100)	..	..	92	89



BALANCE of PAYMENTS

	1985	1995	2004	2005
<i>(US\$ millions)</i>				
Exports of goods and services	9,100	70,590	115,114	129,040
Imports of goods and services	10,160	82,197	108,154	132,706
Resource balance	-1,060	-11,607	6,960	-3,667
Net income	-643	-2,114	-2,023	-2,476
Net current transfers	165	487	2,150	2,494
Current account balance	-1,537	-13,234	7,087	-3,648
Financing items (net)	1,620	20,470	-1,352	9,311
Changes in net reserves	-82	-7,236	-5,735	-5,663
Memo:				
Reserves including gold (US\$ millions)	3,004	37,027	49,832	54,328
Conversion rate (DEC, local/US\$)	27.2	24.9	40.2	40.2



EXTERNAL DEBT and RESOURCE FLOWS

	1985	1995	2004	2005
<i>(US\$ millions)</i>				
Total debt outstanding and disbursed	17,509	100,039	51,307	..
IBRD	2,202	1,805	483	386
IDA	105	102	76	73
Total debt service	3,260	8,587	12,376	..
IBRD	232	336	1,867	157
IDA	1	3	4	4
Composition of net resource flows				
Official grants	120	99	57	..
Official creditors	556	492	-2,650	..
Private creditors	920	5,825	714	..
Foreign direct investment (net inflows)	163	2,068	1,412	..
Portfolio equity (net inflows)	44	2,123	-295	..
World Bank program				
Commitments	113	190	0	..
Disbursements	285	146	33	30
Principal repayments	75	203	1,651	131
Net flows	210	-57	-1,618	-101
Interest payments	158	136	219	30
Net transfers	51	-193	-1,838	-131

