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APO Productivity Databook 2011 **(upcoming on 27 May 2011)**

This is the fourth edition of the *APO Productivity Databook* series, which provides a cross-country comparative analysis of the economic growth and productivity levels of APO member and non-member economies. This year, by adding five countries from the Gulf Cooperation Council for the first time, the fourth edition now offers data on crucial economic indicators for a total of 29 Asian economies and two reference economies, i.e., the USA and EU. The analysis of total factor productivity is expanded to 13 Asian economies, with Hong Kong, Malaysia, Mongolia, Singapore, and Vietnam newly added.

Impact of Business Excellence / Quality Awards on Enterprises (upcoming in June 2011)

This volume contains research on applications of the business excellence framework and their impact in the Republic of China, India, Japan, Singapore, and Thailand. The results and analyses are based on data collected from a survey of 74 companies and 21 discussion groups, as well as interviews with 13 quality award-winning enterprises.