Asian Quarterly Growth Map available on Web site

he Research and Planning Department has been conducting a major productivity measurement research project, the Productivity Database, since 2007. Over the past three years, the APO in collaboration with Keio Economic Observatory of Keio University has accumulated substantive data on important economic indicators of productivity and growth for its member countries.

The APO is happy to announce that the Asian Quarterly Growth Map (AQGM) has been launched on the APO Web site to share the APO

Productivity Database research results with the public. The AQGM provides useful economic growth information on APO member countries



in comparison with other countries in Asia and beyond through updates on the latest real quarterly GDP growth. The information reflects growth opportunities in the constantly changing global economic context. The AQGM also includes macroeconomic indicators extracted from data collected for the *APO Productivity Databook*, including labor productivity growth, annual GDP growth, annual consumer price index changes, and real income. Graphics allow viewers to understand short-term quarterly growth trends of the selected economies quickly, easily, and clearly.

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