



RELEASE OF ADVANCE GDP ESTIMATES FOR FIRST QUARTER 2009

The Ministry of Trade and Industry will release the advance GDP estimates¹ for the first quarter of 2009 on 14 April 2009 (Tuesday), at 8.00 a.m. on the MTI Homepage (<http://www.mti.gov.sg>), the Department of Statistics Homepage (<http://www.singstat.gov.sg>) and the SG Press Centre Homepage (<http://www.news.gov.sg>).

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¹ The advance GDP estimates for the first quarter of 2009 are computed largely from the first two months of the quarter (i.e. January and February 2009). They are intended as an early indication of the GDP growth in the quarter, and may be revised when more comprehensive data become available. Due to incomplete data, disaggregated advance GDP estimates will be available for the manufacturing, construction and services producing industries only.