

Appendix table 4-2

Purchasing power parity and purchasing power parity/market exchange rate ratios, by selected country: 1981–2004

(Foreign currency/U.S. dollar)

Year	PPP										Market exchange rate/PPP				
	Canada	China	France	Germany ^a	Italy	Japan	South Korea	Russian Federation	Taiwan	United Kingdom	China	Germany ^a	Japan	South Korea	Taiwan
1981.....	1.17	—	0.83	1.07	0.41	220.26	416.43	—	—	0.49	—	1.08	1.00	1.64	—
1982.....	1.20	—	0.87	1.06	0.46	212.05	420.44	—	—	0.49	—	1.17	1.17	1.74	—
1983.....	1.21	—	0.92	1.05	0.51	208.81	428.63	—	—	0.50	—	1.24	1.14	1.81	—
1984.....	1.21	—	0.95	1.03	0.54	207.68	436.30	—	—	0.50	—	1.41	1.14	1.85	—
1985.....	1.21	—	0.97	1.02	0.57	206.15	442.81	—	—	0.52	—	1.47	1.16	1.96	—
1986.....	1.22	—	0.99	1.03	0.61	205.02	455.40	—	—	0.52	—	1.07	0.82	1.94	—
1987.....	1.24	—	1.00	1.02	0.63	200.08	468.06	—	—	0.54	—	0.90	0.72	1.76	—
1988.....	1.25	—	0.99	1.00	0.65	194.92	486.74	—	—	0.55	—	0.89	0.66	1.50	—
1989.....	1.26	—	0.99	0.99	0.66	192.13	495.88	—	—	0.57	—	0.97	0.72	1.35	—
1990.....	1.25	1.25	0.98	0.98	0.69	189.43	528.53	—	19.06	0.59	3.83	0.84	0.76	1.34	1.41
1991.....	1.25	1.29	0.97	0.98	0.72	188.41	566.16	—	19.30	0.61	4.14	0.86	0.72	1.30	1.39
1992.....	1.23	1.35	0.97	1.01	0.73	187.17	595.64	0.02	19.19	0.62	4.08	0.79	0.68	1.31	1.31
1993.....	1.22	1.51	0.97	1.02	0.74	183.93	623.38	0.17	19.45	0.62	3.82	0.83	0.60	1.29	1.36
1994.....	1.21	1.77	0.96	1.03	0.75	180.30	657.28	0.68	19.45	0.62	4.86	0.81	0.57	1.22	1.36
1995.....	1.22	1.93	0.96	1.02	0.77	175.79	690.04	1.63	19.20	0.62	4.32	0.72	0.54	1.12	1.38
1996.....	1.21	2.01	0.95	1.01	0.79	171.19	711.81	2.32	19.57	0.63	4.13	0.76	0.64	1.13	1.40
1997.....	1.21	2.00	0.93	1.01	0.81	168.87	732.44	2.59	19.89	0.62	4.15	0.88	0.72	1.30	1.44
1998.....	1.19	1.91	0.93	1.01	0.80	166.86	766.56	2.97	20.52	0.63	4.32	0.89	0.78	1.83	1.63
1999.....	1.19	1.85	0.93	1.00	0.81	162.04	754.89	5.07	19.81	0.64	4.47	0.94	0.70	1.57	1.63
2000.....	1.21	1.83	0.93	0.99	0.82	155.48	744.23	6.93	19.14	0.64	4.52	1.09	0.69	1.52	1.63
2001.....	1.20	1.81	0.91	0.99	0.83	149.55	752.64	7.99	18.80	0.63	4.58	1.13	0.81	1.72	1.80
2002.....	1.19	1.79	0.91	0.98	0.85	145.54	762.14	9.09	18.40	0.63	4.63	1.08	0.86	1.64	1.88
2003.....	1.21	1.81	0.91	0.98	0.86	139.59	766.76	10.09	17.90	0.64	4.57	0.91	0.83	1.55	1.92
2004.....	1.20	—	0.91	0.97	0.86	134.82	768.93	—	—	0.64	—	—	—	—	—

— = data not used

PPP = purchasing power parity

^aData for 1981–90 for West Germany.SOURCES: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, *Main Science and Technology Indicators* (2004); and CIA World Factbook (for Taiwan, 2003 exchange rate).

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