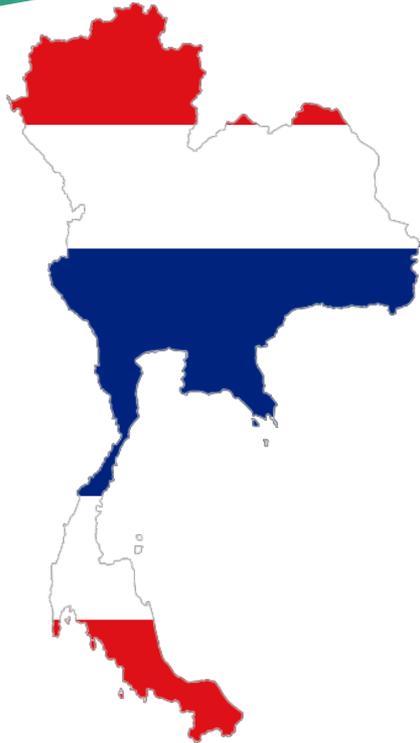


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Overview of Thailand



- **Thailand** is a country in Southeast Asia.
- Capital: **Bangkok**
- Thailand is divided into **77 provinces**.
- Area: **513,120 square kilometres**
- Population: **66.4 million (2018)**
- Currency: **Thai Baht (THB)**
- Official language: **Thai**
- GDP: **4.1 (2018)**

Outline

- ICP – Background in Thailand
- ICP by Office of The National Economic and Social Development Council (NESDC)
- ICP by Trade Policy Strategy Office, Ministry of Commerce

■ ICP – Background in Thailand

Thailand has been one of 23 countries in Asia Pacific attended International Comparison Program for Asia and the Pacific (ICP Asia Pacific) of Asia Development Bank (ADB) since 2003.

The purpose of ICP Asia Pacific is to initiate Purchasing Power Parities (PPP) of countries in the Asia Pacific. However, ICP consists of 147 country, members in OECD, Africa, Asia-Pacific, Latin America & Caribbean, West Asia and CIS.

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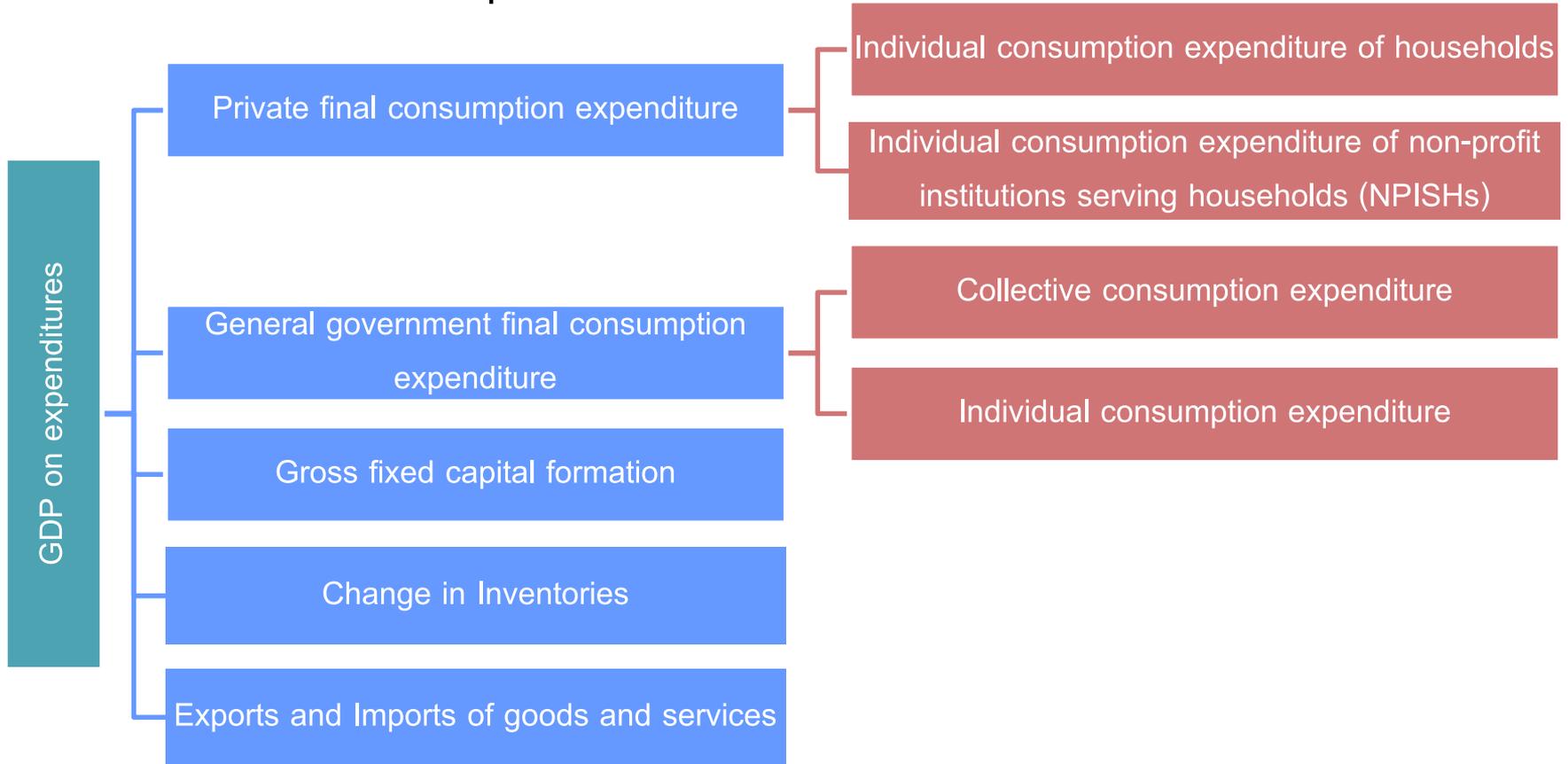
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Organization Responsible:

- NESDC is responsible for GDP compilation. The compilation of GDP by expenditure approach composes of 155 components.
- Trade Policy Strategy Office is responsible for conducting the retail price survey.

■ ICP by NESDC

Broad Structure of GDP Expenditures:



Splitting 2017 GDP Expenditures into 155 Basic Headings

Data Collection:

Category/Group/BH	Data Source
INDIVIDUAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLDS excluding HOUSING	1. HH Expenditure Survey 2. CPI base year 2010
INDIVIDUAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLDS- HOUSING: ACTUAL RENTS	1. HH Expenditure Survey 2. CPI base year 2010
INDIVIDUAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY HOUSEHOLDS- HOUSING: IMPUTED RENTS	1. HH Expenditure Survey 2. CPI base year 2010

Category/Group/BH	Data Source
INDIVIDUAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY NPISHs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Housing ● Health ● Recreation and Culture ● Education ● Social protection and other services 	1. HH Expenditure Survey 2. CPI base year 2010

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Category/Group/BH	Data Source
INDIVIDUAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY GOVERNMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing • Health • Recreation and Culture • Education • Social Protection 	1. Disbursement data (GFS)
COLLECTIVE CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE BY GOVERNMENT	1. Disbursement data (GFS)

Category/Group/BH	Data Source
GROSS CAPITAL FORMATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • M&E • CNS • Other Products • Changes in Inventories • Acquisitions less Disposals of Valuable 	1. VAT 2. Questionnaire 3. Imports and exports data
BALANCE OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exports • Imports 	1. Customs of Thailand 2. Bank of Thailand

Splitting 2017 GDP Expenditures into 155 Basic Headings

Category/Group/BH	Data Source
OTHERS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reallocation of FISIM• Reallocation/ Estimation of Net Purchases Abroad• Reallocation of Statistical Discrepancy	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. VAT2. Questionnaire3. Disbursement data4. Expenditure Survey

■ ICP by Trade Policy Strategy Office

Data Collection:

Category	Data Source
Household Dwelling	Trade Policy Strategy Office, Ministry of Commerce
Machinery	Private Consultants
Construction	Department of Public Works and Town & Country Planning
Compensation	The Comptroller General's Department

Geographical Coverage: ICP

Compose of 25 areas



Bangkok Metropolis and Suburbs

Bangkok 4 districts + boundary province 1 area



Central Region by 5 areas (4 urbans, 1 rural)



Rural



Northern Region by 5 areas (4 urbans, 1 rural)



Rural



North Eastern Region by 5 areas (4 urbans, 1 rural)



Rural



Southern Region by 5 areas (4 urbans, 1 rural)



Rural



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