

SUMMARY

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RECENT APPROACHES TO REFORMING THE GLOBAL MONETARY SYSTEM

Current status and prospects of development of the world monetary system is now the subject of intense discussion. Many experts suggest that in the coming years it will face serious changes. Their driving force is the growing mismatch of the new alignment of forces in the world economy, the configuration of the modern monetary system, formed in the main features in the middle of the last century and based on the US dollar as a key currency.

The global financial crisis triggered by the crisis of the US financial system, further aggravated the problem of the domination of the dollar and called into question the stability of the leading positions in the dollar. Possible ways and mechanisms for restructuring the world monetary system to a multi-standard, as well as the prospects for the US dollar as a reserve currency are discussed in this article.

Key words: world monetary system, multicurrency standard, supranational world money, gold, exchange rate regime, international monetary fund, world financial and economic crises, regional currencies.

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ETNOMANAGEMENT AS PART ETNOECONOMY

Recently intensively etnoeconomics – the science of the economic behavior of the features of different ethnic groups. Topicality of the formation and development as a key direction etnomanagement of etnoeconomics. The article contains an analysis of the various national and ethno-regional management models, including the Russian model of management, identify positive and negative aspects of these models and management systems, and identifies the possibility of using some of the elements of different national models of management in Russian economic conditions.

Key words: etnomanagement, etnoeconomy, national model of management, ethnic characteristics of control systems.

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TRANSPARENSY IN THE SOCIETY: HARM OR AVAIL?

It is shown how transparency appears in the discourses of power, financial management and organizational control in social and economic systems: through quantification, an objectification, standardization, control and audit procedures. Main advantages and dysfunctions of transparency are marked and discussed.

Key words: transparency, accountability, quantification, objectivisation, control.

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PROJECTION OF BRANCH STRUCTURE OF THE DEFINING PRODUCTIONS

In article the hi-tech industry of defense industry complex is analyzed: branch structure of research and developmental works and sources of their financing; industrial and scientific potential on the basis of dynamics of key economic parameters. Growth rates and a share of innovative production in the total amount of an industrial output of defense industry complex and its branches for the three-year period that allows to conclude about increase of their innovative activity are defined.

Key words: defense industry complex, high technologies, researches and development, innovative development, expected indicators.

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R&D EXPENDITURES: MYTHS AND FACTS

R&D funding is the most important factor that shapes the status of scientific capacity and finally determines scientific excellence. The author discusses problems connected to R&D funding, as well as basic research funding, under the conditions of resource deficit. The article contains the assessment of the current level of R&D expenditures in comparison to those in foreign countries and the level achieved by the beginning of the 1990s.

Key words: resource deficit, budgetary appropriations, gross domestic expenditures on R&D (GERD), funding of basic research, optimization of the budget expenses.

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PHENOMENON OF ATYPICAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Atypical entrepreneurship encompasses different forms of entrepreneurship where some typical features of entrepreneurship are either absent or reduced. A classification of forms of atypical entrepreneurship is proposed and the mechanism of their functioning is described.

Key words: entrepreneurship, atypical entrepreneurship, atypical employment, franchising, quasi-employment, illegal entrepreneurship, non-commercial entrepreneurship.

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ON TWO APPROACHES TO THE EQUITABLE DISTRIBUTION OF HUMANITARIAN RESOURCES AMONG SUFFERERS IN AN AREA OF EMERGENCIES AT THE AGE- INEQUILITY

Within the article as applied to a case of an extreme situation in this or that district of disaster two approaches to a problem of fair and objective distribution of the limited humanitarian resource between the victims, included in various age-cohorts, on the basis of two criteria of fair objective distribution of a resource are considered.

Key words: survival function, multiplicative criterion function, life expectancy, quantity of a resource, probability, emergency situation.

MATERIALS OF THE CIS STATISTICAL COMMITTEE

On pension provision at in the Commonwealth