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PRC Monthly Chronology: April 1996

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Foreign Affairs

- 04 Belarus: Foreign Minister Vladimir Senko pays an official visit (-08);
 09 France: Premier Li Peng pays an official visit (-13);
 10 Slovak President Michal Kovac pays an official visit (-15);
 13 Macedonia, Armenia, Georgia, Azerbaijan: Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister Qian Qichen pays an official visit (-18);
 15 Finland: President Martti Ahtisaari pays a state visit (-19);
 17 Nepal: Prime Minister Sher Bahadur Deuba pays an official goodwill visit (-23);
 18 Finland opened its consulate general in Shanghai, the 25th of its kind in this city;
 19 Netherlands: Qian Qichen holds talks with US Secretary of State Warren Christopher, British Foreign Secretary Malcolm Rifkind and Dutch Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister Hans van Mierlo in The Hague (-20);
 20 Czech: Qian Qichen pays an official visit (-22);
 21 Sri Lanka: President Chandrika Kumaratunga left Colombo on a state visit to China (-27);
 24 Russian Federation: President Boris Yeltsin pays a state visit (-26); Nigeria: Foreign Minister Tom Ikimi attends 3rd session of Sino-Nigerian Joint Committee on Trade and Economy;
 26 Russia, CIS: Five-Nation Border Agreement signed in Shanghai;
 27 South Africa: Wu Yi, minister of foreign trade and economic cooperation, attends 9th session of the UN Conference on Trade and Development held in Johannesburg (- May 11);
 29 Zimbabwe: Foreign Minister Stanley Mudenge pays an official visit (- May 04); Guyana: Senior Minister of Foreign Affairs Clement J. Rohee attends the 6th session of the China-Guyana Mixed Committee on Trade and Economy.

Domestic Affairs

- 03 Beijing: White Paper on the situation of children in China released by the Information Office of the State Council;
 Hu'nan: national work conference of nationalities affairs commissions held in Changsha City;
 09 Beijing: national work conference with public security department and bureau heads across the country (-12);
 11 Shandong: national work conference of family planning associations held in Linyi City (-14);
 16 Beijing: 1996 national artistic creation conference;
 Sichuan: 3rd national work conference of procuratorial organs on reporting cases (-20);
 22 Beijing: 44th meeting of the State Council Standing Conference adopts in principle a draft law on firearms;
 Beijing: China's first national work conference on the disabled (-24);
 Beijing: national conference on plans in philosophy and social sciences (-28);
 Beijing: national work conference on military rank system for reserve army officers;
 23 Beijing: national work conference on the carrying out of court verdict execution;
 Inner Mongolia: forest fires which originated in the Republic of Mongolia spread to the Hulunbuir League (completely put out on 1st May);
 Liaoning: national work conference on the physical culture legal system opened in Dalian City;
 Beijing: national medical conference (-26?);
 Shandong: national work conference on local publications for educating Party members held in Ji'nan City;
 26 Beijing: national conference on education held recently;
 27 Beijing: national work conference of the "Hope Project" (-30?); Leading Chinese dissident Liu Gang escaped China with the aid of international organizations;
 28 China launched a nationwide crackdown on major crimes;
- 30 Beijing: opening ceremony of the 3rd National Workers' Games.
Economic Affairs
 01 China's general tariff rate is lowered from 35.9% to 23%; Guangdong: State Council holds work conference on Special Economic Zones in Zhuhai City (-03);
 02 Beijing: national work conference on the ten-year implementation of the State 863 Project (long-term high-tech research and development program) (-05); Liaoning: national work conference on railway transport opened in Dalian City;
 04 Shanghai: national work conference on trying residential housing; Tianjin: 3rd Spring Commodities Fair opened (4 days);
 05 Zhejiang: national work conference on checking the staff plan of administration bureaus for industry and commerce recently held in Hangzhou City;
 06 Beijing: national conference on employment (-08?);
 08 Jiangsu: national work conference on the reform of the workers' medical insurance system held in Zhenjiang City (-11);
 10 Beijing: national conference on coal exports;
 12 Anhui: national coal industry capital construction work meeting held in Huainan City (-15);
 15 Guangdong: 79th China Export Commodities Fair held in Guangzhou (-30);
 16 Jiangsu: national work conference on the screening and checking of extrabudgetary funds held in Nanjing City;
 16 World Bank announced the approval of a 150m US\$ loan to China as part of a 327m US\$ Animal Feed Project;
 17 Beijing: 1996 work conference on transferring military cadres to civilian jobs (-20);
 18 Beijing: national work conference on a social security system;
 20 Liaoning: China's latest fighter jet, the J8IIM, has made its maiden flight in Shenyang;
 22 Beijing: national work conference on local taxes;
 24 Hebei: national conference on supervision of construction projects held in Shijiazhuang City (-25?);
 26 Shandong: national work conference on coal production recently held in Yanzhou County;
 29 Liaoning: national garments industry work conference recently held in Shenyang City;
 30 Beijing: national work conference on agricultural auditing ended recently.

Relations to Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau

- 29 Taiwan: three-day 1996 work conference on Taiwan affairs ended in Beijing.

The Main National Leadership of the PRC

(Changes are underlined)

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STATE PRESIDENT

President	Jiang Zemin	PBm	93/03
Vice-Pres.	Rong Yiren		93/03
NATIONAL PEOPLE'S CONGRESS			
Chairman	Qiao Shi	PBm	93/03

Abbreviations and Explanatory Notes

CC	= Central Committee
CCa	= Central Committee, alternate member
CCm	= Central Committee, member
CCSm	= Central Committee Secretariat, member
CCP	= Chinese Communist Party
PBa	= Politburo, alternate member
PBm	= Politburo, member
Cdr.	= Commander
CPPCC	= Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference
CYL	= Communist Youth League
Dep.Cdr.	= Deputy Commander
Dep.Ch.	= Deputy Chief
Dep.Dir.	= Deputy Director
Dep.Eds.-in-Chief	= Deputy Editors-in-Chief
Dep.Head	= Deputy Head
Dep.P.C.	= Deputy Political Commissar
Dep.Sec.	= Deputy Secretary
exec.	= executive
f	= female
Gen.Sec.	= General Secretary
Hon.Chm.	= Honorary Chairman
H.V.-Ch.	= Honorary Vice-Chairman
NPC	= National People's Congress
PLA	= People's Liberation Army
Pol.Com.	= Political Commissar
PPC Chm.	= Provincial People's Congress Chairman
Sec.	= Secretary
Sec.-Gen.	= Secretary-General
V.-Chm.	= Vice-Chairman
V.-Gov.	= Vice-Governor
V.-Min.	= Vice-Minister
V.-Pres.	= Vice-President
Vice-M.	= Vice-Mayor

* Chairmen and vice-chairmen of autonomous regional governments are equivalent to governors and vice-governors of provinces and to mayors and vice-mayors of Beijing, Shanghai and Tianjin.

Year and month behind a name indicate the date the person assumed the post or was identified in this position.

The State Council has decided to set up a National Committee on Mineral Resources which will replace the existing National Mineral Reserves Commission. (RMRB, XNA, 4 Apr 96)

STATE COUNCIL

Premier	Li Peng	PBm	88/04
Vice-Premiers	Jiang Chunyun Li Lanqing Qian Qichen Wu Bangguo Zhu Rongji (exec.) Zou Jiahua	CCSm PBm PBm PBm PBm PBm	95/03 93/03 93/03 95/03 91/04 91/04
State Councillors	Chen Junsheng Chi Haotian Ismail Amat Li Guixian Li Tieying Luo Gan Peng Peiyun (f) Song Jian	CCm CCm CCm CCm PBm CCm CCm CCm	88/04 93/03 93/03 88/04 88/04 93/03 93/03 86/04
Sec.-Gen.	Luo Gan	CCm	88/12
ORGANS OF THE STATE COUNCIL			
State Council's General Office	Luo Gan	CCm	88/12
COMMISSIONS			
Economic and Trade	Wang Zhongyu Chen Qingtai Li Rongrong	CCm	93/03 93/05 96/04
Education	Zhu Kaixuan Liu Bin Wang Cunming Wang Mingda Wei Yu (f) Zhang Tianbao Zhang Xiaowen Zhou Yuanqing	CCa	93/03 85/05 96/04 85/05 93/05 93/05 93/05 96/02
Family Planning	Peng Peiyun (f) Jiang Zhenghua Li Honggui Peng Yu (f) Yang Kuifu Zhang Weiqing (exec.)	CCm	88/01 91/10 94/01 85/09 91/02 94/10
Nationalities Affairs	Ismail Amat Chen Hong (exec.) Jiang Jiafu Li Jinyou Tudaod Doje Wen Jing	CCm	86/01 93/07 86/07 93/05 91/10 90/06
Physical Culture and Sports	Wu Shaozu Xu Yinsheng Yuan Weimin Zhang Faqiang	CCm	88/12 77/03 84/11 94/04
Planning	Chen Jinhua Chen Tonghai Chen Yaobang Gan Ziyu Guo Shuyan Hao Jianxiu (f) Ma Kai She Jianming Wang Chunzheng Yao Zhenyan Ye Qing (exec.) Zeng Peiyuan	CCm	93/03 94/01 93/05 78/11 CCa CCm 87/10 95/01 93/05 90/11 91/10 CCa CCa
Restructuring Economy	Li Tieying Hong Hu Liu Zhifeng Shao Bingren Wang Dongjin Wu Jie Zhang Haoruo	PBm	93/03 91/02 92/09 96/04 96/04 93/05 95/01
Science and Technology	Song Jian	CCm	84/09

V.-Chm.	Chen Zutao Deng Nan (f) Duan Ruijun Han Deqian Hui Yongzheng Xu Guanhua Zhu Lilan (f/exec.)	96/03 91/10 91/04 93/09 90/11 95/01 86/07	V.-Min. Forestry Minister V.-Min.	Gu Yongjiang Li Guohua (f) Liu Shanzai Shi Guangsheng Sun Zhenyu	90/08 94/02 94/02 93/05 94/11	V.-Min. State Security Minister V.-Min.	Cai Qinghua Fu Zhihuan Guo Lin Sun Yongfu Tu Yourui (exec.)	96/04 90/12 93/05 85/01 88/06
Science, Technology and Industry for National Defence	Ding Henggao Huai Guomo Nie Li (f) Shen Rongjun Wang Tongye Xie Guang Zhang Xuedong	CCm 85/06 88/05 89/10 85/04 95/03 85/04 93/00	V.-Min. Geology and Mineral Resources Minister V.-Min.	Xu Youfang Liu Yuhe Wang Zhibao Zhu Guangyao Song Ruixiang Chen Zhouqi Zhang Hongren	93/03 95/04 94/04 92/09 93/07 94/05 86/09	V.-Min. Supervision Minister V.-Min.	Jia Chunwang Cao Qingze Feng Tiyun He Yong Li Zhilun Zuo Lianbi	CCm 85/09 95/07
Pol. Com.	Li Ji'nai	CCa 95/07	V.-Min. Internal Trade Minister V.-Min.	Chen Bangzhu He Jihai Lu Jiang Luo Zhiling Yang Shude Ying Wenhua	CCm 95/02 93/07 93/07 95/01 95/09 95/09	V.-Min. Water Resources Minister	Niu Maosheng Yan Keqiang Zhang Chunyuan Zhou Wenzhi Zhu Dengquan	93/03 90/11 88/09 91/04 95/02
MINISTRIES								
Agriculture	Liu Jiang Hong Fuzeng Liu Chengguo Wan Baorui Wu Yixia Zhang Yanxi	93/03 89/03 93/09 93/04 93/04 92/05	Justice Minister V.-Min.	Xiao Yang Liu Yang (f) Xiao Jianzhang Zhang Fusen Zhang Geng Zhang Xiufu (exec.)	93/03 94/12 92/12 93/06 93/06 91/04	Governor V.-Gov.	Dai Xianglong Chen Yuan Wang Qishan Yin Jieyan Zhu Xiaohua	CCa 95/06 88/05 93/07 94/01 93/07
Chemical Industry	Gu Xiulian (f) Cheng Siwei He Guoqiang Li Shizhong Li Xinzheng Li Yongwu Tan Zhuzhou	CCm 89/07 94/04 CCa 91/02 93/04 95/08 95/02 84/02	Labor Minister V.-Min.	Li Boyong Lin Yongsan Liu Yazhi (f) Wang Jianlun (f) Zhu Jiazheng	CCm 93/02 95/02 94/07 95/04 91/10	CCm 96/02	Auditing Administration	
Civil Affairs	Doje Cering Fan Bajun Li Baoku Xu Ruixin Yan Mingfu Yang Yanyin (f)	CCm 93/03 87/09 95/01 95/09 91/05 93/07	Machine-Building Industry Minister V.-Min.	Bao Xuding Lü Fuyuan Shao Qihui Sun Changji	96/03 94/04 93/05	CCm 94/05	Auditor-General Deputy Auditors-General	Guo Zhenqian Jin Jipeng Li Jinhua Liu Hezhang Zheng Li (f)
Coal Industry	Wang Senhao Pu Hongjiu Wang Xianzheng Zhang Baoming Zhu Dengshan	CCm 93/03 93/05 95/04 93/05 95/12	Metallurgical Industry Minister V.-Min.	Liu Qi Bi Qun Wu Xichun Xu Daquan Yin Ruiyu	93/03 93/08 93/08 86/02 89/03	CCa 93/03	Director Dep. Dir.	Chen Guangyi Bao Peide Bian Shaobin Li Zhao Shen Yuankang Wang Kaiyuan
Communications	Huang Zhendong Hong Shanxiang Li Juchang Liu E Liu Songjin	CCm 91/03 95/02 92/09 93/03 91/10	National Defence Minister Personnel Minister V.-Min.	Chi Haotian Song Defu Li Tielin Xu Songtao Zhang Bolin Zhang Xuezhang Zhang Zhijian	93/03 93/03 95/02 95/02 95/02 94/08 88/05	CCm 93/03	Director Dep. Dir.	Liu Zhongli Chen Jingxin Li Yonggui Lu Renfa Xiang Huacheng Yang Chongchun Zhang Xianghai
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Dep.Sec.	Liu Zemin	CCa 96/02	Dep.Cdr.	Dong Guishan	92/01
	Sun Wensheng	CCa 93/10		Gama Cedain	92/01
	Wang Yunlong	CCa 96/02		Gao Changjin	85/11
Governor	Zheng Shekui	96/02		Liu Yongkang	90/07
V.-Gov.	Sun Wensheng	CCa 93/09		Lü Dengming	93/04
	Guo Yuhuai (exec.)	83/04		Wang Shunhe	94/06
	Ji Xinfang	92/05	Pol.Com.	Hu Yongzhu	93/04
	Liu Zemin	CCa 92/07	Dep.P.C.	Gong Kunzong	93/04
	Liu Zhenhua	95/12		Jiang Chengguang	90/06
	Peng Zhigui	93/01		Qiu Jianxin	94/02
PPC Chm.	Wang Wenxue	92/05		Zhou Yangyu	89/11
PLA Cdr.	Xue Jun	95/12			
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Pol.Com.	Dong Yunhai	92/06			
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	Zhou Kaixi	94/05	Dep.Sec.	Ablait Abdurexit	93/12
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CCP Sec.	Xie Shijie	CCm 93/04		Aiskait Kerimbay	96/02
Dep.Sec.	Pu Haiqing	94/08		Keyum Bawudun	93/01
	Qin Yuqin (f)	CCa 93/04		Li Fengzi	96/03
	Song Baorui (exec.)	CCa 89/12	Chairman*	Zhang Wenyue	96/02
Governor	Xiao Yang	CCa 92/11	V.-Chm.	Zhou Shengtao	96/02
V.-Gov.	Yang Chonghui	94/08		Ablait Abdurexit	93/12
	Song Baorui	CCa 96/02		Aiskait Kerimbay	93/01
	Gan Yuping	93/02		Li Donghui	91/08
	Li Dachang	96/02		Mijiti Nasier	93/01
	Li Meng	93/02		Wang Yousan	91/12
PPC Chm.	Ouzegao	93/02		Wufuer Abudula	93/01
PLA Cdr.	Pu Haiqing (exec.)	85/05		Yusufu Aisha	94/03
Dep.Cdr.	Xu Shiqun	93/02		Zhang Heng	93/01
Pol.Com.	Zhang Zhongwei	93/02	PPC Chm.	Zhang Yunchuan	95/04
Dep.P.C.	Zou Guangyan	96/02	PLA Cdr.	Amudun Niyaz	85/12
	Yang Xizong	93/02	Dep.Cdr.	Fu Bingyao	92/12
	Ren Yinglai	90/07		Duan Changjin	91/10
	Liu Daikun	93/04		Fang Denghua	94/06
	Tao Delun	90/08		Kuerban Aierxiding	93/06
CCP Sec.	Geng Quanli	CCm 93/03	Pol.Com.	Tao Zhi	93/02
Dep.Sec.	Yang Shixi	90/07	Dep.P.C.	Pan Zhaomin	92/06
	Zhou Canxi	90/01		Lei Xingping	94/09
	Zhu Guiheng	93/03		Zhang Mingru	91/11
				Zhou Yongshun	93/04
Tianjin Municipality					
CCP Sec.	Gao Dezhan	CCm 93/03			
Dep.Sec.	Li Jianguo	CCa 92/08			
	Li Shenglin	93/05	CCP Sec.	Gao Yan	CCm 95/06
	Zhang Lichang	CCm 89/10	Dep.Sec.	He Zhiqiang	CCm 85/07
	Zhang Lichang	CCm 93/06		Li Jiating	CCa 95/08
Mayor	Li Huifen (f)	CCa 88/05		Linghu An	93/10
Vice-M.	Li Shenglin (exec.)	91/11	Governor	He Zhiqiang	CCm 85/08
	Qu Weizhi (f)	96/01	V.-Gov.	Dai Guanglu	94/11
	Song Pingshun	90/06		Huang Bingsheng	93/05
	Wang Dehui	93/06		Li Jiating (exec.)	CCa 93/01
	Yang Xincheng	95/12		Liang Gongqing	95/09
	Ye Disheng	92/09		Liu Jing	93/05
PPC Chm.	Zhang Haosheng	92/09		Niu Shaoyao	92/03
PLA Cdr.	Zhu Liankang	93/06		Zhao Shumin (f)	94/06
Dep.Cdr.	Zhuang Gonghui	93/06		Yin Jun	93/05
Pol.Com.	Nie Bichu	93/06		Yao Shuanglong	94/08
Dep.P.C.	Yang Zhihua	90/07	PPC Chm.	Xie Heming	91/07
	?		PLA Cdr.	Li Jie	93/07
	Yang Huichuan	93/10	Dep.Cdr.		
	Wu Yongchang	91/11	Pol.Com.		
			Dep.P.C.		
Tibet Autonomous Region					
CCP Sec.	Chen Kuiyuan	CCm 92/11			
Dep.Sec.	Basang (f)	77/10	CCP Sec.		
	Dandzin	CCa 85/11	Dep.Sec.		
	Guo Jinlong (exec.)	93/12			
	Gyaincain Norbu (exec.)	CCa 85/11			
	Lieque	94/12	Governor		
Chairman*	Raidi (exec.)	CCm 77/10	V.-Gov.		
V.-Chm.	Yang Chuantang	94/12			
	Gyaincain Norbu	CCa 90/05			
	Cering Zhouga (f)	93/12			
	Chen Hanchang (exec.)	94/01			
	Dunzhu	94/10			
	Gong Daxi?	85/11			
	Gyamco (exec.)	79/08			
	Gyampo Puncog Cedan	83/04			
	Lhaba Puncog	91/04			
	Lieque (exec.)	95/04	PPC Chm.		
	Luosang Dunzhu	93/12	PLA Cdr.		
	Sun Qiwen	94/12	Dep.Cdr.		
	Xiang Yang	94/12			
	Xu Mingyang	95/07			
	Yang Chuantang (exec.)	93/12	Pol.Com.		
	Yang Song	94/01	Dep.P.C.		
	Zeren Sangzhu	92/12			

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Abbreviations

RMRB	= Renmin Ribao (People's Daily), Beijing
SWB	= Summary of World Broadcasts [Daily Report], Part 3: Asia-Pacific (Reading)
Xinhua	= Xinhua News Agency (Beijing), chin.
XNA	= Xinhua News Agency News Bulletin (Hong Kong)
ZDY	= Zhongguo Dalu Yanjiu (Mainland China Studies, Taipei)
ZGYJ	= Zhonggong Yanjiu (Studies on Chinese Communism, Taipei)
ZRGGG	= Zhonghua Renmin Gongheguo Guowuyuan Gongbao (Gazette of the State Council of the People's Republic of China)

The number in brackets behind a name refers to the character glossary.

Newly Appointed Leaders

Ai Qingchun (1)

Appointed vice-minister of culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Cai Qinghua (2)

Appointed vice-minister of railways. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96) He served as director of the ministry's Political Department since August 1993.

Li Rongrong (3)

Appointed vice-chairman of the State Economic and Trade Commission. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96) He served as director of the commission's Technological Renovation Department since April 1994.

Li Yuanchao

Appointed vice-minister of culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96) He served as deputy director of the CCP CC Overseas Publicity Office since February 1994 and as deputy director of the State Council Information Office (appointed in May 1993). For his vita see C.a., 1993/8, p.842/12.

Pan Zhenzhou (4)

Appointed vice-minister of culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Shao Bingren (5)

Appointed vice-chairman of the State Commission for Restructuring the Economy. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Tang Bingquan

Appointed vice-governor of Guangdong Province according to a resolution adopted by the Standing Committee of Guangdong Provincial People's Congress on April 5, 1996. Tang was born in 1949 in Zhongshan City, Guangdong Province. Since 1983 he has taken up, one after another, the posts of deputy secretary of CCP Zhongshan County Committee and concurrently head of Zhongshan County, deputy secretary of CCP Zhongshan City Committee and concurrently mayor (county level) of Zhongshan City, and deputy secretary of CCP Zhongshan City Committee and concurrently mayor (prefectural level) of Zhongshan City. In December 1994, Tang was appointed secretary of CCP Zhongshan City Committee and concurrently mayor of Zhongshan City. (Zhongguo xinwen she news agency, Beijing, 5 Apr 96, in SWB, 9 Apr 96)

Wang Cumming

Identified as vice-chairman of the State Education Commission. (XNA, 19 Apr 96)

Wang Dongjin (6)

Appointed vice-chairman of the State Commission for Restructuring the Economy. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Yang Zhihai (7)

Appointed deputy director of the China National Light Industry Council. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96) There is a Yang Zhihai (name written with the same Chinese characters) who serves as vice-governor of Heilongjiang Province (since October 1992).

Zhao Shi (f)

Appointed vice-minister of radio, film and television. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96) She concurrently serves as member of the secretariat of the 13th CYL CC (since May 1993) and vice-president of the National Youth Federation (since December 1993), as member of the 21st Century Committee for China-Japan Friendship (since November 1993), and as president of the China Youth Research Society since April 1994. Zhao was born in August 1953 in Beijing, and joined the CCP in 1979. In 1985 she graduated from the Chinese Department of Jilin Provincial Institute of Education. Zhao served as log keeper, assistant director and director of the Art Film Centre, deputy director of the Office of the Party Committee of Changchun Film Studio, deputy secretary and secretary of this Party Committee, and deputy director of Changchun Film Studio (1975-1992); and as

deputy secretary of CCP Chāngchūn City Committee (1992-1993). Together with others, she directed movies *5 Garden Street* and *Power of Women*. See C.a. 1993/5, p.519/13, and 1994/2, p.218/12.

Leaders Removed from Office**Chen Changben**

Vice-Minister of Culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Gao Zhanxiang

Vice-Minister of Culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Li Yuanchao

Deputy Director of the State Council Information Office. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Liu Deyou

Vice-Minister of Culture. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Yang Changji

Vice-Chairman of the State Economic and Trade Commission. (RMRB, 11 Apr 96)

Yang Shijie

Commander of Zhejiang Military District.

Addenda**Cai Zhulin (8)**

Appointed deputy secretary of CCP Shaanxi Provincial Committee. (*Shaanxi Ribao*, 27 Oct 95, in ZDY, 1996/2, p.93) He served as deputy secretary of CCP Qinghai Provincial Committee since December 1992. Zhao was born in August 1937 in Rui'an City, Zhejiang Province, and joined the CCP in 1959. He served as deputy secretary of CYL Pingluo County Committee (1959-1967), head of Pingluo County Agriculture Bureau and director of Pingluo County Agriculture General Office (1971-1975), deputy secretary and secretary of CCP Taole County Committee (1975-1979), secretary of CCP Yongning County Committee (1979-1983), Standing Committee member of CCP Ningxia Regional Committee (1983-1990), and as Standing Committee member of CCP Qinghai Provincial Committee and as vice-governor of Qinghai Province (1992-1993).

Lu Ruihua

Appointed deputy secretary of CCP Guangdong Provincial Committee. (*Nanfang Ribao*, 10 Feb 96, in ZGYJ,

1996/3, p.154) Lu was elected governor of Guangdong Provincial People's Government in February 1996. Lu is an alternate member of the 14th CCP CC. For his vita see C.a., 1996/2, p.207/11.

Wang Shousen (9)

By-elected vice-governor of Shaanxi Provincial People's Government at the 4th meeting of the 8th Provincial People's Congress. (Xinhua, 10 Feb 96, in ZGYJ, 1996/3, p.157)

Yang Xincheng

Yang Xincheng (10), appointed vice-mayor of Tianjin Municipality in December 1995 (see C.a., 1995/12, p.1140/12), was born in 1943 in Jin County, Hebei Province. He has university education. He formerly served as chairman of the municipal Commission for Restructuring Economy and as head of the Committee for Industrial Work under CCP Tianjin Municipal Committee.

Yu Linxiang (11)

Appointed deputy commander of the Headquarters of Chinese People's Armed Police Force and political commissar of Beijing Municipal People's Armed Police Corps. (Zhongxinshe, 13 Feb 96, in ZGYJ, 1996/3, p.158) Major General Yu served as deputy director of the headquarters' Political Department since October 1994.

Yuan Xinghua (12)

Identified as commander of Zhejiang Military District. (Zhejiang Broadcasting Station, 20 Dec 95, in ZDY, 1996/2, p.95) Yuan served as chief of staff of Zhejiang Military District since July 1990.

Zeng Jianhui (13)

Appointed director of the CCP CC Overseas Publicity Office in 1992. He concurrently serves as deputy director of the CCP CC Propaganda Department (since October 1988), director of the State Council Information Office (since December 1992), and as head of the CCP CC Overseas Publicity Group (since December 1992). Zeng was born in December 1928 in Pingjiang County, Hu'nán Province, and joined the CCP in 1948. In 1947 he attended Qinghua University. From 1948 to 1949 he worked as editor of *Zhongjian* fortnightly. He later served as assistant editor of the English Division of Xinhua Broadcasting Station in Beijing, editor of the Division of International News of the General Press Bureau, reporter and section chief of the Department of

Home News for World Service of Xinhua News Agency, assistant to editor-in-chief of Xinhua News Agency, and as deputy director-general of Xinhua News Agency. In 1992 he was appointed deputy director of the State Council Information Office. Zeng is author of feature stories to *No Death March for POWs*, and *Always Keep Eight Hundred Million Rural Population in Mind*.

Zhu Shuguang (14)

Appointed deputy commander of the Headquarters of Chinese People's Armed Police Force and commander of Beijing Municipal People's Armed Police Corps. (Zhongxinshe, 13 Feb 96, in ZGYJ, 1996/3, p.158) Zhu served as director of the Security Department of the PLA General Political Department before.

Character Glossary of Newsly Appointed Leaders

- (1) 艾青春
- (2) 蔡庆华
- (3) 李荣融
- (4) 潘震宙
- (5) 邵秉仁
- (6) 王东进
- (7) 杨志海
- (8) 蔡竹林
- (9) 王寿森
- (10) 杨新成
- (11) 喻林祥
- (12) 袁兴华
- (13) 曾建徽
- (14) 朱曙光

PRC Agreements with Foreign Countries

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Premier Li Peng and French Prime Minister Alain Juppe were present at the signing ceremony. These agreements and contracts include an exchange of documents on the purchase of wheat between 1996 and 1998, a Sino-French inter-governmental agreement on maritime transport, a general agreement on ordering 30 A320-200 planes from European Airbus Consortium by the Civil Aviation Administration of China (CAAC), a contract on purchasing three A340 planes from the European Airbus Consortium by CAAC, and an agreement on supplying an export credit loan to a joint venture of automobile manufacturing in China by a French bank. (RMRB, XNA, 12 Apr 96)

France (Apr 12)

Six more commercial contracts worth more than 200m US\$ were signed between China and France in Paris, bringing the total value of agreements and contracts signed during Chinese Premier's visit to 2.4b US\$. Under the contracts, China will buy crude oil, cable and accessories, medical equipment and shield machines from France. (RMRB, XNA, 13 Apr 96)

Bulgaria (Apr 30)

Bulgaria and China signed a programme on cooperation in health care in Sofia. Minister of Public Health Chen Min-zhang signed the programme on behalf of China. (BTA news agency, Sofia, 30 Apr 96, in SWB, 3 May 96)

Cuba (Apr 25)

An agreement on cooperation and exchange of textile know-how was signed in Havana by the President of the China National Textile Council, Wu Wenyi, and Jesus Perez, light industry minister of Cuba. (XNA, 27 Apr 96)

Finland (Apr 16)

Finland will be providing 25m US\$ in credit for China according to an agreement signed in Beijing. The contract between China's Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Cooperation (MOFTEC) and Finnish Exports Credit Company Ltd., was one of seven Sino-Finnish economic cooperation documents signed in Beijing. According to another agreement between MOFTEC and the company, Finland will supply 5.6m US\$ in credit to China for imports of Finnish environmental protection technology. (XNA, 17 Apr 96)

France (Apr 03)

A programme for cultural exchange between China and France for the years 1996-1998 was signed in Paris. (RMRB, 4 Apr 96)

France (Apr 10)

China and France signed in Paris five agreements and contracts on economic and trade cooperation. Visiting Chinese

Iraq (Apr 16)

China And Iraq signed in Baghdad a memorandum which will provide Iraq with 500,000 US\$ worth of medical raw materials. (XNA, 17 Apr 96)

Laos (Apr 14)

An aide-memoire on labor cooperation was signed in Vientiane by Mr. Noy Indavong, deputy minister of labor and social welfare, and Mrs. Liu Yazhi, deputy labor minister of China. (KPL news agency, Vientiane, 17 Apr 96, in SWB, 19 Apr 96)

Mali (Apr 26)

China will continue to lease Mali's short-wave broadcasting equipment until March 2007, according to an agreement signed in Bamako by the Chinese Ministry of Radio, Film and Television and Mali's Ministry of Culture and Communications. (XNA, 28 Apr 96)

Morocco (Apr 16)

An agreement on judicial assistance in civil and commercial cases was signed in Rabat by visiting Chinese Minister of Justice Xiao Yang and Moroccan Minister of Justice Amalou. (RMRB, 18 Apr 96)

Mozambique (Apr 22)

A medical cooperation agreement was signed in Maputo between the two governments of China and Mozambique, under which China will send another medical team to replace one which will immediately expire its term here. In accordance with a medical cooperation agreement signed between the two countries, since 1976 China has sent 10 medical teams to work in Mozambique. (XNA, 23 Apr 96)

Nepal (Apr 18)

China and Nepal signed a series of cooperation documents, including an agreement on the establishment of a consultation system between the foreign ministries of the two countries. Premier Li Peng and visiting Prime Minister Sher Bahadur Deuba attended the signing ceremony. Other signed documents are letters of exchange on a people to people cooperation forum between the two countries and an agreement on economic and technological cooperation between the two governments. (XNA, 19 Apr 96)

Russia (Apr 25)

China and Russia signed a dozen cooperation agreements in Beijing covering a wide range of areas. The signing ceremony followed a joint communiqué signed by Chinese President Jiang Zemin and visiting Russian President Boris Yeltsin. The documents include the setting-up of a direct classified hot line, the protection of intellectual property rights, cooperation on the peaceful use of nuclear power, cooperation on joint exploitation of energy resources, protection of a nature reserve, cooperation on foreign currency supervision, cooperation on appraisal of import/export commodities and cooperation and exchanges against improper competition and monopolies. They also include documents on cooperation to prohibit the illegal trafficking and abuse of drugs and narcotics, economic and trade cooperation, sports cooperation and cooperation on nuclear security. (XNA, 26 Apr 96)

Sierra Leone (Apr 19)

China is to provide 3m US\$ as a grant to the Sierra Leone government. (XNA, 19 Apr 96)

Sri Lanka (Apr 22)

An agreement on economic and technological cooperation between China and Sri Lanka was signed in Beijing. President Jiang Zemin and visiting President Chandrika Kumaratunga attended the signing ceremony. (XNA, 23 Apr 96)

Turkey (Apr 19)

The Xinhua news agency of China and the Anatolia news agency of Turkey signed in Ankara a supplementary agreement on news cooperation between the two news agencies. (XNA, 21 Apr 96)

Uganda (Apr 04)

An agreement on economic and technical cooperation between China and Uganda was signed in Kampala by visiting Chinese Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs Li Zhaoxing and Joshua Mayanja-Nkangi, minister of finance and economic planning of Uganda. Under the agreement, the Chinese government will provide "gratis assistance" of 30m RMBY to the Ugandan government, to be used to cover the insufficient construction costs of the Uganda National Stadium Project. (XNA, 5 Apr 96)

Vietnam (Apr 18)

Vietnam and China signed a memorandum of understanding in Hanoi to pave the way for bilateral cooperation in weather forecasting, meteorological information and study, as well as equipment supply and personnel training in this regard. The signing took place during a visit to Vietnam by a delegation of the China Bureau of Meteorology headed by its deputy director Wen Kengang. (VNA news agency, Hanoi, 18 Apr 96, in SWB, 20 Apr 96)

International Agreements

China has become the 18th country to ratify the International Convention on Nuclear Safety forged by the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA). So far 63 countries have signed the pact, but only 18 have officially ratified the convention. A further four countries need to ratify the agreement, proposed by a diplomatic meeting of the IAEA in June 1994, before it can come into force. The Chinese delegation to the IAEA handed over on April 9, 1996 a ratification signed by President Jiang Zemin to IAEA's Director-General Hans Blix. The IAEA, headquartered in Vienna, aims to boost the peaceful use of nuclear energy. (XNA, 11 Apr 96)

The inter-governmental coordination commission of the Tumen River Area Development Project ended its first two-day meeting in Beijing on April 19, 1996 after deciding to set up the commission's secretariat in Beijing. The commission, consisting of vice-minister-level officials of South and North

Korea, China, Russia and Mongolia, also resolved to have the second meeting here in September. The commission agreed to have its Secretariat in Seoul, Beijing and Vladivostok by turn for three years in each area. The head of the Beijing office of the UNDP will serve as the commission's secretary-general on a temporary basis pending formal selection at the second meeting in September. (Yonhap news agency, Seoul, 19 Apr 96, in SWB, 22 Apr 96)

China, Russia, CIS (Apr 26)

Presidents of China, Russia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan signed an agreement on confidence-building in the military field in border areas. President Jiang Zemin of China, Boris Yeltsin of Russia, Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan, Askar Akayev of Kyrgyzstan and Imomali Rahmonov of Tajikistan inked the agreement at a ceremony in Shanghai. Under the agreement, the military forces of both sides stationed along border areas will not attack each other. The agreement rules out conducting military exercises aimed against each other. (RMRB, XNA, 27 Apr 96)

PRC Laws and Regulations

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"The Methods for the Exercise of Administration over Publication in China of Economic Information by Foreign News Agencies and Their Information Subsidiaries". (Full translation: XNA, 16 Apr 96)

"Regulations on Management of Foreigners Working in China", jointly promulgated by the Ministry of Labor, the Ministry of Public Security and the Ministry of Foreign Trade and Economic Cooperation, take effect on May 1, 1996. (XNA, 1 May 96)

"Rules Governing Work of CCP Grass-Roots Units in Institutions of Higher Learning", promulgated by the CCP CC. (XNA, 16 Apr 96; full text: RMRB, 16 Apr 96)

Addenda

"Administrative Punishment Law of the People's Republic of China". (Full translation: Xinhua, 21 Mar 96, in SWB, 13 Apr 96)

Amended PRC Criminal Procedure Law. (Full translation: Xinhua, 23 Mar 96, in SWB, 17 Apr 96)

PRC Social and Economic Data

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Social Data

	1993	1994	Social Labor Force by Major Sectors (%)	
Population			- Farming, Forestry, Animal Husbandry, Fishery, and Water Conservancy	56.4 54.31
- Total Population (b)	1,185	1,199	- Industry	17.4 17.52
- Natural Growth Rate (%)	1.145	1.121	- Construction	5.1 5.19
- Life Expectancy at Birth (Years)	70.1 ¹	n.a.	- Transportation, Postal and Telecommunication Services, Storage	2.8 3.03
- Urban Population (%)	28.14	28.62	- Wholesale, Retail Trade, Banking and Insurance, Food Service	6.2 6.38
- Rural Population (%)	71.86	71.38		
Employment				
Total Social Labor Force (m)	602,20	614.70	Education	
Rate of Unemployment (%)			Composition of Students Enrolled in Different Educational Levels (%)	
- Urban Unemployment Rate (official)	2.6	2.8	- University and College Students	1.4 1.88
- Urban Underemployment Rate (est.) ²	12.0	15.0	- Secondary School Students	29.8 45.09
- Rural Underemployment Rate (est.) ²	30.0	30.0	- Primary School Pupils	68.8 53.02
			Adult Illiteracy (%)	27.0 ³ 22.3 ⁴

Economic Data

	1993	1994	Investment	
Gross National Product (GNP) and Gross Domestic Product (GDP)			- Total Investment in Fixed Assets (b RMBY)	1,245.79 1,637.0
- Total GNP (Current Prices/b RMBY)	3,447	4,4918	- Real Growth Rate (%)	58.6 31.4
- Real Growth Rate (%)	13.3	11.6	State Owned Units' Investment (b RMBY)	765.80 932.3
- Total GDP (Current Prices/b RMBY)	3,4515	4,5005	- Real Growth Rate (%)	45.2 21.7
- Real Growth Rate (%)	13.5	11.8	Public Finance	
- Average GNP per Capita (RMBY)	2,926	3,679	(b RMBY)	
Composition of GDP (%): (Current Prices)			Total Government Revenue	508.82 521.81
- Primary Sector	19.9	21.0	Total Government Expenditure	528.74 579.26
- Secondary Sector	47.6	47.3	Balance	-19.92 -57.45
- Tertiary Sector	32.5	31.8	Current Account	
Industrial and Agricultural Production			(b US\$)	-11,902 7,657
Gross Output Value of Industry			Foreign Trade	
- Real Growth Rate (%)	28.02	26.08	(b US\$)	
Value Added of Industry			Exports (fob)	91.74 121.04
- Real Growth Rate (%)	21.1	18.0	Imports (cif)	103.96 115.69
Gross Output Value of Agriculture			Trade Balance	-12.22 5.30
- Real Growth Rate (%)	7.8	8.6	Major Destinations of Exports (%):	
Value Added of Agriculture			- Hong Kong	24.0 26.70
- Real Growth Rate (%)	4.7	4.0	- Japan	17.2 17.82
Inflation			- USA	18.5 17.73
- Retail Price Index	113.2	121.7	- Germany	4.3 3.94
- Cost of Living Index	114.7	124.1	- South Korea	3.1 3.64
- of Urban Population	116.1	125.0	- Taiwan	1.6 1.85
- of Rural Population	113.7	123.4	Major Origins of Imports (%):	
Consumption and Income per Capita			- Hong Kong	10.1 8.17
- Annual Consumption per Capita (RMBY)	1,148	1,737	- Japan	22.5 22.70
- Real Growth Rate (%)	9.3	6.7	- USA	10.3 12.07
- Annual Consumption per Capita (RMBY)			- Taiwan	12.5 12.17
- Non-Agricultural Residents	3,027	3,956	- Germany	5.8 6.17
- Agricultural Residents	855	1,087	- South Korea	5.2 6.32
- Annual Income of Urban Households per Capita (RMBY) ⁵	2,588	3,502	Exchange Rates	
- Annual Net Income of Rural Households per Capita (RMBY) ⁵	921.6	1,221	RMBY per US\$	5.76 ⁶ 8.61 ⁷
			RMBY per DM	3.48 ⁶ 5.31 ⁷
			Foreign Reserves	
			Foreign Exchange Reserves (b US\$)	21.20 51.62
			Foreign Debts	
			(b US\$)	83.57 92.80

Abbreviations:

b = billion; m = million; RMBY = Renminbi Yuan

If not otherwise stated, figures are based on *Zhongguo Tongji Nianjian* (ZTN) 1994, 1995.1) 1990: UNDP, *Human Development Report* 1992, 130.
2) Author's estimation.3) 1990: UNDP, *Human Development Report*, 1992, 136.4) *Guangming Ribao*, 13.1.1995.

5) Based on Sample Surveys in ZTN, 1994, pp.259, 276; ZTN, 1995, pp.262, 278.

6) 1993: *Almanac of China's Foreign Economic Relations and Trade* 1994/95, p.1066; ZTN, 1995, p. 537.

7) CSY 1995, p. 537.

Selected Data on PRC Provinces

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Provinces	Population 1994 (m.)	Percentage of Total Population	Growth Rate of GDP 1994 (%)	Contri- butio- n to Total GDP 1994 (%)	Composition of GDP 1993 (Total GDP = 100)			GDP per Capita 1993 (RMBY)	Growth Rate of Consump- tion per Capita 1993 (%)	Foreign Capital Actually Used 1994 (m.US\$)	Contribution to Total Export 1993 (%)
					Primary Sector	Secondary Sector	Tertiary Sector				
Beijing	11.250	0.93	13.5	2.38	6.2	48.0	45.8	8,240	6.2	1,379.11	1.85
Tianjin	9.350	0.78	14.3	1.60	6.6	56.4	37.0	6,075	6.2	1,161.76	2.12
Hebei	63.880	5.32	14.9	4.71	17.8	50.2	32.0	2,682	11.9	529.82	2.16
Shanxi	30.450	2.54	9.1	1.88	13.8	52.2	34.2	2,352	10.9	52.61	0.70
Inner Mongolia	22.600	1.88	10.1	1.5	28.2	39.1	32.8	2,382	2.6	48.48	0.71
Liaoning	40.670	3.39	11.2	5.7	13.0	51.7	35.3	5,015	8.7	1,514.71	6.77
Jilin	25.740	2.15	14.3	2.125	21.7	49.0	29.2	2,868	5.8	244.20	1.76
Heilongjiang	36.720	3.10	8.7	3.55	16.9	54.0	29.1	2,343	8.8	348.44	2.90
Shanghai	13.560	1.38	14.3	4.325	2.5	59.6	37.9	1,170	21.0	2,582.17	7.98
Jiangsu	70.210	5.86	16.5	8.90	16.4	53.3	30.3	4,308	13.6	3,785.68	6.50
Zhejiang	42.940	3.60	20.0	5.85	16.6	51.3	32.0	4,431	5.4	1,156.50	4.84
Anhui	59.550	4.96	20.6	3.27	26.6	46.2	27.2	1,672	13.6	412.08	1.05
Fujian	31.830	2.70	21.8	3.70	22.9	40.9	36.2	3,647	9.3	3,723.28	6.35
Jiangxi	40.150	3.40	18.0	2.26	31.2	39.1	29.7	1,835	5.9	296.36	0.96
Shandong	86.710	7.25	16.2	8.50	21.5	48.9	29.6	3,222	10.1	2,601.43	6.50
Henan	90.270	7.53	13.8	4.82	24.7	46.2	29.1	1,867	18.5	461.77	1.49
Hubei	57.190	4.80	15.3	4.12	24.3	44.1	31.6	2,655	4.2	667.93	1.80
Hunan	63.550	5.30	11.0	3.72	30.0	38.3	31.7	2,653	3.9	341.11	1.75
Guangdong	66.890	5.60	19.0	9.30	17.4	50.4	32.3	4,938	6.8	10,927.58	29.45
Guangxi	44.930	3.75	16.0	2.72	29.8	36.0	34.2	2,031	12.6	850.46	1.44
Hainan	7.110	0.60	11.9	0.73	30.1	25.7	44.2	3,815	20.6	936.09	0.98
Sichuan	111.214	9.40	11.4	6.1	27.2	42.6	30.2	1,911	0.4	956.51	1.80
Guizhou	34.580	2.90	8.4	1.14	32.0	37.4	30.6	1,034	8,8	63.63	0.27
Yunnan	39.390	3.30	11.6	2.13	24.6	42.0	33.4	2,006	4.6	68.55	0.84
Tibet	2.360	0.20	15.6	0.1	46.0	17.3	36.7	1,642	-3.3	-	0.02
Shaanxi	34.810	2.90	8.6	1.86	22.1	43.1	34.8	1,041	5.3	246.50	1.08
Gansu	23.780	2.0	10.4	1.1	23.5	43.0	33.5	1,600	6.0	94.97	0.31
Qinghai	4.740	0.4	8.2	0.3	19.7	44.1	36.2	2,337	4.1	2.41	0.10
Ningxia	5.040	0.42	8.2	0.3	20.1	43.8	36.1	2,123	3.6	9.30	0.12
Xinjiang	16.320	1.36	10.9	1.5	25.1	43.0	31.9	2,980	5.7	196.34	0.54

Sources:

- 1) Population 1994 (m.): Zhongguo Tongji Nianjian (ZTN) 1995, 60.
 - 2) Percentage of Total Population (%): ZTN, 1995, 59, 60.
 - 3) Real Growth Rate of Gross Domestic Product 1994 (%): ZTN 1995, 33.
 - 4) Contribution to Total GDP 1994 (%): ZTN, 1995, 36.
 - 5) Composition of GDP 1993: ZTN, 1995, 35.
 - 6) Gross Domestic Product per Capita 1993 (RMBY): ZTN 1995, 35.
 - 7) Real Growth Rate of Consumption per Capita 1993 (%): ZTN 1995, 258.
 - 8) Foreign Capital Actually Used 1994, including loans and direct investment (m.US\$): ZTN 1995, 557.
 - 9) Contribution to Total Export 1993 (%): The total of all provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities does not add up to 100%.
- Almanac of China's Foreign Economic Relations and Trade 1994/95, 313-474.

Taiwan Political, Social and Economic Data

Yu-Hsi Nieh

Political Data

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT:

President: Lee Teng-hui (Li Denghui)
 Vice President: Li Yuan-zu (Li Yuancu)
 Secretary-General: Wu Poh-hsiung (Wu Boxiong)

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

Chairman: Lee Teng-hui (Li Denghui)
 Secretary-General: Ding Mou-shih (Ding Maoshi)

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Secretary-General: Ch'en Chin-jang (Chen Jinrang)

EXECUTIVE BRANCH (YUAN)

Premier: Lien Chan (Lian Zhan)
 Vice Premier: Hsu Li-teh (Xu Lide)
 Secretary-General: Chao Shou-po (Zhao Shoubo)
 Minister of the Interior: Huang Kun-huei (Huang Kunhui)
 Minister of Foreign Affairs: Fredrick F. Chien (Qian Fu)
 Minister of National Defense: Chiang Chung-ling (Jiang Zhongling)
 Minister of Finance: Lin Chen-kuo (Lin Zhenguo)
 Minister of Education: Kuo Wei-fan (Guo Weifan)
 Minister of Justice: Ma Ying-jeou (Ma Yingjiu)
 Minister of Economic Affairs: Chiang Pin-kung (Jiang Bingkun)
 Minister of Transportation and Communications: Liu Chao-shiuian
 (Liu Zhaoxuan)
 Ministers of State: Shirley W.Y. Kuo (Guo Wanrong); Wang Chou-ming (Wang Zhaoming); Huang Shih-ch'eng (Huang Shicheng); Chang King-yuh (Zhang Jingyu); Sun Chen (Sun Zhen)
 Chairman of Mongolian & Tibetan Affairs Commission: Lee Hou-kao
 (Li Hougao)
 Chairman of Overseas Chinese Commission: John H. Chang (Zhang Xiaoyan)
 Governor of the Central Bank of China: Sheu Yuan-dong (Xu Yuan-dong)
 Director-General of Directorate General of Budget, Accounting & Statistics: Wang K'un (Wang Kun)
 Director-General of Government Information Office: Jason C. Hu
 (Hu Zhiqiang)
 Director-General of Central Personnel Administration: Ch'en Keng-chin (Chen Gengjin)
 Director-General of Department of Health: Chang Po-ya (Zhang Boya)
 Administrator of Environmental Protection Administration: Chang Lung-sheng (Zhang Longsheng)
 Chairman of Council for Economic Planning and Development: Hsu Li-teh (Xu Lide)
 Chairman of Vocational Assistance Commission for Retired Servicemen: Yang T'ing-yun (Yang Tingyun)
 Chairman of National Youth Commission: Yin Shih-hau (Yin Shih-hao)
 Director of National Palace Museum: Ch'in Hsiao-yi (Qin Xiaoyi)
 Chairman of Atomic Energy: Hsu Yih-yun (Xu Yiyun)
 Chairman of National Science Council: Kuo Nan-hung (Guo Nan-hong)
 Chairman of Research, Development and Evaluation Commission:
 Wang Jen-hung (Wang Renhong)
 Chairman of Council of Agriculture: Sun Ming-hsien (Sun Mingxian)
 Chairman of Council for Cultural Planning and Development: Cheng Shu-min (Zheng Shumin)
 Chairman of Council of Labor Affairs: Shieh Shen-san (Xie Shen-shan)
 Chairman of the Mainland Affairs Council: Chang King-yuh (Zhang Jingyu)

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH (YUAN)

President: Liu Sung-pan (Liu Songfan)
 Vice President: Wang Chin-p'ing (Wang Jinping)

JUDICIAL BRANCH (YUAN)

President: Shih Ch'i-yang (Shi Qiyang)
 Vice President: Lu Yu-wen (Lü Youwen)
 President of Supreme Court: Wang Chia-yi (Wang Jiayi)

EXAMINATION BRANCH (YUAN)

President: Ch'iu Ch'uang-huan (Qiu Chuanghuan)
 Vice President: Mao Kao-wen (Mao Gaowen)
 Minister of Examination: Wang Tso-yung (Wang Zuorong)
 Minister of Personnel: John C. Kuan (Guan Zhong)

CONTROL BRANCH (YUAN)

President: Cheng Shui-chih (Zheng Shuizhi)
 Auditor-General of Ministry of Audit: Su Chen-ping (Su Zhenping)

MILITARY

Chief of the General Staff: Gen. Lo Pen-li (Luo Benli)
 Commander-in-Chief, Army: Gen. Li Cheng-lin
 (Li Zhenglin)
 Commander-in-Chief, Navy: Adm. Ku Ch'ung-lien
 (Gu Chunglian)
 Commander-in-Chief, Air Force: Gen. Huang Hsien-jung
 (Huang Xianrong)
 Commander-in-Chief, Combined Service: Gen. Wang Wen-hsieh
 (Wang Wen-xie)
 Director of the General Political Warfare Department:
 Gen. Tu Chin-jung (Du Jinrong)

TAIWAN PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

Governor: James C.Y. Soong (Sung Chuyu)

TAIPEI CITY GOVERNMENT

Mayor: Ch'en Shui-bian (Chen Shuibian)

KAOHSIUNG CITY GOVERNMENT

Mayor: Wu Den-yih (Wu Dunyi)

POLITICAL PARTIES

Kuomintang (KMT)
 Chairman: Lee Teng-hui (Li Denghui)
 Secretary-General: Hsu Shui-teh (Xu Shuide)

Democratic Progressive Party (DPP)
 Chairman: Chang Chun-hung (Zhang Junhong), interim
 Secretary-General: Ch'iu I-yen (Qiu Yiren)

Chinese New Party (CNP)
 Secretary-General: Jaw Shau-kong (Zhao Shaokang)

Social Data

	1993	1994		1993	1994
Population					
Total Number (m)	20,944	21,126	- Unemployment Rate (%)	1.45	1.56
- Growth Rate (%)	0.92	0.87	Monthly Work Hours by Manufacturing Industry (Ave.p.Empl.)	202	202
- Natural Increase Rate (%)	1.03	0.99	Monthly Earnings by Manufacturing Industry (Ave.p.Empl.) NT\$	28,829(r)	30,727
- Male (m)	10,797	10,880	Indices of Unit Labor Cost in Manufacturing Industry (1991=100)	110.34(r)	113.02
- Female (m)	10,147	10,246			
Population Density (per sq.km)	581.78	586.83			
Life Expectancy					
- Male	72.02	n.a.			
- Female	77.42	n.a.			
	1993	1994			
Labor Force and Employment			1993/4		1994/5
Total Social Labor Force (m)	8,874	9,081	Higher Education	575,391	606,388
- Employed (m)	8,745	8,939	Secondary Education	2,048,707	2,054,553
by Agriculture (%)	11.5	10.9	Primary Education	2,104,713	2,026,194
Industry (%)	39.1	39.2	Pre-School	236,009	233,589
Services (%)	49.4	49.9	Others	377,705	339,486
			Total	5,302,525	5,260,210

Economic Data

	1993 (r)	1994		1993(r)	1994
Gross National Product (GNP)			Foreign Trade		
GNP Amount (Current Prices/m NT\$)	5,970,546	6,458,644	Total Exports (m US\$)	85,091	93,049
- Real Growth Rate (%)	6.0	6.1	- Growth Rate (%)	4.4	9.4
- Per Capita GNP (Current Prices/US\$)	10,852	11,606	Total Imports (m US\$)	77,061	85,349
Expenditure on GNP (Current Prices/%)			- Growth Rate (%)	7.0	10.8
- Private Consumption	56.04	58.24	Balance (m US\$)	8,030	7,700
- Government Consumption	15.74	14.84			
- Fixed Capital Formation	23.29	22.98			
- Increase in Inventory	1.46	0.82			
- Exports (Goods & Services)	43.53	43.77			
- Less: Imports (Goods & Services)	41.67	41.86			
- Expenditure on GDP	98.39	98.79			
- Net Factor Income from Abroad	1.61	1.21			
Gross Domestic Production (GDP)					
Amount (Current Prices/m NT\$)	5,874,513	6,380,199			
- Agriculture (%)	3.66	3.57			
- Industry (%)	39.00	37.35			
- Services (%)	57.34	59.08			
Per Capita National Income	1992(r)	1993			
Consumption & Savings			Major Trading Partners		
Annual p.Capita National Income (NT\$)	239,934	260,512	Exports (% of total)		
Annual p.Capita Disposable Inc. (NT\$)	176,205	193,394	- USA	27.7	26.2
Annual p.Capita Consumption (NT\$)	140,390	154,844	- Hong Kong (incl. indirect exports to Chin. Mainland)	21.7	22.9
Annual p.Capita Savings (NT\$)	35,815	38,654	- Japan	10.6	11.0
Annual p.Capita Taxation (NT\$)	47,070	50,257	- Germany	4.1	3.5
	1993	1994	- Singapore	3.4	3.6
Prices (Change Rate/%)			Imports (% of total)		
Wholesale Price	2.51	2.17	- Japan	30.1	29.0
Consumer Price	2.94	4.09	- USA	21.7	21.1
Public Finance	1993(r)	1994	- Germany	5.5	5.6
Total Governm. Revenue (m NT\$)	1,484,678	1,511,944	- Australia	2.7	2.6
Total Governm. Expenditure (m NT\$)	1,791,941	1,945,933	- Hong Kong (incl. imports from Chin. Mainland)	2.2	1.8
Balance (m NT\$)	-307,203	-433,989			
External Public Debt Outstanding					
Disbursed Only (m US\$)			1993	1994	
Including Undisbursed (m US\$)			Amount (m US\$)	83,570	92,450
			- Annual Change (%)	1.53	10.6
Exchange Rates (year end)					
NT\$ per US\$					

Sources: Directorate-General of Budget, Accounting and Statistics, Taipei; Council for Economic Planning and Development, Taipei; Department of Statistics, Ministry of Economic Affairs, Taipei; Department of Statistics, Ministry of Finance, Taipei.

Abbreviations:

r = revised
m = million

Hong Kong Political, Social and Economic Data

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Political Data

Head of State: Queen Elizabeth II.
Governor: Christopher Patten
Chief Secretary: Mrs. Anson Chan
Financial Secretary: Donald Tsang Yam-kuen
Secretary for Civil Service: Lam Woo-kung
Secretary for Home Affairs: Michael Suen
Secretary for Constitutional Affairs: Nicolas Ng Wing-fui
Secretary for Economic Services: Gordon Siu Kwing-chue
Secretary for Education and Manpower: Joseph W.P. Wong
Secretary for the Treasury: Kwong Ki-chi
Secretary for Health and Welfare: Katherine Fok Lo Siu-ching
Secretary for Financial Services: Rafael Hui Si-yan
Secretary for Planning, Environm. & Lands: Bowen Leung Po-wing
Secretary for Recreation and Culture: Brian Chau Tak-hay
Secretary for Security: Peter Lai Hing-ling
Secretary for Trade and Industry: Denise Yue Chung-yeo
Secretary for Transport: Haider Barma
Secretary for Housing: Dominic Wong Shing-wah
Secretary for Works: James Blake
Political Adviser: Bob Pierce
Attorney-General: Jeremy Mathews
Commander British Force: Maj.-Gen. John Foley
President of the Legislative Council: Wong Wang-fat

Social Data

	1993	1994
Population		
Total Number	6,019,900	6,149,100
- Growth Rate (%)	1.8	2.4
- Natural Growth Rate (%)	0.68	0.7
Labor Force and Employment		
(4th qtr.)		
Total Social Labor Force	2,873,000	2,972,600
Labor Force Participation (%)	62.5	62.5
Employment (Sept.) in		
- Manufacturing	508,133	438,382
- Construction	52,179	60,392
- Trades & Gastronomy	958,042	1,051,193
- Transport & Communication	153,325	166,029
- Finance & Real Estate	336,026	361,072
- Civil Services	275,480	291,653
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.1	2.0
All Employees Wage Index (Overall/Sept.92=100)		
- Nominal (Sept.)	134.0	150.8
- Real (Sept.)	108.3	112.3
Education		
Full-time Education		
- Aged 6-11 (%)	99.7	99.0
- Aged 12-14 (%)	96.7	97.5
- Aged 15-16 (%)	84.2	87.2
Full-time Students in Higher Education (Hundreds)	513.5	608.4

Sources: Census and Statistics Department of Hong Kong Government.

Abbreviations:

b = billion r = revised
 m = million e = estimate

Economic Data

	1993 (r)	1994 (e)
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)		
GDP at Current Prices (m HK\$)	897,595	1,019,228
- Real Growth Rate (%)	5.8	5.5
- Per Capita GDP (HK\$)	151,646	168,151
Expenditure on GDP (Current Prices)		
- Private Consumption (m HK\$)	515,312	600,040
- Government Consumption (m HK\$)	72,335	83,246
- Fixed Capital Formation (m HK\$)	246,472	297,478
- Change in Stocks (m HK\$)	2,040	19,880
- Exports of Goods (m HK\$)	1,046,250	1,170,013
- Less: Imports of Goods (m HK\$)	1,075,710	1,254,427
- Exports of Services (m HK\$)	217,447	246,846
- Less: Imports of Services (m HK\$)	126,551	143,848
Composition of GDP (Current Prices %)		
1992 (r) 1993 (e)		
- Agriculture	0.2	0.2
- Manufacturing	13.6	11.4
- Electricity, Gas and Water	2.1	2.1
- Construction	5.1	5.0
- Trades & Gastronomy	26.1	26.5
- Transport & Communication	9.7	9.9
- Finance & Real Estate	24.4	25.7
- Civil Services	15.1	15.3
- Ownership of premises	11.1	11.4
- Less: Bank Service Charge	7.5	7.6
Prices (Change Rate %)		
1993 1994		
- CPI (A)	8.5	8.1
- CPI (B)	8.7	8.6
- Hang Seng CPI	9.5	10.0
- Composite CPI	8.8	8.8
Public Finance		
(fiscal year April-March)		
Total Governm. Revenue (b HK\$)	135.3	166.6
Total Governm. Expenditure (b HK\$)	107.3 (r)	134.0
Fiscal Reserves (b HK\$)	121.0	140.2
Foreign Trade		
Value of Domestic Exports (fob/b HK\$)	223.0	222.1
Value of Re-exports (fob/b HK\$) to:		
- EU	823.2	947.9
- Commonwealth Countries	119.4	127.6
- China	84.3	97.3
- USA	274.6	322.8
- Japan	180.3	210.1
- Germany	44.2	54.7
- United Kingdom	40.8	41.6
Total Exports (Domestic Exports + Re-exports/b HK\$)	24.5	27.3
Value of Imports (cif/b HK\$) from:		
- Commonwealth Countries	1,046.3	1,170.0
- EU	1,072.6	1,250.7
- China	115.9	145.2
- USA	104.6	121.9
- Japan	402.2	470.9
- Taiwan	178.0	195.0
- Singapore	94.0	107.3
- USA	79.4	89.3
Visible Trade Balance (b HK\$)	47.8	62.0
Exchange Rates (Average)		
HK\$ per US\$	- 26.3	- 80.7
CPI (A), CPI (B) and Hang Seng CPI are consumer price indices which cover some 50%, 30% and 10% respectively of urban households in Hong Kong. The base period monthly household expenditures of these groups were 2,500-9,999 HK\$, 10,000-17,499 HK\$ and 17,500-37,499 HK\$. The composite CPI is based on the expenditure pattern of all these households taken together.		
	7.73	7.72

Macau Political, Social and Economic Data

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Political Data

Head of State
Mario Soares

Governor
Gen. Vasco Rocha Vieira

Under-Secretary for Health and Social Affairs
Ana Maria Siqueira Basto Perez

Under-Secretary for Communication, Tourism and Culture
António Manuel Salavessa da Costa

Under-Secretary for Administration, Education and Youth
Jorge Hagedorn Rangel

Under-Secretary for Public Security
Brig. Henrique Manuel Lajes Ribeiro

Under-Secretary for Economy and Finance
Vitor Manuel de Silva Rodrigues Pessoa

Under-Secretary for Transport and Public Works
José Manuel Machado

Under-Secretary for Justice
Antonio Manuel Macedo de Almeida

Social Data

	1993	1994
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Population
(official estimation)

Total Number (thousand)	395.3	410.5
- Growth Rate (%)	3.8	3.9
- Natural Growth Rate (%)	1.2	1.2
- Males (thousand)	192.9	200.0
- Females (thousand)	202.4	210.5

	1993	1994
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Education
(Enrolment)

- Basic	40,037	42,823
- Secondary	18,634	19,246
- Technical Secondary	827	949
- Teacher Training	353	326
- Nurse Training	115	146
- Higher Education	6,803	6,045

Economic Data

	1993 (r)	1994 (e)
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Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

GDP Amount (Current Prices/m MOP)	46,153.9	51,842.8
- Real Growth Rate (%)	5.0	4.0
- Per Capita GDP (on the basis of official estimated population/current prices/MOP)	116,756.6	126,291.8

Expenditure on GDP (Current Prices/m MOP)

- Private Consumption	14,051.8	15,943.1
- Government Consumption	3,704.7	4,264.4
- Fixed Capital Formation	14,242.2	16,197.3
- Exports (Goods & Services)	34,136.1	36,617.6
- Imports (Goods & Services)	19,965.7	21,165.0

	1993 (r)	1994
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Prices (Change Rate/%)

Consumer Price	6.7	6.3
Domestic Demand Deflator	10.8	8.6
GDP Deflator	9.1	8.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.1	2.5

	1993	1994
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Public Finance

Total Public Revenue (m MOP)	12,202.3	12,811.2
Total Public Expenditure (m MOP)	10,419.9	11,251.3

	1993	1994
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Foreign Trade

Total Exports (m MOP)	14,236.2	14,853.8
- USA	4,757.4	5,522.2
- Hongkong	1,785.1	1,660.2
- Germany	1,638.4	1,528.3
- France	1,198.8	1,066.4
- United Kingdom	899.4	1,057.3
- China	1,886.1	1,887.3
- Japan	161.4	140.4

Total Imports (m MOP)	16,137.9	16,925.1
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- Hongkong (incl. its re-exports)	4,818.2	5,136.8
- China	3,429.1	3,186.4
- Japan	2,548.8	2,164.5
- USA	933.8	1,156.4
- EU	1,805.8	2,452.3

	1993	1994
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Tourism

Total Visitor Arrivals (from Hongkong by sea/thousands)	5,987.6	5,958.8
- Hongkong Residents	4,604.2	4,570.5
- Japan	335.9	348.4
- Europe	208.6	206.9
- USA	74.1	78.3

	1993	1994
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Exchange Rates

MOP per US\$	7.97	7.96
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Abbreviations:

e = preliminary estimates

r = revised preliminary estimates

m = million

Sources: Census and Statistics Department, Macau.

Monthly Bibliography of Articles on PRC, Taiwan, Hong Kong and Macau

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Abbreviations

A	<i>Asien</i> (Hamburg), quarterly
AA	<i>Asian Affairs</i> (Washington, DC), quarterly
ADR	<i>Asian Development Review</i> (Manila), biannually
AJPS	<i>Asian Journal of Political Science</i> (Singapore), twice yearly
AP	<i>Asian Perspective</i> (Seoul), twice yearly
APEL	<i>Asian-Pacific Economic Literature</i> (Guildford, England), twice yearly
APF	<i>Asian Profile</i> (Hong Kong), bimonthly
APR	<i>Asia-Pacific Review</i> (Tokyo), quarterly
AS	<i>Asian Survey</i> (Berkeley, Calif.), monthly
ASR	<i>Asian Studies Review</i> (Australia), three times a year
ATS	<i>Asian Thought and Society</i> (Oneonta, N.Y.), three times yearly
BCAS	<i>Bulletin of Concerned Asian Scholars</i> (Boulder), quarterly
BR	<i>Beijing Rundschau</i> (Beijing), weekly
C.a.	<i>CHINA aktuell</i> (Hamburg), monthly
CBR	<i>The China Business Review</i> (Washington), bimonthly
CEN	<i>China Exchange News</i> (Washington), quarterly
CER	<i>China Economic Review</i> (Greenwich, Connecticut), quarterly
CH	<i>China heute</i> (Beijing), monthly
CI	<i>China Information</i> (Leiden)
CJ	<i>Caimao Jingji</i> (Beijing), monthly
CNA	<i>China News Analysis</i> (Taiwan), fortnightly
CNL	<i>China News Letter</i> (Tokyo), bimonthly
CP	<i>Copenhagen Papers in East and Southeast Asian Studies</i> (Copenhagen)
CQ	<i>China Quarterly</i> (London)
CRE	<i>China Report</i> (Delhi), quarterly
CRep	<i>China Report</i> (Vienna)
DE	<i>The Developing Economies</i> (Tokyo), quarterly
DNC	<i>Das Neue China</i> (Dortmund), bimonthly
EACS	<i>East Asian Cultural Studies</i> (Tokyo), annually
ER	<i>Economic Review</i> (Taipei), bimonthly
FA	<i>Foreign Affairs</i> (New York), five times yearly
FAJ	<i>Foreign Affairs Journal</i> (Beijing), quarterly
FC	<i>Freies China</i> (Taipei), bimonthly
FEA	<i>Far Eastern Affairs</i> (Moscow), bimonthly
FY	<i>Faxue Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), bimonthly
GSK	<i>Guizhou Shehui Kexue</i> (Guiyang), bimonthly
GWY	<i>Guoji Wenti Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), quarterly
HKEP	<i>Hong Kong Economic Papers</i> (Hong Kong), annually
IA	<i>International Affairs</i> (London), quarterly
IAF	<i>Internationales Asienforum</i> (München), quarterly
ICM	<i>Inside China Mainland</i> (Taipei), monthly
IFC	<i>Industry of Free China</i> (Taipei), monthly
IS	<i>Issues and Studies</i> (Taipei), monthly

JAA	<i>Journal of Asian and African Studies</i> (Leiden), quarterly
JAB	<i>Journal of Asian Business</i> (Ann Arbor, USA), quarterly
JAS	<i>Journal of Asian Studies</i> (Ann Arbor, USA), quarterly
JCA	<i>Journal of Contemporary Asia</i> (Manila), quarterly
JCC	<i>The Journal of Contemporary China</i> (Waterville, Maine), quarterly
JEAA	<i>Journal of East Asian Affairs</i> (Seoul), semiannually
JK	<i>Jingji Kexue</i> (Beijing), bimonthly
JLYJG	<i>Jingji Lilun Yu Jingji Guanli</i> (Beijing), bimonthly
JNAS	<i>Journal of Northeast Asian Studies</i> (Washington, D.C.), quarterly
JWT	<i>Jingji Wenti Tansuo</i> (Yunnan), monthly
JY	<i>Jingji Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), monthly
KY	<i>Kongzi Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), quarterly
LY	<i>Lishi Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), bimonthly
MAS	<i>Modern Asian Studies</i> (New York), quarterly
MC	<i>Modern China</i> (London), quarterly
MCS	<i>Mainland China Studies</i> (Taipei), monthly
NJW	<i>Nongye Jingji Wenti</i> (Beijing), monthly
NSa	<i>Nord-Süd aktuell</i> (Hamburg), quarterly
NX	<i>Nankai Xuebao</i> (Beijing), bimonthly
OR	<i>Ostasien Report</i> (Hamburg), bimonthly
PA	<i>Pacific Affairs</i> (Canada), quarterly
PR	<i>Pacific Review</i> (Oxford), quarterly
PV	<i>Pacific Viewpoint</i> (New Zealand), twice yearly
RC	<i>Republican China</i> (Urbana Calif.), twice yearly
SCC	<i>Studies on Chinese Communism</i> (Taipei), monthly
SKZ	<i>Shehui Kexue Zhanxian</i> (Changchun), bimonthly
SSC	<i>Social Sciences in China</i> (Beijing), quarterly
TCJ	<i>The China Journal</i> (Canberra), twice yearly
TY	<i>Taiwan Yanjiu</i> (Beijing), quarterly
VRÜ	<i>Verfassung und Recht in Übersee</i> (Hamburg), quarterly
YJ	<i>Yatai Jingji</i> (Fuzhou), bimonthly
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