

SUMMARY

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OBJECTIVE MARKET AND SUBJECTIVE INTENTIONS: WHAT STRATEGY TO CHOOSE

The paper considers correlation between objective and subjective factors on market, between market mechanism and its conscious subjects. The author criticizes one-sided methodological individualism and suggests another principle – methodological dualism. He investigates double nature of people and its influence on society. The author’s method of approach is applied to Russian specifics.

Key words: objective and subjective factors, market mechanism and its conscious subjects, methodological dualism, double nature of man and society, typical and specific characteristics of Russia.

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ABOUT INITIAL SOURCES OF ECONOMIC SYSTEM TRANSFORMATION

The article describes initial sources of economic system transformation. Special attention is devoted to the comparison of institutional and technological innovation sources taking to consideration demographic and climate sources of changes also.

Key words: economic transformation, endogenous and exogenous factors, institutions, innovations, demographic process, climate changes.

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ABOUT THE INSTITUTIONAL ENVIRONMENT OF RUSSIAN SOCIETY, AND THE PROSPECT OF BUILDING NEW COORDINATION STRUCTURES

Institutional environment of modern Russia to be specific the coexistence of rules and regulations of several socio-economic formations, prevailing in our country in different periods, as well as the strong influence of the informal practices of business. The perversity of this institutional environment is obvious. It could be overcome together with the formation of new institutions of coordinating type – horizontal communities, joining either individuals or businesses.

Key words: institutional development, institutional environment, informal practices, club community, reputation, institutionalization.

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INDICATORS AND MECHANISMS FOR INCREASE OF EFFICIENCY OF ACTIVITY OF INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES AND CORPORATIONS

In article the Concept of indicative management of the industrial enterprises as the set of views of a problem of ensuring effective management of the enterprises reflecting author's vision of the perspective directions of use in management of the system of indicators created in a special way is offered. For attraction of investment resources on creation of capacities of the enterprises besides the commercial credits it is offered to use leasing, tax and insurance mechanisms. The defining criterion at a choice of a form of financing of long-term investments for the industrial enterprise attracting them is the assessment of a final positive effect.

Key words: industrial enterprise, indicative management, system of indicators, leasing mechanism, investments.

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BEST AVAILABLE TECHNIQUES AS A TOOL OF THE STATE INDUSTRIAL POLICY

The introduction of best available techniques (BAT) is traditionally seen as an element of the state environmental policy. At the same time, BAT have significant economic importance and should be considered as an industrial policy tool.

The article presents a brief history of the emergence of ideas of BAT in the Russian practice, describes the course and peculiarities of legal regulation. Arguments in favor of the consideration of BAT as an industrial policy tool are shown. We also provide the quantitative assessment of the investment potential of BAT and practical implications in terms of government regulation.

Key words: the best available techniques, industrial policy, technological parameters, BAT reference documents (BREFs).

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MARKET ECONOMIC REFORMS: EXPERIENCE OF RUSSIA AND CHINA'S EXPERIENCE

In the modern economic science is little studied issue of political economy the essence of the process of change of social system in the period of market reforms of the socialist economy and about the effectiveness of the used mechanisms and the obtained results. In this regard, the article considers

the evolution of China's economic system in the period after 1980 and a comparison of the Chinese experience of system transformations with the Russian.

Key words: socio-economic system, state monopoly, market economy, free competition and price formation.

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MODERN TRENDS IN THE EVOLUTION OF SOCIAL POLICY IN OECD COUNTRIES

The article deals with the problems of wage taxation in the context of the formation of all aspects of social policy including pension benefits, providing for unemployment, medical insurance, insurance against accidents at work and occupational diseases. The analysis of the current state of social policy in the developed world and the trends of change in the future are given. International comparisons are provided.

Key words: wages, social insurance, unemployment benefits, pensions, payments to the injured at work, maternity leave, child benefits, international comparisons.