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Structural Analysis of the Turkish Economy's Balance of Payments: 1984-2015 / Türk Ekonomisinde Ödemeler Bilançosunun Yapısal analizi: 1984-2015

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ABSTRACT

Balance of payments provides clear information about the size of transactions carried out with the outside world and it is considered an important indicator of a country's economic structure and power. At the same time following the developments on the balance sheet and its analysis are of great importance in terms of economic policy decisions. In this study, balance of payments will be defined and its properties will be discussed with in a general framework. Later the main account groups of balance of payments will be summarized and presented in the framework of the "Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual Sixth Edition (BPM6) which is published by the IMF. In the third part of this study, balance of payments data and its development will be analyzed in detail for the period covering the years 1984-2015 of Turkey's economy. Finally, the weight of the account groups, trend analysis (1984-2015) and developments in the current account deficit to GDP ratio will be explained and reviewed.

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