

enterprises was 0.13 billion US dollars, up by 44.1 percent; the export of private enterprises reached 69 million US dollars, grew by 77.9 percent. Of which, the export of machinery and electronic products was 0.34 billion US dollars, up by 8.4 percent; the export of textile and articles was 0.31 billion US dollars, had an increase of 17.4 percent, unwrought zinc and zinc alloys was 0.13 billion US dollars, down by 14.9 percent, fireworks and firecrackers was 0.09 billion US dollars, up by 4.0 percent.

New progress was made again in utilization of foreign capitals. During the year, the contracted foreign capitals reached 1.33 billion US dollars, up 21.7 percent over the previous year, and that of actually utilized 1.19 billion US dollars, up by 7.1 percent, of which, the foreign direct investment was 0.81 billion US dollars, up by 18.8 percent.

Economic cooperation with foreign countries kept high growth. The contracted value of newly signed contract projects, labor services, design and consultancy services reached 0.27 billion US dollars, increased by 44.3 percent. The accomplished business revenue was 0.27 billion US dollars, up 91.4 percent.

Domestic and international tourism maintained fast growth. The year 2001 saw 49.85 million domestic tourists, up by 7.2%. Income from domestic tourism stood at 18.81 billion yuan, had an increase of 44.1 percent, 504.6 thousand tourists from overseas were received, up by 11.1 percent, income of foreign exchange from international tourism reached 0.27 billion yuan, up by 22.2%. The total income of tourism reached 21 billion yuan, up by 41.4 percent, it was equivalent to 5.2 percent of the province' Gross Domestic Product, and increased 1.2 percentage points over the previous year. The tourism had become one of the important mainstay industry in this province.

VII Transportation, Posts and Telecommunication

In 2001, total volume of cargo transported by various means was 113.23 billion ton-kilometers, up by 5.4 percent over the previous year. Of which, the cargo transportation by railways was 67.46 billion ton-kilometers, increased by 6.7 percent; by highways, 31.60 billion ton-kilometers, up 6.6 percent; by waterways, 14.12 billion ton-kilometers, down by 1.8 percent and by airways, 12 million ton-kilometers, up 9.1 percent. The volume of passenger transportation was 76.08 billion person-kilometers, an increase of 5.1 percent. Of which, passengers carried by railways were 41.11 billion person-kilometers, up 4.3 percent by highways, 33.79 billion person-kilometers, up by 6.1 percent; by waterways 0.32 billion person-kilometers, down by 9.0 percent; by airways, 0.86 billion person-kilometers, up by 5.7 percent.

The business transactions of postal and telecommunication services in 2001 totaled 18.78 billion yuan, up 37.8 percent over the previous year. By the end of 2001, telephone subscribers numbered 7.585 million, up 10.9 percent. There were 11.5 telephones per 100 persons in this province, up 0.8 percentage points. Mobile telephone and internet services developed rapidly. Mobile telephone users numbered 4.11 million, up 73.6 percent; over the previous year internet services users reached 1.07 million, up 88.1 percent.

VIII Banking and Insurance

The service of banking was perfect gradually, and its support to the economy was strengthened. The deposits and loans increased by a wide margin. By the end of 2001, the total amount of the deposit of the banking institutions