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## ANAL:YSIS OF INVESTMENT PROCESSES IN CMEA COUNTRIES

In the period of economic development of CMEA countries (1960--1980) which we analyse, two stages can be distinguished: the years 1960-1975 characterized by great economic changes and by an increasing economic growth realized mainly due to high investment outlays, and the years 1976-1980 which brought about the economic crisis in Poland, Romania, Hungary and weakening of económic growth in other CMEA countries.

In the years 1960-1975 a significant equalization of production potentials and their structures in particular CMEA countries could be observed ${ }^{1}$. In all CMEA countries in the period analysed, the share of industry in national income formation increased considerably. (A relatively small increase was observed in Czechoslovakia and GDR, i,e. in the countries having the highest initial level of production potentials.) At the same time a distinct decrease of the share of agriculture in national income formation occurrea, excluding USSR. The character of structural changes in particular CMEA economies, i.e. especially the changes in industry and agriculture, points out to the fact that the economic growth was mainly extensive. This is also reflected by comparisons of annual growth rates of investment outlays with the annual growth rate of national income (cf Table 1). The 1960-1975 investment outlays were highly dynamic especially in Romania, Poland and Bul-

[^0]Tablel
Average annual rate of growth of national income produced ( ON ) , investment outlays (NI), fixed assets (ST), and fixed assets in production sectors (STP)

| Country | 1961-1965 |  |  |  | 1966-1970 |  |  |  | 1971-1975 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | DN | NI | ST | STP | DN | NI | ST | STP | DN | NI | ST | STP |
| Butgaria | 6.7 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 10.2 | 8.8 | 12.5 | 8.8 | 10.9 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 8.9 |
| Czocho-slovakía | 1.9 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 6.9 | 7.3 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 5.5 | 8.0 | 5.3 | 5.3 |
| GDR | 3.4 | 5,0 | 3.9 | 6.1 | 5.2 | 10.1 | 3.5 | 4.9 | 5.4 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 5.9 |
| Poland gross net | 6.2 6.2 | 6.8 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 6.3 6.0 | 8.1 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 9.7 9.8 | 17.5 | 5.8 | 8.0 |
| Romanía | 9.1 | 11.3 | 6.7 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 11.2 | 8.6 | 10.7 | 11.4 | 11.5 | 9.6 | 11.8 |
| Hungary | 4.1 | 5.1 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 6.8 | 11.7 | 4.6 | 5.6 | 6.5 | 7.1 | 6.3 | 7.5 |
| USSR | 6.5 | 6.3 | 8.5 | 9.7 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 8.2 | 5.7 | 7.0 | 7.8 | 8.7 |

Source: Rocznik statystyki międzynarodowej GUS, Warszawa 1977.
garia (Table 2). The rate and nature of economic changes in particular CMEA countries can be described explicitly by comparisons of the average annual growth rate of national income produced, investment outlays and fixed assets (cf Table 1). Differences between the countries result first of all from some differences in the economic level, unequal industrialization and also from the differences in the structure of expenditures in particular sectors of the economy. This is connected with various geographical conditions (variety of natural resources and demographic conditions), and the situation in domestic and foreign trade of particular countries. Although the period of $1960-1975$ was marked by a significant increase in investment outlays, it was very uneven. Up to 1970 the investment policy in most countries was expansive using mainly domestic resources. In 1970 some symptoms of the economic crisis were observed, the most visible ones in Poland. It was caused by the difference in growth rates of the national income

| Country | 1961 | 1962 | 1963 | 1964 | 1965 | 1966 | 1967 | 1968 | 1969 | 1970 | 1971 | 1972 | 1973 | 1974 | 1975 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria | 101 | 109 | 124 | 136 | 146 | 175 | 216 | 236 | 238 | 263 | 268* | 294 | 315 | 339 | 398 |
| vakia | 107 | 104 | 93 | 103 | 110 | 121 | 125 | 135 | 149 | 157 | 165 | 179 | 196 | 214 | 231 |
| GDR | 101 | 104 | 106 | 117 | 127 | 137 | 149 | 165 | 190 | 204 | 205 | 213 | 230 | 240 | 249. |
| Poland | 157 | 118 | 121 | 127 | 139 | 150 | 167 | 182 | 197 | 205 | 220 | 272 | 340 | 416 | 476 |
| Romania | 118 | 133 | 143 | 157 | 171 | 187 | 218 | 244 | 260 | 289 | 319 | 353 | 382 | 433 | 500 |
| Hungary | 96 | 106 | 121 | 126 | 127 | 141 | 169 | 148 | 188 | 221 | 246 | 243 | 252 | 275 | 312 |
| USSR | 104 | 109 | 115 | 125 | 136 | 145 | 157 | 170 | 175 | 195 | 209 | 224 | 235 | 252 | 273 |

Source: Ekonomika Stran-Cnlenov Soveta Ekonomicheskoj Vzaimpomoshchi Ryady 1950-1975, Moskva 1976; Tablice problemu węzłowego 11.6 dotyczące nakładów inwestycyjnych, Warszawa 1978.


Share of investments in gross national income (in \%)

| Country | $1961-1965$ | $1966-1970$ | $1971-1975$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria | 25.7 | 38.9 | 30.6 |
| Czechoslovakia | 24.3 | 25.9 | 28.1 |
| GDR | 20.5 | 24.8 | 25.8 |
| Poland | 23.0 | $25: 0$ | 32.7 |
| Romania | 25.0 | 28.3 | 26.5 |
| Hungary | 26.8 | 30.5 | 32.3 |
| USSR | 26.0 | 25.9 | 26.5 |

Source: Statisticheskij Ezhegodnik Stran Chlenov Soveta Ekonomicheskoj Vzaimopomoshchi, 1971-1977, Moskva 1978.
and the expansive investment policy which was realized. Favourable economic and political conditions facilitated to overcome this crisis by pretty high foreign credits which in turn made it possible to continue the previous expansive investment policy. As a consequence, in most CMEA countries the share of investments in the national income increased in relation to the previous years (cf rable 3 ).

As a result of the investment policy being realized some equalizing of the level of economic development has been observed, especially in the production sector, mainly in industry. In other spheres ${ }^{*}$ of economic activity the picture is less encouraging. This refers especially to non-productive activities and agriculture (cf Table 4).

The years 1976-1986 mark bigger or less economic breakdown in all European CMEA countries. This points at the fact that the consequences of this crisis will be still significant in the next five years. In this period $(1976-1980)$ significant difficulties appeared in the realization of investments. Among the sources of the difficulties apart from mismanagement and wrong planning, some other elements, frequently considered as a result of systems errors, are to be mentioned here:

Differences in fixed assets and investments in CMEA countries (per capifa)
in 1960 and 1975
(the country having the highest level of a given index $=100$ )

| Country | Investment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | assets used in production process |  | outlays in industry |  | outlays in agriculture |  | outlays in residential building |  | outlays for research and Gevelopment |  |
|  | 1950 | 1975 | 1960 | 1975 | 1960 | 1975 | 1960 | 1975 | 1960 | 1975 |
| Bulgaria | 25.7 | 50.7 | 44.0 | 75.8 | 85.5 | 76.6 | 24.3 | 79.6 | 33.8 | 36.8 |
| Czechoslovakia | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 87.5 | 100.0 | 81.2 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 96.7 | 100.0 |
| GDR | 67.2 | 79.0 | 89.6 | 100.0 | 51.4 | 69.5 | 58.7 | 62.3 | 77.5 | 84.9 |
| Poland | 39.6 | 44.7 | 35.1 | 81.3 | 26.8 | 67.1 | 35.8 | 99.8 | 20.5 | 28.2 |
| Romania |  | - | 37.9 | 84.5 | 42.6 | 63.8 | 17.0 | 94.4 | 17.9 | 30.3 |
| Hungary | 39.9 | 47.1 | 39.2 | 57.5 | 47.7 | 66.8 | 29.0 | 36.1 | 39.7 | 45.9 |
| USSR | 52.7 | 74.6 | 62.0 | 62.1 | 56.9 | 100.0 | 63.0 | 67.9 | 100.0 | 91.7 |

5 our ce: M. Sikula, Ekonomicky rast, a vyrovnanie urovne, ekonomickeho rozvoja krajin RVHP, Bratislava 1979, after B i $5 k u p, z$ a wa d $z k i \quad[2]$.

1. Too large value of investments being realized, and thus distribution of financial resources to too many objects which in turn caused prolonged time for investment realization and postponed putting into operation of new investments. Therefore, the investments become less efficient.
2. Incorrect realization of investment imports - its main objective, being modernization of economy and dynamization of growth rate in exports, has not been achieved in any CMEA country.
3. Inappropriate investment structure - too high share of investments covering construction and assembly as well as too many preferences of industry at the cost of agriculture, transport, communication and environmental protection. Within industry special privileges had: machinery industry, metallurgy and chemical industry. Light and food industries belonged in most CMEA countries (excluding Hungary and GDR) to the "neglected" industries as far as investments were concerned which resulted infavourably on consumer's market.
4. Increased investment outlays were not accompanied by appropriate technological development.

Oue to the above mentioned difficulties in investments realization in most CMEA countries a significant limitation of their level in 1976-1980 was planned. It appeared that the limitation of the level of investment outlays was not a simple process and the

## Tables

Per cent increase of investment outlays in the years 1976-1979.

| Country | Plan | Realization |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria | 10.3 | 13 |
| Czechoslovakia | 22.4 | 12.9 |
| GOR | 22.3 | 19.2 |
| Poland | -7.6 | -3.1 |
| Romania | 76.9 | 46.6 |
| Hungary | 7 | 19.7 |
| USSR | 13.4 | 15.6 |

S o urce: According to Economic Survey of Europe in 1979, United Nations, 1980, after B i skup, 2 a wa d z ki [2] and Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countries. 1982. New York 1985.
plan was overfulfilled (Bulgaria, Poland, Hungary, USSR). In Czechos lovakia, GOR and Romania the intended level of investments was not achieved but this level was planned too high, especially in Romania, taking into account the difficulties ogcurring already in the previous five-year period (Table 5). In the years 1976-1980 an increasing share of investment outlays for industry and construction in most CMEA countries (except Poland) was observed. In many countries the share of investiment outlays for agriculture and forestry decreased (Table 6). However, it was forecasted that the

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Share of investment outlays
in total outlays (in per cent)

| Country | Years | Manufacturing and building industry | Agriculture and forestry |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44 \\ & 44,4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.7 \\ & 12.4 \end{aligned}$ |
| Czechoslovakia | $\begin{aligned} & 1971-1975 \\ & 1976-1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41.1 \\ & 42.9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.5 \\ & 11.5 \end{aligned}$ |
| GOR | $\begin{aligned} & 1971-1975 \\ & 1976-1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55.7 \\ & 56.2 \end{aligned}$ | 12.0 10.3 |
| Poland | $\begin{aligned} & 1971-1975 \\ & 1976-1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47.0 \\ & 44.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15.3 \\ & 16.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| Romania | $\begin{aligned} & 1971-1975 \\ & 1976-1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 55.0 \\ & 55.1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14.4 \\ & 13.8 \end{aligned}$ |
| Hungary | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34.6 \\ & 35.4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16.0 \\ & 14.6 \end{aligned}$ |
| USSR | $\begin{aligned} & 1971-1975 \\ & 1976-1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38.8 \\ & 39.3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20.2 \\ & 20.4 \end{aligned}$ |

Source: Statistical Yearbock. CMEA Eauntries. 1982, New York 1985.
tendency of "shifting" the investments to agriculture and possibly to transportation and communication as well as to residential building would occur in all CMEA countries, in the period 1981-1985. The consequence of an increase in the share of investment outlays in industry and construction in most CMEA countries both in the last and in the present five-year period. (1971-1980) is an in-
crease in the share of fixed assets in those sectors in the years 1976-1980 and a planned increase in this share in the first years of the five-year period (1981-1985). In non-productive sectors in most countries the share of the total value of fixed assets decreased (Table 7).

Table7
Share in the total value of fixed assets (in \%)

| Country | Years | Fixed assets in |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | manufacturing and building industry | agriculture | non-pro- duction sectors |
| Bulgaria | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | 38.6 38.6 | 12.4 11.1 | 32.4 31.7 |
| Czechoslavakia | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | 37.5 34.8 | 8.2 8.7 | 33.2 33.5 |
| GOR | 1975 1980 | 41.9 45.3 | $\begin{gathered} 8.1 \\ \text { (forestry } \\ \text { ind.) } \\ 8.4 \end{gathered}$ | 36.4 32.5 |
| Foland | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29.7 \\ & 33.2 \end{aligned}$ | 15.9 16.1 | $\begin{aligned} & 38.9 \\ & 37.2 \end{aligned}$ |
| Romania | 1975 1980 | 44.8 48 | 11.4 10.7 | 27.9 24.2 |
| Hungary | 1975 | 27.7 30.9 | 11.9 11.9 | 38.5 37.0 |
| USSR | $\begin{aligned} & 1975 \\ & 1980 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 33.5 \\ 34.8 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 13.3 \\ 13.6 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 35.9 \\ 34.1 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |

Sour c e: Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countries. 1982. New York 1985.

The total indices of economic growth for the years 1976-1980 are presented in Table 8. It is very interesting to compare them with the indices of growth of investment outlays given in Table 9. This comparison is presented in Tables 10 and 11 . For comparative reasons in Tables 8 and 10 the same values are given in brackets for the years 1971-1975. In many countries the limitation imposed on investments in the years 1976-1980 improved their efficiency as

Average annual growth rate in the years $1976-1980$ (in \%)

| Country | National income produced | Investment outlays of industry | ```Gross output of industry``` | Agriculture output | Exports |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria | 6.1 (7.8) | $4.0 \quad(8.6)$ | 6.0 (9.1) | $0.9(2.9)$ | 13.2 (10.0) |
| Czechoslovakia | $3.7 \quad(5.5)$ | $2.8 \times(8.0)$ | 4.6 (6.7) | 2.1 (2.6) | $6.3-(6.3)$ |
| GDR | $4.1 \quad(5.4)$ | 3.7 (4.7) | $4.9 \quad(6.5)$ | 1.2 (2.7) | 6.6 (9.0 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ) |
| Poland | 1.2 (9.8) | -3.0 (17.5) | $4.7 \quad(10.4)$ | $-1.7 \quad(3.7)$ | $4.0 \quad(10.7)$ |
| Romania | 7.0 (11.4) | 8.5 (11.5) | 9.6. $(12.9)$ | $4.2(6.5)$ | 15.2 (19.0) |
| Hungary | $3.5 \quad(6.5)$ | 2.4 (7.0) | 3.5 (6.4) | $2.3 \quad(4.6)$ | $7.0 \quad(9.4)$ |
| USSR | $4.2 \cdot(5.7)$ | 3.4 (7.0) | $4.4 \quad(7.4)$ | 1.5, (0.5) | 5.1 (4.9) |

a In the years 1976-1979.
N D te: In brackets - the growth rate in the years 1971-1975.
Sour c e: Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countries. 1982, New York 1985.

Growth rate of investment outlays in CMEA countries
in the years 1976-1980 (\% of the previous year)

| Country | Growth rate of investment outlays |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1976-1980 | average <br> annual <br> in <br> $1976-1980$ |
| Bulgaria | 0.6 | 14.2 | 0.6 | -2.2 | 7.5 | 21.5 | 4.0 |
| Czechos lovakia | 3.6 | 2.8 | 4.3 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 14.7 | 2.8 |
| GOR | 7.4 | 5.6 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 0.6 | 19.9 | 3.7 . |
| Paland | 1.0 | 3.1 | 2.1 | $-7.9$ | $-12.3$ | -15 | -3 |
| Romania | 8.5 | 11.7 | 16.0 | 4.1 | 3.0 | 51 | 8.5 |
| Hungary | -0.1 | 13.0 | 5.0 | 1.0 | $-6.1$ | 12.4 | 2.4 |
| USSR | 4.5 | 3.7 | 6.0 | 0.7 | 2.2 | 18.2 | 3.4 |

Sour.c e: Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countrips. 1982, New Yark 1985.

Table
Average annual growth rate of national income produced, of gross industrial output, agricultural output and exports (\%) vs. 1\% average annual growth rate
of total investment outlays in the years 1976-1980 (in brackets - in the years 1971-1975)

| Country | National income produced |  | Gross industrial output |  | Agricultural output |  | Exports |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 |  | 2 | 3 | 3 |  |  |  | 5 |
| Bulgaria | 1.5 | (0.9) | 1.5 | (1.06) | $0.225^{\circ}$ | (0.35) | 3.3 | (1.16) |
| Czechoslo vakia |  | (0.7) |  | (0.84) | 0.75 | (0.325) | 2.25 | (0.78) |
| GOR. | 1.1 | (1.1) | 1.3 | (1.4) | 0.32 | (0.57) | 1.5 | (1.9) |
| Poland | $\times$ | (0.6) | $\times$ | (0.59) | $\times$ | (0.21) |  | (0.61) |
| Ronania | 0.8 | (1.03) | 1.13 | (1.12) | 0.49 | (0.56) | 1.8 | (1.6) |

Table 10 (contd)

| 1 | 2 |  | 3 |  | 4 |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 1.5 | $(0.9)$ | 1.46 | $(0.91)$ | 0.96 | $(0.66)$ |
| Hungary | 1.2 | $(0.8)$ | 1.29 | $(1.06)$ | 0.44 | $(0.086)$ |
| USSR | 1.5 | $(0.7)$ |  |  |  |  |

Sour c e: The author's calculations based on the data from Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countries. 1982, New York 1985.

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Average annual growth rate of gross output
of industry and agriculture
in the years $1976-1980$ (in \%) vs. 18 average annual growth rate of investment outlays in industry and agriculture, respectively.

| Country | Industry | Agriculture | Average annual growth rate of investment outlays in |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | industry | agriculture ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |
| Bulgaria | 1.22 | 0.75 | $4.9{ }^{\text {b }}$ | $1.2^{\text {b }}$ |
| Czechoslovakia | 1.3 | $\square$ | 3.5 | 0 |
| GDR | 0.96 | - | 5.1 | -0.1 |
| Poland | - |  | $-7.2$ | -0.7 |
| Romania | 1.00 | 0.49 | 9.6 | 8.5 |
| Hungary | 0.49 | 0.27 | $8.8{ }^{\text {b }}$ | $8.5{ }^{\text {b }}$ |
| USSR | 1.26 | 0,58 | 3.5 | 2.6 |

${ }^{\text {a }}$ Agriculture and forestry (excluding Poland).
b In current prices.
Source: The author's calculations based on the CMEA data bank and Statistical Yearbook. CMEA Countries.1982, New York 1985.
compared to the years 1971-1975. In all countries a low efficiency of investment outlays is observed in agriculture (cf Tables 10 and 11).

While analysing the economic development of CMEA countries, its breakdowns and their consequences for development of individual
countries and mutual relationships, attention is paid to similar developmental tendencies in different countries, development of identical industrial branches which makes mutual completion impossible in the situation of an economic crisis. On the other hand from the point of view of integration of these countries a positive element is a mutual equalizing of the levels of development of particular CMEA countries which might facilitate the economic axchange among these countries in the future [2]. A considerable decrease and often a limitation of investment outlays has an explicit effect on the value of fixed assets. It is difficult to evaluate this influence because of some delay in the reaction of fixed assets to changes in investment outlays. Besides, this effect weakens to some extent the freezing of outlays for investments being realized. A quick increase of investments enhances the growth of freezing (due to limited investment possibilities) which. weakens somehow the increase in fixed assets in the periods of growing investment outlays. In turn, the decrease of investment outlays induces a possibility of faster de-freezing of outlays for investments being realized which makes the fixed assets grow in the period when investment outlays are being limited.

The formation of fixed assets in particular countries and the comparison of growth rates of fixed assets with those of national income produced in the years 1976-1980 are presented in Tables 12 and 13, respectively. As can, be seen, despite that in this period the growth rate of investments is slowed-down and in some countries the level of investments is lowert, these facts are not reflected in the growth rate of fixed assets. A decrease in marginal productivity of fixed assets is observed, the sharpest decrease being observed in Poland.

All the above described processes are subject to econometric modelling within the investment sector (apart from consumption, production, foreign trade and population). These models are built for six CMEA countries - Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, GOR, Romania, Hungary and the Soviet Union.

From the point of view of economic development in particular countries the investments will be of special interest mainly as a factor affecting the production growth, since through investmente the means of production increase and the gross output grows in the next production periods.

Tabla 12
Increase of fixed assets in the years 1976-1980
( $\%$ of the previous year)

| Country | Increase of fixed assets |  |  |  |  | Average annual growth rate of fixed assets |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $1976$ | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1971-1975. | 1976-1980 |
| Bulgaria | 7.7 | 9.2 | 6.9 | 18.5 | 7.1 | 7.9 | 9.8 |
| Czechoslovakia | 6.1 | 6.0 | 4.8 | 4.0 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 5.2 |
| GOR | 4.6 | 4.7 | 4.1 | 4. 4 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.4 |
| Paland | 7.3 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 6.0 | 4.4 | 5.8. | 6.6 |
| Romania | 10.1 | 9.7 | 8.9 | - | - | $10,1{ }^{\text {b }}$ | $9.5{ }^{\text {c }}$ |
| Hungary | 3.7 | 44.6 | 5.9 | 6:0 | - | $5.5^{\text {a }}$ | 13.9 d |
| USSR | 6.9 | 6.9 | 7.0 | 6. 4 | 6.5 | 7.8 | 6.7 |

- 1972-1975
b 1973-1975
c 1976-1978
d 1976-1979
Source: The author's calculations based on the CMEA data bank and Statistical Yearbooks 1976-1982, New York 1985.

On the other hand, investments are the result of some decision--making processes strictly connected with the value of the final product and its distribution into accumulated and consumed parts. The determination of factors affecting the investment decisions is widely presented in the literature.

In the case of formalizing this problem apart from the question of the form of investment function it is also important to answer the question what kind of information affects the process of investment decision-making and which economic values are the careiers of this information. In capitalist countries, in quite rich Iiterature on the subject ${ }^{2}$ among the factors determining investments the volume of production, the level of income or the rate of its changes, fluctuating investment resources of the firm, remunerativeness of production usually determined by the rate of

[^1]Table 13
Increase of national income produced (\%) vs. $1 \%$ increase of fixed assets

| Country | Increase of national income produced (\%) vs. 1\% increase of fixed assets |  |  |  |  | Average annual growth rate of national income produced (x) vs. $1 \%$ average annual growth rate of fixed assets |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1971-1975 | 1976-1980 |
| Bulgaria | 0.84 | 0.68 | 0.81 | 0.36 | 0.8 | 0.98 | 0.62 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Czechoslo- } \\ \text { vakia } \end{gathered}$ | 0.67 | 0.73 | 0.85 | 0.75 | 0.58 | 1.03 | 0.71 |
| 60 R | 0.78 | 1.1 | 0.88 | 0.86 | 0.97 | 1.25 | 0.93 |
| Poland | 0.93 | 0.66 | 0.38 | $\times$ | $\times$ | 1.68 | 0.18 |
| Romania | 1.0 | 0.89 | 0.84 | - | - | 1.09 | 0.92 |
| Hungary | 0.81 | 0.18 | 0.76 | 0.38 | - | 1.2 | 0.32 |
| USSR | 0.85 | 0.65 | 0.73 | 0.34 | 0.54 | 0.73 | 0.63 |

Source: The author's calculations made on the basis of information from the CMEA data bank of the Institute of Econometrics and Statistics, University of Lódz.
profits from capital and other financial factors such as price indices for investment goods, depreciation rate, bank rate, etc. are mentioned.

It does not seem possible that there is one good theory of investment ${ }^{3}$. However, taking into account the type, place and time of investment decision-making, we may deal with a larger influence of one type of factors in relation to another one.

Considering investment functions in the case of centrally planned economy, one should take into account specific features of our economic system, and especially of the financial system.

Taking as a starting point that investment decision-making follows from the demand for a given output and from the possibilities of satisfying this demand, among the factors affecting the investment decisions, only these are taken into account which des-

[^2]cribe the influence of the past (the voluine of production, the value of fixed assets in the previous period) and these which determine the influence of the future (the value of production being desirable).

Among the information affecting the investiment decision-making in a given year the data concerning investment efficiency and import possibilitjes seem to be important, too. The latter element has great significance in a country in which development is affected by purchase of riodern technologies.

We assume that the results of investment decisions are the determined investment outlays which in turn cause an increase in a new stock of fixed assets - investments put into operation ${ }^{4}$ which can be described approximately by the value of difference between fixed assets in the period $t$ and in the year $t-1$ if we omit the values of depreciation and shifts as well as reestimations of capital (see Figure 1). Thus

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I_{t}=K_{t}-k_{t-1}
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which follows from

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I_{t}=k_{t}-k_{t-1}+k s_{t}
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at

$$
K_{t}=K_{t-1}+I_{t}-K S_{t}
$$

Hence, generally

$$
I_{t}=f\left(J_{t}, J_{t-1}, J_{t-2}, \ldots\right)
$$

where:
$k$ - fixed assets;
KS - value of depreciation and shifts in fixed assets; no statistical data on this value are available;

I - investments put into operation (total, no statistical data available, except Poland);
. J - investment outlays, total.
${ }^{4}$ We have no statistical data on investments put into use in CMEA countries (excluding Poland).


Fig. 1. Relationships in the Investment sector analyzad at construction of econometric models for CMEA countries

The walue of investment outlays in the year $t$ is not only the result of investment decisions made in that year but also in the previous years. The way in which this dependence is farmed, follows directly from the realization of invastment outlays in the previous years.

The investments put into operation in the year $t$-include the investments started every year. The degree of realization in the year $t$ of investment outlays from the previous years was the subject of several hypotheses. Most frequently the hypothesis assuming gedmetrically decreasing lag distribution was realized, i.e, a decreaseing to zero influence of lagged variable on an explanatory variable. Almon's polynomial lag distribution was also often used. It assunned that the effect of the lagged variable on the explanatory variable increases with an increase of the lag up to the moment when this effect starts to decrease again.

For analytical purposes the following general model of the form

$$
I_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\sum_{i=0}^{n} \beta_{i} I_{t-i}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

can be formulated. It can be also written as:

$$
I_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\beta \sum_{i=0}^{m} w_{i} I_{t-1}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

Usually a finite number of lags $m$ is assumed. It is assumed also that the parameters standing at lagged variables have a determined distribution.

We took in our study;

1. Koyck's lag distribution which assumed that weights decrease geometrically

$$
v_{i}=\lambda^{i}, \text { for } i=0,1, \ldots
$$

where $0<\lambda<1$.
It follows that particular weights $w_{1}$ will fulfil the following condition:

$$
w_{0}>w_{1}>w_{2}>\ldots
$$

An average lag for this distribution is:

$$
w=\frac{\lambda}{1-\lambda} .
$$

For the estimation we used Koyck's transformation of the form:

$$
I_{t}=\lambda \alpha+\beta I_{t}+\lambda I_{t-1}+\xi_{t}
$$

2. Almon's polynomial distribution, i.e. weight distribution dependent on polynomial degree and the assumed constraints, where:

$$
w_{i}=\lambda_{0}+\lambda_{1} 1+\lambda_{2} i^{2}+\cdots+\lambda_{n} i^{n}
$$

$n=2,3, \ldots$ is the assumed polynomial degree.
In our studies we took alternatively 2,3 , and 4 th polynomial dingree assuning the 1 ag from 2 ta 5 periods.

To determine particular alements of fixed assets in the year $t$, i.e. the value of fixed assets which ramained after the period $t-1$, and the value of investments put into use, we tried to estimate for each country the following functions:

$$
k_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} k_{t-1}+\alpha_{2} J_{t}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

$$
k_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} k_{t-1}+\alpha_{2} \frac{J_{t}+J_{t-1}}{2}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

$$
k_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} k_{t-1}+\alpha_{2} \frac{\eta_{t}+J_{t-1}+J_{t-2}}{3}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

$$
k_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} k_{t-1}+\alpha_{2} \frac{J_{t-1}+J_{t-2}}{2}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

$$
k_{t}=\alpha_{0}+\alpha_{1} k_{t-1}+\alpha_{2} \frac{J_{t-1}+J_{t-2}+J_{t-3}}{3}+\varepsilon_{t}
$$

where:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \left.K_{t}\left(K_{t-1}\right) \quad \text { fixed assets in the year } t \text { (in the year } t-1\right) \text {; } \\
& J_{t}\left(J_{t-1}, J_{t-2}\right) \text {-investment outlays in the year } t \text { (in the year } \\
& t-1, t-2) . \\
& \text { While analyzing statistical series some difficulties were } \\
& \text { encountered in the determination of the lag in particular invest- }
\end{aligned}
$$

ment realizations and in the way of realizing investment processes in individual countries. Thus, several a priori versions with the structure of lag distribution and maximum lags were assumed. All these versions were tested for each of the seven countries, and calculated separately for the whole economy of particular countries:

- industry ( 0 ),
- construction (B),
- forestry (L),
- agriculture and forestry (RL),
- transport and communication ( T ),
- others ( 0 ),
- production sectors (M),
- non-production sectors (N).

Selected results (the 1960-1975 sample) for particular countries are presented in tables enclosed (Appendix 1). Since we have no information about the investarents put into use ( $I_{t}$ ) we assumed as explained variables the increment of fixed assets in the year $t\left(K_{t}\right)$. While choosing the presented results we, took into account the determination coefficient ( $R^{2}$ ), significance of the effect of particular explanatory variables and the possibility of reasonable economic interpretation of the obtained parameters of the models. In each case 0LS was used in the estimation, for lag distribution functions with given geometric distribution or Almon's distribution appropriate transformations were used. In the estination of fixed assets function we tried to avoid collinearity of explanatory variables by introducing an average variable, i.e. investment outlays for two or three periods. The results obtained so far are unfortunately unsatisiactory for preparing forecasts. They reveal, however, a general view on the formation of investment processes.

The hypothesis on geometric lag distribution proved to be valid only for Czechoslovakia (for total economy, for non-production sectors and for other sectors). The Almon distribution, despite significant estimates of the parameters at explanatory variables, not always gives sufficiently high adjustment degree $\left(R^{2}\right)$. For Czechoslovakia the correct results were obtained at the two-period lag and weight distribution according to polynomial of the second degree with the conditions $F(-1)=0, F(m+1)=0$ (for the whole economy, production sector, construction and agriculture).


OSSR 171


Czechoslovakia 121


Romania /51


Bulgaria /1/


GDR/3/


Fig. 2. Elasticities of investment outlays in industry in the years 1960-1975 JQ - investment outlays in industry (million, domestic currency); jQ -investment outlays in industry in the year $t-1 ; x$ - produced nationalin income (million, domestic currency); MO - total imports (constant 1970 prices, million dollars); MNM imports of machinery and equipment from -CMEA countries (milion dollars); MM - imports of machinery and equipment (million dollars) ; MN - total imports from non-CMEA countrie
$(m i l l i o n ~ d o l l a r s) ; ~ P M M S ~-~ w o r l d ~ p r i c e ~ i n d e x ~ f o r ~ m a c h i n e r y ~ a n d ~ e q u i p m e n t ~$
$(1970=1)$

For Bulgaria and GDR for most sectors it proved to be justified to assume a five-period lag and polynomial of the second degree for weight distribution, under the conditions $F(-1)=0$ and $F(m+1)=$ $=0$. For Poland the Almon weight distribution proved to be justified only for construction (a four-period lag, polynomíal of the degree aqual 3), and for agriculture (a two-period lag, polynomial of the degree equal 2).

For the USSR the assumed five-period lag appeared to be right only for the total economy. In particular sectors such as industry construction, agriculture the assumption of a two-period lag appeared to be more justified. In each case weight distribution was given by the polynomial of the degree equal 2 .

In an extended sample (1960-1978) beside fixed assets (K), investment outlays (J) were explained. For Czechoslovakia functions of investments and fixed assets were estimated for transport and communication and other sectors, trade including (T0).

In the case of Bulgaria and Hungary the function was estimated on the basis of statistical data expressed in current prices, in other countries - in constant prices (cf Appendix 2).

On the basis of the results of estimation of investment functions it can be concluded that the value of investment outlays in CMEA countries is determined mastly by investment possibilities and not by the demand for investments. These possibilities were determined first of all by the yolume of produced national income and of imports. This volume is connected with demand for modern technologies in all CMEA countries which purchase them especially in the recent years. However, in some cases we should take into account the continuation of a part of investments by introducing the variable of one-period lagged investment outlays.

The variable expressing import of machinery and equipment (MM or MNM) affected significantly the value of investment outlays in the sector of industry in all CMEA countries (in the USSR - total imports). In other sectors a significant influence of imports is observed in Bulgaria and Poland. In Poland it is characteristic that this is an effect of the variable expressing imports from non--CMEA countries (MN). In the USSR the variable of total imports affects the value of investment outlays in agriculture and forestry (apart from the above mentioned industry). In GDR the influence of
world price index for machinery and equipment (OMHS) on the value of investment outlays in industry proved to be significant.

Figure 2 presents a formation of investment outlays, elasticities in industry. The elasticities of investment outlays against imports in 1975 attained the similar level in Poland, Czechoslovakia and Hungary. While in Czechoslovakia this elasticity was pretty stable in the years 1960-1975, in Hungary and especially in Poland this elasticity had to increase before it reached the level attained in Czechoslovakia. To compare the investment outlays functions in industry in the years 1960-1975 we present the results of estimation of these functions for the period of 1963-1978. Bulgaria

JQP1 $=0.86138 \mathrm{JQP} 1_{-1}+0.61541 \mathrm{MNM1}+197.17 \quad \mathrm{R}^{2}=0.963$
( $t$ (10.33) (2.14) $\quad(2.19)$
Czechoslovakia
$J 02=0.08666 \times 2+2.7338 M N 2+1.97 \quad R^{2}=0.977$
$\begin{array}{ll}(t) & (2.58) \quad(1.5) \quad(1.71)\end{array}$
GDR
$3 Q_{3}=0.14903 \times 3+0.39044 \mathrm{JQ}_{-1}-1687$ PMHS $+1571 \quad R^{2}=0.989$
( $t$ (2.42) (1.43) (1.44) (2.01)
Poland
JQ4 $=0.7505 \times 4+0.32481 J Q_{-1}+7901$ MNM $4-11109 \quad R^{2}=0.998$
$\begin{array}{lll}(t) & (6.14) & (5.84)\end{array} \quad(12.92) \quad$ (1.63)
Romania
JQ5 $=0.10394 \times 5+0.52146$ JQS $_{-1}+12$ MNM $5-6846 \quad R^{2}=0.991$
Hungary
JQP6 $=0.6847$ JQP. $_{-1}+7.02394$ MM6 $^{-1} 5452 \quad R^{2}=0.977$
$\begin{array}{lll}(t) & (3.04) & (2.19)\end{array}$
USSR
$307=0.0753 \times 7+0.43246 \mathrm{MD7}+2115 \quad R^{2}=0.998$
$\begin{array}{ll}(t) & (12.08)\end{array} \quad(4.82) \quad(3.03)$
As follows from the equations presented in Appendix 1 for the sample covering the period of 1960-1975 the form of the function of investment realization

$$
I_{t}=f\left(I_{t}, I_{t-1}, I_{t-2}, \ldots\right)
$$

for particular CMEA countries has not been determined satsifactorily from the point of view of forecasts. That is why for the 1963-1980 sample the fixed assets functions were estimated. Only in the case of GDR the fixed assets functions for the whole economy were replaced by the function of fixed assets increment.

All functions of fixed assets are characterized by a high determination coefficient ( $R^{2}$ approaching 1) and in most cases by significant estimates of parameters. Although from the point of view of statistical evaluation these functions do not arouse doubts their evaluation from the point of view of their merits, concerning especially the parameters standing at the variable of one-period lagged fixed assets, is not explicit (except for the case when this parameter exceeds unity). The evaluation is hindered by the fact that we do not know the value of depreciation and shifts in fixed assets in particular sectors of the national economy of each CMEA country. As far as the realization of investment outlays is concerned, on the basis of the results obtained, we can presume that on the average most of the investment outlays in particular sectors of CMEA economies are realized in the periods following the year when the outlays were born (Table 14).

$$
\begin{array}{lllll}
\mathrm{T} & \mathrm{a} & \mathrm{~b} & 14
\end{array}
$$

Production sectors - realization of investment outlays (average in years)

| Country | Indu- <br> stry | Con- <br> struc- <br> tion | Transport <br> and com- <br> munica- <br> tion | Agricul- <br> ture and <br> forestry | Other sec- <br> tors in- <br> cluding <br> trade | Produc- <br> tion <br> sectors |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bulgaria <br> Czechoslo- <br> vakia | 4 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| GDR | 2 | 3 | 2 [T0] | 2 | $x$ | 3 |
| Poland | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| Romania | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Hungary | 3 | - | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| USSR | 3 | 2 | 2 | - | 3 | 3 |

Source: The author's calculations.

Table 15 presents a comparison of data on an average cyole of investment realization in Poland.

Table 15
Average cycle of investment realization

| Country | Industry | Construc- <br> tion | Agricul ture | Forestry | Transport <br> and <br> anmunica- <br> tion | Trade |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Poland | 3.99 | 2.45 | 1.65 | 1.75 | 2.80 | 2.00 |

S ource: The author's calculations based on Statistical Yearbook. Investments 1979. No. 122, Central Statistical office, New 'York.

The comparison of both Tables allows us to observe significant differences in the estimation of investment cycle for industry ( $Q$ ) and transport and communication ( $T$ ). It should be taken into account that the investment cycle calculated on the basis of statistical data is an average for the years 1971-1978, while the equations were estimated on the basis of 1963-1978 sample. In spite of this the evaluation of investment cycle for transport and comnunication seems to be highly overestimated. Unfartunately, we have no similar data for other countries which makes a full comparative analysis of the investment cycle for all CMEA countries impossible. The delay in publication of our analysis makes it necessary to expand it by a short statistical analysis for the period 1981-1985. Investment outlays in all CMEA countries, except for Bulgaria and USSR, have been considerably limited in 1981-1985 (see Table 16). In case of Poland the decrease was especially deep, with further negative effects on the rate of economic growth.

Simultaneously, all the countries toak measures towards achieving economic growth by more intensive means. Plans declared significant changes in the structure of CMEA countries modernization of economic mechanisms along with more active stimulation of technical progress [17].

Unfortunately some of them (except for GDR, perhaps) recorded significant advances neither in the structure of economy [3], [17] nor in the efficiency of economic performance. This accompanied by limitations of investment outlays (considerable reductions in
$\begin{array}{llllll}\text { Ia } & \text { b } & 1 & \text { e } & 16\end{array}$
Dynamics of investment outlays $(1980=100)$

| Country | 1976 | 1977 | 1978 | 1979 | 1980 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1984 | 1985 |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Bulgaria | 82.4 | 93.9 | 94.5 | 92.6 | 100 | 108 | 114 | 115 | 115 | 117.9 |
| Czecho- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Slovakia | 89.7 | 92.4 | 96.1 | 98 | 100 | 96 | 94 | 94 | 90 | 95.9 |
| GDR | 91 | 96 | 99 | 100 | 100 | 103 | 97 | 97 | 93 | 95.8 |
| Poland | 117.6 | 121 | 123.5 | 113.6 | 100 | 78 | 68 | 75 | 83 | 88.1 |
| Romania | 71.9 | 80 | 93.4 | 97.1 | 100 | 93 | 90 | 92 | 98 | 99.6 |
| Hungary | 88.8 | 100 | 105.3 | 106.4 | 100 | 95 | 93 | 90 | 87 | 87 |
| USSR | 88.3 | 91.8 | 97.4 | 98 | 100 | 104 | 107 | 113 | 116 | 119.4 |

Source: The author's calculations based on the data from Statisticheskij Ezhegodnik Stran Chlenov Soveta Ekonomicheskoj Vzaimopomoshchi. 1984-1985, Moskva 1985-1986.
case of Poland) negatively influenced growth of CMEA economies. Additional hindrance had its roots in problems of balance of payments of Poland, Romania and Hungary. Poland was obviously in the most difficult situation, especially that the negative effects of the years 1980-1982 have not been compensated in the next years of the five year plan widening the gap between Poland and the rest of the CMEA countries (see Table 17). As mentioned above in all CMEA countries the necessity of structural changes in economic mechanisms is discussed. This implies however appropriate changes in investment plans, changes which in econamic reality have not been observed, yet. For example the share of outlays on construction and assembly works (as opposed to outlays on machinery) is still high. In the last few years in Romania, Hungary, Poland and Bulgaria the share has increased while plans declared the intention to restrict construction works in favour of modernisation (see Table 18). Also jumps of the rate of growth of investment outlays influence negatively the process of fixed capital formation [3], [17]. Since 1983 investment outlays in Poland have grown faster than the possibilities of turning them inta functioning capital stock, with resulting increase in the amount of money frozen in the projects - under - construction.
$T a b 1 e$
Average annual rate of growth of national income produced (DN), investment outlays (NI), fixed assets (ST) and fixed assets production sectors (STP) in the years 1981-1985

| Country | DN | NI, | ST | STP | Investment outlays in |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | agriculture | industry |
| Bulgaria | $3.7(3.7)$ | 3.4 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 6.9 | 3.2 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Czechoslo- } \\ \text { Vakía } \end{gathered}$ | 1.6 (1.4) | -1.2 | 4.3 | 4.8 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| GDR | 4.4 (5.1) | $-1.0$ | 4.0 | 5.3 | 3.3 | 6.7 |
| Poland | (3.5- |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{ll}-0.8 & 5.6)^{a}\end{array}$ | -2.5 | 2.8 | 2.7 | -1.1 | 3.8 |
| Romania | $4.4(7.5)$ | -0.5 | 8.6 | 9.3 | 4.9 | 2.6 |
| Hungary | $1.3 \begin{aligned} & (2.7- \\ & -3.2)\end{aligned}$ | $-3.7$ | 3.9 | 3.9 | 2.9 | 1.3 |
| USSR | 3.7 (3.4) | 3.8 | 6.1 | 6.4 | 3.4 | 0.6 |

${ }^{a}$ In the year 1983-1985.
Source: The author's calculations based on the CMEA data bank of the Institute of Econometrics and Statistics, University of Lódz and Statystyka rozwoju krajow RWPG, "Zycie Gospodarcze" 1986, nr 12 .

$$
\text { Table } 18
$$

Share of two dominant items in investment

| Country | Construction and assembly works |  |  | Machinery |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1978 | 1982 | 1984 | 1978 | 1982 | 1984 |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Bulgaria | 42.4 | 51.1 | 52.6 | 41.4 | 35.1 | 35.3 |
| Czechoslovakia | 58.5 | 56.8 | 56.6 | 39.8 | 40.7 | 41.7 |
| GDR | 43.3 | 43.9 | 41.9 | 48.2 | 47.1 | 46.1 |
| Poland | 51.1 | 65.1 | 65.0 | 44.2 | 30.5 | 30.5 |
| Romania | 42.3 | 45.2 | 46.3 | 48.4 | 43.4 | 43.0 |

Table 18 (contd)

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hungary | 56.0 | 59.8 | 62.5 | 37.0 | 31.7 | 28.7 |
| USSR | 54.0 | 49.8 | 51.9 | 36.0 | 38.9 | 36.9 |

Source: Statisticheskij Ezhegodnik Stran Chlenov Soveta Ekonomichaskoj Vazaimopomoshchi. 1984, Moskva 1985.

Significant restrictions in the 1980-1982 investment further warsened the age structure of existing capital stock. All CMEA countries plan considerable increase in investment in 1986-1990 as compared with that of 1981-1985. Structural changes in the CMEA economies were announced, however only in the case of GDR one can observe increase in investment into modern industries, Unfavourable phenomena e.g. starting too many investment projects without real possibilities of completing them and foreign trade balance (especially in Poland, Romania and Hungary) impose significant limitations to economic growth. As a result in many cases the import of investment goods, necessary for modernization of the economy cannot be fully realized. Improper structure of investment preserves existing structure of economy. In case of Poland investments (planned for 1986-1990) still prefer the energy and fuel producing industries, as well as metallurgy and mineral industries (49\% of total investment) [4]. In addition/the intended reduction of consumption of raw materials and fuels per unit of output does not reach the expected amount (especially Bulgaria and Romania experienced energy shortages in the last years). Which way and how fast will CMEA countries cope with these problems - depends to a great extend on changes in their economic mechanisms.

So far, the most significant changes have been taking place in Hungarian economy, yet in the recent period we can observe an increasing interest in economic raform in the rest of CMEA countries.

Next we shall present the whole system of equations of investment outlays and fixed assets.

## Equations for fixed assets (1960-1975 sample)

The following notation was used in Appendix 1 and 2:
$t$

- Student t-ratio,
$R^{2}$ - determination coefficient,
D-W - Durbin-Watson statistic.
Variables:

1. The first letter denotes the group to which the variable
belongs:
$K \quad$ - fixed assets,
J - investment outlays,
M - imports.
2. The second letter denotes the economic sector:

Q - industry,
B - construction,
T - transport and communication,
RL - agriculture and forestry,
0 - other sectors including trade,
M - production sectors,
N. - non-production sectors.
3. In the case of imports:

MN - imports from non-CMEA countries,
MM - imports of machinery and equipment,
PMMS - world price index for machinery and equipment.

|  | $\begin{aligned} & 301 \\ & 381 \\ & 3 T 1 \\ & 3 N 1 \\ & \mathrm{N1} 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & J Q 1-1 \\ & J 81_{1}-1 \\ & J 1_{1}-1 \\ & J N 1-1 \\ & 31-1 \\ & J M 1_{-1} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 301_{-2} \\ \vdots M i_{-2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 301_{-3} \\ \vdots M i_{-3} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 301 \\ \vdots_{-4} \\ \text { JMi }_{-4} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3 Q 1_{-5} \\ \vdots M i_{-5} \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underset{(i)}{\Delta K 01}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}\right.$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (6.189) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{gathered} \triangle K B 1 \\ (t) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (5.633) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.633) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (5.633) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.214 \\ & (5.633) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.633) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (5.633) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\Delta{ }_{(t)}$ | (8.107 | 0.179 $(8.268)$ | 0.214 8.268 | 0.214 8.268 | 0.179 8.268 | 0.107 8.268 |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K N 1}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered}$ | $\left.\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered} \right\rvert\,$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (8.268) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K 1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.107 \\ & (13.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.679 \\ & (i 3.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.214 \\ & \cdot(13.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.214 \\ & (13.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.179 \\ & (13,7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.107 \\ & (13.7) \end{aligned}$ |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K M 1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.107 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.179 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.214 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.214 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.179 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.107 \\ & (9.16) \end{aligned}$ |
| K日1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\underset{(t)}{k T 1}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{KB1}-1 \\ & \mathrm{KT} 1_{-1} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{\left(J B 1+3 B 1-1^{+}\right.}{3} \\ & \frac{\left.+J B 1^{3}-2\right)}{\left(J T 1+J 11-1^{+}\right.} \\ & \left.+3 T 1^{3}-2\right) \end{aligned}$ | Const | $\begin{gathered} R^{2} \\ D-W \end{gathered}$ | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 230.9 \\ & (1.85) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.732 \\ & 1.950 \end{aligned}$ | polynomial degree $=2$ <br> condition: $\begin{aligned} & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 8.478 \\ & (0.653) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.694 \\ & 1.295 \end{aligned}$ | polynomial degree = 2 <br> condition: $\begin{aligned} & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 40.08 \\ & (1.28) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.830 \\ & 2.099 \end{aligned}$ | polynomial degree $=2$ <br> condition: $\begin{aligned} & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 117.918 \\ & (1.906) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.803 \\ & 2.155 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & \text { condition: } \\ & \mathrm{F}(-1)=0 \\ & \mathrm{~F}(\mathrm{~m}+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 409.43 \\ & (2.945) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.931 \\ & 1.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & \text { condition: } \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 299.28 \\ & (1.916) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.857 \\ & 1.717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & \text { condition: } \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 0.90786 \\ & (7.77) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.3738 \\ & (1.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 17.60 \\ & (1.63) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.996 \\ & 1.987 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 0.92316 \\ & (8.30) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.5399 \\ & (1.69) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 190.55 \\ & (0.89) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.997 \\ & 2.27 \end{aligned}$ |  |


|  | 32 <br> JP02 <br> JN2 <br> 3M2 <br> JB2 <br> IR2 | $\begin{aligned} & 32_{-1} \\ & \vdots \dot{R}^{2}-1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 32-2 \\ \vdots R^{2}-2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 32_{-3} \\ \vdots R_{-3} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32_{-4} \\ & \vdots \\ & 32^{2}-4 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 32_{-5} \\ & \vdots \\ & 3 R 2-5 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0052 \\ & (2.94) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00253 \\ & (2.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00123 \\ & (2.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0006 \\ & (2.16) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline 0.00029 \\ (2.16) \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.00014 \\ (2.16) \end{array}$ |
| $\triangle K P O 2$ $\text { ( } t \text { ) }$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.005 \\ & (3.08) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00310 \\ & (3.83) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00190 \\ & (3.83) \end{aligned}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 0.00117 \\ & (3.83) \end{aligned}\right.$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00072 \\ & (3.83) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00045 \\ & (3.83) \end{aligned}$ |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K N 2}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.007 \\ & (3.74) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00299 \\ & (2.02) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00127 \\ & (2.02) \end{aligned}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} 0,00055 \\ (2.02) \end{array}\right\|$ | ${ }^{0.00023}(2.02)$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.00098 \\ & (2.02) \end{aligned}$ |
| $\underset{(\mathrm{t})}{\Delta K M 2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (12.058) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.4 \\ (12.058) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (12.058) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| $\underset{(\mathrm{t})}{\triangle K B 2}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (11.848) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.4 \\ (11.848) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (11.848) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| $\Delta K R 2$ $(t)$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.134 \\ (1.142) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.317 \\ (4.669) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.55 \\ & (2.815) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| KN2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| KQ2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { KN2 } \\ (t) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & k_{2} \\ & (t) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| KN2 ${ }_{-1}$ | $\frac{3 N 2+3 N 2}{2}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} \frac{J M 2+3 M 2-1^{+}}{3} \\ \frac{+J M 2-2}{3} \\ \frac{32+32-1^{+32}}{3} \end{array}\right\|$ | Const | $\begin{gathered} R^{2} \\ 0-W^{2} \end{gathered}$ | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} -10.25 \\ (1.77) \\ -0.46 \\ (1.10) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.94 \\ & 2.28 \\ & 0.912 \\ & 2.05 \end{aligned}$ | assumption: peometrical distribution assumption:geometrical distribution |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & -5.29 \\ & (2.61) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.94 \\ & 2.13 \end{aligned}$ | assumption: geometri cal distribution |
|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & -20.39 \\ & (4.18) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.895 \\ & 1.402 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | , |  | $\begin{array}{r} -0.752 \\ 3.335 \\ -6.694 \\ (4.476) \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.892 \\ & 2.519 \\ & \\ & 0.798 \\ & 2.36 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & \text { assumption: } \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \\ & \text { polynomial degree }=2 \\ & F(-1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 0.974 $(30.05)$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.0079 \\ (4.65) \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & -2.296 \\ & (0.27) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.999 \\ (2.284) \end{gathered}$ |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 0.996 \\ (21.42) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0055 \\ & 1.58 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & -8.51 \\ & (1.89) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.999 \\ & 1.301 . \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $\begin{gathered} 0.939 \\ (22.67) \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.006 \\ & (3.22) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & -4.969 \\ & (0.62) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.999 \\ & 1.869 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 0.93 \\ 27.77 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0084 \\ & (4.63) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3.639 \\ (0.25) \end{array}$ | $\stackrel{1}{2.23}$ |  |

Appendix 1 (contd)

|  | $\begin{aligned} & 3 N 3 \\ & 383 \\ & 33 \\ & 303 \\ & 3 M 3 . \end{aligned}$ | ${ }^{\text {JN3 } 3}-1$ | $\begin{gathered} 3 N^{3}-2 \\ J^{3}{ }_{-2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3{ }^{3}-3 \\ & 33^{3}-3 \\ & 30^{3}-3 \\ & 3 M 3_{-3} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 3 N 3-4 \\ \vdots \\ 3 M 3-4 \end{gathered}$ | $\ddots^{3 N^{3}-5}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underset{(t)}{\triangle K N 3}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} 0.107 \\ (5.663) \end{array}\right\|$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K B 3}$ | $\left(\begin{array}{c} 0.3 \\ (9.281) \end{array}\right.$ | $(9.281)$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (9.281) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{gathered} 0.0 \\ (0.0) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{gathered} \triangle K 03 \\ (t) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.0 \\ (0.0) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\underset{(t)}{\Delta K M 3}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.0 \\ (0.0) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.229 \\ & (9.364) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | 0.143 $(9.364)$ |
| ( $\mathrm{K} \mathrm{t}^{\text {a }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0069 \\ & (1.15) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{KO3} \\ (\mathrm{t}) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| K83 $(\mathrm{t})$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| KT3 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { KRL } 3 \\ & (t) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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\text { POLAND (4) Appendix } 1 \text { (contd) }
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| Explanatory <br> variables <br> Variables explained | JB4 JR4 JN4 | $\begin{aligned} & J B 4-1 \\ & J R 4-1 \end{aligned}$ | JB4 -2 <br> JR4 -2 | JB4 -3 | JB4-4 | $\mathrm{KNH}_{-1}$ | Const | D-W | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\triangle K B 4$ <br> ( $t$ ) | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (5.886) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (5.886) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (5.886) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (5.886) \end{gathered}$ | $\left(\left.\begin{array}{c} 0.143 \\ (5.886) \end{array} \right\rvert\,\right.$ |  | $\begin{array}{ll} 1 & 799.6 \\ (1.728) \end{array}$ | 0.698 2.531 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial } \\ & \text { degree }=2 \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(n+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
| $\triangle K R_{4}$ <br> ( $t$ ) | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (12.175) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.4 \\ (12.175) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.3 \\ (12.175) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{ll} -6 & 866.7 \\ (2.897) \end{array}$ | 0.897 1.881 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { polynomial } \\ & \text { degree }=2 \\ & F(-1)=0 \\ & F(m+1)=0 \end{aligned}$ |
| KN4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.8897 \\ & (2.25) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.9429 \\ & (2.12) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 86.543 \\ & (1.64) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.997 \\ & 1.804 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| KR4 | 0.776 |  |  |  |  | 0.834 | 59163 | 0.998 |  |
|  | (3.85) |  |  |  |  | (10.91) | (2.02) | 2.566 |  |

HUNGARY (6)
Appendix 1 (conta)

|  | $K^{K}{ }_{-1}$ <br> ${ }^{K R 6}{ }_{-1}$ <br> ${ }^{K T}{ }^{6}-1$ <br> KM6 $_{-1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{36+36-1+36}{3}-2 \\ & \frac{3 M 6+3 M 6}{}-1^{+3 M 6}-2 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | Const | $R^{2}$ $0-W$ | Notes |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| K6 | 0.845 | 0.0083 | 62.6 | 1.00 |  |
| ( t ) | (15.10) | (4.48) | (2,46) | 2.20 |  |
| KR6 | 0.912 | 0.0089 | $-1.27$ | 0.995 |  |
| (t) | (15.21) | (3.64) | (0.44) | 2.689 |  |
| KT6 | 0.8735 | 0.00629 | 15.49 | 0.997 |  |
| (t) | (3.86) | (0.78) | (0.65) | 2.756 |  |
| KM6 | 0.945 | 0.0056 | -0.740 | 0.999 |  |
| (t) | (22.89) | (3.86) | (0.09) | 1.834 |  |

SOVIET UNION (7)





| Explanatory <br> variables <br> Variables explained | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \mathrm{~S}^{2}-1 \\ & 3 \mathrm{KO} 2^{2}-1 \\ & \text { JRL2 }{ }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { JN2-1 } \end{aligned}$ | MNM2 | X2 | MN2 | MD2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KQK } 2^{-1}-1 \\ & \text { KBK } 2-1^{2} \\ & \text { KTOK2 }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KRK2 }^{2}-1 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| JQ2 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.85989 \\ & (7.79) \end{aligned}$ | $(11.69$ |  |  |  | . |
| JB2 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.02357 \\ & (20.72) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| 3102 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.89672 \\ & (9.64) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 2.38476 \\ & (1.76) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| JRL2 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.504 \\ & (2.46) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.0254 \\ & (2.93) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| JM2 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.29195 \\ & (29.12) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| JN2 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.47517 \\ & (2.21) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.07146 \\ & (2.60) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| 32 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.28905 \\ & (5.13) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7.6807 \\ & (2.42) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| KQK2 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.93629 \\ & (16.64) \end{aligned}$ |
| KBK2 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.73824 \\ & (7.35) \end{aligned}$ |
| KİK2 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.75267 \\ & (4.46) \end{aligned}$ |
| KRK2 |  |  |  |  |  | 0.98465 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | (21.01) |

Appendix 2 (contd)


GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (3)


|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KQ3 }^{-1} \\ & \text { KB3 }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KT3 }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KRL }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { K03 }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KM3 }_{-1} \\ & \text { KN3 }_{-1} \end{aligned}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} \frac{303+J a 3}{2}-1 \\ \frac{J B 3+J B 3}{}-1 \\ 2 \\ \frac{3 N 3+3 N 3}{2}-1 \end{array}\right\|$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered}\frac{J T 3}{}-1^{+J T 3}-2 \\ 2 \\ \frac{\text { JRL }-1+3 R L 3}{} \\ \frac{3 N 3}{}\end{gathered}\right.$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & J Q 3-2 \\ & J M 3-2 \\ & J N 3-2 \\ & \cdot J 3-2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 303-3 \\ J M 3-3 \\ J N 3-3 \\ 33_{-3} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3 Q 3-4 \\ & J M 3_{-4} \\ & J N 3_{-4} \\ & 33_{-4} \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ka3 | $\begin{gathered} 1.03 \\ (19.45) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.28043 \\ (0.58) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| DK03 |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (8.489) \end{gathered}$ |
| KB3 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.98809 \\ & (33.49) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.58077 \\ & (3.37) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| KI3 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.95781 \\ & (16.54) \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.95052 \\ (1.92) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |
| KRL 3 | $\begin{gathered} 0.95858 \\ 15.76 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 0.53604 \\ (1.03) \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |
| K03 | $\begin{gathered} 0.89479 \\ (9.28) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| KM3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.05 \\ & (25) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\triangle \mathrm{KM3}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (9.364) \end{gathered}$ |
| KN3 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.03 \\ & (25.51) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.09816 \\ (0,31) \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\triangle K N 3$ |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 0.107 \\ (5.663) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.214 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.179 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.107 \\ (5.663) \end{gathered}$ |
| $\triangle K 3$ |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.143 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.229 \\ (12.737) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.257 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.229 \\ (12.737) \end{gathered}$ |


|  | $\times 4$ | ${ }^{3} 9_{4}-1$ <br> 384-1 <br> JRL4 -1 <br> ${ }^{304}-1$ <br> 3MA -1 <br> ${ }^{3} \mathrm{NA} 4-1$ | MMM4 | MN4 | M04 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KOKA }_{-1} \\ & \text { KBK }_{1}-1 \\ & \text { KTKA }_{-1} \\ & \text { KRLK4 }_{-1} \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{\left(304+304-1^{+}\right.}{3}+\frac{+304-2)}{}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 304 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.07505 \\ & (6.14) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 0.32481 \\ (5.84) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 79.01 \\ (12.92) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 384 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.01758 \\ & (3.33) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.47706 \\ & (2.67) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 314 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.02517 \\ & (2.95) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\left\{\begin{array}{l} 9.16006 \\ (2.47) \end{array}\right.$ |  |  |  |
| JRL 4 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.87344 \\ & (14.65) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 13.78 \\ & (3.46) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 304 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.37951 \\ & (1.84) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.04717 \\ & (2.86) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| JM4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.1645 \\ & (6.27) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.29144 \\ & (4.22) \end{aligned}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} 114.02 \\ (10.08) \end{array}\right\|$ |  |  |  |  |
| JN4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.04056 \\ & (3.81) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.66933 \\ (8.2) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10.31 \\ & (2.25) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| KQK4 |  |  |  |  |  | $\left(\begin{array}{l} 1.01 \\ (28.86) \end{array}\right.$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.68672 \\ & (3.31) \end{aligned}$ |
| KBK4 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.87587 \\ & (6.58) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| KTK4 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.98903 \\ & (44.23) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| KRLK4 |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.98243 \\ & (141.23) \end{aligned}$ |  |



POLAND (4)
ROMANIA (5)

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KOK4 }-1 \\ & \text { KMK } 4-1 \\ & \text { KNK4 }-1 \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{304+304}{2}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} \frac{(J M 4+J M 4}{3}-1^{+} \\ +3 M 4-2) \end{array}\right\|$ | JN4 | $\frac{34+34}{}-1^{+34}-2$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| KOK4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.89368 \\ & (13.38) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1.61748 \\ (2.50) \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| KMK4 | $\left.\begin{aligned} & 0.9901 \\ & (110.83) \end{aligned} \right\rvert\,$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.90061 \\ & (10.22) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| KNK 4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.9237 \\ & (1.7 .84) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.2446 \\ & (3.09) \end{aligned}$ |  |
| KK4 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.95147 \\ & (25.57) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | 1.13728 |
| 305 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 385 |  |  |  |  |  |
| JTS |  |  |  |  |  |
| JRLS |  |  |  |  |  |
| 305 |  |  |  |  |  |
| JN5 |  |  |  |  |  |



ROMANIA (5)

|  | $\begin{aligned} & 3 M^{5}-1 \\ & { }^{35}-1 \end{aligned}$ | MMP5 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { KQS }^{-1} \\ & \text { KBS }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KTS }^{-1} \\ & \text { KRLS }_{-1} \\ & \text { K }^{2}-1 \\ & \text { KMS }^{-1} \\ & \text { KNS }^{-1} \\ & \text { KS }_{-1} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \frac{305}{-1^{+} 305}-2^{+} \\ 3 \\ +305-2) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \frac{\left(J B 51_{-1}+3 B 5_{-2^{+}}\right.}{3} \\ \left.+3 B 5_{-3}\right) \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \frac{3 T 5-1+3 T 5}{2} \\ \frac{305+305-1}{2} \end{gathered}\right.$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| JM5 | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 0.88836 \\ & (10.73) \end{aligned}\right.$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} 11.52 \\ (3.20) \end{array}\right\|$ |  |  |  |  |
| 35 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.89765 \\ & (12.2) \end{aligned}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 13.2 \\ & (3.49) \end{aligned}\right.$ |  |  |  |  |
| K05 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.80007 \\ & (5.15) \end{aligned}$ | ${ }_{(1.91)}^{0.22386}$ |  |  |
| K85 |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.74575 \\ (4.59) \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.3498 \\ (2.56) \end{gathered}$ |  |
| KTS |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.9303 \\ & (7.3) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 0.11404 $(1.13)$ |
| KRLS |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.60906 \\ (2.18) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| K05 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.79163 \\ & (7.15) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.4487 \\ & (2.91) \end{aligned}$ |
| KMS |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.56486 \\ & (2.4) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| KNS |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.93175 \\ & (14.18) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| K5 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.83957 \\ & (4.34) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |

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|  | KOPK6 ${ }^{-1}$ <br> KMPK $^{-1}$ <br> KNPK6 ${ }_{-1}$ <br> KPK6 ${ }^{-1}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{J 0 P 6-1+\text { JUP6 }-2}{2} \\ & \frac{3 M P 6-1+\text { JMP6 }-2}{2} \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{\text { JNP } 6-1^{+J P 6}-2}{2}$ | $\frac{3 P 6-1+3 P 6-2}{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| KOPKG <br> KMPK6 <br> KNPK6 <br> KPK6 <br> 307 <br> JB7 <br> 377 <br> JRL7 <br> 307 <br> JM7 <br> JN7 <br> 37 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.74718 \\ & (3.7) \\ & 0.96273 \\ & (12.28) \\ & 1.01 \\ & (152.4) \\ & 0.92556 \\ & (10.94) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.34347 \\ & (0.84) \\ & 0.77979 \\ & (1.28) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 0.46613 \\ & (4.39) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1.04808 \\ & (1.74) \end{aligned}$ |



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|  |  | $\frac{307+307-1^{+307}-2}{3}$ | $\frac{387+387}{2}-1$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{\left(J 17-1^{+}+3{ }^{7}-2^{+}\right.}{3} \\ & \left.+37_{-3}\right) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | JRL $7+$ JRL7 ${ }_{-1}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| KQK7 | $\begin{gathered} 0.98993 \\ (57.11) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.86486 \\ (5,4) \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| KBK7 | $\begin{array}{\|l} 0.94213 \\ (27.54) \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 1.19611 \\ & (4.67) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| KTK7 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.005 \\ & (12.69) \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 0.82991 \\ (0.75) \end{gathered}$ |  |
| KRK7 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.94337 \\ & (25.71) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} 0.9979 \\ (3.82) \end{gathered}\right.$ |
| K0K 7 | $\begin{array}{\|c} 0.9848 \\ (27.82) \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |
| KMK7 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.93617 \\ & (33.7) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| KNK7 | $\begin{aligned} & 1.0005 \\ & (39.55) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| KK7 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.98868 \\ & (45.38) \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |

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Opracowanie to zawlera wyniki prac nad modelowaniem sektora inwestycji i majątku trwałego gospodarek krajów RWPG w latach 1960--1978 oraz analizę procesów inwestycyjnych do 1980 r. , realizowanych w ramach tematu "Prognozy spoleczno-gospodarczego rozwoju Polski na tle prognoz krajów RWPG (1980-1990)". Temat ten jest realizowany od 1978 r. W ramach problemu węzłowego 11.6 "Problemy międzynarodowej ekonomicznej integracji oraz wspópracy krajow socjalistycznych", ktorego koordynatorem by\} początkowo GUS, a następnie od 1982 F . do 1985 F . Instytut Nauk Ekonomicznych Uniwersytetu Warszawskiego, a obecnie SGPiS.

Ze względu na długi okres, jaki uplyną 1 od momentu zlozenia artykułu do druku do momentu jego wydrukowania uzupełniono artykuł dodatkiem w postaci krotkiej statystycznej analizy danych za lata 1981-- 1985.

Szersza analiza statystyczno-ekonometryczna tego okresu oraz lat ostatnich będzie przedmiotem następnego opracowania w ramach publikacji Zespolu Gospodarek Krajow RWPG.


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    1 A detalled analysis of investment policy in CMEA countries is presented by $B i s k u p$ and $Z a w a d z k i[2]$.

[^1]:    ${ }^{2}$ A vast review is given by $P^{\prime} \mathrm{r}$ y m a k a [14].

[^2]:    3 Interesting remarks on the subject are given by $k$ or $n$ a i [9].

