

Project title: Attracting foreign capital in developing countries and lessons for Vietnam (QK.06.06)

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Objectives:

- Review the fundamental theories on natures and roles of foreign capital inflows toward developing economies, the relationship between types of capital inflows
- Analysis of features of foreign capital inflows in developing economies in the period during 2001 and 2005
- Drawing lessons for Vietnam

Main contents:

- Overlook on foreign capital inflows in developing economies.
- Real situations of foreign capital attracting in developing economies.
- Experiences from developing economies on attracting and adjusting foreign capital.
- Foreign capital attraction in Vietnam and some policy suggestions.

Results obtained:

Pointed out the relationship between types of foreign capital inflows:

- Examined the positive as well as adverse impacts of foreign capital inflows toward the economies of developing countries.
- Reviewed the real situations of foreign capital attracting in developing economies in the period during 2001 and 2005.

- Reviewed the real situation of foreign capital inflows in Vietnam in the period during 2001 and 2005 and the prospect in the period during 2006 and 2010.
- Drawn lessons from developing economies and suggested policies in attracting and adjusting the foreign capital for Vietnam.