



Fill in the gaps using the following Economic Terms

interest rate	government bureaucracy
exchange rate	GDP
inflation rate	unemployment rate
labour force	foreign investment
tax incentives	balance of trade

The economy is stable following the problems of the past two years. By following a tight monetary policy, the government has reduced the _____ to 2%. After going up dramatically, the _____ is now down to 8%. The last six months have seen a slight improvement in the _____ against the dollar. The _____ has grown to 0.15%. Exports are increasing and the _____ of _____ is starting to look much healthier.

The _____ continues to be a problem as it is still 16%. In order to stimulate the economy and attract _____ the government is offering new _____ as well as making a renewed effort to reduce _____. Finally, a large skilled _____ means there could be attractive investment opportunities over the next five years.