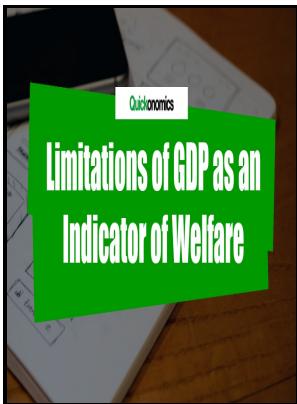


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## Gross Domestic Product (GDP) as a Measure of Welfare/Growth/Development

Opinion polls, then entering their heyday as measurers and in some cases determiners of the public mood, were an obvious vehicle for the attempt. Policy-makers certainly recognize the potential political power of the unemployed, provided this disparate group could ever get organized. Accessed September 12, 2010, 32 Gorodnichenko, Yuriy.

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One is therefore tempted to provide a better measure of the economic output by incorporating the negative as well as positive contributions of production.

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Other measures of inequality are subject to similar constraints. He rightly perceived that this underlying wave of surging human aspirations would dramatically alter the future of East Asia in the decades to come and eventually spread its influence to other parts of the world.

## Defining and Measuring Human Well

Two countries with the same unemployment rates may differ significantly in their capacity for job creation. Other good employment performers saw stable or even declining income inequality.

## Sustainable Development and Human Well

This is of interest for a number of reasons. But as we described above, social development is not a result or even a set of results, but an on-going process of progress by which humanity acquires increasing knowledge, skill and organizational capacity to achieve the goals it aspires for.

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