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Applied Economics Journal Vol. 25 No. 1 presents articles from various aspects both in terms of contents and in terms of areas. This issue of Applied Economics Journal consists of 7 articles from several countries. This issue begins with “Crimes and Moving Decision in the United States: A Conditional Logit Approach” by Nattanicha Chairassamee which studies the relationship between crime and a decision to migrate to another state within the United States. The second article turns to the ASEAN countries. Suthawan Prukumpai and Yuthana Sethapramote study the degree of stock market integration in the ASEAN region. Then, another article by Chanatip Ratchawat and Siwapong Dheera-aumpon investigates the relationship between tax revenue and economic growth in the ASEAN countries as well. Meanwhile, Khalid Khan et al. study the relationship between the stock market index and the rate of inflation, and study whether the exchange rate Granger causes the stock market in Pakistan. For the case of Thailand, there is an article focusing on the gender wage inequality. An article by Theepakorn Jithitikulchai analyzes trends and heterogeneity in hourly earnings on gender pay gaps among workers in Thailand. Lastly, an article by Nattawut Jenwittayaroje studies the implicit trading costs of two types of stocks in the Stock Exchange of Thailand between April and June 2011.