

## Abstract

This research study the in informal sector and its effect on the Sudanese economy and looked at how much the informal sector contribute in the gross domestic product and employment. It is also looked at the contribution of the informal sector in the economy of some of the Arab countries. The objective of this research was to estimate the size of informal sector and it's contribute in the gross domestic product, and the reasons that lead the labour force to join the informal sector, and its also .explain the difficulties that fall his sector

:To achieve the research objectives the following hypothesis were tested

.(The informal sector has appositive effect in the gross domestic product (G D P -1

There is statistical relationship between the capital that was used and the economic -2  
.activity and the value added

.The economic factors effect on leading laborer to words the informal sector -3

.The social factors effect on leading leading laborer to words the informal sector -4

:The major recommenation of this research are -5

The effort must be put towards reaching the bases and standers that help finding a /1  
unified definition for the informal sector which make it easy the process of  
recognizing the realty and circum stances of this sector and its needs, and these  
standers which were apply must be in accordance with the international conupt for the  
.purpose of comparison

Extra efforts must be put in the area of statistics and frequent infield research for /2  
the purpose of keeping up with real conditions of the laborer forces and laborer and to  
define the difficulties that face any economic sector which help finding the solutions  
.and supports that are needed for any problems may arise

Generalization expert of knowledge among countries through exchange of /3  
experiences and statistical data of informal sector. It is also very necessary to establish  
a well trained team of workers that will have the abilities which are needed in  
covering all the right statistics about the informal sector and analyze all the data. The  
way to accomplish that is through adapting training course programs for the workers  
of economical statistics and especially those who work in the field of national  
.accounts

To establish a frame for the informal sector, it was been suggested to benefit from /4  
population censuses and economic studies and also to utilize data formal records  
.center and social welfare associations and the administrations of traffic

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