

**Shagayda N.I., Moscow**

**Agricultural Land in Russia: 20 Years after Reform**

The results of 20 years - land reforms in agriculture are discussed in this paper: new land ownership, evaluation of different types of risks, which were named at the beginning of the 90th, new risks of land market which have appeared in Russia.

*Land reform in Russia, the structure of land ownership in the agriculture, the concentration of land in the agriculture, agricultural land market*

**Smirnov V.D., Novosibirsk**

**Peculiarities of Russian Agriculture**

The author discusses the specifics observed in three sectors of the Russian agriculture and presents his forecast of their development.

*Agricultural enterprises, households, farms, forecast*

**Fadeyeva O.P., Novosibirsk**

**Siberian Rural Areas: Land and Labour in Local Contexts**

The paper analyzes the results of the field sociological studies carried out over many years in Siberian regions on distribution and usage of major agricultural resources – land and labour – observed in rural communities over the period of the economic reforms of 1991–2012.

*Land relations, land market, agrarian business, rural employment, local communities*

**Yarmanov V.V., Novosibirsk Oblast**

**Recipes of the Maslyanino Economic Miracle**

The Head of the Administration for Maslyanino Region in Novosibirsk Oblast describes how this region became one of the leading regions, and what the Administration undertook to establish good relationships and a balance of interests between the investors, Administration, and population in the region.

*Public-private partnership, agriculture, investors, integrated development of an area, public support, WTO*

**Dolzhenkov V.N., Novosibirsk**

**A New Mechanism of Public Support for Agricultural Insurance Schemes Have Not Withstand the Test of Drought**

One of the experts of the professional community of insurers presents his opinion on problems of the Russian agricultural insurance system. He describes virtues and shortcomings of the existing mechanism of public support for agricultural insurance schemes and offers some measures which would allow overcoming the existing inconsistencies with due consideration to the world and Russian best practices.

*Agricultural insurance system, public support, franchising, Federal Act No. 260-ФЗ*

**Liefert W. M., Liefert O., Serova E., Washington, Rome**

**The Growing Importance of the Former USSR Countries in World Agricultural Markets**

The major countries of the former Soviet Union-specifically Russia, Ukraine, and Kazakhstan-are becoming increasingly important in world agricultural markets. The two main developments are that this region has become a large grain exporter, especially of wheat and barley, and Russia a big agricultural importer, especially of meat. These trends should continue for the next decade. However, policies to expand the livestock sector could mitigate these developments as increased domestic meat production would reduce both meat imports and surplus feed grain for export. Also, further growth in the region's grain exports will require improvement in the infrastructure for storing and transporting grain.

*Russia, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, agricultural trade, grain exports, wheat exports, meat imports*



**Vashchuk L.N., Gubiy E.V., Zorkaltsev V.I., Irkutsk**

**How Forests are Doing in Russia: from Paul I to the Present Days**

The historical aspects of the forest development in Russia and the Irkutsk region is investigated in the article. Ways of charging for the use of forest resources and the effectiveness of these types of payments are described since the time of Paul I to the present day. The modern problems of forest management are described (unsustainable use of forest resources, bad transport infrastructure, bad funding for forest conservation). The idea of creating artificial energy plantations is proposed in Siberia region.

*Forestry, forest reserve, forest management, payments for the use of forest resources, Irkutsk region*

**Pechatkin V.V., Ufa**

**Forest Sector of Economy of Russia: Last, Present and Future**

The article provides a retrospective analysis of the use and reproduction of Russia's forest potential, highlights the key problems of forestry and forest industry, evaluates the effectiveness of institutional changes to solve the problems, and offers a set of measures to manage the forest sector of the economy aimed at the sustainable, inexhaustible forest exploitation.

*Forest, forest resources, sustainable forest management, forest restoration, forest income, deeper wood conversion, forest code, forest management, innovative development*

**Zabelina I.A., Klevakina E.A., Chita**

**The International Economic co-operation and its Influence on Quality of Economic Growth: a Case Study of Zabaikalsky Krai**

In this paper we consider some international co-operation results for economy of Zabaikalsky Krai. We suggest the appropriateness of using quality of growth indicators to estimate the negative externalities from implementation of the international co-operation projects. In addition, the important task this article was estimation of eco-intensity indicators for municipal areas of Zabaikalsky krai from 2009 to 2010.

*Region, international co-operation, environmental pressure, quality of economic growth*

**Martyanov V.S., Ekaterinburg**

**The Strategy of Urban Development in Arctic Macro-Region of Russian Federation**

The article analyses the historical specific characters of the development of the north-Russian cities, its natural advantages and weaknesses. The conditions of the change from the soviet model of urbanization by creating monocities in the North of the country towards functional diversification of arctic cities are defined. The principles of creating additional economic sectors with the low structural and productive demands (such as education, science, tourism, smaller innovative enterprises) are discussed. The special function of non-economic resources for the arctic region is proposed. This type of development supposes deliberate capitalization of arctic identity, creation and global marketing of Russian arctic cultural and symbolic brands. It also includes enhancing the mechanisms of the northern cities self-government, creation of the open cities with developed humanitarian sphere, enforced investing to human capital.

*Northern city, monocity, Arctic, urbanization, strategy of development, resources diversification, non-economic factors, identity*

**Tarakanov M.A., Irkutsk**

**The Chemical Complex of the Irkutsk Region: Results of the Reforms, the Prospects for Development**

The chemical complex of the Irkutsk region has suffered a great loss during the reform years. Currently, he is likely to stagnate than development. The article analyzes the causes of decline in its production and destruction of some of its businesses. Preconditions and prospects are predicted in this leading sector of the industry. Expressed in this regard, a number of proposals. It is proved that for the successful implementation of a number of promising projects need support and coordinated action by federal and regional authorities.

*Chemical complex, the prospects for development, gas chemistry*

**Roik V.D., Moscow**

**From «Gratuitous» – to Insurance Pension System**

In this article is discussed the existing problems in the pensions systems, direction of modernization and finance of provision old people.

*Early of pensions, quality of life, pension systems and model, pension insurance*

**Isaev V.I., Mikheyev D.Yu., Novosibirsk**

**As at Stalin Protected «a Sacred Socialist Property»**

In article problems of fight against plunders of the state and public property in the USSR on an example accepted in August, 1932 «the law on cones» are considered. Scales of repressive campaign for this law in Western Siberia, feature of jurisprudence in the conditions of the totalitarian state are shown.

*Property, criminal legislation, corruption, plunders, repressions, judicial authorities, Western Siberia*

**Shaposhnikov A.A., Novosibirsk**

**From Stolypin to Khrushchev**

The History of Life of the Peasant Resettled from Poltava Province to Siberia in 1911 on the Background of Historic Events of the XX Century

*Stolypin's reforms, out-migrants, production of grain, nonagricultural producers' cooperatives*

**Avdyev M.A., Novosibirsk**

**Mediating Legal Disputes**

The Mediation Law in Russian Federation is one of appropriate disputes resolution. The mediator can help claimer and defender to resolve corporate dispute on the basis of interest not position. The wide approach in disputes resolution is more fruitful and favorable than litigate in court.

*Commercial disputes, mediation, conflict, corporation, Best Alternative to Negotiated Agreement – BATNA*

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