

Table 3.11a. **Indicators of Sectoral Growth Performance, China 1952–95**  
(annual average compound growth rates)

	1952–78	1978–95	Change in Growth Rate Between Periods
Agricultural GDP	2.20	5.15	2.95
Agricultural Employment	2.02	0.84	-1.18
Agricultural Labour Productivity	0.17	4.27	4.10
Industry & Construction GDP	9.29	8.82	-0.47
Industry & Construction Employment	5.84	4.83	-1.01
Industry & Construction, Labour Productivity	3.25	3.81	0.56
Tertiary Sector GDP	4.18	7.86	3.68
Tertiary Employment	3.20	6.73	3.53
Tertiary Labour Productivity	0.96	1.05	0.09
Whole Economy GDP	4.40	7.49	3.09
Total Employment	2.57	2.62	0.05
Aggregate Labour Productivity	1.78	4.74	2.96
Impact of Sectoral Employment Shift on Aggregate GDP Growth	0.92	1.44	0.52

Source: Appendices C and D.