

Country	Annual growth in output per hour (% per year)				
	1970–80	1980–90	1990–2000	2000–6	1970–2006
Korea	2	6	4	16	8
Sweden	2	2	3	14	6
Taiwan	3	5	2	8	5
US	3	0	2	9	4
France	3	3	2	5	4
Japan	3	3	1	5	3
Germany	3	2	1	6	3
UK	1	4	2	6	3

NOTE: Analysis is based on figures in Exhibit 1.7.

### **EXHIBIT 1.8** Annual percentage growth in output per hour 1970–2006