

Abstract

Subject of the thesis: The current state and prospects of foreign economic activity development in the Russian Federation

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Relevance of the research topic. The economy of each country in the world, including the Russian Federation, is a part of the world economic system, and the process of entering into this system is determined by the universal laws of evolution, the current international division of labor, productivity growth, the transition from conducting a relatively closed, isolated, local trade in national markets to a relatively open international trade.

The relevance of the study is due to the fact that at present in the conditions of instability of the world economy (the introduction of sanctions against Russia in 2014 and the expansion of this list in following years), the difficulties of international exchange, the main task for Russia is to strengthen the position of national exporters in foreign markets.

The purpose of the research is in the study of the current state and identification of the main threats to foreign economic activity of Russia and the definition of priority areas of its development.

Research Objectives:

- to define the concept, essence and types of foreign economic activity;
- to study the influence of external and internal environmental factors on the development of foreign economic activity in the Russian Federation;
- to analyze the indicators of foreign economic activity in Russia;
- to develop measures for the development of foreign economic activity in the Russian Federation.

The scientific novelty of the research consists in a comprehensive study of the processes of foreign economic activity of the Russian Federation in terms of the sanctions policy and the development of measures for its development in the near future

The structure of the work consists of introduction, two chapters, which include four paragraphs each, a conclusion, a 119-reference bibliography (6 of them are in foreign languages) and two attachments. The total volume is 65 pages.

Summary

At the present stage of state regulation of foreign trade, Russia has developed a system of management in accordance with international norms and rules adopted within the framework of various international organizations.

Russian recent accession to the WTO has had a great influence on Russian foreign economic activity.

Our country's membership in the WTO gives us the opportunity to trade on the world market and conduct other foreign economic operations according to

international rules, reduce customs duties, attract more foreign investment, defend our foreign economic interests in court, etc.

In the implementation of foreign trade there are a number of problems that need to be solved:

1. Russian exports are mainly of raw material nature. This affects the natural resource potential of the country.

2. Agricultural imports are increasing to the detriment of the development of the national agricultural sector.

3. The attracted foreign capital is concentrated, first of all, in trade, to a large extent – in foreign, as well as in fuel and raw materials industries. The priority for the development of Russia is investment in new technologies and the development of entrepreneurship.