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This edition of the Economic Review is the seventh following the introduction of economic statistics theme days in January 2017. Each Economic review in this new format will have an overarching analytical theme and follow a quarterly publication timetable.

The theme of this edition is transformation of economic statistics, looking back at some of our recent developments and what is being delivered in 2019. Also included is an article outlining further uses of Value Added Tax (VAT) and the progress in its use in short-term economic indicators.