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## Abstract

The article investigates the relationship between financial development, imports, FDI and economic growth of the country. Autoregressive Distributed Lag (ARDL) model is used to examine the long-run relationship and the Vector Error Correction Mechanism (VECM) framework between the variables.

Our findings confirm the existence of cointegration, showing long-run relation between financial development, imports, FDI and economic growth. Financial development, imports and FDI have a positive and significant effect on economic growth of the country. Causality analysis reveals a bidirectional relation among the variables but strong causality is also running from financial development, economic growth and FDI to real imports.



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