

Role of FDI by Japanese SMEs in Vietnam' Economic Development

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Vietnam's Economic Development

- FDI to Vietnam:
 - Capital- intensive
 - Small exports

Weak supporting industries

- Vietnamese SMEs:
 - Outdated technology
 - Weak entrepreneurship

Others...

- Role of FDI by Japanese SMEs:
 - Develop labor- intensive industries
 - Create exports
 - Contribute to form supporting industries
 - Transfer technology to local SMEs
 - Demonstration, spinning out effects

• Problems:

Local SMEs'
Capacity

Testing the hypotheses