Summary of Master’s thesis: “Vietnam - Japan trade relations in the new context for the 2008 - 2013 period”

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1. General information
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2. Research purposes and task

Research purposes:

The thesis aims to study the current status of Vietnam - Japan trade relations, under the impact of the new context in the 2008-2013 period, to find out the achievements in bilateral relations as well as the limitation of Vietnam’s side; to forecast the prospects, to propose solutions and take advantage of incentives given by Japan from the signed bilateral agreements and multilateral.

Research tasks:

- Firstly, to study and assess the context impacting to the potential of trade relations between Vietnam and Japan.

- Secondly, to assess the status of import and export of Vietnam to the Japanese market for the 2008-2013 period.
- Thirdly, to summarize the viewpoint, orientation and propose solutions to develop Vietnam - Japan further trade relations in the coming years.

3. New contributions:
- Systematize the practical issues of trade relations between two countries under the new context.

- Analyzing Vietnam - Japan trade relations from 2008 to 2013, indicating the achievements, the limitation, then explaining the reason of such limitation.

- Proposing some solutions to promote further bilateral trade relations in the future.