Eastern Post-Cold War "Peace Dividend": General Typology of Components

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Abstract

The concept of "peace dividend" has not been yet defined explicitly. The sale of disarmament in the East, and especially in the former USSR, brought about an interpretation of the peace dividend as a result of investment process. Costs and benefits of disarmament and their impact upon reforms in the East remain almost unknown. As the first step in the studies of the former Warsaw Pact countries a typology of its components is proposed in the paper.

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