



## Growth, Productivity and Its Measurement: May 1983 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from Growth, Productivity and Its Measurement: May 1983 During the last few years a lot has been written about the lack of productivity in the United States. The inevitable conclusion of most writers on this subject is that the preeminence of the United States as an industrial nation has gone by and possibly for ever. As a result of the lingering economic problems faced by the United States and the pressure from the Japanese products in both the domestic and international markets, many people have flocked to Japan to observe the Japanese industrial miracle. The most common conclusion of the experts is that the difference in the productivity between the two nations is caused by the striking contrast between Japanese and the U.S. manufacturing processes in certain vital industries and in the respective general management practices. There is no doubt that Japan has challenged United States mature industries and took away the leadership position. Shipbuilding, basic steel, textiles, consumer electronics and automobiles are but a few examples. But as one may readily observe, the Japanese have...



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