



4. The expansion of industrial or the government policy to develop the area.
5. The cheaper of the land in suburban area.

There are the other factors which can separated into 2 groups : socio-economic and environmental factors. The all factors are correlated altogether and correlated with those 5 main factors too. This study is for knowing the factors and the correlation among these factors that cause the urban expansion.

The study area in this study is Bangkok District which is separated into 9 subdistrict : Tungsoyong, Ladysaw, Tharang, Seegun, Taladbangkhen, Saimai, Klongthanon, and Or-ngeon.

The number of the sampling in subdistrict depend on the density of housing in each subdistrict. The total are 300 cases. The result from these data are prepared for analyzed by using computer. The package program using here are SPSS (Statistical Package for Social Sciences). The Correlation Analysis is used for the correlation among these factors.

Factors which influencing urban growth from the correlation analysis, at the correlation coefficient range from -1.00 to +1.00, that have probability less than 0.001. From the total 49 factors, 34 factors have correlated among the other. But the main factor that directly influencing the urban expansion in Bangkok District is "the housing project".

Housing project are the represent of the residential which are the most perfect from the attitude of the sampling

population. The housing project, in the idea of person living there, are consist of security, infrastructure and cheap price.

From the result of this study, the housing project is the main factor influencing residential area growth. Because the developer or the person who will invest must concern about the facility, the price of land and the comfortable for the occupant, whether they will not risk to invest there. So, the housing project have more influence than the individual house that will made the urban expansion.