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இலங்கை மத்திய வங்கி
CENTRAL BANK OF SRI LANKA

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1. Overnight Money Market Transactions

	Call Money Market	Repo Market
Weighted Average Rate (%)	8.79	8.83
Minimum Rate (%)	8.75	8.78
Maximum Rate (%)	8.85	8.90
Total Gross Amount (Rs. million)	42,425	87,935
Total Net Amount (Rs. million)	42,425	87,935

2. Open Market Operations

i. Overnight Repo Auction	
Amount Offered (Rs. million)	60,000
Auction Date	19 August 2026
Date of settlement	19 August 2026
Date of Maturity	20 August 2026
Bids Received (Rs. million)	62,800
Amount Accepted (Rs. million)	60,000
Weighted Average Yield (%)	8.75
Minimum Accepted Rate (%)	8.72
Maximum Accepted Rate (%)	8.75

ii. Short Term Repo Auction	
Amount Offered (Rs. million)	40,000
Auction Date	19 August 2026
Date of Settlement	19 August 2026
Date of Maturity	25 August 2026
Days to Maturity	06
Bids Received (Rs. million)	30,000
Amount Accepted (Rs. million)	30,000
Weighted Average Yield (%)	8.72
Minimum Accepted Rate (%)	8.72
Maximum Accepted Rate (%)	8.72

ii. Long Term Repo Auction	
Amount Offered (Rs. million)	20,000
Auction Date	19 August 2026
Date of Settlement	20 August 2026
Date of Maturity	18 September 2026
Days to Maturity	29
Bids Received (Rs. million)	21,500
Amount Accepted (Rs. million)	20,000
Weighted Average Yield (%)	9.25
Minimum Accepted Rate (%)	9.25
Maximum Accepted Rate (%)	9.25

3. Use of the CBSL Standing Facility

Standing Deposit Facility (Rs. million)	78,975
Standing Lending Facility (Rs. million)	-

4. CBSL Treasury Bill/Bonds Holdings

Face Value (Rs. million)	2,492,619.35	Book Value (Rs. million)	1,520,348.65
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