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Comic book on financial literacy

Data and Information Dissemination

Economic Indicators and Bulletins

Macroeconomic Chart Pack

Economic Data Library

Daily Exchange Rates

Financial Soundness Indicators

Payments Bulletin

External Sector Bulletin

Economic and Social Statistics of Sri Lanka

Monthly Bulletin of Economic Data

Bulletin of Workers' Remittances and Labour Migration

Agriculture Data Bulletin

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Data on Government Securities

Central Bank of Sri Lanka announced its policy agenda for the year 2025 in January outlining the key priorities and strategic direction of the Bank in achieving its core objectives of price stability and financial system stability. It sets out the planned monetary, financial, and institutional measures to support macroeconomic stability, guide economic recovery, and strengthen resilience in the external and financial sectors, in line with the country's broader economic reform programmes.

75th Anniversary of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

The Central Bank marked its 75th Anniversary in 2025, commemorating over seven decades of service to the nation in maintaining monetary and financial stability. The anniversary was celebrated under the theme “**Stability for Prosperity**”, reflecting the Bank’s continued commitment to fostering a stable macroeconomic environment to support sustainable economic growth and national prosperity.

To commemorate this milestone, Central Bank organised a series of events throughout the year aimed at highlighting its institutional achievements, strengthening engagement with national and international stakeholders, and promoting knowledge sharing among policymakers, experts, and Central Bank staff.

75th Anniversary Oration

The Central Bank organised a special Annual Oration delivered by the Governor on the theme “Why Central Bank Independence Matters – in Crisis, in Recovery, and Beyond.” The oration provided a timely reflection on the critical importance of central bank independence in safeguarding macroeconomic stability, particularly during periods of crisis and recovery. It highlighted how institutional autonomy strengthens policy credibility, supports effective inflation management, and underpins sustained economic resilience.

The event brought together distinguished policymakers, academics, and industry professionals to reflect on the evolution of the Bank and its role in shaping the country’s economic and financial landscape.



The Governor delivering the 75th anniversary Oration

Issuance of Rs. 2000 Commemorative Currency Note and Postage Stamp

To mark the occasion, the Central Bank issued a Rs. 2000 commemorative currency note, the fifth commemorative currency note issued by the Bank, in line with the anniversary theme “Stability for Prosperity”.

A special commemorative postage stamp was also issued by the Philatelic Bureau of the Department of Posts.

In addition, a tabloid-sized newspaper supplement highlighting the history, milestones, and evolving role of the Central Bank was published in national newspapers.



Governor presenting the first Rs. 2000 commemorative note to H.E. the President



Special commemorative postage stamp issued by the Department of Posts

Knowledge Sharing and Policy Dialogue

Several knowledge-sharing events were organised to strengthen dialogue among policymakers, academics, and financial sector experts.

A Financial Stability Conference was held in Colombo on 23 May 2025, focusing on Sri Lanka’s progress in overcoming recent economic challenges while safeguarding financial system stability.

The International Research Symposium – 2025, held from 8–10 December 2025 at the John Exter International Conference Hall of Central Bank, comprised three events:

- the 14th International Research Conference of the Central Bank,
- the SAARCFINANCE Database Seminar 2025, and
- the 6th Joint Workshop co-hosted with the Asian Development Bank and the Asia-Pacific Applied Economics Association.

A public seminar titled “Charting a Growth Strategy in a Changing Global Environment” was also held on 10 October 2025, featuring Montek Singh Ahluwalia as the keynote speaker.



Public Seminar with Montek Singh Ahluwalia

Community Engagements and Cultural Activities

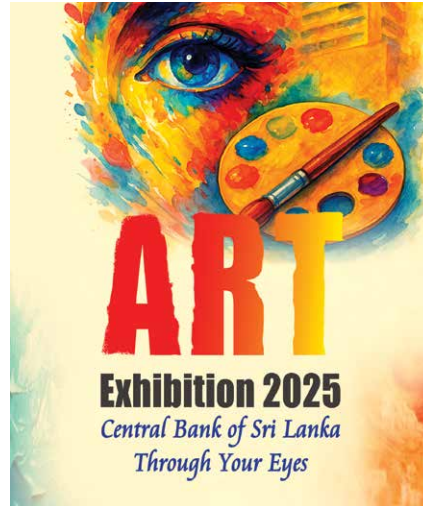
As part of the anniversary programme, several initiatives were undertaken to strengthen public engagement and promote social responsibility. Regional Offices of the Bank conducted six special financial literacy programmes to enhance public awareness of financial matters.

The “Mihikathata Adaren” tree-planting initiative was launched by Governor, Dr. Nandalal Weerasinghe, together with the Senior Deputy Governor, at Bank House, the Centre for Banking Studies, and the Central Bank’s Regional Offices.



Tree-planting initiative “Mihikathata Adaren”

A national-level art competition and exhibition was also organized to engage the public and promote awareness of economic and financial themes.



National art competition and exhibition

Several cultural and religious activities were also organised to commemorate the anniversary and strengthen staff engagement.



Multi-religious observances

A pirith chanting ceremony, organized by the Buddhist Association of the Central Bank, was held on 29 August 2025, followed by an alms-giving (Heel Dana) on 30 August 2025.

75th Anniversary of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka



Pirith chanting ceremony

The Sinhala Cultural Association of the Central Bank organised a cultural event titled “The Evening” on 26 July 2025 at the Centre for Banking Studies. The Association also released “Abhimani,” a special anniversary song marking the Bank’s 75-year journey.



Cultural event “The Evening” at the Centre for Banking Studies

In addition, the Seva Vanitha Unit of the Central Bank donated two school libraries to schools in the Puttalam district on 8 November 2025 commemorating the 75th Anniversary.

Regional Offices

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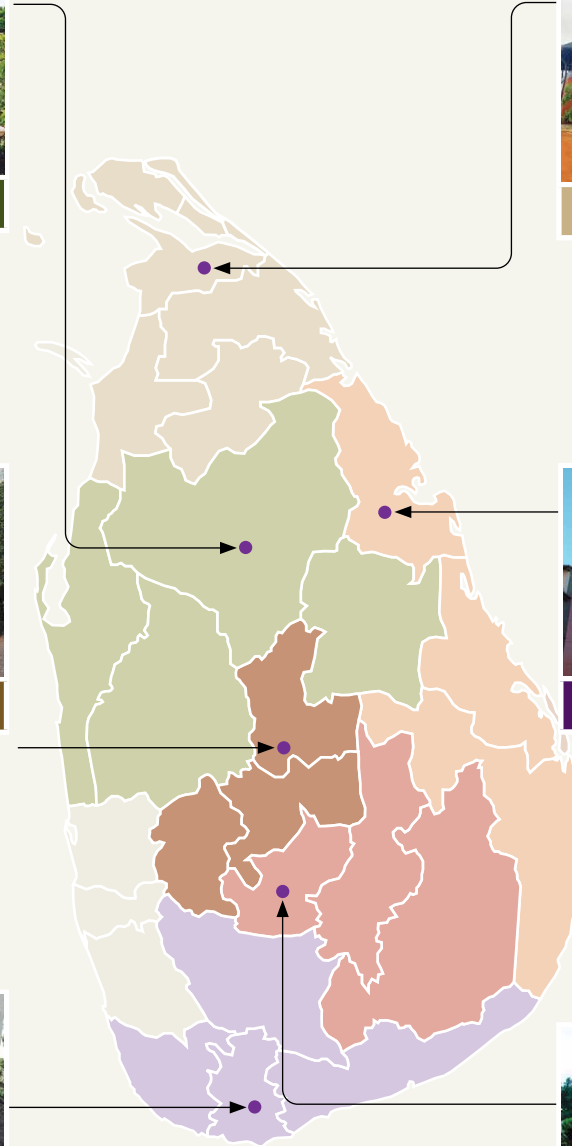
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Institutions Regulated and Supervised by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Authorised Financial Institutions as at 31 December 2025

Licensed Commercial Banks

- Amana Bank PLC
- Cargills Bank PLC
- Deutsche Bank AG
- Hatton National Bank PLC
- MCB Bank Ltd
- Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC
- Sampath Bank PLC
- State Bank of India
- Bank of Ceylon
- Citibank, N.A.
- DFCC Bank PLC
- Indian Bank
- National Development Bank PLC
- People's Bank
- Seylan Bank PLC
- The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd
- Bank of China Ltd
- Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC
- Habib Bank Ltd
- Indian Overseas Bank
- Nations Trust Bank PLC
- Public Bank Berhad
- Standard Chartered Bank
- Union Bank of Colombo PLC

Licensed Specialised Banks

- Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka
- SANASA Development Bank PLC
- National Savings Bank
- Sri Lanka Savings Bank Ltd
- Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank
- State Mortgage & Investment Bank

Representative Offices of Foreign Banks

- JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A.
- MUFG Bank Ltd
- ICICI Bank Ltd

Finance Companies

- Abans Finance PLC
- Asia Asset Finance PLC
- CBC Finance PLC ^(b)
- Commercial Credit & Finance PLC
- HNB Finance PLC
- LB Finance PLC
- Mercantile Investments & Finance PLC
- People's Leasing & Finance PLC
- Sarvodaya Development Finance PLC
- Siyapatha Finance PLC
- UB Finance PLC
- Alliance Finance Co. PLC
- Assetline Finance Ltd
- Central Finance Co. PLC
- Dialog Finance PLC
- Janashakthi Finance PLC ^(c)
- LOLC Finance PLC
- Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka & Finance PLC
- PMF Finance PLC
- Senkadagala Finance PLC
- SMB Finance PLC
- Vallibel Finance PLC
- AMW Capital Leasing and Finance PLC
- Associated Motor Finance Co. PLC ^(a)
- Citizens Development Business Finance PLC
- Fintrex Finance PLC
- Lanka Credit and Business Finance PLC
- Mahindra Ideal Finance Ltd.
- Nation Lanka Finance PLC ^(d)
- Richard Pieris Finance Ltd
- Singer Finance (Lanka) PLC
- Softlogic Finance PLC

Note: The Commercial High Court of Colombo ordered that the winding up of ETI Finance Ltd. be carried out subject to the Supervision of the Court on the 15 December 2023. Further, the Court ordered that Mr. Gerard Jeevananthan David, C/o, S J M S Associates, 3rd Floor, No. 11, Castle Lane, Colombo 04 be appointed as the Liquidator of ETI Finance Ltd.

Registered Finance Leasing Establishments

(I) Licensed Commercial Banks

- Amana Bank PLC
- DFCC Bank PLC
- National Development Bank PLC
- Sampath Bank PLC
- Bank of Ceylon
- Hatton National Bank PLC
- Nations Trust Bank PLC
- Seylan Bank PLC
- Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC
- MCB Bank Ltd
- Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC
- Union Bank of Colombo PLC

(II) Licensed Specialised Banks

- Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka
- Sri Lanka Savings Bank Ltd
- Pradeshiya Sanwardana Bank
- Sanasa Development Bank PLC

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(III) Finance Companies

- Abans Finance PLC
- Asia Asset Finance PLC
- CBC Finance PLC ^(b)
- Commercial Credit & Finance PLC
- HNB Finance PLC
- LB Finance PLC
- Mercantile Investments & Finance PLC
- People's Leasing & Finance PLC
- Sarvodaya Development Finance PLC
- Siyapatha Finance PLC
- U B Finance PLC
- Alliance Finance Co. PLC
- Assetline Finance Ltd.
- Central Finance Co. PLC
- Dialog Finance PLC
- Janashakthi Finance PLC ^(c)
- LOLC Finance PLC
- Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka & Finance PLC
- PMF Finance PLC
- Senkadagala Finance PLC
- SMB Finance PLC
- Vallibel Finance PLC
- AMW Capital Leasing and Finance PLC
- Associated Motor Finance Co. PLC ^(a)
- Citizens Development Business Finance PLC
- Fintrex Finance PLC
- Lanka Credit and Business Finance PLC
- Mahindra Ideal Finance Ltd
- Nation Lanka Finance PLC ^(d)
- Richard Pieris Finance Ltd
- Singer Finance (Lanka) PLC
- Softlogic Finance PLC

(IV) Specialised Leasing Company

- Co-operative Leasing Co. Ltd

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Licensed Microfinance Companies

- Berendina Micro Investments Company Ltd
- Dumbara Micro Credit Ltd
- Lak Jaya Micro Finance Ltd
- Sejava Micro Credit Ltd

Primary Dealer Companies

- Capital Alliance PLC
- Entrust Securities PLC ^(e)
- First Capital Treasuries PLC
- HNB Securities Ltd.
- NSB Fund Management Co. Ltd
- Perpetual Treasuries Ltd ^(f)
- Wealth Trust Securities Ltd ^(g)

List of Authorised Money Broking Companies

- BMR Money Brokers (Pvt) Ltd
- Central Forex and Money Brokers Ltd
- First Alliance Money Brokers (Pvt) Ltd
- George Steaurt Investments (Pvt) Ltd
- MVS Money Brokers Ltd
- Pigott Chapman & Company (Pvt) Ltd
- Taprobane Investments (Pvt) Ltd
- Vishwin Money & Exchange Brokers Ltd

^(a) LB Finance PLC acquired 73.11% of Associated Motor Finance PLC on 24 November 2025.

^(b) CBC Finance Limited changed its name as CBC Finance PLC w.e.f. 30 December 2025.

^(c) Orient Finance PLC changed its name as Janashakthi Finance PLC w.e.f. 09 May 2025.

^(d) Nation Lanka Finance PLC has continuously been violating/contravening provisions of the Finance Business Act, No 42 of 2011. Therefore, mobilising public funds including new deposits in whatsoever manner is prohibited. Further, resolution actions have been initiated under the provisions of the Banking (Special Provisions) Act, No. 17 of 2023 with effect from 04 July 2025 and an administrator has been appointed to the Company.

^(e) Entrust Securities PLC was directed to refrain from participating in government securities primary auctions w.e.f. 24 July 2017. A creditor winding up was filed by one of the unsecured investors and on 17 June 2022 the winding up order was given by the courts. The winding up case (CHC 83/2021/CO) is still pending before the courts.

^(f) Perpetual Treasuries Ltd. was suspended from carrying on the business and activities of a Primary Dealer since 06 July 2017 and current suspension is effective until 05 July 2026.

^(g) Wealth Trust Securities Ltd. changed its name as Wealth Trust Securities PLC w.e.f. 19 February 2026.

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Institutions Authorised to Deal in Foreign Exchange as at 31 December 2025

List of Authorised Dealers (ADs)

(I) Licensed Commercial Banks

- Amana Bank PLC
- Cargills Bank Ltd
- Deutsche Bank AG
- Hatton National Bank PLC
- MCB Bank Ltd
- Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC
- Sampath Bank PLC
- State Bank of India
- Bank of Ceylon
- Citibank, N.A.
- DFCC Bank PLC
- Indian Bank
- National Development Bank PLC
- People's Bank
- Seylan Bank PLC
- The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd
- Bank of China Ltd
- Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC
- Habib Bank Ltd
- Indian Overseas Bank
- Nations Trust Bank PLC
- Public Bank Berhad
- Standard Chartered Bank
- Union Bank of Colombo PLC

(II) Licensed Specialised Banks

- National Savings Bank
- SANASA Development Bank PLC

List of Authorized Money Changers (AMCs)

Category A : Companies Exclusively Engage in Money Changing Business

(I) AMCs Permitted to Buy and Exchange Foreign Currency

- Abdeen Money Changers (Pvt) Ltd
- Ariyawansa Enterprises (Pvt) Ltd
- Capital Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Colombo Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 01
- Data Exchange International (Pvt) Ltd
- Galle Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Galle
- George Michael Holdings (Pvt) Ltd
- Golden Money Changers (Pvt) Ltd
- Mayurie Money Changers (Pvt) Ltd
- Narmatha Gold Centre (Pvt) Ltd – Jaffna
- New Regal's Money Changer (Pvt) Ltd
- Pushpa Money Changers (Pvt) Ltd
- Royal Forex Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Havelock City Mall
- Haifa Travels and Tours (Pvt) Ltd
- JLS Mithiraa (Pvt) Ltd
- Royal Money Mart (Pvt) Ltd – Aluthgama
- Swiss Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 01
- Thomas Cook Lanka (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 02 – One Galle Face Mall
- Western Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Abilash Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Asian Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Central Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Colombo Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 06
- Dedigama Group (Pvt) Ltd
- Galle Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Galle Fort
- Global Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Maruthi Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 06
- Metro Forex (Pvt) Ltd – Negombo
- Narmatha Gold Centre (Pvt) Ltd – Kilinochchi
- Prasanna Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 01
- Rivindu Enterprises (Pvt) Ltd
- Royal Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 01
- International Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Keyser Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Royal Money Mart (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 01
- Swiss Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 06
- Thomas Cook Lanka (Pvt) Ltd – Kandy
- Windsor Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Armex Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Bullion Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- City Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Crown Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Devi Forex (Pvt) Ltd
- Galle Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Weligama
- Global Village Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Maruthi Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Jaffna
- Milano Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- New Natasha (Pvt) Ltd
- Prasanna Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 06
- Royal Forex Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Majestic City
- Royal Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 06
- Jewel Lanka Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Negombo
- Lanka Forex Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd – Crescat Boulevard
- Shifaz Money Exchange (Pvt) Ltd
- Thomas Cook Lanka (Pvt) Ltd – Colombo 02 – Colombo City Center
- Unic Forex (Pvt) Ltd

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(II) AMCs Permitted to Buy, Sell and Exchange Foreign Currency

- Arrujina Jewellery (Pvt) Ltd
- Ravi Forexae (Pvt) Ltd
- Thomas Cook Lanka (Pvt) Ltd –
Bandaranaike International Airport

Category B : Licensed Finance Companies Permitted to Buy, Sell and Exchange Foreign Currency

- Asia Asset Finance PLC
- Citizens Development Business
Finance PLC
- L B Finance PLC
- Lanka Credit and Business Finance PLC
- Senkadagala Finance PLC
- Singer Finance (Lanka) PLC

Category C : Hotels registered with Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority permitted to Deal in Foreign Exchange

- Cinnamon Bentota Beach
- Cinnamon Lodge Habarana
- Hikka Tranz by Cinnamon
- Shangri-La Hambantota Resort & Spa
- Cinnamon Bey Beruwala
- Cinnamon Wild Yala
- ITC Ratnadipa – Colombo 1
- Shangri-La Hotel Colombo
- Cinnamon Citadel Kandy
- Habarana Village by Cinnamon
- Pearl City Hotel
- Trinco Blu by Cinnamon

Service Providers Licensed under the Payment Cards and Mobile Payment Systems Regulation No.1 of 2013 (as at 31 December 2025)

Licensed Commercial Banks

- Amana Bank PLC
- Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC
- Hatton National Bank PLC
- Nations Trust Bank PLC
- Sampath Bank PLC
- State Bank of India
- Bank of Ceylon
- DFCC Bank PLC
- MCB Bank Ltd
- Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC
- Seylan Bank PLC
- The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd (HSBC)
- Cargills Bank PLC
- Habib Bank Ltd
- National Development Bank PLC
- People's Bank
- Standard Chartered Bank
- Union Bank of Colombo PLC

Licensed Specialised Banks

- National Savings Bank
- Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank
- Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka (HDFC)
- Sanasa Development Bank PLC

Licensed Finance Companies

- Central Finance Co. PLC
- Fintrex Finance PLC
- Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka & Finance PLC
- Singer Finance (Lanka) PLC
- Citizens Development Business Finance PLC
- LB Finance PLC
- People's Leasing & Finance PLC
- Dialog Finance PLC
- LOLC Finance PLC
- Senkadagala Finance PLC

Non- Financial Institutions

- Dialog Axiata PLC
- Mobitel (Pvt) Ltd
- Global Payments Asia – Pacific Lanka (Pvt) Ltd

Acronyms

AC	Audit Committee	CCPI	Colombo Consumer Price Index	ECA	Exchange Control Act
ACU	Asian Clearing Union	CDPAS	Central Bank Data Processing and Analytics System	ECL	Expected Credit Losses
ADB	Asian Development Bank	CDS	Central Depository System	EFA	Economic Factor Adjustment
ADs	Authorised Dealers	CEFTS	Common Electronic Fund Transfer Switch	EFF	Extended Fund Facility
AFI	Alliance for Financial Inclusion	CEOs	Chief Executive Officers	EPC	Executive Profiling Centre
AI	Artificial Intelligence	CFCA	Control of Finance Companies Act	EPF	Employees Provident Fund
AMBs	Authorised Money Broking Companies	CFETS	China Foreign Exchange Trading System	ERM	Enterprise-wide Risk Management
AMCs	Authorised Money Changers	CFT	Countering the Financing of Terrorism	ESG	Environmental, Social and Governance
AML	Anti-Money Laundering	CH	Clearing House	EUR	Euro
APG	Asia/pacific Group on Money Laundering	CIA	Chief Internal Auditor	EWf	Early Warning Framework
API	Application Programming Interface	CIC	Currency in Circulation	FBA	Finance Business Act
ATM	Automated Teller Machine	CID	Criminal Investigation Department	FCA	Finance Companies Act
AUD	Australian Dollar	CIMM	Central Integrated Market Monitor Management	FCs	Finance Companies
AWCMR	Average Weighted Call Money Rate	CITS	Cheque Imaging and Truncation System	FEA	Foreign Exchange Act
AWPR	Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate	CMC	Corporate Management Committee	FinTech	Financial Technology
AWRR	Average Weighted Repo Rate	CNY	Chines Yuan Renminbi	FIS	Fixed Income Securities
BCSA	Bilateral Currency Swap Agreement	CoPF	Committee on Public Finance	FIT	Flexible Inflation Targeting
BFCAs	Business Foreign Currency Accounts	CPS	Common Point-of-Sale Switch	FIU	Financial Intelligence Unit
BHRRC	Board Human Resource and Remunerations Committee	CRD	Currency Department	FLA	Finance Leasing Act
BIS	Bank for International Settlements	CSE	Colombo Stock Exchange	FLR	Financial Literacy Roadmap
BOC	Bank of Ceylon	DAD-PP	Domestic Agriculture Development Pilot Phase	FPS	Fast Payment Systems
BROC	Board Risk Oversight Committee	DDO	Domestic Debt Optimisation	FRMC	Financial Risk Management Committee
BRUs	Business Revival Units	DFE	Department of Foreign Exchange	FSF	Financial Stability Fund
BSPA	Banking (Special Provisions) Act	DFI	Department of Financial Inclusion	FSSC	Financial System Stability Committee
BS-RAF	Balance Sheet Risk Assessment Framework	DPD	Days Past Due	FSSNP	Financial Sector Safety Net Strengthening Project
CAD	Canadian Dollar	DR	Disaster Recovery	FTRA	Financial Transactions Reporting Act
CAS	Common ATM Switch	DSGE	Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium	FVOCI	Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income
CBA	Central Bank of Sri Lanka Act	D-SIBs	Domestic Systemically Important Banks	FVTPL	Fair Value through Profit or Loss
CBS	Centre for Banking Studies	DSNBFI	Department of Supervision of Non-Bank Financial Institutions	FX	Foreign Exchange
CBSL	The Central Bank of Sri Lanka	DST	Deputy Secretary to the Treasury	GB	Governing Board
CCAPS	Common Card and Payment Switch	EAD	Exposure at Default	GBP	Great British Pound
CCC	Credit Counselling Centre	EC	Ethics Committee	GDP	Gross Domestic Product
				GIAS	Global Internal Audit Standards
				GL	General Ledger

Acronyms

GOSL	Government of Sri Lanka	KRPs	Key Responsible Persons	MVTS	Money or Value Transfer Service
HCC	Human Capital Committee	KYC	Know-Your-Customer	NBFIs	Non-Bank Financial Institutions
HDFC	Housing Development Finance Corporation	LAPF	Leadership Assessment and Profiling Framework	NFIS	National Financial Inclusion Strategy
HR	Human Resources	LBs	Licensed Banks	NFRMC	Non-Financial Risk Management Committee
HRSRP	Human Resources Strategies Revamping Project	LCBs	Licensed Commercial Banks	NOP	Net Open Positions
IA	Internal Audit	LCM	Leadership Competency Model	NPC	National Payments Council
IAD	Internal Audit Department	LGD	Loss Given Default	NSB	National Savings Bank
IASB	International Accounting Standards Board	LKR	Sri Lanka Rupee	NZD	New Zealand Dollar
ICI	In-Country Implementation	LMFCs	Licensed Microfinance Companies	OCI	Other Comprehensive Income
ICS	International Card Schemes	LPC	Leadership Profiling Centre	OMOs	Open Market Operations
ICSU	Information and Cyber Security Unit	LPOPP	Lankapay Online Payment Platform	OPR	Overnight Policy Rate
ICT	Information and Communication Technologies	LPPL	Lanka Pay (Pvt) Ltd	PAM	Privileged Access Management
IDA	International Development Association	LSBs	Licensed Specialised Banks	PBoC	People's Bank of China
IFC	International Finance Corporation	LSF	Liquidity Support Facility	PDCs	Primary Dealer Companies
IFRS	International Financial Reporting Standards	LSPs	Licensed Service Providers	PDMA	Public Debt Management Act
IGs	Investment Guidelines	LTV	Loan-to-value	PDMO	Public Debt Management Office
IIOC	Internal Investment Oversight Committee	MBUs	Mobile Banking Units	PES	Performance Evaluation System
ILF	Intra-day Liquidity Facility	MD	Modified Duration	PF	Proliferation Financing
IMF	International Monetary Fund	MI s	Member Institutions	PFCAs	Personal Foreign Currency Accounts
IOCs	Investment Oversight Committees	ML	Money Laundering	PFI s	Participatory Finance Institutions
IPS	Investment Policy Statement	MLA	Monetary Law Act	PI s	Participating Institutions
IRIOC	International Reserve Investment Oversight Committee	MMPC	Middle Management Profiling Centre	PMI	Purchasing Managers' Index
IRR	International Revaluation Reserve	MOC	Market Operations Committee	Pre-MPC	Pre-Monetary Policy Committee
ISB	International Sovereign Bond	MoF	Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development	PSD	Payment and Settlements Department
IT	Information Technology	MOR	Market Operations Report	PSSA	Payment and Settlement Systems Act
ITOC	Information Technology Oversight Committee	MoU	Memorandum of Understanding	QAIP	Quality Assurance and Improvement Program
JICA	Japan International Cooperation Agency	MPAPs	Directed Mobile Payment Application Providers	QPM	Quarterly Projection Model
JPY	Japanese Yen	MPB	Monetary Policy Board	QR	Quick Response
KMPs	Key Management Personnels	MPC	Monetary Policy Committee	QRA	Quarterly Risk Assessment
KPIs	Key Performance Indicators	MPFA	Monetary Policy Framework Agreement	RAF	Risk Appetite Framework
KRIs	Key Risk Indicators	MPR	Monetary Policy Report	RAMP	Reserve Advisory and Management Partnership
		MRR	Market Revaluation Reserve	RAS	Risk Appetite Statement
		MSMEs	Micro, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises	RBI	Reserve Bank of India
		MTM	Marked-to Market	RCO	Revamping Currency Operations

Acronyms

RCSA	Risk Control Self- Assessment	SOBs	State-Owned Banks
RDD	Regional Development Department	SPDs	Standalone Primary Dealers
RFI	Rapid Financing Instrument	SPPI	Solely-Payment-of-Principal-and-Interest
RGs	Review Groups	SRR	Statutory Reserve Requirement
RMCD	Risk Management and Compliance Department	SSMs	Self Service Machines
RMPS	Risk Management Policy Statement	SSSS	Scripless Securities Settlement System
RTGS	Real-Time Gross Settlement	SSUs	Student Saving Units
RTI	Right to Information	SWIFT	Society for Worldwide Inter-Bank Financial Telecommunication
S&P	Standard & Poor's	TCM	Technical Competency Model
SAA	Strategic Asset Allocation	TF	Terrorist Financing
SARTTAC	South Asia Regional Training & Technical Assistance Centre	TIA	Telecommunications Industry Association
SDAs	Special Deposit Accounts	UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
SDF	Standing Deposit Facility	USD	United States Dollar
SDFR	Standing Deposit Facility Rate	VaR	Value at Risk
SDR	Special Drawing Rights	VAT	Value Added Tax
SEACEN	South East Asian Center Bank	VPN	Virtual Private Network
SICR	Significant Increase in Credit Risk	W&OP	Widows' and Orphans' Pension
SIPS	Systemically Important Payment System	WB	World Bank
SLAASMB	Sri Lanka Accounting and Auditing Standards Monitoring Board	WR&OP	Widowers' and Orphans' Pension
SLACH	Sri Lanka Automated Clearing House		
SLBA	Sri Lanka Banks' Association		
SLC	Specialised Leasing Company		
SLDBs	Sri Lanka Development Bonds		
SLDIF	Sri Lanka Deposit Insurance Fund		
SLDIS	Sri Lanka Deposit Insurance Scheme		
SLF	Standing Lending Facility		
SLFR	Standing Lending Facility Rate		
SLFRS	Sri Lanka Financial Reporting Standards		
SLIPS	Sri Lanka Inter-bank Payment System		
SME	Small and Medium Sized Enterprises		
SMIB	State Mortgage and Investment Bank		

Central Bank of Sri Lanka



Legal form

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