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COUNTRY PROFILE – 2019^(a)

Population (Mid-Year) ('000) – 2019		21,803	
Land Area (Excluding Inland Waters)	Sq. km.	62,705	
Population and Land Area by Provinces – 2019			
Province	Population ^(b) '000	Land Area (Sq. km.)	Population Density ^(c)
Western	6,149	3,593	1,711
Central	2,766	5,575	496
Southern	2,654	5,383	493
Northern	1,143	8,290	138
Eastern	1,729	9,361	185
North Western	2,551	7,506	340
North Central	1,377	9,741	141
Uva	1,376	8,335	165
Sabaragamuwa	2,058	4,921	418
Total	21,803	62,705	348

Composition of Population (2012 Census)

By Ethnicity	%	By Religion	%
Sinhalese	74.9	Buddhist	70.1
Sri Lankan Tamil	11.2	Hindu	12.6
Indian Tamil	4.1	Islam	9.7
Sri Lankan Moor	9.3	Christian &	
Other	0.5	Roman Catholic	7.6
		Other	0.0
By Sector % (2012 Census)			
Urban 18.2	Rural 77.4	Estate 4.4	

Mid-Year Population Growth Rate (2019), % :		0.6	
GDP at Market Prices ^(d) :	Rs. bn.	15,016	US\$ bn. 84.0
GDP Per Capita at Market Prices ^(d) :	Rs.	688,719	US\$ 3,852
Real GDP Growth Rate^{(a)(d)}, %		2.3	
Sectoral Composition of GDP^(d), %			
Agriculture			7.4
Industry			27.4
Services			58.2
Taxes less subsidies on products			6.9
	Rs. bn.		% of GDP
Exports of Goods and Services	3,472		23.1
Imports of Goods and Services	4,392		29.2
Budget Deficit	-1,016.5		-6.8
Money Stock M _{2b}	7,624.1		49.0 ^(e)
Unemployment Rate (2019), % of Labour Force :		4.8	
Inflation (2019) :	Change of CCPI (2013=100) (Annual Avg.), % :		4.3
	Change of NCPI (2013=100) (Annual Avg.), % :		3.5
Life Expectancy (2019) : (Avg.) yrs.		76.8	
Literacy Rate (Aged 10 Years and above) (2018), % :		92.5	
Human Development Index (2018) :		0.780 (Min. : 0.0 ; Max. : 1.0)	
Temperature (2019) : °C (°F)		Minimum	Maximum
Low Country	24.6 (76.3)	32.3 (90.1)	
Hill Country	18.4 (65.1)	27.6 (81.7)	

(a) Provisional

(b) Based on the Census of Population and Housing – 2012.

(c) Persons per sq. km.

(d) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010).

(e) M_{2b} (12 month average) as a % of GDP at market price.

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Population, '000 (Mid-Year)	20,970 ^(b)	21,203 ^(a)	21,444 ^(a)	21,670 ^(a)	21,803
Annual Population Growth, %	0.9	1.1 ^(a)	1.1 ^(a)	1.1 ^(a)	0.6
Density of Population, Persons per sq. km.	334	338 ^(a)	342 ^(a)	346 ^(a)	348
Labour Force Participation Rate, (% of Household Population) ^(c)	53.8	53.8	54.1	51.8	52.3
Unemployment Rate, (% of Labour Force) ^(c)	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.8
National Accounts^(d)					
GNI (Market Prices), Rs. bn.	10,676	11,676	12,975 ^(b)	13,977 ^{(a)(b)}	14,584
Per Capita GNI (Market Prices), Rs.	509,103	550,697	605,076 ^(b)	644,670 ^{(a)(b)}	668,894
US\$	3,745	3,782	3,969 ^(b)	3,968 ^{(a)(b)}	3,741
GDP (Market Prices), Rs. bn.	10,951	11,996	13,328 ^(b)	14,366 ^{(a)(b)}	15,016
Real GDP Growth Rate, %	5.0	4.5	3.6 ^(b)	3.3 ^{(a)(b)}	2.3
Investment and Savings^(d), % of GDP					
Investment	31.2	27.9	31.6 ^(b)	30.4 ^{(a)(b)}	27.4
Domestic Savings	23.6	20.6	24.4 ^(b)	23.0 ^{(a)(b)}	21.3
National Savings	28.8	25.7	29.0 ^(b)	27.3 ^{(a)(b)}	25.3
Price Changes, %					
National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1	3.5
Colombo Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	2.2	4.0	6.6	4.3	4.3
Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	0.9	3.7	—	—	—
Wholesale Price Index (Annual Avg.)	1.0	4.2	7.4	3.4	3.4
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	3.6	1.7	17.0	6.3	2.9
Implicit GNI Deflator ^(d)	0.6	4.8	7.3 ^(b)	4.3 ^{(a)(b)}	2.2

(a) Provisional

(b) Revised

(c) Household Population aged 15 years and above and data covers the entire island.

(d) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010).

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

Sources : Registrar General's Department
Department of Census and Statistics

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)	2015	2016	2017 ^(c)	2018 ^{(a)(c)}	2019 ^(b)
Government Finance	Rupees billion					% of GDP^(d)				
Revenue and Grants	1,460.9	1,693.6	1,839.6	1,932.5	1,898.8	13.3	14.1	13.8	13.5	12.6
Expenditure and Net Lending	2,290.4	2,333.9	2,573.1	2,693.2	2,915.3	20.9	19.5	19.3	18.7	19.4
Recurrent Expenditure	1,701.7	1,757.8	1,927.7	2,089.7	2,301.2	15.5	14.7	14.5	14.5	15.3
Current Account Balance	-246.8	-71.7	-96.2	-169.7	-410.3	-2.3	-0.6	-0.7	-1.2	-2.7
Primary Balance	-319.8	-29.4	2.1	91.4	-115.1	-2.9	-0.2	0.02	0.6	-0.8
Overall Fiscal Balance	-829.5	-640.3	-733.5	-760.8	-1,016.5	-7.6	-5.3	-5.5	-5.3	-6.8
Outstanding Central Government Debt	8,599.2	9,478.9	10,382.8	12,030.5	13,031.5	78.5	79.0	77.9	83.7	86.8
Domestic Debt	5,055.2	5,433.1	5,664.2	6,071.0	6,629.1	46.2	45.3	42.5	42.3	44.1
Foreign Debt	3,544.0	4,045.8	4,718.6	5,959.5	6,402.4	32.4	33.7	35.4	41.5	42.6
Outstanding Debt Service Payments	1,317.8	1,352.4	1,603.0	2,088.6	2,022.5	12.0	11.3	12.0	14.5	13.5
Interest Payments	509.7	610.9	735.6	852.2	901.4	4.7	5.1	5.5	5.9	6.0
External Sector	Rupees billion					US dollars billion				
Exports	1,431.4	1,500.8	1,732.4	1,933.5	2,134.8	10.5	10.3	11.4	11.9	11.9
Imports	2,572.5	2,794.4	3,198.6	3,606.6	3,565.0	18.9	19.4	21.0	22.2	19.9
Current Account Balance	-259.4	-257.5	-351.3	-454.3	-321.0	-1.9	-1.7	-2.3	-2.8	-1.8
% of GDP ^(c)	-2.3	-2.1	-2.6	-3.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.1	-2.6	-3.2	-2.2
External Debt	6,459.7	6,899.3	7,887.9	9,578.0	10,156.2	44.8	46.4	51.6	52.4	55.9
% of GDP ^(c)	55.7	56.8	59.0	59.2	66.6	55.7	56.8	59.0	59.2	66.6
Debt Service Ratio ^(e) , %	19.8	18.0	17.3	21.3	21.9	19.8	18.0	17.3	21.3	21.9
International Reserves	1,345.1	1,263.3	1,595.3	1,751.2	1,889.3	9.3	8.4	10.4	9.6	10.4
Exchange Rate (Average), Rs./US\$	135.94	145.60	152.46	162.54	178.78	—	—	—	—	—
Rs./SDR	190.16	202.39	211.49	229.90	246.97	—	—	—	—	—

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Based on revised GDP estimates for 2017 and 2018 released on 31 March 2020 by the Department of Census and Statistics.

(d) From 2010 onwards, data are based on the GDP estimates of the Department of Census and Statistics with base year 2010.

(e) Debt service payments as a percentage of receipts from merchandise exports, services, income and private transfers.

Sources : Ministry of Finance
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Monetary Aggregates					
Reserve Money, Rs. bn.	673.4	856.1	939.8	961.1	932.6
Narrow Money M_1 , Rs. bn.	715.0	776.6	793.3	830.8	865.5
Change of M_1 , %	16.8	8.6	2.1	4.7	4.2
Broad Money M_{2b} , Rs. bn.	4,565.9	5,405.6	6,308.1	7,128.3	7,624.1
Change of M_{2b} , %	17.8	18.4	16.7	13.0	7.0
Money Multiplier for M_{2b}	6.78	6.31	6.71	7.42	8.18
Interest Rates (Year End), %					
Treasury Bill Primary Yield – 3 Months	6.45	8.72	7.69	10.01	7.51
Standing Deposit Facility Rate ^(b)	6.00	7.00	7.25	8.00	7.00
Standing Lending Facility Rate ^(b)	7.50	8.50	8.75	9.00	8.00
Treasury Bonds – Two Year	6.70	11.04	9.83	–	9.79
Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate (Monthly)	7.40	11.73	11.33	11.94	10.00
AWCMR (End Year)	6.40	8.42	8.15	8.95	7.45
NSB Savings	5.00	4.25	4.00	4.00	4.00
Financial Institutions – Assets, Rs. bn.					
Central Bank	1,426.3	1,529.2	1,604.8	1,917.4	1,919.4
Commercial Bank ^(c)	5,698.5	6,682.6	7,824.8	9,045.7	9,741.1
Licensed Finance Companies	915.3	1,112.1	1,227.5	1,383.7	1,390.7
Unit Trusts (Assets)	130.3	104.0	128.8	64.3	104.9
Share Market					
Market Capitalisation, Rs. bn. (Year End)	2,938.0	2,745.4	2,899.3	2,839.5	2,851.3
All Share Price Index (Year End)	6,894.5	6,228.3	6,369.3	6,052.4	6,129.2

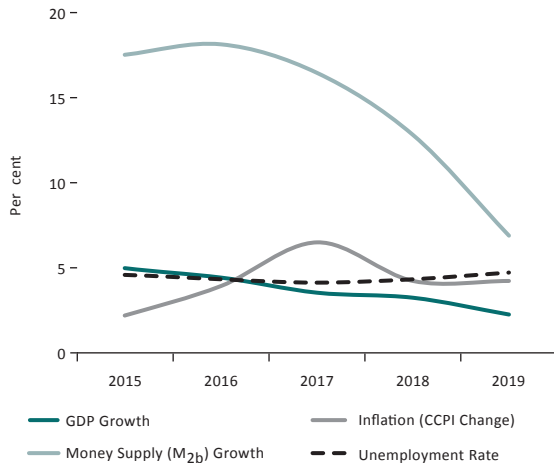
(a) Provisional

(b) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR), respectively, with effect from 02 January 2014.

(c) Includes only assets of the Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of commercial banks.

AWCMR – Average Weighted Call Money Rate

Macroeconomic Indicators



Macroeconomic Indicators

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
GDP Growth ^(b)	5.0	4.5	3.6 ^(c)	3.3 ^{(a)(c)}	2.3
Inflation (CCPI Change)	2.2	4.0	6.6	4.3	4.3
Money Supply (M _{2b}) Growth	17.8	18.4	16.7	13.0	7.0
Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.8

(a) Provisional

(b) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

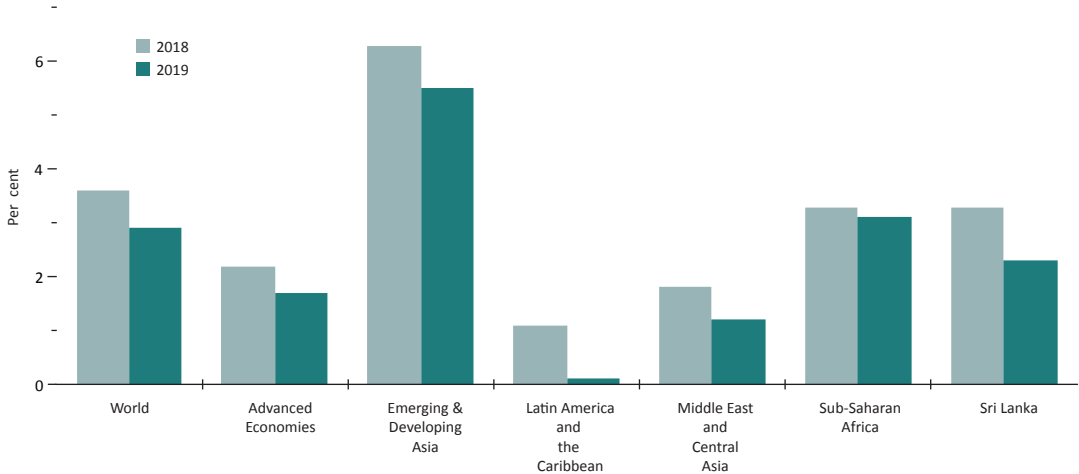
(c) Revised

GDP – WORLD COMPARISON

Region / Country	Real GDP Growth, %					
	Average 2002–2011	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
World	4.1	3.5	3.4	3.9	3.6	2.9
Advanced Economies	1.7	2.3	1.7	2.5	2.2	1.7
USA	1.8	2.9	1.6	2.4	2.9	2.3
Japan	0.6	1.2	0.5	2.2	0.3	0.7
Germany	1.1	1.7	2.2	2.5	1.5	0.6
Emerging and Developing Europe	4.8	0.9	1.8	4.0	3.2	2.1
Emerging and Developing Economies	6.5	4.3	4.6	4.8	4.5	3.7
Emerging and Developing Asia	8.6	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.3	5.5
China	10.7	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.7	6.1
Indonesia	5.7	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.0
India	7.7	8.0	8.3	7.0	6.1	4.2
Sri Lanka	6.2	5.0	4.5	3.6	3.3	2.3
Latin America and the Caribbean	3.6	0.3	-0.6	1.3	1.1	0.1
Middle East and Central Asia	5.6	2.6	5.0	2.3	1.8	1.2
Sub-Saharan Africa	5.9	3.2	1.4	3.0	3.3	3.1

Sources : World Economic Outlook, April 2019, IMF
Department of Census and Statistics

World GDP Growth by Regions



DEMOGRAPHY : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Mid-Year Population, mn.	2000	19.1	19.5	129.3	0.6	1,019.0	0.3	21.0	140.0
	2005	19.6	22.1	138.6	0.6	1,106.0	0.3	25.3	156.0
	2010	20.7	24.5	148.6	0.7	1,186.0	0.4	26.3	173.5
	2018	21.8 ^{(a)(b)}	30.1	164.6	0.7	1,332.0	0.5	29.1	212.8
Population Growth, %	2010	1.0	2.1	1.3	1.8	1.4	2.3	1.4	2.1
	2018	1.1	6.6	1.2	1.0	1.2	4.2	1.4	2.4
Density of Population [Persons per sq. km.]	2018	346	57	1,240	20	455	1,719	196	275
Population by Age Groups, %									
0 – 14 Years	2018	25.2 ^(a)	43.1	27.7	25.8	27.1	20.1	30.4	35.3
15 – 64 Years	2018	66.9 ^(a)	54.3	67.1	68.2	66.8	76.1	63.9	60.4
65 Years and Above	2018	7.9 ^(a)	2.6	5.2	6.0	6.2	3.7	5.7	4.3
Urban Population, %	2018	18.5	25.0	36.6	40.9	34.0	39.8	20.8	36.4
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	2017	15.1 ^(c)	32.5	18.6	17.9	18.8	17.7	19.5	27.7
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	2017	6.4 ^(c)	6.6	5.3	6.0	7.3	3.3	6.2	7.2
Total Fertility Rate [Births per Woman]	2017	2.0	4.5	2.1	2.0	2.3	2.1	2.1	3.4
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	2017	8	52	27	26	32	7	28	61
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	2015	30	396	176	148	174	68	258	178
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	2017	75.5	64.0	72.8	70.6	68.8	77.6	70.6	66.6

(a) 2019

(b) Provisional

(c) 2018

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
Human Development Report 2019, UNDP
World Development Indicators 2020
(World Bank – Updated 09/04/2020)

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DEMOGRAPHY : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Mid-Year Population, mn.	2000	206.3	23.5	76.8	47.0	4.0	60.7
	2005	219.9	26.0	84.7	48.2	4.3	63.2
	2010	237.6	28.6	93.1	49.6	5.1	65.9
	2018	265.0	32.4	106.6	51.6	5.6	67.8
Population Growth, %	2010	2.7	1.8	2.3	0.5	1.8	0.8
	2018	1.3	1.1	1.6	0.4	0.5	0.3
Density of Population [Persons per sq. km.]	2018	148	96	358	530	7,953	136
Population by Age Groups, %							
0 – 14 Years	2018	26.6	24.0	31.0	13.0	12.3	17.1
15 – 64 Years	2018	67.6	69.3	63.9	72.6	76.3	71.0
65 Years and Above	2018	5.9	6.7	5.1	14.4	11.5	11.9
Urban Population, %	2018	50.2	75.6	46.9	81.5	100.0	50.1
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	2017	18.6	17.0	23.0	7.0	8.9	10.1
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	2017	7.2	5.0	6.5	5.6	5.0	8.0
Total Fertility Rate [Births per Woman]	2017	2.3	2.0	2.9	1.1	1.2	1.5
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	2017	21	7	22	3	2	8
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	2015	126	40	114	11	10	20
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	2017	69.4	75.5	69.2	82.6	82.9	75.5

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
Human Development Report 2019, UNDP
World Development Indicators 2020
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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka ^(a)	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)^(b), mn. US \$	2015	80,555	20,607	194,446	2,060	2,146,759	4,109	20,801	267,035
	2016	82,391	20,231	220,837	2,220	2,286,229	4,414	20,982	277,521
	2017	87,420 ^(c)	21,499	245,633	2,528	2,625,091	4,866	25,590	303,092
	2018	88,385 ^{(c)(d)}	20,514	269,628	n.a.	2,779,692	n.a.	27,825	282,346
GDP Per Capita^(b), US \$	2015	3,841	760	1,224	2,721	1,673	9,043	744	1,393
	2016	3,886	732	1,373	2,888	1,760	9,343	741	1,420
	2017	4,077 ^(c)	762	1,510	3,477	1,995	9,898	891	1,459
	2018	4,079 ^{(c)(d)}	682	1,638	n.a.	2,087	n.a.	956	1,327
GDP Per Capita at PPP, US \$	2018	13,450	2,546	4,278	10,803	7,864	15,422	2,981	5,528
Real GDP Growth, %	2016	4.5	3.5	7.1	8.0	8.2	7.3	0.6	4.6
	2017	3.6 ^(c)	7.1	7.3	4.6	7.2	6.9	8.2	5.4
	2018	3.3 ^{(c)(d)}	-0.2	7.9	n.a.	6.8	6.1	6.7	5.8
Sectoral Composition of GDP^{(b)(e)}, %									
Agriculture	2018	7.9 ^(c)	21.4	13.8	n.a.	16.1 ^(d)	n.a.	28.1	24.0 ^(d)
Industry	2018	26.6 ^(c)	24.6	30.2	n.a.	29.6 ^(d)	n.a.	14.9	19.3 ^(d)
Services	2018	57.1 ^(c)	54.0	56.0	n.a.	54.3 ^(d)	n.a.	57.0	56.8 ^(d)
Consumption, Investment and Savings^(b), % of GDP									
Private Consumption	2018	69.8	78.8	70.8	n.a.	59.4 ^(d)	n.a.	70.5	82.1 ^(d)
Government Consumption	2018	9.0	12.4	6.4	n.a.	11.2 ^(d)	n.a.	11.7	12.4 ^(d)
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	2018	28.6	22.0	31.2	n.a.	31.3 ^(d)	n.a.	55.2	16.4 ^(d)
Gross Domestic Savings	2018	21.2	8.7	22.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	17.8	5.5 ^(d)
Gross National Savings	2018	27.3 ^{(c)(d)}	n.a.	27.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	47.1	19.1

(a) The data is based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of the Department of Census and Statistics.

(b) Estimates at current market prices.

(c) Revised.

(d) Provisional.

(e) For Sri Lanka, excluding taxes less subsidies on products (GDP = the sum of the gross value added at basic prices, plus all taxes on products, less all subsidies on products).

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Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
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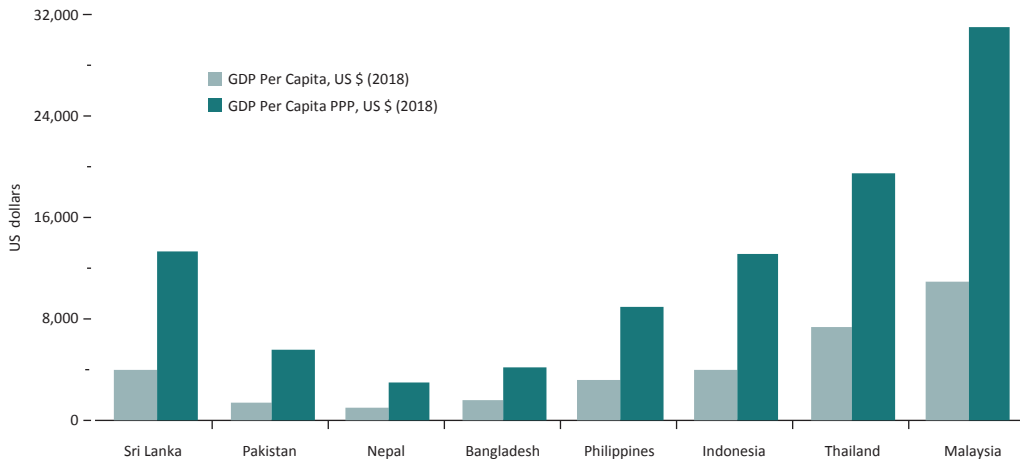
NATIONAL ACCOUNTS : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)^(a), mn. US \$	2015	860,854	301,355	292,774	1,465,773	307,997	401,296
	2016	931,877	301,255	304,898	1,500,112	318,057	412,353
	2017	1,015,423	318,955	313,620	1,623,901	338,399	455,275
	2018	1,042,173	358,579	330,910	1,720,489	364,146	505,042
GDP Per Capita^(a), US \$	2015	3,370	9,659	2,883	28,741	55,645	5,968
	2016	3,602	9,533	2,953	29,299	56,722	6,113
	2017	3,877	9,967	2,990	31,565	60,296	6,730
	2018	3,933	11,067	3,104	33,339	64,580	7,446
GDP Per Capita at PPP, US \$	2018	13,188	31,214	8,940	43,029	101,352	19,468
Real GDP Growth, %	2016	5.0	4.4	6.9	2.9	3.0	3.4
	2017	5.1	5.7	6.7	3.2	3.7	4.0
	2018	5.2	4.7	6.2	2.7	3.1	4.1
Sectoral Composition of GDP^(a), %							
Agriculture	2018	13.3	7.6	9.3	2.0	0.0	8.1
Industry	2018	41.4	38.8	30.8	37.3	26.6	32.4
Services	2018	45.2	53.6	59.9	60.7	73.3	59.5
Consumption, Investment and Savings^(a), % of GDP							
Private Consumption	2018	57.0	57.4	73.8	46.2	34.9	47.8
Government Consumption	2018	9.0	12.0	11.9	16.1	10.5	16.2
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	2018	34.6	23.6	26.9	31.3	26.6	25.0
Gross Domestic Savings	2018	n.a.	30.6	14.2	35.9	53.2	36.3
Gross National Savings	2018	n.a.	25.7	n.a.	35.8	44.5	33.1

(a) Estimates at current market prices.

Source : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB

Per Capita Income (Selected Asian Countries)



SOCIAL INDICATORS : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Human Development Index ^(a) (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	2018	0.780	0.496	0.614	0.617	0.647	0.719	0.579	0.560
Literacy Rate, % :	2016	93.0 ^(b)	45.4 ^(c)	75.7 ^(b)	66.0 ^(d)	78.9 ^(c)	98.5 ^(e)	71.7 ^(c)	69.1 ^(e)
(15 years and over)		91.0 ^(b)	17.6 ^(c)	70.1 ^(b)	48.0 ^(d)	59.3 ^(c)	98.7 ^(e)	48.8 ^(c)	44.3 ^(e)
Labour Force Participation Rate, %	2018	73.0 ^{(f)(g)}	82.1	81.3	74.5	78.6	82.0	84.4	81.5
– Male		34.5 ^{(f)(g)}	48.7	36.0	58.2	23.6	41.9	81.7	23.9
– Female		4.8 ^{(f)(g)}	19.4 ^(h)	4.2 ^(b)	3.4	n.a.	6.1 ^(h)	11.4	5.8
Unemployment Rate, %	2018	25.3 ^(f)	39.5 ^(h)	40.6 ^(b)	54.0	n.a.	9.0 ^(h)	21.5	38.5
Employment (% of total employment)	2018	27.6 ^(f)	14.8 ^(h)	20.4 ^(b)	13.1	n.a.	18.4 ^(h)	30.8	24.6
– Agriculture	2018	47.1 ^(f)	45.7 ^(h)	38.9 ^(b)	32.9	n.a.	72.6 ^(h)	47.7	39.8
– Industry									
– Services									
Population below the Income Poverty Line ⁽ⁱ⁾ , %	2007–2018	n.a.	54.5	24.3	8.2	21.9	8.2	25.2	24.3
Physicians, per 10,000 population	2017	9.7 ^(j)	2.8 ^(h)	5.3	3.7	7.8	10.4 ^(h)	6.5	9.8 ^(k)
Hospital Beds, per 10,000 people	2017	35.0 ^(j)	5.0 ^(k)	8.0 ^(k)	1.7 ^(d)	7.0 ^(c)	43.0 ^(l)	3.0 ^(d)	6.0 ^(e)
Internet Subscriptions, per 100 people	2017	34 ^(j)	14	15	48	35	63	34	16
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Main Lines)	2017	114 ⁽ⁱ⁾	3	4	26	17	47	29	15
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Mobile Phones)	2017	1,499 ^(j)	674	917	905	873	2,063	1,232	734

(a) A composite index of life expectancy, education and income.

(b) 2017 (c) 2011 (d) 2012 (e) 2014 (f) 2019

(g) In July 2016, DCS published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

(h) 2016

(i) National Poverty Line (Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified)

(j) 2018 (k) 2015 (l) 2009

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Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
Human Development Report 2019, UNDP
Department of Census and Statistics
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SOCIAL INDICATORS : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Human Development Index ^(a) (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	2018	0.707	0.804	0.712	0.906	0.935	0.765
Literacy Rate, % : (15 years and over)	2016	97.2	96.3	96.0 ^(b)	n.a.	95.4	94.7 ^(c)
– Male		93.6	91.1	96.8 ^(b)	n.a.	98.7	91.2 ^(c)
– Female							
Labour Force Participation Rate, %	2018	82.0	77.4	74.1	73.3	76.3	76.2
– Male		52.2	50.9	45.7	52.8	60.5	59.5
– Female							
Unemployment Rate, %	2018	5.3	3.3	5.3	3.8	2.7	1.1
Employment (% of total employment)	2018	28.8	10.6	24.3	5.0	0.1	32.1
– Agriculture		23.2	27.1	19.1	25.2	15.9	22.8
– Industry		48.0	62.3	56.6	69.8	83.9	45.1
– Services							
Population below the Income Poverty Line ^(d) , %	2007-2018	10.6	n.a.	21.6	n.a.	n.a.	8.6
Physicians, per 10,000 population	2017	3.8	15.1 ^(c)	12.8 ^(e)	23.7	23.1 ^(f)	8.1
Hospital Beds, per 10,000 people	2017	12.0 ^(c)	19.0 ^(c)	10.0 ^(g)	115.0 ^(c)	24.0 ^(c)	21.0 ^(e)
Internet Subscriptions, per 100 people	2017	32	80	60	95	84	53
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Main Lines)	2017	42	208	40	527	349	50
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Mobile Phones)	2017	1,649	1,339	1,104	1,249	1,468	1,760

(a) A composite index of life expectancy, education and income.

(b) 2013 (c) 2015

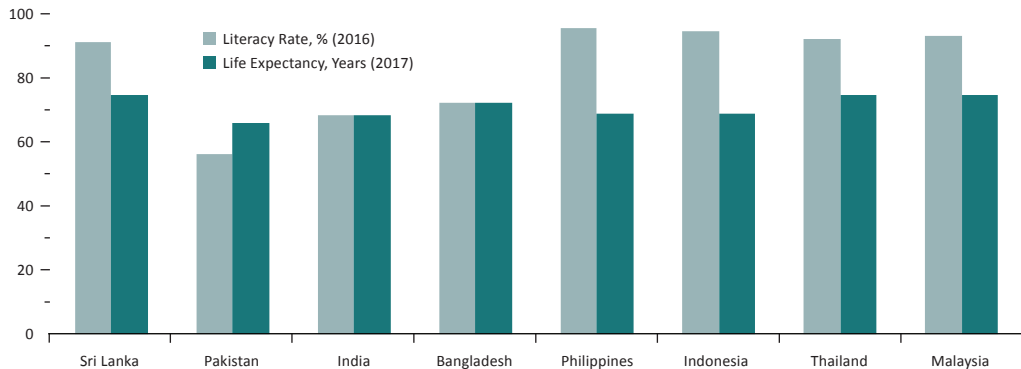
(d) National Poverty Line (Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified).

(e) 2010 (f) 2016 (g) 2011

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Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
Human Development Report 2019, UNDP

Social Indicators (Selected Asian Countries)



	Sri Lanka	Pakistan	India	Bangladesh	Philippines	Indonesia	Thailand	Malaysia
Literacy Rate, % (2016)	92.0	56.7	69.1	72.9	96.4	95.4	93.0	93.7
Life Expectancy, Years (2017)	75.5	66.6	68.8	72.8	69.2	69.4	75.5	75.5

INFLATION^(a) : SELECTED COUNTRIES

Per cent

Country	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
SAARC Countries						
Sri Lanka ^(b)	3.3	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1	3.5
Afghanistan	4.7	-0.7	4.4	5.0	0.6	2.3
Bangladesh	7.0	6.2	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.7
Bhutan	8.7	5.5	3.2	5.4	2.7	2.6
India	5.8	4.9	4.5	3.6	3.4	4.5
Maldives	2.1	1.9	0.8	2.3	1.4	1.3
Nepal	9.0	7.2	9.9	4.5	4.1	4.6
Pakistan	8.6	4.5	2.9	4.1	3.9	6.7
East Asian Countries (Selected)						
Indonesia	6.4	6.4	3.5	3.8	3.3	2.8
Malaysia	3.1	2.1	2.1	3.8	1.0	0.7
Philippines	3.6	0.7	1.3	2.9	5.2	2.5
Republic of Korea	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.9	1.5	0.4
Singapore	1.0	-0.5	-0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6
Thailand	1.9	-0.9	0.2	0.7	1.1	0.7
Industrial Countries (Selected)						
Japan	2.8	0.8	-0.1	0.5	1.0	0.5
United Kingdom	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.7	2.5	1.8
United States	1.6	0.1	1.3	2.1	2.4	1.8

(a) Percentage change of annual average Consumer Price Index.

(b) 2010 and 2014 – Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100)
2015 onwards – National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100)Sources : World Economic Outlook April 2020, IMF
Department of Census and Statistics

EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Exports, mn. US \$	2018	11,890	875	35,612	604	336,879	n.a.	745	21,296
Exports Per Capita, US \$	2018	549	29	216	822	253	n.a.	26	100
Imports, mn. US \$	2018	22,233	7,407	53,572	1,001	524,596	n.a.	11,409	55,189
Imports Per Capita, US \$	2018	1,026	246	325	1,363	394	n.a.	392	259
Export / Import Ratio	2018	0.53	0.12	0.66	0.60	0.64	n.a.	0.07	0.39
Balance of Trade ^(a) , mn. US \$	2018	-10,343	-6,531	-17,960	-397	-187,717	n.a.	-10,664	-33,893
Current Account Balance, mn. US \$	2018	-2,799	-4,056	-9,780	-496	-57,180	-1,338	-2,347	-18,989
Total Reserves Minus Gold, mn. US \$	2018	6,100	7,306	31,453	n.a.	374,425	768	n.a.	9,175
External Debt, mn. US \$	2017	51,604	2,552	47,155	2,636	513,209	1,365	4,963	84,523
External Debt Service / Export Ratio ^(b) , %	2017	22.0	4.0	5.5	10.5	10.1	3.5	8.5	22.8
Exchange Rate ^(c) (Domestic Currency / US \$)	2018	162.54	72.08	83.47	68.39	68.39	15.39	108.93	121.82

(a) Exports less imports.

(b) Total debt service includes principal and interest payments on long-term debt, interest payments on short-term debt, and IMF repurchases and charges.

(c) Units of domestic currency (annual average) per US dollar.

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Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Exports, mn. US \$	2018	180,215	247,397	69,307	604,860	411,958	252,207
Exports Per Capita, US \$	2018	680	7,636	650	11,721	73,059	3,718
Imports, mn. US \$	2018	188,711	217,530	112,841	535,202	370,833	229,967
Imports Per Capita, US \$	2018	712	6,714	1,059	10,371	65,766	3,390
Export / Import Ratio	2018	0.95	1.14	0.61	1.13	1.11	1.10
Balance of Trade ^(a) , mn. US \$	2018	-8,496	29,867	-43,534	69,657	41,125	22,240
Current Account Balance, mn. US \$	2018	-31,060	7,580	-7,879	76,409	65,072	35,159
Total Reserves Minus Gold, mn. US \$	2018	117,425	99,850	71,040	398,780	287,466	199,296
External Debt, mn. US \$	2017	354,352	n.a.	73,080	412,028	n.a.	129,765
External Debt Service / Exports Ratio ^(b) , %	2017	34.0	n.a.	11.3	28.1	n.a.	4.7
Exchange Rate ^(c) (Domestic Currency / US \$)	2018	14,236.94	4.04	52.66	1,100.56	1.35	32.31

(a) Exports less imports.

(b) Total debt service includes principal and interest payments on long-term debt, interest payments on short-term debt, and IMF repurchases and charges.

(c) Units of domestic currency (annual average) per US dollar.

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Source : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2019, ADB

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Income Distribution

Item	1953	1963	1973	1978/79	1981/82	1986/87 ^(a)	1996/97 ^(a)	2003/04 ^(b)
Average Income per Month, Rs.								
Per Spending Unit	169	193	311	921	1,652	2,728	8,744	15,400
Per Income Receiver	108	134	228	606	1,108	1,817	5,760	10,754
Income Shares by Deciles of Income Receivers, %								
1 st Decile	1.51	1.17	1.80	1.19	1.17	1.09	1.27	1.07
2 nd Decile	3.56	2.70	3.17	2.57	2.45	2.45	2.77	2.52
3 rd Decile	3.56	3.56	4.38	3.57	3.41	3.40	3.86	4.10
4 th Decile	4.37	4.57	5.70	4.80	4.53	4.39	4.93	4.20
5 th Decile	5.71	5.55	7.10	5.93	5.53	5.69	6.10	5.76
6 th Decile	6.31	6.82	8.75	7.37	6.86	6.79	7.44	7.30
7 th Decile	7.94	8.98	10.56	9.10	8.54	8.37	9.12	8.70
8 th Decile	10.39	11.46	12.65	11.36	10.68	11.08	11.55	11.20
9 th Decile	14.16	16.01	15.91	15.36	14.87	15.37	15.68	15.47
10 th Decile	42.49	39.24	29.98	38.73	41.93	41.37	37.28	39.70
Gini Coefficient (One Month Income)								
Spending Units	0.46	0.45	0.35	0.43	0.45	0.46	0.43	0.46
Income Receivers	0.50	0.49	0.41	0.50	0.52	0.52	0.48	0.50

(a) Excluding Northern and Eastern Provinces.

(b) Excluding Mannar, Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu Districts.

Source : Consumer Finances and Socio-Economic Survey Series
of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Consumer Expenditure

Item	1953	1963	1973	1978/79	1981/82	1986/87 ^(a)	1996/97 ^(a)	2003/04 ^(b)
Total Consumer Expenditure per Month, Rs.								
Per Spending Unit	162	191	310	877	1,570	2,175	8,592	15,471
Per Person	34	36	58	179	318	534	2,012	3,936
Consumer Expenditure Shares, %								
Food	59.9	56.3	55.4	56.7	56.5	52.2	48.4	37.9
Rice	10.5	10.9	15.0	14.9	15.7	12.5	9.9	6.9
Wheat Flour	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.2	1.7	1.1	0.8	0.5
Bread	1.5	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.5	2.9	2.3	1.3
Meat	0.8	3.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.5
Condiments	2.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.0	4.3	3.3
Coconut	4.1	6.0	4.6	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.5	2.5
Milk	3.3	2.9	8.4	5.2	4.5	4.5	3.3	2.7
Sugar	2.2	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.2	2.2	1.2
Clothing and Apparel	7.9	9.6	7.6	10.6	7.7	7.6	6.3	8.3
Housing	3.6	7.3	6.8	5.8	5.9	7.8	10.8	10.7
Medical	1.3	2.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.4	3.4
Education	2.0	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.6	2.1	2.3	3.0
Transport and Communication	2.6	2.3	3.4	4.5	3.9	4.9	5.3	8.8
Fuel and Light	2.0	4.4	4.2	3.9	5.2	4.6	3.9	4.4
Consumer Durables	3.2	0.4	6.0	4.6	6.4	5.2	6.7	8.9
Interest on Debt	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.9	2.1	1.5
Other	16.8	14.3	12.7	10.2	10.7	12.5	11.8	13.1

(a) Excluding Northern and Eastern Provinces.

(b) Excluding Mannar, Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu Districts.

Source : Consumer Finances and Socio-Economic Survey Series
of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : National Level Findings of the Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) by Survey Period – Sri Lanka

Variable	Unit	HIES Survey Period								
		1985/86	1990/91	1995/96	2002	2005	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016
Household size	No.	5.1	4.9	4.5	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.8
Mean household income per month	Rs.	2,012	3,549	6,476	12,803	20,048	26,286	36,451	45,878	62,237
Median household income per month	Rs.	1,322	2,547	3,793	8,482	13,617	16,735	23,746	30,814	43,511
Mean per capita income per month	Rs.	395	724	1,439	3,056	4,896	6,463	9,104	11,819	16,377
Income receivers mean income per month	Rs.	941	1,819	3,367	6,959	10,563	14,457	20,427	25,963	33,894
No. of income receivers per household	No.	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Mean household expenditure per month	Rs.	2,079	3,905	6,525	13,147	19,151	22,952	31,331	41,444	54,999
Expenditure on food and drink	Rs.	1,198	2,377	3,552	5,848	7,593	8,641	13,267	15,651	19,114
Expenditure on non-food items (excluding liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco)	Rs.	802	1,384	2,753	6,993	11,079	13,819	17,399	25,088	34,829
Expenditure on liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco	Rs.	79	144	219	306	479	492	665	705	1,056
Gini coefficient of household income		0.46	0.43	0.46	0.47	0.47	0.49	0.49	0.48	0.45
Gini coefficient of household expenditure		–	–	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.37	0.40	0.41
Gini coefficient of income receivers income		–	0.52	0.52	0.53	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.53	0.51
Food Ratio (as a percentage)	%	57.6	60.9	54.4	44.5	39.6	37.6	42.3	37.8	34.8
Poverty Head Count Ratio	%	–	26.1	28.8	22.7	–	15.2	8.9	6.7	4.1

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Average Monthly Household Expenditure on Selected Food/Non-Food Items by HIES Survey Period – Sri Lanka

Expenditure Group	HIES Survey Period								
	1985/86	1990/91	1995/96	2002	2005	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016
Average Monthly Expenditure (% share)									
Food Expenditure									
Rice	25.3	25.7	21.2	18.0	13.8	13.9	17.3	13.6	12.8
Wheat Flour	2.6	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.0
Bread	5.3	4.5	4.4	4.3	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.4
Condiments	9.8	10.6	9.9	9.1	9.0	9.3	9.1	9.0	9.8
Pulses	3.6	4.8	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.1	3.5	3.6
Vegetables	9.9	9.9	8.3	7.9	8.1	8.4	7.6	8.2	8.0
Coconuts	5.9	5.5	6.9	7.3	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.1	5.7
Meat	2.6	3.4	4.4	3.2	4.4	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.8
Fish	5.9	5.8	6.6	6.3	8.5	8.6	8.8	9.1	9.5
Dried Fish	4.0	4.2	4.6	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.7	4.2	4.0
Milk & Milk Products	4.3	5.1	7.1	8.4	9.9	8.7	7.8	8.9	8.2
Eggs	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1
Fruits	1.2	1.3	1.7	3.6	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.9	3.2
Sugar	6.3	6.5	5.2	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.4	2.9	2.2
Other Food & Drinks	12.5	10.1	13.8	19.6	20.3	21.2	20.1	21.8	23.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Non-Food Expenditure									
Housing	16.8	22.3	27.8	22.8	17.8	18.4	19.1	18.1	19.2
Fuel and Light	11.8	11.8	9.9	7.6	7.0	7.3	7.1	6.8	4.9
Clothing, Textile and Footwear	10.8	10.4	9.5	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.6	4.4
Personal Care and Health	9.1	9.7	10.4	8.0	9.6	6.9	7.9	8.5	7.0
Transport and Communication	11.9	12.6	12.9	12.7	15.0	16.8	17.0	16.7	15.5
Education	3.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.4	5.6	5.6	5.8
Cultural and Entertainment	—	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.0	2.5
Non-Durable Household Goods	—	3.9	2.9	1.9	2.7	2.1	1.5	1.2	1.0
Consumer Durables	4.4	3.5	4.1	4.4	6.2	5.5	4.3	3.9	6.3
Other Non-Consumer Expenditure	22.9	10.0	8.6	26.8	26.2	28.5	26.6	29.8	30.5
Liquor and Tobacco	9.0	9.4	7.4	4.2	4.1	3.4	3.7	2.7	2.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series, Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Population Distribution 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Population Distribution										
By Gender, %										
Male	47.8	45.9	47.3	47.3	46.4	46.2	45.4	46.8	46.3	46.8
Female	52.2	54.1	52.7	52.7	53.6	53.8	54.6	53.2	53.7	53.2
By Age Group, %										
0 – 14 Years	23.4	26.7	25.4	25.3	28.9	24.8	29.4	25.9	23.6	25.3
15 – 59 Years	60.1	56.9	57.6	59.9	61.1	59.6	58.1	59.9	59.3	59.2
Over 59 Years	16.5	16.5	17.0	14.8	10.0	15.6	12.5	14.2	17.1	15.5
By Educational Attainment, %										
No Schooling	2.0	5.0	3.6	1.9	3.9	3.1	3.1	5.1	4.4	3.3
Up to Grade 5	18.0	26.2	23.9	25.6	32.0	23.9	25.6	25.6	24.4	23.5
Grade 6 – 10	42.8	41.8	43.4	51.0	40.6	45.6	49.1	45.4	44.6	44.1
Passed G.C.E. (O/L)	18.6	13.8	15.8	10.8	14.9	13.5	11.8	13.9	14.7	15.3
Passed G.C.E. (A/L) and above	18.6	13.0	13.2	10.7	8.5	13.8	10.2	9.9	11.8	13.8

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Income Distribution 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Mean Income, Rs. per Month										
Per Household	84,231	53,053	59,375	46,081	43,168	60,398	60,298	51,635	49,057	62,237
Per Person	21,665	13,729	15,730	11,384	11,259	16,671	16,567	13,867	13,157	16,377
Per Income Receiver	43,959	28,328	32,354	23,286	27,511	33,274	35,186	29,623	26,153	33,894
Median Income, Rs. per Month										
Per Household	57,514	40,010	43,605	34,500	32,621	41,977	42,092	36,597	37,043	43,511
Per Person	14,400	9,890	11,253	8,434	8,261	11,420	11,248	10,139	9,711	11,307
Per Income Receiver	30,000	20,000	23,143	17,200	21,500	22,127	23,417	20,377	19,436	23,260
Income Share by Households, %										
Richest 20%	51.2	47.5	48.2	48.4	47.6	51.5	51.6	49.8	47.0	50.8
Poorest 20%	5.3	5.2	5.6	4.3	5.2	4.5	4.7	4.3	5.5	4.8
Middle 60%	43.4	47.2	46.2	47.3	47.2	44.0	43.7	45.9	47.5	44.4
Gini Coefficient (One Month Income)										
Gini coefficient (Households)	0.45	0.42	0.42	0.44	0.42	0.46	0.46	0.45	0.41	0.45
Gini coefficient (per Person)	0.45	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.40	0.44	0.45	0.42	0.39	0.44
Gini coefficient (Income Receivers)	0.51	0.49	0.49	0.52	0.46	0.53	0.53	0.50	0.47	0.51

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Housing Expenditure 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Total Consumer Expenditure per Month, Rs. per Household	74,505	50,334	52,271	42,537	38,407	55,514	48,176	39,140	42,810	54,999
Consumer Expenditure Share, %										
All Food	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Cereal	12.5	19.0	14.3	20.1	13.9	15.1	18.1	20.6	18.7	15.5
Prepared Foods	15.7	9.3	11.0	9.2	11.4	12.1	8.6	7.1	8.8	11.8
Pulses	3.3	4.3	4.0	3.9	2.2	3.2	3.6	4.5	4.7	3.6
Vegetables	8.7	10.8	10.3	7.8	9.0	9.8	10.7	13.1	11.8	9.9
Meat	5.1	5.2	2.7	5.4	8.4	4.9	4.7	3.4	3.1	4.8
Fish	9.9	6.1	11.0	13.2	14.9	9.3	9.6	6.5	5.9	9.5
Dried Fish	4.1	4.1	4.1	0.6	2.1	5.4	4.4	3.8	5.4	4.0
Eggs	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.1
Coconut	5.2	5.7	6.8	5.4	4.7	5.9	6.4	4.8	7.7	5.8
Condiments	9.2	9.6	11.2	9.8	10.5	10.2	9.4	10.0	9.8	9.8
Milk and Milk Products	9.2	8.6	8.5	7.6	6.7	7.0	6.7	7.9	7.6	8.2
Fat and Oil	2.2	2.9	1.9	3.2	2.6	2.1	3.1	4.0	2.6	2.5
Sugar, Jaggery & Treacle	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.3
Fruits	3.8	2.8	3.2	2.6	2.4	3.1	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.2
Other	8.3	8.2	7.3	7.0	7.3	8.8	8.2	7.2	7.4	8.0
All Non-Food	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Housing	24.9	18.5	15.8	8.8	16.2	12.8	13.2	17.2	16.7	19.2
Fuel and Light	5.0	4.9	4.0	7.2	9.2	4.0	4.1	4.7	4.6	4.9
Personal Care and Health Expenses	6.8	7.2	7.4	10.9	7.3	7.2	6.0	5.6	6.8	7.0
Transport	12.9	12.1	10.9	11.4	11.9	12.5	12.6	13.1	13.1	12.4
Communication	3.2	3.2	2.4	3.8	3.8	2.7	2.5	3.0	3.0	3.0
Education	6.2	6.3	5.0	6.9	6.0	4.9	4.5	5.7	5.6	5.8
Cultural Activities and Entertainment	2.8	2.1	2.6	1.7	1.1	2.0	1.7	2.3	4.5	2.5
Non-Durable Household Goods & Services	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8
Clothing, Textile and Footwear	3.4	5.0	4.4	5.9	7.9	4.2	5.4	6.0	5.2	4.4
Durable Household Goods	4.9	4.9	9.2	5.4	6.2	10.3	5.7	4.5	6.5	6.3
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	14.4	18.4	17.6	17.7	12.8	19.6	22.1	16.3	17.0	16.6
Other Rare Expenses	11.7	12.5	16.0	15.1	12.3	14.9	16.7	11.8	11.8	13.1
Liquor, Narcotic Drugs and Tobacco	1.9	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.6	7.6	3.4	2.9

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Housing and Amenities 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Housing Conditions, % of Households										
Wall Type ^(a)										
Permanent	96.3	96.6	95.6	93.5	95.2	93.6	97.4	94.7	94.6	95.5
Semi Permanent	3.7	3.4	4.4	6.5	4.8	6.4	2.6	5.3	5.4	4.5
Floor Type ^(b)										
Permanent	98.8	92.8	96.1	98.0	95.6	96.0	93.5	87.2	94.4	95.6
Semi Permanent	1.2	7.2	3.9	2.0	4.4	4.0	6.5	12.8	5.6	4.4
Roof Type ^(c)										
Permanent	96.6	78.5	95.5	91.9	94.5	92.5	97.4	85.0	89.8	91.9
Semi Permanent	3.4	21.5	4.5	8.1	5.5	7.5	2.6	15.0	10.2	8.1
Water Supply and Sanitation										
Main Source of Drinking Water										
Safe	98.2	77.7	92.7	92.3	97.7	92.7	71.2	79.4	76.0	88.8
Not Safe	1.8	22.3	7.3	7.7	2.3	7.3	28.8	20.6	24.0	11.2
Toilet Facilities										
Exclusive for the Household	93.0	91.5	92.8	89.1	90.6	90.3	88.7	92.4	91.8	91.7
Sharing with another Household	6.0	7.9	6.9	9.3	7.3	8.5	10.6	7.2	7.7	7.5
Public Toilet Facilities	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.3	–	0.3	0.4	0.4
No Toilet Facilities	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0	1.9	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.4
Availability of Household Equipments										
Radio / Cassette Players	67.4	71.3	62.9	40.7	45.5	63.3	64.3	68.2	62.7	63.2
Television	90.9	87.7	87.8	72.2	15.1	85.3	87.7	85.2	87.0	86.3
Telephone / Cellular Phone	94.1	93.2	92.5	91.8	87.9	90.8	90.1	83.5	90.3	91.5
Bicycle	22.3	7.5	32.1	72.8	58.1	44.7	58.5	13.1	8.7	30.1
Motor Cycle / Scooters	35.4	16.4	43.8	44.1	39.4	56.6	58.7	20.3	24.1	36.8
Motor Car / Van	16.1	7.7	7.6	2.1	2.5	9.8	6.1	5.1	7.4	9.3
Sewing Machine	47.0	41.2	39.0	22.8	26.2	38.0	36.9	33.7	37.8	39.0
Refrigerator	71.2	46.5	53.4	29.5	34.4	55.0	49.7	33.2	47.4	52.9
Washing Machine	35.5	19.9	15.9	7.4	14.1	17.0	11.7	8.8	12.0	20.3
Personal Computer	31.5	18.8	16.7	16.7	11.2	18.3	14.1	11.6	16.4	20.3

(a) Permanent – Brick, Cabok, Cement Block, Pressed Soil Block
Semi Permanent – Plank/Metal Sheet, Cadjan/Palmryah, Other

(b) Permanent – Cement, Teraso/Tile, Concrete
Semi Permanent – Mud, Wood, Sand, Other

(c) Permanent – Tile, Asbestos, Concrete
Semi Permanent – Takaran, Cadjan/ Palmryah, Other

Source : Household Income and
Expenditure Survey 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Sources of Energy for Lighting and Cooking 2016

	Per cent									
Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Sources of Energy for Lighting										
Electricity	98.7	96.8	98.6	92.4	93.2	95.9	97.3	96.0	96.4	96.9
Kerosene	1.0	2.8	1.3	7.2	5.9	3.7	2.6	3.6	3.5	2.8
Solar Energy	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3
Other	0.1	–	–	–	0.1	–	–	–	0.1	–
Sources of Energy for Cooking										
Firewood	39.3	74.3	75.9	79.0	98.9	83.0	86.1	89.8	85.5	68.6
Gas	56.5	24.4	22.8	17.1	28.0	15.1	13.4	9.5	13.7	29.1
Kerosene	2.5	0.8	0.3	3.2	1.7	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.2
Other	1.7	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.1

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Population Distribution by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
Population Distribution								
By Gender, %								
Male	47.4	47.0	48.0	47.1	46.9	46.8	47.1	46.8
Female	52.6	53.0	52.0	52.9	53.1	53.2	52.9	53.2
By Age Group, %								
0 – 14 Years	24.2	26.0	31.1	25.9	23.8	25.3	30.3	25.3
15 – 59 Years	61.5	60.6	57.0	60.6	60.1	59.1	57.0	59.2
Over 59 Years	14.3	13.5	11.9	13.6	16.1	15.6	12.7	15.5
By Educational Attainment, %								
No Schooling	2.2	3.5	12.2	3.7	2.4	3.1	10.1	3.3
Up to Grade 5	19.2	25.0	42.0	24.7	19.3	23.5	39.6	23.5
Grade 6 – 10	39.8	44.8	38.7	43.6	40.4	45.0	41.8	44.1
Passed G.C.E. (O/L)	18.2	15.5	4.9	15.5	18.4	15.1	5.4	15.3
Passed G.C.E. (A/L) and Above	20.5	11.1	2.2	12.4	19.4	13.2	3.0	13.8

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Income Distribution by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
Mean Income, Rs. per Month								
Per Household	69,880	41,478	30,220	45,878	88,692	58,137	34,804	62,237
Per Person	17,262	10,843	7,100	11,819	22,297	15,508	8,566	16,377
Median Income, Rs. per Month								
Per Household	42,267	29,376	24,087	30,814	57,833	42,133	29,134	43,511
Per Person	10,420	7,657	5,503	7,881	14,090	11,140	7,107	11,307
Income Shares by Deciles of Households, %								
1 st Decile	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.1	1.6
2 nd Decile	2.8	3.2	3.7	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.2
3 rd Decile	3.7	4.4	5.1	4.1	4.1	4.5	5.3	4.3
4 th Decile	4.6	5.4	6.4	5.1	5.0	5.5	6.6	5.3
5 th Decile	5.6	6.5	7.4	6.2	5.8	6.7	7.8	6.4
6 th Decile	6.7	7.7	8.7	7.3	7.2	7.9	9.0	7.6
7 th Decile	8.3	9.2	9.9	8.9	8.9	9.5	10.6	9.2
8 th Decile	10.3	11.4	11.8	10.9	10.7	11.7	12.5	11.5
9 th Decile	14.5	15.1	14.8	14.9	14.8	15.6	15.8	15.4
10 th Decile	42.0	35.6	30.3	38.0	38.6	33.7	26.7	35.4
Income Share by Households, %								
Richest 20%	56.5	50.7	45.1	52.9	53.4	49.3	42.5	50.8
Poorest 20%	4.4	4.7	5.7	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.9	4.8
Middle 60%	39.2	44.6	49.3	42.6	41.7	45.8	51.6	44.4
Gini Coefficient, One Month Income								
Gini Coefficient (Households)	0.51	0.45	0.39	0.48	0.48	0.44	0.36	0.45
Gini Coefficient (Income Receivers)	0.56	0.51	0.44	0.53	0.53	0.50	0.42	0.51

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Household Expenditure by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
Expenditure, Rs. per Month								
Per household	58,930	38,274	29,379	41,444	77,337	51,377	34,851	54,999
Household Expenditure Share, %								
Food	32.1	39.2	49.8	37.8	31.2	35.4	48.5	34.8
Housing	17.5	9.4	5.0	11.3	18.9	10.7	6.0	12.5
Fuel and Light	5.5	3.8	4.1	4.2	3.9	3.0	3.5	3.2
Personal Care and Health Expenses	5.3	5.3	3.5	5.3	4.5	4.7	3.1	4.6
Transport	8.9	8.1	5.6	8.3	9.3	7.8	5.4	8.1
Communication	2.7	2.0	1.7	2.2	2.2	1.9	1.7	2.0
Education	4.7	3.2	1.8	3.5	4.6	3.5	2.5	3.8
Cultural Activities and Entertainment	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.9	1.6	0.9	1.7
Non-Durable Household Goods and Services	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.0	0.9	1.2
Clothing, Textile and Footware	2.4	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.5	3.0	3.7	2.9
Durable Household Goods	1.5	2.8	2.3	2.5	3.1	4.5	2.5	4.1
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	9.2	11.5	10.1	10.9	7.8	11.9	9.7	10.8
Other Rare Expenses	6.4	7.5	5.7	7.2	7.1	9.1	6.1	8.6
Liquor, Narcotic Drugs and Tobacco	1.0	1.8	5.4	1.7	1.4	2.0	5.5	1.9

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Housing and Amenities by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
Housing Conditions, % of Households								
Wall Type ^(a)								
Permanent	96.0	92.8	95.0	93.5	97.3	95.1	96.2	95.5
Semi Permanent	4.0	7.2	5.0	6.5	2.7	4.9	3.8	4.5
Floor Type ^(b)								
Permanent	98.4	91.6	84.9	92.4	98.9	95.2	89.1	95.6
Semi Permanent	1.6	8.4	15.1	7.6	1.1	4.8	10.9	4.4
Roof Type ^(c)								
Permanent	95.5	91.5	32.3	89.6	96.1	94.2	33.0	91.9
Semi Permanent	4.5	8.5	67.7	10.4	3.9	5.8	67.0	8.1
Water Supply and Sanitation								
Main Source of Drinking Water								
Safe	98.8	90.0	46.3	89.7	97.8	89.3	44.7	88.8
Not Safe	1.2	10.0	53.7	10.3	2.2	10.7	55.3	11.2
Toilet Facilities								
Exclusive for the Household	90.0	90.7	76.2	89.9	91.9	92.4	77.3	91.7
Sharing with another Household	7.3	7.8	21.1	8.4	6.6	7.0	19.8	7.5
Public Toilet Facilities	2.7	0.2	2.1	0.7	1.6	0.1	2.6	0.4
No Toilet Facilities	–	1.2	0.7	0.9	–	0.5	0.4	0.4
Availability of Household Equipments								
Radios / Cassette Players	73.7	71.2	65.7	71.4	61.7	64.0	54.9	63.2
Televisions	90.4	81.6	73.3	82.7	88.9	86.1	81.2	86.3
Telephones / Cellular Phones	93.1	87.0	75.4	87.6	95.3	91.1	83.4	91.5
Bicycles	31.1	39.0	4.9	36.2	25.2	32.6	3.3	30.1
Motor Cycles / Scooters	27.6	32.2	6.5	30.3	30.1	39.9	5.7	36.8
Motor Cars / Vans	15.4	5.5	1.0	7.0	16.2	8.3	0.9	9.3
Sewing Machines	52.0	41.1	17.5	41.9	44.1	39.1	16.1	39.0
Refrigerators	67.7	43.2	14.3	46.2	68.8	51.4	17.3	52.9
Washing Machines	37.4	13.5	2.3	17.2	40.2	17.1	2.5	20.3
Personal Computers	34.5	15.9	3.8	18.5	34.0	18.2	5.4	20.3

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(b) Permanent – Cement, Teraso/Tile, Concrete
Semi Permanent – Mud, Wood, Sand, Other

(c) Permanent – Tile, Asbestos, Concrete
Semi Permanent – Takaran, Cadjan/ Palmryah, Other

Source : Household Income and Expenditure
Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Sources of Energy for Lighting and Cooking by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

% of Households

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
Sources of Energy for Lighting								
Electricity	98.0	88.8	83.0	90.2	98.9	96.7	92.7	96.9
Kerosene	1.8	10.2	16.5	9.0	0.8	3.0	7.1	2.8
Solar Energy	0.2	0.9	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Other	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	...	—	...
Sources of Energy for Cooking								
Firewood	36.7	86.7	95.7	78.5	25.1	76.8	85.8	68.6
Gas	54.7	11.4	2.4	18.5	68.6	21.7	12.9	29.1
Kerosene	6.5	1.0	1.1	1.9	4.5	0.6	0.9	1.2
Other	2.2	1.0	0.6	1.1	1.8	1.0	0.4	1.1

... Negligible

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Poverty Indicators by Sector and Province

Sector / Province	Poverty Head Count Index (Percentage) by HIES Survey Period						Poor Household Percentage		Poverty Gap Index (%)	
	1995/96	2002	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016	2012/13	2016	2012/13	2016
Sri Lanka	28.8	22.7	15.2	8.9	6.7	4.1	5.3	3.1	1.2	0.6
Sector										
Urban	14.0	7.9	6.7	5.3	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.3	0.3	0.3
Rural	30.9	24.7	15.7	9.4	7.6	4.3	6.0	3.3	1.4	0.6
Estate	38.4	30.0	32.0	11.4	10.9	8.8	8.8	6.8	1.6	1.2
Province										
Western	16.3	10.8	8.2	4.2	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.2	0.4	0.3
Central	36.2	25.1	22.3	9.7	6.6	5.4	5.1	4.1	1.0	0.9
Southern	32.6	27.8	13.8	9.8	7.7	3.0	6.3	2.3	1.4	0.4
Northern	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	12.8	10.9	7.7	8.8	6.3	2.3	1.1
Eastern	n.a.	n.a.	10.8	14.8	11.0	7.3	8.0	5.3	2.1	1.2
North Western	27.7	27.3	14.6	11.3	6.0	2.7	4.5	2.1	1.1	0.4
North Central	24.7	21.5	14.2	5.7	7.3	3.3	6.1	2.4	1.0	0.5
Uva	46.7	37.2	27.0	13.7	15.4	6.5	13.5	5.4	2.6	0.7
Sabaragamuwa	41.7	33.6	24.2	10.6	8.8	6.7	6.6	5.1	1.5	1.1

n.a. – not available

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series,
Department of Census and Statistics

SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Daily Average Dietary Energy Consumption per Person by Poverty Status, Sector and Province 2012/13 and 2016

Kilo calories

Sector / Province	2012/13			2016		
	Poor Households	Non-Poor Households	All Households	Poor Households	Non-Poor Households	All Households
Sri Lanka	1,530	2,153	2,111	1,445	2,123	2,095
Sector						
Urban	1,243	1,915	1,901	1,222	1,947	1,933
Rural	1,539	2,197	2,147	1,454	2,152	2,122
Estate	1,646	2,388	2,307	1,550	2,322	2,254
Province						
Western	1,176	1,975	1,958	1,195	1,967	1,954
Central	1,523	2,246	2,198	1,471	2,167	2,129
Southern	1,443	2,214	2,155	1,379	2,141	2,118
Northern	1,545	2,219	2,146	1,624	2,225	2,179
Eastern	1,453	2,152	2,075	1,423	2,099	2,050
North Western	1,501	2,197	2,155	1,386	2,164	2,143
North Central	1,553	2,254	2,203	1,429	2,275	2,247
Uva	1,783	2,404	2,308	1,703	2,360	2,318
Sabaragamuwa	1,675	2,209	2,162	1,420	2,178	2,127

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,
Department of Census and Statistics

PROSPERITY INDEX BY PROVINCE 2010–2018

Province	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Prosperity Index									
Western	0.51	0.65	0.66	0.86	1.06	0.97	1.03	1.07	1.30
Central	-0.34	-0.27	-0.15	0.10	0.22	0.17	0.29	0.27	0.49
Southern	-0.37	-0.16	-0.09	0.03	0.13	0.18	0.31	0.31	0.47
Northern	-0.78	-0.57	-0.39	-0.05	0.18	0.10	0.19	0.10	0.40
Eastern	-0.55	-0.60	-0.40	-0.25	-0.18	-0.12	0.08	-0.05	0.17
North Western	-0.38	-0.31	-0.18	0.05	0.20	0.10	0.24	0.23	0.46
North Central	-0.34	-0.24	-0.12	0.00	0.10	0.18	0.24	0.06	0.26
Uva	-0.55	-0.49	-0.28	-0.22	-0.08	-0.05	0.09	0.06	0.20
Sabaragamuwa	-0.50	-0.49	-0.27	-0.13	-0.02	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.34
Sri Lanka	-0.75	-0.51	-0.20	0.03	0.35	0.31	0.50	0.55	0.78
Economy & Business Climate Sub Index									
Western	0.83	1.03	0.77	1.27	1.61	1.44	1.43	1.52	1.73
Central	-0.62	-0.49	-0.38	0.21	0.36	0.23	0.28	0.28	0.59
Southern	-0.59	-0.41	-0.28	-0.10	-0.04	0.03	0.17	0.33	0.68
Northern	-0.65	-0.40	-0.27	0.08	0.35	0.26	0.07	-0.17	0.47
Eastern	-0.64	-0.78	-0.53	-0.14	-0.07	-0.05	0.14	-0.20	0.30
North Western	-0.56	-0.51	-0.40	0.05	0.25	0.20	0.33	0.20	0.67
North Central	-0.51	-0.36	-0.31	-0.06	0.13	0.19	0.34	0.09	0.49
Uva	-0.75	-0.74	-0.50	-0.26	-0.12	-0.16	0.01	0.10	0.34
Sabaragamuwa	-0.64	-0.63	-0.39	-0.21	-0.04	-0.10	0.03	0.12	0.57
Sri Lanka	-0.97	-0.61	-0.34	0.12	0.44	0.42	0.59	0.66	1.03

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PROSPERITY INDEX BY PROVINCE 2010–2018 (Contd.)

Province	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Well-being of the People Sub Index									
Western	0.46	0.57	0.71	0.81	0.82	0.93	1.08	0.90	1.13
Central	-0.41	-0.44	-0.28	-0.19	-0.15	-0.05	0.13	0.12	0.27
Southern	-0.31	0.00	0.20	0.29	0.39	0.43	0.63	0.47	0.55
Northern	-0.45	-0.38	-0.04	-0.04	0.18	0.04	0.32	0.30	0.40
Eastern	-0.50	-0.51	-0.29	-0.28	-0.28	-0.23	-0.04	-0.08	0.08
North Western	-0.24	-0.18	-0.04	0.03	0.11	0.11	0.30	0.24	0.39
North Central	-0.41	-0.38	-0.16	-0.06	-0.04	0.07	0.25	0.15	0.32
Uva	-0.72	-0.63	-0.44	-0.35	-0.27	-0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08
Sabaragamuwa	-0.37	-0.31	-0.20	-0.12	-0.12	-0.02	0.23	0.16	0.41
Sri Lanka	-0.74	-0.54	-0.10	0.04	0.18	0.23	0.68	0.53	0.76
Socio-Economic Infrastructure Sub Index									
Western	0.24	0.36	0.48	0.52	0.74	0.54	0.59	0.79	1.04
Central	0.00	0.14	0.20	0.28	0.46	0.33	0.45	0.42	0.61
Southern	-0.20	-0.06	-0.19	-0.09	0.03	0.09	0.13	0.13	0.18
Northern	-1.24	-0.94	-0.85	-0.20	0.01	-0.01	0.16	0.17	0.33
Eastern	-0.52	-0.50	-0.37	-0.33	-0.19	-0.06	0.15	0.14	0.13
North Western	-0.33	-0.24	-0.10	0.05	0.22	-0.02	0.09	0.24	0.30
North Central	-0.10	0.00	0.13	0.11	0.21	0.29	0.11	-0.05	-0.04
Uva	-0.18	-0.09	0.08	-0.06	0.15	0.24	0.25	0.07	0.18
Sabaragamuwa	-0.49	-0.54	-0.24	-0.07	0.09	0.11	-0.17	-0.21	0.05
Sri Lanka	-0.55	-0.39	-0.15	-0.07	0.42	0.27	0.24	0.45	0.55

Note : Index values are compiled by standardising the variables for last 10 years. The sign of an index value implies the positive or negative deviations of its variables compared to the respective means. Thus, the negative values in the index do not imply that the prosperity levels are negative.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

DEMOGRAPHY

Item	2014	2015	2016 ^(a)	2017 ^(a)	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(a)
Mid-Year Population^(b), '000	20,778	20,970	21,203	21,444	21,670	21,803
Male	10,059	10,153	10,265	10,382	10,492	10,556
Female	10,719	10,817	10,938	11,062	11,178	11,247
By Age Groups ^(b)						
0 – 14 Years	5,239	5,289	5,348	5,411	5,470	5,504
15 – 54 Years	11,881	11,992	12,124	12,263	12,392	12,469
55 Years and Over	3,658	3,689	3,731	3,770	3,808	3,830
Population Growth, %	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.6
Crude Birth Rate per 1,000	16.8	16.0	15.6	15.2	15.1	14.6
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.5	6.4	6.6
Rate of Natural Increase per 1,000	10.7	9.7	9.4	8.7	8.7	8.0
Net Migration Rate per 1,000	-2.0	0.7	2.1	2.3	0.8	-2.3
Infant Mortality per 1,000 Live Births	7.6	8.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Density of Population, Persons per sq. km.	331	334	338	342	346	348

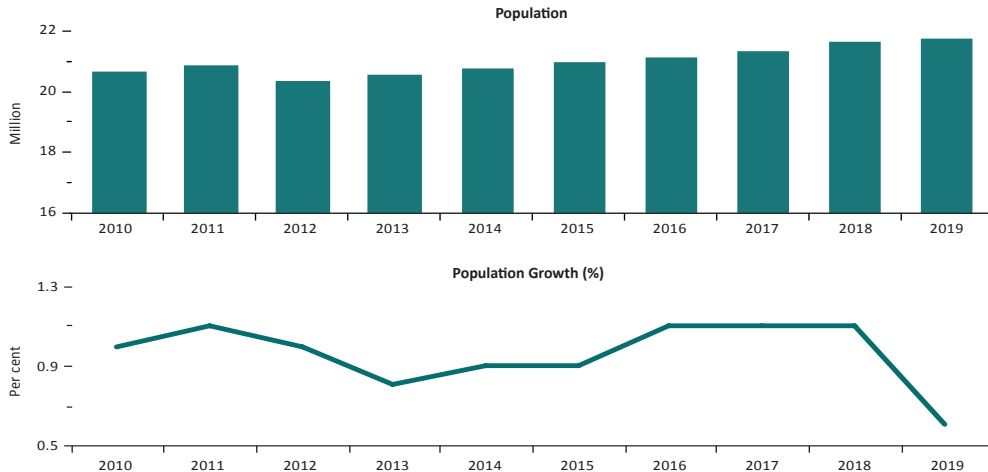
(a) Provisional

(b) Mid-year population estimates from 2012 onwards were prepared based on the final report of the Census of Population and Housing – 2012.

n.a. – not available

Source : Registrar General's Department

Population & Population Growth



* Estimates upto 2011 are based on Census of Population and Housing 2001 and those from 2012 onwards are based on Census of Population and Housing 2012.

LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT^(a)

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Labour Force, '000	8,049	8,214	8,311	8,567	8,388	8,592
Total Employed, '000	7,700	7,831	7,948	8,208	8,015	8,181
Total Unemployed, '000	348	383	363	359	373	411
Labour Force Participation Rate						
Total	53.2	53.8	53.8	54.1	51.8	52.3
By Gender, %						
Male	74.6	74.7	75.1	74.5	73.0	73.0
Female	34.6	35.9	35.9	36.6	33.6	34.5
By Residential Sector, %						
Urban	48.7	48.6	49.8	50.5	49.7	50.2
Rural	54.1	54.8	54.6	54.8	52.3	52.7
Total unemployed, '000	348	383	363	359	373	411
Status of Employment, %						
Public Sector Employees	15.5	15.1	14.6	14.4	14.5	14.9
Private Sector Employees	40.9	41.0	43.3	43.3	43.4	43.0
Employers	2.7	3.1	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.6
Self-Employed	32.0	32.3	31.6	31.3	32.3	32.5
Unpaid Family Workers	8.9	8.4	7.8	8.0	7.2	7.0

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LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT^(a) (Contd.)

Item	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Employment By Sector^(c), %			
Agriculture	26.1	25.5	25.3
Mining and Quarrying	0.8	0.8	0.7
Manufacturing	19.3	18.3	18.4
Construction, Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply, Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	8.4	8.9	8.5
Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motor Cycles	14.1	14.2	13.9
Transport and Storage	6.3	6.3	6.3
Accommodation and Food Services Activities	2.6	3.0	2.8
Information and Communication	0.9	0.7	0.8
Financial and Insurance Activities	1.9	2.2	2.3
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	0.8	1.1	1.1
Administrative and Support Service Activities	1.9	2.1	2.5
Public Administration and Defence, Compulsory Social Security	6.4	5.4	5.3
Education	4.6	5.3	5.2
Human Health and Social Work Activities	1.8	1.8	2.1
Other ^(d)	4.2	4.6	4.8

(a) Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers entire island.

(b) Provisional.

(c) Based on the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC) – Revision 4.

(d) Includes activities of households as Employers; Real Estate; Arts, Entertainment and Recreation; and Extra Territorial Organisations and Bodies.

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

LABOUR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT^(a)

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
By Gender						
Male	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.3
Female	6.5	7.6	7.0	6.5	7.1	7.4
By Age Groups (years)						
15 – 19	21.4	24.1	27.1	21.0	26.5	26.0
20 – 29	13.6	14.2	14.2	13.5	15.0	15.3
30 – 39	2.7	3.1	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.1
40 and above	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.2
By Level of Education						
Grade 5 and below	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grades 6 – 10	3.4	3.4	3.3	2.8	2.9	3.3
GCE (O/L)	5.9	6.4	5.8	5.9	5.2	6.5
GCE (A/L) & above	8.2	9.2	8.3	8.1	9.1	8.5
Overall	4.3	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.8

(a) Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers the entire island.

(b) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a reweighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards

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FOREIGN EMPLOYMENT

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Total Migration for Employment (No.)	300,703	263,443	242,816	211,992	211,459	203,186
Migration for employment as a % of departures	22.9	19.4	16.8	14.7	14.3	14.1
Average No. of migrant travellers for employment per day	824	721	665	581	579	557
Migrant Employment Categories						
by gender (No.) – Male	190,217	172,788	160,306	139,268	129,774	122,201
– Female	110,486	90,655	82,510	72,724	81,685	80,985
by skills (%) – Professional	1.8	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.4	4.9
– Middle level	6.9	2.6	3.4	3.4	3.6	2.8
– Clerical & related	9.7	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.7	4.5
– Skilled	25.7	32.8	33.1	34.1	33.0	32.3
– Unskilled	26.4	29.6	29.5	28.8	24.5	25.2
– House maids	29.5	27.8	26.8	26.4	30.7	30.3
Migrant Remittances (US \$ mn.)	7,018	6,980	7,242	7,164	7,015	6,717
– Middle East	3,902	3,769	3,889	3,711	3,592	3,459
– Other	3,116	3,211	3,353	3,453	3,423	3,258
– Middle East as a % of total remittances	55.6	54.0	53.7	51.8	51.2	51.5

(a) Provisional

Source : Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment

GROSS NATIONAL INCOME (by Industrial Origin)^{(a)(b)}

Rs. million

Sector	At Current Market Prices		Growth Rate (%)	At Constant (2010) Prices		Growth Rate (%)
	2018 ^(c)	2019		2018 ^(c)	2019	
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1,138,472	1,113,834	-2.2	683,816	687,857	0.6
Industry	3,819,811	4,114,102	7.7	2,540,315	2,608,211	2.7
Manufacturing, mining and quarrying and other industries	496,663	535,605	7.8	370,445	383,871	3.6
Of which: Manufacturing activities	2,272,719	2,456,838	8.1	1,512,800	1,540,969	1.9
Construction	1,050,428	1,121,659	6.8	657,070	683,371	4.0
Services	8,207,045	8,744,656	6.6	5,555,303	5,680,757	2.3
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation and storage, postal and courier activities, accommodation and food service activities	3,394,781	3,600,287	6.1	2,229,909	2,269,084	1.8
Information and communication	107,710	125,061	16.1	67,906	78,130	15.1
Financial and insurance activities	733,347	795,061	8.4	800,412	820,867	2.6
Real estate activities (including ownership of dwelling)	834,398	891,455	6.8	566,078	579,601	2.4
Professional, scientific, technical, administration and support service activities	244,015	260,735	6.9	165,550	169,523	2.4
Public administration, defence, education, human health and social work activities	1,509,402	1,592,216	5.5	786,902	804,959	2.3
Other services (excluding own-services)	1,383,391	1,479,840	7.0	938,547	958,592	2.1
Gross Value Added (GVA) at Basic Price	13,165,327	13,972,591	6.1	8,779,434	8,976,825	2.2
(+) Taxes on products	1,360,114	1,247,468	-8.3	927,445	950,026	2.4
(-) Subsidies on products	159,338	203,917	28.0	38,279	37,473	-2.1
GDP at Market Price	14,366,103	15,016,142	4.5	9,668,600	9,889,379	2.3
Net Primary Income from Rest of the World	-389,601	-432,250^(d)	-10.9	-264,507	-281,083	-6.3
Gross National Income	13,976,502	14,583,892	4.3	9,404,093	9,608,296	2.2
GDP Per Capita, Rs.	662,949	688,719	3.9	446,174	453,579	1.7

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010) (b) Provisional (c) Revised

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(d) The difference with the BOP estimates is due to the time lag in compilation.

EXPENDITURE ON GROSS NATIONAL INCOME (at Current Market Prices)^(a)

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017 ^(b)	2018 ^{(b)(c)}	2019 ^(c)
Gross National Income	10,125,078	10,675,880	11,676,431	12,975,247	13,976,502	14,583,892
Consumption Expenditure	7,850,006	8,360,930	9,529,202	10,079,907	11,055,624	11,822,861
Private	6,981,947	7,376,176	8,514,456	8,942,501	9,744,969	10,405,872
Government	868,059	984,755	1,014,746	1,137,406	1,310,655	1,416,989
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	3,347,638	3,414,556	3,341,171	4,210,997	4,372,357	4,112,690
Gross Domestic Expenditure	11,197,644	11,775,486	12,870,372	14,290,904	15,427,981	15,935,551
Export of Goods and Services	2,185,039	2,301,065	2,540,049	2,909,720	3,292,414	3,472,337
Import of Goods and Services	3,021,531	3,125,931	3,414,338	3,872,521	4,354,292	4,391,746
Gross Domestic Product	10,361,151	10,950,621	11,996,083	13,328,103	14,366,103	15,016,142
Net Primary Income from Rest of the World	-236,073	-274,740	-319,652	-352,856	-389,601	-432,250 ^(d)
Expenditure on Gross National Income	10,125,078	10,675,880	11,676,431	12,975,247	13,976,502	14,583,892

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

(d) The difference with the BOP estimates is due to the time lag in compilation.

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

QUARTERLY GROWTH OF GDP and GNI [at Constant (2010) Prices]^(a)

Percentage

	Period	Agriculture	Industry	Services	Gross Value Added (GVA)	GDP	GNI
2016	1st Quarter	-5.2	14.8	3.4	6.2	6.2	6.2
	2nd Quarter	-6.3	0.9	3.4	1.9	2.0	1.5
	3rd Quarter	3.0	1.6	5.8	4.3	4.5	4.2
	4th Quarter	-6.1	4.8	6.3	4.8	5.3	5.3
	Annual	-3.7	5.7	4.8	4.3	4.5	4.3
2017 ^(b)	1st Quarter	-4.5	3.9	4.4	3.6	3.9	3.5
	2nd Quarter	-2.7	5.5	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.9
	3rd Quarter	-2.1	5.3	2.8	3.2	3.4	3.4
	4th Quarter	7.2	4.3	3.4	4.0	3.7	3.5
	Annual	-0.4	4.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
2018 ^{(b)(c)}	1st Quarter	5.9	1.6	5.1	4.0	3.8	4.0
	2nd Quarter	6.6	3.5	4.6	4.4	4.0	4.1
	3rd Quarter	5.1	3.5	4.4	4.2	3.7	3.8
	4th Quarter	8.2	-3.4	4.2	2.3	1.9	1.3
	Annual	6.5	1.2	4.6	3.7	3.3	3.2
2019 ^(c)	1st Quarter	5.0	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7
	2nd Quarter	1.5	1.6	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.1
	3rd Quarter	1.0	3.5	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.1
	4th Quarter	-4.1	1.4	2.7	1.8	2.0	2.8
	Annual	0.6	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2

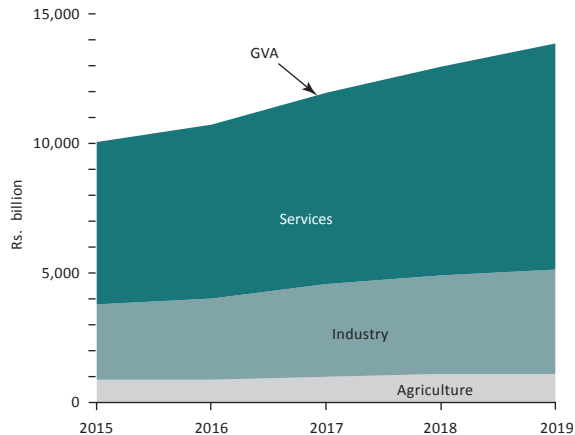
(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

Gross Value Added at Basic Prices (Current)



Sectoral Composition of GDP^(a)
(Rs. bn. at Current Prices)

	2015	2016	2017 ^(b)	2018 ^{(b)(c)}	2019 ^(c)
Agriculture	896	891	1,044	1,138	1,114
Industry	2,975	3,337	3,569	3,820	4,114
Services	6,283	6,771	7,477	8,207	8,745
GVA	10,155	11,000	12,090	13,165	13,973

(a) Base on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

PROVINCIAL GDP (at Current Market Prices) SHARES AND GROWTH^(a)

Province	Share (%)					GDP (Rs. Mn.)		Growth (%) 2017 / 2018	Per Capita GDP (Rs.)	
	2014	2015	2016 ^(b)	2017 ^(b)	2018 ^(c)	2017 ^(b)	2018 ^(c)		2017 ^{(b)(d)}	2018 ^{(c)(d)}
Western	41.5	39.9	38.7	37.9	38.6	5,050,061	5,544,032	9.8	830,466	904,557
Central	10.5	10.6	12.1	12.1	11.8	1,616,137	1,700,263	5.2	593,731	618,277
Southern	10.0	10.1	10.0	10.0	9.9	1,335,102	1,422,875	6.6	511,337	539,581
Northern	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	551,112	586,527	6.4	492,504	518,592
Eastern	5.5	5.7	5.3	5.6	5.7	749,258	813,803	8.6	446,785	475,908
North Western	10.7	10.6	10.8	10.9	10.9	1,458,258	1,570,387	7.7	581,442	619,238
North Central	5.4	5.9	5.8	5.6	5.7	749,425	821,198	9.6	555,541	601,170
Uva	5.4	5.6	5.1	5.8	5.7	773,641	822,830	6.4	573,492	603,248
Sabaragamuwa	7.1	7.5	8.0	7.8	7.5	1,045,111	1,084,187	3.7	515,341	529,647
Sri Lanka	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	13,328,103	14,366,103	7.8	621,531	662,949

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010) of the Department of Census and Statistics.

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

(d) Estimates as per the latest population figures.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PROVINCIAL GDP BY ECONOMIC SECTORS (at Current Market Prices)^(a)

Rs. million

Sector	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
2016^(b)										
Agriculture	95,415	128,376	162,235	62,610	83,623	129,257	73,605	87,390	68,414	890,925
Industry	1,544,808	434,168	208,247	118,943	124,025	342,161	135,023	137,961	292,091	3,337,428
Services	2,617,496	766,013	732,883	273,659	374,902	718,149	430,293	340,425	517,416	6,771,236
GDP	4,643,441	1,448,917	1,203,323	496,451	635,325	1,297,334	696,804	617,033	957,455	11,996,083
2017^(b)										
Agriculture	101,464	148,838	185,018	77,185	107,167	144,208	83,700	102,682	93,733	1,043,994
Industry	1,642,870	460,280	214,444	123,782	138,974	380,526	117,603	215,961	274,119	3,568,560
Services	2,836,492	856,853	811,586	298,938	433,498	798,027	478,489	383,114	580,151	7,477,148
GDP	5,050,061	1,616,137	1,335,102	551,112	749,258	1,458,258	749,425	773,641	1,045,111	13,328,103
2018^(c)										
Agriculture	109,163	136,879	187,315	89,272	135,499	166,788	104,854	110,785	97,917	1,138,472
Industry	1,806,871	482,714	230,830	126,398	142,304	414,270	128,296	222,423	265,705	3,819,811
Services	3,164,606	938,555	885,801	321,833	467,979	858,070	519,409	420,847	629,944	8,207,045
GDP	5,544,032	1,700,263	1,422,875	586,527	813,803	1,570,387	821,198	822,830	1,084,187	14,366,103

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010) of the Department of Census and Statistics.

(b) Revised (c) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Note : Since the tax and subsidies on product adjustment is not included, the addition of Agriculture, Industry and Services sectors will not be equal to GDP.

PRODUCTION AND PRICES OF MAJOR CROPS

Item	Unit	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Production Volume							
Paddy	'000 MT	3,381	4,819	4,420	2,383	3,930	4,592
	'000 Bushels	162,027	230,940	211,836	114,214	188,340	220,078
Tea	Mn. kgs.	338	329	293	307	304	300
Rubber	Mn. kgs.	99	89	79	83	83	75
Coconut	Mn. Nuts	2,870	3,056	3,011	2,450	2,623	3,086
Prices							
Paddy : Producer Price	Rs. per kg.	39.29	37.74	35.44	46.92	42.49	41.42
Tea : Colombo Auction (Gross)	Rs. per kg.	459.01	401.46	473.15	620.44	581.58	546.67
Rubber : F.O.B. Price	Rs. per kg.	362.83	342.03	294.33	343.56	363.93	332.29
Coconut : Wholesale Price	Rs. per Nut	31.51	33.88	32.13	62.71	60.68	41.89
Value of Production, Rs. mn.							
Paddy	Rs. mn.	106,535	181,869	156,645	111,810	166,986	190,201
Tea	Rs. mn.	156,123	132,080	138,633	190,537	176,684	164,001
Rubber	Rs. mn.	35,788	30,441	23,252	28,515	30,061	24,922
Coconut	Rs. mn.	90,434	103,537	96,743	153,640	159,164	129,273

(a) Provisional

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics
Rubber Development Department
Coconut Development Authority

Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Tea Board

ANNUAL PRODUCTION VOLUME – SUBSIDIARY FOOD CROPS

Metric tonnes

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Manioc	310,249	324,097	324,080	306,347	323,108	281,075
Potatoes	82,750	97,391	95,805	73,358	88,897	101,642
Sweet Potatoes	50,970	51,988	44,715	40,693	43,323	35,607
Chillies (green)	73,679	62,866	72,311	51,827	79,003	60,593
Red Onions	63,212	61,202	63,675	57,747	61,073	58,242
Big Onions	111,137	89,323	65,223	53,603	28,047	18,022
Maize	240,731	261,115	243,960	195,744	270,041	245,647
Cowpea	15,209	12,276	13,740	8,576	11,180	8,067
Green Gram	14,616	15,058	14,546	9,392	9,856	7,355
Black Gram	9,644	11,901	11,197	7,329	11,852	4,908
Kurakkan	8,851	8,916	8,565	5,574	8,060	5,474
Ground Nuts	25,184	28,503	24,200	22,475	27,602	26,922
Ginger	15,481	17,273	23,184	16,326	14,208	15,687
Gingelly	14,297	13,285	14,913	7,754	8,589	6,085
Turmeric	11,351	14,397	25,204	10,267	10,727	11,103
Soya Beans	10,812	11,254	7,946	14,363	2,500	2,197
Sorghum	122	101	161	1,300	169	136
Mustard	264	248	220	192	217	151
Meneri	29	43	25	34	57	68

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

FISH PRODUCTION BY PROVINCE

Metric tonnes

Year \ Province		Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
2014	Marine Fish	85,320	–	152,790	72,730	75,720	72,740	–	–	–	459,300
	Inland Fish	1,286	2,009	7,110	3,558	12,192	10,760	23,860	10,990	3,985	75,750
	Total	86,606	2,009	159,900	76,288	87,912	83,500	23,860	10,990	3,985	535,050
2015	Marine Fish	75,380	–	156,530	72,560	70,800	77,620	–	–	–	452,890
	Inland Fish	1,315	1,699	4,926	3,736	11,764	13,240	19,100	8,643	2,877	67,300
	Total	76,695	1,699	161,456	76,296	82,564	90,860	19,100	8,643	2,877	520,190
2016	Marine Fish	83,550	–	149,950	75,470	72,460	75,560	–	–	–	456,990
	Inland Fish	1,850	2,149	5,545	6,404	17,950	16,385	16,515	4,665	2,465	73,930
	Total	85,400	2,149	155,495	81,874	90,410	91,945	16,515	4,665	2,465	530,920
2017	Marine Fish	78,095	–	144,600	83,155	77,790	65,800	–	–	–	449,440
	Inland Fish	1,670	2,970	10,640	7,170	19,520	9,600	24,070	3,990	2,240	81,870
	Total	79,765	2,970	155,240	90,325	97,310	75,400	24,070	3,990	2,240	531,310
2018	Marine Fish	76,770	–	148,040	78,620	70,600	65,340	–	–	–	439,370
	Inland Fish	3,160	2,470	9,750	3,490	23,300	12,530	24,540	6,710	1,740	87,690
	Total	79,930	2,470	157,790	82,110	93,900	77,870	24,540	6,710	1,740	527,060
2019 ^(a)	Marine Fish	75,200	–	133,710	87,840	59,680	59,060	–	–	–	415,490
	Inland Fish	3,250	3,130	9,560	4,010	20,120	11,220	27,800	9,670	1,580	90,340
	Total	78,450	3,130	143,270	91,850	79,800	70,280	27,800	9,670	1,580	505,830

(a) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development

NATIONAL LIVESTOCK STATISTICS

'000

Type of Livestock	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Neat Cattle (No.)						
Milk Cows – Milking at present	294	301	284	296	329	323
Not milking at present	245	296	246	269	280	269
Total Cattle	1,105	1,088	945	1,001	1,111	1,086
Buffaloes (No.)						
Milk Cows – Milking at present	90	92	83	86	94	92
Not milking at present	56	78	64	70	75	69
Total Buffaloes	321	323	267	284	309	298
Goats (No.)	299	309	267	287	315	314
Sheep (No.)	8	8	8	10	11	12
Pigs (No.)	105	70	81	95	98	91
Poultry (No.)	16,630	16,744	21,056	21,276	20,531	20,411
Ducks (No.)	12	12	12	11	12	12
Average Monthly Production						
Cow Milk (Litres)	22,743	25,945	25,512	27,418	32,628	31,168
Buffalo Milk (Litres)	5,083	5,927	5,088	5,742	6,348	6,131
Total Milk (Litres)	27,825	31,204	32,001	33,017	39,299	37,299
Eggs (No.)	143,441	158,238	171,638	172,739	164,351	173,684

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

AGRICULTURAL LAND USE

Heactares '000

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Main Agricultural Crops						
Paddy	964	1,254	1,114	792	1,041	1,117
Tea	222	203	202	201	200	200
Rubber	134	137	133	137	137	138
Minor Export Crops						
Cocoa	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.8	1.8	1.8
Cinnamon	31.9	32.1	32.7	33.0	33.6	34.2
Cardamom	2.8	2.8	1.2	1.7	1.7	1.7
Cloves	7.6	7.6	6.8	7.9	8.0	8.0
Pepper	32.3	32.4	39.5	39.3	40.2	41.0
Coffee	8.7	7.4	7.5	4.5	4.5	4.6
Selected Other Crops						
Manioc	23.9	23.9	22.8	22.1	22.4	20.6
Maize	67.2	70.0	67.7	52.5	70.9	63.5
Chillies	14.0	13.0	15.3	10.9	13.6	11.0
Red Onions	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.2	4.0	5.3
Big Onions	6.8	5.6	4.0	3.0	1.4	5.3
Potatoes	5.4	5.5	5.8	4.5	5.2	5.6
Gingelly (Sesame)	14.5	17.8	14.0	9.1	11.9	6.0
Sugar Cane (with ratoons) ^(b)	12.6	12.1	11.8	11.2	11.2	12.3
Cowpea	11.5	9.2	8.2	6.8	9.5	7.2
Greengram	11.8	11.3	11.3	7.4	8.6	6.2

(a) Provisional

(b) Includes Nucleus Estates and allottees

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics
Department of Export Agriculture

Lanka Sugar Company (Pvt) Ltd.
Galoya Plantation (Pvt) Ltd.

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Rs. million

Industrial Category	2014	2015	2016	2017 ^{(a)(b)}	2018 ^{(a)(b)}	2019 ^(b)
Value Added in Manufacturing Activities (Constant 2010 Prices)^(c)	1,296,100	1,360,976	1,402,393	1,460,818	1,512,800	1,540,970
Manufacture of Food, Beverages & Tobacco Products	513,960	528,821	529,786	534,924	556,140	574,888
Manufacture of Textiles, Wearing Apparel and Leather Related Products	276,800	282,719	289,001	304,090	314,442	326,803
Manufacture of Wood and of Products of Wood and Cork, except Furniture	23,139	27,320	32,855	32,909	33,845	31,178
Manufacture of Paper Products, Printing and Reproduction of Media Products	24,968	27,728	30,283	31,885	32,226	30,803
Manufacture of Coke and Refined Petroleum Products	28,723	29,075	31,245	29,743	27,312	33,694
Manufacture of Chemical Products and Basic Pharmaceutical Products	82,243	83,179	90,095	93,552	96,761	100,511
Manufacture of Rubber and Plastic Products	71,909	76,144	77,055	86,202	88,147	83,009
Manufacture of Other Non-metallic Mineral Products	78,671	75,191	69,660	77,821	85,031	85,341
Manufacture of Basic Metals and Fabricated Metal Products	24,882	28,953	38,577	43,862	48,111	46,328
Manufacture of Machinery and Equipment	32,064	38,848	46,610	50,967	52,075	52,578
Manufacture of Furniture	82,748	94,489	96,303	97,920	100,302	100,797
Other Manufacturing, and Repair and Installation of Machinery and Equipment	55,993	68,509	70,923	76,943	78,408	75,040
Factory Industry Production Index (FIPI) (2010=100)^(d)	114.9	125.4	122.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Index of Industrial Production (IIP) (2015=100)^(e)	–	100.0	103.3	105.8	106.7	108.1

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of the Department of Census and Statistics.

(d) Based on the FIPI (2010=100) compiled by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka and indices are classified according to the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC) Revision 4.

(e) Based on the IIP (2015=100) compiled by the Department of Census and Statistics and indices are classified according to the ISIC Revision 4.

Sources : Department of
Census and Statistics
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

ENERGY

Item			2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Petroleum								
Imports								
Crude Oil:	Quantity	MT '000	1,824	1,763	1,685	1,591	1,674	1,842
	Value (C.I.F.)	Rs. Mn.	187,760	100,578	86,969	107,397	160,024	173,547
Refined Products ^{(b)(c)} :	Quantity	MT '000	3,385	3,321	3,885	4,895	4,959	4,740
	Value (C.I.F.)	Rs. Mn.	391,651	244,148	246,233	375,374	475,521	483,462
Locally Refined Products, MT '000								
Petrol			152	154	166	165	165	186
Diesel ^(d)			496	510	583	509	568	624
Kerosene			65	75	104	57	35	38
Furnace Oil			641	552	479	431	424	483
Aviation Fuel			168	155	148	236	237	259
Local Consumption, MT '000								
Petrol			836	1011	1172	1,277	1,368	1,427
Diesel ^(d)			2,008	1,853	2,218	2,286	2,088	2,224
Kerosene			122	130	137	161	210	206
Furnace Oil			915	630	817	1,040	949	1,011
L.P. Gas			232	293	356	412	435	466
Electricity								
Available Capacity, MW			3,932	3,847	4,018	4,138	4,046	4,213
Units Generated, GWh			12,357	13,090	14,149	14,671	15,374	15,879
Hydro ^(e)			3,632	4,904	3,481	3,059	5,149	3,783
Thermal and Other ^(f)			8,725	8,185	10,668	11,612	10,224 ^(g)	12,096 ^(g)
Sales, GWh			11,063	11,786	12,785	13,430	14,091	14,612
Domestic and Religious			3,585	3,943	4,272	4,463	4,641	4,863
Industrial, General Purposes and Hotel			6,018	6,288	6,851	7,263	7,702	7,955

(a) Provisional

(b) Imports by Ceylon Petroleum Corporation,
Lanka IOC and Lanka Marine Services (Pvt) Ltd.

(c) Excluding Coal

(d) Super and Auto Diesel

(e) Excluding mini hydro

(f) Includes private power generation, coal and mini hydro power generation

(g) Includes rooftop solar generation

Sources : Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Lanka Marine Services (Pvt) Ltd.
Laugfs Gas PLC
Sri Lanka Customs

Lanka IOC PLC
Litro Gas Lanka Ltd.
Ceylon Electricity Board
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

ELECTRICITY SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	LECO	Total
No. of Consumer Accounts											
2015	1,408,325	911,417	702,117	270,263	442,447	753,125	390,774	342,013	428,649	1	5,649,132
2016	1,456,215	957,200	731,831	306,565	479,953	797,194	422,903	364,622	447,709	1	5,964,194
2017	1,493,711	982,134	749,918	339,420	516,695	828,918	436,174	381,433	464,726	1	6,193,130
2018	1,529,336	1,002,820	766,864	356,253	535,636	848,767	448,008	390,670	475,925	1	6,354,280
2019	1,563,679	1,022,970	783,492	367,518	552,096	866,436	459,639	399,578	485,231	1	6,500,641
Sales (Gwh)											
2015	5,059	1,133	930	301	557	1,165	438	301	457	1,446	11,786
2016	5,436	1,212	1,016	342	626	1,270	506	333	491	1,553	12,785
2017	5,727	1,266	1,064	384	673	1,330	529	350	513	1,595	13,431
2018	6,035	1,310	1,126	419	712	1,372	566	371	541	1,640	14,091
2019	6,172	1,395	1,154	440	739	1,481	601	385	560	1,684	14,611
Generation (Gwh) (Excluding self generation)											
2015	2,590	4,985	1	157	–	4,696	–	81	648	–	13,159
2016	4,372	3,612	2	169	–	5,306	–	69	719	–	14,249
2017	4,643	3,434	191	172	15	5,396	20	50	749	–	14,670
2018	3,544	5,506	96	145	15	4,997	20	74	823	–	15,220
2019	4,757	4,029	160	199	27	6,179	32	99	887	–	16,369

Note 1: Transmission Bulk Supply to Lanka Electricity Company Ltd. (LECO) is shown as a total and accounted as one account.

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board

Note 2: Street Lighting Consumer Accounts are accounted as one account.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES

Item		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Hospitals (practicing Western Medicine)	No.	601	610	610	612	612	603
Beds	No.	76,918	76,781	76,829	76,569	76,824	77,964
Primary Medical Care Units	No.	484	475	475	506	506	499
Doctors	No.	17,903	19,429 ^(c)	20,458	20,349	19,692	18,130
Assistant Medical Practitioners	No.	1,055	1,017	1,011	910	895	756
Nurses	No.	31,964	32,272	32,499	34,221	34,714	38,276
Attendants	No.	8,215	8,689	8,268	9,218	8,614	8,531
In - Patients	No. '000	6,120	6,322	6,493	6,910	7,116	n.a.
Out - Patients	No. '000	55,105	54,652	53,044	55,520	57,410	n.a.
Ayurvedic Physicians ^(d)	No.	22,422	22,672	23,082	23,206	25,431	25,783
Total Health Expenditure	Rs. mn.	138,403	177,789	186,149	196,820	218,462	244,307
Recurrent Expenditure	Rs. mn.	116,151	140,560	155,402	161,312	180,568	211,555
Capital Expenditure	Rs. mn.	22,252	37,230	30,747	35,509	37,893	32,752
Total Health Expenditure as a % of GDP^(e)		1.34	1.62	1.55	1.48^(a)	1.52	1.63

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Including Intern Medical Officers

(d) Registered with the Ayurvedic Medical Council

(e) Data from 2010 are based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of DCS

n.a. – not available

Sources : Ministry of Health

Department of Ayurveda

Ministry of Finance

Department of Census and Statistics

Central Bank of Sri Lanka

EDUCATION

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Total Schools	10,971	10,997	11,021	11,053	11,044	11,083
Government	10,121	10,144	10,162	10,194	10,175	10,169
Private ^(c)	103	104	105	106	106	118
Pirivenas	747	749	754	753	763	796
Total Pupils	4,354,011	4,418,173	4,345,517	4,446,401	4,538,148	4,493,756
Government Schools	4,078,798	4,129,534	4,143,107	4,165,964	4,214,772	4,149,661
Private Schools	131,397	136,228	136,407	136,462	142,032	139,070
Pirivenas	62,897	64,806	66,003	62,872	60,875	64,802
International Schools ^(d)	80,919	87,605	n.a.	81,103	120,469	140,223
New Admissions ^(e)	348,288	323,337	326,966	322,135	328,632	328,776
Total Teachers	253,649	259,967	249,374	263,934	272,998	272,063
Government Schools	232,990	236,999	235,999	241,591	247,334	243,365
Private Schools	}	12,932	13,375	12,969	14,151	15,130
Pirivenas						
International Schools ^(d)	7,727	9,117	n.a.	9,374	11,513	13,568
Pupils per Teacher ^(e)	18	17	18	17	17	17
Universities	15	15	15	15	15	15
University Students ^(f) – Total Enrolled	80,222	83,778	84,451	88,527	93,787	95,920
New Admissions	25,200	25,676	29,083	30,668	31,451	n.a.
University Lecturers	5,610	5,199	5,440	5,669	6,003	6,116
Govt. Expenditure on Education ^(g) , Rs. mn.	190,150	225,047	238,290	257,446	266,916	290,237
As a % of Total Govt. Expenditure	10.7	9.8	10.2	10	9.8	9.9
As a % of GDP ^(h)	1.84	2.06 ^(a)	1.99	1.93 ^(a)	1.86	1.93

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Private schools approved by the government and schools for children with special needs (This figure excludes international schools which are registered under the Companies Act).

(d) Data for 2014 are based on a survey carried out by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka in 2014 covering 120 international schools. Data reported in the table for 2014 relate only to schools that responded. The response rate was 63 per cent. Data for 2015 and

2017 are based on an island wide survey carried out by the Ministry of Education.

(e) Government schools only

(f) In all universities, excluding the Open University of Sri Lanka and external degree courses

(g) Government expenditure on General and Higher Education

(h) Data from 2010 are based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of DCS
n.a. – not available

Sources : Ministry of Education
University Grants Commission
Ministry of Finance
Department of Census and Statistics
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

WATER CONSUMPTION AND REVENUE BY PROVINCE

Year	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	Total
No. of Consumers										
2015	878,379	236,052	293,217	14,834	185,298	69,182	100,668	81,307	94,784	1,953,721
2016	937,246	248,735	303,423	17,817	216,552	73,782	107,686	86,273	100,957	2,092,471
2017	986,928	261,356	312,024	21,653	243,424	78,036	114,351	94,794	106,606	2,219,172
2018	1,026,852	272,559	320,351	24,199	264,831	82,548	121,541	103,307	112,466	2,328,654
2019	1,062,489	282,214	330,915	28,064	286,003	87,855	131,995	109,115	118,854	2,437,504
Quantity of Water Sold (m³ Mn.)										
2015	242.1	45.9	56.7	2.4	28.3	13.6	20.8	14.6	17.2	441.7
2016	268.9	51.1	61.7	2.9	34.9	15.4	23.8	16.6	19.5	494.7
2017	274.1	53.4	62.7	3.3	39.1	15.4	24.5	17.1	19.9	509.5
2018	284.5	55.0	66.0	3.7	43.5	17.1	25.4	18.3	20.6	534.1
2019	292.0	58.7	68.5	4.2	48.3	18.8	28.4	19.5	22.3	560.8
Revenue Billed (Rs. mn.)										
2015	12,641.7	1,648.4	2,319.6	107.3	1,070.3	502.9	896.4	584.8	713.4	20,484.8
2016	14,732.7	1,925.6	2,640.3	125.9	1,379.4	590.3	1,079.8	687.4	875.0	24,036.3
2017	15,061.0	2,044.0	2,744.6	146.1	1,533.6	593.3	1,119.9	718.1	912.0	24,872.8
2018	15,822.8	2,111.5	2,921.8	160.5	1,701.2	656.7	1,151.4	760.7	945.4	26,232.1
2019	16,177.8	2,276.5	3,042.5	183.6	1,911.9	734.9	1,317.3	815.7	1,029.4	27,489.6
Revenue Collected (Rs. mn.)										
2015	13,045.1	1,681.5	2,387.5	106.9	1,085.4	520.1	930.1	613.5	719.0	21,089.1
2016	14,550.8	1,934.0	2,765.8	125.4	1,313.1	595.7	1,067.7	680.3	859.0	23,891.8
2017	15,343.0	2,130.7	2,809.5	144.3	1,669.9	600.5	1,176.9	732.4	938.8	25,546.1
2018	16,382.0	2,181.6	2,970.1	171.5	1,788.8	677.9	1,212.5	859.9	1,004.4	27,248.7
2019	16,438.3	2,333.6	3,129.3	190.3	1,947.7	750.7	1,376.6	837.9	1,078.4	28,082.8

Source : National Water Supply and Drainage Board

COMMUNICATIONS

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Post Offices	4,692	4,692	4,691	4,690	4,475	4,474
Main Post Offices	653	653	652	653	653	653
Sub-Post Offices	3,410	3,410	3,410	3,409	3,410	3,409
Private Post Offices	629	629	629	628	412	412
Area served by a Post Office (sq. km)	13	13	14	14	15	15
Population served by a Post Office (No.)	4,427	4,468	4,520	4,572	4,791	4,872
Telephones	24,832,848	26,985,740	28,778,063	30,802,261	35,012,720	35,183,776
Wireline Telephones in Service (No.)	1,123,126	1,128,291	1,166,348	1,198,483	1,215,967	1,244,549
Wireless Local Loop Telephones (No.)	1,586,722	1,472,905	1,384,084	1,404,695	1,268,649	1,055,218
Cellular Phones (No.)	22,123,000	24,384,544	26,227,631	28,199,083	32,528,104	32,884,009
Telephone Penetration (per 100 persons)	119.6	128.7	135.7	143.6	161.6	161.4
Public Pay Phones	6,642	5,809	5,301	5,137	2,135	476
E-mail and Internet Subscribers^(b)	3,396,295	4,090,920	4,920,554	5,904,260	10,562,675^(a)	13,408,403

(a) Provisional

(b) Including mobile internet connections

Sources : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka
Department of Census and Statistics
Department of Posts

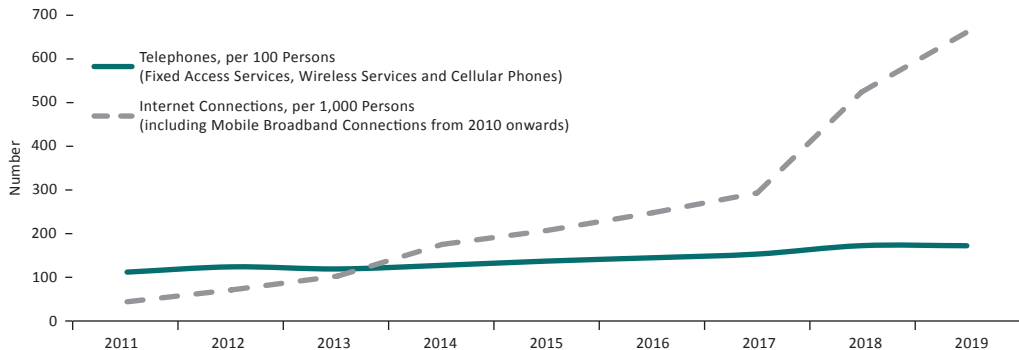
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province										Number
	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Land Phones										
Sri Lanka Telecom Ltd. (includes Wireline and CDMA provided by SLT)										
2015	821,168	167,980	147,395	72,903	80,781	51,123	127,554	84,765	109,547	1,663,216
2016	836,708	167,602	150,408	72,552	80,417	51,090	127,985	86,393	111,523	1,684,678
2017	854,509	172,042	153,539	73,693	80,944	117,410	68,323	87,608	116,271	1,724,339
2018	836,474	167,418	148,290	72,824	80,186	127,244	67,802	88,649	128,311	1,717,198
2019	900,238	177,306	130,947	72,980	68,127	123,303	44,423	52,188	97,249	1,735,042*
Wireless Local Loop & CDMA (provided by Dialog Broadband and Lankabell)										
2015	239,578	123,476	128,869	32,543	31,915	138,831	95,195	198,355	99,084	1,087,846
2016	233,018	113,728	116,535	20,276	23,926	106,612	63,719	100,255	87,685	865,754
2017	319,176	105,688	102,409	16,337	20,658	94,826	54,040	89,296	76,409	878,839
2018	307,640	88,347	83,632	12,906	16,952	77,903	43,156	74,065	62,817	767,418
2019	256,502	61,406	56,536	18,447	18,575	48,929	31,831	50,324	50,489	593,040
Public Pay Phones										
2015	2,678	351	609	83	244	593	274	206	771	5,809
2016	2,510	689	520	74	205	550	241	196	312	5,297
2017	2,438	684	510	74	205	518	238	186	284	5,137
2018	2,430	672	510	74	205	494	238	186	282	5,091
2019	201	57	68	32	15	17	9	42	28	469

* Include 68,281 Wireline and CDMA Phones unallocated on provincial basis.

Source : Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

Telephone and Internet Penetration



	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Telephones, per 100 Persons (Fixed Access Services, Wireless Services and Cellular Phones)	105.1	116.4	111.9	119.6	128.7	135.7	143.6	161.6	161.4
Internet Connections, per 1,000 Persons (including Mobile Broadband Connections from 2010 onwards)	40.4	66.9	97.6	163.5	195.1	232.1	275.3	487.4	615.0

POSTAL SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province		Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
No. of Main Post Offices	2015	148	102	91	52	56	65	39	46	54	653
	2016	148	102	91	52	56	65	39	46	54	653
	2017	147	102	91	52	57	65	39	46	54	653
	2018	147	102	92	52	57	65	38	46	54	653
	2019	148	101	91	52	57	65	39	46	54	653
No. of Sub Post Offices	2015	553	534	507	264	222	419	272	253	386	3,410
	2016	553	534	507	264	222	419	272	253	386	3,410
	2017	553	532	510	264	222	419	273	253	384	3,410
	2018	532	532	505	264	220	418	274	250	385	3,380
	2019	533	527	505	265	233	417	274	251	385	3,390
No. of Agency Post Offices/ Co-operative Thrift Society and Estate Agency Post Offices	2015	326	58	43	26	17	64	24	18	53	629
	2016	262	21	28	26	19	41	12	18	20	447
	2017	262	19	17	26	19	25	12	18	14	412
	2018	109	15	15	26	5	20	11	3	6	210
	2019	71	14	13	5	5	10	10	2	6	136
Total No. of Post Offices	2015	1,027	694	641	342	295	548	335	317	493	4,692
	2016	963	657	626	342	297	525	323	317	460	4,510
	2017	962	653	618	342	298	509	324	317	452	4,475
	2018	788	649	612	342	282	503	323	299	445	4,243
	2019	752	642	609	322	295	492	323	299	445	4,179

Source : Department of Posts

TRANSPORTATION

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Road Kilometrage^(c)	12,208	12,210	12,210	12,210	12,220	12,220
New Registration of Motor Vehicles	429,556	668,907	493,328	451,653	480,799	367,303
Buses and Coaches	3,851	4,140	2,685	3,331	2,957	1,613
Cars	38,780	105,628	45,172	39,182	80,776	38,232
Motor Cycles	272,885	370,889	340,129	344,380	339,763	284,301
Goods Transport Vehicles ^(d)	25,920	46,598	34,450	28,174	26,302	18,682
Land Vehicles	9,082	12,105	13,947	13,049	10,282	7,666
Three Wheelers	79,038	129,547	56,945	23,537	20,063	15,490
Quadracycles and Motor Homes	—	—	—	—	656	1,319
SLTB / Regional Bus Companies						
Buses Operated (Average per day)	4,226	5,284	5,314	5,266	5,227	5,079
Passenger Kilometres, mn.	12,717	15,210	16,101	15,810	15,541	12,012
Private Operator Buses (Permits issued)	20,421	19,397	19,614	19,998	20,030	19,962
Sri Lanka Railways						
Passenger Kilometres, mn.	6,842	7,407	7,413	7,495	7,710	7,310
Freight Ton Kilometres, mn.	130	130	140	145	120	116
SriLankan Airlines						
Passenger Kilometres Flown, mn.	12,719	12,747	12,855	14,169	16,180	15,509
Passengers, '000	4,169	4,314	4,476	5,355	5,882	5,579
Freight, MT '000	96	103	113	124	136	123

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Kilometrage of A and B class roads maintained by Road Development Authority

(d) Includes dual purpose vehicles

Sources : Road Development Authority

Department of Motor Traffic

Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka

Sri Lanka Transport Board

Sri Lanka Railways

REGIONAL BUS COMPANIES' SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
No. of Buses Operated										
2013	1,151	570	410	179	214	499	442	419	503	4,387
2014	1,349	739	446	200	263	541	403	496	566	5,003
2015	1,416	789	493	241	308	587	421	573	612	5,440
2016	1,335	793	486	245	301	581	424	568	603	5,336
2017	1,276	789	480	236	295	588	420	578	604	5,266
2018 ^(a)	1,266	764	470	242	291	584	426	601	591	5,235
Operated km. mn.										
2013	82.3	41.3	35.8	15.3	20.7	42.0	35.0	31.4	38.8	342.8
2014	95.0	42.4	38.5	17.1	23.7	43.5	38.4	35.1	35.1	368.8
2015	109.7	54.6	45.4	23.3	30.3	50.4	38.5	45.4	40.3	437.8
2016 ^(b)	109.8	56.1	46.1	25.8	32.1	51.6	40.6	48.4	41.2	451.6
2017 ^(b)	90.7	48.5	38.1	21.7	26.7	45.5	34.8	40.9	35.1	382.1
2018 ^(a)	105.0	55.6	44.6	25.8	31.9	52.8	40.9	49.1	40.6	446.4
Passenger km. mn.										
2013	2,908.4	1,630.2	1,370.4	538.0	824.0	1,407.4	1,243.4	1,040.3	1,241.9	12,203.9
2014	3,146.9	1,709.3	1,337.7	570.9	932.9	1,451.7	1,305.9	1,139.8	1,122.4	12,714.4
2015	3,677.0	2,143.4	1,598.5	824.1	1,166.1	1,663.0	1,330.4	1,470.7	1,337.3	15,210.3
2016	3,469.9	2,127.3	1,498.9	861.4	1,170.0	1,772.1	1,313.5	1,560.1	1,455.3	15,228.4
2017	3,465.6	2,241.3	1,624.8	919.8	1,272.8	1,826.5	1,455.9	1,679.9	1,215.3	15,710.8
2018 ^(a)	3,320.7	2,234.3	1,566.1	911.6	1,250.0	1,849.8	1,490.6	1,587.2	1,299.7	15,510.0

(a) Provisional (b) Revised

Source : Sri Lanka Transport Board

Note : Buses under SLTTS (Sri Lanka Tourist Transport Service), are included in Western Province from 2014 onwards.

PRIVATE OPERATOR BUS SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
No. of Buses Operated										
2014	6,746	2,806	1,816	968	460	1,820	764	1,152	2,001	21,353*
2015	4,802	2,012	1,240	997	416	1,258	609	810	1,700	16,950*
2016	4,302	2,367	1,191	901	501	1,470	625	785	1,772	17,131*
2017	4,154	2,410	1,280	965	493	1,478	626	825	1,715	16,972*
2018	5,854	2,481	1,281	925	540	1,482	626	1,144	1,729	19,055*
2019 ^(a)	5,922	2,369	1,281	944	471	1,348	540	955	1,761	15,591
Operated km. mn.										
2014	361.8	152.4	112.7	50.4	27.3	115.2	45.9	64.0	112.1	1,336.2*
2015	238.4	99.9	61.6	49.5	20.7	62.4	30.2	40.2	84.4	1,012.6*
2016	214.1	117.8	59.2	44.8	24.9	73.1	31.1	39.1	88.2	1,030.2*
2017	206.2	119.6	63.5	47.9	24.4	73.3	31.0	40.9	85.1	1,008.8*
2018	290.5	123.1	63.5	45.9	26.8	73.6	31.0	56.7	85.8	1,110.4
2019 ^(a)	293.9	117.6	63.6	46.8	23.4	66.9	26.8	47.4	87.4	773.9
Passenger km. mn.										
2014	16,715.2	7,040.3	5,205.9	2,328.0	1,261.2	5,321.5	2,121.6	2,954.6	5,181.1	65,676.7*
2015	11,012.8	4,614.3	2,843.8	2,286.5	954.0	2,885.1	1,396.7	1,857.7	3,898.8	47,552.4*
2016	9,893.1	5,443.3	2,738.9	2,072.0	1,152.1	3,380.5	1,437.3	1,805.2	4,074.9	49,544.5*
2017	9,256.7	5,527.0	2,935.5	2,213.1	1,130.6	3,389.6	1,435.6	1,892.0	3,933.1	50,542.4*
2018	12,425.4	5,689.8	2,937.8	2,121.4	1,238.4	3,398.8	1,435.6	2,623.6	3,965.2	55,459.8*
2019 ^(a)	13,581.0	5,433.0	2,938.0	2,165.0	1,080.0	3,091.0	1,238.0	2,190.0	4,039.0	35,756.0

(a) Provisional

Source : National Transport Commission

* These figures include the data related to the permits issued by the National Transport Commission as well.

MOTOR VEHICLES BY PROVINCE^(a)

	Number									
Vehicle Category	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
Year 2017										
Omnibuses *	5,946	1,743	1,980	1,014	654	2,082	828	1,329	1,911	17,487
Private Coaches **	14,173	3,835	5,960	744	686	4,117	1,131	1,175	3,186	35,007
Dual Purpose Vehicles	127,117	37,719	40,599	8,469	14,225	53,882	24,888	17,485	25,523	349,907
Private Cars	266,263	56,549	53,659	5,632	12,125	53,043	20,762	16,646	34,552	519,231
Land Vehicles	10,708	3,936	14,812	14,175	21,551	15,810	11,337	9,504	3,360	105,193
Goods Transport Vehicles	76,789	24,501	24,016	5,771	7,096	34,994	12,315	10,526	18,485	214,493
Motor Cycles	679,349	152,818	367,631	183,024	241,997	409,446	226,577	114,808	155,956	2,531,606
Threewheelers	282,587	130,731	133,894	18,715	50,259	101,710	59,854	69,066	119,632	966,448
Others	374	91	100	145	66	97	47	2,478	95	3,493
Total	1,463,306	411,923	642,651	237,689	348,659	675,181	357,739	243,017	362,700	4,742,865
Year 2018^(b)										
Omnibuses *	6,424	2,761	6,196	1,030	634	6,460	857	1,030	1,803	54,189
Private Coaches **	14,997	3,043	2,018	902	780		1,202	2,872	-	
Dual Purpose Vehicles	130,794	39,947	42,194	10,046	14,988	56,590	25,797	18,669	24,528	363,553
Private Cars	296,888	63,592	60,895	7,160	14,286	60,594	23,293	19,127	36,740	582,575
Land Vehicles	11,179	3,909	14,710	16,050	22,473	15,931	11,417	9,555	2,952	108,176
Goods Transport Vehicles	79,930	24,812	22,997	5,212	7,977	35,761	12,644	11,390	18,329	219,052
Motor Cycles	731,065	168,572	392,793	210,502	262,296	441,671	240,704	122,971	159,188	2,729,762
Threewheelers	286,265	136,270	136,236	21,295	51,208	101,112	59,511	70,022	110,035	971,954
Others	441	207	94	88	157	164	22	205	517	1,895
Total	1,557,983	443,113	678,133	272,285	374,799	718,283	375,447	254,149	356,964	5,031,156

(a) Motor Vehicles with valid revenue licenses. (b) Provisional.

* Buses owned by SLTB and private buses with route permits.

** Other private buses and coaches without route permits.

Sources : Divisional Secretariats
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PORT SERVICES

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Vessels Arrived	4,264	4,728	4,998	4,879	4,874	4,697
Colombo	3,742	4,197	4,405	4,329	4,331	4,198
Galle	60	72	96	87	84	43
Trincomalee	127	164	216	233	189	142
Hambantota	335	295	281	230	270	314
Cargo Handled (Loaded and Discharged), MT '000	74,410	77,579	86,519	93,857	104,934	106,979
Colombo	70,794	73,718	81,879	89,035	100,151	101,926
Galle	394	542	771	712	729	510
Trincomalee	2,748	3,027	3,514	3,897	3,560	3,304
Hambantota	474	293	355	213	494	1,239
Port of Colombo – Cargo Handled, MT '000	70,794	73,718	81,879	89,035	100,152	101,926
Containerised	63,329	65,682	73,682	79,825	90,016	92,397
Break Bulk	601	1,113	879	843	692	668
Dry Bulk	2,444	2,344	2,572	2,501	2,825	2,527
Liquid Bulk	4,420	4,579	4,746	5,865	6,618	6,334
Port of Colombo – Container Throughput, TEUs '000	4,907.9	5,185.5	5,734.9	6,209.1	7,047.5	7,228.3
Domestic (Exports and Imports)	1,127.0	1,218.0	1,299.9	1,383.6	1,343.2	1,273.3
Transshipment	3,699.7	3,888.3	4,355.3	4,741.6	5,602.4	5,802.1
Re-stowing	81.2	79.2	79.8	83.9	101.9	152.9
Revenue, Rs. Mn.	37,492	40,805	44,080	45,740^(b)	52,283	54,636
Colombo	35,159	37,214	39,913	41,456 ^(b)	49,606	51,743
Galle	696	915	1,239	1,388	1,623	1,639
Trincomalee	400	530	886	1,120	1,054	1,254
Hambantota	1,237	2,145	2,042	1,776		

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

TEUs : Twenty Foot Equivalent Container Units

Source : Sri Lanka Ports Authority

PRICES

Item		2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Indicators of Price Level							
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2006/07 = 100)		179.9	181.5	188.3	—	—	—
Sub Indices :							
	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	202.5	212.4	221.7	—	—	—
	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	152.7	138.2	138.0	—	—	—
	Transport	198.9	182.9	187.1	—	—	—
	Communication	93.9	94.0	100.5	—	—	—
	Education	143.3	148.1	155.2	—	—	—
CCPI Core ^(b)		172.3	177.6	186.7	—	—	—
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2013 = 100)		105.1	107.4	111.7	119.0	124.1	129.5
Sub Indices :							
	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	104.3	110.0	116.7	127.5	131.8	132.8
	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	108.9	110.3	110.1	110.2	111.4	115.5
	Transport	101.7	91.1	92.9	96.9	105.8	112.4
	Communication	103.5	103.5	110.0	119.8	118.0	108.9
	Health	104.1	111.7	126.0	144.2	158.2	175.9
	Clothing and Footwear	100.9	111.9	119.2	126.3	134.9	145.5
CCPI Core ^(c)		105.8	111.1	116.0	122.8	127.1	134.2
National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) (2013 = 100)		105.5	109.5	113.8	122.6	125.2	129.6
Sub Indices :							
	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	105.2	110.7	114.1	127.0	126.8	127.6
	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	110.1	114.8	114.8	115.8	117.3	126.7
	Transport	102.7	92.8	97.6	103.3	112.0	116.4
	Communication	103.7	103.8	110.9	121.2	119.7	110.3
	Health	105.4	114.8	128.0	140.7	151.3	162.3
	Clothing and Footwear	103.2	110.5	114.5	118.2	122.8	128.6
NCPI Core ^(d)		105.7	110.6	117.1	122.8	125.8	133.0
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100)		101.6	105.3	107.1	125.3	133.2	137.1
Implicit GDP Deflator (1996 = 100)		426.3	429.1	449.9	482.6 ^(e)	503.5 ^{(a)(e)}	514.5
Cost of Construction Index (1990=100)		604.9	621.3	643.4	677.0	706.0	738.1

(a) Provisional (b) Based on CCPI (2006/07)=100 (c) Based on CCPI (2013=100)

(d) Based on NCPI (2013=100) (e) Revised

Note: Compilation of Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07=100) was discontinued since January 2017.

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics

Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Construction Industry Development Authority

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PRICES (Contd.)

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Price Changes (Annual average), %						
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2006/07 = 100)	3.3	0.9	3.7	—	—	—
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	3.8	4.9	4.4	—	—	—
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	1.1	-9.5	-0.1	—	—	—
Transport	4.5	-8.0	2.3	—	—	—
Communication	4.0	0.1	6.9	—	—	—
Education	0.5	3.4	4.8	—	—	—
CCPI Core ^(b)	3.5	3.1	5.1	—	—	—
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2013 = 100)	—	2.2	4.0	6.6	4.3	4.3
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	—	5.5	6.1	9.3	3.4	0.8
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	—	1.4	-0.2	0.1	1.1	3.7
Transport	—	-10.4	2.0	4.3	9.2	6.2
Communication	—	0.0	6.3	8.9	-1.5	-7.7
Health	—	7.2	12.9	14.4	9.7	11.2
Clothing and Footwear	—	10.9	6.5	6.0	6.8	7.9
CCPI Core ^(c)	—	4.9	4.4	5.9	3.5	5.5
National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) (2013 = 100)	—	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1	3.5
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	—	5.2	3.1	11.3	-0.2	0.7
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	—	4.2	0.1	0.9	1.3	8.0
Transport	—	-9.6	5.1	5.9	8.4	4.0
Communication	—	0.1	6.8	9.3	-1.3	-7.9
Health	—	8.9	11.5	9.9	7.6	7.3
Clothing and Footwear	—	7.1	3.7	3.2	4.0	4.7
NCPI Core ^(d)	—	4.6	5.9	4.9	2.4	5.7
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100)	—	3.6	1.7	1.7	6.3	2.9
Implicit GDP Deflator (1996 = 100)	2.9	0.6	4.8	7.3 ^(e)	4.3 ^{(a)(e)}	2.2
Cost of Construction Index (1990=100)	2.5	2.7	3.6	5.2	4.3	4.5

(a) Provisional (b) Based on CCPI (2006/07)=100 (c) Based on CCPI (2013=100)

(d) Based on NCPI (2013=100) (e) Revised

Note: Compilation of Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07=100) was discontinued since January 2017.

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics

Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Construction Industry Development Authority

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PURCHASING MANAGERS' INDEX (PMI)

Year \ Month		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
PMI	2019	54.4	50.6	66.9	41.0	50.7	53.9	55.7	56.6	54.7	57.6	56.0	54.3
	Manufacturing												
PMI	2020	54.0	53.6	30.0	24.2	49.3	67.3	64.6	57.9		–	–	–
	Services												
PMI	2019	55.8	53.0	56.3	45.3	44.7	53.1	57.1	52.9	52.7	56.9	57.4	60.2
	2020	57.0	50.2	32.0	29.8	43.1	50.4	51.4	56.0	–	–	–	–

Note :

The Index

PMI is calculated as a 'Diffusion Index', where it takes values between 0 to 100.

PMI = 50; sector remained neutral

PMI > 50; sector is generally expanding

PMI < 50; sector is generally contracting

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PRICES OF SELECTED FOOD ITEMS

Rs. per kg.

Item	Producer Price (Average)			Retail Price (Average)					
	All Island			All Island			Colombo City ^(a)		
	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Rice									
Samba	49.07	47.93	44.67	101.58	106.18	102.50	100.82	112.18	102.22
Par-Boiled	46.26	41.19	41.39	90.59	85.58	88.44	92.59	90.98	90.64
Kekulu	46.51	41.54	40.48	86.03	79.08	79.59	88.18	75.41	79.45
Vegetables									
Green Beans	112.18	109.39	96.20	176.78	203.73	189.38	173.33	234.90	241.15
Carrot	112.28	126.14	105.47	176.58	220.60	178.90	149.00	243.63	201.92
Leeks	83.68	108.84	82.99	138.26	194.75	154.83	135.24	213.53	185.38
Tomatoes	83.22	76.71	60.93	140.00	143.71	123.43	146.19	156.47	147.69
Ash Plantains	53.98	54.46	52.54	103.29	108.53	109.59	109.52	134.31	141.92
Pumpkin	52.25	42.60	46.06	95.77	85.81	93.01	93.81	93.86	121.92
Bitter Gourd	116.95	108.90	111.52	184.87	187.66	198.54	188.10	187.06	224.42
Brinjals	66.28	65.34	62.87	117.35	123.58	122.10	145.00	157.06	156.54
Leafy Vegetables									
Gotukola ^(c)	72.42	62.22	66.20	26.39	29.20	29.52	32.38	19.02	20.15
Mukunuwenna ^(c)	59.63	53.55	58.86	27.58	29.97	30.15	32.75	46.27	44.62
Yams									
Potatoes	113.34	88.64	108.38	145.90	142.02	173.75	156.67	152.90	178.27
Manioc	43.67	36.15	45.25	72.59	65.28	81.58	87.62	69.80	77.50
Sweet Potatoes	49.65	52.41	50.37	85.23	94.80	98.70	96.67	101.20	123.27

(a) Up to 2017, Colombo city prices consisted prices from the Pettah market. From 2018 onwards, after revamping the Country Wide Data Collection System (CWDCS), Colombo city prices consisted prices from Borella market instead of Pettah market.

(b) Provisional

(c) Producer prices represent prices per kg while retail prices are for a bunch.

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PRICES OF SELECTED FOOD ITEMS (Contd.)

Rs. per kg.

Item	Producer Price (Average)			Retail Price (Average)					
	All Island			All Island			Colombo City ^(a)		
	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Green Gram	183.23	167.89	182.14	234.31	229.64	247.32	228.57	217.47	263.35
Dried Chillies	210.62	198.25	267.17	259.07	281.90	357.25	244.12	302.55	398.27
Red Onions	136.14	106.68	118.71	236.50	186.07	208.41	311.42	242.35	233.67
Dhal (Mysore)	—	—	—	167.56	165.48	169.72	164.89	135.88	134.59
Meat and Eggs									
Beef	—	—	—	747.09	851.12	942.76	907.14	973.73	1,013.46
Chicken (Broiler – with skin)	348.27	369.70	385.87	416.22	436.32	439.13	394.00	424.20	454.23
Eggs (Farm) (each)	12.47	13.10	15.76	14.19	15.61	19.03	12.79	15.78	19.36
Sea Fish									
Seer (Thora)	811.22	839.20	908.03	1,221.96	1,241.44	1,281.63	1,390.00	1,392.55	1,424.62
Trevally (Paraw)	590.65	627.74	636.04	815.75	792.12	865.39	869.44	771.18	914.81
Skip Jack (Balaya)	378.12	340.47	355.17	596.02	562.68	599.46	391.11	657.65	682.69
Tuna (Kelawalla)	535.85	528.91	585.07	850.57	858.29	934.12	812.22	941.33	998.08
Sail Fish (Talapath)	599.92	669.68	726.93	960.93	986.89	1,078.71	842.35	1,221.60	1,282.69
Dried Fish									
Queen Fish (Kattawa)	780.91	948.57	936.07	1,078.03	1,142.54	1,201.67	1,100.00	1,319.61	1,422.12
Skip Jack (Balaya)	553.04	509.74	486.96	740.10	729.43	744.92	788.10	870.59	890.96
Sprats (Halmessa)	502.07	567.78	488.48	613.53	670.99	687.42	485.24	673.14	744.23

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Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

WAGE INDICES

Wage Index ^{(a)(b)}	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(c)
Wage Index for Public Sector Employees (2016 = 100)						
All Central Government Officers				100.0	100.2 (0.2)	104.9 (4.7)
Senior Level Officers				100.0	13.4 (3.4)	117.4 (13.5)
Tertiary Level Officers				100.0	100.2 (0.2)	108.0 (7.7)
Secondary Level Officers				100.0	100.0 (0.0)	104.0 (4.0)
Primary Level Officers				100.0	100.0 (0.0)	13.9 (3.9)
Minimum Wage Index for Wages Boards Trades (1978 Dec.=100)						
Workers in Agriculture Trades	4,560.9 (2.8)	4,734.4 (3.8)	4,735.7 (0.0)	4,736.7 (0.0)	4,748.8 (0.3)	4,784.5 (0.8)
Workers in Industry and Commerce Trades	3,459.1 (8.4)	3,459.1 (0.0)	3,459.1 (0.0)	3,459.1 (0.0)	3,545.3 (2.5)	3,796.6 (7.1)
Workers in Services Trades	2,313.2 (3.2)	2,313.2 (0.0)	2,313.2 (0.0)	2,313.2 (0.0)	2,331.2 (0.8)	2,659.3 (14.1)
Workers in all Trades	4,012.2 (3.7)	4,127.0 (2.9)	4,127.9 (0.0)	4,128.6 (0.0)	4,155.2 (0.6)	4,275.5 (2.9)

(a) Indices for nominal wage rates exclude bonus, over-time and other special payments.

(b) The figures in parenthesis indicate annual average percentage changes of indices.

(c) Provisional

Sources : Department of Labour
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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WAGE INDICES (Contd.)

Wage Index ^(a)	2016	2017	2018	2019
Wage Rate Index for Informal Private Sector Employees (2012 = 100)				
Informal Private Sector	136.7 (7.9)	149.7 (9.5)	169.5 (13.2)	180.0 (6.2)
Agriculture	136.9 (6.7)	150.9 (10.3)	172.6 (14.3)	188.1 (9.0)
Paddy	142.3 (9.4)	152.9 (7.4)	173.5 (13.5)	192.7 (11.1)
Coconut	136.1 (5.6)	147.6 (8.5)	159.3 (7.9)	169.0 (6.1)
Rubber	133.4 (5.6)	149.9 (12.4)	165.7 (10.5)	187.1 (12.9)
Tea	135.0 (5.2)	153.8 (14.0)	179.3 (16.6)	188.0 (4.8)
Industry	140.7 (9.1)	155.0 (10.2)	173.0 (11.6)	182.3 (5.4)
Construction	134.7 (9.8)	150.2 (11.5)	163.1 (8.6)	171.6 (5.2)
Small Industries	143.0 (8.7)	156.5 (9.4)	177.2 (13.3)	187.0 (5.5)
Services	132.8 (7.2)	144.1 (8.5)	164.8 (14.3)	174.2 (5.7)
Wholesale and Retail Trade	128.3 (5.2)	139.7 (8.9)	162.5 (16.3)	174.2 (7.2)
Transport	130.6 (7.8)	142.4 (9.0)	159.4 (11.9)	167.8 (5.3)

(a) The figures in parenthesis indicate annual average percentage changes of indices.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

EXPORTS

Item	US dollars million					Rupees million				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Agricultural Exports	2,481	2,326	2,767	2,579	2,462	337,007	338,727	422,031	418,865	440,080
Tea	1,340	1,269	1,530	1,428	1,346	182,054	184,778	233,338	231,750	240,637
Rubber	26	33	39	32	24	3,548	4,758	5,920	5,088	4,321
Coconut	352	366	348	311	330	47,745	53,283	53,037	50,465	58,852
Other Agricultural Crops	763	658	851	808	762	103,660	95,907	129,736	131,561	136,270
Industrial Exports	8,017	7,940	8,542	9,258	9,426	1,087,938	1,155,706	1,302,575	1,506,200	1,685,442
Textiles and Garments	4,820	4,884	5,032	5,318	5,596	654,794	710,768	767,254	865,975	1,000,713
Petroleum Products	374	287	434	622	521	50,461	41,794	66,280	101,467	93,194
Other Industrial Products	2,823	2,769	3,076	3,318	3,309	382,684	403,144	469,041	538,759	591,535
Mineral Exports	28	29	34	34	34	3,826	4,219	5,263	5,570	6,063
Unclassified Exports	20	15	17	18	18	2,660	2,114	2,570	2,898	3,212
Total Exports	10,546	10,310	11,360	11,890	11,940	1,431,431	1,500,766	1,732,440	1,933,533	2,134,796
Export Value Index (2010=100)	122.3	119.6	131.8	137.9	138.5	146.8	153.9	177.7	198.3	219.0
Export Volume Index (2010=100)	128.0	127.0	136.7	137.3	147.2	128.0	127.0	136.7	137.3 ^(b)	147.2
Export Unit Value Index (2010=100)	95.6	94.1	96.4	100.4	94.1	114.7	121.2	130.0	144.4	148.8
Terms of Trade (2010=100)	100.3	104.3	105.5	105.6	103.9	100.2	104.2	105.6	105.8	103.9

(a) Provisional

(b) Revised

Sources : Ceylon Petroleum Corporation and other Exporters of Petroleum
National Gem and Jewellery Authority
Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

IMPORTS

Item	US dollars million					Rupees million				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Consumer Goods	4,713	4,319	4,503	4,980	3,957	640,352	628,862	686,424	806,608	707,594
Rice	135	13	301	107	13	17,956	1,872	45,881	16,679	2,293
Flour	2	2	2	3	3	277	255	300	494	490
Sugar	253	343	256	248	200	34,164	49,919	39,041	40,045	35,714
Milk and Milk Products	251	249	316	332	312	34,088	36,338	48,145	54,002	55,647
Intermediate Goods	9,638	9,870	11,436	12,488	11,370	1,309,234	1,438,156	1,743,719	2,027,460	2,032,997
Fertiliser	290	137	103	262	221	39,573	19,904	15,703	42,682	39,570
Fuel	2,700	2,481	3,428	4,152	3,892	366,339	361,895	522,470	674,295	695,727
Textiles and Textile Articles	2,296	2,705	2,724	2,859	2,909	311,965	393,896	415,386	465,334	520,335
Wheat and Maize	357	249	357	373	346	48,658	36,221	54,394	60,637	61,887
Investment Goods	4,567	4,981	4,895	4,690	4,603	620,730	725,473	746,175	760,942	822,954
Building Materials	1,352	1,569	1,591	1,525	1,509	184,176	228,538	242,621	247,730	269,733
Transport Equipment	931	663	675	668	597	125,927	96,605	102,914	108,057	106,528
Machinery and Equipment	2,278	2,741	2,621	2,492	2,490	309,811	399,090	399,453	404,175	445,332
Unclassified Imports	16	13	147	75	8	2,151	1,902	22,254	11,634	1,484
Total Imports	18,935	19,183	20,980	22,233	19,937	2,572,467	2,794,393	3,198,572	3,606,644	3,565,028
Import Value Index (2010=100)	141.2	143.1	156.5	165.8	148.7	169.7	184.3	211.0	237.9	235.2
Import Volume Index (2010=100)	148.2	158.5	171.3	174.3	164.2	148.2	158.5	171.3	174.3	164.2
Import Unit Value Index (2010=100)	95.3	90.2	91.3	95.1	90.5	114.5	116.3	123.2	136.5	143.2
Terms of Trade (2010=100)	100.3	104.3	105.5	105.6	103.9	100.2	104.2	105.6	105.8	103.9

(a) Provisional

Sources : Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Lanka IOC PLC
Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SELECTED EXPORTS

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Agricultural Commodities						
Tea, MT '000	327	307	289	289	282	293
Rubber, MT '000	16	10	16	17	14	13
Coconut, Mn. Nuts ^(b)	716	552	765	466	355	692
Minor Agricultural Commodities, MT						
Vegetables	40,460	25,846	21,140	21,697	25,765	23,957
Fruits	39,008	32,659	33,300	31,320	37,363	38,896
Coffee	57	24	14	14	24	23
Cinnamon	13,949	13,828	14,946	16,967	17,860	17,480
Unmanufactured Tobacco	1,162	880	897	918	817	805
Cashewnuts	129	113	63	60	72	56
Betel Leaves	2,998	2,404	1,956	5,145	4,009	4,678
Selected Other Commodities						
Mineral Exports ^(c) , MT	3,116	2,834	3,163	3,123	3,298	2,605
Gems, '000 Carats	12,685	12,116	12,136	9,400	8,190	8,306

(a) Provisional

(b) Nut equivalent of copra, oil and desiccated coconut

(c) Graphite only

Sources : National Gem and Jewellery Authority
Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SELECTED IMPORTS

Item	Unit	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Rice	MT '000	600	286	30	748	249	24
Wheat Grain	MT '000	1,179	1,208	948	1,250	1,297	1,159
Sugar	MT '000	520	624	651	498	645	556
Milk and Milk Products ^(b)	MT '000	71	86	100	99	105	99
Infant Milk Products	MT	1,172	1,613	1,659	2,179	1,873	2,040
Fish – Dried ^(c)	MT '000	36	35	37	35	35	38
– Other	MT '000	43	85	78	71	49	58
Pharmaceutical Products	MT '000	108	74	111	168	116	176
Fertiliser	MT '000	765	873	527	399	861	707
Crude Oil	MT '000	1,824	1,763	1,685	1,591	1,674	1,842
Cement	MT '000	4,363	4,092	5,299	5,676	5,114	4,724
Motor Vehicles ^(d)	No.	46,647	134,715	47,957	40,519	86,497	36,617
Motor Cycles	No.	314,060	349,385	329,978	364,346	354,998	266,659
Tractors	No.	5,842	12,601	13,185	10,295	6,992	5,132

(a) Provisional

(b) Excluding infant milk food

(c) Including maldivian fish, sprats and smoked fish

(d) Including motor cars, vans, lorries and buses

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TOURISM

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Tourist Arrivals	1,527,153	1,798,380	2,050,832	2,116,407	2,333,796	1,913,702
Excursionist Arrivals ^(b)	138,097	195,134	116,544	131,409	186,862	113,449
Tourist Guest Nights, '000	15,119	18,163	20,918	23,068	25,205	19,903
Hotels ^(c) , No.	1,055	1,763	1,940	2,094	2,312	2,529
Rooms ^(c) , No.	28,426 ^(d)	30,078 ^(d)	33,661 ^(d)	35,986	38,214	40,365
Room Occupancy Rate ^(e) , %	74.3	74.5	74.8	73.3	72.8	57.1
Gross Tourist Receipts, Rs. mn.	317,479	405,492	512,373	598,143	711,961	646,362
US \$ mn.	2431	2,981	3,518	3,925	4,381	3,607
Total Employment^(f)	299,890	319,436	335,659	359,215	388,487	402,607
Direct Employment	129,790	135,930	146,115	156,369	169,003	173,592
Indirect Employment	170,100	183,506	189,544	202,846	219,484	229,015

(a) Provisional

(b) Refers to those who spend less than 24 hours in the country

(c) Graded and Supplementary Establishments only

(d) Revised

(e) Graded Establishments only

(f) Estimates

Sources : Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS^(a)

Item	US dollars million		Rupees million	
	2018 ^(b)	2019 ^(c)	2018 ^(b)	2019 ^(c)
Current Account (net)	-2,799	-1,808	-451,975	-320,969
Trade Balance	-10,343	-7,997	-1,673,111	-1,430,232
Services (net)	3,766	2,849	611,233	510,822
Primary Income (net)	-2,385	-2,426	-389,601	-432,250
Secondary Income (net)	6,163	5,766	999,504	1,030,690
Capital Account (net)	14	23	2,265	4,095
Current and Capital Account	-2,785	-1,785	-449,710	-316,875
Financial Account (net)	-3,378	-2,432	-548,398	-436,783
Net Acquisition of Assets	-562	514	-105,644	87,098
Net Incurrence of Liabilities	2,816	2,947	442,754	523,881
Net Errors and Omissions	-593	-647	-98,688	-119,909
Overall Balance	-1,103	377	-4,355	62,296
Ratio to GDP in Percentages^(d)				
Trade Balance	-11.7	-9.5		
Goods and Services	-7.4	-6.1		
Current Account	-3.2	-2.2		
Current and Capital Account	-3.1	-2.1		
Total External Assets	9,583	10,402	1,751,224	1,889,327
Total External Assets in Months of Imports				
Merchandise Imports	5.2	6.3		
Merchandise and Services Imports	4.3	5.1		

(a) The classification used in this table follows the Balance of Payments Manual 6th edition (2009) of the IMF.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Revised (c) Provisional

(d) Based on GDP at current market prices published by the Department of Census and Statistics.

Ratios calculated in rupee values and US dollar values differ due to variations in exchange rates during the year.

NET RECEIPTS OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Item	US dollars million ^(a)					Rupees million				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Net Receipts to Government	2,443	2,934	2,821	3,060	2,847	332,132	427,226	430,128	497,451	508,947
Foreign Loans	2,367	2,879	2,791	3,039	2,822	321,814	419,249	425,460	494,021	504,467
ADB	135	168	194	200	66	18,315	24,507	29,567	32,517	11,879
China ^(c)	289	273	394	1,207	427	39,228	39,807	60,001	196,246	76,318
IDA	37	154	118	12	-15	5,050	22,427	17,948	1,914	-2,654
India	14	11	-6	8	-1	1,858	1,586	-908	1,239	-227
Japan	-7	-50	-36	-33	-15	-943	-7,312	-5,553	-5,431	-2,679
Other	1,900	2,323	2,128	1,646	2,360	258,306	338,235	324,405	267,536	421,830
Foreign Grants	76	55	31	21	25	10,318	7,977	4,668	3,430	4,480
ADB	2	-	-	0	0	220	-	-	0	3
Japan	7	7	10	14	9	958	1,017	1,466	2,263	1,666
United Nations	6	8	4	3	2	806	1,185	635	523	321
USA	-	25	-	3	11	-	3,570	-	453	1,946
Other	61	15	17	1	3	8,334	2,205	2,567	191	544
Foreign Loans Liability as at end December	26,071	27,787	30,950	36,665	35,812	3,544,031	4,045,796	4,718,618	5,959,547	6,402,439
Project Loans ^(d)	16,040	16,216	17,123	19,379	18,075	2,180,388	2,361,118	2,610,547	3,149,905	3,231,464
Non-Project Loans ^(e)	10,031	11,570	13,827	17,286	17,737	1,363,642	1,684,678	2,108,070	2,809,642	3,170,975

(a) Rupee value of net receipts of the foreign assistance are converted to US dollars using the annual average exchange rate against the US dollars for respective years.

(b) Provisional

(c) Excludes net receipts from China for projects implemented by State Owned Business Enterprises (SOBES).

(d) Excludes outstanding loans of project under SOBES.

(e) Includes rupee denominated Treasury bonds and Treasury bills held by foreign investors, proceeds from the International sovereign bonds issuances and foreign currency term financing facility.

Sources : Ministry of Finance
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

EXCHANGE RATES^(a) (End of Period)

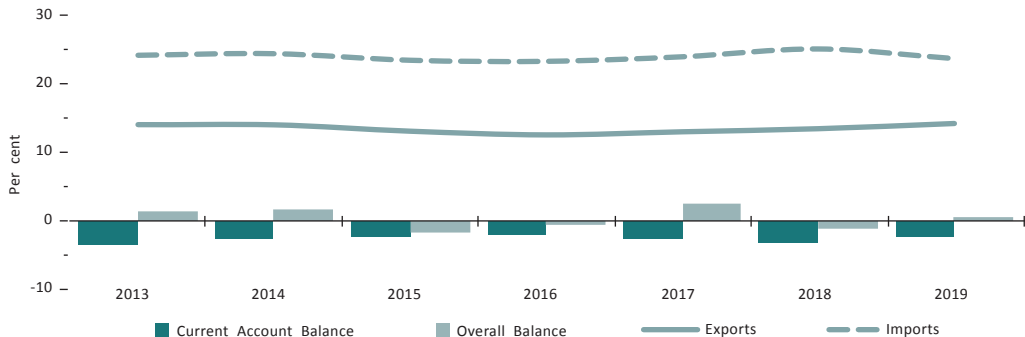
Sri Lanka Rupees per unit of foreign currency

Country	Currency	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Asian Countries							
China	Yuan	21.1401	22.1854	21.5682	23.4548	26.5683	26.0127
Hong Kong	Dollar	16.8938	18.5869	19.3156	19.5511	23.3369	23.3259
India	Rupee	2.0675	2.1677	2.2056	2.3854	2.6132	2.5467
Indonesia	Rupiah	0.0105	0.0104	0.0111	0.0113	0.0126	0.0131
Korea	Won	0.1200	0.1224	0.1243	0.1432	0.1644	0.1569
Pakistan	Rupee	1.2975	1.3733	1.4297	1.3808	1.3063	1.1728
Philippines	Peso	2.9272	3.0710	3.0260	3.0583	3.4796	3.5846
Singapore	Dollar	99.2529	101.8396	103.6714	114.3224	133.8092	134.8484
Thailand	Baht	3.9851	3.9918	4.1832	4.6759	5.6179	6.0900
Middle East Countries							
Kuwait	Dinar	447.8610	474.4822	489.3026	505.9239	601.3686	599.1358
Saudi Arabia	Riyal	34.9225	38.3910	39.9344	40.7586	48.7054	48.4189
United Arab Emirates	Dirham	35.6779	39.2305	40.7852	41.6147	49.7529	49.4491
Industrial Countries							
Australia	Dollar	107.6433	105.1007	108.4252	119.1045	128.8661	127.2528
Canada	Dollar	113.1192	103.8886	111.1688	121.6077	134.0792	139.2098
Japan	Yen	1.0979	1.1960	1.2867	1.3559	1.6547	1.6717
United Kingdom	Pound sterling	204.0427	213.5724	184.0443	205.5362	231.8639	238.4582
United States of America	Dollar	131.0486	144.0623	149.8000	152.8548	182.7499	181.6340
International Monetary Fund	SDR	189.8640	199.6310	201.3810	217.6860	253.5110	251.1689
European Monetary Union	Euro	159.4206	157.3737	157.8742	182.4857	208.9928	203.6662

(a) Rates announced by the Central Bank for its transactions.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Balance of Payments (% of GDP)



Note : 2010 onwards figures are based on new 2010 base year GDP series.

GOVERNMENT FISCAL OPERATIONS

Rs. million

Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	
				Approved Estimates	Provisional
Total Revenue and Grants	1,693,558	1,839,562	1,932,459	2,357,000	1,898,808
Total Revenue	1,686,062	1,831,531	1,919,973	2,344,000	1,890,899
Tax	1,463,689	1,670,178	1,712,318	2,077,000	1,734,925
Non Tax	222,374	161,353	207,656	267,000	155,974
Grants	7,496	8,031	12,486	13,000	7,909
Expenditure and Lending Minus Repayments	2,333,883	2,573,056	2,693,228	3,042,000	2,915,291
Recurrent Expenditure	1,757,782	1,927,693	2,089,713	2,308,000	2,301,155
Capital Expenditure	577,036	638,343	612,561	741,355	619,069
Lending Minus Repayments	-934	7,021	-9,046	-7,355	-4,933
Current Account Balance	-71,719	-96,162	-169,740	36,000	-410,256
Primary Balance	-29,430	2,071	91,421	228,000	-115,130
Overall Fiscal Balance	-640,325	-733,494	-760,769	-685,000	-1,016,483
Financing	640,325	733,494	760,769	685,000	1,016,483
Foreign Financing (Net) ^(a)	391,914	439,243	323,535	235,000	314,076
Gross Borrowings	561,020	663,852	632,505	899,725	888,915
Repayments	-169,107	-224,609	-308,970	-664,725	-574,839
Domestic Financing	248,411	294,251	437,234	450,000	702,407
Market Borrowings	248,411	249,574	329,351	450,000	642,713
Non-Bank	108,456	61,841	219,885	182,000	449,629
Bank	139,955	187,733	109,466	268,000	193,084
Other Borrowings ^(b)	-	44,677	107,883	-	59,694
Outstanding Central Government Debt	9,478,869	10,382,832	12,030,548	n.a.	13,031,543
Domestic Debt	5,433,073	5,664,215	6,071,001	n.a.	6,629,104
Foreign Debt	4,045,796	4,718,618	5,959,547	n.a.	6,402,439

(a) Includes rupee denominated Treasury bonds and Treasury bills issued to foreign investors.

(b) Includes non-market borrowings and proceeds from the long lease of Hambantota Port in 2017 and 2018.

Sources : Ministry of Finance
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

Rs. million

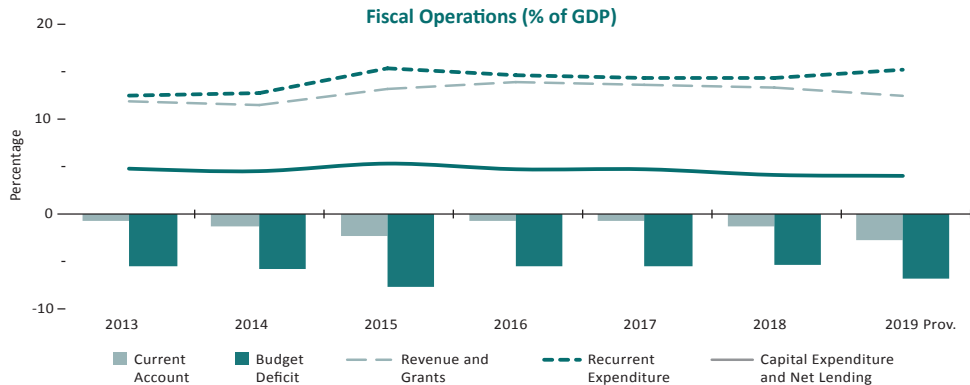
Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	
				Approved Estimates	Provisional
Revenue	1,686,062	1,831,531	1,919,973	2,344,000	1,890,899
Tax Revenue	1,463,689	1,670,178	1,712,318	2,077,000	1,734,925
Taxes on Foreign Trade	302,538	311,782	288,341	346,640	282,679
Imports	156,487	136,501	96,991	140,000	98,427
PAL / SCL / Other	146,051	175,280	191,351	206,640	184,251
Taxes on Domestic Goods and Services	747,147	921,244	959,365	1,170,160	882,879
VAT	283,470	443,760	461,740	529,000	443,924
Excise Tax	454,952	469,500	484,287	593,045	399,511
Licence Fees	8,726	7,984	13,339	48,115	39,445
Taxes on Net Income and Profits	258,857	274,562	310,449	385,000	427,700
Corporate	164,592	177,591	212,112	248,000	315,788
Other	94,265	96,971	98,337	137,000	111,912
Other	155,147	162,591	154,162	175,200	141,667
Non-Tax Revenue	222,374	161,353	207,656	267,000	155,974
Expenditure and Net Lending	2,333,883	2,573,056	2,693,228	3,042,000	2,915,291
Recurrent Expenditure	1,757,782	1,927,693	2,089,713	2,308,000	2,301,155
Expenditure on Goods and Services	746,250	756,591	806,002	856,874	894,396
Interest Payments	610,895	735,566	852,190	913,000	901,352
Transfer Payments	400,637	435,536	431,521	538,126	505,407
Capital Expenditure	577,036	638,343	612,561	741,355	619,069
Acquisition of Fixed Capital Assets	328,202	360,333	355,763	622,386	384,959
Capital Transfers	248,834	278,010	256,798	290,264	234,110
Provision for under Expenditure	—	—	—	-171,296	—
Lending Minus Repayments	-934	7,021	-9,046	-7,355	-4,933

PAL – Ports and Airports Development Levy

SCL – Special Commodity Levy

VAT – Value Added Tax

Source : Ministry of Finance



Fiscal Operations	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 Prov.
Revenue and Grants	12.0	11.6	13.3	14.1	13.8	13.5	12.6
Recurrent Expenditure	12.6	12.8	15.5	14.7	14.5	14.5	15.3
Capital Expenditure and Net Lending	4.8	4.6	5.4	4.8	4.8	4.2	4.1
Current Account Balance	-0.7	-1.2	-2.3	-0.6	-0.7	-1.2	-2.7
Overall Fiscal Balance	-5.4	-5.7	-7.6	-5.3	-5.5	-5.3	-6.8

Notes : From 2010 onwards, data are based on the GDP estimates of the Department of Census and Statistics with base year 2010
Based on the revised GDP estimates for 2017 and 2018 released on 31 March 2020 by DCS

Source: Ministry of Finance

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT DOMESTIC DEBT

	Rs. million				
Item	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
By Instruments					
Rupee Loans	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088
Treasury Bills ^(b)	658,240	779,581	697,154	746,887	873,943
Treasury Bonds ^(c)	3,401,211	3,806,353	3,892,408	4,197,323	4,606,232
SLDBs	668,458	572,199	637,886	614,219	560,226
Provisional Advances from the Central Bank	151,132	83,307	199,801	198,633	236,609
Other ^(d)	152,030	167,546	212,878	289,851	328,005
Total	5,055,159	5,433,073	5,664,215	6,071,001	6,629,104
By Ownership					
Banking Sector	2,007,961	2,198,909	2,383,663	2,351,940	2,739,583
Central Bank	256,050	414,950	209,412	244,128	310,909
Commercial Banks	1,751,911	1,783,959	2,174,251	2,107,811	2,428,674
Non-Bank Sector	3,047,199	3,234,164	3,280,552	3,719,061	3,889,521
Market Borrowings	428,236	426,771	447,792	494,976	593,965
Insurance Funds	50,597	57,944	72,305	67,506	55,589
Provident and Pension Funds ^(e)	1,655,336	1,826,633	1,942,739	2,243,834	2,460,663
Official Funds ^(f)	252,615	271,630	289,154	317,840	324,837
Private Business and Individuals ^(g)	659,845	651,186	528,563	594,905	454,465
Non-Market Borrowings	570	—	—	—	—
Total	5,055,159	5,433,073	5,664,215	6,071,001	6,629,104

(a) Provisional

(b) Excludes rupee denominated Treasury bills held by foreign investors

(c) Excludes rupee denominated Treasury bonds held by foreign investors and includes Treasury bonds of Rs. 4,397 million issued to CWE in November 2003 (matured on 14 November 2016), Rs. 13,125 million issued to capitalise SriLankan Airlines in March 2013 (matured on 01 June 2018) and Rs. 78,441 million issued to CPC in January 2012 (of which Rs. 21,778 million matured on 01 January 2017 and the outstanding as at end 2019 is Rs. 56,662 million).

(d) Includes administrative borrowings arising from foreign loans channelled through government or semi-government agencies and outstanding borrowings from FCBUs.

Sources: Ministry of Finance

Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(e) Trusts, Benevolent, Pension and Provident Funds and the Employees' Provident Fund.

(f) The Central Government, Local Authorities, State Corporations, Departmental and other official funds.

(g) Includes the value of Treasury Certificates of Deposits, Public Debt Sinking Funds (the Investment Fund w.e.f. September, 1971) and the National Housing Sinking Fund.

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT FOREIGN DEBT BY OWNERSHIP

Rs. million

Item	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Multilateral	994,430	1,076,549	1,198,243	1,451,443	1,469,867
ADB	533,806	569,686	632,237	785,509	802,047
EIB	29,728	27,518	29,193	31,255	27,509
IBRD	10,382	27,760	28,462	37,008	45,769
IDA	391,149	417,636	467,832	548,283	541,074
IFAD	18,631	21,520	24,405	28,251	29,417
OPEC	7,547	9,309	12,743	17,398	20,443
Nordic Development Fund	3,187	3,119	3,370	3,741	3,480
Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank	—	—	—	—	127
Bilateral	888,971	945,754	992,157	1,163,265	1,131,911
Canada	5,373	5,275	5,254	5,230	4,854
France (b)	25,406	24,448	27,977	32,264	34,202
Germany	40,726	39,145	4e3,506	46,937	43,113
India	137,413	142,277	145,071	166,915	153,075
Japan	457,483	486,199	506,829	613,656	617,973
Kuwait	6,765	7,774	8,768	12,124	13,146
Netherlands	—	—	—	—	—
People's Republic of China	117,284	131,604	135,728	150,939	138,720
Saudi Arabian Fund	10,724	13,255	16,722	21,752	23,725
U.S.A.	34,594	31,798	28,295	28,910	24,381
Other	53,205	63,978	74,007	84,537	78,724
Financial Markets	1,660,630	2,023,493	2,528,218	3,344,839	3,800,660
Riggs National Bank	2,607	2,336	2,110	2,262	1,986
Bankers' Trust Co.	101	—	—	—	—
Saloman Bros. Inc. (New York)	—	—	—	—	—
Citi Bank / NEXI	201	—	—	—	—
Export-Import Bank of china (c)	192,889	242,416	299,405	392,041	476,565
Other (d)	1,464,832	1,778,741	2,226,703	2,950,536	3,322,109
Total	3,544,031	4,045,796	4,718,618	5,959,547	6,402,439

(a) Provisional

(b) Includes loans from financial institutions

(c) Excludes outstanding loans of projects under State Owned Business Enterprises (SOBEs)

(d) Includes outstanding defence loans (up to 2016), Rupee denominated Treasury bonds and Treasury bills held by foreign investors, proceeds from the international sovereign bond issuances and foreign currency term financing facility

Sources: Ministry of Finance
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MONETARY DEVELOPMENTS

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Reserve Money	577,912	673,432	856,147	939,793	961,096	932,604
Narrow Money (M₁)	612,155	714,988	776,624	793,299	830,793	865,467
Currency	329,426	388,057	429,502	439,396	473,066	494,208
Demand Deposits	282,729	326,931	347,123	353,903	357,727	371,259
Time and Savings Deposits^(b)	3,263,698	3,850,929	4,628,972	5,514,762	6,297,503	6,758,654
Domestic Banking Units	3,121,032	3,674,360	4,439,938	5,298,564	6,071,118	6,517,917
Foreign Currency Banking Units	142,666	176,569	189,034	216,198	226,386	240,737
Broad Money (M₂)	3,460,558	4,057,212	4,823,559	5,665,313	6,427,330	6,912,710
Time and Savings deposits (TSD) ^(b)	2,848,402	3,342,224	4,046,935	4,872,014	5,596,536	6,047,243
Broad Money M_{2b} (M₁ + TSD)	3,875,853	4,565,917	5,405,596	6,308,062	7,128,297	7,624,121
Underlying Factors in M_{2b}						
Domestic Credit	4,640,146	5,732,034	6,671,677	7,504,715	8,833,442 ^(c)	9,383,185
Claims on Government (Net)	1,435,900	1,759,492	1,972,133	2,168,517	2,516,711 ^(c)	2,767,103
Credit to Public Corporations	450,924	530,669	513,768	536,982	755,380	817,953
Credit to Private Sector	2,753,322	3,441,874	4,185,777	4,799,215	5,561,351	5,798,128
Net Foreign Assets	15,126	-298,163	-231,238	121,538	-67,007	128,256
Monetary Authorities	688,007	576,187	558,589	846,139	750,541	895,997
Commercial Banks	-672,881	-874,350	-789,827	-724,601	-817,548	-767,742
Net Other Items	-779,418	-867,954	-1,034,843	-1,318,191	-1,638,139 ^(c)	-1,887,320
Currency / M_{2b}, %	8.5	8.5	7.9	7.0	6.6	6.5
Income Velocity of Money	2.85	2.62	2.43	2.26 ^(c)	2.12 ^(c)	2.04
Money Multiplier (M _{2b} / Reserve Money)	6.71	6.78	6.31	6.71	7.42	8.18

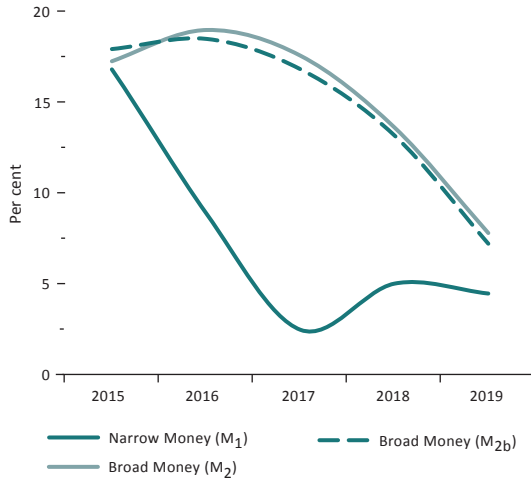
(a) Provisional

(b) Previously known as Quasi Money.

(c) Revised

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Growth of Money Supply



Monetary Aggregates (Growth)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Narrow Money (M_1)	16.8	8.6	2.1	4.7	4.2
Broad Money (M_2)	17.2	18.9	17.5	13.5	7.6
Broad Money (M_{2b})	17.8	18.4	16.7	13.0	7.0

(a) Provisional

MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Call Money : Total Lending / Borrowing	2,198,356	2,827,930	3,493,392	3,900,444	4,196,244	4,775,160
Primary Treasury bill Market						
Amount Issued / Sold	1,121,705	1,589,527	1,635,349	1,624,266	1,653,259	1,719,327
Purchased by – Central Bank	337,659	564,159	790,738	513,092	724,051	631,653
Others	784,046	1,025,368	844,611	1,111,174	929,208	1,087,674
Total Outstanding (year end)	750,267	663,285	792,396	724,706	758,796	897,670
Central Bank Secondary Treasury bill bonds Market						
Repo Transactions	3,457,540	750,227	251,922	3,327,692	1,530,256	1,091,644
Reverse Repo Transactions	10,130	44,374	3,937,716	1,049,615	3,385,716	3,028,593
Other : Outright Sales (T-bills)	–	127,855	39,600	110,325	63,725	–
Outright Purchases (T-bills)	–	–	15,770	–	40,497	41,772
Outright Sales (T-bonds)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Outright Purchases (T-bonds)	–	–	–	–	–	47,694,000
Standing Deposit Facility^(b)	5,181,675	17,989,768	5,572,700	3,954,870	4,502,900	7,488,642
Certificates of Deposits (year end)	–	–	–			
Treasury bonds						
Primary Market Issues	860,695	869,923	663,616	548,815	763,020	798,000
Outstanding (year end) ^(c)	3,341,727	3,699,945	4,053,575	4,187,467	4,344,238	4,686,526
Central Bank's Reverse Repo Transactions	3,622	43,776	6,082,885			
Central Bank Securities						
Issues	–	–	–	–	–	–
Outstanding (year end)	–	–	–	–	–	–
Market Repo Volume – Overnight^(d)	2,246,232	1,961,747	6,572,473	4,205,574	2,761,231	3,456,394
Commercial Papers						
Issues	8,171	7,907	6,968	6,512	1,858	3,361
Outstanding (year end)	3,451	4,517	2,229	1,745	1,150	1,438

(a) Provisional

(b) From 02 January 2014 Standing Repurchase facility was renamed as Standing Deposit Facility and from 03 February 2014, it was made uncollateralised.

(c) Includes Treasury bonds of Rs.4,397 million issued to CWE in November 2003 (matured on 14 November 2016), Rs. 13,125 million issued to capitalise SriLankan Airlines in March 2013 (matured on 01 June 2018) and Rs.78,441 million issued to CPC in January 2012 (of which Rs. 21,778 million matured on 01 January 2017 and the outstanding as at end 2019 is Rs. 56,662 million).

(d) Overnight (it covers only Licensed Commercial Banks and Primary Dealers).

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

INTEREST RATES

Per cent per annum

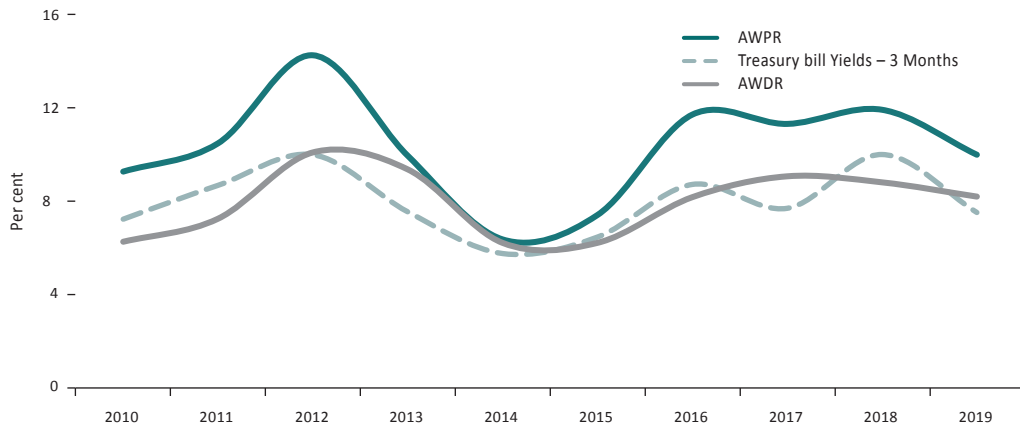
Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Domestic Interest Rates (year end)						
Central Bank Advance Rate (Bank Rate)	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
Inter-bank Call Rates	6.00–6.50	6.40	8.40–8.44	8.10–8.25	8.90–9.00	7.40–7.55
SLIBOR (Overnight)	6.10	6.40	8.44	8.15	9.00	7.51
Treasury bill Yield Rates – Year End						
Primary Market – 3 Months	5.74	6.38	8.72	7.69	10.01	7.51
6 Months	5.84	6.69	9.63	8.30	9.99	8.02
12 Months	6.00	7.11	10.17	8.90	11.20	8.45
Standing Deposit Facility Rate ^(a)	6.50	6.00	7.00	7.25	8.00	7.00
Standing Lending Facility Rate ^(a)	8.00	7.50	8.50	8.75	9.00	8.00
Treasury bonds, Yield to Maturity						
2 Years	–	6.70	11.04	9.92	–	9.79
3 Years	–	8.18	11.62	–	11.88	9.65
4 Years	–	8.91	10.61	11.13	–	–
Commercial Banks Deposit Rates						
AWDR	6.20	6.20	8.17	9.07	8.81	8.20
Fixed Deposits – 3 Months	3.50–7.00	3.10–11.10	4.00–13.50	4.00–12.75	4.00–13.80	2.50–11.75
6 Months	3.90–8.75	3.90–9.50	4.50–13.50	4.00–13.50	4.50–14.00	3.05–12.00
12 Months	3.95–12.00	3.95–15.00	4.50–15.00	4.89–15.00	4.53–15.00	3.55–15.00
NSB Deposits Rates						
Savings Deposits	5.00	5.00	4.25	4.00	4.00	4.00
Fixed Deposits – 12 Months	6.50	7.25	11.00	11.00	10.50	9.83
Commercial Banks Lending Rates						
AWPR (Monthly)	6.35	7.40	11.73	11.33	11.94	10.00
Loans Secured by Government Securities	6.60–24.00	6.00–14.25	5.00–20.00	8.00–16.00	8.00–16.00	9.00–15.00
Unsecured Loans	5.44–24.00	2.50–24.00	3.50–24.00	4.07–36.87	3.50–29.00	6.75–28.00
LIBOR on US Dollar Deposits (Average)						
3 Months	0.23	0.32	0.74	1.26	2.31	2.33
6 Months	0.33	0.49	1.06	1.48	2.49	2.32
12 Months	0.56	0.79	1.38	1.79	2.76	2.37

(a) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) respectively, with effect from 02 January 2014.

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Reuters

SLIBOR – Sri Lanka Inter Bank Offer Rate LIBOR – London Inter Bank Offer Rate AWDR – Average Weighted Deposit Rate AWPR – Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate

Selected Interest Rates



BANK BRANCH NETWORK

Item	2014 ^(a)	2015 ^(a)	2016 ^(a)	2017 ^(a)	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Commercial Bank Branches^(c)	2,735	2,789	2,841	2,855	2,877	2,907
Domestic Bank Branches	2,684	2,736	2,788	2,803	2,826	2,845
Foreign Bank Branches	51	53	53	52	51	50
Specialised Banks Branches^(c)	654	671	683	691	696	697
Total Bank Branches	3,389	3,460	3,524	3,546	3,573	3,604
No. of Commercial Banks	25	25	25	25	26	26
Domestic Banks	13	13	13	13	13	13
Foreign Banks	12	12	12	12	13	13
No. of Specialised Banks	9	7	7	7	7	6
Total No. of Banks	34	32	32	32	33	32

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Includes Main Branches and Other Banking Outlets except Student Saving Units.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

OPERATIONS OF COMMERCIAL BANKS^(a)

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)
Assets	4,855,940	5,698,522	6,682,581	7,824,839	9,045,664	9,741,099
Cash in Hand	87,469	103,643	123,276	158,658	167,876	183,759
Deposits with Central Bank	164,428	199,646	308,671	341,828	336,267	280,549
Foreign Currency in Hand and due from Banks Abroad	196,950	359,740	432,933	525,901	772,110	497,961
Due from Domestic Banks	43,810	80,582	74,813	78,804	78,638	87,748
Cash Items in Process of Collection	14,831	17,591	20,289	24,048	28,255	31,687
Investments	1,063,637	1,189,962	1,282,031	1,567,654	1,566,548	1,921,778
Commercial Bills	42,580	19,029	20,063	24,711	33,585	26,885
Overdrafts	531,878	605,893	707,018	864,011	1,037,776	996,307
Loans	2,202,030	2,852,731	3,478,638	4,002,056	4,684,393	4,991,760
Liabilities	4,855,940	5,698,522	6,682,581	7,824,839	9,045,664	9,741,099
Capital ^(c)	528,661	608,898	716,963	850,931	1,002,594	1,126,850
Demand Deposits	339,458	389,293	405,152	425,822	461,547	442,407
Time and Savings Deposits	3,301,517	3,901,124	4,672,937	5,566,871	6,432,666	6,902,028
Borrowings – Domestic Inter-Bank	145,315	182,212	206,131	254,942	268,771	294,479
– Foreign	138,443	195,717	212,374	162,385	173,813	187,305
Liquid Assets	1,310,855	1,512,267	1,804,796	2,216,199	2,389,807	2,381,706
Liquid Assets / Total Deposits, %	36.0	35.2	35.5	37.0	34.7	32.4
Cash in Hand / Total Deposits, %	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.5
Loans and Advances / Total Deposits, %	76.3	81.1	82.8	81.6	83.5	81.9
Statutory Reserve Ratio, %	6.00	6.00	7.50	7.50	6.00	5.00

(a) Includes Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of Commercial banks only.

(b) Provisional.

(c) Paid up, Reserve Funds and Retained Profits.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

LICENSED SPECIALISED BANKS

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
National Savings Bank						
Assets	785,945	850,927	913,710	1,011,051	1,046,712	1,168,612
Loans	217,458	264,270	309,606	374,299	427,291	460,164
Investments	517,070	530,015	529,703	553,155	527,488	618,328
Deposits	539,219	581,916	639,954	714,362	813,906	984,583
Regional Development Banks						
Assets	95,903	110,370	134,798	174,201	183,022	214,609
Loans	61,996	88,388	106,799	128,344	135,470	141,609
Investments	2,745	13,248	2,179	9,674	13,383	22,676
Deposits	72,525	86,340	104,689	136,582	137,928	145,977
State Mortgage and Investment Bank						
Assets	30,584	34,386	35,553	42,488	43,263	47,816
Loans	24,447	26,862	28,534	33,575	34,936	36,736
DFCC Bank^(b)						
Assets	97,775	—	—	—	—	—
Loans	75,375	—	—	—	—	—
Other Licensed Specialised Banks^(c)						
Assets	100,689	124,914	136,206	158,896	173,454	180,288
Loans	64,858	81,875	94,383	113,199	127,531	135,908

(a) Provisional.

(b) DFCC Bank which operated as a Licensed Specialised Bank was amalgamated with the DFCC Vardhana Bank and operates as a Licensed Commercial Bank namely, DFCC Bank PLC with effect from 01 October 2015.

(c) Includes MBSL Savings Bank Ltd, Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka, Lankaputra Development Bank, Sanasa Development Bank and Sri Lanka Savings Bank

(Sri Lanka Savings Bank commenced operations in March 2008). MBSL Savings Bank Ltd which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd and operates as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC with effect from, 01 January 2015.

Source : Central Bank of
Sri Lanka

SELECTED NON-BANK FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Rs. million

Item	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Licensed Finance Companies, No.	48	46	46	45	43	42
Deposits	414,116	480,636	530,740	686,720	716,848	756,687
Capital ^(b)	97,192	102,590	121,849	141,628	169,191	187,899
Assets (net)	742,811	915,349	1,112,130	1,227,491	1,383,742	1,390,747
Co-operative Rural Banks, No. of Banks	2,185	2,210	2,227	2,258	2,284	2,358
Deposits	84,640	87,157	91,980	102,249	140,434	141,980
Loans Outstanding	37,757	45,130	49,770	55,488	72,788	62,331
Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies, No.^(c)	8,424	8,424	8,423	8,423	486	492
Deposits	3,883	1,603	4,300	5,820	247	297
Loans Granted	4,808	7,060	18,200	15,664	227	228
Unit Trusts						
Assets (Rs. billion)	126.5	130.3	104.0	128.8	64.3	104.9
Investments in Shares (Market Value, Rs. billion)	13.6	14.4	13.9	13.0	9.5	9.8
Investments in Government Securities (Rs. billion)	56.1	29.4	49.6	22.5	2.5	4.0
No. of Units in Issues, (mn)	9,772	8,812	7,141	7,638	3,368	4,769
No. of Unit holders	32,619	38,140	41,154	41,037	42,093	46,481

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Capital represent the equity capital of the LFC sector

(c) From 2018 onwards only details of Thrift and Credit Co-Operative Societies registered with Federation of Thrift and Credit Co-Operative Societies Ltd. are included.

MOBILISATION OF DEPOSITS

Item	Rupees million					Percentage Share				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019 ^(a)
Demand Deposits (Commercial Banks)	446,448	479,202	496,010	543,966	528,752	7.67	7.07	6.18	5.95	5.34
Savings Deposits	1,794,032	1,926,016	2,114,111	2,269,487	2,344,128	30.80	28.43	26.34	24.83	23.69
Licensed Commercial Banks	1,518,521	1,627,851	1,779,045	1,909,489	2,055,438	26.07	24.02	22.16	20.90	20.77
Licensed Specialised Banks	211,073	230,256	253,293	261,297	288,689	3.62	3.40	3.16	2.86	2.92
Licensed Finance Companies	22,568	22,184	30,014	34,601	33,528	0.39	0.33	0.37	0.38	0.34
Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies	1,203	3,225	5,820	12,145	30,924	0.02	0.05	0.07	0.13	0.31
Co-operative Rural Banks	40,666	42,500	45,939	51,955	77,331	0.70	0.63	0.57	0.57	0.68
Time Deposits	3,583,894	4,370,522	5,416,291	6,324,864	6,891,347	61.53	64.50	67.48	69.21	69.64
Licensed Commercial Banks	2,531,020	3,200,730	3,985,888	4,751,133	5,114,557	43.46	47.24	49.66	51.99	51.68
Licensed Specialised Banks	548,497	611,719	718,422	813,792	977,988	9.42	9.03	8.95	8.91	9.88
Licensed Finance Companies	457,486	507,688	655,670	681,317	722,234	7.85	7.49	8.17	7.46	7.30
Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies	401	1,075	n.a.	5,937	15,117	0.01	0.02	–	0.06	0.15
Co-operative Rural Banks	46,490	49,310	56,311	72,685	61,447	0.80	0.73	0.70	0.08	0.62
Total Deposits^(b)	5,824,374	6,775,740	8,026,412	9,138,316	9,896,006	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Provisional

(b) Demand, Savings & Time Deposits

n.a. – not available

Sources : Co-operative Development Department
Sanasa Federation
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SHARE MARKET INDICATORS

Item	Unit	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 ^(a)	2019 ^(b)
Turnover	Rs. mn.	340,917	253,251	176,935	220,591	200,069	171,408
Daily Turnover Average	Rs. mn.	1,415	1,060	737	915	834	711
Shares Traded	No. mn.	16,722	9,415	7,196	8,468	6,001	9,855
Trades	No.	1,982,709	1,506,790	1,056,849	981,977	885,657	1,197,205
Listed Companies	No.	294	294	295	296	297	289
Foreign Trading (Net)	Rs. mn.	21,139	-5,370	384	17,657	-23,247	-11,735
Purchases		104,690	84,415	74,583	112,285	77,067	56,537
Sales		83,551	89,784	74,199	94,627	100,315	68,272
Total Number of Shares Listed	mn.	78,751	84,920	89,638	94,476	100,418	101,811
Market Capitalisation	Rs. bn.	3,104.9	2,938.0	2,745.4	2,899.3	2,839.5	2,851.3
New Issues, No. (IPOs)	No.	6	2	3	1	2	0
Shares Offered	mn.	573	107	172	151	170	0
Value	Rs. mn.	2,694	330	1,898	960	1,953	0
CSE All Share Price Index (1985=100)		7,299.0	6,894.5	6,228.3	6,369.3	6,052.4	6,129.2
S & P SL20 Index ^(c)		4,089.1	3,625.7	3,496.4	3,671.7	3,135.2	2,937.0
Market Price Earning Ratio (PER)		19.7	18.0	12.4	10.6	9.7	10.8
Market Dividend Yield, %		2.1	2.2	2.8	3.2	3.1	3.2
Market Price to Book Value		2.2	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1

(a) Revised (b) Provisional

(c) The S & P SL20 index was introduced in June 2012, replacing the Milanka Price Index.

IPOs – Initial Public Offerings

Source : Colombo Stock Exchange