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The following general notes supplement the footnotes given below the individual tables:–

1. The data cover monthly figures available at the time the Bulletin goes to print, and the latest available information does not relate to the same month, in every table.

To enable comparison, annual figures for recent years are given.

2. In an attempt to bring the material up-to-date provisional figures are included in some tables.
3. Figures in some tables have been rounded off to the nearest final digit. Hence there may be a slight discrepancy between the total as shown and the sum of its components.
4. Differences as compared with previously published figures are due to subsequent revisions.
5. The following symbols have been used throughout:–

n.a. = not available
– = nil
... = negligible

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 1

Gross Value Added and Gross Domestic Product by Economic Activity^{(a)(b)(c)(d)}

Rs. million

| Economic Activity | At Current Market Prices | | | | | | | | At Constant (2010) Prices | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2016 | | | | 2017 | | | | 2016 | | | | 2017 | | | |
| | Qtr 1 | Qtr 2 | Qtr 3 | Qtr 4 | Qtr 1 | Qtr 2 | Qtr 3 | Qtr 4 | Qtr 1 | Qtr 2 | Qtr 3 | Qtr 4 | Qtr 1 | Qtr 2 | Qtr 3 | Qtr 4 |
| Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing | 209,710 | 224,672 | 218,266 | 237,954 | 219,697 | 259,523 | 251,155 | 293,750 | 154,640 | 158,749 | 164,358 | 166,515 | 147,784 | 153,752 | 159,478 | 178,265 |
| Growing of cereals (except rice) | 5,181 | 4,618 | 3,438 | 3,266 | 4,155 | 3,482 | 2,944 | 4,058 | 4,083 | 3,234 | 2,460 | 3,373 | 3,253 | 2,608 | 2,267 | 3,671 |
| Growing of rice | 13,474 | 18,175 | 16,302 | 24,858 | 8,478 | 15,472 | 17,029 | 69,440 | 10,652 | 12,679 | 12,033 | 17,024 | 5,373 | 7,549 | 8,081 | 29,266 |
| Growing of vegetables | 17,355 | 28,175 | 15,615 | 24,697 | 13,778 | 25,115 | 19,634 | 7,835 | 9,878 | 14,679 | 18,954 | 15,194 | 8,323 | 11,626 | 13,663 | 15,586 |
| Growing of sugar cane, tobacco and other non-perennial crops | 727 | 911 | 869 | 687 | 749 | 953 | 851 | 647 | 521 | 673 | 559 | 415 | 436 | 588 | 487 | 352 |
| Growing of fruits | 16,729 | 15,810 | 15,691 | 16,329 | 20,657 | 21,410 | 22,251 | 20,009 | 12,966 | 12,182 | 10,635 | 10,729 | 12,867 | 12,839 | 12,328 | 11,926 |
| Growing of oleaginous fruits (coconut, king coconut, oil palm) | 21,874 | 19,025 | 16,279 | 18,627 | 23,664 | 25,531 | 25,227 | 30,153 | 16,842 | 16,843 | 16,905 | 16,380 | 15,044 | 13,360 | 13,637 | 11,888 |
| Growing of tea (green leaves) | 17,213 | 21,827 | 18,239 | 24,854 | 24,815 | 34,318 | 28,561 | 29,001 | 15,429 | 18,329 | 14,125 | 16,086 | 14,588 | 19,581 | 16,609 | 16,243 |
| Growing of other beverage crops (coffee, cocoa etc.) | 346 | 550 | 603 | 597 | 501 | 538 | 514 | 491 | 338 | 338 | 338 | 338 | 317 | 317 | 317 | 317 |
| Growing of spices, aromatic, drug and pharmaceutical crops | 21,024 | 19,870 | 22,810 | 22,755 | 22,001 | 22,724 | 21,342 | 21,609 | 15,235 | 15,485 | 15,689 | 15,788 | 15,663 | 15,612 | 15,614 | 15,611 |
| Growing of rubber | 4,140 | 2,726 | 1,963 | 1,888 | 4,480 | 4,134 | 4,527 | 4,646 | 8,215 | 5,734 | 4,655 | 4,425 | 6,799 | 6,318 | 5,710 | 5,340 |
| Growing of other perennial crops | 6,268 | 6,197 | 6,468 | 6,741 | 6,040 | 6,029 | 6,476 | 5,681 | 4,235 | 4,175 | 4,050 | 4,024 | 4,289 | 4,365 | 4,246 | 3,839 |
| Animal production | 20,153 | 20,504 | 25,892 | 25,950 | 21,214 | 24,700 | 27,640 | 25,934 | 12,751 | 12,918 | 15,010 | 14,950 | 13,277 | 14,013 | 15,659 | 14,861 |
| Plant propagation and agricultural supporting activities | 3,631 | 3,630 | 3,729 | 3,900 | 3,745 | 3,685 | 3,657 | 3,764 | 2,429 | 2,609 | 2,692 | 2,479 | 2,595 | 2,588 | 2,634 | 2,433 |
| Forestry and logging | 19,105 | 21,237 | 23,785 | 19,689 | 22,098 | 25,752 | 27,168 | 25,076 | 12,429 | 13,054 | 15,088 | 12,098 | 14,576 | 15,804 | 18,363 | 15,518 |
| Marine fishing and marine aquaculture | 40,277 | 38,951 | 41,629 | 38,444 | 40,746 | 43,112 | 37,584 | 37,691 | 26,668 | 23,742 | 26,103 | 28,581 | 27,994 | 24,325 | 24,559 | 26,160 |
| Fresh water fishing and fresh water aquaculture | 2,210 | 2,468 | 4,956 | 4,673 | 2,574 | 2,568 | 5,748 | 7,713 | 1,967 | 2,074 | 5,062 | 4,632 | 2,390 | 2,260 | 5,305 | 5,253 |
| Industries | 887,211 | 721,796 | 811,866 | 828,114 | 993,413 | 813,149 | 925,507 | 910,408 | 666,641 | 523,134 | 595,941 | 613,569 | 691,150 | 552,373 | 627,505 | 638,801 |
| Mining and quarrying | 72,036 | 69,458 | 82,803 | 90,825 | 85,549 | 82,340 | 84,877 | 102,883 | 51,594 | 47,406 | 57,243 | 62,344 | 59,077 | 56,432 | 57,053 | 68,137 |
| Manufacture of food, beverages & tobacco products | 256,556 | 189,459 | 229,246 | 191,659 | 288,845 | 210,127 | 265,239 | 212,634 | 157,214 | 112,318 | 144,204 | 114,058 | 158,331 | 111,270 | 142,986 | 123,395 |
| Manufacture of textiles, wearing apparel and leather related products | 142,112 | 78,149 | 127,245 | 55,035 | 164,401 | 92,596 | 164,401 | 66,469 | 102,426 | 53,239 | 91,465 | 40,629 | 105,254 | 56,396 | 100,822 | 41,819 |
| Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture | 8,667 | 3,250 | 5,379 | 10,474 | 7,540 | 2,700 | 5,252 | 9,303 | 9,914 | 3,720 | 6,166 | 11,866 | 9,773 | 3,505 | 6,698 | 11,581 |
| Manufacture of paper products, printing and reproduction of media products | 14,174 | 7,912 | 8,212 | 13,189 | 15,581 | 7,928 | 8,321 | 12,853 | 10,274 | 5,488 | 5,346 | 9,396 | 12,023 | 5,849 | 5,857 | 9,507 |
| Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products | 1,606 | 1,064 | 1,065 | 1,314 | 1,395 | 997 | 866 | 1,431 | 13,569 | 5,189 | 6,176 | 6,310 | 11,739 | 4,444 | 6,157 | 7,403 |
| Manufacture of chemical products and basic pharmaceutical products | 19,535 | 25,313 | 18,936 | 23,660 | 19,724 | 23,918 | 19,366 | 24,761 | 19,454 | 25,116 | 18,848 | 23,512 | 20,458 | 23,821 | 19,703 | 25,193 |
| Manufacture of rubber and plastic products | 12,081 | 26,706 | 24,756 | 30,664 | 13,094 | 30,421 | 28,054 | 35,509 | 11,388 | 25,085 | 23,292 | 28,870 | 11,924 | 27,372 | 24,973 | 32,098 |
| Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products | 23,090 | 24,382 | 20,093 | 30,052 | 28,185 | 27,286 | 21,078 | 26,412 | 15,971 | 16,162 | 12,999 | 22,037 | 19,152 | 18,610 | 14,791 | 20,230 |
| Manufacture of basic metals and fabricated metal products | 15,682 | 7,959 | 11,761 | 18,135 | 20,151 | 9,939 | 15,513 | 23,341 | 10,987 | 5,207 | 7,813 | 12,179 | 12,031 | 5,568 | 8,635 | 13,079 |
| Manufacture of machinery and equipment | 13,389 | 7,805 | 11,244 | 18,611 | 18,298 | 9,120 | 13,201 | 22,333 | 11,570 | 6,894 | 9,926 | 16,697 | 14,430 | 7,170 | 10,221 | 16,283 |
| Manufacture of furniture | 23,428 | 16,484 | 18,506 | 22,296 | 23,732 | 20,146 | 20,995 | 22,643 | 29,994 | 18,732 | 20,996 | 28,236 | 30,240 | 22,867 | 20,927 | 28,681 |
| Other manufacturing, and repair and installation of machinery and equipment | 16,746 | 14,519 | 15,565 | 17,784 | 20,145 | 16,896 | 19,194 | 18,226 | 20,777 | 16,017 | 17,135 | 19,043 | 21,434 | 16,076 | 21,446 | 16,918 |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | 19,712 | 21,736 | 22,641 | 22,785 | 20,258 | 22,727 | 23,140 | 21,980 | 22,443 | 22,643 | 23,971 | 23,293 | 22,654 | 23,509 | 24,818 | 23,837 |
| Water collection, treatment and supply | 4,291 | 4,600 | 4,500 | 4,428 | 4,354 | 4,490 | 4,586 | 4,302 | 2,832 | 3,304 | 3,438 | 3,397 | 3,375 | 3,420 | 3,423 | 3,351 |
| Sewerage, waste, treatment and disposal activities | 4,729 | 4,859 | 4,976 | 4,953 | 4,905 | 4,938 | 5,154 | 5,234 | 5,997 | 6,521 | 6,503 | 6,518 | 6,692 | 6,917 | 7,044 | 6,914 |
| Construction | 239,375 | 218,142 | 204,938 | 272,251 | 257,257 | 246,580 | 236,959 | 300,094 | 170,238 | 150,092 | 140,418 | 185,186 | 172,563 | 159,148 | 151,950 | 190,375 |
| Services | 1,556,014 | 1,636,936 | 1,729,456 | 1,848,262 | 1,730,670 | 1,788,396 | 1,892,094 | 2,001,128 | 1,165,176 | 1,272,550 | 1,324,877 | 1,361,414 | 1,215,419 | 1,307,232 | 1,361,395 | 1,405,361 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 302,216 | 360,648 | 320,229 | 286,738 | 334,781 | 392,007 | 350,750 | 326,999 | 234,558 | 268,686 | 238,922 | 214,572 | 244,714 | 274,898 | 246,795 | 227,094 |
| Transportation of goods and passengers including warehousing | 304,031 | 294,108 | 363,399 | 464,371 | 335,630 | 308,179 | 406,894 | 425,764 | 206,400 | 206,020 | 271,312 | 298,911 | 220,068 | 192,729 | 275,177 | 303,752 |
| Postal and courier activities | 1,075 | 1,196 | 1,306 | 1,313 | 1,122 | 1,271 | 1,311 | 1,332 | 1,056 | 914 | 1,006 | 1,284 | 1,084 | 1,003 | 1,078 | 1,259 |
| Accommodation, food and beverage service activities | 44,350 | 44,794 | 45,869 | 50,026 | 49,565 | 49,898 | 51,391 | 56,200 | 34,315 | 33,731 | 34,241 | 37,155 | 36,004 | 35,343 | 36,238 | 38,846 |
| Programming and broadcasting activities and audio video productions | 1,229 | 1,101 | 1,178 | 1,301 | 1,294 | 1,276 | 1,199 | 1,114 | 704 | 640 | 683 | 803 | 771 | 870 | 783 | 781 |
| Telecommunication | 17,215 | 15,873 | 17,672 | 16,045 | 17,852 | 19,726 | 19,563 | 19,563 | 9,265 | 9,322 | 8,635 | 9,760 | 9,421 | 11,126 | 9,975 | 10,913 |
| IT programming consultancy and related activities | 4,049 | 4,401 | 4,270 | 4,551 | 4,455 | 4,882 | 4,753 | 5,090 | 3,132 | 3,314 | 3,187 | 3,382 | 3,236 | 3,458 | 3,352 | 3,518 |
| Financial service activities and auxiliary financial services | 84,314 | 93,151 | 105,900 | 123,403 | 109,846 | 120,827 | 126,955 | 141,549 | 108,188 | 160,062 | 142,682 | 143,589 | 118,086 | 177,044 | 156,712 | 154,626 |
| Insurance, reinsurance and pension funding | 28,683 | 17,883 | 33,137 | 41,019 | 29,755 | 21,903 | 30,105 | 62,082 | 15,204 | 17,005 | 33,477 | 23,313 | 16,616 | 17,614 | 37,071 | 22,787 |
| Real estate activities, including ownership of dwelling | 166,906 | 166,827 | 175,255 | 181,158 | 184,695 | 190,162 | 192,915 | 202,473 | 129,104 | 125,577 | 130,786 | 134,613 | 134,141 | 134,655 | 136,004 | 139,928 |
| Professional services | 48,329 | 51,725 | 51,697 | 50,225 | 52,159 | 56,449 | 57,653 | 58,169 | 37,388 | 38,954 | 38,585 | 37,301 | 37,879 | 39,982 | 40,644 | 40,214 |
| Public administration and defense; compulsory social security | 152,786 | 162,518 | 169,525 | 193,846 | 172,039 | 175,153 | 187,313 | 211,935 | 101,237 | 106,872 | 113,772 | 130,705 | 96,330 | 101,903 | 108,257 | 124,181 |
| Education | 61,205 | 66,398 | 67,640 | 61,641 | 66,874 | 59,464 | 68,373 | 71,608 | 40,952 | 40,315 | 43,138 | 47,421 | 42,618 | 41,607 | 40,888 | 47,584 |
| Human health activities, residential care and social work activities | 63,326 | 64,888 | 73,877 | 64,279 | 66,796 | 65,417 | 66,966 | 76,957 | 29,210 | 43,712 | 41,573 | 47,905 | 32,465 | 49,157 | 38,784 | 53,744 |
| Other personal service activities | 276,301 | 291,625 | 298,502 | 308,346 | 303,808 | 321,781 | 325,955 | 340,295 | 214,464 | 217,426 | 222,878 | 230,518 | 221,983 | 225,844 | 229,636 | 236,134 |
| Equals Gross Value Added (GVA), at basic price | 2,652,934 | 2,583,404 | 2,759,588 | 2,914,330 | 2,943,780 | 2,861,068 | 3,068,756 | 3,205,285 | 1,986,457 | 1,954,433 | 2,085,175 | 2,141,498 | 2,054,354 | 2,013,357 | 2,148,377 | 2,222,427 |
| (+) Taxes less Subsidies on Products | 254,307 | 288,969 | 182,494 | 270,724 | 318,667 | 293,015 | 272,790 | 353,929 | 98,614 | 164,261 | 203,261 | 400,592 | 100,893 | 169,765 | 214,321 | 409,723 |
| Equals Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at market price | 2,907,241 | 2,872,374 | 2,942,083 | 3,185,054 | 3,262,447 | 3,154,083 | 3,341,547 | 3,559,215 | 2,085,071 | 2,118,694 | 2,288,436 | 2,542,090 | 2,155,247 | 2,183,122 | 2,362,698 | 2,632,150 |

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

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 2

Agricultural Production Indices

2007 - 2010 = 100 (a)

| Year | Overall Index (b) | Plantation | Tea | Rubber | Coconut | Paddy (c) | Other Field Crops (c) | Vegetable (c) | Livestock (d) | Fish |
|----------|-------------------|------------|-------|--------|---------|-----------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| 2015 | 127.3 | 97.5 | 105.5 | 66.0 | 107.9 | 128.9 | 144.6 | 136.1 | 147.2 | 155.9 |
| 2016 (e) | 127.2 | 90.5 | 93.9 | 59.0 | 106.3 | 118.2 | 138.5 | 141.2 | 158.2 | 159.1 |
| 2017 (f) | 113.3 | 86.4 | 98.8 | 61.9 | 86.5 | 63.7 | 117.9 | 123.4 | 164.8 | 159.2 |
| 2015 | 3rd Qtr | 100.9 | 101.0 | 57.9 | 112.3 | | | | | 154.2 |
| | 4th Qtr | 96.2 | 96.1 | 55.9 | 106.2 | 103.9 | 115.4 | 107.6 | | 162.5 |
| 2016 (e) | 1st Qtr | 94.5 | 89.9 | 84.0 | 103.2 | | | | | 150.6 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 101.2 | 105.9 | 58.7 | 106.3 | 155.2 | 167.8 | 150.4 | | 136.2 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 89.3 | 82.3 | 48.4 | 109.3 | | | | | 169.7 |
| | 4th Qtr | 83.9 | 74.8 | 45.3 | 106.1 | 81.2 | 109.3 | 124.5 | | 180.0 |
| 2017 (f) | 1st Qtr | 87.8 | 84.9 | 69.6 | 96.5 | | | | | 161.7 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 98.2 | 114.7 | 64.8 | 85.5 | 72.7 | 146.6 | 154.2 | | 141.5 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 89.4 | 97.2 | 58.5 | 87.3 | | | | | 163.5 |
| | 4th Qtr | 83.6 | 95.8 | 50.7 | 76.2 | 48.6 | 99.2 | 116.2 | | 170.2 |

(a) The average values used for the base values in the index was changed from the period 1997–2000 to 2007–2010.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Overall indices are available only on annual basis because of the seasonal nature of certain crops.

(c) Maha production index in the 2nd quarter and Yala production index in the 4th quarter.

(d) Computed only on annual basis due to data limitations.

(e) Revised

(f) Provisional

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 3

Production of Tea, Rubber and Coconut

| Period | Tea (mn kg) | | | | Rubber (mn kg) | | | | Coconut (mn nuts) | | | | Total (a) | |
|----------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-------|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | High Grown | Medium Grown | Low Grown | Total | Sheet | Crepe | Other | Total | Local Consumption | Desiccated Coconut | Coco-nut Oil | Other | | |
| 2015 | 76.9 | 49.7 | 202.4 | 328.8 | 44.4 | 11.1 | 33.1 | 88.6 | 1,873.8 | 325.9 | 396.3 | 437.8 | 3,056.0 | |
| 2016 | 64.4 | 44.5 | 183.6 | 292.6 | 39.8 | 15.0 | 24.6 | 79.1 | 1,786.7 | 398.6 | 347.7 | 475.9 | 3,011.0 | |
| 2017 (b) | 64.6 | 45.7 | 197.4 | 307.7 | 41.5 | 11.5 | 30.1 | 83.1 | 1,655.5 | 266.0 | 66.9 | 457.6 | 2,449.6 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 16.2 | 10.7 | 43.5 | 70.4 | 14.1 | 4.5 | 9.6 | 28.2 | 446.7 | 90.5 | 87.5 | 106.4 | 731.1 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 20.2 | 13.6 | 50.0 | 83.8 | 9.9 | 3.3 | 6.6 | 19.7 | 446.7 | 99.4 | 92.9 | 113.6 | 752.7 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 12.6 | 9.5 | 42.6 | 64.7 | 8.2 | 3.1 | 4.9 | 16.3 | 446.7 | 113.5 | 83.0 | 130.7 | 773.9 |
| | 4th Qtr | 15.5 | 10.7 | 47.5 | 73.6 | 7.6 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 15.2 | 446.7 | 95.1 | 84.3 | 198.4 | 751.2 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Qtr | 14.5 | 9.9 | 41.7 | 66.2 | 11.7 | 4.6 | 7.1 | 23.3 | 439.7 | 79.4 | 45.7 | 118.4 | 683.5 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 21.0 | 14.1 | 54.2 | 89.4 | 10.9 | 2.3 | 8.6 | 21.7 | 418.9 | 68.6 | 13.9 | 103.9 | 605.5 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 13.7 | 10.6 | 51.4 | 75.7 | 9.8 | 2.2 | 7.6 | 19.6 | 410.2 | 81.2 | 3.1 | 123.8 | 618.2 |
| | 4th Qtr | 14.8 | 10.7 | 48.8 | 74.4 | 8.5 | 2.0 | 6.4 | 17.0 | 386.7 | 36.8 | 4.2 | 111.6 | 539.4 |
| 2017 (b) | Feb | 4.0 | 2.7 | 11.8 | 18.5 | 4.4 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 8.8 | 151.8 | 23.8 | 14.8 | 34.1 | 224.5 |
| | Mar | 6.0 | 4.5 | 16.0 | 26.4 | 4.0 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 8.0 | 136.4 | 28.5 | 9.0 | 44.6 | 218.5 |
| | Apr | 8.4 | 5.2 | 19.2 | 32.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 | 3.0 | 7.5 | 137.4 | 15.1 | 3.2 | 29.8 | 185.4 |
| | May | 7.6 | 5.0 | 16.9 | 29.5 | 3.8 | 0.8 | 2.9 | 7.6 | 137.1 | 23.6 | 5.5 | 33.6 | 199.9 |
| | Jun | 5.1 | 3.9 | 18.1 | 27.1 | 3.3 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 6.6 | 144.4 | 29.9 | 5.3 | 40.6 | 220.1 |
| | Jul | 4.8 | 3.7 | 17.0 | 25.6 | 3.1 | 0.5 | 2.6 | 6.3 | 136.9 | 25.3 | 2.3 | 43.3 | 207.7 |
| | Aug | 4.1 | 3.3 | 17.2 | 24.7 | 3.4 | 0.9 | 2.6 | 6.9 | 136.8 | 33.2 | 0.1 | 41.7 | 211.8 |
| | Sep | 4.7 | 3.6 | 17.1 | 25.5 | 3.3 | 0.8 | 2.4 | 6.5 | 136.5 | 22.7 | 0.7 | 38.7 | 198.7 |
| | Oct | 4.9 | 3.7 | 16.9 | 25.5 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 2.1 | 5.5 | 129.1 | 19.1 | 1.1 | 40.2 | 189.6 |
| | Nov | 5.2 | 3.6 | 16.2 | 25.0 | 2.6 | 0.7 | 1.9 | 5.3 | 128.7 | 11.1 | 1.5 | 38.0 | 179.3 |
| | Dec | 4.7 | 3.5 | 15.7 | 23.9 | 3.1 | 0.7 | 2.4 | 6.3 | 129.0 | 6.6 | 1.6 | 33.3 | 170.5 |
| 2018 (c) | Jan | 5.1 | 3.2 | 16.0 | 24.3 | 3.4 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 6.7 | 137.9 | 9.6 | 0.6 | 35.4 | 183.6 |
| | Feb | 5.0 | 3.1 | 12.9 | 21.1 | 3.5 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 6.9 | 141.0 | 9.8 | 0.8 | 37.1 | 188.8 |

(a) The monthly and quarterly figures do not add up to the annual total due to the adjustment for changes in Copra stocks and revision in the estimates of local consumption.

Sources : Sri Lanka Tea Board
Rubber Development Department
Ministry of Plantation Industries

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

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TABLE 4

Paddy Production

| Year | Maha | | | | Yala | | | | Total | | | |
|----------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| | Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000) | Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000) | Production (mt '000) | Yield per ha. (kg.) | Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000) | Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000) | Production (mt '000) | Yield per ha. (kg.) | Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000) | Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000) | Production (mt '000) | Yield per ha. (kg.) |
| 2010 | 646 | 574 | 2,630 | 4,583 | 419 | 376 | 1,671 | 4,444 | 1,065 | 950 | 4,301 | 4,527 |
| 2011 | 730 | 544 | 1,996 | 3,668 | 493 | 437 | 1,898 | 4,347 | 1,223 | 981 | 3,894 | 3,970 |
| 2012 | 702 | 611 | 2,717 | 4,444 | 365 | 272 | 1,129 | 4,145 | 1,067 | 883 | 3,846 | 4,353 |
| 2013 | 780 | 665 | 2,846 | 4,281 | 448 | 403 | 1,774 | 4,408 | 1,227 | 1,067 | 4,621 | 4,329 |
| 2014 | 651 | 521 | 2,236 | 4,222 | 313 | 272 | 1,145 | 4,204 | 964 | 793 | 3,381 | 4,264 |
| 2015 | 773 | 659 | 2,877 | 4,364 | 481 | 429 | 1,942 | 4,527 | 1,253 | 1,088 | 4,819 | 4,428 |
| 2016 | 756 | 667 | 2,903 | 4,349 | 385 | 344 | 1,517 | 4,417 | 1,141 | 1,011 | 4,420 | 4,372 |
| 2017 (a) | 543 | 343 | 1,474 | 4,301 | 792 | 555 | 2,383 | 4,291 | 1,335 | 898 | 3,857 | 4,295 |

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

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TABLE 5

Rainfall and Rainy Days

| Area | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 (a) | | | | 2017 (b) | | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|----------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
| | | | | 1st Qtr | 2nd Qtr | 3rd Qtr | 4th Qtr | 1st Qtr | 2nd Qtr | 3rd Qtr | 4th Qtr |
| Rainfall (mm) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anuradhapura | 2,215 | 1,035 | 1,644 | 70 | 584 | 14 | 367 | 290 | 349 | 287 | 719 |
| Bandarawela | 2,015 | 862 | 1,999 | 159 | 342 | 103 | 258 | 408 | 373 | 215 | 1,003 |
| Colombo | 2,938 | 2,357 | 2,281 | 263 | 1,071 | 79 | 944 | 309 | 566 | 473 | 934 |
| Hambantota | 1,316 | 666 | 1,169 | 67 | 249 | 42 | 307 | 313 | 245 | 99 | 511 |
| Katugastota | 1,977 | 1,300 | 1,566 | 166 | 724 | 93 | 317 | 462 | 267 | 245 | 592 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 2,021 | 1,138 | 1,708 | 171 | 526 | 208 | 234 | 430 | 296 | 329 | 653 |
| Ratnapura | 3,462 | 2,833 | 4,308 | 422 | 1,428 | 427 | 555 | 336 | 1,561 | 1,148 | 1,264 |
| Trincomalee | 2,030 | 996 | 1,779 | 167 | 336 | 149 | 344 | 433 | 41 | 373 | 931 |
| No. of Rainy Days | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anuradhapura | 131 | 76 | 91 | 14 | 30 | 2 | 30 | 21 | 15 | 22 | 33 |
| Bandarawela | 180 | 101 | 151 | 25 | 28 | 10 | 38 | 31 | 32 | 28 | 60 |
| Colombo | 209 | 133 | 158 | 20 | 54 | 15 | 44 | 19 | 47 | 43 | 49 |
| Hambantota | 118 | 74 | 108 | 8 | 29 | 7 | 30 | 24 | 23 | 20 | 41 |
| Katugastota | 192 | 131 | 158 | 17 | 55 | 25 | 34 | 28 | 38 | 45 | 47 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 207 | 154 | 182 | 22 | 52 | 42 | 38 | 34 | 39 | 52 | 57 |
| Ratnapura | 236 | 204 | 238 | 30 | 76 | 53 | 45 | 35 | 71 | 68 | 64 |
| Trincomalee | 110 | 73 | 99 | 14 | 7 | 14 | 38 | 21 | 3 | 27 | 48 |

(a) Revised
(b) Provisional

Source : Department of Meteorology

Selected Industrial Production Indicators

| Period | Index of Industrial Production (a) | Electricity Usage in Industry (GWh) (b) | | | Domestic Sales of Furnace Oil in Industry ('000 mt) (c) | Selected Industrial Exports (US \$ mn) (d) | |
|----------|------------------------------------|---|-----------------|----------------|---|--|---------|
| | | Small Industry | Medium Industry | Large Industry | | | |
| 2015 | 100.0 | 291.0 | 1,823.1 | 1,504.1 | 408.4 | 7,643.2 | |
| 2016 (e) | 103.3 | 330.3 | 1,942.5 | 1,591.3 | 618.5 | 7,653.3 | |
| 2017 (f) | 105.8 | 265.5 | 1,654.5 | 1,438.4 | 780.5 | 8,107.5 | |
| 2016 (e) | 1st Quarter | 104.3 | 79.0 | 464.3 | 390.3 | 146.2 | 2,091.4 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 101.6 | 80.5 | 477.1 | 373.7 | 118.1 | 1,780.8 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 103.1 | 86.8 | 501.7 | 403.4 | 137.7 | 1,930.9 |
| | 4th Quarter | 104.1 | 84.1 | 499.4 | 423.9 | 216.6 | 1,850.2 |
| 2017 (f) | 1st Quarter | 106.0 | 80.1 | 492.5 | 419.7 | 202.1 | 2,016.0 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 102.1 | 79.6 | 481.7 | 412.8 | 189.2 | 1,872.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 107.2 | 81.0 | 514.2 | 455.4 | 215.6 | 2,125.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 108.1 | 24.8 | 166.1 | 150.5 | 173.6 | 2,093.4 |
| 2017 (f) | February | 103.4 | 26.1 | 151.5 | 136.7 | 60.5 | 632.2 |
| | March | 110.1 | 26.7 | 178.6 | 143.0 | 68.0 | 745.3 |
| | April | 98.3 | 28.5 | 151.2 | 137.0 | 62.6 | 565.3 |
| | May | 103.7 | 25.0 | 163.2 | 132.6 | 69.7 | 586.8 |
| | June | 104.4 | 26.2 | 167.2 | 143.2 | 57.0 | 720.7 |
| | July | 104.8 | 26.9 | 170.4 | 147.8 | 75.5 | 721.0 |
| | August | 109.0 | 27.5 | 176.6 | 155.6 | 63.4 | 700.0 |
| | September | 107.7 | 26.6 | 167.2 | 152.0 | 76.8 | 704.3 |
| | October | 108.0 | 27.0 | 170.0 | 155.7 | 50.6 | 690.1 |
| | November | 108.6 | 24.4 | 166.0 | 145.9 | 63.4 | 669.4 |
| | December | 107.7 | 23.2 | 162.4 | 150.0 | 59.7 | 733.9 |
| | 2018 (f) | January | 108.9 | 25.5 | 166.1 | 153.1 | 86.7 |
| February | | 103.9 | 26.9 | 159.2 | 145.5 | 49.8 | 657.8 |

(a) Based on the Index of Industrial Production compiled by the Department of Census and Statistics (2015 = 100).

(b) (1) Includes manufacturing and export processing industries. Small industry is defined as those units having supply of electricity at 400/230 volts and contract demand is less than 42 kVA, medium industry as supply of electricity at 400/230 volts and contract demand is equal or more than 42 kVA and large industry as supply of electricity at 11 kVA and above.

(2) Figures include electricity consumption of hotels.

(c) Sales other than to Ceylon Electricity Board.

(d) Excluding petroleum exports.

(e) Revised

(f) Provisional

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Department of Census and Statistics
Ceylon Electricity Board
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Sri Lanka Customs

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TABLE 7

Index of Industrial Production for Major Divisions^(a)

2015 = 100

| Period | Overall Index (IIP) | Food Products | Beverages | Tobacco Products | Wearing Apparel | Coke and Refined Petroleum Products | Chemical and Chemical Products | Rubber and Plastic Products | Other Non-metallic Mineral Products | Basic Metal Products | Textiles | Electrical Equipment | Manufacture of Paper and Paper Products |
|-------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|----------|----------------------|---|
| 2015 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 2016 | 103.3 | 101.7 | 103.6 | 105.1 | 105.7 | 99.1 | 104.2 | 103.7 | 104.7 | 108.1 | 104.0 | 98.2 | 111.0 |
| 2017 (b) | 105.8 | 105.0 | 91.5 | 106.3 | 110.7 | 94.3 | 96.6 | 108.0 | 111.5 | 120.8 | 106.4 | 99.9 | 108.4 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 104.3 | 101.5 | 100.1 | 103.6 | 106.5 | 113.3 | 120.7 | 104.8 | 94.8 | 106.8 | 102.3 | 101.3 | 119.4 |
| 2nd Quarter | 101.6 | 102.5 | 100.2 | 102.4 | 106.0 | 91.5 | 96.8 | 101.6 | 102.3 | 102.3 | 102.9 | 100.7 | 102.3 |
| 3rd Quarter | 103.1 | 101.9 | 104.3 | 114.5 | 103.8 | 99.8 | 99.9 | 104.0 | 105.2 | 110.0 | 106.1 | 93.0 | 103.9 |
| 4th Quarter | 104.1 | 101.0 | 110.0 | 100.0 | 106.4 | 91.8 | 99.2 | 104.2 | 116.4 | 113.4 | 104.7 | 97.7 | 118.3 |
| 2017 (b) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 106.0 | 105.3 | 98.0 | 100.9 | 111.6 | 87.0 | 102.3 | 104.3 | 118.3 | 115.1 | 104.1 | 108.8 | 106.4 |
| 2nd Quarter | 102.1 | 101.4 | 92.1 | 97.1 | 108.0 | 88.1 | 82.0 | 107.0 | 108.4 | 113.8 | 104.1 | 103.3 | 106.9 |
| 3rd Quarter | 107.2 | 106.9 | 90.1 | 117.0 | 108.8 | 98.3 | 100.3 | 108.4 | 109.5 | 131.4 | 108.8 | 99.8 | 107.2 |
| 4th Quarter | 108.1 | 106.5 | 86.0 | 110.4 | 114.3 | 103.7 | 101.9 | 112.2 | 110.0 | 122.9 | 108.8 | 87.7 | 113.3 |
| 2017 (b) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 103.4 | 102.9 | 93.1 | 95.6 | 110.7 | 89.1 | 102.3 | 100.1 | 110.7 | 120.2 | 93.5 | 102.9 | 104.7 |
| March | 110.1 | 109.3 | 99.1 | 100.5 | 112.6 | 93.8 | 107.2 | 112.0 | 124.3 | 108.2 | 115.7 | 120.3 | 111.8 |
| April | 98.3 | 102.2 | 91.9 | 79.2 | 96.0 | 93.4 | 71.9 | 95.6 | 111.7 | 102.1 | 99.4 | 100.7 | 103.2 |
| May | 103.7 | 100.2 | 88.1 | 99.4 | 110.3 | 101.5 | 80.5 | 115.0 | 110.0 | 117.1 | 105.2 | 105.1 | 108.9 |
| June | 104.4 | 101.9 | 96.2 | 112.6 | 117.8 | 69.4 | 93.7 | 110.6 | 103.4 | 122.2 | 107.6 | 104.1 | 108.8 |
| July | 104.8 | 103.5 | 91.8 | 111.3 | 109.4 | 83.2 | 97.4 | 108.0 | 110.1 | 123.2 | 110.7 | 104.2 | 108.5 |
| August | 109.0 | 109.7 | 87.4 | 122.6 | 109.8 | 106.1 | 100.8 | 106.9 | 109.3 | 135.7 | 105.1 | 107.0 | 109.3 |
| September | 107.7 | 107.6 | 91.0 | 117.2 | 107.2 | 105.8 | 102.7 | 110.5 | 109.0 | 135.4 | 110.5 | 88.1 | 103.7 |
| October | 108.0 | 104.6 | 84.7 | 119.6 | 112.7 | 105.4 | 99.6 | 112.7 | 110.6 | 123.6 | 115.4 | 95.5 | 120.0 |
| November | 108.6 | 105.3 | 85.1 | 120.5 | 114.8 | 102.5 | 104.7 | 112.0 | 113.5 | 123.8 | 116.4 | 92.0 | 108.6 |
| December | 107.7 | 109.6 | 88.2 | 91.1 | 115.4 | 103.1 | 101.2 | 111.8 | 105.8 | 121.2 | 94.6 | 75.4 | 111.2 |
| 2018 (c) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 108.9 | 107.3 | 98.1 | 108.6 | 114.3 | 108.1 | 110.0 | 111.5 | 117.1 | 129.9 | 87.7 | 97.4 | 83.2 |
| February | 103.9 | 106.6 | 100.7 | 73.6 | 119.4 | 56.6 | 99.4 | 108.0 | 107.6 | 138.9 | 88.2 | 97.6 | 78.4 |

(a) Based on the Index of Industrial Production compiled by the Department of Census and Statistics

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

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TABLE 8

Investments, Exports and Employment in BOI Enterprises^{(a)(b)}

| Period | No. of Units | | Foreign Envisaged Investment (Rs. mn) | | Total Envisaged Investment (Rs. mn) | | No. of Units in Commercial Operation as at end of the period | Export Earnings (FOB) (Rs. mn.) | Actual Local Employment (No.) as at end of Year |
|----------------------|--------------|------------|--|------------|--|------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| | Approvals | Agreements | Approvals | Agreements | Approvals | Agreements | | | |
| 2015 | 192 | 134 | 182,288 | 94,496 | 396,756 | 220,733 | 2,203 | 896,899 | 490,675 |
| 2016 (c) | 181 | 173 | 1,000,173 | 520,127 | 1,340,719 | 739,271 | 2,207 | 1,062,131 | n.a. |
| 2017 (d) | 124 | 94 | 449,933 | 307,779 | 670,144 | 488,891 | 2,143 | 1,131,150 | n.a. |
| 2016 (c) 1st Quarter | 70 | 47 | 23,575 | 4,371 | 97,352 | 42,399 | 2,223 | 281,597 | n.a. |
| 2nd Quarter | 48 | 91 | 101,536 | 65,850 | 138,225 | 223,434 | 2,214 | 255,423 | n.a. |
| 3rd Quarter | 28 | 12 | 20,767 | 2,884 | 55,818 | 12,123 | 2,223 | 271,426 | n.a. |
| 4th Quarter | 35 | 23 | 854,295 | 447,022 | 1,049,324 | 461,315 | 2,207 | 253,684 | n.a. |
| 2017 (d) 1st Quarter | 35 | 18 | 7,636 | 9,895 | 28,679 | 27,603 | 2,183 | 263,418 | n.a. |
| 2nd Quarter | 34 | 29 | 127,991 | 20,719 | 172,962 | 88,231 | 2,157 | 264,788 | n.a. |
| 3rd Quarter | 35 | 26 | 17,302 | 5,055 | 77,622 | 19,409 | 2,136 | 297,485 | n.a. |
| 4th Quarter | 20 | 21 | 297,004 | 272,110 | 390,881 | 353,648 | 2,143 | 305,460 | n.a. |
| 2017 (d) February | 14 | 2 | 2,477 | 5,157 | 8,404 | 5,956 | 2,192 | 65,675 | n.a. |
| March | 16 | 8 | 3,897 | 4,076 | 13,488 | 15,682 | 2,183 | 106,288 | n.a. |
| April | 10 | 11 | 22,573 | 1,721 | 46,323 | 4,294 | 2,188 | 79,247 | n.a. |
| May | 17 | 8 | 88,120 | 3,648 | 96,926 | 9,717 | 2,181 | 82,193 | n.a. |
| June | 7 | 10 | 17,298 | 15,350 | 29,713 | 74,221 | 2,157 | 103,348 | n.a. |
| July | 16 | 7 | 2,376 | 1,219 | 11,559 | 2,259 | 2,141 | 105,362 | n.a. |
| August | 15 | 9 | 12,902 | 401 | 61,792 | 5,569 | 2,229 | 98,667 | n.a. |
| September | 4 | 10 | 2,024 | 3,436 | 4,271 | 11,581 | 2,136 | 93,456 | n.a. |
| October | 8 | 4 | 26,603 | 4,734 | 34,820 | 7,818 | 2,144 | 100,678 | n.a. |
| November | 9 | 6 | 268,363 | 8,709 | 348,238 | 14,455 | 2,128 | 97,179 | n.a. |
| December | 3 | 11 | 2,039 | 258,667 | 7,824 | 331,376 | 2,143 | 107,603 | n.a. |
| 2018 (d) January | 7 | 8 | 6,601 | 4,130 | 16,846 | 5,754 | 2,135 | 102,276 | n.a. |
| February | 15 | 4 | 98,974 | 0 | 157,793 | 2,209 | 2,114 | 95,887 | n.a. |

(a) Projects approved under Section 17 of the BOI Law.

(b) Includes expanded projects.

(c) Revised

(d) Provisional

n.a. – not available

Source : Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 9

Telecommunication Services

| Period | Wireline Telephones in Services | Fixed Access CDMA & Wireless Local Loop Phones | Telephone Density - Fixed lines (Telephones per 100 persons) | Cellular Mobile Telephones | Telephone Density - including Cellular (Telephones per 100 persons) | Internet Connections (a) | Public Payphone Booths |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 2015 | 1,128,291 | 1,472,905 | 12.41 | 24,384,544 | 128.71 | 4,090,920 | 5,809 |
| 2016 | 1,166,348 | 1,384,084 | 12.03 | 26,227,631 | 135.73 | 4,920,554 | 5,301 |
| 2017 (b) | 1,198,483 | 1,404,695 | 12.14 | 28,199,083 | 143.64 | 5,904,260 | 5,137 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 1,139,794 | 1,464,428 | 12.28 | 24,568,745 | 128.16 | 4,202,247 | 5,705 |
| 2nd Quarter | 1,152,561 | 1,444,736 | 12.25 | 24,695,535 | 128.72 | 4,232,291 | 5,416 |
| 3rd Quarter | 1,161,328 | 1,401,489 | 12.09 | 25,869,563 | 134.10 | 4,560,973 | 5,310 |
| 4th Quarter | 1,166,348 | 1,384,084 | 12.03 | 26,227,631 | 135.73 | 4,920,554 | 5,301 |
| 2017 (b) | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 1,175,675 | 1,361,763 | 11.83 | 27,157,647 | 138.48 | 5,220,879 | 5,297 |
| 2nd Quarter | 1,183,107 | 1,331,047 | 11.72 | 28,113,153 | 142.82 | 5,479,328 | 5,184 |
| 3rd Quarter | 1,189,953 | 1,306,061 | 11.64 | 28,228,635 | 143.28 | 5,641,748 | 5,141 |
| 4th Quarter | 1,198,483 | 1,404,695 | 12.14 | 28,199,083 | 143.64 | 5,904,260 | 5,137 |

(a) Including mobile internet connections (b) Provisional

Source : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 10

Electricity Generation and Petroleum Imports

| Period | Electricity | | | | | Petroleum | | | | LPG Local Production (MT) | |
|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|-------|----------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------------------------|--------|
| | Installed Capacity (MW) | Units Generated (Gwh) | | | | Crude Oil Imports (MT) | Refined Products Imports (MT) | | | | |
| | | Hydro (a) | Fuel Oil | Coal | NCRE (b) | | Total | Petrol | Diesel | Kerosene | Avtur |
| 2015 | 3,847 | 4,904 | 2,275 | 4,443 | 1,467 | 13,090 | 1,762,682 | 876,906 | 1,328,900 | - | 9,649 |
| 2016 | 4,018 | 3,481 | 4,461 | 5,047 | 1,160 | 14,149 | 1,685,025 | 976,318 | 1,538,623 | - | 8,837 |
| 2017 (c) | 4,138 | 3,059 | 5,045 | 5,103 | 1,464 | 14,671 | 1,591,129 | 1,109,550 | 1,842,059 | - | 19,416 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Qtr | 3,871 | 1,047 | 1,075 | 1,134 | 184 | 3,440 | 371,803 | 211,964 | 333,200 | - | 1,870 |
| 2nd Qtr | 3,975 | 1,033 | 907 | 1,160 | 389 | 3,489 | 456,261 | 323,772 | 471,141 | - | 2,210 |
| 3rd Qtr | 3,982 | 744 | 953 | 1,616 | 338 | 3,652 | 384,068 | 189,278 | 299,522 | - | 2,147 |
| 4th Qtr | 4,018 | 657 | 1,526 | 1,136 | 249 | 3,568 | 472,893 | 251,304 | 434,760 | - | 2,610 |
| 2017 (c) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Qtr | 4,123 | 347 | 1,368 | 1,602 | 183 | 3,500 | 282,320 | 240,978 | 520,440 | - | 4,997 |
| 2nd Qtr | 4,134 | 608 | 1,355 | 1,355 | 379 | 3,696 | 375,909 | 286,158 | 435,747 | - | 2,382 |
| 3rd Qtr | 4,136 | 875 | 1,335 | 1,145 | 460 | 3,815 | 463,785 | 287,176 | 479,294 | - | 5,076 |
| 4th Qtr | 4,138 | 1,229 | 987 | 1,001 | 442 | 3,660 | 469,115 | 295,238 | 406,578 | - | 6,961 |
| 2017 (c) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 4,084 | 97 | 395 | 534 | 48 | 1,075 | 187,067 | 84,316 | 188,536 | - | 1,742 |
| March | 4,123 | 118 | 485 | 583 | 77 | 1,263 | - | 83,107 | 164,611 | - | 2,001 |
| April | 4,123 | 182 | 540 | 394 | 82 | 1,197 | 188,292 | 120,840 | 161,718 | - | 1,358 |
| May | 4,124 | 202 | 474 | 465 | 120 | 1,261 | 91,394 | 83,091 | 148,297 | - | 863 |
| June | 4,134 | 224 | 341 | 495 | 176 | 1,237 | 96,223 | 82,227 | 125,732 | - | 161 |
| July | 4,134 | 289 | 510 | 368 | 125 | 1,292 | 91,484 | 63,378 | 163,681 | - | 1,426 |
| August | 4,136 | 259 | 438 | 444 | 166 | 1,307 | 189,523 | 108,151 | 181,010 | - | 1,759 |
| September | 4,136 | 328 | 387 | 333 | 169 | 1,216 | 182,778 | 115,647 | 134,603 | - | 1,891 |
| October | 4,138 | 358 | 264 | 475 | 168 | 1,265 | 91,185 | 34,090 | 125,245 | - | 2,069 |
| November | 4,138 | 429 | 388 | 239 | 128 | 1,184 | 191,141 | 90,586 | 100,952 | - | 2,256 |
| December | 4,138 | 442 | 336 | 287 | 146 | 1,211 | 186,789 | 170,562 | 180,381 | - | 2,636 |
| 2018 (c) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 4,088 | 264 | 498 | 380 | 99 | 1,241 | 186,974 | 82,960 | 102,146 | - | 2,589 |
| February | 4,088 | 179 | 409 | 485 | 79 | 1,151 | - | 84,517 | 150,440 | - | 1,242 |

(a) Excluding mini hydro power plants

(b) Refers to Non-Conventional Renewable Energy including mini hydro

(c) Provisional

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Lanka IOC PLC

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TABLE 11

Passenger Transportation and Port Operations

| Period | Sri Lanka Transport Board | | Sri Lanka Railways | | | | Port Services (a) | | | | | | |
|----------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------|-------|
| | Operated kms.'000 | Passenger kms.'000 | Operated kms.'000 | Passenger kms.'000 | Cargo Tonnes kms.'000 | No. of Ship Arrivals | Container Throughput (TEUs) | | | | Total Cargo | | |
| | | | | | | | Domestic (Imp.+ Exp.) | Trans-shipment | Re-stowing | Total | Discharged MT '000 | Loaded MT '000 | |
| 2015 | 440,403 | 15,210,316 | 11,797 | 7,407,386 | 130,022 | 4,728 | 1,217,971 | 3,888,321 | 79,175 | 5,185,467 | 46,654 | 30,925 | |
| 2016 | 451,784 | 16,101,490 | 11,921 | 7,413,116 | 139,908 | 4,998 | 1,299,850 | 4,355,261 | 79,812 | 5,734,923 | 51,799 | 34,720 | |
| 2017 (b) | 448,133 | 15,837,967 | 11,679 | 7,495,064 | 144,794 | 4,879 | 1,383,551 | 4,741,582 | 83,935 | 6,209,068 | 55,942 | 37,915 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 113,266 | 3,968,644 | 2,968 | 1,853,981 | 35,512 | 1,258 | 323,680 | 1,062,103 | 14,177 | 1,399,960 | 12,614 | 8,417 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 109,758 | 3,801,689 | 2,927 | 1,723,072 | 31,826 | 1,220 | 305,494 | 1,061,676 | 18,634 | 1,385,804 | 12,717 | 8,418 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 114,541 | 4,088,511 | 3,016 | 1,923,782 | 37,792 | 1,291 | 321,968 | 1,121,610 | 26,139 | 1,469,717 | 13,259 | 9,078 |
| | 4th Quarter | 114,218 | 4,242,646 | 3,009 | 1,912,281 | 34,777 | 1,229 | 348,708 | 1,109,872 | 20,862 | 1,479,442 | 13,210 | 8,808 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 110,721 | 3,922,833 | 2,965 | 1,872,185 | 35,842 | 1,199 | 353,842 | 1,099,219 | 15,823 | 1,468,884 | 13,498 | 8,969 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 108,637 | 3,813,854 | 2,935 | 1,766,690 | 34,795 | 1,209 | 318,944 | 1,148,039 | 18,555 | 1,485,538 | 13,348 | 9,245 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 114,671 | 4,088,288 | 3,022 | 1,937,786 | 38,134 | 1,239 | 350,124 | 1,217,461 | 23,424 | 1,591,009 | 14,551 | 9,728 |
| | 4th Quarter | 114,104 | 4,012,992 | 2,756 | 1,918,403 | 36,022 | 1,232 | 360,641 | 1,276,863 | 26,133 | 1,663,637 | 14,546 | 9,974 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 34,175 | 1,212,390 | 916 | 605,878 | 10,541 | 363 | 108,716 | 337,307 | 3,954 | 449,977 | 4,075 | 2,777 |
| | March | 38,311 | 1,341,987 | 1,034 | 631,355 | 12,882 | 430 | 128,380 | 399,461 | 6,200 | 534,041 | 4,865 | 3,280 |
| | April | 35,205 | 1,280,372 | 963 | 604,618 | 12,313 | 399 | 95,688 | 368,989 | 4,983 | 469,660 | 4,388 | 2,887 |
| | May | 36,737 | 1,250,034 | 989 | 581,757 | 11,485 | 410 | 111,633 | 397,123 | 5,917 | 514,673 | 4,485 | 3,222 |
| | June | 36,695 | 1,283,449 | 983 | 580,315 | 10,997 | 400 | 111,623 | 381,927 | 7,655 | 501,205 | 4,475 | 3,136 |
| | July | 38,442 | 1,366,140 | 1,004 | 645,522 | 11,604 | 413 | 118,686 | 402,877 | 7,249 | 528,812 | 4,718 | 3,263 |
| | August | 38,804 | 1,414,809 | 1,026 | 678,440 | 11,908 | 428 | 121,910 | 407,333 | 9,362 | 538,605 | 5,025 | 3,289 |
| | September | 37,425 | 1,307,339 | 991 | 613,824 | 14,623 | 398 | 109,528 | 407,251 | 6,813 | 523,592 | 4,807 | 3,176 |
| | October | 38,647 | 1,314,945 | 977 | 614,014 | 13,026 | 400 | 113,337 | 416,063 | 9,579 | 538,979 | 4,752 | 3,227 |
| | November | 37,210 | 1,243,754 | 979 | 632,526 | 11,728 | 402 | 115,106 | 412,287 | 10,256 | 537,649 | 4,684 | 3,241 |
| | December | 38,247 | 1,454,293 | 800 | 671,863 | 11,268 | 430 | 132,198 | 448,513 | 6,298 | 587,009 | 5,110 | 3,505 |
| | 2018 (b) | January | 38,112 | 1,302,909 | 1,009 | 635,969 | 12,367 | 436 | 121,771 | 436,303 | 6,079 | 564,153 | 5,000 |
| February | | 33,866 | 1,176,566 | 917 | 606,545 | 13,050 | 402 | 117,546 | 415,227 | 6,810 | 539,583 | 4,789 | 3,215 |

(a) Ports of Colombo, Galle, Trincomalee and Magam Ruhunupura Mahinda Rajapaksa Port.

(b) Provisional

Sources : National Transport Commission
Sri Lanka Transport Board
Sri Lanka Railways
Sri Lanka Ports Authority

TEUs = Twenty-foot Equivalent Container Units

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TABLE 12

New Registration of Motor Vehicles

| Period | Passenger Transport | | | | | Goods Transport | | Land Vehicles | | | Total (c) | |
|----------|---------------------|------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------|-----------|---------|
| | Buses | Motor Cars | Three Wheelers | Dual Purpose (a) | Motor Cycles | Lorries | Others (b) | Tractors | Hand Tractors | Other Land Vehicles | | |
| 2015 | 4,140 | 105,628 | 129,547 | 39,456 | 370,889 | 5,356 | 1,786 | 4,299 | 5,678 | 2,128 | 668,907 | |
| 2016 | 2,685 | 45,172 | 56,945 | 26,887 | 340,129 | 5,271 | 2,292 | 5,261 | 5,024 | 3,662 | 493,328 | |
| 2017 (d) | 3,331 | 39,182 | 23,537 | 16,742 | 344,380 | 8,689 | 2,743 | 5,309 | 3,512 | 4,228 | 451,653 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 700 | 10,963 | 10,397 | 5,573 | 74,580 | 1,149 | 402 | 925 | 1,380 | 887 | 106,956 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 638 | 12,440 | 17,169 | 6,727 | 86,642 | 994 | 467 | 1,300 | 1,120 | 806 | 128,303 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 673 | 9,795 | 12,748 | 7,036 | 84,128 | 1,551 | 763 | 1,249 | 966 | 987 | 119,896 |
| | 4th Qtr | 674 | 11,974 | 16,631 | 7,551 | 94,779 | 1,577 | 660 | 1,787 | 1,558 | 982 | 138,173 |
| 2017 (d) | 1st Qtr | 807 | 9,736 | 6,000 | 4,675 | 86,014 | 2,211 | 814 | 1,026 | 1,062 | 1,445 | 113,790 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 707 | 9,556 | 5,323 | 3,749 | 86,701 | 1,812 | 633 | 1,144 | 879 | 921 | 111,425 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 842 | 10,392 | 6,196 | 4,189 | 89,297 | 2,353 | 680 | 1,340 | 611 | 1,100 | 117,000 |
| | 4th Qtr | 975 | 9,498 | 6,018 | 4,129 | 82,368 | 2,313 | 616 | 1,799 | 960 | 762 | 109,438 |
| 2017 (d) | February | 257 | 2,577 | 949 | 1,228 | 24,167 | 644 | 266 | 283 | 350 | 403 | 31,124 |
| | March | 293 | 3,543 | 1,398 | 1,505 | 30,709 | 939 | 284 | 358 | 219 | 632 | 39,880 |
| | April | 192 | 3,024 | 1,546 | 1,101 | 27,211 | 526 | 180 | 380 | 259 | 226 | 34,645 |
| | May | 281 | 3,264 | 1,724 | 1,339 | 31,585 | 576 | 214 | 398 | 292 | 340 | 40,013 |
| | June | 234 | 3,268 | 2,053 | 1,309 | 27,905 | 710 | 239 | 366 | 328 | 355 | 36,767 |
| | July | 240 | 3,623 | 1,889 | 1,361 | 30,062 | 744 | 196 | 365 | 216 | 459 | 39,155 |
| | August | 309 | 3,872 | 2,227 | 1,379 | 30,676 | 816 | 249 | 386 | 186 | 403 | 40,503 |
| | September | 293 | 2,897 | 2,080 | 1,449 | 28,559 | 793 | 235 | 589 | 209 | 238 | 37,342 |
| | October | 344 | 2,439 | 2,259 | 1,306 | 28,863 | 778 | 218 | 768 | 294 | 306 | 37,575 |
| | November | 309 | 3,107 | 2,394 | 1,337 | 28,571 | 828 | 221 | 599 | 286 | 210 | 37,862 |
| | December | 322 | 3,952 | 1,365 | 1,486 | 24,934 | 707 | 177 | 432 | 380 | 246 | 34,001 |
| | 2018 (d) | January | 356 | 6,016 | 1,685 | 1,551 | 31,709 | 856 | 229 | 369 | 216 | 355 |
| February | | 278 | 5,648 | 1,559 | 1,462 | 27,831 | 730 | 176 | 345 | 219 | 303 | 38,553 |

(a) Including single cabs

(b) Including other goods transport vehicles and special purpose vehicles

(c) Total may differ from sum of sub-categories in 2018 due to the inclusion of two new vehicle categories, quadricycles and motor homes.

(d) Provisional

Source : Department of Motor Traffic

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TABLE 13

Greater Colombo Housing Approval Index^(a)

(1995 = 100)

| Period | No. of Housing Approvals | | | | Housing Approval Index | | | | Other Building Approvals | | All Buildings | |
|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|---------------|-------|
| | < 1,000 sq. ft. | 1,000–2,000 sq. ft. | > 2,000 sq. ft. | Total | < 1,000 sq. ft. | 1,000–2,000 sq. ft. | > 2,000 sq. ft. | All | No. | Index | No. | Index |
| 2015 | 1,236 | 4,781 | 7,332 | 13,349 | 35.7 | 116.8 | 236.4 | 125.3 | 1,677 | 85.0 | 15,026 | 119.0 |
| 2016 | 923 | 4,297 | 7,505 | 12,725 | 26.7 | 105.0 | 242.0 | 119.4 | 1,464 | 74.2 | 14,189 | 112.4 |
| 2017 | 758 | 3,848 | 7,237 | 11,843 | 21.9 | 94.0 | 233.4 | 111.1 | 1,082 | 54.8 | 12,925 | 102.3 |
| 2015 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3rd Quarter | 399 | 1,331 | 2,122 | 3,852 | 51.0 | 136.4 | 283.3 | 153.6 | 437 | 87.6 | 4,289 | 142.6 |
| 4th Quarter | 284 | 1,201 | 1,926 | 3,411 | 36.3 | 123.1 | 257.1 | 136.0 | 410 | 82.2 | 3,821 | 127.1 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 288 | 1,238 | 2,037 | 3,563 | 36.8 | 126.8 | 272.0 | 142.1 | 348 | 69.7 | 3,911 | 130.1 |
| 2nd Quarter | 184 | 1,017 | 1,790 | 2,991 | 23.5 | 104.2 | 239.0 | 119.3 | 366 | 73.3 | 3,357 | 111.6 |
| 3rd Quarter | 261 | 1,066 | 2,042 | 3,369 | 33.3 | 109.2 | 272.6 | 134.3 | 414 | 83.0 | 3,783 | 125.8 |
| 4th Quarter | 190 | 976 | 1,636 | 2,802 | 24.3 | 100.0 | 218.4 | 111.7 | 336 | 67.3 | 3,138 | 104.4 |
| 2017 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 221 | 972 | 1,856 | 3,049 | 28.2 | 99.6 | 247.8 | 121.6 | 320 | 64.1 | 3,369 | 112.0 |
| 2nd Quarter | 181 | 847 | 1,694 | 2,722 | 23.1 | 86.8 | 226.2 | 108.5 | 242 | 48.5 | 2,964 | 98.6 |
| 3rd Quarter | 192 | 1,091 | 1,965 | 3,248 | 24.5 | 111.8 | 262.3 | 129.5 | 289 | 57.9 | 3,537 | 117.6 |
| 4th Quarter | 164 | 938 | 1,722 | 2,824 | 20.9 | 96.1 | 229.9 | 112.6 | 231 | 46.3 | 3,055 | 101.6 |

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Includes 5 Municipal Councils (Colombo, Dehiwala-Mount Lavinia, Sri Jayawardenepura, Moratuwa and Kaduwela), 7 Urban Councils (Wattala-Mabole, Peliyagoda, Panadura, Horana, Kesbewa, Maharagama and Boralesgamuwa) and 8 Pradesheeya Sabhas (Homagama, Kotikawatta-Mulleriyawa, Kelaniya, Attanagalla, Wattala-Mabole, Horana, Panadura and Mahara).

National Consumer Price Index (NCPI)^(a)

Base 2013 = 100

| Period (b) | | Commodities and Weights | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--------|-----------|---------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | All Items | Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels | Furnishing, H/H Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House | Health | Transport | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education | Restaurants and Hotels | Miscellaneous Goods and Services |
| Weights | | (100%) | (44.0%) | (2.3%) | (3.4%) | (18.0%) | (3.3%) | (4.1%) | (9.8%) | (2.3%) | (1.6%) | (2.8%) | (3.9%) | (4.5%) |
| 2015 | Average | 109.5 | 110.7 | 129.8 | 110.5 | 114.7 | 108.7 | 114.8 | 92.8 | 103.8 | 106.4 | 112.3 | 104.8 | 103.8 |
| 2016 | " | 113.8 | 114.1 | 158.5 | 114.5 | 114.8 | 113.1 | 128.0 | 97.6 | 110.9 | 109.4 | 115.0 | 106.7 | 114.8 |
| 2017 | " | 122.6 | 127.0 | 175.6 | 118.2 | 115.8 | 119.0 | 140.7 | 103.3 | 121.2 | 111.3 | 119.8 | 110.7 | 127.4 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 110.9 | 111.2 | 144.2 | 113.2 | 114.4 | 111.7 | 117.1 | 95.0 | 103.8 | 108.8 | 114.6 | 104.8 | 111.7 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 113.8 | 114.6 | 154.5 | 114.0 | 114.7 | 112.6 | 127.9 | 96.9 | 115.4 | 109.3 | 114.6 | 105.8 | 113.0 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 114.0 | 114.0 | 157.3 | 115.0 | 114.9 | 113.6 | 129.8 | 98.9 | 108.2 | 108.9 | 115.0 | 107.8 | 116.2 |
| | 4th Quarter | 116.4 | 116.6 | 177.8 | 116.0 | 115.2 | 114.6 | 137.1 | 99.5 | 116.2 | 110.5 | 115.8 | 108.5 | 118.3 |
| 2017 | 1st Quarter | 119.6 | 121.5 | 174.4 | 116.8 | 115.5 | 116.2 | 141.1 | 101.9 | 121.3 | 111.1 | 118.4 | 110.3 | 124.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 122.1 | 126.4 | 174.3 | 117.8 | 115.7 | 118.1 | 140.3 | 102.8 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.6 | 110.4 | 126.6 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 122.7 | 127.0 | 176.7 | 118.6 | 115.9 | 120.5 | 137.7 | 104.2 | 121.2 | 110.9 | 120.2 | 110.4 | 129.0 |
| | 4th Quarter | 125.9 | 133.3 | 176.9 | 119.4 | 116.1 | 121.1 | 143.5 | 104.5 | 121.0 | 112.1 | 120.9 | 111.8 | 129.9 |
| 2017 | February | 119.9 | 122.1 | 174.2 | 116.7 | 115.6 | 116.3 | 141.1 | 102.2 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.5 | 110.3 | 124.2 |
| | March | 119.5 | 121.1 | 174.1 | 117.1 | 115.6 | 116.8 | 141.1 | 102.2 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.5 | 110.3 | 124.3 |
| | April | 121.0 | 124.4 | 174.7 | 117.5 | 115.6 | 117.0 | 141.1 | 102.3 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.5 | 110.4 | 124.5 |
| | May | 121.8 | 125.6 | 173.5 | 117.8 | 115.8 | 117.6 | 141.2 | 103.1 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.6 | 110.4 | 127.2 |
| | June | 123.4 | 129.2 | 174.6 | 118.1 | 115.8 | 119.7 | 138.6 | 103.1 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.6 | 110.4 | 128.0 |
| | July | 122.4 | 126.7 | 175.7 | 118.3 | 115.8 | 120.1 | 136.0 | 104.1 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 119.6 | 110.4 | 128.7 |
| | August | 122.3 | 126.0 | 176.5 | 118.6 | 115.9 | 120.5 | 138.6 | 104.2 | 121.3 | 110.9 | 120.0 | 110.4 | 129.0 |
| | September | 123.3 | 128.2 | 178.0 | 118.9 | 115.9 | 120.8 | 138.6 | 104.2 | 121.0 | 110.9 | 120.9 | 110.4 | 129.2 |
| | October | 124.8 | 131.4 | 178.3 | 119.1 | 116.1 | 120.9 | 138.6 | 104.2 | 121.0 | 110.9 | 120.9 | 111.7 | 129.4 |
| | November | 126.4 | 134.1 | 176.5 | 119.4 | 116.1 | 121.2 | 145.9 | 104.5 | 121.0 | 112.7 | 120.9 | 111.8 | 130.1 |
| | December | 126.6 | 134.4 | 176.0 | 119.7 | 116.1 | 121.3 | 145.9 | 104.8 | 121.0 | 112.7 | 120.9 | 111.8 | 130.2 |
| 2018 | January | 125.8 | 132.2 | 176.1 | 120.1 | 116.1 | 121.4 | 146.4 | 105.2 | 121.0 | 112.7 | 121.5 | 112.8 | 130.6 |
| | February | 123.7 | 126.6 | 177.1 | 121.3 | 116.3 | 122.3 | 148.7 | 105.4 | 121.0 | 113.4 | 127.0 | 112.9 | 131.4 |

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(a) The Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) released a new consumer price index on November 23, 2015. Since 1953, the Colombo Consumer's Price Indices which were rebased in 2002 and 2006/07 periods served as the official consumer price index in Sri Lanka. The Colombo Consumer's Price Index (CCPI) (2006/07=100) covered only the behavior of prices observed in the Colombo urban areas. The National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) (2013=100), is computed covering all provinces in the country.

(b) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly indices.

Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI)^(a)

Base 2013 = 100

| Period (b) | | Commodities and Weights | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--------|-----------|---------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | All Items | Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco | Clothing and Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels | Furnishing, H/H Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House | Health | Transport | Communication | Recreation and Culture | Education | Restaurants and Hotels | Miscellaneous Goods and Services |
| Weights | | (100%) | (28.2%) | (1.0%) | (2.3%) | (32.0%) | (2.5%) | (4.4%) | (10.6%) | (3.3%) | (1.3%) | (5.9%) | (5.1%) | (3.3%) |
| 2015 | Average | 107.4 | 110.0 | 127.3 | 111.9 | 110.3 | 107.5 | 111.7 | 91.1 | 103.5 | 105.3 | 107.4 | 104.5 | 103.5 |
| 2016 | " | 111.7 | 116.7 | 153.8 | 119.2 | 110.1 | 107.8 | 126.0 | 92.9 | 110.0 | 107.4 | 112.8 | 107.2 | 118.5 |
| 2017 | " | 119.0 | 127.5 | 186.0 | 126.3 | 110.2 | 118.0 | 144.2 | 96.9 | 119.8 | 109.9 | 129.0 | 116.4 | 134.0 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 109.3 | 113.2 | 145.9 | 118.3 | 110.1 | 106.9 | 112.9 | 91.5 | 103.5 | 106.3 | 111.7 | 105.4 | 114.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 111.4 | 116.5 | 147.1 | 119.6 | 110.2 | 107.4 | 124.4 | 92.6 | 114.6 | 107.5 | 111.7 | 105.4 | 116.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 112.6 | 119.4 | 146.4 | 118.8 | 110.1 | 108.1 | 129.3 | 93.2 | 108.1 | 107.2 | 112.5 | 108.1 | 120.7 |
| | 4th Quarter | 113.5 | 117.8 | 175.8 | 120.0 | 110.2 | 108.6 | 137.5 | 94.2 | 114.0 | 108.5 | 115.4 | 109.8 | 122.3 |
| 2017 | 1st Quarter | 116.4 | 121.2 | 185.5 | 123.9 | 110.1 | 109.4 | 143.6 | 95.6 | 120.1 | 110.1 | 128.0 | 113.4 | 130.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 118.5 | 127.0 | 186.0 | 126.3 | 110.1 | 115.0 | 142.8 | 96.2 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 114.5 | 133.5 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 119.3 | 128.2 | 185.8 | 126.8 | 110.1 | 123.7 | 140.9 | 97.7 | 119.8 | 109.7 | 129.3 | 115.5 | 135.1 |
| | 4th Quarter | 122.0 | 133.8 | 186.8 | 128.3 | 110.5 | 123.8 | 149.7 | 98.1 | 119.2 | 110.3 | 130.9 | 122.1 | 137.2 |
| 2017 | February | 116.7 | 122.0 | 185.6 | 124.1 | 110.1 | 109.3 | 143.6 | 95.9 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 113.5 | 129.5 |
| | March | 116.5 | 121.1 | 186.0 | 124.9 | 110.1 | 109.9 | 143.6 | 95.9 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 113.5 | 131.3 |
| | April | 117.1 | 123.1 | 185.9 | 125.8 | 110.1 | 110.7 | 143.6 | 95.9 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 113.6 | 131.3 |
| | May | 118.2 | 125.9 | 186.0 | 126.7 | 110.2 | 111.5 | 143.6 | 96.2 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 115.0 | 134.6 |
| | June | 120.1 | 132.0 | 186.1 | 126.3 | 110.1 | 122.8 | 141.1 | 96.6 | 120.1 | 109.6 | 128.0 | 115.0 | 134.6 |
| | July | 119.4 | 129.7 | 185.9 | 124.9 | 110.1 | 123.5 | 136.7 | 97.2 | 120.1 | 109.7 | 128.0 | 115.5 | 134.8 |
| | August | 118.8 | 126.4 | 185.8 | 124.8 | 110.1 | 123.8 | 143.0 | 97.9 | 120.1 | 109.7 | 128.9 | 115.5 | 135.2 |
| | September | 119.7 | 128.4 | 185.7 | 130.8 | 110.2 | 123.9 | 143.0 | 97.9 | 119.2 | 109.7 | 130.9 | 115.5 | 135.2 |
| | October | 120.8 | 131.7 | 185.8 | 128.2 | 110.5 | 123.8 | 143.0 | 97.9 | 119.2 | 109.7 | 130.9 | 119.1 | 135.2 |
| | November | 122.2 | 134.0 | 187.7 | 128.5 | 110.5 | 123.8 | 153.0 | 97.8 | 119.2 | 109.7 | 130.9 | 123.6 | 137.9 |
| | December | 122.9 | 135.7 | 186.8 | 128.1 | 110.5 | 123.8 | 153.0 | 98.6 | 119.2 | 111.6 | 130.9 | 123.6 | 138.5 |
| 2018 | January | 122.8 | 133.1 | 186.5 | 131.3 | 110.5 | 123.9 | 154.3 | 99.0 | 119.2 | 111.9 | 139.4 | 123.6 | 138.6 |
| | February | 121.9 | 129.3 | 187.1 | 134.5 | 110.6 | 124.8 | 154.3 | 98.9 | 119.2 | 111.9 | 139.7 | 123.6 | 138.5 |

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(a) The Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) released a rebased Colombo Consumer Price Index on January 31, 2017. The Index is based on Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) conducted in 2012/13. The weights are based on the consumption pattern of the urban households within the Colombo district. The total basket value (at 2013 prices) was Rs. 60,364.74.

(b) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly indices.

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 16

Wholesale Price Index

1974 = 100

| Period (a) | COMMODITY - WISE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | SECTOR - WISE | | | | |
|----------------------|------------------|---------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|--------------|---------------|----------|---------------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|
| | All Items | Food | Alcoholic Drinks | Textile & Footwear | Paper Products | Chemicals & Chemical Products | Petroleum Products | Non-metallic Products | Metal Products | Transport Equipment | Electrical Appliances & Supplies | Machinery | Fuel & Light | Miscellaneous | No. I | | | No. II | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Domestic | Imports | Exports | Consumer | Intermediate | Investment |
| Weights | (100.0) | (67.8) | (2.9) | (4.0) | (1.4) | (5.2) | (6.4) | (1.8) | (0.9) | (0.8) | (1.0) | (1.3) | (1.8) | (4.8) | (50.3) | (27.2) | (22.5) | (75.3) | (20.5) | (4.2) |
| 2015 Average | 5,072.7 | 5,090.1 | 7,931.4 | 1,078.6 | 1,352.2 | 1,790.4 | 7,074.5 | 12,688.6 | 1,564.4 | 3,423.5 | 1,575.9 | 1,538.5 | 7,336.3 | 7,356.5 | 3,954.2 | 3,731.3 | 9,190.6 | 5,224.2 | 4,276.8 | 6,251.0 |
| 2016 " | 5,284.0 | 5,242.1 | 8,994.4 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 15,153.8 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,515.6 | 7,967.6 | 7,928.1 | 4,292.3 | 3,763.1 | 9,335.3 | 5,434.4 | 4,323.6 | 7,287.9 |
| 2017 (b) " | 5,674.7 | 5,695.7 | 9,336.3 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,267.7 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,285.2 | 9,301.7 | 4,332.0 | 3,871.6 | 10,850.3 | 5,857.6 | 4,577.0 | 7,765.2 |
| 2016 1st Quarter | 5,187.4 | 5,186.8 | 8,663.5 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 14,223.6 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,507.6 | 8,131.1 | 7,175.8 | 4,151.8 | 3,749.7 | 9,236.1 | 5,366.2 | 4,184.0 | 6,889.3 |
| 2nd Quarter | 5,327.9 | 5,306.8 | 8,718.0 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 14,922.9 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,515.6 | 8,248.6 | 8,075.0 | 4,429.3 | 3,697.5 | 9,303.6 | 5,483.5 | 4,377.3 | 7,189.4 |
| 3rd Quarter | 5,236.8 | 5,144.3 | 9,294.8 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 15,547.3 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,698.7 | 8,102.0 | 4,348.1 | 3,777.3 | 8,984.1 | 5,351.7 | 4,362.8 | 7,456.7 |
| 4th Quarter | 5,383.9 | 5,330.5 | 9,301.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 15,921.3 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,791.9 | 8,359.5 | 4,240.1 | 3,827.8 | 9,817.3 | 5,536.1 | 4,370.3 | 7,616.0 |
| 2017 (b) 1st Quarter | 5,555.2 | 5,535.1 | 9,323.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,047.1 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,373.6 | 9,136.7 | 4,210.7 | 3,885.7 | 10,573.8 | 5,716.2 | 4,533.1 | 7,669.9 |
| 2nd Quarter | 5,679.1 | 5,701.4 | 9,320.0 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,151.7 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,251.0 | 9,380.8 | 4,346.7 | 3,878.6 | 10,829.1 | 5,866.7 | 4,575.6 | 7,715.5 |
| 3rd Quarter | 5,673.1 | 5,664.3 | 9,324.5 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,275.7 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,553.5 | 9,617.7 | 4,391.0 | 3,879.1 | 10,702.8 | 5,839.0 | 4,636.9 | 7,769.2 |
| 4th Quarter | 5,791.2 | 5,882.0 | 9,377.5 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,596.3 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 6,962.6 | 9,071.8 | 4,379.9 | 3,843.1 | 11,295.6 | 6,008.6 | 4,562.3 | 7,905.9 |
| 2017 (b) February | 5,562.9 | 5,517.4 | 9,346.3 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,058.9 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,577.4 | 9,454.4 | 4,240.1 | 3,888.7 | 10,538.7 | 5,707.5 | 4,601.7 | 7,674.8 |
| March | 5,578.7 | 5,603.5 | 9,315.0 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,058.9 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,279.2 | 8,694.2 | 4,134.2 | 3,875.5 | 10,861.2 | 5,772.4 | 4,440.1 | 7,675.5 |
| April | 5,653.2 | 5,686.1 | 9,240.8 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,058.9 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,004.6 | 9,228.7 | 4,204.9 | 3,833.8 | 11,084.5 | 5,854.0 | 4,503.8 | 7,675.5 |
| May | 5,704.0 | 5,728.9 | 9,362.1 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,198.1 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,511.1 | 9,370.2 | 4,346.3 | 3,905.1 | 10,908.1 | 5,895.8 | 4,585.8 | 7,734.8 |
| June | 5,680.3 | 5,689.2 | 9,357.0 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,198.1 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,237.3 | 9,543.6 | 4,488.8 | 3,897.1 | 10,494.6 | 5,850.3 | 4,637.1 | 7,736.2 |
| July | 5,628.2 | 5,594.7 | 9,274.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,198.6 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,660.9 | 9,683.3 | 4,443.6 | 3,906.2 | 10,352.9 | 5,774.7 | 4,660.6 | 7,736.4 |
| August | 5,669.3 | 5,660.1 | 9,300.4 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,314.3 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,499.8 | 9,618.9 | 4,402.0 | 3,866.6 | 10,676.6 | 5,832.6 | 4,638.7 | 7,785.7 |
| September | 5,721.8 | 5,738.1 | 9,398.8 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,314.3 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,499.8 | 9,550.9 | 4,327.3 | 3,864.4 | 11,078.9 | 5,909.7 | 4,611.4 | 7,785.7 |
| October | 5,766.4 | 5,824.2 | 9,267.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,484.7 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 6,784.4 | 9,546.3 | 4,354.2 | 3,840.3 | 11,246.2 | 5,968.4 | 4,598.9 | 7,858.2 |
| November | 5,809.4 | 5,904.3 | 9,393.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,652.2 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 7,453.4 | 8,920.2 | 4,382.9 | 3,846.2 | 11,365.7 | 6,032.2 | 4,559.4 | 7,929.8 |
| December | 5,797.9 | 5,917.5 | 9,472.2 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,652.2 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 6,650.1 | 8,748.7 | 4,402.6 | 3,842.8 | 11,275.0 | 6,025.4 | 4,528.7 | 7,929.8 |
| 2018 (b) January | 5,690.1 | 5,700.5 | 9,647.1 | 1,103.1 | 1,327.7 | 1,790.6 | 7,003.8 | 16,652.2 | 1,540.8 | 3,382.0 | 1,575.9 | 1,519.5 | 8,868.8 | 8,635.4 | 4,343.2 | 3,827.6 | 10,947.3 | 5,911.8 | 4,420.2 | 7,929.8 |
| February | 5,636.9 | 5,709.2 | 9,445.3 | 1,144.1 | 1,361.3 | 1,791.5 | 7,003.8 | 16,657.6 | 1,541.2 | 3,388.0 | 1,627.3 | 1,550.9 | 7,574.5 | 7,935.7 | 4,149.1 | 3,872.3 | 11,090.0 | 5,873.4 | 4,299.0 | 7,942.2 |

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.

(b) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 17

Wholesale Prices of Selected Food Items at Pettah Market

| | | Rs. per kg | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------|----------|----------|----------|------------|------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Period (a) | | Samba Rice | Kekulu Rice | Beans | Cabbages | Tomatoes | Pumpkins | Red Onions | Big Onions | Potatoes (Nuwara-Eliya) | Dried Chillies | Coconut (per nut) | Kelawalla Fish |
| 2015 | Average | 83.11 | 66.48 | 159.29 | 79.35 | 89.07 | 49.88 | 102.22 | 76.64 | 107.10 | 246.99 | 41.30 | 454.54 |
| 2016 | " | 80.92 | 60.07 | 147.72 | 76.57 | 75.96 | 60.48 | 90.82 | 62.11 | 121.89 | 293.95 | 34.63 | 508.88 |
| 2017 (b) | " | 94.98 | 80.35 | 118.88 | 75.12 | 94.66 | 62.36 | 246.47 | 88.69 | 127.60 | 190.39 | 61.52 | 545.15 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 84.33 | 57.02 | 127.67 | 85.50 | 44.21 | 64.17 | 68.61 | 49.37 | 106.71 | 307.13 | 35.76 | 511.00 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 78.24 | 53.42 | 169.94 | 100.33 | 138.61 | 52.72 | 113.83 | 60.72 | 120.04 | 308.33 | 31.30 | 537.33 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 77.04 | 58.13 | 138.83 | 90.00 | 79.25 | 90.67 | 86.37 | 64.77 | 132.46 | 299.33 | 28.83 | 497.83 |
| | 4th Quarter | 84.07 | 71.70 | 154.42 | 30.46 | 41.75 | 34.38 | 94.44 | 73.53 | 128.33 | 261.00 | 42.64 | 489.33 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 89.17 | 81.28 | 95.00 | 21.75 | 69.50 | 52.46 | 114.82 | 71.42 | 128.04 | 208.17 | 53.66 | 487.00 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 90.92 | 77.98 | 126.75 | 113.08 | 100.00 | 77.08 | 281.17 | 69.50 | 131.33 | 160.83 | 56.70 | 623.61 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 95.57 | 79.68 | 108.97 | 67.63 | 112.22 | 66.37 | 207.38 | 93.23 | 135.19 | 179.08 | 59.13 | 549.17 |
| | 4th Quarter | 104.28 | 82.47 | 144.80 | 98.02 | 96.93 | 53.53 | 382.50 | 120.63 | 115.83 | 213.48 | 76.60 | 520.83 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 91.60 | 85.60 | 111.25 | 20.00 | 42.50 | 46.25 | 116.25 | 73.40 | 128.00 | 217.50 | 55.13 | 495.00 |
| | March | 85.90 | 75.00 | 115.00 | 24.00 | 81.00 | 58.00 | 108.20 | 69.60 | 110.50 | 182.00 | 57.60 | 456.00 |
| | April | 85.75 | 75.75 | 142.50 | 106.25 | 133.75 | 56.25 | 190.00 | 69.88 | 132.50 | 167.50 | 60.25 | 545.00 |
| | May | 92.00 | 78.20 | 114.00 | 133.00 | 65.00 | 55.00 | 281.00 | 65.50 | 131.50 | 155.00 | 59.10 | 652.50 |
| | June | 95.00 | 80.00 | 123.75 | 100.00 | 101.25 | 120.00 | 372.50 | 73.13 | 130.00 | 160.00 | 50.75 | 673.33 |
| | July | 95.25 | 80.00 | 103.50 | 97.00 | 108.25 | 112.75 | 174.50 | 70.13 | 142.63 | 163.25 | 50.00 | 507.50 |
| | August | 92.20 | 77.80 | 110.40 | 54.40 | 107.40 | 49.60 | 168.40 | 110.17 | 139.20 | 182.00 | 61.00 | 535.00 |
| | September | 99.25 | 81.25 | 113.00 | 51.50 | 121.00 | 36.75 | 279.25 | 99.38 | 123.75 | 192.00 | 66.38 | 605.00 |
| | October | 103.50 | 83.50 | 113.00 | 105.25 | 129.25 | 48.50 | 296.75 | 120.00 | 112.00 | 206.25 | 71.25 | 525.00 |
| | November | 104.60 | 82.40 | 119.40 | 101.80 | 76.80 | 59.60 | 394.00 | 120.63 | 115.00 | 211.70 | 78.80 | 482.50 |
| | December | 104.75 | 81.50 | 202.00 | 87.00 | 84.75 | 52.50 | 456.75 | 121.25 | 120.50 | 222.50 | 79.75 | 555.00 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 105.50 | 81.25 | 132.75 | 44.50 | 42.75 | 44.25 | 306.33 | 120.00 | 118.50 | 208.75 | 76.00 | 532.50 |
| | February | 102.50 | 73.25 | 125.00 | 31.50 | 36.50 | 48.75 | 110.00 | 80.00 | 110.00 | 220.00 | 77.25 | 505.00 |

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.

(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 18

Average Producer and Retail Prices of Selected Food Items

Rupees

| Period (a) | Producer Prices | | | | Retail Prices | | | | | | |
|------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
| | Paddy (per bushel) | Red Onions (per kg) | Dried Chillies (per kg) | Coconuts (per 1,000 nuts) | Rice (per kg) | | | Red Onions (per kg) | Dried Chillies (per kg) | Coconuts (per nut) | |
| | | | | | Samba | Ordinary | Raw | | | | |
| 2015 | Average | 802.88 | 77.09 | 218.72 | 34,638.30 | 86.92 | 73.82 | 69.72 | 126.99 | 276.51 | 45.33 |
| 2016 | " | 768.06 | 74.87 | 264.01 | 29,158.68 | 91.36 | 74.23 | 66.91 | 123.90 | 349.24 | 39.69 |
| 2017 (b) | " | 1,003.23 | 142.44 | 209.86 | 47,841.58 | 97.52 | 87.79 | 82.11 | 239.47 | 259.16 | 61.80 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 717.06 | 75.82 | 257.97 | 32,197.62 | 92.40 | 71.72 | 64.83 | 117.48 | 343.18 | 42.54 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 729.48 | 77.58 | 264.35 | 27,984.37 | 90.57 | 72.51 | 64.26 | 135.18 | 354.97 | 39.47 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 747.74 | 72.74 | 267.78 | 25,600.54 | 89.85 | 72.45 | 64.68 | 120.25 | 355.13 | 36.04 |
| | 4th Quarter | 877.98 | 73.35 | 265.94 | 30,852.20 | 92.62 | 80.24 | 73.89 | 122.69 | 343.69 | 40.71 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 960.37 | 76.92 | 240.63 | 41,240.87 | 94.77 | 85.42 | 82.24 | 130.21 | 297.27 | 52.81 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 959.60 | 136.04 | 203.45 | 45,281.20 | 94.61 | 84.09 | 79.56 | 233.79 | 250.26 | 59.71 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 996.40 | 143.45 | 191.82 | 44,873.83 | 98.20 | 89.33 | 82.26 | 234.63 | 238.61 | 58.75 |
| | 4th Quarter | 1,096.55 | 213.35 | 203.51 | 59,970.43 | 102.51 | 92.30 | 84.40 | 359.25 | 250.49 | 75.93 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 959.92 | 74.41 | 234.21 | 42,364.60 | 94.53 | 85.63 | 82.77 | 130.71 | 292.38 | 54.32 |
| | March | 920.16 | 77.17 | 225.63 | 43,525.00 | 91.97 | 80.78 | 77.42 | 133.13 | 281.22 | 55.82 |
| | April | 938.94 | 88.14 | 206.15 | 45,566.30 | 92.50 | 80.98 | 77.64 | 169.60 | 257.74 | 60.64 |
| | May | 958.77 | 125.43 | 203.33 | 45,887.80 | 94.17 | 83.95 | 79.30 | 233.16 | 251.85 | 59.83 |
| | June | 981.10 | 194.56 | 200.88 | 44,389.50 | 97.15 | 87.34 | 81.73 | 298.61 | 241.20 | 58.65 |
| | July | 983.08 | 174.86 | 183.57 | 40,779.60 | 97.67 | 88.90 | 82.46 | 249.45 | 236.68 | 55.63 |
| | August | 990.39 | 115.09 | 195.83 | 43,552.10 | 97.73 | 88.93 | 81.41 | 194.35 | 238.47 | 56.98 |
| | September | 1,015.74 | 140.39 | 196.06 | 50,289.80 | 99.19 | 90.17 | 82.90 | 260.10 | 240.68 | 63.63 |
| | October | 1,073.66 | 171.75 | 208.00 | 56,369.60 | 101.14 | 91.84 | 83.97 | 308.80 | 246.63 | 71.86 |
| | November | 1,105.28 | 212.31 | 191.83 | 61,238.10 | 102.72 | 92.41 | 84.28 | 363.11 | 250.45 | 77.33 |
| | December | 1,110.70 | 256.00 | 210.71 | 62,303.60 | 103.68 | 92.66 | 84.94 | 405.83 | 254.38 | 78.59 |
| | 2018 (b) | January | 960.75 | 220.00 | 170.00 | 59,270.30 | 102.42 | 89.24 | 83.12 | 330.08 | 251.21 |
| February | | 887.08 | 130.00 | 210.00 | 61,019.20 | 101.28 | 85.80 | 79.71 | 214.68 | 257.81 | 74.99 |

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.

(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 19

Average Producer Prices of Selected Varieties of Vegetables, Sea Fish, Fruits and Poultry Products

Rs. per kg

| Period | Vegetables | | | | | | | | | | | | Sea Fish | | | | | | Fruits | | | Poultry Products | | | | |
|----------|---------------|----------|------------|----------------|--------------|----------|-------|-------------|-------------|----------|--------|--------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|---------|--------|----------------|------------------|-----------|------------|---------|--------|
| | Ash Plantains | Wetakolu | Long Beans | Ladies Fingers | Bitter Gourd | Brinjals | Limes | Mukunuwenna | Green Beans | Cabbages | Carrot | Leeks | Tomatoes | Beetroot | Potatoes | Seer Fish | Kelawalla | Mullet | Hurulla | Salaya | Banana / Ambul | Papaw | Pineapple | Egg (each) | Chicken | |
| 2015 | Average | 50.24 | 65.18 | 72.91 | 59.43 | 96.33 | 58.77 | 114.95 | 49.83 | 125.60 | 60.71 | 120.84 | 108.06 | 78.55 | 83.13 | 93.80 | 730.89 | 480.77 | 402.14 | 222.46 | 104.76 | 33.92 | 49.31 | 57.47 | 15.66 | 330.40 |
| 2016 | " | 47.98 | 68.26 | 68.33 | 59.61 | 98.13 | 58.01 | 213.14 | 58.24 | 117.31 | 60.59 | 107.14 | 85.75 | 66.61 | 81.88 | 100.45 | 798.23 | 500.91 | 442.00 | 237.23 | 108.56 | 39.80 | 47.51 | 67.17 | 17.06 | 343.75 |
| 2017 (a) | " | 54.06 | 82.06 | 71.67 | 60.74 | 118.23 | 67.71 | 131.22 | 59.56 | 111.25 | 56.98 | 113.41 | 84.20 | 83.82 | 77.89 | 112.24 | 815.88 | 536.65 | 481.25 | 247.89 | 115.23 | 52.98 | 46.25 | 86.86 | 16.00 | 348.34 |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 47.80 | 64.28 | 66.24 | 66.17 | 98.88 | 64.38 | 85.93 | 57.30 | 105.86 | 63.86 | 121.18 | 83.60 | 46.53 | 96.54 | 84.79 | 789.46 | 480.81 | 410.85 | 231.39 | 103.58 | 33.24 | 49.17 | 64.02 | 16.72 | 328.68 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 47.82 | 79.52 | 76.91 | 69.37 | 106.85 | 69.93 | 220.80 | 57.26 | 126.52 | 77.27 | 130.90 | 109.10 | 113.92 | 108.67 | 103.38 | 825.54 | 534.50 | 475.51 | 261.02 | 120.61 | 34.83 | 43.02 | 61.59 | 17.24 | 340.38 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 49.96 | 59.45 | 59.52 | 51.36 | 90.63 | 52.45 | 164.63 | 57.83 | 117.97 | 63.93 | 97.30 | 81.00 | 65.22 | 69.22 | 109.01 | 809.75 | 517.31 | 470.58 | 232.68 | 112.11 | 43.16 | 51.80 | 62.53 | 17.37 | 347.52 |
| | 4th Qtr | 46.34 | 69.79 | 70.67 | 51.52 | 96.16 | 45.29 | 381.21 | 60.56 | 118.90 | 37.29 | 79.20 | 69.30 | 40.75 | 53.09 | 104.61 | 768.16 | 471.03 | 411.04 | 223.82 | 97.95 | 47.96 | 46.06 | 80.54 | 16.92 | 358.43 |
| 2017 (a) | 1st Qtr | 48.57 | 81.48 | 60.10 | 56.38 | 108.44 | 40.27 | 178.24 | 57.44 | 93.90 | 22.94 | 57.99 | 46.88 | 61.14 | 53.00 | 109.21 | 764.74 | 496.71 | 436.31 | 246.71 | 104.40 | 53.66 | 51.70 | 83.26 | 16.61 | 335.55 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 52.00 | 84.70 | 70.12 | 65.57 | 115.18 | 64.35 | 83.06 | 60.98 | 119.18 | 74.82 | 151.10 | 72.08 | 80.15 | 94.69 | 120.68 | 842.98 | 567.15 | 514.00 | 270.49 | 122.98 | 55.66 | 45.78 | 89.79 | 16.12 | 355.08 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 55.58 | 73.71 | 69.32 | 53.90 | 108.52 | 71.39 | 118.72 | 59.82 | 115.78 | 58.88 | 116.89 | 78.33 | 94.45 | 64.22 | 117.95 | 861.54 | 545.97 | 481.89 | 238.91 | 119.19 | 49.75 | 43.25 | 92.68 | 15.92 | 352.51 |
| | 4th Qtr | 60.10 | 88.35 | 87.13 | 67.08 | 140.77 | 94.82 | 144.86 | 60.02 | 116.12 | 71.28 | 127.67 | 139.50 | 99.56 | 99.64 | 101.12 | 794.25 | 536.75 | 492.81 | 235.45 | 114.35 | 52.86 | 44.25 | 81.70 | 15.35 | 350.23 |
| 2017 (a) | February | 50.40 | 86.62 | 69.47 | 62.99 | 113.65 | 46.03 | 152.01 | 57.85 | 118.46 | 19.04 | 54.72 | 48.00 | 50.30 | 50.04 | 111.36 | 800.28 | 524.57 | 444.66 | 237.37 | 101.19 | 56.56 | 51.18 | 82.27 | 16.33 | 333.78 |
| | March | 48.13 | 90.25 | 60.15 | 60.31 | 107.63 | 37.89 | 122.24 | 55.24 | 97.75 | 26.33 | 50.42 | 34.90 | 66.57 | 54.17 | 91.11 | 763.48 | 485.80 | 451.00 | 259.55 | 113.46 | 51.17 | 54.34 | 80.83 | 16.54 | 331.49 |
| | April | 51.12 | 80.23 | 61.68 | 61.04 | 105.05 | 51.51 | 82.06 | 59.81 | 114.22 | 60.04 | 109.33 | 63.36 | 78.29 | 79.14 | 117.67 | 802.27 | 541.82 | 509.66 | 287.08 | 121.60 | 66.27 | 51.37 | 94.50 | 16.01 | 350.36 |
| | May | 50.69 | 79.92 | 68.78 | 64.44 | 111.67 | 57.58 | 69.36 | 63.14 | 110.00 | 76.92 | 145.29 | 70.75 | 71.96 | 97.74 | 121.36 | 840.00 | 560.19 | 470.45 | 261.74 | 120.58 | 55.05 | 44.31 | 89.92 | 16.35 | 353.18 |
| | June | 54.18 | 93.94 | 79.91 | 71.23 | 128.81 | 83.97 | 97.76 | 59.98 | 133.33 | 87.50 | 198.67 | 82.13 | 90.19 | 107.20 | 123.00 | 886.67 | 599.44 | 561.90 | 262.65 | 126.75 | 45.67 | 41.67 | 84.95 | 16.00 | 361.70 |
| | July | 54.71 | 76.42 | 73.52 | 60.93 | 123.53 | 70.64 | 80.57 | 57.73 | 129.55 | 71.43 | 156.44 | 91.67 | 90.61 | 78.35 | 125.00 | 855.31 | 551.43 | 485.63 | 241.50 | 129.29 | 46.07 | 42.20 | 89.67 | 15.93 | 357.62 |
| | August | 55.78 | 69.36 | 66.99 | 50.81 | 97.89 | 67.93 | 110.94 | 61.23 | 120.00 | 55.34 | 102.24 | 67.50 | 97.17 | 56.74 | 121.07 | 835.25 | 557.92 | 483.17 | 238.48 | 107.62 | 49.66 | 44.22 | 88.29 | 16.00 | 352.81 |
| | September | 56.24 | 75.36 | 67.44 | 49.97 | 104.13 | 75.59 | 164.66 | 60.49 | 97.78 | 49.88 | 92.00 | 75.81 | 95.57 | 57.57 | 107.77 | 894.06 | 528.57 | 476.88 | 236.75 | 120.67 | 53.53 | 43.33 | 100.08 | 15.84 | 347.11 |
| | October | 57.89 | 78.01 | 72.30 | 59.98 | 124.62 | 87.91 | 187.98 | 60.15 | 105.73 | 65.31 | 102.35 | 118.94 | 107.78 | 73.17 | 100.00 | 781.82 | 538.60 | 480.34 | 230.00 | 105.87 | 55.91 | 48.06 | 100.77 | 15.31 | 349.24 |
| | November | 59.32 | 89.39 | 88.95 | 67.18 | 144.30 | 96.80 | 138.90 | 58.76 | 112.00 | 77.25 | 145.00 | 141.00 | 87.36 | 101.33 | 94.17 | 778.44 | 515.59 | 487.25 | 227.35 | 114.41 | 53.50 | 40.70 | 73.33 | 14.89 | 348.48 |
| | December | 63.08 | 97.65 | 100.13 | 74.09 | 153.38 | 99.76 | 107.70 | 61.16 | 130.63 | 71.29 | 135.65 | 158.57 | 103.53 | 124.41 | 109.18 | 822.50 | 556.05 | 510.83 | 249.00 | 122.78 | 49.15 | 43.98 | 71.00 | 15.85 | 352.98 |
| 2018 (a) | January | 72.93 | 102.97 | 72.71 | 70.14 | 137.88 | 91.56 | 79.50 | 64.46 | 150.00 | 60.56 | 110.00 | 132.50 | 74.00 | 111.36 | 115.00 | 916.67 | 553.57 | 530.42 | 217.31 | 88.89 | 59.70 | 53.75 | 90.00 | 15.78 | 378.75 |
| | February | 58.48 | 83.00 | 65.57 | 63.08 | 102.06 | 55.12 | 59.22 | 60.29 | 100.00 | 41.47 | 80.77 | 99.17 | 48.33 | 69.56 | 88.50 | 795.38 | 518.75 | 486.76 | 226.25 | 100.71 | 51.97 | 43.48 | 84.00 | 16.31 | 338.70 |

(a) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 20

Average Retail Prices of Selected Varieties of Vegetables and Fish

Rs. per kg

| Period | | Vegetables | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Sea Fish | | | | | |
|----------|----------|---------------|----------|------------|----------------|--------------|----------|--------|-----------------|-------------|----------|--------|--------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|---------|--------|----------|
| | | Low-Country | | | | | | | Up-Country | | | | | | | Seer Fish | Kelawalla | Mullet | Hurulla | Salaya | |
| | | Ash Plantains | Wetakolu | Long Beans | Ladies Fingers | Bitter Gourd | Brinjals | Limes | Mukunuwenna (a) | Green Beans | Cabbages | Carrot | Leeks | Tomatoes | Beetroot | | | | | | Potatoes |
| 2015 | Average | 99.27 | 118.97 | 128.74 | 108.29 | 156.37 | 100.29 | 23.76 | 24.13 | 195.86 | 113.93 | 182.68 | 166.00 | 132.49 | 132.63 | 96.65 | 1,075.37 | 753.77 | 541.00 | 340.29 | 182.04 |
| 2016 | " | 94.45 | 122.79 | 121.38 | 107.39 | 158.10 | 100.56 | 37.73 | 26.35 | 183.46 | 115.01 | 167.60 | 142.97 | 115.26 | 129.73 | 98.45 | 1,175.81 | 802.36 | 575.44 | 373.99 | 196.23 |
| 2017 (b) | " | 103.45 | 142.34 | 126.68 | 112.49 | 185.50 | 117.99 | 24.91 | 27.59 | 177.10 | 119.10 | 177.21 | 139.51 | 140.15 | 126.73 | 109.89 | 1,224.36 | 851.09 | 599.26 | 388.14 | 201.27 |
| 2016 | Q1 | 95.09 | 118.60 | 114.16 | 118.33 | 156.06 | 107.68 | 18.98 | 26.29 | 167.44 | 118.22 | 190.37 | 138.58 | 81.60 | 136.59 | 77.66 | 1,150.48 | 777.65 | 558.63 | 361.64 | 177.66 |
| | Q2 | 97.26 | 141.46 | 138.83 | 124.69 | 178.04 | 122.90 | 40.42 | 26.30 | 204.38 | 137.62 | 195.34 | 173.66 | 178.35 | 167.72 | 100.82 | 1,225.22 | 820.51 | 584.45 | 389.60 | 205.68 |
| | Q3 | 95.19 | 106.93 | 107.33 | 91.26 | 140.27 | 90.14 | 32.11 | 26.38 | 173.57 | 117.66 | 151.49 | 136.54 | 112.76 | 118.12 | 104.58 | 1,210.03 | 814.97 | 595.51 | 380.32 | 209.46 |
| | Q4 | 90.24 | 124.15 | 125.21 | 95.29 | 158.02 | 81.52 | 59.38 | 26.44 | 188.46 | 86.52 | 133.22 | 123.10 | 88.34 | 96.50 | 110.74 | 1,117.50 | 796.30 | 563.15 | 364.41 | 192.13 |
| 2017 (b) | Q1 | 92.97 | 134.48 | 104.38 | 104.13 | 164.42 | 75.45 | 29.70 | 26.44 | 145.82 | 68.39 | 109.67 | 96.10 | 105.85 | 95.54 | 105.87 | 1,139.53 | 812.97 | 567.45 | 384.35 | 187.97 |
| | Q2 | 102.33 | 150.54 | 130.43 | 121.03 | 190.14 | 117.91 | 19.14 | 27.45 | 189.68 | 141.51 | 219.64 | 127.62 | 147.74 | 152.28 | 114.61 | 1,244.98 | 873.45 | 616.66 | 413.26 | 210.68 |
| | Q3 | 103.20 | 131.97 | 123.66 | 102.38 | 171.27 | 121.53 | 22.65 | 27.92 | 172.65 | 119.45 | 180.32 | 124.84 | 152.62 | 109.99 | 113.44 | 1,273.62 | 870.01 | 608.03 | 386.77 | 209.34 |
| | Q4 | 115.31 | 152.38 | 148.24 | 122.41 | 216.17 | 157.05 | 28.15 | 28.56 | 200.27 | 147.05 | 199.19 | 209.49 | 154.37 | 149.13 | 105.64 | 1,239.33 | 847.93 | 604.92 | 368.19 | 197.08 |
| 2017 (b) | Feb | 93.37 | 138.93 | 113.98 | 112.58 | 166.42 | 81.64 | 26.93 | 26.36 | 157.89 | 64.12 | 100.76 | 90.19 | 84.59 | 93.67 | 104.15 | 1,149.13 | 813.29 | 560.13 | 388.44 | 187.87 |
| | Mar | 94.83 | 145.45 | 105.66 | 109.59 | 161.22 | 71.74 | 22.02 | 26.72 | 162.53 | 72.38 | 109.45 | 93.98 | 113.22 | 96.13 | 103.74 | 1,114.95 | 812.86 | 573.13 | 388.15 | 187.77 |
| | Apr | 100.41 | 144.99 | 115.33 | 114.38 | 175.32 | 95.04 | 22.00 | 27.06 | 186.05 | 113.34 | 160.41 | 112.59 | 157.81 | 131.59 | 116.20 | 1,223.24 | 833.80 | 578.76 | 408.03 | 193.16 |
| | May | 99.91 | 149.51 | 130.24 | 120.27 | 188.42 | 117.89 | 17.81 | 27.19 | 188.37 | 150.14 | 231.70 | 126.93 | 134.60 | 160.96 | 115.80 | 1,235.82 | 872.57 | 623.50 | 405.67 | 213.74 |
| | Jun | 106.68 | 157.11 | 145.73 | 128.45 | 206.67 | 140.81 | 17.60 | 28.10 | 194.61 | 161.06 | 266.80 | 143.35 | 150.82 | 164.29 | 111.84 | 1,275.87 | 913.97 | 647.71 | 426.07 | 225.14 |
| | July | 103.81 | 139.95 | 131.44 | 113.94 | 185.86 | 121.76 | 17.85 | 27.83 | 169.93 | 137.00 | 219.51 | 125.61 | 147.91 | 125.86 | 110.44 | 1,249.36 | 881.36 | 614.41 | 393.09 | 210.66 |
| | Aug | 101.87 | 123.79 | 118.82 | 96.16 | 158.52 | 114.63 | 21.73 | 27.97 | 169.31 | 110.60 | 163.58 | 113.67 | 147.51 | 100.01 | 113.15 | 1,260.76 | 878.01 | 599.09 | 388.99 | 208.17 |
| | Sep | 103.91 | 132.17 | 120.73 | 97.05 | 169.44 | 128.19 | 28.37 | 27.96 | 178.70 | 110.74 | 157.88 | 135.23 | 162.45 | 104.09 | 116.72 | 1,310.75 | 850.67 | 610.58 | 378.23 | 209.18 |
| | Oct | 110.69 | 139.43 | 128.60 | 112.23 | 202.14 | 148.93 | 32.83 | 28.00 | 173.89 | 134.15 | 177.29 | 180.86 | 174.13 | 122.33 | 116.38 | 1,216.12 | 851.84 | 607.38 | 366.41 | 202.05 |
| | Nov | 114.50 | 146.20 | 148.03 | 123.02 | 215.45 | 159.27 | 30.42 | 28.65 | 180.10 | 154.01 | 212.04 | 208.44 | 146.69 | 144.05 | 104.56 | 1,221.21 | 818.87 | 587.33 | 360.45 | 189.90 |
| | Dec | 120.73 | 171.51 | 168.08 | 131.97 | 230.93 | 162.94 | 21.19 | 29.02 | 246.83 | 152.99 | 208.23 | 239.18 | 142.30 | 181.01 | 95.97 | 1,280.65 | 873.09 | 620.04 | 377.71 | 199.30 |
| | 2018 (b) | Jan | 116.09 | 154.51 | 118.32 | 121.99 | 187.31 | 126.30 | 16.04 | 30.05 | 217.90 | 116.24 | 161.48 | 194.27 | 107.18 | 149.27 | 87.40 | 1,268.93 | 863.48 | 652.55 | 373.99 |
| Feb | | 107.16 | 135.96 | 117.58 | 111.97 | 161.33 | 93.89 | 13.80 | 29.38 | 180.97 | 99.27 | 147.65 | 171.88 | 85.20 | 103.77 | 82.25 | 1,210.04 | 848.93 | 615.14 | 379.23 | 185.92 |

(a) Unit of this item was changed from kg to bundles in 2003 to reflect the market price.

(b) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Utility Prices

| Item | Unit | Price before Change (Rs. per unit) | Price after Change (Rs. per unit) | Absolute Change (Rs. per unit) | % Change | Date of Revision | | |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|------------------|------------|--|
| Telephone Charges (Domestic) | Category | | | | | | | |
| | 0 – 200 | 2.80 | 2.80 | 0.00 | 0.0 | 01/11/2007 | | |
| | 201 – 500 | 3.00 | 2.80 | -0.20 | -6.7 | | | |
| | 501 – 1,000 | 3.00 | 2.80 | -0.20 | -6.7 | | | |
| | 1,001 – 3,000 | 2.75 | 2.80 | 0.05 | 1.8 | | | |
| | Above 3,000 | 2.50 | 2.80 | 0.30 | 12.0 | | | |
| Rental | 495.00 | 345.00 | -150.00 | -30.3 | | | | |
| Reduced New Tariff Plan : > A start up fee of Rs. 1.50 for each successful call. > Billed on per second basis and Revised Peak, Economy and Discount Time Band > Each customer will be entitled to a maximum of Rs. 400 worth free calls per month. This tariff structure is applicable for existing customers. New customers will be charged based on their packages | | | | | | | | |
| Bus Fare (Private Sector) | Fare Stage | | | | | | | |
| | 1 | 9.00 | 10.00 | 1.00 | 11.1 | 01/07/2017 | | |
| | 2 | 12.00 | 13.00 | 1.00 | 8.3 | | | |
| | 3 | 16.00 | 17.00 | 1.00 | 6.3 | | | |
| | 4 | 20.00 | 21.00 | 1.00 | 5.0 | | | |
| | 5 | 24.00 | 25.00 | 1.00 | 4.2 | | | |
| Electricity (Domestic) | Unit Charge – Usage less than 60 units | | | | | | | |
| | 0 – 30 | 3.00 | 2.50 | -0.50 | -16.7 | 16/09/2014 | | |
| | 31 – 60 | 4.70 | 4.85 | 0.15 | 3.2 | | | |
| | Unit Charge – Usage more than 60 units | | | | | | | |
| | 0 – 30 | 10.00 | 7.85 | -2.15 | -21.5 | 16/09/2014 | | |
| | 31 – 60 | 10.00 | 7.85 | -2.15 | -21.5 | | | |
| | 61 – 90 | 12.00 | 10.00 | -2.00 | -16.7 | | | |
| | 91 – 120 | 26.50 | 27.75 | 1.25 | 4.7 | | | |
| | 121 – 180 | 30.50 | 32.00 | 1.50 | 4.9 | | | |
| | Over 180 | 42.00 | 45.00 | 3.00 | 7.1 | | | |
| | Fixed Charges | | | | | | | |
| | 0 – 30 | 30.00 | 30.00 | 0.00 | 0.0 | 16/09/2014 | | |
| | 31 – 60 | 60.00 | 60.00 | 0.00 | 0.0 | | | |
| | 61 – 90 | 90.00 | 90.00 | 0.00 | 0.0 | | | |
| 91 – 180 | 315.00 | 480.00 | 165.00 | 52.4 | | | | |
| Over 180 | 420.00 | 540.00 | 120.00 | 28.6 | | | | |
| A Fuel Adjustment Charge was removed w.e.f. 16/09/2014 | | | | | | | | |
| | | <u>Before Change</u> | <u>After Change</u> | | | | | |
| | 0 – 30 | 25% | – | | | | | |
| | 31 – 60 | 35% | – | | | | | |
| | 61 – 90 | 10% | – | | | | | |
| | above 90 | 40% | – | | | | | |
| Water (Domestic) | Category | | | | | | | |
| | 00 – 05 | 3.00 | 8.00 | 5.00 | 166.7 | 01/10/2012 | | |
| | 06 – 10 | 7.00 | 11.00 | 4.00 | 57.1 | | | |
| | 11 – 15 | 15.00 | 20.00 | 5.00 | 33.3 | | | |
| | 16 – 20 | 30.00 | 40.00 | 10.00 | 33.3 | | | |
| | 21 – 25 | 50.00 | 58.00 | 8.00 | 16.0 | | | |
| | 26 – 30 | 75.00 | 88.00 | 13.00 | 17.3 | | | |
| | 31 – 40 | 90.00 | 105.00 | 15.00 | 16.7 | | | |
| | 41 – 50 | 105.00 | 120.00 | 15.00 | 14.3 | | | |
| | 51 – 75 | 110.00 | 130.00 | 20.00 | 18.2 | | | |
| | Over 75 | 120.00 | 140.00 | 20.00 | 16.7 | | | |
| | Service Charge | | | | | | | |
| | 00 – 05 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 0.00 | 0.0 | | 15/02/2009 | |
| | 06 – 10 | 50.00 | 65.00 | 15.00 | 30.0 | | | |
| | 11 – 15 | 50.00 | 70.00 | 20.00 | 40.0 | | | |
| | 16 – 20 | 50.00 | 80.00 | 30.00 | 60.0 | | | |
| | 21 – 25 | 50.00 | 100.00 | 50.00 | 100.0 | | | |
| | 26 – 30 | 50.00 | 200.00 | 150.00 | 300.0 | | | |
| | 31 – 40 | 50.00 | 400.00 | 350.00 | 700.0 | | | |
| | 41 – 50 | 50.00 | 650.00 | 600.00 | 1,200.0 | | | |
| | 51 – 75 | 50.00 | 1,000.00 | 950.00 | 1,900.0 | | | |
| | Over 75 | 50.00 | 1,600.00 | 1,550.00 | 3,100.0 | | | |
| | * A 10% reduction for the total bill value was applied for bills with usage up to 25 units w.e.f 01.11.2014 (this reduction does not apply to bills with more than 25 units). | | | | | | | |

Sources : National Transport Commission
Ceylon Electricity Board
National Water Supply and Drainage Board
Sri Lanka Telecom Ltd.

Minimum Wage Rate Indices of Workers in Wages Boards Trades

December 1978 = 100

| Period | Workers in Agriculture (a) | | Workers in Industry & Commerce (b) | | Workers in Services (c) | | Workers in Wages Boards Trades (d) | | |
|----------|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------|
| | Nominal Wage Rate | Real Wage Rate Index | Nominal Wage Rate | Real Wage Rate Index | Nominal Wage Rate | Real Wage Rate Index | Nominal Wage Rate | Real Wage Rate Index | |
| 2015 | Average | 4,734.4 | 123.1 | 3,459.1 | 90.0 | 2,313.2 | 60.2 | 4,127.0 | 107.3 |
| 2016 | " | 4,735.7 | 118.8 | 3,459.1 | 86.8 | 2,313.2 | 58.0 | 4,127.9 | 103.5 |
| 2017 (e) | " | 4,736.7 | 111.8 | 3,459.1 | 81.6 | 2,313.2 | 54.6 | 4,128.6 | 97.4 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 4,735.6 | 121.8 | 3,459.1 | 89.0 | 2,313.2 | 59.5 | 4,127.8 | 106.2 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 4,735.5 | 118.7 | 3,459.1 | 86.7 | 2,313.2 | 58.0 | 4,127.8 | 103.5 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 4,735.9 | 117.6 | 3,459.1 | 85.9 | 2,313.2 | 57.4 | 4,128.0 | 102.5 |
| | 4th Quarter | 4,735.8 | 117.0 | 3,459.1 | 85.4 | 2,313.2 | 57.1 | 4,128.0 | 102.0 |
| 2017 (e) | 1st Quarter | 4,736.3 | 114.2 | 3,459.1 | 83.4 | 2,313.2 | 55.8 | 4,128.3 | 99.6 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 4,736.5 | 112.3 | 3,459.1 | 82.0 | 2,313.2 | 54.8 | 4,128.5 | 97.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 4,736.8 | 111.5 | 3,459.1 | 81.4 | 2,313.2 | 54.5 | 4,128.7 | 97.2 |
| | 4th Quarter | 4,737.1 | 109.1 | 3,459.1 | 79.6 | 2,313.2 | 53.3 | 4,128.9 | 95.1 |
| 2017 (e) | February | 4,736.4 | 114.0 | 3,459.1 | 83.2 | 2,313.2 | 55.7 | 4,128.4 | 99.3 |
| | March | 4,736.4 | 114.2 | 3,459.1 | 83.4 | 2,313.2 | 55.8 | 4,128.4 | 99.5 |
| | April | 4,736.4 | 113.6 | 3,459.1 | 83.0 | 2,313.2 | 55.5 | 4,128.4 | 99.0 |
| | May | 4,736.6 | 112.5 | 3,459.1 | 82.2 | 2,313.2 | 55.0 | 4,128.5 | 98.1 |
| | June | 4,736.7 | 110.8 | 3,459.1 | 80.9 | 2,313.2 | 54.1 | 4,128.6 | 96.5 |
| | July | 4,736.9 | 111.4 | 3,459.1 | 81.4 | 2,313.2 | 54.4 | 4,128.7 | 97.1 |
| | August | 4,736.8 | 112.0 | 3,459.1 | 81.8 | 2,313.2 | 54.7 | 4,128.6 | 97.6 |
| | September | 4,736.7 | 111.1 | 3,459.1 | 81.2 | 2,313.2 | 54.3 | 4,128.6 | 96.9 |
| | October | 4,736.9 | 110.1 | 3,459.1 | 80.4 | 2,313.2 | 53.8 | 4,128.7 | 96.0 |
| | November | 4,737.1 | 108.9 | 3,459.1 | 79.5 | 2,313.2 | 53.2 | 4,128.9 | 94.9 |
| | December | 4,737.4 | 108.2 | 3,459.1 | 79.0 | 2,313.2 | 52.9 | 4,129.0 | 94.3 |
| 2018 (e) | January | 4,737.4 | 108.3 | 3,459.1 | 79.1 | 2,313.2 | 52.9 | 4,129.0 | 94.4 |
| | February | 4,737.2 | 109.1 | 3,459.1 | 79.7 | 2,313.2 | 53.3 | 4,128.9 | 95.1 |

Note: The Index numbers are calculated by the Labour Department on fixed weights based on the numbers employed as at 31 December 1978. The wage rate used in the calculation of Index numbers are minimum wages for different trades fixed by the Wages Boards.

Sources : Labour Department
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

- (a) The Index refers to wage rates of tea growing and manufacturing, rubber growing and manufacturing, coconut, cocoa, cardamoms and pepper growing trades only.
- (b) Includes baking, brick and tile manufacturing, coconut manufacturing, printing textile, tyre and tube manufacturing, coir mattresses & bristle fibre export, hosiery manufacturing, engineering, garment manufacturing, match manufacturing, biscuit manufacturing, tea export and rubber export trades only.
- (c) This includes cinema, motor transport and nursing homes trade only.
- (d) Combined Index for workers in Agriculture, Industry & Commerce and Services.
- (e) Provisional.
- n.a. – Not available

Wage Rate Indices of Government Employees^(a)

2012 = 100

| Period | Senior Level Officers | | Tertiary Level Officers | | Secondary Level Officers | | Primary Level Officers | | All Central Government | | |
|----------|-----------------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|--------------------------|----------|------------------------|----------|------------------------|----------|-------|
| | NWRI | RWRI (b) | NWRI | RWRI (b) | NWRI | RWRI (b) | NWRI | RWRI (b) | NWRI | RWRI (b) | |
| 2015 | 134.6 | 122.7 | 149.0 | 135.8 | 155.8 | 142.0 | 162.9 | 148.5 | 154.8 | 141.1 | |
| 2016 | 141.4 | 123.9 | 155.5 | 136.3 | 161.6 | 141.7 | 170.4 | 149.4 | 160.8 | 140.9 | |
| 2017 (c) | 141.4 | 115.0 | 155.5 | 126.6 | 161.6 | 131.5 | 170.4 | 138.7 | 160.8 | 130.9 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 141.4 | 127.1 | 155.5 | 139.8 | 161.6 | 145.3 | 170.4 | 153.1 | 160.8 | 144.5 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 141.4 | 123.9 | 155.5 | 136.3 | 161.6 | 141.6 | 170.4 | 149.3 | 160.8 | 140.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 141.4 | 123.6 | 155.5 | 136.0 | 161.6 | 141.4 | 170.4 | 149.0 | 160.8 | 140.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 141.4 | 121.1 | 155.5 | 133.2 | 161.6 | 138.4 | 170.4 | 145.9 | 160.8 | 137.7 |
| 2017 (c) | 1st Quarter | 141.4 | 117.9 | 155.5 | 129.7 | 161.6 | 134.8 | 170.4 | 142.1 | 160.8 | 134.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 141.4 | 115.5 | 155.5 | 127.0 | 161.6 | 132.0 | 170.4 | 139.2 | 160.8 | 131.3 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 141.4 | 114.9 | 155.5 | 126.4 | 161.6 | 131.4 | 170.4 | 138.5 | 160.8 | 130.7 |
| | 4th Quarter | 141.4 | 111.9 | 155.5 | 123.1 | 161.6 | 128.0 | 170.4 | 134.9 | 160.8 | 127.3 |
| 2017 (c) | February | 141.4 | 117.6 | 155.5 | 129.3 | 161.6 | 134.4 | 170.4 | 141.7 | 160.8 | 133.7 |
| | March | 141.4 | 117.9 | 155.5 | 129.7 | 161.6 | 134.9 | 170.4 | 142.2 | 160.8 | 134.1 |
| | April | 141.4 | 116.5 | 155.5 | 128.1 | 161.6 | 133.2 | 170.4 | 140.4 | 160.8 | 132.5 |
| | May | 141.4 | 115.7 | 155.5 | 127.3 | 161.6 | 132.3 | 170.4 | 139.5 | 160.8 | 131.6 |
| | June | 141.4 | 114.2 | 155.5 | 125.6 | 161.6 | 130.6 | 170.4 | 137.7 | 160.8 | 129.9 |
| | July | 141.4 | 115.2 | 155.5 | 126.7 | 161.6 | 131.7 | 170.4 | 138.8 | 160.8 | 131.0 |
| | August | 141.4 | 115.2 | 155.5 | 126.8 | 161.6 | 131.8 | 170.4 | 138.9 | 160.8 | 131.1 |
| | September | 141.4 | 114.3 | 155.5 | 125.7 | 161.6 | 130.7 | 170.4 | 137.8 | 160.8 | 130.0 |
| | October | 141.4 | 112.9 | 155.5 | 124.2 | 161.6 | 129.1 | 170.4 | 136.1 | 160.8 | 128.5 |
| | November | 141.4 | 111.5 | 155.5 | 122.7 | 161.6 | 127.5 | 170.4 | 134.4 | 160.8 | 126.8 |
| | December | 141.4 | 111.3 | 155.5 | 122.5 | 161.6 | 127.3 | 170.4 | 134.2 | 160.8 | 126.6 |
| | 2018 (c) | January | 144.9 | 114.9 | 155.9 | 123.6 | 161.6 | 128.1 | 170.4 | 135.0 | 161.0 |
| February | | 144.9 | 116.8 | 155.9 | 125.6 | 161.6 | 130.3 | 170.4 | 137.3 | 161.0 | 129.8 |

NWRI = Nominal Wage Rate Index

RWRI = Real Wage Rate Index

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Recognizing the need to have a more representative Public Sector Wage Rate Index, a new Index was compiled by CBSL. Old index (1978 = 100) covers non executive government employees and school teachers only. The new index covers all levels of public sector employees, under the disaggregation of Senior, Tertiary, Secondary and Primary levels. The base period employment structure was based on a special Annual Public Sector Employment Survey (APSES) conducted in 2012. Initial salary scales of specific occupations and due allowances as specified in the Public Administration Circular No. 06/2006 issued by the Ministry of Public Administration and Home Affairs on 25th April 2006 were used to construct the Index.

(b) Based on NCPI (2013 = 100)

(c) Provisional

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TABLE 24

All Island Average Daily Wages in the Informal Sector^(a)

Rupees

| Period | | Agriculture | | | | | | | | | Housing Construction (b) | | | | | | |
|----------|-----------|---------------------|----------|----------|---------|---------|--------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| | | Tea | | Rubber | | Coconut | | Paddy | | | Carpentry | | | Masonry | | | |
| | | Preparation of Land | Plucking | Planting | Tapping | | Digging Pits | Plucking with sticks | Ploughing with mammoties | Transplanting/ Harvesting (c) | | Master Carpenter | Skilled Helper | Unskilled Helper | Master Mason | Skilled Helper | Unskilled Helper |
| | | | | | Male | Female | | | | Male | Female | | | | | | |
| 2015 | Average | 887 | 553 | 940 | 610 | 548 | 1,095 | 1,353 | 1,043 | 970 | 749 | 1,486 | 1,135 | 933 | 1,450 | 1,122 | 936 |
| 2016 | " | 947 | 582 | 973 | 633 | 581 | 1,165 | 1,435 | 1,127 | 1,075 | 783 | 1,622 | 1,243 | 1,019 | 1,596 | 1,238 | 1,025 |
| 2017 (d) | " | 1,068 | 673 | 1,117 | 709 | 665 | 1,268 | 1,525 | 1,222 | 1,151 | 834 | 1,794 | 1,375 | 1,123 | 1,785 | 1,382 | 1,133 |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 931 | 577 | 903 | 600 | 550 | 1,133 | 1,429 | 1,105 | 1,044 | 786 | 1,558 | 1,195 | 983 | 1,533 | 1,185 | 984 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 908 | 559 | 955 | 622 | 567 | 1,146 | 1,443 | 1,104 | 1,068 | 762 | 1,588 | 1,223 | 1,004 | 1,567 | 1,217 | 1,007 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 945 | 583 | 982 | 638 | 577 | 1,178 | 1,465 | 1,150 | 1,108 | 789 | 1,652 | 1,259 | 1,028 | 1,620 | 1,253 | 1,039 |
| | 4th Qtr | 1,003 | 608 | 1,052 | 673 | 628 | 1,204 | 1,401 | 1,148 | 1,081 | 794 | 1,689 | 1,294 | 1,060 | 1,663 | 1,295 | 1,070 |
| 2017 (d) | 1st Qtr | 1,004 | 642 | 1,054 | 692 | 644 | 1,231 | 1,457 | 1,170 | 1,109 | 803 | 1,721 | 1,315 | 1,086 | 1,706 | 1,323 | 1,095 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 1,028 | 669 | 1,069 | 695 | 666 | 1,224 | 1,502 | 1,219 | 1,156 | 829 | 1,782 | 1,357 | 1,106 | 1,773 | 1,364 | 1,119 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 1,070 | 682 | 1,118 | 703 | 665 | 1,270 | 1,510 | 1,213 | 1,152 | 844 | 1,816 | 1,391 | 1,140 | 1,807 | 1,398 | 1,140 |
| | 4th Qtr | 1,171 | 698 | 1,227 | 747 | 683 | 1,343 | 1,593 | 1,287 | 1,188 | 859 | 1,859 | 1,437 | 1,161 | 1,854 | 1,444 | 1,176 |
| 2017 (d) | February | 1,003 | 634 | 1,050 | 687 | 652 | 1,219 | 1,376 | 1,150 | 1,064 | 818 | 1,724 | 1,309 | 1,079 | 1,698 | 1,322 | 1,096 |
| | March | 1,013 | 652 | 1,063 | 688 | 620 | 1,245 | 1,550 | 1,188 | 1,118 | 805 | 1,713 | 1,319 | 1,082 | 1,716 | 1,328 | 1,084 |
| | April | 1,025 | 648 | 1,067 | 687 | 648 | 1,215 | 1,458 | 1,219 | 1,171 | 835 | 1,781 | 1,353 | 1,103 | 1,769 | 1,355 | 1,121 |
| | May | 1,035 | 670 | 1,045 | 694 | 670 | 1,221 | 1,510 | 1,213 | 1,155 | 816 | 1,770 | 1,347 | 1,105 | 1,766 | 1,357 | 1,118 |
| | June | 1,024 | 688 | 1,094 | 704 | 679 | 1,235 | 1,538 | 1,224 | 1,143 | 837 | 1,794 | 1,370 | 1,110 | 1,783 | 1,379 | 1,119 |
| | July | 1,039 | 674 | 1,070 | 725 | 664 | 1,238 | 1,527 | 1,200 | 1,117 | 812 | 1,781 | 1,368 | 1,127 | 1,772 | 1,378 | 1,127 |
| | August | 1,068 | 686 | 1,095 | 729 | 707 | 1,286 | 1,502 | 1,204 | 1,109 | 861 | 1,849 | 1,405 | 1,138 | 1,835 | 1,415 | 1,147 |
| | September | 1,103 | 686 | 1,189 | 654 | 623 | 1,294 | 1,612 | 1,234 | 1,229 | 858 | 1,818 | 1,399 | 1,154 | 1,814 | 1,400 | 1,147 |
| | October | 1,135 | 690 | 1,220 | 730 | 683 | 1,335 | 1,589 | 1,276 | 1,198 | 871 | 1,856 | 1,424 | 1,157 | 1,848 | 1,432 | 1,170 |
| | November | 1,150 | 710 | 1,191 | 728 | 684 | 1,335 | 1,586 | 1,270 | 1,178 | 845 | 1,869 | 1,430 | 1,144 | 1,859 | 1,440 | 1,164 |
| | December | 1,229 | 693 | 1,271 | 783 | 683 | 1,359 | 1,603 | 1,316 | 1,189 | 862 | 1,852 | 1,458 | 1,181 | 1,856 | 1,459 | 1,194 |
| | 2018 (d) | January | 1,136 | 689 | 1,200 | 700 | 629 | 1,344 | 1,696 | 1,240 | 1,143 | 829 | 1,984 | 1,528 | 1,215 | 2,001 | 1,500 |
| February | | 1,108 | 657 | 1,120 | 669 | 631 | 1,292 | 1,647 | 1,315 | 1,250 | 966 | 1,896 | 1,484 | 1,190 | 1,900 | 1,504 | 1,201 |

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

- (a) Daily wages represent payments in cash where meals are not provided by the employer. Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.
- (b) Wages in the construction sector are paid on both daily payment and contractual basis. The series on contractual basis in previous bulletin publications has been replaced by the series on daily payment basis from the monthly bulletin of December 2005 onwards for comparison with wages in other sectors.
- (c) Daily wages up to December 2004 are the average of daily wages for the two activities. From January 2005 onwards the daily wages cover both activities under a single category following the restructuring of data collection schedules.
- (d) Provisional.

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TABLE 25

Cost of Construction Indices

1990 = 100

| Period | | Modern Housing | Semi Permanent Housing | All Housing | Non-Residential Building | All Civil Works | All Construction |
|----------|-------------|----------------|------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 2015 | Average | 667.9 | 1,030.6 | 690.4 | 624.9 | 542.9 | 621.3 |
| 2016 | " | 713.4 | 1,078.9 | 736.1 | 656.3 | 534.1 | 643.4 |
| 2017 (a) | " | 751.1 | 1,129.0 | 774.5 | 687.9 | 563.4 | 677.0 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 692.7 | 1,061.4 | 715.5 | 641.7 | 528.8 | 629.8 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 711.9 | 1,075.5 | 734.4 | 654.9 | 531.6 | 641.5 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 720.9 | 1,085.1 | 743.4 | 661.2 | 536.0 | 648.2 |
| | 4th Quarter | 728.2 | 1,093.5 | 750.9 | 667.2 | 540.1 | 654.1 |
| 2017 (a) | 1st Quarter | 738.2 | 1,107.3 | 761.1 | 675.3 | 546.0 | 662.2 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 746.7 | 1,120.7 | 769.9 | 682.5 | 562.0 | 673.4 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 754.6 | 1,139.2 | 778.4 | 692.4 | 570.1 | 682.1 |
| | 4th Quarter | 764.7 | 1,148.6 | 788.5 | 701.3 | 575.6 | 690.2 |

(a) Provisional

Source : Construction Industry Development Authority

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TABLE 26

Price Indices for Selected Construction Materials and Labour Wages

1990 = 100

| Period (a) | Cement | Rubble | Bricks (Hand cut) | Calicut Tiles | Reinforce-ment Steel | Structural Steel | Asbestos Roofing Sheets | PVC Pipes (b) | General Timber | Electrical Wiring | Wall Paint | Glass | Skilled Labour | Semi Skilled Labour | Unskilled Labour | |
|------------|----------|--------|-------------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|------------|-------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|-------|
| 2015 | Average | 498.6 | 645.6 | 1,287.2 | 673.9 | 558.0 | 511.3 | 460.3 | 778.0 | 1,031.3 | 453.8 | 667.3 | 333.9 | 480.6 | 507.4 | 541.7 |
| 2016 | " | 504.2 | 674.9 | 1,595.0 | 745.6 | 558.4 | 514.0 | 466.7 | 790.9 | 1,035.3 | 453.8 | 708.0 | 359.8 | 497.1 | 526.0 | 564.3 |
| 2017 (c) | " | 512.2 | 695.2 | 1,724.7 | 843.4 | 600.4 | 516.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,080.7 | 453.8 | 731.4 | 367.8 | 504.8 | 528.8 | 594.1 |
| 2016 | 4thQtr | 512.2 | 677.0 | 1,682.0 | 776.8 | 559.6 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 797.3 | 1,040.9 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 502.6 | 528.8 | 572.4 |
| 2017 (c) | 1st Qtr | 512.2 | 687.3 | 1,698.7 | 813.2 | 564.9 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,052.6 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 503.5 | 528.8 | 581.1 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 512.2 | 691.6 | 1,710.0 | 839.6 | 574.0 | 516.0 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,073.7 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 512.2 | 697.4 | 1,725.2 | 852.8 | 620.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | 4th Qtr | 512.2 | 704.7 | 1,764.9 | 867.8 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,101.1 | 453.8 | 760.2 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| 2017 (c) | Feb | 512.2 | 687.3 | 1,698.7 | 813.2 | 560.4 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,047.4 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 502.6 | 528.8 | 572.4 |
| | Mar | 512.2 | 687.3 | 1,698.7 | 813.2 | 574.0 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,063.0 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Apr | 512.2 | 687.3 | 1,698.7 | 813.2 | 574.0 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,063.0 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | May | 512.2 | 693.7 | 1,715.6 | 852.8 | 574.0 | 515.4 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,063.0 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Jun | 512.2 | 693.7 | 1,715.6 | 852.8 | 574.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 366.5 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Jul | 512.2 | 693.7 | 1,715.6 | 852.8 | 574.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Aug | 512.2 | 693.7 | 1,730.0 | 852.8 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Sep | 512.2 | 704.7 | 1,730.0 | 852.8 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Oct | 512.2 | 704.7 | 1,751.2 | 852.8 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,095.2 | 453.8 | 721.9 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Nov | 512.2 | 704.7 | 1,771.8 | 875.3 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,104.1 | 453.8 | 779.3 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | Dec | 512.2 | 704.7 | 1,771.8 | 875.3 | 643.0 | 517.2 | 469.9 | 811.5 | 1,104.1 | 453.8 | 779.3 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 | 598.5 |
| | 2018 (c) | Jan | 512.2 | 720.8 | 1,771.8 | 875.3 | 643.0 | 520.0 | 469.9 | 836.8 | 1,104.1 | 453.8 | 779.3 | 369.1 | 505.2 | 528.8 |
| Feb | | 512.2 | 720.8 | 1,771.8 | 930.0 | 643.0 | 520.0 | 469.9 | 836.8 | 1,104.1 | 478.6 | 779.3 | 369.1 | 511.5 | 528.8 | 611.6 |

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.

(b) Index of PVC Pipes has been revised from April to August 2012.

(c) Provisional

Source : Construction Industry Development Authority

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TABLE 27

Analysis of Net Cash Surplus / Deficit

Rs. million

| Period | Revenue and Grants | Expenditure (a) | Net Cash Surplus (+)/ Deficit (-) | Non-Market Borrowings | Domestic Financing | | | | | | | | | Foreign Financing | | | |
|----------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------|------------|---------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------|---------|
| | | | | | Ruppee Loans | | | Treasury bills (b) | Treasury bonds (c) | | | Central Bank Advances | Other Borrowings (d) | Use of Cash Balances | Foreign Loans (e) | | |
| | | | | | Gross | Repayments | Net | | Gross | Repayments | Net | | | | Gross | Repayments | Net |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 1,413,318 | -2,394,094 | -980,776 | 0 | 0 | 31,430 | -31,430 | -26,375 | 914,118 | 471,536 | 442,582 | 7,234 | 356,367 | -4,405 | 363,419 | 126,617 | 236,803 |
| 2016 | 1,725,278 | -2,365,603 | -640,325 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 98,482 | 619,252 | 269,438 | 349,814 | -67,825 | -140,443 | 8,383 | 537,180 | 145,266 | 391,914 |
| 2017 (f) | 1,914,288 | -2,603,105 | -688,818 | 44,677 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -81,666 | 470,104 | 360,959 | 109,146 | 116,494 | 79,798 | -18,874 | 658,593 | 219,350 | 439,243 |
| 2016 | Q1 | 366,905 | -473,180 | -106,275 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -8,311 | 165,790 | 0 | 165,790 | 33,612 | -13,006 | 13,940 | -39,531 | 46,220 | -85,751 |
| | Q2 | 398,417 | -496,505 | -98,088 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 68,844 | 221,992 | 127,304 | 94,688 | -2,000 | -117,942 | 8,119 | 69,909 | 23,530 | 46,379 |
| | Q3 | 447,051 | -595,277 | -148,226 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -37,841 | 157,620 | 108,195 | 49,425 | 2,058 | -124,585 | -1,081 | 305,550 | 45,300 | 260,250 |
| | Q4 | 512,904 | -800,641 | -287,737 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 75,790 | 73,850 | 33,939 | 39,911 | -101,495 | 115,091 | -12,596 | 201,252 | 30,216 | 171,036 |
| 2017 (f) | Q1 | 457,428 | -583,256 | -125,828 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 448 | 225,782 | 165,353 | 60,429 | 120,333 | 5,670 | -10,376 | -3,748 | 46,929 | -50,676 |
| | Q2 | 435,058 | -553,982 | -118,924 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -18,570 | 135,219 | 138,695 | -3,476 | -6,664 | 36,553 | -2,658 | 169,685 | 55,947 | 113,739 |
| | Q3 | 460,524 | -681,259 | -220,735 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -4,393 | 59,224 | 58,174 | 1,050 | 6,794 | -33,726 | -1,325 | 315,225 | 62,891 | 252,334 |
| | Q4 | 561,278 | -784,608 | -223,330 | 44,677 | 0 | 0 | -59,152 | 49,879 | -1,264 | 51,143 | -3,969 | 71,300 | -4,515 | 177,430 | 53,584 | 123,846 |
| 2017 (f) | Feb | 135,504 | -153,503 | -17,999 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1,388 | 47,747 | 0 | 47,747 | -847 | 1,328 | 1,142 | -21,578 | 8,404 | -29,982 |
| | Mar | 160,813 | -196,406 | -35,593 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1,993 | 59,168 | 62,509 | -3,341 | 821 | 41,317 | 58 | 17,243 | 22,498 | -5,255 |
| | Apr | 144,401 | -160,489 | -16,089 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 875 | 8,276 | 0 | 8,276 | 112 | -284 | 1,827 | 11,007 | 5,725 | 5,282 |
| | May | 155,336 | -185,462 | -30,125 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1,239 | 90,809 | 97,948 | -7,139 | -98 | -15,585 | -5,952 | 68,981 | 8,842 | 60,139 |
| | Jun | 135,321 | -208,031 | -72,711 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -18,206 | 36,135 | 40,747 | -4,612 | -6,678 | 52,422 | 1,468 | 89,697 | 41,379 | 48,318 |
| | Jul | 142,566 | -294,346 | -151,780 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41,330 | 41,931 | 58,174 | -16,243 | 5,915 | 27,079 | -1,910 | 120,128 | 24,518 | 95,610 |
| | Aug | 162,992 | -199,961 | -36,969 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -15,811 | 7,946 | 0 | 7,946 | 763 | -40,649 | -3,337 | 100,552 | 12,495 | 88,058 |
| | Sep | 154,966 | -186,952 | -31,986 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -29,912 | 9,346 | 0 | 9,346 | 117 | -20,156 | 3,923 | 94,545 | 25,878 | 68,667 |
| | Oct | 145,780 | -172,424 | -26,644 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -20,488 | 5,210 | 0 | 5,210 | -116 | 11,708 | -823 | 38,151 | 6,997 | 31,154 |
| | Nov | 189,678 | -224,509 | -34,831 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -25,679 | 18,674 | 0 | 18,674 | -42 | -3,002 | -1,081 | 60,129 | 14,168 | 45,961 |
| | Dec | 225,819 | -387,674 | -161,855 | 44,677 | 0 | 0 | -12,985 | 25,996 | -1,264 | 27,259 | -3,811 | 62,594 | -2,611 | 79,151 | 32,419 | 46,732 |
| 2018 (f) | Jan | 167,729 | -317,814 | -150,084 | 15,001 | 0 | 0 | 66,226 | 27,231 | 0 | 27,231 | 24,936 | 16,588 | 1,351 | 26,392 | 27,641 | -1,249 |
| | Feb | 162,743 | -283,610 | -120,868 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13,943 | 85,225 | 74,938 | 10,287 | 16 | 93,024 | 3,430 | 12,962 | 12,795 | 167 |

(a) Consists of government expenditure excluding contributions to sinking funds, direct re-payments of public debt and subscriptions to international financial organisations. Also excludes book adjustments arising from losses on Advance Account operations incurred and financed in the previous financial years. Hence, the figures may not tally with the figures published in the accounts of the Government of Sri Lanka.

(b) Excludes foreign investments in Treasury bills.

(c) Excludes foreign investments in Treasury bonds.

(d) Includes Government Import bills, cash items in process of collection in the Central Bank and commercial banks, Overdraft, short term loans, borrowings from Sri Lanka Development Bonds, Domestic Project Loans and borrowings from offshore banking units of commercial banks.

(e) Net foreign investments in Treasury bills and Treasury bonds are included.

(f) Provisional

Sources : Ministry of Finance and Mass Media
Ministry of National Policies and Economic Affairs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 28

Economic Classification of Government Revenue

Rs. million

| Period | Tax Revenue | | | | | | | | | | Non-Tax Revenue | | | | Total Revenue | | | | |
|----------|-------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|---------|------------|------------|-----------|---------|---------|-----------------|---------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | Income tax | Ports & Airport development Levy | Value Added Tax | | | Excise Tax | | | | | Import Duties | Other | Total | Property Income | | Fees and Charges | Other | Total | |
| | | | Manufacturing/ Non-Manufacturing | Imports | Total | Liquor | Cigarettes | Petroleum | Other | Total | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 262,583 | 58,644 | 130,527 | 89,173 | 219,700 | 105,264 | 80,015 | 45,092 | 267,282 | 497,652 | 132,189 | 185,011 | 1,355,779 | 39,055 | 42,398 | 17,646 | 99,099 | 1,454,878 | |
| 2016 | 258,857 | 88,823 | 168,134 | 115,336 | 283,470 | 120,238 | 88,792 | 55,719 | 190,203 | 454,952 | 156,487 | 221,101 | 1,463,689 | 131,198 | 64,124 | 27,052 | 222,374 | 1,686,062 | |
| 2017 (a) | 274,562 | 102,360 | 275,367 | 168,393 | 443,760 | 113,684 | 86,002 | 73,983 | 195,831 | 469,500 | 136,501 | 243,495 | 1,670,178 | 66,555 | 66,222 | 28,576 | 161,353 | 1,831,531 | |
| 2016 | Q1 | 47,055 | 19,397 | 37,340 | 19,781 | 57,121 | 29,122 | 20,652 | 10,165 | 51,329 | 111,268 | 38,913 | 51,649 | 325,403 | 5,489 | 10,131 | 4,590 | 20,210 | 345,613 |
| | Q2 | 58,173 | 23,340 | 43,761 | 30,374 | 74,135 | 30,599 | 22,857 | 19,371 | 36,952 | 109,779 | 37,445 | 56,631 | 359,503 | 17,157 | 13,821 | 5,742 | 36,720 | 396,223 |
| | Q3 | 90,806 | 20,885 | 38,672 | 24,849 | 63,521 | 29,715 | 24,006 | 10,846 | 50,819 | 115,386 | 38,310 | 53,503 | 382,411 | 38,397 | 10,886 | 5,808 | 55,091 | 437,502 |
| | Q4 | 62,823 | 25,201 | 48,361 | 40,332 | 88,693 | 30,802 | 21,277 | 15,337 | 51,103 | 118,519 | 41,819 | 59,318 | 396,372 | 70,155 | 29,286 | 10,912 | 110,353 | 506,724 |
| 2017(a) | Q1 | 63,020 | 24,760 | 69,744 | 41,042 | 110,786 | 27,716 | 15,947 | 18,086 | 52,868 | 114,617 | 38,614 | 63,284 | 415,081 | 4,495 | 10,019 | 6,410 | 20,924 | 436,005 |
| | Q2 | 60,504 | 24,130 | 67,729 | 40,522 | 108,251 | 27,901 | 23,842 | 19,227 | 48,265 | 119,235 | 31,952 | 59,814 | 403,886 | 9,743 | 18,801 | 7,827 | 36,371 | 440,257 |
| | Q3 | 83,286 | 24,897 | 65,959 | 39,123 | 105,082 | 27,989 | 22,674 | 19,980 | 45,725 | 116,368 | 32,779 | 58,615 | 421,027 | 8,712 | 15,525 | 6,622 | 30,860 | 451,887 |
| | Q4 | 67,752 | 28,573 | 71,935 | 47,706 | 119,641 | 30,078 | 23,539 | 16,690 | 48,973 | 119,280 | 33,156 | 61,782 | 430,184 | 43,605 | 21,876 | 7,717 | 73,198 | 503,382 |
| 2017(a) | Feb | 23,481 | 7,511 | 19,271 | 11,634 | 30,905 | 9,338 | 5,271 | 4,283 | 15,352 | 34,244 | 10,547 | 18,616 | 125,304 | 1,479 | 4,116 | 2,050 | 7,645 | 132,949 |
| | Mar | 13,843 | 9,001 | 22,068 | 15,620 | 37,688 | 9,357 | 6,582 | 6,209 | 21,249 | 43,397 | 13,994 | 23,705 | 141,628 | 1,711 | 1,247 | 2,597 | 5,555 | 147,183 |
| | Apr | 21,455 | 7,593 | 27,067 | 14,717 | 41,784 | 10,546 | 7,893 | 9,909 | 12,732 | 41,080 | 8,778 | 18,523 | 139,213 | 3,304 | 7,875 | 2,622 | 13,801 | 153,014 |
| | May | 28,277 | 8,328 | 20,813 | 13,217 | 34,030 | 7,658 | 8,479 | 3,690 | 19,651 | 39,478 | 11,584 | 21,798 | 143,495 | 1,704 | 5,995 | 2,339 | 10,038 | 153,533 |
| | Jun | 10,772 | 8,209 | 19,849 | 12,588 | 32,437 | 9,697 | 7,470 | 5,628 | 15,882 | 38,677 | 11,590 | 19,493 | 121,178 | 4,735 | 4,931 | 2,866 | 12,532 | 133,710 |
| | Jul | 22,739 | 7,794 | 22,731 | 12,584 | 35,315 | 8,729 | 7,320 | 5,319 | 14,532 | 35,900 | 16,263 | 13,229 | 131,240 | 4,294 | 4,830 | 2,106 | 11,230 | 142,470 |
| | Aug | 24,775 | 8,935 | 21,217 | 14,480 | 35,697 | 9,308 | 7,525 | 7,515 | 18,424 | 42,772 | 5,685 | 26,877 | 144,741 | 1,777 | 4,702 | 2,422 | 8,901 | 153,642 |
| | Sep | 35,772 | 8,168 | 22,011 | 12,059 | 34,070 | 9,952 | 7,829 | 7,146 | 12,769 | 37,696 | 10,831 | 18,509 | 145,046 | 2,641 | 5,993 | 2,094 | 10,729 | 155,775 |
| | Oct | 20,859 | 8,796 | 23,559 | 13,819 | 37,378 | 9,223 | 7,830 | 2,575 | 15,041 | 34,669 | 8,468 | 20,163 | 130,333 | 4,700 | 4,722 | 2,775 | 12,197 | 142,530 |
| | Nov | 32,504 | 9,991 | 21,503 | 16,048 | 37,551 | 10,678 | 8,615 | 7,846 | 15,829 | 42,968 | 13,309 | 20,504 | 156,827 | 19,199 | 8,141 | 1,999 | 29,339 | 186,166 |
| | Dec | 14,389 | 9,786 | 26,873 | 17,839 | 44,712 | 10,177 | 7,094 | 6,269 | 18,103 | 41,643 | 11,379 | 21,115 | 143,024 | 19,706 | 9,013 | 2,942 | 31,662 | 174,686 |
| | 2018 (a) | Jan | 22,519 | 9,148 | 28,355 | 14,965 | 43,321 | 9,533 | 7,019 | 5,648 | 17,061 | 39,260 | 7,238 | 20,211 | 141,697 | 1,873 | 5,303 | 2,029 | 9,205 |
| Feb | | 32,667 | 9,540 | 23,203 | 14,854 | 38,057 | 9,585 | 7,838 | 6,220 | 16,985 | 40,628 | 7,761 | 20,600 | 149,254 | 2,239 | 6,754 | 1,625 | 10,619 | 159,872 |

(a) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Finance and Mass Media

Government Expenditure – 2018

Rs. million

| Ministry (a) | Recurrent | | | Capital | | |
|--|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Approved Estimates | February | Upto February | Approved Estimates | February | Upto February |
| 1. HE the President, Prime Minister, Judges of the Supreme Court etc. | 16,072 | 1,053 | 1,828 | 9,400 | 121 | 183 |
| 2. Buddha Sasana | 712 | 50 | 111 | 751 | 17 | 47 |
| 3. Finance and Mass Media (b) | 997,400 | 63,722 | 156,477 | 1,348,999 | 90,205 | 182,766 |
| 4. Defence | 260,711 | 21,184 | 40,693 | 30,000 | 1,509 | 2,315 |
| 5. National Policies and Economic Affairs | 4,178 | 256 | 534 | 25,000 | 1,144 | 6,179 |
| 6. Disaster Management | 943 | 402 | 475 | 4,868 | 732 | 986 |
| 7. Posts, Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs | 13,158 | 1,074 | 2,248 | 373 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Justice | 8,130 | 715 | 1,342 | 3,020 | 38 | 98 |
| 9. Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine | 134,400 | 10,675 | 22,991 | 44,000 | 2,003 | 3,280 |
| 10. Foreign Affairs | 9,957 | 898 | 1,656 | 822 | 5 | 6 |
| 11. Transport and Civil Aviation | 18,137 | 2,095 | 4,298 | 24,000 | 1,242 | 2,013 |
| 12. Higher Education and Highways | 32,757 | 2,810 | 5,571 | 150,000 | 6,842 | 24,457 |
| 13. Agriculture | 16,790 | 3,425 | 7,707 | 7,000 | 421 | 631 |
| 14. Power and Renewable Energy | 498 | 37 | 62 | 340 | 2 | 2 |
| 15. Women and Child Affairs | 1,406 | 405 | 543 | 1,603 | 6 | 7 |
| 16. Home Affairs | 28,100 | 2,079 | 4,063 | 16,000 | 1,704 | 1,950 |
| 17. Lands and Parliamentary Reforms | 5,897 | 449 | 878 | 3,200 | 56 | 85 |
| 18. Housing and Construction | 835 | 67 | 128 | 10,413 | 696 | 1,193 |
| 19. Social Empowerment, Welfare and Kandyan Heritage | 15,659 | 5,348 | 10,631 | 2,920 | 12 | 16 |
| 20. Education | 62,880 | 3,828 | 8,169 | 40,000 | 4,580 | 5,758 |
| 21. Public Administration and Management | 232,751 | 18,336 | 36,215 | 1,113 | 75 | 97 |
| 22. Plantation Industries | 3,345 | 250 | 456 | 5,300 | 125 | 168 |
| 23. Sports | 1,625 | 105 | 281 | 3,800 | 173 | 434 |
| 24. Hill Country New Villages, Infrastructure and Community Development | 348 | 25 | 51 | 3,400 | 154 | 431 |
| 25. Prisons Reforms, Rehabilitation, Re-settlement and Hindu Religious Affairs | 8,278 | 546 | 1,032 | 3,148 | 31 | 80 |
| 26. Regional Development | 353 | 24 | 50 | 620 | 64 | 65 |
| 27. Development Assignment | 221 | 7 | 13 | 1,072 | 1 | 1 |
| 28. Industry and Commerce | 2,153 | 179 | 346 | 6,928 | 121 | 206 |
| 29. Petroleum Resources Development | 242 | 19 | 30 | 67 | 1 | 1 |
| 30. Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development | 1,758 | 149 | 347 | 6,000 | 126 | 241 |
| 32. Rural Economic Affairs | 1,239 | 75 | 160 | 6,000 | 210 | 305 |
| 33. Provincial Councils and Local Government | 176,217 | 14,633 | 29,246 | 42,000 | 1,270 | 2,027 |
| 34. National Co-existence, Dialogue and Official Languages | 525 | 39 | 78 | 238 | 12 | 27 |
| 35. Public Enterprise Development | 283 | 14 | 28 | 5,289 | 8 | 52 |
| 36. Tourism Development and Christian Religious Affairs | 513 | 20 | 43 | 512 | 11 | 14 |
| 37. Mahaweli Development and Environment | 5,464 | 440 | 862 | 40,147 | 1,623 | 3,118 |
| 38. Sustainable Development and Wildlife | 2,126 | 173 | 325 | 2,653 | 14 | 22 |
| 39. Megapolis and Western Development | 1,109 | 28 | 55 | 50,000 | 3,118 | 3,767 |
| 40. Internal Affairs, Wayamba Development and Cultural Affairs | 4,544 | 250 | 480 | 4,001 | 198 | 209 |
| 41. National Integration and Reconciliation | 116 | 6 | 13 | 2,654 | 0 | 2 |
| 42. City Planning and Water Supply | 368 | 23 | 44 | 27,495 | 1,570 | 2,210 |
| 43. Special Assignment | 74 | 5 | 9 | 31 | 0 | 0 |
| 44. Ports and Shipping | 233 | 20 | 34 | 2,315 | 1 | 2 |
| 45. Foreign Employment | 633 | 50 | 95 | 53 | 0 | 0 |
| 46. Law & Order and Southern Development | 75,170 | 5,450 | 10,874 | 7,729 | 428 | 624 |
| 47. Labour, Trade Union Relations and Sabaragamuwa Dev. | 2,221 | 154 | 318 | 3,010 | 21 | 222 |
| 48. Telecommunication and Digital Infrastructure | 214 | 10 | 20 | 2,056 | 5 | 350 |
| 49. Development Strategies and International Trade | 605 | 43 | 84 | 1,492 | 18 | 73 |
| 50. Science, Technology and Research | 1,864 | 128 | 249 | 3,780 | 74 | 82 |
| 51. Skills Development and Vocational Training | 6,544 | 458 | 926 | 4,338 | 28 | 47 |
| 52. Irrigation and Water Resource Management | 3,631 | 267 | 524 | 21,000 | 158 | 689 |
| 53. Primary Industries | 746 | 61 | 113 | 2,765 | 77 | 78 |
| Advance Account Operations | – | – | – | 6,000 | – | – |
| Total | 2,164,132 | 162,558 | 353,807 | 1,989,713 | 121,052 | 247,618 |

(a) The list of Ministries is based on Budget 2018

Source : Ministry of Finance and Mass Media

(b) Includes debt service payments

Economic Classification of Government Expenditure

Rs. million

| Period | Recurrent | | | | | Total | Capital and net lending | Total |
|-----------|------------------|----------|---------|----------|---------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|
| | Salaries & Wages | Interest | Pension | Samurdhi | Other | | | |
| 2015 | 561,730 | 509,674 | 155,320 | 39,994 | 434,940 | 1,701,658 | 588,737 | 2,290,394 |
| 2016 | 576,471 | 610,895 | 171,903 | 40,740 | 357,773 | 1,757,782 | 576,101 | 2,333,883 |
| 2017 (a) | 588,518 | 735,566 | 181,059 | 39,707 | 382,843 | 1,927,693 | 645,363 | 2,573,056 |
| 2016 (a) | | | | | | | | |
| Q1 | 139,239 | 154,314 | 40,891 | 10,345 | 81,720 | 426,509 | 99,811 | 526,320 |
| Q2 | 149,448 | 135,393 | 43,756 | 10,194 | 70,237 | 409,028 | 135,235 | 544,263 |
| Q3 | 137,886 | 182,036 | 43,840 | 10,156 | 98,892 | 472,810 | 142,609 | 615,419 |
| Q4 | 149,898 | 139,152 | 43,416 | 10,045 | 106,923 | 449,435 | 198,446 | 647,881 |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | |
| Q1 | 147,524 | 209,034 | 44,175 | 9,990 | 73,497 | 484,220 | 152,102 | 636,322 |
| Q2 | 146,129 | 139,610 | 45,105 | 9,957 | 93,191 | 433,992 | 139,856 | 573,848 |
| Q3 | 148,286 | 226,554 | 46,551 | 9,911 | 88,309 | 519,611 | 160,183 | 679,794 |
| Q4 | 146,579 | 160,368 | 45,228 | 9,849 | 127,846 | 489,870 | 193,222 | 683,092 |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | |
| February | 49,374 | 37,550 | 14,856 | 3,332 | 25,554 | 130,666 | 41,593 | 172,259 |
| March | 49,626 | 57,869 | 14,852 | 3,321 | 25,124 | 150,792 | 50,613 | 201,405 |
| April | 49,994 | 34,465 | 15,011 | 3,321 | 39,038 | 141,829 | 44,689 | 186,518 |
| May | 49,332 | 51,232 | 14,848 | 3,322 | 24,515 | 143,249 | 62,498 | 205,747 |
| June | 46,803 | 53,913 | 15,246 | 3,314 | 29,638 | 148,914 | 32,669 | 181,583 |
| July | 48,979 | 119,739 | 15,337 | 3,309 | 30,523 | 217,887 | 64,332 | 282,219 |
| August | 49,902 | 50,247 | 15,636 | 3,304 | 39,166 | 158,255 | 44,215 | 202,470 |
| September | 49,405 | 56,568 | 15,578 | 3,298 | 18,620 | 143,469 | 51,636 | 195,105 |
| October | 49,386 | 33,699 | 15,412 | 3,292 | 33,390 | 135,179 | 34,912 | 170,091 |
| November | 50,174 | 63,562 | 15,502 | 3,290 | 36,426 | 168,954 | 64,183 | 233,137 |
| December | 47,019 | 63,107 | 14,314 | 3,267 | 58,030 | 185,737 | 94,127 | 279,864 |
| 2018 (a) | | | | | | | | |
| January | 50,979 | 96,216 | 15,176 | 3,288 | 30,467 | 196,126 | 77,020 | 273,146 |
| February | 50,275 | 67,253 | 15,700 | 3,286 | 30,328 | 166,842 | 42,024 | 208,866 |

(a) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Finance and Mass Media

Outstanding Central Government Debt^(a)

Rs. million

| Item | End 2014 | End 2015 | End 2016 | End 2017 | End Jan 2018 (b) | End Feb. 2018 (b) |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Total Domestic Debt | 4,277,783 | 4,959,196 | 5,341,507 | 5,594,427 | 5,701,267 | 5,724,466 |
| Short-Term | 941,162 | 913,291 | 968,396 | 1,031,181 | 1,095,822 | 1,124,887 |
| Treasury bills (c) | 694,767 | 658,240 | 779,581 | 697,154 | 765,130 | 782,869 |
| Provisional advances from the Central Bank | 143,898 | 151,132 | 83,307 | 199,801 | 224,737 | 224,753 |
| Import bills held by commercial banks | 25,542 | 4 | – | – | – | – |
| Other liabilities to the banking sector net of bank deposits | 76,386 | 103,345 | 105,508 | 134,227 | 105,955 | 117,266 |
| Other (Administrative Borrowings) | 570 | 570 | – | – | – | – |
| Medium and Long-Term | 3,336,620 | 4,045,905 | 4,373,111 | 4,563,246 | 4,605,445 | 4,599,578 |
| Rupee Securities | 55,518 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 |
| Treasury bonds (d) | 2,844,054 | 3,305,248 | 3,714,787 | 3,822,620 | 3,850,300 | 3,839,345 |
| Sri Lanka Development Bonds | 391,083 | 668,458 | 572,199 | 637,886 | 651,893 | 656,571 |
| Foreign Currency Banking Units | 19,657 | 21,609 | 29,960 | 64,199 | 64,583 | 65,046 |
| Other | 26,308 | 26,502 | 32,077 | 14,453 | 14,582 | 14,527 |
| By Debt Instrument | 4,277,783 | 4,959,196 | 5,341,507 | 5,594,427 | 5,701,267 | 5,724,466 |
| Rupee Securities | 55,518 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 | 24,088 |
| Treasury bills (c) | 694,767 | 658,240 | 779,581 | 697,154 | 765,130 | 782,869 |
| Treasury bonds (d) | 2,844,054 | 3,305,248 | 3,714,787 | 3,822,620 | 3,850,300 | 3,839,345 |
| Sri Lanka Development Bonds | 391,083 | 668,458 | 572,199 | 637,886 | 651,893 | 656,571 |
| Provisional Advances | 143,898 | 151,132 | 83,307 | 199,801 | 224,737 | 224,753 |
| Other | 148,463 | 152,031 | 167,545 | 212,879 | 185,120 | 196,839 |
| By Institution | 4,277,783 | 4,959,196 | 5,341,507 | 5,594,427 | 5,701,267 | 5,724,466 |
| Banks | 1,669,882 | 1,924,036 | 2,114,901 | 2,328,544 | 2,413,249 | 2,422,306 |
| Central Bank | | | | | | |
| By Debt Instrument | 267,677 | 256,050 | 414,950 | 209,412 | 247,223 | 237,773 |
| Treasury bills | 123,496 | 104,754 | 331,389 | 9,908 | 22,722 | 13,262 |
| Other (e) | 144,180 | 151,296 | 83,560 | 199,504 | 224,501 | 224,511 |
| Commercial Banks | | | | | | |
| By Debt Instrument | 1,402,205 | 1,667,986 | 1,699,951 | 2,119,133 | 2,166,025 | 2,184,533 |
| Rupee Loans | 15,870 | 15,870 | 15,870 | 15,870 | 15,870 | 15,870 |
| Treasury bills | 278,296 | 340,664 | 244,139 | 463,198 | 517,710 | 532,309 |
| Treasury bonds | 595,067 | 517,613 | 731,942 | 803,455 | 809,779 | 797,229 |
| Sri Lanka Development Bonds | 391,083 | 668,458 | 572,199 | 637,886 | 651,893 | 656,571 |
| Other | 121,890 | 125,382 | 135,802 | 198,723 | 170,774 | 182,553 |
| Sinking Fund | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| Non-Bank sector | | | | | | |
| By Debt Instrument | 2,607,801 | 3,035,060 | 3,226,506 | 3,265,783 | 3,287,918 | 3,302,060 |
| Rupee Loans | 39,548 | 8,118 | 8,118 | 8,118 | 8,118 | 8,118 |
| Treasury bills | 292,975 | 212,822 | 204,052 | 224,048 | 224,698 | 237,298 |
| Treasury bonds | 2,248,987 | 2,787,635 | 2,982,845 | 3,019,164 | 3,040,520 | 3,042,116 |
| Other (f) | 26,291 | 26,485 | 31,490 | 14,453 | 14,582 | 14,527 |
| By Institution | 2,607,801 | 3,035,060 | 3,226,506 | 3,265,783 | 3,287,918 | 3,302,060 |
| National Savings Bank | 379,877 | 428,236 | 426,771 | 447,792 | 448,492 | 446,049 |
| Employees' Provident Fund | 1,474,244 | 1,614,256 | 1,778,276 | 1,930,141 | 1,953,674 | 1,968,992 |
| Other | 753,679 | 992,568 | 1,021,459 | 887,850 | 885,752 | 887,019 |
| Total Foreign Debt (g) | 3,113,116 | 3,544,031 | 4,045,796 | 4,718,618 | 4,806,264 | 4,848,183 |
| By Type | 3,113,116 | 3,544,031 | 4,045,796 | 4,718,618 | 4,806,264 | 4,848,183 |
| Project Loans | 1,904,599 | 2,180,388 | 2,361,118 | 2,610,547 | 2,681,406 | 2,720,077 |
| Non-Project Loans | 1,208,516 | 1,363,642 | 1,684,678 | 2,108,070 | 2,124,858 | 2,128,106 |
| Commodity | 69,993 | 71,470 | 69,101 | 62,727 | 61,523 | 61,577 |
| Other | 1,138,523 | 1,292,173 | 1,615,577 | 2,045,344 | 2,063,335 | 2,066,530 |
| By Institution | 3,113,116 | 3,544,031 | 4,045,796 | 4,718,618 | 4,806,264 | 4,848,183 |
| Concessional Loans | 1,490,978 | 1,729,895 | 1,897,680 | 2,130,482 | 2,098,579 | 2,122,205 |
| Multilateral | 704,044 | 794,485 | 855,998 | 954,662 | 983,047 | 993,648 |
| Bilateral | 786,934 | 935,410 | 1,041,682 | 1,175,820 | 1,115,532 | 1,128,557 |
| Non-Concessional Loans | 1,622,138 | 1,814,136 | 2,148,116 | 2,588,135 | 2,707,684 | 2,725,978 |
| Multilateral | 183,917 | 199,945 | 220,551 | 243,581 | 250,939 | 261,275 |
| Bilateral | 273,751 | 307,101 | 318,308 | 316,626 | 326,759 | 330,797 |
| Commercial Loans | 1,164,470 | 1,307,089 | 1,609,257 | 2,027,928 | 2,129,987 | 2,133,907 |
| International Sovereign Bonds | 655,243 | 958,014 | 1,220,870 | 1,475,049 | 1,483,863 | 1,494,513 |
| Foreign Currency Term Financing Facility | – | – | 104,860 | 217,054 | 218,351 | 219,918 |
| Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bills | 55,500 | 5,045 | 12,816 | 27,552 | 32,791 | 28,053 |
| Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bonds | 401,710 | 298,734 | 247,222 | 295,059 | 297,379 | 293,110 |
| Other (h) | 52,017 | 45,296 | 128,350 | 230,268 | 315,953 | 318,231 |
| Total Outstanding Government Debt | 7,390,899 | 8,503,227 | 9,387,303 | 10,313,045 | 10,507,530 | 10,572,649 |

(a) Outstanding Treasury bills and Treasury bonds have been adjusted for secondary market transactions.

(b) Provisional

(c) Excludes rupee denominated Treasury bills held by foreign investors.

(d) Excludes (i) rupee denominated Treasury bonds held by foreign investors, (ii) Treasury bonds amounting to Rs. 78,447 million issued to settle dues to CPC in January 2012. Due to maturity of some of those bonds in January 2017, the outstanding amount from January 2017 was Rs. 56,662 million and (iii) Treasury bonds amounting to Rs. 13,125 million issued to capitalise SriLankan Airlines.

(e) Includes provisional advances.

(f) Includes sinking fund.

(g) Excludes outstanding loans of projects under state owned business enterprises.

(h) Includes outstanding defence loans.

Sources : Ministry of National Policies and Economic Affairs

Ministry of Finance and Mass Media
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Exports, Imports and Trade Balance

US dollars million

| Period | Imports | | Domestic | Exports | | | Balance of Trade | | |
|----------|-------------|--------------|----------|------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|----------|
| | Customs | Adjusted (a) | | Re-Exports | Total Customs | Total Adjusted (a) | Customs | Adjusted (a) | |
| 2015 | 18,881.4 | 18,934.6 | 10,267.8 | 239.1 | 10,506.9 | 10,546.5 | -8,613.6 | -8,388.1 | |
| 2016 | 19,021.3 | 19,182.8 | 10,127.3 | 333.5 | 10,460.8 | 10,309.7 | -8,894.0 | -8,873.1 | |
| 2017 (b) | 20,745.9 | 20,979.8 | 11,225.7 | 328.9 | 11,554.6 | 11,360.4 | -9,520.2 | -9,619.4 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 4,546.8 | 4,594.5 | 2,698.1 | 99.0 | 2,797.1 | 2,739.2 | -1,848.7 | -1,855.3 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 4,626.7 | 4,726.5 | 2,345.8 | 96.0 | 2,441.8 | 2,391.1 | -2,280.9 | -2,335.5 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 4,653.6 | 4,590.1 | 2,619.3 | 42.8 | 2,662.1 | 2,655.7 | -2,034.3 | -1,934.4 |
| | 4th Quarter | 5,194.3 | 5,271.7 | 2,464.2 | 95.7 | 2,559.8 | 2,523.7 | -2,730.1 | -2,748.0 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 5,231.7 | 5,279.4 | 2,740.2 | 72.9 | 2,813.1 | 2,774.3 | -2,491.4 | -2,505.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 4,834.8 | 4,869.6 | 2,606.0 | 118.0 | 2,724.0 | 2,623.2 | -2,228.8 | -2,246.4 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 5,031.1 | 5,114.7 | 2,985.7 | 52.9 | 3,038.6 | 3,026.6 | -2,045.4 | -2,088.1 |
| | 4th Quarter | 5,648.3 | 5,716.1 | 2,893.8 | 85.2 | 2,979.0 | 2,936.0 | -2,754.5 | -2,780.1 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 1,577.7 | 1,611.2 | 862.0 | 20.5 | 882.5 | 867.8 | -715.7 | -743.4 |
| | March | 1,903.1 | 1,869.3 | 1,035.5 | 40.8 | 1,076.4 | 1,041.8 | -867.5 | -827.5 |
| | April | 1,595.6 | 1,603.9 | 781.1 | 25.0 | 806.0 | 794.7 | -814.5 | -809.2 |
| | May | 1,682.1 | 1,724.7 | 840.2 | 70.1 | 910.3 | 841.2 | -841.9 | -883.5 |
| | June | 1,557.1 | 1,540.9 | 984.7 | 22.9 | 1,007.6 | 987.3 | -572.4 | -553.6 |
| | July | 1,569.6 | 1,591.1 | 993.7 | 14.4 | 1,008.1 | 1,014.9 | -575.9 | -576.2 |
| | August | 1,825.4 | 1,856.9 | 979.7 | 18.0 | 997.7 | 1,000.6 | -845.7 | -856.3 |
| | September | 1,636.1 | 1,666.7 | 1,012.3 | 20.5 | 1,032.8 | 1,011.0 | -623.9 | -655.6 |
| | October | 1,716.6 | 1,727.2 | 959.9 | 19.5 | 979.4 | 975.6 | -756.7 | -751.7 |
| | November | 1,940.3 | 1,940.4 | 926.5 | 35.6 | 962.1 | 940.9 | -1,013.8 | -999.5 |
| | December | 1,991.4 | 2,048.5 | 1,007.4 | 30.1 | 1,037.5 | 1,019.5 | -984.0 | -1,029.0 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 1,976.5 | 2,014.5 | 933.7 | 13.2 | 946.8 | 965.4 | -1,042.9 | -1,049.1 |
| | February | 2,003.0 | 1,978.0 | 897.0 | 19.0 | 915.9 | 915.7 | -1,106.0 | -1,062.3 |

(a) Adjusted for lags and other factors of recording

(b) Provisional

Sources: Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 33

Exports

US dollars million

| Period | Industrial Exports | | | | | Agricultural Exports | | | | | | Mineral Exports | Unclassified Exports | Total Exports | |
|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|---------|----------------------|--------|------------------|--------|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------|---------|
| | Textiles and Garments | Rubber Products | Gem, Diamond and Jewellery | Petroleum Products | Other | Tea | Rubber | Coconut Products | Spices | Minor Agricultural Products | Other | | | | |
| 2015 | 4,820.2 | 761.2 | 331.7 | 373.9 | 1,730.2 | 1,340.5 | 26.1 | 351.7 | 377.4 | 160.4 | 225.3 | 28.4 | 19.5 | 10,546.5 | |
| 2016 | 4,884.1 | 767.9 | 273.9 | 286.9 | 1,727.4 | 1,269.0 | 32.7 | 366.0 | 317.1 | 114.1 | 227.3 | 29.0 | 14.5 | 10,309.7 | |
| 2017(a) | 5,031.9 | 835.4 | 257.5 | 434.3 | 1,982.7 | 1,529.8 | 38.9 | 347.9 | 406.2 | 138.7 | 305.6 | 34.5 | 16.9 | 11,360.4 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 1,369.3 | 203.2 | 75.0 | 74.2 | 444.0 | 313.1 | 9.9 | 87.8 | 60.9 | 28.1 | 62.4 | 7.6 | 3.7 | 2,739.2 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 1,145.4 | 168.8 | 73.4 | 58.1 | 393.2 | 305.2 | 7.1 | 86.4 | 64.4 | 28.7 | 50.5 | 6.0 | 3.8 | 2,391.1 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 1,201.2 | 203.9 | 62.2 | 72.2 | 463.5 | 331.5 | 6.1 | 101.4 | 108.7 | 37.1 | 55.2 | 9.1 | 3.7 | 2,655.7 |
| | 4th Quarter | 1,168.3 | 191.9 | 63.3 | 82.4 | 426.7 | 319.2 | 9.6 | 90.4 | 83.1 | 20.1 | 59.1 | 6.2 | 3.3 | 2,523.7 |
| 2017(a) | 1st Quarter | 1,275.8 | 199.5 | 64.5 | 90.6 | 476.2 | 349.1 | 16.4 | 91.0 | 86.0 | 32.6 | 80.8 | 7.3 | 4.6 | 2,774.3 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 1,107.9 | 189.0 | 59.4 | 86.3 | 516.6 | 379.2 | 7.5 | 82.8 | 74.8 | 38.8 | 67.4 | 9.7 | 3.8 | 2,623.2 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 1,331.4 | 226.1 | 64.3 | 115.9 | 503.3 | 411.2 | 7.7 | 99.3 | 136.8 | 39.5 | 76.8 | 10.1 | 4.2 | 3,026.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 1,317.0 | 220.8 | 69.0 | 141.5 | 486.6 | 390.2 | 7.4 | 74.8 | 108.7 | 27.8 | 80.6 | 7.5 | 4.3 | 2,936.0 |
| 2017(a) | February | 396.1 | 64.8 | 22.6 | 27.2 | 148.7 | 113.9 | 5.6 | 27.2 | 25.3 | 8.6 | 24.3 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 867.8 |
| | March | 453.3 | 76.7 | 20.2 | 33.9 | 195.1 | 133.7 | 5.8 | 36.5 | 30.2 | 16.8 | 34.4 | 3.3 | 1.9 | 1,041.8 |
| | April | 350.5 | 48.9 | 16.4 | 29.5 | 149.5 | 109.1 | 2.6 | 24.8 | 23.2 | 12.7 | 23.5 | 2.7 | 1.3 | 794.7 |
| | May | 359.2 | 67.0 | 22.3 | 27.6 | 138.3 | 131.6 | 2.9 | 27.9 | 23.7 | 13.0 | 23.6 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 841.2 |
| | June | 398.1 | 73.1 | 20.6 | 29.2 | 228.8 | 138.6 | 2.0 | 30.1 | 27.8 | 13.1 | 20.4 | 4.3 | 1.1 | 987.3 |
| | July | 466.6 | 78.5 | 17.2 | 35.7 | 158.4 | 143.0 | 2.1 | 32.5 | 37.7 | 11.8 | 26.1 | 3.8 | 1.5 | 1,014.9 |
| | August | 433.2 | 71.0 | 25.6 | 40.1 | 170.2 | 131.3 | 2.6 | 33.8 | 50.2 | 13.4 | 24.0 | 3.8 | 1.4 | 1,000.6 |
| | September | 431.5 | 76.5 | 21.5 | 40.2 | 174.8 | 136.9 | 2.9 | 33.0 | 48.9 | 14.3 | 26.7 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 1,011.0 |
| | October | 422.6 | 78.8 | 25.8 | 34.9 | 162.9 | 136.2 | 1.8 | 30.1 | 42.4 | 9.4 | 25.6 | 3.4 | 1.5 | 975.6 |
| | November | 424.3 | 67.3 | 22.5 | 44.2 | 155.2 | 127.0 | 2.3 | 25.7 | 33.7 | 8.9 | 26.5 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 940.9 |
| | December | 470.0 | 74.6 | 20.7 | 62.4 | 168.5 | 126.9 | 3.3 | 18.9 | 32.6 | 9.4 | 28.5 | 2.3 | 1.2 | 1,019.5 |
| 2018(a) | January | 434.8 | 71.0 | 27.5 | 52.7 | 171.5 | 111.8 | 4.1 | 21.1 | 30.0 | 10.5 | 26.6 | 1.4 | 2.2 | 965.4 |
| | February | 407.0 | 68.3 | 23.1 | 45.5 | 159.4 | 118.2 | 4.1 | 26.3 | 24.6 | 8.2 | 24.7 | 4.8 | 1.5 | 915.7 |

(a) Provisional

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 34

Export Performance based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)^(a)

US dollars million

| Period | | Export (US dollars million) | | | | | | | | | | Total Exports (Rs. million) | |
|----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|---|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------|
| | | Food and Live Animals | Beverages and Tobacco | Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels | Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials | Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes | Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s. | Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials | Machinery, and Transport Equipment | Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC | | Total Exports |
| 2015 | | 2,422.3 | 110.6 | 289.8 | 373.9 | 124.1 | 164.1 | 1,350.4 | 530.1 | 5,181.2 | ... | 10,546.5 | 1,431,431.5 |
| 2016 | | 2,241.3 | 130.7 | 310.4 | 286.9 | 94.6 | 180.2 | 1,338.7 | 441.0 | 5,285.9 | ... | 10,309.7 | 1,500,765.7 |
| 2017 (b) | | 2,730.4 | 140.9 | 346.9 | 434.3 | 94.9 | 197.2 | 1,417.5 | 521.6 | 5,475.8 | 0.8 | 11,360.4 | 1,732,439.6 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 551.7 | 38.2 | 81.5 | 74.2 | 20.4 | 42.1 | 353.7 | 119.2 | 1,458.1 | – | 2,739.2 | 394,289.3 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 530.9 | 30.3 | 69.2 | 58.1 | 22.1 | 44.0 | 311.0 | 86.8 | 1,238.7 | ... | 2,391.1 | 346,687.7 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 602.4 | 33.5 | 81.0 | 72.2 | 27.6 | 48.6 | 340.2 | 129.3 | 1,320.9 | – | 2,655.7 | 386,669.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 556.4 | 28.6 | 78.7 | 82.4 | 24.5 | 45.5 | 333.7 | 105.7 | 1,268.3 | ... | 2,523.7 | 373,119.4 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 626.1 | 30.4 | 93.7 | 90.6 | 24.8 | 48.2 | 342.1 | 138.4 | 1,379.7 | 0.5 | 2,774.3 | 418,429.7 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 663.5 | 33.9 | 81.6 | 86.3 | 21.5 | 46.3 | 315.9 | 161.6 | 1,212.5 | 0.3 | 2,623.2 | 399,638.3 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 752.3 | 37.8 | 92.6 | 115.9 | 28.0 | 52.2 | 383.5 | 113.2 | 1,451.4 | – | 3,026.9 | 463,873.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 688.6 | 38.9 | 79.1 | 141.5 | 20.6 | 50.7 | 376.1 | 108.4 | 1,432.2 | – | 2,936.0 | 450,498.1 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 194.8 | 10.8 | 29.5 | 27.2 | 6.4 | 14.1 | 111.7 | 44.3 | 429.0 | – | 867.8 | 130,880.3 |
| | March | 247.2 | 11.1 | 37.4 | 33.9 | 10.5 | 17.6 | 127.1 | 61.1 | 495.6 | 0.5 | 1,041.8 | 157,759.9 |
| | April | 189.3 | 10.1 | 24.8 | 29.5 | 6.6 | 15.5 | 88.0 | 51.1 | 379.5 | 0.1 | 794.7 | 120,597.5 |
| | May | 215.7 | 12.5 | 28.0 | 27.6 | 6.9 | 16.0 | 113.5 | 28.8 | 392.1 | 0.1 | 841.2 | 128,150.5 |
| | June | 258.5 | 11.2 | 28.8 | 29.2 | 7.9 | 14.8 | 114.4 | 81.7 | 440.9 | 0.1 | 987.3 | 150,890.2 |
| | July | 245.6 | 11.0 | 30.4 | 35.7 | 10.4 | 19.2 | 123.3 | 34.8 | 504.8 | – | 1,015.2 | 155,999.0 |
| | August | 245.8 | 13.6 | 32.4 | 40.1 | 9.4 | 17.3 | 131.0 | 37.6 | 473.5 | – | 1,000.6 | 153,291.5 |
| | September | 260.8 | 13.2 | 29.8 | 40.2 | 8.3 | 15.7 | 129.3 | 40.7 | 473.1 | – | 1,011.0 | 154,583.2 |
| | October | 245.1 | 12.3 | 27.9 | 34.9 | 7.7 | 17.9 | 128.4 | 40.2 | 461.4 | – | 975.6 | 149,777.1 |
| | November | 224.2 | 9.6 | 25.4 | 44.2 | 7.3 | 15.6 | 121.2 | 34.2 | 459.2 | – | 940.9 | 144,583.5 |
| | December | 219.3 | 17.0 | 25.8 | 62.4 | 5.6 | 17.1 | 126.5 | 34.0 | 511.6 | – | 1,019.5 | 156,137.5 |
| | 2018 (b) | January | 220.1 | 10.0 | 28.8 | 52.7 | 6.5 | 17.5 | 126.9 | 36.4 | 466.3 | – | 965.4 |
| February | | 196.1 | 13.9 | 35.2 | 45.5 | 6.5 | 17.5 | 123.4 | 38.0 | 439.6 | – | 915.7 | 141,795.7 |

(a) Data is compiled based on the latest version of SITC revision 4 published in 2006.

(b) Provisional

... Negligible

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

Composition of Industrial and Mineral Exports

US dollars thousand

| Item | February | | January – February | |
|---|----------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| | 2017 | 2018 (a) | 2017 | 2018 (a) |
| Food, Beverages and Tobacco | 23,654 | 29,639 | 45,717 | 77,803 |
| Milling Industry Products | 2,492 | 2,294 | 4,246 | 4,431 |
| Vegetable, Fruit and Nuts Preparations | 8,575 | 10,906 | 16,977 | 21,049 |
| Cereal Preparations | 1,226 | 1,372 | 2,810 | 2,714 |
| Fish Preparations (b) | 19 | 259 | 37 | 291 |
| Manufactured Tobacco | 4,765 | 7,630 | 9,534 | 13,442 |
| Other | 6,577 | 7,177 | 12,113 | 35,876 |
| Animal Fodder | 6,659 | 7,803 | 13,545 | 14,896 |
| Textiles and Garments | 396,109 | 407,017 | 822,436 | 841,830 |
| Garments | 371,039 | 381,505 | 776,213 | 790,812 |
| Woven Fabrics | 10,199 | 9,383 | 18,447 | 18,619 |
| Yarn | 6,497 | 6,742 | 10,792 | 13,535 |
| Other Made-up Textile Articles | 8,374 | 9,386 | 16,984 | 18,863 |
| Rubber Products | 64,843 | 68,321 | 122,812 | 139,368 |
| Rubber Tyres | 40,346 | 44,597 | 75,209 | 88,365 |
| Surgical and Other Gloves | 15,788 | 13,902 | 28,846 | 30,571 |
| Other Rubber Products | 8,708 | 9,823 | 18,757 | 20,432 |
| Gems, Diamonds and Jewellery | 22,572 | 23,055 | 44,355 | 50,589 |
| Gems | 13,857 | 13,427 | 27,958 | 30,984 |
| Diamonds | 7,202 | 8,447 | 13,747 | 17,166 |
| Jewellery | 1,513 | 1,181 | 2,649 | 2,439 |
| Machinery and Mechanical Appliances | 37,582 | 31,389 | 63,555 | 61,112 |
| Electrical Machinery and Equipment | 11,557 | 3,721 | 14,537 | 7,955 |
| Electronic Equipment | 7,517 | 10,443 | 15,126 | 18,979 |
| Insulated Wires, Cables and Conductors | 3,687 | 5,258 | 8,434 | 10,873 |
| Other Industrial Machinery | 14,820 | 11,967 | 25,458 | 23,304 |
| Transport Equipment | 7,805 | 7,877 | 15,068 | 15,245 |
| Road Vehicles | 2,111 | 4,509 | 4,408 | 8,783 |
| Ships, Boats and Floating Structures | 3,031 | 339 | 6,277 | 894 |
| Other | 2,663 | 3,029 | 4,383 | 5,567 |
| Petroleum Products | 27,204 | 45,484 | 56,696 | 98,226 |
| Bunkers and Aviation Fuel | 26,535 | 44,926 | 55,018 | 96,937 |
| Other Petroleum Products | 670 | 558 | 1,678 | 1,289 |
| Chemical Products | 10,324 | 12,604 | 21,282 | 25,137 |
| Wood and Paper Products | 10,694 | 12,175 | 21,917 | 23,473 |
| Leather, Travel Goods and Footwear | 16,324 | 14,773 | 25,651 | 27,766 |
| Footwear | 12,906 | 10,175 | 19,822 | 19,299 |
| Travel Goods | 1,766 | 3,255 | 3,632 | 5,540 |
| Other | 1,652 | 1,343 | 2,196 | 2,927 |
| Plastics and Articles | 5,062 | 6,831 | 9,723 | 13,066 |
| Base Metals and Articles | 7,668 | 11,155 | 15,827 | 23,286 |
| Ceramic Products | 2,832 | 2,185 | 4,915 | 4,138 |
| Tiles | 628 | 521 | 1,110 | 781 |
| Tableware, Household Items and Sanitaryware | 1,746 | 1,357 | 3,119 | 2,709 |
| Other | 459 | 307 | 687 | 648 |
| Other Industrial Exports | 20,061 | 22,933 | 43,888 | 44,921 |
| TOTAL INDUSTRIAL EXPORTS | 659,392 | 703,240 | 1,327,386 | 1,460,855 |
| Mineral Exports | | | | |
| Natural Graphite | 311 | 379 | 688 | 784 |
| Natural Sands | 1 | - | 7 | - |
| Quartz | 939 | 969 | 1,920 | 1,853 |
| Other | 961 | 3,454 | 1,322 | 3,609 |
| TOTAL MINERAL EXPORTS | 2,213 | 4,802 | 3,936 | 6,246 |

(a) Provisional

(b) Including crustaceans and molluscs

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 36

Tea and Rubber – Auctions and Exports

| Period | Tea | | | | | | | | Rubber | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|------------------|--------|-------|--------|------------------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|----------------|--------------------------------|--|--------|--------|
| | Exports | | | Colombo Auctions | | | | | Exports | | | | Prices | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Volume (kg '000) | Value US\$ mn | Price F.O.B. Price US\$/kg | Quantity Sold (kg. '000) | Gross Price (Rs./kg) | | | | Volume ('000 kg) | | | | Value (US \$ mn) | | | Price F.O.B. (US\$/ kg) | Colombo Market (Rs./kg) | | | | Scrap Crepe No. IX Br | Singa- pore (Sing. \$ cents/ kg) | | |
| | | | | | High | Medium | Low | Total | Sheet | Crepe | Other | Total | Sheet | Crepe | Other | | Total | R.S.S. | | Latex Crepe | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 306,966 | 1,340 | 4.37 | 313,865 | 387.21 | 359.60 | 416.47 | 401.46 | 903 | 8,748 | 722 | 10,373 | 1.6 | 22.6 | 2.0 | 26.1 | 2.52 | 248.17 | 242.92 | 301.53 | 296.30 | 187.80 | 213.67 | |
| 2016 | 288,771 | 1,269 | 4.39 | 274,576 | 455.37 | 424.71 | 489.50 | 473.15 | 1,630 | 12,015 | 2,522 | 16,167 | 2.7 | 25.7 | 4.3 | 32.7 | 2.02 | 239.28 | 229.76 | 262.31 | 258.81 | 179.98 | 221.85 | |
| 2017 (a) | 288,984 | 1,530 | 5.29 | 291,558 | 611.59 | 563.35 | 637.51 | 620.44 | 2,940 | 9,039 | 5,250 | 17,230 | 6.1 | 22.5 | 10.3 | 38.9 | 2.26 | 336.72 | 329.82 | 351.71 | 347.97 | 269.55 | 276.41 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 74,453 | 313 | 4.21 | 76,248 | 417.01 | 374.86 | 411.85 | 406.39 | 376 | 3,547 | 184 | 4,108 | 0.6 | 8.8 | 0.5 | 9.9 | 2.41 | 210.23 | 194.46 | 287.37 | 284.49 | 148.75 | 185.13 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 72,005 | 305 | 4.24 | 72,652 | 414.06 | 398.60 | 454.61 | 436.42 | 421 | 2,623 | 438 | 3,481 | 0.7 | 5.6 | 0.8 | 7.1 | 2.04 | 248.96 | 239.00 | 273.75 | 270.29 | 170.48 | 218.72 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 76,298 | 331 | 4.34 | 69,293 | 437.89 | 422.02 | 501.11 | 477.59 | 156 | 2,506 | 198 | 2,861 | 0.3 | 5.4 | 0.4 | 6.1 | 2.14 | 236.31 | 232.28 | 240.66 | 236.48 | 178.34 | 212.37 |
| | 4th Qtr | 66,014 | 319 | 4.84 | 56,383 | 552.53 | 503.38 | 590.44 | 572.20 | 676 | 3,339 | 1,702 | 5,717 | 1.1 | 5.9 | 2.5 | 9.6 | 1.67 | 261.60 | 259.45 | 247.44 | 243.96 | 222.35 | 271.17 |
| 2017 (a) | 1st Qtr | 68,408 | 349 | 5.10 | 74,319 | 623.06 | 566.61 | 617.58 | 611.26 | 1,279 | 3,648 | 2,807 | 7,734 | 2.7 | 8.3 | 5.4 | 16.4 | 2.12 | 327.87 | 321.10 | 314.40 | 309.48 | 295.58 | 359.81 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 70,281 | 379 | 5.40 | 75,307 | 574.90 | 583.36 | 657.80 | 625.39 | 704 | 1,769 | 750 | 3,223 | 1.6 | 4.5 | 1.5 | 7.5 | 2.33 | 335.44 | 322.61 | 309.81 | 305.09 | 268.73 | 279.67 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 77,134 | 411 | 5.33 | 75,804 | 598.09 | 539.59 | 632.70 | 612.85 | 566 | 1,720 | 968 | 3,255 | 1.1 | 4.6 | 1.9 | 7.7 | 2.35 | 347.46 | 339.89 | 374.00 | 367.91 | 260.13 | 246.87 |
| | 4th Qtr | 73,163 | 390 | 5.33 | 66,129 | 650.31 | 563.85 | 641.97 | 632.26 | 391 | 1,902 | 725 | 3,018 | 0.7 | 5.2 | 1.4 | 7.4 | 2.44 | 336.10 | 335.67 | 408.64 | 409.39 | 253.74 | 219.28 |
| 2017 (a) | Feb | 22,448 | 114 | 5.07 | 20,521 | 609.03 | 550.77 | 604.06 | 597.91 | 264 | 1,330 | 903 | 2,497 | 0.6 | 3.2 | 1.8 | 5.6 | 2.24 | 338.67 | 329.00 | 320.00 | 310.30 | 303.10 | 383.45 |
| | Mar | 25,785 | 134 | 5.18 | 20,146 | 638.14 | 600.54 | 648.08 | 639.17 | 358 | 1,350 | 824 | 2,533 | 0.9 | 3.2 | 1.7 | 5.8 | 2.29 | 316.21 | 313.00 | 298.35 | 294.50 | 275.50 | 330.23 |
| | Apr | 20,121 | 109 | 5.42 | 16,959 | 634.93 | 620.63 | 662.36 | 650.10 | 277 | 587 | 234 | 1,098 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 2.6 | 2.35 | 322.13 | 318.83 | 296.00 | 292.00 | 258.75 | 308.82 |
| | May | 24,312 | 132 | 5.41 | 33,480 | 559.59 | 590.80 | 668.51 | 628.71 | 261 | 654 | 376 | 1,291 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 2.24 | 340.39 | 321.00 | 308.00 | 302.69 | 283.64 | 292.28 |
| | Jun | 25,848 | 139 | 5.36 | 24,868 | 530.19 | 538.64 | 642.54 | 597.38 | 166 | 528 | 140 | 834 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 2.44 | 343.80 | 328.00 | 325.42 | 320.57 | 263.80 | 237.92 |
| | Jul | 26,693 | 143 | 5.36 | 24,878 | 558.21 | 524.53 | 618.26 | 592.46 | 212 | 391 | 288 | 891 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 2.1 | 2.41 | 352.50 | 346.67 | 407.50 | 394.30 | 264.71 | 239.94 |
| | Aug | 24,809 | 131 | 5.29 | 28,649 | 599.58 | 527.86 | 626.01 | 607.19 | 149 | 673 | 287 | 1,109 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 0.6 | 2.6 | 2.35 | 346.38 | 335.00 | 358.38 | 355.88 | 259.92 | 249.93 |
| | Sep | 25,632 | 137 | 5.34 | 22,277 | 636.48 | 566.37 | 653.82 | 638.92 | 206 | 655 | 394 | 1,255 | 0.4 | 1.8 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 2.31 | 343.50 | 338.00 | 356.13 | 353.56 | 255.75 | 250.74 |
| | Oct | 25,523 | 136 | 5.34 | 28,070 | 657.62 | 576.23 | 660.05 | 647.66 | 56 | 470 | 191 | 717 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 0.4 | 1.8 | 2.50 | 339.00 | 339.00 | 392.17 | 390.36 | 255.40 | 222.68 |
| | Nov | 23,673 | 127 | 5.36 | 21,155 | 648.27 | 560.71 | 635.29 | 627.39 | 74 | 563 | 323 | 961 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 0.6 | 2.3 | 2.41 | 336.50 | 336.00 | 432.50 | 437.80 | 260.33 | 212.71 |
| | Dec | 23,967 | 127 | 5.30 | 16,904 | 645.05 | 554.59 | 630.57 | 621.74 | 262 | 868 | 211 | 1,341 | 0.5 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 3.3 | 2.43 | 332.80 | 332.00 | 401.25 | 400.00 | 245.50 | 222.46 |
| 2018 (a) | Jan | 21,000 | 112 | 5.32 | 29,945 | 639.40 | 570.32 | 655.42 | 640.45 | 221 | 1,105 | 239 | 1,564 | 0.4 | 3.1 | 0.6 | 4.1 | 2.60 | 311.17 | 308.33 | 378.40 | 377.70 | 214.22 | 252.31 |
| | Feb | 21,752 | 118 | 5.44 | 22,313 | 646.31 | 571.65 | 639.53 | 631.46 | 356 | 1,030 | 387 | 1,773 | 0.6 | 2.8 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 2.30 | 278.83 | 260.00 | 301.75 | 297.50 | 192.86 | 249.99 |

(a) Provisional

Sources : Colombo Tea Brokers' Association
Sri Lanka Customs
The Ceylon Chamber of Commerce
World Bank
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 37

Major Coconut Products – Auctions and Exports

| Period | Exports | | | | | | | | | | Prices | | | | | | | |
|----------|--------------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------|---------------------|---------|--------------------|---------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|--|------|
| | Volume ('000 kg) | | | | Value (US \$ '000) | | | | | | F.O.B. (US \$ / kg) | | | Colombo Market (Rs. / kg) | | | London Market | |
| | Desiccated Coconut | Coconut Oil | Copra | Total Mn. Nuts (a) | Desiccated Coconut | Coconut Oil | Copra | Non-Kernel Products | Total | Desiccated Coconut | Coconut Oil | Copra | Desiccated Coconut | Coconut Oil | Copra (b) | Philippine Copra (US\$ / kg) | Sri Lanka Desiccated Coconut (US\$ / kg) | |
| 2015 | 45,963 | 22,032 | 478 | 552 | 99,786 | 121,151 | 744 | 130,035 | 351,716 | 2.17 | 5.50 | 1.56 | 290.65 | 265.52 | 150.07 | 0.69 | 2.28 | |
| 2016 | 72,023 | 22,679 | 1,184 | 765 | 120,410 | 93,961 | 1,712 | 149,872 | 365,956 | 1.67 | 4.14 | 1.45 | 265.27 | 264.89 | 148.24 | 0.79 | 1.93 | |
| 2017 (c) | 37,030 | 20,126 | 501 | 466 | 94,124 | 94,481 | 1,122 | 158,161 | 347,888 | 2.54 | 4.69 | 2.24 | 440.55 | 376.60 | 219.07 | 0.82 | 3.05 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 17,282 | 4,452 | 235 | 175 | 26,662 | 20,185 | 309 | 40,605 | 87,762 | 1.54 | 4.53 | 1.31 | 249.97 | 256.13 | 143.52 | 0.72 | 1.85 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 15,711 | 5,191 | 105 | 168 | 28,535 | 21,983 | 146 | 35,733 | 86,397 | 1.82 | 4.23 | 1.39 | 260.73 | 259.02 | 148.17 | 0.80 | 1.87 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 20,204 | 6,914 | 210 | 219 | 34,382 | 27,429 | 276 | 39,275 | 101,363 | 1.70 | 3.97 | 1.32 | 253.87 | 265.99 | 140.31 | 0.81 | 1.85 |
| | 4th Qtr | 18,826 | 6,122 | 634 | 203 | 30,831 | 24,364 | 981 | 34,258 | 90,434 | 1.64 | 3.98 | 1.55 | 296.51 | 278.43 | 159.38 | 0.82 | 2.13 |
| 2017 (c) | 1st Qtr | 13,494 | 5,662 | 107 | 155 | 26,911 | 24,757 | 179 | 39,114 | 90,961 | 1.99 | 4.37 | 1.68 | 378.32 | 354.65 | 201.15 | 0.85 | 2.66 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 10,003 | 4,524 | 56 | 118 | 22,427 | 21,226 | 100 | 39,077 | 82,831 | 2.24 | 4.69 | 1.79 | 416.92 | 389.33 | 220.23 | 0.83 | 2.93 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 8,127 | 5,842 | 198 | 115 | 25,949 | 27,982 | 410 | 44,982 | 99,323 | 3.19 | 4.79 | 2.07 | 451.12 | 374.58 | 225.53 | 0.81 | 3.08 |
| | 4th Qtr | 5,406 | 4,097 | 140 | 78 | 18,837 | 20,517 | 432 | 34,987 | 74,773 | 3.48 | 5.01 | 3.09 | 515.86 | 387.83 | 229.37 | 0.80 | 3.53 |
| 2017 (c) | Feb | 3,880 | 1,511 | 22 | 43 | 8,130 | 6,377 | 38 | 12,615 | 27,160 | 2.10 | 4.22 | 1.72 | 389.70 | 362.64 | 206.32 | 0.86 | 2.77 |
| | Mar | 4,649 | 2,320 | 42 | 57 | 10,575 | 10,440 | 74 | 15,419 | 36,507 | 2.27 | 4.50 | 1.74 | 392.32 | 369.57 | 213.60 | 0.80 | 2.77 |
| | Apr | 2,925 | 1,451 | 8 | 35 | 6,510 | 6,487 | 13 | 11,744 | 24,754 | 2.23 | 4.47 | 1.66 | 418.77 | 387.71 | 223.10 | 0.82 | 2.89 |
| | May | 3,170 | 1,459 | 20 | 37 | 7,647 | 6,832 | 34 | 13,432 | 27,945 | 2.41 | 4.68 | 1.74 | 426.66 | 396.53 | 224.70 | 0.83 | 2.98 |
| | Jun | 3,908 | 1,615 | 29 | 45 | 8,270 | 7,907 | 53 | 13,901 | 30,132 | 2.12 | 4.90 | 1.86 | 405.35 | 383.75 | 212.89 | 0.85 | 2.90 |
| | Jul | 2,601 | 2,175 | 30 | 39 | 7,711 | 10,382 | 62 | 14,359 | 32,515 | 2.96 | 4.77 | 2.08 | 411.37 | 358.33 | 220.39 | 0.82 | 2.80 |
| | Aug | 2,619 | 1,989 | 53 | 38 | 8,547 | 9,342 | 106 | 15,788 | 33,783 | 3.26 | 4.70 | 2.02 | 454.57 | 380.80 | 229.91 | 0.82 | 3.13 |
| | Sep | 2,907 | 1,679 | 116 | 38 | 9,691 | 8,257 | 242 | 14,835 | 33,025 | 3.33 | 4.92 | 2.09 | 487.43 | 384.61 | 226.30 | 0.81 | 3.31 |
| | Oct | 2,468 | 1,540 | 58 | 33 | 8,733 | 7,648 | 186 | 13,574 | 30,142 | 3.54 | 4.97 | 3.20 | 501.25 | 379.88 | 227.22 | 0.79 | 3.47 |
| | Nov | 1,953 | 1,487 | 65 | 28 | 6,825 | 7,262 | 198 | 11,453 | 25,739 | 3.49 | 4.88 | 3.06 | 519.85 | 388.21 | 228.91 | 0.81 | 3.50 |
| | Dec | 985 | 1,070 | 17 | 17 | 3,279 | 5,607 | 47 | 9,959 | 18,892 | 3.33 | 5.24 | 2.81 | 526.49 | 395.39 | 232.00 | 0.78 | 3.63 |
| 2018 (c) | Jan | 928 | 1,202 | 22 | 18 | 3,386 | 6,287 | 57 | 11,419 | 21,149 | 3.65 | 5.23 | 2.60 | 525.54 | 405.00 | 234.91 | 0.77 | 3.66 |
| | Feb | 1,122 | 1,140 | 1 | 19 | 3,899 | 6,098 | 26 | 16,289 | 26,313 | 3.47 | 5.35 | 2.82 | 532.95 | 404.08 | 237.31 | 0.72 | 3.69 |

(a) Footnote (d) of Table 15 in the Annual Report 2017 gives the conversion formula used for the conversion of the volume of the three main types of coconut exports to their nut equivalent (from kgs)

(b) This refers to prices of the best quality copra

(c) Provisional

Sources : Coconut Development Authority
Sri Lanka Customs
The Public Ledger
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 38

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Volume

Volume ('000 kg)

| Period | Spices | | | | | Minor Agricultural Products | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|----------|--------|--------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------|---------|--------------|-------|--------|-----------|--------------|----------------|-------------|--------|
| | Cinnamon | Pepper | Cloves | Nutmeg and Mace | Other Spices | Vegetables | Unmanufactured Tobacco | Fruits | Cereals | Sesame Seeds | Cocoa | Coffee | Arecanuts | Betel Leaves | Essential Oils | Cashew Nuts | Other |
| 2015 | 13,828 | 17,027 | 5,529 | 2,258 | 1,200 | 25,846 | 880 | 32,659 | 17,160 | 3,886 | 93 | 24 | 29,513 | 2,404 | 134 | 113 | 24,963 |
| 2016 | 14,946 | 8,383 | 1,849 | 2,387 | 2,708 | 21,140 | 897 | 33,300 | 8,301 | 3,934 | 43 | 14 | 13,468 | 1,956 | 188 | 63 | 23,862 |
| 2017 (a) | 16,967 | 13,778 | 7,815 | 2,491 | 3,276 | 21,697 | 918 | 31,320 | 8,425 | 1,704 | 164 | 14 | 10,645 | 5,145 | 194 | 60 | 23,891 |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 3,816 | 1,266 | 363 | 391 | 288 | 5,535 | 288 | 10,066 | 3,566 | 300 | 8 | 3 | 2,878 | 562 | 60 | 18 | 6,123 |
| 2nd Quarter | 2,532 | 2,199 | 534 | 696 | 467 | 5,093 | 195 | 9,093 | 2,487 | 619 | 18 | 4 | 3,904 | 365 | 46 | 17 | 6,639 |
| 3rd Quarter | 5,062 | 2,462 | 477 | 771 | 1,228 | 6,124 | 213 | 7,504 | 1,066 | 2,474 | 7 | 4 | 5,753 | 530 | 54 | 17 | 5,801 |
| 4th Quarter | 3,536 | 2,457 | 475 | 530 | 725 | 4,387 | 201 | 6,636 | 1,181 | 540 | 10 | 2 | 933 | 499 | 29 | 11 | 5,298 |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 3,333 | 1,169 | 2,979 | 351 | 789 | 4,903 | 232 | 6,789 | 1,795 | 57 | 51 | 4 | 2,165 | 1,382 | 37 | 6 | 9,052 |
| 2nd Quarter | 3,055 | 1,314 | 2,143 | 454 | 1,346 | 5,984 | 202 | 9,284 | 2,835 | 190 | 36 | 3 | 3,999 | 1,226 | 58 | 18 | 6,486 |
| 3rd Quarter | 5,224 | 7,314 | 1,492 | 963 | 678 | 5,743 | 253 | 7,771 | 1,787 | 1,233 | 34 | 4 | 3,721 | 1,242 | 71 | 28 | 4,190 |
| 4th Quarter | 5,354 | 3,981 | 1,200 | 722 | 463 | 5,067 | 230 | 7,476 | 2,008 | 223 | 43 | 3 | 759 | 1,295 | 29 | 7 | 4,163 |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 951 | 300 | 1,101 | 93 | 68 | 1,357 | 81 | 1,913 | 299 | ... | 6 | 1 | 550 | 299 | 7 | 2 | 2,506 |
| March | 1,177 | 461 | 1,080 | 83 | 383 | 2,103 | 90 | 2,965 | 1,046 | 19 | 15 | 2 | 997 | 885 | 19 | 3 | 4,518 |
| April | 974 | 247 | 834 | 100 | 214 | 2,214 | 75 | 2,960 | 1,091 | ... | 10 | 1 | 1,285 | 459 | 8 | 13 | 2,374 |
| May | 906 | 322 | 764 | 180 | 885 | 2,191 | 75 | 2,980 | 388 | 19 | 11 | 1 | 1,351 | 403 | 33 | 2 | 2,210 |
| June | 1,175 | 745 | 545 | 175 | 247 | 1,579 | 52 | 3,345 | 1,356 | 171 | 15 | 1 | 1,363 | 363 | 16 | 3 | 1,901 |
| July | 1,498 | 1,374 | 535 | 323 | 262 | 1,859 | 93 | 2,911 | 682 | 512 | 10 | 1 | 769 | 394 | 16 | 18 | 1,716 |
| August | 1,763 | 2,981 | 514 | 332 | 281 | 1,855 | 87 | 2,517 | 397 | 588 | 12 | 2 | 1,240 | 461 | 29 | 5 | 1,038 |
| September | 1,964 | 2,959 | 443 | 308 | 135 | 2,029 | 73 | 2,343 | 708 | 133 | 13 | 2 | 1,712 | 387 | 26 | 4 | 1,437 |
| October | 2,025 | 1,608 | 444 | 219 | 114 | 1,894 | 70 | 2,587 | 1,030 | 96 | 18 | 1 | 375 | 443 | 5 | 3 | 1,368 |
| November | 1,696 | 1,249 | 445 | 251 | 102 | 1,448 | 55 | 2,504 | 597 | 127 | 14 | 1 | 171 | 400 | 7 | 3 | 1,164 |
| December | 1,632 | 1,124 | 312 | 252 | 247 | 1,725 | 106 | 2,385 | 380 | ... | 11 | 1 | 214 | 453 | 17 | 2 | 1,631 |
| 2018 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,352 | 959 | 324 | 190 | 191 | 1,464 | 52 | 2,500 | 556 | 38 | 15 | 1 | 421 | 440 | 5 | 1 | 2,710 |
| February | 1,089 | 979 | 254 | 208 | 130 | 1,126 | 83 | 2,502 | 326 | ... | 11 | 1 | 215 | 389 | 14 | 5 | 7,056 |

(a) Provisional

... Negligible

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 39

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Value

US \$ '000

| Period | Spices | | | | | | | Minor Agricultural Products | | | | | | | | | | | Total |
|-------------|----------|---------|--------|-----------------|--------------|------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|--------------|-------|--------|------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|--------|---------|-------|
| | Cinnamon | Pepper | Cloves | Nutmeg and Mace | Other Spices | Vegetables | Unmanufactured Tobacco | Fruits | Cereals | Sesame Seeds | Cocoa | Coffee | Areca nuts | Betel Leaves | Essential Oils | Cashew nuts | Other | | |
| 2015 | 139,580 | 149,046 | 48,277 | 33,273 | 7,243 | 30,464 | 31,795 | 37,991 | 13,042 | 4,660 | 244 | 177 | 67,506 | 9,132 | 2,425 | 1,384 | 23,824 | 600,061 | |
| 2016 | 171,399 | 76,404 | 13,826 | 39,857 | 15,585 | 26,489 | 31,171 | 34,689 | 5,458 | 4,385 | 117 | 141 | 34,073 | 7,735 | 4,719 | 770 | 21,999 | 488,818 | |
| 2017 (a) | 218,412 | 88,050 | 47,695 | 35,165 | 16,923 | 28,479 | 36,489 | 41,497 | 6,295 | 2,028 | 506 | 192 | 37,677 | 20,749 | 4,772 | 945 | 24,023 | 609,899 | |
| 2016 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 38,368 | 11,282 | 3,214 | 6,008 | 2,025 | 6,760 | 9,173 | 9,603 | 1,801 | 312 | 25 | 45 | 7,522 | 2,197 | 1,540 | 212 | 4,871 | 104,957 | |
| 2nd Quarter | 28,313 | 21,517 | 3,758 | 8,449 | 2,388 | 6,468 | 7,092 | 9,659 | 1,443 | 638 | 39 | 30 | 9,256 | 1,437 | 998 | 210 | 5,021 | 106,713 | |
| 3rd Quarter | 61,438 | 22,997 | 3,607 | 14,375 | 6,268 | 7,589 | 8,031 | 7,892 | 1,073 | 2,820 | 28 | 38 | 15,013 | 2,093 | 1,377 | 204 | 6,544 | 161,387 | |
| 4th Quarter | 43,281 | 20,608 | 3,247 | 11,026 | 4,904 | 5,672 | 6,875 | 7,535 | 1,141 | 615 | 25 | 29 | 2,282 | 2,009 | 804 | 145 | 5,564 | 115,761 | |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Quarter | 42,566 | 10,640 | 21,247 | 7,215 | 4,286 | 6,895 | 7,941 | 12,168 | 1,480 | 68 | 153 | 62 | 6,643 | 5,540 | 823 | 83 | 5,607 | 133,417 | |
| 2nd Quarter | 39,438 | 9,948 | 12,554 | 6,791 | 6,032 | 7,755 | 8,474 | 10,187 | 1,657 | 224 | 105 | 48 | 14,367 | 4,960 | 1,481 | 233 | 5,514 | 129,766 | |
| 3rd Quarter | 67,005 | 43,662 | 9,194 | 12,727 | 4,218 | 7,492 | 10,287 | 9,016 | 1,582 | 1,439 | 105 | 52 | 13,856 | 5,017 | 1,894 | 529 | 6,023 | 194,098 | |
| 4th Quarter | 69,403 | 23,799 | 4,700 | 8,431 | 2,387 | 6,337 | 9,787 | 10,126 | 1,576 | 297 | 144 | 31 | 2,811 | 5,233 | 575 | 101 | 6,879 | 152,618 | |
| 2017 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 12,212 | 2,371 | 7,912 | 2,374 | 445 | 1,796 | 3,722 | 3,419 | 323 | 2 | 19 | 12 | 1,777 | 1,187 | 213 | 35 | 1,596 | 39,415 | |
| March | 14,729 | 4,141 | 7,535 | 1,625 | 2,176 | 3,256 | 2,189 | 6,078 | 709 | 25 | 38 | 26 | 3,350 | 3,566 | 347 | 41 | 2,590 | 52,421 | |
| April | 12,692 | 2,170 | 4,663 | 2,679 | 1,024 | 2,721 | 2,476 | 3,177 | 556 | 1 | 32 | 24 | 4,727 | 1,857 | 354 | 156 | 1,818 | 41,128 | |
| May | 11,537 | 1,682 | 4,493 | 2,710 | 3,280 | 2,782 | 3,088 | 3,288 | 421 | 20 | 29 | 10 | 4,870 | 1,630 | 795 | 29 | 1,901 | 42,567 | |
| June | 15,209 | 6,095 | 3,398 | 1,402 | 1,728 | 2,251 | 2,910 | 3,721 | 680 | 203 | 43 | 14 | 4,770 | 1,472 | 331 | 47 | 1,795 | 46,071 | |
| July | 18,611 | 9,389 | 3,435 | 5,083 | 1,190 | 2,290 | 3,558 | 3,344 | 516 | 594 | 32 | 13 | 2,737 | 1,588 | 587 | 360 | 1,993 | 55,320 | |
| August | 23,422 | 16,765 | 3,033 | 4,654 | 2,358 | 2,518 | 3,494 | 2,805 | 412 | 685 | 33 | 20 | 4,646 | 1,857 | 894 | 100 | 1,970 | 69,666 | |
| September | 24,972 | 17,509 | 2,725 | 2,990 | 669 | 2,684 | 3,235 | 2,868 | 654 | 159 | 40 | 19 | 6,474 | 1,571 | 414 | 69 | 2,060 | 69,111 | |
| October | 27,280 | 9,701 | 1,472 | 3,315 | 643 | 2,507 | 2,939 | 3,116 | 647 | 135 | 53 | 9 | 1,342 | 1,791 | 112 | 50 | 2,182 | 57,294 | |
| November | 21,460 | 6,976 | 1,715 | 2,791 | 729 | 1,788 | 1,905 | 3,692 | 544 | 162 | 51 | 12 | 646 | 1,610 | 208 | 34 | 1,953 | 46,274 | |
| December | 20,663 | 7,123 | 1,514 | 2,325 | 1,015 | 2,043 | 4,943 | 3,318 | 385 | ... | 40 | 10 | 823 | 1,831 | 255 | 17 | 2,745 | 49,049 | |
| 2018 (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 18,534 | 5,858 | 1,758 | 2,723 | 1,165 | 1,904 | 1,750 | 3,486 | 561 | 54 | 49 | 17 | 1,619 | 1,770 | 143 | 13 | 2,792 | 44,197 | |
| February | 13,779 | 5,957 | 1,552 | 2,521 | 830 | 1,579 | 3,612 | 2,566 | 293 | 1 | 31 | 20 | 790 | 1,579 | 162 | 78 | 2,649 | 37,998 | |

(a) Provisional
... Negligible

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

Composition of Imports

US dollars million

| Category | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 (a) | February | |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | | | | 2017 (a) | 2018 (a) |
| 1. Consumer Goods | 3,853 | 4,713 | 4,319 | 4,503 | 343.2 | 441.8 |
| 1.1 Food and Beverages | 1,634 | 1,628 | 1,627 | 1,841 | 148.1 | 165.3 |
| Lentils | 121 | 148 | 139 | 114 | 11.0 | 6.5 |
| Onions | 65 | 122 | 100 | 123 | 7.7 | 12.4 |
| Sugar | 255 | 253 | 343 | 256 | 17.3 | 30.9 |
| Rice | 282 | 135 | 13 | 301 | 35.9 | 23.5 |
| Flour | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| Dairy Products | 339 | 251 | 249 | 316 | 26.5 | 26.9 |
| Fish | 141 | 218 | 234 | 214 | 14.0 | 20.2 |
| Oil and Fats | 20 | 33 | 36 | 46 | 3.2 | 3.9 |
| Spices | 98 | 113 | 132 | 93 | 6.5 | 7.0 |
| Other | 309 | 352 | 379 | 375 | 26.0 | 33.8 |
| 1.2 Non-Food Consumer Goods | 2,219 | 3,086 | 2,692 | 2,661 | 195.1 | 276.5 |
| Vehicles | 897 | 1,360 | 795 | 773 | 51.3 | 113.7 |
| Home Appliances - Radio Receivers and Television Sets | 86 | 120 | 136 | 141 | 14.2 | 17.3 |
| Household and Furniture Items | 134 | 150 | 182 | 186 | 11.0 | 17.3 |
| Rubber Products | 90 | 114 | 112 | 94 | 7.8 | 8.1 |
| Medical and Pharmaceutical Products | 381 | 460 | 526 | 520 | 41.8 | 38.5 |
| Other | 632 | 882 | 941 | 948 | 69.0 | 81.8 |
| 2. Intermediate Goods | 11,398 | 9,638 | 9,870 | 11,436 | 907.4 | 1,096.3 |
| Fertiliser | 272 | 290 | 137 | 103 | 9.0 | 20.3 |
| Fuel | 4,597 | 2,700 | 2,481 | 3,428 | 354.6 | 315.2 |
| Chemical Products | 808 | 870 | 856 | 834 | 62.1 | 75.0 |
| Wheat and Maize | 405 | 357 | 249 | 357 | 13.1 | 43.7 |
| Textiles and Textile Articles | 2,328 | 2,296 | 2,705 | 2,724 | 186.6 | 247.3 |
| Diamonds, Precious Stones and Metals | 175 | 162 | 514 | 772 | 54.4 | 120.0 |
| Base Metals | 478 | 471 | 456 | 629 | 52.5 | 47.9 |
| Vehicle and Machinery Parts | 228 | 264 | 281 | 295 | 23.4 | 27.4 |
| Paper and Paperboards and articles thereof | 490 | 477 | 487 | 485 | 31.0 | 40.7 |
| Other | 1,616 | 1,752 | 1,703 | 1,809 | 120.7 | 158.7 |
| 3. Investment Goods | 4,152 | 4,567 | 4,981 | 4,895 | 360.3 | 380.5 |
| Building Materials | 1,309 | 1,352 | 1,569 | 1,591 | 111.9 | 123.0 |
| Transport Equipment | 707 | 931 | 663 | 675 | 50.2 | 56.2 |
| Machinery and Equipment | 2,131 | 2,278 | 2,741 | 2,621 | 197.8 | 200.4 |
| Other | 5 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 0.4 | 0.9 |
| 4. Total (Items 1, 2 and 3) | 19,402 | 18,919 | 19,170 | 20,833 | 1,610.9 | 1,918.7 |
| 5. Unclassified Imports | 14 | 16 | 13 | 147 | 0.2 | 59.3 |
| 6. Total Imports (b) | 19,417 | 18,935 | 19,183 | 20,980 | 1,611.2 | 1,978.0 |

(a) Provisional
(b) Adjusted

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
TABLE 41
Import Performance based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)^(a)

| | | Import (US dollars million) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|---|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Period | | Food and Live Animals | Beverages and Tobacco | Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels | Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials | Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes | Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s. | Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials | Machinery, and Transport Equipment | Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles | Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC | Total Imports | Total Imports (Rs. million) |
| 2015 | | 2,159.1 | 137.2 | 519.7 | 2,699.7 | 146.3 | 2,231.4 | 4,937.0 | 5,031.5 | 1,009.8 | 63.0 | 18,934.6 | 2,572,466.5 |
| 2016 | | 2,026.5 | 139.6 | 534.4 | 2,481.0 | 112.9 | 2,133.4 | 5,558.3 | 4,676.3 | 1,120.8 | 399.7 | 19,182.8 | 2,794,393.0 |
| 2017 (b) | | 2,397.8 | 116.0 | 510.3 | 3,427.9 | 187.7 | 2,079.0 | 5,767.2 | 4,585.6 | 1,227.0 | 681.3 | 20,979.8 | 3,198,572.2 |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 501.8 | 29.7 | 119.3 | 485.7 | 33.2 | 526.0 | 1,328.7 | 1,235.9 | 282.9 | 51.3 | 4,594.5 | 661,341.6 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 485.5 | 30.1 | 161.7 | 692.1 | 29.6 | 550.4 | 1,332.8 | 1,098.0 | 242.0 | 104.3 | 4,726.5 | 685,248.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 510.3 | 43.9 | 123.7 | 499.3 | 25.4 | 506.0 | 1,365.6 | 1,112.0 | 297.3 | 106.6 | 4,590.1 | 668,329.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 529.0 | 35.9 | 129.7 | 803.9 | 24.7 | 550.9 | 1,531.2 | 1,230.5 | 298.5 | 137.4 | 5,271.7 | 779,472.8 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 632.6 | 24.9 | 126.6 | 882.6 | 48.7 | 511.9 | 1,385.0 | 1,186.9 | 321.9 | 158.2 | 5,279.4 | 796,069.4 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 545.8 | 26.6 | 124.0 | 741.8 | 43.8 | 490.2 | 1,330.6 | 1,088.1 | 347.4 | 131.3 | 4,869.6 | 741,644.7 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 563.0 | 31.6 | 132.8 | 826.8 | 50.3 | 511.3 | 1,459.0 | 1,098.1 | 271.7 | 170.1 | 5,114.7 | 783,793.8 |
| | 4th Quarter | 656.4 | 32.8 | 126.8 | 976.6 | 45.0 | 565.6 | 1,592.6 | 1,212.6 | 286.1 | 221.7 | 5,716.1 | 877,064.4 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 176.2 | 7.2 | 35.8 | 354.6 | 13.3 | 158.8 | 396.2 | 343.6 | 77.6 | 47.8 | 1,611.2 | 242,990.8 |
| | March | 266.6 | 9.1 | 48.5 | 245.3 | 22.9 | 190.8 | 503.1 | 446.3 | 91.9 | 44.8 | 1,869.3 | 283,066.8 |
| | April | 171.5 | 6.8 | 34.5 | 325.6 | 13.1 | 151.4 | 417.7 | 329.2 | 111.3 | 42.8 | 1,603.9 | 243,404.4 |
| | May | 220.2 | 8.7 | 51.6 | 215.7 | 20.3 | 166.0 | 470.0 | 397.4 | 136.2 | 38.8 | 1,724.7 | 262,738.7 |
| | June | 154.1 | 11.1 | 37.9 | 200.6 | 10.4 | 172.7 | 443.0 | 361.5 | 99.9 | 49.8 | 1,540.9 | 235,501.6 |
| | July | 179.9 | 8.2 | 49.3 | 215.9 | 21.4 | 166.8 | 461.5 | 339.4 | 82.1 | 66.8 | 1,591.1 | 244,502.5 |
| | August | 198.1 | 11.0 | 42.4 | 312.5 | 14.0 | 188.0 | 517.3 | 398.1 | 106.6 | 69.0 | 1,856.9 | 284,464.2 |
| | September | 185.0 | 12.5 | 41.2 | 298.5 | 14.9 | 156.5 | 480.2 | 360.6 | 83.0 | 34.3 | 1,666.7 | 254,827.1 |
| | October | 198.3 | 9.0 | 42.0 | 236.9 | 12.7 | 189.0 | 500.8 | 374.3 | 96.9 | 67.3 | 1,727.2 | 265,176.4 |
| | November | 250.3 | 12.9 | 42.7 | 306.4 | 21.3 | 188.4 | 536.1 | 415.8 | 93.2 | 73.2 | 1,940.4 | 298,159.1 |
| | December | 207.8 | 11.0 | 42.1 | 433.3 | 11.0 | 188.2 | 555.6 | 422.5 | 95.9 | 81.2 | 2,048.5 | 313,728.9 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 228.5 | 5.8 | 44.3 | 362.0 | 15.2 | 216.7 | 511.8 | 432.5 | 100.3 | 97.3 | 2,014.5 | 309,831.9 |
| | February | 224.2 | 10.4 | 39.5 | 315.2 | 19.1 | 194.0 | 486.7 | 425.4 | 151.1 | 112.6 | 1,978.0 | 306,307.9 |

(a) Data is compiled based on the latest version of SITC Revision 4 published in 2006

(b) Provisional

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 42

External Trade Indices – Export Value^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Exports | | | | | | | | | | Total Exports | |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------|--------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| | Industrial | | | | Agricultural | | | | | Mineral Exports | | |
| | Textiles and Garments | Petroleum Products | Rubber Products | Total | Tea | Rubber | Coconut Products | Minor Agri. Products | Total | | | |
| 2015 | 172.7 | 169.6 | 164.1 | 158.0 | 111.8 | 18.1 | 254.9 | 270.0 | 129.3 | 139.7 | 146.8 | |
| 2016 | 187.4 | 140.4 | 177.6 | 167.8 | 113.5 | 24.3 | 284.5 | 205.5 | 130.0 | 154.0 | 153.9 | |
| 2017 (b) | 202.3 | 222.7 | 202.5 | 189.1 | 143.3 | 30.2 | 283.2 | 261.9 | 161.9 | 192.2 | 177.7 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 207.9 | 143.5 | 185.9 | 181.0 | 110.7 | 29.1 | 269.8 | 200.6 | 124.2 | 160.7 | 161.8 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 175.2 | 113.1 | 155.6 | 154.8 | 108.7 | 21.0 | 267.5 | 206.4 | 120.7 | 127.7 | 142.3 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 184.5 | 141.2 | 188.7 | 169.4 | 118.6 | 18.2 | 315.2 | 267.4 | 143.0 | 192.8 | 158.7 |
| | 4th Quarter | 182.2 | 163.9 | 180.3 | 165.9 | 116.0 | 28.9 | 285.5 | 147.5 | 132.0 | 134.9 | 153.1 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 202.9 | 183.6 | 191.3 | 184.5 | 129.4 | 50.5 | 293.1 | 244.0 | 151.8 | 159.8 | 171.7 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 178.0 | 176.7 | 183.0 | 173.3 | 142.0 | 23.3 | 269.5 | 292.6 | 152.1 | 215.9 | 164.0 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 215.3 | 238.8 | 220.2 | 199.5 | 154.9 | 24.0 | 325.1 | 299.9 | 181.4 | 225.4 | 190.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 213.2 | 291.7 | 215.3 | 199.1 | 147.1 | 23.1 | 245.1 | 211.1 | 162.4 | 167.6 | 184.8 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 189.1 | 165.4 | 186.5 | 173.3 | 126.6 | 51.7 | 262.5 | 192.4 | 142.2 | 146.2 | 161.1 |
| | March | 217.2 | 207.0 | 221.5 | 205.6 | 149.2 | 53.8 | 354.2 | 377.4 | 179.4 | 219.9 | 194.2 |
| | April | 168.3 | 180.6 | 141.5 | 157.3 | 122.0 | 24.0 | 240.7 | 286.5 | 136.8 | 179.2 | 148.5 |
| | May | 173.2 | 169.7 | 194.7 | 163.1 | 147.7 | 27.0 | 272.8 | 294.2 | 156.2 | 178.3 | 157.7 |
| | June | 192.6 | 179.8 | 212.9 | 199.7 | 156.1 | 19.0 | 295.1 | 297.0 | 163.3 | 290.1 | 185.7 |
| | July | 226.9 | 221.0 | 230.1 | 202.6 | 162.0 | 20.2 | 320.1 | 268.7 | 179.2 | 255.7 | 192.0 |
| | August | 210.0 | 247.8 | 207.5 | 197.5 | 148.3 | 24.5 | 331.6 | 305.6 | 180.1 | 253.2 | 188.7 |
| | September | 208.8 | 247.6 | 223.0 | 198.3 | 154.3 | 27.2 | 323.5 | 325.5 | 184.9 | 167.4 | 190.3 |
| | October | 205.3 | 216.1 | 230.8 | 193.9 | 154.2 | 16.8 | 296.5 | 215.3 | 173.6 | 225.6 | 184.4 |
| | November | 206.3 | 273.6 | 197.3 | 191.0 | 143.8 | 21.8 | 253.4 | 203.5 | 158.5 | 120.7 | 178.0 |
| | December | 227.8 | 385.5 | 217.9 | 212.5 | 143.3 | 30.6 | 185.4 | 214.5 | 154.9 | 156.6 | 192.2 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 211.6 | 327.1 | 208.3 | 203.0 | 126.7 | 38.3 | 208.4 | 240.1 | 144.5 | 97.3 | 182.8 |
| | February | 199.5 | 284.0 | 201.7 | 189.7 | 135.0 | 38.7 | 261.1 | 188.0 | 147.0 | 325.8 | 174.5 |

(a) The value index is computed as a simple index of the ratio of rupee values between the current period and the base period

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 43

External Trade Indices – Import Value^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Imports | | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Imports | |
|----------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------|---------------|-------|
| | Consumer Goods | | | Intermediate Goods | | | | | | Investment Goods | | | | | |
| | Food and Beverages | Non-Food Consumer Goods | Total | Fuel | Textiles and Textile Articles | Fertiliser | Chemical Products | Wheat and Maize | Total | Machinery and Equipment | Transport Equipment | Building Materials | Total | | |
| 2015 | 147.6 | 322.2 | 228.9 | 106.6 | 152.5 | 145.7 | 201.1 | 162.1 | 143.9 | 204.9 | 188.0 | 198.2 | 199.3 | 169.7 | |
| 2016 | 158.5 | 301.0 | 224.8 | 105.3 | 192.6 | 73.3 | 212.1 | 120.7 | 158.0 | 263.9 | 144.2 | 246.0 | 232.9 | 184.3 | |
| 2017 (b) | 187.6 | 311.7 | 245.4 | 152.0 | 203.1 | 57.8 | 216.4 | 181.3 | 191.6 | 264.1 | 153.6 | 261.2 | 239.5 | 211.0 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 153.8 | 313.9 | 228.3 | 81.3 | 196.6 | 87.1 | 205.1 | 104.5 | 141.7 | 271.2 | 135.5 | 230.3 | 229.9 | 174.5 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 145.8 | 277.2 | 207.0 | 116.7 | 183.8 | 72.2 | 223.4 | 151.4 | 161.9 | 252.9 | 115.4 | 242.9 | 220.3 | 180.8 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 159.0 | 305.9 | 227.3 | 84.6 | 182.1 | 67.4 | 190.6 | 134.9 | 147.5 | 245.8 | 151.7 | 235.9 | 222.5 | 176.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 175.3 | 306.9 | 236.6 | 138.4 | 207.8 | 66.5 | 229.4 | 92.1 | 181.1 | 285.7 | 174.2 | 274.9 | 258.9 | 205.7 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 203.9 | 308.3 | 252.4 | 154.8 | 196.5 | 44.1 | 216.2 | 166.1 | 186.0 | 273.7 | 147.3 | 253.1 | 240.5 | 210.0 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 170.4 | 296.2 | 228.9 | 131.4 | 190.7 | 43.3 | 204.6 | 162.0 | 170.2 | 255.0 | 154.9 | 262.2 | 235.7 | 195.7 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 169.0 | 303.7 | 231.6 | 147.4 | 207.3 | 72.3 | 213.9 | 208.4 | 193.5 | 252.4 | 150.1 | 256.0 | 231.5 | 206.8 |
| | 4th Quarter | 207.4 | 338.6 | 268.4 | 174.3 | 217.8 | 71.5 | 231.0 | 188.6 | 216.8 | 275.5 | 162.2 | 273.3 | 250.5 | 231.4 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 179.2 | 271.2 | 222.0 | 186.7 | 165.1 | 59.8 | 191.0 | 79.0 | 180.5 | 236.7 | 135.7 | 217.9 | 209.3 | 192.3 |
| | March | 259.4 | 355.9 | 304.3 | 129.6 | 201.7 | 45.0 | 244.0 | 235.2 | 189.4 | 285.8 | 187.2 | 277.7 | 262.3 | 224.1 |
| | April | 150.9 | 309.4 | 224.6 | 172.5 | 172.7 | 18.6 | 196.6 | 213.4 | 177.2 | 223.6 | 140.3 | 263.3 | 217.8 | 192.7 |
| | May | 199.1 | 309.8 | 250.6 | 114.7 | 203.2 | 30.2 | 208.1 | 228.0 | 173.7 | 274.2 | 171.7 | 269.6 | 250.7 | 208.0 |
| | June | 161.1 | 269.5 | 211.5 | 107.0 | 196.4 | 81.2 | 209.2 | 44.5 | 159.6 | 267.1 | 152.7 | 253.6 | 238.6 | 186.4 |
| | July | 164.1 | 285.1 | 220.4 | 115.8 | 213.6 | 71.8 | 209.5 | 193.1 | 182.7 | 237.7 | 124.1 | 220.8 | 208.3 | 193.5 |
| | August | 181.8 | 347.2 | 258.8 | 167.1 | 213.4 | 96.9 | 234.4 | 191.6 | 206.2 | 272.7 | 163.9 | 304.5 | 258.9 | 225.2 |
| | September | 161.0 | 278.6 | 215.7 | 159.3 | 194.9 | 48.2 | 197.8 | 240.5 | 191.4 | 246.9 | 162.1 | 242.8 | 227.3 | 201.7 |
| | October | 183.4 | 330.1 | 251.7 | 126.9 | 218.1 | 71.9 | 240.4 | 191.2 | 192.0 | 250.5 | 168.3 | 248.3 | 232.2 | 209.9 |
| | November | 215.6 | 329.7 | 268.7 | 164.3 | 226.3 | 33.2 | 226.3 | 357.8 | 217.3 | 297.0 | 159.5 | 312.9 | 272.1 | 236.0 |
| | December | 223.1 | 355.8 | 284.8 | 231.6 | 208.9 | 109.4 | 226.2 | 16.8 | 241.1 | 279.0 | 158.9 | 258.9 | 247.1 | 248.3 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 226.6 | 365.4 | 291.2 | 194.3 | 221.3 | 288.2 | 233.7 | 190.7 | 229.9 | 293.3 | 145.3 | 284.3 | 258.8 | 245.3 |
| | February | 205.4 | 394.7 | 293.5 | 170.4 | 224.7 | 139.1 | 237.2 | 270.9 | 223.9 | 246.3 | 155.9 | 246.0 | 227.0 | 242.5 |

(a) The value index is computed as a simple index of the ratio of rupee values between the current period and the base period

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 44

External Trade Indices – Export Volume^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Exports | | | | | | | | | | Total Exports | |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------|--------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| | Industrial | | | | Agricultural | | | | | Mineral Exports | | |
| | Textiles and Garments | Petroleum Products | Rubber Products | Total | Tea | Rubber | Coconut Products | Minor Agri. Products | Total | | | |
| 2015 | 126.4 | 208.6 | 96.9 | 144.4 | 91.3 | 21.0 | 159.4 | 205.3 | 95.6 | 82.4 | 128.0 | |
| 2016 | 127.1 | 185.8 | 104.2 | 144.9 | 86.2 | 27.2 | 174.1 | 149.6 | 90.8 | 88.9 | 127.0 | |
| 2017 (b) | 129.8 | 228.5 | 109.4 | 156.3 | 87.4 | 31.4 | 154.5 | 169.8 | 96.5 | 105.6 | 136.7 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 143.7 | 222.0 | 114.9 | 151.4 | 90.6 | 32.1 | 160.2 | 141.9 | 92.6 | 98.7 | 132.2 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 124.3 | 154.4 | 90.1 | 135.8 | 85.0 | 26.5 | 162.6 | 149.8 | 86.4 | 77.0 | 119.3 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 123.1 | 177.4 | 111.3 | 144.1 | 91.5 | 20.0 | 191.4 | 189.2 | 97.6 | 102.8 | 128.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 117.2 | 189.5 | 100.3 | 148.5 | 77.8 | 30.2 | 182.2 | 117.5 | 86.6 | 77.2 | 128.4 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 138.1 | 184.0 | 109.8 | 157.0 | 82.9 | 55.5 | 165.3 | 162.7 | 96.5 | 94.8 | 137.1 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 120.2 | 186.7 | 101.4 | 145.2 | 85.0 | 25.6 | 150.1 | 189.2 | 90.3 | 130.2 | 127.2 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 132.2 | 259.8 | 115.9 | 154.5 | 93.2 | 23.2 | 178.1 | 183.2 | 104.7 | 110.0 | 137.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 128.7 | 283.7 | 110.5 | 168.6 | 88.6 | 21.3 | 124.3 | 144.1 | 94.7 | 87.4 | 144.8 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 127.9 | 161.9 | 106.2 | 126.4 | 81.0 | 58.2 | 139.6 | 118.7 | 90.0 | 83.3 | 113.7 |
| | March | 150.8 | 219.2 | 126.5 | 204.6 | 94.5 | 60.4 | 200.2 | 241.2 | 113.1 | 140.0 | 175.4 |
| | April | 114.1 | 185.4 | 88.5 | 124.1 | 73.4 | 25.7 | 141.0 | 203.6 | 82.9 | 111.7 | 110.3 |
| | May | 118.4 | 174.6 | 103.8 | 160.8 | 88.3 | 31.1 | 155.0 | 183.4 | 93.3 | 106.5 | 139.0 |
| | June | 128.1 | 200.0 | 111.9 | 150.5 | 93.2 | 20.1 | 154.4 | 180.5 | 94.6 | 172.4 | 132.2 |
| | July | 143.0 | 251.0 | 113.4 | 163.2 | 97.3 | 21.0 | 170.3 | 160.3 | 103.1 | 136.4 | 143.4 |
| | August | 127.8 | 264.2 | 113.1 | 152.5 | 89.9 | 23.2 | 186.7 | 189.5 | 105.1 | 111.8 | 136.3 |
| | September | 125.8 | 264.2 | 121.1 | 148.0 | 92.3 | 25.5 | 177.2 | 199.8 | 105.9 | 81.8 | 133.2 |
| | October | 123.5 | 211.7 | 116.5 | 153.0 | 92.5 | 17.0 | 145.6 | 150.5 | 99.1 | 122.0 | 135.1 |
| | November | 126.6 | 253.3 | 98.7 | 140.3 | 86.5 | 20.0 | 129.1 | 139.9 | 93.4 | 60.7 | 124.4 |
| | December | 136.1 | 386.2 | 116.5 | 212.6 | 86.7 | 26.8 | 98.3 | 142.0 | 91.6 | 79.5 | 175.1 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 130.8 | 290.6 | 112.1 | 148.5 | 75.9 | 37.3 | 110.4 | 164.8 | 84.9 | 53.9 | 128.1 |
| | February | 127.3 | 234.7 | 104.4 | 128.9 | 79.4 | 41.2 | 114.0 | 133.8 | 87.1 | 135.2 | 114.9 |

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 45

External Trade Indices – Import Volume^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Imports | | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Imports | |
|----------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------|---------------|-------|
| | Consumer Goods | | | Intermediate Goods | | | | | | Investment Goods | | | | | |
| | Food and Beverages | Non-Food Consumer Goods | Total | Fuel | Textiles and Textile Articles | Fertiliser | Chemical Products | Wheat and Maize | Total | Machinery and Equipment | Transport Equipment | Building Materials | Total | | |
| 2015 | 128.1 | 235.0 | 177.9 | 116.6 | 120.4 | 129.5 | 155.6 | 121.3 | 128.7 | 197.3 | 156.5 | 167.8 | 179.7 | 148.2 | |
| 2016 | 124.1 | 193.8 | 156.5 | 129.5 | 138.2 | 68.6 | 163.4 | 92.7 | 142.5 | 253.9 | 110.9 | 206.2 | 208.9 | 158.5 | |
| 2017 | 146.7 | 191.0 | 167.4 | 150.7 | 137.6 | 53.7 | 161.6 | 134.0 | 158.6 | 244.2 | 112.8 | 220.1 | 208.7 | 171.3 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 126.3 | 201.0 | 161.1 | 119.4 | 142.1 | 74.4 | 161.7 | 80.2 | 132.8 | 243.5 | 112.0 | 190.1 | 199.2 | 153.0 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 112.4 | 176.7 | 142.3 | 144.4 | 131.9 | 68.5 | 172.3 | 116.8 | 147.1 | 220.9 | 89.5 | 201.8 | 186.9 | 152.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 126.1 | 201.3 | 161.1 | 100.2 | 124.1 | 66.4 | 148.0 | 103.3 | 127.5 | 242.1 | 118.6 | 195.0 | 201.4 | 147.7 |
| | 4th Quarter | 131.7 | 196.1 | 161.7 | 153.8 | 154.6 | 64.9 | 171.7 | 70.4 | 162.8 | 309.2 | 123.3 | 237.8 | 248.2 | 180.5 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 167.0 | 193.0 | 179.1 | 155.3 | 139.0 | 39.7 | 168.0 | 132.1 | 158.8 | 247.0 | 115.5 | 215.4 | 209.3 | 175.4 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 127.9 | 180.9 | 152.6 | 136.3 | 132.5 | 41.9 | 158.3 | 123.5 | 144.2 | 223.4 | 116.7 | 220.4 | 199.6 | 155.9 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 129.4 | 188.0 | 156.7 | 157.3 | 131.4 | 66.6 | 156.1 | 145.3 | 159.6 | 234.9 | 107.2 | 201.7 | 197.5 | 165.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 162.7 | 202.2 | 181.1 | 153.9 | 147.6 | 66.7 | 164.2 | 135.0 | 171.9 | 271.4 | 111.9 | 242.9 | 228.5 | 188.6 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 151.7 | 174.7 | 162.4 | 186.3 | 122.1 | 51.0 | 159.7 | 61.3 | 158.7 | 220.0 | 114.5 | 196.6 | 190.2 | 164.6 |
| | March | 210.5 | 211.2 | 210.8 | 130.6 | 137.9 | 45.1 | 183.1 | 186.1 | 158.7 | 276.9 | 124.6 | 218.1 | 226.5 | 180.7 |
| | April | 120.9 | 184.4 | 150.4 | 169.9 | 112.5 | 15.0 | 147.1 | 173.9 | 148.1 | 213.5 | 101.7 | 219.8 | 191.5 | 156.0 |
| | May | 143.6 | 197.2 | 168.5 | 119.4 | 144.1 | 30.1 | 165.2 | 166.6 | 145.7 | 212.2 | 139.6 | 226.7 | 200.8 | 160.0 |
| | June | 119.3 | 161.1 | 138.7 | 119.6 | 140.8 | 80.5 | 162.6 | 29.9 | 138.9 | 244.5 | 108.9 | 214.8 | 206.6 | 151.6 |
| | July | 128.6 | 176.1 | 150.7 | 129.2 | 135.8 | 66.1 | 150.6 | 133.1 | 152.7 | 235.7 | 89.8 | 192.6 | 191.4 | 158.8 |
| | August | 136.0 | 208.8 | 169.9 | 181.7 | 132.9 | 86.5 | 173.3 | 122.3 | 168.3 | 204.1 | 99.4 | 202.4 | 181.0 | 169.6 |
| | September | 123.6 | 179.2 | 149.4 | 161.1 | 125.7 | 47.1 | 144.3 | 180.4 | 157.7 | 265.0 | 132.4 | 210.0 | 219.9 | 167.4 |
| | October | 143.0 | 190.9 | 165.3 | 121.2 | 152.7 | 71.0 | 174.0 | 140.3 | 157.4 | 275.6 | 113.6 | 221.7 | 224.6 | 186.2 |
| | November | 171.1 | 189.0 | 179.4 | 143.6 | 149.1 | 31.2 | 158.4 | 252.7 | 170.2 | 277.7 | 104.2 | 252.0 | 232.6 | 183.1 |
| | December | 174.0 | 226.9 | 198.6 | 196.8 | 140.9 | 97.8 | 160.1 | 11.9 | 188.1 | 260.8 | 117.9 | 255.1 | 228.3 | 196.5 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 183.8 | 221.7 | 201.4 | 160.0 | 151.2 | 255.4 | 162.0 | 144.9 | 178.0 | 242.3 | 117.2 | 243.5 | 215.8 | 188.9 |
| | February | 165.4 | 252.8 | 206.1 | 140.1 | 156.3 | 115.3 | 171.4 | 193.4 | 171.1 | 248.3 | 129.5 | 233.0 | 218.3 | 185.6 |

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 46

External Trade Indices – Export Unit Value^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Exports | | | | | | | | | | Total Exports | |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------|--------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| | Industrial | | | | Agricultural | | | | | Mineral Exports | | |
| | Textiles and Garments | Petroleum Products | Rubber Products | Total | Tea | Rubber | Coconut Products | Minor Agri. Products | Total | | | |
| 2015 | 136.6 | 81.3 | 169.3 | 109.4 | 122.5 | 86.2 | 160.0 | 131.5 | 135.3 | 169.5 | 114.7 | |
| 2016 | 147.5 | 75.6 | 170.5 | 115.8 | 131.6 | 89.4 | 163.4 | 137.3 | 143.2 | 173.2 | 121.2 | |
| 2017 (b) | 155.9 | 97.4 | 185.0 | 121.0 | 164.0 | 96.3 | 183.3 | 154.2 | 167.7 | 182.0 | 130.0 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 144.7 | 64.6 | 161.7 | 119.5 | 122.2 | 90.5 | 168.4 | 141.4 | 134.1 | 162.8 | 122.4 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 140.9 | 73.3 | 172.7 | 114.0 | 128.0 | 79.4 | 164.5 | 137.8 | 139.7 | 166.0 | 119.2 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 149.8 | 79.6 | 169.5 | 117.5 | 129.6 | 91.1 | 164.7 | 141.3 | 146.5 | 187.5 | 123.6 |
| | 4th Quarter | 155.5 | 86.5 | 179.8 | 111.8 | 149.0 | 95.8 | 156.7 | 125.5 | 152.4 | 174.8 | 119.3 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 147.0 | 99.8 | 174.2 | 117.5 | 156.2 | 91.1 | 177.2 | 149.9 | 157.4 | 168.6 | 125.2 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 148.2 | 94.7 | 180.5 | 119.4 | 167.1 | 91.0 | 179.5 | 154.7 | 168.5 | 165.8 | 129.0 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 162.8 | 91.9 | 190.0 | 129.1 | 166.2 | 103.1 | 182.6 | 163.7 | 173.3 | 204.9 | 138.3 |
| | 4th Quarter | 165.6 | 102.8 | 194.8 | 118.1 | 166.1 | 108.5 | 197.2 | 146.5 | 171.4 | 191.7 | 127.6 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 147.8 | 102.2 | 175.5 | 137.1 | 156.3 | 88.8 | 188.0 | 162.1 | 158.1 | 175.6 | 141.7 |
| | March | 144.1 | 94.4 | 175.1 | 100.5 | 157.9 | 89.1 | 177.0 | 156.5 | 158.7 | 157.0 | 110.7 |
| | April | 147.6 | 97.4 | 159.8 | 126.7 | 166.3 | 93.3 | 170.7 | 140.7 | 165.0 | 160.5 | 134.6 |
| | May | 146.3 | 97.2 | 187.6 | 101.4 | 167.3 | 86.7 | 175.9 | 160.4 | 167.4 | 167.4 | 113.5 |
| | June | 150.4 | 89.9 | 190.3 | 132.6 | 167.5 | 94.9 | 191.1 | 164.6 | 172.6 | 168.2 | 140.5 |
| | July | 158.6 | 88.1 | 202.9 | 124.1 | 166.5 | 96.3 | 188.0 | 167.6 | 173.9 | 187.5 | 133.9 |
| | August | 164.3 | 93.8 | 183.5 | 129.6 | 165.0 | 105.5 | 177.6 | 161.2 | 171.3 | 226.5 | 138.4 |
| | September | 166.0 | 93.7 | 184.1 | 134.0 | 167.2 | 106.4 | 182.6 | 162.9 | 174.7 | 204.5 | 142.8 |
| | October | 166.3 | 102.1 | 198.2 | 126.8 | 166.8 | 99.2 | 203.7 | 143.1 | 175.2 | 184.9 | 136.5 |
| | November | 163.0 | 108.0 | 199.9 | 136.2 | 166.3 | 108.9 | 196.3 | 145.5 | 169.8 | 198.8 | 143.1 |
| | December | 167.3 | 99.8 | 187.1 | 99.9 | 165.2 | 114.2 | 188.7 | 151.1 | 169.0 | 196.9 | 109.8 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 161.8 | 112.5 | 185.9 | 136.7 | 167.0 | 102.6 | 188.8 | 145.7 | 170.3 | 180.4 | 142.7 |
| | February | 156.7 | 121.0 | 193.2 | 147.2 | 170.0 | 93.9 | 229.1 | 140.5 | 168.7 | 241.0 | 151.9 |

(a) Paasche unit value index is derived by using the rupee value index and the volume index

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 47

External Trade Indices – Import Unit Value^(a)

2010 = 100

| Period | Imports | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Imports | Terms of Trade | | |
|----------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|-------|-------|
| | Consumer Goods | | | Intermediate Goods | | | | | | Investment Goods | | | | | | |
| | Food and Beverages | Non-Food Consumer Goods | Total | Fuel | Textiles and Textile Articles | Fertiliser | Chemical Products | Wheat and Maize | Total | Machinery and Equipment | Transport Equipment | Building Materials | | | Total | |
| 2015 | 115.2 | 137.1 | 128.7 | 91.4 | 126.6 | 112.5 | 129.2 | 133.6 | 111.8 | 103.8 | 120.1 | 118.1 | 110.9 | 114.5 | 100.2 | |
| 2016 | 127.7 | 155.3 | 143.6 | 81.3 | 139.4 | 106.9 | 129.8 | 130.2 | 110.9 | 103.9 | 130.1 | 119.3 | 111.5 | 116.3 | 104.2 | |
| 2017 (b) | 127.9 | 163.2 | 146.6 | 100.8 | 147.6 | 107.7 | 133.9 | 135.3 | 120.8 | 108.2 | 136.2 | 118.6 | 114.8 | 123.2 | 105.6 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 121.7 | 156.2 | 141.7 | 68.1 | 138.3 | 117.0 | 126.9 | 130.3 | 106.8 | 111.4 | 121.0 | 121.1 | 115.4 | 114.0 | 107.3 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 129.7 | 156.9 | 145.4 | 80.8 | 139.4 | 105.3 | 129.7 | 129.6 | 110.1 | 114.5 | 128.9 | 120.4 | 117.9 | 118.2 | 100.8 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 126.0 | 152.0 | 141.1 | 84.4 | 146.8 | 101.6 | 128.7 | 130.5 | 115.6 | 101.5 | 127.8 | 121.0 | 110.5 | 119.4 | 103.5 |
| | 4th Quarter | 133.1 | 156.5 | 146.3 | 90.0 | 134.4 | 102.5 | 133.6 | 130.7 | 111.2 | 92.4 | 141.3 | 115.6 | 104.3 | 113.9 | 104.7 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Quarter | 122.1 | 159.8 | 141.0 | 99.7 | 141.4 | 111.2 | 128.7 | 125.7 | 117.1 | 110.8 | 127.6 | 117.5 | 114.9 | 119.7 | 104.6 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 133.2 | 163.7 | 150.0 | 96.4 | 144.0 | 103.5 | 129.3 | 131.2 | 118.0 | 114.2 | 132.7 | 118.9 | 118.1 | 125.5 | 102.7 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 130.6 | 161.5 | 147.9 | 93.7 | 157.7 | 108.7 | 137.0 | 143.5 | 121.2 | 107.5 | 140.0 | 126.9 | 117.2 | 125.1 | 110.5 |
| | 4th Quarter | 127.5 | 167.4 | 148.2 | 113.3 | 147.6 | 107.3 | 140.7 | 139.7 | 126.1 | 101.5 | 145.0 | 112.5 | 109.6 | 122.7 | 104.0 |
| 2017 (b) | February | 118.2 | 155.2 | 136.7 | 100.2 | 135.2 | 117.2 | 119.6 | 128.9 | 113.7 | 107.6 | 118.5 | 110.8 | 110.0 | 116.9 | 121.3 |
| | March | 123.2 | 168.5 | 144.3 | 99.2 | 146.3 | 99.7 | 133.3 | 126.3 | 119.3 | 103.2 | 150.2 | 127.4 | 115.8 | 124.0 | 89.3 |
| | April | 124.8 | 167.8 | 149.3 | 101.5 | 153.4 | 124.3 | 133.7 | 122.7 | 119.7 | 104.8 | 137.9 | 119.7 | 113.7 | 123.5 | 109.0 |
| | May | 138.6 | 157.1 | 148.7 | 96.0 | 141.0 | 100.3 | 126.0 | 136.8 | 119.2 | 129.3 | 123.0 | 118.9 | 124.9 | 130.0 | 87.3 |
| | June | 135.1 | 167.2 | 152.5 | 89.4 | 139.5 | 100.8 | 128.7 | 148.8 | 114.9 | 109.2 | 140.2 | 118.1 | 115.5 | 123.0 | 114.2 |
| | July | 127.6 | 161.9 | 146.3 | 89.6 | 157.3 | 108.6 | 139.1 | 145.2 | 119.7 | 100.9 | 138.2 | 114.7 | 108.8 | 121.9 | 109.9 |
| | August | 133.7 | 166.3 | 152.3 | 92.0 | 160.6 | 112.1 | 135.2 | 156.7 | 122.5 | 133.6 | 164.9 | 150.4 | 143.0 | 132.8 | 104.3 |
| | September | 130.2 | 155.5 | 144.4 | 98.9 | 155.1 | 102.5 | 137.1 | 133.3 | 121.4 | 93.2 | 122.5 | 115.6 | 103.4 | 120.5 | 118.6 |
| | October | 128.3 | 173.0 | 152.3 | 104.7 | 142.9 | 101.3 | 138.2 | 136.3 | 122.0 | 90.9 | 148.1 | 112.0 | 103.4 | 112.7 | 121.1 |
| | November | 126.0 | 174.5 | 149.8 | 114.4 | 151.8 | 106.4 | 142.9 | 141.6 | 127.6 | 106.9 | 153.1 | 124.2 | 117.0 | 128.9 | 111.0 |
| | December | 128.2 | 156.8 | 143.4 | 117.7 | 148.2 | 111.9 | 141.3 | 141.3 | 128.2 | 107.0 | 134.8 | 101.5 | 108.2 | 126.4 | 86.9 |
| 2018 (b) | January | 123.3 | 164.8 | 144.6 | 121.5 | 146.4 | 112.8 | 144.3 | 131.6 | 129.2 | 121.1 | 124.0 | 116.7 | 120.0 | 129.8 | 109.9 |
| | February | 124.2 | 156.2 | 142.4 | 121.6 | 143.7 | 120.6 | 138.4 | 140.1 | 130.8 | 99.2 | 120.4 | 105.6 | 104.0 | 130.6 | 116.3 |

(a) Paasche unit value index is derived by using the rupee value index and the volume index

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 48

Key Indicators of Tourism Industry

| Year | Tourist Arrivals by Region (No.) | | | | | | | | Overall Occupancy Rate | Accommodation Capacity | | |
|----------|----------------------------------|---------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------|-----------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| | Western Europe | Asia | Middle East | North America | Eastern Europe | Australasia | Other | Total | | No. of Hotel Units (a) | No. of Rooms | |
| 2015 | 552,442 | 822,272 | 101,066 | 84,943 | 148,458 | 71,672 | 17,527 | 1,798,380 | 74.5 | 354 | 19,376 | |
| 2016 | 643,333 | 938,697 | 107,635 | 98,376 | 161,171 | 83,851 | 17,769 | 2,050,832 | 74.8 | 382 | 22,126 | |
| 2017 (b) | 680,901 | 962,395 | 95,581 | 104,375 | 161,967 | 92,003 | 19,185 | 2,116,407 | 73.3 | 401 | 23,477 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 207,195 | 240,288 | 25,099 | 26,697 | 61,377 | 19,540 | 4,622 | 584,818 | 79.1 | 359 | 19,895 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 95,668 | 207,990 | 14,018 | 21,255 | 21,331 | 15,777 | 3,410 | 379,449 | 69.2 | 363 | 19,989 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 182,760 | 238,420 | 48,897 | 25,157 | 22,603 | 22,020 | 4,281 | 544,138 | 75.3 | 370 | 20,406 |
| | 4th Qtr | 157,710 | 251,999 | 19,621 | 25,267 | 55,860 | 26,514 | 5,456 | 542,427 | 75.4 | 382 | 22,126 |
| 2017 (b) | 1st Qtr | 214,910 | 244,685 | 22,542 | 28,365 | 69,556 | 20,245 | 4,650 | 604,953 | 72.9 | 384 | 22,250 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 115,424 | 207,696 | 14,818 | 22,656 | 21,681 | 19,208 | 4,008 | 405,491 | 70.0 | 391 | 22,612 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 186,455 | 243,079 | 41,830 | 25,885 | 17,882 | 21,955 | 4,401 | 541,487 | 74.7 | 396 | 22,355 |
| | 4th Qtr | 164,112 | 266,935 | 16,391 | 27,469 | 52,848 | 30,595 | 6,126 | 564,476 | 75.5 | 401 | 23,477 |
| 2017(b) | February | 76,770 | 76,608 | 5,530 | 8,489 | 23,768 | 4,985 | 1,367 | 197,517 | 73.4 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | March | 65,640 | 77,834 | 8,064 | 9,355 | 19,248 | 6,299 | 1,636 | 188,076 | 72.6 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | April | 55,304 | 68,480 | 6,624 | 7,433 | 12,981 | 7,747 | 1,680 | 160,249 | 67.4 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | May | 26,892 | 74,780 | 3,236 | 6,676 | 4,835 | 4,368 | 1,104 | 121,891 | 69.6 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | June | 33,228 | 64,436 | 4,958 | 8,547 | 3,865 | 7,093 | 1,224 | 123,351 | 73.0 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | July | 80,896 | 82,033 | 16,163 | 10,875 | 6,127 | 7,958 | 1,430 | 205,482 | 69.7 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | August | 65,949 | 85,066 | 16,336 | 9,478 | 5,711 | 6,846 | 1,542 | 190,928 | 77.3 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | September | 39,610 | 75,980 | 9,331 | 5,532 | 6,044 | 7,151 | 1,429 | 145,077 | 77.1 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | October | 42,416 | 81,633 | 4,662 | 5,939 | 10,393 | 5,995 | 1,391 | 152,429 | 72.6 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | November | 45,903 | 81,148 | 5,066 | 7,635 | 18,636 | 7,613 | 1,510 | 167,511 | 75.0 | n.a. | n.a. |
| | December | 75,793 | 104,154 | 6,663 | 13,895 | 23,819 | 16,987 | 3,225 | 244,536 | 78.9 | n.a. | n.a. |
| 2018 (b) | January | 87,352 | 87,637 | 8,480 | 13,267 | 29,804 | 10,467 | 1,917 | 238,924 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| | February | 93,412 | 91,369 | 3,894 | 10,070 | 28,601 | 6,357 | 1,915 | 235,618 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |

(a) Graded establishments (includes boutique hotels from 2016 onwards)

Source : Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority

(b) Provisional

Balance of Payments – Standard Presentation under BPM6 Format (a)

| CURRENT AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT | US\$ million | | | | | | Rs. million | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2017 – 3rd Quarter | | | 2017 – 4th Quarter (b) | | | 2017 – 3rd Quarter | | | 2017 – 4th Quarter (b) | | |
| | Credit | Debit | Net | Credit | Debit | Net | Credit | Debit | Net | Credit | Debit | Net |
| Goods and Services | 5,002 | 6,201 | (1,199) | 4,944 | 6,810 | (1,866) | 766,579 | 950,219 | (183,640) | 758,571 | 1,044,931 | (286,360) |
| Goods (c) | 3,027 | 5,115 | (2,088) | 2,936 | 5,716 | (2,780) | 463,874 | 783,794 | (319,920) | 450,498 | 877,064 | (426,566) |
| General merchandise on a BOP basis | 3,027 | 4,955 | (1,928) | 2,936 | 5,501 | (2,565) | 463,874 | 759,297 | (295,423) | 450,498 | 844,064 | (393,566) |
| Net exports of goods under merchanting | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Non-monetary gold | – | 160 | (160) | – | 215 | (215) | – | 24,497 | (24,497) | – | 33,001 | (33,001) |
| Services | 1,975 | 1,086 | 889 | 2,008 | 1,094 | 914 | 302,705 | 166,425 | 136,281 | 308,073 | 167,867 | 140,206 |
| Manufacturing services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Maintenance and repair services n.i.e. | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Transport | 598 | 394 | 204 | 587 | 414 | 172 | 91,653 | 60,392 | 31,261 | 90,029 | 63,600 | 26,429 |
| Sea transport | 275 | 190 | 85 | 268 | 191 | 77 | 42,165 | 29,109 | 13,056 | 41,114 | 29,257 | 11,857 |
| Passenger | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Freight | 275 | 190 | 85 | 268 | 191 | 77 | 42,165 | 29,109 | 13,056 | 41,114 | 29,257 | 11,857 |
| Air transport | 323 | 204 | 119 | 319 | 224 | 95 | 49,488 | 31,283 | 18,205 | 48,915 | 34,343 | 14,572 |
| Passenger | 292 | 183 | 109 | 289 | 203 | 86 | 44,803 | 28,049 | 16,754 | 44,346 | 31,092 | 13,254 |
| Freight | 31 | 21 | 9 | 30 | 21 | 9 | 4,685 | 3,234 | 1,451 | 4,568 | 3,251 | 1,317 |
| Other modes of transport | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Postal and courier services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Travel (d) | 1,004 | 415 | 589 | 1,047 | 404 | 643 | 153,937 | 63,599 | 90,339 | 160,588 | 62,030 | 98,558 |
| Construction | 18 | 8 | 10 | 17 | 8 | 9 | 2,713 | 1,186 | 1,527 | 2,639 | 1,277 | 1,363 |
| Insurance and pension services | 30 | 22 | 9 | 30 | 22 | 8 | 4,664 | 3,356 | 1,308 | 4,670 | 3,393 | 1,277 |
| Financial services | 69 | 105 | (36) | 69 | 102 | (34) | 10,527 | 16,019 | (5,492) | 10,539 | 15,688 | (5,149) |
| Charges for the use of intellectual property | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Telecommunications and computer services | 236 | 116 | 121 | 238 | 113 | 125 | 36,205 | 17,725 | 18,480 | 36,481 | 17,266 | 19,215 |
| Telecommunications services | 34 | 30 | 4 | 35 | 28 | 7 | 5,165 | 4,613 | 552 | 5,402 | 4,312 | 1,090 |
| Computer services | 203 | 86 | 117 | 203 | 84 | 118 | 31,040 | 13,112 | 17,928 | 31,079 | 12,954 | 18,125 |
| Other business services | 11 | 17 | (6) | 11 | 17 | (6) | 1,754 | 2,670 | (915) | 1,756 | 2,615 | (858) |
| Personal, cultural and recreational services | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Government goods and services n.i.e. | 8 | 10 | (1) | 9 | 13 | (4) | 1,252 | 1,479 | (227) | 1,372 | 2,000 | (628) |
| Primary Income | 44 | 585 | (540) | 42 | 860 | (817) | 6,805 | 89,559 | (82,754) | 6,502 | 131,097 | (124,596) |
| Compensation of employees | 7 | 24 | (17) | 6 | 24 | (18) | 1,045 | 3,694 | (2,649) | 967 | 3,698 | (2,731) |
| Investment income | 38 | 561 | (523) | 36 | 836 | (800) | 5,760 | 85,865 | (80,106) | 5,535 | 127,399 | (121,864) |
| Direct investment | 4 | 155 | (151) | 4 | 456 | (453) | 540 | 23,744 | (23,203) | 541 | 70,040 | (69,499) |
| Dividends | 4 | 106 | (103) | 4 | 107 | (104) | 540 | 16,261 | (15,720) | 541 | 16,425 | (15,884) |
| Reinvested earnings | – | 49 | (49) | – | 349 | (349) | – | 7,483 | (7,483) | – | 53,615 | (53,615) |
| Interest | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Portfolio investment | 245 | (245) | – | 256 | (256) | – | – | 37,525 | (37,525) | – | 38,630 | (38,630) |
| Equity | 21 | (21) | – | 20 | (20) | – | – | 3,208 | (3,208) | – | 3,046 | (3,046) |
| Interest | 224 | (224) | – | 237 | (237) | – | – | 34,317 | (34,317) | – | 35,584 | (35,584) |
| Short-term | 4 | (4) | – | 1 | (1) | – | – | 633 | (633) | – | 111 | (111) |
| Long-term | 220 | (220) | – | 236 | (236) | – | – | 33,685 | (33,685) | – | 35,473 | (35,473) |
| Other investment | 14 | 160 | (147) | 15 | 123 | (107) | 2,092 | 24,597 | (22,505) | 2,371 | 18,729 | (16,359) |
| Reserve assets | 20 | – | 20 | 17 | – | 17 | 3,128 | – | 3,128 | 2,624 | – | 2,624 |
| Secondary Income | 1,768 | 211 | 1,557 | 1,807 | 213 | 1,593 | 270,983 | 32,337 | 238,646 | 277,200 | 32,714 | 244,486 |
| General Government (e) | 1 | – | 1 | 1 | – | 1 | 160 | – | 160 | 98 | – | 98 |
| Financial corporations, non-financial corporations, households | 1,767 | 211 | 1,556 | 1,806 | 213 | 1,593 | 270,823 | 32,337 | 238,486 | 277,101 | 32,714 | 244,387 |
| Personal transfers | 1,767 | 211 | 1,556 | 1,806 | 213 | 1,593 | 270,823 | 32,337 | 238,486 | 277,101 | 32,714 | 244,387 |
| of which, Workers' remittances | 1,767 | – | 1,767 | 1,806 | – | 1,806 | 270,823 | – | 270,823 | 277,101 | – | 277,101 |
| Current Account | 6,814 | 6,996 | (182) | 6,793 | 7,883 | (1,090) | 1,044,367 | 1,072,115 | (27,747) | 1,042,272 | 1,208,742 | (166,470) |
| Capital Account | 7 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 7 | (1) | 1,110 | 1,081 | 29 | 950 | 1,083 | (134) |
| Gross acquisitions (Dr) / Disposals (Cr) | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Capital transfers | 7 | 7 | 0 | 6 | 7 | (1) | 1,110 | 1,081 | 29 | 950 | 1,083 | (134) |
| General Government (f) | 2 | – | 2 | 1 | – | 1 | 298 | – | 298 | 183 | – | 183 |
| Financial corporations, non-financial corporations, households | 5 | 7 | (2) | 5 | 7 | (2) | 812 | 1,081 | (269) | 767 | 1,083 | (316) |
| Current Account and Capital Account | 6,821 | 7,003 | (182) | 6,799 | 7,890 | (1,091) | 1,045,477 | 1,073,196 | (27,719) | 1,043,222 | 1,209,826 | (166,604) |

(a) The above presentation conforms as far as possible to the Balance of Payments Manual (BPM), 6th edition (2009) of the International Monetary Fund (IMF). (Contd.)

(b) Provisional

(c) Exports and imports are recorded on f.o.b. and c.i.f. valuation basis, respectively.

(d) Passenger services provided for non-residents are included in transport services.

(e) Includes outright grants received in the form of programme, food and commodity aid, cash and technical assistance.

(f) Includes outright grants received in the form of project aid.

Balance of Payments – Standard Presentation under BPM6 Format (a)

| FINANCIAL ACCOUNT | US\$ million | | | | Rs. million | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | 2017 – 3rd Quarter | | 2017 – 4th Quarter (b) | | 2017 – 3rd Quarter | | 2017 – 4th Quarter (b) | |
| | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net acquisition of financial assets | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net acquisition of financial assets | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net acquisition of financial assets | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net acquisition of financial assets |
| FINANCIAL ACCOUNT | 320 | 867 | 2,771 | 1,031 | 49,075 | 132,759 | 424,995 | 158,022 |
| Direct Investment | 46 | 18 | 964 | 18 | 7,121 | 2,741 | 147,846 | 2,744 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | (8) | 17 | 444 | 17 | (1,179) | 2,588 | 68,124 | 2,591 |
| Equity other than reinvestment of earnings | (57) | 17 | 95 | 17 | (8,662) | 2,588 | 14,509 | 2,591 |
| Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g) | (57) | 17 | 95 | 17 | (8,662) | 2,588 | 14,509 | 2,591 |
| – BOI companies | 1 | – | 19 | – | 193 | – | 2,986 | – |
| – CSE companies (not registered with BOI) | (58) | – | 1 | – | (8,855) | – | 103 | – |
| – Other companies | – | – | 74 | – | – | – | 11,420 | – |
| Reinvestment of earnings | 49 | – | 349 | – | 7,483 | – | 53,615 | – |
| Debt instruments | 54 | 1 | 520 | 1 | 8,301 | 153 | 79,722 | 153 |
| Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g) | 54 | 1 | 520 | 1 | 8,301 | 153 | 79,722 | 153 |
| – BOI companies | 40 | – | 470 | – | 6,133 | – | 72,122 | – |
| Shareholder Advance | 30 | – | 532 | – | 4,539 | – | 81,579 | – |
| Intra Company Borrowings | 20 | – | 26 | – | 3,044 | – | 4,043 | – |
| Debt Repayments | (9) | – | (88) | – | (1,450) | – | (13,500) | – |
| – CSE companies (not registered with BOI) | 14 | – | 50 | – | 2,167 | – | 7,600 | – |
| – Other companies | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Portfolio Investment | 481 | ... | 219 | ... | 73,652 | ... | 33,656 | (13) |
| Equity and investment fund shares | 95 | – | 12 | – | 14,512 | – | 1,803 | – |
| – CSE companies (not registered with BOI) | 95 | – | 12 | – | 14,512 | – | 1,803 | – |
| Debt securities | 386 | ... | 208 | ... | 59,141 | ... | 31,854 | (13) |
| Central Bank | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Deposit-taking corporations, other than the central bank | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | (13) |
| Short-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Long term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | (13) |
| General Government | 386 | – | 208 | – | 59,141 | – | 31,854 | – |
| Short-term (Treasury bills) | (8) | – | 39 | – | (1,328) | – | 6,031 | – |
| Long-term | 394 | – | 168 | – | 60,469 | – | 25,823 | – |
| Treasury bonds | 394 | – | 168 | – | 60,469 | – | 25,823 | – |
| SLDBs | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Sovereign bonds | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other Sectors | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Long-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Financial Derivatives | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other Investment | (207) | 204 | 1,588 | 159 | (31,699) | 31,212 | 243,493 | 24,415 |
| Other equity | (86) | (45) | 439 | 211 | (13,220) | (6,902) | 67,346 | 32,285 |
| Currency and deposits | (86) | (45) | 439 | 211 | (13,220) | (6,902) | 67,346 | 32,285 |
| Central Bank | – | – | – | – | (75) | – | (82) | – |
| Short-term | – | – | – | – | (75) | – | (82) | – |
| Long-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Deposit taking corporations, other than the central bank | (86) | (45) | 439 | 211 | (13,145) | (6,902) | 67,428 | 32,285 |
| Short-term | (86) | (27) | 439 | 259 | (13,145) | (4,155) | 67,428 | 39,700 |
| Long-term | – | (18) | – | (49) | – | (2,747) | – | (7,416) |
| General Government | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other Sectors | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Loans | 329 | – | 423 | – | 50,498 | – | 64,807 | – |
| Central Bank | 119 | – | 252 | – | 18,322 | – | 38,522 | – |
| Credit and loans with the IMF | 119 | – | 252 | – | 18,322 | – | 38,522 | – |
| Other Short-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other Long-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank | (216) | – | (139) | – | (33,105) | – | (21,374) | – |
| Short-term | (522) | – | (208) | – | (80,074) | – | (31,878) | – |
| Long-term | 306 | – | 68 | – | 46,969 | – | 10,504 | – |
| General Government | 471 | – | 222 | – | 72,225 | – | 34,030 | – |
| Short-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Long-term | 471 | – | 222 | – | 72,225 | – | 34,030 | – |
| Other sectors (h) | (45) | – | 89 | – | (6,944) | – | 13,628 | – |
| Short-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Long-term | (45) | – | 89 | – | (6,944) | – | 13,628 | – |
| Insurance, pension and standardised guarantee schemes | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Trade credit and advances | (181) | 26 | 346 | 2 | (27,766) | 3,913 | 53,065 | 288 |
| Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank | – | 16 | – | (8) | – | 2,468 | – | (1,159) |
| Short-term | – | 16 | – | (8) | – | 2,468 | – | (1,159) |
| Other sectors (i) | (181) | 9 | 346 | 9 | (27,766) | 1,445 | 53,065 | 1,447 |
| Short-term | (181) | 9 | 346 | 9 | (27,766) | 1,445 | 53,065 | 1,447 |
| Other accounts receivable/payable | (269) | 223 | 380 | (53) | (41,211) | 34,201 | 58,276 | (8,158) |
| Central Bank | (269) | – | 380 | – | (41,211) | – | 58,276 | – |
| Short term (j) | (269) | – | 380 | – | (41,211) | – | 58,276 | – |
| Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank | – | 223 | – | (53) | – | 34,201 | – | (8,158) |
| Short-term | – | 223 | – | (53) | – | 34,201 | – | (8,158) |
| Special Drawing Rights (SDRs) | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Reserve Assets | – | 646 | – | 854 | – | 98,806 | – | 130,876 |
| Monetary gold | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Special drawing rights | – | 2 | – | 2 | – | 306 | – | 324 |
| Reserve position in the IMF | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other reserve assets | – | 644 | – | 852 | – | 98,500 | – | 130,552 |
| Currency and deposits | – | (849) | – | 39 | – | (130,351) | – | 5,842 |
| Claims on monetary authorities | – | (871) | – | (267) | – | (133,675) | – | (41,275) |
| Claims on other entities | – | 22 | – | 306 | – | 3,325 | – | 47,116 |
| Securities | – | 1,493 | – | 813 | – | 228,842 | – | 124,711 |
| Debt securities | – | 1,493 | – | 813 | – | 228,842 | – | 124,711 |
| Short-term | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Long term | – | 1,493 | – | 813 | – | 228,842 | – | 124,711 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Financial derivatives | – | – | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Other claims | – | – | – | – | – | 9 | – | 1 |
| FINANCIAL ACCOUNT (NET) | – | 547 | (1,739) | – | 83,684 | – | (266,973) | – |
| Errors and omissions | – | 729 | – | (648) | – | 111,403 | – | (100,370) |

(g) Includes Direct investment to BOI, CSE and other private companies.
(h) Include State Owned Business Enterprises (SOBES) and private sector companies.
(i) Include Ceylon Petroleum Corporation (CPC) and private sector companies.
(j) Net transactions of ACU liabilities

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

International Investment Position – Standard Presentation under BPM6 Format

End period position

| FINANCIAL ACCOUNT | US\$ million | | | | Rs. million | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| | 2016 (a) | | 2017 (b) | | 2016 (a) | | 2017 (b) | |
| | Assets | Liabilities | Assets | Liabilities | Assets | Liabilities | Assets | Liabilities |
| Direct Investment (c) | 1,219 | 9,845 | 1,278 | 11,070 | 182,621 | 1,474,725 | 195,293 | 1,692,094 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | 1,214 | 7,020 | 1,268 | 7,406 | 181,849 | 1,051,612 | 193,894 | 1,132,015 |
| Debt instruments | 5 | 2,825 | 9 | 3,664 | 772 | 423,113 | 1,399 | 560,079 |
| Portfolio Investment | ... | 13,684 | ... | 15,578 | 16 | 2,049,846 | 4 | 2,381,194 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | | 1,419 | | 1,491 | | 212,619 | | 227,977 |
| Other sectors | | 1,419 | | 1,491 | | 212,619 | | 227,977 |
| Debt securities (d) | ... | 12,265 | ... | 14,087 | 16 | 1,837,227 | 4 | 2,153,217 |
| Deposit taking corporations | ... | 2,190 | ... | 1,666 | 16 | 328,004 | 4 | 254,692 |
| Long-term | ... | 2,190 | ... | 1,666 | 16 | 328,004 | 4 | 254,692 |
| General Government | | 9,903 | | 12,244 | | 1,483,429 | | 1,871,496 |
| Short-term | | 80 | | 167 | | 11,943 | | 25,485 |
| Long-term | | 9,823 | | 12,077 | | 1,471,486 | | 1,846,011 |
| Other Sectors | | 172 | | 177 | | 25,794 | | 27,028 |
| Short-term | | | | | | | | |
| Long term | | 172 | | 177 | | 25,794 | | 27,028 |
| Financial Derivatives | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other Investment | 3,028 | 31,329 | 3,130 | 34,073 | 453,564 | 4,693,073 | 478,367 | 5,208,222 |
| Other equity | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Currency and deposits | 706 | 2,442 | 784 | 2,213 | 105,732 | 365,748 | 119,861 | 338,301 |
| Central Bank | | 403 | | 1 | | 60,372 | | 206 |
| Short-term | | 3 | | 1 | | 452 | | 206 |
| Long-term | | 400 | | - | | 59,920 | | - |
| Deposit taking corporations | 706 | 2,039 | 784 | 2,212 | 105,732 | 305,376 | 119,861 | 338,095 |
| Short-term | 535 | 2,039 | 546 | 2,212 | 80,091 | 305,376 | 83,437 | 338,095 |
| Long-term | 171 | | 238 | | 25,641 | | 36,424 | |
| Loans | | 26,342 | | 28,912 | | 3,946,060 | | 4,419,404 |
| Central Bank | | 554 | | 765 | | 82,977 | | 116,997 |
| Credit and loans with the IMF | | 554 | | 765 | | 82,977 | | 116,997 |
| Deposit taking corporations | | 4,562 | | 4,833 | | 683,429 | | 738,738 |
| Short term | | 3,209 | | 2,929 | | 480,638 | | 447,636 |
| Long term | | 1,354 | | 1,904 | | 202,791 | | 291,102 |
| General Government | | 17,295 | | 19,201 | | 2,590,717 | | 2,934,889 |
| Long term | | 17,295 | | 19,201 | | 2,590,717 | | 2,934,889 |
| Other Sectors (e) | | 3,931 | | 4,114 | | 588,938 | | 628,781 |
| Long-term | | 3,931 | | 4,114 | | 588,938 | | 628,781 |
| Insurance guarantee schemes | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Trade credit and advances | 707 | 1,480 | 761 | 1,790 | 105,850 | 221,763 | 116,338 | 273,563 |
| Deposit taking corporations | 93 | | 109 | | 13,871 | | 16,717 | |
| Short term | 93 | | 109 | | 13,871 | | 16,717 | |
| Other sectors (f) | 614 | 1,480 | 652 | 1,790 | 91,979 | 221,763 | 99,621 | 273,563 |
| Short-term | 614 | 1,480 | 652 | 1,790 | 91,979 | 221,763 | 99,621 | 273,563 |
| Other accounts receivable / payable | 1,615 | 533 | 1,584 | 594 | 241,982 | 79,864 | 242,168 | 90,868 |
| Central Bank (g) | | 533 | | 594 | | 79,864 | | 90,868 |
| Short-term | | 533 | | 594 | | 79,864 | | 90,868 |
| Deposit taking corporations | 1,615 | | 1,584 | | 241,982 | | 242,168 | |
| Short-term | 1,615 | | 1,584 | | 241,982 | | 242,168 | |
| Special Drawing Rights (SDRs) | | 532 | | 563 | | 79,638 | | 86,086 |
| Reserve Assets | 6,019 | | 7,959 | | 901,656 | | 1,216,518 | |
| Monetary gold | 830 | | 928 | | 124,406 | | 141,859 | |
| Special drawing rights | 2 | | 4 | | 304 | | 682 | |
| Reserve position in the IMF | 64 | | 68 | | 9,637 | | 10,417 | |
| Other reserve assets | 5,122 | | 6,958 | | 767,309 | | 1,063,560 | |
| Currency and deposits | 2,644 | | 3,037 | | 396,066 | | 464,271 | |
| Claims on monetary authorities | 802 | | 1,660 | | 120,098 | | 253,776 | |
| Claims on other entities | 1,842 | | 1,377 | | 275,968 | | 210,496 | |
| Securities | 2,478 | | 3,921 | | 371,243 | | 599,288 | |
| Debt securities | 2,478 | | 3,921 | | 371,243 | | 599,288 | |
| Total Assets / Liabilities | 10,266 | 54,857 | 12,366 | 60,721 | 1,537,856 | 8,217,643 | 1,890,183 | 9,281,510 |
| Net Assets / Liabilities | | (44,591) | | (48,355) | | (6,679,787) | | (7,391,327) |

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Include direct investment stock position of BOI, CSE and other private companies.

(d) Foreign currency and local currency debt issuances are based on market values and book values, respectively.

(e) Include outstanding position of loans obtained by State Owned Business Enterprises (SOBEs) and private sector companies.

(f) Include outstanding trade credit position of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation and other private sector companies.

(g) Outstanding position of ACU liabilities managed by the Central Bank.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

International Reserves of Sri Lanka

US\$ million

| End of Period | Central Bank | Government | Gross Official Reserves | | Commercial Banks | Total International Reserves (3+5) | | Change in Gross Official Reserves | Change in Total International Reserves | |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|----------|
| | | | Value | Months of Imports (a) | | Value | Months of Imports (a) | | | |
| | | | (1) | (2) | | (3) | (4) | | | (5) |
| 2015 | 6,833.8 | 469.9 | 7,303.6 | 4.6 | 2,033.3 | 9,336.9 | 5.9 | -904.8 | -547.7 | |
| 2016 | 5,730.0 | 289.1 | 6,019.0 | 3.8 | 2,413.9 | 8,432.9 | 5.3 | -1,284.6 | -903.9 | |
| 2017 | 7,470.5 | 488.2 | 7,958.7 | 4.6 | 2,477.8 | 10,436.5 | 6.0 | 1,939.6 | 2,003.6 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 5,773.2 | 447.9 | 6,221.2 | 4.0 | 1,982.4 | 8,203.6 | 5.3 | -1,082.5 | -1,133.2 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 4,859.2 | 433.1 | 5,292.3 | 3.4 | 2,003.3 | 7,295.5 | 4.7 | -928.9 | -908.0 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 5,143.0 | 1,312.8 | 6,455.7 | 4.2 | 2,618.4 | 9,074.1 | 5.9 | 1,163.4 | 1,778.6 |
| | 4th Qtr | 5,730.0 | 289.1 | 6,019.0 | 3.8 | 2,413.9 | 8,432.9 | 5.3 | -436.7 | -641.2 |
| 2017 | 1st Qtr | 4,846.9 | 270.4 | 5,117.3 | 3.1 | 1,962.4 | 7,079.7 | 4.3 | -901.8 | -1,353.3 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 5,322.4 | 1,636.6 | 6,959.0 | 4.2 | 2,133.8 | 9,092.8 | 5.5 | 1,841.7 | 2,013.1 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 6,362.7 | 917.1 | 7,279.8 | 4.3 | 2,328.0 | 9,607.8 | 5.6 | 320.8 | 515.0 |
| | 4th Qtr | 7,470.5 | 488.2 | 7,958.7 | 4.6 | 2,477.8 | 10,436.5 | 6.0 | 678.8 | 828.7 |
| 2017 | Feb | 5,277.9 | 356.8 | 5,634.7 | 3.5 | 2,119.2 | 7,753.9 | 4.8 | 181.5 | 156.6 |
| | Mar | 4,846.9 | 270.4 | 5,117.3 | 3.1 | 1,962.4 | 7,079.7 | 4.3 | -517.4 | -674.2 |
| | Apr | 4,787.7 | 260.4 | 5,048.1 | 3.0 | 2,486.2 | 7,534.3 | 4.5 | -69.2 | 454.6 |
| | May | 4,767.5 | 1,992.2 | 6,759.7 | 4.0 | 2,135.1 | 8,894.8 | 5.3 | 1,711.6 | 1,360.6 |
| | Jun | 5,322.4 | 1,636.6 | 6,959.0 | 4.2 | 2,133.8 | 9,092.8 | 5.5 | 199.3 | 198.0 |
| | Jul | 5,684.9 | 1,025.6 | 6,710.5 | 4.0 | 2,283.2 | 8,993.7 | 5.4 | -248.5 | -99.1 |
| | Aug | 6,437.4 | 1,256.2 | 7,693.5 | 4.5 | 2,137.9 | 9,831.4 | 5.8 | 983.1 | 837.7 |
| | Sep | 6,362.7 | 917.1 | 7,279.8 | 4.3 | 2,328.0 | 9,607.8 | 5.6 | -413.7 | -223.6 |
| | Oct | 6,705.6 | 795.2 | 7,500.8 | 4.4 | 2,270.8 | 9,771.6 | 5.7 | 221.0 | 163.8 |
| | Nov | 6,734.6 | 600.6 | 7,335.1 | 4.2 | 2,324.1 | 9,659.3 | 5.6 | -165.7 | -112.4 |
| | Dec | 7,470.5 | 488.2 | 7,958.7 | 4.6 | 2,477.8 | 10,436.5 | 6.0 | 623.5 | 777.2 |
| 2018 | Jan | 7,283.2 | 386.8 | 7,670.0 | 4.3 | 2,370.4 | 10,040.3 | 5.7 | -288.7 | -396.2 |
| | Feb | 7,519.4 | 403.0 | 7,922.4 | 4.4 | 2,140.0 | 10,062.4 | 5.6 | 252.4 | 22.0 |

(a) Available reserves are equivalent to the given number of months of imports.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

**Exchange Rates of Major Currencies and Monthly Indices of
Nominal Effective Exchange Rate (NEER) and Real Effective Exchange Rate (REER)**

| End of Period | Sri Lanka Rupees per 100 units of Foreign Currency | | | | | | Monthly Average Index | |
|---------------|--|----------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------|------------------------|------------------------|
| | US dollar | Pound sterling | Euro | Japanese yen | Indian rupee | SDR (a) | NEER (b) (2010=100) | REER (c) (2010=100) |
| 2015 | 14,406.23 | 21,357.24 | 15,737.37 | 119.60 | 216.77 | 19,963.10 | 96.61 | 109.50 |
| 2016 | 14,980.00 | 18,404.43 | 15,787.42 | 128.67 | 220.56 | 20,138.10 | 92.46 | 106.94 |
| 2017 | 15,285.48 | 20,553.62 | 18,248.57 | 135.59 | 238.54 | 21,768.60 | 88.07 | 106.10 |
| 2016 1st Qtr | 14,390.00 | 20,656.85 | 16,294.52 | 128.10 | 216.80 | 20,272.90 | 93.80 | 107.39 |
| 2nd Qtr | 14,525.00 | 19,487.47 | 16,143.81 | 141.42 | 215.18 | 20,318.20 | 91.53 | 105.76 |
| 3rd Qtr | 14,672.29 | 19,016.76 | 16,456.44 | 145.36 | 219.50 | 20,479.80 | 91.91 | 106.90 |
| 4th Qtr | 14,980.00 | 18,404.43 | 15,787.42 | 128.67 | 220.56 | 20,138.10 | 92.60 | 107.69 |
| 2017 1st Qtr | 15,173.54 | 18,953.27 | 16,203.06 | 135.38 | 233.94 | 20,588.20 | 91.26 | 108.70 |
| 2nd Qtr | 15,351.00 | 19,993.14 | 17,561.54 | 137.28 | 237.41 | 21,359.20 | 88.57 | 106.59 |
| 3rd Qtr | 15,309.83 | 20,538.90 | 18,036.51 | 135.94 | 233.84 | 21,637.30 | 86.27 | 104.02 |
| 4th Qtr | 15,285.48 | 20,553.62 | 18,248.57 | 135.59 | 238.54 | 21,768.60 | 86.18 | 105.10 |
| 2017 Feb | 15,125.00 | 18,802.64 | 16,009.06 | 134.35 | 226.76 | 20,477.60 | 91.04 | 108.82 |
| Mar | 15,173.54 | 18,953.27 | 16,203.06 | 135.38 | 233.94 | 20,588.20 | 90.51 | 107.70 |
| Apr | 15,190.00 | 19,609.53 | 16,513.05 | 136.65 | 236.92 | 20,825.90 | 89.52 | 106.86 |
| May | 15,250.00 | 19,555.08 | 17,042.64 | 137.29 | 235.98 | 21,110.90 | 88.43 | 106.00 |
| Jun | 15,351.00 | 19,993.14 | 17,561.54 | 137.28 | 237.41 | 21,359.20 | 87.76 | 106.91 |
| Jul | 15,372.78 | 20,190.61 | 18,047.64 | 139.18 | 239.77 | 21,641.00 | 86.75 | 105.04 |
| Aug | 15,283.50 | 19,737.88 | 18,151.45 | 138.33 | 238.84 | 21,601.50 | 86.23 | 103.48 |
| Sep | 15,309.83 | 20,538.90 | 18,036.51 | 135.94 | 233.84 | 21,637.30 | 85.84 | 103.54 |
| Oct | 15,359.03 | 20,270.85 | 17,872.54 | 135.81 | 236.80 | 21,574.60 | 86.25 | 104.48 |
| Nov | 15,376.52 | 20,715.25 | 18,249.62 | 137.30 | 238.91 | 21,764.20 | 86.23 | 105.24 |
| Dec | 15,285.48 | 20,553.62 | 18,248.57 | 135.59 | 238.54 | 21,768.60 | 86.06 | 105.57 |
| 2018 Jan | 15,376.82 | 21,604.43 | 19,018.05 | 140.97 | 241.77 | 22,375.70 | 84.31 | 103.35 |
| Feb | 15,487.18 | 21,531.05 | 18,935.40 | 144.40 | 238.56 | 22,392.70 | 83.25 | 101.42 |

(a) Special Drawing Rights (SDRs), the unit of account of the International Monetary Fund.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) The NEER is the weighted average of nominal exchange rates of the 24 trading partner and competitor countries. Weights are based on the trade shares reflecting the relative importance of each currency in the currency basket.

(c) The REER is computed by adjusting the NEER for inflation differentials with the countries whose currencies are included in the basket.

Interbank Forward Market Transactions

| Period | Forward Volume (US\$ million) | | | | | | Annualised Forward Premium (as % of spot) (a) | | Annualised Interest Differential (as % of spot) | | |
|--------|-------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|----------|---|--------------|---|--------------|------|
| | Below 1 Month | 1 Month | 2 Months | 3 Months | Over 3 Months | Total | 1 Month (%) | 3 Months (%) | 1 Month (%) | 3 Months (%) | |
| 2015 | 2,802.98 | 1,636.14 | 450.13 | 687.29 | 1,136.10 | 6,712.64 | 5.93 | 5.32 | 5.92 | 5.92 | |
| 2016 | 5,064.94 | 1,763.23 | 266.69 | 496.40 | 1,117.25 | 8,708.51 | 9.22 | 7.47 | 7.54 | 7.53 | |
| 2017 | 3,718.12 | 1,613.67 | 319.18 | 736.12 | 1,638.07 | 8,025.16 | 7.08 | 4.40 | 7.81 | 7.80 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 1,078.29 | 496.48 | 91.17 | 94.50 | 352.50 | 2,112.94 | 6.94 | 6.93 | 6.41 | 6.40 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 1,311.30 | 504.48 | 45.77 | 179.20 | 236.75 | 2,277.50 | 12.09 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 7.99 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 1,371.21 | 306.17 | 45.35 | 99.55 | 248.85 | 2,071.13 | 8.34 | 7.15 | 8.09 | 8.08 |
| | 4th Qtr | 1,304.14 | 456.10 | 84.40 | 123.15 | 279.15 | 2,246.94 | 9.51 | 7.79 | 7.67 | 7.65 |
| 2017 | 1st Qtr | 1,340.00 | 608.27 | 174.35 | 312.57 | 357.45 | 2,792.64 | 9.00 | 5.38 | 8.09 | 8.08 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 1,274.61 | 366.91 | 55.75 | 123.25 | 400.15 | 2,220.67 | 8.41 | 4.03 | 8.45 | 8.43 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 539.51 | 304.99 | 14.75 | 173.75 | 510.35 | 1,543.35 | 4.99 | 3.88 | 7.79 | 7.77 |
| | 4th Qtr | 564.00 | 333.50 | 74.33 | 126.55 | 370.12 | 1,468.50 | 5.92 | 4.32 | 6.92 | 6.90 |
| 2017 | Feb | 402.78 | 228.08 | 54.35 | 76.25 | 133.10 | 894.56 | 10.59 | 5.71 | 8.07 | 8.06 |
| | Mar | 595.95 | 177.39 | 40.00 | 139.00 | 100.00 | 1,052.34 | 9.80 | 6.24 | 8.29 | 8.27 |
| | Apr | 485.60 | 121.42 | 0.00 | 55.00 | 100.00 | 762.02 | 10.53 | 4.20 | 8.51 | 8.49 |
| | May | 398.50 | 100.49 | 25.10 | 35.75 | 116.50 | 676.34 | 8.47 | 3.36 | 8.50 | 8.48 |
| | Jun | 390.51 | 145.00 | 30.65 | 32.50 | 183.65 | 782.31 | 6.23 | 4.54 | 8.33 | 8.31 |
| | Jul | 211.75 | 71.44 | 2.00 | 32.50 | 224.55 | 542.24 | 5.09 | 3.77 | 8.24 | 8.23 |
| | Aug | 170.43 | 80.40 | 11.00 | 105.50 | 173.75 | 541.08 | 4.25 | 4.71 | 7.60 | 7.59 |
| | Sep | 157.33 | 153.15 | 1.75 | 35.75 | 112.05 | 460.03 | 5.63 | 3.15 | 7.52 | 7.50 |
| | Oct | 161.54 | 93.86 | 10.80 | 60.50 | 107.36 | 434.06 | 6.18 | 4.73 | 7.39 | 7.37 |
| | Nov | 167.61 | 162.19 | 36.93 | 43.00 | 129.91 | 539.64 | 6.01 | 3.65 | 7.09 | 7.07 |
| | Dec | 234.85 | 77.45 | 26.60 | 23.05 | 132.85 | 494.80 | 5.56 | 4.59 | 6.27 | 6.25 |
| | 2018 | Jan | 97.64 | 68.50 | 86.50 | 40.25 | 151.00 | 443.89 | 3.80 | 3.09 | 5.95 |
| Feb | | 142.29 | 151.26 | 45.02 | 32.50 | 130.35 | 501.42 | 6.46 | 3.27 | 6.09 | 6.07 |

(a) Annualised Forward Premium (f^d) is computed using the following formula.

$$f^d = \{ [F_t^T - S_t] / S_t \} * 100 * (12/T)$$

Where F_t^T is the forward rate for period t that exists in period T ($T = 1, 3$) and S_t is the interbank spot rate at period t .

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR
TABLE 54
Monetary Aggregates – M₁ and M₂

Rs. million

| End of Period | Currency | | | | Demand Deposits | | | | Narrow Money Supply (M ₁) (3)+(7) | Time and Savings Deposits held by the Public (10) | Broad Money Supply (M ₂) (e) (9)+(10) |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---|--|---|
| | Held by the Government (a) | Held by Banks | Held by the Public | Total | Held by the Government (b) | Held by Banks (c) | Held by the Public | Total (d) | | | |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (1)+(2)+(3) (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (5)+(6)+(7) (8) | | | |
| 2015 (f) | ... | 103,643 | 388,057 | 491,700 | 44,605 | 628,103 | 326,931 | 999,640 | 714,988 | 3,342,224 | 4,057,212 |
| 2016 | ... | 123,276 | 429,502 | 552,778 | 41,995 | 626,134 | 347,123 | 1,015,251 | 776,624 | 4,046,935 | 4,823,559 |
| 2017 | ... | 158,658 | 439,396 | 598,054 | 47,140 | 690,336 | 353,903 | 1,091,379 | 793,299 | 4,872,014 | 5,665,313 |
| 2016 1st Quarter | ... | 137,807 | 405,670 | 543,476 | 34,827 | 637,311 | 323,936 | 996,075 | 729,606 | 3,476,793 | 4,206,399 |
| 2nd Quarter | ... | 114,763 | 392,780 | 507,543 | 32,401 | 572,060 | 312,842 | 917,302 | 705,622 | 3,604,861 | 4,310,482 |
| 3rd Quarter | ... | 116,537 | 407,678 | 524,215 | 33,632 | 689,232 | 321,645 | 1,044,510 | 729,323 | 3,822,617 | 4,551,940 |
| 4th Quarter | ... | 123,276 | 429,502 | 552,778 | 41,995 | 626,134 | 347,123 | 1,015,251 | 776,624 | 4,046,935 | 4,823,559 |
| 2017 1st Quarter | ... | 140,154 | 443,916 | 584,070 | 32,605 | 522,765 | 338,109 | 893,479 | 782,025 | 4,314,178 | 5,096,203 |
| 2nd Quarter | ... | 136,647 | 426,123 | 562,770 | 34,000 | 773,833 | 327,767 | 1,135,600 | 753,890 | 4,527,527 | 5,281,417 |
| 3rd Quarter | ... | 140,202 | 434,153 | 574,355 | 33,216 | 651,394 | 320,465 | 1,005,076 | 754,618 | 4,748,531 | 5,503,149 |
| 4th Quarter | ... | 158,658 | 439,396 | 598,054 | 47,140 | 690,336 | 353,903 | 1,091,379 | 793,299 | 4,872,014 | 5,665,313 |
| 2017 February | ... | 130,585 | 415,210 | 545,795 | 34,146 | 618,712 | 329,386 | 982,243 | 744,595 | 4,206,718 | 4,951,313 |
| March | ... | 140,154 | 443,916 | 584,070 | 32,605 | 522,765 | 338,109 | 893,479 | 782,025 | 4,314,178 | 5,096,203 |
| April | ... | 145,598 | 434,469 | 580,066 | 31,600 | 535,229 | 330,727 | 897,557 | 765,196 | 4,381,608 | 5,146,804 |
| May | ... | 141,035 | 419,537 | 560,572 | 34,722 | 759,703 | 322,244 | 1,116,668 | 741,781 | 4,472,600 | 5,214,381 |
| June | ... | 136,647 | 426,123 | 562,770 | 34,000 | 773,833 | 327,767 | 1,135,600 | 753,890 | 4,527,527 | 5,281,417 |
| July | ... | 134,627 | 430,824 | 565,451 | 35,695 | 659,674 | 337,604 | 1,032,973 | 768,428 | 4,598,575 | 5,367,003 |
| August | ... | 140,142 | 441,553 | 581,695 | 37,862 | 737,128 | 317,584 | 1,092,574 | 759,137 | 4,663,899 | 5,423,037 |
| September | ... | 140,202 | 434,153 | 574,355 | 33,216 | 651,394 | 320,465 | 1,005,076 | 754,618 | 4,748,531 | 5,503,149 |
| October | ... | 151,378 | 423,667 | 575,045 | 36,531 | 675,844 | 319,523 | 1,031,898 | 743,190 | 4,789,317 | 5,532,506 |
| November | ... | 145,486 | 430,114 | 575,600 | 37,184 | 613,532 | 321,177 | 971,893 | 751,291 | 4,798,657 | 5,549,947 |
| December | ... | 158,658 | 439,396 | 598,054 | 47,140 | 690,336 | 353,903 | 1,091,379 | 793,299 | 4,872,014 | 5,665,313 |
| 2018 January | ... | 156,949 | 430,985 | 587,933 | 39,644 | 635,913 | 342,431 | 1,017,987 | 773,416 | 4,965,598 | 5,739,014 |
| February | ... | 153,618 | 439,364 | 592,982 | 35,803 | 678,304 | 331,481 | 1,045,589 | 770,845 | 5,055,851 | 5,826,696 |

(a) Currency held by the Treasury and the District Secretariats.

(b) Demand deposits of the government held with commercial banks and the Central Bank.

(c) Interbank deposits, both local and foreign, including deposits of international organisations and commercial banks with the Central Bank.

(d) Total demand deposits held by the Central Bank and commercial banks.

 (e) M₂ equals currency held by the public plus rupee denominated demand, savings and time deposits held by the public.

(f) 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.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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Monetary Survey – M₂^(a)

TABLE 55

Rs. million

| End of Period | Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities) | | Net Foreign Assets (b) | | | Net Domestic Assets | | | | | | | | | | | | Reserve Money (RM) | Money Multiplier | |
|---------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------|-----------|---------|-----------|--|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------|
| | Narrow Money Supply (M ₁) (c) | Broad Money Supply (M ₂) (5)+(14)-(17) | Monetary Authorities | Commercial Banks | Total (3)+(4) | Domestic Assets | | | | | | | | Net Other Liabilities | | | M ₁ / RM | | M ₂ / RM | |
| | | | | | | Central Bank of Sri Lanka | | | Commercial Banks | | | | | Gross Domestic Assets (8)+(11)+(12)+(13) | Monetary Authorities | Commercial Banks | | Total (15)+(16) | | |
| | Claims on Govt. | Deposits of the Govt. | Net Credit to the Govt. (d) (6)-(7) | Claims on Govt. | Deposits of the Govt. | Net Credit to the Govt. (d) (9)-(10) | Credit to Public Corporations | Credit to Private Sector | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | | | | |
| 2015 (e) | 714,988 | 4,057,212 | 576,187 | -369,264 | 206,923 | 230,349 | 423 | 229,926 | 1,231,199 | 73,332 | 1,157,867 | 261,815 | 3,178,372 | 4,827,980 | 314,407 | 663,283 | 977,690 | 673,432 | 1.06 | 6.02 |
| 2016 | 776,624 | 4,823,559 | 558,589 | -391,478 | 167,111 | 413,350 | 333 | 413,016 | 1,312,589 | 58,080 | 1,254,509 | 308,382 | 3,873,197 | 5,849,104 | 418,710 | 773,946 | 1,192,656 | 856,147 | 0.91 | 5.63 |
| 2017 | 793,299 | 5,665,313 | 846,139 | -311,276 | 534,863 | 225,377 | 297 | 225,080 | 1,651,443 | 74,816 | 1,576,627 | 342,354 | 4,471,965 | 6,616,026 | 473,138 | 1,012,438 | 1,485,576 | 939,793 | 0.84 | 6.03 |
| 2016 Q1 | 729,606 | 4,206,399 | 473,939 | -391,830 | 82,110 | 406,957 | 400 | 406,556 | 1,205,740 | 64,494 | 1,141,246 | 261,871 | 3,360,643 | 5,170,316 | 337,012 | 709,014 | 1,046,026 | 791,618 | 0.92 | 5.31 |
| Q2 | 705,622 | 4,310,482 | 413,540 | -410,098 | 3,442 | 456,551 | 467 | 456,084 | 1,209,692 | 52,082 | 1,157,611 | 270,472 | 3,514,055 | 5,398,221 | 362,074 | 729,107 | 1,091,181 | 757,159 | 0.93 | 5.69 |
| Q3 | 729,323 | 4,551,940 | 498,475 | -353,252 | 145,223 | 397,858 | 422 | 397,436 | 1,272,824 | 56,925 | 1,215,899 | 276,740 | 3,668,292 | 5,558,367 | 371,679 | 779,970 | 1,151,649 | 793,736 | 0.92 | 5.73 |
| Q4 | 776,624 | 4,823,559 | 558,589 | -391,478 | 167,111 | 413,350 | 333 | 413,016 | 1,312,589 | 58,080 | 1,254,509 | 308,382 | 3,873,197 | 5,849,104 | 418,710 | 773,946 | 1,192,656 | 856,147 | 0.91 | 5.63 |
| 2017 Q1 | 782,025 | 5,096,203 | 536,729 | -372,473 | 164,256 | 467,015 | 249 | 466,766 | 1,413,753 | 60,773 | 1,352,981 | 323,044 | 4,047,149 | 6,189,941 | 419,408 | 838,585 | 1,257,993 | 892,164 | 0.88 | 5.71 |
| Q2 | 753,890 | 5,281,417 | 598,060 | -318,021 | 280,039 | 411,061 | 195 | 410,866 | 1,517,889 | 63,152 | 1,454,737 | 333,671 | 4,167,068 | 6,366,342 | 446,142 | 918,822 | 1,364,964 | 891,639 | 0.85 | 5.92 |
| Q3 | 754,618 | 5,503,149 | 776,194 | -331,934 | 444,259 | 252,864 | 264 | 252,600 | 1,666,157 | 62,757 | 1,603,399 | 322,149 | 4,316,749 | 6,494,897 | 454,421 | 981,586 | 1,436,007 | 909,006 | 0.83 | 6.05 |
| Q4 | 793,299 | 5,665,313 | 846,139 | -311,276 | 534,863 | 225,377 | 297 | 225,080 | 1,651,443 | 74,816 | 1,576,627 | 342,354 | 4,471,965 | 6,616,026 | 473,138 | 1,012,438 | 1,485,576 | 939,793 | 0.84 | 6.03 |
| 2017 Feb | 744,595 | 4,951,313 | 486,567 | -377,141 | 109,425 | 456,216 | 277 | 455,939 | 1,443,384 | 62,851 | 1,380,534 | 320,073 | 3,947,434 | 6,103,980 | 396,694 | 865,398 | 1,262,092 | 847,628 | 0.88 | 5.84 |
| Mar | 782,025 | 5,096,203 | 536,729 | -372,473 | 164,256 | 467,015 | 249 | 466,766 | 1,413,753 | 60,773 | 1,352,981 | 323,044 | 4,047,149 | 6,189,941 | 419,408 | 838,585 | 1,257,993 | 892,164 | 0.88 | 5.71 |
| Apr | 765,196 | 5,146,804 | 511,189 | -320,944 | 190,245 | 477,511 | 404 | 477,107 | 1,405,834 | 57,492 | 1,348,342 | 321,412 | 4,067,078 | 6,213,939 | 408,214 | 849,166 | 1,257,380 | 885,560 | 0.86 | 5.81 |
| May | 741,781 | 5,214,381 | 544,025 | -319,881 | 224,144 | 414,956 | 306 | 414,650 | 1,518,705 | 65,209 | 1,453,496 | 330,934 | 4,100,396 | 6,299,476 | 398,087 | 911,152 | 1,309,239 | 859,794 | 0.86 | 6.06 |
| Jun | 753,890 | 5,281,417 | 598,060 | -318,021 | 280,039 | 411,061 | 195 | 410,866 | 1,517,889 | 63,152 | 1,454,737 | 333,671 | 4,167,068 | 6,366,342 | 446,142 | 918,822 | 1,364,964 | 891,639 | 0.85 | 5.92 |
| Jul | 768,428 | 5,367,003 | 674,096 | -325,843 | 348,253 | 339,803 | 258 | 339,545 | 1,612,329 | 63,851 | 1,548,478 | 325,035 | 4,211,674 | 6,424,733 | 448,174 | 957,809 | 1,405,983 | 894,630 | 0.86 | 6.00 |
| Aug | 759,137 | 5,423,037 | 745,768 | -346,594 | 399,174 | 293,853 | 308 | 293,545 | 1,646,012 | 67,922 | 1,578,091 | 323,315 | 4,263,124 | 6,458,074 | 457,606 | 976,606 | 1,434,212 | 911,389 | 0.83 | 5.95 |
| Sep | 754,618 | 5,503,149 | 776,194 | -331,934 | 444,259 | 252,864 | 264 | 252,600 | 1,666,157 | 62,757 | 1,603,399 | 322,149 | 4,316,749 | 6,494,897 | 454,421 | 981,586 | 1,436,007 | 909,006 | 0.83 | 6.05 |
| Oct | 743,190 | 5,532,506 | 792,196 | -326,228 | 465,968 | 247,393 | 515 | 246,878 | 1,665,970 | 63,959 | 1,602,011 | 320,603 | 4,352,230 | 6,521,721 | 464,005 | 991,178 | 1,455,183 | 915,381 | 0.81 | 6.04 |
| Nov | 751,291 | 5,549,947 | 824,660 | -336,013 | 488,648 | 210,620 | 540 | 210,080 | 1,646,555 | 65,688 | 1,580,868 | 317,901 | 4,416,087 | 6,524,935 | 459,116 | 1,004,519 | 1,463,636 | 911,617 | 0.82 | 6.09 |
| Dec | 793,299 | 5,665,313 | 846,139 | -311,276 | 534,863 | 225,377 | 297 | 225,080 | 1,651,443 | 74,816 | 1,576,627 | 342,354 | 4,471,965 | 6,616,026 | 473,138 | 1,012,438 | 1,485,576 | 939,793 | 0.84 | 6.03 |
| 2018 Jan | 773,416 | 5,739,014 | 863,682 | -300,886 | 562,796 | 232,786 | 236 | 232,550 | 1,694,824 | 69,718 | 1,625,107 | 339,545 | 4,504,140 | 6,701,342 | 508,272 | 1,016,853 | 1,525,125 | 929,983 | 0.83 | 6.17 |
| Feb | 770,845 | 5,826,696 | 869,190 | -283,822 | 585,368 | 225,818 | 242 | 225,577 | 1,719,618 | 65,989 | 1,653,629 | 355,831 | 4,545,900 | 6,780,937 | 501,761 | 1,037,848 | 1,539,609 | 938,134 | 0.82 | 6.21 |

(a) M₂ includes Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of commercial banks.

(b) Foreign assets (net) of the Central Bank and commercial banks (including outward bills).

(c) Currency and demand deposits held by the public.

(d) This includes NFA of the Central Bank as well as the government Crown Agent's balance reported by the Department of State Accounts.

(e) 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.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 56

Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

| End of Period | Assets | | | | | | | | | | Total Assets/ Liabilities | International Reserve as a percentage of Currency and Deposit Liabilities | |
|---------------|--|--|------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------|---|---------------------------|------------------------------|---|----|
| | International Reserve | | | | | | Domestic Assets | | | | | | |
| | Cash and Bank Balances Abroad including Treasury bills | Foreign Government and Non-Governmental Securities (a) | Special Drawing Rights | IMF Related Assets | Receivables | Total | Loans and Advances to | | Government and Government Guaranteed Securities (b) | Other Assets and Accounts | | | |
| | | | | | | | Government | Other | | | | | |
| 2015 | 666,961 | 376,041 | 970 | 82,666 | 36 | 1,126,674 | 151,132 | 886 | 79,217 | 68,349 | 1,426,259 | 92 | |
| 2016 | 548,126 | 378,427 | 303 | 116,705 | 6,238 | 1,049,800 | 83,307 | 484 | 330,043 | 65,577 | 1,529,210 | 78 | |
| 2017 | 601,551 | 596,218 | 677 | 126,161 | 3,807 | 1,328,413 | 199,801 | 224 | 25,576 | 50,819 | 1,604,834 | 93 | |
| 2016 | Q1 | 613,088 | 326,962 | 1,001 | 117,480 | 17 | 1,058,548 | 184,743 | 886 | 222,213 | 45,611 | 1,512,001 | 77 |
| | Q2 | 460,860 | 287,055 | 597 | 117,743 | 1,483 | 867,738 | 182,744 | 677 | 273,807 | 40,685 | 1,365,651 | 72 |
| | Q3 | 605,319 | 325,525 | 599 | 118,685 | 2,575 | 1,052,703 | 184,802 | 676 | 213,056 | 40,304 | 1,491,542 | 78 |
| | Q4 | 548,126 | 378,427 | 303 | 116,705 | 6,238 | 1,049,800 | 83,307 | 484 | 330,043 | 65,577 | 1,529,210 | 78 |
| 2017 | Q1 | 433,619 | 347,329 | 22 | 119,314 | 4,470 | 904,754 | 203,640 | 483 | 263,375 | 43,020 | 1,415,273 | 72 |
| | Q2 | 706,294 | 410,959 | 38 | 123,782 | 44,607 | 1,285,679 | 196,976 | 305 | 214,086 | 40,332 | 1,737,376 | 81 |
| | Q3 | 628,052 | 592,839 | 350 | 125,400 | 20,354 | 1,366,996 | 203,770 | 331 | 49,094 | 53,837 | 1,674,027 | 91 |
| | Q4 | 601,551 | 596,218 | 677 | 126,161 | 3,807 | 1,328,413 | 199,801 | 224 | 25,576 | 50,819 | 1,604,834 | 93 |
| 2017 | February | 520,894 | 353,814 | 21 | 118,673 | 6,577 | 999,979 | 202,819 | 484 | 253,397 | 44,627 | 1,501,306 | 73 |
| | March | 433,619 | 347,329 | 22 | 119,314 | 4,470 | 904,754 | 203,640 | 483 | 263,375 | 43,020 | 1,415,273 | 72 |
| | April | 399,659 | 347,150 | 332 | 120,691 | 10,960 | 878,792 | 203,752 | 483 | 273,760 | 40,435 | 1,397,221 | 70 |
| | May | 670,272 | 341,820 | 29 | 122,343 | 5,878 | 1,140,343 | 203,654 | 483 | 211,302 | 48,992 | 1,604,775 | 78 |
| | June | 706,294 | 410,959 | 38 | 123,782 | 44,607 | 1,285,679 | 196,976 | 305 | 214,086 | 40,332 | 1,737,376 | 81 |
| | July | 633,499 | 478,697 | 714 | 125,415 | 14,683 | 1,253,008 | 202,890 | 332 | 136,913 | 40,687 | 1,633,830 | 85 |
| | August | 660,865 | 519,587 | 349 | 125,186 | 12,466 | 1,318,454 | 203,653 | 332 | 90,200 | 61,428 | 1,674,067 | 89 |
| | September | 628,052 | 592,839 | 350 | 125,400 | 20,354 | 1,366,996 | 203,770 | 331 | 49,094 | 53,837 | 1,674,027 | 91 |
| | October | 561,922 | 592,805 | 349 | 125,037 | 17,889 | 1,298,002 | 203,654 | 331 | 43,739 | 55,421 | 1,601,147 | 91 |
| | November | 549,234 | 602,841 | 362 | 126,136 | 15,852 | 1,294,426 | 203,612 | 331 | 7,007 | 61,702 | 1,567,078 | 94 |
| | December | 601,551 | 596,218 | 677 | 126,161 | 3,807 | 1,328,413 | 199,801 | 224 | 25,576 | 50,819 | 1,604,834 | 93 |
| 2018 | January | 508,238 | 716,925 | 696 | 129,680 | 5,492 | 1,361,030 | 224,737 | 224 | 8,049 | 57,727 | 1,651,767 | 95 |
| | February | 489,439 | 737,518 | 82 | 129,778 | 2,529 | 1,359,347 | 224,753 | 224 | 1,065 | 54,592 | 1,639,981 | 95 |

(a) Includes securities acquired from government institutions.

(b) Government and government guaranteed securities are on fair value basis.

(Contd.)

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TABLE 56 (Contd.)

Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

| End of Period | Liabilities | | | | | | | | | | | | | Other Liabilities and Accounts |
|---------------|-----------------|---------|--------|----------------------|----------------------|---------|----------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|---|-------|-----------|--------------------------------|
| | Capital Account | | | Currency Issued | | | Securities Outstanding (c) | Deposits | | | | | Total | |
| | Capital | Surplus | Total | Notes in Circulation | Coins in Circulation | Total | | Government | Government Agencies and Institutions | Commercial Banks | International Organisations, Foreign Governments and Foreign Banking Institutions | Other | | |
| 2015 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 481,969 | 9,731 | 491,700 | 0 | 423 | 5 | 181,727 | 550,504 | 3 | 732,662 | 151,897 |
| 2016 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 541,460 | 11,318 | 552,778 | 0 | 333 | 118 | 303,251 | 491,221 | 4 | 794,927 | 131,505 |
| 2017 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 585,328 | 12,726 | 598,054 | 0 | 297 | 27 | 341,712 | 482,312 | 4 | 824,353 | 132,426 |
| 2016 Q1 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 533,268 | 10,208 | 543,476 | 0 | 400 | 7 | 248,135 | 584,621 | 5 | 833,168 | 85,357 |
| Q2 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 496,947 | 10,597 | 507,543 | 0 | 467 | 6 | 249,609 | 454,218 | 4 | 704,304 | 103,803 |
| Q3 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 513,304 | 10,911 | 524,215 | 0 | 422 | 17 | 269,505 | 554,234 | 5 | 824,182 | 93,145 |
| Q4 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 541,460 | 11,318 | 552,778 | 0 | 333 | 118 | 303,251 | 491,221 | 4 | 794,927 | 131,505 |
| 2017 Q1 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 572,269 | 11,801 | 584,070 | 0 | 249 | 17 | 308,077 | 368,069 | 6 | 676,418 | 104,785 |
| Q2 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 550,655 | 12,115 | 562,770 | 0 | 195 | 15 | 328,854 | 687,643 | 4 | 1,016,710 | 107,896 |
| Q3 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 561,929 | 12,426 | 574,355 | 0 | 264 | 18 | 334,634 | 590,820 | 4 | 925,740 | 123,933 |
| Q4 | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 585,328 | 12,726 | 598,054 | 0 | 297 | 27 | 341,712 | 482,312 | 4 | 824,353 | 132,426 |
| 2017 February | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 534,238 | 11,557 | 545,795 | 0 | 277 | 17 | 301,816 | 513,440 | 9 | 815,558 | 89,953 |
| March | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 572,269 | 11,801 | 584,070 | 0 | 249 | 17 | 308,077 | 368,069 | 6 | 676,418 | 104,785 |
| April | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 568,152 | 11,914 | 580,066 | 0 | 404 | 16 | 305,477 | 367,647 | 18 | 673,563 | 93,592 |
| May | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 548,549 | 12,023 | 560,572 | 0 | 306 | 16 | 299,206 | 596,349 | 9 | 895,885 | 98,317 |
| June | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 550,655 | 12,115 | 562,770 | 0 | 195 | 15 | 328,854 | 687,643 | 4 | 1,016,710 | 107,896 |
| July | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 553,234 | 12,217 | 565,451 | 0 | 258 | 16 | 329,163 | 578,941 | 4 | 908,382 | 109,997 |
| August | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 569,375 | 12,320 | 581,695 | 0 | 308 | 13 | 329,682 | 572,714 | 5 | 902,722 | 139,650 |
| September | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 561,929 | 12,426 | 574,355 | 0 | 264 | 18 | 334,634 | 590,820 | 4 | 925,740 | 123,933 |
| October | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 562,545 | 12,500 | 575,045 | 0 | 515 | 24 | 340,313 | 505,834 | 5 | 846,691 | 129,412 |
| November | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 562,988 | 12,612 | 575,600 | 0 | 540 | 24 | 335,994 | 469,795 | 7 | 806,360 | 135,119 |
| December | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 585,328 | 12,726 | 598,054 | 0 | 297 | 27 | 341,712 | 482,312 | 4 | 824,353 | 132,426 |
| 2018 January | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 575,095 | 12,838 | 587,933 | 0 | 236 | 27 | 342,023 | 497,380 | 6 | 839,671 | 174,163 |
| February | 50,000 | 0 | 50,000 | 580,069 | 12,913 | 592,982 | 0 | 242 | 24 | 345,128 | 490,171 | 3 | 835,569 | 161,430 |

(c) Central Bank's own securities issued under section 91(1)(b) of the Monetary Law Act.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 57
Assets and Liabilities of Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of the Commercial Banks^(a)

| | | Assets | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. million | | | |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| End of Period | | Cash in Hand | Due from Central Bank | Due from Domestic Banks | Cash Items in Process of Collection | Foreign Currency on Hand and Balances due from Banks Abroad | Investments | | | Loans and Advances | | | | | Fixed and Other Assets (b) | Total Assets or Liabilities | % of Liquid Assets to Demand Deposits (c) | % of Loans & Adv. to Total Deposits | | |
| | | | | | | | Sri Lanka Obligations | Govt. Securities | Other Investments | Bills and Local | Purchased Imports | Over-drafts Exports | Loans | Total | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Treasury bills | Treasury bonds |
| 2015 (d) | | 103,643 | 199,646 | 80,582 | 17,591 | 359,740 | 325,001 | 505,208 | 236,285 | 123,468 | 484 | 4,754 | 13,791 | 605,893 | 2,852,731 | 3,477,653 | 269,706 | 5,698,522 | 389.3 | 81.1 |
| 2016 | | 123,276 | 308,671 | 74,813 | 20,289 | 432,933 | 227,517 | 692,336 | 244,969 | 117,209 | 1,407 | 4,785 | 13,871 | 707,018 | 3,478,638 | 4,205,719 | 234,850 | 6,682,581 | 445.6 | 82.8 |
| 2017 | | 158,658 | 341,828 | 78,804 | 24,048 | 525,901 | 428,452 | 736,650 | 285,811 | 116,741 | 1,712 | 6,282 | 16,717 | 864,011 | 4,002,056 | 4,890,777 | 237,169 | 7,824,839 | 521.0 | 81.6 |
| 2016 | Q1 | 137,807 | 250,759 | 45,493 | 17,602 | 387,014 | 243,356 | 515,622 | 262,882 | 123,993 | 966 | 5,337 | 12,759 | 664,281 | 2,994,214 | 3,677,557 | 266,747 | 5,928,832 | 413.0 | 82.5 |
| | Q2 | 114,763 | 258,230 | 39,171 | 16,172 | 372,590 | 238,979 | 572,557 | 258,543 | 120,453 | 1,024 | 5,920 | 10,337 | 647,858 | 3,132,715 | 3,797,854 | 256,431 | 6,045,741 | 436.1 | 83.3 |
| | Q3 | 116,537 | 273,498 | 50,861 | 18,882 | 410,409 | 279,857 | 616,295 | 241,230 | 121,107 | 1,346 | 5,571 | 14,507 | 649,424 | 3,284,143 | 3,954,991 | 228,254 | 6,311,922 | 463.2 | 82.5 |
| | Q4 | 123,276 | 308,671 | 74,813 | 20,289 | 432,933 | 227,517 | 692,336 | 244,969 | 117,209 | 1,407 | 4,785 | 13,871 | 707,018 | 3,478,638 | 4,205,719 | 234,850 | 6,682,581 | 445.6 | 82.8 |
| 2017 | Q1 | 140,154 | 318,155 | 54,809 | 19,814 | 426,719 | 315,578 | 680,556 | 252,963 | 114,260 | 2,144 | 7,367 | 13,996 | 770,483 | 3,620,781 | 4,414,771 | 238,295 | 6,976,074 | 486.8 | 82.8 |
| | Q2 | 136,647 | 334,613 | 33,626 | 20,243 | 480,570 | 400,548 | 636,216 | 290,616 | 118,343 | 1,575 | 7,264 | 15,474 | 821,379 | 3,722,445 | 4,568,138 | 229,291 | 7,248,848 | 525.4 | 82.2 |
| | Q3 | 140,202 | 338,617 | 48,241 | 20,868 | 467,022 | 483,744 | 707,605 | 285,065 | 120,224 | 1,860 | 7,066 | 17,901 | 839,316 | 3,839,307 | 4,705,450 | 242,137 | 7,559,175 | 577.6 | 81.2 |
| | Q4 | 158,658 | 341,828 | 78,804 | 24,048 | 525,901 | 428,452 | 736,650 | 285,811 | 116,741 | 1,712 | 6,282 | 16,717 | 864,011 | 4,002,056 | 4,890,777 | 237,169 | 7,824,839 | 521.0 | 81.6 |
| 2017 | February | 130,585 | 301,056 | 51,627 | 20,924 | 434,691 | 341,103 | 676,755 | 255,551 | 118,906 | 2,468 | 7,237 | 13,827 | 769,428 | 3,518,520 | 4,311,480 | 224,238 | 6,866,917 | 500.0 | 82.7 |
| | March | 140,154 | 318,155 | 54,809 | 19,814 | 426,719 | 315,578 | 680,556 | 252,963 | 114,260 | 2,144 | 7,367 | 13,996 | 770,483 | 3,620,781 | 4,414,771 | 238,295 | 6,976,074 | 486.8 | 82.8 |
| | April | 145,598 | 312,266 | 56,730 | 20,058 | 485,490 | 301,572 | 686,255 | 243,212 | 116,570 | 1,568 | 6,672 | 12,905 | 783,208 | 3,635,209 | 4,439,562 | 248,733 | 7,056,045 | 512.4 | 82.3 |
| | May | 141,035 | 306,690 | 62,657 | 18,468 | 478,232 | 352,457 | 721,501 | 280,408 | 116,703 | 1,757 | 7,819 | 14,341 | 783,399 | 3,667,522 | 4,474,839 | 202,015 | 7,155,004 | 535.9 | 81.6 |
| | June | 136,647 | 334,613 | 33,626 | 20,243 | 480,570 | 400,548 | 636,216 | 290,616 | 118,343 | 1,575 | 7,264 | 15,474 | 821,379 | 3,722,445 | 4,568,138 | 229,291 | 7,248,848 | 525.4 | 82.2 |
| | July | 134,627 | 333,718 | 38,058 | 20,007 | 472,929 | 450,465 | 665,370 | 290,567 | 120,788 | 1,660 | 7,009 | 15,957 | 839,260 | 3,753,913 | 4,617,799 | 220,936 | 7,365,264 | 530.1 | 81.6 |
| | August | 140,142 | 336,644 | 31,407 | 21,682 | 461,818 | 482,880 | 677,621 | 284,498 | 120,686 | 1,717 | 6,213 | 16,116 | 841,833 | 3,795,321 | 4,661,200 | 217,072 | 7,435,650 | 564.0 | 81.6 |
| | September | 140,202 | 338,617 | 48,241 | 20,868 | 467,022 | 483,744 | 707,605 | 285,065 | 120,224 | 1,860 | 7,066 | 17,901 | 839,316 | 3,839,307 | 4,705,450 | 242,137 | 7,559,175 | 577.6 | 81.2 |
| | October | 151,378 | 344,009 | 53,271 | 20,637 | 468,733 | 467,173 | 707,017 | 285,781 | 124,679 | 1,509 | 6,525 | 18,800 | 865,787 | 3,859,693 | 4,752,315 | 221,352 | 7,596,346 | 576.5 | 81.4 |
| | November | 145,486 | 335,285 | 55,793 | 21,939 | 486,509 | 457,554 | 702,991 | 286,264 | 123,193 | 1,460 | 7,457 | 17,826 | 872,102 | 3,907,583 | 4,806,428 | 243,740 | 7,665,183 | 564.2 | 81.9 |
| | December | 158,658 | 341,828 | 78,804 | 24,048 | 525,901 | 428,452 | 736,650 | 285,811 | 116,741 | 1,712 | 6,282 | 16,717 | 864,011 | 4,002,056 | 4,890,777 | 237,169 | 7,824,839 | 521.0 | 81.6 |
| 2018 | January | 156,949 | 355,528 | 54,489 | 22,862 | 528,217 | 481,032 | 742,823 | 299,494 | 130,885 | 1,650 | 7,412 | 15,278 | 832,840 | 4,019,510 | 4,876,690 | 260,297 | 7,909,268 | 560.1 | 80.5 |
| | February | 153,618 | 351,828 | 65,276 | 22,760 | 527,665 | 493,019 | 735,588 | 305,324 | 130,512 | 1,748 | 9,639 | 15,234 | 858,105 | 4,064,654 | 4,949,380 | 271,310 | 8,006,281 | 582.7 | 80.9 |

(a) The number of reporting banks was 23 from August 2011, 24 from December 2011 and 25 from April 2014.

(b) Fixed and other assets consists of banks' property, furniture, fittings and sundries (commission, interest receivables etc.)

(c) Liquid assets consist of Cash on hand, Balances due from Central Bank, Foreign currency on hand and Balances due from banks abroad, Government of Sri Lanka Treasury bills and bills discounted. Balances due from domestic banks and cash items in process of collection have been excluded from liquid assets and domestic inter-bank deposits have been excluded from demand deposits, because from the view point of the commercial banking system as a whole such claims and deposits cancel out.

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

(Contd.)

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Assets and Liabilities of Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of the Commercial Banks

TABLE 57 (Contd.)

Rs. million

| End of Period | Liabilities | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|-----------------|----------|-------------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|------------------|-----------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|
| | Paid-up Capital Reserve Funds and Undistributed Profits | Demand Deposits | | | | | Time and Savings Deposits | | | Total Deposits | | | Borrowings | | Other Liabilities |
| | | Interbank | | Government of Sri Lanka | Residents | Non Residents | Government of Sri Lanka | Residents | Non Residents | Demand | Time and Savings | Total | Domestic InterBank (e) | Foreign | |
| | | Domes-tic | Fore-ign | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 (d) | 608,898 | 857 | 8,683 | 44,182 | 326,926 | 8,645 | 29,150 | 3,342,224 | 529,750 | 389,293 | 3,901,124 | 4,290,417 | 182,212 | 195,717 | 421,277 |
| 2016 | 716,963 | 161 | 8,761 | 41,661 | 347,005 | 7,563 | 16,419 | 4,046,935 | 609,584 | 405,152 | 4,672,937 | 5,078,090 | 206,131 | 212,374 | 469,025 |
| 2017 | 850,931 | 478 | 15,715 | 46,843 | 353,876 | 8,910 | 27,973 | 4,872,014 | 666,884 | 425,822 | 5,566,871 | 5,992,693 | 254,942 | 162,385 | 563,888 |
| 2016 Q1 | 632,325 | 154 | 8,689 | 34,427 | 323,929 | 9,133 | 30,067 | 3,476,793 | 576,207 | 376,331 | 4,083,067 | 4,459,399 | 204,758 | 197,574 | 434,776 |
| Q2 | 649,778 | 252 | 8,212 | 31,934 | 312,835 | 8,033 | 20,148 | 3,604,861 | 571,854 | 361,267 | 4,196,862 | 4,558,129 | 177,713 | 204,926 | 455,196 |
| Q3 | 672,458 | 186 | 8,591 | 33,210 | 321,629 | 7,437 | 23,715 | 3,822,617 | 576,162 | 371,053 | 4,422,494 | 4,793,547 | 199,570 | 185,979 | 460,369 |
| Q4 | 716,963 | 161 | 8,761 | 41,661 | 347,005 | 7,563 | 16,419 | 4,046,935 | 609,584 | 405,152 | 4,672,937 | 5,078,090 | 206,131 | 212,374 | 469,025 |
| 2017 Q1 | 725,702 | 109 | 10,242 | 32,356 | 338,092 | 10,576 | 28,416 | 4,314,178 | 600,748 | 391,375 | 4,943,343 | 5,334,717 | 206,071 | 191,622 | 517,963 |
| Q2 | 766,007 | 114 | 12,605 | 33,805 | 327,752 | 8,935 | 29,347 | 4,527,527 | 619,324 | 383,211 | 5,176,198 | 5,559,408 | 220,997 | 173,202 | 529,233 |
| Q3 | 812,443 | 164 | 10,842 | 32,952 | 320,448 | 10,383 | 29,805 | 4,748,531 | 639,039 | 374,788 | 5,417,376 | 5,792,164 | 232,893 | 156,594 | 565,081 |
| Q4 | 850,931 | 478 | 15,715 | 46,843 | 353,876 | 8,910 | 27,973 | 4,872,014 | 666,884 | 425,822 | 5,566,871 | 5,992,693 | 254,942 | 162,385 | 563,888 |
| 2017 February | 713,905 | 172 | 9,746 | 33,869 | 329,368 | 8,580 | 28,981 | 4,206,718 | 597,423 | 381,735 | 4,833,122 | 5,214,857 | 208,519 | 209,910 | 519,725 |
| March | 725,702 | 109 | 10,242 | 32,356 | 338,092 | 10,576 | 28,416 | 4,314,178 | 600,748 | 391,375 | 4,943,343 | 5,334,717 | 206,071 | 191,622 | 517,963 |
| April | 736,489 | 176 | 9,741 | 31,196 | 330,711 | 9,394 | 26,296 | 4,381,608 | 607,454 | 381,218 | 5,015,359 | 5,396,577 | 210,675 | 192,749 | 519,554 |
| May | 746,146 | 175 | 9,864 | 34,416 | 322,228 | 11,139 | 30,793 | 4,472,600 | 605,978 | 377,822 | 5,109,371 | 5,487,193 | 214,982 | 185,474 | 521,210 |
| June | 766,007 | 114 | 12,605 | 33,805 | 327,752 | 8,935 | 29,347 | 4,527,527 | 619,324 | 383,211 | 5,176,198 | 5,559,408 | 220,997 | 173,202 | 529,233 |
| July | 784,654 | 188 | 10,455 | 35,437 | 337,588 | 9,212 | 28,413 | 4,598,575 | 641,556 | 392,880 | 5,268,545 | 5,661,425 | 222,985 | 153,506 | 542,694 |
| August | 807,674 | 250 | 11,854 | 37,553 | 317,572 | 9,485 | 30,368 | 4,663,899 | 644,840 | 376,714 | 5,339,107 | 5,715,822 | 203,657 | 158,349 | 550,148 |
| September | 812,443 | 164 | 10,842 | 32,952 | 320,448 | 10,383 | 29,805 | 4,748,531 | 639,039 | 374,788 | 5,417,376 | 5,792,164 | 232,893 | 156,594 | 565,081 |
| October | 820,875 | 267 | 9,733 | 36,016 | 319,499 | 10,310 | 27,943 | 4,789,317 | 642,636 | 375,825 | 5,459,896 | 5,835,721 | 237,156 | 151,082 | 551,512 |
| November | 838,623 | 200 | 11,785 | 36,644 | 321,153 | 12,297 | 29,044 | 4,798,657 | 657,970 | 382,079 | 5,485,671 | 5,867,750 | 237,023 | 158,295 | 563,491 |
| December | 850,931 | 478 | 15,715 | 46,843 | 353,876 | 8,910 | 27,973 | 4,872,014 | 666,884 | 425,822 | 5,566,871 | 5,992,693 | 254,942 | 162,385 | 563,888 |
| 2017 January | 859,464 | 376 | 16,845 | 39,408 | 342,404 | 10,034 | 30,310 | 4,965,598 | 653,345 | 409,067 | 5,649,253 | 6,058,320 | 241,465 | 164,157 | 585,862 |
| February | 863,504 | 316 | 16,021 | 35,562 | 331,457 | 9,683 | 30,428 | 5,055,851 | 642,175 | 393,038 | 5,728,454 | 6,121,492 | 254,923 | 158,843 | 607,519 |

(e) Includes the Central Bank.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 58
Assets and Liabilities of Off-Shore Banking Units (OBUs) of the Commercial Banks^(a)

Rs. million

| End of Period | Assets (b) | | | | | | | | Liabilities (b) | | | | | | | | Total Assets/ Liabilities |
|---------------|---------------|---------|--------------|------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------|--------------|------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | | Residents | | | | | | Non-Residents | | Residents | | | | | | |
| | Non-Bank | Bank | Central Bank | Commercial Banks | Inter OBUs | BOI Enterprises | Other Approved Enterprises | Other Assets | Non-Bank | Bank | Central Bank | Commercial Banks | Inter OBUs | BOI Enterprises | Other Approved Enterprises | Other Liabilities | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | |
| 2015 | 95,474 | 82,647 | 1,124 | 214,883 | 45,672 | 249,771 | 654,284 | 26,970 | 55,081 | 701,526 | 0 | 313,805 | 0 | 166,794 | 9,775 | 123,843 | 1,370,824 |
| 2016 | 136,623 | 105,359 | 1,169 | 287,953 | 26,175 | 298,761 | 523,812 | 18,463 | 57,928 | 648,223 | 0 | 363,778 | 6,741 | 179,827 | 9,207 | 132,613 | 1,398,315 |
| 2017 | 140,463 | 101,704 | 8,899 | 317,790 | 37,302 | 307,560 | 581,129 | 14,935 | 73,433 | 602,574 | 0 | 463,341 | 5,732 | 202,796 | 13,402 | 148,504 | 1,509,783 |
| 2016 1st Qtr | 98,791 | 87,843 | 1,123 | 222,939 | 46,759 | 250,692 | 682,469 | 27,480 | 50,701 | 725,349 | 0 | 362,094 | 0 | 146,733 | 9,952 | 123,268 | 1,418,097 |
| 2nd Qtr | 112,986 | 85,233 | 1,134 | 242,317 | 42,125 | 259,586 | 630,567 | 36,686 | 60,776 | 711,054 | 0 | 350,857 | 0 | 154,089 | 10,780 | 123,078 | 1,410,634 |
| 3rd Qtr | 122,594 | 125,430 | 1,145 | 285,479 | 38,030 | 274,819 | 533,348 | 30,135 | 62,242 | 686,158 | 0 | 352,973 | 0 | 168,143 | 10,237 | 131,228 | 1,410,981 |
| 4th Qtr | 136,623 | 105,359 | 1,169 | 287,953 | 26,175 | 298,761 | 523,812 | 18,463 | 57,928 | 648,223 | 0 | 363,778 | 6,741 | 179,827 | 9,207 | 132,613 | 1,398,315 |
| 2017 1st Qtr | 110,145 | 74,595 | 1,943 | 304,974 | 53,312 | 292,338 | 660,882 | 23,029 | 71,378 | 701,192 | 0 | 410,800 | 0 | 189,510 | 11,892 | 136,447 | 1,521,219 |
| 2nd Qtr | 124,686 | 92,432 | 11,330 | 315,427 | 48,932 | 300,630 | 624,066 | 20,069 | 88,465 | 663,046 | 0 | 443,262 | 2,763 | 187,012 | 10,150 | 142,874 | 1,537,572 |
| 3rd Qtr | 133,643 | 117,049 | 8,869 | 310,929 | 38,441 | 305,998 | 579,302 | 12,971 | 65,516 | 650,175 | 0 | 430,392 | 0 | 202,030 | 16,535 | 142,553 | 1,507,201 |
| 4th Qtr | 140,463 | 101,704 | 8,899 | 317,790 | 37,302 | 307,560 | 581,129 | 14,935 | 73,433 | 602,574 | 0 | 463,341 | 5,732 | 202,796 | 13,402 | 148,504 | 1,509,783 |
| 2017 February | 114,148 | 79,030 | 1,180 | 290,849 | 42,253 | 309,624 | 606,503 | 20,821 | 63,790 | 665,696 | 0 | 374,627 | 0 | 209,992 | 12,485 | 137,820 | 1,464,410 |
| March | 110,145 | 74,595 | 1,943 | 304,974 | 53,312 | 292,338 | 660,882 | 23,029 | 71,378 | 701,192 | 0 | 410,800 | 0 | 189,510 | 11,892 | 136,447 | 1,521,219 |
| April | 116,918 | 148,380 | 1,186 | 303,054 | 52,869 | 290,762 | 653,066 | 24,725 | 73,033 | 722,952 | 0 | 460,695 | 0 | 185,759 | 12,590 | 135,931 | 1,590,959 |
| May | 118,837 | 96,589 | 8,974 | 339,748 | 54,206 | 288,113 | 638,866 | 20,986 | 85,662 | 675,309 | 0 | 461,681 | 0 | 185,849 | 17,666 | 140,154 | 1,566,320 |
| June | 124,686 | 92,432 | 11,330 | 315,427 | 48,932 | 300,630 | 624,066 | 20,069 | 88,465 | 663,046 | 0 | 443,262 | 2,763 | 187,012 | 10,150 | 142,874 | 1,537,572 |
| July | 123,265 | 113,935 | 9,807 | 331,077 | 42,224 | 307,571 | 591,387 | 14,021 | 90,081 | 657,505 | 0 | 436,352 | 0 | 195,792 | 11,686 | 141,869 | 1,533,285 |
| August | 125,900 | 105,423 | 9,749 | 317,815 | 40,854 | 307,692 | 583,743 | 18,204 | 76,576 | 637,661 | 0 | 435,549 | 764 | 195,823 | 15,562 | 147,443 | 1,509,380 |
| September | 133,643 | 117,049 | 8,869 | 310,929 | 38,441 | 305,998 | 579,302 | 12,971 | 65,516 | 650,175 | 0 | 430,392 | 0 | 202,030 | 16,535 | 142,553 | 1,507,201 |
| October | 134,443 | 111,110 | 9,161 | 321,968 | 37,946 | 308,351 | 563,852 | 16,251 | 72,680 | 629,336 | 0 | 438,099 | 2,611 | 199,673 | 14,917 | 145,765 | 1,503,082 |
| November | 136,568 | 108,484 | 8,952 | 321,220 | 43,290 | 304,460 | 575,694 | 20,343 | 74,312 | 619,789 | 0 | 462,798 | 0 | 199,436 | 14,755 | 147,921 | 1,519,010 |
| December | 140,463 | 101,704 | 8,899 | 317,790 | 37,302 | 307,560 | 581,129 | 14,935 | 73,433 | 602,574 | 0 | 463,341 | 5,732 | 202,796 | 13,402 | 148,504 | 1,509,783 |
| 2018 January | 142,027 | 118,851 | 8,952 | 327,075 | 31,304 | 318,896 | 571,434 | 12,550 | 76,309 | 599,669 | 0 | 483,215 | 5,459 | 204,731 | 14,865 | 146,842 | 1,531,090 |
| February | 144,316 | 99,569 | 8,882 | 325,964 | 22,255 | 333,402 | 576,913 | 14,016 | 85,704 | 585,056 | 0 | 478,511 | 8,053 | 197,528 | 13,453 | 157,011 | 1,525,316 |

(a) An Off-Shore Banking Unit (OBU) is a unit in a commercial bank, established in terms of Central Bank Circular No. 380 of 2 May, 1979 which accepts deposits and grants advances in designated foreign currencies from and to :

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(i) Non-Residents (ii) Commercial Banks (iii) Board of Investment (BOI) Enterprises, and (iv) Other residents approved by the Central Bank.

(b) Assets and Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies have been converted into Sri Lanka rupees at exchange rates prevailing at the end of the relevant period.

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TABLE 59

Consolidated Monetary Survey (M_{2b})^(a)

Rs. million

| End of Period | Broad Money (M _{2b}) | | | | | | Net Foreign Assets (b) | | | | | Total Net Foreign Assets (8)+(11) |
|---------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|--|-------------------------------|---------|---|--|--------------------------|------------------|----------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Narrow Money (M ₁) (c) | | | Time and Savings Deposits (d) | | | Total Broad Money (M _{2b}) (3)+(6) | Monetary Authorities (e) | Commercial Banks | | | |
| | Currency | Demand Deposits | Total Narrow Money (M ₁) (1)+(2) | DBUs | OBUs | Total Time and Savings Deposits (4)+(5) | | | DBUs | OBUs | Total Commercial Banks (9)+(10) | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 (f) | 388,057 | 326,931 | 714,988 | 3,674,360 | 176,569 | 3,850,929 | 4,565,917 | 576,187 | -295,864 | -578,486 | -874,350 | -298,163 |
| 2016 | 429,502 | 347,123 | 776,624 | 4,439,938 | 189,034 | 4,628,972 | 5,405,596 | 558,589 | -325,659 | -464,168 | -789,827 | -231,238 |
| 2017 | 439,396 | 353,903 | 793,299 | 5,298,564 | 216,198 | 5,514,762 | 6,308,062 | 846,139 | -290,761 | -433,840 | -724,601 | 121,538 |
| 2016 Q1 | 405,670 | 323,936 | 729,606 | 3,845,346 | 156,684 | 4,002,030 | 4,731,636 | 473,939 | -324,418 | -589,417 | -913,835 | -439,896 |
| Q2 | 392,780 | 312,842 | 705,622 | 3,973,248 | 164,869 | 4,138,117 | 4,843,739 | 413,540 | -331,884 | -573,610 | -905,494 | -491,954 |
| Q3 | 407,678 | 321,645 | 729,323 | 4,188,536 | 178,379 | 4,366,915 | 5,096,238 | 498,475 | -276,100 | -500,376 | -776,476 | -278,001 |
| Q4 | 429,502 | 347,123 | 776,624 | 4,439,938 | 189,034 | 4,628,972 | 5,405,596 | 558,589 | -325,659 | -464,168 | -789,827 | -231,238 |
| 2017 Q1 | 443,916 | 338,109 | 782,025 | 4,693,975 | 201,402 | 4,895,377 | 5,677,402 | 536,729 | -320,366 | -587,829 | -908,195 | -371,467 |
| Q2 | 426,123 | 327,767 | 753,890 | 4,921,454 | 197,162 | 5,118,616 | 5,872,507 | 598,060 | -309,698 | -534,393 | -844,091 | -246,031 |
| Q3 | 434,153 | 320,465 | 754,618 | 5,158,952 | 218,565 | 5,377,516 | 6,132,134 | 776,194 | -300,716 | -465,000 | -765,717 | 10,477 |
| Q4 | 439,396 | 353,903 | 793,299 | 5,298,564 | 216,198 | 5,514,762 | 6,308,062 | 846,139 | -290,761 | -433,840 | -724,601 | 121,538 |
| 2017 February | 415,210 | 329,386 | 744,595 | 4,584,883 | 222,477 | 4,807,360 | 5,551,956 | 486,567 | -320,142 | -536,307 | -856,449 | -369,882 |
| March | 443,916 | 338,109 | 782,025 | 4,693,975 | 201,402 | 4,895,377 | 5,677,402 | 536,729 | -320,366 | -587,829 | -908,195 | -371,467 |
| April | 434,469 | 330,727 | 765,196 | 4,767,230 | 198,349 | 4,965,579 | 5,730,774 | 511,189 | -321,363 | -530,688 | -852,051 | -340,862 |
| May | 419,537 | 322,244 | 741,781 | 4,857,871 | 203,515 | 5,061,386 | 5,803,167 | 544,025 | -317,005 | -545,544 | -862,549 | -318,524 |
| June | 426,123 | 327,767 | 753,890 | 4,921,454 | 197,162 | 5,118,616 | 5,872,507 | 598,060 | -309,698 | -534,393 | -844,091 | -246,031 |
| July | 430,824 | 337,604 | 768,428 | 5,010,713 | 207,478 | 5,218,191 | 5,986,619 | 674,096 | -288,793 | -510,387 | -799,181 | -125,084 |
| August | 441,553 | 317,584 | 759,137 | 5,080,060 | 211,386 | 5,291,446 | 6,050,583 | 745,768 | -312,951 | -482,914 | -795,865 | -50,097 |
| September | 434,153 | 320,465 | 754,618 | 5,158,952 | 218,565 | 5,377,516 | 6,132,134 | 776,194 | -300,716 | -465,000 | -765,717 | 10,477 |
| October | 423,667 | 319,523 | 743,190 | 5,201,462 | 214,590 | 5,416,052 | 6,159,242 | 792,196 | -298,394 | -456,463 | -754,858 | 37,338 |
| November | 430,114 | 321,177 | 751,291 | 5,218,461 | 214,190 | 5,432,651 | 6,183,942 | 824,660 | -308,224 | -449,049 | -757,273 | 67,388 |
| December | 439,396 | 353,903 | 793,299 | 5,298,564 | 216,198 | 5,514,762 | 6,308,062 | 846,139 | -290,761 | -433,840 | -724,601 | 121,538 |
| 2018 January | 430,985 | 342,431 | 773,416 | 5,385,356 | 219,596 | 5,604,951 | 6,378,367 | 863,682 | -321,015 | -415,100 | -736,114 | 127,567 |
| February | 439,364 | 331,481 | 770,845 | 5,468,677 | 210,981 | 5,679,657 | 6,450,503 | 869,190 | -326,357 | -426,875 | -753,232 | 115,958 |

(a) M_{2b} is based on the aggregated data pertaining to both Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) and Offshore Banking Units (OBUs) of Licensed Commercial Banks (LCBs) operating in Sri Lanka. Definitional changes have been adopted in aggregating DBUs and OBUs to avoid double counting and misclassification of assets and liabilities.

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The major changes are:

- (1) All DBU placements with OBUs are recorded as domestic assets, while all DBU borrowings from OBUs are recorded as domestic liabilities.
- (2) Foreign currency deposits with DBUs are classified on the basis of ownership rather than on the basis of currency. Hence, the following apply:
 - (i) One half (50 per cent) of Non Resident Foreign Currency (NRFC) deposits are treated as domestic deposit liabilities;
 - (ii) All Resident Non National Foreign Currency (RNNFC) balances are treated as foreign liabilities;
 - (iii) All other domestic foreign currency accounts are treated as domestic deposit liabilities.

(b) External assets (net) of the Central Bank and commercial banks (including outward bills)

(c) Currency and demand deposits held by the public

(d) Time and savings deposits of the public held with commercial banks.

(e) This includes NFA of the Central Bank as well as the government Crown Agent's balance reported by the Department of State Accounts.

(f) 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.

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TABLE 59 (Contd.)
Consolidated Monetary Survey (M_{2b})^(a)

Rs. million

| End of Period | Net Domestic Assets | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------|---|------------------------------|---------|--|-----------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Domestic Credit | | | | | | | | | | | | Other Items (Net) | | | Total Net Domestic Assets (24)+(27) | |
| | Credit to the Government (Net) (g) | | | | | Credit to Public Corporations | | | Credit to the Private Sector | | | | Total Domestic Credit (17)+(20)+(23) | Monetary Authorities and DBUs | OBUs | | Total Other Items (Net) (25)+(26) |
| | Central Bank of Sri Lanka | Commercial Banks | | | Total Credit to the Govt. (13)+(15) | DBUs | OBUs | Total Credit to Public Corps. (18)+(19) | DBUs | OBUs | Total Credit to the Private Sector (21)+(22) | | | | | | |
| DBUs | | OBUs | Total (14)+(15) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (13) | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | | |
| 2015 (f) | 229,926 | 1,157,867 | 371,699 | 1,529,566 | 1,759,492 | 261,815 | 268,853 | 530,669 | 3,178,372 | 263,502 | 3,441,874 | 5,732,034 | -718,954 | -149,000 | -867,954 | 4,864,081 | |
| 2016 | 413,016 | 1,254,509 | 304,608 | 1,559,116 | 1,972,133 | 308,382 | 205,386 | 513,768 | 3,873,197 | 312,579 | 4,185,777 | 6,671,677 | -865,472 | -169,371 | -1,034,843 | 5,636,834 | |
| 2017 | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 1,943,438 | 2,168,517 | 342,354 | 194,628 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 4,799,215 | 7,504,715 | -1,079,540 | -238,651 | -1,318,191 | 6,186,524 | |
| 2016 Q1 | 406,556 | 1,141,246 | 406,264 | 1,547,510 | 1,954,066 | 261,871 | 261,062 | 522,933 | 3,360,643 | 265,835 | 3,626,478 | 6,103,477 | -744,885 | -187,061 | -931,946 | 5,171,531 | |
| Q2 | 456,084 | 1,157,611 | 391,735 | 1,549,345 | 2,005,429 | 270,472 | 223,605 | 494,077 | 3,514,055 | 274,813 | 3,788,869 | 6,288,375 | -801,008 | -151,674 | -952,682 | 5,335,693 | |
| Q3 | 397,436 | 1,215,899 | 335,587 | 1,551,487 | 1,948,923 | 276,740 | 185,441 | 462,180 | 3,668,292 | 287,140 | 3,955,432 | 6,366,535 | -862,883 | -129,412 | -992,295 | 5,374,239 | |
| Q4 | 413,016 | 1,254,509 | 304,608 | 1,559,116 | 1,972,133 | 308,382 | 205,386 | 513,768 | 3,873,197 | 312,579 | 4,185,777 | 6,671,677 | -865,472 | -169,371 | -1,034,843 | 5,636,834 | |
| 2017 Q1 | 466,766 | 1,352,981 | 394,799 | 1,747,780 | 2,214,546 | 323,044 | 248,977 | 572,021 | 4,047,149 | 309,444 | 4,356,593 | 7,143,161 | -930,303 | -163,989 | -1,094,292 | 6,048,868 | |
| Q2 | 410,866 | 1,454,737 | 369,020 | 1,823,756 | 2,234,623 | 333,671 | 237,193 | 570,864 | 4,167,068 | 318,484 | 4,485,552 | 7,291,038 | -979,359 | -193,142 | -1,172,500 | 6,118,538 | |
| Q3 | 252,600 | 1,603,399 | 367,553 | 1,970,952 | 2,223,552 | 322,149 | 194,041 | 516,190 | 4,316,749 | 323,705 | 4,640,454 | 7,380,196 | -1,056,804 | -201,734 | -1,258,539 | 6,121,657 | |
| Q4 | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 1,943,438 | 2,168,517 | 342,354 | 194,628 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 4,799,215 | 7,504,715 | -1,079,540 | -238,651 | -1,318,191 | 6,186,524 | |
| 2017 February | 455,939 | 1,380,534 | 355,641 | 1,736,175 | 2,192,114 | 320,073 | 233,140 | 553,213 | 3,947,434 | 327,346 | 4,274,780 | 7,020,108 | -940,926 | -157,343 | -1,098,269 | 5,921,838 | |
| March | 466,766 | 1,352,981 | 394,799 | 1,747,780 | 2,214,546 | 323,044 | 248,977 | 572,021 | 4,047,149 | 309,444 | 4,356,593 | 7,143,161 | -930,303 | -163,989 | -1,094,292 | 6,048,868 | |
| April | 477,107 | 1,348,342 | 380,840 | 1,729,182 | 2,206,289 | 321,412 | 254,727 | 576,140 | 4,067,078 | 308,261 | 4,375,339 | 7,157,767 | -871,339 | -214,792 | -1,086,131 | 6,071,636 | |
| May | 414,650 | 1,453,496 | 371,594 | 1,825,090 | 2,239,740 | 330,934 | 249,758 | 580,692 | 4,100,396 | 305,627 | 4,406,022 | 7,226,455 | -926,844 | -177,920 | -1,104,764 | 6,121,690 | |
| June | 410,866 | 1,454,737 | 369,020 | 1,823,756 | 2,234,623 | 333,671 | 237,193 | 570,864 | 4,167,068 | 318,484 | 4,485,552 | 7,291,038 | -979,359 | -193,142 | -1,172,500 | 6,118,538 | |
| July | 339,545 | 1,548,478 | 366,434 | 1,914,913 | 2,254,458 | 325,035 | 206,770 | 531,805 | 4,211,674 | 325,752 | 4,537,427 | 7,323,690 | -1,030,895 | -181,092 | -1,211,987 | 6,111,703 | |
| August | 293,545 | 1,578,091 | 365,879 | 1,943,970 | 2,237,515 | 323,315 | 198,174 | 521,489 | 4,263,124 | 327,382 | 4,590,505 | 7,349,510 | -1,051,694 | -197,135 | -1,248,830 | 6,100,680 | |
| September | 252,600 | 1,603,399 | 367,553 | 1,970,952 | 2,223,552 | 322,149 | 194,041 | 516,190 | 4,316,749 | 323,705 | 4,640,454 | 7,380,196 | -1,056,804 | -201,734 | -1,258,539 | 6,121,657 | |
| October | 246,878 | 1,602,011 | 368,859 | 1,970,870 | 2,217,747 | 320,603 | 176,874 | 497,476 | 4,352,230 | 326,471 | 4,678,700 | 7,393,924 | -1,070,871 | -201,149 | -1,272,020 | 6,121,904 | |
| November | 210,080 | 1,580,868 | 369,324 | 1,950,192 | 2,160,271 | 317,901 | 186,875 | 504,776 | 4,416,087 | 323,954 | 4,740,041 | 7,405,088 | -1,071,620 | -216,914 | -1,288,534 | 6,116,554 | |
| December | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 1,943,438 | 2,168,517 | 342,354 | 194,628 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 4,799,215 | 7,504,715 | -1,079,540 | -238,651 | -1,318,191 | 6,186,524 | |
| 2018 January | 232,550 | 1,625,107 | 363,756 | 1,988,863 | 2,221,413 | 339,545 | 188,575 | 528,120 | 4,504,140 | 338,000 | 4,842,140 | 7,591,673 | -1,085,238 | -255,636 | -1,340,873 | 6,250,800 | |
| February | 225,577 | 1,653,629 | 366,512 | 2,020,140 | 2,245,717 | 355,831 | 189,685 | 545,516 | 4,545,900 | 354,118 | 4,900,018 | 7,691,252 | -1,084,248 | -272,459 | -1,356,707 | 6,334,545 | |

(g) Credit extended by the banking system to the government, net of government deposits with banks and government cash deposits.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 60

Financial Survey (M₄)^(a)

Rs. million

| End of Period | Broad Money (M ₄) | | | | | | | | Net Foreign Assets | | | | |
|---------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| | Currency (b) | Demand Deposits (b) | Time and Savings Deposits (c) | | | | | Time and Savings Deposits (3)+(4)+(5)+(6)+(7) | Broad Money (M ₄) (1)+(2)+(8) | Monetary Authorities (e) | Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBU's) | LSBs and LFCs | Total Net Foreign Assets (10)+(11)+(12) |
| | | | Commercial Banks | | LSBs (d) | | LFCs | | | | | | |
| | | | DBUs (b) | OBU's | RDBs/Pradeshya Sanwardhana Bank | Other | | | | | | | |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | (13) | |
| 2015 | 383,130 | 295,671 | 3,616,779 | 176,569 | 86,340 | 677,815 | 483,948 | 5,041,452 | 5,720,253 | 576,187 | -874,350 | -145,981 | -444,144 |
| 2016 | 423,486 | 303,096 | 4,337,755 | 189,034 | 104,689 | 741,456 | 530,740 | 5,903,674 | 6,630,256 | 558,589 | -789,827 | -151,956 | -383,194 |
| 2017 | 430,905 | 296,118 | 5,191,405 | 216,198 | 136,582 | 837,991 | 686,720 | 7,068,897 | 7,795,919 | 846,139 | -724,601 | -155,708 | -34,170 |
| 2016 Q1 | 399,095 | 292,513 | 3,753,107 | 156,684 | 88,419 | 699,202 | 493,629 | 5,191,041 | 5,882,649 | 473,939 | -913,835 | -146,662 | -586,558 |
| Q2 | 386,507 | 270,677 | 3,879,843 | 164,869 | 90,440 | 710,301 | 500,093 | 5,345,546 | 6,002,730 | 413,540 | -905,494 | -148,600 | -640,553 |
| Q3 | 401,298 | 288,033 | 4,099,517 | 178,379 | 98,807 | 723,441 | 512,789 | 5,612,934 | 6,302,265 | 498,475 | -776,476 | -148,663 | -426,664 |
| Q4 | 423,486 | 303,096 | 4,337,755 | 189,034 | 104,689 | 741,456 | 530,740 | 5,903,674 | 6,630,256 | 558,589 | -789,827 | -151,956 | -383,194 |
| 2017 Q1 | 436,672 | 295,076 | 4,603,247 | 201,402 | 107,422 | 748,817 | 558,493 | 6,219,381 | 6,951,129 | 536,729 | -908,195 | -154,281 | -525,747 |
| Q2 | 419,194 | 279,036 | 4,822,401 | 197,162 | 119,383 | 792,917 | 590,935 | 6,522,798 | 7,221,029 | 598,060 | -844,091 | -155,670 | -401,701 |
| Q3 | 425,942 | 266,937 | 5,050,518 | 218,565 | 126,198 | 817,132 | 653,085 | 6,865,497 | 7,558,376 | 776,194 | -765,717 | -155,429 | -144,952 |
| Q4 | 430,905 | 296,118 | 5,191,405 | 216,198 | 136,582 | 837,991 | 686,720 | 7,068,897 | 7,795,919 | 846,139 | -724,601 | -155,708 | -34,170 |
| 2017 Feb | 408,119 | 284,992 | 4,501,085 | 222,477 | 105,701 | 739,025 | 549,690 | 6,117,979 | 6,811,090 | 486,567 | -856,449 | -153,810 | -523,692 |
| Mar | 436,672 | 295,076 | 4,603,247 | 201,402 | 107,422 | 748,817 | 558,493 | 6,219,381 | 6,951,129 | 536,729 | -908,195 | -154,281 | -525,747 |
| Apr | 427,430 | 292,395 | 4,669,827 | 198,349 | 110,771 | 762,576 | 571,857 | 6,313,379 | 7,033,204 | 511,189 | -852,051 | -154,658 | -495,520 |
| May | 412,950 | 280,149 | 4,760,490 | 203,515 | 114,965 | 778,227 | 580,847 | 6,438,043 | 7,131,143 | 544,025 | -862,549 | -155,052 | -473,576 |
| Jun | 419,194 | 279,036 | 4,822,401 | 197,162 | 119,383 | 792,917 | 590,935 | 6,522,798 | 7,221,029 | 598,060 | -844,091 | -155,670 | -401,701 |
| Jul | 423,376 | 290,616 | 4,912,078 | 207,478 | 122,157 | 811,806 | 609,148 | 6,662,668 | 7,376,660 | 674,096 | -799,181 | -155,963 | -281,047 |
| Aug | 433,766 | 266,908 | 4,966,806 | 211,386 | 124,143 | 818,440 | 635,582 | 6,756,357 | 7,457,031 | 745,768 | -795,865 | -155,137 | -205,233 |
| Sep | 425,942 | 266,937 | 5,050,518 | 218,565 | 126,198 | 817,132 | 653,085 | 6,865,497 | 7,558,376 | 776,194 | -765,717 | -155,429 | -144,952 |
| Oct | 415,514 | 264,920 | 5,095,553 | 214,590 | 128,051 | 813,821 | 672,411 | 6,924,425 | 7,604,859 | 792,196 | -754,858 | -155,946 | -118,608 |
| Nov | 422,313 | 271,225 | 5,114,751 | 214,190 | 130,125 | 827,772 | 679,571 | 6,966,409 | 7,659,946 | 824,660 | -757,273 | -156,045 | -88,658 |
| Dec | 430,905 | 296,118 | 5,191,405 | 216,198 | 136,582 | 837,991 | 686,720 | 7,068,897 | 7,795,919 | 846,139 | -724,601 | -155,708 | -34,170 |
| 2018 Jan | 423,169 | 289,546 | 5,279,071 | 219,596 | 136,107 | 860,143 | 692,199 | 7,187,115 | 7,899,831 | 863,682 | -736,114 | -156,200 | -28,632 |
| Feb | 431,004 | 273,713 | 5,362,973 | 210,981 | 136,600 | 866,294 | 697,483 | 7,274,332 | 7,979,049 | 869,190 | -753,232 | -157,372 | -41,414 |

(Contd.)

- (a) M₄ is based on the aggregated data pertaining to Licenced Specialised Banks (LSBs) and Licenced Finance Companies (LFCs), in addition to the institutions covered in M_{2b}.
- (b) Currency, demand deposits and time and quasi money of DBUs in this table differ from those in Table 57 due to the fact that LSBs and LFCs are not treated as 'Public' under the Financial Survey (M₄) definition.
- (c) Time and savings deposits of the private sector with commercial banks, LSBs and LFCs.
- (d) LSBs include Regional Development Banks/Pradeshya Sanwardhana Bank (which was established on 14 July 2010 by amalgamating Regional Development Banks), National Savings Bank, State

- Mortgage and Investment Bank, SANASA Development Bank Ltd, HDFC Bank of Sri Lanka, Sri Lanka Savings Bank Ltd and Lankaputhra Development Bank Ltd. MBSL Savings Bank Ltd, which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Merchant Bank Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd and operates as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC w.e.f. 01 January 2015. DFCC Bank which operated as a Licenced Specialised Bank was amalgamated with the DFCC Vardhana Bank and operates as a Licenced Commercial Bank namely, DFCC Bank PLC with effect from 01 October 2015.
- (e) This includes NFA of the Central Bank as well as the government Crown Agent's balance reported by the Department of State Accounts.

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 60 (Contd.)

Financial Survey (M₄)^(a)

Rs. million

| | | Net Domestic Assets | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Total Other Items (Net) | Total Net Domestic Assets (29)+(30) | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|---------|--------|---------|--|--|---------------------|--|---------------------|-----------|---------|---------|---|-------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------|
| | | Domestic Credit | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Credit to the Government (net) (f) | | | | | Credit to Public Corporations | | | Credit to Private Sector | | | | | Total Domestic Credit (20)+(23) +(29) | | | | | |
| End of Period | Central Bank of Sri Lanka | Commercial Banks | | LSBs | | LFCs | Total Credit to the Govt. (14)+(15)+ (16)+(17)+ (18)+(19) | Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBUs) | LSBs and LFCs | Total Credit to Public Corporations | Commercial Banks | Banks | LSBs | | | LFCs (g) | | | Total Credit to Private Sector (24)+(25)+ (26)+(27)+ (28) | (30) |
| | (14) | (15) | (16) | (17) | (18) | (19) | (20) | (21) | (22) | (23) | (24) | (25) | (26) | (27) | (28) | (29) | | | | |
| 2015 | | 229,926 | 1,157,867 | 371,699 | 12,395 | 516,824 | 55,599 | 2,344,309 | 530,669 | 0 | 530,669 | 3,178,372 | 263,502 | 89,249 | 392,416 | 805,167 | 4,728,706 | 7,603,684 | -1,439,286 | 6,164,397 |
| 2016 | | 413,016 | 1,254,509 | 304,608 | 750 | 514,915 | 68,097 | 2,555,895 | 513,768 | 0 | 513,768 | 3,873,197 | 312,579 | 108,232 | 453,970 | 945,651 | 5,693,629 | 8,763,292 | -1,749,842 | 7,013,450 |
| 2017 | | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 7,000 | 538,638 | 64,791 | 2,778,946 | 536,982 | 0 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 131,017 | 545,796 | 1,049,805 | 6,525,832 | 9,841,761 | -2,011,671 | 7,830,090 |
| 2016 | Q1 | 406,556 | 1,141,246 | 406,264 | 9,350 | 516,676 | 67,672 | 2,547,764 | 522,933 | 0 | 522,933 | 3,360,643 | 265,835 | 93,059 | 402,181 | 832,803 | 4,954,521 | 8,025,218 | -1,556,011 | 6,469,207 |
| | Q2 | 456,084 | 1,157,611 | 391,735 | 7,000 | 507,085 | 66,019 | 2,585,532 | 494,077 | 0 | 494,077 | 3,514,055 | 274,813 | 96,398 | 417,801 | 863,126 | 5,166,194 | 8,245,803 | -1,602,520 | 6,643,283 |
| | Q3 | 397,436 | 1,215,899 | 335,587 | 8,950 | 513,888 | 68,872 | 2,540,633 | 462,180 | 0 | 462,180 | 3,668,292 | 287,140 | 102,490 | 433,543 | 903,617 | 5,395,081 | 8,397,895 | -1,668,966 | 6,728,928 |
| | Q4 | 413,016 | 1,254,509 | 304,608 | 750 | 514,915 | 68,097 | 2,555,895 | 513,768 | 0 | 513,768 | 3,873,197 | 312,579 | 108,232 | 453,970 | 945,651 | 5,693,629 | 8,763,292 | -1,749,842 | 7,013,450 |
| 2017 | Q1 | 466,766 | 1,352,981 | 394,799 | 3,600 | 509,751 | 71,448 | 2,799,345 | 572,021 | 0 | 572,021 | 4,047,149 | 309,444 | 111,704 | 476,251 | 972,098 | 5,916,647 | 9,288,013 | -1,811,137 | 7,476,876 |
| | Q2 | 410,866 | 1,454,737 | 369,020 | 1,000 | 527,195 | 73,356 | 2,836,173 | 570,864 | 0 | 570,864 | 4,167,068 | 318,484 | 117,813 | 495,645 | 984,388 | 6,083,398 | 9,490,434 | -1,867,705 | 7,622,730 |
| | Q3 | 252,600 | 1,603,399 | 367,553 | 2,300 | 537,745 | 66,976 | 2,830,573 | 516,190 | 0 | 516,190 | 4,316,749 | 323,705 | 122,962 | 525,290 | 1,020,746 | 6,309,452 | 9,656,215 | -1,952,887 | 7,703,328 |
| | Q4 | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 7,000 | 538,638 | 64,791 | 2,778,946 | 536,982 | 0 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 131,017 | 545,796 | 1,049,805 | 6,525,832 | 9,841,761 | -2,011,671 | 7,830,090 |
| 2017 | February | 455,939 | 1,380,534 | 355,641 | 1,500 | 517,142 | 77,164 | 2,787,921 | 553,213 | 0 | 553,213 | 3,947,434 | 327,346 | 109,868 | 464,795 | 956,873 | 5,806,318 | 9,147,451 | -1,812,668 | 7,334,783 |
| | March | 466,766 | 1,352,981 | 394,799 | 3,600 | 509,751 | 71,448 | 2,799,345 | 572,021 | 0 | 572,021 | 4,047,149 | 309,444 | 111,704 | 476,251 | 972,098 | 5,916,647 | 9,288,013 | -1,811,137 | 7,476,876 |
| | April | 477,107 | 1,348,342 | 380,840 | 700 | 517,791 | 74,906 | 2,799,686 | 576,140 | 0 | 576,140 | 4,067,078 | 308,261 | 113,732 | 482,223 | 972,811 | 5,944,105 | 9,319,930 | -1,791,206 | 7,528,724 |
| | May | 414,650 | 1,453,496 | 371,594 | 1,150 | 529,951 | 77,810 | 2,848,651 | 580,692 | 0 | 580,692 | 4,100,396 | 305,627 | 115,339 | 489,148 | 977,879 | 5,988,388 | 9,417,731 | -1,813,012 | 7,604,720 |
| | June | 410,866 | 1,454,737 | 369,020 | 1,000 | 527,195 | 73,356 | 2,836,173 | 570,864 | 0 | 570,864 | 4,167,068 | 318,484 | 117,813 | 495,645 | 984,388 | 6,083,398 | 9,490,434 | -1,867,705 | 7,622,730 |
| | July | 339,545 | 1,548,478 | 366,434 | 800 | 538,210 | 71,325 | 2,864,792 | 531,805 | 0 | 531,805 | 4,211,674 | 325,752 | 119,229 | 491,737 | 995,926 | 6,144,318 | 9,540,916 | -1,883,209 | 7,657,707 |
| | August | 293,545 | 1,578,091 | 365,879 | 1,500 | 539,948 | 64,201 | 2,843,164 | 521,489 | 0 | 521,489 | 4,263,124 | 327,382 | 120,681 | 511,202 | 1,008,557 | 6,230,945 | 9,595,598 | -1,933,334 | 7,662,264 |
| | September | 252,600 | 1,603,399 | 367,553 | 2,300 | 537,745 | 66,976 | 2,830,573 | 516,190 | 0 | 516,190 | 4,316,749 | 323,705 | 122,962 | 525,290 | 1,020,746 | 6,309,452 | 9,656,215 | -1,952,887 | 7,703,328 |
| | October | 246,878 | 1,602,011 | 368,859 | 2,000 | 529,388 | 64,675 | 2,813,811 | 497,476 | 0 | 497,476 | 4,352,230 | 326,471 | 124,065 | 532,394 | 1,033,380 | 6,368,540 | 9,679,826 | -1,956,360 | 7,723,467 |
| | November | 210,080 | 1,580,868 | 369,324 | 2,300 | 524,138 | 66,069 | 2,752,778 | 504,776 | 0 | 504,776 | 4,416,087 | 323,954 | 126,785 | 536,807 | 1,045,188 | 6,448,820 | 9,706,374 | -1,957,771 | 7,748,603 |
| | December | 225,080 | 1,576,627 | 366,811 | 7,000 | 538,638 | 64,791 | 2,778,946 | 536,982 | 0 | 536,982 | 4,471,965 | 327,250 | 131,017 | 545,796 | 1,049,805 | 6,525,832 | 9,841,761 | -2,011,671 | 7,830,090 |
| 2018 | January | 232,550 | 1,625,107 | 363,756 | 5,550 | 540,659 | 63,978 | 2,831,600 | 528,120 | 0 | 528,120 | 4,504,140 | 338,000 | 129,935 | 545,759 | 1,068,457 | 6,586,291 | 9,946,012 | -2,017,549 | 7,928,463 |
| | February | 225,577 | 1,653,629 | 366,512 | 5,500 | 538,689 | 65,798 | 2,855,704 | 545,516 | 0 | 545,516 | 4,545,900 | 354,118 | 131,001 | 554,932 | 1,074,379 | 6,660,331 | 10,061,551 | -2,041,088 | 8,020,463 |

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(f) Net credit to the government equals to Credit extended by the Central Bank, LCBs, LSBs and LFCs to the Government, net of Government deposits and Government cash balances.

(g) The sharp increase in credit to private sector by LFCs in some months could be attributed to already established Specialised Leasing Companies (SLCs) obtaining LFC licenses.

FINANCIAL SECTOR

Reserve Position of Commercial Banks^{(a)(b)}

TABLE 61

Rs. million

| Period | Deposits (c) | | | | Required Reserves Against Deposits (d) | | | | | | | Actual Reserves | |
|--------------|--------------|------------------|--------|-------------|--|------------------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------------------|------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| | Demand | Time and Savings | Other | Total | Demand | Time and Savings | Other | Total Reserves | Till Cash | Required Reserves | Required Reserves Cumulative | Commercial Banks' Deposits with the Central Bank (Cumulative total for the reserve week) | Excess / (Deficit) on SRR (12) - (11) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (1)+(2)+(3) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (5)+(6)+(7) | (9) | (8) - (9) | (10) × 15 | (12) | (13) |
| 2015 (e) | 350,023 | 3,228,352 | 38,831 | 3,617,206 | 21,001 | 193,701 | 2,330 | 217,032 | 33,411 | 183,622 | 2,937,945 | 2,943,637 | 5,693 |
| 2016 | 358,541 | 3,908,687 | 31,344 | 4,298,572 | 26,891 | 293,152 | 2,351 | 322,393 | 33,496 | 288,897 | 4,622,354 | 4,627,768 | 5,414 |
| 2017 | 372,063 | 4,763,571 | 31,897 | 5,167,531 | 27,905 | 357,268 | 2,392 | 387,565 | 47,372 | 340,192 | 5,443,080 | 5,456,588 | 13,508 |
| 2016 1st Qtr | 358,626 | 3,422,326 | 32,387 | 3,813,339 | 26,897 | 256,674 | 2,429 | 286,000 | 36,160 | 249,841 | 3,997,452 | 4,000,457 | 3,005 |
| 2nd Qtr | 356,575 | 3,521,049 | 31,717 | 3,909,341 | 26,743 | 264,079 | 2,379 | 293,201 | 41,129 | 252,071 | 3,781,068 | 3,784,120 | 3,052 |
| 3rd Qtr | 351,921 | 3,680,456 | 30,958 | 4,063,334 | 26,394 | 276,034 | 2,322 | 304,750 | 38,655 | 266,095 | 3,991,430 | 3,992,145 | 714 |
| 4th Qtr | 358,541 | 3,908,687 | 31,344 | 4,298,572 | 26,891 | 293,152 | 2,351 | 322,393 | 33,496 | 288,897 | 4,622,354 | 4,627,768 | 5,414 |
| 2017 1st Qtr | 376,957 | 4,159,201 | 31,801 | 4,567,959 | 28,272 | 311,940 | 2,385 | 342,597 | 38,830 | 303,766 | 4,860,263 | 4,862,826 | 2,562 |
| 2nd Qtr | 371,621 | 4,428,187 | 31,444 | 4,831,252 | 27,872 | 332,114 | 2,358 | 362,344 | 49,214 | 313,129 | 4,696,942 | 4,699,150 | 2,208 |
| 3rd Qtr | 365,816 | 4,625,748 | 31,919 | 5,023,482 | 27,436 | 346,931 | 2,394 | 376,761 | 44,006 | 332,756 | 4,991,334 | 4,996,674 | 5,341 |
| 4th Qtr | 372,063 | 4,763,571 | 31,897 | 5,167,531 | 27,905 | 357,268 | 2,392 | 387,565 | 47,372 | 340,192 | 5,443,080 | 5,456,588 | 13,508 |
| 2017 Feb | 380,866 | 4,070,307 | 32,689 | 4,483,862 | 28,565 | 305,273 | 2,452 | 336,290 | 38,772 | 297,518 | 3,867,730 | 3,871,900 | 4,170 |
| Mar | 376,957 | 4,159,201 | 31,801 | 4,567,959 | 28,272 | 311,940 | 2,385 | 342,597 | 38,830 | 303,766 | 4,860,263 | 4,862,826 | 2,562 |
| Apr | 376,588 | 4,248,427 | 32,756 | 4,657,771 | 28,244 | 318,632 | 2,457 | 349,333 | 46,577 | 302,755 | 4,541,332 | 4,547,117 | 5,785 |
| May | 375,614 | 4,354,553 | 31,759 | 4,761,925 | 28,171 | 326,591 | 2,382 | 357,144 | 67,888 | 289,257 | 4,628,106 | 4,635,966 | 7,860 |
| Jun | 371,621 | 4,428,187 | 31,444 | 4,831,252 | 27,872 | 332,114 | 2,358 | 362,344 | 49,214 | 313,129 | 4,696,942 | 4,699,150 | 2,208 |
| Jul | 369,831 | 4,503,361 | 31,607 | 4,904,799 | 27,737 | 337,752 | 2,371 | 367,860 | 44,381 | 323,479 | 5,175,670 | 5,177,322 | 1,652 |
| Aug | 369,363 | 4,566,948 | 26,300 | 4,962,611 | 27,702 | 342,521 | 1,973 | 372,196 | 41,574 | 330,622 | 5,289,948 | 5,291,602 | 1,654 |
| Sep | 365,816 | 4,625,748 | 31,919 | 5,023,482 | 27,436 | 346,931 | 2,394 | 376,761 | 44,006 | 332,756 | 4,991,334 | 4,996,674 | 5,341 |
| Oct | 366,538 | 4,710,663 | 31,070 | 5,108,271 | 27,490 | 353,300 | 2,330 | 383,120 | 48,377 | 334,743 | 5,355,895 | 5,360,878 | 4,983 |
| Nov | 366,177 | 4,756,063 | 31,830 | 5,154,071 | 27,463 | 356,705 | 2,387 | 386,555 | 50,688 | 335,867 | 5,038,012 | 5,042,626 | 4,614 |
| Dec | 372,063 | 4,763,571 | 31,897 | 5,167,531 | 27,905 | 357,268 | 2,392 | 387,565 | 47,372 | 340,192 | 5,443,080 | 5,456,588 | 13,508 |
| 2018 Jan | 407,206 | 4,826,953 | 35,211 | 5,269,369 | 30,540 | 362,021 | 2,641 | 395,203 | 52,057 | 343,146 | 5,490,338 | 5,494,164 | 3,826 |
| Feb | 402,597 | 4,901,181 | 34,198 | 5,337,976 | 30,195 | 367,589 | 2,565 | 400,348 | 54,171 | 346,177 | 4,500,307 | 4,504,847 | 4,540 |

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Under Sections 10c, 93, 94, 96 and 97 of the amended Monetary Law Act (Chapter 422), commercial banks and other financial institutions are required to maintain reserves against their deposit liabilities as prescribed by the Monetary Board. Currently, only commercial banks are subject to reserve requirements. With effect from 24 January 1992, an amount of till cash over and above two per centum of the total deposit liabilities, but not exceeding four per centum, could be maintained as a part of required reserves in the form of Sri Lanka currency notes and coins. Details of required reserve ratios, which were applicable in the past and computation methods have been published in the Appendix table on the 'Reserve Position of Commercial Banks' in the Annual Reports prior to 2003.

(b) With effect from June 2013, the basis for computing the Statutory Reserve Requirement (SRR) was changed and 7 day reserve calculation and maintenance periods were increased to two periods per month, first from 1st to 15th and the second from 16th to end of each month. Up to May 2013 Reserve data were for the last reserve week of each month and from June 2013 onwards, Reserve data are for the 2nd reserve period of each month. The required reserves recorded in

the table refer to the cumulative reserves for the reserve period, while commercial bank deposits with the Central Bank are the cumulative deposits for that particular period. Excess/Deficit on SRR is the difference between the cumulative SRR for the reserve period and cumulative deposits of the commercial banks for the period.

(c) Excludes interbank deposits.

(d) SRR was reduced from 8.00 per cent to 6.00 per cent with effect from 01 July 2013 and subsequently increased to 7.50 per cent with effect from 16 January 2016.

(e) 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.

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TABLE 62
Currency Issued by the Central Bank (by Denomination)

| | | Rs. million | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------------|--------|
| End of Period | Currency Issued (a) | Notes (b) | | | | | | | | | | | Coins | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Rs. 5,000 | Rs. 2,000 | Rs. 1,000 | Rs. 500 | Rs. 200 | Rs. 100 | Rs. 50 | Rs. 20 | Rs. 10 | Total Notes (c) | Rs. 10 | Rs. 5 | Rs. 2 | Re. 1 | Cts. 50 | Cts. 25 | Cts. 10 | Cts. 05 | Cts. 02 | Ct. 01 | Total Coins (d) | |
| 2015 | 491,700 | 247,912 | 38,974 | 133,244 | 31,656 | 131 | 18,979 | 4,672 | 4,883 | 1,450 | 481,969 | 3,346 | 3,474 | 1,156 | 795 | 185 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 9,731 | |
| 2016 | 552,775 | 313,733 | 20,435 | 141,169 | 33,476 | 131 | 20,590 | 5,141 | 5,332 | 1,382 | 541,457 | 4,506 | 3,726 | 1,272 | 852 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,318 | |
| 2017 | 598,054 | 360,357 | 10,526 | 141,832 | 38,154 | 130 | 21,600 | 5,561 | 5,758 | 1,340 | 585,328 | 5,402 | 4,102 | 1,358 | 898 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,726 | |
| 2016 | Q1 | 543,476 | 285,107 | 36,027 | 145,386 | 34,047 | 131 | 20,723 | 5,146 | 5,199 | 1,434 | 533,268 | 3,686 | 3,567 | 1,186 | 808 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 10,208 |
| | Q2 | 507,543 | 272,164 | 26,224 | 133,616 | 31,872 | 131 | 20,842 | 5,302 | 5,312 | 1,416 | 496,947 | 3,985 | 3,612 | 1,216 | 822 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 10,597 |
| | Q3 | 524,215 | 291,424 | 22,562 | 134,371 | 32,812 | 131 | 20,207 | 5,075 | 5,253 | 1,400 | 513,304 | 4,237 | 3,635 | 1,242 | 836 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 10,911 |
| | Q4 | 552,775 | 313,733 | 20,435 | 141,169 | 33,476 | 131 | 20,590 | 5,141 | 5,332 | 1,382 | 541,457 | 4,506 | 3,726 | 1,272 | 852 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,318 |
| 2017 | Q1 | 584,070 | 335,912 | 17,005 | 147,390 | 37,020 | 130 | 22,162 | 5,565 | 5,640 | 1,375 | 572,269 | 4,810 | 3,856 | 1,303 | 868 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,801 |
| | Q2 | 562,770 | 326,382 | 14,119 | 137,913 | 35,991 | 130 | 22,974 | 5,849 | 5,862 | 1,365 | 550,655 | 5,015 | 3,936 | 1,322 | 888 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,115 |
| | Q3 | 574,355 | 342,119 | 12,292 | 137,032 | 35,916 | 130 | 21,573 | 5,712 | 5,734 | 1,353 | 561,929 | 5,214 | 4,019 | 1,340 | 889 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,426 |
| | Q4 | 598,054 | 360,357 | 10,526 | 141,832 | 38,154 | 130 | 21,600 | 5,561 | 5,758 | 1,340 | 585,328 | 5,402 | 4,102 | 1,358 | 898 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,726 |
| 2017 | February | 545,795 | 309,812 | 17,628 | 139,242 | 34,505 | 131 | 20,864 | 5,204 | 5,408 | 1,377 | 534,238 | 4,653 | 3,792 | 1,288 | 860 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,557 |
| | March | 584,070 | 335,912 | 17,005 | 147,390 | 37,020 | 130 | 22,162 | 5,565 | 5,640 | 1,375 | 572,269 | 4,810 | 3,856 | 1,303 | 868 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,801 |
| | April | 580,066 | 331,431 | 16,112 | 146,432 | 38,210 | 130 | 22,884 | 5,726 | 5,786 | 1,371 | 568,152 | 4,884 | 3,885 | 1,310 | 871 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 11,914 |
| | May | 560,572 | 322,705 | 15,141 | 138,308 | 36,032 | 130 | 23,124 | 5,832 | 5,841 | 1,368 | 548,549 | 4,954 | 3,912 | 1,317 | 876 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,023 |
| | June | 562,770 | 326,382 | 14,119 | 137,913 | 35,991 | 130 | 22,974 | 5,849 | 5,862 | 1,365 | 550,655 | 5,015 | 3,936 | 1,322 | 888 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,115 |
| | July | 565,451 | 331,518 | 13,348 | 136,982 | 35,525 | 130 | 22,671 | 5,815 | 5,815 | 1,361 | 553,234 | 5,081 | 3,962 | 1,327 | 881 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,217 |
| | August | 581,695 | 344,936 | 13,095 | 140,127 | 36,162 | 130 | 21,950 | 5,794 | 5,756 | 1,357 | 569,375 | 5,148 | 3,989 | 1,333 | 885 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,320 |
| | September | 574,355 | 342,119 | 12,292 | 137,032 | 35,916 | 130 | 21,573 | 5,712 | 5,734 | 1,353 | 561,929 | 5,214 | 4,019 | 1,340 | 889 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,426 |
| | October | 575,045 | 344,549 | 11,770 | 135,898 | 36,322 | 130 | 21,230 | 5,519 | 5,709 | 1,349 | 562,545 | 5,260 | 4,039 | 1,344 | 891 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,500 |
| | November | 575,600 | 346,770 | 11,085 | 134,574 | 36,556 | 130 | 21,268 | 5,477 | 5,714 | 1,345 | 562,988 | 5,332 | 4,069 | 1,350 | 895 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,612 |
| | December | 598,054 | 360,357 | 10,526 | 141,832 | 38,154 | 130 | 21,600 | 5,561 | 5,758 | 1,340 | 585,328 | 5,402 | 4,102 | 1,358 | 898 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,726 |
| 2018 | January | 587,933 | 357,981 | 9,720 | 134,936 | 37,987 | 130 | 21,681 | 5,509 | 5,751 | 1,331 | 575,095 | 5,475 | 4,133 | 1,364 | 901 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,838 |
| | February | 592,982 | 364,008 | 8,713 | 135,208 | 37,625 | 130 | 21,719 | 5,554 | 5,724 | 1,318 | 580,069 | 5,521 | 4,155 | 1,367 | 903 | 186 | 121 | 39 | 23 | 6 | 4 | 12,913 |

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

- (a) Pursuant to Section 51 of the Monetary Law Act, the Central Bank's holdings of notes and coins are not considered as part of its currency issue.
- (b) Currency notes in the denomination of Rs. 20 were issued from 4 August 1980, Rs. 1,000 from 23 December 1981, Rs. 500 from 9 February 1982, Rs. 200 from 4 February 1998, Rs. 2,000 from 17 October 2006 and Rs. 5,000 from 4 February 2011.
- (c) Currency notes of Rs. 5, Rs. 2 and Re. 1 are also included. The value of these notes remained unchanged at Rs. 37.2 million, Rs. 26.7 million and Rs. 5.0 million, respectively as at end February 2018.
- (d) This includes commemorative coins issued upto 28 February 2018. As at end February 2018, the values of Rs. 100 coins, Rs. 500 coins, Rs. 1,000 coins and Rs. 5,000 coins stand at Rs. 5.6 million, Rs. 24.6 million, Rs. 254.4 million and Rs. 44.2 million respectively. The total value of other commemorative coins, as at end February 2018, stands at Rs. 259.0 million.

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TABLE 63

Money Rates : The Central Bank and Commercial Banks^(a)

Per cent per annum

| End of Period | Central Bank of Sri Lanka | | Commercial Banks' Deposit Rates | | | | | | | | | | | Commercial Banks' Rates on Advances | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|---------------------------|--|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|------|------|------|
| | Overnight | | Fixed Deposits | | | | | | | | Savings Deposits | | AWDR (d) | Loans and Overdrafts | | | | | | Bills Purchased and Discounted | Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate (AWPR) (e) | Over-night SLIBOR Rate (f) | Interbank Call Market Rate | | | | | | | |
| | | | 3 month | | 6 month | | 12 month | | 24 month | | Maxi-imum | | | Secured by | | Un-Secured | | Maxi-imum | | | | | Mini-imum | | | | | | | |
| | Bank Rate (b) | Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR)(c) | Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR)(c) | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Average Weighted | Maxi-imum | Mini-imum | Average Weighted | | | |
| 2015 | 15.00 | 6.00 | 7.50 | 11.10 | 3.10 | 9.50 | 3.90 | 15.00 | 3.95 | 12.50 | 4.15 | 8.00 | 0.50 | 6.20 | 24.00 | 6.00 | 24.00 | 4.74 | 32.00 | 5.00 | 24.00 | 2.50 | 22.58 | 3.00 | 7.40 | 6.40 | 6.40 | 6.40 | 6.40 | |
| 2016 | 15.00 | 7.00 | 8.50 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.50 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.17 | 24.00 | 3.00 | 24.00 | 1.50 | 25.00 | 1.00 | 24.00 | 3.50 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 11.73 | 8.44 | 8.44 | 8.40 | 8.42 | |
| 2017 | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.75 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.13 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.07 | 28.00 | 5.25 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.33 | 8.15 | 8.25 | 8.10 | 8.15 | |
| 2016 | 1st Qtr | 15.00 | 6.50 | 8.00 | 10.25 | 3.75 | 10.15 | 3.90 | 15.00 | 3.95 | 12.50 | 4.15 | 8.00 | 0.50 | 6.44 | 24.00 | 3.25 | 25.00 | 2.00 | 30.00 | 1.88 | 24.00 | 6.00 | 22.00 | 3.25 | 8.87 | 8.10 | 8.15 | 8.00 | 8.09 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 15.00 | 6.50 | 8.00 | 11.25 | 4.00 | 11.75 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.50 | 12.50 | 5.00 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 6.87 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 25.00 | 2.00 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 24.00 | 6.00 | 22.00 | 2.47 | 10.48 | 8.20 | 8.20 | 8.18 | 8.20 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 15.00 | 7.00 | 8.50 | 12.95 | 4.00 | 12.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.50 | 13.00 | 5.00 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 7.56 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 25.00 | 1.50 | 25.00 | 1.50 | 26.00 | 6.00 | 24.00 | 2.53 | 12.29 | 8.44 | 8.42 | 8.42 | 8.42 |
| | 4th Qtr | 15.00 | 7.00 | 8.50 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.50 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.17 | 24.00 | 3.00 | 24.00 | 1.50 | 25.00 | 1.00 | 24.00 | 3.50 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 11.73 | 8.44 | 8.44 | 8.40 | 8.42 |
| 2017 | 1st Qtr | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.50 | 4.25 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.25 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.81 | 24.00 | 7.50 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 6.00 | 24.00 | 4.07 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.56 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 |
| | 2nd Qtr | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.60 | 4.00 | 14.12 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 9.13 | 24.00 | 3.92 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 2.50 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.84 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 |
| | 3rd Qtr | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.50 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.25 | 28.00 | 7.50 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 5.50 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.42 | 8.11 | 8.30 | 8.00 | 8.11 |
| | 4th Qtr | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.75 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.13 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.07 | 28.00 | 5.25 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.33 | 8.15 | 8.25 | 8.10 | 8.15 |
| 2017 | February | 15.00 | 7.00 | 8.50 | 13.25 | 4.25 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.66 | 24.00 | 3.25 | 25.00 | 2.00 | 26.00 | 1.00 | 24.00 | 6.00 | 24.00 | 1.06 | 11.55 | 8.50 | 8.50 | 8.49 | 8.49 |
| | March | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.50 | 4.25 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.25 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.81 | 24.00 | 7.50 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 6.00 | 24.00 | 4.07 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.56 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 |
| | April | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.66 | 4.25 | 13.75 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.89 | 24.00 | 7.50 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 5.00 | 24.00 | 7.75 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.74 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.65 | 8.72 |
| | May | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.60 | 4.00 | 14.12 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 8.99 | 24.00 | 3.98 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 4.07 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.67 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.70 | 8.72 |
| | June | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.60 | 4.00 | 14.12 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.00 | 0.50 | 9.13 | 24.00 | 3.92 | 24.00 | 5.00 | 25.00 | 2.50 | 24.00 | 2.00 | 24.00 | 3.29 | 11.84 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.75 |
| | July | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.40 | 4.00 | 14.12 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.19 | 28.00 | 4.00 | 28.00 | 5.00 | 28.00 | 5.00 | 28.00 | 7.75 | 24.00 | 6.00 | 11.88 | 8.75 | 8.75 | 8.70 | 8.75 |
| | August | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 13.25 | 4.00 | 14.12 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 14.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.21 | 28.00 | 3.50 | 30.00 | 5.00 | 30.00 | 1.50 | 36.87 | 3.00 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.67 | 8.44 | 8.30 | 7.95 | 8.20 |
| | September | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.50 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.25 | 28.00 | 7.50 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 5.50 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.42 | 8.11 | 8.30 | 8.00 | 8.11 |
| | October | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.65 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.22 | 28.00 | 8.00 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 5.50 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.30 | 8.15 | 8.25 | 8.10 | 8.15 |
| | November | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.50 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.40 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.19 | 28.00 | 8.42 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.40 | 8.15 | 8.25 | 8.10 | 8.13 |
| | December | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.75 | 4.00 | 13.50 | 4.00 | 15.00 | 4.89 | 13.00 | 5.13 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.07 | 28.00 | 5.25 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.33 | 8.15 | 8.25 | 8.10 | 8.15 |
| 2018 | January | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.75 | 4.00 | 13.00 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.53 | 13.00 | 5.13 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.08 | 28.00 | 9.03 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.29 | 8.15 | 8.15 | 8.10 | 8.15 |
| | February | 15.00 | 7.25 | 8.75 | 12.75 | 4.00 | 13.00 | 4.50 | 15.00 | 4.53 | 13.00 | 5.13 | 9.50 | 0.50 | 9.05 | 28.00 | 9.15 | 30.00 | 4.00 | 30.00 | 1.00 | 36.87 | 4.07 | 27.00 | 6.00 | 11.27 | 8.15 | 8.15 | 8.10 | 8.12 |

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) All interest rates are as at the end of period, unless otherwise stated.

(b) The rate at which the Central Bank grants advances to banking institutions as the lender of last resort.

(c) 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.

(d) The Average Weighted Deposit Rate (AWDR) is calculated by Central Bank monthly, based on the weighted average of all outstanding interest bearing deposits of commercial banks and the corresponding interest rates.

(e) The Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate (AWPR) is calculated by the Central Bank weekly, based on commercial bank's lending to their prime customers during the week. The monthly figures are average values of estimated weekly rates.

(f) The Sri Lanka Inter Bank Offered Rate (SLIBOR) is computed daily by the Central Bank, based on rates offered by commercial banks in the inter-bank market. The rate shown is the average of such offered rates by selected commercial banks.

Yield Rates on Government Securities

Per cent per annum /Rs. million

| End of Period | Primary Market Operations | | | | | | | | | | | | Secondary Market Operations (a) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|---|---------|---------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | Weighted Average Yield Rates (per cent per annum) | | | | | | | | | | | | Trading Volumes (b) (Rs. million) | | | | | | Yield Rates (c) (per cent per annum) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Treasury Bills | | | Treasury Bonds (d) | | | | | | | | | Treasury Bills | | | Treasury Bonds | | | Treasury Bills | | | Treasury Bonds | | | | | | | | | |
| | 91 day | 182 day | 364 day | 2 year | 3 year | 4 year | 5 year | 6 year | 7 year | 8 year | 9 year | 10 year | Above 10 year | Outright Transactions Purchased | Sold | Repo Transactions Repur-chased | Reverse Repur-chased | Outright Transactions Purchased | Sold | Repo Transactions Repur-chased | Reverse Repur-chased | <= 91 day | <= 182 day | <= 364 day | <= 1 year | <= 2 year | <= 3 year | <= 4 year | <= 5 year | <= 10 year | <= 15 year |
| 2015 (e) | 6.45 | 6.83 | 7.30 | 6.70 | 8.18 | 8.91 | 9.79 | 9.90 | 9.65 | 10.82 | - | 10.94 | 10.86 | 228,769 | 689,602 | 2,294,059 | 794,382 | 1,181,621 | 1,500,302 | 6,720,895 | 1,954,188 | 6.58 | 6.80 | 7.25 | - | 7.90 | 9.40 | 9.90 | 9.98 | 11.05 | 9.13 |
| 2016 (e) | 8.72 | 9.63 | 10.17 | 11.04 | 11.62 | 11.94 | 11.76 | 12.03 | 12.18 | 11.98 | 12.08 | 12.11 | 14.23 | 299,261 | 554,792 | 2,983,674 | 474,593 | 885,600 | 1,132,664 | 9,321,832 | 5,315,810 | 8.65 | 9.57 | 10.17 | - | 11.38 | 11.81 | 12.02 | 12.21 | 12.56 | - |
| 2017 (e) | 7.69 | 8.30 | 8.90 | 9.83 | 9.55 | 11.14 | 10.20 | 11.21 | 12.92 | 10.06 | 12.91 | 10.36 | - | 362,496 | 546,045 | 2,101,970 | 140,844 | 468,991 | 646,914 | 7,428,325 | 3,940,352 | 7.65 | 8.27 | 8.87 | - | 9.29 | 9.55 | 9.65 | 9.84 | 10.08 | - |
| 2016 (f) 1st Qtr | 8.90 | 9.76 | 10.64 | 11.75 | 11.75 | 12.78 | 13.00 | - | - | 12.26 | 13.80 | 13.93 | 14.23 | 59,994 | 134,155 | 394,011 | 112,472 | 216,701 | 256,415 | 1,889,420 | 974,194 | 9.20 | 10.05 | 10.30 | - | 11.63 | 12.50 | 12.85 | 12.88 | 13.90 | - |
| 2nd Qtr | 8.88 | 9.86 | 10.55 | 11.42 | 11.58 | 11.89 | 11.89 | 12.03 | - | 12.36 | 12.55 | 12.50 | - | 104,641 | 191,386 | 876,801 | 204,578 | 289,500 | 412,504 | 2,453,397 | 1,322,089 | 8.76 | 9.70 | 10.48 | - | 11.07 | 11.41 | 11.66 | 11.81 | 12.35 | - |
| 3rd Qtr | 8.55 | 9.39 | 10.11 | 11.04 | 11.62 | 10.61 | 11.76 | 12.03 | 12.18 | 10.96 | 12.08 | 11.06 | - | 86,053 | 142,203 | 848,616 | 76,172 | 241,936 | 323,026 | 2,948,459 | 1,613,659 | 8.64 | 9.56 | 10.27 | - | 10.69 | 10.93 | 11.11 | 11.28 | 11.62 | - |
| 4th Qtr | 8.72 | 9.63 | 10.17 | - | - | 11.94 | - | - | - | 11.98 | - | 12.11 | - | 48,573 | 87,088 | 864,246 | 81,371 | 137,463 | 140,719 | 2,030,556 | 1,405,868 | 8.65 | 9.57 | 10.17 | - | 11.38 | 11.81 | 12.02 | 12.21 | 12.56 | - |
| 2017(f) 1st Qtr | 9.63 | 10.62 | 10.98 | 12.30 | - | - | 12.89 | - | 13.14 | 12.39 | 12.91 | 12.21 | - | 66,807 | 84,933 | 791,651 | 50,679 | 141,117 | 144,813 | 1,665,086 | 1,129,945 | 9.52 | 10.42 | 10.75 | - | 11.74 | 12.19 | 12.44 | 12.54 | 12.79 | - |
| 2nd Qtr | 9.60 | 10.29 | 10.47 | 11.07 | - | 11.37 | 11.42 | 11.38 | 12.92 | 11.41 | - | 11.49 | - | 90,384 | 162,329 | 465,085 | 50,450 | 120,772 | 239,693 | 2,143,490 | 945,384 | 9.51 | 10.23 | 10.43 | - | 10.91 | 11.25 | 11.38 | 11.53 | 11.73 | - |
| 3rd Qtr | 8.71 | 9.01 | 9.10 | 9.83 | - | 11.14 | 10.09 | 11.21 | - | 10.54 | - | 10.31 | - | 136,860 | 177,360 | 417,980 | 33,427 | 137,604 | 188,154 | 2,058,259 | 970,155 | 8.54 | 8.88 | 9.09 | - | 9.38 | 9.66 | 9.89 | 10.02 | 10.28 | - |
| 4th Qtr | 7.69 | 8.30 | 8.90 | - | 9.55 | - | 10.20 | - | - | 10.06 | - | 10.36 | - | 68,445 | 121,423 | 427,254 | 6,288 | 69,498 | 74,254 | 1,561,490 | 894,868 | 7.65 | 8.27 | 8.87 | - | 9.29 | 9.55 | 9.65 | 9.84 | 10.08 | - |
| 2017 (g) Feb | 9.32 | 10.19 | 10.58 | 12.10 | - | - | 12.89 | - | 12.91 | - | - | - | - | 9,040 | 18,294 | 277,294 | 12,934 | 57,294 | 39,133 | 491,179 | 324,726 | 9.31 | 10.17 | 10.55 | - | 11.76 | 12.16 | 12.44 | 12.64 | 12.76 | - |
| Mar | 9.63 | 10.62 | 10.98 | 12.30 | - | - | - | - | 13.14 | - | - | - | - | 5,633 | 11,161 | 247,811 | 14,814 | 21,523 | 32,482 | 601,040 | 332,815 | 9.52 | 10.42 | 10.75 | - | 11.74 | 12.19 | 12.44 | 12.54 | 12.79 | - |
| April | 9.73 | 10.70 | 11.02 | 11.21 | - | - | 11.55 | - | 12.92 | 11.87 | - | - | - | 40,520 | 64,597 | 178,127 | 14,527 | 43,526 | 73,929 | 670,401 | 349,919 | 9.55 | 10.46 | 10.83 | - | 11.36 | 11.78 | 11.89 | 12.02 | 12.23 | - |
| May | 9.61 | 10.35 | 10.71 | 11.07 | - | - | 11.42 | 11.49 | - | 11.50 | - | - | - | 34,511 | 51,332 | 169,034 | 16,869 | 45,393 | 107,359 | 754,532 | 282,618 | 9.48 | 10.35 | 10.66 | - | 11.07 | 11.33 | 11.44 | 11.55 | 11.75 | - |
| June | 9.60 | 10.29 | 10.47 | - | - | 11.37 | - | 11.38 | - | 11.41 | - | 11.49 | - | 15,353 | 46,400 | 117,924 | 19,054 | 31,853 | 58,405 | 718,557 | 312,847 | 9.51 | 10.23 | 10.43 | - | 10.91 | 11.25 | 11.38 | 11.53 | 11.73 | - |
| July | 9.44 | 9.71 | 9.99 | - | - | 11.14 | 10.43 | 11.21 | - | 11.30 | - | 10.59 | - | 50,318 | 70,527 | 158,583 | 20,463 | 58,612 | 89,611 | 916,834 | 432,799 | 9.28 | 9.49 | 9.79 | - | 10.27 | 10.56 | 10.78 | 10.80 | 11.07 | - |
| Aug | 8.87 | 9.30 | 9.67 | 9.83 | - | - | - | - | - | 10.54 | - | - | - | 38,717 | 50,573 | 115,105 | 7,912 | 49,475 | 52,644 | 623,580 | 328,684 | 8.90 | 9.21 | 9.54 | - | 9.81 | 10.02 | 10.27 | 10.44 | 10.60 | - |
| Sep | 8.71 | 9.01 | 9.10 | - | - | - | 10.09 | - | - | - | - | 10.31 | - | 47,825 | 56,260 | 144,292 | 5,052 | 29,517 | 45,899 | 517,845 | 208,672 | 8.54 | 8.88 | 9.09 | - | 9.38 | 9.66 | 9.89 | 10.02 | 10.28 | - |
| Oct | 8.75 | 9.10 | 9.48 | - | 9.92 | - | - | - | - | 10.33 | - | - | - | 33,921 | 46,729 | 185,819 | 2,446 | 26,473 | 26,760 | 585,212 | 286,672 | 8.70 | 9.06 | 9.44 | - | 9.68 | 9.88 | 10.06 | 10.14 | 10.38 | - |
| Nov | 8.20 | 8.88 | 9.44 | - | - | - | 10.20 | - | - | - | - | 10.36 | - | 20,847 | 34,796 | 105,023 | 1,453 | 18,481 | 12,783 | 441,142 | 280,000 | 8.24 | 8.82 | 9.37 | - | 9.72 | 9.91 | 10.04 | 10.13 | 10.29 | - |
| Dec | 7.69 | 8.30 | 8.90 | - | 9.55 | - | - | - | - | 10.06 | - | - | - | 13,677 | 39,898 | 136,412 | 2,389 | 24,544 | 34,711 | 535,136 | 328,196 | 7.65 | 8.27 | 8.87 | - | 9.29 | 9.55 | 9.65 | 9.84 | 10.08 | - |
| 2018 (g) Jan | - | 7.95 | 8.90 | - | - | - | 9.44 | - | - | - | - | - | 10.05 | 13,504 | 46,295 | 116,711 | 3,323 | 27,124 | 30,983 | 456,154 | 272,473 | 7.65 | 8.00 | 8.87 | - | 9.14 | 9.39 | 9.41 | 9.49 | 9.80 | - |
| Feb | 8.24 | 8.52 | 9.59 | - | 9.85 | - | - | - | 10.34 | - | - | - | - | 19,685 | 46,617 | 121,242 | 4,541 | 30,679 | 49,047 | 429,610 | 334,708 | 8.22 | 8.50 | 9.51 | - | 9.59 | 9.86 | 9.93 | 10.08 | 10.34 | - |

(a) Secondary market information is based on data provided by Primary Dealers in Government Securities.

Sources: Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Primary Dealers in Government Securities

(b) Trading volumes reported are cumulative for the period.

(c) Yield rates are averages of bid and offer rates.

(d) Unlike Treasury bills, Treasury bonds are not issued on a regular basis. Hence, a continuous series of primary market yield rates does not exist.

(e) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields during the year

(f) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields during the quarter

(g) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields of the highest tenor during the month

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TABLE 65

Deposit and Lending Rates of Non-Commercial Bank Financial Institutions

Per cent per annum

| End of Period | Deposit Rates | | | | | | | Lending Rates | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|--|
| | National Savings Bank | | | State Mortgage & Investment Bank | DFCC Bank (a) | Sanasa Development Bank | | National Savings Bank (b) | State Mortgage & Investment Bank | DFCC Bank (a) | Sanasa Development Bank | National Housing Development Authority (c) |
| | Savings Deposits | Fixed Deposits (1 year) | National Savings Certificates | Fixed Deposits (1 year) | Fixed Deposits (1 year) | Savings Deposits | Fixed Deposits (1 year) | | | | | |
| 2015 | 5.00 | 7.25 | 7.25 | 6.50 | 7.50 | 4.00–6.50 | 8.00–15.00 | 9.00–14.00 | 7.07–13.50 | 9.00–11.50 | 5.00–20.00 | 3.73–13.00 |
| 2016 | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 9.75–15.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 3.73–6.00 |
| 2017 | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| 2016 1st Quarter | 4.50 | 8.50 | 8.50 | 8.25 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 8.75–15.00 | 9.00–14.00 | 8.12–13.50 | – | 5.00–21.00 | 3.73–6.00 |
| 2nd Quarter | 4.50 | 10.00 | 10.00 | 10.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 9.50–15.00 | 9.00–14.00 | 9.69–16.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 3.73–6.00 |
| 3rd Quarter | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 10.75–15.00 | 9.00–14.50 | 9.96–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 3.73–6.00 |
| 4th Quarter | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 9.75–15.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 3.73–6.00 |
| 2017 1st Quarter | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 10.00–15.25 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| 2nd Quarter | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 12.25–15.00 | 12.75–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| 3rd Quarter | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 12.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| 4th Quarter | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| 2017 February | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 5.00–15.25 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| March | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 10.00–15.25 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| April | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 12.75–16.00 | 10.25–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| May | 4.25 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 11.50–15.00 | 12.75–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| June | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–6.50 | 12.25–15.00 | 12.75–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| July | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 12.00–15.00 | 12.75–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| August | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 12.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| September | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.50–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–24.00 | 5.00 |
| October | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| November | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| December | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 11.00–15.00 | 13.00–16.00 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| 2017 January | 4.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 10.50–15.00 | 13.00–15.75 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |
| February | 4.00 | 10.50 | 10.50 | 11.00 | – | 4.00–10.00 | 10.50–15.00 | 13.00–15.75 | 10.50–20.00 | – | 5.00–22.00 | 5.00 |

(a) 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.

(b) Data from 2015 to September 2016 were revised by National Savings Bank.

(c) Data from 2017 January to 2017 September were revised by National Housing Development Authority.

Sources : Respective Licensed Specialised Banks
National Housing Development Authority

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TABLE 66
Interest Rates of Licensed Commercial Banks (as at 28th February, 2018)

Per cent per annum

| Bank | Amana Bank Ltd. | Axis Bank | Bank of Ceylon | Cargills Bank Ltd. | Citi Bank, N.A. | Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC | Deutsche Bank AG | DFCC Bank PLC. | Habib Bank Ltd. | Hatton National Bank PLC | ICICI Bank Ltd. | Indian Bank | Indian Overseas Bank | MCB Bank Ltd. | National Development Bank PLC | Nations Trust Bank PLC | Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC | People's Bank | Public Bank Berhad | Sampath Bank PLC | Seylan Bank PLC | Standard Chartered Bank | State Bank of India | The Hong-kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd. | Union Bank of Colombo PLC |
|---|---|-----------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---|---------------------------|
| SELECTED TYPES OF DEPOSITS | Interest Rates on Deposits – % per annum | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Savings Deposits | 3.5-4.7 | 2.0-5.5 | 4.0-5.0 | 4.5-5.5 | 3.0-7.0 | 3.5 | 2.0-7.0 | 1.0-8.3 | 4.5 | 3.5-8.5 | 3.0 | 5.0-6.0 | 4.0-5.0 | 0.0-5.0 | 3.3 | 2.0-10.5 | 3.0-4.0 | 4.0-7.0 | 2.5 | 3.5-5.3 | 3.5 | 0.7-3.0 | 3.5 | 0.5-5.6 | 4.0-7.0 |
| Annual Effective Rate | 3.6-4.8 | 2.0-6.2 | 4.0-5.0 | 4.6-5.6 | - | 3.6 | 2.0-7.2 | 10-8.6 | 4.6 | 3.6-8.8 | 3.0 | - | - | 0.0-5.1 | 3.3 | 2.0-11.0 | 3.0-4.1 | 4.3-7.0 | 2.5 | 3.6-5.4 | 3.6 | 0.7-3.0 | 3.6 | 0.5-5.7 | 4.0-7.0 |
| Time Deposits - 12 months | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Interest payable at maturity | 8.7-11.3 | 7.8-9.5 | 10.8-15.0 | 11.3-11.8 | 4.5-7.0 | 10.5-11.0 | 8.4 | 11.0 | 10.5-11.5 | 10.5-15.0 | 5.0 | 6.8-7.8 | 8.0-9.0 | 9.6-12.3 | 10.5-12.0 | 5.8-15.0 | 12.3 | 10.8-11.3 | 11.5 | 10.5 | 11.0-11.7 | 6.6-7.8 | 6.0 | 6.9-7.4 | 10.3-11.3 |
| Annual Effective Rate | 8.7-11.3 | 7.8 | 10.8-15.0 | 11.3-11.8 | - | 10.5-11.0 | 8.4 | 11.0 | 10.5-11.5 | 10.5-15.0 | 5.0 | 6.8-7.8 | - | 9.6-12.3 | 10.5-12.0 | 5.8-15.0 | 12.3 | 10.8-11.3 | 11.5 | 10.5 | 11.0-11.7 | 6.6-7.8 | 6.0 | 6.9-7.4 | 10.3-11.3 |
| Interest payable monthly | 8.4-11.2 | 7.5-8.2 | 10.3-14.1 | 11.0 | - | 10.0-10.5 | - | 10.3 | 9.5-10.5 | 10.0-14.1 | 4.9 | 6.5-7.5 | 7.7-8.7 | 9.6-10.5 | 10.0-10.9 | 5.5-14.1 | 11.3 | 10.3-10.8 | 11.0 | 10.0 | 10.3-10.8 | 6.5-7.8 | 5.8 | 6.4-6.9 | 9.8-10.5 |
| Annual Effective Rate | 8.7-11.8 | 7.8 | 10.8-15.0 | 11.6 | - | 10.5-11.0 | - | 10.8 | 9.9-11.0 | 10.5-15.0 | 5.0 | 5.6-7.6 | - | 10.0-11.0 | 10.5-11.5 | 5.6-15.0 | 11.9 | 10.8-11.3 | 11.6 | 10.5 | 10.8-11.3 | 6.7-8.0 | 5.9 | 6.6-7.1 | 10.2-11.0 |
| NRFC Savings Deposits | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - US Dollars | 2.3-3.5 | 0.2-0.3 | 2.0 | 1.8 | - | 2.0-3.8 | - | 1.3-3.5 | 1.0 | 1.8-4.0 | 0.2 | 0.5-0.6 | 1.0 | 1.3-2.5 | 1.0-2.0 | 1.0-1.5 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 2.0 | - | 1.0 | 0.1 | 2.0 |
| Annual Effective Rate | 2.4-3.6 | 0.2-0.3 | 2.0 | 1.8 | - | 2.0-3.9 | - | 1.3-3.6 | 1.0 | 1.8-4.1 | 0.2 | - | - | 1.3-2.5 | 1.0-2.0 | 1.0-1.5 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 2.0 | - | 1.0 | 0.1 | 2.0 |
| SELECTED TYPES OF ADVANCES | Interest Rates on Advances – % per annum | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lending to Prime Customers | 11.3-17.4 | - | 11.5-15.3 | 13.3-16.5 | 10.8-12.2 | 7.8 | 10.3 | 12.1-15.1 | - | 28.0 | 2.4-3.9 | 13.0 | 13.0-16.0 | 4.0-24.0 | 12.8-15.5 | 4.0-28.0 | 14.0-15.0 | 11.7- | 13.0 | 12.6-18.0 | 11.0-15.0 | 11.2-13.4 | - | 10.0-24.0 | 11.7-15.3 |
| Export Bill Finance | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - Rupee Facilities | 12.6-18.0 | 10.0-17.0 | - | - | 10.8-12.2 | 11.0-11.5 | - | - | - | 11.0-13.0 | - | 11.5-14.5 | 13.0-16.0 | - | 18.5 | 14.4-14.7 | 13.0-16.0 | - | - | 16.0 | 12.0-17.0 | 9.7-12.5 | 12.0-14.0 | - | 15.2-24.0 |
| Import Bill Finance | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - Rupee Facilities | 13.6-18.0 | 10.0-17.0 | 12.2-14.2 | - | 10.8-12.2 | 11.0-16.1 | 10.4-10.8 | 7.8-28.0 | - | 13.8-17.3 | - | 13.5-14.5 | 13.0-16.0 | 11.5-16.3 | - | 11.1-26.8 | 11.0-20.0 | 18.5 | 11.3-15.0 | 11.6-15.1 | 11.8-14.0 | 11.2-13.0 | 14.0-15.0 | - | 11.0-18.0 |
| Lease Finance | 14.5-17.3 | - | 13.0-17.5 | - | - | 8.5-19.0 | - | 14.0-20.0 | - | 14.3-18.0 | - | - | - | 8.8-17.0 | 14.8-17.0 | 9.0-28.0 | - | - | - | 14.0-14.5 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Agriculture - short-term (up to one year) | 13.6-18.9 | 10.0-17.0 | 13.0-16.5 | 7.0-18.0 | - | 6.0-20.0 | - | 13.1-14.0 | - | 16.0-19.0 | 9.9-10.1 | 12.4-14.5 | - | 9.5-15.3 | 13.8-20.0 | 8.0-26.0 | - | 14.5-16.5 | 12.0-15.0 | 6.0-16.5 | 7.0-16.0 | - | 14.0-15.0 | 8.0-24.0 | 7.0-17.7 |
| Residential Housing | 14.3-15.3 | - | 12.5-14.5 | 15.0 | - | 9.3-16.0 | - | 14.0-16.0 | - | 13.3-15.8 | - | 14.5 | - | - | 10.0-16.8 | 9.3-18.0 | 13.5-16.5 | 14.5-16.5 | 12.0-16.5 | 14.5-15.5 | 13.3-15.8 | - | - | 11.1-18.0 | 6.0-18.0 |
| SMI Lending (up to 5 years) | 14.2-20.4 | 10.0-17.0 | 8.0-10.0 | 13.8-16.5 | - | 2.0-17.5 | - | 15.0-15.5 | 6.5 | 14.5-17.0 | - | - | 13.0-16.0 | 1.5-17.0 | 6.6-17.8 | 6.0-28.0 | 5.5-20.0 | 6.0-15.0 | - | 8.0 | 6.8-17.0 | - | 14.0-16.0 | - | 6.0-24.0 |
| Pawning | 15.5 | - | 17.5 | - | - | 18.0-20.0 | - | 21.0 | - | 21.0-22.0 | - | - | - | - | 19.0 | 18.0-22.0 | 19.0-22.0 | 18.0 | - | 21.8-22.0 | 20.0 | - | - | - | 14.5-20.0 |
| US Dollar Loans to Exporters | 6.6-7.1 | 1.0-5.0 | 5.3-8.0 | - | - | 3.5-7.0 | 2.4 | 5.2-7.8 | - | 6.2 | - | - | 3.0-6.0 | 3.5-6.6 | 4.3-11.2 | 3.8-7.1 | 4.5-10.0 | 3.5-5.0 | - | 3.5-8.0 | 3.5-7.0 | 2.0-4.9 | 3.0-5.0 | 3.6-6.8 | 4.4-6.0 |
| Overdrafts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Corporate Lending | 12.6-16.0 | - | 26.0-27.0 | 26.0 | 14.0 | 11.5-24.0 | - | 28.0 | 28.0 | 16.8-28.0 | 24.0 | - | 19.0-21.0 | 11.5-24.0 | 16.5 | 12.8-24.0 | 29.0 | - | 24.0 | 14.1-18.0 | 16.5-28.0 | 8.4-24.0 | 16.0-18.0 | 24.0 | 28.0 |
| Personal / Retail Lending | 13.6-16.0 | - | 26.0-27.0 | 26.0 | - | 15.0-24.0 | - | 20.0-28.0 | 28.0 | 18.3-28.0 | 24.0 | - | 19.0-21.0 | 12.8-24.0 | 15.0-18.0 | - | 29.0 | 24.0 | 24.0 | 24.0-26.0 | 18.0-28.0 | 14.0-14.7 | 16.0-18.0 | 18.5 | 28.0 |

Source : Licensed Commercial Banks

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TABLE 67

Commercial Banks' Fees and Commissions
(as at end December 2017)

A. Export and Import Related Transactions

| Export Services | Maximum | Minimum |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| LC Advising Charges | Rs. 8,000 US \$ 60 | Rs. 1,000 US \$ 10 |
| Negotiation of documentary bills | Rs. 50,000 US \$ 300 0.30% | Rs. 1,500 US \$ 13 0.10% |
| Bills for collection | Rs. 15,000 US \$ 150 0.30% | Rs. 1,000 US \$ 7 0.10% |
| Confirmation of documentary credit | Rs. 7,500 1.50% | Rs. 200 0.25% |
| Documents with discrepancies | Rs. 3,250 US \$ 50 | Rs. 750 US \$ 7 |
| Import Services | | |
| Establishing of LCs | Rs. 7,500 US \$ 75 0.50% | Rs. 500 US \$ 5 0.08% |
| Shipping indemnities | Rs. 5,500 US \$ 50 0.50% | Rs. 1,500 US \$ 15 0.13% |
| Import bills for collection | Rs. 100,000 US \$ 450 0.50% | Rs. 1,000 US \$ 25 0.25% |
| DC Transmission / Telex charges | Rs. 3,200 US \$ 50 | Rs. 1,000 US \$ 10 |
| Documents with discrepancies | Rs. 7,665 US \$ 130 | Rs. 2,000 US \$ 20 |

B. Foreign Remittances

| Inward | Maximum | Minimum |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Telegraphic transfers | Rs. 3,500 US \$ 300 | Rs. 100 US \$ 2 |
| Foreign drafts purchased | Rs. 7,750 US \$ 65 0.50% | Rs. 200 US \$ 1 0.25% |
| Foreign Remittances – Outward | | |
| Telegraphic transfers | Rs. 15,000 US \$ 2,500 | Rs. 500 US \$ 5 |
| Foreign drafts | Rs. 15,000 US \$ 65 | Rs. 300 US \$ 3 |
| Traveller's Cheques | | |
| Agent's commission | 0.00% | 0.50% |
| Issuing charges | Rs. 0 0.00% | Rs. 0 0.50% |
| Encashment charges | Rs. 1,000 | Rs. 200 |
| Foreign Currency Accounts | | |
| Inward TTs | Rs. 3,500 US \$ 300 | Rs. 150 US \$ 2 |
| Foreign currency notes | Rs. 0 2.50% | Rs. 500 0.10% |
| Traveller's cheques | Rs. 0 US \$ 7 | Rs. 1,000 US \$ 5 |

C. Domestic Banking Operations

| Current Accounts | Maximum | Minimum |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Issuing cheques | Rs. 200 | Rs. 5 |
| Returned cheques | | |
| – for insufficient funds | Rs. 4,500 | Rs. 500 |
| – technical objections | Rs. 2,000 | Rs. 75 |
| Stopped cheques | Rs. 7,000 | Rs. 250 |
| Standing instructions | Rs. 5,000 | Rs. 50 |
| Monthly service charges | Rs. 3,000 | Rs. 50 |
| Loans | | |
| Application processing fees | Rs. 893,750 | Rs. 100 |
| Inspection charges | Rs. 50,000 | Rs. 1,500 |
| ATM and Credit Cards | | |
| ATM cards | | |
| – Issuing fee | Rs. 750 | Rs. 100 |
| Credit cards | | |
| – Issuing fee | Rs. 6,500 | Rs. 200 |
| – Renewal fee | Rs. 10,000 | Rs. 600 |

Notes :

- (1) Commercial banks charge a variety of fees and commissions on their services. The table gives a range of the maximum and minimum fees and commissions which are based on the information provided by commercial banks. These charges, which do not change very frequently, are published semi-annually to enable the public to negotiate best terms. These fees and commissions could be different when services and products are provided as a package.
- (2) These are standard charges of commercial banks. However, charges for some specific products could include charges payable to banks abroad. For example, banks in Sri Lanka may include in their charge fees payable to banks abroad such as for adding confirmation to Letters of Credit, and for correction of discrepancies.
- (3) In the case of Documentary Credits, the charges for transmission outward from Sri Lanka would differ, depending on the mode of transmission used.
- (4) Loan application processing fees vary according to the loan amount.

Cheque Clearing and SLIPS^(a)

Value in Rs. million

| Period | Cheque Clearing | | SLIPS | | |
|--------|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|---------|
| | No. | Value | No. | Value | |
| 2015 | 49,325,706 | 8,434,006 | 23,279,340 | 1,169,103 | |
| 2016 | 51,995,844 | 9,601,484 | 26,646,737 | 1,457,507 | |
| 2017 | 51,963,277 | 10,481,916 | 30,017,813 | 1,725,039 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 12,965,768 | 2,311,515 | 6,191,643 | 334,612 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 12,488,606 | 2,269,593 | 6,535,401 | 347,487 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 13,261,504 | 2,458,093 | 6,680,776 | 371,592 |
| | 4th Quarter | 13,279,966 | 2,562,282 | 7,238,917 | 403,816 |
| 2017 | 1st Quarter | 13,547,536 | 2,712,703 | 7,188,769 | 425,058 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 12,381,487 | 2,494,194 | 7,584,489 | 415,625 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 12,944,631 | 2,608,188 | 7,349,776 | 427,030 |
| | 4th Quarter | 13,089,623 | 2,666,832 | 7,894,779 | 457,327 |
| 2017 | February | 4,059,860 | 800,278 | 2,222,334 | 130,534 |
| | March | 4,821,387 | 983,662 | 2,615,858 | 156,700 |
| | April | 3,776,026 | 783,752 | 2,696,871 | 138,723 |
| | May | 4,427,104 | 876,044 | 2,426,953 | 138,789 |
| | June | 4,178,357 | 834,398 | 2,460,665 | 138,112 |
| | July | 4,391,518 | 866,432 | 2,390,867 | 139,466 |
| | August | 4,487,633 | 919,063 | 2,571,926 | 149,018 |
| | September | 4,065,480 | 822,693 | 2,386,983 | 138,546 |
| | October | 4,580,112 | 894,961 | 2,498,741 | 148,135 |
| | November | 4,385,371 | 893,515 | 2,577,106 | 147,777 |
| | December | 4,124,140 | 878,355 | 2,818,932 | 161,416 |
| 2018 | January | 4,574,495 | 933,538 | 2,576,122 | 153,843 |
| | February | 4,193,169 | 862,329 | 2,567,054 | 152,334 |

(a) SLIPS : Sri Lanka Interbank Payments System

Source : LankaClear (Pvt) Ltd.

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TABLE 69

Commercial Banks' Debits and Deposits Turnover^(a)

| Rs. million | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|---|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|------|
| During the Period | Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts | | Average Demand Deposits | Rate of Turnover | | Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts | | Average Time Deposits | Rate of Turnover | | Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts | | Average Savings Deposits | Rate of Turnover | | |
| | Total for Period | Monthly Average | | Total for Period (1)+(3) | Month (2)+(3) | Total for Period | Average | | Total for Period (6)+(8) | Month (7)+(8) | Total for Period | Average | | Total for Period (11)+(13) | Month (12)+(13) | |
| | (1) | (2) | | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | | (9) | (10) | (11) | (12) | | (14) | (15) | |
| 2015 | 31,415,213.2 | 2,617,934.4 | 270,074.3 | 116.32 | 9.69 | 1,651,868.7 | 137,655.7 | 1,684,055.2 | 0.98 | 0.08 | 11,722,438.3 | 976,869.9 | 1,239,662.1 | 9.46 | 0.79 | |
| 2016 | 35,087,534.7 | 2,923,961.2 | 298,963.7 | 117.36 | 9.78 | 2,166,889.8 | 180,574.1 | 2,139,816.0 | 1.01 | 0.08 | 12,395,545.5 | 1,032,962.1 | 1,382,776.8 | 8.96 | 0.75 | |
| 2017 | 39,412,768.2 | 3,284,397.3 | 309,212.6 | 127.46 | 10.62 | 2,611,895.1 | 217,657.9 | 2,851,154.7 | 0.92 | 0.08 | 13,259,620.7 | 1,104,968.4 | 1,476,804.5 | 8.98 | 0.75 | |
| 2016 | 1st Quarter | 10,549,734.2 | 3,516,578.1 | 300,173.1 | 35.15 | 11.72 | 513,985.3 | 171,328.4 | 1,952,923.0 | 0.26 | 0.09 | 3,167,850.5 | 1,055,950.2 | 1,353,740.8 | 2.34 | 0.78 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 8,411,904.6 | 2,803,968.2 | 299,660.3 | 28.07 | 9.36 | 539,285.4 | 179,761.8 | 2,037,585.3 | 0.26 | 0.09 | 3,200,068.4 | 1,066,689.5 | 1,385,890.0 | 2.31 | 0.77 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 7,846,791.9 | 2,615,597.3 | 294,478.3 | 26.65 | 8.88 | 542,600.5 | 180,866.8 | 2,192,998.8 | 0.25 | 0.08 | 3,022,294.4 | 1,007,431.5 | 1,389,191.9 | 2.18 | 0.73 |
| | 4th Quarter | 8,279,104.0 | 2,759,701.3 | 301,542.9 | 27.46 | 9.15 | 571,018.6 | 190,339.5 | 2,375,756.9 | 0.24 | 0.08 | 3,005,332.2 | 1,001,777.4 | 1,402,284.4 | 2.14 | 0.71 |
| 2017 | 1st Quarter | 9,630,649.9 | 3,210,216.6 | 313,116.5 | 30.76 | 10.25 | 648,319.1 | 216,106.4 | 2,555,960.3 | 0.25 | 0.08 | 3,281,706.7 | 1,093,902.2 | 1,435,950.2 | 2.29 | 0.76 |
| | 2nd Quarter | 9,137,332.7 | 3,045,777.6 | 309,652.0 | 29.51 | 9.84 | 613,019.3 | 204,339.8 | 2,765,435.6 | 0.22 | 0.07 | 3,015,653.6 | 1,005,217.9 | 1,460,189.0 | 2.07 | 0.69 |
| | 3rd Quarter | 10,086,811.0 | 3,362,270.3 | 307,054.2 | 32.85 | 10.95 | 765,030.4 | 255,010.1 | 2,972,351.3 | 0.26 | 0.09 | 3,357,576.2 | 1,119,192.1 | 1,488,310.8 | 2.26 | 0.75 |
| | 4th Quarter | 10,557,974.5 | 3,519,324.8 | 307,028.0 | 34.39 | 11.46 | 585,526.3 | 195,175.4 | 3,110,871.6 | 0.19 | 0.06 | 3,604,684.1 | 1,201,561.4 | 1,522,768.1 | 2.37 | 0.79 |
| 2017 | February | 2,654,840.2 | | 309,435.9 | 8.58 | | 172,013.1 | | 2,551,400.4 | 0.07 | | 971,270.1 | | 1,433,924.5 | 0.68 | |
| | March | 3,462,973.7 | | 313,440.3 | 11.05 | | 263,501.3 | | 2,619,855.7 | 0.10 | | 1,279,728.6 | | 1,450,551.4 | 0.88 | |
| | April | 2,827,216.0 | | 314,734.9 | 8.98 | | 167,987.4 | | 2,696,044.1 | 0.06 | | 988,486.0 | | 1,459,112.3 | 0.68 | |
| | May | 3,158,813.2 | | 307,277.7 | 10.28 | | 216,636.7 | | 2,766,554.8 | 0.08 | | 1,024,015.9 | | 1,455,931.5 | 0.70 | |
| | June | 3,151,303.5 | | 306,943.3 | 10.27 | | 228,395.3 | | 2,833,707.9 | 0.08 | | 1,003,151.7 | | 1,465,523.2 | 0.68 | |
| | July | 3,186,903.0 | | 313,382.1 | 10.17 | | 250,202.6 | | 2,906,029.4 | 0.09 | | 1,090,297.4 | | 1,478,577.0 | 0.74 | |
| | August | 3,344,244.9 | | 307,883.2 | 10.86 | | 279,535.1 | | 2,975,898.4 | 0.09 | | 1,121,492.3 | | 1,486,099.4 | 0.75 | |
| | September | 3,555,663.2 | | 299,897.2 | 11.86 | | 235,292.6 | | 3,035,126.1 | 0.08 | | 1,145,786.5 | | 1,500,255.9 | 0.76 | |
| | October | 3,581,782.4 | | 300,753.2 | 11.91 | | 245,904.6 | | 3,088,495.2 | 0.08 | | 1,240,337.9 | | 1,515,678.8 | 0.82 | |
| | November | 3,738,855.1 | | 302,223.4 | 12.37 | | 187,260.6 | | 3,109,319.2 | 0.06 | | 1,236,851.6 | | 1,520,067.9 | 0.81 | |
| | December | 3,237,337.0 | | 318,107.3 | 10.18 | | 152,361.1 | | 3,134,800.3 | 0.05 | | 1,127,494.7 | | 1,532,557.7 | 0.74 | |
| 2018 | January | 3,305,257.6 | | 327,326.2 | 10.10 | | 183,973.4 | | 3,207,241.9 | 0.06 | | 1,173,862.6 | | 1,542,182.4 | 0.76 | |
| | February | 3,114,096.5 | | 318,319.8 | 9.78 | | 174,739.5 | | 3,281,997.1 | 0.05 | | 1,181,773.5 | | 1,556,883.2 | 0.76 | |

(a) This covers debits made to demand, time and savings accounts (denominated in Rupees) held by residents and non-residents excluding the government and public corporations.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

**Ownership of Demand, Time and Savings Deposits of the Private Sector
with Commercial Banks**

Amount in Rs. million

| Description | End of Period | Demand | | Time | | Savings | | Total | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| 1. Financial Institutions | Mar 2017 | 24,259 | 7.1 | 74,437 | 2.8 | 9,236 | 0.6 | 107,932 | 2.4 |
| | Jun 2017 | 26,134 | 7.8 | 91,071 | 3.2 | 12,584 | 0.8 | 129,790 | 2.8 |
| | Sep 2017 | 20,938 | 6.3 | 120,243 | 4.1 | 16,183 | 1.0 | 157,364 | 3.2 |
| | Dec 2017 | 22,563 | 6.2 | 139,042 | 4.6 | 27,022 | 1.7 | 188,627 | 3.8 |
| 2. Plantations | Mar 2017 | 2,968 | 0.9 | 4,633 | 0.2 | 2,652 | 0.2 | 10,254 | 0.2 |
| | Jun 2017 | 3,191 | 0.9 | 4,738 | 0.2 | 2,215 | 0.1 | 10,143 | 0.2 |
| | Sep 2017 | 4,094 | 1.2 | 4,665 | 0.2 | 2,979 | 0.2 | 11,738 | 0.2 |
| | Dec 2017 | 8,440 | 2.3 | 7,252 | 0.2 | 4,454 | 0.3 | 20,146 | 0.4 |
| 3. Trading | Mar 2017 | 31,509 | 9.2 | 55,155 | 2.1 | 18,742 | 1.2 | 105,406 | 2.3 |
| | Jun 2017 | 25,157 | 7.5 | 49,171 | 1.7 | 17,377 | 1.1 | 91,705 | 2.0 |
| | Sep 2017 | 27,423 | 8.3 | 56,794 | 1.9 | 17,644 | 1.1 | 101,861 | 2.1 |
| | Dec 2017 | 32,501 | 8.9 | 45,989 | 1.5 | 21,135 | 1.3 | 99,625 | 2.0 |
| 4. Manufacturing Establishments | Mar 2017 | 16,305 | 4.7 | 50,739 | 1.9 | 18,728 | 1.2 | 85,772 | 1.9 |
| | Jun 2017 | 20,017 | 6.0 | 55,823 | 2.0 | 15,712 | 1.0 | 91,552 | 2.0 |
| | Sep 2017 | 14,823 | 4.5 | 47,112 | 1.6 | 10,016 | 0.6 | 71,951 | 1.5 |
| | Dec 2017 | 16,297 | 4.5 | 55,423 | 1.8 | 13,801 | 0.9 | 85,521 | 1.7 |
| 5. Other Business Institutions | Mar 2017 | 103,326 | 30.0 | 336,045 | 12.7 | 97,989 | 6.5 | 537,360 | 11.9 |
| | Jun 2017 | 97,662 | 29.1 | 372,191 | 13.2 | 75,345 | 4.9 | 545,198 | 11.7 |
| | Sep 2017 | 95,038 | 28.8 | 396,165 | 13.5 | 91,726 | 5.8 | 582,929 | 12.0 |
| | Dec 2017 | 115,186 | 31.6 | 428,068 | 14.1 | 112,984 | 7.0 | 656,239 | 13.1 |
| 6. Non-Business Institutions | Mar 2017 | 30,655 | 8.9 | 153,285 | 5.8 | 21,890 | 1.5 | 205,830 | 4.6 |
| | Jun 2017 | 30,235 | 9.0 | 153,296 | 5.5 | 22,870 | 1.5 | 206,401 | 4.4 |
| | Sep 2017 | 32,480 | 9.8 | 124,706 | 4.2 | 22,597 | 1.4 | 179,783 | 3.7 |
| | Dec 2017 | 29,847 | 8.2 | 121,800 | 4.0 | 27,223 | 1.7 | 178,870 | 3.6 |
| 7. Local Authorities | Mar 2017 | 14,390 | 4.2 | 11,686 | 0.4 | 3,522 | 0.2 | 29,598 | 0.7 |
| | Jun 2017 | 16,321 | 4.9 | 12,030 | 0.4 | 2,942 | 0.2 | 31,293 | 0.7 |
| | Sep 2017 | 15,715 | 4.8 | 8,522 | 0.3 | 2,476 | 0.2 | 26,712 | 0.6 |
| | Dec 2017 | 18,035 | 4.9 | 8,316 | 0.3 | 2,857 | 0.2 | 29,208 | 0.6 |
| 8. Individuals | Mar 2017 | 120,490 | 35.0 | 1,965,036 | 74.1 | 1,335,483 | 88.5 | 3,421,008 | 76.0 |
| | Jun 2017 | 117,419 | 34.9 | 2,071,765 | 73.7 | 1,377,750 | 90.2 | 3,566,935 | 76.3 |
| | Sep 2017 | 119,863 | 36.3 | 2,185,392 | 74.2 | 1,406,901 | 89.6 | 3,712,156 | 76.6 |
| | Dec 2017 | 122,145 | 33.5 | 2,228,245 | 73.4 | 1,414,079 | 87.1 | 3,764,469 | 74.9 |
| 9. Total | Mar 2017 | 343,903 | 100.0 | 2,651,016 | 100.0 | 1,508,241 | 100.0 | 4,503,160 | 100.0 |
| | Jun 2017 | 336,135 | 100.0 | 2,810,085 | 100.0 | 1,526,797 | 100.0 | 4,673,016 | 100.0 |
| | Sep 2017 | 330,374 | 100.0 | 2,943,598 | 100.0 | 1,570,522 | 100.0 | 4,844,494 | 100.0 |
| | Dec 2017 | 365,013 | 100.0 | 3,034,137 | 100.0 | 1,623,556 | 100.0 | 5,022,705 | 100.0 |

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Commercial Banks' Loans and Advances to the Private Sector ^{(a)(b)(c)}

| Category | December 2016 (d) | | December 2017 (e) | | % Change |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | Amount (Rs. mn.) | as a % of Total | Amount (Rs. mn.) | as a % of Total | |
| 1. Agriculture and Fishing | 361,463 | 8.5 | 412,371 | 8.4 | 14.1 |
| <i>of which,</i> | | | | | |
| Tea | 82,435 | 1.9 | 91,048 | 1.9 | 10.4 |
| Rubber | 23,803 | 0.6 | 24,432 | 0.5 | 2.6 |
| Coconut | 16,261 | 0.4 | 20,444 | 0.4 | 25.7 |
| Paddy | 28,947 | 0.7 | 32,594 | 0.7 | 12.6 |
| Vegetable and Fruit Cultivation, and Minor Food Crops | 25,093 | 0.6 | 29,336 | 0.6 | 16.9 |
| Livestock and Dairy Farming | 15,387 | 0.4 | 21,502 | 0.4 | 39.7 |
| Fisheries | 14,045 | 0.3 | 17,504 | 0.4 | 24.6 |
| 2. Industry | 1,707,466 | 40.2 | 2,041,423 | 41.7 | 19.6 |
| <i>of which,</i> | | | | | |
| Construction | 811,249 | 19.1 | 993,450 | 20.3 | 22.5 |
| <i>of which,</i> | | | | | |
| Personal Housing including Purchasing / Construction / Repairs | 389,440 | 9.2 | 472,969 | 9.7 | 21.4 |
| Staff Housing | 69,077 | 1.6 | 72,981 | 1.5 | 5.7 |
| Food and Beverages | 95,334 | 2.2 | 105,135 | 2.1 | 10.3 |
| Textiles and Apparel | 159,358 | 3.8 | 174,671 | 3.6 | 9.6 |
| Wood and Wood Products including Furniture | 14,911 | 0.4 | 17,980 | 0.4 | 20.6 |
| Paper and Paper Products | 13,336 | 0.3 | 17,418 | 0.4 | 30.6 |
| Chemical, Petroleum, Pharmaceutical and Healthcare and Rubber and Plastic Products | 76,706 | 1.8 | 90,476 | 1.8 | 18.0 |
| Non-Metallic Mineral Products | 16,645 | 0.4 | 24,092 | 0.5 | 44.7 |
| Basic metal Products | 23,610 | 0.6 | 30,991 | 0.6 | 31.3 |
| Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery and Transport Equipment | 148,762 | 3.5 | 170,257 | 3.5 | 14.4 |
| Other Manufactured Products | 19,366 | 0.5 | 21,660 | 0.4 | 11.8 |
| 3. Services | 1,287,626 | 30.3 | 1,393,900 | 28.4 | 8.3 |
| <i>of which,</i> | | | | | |
| Wholesale and Retail Trade | 387,271 | 9.1 | 435,796 | 8.9 | 12.5 |
| Tourism | 138,726 | 3.3 | 171,975 | 3.5 | 24.0 |
| Financial and Business Services | 308,134 | 7.3 | 306,533 | 6.3 | -0.5 |
| Transport | 64,603 | 1.5 | 71,755 | 1.5 | 11.1 |
| Communication and Information Technology | 61,881 | 1.5 | 60,455 | 1.2 | -2.3 |
| Printing and Publishing | 18,512 | 0.4 | 22,545 | 0.5 | 21.8 |
| Education | 9,378 | 0.2 | 10,752 | 0.2 | 14.7 |
| Health | 30,454 | 0.7 | 34,731 | 0.7 | 14.0 |
| Shipping, Aviation and Freight Forwarding | 28,097 | 0.7 | 19,190 | 0.4 | -31.7 |
| 4. Personal Loans and Advances (f) | 888,561 | 20.9 | 1,053,177 | 21.5 | 18.5 |
| <i>of which,</i> | | | | | |
| Consumer Durables | 198,146 | 4.7 | 210,206 | 4.3 | 6.1 |
| Pawning | 132,408 | 3.1 | 148,411 | 3.0 | 12.1 |
| Credit Cards | 75,947 | 1.8 | 91,451 | 1.9 | 20.4 |
| Personal Education | 2,322 | 0.1 | 2,920 | 0.1 | 25.8 |
| Personal Healthcare | 3,516 | 0.1 | 3,979 | 0.1 | 13.2 |
| Other | 443,063 | 10.4 | 556,633 | 11.4 | 25.6 |
| 5. Total | 4,245,116 | 100.0 | 4,900,870 | 100.0 | 15.4 |

(a) Based on the Quarterly Survey of Commercial Banks' Loans and Advances to the Private Sector, which includes loans and advances of both DBUs and OBUs of commercial banks.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Includes loans, overdrafts, bills discounted and purchased, and exclude cash items in the process of collection.

(c) Total values in this Table differ from credit to the private sector values in Table 59 due to differences in the compilation methodologies.

(d) Revised

(e) Provisional

(f) Excludes personal housing loans, which have been included under 'Construction' classified under 'Industry' and includes Safety Net Scheme related loans.

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TABLE 72
Savings and Fixed Deposits of Deposit Taking Institutions

Rs. million

| End of Period | Savings Deposits | | | | | | | Fixed Deposits | | | | | | | Total Deposits | |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------|
| | Commercial Banks (a) | National Savings Bank | State Mortgage & Investment Bank | RDBs/ Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank (b) | Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c) | Licensed Finance Companies (d) | Total | Commercial Banks (a) | National Savings Bank (e) | State Mortgage & Investment Bank | DFCC Bank (f) | RDBs/ Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank (b) | Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c) | Licensed Finance Companies | | Total |
| 2015 | 1,565,061 | 163,367 | 1,349 | 37,221 | 12,485 | 22,577 | 1,802,060 | 2,338,338 | 418,558 | 24,700 | - | 49,119 | 57,366 | 460,790 | 3,348,870 | 5,150,931 |
| 2016 | 1,670,743 | 176,347 | 1,439 | 41,957 | 13,329 | 22,184 | 1,925,999 | 3,004,252 | 463,608 | 24,892 | - | 62,732 | 61,842 | 507,688 | 4,125,012 | 6,051,012 |
| 2017 | 1,820,745 | 188,192 | 1,607 | 48,943 | 15,741 | 30,014 | 2,105,242 | 3,748,081 | 526,171 | 28,589 | - | 87,640 | 77,692 | 655,670 | 5,123,842 | 7,229,084 |
| 2016 1st Quarter | 1,600,342 | 170,886 | 1,426 | 37,951 | 12,757 | 23,561 | 1,846,923 | 2,484,932 | 431,305 | 26,244 | - | 50,468 | 56,584 | 469,484 | 3,519,018 | 5,365,941 |
| 2016 2nd Quarter | 1,604,241 | 173,131 | 1,468 | 39,176 | 13,210 | 22,698 | 1,853,925 | 2,594,781 | 439,482 | 25,735 | - | 51,264 | 57,275 | 476,827 | 3,645,364 | 5,499,288 |
| 2016 3rd Quarter | 1,617,902 | 174,754 | 1,420 | 40,828 | 13,072 | 22,054 | 1,870,031 | 2,806,696 | 449,337 | 24,828 | - | 57,979 | 60,030 | 489,902 | 3,888,771 | 5,758,802 |
| 2016 4th Quarter | 1,670,743 | 176,347 | 1,439 | 41,957 | 13,329 | 22,184 | 1,925,999 | 3,004,252 | 463,608 | 24,892 | - | 62,732 | 61,842 | 507,688 | 4,125,012 | 6,051,012 |
| 2017 1st Quarter | 1,699,443 | 180,795 | 1,564 | 44,041 | 13,750 | 23,002 | 1,962,595 | 3,245,925 | 460,649 | 26,096 | - | 63,381 | 65,959 | 534,693 | 4,396,703 | 6,359,297 |
| 2017 2nd Quarter | 1,714,309 | 183,467 | 1,522 | 45,306 | 14,025 | 22,906 | 1,981,536 | 3,463,893 | 496,060 | 26,797 | - | 74,077 | 71,045 | 567,263 | 4,699,135 | 6,680,671 |
| 2017 3rd Quarter | 1,751,457 | 186,564 | 1,592 | 47,165 | 15,161 | 25,264 | 2,027,201 | 3,667,892 | 506,671 | 26,908 | - | 79,033 | 76,924 | 626,897 | 4,984,324 | 7,011,526 |
| 2017 4th Quarter | 1,820,745 | 188,192 | 1,607 | 48,943 | 15,741 | 30,014 | 2,105,242 | 3,748,081 | 526,171 | 28,589 | - | 87,640 | 77,692 | 655,670 | 5,123,842 | 7,229,084 |
| 2017 February | 1,676,427 | 179,086 | 1,504 | 43,026 | 13,325 | 22,182 | 1,935,551 | 3,158,735 | 455,190 | 24,891 | - | 62,675 | 65,029 | 526,617 | 4,293,136 | 6,228,687 |
| 2017 March | 1,699,443 | 180,795 | 1,564 | 44,041 | 13,750 | 23,002 | 1,962,595 | 3,245,925 | 460,649 | 26,096 | - | 63,381 | 65,959 | 534,693 | 4,396,703 | 6,359,297 |
| 2017 April | 1,696,171 | 181,604 | 1,528 | 44,355 | 13,963 | 23,228 | 1,960,849 | 3,321,204 | 471,771 | 26,278 | - | 66,416 | 67,433 | 547,828 | 4,500,930 | 6,461,779 |
| 2017 May | 1,689,923 | 182,087 | 1,513 | 44,665 | 13,938 | 22,827 | 1,954,953 | 3,421,458 | 484,885 | 26,849 | - | 70,300 | 68,955 | 557,246 | 4,629,693 | 6,584,646 |
| 2017 June | 1,714,309 | 183,467 | 1,522 | 45,306 | 14,025 | 22,906 | 1,981,536 | 3,463,893 | 496,060 | 26,797 | - | 74,077 | 71,045 | 567,263 | 4,699,135 | 6,680,671 |
| 2017 July | 1,727,911 | 184,219 | 1,582 | 45,772 | 14,416 | 23,375 | 1,997,275 | 3,542,625 | 513,164 | 26,827 | - | 76,385 | 71,599 | 584,873 | 4,815,472 | 6,812,747 |
| 2017 August | 1,731,644 | 185,075 | 1,627 | 46,484 | 14,767 | 24,944 | 2,004,541 | 3,609,441 | 514,994 | 26,505 | - | 77,659 | 75,472 | 609,720 | 4,913,791 | 6,918,332 |
| 2017 September | 1,751,457 | 185,660 | 1,592 | 47,165 | 15,161 | 25,264 | 2,026,297 | 3,667,892 | 510,888 | 26,908 | - | 79,033 | 76,924 | 626,897 | 4,988,541 | 7,014,839 |
| 2017 October | 1,775,130 | 186,564 | 1,631 | 47,936 | 15,445 | 25,625 | 2,052,331 | 3,686,731 | 506,671 | 27,674 | - | 80,114 | 75,835 | 645,845 | 5,022,870 | 7,075,201 |
| 2017 November | 1,767,849 | 188,015 | 1,654 | 48,322 | 15,668 | 27,941 | 2,049,448 | 3,719,779 | 518,947 | 28,219 | - | 81,803 | 75,268 | 650,605 | 5,074,621 | 7,124,069 |
| 2017 December | 1,820,745 | 188,192 | 1,607 | 48,943 | 15,741 | 30,014 | 2,105,242 | 3,748,081 | 526,171 | 28,589 | - | 87,640 | 77,692 | 655,670 | 5,123,842 | 7,229,084 |
| 2018 January | 1,798,762 | 188,396 | 1,400 | 48,940 | 16,210 | 29,280 | 2,082,987 | 3,852,443 | 544,901 | 28,875 | - | 87,167 | 80,361 | 661,874 | 5,255,622 | 7,338,609 |
| 2018 February | 1,834,580 | 189,723 | 1,390 | 49,112 | 16,516 | 31,766 | 2,123,087 | 3,895,822 | 549,626 | 29,252 | - | 87,488 | 79,788 | 664,666 | 5,306,641 | 7,429,728 |

(a) Includes deposits of the Government, long term deposits mobilised by the two state banks under special savings schemes and foreign currency deposits.

(b) Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank was established on 14 July 2010 by amalgamating Regional Development Banks.

(c) Other licensed specialised banks include Sanasa Development Bank Ltd, Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka Ltd, Sri Lanka Savings Bank Ltd., and Lankaputhra Development Bank Ltd., MBSL Savings Bank Ltd., which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd., and operated as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC with effect from 01 January 2015.

(d) Licensed finance companies were allowed to accept savings deposits with effect from 01 February 2005.

(e) Deposits that previously appeared under other savings schemes of the National Savings Bank have been included in its fixed deposits.

(f) 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.

 Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
 National Savings Bank
 State Mortgage & Investment Bank

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TABLE 73

Share Market Performance

| Period | Sectoral Share Price Indices (1985 = 100) (b) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------|----------|-----------|------------|------------------|----------|---------------------|--------------------|----------|----------|
| | Total Turnover (Rs.mm) | Daily Average Turnover (Rs.mm) | Non-National Transactions (a) | | Market Capitalisation (b) (Rs. bn) | All Share Price Index (1985=100) (b) | S&P Sri Lanka 20 Index (2004=1,000) (b)(c) | Banks, Finance and Insurance | Beverage, Food and Tobacco | Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals | Construction and Engineering | Diversified Holdings | Footwear and Textiles | Healthcare | Hotels and Travels | Investment Trusts | Information Technology | Land and Property | Manufacturing | Motors | Oil Palms | Plantation | Power and Energy | Services | Stores and Supplies | Telecommunications | Trading | |
| | | | Purch. (Rs.mm.) | Sales (Rs.mm.) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2015 | 253,251.0 | 1,059.6 | 84,418.2 | 89,790.3 | 2,938.0 | 6,894.5 | 3,625.7 | 17,142.7 | 22,384.6 | 7,499.8 | 2,896.8 | 1,849.4 | 1,050.5 | 935.1 | 3,277.4 | 17,727.5 | 63.8 | 690.1 | 4,402.9 | 17,630.8 | 94,336.1 | 734.0 | 170.2 | 23,621.8 | 25,607.0 | 192.3 | 18,058.5 | |
| 2016 | 176,935.4 | 737.2 | 74,607.7 | 74,269.6 | 2,745.4 | 6,228.3 | 3,496.4 | 15,816.9 | 21,199.6 | 6,546.9 | 2,542.2 | 1,545.7 | 950.6 | 994.5 | 3,033.5 | 12,578.3 | 40.6 | 634.3 | 4,310.7 | 15,140.2 | 71,716.8 | 641.2 | 145.8 | 17,481.5 | 27,268.4 | 168.3 | 15,898.1 | |
| 2017 | 220,591.2 | 915.3 | 112,285.3 | 94,630.1 | 2,899.3 | 6,369.3 | 3,671.7 | 16,618.7 | 23,071.8 | 5,831.8 | 2,331.2 | 1,669.2 | 938.7 | 941.1 | 2,825.8 | 11,698.5 | 34.4 | 564.0 | 3,919.0 | 14,257.0 | 53,173.7 | 972.9 | 122.3 | 17,587.9 | 27,561.8 | 175.9 | 15,477.6 | |
| 2016 | Q1 | 44,855.3 | 773.4 | 16,765.6 | 18,933.0 | 2,586.2 | 6,071.9 | 3,204.4 | 14,996.2 | 20,686.7 | 7,072.1 | 2,328.0 | 1,539.5 | 934.4 | 876.0 | 3,026.1 | 12,881.4 | 46.1 | 652.8 | 3,760.4 | 16,134.1 | 77,171.1 | 647.3 | 150.0 | 20,082.6 | 26,732.3 | 171.2 | 15,030.1 |
| | Q2 | 42,522.5 | 708.7 | 14,743.0 | 18,949.9 | 2,677.6 | 6,283.3 | 3,300.2 | 15,336.5 | 22,318.0 | 7,287.0 | 2,379.3 | 1,560.6 | 942.5 | 1,026.2 | 3,098.5 | 14,321.3 | 48.9 | 667.7 | 4,042.0 | 16,527.7 | 72,041.1 | 664.6 | 153.3 | 19,481.9 | 26,784.5 | 171.0 | 14,742.4 |
| | Q3 | 45,979.0 | 779.3 | 18,207.3 | 15,080.3 | 2,785.7 | 6,534.8 | 3,617.3 | 16,485.9 | 21,304.4 | 7,224.6 | 2,828.1 | 1,686.3 | 967.8 | 1,110.9 | 3,129.1 | 14,293.7 | 49.5 | 662.9 | 4,640.9 | 16,446.8 | 68,558.4 | 638.6 | 156.5 | 19,116.9 | 28,986.0 | 183.6 | 17,157.7 |
| | Q4 | 41,550.8 | 681.2 | 24,891.7 | 21,306.3 | 2,745.4 | 6,228.3 | 3,496.4 | 15,816.9 | 21,199.6 | 6,546.9 | 2,542.2 | 1,545.7 | 950.6 | 994.5 | 3,033.5 | 12,578.3 | 40.6 | 634.3 | 4,310.7 | 15,140.2 | 71,716.8 | 641.2 | 145.8 | 17,481.5 | 27,268.4 | 168.3 | 15,898.1 |
| 2017 | Q1 | 45,560.9 | 734.9 | 25,085.7 | 20,025.8 | 2,662.9 | 6,061.9 | 3,438.9 | 14,749.0 | 21,955.9 | 6,068.4 | 2,388.5 | 1,519.9 | 910.0 | 959.1 | 2,905.5 | 10,774.6 | 33.3 | 607.4 | 4,156.7 | 14,352.9 | 66,495.9 | 690.3 | 128.3 | 15,921.4 | 28,024.6 | 170.1 | 16,177.8 |
| | Q2 | 66,682.6 | 1,149.7 | 38,944.9 | 21,720.8 | 3,041.2 | 6,747.1 | 3,933.5 | 16,939.7 | 23,278.9 | 6,395.9 | 2,632.8 | 1,888.3 | 990.3 | 952.5 | 3,008.2 | 12,939.2 | 34.4 | 614.8 | 4,685.7 | 14,990.9 | 63,705.0 | 847.7 | 132.1 | 20,858.0 | 26,907.1 | 173.9 | 18,224.4 |
| | Q3 | 55,042.5 | 887.8 | 22,546.5 | 26,823.1 | 2,919.7 | 6,438.2 | 3,688.0 | 16,610.0 | 22,281.5 | 6,385.7 | 2,626.8 | 1,720.4 | 937.0 | 1,023.1 | 2,884.2 | 12,772.1 | 45.0 | 571.4 | 4,174.2 | 14,167.7 | 56,379.5 | 1,042.3 | 130.0 | 18,422.7 | 27,367.8 | 168.7 | 17,023.0 |
| | Q4 | 55,017.5 | 917.0 | 27,146.5 | 26,676.6 | 2,899.3 | 6,369.3 | 3,671.7 | 16,618.7 | 23,071.8 | 5,831.8 | 2,331.2 | 1,669.2 | 938.7 | 941.1 | 2,825.8 | 11,698.5 | 34.4 | 564.0 | 3,919.0 | 14,257.0 | 53,173.7 | 972.9 | 122.3 | 17,587.9 | 27,561.8 | 175.9 | 15,477.6 |
| 2017 | Feb | 12,554.2 | 697.5 | 6,488.8 | 4,902.2 | 2,698.4 | 6,134.3 | 3,543.8 | 15,304.7 | 21,319.6 | 6,278.3 | 2,477.5 | 1,549.9 | 851.8 | 976.1 | 2,940.8 | 11,514.4 | 37.8 | 601.2 | 4,305.1 | 14,724.7 | 65,543.8 | 677.1 | 133.9 | 17,025.7 | 26,340.1 | 170.0 | 16,988.0 |
| | Mar | 19,398.2 | 843.4 | 13,089.3 | 7,959.0 | 2,662.9 | 6,061.9 | 3,438.9 | 14,749.0 | 21,955.9 | 6,068.4 | 2,388.5 | 1,519.9 | 910.0 | 959.1 | 2,905.5 | 10,774.6 | 33.3 | 607.4 | 4,156.7 | 14,352.9 | 66,495.9 | 690.3 | 128.3 | 15,921.4 | 28,024.6 | 170.1 | 16,177.8 |
| | April | 26,161.5 | 1,538.9 | 18,923.1 | 8,161.5 | 2,908.8 | 6,610.5 | 3,786.4 | 16,098.3 | 24,238.9 | 6,559.2 | 2,590.3 | 1,718.4 | 984.3 | 978.9 | 3,014.6 | 12,997.5 | 33.3 | 631.5 | 4,525.2 | 14,884.4 | 67,662.2 | 818.2 | 140.8 | 18,647.7 | 27,918.7 | 180.5 | 17,890.8 |
| | May | 17,496.7 | 874.8 | 6,401.9 | 3,425.1 | 2,952.5 | 6,674.3 | 3,818.9 | 16,749.6 | 23,557.4 | 6,585.4 | 2,671.1 | 1,781.4 | 965.0 | 962.3 | 3,028.5 | 12,825.5 | 35.6 | 622.1 | 4,525.3 | 14,949.8 | 65,359.3 | 897.0 | 134.8 | 19,883.0 | 29,285.9 | 176.8 | 18,159.9 |
| | Jun | 21,312.1 | 1,065.6 | 12,181.5 | 9,515.3 | 3,041.2 | 6,747.1 | 3,933.5 | 16,939.7 | 23,278.9 | 6,395.9 | 2,632.8 | 1,888.3 | 990.3 | 952.5 | 3,008.2 | 12,939.2 | 34.4 | 614.8 | 4,685.7 | 14,990.9 | 63,705.0 | 847.7 | 132.1 | 20,858.0 | 26,907.1 | 173.9 | 18,224.4 |
| | Jul | 14,530.7 | 691.9 | 8,156.8 | 4,630.6 | 3,010.2 | 6,637.4 | 3,811.0 | 16,539.1 | 22,710.1 | 6,350.3 | 2,771.3 | 1,861.1 | 1,023.9 | 989.7 | 2,957.1 | 13,656.4 | 37.2 | 608.3 | 4,545.1 | 14,673.6 | 64,252.5 | 914.6 | 138.9 | 19,089.9 | 27,822.3 | 168.9 | 17,209.1 |
| | Aug | 13,938.8 | 633.6 | 6,641.9 | 4,890.4 | 2,897.8 | 6,390.7 | 3,686.0 | 16,503.1 | 21,842.8 | 5,852.2 | 2,613.8 | 1,724.5 | 955.4 | 936.0 | 2,882.9 | 12,615.5 | 34.4 | 582.3 | 4,283.7 | 14,452.7 | 59,093.0 | 923.5 | 131.9 | 18,633.7 | 27,645.5 | 164.2 | 16,753.6 |
| | Sep | 26,573.0 | 1,398.6 | 7,747.8 | 17,302.1 | 2,919.7 | 6,438.2 | 3,688.0 | 16,610.0 | 22,281.5 | 6,385.7 | 2,626.8 | 1,720.4 | 937.0 | 1,023.1 | 2,884.2 | 12,772.1 | 45.0 | 571.4 | 4,174.2 | 14,167.7 | 56,379.5 | 1,042.3 | 130.0 | 18,422.7 | 27,367.8 | 168.7 | 17,023.0 |
| | Oct | 23,828.9 | 1,191.4 | 12,083.1 | 10,118.5 | 3,008.8 | 6,617.4 | 3,899.6 | 17,618.6 | 22,953.7 | 6,257.1 | 2,545.9 | 1,739.3 | 965.9 | 976.2 | 2,888.8 | 13,169.9 | 39.5 | 572.9 | 4,139.9 | 14,259.0 | 57,962.4 | 1,063.5 | 128.8 | 18,868.2 | 27,226.0 | 184.5 | 16,922.0 |
| | Nov | 20,245.9 | 964.1 | 9,032.6 | 10,790.5 | 2,922.7 | 6,411.8 | 3,725.0 | 16,785.8 | 22,695.4 | 5,914.4 | 2,335.4 | 1,699.5 | 891.6 | 959.6 | 2,846.3 | 12,037.7 | 34.4 | 554.6 | 3,968.8 | 14,293.7 | 57,000.0 | 949.7 | 122.9 | 17,833.6 | 27,289.4 | 177.9 | 16,404.8 |
| | Dec | 10,942.7 | 575.9 | 6,030.3 | 5,767.7 | 2,899.3 | 6,369.3 | 3,671.7 | 16,618.7 | 23,071.8 | 5,831.8 | 2,331.2 | 1,669.2 | 938.7 | 941.1 | 2,825.8 | 11,698.5 | 34.4 | 564.0 | 3,919.0 | 14,257.0 | 53,173.7 | 972.9 | 122.3 | 17,587.9 | 27,561.8 | 175.9 | 15,477.6 |
| 2018 | Jan | 17,458.1 | 872.9 | 10,702.0 | 6,661.1 | 2,961.5 | 6,476.4 | 3,747.3 | 16,839.8 | 23,614.4 | 5,742.2 | 2,292.6 | 1,735.1 | 858.5 | 969.8 | 2,811.9 | 11,375.5 | 35.0 | 560.0 | 3,907.1 | 14,167.0 | 53,288.9 | 957.5 | 132.8 | 18,102.3 | 27,911.0 | 180.7 | 14,806.0 |
| | Feb | 19,513.2 | 1,084.1 | 8,710.2 | 6,688.0 | 3,046.4 | 6,551.8 | 3,710.1 | 17,179.5 | 23,908.4 | 5,671.9 | 2,165.6 | 1,789.4 | 874.4 | 940.3 | 2,826.5 | 11,518.5 | 35.0 | 586.2 | 3,735.0 | 14,196.9 | 53,953.1 | 949.9 | 135.2 | 18,993.6 | 28,216.4 | 179.5 | 14,422.7 |

(a) Data from 2016 were revised

(b) End period.

(c) With effect from 1 January 2013, the Milanka Price Index (MPI) was replaced by a newly introduced index, namely S&P SL 20 index.

Source: Colombo Stock Exchange

PUBLICATIONS OF THE CENTRAL BANK OF SRI LANKA

| ITEM | Price (Rs.) | PARCEL POST | | | |
|---|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | Local | | Overseas | |
| | | Ordinary Mail (Rs.) | Registered Mail (Rs.) | Registered Surface Mail (US\$) | Registered Air Mail (US\$) |
| Economic and Financial Report | | | | | |
| Annual Report - 2015 (Sinhala / English / Tamil) | 500.00 | 750.00 | 775.00 | 25 | 40 |
| CD (Sinhala / English / Tamil) | 200.00 | - | - | - | - |
| Recent Economic Developments - Highlights 2015 and Prospects for 2016 (Sinhala / English / Tamil) | 200.00 | 270.00 | 295.00 | 05 | 08 |
| CD (English / Sinhala) | 200.00 | - | - | - | - |
| Statistics | | | | | |
| Sri Lanka Socio Economic Data Folder - 2016 (English) | 100.00 | 170.00 | 195.00 | - | 20 |
| Sri Lanka Socio Economic Data Folder - 2016 (Sinhala) | 40.00 | 110.00 | 135.00 | - | 20 |
| Sri Lanka Socio Economic Data Folder - 2016 (Tamil) | 40.00 | 110.00 | 135.00 | - | 20 |
| Economic & Social Statistics of Sri Lanka - 2016 (Sinhala/ English / Tamil) | 300.00 | 370.00 | 395.00 | 07 | 14 |
| Consumer Finances & Socio Economic Survey - Sri Lanka 2003/04 - Part I (CD - English) | 700.00 700.00 | 870.00 - | 895.00 - | 25 - | 35 - |
| Consumer Finances & Socio Economics Survey - Sri Lanka 2003/04- Part II (English) - CD | 3,000.00 | - | - | 75 | 100 |
| Research Studies | | | | | |
| Staff Studies - Vol. 44 No. I & II (2014) (English) | 200.00 | 270.00 | 295.00 | 10 | 15 |
| Periodicals | | | | | |
| News Survey (English) | 60.00 | 120.00 | 145.00 | - | - |
| Kurippedu (Tamil) | 20.00 | 80.00 | 105.00 | - | - |
| Satahana (Sinhala) | 20.00 | 80.00 | 105.00 | - | - |
| Public Awareness | | | | | |
| Directions issued to LSBs | 1,000.00 | 1,200.00 | 1,225.00 | - | - |
| Directions issued to LCBs | 1,000.00 | 1,200.00 | 1,225.00 | - | - |
| From Purana to Rupee (Hard Cover) (Sinhala / English / Tamil) | 1,000.00 | 1,200.00 | 1,225.00 | - | - |
| From Purana to Rupee (Sinhala / English / Tamil) | 800.00 | 920.00 | 945.00 | - | - |
| A Step by Step Guide to Doing Business in Sri Lanka (CD - English) | 500.00 200.00 | 570.00 - | 595.00 - | - - | - - |
| Other Publications | | | | | |
| The Heritage of Sabaragamuwa - Dr H A P Abeywardena (English) | 300.00 | 370.00 | 395.00 | - | - |
| The Heritage of Kandurata - Dr. H A P Abeywardena (English) | 650.00 | 770.00 | 795.00 | - | - |
| The Heritage of Rajarata - Prof. Chandra Wickrema Gamage (Sinhala / English) | 470.00 | 590.00 | 615.00 | - | - |
| Transaction of Money, Bank and Economy (Sinhala) | 500.00 | 650.00 | 675.00 | - | - |
| Transaction of Money, Bank and Economy (Tamil) | 250.00 | 370.00 | 395.00 | - | - |
| Retrospect (1950 - 2010) | 10,000.00 | - | - | - | - |
| The Story of Inflation (Sinhala) | 125.00 | 195.00 | 220.00 | - | - |
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