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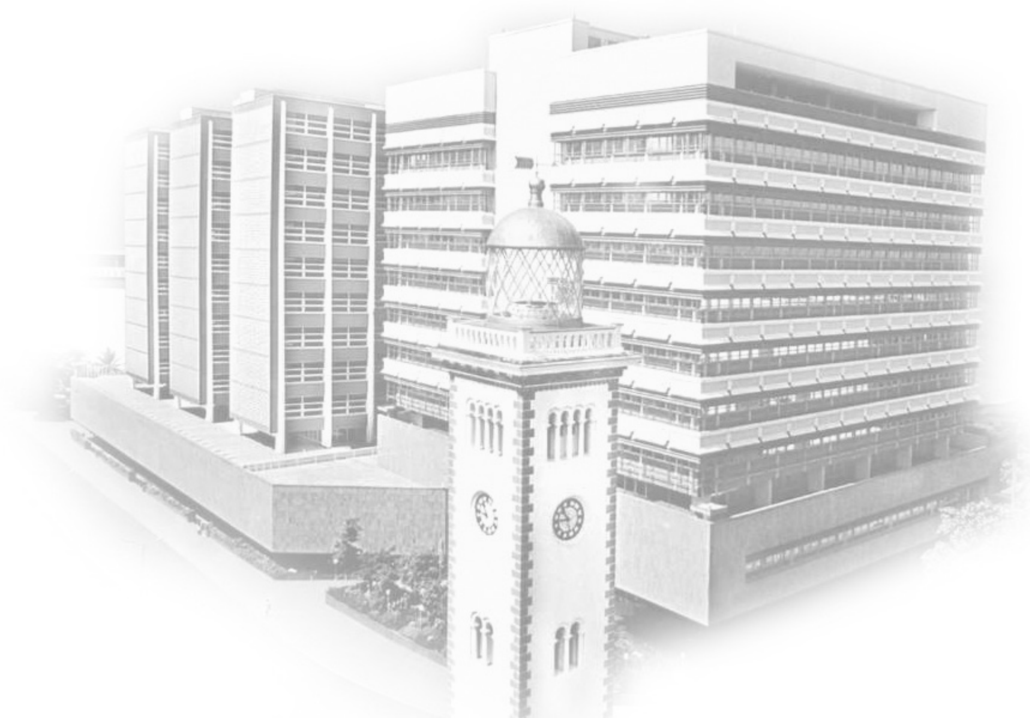

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- A customs duty of Rs. 2 per kg was reimposed on importation of wheat grain.
- SCL on importation of dried sprats, other potatoes, B'onion, red onion, peas, chickpeas, dhal, green gram, dried chillies and canned fish was extended for another three months at previous rates.

Grant from the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)

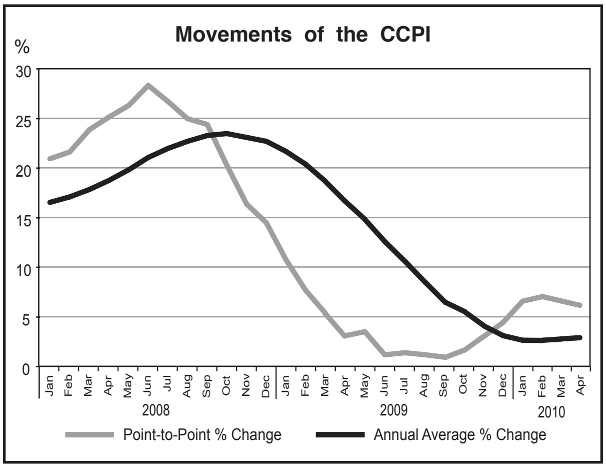
An agreement was signed between the Government of Sri Lanka and JICA on 25 May 2010, for a grant of Japanese Yen 229 million (approximately Rs. 289 million) to finance the Project for Human Resource Development Scholarship.

Part II
PRESS RELEASES
May 2010

1. Inflation decreased further in April 2010

Inflation, as measured by the Colombo Consumers' Price Index (CCPI) (2002=100), computed by the Department of Census and Statistics, decreased to 5.8 per cent on the point-to-point basis in April from 6.3 per cent in March 2010, for the second consecutive month, registering a monthly decrease of 1.0 per cent when compared to March 2010. However, the annual average inflation, increased marginally to 3.4 per cent in April from 3.2 per cent in March. Meanwhile, Core inflation both on the point-to-point basis and annual average basis decreased to 6.4 per cent and 7.0 per cent, respectively as compared to March 2010.

The contribution to the monthly decrease in the overall Index arose mainly from price decreases in the sub category of Food and non-alcoholic beverages (-2.0 per cent). Decrease in prices of rice, red onions, big onions, dhal, sugar, some varieties of vegetables and fish, coconut and coconut oil contributed towards this decline in the sub index. However, price increases were experienced in the sub categories of Clothing and footwear (0.15 per cent); Miscellaneous goods and services (0.24 per cent); and Furnishing, household equipment and routine household maintenance (0.02 per cent), while the prices in the other sub categories of Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels; Health; Transport; Communication; Recreation and culture and Education remained unchanged during the month.



2. Foreign Currency Accounts for International Services Providers and their Employees

It has been decided to grant permission for international services providers and their employees to open and maintain foreign currency accounts in Licensed commercial banks in Sri Lanka with effect from 07th May 2010.

Any resident company or partnership registered in Sri Lanka or any individual resident in Sri Lanka who are providing the following categories of international services and their employees are eligible to open and maintain these foreign currency accounts:

- Accounting, book keeping or auditing;
- Tax advisory services;
- Services of a draftsman;
- Engineering services;

- Software development, data processing, data base development or system designing;
- Advertising outside Sri Lanka;
- Research work and report writing;
- Photography;
- Publishing outside Sri Lanka;
- Beauty culture, hairdressing or modeling outside Sri Lanka;
- Services of a sports person or an artist;
- Services of a valuer or auctioneer;
- Services of a plumber, mason or carpenter;
- Quantity surveying;
- Health care services;
- Management of any agricultural property situated outside Sri Lanka;
- Services rendered by any individual as a member of an organized profession with a recognized standard of ability enforced before such person entering to it and recognized standard of conduct enforced while practicing in it.

These accounts may be opened in the form of current, savings or term deposits and credits to the accounts are confined to proceeds on international services received from abroad through banking channels, employment income paid out of foreign currency received by an employer and interest accruing on the funds held in the account. Employers can make the payments in foreign currency in the form of bank transfers to their employees who are directly involved in the projects carried out by the employer by debiting the said account. Further, debits to these accounts can also be made to make payments in foreign currency outside Sri Lanka on account of permitted transactions for residents in Sri Lanka. Any other withdrawals from these accounts should be in Sri Lanka rupees.

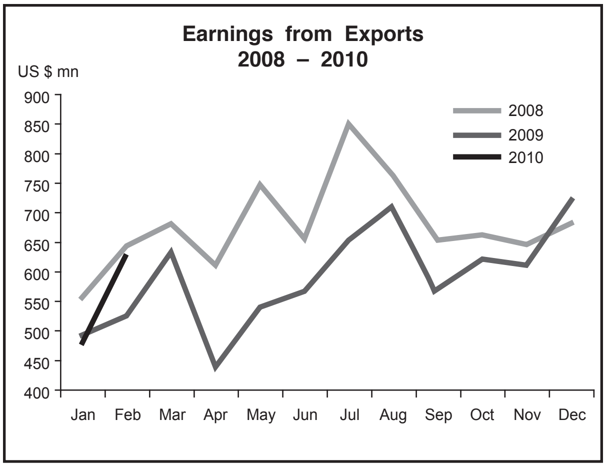
These new measures will allow international services providers and their employees to avail themselves with income tax exemptions granted by the Inland Revenue (Amendment) Act No. 19 of 2009.

3. External Sector Performance – February 2010

Sri Lanka's external sector performance showed signs of improvement along with the gradual recovery of the global economy. Earnings from exports grew by 20.0 per cent in February 2010 to US dollars 629 million led by higher earnings from agricultural and industrial exports. The expenditure on imports also increased by 60.6 per cent to US dollars 973 million, due to the increased demand for imports within all the sub sectors. Accordingly, the trade deficit expanded to US dollars 344 million in February 2010.

Earnings from agricultural exports, which accounted for 27.0 per cent of total exports, increased in February 2010, year-on-year, led by tea, rubber and minor agricultural exports. Tea and rubber, whose export volumes increased by 20.1 per cent and 44.1 per cent, respectively, continued to fetch higher prices in the international market. Tea prices increased by 25.7 per cent to US dollars 4.35 per kg mainly due to the finer quality of Ceylon tea exports and the supply shortages in the international market. Rubber prices increased to US dollars 2.86 per kg, reflecting a 95.4 per cent increase compared to February 2009, mainly due to the recovery in international demand. Supply shortages due to the adverse weather conditions that prevailed in the major rubber producing countries in Asia also helped increase the international rubber prices. Earnings from minor agricultural exports increased due to higher prices fetched by fruits, coffee, and cocoa products and increased volumes of vegetables, arecanuts, cashew and essential oils. Export earnings from certain spices, such as cinnamon and cloves, increased led by higher volumes and prices. The industrial exports, which were affected by the global economic crisis, rebounded in February 2010, led by the exports of processed food and beverages as well as rubber products. Although exports of textile and garments and ceramic products declined in February 2010, year-on-year, they reflect an improvement since January 2010.

All major categories of imports increased in February 2010. Expenditure on imports of consumer goods increased significantly, with notable increases in food imports such as rice, sugar and wheat. Expenditure on imports of non-food consumer durables also increased



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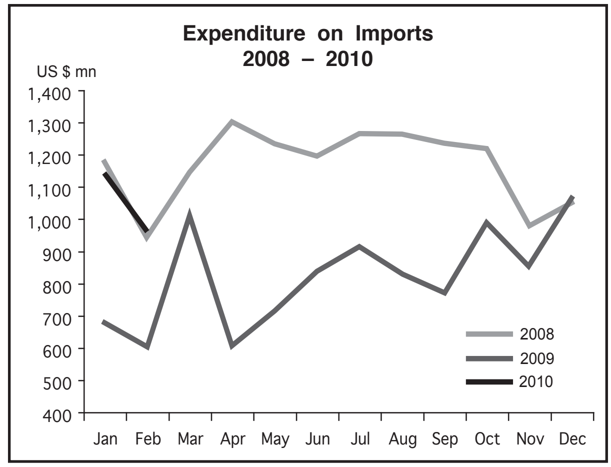

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significantly in February 2010. Amongst intermediate goods, expenditure on petroleum imports increased substantially in February, year-on-year, as the average import price of crude oil rose by 71.4 per cent to US dollars 78.23 per barrel. Import expenditure on fertilizer increased in February 2010, compared with the same period in 2009, mainly due to the substantially higher import volumes. Imports of investment goods also increased in February 2010 led by higher expenditure on transport equipment, building materials and machinery and equipment, which augurs well for future economic activity.

During the first two months of 2010, foreign remittances increased by 13.0 per cent over the corresponding period of 2009 to US dollars 564 million. The gross official reserves, with and without Asian Clearing Union (ACU) funds, were at US dollars 5,408 million and US dollars 5,032 million, respectively, by end February 2010. Based on the previous 12 months average imports of US dollars 921 million per month, the gross official reserves, without ACU funds, were equivalent to 5.5 months of imports.

The performance of external trade during the period is further illustrated in the following table.

External Trade Performance: February 2010 and January – February 2010

Category	February 2009 US $ mn	February 2010 US $ mn	Growth February %	Jan–Feb 2009 US $ mn	Jan–Feb 2010 US $ mn	Growth Jan–Feb %
Exports	**524.3**	**629.0**	**20.0**	**1,015.4**	**1,100.9**	**8.4**
Agricultural	108.6	169.9	56.4	209.6	312.4	49.0
of which, tea	72.3	109.3	51.1	133.9	200.1	49.5
Industrial	407.7	452.8	11.1	792.7	772.8	-2.5
of which, textiles and garments	275.1	248.5	-9.7	515.7	422.2	-18.1
Mineral	8.0	6.2	-21.7	13.0	15.8	21.2
Imports	**606.3**	**973.4**	**60.6**	**1,288.9**	**2,134.3**	**65.6**
Consumer Goods	143.7	255.5	77.8	297.8	489.0	64.2
of which, food and drink	96.7	185.9	92.2	194.7	346.7	78.0
of which, other consumer goods	47.1	69.7	48.1	103.1	142.4	38.1
Intermediate Goods	289.1	443.3	53.4	622.9	1,068.4	71.5
of which, petroleum	95.5	136.3	42.7	175.9	466.6	165.3
of which, textiles and clothing	93.2	128.1	37.4	205.6	249.5	21.4
Investment Goods	167.5	261.7	56.3	350.8	480.8	37.0
of which, machinery and equipment	79.8	117.9	47.7	159.7	201.5	26.2
of which, transport equipment	20.4	39.3	92.8	47.1	92.1	95.5
of which, building material	49.7	73.6	48.2	99.1	134.3	35.6
Balance of Trade	**-82.1**	**-344.5**	**319.8**	**-273.6**	**-1,033.4**	**277.8**
Workers' Remittances	**241.4**	**274.6**	**13.8**	**499.4**	**564.4**	**13.0**

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Customs Department

4. Monetary Policy Review – May 2010

Inflation, as measured by the year-on-year change in the Colombo Consumers' Price Index (base=2002) declined to 5.8 per cent in April 2010 while annual average inflation increased marginally to 3.4 per cent. Price pressures in the economy have been dampened by improvements on the supply side, particularly the noteworthy performance in paddy production in the Maha season. Prices of key commodities in the international markets also remain subdued, reducing price pressures in the near term.

Developments in the monetary sector have been encouraging. Credit obtained by the private sector, which contracted since April last year, on a year-on-year basis, has begun to improve and indicates a positive growth in March 2010. This development is attributable to the easing of monetary policy as well as improving financial conditions and the resulting downward adjustment in market interest rates. The gradual expansion in credit obtained by the private sector indicates the solidifying recovery in the economy. Meanwhile, growth in broad money moderated to 17.1 per cent, year-on-year, by March 2010, from 18.6 per cent at end 2009. Accordingly, broad money growth remains compatible with the levels targeted in the monetary programme announced at the beginning of the year.

Taking into consideration the above developments, the Monetary Board, at its meeting held on 19 May 2010, decided to maintain the policy interest rates of the Central Bank unchanged.

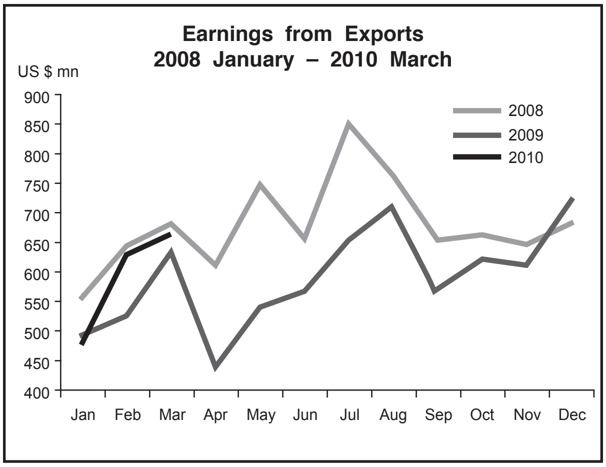
The release of the next regular statement on monetary policy will be on 16 June 2010.

5. External Sector Performance – Marach 2010

Sri Lanka's external sector improved further in March 2010 continuing the positive developments observed since December 2009. Earnings from exports grew by 4.8 per cent in March 2010 to US dollars 663 million led by industrial exports. The expenditure on imports also increased by 6.5 per cent to US dollars 1,091 million, due to the increased imports of consumer goods and intermediate goods. Accordingly, the trade deficit in March expanded by 9.3 per cent to US dollars 428 million. Both exports and imports have been well above that of 2009 and remained almost on par with the levels in 2008.

The largest contribution to the growth in exports came from the industrial sector. Industrial exports grew by 5.1 per cent year-on-year in March 2010, led by higher earnings from exports of rubber products, diamond and jewellery, petroleum products, machinery and equipment, and food and beverages. Earnings from textiles and garments exports, however, declined by 9.5 per cent, year-on-year, to US dollars 281 million, mainly due to the base effect, in view of its high performance during the first quarter of 2009. Even though tea and rubber continued to fetch higher prices in the international market, earnings from agricultural exports grew marginally in March 2010. Volumes of tea exports declined by 17.2 per cent due to a supply shortage thereby showing a decline in the earnings by 2.7 per cent. However, despite the decline in the volumes of rubber exports by 29.8 per cent, export earnings from rubber increased by 45.8 per cent in March 2010 due to very attractive prices. Earnings from minor agricultural exports grew by 25.8 per cent to US dollars 23 million led by substantial increases in export of vegetables, cloves, cashew nuts and sesame seeds.

Expenditure on imports increased mainly due to higher expenditure on petroleum imports in March 2010, as the average import price of crude oil rose by 67.8 per cent year-on-year, to US dollars 78.29 per barrel. Import expenditure on fertilizer also increased in March 2010, compared with the same month in 2009, due to the considerably higher volumes of imports. Expenditure on imports of consumer goods also increased in March 2010, with notable increases in food (mainly rice and sugar) and non-food consumer durables (mainly motor cars and motor cycles). However, imports of investment goods declined in March 2010.



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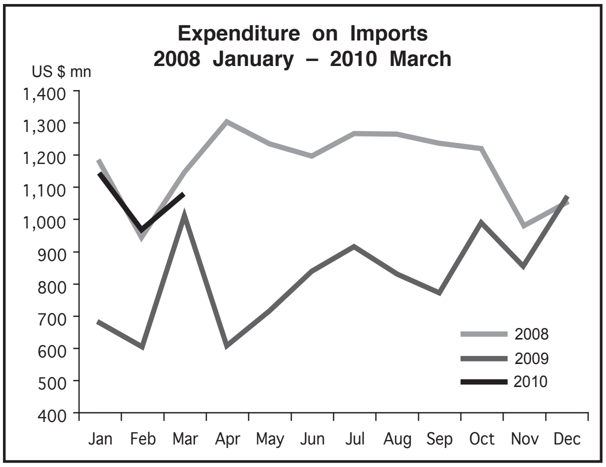

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During the first quarter of 2010, foreign remittances increased by 14.1 per cent over that of the corresponding period of 2009 to US dollars 891 million. The gross official reserves, with and without Asian Clearing Union (ACU) funds, increased to US dollars 5,294 million and US dollars 5,192 million, respectively, by end March 2010. Based on the previous 12 months average imports of US dollars 927 million per month, the gross official reserves, without ACU funds, were the equivalent of 5.6 months of imports.

The performance of external trade during the period is further illustrated in the following table.

External Trade Performance: March 2010 and January – March 2010

Category	March 2009 US $ mn	March 2010 US $ mn	Growth March %	Jan–Mar 2009 US $ mn	Jan–Mar 2010 US $ mn	Growth Jan–Mar %
Exports	**632.0**	**662.7**	**4.8**	**1,647.4**	**1,763.6**	**7.1**
Agricultural	153.7	156.6	1.9	363.3	469.0	29.1
of which, tea	108.4	105.5	-2.6	242.3	305.6	26.2
Industrial	471.9	495.9	5.1	1,264.6	1,268.7	0.3
of which, textiles and garments	310.5	281.0	-9.5	826.2	703.2	-14.9
Mineral	6.4	10.2	58.1	19.4	25.9	33.4
Imports	**1,023.6**	**1,090.5**	**6.5**	**2,312.5**	**3,224.9**	**39.5**
Consumer Goods	211.6	251.2	18.7	509.4	740.2	45.3
of which, food and drink	143.1	174.9	22.2	337.8	521.5	54.4
of which, other consumer goods	68.5	76.3	11.4	171.6	218.7	27.5
Intermediate Goods	474.7	617.3	30.0	1,097.5	1,685.6	53.6
of which, petroleum	187.4	285.4	52.3	363.3	752.0	107.0
of which, textiles and clothing	125.8	117.6	-6.5	331.4	367.2	10.8
Investment Goods	323.2	210.8	-34.8	674.0	691.5	2.6
of which, machinery and equipment	118.9	83.9	-29.5	278.6	285.4	2.44
of which, transport equipment	68.5	43.9	-35.9	115.6	136.0	17.7
of which, building material	113.6	61.5	-45.8	212.7	195.8	-7.9
Balance of Trade	**-391.6**	**-427.9**	**9.3**	**-665.1**	**-1,461.3**	**119.7**
Workers' Remittances	**281.3**	**326.2**	**16.0**	**780.7**	**890.6**	**14.1**

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Customs Department

6. Colombo Consumers' Price Index (CCPI)

2008, 2009 and 2010

(2002 = 100)

Month	Index			Monthly Change %			Point-to-Point Change %			Annual Average Change %		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
January	183.5	203.1	216.4	3.0	-0.3	1.4	20.8	10.7	6.5	16.4	21.6	3.1
February	188.6	202.9	216.9	2.8	-0.1	0.2	21.6	7.6	6.9	17.0	20.3	3.1
March	191.9	202.0	214.8	1.7	-0.4	-1.0	23.8	5.3	6.3	17.7	18.6	3.2
April	195.4	201.0	212.6	1.8	-0.5	-1.0	25.0	2.9	5.8	18.7	16.7	3.4
May	198.5	205.1	215.9	1.6	2.0	1.6	26.2	3.3	5.3	19.8	14.7	3.6
June	205.9	207.8		3.7	1.3		28.2	0.9		21.0	12.5	
July	206.4	208.7		0.2	0.4		26.6	1.1		21.9	10.4	
August	206.3	208.1		0.0	-0.3		24.9	0.9		22.6	8.5	
September	207.2	208.6		0.4	0.2		24.3	0.7		23.2	6.6	
October	206.6	209.4		-0.3	0.4		20.2	1.4		23.4	5.2	
November	205.2	211.0		-0.7	0.8		16.3	2.8		23.0	4.1	
December	203.7	213.5		-0.7	1.2		14.4	4.8		22.6	3.4	

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

STATISTICAL APPENDIX

Definitions and Explanatory Notes

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 comparision, 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

Gross Domestic Product by Industrial Origin

Rs. million

Sector	Nominal GDP								Real GDP (at 2002 Prices)							
	2008			2009				2010 (b)	2008			2009				2010 (b)
	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1 (a)	Qtr 2 (b)	Qtr 3 (b)	Qtr 4 (b)	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1 (a)	Qtr 2 (b)	Qtr 3 (b)	Qtr 4 (b)	Qtr 1
AGRICULTURE	**148,415**	**162,531**	**116,745**	**174,379**	**132,445**	**157,513**	**143,451**	**213,548**	**68,503**	**78,382**	**60,054**	**81,774**	**71,905**	**77,998**	**63,244**	**89,108**
1. Agriculture, Livestock and Forestry	**131,963**	**144,654**	**98,528**	**156,621**	**112,803**	**136,855**	**121,954**	**194,087**	**62,040**	**71,909**	**52,407**	**74,954**	**64,951**	**70,702**	**55,427**	**82,033**
1.1 Tea	17,342	15,717	9,051	8,672	17,229	19,105	19,149	16,626	7,702	6,793	5,936	4,321	7,159	6,651	7,024	6,360
1.2 Rubber	7,572	9,061	3,605	3,068	3,560	4,694	7,956	9,824	1,122	1,719	1,961	966	1,173	1,661	2,398	1,079
1.3 Coconut	20,954	16,050	14,220	11,361	10,315	12,946	15,361	13,351	8,582	7,853	8,607	7,979	8,812	8,020	8,835	6,830
1.4 Minor Export Crops	3,677	3,965	2,917	2,430	2,422	4,059	4,175	4,837	2,641	3,268	2,752	1,720	2,588	3,253	3,467	3,754
1.5 Paddy	11,390	35,102	12,920	50,384	15,831	24,291	9,878	58,301	5,792	13,855	5,090	20,942	6,498	10,036	3,702	22,814
1.6 Livestock	11,443	11,544	11,992	13,569	12,180	12,848	13,815	13,793	5,285	5,493	5,431	4,412	5,608	5,875	5,865	4,618
1.7 Other Food Crops	44,726	37,735	28,459	49,824	36,642	42,900	33,407	59,632	23,934	25,051	15,187	26,928	25,755	26,887	16,229	28,397
1.8 Plantation Development	2,051	2,328	3,201	2,706	2,092	2,670	3,701	2,958	1,409	1,709	1,568	1,578	1,472	1,795	1,695	1,638
1.9 Firewood and Forestry	8,098	8,211	8,520	8,623	8,472	8,690	10,076	8,253	3,431	3,823	3,901	3,527	3,637	4,052	4,142	3,746
1.10 Other Agricultural Crops	4,710	4,942	3,643	5,984	4,060	4,652	4,436	6,513	2,142	2,344	1,974	2,580	2,249	2,472	2,070	2,798
2. Fishing	**16,452**	**17,877**	**18,217**	**17,757**	**19,642**	**20,658**	**21,498**	**19,461**	**6,463**	**6,473**	**7,647**	**6,820**	**6,954**	**7,297**	**7,818**	**7,075**
INDUSTRY	**318,329**	**336,634**	**340,321**	**346,933**	**335,869**	**352,449**	**399,450**	**396,289**	**158,577**	**173,170**	**173,184**	**171,058**	**163,366**	**180,827**	**185,877**	**182,780**
3. Mining and Quarrying	**15,373**	**21,316**	**16,998**	**20,612**	**17,069**	**19,427**	**22,096**	**22,493**	**10,118**	**11,461**	**14,240**	**11,745**	**11,240**	**12,103**	**16,943**	**13,089**
4. Manufacturing	**196,213**	**201,297**	**202,751**	**221,080**	**208,302**	**210,560**	**235,619**	**254,180**	**96,888**	**107,638**	**104,489**	**107,544**	**97,916**	**111,136**	**110,739**	**113,756**
4.1 Processing (Tea, Rubber and Coconut)	9,387	8,711	5,546	9,306	10,454	9,787	8,807	13,820	4,031	3,803	3,309	3,304	4,152	3,660	3,880	3,959
4.2 Factory Industry	177,245	185,851	185,562	199,575	188,038	193,763	213,656	227,429	86,802	97,644	94,687	97,212	87,538	101,074	100,103	102,495
4.3 Cottage Industry	9,581	6,735	11,642	12,199	9,811	7,010	13,156	12,931	6,055	6,192	6,493	7,028	6,226	6,402	6,756	7,302
5. Electricity, Gas and Water	**27,623**	**27,401**	**27,613**	**25,059**	**25,845**	**29,997**	**32,786**	**28,507**	**14,278**	**14,897**	**15,166**	**12,200**	**14,888**	**15,895**	**15,990**	**12,982**
5.1 Electricity	22,558	23,777	23,740	21,151	22,152	25,628	27,390	23,070	12,750	13,277	13,276	10,555	13,323	14,153	13,986	11,247
5.2 Gas	3,779	2,711	2,887	2,593	2,532	3,042	4,057	3,723	960	885	1,198	1,028	982	999	1,271	1,105
5.3 Water	1,286	913	986	1,315	1,161	1,327	1,339	1,714	568	735	692	617	584	743	734	630
6. Construction	**79,120**	**86,621**	**92,959**	**80,181**	**84,653**	**92,465**	**108,949**	**91,109**	**37,293**	**39,174**	**39,289**	**39,570**	**39,322**	**41,693**	**42,205**	**42,953**
SERVICES	**599,435**	**667,606**	**691,374**	**631,167**	**647,587**	**717,046**	**787,607**	**762,482**	**346,101**	**361,904**	**354,173**	**348,252**	**350,035**	**380,481**	**374,486**	**371,651**
7. Wholesale and Retail Trade	**216,889**	**274,951**	**222,513**	**240,371**	**196,664**	**261,964**	**244,895**	**296,810**	**140,421**	**150,201**	**141,317**	**136,460**	**132,984**	**155,315**	**145,392**	**143,737**
7.1 Import trade	74,417	109,114	77,750	68,459	48,371	82,702	77,170	89,940	53,551	54,363	55,736	43,089	45,018	53,537	56,959	45,589
7.2 Export trade	36,260	42,541	32,198	35,448	30,459	39,756	33,336	38,213	25,365	29,670	25,754	23,903	22,313	29,872	23,362	22,947
7.3 Domestic trade	106,212	123,296	112,565	136,464	117,834	139,506	134,389	168,657	61,506	66,168	59,827	69,468	65,653	71,906	65,072	75,201
8. Hotels and Restaurants	**4,564**	**4,141**	**7,140**	**5,243**	**4,045**	**5,218**	**10,482**	**7,283**	**1,838**	**1,258**	**3,800**	**1,537**	**1,831**	**1,517**	**5,016**	**2,475**
9. Transport and Communication	**127,608**	**142,313**	**144,951**	**137,989**	**147,201**	**162,149**	**159,248**	**170,257**	**72,457**	**80,630**	**79,022**	**80,958**	**77,006**	**86,235**	**86,192**	**89,413**
9.1 Transport	106,172	120,508	122,924	130,457	127,557	152,206	147,986	159,370	59,337	65,920	65,289	68,996	62,805	69,966	70,655	75,375
9.2 Cargo Handling – Ports and Civil Aviation	5,617	5,509	5,906	3,391	5,407	5,676	7,014	4,701	3,913	3,821	4,708	3,154	4,030	3,908	5,401	3,786
9.3 Post and Telecommunication	15,819	16,296	16,121	4,141	14,237	4,267	4,248	6,185	9,207	10,889	9,025	8,808	10,171	12,361	10,135	10,251
10. Banking, Insurance and Real Estate etc.	**97,165**	**93,287**	**138,136**	**102,951**	**121,456**	**109,078**	**165,819**	**127,151**	**51,775**	**51,264**	**51,995**	**52,953**	**54,567**	**54,769**	**55,530**	**56,024**
11. Ownership of Dwellings	**34,691**	**34,944**	**36,720**	**40,013**	**39,745**	**39,189**	**40,502**	**41,734**	**18,277**	**18,256**	**18,324**	**18,463**	**18,496**	**18,475**	**18,617**	**18,684**
12. Government Services	**94,861**	**95,527**	**121,377**	**77,383**	**112,450**	**112,982**	**142,728**	**86,970**	**47,259**	**46,513**	**45,757**	**43,179**	**50,248**	**49,520**	**48,831**	**45,855**
13. Private Services	**23,657**	**22,443**	**20,537**	**27,218**	**26,026**	**26,466**	**23,932**	**32,279**	**14,074**	**13,782**	**13,959**	**14,702**	**14,903**	**14,650**	**14,908**	**15,463**
GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT	**1,066,179**	**1,166,771**	**1,148,439**	**1,152,479**	**1,115,901**	**1,227,008**	**1,330,508**	**1,372,319**	**573,180**	**613,456**	**587,411**	**601,084**	**585,306**	**639,306**	**623,608**	**643,539**

(a) Revised. (b) Provisional.

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 2

Agricultural Production Indices

1997 - 2000 = 100

Year		Overall Index (a)	Plantation	Tea	Rubber	Coconut	Paddy (b)	Other Field Crops (b)	Vegetable (b)	Livestock (c)	Fish
2007		113.0	106.8	106.3	121.9	103.3	117.5	115.3	126.4	140.6	106.6
2008		124.0	111.1	111.0	134.0	104.8	145.4	123.7	148.7	142.4	116.9
2009(d)		121.9	104.5	100.9	141.9	99.5	137.0	132.6	146.1	146.6	124.4
2008	1st Qtr		106.3	116.3	153.2	80.7					117.9
	2nd Qtr		111.5	123.0	125.3	92.9	159.5	134.1	170.5		102.0
	3rd Qtr		113.7	109.3	138.1	113.1					110.9
	4th Qtr		102.8	94.4	119.5	109.5	131.3	113.3	126.8		136.7
2009(d)	1st Qtr		92.2	69.3	157.2	105.0					125.0
	2nd Qtr		110.9	114.8	130.9	100.4	178.9	157.2	169.9		109.7
	3rd Qtr		109.0	106.7	133.4	105.6					124.9
	4th Qtr		113.9	113.9	146.3	105.4	95.1	108.1	122.3		138.0

(a) Overall indices is available only on an annual basis because of the seasonal nature of certain crops.

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

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

(d) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 3

Production of Tea, Rubber and Coconut

Period		Tea (mn kg)				Rubber (mn kg)				Coconut (mn nuts)				
		High Grown	Medium Grown	Low Grown	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other	Total	Local Consump-tion	Desic-cated Coconut	Coco-nut Oil	Other	Total (a)
2007		73.9	50.9	180.4	305.2	48.9	27.6	41.2	117.5	1,899.6	336.8	548.3	191.5	2,869.0
2008(b)		84.3	49.0	185.3	318.4	55.0	27.7	46.5	129.2	1,797.7	293.9	473.3	184.2	2,909.0
2009(c)		72.8	44.7	173.2	290.7	54.5	40.6	41.7	136.9	1,816.0	291.7	598.3	184.4	2,762.0
2009(c)	1st Qtr	14.0	8.4	27.4	49.8	16.2	8.7	13.0	37.9	454.0	87.6	128.6	59.1	729.2
	2nd Qtr	23.2	13.8	45.5	82.5	13.0	8.7	9.8	31.6	454.0	70.6	130.5	41.7	696.6
	3rd Qtr	15.8	10.6	50.2	76.6	13.8	9.8	8.6	32.2	454.0	75.4	160.5	43.2	733.0
	4th Qtr	19.8	11.9	50.1	81.8	11.5	13.5	10.3	35.3	454.0	58.1	178.7	40.7	731.4
2010(c)	1st Qtr	16.3	11.1	43.6	70.9	15.4	15.0	12.0	42.4	244.8	31.1	188.3	28.6	576.0
2009(c)	Apr	9.5	5.7	15.6	30.7	4.8	2.7	3.9	11.4	151.3	18.2	34.6	11.8	216.0
	May	8.3	4.1	14.4	26.8	5.1	2.5	2.9	10.4	151.3	23.7	54.3	16.2	245.5
	Jun	5.5	4.0	15.5	24.9	3.1	3.5	3.1	9.7	151.3	28.7	41.6	13.6	235.1
	Jul	5.9	3.6	16.4	25.9	4.5	1.6	3.6	9.8	151.3	27.9	46.6	10.9	236.7
	Aug	4.5	3.1	16.8	24.4	4.9	4.0	1.9	10.7	151.3	24.0	56.6	16.3	248.3
	Sep	5.5	3.9	16.9	26.4	4.4	4.2	3.1	11.7	151.3	23.5	57.3	16.0	248.1
	Oct	6.2	3.7	16.7	26.7	3.4	4.6	4.2	12.2	151.3	24.5	57.8	15.2	248.8
	Nov	7.3	4.6	17.3	29.2	4.1	4.4	2.7	11.2	151.3	20.2	56.8	12.5	240.8
	Dec	6.3	3.6	16.1	25.9	4.0	4.5	3.4	11.9	151.3	13.4	64.1	13.0	241.8
2010(c)	Jan	5.9	3.6	17.4	26.9	4.7	4.4	3.8	12.9	122.4	8.6	69.3	7.6	208.0
	Feb	5.4	3.8	14.4	23.5	5.5	5.7	4.2	15.3	122.4	7.6	61.7	11.3	203.0
	March	5.0	3.7	11.8	20.5	5.2	4.9	4.0	14.2	n.a.	14.8	57.2	9.7	165.0
	April	6.4	4.7	17.3	28.4	4.3	5.0	2.7	12.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	323.0

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

(b) Figures from August 2007 have been revised by the Tea Board of Sri Lanka.

(c) Provisional.

Sources : Sri Lanka Tea Board
Rubber Development Department
Coconut Development Authority
Coconut Research Institute
(with effect from January 2010)

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 4

Paddy Production

Year	Maha Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Maha Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Maha Prodc-tion (mt '000)	Maha Yield per ha. (kg.)	Yala Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Yala Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Yala Prodc-tion (mt '000)	Yala Yield per ha. (kg.)	Total Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Total Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Total Prodc-tion (mt '000)	Total Yield per ha. (kg.)
2004	521	417	1,670	4,002	258	226	958	4,244	779	643	2,628	4,086
2005	581	508	2,012	3,955	357	310	1,233	3,976	937	818	3,246	3,963
2006	591	525	2,136	4,069	319	283	1,206	4,263	910	808	3,342	4,137
2007	525	459	1,973	4,299	291	255	1,158	4,543	816	713	3,131	4,389
2008	582	508	2,125	4,181	471	417	1,750	4,195	1,053	925	3,875	4,187
2009 (a)	632	539	2,384	4,421	345	303	1,268	4,186	978	842	3,652	4,336

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 5

Rainfall and Rainy Days

Area	2007	2008	2009	2008(a) 1st Qtr (c)	2008(a) 2nd Qtr	2008(a) 3rd Qtr	2008(a) 4th Qtr	2009(a) 1st Qtr	2009(a) 2nd Qtr	2009(a) 3rd Qtr	2009(a) 4th Qtr
Rainfall (mm)											
Anuradhapura	1,381	1,486	1,075	456	198	88	743	195	172	66	642
Bandarawela	1,638	2,104	1,320	632	589	327	556	176	399	173	573
Colombo	2,085	2,622	2,134	443	857	481	841	332	620	378	804
Hambantota	1,018	1,140	881	279	106	108	647	71	129	185	496
Kandy (b)	1,828	1,849	1,944	577	360	246	666	239	419	257	1,029
Nuwara Eliya	1,675	1,587	1,640	564	281	269	474	191	418	300	731
Ratnapura	3,105	3,883	3,394	516	1,541	967	860	370	1,195	1,003	826
Trincomalee	483	1,845	1,889	630	97	191	926	426	224	75	1,164
No. of Rainy Days											
Anuradhapura	88	112	87	36	15	14	47	16	13	9	49
Bandarawela	150	180	162	51	45	30	54	35	36	31	60
Colombo	154	184	179	41	55	46	42	24	57	50	48
Hambantota	101	109	122	33	17	24	35	17	30	32	43
Kandy (b)	167	170	186	49	34	39	48	29	49	48	60
Nuwara Eliya	189	198	204	49	48	45	56	25	51	63	65
Ratnapura	199	243	227	51	79	62	51	32	65	68	62
Trincomalee	33	104	104	31	8	14	51	18	14	18	54

(a) Provisional
(b) Katugastota
(c) Figures has been modified according to rainfall station.

Source : Department of Meteorology

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 6

Fertiliser Sales

('000 metric tons)

Year		Paddy	Tea	Rubber	Coconut	Other Field Crops	Minor Export Crops	Others	Total
2007		389.1	157.2	11.8	33.9	37.3	9.7	27.2	666.4
2008(a)		602.1	132.2	10.5	25.1	25.8	5.8	16.0	817.4
2009(a)		376.8	172.7	6.1	15.9	24.9	3.9	16.2	616.4
2009 (a)	1st Quarter	31.7	39.8	1.8	1.6	4.5	0.4	3.3	83.2
	2nd Quarter	135.4	48.0	1.9	4.0	6.6	0.6	3.5	200.0
	3rd Quarter	10.4	29.9	1.4	4.0	5.9	1.3	3.9	56.8
	4th Quarter	199.3	55.0	1.0	6.3	8.0	1.6	5.4	276.5
2008(a)	December	59.4	3.3	0.1	1.4	2.0	0.4	1.1	67.6
2009(a)	January	23.5	7.2	0.1	0.7	1.5	0.1	1.3	34.4
	February	3.9	8.0	0.4	0.2	1.7	0.1	1.1	15.3
	March	4.2	24.6	1.4	0.8	1.3	0.2	0.9	33.5
	April	36.0	6.0	0.6	0.9	1.5	0.1	0.7	45.9
	May	60.7	7.1	0.6	1.5	1.4	0.2	1.3	72.7
	June	38.6	35.0	0.7	1.6	3.7	0.3	1.5	81.4
	July	4.0	4.2	0.7	1.1	2.0	0.3	1.9	14.1
	August	2.5	8.3	0.4	1.3	2.1	0.6	1.0	16.1
	September	4.0	17.4	0.4	1.6	1.8	0.4	1.1	26.5
	October	19.1	18.5	0.4	1.5	2.7	0.7	1.8	44.7
	November	51.0	8.2	0.4	2.4	3.4	0.5	2.6	68.4
	December	129.2	28.3	0.3	2.3	1.8	0.4	1.0	163.4

(a) Provisional

Source : National Fertiliser Secretariat

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 7

Selected Industrial Production Indicators

Period		Industrial Production Index	Electricity Usage in Industry (GWT) (c)			Domestic Sales of Furnace Oil in Industry ('000 mt) (d)	Selected Industrial Exports (US $ mn) (e)
			Small Industry	Medium Industry	Large Industry		
2007		167.7	194.6	1,383.7	1,048.6	791.5	5,750.7
2008 (a)		167.4	201.8	1,386.1	1,090.1	822.4	5,895.8
2009 (b)		172.6	219.0	1,315.6	983.3	901.4	5,169.5
2009 (b)	1st Qtr	172.6	51.7	302.5	252.1	268.2	1,237.7
	2nd Qtr	161.5	55.5	315.7	222.6	225.4	1,127.8
	3nd Qtr	167.7	57.2	344.1	236.3	201.7	1,392.2
	4th Qtr	188.6	54.7	353.3	272.4	206.1	1,411.8
2010 (b)	1st Qtr	179.2	53.7	348.8	270.5	214.9	1,126.0
2009 (b)	April	168.6	18.4	97.2	65.2	80.9	337.6
	May	158.3	19.4	103.7	74.2	66.4	380.6
	June	157.7	17.7	114.9	83.3	78.1	409.6
	July	159.2	18.7	110.4	70.8	69.7	473.9
	August	179.4	19.4	117.2	83.8	72.5	522.2
	September	164.4	19.1	116.5	81.7	59.5	396.1
	October	183.5	18.5	110.7	86.3	64.9	440.4
	November	193.0	18.6	123.5	92.1	68.1	437.2
	December	189.3	17.5	119.1	94.0	73.1	534.2
2010 (b)	January	176.3	17.5	114.3	86.6	69.2	306.5
	February	175.1	17.0	119.4	90.8	62.1	438.8
	March	186.1	19.5	115.1	93.1	83.6	480.7
	April	181.3	20.8	105.9	91.1	n.a.	388.3

(a) Revised
(b) Provisional
(c) (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 50 KVA, medium industry as supply of electricity at 400/230 volts and contract demand is equal or more than 50 KVA and large industry as supply of electricity at 11KV, 33KV and 132KV.
(2) Figures include electricity consumption of hotels.
(d) Sales other than to Ceylon Electricity Board.
(e) Excluding Petroleum exports.

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Ceylon Electricity Board
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Sri Lanka Customs

TABLE 8

Private Sector Industrial Production Volume Index[a][b] (1997=100)

Period		Overall Index	Food, beverages and tobacco products	Textiles, wearing apparel and leather products	Wood and wood products	Paper and paper products	Chemical, petroleum, rubber and plastic products	Non-metallic mineral products	Basic metal products	Fabricated metal products	Manufactured products (n.e.s.)
2007		163.9	162.7	148.5	133.3	134.5	203.0	171.5	169.0	151.5	140.8
2008		172.1	171.5	153.3	140.2	142.0	216.0	178.3	175.4	159.1	147.6
2009 (c)		182.5	192.4	152.9	144.7	147.8	220.1	171.2	176.4	164.3	152.0
2009 (c)	1st Quarter	177.1	174.9	172.3	151.4	140.7	220.9	162.0	179.9	148.4	149.1
	2nd Quarter	165.9	174.5	136.7	133.3	140.3	191.0	171.0	159.4	161.4	151.3
	3rd Quarter	172.2	180.0	134.7	150.9	151.9	214.8	167.7	183.6	171.5	145.5
	4th Quarter	194.1	195.8	167.9	143.3	158.5	253.8	184.1	182.8	175.8	161.9
2010 (c)	1st Quarter	186.8	186.9	172.1	159.6	150.1	236.8	175.1	188.1	157.3	162.6
2009 (c)	April	173.3	187.3	132.8	130.4	129.2	205.7	180.2	161.5	156.2	161.7
	May	162.3	177.3	124.8	126.2	147.6	183.2	155.5	148.0	159.8	141.7
	June	162.2	158.9	152.5	143.3	144.1	184.1	177.3	168.8	168.3	150.4
	July	164.4	178.3	113.0	155.7	147.2	209.5	172.0	182.2	153.0	139.2
	August	184.0	180.9	165.4	176.0	177.9	235.6	164.3	200.8	186.5	155.0
	September	168.1	180.9	125.8	121.0	130.5	199.0	166.7	167.7	175.1	142.3
	October	188.7	191.5	166.8	129.7	160.4	247.0	178.9	171.5	156.2	146.3
	November	198.7	193.8	188.2	151.9	156.1	255.5	183.8	204.6	182.3	169.8
	December	195.0	202.3	148.8	148.4	158.9	258.9	189.6	172.3	189.0	169.7
2010 (c)	January	180.6	173.1	167.5	168.8	152.9	253.7	155.7	213.6	153.7	165.3
	February	184.1	171.1	191.0	171.1	133.5	241.7	177.7	176.1	152.3	162.5
	March	195.6	216.6	157.9	139.0	164.0	215.0	192.1	174.7	165.9	160.0
	April	186.6	200.3	134.6	137.4	138.0	224.5	202.2	169.1	190.2	176.2

(a) The Private Sector Monthly Industrial Production Volume Index is calculated on the basis of information received from 150 major industrial firms, both in the BOI and Non-BOI Sectors.

(b) The weights used for the compilation of Private Sector Industrial Volume Index have been adjusted based on the Industrial Survey carried out by the Department of Census and Statistics (DCS) in 2002.

(c) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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 Year/Month	Export Earnings (FOB) Rs. mn.	Actual Local Employment (No.) as at end of Year
		Approvals	Agreements	Approvals	Agreements	Approvals	Agreements			
2007		637	298	282,986	122,590	582,985 (e)	233,977 (e)	1,823	571,052	451,934
2008 (c)		453	245	337,926	73,961	484,069	182,677	1,790	577,433	458,165
2009 (c)		383	177	441,004	374,028	550,538	422,761	1,782	523,868	474,128
2009 (c)	1st Quarter	68	34	28,568	65,902	35,270	70,421	1,783	134,679	n.a.
	2nd Quarter	84	35	24,459	15,350	55,765	29,430	1,787	120,628	n.a.
	3rd Quarter	99	49	289,215	7,669	340,004	23,388	1,784	120,001	n.a.
	4th Quarter	132	59	98,762	285,107	119,499	299,521	1,782	148,559	n.a.
2010 (d)	1st Quarter	82	44	39,911	29,414	54,766	33,762	1,886	143,514	n.a.
2009 (c)	April	16	12	3,267	8,271	12,961	11,587	1,778	31,282	n.a.
	May	25	8	3,061	81	14,127	1,045	1,780	34,926	n.a.
	June	43	15	18,131	6,997	28,677	16,799	1,787	54,420	n.a.
	July	30	16	15,153	3,482	36,191	5,177	1,790	42,932	n.a.
	August	25	17	1,097	3,843	4,981	15,757	1,801	40,818	n.a.
	September	44	16	272,965	345	298,832	2,454	1,784	36,251	n.a.
	October	49	17	7,361	1,852	15,664	6,700	1,779	57,198	n.a.
	November	41	22	70,241	277,903	72,819	280,649	1,776	47,056	n.a.
	December	42	20	21,160	5,352	31,016	12,172	1,782	44,305	n.a.
2010 (d)	January	32	12	32,344	675	38,196	2,410	1,860	44,899	n.a.
	February	39	3	7,470	34	15,571	679	1,865	48,411	n.a.
	March	11	29	97	28,705	999	30,673	1,886	50,204	n.a.
	April	46	19	7,822	547	107,467	3,635	1,906	34,321	n.a.

(a) Projects approved under Section 17 of the BOI Law.
(b) Including expanded projects.
(c) Revised
(d) Provisional
(e) Excluding Local Investment on Mihin Lanka (Pvt) Ltd.

Source : Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

COMMUNICATION, ENERGY, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING — TABLE 10

Telecommunication Services

Period		Wireline Telecom in Services	Wireless Local Loop Phones (a)	Telephone Density - Fixed lines (Telephones per 100 persons)	Cellular Mobile Telephones	Telephone Density - including Cellular (Telephones per 100 persons)	Internet & E-mail	Public Payphone Booths
2007		931,737	1,810,322	13.70	7,983,489	53.60	202,348	8,526
2008 (b)		888,979	2,557,432	17.05	11,082,508	71.86	234,000	7,417
2009 (b)		871,248	2,559,560	16.78	13,949,761	85.00	240,000	7,936
2008 (b)	2nd Qtr	939,769	1,603,133	15.56	9,473,917	62.42	223,123	8,476
	3rd Qtr	922,529	2,343,114	16.15	9,900,000	65.12	n.a.	n.a.
	4th Qtr	888,979	2,557,432	17.05	11,082,508	71.86	234,000	8,500
2009 (b)	1st Qtr	876,064	2,474,186	16.38	11,492,989	72.58	234,000	7,439
	2nd Qtr	871,114	2,520,370	16.58	12,658,483	78.48	240,000	7,745
	3rd Qtr	869,160	2,535,610	16.65	13,370,301	82.03	240,000	8,500
	4th Qtr	871,248	2,559,560	16.78	13,949,761	85.00	240,000	7,936
2010(b)	1st Qtr	875,509	2,589,687	16.78	15,043,809	89.61	250,000	7,938

(a) Except SLT lines (b) Provisional

Sources : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Telecom PLC

COMMUNICATION, ENERGY, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING — TABLE 11

Electricity Generation and Petroleum Imports

Period		Electricity						Petroleum (a)					LPG Local Production (MT)
		Installed Capacity (MW)	Units Generated (Gwh)					Crude Oil Imports (MT)	Refined Products Imports (MT)				
			Hydro	Thermal	Short-term IPP	Wind Power	Total		Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene	Avtur	
2007		2,443	3,807	5,761	105	2.28	9,814	1,968,139	208,661	1,019,162	–	187	15,515
2008		2,644	4,128	5,662	101	3.24	9,901	1,852,917	204,584	985,185	223	223	16,208
2009		2,683	3,884	5,873	101	3.42	9,882	2,065,956	325,884	1,104,955	–	141	24,346
2009(b)	1st Qtr	2,646	634	1,708	28	0.50	2,365	558,686	50,368	198,846	–	–	6,348
	2nd Qtr	2,677	823	1,580	26	1.16	2,426	417,401	82,075	310,136	–	47	5,442
	3rd Qtr	2,685	1,212	1,305	24	1.40	2,538	416,513	99,808	308,183	–	47	5,337
	4th Qtr	2,683	1,215	1,280	23	0.40	2,553	673,356	93,633	287,790		47	7,219
2010(b)	1st Qtr	2,685	1,001	1,559	19	0.53	2,581	196,904	78,172	297,530	–	–	2,574
2009(b)	Apr	2,647	229	537	8	0.22	774	138,958	24,411	46,034	–	–	1,881
	May	2,647	245	580	8	0.43	833	139,097	31,211	118,731	–	–	1,721
	Jun	2,677	349	463	6	0.51	819	139,346	26,453	145,371	–	47	1,840
	Jul	2,683	436	409	7	0.52	853	138,756	38,325	119,446	–	–	1,179
	Aug	2,685	386	452	7	0.47	845	139,038	43,975	143,138	–	47	1,836
	Sep	2,685	390	429	6	0.41	841	138,719	17,508	45,599	–	–	2,322
	Oct	2,695	386	464	7	0.21	857	268,382	27,277	119,975	–	–	2,266
	Nov	2,695	395	421	5	0.07	821	134,992	23,221	29,382	–	–	2,390
	Dec	2,683	434	410	5	0.08	875	269,982	43,136	138,433	–	47	2,563
2010 (b)	Jan	2,683	335	504	6	0.17	846	269,446	35,092	131,445	–	–	2,574
	Feb	2,683	331	468	6	0.21	805	62,290	0	54,120	–	–	–
	Mar	2,685	335	587	7	0.15	930	–	43,080	111,965	–	–	–
	Apr	2,686	282	555	8	0.12	845	135,184	48,371	175,576	–	–	2,317

(a) CPC only (b) Provisional

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation

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TABLE 12

Passenger Transportation and Port Operations

Period		Sri Lanka Transport Board		Sri Lanka Railways			Port Services (a)						
								Container Throughput (TEUs)				Total Cargo	
		Operated kms.'000	Passenger kms.'000	Operated kms.'000	Passenger kms.'000	Cargo Tonnes kms.'000	No. of Ship Arrivals	Domestic (Imp.+Exp.)	Trans-shipment	Re-stowing	Total	Discharged MT '000	Loaded MT '000
2007		332,813	15,874,121	8,800	4,766,900	135,000	4,710	803,076	2,468,661	109,505	3,381,232	28,621	17,723
2008 (b)		313,780	14,563,869	9,227	4,682,327	112,669	4,806	813,271	2,785,422	88,645	3,687,338	30,486	20,126
2009 (b)		332,675	14,843,747	9,622	4,567,828	113,641	4,456	751,992	2,633,055	79,250	3,464,297	29,283	19,494
2009 (b)	1st Quarter	78,233	3,636,233	2,317	1,064,705	29,526	1,097	180,904	584,526	14,174	779,604	6,337	4,089
	2nd Quarter	81,750	3,681,914	2,376	1,082,830	28,062	1,138	170,284	656,369	14,502	841,155	7,082	4,947
	3rd Quarter	86,699	3,769,713	2,446	1,202,247	30,690	1,149	195,381	738,041	22,663	956,085	7,902	5,463
	4th Quarter	85,993	3,746,622	2,483	1,218,046	25,363	1,072	205,423	654,119	27,911	887,453	7,962	4,995
2010 (b)	1st Quarter			2,438	1,071,247	31,623	1,004	230,277	737,895	24,994	993,166	8,737	5,913
2009 (b)	April	25,399	1,218,670	762	361,282	8,974	359	49,684	209,030	4,220	262,934	2,065	1,458
	May	28,389	1,236,965	808	364,136	9,347	403	57,728	214,485	5,055	277,268	2,422	1,645
	June	27,962	1,226,279	806	357,412	9,741	376	62,872	232,854	5,227	300,953	2,595	1,844
	July	29,604	1,279,995	823	381,187	9,779	394	64,873	237,521	6,234	308,628	2,592	1,796
	August	28,837	1,256,086	822	427,429	10,821	385	69,218	250,550	7,871	327,639	2,780	1,879
	September	28,258	1,233,632	801	393,631	10,090	370	61,290	249,970	8,558	319,818	2,531	1,788
	October	28,822	1,258,230	830	411,675	10,734	382	66,398	208,883	8,685	383,966	2,735	1,580
	November	28,196	1,230,860	818	372,833	7,031	347	66,048	218,789	9,641	294,478	2,471	1,668
	December	28,975	1,257,532	835	433,538	7,598	345	72,977	226,447	9,585	309,009	2,755	1,747
2010 (b)	January	26,561	1,073,185	827	357,089	7,938	359	77,275	242,470	8,545	328,290	3,068	1,914
	February			764	360,048	10,423	298	68,958	226,497	8,620	304,075	2,623	1,808
	March			847	354,111	13,262	347	84,044	268,928	7,829	360,801	3,046	2,191
	April			765	399,478	7,921	333	67,001	258,942	7,826	333,769	3,048	2,040

(a) Ports of Colombo, Galle and Trincomalee and South Asia Gateway Terminals Ltd.

(b) Provisional

TEUs = Twenty-foot Equivalent Container Units

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

New Registration of Motor Vehicles

Period		Passenger Transport					Goods Transport		Land Vehicles			Other Vehicles	Total
		Buses	Motor Cars	Three Wheelers	Duel Purposes	Motor Cycles	Lorries	Others	Tractors	Hand Tractors	Other Land Vehicles		
2007		2,637	22,603	43,068	5,193	182,508	17,994	414	3,432	17,914	2,130	–	297,892
2008		1,180	20,237	44,804	2,856	155,952	13,588	450	3,339	20,724	2,069	–	265,199
2009		739	5,762	37,364	1,280	135,421	8,016	401	2,286	11,473	1,333	–	204,075
2009 (a)	1st Quarter	202	1,850	8,506	356	30,181	1,560	67	577	3,169	383	–	46,851
	2nd Quarter	51	1,532	7,913	240	29,746	1,170	59	319	2,717	311	–	44,058
	3rd Quarter	208	1,265	8,762	346	35,580	2,135	123	495	2,402	338	–	51,654
	4th Quarter	278	1,115	12,183	338	39,914	3,151	152	895	3,185	301	–	61,512
2010 (a)	1st Quarter	400	1,134	16,097	345	46,902	4,070	132	733	2,984	523	–	73,320
2009 (a)	April	10	523	2,793	75	9,619	355	13	126	835	97	–	14,446
	May	26	458	2,470	61	9,700	358	28	90	961	95	–	14,247
	June	15	551	2,650	104	10,427	457	18	103	921	119	–	15,365
	July	57	472	2,725	126	12,388	636	48	149	811	112	–	17,524
	August	80	423	2,713	123	11,274	734	45	140	635	107	–	16,274
	September	71	370	3,324	97	11,918	765	30	206	956	119	–	17,856
	October	106	370	3,986	97	14,231	939	37	296	1,109	48	–	21,219
	November	79	329	3,703	110	12,602	838	41	364	1,105	118	–	19,289
	December	93	416	4,494	131	13,081	1,374	74	235	971	135	–	21,004
2010 (a)	January	137	308	3,863	85	12,554	1,074	35	157	724	140	–	19,077
	February	116	407	5,170	123	15,978	1,261	40	227	1,157	160	–	24,639
	March	147	419	7,064	137	18,370	1,735	57	349	1,103	223	–	29,604
	April	151	412	5,135	110	14,570	1,236	17	272	513	114	–	22,530

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Motor Traffic

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TABLE 14

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
2007		1,961	5,757	6,427	14,145	56.6	140.7	207.3	132.7	1,668	84.5	15,813	125.2
2008		1,587	4,408	4,979	10,974	45.8	107.7	160.6	103.0	1,543	78.2	12,517	99.1
2009		1,389	3,895	4,606	9,890	40.1	95.2	148.5	92.8	1,492	75.6	11,382	90.1
2007	3rd Quarter	534	1,527	1,681	3,742	68.2	156.5	224.4	149.2	445	89.2	4,187	139.2
	4th Quarter	482	1,337	1,492	3,311	61.6	137.0	199.2	132.0	405	81.2	3,716	123.6
2008	1st Quarter	452	1,248	1,342	3,042	57.7	127.9	179.2	121.3	393	78.8	3,435	114.2
	2nd Quarter	302	997	1,029	2,328	38.6	102.2	137.4	92.8	328	65.7	2,656	88.3
	3rd Quarter	481	1,219	1,428	3,128	61.4	124.9	190.7	124.7	442	88.6	3,570	118.7
	4th Quarter	352	944	1,180	2,476	45.0	96.7	157.5	98.7	380	76.2	2,856	95.0
2009	1st Quarter	254	735	969	1,958	32.4	75.3	129.4	78.1	342	68.5	2,300	76.5
	2nd Quarter	224	616	798	1,638	28.6	63.1	106.5	65.3	227	45.5	1,865	62.0
	3rd Quarter	322	881	965	2,168	41.1	90.3	128.8	86.4	315	63.1	2,483	82.6
	4th Quarter	300	880	946	2,126	38.3	90.2	126.3	84.8	276	55.3	2,402	79.9

(a) Includes 4 Municipal Councils (Colombo, Dehiwala-Mount Lavinia, Sri Jayawardanapura and Moratuwa), 6 Urban Councils (Wattala-Mabole, Peliyagoda, Panadura, Horana, Kesbewa and Maharagama) and 9 Pradesheeya Sabhas (Homagama, Kotikawatta-Mulleriyawa, Kaduwela, Kelaniya, Attanagalla, Wattala-Mabole, Horana, Panadura and Mahara).

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Colombo Consumers' Price Index (CCPI)[(a)]

2002 = 100

Period (b)		All Items	Commodities and Weights									
			Food and Non-Alcoholic Beve-rages	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	Furnishing, H/H Equip-ment and Routine Maintanance of the House	Health	Trans-port	Commu-nication	Recre-ation and Culture	Edu-cation	Miscel-laneous Goods and Services
Weights		(100%)	(46.7%)	(3.1%)	(18.3%)	(3.2%)	(4.2%)	(9.5%)	(4.4%)	(2.2%)	(5.8%)	(2.6%)
2005	Average	128.0	124.7	117.9	146.4	117.6	108.0	141.2	121.4	113.1	119.7	124.5
2006	”	140.8	135.8	127.7	174.2	124.7	113.1	156.7	120.5	113.6	126.3	131.3
2007	”	163.1	163.4	140.7	206.6	134.4	115.5	178.1	119.8	119.5	133.7	140.5
2008	”	199.9	213.3	154.8	226.8	154.1	163.2	240.4	100.0	128.3	141.0	156.3
2009	”	206.8	219.2	165.3	227.5	168.0	194.8	238.8	107.0	161.8	152.0	168.5
2009	1st Qtr	202.7	214.9	162.5	223.3	165.8	185.7	237.0	101.6	155.3	148.8	165.6
	2nd Qtr	204.6	217.2	163.9	226.1	165.8	185.8	235.7	107.3	162.2	149.6	166.5
	3rd Qtr	208.5	220.2	166.8	229.1	169.2	202.9	240.7	109.7	164.0	153.7	169.7
	4th Qtr	211.3	224.3	167.9	231.5	171.3	204.6	241.8	109.4	165.6	155.9	172.0
2010	1st Qtr	216.0	230.5	171.2	231.9	175.5	224.0	239.6	109.4	167.8	170.0	175.7
2009	April	201.0	210.8	163.4	224.1	166.1	185.8	235.7	102.5	162.1	149.5	166.2
	May	205.1	217.7	163.6	226.7	165.5	185.8	235.7	109.7	162.2	149.6	166.6
	June	207.8	223.2	164.6	227.5	165.9	185.8	235.8	109.7	162.2	149.6	166.7
	July	208.7	222.1	165.1	228.6	167.3	201.5	239.9	109.7	162.9	149.6	168.4
	August	208.1	219.1	167.7	228.8	169.9	202.8	241.1	109.7	164.6	155.7	170.2
	September	208.6	219.5	167.6	229.9	170.5	204.3	241.1	109.7	164.6	155.8	170.5
	October	209.4	220.6	166.1	231.4	170.8	204.6	241.4	109.4	164.9	155.9	170.7
	November	211.0	223.7	167.9	231.5	170.9	204.6	242.0	109.4	164.9	155.9	172.6
	December	213.5	228.6	169.7	231.5	172.1	204.6	242.0	109.4	166.9	155.9	172.6
2010	January	216.4	232.1	171.4	232.0	175.3	217.8	239.9	109.4	167.8	167.5	175.3
	February	216.9	232.0	170.8	231.9	175.5	227.1	239.5	109.4	167.8	171.3	175.6
	March	214.8	227.3	171.5	231.9	175.6	227.1	239.5	109.4	167.8	171.3	176.2
	April	212.6	222.7	171.8	231.9	175.6	227.1	239.5	109.4	167.8	171.3	176.7

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(a) The index was based on household income and expenditure survey conducted in 2002.
The weights are based on the consumption pattern of the urban houeholds within the Colombo district.
The total basket value (at 2002 prices) was Rs. 17,996.38

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

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 16

Wholesale Price Index

1974 = 100

Period (a)		COMMODITY - WISE														SECTOR - WISE					
																No. I			No. II		
		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	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)
2007	Average	2,924.4	2,547.4	3,053.3	696.8	1,086.2	1,436.8	5,929.1	7,801.4	1,118.8	1,787.2	1,542.2	1,006.2	3,525.2	7,477.2	2,134.3	2,737.5	4,914.3	2,592.1	3,951.5	3,867.8
2008	”	3,653.6	3,263.1	3,629.4	768.0	1,101.3	2,093.9	7,797.7	8,200.5	1,405.6	2,232.0	1,608.3	1,105.1	4,001.5	8,454.2	2,612.6	3,682.9	5,942.6	3,275.3	4,942.5	4,139.8
2009(b)	”	3,500.9	3,281.8	4,151.8	800.7	1,106.9	2,167.0	6,023.6	8,387.4	1,298.5	2,397.8	1,592.2	1,225.8	5,226.2	6,392.0	2,703.6	3,283.7	5,545.0	3,360.9	3,865.9	4,238.2
2009(b)	1st Quarter	3,291.7	3,081.2	3,960.8	848.3	1,091.7	2,338.7	5,881.0	8,382.7	1,306.4	2,357.9	1,606.4	1,185.5	5,162.7	4,984.4	2,635.9	3,359.6	4,674.1	3,169.2	3,550.9	4,224.9
	2nd Quarter	3,414.7	3,204.7	4,222.5	820.9	1,089.4	2,338.6	5,881.0	8,396.8	1,292.4	2,392.3	1,586.2	1,207.4	5,162.7	5,662.4	2,683.1	3,363.6	5,110.0	3,292.5	3,695.7	4,234.8
	3rd Quarter	3,576.7	3,365.0	4,206.8	766.1	1,119.8	2,009.3	6,165.8	8,383.7	1,297.5	2,417.4	1,588.0	1,246.2	5,264.3	6,758.1	2,691.5	3,314.3	5,872.3	3,435.3	3,961.7	4,243.0
	4th Quarter	3,719.8	3,476.2	4,216.9	767.3	1,126.6	1,981.6	6,166.5	8,386.5	1,297.5	2,423.6	1,588.3	1,264.2	5,315.1	8,162.9	2,803.8	3,092.9	6,523.6	3,545.0	4,254.2	4,250.0
2010(b)	1st Quarter	3,781.1	3,511.0	4,266.5	769.7	1,126.6	1,872.4	6,161.6	8,326.7	1,297.2	2,423.6	1,583.1	1,264.8	5,315.1	9,061.8	2,790.6	3,029.2	6,900.9	3,584.8	4,410.6	4,224.7
2009(b)	March	3,265.3	3,049.3	3,996.4	848.3	1,089.4	2,339.0	5,881.0	8,408.9	1,282.3	2,371.6	1,603.6	1,191.5	5,162.7	4,855.3	2,553.7	3,363.2	4,735.9	3,146.9	3,502.5	4,232.6
	April	3,295.4	3,039.1	4,179.1	848.3	1,089.4	2,338.9	5,881.0	8,408.9	1,282.3	2,371.6	1,582.7	1,191.5	5,162.7	5,523.6	2,631.9	3,334.5	4,729.5	3,144.9	3,656.0	4,232.6
	May	3,455.5	3,258.3	4,248.5	848.3	1,089.4	2,338.5	5,881.0	8,395.9	1,297.5	2,390.9	1,587.9	1,215.4	5,162.7	5,713.8	2,688.7	3,409.8	5,222.7	3,342.9	3,709.0	4,238.0
	June	3,493.3	3,316.7	4,240.0	766.2	1,089.4	2,338.5	5,881.0	8,385.7	1,297.5	2,414.3	1,587.9	1,215.4	5,162.7	5,749.9	2,728.6	3,346.6	5,377.7	3,389.7	3,722.0	4,233.9
	July	3,508.2	3,309.0	4,232.9	766.1	1,106.2	2,023.3	6,159.6	8,385.7	1,297.5	2,414.3	1,587.9	1,215.3	5,162.7	6,136.7	2,703.3	3,326.2	5,525.1	3,380.1	3,830.1	4,233.9
	August	3,568.0	3,321.5	4,197.1	766.1	1,126.6	2,023.3	6,168.9	8,386.2	1,297.5	2,414.3	1,587.9	1,260.0	5,315.1	6,697.5	2,695.6	3,278.4	5,770.8	3,398.0	3,948.0	4,248.5
	September	3,658.0	3,464.5	4,190.5	766.1	1,126.6	1,981.3	6,168.9	8,379.2	1,297.5	2,423.6	1,588.1	1,263.3	5,315.1	7,440.2	2,675.7	3,338.2	6,320.9	3,527.7	4,107.0	4,246.6
	October	3,688.0	3,461.6	4,217.1	767.2	1,126.6	1,981.3	6,168.9	8,386.5	1,297.5	2,423.6	1,588.3	1,264.2	5,315.1	7,714.0	2,711.0	3,238.1	6,416.6	3,530.7	4,154.0	4,250.0
	November	3,716.9	3,481.2	4,184.6	767.4	1,126.6	1,981.6	6,168.9	8,386.5	1,297.5	2,423.6	1,588.3	1,264.2	5,315.1	8,043.4	2,807.8	3,035.1	6,570.5	3,546.9	4,232.1	4,250.0
	December	3,754.4	3,485.9	4,248.9	767.4	1,126.6	1,981.8	6,161.6	8,386.5	1,297.5	2,423.6	1,588.3	1,264.2	5,315.1	8,731.4	2,892.5	3,005.4	6,583.6	3,557.3	4,376.6	4,250.0
2010	January	3,837.4	3,577.8	4,254.3	767.4	1,126.6	1,894.3	6,161.6	8,341.1	1,297.2	2,423.6	1,581.4	1,264.2	5,315.1	9,273.8	2,906.2	2,972.2	6,961.7	3,647.8	4,452.0	4,230.6
	February	3,797.6	3,559.5	4,261.7	773.0	1,126.6	1,852.6	6,161.6	8,319.5	1,297.2	2,423.6	1,581.4	1,266.1	5,315.1	8,742.5	2,759.5	3,048.3	7,020.2	3,624.8	4,345.0	4,222.0
	March	3,708.3	3,395.7	4,283.6	768.6	1,126.6	1,870.4	6,161.6	8,319.5	1,297.2	2,423.6	1,586.6	1,264.2	5,315.1	9,169.2	2,706.0	3,067.2	6,720.7	3,481.7	4,434.8	4,221.4

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

(b) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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
2007	Average	44.67	39.41	62.99	31.96	35.98	19.01	79.45	47.35	68.30	162.55	19.58	240.67
2008	”	69.67	60.01	83.39	45.45	70.36	29.10	96.84	49.46	66.79	172.52	28.35	284.99
2009 (b)	”	68.68	58.24	76.68	42.90	56.38	30.72	83.58	60.09	81.96	181.30	21.78	288.97
2009 (b)	1st Quarter	71.60	59.20	61.27	32.50	55.43	39.40	111.05	63.13	64.00	177.27	21.37	255.03
	2nd Quarter	65.10	56.03	80.67	36.10	63.13	30.50	78.27	52.33	83.80	170.27	20.83	320.37
	3rd Quarter	66.33	56.53	73.30	51.50	53.60	21.60	53.57	49.37	82.33	185.93	20.07	297.93
	4th Quarter	71.67	61.20	91.47	51.50	53.33	31.37	91.42	75.53	97.70	191.73	24.83	282.53
2010(b)	1st Quarter	76.03	64.93	88.53	50.43	78.13	27.87	73.80	57.43	73.43	171.90	26.63	280.93
2009 (b)	April	62.60	54.70	71.00	27.50	39.50	33.50	86.20	49.70	74.10	170.00	21.10	298.80
	May	65.90	56.40	65.00	38.80	71.90	25.00	89.30	52.80	83.00	167.80	20.80	336.30
	June	66.80	57.00	106.00	42.00	78.00	33.00	59.30	54.50	94.30	173.00	20.60	326.00
	July	64.60	56.00	83.10	61.90	61.30	29.50	52.20	52.30	106.30	179.50	17.60	281.30
	August	66.80	55.80	73.80	50.60	55.00	17.60	51.20	51.80	78.90	190.00	20.50	312.50
	September	67.60	57.80	63.00	42.00	44.50	17.70	57.30	44.00	61.80	188.30	22.10	300.00
	October	69.60	60.00	80.60	48.80	44.40	24.00	59.10	68.10	75.90	201.40	23.80	271.30
	November	69.40	60.00	106.30	39.40	43.10	33.80	96.87	77.87	105.50	190.80	25.10	266.30
	December	76.00	63.60	87.50	66.30	72.50	36.30	118.30	80.62	111.70	183.00	25.60	310.00
2010	January	81.60	69.30	101.90	65.00	91.30	31.90	101.00	69.70	83.80	183.30	27.00	288.80
	February	77.10	70.00	88.10	46.30	90.00	21.30	73.30	57.50	66.50	177.40	27.80	239.00
	March	69.40	55.50	75.60	40.00	53.10	30.40	47.10	45.10	70.00	155.00	25.10	315.00
	April	62.50	52.00	83.80	29.40	46.30	25.40	48.70	40.60	74.70	149.60	24.10	375.00

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PRICES AND WAGES **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	Par Boiled	Raw			
2007	Average	422.43	51.13	159.46	15,312.22	47.93	41.31	39.62	80.96	208.27	20.09
2008	”	661.03	59.08	178.71	22,955.40	73.27	65.30	62.15	99.74	215.82	28.93
2009(b)	”	667.33	66.58	171.72	16,593.14	71.71	61.38	58.27	102.41	214.18	21.95
2009(b)	1st Quarter	671.27	68.58	167.40	16,546.78	73.94	63.28	60.39	108.96	212.71	22.78
	2nd Quarter	635.26	72.14	167.72	15,608.54	70.62	60.46	57.04	115.82	211.47	21.94
	3rd Quarter	646.34	54.25	169.72	15,111.56	70.56	60.41	57.38	82.44	218.37	21.11
	4th Quarter	716.43	71.35	182.04	19,105.69	73.73	63.01	60.48	111.24	225.33	24.90
2010(b)	1st Quarter	737.57	62.33	182.57	23,114.10	82.80	68.53	62.50	97.29	217.49	29.37
2009(b)	April	601.24	70.93	166.14	14,795.40	69.86	59.15	55.57	111.69	211.62	21.88
	May	633.69	67.57	171.60	16,089.89	70.14	60.48	56.42	117.20	211.58	22.10
	June	670.84	77.93	165.42	15,940.34	71.86	61.74	59.13	118.56	211.20	21.85
	July	635.71	62.37	173.08	14,895.35	70.71	60.92	57.90	98.11	214.05	21.32
	August	641.18	54.09	166.79	14,972.22	69.94	59.87	56.73	75.27	218.30	20.66
	September	662.14	46.29	169.29	15,467.11	71.05	60.45	57.50	73.95	222.77	21.35
	October	675.14	50.22	183.18	16,430.56	71.29	61.43	58.88	81.35	226.09	22.16
	November	722.32	78.43	182.00	19,838.89	72.34	62.37	60.30	116.01	226.22	25.26
	December	751.84	85.40	180.95	21,047.62	77.55	65.22	62.26	136.19	223.67	27.29
2010(b)	January	831.70	80.29	187.42	22,430.00	85.26	73.47	66.42	119.95	224.09	28.51
	February	766.37	59.06	183.57	23,727.30	84.17	70.29	63.88	95.82	220.74	29.89
	March	614.64	47.63	176.72	23,185.00	76.80	61.82	57.21	76.09	207.63	29.72
	April	634.92	50.08	177.73	20,881.50	72.06	59.24	53.86	74.99	199.88	28.78

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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	Cabbaages	Carrot	Leeks	Tomatoes	Beetroot	Potatoes	Seer Fish	Kelawalla	Mullet	Hurulla	Salaya	Banana / Ambul	Papaw	Pineapple	Egg (each)	Chicken
2007	Average	29.06	26.05	27.38	23.61	34.72	24.58	30.28	23.95	48.17	24.20	46.74	40.99	35.00	36.23	55.79	373.11	251.93	208.16	123.67	60.07	24.01	25.57	35.94	7.80	212.33
2008	"	30.31	33.97	43.86	33.34	52.23	43.56	90.64	33.02	60.45	29.08	47.20	47.46	49.90	46.00	59.86	445.57	275.25	243.52	145.24	63.63	25.01	24.07	46.39	10.31	307.74
2009(a)	"	31.59	36.10	34.69	31.99	47.04	31.11	58.21	35.62	57.06	33.08	52.70	45.37	41.36	48.61	63.84	489.67	299.79	248.78	155.59	75.83	26.15	31.31	42.94	10.76	271.31
2009(a)	1st Quarter	29.71	35.87	28.18	30.23	44.26	24.11	30.25	34.75	48.87	26.26	49.23	49.35	40.77	46.85	57.04	514.72	305.42	256.58	165.20	76.93	25.45	27.88	41.87	9.86	261.81
	2nd Quarter	30.38	34.40	32.91	30.63	45.21	31.50	39.29	33.11	54.40	29.69	50.96	47.94	43.46	48.60	57.38	469.95	294.88	251.28	157.36	73.80	24.76	27.34	42.03	9.74	266.44
	3rd Quarter	31.18	33.82	34.66	31.08	44.92	30.38	44.27	36.96	58.13	35.25	54.12	40.04	40.83	44.05	67.82	503.05	313.89	257.53	159.70	80.89	26.05	34.34	40.56	10.72	280.47
	4th Quarter	35.11	40.29	43.00	36.02	53.77	38.43	119.02	37.66	66.83	41.14	56.49	44.16	40.40	54.93	73.14	470.97	284.96	229.73	140.10	71.70	28.35	35.68	47.30	12.70	276.51
2010(a)	1st Quarter	36.10	38.55	40.94	34.05	56.72	39.74	53.18	42.22	63.04	39.45	58.80	50.69	51.16	59.19	58.18	420.09	286.68	245.77	153.03	73.61	30.25	53.55	51.43	12.93	332.93
2009(a)	April	29.73	34.51	32.82	30.45	44.76	26.11	34.44	34.32	51.70	24.79	45.33	48.95	25.48	38.17	60.81	558.00	346.67	282.14	193.00	85.91	26.58	55.48	43.14	9.69	261.49
	May	29.39	33.73	33.12	29.20	43.96	27.83	40.03	34.73	52.44	30.77	53.90	54.05	42.52	47.21	67.31	505.00	365.79	270.91	198.89	89.55	25.75	26.32	41.71	9.93	276.09
	June	31.92	38.69	39.74	35.89	50.18	36.09	47.97	36.75	82.50	36.42	70.59	56.77	53.42	60.70	74.53	569.00	371.11	271.67	194.33	103.57	24.02	27.21	40.21	11.21	281.49
	July	30.72	34.97	38.70	34.57	50.13	32.14	44.55	35.66	63.75	40.13	61.90	49.58	50.07	53.66	84.14	476.15	322.89	272.50	159.41	86.77	23.63	29.07	39.13	11.26	284.26
	August	31.85	34.75	35.06	31.26	45.09	28.69	45.05	40.38	58.33	36.69	52.29	42.62	40.76	46.15	70.57	521.88	324.44	263.93	164.23	78.91	26.92	37.84	40.83	10.45	280.13
	September	30.96	31.75	30.22	27.41	39.53	30.31	43.21	34.83	52.30	28.94	48.18	27.91	31.67	32.35	48.75	511.11	294.33	236.15	155.45	77.00	27.60	36.11	41.71	10.45	277.02
	October	30.91	34.49	36.61	33.36	45.31	32.40	65.79	39.83	61.50	38.69	50.42	41.42	32.45	41.67	54.14	452.14	272.00	225.56	136.25	71.25	27.02	37.15	46.08	14.19	275.11
	November	36.66	42.73	46.93	36.66	57.34	40.83	167.14	35.46	72.50	39.57	56.91	43.65	34.48	59.59	85.00	468.85	282.89	225.29	143.75	74.62	28.31	35.18	46.41	11.00	273.43
	December	37.75	43.66	45.46	38.04	58.66	42.06	124.13	37.70	66.50	45.15	62.15	47.37	54.26	63.52	80.27	491.92	300.00	238.33	140.31	69.23	29.71	34.72	49.40	12.90	280.98
2010(a)	January	37.56	41.18	46.54	35.59	62.74	49.92	69.93	43.00	72.56	46.20	72.10	53.90	60.21	69.90	64.58	449.17	271.54	252.24	145.80	72.08	31.62	39.48	53.64	12.71	313.13
	February	36.00	38.70	39.18	33.95	56.42	35.42	44.76	41.23	60.45	38.69	56.08	53.10	58.44	59.94	60.25	382.06	296.54	246.43	158.67	73.75	27.78	82.13	49.92	12.29	332.92
	March	34.74	35.78	37.09	32.62	51.00	33.89	44.85	42.43	56.11	33.46	48.21	45.06	34.83	47.73	49.71	429.04	291.96	238.64	154.62	75.00	31.36	39.04	50.72	13.78	352.73
	April	36.10	36.33	39.36	32.74	49.98	34.75	65.94	43.21	62.78	33.29	50.10	47.71	32.55	46.55	63.29	449.13	333.13	257.14	178.33	82.29	32.96	129.39	53.00	13.48	362.79

(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									
		Low-Country									
		Ash Plantains	Wetakolu	Long Beans	Ladies Fingers	Bitter Gourd	Brinjals	Limes	Mukunuwenna (a)	Green Beans	Cabbages
2007	Average	56.64	52.51	54.20	49.33	65.68	51.83	67.89	11.57	83.76	57.15
2008	”	59.83	62.85	67.70	60.28	78.32	64.89	98.80	13.99	102.81	66.52
2009	”	59.38	65.71	64.83	59.51	79.96	57.50	139.36	15.08	94.68	63.94
2009(b)	1st Qtr	57.94	65.97	56.62	58.95	77.68	47.95	83.93	15.08	79.88	55.51
	2nd Qtr	57.77	64.97	65.33	59.54	78.71	57.55	112.97	15.14	97.75	62.86
	3rd Qtr	56.70	61.28	62.55	56.83	74.95	55.59	106.90	15.11	94.17	66.00
	4th Qtr	65.12	70.60	74.81	62.71	88.48	68.91	253.63	14.96	106.92	71.40
2010(b)	1st Qtr	66.62	72.04	68.66	62.56	90.60	66.24	125.70	16.01	100.75	72.15
2009(b)	Apr	57.10	63.08	60.14	56.57	74.03	53.20	96.20	14.97	88.07	56.14
	May	56.47	63.90	63.56	57.86	76.86	54.07	118.20	15.24	87.78	60.57
	Jun	59.73	67.94	72.28	64.19	85.25	65.39	124.50	15.22	117.40	71.87
	Jul	58.48	64.14	68.84	62.43	80.62	58.90	108.40	15.24	108.69	71.58
	Aug	56.70	60.58	61.88	55.66	73.85	52.50	104.50	15.10	91.53	66.31
	Sep	54.92	59.13	56.92	52.41	70.32	55.37	107.80	14.99	82.29	60.10
	Oct	58.12	63.65	65.01	56.93	78.66	59.78	224.30	14.84	92.01	65.12
	Nov	65.56	71.72	79.89	63.89	90.13	68.12	312.70	14.76	116.20	69.90
	Dec	71.68	76.44	79.54	67.30	96.64	78.84	223.90	15.29	112.55	79.19
2010(b)	Jan	71.36	77.32	74.47	66.24	97.41	84.25	147.00	15.73	111.30	79.81
	Feb	64.27	72.32	65.65	62.21	90.40	56.00	117.10	15.87	98.94	70.45
	Mar	64.24	66.48	65.86	59.24	84.00	58.47	113.00	16.44	92.02	66.20
	Apr	62.93	63.46	64.78	57.77	80.02	58.01	133.90	16.11	93.14	80.51

Period		Vegetables					Sea Fish				
		Up-Country									
		Carrot	Leeks	Tomatoes	Beetroot	Potatoes	Seer Fish	Kelawalla	Mullet	Hurulla	Salaya
2007	Average	81.65	72.69	69.62	69.33	62.62	599.99	407.30	313.52	212.68	123.13
2008	”	92.51	79.55	85.08	87.97	66.80	672.20	471.75	357.87	241.36	145.21
2009	”	92.41	78.62	76.96	84.17	74.34	719.85	514.85	384.83	261.03	148.75
2009(b)	1st Qtr	83.91	80.76	77.66	82.51	64.17	708.96	498.25	366.03	260.52	142.90
	2nd Qtr	97.45	85.95	78.36	86.49	73.77	746.26	535.34	393.01	286.32	154.65
	3rd Qtr	90.91	71.52	80.87	77.24	74.54	731.72	526.65	393.09	261.44	160.09
	4th Qtr	97.37	76.25	71.35	90.45	84.90	692.47	499.16	387.17	235.85	137.36
2010(b)	1st Qtr	99.03	82.98	93.39	94.17	64.46	687.41	510.97	378.72	261.61	147.48
2009(b)	Apr	84.45	80.66	54.32	75.53	70.28	723.85	511.37	375.12	270.91	134.82
	May	92.39	84.69	80.10	85.29	70.87	751.02	535.39	393.30	288.30	154.43
	Jun	115.52	92.50	100.67	98.85	80.17	763.92	559.25	410.61	299.74	174.71
	Jul	103.62	82.56	95.90	88.16	83.10	750.10	535.03	396.53	275.90	168.79
	Aug	89.93	70.01	77.60	75.45	75.69	724.58	521.39	392.52	260.76	161.14
	Sep	79.19	62.00	67.90	68.12	64.83	720.48	523.52	390.24	247.66	150.34
	Oct	83.09	68.16	66.58	72.76	70.11	688.37	493.98	377.72	227.47	135.30
	Nov	98.72	75.07	64.81	90.52	97.70	678.89	491.57	396.79	228.79	133.26
	Dec	110.29	85.52	82.65	108.07	86.88	710.15	511.92	387.01	251.30	143.52
2010(b)	Jan	112.88	89.42	107.79	108.82	70.28	711.67	516.70	378.51	257.79	150.66
	Feb	95.10	81.14	99.83	92.28	62.36	698.28	513.15	384.92	264.20	150.36
	Mar	89.11	78.38	72.54	81.40	60.75	652.28	503.05	372.72	262.85	141.43
	Apr	87.05	78.83	63.53	76.66	64.74	711.55	545.57	397.69	273.80	152.62

(a) Unit of these 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	0.0	0.0	01/11/2007
	201-500	3.00	2.80	-0.2	-6.7	
	501-1,000	3.00	2.80	-0.2	-6.7	
	1,001-3,000	2.75	2.80	0.0	1.8	
	Above 3,000	2.50	2.80	0.3	12.0	
	Rental	495.00	345.00	-150.0	-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.					
Bus Fare (Private Sector)	Fare Stage					
	1	6.00	6.00	0.0	0.0	22/09/2009
	2	9.00	9.00	0.0	0.0	
	3	11.00	12.00	1.0	9.1	
	4	14.00	15.00	1.0	7.1	
	5	17.00	18.00	1.0	5.9	
Electricity (Domestic)	Tariff Block					
	0-30	3.00	3.00	0.0	0.0	01/11/2008
	31-60	4.00	4.70	0.7	17.5	
	61-90	5.50	7.50	2.0	36.4	
	91-120	10.00	16.00	6.0	60.0	
	121-180	11.00	16.00	5.0	45.5	
	181-240	15.00	25.00	10.0	66.7	
	241-600	16.00	25.00	9.0	56.3	
	Over 600	16.00	30.00	14.0	87.5	
	Fixed Charges					
	0-30	60.00	60.00	0.0	0.0	01/02/2007
	31-60	90.00	90.00	0.0	0.0	
	61-90	120.00	120.00	0.0	0.0	
	91-180	180.00	180.00	0.0	0.0	
	Above 180	240.00	240.00	0.0	0.0	
Water (Domestic)	Category					
	00-05	1.25	3.00	1.8	140.0	15/02/2009
	06-10	1.25	7.00	5.8	460.0	
	11-15	2.50	15.00	12.5	500.0	
	16-20	8.50	30.00	21.5	252.9	
	21-25	30.00	50.00	20.0	66.7	
	26-30	50.00	75.00	25.0	50.0	
	31-40	60.00	90.00	30.0	50.0	
	41-50	70.00	105.00	35.0	50.0	
	51-75	75.00	110.00	35.0	46.7	
	Over 75	75.00	120.00	45.0	60.0	
	Service Charge					
	00-05	50.00	50.00	0.0	0.0	15/02/2009
	06-10	50.00	65.00	15.0	30.0	
	11-15	50.00	70.00	20.0	40.0	
	16-20	50.00	80.00	30.0	60.0	
	21-25	50.00	100.00	50.0	100.0	
	26-30	50.00	200.00	150.0	300.0	
	31-40	50.00	400.00	350.0	700.0	
	41-50	50.00	650.00	600.0	1,200.0	
	51-75	50.00	1,000.00	950.0	1,900.0	
	Over 75	50.00	1,600.00	1,550.0	3,100.0	

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 Board 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
2007	Average	1,821.4	80.3	1,522.4	67.9	1,057.1	47.1	1,648.8	72.7
2008	”	2,286.6	83.5	1,877.5	68.5	1,370.8	49.9	2,070.4	75.5
2009(e)	”	2,349.4	83.0	2,054.0	72.5	1,545.8	54.6	2,171.4	76.7
2008	1st Quarter	2,109.7	81.9	1,705.0	66.2	1,195.7	46.4	1,894.6	73.5
	2nd Quarter	2,338.0	85.4	1,708.1	62.4	1,195.7	43.7	2,046.3	74.7
	3rd Quarter	2,349.4	83.0	2,042.8	72.2	1,545.8	54.6	2,169.3	76.6
	4th Quarter	2,349.4	83.6	2,054.0	73.1	1,545.8	55.0	2,171.4	77.3
2009(e)	1st Quarter	2,349.3	84.6	2,054.0	74.0	1,545.8	55.7	2,171.3	78.2
	2nd Quarter	2,349.3	83.8	2,054.0	73.3	1,545.8	55.1	2,171.3	77.5
	3rd Quarter	2,349.5	82.3	2,054.0	71.9	1,545.8	54.1	2,171.5	76.1
	4th Quarter	2,349.6	81.2	2,054.0	71.0	1,545.8	53.4	2,171.5	75.0
2010(e)	1st Quarter	3,319.7	112.2	2,054.0	69.4	1,545.8	52.2	2,813.8	95.1
2009(e)	April	2,349.3	85.3	2,054.0	74.6	1,545.8	56.1	2,171.3	78.9
	May	2,349.3	83.6	2,054.0	73.1	1,545.8	55.0	2,171.3	77.3
	June	2,349.4	82.5	2,054.0	72.2	1,545.8	54.3	2,171.4	76.3
	July	2,349.5	82.2	2,054.0	71.8	1,545.8	54.1	2,171.4	76.0
	August	2,349.5	82.4	2,054.0	72.1	1,545.8	54.2	2,171.5	76.2
	September	2,349.5	82.2	2,054.0	71.9	1,545.8	54.1	2,171.5	76.0
	October	2,349.5	81.9	2,054.0	71.6	1,545.8	53.9	2,171.5	75.7
	November	2,349.6	81.3	2,054.0	71.1	1,545.8	53.5	2,171.5	75.1
	December	2,349.6	80.3	2,054.0	70.2	1,545.8	52.9	2,171.5	74.2
2010(e)	January	3,319.5	112.0	2,054.0	69.3	1,545.8	52.1	2,813.6	94.9
	February	3,319.8	111.7	2,054.0	69.1	1,545.8	52.0	2,813.8	94.7
	March	3,319.9	112.8	2,054.0	69.8	1,545.8	52.5	2,813.9	95.6
	April	3,319.6	114.0	2,054.0	70.5	1,545.8	53.1	2,813.7	96.6s

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 referes 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 manufactuirng, 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.

Wage Rate Indices of Government Employees

December 1978 = 100

Period		NON - EXECUTIVE OFFICERS								MINOR EMPLOYEES						All Central Government Employees (a)		Government School Teachers	
		Clerical Employees		Skilled Employees other than Clerical		Unskilled Employees		All Non-Executive Officers		Skilled Employees		Unskilled Employees		All Minor Employees					
		NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI	NWRI	RWRI
2007	Average	3,116.7	138.0	3,069.4	136.0	3,795.9	168.1	3,493.4	156.6	4,000.5	177.1	3,841.6	170.2	4,172.7	187.1	3,828.4	171.6	2,740.0	122.8
2008	”	3,355.6	121.4	3,267.6	118.2	4,084.9	147.8	3,749.5	137.0	4,307.7	155.9	4,138.9	149.7	4,494.7	164.2	4,116.1	150.4	2,938.6	107.2
2009(b)	”	3,653.5	129.0	3,546.8	125.2	4,455.5	157.3	4,082.4	144.2	4,708.9	166.3	4,569.5	161.4	4,943.5	174.6	4,502.9	159.0	3,215.3	113.5
2009(b)	1st Quarter	3,630.6	130.8	3,525.3	127.0	4,427.0	159.5	4,056.8	146.1	4,678.0	168.5	4,536.4	163.4	4,909.0	176.8	4,473.1	161.1	3,194.0	115.0
	2nd Quarter	3,630.6	129.5	3,525.3	125.8	4,427.0	158.0	4,056.8	144.7	4,678.0	166.9	4,536.4	161.9	4,909.0	175.2	4,473.1	159.6	3,194.0	114.0
	3rd Quarter	3630.6	127.2	3525.3	123.5	4427.0	155.0	4,056.8	142.1	4,678.0	163.8	4,536.4	158.9	4,909.0	171.9	4,473.1	156.6	3,194.0	111.8
	4th Quarter	3,722.3	128.6	3,611.2	124.7	4,541.1	156.9	4,159.2	143.7	4,801.5	165.9	4,668.9	161.3	5,047.1	174.3	4,592.1	158.6	3,279.1	113.3
2010(b)	1st Quarter	3,768.1	127.3	3,654.1	123.5	4,598.1	155.4	4,210.4	142.3	4,863.2	164.4	4,735.1	160.0	5,116.1	172.9	4,651.6	157.2	3,321.7	112.3
2009(b)	April	3,630.6	131.9	3,525.3	128.0	4,427.0	160.8	4,056.8	147.3	4,678.0	169.9	4,536.4	164.8	4,909.0	178.3	4,473.1	162.5	3,194.0	116.0
	May	3,630.6	129.2	3,525.3	125.5	4,427.0	157.6	4,056.8	144.4	4,678.0	166.5	4,536.4	161.5	4,909.0	174.7	4,473.1	159.2	3,194.0	113.7
	June	3,630.6	127.5	3,525.3	123.8	4,427.0	155.5	4,056.8	142.5	4,678.0	164.3	4,536.4	159.4	4,909.0	172.5	4,473.1	157.1	3,194.0	112.2
	July	3,630.6	127.0	3,525.3	123.3	4,427.0	154.9	4,056.8	141.9	4,678.0	163.6	4,536.4	158.7	4,909.0	171.7	4,473.1	156.5	3,194.0	111.7
	August	3,630.6	127.4	3,525.3	123.7	4,427.0	155.3	4,056.8	142.3	4,678.0	164.1	4,536.4	159.1	4,909.0	172.2	4,473.1	156.9	3,194.0	112.0
	September	3,630.6	127.1	3,525.3	123.4	4,427.0	154.9	4,056.8	142.0	4,678.0	163.7	4,536.4	158.8	4,909.0	171.8	4,473.1	156.5	3,194.0	111.8
	October	3,630.6	126.6	3,525.3	122.9	4,427.0	154.3	4,056.8	141.4	4,678.0	163.1	4,536.4	158.1	4,909.0	171.1	4,473.1	155.9	3,194.0	111.3
	November	3,768.1	130.4	3,654.1	126.4	4,598.1	159.1	4,210.4	145.7	4,863.2	168.3	4,735.1	163.8	5,116.1	177.0	4,651.6	160.9	3,321.7	114.9
	December	3,768.1	128.8	3,654.1	124.9	4,598.1	157.2	4,210.4	144.0	4,863.2	166.3	4,735.1	161.9	5,116.1	174.9	4,651.6	159.0	3,321.7	113.6
2010(b)	January	3,768.1	127.1	3,654.1	123.3	4,598.1	155.1	4,210.4	142.0	4,863.2	164.1	4,735.1	159.7	5,116.1	172.6	4,651.6	156.9	3,321.7	112.1
	February	3,768.1	126.8	3,654.1	123.0	4,598.1	154.8	4,210.4	141.7	4,863.2	163.7	4,735.1	159.4	5,116.1	172.2	4,651.6	156.6	3,321.7	111.8
	March	3,768.1	128.1	3,654.1	124.2	4,598.1	156.3	4,210.4	143.1	4,863.2	165.3	4,735.1	160.9	5,116.1	173.9	4,651.6	158.1	3,321.7	112.9
	April	3,768.1	129.4	3,654.1	125.5	4,598.1	157.9	4,210.4	144.6	4,863.2	167.0	4,735.1	162.6	5,116.1	175.7	4,651.6	159.7	3,321.7	114.1

NWRI = Nominal Wage Rate Index RWRI = Real Wage Rate Index *Source:* Central Bank of Sri Lanka

The Wage Rates used in the calculations of index numbers are the initial salaries and wages in each respective scale.

(a) Combined Index for Non-Executive Officers and Minor Employees.

(b) Provisional.

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

Rupees

		Agriculture										Housing Construction (b)					
		Tea		Rubber			Coconut		Paddy			Carpentry			Masonry		
Period		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	Male	Female	Male	Male	Male	Male	Female						
2007	Average	369	250	376	305	268	455	568	423	405	329	711	511	409	706	503	407
2008	”	436	291	474	398	354	563	710	538	514	405	845	623	493	838	631	499
2009 (d)	”	479	323	521	422	378	629	816	574	558	445	924	668	541	915	671	556
2009 (d)	1st Quarter	465	297	498	396	359	602	781	562	554	447	892	645	525	884	655	533
	2nd Quarter	482	317	515	409	365	612	825	576	550	438	917	661	535	906	663	540
	3rd Quarter	480	341	526	433	381	664	802	566	561	452	928	670	543	925	675	583
	4th Quarter	490	338	545	449	406	636	856	590	566	444	960	694	561	945	691	569
2010 (d)	1st Quarter	516	337	599	471	436	660	819	624	603	486	974	715	561	962	701	585
2009 (d)	April	479	310	495	412	361	613	847	584	564	466	905	657	529	893	654	536
	May	491	315	523	406	366	618	825	582	545	444	919	660	532	908	664	539
	June	475	325	527	410	367	605	802	562	540	405	926	665	543	916	672	546
	July	476	335	522	444	379	648	782	512	557	446	919	660	537	914	669	537
	August	464	333	527	394	338	669	816	580	567	461	930	666	551	914	672	552
	September	500	356	530	461	425	676	808	607	558	448	935	685	540	947	684	661
	October	487	340	545	446	408	627	853	573	558	425	946	701	564	934	695	567
	November	488	329	550	443	402	640	850	604	584	457	950	682	557	946	684	571
	December	495	344	545	457	407	642	866	594	563	451	967	699	561	956	695	569
2010 (d)	January	506	323	661	438	419	704	831	625	593	488	968	696	562	963	679	575
	February	514	350	555	468	425	653	818	643	613	495	981	728	570	961	724	633
	March	529	337	575	506	463	624	809	603	603	475	972	720	550	963	701	547
	April	516	347	559	459	438	666	840	615	618	469	995	715	567	979	724	579

(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.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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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
2007	Average	409.6	544.0	418.0	386.6	354.6	387.6
2008	”	456.6	631.2	467.5	450.7	416.5	444.8
2009(a)		475.2	686.3	488.2	455.1	421.6	456.3
2008	2nd Quarter	451.7	622.9	462.3	447.8	414.1	441.1
	3rd Quarter	464.4	642.3	475.5	468.7	434.0	458.4
	4th Quarter	471.5	666.6	483.6	462.9	427.6	458.2
2009(a)	1st Quarter	472.0	673.6	484.5	452.5	419.9	453.6
	2nd Quarter	471.8	684.9	485.0	452.0	418.9	453.3
	3rd Quarter	477.9	685.9	490.8	457.4	423.2	458.4
	4th Quarter	478.9	700.6	492.6	458.3	424.2	459.7
2010(a)	1st Quarter	479.4	701.6	493.2	459.0	424.9	460.4

(a) Provisional

Source : Institute for Construction Training and Development

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TABLE 26

Price Indices for Selected Construction Materials and Labour Wages

1990 = 100

Period (a)		Cement	Rubble	Bricks (Hand cut)	Cailcut Tiles	Reinforce- -ment Steel	Structural Steel	Asbestos Roofing Sheets	PVC Pipes	General Timber	Electrical Wiring	Wall Paint	Glass	Skilled Labour	Semi Skilled Labour	Unskilled Labour
2007	Average	341.6	365.5	707.2	412.5	338.6	370.2	233.6	433.9	651.7	349.9	412.6	229.7	289.1	281.6	323.4
2008	”	261.2	259.6	514.1	299.5	320.2	338.8	211.2	424.0	579.2	305.1	388.7	199.0	268.7	260.3	300.1
2009(b)	”	432.8	443.7	795.9	506.5	460.1	419.7	306.0	634.7	751.0	401.7	527.2	235.0	339.2	337.1	374.6
2009(b)	1st Qtr	443.8	431.2	792.9	499.5	460.1	418.0	301.1	641.3	746.5	401.1	527.2	232.6	338.9	336.8	374.2
	2nd Qtr	422.8	436.4	796.7	505.1	460.1	419.0	306.0	632.5	748.0	401.5	527.2	233.4	338.9	336.8	374.2
	3rd Qtr	432.2	452.4	798.0	508.0	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	754.2	402.2	527.2	236.1	339.3	337.3	374.8
	4th Qtr	432.2	454.8	795.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	339.6	337.5	375.0
2010(b)	1st Qtr	432.2	455.7	798.9	513.5	462.6	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	341.2	338.9	377.8
2009(b)	Apr	420.0	431.9	796.1	503.6	460.1	418.0	301.1	632.5	746.6	401.1	527.2	233.4	338.9	336.8	374.2
	May	420.0	433.2	796.1	503.6	460.1	418.0	308.4	632.5	746.6	401.1	527.2	233.4	338.9	336.8	374.2
	Jun	428.5	444.1	798.0	508.0	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	750.7	402.2	527.2	233.4	338.9	336.8	374.2
	Jul	432.2	450.9	798.0	508.0	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	751.9	402.2	527.2	233.4	339.3	337.3	374.8
	Aug	432.2	453.1	798.0	508.0	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	236.8	339.3	337.3	374.8
	Sep	432.2	453.1	798.0	508.0	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	339.3	337.3	374.8
	Oct	432.2	453.1	798.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	339.3	337.3	374.8
	Nov	432.2	455.7	789.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	339.3	337.3	374.8
	Dec	432.2	455.7	798.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	340.3	337.9	375.4
2009(b)	Jan	432.2	455.7	798.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	340.3	337.9	375.4
	Feb	432.2	455.7	798.9	513.5	460.1	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	340.3	337.9	375.4
	Mar	432.2	455.7	798.9	513.5	467.7	420.9	308.4	632.5	755.3	402.2	527.2	238.0	343.1	340.8	382.5
	Apr	432.2	455.7	806.0	513.5	471.0	420.9	308.4	632.5	756.9	402.2	527.2	238.0	343.1	340.8	382.5

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

Source : Institute for Construction Training and Development

GOVERNMENT FINANCE

TABLE 27

Analysis of Net Cash Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)

Rs. million

Period		Revenue and Grants	Expen-diture (a) (b)	Net cash surplus (+)/ deficit (-)	Domestic financing											Foreign financing		
					Non-market borro-wings	Market borrowings										Foreign loans		
						Rupee loans			Treasury bills (d)	Treasury bonds			Central Bank advan-ces	Other borro-wings	Use of cash balances	Gross (f)	Repay-ments	Net
						Gross	Repay-ments	Net		Gross	Repay-ments	Net (e)						
2007		614,328	-876,581	-262,252	660	18,833	8,500	10,333	37,092	264,911	212,104	52,807	11,664	37,967	-5,386	181,235	64,114	117,115
2008		708,596	-1,030,925	-322,329	373	0	1,500	-1,500	69,766	439,088	246,732	192,356	15,629	26,143	11,544	136,957	121,609	8,018
2009(c)		749,359	-1,232,984	-483,625	5,300	1,904	19,621	-17,717	49,008	514,289	312,354	201,935	-2,428	7,625	-1,170	351,356	110,286	241,070
2008	1st Qtr	162,212	-242,819	-80,607	-1,500	0	0	0	10,749	75,249	53,814	21,435	16,357	-7,481	13,759	35,651	12,259	23,391
	2nd Qtr	159,017	-249,472	-90,455	0	0	1,500	-1,500	7,824	65,667	32,831	32,836	-943	25,247	-693	45,759	18,327	22,596
	3rd Qtr	180,778	-260,371	-88,110	0	0	0	0	-3,660	107,398	56,501	50,898	1,037	6,438	2,686	38,513	13,825	22,194
	4th Qtr	206,589	-278,648	-85,780	1,873	0	0	0	54,853	190,773	103,586	87,187	-822	1,945	-4,208	17,035	77,198	-60,163
2009(c)	1st Qtr	157,876	-309,099	-151,223	0	1,904	13,871	-11,967	58,340	216,196	131,901	84,295	11,265	9,110	2,579	9,793	12,192	-2,399
	2nd Qtr	157,629	-254,878	-97,249	5,300	0	1,000	-1,000	37,343	129,612	102,710	26,902	-1,261	26,473	-2,461	46,159	40,206	5,953
	3rd Qtr	249,143	-314,352	-65,209	0	0	2,450	-2,450	-78,135	85,650	43,445	42,205	-18,844	-16,472	3,931	160,560	25,586	134,974
	4th Qtr	184,713	-354,656	-169,944	0	0	2,300	-2,300	31,460	82,831	34,298	48,533	6,413	-11,486	-5,219	134,844	32,302	102,542
2009(c)	Feb	49,048	-100,581	-51,533	0	0	1,409	-1,409	26,450	61,873	36,507	25,366	-143	5,307	60	-2	4,096	-4,098
	Mar	58,145	-103,626	-45,481	0	1,904	1,001	903	37,533	62,682	36,439	26,243	281	-19,108	-1,005	5,598	4,964	634
	Apr	49,757	-96,968	-47,211	2,000	0	0	0	14,093	34,957	9,950	25,007	-2	3,745	-444	8,491	5,679	2,812
	May	53,107	-76,991	-23,884	500	0	0	0	5,942	40,662	37,342	3,320	-45	-1,392	-580	20,617	4,478	16,139
	Jun	54,765	-80,919	-26,154	2,800	0	1,000	-1,000	17,308	53,993	55,418	-1,425	-1,214	24,120	-1,437	17,051	30,049	-12,998
	Jul	62,860	-96,510	-33,650	0	0	2,200	-2,200	8,336	19,374	0	19,374	1,227	-2,658	-1,012	20,358	9,775	10,583
	Aug	66,082	-135,923	-69,841	0	0	250	-250	-64,304	50,695	43,445	7,250	155	24,098	-526	109,604	6,186	103,418
	Sep	120,201	-81,919	38,282	0	0	0	0	-22,167	15,581	0	15,581	-20,226	-37,912	5,469	30,598	9,625	20,973
	Oct	55,247	-137,011	-81,764	0	0	2,300	-2,300	-1,582	25,874	0	25,874	8,006	-14,279	-5,919	79,554	7,590	71,964
	Nov	60,526	-97,663	-37,137	0	0	0	0	18,939	33,275	34,298	-1,023	-84	-2,024	2,232	27,836	8,739	19,097
	Dec	68,940	-119,982	-51,043	0	0	0	0	14,103	23,682	0	23,682	-1,509	4,817	-1,532	27,454	15,973	11,481
2010(c)	Jan	50,170	-113,754	-63,584	0	0	5,550	-5,550	25,533	30,806	24,470	6,336	13,570	8,373	2,342	16,024	3,014	13,010
	Feb	61,326	-107,948	-46,572	0	0	50	-50	31,818	38,234	38,447	-213	35	7,982	1,769	14,933	9,805	5,128

(a) Consists of government expenditure excluding contributions to sinking funds, direct payment of pulic 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 year. Hence, the figures may not tally with the figures published in the accounts of the Government of Sri Lanka.

(b) Special payments and receipts on account of Sri Lanka's contribution to and from the IMF and the IDA and special loans from these payments are excluded from both recurrent expenditure and Central Bank Advances.

(c) Provisional.

(d) Excludes foreign investments in Treasury bills.

(e) Excludes foreign investments in Treasury bonds.

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

Sources : Ministry of Finance and Planning
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Economic Classification of Government Revenue

Rs. million

Period	Tax revenue: Income tax	Tax revenue: Stamp duty/Port & airport development levy/Debits tax	TT/GST/VAT/NSL: Manu-facturing/ Non-manu-facturing	TT/GST/VAT/NSL: Imports	TT/GST/VAT/NSL: Total	Excise tax: Liquor	Excise tax: Ciga-rettes	Excise tax: Petro-leum	Excise tax: Other	Excise tax: Total	Import duties	Other / Motor vehicles	Total	Non-tax revenue: Pro-perty income	Non-tax revenue: Fees and charges	Non-tax revenue: Other	Non-tax revenue: Total	**Total revenue**
2007	107,168	37,913	85,490	101,962	187,452	23,724	31,437	17,126	24,389	96,675	55,987	23,452	508,947	23,867	10,041	22,196	56,104	565,051
2008	126,541	43,178	102,805	100,841	203,646	27,434	37,288	18,977	17,271	100,970	63,844	39,603	585,621	27,323	16,592	25,724	69,639	655,259
2009(a)	139,558	47,649	103,891	67,620	171,510	28,525	37,601	23,018	8,460	97,604	79,560	83,043	618,933	43,991	26,321	13,399	83,711	702,644
2008 Q1	28,062	10,136	27,031	25,058	51,907	6,277	8,342	4,620	5,295	24,534	13,868	12,086	140,593	3,173	2,265	12,762	17,573	158,166
Q2	26,236	11,353	28,771	22,036	49,463	7,323	8,912	4,401	3,702	24,338	13,465	10,135	134,990	5,952	4,113	6,208	15,856	150,846
Q3	37,748	10,474	26,403	24,851	48,953	6,559	8,864	3,142	3,587	22,152	14,482	10,476	144,285	3,652	5,008	3,956	12,616	156,901
Q4	34,495	11,215	28,451	28,896	53,323	7,275	11,170	6,814	4,687	29,946	22,027	14,747	165,753	14,546	5,206	3,842	23,594	189,347
2009(a) Q1	32,962	10,431	25,913	14,323	40,236	6,667	6,829	3,205	1,818	18,519	16,711	14,658	133,515	2,900	5,426	2,781	11,107	144,623
Q2	33,447	8,972	26,836	12,227	39,063	7,567	10,037	1,185	1,485	20,274	12,451	18,731	132,938	4,626	4,626	2,939	12,155	145,126
Q3	43,219	13,208	29,110	16,883	45,993	6,852	12,501	12,581	2,618	34,552	30,798	23,500	191,270	31,891	6,073	3,533	41,497	234,781
Q4	29,930	15,038	22,049	24,187	46,235	7,439	8,237	6,039	2,547	24,262	19,676	26,060	161,210	4,610	10,196	4,146	18,952	180,162
2009(a) Feb	14,441	2,630	7,863	3,775	11,638	2,429	2,260	182	446	5,317	3,887	4,314	42,227	676	1,909	848	3,433	45,665
Mar	6,233	4,353	7,700	5,943	13,643	2,150	2,742	3,008	452	8,352	9,307	6,547	48,435	1,608	2,200	933	4,741	53,176
Apr	8,891	2,900	9,201	4,113	13,314	2,633	3,624	449	492	7,198	3,863	5,371	41,537	1,573	1,465	679	3,717	45,259
May	14,454	2,666	8,727	3,472	12,199	2,706	2,910	518	604	6,738	4,084	5,845	45,986	1,171	1,481	855	3,507	49,493
Jun	10,102	3,406	8,908	4,642	13,550	2,228	3,503	218	389	6,338	4,504	7,495	45,395	1,846	1,680	1,405	4,931	50,354
Jul	9,383	2,834	11,275	4,463	15,738	2,041	5,444	244	553	8,282	4,431	7,664	48,332	3,489	2,033	1,102	6,624	54,594
Aug	20,766	5,363	9,303	5,002	14,305	2,397	1,177	1,428	1,393	6,395	6,303	5,728	58,860	1,018	1,638	960	3,616	64,839
Sep	13,070	5,011	8,532	7,418	15,950	2,414	5,880	10,909	672	19,875	20,064	10,108	84,078	27,384	2,402	1,471	31,257	115,348
Oct	10,644	3,932	10,392	5,231	15,623	2,334	707	1,290	790	5,121	5,505	7,508	48,333	248	1,781	886	2,915	51,248
Nov	14,717	3,910	9,084	4,422	13,506	2,678	3,646	1,869	967	9,160	5,593	7,771	54,657	377	1,740	945	3,062	57,391
Dec	4,569	7,196	2,573	14,534	17,106	2,427	3,884	2,888	782	9,981	8,594	10,765	58,220	3,985	6,675	2,315	12,975	71,195
2010(a) Jan	8,691	4,294	10,736	4,741	15,477	2,582	2,111	1,235	529	6,457	4,073	7,285	46,277	531	691	827	2,049	48,326
Feb	13,138	4,823	9,091	6,284	15,375	2,554	3,253	3,408	987	10,202	4,015	8,476	56,029	428	1,025	2,062	3,515	59,544

(a) Provisional.

Source : Ministry of Finance and Planning

Government Expenditure – 2010[(a)]

Rs. million

Ministry (b)	Recurrent Approved Estimates (b)	Recurrent February	Recurrent Upto February	Capital Approved Estimates (b)	Capital February	Capital Upto February
1. HE the President, Prime Minister, Supreme Court Judges *etc.*	2,163	745	1,141	1,590	186	221
2. Religious Affairs and Moral Upliftment	216	42	68	188	25	26
3. Finance and Planning	11,995	42,189	79,805	16,837	44,833	77,823
4. Defence, Public Security, Law and Order	63,070	16,079	30,863	8,399	337	615
5. Plan Implementation	55	13	23	10	1	1
6. Nation Building and Estate Infrastructure Development	6,852	1,010	2,658	15,725	1,242	1,757
7. Disaster Management and Human Rights	121	25	43	546	2	4
8. Tourism	34	7	12	603	73	74
9. Posts and Telecommunication	2,274	531	1,099	81	9	9
10. Justice and Law Reforms	2,082	518	961	643	25	57
11. Health Care and Nutrition	14,664	2,932	4,768	5,003	544	761
12. Foreign Affairs	1,605	237	281	269	6	9
13. Ports and Aviation	85	11	21	12,252	1,669	1,669
14. Transport	4,767	932	2,027	4,920	1,141	2,107
15. Petroleum and Petroleum Resources Development	45	10	16	102	0	0
16. Trade, Marketing Development, Co-oparatives and Consumers Services	236	36	76	357	13	28
17. Highways and Road Development	41	8	12	29,215	2,574	3,542
18. Agricultural Development and Agrarian Services	10,694	1,817	2,532	3,778	188	305
19. Power and Energy	545	12	20	12,935	385	385
20. Child Development and Women Empowerment	329	38	63	80	4	6
21. Public Administration and Home Affairs	29,820	9,150	17,826	858	38	44
22. Mass Media and Information	467	156	252	164	27	38
23. Urban Development and Sacred Area Development	96	21	38	3,337	259	349
24. Social Services and Social Welfare	223	47	86	68	8	9
25. Housing and Common Amenities	36	9	14	296	5	5
26. Education	7,546	2,086	3,538	1,540	59	64
27. Labour Relation and Manpower	369	86	170	144	16	16
28. Rural Industries and Self Employment Promotion	149	40	73	57	10	11
29. Vocational and Technical Training	804	222	320	743	29	45
30. Local Government and Provincial Councils	26,061	6,352	13,260	10,785	675	1,441
31. Enterprise Development and Investment Promotion	68	16	26	523	3	4
32. Science and Technology	360	53	97	670	30	32
33. Constitutional Affairs and National Integration	76	16	35	56	3	4
34. Plantation Industries	570	109	237	1,099	159	198
35. Sports and Public Recreation	264	67	150	396	53	58
36. Indigenous Medicine	266	50	97	367	7	14
37. Fisheries and Aquatic Resources	324	73	145	2,228	167	229
38. Livestock Development	134	27	52	320	10	29
39. Cultural Affairs	418	159	250	616	6	7
40. Parliamentary Affairs	98	11	31	12	0	1
41. Re-Settlement and Disaster Relief	918	82	155	848	56	156
42. Industrial Development	115	18	33	309	33	71
43. Foreign Employment Promotion and Welfare	26	4	6	144	0	0
44. Irrigation and Water Management	447	105	216	3,604	245	343
45. Land and Land Development	648	166	327	643	51	63
46. Youth Affairs	211	55	101	374	36	49
47. Environment and Natural Resources	535	130	249	1,112	82	94
48. Internal Administration	236	46	86	434	63	111
49. Youth Empowerment and Social Economic Development	23	6	9	172	22	30
50. Community Development and Social Inequity Eradication	20	4	6	100	1	1
51. Water Supply and Drainage	50	9	15	9,521	251	340
52. Export Development and International Trade	152	20	46	325	78	93
53. Public Estate Management and Development	27	6	9	4	0	0
54. Construction and Engineering Services	113	27	50	36	1	2
55. Higher Education	3,878	926	1,800	3,511	287	391
56. Supplimentary Plantation Crops Development	57	14	25	38	10	15
Advance Account Operetions						
Total	**197,478**	**87,559**	**166,323**	**158,987**	**56,036**	**93,755**

(a) Estimates given in Vote on Account for the period from January to April 2010.

(b) The list of Ministries is based on Budget 2009.

Source : Ministry of Finance and Planning

Economic Classification of Government Expenditure and Lending Minus Repayments

Rs. million

Period		Recurrent: Salaries & Wages	Recurrent: Interest	Recurrent: Pension	Recurrent: Samurdhi	Recurrent: Other	Recurrent: Total	Capital and net lending	Total
2007		214,160	182,681	68,822	9,200	147,895	622,758	218,845	841,604
2008		239,078	212,475	74,920	9,995	207,242	743,710	252,416	996,126
2009(a)		271,229	309,675	85,139	9,267	204,265	879,575	322,352	1,201,927
2008	1st Quarter	57,753	46,789	18,250	2,672	47,753	173,219	60,317	233,535
	2nd Quarter	55,669	55,358	18,687	2,530	42,346	174,590	65,715	240,305
	3rd Quarter	57,511	50,186	16,676	2,601	62,244	189,218	62,293	251,511
	4th Quarter	68,145	60,142	21,307	2,192	54,899	206,683	64,091	270,774
2009(a)	1st Quarter	65,015	80,899	20,227	2,794	71,913	240,883	58,415	299,298
	2nd Quarter	71,547	65,621	20,369	2,670	31,569	191,776	62,295	254,071
	3rd Quarter	69,808	106,899	22,043	2,138	39,067	239,955	65,340	305,295
	4th Quarter	64,859	56,256	22,500	1,630	61,716	206,961	136,302	343,263
2009(a)	February	21,627	31,911	7,250	945	18,973	80,706	17,114	97,820
	March	22,280	22,466	5,727	945	21,654	73,072	27,750	100,822
	April	22,714	25,346	7,440	890	15,984	72,374	26,261	98,635
	May	21,932	16,898	6,916	890	12,959	59,595	14,915	74,510
	June	26,901	23,377	6,013	890	2,626	59,807	21,119	80,926
	July	22,760	30,551	6,801	950	5,181	66,243	21,995	88,238
	August	22,761	45,906	8,282	890	18,845	96,684	28,622	125,306
	September	24,287	30,442	6,960	298	15,041	77,028	14,723	91,751
	October	22,930	30,227	6,960	383	16,320	76,820	56,690	133,510
	November	22,930	13,076	6,960	802	20,924	64,692	30,492	95,184
	December	18,999	12,953	8,580	445	24,472	65,449	49,120	114,569
2010(a)	January	24,757	36,478	7,750	817	24,578	94,380	17,304	111,684
	Februry	24,756	41,071	6,917	816	13,419	86,979	18,913	105,892

(a) Provisional.

Source : Ministry of Finance and Planning

Outstanding Central Government Debt[(a)]

Rs. million

Item	End Dec 2007	End Dec 2008	End Jun 2009 (b)	End Sep 2009 (b)	End Dec 2009 (b)	End Jan 2010 (b)	End Feb 2010 (b)
Total Domestic Debt	**1,715,198**	**2,140,228**	**2,434,536**	**2,345,933**	**2,400,955**	**2,449,405**	**2,481,752**
Short-Term	363,198	516,365	674,525	542,543	560,646	609,463	649,522
Treasury bills (c)	307,012	402,600	508,580	410,399	441,032	465,564	495,996
Provisional Advances from the Central Bank	60,679	76,308	86,312	67,468	73,881	87,451	87,486
Import bills held by commercial banks	376	12,748	22,309	25,428	11,994	13,685	14,585
Other liabilities to the banking sector net of bank deposits	-8,747	20,458	47,773	29,696	24,188	33,212	41,903
Other (Administrative Borrowings)	3,878	4,251	9,551	9,551	9,551	9,551	9,551
Medium and Long-Term	1,351,999	1,623,863	1,760,011	1,803,389	1,840,309	1,839,942	1,832,230
Rupee Securities	131,509	130,009	117,042	114,592	112,292	106,792	106,792
Treasury bonds (d)	1,018,852	1,281,978	1,423,066	1,466,654	1,513,512	1,518,363	1,510,837
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	86,459	158,805	166,439	168,704	168,079	168,323	168,161
Other	115,179	53,071	53,464	53,440	46,427	46,464	46,439
By Debt Instrument	**1,715,198**	**2,140,228**	**2,434,536**	**2,345,933**	**2,400,955**	**2,449,405**	**2,481,752**
Rupee Securities	131,509	130,009	117,042	114,592	112,292	106,792	106,792
Treasury bills	307,012	402,600	508,580	410,399	441,032	465,564	495,996
Treasury bonds (d)	1,018,852	1,281,978	1,423,066	1,466,654	1,513,512	1,518,363	1,510,837
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	86,459	158,805	166,439	168,704	168,079	168,323	168,161
Provisional Advances	60,679	76,308	86,312	67,468	73,881	87,451	87,486
Other	110,686	90,528	133,097	118,116	92,160	102,912	112,479
By Institution	**1,715,198**	**2,140,228**	**2,434,536**	**2,345,933**	**2,400,955**	**2,449,405**	**2,481,752**
Banks	415,318	657,424	899,839	720,053	705,765	724,558	732,341
Central Bank							
By Debt Instrument	104,817	239,248	313,850	71,234	109,593	105,907	135,772
Treasury bills	44,964	163,584	228,536	4,660	37,451	20,182	49,940
Provisional Advances	60,679	76,308	86,312	67,468	73,881	87,451	87,486
Other	-826	-644	-998	-894	-1,739	-1,726	-1,654
Commercial Banks							
By Debt Instrument	310,501	418,177	585,990	648,819	596,172	618,650	596,569
Rupee Loans	15,870	15,870	15,870	17,251	17,251	17,251	17,251
Treasury bills	68,818	87,869	121,757	193,862	160,081	179,495	163,068
Treasury bonds	58,416	90,081	178,656	180,824	188,576	180,660	165,670
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	86,459	158,805	166,439	168,704	168,079	168,323	168,161
Other	80,938	65,550	103,268	88,178	62,186	72,922	82,418
Sinking Fund	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Rupee Loans	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Non-Bank sector							
By debt instrument	1,299,779	1,482,703	1,534,597	1,625,780	1,695,090	1,724,747	1,749,311
Rupee Securities	115,539	114,039	101,072	97,241	94,941	89,441	89,441
Treasury bills	193,230	151,146	158,287	211,877	243,499	265,886	282,988
Treasury bonds (d)	960,436	1,191,897	1,244,410	1,285,829	1,324,936	1,337,703	1,345,167
Other	30,574	25,622	30,827	30,832	31,713	31,716	31,715
By Institution	1,299,779	1,482,703	1,534,597	1,625,780	1,695,090	1,724,747	1,749,311
National Savings Bank	192,413	204,067	224,818	235,038	257,084	259,391	260,727
Employees' Provident Fund	575,460	676,310	730,434	757,225	775,720	785,134	793,682
Other	531,906	602,327	579,345	633,517	662,286	680,465	694,984
Total Foreign Debt	**1,326,487**	**1,448,734**	**1,487,013**	**1,694,820**	**1,760,467**	**1,779,985**	**1,782,699**
By Type	1,326,487	1,448,734	1,487,013	1,694,820	1,760,467	1,779,985	1,782,699
Project Loans	1,087,359	1,261,304	1,279,335	1,340,528	1,362,806	1,378,372	1,374,195
Non-Project Loans	239,128	187,430	207,677	354,292	397,661	401,612	408,504
Commodity	68,665	66,499	65,783	64,902	62,304	62,289	61,728
Other (e)	170,463	120,931	141,894	289,390	335,357	339,323	346,776
By Institution	**1,326,487**	**1,448,734**	**1,487,013**	**1,694,820**	**1,760,467**	**1,779,985**	**1,782,699**
Concessional Loans	1,099,911	1,227,222	1,238,067	1,282,173	1,271,142	1,277,976	1,270,369
Multilateral	565,320	590,776	605,367	622,144	623,174	622,096	613,867
Bilateral	534,591	636,446	632,700	660,029	647,967	655,880	656,502
Non-Concessional Loans	226,576	221,511	248,945	412,647	489,326	502,007	512,331
Multilateral	15,399	27,405	33,320	36,671	41,866	41,801	41,467
Bilateral	29,909	30,087	31,703	36,671	36,783	42,644	45,580
Commercial Loans (e)	181,268	164,020	183,923	339,305	410,677	417,562	425,284
Total Outstanding Government Debt	**3,041,685**	**3,588,962**	**3,921,549**	**4,040,753**	**4,161,422**	**4,229,389**	**4,264,452**

(a) Outstanding Treasury bills and Treasury bonds have been adjusted for secondary market transactions.
(b) Provisional.
(c) Excludes rupee denominated Treasury bills issued to foreign investors from 2008 and to Sri Lankan diaspora and issued to CWE in November 2003 migrant workforce from 2009 and rupee denominated Treasury bonds issued to foreign investors from 2007 and Sri Lankan diaspora and migrant workforce from 2009.
(d) Excludes government bonds of Rs. 4,397 million.
(e) Includes outstanding defence loans.

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Ministry of Finance and Planning

Exports, Imports and Trade Balance

US dollar millions

Period		Imports		Exports				Balance of Trade	
		Customs Data	Adjusted Data (a)	Customs			Adjusted Data (a)	Customs Data	Adjusted Data (a)
				Domestic	Re-Exports	Total			
2007		11,382.1	11,296.5	7,666.1	112.5	7,766.8	7,640.0	-3,716.1	-3,656.5
2008(b)		13,736.4	14,091.2	8,178.1	273.6	8,452.1	8,110.6	-5,558.3	-5,980.6
2009(c)		9,752.8	10,206.6	7,121.4	223.5	7,345.0	7,084.5	-2,631.4	-3,122.1
2009(c)	1st Quarter	2,143.1	2,312.5	1,659.7	76.3	1,736.0	1,647.4	-483.4	-665.1
	2nd Quarter	2,307.9	2,239.1	1,541.3	48.3	1,589.6	1,541.3	-766.6	-685.0
	3rd Quarter	2,394.0	2,585.0	1,953.2	39.7	1,992.8	1,930.8	-440.7	-654.2
	4th Quarter	2,907.8	3,070.1	1,967.2	59.3	2,026.5	1,965.0	-940.6	-1,105.0
2010(c)	1st Quarter	2805.1	3,224.9	1,725.0	53.0	1,778.0	1,763.6	-1,080.2	-1,461.3
2009(c)	April	654.2	620.7	438.7	13.7	452.4	437.6	-215.5	-183.0
	May	809.9	773.4	545.3	17.2	562.5	538.5	-264.5	-234.9
	June	843.9	845.1	557.2	17.5	574.7	565.2	-286.7	-267.1
	July	894.1	939.3	654.6	11.3	665.9	652.2	-239.4	-287.0
	August	681.6	842.1	716.5	12.3	728.8	710.4	34.9	-131.7
	September	818.2	803.6	582.1	16.0	598.1	568.2	-236.2	-235.4
	October	888.2	1,043.0	623.8	23.2	647.0	628.7	-264.5	-414.3
	November	1,018.4	934.7	620.9	18.9	639.8	612.9	-397.5	-321.7
	December	1,001.2	1,092.4	722.5	17.2	739.7	723.4	-278.7	-369.0
2010(c)	January	941.0	1,160.9	464.8	10.5	475.3	472.0	-476.2	-688.9
	February	953.7	973.4	622.2	11.6	633.8	629.0	-331.6	-344.5
	March	910.3	1,090.5	638.0	30.9	668.9	662.7	-272.3	-427.9
	April	769.2	1,002.0	581.9	7.9	589.8	543.5	-187.3	-458.5

(a) Adjusted for lags and other factors of recording
(b) Revised
(c) Provisional

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 33

Exports

US dollar millions

Period		Industrial Exports					Agricultural Exports					Gems	Other	Total Exports
		Total Industrial Exports	Major Industrial Exports				Total Agri-cultural Exports	Major Agricultural Exports						
			Textiles & Garments	Petroleum Products	Rubber based Products	Leather, Paper, Wood & Ceramic Products		Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Minor Agricultural			
2007		5,967.3	3,339.6	168.9	482.5	70.0	1,507.2	1,025.2	109.4	141.2	231.5	105.5	60.0	7,640.0
2008(a)		6,158.0	3,468.7	254.9	541.9	65.7	1,854.8	1,271.5	125.1	171.0	287.3	76.4	21.4	8,110.6
2009(b)		5,305.4	3,274.2	134.7	384.7	53.0	1,690.3	1,185.1	98.6	166.2	240.4	68.9	19.8	7,084.5
2009(b)	1st Quarter	1,264.6	826.2	26.9	86.2	12.8	363.3	242.2	26.2	43.5	51.3	16.6	2.9	1,647.4
	2nd Quarter	1,157.8	710.7	30.0	64.3	10.1	365.0	262.9	19.5	35.1	47.5	14.1	4.5	1,541.3
	3rd Qaurter	1,428.6	866.5	36.5	109.3	12.9	471.2	341.7	19.8	42.5	67.4	22.9	8.3	1,930.8
	4th Quarter	1,454.5	870.8	41.4	125.0	13.4	490.9	338.3	33.2	45.2	74.2	15.4	4.1	1,965.0
2010(b)	1st Quarter	1,268.7	703.2	42.7	110.6	10.6	469.0	305.6	56.6	31.5	75.3	20.8	5.1	1,763.6
2009(b)	April	347.2	227.0	9.6	17.5	3.0	86.2	58.2	6.5	8.9	12.6	3.3	0.9	437.6
	May	390.9	237.5	10.3	21.8	3.9	142.0	100.2	8.4	14.2	19.2	3.8	1.8	538.5
	June	419.7	246.3	10.1	24.9	4.1	136.7	104.5	4.6	11.9	15.6	7.0	1.8	565.2
	July	486.3	301.3	12.4	33.6	4.4	154.3	112.2	5.0	15.1	22.1	6.7	5.0	652.2
	August	533.3	324.1	11.2	41.3	4.5	168.5	121.0	7.8	14.6	25.1	6.9	1.7	710.4
	September	409.0	241.1	12.9	34.4	4.0	148.4	108.5	7.0	12.8	20.2	9.3	1.6	568.2
	October	456.4	263.3	14.7	40.6	4.4	165.8	116.6	8.7	15.6	25.0	5.2	1.3	628.7
	November	450.0	263.9	12.8	40.3	5.0	155.8	105.0	9.8	15.0	26.0	5.7	1.6	613.0
	December	548.2	343.5	13.9	44.1	4.0	169.3	116.8	14.8	14.6	23.2	4.6	1.3	723.4
2010(b)	January	319.9	173.7	13.4	27.5	2.7	142.5	90.9	17.7	8.4	25.5	7.8	1.7	472.0
	February	452.8	248.5	14.1	38.1	3.3	169.9	109.3	22.6	11.3	26.7	4.6	1.7	629.0
	March	495.9	281.0	15.3	45.0	4.5	156.6	105.5	16.3	11.7	23.0	8.4	1.7	662.7
	April	406.1	227.5	17.8	27.5	3.6	132.5	93.7	12.4	9.6	16.8	3.4	1.5	543.5

(a) Revised
(b) Provisional

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

Composition of Selected Industrial and Mineral Exports

US dollar thousands

Item	April		January – April	
	2009	2010 (a)	2009	2010 (a)
A. Manufacturing				
1. Food Beverages and Tobacco	28,727.66	26,630.73	119,446.01	156,495.73
(i) Cocoa preperations	763.46	1,533.36	1,630.98	5,173.73
(ii) Fruits, tinned or bottled	1,619.46	1,739.18	8,617.20	6,553.51
(iv) Fruits and vegetable juices	137.64	170.59	490.23	1,032.75
(iv) Fish fresh and frozen	9,797.51	4,635.10	41,033.31	35,964.51
(v) Fish salted	164.03	330.48	988.18	894.18
(vi) Crustaceans and Molluscs	2,528.06	3,195.41	8,104.78	9,341.49
(vii) Animal Fodder	4,283.04	3,351.64	22,508.36	22,934.67
(viii) Manufactured Tobacco	1,899.37	2,083.59	7,390.44	7,002.06
(ix) Other	7,535.10	9,591.38	28,682.54	67,598.84
2. Textiles and Garments	226,968.86	227,468.96	1,053,150.81	930,666.74
(i) Woven Fabrics	1,979.60	3,302.07	8,505.28	12,062.11
(ii) Knitted/Crocheted Fabrics	1,880.79	1,687.64	4,374.47	4,655.82
(iii) Yarn	1,632.68	1,513.53	7,994.90	9,312.31
(iv) Garments	217,649.74	216,219.74	1,009,639.92	881,164.73
(v) Other made up textile Articles	3,006.50	3,509.62	16,485.70	18,001.78
(vi) Other	819.55	1,236.36	6,150.54	5,469.99
3. Chemical Products	5,677.19	5,296.16	22,308.68	21,456.68
(i) Fatty Acids, Acid Oils from Refining	-	0.01	4.65	2.17
(ii) Glycerol and Glycerol Lyes, Glycerine	10.94	-	61.25	-
(iii) Prepaired Edible Fats	-	-	-	-
(iv) Soap	570.43	42.20	1,509.55	349.45
(v) Activate Carbon	3,006.25	3,394.16	12,692.08	13,254.07
(vi) Other	2,089.58	1,859.78	8,041.15	7,850.99
4. Petroleum Products	9,595.97	17,750.99	36,503.84	60,489.81
(i) Bunkers and Aviation Fuel	9,165.90	17,463.17	35,682.42	59,577.46
(ii) Other	430.08	287.82	821.43	912.34
5. Leather, Rubber, Paper, Wood and Ceremics	29,295.26	41,538.22	158,232.62	212,197.23
(i) Travel Goods	157.16	183.38	1,078.45	670.74
(ii) Other Articles of Leather	562.71	504.74	3,441.68	2,537.51
(iii) Footwear	0.20	0.05	0.20	3.64
(iv) Vulcanized Rubber Products	635.04	495.77	3,017.34	2,989.44
(v) Rubber Tyres, Tyre cases and Tubes etc.	7,891.08	15,427.84	51,960.77	81,150.23
(vi) Other Articles of Rubber	9,015.08	11,611.61	48,723.25	53,979.04
(vii) Articles of Wood	1,701.52	2,466.24	6,245.71	8,036.62
(viii) Wall Tiles	455.13	493.57	2,306.83	2,756.33
(ix) Tableware	1,779.62	2,435.05	8,869.64	8,275.12
(x) Other	7,097.71	7,919.98	32,588.74	51,798.56
6. Plastics	2,713.45	3,143.11	10,556.52	13,851.22
7. Machinary, Mechanical and Electrical Equipments	17,060.26	48,345.73	88,276.54	134,688.34
8. Jewellery	1,066.35	997.30	3,803.54	3,999.13
9. Diamonds	19,261.78	24,689.87	75,913.26	103,063.74
10. Other	6,857.37	10,189.10	43,661.98	37,836.17
B. Mining and Quarrying				
(i) Natural Graphite	105.27	344.58	736.30	1,142.26
(ii) Ilmenite	35.05	20.35	357.52	1,259.47
(iii) Metalic Ores and Iron Pyrites	192.56	510.38	1,020.62	1,299.19
(iv) Precious and Semi Precious Stones	3,299.92	3,370.29	19,892.21	24,208.26
(v) Other	542.28	668.85	1,611.39	2,934.21
GRAND TOTAL	**351,399.25**	**410,964.63**	**1,635,471.84**	**1,705,588.17**

(a) Provisional

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 35

Tea and Rubber – Auctions and Exports

Period		Tea – Exports – Volume (kg '000)	Tea – Exports – Value US $/ mn	Tea – Exports – Price F.O.B. Price US$/kg	Tea – Colombo Auctions – Quantity Sold (kg. '000)	Tea – Colombo Auctions – Gross Price (Rs./kg) – High	Gross Price (Rs./kg) – Medium	Gross Price (Rs./kg) – Low	Gross Price (Rs./kg) – All Teas	Rubber – Exports – Volume (mn. kg) – Sheet	Volume (mn. kg) – Crepe	Volume (mn. kg) – Other	Volume (mn. kg) – Total	Value (US $ mn) – Sheet	Value (US $ mn) – Crepe	Value (US $ mn) – Other	Value (US $ mn) – Total	Price F.O.B. (US$/ kg) (All Rubber)	Rubber – Prices – Colombo Market (Rs./kg) – R.S.S. (Rs./kg) – No.1	R.S.S. (Rs./kg) – No.2	Latex Crepe – IX	Latex Crepe – No.1	Scrap Crepe No. IX Br	Singapore (Sing.$ cents/ kg) R.S.S. No.1	New York (CIF) (US $ cents/ kg) R.S.S. No.1
2007		311,753	1,026.6	3.29	242,356	256.01	242.16	297.16	279.01	18.1	22.1	11.4	51.6	36.3	50.5	22.5	109.3	2.12	234.22	229.54	237.15	232.10	206.59	343.80	248.06
2008		319,700	1,270.1	3.97	266,668	269.01	260.68	325.64	301.63	17.5	19.7	11.5	48.7	42.7	51.8	30.5	125.0	2.57	269.51	265.28	273.71	271.69	250.38	366.15	284.08
2009(a)		289,655	1,184.7	4.09	270,840	325.39	317.75	384.99	360.85	27.1	16.3	13.6	56.0	45.8	30.5	22.2	98.6	1.76	211.65	206.74	217.15	212.51	186.31	277.45	214.64
2009(a)	1stQtr	67,702	242.2	3.55	62,083	263.20	259.74	322.28	298.28	9.2	3.0	5.1	17.3	12.8	6.0	7.5	26.2	1.46	145.39	142.74	140.20	138.09	123.71	220.75	165.80
	2ndQtr	66,836	262.9	3.94	67,419	276.48	291.41	394.15	338.07	7.0	3.1	2.9	13.0	9.8	5.0	4.7	19.5	1.52	189.27	186.72	186.59	182.28	162.09	237.11	187.00
	3rdQtr	79,371	341.7	4.31	71,193	365.07	362.29	430.92	408.97	4.4	4.1	2.3	10.8	8.4	7.2	4.1	19.7	1.83	225.45	219.88	223.75	214.85	196.07	286.57	221.07
	4thQtr	75,738	338.3	4.47	70,146	396.78	357.56	392.59	388.06	6.1	5.6	2.5	14.2	14.8	12.4	6.1	33.2	6.94	286.47	277.62	318.04	314.84	263.38	357.59	284.70
2010(a)	1st Qtr	70,210	305.7	4.35	84647	363.87	351.27	397.43	383.21	8.4	6.7	4.6	19.6	23.9	18.9	13.7	56.6	2.89	345.13	341.12	329.07	327.95	316.84	446.96	345.17
2009(a)	Apr	14,584	58.2	3.99	12,909	273.26	282.02	376.44	337.20	2.8	0.9	1.0	4.6	3.5	1.3	1.7	6.5	1.39	169.67	166.55	161.92	159.95	144.86	244.20	183.60
	May	25,515	100.2	3.93	23,797	267.63	292.56	398.03	346.63	3.0	1.2	1.4	5.6	4.4	1.9	2.1	8.4	1.51	193.88	190.95	184.77	183.04	161.00	247.32	189.80
	June	26,737	104.5	3.91	30,713	288.56	299.66	407.98	360.38	1.2	1.1	0.5	2.8	2.0	1.8	0.8	4.6	1.65	204.25	202.67	213.08	203.84	180.42	243.28	187.60
	July	27,169	112.2	4.13	22,376	340.34	348.73	427.43	397.61	1.1	1.2	0.5	2.8	2.1	2.1	0.8	5.0	1.78	198.82	192.42	196.00	168.19	166.97	253.61	191.40
	Aug	27,904	121.0	4.34	28,249	353.99	347.43	419.02	397.15	1.9	1.6	0.8	4.3	3.5	2.8	1.5	7.8	1.81	225.73	221.66	227.75	226.52	199.43	296.91	223.10
	Sep	24,298	108.5	4.47	20,568	400.89	390.72	446.32	432.16	1.4	1.3	1.0	3.7	2.7	2.4	1.8	6.9	1.89	251.81	245.55	247.50	249.83	221.81	309.19	248.70
	Oct	25,090	116.6	4.65	22,635	405.90	374.27	410.86	404.56	1.7	1.8	0.5	4.0	3.8	3.8	1.1	8.7	2.17	263.57	257.91	306.27	304.43	247.81	328.80	264.80
	Nov	23,312	105.0	4.50	22,812	406.74	354.12	383.67	383.91	1.9	1.7	0.8	4.4	4.4	3.5	1.9	9.8	2.24	281.03	275.07	326.94	321.29	258.20	352.92	279.30
	Dec	27,336	116.8	4.27	24,699	377.70	344.29	383.25	375.71	2.6	2.1	1.2	5.8	6.6	5.1	3.0	14.8	2.53	314.80	299.88	320.90	318.79	284.13	391.04	310.00
2010(a)	Jan	21,045	90.9	4.32	26,217	377.83	354.96	402.05	390.00	3.0	1.9	1.5	6.3	8.3	5.1	4.3	17.7	2.79	339.29	334.21	323.56	321.79	312.86	431.75	335.10
	Feb	25,116	109.3	4.35	25,936	358.29	351.92	394.78	380.42	3.3	2.8	1.8	7.9	9.2	7.9	5.4	22.6	2.86	335.65	330.45	322.62	322.50	309.50	441.66	343.30
	Mar	24,049	105.5	4.39	32,494	355.48	346.93	395.47	379.20	2.1	2.0	1.3	5.4	6.4	5.9	4.0	16.3	3.01	360.44	358.71	341.04	339.57	328.16	467.47	357.10
	Apr	21,327	93.7	4.39	16,410	351.12	343.29	388.29	371.99	1.6	1.6	0.7	3.9	5.3	4.8	2.3	12.4	3.16	432.13	430.33	422.75	418.20	374.40	545.24	398.80

(a) Provisional

Sources : The Colombo Tea Brokers' Association
Sri Lanka Tea Board
Sri Lanka Customs
The Colombo Rubber Traders' Association
Rubber Statistical Bulletin
World Bank
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Major Coconut Products – Auctions and Exports

Period		Exports									Prices							
		Volume ('000 kg)				Value (US $ Thousands)					F.O.B. (US $ / kg)			Colombo Market (Rs. / kg)			London Market (a)	
		Copra	Coconut Oil	Desiccated Coconut	Total Mn. Nuts (b)	Copra	Coconut Oil	Desiccated Coconut	Total 3 major coconut products	Other	Copra	Coconut Oil	Desiccated Coconut	Copra (c)	Coconut Oil	Desiccated Coconut	Philippine Copra ($ / kg)	Sri Lanka Desiccated Coconut (£ / kg)
2007		16,836.9	1,381.1	37,022.3	405.6	14,038.4	1,757.4	44,701.2	60,497.0	80,847.1	0.83	1.27	1.21	96.74	151.89	125.70	0.61	1.29
2008		13,312.9	1,520.6	36,263.3	360.0	13,715.2	3,933.5	64,717.7	82,366.4	88,696.8	1.03	2.59	1.78	137.10	214.24	176.00	0.77	1.87
2009(d)		4,795.2	1,935.5	42,449.1	366.6	3,712.2	4,415.8	50,014.2	58,142.2	107,950.1	0.77	2.28	1.18	88.22	166.98	122.73	0.46	1.23
2009(d)	1st Qtr	3,007.3	475.5	12,534.7	122.0	2,366.0	1,023.7	15,264.9	18,654.7	24,866.2	0.79	2.16	1.22	82.76	149.55	117.67	0.42	1.22
	2nd Qtr	1,077.6	481.3	10,051.3	86.0	805.8	1,045.9	11,479.7	13,331.2	21,777.9	0.75	2.18	1.14	83.23	174.64	119.62	0.49	1.12
	3rd Qtr	592.8	460.7	11,148.7	92.4	443.6	1,063.5	12,383.7	13,890.7	28,528.9	0.75	2.27	1.11	83.76	157.71	115.92	0.48	1.24
	4th Qtr	117.5	518.0	8,714.4	71.8	106.7	1,282.7	10,922.9	12,312.3	32,850.6	0.97	2.45	1.26	103.13	186.01	137.72	0.46	1.33
2010 (d)	1st Qtr	21.5	413.6	3,743.2	32.3	21.6	1,156.5	5,264.4	6,442.6	25,006.0	1.01	2.89	1.41	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0.50	1.48
2009 (d)	Apr	377.7	139.3	2,740.4	24.0	273.4	299.2	2,839.6	3,412.1	5,518.8	0.72	2.15	1.04	67.07	160.76	110.58	0.41	0.99
	May	403.9	206.7	3,974.8	34.0	294.2	445.5	4,561.9	5,301.5	8,934.3	0.73	2.15	1.15	89.86	186.72	123.97	0.54	1.12
	Jun	296.0	135.3	3,336.1	28.2	238.2	301.2	4,078.2	4,617.6	7,324.8	0.80	2.23	1.22	92.77	176.45	124.30	0.53	1.24
	Jul	245.0	174.5	4,091.6	34.1	175.5	466.2	4,697.0	5,338.7	9,707.1	0.72	2.67	1.15	76.21	151.24	111.64	0.52	1.30
	Aug	221.5	136.6	3,903.3	32.2	170.9	227.8	4,210.8	4,609.4	10,005.8	0.77	1.67	1.08	87.06	162.21	117.91	0.47	1.23
	Sep	126.3	149.6	3,153.8	26.1	97.2	369.5	3,475.9	3,942.6	8,816.0	0.77	2.47	1.10	88.00	159.68	118.20	0.45	1.20
	Oct	21.0	191.2	3,433.2	28.0	19.8	474.8	4,089.4	4,584.0	10,976.6	0.94	2.48	1.19	97.02	173.40	134.00	0.44	1.29
	Nov	22.0	140.7	2,695.7	22.0	24.6	305.3	3,453.7	3,783.6	11,233.5	1.12	2.17	1.28	106.36	187.13	143.04	0.45	1.39
	Dec	74.5	186.1	2,585.5	21.8	62.3	502.6	3,379.8	3,944.8	10,640.6	0.84	2.70	1.31	106.00	197.50	136.12	0.48	1.32
2010(d)	Jan	11.0	106.0	1,360.4	11.4	7.8	316.1	1,832.0	2,155.9	6,287.9	0.71	2.98	1.35	121.03	213.66	147.32	0.47	1.42
	Feb	10.5	115.5	1,194.2	10.2	13.8	383.7	1,727.0	2,124.5	9,186.9	1.31	3.32	1.45	116.86	228.55	147.79	0.49	1.52
	Mar	0.0	192.0	1,189.2	10.8	0.0	456.8	1,705.4	2,162.2	9,531.6	0.00	2.38	1.43	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0.55	1.51
	Apr	22.0	116.6	1,672.8	13.9	42.2	348.7	2,462.5	2,853.3	6,791.2	1.92	2.99	1.47	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0.57	1.52

(a) Computed from weekly averages.

(b) Footnote (d) of Table 14 in the Annual Report 2009 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).

(c) This refers to prices of the best quality copra.

(d) Provisional.

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

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Volume

Period		Vegetables	Fruits (fresh or dried)	Arecanuts	Coffee	Pepper	Cinnamon	Cloves	Nutmeg and Mace	Cardamoms	Sesame Seeds	Other Oil Seeds	Betel Leaves	Cocoa Products	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Essential Oils	Cashew nuts	Other Minor Agricultural Products
		Volume ('000 kg)																
2007		12,487.4	11,792.1	924.4	60.8	9,015.4	13,138.1	2,326.0	1,771.5	2.3	665.9	504.0	5,429.3	88.9	1,577.9	425.3	125.4	32,374.9
2008		19,397.9	14,415.0	3,049.9	85.7	6,375.8	12,272.6	7,404.0	1,770.7	0.0	261.0	11.2	3,002.2	64.4	1,278.4	325.9	205.8	42,379.7
2009(a)		14,863.3	13,096.8	1,425.8	60.1	6,643.8	12,105.5	2,915.2	1,609.8	10.0	1,406.3	18.7	2,586.8	291.9	686.5	187.1	194.7	58,106.6
2009(a)	1st Quarter	2,858.3	3,381.7	406.4	27.6	420.4	2,191.6	557.9	461.6	0.0	0.0	0.5	734.6	50.9	181.9	27.6	34.6	12,202.4
	2nd Quarter	2,936.5	2,891.0	393.8	2.1	1,349.5	2,099.8	608.8	379.7	1.3	38.0	2.3	571.7	21.1	155.6	37.6	47.1	16,271.9
	3rd Quarter	5,976.5	3,184.5	293.6	2.0	2,006.9	3,972.9	619.6	468.2	5.2	760.7	4.9	586.9	127.2	96.3	59.7	30.6	14,818.5
	4th Quarter	3,091.9	3,639.5	332.0	28.4	2,867.0	3,841.2	1,129.0	300.4	3.5	607.6	11.0	693.5	92.7	252.7	62.2	82.4	14,813.7
2010(a)	1st Quarter	2,940.7	3,617.0	454.8	2.3	1,094.1	2,390.5	5,061.1	599.3	1.4	171.3	0.9	600.0	21.8	279.3	69.9	77.4	12,282.2
2009(a)	April	1,401.7	1,025.5	151.9	0.2	87.9	498.8	195.5	101.4	0.0	0.0	1.6	205.9	6.7	45.0	12.3	17.2	3,728.8
	May	771.9	981.4	170.2	1.3	660.5	839.7	213.4	142.7	0.3	0.0	0.4	190.7	7.6	83.3	13.1	0.1	5,541.7
	June	762.9	884.1	71.7	0.6	601.1	761.3	199.8	135.6	1.0	38.0	0.3	175.2	6.8	27.2	12.1	29.8	7,001.4
	July	830.0	1,005.6	113.1	0.5	394.1	1,161.6	234.7	148.3	4.5	228.2	0.6	223.5	71.4	37.0	18.8	3.2	6,287.9
	August	4,329.6	1,286.7	109.2	0.4	1,008.9	1,520.1	209.9	210.8	0.0	266.0	0.2	201.8	28.2	19.5	18.5	11.1	4,802.2
	September	817.0	892.3	71.3	1.2	603.9	1,291.1	175.0	109.1	0.7	266.5	4.1	161.6	27.6	39.8	22.4	16.3	3,728.5
	October	1,080.7	1,143.6	248.8	1.1	1,252.7	1,594.6	120.3	109.9	1.6	152.0	6.4	235.9	49.3	123.6	11.1	31.3	4,812.9
	November	855.0	1,353.5	32.7	26.7	924.9	1,208.0	416.3	120.5	1.5	171.1	1.8	229.4	35.2	72.7	39.3	33.6	4,879.5
	December	1,156.3	1,142.4	50.5	0.6	689.4	1,038.6	592.5	70.1	0.4	284.5	2.7	228.2	8.2	56.4	11.8	17.6	5,121.3
2010(a)	January	1,082.2	808.4	69.6	0.7	539.1	817.9	1,891.8	163.2	0.1	114.2	0.5	181.4	12.5	81.5	13.2	30.4	3,989.1
	February	1,026.9	777.9	175.6	1.3	264.1	944.6	1,699.8	197.4	0.7	57.1	0.8	179.1	3.5	116.1	46.3	15.7	4,617.1
	March	831.7	2,030.7	209.6	0.3	290.9	628.0	1,469.5	238.7	0.1	0.0	0.1	239.5	5.8	81.7	10.4	31.3	3,675.9
	April	871.2	1,179.3	154.4	16.1	702.8	371.0	727.4	242.9	0.4	57.0	0.0	136.0	78.2	44.1	30.6	22.4	3,845.7

(a) Provisional

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Value

Value (US $ Thousands)

Period		Vegetables	Fruits (fresh or dried)	Arecanuts	Coffee	Pepper	Cinnamon	Cloves	Nutmeg and Mace	Cardamoms	Sesame Seeds	Other Oil Seeds	Betel Leaves	Cocoa Products	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Essential Oils	Cashewnuts	Other Minor Agricultural Products	Total
2007		11,319.2	11,902.0	894.0	140.3	31,713.8	75,751.1	9,207.1	7,700.7	41.7	599.4	231.0	4,069.8	79.3	40,241.7	8,954.7	1,014.7	28,053.9	231,914.5
2008		25,075.9	13,920.3	3,388.3	238.0	26,695.8	82,595.5	33,007.9	9,231.0	–	359.7	23.6	6,651.2	84.4	39,505.9	7,991.4	1,411.2	36,608.6	286,788.5
2009(a)		11,682.3	12,150.6	1,370.6	133.3	20,846.5	74,063.4	12,000.8	8,161.9	156.5	1,620.3	62.6	5,974.5	160.3	33,544.2	4,946.0	1,103.1	52,279.2	240,256.0
2009(a)	1st Quarter	3,005.4	3,218.3	454.5	51.0	1,764.2	12,932.1	1,918.9	2,100.0	–	0.1	1.6	1,656.1	50.6	9,766.2	907.2	202.1	13,299.7	51,327.9
	2nd Quarter	2,689.2	2,801.5	414.5	12.9	4,925.4	12,224.9	2,046.9	1,762.0	31.3	44.0	10.3	1,389.3	20.4	7,163.2	800.4	246.2	10,884.4	47,466.7
	3rd Quarter	2,941.2	3,040.6	284.1	15.7	5,596.4	24,407.4	2,758.3	2,399.0	30.1	877.9	32.4	1,348.9	31.7	7,660.4	1,396.4	173.8	14,409.2	67,403.3
	4th Quarter	3,048.2	3,092.3	215.2	54.0	8,556.9	24,564.7	5,293.9	1,905.9	95.3	701.7	18.3	1,581.6	57.9	8,958.1	1,845.7	482.4	13,728.3	74,200.2
2010(a)	1st Quarter	2,693.0	3,012.1	478.9	21.4	3,208.1	16,213.6	21,045.6	3,042.2	4.1	211.4	30.0	1,315.6	32.4	8,407.1	1,362.6	494.7	13,707.2	75,279.8
2009(a)	April	991.1	1,020.3	159.2	1.1	339.8	2,757.6	652.6	459.9	0.0	0.0	9.1	456.0	7.1	2,545.8	357.0	82.8	2,804.5	12,643.9
	May	894.5	911.4	178.9	7.0	2,454.4	5,094.1	639.6	576.8	8.4	0.0	0.3	529.8	6.8	3,585.3	262.3	1.6	4,051.0	19,202.2
	June	803.6	869.8	76.3	4.8	2,131.2	4,373.2	754.7	725.3	22.9	44.0	0.9	403.5	6.5	1,032.1	181.0	161.9	4,028.9	15,620.6
	July	834.2	949.4	118.8	3.0	1,264.6	7,099.7	1,124.3	772.0	10.4	269.6	15.9	538.6	13.1	2,457.7	422.8	29.6	6,166.8	22,090.4
	August	1,206.9	1,151.4	102.3	3.1	2,809.3	9,521.6	967.3	976.9	0.1	302.5	4.1	446.0	8.5	1,972.5	448.7	100.1	5,096.4	25,117.8
	September	900.1	939.7	63.0	9.7	1,522.4	7,786.1	666.6	650.1	19.5	305.8	12.4	364.3	10.1	3,230.2	524.9	44.1	3,146.0	20,195.1
	October	1,120.5	1,075.0	135.7	11.8	3,647.4	9,617.4	480.4	686.0	48.8	176.3	7.2	543.6	37.2	2,695.7	157.1	252.4	4,272.7	24,965.2
	November	863.2	899.9	31.9	36.3	2,725.9	7,893.4	2,150.9	710.3	36.9	196.2	2.5	516.1	10.0	3,993.1	1,272.7	179.5	4,501.4	26,020.4
	December	1,064.5	1,117.4	47.5	5.9	2,183.6	7,053.9	2,662.5	509.6	9.6	329.2	8.6	521.9	10.7	2,269.4	415.8	50.5	4,954.1	23,214.7
2010(a)	January	975.2	793.2	71.3	4.8	1,540.0	5,357.4	8,378.3	850.6	2.0	146.2	1.4	403.8	20.3	1,822.0	306.7	234.7	4,629.1	25,537.1
	February	833.9	920.9	185.5	12.5	771.7	6,700.8	7,082.5	885.4	21.4	64.9	2.5	392.5	4.4	3,415.9	568.2	119.8	4,720.3	26,703.2
	March	883.9	1,298.7	222.1	4.0	896.5	4,151.6	5,582.5	1,306.9	0.2	0.2	6.5	519.6	7.7	3,168.7	487.5	140.3	4,357.2	23,033.9
	April	768.3	989.5	166.1	69.7	2,125.1	2,518.0	3,379.3	1,459.9	1.5	62.5	6.2	300.7	10.8	1,783.0	601.2	211.1	2,313.6	16,766.5

(a) Provisional

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

Composition of Imports

US dollar millions

Category	2006	2007	2008(a)	2009(b)	April 2009(b)	April 2010(b)
1. Consumer Goods	**1,980.2**	**2,001.8**	**2,559.6**	**1,971.8**	**121.3**	**198.4**
Food and Drink	956.0	1,064.7	1,513.0	1,246.2	69.2	135.1
Rice	5.5	38.7	44.3	22.9	0.5	0.3
Flour	3.1	2.1	1.0	1.7	0.0	0.0
Sugar	223.7	154.1	206.4	218.7	7.0	33.0
Wheat and Meslin	198.6	233.9	375.5	259.3	15.9	18.1
Milk and Milk Products	170.7	187.2	296.0	165.7	6.8	24.4
Fish dried (excluding Maldive fish and including dried prawns)	52.7	56.7	57.9	68.5	4.7	4.1
Fish Other	39.9	51.8	58.5	53.0	6.4	5.9
Food Other	261.8	340.2	473.4	456.5	28.0	49.3
Other Consumer Goods	1,024.2	937.1	1,046.6	725.6	52.0	63.2
Motor Cars and Cycles	361.9	329.9	383.8	157.0	7.0	18.2
Radio Receivers and Compounds	107.6	137.9	112.7	53.3	3.3	6.3
Rubber Tyres and Tubes	46.2	50.3	57.2	53.0	4.3	5.1
Medical and Pharmaceutical Products	156.5	154.9	196.8	187.5	15.0	13.3
Other	352	264.1	296.2	275.0	22.4	20.5
2. Intermediate Goods	**5,962.4**	**6,517.3**	**8,344.3**	**5,669.2**	**356.5**	**616.7**
Fertiliser	164.1	192.5	576.6	193.4	8.1	28.6
Petroleum	2070.3	2,500.7	3,368.2	2,166.6	122.6	317.6
Chemical Elements and Compounds	260.8	281.4	361.4	312.5	17.6	28.8
Dyeing,Tanning and Colouring Materials	71.4	77.4	86.1	75.9	4.9	6.9
Paper and Paper Boards	246.9	281.1	320.0	253.3	15.3	21.1
Textiles	1546.2	1,632.2	1,701.9	1,442.0	103.3	109.9
Other	1602.7	1,552.0	1,930.0	1,225.5	84.7	103.8
3. Investment Goods	**2,244.7**	**2,685.2**	**3,047.9**	**2,450.8**	**130.9**	**178.6**
Building Materials	545.2	780.3	942.6	714.5	39.4	46.7
Transport Equipment	364.5	364.5	438.8	436.3	15.0	35.8
Machinery and Equipment	1065.4	1,246.7	1,330.7	1,012.8	59.7	77.0
Other	269.6	293.6	335.9	287.3	16.8	19.2
4. Unclassified Imports	**65.4**	**92.2**	**139.4**	**114.8**	**12.0**	**8.3**
TOTAL IMPORTS (c)	**10,253.7**	**11,296.5**	**14,091.2**	**10,206.6**	**620.6**	**1,002.0**

(a) Revised.
(b) Provisional.
(c) Adjusted.

Sources: Sri Lanka Customs
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Prima Ceylon Ltd.
Serndib Flour Mills (Pvt) Ltd.
Lanka IOC PLC
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Export Value[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Industrial: Textiles and Garments	Industrial: Petroleum Products	Industrial: Other	Industrial: Total	Agricultural: Tea	Agricultural: Rubber	Agricultural: Coconut Products	Agricultural: Other Agri. Products	Agricultural: Total	Mineral: Gems	Mineral: Other	Mineral: Total	Total Exports
2007		274.8	325.5	432.7	325.1	267.0	260.5	225.3	299.9	266.4	238.1	664.0	268.2	308.4
2008(b)		279.7	479.6	419.0	328.5	323.5	291.8	267.1	363.2	320.3	168.6	620.9	200.5	320.4
2009(c)		279.8	269.6	346.3	300.1	320.2	244.1	275.1	322.8	309.9	161.5	612.2	193.3	296.8
2009(c)	1st Quarter	280.2	213.6	298.2	283.9	259.8	257.5	285.9	273.6	264.4	154.4	349.0	168.2	274.0
	2nd Quarter	246.0	242.8	308.3	265.2	287.3	196.2	235.5	258.3	270.9	133.5	555.9	163.3	261.5
	3rd Quarter	296.1	291.5	383.8	323.1	369.1	194.9	280.8	362.0	345.4	213.9	1,020.2	270.8	323.5
	4th Quarter	296.7	330.5	394.9	328.1	364.5	327.8	298.2	397..5	358.5	144.3	523.7	171.1	328.4
2010(c)	1st Quarter	239.2	340.4	380.1	285.7	328.7	558.1	207.3	402.5	342.3	194.5	625.3	224.9	294.2
2009(c)	March	316.6	218.7	331.8	318.6	349.4	331.0	311.7	293.4	336.2	148.2	413.8	167.0	316.0
	April	237.8	235.3	247.7	240.8	192.7	196.0	181.3	208.2	193.8	94.9	331.0	111.5	224.8
	May	247.8	251.3	319.1	270.0	330.4	255.1	287.8	314.9	318.0	107.8	675.5	147.9	275.5
	June	252.6	241.7	357.9	284.9	338.9	137.4	237.3	251.8	300.8	197.7	661.1	230.4	284.2
	July	309.0	298.5	378.1	330.1	363.7	147.3	299.0	356.1	339.4	187.3	1,860.7	305.5	328.0
	August	332.2	268.0	434.0	361.9	392.1	231.2	290.3	404.7	370.6	193.0	620.9	223.3	357.1
	September	247.1	308.1	339.3	277.4	351.5	206.2	253.3	325.2	326.3	261.3	579.0	283.7	285.5
	October	269.8	353.7	390.4	309.5	377.6	256.8	308.9	402.0	364.4	145.9	494.7	170.5	315.9
	November	269.7	305.2	378.5	304.4	339.1	290.1	297.4	418.0	341.6	158.8	583.9	188.9	307.2
	December	350.6	332.7	415.9	370.3	376.6	436.6	288.4	372.4	370.7	128.1	492.6	153.9	362.0
2010(c)	January	177.3	321.1	289.7	216.2	293.1	522.4	167.0	409.6	312.0	219.7	629.6	248.7	236.2
	February	254.1	336.2	415.6	306.4	353.1	669.5	224.0	429.0	372.6	128.1	612.3	162.3	315.3
	March	286.3	363.9	434.8	334.5	340.0	482.3	230.9	368.9	342.4	235.7	634.1	263.9	331.1

(a) A series with a wide coverage and 1997 as the base year. In order to accommodate the variability arising from a monthly frequency, in computing the monthly trade indices, first the volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index and then the unit value index is derived as the ratio between the value index and the volume index. This methodology avoids the subjective imputation of prices that would be required in deriving a price index first when certain items are not exported or imported in a particular month.

(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 41

External Trade Indices – Import Value[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Imports														Total Imports
		Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods							Investment Goods				
		Food & Drink	Other Consumer Goods	Total	Crude Oil	Refined Petroleum Products	Fertiliser	Chemicals	Wheat	Textiles	Total	Machinery & Equip-ment	Transport Equip-ment	Building Materials	Total	
2007		242.6	397.5	305.8	728.9	1,005.4	547.1	387.9	318.5	220.8	391.6	314.8	328.2	539.1	380.0	361.4
2008(b)		325.4	434.9	370.0	918.7	1,361.3	1,594.0	487.7	499.0	225.4	494.4	328.7	388.6	636.7	422.2	440.9
2009(c)		299.3	319.9	307.7	716.9	844.9	567.3	447.4	366.2	202.5	356.9	265.4	407.6	511.7	359.8	338.9
2009(c)	1st Quarter	317.2	300.1	310.3	544.1	498.5	344.8	389.4	417.3	184.7	280.0	289.7	429.7	605.2	393.0	304.8
	2nd Quarter	254.4	290.3	269.0	578.1	891.5	462.5	359.4	308.7	184.1	329.3	251.9	168.2	376.6	290.8	301.0
	3rd Quarter	298.0	333.0	312.3	638.6	962.3	487.7	518.0	315.0	216.5	374.4	243.2	267.7	542.2	332.3	343.2
	4th Quarter	327.5	356.1	339.2	1,106.8	1,027.3	974.3	523.0	423.9	224.9	444.0	276.6	764.9	522.5	422.9	406.5
2010(c)	1st Quarter	521.2	383.7	465.1	668.6	1,475.5	394.3	542.4	507.3	205.3	425.5	297.7	506.9	558.9	404.4	426.3
2009(c)	March	415.9	360.4	393.3	843.9	772.5	305.2	600.5	475.6	210.9	361.2	371.7	764.7	971.5	566.4	405.6
	April	198.4	281.2	232.2	503.8	579.6	292.4	308.6	275.1	177.9	274.7	191.6	171.8	346.1	235.6	252.6
	May	272.4	320.1	291.8	571.1	745.0	446.7	400.0	271.9	198.9	329.6	331.5	152.8	351.6	327.7	313.6
	June	292.2	269.7	283.0	659.3	1,350.0	648.5	369.5	379.1	175.5	383.4	232.7	180.0	432.4	309.2	336.8
	July	329.3	351.0	338.1	620.4	1,086.4	240.3	515.2	302.3	238.0	394.2	328.6	210.3	659.2	402.0	374.3
	August	278.7	319.0	295.1	614.4	1,262.5	493.3	500.1	306.5	201.4	386.2	190.9	274.8	478.5	282.1	335.4
	September	286.1	329.1	303.6	680.9	537.9	729.4	538.8	336.4	210.2	342.6	210.1	318.0	488.9	312.8	319.9
	October	246.8	355.4	291.1	1,270.5	1,086.9	1,405.6	437.2	543.3	216.9	469.1	236.0	1,025.7	554.0	439.6	415.2
	November	330.9	342.6	335.7	692.8	604.5	1,049.5	431.4	413.2	234.0	376.6	273.3	886.0	495.7	436.3	371.2
	December	404.8	370.5	390.8	1,357.0	1,390.5	467.7	700.3	315.3	223.7	486.3	320.5	382.9	518.0	392.9	433.2
2010(c)	January	494.8	382.6	449.0	686.2	2,131.9	340.0	535.3	409.6	203.7	466.8	261.9	590.0	519.4	384.2	460.4
	February	545.9	367.4	473.1	316.7	849.5	378.9	486.7	599.6	215.1	344.8	369.4	440.5	631.4	459.8	386.7
	March	522.7	401.1	473.1	1,002.9	1,445.2	464.1	605.3	512.6	197.0	464.9	262.0	490.1	525.9	369.2	431.8

(a) A series with a wide coverage and 1997 as the base year. In order to accommodate the variability arising from a monthly frequency, in computing the monthly trade indices, first the volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index and then the unit value index is derived as the ratio between the value index and the volume index. This methodology avoids the subjective imputation of prices that would be required in deriving a price index first when certain items are not exported or imported in a particular month.

(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Export Volume[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Industrial: Textiles and Garments	Industrial: Petroleum Products	Industrial: Other	Industrial: Total	Agricultural: Tea	Agricultural: Rubber	Agricultural: Coconut Products	Agricultural: Other Agri. Products	Agricultural: Total	Mineral: Gems	Mineral: Other	Mineral: Total	Total Exports
2007		150.8	57.5	198.6	163.0	122.1	85.8	124.1	167.9	125.9	126.3	249.5	135.0	153.8
2008(b)		154.6	62.9	187.9	162.4	125.4	80.7	123.0	187.8	130.3	124.3	264.3	134.2	154.4
2009(c)		148.4	55.0	129.0	139.7	114.8	89.0	119.2	182.8	122.7	111.8	262.1	122.4	135.4
2009(c)	1st Quarter	154.9	52.9	213.8	170.2	106.4	112.7	135.4	192.8	121.8	148.3	175.3	150.2	158.7
	2nd Quarter	119.9	54.8	123.1	119.1	106.5	81.5	99.6	151.8	110.1	183.1	237.2	186.9	118.3
	3rd Quarter	145.1	53.0	146.4	142.9	126.1	70.0	119.8	231.6	135.7	70.4	415.6	94.8	140.3
	4th Quarter	173.6	59.4	114.1	151.9	120.2	91.7	130.9	164.4	125.3	79.2	220.4	89.1	144.6
2010(c)	1st Quarter	128.3	57.7	236.7	159.9	111.7	125.1	84.5	227.3	125.5	145.6	218.4	150.7	151.7
2009(c)	March	171.4	55.3	318.9	213.8	138.1	144.5	145.6	208.8	149.0	99.7	171.8	104.8	196.7
	April	123.0	55.7	230.7	154.4	72.2	86.6	87.9	137.9	84.0	548.4	222.9	525.4	145.4
	May	107.5	56.7	239.4	146.9	121.5	103.6	126.9	164.1	126.6	109.6	223.7	117.7	141.6
	June	129.3	52.0	255.1	166.1	125.9	54.2	103.3	172.9	124.5	103.0	264.8	114.4	155.5
	July	151.0	55.6	204.5	164.9	131.2	54.9	141.4	235.4	140.9	173.4	867.1	222.4	160.5
	August	155.1	48.5	298.9	196.6	131.7	84.1	127.9	240.1	142.6	95.2	128.9	97.6	182.2
	September	129.2	54.8	242.5	162.2	115.4	71.0	114.6	233.4	128.1	169.0	250.7	174.8	154.6
	October	147.4	65.3	271.7	183.6	118.6	79.3	131.6	182.0	125.8	141.2	245.1	148.5	169.5
	November	167.6	54.2	257.4	192.2	112.7	84.4	173.6	182.4	126.8	456.2	221.0	439.6	181.9
	December	205.8	58.8	227.7	208.4	129.3	111.3	114.3	167.5	131.5	88.4	195.2	95.9	188.4
2010(c)	January	97.0	59.9	173.7	119.7	99.4	119.9	67.9	214.6	113.2	241.3	246.4	241.7	120.6
	February	144.2	53.7	213.6	163.2	120.1	151.1	92.2	240.3	135.7	340.4	193.5	330.0	160.1
	March	143.7	59.5	322.8	196.8	115.5	104.3	93.3	227.0	127.5	123.0	215.4	129.5	179.4

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(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 43

External Trade Indices – Import Volume[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Imports														Total Imports
		Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods							Investment Goods				
		Food & Drink	Other Consumer Goods	Total	Crude Oil	Refined Petroleum Products	Fertiliser	Chemicals	Wheat	Textiles	Total	Machinery & Equipment	Transport Equipment	Building Materials	Total	
2007		116.8	240.4	167.2	106.8	187.4	145.8	154.4	120.6	138.7	147.5	257.3	99.5	259.9	225.3	169.5
2008(b)		156.2	250.6	194.7	102.3	202.3	197.8	181.3	116.4	143.6	154.2	244.6	99.2	246.3	215.1	176.3
2009(c)		140.7	249.0	184.9	114.1	128.3	135.8	176.6	130.0	132.5	133.0	240.9	98.0	186.9	201.2	159.0
2009(c)	1st Quarter	178.1	209.3	190.8	123.4	106.0	76.9	191.2	146.1	118.1	121.2	247.5	123.9	230.7	222.2	158.3
	2nd Quarter	160.8	203.9	178.3	92.1	135.9	111.9	150.5	116.1	117.0	115.0	184.3	50.5	126.2	147.4	134.8
	3rd Quarter	128.3	321.2	206.9	92.3	139.6	125.6	154.8	111.4	136.0	128.7	219.6	82.1	181.2	183.3	156.6
	4th Quarter	152.4	296.5	211.1	148.6	131.9	228.7	209.9	146.6	158.8	151.1	324.1	135.4	209.6	259.0	187.9
2010(c)	1st Quarter	182.7	243.2	207.3	87.4	187.0	90.0	248.2	178.7	115.6	139.2	244.2	97.5	178.6	205.2	167.8
2009(c)	March	211.8	330.3	260.1	185.0	159.1	78.4	302.5	188.9	136.1	150.9	309.2	233.0	367.6	304.6	208.0
	April	104.1	213.9	148.9	92.1	90.6	85.2	141.4	104.5	123.3	116.3	203.9	46.9	125.8	162.3	133.4
	May	145.0	183.9	160.8	92.1	95.8	95.7	173.7	101.5	106.2	111.8	140.2	46.9	117.8	115.1	122.0
	June	158.4	214.0	181.1	92.1	221.2	154.7	136.4	142.4	121.4	131.6	208.8	57.8	134.9	164.7	148.9
	July	151.6	328.7	223.8	92.4	165.1	56.5	159.7	111.3	151.4	138.7	218.1	67.5	190.4	179.8	164.7
	August	117.5	250.0	171.5	92.6	178.9	125.0	161.7	110.3	109.6	137.3	166.8	81.0	168.1	147.9	146.3
	September	115.1	280.6	182.6	91.8	74.7	195.2	143.0	112.5	147.0	124.5	274.0	97.8	185.1	222.0	158.6
	October	93.6	279.1	169.2	177.7	149.5	318.8	137.0	187.4	158.4	153.3	288.7	243.8	215.1	249.0	178.8
	November	122.8	290.1	191.0	89.3	76.8	249.7	158.8	145.4	166.2	150.5	335.9	108.7	173.5	252.9	182.3
	December	146.4	328.6	220.7	178.8	169.3	117.5	333.8	106.9	151.9	168.1	347.8	53.9	240.2	275.0	203.3
2010(c)	January	152.0	237.1	186.7	89.8	270.6	81.9	238.3	142.4	134.6	152.4	308.4	96.3	200.9	247.2	181.3
	February	173.4	159.5	167.7	41.3	107.3	81.8	203.7	213.2	113.0	122.6	263.5	98.3	176.9	216.8	153.4
	March	222.6	332.9	267.6	131.1	183.1	106.3	302.6	180.4	99.1	142.7	160.6	97.8	157.9	151.5	168.7

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(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Export Unit Value[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Exports: Industrial: Textiles and Garments	Industrial: Petroleum Products	Industrial: Other	Industrial: Total	Agricultural: Tea	Agricultural: Rubber	Agricultural: Coconut Products	Agricultural: Other Agri. Products	Agricultural: Total	Mineral: Gems	Mineral: Other	Mineral: Total	Total Exports
2007		182.2	566.2	217.9	199.5	218.7	303.6	181.6	178.6	211.6	188.5	266.1	198.7	200.5
2008(b)		180.9	762.5	222.9	222.9	258.1	361.3	217.1	193.4	245.8	135.6	234.9	149.4	207.5
2009(c)		188.5	489.8	268.5	268.5	278.9	274.4	230.8	176.6	252.7	144.5	233.6	157.9	219.2
2009(c)	1st Quarter	180.9	403.5	139.5	166.8	244.2	228.5	211.2	141.9	217.0	104.1	199.2	112.0	172.7
	2nd Quarter	205.2	442.9	250.5	222.8	269.7	240.8	236.5	170.2	246.0	72.9	234.4	87.4	221.1
	3rd Quarter	204.0	550.2	262.2	226.1	292.6	278.4	234.4	156.3	254.6	303.6	245.5	285.6	230.6
	4th Quarter	170.9	556.0	346.0	215.9	303.2	357.7	227.8	241.7	286.4	182.3	237.6	191.9	227.1
2010(c)	1st Quarter	186.5	590.0	160.6	178.7	294.3	446.2	245.4	177.1	272.9	133.6	286.3	149.2	193.9
2009(c)	March	184.8	395.4	104.0	149.0	253.0	229.1	214.0	140.5	225.6	148.6	240.8	159.3	160.7
	April	193.3	422.2	107.4	155.9	266.9	226.3	206.2	150.9	230.7	17.3	148.5	21.2	154.7
	May	230.6	443.0	133.3	183.8	271.8	246.2	226.9	192.0	251.2	98.4	302.0	125.7	194.5
	June	195.3	464.8	140.3	171.6	269.2	253.6	229.7	145.6	241.6	191.9	249.6	201.3	182.8
	July	204.6	536.5	184.9	200.2	277.2	268.3	211.4	151.3	240.9	108.0	214.6	137.4	204.4
	August	214.2	552.3	145.2	184.0	297.7	274.9	226.9	168.6	260.0	202.8	481.6	228.8	196.0
	September	191.2	562.2	139.9	171.0	304.5	290.5	221.1	139.3	254.6	154.6	230.9	162.3	184.7
	October	183.0	541.4	143.7	168.6	318.3	324.0	234.7	220.9	289.7	103.3	201.8	114.8	186.3
	November	161.0	563.5	147.0	158.4	300.9	343.7	171.3	229.2	269.3	34.8	264.1	43.0	168.9
	December	170.4	565.4	182.7	177.7	291.2	392.3	252.2	222.3	281.8	144.9	252.4	160.4	192.1
2010(c)	January	182.8	535.9	166.8	180.6	294.8	435.6	245.9	190.9	275.7	91.0	255.5	102.9	195.9
	February	176.1	626.2	194.5	187.8	293.9	443.2	242.9	178.5	274.5	37.6	316.4	49.2	196.9
	March	199.3	611.9	134.7	170.0	294.2	462.6	247.4	162.5	268.6	191.6	294.4	203.7	184.6

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(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Import Unit Value[(a)]

1997 = 100

Period		Imports														Total Imports	Terms of Trade
		Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods							Investment Goods					
		Food & Drink	Other Consumer Goods	Total	Crude Oil	Refined Petroleum Products	Fertiliser	Chemicals	Wheat	Textiles	Total	Machinery & Equip-ment	Transport Equip-ment	Building Materials	Total		
2007		207.7	165.4	182.9	682.7	536.5	375.3	251.2	264.0	159.2	265.6	122.3	329.7	207.4	168.6	213.1	94.0
2008(b)		208.3	173.6	190.1	898.0	673.0	806.0	269.1	428.6	156.9	320.6	134.4	391.7	258.5	196.3	250.1	83.0
2009(c)		212.7	128.5	166.4	628.3	658.4	417.9	253.4	281.6	152.9	268.4	110.2	416.0	273.7	178.8	213.2	102.8
2009(c)	1st Quarter	178.1	143.4	162.6	440.8	470.2	448.4	203.6	285.6	156.4	231.0	117.1	346.8	262.3	176.9	192.6	89.7
	2nd Quarter	158.2	142.4	150.8	627.6	656.2	413.5	238.8	265.9	157.4	286.4	136.7	333.0	298.6	197.3	223.4	99.0
	3rd Quarter	232.3	103.7	150.8	692.2	689.5	388.3	334.6	282.8	159.2	290.8	110.7	326.2	299.2	181.3	219.2	105.2
	4th Quarter	214.9	120.1	160.7	744.9	779.1	426.1	249.2	289.2	141.6	293.9	85.3	564.8	249.3	163.3	216.3	105.0
2010(c)	1st Quarter	285.3	157.8	224.3	764.8	789.1	438.1	218.6	283.9	177.6	305.6	121.9	519.9	313.0	197.1	254.1	76.3
2009(c)	March	196.4	109.1	151.2	456.1	485.7	389.2	198.5	251.7	154.9	239.3	120.2	328.2	264.3	185.9	195.0	82.4
	April	190.6	131.5	156.0	546.9	639.9	343.2	218.2	263.3	144.2	236.2	94.0	366.7	275.1	145.1	189.4	81.6
	May	187.9	174.1	181.5	620.0	777.9	466.7	230.3	268.0	187.3	294.7	236.4	326.0	298.5	284.7	257.0	75.7
	June	184.5	126.1	156.3	716.1	610.2	419.3	271.0	266.2	144.6	291.3	111.5	311.4	320.6	187.7	226.2	80.8
	July	217.2	106.8	151.1	671.4	658.1	425.3	322.6	271.5	157.2	284.3	150.6	311.6	346.2	223.6	227.3	89.9
	August	237.2	127.6	172.0	663.6	705.8	394.6	309.2	277.8	183.7	281.4	114.5	339.5	284.7	190.7	229.2	85.5
	September	248.4	117.3	166.3	742.0	720.0	373.6	376.8	299.0	143.0	275.1	76.7	325.2	264.1	140.9	201.7	91.5
	October	263.8	127.3	172.0	715.1	726.9	440.9	319.2	289.9	137.0	306.0	81.8	420.8	257.6	176.5	232.2	80.2
	November	269.5	118.1	175.7	775.8	787.4	420.2	271.6	284.2	140.8	250.3	81.4	815.4	285.7	172.5	203.6	83.0
	December	276.5	112.8	177.1	759.1	821.4	398.2	209.8	294.9	147.3	289.3	92.2	711.1	215.7	142.9	213.1	90.2
2010(c)	January	325.6	161.4	240.6	764.0	788.0	415.1	224.7	287.7	151.4	306.2	84.9	612.5	258.6	155.4	254.0	77.1
	February	314.9	230.4	282.1	766.6	791.4	463.4	239.0	281.3	190.3	281.2	140.2	448.0	356.9	212.1	252.1	78.1
	March	234.8	120.5	176.8	764.8	789.5	436.5	200.0	284.1	198.8	325.8	163.1	500.9	333.1	243.7	255.9	72.1

(a) A series with a wide coverage and 1997 as the base year. In order to accommodate the variability arising from a monthly frequency, in computing the monthly trade indices, first the volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index and then the unit value index is derived as the ratio between the value index and the volume index. This methodology avoids the subjective imputation of prices that would be required in deriving a price index first when certain items are not exported or imported in a particular month.

(b) Revised.

(c) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Key Indicators of Tourist Industry

Rs. million

Year		Tourist Arrivals by Region (No.) Western Europe	Asia	North America	Eastern Europe	Australasia	Total	Overall Occupancy Rate	Accommodation Capacity No. of Hotel Units	No. of Rooms	Arrivals by Carrier (No.) Scheduled Airlines SriLankan	Other	Charter Flights
2007		194,448	202,480	28,355	25,573	22,924	494,008	46.2	245	14,604	283,025	202,494	8,489
2008(a)		167,187	173,042	24,311	29,440	21,839	438,475	43.9	256	14,793	220,191	204,855	13,429
2009(b)		170,123	174,534	24,948	26,310	26,068	447,890	48.4	242.0	14,461	200,605	241,816	5,469
2009(b)	1st Quarter	45,876	35,060	5,655	10,807	5,129	106,702	42.6	256	14,793	49,390	53,033	4,279
	2nd Quarter	28,660	35,799	5,110	3,119	4,633	81,027	35.5	256	14,793	36,737	43,929	305
	3rd Quarter	46,540	47,994	6,651	4,079	5,854	121,413	50.9	251	14,660	52,162	69,307	0
	4th Quarter	49,047	55,681	7,532	8,305	10,452	138,748	60.5	248	14,593	62,316	75,547	885
2010(b)	1st Quarter	69,877	53,464	9,222	12,655	7,292	160,409	81.6	244	14,461	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2009(b)	April	10,489	9,841	1,396	1,394	1,566	26,054	38.0	256	14,793	11,255	14,438	305
	May	8,010	11,878	1,559	1,002	1,331	24,739	31.4	256	14,793	10,977	13,762	0
	June	10,161	14,080	2,155	723	1,736	30,234	37.0	256	14,793	14,505	15,729	0
	July	16,690	15,315	2,669	1,208	2,020	42,223	45.9	256	14,793	16,548	25,731	0
	August	16,823	15,486	2,337	1,573	1,875	41,207	55.5	248	14,593	19,188	22,019	0
	September	13,027	17,193	1,645	1,298	1,959	37,983	51.4	248	14,593	16,426	21,557	0
	October	13,873	16,346	1,551	1,982	1,818	37,575	53.0	248	14,593	17,417	20,158	0
	November	15,212	18,070	2,038	3,456	2,456	44,311	57.4	248	14,593	19,276	24,530	505
	December	19,962	21,265	3,943	2,867	6,178	56,862	71.2	248	14,593	25,623	30,859	380
2010(b)	January	21,230	17,252	2,708	4,789	2,877	50,757	82.0	248	14,461	23,234	26,681	842
	February	26,850	17,973	3,097	4,445	2,067	57,300	84.3	242	14,461	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	March	21,797	18,239	3,417	3,421	2,348	52,352	78.4	242	14,461	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	April	13,915	14,863	2,488	2,146	2,197	38,300	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Revised.
(b) Provisional.

Source : Sri Lanka Tourist Board

Balance of Payments(a) – Rupees million

Item	2009 (b)											
	1st Quarter			2nd Quarter			3rd Quarter			4th Quarter		
	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net
A. GOODS (c)	**187,795.1**	**263,662.8**	**-75,867.7**	**179,264.8**	**260,372.5**	**-81,107.7**	**221,770.6**	**296,905.9**	**-75,135.3**	**225,080.5**	**351,676.8**	**-126,596.3**
Merchandise	187,795.1	263,662.8	-75,867.7	179,264.8	260,372.5	-81,107.7	221,770.6	296,905.9	-75,135.3	225,080.5	351,676.8	-126,596.3
B. SERVICES	**55,184.5**	**46,117.9**	**9,066.6**	**48,446.8**	**43,366.7**	**5,080.1**	**56,379.4**	**35,566.5**	**20,812.9**	**57,367.5**	**47,546.6**	**9,820.9**
Transportation	22,574.0	15,525.9	7,048.2	20,460.8	18,854.5	1,606.3	28,518.0	13,487.7	15,030.3	27,837.8	24,700.4	3,137.4
Passenger Fares	11,801.5	8,060.0	3,741.6	6,832.3	13,394.7	-6,562.4	13,961.0	4,832.6	9,128.3	13,798.0	11,030.9	2,767.1
Freight	1,997.2	2,145.2	-148.0	2,225.2	1,897.5	327.7	3,172.6	3,496.2	-323.6	1,119.7	5,803.6	-4,683.9
Other (d)	8,775.3	5,320.8	3,454.6	11,403.3	3,562.3	7,841.1	11,384.4	5,158.8	6,225.5	12,920.1	7,865.9	5,054.2
Travel (e)	9,491.0	13,122.9	-3,631.9	7,355.8	11,942.5	-4,586.7	10,884.2	11,505.9	-621.7	12,401.9	10,655.2	1,746.7
Telecommunication Services	3,000.0	1,290.0	1,710.0	2,083.3	1,320.0	763.3	1,764.7	1,364.0	400.7	2,307.7	2,178.0	129.7
Computer and Information Services	6,980.9	0.0	6,980.9	7,129.4	0.0	7,129.4	7,034.9	0.0	7,034.9	7,016.4	0.0	7,016.4
Construction Services	1,475.5	171.0	1,304.5	1,604.2	174.6	1,429.6	837.2	174.6	662.6	653.6	114.7	539.0
Insurance Services	2,342.0	1,369.4	972.6	2,464.9	1,505.1	959.8	2,872.8	1,351.9	1,520.8	901.0	1,107.0	-206.0
Other Business Services	8,761.2	13,551.2	-4,790.0	6,814.4	8,557.5	-1,743.1	3,937.3	6,681.9	-2,744.6	5,694.2	7,866.3	-2,172.1
of which Hired Power Rental Payments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Government Expenditure n.i.e.	559.9	1,087.5	-527.6	534.0	1,012.5	-478.5	530.5	1,000.5	-470.0	554.9	925.0	-370.1
C. INCOME	**2,233.9**	**16,603.2**	**-14,369.4**	**12,684.1**	**18,057.1**	**-5,373.0**	**4,895.4**	**14,762.2**	**-9,866.8**	**-6,262.2**	**19,937.9**	**-26,200.1**
Compensation of Employees	341.0	834.3	-493.2	130.8	378.7	-247.9	113.6	397.7	-284.1	154.8	363.1	-208.3
Direct Investment	199.5	5,797.8	-5,598.4	203.7	5,958.3	-5,754.6	201.0	5,989.8	-5,788.8	200.5	8,631.5	-8,431.0
Interest and Other Charges	1,693.4	9,971.1	-8,277.8	12,349.6	11,720.1	629.5	4,580.8	8,374.7	-3,793.9	-6,617.5	10,943.4	-17,560.9
D. CURRENT TRANSFERS	**90,188.5**	**10,546.7**	**79,641.8**	**99,787.8**	**7,035.4**	**92,752.3**	**102,885.9**	**9,381.7**	**93,504.2**	**98,875.7**	**19,276.2**	**79,599.5**
Private	88,980.6	10,546.7	78,433.9	95,693.8	7,035.4	88,658.4	100,894.4	9,381.7	91,512.7	97,249.2	19,276.2	77,973.0
of which Tsunami Related Inflows	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Government (f)	1,207.9	0.0	1,207.9	4,094.0	0.0	4,094.0	1,991.5	0.0	1,991.5	1,626.5	0.0	1,626.5
CURRENT ACCOUNT	**335,402.0**	**336,930.7**	**-1,528.7**	**340,183.4**	**328,831.7**	**11,351.7**	**385,931.3**	**356,616.2**	**29,315.1**	**375,061.5**	**438,437.5**	**-63,376.1**
CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS	**105,041.1**	**121,083.4**	**-16,042.2**	**164,979.0**	**125,568.7**	**39,410.2**	**280,288.5**	**104,845.0**	**175,443.5**	**294,814.2**	**194,244.3**	**100,569.9**
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	**4,320.1**	**255.8**	**4,064.4**	**10,332.6**	**279.9**	**10,052.6**	**7,207.4**	**306.1**	**6,901.4**	**6,604.5**	**791.0**	**5,813.5**
Capital Transfers	4,320.1	255.8	4,064.4	10,332.6	279.9	10,052.6	7,207.4	306.1	6,901.4	6,604.5	791.0	5,813.5
Government (other) (g)	2,243.2	0.0	2,243.2	7,603.1	0.0	7,603.1	3,698.5	0.0	3,698.5	3,020.6	0.0	3,020.6
Non Governmental Organisations	1,500.0	0.0	1,500.0	1,900.0	0.0	1,900.0	2,500.0	0.0	2,500.0	3,000.0	0.0	3,000.0
Other Sector (Migrant Transfers)	577.0	255.8	321.2	829.5	279.9	549.6	1,008.9	306.1	702.9	584.0	791.0	-207.1
FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	**100,721.0**	**120,827.6**	**-20,106.6**	**154,646.4**	**125,288.8**	**29,357.6**	**273,081.1**	**104,538.9**	**168,542.1**	**288,209.7**	**193,453.2**	**94,756.4**
Private Investment	**70,549.5**	**89,130.4**	**-18,580.9**	**103,175.7**	**90,102.9**	**13,072.9**	**87,980.9**	**77,698.5**	**10,282.4**	**144,579.8**	**130,948.1**	**13,631.6**
Long-term	13,456.1	3,045.5	10,410.5	21,469.2	5,940.6	15,528.7	11,536.2	2,913.4	8,622.7	44,745.2	26,089.9	18,655.3
Direct Investment	10,262.7	569.9	9,692.9	10,481.1	582.0	9,899.1	8,541.8	574.3	7,967.5	17,125.6	572.8	16,552.9
Privatisation Proceeds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Private Long-term (h)	3,193.3	2,475.7	717.6	10,988.2	5,358.6	5,629.6	2,994.4	2,339.2	655.3	27,619.6	25,517.1	2,102.5
Short-term	57,093.5	86,084.9	-28,991.4	81,706.5	84,162.3	-2,455.8	76,444.8	74,785.1	1,659.7	99,834.6	104,858.3	-5,023.7
Portfolio Investment	6,888.1	4,867.1	2,021.0	9,007.9	11,505.9	-2,498.0	9,728.3	8,499.5	1,228.8	17,436.8	18,973.8	-1,537.0
Other Private Short-term (h)	50,205.3	43,946.7	6,258.7	51,273.3	47,607.6	3,665.8	50,593.5	43,819.4	6,774.1	50,460.5	41,050.9	9,409.6
Commercial Bank – Assets	0.0	26,770.3	-26,770.3	7,512.0	16,777.7	-9,265.7	1,476.8	22,301.5	-20,824.7	29,004.2	23,441.6	5,562.6
Commercial Bank – Liabilities	0.0	10,500.8	-10,500.8	13,913.2	8,271.1	5,642.1	14,646.1	164.6	14,481.5	2,933.1	21,392.0	-18,458.9
Central Government	**30,171.5**	**31,697.2**	**-1,525.7**	**51,470.7**	**35,185.9**	**16,284.8**	**185,100.1**	**26,840.4**	**158,259.7**	**143,629.9**	**62,505.1**	**81,124.8**
Long-term	28,515.1	12,181.1	16,334.0	29,386.9	34,175.1	-4,788.2	30,670.6	14,236.4	16,434.2	115,862.6	47,287.4	68,575.2
Short-term	1,656.4	19,516.1	-17,859.7	22,083.8	1,010.8	21,073.0	154,429.5	12,604.0	141,825.5	27,767.3	15,217.7	12,549.6
Treasury bills	175.9	5,692.5	-5,516.6	19,584.0	41.1	19,542.9	28,045.5	10,068.1	17,977.4	16,170.7	14,256.0	1,914.7
Treasury bonds	1,480.5	13,823.5	-12,343.1	2,499.8	969.7	1,530.0	126,384.1	2,535.9	123,848.2	11,596.6	961.7	10,634.9
MONETARY SECTOR	**168,478.8**	**115,728.3**	**52,750.5**	**25,171.9**	**67,264.2**	**-42,092.3**	**141,110.1**	**400,578.0**	**-259,467.9**	**72,942.5**	**139,353.9**	**-66,411.3**
Government – Assets (i)	912.2	850.9	61.3	338.7	0.0	338.7	1,525.5	2,775.7	-1,250.2	0.0	2,203.8	-2,203.8
Government – Liabilities (i)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Central Bank – Assets (i)	126,556.7	14,598.9	111,957.8	5,552.5	47,292.1	-41,739.6	0.0	385,543.2	-385,543.2	0.0	117,255.4	-117,255.4
Central Bank – Liabilities (i)	41,009.9	98,298.0	-57,288.1	19,280.7	16,724.3	2,556.4	44,335.8	10,008.8	34,327.0	34,390.7	16,432.1	17,958.6
Transactions with IMF (j)	0.0	1,980.5	-1,980.5	0.0	3,247.8	-3,247.8	36,895.4	2,250.3	34,645.2	38,551.8	3,462.5	35,089.3
Allocations of SDRs (k)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	58,353.4	0.0	58,353.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Valuation Adjustments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Monetary Gold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Errors & Omissions	0.0	-35,179.6	-35,179.6	0.0	-8,669.6	-8,669.6	54,709.3	0.0	54,709.3	29,217.5	0.0	29,217.5

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) The above presentation conforms as far as possible to international practice as followed by the International Monetary Fund (IMF), in the Balance of Payments Manual, 5th edition (1993). In addition, beginning 1994, Offshore Banking Units have been treated as a part of the domestic banking system.

(b) Provisional

(c) Exports are recorded on f.o.b. valuation; imports on c.i.f. valuation.

(d) Includes port related services.

(e) Passage collections by foreign shipping agents and airlines are included in passenger fares.

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

(g) Indicates outright grants received in the form of project aid.

(h) Credit entries refer mainly to an increase in liabilities resulting from imports under trade credits. The debit entries in respect of such imports are in the merchandise account and are recorded on an arrivals basis. Debit entries refer to a decline in such liabilities and are recorded at the time of settlement of payment for such imports.

(i) The change in capital of the monetary sector is based on local records.

(j) The figures shown in the credit column relate to the increase in liabilities to the IMF arising from drawings from the IMF and the receipts under the Stand-by Arrangement facility in 2009. US dollar and Sri Lanka Rupee values reflect changes in the representative rate of the Special Drawing Rights (SDRs). Figures in the debit column are in respect of repurchases or repayments, made in installments to the IMF, in respect of earlier drawings. Subscriptions to the IMF, consequent to successive increases in Sri Lanka's quota, are also shown in the debit column.

(k) General and special allocations of SDRs by the IMF.

Balance of Payments[(a)] – US dollars million

Item	2009 (b)											
	1st Quarter			2nd Quarter			3rd Quarter			4th Quarter		
	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net
A. GOODS (c)	**1,647.4**	**2,312.5**	**-665.1**	**1,541.3**	**2,239.1**	**-697.8**	**1,930.8**	**2,585.0**	**-654.2**	**1,965.0**	**3,070.0**	**-1,105.0**
Merchandise	1,647.4	2,312.5	-665.1	1,541.3	2,239.1	-697.8	1,930.8	2,585.0	-654.2	1,965.0	3,070.0	-1,105.0
B. SERVICES	**484.2**	**404.5**	**79.6**	**416.4**	**372.2**	**44.2**	**490.9**	**309.7**	**181.2**	**500.8**	**415.0**	**85.8**
Transportation	198.0	136.1	61.9	176.1	161.7	14.4	248.3	117.4	130.9	243.0	215.6	27.3
Passenger Fares	103.5	70.7	32.8	58.7	114.7	-56.0	121.6	42.1	79.5	120.4	96.3	24.1
Freight	17.5	18.8	-1.3	19.1	16.3	2.8	27.6	30.4	-2.8	9.8	50.7	-40.9
Other (d)	77.0	46.6	30.4	98.2	30.6	67.6	99.1	44.9	54.2	112.8	68.7	44.1
Travel (e)	83.3	115.1	-31.9	63.2	102.6	-39.4	94.8	100.2	-5.4	108.3	93.0	15.3
Telecommunication Services	26.3	11.3	15.0	17.9	11.3	6.6	15.4	11.9	3.5	20.1	19.0	1.1
Computer and Information Services	61.3	0.0	61.3	61.3	0.0	61.3	61.3	0.0	61.3	61.3	0.0	61.3
Construction Services	12.9	1.5	11.4	13.8	1.5	12.3	7.3	1.5	5.8	5.7	1.0	4.7
Insurance Services	20.5	12.0	8.5	21.2	12.9	8.3	25.0	11.8	13.2	7.9	9.7	-1.8
Other Business Services	76.9	118.9	-42.0	58.4	73.5	-15.1	34.3	58.2	-23.9	49.7	68.6	-18.9
of which Hired Power Rental Payments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Government Expenditure n.i.e.	4.9	9.5	-4.6	4.6	8.7	-4.1	4.6	8.7	-4.1	4.8	8.1	-3.2
C. INCOME	**19.4**	**145.7**	**-126.3**	**108.7**	**155.1**	**-46.4**	**42.6**	**128.5**	**-85.9**	**-54.9**	**174.0**	**-229.0**
Compensation of Employees	3.0	7.3	-4.3	1.1	3.3	-2.1	1.0	3.5	-2.5	1.4	3.2	-1.8
Direct Investment	1.8	50.9	-49.1	1.8	51.2	-49.4	1.8	52.2	-50.4	1.8	75.4	-73.6
Interest and Other Charges	14.6	87.5	-72.9	105.8	100.7	5.2	39.9	72.9	-33.0	-58.0	95.5	-153.5
D. CURRENT TRANSFERS	**791.2**	**92.5**	**698.7**	**857.4**	**60.4**	**797.0**	**895.8**	**81.7**	**814.1**	**863.2**	**168.4**	**694.7**
Private	780.6	92.5	688.1	822.3	60.4	761.8	878.4	81.7	796.8	848.9	168.4	680.5
of which Tsunami Related Inflows	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Government (f)	10.6	0.0	10.6	35.2	0.0	35.2	17.3	0.0	17.3	14.2	0.0	0.0
CURRENT ACCOUNT	**2,942.1**	**2,955.2**	**-13.1**	**2,923.8**	**2,826.9**	**96.9**	**3,360.1**	**3,104.9**	**255.3**	**3,274.0**	**3,827.5**	**-553.5**
CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS	**925.2**	**1,073.6**	**-148.4**	**1,415.0**	**1,077.0**	**338.1**	**2,440.6**	**912.8**	**1,527.7**	**2,572.3**	**1,695.5**	**876.7**
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	**37.9**	**2.2**	**35.6**	**88.8**	**2.4**	**86.4**	**62.8**	**2.7**	**60.1**	**57.7**	**6.9**	**50.8**
Capital Transfers	37.9	2.2	35.6	88.8	2.4	86.4	62.8	2.7	60.1	57.7	6.9	50.8
Government (other) (g)	19.7	0.0	19.7	65.3	0.0	65.3	32.2	0.0	32.2	26.4	0.0	26.4
Non Governmental Organisations	13.2	0.0	13.2	16.4	0.0	16.4	21.8	0.0	21.8	26.2	0.0	26.2
Other Sector (Migrant Transfers)	5.1	2.2	2.8	7.1	2.4	4.7	8.8	2.7	6.1	5.1	6.9	-1.8
FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	**887.3**	**1,071.4**	**-184.1**	**1,326.3**	**1,074.5**	**251.7**	**2,377.8**	**910.2**	**1,467.7**	**2,514.6**	**1,688.6**	**826.0**
Private Investment	**622.6**	**793.3**	**-170.7**	**883.5**	**770.1**	**113.4**	**766.2**	**676.4**	**89.7**	**1,261.9**	**1,142.5**	**119.4**
Long-term	118.1	26.7	91.4	185.0	51.0	134.0	100.4	25.4	75.1	390.8	227.9	162.8
Direct Investment	90.0	5.0	85.0	90.0	5.0	85.0	74.4	5.0	69.4	149.5	5.0	144.5
Privatisation Proceeds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Private Long-term (h)	28.0	21.7	6.3	94.9	46.0	49.0	26.1	20.4	5.7	241.3	222.9	18.3
Short-term	504.6	766.6	-262.0	698.5	719.2	-20.6	665.7	651.1	14.7	871.2	914.6	-43.4
Portfolio Investment	60.3	42.6	17.7	77.7	99.1	-21.4	84.7	74.0	10.7	152.3	165.8	-13.5
Other Private Short-term (h)	440.5	385.6	54.9	440.5	408.8	31.7	440.5	381.5	59.0	440.5	358.3	82.2
Commercial Bank – Assets	3.7	214.7	-211.0	100.2	183.8	-83.6	11.5	194.2	-182.7	249.6	207.4	42.2
Commercial Bank – Liabilities	0.0	123.6	-123.6	80.1	27.5	52.6	129.0	1.3	127.7	28.8	183.1	-154.3
Central Government	**264.7**	**278.1**	**-13.4**	**442.7**	**304.4**	**138.3**	**1,611.6**	**233.7**	**1,377.9**	**1,252.6**	**546.1**	**706.5**
Long-term	250.1	106.8	143.3	252.7	295.8	-43.1	267.0	124.0	143.1	1,010.3	413.3	597.1
Short-term	14.6	171.2	-156.7	190.1	8.7	181.4	1,344.6	109.7	1,234.9	242.3	132.8	109.4
Treasury bills	1.5	50.0	-48.4	168.7	0.4	168.3	244.2	87.7	156.5	141.3	124.5	16.8
Treasury bonds	13.0	121.3	-108.3	21.4	8.3	13.1	1,100.4	22.1	1,078.3	101.0	8.4	92.6
MONETARY SECTOR	**1,688.5**	**1,000.4**	**688.0**	**159.6**	**656.0**	**-496.4**	**1,229.3**	**3,552.3**	**-2,323.1**	**639.2**	**1,233.1**	**-593.9**
Government – Assets (i)	12.9	7.0	5.9	14.3	1.7	12.6	13.3	24.2	-10.9	0.0	19.7	-19.7
Government – Liabilities (i)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Central Bank – Assets (i)	1,318.6	106.3	1,212.3	0.0	503.9	-503.9	0.0	3,440.9	-3,440.9	0.0	1,040.7	-1,040.7
Central Bank – Liabilities (i)	357.0	870.0	-513.0	145.3	122.5	22.8	386.6	67.6	319.0	302.2	142.4	159.7
Transactions with IMF (j)	0.0	17.2	-17.2	0.0	27.9	-27.9	321.1	19.6	301.5	337.0	30.2	306.8
Allocations of SDRs (k)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	508.3	0.0	508.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Valuation Adjustments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Monetary Gold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Errors & Omissions	0.0	-526.5	-526.5	61.3	0.0	61.3	540.0	0.0	540.0	270.7	0.0	270.7

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) The above presentation conforms as far as possible to international practice as followed by the International Monetary Fund (IMF), in the Balance of Payments Manual, 5th edition (1993). In addition, beginning 1994, Offshore Banking Units have been treated as a part of the domestic banking system.

(b) Provisional

(c) Exports are recorded on f.o.b. valuation; imports on c.i.f. valuation.

(d) Includes port related services.

(e) Passage collections by foreign shipping agents and airlines are included in passenger fares.

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

(g) Indicates outright grants received in the form of project aid.

(h) Credit entries refer mainly to an increase in liabilities resulting from imports under trade credits. The debit entries in respect of such imports are in the merchandise account and are recorded on an arrivals basis. Debit entries refer to a decline in such liabilities and are recorded at the time of settlement of payment for such imports.

(i) The change in capital of the monetary sector is based on local records.

(j) The figures shown in the credit column relate to the increase in liabilities to the IMF arising from drawings from the IMF and the receipts under the Stand-by Arrangement facility in 2009. US dollar and Sri Lanka Rupee values reflect changes in the representative rate of the Special Drawing Rights (SDRs). Figures in the debit column are in respect of repurchases or repayments, made in installments to the IMF, in respect of earlier drawings. Subscriptions to the IMF, consequent to successive increases in Sri Lanka's quota, are also shown in the debit column.

(k) General and special allocations of SDRs by the IMF.

External Reserves

US dollars million

End of Period		Central Bank (b)	Govern- ment	Gross Official Reserves (b)		Commer- cial Banks	Total External Reserves (b) (3+5)		Change in Gross Official Reserves	Change in Total External Reserves
				Value	Months of Imports (c)		Value	Months of Imports (c)		
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2007		2,963.4	99.0	3,062.4	3.3	1,448.3	4,510.8	4.8	536.5	816.3
2008		1,666.2	87.2	1,753.4	1.5	1,238.1	2,991.5	2.6	-1,309.0	-1,519.3
2009		4,983.6	113.0	5,096.5	6.0	1,673.1	6,769.6	8.0	3,343.1	3,778.1
2009	1st Qtr	1,187.0	85.1	1,272.1	1.2	1,449.0	2,721.1	2.5	-481.3	-270.4
	2nd Qtr	1,536.0	82.4	1,618.4	1.7	1,532.6	3,151.0	3.3	346.3	429.9
	3rd Qtr	4,120.3	93.3	4,213.7	5.0	1,715.3	5,929.0	7.0	2,595.2	2,778.0
	4th Qtr	4,983.6	113.0	5,096.5	6.0	1,673.1	6,769.6	8.0	882.9	840.6
2010	1st Qtr	5,098.1	93.7	5,191.8	5.6	1,366.5	6,558.3	7.1	95.3	-211.3
2009	Apr	1,214.7	81.4	1,296.1	1.3	1,413.9	2,710.0	2.6	24.0	-11.1
	May	1,352.4	83.1	1,435.5	1.5	1,597.7	3,033.2	3.1	139.5	323.3
	Jun	1,536.0	82.4	1,618.4	1.7	1,532.6	3,151.0	3.3	182.9	117.8
	Jul	2,094.9	94.3	2,189.2	2.4	1,601.3	3,790.5	4.1	570.8	639.5
	Aug	3,783.4	106.6	3,890.1	4.4	1,589.8	5,479.8	6.2	1,700.8	1,689.3
	Sep	4,120.3	93.3	4,213.7	5.0	1,715.3	5,929.0	7.0	323.6	449.1
	Oct	4,728.0	93.5	4,821.5	5.8	1,915.6	6,737.1	8.1	607.9	808.1
	Nov	5,118.0	109.9	5,228.0	6.4	1,666.0	6,894.0	8.4	406.5	156.9
	Dec	4,983.6	113.0	5,096.5	6.0	1,673.1	6,769.6	8.0	-131.4	-124.4
2010	Jan	5,043.9	91.4	5,135.3	5.8	1,564.3	6,699.5	7.5	38.7	-70.1
	Feb	4,926.4	105.7	5,032.1	5.5	1,335.3	6,367.4	6.9	-103.2	-332.2
	Mar	5,098.1	93.7	5,191.8	5.6	1,366.5	6,558.3	7.1	159.7	190.9
	Apr (a)	5,123.2	91.7	5,214.9	5.5	1,363.1	6,578.0	6.9	23.1	19.7

Note : Market value is given from October 2002.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Provisional

(b) Asian Clearing Union deposits are excluded.

(c) Available reserves are sufficient to finance the given number of months of imports.

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 Index (Average)	
		US Dollar	Pound Sterling	Euro	Japanese Yen	Indian Rupee	SDR (a)	NEER (b) (2006=100)	REER (c)(d)(e) (2006=100)
2007		10,871.94	21,715.07	16,027.41	97.13	276.99	17,157.20	89.23	100.27
2008		11,313.98	16,327.77	15,945.36	125.24	235.66	17,426.60	90.20	118.41
2009		11,438.44	18,174.54	16,371.84	124.13	245.80	17,866.70	89.52	120.86
2009	1st Qtr	11,514.58	16,471.61	15,247.61	117.32	225.16	17,215.10	93.47	125.25
	2nd Qtr	11,491.10	19,095.34	16,217.96	119.79	240.50	17,836.80	89.33	120.02
	3rd Qtr	11,480.91	18,385.53	16,789.11	127.88	240.06	18,190.10	88.48	120.00
	4th Qtr	11,438.44	18,174.54	16,371.84	124.13	245.80	17,866.70	86.79	118.17
2010	1st Qtr	11,404.49	17,192.27	15,285.44	122.25	254.22	17,314.80	87.89	121.40
2009	Apr	12,007.29	17,771.39	15,973.30	123.00	241.77	17,984.90	90.36	119.67
	May	11,492.96	18,349.09	16,068.88	119.23	242.93	17,791.70	88.81	119.51
	Jun	11,491.10	19,095.34	16,217.96	119.79	240.50	17,836.80	88.82	120.90
	Jul	11,490.33	18,978.58	16,221.47	120.61	239.23	17,848.30	88.94	121.18
	Aug	11,480.54	18,657.03	16,419.47	123.83	236.83	17,979.20	88.46	119.73
	Sep	11,480.91	18,385.53	16,789.11	127.88	240.06	18,190.10	88.02	119.10
	Oct	11,480.34	19,020.63	17,042.56	125.74	245.94	18,252.50	86.72	117.52
	Nov	11,459.47	18,999.80	17,247.65	132.19	248.12	18,451.80	86.47	117.47
	Dec	11,438.44	18,174.54	16,371.84	124.13	245.80	17,866.70	87.20	119.52
2010	Jan	11,455.03	18,525.07	16,017.00	126.82	248.19	17,830.70	87.17	120.73
	Feb	11,444.07	17,465.94	15,537.04	128.02	248.08	17,539.00	88.21	122.45
	Mar	11,404.49	17,192.27	15,285.44	122.25	254.22	17,314.80	88.29	121.02
	Apr	11,397.86	17,471.78	15,085.64	121.08	256.71	17,223.50	87.93	118.67

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

(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.

(d) REER computation is based on CCPI.

(e) The REER Indices for 2009 and 2010 are provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Interbank Forward Market Transactions

End of Period		Forward Volume (US dollars 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 (%)
2007		976.60	568.24	219.32	316.55	745.05	2,823.76	11.83	12.15	10.97	10.88
2008		2,060.62	1,115.60	520.76	514.06	1,260.65	5,471.69	9.86	10.23	14.91	14.84
2009(b)		1,515.37	1,315.74	464.39	519.22	808.99	4,623.71	6.66	6.26	11.12	11.10
2009(b)	1st Qtr	448.11	333.67	95.86	152.85	102.72	1,133.21	12.60	11.49	14.69	14.66
	2nd Qtr	343.35	258.75	94.53	150.72	236.75	1,084.10	6.86	6.67	11.70	11.68
	3rd Qtr	261.01	354.13	156.00	120.25	257.32	1,148.71	3.59	3.61	10.23	10.23
	4th Qtr	462.90	369.19	118.00	95.40	212.20	1,257.69	3.57	3.27	7.84	7.84
2010(b)	1st Qtr	271.74	207.26	69.05	80.35	196.30	824.70	5.75	5.22	7.85	7.84
2009(b)	Apr	112.25	73.85	38.53	59.10	57.60	341.33	10.37	9.61	12.67	12.64
	May	120.35	107.50	45.00	46.25	36.05	355.15	5.30	5.46	11.30	11.28
	Jun	110.75	77.40	11.00	45.37	143.10	387.62	4.92	4.94	11.14	11.13
	Jul	81.34	115.44	56.25	50.00	148.87	451.90	3.87	3.80	10.69	10.68
	Aug	118.71	122.80	54.75	43.50	74.00	413.76	4.07	4.20	10.14	10.13
	Sep	60.96	115.89	45.00	26.75	34.45	283.05	2.82	2.84	9.87	9.87
	Oct	108.66	158.42	34.50	47.00	102.45	451.03	2.76	2.37	8.85	8.84
	Nov	204.88	152.96	66.50	26.50	66.00	516.84	4.05	3.70	7.38	7.38
	Dec	149.36	57.81	17.00	21.90	43.75	289.82	3.90	3.74	7.30	7.30
2010(b)	Jan	108.81	50.62	11.75	23.10	63.25	257.53	5.51	4.61	7.57	7.56
	Feb	76.75	61.74	8.50	17.65	49.00	213.64	5.67	5.14	7.84	7.84
	Mar	86.18	94.90	48.80	39.60	84.05	353.53	6.06	5.92	8.13	8.13
	Apr	98.62	31.30	15.00	13.25	67.55	225.72	6.12	5.76	8.18	8.18

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

$f^d = \{[F_t^{t+1} - S_t] / S_t\} * 100 * (12/t)$

Where F_t^{t+1} is the forward rate for period $t+1$ that exists in period t and S_t is the interbank spot rate at period t.

(b) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Monetary Aggregates (M_1 & M_2)

Rs. million

End of Period		CURRENCY Total (a) (1)	Held by Gover-ment (b) (2)	Held by Commercial Banks (3)	Held by Public (1)-(2)-(3) (4)	DEMAND DEPOSITS Total (c) (5)	Held by Govern-ment (d) (6)	Held by Commercial Banks (e) (7)	Held by Public (5)-(6)-(7) (8)	Narrow Money Supply (M_1) (4)+(8) (9)	Quasi Money (10)	Broad Money Supply (M_2) (9)+(10) (f) (11)
2007		173,364	0.5	26,181	147,182	366,164	35,812	210,942	119,409	266,592	881,150	1,147,742
2008		186,099	0.0	31,076	155,023	386,520	24,527	239,693	122,300	277,323	1,004,871	1,282,194
2009		217,430	0.0	35,590	181,840	428,429	22,722	250,837	154,870	336,710	1,200,045	1,536,755
2009	1st Quarter	192,708	0.0	37,402	155,306	285,269	21,991	145,704	117,575	272,881	1,051,823	1,324,704
	2nd Quarter	185,341	0.0	33,541	151,800	292,342	20,879	154,320	117,142	268,943	1,112,035	1,380,978
	3rd Quarter	192,071	0.0	31,833	160,238	348,291	15,849	199,404	133,037	293,275	1,168,065	1,461,339
	4th Quarter	217,430	0.0	35,590	181,840	428,429	22,722	250,837	154,870	336,710	1,200,045	1,536,755
2010	1st Quarter	240,246	0.0	39,038	201,208	410,173	18,329	230,301	161,543	362,752	1,238,212	1,600,964
2009	March	192,708	0.0	37,402	155,306	285,269	21,991	145,704	117,575	272,881	1,051,823	1,324,704
	April	191,342	0.0	38,840	152,502	295,535	21,559	155,854	118,122	270,623	1,072,911	1,343,535
	May	189,939	0.0	34,481	155,458	287,434	22,013	149,150	116,272	271,730	1,088,530	1,360,260
	June	185,341	0.0	33,541	151,800	292,342	20,879	154,320	117,142	268,943	1,112,035	1,380,978
	July	187,714	0.0	32,434	155,280	343,189	21,330	200,049	121,810	277,090	1,134,608	1,411,698
	August	192,018	0.0	33,816	158,201	357,798	21,199	209,296	127,304	285,505	1,150,045	1,435,550
	September	192,071	0.0	31,833	160,238	348,291	15,849	199,404	133,037	293,275	1,168,065	1,461,339
	October	197,217	0.0	32,410	164,806	371,037	22,994	218,308	129,735	294,542	1,166,803	1,461,345
	November	200,621	0.0	31,515	169,106	401,962	21,312	236,224	144,426	313,531	1,183,473	1,497,004
	December	217,430	0.0	35,590	181,840	428,429	22,722	250,837	154,870	336,710	1,200,045	1,536,755
2010	January	221,238	0.0	36,571	184,666	422,525	20,203	247,233	155,089	339,755	1,211,989	1,551,744
	February	221,149	0.0	29,596	191,554	432,901	18,692	264,867	149,342	340,896	1,224,491	1,565,387
	March	240,246	0.0	39,038	201,208	410,173	18,329	230,301	161,543	362,752	1,238,212	1,600,964

(a) Total amount of currency, including subsidiary notes and coins issued by the Central Bank.

(b) Currency held by the Treasury and the Kachcheries.

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

(d) Government demand deposits with the commercial banks and the Central Bank.

(e) Inter bank deposits both local and foreign, including deposits of international organisations and commercial banks with the Central Bank.

(f) M_2 is defined as M_1 plus time and savings deposits of the public held with commercial banks.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR **TABLE 53**

Monetary Survey (Domestic Banking Units)[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period	Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities): Narrow Money Supply (M_1) (c) (1)	Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities): Broad Money Supply (M_2) (3)+(14)-(15) (2)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Total (4)+(5) (3)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Monetary Authorities (4)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Commercial Banks (5)	Domestic Assets: Monetary Authorities: Net Claims on Govt.(d) (7)-(8) (6)	Domestic Assets: Monetary Authorities: Claims on Govt. (7)	Domestic Assets: Monetary Authorities: Deposits of Govt. (8)	Domestic Assets: Commercial Banks: Net Claims on Govt. (10)-(11) (d)(e) (9)	Domestic Assets: Commercial Banks: Claims on Govt. (10)	Domestic Assets: Commercial Banks: Deposits of Govt. (11)	Domestic Assets: Commercial Banks: Credit to Public Corporations (12)	Domestic Assets: Commercial Banks: Credit to Co-op & Other Private Sector (13)	Domestic Assets: Gross Domestic Credit (6)+(9)+(12)+(13) (14)	Net Other Liabilities: Total (16)+(17) (15)	Net Other Liabilities: Monetary Authorities (16)	Net Other Liabilities: Commercial Banks (e) (17)	Reserve Money (RM) (18)	Money Multiplier (19): M_1/RM	Money Multiplier (19): M_2/RM
2007	266,592	1,147,742	225,989	292,927	-66,938	101,079	102,492	1,413	160,575	199,321	38,746	11,659	1,029,993	1,303,305	381,552	220,639	160,913	264,419	1.01	4.34
2008	277,323	1,282,194	88,760	148,157	-59,397	217,352	218,582	1,231	254,488	281,871	27,384	15,085	1,095,416	1,582,340	388,906	179,395	209,511	268,425	1.03	4.78
2009	336,710	1,536,755	358,554	412,202	-53,648	109,005	111,331	2,326	404,838	432,297	27,459	73,233	1,043,782	1,630,858	452,657	303,756	148,901	303,537	1.11	5.06
2009 Q1	272,881	1,324,704	36,781	95,555	-58,775	284,359	285,565	1,206	306,129	330,959	24,831	29,306	1,079,421	1,699,215	411,292	187,193	224,099	266,351	1.02	4.97
Q2	268,943	1,380,978	72,785	153,482	-80,697	254,690	256,275	1,585	398,966	425,878	26,912	37,366	1,051,787	1,742,808	434,615	222,817	211,798	262,561	1.02	5.26
Q3	293,275	1,461,339	271,732	347,081	-75,349	69,906	71,387	1,481	452,734	475,820	23,085	70,390	1,031,735	1,624,765	435,158	224,902	210,256	274,521	1.07	5.32
Q4	336,710	1,536,755	358,554	412,202	-53,648	109,005	111,331	2,326	404,838	432,297	27,459	73,233	1,043,782	1,630,858	452,657	303,756	148,901	303,537	1.11	5.06
2010 1Q	362,752	1,600,964	342,106	430,553	-88,447	100,666	102,861	2,196	451,581	474,264	22,683	74,352	1,084,297	1,710,896	452,037	290,927	161,111	328,853	1.10	4.87
2009 Mar	272,881	1,324,704	36,781	95,555	-58,775	284,359	285,565	1,206	306,129	330,959	24,831	29,306	1,079,421	1,699,215	411,292	187,193	224,099	266,351	1.02	4.97
Apr	270,624	1,343,535	38,464	107,750	-69,286	279,348	280,645	1,297	347,242	372,425	25,183	31,127	1,067,512	1,725,229	420,159	195,743	224,416	261,177	1.04	5.14
May	271,730	1,360,260	59,391	121,145	-61,754	278,485	279,907	1,423	349,525	375,160	25,635	37,681	1,061,829	1,727,519	426,650	209,677	216,973	268,603	1.01	5.06
Jun	268,943	1,380,978	72,785	153,482	-80,697	254,690	256,275	1,585	398,966	425,878	26,912	37,366	1,051,787	1,742,808	434,615	222,817	211,798	262,561	1.02	5.26
Jul	277,090	1,411,698	110,179	188,297	-78,117	242,015	243,564	1,549	418,756	446,716	27,960	39,781	1,040,144	1,740,697	439,178	242,580	196,598	275,591	1.01	5.12
Aug	285,505	1,435,550	229,997	310,768	-80,771	121,638	123,231	1,593	465,177	493,620	28,443	36,132	1,030,992	1,653,939	448,386	240,373	208,012	276,597	1.03	5.19
Sep	293,275	1,461,339	271,732	347,081	-75,349	69,906	71,387	1,481	452,734	475,820	23,085	70,390	1,031,735	1,624,765	435,158	224,902	210,256	274,521	1.07	5.32
Oct	294,542	1,461,345	341,147	417,363	-76,217	81,011	83,015	2,004	403,960	432,440	28,481	70,649	1,024,434	1,580,054	459,856	301,141	158,715	288,830	1.02	5.06
Nov	313,531	1,497,004	368,908	421,674	-52,766	89,330	91,284	1,954	394,984	421,283	26,299	73,447	1,034,025	1,591,787	463,690	310,367	153,323	288,164	1.09	5.19
Dec	336,710	1,536,755	358,554	412,202	-53,648	109,005	111,331	2,326	404,838	432,297	27,459	73,233	1,043,782	1,630,858	452,657	303,756	148,901	303,537	1.11	5.06
2010 Jan	339,755	1,551,744	356,465	420,163	-63,698	102,799	105,112	2,313	435,222	460,352	25,130	72,883	1,048,698	1,659,601	464,322	301,699	162,624	309,190	1.10	5.02
Feb	340,896	1,565,387	335,493	408,847	-73,354	132,105	134,346	2,241	428,461	451,894	23,433	73,613	1,063,957	1,698,135	468,242	319,757	148,484	310,809	1.10	5.04
Mar	362,752	1,600,964	342,106	430,553	-88,447	100,666	102,861	2,196	451,581	474,264	22,683	74,352	1,084,297	1,710,896	452,037	290,927	161,111	328,853	1.10	4.87

(a) Includes assets/liabilities of National Development Bank which merged with NDB Bank Ltd., with effect from August 2005.

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

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

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

(e) Restructuring bonds worth Rs.19,392.6 million, which were issued by the government to the two state banks, have been converted to Treasury bonds upon their maturity in October 2006. This amount, which previously appeared under Other Assets has been included in Net Credit to Government since October 2006.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TABLE 54

Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

End of Period		ASSETS: International Reserves: Cash and Bank Balances Abroad including Treasury bills (1)	Foreign Government and Non-Governmental Securities (a) (b) (2)	Special Drawing Rights (3)	IMF Related Assets (c) (4)	Receivables (d) (5)	Total (6)	Domestic Assets: Loans and Advances to Government (7)	Loans and Advances to Other (e) (8)	Government and Government Guaranteed Securities (f) (9)	Other Assets and Accounts (10)	Total Assets or Liabilities (11)	International Reserve as a percentage of Currency and Deposit Liabilities (12)
2007		174,043.9	194,106.5	740.2	71,159.3	277.1	440,327.0	60,679.2	2,093.7	41,813.2	17,022.3	561,935.4	106.6
2008		177,766.2	94,720.6	220.9	72,179.0	125.2	345,011.9	76,307.7	1,577.3	142,274.5	33,198.7	598,370.1	77.2
2009		232,705.4	376,410.9	2,286.3	74,223.5	32.7	685,658.9	73,880.5	1,136.6	37,451.0	23,745.8	821,872.8	104.2
2009	1st Qtr	117,729.7	37,426.9	173.5	71,303.0	41.0	226,674.1	87,572.5	1,577.3	197,992.6	48,703.7	562,520.2	60.3
	2nd Qtr	187,304.7	18,397.1	163.2	73,878.0	29.5	279,772.5	86,312.1	1,572.8	169,963.0	39,576.7	577,197.1	73.0
	3rd Qtr	351,389.3	191,100.4	3,329.1	75,623.3	31.8	621,473.9	67,468.0	1,292.0	3,919.0	53,826.4	747,979.3	112.9
	4th Qtr	232,705.4	376,410.9	2,286.3	74,223.5	32.7	685,658.9	73,880.5	1,136.6	37,451.0	23,745.8	821,872.8	104.2
2010	1st Qtr	261,960.5	335,502.6	1,957.5	71,930.7	32.4	671,383.6	82,545.3	1,860.5	20,316.0	155,200.4	834,022.4	103.5
2009	April	140,817.6	30,856.0	209.2	74,491.4	70.2	246,444.4	87,571.0	1,576.8	193,074.4	32,698.8	561,365.3	64.6
	May	139,474.8	31,466.1	177.5	73,691.2	81.8	244,891.4	87,525.9	1,572.8	192,381.5	36,746.5	563,118.1	64.9
	June	187,304.7	18,397.1	163.2	73,878.0	29.5	279,772.5	86,312.1	1,572.8	169,963.0	39,576.7	577,197.1	73.0
	July	213,879.5	44,547.0	59.1	74,202.3	13.9	332,701.9	87,538.7	1,292.8	156,025.0	38,992.9	616,551.3	78.9
	August	334,384.9	78,727.1	55,128.6	74,746.6	23.4	543,010.6	87,694.2	1,293.8	35,537.0	47,669.9	715,205.4	106.4
	September	351,389.3	191,100.4	3,329.1	75,623.3	31.8	621,473.9	67,468.0	1,292.0	3,919.0	53,826.4	747,979.3	112.9
	October	323,386.7	286,431.9	2,639.8	75,882.8	29.7	688,370.8	75,474.4	1,291.8	7,540.0	41,828.9	814,506.0	110.8
	November	336,087.5	307,430.5	2,374.9	76,654.1	40.7	722,587.8	75,390.2	1,336.7	15,894.0	29,736.7	844,945.4	109.6
	December	232,705.4	376,410.9	2,286.3	74,223.5	32.7	685,658.9	73,880.5	1,136.6	37,451.0	23,745.8	821,872.8	104.2
2010	Janunary	299,221.0	343,439.4	2,281.7	74,073.9	34.0	719,050.1	87,451.4	1,861.6	17,661.0	49,801.3	875,825.4	105.3
	February	304,189.5	385,017.3	1,982.8	72,862.1	53.3	764,105.1	87,486.4	1,860.5	46,860.0	30,993.8	931,305.8	100.3
	March	261,960.5	335,502.6	1,957.5	71,930.7	32.4	671,383.6	82,545.3	1,860.5	20,316.0	57,917.1	834,022.4	103.5
	April	307,344.8	347,991.0	1,285.4	71,551.4	40.9	728,213.5	87,323.7	1,860.0	21,221.0	46,836.1	885,454.4	103.4

(a) The balance sheet data of the Central Bank from January 2002 is based on the International Accounting Standards (IAS). Accordingly, foreign securities of the Central Bank have been valued at current market prices since January 2002. These data prior to January 2002 are according to local books at cost or face value whichever is less.

(b) Includes securities acquired from government institutions.

(c) According to IAS, the amount of Sri Lanka's quota with the IMF has been taken into the Central Bank's balance sheet.

(d) According to IAS, balance sheet of the CBSL is prepared on accrual basis and receivables show interest receivables on foreign securities.

(e) From February 1975, loans and advances to other include amounts granted under the Medium and Long-term Credit Fund. Credit provided under "Susahana" Refinance Credit Scheme is included from December 2005.

(f) According to IAS, government and government guaranteed securities are at fair value basis since January 2002.

(Contd.)

TABLE 54 *(Contd.)*

Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

End of Period	LIABILITIES													
	Capital Accounts			Currency Issue			Securities Outstanding (g)	Deposits						Other Liabilities and Accounts
	Capital	Surplus	Total	Notes in Circulation	Coins in Circulation	Total		Government	Govt. Agencies and Institutions	Commercial Banks	International Organisations, Foreign Govts. and Foreign Banking Institutions	Others	Total	
	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)
2007	15.0	985.0	1,000.0	168,781.7	4,582.0	173,363.7	0.0	1,413.4	2.7	91,053.0	147,407.2	2.3	239,878.6	147,693.1
2008	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	181,307.1	4,791.8	186,098.9	0.0	1,230.5	15.1	82,311.2	177,294.6	7.1	260,858.5	126,412.6
2009	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	212,172.7	5,257.2	217,429.8	78,799.7	2,326.0	22.0	86,086.0	273,481.0	2.8	440,717.5	138,725.4
2009 Q1	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	187,857.4	4,850.5	192,707.9	0.0	1,206.2	13.0	73,630.1	108,101.5	4.5	182,955.3	161,857.0
Q2	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	180,430.7	4,910.5	185,341.2	0.0	1,585.0	14.0	77,206.0	119,188.0	3.8	197,996.8	168,859.1
Q3	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	187,089.6	4,981.3	192,070.8	0.0	1,481.0	14.0	82,436.0	274,408.0	7.1	358,346.1	172,562.4
Q4	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	212,172.7	5,257.2	217,429.8	78,799.7	2,326.0	22.0	86,086.0	273,481.0	2.8	440,717.5	138,725.4
2010 Q1	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	234,930.9	5,315.5	240,246.4	76,780.2	2,196.0	45.0	88,561.0	240,839.0	5.4	408,426.5	160,349.5
2009 Apr	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	186,473.1	4,868.8	191,341.9	0.0	1,297.1	12.9	69,821.8	118,895.7	3.9	190,031.4	154,992.0
May	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	185,052.4	4,886.9	189,939.2	0.0	1,422.9	13.1	78,650.7	107,088.3	5.0	187,180.0	160,998.9
Jun	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	180,430.7	4,910.5	185,341.2	0.0	1,585.0	14.0	77,206.0	119,188.0	3.8	197,996.8	168,859.1
Jul	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	182,781.9	4,931.7	187,713.6	0.0	1,549.0	18.0	87,860.0	144,471.0	2.5	233,900.5	169,937.2
Aug	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	187,060.1	4,957.5	192,017.6	0.0	1,593.0	15.0	84,564.0	232,258.0	3.2	318,433.2	179,754.7
Sep	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	187,089.6	4,981.3	192,070.8	0.0	1,481.0	14.0	82,436.0	274,408.0	7.1	358,346.1	172,562.4
Oct	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	192,103.1	5,113.6	197,216.7	59,468.6	2,004.0	17.0	91,597.0	271,011.0	4.5	424,102.1	168,187.2
Nov	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	195,391.7	5,229.0	200,620.8	68,071.5	1,954.0	17.0	87,527.0	300,931.0	3.8	458,504.2	160,820.4
Dec	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	212,172.7	5,257.2	217,429.8	78,799.7	2,326.0	22.0	86,086.0	273,481.0	2.8	440,717.5	138,725.4
2010 Jan	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	215,965.8	5,271.7	221,237.5	72,565.3	2,313.0	26.0	87,926.0	298,907.0	5.3	461,742.6	167,845.3
Feb	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	215,860.2	5,289.1	221,149.3	93,312.6	2,241.0	46.0	89,614.0	355,271.0	7.3	540,491.9	144,664.6
Mar	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	234,930.9	5,315.5	240,246.4	76,780.2	2,196.0	45.0	88,561.0	240,839.0	5.4	408,426.5	160,349.5
Apr	25,000.0	0.0	25,000.0	239,289.3	5,356.5	244,645.8	91,757.5	2,194.0	48.0	80,311.0	285,081.0	4.4	459,395.9	156,412.7

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Assets and Liabilities of Commercial Banks[a]

Rs. million

End of Period		ASSETS: Cash on 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: Govt. of Sri Lanka Obligations: Treasury bills	Investments: Govt. of Sri Lanka Obligations: Treasury bonds (b)	Investments: Govt. of Sri Lanka Obligations: Government Securities	Investments: Other Investments (c)	Loans and Advances: Bills Purchased and Discounted: Local	Loans and Advances: Bills Purchased and Discounted: Imports	Loans and Advances: Bills Purchased and Discounted: Exports	Loans and Advances: Over drafts	Loans and Advances: Loans	Loans and Advances: Total	Fixed and Other Assets (b)(d)	Total Assets or Liabilities	% of Liquid Assets to Demand Deposits (e)	% of Loans & Adv. to Total Deposits
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
2007		26,181	93,319	27,904	15,139	199,122	62,049	50,116	54,913	44,170	111	10,160	16,151	246,873	757,443	1,030,737	187,051	1,790,700	286.6	78.9
2008		31,076	84,432	21,649	12,799	197,624	75,643	74,933	69,160	29,930	68	19,481	16,533	286,702	823,659	1,146,442	204,254	1,947,940	326.0	81.3
2009		35,590	88,047	18,800	27,893	236,081	144,393	158,481	63,317	110,316	17	16,127	14,233	246,205	860,834	1,137,416	210,022	2,230,356	377.9	68.0
2009	1st Quarter	37,402	75,638	18,332	9,219	206,811	70,002	114,416	68,881	28,785	34	23,691	12,031	296,039	828,621	1,160,415	211,271	2,001,172	378.1	80.1
	2nd Quarter	33,541	80,016	19,613	8,598	207,652	106,312	147,855	72,924	32,399	34	27,754	12,207	295,126	824,616	1,159,738	221,212	2,089,861	435.1	75.6
	3rd Quarter	31,833	85,034	25,457	13,437	219,892	173,005	151,192	71,719	31,884	32	32,145	15,069	256,894	847,635	1,151,776	222,628	2,177,858	462.5	71.2
	4th Quarter	35,590	88,047	18,800	27,893	236,081	144,393	158,481	63,317	110,316	17	16,127	14,233	246,205	860,834	1,137,416	210,022	2,230,356	377.9	68.0
2010	1st Quarter	39,038	91,091	21,625	12,999	196,385	162,495	153,432	96,119	113,439	86	20,103	14,482	274,856	877,033	1,186,559	207,043	2,280,224	361.7	69.9
2009	March	37,402	75,638	18,332	9,219	206,811	70,002	114,416	68,881	28,785	34	23,691	12,031	296,039	828,621	1,160,415	211,271	2,001,172	378.1	80.1
	April	38,840	73,015	14,969	8,939	207,668	83,175	134,075	72,343	30,480	23	24,966	11,037	287,480	829,583	1,153,089	217,577	2,034,171	398.2	77.6
	May	34,481	80,196	17,415	8,149	217,034	91,381	131,176	70,073	31,435	22	27,123	11,122	285,752	829,559	1,153,578	219,470	2,054,388	417.6	76.8
	June	33,541	80,016	19,613	8,598	207,652	106,312	147,855	72,924	32,399	34	27,754	12,207	295,126	824,616	1,159,738	221,212	2,089,861	435.1	75.6
	July	32,434	89,992	23,038	7,383	205,936	124,419	153,440	72,731	31,251	50	29,406	13,431	284,360	823,657	1,150,904	220,956	2,112,483	441.6	73.5
	August	33,816	87,583	17,050	7,487	207,860	158,569	156,910	71,133	31,014	66	30,662	14,206	284,295	820,719	1,149,949	219,256	2,140,628	452.3	72.4
	September	31,833	85,034	25,457	13,437	219,892	173,005	151,192	71,719	31,884	32	32,145	15,069	256,894	847,635	1,151,776	222,628	2,177,858	462.5	71.2
	October	32,410	92,327	22,585	12,270	239,820	162,683	144,068	57,895	88,114	48	17,227	15,188	250,501	851,601	1,134,564	211,522	2,198,258	444.9	69.2
	November	31,515	90,760	19,015	27,757	239,640	152,586	134,559	57,471	97,772	54	15,785	15,558	260,582	847,722	1,139,700	214,275	2,205,051	399.2	69.2
	December	35,590	88,047	18,800	27,893	236,081	144,393	158,481	63,317	110,316	17	16,127	14,233	246,205	860,834	1,137,416	210,022	2,230,356	377.9	68.0
2010	January	36,571	87,426	15,452	12,847	214,981	163,158	152,427	70,290	107,499	55	18,806	13,987	281,620	849,791	1,164,259	206,316	2,231,224	379.6	69.9
	February	29,596	91,406	10,959	14,805	202,870	149,067	140,421	80,107	127,523	42	18,998	14,174	294,021	859,003	1,186,240	199,577	2,232,569	372.7	70.9
	March	39,038	91,091	21,625	12,999	196,385	162,495	153,432	96,119	113,439	86	20,103	14,482	274,856	877,033	1,186,559	207,043	2,280,224	361.7	69.9

Note : The number of reporting banks were 23 until January 2006, and 22 from October 2008.

(Contd.)

(a) Includes assets / liabilities of National Development Bank which merged with NDB Bank Ltd., with effect from August 2005.

(b) Restructuring bonds worth Rs.19,392.6 million, which were issued by the government to the two state banks, have been converted to Treasury bonds upon their maturity in October 2006. This amount, which previously appeared under Other Assets has been included in Treasury bonds since October 2006.

(c) Includes Central Bank securities and DFCC Bonds.

(d) Fixed and other assets consists of banks' property, furniture, fittings and sundries (commission, interest receivable *etc*.).

(e) 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. With effect from 18 May 1998, Treasury bonds are considered as part of liquid assets of commercial banks. 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.

Assets and Liabilities of Commercial Banks[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period		LIABILITIES														
		Paid up Capital Reserve Fund and Undistributed Profits	Demand Deposits					Time and Savings Deposits			Total Deposits			Borrowings		Other Liabili-ties
			Inter-Bank		Govern-ment of Sri Lanka	Resident Consti-tuents	Non-Resident Consti-tuents	Govern-ment of Sri Lanka	Resident Consti-tuents	Non-Resident Consti tuents	Demand	Time and Savings	Total	Domestic Inter-Bank (f)	Foreign	
			Domes-tic	Fore-ign												
		(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
2007		168,506	231	2,778	34,399	119,407	2,946	4,347	881,150	262,104	159,760	1,147,602	1,307,362	87,369	14,383	213,081
2008		183,184	362	2,706	23,297	122,285	5,037	4,087	1,004,871	247,923	153,687	1,256,881	1,410,567	107,054	17,889	229,247
2009		191,017	902	4,222	20,396	154,849	3,914	7,063	1,200,045	281,495	184,283	1,488,603	1,672,886	88,998	14,331	263,124
2009	1st Quarter	183,518	627	1,768	20,784	117,562	2,721	4,046	1,051,823	249,901	143,461	1,305,771	1,449,232	105,294	23,226	239,902
	2nd Quarter	180,335	3,980	1,817	19,294	117,129	3,196	7,618	1,112,035	272,521	145,415	1,392,174	1,537,589	91,520	23,023	257,393
	3rd Quarter	183,347	7,711	2,507	14,369	133,023	3,216	8,716	1,168,065	288,198	160,825	1,464,979	1,625,804	93,276	16,390	259,041
	4th Quarter	191,017	902	4,222	20,396	154,849	3,914	7,063	1,200,045	281,495	184,283	1,488,603	1,672,886	88,998	14,331	263,124
2010	1st Quarter	200,134	464	5,295	16,133	161,498	4,274	6,550	1,238,212	266,451	187,664	1,511,213	1,698,878	91,295	23,294	266,624
2009	March	183,518	627	1,768	20,784	117,562	2,721	4,046	1,051,823	249,901	143,461	1,305,771	1,449,232	105,294	23,226	239,902
	April	180,542	1,957	2,319	20,262	118,109	3,159	4,921	1,072,911	264,735	145,806	1,342,568	1,488,374	101,125	17,777	246,354
	May	181,028	3,190	1,742	20,590	116,259	3,289	5,046	1,088,530	266,516	145,070	1,360,091	1,505,161	104,404	18,362	245,433
	June	180,335	3,980	1,817	19,294	117,129	3,196	7,618	1,112,035	272,521	145,415	1,392,174	1,537,589	91,520	23,023	257,393
	July	181,366	5,186	2,234	19,781	121,792	3,176	8,179	1,134,608	275,297	152,168	1,418,084	1,570,252	91,745	16,779	252,342
	August	181,308	6,253	2,465	19,605	127,289	3,134	8,838	1,150,045	276,478	158,746	1,435,361	1,594,107	87,410	20,760	257,043
	September	183,347	7,711	2,507	14,369	133,023	3,216	8,716	1,168,065	288,198	160,825	1,464,979	1,625,804	93,276	16,390	259,041
	October	186,504	577	2,745	20,990	129,719	4,734	7,491	1,166,803	307,688	158,764	1,481,982	1,640,746	89,444	16,057	265,507
	November	186,852	631	2,679	19,358	144,409	4,000	6,941	1,183,473	285,361	171,077	1,475,775	1,646,853	87,838	15,923	267,585
	December	191,017	902	4,222	20,396	154,849	3,914	7,063	1,200,045	281,495	184,283	1,488,603	1,672,886	88,998	14,331	263,124
2010	January	192,886	3,582	4,238	17,890	155,063	3,903	7,240	1,211,989	266,456	184,675	1,485,685	1,670,360	85,250	18,070	264,660
	February	194,784	678	3,808	16,451	149,297	3,928	6,982	1,224,491	267,775	174,162	1,499,248	1,673,409	89,133	14,887	260,355
	March	200,134	464	5,295	16,133	161,498	4,274	6,550	1,238,212	266,451	187,664	1,511,213	1,698,878	91,295	23,294	266,624

(f) Includes Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Assets and Liabilities of Offshore Banking Units (OBUs)

Rs. million

End of Period		ASSETS								LIABILITIES								Total Assets/ Liabilities
		Non-Residents		Residents						Non-Residents		Residents						
		Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Commercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enterprises	Other Approved	Other Assets	Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Commercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enterprises	Other Approved	Other Liabilities	
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
2007		18,220	51,410	1,397	10,583	1,708	151,056	153,425	26,121	7,624	110,339	11	122,894	19,267	73,797	4,696	75,291	413,919
2008		29,813	22,173	1,453	7,193	4,741	169,637	145,521	23,403	10,956	96,953	19,573	108,302	23,779	65,704	3,947	74,722	403,935
2009		28,713	60,625	1,843	1,058	149	149,619	127,271	5,177	19,446	73,447	0	75,168	19,168	67,432	6,822	112,973	374,456
2009	1st Qtr	31,411	47,292	1,542	5,327	2,353	152,199	145,120	7,421	12,425	87,354	15,009	101,779	24,725	72,502	6,619	72,253	392,666
	2nd Qtr	31,853	48,456	1,851	4,955	4,439	141,178	128,946	7,582	13,475	80,664	5,746	104,518	19,506	68,954	6,822	69,577	369,260
	3rd Qtr	30,567	62,095	1,850	4,497	883	147,287	126,409	7,070	24,837	88,175	0	98,944	22,500	64,834	6,677	74,690	380,658
	4th Qtr	28,713	60,625	1,843	1,058	149	149,619	127,271	5,177	19,446	73,447	0	75,168	19,168	67,432	6,822	112,973	374,456
2010	1sr Qtr	29,583	41,590	1,936	5,246	11	149,000	127,318	4,265	22,503	79,319	0	26,549	21,278	66,966	6,657	135,676	358,948
2009	Mar	29,718	47,384	1,479	6,409	4,002	151,990	139,470	10,068	10,816	83,718	17,272	103,203	23,229	78,846	5,911	67,524	390,520
	April	31,411	47,292	1,542	5,327	2,353	152,199	145,120	7,421	12,425	87,354	15,009	101,779	24,725	72,502	6,619	72,253	392,666
	May	31,007	49,395	1,476	6,613	5,442	143,149	131,663	8,348	14,101	77,761	12,462	102,381	20,184	75,133	4,111	70,779	377,093
	Jun	31,853	48,456	1,851	4,955	4,439	141,178	128,946	7,582	13,475	80,664	5,746	104,518	19,506	68,954	6,822	69,577	369,260
	July	31,166	59,016	1,851	6,122	3,530	144,438	125,128	5,191	14,465	84,538	0	104,319	21,072	73,840	6,549	71,661	376,444
	Aug	29,600	53,764	1,850	6,286	5,041	144,158	125,887	7,783	56,874	51,820	0	95,045	21,283	66,944	8,020	74,383	374,370
	Sep	30,567	62,095	1,850	4,497	883	147,287	126,409	7,070	24,837	88,175	0	98,944	22,500	64,834	6,677	74,690	380,658
	Oct	29,397	92,604	1,850	5,971	668	150,073	121,848	6,449	24,175	73,786	0	97,581	20,045	67,531	6,861	118,882	408,861
	Nov	29,749	56,460	1,846	5,597	4,577	151,309	121,328	5,770	18,991	70,013	0	77,841	21,314	68,245	7,006	113,227	376,636
	Dec	28,713	60,625	1,843	1,058	149	149,619	127,271	5,177	19,446	73,447	0	75,168	19,168	67,432	6,822	112,973	374,456
2010	Jan	29,559	61,655	1,944	2,105	157	145,420	123,927	5,004	20,355	87,189	0	52,437	19,551	63,554	7,156	119,530	369,771
	Feb	29,310	41,892	1,942	2,114	68	146,458	126,613	5,168	23,507	72,608	0	27,736	20,086	61,887	6,885	140,858	353,566
	Mar	29,583	41,590	1,936	5,246	11	149,000	127,318	4,265	22,503	79,319	0	26,549	21,278	66,966	6,657	135,676	358,948

Note: 1. An Offshore Banking Unit (OBU) is a unit in a commercial bank, established in terms of Central Bank Circular No. 380 of 2nd May, 1979 which accepts deposits and grants advances in designated foreign currencies from and to –
(a) Non-Residents (b) Commercial Banks (c) Board of Investment (BOI) Enterprises, and (d) Other residents approved by the Central Bank.

2. Assets and Liabilities denominated in foreign currencies have been converted into Sri Lanka Rupees at exchange rates prevailing at the end of the relevant month.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR

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Consolidated Monetary Survey (inclusive of OBUs)[(a)(b)]

Rs. million

End of Period		Broad Money (M_{2b})							Net Foreign Assets (c)				
		Narrow Money (M_1) (d)			Quasi Money (QM) (e)			Total Broad Money (M_{2b}) (3)+(6)	Monetary Authorities	Commercial Banks			Total Net Foreign Assets (8)+(11)
		Currency	Demand Deposits	Total Narrow Money (M_1) (1)+(2)	DBUs	OBUs	Total Quasi Money (4)+(5)			DBUs	OBUs	Total Com. Banks (9)+(10)	
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
2007		147,183	119,409	266,592	1,058,934	78,493	1,137,426	1,404,019	292,927	(16,602)	(48,333)	(64,935)	227,992
2008		155,023	122,300	277,323	1,175,802	69,651	1,245,453	1,522,776	167,730	(14,534)	(55,923)	(70,457)	97,273
2009		181,840	154,870	336,710	1,395,205	74,254	1,469,459	1,806,169	412,203	(6,768)	(3,555)	(10,323)	401,881
2009	1st Quarter	155,306	117,575	272,881	1,223,943	84,757	1,308,700	1,581,581	95,555	(15,753)	(17,432)	(33,186)	62,369
	2nd Quarter	151,800	117,142	268,943	1,301,058	75,776	1,376,834	1,645,776	153,482	(15,732)	(13,830)	(29,562)	123,919
	3rd Quarter	160,238	133,037	293,275	1,371,234	71,511	1,442,745	1,736,020	347,081	(2,867)	(20,351)	(23,218)	323,863
	4th Quarter	181,840	154,870	336,710	1,395,205	74,254	1,469,459	1,806,169	412,203	(6,768)	(3,555)	(10,323)	401,881
2010	1st Quarter	201,208	161,543	362,752	1,415,297	73,623	1,488,920	1,851,671	430,553	(37,557)	(30,649)	(68,206)	362,346
2009	March	155,306	117,575	272,881	1,223,943	84,757	1,308,700	1,581,581	95,555	(15,753)	(17,433)	(33,186)	62,369
	April	152,502	118,122	270,623	1,255,391	79,120	1,334,512	1,605,135	107,750	(14,445)	(21,077)	(35,521)	72,228
	May	155,458	116,272	271,730	1,273,284	79,244	1,352,527	1,624,257	121,145	(1,934)	(11,461)	(13,395)	107,750
	June	151,800	117,142	268,943	1,301,058	75,776	1,376,834	1,645,776	153,482	(15,732)	(13,830)	(29,562)	123,919
	July	155,280	121,810	277,090	1,325,588	80,389	1,405,976	1,683,066	188,297	(12,695)	(8,821)	(21,516)	166,780
	August	158,201	127,304	285,505	1,342,479	74,964	1,417,443	1,702,948	310,768	(11,252)	(25,329)	(36,582)	274,186
	September	160,238	133,037	293,275	1,371,234	71,511	1,442,745	1,736,020	347,081	(2,867)	(20,351)	(23,218)	323,863
	October	164,806	129,735	294,542	1,386,466	74,392	1,460,858	1,755,399	417,363	(13,645)	24,040	10,395	427,759
	November	169,106	144,426	313,531	1,381,679	75,250	1,456,929	1,770,460	421,674	(5,053)	(2,796)	(7,849)	413,825
	December	181,840	154,870	336,710	1,395,205	74,254	1,469,459	1,806,169	412,203	(6,768)	(3,555)	(10,323)	401,881
2010	January	184,666	155,089	339,755	1,390,141	70,710	1,460,851	1,800,606	420,163	(26,540)	(16,330)	(42,870)	377,294
	February	191,554	149,342	340,896	1,405,109	68,771	1,473,880	1,814,776	408,847	(28,237)	(24,912)	(53,150)	355,697
	March	201,208	161,543	362,752	1,415,297	73,623	1,488,920	1,851,671	430,553	(37,557)	(30,649)	(68,206)	362,346

(Contd.)

(a) This monetary survey is based on the aggregated data pertaining to both Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) and Offshore Banking Units (OBUs) of banks operating in Sri Lanka. Definitional changes have been adopted in aggregating DBUs and OBUs data to avoid double counting and misclassification of assets and liabilities. The major changes are:
(1) All DBU placements in OBUs are recorded as domestic assets, while all DBU borrowings from OBUs are recorded as domestic liabilities.
(2) Foreign currency deposits of 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 NRFC deposits are treated as domestic deposit liabilities;
(ii) All RNNFC balances are treated as foreign liabilities;
(iii) All other domestic foreign currency accounts are treated as domestic deposit liabilities.

(b) Includes assets / liabilities of National Development Bank which merged with NDB Bank Ltd., with effect from August 2005.

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

(d) Currency and demand deposits of the public.

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

Consolidated Monetary Survey (inclusive of OBUs)[(a)(f)]

Rs. million

NET DOMESTIC ASSETS

End of Period		Domestic Credit: Claim on Government (net) (f): Monetary Authorities	Commercial Banks: DBUs (g)	Commercial Banks: OBUs	Commercial Banks: Total (14)+(15)	Total Claims on Govt. (13)+(16)	Credit to Public Corporations: DBUs	Credit to Public Corporations: OBUs	Total Credit to Public Corps. (18)+(19)	Credit to the Private Sector: DBUs	Credit to the Private Sector: OBUs	Total Credit to the Private Sector (21)+(22)	Total Domestic Credit (17)+(20)+(23)	Other Items (net): Monetary Authorities and DBUs (g)	Other Items (net): OBUs	Total Other Items (net) (25)+(26) (h)	Total Net Domestic Assets (24)+(27)
		(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
2007		101,079	160,575	112,446	273,022	374,101	11,659	37,508	49,167	1,029,993	154,526	1,184,519	1,607,786	(254,104)	(177,655)	(431,759)	1,176,027
2008		217,352	254,488	111,068	365,556	582,907	15,085	31,905	46,991	1,095,416	172,185	1,267,601	1,897,499	(262,838)	(189,585)	(452,423)	1,445,076
2009		109,005	404,838	125,524	530,362	639,367	73,233	–	73,233	1,043,782	151,366	1,195,148	1,907,748	(304,379)	(199,080)	(503,460)	1,404,288
2009	1st Qtr	284,359	306,129	113,546	419,675	704,033	29,306	23,332	52,638	1,079,421	154,583	1,234,004	1,990,675	(282,253)	(189,271)	(471,524)	1,519,211
	2nd Qtr	254,690	398,966	118,119	517,084	771,774	37,366	8,797	46,163	1,051,787	143,209	1,194,995	2,012,932	(310,557)	(180,519)	(491,075)	1,521,857
	3rd Qtr	69,906	452,734	125,312	578,047	647,953	70,390	–	70,390	1,031,735	148,384	1,180,118	1,898,461	(304,470)	(181,834)	(486,304)	1,412,157
	4th Qtr	109,005	404,838	125,524	530,362	639,367	73,233	–	73,233	1,043,782	151,366	1,195,148	1,907,748	(304,379)	(199,080)	(503,460)	1,404,288
2010	1st Qtr	100,666	451,581	102,925	554,506	655,172	74,352	22,581	96,932	1,084,297	150,811	1,235,108	1,987,213	(325,842)	(172,046)	(497,888)	1,489,325
2009	Mar	284,359	306,129	113,546	419,675	704,033	29,306	23,332	52,638	1,079,421	154,583	1,234,004	1,990,675	(282,193)	(189,271)	(471,464)	1,519,211
	Apr	279,348	347,242	118,406	465,648	744,996	31,127	24,080	55,207	1,067,512	154,834	1,222,346	2,022,549	(292,520)	(197,122)	(489,643)	1,532,907
	May	278,485	349,525	113,893	463,418	741,902	37,681	15,620	53,301	1,061,829	145,299	1,207,128	2,002,331	(301,716)	(184,108)	(485,824)	1,516,507
	Jun	254,690	398,966	118,119	517,085	771,774	37,366	8,797	46,163	1,051,787	143,209	1,194,995	2,012,932	(310,557)	(180,519)	(491,075)	1,521,857
	Jul	242,015	418,756	118,945	537,702	779,717	39,781	4,251	44,032	1,040,144	146,369	1,186,514	2,010,263	(313,620)	(180,357)	(493,977)	1,516,286
	Aug	121,638	465,177	124,556	589,734	711,371	36,132	–	36,132	1,030,992	145,489	1,176,481	1,923,985	(325,470)	(169,752)	(495,223)	1,428,762
	Sep	69,906	452,734	125,312	578,047	647,953	70,390	–	70,390	1,031,735	148,384	1,180,118	1,898,461	(304,470)	(181,834)	(486,304)	1,412,157
	Oct	81,011	403,960	120,720	524,680	605,691	70,649	–	70,649	1,024,434	151,201	1,175,635	1,851,975	(302,764)	(221,570)	(524,334)	1,327,642
	Nov	89,330	394,984	120,048	515,032	604,362	73,447	–	73,447	1,034,025	152,589	1,186,614	1,864,424	(313,197)	(194,591)	(507,788)	1,356,636
	Dec	109,005	404,838	125,524	530,362	639,367	73,233	–	73,233	1,043,782	151,366	1,195,148	1,907,748	(304,379)	(199,080)	(503,460)	1,404,288
2010	Jan	102,799	435,222	118,839	554,060	656,860	72,883	3,437	76,319	1,048,698	147,072	1,195,770	1,928,949	(323,329)	(182,308)	(505,636)	1,423,312
	Feb	132,105	428,461	108,427	536,888	668,993	73,613	16,479	90,092	1,063,957	148,165	1,212,122	1,971,207	(332,740)	(179,388)	(512,128)	1,459,079
	Mar	100,666	451,581	102,925	554,506	655,172	74,352	22,581	96,932	1,084,297	150,811	1,235,108	1,987,213	(325,842)	(172,046)	(497,888)	1,489,325

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

(g) Restructuring bonds worth Rs.19,392.6 million which were issued by the government to the two state banks, have been converted to Treasury bonds upon their maturity in October 2006. This amount, which previously appeared under Other Assets, has been included in Net Credit to Government since October 2006.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 58

Financial Survey (M_4) (a)

Rs. million

End Period		Broad Money (M_4) (a): Currency (c)	Demand Deposits (c)	Quasi Money (d): Commercial Banks: DBUs (c)	Quasi Money (d): Commercial Banks: OBUs	Quasi Money (d): LSBs: RDBs	Quasi Money (d): LSBs: Other	Quasi Money (d): RFCs	Quasi Money (3)+(4)+(5)+(6)+(7)	Broad Money (M_4) (1)+(2)+(8)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Monetary Authorities	Commercial Banks: DBUs and OBUs	LSBs and RFCs	Total Net Foreign Assets (10)+(11)+(12)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
2007	Dec	145,836	110,614	1,050,369	78,493	21,986	266,798	78,202	1,495,848	1,752,298	292,927	-64,935	-23,260	204,732
2008	Dec	153,739	110,479	1,164,047	69,651	25,929	291,253	103,593	1,654,473	1,918,690	148,157	-70,457	-21,508	56,192
2009	Dec	179,928	141,200	1,383,567	74,254	30,914	350,332	119,797	1,958,864	2,279,992	412,203	-10,323	-23,734	378,146
2009	1st Qtr	153,523	105,642	1,212,621	84,757	27,102	304,354	98,250	1,727,084	1,986,250	95,555	-33,186	-21,597	40,772
	2nd Qtr	149,958	103,386	1,288,417	75,776	28,706	313,732	105,209	1,811,841	2,065,185	153,482	-29,562	-21,349	102,571
	3rd Qtr	158,530	117,687	1,358,016	71,511	29,956	335,434	113,545	1,908,461	2,184,678	347,081	-23,218	-22,418	301,445
	4th Qtr	179,928	141,200	1,383,567	74,254	30,914	350,332	119,797	1,958,864	2,279,992	412,203	-10,323	-23,734	378,146
2010	1st Qtr	198,715	150,139	1,404,019	73,623	31,433	360,930	124,071	1,994,077	2,342,930	430,553	-68,206	-24,007	338,340
2009	Mar	153,523	105,642	1,212,621	84,757	27,102	304,354	98,250	1,727,084	1,986,250	95,555	-33,186	-21,597	40,772
	Apr	150,676	106,221	1,243,181	79,120	27,552	309,486	98,656	1,757,995	2,014,892	107,750	-35,522	-21,571	50,657
	May	153,542	104,590	1,261,172	79,244	27,696	309,567	100,350	1,778,028	2,036,161	121,145	-13,395	-21,855	85,895
	Jun	149,958	103,386	1,288,417	75,776	28,706	313,732	105,209	1,811,841	2,065,185	153,482	-29,562	-21,349	102,571
	Jul	153,384	104,276	1,310,056	80,389	29,252	319,031	109,322	1,848,051	2,105,710	188,297	-21,516	-21,479	145,302
	Aug	156,368	109,629	1,324,717	74,964	29,430	326,224	111,806	1,867,141	2,133,138	310,768	-36,581	-22,518	251,669
	Sep	158,530	117,687	1,358,016	71,511	29,956	335,434	113,545	1,908,461	2,184,678	347,081	-23,218	-22,418	301,445
	Oct	162,718	110,943	1,373,441	74,392	30,667	343,623	116,013	1,938,137	2,211,798	417,363	10,395	-24,386	403,372
	Nov	167,349	129,071	1,370,138	75,250	30,903	347,368	118,097	1,941,756	2,238,177	421,674	-7,849	-24,434	389,391
	Dec	179,928	141,200	1,383,567	74,254	30,914	350,332	119,797	1,958,864	2,279,992	412,203	-10,323	-23,734	378,146
2010	Jan	182,219	143,871	1,379,592	70,710	31,114	354,162	120,958	1,956,535	2,282,625	420,163	-42,870	-23,883	353,410
	Feb	188,957	138,096	1,392,730	68,771	31,380	357,939	122,373	1,973,193	2,300,246	408,847	-53,149	-23,998	331,700
	Mar	198,715	150,139	1,404,019	73,623	31,433	360,930	124,071	1,994,077	2,342,930	430,553	-68,206	-24,007	338,340

Note :

(Contd.)

DBUs - Domestic Banking Units

OBUs - Offshore Banking Units

LSBs - Licensed Specialised Banks include Regional Development Banks, DFCC Bank, National Savings Bank, State Mortgage & Investment Bank, Ceylinco Savings Bank, SANASA Development Bank, HDFC Bank, SME Bank, NDB Housing Bank, Lankaputhra Development Bank and Sri Lanka Savings Bank. The SME Bank merged with Lankaputhra Development Bank in January 2008. Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka acquired a majority stake in Ceylinco Savings Bank Ltd. in July 2009. The name of which was subsequently changed to MBSL Savings Bank Ltd.

RDBs - Regional Development Banks

RFCs - Registered Finance Companies

Financial Survey (M_4) [(a)]

Rs. million

NET DOMESTIC ASSETS — Domestic Credit

End Period		Claim on Government (net) (e): Monetary Authorities	Commercial Banks: DBUs	Commercial Banks: OBUs	LSBs: RDBs	LSBs: Other	RFCs	Total Claim on Govt. (14)+(15)+(16)+(17)+(18)+(19)
		(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)
2007	Dec	101,079	160,575	112,446	1,456	180,999	8,826	565,381
2008	Dec	217,352	254,488	111,068	1,523	198,754	11,422	794,607
2009	Dec	109,005	404,838	125,524	2,884	257,559	10,756	910,566
2009	1st Qtr	284,359	306,129	113,546	1,534	213,056	6,406	925,030
	2nd Qtr	254,690	398,966	118,119	1,283	219,700	6,603	999,360
	3rd Qtr	69,906	452,734	125,312	1,084	240,438	8,688	898,163
	4th Qtr	109,005	404,838	125,524	2,884	257,559	10,756	910,566
2010	1st Qtr	100,666	451,581	102,925	3,703	261,864	11,923	932,662
2009	Mar	284,359	306,129	113,546	1,534	213,056	6,406	925,030
	Apr	279,348	347,242	118,406	1,533	216,552	5,826	968,907
	May	278,485	349,525	113,893	1,383	218,559	6,495	968,340
	Jun	254,690	398,966	118,119	1,283	219,700	6,603	999,360
	Jul	242,015	418,756	118,945	873	224,025	5,623	1,010,236
	Aug	121,638	465,177	124,556	1,102	230,261	4,975	947,710
	Sep	69,906	452,734	125,312	1,084	240,438	8,688	898,163
	Oct	81,011	403,960	120,720	1,760	249,396	9,979	866,826
	Nov	89,330	394,984	120,048	2,428	256,423	10,291	873,504
	Dec	109,005	404,838	125,524	2,884	257,559	10,756	910,566
2010	Jan	102,799	435,222	118,839	3,849	260,604	11,587	932,900
	Feb	132,105	428,461	108,427	3,795	260,699	12,188	945,675
	Mar	100,666	451,581	102,925	3,703	261,864	11,923	932,662

End Period		Credit to Public Corporations: Commercial Banks DBUs and OBUs	LSBs and RFCs	Total Credit to Public Corps. (21)+(22)	Credit to Private Sector: Commercial Banks DBUs	Commercial Banks OBUs	LSBs: RDBs	LSBs: Other	RFCs	Total Credit to Private Sector (24)+(25)+(26)+(27)+(28)	Total Domestic Credit (20)+(23)+(29)	Total Other Items (net)	Total Net Domestic Assets (30)+(31)
		(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)
2007	Dec	49,167	0	49,167	1,029,993	154,526	24,234	172,974	98,382	1,480,109	2,094,657	-547,092	1,547,565
2008	Dec	46,990	8	46,998	1,095,416	172,185	27,677	177,724	114,815	1,587,817	2,429,422	-566,924	1,862,497
2009	Dec	73,233	7	73,240	1,043,782	151,366	29,468	187,190	118,289	1,530,094	2,513,901	-612,054	1,901,847
2009	1st Qtr	52,638	31	52,669	1,079,421	154,583	28,152	182,176	111,650	1,555,983	2,533,682	-588,204	1,945,478
	2nd Qtr	46,163	20	46,183	1,051,787	143,209	28,427	187,324	114,599	1,525,345	2,570,888	-608,273	1,962,615
	3rd Qtr	70,390	20	70,410	1,031,735	148,384	28,348	189,760	115,010	1,513,236	2,481,809	-598,576	1,883,233
	4th Qtr	73,233	7	73,240	1,043,782	151,366	29,468	187,190	118,289	1,530,094	2,513,901	-612,054	1,901,847
2010	1st Qtr	96,933	27	96,960	1,084,297	150,811	32,054	194,253	123,508	1,584,923	2,614,545	-609,954	2,004,591
2009	Mar	52,638	31	52,669	1,079,421	154,583	28,152	182,176	111,650	1,555,983	2,533,682	-588,204	1,945,478
	Apr	55,207	10	55,217	1,067,512	154,834	28,200	184,468	110,369	1,545,383	2,569,507	-605,272	1,964,235
	May	53,301	18	53,319	1,061,829	145,299	28,365	185,574	109,792	1,530,858	2,552,517	-602,252	1,950,265
	Jun	46,163	20	46,183	1,051,787	143,209	28,427	187,324	114,599	1,525,345	2,570,888	-608,273	1,962,615
	Jul	44,032	11	44,043	1,040,144	146,369	28,232	186,629	113,107	1,514,482	2,568,761	-608,355	1,960,406
	Aug	36,132	14	36,146	1,030,992	145,489	28,309	187,924	113,071	1,505,785	2,489,641	-608,171	1,881,471
	Sep	70,390	20	70,410	1,031,735	148,384	28,348	189,760	115,010	1,513,236	2,481,809	-598,576	1,883,233
	Oct	70,649	11	70,660	1,024,434	151,201	28,289	185,086	114,266	1,503,276	2,440,762	-632,336	1,808,427
	Nov	73,447	25	73,472	1,034,025	152,589	28,793	184,311	115,469	1,515,187	2,462,163	-613,378	1,848,786
	Dec	73,233	7	73,240	1,043,782	151,366	29,468	187,190	118,289	1,530,094	2,513,901	-612,054	1,901,847
2010	Jan	76,320	35	76,355	1,048,698	147,072	29,854	188,871	119,684	1,534,179	2,543,435	-614,220	1,929,215
	Feb	90,092	31	90,123	1,063,957	148,165	30,926	191,678	121,298	1,556,023	2,591,821	-623,274	1,968,546
	Mar	96,933	27	96,960	1,084,297	150,811	32,054	194,253	123,508	1,584,923	2,614,545	-609,954	2,004,591

(a) This financial survey is based on the aggregate data pertaining to Domestic Banking Units (DBUs), Offshore Banking Units (OBUs), Licensed Specialised Banks (LSBs) and Registered Finance Companies (RFCs) operating in Sri Lanka. Definitional changes have been adopted in aggregating DBUs, OBUs, LSBs and RFCs data to avoid double counting and misclassification of assets and liabilities. The major changes are:
 (1) All DBUs placements in OBUs are recorded as domestic assets, while all DBUs borrowings from OBUs are recorded as domestic liabilities.
 (2) Foreign currency deposits of 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 NRFC deposits are treated as domestic deposit liabilities;
  (ii) All 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, Commercial banks (including outward bills), LSBs and RFCs.

(c) Currency, demand deposits and quasi money in DBUs in this table differ from those in table 52 due to the fact that LSBs and RFCs are not treated as public under this broad monetary survey (M_4) definition.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(d) Time and savings deposits of the private sector with commercial banks, LSBs and RFCs.

(e) Credit extended by the monetary authority, DBUs, OBUs, LSBs and RFCs to the Government, net of Government deposits with banks and Government cash deposits.

 TABLE 59

Reserve Position of Commercial Banks[(a)]

Rs. million

Period (b)		Deposits (c) Demand (1)	Deposits (c) Time and Savings (2)	Deposits (c) Other (3)	Deposits (c) Total (1)+(2)+(3) (4)	Required Reserves Against Deposits (d) Demand (5)	Time and Savings (6)	Other (7)	Total Reserves (5)+(6)+(7) (8)	Till Cash (9)	Required Reserves (8) - (9) (10)	Required Reserves Cumulative (10)*7 (11)	Actual Reserves (d) Commercial Banks Deposits with Central Bank (12)	Excess/Deficit on SRR (12) - (11) (13)
2007		162,122	898,833	19,825	1,080,781	16,212	89,883	1,983	108,078	8,259	99,819	698,732	699,413	681
2008		152,133	1,014,598	21,083	1,187,814	11,790	78,631	1,634	92,056	10,493	81,563	570,939	571,469	530
2009		178,313	1,224,822	29,890	1,433,025	12,482	85,738	2,092	100,312	13,038	87,274	610,915	611,801	886
2009	1st Qtr	141,119	1,056,945	23,763	1,221,827	9,878	73,986	1,663	85,528	11,303	74,225	519,577	522,292	2,715
	2nd Qtr	145,799	1,122,418	22,063	1,290,281	10,206	78,569	1,544	90,320	11,673	78,646	550,524	550,774	250
	3rd Qtr	158,948	1,182,804	26,457	1,368,209	11,126	82,796	1,852	95,775	11,082	84,693	592,850	593,314	464
	4th Qtr	178,313	1,224,822	29,890	1,433,025	12,482	85,738	2,092	100,312	13,038	87,274	610,915	611,801	886
2010	1st Qtr	173,933	1,256,931	28,978	1,459,842	12,175	87,985	2,028	102,189	13,185	89,004	623,026	623,527	501
2009	Apr (e)	148,554	1,080,170	22,464	1,251,188	10,399	75,612	1,572	87,583	19,137	68,446	479,123	479,591	467
	May	138,686	1,098,020	22,067	1,258,773	9,708	76,861	1,545	88,114	12,478	75,636	529,454	529,819	364
	Jun	145,799	1,122,418	22,063	1,290,281	10,206	78,569	1,544	90,320	11,673	78,646	550,524	550,774	250
	Jul	150,415	1,141,593	26,257	1,318,265	10,529	79,912	1,838	92,279	11,574	80,704	564,931	565,440	509
	Aug	155,911	1,173,716	27,031	1,356,658	10,914	82,160	1,892	94,966	9,292	85,674	599,719	600,068	350
	Sep	158,948	1,182,804	26,457	1,368,209	11,126	82,796	1,852	95,775	11,082	84,693	592,850	593,314	464
	Oct	158,192	1,200,625	26,434	1,385,252	11,073	84,044	1,850	96,968	9,413	87,555	612,884	613,144	260
	Nov	163,146	1,213,329	28,201	1,404,676	11,420	84,933	1,974	98,327	8,934	89,394	625,756	626,036	281
	Dec	178,313	1,224,822	29,890	1,433,025	12,482	85,738	2,092	100,312	13,038	87,274	610,915	611,801	886
2010	Jan	180,887	1,235,399	29,992	1,446,279	12,662	86,478	2,099	101,239	12,294	88,945	622,616	623,000	384
	Feb	168,499	1,242,486	29,990	1,440,975	11,795	86,974	2,099	100,868	9,306	91,563	640,938	641,589	650
	Mar	173,933	1,256,931	28,978	1,459,842	12,175	87,985	2,028	102,189	13,185	89,004	623,026	623,527	501
	Apr	192,376	1,276,550	29,402	1,498,328	13,466	89,358	2,058	104,883	25,227	79,656	557,595	558,073	478

* The contents and format of this table have been revised.

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 computational methods have been published in the Appendix table on the 'Reserve Position of Commercial Banks' in the Annual Reports prior to 2003.

(b) Reserve data are for the last reserve week of each month. The required reserves recorded in the table refer to the cumulative reserves for the week, while commercial bank deposits with the Central Bank are the cumulative deposits for that particular reserve week. Excess/Deficit on SRR is the difference between the cumulative SRR for the reserve week and cumulative deposits of the commercial banks for the week.

(c) Excludes interbank deposits.

(d) With effect from 03 April 2003, the basis of computing the Statutory Reserve Requirement (SRR) was changed from deposit liabilities and vault cash balances at the close of business on Wednesday of the previous reserve week, to the average of deposit liabilities and vault cash balances during the week ending Tuesday of the previous reserve week.

(e) SRR, which waas 10 per cent with effect from 19 October 2001 was reduced to 9.25 per cent with effect from 17 October 2008.

TABLE 60

Currency Issue of the Central Bank (by Denomination)

Rs. million

End of Period		Currency issue (a)	NOTES									COINS										
			Rs. 2,000/- (b)	Rs. 1,000/- (b)	Rs. 500/- (b)	Rs. 200/- (b)	Rs. 100/-	Rs. 50/-	Rs. 20/- (b)	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)
2007		173,364	40,162	95,290	14,988	221	11,269	3,015	1,892	1,875	168,782	424	2,225	703	522	182	120	39	23	6	4	4,582
2008		186,099	54,189	93,189	15,693	175	11,416	2,773	1,899	1,904	181,307	405	2,372	762	540	183	120	39	23	6	4	4,792
2009		217,430	72,652	101,922	18,171	176	12,255	3,052	2,068	1,807	212,173	447	2,501	811	574	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,257
2009	1st Qtr	192,708	57,705	95,144	16,684	172	11,323	2,863	1,955	1,943	187,857	402	2,409	777	549	183	120	39	23	6	4	4,851
	2nd Qtr	185,341	56,636	89,267	16,111	169	11,305	2,902	2,013	1,959	180,431	413	2,438	788	557	183	121	39	23	6	4	4,911
	3rd Qtr	192,071	61,531	91,334	15,820	158	11,412	2,934	2,000	1,832	187,090	436	2,468	798	564	184	121	39	23	6	4	4,981
	4th Qtr	217,430	72,652	101,922	18,171	176	12,255	3,052	2,068	1,807	212,173	447	2,501	811	574	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,257
2010	1st Qtr	240,246	84,779	111,092	19,100	237	12,414	3,219	2,204	1,817	234,931	466	2,520	823	583	185	121	39	23	6	4	5,315
2009	April	191,342	56,050	93,194	18,313	171	11,740	2,966	1,998	1,971	186,473	402	2,420	781	552	183	120	39	23	6	4	4,869
	May	189,939	57,396	91,550	17,276	171	11,656	2,940	2,008	1,987	185,052	402	2,431	785	555	183	120	39	23	6	4	4,887
	June	185,341	56,636	89,267	16,111	169	11,305	2,902	2,013	1,959	180,431	413	2,438	788	557	183	121	39	23	6	4	4,911
	July	187,714	58,423	89,963	16,054	159	11,325	2,891	2,006	1,892	182,782	421	2,447	791	559	184	121	39	23	6	4	4,932
	August	192,018	60,556	91,787	16,204	158	11,411	2,987	2,019	1,867	187,060	430	2,457	794	561	184	121	39	23	6	4	4,957
	September	192,071	61,531	91,334	15,820	158	11,412	2,934	2,000	1,832	187,090	436	2,468	798	564	184	121	39	23	6	4	4,981
	October	197,217	64,085	93,102	16,348	156	11,538	2,960	2,021	1,824	192,103	437	2,480	803	567	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,114
	November	200,621	65,393	94,775	16,539	156	11,663	2,975	2,001	1,821	195,392	441	2,491	807	570	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,229
	December	217,430	72,652	101,922	18,171	176	12,255	3,052	2,068	1,807	212,173	447	2,501	811	574	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,257
2010	January	221,238	74,961	103,023	18,198	269	12,436	3,084	2,112	1,813	215,966	451	2,507	814	576	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,702
	February	221,149	74,945	103,180	17,922	266	12,416	3,136	2,112	1,816	215,860	453	2,514	819	579	184	121	39	23	6	4	5,289
	March	240,246	84,779	111,092	19,100	237	12,414	3,219	2,204	1,817	234,931	466	2,520	823	583	185	121	39	23	6	4	5,315
	April	244,646	86,056	108,657	23,323	258	13,296	3,484	2,316	1,829	239,289	486	2,532	828	586	185	121	39	23	6	4	5,357

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 4th August 1980, Rs.1,000/- from 23rd December 1981, Rs.500/- from 9th February 1982, Rs.200 from 4th February 1998 and Rs.2,000/- from 17th October 2006.

(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 April 2010.

(d) Includes coins of the denomination of Rs.100, Rs.500 Rs.1,000, Rs.5,000 and other coins. As at end April 2010, the value of Rs.100 coins, Rs.500 coins, Rs.1,000 coins and Rs.5,000 coins stands at Rs.2.0 million, Rs.20.8 million, Rs.249.0 million and Rs.22.9 million, respectively. The total value of other coins, as at end April 2010, stands at Rs.251.69 million.

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 61

Money Rates(a)

Per cent per annum

End of Period		Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Bank Rate (b)	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Overnight Repo Rate	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Overnight Reverse Repo Rate	Fixed Deposits 3 Months Max.	Fixed Deposits 3 Months Min.	Fixed Deposits 6 Months Max.	Fixed Deposits 6 Months Min.	Fixed Deposits 12 Months Max.	Fixed Deposits 12 Months Min.	Fixed Deposits 24 Months Max.	Fixed Deposits 24 Months Min.	Savings Deposits Max.	Savings Deposits Min.	AWDR (c)	Secured by Stock in Trade Max.	Secured by Stock in Trade Min.	Secured by Immo-vable Property Max.	Secured by Immo-vable Property Min.	Secured by Others Max.	Secured by Others Min.	Un-Secured Max.	Un-Secured Min.	Bills Purchased and Discounted Max.	Bills Purchased and Discounted Min.	AWPR (d)	Over-night SLIBOR (e)	Call Market Rate Min.	Call Market Rate Max.	Call Market Rate Ave.
2007		15.00	10.50	12.00	19.50	8.50	19.25	6.50	20.00	8.50	20.00	13.00	16.50	3.00	10.31	30.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	35.00	6.00	37.43	6.00	25.50	7.10	17.00	21.75	16.00	40.00	24.99
2008		15.00	10.50	12.00	20.00	9.50	19.00	13.00	20.25	8.50	23.00	13.00	16.50	3.00	11.63	30.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	38.00	6.00	39.00	6.00	26.50	6.00	19.17	13.74	13.25	20.00	14.66
2009		15.00	10.50	12.00	20.00	8.50	19.00	6.50	19.00	8.50	19.50	13.00	16.50	3.00	10.58	30.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	35.00	6.00	37.58	6.00	25.50	7.10	18.94	13.83	12.50	13.75	13.26
2009	1st Qtr	15.00	10.25	11.75	19.50	9.00	19.50	12.00	19.50	8.50	20.50	13.00	16.50	3.00	11.53	30.00	10.00	30.33	10.00	38.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	6.00	18.96	11.29	10.50	13.25	11.21
	2nd Qtr	15.00	8.50	11.00	19.00	7.00	18.50	11.00	19.00	8.00	19.00	11.00	13.50	1.50	11.12	29.00	10.00	27.33	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	6.00	16.20	9.60	9.13	10.38	9.52
	3rd Qtr	15.00	8.00	10.50	19.00	5.50	18.25	9.25	19.00	8.00	19.00	10.00	12.50	1.50	10.34	29.00	10.00	26.00	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	4.28	13.10	9.40	7.50	10.00	8.93
	4th Qtr	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	3.00	18.00	6.00	22.00	7.25	21.00	7.00	10.50	1.50	8.01	30.00	9.50	30.00	9.15	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	24.00	4.58	11.12	9.03	8.00	9.05	9.01
2010	1st Qtr	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	5.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	6.50	21.00	6.75	10.50	1.50	7.22	25.00	9.25	28.00	9.15	30.00	6.00	36.00	6.00	23.00	5.00	10.54	9.07	8.50	9.25	8.98
2009	April	15.00	9.00	11.75	19.50	7.50	19.50	12.00	19.50	8.50	20.50	13.00	16.50	3.00	11.52	30.00	10.00	30.33	10.00	38.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	6.00	18.90	9.80	9.00	11.25	9.64
	May	15.00	9.00	11.50	19.50	7.50	19.50	12.00	19.50	8.00	20.50	12.75	15.00	1.50	11.43	29.00	10.00	27.33	10.00	33.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	6.00	17.75	10.27	10.00	11.00	10.30
	June	15.00	8.50	11.00	19.00	7.00	18.50	11.00	19.00	8.00	19.00	11.00	13.50	1.50	11.12	29.00	10.00	27.33	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	6.00	16.20	9.60	9.13	10.38	9.52
	July	15.00	8.50	11.00	19.00	7.00	18.25	10.50	19.00	8.00	19.00	11.00	13.50	1.50	10.98	29.00	10.00	27.33	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	4.28	15.00	9.80	9.00	10.20	9.46
	August	15.00	8.50	11.00	19.00	6.50	18.25	10.00	19.00	8.00	19.00	10.50	13.00	1.50	10.84	29.00	10.00	27.33	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	27.00	4.28	14.12	9.88	8.00	10.50	9.18
	September	15.00	8.00	10.50	19.00	5.50	18.25	9.25	19.00	8.00	19.00	10.00	12.50	1.50	10.34	29.00	10.00	26.00	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.50	4.28	13.10	9.40	7.50	10.00	8.93
	October	15.00	8.00	10.50	19.00	3.00	18.25	5.50	19.00	7.75	21.00	7.75	12.50	1.50	9.76	30.00	10.00	30.00	10.00	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	26.00	4.58	12.64	9.24	8.00	9.50	9.20
	November	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	3.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	7.25	21.00	7.00	12.50	1.50	8.51	30.00	9.75	30.00	9.50	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	24.00	4.58	11.79	9.06	8.40	9.50	8.75
	December	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	3.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	7.25	21.00	7.00	10.50	1.50	8.01	30.00	9.50	30.00	9.15	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	24.00	4.58	11.12	9.03	8.00	9.05	9.01
2010	January	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	5.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	7.00	21.00	7.00	10.50	1.50	7.73	30.00	9.50	30.00	9.15	29.00	6.00	40.80	6.00	24.00	5.00	10.99	9.04	9.00	9.38	9.11
	February	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	5.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	6.50	21.00	7.00	10.50	1.50	7.40	25.00	9.80	28.00	9.15	29.00	6.00	36.00	6.00	23.00	5.00	10.83	9.01	8.50	9.25	9.11
	March	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	5.00	18.00	6.00	19.00	6.50	21.00	6.75	10.50	1.50	7.22	25.00	9.25	28.00	9.15	30.00	6.00	36.00	6.00	23.00	5.00	10.54	9.07	8.50	9.25	8.98
	April	15.00	7.50	9.75	19.00	5.50	18.00	6.00	19.00	6.50	21.00	6.75	10.50	1.50	7.13	25.00	9.03	28.00	9.15	30.00	6.00	36.00	6.00	23.00	5.00	10.66	9.06	8.75	9.10	9.02

Note: Columns from Fixed Deposits through AWDR are Commercial Banks' Deposit Rates; columns from Secured by Stock in Trade through Call Market Rate are Commercial Banks' Rates on Advances (Loans and Overdrafts: Secured by, Un-Secured, Bills Purchased and Discounted).

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

(b) This is the rate at which the Central Bank grants advances to commercial banks for temporary liquidity purposes. With effect from 04 January 1991, the rate was increased to 17 per cent from 15.5 per cent. As at end 1999 this rate was 16 per cent. With effect from 02 October 2000 the rate was increased to 18 per cent and further increased to 25 per cent with effect from 21 November 2000. With effect from 02 July 2001, this rate was brought down to 23 per cent and further reduced to 18 per cent with effect from 27 December 2001. On 15 August 2003, the rate was reduced to 15 per cent.

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

(d) The Average Weighted Prime lending Rate is estimated weekly by the Central Bank based on commercial banks' lending rates offered to their prime customers during the week. These monthly figures are average values of estimated weekly rates.

(e) 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 Paper

Per cent per annum / Rs. million

End of Period		Primary Market Operations: Weighted Average Yield Rates: Treasury bills 91 Days	182 Days	364 Days	Trasury bonds (a) 2 Years	3 Years	4 Years	5 Years	6 Years	Rupee Securities (b)	Secondary Market Operations (c): Trading Volumes: Treasury bills: Outright Transactions Pur-chased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Repur-chased	Treasury bonds: Outright Transactions Pur-chased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Repur-chased	Yield Rates (d): Treasury bills <= 91 days	<=182 days	<=364 days	Treasury bonds <=1 year	1+ yrs.	2+ yrs.	3+ yrs.	4+ yrs.	5+ yrs.
2007		21.30	19.99	19.96	–	–	–	–	–	18.40(e)	28,866	55,750	100,828	186,757	1,230	2,145	47,923	53,080	20.37	20.13	20.11	–	19.34	–	–	–	–
2008		17.33	18.57	19.12	20.53	20.34	20.34	–	–	18.40(e)	11,440	27,133	85,823	14,794	67,311	45,967	186,852	73,858	–	18.36	19.03	19.79	21.06	–	–	–	–
2009		7.73	8.73	9.33	9.55	–	9.78	–	–	14.00(f)	8,596	32,857	69,902	23,505	9,355	10,357	251,208	90,155	7.78	8.78	9.58	9.58	10.00	10.88	11.08	12.08	–
2009	1st Qtr	14.62	16.16	16.63	16.92	16.99	16.91	–	–	14.00(f)	13,135	42,097	57,243	10,937	22,218	34,450	200,087	45,018	14.86	16.40	16.88	–	–	–	–	–	–
	2nd Qtr	11.41	12.03	12.34	–	–	13.50	–	11.75	14.00(f)	20,187	37,648	60,484	12,859	24,443	24,783	180,356	60,454	11.48	12.38	12.45	12.45	12.88	12.98	12.95	13.08	13.13
	3rd Qtr	9.70	10.72	11.17	–	–	11.35	11.44	11.35	14.00(f)	25,824	61,979	161,019	7,872	69,277	77,876	327,472	61,904	9.43	10.55	11.05	11.05	11.90	11.95	11.13	11.27	11.45
	4th Qtr	7.73	8.73	9.33	9.55	–	9.78	–	9.92	14.00(f)	8,596	32,857	69,902	23,505	9,355	10,357	251,208	90,155	7.78	8.78	9.58	9.58	10.00	10.88	11.08	12.08	–
2010	1st Qtr	8.52	9.24	9.47	–	–	–	–	–	14.00(f)	18,783	57,906	65,838	15,596	10,066	12,231	223,567	65,536	8.49	9.23	9.50	9.63	10.65	11.02	11.85	12.03	–
2009	Apr	12.65	13.95	14.05	13.32	13.73	13.63	–	13.49	14.00(f)	12,569	32,239	61,142	24,743	32,342	35,151	210,318	69,840	12.63	12.90	13.50	–	–	13.43	13.50	13.50	13.63
	May	12.04	13.14	13.40	13.31	–	13.60	–	13.47	14.00(f)	20,074	46,965	36,617	11,127	19,086	22,277	187,615	56,240	–	12.93	13.13	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Jun	11.41	12.03	12.34	13.31	–	12.96	–	13.07	14.00(f)	20,187	37,648	60,484	12,859	24,443	24,783	180,356	60,454	11.48	12.38	12.45	12.45	12.88	12.98	12.95	13.08	13.13
	Jul	10.64	11.46	11.97	–	12.83	12.88	12.94	–	14.00(f)	13,482	45,201	273,210	7,524	27,878	29,416	241,742	68,601	10.60	11.55	11.95	11.95	12.53	12.73	12.75	12.80	12.90
	Aug	10.57	11.43	11.98	12.50	–	12.88	–	13.00	14.00(f)	18,226	41,750	36,471	6,775	116,828	122,335	155,285	39,465	10.45	11.40	12.08	12.08	12.40	12.83	12.83	13.03	13.10
	Sep	9.70	10.72	11.17	–	–	11.35	11.44	11.35	14.00(f)	25,824	61,979	161,019	7,872	69,277	77,876	327,472	61,904	9.43	10.55	11.05	11.05	11.90	10.95	11.13	11.27	11.45
	Oct	8.50	9.35	9.88	9.55	–	9.78	–	9.92	14.00(f)	16,289	42,874	51,683	11,309	50,665	51,530	231,342	38,924	8.03	9.13	9.63	9.63	9.68	9.78	9.76	9.95	–
	Nov	7.25	8.33	9.17	–	–	–	–	–	14.00(f)	14,301	55,840	54,612	13,460	20,856	26,660	253,362	96,195	7.18	8.33	9.25	9.25	9.85	10.60	10.80	11.08	–
	Dec	7.73	8.73	9.33	9.55	–	9.78	–	–	14.00(f)	8,596	32,857	69,902	23,505	9,355	10,357	251,208	90,155	7.78	8.78	9.58	9.58	10.00	10.88	11.08	12.08	–
2010	Jan	7.95	8.90	9.46	9.55	–	9.78	–	9.92	14.00(f)	12,562	41,991	45,299	28,105	12,883	18,313	189,317	58,986	7.93	8.94	9.50	9.53	10.45	10.70	11.78	11.85	–
	Feb	8.26	9.06	9.47	–	–	–	–	–	14.00(f)	18,609	42,526	48,413	35,350	12,668	14,274	184,147	54,241	8.15	9.05	9.45	9.48	10.38	10.68	11.70	12.00	–
	Mar	8.52	9.24	9.47	–	–	–	–	–	14.0 (f)	18,783	57,906	65,838	15,596	10,066	12,231	223,567	65,536	8.49	9.23	9.50	9.63	10.65	11.02	11.85	12.03	–
	Apr	8.40	9.10	9.40	9.60	9.65	–	–	–	14.0 (f)	9,932	32,225	49,231	8,751	11,713	10,794	260,574	70,254	8.40	9.18	9.30	9.25	9.35	9.63	10.15	10.50	_

(a) Issue of Treasury bonds commenced in March 1997.
(b) The yields on Rupee Loans are administratively determined and not market determined unlike the yields on Treasury bills and Treasury bonds.
(c) The secondary market information is based on data provided by Primary Dealers in Government Securities and is available since October 2000.
(d) Yield rates are averages of bid and offer rates.
(e) Interest with tax for 4 year maturity.
(f) Interest with tax for 2 year maturity.

Note : Treasury bonds are not issued on a regular basis. Hence a continuous series of primary market yield rates is not available.

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

TABLE 63

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 (c)	Private Savings & Development Banks (d)		National Savings Bank	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	DFCC Bank	National Development Bank (NDB) (e)	Private Savings & Development Banks (d)	National Housing Development Authority
		Savings Deposits	Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Savings Certificates (a)	National Savings Certificates (b)	Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Savings Deposits	Fixed Deposits (1 year)						
2007		5.0	15.00	–	15.00	16.00	18.00	6.0-14.0	14.00-18.00	17.00-18.00	15.00-16.50	20.00-25.00	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
2008		5.0	15.00	–	15.00	20.00	18.00	6.0-14.0	17.00-20.00	19.00-20.00	23.00-24.00	22.50-23.00	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
2009		5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	9.50-10.50	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	14.00-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
2009	1st Quarter	5.0	15.00	–	15.00	18.00	17.50	6.0-14.0	17.00-18.00	19.00-20.00	20.00-24.00	22.50-24.00	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
	2nd Quarter	5.0	14.00	–	14.00	14.00	14.00	6.0-14.0	12.50-15.50	17.00-19.50	17.00-24.00	21.00-21.50	–	12.0-28.0	11.00
	3rd Quarter	5.0	13.00	–	13.00	13.00	13.00	6.0-14.0	10.50-13.50	16.00-18.00	16.50-20.00	18.00-20.00	–	11.0-16.0	11.00
	4th Quarter	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	9.50-10.50	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	14.00-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
2010	1st Qtr	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	10.00	12.00-15.00	16.50-19.00	13.50-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
2009	March	5.0	15.00	–	15.00	18.00	17.50	6.0-14.0	17.00-18.00	19.00-20.00	20.00-24.00	22.50-24.00	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
	April	5.0	15.00	–	15.00	18.00	15.00	6.0-14.0	17.00-18.00	17.00-20.00	20.00-24.00	23.00-23.50	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
	May	5.0	14.00	–	14.00	16.00	15.00	6.0-14.0	13.00-16.50	17.00-19.50	17.00-24.00	23.00-24.00	–	8.0-30.0	11.00
	June	5.0	14.00	–	14.00	14.00	14.00	6.0-14.0	12.50-15.50	17.00-19.50	17.00-24.00	21.00-21.50	–	12.0-28.0	11.00
	July	5.0	14.00	–	14.00	14.00	14.00	6.0-14.0	11.50-14.50	17.00-19.00	17.00-24.00	21.00-22.00	–	11.0-16.0	11.00
	August	5.0	13.00	–	13.00	14.00	13.50	6.0-14.0	11.50-14.50	17.00-19.00	17.00-24.00	19.00-22.00	–	11.0-16.0	11.00
	September	5.0	13.00	–	13.00	13.00	13.00	6.0-14.0	10.50-13.50	16.00-18.00	16.50-20.00	18.00-20.00	–	11.0-16.0	11.00
	October	5.0	12.00	–	12.00	12.00	11.50	4.5-6.0	8.50-9.50	16.00-18.00	16.50-20.00	14.50-19.50	–	11.0-16.0	11.00
	November	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	9.50-10.50	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	13.50-17.50	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
	December	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	9.50-10.50	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	14.00-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
2010	January	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	9.50-10.50	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	14.00-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
	February	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	10.00	12.00-15.00	16.50-20.00	14.00-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00
	March	5.0	9.50	–	9.50	10.00	9.50	4.5-6.0	10.00	12.00-15.00	16.50-19.00	13.50-16.00	–	12.0-16.0	11.00

(a) Rate on ten year certificates. The issue of this certificate is discontinued. The rate reflects the rate on earlier issues.

(b) Issuing National Savings Certificates commenced in October 1997.

(c) DFCC Bank commenced deposit mobilisation in April 1996.

(d) Private savings and development banks include Sanasa Development Bank which was established in October 1997. From 2003 it only includes Sanasa Development Bank.

(e) The minimum rate represents the refinance rate charged under the Small and Medium Scale Industries (SMI) Scheme. NDB became a licensed commercial bank with effect from 01 August 2005.

Sources : NSB
State Mortgage and Investment Bank
DFCC Bank
SANASA Development Bank
National Housing Development Authority
NDB

TABLE 64

Interest Rates of Licensed Commercial Banks (as at end April, 2010)

Per cent per annum

Deposits & Advances / Bank	Bank of Ceylon	Citi Bank, N.A.	Com-mercial Bank of Ceylon PLC	Deut-sche Bank AG	DFCC Vardhana Bank Ltd.	Habib Bank Ltd.	Hatton National Bank PLC	ICICI Bank	Indian Bank	Indian Overseas Bank	Muslim Com-mercial Bank Ltd.	National Develop-ment Bank PLC	Nations Trust Bank PLC	Pan Asia Bank Ltd.	People's Bank	Public Bank Berhad	Sampath Bank Ltd.	Seylan Bank PLC	Stan-dard Chartered Bank PLC	State Bank of India	The Hong-kong & Shanghai Banking Corpo-ration Ltd.	Union Bank of Colombo Ltd.
SELECTED TYPES OF DEPOSITS	**Interest Rates on Deposits – % per annum**																					
Savings Deposits	4.0-5.0	4.0-5.0	4.50-7.25	4.8-9.4	5.0-7.0	4.50	4.50	7.0-9.5	3.5-4.5	4.5	2.0-3.5	4.5-10.0	2.0-10.0	3.0-4.0	4.0-7.0	5.00	4.25-6.375	4.25	1.5-8.2	3.5-8.0	1.5-3.0	5.0-9.0
Annual Effective Rate	4.0-5.0	–	4.594-6.697	4.9-9.8	5.12-7.23	4.59	4.59	7.23-9.92	3.53-4.53	4.534-4.594	2.02-3.56	4.61-10.47	2.02-10.47	3.04-4.08	4.0-7.0	5.12-6.12	4.338-6.5646	4.33	1.5-8.5	3.557-8.300	1.51-3.04	5.12-9.4
Time Deposits - 12 months																						
Interest payble at maturity	9.5-10.5	8.0-9.0	7.25-17.5	7.3	10.00	8.80	7.50	9.50-9.75	8.5-9.5	10.0-11.0	8.00	9.00	8.0-8.5	8.75	9.5	8.5-8.6	8.00	9.00	7.5	8.0	7.25	9.0-9.5
Annual Effective Rate	9.5-10.5	–	7.25-17.5	7.3	10.00	8.80	7.50	9.50-9.75	8.6-9.6	10.461-11.563	8.00	9.00	8.0-8.5	8.75	9.5	8.5-8.6	8.00	9.00	7.5	8.0	7.25	9.0-9.5
Interest payble monthly	8.75-9.75	–	7.25-17.5	–	9.57	–	7.25	9.10-9.35	8.0-9.0	9.0-10.0	–	8.50	7.5-8.0	8.25	8.75	8.25	7.75	8.50	7.8	7.7	7.0	8.0-9.0
Annual Effective Rate	9.11-10.20	–	7.496-18.974	–	10.00	–	7.98	9.49-9.76	–	9.0-10.0	–	8.83	7.76-8.30	8.57	9.11	8.56	8.0313	8.84	8.1	7.978	7.0	8.3-9.38
Certificates of Deposit																						
- One year	–	–	7.5-16.0	–	9.00	–	7.50	–	–	9.0-10.0	8.0-9.0	6.75	8.0-8.5	8.25	6.5	–	8.00	9.00	–	–	–	9.0-9.5
Annual Effective Rate	–	–	7.5-16.0	–	9.00	–	7.50	–	–	9.0-10.0	8.0-9.0	6.86	8.0-8.5	8.25	6.5	–	8.00	9.00	–	–	–	9.0-9.5
NRFC Savings Deposits																						
- US Dollars	1.25	0.25-0.50	1.750-2.622	–	–	1.00	2.00	0.20	2.00-2.25	1.75	1.25	–	1.0-1.5	2.50	2.25	0.25-0.35	2.00	2.00	0.1	2.5	0.015-0.13	2.50
Annual Effective Rate	1.25	0.50	1.762-2.648	–	–	1.00	2.02	0.20	–	1.75	1.26	–	1.00-1.51	2.53	2.25	6.25-0.35	2.0184	2.02	0.1	2.529	0.015-0.13	2.53-2.50
SELECTED TYPES OF ADVANCES	**Interest Rates on Advances – % per annum**																					
Lending to Prime Customers	10.84-14.59	10.25-13.00	6.25	9.8	13.0-16.0	11.03	12.0-15.0	10.98-11.43	12.49-13.5	12.75	10.25-19.00	11.5-15.0	9.15-12.59	14.0	12.21	15.15-20.00	12.42-21.00	11.0-14.0	9.0-13.5	12.0-15.0	17.86	11.08-14.0
Export Bill Finance																						
- Rupee Facilities	12.00	10.25-13.00	9.75	11.4	–	11.03-18.00	12.00-16.75	–	12.49-18.00	13.75	–	12.00-19.75	22.0-25.0	16.0-22.0	17.00	–	9.25-9.50	13.0-18.0	–	15.0-18.0	13.73	–
Import Bill Finance																						
- Rupee Facilities	14.00	10.25-13.00	9.51-24.00	–	16.0-19.0	–	12.00-16.75	–	12.49-18.00	13.75	10.25-21.00	12.00-19.75	10.0-25.0	16.0-22.0	13.50	16.00	18.0-20.0	13.0-19.0	7.9-11.9	15.0-17.5	13.73	10.47-26.50
Lease Finance	18.5-19.5	–	13.00-26.00	–	–	–	14.0-16.0	–	–	–	18.00	15.00-18.25	15.5-19.5	17.0-22.0	–	–	15.50	15.0-22.0	–	–	–	18.0-19.0
Agriculture - short-term																						
(up to one year)	8.0-9.0	–	8.00-12.00	–	–	–	8.0-18.0	–	–	–	9.85	–	–	–	12.0-13.0	–	8.00-12.22	15.0-18.0	–	–	–	–
Residential Housing	12.00	–	11.00-20.00	–	14.59	2.0-7.0	15.0	–	–	–	–	13.0-16.5	16.0-18.0	–	14.0-15.0	14.75-18.00	17.0	15.5-17.0	–	12.0-16.5	13.0-14.0	–
SMI Lending (up to 5 years)	9.00	–	2.00-19.99	–	–	–	6.5-22.0	–	–	–	–	14.0-16.2	–	–	–	–	2.00-16.48	15.0-18.0	–	–	22.58	–
Pawning	14.00	–	14.0-24.0	–	15.50	–	14.0-16.0	–	–	–	–	15.5	15.40	12.5-18.0	14.00	–	14.0	13.5	–	–	–	14.00
US Dollar Loans to Exporters	6.5-12.0	–	1.75-7.25	–	4.35	3.25-6.00	6.5-12.0	5.32	8.00-9.50	4.7806-6.7806	5.24-6.24	5.0-9.0	1.9875-6.000	7.5-8.5	1.82-3.32	–	7.0-8.0	4.0-9.0	1.2-5.5	5.0-7.5	6.5	–
Overdrafts																						
Corporate Lending	10.84-14.59	10.0-15.0	9.00-14.50	9.0-19.0	15.0-18.0	11.03-25.00	12.0-15.0	10.98-11.43	12.49-18.00	12.75-13.75	10.25-19.00	11.50-19.75	9.15-21.75	10.5-20.0	11.0-13.5	8.60-24.00	17.0-18.0	13.0-18.0	8.0-30.0	13.0-17.5	13.73	11.08-20.00
Personal / Retail Lending	14.00	12.0-16.0	9.51-14.24	18.00	15.0-18.0	16.25-25.00	13.5-18.0	10.81-13.77	10.00-23.00	12.75-14.75	19.00-21.50	13.50-19.75	10.00-18.59	17.0-22.0	14.0-15.0	9.73-22.00	18.0-19.0	14.0-19.0	11.0-18.0	12.0-17.5	14.5-20.5	20.00-26.00

Source : Licensed Commercial Banks

TABLE 65

Commercial Banks' Fees and Commissions (as at end December 2009)

A. Foreign Trade Services

Export Services	Maximum	Minimum
LC Advising Charges	Rs. 4,000 US $ 50	Rs. 750 US $ 10
Negotiation of documentary bills	Rs. 50,000 US $ 65 0.5%	Rs. 500 US $ 17.48 0.1%
Bills for collection	Rs. 10,000 US $ 100 0.375%	Rs. 1,000 US $ 15 0.125%
Confirmation of documentary credit	Rs. 10,000 2.00%	Rs. 1,500 0.25%
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 9,500 US $ 105	Rs. 500 US $ 5
Import Services		
Establishing of LCs	Rs. 7,500 US $ 75 0.38%	Rs. 1,500 US $ 20 0.25%
Shipping indemnities	Rs. 15,000 US $ 150 0.5%	Rs. 1,500 US $ 15 0.135%
Import bills for collection	Rs. 50,000 US $ 50 0.5%	Rs. 750 US $ 7.5 0.125%
DC Transmission/ Telex charges	Rs. 3,500 US $ 60	Rs. 1,000 US $ 8.74
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 10,000 US $ 130	Rs. 2,000 US $ 25

B. Foreign Remittances

Inward	Maximum	Minimum
Telegraphic transfers	Rs.5,000 US $ 20	Rs. 100 US $ 2.19
Foreign drafts purchased	Rs. 7,500 US $ 25 0.5%	Rs.50 US $ 2.19 0.135%
Outward		
Telegraphic transfers	Rs. 6,000 US $ 60	Rs. 100 US $ 1
Foreign drafts	Rs. 2,500 US $ 25	Rs. 50 US $ 3
Traveller's Cheques		
Agent's commission	1.0 %	0.5 %
Issuing charges	Rs. 500 1.6 %	Rs. 250 0.5 %
Encashment charges	Rs. 750	Rs. 100
Foreign Currency Accounts		
Inward TTs	Rs. 2,000 US $ 30	Rs. 300 US $ 3
Foreign currency notes	Rs. 2,000 1.0 %	Rs. 150 0.1 %
Traveller's cheques	Rs. 500 US $ 10	Rs. 500 US $ 3

C. Domestic Banking Operations

Current Accounts	Maximum	Minimum
Issuing cheques	Rs. 25 per leaf	Rs. 5 per leaf
Returned cheques		
– for insufficient funds	Rs. 2,500	Rs. 100
– technical objections	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 100
Stopped cheques	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 200
Standing instructions	Rs. 700	Rs. 50
Monthly service charges	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 25
Loans		
Application processing fees	Rs. 75,000	Rs. 100
Inspection charges	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 200
ATM and Credit Cards		
ATM cards – Issuing fee	Rs. 750	Rs. 75
Credit cards –		
Issuing fee	Rs. 6,000	Rs. 200
Renewal fee	Rs. 6,000	Rs. 180

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 charges 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 outward transmission from Sri Lanka would differ, 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
2007		46,147,806	4,296,103	5,943,932	176,189
2008		44,550,009	4,693,035	7,845,835	235,996
2009		40,636,692	4,391,321	9,033,649	278,786
2009	1st Quarter	10,367,139	1,086,392	2,113,606	65,036
	2nd Quarter	9,743,597	1,032,566	2,200,712	65,320
	3rd Quarter	10,157,481	1,117,541	2,261,098	70,675
	4th Quarter	10,368,475	1,154,822	2,458,233	77,756
2010	1st Quarter	10,422,232	1,206,920	2,708,759	76,540
2009	April	3,267,360	345,113	793,771	22,035
	May	2,964,061	323,618	682,100	20,255
	June	3,512,176	363,836	724,841	23,030
	July	3,528,821	392,510	753,010	23,525
	August	3,285,775	356,937	740,747	23,226
	September	3,342,885	368,094	767,341	23,924
	October	3,479,649	399,558	778,344	23,833
	November	3,414,726	364,427	784,205	23,922
	December	3,474,100	390,838	895,684	30,001
2010	January	3,156,105	368,223	831,860	23,287
	February	3,306,005	374,761	789,949	24,741
	March	3,960,122	463,936	1,086,950	28,512
	April	3,222,086	397,052	1,126,754	26,737

(a) SLIPS : Sri Lanka Interbank Payments System

Source : LankaClear (Pvt) Ltd.

TABLE 67

Commercial Bank Debits and Deposits Turnover[(a)]

Rs. million

During the Period		Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts: Total for Period (1)	Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts: Monthly Average (2)	Average Demand Deposits (3)	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (1)/(3) (4)	Rate of Turnover: Month (2)/(3) (5)	Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts: Total for Period (6)	Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts: Average (7)	Average Time Deposits (8)	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (6)/(8) (9)	Rate of Turnover: Month (7)/(8) (10)	Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts: Total for Period (11)	Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts: Average (12)	Average Savings Deposits (13)	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (11)/(13) (14)	Rate of Turnover: Month (12)/(13) (15)
2007		9,918,969.1	826,580.8	125,754.5	78.9	6.57	465,247.6	38,770.6	548,499.9	0.8	0.07	1,584,044.9	132,003.7	500,347.6	3.2	0.26
2008		10,899,604.8	908,300.4	127,351.2	85.6	7.13	491,218.1	40,934.8	662,588.6	0.7	0.06	1,707,735.5	142,311.3	526,794.6	3.2	0.27
2009		10,547,541.4	878,961.8	128,105.1	82.3	6.86	653,341.6	54,445.1	810,515.0	0.8	0.07	1,749,923.5	145,827.0	561,801.3	3.1	0.26
2009	1st Quarter	2,647,408.2	882,469.4	120,702.6	21.9	7.31	156,335.0	52,111.7	745,003.4	0.21	0.07	452,871.8	150,957.3	524,016.8	0.86	0.29
	2nd Quarter	2,630,658.0	876,886.0	120,372.9	21.9	7.28	156,248.1	52,082.7	793,973.9	0.20	0.07	426,348.8	142,116.3	545,576.4	0.78	0.26
	3rd Quarter	2,643,599.6	881,199.9	127,890.7	20.7	6.89	169,463.3	56,487.8	848,605.0	0.20	0.07	416,063.1	138,687.7	566,251.5	0.73	0.24
	4th Quarter	2,625,875.6	875,291.9	143,454.1	18.3	6.10	171,295.1	57,098.4	854,477.6	0.20	0.07	454,639.9	151,546.6	611,360.6	0.74	0.25
2010	1st Quarter	2,608,228.4	869,409.5	158,152.4	16.5	5.50	156,584.7	52,194.9	845,108.0	0.19	0.06	430,750.5	143,583.5	637,440.7	0.68	0.23
2009	April	885,022.3		120,775.2	7.3		52,297.6		773,784.6	0.07		135,213.6		539,286.2	0.25	–
	May	870,345.3		120,407.6	7.2		50,508.8		794,399.2	0.06		149,594.2		546,394.2	0.27	–
	June	875,290.3		119,935.9	7.3		53,441.8		813,737.8	0.07		141,541.0		551,048.8	0.26	–
	July	895,322.5		122,645.8	7.3		56,464.4		834,992.9	0.07		136,884.2		557,818.9	0.25	–
	August	875,051.7		127,695.3	6.9		55,909.6		850,261.4	0.07		139,605.0		563,916.0	0.25	–
	September	873,225.3		133,330.9	6.5		57,089.3		860,560.8	0.10		139,574.0		577,019.6	0.24	–
	October	881,420.7		135,345.4	6.5		59,216.4		863,474.8	0.07		150,993.5		597,486.2	0.25	–
	November	864,501.2		141,430.8	6.1		54,501.8		854,671.1	0.06		154,118.9		611,950.9	0.25	–
	December	879,953.7		153,586.2	5.7		57,576.9		845,286.9	0.07		149,527.5		624,644.7	0.24	–
2010	January	869,430.1		158,864.2	5.5		52,767.2		844,303.2	0.06		144,086.5		630,289.5	0.23	–
	February	867,400.7		156,094.8	5.6		51,653.4		845,450.6	0.06		143,456.5		634,545.8	0.23	–
	March	871,397.6		159,498.2	5.5		52,164.1		845,570.0	0.06		143,207.5		647,486.7	0.22	–
	April (b)	846,630.2		163,383.0	5.2		52,540.3		853,700.6	0.06		157,533.6		659,306.1	0.24	–

(a) This covers debits made to demand, time and savings accounts held by residents and non-residents only.

(b) Provisional

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 Amount	Demand %	Time Amount	Time %	Savings Amount	Savings %	Total Amount	Total %
1. Financial Institutions	Mar '09	9,932	7.5	9,145	1.4	3,542	0.8	22,619	1.9
	Jun '09	8,824	6.8	9,863	1.4	3,310	0.8	21,996	1.7
	Sep '09	8,134	5.7	15,645	2.1	4,099	0.9	27,878	2.1
	Dec '09	14,439	8.5	16,102	2.1	3,447	0.7	33,988	2.3
2. Plantations	Mar '09	1,054	0.8	2,156	0.3	655	0.2	3,865	0.3
	Jun '09	1,033	0.8	1,597	0.2	409	0.1	3,039	0.2
	Sep '09	1,504	1.1	1,453	0.2	678	0.1	3,635	0.3
	Dec '09	1,643	1.0	1,472	0.2	993	0.2	4,108	0.3
3. Trading	Mar '09	8,267	6.3	12,154	1.8	5,750	1.3	26,171	2.1
	Jun '09	7,675	5.9	13,721	1.9	6,482	1.5	27,878	2.2
	Sep '09	8,329	5.9	16,219	2.2	3,894	0.8	28,441	2.1
	Dec '09	10,059	5.9	13,433	1.7	4,831	1.0	28,323	1.9
4. Manufacturing Establishments	Mar '09	6,251	4.8	6,504	1.0	6,863	1.6	19,619	1.6
	Jun '09	5,729	4.4	7,852	1.1	6,635	1.5	20,216	1.6
	Sep '09	7,464	5.3	9,508	1.3	3,705	0.8	20,677	1.5
	Dec '09	10,881	6.4	10,397	1.3	5,978	1.2	27,256	1.9
5. Other Business Institutions	Mar '09	34,400	26.1	92,124	14.0	16,507	3.9	143,031	11.7
	Jun '09	34,385	26.6	83,939	11.8	17,734	4.0	136,058	10.6
	Sep '09	43,494	30.7	89,335	11.9	23,301	5.1	156,130	11.6
	Dec '09	46,630	27.4	81,001	10.4	25,720	5.1	153,350	10.6
6. Non-Business Institutions	Mar '09	15,760	12.0	41,726	6.3	8,888	2.1	66,374	5.5
	Jun '09	15,490	12.0	52,731	7.4	10,338	2.3	78,560	6.1
	Sep '09	17,393	12.3	60,753	8.1	11,418	2.5	89,565	6.6
	Dec '09	20,755	12.2	63,262	8.1	12,879	2.5	96,896	6.7
7. Local Authorities	Mar '09	7,520	5.7	4,576	0.7	598	0.1	12,694	1.0
	Jun '09	4,388	3.4	7,649	1.1	700	0.2	12,738	1.0
	Sep '09	4,154	2.9	7,487	1.0	931	0.2	12,572	0.9
	Dec '09	5,412	3.2	6,023	0.8	975	0.2	12,410	0.9
8. Individuals	Mar '09	48,384	36.8	491,343	74.5	383,668	90.0	923,395	75.8
	Jun '09	51,744	40.0	535,117	75.1	395,232	89.7	982,094	76.6
	Sep '09	51,271	36.2	548,153	73.2	411,005	89.5	1,010,429	74.9
	Dec '09	60,473	35.5	584,592	75.3	451,331	89.2	1,096,395	75.5
9. Total	Mar '09	131,569	100.0	659,728	100.0	426,471	100.0	1,217,768	100.0
	Jun '09	129,268	100.0	712,470	100.0	440,841	100.0	1,282,579	100.0
	Sep '09	141,744	100.0	748,554	100.0	459,029	100.0	1,349,327	100.0
	Dec '09	170,292	100.0	776,281	100.0	506,153	100.0	1,452,726	100.0

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Commercial Bank Advances by Purpose and Maturity[(a)(c)]

Category	End of Period		Short-term Amount (Rs. Mn.) (i)	(i) as % of (iv)	Medium-term Amount (Rs. Mn.) (ii)	(ii) as % of (iv)	Long-term Amount (Rs. Mn.) (iii)	(iii) as % of (iv)	Total Amount (Rs. Mn.) (iv)	(iv) as % of Grand Total
1. Trading	2009	Jun	209,809	59.6	77,803	22.1	64,590	18.3	352,203	28.9
	2009	Sep	222,603	64.9	62,540	18.2	57,777	16.8	342,920	28.1
	2009	Dec	198,652	64.5	56,207	18.3	52,831	17.2	307,689	25.7
	2010	Mar (d)	184,166	59.0	67,174	21.5	61,069	19.5	312,409	25.0
2. Financial	2009	Jun	27,829	44.8	20,767	33.4	13,579	21.8	62,175	5.1
	2009	Sep	22,930	44.3	17,169	33.2	11,620	22.5	51,719	4.2
	2009	Dec	23,028	47.7	14,765	30.6	10,489	21.7	48,282	4.0
	2010	Mar (d)	27,732	50.4	15,474	28.1	11,854	21.5	55,061	4.4
3. Agricultural	2009	Jun	94,885	78.8	13,771	11.4	11,694	9.7	120,350	9.9
	2009	Sep	97,775	78.5	14,993	12.0	11,794	9.5	124,563	10.2
	2009	Dec	100,596	77.5	16,149	12.4	13,108	10.1	129,854	10.8
	2010	Mar (d)	107,615	75.9	19,151	13.5	14,988	10.6	141,754	11.3
4. Industrial(b)	2009	Jun	58,501	54.5	22,007	20.5	26,774	25.0	107,282	8.8
	2009	Sep	58,341	53.3	20,598	18.8	30,442	27.8	109,381	9.0
	2009	Dec	56,268	46.6	24,323	20.2	39,991	33.2	120,583	10.1
	2010	Mar (d)	78,131	57.7	23,569	17.4	33,748	24.9	135,448	10.8
5. Tourism	2009	Jun	8,114	24.5	7,450	22.5	17,533	53.0	33,098	2.7
	2009	Sep	7,745	19.5	7,979	20.0	24,077	60.5	39,801	3.3
	2009	Dec	8,919	21.8	7,258	17.7	24,726	60.5	40,903	3.4
	2010	Mar (d)	8,000	19.1	8,774	21.0	25,083	59.9	41,857	3.3
6. Housing	2009	Jun	12,939	7.7	41,908	25.0	112,957	67.3	167,804	13.8
	2009	Sep	9,784	5.8	43,116	25.6	115,658	68.6	168,558	13.8
	2009	Dec	10,666	6.3	43,756	26.1	113,382	67.6	167,805	14.0
	2010	Mar (d)	10,079	5.8	46,145	26.7	116,369	67.4	172,593	13.8
7. Consumption	2009	Jun	145,377	70.1	33,733	16.3	28,296	13.6	207,406	17.0
	2009	Sep	161,612	73.7	30,177	13.8	27,348	12.5	219,137	18.0
	2009	Dec	175,768	75.1	30,844	13.2	27,459	11.7	234,070	19.5
	2010	Mar (d)	177,771	74.1	36,886	15.4	25,103	10.5	239,761	19.2
8. Services	2009	Jun	28,343	33.8	28,345	33.8	27,165	32.4	83,853	6.9
	2009	Sep	30,460	34.6	28,535	32.4	29,089	33.0	88,084	7.2
	2009	Dec	27,275	36.5	26,038	34.8	21,494	28.7	74,808	6.2
	2010	Mar (d)	26,950	34.8	27,049	35.0	23,382	30.2	77,381	6.2
9. Other Loans	2009	Jun	48,118	57.4	18,852	22.5	16,859	20.1	83,828	6.9
	2009	Sep	34,992	46.4	23,593	31.3	16,861	22.3	75,446	6.2
	2009	Dec	32,719	43.5	27,192	36.1	15,398	20.4	75,309	6.3
	2010	Mar (d)	34,384	46.2	24,518	32.9	15,519	20.9	74,421	6.0
10. Grand Total	2009	Jun	633,914	52.0	264,636	21.7	319,448	26.2	1,217,998	100.0
	2009	Sep	646,242	53.0	248,700	20.4	324,666	26.6	1,219,608	100.0
	2009	Dec	633,891	52.8	246,532	20.6	318,880	26.6	1,199,303	100.0
	2010	Mar (d)	654,830	52.3	268,741	21.5	327,115	26.2	1,250,685	100.0

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Advances include loans, overdrafts and bills discounted and exclude cash items in process of collection.
Maturity Calssification : Less than one year – Short-term; 1 to 5 years – Medium-term; More than 5 years – Long-term

(b) Includes Advances granted for Engineering and Building Trade, Mining and Fishing.

(c) Advances of Offshore Banking Units are included from March 2009.

(d) Provisional

Financial Operations of NDB, DFCC Bank and SMIB

Rs. million

Period		Loans Granted during the Period			Equity Investments in Development Projects		Capital Repayments Received during the Period			Total Loans and Equities outstanding at the end of Period			NDB Refinance Credit		
		NDB	DFCC	SMIB	NDB	DFCC	NDB	DFCC	SMIB	NDB	DFCC	SMIB	Credit Granted during the Period	Capital Repayments during the Period	Total Outstanding at the end of the Period
2007		–	14,228	2,472	–	19,349	–	10,524	981	–	41,054	11,074	–	–	–
2008		–	9,378	3,326	–	324	–	12,856	1,179	–	37,900	13,220	–	–	–
2009		–	8,115	1,561	–	368	–	12,513	1,270	–	33,870	13,511	–	–	–
2009	1st Quarter	–	2,225	525	–	279	–	2,455	250	–	37,949	13,495	–	–	–
	2nd Quarter	–	1,453	359	–	12	–	2,588	247	–	36,826	13,607	–	–	–
	3rd Quarter	–	1,807	350	–	37	–	3,350	316	–	35,319	13,641	–	–	–
	4th Quarter	–	2,630	326	–	41	–	4,120	456	–	33,870	13,511	–	–	–
2010	1st Quarter	–	3,640	404	–	300	–	2,784	328	–	35,027	13,587	–	–	–
2009	March	–	883	165	–	0	–	1,002	85	–	37,949	13,495	–	–	–
	April	–	447	110	–	0	–	727	95	–	37,668	13,510	–	–	–
	May	–	424	118	–	0	–	528	85	–	37,564	13,543	–	–	–
	June	–	583	131	–	12	–	1,332	67	–	36,826	13,607	–	–	–
	July	–	668	133	–	4	–	908	138	–	36,590	13,602	–	–	–
	August	–	636	99	–	32	–	1,096	98	–	36,161	13,603	–	–	–
	September	–	503	119	–	1	–	1,346	81	–	35,319	13,641	–	–	–
	October	–	781	105	–	0	–	1,628	218	–	34,473	13,528	–	–	–
	November	–	466	93	–	0	–	1,135	100	–	33,803	13,521	–	–	–
	December	–	1,383	129	–	41	–	1,357	138	–	33,870	13,511	–	–	–
2010	January	–	951	108	–	–	–	648	91	–	34,173	13,529	–	–	–
	February	–	781	147	–	–	–	977	121	–	33,978	13,555	–	–	–
	March	–	1,908	149	–	300	–	1,159	117	–	35,027	13,587	–	–	–

NDB has merged with NDB Bank (Licensed Commercial Bank) with effect from 01 August 2005.
Therefore, NDB is not considered as a LSB with effect from this date.

Sources : Development Finance Corporation of Ceylon
National Development Bank
State Mortgage and Investment Bank

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 71

Savings and Fixed Deposits of Commercial Banks and Other Licensed Non-Commercial Bank Financial Institutions

Rs. million

End of Period		SAVINGS DEPOSITS							FIXED DEPOSITS								Grand Total
		Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (b)	RDBs	Finance Companies (c)	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Total	Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank (d)	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	DFCC Bank	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (b)	RDBs	Finance Companies	Total	
2007		513,021	74,840	1,954	10,497	1,379	233	601,924	639,806	160,464	6,469	9,295	12,750	11,382	76,823	916,988	1,518,912
2008		521,673	72,447	2,801	11,560	2,751	331	611,564	740,128	187,095	8,998	4,534	14,211	14,201	100,842	1,070,010	1,681,573
2009		634,261	81,238	3,572	13,646	4,465	439	737,620	859,091	231,750	11,048	5,331	16,108	17,100	115,332	1,255,759	1,993,380
2008	1st Quarter	513,581	74,149	2,277	10,676	1,996	262	602,941	650,672	164,414	7,555	5,112	11,467	11,103	83,986	934,307	1,537,248
	2nd Quarter	537,285	74,328	2,383	10,973	2,363	285	627,618	671,510	170,192	7,578	5,902	12,076	12,717	91,557	971,532	1,599,150
	3rd Quarter	542,077	72,585	2,689	11,378	2,694	311	631,732	698,320	178,078	7,966	6,909	11,699	13,489	98,611	1,015,072	1,646,804
	4th Quarter	521,673	72,447	2,801	11,560	2,751	331	611,564	740,128	187,095	8,998	4,534	14,211	14,201	100,842	1,070,010	1,681,573
2010	1st Quarter	654,032	85,755	3,986	14,385	3,568	468	762,193	861,907	236,108	11,314	5,124	17,387	16,861	120,503	1,269,203	2,031,397
2009	March	533,561	73,617	2,788	11,604	2,386	354	624,310	777,088	196,809	9,839	5,308	14,751	15,333	95,864	1,114,993	1,739,302
	April	546,361	74,526	2,856	11,831	2,364	347	638,285	801,071	200,449	10,541	5,094	14,953	15,553	96,292	1,143,952	1,782,236
	May	548,285	74,980	2,928	11,859	2,407	372	640,829	816,654	200,376	10,755	4,259	15,031	15,670	97,944	1,160,689	1,801,518
	June	555,753	75,565	2,985	11,949	2,681	385	649,319	841,264	203,556	10,932	4,240	15,371	16,591	102,528	1,194,482	1,843,800
	July	561,806	76,094	2,951	12,167	2,586	353	655,958	861,108	208,249	10,805	4,399	15,270	16,919	106,736	1,223,486	1,879,444
	August	568,053	76,450	3,011	12,338	2,758	392	663,003	872,119	214,275	10,939	4,555	15,735	16,925	109,048	1,243,597	1,906,600
	September	588,087	77,280	3,093	12,694	2,805	404	684,362	881,694	220,429	10,973	5,976	16,140	17,094	110,740	1,263,046	1,947,408
	October	609,116	78,221	3,267	13,014	2,849	425	706,892	877,650	226,970	10,928	6,154	16,794	17,846	113,164	1,269,147	1,976,039
	November	617,168	80,425	3,427	13,284	3,640	439	718,383	863,373	228,761	10,940	5,634	16,942	17,452	114,456	1,257,558	1,975,941
	December	634,261	81,238	3,572	13,646	4,465	439	737,620	859,091	231,750	11,048	5,331	16,108	17,100	115,332	1,255,759	1,993,380
2010	January	628,327	83,157	3,731	13,878	3,271	442	732,805	862,110	232,599	11,133	5,127	17,115	17,069	117,687	1,262,840	1,995,645
	February	642,827	84,791	3,863	14,101	3,342	445	749,370	861,164	234,349	11,180	5,195	17,250	17,112	119,031	1,265,282	2,014,652
	March *	654,032	85,755	3,986	14,385	3,568	468	762,193	861,907	236,108	11,314	5,124	17,387	16,861	120,503	1,269,203	2,031,397

(a) Figures of commercial banks include deposits of Government, long-term deposits mobilised by the two State Banks under special savings schemes and Foreign Currency deposits.

(b) Other Licensed Specialised Banks include MBSL Savings Bank, HDFC Bank, Sanasa Development Bank, Lankaputhra Development Bank and Sri Lanka Savings Bank.

(c) Finance Companies were allowed to accept savings deposits with effect from 01 February 2005.

(d) Since March 2008 Bulletin, deposits from other savings scheme of NSB have been included in fixed deposits.

* Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TABLE 72

Share Market Developments

Period		Total Turn-over (Rs.mn.)	Daily Average Turn-over (Rs.	Non-National Transactions Purch. Rs.mn.	Non-National Transactions Sales Rs.mn.	Market Capitalisation (Rs. bn.) (a)	SHARE PRICE INDICES (1985 = 100) (a) CSE All Share	CSE Milanka (b)	Finance	Food	Chemicals	Construc-tion	Diversified	Textiles	Health & Care	Hotels	Investment	Information Technology	Property	Manu-facturing	Motors	Oil Palm	Plantations	Power & Energy	Services	Stores	Telecom-munications	Trade
2007		104,985.0	435.6	46,796.8	35,542.5	820.7	2,541.0	3,291.9	5,109.6	3,184.0	2,544.9	723.4	715.3	928.9	335.8	1,335.4	12,248.7	127.2	287.2	1,086.0	2,735.7	20,164.4	722.9	81.2	7,790.6	10,745.6	245.7	2,596.6
2008		110,453.0	464.0	66,632.0	52,682.0	488.8	1,503.0	1,631.3	2,823.4	2,510.1	2,077.7	702.2	363.4	455.6	221.0	951.9	7,625.7	55.6	178.5	955.1	3,127.4	11,739.2	369.9	67.2	5,382.9	8,784.4	117.2	1,142.0
2009		145,955.0	593.6	43,253.0	43,898.7	1,092.1	3,385.6	3,849.4	6,594.7	5,362.8	5,302.2	3,205.6	1,132.8	629.3	419.2	2,842.9	32,250.4	77.5	346.9	2,013.6	7,214.8	41,597.9	635.5	84.4	11034.4	12068.3	158.9	3,878.5
2009	1st Qtr	20,698.3	363.1	6,884.4	4,867.2	533.8	1,638.1	1,736.2	3,151.8	3,007.4	2,306.8	799.9	413.9	498.4	253.6	1,121.2	9,081.1	61.6	206.4	965.6	3,250.9	13,134.4	405.8	69.0	5,303.6	9,215.8	112.2	1,222.8
	2nd Qtr	32,373.0	545.0	9,007.9	11,505.3	775.4	2,432.2	2,721.6	4,833.2	4,047.7	3,478.0	1,409.2	763.0	640.3	328.8	1,923.4	13,933.9	91.4	309.1	1,332.3	3,745.6	17,525.3	589.7	74.1	7,487.3	8,399.1	146.2	1,988.1
	3rd Qtr	19,041.5	952.1	9,728.3	3,567.5	941.5	2,938.6	3,297.4	6,170.2	4,809.9	4,483.9	2,124.4	910.1	667.9	356.2	2,611.6	23,154.1	83.5	341.6	1,620.2	4,190.1	27,093.3	661.4	81.9	11,155.4	9,813.2	149.5	2,969.4
	4th Qtr	55,455.5	895.3	17,436.7	18,973.8	1,092.1	3,385.6	3,849.4	6,594.7	5,362.8	5,302.2	3,205.6	1,132.8	629.3	419.2	2,842.9	32,250.4	77.5	346.9	2,013.6	7,214.8	41,597.9	635.5	84.4	11,034.4	12,068.3	158.9	3,878.5
2010	Q1	88,876	1,538	16,694	29,770	1,211	3,725	4,271	7,257	6,454	5,887	3,926	1,254	698	408	3,410	26,478	81	360	2,354	8,838	40,491	729	87	14,488	17,933	135	8,231
2009	Apr	2,643.9	146.9	393.0	876.5	599.0	1,838.5	1,963.1	3,500.3	3,421.4	2,548.0	943.8	467.3	562.3	288.8	1,271.3	10,384.4	69.5	232.7	1,107.7	3,342.9	13,947.6	462.7	75.1	5,768.1	8,596.7	126.5	1,312.6
	May	13,531.4	751.7	3,919.9	5,836.8	712.1	2,216.0	2,519.8	4,490.2	3,855.7	3,090.3	1,294.9	661.5	633.5	320.5	1,628.5	12,430.4	79.5	277.0	1,274.6	3,889.7	15,013.1	519.1	79.6	7,278.3	8,984.4	134.4	1,688.8
	Jun	16,197.7	736.3	4,695.0	4,792.0	775.4	2,432.2	2,721.6	4,833.2	4,047.7	3,478.0	1,409.2	763.0	640.3	328.8	1,923.4	13,933.9	91.4	309.1	1,332.3	3,745.6	17,525.3	589.7	74.1	7,487.3	8,399.1	146.2	1,988.1
	Jul	9,410.9	427.8	2,880.8	2,347.2	807.5	2,525.7	2,985.9	5,098.3	4,132.3	3,376.9	1,532.0	765.3	617.5	345.3	2,054.5	16,408.6	91.4	308.8	1,424.0	3,638.0	20,684.2	620.1	74.2	8,421.0	8,361.5	150.5	2,175.4
	Aug	8,975.9	448.8	2,408.7	2,584.7	834.9	2,607.7	2,975.7	5,337.6	4,679.2	3,491.2	1,788.3	776.3	641.4	330.9	2,300.5	18,090.2	81.5	305.8	1,446.6	3,512.8	22,723.3	639.9	72.3	8,463.1	8,128.6	136.6	2,594.2
	Sep	19,041.5	952.1	4,438.8	3,567.5	941.5	2,938.6	3,297.4	6,170.2	4,809.9	4,483.9	2,124.4	910.1	667.9	356.2	2,611.6	23,154.1	83.5	341.6	1,620.2	4,190.1	27,093.3	661.4	81.9	11,155.4	9,813.2	149.5	2,969.4
	Oct	19,108.9	868.6	4,683.4	3,344.7	958.7	2,976.9	3,333.8	6,305.2	4,985.0	4,622.2	2,329.7	908.3	629.7	401.8	2,529.9	22,457.7	81.5	335.1	1,680.6	4,266.9	27,963.4	596.8	83.9	10,134.5	9,631.5	152.1	3,143.1
	Nov	12,388.5	619.4	2,733.2	5,088.7	939.2	2,913.4	3,326.1	6,008.2	4,829.5	4,544.7	2,490.8	903.9	591.1	410.3	2,421.9	24,089.3	71.5	320.7	1,692.3	6,325.0	26,871.2	594.5	78.8	8,854.5	10,668.7	147.0	3,068.5
	Dec	23,958.0	1,197.9	10,020.2	10,540.4	1,092.1	3,385.6	3,849.4	6,594.7	5,362.8	5,302.2	3,205.6	1,132.8	629.3	419.2	2,842.9	32,250.4	77.5	346.9	2,013.6	7,214.8	41,597.9	635.5	84.4	11,034.4	12,068.3	158.9	3,878.5
2010	Jan	27,776.5	1,633.9	8,070.0	11,005.0	1,171.2	3,636.4	4,181.8	6,889.6	5,898.2	5,937.6	4,125.5	1,204.4	738.5	414.1	3,512.5	34,057.9	81.5	376.4	2,153.6	7,797.4	42,650.7	718.1	83.9	12,562.1	11,357.2	146.2	5,929.2
	Feb	28,376.7	1,493.5	3,421.5	5,527.9	1,227.0	3,807.9	4,354.7	7,216.3	6,359.2	6,041.8	4,409.7	1,226.9	720.0	426.3	3,512.3	36,310.5	87.4	379.9	2,327.5	9,011.3	43,036.1	837.7	86.9	12,586.7	15,321.1	143.5	8,533.5
	Mar	32,723.3	1,487.4	5,203.5	13,237.6	1,210.8	3,724.6	4,270.7	7,256.9	6,454.5	5,887.0	3,926.0	1,253.9	698.1	408.3	3,410.1	26,478.2	81.5	360.4	2,353.9	8,838.4	40,490.9	728.9	86.8	14,487.6	17,933.4	134.6	8,231.0
	Apr	26,660.6	1,568.3	3,751.4	7,119.5	1,363.3	4,188.9	4,712.4	8,493.6	7,473.5	6,554.1	4,103.4	1,342.5	832.9	427.7	4,006.4	27,887.5	111.3	421.8	2,597.3	9,188.9	53,772.2	917.7	88.2	15,717.5	20,776.5	140.7	9,364.4

(a) At end period.

(b) The Milanka Price Index (MPI) was introduced in January 1999 to replace the Sensitive Price Index (Dec. 1998 = 1,000).

Source: Colombo Stock Exchange

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