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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

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 1

Gross Value Added and Gross Domestic Product by Economic Activity[(a)(b)(c)]

Rs. million

Economic Activity	Current Market Prices								Constant (2015) Prices							
	2021 (d)		2022				2023		2021 (d)		2022				2023	
	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1 (d)	Qtr 2 (d)	Qtr 3 (d)	Qtr 4	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1 (d)	Qtr 2 (d)	Qtr 3 (d)	Qtr 4	Qtr 1	Qtr 2
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	**355,113**	**434,653**	**430,665**	**549,069**	**529,422**	**603,589**	**585,054**	**637,260**	**236,244**	**239,919**	**223,222**	**221,249**	**220,362**	**241,673**	**224,946**	**229,305**
Growing of cereals (except rice)	9,762	10,847	11,770	12,029	10,840	25,230	24,274	24,074	4,405	5,361	4,498	3,768	3,116	5,818	5,083	5,440
Growing of rice	32,752	42,252	36,096	75,474	52,726	103,433	59,470	75,804	21,593	27,187	17,918	22,746	16,000	36,713	25,454	27,247
Growing of vegetables	46,446	47,676	46,345	68,665	84,396	56,909	55,544	72,532	33,152	21,173	21,855	27,354	30,154	20,597	22,184	29,229
Growing of sugar cane, tobacco and other non-perennial crops	1,464	1,320	1,760	2,831	2,771	2,021	2,436	3,352	1,003	855	903	1,031	973	889	926	1,047
Growing of fruits	31,216	24,108	28,035	43,655	46,126	30,600	36,274	61,724	20,149	16,907	15,491	20,304	20,170	17,345	16,172	21,074
Growing of oleaginous fruits (coconut, king coconut, oil palm)	39,854	44,342	49,829	46,181	42,459	44,217	50,773	51,114	26,835	26,651	27,326	28,430	28,523	27,037	26,022	26,050
Growing of tea (green leaves)	28,407	27,018	33,577	64,353	44,227	60,867	58,866	57,718	17,996	15,971	15,611	17,228	14,663	14,503	14,424	18,453
Growing of other beverage crops (coffee, cocoa etc..)	1,222	1,203	1,056	1,070	1,079	957	948	928	338	338	307	307	307	307	307	307
Growing of spices, aromatic, drug and pharmaceutical crops	27,630	72,670	60,159	49,897	43,359	57,772	62,022	39,673	21,001	31,839	26,271	20,669	21,823	32,472	28,585	21,715
Growing of rubber	12,378	11,524	14,100	20,498	16,360	11,533	11,605	12,066	6,143	5,496	6,238	5,815	5,949	5,862	6,187	6,155
Growing of other perennial crops	12,179	11,181	14,190	15,737	17,977	15,772	15,185	15,545	6,954	6,515	6,581	7,051	7,269	6,613	6,490	7,032
Animal production	43,131	50,669	41,718	54,835	76,379	76,745	95,755	98,774	23,915	23,876	23,122	20,875	19,443	18,434	20,379	21,005
Plant propagation	328	381	255	229	491	219	207	403	246	264	169	196	323	193	180	234
Agricultural supporting activities	7,243	13,026	10,182	10,032	10,395	13,573	15,069	17,084	7,151	8,776	9,103	5,686	10,470	8,944	10,043	6,435
Forestry and logging	14,428	16,853	18,702	16,640	18,901	19,789	18,717	22,006	11,049	12,630	13,382	11,083	14,212	12,934	9,968	9,801
Marine fishing and marine aquaculture	36,067	51,918	55,636	56,121	46,564	73,109	69,191	75,746	27,363	29,535	29,581	22,166	18,188	25,516	26,852	22,458
Fresh water fishing and fresh water aquaculture	10,606	7,664	7,256	10,819	14,373	10,843	8,720	8,717	6,950	6,545	4,867	6,539	8,779	7,496	5,690	5,623
Industries	**1,432,119**	**1,311,184**	**1,699,993**	**1,793,716**	**2,219,087**	**1,596,156**	**2,105,796**	**1,661,672**	**1,039,389**	**916,819**	**1,057,366**	**794,227**	**817,545**	**640,626**	**809,638**	**702,638**
Mining and quarrying	91,542	94,099	121,181	105,898	121,836	102,224	118,855	93,833	73,589	70,691	75,807	48,559	39,678	34,617	41,162	36,737
Manufacture of food, beverages & tobacco products	298,489	274,116	370,455	372,877	514,621	447,088	572,998	414,223	278,443	231,156	270,674	184,375	222,531	192,134	243,070	190,340
Manufacture of textiles, wearing apparel and leather related products	339,427	135,343	335,649	335,515	636,135	210,955	495,376	271,765	162,332	67,154	160,331	109,135	179,546	63,388	146,745	89,078
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture	5,960	9,607	12,052	2,603	9,089	14,343	14,641	2,914	7,222	11,531	12,496	2,240	6,578	8,444	8,521	1,760
Manufacture of paper products, printing and reproduction of media products	15,484	23,468	31,243	26,546	25,481	36,401	54,291	28,090	10,078	15,210	17,779	12,439	10,049	11,801	17,532	9,326
Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	15,876	11,722	8,972	7,246	18,720	9,453	38,359	38,699	4,608	2,945	2,412	1,058	2,027	977	4,652	6,066
Manufacture of chemical products and basic pharmaceutical products	38,717	43,045	36,601	80,886	71,487	58,249	48,357	86,561	23,040	23,827	18,715	25,808	20,941	16,886	14,589	26,924
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	42,343	42,559	22,523	62,394	58,215	30,899	33,377	49,368	28,457	25,583	13,657	23,894	19,383	10,572	11,448	17,567
Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	40,021	66,033	68,187	78,927	62,277	80,736	79,997	68,380	24,273	35,452	29,805	20,995	14,126	20,261	22,950	20,957
Manufacture of basic metals and fabricated metal products	25,060	38,922	35,685	29,353	28,770	49,658	35,480	28,507	16,485	25,095	22,402	9,859	9,529	16,990	12,607	9,670
Manufacture of machinery and equipment	27,445	37,934	29,479	27,185	48,887	44,894	36,168	24,237	17,056	27,334	16,353	11,463	13,604	17,761	10,628	10,529
Manufacture of furniture	14,569	21,515	23,777	37,039	17,927	14,435	30,487	42,085	14,911	19,273	21,526	22,955	9,114	7,242	14,398	20,122
Other manufacturing, and repair and installation of machinery and equipment	34,388	30,998	43,409	54,224	64,341	45,726	63,198	58,673	25,788	23,244	24,331	22,720	18,418	13,619	16,919	21,799
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	34,251	38,582	28,113	33,929	46,877	40,853	50,160	69,019	48,926	47,547	49,506	44,970	43,159	40,147	42,099	44,576
Water collection, treatment and supply	3,600	3,492	4,918	4,885	4,911	4,682	9,355	6,034	3,565	3,499	3,233	3,618	3,578	2,738	3,052	3,480
Sewerage, waste, treatment and disposal activities	7,287	6,380	6,932	6,970	7,807	12,641	7,009	14,131	8,530	6,506	6,801	6,572	8,871	6,843	6,902	6,515
Construction	397,659	433,368	520,816	527,239	481,706	392,917	417,690	365,153	292,084	280,771	311,536	243,565	196,411	176,207	192,365	187,194
Services	**2,400,673**	**2,697,494**	**3,134,023**	**2,823,585**	**3,569,834**	**4,021,613**	**4,266,900**	**3,490,632**	**1,846,925**	**1,983,610**	**2,035,646**	**1,554,497**	**1,768,873**	**1,906,078**	**1,934,824**	**1,541,492**
Wholesale and retail trade	586,938	573,958	731,661	706,302	964,958	936,076	1,089,621	845,254	433,110	408,390	477,457	367,588	420,455	406,869	472,083	368,635
Transportation of goods and passengers including warehousing	364,344	446,706	541,085	567,824	637,596	802,178	904,939	732,119	302,711	364,792	401,713	259,462	324,038	386,902	412,964	273,602
Postal and courier activities	4,691	6,646	5,356	5,602	5,283	7,106	5,774	6,173	4,339	5,426	4,751	4,895	4,650	5,484	4,957	5,049
Accommodation, food and beverage service activities	36,453	48,935	90,862	56,638	100,425	103,032	149,158	91,513	29,665	34,885	56,112	28,013	41,612	40,322	59,027	37,593
Programming and broadcasting activities and audio video productions	9,372	8,022	13,662	10,126	10,430	7,064	12,475	9,468	9,181	9,149	12,390	10,124	7,805	7,190	8,838	10,747
Telecommunication	28,361	25,073	22,823	19,996	28,424	25,279	28,858	26,026	34,499	35,582	32,390	37,672	35,394	34,463	31,100	36,004
IT programming consultancy and related activities	78,162	81,591	91,266	99,920	117,746	118,713	130,768	116,025	61,693	61,930	65,203	59,060	58,458	55,734	60,488	54,037
Financial service activities and auxiliary financial services	194,435	284,100	362,213	325,366	318,198	491,450	411,156	391,676	152,756	146,182	165,334	137,026	114,623	113,290	110,516	111,228
Insurance, reinsurance and pension funding	53,400	59,700	41,533	37,198	32,695	29,059	30,954	35,926	37,009	38,278	28,640	19,360	14,925	15,583	17,665	19,101
Real estate activities, including ownership of dwelling	207,967	218,004	244,838	206,861	264,511	277,214	284,135	262,315	164,150	165,074	174,078	121,110	130,173	129,113	142,165	118,121
Professional services	99,641	120,573	90,233	84,845	123,337	132,709	110,625	112,103	78,851	95,489	68,324	57,770	77,223	86,523	65,349	52,386
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	224,862	259,714	303,249	196,823	256,292	268,447	259,910	265,068	150,614	182,089	138,919	156,499	154,619	179,176	137,835	155,969
Education	95,867	102,572	103,983	116,425	123,093	111,693	114,138	119,620	68,873	72,178	70,151	83,634	71,584	76,142	72,296	86,109
Human health activities, residential care and social work activities	116,199	105,973	115,496	141,797	109,468	100,954	127,909	157,672	74,330	72,187	51,745	55,412	67,856	63,625	47,232	53,972
Other personal service activities	299,980	355,926	375,761	247,861	477,378	610,639	606,479	319,674	245,144	291,979	288,439	156,871	245,457	305,662	292,310	158,938
Equals Gross Value Added (GVA), at basic price	**4,187,904**	**4,443,331**	**5,264,682**	**5,166,370**	**6,318,343**	**6,221,357**	**6,957,750**	**5,789,565**	**3,122,558**	**3,140,348**	**3,316,235**	**2,569,973**	**2,806,780**	**2,788,377**	**2,969,408**	**2,473,435**
(+) Taxes less Subsidies on Products	207,975	281,170	278,624	275,993	268,259	354,099	370,823	355,887	153,252	190,724	203,165	110,101	93,874	129,344	144,779	124,005
Equals Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at market price	**4,395,880**	**4,724,501**	**5,543,306**	**5,442,362**	**6,586,602**	**6,575,456**	**7,328,574**	**6,145,452**	**3,275,811**	**3,331,073**	**3,519,400**	**2,680,074**	**2,900,654**	**2,917,721**	**3,114,187**	**2,597,440**

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2015) (b) Based on the latest available GDP estimates. (c) Provisional. (d) Revised

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

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 Consumption	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Other	Total (a)
2019 (b)		63.1	47.2	189.9	300.1	37.4	14.4	22.9	74.8	1,806.9	386.6	252.4	639.6	3,085.6
2020 (b)		62.2	46.7	169.9	278.9	39.1	13.0	26.1	78.2	1,826.2	226.3	47.9	691.9	2,792.2
2021 (b)		65.3	51.0	183.2	299.5	38.4	13.9	24.5	76.9	1,832.5	298.3	211.0	777.8	3,119.7
2022 (c)		57.0	39.7	155.2	251.8	34.7	14.5	21.7	70.9	1,848.1	313.9	444.6	784.7	3,391.4
2022 (c)	1st Qtr	15.1	10.0	38.2	63.3	9.6	4.2	5.4	19.2	461.9	80.8	97.6	197.0	837.4
	2nd Qtr	16.6	11.8	41.5	70.0	8.7	3.0	5.8	17.5	462.0	85.1	111.5	210.1	868.6
	3rd Qtr	12.3	8.9	38.3	59.5	8.3	3.7	5.3	17.4	462.5	78.2	134.3	188.8	863.7
	4th Qtr	12.9	9.0	37.2	59.1	8.1	3.6	5.2	16.8	461.7	69.8	101.3	183.9	816.7
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	12.9	9.2	37.3	59.4	7.5	3.9	7.3	18.7	464.4	65.8	89.2	170.9	790.3
	2nd Qtr	19.0	13.4	42.2	74.6	9.6	2.6	6.3	18.4	462.6	55.4	71.1	193.1	781.7
2022 (c)	Jul	4.1	2.9	12.9	19.9	2.5	1.1	1.6	5.3	154.6	24.5	47.0	56.1	282.3
	Aug	3.4	2.5	12.4	18.3	3.1	1.3	2.1	6.5	153.9	29.3	43.9	69.2	296.4
	Sep	4.8	3.5	12.9	21.2	2.7	1.3	1.6	5.6	154.0	24.3	43.3	63.5	285.1
	Oct	4.0	3.0	12.0	19.0	2.5	1.3	1.4	5.2	153.5	22.8	41.7	62.3	280.3
	Nov	4.4	3.1	12.9	20.4	2.4	0.8	1.8	5.0	154.3	24.8	30.4	55.6	265.1
	Dec	4.5	2.9	12.3	19.7	3.2	1.5	2.0	6.7	153.9	22.3	29.1	66.0	271.3
2023 (c)	Jan	3.6	2.5	12.3	18.4	2.6	1.3	2.6	6.5	155.2	21.1	29.8	50.7	256.8
	Feb	4.3	3.1	11.4	18.8	2.3	1.3	2.1	5.7	154.5	21.7	21.8	61.1	259.1
	Mar	5.0	3.6	13.7	22.3	2.6	1.2	2.7	6.5	154.7	23.0	37.5	59.1	274.4
	Apr	6.4	4.5	14.2	25.1	3.3	1.0	2.1	6.3	154.3	12.6	31.5	56.8	255.2
	May	7.0	4.8	14.7	26.5	3.1	0.8	2.1	6.0	153.9	20.2	25.1	70.7	269.4
	Jun	5.6	4.1	13.3	23.0	3.2	0.8	2.1	6.1	154.4	22.6	14.6	65.6	257.1
	Jul	4.4	3.3	13.7	21.4	3.5	0.9	1.8	6.2	153.9	26.9	11.4	72.8	265.0

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

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

Sources : Sri Lanka Tea Board
Rubber Development Department
Coconut Development Authority

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 3

Paddy Production

Year	Maha				Yala				Total			
	Gross Extent Sown (ha.'000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha.'000)	Produc-tion (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)	Gross Extent Sown (ha.'000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha.'000)	Produc-tion (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)	Gross Extent Sown (ha.'000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha.'000)	Produc-tion (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)
2016	756	667	2,903	4,349	385	344	1,517	4,417	1,141	1,011	4,420	4,372
2017	543	343	1,474	4,301	249	212	909	4,291	792	555	2,383	4,297
2018	667	557	2,397	4,302	374	327	1,533	4,683	1,041	885	3,930	4,443
2019	748	647	3,073	4,747	369	310	1,519	4,896	1,117	958	4,592	4,795
2020	752	663	3,197	4,821	456	403	1,924	4,770	1,208	1,066	5,121	4,802
2021 (b)	770	682	3,061	4,492	501	445	2,088	4,692	1,272	1,127	5,150	4,571
2022 (b)	776	685	1,931	2,819	482	429	1,462	3,407	1,258	1,114	3,393	3,045

(a) Yield per hectare is calculated by dividing the production by the net extent harvested.

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT — TABLE 4

Rainfall and Rainy Days

Area	2020	2021	2021 (a)			2022 (b)				2023 (b)	
			2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr
Rainfall (mm)											
Anuradhapura	1,262		225	311	770	234	461	183	686	299	398
Bandarawela	1,298		334	408	683	201	473	379	855	195	399
Colombo	2,084		994	632	903	156	917	224	1,093	401	688
Hambantota	718		175	248	595	136	224	111	268	324	106
Katugastota	1,496		738	464	937	124	421	594	834	198	357
Nuwara Eliya	1,566		492	477	707	120	533	558	616	183	291
Ratnapura	3,447		1,504	1,153	1,189	655	1,459	1,002	1,262	592	1,367
Trincomalee	1,497		110	315	978	556	241	188	886	359	187
No. of Rainy Days											
Anuradhapura	47		26	12	49	16	24	16	47	22	21
Bandarawela	50		39	33	53	36	44	33	51	31	37
Colombo	43		56	51	58	14	64	34	46	27	59
Hambantota	26		22	32	43	19	26	16	29	21	21
Katugastota	47		46	48	52	20	48	45	53	30	43
Nuwara Eliya	53		46	57	63	27	52	56	57	33	42
Ratnapura	60		55	53	58	36	77	58	55	38	69
Trincomalee	54		19	21	47	29	16	16	51	19	18

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

Source : Department of Meteorology

Selected Industrial Production Indicators

Period		Index of Industrial Production (a)	Electricity Usage in Industry (GWh) (b)			Domestic Sales of Furnace Oil to Industry ('000 mt)	Selected Industrial Exports (US $ mn) (c)
			Small Industry	Medium Industry	Large Industry		
2019		108.1	350.4	2,095.5	1,946.3	741.5	8,905.2
2020		97.1	350.1	1,998.0	1,814.6	822.6	7,328.1
2021		104.2	323.3	2,324.6	2,172.3	577.2	9,085.0
2022 (d)		91.6	304.4	2,079.7	1,947.4	355.1	9,893.3
2022 (d)	1st Qtr	103.3	80.1	588.9	547.2	138.6	2,453.2
	2nd Qtr	91.5	73.2	494.3	477.0	63.4	2,469.7
	3rd Qtr	89.1	74.7	505.6	469.0	97.6	2,646.7
	4th Qtr	82.6	76.4	490.9	454.1	55.4	2,323.7
2023 (e)	1st Qtr	87.5	85.8	489.6	465.5	131.3	2,244.5
	2nd Qtr	86.0	85.0	491.9	461.4	158.0	2,124.3
2022 (d)	July	85.6	22.2	161.8	155.2	47.2	901.0
	August	90.7	27.0	171.2	157.6	24.0	933.0
	September	90.9	25.5	172.6	156.2	26.3	812.7
	October	86.6	25.4	169.2	158.9	11.7	782.1
	November	81.0	24.3	164.5	150.4	5.2	750.1
	December	80.2	26.7	157.2	144.8	38.5	791.5
2023 (e)	January	87.4	26.0	158.3	148.5	32.9	734.8
	February	84.1	26.0	152.5	146.6	37.6	732.6
	March	90.9	33.8	178.9	170.5	60.8	777.0
	April	80.1	30.1	143.7	136.1	59.0	622.4
	May	88.0	27.0	174.7	162.5	41.6	750.5
	June	90.1	27.9	173.4	162.8	57.4	751.4
	July	91.7	30.0	173.6	162.5	70.5	748.1

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

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

(2) Figures include electricity consumption of hotels.

(c) Excluding petroleum exports.

(d) Revised

(e) Provisional

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

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 6

Index of Industrial Production for Major Divisions

2015 = 100

Period		Overall Index (IIP)	Food Products	Beverages	Tobacco Products	Wearing Apparel	Coke and Refined Petroleum Products	Chemical and Chemical Products	Rubber and Plastic Products	Other Non-metallic Mineral Products	Basic Metal Products	Textiles	Electrical Equipment	Paper and Paper Products
2019		108.1	105.6	103.4	81.0	117.2	106.8	102.2	106.4	117.8	124.2	108.3	86.9	96.7
2020		97.1	109.1	96.5	72.1	81.2	97.2	94.2	75.8	111.7	110.7	102.2	67.5	81.8
2021		104.2	109.3	106.0	77.9	95.4	71.1	89.8	102.9	137.4	133.6	128.7	81.4	86.5
2022 (a)		91.6	93.1	127.5	83.2	100.5	30.0	98.6	92.7	113.5	88.1	101.5	65.1	49.0
2022 (a)	1st Qtr	103.1	101.0	141.8	83.5	101.7	41.5	107.0	104.6	138.0	129.5	120.6	91.0	76.7
	2nd Qtr	91.7	93.7	123.0	87.9	102.7	19.9	112.8	100.7	110.6	88.9	101.3	61.1	40.6
	3rd Qtr	89.1	90.3	124.2	83.0	99.5	42.6	95.9	89.2	106.8	73.3	106.8	57.2	31.7
	4th Qtr	82.6	88.6	117.4	81.8	95.9	16.1	78.0	76.8	98.6	60.8	75.2	51.0	47.0
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	87.5	91.0	117.1	78.8	83.1	86.2	71.5	87.7	96.6	99.5	88.8	47.6	25.0
	2nd Qtr	86.0	89.4	118.1	84.2	82.6	108.6	72.9	67.4	90.8	92.4	94.4	41.8	20.5
2022 (a)	July	85.6	88.4	130.0	71.6	103.0	1.5	92.3	98.0	93.9	56.6	121.7	60.3	29.1
	August	90.7	93.7	129.6	84.7	98.7	31.7	98.0	95.6	121.7	73.1	95.1	60.6	27.6
	September	90.9	89.1	115.1	82.2	96.7	94.5	99.4	73.1	104.7	90.1	101.2	50.8	38.5
	October	86.6	92.5	97.9	75.4	100.9	9.9	103.5	77.1	107.6	70.3	102.5	53.2	30.5
	November	81.0	83.3	134.7	93.5	96.5	1.5	66.6	83.1	102.5	64.7	57.8	49.6	74.2
	December	80.2	90.1	119.6	76.5	90.2	36.8	63.8	70.2	85.8	47.4	65.3	50.2	36.2
2023 (b)	January	87.4	84.4	100.8	73.6	96.1	100.9	65.3	92.3	98.6	99.4	66.1	48.4	20.4
	February	84.1	87.3	108.8	83.6	79.3	81.4	74.3	87.7	89.8	101.3	80.9	48.2	29.1
	March	90.9	101.4	141.7	79.1	74.0	76.2	74.7	83.1	101.3	97.7	119.4	46.2	25.5
	April	80.1	89.8	118.1	65.4	67.4	106.3	74.1	51.7	89.6	88.7	81.3	38.9	17.2
	May	88.0	91.1	115.0	88.6	88.8	101.9	70.9	71.9	90.1	95.5	90.4	40.5	24.4
	June	90.1	87.3	121.3	98.6	91.8	117.7	73.7	78.6	92.7	92.9	111.5	46.2	19.8
	July	91.7	95.1	99.7	75.9	88.3	116.0	72.7	77.6	104.4	93.7	99.7	49.2	34.6

(a) Revised
(b) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Investments, Exports and Commercial Operations of BOI Enterprises[a][b]

Period		No. of Units		Foreign Envisaged Investment (Rs. mn)		Total Envisaged Investment (Rs. mn)		No. of Units in Commercial Operation as at end of the period	Export Earnings (FOB) (Rs. mn.)
		Approvals	Agreements	Approvals	Agreements	Approvals	Agreements		
2019		130	105	4,581,836	747,608	4,724,961	865,862	2,155	1,495,110
2020		145	117	290,786	123,351	502,596	366,838	2,181	1,255,495
2021 (c)		135	90	349,025	29,473	512,943	113,013	2,271	1,700,082
2022 (d)		156	141	258,848	327,810	515,852	515,098	2,280	2,879,064
2022 (d)	1st Qtr	31	47	33,484	115,501	137,096	157,979	2,279	488,828
	2nd Qtr	51	19	137,199	117,262	221,808	143,680	2,270	785.786
	3rd Qtr	41	44	69,791	69,934	104,578	158,622	2,272	797,706
	4th Qtr	33	31	24,374	25,113	52,370	54,818	2,280	806,744
2023 (d)	1st Qtr	18	27	166,381	6,482	180,303	15,012	2,352	755,810
	2nd Qtr	11	7	11,795	5,775	19,960	12,862	2,335	604,374
2022 (d)	July	17	10	10,070	582	25,170	6,988	2,319	301,325
	August	11	9	4,440	-	9,320	23,805	2,272	303,135
	September	13	25	49,281	69,352	70,088	127,828	2,272	193,246
	October	15	11	21,406	2,694	42,913	12,977	2,273	265,899
	November	9	6	1,663	8,371	2,799	18,353	2,279	258,469
	December	9	14	1,305	14,047	6,657	23,488	2,280	282,376
2023 (e)(d)	January	5	10	2,620	3,597	9,136	6,823	2,348	248,892
	February	4	9	147,987	1,336	154,641	3,716	2,349	270,134
	March	9	8	15,774	1,549	16,526	4,473	2,352	236,784
	April	6	1	7,931	68	10,966	68	2,343	184,912
	May	5	6	3,864	5,707	8,993	12,794	2,328	210,354
	June	n.a	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	2,335	209,108
	July	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a	n.a.

(a) Projects approved under Section 17 of the BOI Law.
(b) Includes expanded projects.
(c) Revised
(d) Provisional
(e) Data for June and July 2023 has not been finalised at the time of publication.

Source : Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

COMMUNICATION, ENERGY, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING — TABLE 8

Telecommunication Services

Period		Wireline Telephones in Services	Fixed Access CDMA & Wireless Local Loop Phones	Telephone Density - Fixed lines (Telephones per 100 persons)	Cellular Mobile Telephones	Telephone Density - including Cellular (Telephones per 100 persons)	Internet Connections (a)	Public Payphone Booths
2019		1,244,549	1,055,218	10.55	32,884,099	161.37	13,408,403	476
2020		1,246,045	1,367,095	11.92	28,739,277	143.04	17,524,048	461
2021 (b)		1,264,196	1,587,393	12.87	29,958,852	148.09	22,106,398	n.a.
2022 (c)		1,263,068	1,388,219	11.95	28,838,038	141.97	21,667,616	n.a.
2022 (c)	1st Qtr	1,262,722	1,536,942	12.62	30,476,123	150.02	22,224,472	n.a.
	2nd Qtr	1,265,644	1,765,041	13.66	29,560,988	146.94	22,141,841	n.a.
	3rd Qtr	1,271,312	1,703,750	13.41	29,058,882	144.42	21,807,988	n.a.
	4th Qtr	1,263,068	1,388,219	11.95	28,838,038	141.97	21,667,616	n.a.
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	1,234,629	1,282,152	11.34	28,117,291	137.97	21,809,964	n.a.
	2nd Qtr	1,199,121	1,242,450	11.00	27,979,620	137.01	21,919,509	n.a

(a) Including mobile internet connections (b) Revised (c) Provisional

Source : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

COMMUNICATION, ENERGY, TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING — TABLE 9

Electricity Generation and Petroleum Imports

Period		Electricity						Petroleum					LPG Local Production (MT)
		Installed Capacity (MW)	Units Generated (GWh)					Crude Oil Imports (MT)	Refined Products Imports (MT)				
			Hydro (a)	Fuel Oil	Coal	NCRE (b)	Total		Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene	Avtur	
2019		4,217	3,783	5,016	5,361	1,761	15,922	1,842,197	1,174,134	1,608,868	-	-	26,988
2020		4,265	3,911	4,182	5,754	1,866	15,714	1,666,807	1,034,772	1,307,157	-	-	25,251
2021 (c)		4,186	5,640	2,634	5,519	2,922	16,716	1,182,107	1,146,197	1,563,982	-	-	16,650
2022 (d)		4,084	5,364	2,467	5,174	2,937	15,942	649,092	1,073,645	1,590,625	-	-	5,688
2022 (d)	1st Qtr	4,370	926	1,228	1,549	500	4,203	178,684	338,366	443,137	-	-	2,803
	2nd Qtr	4,351	1,117	573	1,476	808	3,974	79,804	213,553	422,596	-	-	715
	3rd Qtr	4,270	1,644	439	1,009	880	3,972	199,260	220,758	351,871	-	-	1,172
	4th Qtr	4,084	1,677	228	1,140	749	3,794	191,344	300,968	373,021	-	-	998
2023 (d)	1st Qtr	4,089	917	738	1,520	567	3,743	270,119	308,818	169,659	-	-	5,081
	2nd Qtr	4,262	812	995	1,356	787	3,950	542,754	237,827	380,930	-	-	7,132
2022 (d)	July	4,353	445	215	391	267	1,317	-	88,998	98,070	-	-	-
	August	4,353	634	110	292	303	1,339	99,673	41,056	137,749	-	-	63
	September	4,270	565	114	326	311	1,316	99,586	90,704	116,052	-	-	1,109
	October	4,084	634	46	343	286	1,309	-	84,540	169,712	-	-	257
	November	4,084	654	35	315	246	1,249	99,778	123,001	93,296	-	-	-
	December	4,084	390	147	482	217	1,235	91,566	93,427	110,013			741
2023 (d)	January	4,086	328	227	465	203	1,224	190,515	117,626	94,111	-	-	2,239
	February	4,088	270	179	537	177	1,164	-	69,439	22,992	-	-	1,645
	March	4,089	318	332	518	188	1,355	79,604	121,752	52,556	-	-	1,197
	April	4,089	279	332	463	183	1,257	175,222	60,061	189,043	-	-	2,155
	May	4,250	278	291	507	284	1,360	271,526	86,133	94,110	-	-	2,460
	June	4,262	255	372	387	320	1,333	96,006	91,632	97,777	-	-	2,517
	July	4,267	307	369	364	299	1,340	191,085	56,172	98,680	-	-	2,243

(a) Excluding mini hydro power plants
(b) Refers to Non-Conventional Renewable Energy including mini hydro.
(c) Revised
(d) Provisional

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation
Lanka IOC PLC

Passenger Transportation and Port Operations

Period		Sri Lanka Transport Board		Sri Lanka Railways			Port Services (a)						
								Container Throughput (b)				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
2019		431,304	14,346,254	11,635	7,309,563	115,617	4,708	1,273,332	5,802,060	152,945	7,228,337	61,934	45,045
2020		308,775	9,725,465	8,362	3,905,554	114,367	4,337	1,089,669	5,613,461	151,632	6,854,762	59,465	43,443
2021 (c)		247,861	6,174,738	6,281	2,158,164	161,558	4,180	1,199,055	5,850,047	200,256	7,249,358	62,513	46,855
2022 (d)		346,251	14,940,995	10,490	6,602,238	138,680	4,073	1,030,230	5,635,685	196,269	6,862,184	54,129	46,247
2022 (d)	1st Qtr	93,753	3,077,067	2,552	1,105,419	44,244	1,011	316,798	1,487,444	45,114	1,849,356	15,853	12,526
	2nd Qtr	80,315	3,493,757	2,384	1,555,536	28,856	974	250,758	1,405,862	48,474	1,705,094	13,092	12,151
	3rd Qtr	82,107	4,589,418	2,753	2,030,816	30,941	974	228,351	1,398,131	53,612	1,680,094	12,786	11,413
	4th Qtr	90,076	3,780,754	2,801	1,910,467	34,639	1,114	234,323	1,344,248	49,069	1,627,640	12,398	10,156
2023 (d)	1st Qtr	94,260	3,630,374	2,580	1,704,452	39,773	1,148	227,336	1,346,005	46,412	1,619,753	12,352	10,197
	2nd Qtr	89,243	3,279,366	2,553	1,547,888(e)	41,252	1,213	226,305	1,567,850	43,953	1,838,108	14,476	12,496
2022 (d)	July	23,606	1,623,196	856	632,130	8,172	327	73,760	460,736	19,394	553,890	4,133	3,818
	August	29,290	1,579,953	947	706,540	10,976	334	83,952	475,420	12,402	571,774	4,539	3,980
	September	29,211	1,386,270	949	692,147	11,794	313	70,639	461,975	21,816	554,430	4,113	3,616
	October	30,482	1,309,025	990	663,593	11,407	360	77,058	447,911	19,520	544,489	3,868	3,447
	November	29,469	1,226,907	958	698,192	11,616	359	79,865	429,649	17,189	526,703	4,219	3,235
	December	30,125	1,244,821	854	548,682	11,616	395	77,400	466,688	12,360	556,448	4,310	3,474
2023 (d)	January	34,285	1,241,415	918	582,902	12,570	395	77,919	448,276	13,690	539,885	4,015	3,260
	February	28,352	1,180,921	800	564,058	12,685	350	66,236	409,175	11,122	486,533	3,512	3,145
	March	31,623	1,208,038	862	557,493	14,519	403	83,181	488,554	21,600	593,335	4,825	3,792
	April	28,659	1,090,765	834	486,777	12,579	380	70,097	486,400	12,407	568,904	4,425	3,790
	May	30,278	1,097,378	885(e)	529,158	13,598	419	77,657	533,158	17,726	628,541	4,867	4,058
	June	30,306	1,091,223	834(e)	531,952	15,076	414	78,551	548,292	13,820	640,663	5,184	4,648
	July	n.a.	n.a.	880(e)	537,646(e)	14,425(e)	420	89,123	520,579	15,449	625,151	4,825	4,305

(a) Ports of Colombo, Galle, Trincomalee and Hambantota International Port
(b) Port of Colombo only
(c) Revised
(d) Provisional
(e) Estimates
TEUs = Twenty-foot Equivalent Container Units

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

New Registration of Motor Vehicles

Period		Passenger Transport					Goods Transport		Land Vehicles			Total
		Buses	Motor Cars	Three Wheelers	Dual Purpose (a)	Motor Cycles	Lorries	Others (b)	Tractors	Hand Tractors	Other Land Vehicles	
2019		1,613	38,232	15,490	13,459	284,301	3,738	1,485	3,479	2,217	1,970	367,303
2020		578	21,021	7,150	9,532	151,634	3,000	941	4,482	1,543	2,277	202,628
2021		281	3,495	2,093	771	8,011	2,593	1,839	8,272	2,148	4,344	33,850
2022 (c)		404	1,489	36	760	9,060	940	892	2,725	1,644	2,560	20,510
2022 (c)	1st Qtr	181	445	13	113	1,247	498	455	1,437	429	1,362	6,180
	2nd Qtr	35	328	6	413	3,153	144	148	724	343	450	5,744
	3rd Qtr	54	368	13	150	2,667	221	197	258	414	424	4,766
	4th Qtr	134	348	4	84	1,993	77	92	306	458	324	3,820
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	239	680	22	106	2,893	43	47	169	206	384	4,789
	2nd Qtr	271	338	15	135	3,689	37	44	292	209	226	5,256
2022 (c)	July	23	87	0	30	675	106	8	36	68	75	1,108
	August	14	104	0	65	1,134	80	98	106	174	202	1,977
	September	17	177	13	55	858	35	91	116	172	147	1,681
	October	16	120	2	31	712	40	52	132	148	157	1,410
	November	23	41	2	27	584	24	18	125	188	86	1,118
	December	95	187	0	26	697	13	22	49	122	81	1,292
2023 (c)	January	71	86	6	23	840	15	18	43	111	128	1,341
	February	53	220	8	40	886	16	12	44	47	132	1,458
	March	115	374	8	43	1,167	12	17	82	48	124	1,990
	April	97	61	9	30	831	12	8	122	67	48	1,285
	May	55	152	3	50	1,365	14	16	110	86	81	1,932
	June	119	125	3	55	1,493	11	20	60	56	97	2,039
	July	12	155	5	47	1,722	26	10	62	51	128	2,218

(a) Including single cabs

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

(c) Provisional

Source : Department of Motor Traffic

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
2019		763	3,714	6,543	11,020	22.0	90.7	211.0	103.4	892	45.2	11,912	94.3
2020		553	2,423	5,053	8,029	16.0	59.2	162.9	75.3	940	47.6	8,969	71.0
2021		471	3,081	6,386	9,938	13.6	75.3	205.9	93.3	866	43.9	10,804	85.5
2022		376	2,000	4,221	6,597	10.9	48.9	136.1	61.9	718	36.4	7,315	57.9
2021	3rd Qtr	81	618	1,293	1,992	10.3	63.3	172.6	79.4	184	36.9	2,176	72.4
	4th Qtr	130	958	1,964	3,052	16.6	98.2	262.2	121.7	263	52.7	3,315	110.2
2022	1st Qtr	147	706	1,616	2,469	18.8	72.3	215.8	98.4	249	49.9	2,718	90.4
	2nd Qtr	86	500	983	1,569	11.0	51.2	131.2	62.6	154	30.9	1,723	57.3
	3rd Qtr	69	369	842	1,280	8.8	37.8	112.4	51.0	147	29.5	1,427	47.5
	4th Qtr	74	425	780	1,279	9.5	43.5	104.1	51.0	168	33.7	1,447	48.1

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

National Consumer Price Index (NCPI)[(a)]

Base 2021 = 100

Period (b)		All Items	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	Furnishing, H/H Equip-ment and Routine Household Maintenance	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants and Hotels	Miscellaneous Goods and Services
		Commodities and Weights												
		(100%)	(39.2%)	(1.9%)	(3.0%)	(22.9%)	(3.0%)	(3.3%)	(11.0%)	(2.4%)	(1.7%)	(3.9%)	(4.4%)	(3.3%)
2022	Average	174.9	205.7	156.6	155.8	131.8	170.6	148.7	204.6	99.9	142.7	136.9	194.7	155.0
2022	1st Qtr	134.0	153.9	129.4	123.4	115.7	121.1	119.0	131.9	89.1	114.7	114.8	146.6	117.9
	2nd Qtr	167.2	198.1	148.6	140.9	126.8	148.6	140.5	200.2	91.3	127.9	136.5	182.7	138.1
	3rd Qtr	197.6	236.7	169.1	168.4	140.5	195.6	160.1	248.1	100.2	152.6	144.6	217.5	171.0
	4th Qtr	200.8	234.0	179.2	190.5	144.4	216.9	175.2	238.2	118.8	175.7	151.8	232.0	192.9
2023	1st Qtr	203.6	228.0	191.8	207.7	156.8	219.9	188.3	240.7	119.1	189.0	158.3	233.2	199.1
	2nd Qtr	203.0	226.1	189.9	216.3	165.6	218.4	191.6	220.7	119.1	205.0	166.0	224.8	197.1
2022	July	193.1	233.4	165.8	159.4	133.5	183.9	157.1	248.4	95.1	151.0	143.8	210.5	160.0
	August	197.7	237.5	168.3	167.7	141.4	196.2	158.8	246.3	95.3	151.4	143.8	217.2	171.4
	September	201.9	239.1	173.3	178.2	146.6	206.8	164.5	249.7	110.3	155.4	146.1	224.8	181.6
	October	201.6	236.5	179.8	184.1	145.0	213.3	174.3	241.2	118.1	172.4	151.1	230.6	188.8
	November	200.3	233.2	179.4	191.6	144.1	218.1	175.5	236.3	119.1	175.3	152.1	232.0	193.5
	December	200.4	232.4	178.3	195.8	144.0	219.3	175.8	237.0	119.1	179.3	152.1	233.5	196.3
2023	January	201.8	232.8	191.1	202.8	143.1	219.6	188.2	236.8	119.1	188.6	158.1	235.5	199.1
	February	204.1	228.1	192.2	208.4	157.2	221.0	188.2	242.8	119.1	189.1	158.4	235.3	199.7
	March	204.8	223.2	192.0	211.9	170.2	219.1	188.5	242.4	119.1	189.4	158.4	228.7	198.6
	April	202.7	223.8	190.9	215.2	166.7	218.9	191.6	223.9	119.1	203.5	166.0	224.2	197.6
	May	203.1	226.1	189.7	217.2	165.8	218.1	191.6	221.1	119.1	205.6	166.0	224.4	196.9
	June	203.3	228.4	189.2	216.4	164.3	218.3	191.7	217.1	119.1	205.8	166.0	225.9	196.9
	July	201.9	227.5	214.1	216.0	154.7	220.0	190.2	218.7	119.1	217.5	171.8	227.0	197.5

(a) Compilation of National Consumer Price Index (NCPI, 2013=100) is discontinued and replaced by NCPI (2021=100) since January 2023 by the Department of Census and Statistics (DCS). The Index is based on Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) conducted in 2019. The weights are based on the consumption pattern of the entire island. The total basket value (at 2019 prices) was Rs.50,728.60.

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

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI)[a]

Base 2021 = 100

Period (b)		Commodities and Weights												
		All Items (100%)	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages (26.2%)	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco (1.7%)	Clothing and Footwear (2.2%)	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels (31.6%)	Furnishing, H/H Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance (3.5%)	Health (4.0%)	Transport (12.5%)	Communication (3.0%)	Recreation and Culture (2.0%)	Education (5.1)%	Restaurants and Hotels (5.1%)	Miscellaneous Goods and Services (3.2%)
2022	Average	163.5	208.4	148.8	172.1	122.2	156.8	145.8	204.3	99.8	131.9	135.7	191.6	150.7
2022	1st Qtr	126.6	152.4	127.2	130.8	110.3	122.1	119.7	129.8	89.4	108.3	115.7	139.3	116.4
	2nd Qtr	155.8	197.7	139.4	157.3	118.0	145.2	138.9	198.8	90.6	124.8	133.8	176.0	138.6
	3rd Qtr	183.7	243.6	159.0	186.5	127.4	173.5	156.6	248.1	100.0	141.1	144.1	216.5	164.3
	4th Qtr	187.7	239.8	169.7	213.7	132.9	186.6	168.1	240.5	119.1	153.2	149.4	234.7	183.4
2023	1st Qtr	191.0	234.6	181.1	233.3	142.5	187.5	172.7	241.4	119.8	170.2	155.1	235.0	184.4
	2nd Qtr	192.3	232.4	180.0	240.8	154.9	185.4	174.5	225.1	119.8	174.6	155.2	230.1	183.5
2022	July	178.9	239.2	156.0	172.7	122.5	166.2	153.1	244.5	95.3	138.4	142.1	212.4	151.9
	August	182.8	244.6	157.8	188.1	125.8	171.9	156.2	247.8	95.6	140.3	142.1	212.4	162.6
	September	189.3	246.9	163.3	198.7	133.9	182.4	160.5	252.0	109.1	144.7	148.1	224.7	178.4
	October	188.5	242.2	171.1	204.4	133.5	185.5	163.9	245.9	117.6	147.7	148.1	233.6	182.3
	November	187.1	238.9	170.2	214.1	132.4	186.9	169.0	237.2	119.8	153.0	150.0	235.3	183.0
	December	187.6	238.2	167.8	222.7	132.8	187.3	171.4	238.5	119.8	158.8	150.0	235.3	184.8
2023	January	188.6	240.0	178.9	225.5	132.4	187.6	171.6	238.1	119.8	167.0	154.8	235.3	185.8
	February	189.5	234.7	182.8	235.1	137.1	187.9	172.1	241.7	119.8	171.7	155.2	235.3	184.0
	March	195.0	229.0	181.7	239.3	158.0	187.0	174.4	244.4	119.8	171.9	155.2	234.3	183.5
	April	192.3	228.8	182.0	240.1	156.2	186.4	174.4	228.8	119.8	173.2	155.2	231.4	183.5
	May	192.3	232.7	179.5	239.7	155.1	185.8	174.4	225.0	119.8	175.3	155.2	226.8	183.6
	June	192.3	235.7	178.5	242.5	153.3	184.0	174.6	221.6	119.8	175.3	155.2	232.1	183.4
	July	190.2	235.8	199.2	246.0	144.1	184.1	173.4	221.8	119.8	178.3	160.3	232.1	183.6

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

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Producer's Price Index

Base 2018 Q4 = 100

Period (a)		All Activities	Agriculture	Manufacturing	Utility (b)
2019		105.5	108.7	104.9	101.5
2020		111.6	126.8	109.0	104.1
2021		123.7	133.8	122.9	101.9
2022 (c)		215.2	215.2	219.4	129.8
2022	1st Qtr	147.7	168.1	147.0	103.4
	2nd Qtr	213.1	207.3	219.3	103.0
	3rd Qtr	248.5	240.4	255.0	137.7
	4th Qtr	251.7	245.0	256.1	174.9
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	251.0	238.4	255.0	206.0
	2nd Qtr	237.0	228.6	236.2	277.8
2022	July	243.8	229.7	252.6	104.6
	August	250.9	245.8	257.3	134.0
	September	250.8	245.8	255.2	174.6
	October	252.7	248.7	257.0	176.5
	November	251.1	247.8	255.3	174.1
	December	250.7	238.6	256.1	174.2
2023 (c)	January	253.2	245.6	258.2	172.8
	February	252.5	233.3	258.0	195.6
	March	247.4	236.4	248.9	249.5
	April	245.6	234.9	244.6	298.0
	May	235.2	227.3	234.7	267.0
	June	228.6	223.7	227.3	268.3
	July	233.7	232.0	233.2	246.8

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

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

(b) Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air conditioning supply and Water collection, treatment and supply

(c) Provisional

TABLE 16

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
2019	Average	88.55	74.10	140.76	63.74	72.73	58.31	185.32	98.54	151.20	319.25	37.73	586.72
2020	”	101.60	93.53	157.79	78.66	114.29	74.63	280.48	107.18	171.97	448.25	65.52	549.06
2021	”	131.14	105.51	193.96	119.02	138.73	74.12	270.08	104.03	163.04	505.43	76.70	676.58
2022 (b)	"	209.63	196.32	358.46	199.31	266.23	134.90	401.31	166.11	311.05	1,395.69	79.72	1,193.24
2022	1st Qtr	165.43	159.57	237.19	142.72	179.82	130.42	319.51	138.89	231.85	908.20	74.81	804.84
	2nd Qtr	219.05	211.02	449.43	164.04	432.70	105.36	357.01	178.45	266.21	1,570.41	79.21	1,299.76
	3rd Qtr	234.49	214.37	366.14	291.88	216.30	166.20	378.52	152.91	372.52	1,590.29	78.90	1,544.91
	4th Qtr	219.55	200.31	381.10	198.62	236.08	137.64	550.21	194.17	373.62	1,513.88	85.96	1,123.45
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	208.14	181.46	332.64	58.91	170.97	88.52	395.07	118.18	307.44	1,223.32	95.93	982.68
	2nd Qtr	202.65	171.84	316.53	188.50	217.10	76.08	375.38	96.43	290.97	1,032.12	91.22	1,324.82
2022	July	250.59	220.00	372.50	257.00	188.00	209.50	335.73	169.73	392.58	1,751.00	72.43	1,740.00
	August	230.09	213.33	350.00	290.91	258.18	135.68	351.90	145.60	376.30	1,464.91	80.00	1,450.00
	September	222.78	209.77	375.91	327.73	202.73	153.41	447.93	143.40	348.68	1,554.98	84.27	1,444.74
	October	223.60	207.19	322.11	243.68	243.42	179.21	482.62	201.14	317.96	1,473.64	83.74	1,253.33
	November	220.63	201.90	386.19	206.67	293.33	130.95	580.52	229.43	358.72	1,573.97	85.00	1,013.16
	December	214.42	191.83	435.00	145.50	171.50	102.75	587.50	151.95	444.17	1,494.02	89.15	1,103.85
2023 (b)	January	211.54	190.88	411.50	77.00	146.00	123.00	537.75	147.35	381.43	1,340.73	95.30	1,060.53
	February	205.89	174.28	360.50	42.00	191.00	78.00	360.28	112.71	295.49	1,228.58	95.90	1,027.50
	March	206.98	179.23	225.91	57.73	175.91	64.55	287.19	94.47	245.39	1,100.65	96.59	860.00
	April	206.97	176.72	178.13	136.25	156.88	51.25	375.98	93.04	284.43	1,079.53	95.00	963.85
	May	202.40	171.86	380.95	204.76	281.43	80.48	362.71	98.36	280.82	1,025.99	91.90	1,577.27
	June	198.58	166.94	390.50	224.50	213.00	96.50	387.46	97.88	307.67	990.83	86.75	1,433.33
	July	196.50	174.00	372.63	147.89	354.21	121.58	411.79	114.77	330.42	1,073.33	81.10	1,405.88

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.
(b) Provisional
n.a. – not available

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 17

Average Producer and Retail Prices of Selected Food Items

Rupees

Period (a)		Producer Prices				Retail Prices					
		Paddy (per bushel)	Red Onions (per kg)	Dried Chillies (per kg)	Coconuts (per 1,000 nuts)	Rice (per kg)			Red Onions (per kg)	Dried Chillies (per kg)	Coconuts (per nut)
						Samba	Ordinary	Raw			
2019	Average	898.05	122.96	272.87	31,838.47	102.66	88.40	80.59	204.75	356.26	44.34
2020	”	1,045.49	198.73	408.38	48,040.64	105.16	96.90	93.35	313.87	532.03	65.98
2021	”	1,243.74	211.99	468.17	57,524.76	137.40	112.79	104.63	335.41	590.97	74.84
2022 (b)	”	2,345.03	288.13	1,250.29	57,602.37	218.50	202.71	198.22	439.31	1,539.02	74.55
2022	1st Qtr	1,761.30	210.30	743.57	59,064.94	170.47	153.87	150.03	356.45	932.44	73.96
	2nd Qtr	2,640.30	250.70	1,348.61	59,401.75	230.15	213.20	208.23	406.62	1,666.54	75.23
	3rd Qtr	2,681.08	303.80	1,454.52	53,348.63	242.08	228.97	224.53	421.93	1,847.71	71.84
	4th Qtr	2,297.45	387.73	1,454.44	58,594.15	231.28	214.77	210.07	572.23	1,709.38	77.18
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	2,039.47	368.48	1,230.33	68,669.16	226.41	206.24	191.21	491.81	1,528.78	88.83
	2nd Qtr	1,952.05	256.25	1,028.00	67,065.30	225.75	200.78	176.96	404.67	1,306.49	90.82
2022	July	3,023.17	327.78	1,575.00	52,826.09	250.19	238.70	234.04	446.15	2,025.35	72.40
	August	2,591.96	277.78	1,435.00	52,608.70	240.56	227.48	224.01	399.89	1,774.42	71.08
	September	2,428.11	305.83	1,353.57	54,611.11	235.49	220.74	215.54	419.74	1,743.34	72.05
	October	2,380.69	337.14	1,466.67	54,666.67	232.91	218.04	214.32	475.53	1,707.44	73.19
	November	2,302.28	426.88	1,405.00	59,800.00	231.44	213.91	210.34	600.13	1,711.40	78.37
	December	2,209.37	399.17	1,491.67	61,315.79	229.50	212.37	205.56	641.04	1,709.30	79.98
2023 (b)	January	2,260.44	544.00	1,383.33	65,857.14	228.67	209.75	200.15	637.74	1,639.97	86.11
	February	1,889.65	307.14	1,266.00	68,444.44	225.04	205.49	188.55	459.35	1,546.82	89.07
	March	1,968.31	254.29	1,041.67	71,705.88	225.54	203.46	184.93	378.33	1,399.54	91.31
	April	1,978.20	238.33	1,070.00	70,421.05	225.06	202.09	181.26	389.09	1,318.43	93.82
	May	1,995.68	244.17	1,060.00	68,722.22	226.23	201.76	178.61	403.94	1,327.06	91.84
	June	1,882.27	286.25	954.00	62,052.63	225.96	198.49	171.02	420.99	1,273.99	86.80
	July	1,854.25	332.14	962.50	60,285.71	224.74	193.94	166.97	459.69	1,251.56	82.49

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TABLE 18

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
2019	Average	52.50	63.41	65.40	56.62	111.48	62.75	173.53	58.86	97.08	56.38	104.50	82.99	60.93	72.42	110.97	904.83	584.74	485.23	279.58	153.74	44.66	51.47	85.56	18.35	385.87
2020	"	57.98	71.47	78.41	61.87	119.15	72.59	148.81	61.72	127.81	75.77	134.18	105.37	98.26	87.50	117.92	843.86	604.16	485.84	325.64	170.52	48.41	46.80	86.32	18.71	408.43
2021	"	55.94	98.75	106.78	82.94	181.71	117.71	160.80	61.99	163.87	96.19	126.29	120.10	128.24	98.91	132.92	993.10	684.93	494.55	355.00	166.54	47.51	51.95	95.86	19.15	474.19
2022 (a)	"	85.11	166.31	180.15	132.97	293.36	218.75	244.54	105.18	339.17	176.19	236.11	163.62	238.66	180.72	256.67	1,713.97	1,285.49	952.71	666.27	367.20	70.02	99.19	192.39	39.64	895.15
2022	1st Qtr	69.92	154.74	160.02	129.70	246.24	194.69	142.86	88.43	205.44	155.82	261.11	126.67	177.85	165.83	207.78	1,234.76	925.81	644.56	487.78	199.30	53.99	95.20	143.51	24.91	606.21
	2nd Qtr	71.67	166.44	171.69	135.98	274.04	221.54	305.74	105.39	394.23	136.24	164.44	111.25	331.76	170.56	228.89	1,726.67	1,226.11	819.58	693.06	318.27	57.00	89.29	133.70	33.41	827.70
	3rd Qtr	89.74	176.53	178.05	138.44	305.78	225.05	251.24	116.46	436.86	218.41	249.44	171.39	236.03	166.44	273.33	2,018.89	1,675.00	1,335.19	881.75	592.70	69.08	96.78	197.67	48.73	1,078.52
	4th Qtr	109.13	167.52	210.83	127.74	347.38	233.70	278.31	110.43	320.16	194.29	269.44	245.17	209.00	220.06	316.67	1,875.56	1,315.05	1,011.53	602.50	358.54	100.00	115.50	294.67	51.53	1,068.18
2023 (a)	1st Qtr	110.56	172.88	184.55	138.73	294.04	185.73	138.71	99.19	320.08	76.60	117.92	174.17	142.64	161.98	218.33	2,106.94	1,333.33	974.50	673.89	369.04	100.07	264.05	275.57	47.11	1,008.97
	2nd Qtr	102.83	137.88	155.68	124.59	264.40	172.83	235.33	112.89	253.00	132.98	135.00	158.89	172.81	175.78	265.56	2,144.44	1,518.06	1,007.14	704.44	412.48	103.95	112.25	272.47	52.90	1,123.51
2022	July	82.96	186.25	183.60	159.35	299.44	236.30	312.61	118.20	437.00	227.86	255.00	180.00	220.45	172.00	290.00	1,833.33	1,600.00	1,300.00	916.67	511.43	55.76	85.19	176.75	42.89	999.67
	August	90.69	181.67	174.81	136.48	286.32	225.65	216.82	116.25	465.00	211.11	220.00	127.50	282.31	174.00	220.00	1,990.00	1,762.50	1,305.56	892.86	650.00	63.86	97.17	190.00	52.26	1,087.50
	September	95.56	161.67	175.74	119.48	331.58	213.18	224.29	114.93	408.57	216.25	273.33	206.67	205.33	153.33	310.00	2,233.33	1,662.50	1,400.00	835.71	616.67	87.63	108.00	226.25	51.04	1,148.39
	October	98.75	149.20	191.86	121.83	344.76	203.70	334.35	121.30	377.14	240.71	247.50	198.00	193.44	188.33	285.00	1,850.00	1,275.00	1,131.25	587.50	418.75	104.65	116.21	344.00	49.62	1,209.38
	November	117.93	181.00	234.29	136.07	351.67	294.62	295.38	108.64	308.33	192.14	283.33	230.00	285.23	205.83	300.00	1,960.00	1,288.89	983.33	620.00	339.09	99.80	111.30	295.71	52.80	1,022.86
	December	110.71	172.35	206.33	125.33	345.71	202.78	205.19	101.35	275.00	150.00	277.50	307.50	148.33	266.00	365.00	1,816.67	1,381.25	920.00	600.00	317.78	95.56	119.00	244.29	52.17	972.31
2023 (a)	January	110.18	175.20	222.14	139.57	317.00	283.13	153.27	93.33	378.57	104.38	158.75	227.50	111.54	232.00	280.00	2,137.50	1,218.75	1,018.75	675.00	395.45	103.71	111.92	267.78	54.59	994.00
	February	106.79	187.81	181.90	138.71	278.00	128.28	126.79	115.00	336.67	56.25	110.00	140.00	179.29	121.43	200.00	2,100.00	1,368.75	1,033.33	666.67	372.78	94.53	554.83	257.50	34.14	1,047.71
	March	114.71	155.63	149.62	137.92	287.11	145.80	136.09	89.23	245.00	69.17	85.00	155.00	137.08	132.50	175.00	2,083.33	1,412.50	871.43	680.00	338.89	101.97	125.38	301.43	52.60	985.20
	April	98.40	127.50	123.38	110.83	228.50	181.00	227.83	113.04	194.00	83.75	82.50	132.50	143.75	130.00	250.00	2,150.00	1,268.75	900.00	683.33	368.00	123.06	134.23	304.29	54.21	1,090.80
	May	102.69	141.15	161.15	124.46	241.47	159.63	226.09	118.72	255.00	123.75	90.00	156.67	195.45	178.33	285.00	2,150.00	1,543.75	1,000.00	650.00	408.33	104.53	108.55	275.71	52.75	1,086.92
	June	107.40	145.00	182.50	138.46	323.24	177.86	252.08	106.90	310.00	191.43	232.50	187.50	179.23	219.00	261.67	2,133.33	1,741.67	1,121.43	780.00	461.11	84.26	93.97	237.40	51.75	1,192.80
	July	114.23	137.86	207.59	156.27	292.78	221.61	241.96	108.79	310.00	176.25	355.00	165.00	351.54	286.00	316.67	2,140.00	1,694.44	1,177.78	807.14	465.00	86.31	91.67	255.56	52.64	1,185.83

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 19

Average Retail Prices of Selected Varieties of Vegetables and Fish

Rs. per kg

Period		Vegetables															Sea Fish				
		Low-Country								Up-Country											
		Ash Plantains	Wetakolu	Long Beans	Ladies Fingers	Bitter Gourd	Brinjals	Limes	Mukunuwenna (a)	Green Beans	Cabbages	Carrot	Leeks	Tomatoes	Beetroot	Potatoes	Seer Fish	Kelawalla	Mullet	Hurulla	Salaya
2019	Average	109.09	140.62	129.38	116.27	197.89	121.36	34.63	30.13	186.46	119.19	177.60	153.72	122.51	131.52	121.08	1,280.45	931.69	675.13	443.73	252.12
2020	”	119.76	156.67	145.94	124.71	211.18	133.51	33.04	31.22	214.10	140.89	212.79	176.25	160.22	142.41	144.53	1,254.94	940.28	689.33	489.03	278.24
2021	”	113.51	195.10	182.17	157.81	268.81	194.50	32.78	33.97	257.71	183.31	232.02	211.40	204.47	172.29	151.69	1,386.86	1,069.71	709.59	528.95	275.43
2022	"	161.59	286.66	281.74	232.29	418.65	324.98	44.65	54.99	424.87	298.49	384.08	300.94	351.19	309.34	224.51	2,172.37	1,802.82	1,245.39	877.93	535.83
2022	Q1	130.80	265.44	234.23	210.62	355.93	275.77	28.26	45.86	321.29	247.29	402.96	262.46	259.11	293.66	177.66	1,684.97	1,313.80	889.43	606.12	307.62
	Q2	142.57	281.35	272.56	237.95	404.46	322.23	54.69	52.34	471.18	256.74	338.56	264.58	473.81	298.48	226.51	2,093.86	1,716.83	1,161.53	858.95	504.63
	Q3	167.97	296.51	295.94	250.92	443.30	352.39	46.86	59.01	470.48	373.20	381.50	299.90	347.28	298.17	254.00	2,609.37	2,248.10	1,592.21	1,161.31	777.14
	Q4	205.00	303.35	324.23	229.66	470.89	349.50	48.77	62.77	436.55	316.72	413.29	376.83	324.54	347.04	239.88	2,301.28	1,932.55	1,338.40	885.36	553.93
2023 (b)	Q1	211.51	296.92	274.30	251.62	417.02	281.87	31.20	63.64	407.98	172.75	254.56	302.64	264.44	286.42	168.33	2,342.74	1,841.43	1,306.47	950.45	541.13
	Q2	205.75	289.49	279.52	233.42	409.60	316.99	44.96	62.25	380.08	275.72	324.08	331.37	293.46	324.06	189.46	2,448.79	2,012.43	1,396.32	1,068.18	629.84
2022	Jul	160.00	293.56	310.25	290.21	451.69	343.18	54.62	57.81	469.04	352.53	380.76	305.15	363.66	343.33	264.81	2,461.76	2,113.54	1,528.29	1,131.23	746.46
	Aug	165.45	293.50	287.19	243.42	436.72	367.88	44.54	59.38	470.43	371.10	372.50	285.32	373.91	268.60	236.33	2,650.00	2,289.88	1,626.73	1,194.44	802.34
	Sep	178.45	302.48	290.39	219.11	441.48	346.12	41.42	59.85	471.97	395.97	391.25	309.21	304.26	282.59	260.85	2,716.33	2,340.89	1,621.61	1,158.25	782.61
	Oct	194.32	292.62	309.38	226.37	470.49	340.88	57.93	62.41	429.99	353.58	393.10	328.52	326.59	317.62	241.77	2,434.37	2,049.04	1,506.15	909.33	631.12
	Nov	206.32	314.02	347.72	237.70	481.48	390.53	51.07	62.15	439.90	318.73	440.34	376.31	377.91	339.69	249.35	2,303.01	1,895.36	1,300.10	854.93	520.84
	Dec	214.37	303.42	315.58	224.92	460.70	317.11	37.31	63.74	439.75	277.84	406.43	425.65	269.13	383.80	228.53	2,166.45	1,853.25	1,208.96	891.82	509.82
2023 (b)	Jan	212.23	318.55	305.83	253.77	433.54	356.55	30.87	64.69	487.71	200.07	294.38	351.77	258.38	361.54	175.73	2,460.51	1,883.55	1,314.82	971.81	548.90
	Feb	214.77	307.81	277.16	260.80	417.69	241.30	30.55	63.47	428.57	161.67	248.82	293.03	285.10	258.79	171.29	2,320.77	1,855.53	1,291.82	949.04	528.89
	Mar	207.53	264.42	239.90	240.30	399.83	247.75	32.19	62.76	307.65	156.51	220.48	263.13	249.84	238.94	157.97	2,246.94	1,785.23	1,312.78	930.50	545.61
	April	197.13	236.58	210.40	201.26	317.29	275.03	42.40	61.94	267.25	189.99	229.26	279.52	231.39	229.77	172.75	2,309.36	1,831.78	1,284.11	955.59	559.33
	May	208.70	311.63	281.41	233.41	416.47	338.39	46.32	62.32	408.40	287.88	314.70	337.64	328.09	325.30	196.51	2,452.65	2,012.76	1,397.24	1,032.61	614.11
	Jun	211.43	320.25	346.74	265.60	495.05	337.56	46.15	62.47	464.60	349.29	428.28	376.94	320.89	417.10	199.10	2,584.38	2,192.76	1,507.60	1,216.34	716.10
	Jul	216.08	284.97	331.78	259.10	444.11	334.80	47.73	63.42	482.49	303.42	475.02	332.36	436.43	383.57	226.59	2,662.76	2,252.38	1,580.95	1,172.60	704.53

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Utility Prices

Item	Unit	Price before Change (Rs. per unit)	Price after Change (Rs. per unit)	Absolute Change (Rs. per unit)	% Change	Date of Revision
Electricity (Domestic)	Unit Charge – Usage less than 60 units					
	0 – 30	30.00	10.00	-20.00	-66.7	01/07/2023
	31 – 60	37.00	25.00	-12.00	-32.4	
	Unit Charge – Usage more than 60 units					
	0 – 60	42.00	32.00	-10.00	-23.8	01/07/2023
	61 – 90	42.00	35.00	-7.00	-16.7	
	91 – 120	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.0	
	121 – 180	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.0	
	Over 180	75.00	75.00	0.00	0.0	
	Fixed Charges					
	0 – 30	400.00	150.00	-250.00	-62.5	01/07/2023
	31 – 60	550.00	300.00	-250.00	-45.5	
	61 – 90	650.00	400.00	-250.00	-38.5	
	91 – 120	1500.00	1000.00	-500.00	-33.3	
	121 – 180	1500.00	1500.00	0.00	0.0	
	Over 180	2000.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.0	
Water (Domestic)	Category					
	00 – 05	8.00	20.00	12.00	150.0	01/09/2022
	06 – 10	11.00	27.00	16.00	145.5	
	11 – 15	20.00	34.00	14.00	70.0	
	16 – 20	40.00	68.00	28.00	70.0	
	21 – 25	58.00	99.00	41.00	70.7	
	26 – 30	88.00	150.00	62.00	70.5	
	31 – 40	105.00	179.00	74.00	70.5	
	41 – 50	120.00	204.00	84.00	70.0	
	51 – 75	130.00	221.00	91.00	70.0	
	Over 75	140.00	238.00	98.00	70.0	
	Service Charge					
	00 – 05	50.00	300.00	250.00	500.0	01/09/2022
	06 – 10	65.00	300.00	235.00	361.5	
	11 – 15	70.00	300.00	230.00	328.0	
	16 – 20	80.00	300.00	220.00	275.0	
	21 – 25	100.00	300.00	200.00	200.0	
	26 – 30	200.00	900.00	700.00	350.0	
	31 – 40	400.00	900.00	500.00	125.0	
	41 – 50	650.00	2,400.00	1,750.00	269.2	
	51 – 75	1,000.00	2,400.00	1,400.00	140.0	
	Over 75	1,600.00	3,500.00	1,400.00	118.8	
Bus Fare (Private Sector)	Fare Stage	With Effect from 01.07.2022	With Effect from 20.07.2022	With Effect from 05.08.2022	With Effect from 30.03.2022	
	1	40.00	38.00	34.00	30.00	
	2	46.00	45.00	42.00	37.00	
	3	60.00	59.00	54.00	48.00	
	4	74.00	73.00	67.00	59.00	
	5	89.00	87.00	80.00	70.00	

Sources : National Transport Commission
Ceylon Electricity Board
National Water Supply and Drainage Board

Minimum Wage Rate Indices of Workers in Wages Boards Trades

December 1978 = 100

Period		Workers in Agriculture (a)		Workers in Industry & Commerce (b)		Workers in Services (c)		Workers in Wages Boards Trades (d)	
		Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index
2019	Average	4,784.5	103.8	3,796.6	82.4	2,659.3	57.7	4,275.5	92.8
2020	”	4,785.6	99.3	3,806.2	79.0	2,684.2	55.7	4,282.0	88.8
2021	”	9,492.0	185.5	4,061.1	79.4	2,845.1	55.7	7,469.5	146.0
2022 (e)	"	10,441.7	143.8	4,417.9	60.8	3,070.3	42.3	8,198.6	112.9
2022	1st Qtr	10,435.9	181.9	4,417.9	77.0	3,070.3	53.5	8,194.7	142.9
	2nd Qtr	10,438.9	148.7	4,417.9	62.9	3,070.3	43.7	8,196.7	116.7
	3rd Qtr	10,445.3	123.9	4,417.9	52.4	3,070.3	36.4	8,200.9	97.3
	4th Qtr	10,446.7	120.6	4,417.9	51.0	3,070.3	35.5	8,201.9	94.7
2023 (e)	1st Qtr	10,446.8	118.6	4,485.0	50.9	3,070.3	34.9	8,214.3	93.2
	2nd Qtr	10,446.7	117.8	4,619.3	52.1	3,070.3	34.6	8,239.0	92.9
2022	July	10,444.1	127.5	4,417.9	53.9	3,070.3	37.5	8,200.1	100.1
	August	10,445.6	124.4	4,417.9	52.6	3,070.3	36.6	8,201.1	97.7
	September	10,446.2	119.9	4,417.9	50.7	3,070.3	35.2	8,201.5	94.1
	October	10,446.7	120.3	4,417.9	50.9	3,070.3	35.4	8,201.9	94.5
	November	10,446.8	120.9	4,417.9	51.1	3,070.3	35.5	8,201.9	94.9
	December	10,446.6	120.6	4,417.9	51.0	3,070.3	35.5	8,201.8	94.7
2023 (e)	January	10,446.6	120.1	4,417.9	50.8	3,070.3	35.3	8,201.8	94.3
	February	10,446.9	119.5	4,417.9	50.5	3,070.3	35.1	8,202.0	93.8
	March	10,447.0	116.1	4,619.3	51.4	3,070.3	34.1	8,239.1	91.6
	April	10,446.9	117.8	4,619.3	52.1	3,070.3	34.6	8,239.1	92.9
	May	10,446.5	117.8	4,619.3	52.1	3,070.3	34.6	8,238.8	92.9
	June	10,446.8	117.8	4,619.3	52.1	3,070.3	34.6	8,239.0	92.9
	July	10,447.0	119.1	4,619.3	52.7	3,070.3	35.0	8,239.1	93.9

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

Sources : Labour Department
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) The Index refers to wage rates of tea growing and manufacturing, rubber growing and manufacturing, coconut, cocoa, cardamoms and pepper growing trades only.

(b) Includes baking, brick and tile manufacturing, coconut manufacturing, printing textile, tyre and tube manufacturing, coir mattresses & bristle fibre export, hosiery manufacturing, engineering, garment manufacturing, match manufacturing, biscuit manufacturing, tea export and rubber export trades only.

(c) This includes cinema, motor transport and nursing homes trade only.

(d) Combined Index for workers in Agriculture, Industry & Commerce and Services.

(e) Provisional.

n.a. – Not available

Wage Rate Indices (Public Sector Employees)[(a)]

2016 = 100

Period		Senior Level Officers		Tertiary Level Officers		Secondary Level Officers		Primary Level Officers		All Central Government	
		NWRI	RWRI (b)	NWRI	RWRI (b)	NWRI	RWRI (b)	NWRI	RWRI (b)	NWRI	RWRI (b)
2018		103.4	94.0	100.2	91.1	100.0	90.9	100.0	90.9	100.2	91.1
2019		117.4	103.1	108.0	94.8	104.0	91.3	103.9	91.2	104.9	92.1
2020		131.4	108.7	121.0	100.1	115.1	95.2	108.3	89.6	114.6	94.8
2021 (c)		131.4	101.7	121.0	93.6	115.1	89.1	108.3	83.9	114.6	88.7
2022	1st Qtr	141.5	95.4	141.2	95.2	135.4	91.3	123.8	83.5	133.1	89.8
	2nd Qtr	141.5	77.1	141.2	76.9	135.4	73.8	123.8	67.5	133.1	72.5
	3rd Qtr	141.5	64.4	141.2	64.2	135.4	61.6	123.8	56.3	133.1	60.5
	4th Qtr	141.5	62.8	141.2	62.6	135.4	60.1	123.8	54.9	133.1	59.1
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	141.5	61.9	141.2	61.7	135.4	59.2	123.8	54.1	133.1	58.2
	2nd Qtr	141.5	62.0	141.2	61.9	135.4	59.3	123.8	54.3	133.1	58.3
2022	July	141.5	65.9	141.2	65.7	135.4	63.0	123.8	57.7	133.1	62.0
	August	141.5	64.3	141.2	64.2	135.4	61.5	123.8	56.3	133.1	60.5
	September	141.5	62.9	141.2	62.7	135.4	60.1	123.8	55.0	133.1	59.1
	October	141.5	62.7	141.2	62.5	135.4	60.0	123.8	54.9	133.1	59.0
	November	141.5	62.8	141.2	62.7	135.4	60.1	123.8	55.0	133.1	59.1
	December	141.5	62.8	141.2	62.7	135.4	60.1	123.8	55.0	133.1	59.1
2023 (c)	January	141.5	62.4	141.2	62.2	135.4	59.7	123.8	54.6	133.1	58.7
	February	141.5	61.7	141.2	61.5	135.4	59.0	123.8	54.0	133.1	58.0
	March	141.5	61.5	141.2	61.3	135.4	58.8	123.8	53.8	133.1	57.8
	April	141.5	62.1	141.2	62.0	135.4	59.4	123.8	54.4	133.1	58.4
	May	141.5	62.0	141.2	61.8	135.4	59.3	123.8	54.2	133.1	58.3
	June	141.5	61.9	141.2	61.8	135.4	59.3	123.8	54.2	133.1	58.3
	July	141.5	62.4	141.2	62.2	135.4	59.7	123.8	54.6	133.1	58.7

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

(a) Public sector wage rate index was rebased to 2016 (from 2012) in order to capture the changes introduced to public sector salary structure by the Public Administration Circular No. 03/2016 issued by the Ministry of Public Administration and Management on 25 February 2016. The data relating to the base period employment structure was obtained from the Census of Public and Semi Government Sector Employment conducted by the Department of Census and Statistics in November 2016.

(b) Based on NCPI (2013 = 100)

(c) Provisional

n.a. - not available

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 23

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

Rupees

Period		Agriculture										Housing Construction (b)					
		Tea		Rubber			Coconut		Paddy			Carpentry			Masonry		
		Prepa-ration of Land	Plucking	Planting	Tapping		Digging Pits	Pluck-ing with sticks	Plough-ing with mammoties	Transplanting / Harvesting (c)		Master Car-penter	Skilled Helper	Un-skilled Helper	Master Mason	Skilled Helper	Un-skilled Helper
		Male	Female	Male	Male	Female	Male	Male	Male	Male	Female						
2019	Average	1,302	804	1,312	825	788	1,464	1,594	1,464	1,412	1,090	2,107	1,550	1,271	2,109	1,519	1,299
2020	”	1,300	886	1,322	913	903	1,446	1,802	1,612	1,440	1,325	2,471	1,770	1,458	2,490	1,769	1,487
2021	”	1,490	861	1,435	946	889	1,599	1,836	1,604	1,552	1,170	2,590	1,835	1,484	2,609	1,831	1,537
2022 (d)	"	1,768	1,098	1,876	1,267	1,118	2,124	2,494	2,153	2,047	1,600	3,091	2,291	1,864	3,128	2,279	1,901
2022	1st Qtr	1,614	966	1,646	1,115	1,017	1,875	2,116	1,870	1,838	1,420	2,885	2,112	1,743	2,913	2,104	1,750
	2nd Qtr	1,750	1,053	1,847	1,248	1,121	2,057	2,379	2,091	1,974	1,559	3,043	2,262	1,839	3,090	2,243	1,876
	3rd Qtr	1,848	1,171	1,950	1,370	1,185	2,214	2,646	2,284	2,147	1,725	3,153	2,370	1,927	3,198	2,370	1,968
	4th Qtr	1,861	1,202	2,063	1,338	1,149	2,351	2,837	2,366	2,231	1,696	3,283	2,421	1,946	3,313	2,399	2,009
2023 (d)	1st Qtr	1,897	1,182	2,082	1,274	1,092	2,296	2,763	2,379	2,246	1,782	3,326	2,469	2,012	3,352	2,431	2,069
	2nd Qtr	1,870	1,162	2,086	1,279	1,088	2,282	2,886	2,369	2,344	1,918	3,314	2,484	2,046	3,357	2,482	2,104
2022	July	1,804	1,127	1,917	1,406	1,225	2,193	2,568	2,312	2,054	1,675	3,107	2,348	1,929	3,199	2,346	1,979
	August	1,843	1,190	2,033	1,329	1,143	2,148	2,526	2,262	2,158	1,759	3,164	2,384	1,936	3,187	2,412	1,973
	September	1,896	1,195	1,900	1,375	1,188	2,302	2,843	2,278	2,230	1,741	3,187	2,377	1,914	3,206	2,351	1,952
	October	1,890	1,189	2,063	1,300	1,117	2,340	2,834	2,364	2,277	1,755	3,301	2,436	1,915	3,336	2,419	2,000
	November	1,846	1,200	2,056	1,300	1,130	2,356	2,785	2,377	2,238	1,650	3,258	2,402	1,959	3,288	2,356	2,035
	December	1,846	1,217	2,071	1,413	1,200	2,356	2,890	2,356	2,178	1,682	3,291	2,425	1,962	3,317	2,423	1,991
2023 (d)	January	1,837	1,197	2,063	1,300	1,100	2,279	2,784	2,454	2,323	1,740	3,300	2,429	1,986	3,302	2,434	2,041
	February	1,932	1,132	2,083	1,250	1,075	2,293	2,669	2,361	2,243	1,871	3,350	2,515	2,037	3,372	2,420	2,090
	March	1,921	1,218	2,100	1,271	1,100	2,317	2,836	2,322	2,172	1,736	3,328	2,462	2,013	3,381	2,440	2,076
	April	1,825	1,178	2,125	1,286	1,113	2,291	2,943	2,358	2,371	1,964	3,325	2,494	2,001	3,365	2,453	2,078
	May	1,857	1,128	2,063	1,300	1,089	2,278	2,844	2,381	2,309	1,900	3,319	2,481	2,043	3,381	2,527	2,116
	June	1,927	1,180	2,071	1,250	1,063	2,278	2,871	2,367	2,353	1,890	3,298	2,479	2,094	3,326	2,465	2,119
	July	1,972	1,209	2,000	1,267	1,089	2,280	2,867	2,333	2,332	1,950	3,344	2,476	2,067	3,354	2,490	2,099

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Daily wages represent payments in cash where meals are not provided by the employer. Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.

(b) Wages in the construction sector are paid on both daily payment and contractual basis. The series on contractual basis in previous bulletin publications has been replaced by the series on daily payment basis from the monthly bulletin of December 2005 onwards for comparison with wages in other sectors.

(c) Daily wages up to December 2004 are the average of daily wages for the two activities. From January 2005 onwards the daily wages cover both activities under a single category following the restructuring of data collection schedules.

(d) Provisional.

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 24

Cost of Construction Indices

1990 = 100

	Period	Modern Housing	Semi Permanent Housing	All Housing	Non-Residential Building	All Civil Works	All Construction
2019	Average	815.8	1,193.2	839.2	749.9	620.1	738.1
2020	”	840.5	1,221.8	864.2	776.1	638.5	760.8
2021	”	929.2	1,298.8	952.1	869.7	730.3	851.3
2022	"	1,529.8	1,711.2	1,541.1	1,509.4	1,277.5	1,434.6
2022	1st Qtr	1,121.0	1,391.7	1,137.8	1,062.3	880.3	1,024.9
	2nd Qtr	1,513.9	1,644.0	1,522.0	1,575.2	1,327.1	1,458.6
	3rd Qtr	1,783.7	1,930.6	1,792.8	1,758.9	1,490.4	1,671.1
	4th Qtr	1,700.7	1,878.6	1,711.8	1,641.2	1,412.1	1,583.8
2023	1st Qtr	1,626.4	1,879.1	1,642.1	1,570.9	1,335.4	1,511.3
	2nd Qtr	1,555.4	1,858.9	1,574.2	1,477.9	1,234.6	1,425.9

(b) Revised in September 2012 issue.

Source : Construction Industry Development Authority

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 25

Indices for Price Selected Construction Materials and Labour Wages

1990 = 100

Period (a)		Cement	Rubble	Bricks (Hand cut)	Calicut Tiles	Reinforce- -ment Steel	Structural Steel	Asbestos Roofing Sheets	PVC Pipes (b)	General Timber	Electrical Wiring	Wall Paint	Glass	Skilled Labour	Semi Skilled Labour	Unskilled Labour
2019	Average	594.1	764.3	1,800.3	930.0	714.8	561.5	501.0	903.0	1,326.8	529.7	899.7	418.2	515.6	535.4	618.2
2020	”	581.8	754.7	1,814.5	961.0	755.0	575.1	512.9	872.2	1,391.4	535.8	1,006.2	442.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
2021	”	619.3	875.0	2,044.9	979.8	1,018.6	789.6	589.5	1,397.3	1,573.8	911.1	1,108.7	725.4	589.1	639.3	726.4
2022 (c)	"	1,453.7	1,775.4	2,842.9	1,324.4	2,247.1	1,753.1	1,164.9	2,891.2	2,409.1	1,857.7	2,026.1	1,427.7	722.6	784.1	890.9
2022	1st Qtr	900.7	1,087.4	2,492.4	1,066.3	1,337.2	1,092.5	829.8	1,835.0	1,883.8	1,115.5	1,349.9	960.3	655.1	710.8	807.7
	2nd Qtr	1,555.9	1,398.4	2,761.5	1,297.6	2,925.1	2,032.7	1,231.1	3,008.6	2,343.2	1,928.8	1,851.9	1,359.6	734.2	796.7	905.2
	3rd Qtr	1,772.5	2,272.5	3,100.7	1,470.5	2,560.8	2,085.7	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,640.3	2,270.4	2,408.2	1,943.4	750.6	814.5	925.4
	4th Qtr	1,585.4	2,343.1	3,016.9	1,463.2	2,165.5	1,801.5	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,769.2	2,115.9	2,494.4	1,447.7	750.6	814.5	925.4
2023 (c)	1st Qtr	1,407.1	2,243.8	2,827.7	1,448.6	2,079.2	1,707.8	1,285.9	2,702.0	2,762.3	1,794.8	2,351.0	1,025.3	750.6	814.5	925.4
	2nd Qtr	1,311.4	2,049.4	2,701.2	1,448.6	1,860.3	1,548.9	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,762.3	1,709.6	2,238.3	866.0	750.6	814.5	925.4
2022	Jul	1,793.1	2,099.8	3,049.8	1,470.5	2,803.4	2,173.9	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,610.8	2,275.3	2,309.7	1,954.5	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Aug	1,793.1	2,374.6	3,079.0	1,470.5	2,610.7	2,133.6	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,610.8	2,268.0	2,420.6	2,037.8	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Sep	1,731.4	2,343.1	3,173.4	1,470.5	2,268.2	1,949.5	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,699.2	2,268.0	2,494.4	1,837.9	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Oct	1,676.6	2,343.1	3,072.8	1,470.5	2,215.5	1,927.4	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,710.1	2,183.8	2,494.4	1,704.5	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Nov	1,585.7	2,343.1	3,072.8	1,470.5	2,188.9	1,751.4	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,798.7	2,112.5	2,494.4	1,427.7	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Dec	1,494.0	2,343.1	2,905.2	1,448.6	2,092.0	1,725.6	1,299.3	3,360.7	2,798.7	2,051.5	2,494.4	1,210.8	750.6	814.5	925.4
2023 (c)	Jan	1,391.0	2,284.6	2,905.2	1,448.6	2,079.2	1,725.6	1,299.3	3,273.0	2,762.3	1,811.4	2,407.4	1,080.7	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Feb	1,386.9	2,284.6	2,789.0	1,448.6	2,079.2	1,725.6	1,299.3	2,573.0	2,762.3	1,811.4	2,407.4	1,034.0	750.6	814.5	925.4
	Mar	1,443.3	2,162.3	2,789.0	1,448.6	2,079.2	1,672.2	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,762.3	1,761.7	2,238.3	961.3	750.6	814.5	925.4
	April	1,435.7	2,096.5	2,789.0	1,448.6	2,079.2	1,646.5	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,762.3	1,709.6	2,238.3	896.2	750.6	814.5	925.4
	May	1,296.2	2,043.9	2,681.3	1,448.6	1,812.6	1,519.8	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,762.3	1,709.6	2,238.3	855.8	750.6	814.5	925.4
	June	1,202.3	2,007.7	2,633.4	1,448.6	1,689.1	1,480.3	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,762.3	1,709.6	2,238.3	846.0	750.6	814.5	925.4
	July	1,184.2	2,007.7	2,505.4	1,448.6	1,656.4	1,516.4	1,259.0	2,259.9	2,716.7	1,709.6	2,238.3	846.0	750.6	814.5	925.4

(a) Annual and quarterly figures are averages of monthly figures.
(b) Index of PVC Pipes has been revised from April to August 2012.
(c) Provisional

Source : Construction Industry Development Authority

Economic Classification of Government Fiscal Operations[(a)(b)]

Rs. million

Period		Revenue and Grants	Expenditure and Net Lending (c)	Overall Budget Balance	Domestic Financing	Foreign Financing (d)	Total Financing
2019 (e)		1,898,808	3,337,896	-1,439,088	896,448	542,641	1,439,088
2020 (e)		1,373,308	3,040,996	-1,667,688	1,750,887	-83,199	1,667,688
2021		1,463,810	3,521,735	-2,057,925	2,071,826	-13,901	2,057,925
2022 (f)		2,012,589	4,472,556	-2,459,967	2,035,145	424,822	2,459,967
2023 (f)	Jan	175,061	289,761	-114,700	126,438	-11,738	114,700
	Feb	283,550	491,726	-208,175	212,387	-4,212	208,175
	Mar	176,656	478,558	-301,902	327,307	-25,405	301,902
	Apr	186,079	385,557	-199,478	235,621	-36,144	199,478
	May	301,080	491,500	-190,419	176,230	14,189	190,419
	Jun	194,627	422,518	-227,891	44,624	183,268	227,891
	Jul	199,749	428,046	-228,297	185,933	42,363	228,296

(a) Revised based on economic classification.
(b) In line with the Annual Report - 2020, the format has been updated.
(c) Excludes debt repayments.
(d) Net foreign investments in Treasury bills and Treasury bonds are included.
(e) As announced in the Budget Speech for 2020, the fiscal sector statistics of 2019 have been restated while adjusting the fiscal data for 2020 for payment in arrears carried forward from 2019.
(f) Provisional

Sources : Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Economic Classification of Government Revenue

Rs. million

Period	Tax Revenue														Non-Tax Revenue				Total Revenue
	Income Tax	Ports and Airports Development Levy	Value Added Tax			Excise Tax						Import Duties	Other	Total	Profits and Dividends	Sales and Charges	Other	Total	
			Manufacturing/ Non-Manufacturing	Imports	Total	Liquor	Cigarettes	Petroleum	Motor Vehicles	Other	Total								
2019 (a)	427,700	112,174	273,963	169,914	443,877	115,443	87,367	61,740	130,378	4,550	399,478	98,427	253,269	1,734,925	27,857	73,884	54,233	155,974	1,890,899
2020 (a)	268,249	115,442	148,061	85,725	233,786	120,990	94,345	53,111	48,760	4,726	321,932	114,183	162,950	1,216,542	17,624	47,370	86,423	151,417	1,367,960
2021	302,115	154,125	185,462	122,751	308,213	138,637	88,539	55,339	18,113	6,234	306,861	64,339	162,365	1,298,019	30,591	42,645	85,816	159,052	1,457,071
2022 (b)	534,021	180,595	291,619	171,452	463,072	165,188	104,160	53,074	14,504	5,597	342,523	50,009	180,912	1,751,132	28,092	90,050	109,910	228,052	1,979,184
2023 (b) Jan	8,129	13,885	44,271	18,320	62,591	14,646	8,969	10,548	161	591	34,914	5,773	31,958	157,250	3,707	7,381	6,723	17,811	175,061
Feb	126,395	20,081	35,289	15,420	50,710	12,407	10,145	8,660	1,447	313	32,972	5,288	27,301	262,747	883	11,335	8,518	20,736	283,483
Mar	27,305	12,150	33,994	16,402	50,396	13,935	13,310	5,380	337	164	33,126	4,195	30,523	157,695	976	10,113	7,559	18,648	176,343
Apr	29,939	10,569	44,627	14,865	59,492	17,171	10,282	3,171	4,614	314	35,552	5,007	24,327	164,886	4,000	10,819	5,479	20,298	185,183
May	155,635	11,860	40,687	16,399	57,087	10,898	10,438	1,783	4,425	392	27,936	5,502	28,806	286,826	20	7,709	6,010	13,739	300,565
Jun	37,060	12,066	37,018	15,399	52,417	11,964	9,635	2,698	9,113	102	33,512	5,866	28,528	169,449	4,143	11,983	8,676	24,802	194,251
Jul	31,234	13,029	40,647	20,532	61,179	13,535	11,550	10,036	372	718	36,211	4,179	32,187	178,019	4,207	8,747	6,970	19,924	197,943

(a) As announced in the Budget Speech for 2020, the fiscal sector statistics of 2019 have been restated while adjusting the fiscal data for 2020 for payment in arrears carried forward from 2019.

(b) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies

Government Expenditure – July 2023

Rs. million

	Ministry (a)	Recurrent			Capital		
		Approved Estimates (a)	July (b)	Upto July (b)	Approved Estimates (a)	July (b)	Upto July (b)
1	HE the President, Prime Minister, Judges of the Supreme Court etc.	23,766	942	7,367	1,475	161	773
2	Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs	6,355	357	2,489	1,585	47	153
3	Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies (c)	2,411,133	171,590	1,455,574	2,354,723	146,934	789,263
4	Ministry of Defence	359,648	28,434	210,956	49,980	1,760	10,440
5	Ministry of Mass Media	25,360	2,129	12,771	2,780	24	159
6	Ministry of Justice, Prison Affairs and Constitutional Reforms	27,500	2,866	15,038	5,800	248	995
7	Ministry of Health	267,500	23,637	154,235	55,000	2,403	10,135
8	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	18,600	1,226	8,740	400	10	107
9	Ministry of Trade, Commerce and Food Security	1,740	102	855	4,337	107	2,059
10	Ministry of Transport and Highways	49,494	3,658	24,110	325,249	53,736	161,702
11	Ministry of Agriculture	81,000	5,877	48,571	34,370	1,944	9,334
12	Ministry of Power and Energy	1,000	45	349	36,200	990	5,528
13	Ministry of Tourism and Lands	7,500	573	4,019	3,850	77	495
14	Ministry of Urban Development and Housing	4,048	218	1,586	44,444	934	16,862
15	Ministry of Education	184,100	13,008	90,650	48,060	2,084	11,882
16	Ministry of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Loacal Government	847,617	65,387	450,972	73,637	3,960	20,226
17	Ministry of Plantation Industries	5,850	421	2,976	8,800	630	2,262
18	Ministry of Industries	3,179	210	1,397	5,871	547	1,513
19	Ministry of Fisheries	2,950	439	2,294	3,600	3	600
20	Ministry of Environment	1,564	115	806	659	8	72
21	Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Resources Conservation	4,956	413	2,666	3,715	358	1,870
22	Ministry of Water Supply	970	71	458	73,404	4,054	25,648
23	Ministry of Women, Child Affairs and Social Empowerment	149,000	18,843	113,258	3,250	18	412
24	Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Aviation	1,516	38	931	2,160	165	704
25	Ministry of Technology	5,697	178	695	1,843	15	19
26	Ministry of Investment Promotion	855	70	330	1,370	2	152
27	Ministry of Public Security	121,496	9,076	65,933	16,772	179	10,743
28	Ministry of Labour and Foreign Employment	4,920	419	2,567	1,953	19	181
29	Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs	6,050	371	2,248	4,200	38	629
30	Ministry of Irrigation	8,900	584	4,425	75,750	1,705	19,976
	Total	**4,634,263**	**351,299**	**2,689,267**	**3,245,236**	**223,161**	**1,104,894**

(a) As per the approved Budget Estimates for 2023
(b) Provisional
(c) Includes debt service payments

Source : Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies

Economic Classification of Government Expenditure

Rs. million

Period		Recurrent						Capital and Net Lending	Total
		Salaries & Wages	Interest	Pension	Samurdhi	Other	Total		
2019 (a)		686,452	901,353	227,670	44,660	564,446	2,424,582	913,314	3,337,896
2020 (a)		794,158	980,302	257,833	52,434	463,632	2,548,359	492,638	3,040,996
2021		845,680	1,048,382	269,827	55,400	528,223	2,747,512	774,223	3,521,735
2022 (b)		956,210	1,565,190	309,067	120,988	568,178	3,519,633	952,924	4,472,556
2023 (b)	Jan	75,935	153,937	24,912	5,264	36,365	296,414	(6,653)	289,761
	Feb	76,463	271,458	27,331	10,244	53,865	439,360	52,365	491,726
	Mar	75,940	247,677	26,039	8,727	57,485	415,867	62,691	478,558
	Apr	74,971	145,897	27,642	5,231	79,600	333,342	52,215	385,557
	May	78,237	243,132	34,260	26,127	71,155	452,911	38,588	491,500
	Jun	78,444	211,190	29,638	13,791	54,583	387,646	34,872	422,518
	Jul	78,747	170,166	27,733	13,768	58,795	349,209	78,837	428,046

(a) As announced in the Budget Speech for 2020, the fiscal sector statistics of 2019 have been restated while adjusting the fiscal data for 2020 for payment in arrears carried forward from 2019.

(b) Provisional

Sources : Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies

Outstanding Central Government Debt (as at end year)

Rs. million

	2020(a)	2021(a)(b)	2022(a)(c)(d)	2023 Q1(a)(b)(c)(d)	2023 Q2(a)(c)(d)
Total Domestic Debt	**9,065,068**	**11,097,223**	**15,033,876**	**15,616,501**	**15,961,411**
Short-Term	2,197,594	3,139,794	4,267,724	4,738,827	5,289,285
Treasury Bills (e)	1,620,705	2,270,508	4,113,907	4,574,558	5,140,936
Provisional Advances from the Central Bank	153,079	150,129	235,639	344,664	343,114
Import Bills held by Commercial Banks	155	9	0	_	0
Other Liabilities to the Banking Sector Net of Bank Deposits (f)	423,656	719,148	-81,822	-180,395	-194,764
Medium and Long-Term	6,867,473	7,957,430	9,882,058	10,080,805	9,920,192
Rupee Loans	24,088	24,088	24,088	_	
Treasury Bonds (g)	5,713,300	6,966,218	8,709,057	9,119,118	9,019,971
Sri Lanka Development Bonds (h)	486,870	455,203	382,092	276,429	263,946
International Sovereign Bonds (h)(i)	415,756	372,612	635,443	572,751	540,453
Offshore Banking Units	227,418	139,301	131,372	112,501	95,815
Other	41	7	7	7	7
Other Domestic (j)	n.a.	n.a.	884,093	796,869	751,933
By Debt Instrument	**9,065,068**	**11,097,223**	**15,033,876**	**15,616,501**	**15,961,411**
Rupee Loans	24,088	24,088	24,088	_	0
Treasury Bills (e)	1,620,705	2,270,508	4,113,907	4,574,558	5,140,936
Treasury Bonds (g)	5,713,300	6,966,218	8,709,057	9,119,118	9,019,971
Sri Lanka Development Bonds (h)	486,870	455,203	382,092	276,429	263,946
International Sovereign Bonds (h)(i)	415,756	372,612	635,443	572,751	540,453
Provisional Advances from the Central Bank	153,079	150,129	235,639	344,664	343,114
Other (f)(j)	651,269	858,466	933,651	728,982	652,991
By Institution (k)(f)	**9,065,068**	**11,097,223**	**15,033,876**	**15,616,501**	**15,961,411**
Banks (Excluding Licensed Specialised Banks)	4,542,155	5,247,919	8,525,718	8,642,615	8,774,774
Central Bank					
By Debt Instrument (b)	876,818	1,565,494	2,833,607	3,019,599	2,799,485
Treasury Bills	654,611	1,391,281	2,575,717	2,648,568	2,430,357
Treasury Bonds (m)	70,575	25,471	22,461	26,661	26,204
Other	151,632	148,742	235,429	344,370	342,924
Commercial Banks					
By Debt Instrument	3,665,337	3,682,425	5,692,111	5,623,016	5,975,289
Rupee Loans	15,870	15,870	15,870	_	0
Treasury Bills (b)(f)	769,946	568,597	657,308	985,625	1,482,501
Treasury Bonds (b)(i)	1,366,883	1,459,183	3,116,024	3,095,861	3,068,210
Sri Lanka Development Bonds (h)	444,173	406,317	333,611	239,511	230,950
International Sovereign Bonds (h)	415,756	372,612	635,443	572,751	540,453
Other (j)	652,710	859,845	933,853	729,269	653,174
Non-Bank sector					
By Debt Instrument	4,210,099	4,822,098	6,164,063	6,578,639	6,811,166
Rupee Loans (n)	8,218	8,218	8,218	_	0
Treasury Bills (b)	145,416	220,481	837,279	889,424	1,179,684
Treasury Bonds (b)	4,013,761	4,544,506	5,270,079	5,652,290	5,598,479
Sri Lanka Development Bonds (h)	42,697	48,886	48,480	36,918	32,996
Other	7	7	7	7	7
By Institution (b)(j)	4,210,099	4,822,098	6,164,063	6,578,639	6,811,166
Licensed Specialised Banks	707,538	807,352	821,593	878,158	932,979
Licensed Finance Companies	12,821	20,401	58,297	62,875	73,973
Corporations (o)	60,592	86,324	393,536	528,384	548,639
Insurance Companies	215,737	267,738	373,766	402,763	414,496
Superannuation Funds (p)	2,998,034	3,378,200	3,953,808	4,100,934	4,204,274
Government Institutes, Funds and State Owned Enterprises (q)	132,340	170,757	240,282	264,976	286,951
Local Individual	27,046	37,567	255,521	279,458	289,126
Other (r)	55,992	53,759	67,260	61,093	60,729
Repurchase Transaction Allocations (f) (s)	312,814	1,027,207	344,096 (t)	395,246	375,471
Treasury bills	50,731	90,149	43,604	50,941	48,393
Treasury bonds	262,082	937,058	300,492	344,305	327,077
Total Foreign Debt (u)(v)	**6,052,179**	**6,516,958**	**12,458,155**	**11,433,286**	**10,954,816**
By Type (w)	6,052,179	6,516,958	12,458,155	11,433,286	10,954,816
Project Loans	3,458,461	3,789,126	7,347,329	n.a.	6,372,927
Non-Project Loans	2,593,718	2,727,832	5,110,826	n.a.	4,581,889
Commodity	43,023	34,904	183,082	n.a.	198,922
Other	2,550,695	2,692,927	4,927,744	n.a.	4,382,967
By Institution	6,052,179	6,516,958	12,458,155	11,433,286	10,954,816
Multilateral	1,601,482	1,895,340	3,611,552	3,387,857	3,369,367
Bilateral and Commercial	4,450,697	4,621,618	8,846,603	8,045,429	7,585,449
Of which;					
International Sovereign Bonds (i)	2,203,279	2,243,049	3,921,587	3,534,685	3,335,363
Sri Lanka Development Bonds (i)	4,986	4,875	9,645	8,380	8,480
Foreign Currency Term Financing Facility (i)	279,612	445,521	797,589	720,362	675,049
Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bills	670	204	12,476	61,752	173,802
Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bonds	6,204	1,710	13,078	11,781	12,183
Total Outstanding Central Government Debt	**15,117,247**	**17,614,181**	**27,492,031**	**27,049,787**	**26,916,227**

Note: From 2023 onwards, debt statistics details given in this format will only be available to be published on a quarterly basis

(a) As per the guidelines of compiling government debt statistics in the Manual of Government Finance Statistics published by the IMF in 2014, non-resident holdings of outstanding SLDBs and outstanding ISBs have been classified under foreign debt and resident holdings of outstanding of SLDBs and outstanding ISBs of the Sri Lankan Government have been classified under domestic debt.

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

(d) The outstanding central government debt excludes several debt service payments that became overdue after 12 April 2022, the date of which the Interim Policy regarding the servicing of Sri Lanka's external public debt was announced by the Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies. These debt service payments comprise of overdue interest payments of affected debt which deemed to be capitalised as per the Interim Policy. Further, the December 2022 balance excluded the value of principal payments yet to be settled in relation to Sri Lanka Development Bonds from April 2022 till end 2022.

(e) Excludes rupee denominated Treasury bills held by non resident investors.

(f) Includes liabilities of the Central Government to commercial banks reported in the Monetary Survey of the Central Bank

(g) Excludes Treasury bonds held by non resident investors and includes Government Treasury bonds of Rs. 78,441 million issued for CPC in January 2012, of which Rs. 21,778 million matured on 01 January 2017 and Rs. 25,217 million matured on 01 January 2022 and current outstanding is Rs. 31,446 million.

(h) Several interest payments that fell overdue after the debt standstill may not be included in the outstanding balance for 2022 since recording of these debt service payments in the debt recording systems is not yet finalised.

(i) Represents ISB outstanding owned by the Licensed Commercial Banks

(j) Data for 2022 includes outstanding balance of the government guaranteed foreign currency debt of the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation that was absorbed into central government debt w.e.f. December 2022, which amounted to Rs. 884,093.4 million

(k) The composition of domestic debt held by the banking and non banking sectors was revised from 2016 due to the adjustment for holdings of SLDBs of businesses and individuals.

(l) Institution wise classification was revised from the Annual Report 2022 based on records of the Central Depository System System and the data for 2018-2021 have been revised accordingly.

(m) The CBSL introduced outright purchase of Treasury bonds through Open Market Operations w.e.f. 06 September 2019

(n) Includes sinking fund

(o) Includes the holdings of Standalone Primary Dealers, leasing companies, private companies, mutual funds, etc.

(p) Includes the holdings of EPF, ETF, pension funds, provident funds, etc.

(q) Includes the holdings of Government authorities, Government departments, Ministries, etc.

(r) Includes the holdings of societies, clubs, associations, etc.

(s) Includes securities holdings under Repurchase agreements for which absolute ownership could not be established

(t) Holdings under repurchase transactions with respect to Open Market Operations, have been allocated to the respective Licensed Commercial Bank or Standalone Primary Dealer

(u) Foreign loan debt statistics and classification of foreign debt for 2021 and 2022 are prepared based on the data sourced from the CS-DRMS maintained by the Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies.

(v) From December 2022 onwards, several outstanding project loan which were previously classified under Ceylon Electricity Board, Airport and Aviation Services Ltd. and Sri Lanka Ports Authority were absorbed into central government debt.

(w) Classification "by type" is not available for the revised information pertaining to 2023 Q1.

Sources : Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilisation and National Policies
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Exports, Imports and Trade Balance

US dollars million

Period		Imports		Exports				Balance of Trade	
		Customs	Adjusted (a)	Domestic	Re-Exports	Total Customs	Total Adjusted (a)	Customs	Adjusted (a)
2019		19,475.7	19,937.1	11,763.3	210.7	11,973.9	11,940.0	-7,712.5	-7,997.1
2020		15,584.2	16,055.4	9,912.4	187.3	10,099.7	10,047.4	-5,671.8	-6,007.9
2021		20,052.2	20,637.4	12,242.4	182.7	12,405.0	12,498.6	-7,809.9	-8,138.8
2022 (b)		17,269.1	18,291.0	12,770.0	178.9	12,948.9	13,106.4	-4,499.1	-5,184.6
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	5,378.6	5,651.2	3,109.3	35.4	3,144.7	3,254.2	-2,269.3	-2,397.1
	2nd Qtr	4,109.8	4,376.9	3,103.7	33.2	3,136.9	3,268.0	-1,006.1	-1,108.9
	3rd Qtr	3,770.5	4,057.1	3,436.4	50.9	3,487.3	3,469.8	-334.1	-587.3
	4th Qtr	4,010.1	4,205.8	3,120.6	59.3	3,179.9	3,114.5	-889.5	-1,091.3
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	3,719.6	3,894.0	2,956.3	59.6	3,015.9	2,997.6	-763.3	-896.4
	2nd Qtr	4,130.4	4,266.5	2,790.1	97.1	2,887.2	2,873.4	-1,340.3	-1,393.1
2022 (b)	July	1,209.0	1,286.8	1,128.7	15.3	1,144.0	1,164.6	-80.3	-122.2
	August	1,427.0	1,485.9	1,213.7	21.0	1,234.7	1,225.4	-213.2	-260.5
	September	1,134.6	1,284.4	1,094.0	14.7	1,108.6	1,079.8	-40.6	-204.5
	October	1,306.4	1,335.7	1,094.8	23.5	1,118.3	1,051.6	-211.7	-284.1
	November	1,373.3	1,444.6	981.8	19.0	1,000.9	995.3	-391.4	-449.2
	December	1,330.4	1,425.6	1,044.0	16.8	1,060.8	1,067.6	-286.4	-358.0
2023 (b)	January	1,352.1	1,423.4	1,001.9	14.2	1,016.1	978.2	-350.2	-445.2
	February	1,035.6	1,021.0	952.1	20.9	972.9	982.0	-83.5	-39.1
	March	1,331.9	1,449.5	1,002.4	24.6	1,026.9	1,037.5	-329.6	-412.1
	April	1,292.9	1,431.2	814.1	48.1	862.2	848.6	-478.8	-582.6
	May	1,400.8	1,466.3	989.7	23.0	1,012.7	1,019.5	-411.1	-446.8
	June	1,436.7	1,369.1	986.3	26.0	1,012.3	1,005.3	-450.5	-363.7
	July	1,324.0	1,387.6	1,027.2	15.3	1,042.6	1,020.4	-296.8	-367.1

(a) Adjusted for lags and other factors of recording.

(b) Provisional

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 32

Exports

US dollars million

Period		Industrial Exports					Agricultural Exports						Mineral Exports	Unclassified Exports	Total Exports
		Textiles and Garments	Rubber Products	Gems, Diamonds and Jewellery	Petroleum Products	Other	Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Spices	Minor Agricultural Products	Other			
2019		5,596.5	866.1	305.7	521.1	2,136.9	1,346.4	24.2	329.5	312.5	120.0	329.2	33.9	17.9	11,940.0
2020		4,423.1	786.1	181.5	373.6	1,907.8	1,240.9	30.1	345.2	333.5	134.7	251.9	25.1	14.1	10,047.4
2021		5,435.1	1,050.4	276.7	506.4	2,433.4	1,324.4	42.2	425.2	454.8	148.8	334.2	44.5	22.6	12,498.6
2022 (a)		5,952.0	977.0	450.6	568.0	2,517.7	1,258.8	41.4	400.3	368.7	178.8	320.0	50.0	23.2	13,106.4
2022 (a)	1st Qtr	1,477.0	251.7	98.5	179.5	626.0	286.8	14.6	104.7	85.3	33.5	80.9	10.4	5.2	3,254.2
	2nd Qtr	1,500.3	241.7	101.7	165.8	626.1	290.6	8.7	111.1	74.3	50.6	84.9	6.7	5.7	3,268.0
	3rd Qtr	1,599.9	261.8	136.3	94.6	650.7	359.7	9.5	98.2	114.5	54.8	77.1	7.0	5.8	3,469.8
	4th Qtr	1,374.8	221.9	114.0	128.2	614.9	321.7	8.6	86.3	94.7	39.9	77.1	25.9	6.6	3,114.5
2023 (a)	1st Qtr	1,273.0	232.8	137.7	130.2	601.0	314.3	10.8	75.8	100.6	26.1	80.6	7.7	7.0	2,997.6
	2nd Qtr	1,187.6	199.8	131.1	117.0	605.8	321.2	6.4	85.3	75.3	54.2	78.6	4.2	6.9	2,873.4
2022 (a)	July	551.4	86.4	44.1	32.2	219.1	117.5	2.9	33.1	33.8	15.7	25.3	1.6	1.6	1,164.6
	August	566.9	96.6	44.3	32.3	226.2	124.4	3.2	35.5	40.1	20.5	30.5	2.5	2.4	1,225.4
	September	481.5	78.9	47.9	30.0	205.4	117.8	3.3	29.7	40.6	18.6	21.3	3.0	1.8	1,079.8
	October	443.5	82.9	42.5	37.8	214.1	108.7	3.4	37.9	36.4	15.0	24.2	3.2	1.9	1,051.6
	November	449.8	67.7	36.2	40.9	197.4	105.7	2.0	23.6	27.0	14.0	27.0	1.7	2.3	995.3
	December	481.5	71.2	35.3	49.4	203.4	107.3	3.2	24.8	31.3	10.9	25.9	20.9	2.4	1,067.6
2023 (a)	January	424.4	72.7	54.1	46.4	183.7	99.6	3.2	22.0	34.1	8.1	24.1	3.6	2.3	978.2
	February	431.3	72.7	32.5	44.4	196.1	104.6	3.9	25.0	34.2	8.9	24.7	1.6	2.1	982.0
	March	417.2	87.5	51.1	39.3	221.2	110.1	3.7	28.8	32.4	9.2	31.9	2.5	2.6	1,037.5
	April	343.8	53.2	34.8	38.5	190.5	93.4	2.2	25.4	20.6	13.5	28.9	1.4	2.3	848.6
	May	413.9	74.4	43.9	39.1	218.4	116.3	2.5	31.4	27.0	20.8	27.7	1.7	2.5	1,019.5
	June	430.0	72.1	52.4	39.4	196.9	111.5	1.8	28.5	27.8	19.8	22.0	1.1	2.1	1,005.3
	July	428.9	77.3	36.6	37.8	205.2	115.2	2.0	31.2	37.2	22.8	22.4	1.8	1.9	1,020.4

(a) Provisional

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

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

Period		Exports (US dollars million)											Total Exports (Rs. million)
		Food and Live Animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes	Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s.	Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC	Total Exports	
2019		2,541.9	162.3	343.1	521.1	73.9	223.5	1,627.9	531.9	5,914.3	–	11,940.0	2,134,796.5
2020		2,409.3	116.6	368.6	373.6	96.6	224.0	1,344.0	396.1	4,718.6	0.1	10,047.4	1,858,927.0
2021		2,846.0	145.2	433.2	506.4	128.9	291.7	1,700.7	631.8	5,813.1	1.5	12,498.6	2,486,943.1
2022 (b)		2,701.8	135.8	450.3	568.0	89.9	271.5	1,875.9	692.1	6,320.3	0.8	13,106.4	4,234,913.1
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	632.9	33.3	121.1	179.5	25.4	64.1	461.5	163.4	1,572.7	0.3	3,254.2	713,405.8
	2nd Qtr	649.3	34.8	112.9	165.8	27.8	70.8	465.8	162.0	1,578.3	0.4	3,268.0	1,136,284.1
	3rd Qtr	742.4	36.4	103.7	94.6	21.1	75.2	506.9	187.0	1,702.5	0.1	3,469.8	1,253,939.7
	4th Qtr	677.2	31.4	112.6	128.2	15.5	61.4	441.7	179.8	1,466.8	...	3,114.5	1,131,283.5
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	648.8	41.5	99.9	130.2	15.1	57.0	484.1	178.9	1,342.1	0.1	2,997.6	1,051,768.6
	2nd Qtr	666.4	38.0	92.2	117.0	16.4	60.4	454.0	180.5	1,248.5	0.1	2,873.4	891,843.5
2022 (b)	July	235.5	13.9	33.3	32.2	7.7	26.3	166.2	65.3	584.1	–	1,164.6	420,271.5
	August	268.8	11.4	36.4	32.3	8.0	23.3	176.4	62.0	606.7	...	1,225.4	442,356.7
	September	238.1	11.0	33.9	30.0	5.4	25.6	164.4	59.6	511.7	...	1,079.8	391,311.6
	October	226.5	10.9	42.1	37.8	5.5	24.7	158.6	69.6	475.9	–	1,051.6	381,873.7
	November	226.6	9.4	23.7	40.9	5.2	18.3	138.7	54.6	477.9	...	995.3	361,697.2
	December	224.0	11.1	46.8	49.4	4.8	18.4	144.5	55.5	513.0	–	1,067.6	387,712.6
2023 (b)	January	209.2	9.5	32.4	46.4	4.0	15.8	155.2	55.3	450.3	...	978.2	354,510.8
	February	213.2	13.3	32.0	44.4	5.9	19.3	150.9	59.2	443.7	–	982.0	355,446.6
	March	226.4	18.6	35.5	39.3	5.2	21.8	178.0	64.4	448.1	...	1,037.5	341,811.1
	April	192.7	11.3	29.2	38.5	4.8	17.8	125.8	61.7	367.0	–	848.6	272,764.2
	May	249.0	15.1	32.1	39.1	6.2	22.4	165.4	60.3	429.9	0.1	1,019.5	316,208.5
	June	224.8	11.6	30.9	39.4	5.4	20.2	162.9	58.6	451.7	–	1,005.3	302,870.9
	July	241.2	14.2	34.9	37.8	6.4	18.2	153.5	54.6	459.5	0.1	1,020.4	325,815.6

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

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

Composition of Industrial and Mineral Exports[(a)]

US dollars thousand

Item	July		Jan - Jul	
	2022	2023	2022	2023
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	49,654	49,581	324,062	298,528
Milling Industry Products	4,549	4,043	30,894	23,737
Vegetable, Fruit and Nuts Preparations	15,252	17,807	129,785	112,257
Cereal Preparations	2,411	2,803	13,090	15,715
Fish Preparations (b)	1,323	1,467	8,820	7,387
Manufactured Tobacco	6,227	6,452	39,142	38,842
Other	19,892	17,010	102,331	100,590
Animal Fodder	8,971	8,031	86,582	92,231
Textiles and Garments	551,447	428,905	3,528,703	2,889,467
Garments	513,449	393,692	3,246,369	2,630,356
Woven Fabrics	18,951	16,231	140,288	121,934
Yarn	8,689	7,432	53,920	50,747
Other Made-up Textile Articles	10,358	11,550	88,127	86,430
Rubber Products	86,354	77,311	579,683	509,911
Rubber Tyres	53,561	50,488	353,984	333,819
Surgical and Other Gloves	25,160	18,861	174,784	128,509
Other Rubber Products	7,633	7,962	50,915	47,582
Gems, Diamonds and Jewellery	44,065	36,648	244,316	305,483
Gems	20,390	14,431	119,840	125,695
Diamonds	22,350	21,108	114,554	170,360
Jewellery	1,324	1,110	9,922	9,427
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances	52,445	49,863	322,929	367,450
Electrical Machinery and Equipment	4,332	3,122	29,991	21,773
Electronic Equipment	16,261	14,892	97,028	117,097
Insulated Wires, Cables and Conductors	7,084	7,349	47,624	47,220
Other Industrial Machinery	24,768	24,500	148,285	181,361
Transport Equipment	14,509	6,292	78,324	57,929
Road Vehicles	9,554	2,623	49,037	21,638
Ships, Boats and Floating Structures	328	112	5,879	12,716
Other	4,628	3,557	23,408	23,575
Petroleum Products	32,239	37,834	377,553	285,036
Bunkers and Aviation Fuel	31,401	36,794	357,003	281,604
Other Petroleum Products	838	1,039	20,550	3,431
Chemical Products	21,352	14,865	132,572	110,754
Wood and Paper Products	9,150	9,446	84,081	67,308
Leather, Travel Goods and Footwear	8,228	6,628	45,502	40,750
Footwear	2,440	1,897	15,967	12,937
Travel Goods	4,747	2,618	22,602	15,785
Other	1,041	2,114	6,933	12,028
Plastics and Articles	4,549	6,041	38,197	33,054
Base Metals and Articles	14,656	14,632	106,711	100,099
Ceramic Products	3,737	3,523	22,112	19,801
Tiles	562	351	3,583	3,555
Tableware, Household Items and Sanitaryware	2,846	2,903	16,809	14,962
Other	328	269	1,720	1,283
Other Industrial Exports	31,836	36,327	230,112	224,161
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL EXPORTS	**933,192**	**785,926**	**6,201,440**	**5,401,960**
Mineral Exports				
Natural Graphite	355	552	2,991	2,805
Natural Sands	-	0.03	0.3	8
Quartz	663	744	6,430	4,799
Other	534	495	9,212	6,065
TOTAL MINERAL EXPORTS	**1,551**	**1,792**	**18,635**	**13,676**

(a) Provisional
(b) Including crustaceans and molluscs

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

Tea and Rubber – Auctions and Exports

Period		Tea								Rubber														
		Exports			Colombo Auctions					Exports									Prices (b)					
		Volume (kg '000)	Value US$ mn	Price F.O.B. Price US$/kg	Quantity Sold (kg. '000)	Gross Price (Rs./kg)				Volume ('000 kg)				Value (US $ mn)				Price F.O.B. (US$/kg)	Colombo Market (Rs./kg)					R.S.S. No.3 Singa-pore (US$ / kg)
																			R.S.S.		Latex Crepe		Scrap Crepe No. IX Br	
						High	Medium	Low	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other	Total		No.1	No.2	IX Br.	No.1		
2019		292,657	1,346	4.60	290,461	510.77	466.42	578.60	546.67	2,106	8,545	2,352	13,003	3.3	16.3	4.6	24.2	1.86	288.51	282.78	302.32	298.38	245.06	1.64
2020		265,570	1,241	4.67	270,278	590.12	553.54	670.93	633.85	4,318	7,016	4,431	15,766	7.2	15.4	7.5	30.1	1.91	351.46	325.70	359.04	355.90	256.65	1.73
2021		286,016	1,324	4.63	281,950	593.70	547.89	647.54	619.15	3,333	8,264	3,893	15,490	6.5	27.5	8.1	42.2	2.72	460.78	446.98	626.32	621.82	411.45	2.07
2022 (a)		250,192	1,259	5.03	238,600	1,155.28	1,059.90	1,365.13	1,270.50	4,232	8,663	2,243	15,138	7.1	29.1	5.2	41.4	2.73	595.00	550.73	903.27	881.61	495.76	1.81
2022 (a)	1st Qtr	63,701	287	4.50	66,465	716.95	671.63	802.69	761.67	1,871	2,556	1,097	5,524	3.2	9.0	2.5	14.6	2.65	492.57	594.33	719.03	715.08	419.17	2.07
	2nd Qtr	61,596	291	4.72	63,485	1,105.82	1,085.85	1,472.31	1,321.01	1,014	1,643	422	3,078	1.9	5.7	1.0	8.7	2.81	722.63	639.00	1,171.94	1,160.97	588.33	2.06
	3rd Qtr	67,311	360	5.34	56,403	1,389.79	1,251.23	1,659.58	1,543.13	248	2,290	188	2,727	0.4	8.3	0.7	9.5	3.48	677.50	–	1,083.50	1,013.61	547.17	1.62
	4th Qtr	57,583	322	5.59	52,246	1,408.55	1,230.88	1,525.96	1,456.18	1,099	2,174	536	3,809	1.6	6.0	1.0	8.6	2.25	514.79	506.77	638.61	636.78	434.36	1.49
2023 (a)	1st Qtr	54,083	314	5.81	58,094	1,385.24	1,193.38	1,455.69	1,402.85	1,911	2,357	1,216	5,485	2.8	6.0	2.0	10.8	1.98	485.89	484.00	608.33	591.00	403.56	1.61
	2nd Qtr	58,135	321	5.53	63,797	1,025.79	948.27	1,169.70	1,097.63	1,301	1,257	393	2,951	2.0	3.5	0.9	6.4	2.16	495.08	446.75	627.00	623.08	453.58	1.54
2022 (a)	July	22,756	118	5.16	18,653	1,239.68	1,163.17	1,622.87	1,471.44	74	701	27	803	0.1	2.6	0.1	2.9	3.60	–	–	1,450.00	1,248.33	643.25	1.78
	August	23,010	124	5.41	21,702	1,439.48	1,248.71	1,634.95	1,534.00	56	781	88	925	0.1	2.8	0.3	3.2	3.51	685.00	–	987.50	987.50	529.00	1.61
	September	21,545	118	5.47	16,048	1,490.22	1,341.80	1,720.93	1,623.95	118	808	73	999	0.2	2.9	0.2	3.3	3.32	670.00	–	813.00	805.00	451.25	1.48
	October	19,002	109	5.72	17,627	1,485.13	1,285.14	1,568.22	1,502.69	362	817	160	1,338	0.5	2.5	0.3	3.4	2.53	500.00	495.20	675.00	675.00	412.50	1.50
	November	19,277	106	5.48	21,039	1,356.70	1,170.48	1,462.49	1,396.43	343	461	183	986	0.5	1.2	0.3	2.0	2.04	526.70	520.10	612.50	609.00	446.25	1.43
	December	19,304	107	5.56	13,581	1,383.82	1,237.02	1,547.17	1,469.43	395	896	194	1,485	0.6	2.3	0.4	3.2	2.17	517.67	505.00	628.33	626.33	444.33	1.54
2023 (a)	January	17,556	100	5.67	23,554	1,419.75	1,246.07	1,562.57	1,486.23	332	799	410	1,542	0.5	2.1	0.6	3.2	2.07	472.67	483.00	600.00	572.00	398.00	1.63
	February	18,552	105	5.64	16,606	1,426.41	1,218.16	1,510.28	1,452.96	778	829	509	2,115	1.1	2.0	0.7	3.9	1.83	505.00	485.00	616.67	610.00	450.00	1.62
	March	17,976	110	6.13	17,934	1,309.57	1,115.91	1,294.22	1,269.35	802	728	297	1,827	1.2	1.9	0.6	3.7	2.04	480.00	–	–	–	362.67	1.58
	April	16,168	93	5.78	13,994	1,246.31	1,081.56	1,308.04	1,258.34	388	502	90	979	0.6	1.4	0.2	2.2	2.20	464.00	446.75	572.50	570.00	440.00	1.54
	May	20,552	116	5.66	27,018	992.01	919.12	1,125.91	1,058.06	633	363	202	1,198	1.0	1.0	0.5	2.5	2.05	485.00	–	640.25	639.75	485.00	1.56
	June	21,414	112	5.21	22,785	839.06	844.12	1,075.16	976.50	279	392	102	773	0.4	1.1	0.2	1.8	2.29	536.25	–	668.25	659.50	435.75	1.53
	July	22,771	115	5.06	21,144	856.25	876.60	1,117.53	1,015.07	235	480	65	780	0.4	1.4	0.2	2.0	2.57	600.00	–	732.50	732.17	456.00	1.49

(a) Provisional
(b) Prices in rupee terms also include the impact of exchange rate movements.

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS — TABLE 36

Major Coconut Products – Auctions and Exports

Period		Exports									Prices (a)						
		Volume ('000 kg)				Value (US $ '000)					F.O.B. (US $ / kg)			Colombo Market (Rs. /kg) (c)			International Market Price
		Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Total Mn. Nuts (b)	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Non-Kernel Products	Total	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra (d)	Philippine Copra (US$ / kg) (e)
2019		67,819	16,400	3,915	768	95,030	60,868	5,174	168,434	329,506	1.40	3.71	1.32	251.03	310.09	158.19	0.47
2020		43,043	19,764	1,082	574	82,818	78,667	1,620	182,066	345,172	1.92	3.98	1.50	447.56	447.93	230.00	0.64
2021		48,490	18,785	828	613	113,950	85,637	1,347	224,314	425,248	2.35	4.56	1.63	537.25	601.13	–	1.02
2022 (f)		55,138	19,677	2,080	687	102,456	75,099	2,669	220,062	400,286	1.86	3.82	1.28	538.75	672.73	–	1.02
2022 (f)	1st Qtr	13,287	4,167	189	159	27,291	17,699	266	59,469	104,726	2.05	4.25	1.41	508.12	682.08	–	1.40
	2nd Qtr	13,068	6,236	364	177	27,383	24,331	451	58,920	111,085	2.10	3.90	1.30	600.91	730.57	–	1.12
	3rd Qtr	13,359	5,104	640	170	24,701	18,713	805	53,959	98,178	1.85	3.67	1.26	520.08	648.78	–	0.81
	4th Qtr	15,424	4,171	905	182	23,081	14,356	1,147	47,714	86,298	1.50	3.44	1.27	525.88	629.47	–	0.73
2023 (f)	1st Qtr	9,939	4,405	283	131	16,492	14,755	380	44,133	75,761	1.66	3.34	1.38	564.28	730.37	–	0.69
	2nd Qtr	10,080	4,708	44	134	16,797	15,985	77	52,420	85,278	1.67	3.39	1.76	506.18	688.70	–	0.64
2022 (f)	July	3,498	1,746	150	48	7,485	6,600	190	18,778	33,053	2.14	3.78	1.27	525.69	642.75	–	0.88
	August	4,923	1,738	220	61	9,435	6,703	273	19,047	35,459	1.92	3.86	1.24	544.06	679.89	–	0.84
	September	4,938	1,620	270	61	7,782	5,410	342	16,133	29,666	1.58	3.34	1.26	490.48	623.69	–	0.72
	October	5,090	1,499	263	61	7,625	5,159	333	24,741	37,858	1.50	3.44	1.26	498.06	604.16	–	0.69
	November	5,188	1,307	389	61	7,757	4,392	489	11,002	23,641	1.50	3.36	1.26	522.82	614.76	–	0.77
	December	5,146	1,365	253	60	7,699	4,805	325	11,970	24,799	1.50	3.52	1.28	556.74	669.50	–	0.73
2023 (f)	January	3,231	1,208	152	41	4,899	3,850	198	13,024	21,971	1.52	3.19	1.30	578.04	720.71	–	0.70
	February	3,500	1,736	88	48	5,644	5,848	117	13,408	25,017	1.61	3.37	1.34	561.75	725.40	–	0.71
	March	3,208	1,462	44	43	5,950	5,057	65	17,701	28,772	1.85	3.46	1.49	553.07	745.00	–	0.67
	April	2,626	1,311	0.04	36	4,585	4,670	0.21	16,158	25,413	1.75	3.56	5.15	527.05	742.05	–	0.66
	May	4,080	1,862	22	54	6,729	6,100	35	18,536	31,401	1.65	3.28	1.64	483.39	689.52	–	0.62
	June	3,375	1,536	22	45	5,483	5,215	41	17,725	28,465	1.62	3.40	1.87	508.10	634.52	–	0.65(g)
	July	3,917	1,817	78	52	6,648	5,747	105	18,661	31,160	1.70	3.16	1.35	500.31	591.50	–	0.72

(a) Prices in rupee terms also include the impact of exchange rate movements.
(b) Footnote (d) of Table 15 in the Annual Report 2022 gives the conversion formula used for the conversion of the volume of the three main types of coconut exports to their nut equivalent from metric tons.
(c) Coconut auctions held irregularly during 2020, 2021 and 2022 due to COVID-19 related distruptions and low supply.
(d) This refers to prices of the best quality copra
(e) Philippines/ Indonesian copra pellets CIF Rotterdam
(f) Provisional
(g) Revised

Sources : Coconut Development Authority
Sri Lanka Customs
The Public Ledger
Refinitiv (Thomson Reuters)
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Volume

Volume ('000 kg)

Period		Spices: Cinnamon	Spices: Pepper	Spices: Cloves	Spices: Nutmeg and Mace	Spices: Other Spices	Vegetables	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Minor Agricultural Products: Fruits	Cereals	Sesame Seeds	Cocoa	Coffee	Arecanuts	Betel Leaves	Essential Oils	Cashew Nuts	Other
2019		17,480	8,335	5,126	3,417	1,142	23,957	805	38,896	7,002	22	520	23	6,134	4,678	184	56	34,475
2020		19,090	9,542	2,597	2,451	1,447	33,206	843	38,725	11,501	2	255	27	12,584	3,940	183	40	29,019
2021		19,195	18,575	6,487	2,651	1,504	21,540	825	43,426	15,623	2,736	159	30	10,488	3,834	239	31	31,216
2022 (a)		18,519	11,805	2,338	2,604	1,191	15,835	839	41,526	21,233	7,488	67	27	16,978	3,908	226	68	27,630
2022 (a)	1st Qtr	3,559	4,072	547	414	314	3,851	264	9,405	4,303	1,373	17	9	2,378	857	56	14	9,243
	2nd Qtr	3,624	2,268	501	513	373	4,221	187	11,820	6,341	2,963	23	6	5,920	1,016	51	21	7,117
	3rd Qtr	6,167	3,002	388	909	250	3,941	217	10,672	2,444	3,000	15	7	6,183	902	70	24	5,590
	4th Qtr	5,168	2,463	903	769	254	3,822	171	9,629	8,146	152	12	6	2,497	1,133	49	9	5,679
2023 (a)	1st Qtr	4,373	2,509	3,502	578	283	3,604	179	8,282	2,095	96	13	5	4	1,030	44	10	8,168
	2nd Qtr	4,092	1,908	1,062	990	219	3,595	237	10,975	3,263	152	24	5	5,358	911	80	10	9,894
2022 (a)	July	1,813	705	141	235	92	1,068	66	3,757	409	1,311	5	2	1,615	246	14	4	2,401
	August	2,139	1,157	142	317	59	1,624	76	3,503	460	1,346	4	2	2,363	380	17	9	1,655
	September	2,216	1,140	106	357	98	1,249	75	3,412	1,574	342	6	3	2,206	277	39	11	1,534
	October	1,944	993	59	363	112	1,441	84	3,435	2,272	114	3	3	1,540	387	7	2	1,179
	November	1,582	691	167	274	64	1,280	29	3,011	2,833	...	3	1	955	358	15	5	1,662
	December	1,643	779	677	132	78	1,101	57	3,183	3,041	38	6	2	2	388	27	2	2,838
2023 (a)	January	1,420	753	1,427	172	107	1,274	70	2,563	916	38	5	2	1	356	16	4	2,339
	February	1,384	895	1,274	177	90	1,068	31	2,748	577	57	4	3	1	331	22	3	3,066
	March	1,569	861	800	228	86	1,261	78	2,971	602	1	4	1	2	343	7	3	2,763
	April	1,137	380	388	181	94	908	97	2,977	1,678	38	9	1	981	345	18	3	2,268
	May	1,415	690	321	505	75	1,517	89	4,478	519	-	8	2	2,459	322	26	5	2,839
	June	1,540	838	353	303	50	1,170	50	3,520	1,066	114	7	2	1,918	244	36	3	4,788
	July	1,442	2,482	364	275	67	1,208	101	3,435	3,432	1,046	7	2	2,286	252	24	13	4,605

(a) Provisional

... Negligible

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Value

US $ '000

Period		Spices					Vegetables	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Minor Agricultural Products										Total
		Cinnamon	Pepper	Cloves	Nutmeg and Mace	Other Spices			Fruits	Cereals	Sesame Seeds	Cocoa	Coffee	Arecanuts	Betel Leaves	Essential Oils	Cashew nuts	Other	
2019		187,545	50,447	30,571	35,834	8,152	32,000	34,727	41,060	5,649	58	1,102	354	21,276	19,009	3,541	712	27,284	499,321
2020		227,337	52,164	16,175	28,979	8,838	36,567	25,482	33,106	8,982	16	655	317	45,302	15,953	4,731	539	25,069	530,212
2021		250,803	118,964	35,326	39,540	10,128	28,540	31,581	38,003	10,413	3,655	341	313	43,314	15,461	5,537	559	31,169	663,645
2022 (a)		226,934	81,152	20,651	32,956	7,029	26,661	24,371	37,638	11,845	10,587	119	316	63,008	15,196	5,203	786	34,094	598,546
2022 (a)	1st Qtr	45,917	27,615	5,001	4,944	1,851	5,974	7,185	7,686	2,522	1,838	29	119	9,462	3,189	1,071	52	7,540	131,994
	2nd Qtr	43,770	17,046	4,512	6,750	2,180	6,753	3,707	8,562	3,246	4,138	31	57	21,581	3,597	1,181	255	7,971	135,338
	3rd Qtr	76,228	19,935	3,912	12,858	1,541	7,095	6,887	9,990	2,009	4,403	24	61	22,566	3,729	1,713	346	9,955	183,253
	4th Qtr	61,020	16,555	7,225	8,404	1,456	6,840	6,592	11,398	4,068	208	35	80	9,399	4,681	1,238	134	8,628	147,961
2023 (a)	1st Qtr	49,034	16,588	26,159	7,179	1,689	7,055	6,937	10,191	2,033	139	16	74	13	4,328	1,641	159	7,513	140,749
	2nd Qtr	44,650	12,260	7,441	9,453	1,547	6,871	5,989	10,931	2,372	261	30	46	23,838	3,793	3,379	136	9,384	142,379
2022 (a)	July	22,984	4,805	1,218	4,341	467	1,826	2,803	3,826	502	1,843	5	14	5,714	1,009	314	83	3,133	54,186
	August	26,335	7,465	1,642	4,197	463	2,997	2,010	3,042	560	2,031	6	22	8,577	1,571	500	115	3,279	65,597
	September	26,908	7,665	1,052	4,320	611	2,272	2,075	3,711	947	529	13	24	8,274	1,149	900	148	3,543	63,471
	October	23,930	6,671	469	4,715	584	2,261	2,412	3,749	1,188	159	4	39	5,898	1,592	154	40	2,229	56,054
	November	18,117	4,505	1,221	2,690	420	2,426	1,793	3,938	1,409	...	3	15	3,496	1,487	510	72	3,214	45,127
	December	18,973	5,379	5,536	999	452	2,153	2,387	3,938	1,471	49	28	26	5	1,603	575	22	3,185	46,780
2023 (a)	January	16,133	4,545	10,751	2,066	589	2,375	748	3,145	659	50	5	34	4	1,479	594	58	2,055	45,289
	February	15,806	6,146	9,604	2,189	469	2,123	2,585	3,241	631	89	7	29	5	1,373	670	50	2,770	47,786
	March	17,095	5,897	5,803	2,924	631	2,557	3,604	3,805	744	0.3	4	10	5	1,476	378	52	2,688	47,674
	April	12,686	2,664	2,772	1,854	644	2,106	1,972	3,375	931	61	11	8	4,346	1,434	682	44	2,637	38,228
	May	15,287	4,320	2,227	4,640	504	2,602	2,083	4,151	579	-	10	17	11,022	1,349	587	51	3,050	52,479
	June	16,676	5,275	2,441	2,959	399	2,163	1,934	3,405	861	200	9	22	8,469	1,010	2,111	40	3,697	51,672
	July	16,107	14,882	2,647	2,814	782	2,006	3,152	3,413	1,802	1,805	15	23	10,005	1,022	581	185	3,911	65,152

(a) Provisional

... Negligible

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

Composition of Imports

US dollars million

Category	2019	2020	2021	July (a) 2022	July (a) 2023
1. Consumer Goods	**3,957**	**3,402**	**3,849**	**184.3**	**266.8**
1.1 Food and Beverages	**1,427**	**1,554**	**1,666**	**109.7**	**160.3**
Lentils	80	97	143	10.6	17.7
Onions	124	149	155	7.1	10.8
Sugar	200	276	288	15.0	14.8
Rice	13	11	73	24.8	1.0
Flour	3	7	5	6.6	13.6
Milk and Milk Products	312	334	318	12.7	41.1
Fish	210	186	119	3.7	7.1
Oil and Fats	29	107	184	2.0	13.8
Spices	115	127	127	11.8	14.2
Other	341	262	254	15.3	26.1
1.2 Non-Food Consumer Goods	**2,530**	**1,847**	**2,182**	**74.6**	**106.4**
Personal Vehicles	816	283	13	1.0	1.6
Home Appliances - Radio Receivers and Television Sets	102	84	126	2.4	2.1
Household and Furniture Items	172	147	161	7.5	11.5
Rubber Products	83	58	102	3.1	4.8
Medical and Pharmaceutical Products	553	596	883	33.9	49.3
Other	805	680	897	26.7	37.1
2. Intermediate Goods	**11,370**	**9,077**	**12,309**	**889.0**	**882.0**
Fertiliser	221	259	158	32.3	23.3
Fuel	3,892	2,543	3,743	345.4	381.0
Chemical Products	831	831	1,074	74.0	67.0
Wheat and Maize	346	384	418	4.1	10.8
Textiles and Textile Articles	2,909	2,335	3,067	220.3	197.6
Diamonds, Precious Stones and Metals	201	117	144	17.4	26.2
Base Metals	563	460	866	18.2	13.8
Vehicle and Machinery Parts	270	239	349	16.8	20.6
Paper and Paperboards and Articles thereof	457	383	469	34.2	33.1
Other	1,678	1,524	2,020	126.5	108.5
3. Investment Goods	**4,603**	**3,563**	**4,463**	**213.5**	**237.3**
Building Materials	1,509	1,036	1,249	61.1	64.8
Transport Equipment	597	348	399	7.1	5.3
Machinery and Equipment	2,490	2,176	2,810	145.0	167.0
Other	8	3	6	0.3	0.2
4. Total (Items 1, 2 and 3)	**19,929**	**16,041**	**20,620**	**1,286.8**	**1,386.0**
5. Unclassified Imports	**8**	**14**	**17**	**0.03**	**1.6**
6. Total Imports (b)	**19,937**	**16,055**	**20,637**	**1,286.8**	**1,387.6**

(a) Provisional
(b) Adjusted

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

Import Performance based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)[(a)]

Period		Imports (US dollars million)											Total Imports (Rs. million)
		Food and Live Animals	Beve-rages and Tobacco	Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes	Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s.	Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC	Total Imports	
2019		1,958.2	147.0	465.7	3,891.6	111.2	2,210.5	5,828.8	4,292.3	1,011.8	19.9	19,937.1	3,565,028.4
2020		2,107.6	93.8	436.2	2,542.6	195.4	2,192.4	4,474.3	3,204.4	790.2	18.6	16,055.4	2,974,915.4
2021		2,275.2	76.8	584.7	3,742.9	285.2	2,847.9	5,976.8	3,876.2	953.3	18.4	20,637.4	4,104,217.5
2022 (b)		2,162.2	101.0	465.3	4,896.8	79.8	2,392.2	5,114.1	2,278.1	791.3	10.3	18,291.0	5,737,333.4
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	650.8	25.4	141.1	1,412.3	36.9	659.7	1,627.0	850.0	245.4	2.6	5,651.2	1,237,880.8
	2nd Qtr	475.0	23.6	113.3	1,171.6	20.1	524.9	1,301.6	550.5	195.5	0.8	4,376.9	1,505,533.1
	3rd Qtr	476.2	27.0	127.4	1,110.4	8.2	558.2	1,137.9	432.7	172.8	6.3	4,057.1	1,466,213.9
	4th Qtr	560.2	25.0	83.5	1,202.5	14.6	649.3	1,047.6	445.0	177.5	0.6	4,205.8	1,527,705.6
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	523.9	25.7	68.2	1,111.8	27.8	489.5	1,015.2	455.9	171.6	4.4	3,894.0	1,363,019.4
	2nd Qtr	596.0	31.9	77.7	1,243.0	54.1	543.6	1,077.3	465.8	173.7	3.5	4,266.5	1,327,256.5
2022 (b)	July	130.0	9.7	45.6	345.4	2.4	178.8	357.8	161.1	55.9	0.2	1,286.8	464,386.4
	August	190.8	6.6	47.0	388.6	2.7	207.6	420.8	152.3	64.0	5.5	1,485.9	536,396.6
	September	155.4	10.7	34.8	376.4	3.2	171.8	359.3	119.3	53.0	0.5	1,284.4	465,430.9
	October	163.1	11.5	30.8	396.5	5.0	175.5	357.8	140.8	54.5	0.2	1,335.7	485,044.6
	November	208.6	5.6	29.7	422.4	7.2	194.7	358.9	158.0	59.2	0.2	1,444.6	524,945.9
	December	188.5	7.8	23.1	383.5	2.4	279.1	330.9	146.2	63.8	0.2	1,425.6	517,715.0
2023 (b)	January	145.2	11.6	25.8	516.5	5.0	155.6	355.6	145.9	61.9	0.3	1,423.4	515,843.5
	February	168.2	5.1	18.2	204.3	6.3	128.2	299.9	141.4	49.2	0.3	1,021.0	369,593.9
	March	210.4	9.0	24.2	391.0	16.6	205.7	359.7	168.6	60.5	3.8	1,449.5	477,582.0
	April	164.6	13.3	23.2	523.3	9.9	193.8	303.5	139.9	59.0	0.8	1,431.2	460,021.6
	May	240.0	9.8	28.7	429.8	18.6	164.3	371.3	145.8	56.4	1.4	1,466.3	454,782.4
	June	191.3	8.8	25.8	290.0	25.6	185.5	402.4	180.1	58.3	1.3	1,369.1	412,452.6
	July	182.1	9.3	31.2	381.0	15.8	173.9	343.7	190.3	59.3	0.9	1,387.6	443,033.3

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

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

External Trade Indices – Export Value(a)

2010 = 100

Period		Exports: Industrial: Textiles and Garments	Petroleum Products	Rubber Products	Total	Agricultural: Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Minor Agri. Products	Total	Mineral Exports	Total Exports
2019		263.9	313.1	246.0	244.7	147.8	22.1	314.2	266.2	168.9	221.4	219.0
2020		215.6	231.3	231.2	206.0	141.4	28.5	341.6	308.6	166.2	170.0	190.7
2021		285.1	339.3	332.0	280.3	161.8	42.8	452.1	367.1	208.4	322.8	255.1
2022 (b)		506.9	595.4	499.8	490.1	252.5	65.1	686.2	734.7	320.4	601.2	434.4
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	340.7	526.9	350.5	335.2	154.7	65.5	493.5	368.3	204.0	322.5	292.7
	2nd Qtr	550.2	769.7	535.0	532.0	248.9	61.0	824.0	872.2	331.3	339.0	466.2
	3rd Qtr	609.9	459.3	601.3	575.7	319.5	69.8	757.8	981.1	395.9	371.6	514.5
	4th Qtr	526.8	625.7	512.3	517.6	287.1	64.0	669.5	717.4	350.2	1,371.5	464.2
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	472.0	616.4	517.8	484.0	270.8	77.4	566.0	453.6	327.2	395.7	431.6
	2nd Qtr	388.6	489.0	393.5	404.0	245.0	40.6	565.6	831.1	295.9	190.3	365.9
2022 (b)	July	629.8	469.1	594.2	586.7	312.6	63.9	764.3	844.2	379.3	245.3	517.3
	August	647.7	469.9	664.8	607.7	331.0	71.9	820.2	1,099.1	422.6	389.8	544.5
	September	552.2	438.8	544.9	532.7	314.7	73.6	688.8	1,000.0	385.8	479.8	481.7
	October	509.7	553.9	574.1	519.4	291.0	75.4	880.9	810.2	377.2	508.0	470.1
	November	517.3	599.8	469.3	501.5	283.1	44.9	550.5	753.6	333.4	274.5	445.2
	December	553.4	723.4	493.3	532.0	287.2	71.8	577.1	588.3	340.2	3,332.0	477.3
2023 (b)	January	486.8	678.5	502.1	493.3	266.0	71.0	510.2	435.3	318.7	576.0	436.4
	February	494.1	648.3	501.7	490.1	279.0	85.9	580.2	476.8	335.4	254.8	437.5
	March	435.0	522.4	549.5	468.6	267.5	75.2	607.4	448.6	327.7	356.3	420.8
	April	349.7	499.3	326.3	370.1	221.3	42.4	523.4	646.2	272.4	199.2	335.8
	May	406.2	489.3	439.9	426.7	266.0	46.8	624.0	959.5	322.2	226.0	389.2
	June	409.9	478.4	414.3	415.1	247.7	32.7	549.5	887.6	293.1	145.8	372.8
	July	433.4	487.1	470.7	437.2	271.1	39.3	637.5	1,080.0	339.2	250.6	401.1

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

(b) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

 TABLE 42

External Trade Indices – Import Value[(a)]

2010 = 100

Period	Imports													Total Imports
	Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods						Investment Goods				
	Food and Beverages	Non-Food Consumer Goods	Total	Fuel	Textiles and Textile Articles	Fertiliser	Chemical Products	Wheat and Maize	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Transport Equipment	Building Materials	Total	
2019	170.6	347.5	252.9	202.4	254.4	145.7	252.8	206.2	223.4	294.5	159.0	290.3	264.2	235.2
2020	192.9	263.1	225.6	136.6	211.4	177.6	262.4	237.8	184.7	266.5	96.8	206.5	211.9	196.2
2021	221.1	333.6	273.4	216.3	298.3	115.7	363.2	277.7	269.0	369.5	118.5	267.5	285.0	270.7
2022 (b)	335.8	284.2	311.8	451.3	473.5	355.4	522.9	323.5	432.3	400.4	58.5	304.2	297.9	378.5
2022 (b) 1st Qtr	300.1	284.9	293.0	364.0	372.7	76.0	397.7	237.1	348.0	403.3	82.0	320.5	309.4	326.6
2nd Qtr	315.2	259.9	289.5	466.1	544.1	117.2	582.9	250.2	460.6	443.2	73.8	321.4	327.3	397.2
3rd Qtr	358.5	272.8	318.6	466.9	509.9	311.2	592.1	251.6	451.0	372.2	35.6	294.5	276.4	386.9
4th Qtr	369.3	319.3	346.0	508.2	467.4	917.1	519.0	554.9	469.6	382.7	42.5	280.3	278.7	403.1
2023 (b) 1st Qtr	353.7	331.1	343.2	453.7	414.1	201.8	454.0	373.8	402.4	374.1	40.8	250.3	265.4	359.6
2nd Qtr	387.7	325.6	358.8	452.4	358.1	212.3	409.7	441.6	387.4	343.5	32.3	246.5	247.4	350.2
2022 (b) July	317.6	248.1	285.2	435.0	466.4	515.0	544.8	58.6	423.1	415.3	46.1	284.8	296.8	367.6
August	404.5	304.6	358.0	489.6	571.3	317.9	683.3	431.7	493.4	389.9	39.0	327.6	295.7	424.6
September	353.3	265.8	312.6	476.1	492.1	100.6	548.4	264.4	436.5	311.4	21.6	271.0	236.7	368.4
October	347.4	277.3	314.8	502.6	491.4	298.8	533.9	384.5	452.6	366.8	37.0	258.8	263.3	383.9
November	381.9	307.1	347.1	535.7	482.9	594.6	540.5	760.1	485.1	406.8	41.3	289.7	293.0	415.5
December	378.5	373.6	376.2	486.2	428.0	1,857.9	482.5	520.3	471.1	374.5	49.3	292.5	279.8	409.8
2023 (b) January	344.1	334.6	339.7	653.4	462.4	153.8	447.7	80.6	480.7	381.4	17.7	295.6	277.6	408.3
February	333.3	291.8	314.0	258.1	352.4	93.0	400.3	492.5	304.4	365.3	29.5	228.4	252.2	292.6
March	383.8	366.8	375.9	449.7	427.6	358.5	513.9	548.2	422.2	375.7	75.1	226.8	266.4	378.0
April	313.9	415.9	361.4	587.0	344.3	142.8	391.5	424.8	417.6	314.5	39.0	207.5	223.2	364.1
May	494.3	269.4	389.7	465.2	387.1	157.4	447.1	404.7	396.9	324.8	22.4	261.9	240.7	360.0
June	354.9	291.3	325.3	304.9	343.0	336.5	390.5	495.3	347.8	391.2	35.6	270.0	278.4	326.5
July	410.7	313.2	365.3	424.6	370.2	329.4	436.5	137.9	371.3	423.2	30.1	267.4	291.9	350.7

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

(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Export Volume[(a)]

2010 = 100

Period		Exports										Total Exports
		Industrial				Agricultural					Mineral Exports	
		Textiles and Garments	Petroleum Products	Rubber Products	Total	Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Minor Agri. Products	Total		
2019		143.2	246.7	109.4	170.8	88.8	24.0	177.6	163.0	97.7	98.2	147.2
2020		111.5	238.5	100.0	153.5	80.7	29.4	168.0	173.1	90.5	68.6	132.9
2021		140.6	282.8	112.6	183.2	87.2	29.3	188.1	188.4	101.1	111.4	156.9
2022 (b)		144.6	189.2	106.6	194.9	76.6	29.2	193.5	240.9	93.1	114.2	163.0
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	153.4	203.9	112.5	189.0	77.7	41.3	191.6	212.4	93.4	94.5	158.8
	2nd Qtr	147.0	205.9	102.3	208.5	75.6	23.9	205.2	249.7	92.3	91.8	172.3
	3rd Qtr	151.2	147.9	112.5	186.9	82.2	22.2	199.3	273.8	98.6	79.6	158.7
	4th Qtr	126.9	199.0	99.0	195.2	70.8	29.6	177.7	227.6	88.1	190.9	162.1
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	120.5	151.3	87.5	200.8	67.3	41.6	173.5	175.7	85.4	95.0	165.1
	2nd Qtr	108.1	141.9	73.7	192.6	71.5	22.9	189.2	278.1	88.1	50.1	159.9
2022 (b)	July	152.5	172.1	106.1	174.2	83.5	19.6	192.3	245.9	96.3	38.1	149.0
	August	172.7	178.1	118.5	216.7	84.1	22.7	210.0	296.5	103.2	93.2	181.0
	September	128.3	93.4	113.0	170.0	79.1	24.3	195.6	279.0	96.2	107.4	146.2
	October	121.0	120.8	108.6	212.4	70.4	31.6	196.6	241.9	91.3	59.6	174.9
	November	131.3	143.9	93.9	166.6	71.0	22.9	167.4	233.4	86.4	85.2	141.1
	December	128.4	332.3	94.4	206.5	71.1	34.4	169.1	207.6	86.7	427.8	170.4
2023 (b)	January	117.8	158.9	93.9	241.0	64.9	35.8	155.1	155.5	80.2	99.3	192.1
	February	119.6	141.2	70.5	165.7	69.2	47.6	175.5	183.6	86.8	74.0	140.5
	March	124.0	153.8	98.1	195.8	67.9	41.4	189.8	187.9	89.1	111.7	162.6
	April	94.5	137.9	61.7	188.9	59.9	22.6	163.4	235.3	77.2	41.6	154.4
	May	110.4	136.7	79.6	202.0	76.5	27.8	211.5	275.7	94.8	73.7	168.4
	June	119.3	151.0	79.9	187.0	78.3	18.1	192.6	318.5	92.2	35.0	156.9
	July	116.3	142.9	78.0	193.0	83.5	18.4	221.0	411.7	103.2	76.6	164.3

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyre's index.
(b) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 44

External Trade Indices – Import Volume[(a)]

2010 = 100

Period	Imports													
	Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods						Investment Goods				Total Imports
	Food and Beverages	Non-Food Consumer Goods	Total	Fuel	Textiles and Textile Articles	Fertiliser	Chemical Products	Wheat and Maize	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Transport Equipment	Building Materials	Total	
2019	120.5	174.0	145.4	151.8	153.9	119.5	155.7	127.5	156.0	261.5	93.7	215.1	211.5	164.2
2020	127.4	128.7	128.0	133.1	126.8	160.2	157.9	138.9	140.2	264.5	50.4	147.7	183.4	145.5
2021	125.5	130.4	127.8	134.2	153.9	74.5	177.3	134.2	152.0	359.0	46.7	154.5	230.6	162.2
2022 (b)	133.4	71.9	104.8	106.8	142.3	68.1	142.8	90.4	121.1	265.4	19.8	99.2	162.8	126.0
2022 (b) 1st Qtr	160.9	102.5	133.7	137.8	168.3	27.3	170.4	102.6	150.2	376.3	34.4	148.5	234.5	163.0
2nd Qtr	110.1	65.8	89.5	92.2	138.6	34.5	143.5	65.6	112.4	260.3	16.2	90.9	157.1	116.2
3rd Qtr	132.9	51.4	95.0	91.5	126.1	57.0	136.1	72.4	106.9	168.5	11.7	76.2	107.0	105.6
4th Qtr	129.6	68.0	101.0	105.8	136.0	153.8	121.2	120.9	115.0	256.5	17.0	81.1	152.4	119.0
2023 (b) 1st Qtr	117.3	78.4	99.2	107.4	126.0	30.1	110.5	88.6	106.2	394.9	11.5	69.5	215.0	126.2
2nd Qtr	140.7	62.7	104.4	137.7	119.7	78.4	118.1	108.4	125.5	264.4	11.6	77.3	154.0	126.2
2022 (b) July	127.1	42.1	87.5	81.9	126.4	96.1	126.2	16.4	99.3	169.7	10.4	66.8	104.6	97.3
August	153.0	57.9	108.7	95.5	133.5	57.8	155.4	124.8	120.8	180.9	17.0	90.6	118.6	116.9
September	118.7	54.3	88.7	97.2	118.5	17.2	126.8	76.1	100.6	154.7	7.6	71.1	98.0	102.7
October	123.6	61.6	94.8	94.7	136.8	65.1	117.6	71.8	106.3	309.0	8.1	82.0	176.3	117.5
November	131.4	67.7	101.7	111.4	144.2	93.3	132.0	144.0	119.2	217.5	25.5	73.9	133.2	117.7
December	133.9	74.7	106.4	111.2	127.0	303.0	114.1	147.0	119.5	243.1	17.3	87.4	147.8	121.8
2023 (b) January	115.7	101.8	109.2	148.6	156.8	42.3	113.0	42.0	130.9	537.6	6.1	77.5	285.5	157.4
February	111.2	62.4	88.5	59.9	105.0	18.8	104.6	109.0	81.8	322.6	10.6	59.8	176.8	101.8
March	125.1	71.0	99.9	113.8	116.3	29.1	113.9	114.7	105.9	324.5	17.8	71.1	182.7	119.5
April	110.8	63.2	88.6	160.1	112.8	53.5	110.1	88.1	122.5	335.3	8.5	56.9	181.6	127.2
May	176.0	58.4	121.2	151.6	125.7	56.9	127.3	101.8	127.9	155.1	8.7	77.6	100.4	119.8
June	135.4	66.4	103.3	101.5	120.5	124.8	117.1	135.3	126.0	302.7	17.7	97.2	179.9	131.7
July	146.1	74.3	112.7	143.7	130.3	111.6	130.5	29.5	128.1	273.5	23.8	86.8	164.0	131.4

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyre's index.

(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

External Trade Indices – Export Unit Value[a]

2010 = 100

Period		Exports										Total Exports
		Industrial				Agricultural					Mineral Exports	
		Textiles and Garments	Petroleum Products	Rubber Products	Total	Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Minor Agri. Products	Total		
2019		184.3	127.0	224.8	143.3	166.4	92.0	176.9	163.3	172.8	225.4	148.8
2020		193.4	97.0	231.3	134.2	175.2	96.9	203.3	178.3	183.7	248.0	143.5
2021		202.8	120.0	294.8	153.0	185.5	146.3	240.4	194.9	206.2	289.7	162.6
2022 (b)		350.5	314.7	468.8	251.5	329.6	222.5	354.7	305.0	344.1	526.5	266.5
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	222.1	258.4	311.4	177.4	199.0	158.6	257.5	173.4	218.5	341.4	184.3
	2nd Qtr	374.3	373.8	522.8	255.2	329.0	255.0	401.6	349.3	358.8	369.3	270.5
	3rd Qtr	403.5	310.6	534.4	308.0	388.5	314.7	380.2	358.3	401.6	467.0	324.1
	4th Qtr	415.1	314.4	517.5	265.2	405.3	216.2	376.7	315.2	397.4	718.6	286.3
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	391.8	407.4	591.5	241.0	402.3	185.9	326.2	258.2	383.3	416.4	261.5
	2nd Qtr	359.5	344.7	533.8	209.7	342.4	177.7	299.0	298.8	335.8	379.9	228.8
2022 (b)	July	413.0	272.5	560.1	336.9	374.4	326.3	397.4	343.3	393.7	643.6	347.3
	August	375.0	263.8	561.0	280.5	393.6	316.9	390.5	370.6	409.4	418.3	300.8
	September	430.5	469.9	482.3	313.4	397.8	303.3	352.2	358.4	401.1	446.7	329.4
	October	421.2	458.4	528.5	353.5	413.4	238.7	448.1	334.9	413.2	852.9	268.8
	November	393.8	416.8	499.6	244.5	398.7	196.4	328.8	322.9	386.0	322.3	315.5
	December	431.1	217.7	522.5	257.6	403.8	208.6	341.2	283.4	392.2	778.8	280.1
2023 (b)	January	413.3	427.0	534.5	204.7	409.8	198.2	328.9	280.0	397.5	579.9	227.2
	February	413.1	459.1	711.5	295.8	403.3	180.4	330.6	259.6	386.3	344.3	311.3
	March	350.7	339.6	559.9	239.4	393.4	181.6	320.0	238.7	367.7	318.9	258.8
	April	370.0	361.9	528.8	195.9	369.2	187.4	320.2	274.7	352.8	478.8	217.5
	May	367.9	358.0	552.9	211.3	347.9	168.2	295.1	348.0	339.8	306.5	231.2
	June	343.5	316.9	518.7	222.0	316.5	180.3	285.3	278.6	318.0	416.8	237.6
	July	372.6	340.9	603.3	226.5	324.8	213.7	288.5	262.3	328.7	327.4	244.1

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

(b) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 46

External Trade Indices – Import Unit Value(a)

2010 = 100

Period		Imports													Total Imports	Terms of Trade
		Consumer Goods			Intermediate Goods						Investment Goods					
		Food and Beverages	Non-Food Consumer Goods	Total	Fuel	Textiles and Textile Articles	Fertiliser	Chemical Products	Wheat and Maize	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Transport Equipment	Building Materials	Total		
2019		141.6	199.7	174.0	133.3	165.3	121.9	162.4	161.7	143.2	112.6	169.7	134.9	124.9	143.2	103.9
2020		151.4	204.5	176.2	102.6	166.8	110.8	166.2	171.2	131.8	100.7	192.0	139.8	115.6	134.9	106.4
2021		176.1	255.8	214.0	161.2	193.8	155.2	204.9	206.8	176.9	102.9	254.0	173.1	123.6	166.9	97.5
2022 (b)		251.7	395.1	297.5	422.5	332.9	521.5	366.1	357.9	357.0	150.9	295.4	306.7	183.0	300.4	88.7
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	186.6	278.0	219.2	264.1	221.5	278.3	233.4	231.2	231.7	107.2	238.5	215.8	131.9	200.3	92.0
	2nd Qtr	286.2	395.1	323.4	505.5	392.7	340.0	406.1	381.2	409.9	170.2	456.8	353.6	208.4	341.7	79.2
	3rd Qtr	269.7	530.3	335.4	510.2	404.3	545.5	435.0	347.4	421.9	220.9	305.0	386.6	258.2	366.2	88.5
	4th Qtr	284.9	469.3	342.7	480.5	343.6	596.4	428.1	458.9	408.4	149.2	250.6	345.6	182.8	338.8	84.5
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	301.5	422.3	346.0	422.6	328.5	670.4	410.8	422.0	379.0	94.8	355.0	360.1	123.5	284.9	91.8
	2nd Qtr	275.5	519.5	343.7	328.5	299.2	270.7	346.8	407.4	308.8	129.9	278.6	319.1	160.7	277.4	82.5
2022 (b)	July	249.9	589.6	325.9	531.3	369.1	536.0	431.6	357.3	426.1	244.7	444.1	426.4	283.8	378.0	91.9
	August	264.4	525.9	329.2	512.9	427.9	550.0	439.6	346.0	408.5	215.6	230.0	361.4	249.4	363.1	82.8
	September	297.7	489.2	352.3	489.7	415.2	583.7	432.6	347.5	433.9	201.2	282.9	381.4	241.5	358.6	91.9
	October	281.1	449.8	332.2	531.0	359.1	459.2	454.0	535.7	426.0	118.7	456.4	315.7	149.4	326.8	82.3
	November	290.8	453.4	341.1	480.8	334.8	637.5	409.6	527.9	407.0	187.1	162.1	391.9	220.0	353.1	89.4
	December	282.6	499.8	353.6	437.2	336.9	613.3	422.9	353.8	394.1	154.1	284.9	334.5	189.2	336.5	83.2
2023 (b)	January	297.4	328.8	311.0	439.8	294.9	363.4	396.3	191.9	367.3	71.0	289.3	381.3	97.3	259.4	87.6
	February	299.9	467.6	355.0	431.1	335.5	493.9	382.6	451.9	371.9	113.3	279.8	381.7	142.6	287.4	108.3
	March	306.9	516.5	376.2	395.0	367.6	1,230.6	451.1	477.8	398.8	115.8	422.3	318.9	145.9	316.3	81.8
	April	283.3	658.1	407.7	366.7	305.2	267.1	355.7	482.3	340.9	93.8	460.1	364.7	122.9	286.2	76.0
	May	280.9	461.6	321.4	306.8	307.9	276.5	351.3	397.6	310.4	209.4	258.5	337.5	239.8	300.6	76.9
	June	262.0	438.6	314.8	300.5	284.6	269.6	333.4	366.1	276.0	129.2	201.6	277.7	154.7	247.9	95.8
	July	281.1	421.6	324.2	295.5	284.1	295.1	334.5	467.2	289.8	154.7	126.4	307.9	178.0	266.9	91.5

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(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Key Indicators of Tourism Industry

Year		Tourist Arrivals by Region (No.)								Overall Occupancy Rate	Accommodation Capacity	
		Western Europe	Asia	Middle East	North America	Eastern Europe	Australasia	Other	Total		No. of Hotel Units (a)	No. of Rooms
2019		690,716	734,056	44,143	119,681	196,856	105,414	22,836	1,913,702	57.1	474	24,831
2020		180,830	158,448	10,231	29,627	100,766	22,706	5,096	507,704	15.0	484	25,407
2021		55,367	79,159	4,452	11,281	38,129	4,767	1,340	194,495	18.6 (c)	480	25,958
2022 (b)		273,164	179,661	18,107	49,409	159,062	33,876	6,699	719,978	30.4	469	25,597
2022 (b)	1st Qtr	101,236	65,139	7,796	13,508	87,895	7,367	2,393	285,334	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	2nd Qtr	57,333	29,558	3,392	11,356	14,530	8,348	1,526	126,043	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	3rd Qtr	57,707	28,065	2,673	11,202	7,568	6,798	842	114,855	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	4th Qtr	56,888	56,902	4,246	13,343	49,069	11,370	1,928	193,746	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2023 (b)	1st Qtr	110,878	78,594	5,236	21,773	103,856	12,835	2,507	335,679	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	2nd Qtr	84,214	114,621	6,787	22,720	40,297	17,464	3,092	289,195	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2022 (b)	July	26,718	8,856	1,277	4,945	2,966	2,223	308	47,293	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	August	20,071	8,513	823	3,701	2,302	2,069	281	37,760	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	September	10,918	10,696	573	2,556	2,300	2,506	253	29,802	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	October	13,758	14,072	967	2,907	7,585	2,357	380	42,026	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	November	17,365	16,136	1,277	4,116	17,062	3,252	551	59,759	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	December	25,765	26,694	2,002	6,320	24,422	5,761	997	91,961	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2023 (b)	January	35,117	21,939	1,570	6,336	32,738	4,070	775	102,545	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	February	36,229	23,064	1,856	5,590	36,728	3,471	701	107,639	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	March	39,532	33,591	1,810	9,847	34,390	5,294	1,031	125,495	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	April	35,076	34,101	2,438	7,332	19,663	5,633	1,255	105,498	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	May	22,634	36,493	1,527	7,039	10,136	4,756	724	83,309	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	June	26,504	44,027	2,822	8,349	10,498	7,075	1,113	100,388	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	July	60,281	49,020	4,601	9,901	11,829	6,082	1,325	143,039	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Graded establishments
(b) Provisional
(c) In Level 1/ Level 2 and other safe and secure hotels

Source : Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority

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

US$ million

CURRENT AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT	2022 – 2nd Quarter (b)			2022 – 3rd Quarter (b)			2022 – 4th Quarter (b)			2023 – 1st Quarter (b)		
	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net
Goods and services	**3,915**	**4,589**	**-674**	**4,109**	**4,270**	**-161**	**3,881**	**4,497**	**-617**	**4,046**	**4,261**	**-214**
Goods (c)	**3,268**	**4,377**	**-1,109**	**3,470**	**4,057**	**-587**	**3,114**	**4,206**	**-1,091**	**2,998**	**3,894**	**-896**
General merchandise on a BOP basis	3,268	4,377	-1,109	3,470	4,057	-587	3,114	4,206	-1,091	2,998	3,891	-894
Non-monetary gold		0.2	-0.2		0.4	-0.4		-	-		2.5	-2.5
Services	**647**	**212**	**435**	**640**	**213**	**427**	**766**	**292**	**475**	**1,049**	**367**	**682**
Transport	133	78	55	138	61	76	214	103	111	204	145	59
Sea Transport	98	34	64	95	31	64	111	36	75	89	31	58
Freight	98	34	64	95	31	64	111	36	75	89	31	58
Air transport	35	44	-9	42	30	12	102	67	35	115	113	1
Passenger	24	40	-16	32	27	5	90	63	27	105	110	-5
Freight	11	4	7	11	3	7	12	4	8	10	3	6
Travel (d)	197	48	149	193	63	130	263	91	173	530	105	425
Construction	3	2	1	2	2	-0.2	3	2	1	6	2	4
Insuarance and pension services	3	8	-5	3	9	-6	4	9	-5	9	12	-3
Financial services	22	23	-2	23	23	0.3	24	26	-2	30	26	4
Telecommunication, computer and information services	281	37	245	273	37	236	250	43	207	260	56	204
Telecommunications services	6	8	-2	6	6	0.4	8	5	3	15	11	4
Computer services	276	29	247	266	31	235	242	37	205	245	45	200
Other business services	4	4	-0.3	4	4	0.05	4	4	-0.3	5	4	1
Government goods and services n.i.e	5	12	-8	4	14	-10	4	14	-10	6	17	-11
Primary Income	**53**	**539**	**-486**	**73**	**661**	**-588**	**86**	**491**	**-405**	**99**	**585**	**-486**
Compensation of employees	7	12	-5	7	13	-6	7	11	-3	9	26	-17
Investment Income	45	527	-481	65	648	-583	78	480	-402	91	560	-469
Direct Investment	4	176	-173	4	248	-244	4	89	-86	4	87	-84
Dividends	3	191	-189	3	156	-153	3	34	-31	3	44	-41
Re-invested earnings	1	-15	16	1	92	-91	1	55	-54	1	44	-43
Portfolio Investment		205	-205		188	-188		197	-197		181	-181
Equity		12	-12		11	-11		3	-3		1	-1
Interest		193	-193		177	-177		194	-194		180	-180
short-term		0.1	-0.1		0.2	-0.2		0.4	-0.4		1	-1
long-term		193	-193		177	-177		194	-194		179	-179
Actual ISB coupon payments		-			-			-			-	
Accrued ISB coupon payments		187			177			187			177	
Actual non resident T bond payments		0.1			0.1			0.4			2	
Actual other sectors coupon payments		6			-			-			-	
Accrued other sectors coupon payments		-			-			6			-	
Other Investment	41	145	-104	61	212	-152	72	194	-122	81	291	-211
Government - Interest Payments		49			45			60			76	
Government - Accrued Interest		11			85			37			127	
Central Bank - Interest Payments		11			14			28			32	
Central Bank - Accrued Interest		-			-			3			-	
Commercial Bank - Interest Payments		29			33			29			31	
Other Sector - Interest Payments		45			19			36			25	
Other Sector - Accrued Interest		-			16			-			-	
Reserve assets	1		1	1		1	2		2	6		6
Secondary Income	**829**	**67**	**763**	**964**	**70**	**894**	**1,216**	**75**	**1,141**	**1,415**	**70**	**1,344**
General Government (e)	2		2	0.03		0.03	1		1	2		2
Financial corporations, non financial corporations, households	827	67	761	964	70	894	1,215	75	1,140	1,413	70	1,343
Personal transfers	827	67	761	964	70	894	1,215	75	1,140	1,413	70	1,343
of which, worker's remittances	827			964			1,215			1,413		
Current Account	**4,797**	**5,194**	**-397**	**5,146**	**5,001**	**145**	**5,183**	**5,063**	**120**	**5,560**	**4,916**	**644**
Capital Account	**12**	**5**	**8**	**6**	**4**	**1**	**8**	**4**	**5**	**15**	**7**	**8**
Capital Transfers	12	5	8	6	4	1	8	4	5	15	7	8
General Government (f)	4	-	4	0.1	-	0.1	2	-	2	3	-	3
Financial corporations, non financial corporations, households	8	5	4	6	4	1	7	4	3	12	7	5
Current Account + Capital Account	**4,809**	**5,199**	**-389**	**5,152**	**5,005**	**147**	**5,191**	**5,067**	**124**	**5,575**	**4,923**	**652**

(Contd.)

(a) The above presentation conforms as far as possible to the Balance of Payments Manual (BPM), 6th edition (2009) of the International Monetary Fund (IMF).
(b) Provisional
(c) Exports and imports are recorded on f.o.b. and c.i.f. valuation basis, respectively.
(d) Passenger services provided for non-residents are included in transport services.
(e) Includes outright grants received in the form of programme, food and commodity aid, cash and technical assistance.
(f) Includes outright grants received in the form of project aid.

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

US$ million

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	2022 – 2nd Quarter (b)		2022 – 3rd Quarter (b)		2022 – 4th Quarter (b)		2023 – 1st Quarter (b)	
	Net incurrence of liabilities	Net acquisition of financial assets	Net incurrence of liabilities	Net acquisition of financial assets	Net incurrence of liabilities	Net acquisition of financial assets	Net incurrence of liabilities	Net acquisition of financial assets
Financial Account	**904**	**253**	**839**	**548**	**-85**	**-32**	**249**	**979**
Direct Investment	**153**	**4**	**342**	**4**	**307**	**4**	**172**	**4**
Equity and investment fund shares	15	3	158	3	166	3	92	3
Equity other than reinvestment of earnings	30	2	66	2	61	2	48	2
Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g)	30	2	66	2	61	2	48	2
- BOI companies	30	-	19	-	20	-	50	-
- CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	0.3	-	47	-	33	-	-2	-
- Other companies	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-
Reinvestment of earnings	-15	1	92	1	105	1	44	1
- BOI companies	33		38		59		49	
- CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	-48		54		-4		-5	
- Other companies	-		-		50		-	
Debt Instruments	137	1	183	1	141	1	80	1
Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g)	137	1	183	1	141	1	80	1
- BOI companies	137	-	177	-	106	-	80	-
Shareholder Advance	92	-	33	-	55	-	64	-
Intra Company Borrowings	45	-	144	-	52	-	15	-
Debt Repayments	-		-		-0.1		-	
- CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Other companies	-	-	6	-	35	-	-	-
Portfolio Investment	**193**	**-**	**213**	**-**	**211**	**-**	**291**	**-**
Equity and investment fund shares	2	-	-2	-	11	-	3	-
- CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	2	-	-2	-	11	-	3	-
Secondary market net foreign inflows	2	-	45	-	42	-	1	-
Reclassified secodary market inflows as direct investments	-0.3	-	-47	-	-33	-	2	-
Primary market inflows	0.3	-	0.01	-	2	-	0.2	-
Debt securities	191	-	215	-	200	-	288	-
General Government	191	-	215	-	194	-	288	-
Short-term (Treasury Bills)	2	-	19	-	4	-	116	-
Long-term	189	-	196	-	190	-	172	-
Treasury Bonds	0.2	-	20	-	3	-	-4	-
SLDBs	2	-	0.1	-	1	-	-1	-
Sovereign Bonds	187	-	177	-	187	-	177	-
Issuances of new Sovereign Bonds	-		-		-			
Maturities of non resident holdings	-		-		-		-	
Accrued Interest of ISB coupon payments	187		177		187		177	
Other Sectors	-		-		6		-	
Long-term	-		-		6		-	
Issuances of new International Bonds	-		-		-		-	
Maturities of non resident holdings	-		-		-		-	
Accrued Interest of International Bonds	-		-		6		-	
Financial Derivatives	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**
Other investment	**558**	**303**	**283**	**614**	**-603**	**-150**	**-213**	**179**
Other equity	**-**		**-**		**-**		**-**	
Currency & deposits	**-236**	**244**	**303**	**106**	**-523**	**-81**	**-330**	**-220**
Central Bank	1	-	-2	-	3	-	0.1	-
Short term	1	-	-2	-	0.3	-	0.1	-
Long term	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
International swaps	-		-		-		-	
Accrued Interest on International Swaps	-		-		3		-	
Deposit taking corporations, other than the central bank	-236	244	305	106	-527	-81	-330	-220
Short-term	-236	276	305	-120	-527	121	-330	-209
Long-term	-	-32	-	227	-	-202	-	-11
Loans	**317**	**-**	**71**	**-**	**192**	**-**	**336**	**-**
Central bank	-47	-	-13	-	-66	-	-13	-
Credit and loans with the IMF	-47		-13		-66		-13	
Deposit taking corporations, except the Central Bank	-467	-	-343	-	-177	-	-163	-
Short term	-436		-213		-89		-149	
Long term	-31		-130		-88		-15	
General Government	831	-	348	-	424	-	504	-
Short term	-		-		-		-	
Long term	831		348		424		504	
Credit and loans with IMF	-		-		-		341	
Disbursements	968		379		466		273	
Accrued Interest	11		85		37		127	
Repayments	-148		-116		-78		-237	
Other sectors (h)	-0.4	-	79	-	10	-	9	-
Short term	-		-		-		-	
Long term	-0.4		79		10		9	
Disbursements	69		70		125		33	
Accrued Interest	-		16		-		-	
Repayments	-69		-6		-115		-24	
Insuarance, pension and standardised guarantee schemes	**-**		**-**		**-**		**-**	
Trade credits and advances	**-139**	**77**	**-196**	**67**	**-264**	**59**	**-190**	**13**
Deposit taking corporations, except the Central Bank		-0.1		-11		-19		-7.
Short term		-0.1		-11		-19		-7.
Other sectors (i)	-139	77	-196	77	-264	77	-190	20
Short term	-139	77	-196	77	-264	77	-190	20
Other accounts receivable/payable	**615**	**-19**	**105**	**441**	**-8**	**-128**	**-30**	**386**
Central bank	615		105		-8		-30	
Short term (j)	615		105		-8		-30	
Deposit taking corporations, except the Central Bank	-	-19	-	441	-	-128	-	386
Short term	-	-19	-	441	-	-128	-	386
Special Drawing rights	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**
Reserve assets		**-54**		**-70**		**114**		**796**
Monetary gold		-		-		-		-
Special drawing rights		-98		-8		-9		27
Reserve position in the IMF		-		-		-58		-
Other reserve assets		45		-62		180		769
Currency and deposits		55		-62		180		767
Claims on monetary authorities		48		112		151		267
Claims on other entities		8		-174		29		500
Securities		-11		-		-		-
Debt securities		-11		-		-		-
Short term								
Long term		-11		-		-		-
Equity and investment fund shares								
Financial derivatives								
Other claims		-0.04		-0.03		0.04		2
FINANCIAL ACCOUNT (NET)		**-650**		**-291**		**53**		**730**
Errors and Ommisions		-261		-437		-71		78

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

International Investment Position – Standard Presentation under BPM6 Format

End period position

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	US$ million							
	30th June 2022 (a)		30th September 2022 (a)		31st December 2022 (a)		31st March 2023 (a)	
	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities
Direct Investment (b)	**1,528**	**13,077**	**1,531**	**13,983**	**1,534**	**13,877**	**1,537**	**14,203**
Equity and investment fund shares	1,485	7,458	1,487	8,180	1,489	7,933	1,490	8,180
Debt Instruments	43	5,619	44	5,803	45	5,944	46	6,023
Portfolio Investment	**0.1**	**4,397**	**0.1**	**3,930**	**0.1**	**5,285**	**0.1**	**5,627**
Equity and investment fund shares		475		564		1,251		652
Other Sectors		475		564		1,251		652
Debt securities (c)	0.1	3,922	0.1	3,366	0.1	4,035	0.1	4,975
Deposit taking corporations	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-
Long-term		-		-		-		-
General Government		3,836		3,262		3,957		4,873
Short-term		6		27		31		171
Long-term		3,830		3,235		3,926		4,702
Non resident holdings of SLDBS (book value)		26		26		27		26
Non resident holdings of Treasury Bonds (Book Value)		4		31		34		33
Outstanding ISB (market value) - (proxy market price of ISBs from 2Q-2022 onwards)		3,614		2,815		3,315		3,916
Accrued Interest of ISB coupons		187		364		551		727
Other Sectors		86		105		78		102
Short-term								
Long-term		86		105		78		102
Financial Derivatives								
Other investment	**4,934**	**39,989**	**5,548**	**39,664**	**5,399**	**39,700**	**5,578**	**39,556**
Other equity								
Currency & deposits	**1,630**	**6,101**	**1,736**	**6,392**	**1,656**	**5,880**	**1,436**	**5,525**
Central Bank		2,037		2,022		2,037		2,013
Short term		3		1		1		0.3
Long term		2,033		2,021		2,036		2,012
Deposit taking corporations	1,630	4,065	1,736	4,370	1,656	3,843	1,436	3,513
Short-term	1,481	4,065	1,361	4,370	1,483	3,843	1,273	3,513
Long-term	149		375		173		162	
Loans		**29,220**		**28,751**		**29,508**		**29,931**
Central bank		1,139		1,085		1,062		1,060
Credit and loans with the IMF		1,139		1,085		1,062		1,060
Deposit taking corporations		2,047		1,704		1,527		1,364
Short term		1,006		793		704		556
Long term		1,042		912		823		809
General Government		21,311		21,211		23,562		24,141
Long term		21,311		21,211		23,562		24,141
Credit and loans with the IMF								341
Current outstanding liability position		21,300		21,115		23,413		23,539
Accrued interest of project loans (April 2022 onwards)		11		96		149		261
Other sectors (d)		4,723		4,751		3,357		3,366
Long term		4,723		4,751		3,357		3,366
Insurance guarantee schemes								
Trade credits and advances	**1,368**	**1,479**	**1,434**	**1,283**	**1,493**	**1,020**	**1,506**	**830**
Deposit taking corporations	100		89		70		63	
Short term	100		89		70		63	
Other sectors (e)	1,268	1,479	1,345	1,283	1,423	1,020	1,443	830
Short term	1,268	1,479	1,345	1,283	1,423	1,020	1,443	830
Other accounts receivable/payable	**1,937**	**1,917**	**2,378**	**2,022**	**2,250**	**2,028**	**2,636**	**1,993**
Central Bank (f)		1,917		2,022		2,028		1,993
Short term		1,917		2,022		2,028		1,993
Deposit taking corporations	1,937		2,378		2,250		2,636	
Short term	1,937		2,378		2,250		2,636	
Special Drawing rights		**1,272**		**1,216**		**1,265**		**1,278**
Reserve assets	**1,854**		**1,779**		**1,898**		**2,694**	
Monetary gold	27		25		28		30	
Special drawing rights	16		8		2		28	
Reserve position in the IMF	64		61		4		4	
Other reserve assets	1,747		1,684		1,864		2,632	
Currency and deposits	1,716		1,654		1,834		2,602	
Claims on monetary authorities	110		222		373		640	
Claims on other entities	1,606		1,432		1,462		1,962	
Securities	31		30		30		30	
Debt securities	31		30		30		30	
Total Assets / Liabilities	**8,317**	**57,464**	**8,858**	**57,578**	**8,830**	**58,862**	**9,809**	**59,387**
Net Assets / Liabilities		**-49,147**		**-48,720**		**-50,032**		**-49,579**

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Include direct investment stock position of BOI, CSE and other private companies.
(c) Foreign currency and local currency debt issuances are based on market values and book values, respectively.
(d) Include outstanding position of loans obtained by State Owned Business Enterprises (SOBEs) and private sector companies.
(e) Include outstanding trade credit position of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation and other private sector companies.
(f) Outstanding position of ACU liabilities managed by the Central Bank.

International Reserves of Sri Lanka

US$ million

End of Period		Central Bank	Govern-ment	Gross Official Reserves		Commer-cial Banks	Total International Reserves (3+5)		Change in Gross Official Reserves	Change in Total International Reserves
				Value	Months of Imports (a)		Value	Months of Imports (a)		
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2020		5,509.6	154.6	5,664.3	4.2	2,856.5	8,520.7	6.4	-1,978.1	-1,881.1
2021		2,962.5	176.8	3,139.2	1.8	2,983.2	6,122.4	3.6	-2,525.0	-2,398.4
2022		1,858.5	39.2	1,897.6	1.2	3,975.9	5,873.5	3.9	-1,241.6	-248.9
2022	1st Qtr	1,891.6	24.9	1,916.5	1.1	3,441.1	5,357.6	3.0	-1,222.7	-764.8
	2nd Qtr	1,850.2	3.9	1,854.2	1.1	3,666.6	5,520.9	3.2	-62.3	163.3
	3rd Qtr	1,751.3	27.2	1,778.6	1.1	4,203.1	5,981.6	3.6	-75.6	460.8
	4th Qtr	1,858.5	39.2	1,897.6	1.2	3,975.9	5,873.5	3.9	119.0	-108.1
2023	1st Qtr	2,462.3	232.0	2,694.3	2.0	4,135.0	6,829.3	5.0	796.7	955.7
	2nd Qtr	3,108.6	615.6	3,724.2	2.7	4,321.3	8,045.5	5.9	1,029.9	1,216.2
2022	Jul	1,810.9	5.8	1,816.8	1.1	4,042.0	5,858.8	3.5	-37.4	338.0
	Aug	1,703.6	13.8	1,717.4	1.0	4,003.4	5,720.8	3.4	-99.4	-138.1
	Sep	1,751.3	27.2	1,778.6	1.1	4,203.1	5,981.6	3.6	61.2	260.9
	Oct	1,672.9	32.4	1,705.3	1.1	4,126.8	5,832.2	3.6	-73.2	-149.5
	Nov	1,764.8	40.8	1,805.7	1.1	3,958.0	5,763.7	3.6	100.3	-68.5
	Dec	1,858.5	39.2	1,897.6	1.2	3,975.9	5,873.5	3.9	92.0	109.8
2023	Jan	2,088.2	33.0	2,121.2	1.4	4,252.3	6,373.6	4.3	223.6	500.1
	Feb	2,168.3	51.1	2,219.4	1.6	4,127.2	6,346.6	4.5	98.2	-27.0
	Mar	2,462.3	232.0	2,694.3	2.0	4,135.0	6,829.3	5.0	474.8	482.6
	Apr	2,645.2	115.4	2,760.6	2.0	4,482.0	7,242.6	5.3	66.3	413.3
	May	3,036.3	455.0	3,491.3	2.6	4,173.6	7,664.9	5.6	730.7	422.3
	June	3,108.6	615.6	3,724.2	2.7	4,321.3	8,045.5	5.9	232.9	380.6
	July	3,186.6	578.8	3,765.4	2.7	4,745.8	8,511.1	6.2	41.2	465.6

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

End of Period		Sri Lanka Rupees per 100 units of Foreign Currency						Monthly Average Index	
		US dollar	Pound sterling	Euro	Japanese yen	Indian rupee	SDR (a)	NEER (b) (2017=100)	REER (c) (2017=100)
2020		18,640.82	25,435.40	22,942.19	180.81	254.67	26,847.81	85.93	91.52
2021		20,043.38	27,059.57	22,686.10	174.15	269.35	28,052.51	78.65	87.13
2022		36,311.00	43,734.78	38,693.00	273.85	438.61	48,324.13	53.99	77.49
2022	1st Qtr	29,900.00	39,252.72	33,402.79	244.97	394.32	41,333.76	73.62	85.98
	2nd Qtr	35,987.82	43,687.41	37,627.07	263.50	456.23	47,783.91	47.77	64.97
	3rd Qtr	36,290.00	40,227.47	35,578.72	250.77	445.29	46,446.85	47.50	77.88
	4th Qtr	36,311.00	43,734.78	38,693.00	273.85	438.61	48,324.13	47.97	80.97
2023	1st Qtr	32,728.57	40,596.52	35,710.14	246.20	398.76	44,027.45	49.01	72.78
	2nd Qtr	30,883.00	39,303.25	33,798.36	214.49	376.50	41,230.97	55.74	73.26
2022	Jul	36,080.00	43,909.36	36,779.95	268.54	453.05	47,755.49	47.12	76.33
	Aug	36,114.80	42,131.53	36,197.86	260.67	454.13	46,997.63	47.27	78.22
	Sep	36,290.00	40,227.47	35,578.72	250.77	445.29	46,446.85	48.10	82.17
	Oct	36,330.00	42,102.84	36,141.08	245.23	441.60	46,621.93	48.69	82.22
	Nov	36,318.75	43,484.44	37,560.85	261.84	444.94	47,753.35	47.99	80.61
	Dec	36,311.00	43,734.78	38,693.00	273.85	438.61	48,324.13	47.26	79.63
2023	Jan	36,214.00	44,758.69	39,303.05	278.37	443.93	48,833.49	46.82	79.05
	Feb	36,163.18	43,598.33	38,307.66	265.49	437.41	48,053.27	47.34	61.74
	Mar	32,728.57	40,596.52	35,710.14	246.20	398.76	44,027.45	52.47	70.25
	Apr	32,165.00	40,180.52	35,452.26	239.83	393.59	43,326.58	53.38	70.14
	May	29,552.11	36,619.50	31,642.92	211.34	357.19	39,229.24	55.79	73.15
	June	30,883.00	39,303.25	33,798.36	214.49	376.50	41,230.97	57.51	75.13
	July	32,935.66	42,319.03	36,265.46	232.72	400.42	44,230.62	54.20	69.45

(a) Special Drawing Rights (SDRs), 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.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Interbank Forward Market Transactions

Period		Forward Volume (US$ million)						Annualised Forward Premium (as % of spot) (a)		Annualised Interest Differential (as % of spot)	
		Below 1 Month	1 Month	2 Months	3 Months	Over 3 Months	Total	1 Month (%)	3 Months (%)	1 Month (%)	3 Months (%)
2020		2,553.42	2,389.23	905.47	823.68	1,291.84	7,963.64	1.29	1.39	4.47	5.12
2021		2,849.26	1,899.39	518.38	466.89	574.27	6,308.19	-3.38	-5.34	4.55	5.67
2022		2,776.32	790.15	335.23	143.34	45.98	4,091.02	0.13	-5.89	6.23	21.25
2022	1st Qtr	561.50	415.10	231.00	80.07	28.75	1,316.42	-12.41	-23.39	5.81	8.85
	2nd Qtr	322.65	58.65	21.50	6.17	2.00	410.97	0.70	-4.96	11.38	19.99
	3rd Qtr	1,036.08	151.85	23.73	35.10	11.23	1,257.99	5.41	0.41	3.33	27.28
	4th Qtr	856.09	164.55	59.00	22.00	4.00	1,105.64	6.05	3.41	4.67	28.04
2023	1st Qtr	946.59	397.26	63.00	119.25	26.50	1,552.60	10.26	13.13	9.53	24.24
	2nd Qtr	435.93	452.70	47.30	112.75	24.85	1,073.53	14.45	16.50	8.65	19.17
2022	Jul	351.95	1.50	2.50	3.50	7.90	367.35	0.73	-2.63	6.08	26.65
	Aug	403.70	47.55	9.10	21.60	2.00	483.95	11.24	1.68	2.65	26.33
	Sep	280.43	102.80	12.13	10.00	1.33	406.69	3.83	1.90	1.51	28.81
	Oct	255.35	65.80	33.00	3.00	0.00	357.15	2.39	0.60	1.67	28.35
	Nov	268.68	41.00	16.00	14.00	2.50	342.18	8.03	2.40	5.33	28.06
	Dec	332.06	57.75	10.00	5.00	1.50	406.31	7.44	7.14	6.82	27.73
2023	Jan	332.59	96.63	7.00	11.00	0.00	447.22	10.98	17.12	9.39	25.78
	Feb	338.40	156.63	27.50	34.50	2.50	559.53	12.81	15.01	9.27	24.63
	Mar	275.60	144.00	28.50	73.75	24.00	545.85	7.29	7.79	9.90	22.48
	Apr	172.25	97.25	12.00	18.50	14.00	314.00	17.85	16.16	9.83	19.68
	May	125.80	184.50	28.75	52.25	10.50	401.80	14.09	19.30	9.66	20.03
	Jun	137.88	170.95	6.55	42.00	0.35	357.73	12.12	13.84	6.64	17.85
	July	117.61	212.75	60.00	51.00	0.00	441.36	12.49	5.01	5.35	13.58

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

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

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TABLE 53

Monetary Aggregates – M_1 and M_2

Rs. million

End of Period		Currency: Held by the Government (a) (1)	Currency: Held by Commercial Banks (2)	Currency: Held by the Public (3)	Currency: Total (1)+(2)+(3) (4)	Demand Deposits: Held by the Government (b) (5)	Demand Deposits: Held by Commercial Banks (c) (6)	Demand Deposits: Held by the Public (7)	Demand Deposits: Total (d) (5)+(6)+(7) (8)	Narrow Money Supply (M_1) (3)+(7) (9)	Time and Savings Deposits held by the Public (10)	Broad Money Supply M_2(e) (9)+(10) (11)
2019		…	183,759	494,208	677,967	44,320	720,915	371,259	1,136,494	865,467	6,047,243	6,912,710
2020		…	193,798	641,010	834,808	52,075	623,850	536,140	1,212,066	1,177,150	7,318,638	8,495,788
2021		…	220,649	784,450	1,005,099	49,093	1,128,852	675,446	1,853,391	1,459,895	8,179,010	9,638,905
2022		…	284,525	742,042	1,026,567	60,971	2,245,439	711,555	3,017,966	1,453,597	9,043,455	10,497,052
2022	Q1	…	281,791	817,533	1,099,324	32,702	1,826,585	772,081	2,631,368	1,589,614	8,483,778	10,073,392
	Q2	…	317,305	797,471	1,114,776	32,743	2,344,102	748,004	3,124,849	1,545,475	8,598,152	10,143,626
	Q3	…	301,795	742,124	1,043,919	52,203	2,220,781	786,471	3,059,455	1,528,595	8,822,849	10,351,444
	Q4	…	284,525	742,042	1,026,567	60,971	2,245,439	711,555	3,017,966	1,453,597	9,043,455	10,497,052
2023	Q1	…	281,367	828,742	1,110,109	56,249	2,095,500	649,219	2,800,967	1,477,961	9,181,704	10,659,665
	Q2	…	278,261	845,055	1,123,317	43,711	2,077,161	707,320	2,828,192	1,552,375	9,421,578	10,973,953
2022	July	…	302,658	821,707	1,124,365	33,797	2,223,059	743,170	3,000,026	1,564,877	8,688,682	10,253,559
	August	…	318,756	760,981	1,079,737	30,979	2,199,110	773,133	3,003,222	1,534,114	8,751,824	10,285,938
	September	…	301,795	742,124	1,043,919	52,203	2,220,781	786,471	3,059,455	1,528,595	8,822,849	10,351,444
	October	…	335,211	690,821	1,026,032	28,756	2,216,056	765,868	3,010,680	1,456,688	8,881,696	10,338,384
	November	…	292,025	713,754	1,005,778	61,689	2,221,046	744,223	3,026,958	1,457,977	8,958,985	10,416,961
	December	…	284,525	742,042	1,026,567	60,971	2,245,439	711,555	3,017,966	1,453,597	9,043,455	10,497,052
2023	January	…	299,567	730,586	1,030,153	44,943	2,490,248	680,780	3,215,971	1,411,366	9,106,957	10,518,323
	February	…	246,961	779,299	1,026,260	45,735	2,383,923	660,021	3,089,679	1,439,320	9,110,544	10,549,864
	March	…	281,367	828,742	1,110,109	56,249	2,095,500	649,219	2,800,967	1,477,961	9,181,704	10,659,665
	April	…	289,524	814,875	1,104,399	51,395	2,023,148	684,565	2,759,108	1,499,440	9,279,980	10,779,420
	May	…	275,897	796,430	1,072,327	60,555	2,159,158	700,606	2,920,319	1,497,035	9,340,858	10,837,893
	June	…	278,261	845,055	1,123,317	43,711	2,077,161	707,320	2,828,192	1,552,375	9,421,578	10,973,953
	July	...	272,667	823,351	1,096,018	40,169	2,254,732	708,100	3,003,002	1,531,451	9,549,368	11,080,819

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

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

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

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

(e) M_2 equals currency held by the public plus rupee denominated demand, savings and time deposits held by the public.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Monetary Survey – M_2 [(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period	Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities): Narrow Money Supply (M_1) (c)	Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities): Broad Money Supply (M_2) (5)+(14)-(17)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Monetary Authorities (d)	Net Foreign Assets (b): Commercial Banks	Net Foreign Assets (b): Total (3)+(4)	Net Domestic Assets – Domestic Assets – Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Claims on Govt.	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Deposits of the Govt.	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Net Credit to the Govt. (e) (6)-(7)	Commercial Banks: Claims on Govt.	Commercial Banks: Deposits of the Govt.	Commercial Banks: Net Credit to the Govt. (e) (9)-(10)	Commercial Banks: Credit to Public Corporations	Commercial Banks: Credit to Private Sector	Gross Domestic Assets (8)+(11)+(12)+(13)	Net Other Liabilities: Monetary Authorities	Net Other Liabilities: Commercial Banks	Net Other Liabilities: Total (15)+(16)	Reserve Money (RM)	Money Multiplier: $\frac{M_1}{RM}$	Money Multiplier: $\frac{M_2}{RM}$
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)			
2019	865,467	6,912,710	895,997	-482,405	413,593	363,476	444	363,032	2,095,409	115,722	1,979,687	481,222	5,375,077	8,199,017	581,006	1,118,894	1,699,900	932,604	0.93	7.41
2020	1,177,150	8,495,788	526,779	-472,573	54,206	870,322	1,430	868,892	3,323,967	120,274	3,203,694	584,274	5,748,117	10,404,976	560,832	1,402,561	1,963,393	964,440	1.22	8.81
2021	1,459,895	9,638,905	-387,263	-686,342	-1,073,604	2,095,481	1,387	2,094,095	3,531,443	170,103	3,361,340	972,821	6,498,862	12,927,118	701,728	1,512,881	2,214,608	1,305,809	1.12	7.38
2022	1,453,597	10,497,052	-1,613,861	-1,228,566	-2,842,427	3,432,703	210	3,432,493	3,828,089	188,799	3,639,290	1,686,729	6,734,988	15,493,501	792,053	1,361,968	2,154,021	1,349,389	1.08	7.78
2022 Q1	1,589,614	10,073,392	-1,203,377	-1,101,220	-2,304,597	2,683,708	1,175	2,682,533	3,590,501	160,762	3,429,740	1,307,535	6,839,523	14,259,330	379,812	1,501,529	1,881,341	1,386,700	1.15	7.26
Q2	1,545,475	10,143,626	-1,612,690	-1,135,199	-2,747,889	3,095,022	886	3,094,136	3,276,262	158,833	3,117,429	1,525,894	6,976,072	14,713,531	366,646	1,455,369	1,822,015	1,452,596	1.06	6.98
Q3	1,528,595	10,351,444	-1,590,817	-1,101,241	-2,692,058	3,303,132	686	3,302,445	3,453,286	180,862	3,272,424	1,581,035	6,864,019	15,019,923	667,694	1,308,727	1,976,422	1,378,579	1.11	7.51
Q4	1,453,597	10,497,052	-1,613,861	-1,228,566	-2,842,427	3,432,703	210	3,432,493	3,828,089	188,799	3,639,290	1,686,729	6,734,988	15,493,501	792,053	1,361,968	2,154,021	1,349,389	1.08	7.78
2023 Q1	1,477,961	10,659,665	-1,254,002	-1,072,656	-2,326,658	3,209,525	294	3,209,230	4,273,102	238,012	4,035,090	1,550,358	6,589,770	15,384,448	845,110	1,553,015	2,398,125	1,424,211	1.04	7.48
Q2	1,552,375	10,973,953	-962,981	-1,024,905	-1,987,886	3,178,752	190	3,178,562	5,075,268	292,506	4,782,763	1,041,583	6,559,515	15,562,422	1,092,249	1,508,334	2,600,583	1,435,811	1.08	7.64
2022 Jul	1,564,877	10,253,559	-1,686,199	-1,164,928	-2,851,127	3,264,869	992	3,263,877	3,210,508	153,010	3,057,499	1,629,290	6,945,710	14,896,376	453,293	1,338,397	1,791,690	1,436,448	1.09	7.14
Aug	1,534,114	10,285,938	-1,614,857	-1,188,896	-2,803,752	3,311,681	616	3,311,066	3,367,124	154,643	3,212,481	1,578,341	6,887,237	14,989,124	616,417	1,283,017	1,899,434	1,386,248	1.11	7.42
Sept	1,528,595	10,351,444	-1,590,817	-1,101,241	-2,692,058	3,303,132	686	3,302,445	3,453,286	180,862	3,272,424	1,581,035	6,864,019	15,019,923	667,694	1,308,727	1,976,422	1,378,579	1.11	7.51
Oct	1,456,688	10,338,384	-1,635,193	-1,166,104	-2,801,297	3,352,176	433	3,351,743	3,533,115	153,206	3,379,908	1,707,617	6,832,265	15,271,533	690,503	1,441,350	2,131,853	1,341,681	1.09	7.71
Nov	1,457,977	10,416,961	-1,639,535	-1,234,195	-2,873,730	3,370,042	252	3,369,791	3,706,200	206,609	3,499,591	1,698,202	6,802,512	15,370,096	724,465	1,354,940	2,079,404	1,318,493	1.11	7.90
Dec	1,453,597	10,497,052	-1,613,861	-1,228,566	-2,842,427	3,432,703	210	3,432,493	3,828,089	188,799	3,639,290	1,686,729	6,734,988	15,493,501	792,053	1,361,968	2,154,021	1,349,389	1.08	7.78
2023 Jan	1,411,366	10,518,323	-1,539,645	-1,268,209	-2,807,854	3,410,109	708	3,409,401	3,993,488	186,138	3,807,350	1,687,399	6,673,127	15,577,278	839,594	1,411,507	2,251,101	1,589,719	0.89	6.62
Feb	1,439,320	10,549,864	-1,495,995	-1,189,790	-2,685,785	3,156,382	1,388	3,154,994	4,221,647	265,048	3,956,599	1,653,283	6,643,431	15,408,307	632,731	1,539,927	2,172,658	1,504,685	0.96	7.01
Mar	1,477,961	10,659,665	-1,254,002	-1,072,656	-2,326,658	3,209,525	294	3,209,230	4,273,102	238,012	4,035,090	1,550,358	6,589,770	15,384,448	845,110	1,553,015	2,398,125	1,424,211	1.04	7.48
Apr	1,499,440	10,779,420	-1,190,892	-982,591	-2,173,482	3,215,133	844	3,214,289	4,791,091	230,005	4,561,086	1,093,463	6,542,737	15,411,575	918,968	1,539,705	2,458,672	1,417,074	1.06	7.61
May	1,497,035	10,837,893	-977,424	-948,426	-1,925,850	3,124,140	399	3,123,741	4,991,599	294,852	4,696,747	1,035,191	6,511,851	15,367,530	1,073,967	1,529,821	2,603,788	1,559,124	0.96	6.95
Jun	1,552,375	10,973,953	-962,981	-1,024,905	-1,987,886	3,178,752	190	3,178,562	5,075,268	292,506	4,782,763	1,041,583	6,559,515	15,562,422	1,092,249	1,508,334	2,600,583	1,435,811	1.08	7.64
Jul	1,531,451	11,080,819	-982,422	-1,029,748	-2,012,170	3,206,731	272	3,206,459	5,274,955	252,393	5,022,561	1,038,675	6,556,987	15,824,683	1,128,000	1,603,694	2,731,694	1,373,782	1.11	8.07

(a) M_2 is based on aggregated data pertaining to the Central Bank and Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of commercial banks.
(b) Foreign assets (net) of the Central Bank and commercial banks (including outward bills).
(c) Currency and demand deposits held by the public.
(d) This includes NFA of the Central Bank as well as the Government's Crown Agent's balance reported by the Department of State Accounts.
(e) Credit extended by the banking system to the government, net of Government deposits with banks and government cash balances.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCIAL SECTOR

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Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

End of Period		Assets: International Reserves: Cash and Bank Balances Abroad including Treasury bills	Foreign Government and Non-Governmental Securities (a)	Special Drawing Rights	IMF Related Assets	Receivables	Total	Domestic Assets: Loans and Advances to: Govern-ment	Other	Government and Government Guaranteed Securities (b)	Other Assets and Accounts	Total Assets/ Liabilities	International Reserves as a percentage of Currency and Deposit Liabilities
2019		594,095	768,470	1,320	145,831	62	1,509,777	236,609	39	126,867	46,126	1,919,417	98
2020		479,514	744,000	492	158,465	1,716	1,384,188	153,062	111,232	717,260	55,855	2,421,597	76
2021		547,895	8,874	24,801	163,245	20	744,834	150,129	90,358	1,945,353	115,604	3,046,278	31
2022		661,691	10,867	626	280,765	37,080	991,031	235,639	28,217	3,197,064	58,397	4,510,347	25
2022	Q1	499,004	9,396	35,424	240,184	5,513	789,521	224,787	73,066	2,458,921	83,580	3,629,875	23
	Q2	626,264	11,078	5,920	277,665	10,105	931,032	223,106	57,392	2,871,916	98,282	4,181,727	23
	Q3	598,703	10,784	3,010	269,810	82,098	964,404	224,800	35,962	3,078,332	62,609	4,366,107	25
	Q4	661,691	10,867	626	280,765	37,080	991,031	235,639	28,217	3,197,064	58,397	4,510,347	25
2023	Q1	841,426	11,614	9,300	255,756	29,629	1,147,725	344,664	182,445	2,864,860	66,374	4,606,069	30
	Q2	1,085,347	29,528	1,353	238,615	24,599	1,379,442	343,114	124,828	2,835,638	69,302	4,752,323	37
2022	July	613,109	11,249	5,916	277,500	4,685	912,459	224,818	51,888	3,040,052	86,346	4,315,562	23
	August	578,361	11,004	3,045	273,097	89,997	955,504	224,800	43,318	3,086,881	58,525	4,369,029	24
	September	598,703	10,784	3,010	269,810	82,098	964,404	224,800	35,962	3,078,332	62,609	4,366,107	25
	October	570,902	10,698	24,001	270,827	68,572	945,000	224,781	34,350	3,127,395	57,480	4,389,005	24
	November	619,482	10,881	14,872	277,400	37,066	959,700	224,021	32,900	3,146,022	57,397	4,420,039	24
	December	661,691	10,867	626	280,765	37,080	991,031	235,639	28,217	3,197,064	58,397	4,510,347	25
2023	January	736,377	10,984	7,811	283,673	36,939	1,075,784	335,859	26,197	3,074,250	59,213	4,571,303	26
	February	811,965	11,114	624	279,141	35,278	1,138,121	344,638	211,725	2,811,745	60,209	4,566,437	27
	March	841,426	11,614	9,300	255,756	29,629	1,147,725	344,664	182,445	2,864,860	66,374	4,606,069	30
	April	835,509	11,288	9,146	251,683	28,819	1,136,446	344,661	147,217	2,870,472	65,780	4,564,576	30
	May	1,041,759	11,309	1,292	227,884	22,520	1,304,764	343,930	123,462	2,780,210	67,020	4,619,386	34
	June	1,085,347	29,528	1,353	238,615	24,599	1,379,442	343,114	124,828	2,835,638	69,302	4,752,323	37
	July	1,224,353	104,498	11,099	256,935	25,266	1,622,152	344,687	65,002	2,862,044	63,782	4,957,666	41

(a) Includes securities acquired from government institutions.
(b) Government and government guaranteed securities are on fair value basis.

(Contd.)

Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

End of Period	Liabilities													Other Liabilities and Accounts
	Capital Account			Currency Issued			Securities Outstanding (c)	Deposits						
	Capital	Surplus	Total	Notes in Circulation	Coins in Circulation	Total		Government	Government Agencies and Institutions	Commercial Banks	International Organisations, Foreign Governments and Foreign Banking Institutions	Other	Total	
2019	50,000	0	50,000	663,139	14,828	677,967	0	444	56	254,582	613,813	8	868,902	322,548
2020	50,000	0	50,000	819,298	15,509	834,808	0	1,430	30	129,602	857,447	9	988,519	548,271
2021	50,000	0	50,000	988,628	16,472	1,005,099	0	1,387	5	300,704	1,132,139	9	1,434,244	556,935
2022	50,000	0	50,000	1,009,094	17,474	1,026,567	0	210	12	322,810	2,604,975	12	2,928,018	505,762
2022 Q1	50,000	0	50,000	1,082,406	16,918	1,099,324	0	1,175	19	287,356	1,992,921	22	2,281,494	199,056
Q2	50,000	0	50,000	1,097,639	17,138	1,114,776	0	886	23	337,797	2,543,750	16	2,882,472	134,479
Q3	50,000	0	50,000	1,026,583	17,335	1,043,919	0	686	15	334,645	2,555,253	98	2,890,698	381,491
Q4	50,000	0	50,000	1,009,094	17,474	1,026,567	0	210	12	322,810	2,604,975	12	2,928,018	505,762
2023 Q1	50,000	0	50,000	1,092,458	17,650	1,110,109	0	294	9	314,093	2,401,819	37	2,716,252	729,708
Q2	50,000	0	50,000	1,105,530	17,787	1,123,317	0	190	15	312,479	2,342,469	52	2,655,205	923,801
2022 July	50,000	0	50,000	1,107,176	17,189	1,124,365	0	992	20	312,063	2,598,706	15	2,911,796	229,401
August	50,000	0	50,000	1,062,474	17,263	1,079,737	0	616	55	306,456	2,570,377	7	2,877,510	361,782
September	50,000	0	50,000	1,026,583	17,335	1,043,919	0	686	15	334,645	2,555,253	98	2,890,698	381,491
October	50,000	0	50,000	1,008,645	17,387	1,026,032	0	433	15	315,634	2,580,261	14	2,896,357	416,616
November	50,000	0	50,000	988,352	17,426	1,005,778	0	252	12	312,703	2,599,279	18	2,912,264	451,997
December	50,000	0	50,000	1,009,094	17,474	1,026,567	0	210	12	322,810	2,604,975	12	2,928,018	505,762
2023 January	50,000	0	50,000	1,012,633	17,521	1,030,153	0	708	8	559,557	2,615,484	12	3,175,769	315,380
February	50,000	0	50,000	1,008,703	17,557	1,026,260	0	1,388	8	478,417	2,634,193	27	3,114,032	376,145
March	50,000	0	50,000	1,092,458	17,650	1,110,109	0	294	9	314,093	2,401,819	37	2,716,252	729,708
April	50,000	0	50,000	1,086,693	17,706	1,104,399	0	844	31	312,644	2,327,435	40	2,640,994	769,183
May	50,000	0	50,000	1,054,573	17,754	1,072,327	0	399	24	486,774	2,282,245	25	2,769,467	727,592
June	50,000	0	50,000	1,105,530	17,787	1,123,317	0	190	15	312,479	2,342,469	52	2,655,205	923,801
July	50,000	0	50,000	1,078,190	17,828	1,096,018	0	272	20	277,744	2,604,589	32	2,882,657	928,992

(c) 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 Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of the Commercial Banks(a)

Rs. million

End of Period		Assets: Cash in Hand	Due from Central Bank	Due from Domestic Banks	Cash Items in Process of Collection	Foreign Currency on Hand and Balances due from Banks Abroad	Investments: Sri Lanka Govt. Obligations: Treasury bills	Treasury bonds (b)	Other Government Securities	Other Investments	Loans and Advances: Bills Purchased and Discounted: Local	Imports	Exports	Overdrafts	Loans	Total	Fixed and Other Assets (b)	Total Assets or Liabilities	% of Liquid Assets to Demand Deposits (c)	% of Loans & Adv. to Total Deposits
2019		183,759	280,549	87,748	31,687	497,961	621,407	755,025	447,132	98,214	2,022	8,152	16,710	996,307	4,991,760	6,014,952	722,664	9,741,099	535.3	81.9
2020		193,798	290,369	83,792	30,663	702,852	777,239	1,429,346	581,088	91,247	4,103	4,533	18,782	1,077,666	5,660,472	6,765,556	779,487	11,725,438	550.0	75.4
2021		220,649	398,543	123,414	35,538	663,891	577,516	1,584,962	499,580	117,094	4,378	5,750	19,573	1,543,965	6,634,345	8,208,011	898,233	13,327,430	451.5	80.2
2022		284,525	630,941	139,330	32,728	1,131,213	624,935	2,461,325	639,321	119,805	2,003	6,734	25,516	921,837	7,441,119	8,397,208	1,423,015	15,884,345	610.2	69.6
2022	Q1	281,791	379,997	116,064	35,666	1,015,411	657,732	1,885,659	619,814	116,159	7,728	11,242	29,869	1,196,860	7,206,699	8,452,398	1,187,867	14,748,558	494.6	75.4
	Q2	317,305	535,680	67,810	33,944	1,316,205	373,430	1,933,404	738,346	115,568	5,845	18,231	35,917	1,052,805	7,506,655	8,619,453	1,243,417	15,294,562	542.4	74.3
	Q3	301,795	635,753	78,420	32,049	1,309,285	498,188	2,219,910	645,311	120,651	1,941	8,433	32,312	918,942	7,452,914	8,414,542	1,342,387	15,598,293	557.7	71.1
	Q4	284,525	630,941	139,330	32,728	1,131,213	624,935	2,461,325	639,321	119,805	2,003	6,734	25,516	921,837	7,441,119	8,397,208	1,423,015	15,884,345	610.2	69.6
2023	Q1	281,367	518,988	76,902	28,814	997,928	908,511	2,750,233	543,538	122,566	1,413	5,660	20,620	889,415	7,163,080	8,080,189	1,419,807	15,728,843	720.1	67.7
	Q2	278,261	510,328	89,188	32,237	944,697	1,290,685	2,736,396	565,082	122,023	1,134	5,232	20,809	866,280	7,057,297	7,950,752	1,581,687	16,101,336	719.7	65.0
2022	July	302,658	583,752	64,631	32,858	1,264,692	389,275	2,011,041	689,736	116,602	5,258	19,882	31,627	954,042	7,566,819	8,577,628	1,312,220	15,345,093	555.6	73.7
	August	318,756	613,349	60,448	32,585	1,194,627	469,669	2,067,822	721,815	119,786	4,051	11,024	30,816	917,126	7,488,824	8,451,840	1,285,518	15,336,215	548.1	72.0
	September	301,795	635,753	78,420	32,049	1,309,285	498,188	2,219,910	645,311	120,651	1,941	8,433	32,312	918,942	7,452,914	8,414,542	1,342,387	15,598,293	557.7	71.1
	October	335,211	625,382	71,708	32,545	1,228,168	493,701	2,296,150	638,626	119,292	2,098	7,420	28,880	928,563	7,554,601	8,521,562	1,373,774	15,736,121	590.5	71.8
	November	292,025	618,449	122,758	30,670	1,169,463	575,608	2,374,785	665,093	119,919	2,213	7,013	29,417	917,188	7,514,425	8,470,256	1,401,857	15,840,884	584.4	70.5
	December	284,525	630,941	139,330	32,728	1,131,213	624,935	2,461,325	639,321	119,805	2,003	6,734	25,516	921,837	7,441,119	8,397,208	1,423,015	15,884,345	610.2	69.6
2023	January	299,567	615,083	116,886	31,399	1,152,261	760,130	2,522,640	634,964	120,112	2,017	6,458	22,689	885,938	7,390,357	8,307,458	1,442,595	16,003,096	668.9	68.7
	February	246,961	543,255	92,700	31,316	1,092,505	790,970	2,760,432	595,262	121,526	1,966	6,105	23,317	905,158	7,305,626	8,242,173	1,468,263	15,985,363	715.1	68.3
	March	281,367	518,988	76,902	28,814	997,928	908,511	2,750,233	543,538	122,566	1,413	5,660	20,620	889,415	7,163,080	8,080,189	1,419,807	15,728,843	720.1	67.7
	April	289,524	495,336	112,497	29,260	1,094,509	949,605	2,804,751	536,539	119,601	1,578	5,750	21,343	885,606	7,094,600	8,008,878	1,531,256	15,971,756	719.8	66.5
	May	275,897	503,455	80,953	30,048	881,885	1,141,373	2,861,937	526,663	118,471	1,680	5,451	19,044	869,955	6,983,064	7,879,193	1,496,484	15,796,359	701.8	65.6
	June	278,261	510,328	89,188	32,237	944,697	1,290,685	2,736,396	565,082	122,023	1,134	5,232	20,809	866,280	7,057,297	7,950,752	1,581,687	16,101,336	719.7	65.0
	July	272,667	468,165	83,252	29,634	1,065,036	1,281,320	2,884,952	594,142	124,065	750	5,455	21,378	863,120	7,087,180	7,977,882	1,556,790	16,337,906	745.0	64.2

(a) The number of reporting banks was 25 from April 2014, 26 from October 2018 and 24 from October 2020.

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

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

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

Rs. million

End of Period		Liabilities														
		Paid-up Capital, Reserve Funds and Undistributed Profits	Demand Deposits					Time and Savings Deposits			Total Deposits			Borrowings		Other Liabilities
			Interbank		Govern-ment of Sri Lanka	Residents	Non Residents	Govern-ment of Sri Lanka	Residents	Non Residents	Demand	Time and Savings	Total	Domestic InterBank (d)	Foreign	
			Domes-tic	Fore-ign												
2019		1,126,850	495	16,544	43,876	371,203	10,287	71,846	6,047,243	782,939	442,407	6,902,028	7,344,434	294,479	187,305	788,030
2020		1,258,773	2,028	19,736	50,645	536,110	15,498	69,628	7,318,638	961,001	624,017	8,349,268	8,973,284	455,177	197,972	840,232
2021		1,452,953	2,060	22,339	47,706	675,440	24,170	122,397	8,179,010	1,163,757	771,716	9,465,164	10,236,880	550,927	159,540	927,129
2022		1,785,317	2,189	16,820	60,762	711,544	57,659	128,037	9,043,455	2,038,383	848,973	11,209,876	12,058,849	362,071	272,432	1,405,676
2022	Q1	1,529,164	1,686	25,127	31,527	772,061	34,548	129,234	8,483,778	1,727,637	864,950	10,340,650	11,205,599	485,329	359,187	1,169,278
	Q2	1,629,216	2,422	27,239	31,857	747,980	29,269	126,976	8,598,152	2,043,613	838,767	10,768,740	11,607,507	381,892	387,201	1,288,746
	Q3	1,722,157	1,617	23,921	51,517	786,456	36,011	129,346	8,822,849	1,991,829	899,521	10,944,023	11,843,544	334,242	391,078	1,307,272
	Q4	1,785,317	2,189	16,820	60,762	711,544	57,659	128,037	9,043,455	2,038,383	848,973	11,209,876	12,058,849	362,071	272,432	1,405,676
2023	Q1	1,760,068	9,012	15,893	55,954	649,209	40,560	182,058	9,181,704	1,804,874	770,629	11,168,637	11,939,266	293,801	229,877	1,505,831
	Q2	1,810,952	15,691	11,627	43,521	707,305	41,678	248,984	9,421,578	1,762,591	819,823	11,433,153	12,252,976	278,078	174,514	1,584,815
2022	July	1,640,679	1,611	23,989	32,805	743,150	29,460	120,204	8,688,682	2,006,367	831,016	10,815,253	11,646,269	350,397	401,430	1,306,318
	August	1,693,480	1,424	23,861	30,363	773,078	31,981	124,280	8,751,824	1,998,080	860,707	10,874,184	11,734,891	345,218	360,416	1,202,209
	September	1,722,157	1,617	23,921	51,517	786,456	36,011	129,346	8,822,849	1,991,829	899,521	10,944,023	11,843,544	334,242	391,078	1,307,272
	October	1,736,095	1,582	18,613	28,323	765,853	36,897	124,883	8,881,696	2,013,360	851,268	11,019,938	11,871,206	335,346	354,282	1,439,192
	November	1,766,508	1,925	19,109	61,438	744,211	42,676	145,172	8,958,985	2,035,285	869,359	11,139,441	12,008,800	332,437	336,005	1,397,134
	December	1,785,317	2,189	16,820	60,762	711,544	57,659	128,037	9,043,455	2,038,383	848,973	11,209,876	12,058,849	362,071	272,432	1,405,676
2023	January	1,798,393	1,203	15,437	44,235	680,772	63,942	141,903	9,106,957	2,038,091	805,589	11,286,950	12,092,539	317,964	325,689	1,468,510
	February	1,795,693	5,142	13,532	44,347	660,013	46,421	220,701	9,110,544	1,976,871	769,456	11,308,116	12,077,572	302,505	268,788	1,540,805
	March	1,760,068	9,012	15,893	55,954	649,209	40,560	182,058	9,181,704	1,804,874	770,629	11,168,637	11,939,266	293,801	229,877	1,505,831
	April	1,782,553	10,653	9,084	50,551	684,533	42,468	179,454	9,279,980	1,793,568	797,289	11,253,002	12,050,292	300,693	253,324	1,584,894
	May	1,775,335	11,378	8,198	60,156	700,582	41,955	234,696	9,340,858	1,628,128	822,268	11,203,682	12,025,950	287,148	171,074	1,536,853
	June	1,810,952	15,691	11,627	43,521	707,305	41,678	248,984	9,421,578	1,762,591	819,823	11,433,153	12,252,976	278,078	174,514	1,584,815
	July	1,831,709	16,318	11,794	39,898	708,080	45,565	212,496	9,549,368	1,863,869	821,654	11,625,732	12,447,387	271,104	194,935	1,592,770

(d) Includes the Central Bank.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Assets and Liabilities of Off-Shore Banking Units (OBUs) of the Commercial Banks[a]

Rs. million

End of Period		Assets (b)								Liabilities (b)								Total Assets/ Liabilities
		Non-Residents		Residents						Non-Residents		Residents						
		Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Com-mercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enter-prises	Other App-roved Enter-prises	Other Assets	Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Com-mercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enter-prises	Other App-roved Enter-prises	Other Liabi-lities	
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)
2019		212,434	117,365	0	44,305	37,232	395,729	815,993	19,281	81,895	673,563	0	393,394	19,895	227,850	12,887	232,853	1,642,338
2020		219,365	138,575	0	56,921	39,734	404,772	911,425	24,849	121,234	545,807	0	553,552	7,864	293,013	24,403	249,768	1,795,640
2021		246,733	102,767	0	95,713	42,316	448,074	626,759	21,820	127,994	434,706	0	382,496	46,210	239,956	28,582	324,237	1,584,182
2022		354,786	462,196	0	44,206	23,646	630,308	508,464	40,642	90,609	445,869	0	379,224	111,799	412,375	55,081	569,291	2,064,248
2022	Q1	365,913	218,821	0	78,481	25,488	635,515	742,206	22,492	161,576	501,297	0	470,948	107,386	356,475	50,536	440,699	2,088,916
	Q2	398,443	298,593	0	94,065	36,217	675,628	751,009	41,108	159,104	486,462	0	552,097	122,308	392,249	61,371	521,472	2,295,062
	Q3	375,917	486,893	0	37,208	21,759	653,006	650,422	40,232	119,349	517,873	0	496,071	129,471	393,756	53,530	555,389	2,265,438
	Q4	354,786	462,196	0	44,206	23,646	630,308	508,464	40,642	90,609	445,869	0	379,224	111,799	412,375	55,081	569,291	2,064,248
2023	Q1	309,989	552,817	0	39,633	11,131	515,550	413,853	38,208	86,741	281,665	0	351,882	102,464	387,640	59,506	611,281	1,881,181
	Q2	276,579	585,883	0	9,553	6,537	480,290	394,039	31,967	77,496	241,795	0	337,123	84,119	362,747	49,746	631,820	1,784,847
2022	July	402,507	422,158	0	48,927	3,251	663,433	693,739	44,207	108,465	567,082	0	489,334	109,367	414,604	46,388	542,981	2,278,222
	August	398,360	477,257	0	53,468	8,354	664,878	650,063	41,297	115,815	583,219	0	464,794	135,848	405,265	48,388	540,349	2,293,677
	September	375,917	486,893	0	37,208	21,759	653,006	650,422	40,232	119,349	517,873	0	496,071	129,471	393,756	53,530	555,389	2,265,438
	October	370,438	497,965	0	36,488	3,378	642,753	572,009	46,313	107,124	477,618	0	454,910	127,090	379,636	57,082	565,884	2,169,344
	November	361,127	464,944	0	41,773	6,224	645,594	536,524	54,255	106,779	426,356	0	435,434	126,565	391,409	56,306	567,591	2,110,441
	December	354,786	462,196	0	44,206	23,646	630,308	508,464	40,642	90,609	445,869	0	379,224	111,799	412,375	55,081	569,291	2,064,248
2023	January	351,643	543,116	0	42,498	4,328	606,013	494,171	32,554	95,284	355,535	0	387,923	104,401	424,191	59,005	647,981	2,074,320
	February	341,602	580,591	0	41,543	2,236	577,225	457,677	34,334	89,235	324,534	0	355,484	103,035	445,993	61,555	655,372	2,035,209
	March	309,989	552,817	0	39,633	11,131	515,550	413,853	38,208	86,741	281,665	0	351,882	102,464	387,640	59,506	611,281	1,881,181
	April	299,413	580,766	0	43,824	5,121	512,830	406,265	37,039	79,583	290,501	0	382,274	99,681	376,328	52,312	604,576	1,885,257
	May	270,395	516,396	0	7,514	3,325	456,375	374,585	34,291	73,157	236,268	0	310,392	79,595	353,236	50,184	560,050	1,662,881
	June	276,579	585,883	0	9,553	6,537	480,290	394,039	31,967	77,496	241,795	0	337,123	84,119	362,747	49,746	631,820	1,784,847
	July	299,620	692,840	0	11,097	2,798	491,218	423,505	41,925	105,360	256,491	0	376,447	83,185	392,611	62,454	686,454	1,963,003

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

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

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Consolidated Monetary Survey (M_{2b})[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period	Broad Money (M_{2b})							Net Foreign Assets (b)				
	Narrow Money (M_1) (c)			Time and Savings Deposits (d)			Total Broad Money (M_{2b}) (3)+(6)	Monetary Authorities (e)	Commercial Banks			Total Net Foreign Assets (8)+(11)
	Currency	Demand Deposits	Total Narrow Money (M_1) (1)+(2)	DBUs	OBUs	Total Time and Savings Deposits (4)+(5)			DBUs	OBUs	Total Commercial Banks (9)+(10)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
2019	494,208	371,259	865,467	6,517,917	240,737	6,758,654	7,624,121	895,997	-369,636	-425,659	-795,296	100,702
2020	641,010	536,140	1,177,150	7,911,168	317,416	8,228,584	9,405,734	526,779	-427,146	-309,101	-736,247	-209,468
2021	784,450	675,446	1,459,895	8,918,875	268,538	9,187,413	10,647,309	-387,263	-381,514	-213,200	-594,713	-981,976
2022	742,042	711,555	1,453,597	10,368,583	467,456	10,836,040	12,289,637	-1,613,861	-433,456	280,504	-152,952	-1,766,813
2022 Q1	817,533	772,081	1,589,614	9,578,934	407,011	9,985,945	11,575,559	-1,203,377	-607,199	-78,138	-685,337	-1,888,714
Q2	797,471	748,004	1,545,475	9,902,257	453,620	10,355,877	11,901,351	-1,612,690	-560,705	51,470	-509,235	-2,121,925
Q3	742,124	786,471	1,528,595	10,075,600	447,286	10,522,885	12,051,480	-1,590,817	-527,610	225,588	-302,022	-1,892,839
Q4	742,042	711,555	1,453,597	10,368,583	467,456	10,836,040	12,289,637	-1,613,861	-433,456	280,504	-152,952	-1,766,813
2023 Q1	828,742	649,219	1,477,961	10,368,244	447,146	10,815,391	12,293,351	-1,254,002	-414,144	494,399	80,255	-1,173,747
Q2	845,055	707,320	1,552,375	10,551,741	412,494	10,964,235	12,516,610	-962,981	-388,171	543,171	155,000	-807,981
2022 July	821,707	743,170	1,564,877	9,929,475	460,992	10,390,467	11,955,344	-1,686,199	-586,753	149,118	-437,635	-2,123,834
August	760,981	773,133	1,534,114	9,999,145	453,652	10,452,797	11,986,911	-1,614,857	-596,825	176,583	-420,242	-2,035,099
September	742,124	786,471	1,528,595	10,075,600	447,286	10,522,885	12,051,480	-1,590,817	-527,610	225,588	-302,022	-1,892,839
October	690,821	765,868	1,456,688	10,152,313	436,718	10,589,031	12,045,719	-1,635,193	-521,665	283,661	-238,004	-1,873,197
November	713,754	744,223	1,457,977	10,257,242	447,715	10,704,957	12,162,934	-1,639,535	-523,382	292,936	-230,446	-1,869,982
December	742,042	711,555	1,453,597	10,368,583	467,456	10,836,040	12,289,637	-1,613,861	-433,456	280,504	-152,952	-1,766,813
2023 January	730,586	680,780	1,411,366	10,427,900	483,196	10,911,096	12,322,462	-1,539,645	-477,028	443,940	-33,088	-1,572,734
February	779,299	660,021	1,439,320	10,398,935	507,548	10,906,483	12,345,803	-1,495,995	-446,887	508,423	61,536	-1,434,459
March	828,742	649,219	1,477,961	10,368,244	447,146	10,815,391	12,293,351	-1,254,002	-414,144	494,399	80,255	-1,173,747
April	814,875	684,565	1,499,440	10,458,570	428,640	10,887,210	12,386,650	-1,190,892	-358,399	510,094	151,695	-1,039,197
May	796,430	700,606	1,497,035	10,406,095	403,419	10,809,514	12,306,550	-977,424	-337,524	477,366	139,843	-837,581
June	845,055	707,320	1,552,375	10,551,741	412,494	10,964,235	12,516,610	-962,981	-388,171	543,171	155,000	-807,981
July	823,351	708,100	1,531,451	10,739,734	455,066	11,194,800	12,726,251	-982,422	-355,209	630,608	275,398	-707,023

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(a) M_{2b} is based on the aggregated data pertaining to the Central Bank and both Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) and Offshore Banking Units (OBUs) of Licensed Commercial Banks (LCBs) operating in Sri Lanka. Definitional changes have been adopted in aggregating DBUs and OBUs to avoid double counting and misclassification of assets and liabilities.
The major changes are:
(1) All DBU placements with OBUs are recorded as domestic assets, while all DBU borrowings from OBUs are recorded as domestic liabilities.
(2) Foreign currency deposits with DBUs are classified on the basis of ownership rather than on the basis of currency. Hence, the following apply:
(i) One half (50 per cent) of Non Resident Foreign Currency (NRFC) deposits are treated as domestic deposit liabilities;
(ii) All Resident Non National Foreign Currency (RNNFC) balances are treated as foreign liabilities;
(iii) All other domestic foreign currency accounts are treated as domestic deposit liabilities.

(b) External assets (net) of the Central Bank and commercial banks (including outward bills).
(c) Currency and demand deposits held by the public.
(d) Time and savings deposits of the public held with commercial banks.
(e) This includes NFA of the Central Bank as well as the Government's Crown Agent's balance reported by the Department of State Accounts.

Consolidated Monetary Survey (M_{2b})[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period	Net Domestic Assets															
	Domestic Credit											Other Items (Net)			Total Net Domestic Assets (24)+(27)
	Credit to the Government (Net) (f)					Credit to Public Corporations			Credit to the Private Sector			Total Domestic Credit (17)+(20)+(23)	Monetary Authorities and DBUs	OBUs	Total Other Items (Net) (25)+(26)	
	Central Bank of Sri Lanka	Commercial Banks			Total Credit to the Govt. (13)+(16) (f)	DBUs	OBUs	Total Credit to Public Corps. (18)+(19)	DBUs	OBUs	Total Credit to the Private Sector (21)+(22)					
		DBUs	OBUs	Total (14)+(15)												
	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
2019	363,032	1,979,687	453,209	2,432,895	2,795,927	481,222	336,731	817,953	5,375,077	421,782	5,796,859	9,410,739	-1,341,995	-545,325	-1,887,320	7,523,419
2020	868,892	3,203,694	475,476	3,679,170	4,548,061	584,274	417,901	1,002,174	5,748,117	422,820	6,170,937	11,721,173	-1,416,291	-689,679	-2,105,970	9,615,202
2021	2,094,095	3,361,340	376,985	3,738,325	5,832,420	972,821	215,282	1,188,103	6,498,862	482,566	6,981,428	14,001,951	-1,779,571	-593,095	-2,372,666	11,629,285
2022	3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	4,038,615	7,471,108	1,686,729	60,304	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	7,414,131	16,632,273	-1,624,004	-951,820	-2,575,823	14,056,450
2022 Q1	2,682,533	3,429,740	443,409	3,873,149	6,555,682	1,307,535	240,299	1,547,834	6,839,523	694,013	7,533,536	15,637,051	-1,280,206	-892,572	-2,172,778	13,464,273
Q2	3,094,136	3,117,429	485,323	3,602,752	6,696,887	1,525,894	203,215	1,729,109	6,976,072	738,100	7,714,171	16,140,168	-1,092,405	-1,024,487	-2,116,892	14,023,276
Q3	3,302,445	3,272,424	468,539	3,740,963	7,043,408	1,581,035	121,969	1,703,004	6,864,019	712,921	7,576,940	16,323,352	-1,297,302	-1,081,732	-2,379,033	13,944,319
Q4	3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	4,038,615	7,471,108	1,686,729	60,304	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	7,414,131	16,632,273	-1,624,004	-951,820	-2,575,823	14,056,450
2023 Q1	3,209,230	4,035,090	323,809	4,358,899	7,568,130	1,550,358	54,597	1,604,954	6,589,770	550,997	7,140,767	16,313,851	-1,870,097	-976,656	-2,846,753	13,467,098
Q2	3,178,562	4,782,763	299,682	5,082,444	8,261,006	1,041,583	54,621	1,096,204	6,559,515	520,025	7,079,540	16,436,750	-2,107,154	-1,005,005	-3,112,159	13,324,591
2022 Jul	3,263,877	3,057,499	505,020	3,562,519	6,826,396	1,629,290	124,726	1,754,015	6,945,710	727,426	7,673,136	16,253,548	-1,129,071	-1,045,298	-2,174,369	14,079,178
Aug	3,311,066	3,212,481	466,543	3,679,024	6,990,090	1,578,341	121,471	1,699,812	6,887,237	726,927	7,614,164	16,304,066	-1,244,184	-1,037,872	-2,282,056	14,022,010
Sep	3,302,445	3,272,424	468,539	3,740,963	7,043,408	1,581,035	121,969	1,703,004	6,864,019	712,921	7,576,940	16,323,352	-1,297,302	-1,081,732	-2,379,033	13,944,319
Oct	3,351,743	3,379,908	446,772	3,826,680	7,178,423	1,707,617	70,145	1,777,762	6,832,265	697,844	7,530,110	16,486,295	-1,505,674	-1,061,705	-2,567,379	13,918,916
Nov	3,369,791	3,499,591	423,242	3,922,833	7,292,623	1,698,202	62,160	1,760,362	6,802,512	696,717	7,499,229	16,552,214	-1,491,960	-1,027,339	-2,519,298	14,032,916
Dec	3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	4,038,615	7,471,108	1,686,729	60,304	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	7,414,131	16,632,273	-1,624,004	-951,820	-2,575,823	14,056,450
2023 Jan	3,409,401	3,807,350	394,882	4,202,233	7,611,633	1,687,399	60,409	1,747,809	6,673,127	644,892	7,318,019	16,677,461	-1,721,339	-1,060,927	-2,782,266	13,895,196
Feb	3,154,994	3,956,599	359,324	4,315,923	7,470,917	1,653,283	58,621	1,711,904	6,643,431	616,958	7,260,389	16,443,210	-1,627,170	-1,035,778	-2,662,948	13,780,262
Mar	3,209,230	4,035,090	323,809	4,358,899	7,568,130	1,550,358	54,597	1,604,954	6,589,770	550,997	7,140,767	16,313,851	-1,870,097	-976,656	-2,846,753	13,467,098
Apr	3,214,289	4,561,086	315,767	4,876,853	8,091,142	1,093,463	53,044	1,146,507	6,542,737	550,284	7,093,021	16,330,670	-1,904,274	-1,000,548	-2,904,823	13,425,847
May	3,123,741	4,696,747	290,414	4,987,161	8,110,902	1,035,191	48,326	1,083,517	6,511,851	492,221	7,004,072	16,198,490	-2,149,453	-904,907	-3,054,360	13,144,131
Jun	3,178,562	4,782,763	299,682	5,082,444	8,261,006	1,041,583	54,621	1,096,204	6,559,515	520,025	7,079,540	16,436,750	-2,107,154	-1,005,005	-3,112,159	13,324,591
Jul	3,206,459	5,022,561	320,389	5,342,951	8,549,410	1,038,675	58,561	1,097,236	6,556,987	535,773	7,092,761	16,739,407	-2,215,867	-1,090,266	-3,306,133	13,433,274

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Financial Survey (M_4)[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period		Broad Money (M_4): Currency (b)	Demand Deposits (b)	Time and Savings Deposits (c): Commercial Banks: DBUs (b)	Commercial Banks: OBUs	LSBs (d): RDBs/Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank	LSBs (d): Other	LFCs	Time and Savings Deposits (3)+(4)+(5)+(6)+(7)	Broad Money (M_4) (1)+(2)+(8)	Net Foreign Assets: Monetary Authorities (e)	Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBUs)	LSBs and LFCs	Total Net Foreign Assets (10)+(11)+(12)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
2019		485,061	315,263	6,398,509	240,737	145,977	1,131,552	727,425	8,644,201	9,444,525	895,997	-795,296	-11,941	88,761
2020		629,924	457,952	7,780,547	317,416	169,265	1,384,355	722,421	10,374,005	11,461,881	526,779	-736,247	-7,641	-217,109
2021		769,804	637,865	8,784,223	268,538	184,392	1,578,241	762,291	11,577,685	12,985,353	-387,263	-594,713	-16,645	-998,621
2022		728,093	679,645	10,231,984	467,456	201,545	1,681,258	849,823	13,432,066	14,839,803	-1,613,861	-152,952	0	-1,766,813
2022	Q1	803,743	731,529	9,437,166	407,011	187,237	1,644,081	781,612	12,457,107	13,992,378	-1,203,377	-685,337	0	-1,888,714
	Q2	779,992	679,350	9,748,053	453,620	201,030	1,625,853	846,972	12,875,527	14,334,870	-1,612,690	-509,235	0	-2,121,925
	Q3	726,609	722,364	9,934,578	447,286	201,427	1,673,349	834,027	13,090,668	14,539,641	-1,590,817	-302,022	0	-1,892,839
	Q4	728,093	679,645	10,231,984	467,456	201,545	1,681,258	849,823	13,432,066	14,839,803	-1,613,861	-152,952	0	-1,766,813
2023	Q1	811,832	603,489	10,211,152	447,146	204,726	1,709,376	880,750	13,453,150	14,868,472	-1,254,002	80,255	0	-1,173,747
	Q2	817,441	669,287	10,423,712	412,494	209,863	1,684,474	875,272	13,605,815	15,092,543	-962,981	155,000	0	-807,981
2022	July	802,179	676,597	9,785,642	460,992	201,591	1,635,848	847,177	12,931,250	14,410,025	-1,686,199	-437,635	0	-2,123,834
	Aug	745,740	705,973	9,853,622	453,652	202,546	1,657,765	831,428	12,999,014	14,450,727	-1,614,857	-420,242	0	-2,035,099
	Sep	726,609	722,364	9,934,578	447,286	201,427	1,673,349	834,027	13,090,668	14,539,641	-1,590,817	-302,022	0	-1,892,839
	Oct	676,484	711,467	10,009,055	436,718	200,505	1,673,364	839,439	13,159,080	14,547,031	-1,635,193	-238,004	0	-1,873,197
	Nov	700,824	694,759	10,117,961	447,715	199,815	1,677,550	837,353	13,280,395	14,675,978	-1,639,535	-230,446	0	-1,869,982
	Dec	728,093	679,645	10,231,984	467,456	201,545	1,681,258	849,823	13,432,066	14,839,803	-1,613,861	-152,952	0	-1,766,813
2023	Jan	715,689	648,358	10,283,200	483,196	202,084	1,698,616	859,941	13,527,037	14,891,084	-1,539,645	-33,088	0	-1,572,734
	Feb	759,318	619,935	10,253,005	507,548	202,785	1,697,377	865,832	13,526,547	14,905,800	-1,495,995	61,536	0	-1,434,459
	Mar	811,832	603,489	10,211,152	447,146	204,726	1,709,376	880,750	13,453,150	14,868,472	-1,254,002	80,255	0	-1,173,747
	Apr	796,243	635,884	10,310,681	428,640	207,710	1,720,552	881,608	13,549,192	14,981,319	-1,190,892	151,695	0	-1,039,197
	May	778,573	660,094	10,267,922	403,419	208,896	1,700,349	865,920	13,446,507	14,885,173	-977,424	139,843	0	-837,581
	Jun	817,441	669,287	10,423,712	412,494	209,863	1,684,474	875,272	13,605,815	15,092,543	-962,981	155,000	0	-807,981
	Jul	799,256	670,488	10,614,026	455,066	212,202	1,694,885	888,800	13,864,980	15,334,724	-982,422	275,398	0	-707,023

(Contd.)

(a) M_4 is based on the aggregated data pertaining to Licenced Specialised Banks (LSBs) and Licenced Finance Companies (LFCs), in addition to the institutions covered in M_{2b}.

(b) Currency, demand deposits and time and savings deposits of DBUs in this table differ from those in Table 60 due to the fact that LSBs and LFCs are not treated as 'Public' under the Financial Survey (M_4) definition.

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

(d) LSBs include Regional Development Bank/Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank (which was established on 14 July 2010 by amalgamating Regional Development Banks), National Savings Bank, State Mortgage and Investment Bank, Sanasa Development Bank Ltd., HDFC Bank of Sri Lanka and Sri Lanka Savings Bank Ltd. MBSL Savings Bank Ltd., which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Merchant Bank Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd. and operates as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC w.e.f. 01 January 2015. DFCC Bank which operated as a Licensed Specialised Bank was amalgamated with the DFCC Vardhana Bank and operates as a Licensed Commercial Bank namely, DFCC Bank PLC with effect from 01 October 2015. Lankaputhra Development Bank Ltd., which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Regional Development Bank/Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank with effect from 1 April 2019.

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

Financial Survey (M_4)[(a)]

Rs. million

End of Period		Net Domestic Assets: Domestic Credit: Credit to the Government (net) (f): Central Bank of Sri Lanka	Commercial Banks: DBUs	Commercial Banks: OBUs	LSBs: RDBs / Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank	LSBs: Other	LFCs	Total Credit to the Govt. (14)+(15)+(16)+(17)+(18)+(19)	Credit to Public Corporations: Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBUs)	Total Credit to Public Corpo-rations	Credit to Private Sector: Commercial Banks: DBUs	Commercial Banks: OBUs	LSBs: RDBs / Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank	LSBs: Other	LFCs (g)	Total Credit to Private Sector (23)+(24)+(25)+(26)+(27) (g)	Total Domestic Credit (20)+(22)+(28)	Total Other Items (Net) (g)	Total Net Domestic Assets (29)+(30)
		(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
2019		363,032	1,979,687	453,209	10,790	603,065	73,169	3,482,951	817,953	817,953	5,375,077	421,782	154,234	659,916	1,182,241	7,793,251	12,094,155	-2,738,391	9,355,764
2020		868,892	3,203,694	475,476	10,178	732,035	75,471	5,365,746	1,002,174	1,002,174	5,748,117	422,820	172,102	764,378	1,177,098	8,284,515	14,652,435	-2,973,445	11,678,990
2021		2,094,095	3,361,340	376,985	9,078	835,450	92,380	6,769,328	1,188,103	188,103	6,498,862	482,566	200,803	892,943	1,264,171	9,338,944	17,296,375	-3,312,401	13,983,974
2022		3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	15,440	866,044	116,037	8,468,630	1,747,033	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	237,062	922,074	1,346,892	9,920,159	20,135,822	-3,529,206	16,606,616
2022	Q1	2,682,533	3,429,740	443,409	8,636	855,873	100,575	7,520,767	1,547,834	1,547,834	6,839,523	694,013	215,646	912,519	1,313,373	9,975,073	19,043,674	-3,162,582	15,881,092
	Q2	3,094,136	3,117,429	485,323	11,063	861,749	123,963	7,693,663	1,729,109	1,729,109	6,976,072	738,100	223,927	918,358	1,291,776	10,148,232	19,571,004	-3,114,209	16,456,795
	Q3	3,302,445	3,272,424	468,539	7,517	867,178	109,813	8,027,916	1,703,004	1,703,004	6,864,019	712,921	230,587	918,704	1,341,390	10,067,622	19,798,542	-3,366,062	16,432,480
	Q4	3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	15,440	866,044	116,037	8,468,630	1,747,033	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	237,062	922,074	1,346,892	9,920,159	20,135,822	-3,529,206	16,606,616
2023	Q1	3,209,230	4,035,090	323,809	20,602	902,245	136,947	8,627,924	1,592,954	1,592,954	6,601,770	550,997	234,494	905,793	1,306,421	9,599,474	19,820,353	-3,778,134	16,042,219
	Q2	3,178,562	4,782,763	299,682	47,741	909,716	142,799	9,361,262	1,096,204	1,096,204	6,559,515	520,025	232,418	907,387	1,270,111	9,489,456	19,946,922	-4,046,398	15,900,524
2022	Jul	3,263,877	3,057,499	505,020	9,147	848,465	126,584	7,810,593	1,754,015	1,754,015	6,945,710	727,426	224,352	914,827	1,295,013	10,107,329	19,671,937	-3,138,077	16,533,859
	Aug	3,311,066	3,212,481	466,543	9,397	866,909	110,388	7,976,784	1,699,812	1,699,812	6,887,237	726,927	227,832	916,323	1,330,718	10,089,036	19,765,632	-3,279,806	16,485,826
	Sep	3,302,445	3,272,424	468,539	7,517	867,178	109,813	8,027,916	1,703,004	1,703,004	6,864,019	712,921	230,587	918,704	1,341,390	10,067,622	19,798,542	-3,366,062	16,432,480
	Oct	3,351,743	3,379,908	446,772	8,016	861,732	109,241	8,157,412	1,777,762	1,777,762	6,832,265	697,844	231,609	922,055	1,345,483	10,029,258	19,964,432	-3,544,204	16,420,228
	Nov	3,369,791	3,499,591	423,242	8,328	864,012	112,230	8,277,193	1,760,362	1,760,362	6,802,512	696,717	233,127	922,543	1,337,896	9,992,795	20,030,350	-3,484,431	16,545,919
	Dec	3,432,493	3,639,290	399,325	15,440	866,044	116,037	8,468,630	1,747,033	1,747,033	6,734,988	679,143	237,062	922,074	1,346,892	9,920,159	20,135,822	-3,529,206	16,606,616
2023	Jan	3,409,401	3,807,350	394,882	15,434	885,374	119,964	8,632,404	1,747,809	1,747,809	6,673,127	644,892	236,659	913,389	1,341,219	9,809,287	20,189,500	-3,725,682	16,463,818
	Feb	3,154,994	3,956,599	359,324	17,372	896,680	123,168	8,508,137	1,711,904	1,711,904	6,643,431	616,958	236,615	910,911	1,331,635	9,739,550	19,959,591	-3,619,333	16,340,258
	Mar	3,209,230	4,035,090	323,809	20,602	902,245	136,947	8,627,924	1,592,954	1,592,954	6,601,770	550,997	234,494	905,793	1,306,421	9,599,474	19,820,353	-3,778,134	16,042,219
	Apr	3,214,289	4,561,086	315,767	27,116	911,083	138,679	9,168,020	1,129,974	1,129,974	6,559,270	550,284	234,209	905,791	1,296,853	9,546,407	19,844,401	-3,823,886	16,020,516
	May	3,123,741	4,696,747	290,414	37,701	898,431	133,032	9,180,066	1,066,859	1,066,859	6,528,509	492,221	232,012	912,444	1,276,430	9,441,615	19,688,540	-3,965,785	15,722,754
	Jun	3,178,562	4,782,763	299,682	47,741	909,716	142,799	9,361,262	1,096,204	1,096,204	6,559,515	520,025	232,418	907,387	1,270,111	9,489,456	19,946,922	-4,046,398	15,900,524
	Jul	3,206,459	5,022,561	320,389	51,370	932,558	156,878	9,690,216	1,097,236	1,097,236	6,556,987	535,773	234,167	899,002	1,272,937	9,498,868	20,286,320	-4,244,572	16,041,747

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

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Reserve Position of Commercial Banks[a][b]

Rs. million

Period	Deposits (c) Demand	Time and Savings	Other	Total (e) (1)+(2)+(3)	Required Reserves Against Deposits (d) Demand	Time and Savings	Other	Total Reserves (e) (5)+(6)+(7)	Till Cash	Required Reserves (8) - (9)	Required Reserves Cumulative	Actual Reserves Commercial Banks' Deposits with the Central Bank (Cumulative total for the reserve week)	Excess / (Deficit) on SRR (12) - (11)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
2019	386,148	5,889,555	29,705	6,305,904	19,307	294,478	1,485	315,767	70,538	245,228	3,923,650	3,927,744	4,094
2020	493,883	7,056,798	33,239	7,584,017	9,878	141,136	665	151,776	51,643	100,133	1,602,122	1,748,714	146,593
2021	662,422	7,953,092	55,172	8,670,757	26,497	318,124	2,207	346,899	57,259	289,641	4,634,254	4,701,711	67,457
2022	730,903	8,563,719	38,043	9,332,717	29,236	342,549	1,522	373,359	64,882	308,478	4,935,643	4,972,340	36,697
2022 Q1	703,854	8,099,033	55,036	8,857,979	28,154	323,961	2,201	354,373	60,083	294,290	4,708,636	4,812,031	103,395
Q2	744,546	8,142,793	63,047	8,950,439	29,782	325,712	2,522	358,068	74,041	284,027	4,260,412	4,834,444	574,032
Q3	734,085	8,316,666	46,791	9,097,596	29,363	332,667	1,872	363,955	72,253	291,702	4,375,526	4,458,042	82,516
Q4	730,903	8,563,719	38,043	9,332,717	29,236	342,549	1,522	373,359	64,882	308,478	4,935,643	4,972,340	36,697
2023 Q1	660,796	8,853,477	37,007	9,551,326	26,432	354,139	1,480	382,098	56,828	325,270	5,204,320	7,405,562	2,201,242
Q2	719,725	9,225,762	38,021	9,983,543	28,789	369,030	1,521	399,376	63,380	335,996	5,039,947	6,201,862	1,161,915
2022 Jul	733,349	8,186,292	67,357	8,987,051	29,334	327,452	2,694	359,533	70,103	289,430	4,630,878	4,797,759	166,882
Aug	721,665	8,239,970	54,353	9,016,041	28,867	329,599	2,174	360,692	70,434	290,259	4,644,137	4,770,474	126,337
Sep	734,085	8,316,666	46,791	9,097,596	29,363	332,667	1,872	363,955	72,253	291,702	4,375,526	4,458,042	82,516
Oct	751,122	8,387,769	47,349	9,186,292	30,045	335,511	1,894	367,502	71,230	296,273	4,740,360	4,812,527	72,167
Nov	728,283	8,459,791	40,516	9,228,643	29,131	338,392	1,621	369,196	70,546	298,650	4,479,756	4,532,984	53,228
Dec	730,903	8,563,719	38,043	9,332,717	29,236	342,549	1,522	373,359	64,882	308,478	4,935,643	4,972,340	36,697
2023 Jan	726,827	8,645,871	41,668	9,414,413	29,073	345,835	1,667	376,621	64,118	312,503	5,000,047	6,710,989	1,710,942
Feb	680,867	8,728,939	38,539	9,448,393	27,235	349,158	1,542	377,982	66,535	311,447	4,048,817	5,440,232	1,391,416
Mar	660,796	8,853,477	37,007	9,551,326	26,432	354,139	1,480	382,098	56,828	325,270	5,204,320	7,405,562	2,201,242
Apr	685,728	8,934,891	39,439	9,660,104	27,429	357,396	1,578	386,449	67,446	319,003	4,785,048	6,309,183	1,524,135
May	690,268	9,027,185	38,785	9,756,273	27,611	361,087	1,551	390,285	82,833	307,452	4,919,234	6,659,318	1,740,084
Jun	719,725	9,225,762	38,021	9,983,543	28,789	369,030	1,521	399,376	63,380	335,996	5,039,947	6,201,862	1,161,915
Jul	703,411	9,299,555	31,877	10,034,880	28,136	371,982	1,275	401,430	64,673	336,757	5,388,115	6,802,088	1,413,973

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. With the reduction of Statutory Reserve Requirement (SRR) to 2.00 per cent with effect from 16 June 2020, the Central Bank also reduced till cash adjustment for the SRR compilation to an amount over and above two per centum of the total deposit liabilities, but not exceeding three per centum. Details of required reserve ratios, which were applicable in the past and computation methods have been published in the Appendix table on the 'Reserve Position of Commercial Banks' in the Annual Reports prior to 2003.

(b) With effect from June 2013, the basis for computing the SRR was changed and 7 day reserve calculation and maintenance periods were increased to two periods per month, first from 1st to 15th and the second from 16th to end of each month. Up to May 2013 Reserve data were for the last reserve week of each month and from June 2013 onwards, Reserve data are for the 2nd reserve period of each month. The required reserves recorded in the table refer to the cumulative reserves for the reserve period, while commercial bank deposits with the Central Bank are the cumulative deposits for that particular period. Excess/Deficit on SRR is the difference between the cumulative SRR for the reserve period and cumulative deposits of the commercial banks for the period.

(c) Excludes interbank deposits.

(d) SRR reduced to 5.00 per cent, 4.00 per cent and 2.00 per cent, with effect from the reserve maintenance periods commencing 01 March 2019, 16 March 2020 and 16 June 2020, respectively. Subsequently, SRR increased to 4.00 per cent, with effect from the reserve maintenance period commencing 01 September 2021.

(e) A Margin Deposit Requirement on Letter of Credit / Documents against acceptance terms was imposed with effect from October 2018 to March 2019. The balances of these margin accounts are included in the Total Reserves.

TABLE 61

Currency Issued by the Central Bank (by Denomination)

Rs. million

End of Period	Currency Issued (a)	Notes (b)										Coins											
		Rs. 5,000	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 500	Rs. 200	Rs. 100	Rs. 50	Rs. 20	Rs. 10	Total Notes (c)	Rs. 20 (d)	Rs. 10	Rs. 5	Rs. 2	Re. 1	Cts. 50	Cts. 25	Cts. 10	Cts. 05	Cts. 02	Ct. 01	Total Coins (e)
2019	677,967	446,313	4,044	134,368	41,697	128	23,663	5,721	5,877	1,260	663,139	–	6,721	4,696	1,477	964	185	121	39	23	6	4	14,828
2020	834,808	582,163	3,327	150,266	45,523	127	24,351	5,955	6,264	1,253	819,298	–	7,123	4,902	1,524	990	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,509
2021	1,005,099	729,384	2,951	160,771	52,284	126	27,472	7,087	7,235	1,249	988,628	41	7,674	5,168	1,588	1,023	185	121	39	23	6	4	16,472
2022	1,026,567	754,398	2,710	154,428	52,839	126	27,890	7,673	7,714	1,247	1,009,094	150	8,279	5,373	1,634	1,054	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,474
2022 Q1	1,099,324	808,349	2,920	169,492	56,003	126	29,141	7,546	7,512	1,249	1,082,406	105	7,913	5,276	1,610	1,035	185	122	39	23	6	4	16,918
Q2	1,114,776	815,985	2,852	172,476	58,883	126	30,554	7,821	7,625	1,248	1,097,639	135	8,041	5,318	1,622	1,040	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,138
Q3	1,043,919	762,644	2,768	158,957	55,812	126	29,454	7,803	7,701	1,248	1,026,583	150	8,176	5,351	1,630	1,048	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,335
Q4	1,026,567	754,398	2,710	154,428	52,839	126	27,890	7,673	7,714	1,247	1,009,094	150	8,279	5,373	1,634	1,054	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,474
2023 Q1	1,110,109	819,477	2,644	167,300	57,043	126	28,849	7,847	7,856	1,247	1,092,458	150	8,406	5,405	1,641	1,063	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,650
Q2	1,123,317	834,585	2,455	163,108	59,073	126	29,069	7,861	7,936	1,247	1,105,530	150	8,507	5,428	1,646	1,068	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,787
2022 Jul	1,124,365	828,123	2,848	170,822	58,306	126	30,205	7,811	7,617	1,248	1,107,176	146	8,070	5,326	1,624	1,043	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,189
Aug	1,079,737	789,252	2,806	166,332	57,314	126	29,864	7,808	7,657	1,248	1,062,474	150	8,120	5,340	1,627	1,045	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,263
Sep	1,043,919	762,644	2,768	158,957	55,812	126	29,454	7,803	7,701	1,248	1,026,583	150	8,176	5,351	1,630	1,048	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,335
Oct	1,026,032	750,759	2,759	154,791	54,540	126	28,851	7,797	7,704	1,248	1,008,645	150	8,214	5,359	1,633	1,050	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,387
Nov	1,005,778	735,304	2,749	151,805	53,303	126	28,301	7,728	7,719	1,248	988,352	150	8,243	5,365	1,633	1,052	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,426
Dec	1,026,567	754,398	2,710	154,428	52,839	126	27,890	7,673	7,714	1,247	1,009,094	150	8,279	5,373	1,634	1,054	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,474
2023 Jan	1,030,153	757,014	2,709	154,477	53,690	126	27,995	7,601	7,703	1,248	1,012,633	150	8,311	5,383	1,636	1,058	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,521
Feb	1,026,260	754,684	2,661	153,645	53,402	126	27,625	7,555	7,689	1,247	1,008,703	150	8,338	5,388	1,637	1,059	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,557
Mar	1,110,109	819,477	2,644	167,300	57,043	126	28,849	7,847	7,856	1,247	1,092,458	150	8,406	5,405	1,641	1,063	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,650
Apr	1,104,399	800,909	2,642	175,063	61,040	126	29,679	7,972	7,944	1,247	1,086,693	150	8,445	5,416	1,643	1,065	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,706
May	1,072,327	782,331	2,622	162,876	60,009	126	29,424	7,914	7,954	1,247	1,054,573	150	8,478	5,425	1,645	1,067	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,754
Jun	1,123,317	834,585	2,455	163,108	59,073	126	29,069	7,861	7,936	1,247	1,105,530	150	8,507	5,428	1,646	1,068	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,787
Jul	1,096,018	813,627	2,439	158,887	57,663	126	28,474	7,774	7,886	1,246	1,078,190	150	8,539	5,435	1,647	1,069	185	122	39	23	6	4	17,828

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, Rs. 1,000, Rs. 500, Rs. 200, Rs. 2,000 and Rs. 5,000 were issued from 4 August 1980, 23 December 1981, 9 February 1982, 4 February 1998, 17 October 2006 and 4 February 2011, respectively.

(c) Currency notes of Rs. 5, Rs. 2, Re. 1 are also included. The value of these notes remained unchanged at Rs. 37.2 million, Rs. 26.7 million, Rs. 5.0 , respectively, as at end July 2023.

(d) CBSL added a commemorative coin, in the denomination of Rs. 20, for circulation from March 2021.

(e) This includes commemorative coins issued upto 30 June 2023. As at end July 2023 the values of Rs. 100 coins, Rs. 500 coins, Rs. 1,000 coins and Rs. 5,000 coins stand at Rs. 6.0 million, Rs. 26.2 million,Rs. 268.7 million and Rs. 45.9 million respectively. The total value of other commemorative coins, as at end July 2023, stands at Rs. 261.1 million.

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

Per cent per annum

End of Period		Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Bank Rate (b)	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Overnight: Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR)(c)	Central Bank of Sri Lanka: Overnight: Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR)(c)	Commercial Banks' Deposit Rates: Fixed Deposits: 3 month Max.	3 month Min.	6 month Max.	6 month Min.	12 month Max.	12 month Min.	24 month Max.	24 month Min.	Savings Deposits Max.	Savings Deposits Min.	AWDR (d)	AWFDR (e)	AWNDR (f)	AWNFDR (g)	Commercial Banks' Rates on Advances: Loans and Overdrafts: Secured by: Stock in Trade Max.	Stock in Trade Min.	Immovable Property Max.	Immovable Property Min.	Others Max.	Others Min.	Unsecured Max.	Unsecured Min.	Bills Purchased and Discounted Max.	Bills Purchased and Discounted Min.	AWPR (h)	AWLR (i)	AWNLR (j)	Over-night SLIBOR Rate (k)	Interbank Call Market Rate(l) Max.	Interbank Call Market Rate(l) Min.	Interbank Call Market Rate(l) Average Weighted
2019		15.00	7.00	8.00	11.75	2.50	12.00	3.05	15.00	3.55	12.63	5.30	7.50	0.20	8.20	10.05	8.89	9.17	28.00	4.47	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	6.75	24.00	6.00	10.00	13.59	12.80	7.51	7.55	7.40	7.45
2020		8.50	4.50	5.50	8.33	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.50	3.00	7.00	0.10	5.80	7.14	4.93	5.08	28.00	3.95	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	17.42	2.90	5.74	10.29	8.38		4.55	4.53	4.55
2021		9.00	5.00	6.00	8.25	0.08	8.00	0.01	15.00	0.15	10.83	0.15	6.35	0.05	4.94	5.94	6.45	6.67	28.00	4.00	28.00	3.02	28.00	1.00	28.00	3.03	18.00	3.14	8.33	9.87	9.48		6.00	5.88	5.95
2022		30.22	14.50	15.50	30.00	4.00	28.50	4.25	30.00	4.50	26.50	4.50	6.00	0.25	14.06	18.49	23.07	23.73	42.48	5.66	39.00	2.81	36.68	1.05	39.41	6.00	35.56	8.00	28.19	18.70	26.20		15.50	15.50	15.50
2022	1st Qtr	10.50	6.50	7.50	12.00	0.15	11.25	0.20	15.00	0.25	11.90	4.50	6.35	0.10	5.17	6.30	7.68	8.06	28.00	4.00	28.00	3.02	28.00	3.22	28.00	4.00	18.00	5.46	9.47	10.35	10.73		7.45	7.50	7.49
	2nd Qtr	17.50	13.50	14.50	23.25	0.15	24.00	0.20	23.00	0.25	22.00	4.50	7.00	0.10	8.41	11.06	17.15	17.45	32.00	4.00	32.00	2.81	32.00	1.05	34.00	4.00	31.00	12.00	21.94	15.06	21.50		14.50	14.50	14.50
	3rd Qtr	18.50	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.00	28.00	3.00	28.00	3.50	25.00	4.50	7.00	0.25	11.63	15.41	22.06	22.55	34.89	4.00	37.34	2.81	37.34	1.05	39.01	3.50	37.34	8.00	26.16	17.58	24.93		15.50	15.50	15.50
	4th Qtr	30.22	14.50	15.50	30.00	4.00	28.50	4.25	30.00	4.50	26.50	4.50	6.00	0.25	14.06	18.49	23.07	23.73	42.48	5.66	39.00	2.81	36.68	1.05	39.41	6.00	35.56	8.00	28.19	18.70	26.20		15.50	15.50	15.50
2023	1st Qtr	25.00	15.50	16.50	30.00	2.75	28.50	0.50	30.00	3.50	23.00	4.50	12.00	0.25	15.06	19.80	20.48	21.07	36.00	5.66	37.32	2.81	36.17	1.05	38.47	4.00	33.64	8.00	22.42	18.29	23.70		16.50	16.25	16.49
	2nd Qtr	22.00	13.00	14.00	2.75	21.55	0.50	24.50	1.00	24.80	2.00	22.00	0.25	12.00	15.09	19.70	14.98	15.49	2.00	36.00	2.00	37.00	2.00	36.00	2.00	38.10	8.00	32.00	20.04	17.51	21.51		13.25	14.00	13.85
2022	Jul	18.50	14.50	15.50	25.30	0.08	25.00	0.10	26.00	0.15	24.00	4.00	6.00	0.05	9.56	12.60	19.11	19.42	34.00	4.00	38.53	2.81	36.00	1.05	37.73	3.50	35.95	12.00	23.23	15.94	22.42		15.50	15.50	15.50
	Aug	18.50	14.50	15.50	28.50	0.08	25.00	0.10	28.00	0.15	24.00	4.00	6.00	0.05	10.49	13.90	21.29	21.62	34.00	4.00	37.34	2.81	37.34	1.05	37.89	3.50	36.01	0.00	25.26	16.86	24.18		15.50	15.50	15.50
	Sept	18.50	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.00	28.00	3.00	28.00	3.50	25.00	4.50	7.00	0.25	11.63	15.41	22.06	22.55	34.89	4.00	37.34	2.81	37.34	1.05	39.01	3.50	37.34	8.00	26.16	17.58	24.93		15.50	15.50	15.50
	Oct	18.50	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.75	30.00	3.00	29.00	3.50	25.25	4.50	7.00	0.25	12.60	16.66	23.22	23.61	37.51	5.26	37.51	2.81	37.51	1.05	39.35	3.50	37.34	8.00	28.10	17.94	25.83		15.50	15.50	15.50
	Nov	29.06	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.75	28.50	3.00	30.00	3.50	28.00	4.50	6.00	0.25	13.37	17.59	23.63	24.05	39.13	5.66	38.10	2.81	37.67	1.05	39.35	4.00	36.55	8.00	28.25	18.42	26.04		15.50	15.50	15.50
	Dec	30.22	14.50	15.50	30.00	4.00	28.50	4.25	30.00	4.50	26.50	4.50	6.00	0.25	14.06	18.49	23.07	23.73	42.48	5.66	39.00	2.81	36.68	1.05	39.41	6.00	35.56	8.00	28.19	18.70	26.20		15.50	15.50	15.50
2023	Jan	26.50	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.75	28.50	3.00	30.00	3.50	24.00	4.50	6.00	0.25	14.63	19.15	22.24	22.78	36.19	5.66	39.00	2.81	39.50	1.05	38.97	3.50	34.42	8.00	26.73	18.66	25.82		15.50	15.00	15.26
	Feb	26.00	14.50	15.50	30.00	2.75	28.50	0.50	30.00	3.50	23.00	4.50	6.00	0.25	14.74	19.23	21.56	22.06	45.03	5.66	39.00	2.81	39.50	1.05	38.97	3.50	33.70	8.00	24.71	18.50	25.31		15.50	15.00	15.27
	Mar	25.00	15.50	16.50	30.00	2.75	28.50	0.50	30.00	3.50	23.00	4.50	12.00	0.25	15.06	19.80	20.48	21.07	36.00	5.66	37.32	2.81	36.17	1.05	38.47	4.00	33.64	8.00	22.42	18.29	23.70		16.50	16.25	16.49
	Apr	24.50	15.50	16.50	26.00	2.75	28.50	0.50	30.00	2.80	22.00	5.00	12.00	0.25	15.12	19.72	19.19	19.70	36.00	5.66	37.32	2.81	37.28	1.05	38.47	3.50	35.55	8.00	21.80	17.87	23.09		16.50	16.50	16.50
	May	23.50	15.50	16.50	23.50	2.75	26.00	0.50	30.00	2.80	22.00	5.00	12.00	0.25	15.23	19.84	18.85	19.19	36.00	2.00	37.32	2.00	36.00	2.00	38.47	2.00	33.00	8.00	20.81	17.75	22.39		16.50	16.50	16.50
	Jun	22.00	13.00	14.00	2.75	21.55	0.50	24.50	1.00	24.80	2.00	22.00	0.25	12.00	15.09	19.70	14.98	15.49	2.00	36.00	2.00	37.00	2.00	36.00	2.00	38.10	8.00	32.00	20.04	17.51	21.51		13.25	14.00	13.85
	Jul	22.00	11.00	12.00	2.75	21.55	0.50	24.50	1.00	24.80	2.00	22.00	0.25	12.00	14.76	19.02	12.45	12.76	2.00	36.00	2.00	37.00	2.00	36.00	2.00	38.10	8.00	32.00	18.20	16.90	19.30		11.50	11.50	11.50

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) All interest rates are as at the end of period, unless otherwise stated.
(b) The rate at which the Central Bank grants advances to banking institutions as the lender of last resort.
(c) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facilty Rate(SLFR) respectively, with effect from 02 January 2014.
(d) The Average Weighted Deposit Rate (AWDR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all outstanding interest bearing rupee deposits held with licensed commercial banks (LCBs).
(e) The Average Weighted Fixed Deposit Rate (AWFDR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all outstanding interest bearing rupee time deposits held with LCBs.
(f) The Average Weighted New Deposit Rate (AWNDR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all new interest bearing rupee deposits mobilised by LCBs during a particular month.
(g) The Average Weighted New Fixed Deposit Rate (AWNFDR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all new interest bearing rupee time deposits mobilised by LCBs during a particular month.
(h) The Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate (AWPR) is calculated by the Central Bank weekly, based on interest rates applicable to short term rupee loans and advances granted by LCBs to their prime customers during a particular week. The monthly figures given in this table are average values of calculated weekly rates.
(i) The Average Weighted Lending Rate (AWLR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all outstanding rupee loans and advances extended by LCBs.
(j) The Average Weighted New Lending Rate (AWNLR) is calculated by the Central Bank monthly, based on interest rates pertaining to all new rupee loans and advances extended by LCBs during a particular month.
(k) The publication of SLIBOR was discontinued with effect from 01 July 2020.
(l) Based on end month rates.

FINANCIAL SECTOR

TABLE 63

Yield Rates on Government Securities

Per cent per annum/Rs. million

Primary Market Operations — Weighted Average Yield Rates (per cent per annum)

End of Period		Treasury Bills 91 day	182 day	364 day	Treasury Bonds (d) 2 year	3 year	4 year	5 year	6 year	7 year	8 year	9 year	10 year	Above 10 year
2019 (e)		7.51	8.02	8.45	9.79	9.65	–	9.87	–	–	10.24	10.00	10.23	10.68
2020 (e)		4.69	4.80	5.05	5.65	5.99	6.32	6.79	6.57	7.01	7.07	–	9.99	7.84
2021 (e)		8.16	8.33	8.24	9.16	9.70	8.55	11.14	10.90	11.27	11.63	11.61	8.86	12.06
2022 (e)		32.64	32.20	29.27	33.01	31.36	–	31.78	20.19	30.85	–	29.52	30.86	13.14
2022 (f)	Q1	12.92	12.25	12.28	14.41	12.25	–	14.70	11.70	–	–	–	15.42	13.14
	Q2	23.85	24.40	23.84	–	23.77	–	21.18	20.19	–	–	20.74	–	–
	Q3	31.94	30.59	29.85	–	30.95	–	31.50	–	–	–	–	30.09	–
	Q4	32.64	32.20	29.27	33.01	31.36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023 (f)	Q1	25.99	25.79	24.31	29.99	–	28.11	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Q2	23.00	19.49	16.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2022 (g)	July	28.86	29.24	29.53	–	28.45	–	–	–	26.51	–	23.91	–	–
	Aug	32.89	31.28	30.50	–	29.16	–	–	–	26.91	–	29.52	–	–
	Sept	31.94	30.59	29.85	–	30.95	–	31.50	–	–	–	–	30.09	–
	Oct	33.05	32.53	29.60	–	32.63	–	31.78	–	30.85	–	–	–	–
	Nov	32.91	32.27	29.46	32.71	31.69	–	–	–	–	–	–	30.86	–
	Dec	32.64	32.20	29.27	33.01	31.36	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2023 (g)	Jan	29.91	28.72	27.78	32.19	–	29.21	29.79	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Feb	29.72	28.67	27.67	–	–	29.37	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Mar	25.99	25.79	24.31	29.99	–	28.11	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Apr	25.74	25.27	23.00	–	–	29.37	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	May	25.65	25.29	22.91	29.99	–	28.11	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	Jun	23.00	19.49	16.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jul	19.96	17.69	14.29	-	-	-	15.74	-	15.67	-	-	-	-

Secondary Market Operations (a)

End of Period		Trading Volumes (b) (Rs. million) Treasury Bills Outright Transactions Purchased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Repur-chased	Treasury Bonds Outright Transactions Purchased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Re-purchased	Yield Rates (c) (per cent per annum) Treasury Bills <= 91 day	<= 182 day	< = 364 day	Treasury Bonds <= 1 year	<= 2 year	<= 3 year	<= 4 year	<= 5 year	<= 10 year	<= 15 year
2019 (e)		596,981	523,950	1,256,292	47,200	758,764	811,200	7,548,481	1,354,945	7.55	7.95	8.47	–	8.71	9.24	9.74	9.94	10.21	–
2020 (e)		1,187,715	953,199	1,463,083	36,921	963,857	883,013	4,495,818	1,280,397	4.64	4.73	4.98	–	5.54	5.98	6.40	6.64	7.56	–
2021 (e)		1,757,526	1,586,471	1,107,286	61,727	850,484	635,690	3,223,797	888,275	7.56	8.00	8.18	–	8.60	9.60	10.38	10.70	11.79	–
2022 (e)		3,316,640	3,073,306	2,521,000	102,228	944,104	932,689	19,135,255	193,044	30.89	29.50	28.50	–	28.22	28.39	27.62	26.76	26.09	–
2022 (f)	Q1	786,532	698,874	716,316	20,522	187,513	178,918	1,365,863	68,490	11.69	11.84	12.17	–	13.09	14.44	14.71	14.78	15.43	–
	Q2	879,593	806,938	824,236	50,965	164,980	150,614	2,087,064	37,552	19.94	20.80	21.18	–	20.97	21.87	22.29	21.32	21.24	–
	Q3	852,718	803,355	572,089	15,467	276,093	273,448	9,611,207	42,976	31.33	29.56	28.31	–	27.16	28.07	28.24	27.26	27.22	–
	Q4	797,797	764,139	408,359	15,274	315,518	329,709	6,071,121	44,026	30.89	29.50	28.50	–	28.22	28.39	27.62	26.76	26.09	–
2023 (f)	Q1	1,165,040	1,158,012	396,708	7,690	435,079	334,384	6,630,251	54,324	25.56	25.40	24.25	–	28.12	26.87	26.89	25.99	23.86	–
	Q2	1,577,657	1,376,842	390,795	4,402	169,426	196,800	5,791,999	64,202	21.70	19.22	17.63	0.00	25.76	24.74	23.71	22.18	19.43	
2022 (g)	July	289,354	239,426	199,138	5,313	124,675	106,165	1,620,509	11,724	26.34	26.51	27.11	–	22.05	23.67	22.74	23.10	26.28	–
	Aug	342,190	336,217	224,798	4,371	54,582	56,256	4,018,036	18,043	28.25	27.46	28.34	–	23.24	25.84	24.75	24.62	25.31	–
	Sept	221,174	227,712	148,153	5,783	96,836	111,027	3,972,662	13,209	29.76	28.66	28.55	–	23.36	25.84	25.15	25.22	26.10	–
	Oct	187,063	176,134	119,419	5,233	143,334	205,774	2,189,684	14,092	30.68	29.63	28.42	–	25.33	27.68	26.46	26.59	27.71	–
	Nov	330,948	310,512	161,184	5,647	62,112	55,150	2,167,881	17,307	31.33	29.56	28.31	–	27.16	28.07	28.24	27.26	27.22	–
	Dec	279,786	277,493	127,756	4,394	110,072	68,785	1,713,556	12,627	30.89	29.50	28.50	–	28.22	28.39	27.62	26.76	26.09	–
2023 (g)	Jan	387,402	387,538	134,471	2,654	137,034	101,590	1,704,437	14,709	29.23	28.38	27.61	–	27.98	27.66	27.15	26.92	25.84	–
	Feb	375,463	378,180	103,685	2,362	102,868	72,772	2,160,730	17,598	29.02	28.06	27.25	–	28.27	27.21	27.14	26.67	25.74	–
	Mar	402,175	392,294	158,552	2,674	195,177	160,022	2,765,084	22,017	25.56	25.40	24.25	–	28.12	26.87	26.89	25.99	23.86	–
	Apr	320,058	287,068	93,397	1,963	59,493	75,754	1,812,783	16,848	24.45	23.92	22.39	–	26.53	25.82	25.94	24.84	23.38	–
	May	642,052	579,637	139,042	1,509	37,195	43,155	2,180,946	25,392	24.57	24.29	22.20	–	26.90	26.46	25.99	24.88	22.81	–
	Jun	615,547	510,137	158,356	930	72,738	77,891	1,798,270	21,962	21.70	19.22	17.63		25.76	24.74	23.71	22.18	19.43	-
	Jul	324,782	274,254	212,112	809	175,210	162,553	1,568,280	23,147	18.77	17.06	14.14		15.65	15.06	14.93	14.62	13.59	-

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Secondary market information is based on data provided by primary dealers in Government Securities.
(b) Trading volumes reported are cumulative for the period.
(c) Yield rates are averages of quoted bid and offer rates.
(d) Unlike Treasury bills, Treasury bonds are not issued on a regular basis. Hence, a continuous series of primary market yield rates does not exist.
(e) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields during the year.
(f) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields during the quarter.
(g) Reported data are based on the latest weighted average yields of the highest tenor during the month.

Deposit and Lending Rates of Non-Commercial Bank Financial Institutions

Per cent per annum

End of Period		Deposit Rates: National Savings Bank – Savings Deposits	Deposit Rates: National Savings Bank – Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Deposit Rates: State Mortgage & Investment Bank – Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Deposit Rates: Sanasa Development Bank – Savings Deposits	Deposit Rates: Sanasa Development Bank – Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Lending Rates: National Savings Bank	Lending Rates: State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Lending Rates: Sanasa Development Bank	Lending Rates: National Housing Development Authority
2019		4.00	9.83	9.83	4.00–0.00	9.40–5.00	12.00–14.50	10.25–18.00	5.00–22.00	5.00–6.00
2020		3.50	5.25	5.50	3.00–6.00	5.50–6.50	7.00–10.00	8.73–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
2021		3.50	5.50	5.60	3.00–5.25	6.50–6.75	7.50–11.50	7.50–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
2022		3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.26	16.00–6.25	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
2022	Q1	3.50	7.50	7.50	3.00–5.25	9.50–9.75	7.50–11.50	10.00–14.75	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
	Q2	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.25	16.00–16.25	20.00–25.00	18.00–24.75	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	Q3	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.25	16.00–16.25	20.00–26.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	Q4	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.26	16.00–16.25	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
2023	Q1	3.00	12.00	12.00	2.50–4.00	17.50–7.75	28.00–32.00	13.05–28.75	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	Q2	3.00	10.00	11.00	2.50-11.00	13.00-13.25	28.00-32.00	13.50-28.75	4.00-24.00	12.00-14.00
2022	July	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.25	16.00–16.25	20.00–25.00	18.00–25.75	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	August	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–6.15	16.00–16.25	20.00–25.00	18.00–25.75	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	September	3.00	12.00	14.50	2.50–4.00	17.50–17.75	20.00–26.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	October	3.00	12.00	14.50	2.50–4.00	17.50–17.75	22.00–28.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	November	3.00	12.00	14.50	2.50–4.00	17.50–17.75	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
	December	3.00	12.00	14.50	3.00–5.26	16.00–16.25	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	6.00–9.00
2023	January	3.00	12.00	14.50	2.50–14.00	17.50–17.75	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	February	3.00	12.00	14.50	2.50–14.00	17.50–17.75	28.00–32.00	18.00–27.25	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	March	3.00	12.00	12.00	2.50–14.00	17.50–17.75	28.00–32.00	13.05–28.75	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	April	3.00	12.00	12.00	2.50–14.00	17.50–17.75	28.00–32.00	13.05–28.75	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	May	3.00	12.00	12.00	2.50–12.00	15.00–15.25	28.00–32.00	13.50–27.75	4.00–24.00	12.00–14.00
	June	3.00	10.00	11.00	2.50-11.00	13.00-13.25	28.00-32.00	13.50-28.75	4.00-24.00	12.00-14.00
	July	3.00	10.00	8.00	2.50-10.00	11.00-11.25	22.00-25.00	9.50-23.50	4.00-24.00	12.00-14.00

Sources : Respective Licensed Specialised Banks
National Housing Development Authority

TABLE 65

Interest Rates of Licensed Commercial Banks (as at end July, 2023)

Per cent per annum

Deposits & Advances / Bank	Amana Bank Ltd.	Bank of Ceylon	Bank of China Ltd.	Cargills Bank Ltd.	Citi Bank, N.A.	Commercial Bank of Ceylon PLC	Deutsche Bank AG	DFCC Bank PLC.	Habib Bank Ltd.	Hatton National Bank PLC	Indian Bank	Indian Overseas Bank	MCB Bank Ltd.	National Development Bank PLC	Nations Trust Bank PLC	Pan Asia Banking Corporation PLC	People's Bank	Public Bank Berhad	Sampath Bank PLC	Seylan Bank PLC	Standard Chartered Bank	State Bank of India	The Hong-kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd.	Union Bank of Colombo PLC
SELECTED TYPES OF DEPOSITS	**Interest Rates on Deposits – % per annum**																							
Savings Deposits	3.7-4.3	2.5	0.3-2.5	3.5	2.0.-4.5	2.5	0.7-6.0	0.8-10.0	3.0-4.0	2.5-10.0	3.0-4.0	3.8-4.8	3.5-4.0	2.5	2.0-3.3	4.5-5.0	3.0-7.0	2.5	2.0-4.0	2.5-3.0	0.3-0.8	3.0	1.0	2.0
Annual Effective Rate	3.8-4.4	2.5	–	3.6	–	2.5	0.7-6.2	0.8-10.5	3.0-4.1	2.5-10.5	3.0-4.0	–	3.6-4.1	2.5	2.0-3.3	4.6-5.1	3.0-7.0	2.5	2.0-4.1	2.5-3.0	0.3-0.8	3.0	1.0	2.0
Time Deposits - 12 months																								
Interest payable at maturity	8.1-22.0	10.0	1.3-9.5	11.0-12.3	–	9.5-10.3	2.8	10.5-12.0	10.5-22.0	9.5-10.5	10.5-11.5	8.8-9.8	11.5-24.8	11.0-14.5	9.5-11.3	10.5	9.8-10.0	14.0	9.5-10.5	10.0-12.0	3.5-4.0	9.8	1.3-6.5	10.0-10.3
Annual Effective Rate	8.1-22.0	10.0	1.3-9.5	11.0-12.3	–	9.5-10.3	2.8	10.5-12.0	10.5-22.0	9.5-10.5	10.5-11.5	–	11.5-24.8	11.0-14.5	9.5-11.3	10.5	9.8	14.0	9.5-10.5	10.0-12.0	3.5-4.0	9.8	1.3-6.5	10.0-10.3
Interest payable monthly	7.4-19.0	9.8	–	10.4-11.6	–	9.1-9.9	–	10.0-11.0	10.0-22.0	9.1	9.5-10.5	8.5-9.5	11.5-20.5	10.5-13.6	9.1-10.0	10.0	10.2-10.7	13.0	9.0-11.0	9.5-11.0	3.3-3.8	9.5	1.0-6.3	9.5
Annual Effective Rate	7.7-20.8	10.2	–	10.9-12.3	–	9.5-10.3	–	10.5-11.6	10.5-24.4	9.5	9.9-11.0	–	12.1-22.5	11.0-14.5	9.4-10.5	10.5	10.2	13.8	9.4-11.6	9.9-11.6	3.3-3.8	9.9	1.0-6.4	9.9
NRFC Savings Deposits																								
- US Dollars	2.5-4.0	0.8-1.5	0.3	1.8	–	1.0-6.2	–	1.3-7.0	1.0	1.8-6.3	0.5	0.5	0.5-1.0	1.0-2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	1.0	3.0-4.0	2.0	0.0	0.5	0.1-0.3	2.0
Annual Effective Rate	2.5-4.1	0.8-1.5	0.3	1.8	–	1.0-6.3	–	1.3-7.2	1.0	1.8-6.4	0.5	–	0.5-1.0	1.0-2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	1.0	3.0-4.1	2.0	0.0	0.5	0.1-0.3	2.0
SELECTED TYPES OF ADVANCES	**Interest Rates on Advances – % per annum**																							
Lending to Prime Customers	16.7-17.7	20.0-32.0	–	19.2	–	17.8	13.3-20.0	21.5-23.0	20.0-22.5	18.0-20.7	8.3-24.4	9.8-22.6	17.2-22.5	17.1-22.0	17.0-22.0	18.0-19.0	22.5	22.3	16.5-22.0	16.8-23.0	16.3-17.0	–	13.2-24.2	18.3-18.8
Export Bill Finance																								
- Rupee Facilities	17.7-19.2	3.0-4.5	–	19.3-23.0	–	20.0	–	–	20.0	15.0-30.0	22.4-24.4	18.2	–	17.5	–	–	–	–	–	20.0-23.0	–	–	–	24.5-28.5
Import Bill Finance																								
- Rupee Facilities	17.7-19.2	11.0-14.8	–	19.5--21.8	–	17.7-24.0	13.3-21.3	20.0-32.0	–	17.0-20.7	22.4-24.4	18.2	20.0	–	20.8-25.0	21.0	15.5	20.5	15.5-20.2	21.0-23.0	16.8-20.0	19.1-23.1	–	18.8-23.0
Lease Finance	15.8-22.8	–	–	–	–	16.0-21.0	–	16.0-25.0	–	18.3-20.0	–	–	12.5	17.3-21.3	–	–	–	–	16.0-18.5	–	–	–	–	–
Agriculture - short-term																								
(up to one year)	17.7-19.7	22.0-24.3	–	18.0	–	3.5-26.0	–	21.0-22.0	–	19.0-21.0	8.3-24.7	–	19.2-27.7	–	17.5-24.0	–	29.0-30.0	10.0-27.9	16.5-19.2	8.0-23.0	–	–	13.0-24.1	–
Residential Housing	17.3-18.5	20.0-21.0	–	–	–	15.0-19.0	–	–	–	15.0-20.7	7.0-24.4	–	–	17.8-18.3	–	20.0-22.0	24.0-25.0	7.0-20.4	16.0	16.5-18.5	16.3-16.5	–	7.0-26.7	24.5
SMI Lending (up to 5 years)	17.7-19.7	16.0-20.0	–	–	–	2.0-19.0	–	–	–	17.0-21.7	8.3-24.7	18.2	9.0-24.3	8.0-22.0	17.8-28.0	22.0	30.0	18.6-19.1	4.8-14.0	8.0-23.0	–	19.2-22.1	–	15.9-28.0
Pawning	17.8	22.5-23.0	–	–	–	17.5-18.0	–	17.5-17.8	–	18.0	–	–	–	18.0-19.0	–	20.0	23.0	–	18.5	19.0	–	–	–	19.0
US Dollar Loans to Exporters	10.4-10.9	5.0-8.0	–	12.0	–	7.8-13.1	7.3-7.5	10.2-16.2	–	9.9	3.5-5.1	6.0	6.6-11.5	9.0-9.8	–	9.0	6.9-8.4	–	10.0-12.0	8.5-11.0	–	6.5-8.4	8.6	4.0-12.3
Overdrafts																								
Corporate Lending	17.7-19.7	30.0	–	28.0-29.0	25.0	21.0-22.5	–	32.0	24.0	24.0-28.0	24.0-26.0	18.0	–	30.9-32.0	20.8-28.0	28.0	–	28.0	–	30.0-36.0	–	–	12.0-24.5	17.2-31.0
Personal / Retail Lending	17.7-19.7	30.0-32.0	–	34.0	–	20.7-27.0	–	32.0	24.0	28.0	24.0-26.0	18.0	–	32.0	19.5-28.0	28.0	–	28.0	28.0	30.0-36.0	25.0	–	27.2	5.5-36.0

Source : Licensed Commercial Banks

Commercial Banks' Fees and Commissions (as at end June 2023)

A. Export and Import Related Transactions

Export Services	Maximum	Minimum
LC Advising Charges	Rs. 10,500 US $ 85	Rs. 1,000 US $ 8
Negotiation of documentary bills	Rs. 100,000 US $ 300 0.38%	Rs. 1,500 US $ 6 0.10%
Bills for collection	Rs. 20,000 US $ 150 0.38%	Rs. 1,000 US $ 3 0.10%
Confirmation of documentary credit	Rs. 7,500 2.00%	Rs. 200 0.25%
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 5,000 US $ 75	Rs. 1,000 US $ 4
Import Services		
Establishing of LCs	Rs. 8,000 US $ 40 2.25%	Rs. 2,500 US $ 8 0.13%
Shipping indemnities	Rs. 8,000 US $ 50 1.00%	Rs. 1,500 US $ 20 0.13%
Import bills for collection	Rs. 75,000 US $ 500 3.00%	Rs. 1,000 US $ 15 0.25%
DC Transmission / Telex charges	Rs. 5,000 US $ 50	Rs. 1,000 US $ 8
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 35,988 US $ 250	Rs. 60 US $ 20

B. Foreign Remittances

Inward	Maximum	Minimum
Telegraphic transfers	Rs.10,000 US $ 300	Rs. 100 US $ 2
Foreign drafts purchased	Rs. 7,750 US $ 75 0.50%	Rs. 50 US $ 4 0.25%
Foreign Remittances – Outward		
Telegraphic transfers	Rs. 50,000 US $ 2500	Rs. 35 US $ 6
Foreign drafts	Rs. 12,000 US $ 40	Rs. 300 US $ 3
Traveller's Cheques		
Agent's commission	0.00%	0.00%
Issuing charges	Rs. 400 0.00%	Rs. 400 0.00%
Encashment charges	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 300
Foreign Currency Accounts		
Inward TTs	Rs. 10,000 US $ 35	Rs. 300 US $ 2
Foreign currency notes	Rs. 54,000 2.00%	Rs. 3 0.30%
Traveller's cheques	Rs. 0 US $	Rs. 0 US $

C. Domestic Banking Operations

Current Accounts	Maximum	Minimum
Issuing cheques	Rs. 500	Rs. 10
Returned cheques		
– for insufficient funds	Rs. 6,000	Rs. 500
– technical objections	Rs. 3,000	Rs. 100
Stopped cheques	Rs. 7,000	Rs. 500
Standing instructions	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 50
Monthly service charges	Rs. 35,000	Rs. 5
Loans		
Application processing fees	Rs. 250,000	Rs. 100
Inspection charges	Rs. 50,000	Rs. 50
ATM and Credit Cards		
ATM cards – Issuing fee	Rs. 1,500	Rs. 200
Credit cards		
– Issuing fee	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 300
– Renewal fee	Rs. 10,000	Rs. 500

Notes :

(1) Commercial banks charge a variety of fees and commissions on their services. The table gives a range of the maximum and minimum fees and commissions which are based on the information provided by commercial banks. These charges, which do not change very frequently, are published semi-annually to enable the public to negotiate best terms. These fees and commissions could be different when services and products are provided as a package.

(2) These are standard charges of commercial banks. However, charges for some specific products could include charges payable to banks abroad. For example, banks in Sri Lanka may include in their charge fees payable to banks abroad such as for adding confirmation to Letters of Credit, and for correction of discrepancies.

(3) In the case of Documentary Credits, the charges for transmission outward from Sri Lanka would differ, depending on the mode of transmission used.

(4) Loan application processing fees vary according to the loan amount.

Cheque Clearing and SLIPS(a)

Value in Rs. million

Period		Cheque Clearing		SLIPS	
		No.	Value	No.	Value
2019		46,801,774	9,863,055	36,612,429	2,104,175
2020		33,631,465	7,490,999	36,830,291	2,256,699
2021		33,021,175	8,311,492	41,867,718	2,862,197
2022		33,049,623	9,813,806	45,536,351	3,368,434
2022	Q1	9,287,311	2,504,279	10,942,175	813,434
	Q2	7,939,379	2,503,060	11,550,034	831,501
	Q3	7,497,976	2,354,592	11,214,129	839,383
	Q4	8,324,957	2,451,874	11,830,013	884,116
2023	Q1	8,718,167	2,593,305	12,516,463	845,857 \
	Q2	8,131,010	2,516,438	11,846,311	868,478
2022	July	2,132,342	692,414	3,631,627	255,570
	August	2,651,424	814,158	3,805,356	292,572
	September	2,714,210	848,020	3,777,146	291,241
	October	2,702,456	773,148	3,719,675	282,572
	November	2,777,500	834,677	3,919,370	289,200
	December	2,845,001	844,049	4,190,968	312,344
2023	January	2,933,927	850,263	4,373,248	272,058
	February	2,680,852	837,783	3,862,146	266,024
	March	3,103,388	905,259	4,281,069	307,775
	April	2,529,225	774,358	4,168,628	284,161
	May	2,955,130	948,333	3,939,440	305,025
	June	2,646,655	793,747	3,738,243	279,292
	July	3,101,379	875,445	4,025,760	298,642

(a) SLIPS : Sri Lanka Interbank Payments System

Source : LankaClear (Pvt) Ltd.

Commercial Banks' Debits and Deposits Turnover[(a)]

Rs. million

During the Period		Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts: Total for Period	Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts: Monthly Average	Average Demand Deposits	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (1)÷(3)	Rate of Turnover: Month (2)÷(3)	Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts: Total for Period	Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts: Average	Average Time Deposits	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (6)÷(8)	Rate of Turnover: Month (7)÷(8)	Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts: Total for Period	Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts: Average	Average Savings Deposits	Rate of Turnover: Total for Period (11)÷(13)	Rate of Turnover: Month (12)÷(13)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
2019		40,419,228.0	3,368,269.0	334,947.1	120.67	10.06	1,984,339.4	165,361.6	3,909,626.8	0.51	0.04	16,980,070.8	1,415,005.9	1,698,303.6	10.00	0.83
2020		38,539,397.8	3,211,616.5	401,866.3	95.90	7.99	1,919,650.8	159,970.9	4,248,065.3	0.45	0.04	19,256,547.2	1,604,712.3	2,087,856.8	9.22	0.77
2021		45,389,315.1	3,782,442.9	522,672.5	86.84	7.24	1,843,349.7	153,612.5	4,647,053.3	0.40	0.03	25,950,856.6	2,162,571.4	2,764,193.9	9.39	0.78
2022		60,230,922.4	5,019,243.5	730,769.9	82.42	6.87	4,126,389.2	343,865.8	5,439,882.6	0.76	0.06	39,217,860.2	3,268,155.0	2,819,745.0	13.91	1.16
2022	Q1	13,695,586.3	4,565,195.4	700,545.3	19.55	6.52	541,770.8	180,590.3	4,816,030.3	0.11	0.04	8,391,047.1	2,797,015.7	3,022,701.2	2.78	0.93
	Q2	15,541,694.2	5,180,564.7	742,942.6	20.92	6.97	1,397,826.2	465,942.1	5,151,721.8	0.27	0.09	9,827,196.8	3,275,732.3	2,979,565.8	3.30	1.10
	Q3	15,013,851.5	5,004,617.2	743,004.1	20.21	6.74	1,136,901.2	378,967.1	5,660,205.2	0.20	0.07	9,872,894.2	3,290,964.7	2,733,430.2	3.61	1.20
	Q4	15,979,790.3	5,326,596.8	736,587.6	21.69	7.23	1,049,891.0	349,963.7	6,131,573.0	0.17	0.06	11,126,722.1	3,708,907.4	2,543,282.8	4.37	1.46
2023	Q1 (b)	15,254,555.6	5,084,851.9	657,556.9	23.20	7.73	792,630.7	264,210.2	6,417,142.7	0.12	0.04	10,780,976.7	3,593,658.9	2,447,266.2	4.41	1.47
	Q2	14,692,528.4	4,897,509.5	668,798.6	21.97	7.32	1,039,224.8	346,408.3	6,603,278.5	0.16	0.05	10,206,714.9	3,402,238.3	2,454,115.4	4.16	1.39
2022	July	4,538,645.0		725,481.6	6.26		319,359.0		5,468,041.3	0.06		2,794,618.0		2,801,891.1	1.00	
	August	5,224,678.5		740,283.4	7.06		418,246.2		5,656,126.9	0.07		3,477,399.2		2,746,297.9	1.27	
	September	5,250,528.0		763,247.3	6.88		399,296.0		5,856,447.6	0.07		3,600,877.0		2,652,101.6	1.36	
	October	5,100,688.0		759,065.9	6.72		389,370.0		6,009,849.8	0.06		3,650,290.0		2,584,206.9	1.41	
	November	5,387,204.0		739,846.8	7.28		362,295.0		6,138,543.6	0.06		3,760,809.0		2,534,764.5	1.48	
	December	5,491,898.3		710,849.9	7.73		298,226.0		6,246,325.7	0.05		3,715,623.1		2,510,876.9	1.48	
2023	January	5,140,065.7		678,401.9	7.58		293,650.1		6,361,539.5	0.05		3,768,954.4		2,469,812.5	1.53	
	February	4,746,588.1		655,716.9	7.24		201,359.4		6,427,784.5	0.03		3,199,278.9		2,436,155.5	1.31	
	March	5,367,901.7		638,551.9	8.41		297,621.2		6,462,104.1	0.05		3,812,743.4		2,435,830.8	1.57	
	April	4,543,438.1		647,179.4	7.02		281,046.3		6,529,685.9	0.04		3,159,936.2		2,441,927.9	1.29	
	May	5,215,955.1		673,154.8	7.75		426,193.6		6,604,008.1	0.06		3,757,944.7		2,447,969.9	1.54	
	June (b)	4,933,135.1		686,061.5	7.19		331,984.9		6,676,141.4	0.05		3,288,834.0		2,472,448.3	1.33	
	July	5,510,724.9		689,449.8	7.99		351,589.8		6,738,443.8	0.05		3,607,858.9		2,523,628.6	1.43	

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

Amounts in Rs. million

Description	End of Period		Demand		Time		Savings		Total	
			Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1. Financial Institutions	Sep	2022	37,264	5.2	167,809	2.8	34,935	1.3	240,007	2.5
	Dec	2022	26,914	3.9	188,044	2.9	37,444	1.4	252,401	2.6
	Mar	2023	68,066	9.7	207,976	3.1	33,804	1.3	309,846	3.1
	Jun	2023 (a)	36,069	6.2	209,191	3.1	34,166	1.3	279,426	2.8
2. Plantations	Sep	2022	20,196	2.8	12,391	0.2	7,298	0.3	39,885	0.4
	Dec	2022	19,825	2.9	10,131	0.2	6,244	0.2	36,200	0.4
	Mar	2023	13,943	2.0	11,650	0.2	7,131	0.3	32,724	0.3
	Jun	2023 (a)	9,651	1.6	20,966	0.3	7,488	0.3	38,105	0.4
3. Trading	Sep	2022	68,094	9.5	60,613	1.0	44,860	1.6	173,567	1.8
	Dec	2022	77,463	11.3	70,969	1.1	42,958	1.7	191,390	2.0
	Mar	2023	65,810	9.3	74,056	1.1	39,653	1.6	179,519	1.8
	Jun	2023 (a)	53,738	9.2	59,779	0.9	38,684	1.5	152,201	1.5
4. Manufacturing Establishments	Sep	2022	51,228	7.1	123,865	2.1	42,852	1.6	217,945	2.3
	Dec	2022	51,122	7.5	110,315	1.7	53,750	2.1	215,186	2.2
	Mar	2023	58,192	8.3	99,861	1.5	58,250	2.3	216,303	2.2
	Jun	2023 (a)	47,875	8.2	100,878	1.5	29,864	1.2	178,617	1.8
5. Other Business Institutions	Sep	2022	274,010	38.2	901,734	15.0	322,620	11.7	1,498,364	15.8
	Dec	2022	244,629	35.7	934,733	14.5	261,458	10.1	1,440,820	14.8
	Mar	2023	235,447	33.4	884,221	13.4	249,183	9.8	1,368,850	13.9
	Jun	2023 (a)	189,187	32.3	886,552	13.2	225,534	8.9	1,301,273	13.2
6. Non-Business Institutions	Sep	2022	31,811	4.4	333,258	5.6	61,015	2.2	426,083	4.5
	Dec	2022	40,366	5.9	329,939	5.1	75,273	2.9	445,579	4.6
	Mar	2023	35,340	5.0	326,079	4.9	84,643	3.3	446,062	4.5
	Jun	2023 (a)	38,952	6.6	336,669	5.0	107,912	4.3	483,533	4.9
7. Local Authorities	Sep	2022	16,003	2.2	12,326	0.2	4,335	0.2	32,664	0.3
	Dec	2022	19,490	2.8	12,778	0.2	2,869	0.1	35,136	0.4
	Mar	2023	13,729	1.9	23,089	0.3	3,600	0.1	40,418	0.4
	Jun	2023 (a)	13,005	2.2	28,356	0.4	3,936	0.2	45,297	0.5
8. Individuals	Sep	2022	219,030	30.5	4,381,900	73.1	2,230,591	81.2	6,831,521	72.2
	Dec	2022	205,823	30.0	4,784,020	74.3	2,105,550	81.4	7,095,393	73.1
	Mar	2023	213,950	30.4	4,983,715	75.4	2,078,720	81.4	7,276,385	73.7
	Jun	2023 (a)	197,520	33.7	5,096,930	75.6	2,085,689	82.3	7,380,139	74.9
9. Total	Sep	2022	717,637	100.0	5,993,896	100.0	2,748,505	100.0	9,460,038	100.0
	Dec	2022	685,632	100.0	6,440,928	100.0	2,585,545	100.0	9,712,105	100.0
	Mar	2023	704,478	100.0	6,610,646	100.0	2,554,984	100.0	9,870,107	100.0
	Jun	2023 (a)	585,998	100.0	6,739,320	100.0	2,533,273	100.0	9,858,591	100.0

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Commercial Banks' Loans and Advances to the Private Sector [(a)(b)]

Category	June 2022 (c)		June 2023 (c)(d)		% Change
	Amount (Rs. mn.)	as a % of Total	Amount (Rs. mn.)	as a % of Total	
1. Agriculture and Fishing	**649,322**	**8.1**	**626,784**	**8.7**	**-3.5**
of which,					
Tea	114,181	1.4	124,735	1.7	9.2
Rubber	58,853	0.7	50,175	0.7	-14.7
Coconut	36,579	0.5	26,451	0.4	-27.7
Paddy	42,657	0.5	51,229	0.7	20.1
Vegetable and Fruit Cultivation, and Minor Food Crops	37,530	0.5	33,121	0.5	-11.7
Livestock and Dairy Farming	31,852	0.4	41,690	0.6	30.9
Fisheries	23,777	0.3	26,941	0.4	13.3
2. Industry	**3,316,176**	**41.2**	**2,925,484**	**40.7**	**-11.8**
of which,					
Construction	1,672,559	20.8	1,437,295	20.0	-14.1
of which,					
Personal Housing including Purchasing / Construction / Repairs	708,698	8.8	623,510	8.7	-12.0
Staff Housing	107,731	1.3	100,835	1.4	-6.4
Food and Beverages	233,419	2.9	199,484	2.8	-14.5
Textiles and Apparel	346,313	4.3	253,211	3.5	-26.9
Wood and Wood Products including Furniture	22,305	0.3	22,350	0.3	0.2
Paper and Paper Products	23,560	0.3	23,460	0.3	-0.4
Chemical, Petroleum, Pharmaceutical and Healthcare and Rubber and Plastic Products	198,439	2.5	173,259	2.4	-12.7
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	7,686	0.1	21,562	0.3	180.5
Basic metal Products	55,119	0.7	55,810	0.8	1.3
Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery and Transport Equipment	170,318	2.1	166,292	2.3	-2.4
Other Manufactured Products	65,575	0.8	87,954	1.2	34.1
3. Services	**2,152,880**	**26.7**	**1,929,350**	**26.8**	**-10.4**
of which,					
Wholesale and Retail Trade	586,841	7.3	529,960	7.4	-9.7
Tourism	401,573	5.0	336,437	4.7	-16.2
Financial and Business Services	414,857	5.1	306,999	4.3	-26.0
Transport	80,447	1.0	50,945	0.7	-36.7
Communication and Information Technology	95,595	1.2	108,134	1.5	13.1
Printing and Publishing	28,320	0.4	25,843	0.4	-8.7
Education	32,568	0.4	30,993	0.4	-4.8
Health	122,114	1.5	152,901	2.1	25.2
Shipping, Aviation and Freight Forwarding	33,138	0.4	32,883	0.5	-0.8
4. Personal Loans and Advances (e)	**1,940,249**	**24.1**	**1,714,837**	**23.8**	**-11.6**
of which,					
Consumer Durables	380,540	4.7	336,940	4.7	-11.5
Pawning	332,839	4.1	456,036	6.3	37.0
Credit Cards	147,796	1.8	147,015	2.0	-0.5
Personal Education	12,510	0.2	17,473	0.2	39.7
Personal Healthcare	2,491	0.0	1,299	0.0	-47.9
Other	934,761	11.6	713,291	9.9	-23.7
5. Total	**8,058,627**	**100.0**	**7,196,454**	**100.0**	**-10.7**

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

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

(c) Revised

(d) Provisional

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Savings and Fixed Deposits of Deposit Taking Institutions

Rs. million

End of Period		Savings Deposits							Fixed Deposits							Total Deposits
		Licensed Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Prade-shiya Sanwar-dhana Bank (b)	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c)	Licensed Finance Compa-nies (d)	Total	Licensed Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank (e)	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Prade-shiya Sanwar-dhana Bank (b)	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c)	Licensed Finance Companies	Total	
2019		2,090,860	217,600	1,401	56,096	21,389	33,528	2,420,873	4,813,078	766,984	34,914	89,881	89,265	692,972	6,487,095	8,907,968
2020		2,843,702	279,186	1,952	65,640	26,709	37,333	3,254,522	5,507,517	925,786	40,440	103,625	110,283	684,307	7,371,958	10,626,480
2021		3,410,298	324,665	2,262	72,125	28,323	38,372	3,876,046	6,056,844	1,071,758	40,468	112,267	110,764	723,302	8,115,404	11,991,450
2022		3,167,548	264,539	2,020	65,814	22,607	34,294	3,556,823	8,044,245	1,212,200	47,074	135,730	132,818	815,518	10,387,585	13,944,408
2022	Q1	3,715,422	331,504	2,668	74,175	30,395	43,860	4,198,023	6,627,199	1,124,128	44,224	113,062	110,674	737,484	8,756,770	12,954,793
	Q2	3,534,571	303,709	2,210	68,809	25,707	34,887	3,969,893	7,236,122	1,132,259	44,868	132,221	117,027	812,074	9,474,571	13,444,464
	Q3	3,286,819	275,972	2,016	67,877	23,526	31,022	3,687,232	7,659,140	1,201,246	45,883	133,550	124,698	802,995	9,967,512	13,654,744
	Q4	3,167,548	264,539	2,020	65,814	22,607	34,294	3,556,823	8,044,245	1,212,200	47,074	135,730	132,818	815,518	10,387,585	13,944,408
2023	Q1	3,039,082	262,555	1,970	65,067	22,685	31,719	3,423,078	8,131,464	1,233,776	49,159	139,658	139,231	849,031	10,542,320	13,965,398
	Q2	3,164,205	265,437	1,967	65,467	24,048	31,824	3,552,948	8,463,458	1,216,516	49,549	142,249	137,356	849,790	10,858,918	14,411,867
2022	July	3,481,295	300,700	2,164	68,818	25,468	36,158	3,914,603	7,335,909	1,143,385	45,196	132,773	118,923	811,008	9,587,194	13,501,797
	August	3,355,549	285,573	2,078	68,112	24,355	32,277	3,767,944	7,520,581	1,174,254	45,981	134,435	125,516	799,140	9,799,907	13,567,851
	September	3,286,819	275,972	2,016	67,877	23,526	31,022	3,687,232	7,659,140	1,201,246	45,883	133,550	124,698	802,995	9,967,512	13,654,744
	October	3,211,587	271,622	2,058	66,807	23,124	30,860	3,606,057	7,810,284	1,203,637	46,313	133,698	126,602	808,569	10,129,102	13,735,159
	November	3,217,791	269,809	2,105	66,203	22,761	30,854	3,609,523	7,923,576	1,206,117	46,874	133,613	129,875	806,488	10,246,544	13,856,067
	December	3,167,548	264,539	2,020	65,814	22,607	34,294	3,556,823	8,044,245	1,212,200	47,074	135,730	132,818	815,518	10,387,585	13,944,408
2023	January	3,120,916	261,353	1,955	65,118	22,490	32,587	3,504,418	8,167,949	1,229,366	47,741	136,966	135,711	827,355	10,545,088	14,049,506
	February	3,135,299	263,897	1,980	64,850	22,871	32,565	3,521,463	8,174,725	1,222,819	48,401	137,936	137,409	833,267	10,554,557	14,076,019
	March	3,039,082	262,555	1,970	65,067	22,685	31,719	3,423,078	8,131,464	1,233,776	49,159	139,658	139,231	849,031	10,542,320	13,965,398
	April	3,043,393	266,881	2,000	65,464	23,458	31,821	3,433,018	8,211,523	1,239,663	49,258	142,246	139,292	849,787	10,631,769	14,064,787
	May	3,038,141	262,787	2,060	65,770	23,533	35,351	3,427,642	8,167,461	1,221,559	50,895	143,126	139,515	830,570	10,553,126	13,980,768
	June	3,104,702	264,068	1,993	66,115	23,279	32,237	3,492,394	8,330,376	1,206,594	49,313	143,748	139,228	843,035	10,712,294	14,204,688
	July	3,164,205	265,437	1,967	65,467	24,048	31,824	3,552,948	8,463,458	1,216,516	49,549	142,249	137,356	849,790	10,858,918	14,411,867

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

(b) Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank was established on 14 July 2010 by amalgamating Regional Development Banks. Lankaputhra Bank was amalgamated with the Regional Development Bank with effect from April 2019.

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

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

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

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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Share Market Performance

End of Period	Total Turnover (Rs. mn)	Daily Average Turnover (Rs. mn)	Non-National Transactions Purch. (Rs. mn)	Non-National Transactions Sales (Rs. mn)	Market Capitalisation (a) (Rs. bn)	All Share Price Index (ASPI) (1985=100) (a)	S&P Sri Lanka 20 Index (2004=1,000) (a)	Sectoral Share Price Indices – Global Industrial Classification Standard (GICS) (b): Automobiles & Components	Banks	Capital Goods	Commercial & Professional Services	Consumer Durables & Apparel	Consumer Services	Diversified Financials	Energy	Food & Staples Retailing	Food, Beverage & Tobacco	Health Care Equipment & Services	Household & Personal Products	Insurance	Materials	Real Estate	Retailing	Software and Services	Telecommunication Services	Transportation	Utilities
2019	171,408.0	711.2	56,537.5	68,272.4	2,851.3	6,129.2	2,937.0																				
2020	396,881.5	1,899.0	52,889.2	104,244.9	2,960.7	6,774.2	2,638.1	1,159.5	587.3	1,023.0	832.2	1,127.4	277.0	891.6	745.4	1,244.2	967.5	1,303.5	1,320.2	1,416.1	1,351.5	798.0	1,009.9		943.3	4,870.2	1,002.6
2021	1,173,157.1	4,888.0	34,015.6	86,665.0	5,489.2	12,226.0	4,233.3	1,321.7	609.1	1,735.6	1,152.8	1,984.3	381.8	3,447.3	1,566.6	1,293.7	1,218.4	1,423.3	1,907.2	1,676.9	1,772.7	878.0	1,167.2	1,395.9	922.8	62,493.3	1,027.9
2022	686,602.1	2,972 .3	67,488 .1	36,863 .4	3,847.2	8,489.7	2,635.6	777.5	383.4	1,224.6	1,319.5	1,295.9	353.9	1,670.5	3,523.8	1372.0	880.9	1,249.9	1,633.0	1,548.5	1,323.7	560.8	826.7	705.4	914.1	30,378.2	758.9
2022 Q1	302,925.9	5,222.9	19,833.5	21,534.3	3,826.5	8,903.9	3,031.2	776.1	505.2	1,274.9	715.6	1,582.5	294.0	2,183.5	781.9	1,129.6	844.3	1,388.7	1,447.0	1,504.5	1,105.9	664.4	784.6	681.3	843.1	34,629.7	867.3
Q2	70,641.0	1,441.7	4,050.5	3,521.0	3,184.2	7,342.3	2,334.4	608.6	372.2	1,048.3	848.6	1,484.3	245.0	1,546.1	1,453.1	1,037.6	771.5	1,212.1	1,348.3	1,298.6	919.2	548.2	656.2	704.4	718.3	28,796.5	755.8
Q3	193,514.7	3,023.7	24,421.9	7,979.3	4,341.1	9,931.1	3,165.3	910.2	435.4	1,438.1	2,006.6	1,661.7	414.6	1,951.6	4,984.7	1,346.2	1,003.2	1,216.6	1,830.5	1,374.8	1,614.3	635.6	928.2	929.1	798.6	36,263.1	886.2
Q4	119,520.4	1,992.0	19,182.2	3,828.9	3,847.2	8,489.7	2,635.6	777.5	383.4	1,224.6	1,319.5	1,295.9	353.9	1,670.5	3,523.8	1,372.0	880.9	1,249.9	1,633.0	1,548.5	1,323.7	560.8	826.7	705.4	914.1	30,378.2	758.9
2023 Q1	117,241.5	1,891.0	11,441.9	10,785.8	3,903.5	9,301.1	2,682.8	796.3	555.1	1,266.1	1,200.5	1,312.2	389.0	1,735.4	3,183.2	1,384.2	974.5	1,238.7	1,528.4	1,549.1	1,387.8	981.9	801.7	619.1	1,174.1	23,013.5	809.4
Q2	58,696.0	1,029.8	5,606.8	5,190.9	3,901.3	9,443.0	2,713.7	827.1	598.2	1,325.7	1,237.4	1,256.3	347.8	1,710.9	2,434.8	1,473.8	984.5	1,182.9	1,458.7	1,518.3	1,406.0	914.4	798.7	556.4	1,175.2	22,006.7	802.0
2022 July	20,594.3	1,029.7	1,661.0	876.9	3,321.5	7,731.2	2,448.4	636.7	384.1	1,072.9	764.7	1,725.5	268.7	1,532.1	1,750.7	1,043.2	827.8	1,259.5	1,522.6	1,293.7	1,054.4	549.7	677.0	804.0	757.2	29,207.4	813.7
August	77,160.7	3,507.3	4,415.2	3,481.3	3,964.0	9,071.3	2,929.0	916.9	379.9	1,286.8	1,655.0	1,767.1	402.0	1,919.5	3,178.6	1,174.1	959.7	1,253.3	2,103.6	1,359.0	1,368.6	621.9	796.7	853.4	815.2	36,136.7	847.0
September	95,759.7	4,352.7	18,345.7	3,621.1	4,341.1	9,931.1	3,165.3	910.2	435.4	1,438.1	2,006.6	1,661.7	414.6	1,951.6	4,984.7	1,346.2	1,003.2	1,216.6	1,830.5	1,374.8	1,614.3	635.6	928.2	929.1	798.6	36,263.1	886.2
October	39,698.9	2,089.4	3,263.6	779.8	3,779.4	8,602.2	2,590.6	900.8	389.8	1,273.6	1,631.8	1,458.9	370.6	1,642.0	3,259.7	1,267.8	891.1	1,322.3	1,685.3	1,340.1	1,402.7	556.2	852.3	763.6	860.6	25,061.1	811.5
November	32,077.7	1,527.5	1,808.8	1,976.3	3,888.2	8,651.2	2,730.1	804.3	393.8	1,278.7	1,524.7	1,377.6	369.4	1,698.1	3,329.0	1,284.0	900.3	1,296.0	1,644.6	1,383.6	1,376.3	556.3	822.5	682.2	935.0	32,170.0	780.0
December	47,743.8	2,387.2	14,109.9	1,072.9	3,847.2	8,489.7	2,635.6	777.5	383.4	1,224.6	1,319.5	1,295.9	353.9	1,670.5	3,523.8	1,372.0	880.9	1,249.9	1,633.0	1,548.5	1,323.7	560.8	826.7	705.4	914.1	30,378.2	758.9
2023 January	37,138.4	1,856.9	1,621.3	1,207.9	3,881.1	8,865.1	2,764.5	764.1	434.5	1,253.8	1,396.3	1,393.7	352.9	1,747.1	3,636.3	1,356.6	896.7	1,232.7	1,615.5	1,604.1	1,363.1	580.9	785.6	718.7	958.3	30,973.4	783.0
February	37,383.6	1,869.2	5,885.8	3,050.1	3,906.1	9,188.5	2,796.7	784.2	509.2	1,248.6	1,251.9	1,422.4	361.8	1,716.9	3,577.4	1,338.1	954.3	1,258.1	1,563.2	1,569.6	1,364.7	604.4	788.4	682.7	1,029.2	29,762.1	837.6
March	42,719.5	1,941.8	3,922.6	6,527.8	3,903.5	9,301.1	2,682.8	796.3	555.1	1,266.1	1,200.5	1,312.2	389.0	1,735.4	3,183.2	1,384.2	974.5	1,238.7	1,528.4	1,549.1	1,387.8	981.9	801.7	619.1	1,174.1	23,013.5	809.4
April	15,426.3	964.1	2,314.2	1,427.1	3,823.4	8,983.2	2,617.8	773.5	504.0	1,239.8	1,178.2	1,330.4	375.1	1,633.4	3,034.9	1,410.9	943.8	1,222.7	1,481.9	1,468.5	1,353.9	934.6	783.9	600.4	1,194.8	26,673.0	811.4
May	13,995.8	666.5	1,411.8	1,596.2	3,598.3	8,555.2	2,421.5	737.3	505.3	1,189.9	1,076.8	1,197.5	346.2	1,527.9	2,434.6	1,423.5	924.9	1,112.6	1,423.8	1,425.4	1,240.5	892.4	762.0	549.3	1,115.0	22,176.8	786.6
June	29,273.9	1,463.7	1,880.8	2,167.6	3,901.3	9,443.0	2,713.7	827.1	598.2	1,325.7	1,237.4	1,256.3	347.8	1,710.9	2,434.8	1,473.8	984.5	1,182.9	1,458.7	1,518.3	1,406.0	914.4	798.7	556.4	1,175.2	22,006.7	802.0
July	73,098.7	3,654.9	6,167.6	3,940.9	4,537.3	11,386.7	3,309.6	916.9	836.7	1,497.0	1,304.2	1,509.8	423.1	2,257.6	2,587.1	1,748.7	1,099.0	1,212.5	1,638.8	1,646.3	1,565.7	1,046.6	908.3	601.8	1,234.5	24,928.1	849.4

(a) End period.

(b) The CSE exclusively adopted the Global Industrial Classification Standard (GICS) to classify listed companies with effect from 20 January 2020. Accordingly, the previous sector classifications were discontinued with effect from January 2020.

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