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

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

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

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

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

PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT

TABLE 1

Gross Value Added and Gross Domestic Product by Economic Activity<sup>(a)(b)(c)</sup>

Rs. million

Economic Activity	At Current Market Prices								At Constant (2010) Prices							
	2019 (d)				2020				2019 (d)				2020			
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	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
<b>Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing</b>	<b>255,345</b>	<b>264,928</b>	<b>274,880</b>	<b>336,913</b>	<b>279,015</b>	<b>277,999</b>	<b>322,031</b>	<b>372,877</b>	<b>164,538</b>	<b>165,844</b>	<b>170,560</b>	<b>185,470</b>	<b>153,820</b>	<b>152,302</b>	<b>175,841</b>	<b>187,839</b>
Growing of cereals (except rice)	5,671	3,907	2,837	7,201	7,848	7,218	8,330	14,104	3,454	2,176	1,382	3,569	3,521	3,351	2,930	5,154
Growing of rice	15,078	20,025	21,901	79,067	20,766	35,311	31,747	80,688	11,316	12,752	13,053	37,047	11,774	16,152	15,941	34,551
Growing of vegetables	20,352	24,716	25,449	30,017	36,113	29,820	33,993	33,391	11,919	13,992	15,172	12,165	12,841	15,237	17,047	13,481
Growing of sugar cane, tobacco and other non-perennial crops	805	939	915	813	1,067	1,302	1,223	975	440	571	529	460	603	622	616	499
Growing of fruits	25,758	27,285	27,226	29,271	28,220	28,153	29,707	30,056	14,788	13,868	16,957	14,785	15,703	14,571	18,147	15,735
Growing of oleaginous fruits (coconut, king coconut, oil palm)	22,797	21,174	17,782	19,728	22,523	25,104	28,763	33,222	17,033	17,497	17,249	15,963	14,645	14,800	16,311	15,048
Growing of tea (green leaves)	26,153	27,797	22,795	22,596	19,695	31,143	26,999	30,707	16,230	18,878	16,374	14,846	11,863	16,967	15,684	17,108
Growing of other beverage crops (coffee, cocoa etc.)	511	516	544	550	843	900	1,131	990	299	298	292	291	359	359	359	359
Growing of spices, aromatic, drug and pharmaceutical crops	22,969	19,651	20,425	21,673	25,305	22,257	23,114	24,486	17,571	16,221	16,117	16,314	16,464	17,120	17,355	17,498
Growing of rubber	3,910	4,209	3,718	3,935	4,467	3,567	3,871	5,517	6,544	6,180	5,050	5,005	5,976	5,469	5,000	6,486
Growing of other perennial crops	6,124	7,242	7,081	7,108	7,276	6,832	9,578	8,859	4,126	4,096	4,051	4,107	4,015	4,124	4,240	4,302
Animal production	30,343	30,422	35,414	38,116	32,679	25,991	40,304	40,987	15,066	15,430	16,767	17,481	15,066	12,471	17,083	16,947
Plant propagation and agricultural supporting activities	3,378	3,398	3,317	3,263	3,185	3,308	3,419	3,266	2,043	2,140	2,089	2,133	2,007	2,116	2,123	2,116
Forestry and logging	24,159	26,084	32,498	24,461	22,986	19,579	32,054	31,142	13,677	14,552	17,541	13,076	11,832	10,569	16,055	15,610
Marine fishing and marine aquaculture	41,509	40,674	45,879	41,914	40,661	29,554	38,471	26,724	26,163	23,336	23,178	23,911	23,844	14,093	20,310	17,346
Fresh water fishing and fresh water aquaculture	5,828	6,888	7,099	7,198	5,652	7,960	9,327	7,764	3,866	3,856	4,760	4,315	3,308	4,282	5,742	5,597
<b>Industries</b>	<b>1,165,271</b>	<b>926,705</b>	<b>1,067,249</b>	<b>954,877</b>	<b>1,080,484</b>	<b>735,174</b>	<b>1,121,034</b>	<b>993,351</b>	<b>736,996</b>	<b>581,947</b>	<b>667,693</b>	<b>621,575</b>	<b>678,980</b>	<b>447,448</b>	<b>671,488</b>	<b>629,928</b>
Mining and quarrying	101,257	89,513	90,503	93,658	84,651	64,174	83,844	96,665	62,727	55,541	55,925	57,700	51,233	39,748	51,928	59,965
Manufacture of food, beverages & tobacco products	271,234	187,171	239,600	199,824	279,559	190,872	269,656	205,570	169,694	115,379	153,505	136,310	175,101	115,743	171,835	137,223
Manufacture of textiles, wearing apparel and leather related products	253,608	138,702	232,513	102,561	224,233	88,426	264,220	109,468	114,329	61,584	105,972	44,917	100,513	35,444	108,219	43,667
Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture	8,820	2,947	5,939	9,993	9,343	2,096	5,525	8,830	10,472	3,284	6,559	10,862	10,734	2,121	6,168	9,701
Manufacture of paper products, printing and reproduction of media products	22,003	11,919	11,718	17,536	20,051	9,573	11,953	17,298	11,484	5,616	5,302	8,402	10,858	4,511	5,945	8,780
Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	23,298	22,250	18,009	20,360	20,671	14,820	11,233	16,335	14,001	5,572	7,150	6,970	11,313	4,158	6,704	7,851
Manufacture of chemical products and basic pharmaceutical products	24,973	32,774	27,399	29,932	24,171	29,608	29,529	31,121	23,740	27,992	22,977	25,802	21,578	24,739	26,257	28,738
Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	14,611	30,992	26,658	29,637	13,838	20,271	31,669	30,211	11,821	25,154	22,333	23,701	10,254	14,301	22,962	20,816
Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	42,128	41,757	37,048	45,430	40,069	31,082	35,400	49,030	21,592	20,988	18,399	24,362	20,628	15,949	18,455	26,813
Manufacture of basic metals and fabricated metal products	21,477	10,260	15,229	21,952	22,668	6,818	15,453	21,837	14,824	6,611	9,925	14,967	16,459	4,721	9,452	14,385
Manufacture of machinery and equipment	18,585	11,927	17,329	25,515	20,450	9,673	20,489	28,322	14,578	8,487	12,271	17,243	14,231	6,129	12,324	18,600
Manufacture of furniture	19,425	16,761	13,937	15,175	20,081	11,940	15,012	17,816	32,824	24,915	18,447	24,612	29,354	15,434	17,261	25,250
Other manufacturing, and repair and installation of machinery and equipment	16,634	15,179	18,821	15,290	18,315	13,560	20,354	17,852	20,194	16,409	23,360	15,076	19,446	12,280	22,240	15,658
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	27,149	30,224	30,919	30,361	27,114	28,669	31,156	29,771	25,616	26,612	26,507	25,701	26,161	23,824	27,012	25,761
Water collection, treatment and supply	4,730	5,091	5,470	4,384	4,377	5,150	5,191	4,570	3,712	3,835	3,840	3,753	3,894	3,973	3,994	4,006
Sewerage, waste, treatment and disposal activities	5,561	5,574	5,630	5,581	5,660	5,533	6,188	5,185	8,119	8,134	8,198	7,953	8,038	8,103	8,589	7,347
Construction	289,780	273,664	270,527	287,688	245,233	202,910	264,161	303,468	177,270	165,834	167,023	173,245	149,185	116,268	152,144	175,366
<b>Services</b>	<b>2,053,835</b>	<b>2,131,129</b>	<b>2,236,387</b>	<b>2,301,884</b>	<b>2,255,258</b>	<b>1,864,427</b>	<b>2,342,509</b>	<b>2,471,543</b>	<b>1,331,515</b>	<b>1,393,506</b>	<b>1,449,900</b>	<b>1,503,564</b>	<b>1,370,408</b>	<b>1,213,373</b>	<b>1,480,253</b>	<b>1,531,434</b>
Wholesale and retail trade	405,269	450,610	405,873	386,219	443,411	464,982	442,627	396,617	270,267	290,355	265,955	245,270	281,730	285,602	273,554	246,051
Transportation of goods and passengers including warehousing	375,217	356,930	478,711	504,608	385,143	243,092	481,906	506,720	233,060	209,943	282,248	323,574	233,145	134,255	284,843	326,212
Postal and courier activities	1,375	1,432	1,257	1,525	1,506	1,378	1,300	1,576	1,184	1,063	1,122	1,383	1,276	1,052	1,201	1,446
Accommodation, food and beverage service activities	61,069	52,412	55,419	58,331	60,065	19,979	32,880	30,914	40,628	34,123	35,688	37,232	37,749	12,437	20,321	18,945
Programming and broadcasting activities and audio video productions	993	1,110	942	1,054	966	1,062	973	1,035	622	715	584	719	651	687	632	733
Telecommunication	21,239	21,220	23,776	22,923	24,549	23,707	25,208	25,420	12,381	14,192	12,180	14,942	14,339	16,491	13,561	17,599
IT programming consultancy and related activities	5,842	6,771	7,083	6,519	6,610	7,558	7,637	8,342	3,893	4,417	4,566	4,168	4,168	4,723	4,733	5,127
Financial service activities and auxiliary financial services	141,137	149,564	162,850	168,847	167,262	157,936	182,463	214,230	145,509	206,126	177,290	172,965	153,834	225,186	200,968	198,269
Insurance, reinsurance and pension funding	38,163	40,800	34,708	52,644	49,158	51,105	40,330	65,695	19,699	21,639	44,745	31,363	19,891	19,979	47,294	30,969
Real estate activities, including ownership of dwelling	217,627	218,657	225,993	229,179	240,179	190,489	243,229	246,985	144,950	142,506	145,692	146,454	151,436	118,914	150,681	151,767
Professional services	62,705	63,867	65,847	68,317	66,980	56,980	69,494	71,770	41,775	41,649	42,425	43,674	42,202	35,582	43,027	44,139
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	206,463	234,424	218,974	237,282	232,567	201,509	231,315	280,185	97,733	103,239	109,769	126,326	98,360	104,301	111,236	130,063
Education	73,264	79,658	92,184	91,020	88,350	77,327	91,925	113,754	46,439	41,643	44,678	52,356	48,698	42,737	42,702	52,575
Human health activities, residential care and social work activities	82,637	92,326	98,711	85,273	96,637	103,988	103,428	109,429	32,615	50,050	43,360	56,752	33,235	52,097	45,738	59,636
Other personal service activities	360,836	361,347	364,061	388,145	391,874	263,336	387,793	398,869	240,760	231,848	239,598	246,386	249,695	159,329	239,762	247,902
<b>Equals Gross Value Added (GVA), at basic price</b>	<b>3,474,450</b>	<b>3,322,762</b>	<b>3,578,516</b>	<b>3,593,674</b>	<b>3,614,757</b>	<b>2,877,601</b>	<b>3,785,574</b>	<b>3,837,770</b>	<b>2,233,049</b>	<b>2,141,297</b>	<b>2,288,153</b>	<b>2,310,608</b>	<b>2,203,208</b>	<b>1,813,123</b>	<b>2,327,582</b>	<b>2,349,201</b>
(+) Taxes less Subsidies on Products	283,710	266,826	250,363	242,652	229,323	129,745	301,575	196,652	103,342	171,231	215,103	420,566	92,224	119,196	208,909	417,163
<b>Equals Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at market price</b>	<b>3,758,160</b>	<b>3,589,587</b>	<b>3,828,879</b>	<b>3,836,327</b>	<b>3,844,079</b>	<b>3,007,345</b>	<b>4,087,148</b>	<b>4,034,422</b>	<b>2,336,391</b>	<b>2,312,528</b>	<b>2,503,257</b>	<b>2,731,174</b>	<b>2,295,432</b>	<b>1,932,319</b>	<b>2,536,490</b>	<b>2,766,364</b>

**PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT**

**TABLE 2**

**Agricultural Production Indices**

2007 - 2010 = 100 (a)

Year	Overall Index (b)	Plantation	Tea	Rubber	Coconut	Paddy (c)	Other Field Crops (c)	Vegetable (c)	Livestock (d)	Fish
2018	126.2	88.0	97.5	61.5	92.6	105.1	134.2	145.3	176.4	158.0
2019 (e)	126.0	91.9	96.3	55.7	108.9	122.8	118.9	123.0	180.5	151.6
2020 (f)	129.0	85.9	89.5	58.3	98.6	136.9	141.1	142.7	169.5	128.5
2018 (e) 3rd Qtr		86.4	82.9	61.6	97.5					157.4
4th Qtr		98.2	103.1	64.8	100.4	82.0	92.1	120.2		169.5
2019 (e) 1st Qtr		96.9	93.7	64.0	109.8					159.5
2nd Qtr		105.4	109.0	60.5	112.6	164.3	151.3	139.5		145.6
3rd Qtr		95.8	93.8	49.4	110.6					149.8
4th Qtr		88.4	85.6	49.0	102.5	81.3	86.3	106.5		151.5
2020 (f) 1st Qtr		77.5	68.3	58.5	94.7					144.5
2nd Qtr		92.0	96.9	53.5	95.9	171.0	168.6	150.1		100.9
3rd Qtr		93.0	90.9	55.1	105.7					141.6
4th Qtr		94.7	98.5	63.5	97.7	102.9	113.6	135.2		127.0

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

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

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

(e) Revised

(f) Provisional

**PRODUCTION, RAINFALL, INPUTS AND INVESTMENT**

**TABLE 3**

**Production of Tea, Rubber and Coconut**

Period	Tea (mn kg)				Rubber (mn kg)				Coconut (mn nuts)				
	High Grown	Medium Grown	Low Grown	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other	Total	Local Consumption	Desiccated Coconut	Coco-nut Oil	Other	Total (a)
2018	65.0	47.1	191.8	303.9	41.3	14.5	26.8	82.6	1,793.8	221.6	63.4	540.9	2,623.1
2019 (b)	63.1	47.2	189.9	300.1	37.4	14.4	22.9	74.8	1,806.9	386.6	252.5	637.7	3,085.6
2020 (c)	62.2	46.7	169.9	278.9	39.1	13.0	26.1	78.2	1,826.2	226.3	47.9	689.9	2,792.2
2019 (b) 1st Qtr	14.6	11.4	46.9	73.0	10.7	5.4	5.3	21.5	451.0	96.4	65.2	164.9	777.4
2nd Qtr	19.7	13.9	51.3	84.9	10.1	3.7	6.4	20.3	451.8	96.7	92.4	156.6	797.5
3rd Qtr	13.8	10.7	48.5	73.1	8.3	2.8	5.5	16.6	452.4	115.9	62.9	151.7	782.9
4th Qtr	14.3	10.3	42.1	66.7	8.2	2.5	5.7	16.4	451.6	77.6	32.0	164.6	725.8
2020 (c) 1st Qtr	13.1	9.6	31.0	53.7	9.8	3.6	6.2	19.6	455.8	58.2	9.7	146.9	670.6
2nd Qtr	18.3	13.4	44.9	76.6	9.0	3.2	5.8	17.9	458.4	52.4	23.5	144.6	678.9
3rd Qtr	14.2	11.2	45.6	71.0	9.7	3.0	6.7	19.4	455.5	67.7	8.0	217.2	748.4
4th Qtr	16.6	12.4	48.3	77.2	10.6	3.2	7.4	21.3	456.4	48.0	6.7	181.1	692.3
2020 (c) Feb	4.5	3.4	10.3	18.2	3.3	1.4	1.9	6.6	151.7	21.5	2.8	50.9	226.9
Mar	3.4	2.7	7.4	13.5	3.1	0.8	2.3	6.2	151.8	12.0	1.5	44.3	209.5
Apr	4.2	3.0	13.6	20.7	2.9	0.9	2.0	5.7	153.5	6.3	15.9	29.4	205.0
May	6.8	6.0	15.8	28.6	3.0	1.0	2.1	6.1	152.9	19.5	6.0	49.4	227.8
Jun	7.4	4.5	15.5	27.4	3.1	1.4	1.7	6.1	152.0	26.6	1.6	65.9	246.1
Jul	5.9	4.3	16.3	26.5	3.2	1.1	2.1	6.4	151.5	26.5	0.8	75.4	254.1
Aug	4.1	3.4	14.9	22.5	3.1	0.8	2.3	6.2	151.8	20.3	3.2	69.3	244.6
Sep	4.2	3.5	14.3	22.0	3.4	1.1	2.3	6.7	152.2	21.0	4.0	72.5	249.7
Oct	4.6	3.6	15.7	23.8	3.4	0.9	2.5	6.8	151.6	14.6	3.2	66.8	236.1
Nov	5.5	4.1	15.2	24.9	3.6	1.0	2.6	7.1	152.1	12.7	2.8	60.0	227.5
Dec	6.5	4.7	17.3	28.5	3.7	1.3	2.4	7.4	152.8	20.7	0.8	54.3	228.6
2021 (c) Jan	4.8	3.3	14.9	23.0	3.9	1.4	2.5	7.8	153.0	24.0	5.5	47.1	229.7
Feb	4.6	3.6	14.2	22.4	3.7	1.1	2.6	7.3	152.7	13.8	6.6	54.3	227.5

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

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

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional



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**TABLE 4**

**Paddy Production**

Year	Maha				Yala				Total			
	Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Production (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)	Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Production (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)	Gross Extent Sown (ha. '000)	Net Extent Harvested (ha. '000)	Production (mt '000)	Yield per ha. (a) (kg.)
2013	780	665	2,846	4,281	448	403	1,774	4,408	1,227	1,067	4,621	4,329
2014	651	521	2,236	4,222	313	272	1,145	4,204	964	793	3,381	4,264
2015	773	659	2,877	4,364	481	429	1,942	4,527	1,253	1,088	4,819	4,428
2016	756	667	2,903	4,349	385	344	1,517	4,417	1,141	1,011	4,420	4,372
2017	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 (b)	752	663	3,197	4,821	456	403	1,924	4,770	1,208	1,066	5,121	4,802

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

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

(b) Provisional

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**TABLE 5**

**Rainfall and Rainy Days**

Area	2018	2019 (a)	2020 (b)	2019 (a)				2020 (b)			
				1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr
<b>Rainfall (mm)</b>											
Anuradhapura	1,451	1,324	1,262	88	160	178	899	61	368	254	580
Bandarawela	1,810	1,836	1,298	171	288	438	940	55	381	285	577
Colombo	2,562	2,865	2,084	214	578	1,034	1,039	157	525	811	591
Hambantota	814	1,734	718	106	159	653	816	52	162	324	179
Katugastota	2,029	1,543	1,496	79	323	335	807	84	554	449	410
Nuwara Eliya	2,173	1,954	1,566	115	268	638	934	87	464	594	421
Ratnapura	3,372	3,673	3,447	467	722	1,336	1,148	294	1,257	1,037	860
Trincomalee	2,031	1,526	1,497	143	49	264	1,089	61	57	308	1,071
<b>No. of Rainy Days</b>											
Anuradhapura	118	94	101	4	13	18	59	10	27	17	47
Bandarawela	160	159	137	23	31	36	69	16	35	36	50
Colombo	167	186	149	13	49	63	61	11	48	47	43
Hambantota	96	136	96	10	24	53	49	9	23	38	26
Katugastota	181	150	158	14	34	48	54	12	49	50	47
Nuwara Eliya	192	167	178	16	35	54	62	16	46	63	53
Ratnapura	222	219	215	26	56	67	70	26	65	64	60
Trincomalee	109	86	89	7	4	22	53	7	10	18	54

(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) (c)	Selected Industrial Exports (US \$ mn) (d)	
		Small Industry	Medium Industry	Large Industry			
2018	106.7	327.4	2,052.2	1,918.8	657.6	8,636.2	
2019 (e)	108.1	350.4	2,095.5	1,946.3	741.5	8,905.2	
2020 (e)	97.1	350.1	1,998.0	1,814.6	822.6	7,328.1	
2019 (e)	1st Quarter	109.9	86.2	523.8	484.5	212.4	2,370.3
	2nd Quarter	103.5	89.7	497.7	463.4	218.7	2,116.3
	3rd Quarter	109.3	91.4	540.1	509.4	192.2	2,223.2
	4th Quarter	109.8	83.2	533.9	489.0	118.2	2,195.3
2020 (e)	1st Quarter	98.8	77.0	490.1	453.2	260.6	1,956.4
	2nd Quarter	73.9	87.8	419.9	350.5	180.4	1,181.2
	3rd Quarter	107.5	95.1	547.3	511.7	175.2	2,245.5
	4th Quarter	108.3	90.2	540.7	499.2	206.4	1,944.9
2020 (e)	February	104.2	30.7	173.7	162.6	86.8	732.2
	March	84.1	18.6	136.1	123.4	82.9	494.5
	April	50.0	11.5	92.9	66.5	57.3	146.2
	May	79.2	40.6	150.7	125.0	65.0	390.4
	June	92.5	35.6	176.3	159.0	58.1	644.6
	July	111.3	31.8	189.1	173.1	79.8	792.7
	August	102.3	31.8	176.3	165.4	51.9	707.0
	September	108.8	31.5	181.9	173.2	43.4	745.8
	October	107.8	31.5	178.7	167.4	28.4	608.9
	November	106.9	29.3	174.8	160.9	88.4	611.6
	December	110.3	29.3	187.2	170.9	89.6	724.3
	2021 (e)	January	108.3	24.7	185.3	176.2	74.4
February		99.2	26.4	179.5	166.6	81.9	717.6

(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 42 kVA, medium industry as supply of electricity at 400/230 volts and contract demand is equal or more than 42 kVA and large industry as supply of electricity at 11 kVA and above.

(2) Figures include electricity consumption of hotels.

(c) Sales other than to Ceylon Electricity Board.

(d) Excluding petroleum exports.

(e) Provisional

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

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**TABLE 7**

**Index of Industrial Production for Major Divisions**

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
2018	106.7	106.1	99.8	92.7	115.1	97.5	92.7	112.0	108.9	128.3	110.2	81.8	86.8
2019 (a)	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 (a)	97.1	109.1	96.5	72.1	81.2	97.2	94.2	75.8	111.7	110.0	102.2	67.5	81.8
2019 (a) 1st Quarter	109.9	105.0	106.8	88.7	119.9	110.1	101.8	121.0	119.8	124.4	104.7	83.6	88.2
2nd Quarter	103.5	101.6	105.9	74.1	114.7	96.8	101.5	101.3	106.6	116.2	101.5	91.6	98.9
3rd Quarter	109.3	107.0	98.9	82.8	114.7	117.4	99.5	94.7	129.4	126.0	119.3	85.4	100.8
4th Quarter	109.8	108.8	102.2	78.5	119.5	103.0	105.9	108.5	115.5	130.0	107.8	87.0	98.8
2020 (b) 1st Quarter	98.8	107.7	97.8	63.3	91.7	87.4	83.3	86.9	118.6	129.8	78.7	77.7	78.8
2nd Quarter	73.9	105.9	64.0	65.1	43.8	77.5	74.3	33.1	66.6	58.9	76.1	43.3	53.7
3rd Quarter	107.5	110.5	116.3	92.4	88.1	109.2	120.5	93.4	130.2	135.0	133.6	72.5	98.1
4th Quarter	108.3	112.4	108.0	67.7	101.0	114.7	98.7	89.9	131.5	119.2	120.5	76.8	96.4
2020 (b) February	104.2	105.4	106.2	66.8	101.2	106.7	85.9	98.7	130.2	134.5	82.0	84.6	89.0
March	84.1	105.0	78.8	54.1	70.6	62.0	79.3	54.4	96.3	106.4	46.1	70.0	52.9
April	50.0	97.1	26.3	26.2	11.4	63.0	35.4	12.6	27.9	13.8	13.1	32.6	28.5
May	79.2	114.4	53.6	77.5	48.4	91.7	73.8	31.6	69.3	77.4	85.6	35.1	51.5
June	92.5	106.2	112.0	91.5	71.5	77.9	113.8	55.3	102.5	85.4	129.5	62.2	81.1
July	111.3	117.8	123.9	88.8	93.8	97.7	120.1	98.5	131.9	120.8	134.1	71.2	106.2
August	102.3	107.0	109.9	87.7	78.2	112.2	117.5	94.2	126.9	132.4	127.0	70.6	80.0
September	108.8	106.6	115.2	100.6	92.1	117.6	123.8	87.4	132.0	151.7	139.6	75.6	108.1
October	107.8	114.6	94.4	60.1	99.1	119.2	126.8	86.9	129.5	66.7	121.0	74.2	93.5
November	106.9	109.5	108.7	76.2	103.5	109.2	82.4	89.4	125.8	133.1	128.2	67.5	87.3
December	110.3	113.0	120.9	66.9	100.6	115.8	87.1	93.5	139.1	157.7	112.4	88.6	108.5
2021 (b) January	108.3	100.3	104.1	76.9	108.9	106.5	82.3	105.0	132.3	132.7	142.3	92.5	133.1
February	99.2	100.4	115.3	69.7	102.1	45.8	72.8	83.5	127.4	152.1	114.3	96.6	109.1

(a) Revised  
(b) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

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TABLE 8

Investments, Exports and Commercial Operations of BOI Enterprises<sup>(a)(b)</sup>

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			
2018 (c)	117	88	179,937	65,824	380,546	184,223	2,096	1,310,222	
2019 (c)	130	105	4,581,836	747,608	4,724,961	865,862	2,155	1,495,110	
2020 (c)	145	117	290,786	123,351	502,596	366,838	2,181.00	1,255,495	
2019 (c)	1st Quarter	41	36	739,651	708,704	772,551	747,498	2,117	407,920
	2nd Quarter	27	22	3,792,383	4,898	3,813,100	25,477	2,154	345,565
	3rd Quarter	27	25	18,277	22,957	48,627	57,101	2,139	362,052
	4th Quarter	35	22	31,525	11,048	90,684	35,786	2,155	379,573
2020 (c)	1st Quarter	29	42	7,962	31,427	76,067	102,594	2,117	326,022
	2nd Quarter	56	23	4,679	14,125	112,238	109,389	2,155	206,717
	3rd Quarter	35	35	78,951	18,214	96,874	44,922	2,161	381,796
	4th Quarter	25	17	199,194	59,585	217,416	109,932	2,181	340,960
2020 (c)	February	16	17	3,036	320	57,417	51,764	2,128	124,813
	March	4	10	204	3,888	9,001	8,766	2,117	78,444
	April	16	1	1,871	931	43,746	931	2,126	27,237
	May	25	7	978	10,950	61,360	20,774	2,111	67,996
	June	15	15	1,831	2,244	7,132	87,685	2,155	111,484
	July	13	16	73,545	121	76,966	17,399	2,154	137,617
	August	11	13	3,948	18,093	7,717	20,682	2,154	122,373
	September	11	6	1,458	0	12,192	6,773	2,161	121,806
	October	9	3	6,189	4,073	8,163	7,735	2,170	117,172
	November	11	9	16,221	55,400	27,540	100,782	2,171	95,031
	December	5	5	176,784	112	181,714	1,416	2,181	128,757
2021 (c)	January	11	9	2,817	1,435	10,577	5,259	2,189	123,256
	February	9	8	703	236	10,453	1,796	2,207	129,163

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

(b) Includes expanded projects.

(c) Provisional

Source : Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 9

Telecommunication Services

Period	Wireline Telephones in Services	Fixed Access CDMA & Wireless Local Loop Phones	Telephone Density - Fixed lines (Telephones per 100 persons)	Cellular Mobile Telephones	Telephone Density - including Cellular (Telephones per 100 persons)	Internet Connections (a)	Public Payphone Booths
2018	1,215,967	1,268,649	11.47	32,528,104	161.57	10,562,675	2,135
2019 (b)	1,244,549	1,055,218	10.55	32,884,099	161.37	13,408,403	476
2020 (c)	1,246,045	1,367,095	11.92	28,739,277	143.04	17,524,048	461
2019 (b) 1st Quarter	1,223,773	1,143,454	10.86	32,567,721	160.23	11,120,788	5,133
2nd Quarter	1,229,461	1,125,475	10.80	32,723,283	160.89	11,991,333	660
3rd Quarter	1,240,199	1,083,867	10.66	33,463,471	164.14	12,592,139	666
4th Quarter	1,244,549	1,055,218	10.55	32,884,099	161.37	13,408,403	476
2020 (c) 1st Quarter	1,251,922	1,073,488	10.61	31,875,797	156.03	13,078,980	481
2nd Quarter	1,253,837	1,074,245	10.62	27,678,977	136.90	13,295,306	469
3rd Quarter	1,240,045	1,080,583	10.59	26,852,718	133.10	16,580,400	469
4th Quarter	1,246,045	1,367,095	11.92	28,739,277	143.04	17,524,048	461

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

Source : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 10

Electricity Generation and Petroleum Imports

Period	Electricity					Petroleum				LPG Local Production (MT)	
	Installed Capacity (MW)	Units Generated (Gwh)				Crude Oil Imports (MT)	Refined Products Imports (MT)				
		Hydro (a)	Fuel Oil	Coal	NCRE (b)		Total	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene	Avtur
2018	4,088	5,149	3,626	4,764	1,715	15,254	1,674,313	1,186,013	1,477,081	—	22,084
2019	4,213	3,784	5,016	5,361	1,761	15,922	1,842,197	1,174,134	1,608,868	—	26,988
2020 (c)	4,265	3,911	4,182	5,754	1,866	15,714	1,666,807	1,034,772	1,307,157	—	25,251
2019 1st Qtr	4,085	847	1,488	1,319	278	3,933	460,672	265,436	417,879	—	7,527
2nd Qtr	4,281	510	1,608	1,541	389	4,049	460,047	284,274	397,773	—	5,737
3rd Qtr	4,286	791	1,326	1,400	540	4,057	460,987	321,029	422,847	—	7,234
4th Qtr	4,213	1,636	594	1,100	554	3,883	460,491	303,395	370,369	—	6,490
2020 (c) 1st Qtr	4,233	784	1,454	1,440	309	3,987	464,120	294,677	419,861	—	5,649
2nd Qtr	4,305	818	854	1,521	452	3,645	265,038	165,918	137,830	—	5,416
3rd Qtr	4,280	1,164	857	1,525	571	4,117	567,595	306,774	399,475	—	6,824
4th Qtr	4,265	1,145	1,017	1,268	534	3,964	370,054	267,404	349,991	—	7,362
2020 (c) February	4,233	228	527	469	106	1,330	188,513	90,414	179,966	—	2,659
March	4,233	176	438	595	73	1,282	188,705	85,183	199,644	—	634
April	4,233	182	311	471	75	1,039	94,848	71,261	80,495	—	1,528
May	4,277	295	260	525	186	1,266	79,091	—	39,974	—	1,992
June	4,305	341	283	524	192	1,340	91,099	94,657	17,361	—	1,896
July	4,317	251	379	598	175	1,403	189,475	89,172	136,286	—	2,091
August	4,275	468	312	401	190	1,371	189,575	125,414	131,798	—	2,350
September	4,280	445	166	526	206	1,343	188,545	92,188	131,391	—	2,383
October	4,282	488	124	565	195	1,373	87,426	97,017	202,732	—	2,212
November	4,290	366	397	325	170	1,258	186,808	88,078	20,449	—	2,365
December	4,265	290	496	378	170	1,333	95,820	82,309	126,810	—	2,785
2021 (c) January	4,260	238	343	584	169	1,334	182,527	103,724	103,717	—	2,566
February	4,261	212	379	542	132	1,265	91,306	88,767	189,050	—	1,110

(a) Excluding mini hydro power plants

(b) Refers to Non-Conventional Renewable Energy including mini hydro and from 2019 onwards it includes rooftop solar generation.

(c) Provisional

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board  
Ceylon Petroleum Corporation  
Lanka IOC PLC

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TABLE 11

## Passenger Transportation and Port Operations

Period	Sri Lanka Transport Board		Sri Lanka Railways				Port Services (a)						
	Operated kms.'000	Passenger kms.'000	Operated kms.'000	Passenger kms.'000	Cargo Tonnes kms.'000	No. of Ship Arrivals	Container Throughput (TEUs)				Total Cargo		
							Domestic (Imp.+ Exp.)	Trans-shipment	Re-stowing	Total	Discharged MT '000	Loaded MT '000	
2018	446,288	15,575,094	11,454	7,696,574	127,360	4,874	1,343,249	5,602,358	101,879	7,047,486	61,298	43,636	
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 (b)	308,775	9,725,465	8,362	3,905,555	114,366	4,337	1,089,669	5,613,461	151,632	6,854,762	59,465	43,443	
2019	1st Quarter	110,037	3,764,240	2,960	1,911,473	30,555	1,182	314,754	1,440,029	35,965	1,790,748	15,781	11,211
	2nd Quarter	103,284	3,345,500	2,818	1,682,410	30,597	1,150	311,103	1,447,087	42,457	1,800,647	15,335	11,522
	3rd Quarter	110,260	3,689,041	2,850	1,933,690	29,226	1,182	317,585	1,479,126	39,712	1,836,423	15,491	11,239
	4th Quarter	107,723	3,547,472	3,006	1,781,990	25,239	1,194	329,890	1,435,818	34,811	1,800,519	15,326	11,074
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	93,992 (c)	3,220,643 (c)	2,817	1,751,091	29,081	1,203	311,313	1,459,774	32,812	1,803,899	15,803	11,450
	2nd Quarter	43,247 (c)	1,043,826 (c)	926	305,967	21,473	969	206,482	1,234,511	34,089	1,475,082	11,736	9,176
	3rd Quarter	34,503 (c)	2,935,689 (c)	3,123	1,369,505	32,909	1,149	288,501	1,581,962	40,374	1,910,837	16,437	12,077
	4th Quarter	22,675 (c)	2,525,308 (c)	1,496	478,991	30,904	1,016	283,373	1,337,214	44,357	1,664,944	15,453	10,780
2020 (b)	February	34,742 (c)	1,208,807 (c)	1,037	639,502	10,358	401	101,265	457,738	10,105	569,108	5,046	3,625
	March	21,951 (c)	755,667 (c)	677	448,520	7,373	386	94,566	501,478	9,358	605,402	5,426	3,806
	April	4,898 (c)	57,057 (c)	26	12	3,852	317	62,357	375,241	8,969	446,567	3,490	2,822
	May	11,124 (c)	283,927 (c)	99	4,640	7,916	325	70,796	407,139	10,648	488,583	3,884	2,967
	June	27,225 (c)	702,841 (c)	801	301,315	9,705	327	73,329	452,131	14,472	539,932	4,361	3,387
	July	34,432 (c)	927,338 (c)	1,043	411,915	11,565	391	86,709	519,116	12,716	618,541	5,407	3,910
	August	34,035 (c)	990,514 (c)	1,035	405,892	10,580	362	98,236	535,162	14,536	647,934	5,613	4,011
	September	35,042 (c)	1,017,837 (c)	1,044	551,698	10,764	396	103,556	527,684	13,122	644,362	5,454	4,118
	October	26,046 (c)	855,981 (c)	872	273,066	10,533	373	94,685	499,886	15,510	610,081	5,638	3,767
	November	15,417 (c)	666,240 (c)	241	33,135	10,029	306	84,214	394,737	12,885	491,836	4,564	3,233
	December	26,564 (c)	1,003,087 (c)	384	172,791	10,342	337	104,474	442,591	15,962	563,027	5,251	3,779
2021 (b)	January	27,859 (c)	832,387 (c)	1,003 (c)	643,170 (c)	10,465 (c)	364	106,405	453,994	11,490	571,889	5,222	3,746
	February	28,698 (c)	1,072,896 (c)	1,007 (c)	619,507 (c)	10,275 (c)	331	91,473	440,772	17,503	549,748	5,083	3,484

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

(b) Provisional

(c) Estimates

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

TEUs = Twenty-foot Equivalent Container Units

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TABLE 12

New Registration of Motor Vehicles

Period	Passenger Transport					Goods Transport		Land Vehicles			Total (c)
	Buses	Motor Cars	Three Wheelers	Dual Purpose (a)	Motor Cycles	Lorries	Others (b)	Tractors	Hand Tractors	Other Land Vehicles	
2018	2,957	80,776	20,063	16,931	339,763	7,055	2,316	5,048	2,412	2,822	480,799
2019	1,613	38,232	15,490	13,459	284,301	3,738	1,485	3,479	2,217	1,970	367,303
2020 (d)	578	21,021	7,150	9,532	151,634	3,000	941	4,482	1,543	2,277	202,628
2019											
1st Qtr	401	11,179	5,635	3,543	78,936	1,196	662	746	702	597	103,671
2nd Qtr	244	7,060	3,044	2,667	72,467	810	265	844	529	451	88,770
3rd Qtr	454	10,335	3,465	3,723	72,325	963	240	656	443	563	93,685
4th Qtr	514	9,658	3,346	3,526	60,573	769	318	1,233	543	359	81,177
2020											
1st Qtr	295	8,602	4,012	3,831	61,186	762	286	545	244	635	80,649
2nd Qtr	63	6,106	1,964	2,661	37,324	544	133	703	204	368	50,166
3rd Qtr	149	5,340	1,064	2,600	45,889	1,081	296	1,580	600	911	59,627
4th Qtr	71	973	110	440	7,235	613	226	1,654	495	363	12,186
2020 (d)											
February	113	3,139	1,539	1,557	24,375	306	125	233	81	244	31,801
March	43	1,710	786	700	9,908	145	62	116	26	116	13,653
April	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	27	2,929	812	1,045	11,942	138	38	313	56	59	17,408
June	36	3,177	1,152	1,616	25,382	406	95	390	148	309	32,758
July	47	2,688	698	1,351	22,725	446	103	395	274	390	29,176
August	40	1,611	234	767	14,035	331	51	428	137	272	17,938
September	62	1,041	132	482	9,129	304	142	757	189	249	12,513
October	16	279	57	157	3,137	124	48	349	89	54	4,315
November	20	254	29	123	1,856	180	62	289	158	69	3,041
December	35	440	24	160	2,242	309	116	1,016	248	240	4,830
2021 (d)											
January	25	369	22	141	1,255	303	133	505	93	504	3,350
February	86	516	17	108	1,278	266	178	496	220	496	3,661

(a) Including single cabs.

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

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

(d) Provisional

Source : Department of Motor Traffic

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TABLE 13

Greater Colombo Housing Approval Index<sup>(a)</sup>

(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
2018	783	3,640	7,128	11,551	22.6	88.9	229.9	108.4	880	44.6	12,431	98.4
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
2018												
1st Quarter	182	909	1,821	2,912	23.2	93.1	243.1	116.1	231	46.3	3,143	104.5
2nd Quarter	143	760	1,562	2,465	18.3	77.9	208.5	98.3	136	27.3	2,601	86.5
3rd Quarter	234	1,016	1,917	3,167	29.9	104.1	255.9	126.3	262	52.5	3,429	114.0
4th Quarter	224	955	1,828	3,007	28.6	97.8	244.1	119.9	251	50.3	3,258	108.3
2019												
1st Quarter	180	899	1,606	2,685	23.0	92.1	214.4	107.1	228	45.7	2,913	96.9
2nd Quarter	148	903	1,440	2,491	18.9	92.5	192.3	99.3	210	42.1	2,701	89.8
3rd Quarter	250	1,010	1,832	3,092	31.9	103.5	244.6	123.3	260	52.1	3,352	111.5
4th Quarter	185	902	1,665	2,752	23.6	92.4	222.3	109.7	194	38.9	2,946	98.0
2020												
1st Quarter	137	657	1,287	2,081	17.5	67.3	171.8	83.0	158	31.7	2,239	74.5
2nd Quarter	71	319	631	1,021	9.1	32.7	84.2	40.7	54	10.8	1,075	35.7
3rd Quarter	187	870	1,928	2,985	23.9	89.1	257.4	119.0	459	92.0	3,444	114.5
4th Quarter	158	577	1,207	1,942	20.2	59.1	161.1	77.4	269	53.9	2,211	73.5

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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



National Consumer Price Index (NCPI)<sup>(a)</sup>

Base 2013 = 100

Period (b)		Commodities and Weights												
		All Items	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	Furnishing, H/H Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants and Hotels	Miscellaneous Goods and Services
Weights		(100%)	(44.0%)	(2.3%)	(3.4%)	(18.0%)	(3.3%)	(4.1%)	(9.8%)	(2.3%)	(1.6%)	(2.8%)	(3.9%)	(4.5%)
2018	Average	125.2	126.8	183.4	122.8	117.3	124.0	151.3	112.0	119.7	115.7	127.0	114.6	133.8
2019	"	129.6	127.6	200.6	128.6	126.7	129.3	162.3	116.4	110.3	123.3	137.1	119.1	141.5
2020	"	137.6	143.1	214.4	132.2	127.7	130.6	162.2	119.3	98.9	124.9	143.7	122.0	144.2
2019	1st Quarter	126.8	123.4	192.9	126.4	126.5	127.8	160.6	113.7	111.3	120.6	134.3	118.2	138.5
	2nd Quarter	128.4	124.6	204.1	128.3	126.6	129.1	162.6	116.7	111.3	122.4	137.0	118.9	142.0
	3rd Quarter	129.9	127.4	202.3	129.3	126.9	129.8	163.4	117.8	111.3	125.0	137.8	119.7	142.5
	4th Quarter	133.3	135.1	202.9	130.4	126.7	130.3	162.6	117.6	107.2	125.1	139.3	119.7	142.9
2020	1st Quarter	136.4	141.5	208.5	131.2	127.8	130.3	162.9	117.8	98.9	125.1	143.7	120.2	142.9
	2nd Quarter	135.8	139.9	206.8	131.6	127.7	130.4	163.6	118.3	98.9	124.7	143.7	120.4	143.9
	3rd Quarter	138.0	143.8	219.6	132.8	127.6	130.7	162.0	119.0	98.9	124.7	143.7	123.4	144.4
	4th Quarter	140.0	147.4	222.8	133.4	127.7	131.0	160.4	122.1	98.9	125.1	143.6	123.9	145.6
2020	February	137.0	142.9	208.0	131.2	127.8	130.3	162.6	117.8	98.9	125.1	143.7	120.2	142.9
	March	135.2	138.5	211.1	131.4	127.8	130.3	163.5	117.9	98.9	125.1	143.7	120.2	142.9
	April	134.8	137.5	211.1	131.4	127.8	130.3	163.5	117.9	98.9	125.1	143.7	120.2	142.9
	May	135.4	139.0	204.9	131.4	127.8	130.4	163.5	118.3	98.9	124.6	143.7	120.2	144.5
	June	137.3	143.2	204.3	132.0	127.6	130.6	163.9	118.7	98.9	124.3	143.7	120.9	144.4
	July	137.3	142.8	207.1	132.3	127.6	130.5	165.4	118.7	98.9	124.3	143.7	122.9	143.9
	August	137.8	143.5	221.4	133.0	127.6	130.8	160.3	118.7	98.9	124.8	143.7	123.7	144.4
	September	138.9	145.1	230.4	133.1	127.6	130.9	160.3	119.6	98.9	125.1	143.6	123.7	144.9
	October	139.1	145.6	228.1	133.2	127.7	131.3	160.3	119.6	98.9	125.1	143.6	123.9	145.6
	November	139.8	146.7	223.4	133.4	127.7	130.9	160.3	122.6	98.9	125.1	143.6	123.9	145.6
	December	141.2	149.9	216.9	133.5	127.7	130.8	160.7	124.0	98.9	125.1	143.6	123.9	145.6
2021	January	142.1	151.4	214.5	133.9	127.9	132.8	163.6	124.3	98.9	125.1	143.9	123.9	145.8
	February	142.8	152.8	214.6	134.4	127.9	134.1	163.6	124.9	98.9	125.1	143.9	123.9	145.9

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

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

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

Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI)<sup>(a)</sup>

Base 2013 = 100

Period (b)		Commodities and Weights												
		All Items	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	Furnishing, H/H Equipment and Routine Maintenance of the House	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurants and Hotels	Miscellaneous Goods and Services
Weights		(100%)	(28.2%)	(1.0%)	(2.3%)	(32.0%)	(2.5%)	(4.4%)	(10.6%)	(3.3%)	(1.3%)	(5.9%)	(5.1%)	(3.3%)
2018	Average	124.1	131.8	193.5	134.9	111.4	127.2	158.2	105.8	118.0	112.9	140.6	127.8	139.4
2019	"	129.5	132.8	215.9	145.5	115.5	135.2	175.9	112.4	108.9	117.0	162.6	135.0	144.6
2020	"	135.4	147.9	223.5	153.2	117.8	134.3	173.9	117.2	97.3	117.5	168.9	138.5	148.0
2019	1st Quarter	126.9	127.8	206.5	142.3	115.7	134.3	173.2	107.5	109.7	115.3	161.1	132.5	140.4
	2nd Quarter	128.7	130.4	219.6	143.9	115.7	135.4	176.1	112.0	109.7	116.5	161.1	134.9	144.8
	3rd Quarter	130.4	133.6	218.7	147.0	115.7	135.5	177.9	115.3	109.7	118.0	162.6	136.3	146.4
	4th Quarter	131.8	139.4	218.9	148.7	115.1	135.5	176.4	114.7	106.6	118.3	165.6	136.3	146.7
2020	1st Quarter	134.2	144.8	220.8	150.5	117.8	135.3	174.1	115.7	97.3	118.0	169.0	137.5	146.8
	2nd Quarter	134.4	144.7	221.2	151.6	117.8	134.7	175.2	116.5	97.3	117.8	169.0	137.8	147.5
	3rd Quarter	135.7	149.1	223.0	154.6	117.7	133.4	174.1	117.2	97.3	116.5	168.9	139.0	148.3
	4th Quarter	137.2	153.1	229.0	156.3	117.7	133.8	172.1	119.2	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	149.4
2020	February	134.6	146.2	220.2	150.8	117.8	135.2	173.7	115.7	97.3	118.5	169.0	137.5	146.8
	March	133.4	141.6	222.2	151.1	117.8	135.1	175.0	116.2	97.3	118.5	169.0	137.5	146.8
	April	133.6	142.2	222.2	151.1	117.8	135.1	175.0	116.2	97.3	118.5	169.0	137.5	146.8
	May	134.2	144.1	221.5	151.1	117.8	135.2	175.0	116.5	97.3	118.8	169.0	137.5	148.0
	June	135.3	147.9	219.9	152.5	117.8	133.7	175.7	116.7	97.3	116.0	169.0	138.3	147.8
	July	135.4	148.0	219.2	153.7	117.7	133.2	178.1	117.0	97.3	115.6	169.0	138.3	148.0
	August	135.4	148.4	221.6	154.3	117.7	133.5	172.4	117.0	97.3	116.5	169.0	139.1	148.1
	September	136.3	150.8	228.1	155.8	117.7	133.5	171.7	117.6	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	148.9
	October	136.5	151.2	229.6	156.2	117.7	133.7	171.7	117.6	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	149.4
	November	137.1	153.0	228.7	156.2	117.7	133.7	171.7	119.0	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	149.4
	December	138.0	155.1	228.6	156.4	117.7	134.0	173.0	121.1	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	149.4
	2021	January	138.7	156.5	228.4	157.0	117.9	136.8	175.8	121.3	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6
February		139.1	157.7	228.6	157.8	118.0	137.3	175.8	121.7	97.3	117.5	168.8	139.6	150.2

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

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

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

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 16

Wholesale Price Index

1974 = 100

Period (a)	COMMODITY - WISE														SECTOR - WISE					
	All Items	Food	Alcoholic Drinks	Textile & Footwear	Paper Products	Chemicals & Chemical Products	Petroleum Products	Non-metallic Products	Metal Products	Transport Equipment	Electrical Appliances & Supplies	Machinery	Fuel & Light	Miscellaneous	No. I			No. II		
															Domestic	Imports	Exports	Consumer	Intermediate	Investment
Weights	(100.0)	(67.8)	(2.9)	(4.0)	(1.4)	(5.2)	(6.4)	(1.8)	(0.9)	(0.8)	(1.0)	(1.3)	(1.8)	(4.8)	(50.3)	(27.2)	(22.5)	(75.3)	(20.5)	(4.2)
2018 Average	5,867.0	5,847.6	9,451.1	1,153.7	1,358.5	1,804.8	8,174.5	16,794.8	1,552.5	3,393.7	1,631.4	1,548.3	8,981.4	8,608.5	4,366.1	4,435.5	10,947.2	6,027.2	4,843.6	8,002.3
2019 "	6,069.4	5,996.4	9,813.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,807.7	8,404.2	17,175.6	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	12,134.6	8,872.7	4,877.0	4,603.5	10,502.4	6,244.3	4,998.1	8,175.8
2020 (b) "	6,399.3	6,476.4	9,872.6	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,809.2	8,414.9	17,557.2	1,587.7	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	9,960.7	9,579.5	5,075.8	4,646.5	11,471.5	6,620.8	5,189.1	8,348.5
2019 1st Quarter	5,883.6	5,840.9	9,585.8	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,807.6	8,362.9	16,961.5	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,329.3	8,140.0	4,467.8	4,533.1	10,676.0	6,043.1	4,850.4	8,081.5
2nd Quarter	6,037.6	5,928.2	9,871.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,807.6	8,424.3	17,090.8	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	12,904.3	8,858.3	4,837.0	4,502.9	10,572.2	6,196.2	5,027.0	8,140.2
3rd Quarter	6,138.0	6,040.6	9,877.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,807.7	8,414.9	17,097.4	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	13,710.2	9,067.1	5,083.6	4,725.6	10,198.1	6,330.9	5,021.1	8,143.6
4th Quarter	6,218.3	6,175.9	9,918.6	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	11,594.8	9,425.2	5,119.6	4,652.2	10,563.2	6,407.0	5,093.9	8,338.0
2020 (b) 1st Quarter	6,284.6	6,311.9	9,924.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,521.5	9,281.6	4,965.8	4,596.4	11,268.4	6,500.8	5,072.4	8,338.0
2nd Quarter	6,385.1	6,469.4	9,921.4	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,648.3	9,104.3	4,935.8	4,704.5	11,650.9	6,621.5	5,119.3	8,338.0
3rd Quarter	6,411.2	6,509.4	9,780.0	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,560.0	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,353.2	9,260.8	5,295.2	4,666.1	11,010.8	6,653.2	5,126.2	8,358.1
4th Quarter	6,516.3	6,615.0	9,864.6	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,563.2	1,621.3	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	8,319.6	10,671.2	5,106.6	4,619.0	11,955.8	6,707.6	5,438.6	8,359.7
2020 (b) February	6,342.1	6,420.5	9,940.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,368.5	8,992.7	4,988.9	4,537.3	11,543.7	6,595.7	5,004.6	8,338.0
March	6,172.2	6,155.6	9,940.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,368.5	9,194.6	4,748.4	4,581.4	11,272.5	6,346.4	5,091.1	8,338.0
April	6,342.2	6,380.7	9,925.8	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,915.4	9,362.1	4,733.7	4,645.3	11,983.2	6,557.6	5,144.8	8,338.0
May	6,387.5	6,460.2	9,960.0	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,569.5	9,291.9	4,809.7	4,668.2	11,986.9	6,611.9	5,166.2	8,338.0
June	6,425.6	6,567.4	9,878.4	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,808.2	8,414.9	17,552.9	1,554.8	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,460.0	8,658.9	5,264.1	4,800.0	10,982.5	6,695.1	5,047.0	8,338.0
July	6,383.6	6,489.2	9,796.7	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,556.9	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,350.6	8,962.3	5,329.8	4,689.1	10,783.2	6,636.7	5,052.4	8,356.7
August	6,415.5	6,500.0	9,778.1	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,561.5	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,455.7	9,447.0	5,277.2	4,718.1	11,007.3	6,653.2	5,147.1	8,358.7
September	6,434.4	6,539.0	9,765.2	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,561.5	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	10,253.3	9,373.0	5,278.5	4,591.0	11,241.9	6,669.6	5,179.0	8,358.7
October	6,421.2	6,496.2	9,870.7	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,561.5	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	9,245.6	10,017.5	5,193.1	4,589.7	11,375.5	6,623.6	5,283.3	8,358.7
November	6,499.5	6,606.9	9,861.6	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,561.5	1,619.9	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	7,638.5	10,692.0	5,017.2	4,621.6	12,077.3	6,678.3	5,464.2	8,358.7
December	6,628.3	6,742.0	9,861.6	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,566.6	1,624.2	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	8,074.8	11,304.0	5,109.3	4,645.6	12,414.5	6,820.8	5,568.2	8,361.8
2021 (b) January	6,733.1	6,896.6	9,907.9	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,566.6	1,663.1	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	6,559.8	11,836.5	5,147.0	4,636.3	12,807.1	6,923.2	5,701.5	8,370.4
February	6,883.0	7,144.2	9,949.7	1,159.7	1,361.3	1,810.2	8,414.9	17,566.6	1,675.0	3,395.4	1,637.3	1,550.9	6,405.6	11,491.8	5,176.9	4,772.7	13,241.6	7,146.0	5,614.3	8,373.1

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

(b) Provisional.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 17

## Wholesale Prices of Selected Food Items at Pettah Market

		Rs. per kg											
Period (a)		Samba Rice	Kekulu Rice	Beans	Cabbages	Tomatoes	Pumpkins	Red Onions	Big Onions	Potatoes (Nuwara-Eliya)	Dried Chillies	Coconut (per nut)	Kelawalla Fish
2018	Average	103.50	70.86	139.37	73.73	93.59	45.42	135.52	78.39	123.77	246.72	61.56	552.83
2019	"	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 (b)	"	101.60	93.53	157.79	78.66	114.29	74.63	280.48	107.18	171.97	448.25	65.52	549.06
2019	1st Quarter	98.52	68.36	81.97	43.88	50.46	22.81	103.05	54.48	128.87	279.11	40.16	524.63
	2nd Quarter	84.71	67.78	159.99	53.12	65.73	65.23	133.55	74.93	153.54	267.09	36.86	596.43
	3rd Quarter	80.08	69.86	144.81	44.08	70.90	79.66	115.43	116.20	158.26	323.34	30.66	670.99
	4th Quarter	90.89	90.39	176.26	113.88	103.81	65.52	389.24	148.54	164.14	407.46	43.25	554.83
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	95.96	95.51	193.48	95.72	202.86	107.27	374.72	117.76	171.17	477.49	57.83	517.27
	2nd Quarter	97.11	91.72	101.35	57.04	76.77	37.87	253.36	68.92	148.91	443.58	65.87	538.72
	3rd Quarter	96.05	90.35	168.62	90.58	82.45	90.46	157.93	101.56	164.05	397.36	n.a.	592.39
	4th Quarter	117.30	96.56	172.65	67.64	85.47	57.06	335.91	140.48	203.74	474.57	76.53	547.26
2020 (b)	February	95.89	92.83	198.89	95.56	244.17	169.44	337.50	122.98	171.94	562.22	62.78	530.00
	March	96.00	90.00	112.50	81.11	100.83	78.33	266.67	132.83	117.69	400.00	58.57	527.06
	April	97.50	92.60	66.88	59.38	48.75	50.00	246.15	82.35	132.08	531.82	70.83	478.57
	May	97.82	92.27	121.18	45.00	48.82	33.97	249.71	59.56	146.41	397.86	65.18	569.17
	June	96.00	90.30	116.00	66.75	132.75	29.63	264.21	64.85	168.25	401.05	61.59	568.42
	July	96.04	90.04	122.32	69.13	88.46	37.74	174.13	59.74	186.29	392.61	n.a.	548.26
	August	96.10	90.85	175.94	113.73	45.80	109.86	142.31	93.41	176.68	393.75	n.a.	597.89
	September	96.00	90.14	207.60	88.89	113.10	123.79	157.35	151.52	129.20	405.71	n.a.	631.00
	October	105.25	90.00	180.98	89.79	87.19	60.62	227.65	145.91	130.24	410.00	68.25	577.86
	November	119.29	100.00	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	276.25	143.13	206.43	502.50	n.a.	n.a.
	December	127.36	99.67	164.33	45.50	83.75	53.50	503.83	132.41	274.55	511.21	84.80	516.67
2021 (b)	January	132.63	97.16	151.97	41.80	96.05	130.31	432.87	82.14	157.96	487.37	85.56	542.78
	February	119.17	92.83	124.10	72.17	205.97	132.78	391.02	106.14	134.87	490.34	85.77	513.89

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

(b) Provisional

n.a. – not available

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PRICES AND WAGES

TABLE 18

Average Producer and Retail Prices of Selected Food Items

Rupees

Period (a)	Producer Prices				Retail Prices						
	Paddy (per bushel)	Red Onions (per kg)	Dried Chillies (per kg)	Coconuts (per 1,000 nuts)	Rice (per kg)			Red Onions (per kg)	Dried Chillies (per kg)	Coconuts (per nut)	
					Samba	Ordinary	Raw				
2018	Average	918.33	109.14	206.86	48,609.77	105.85	85.49	78.65	184.77	281.83	64.11
2019	"	898.05	122.96	272.87	31,838.47	102.66	88.40	80.59	204.75	356.26	44.34
2020 (b)	"	1,045.49	198.73	408.38	48,040.64	105.16	96.90	93.35	313.87	532.03	65.98
2019	1st Quarter	855.25	90.29	237.22	36,597.62	107.70	87.29	78.70	154.67	316.63	47.43
	2nd Quarter	846.64	91.15	231.70	33,498.68	101.88	85.42	76.26	155.80	320.63	45.60
	3rd Quarter	880.11	97.88	266.03	27,112.37	98.71	86.57	78.18	162.97	350.31	40.16
	4th Quarter	1,010.22	212.50	356.54	30,145.22	102.34	94.31	89.22	345.56	437.48	44.17
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	993.17	252.78	397.56	42,800.79	101.76	96.05	93.90	430.28	521.67	58.29
	2nd Quarter	1,014.36	203.22	441.56	42,808.46	103.89	95.46	91.33	293.53	578.37	64.48
	3rd Quarter	1,029.40	136.89	393.22	47,516.27	102.52	95.79	92.52	207.05	485.16	64.78
	4th Quarter	1,145.01	202.04	401.17	59,037.04	112.48	100.32	95.67	324.64	542.94	76.38
2020 (b)	February	988.36	236.67	391.67	42,333.33	101.71	96.04	94.07	451.05	546.48	57.94
	March	980.26	196.67	385.00	47,519.05	101.78	95.32	91.26	323.80	516.94	65.30
	April	980.26	196.67	385.00	47,519.05	104.01	95.36	90.69	286.38	621.09	66.79
	May	1,028.23	212.50	518.00	41,844.12	103.33	94.76	89.89	288.87	590.91	63.49
	June	1,034.59	200.50	421.67	39,062.21	104.33	96.26	93.40	305.35	523.10	63.17
	July	1,013.86	156.11	379.17	41,390.91	102.91	96.04	92.90	235.65	490.81	62.43
	August	999.83	129.00	406.67	48,526.32	102.02	95.57	91.86	194.95	484.60	63.46
	September	1,074.51	125.56	368.00	52,631.58	102.63	95.77	92.80	190.54	480.07	68.46
	October	1,117.57	156.11	380.00	57,277.78	107.80	97.49	93.92	253.50	523.04	71.54
	November	1,146.78	208.33	436.00	57,388.89	112.55	100.32	95.95	310.02	550.73	75.11
	December	1,170.68	241.67	387.50	63,444.44	117.10	103.14	97.14	410.40	555.05	82.49
2021 (b)	January	1,211.11	335.83	456.67	54,396.47	118.10	104.45	99.17	511.62	569.30	85.06
	February	1,119.51	290.00	436.00	71,789.47	119.53	103.47	99.26	478.97	568.05	85.46

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

(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## PRICES AND WAGES

## TABLE 19

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

Rs. per kg

Period	Vegetables												Sea Fish						Fruits			Poultry Products				
	Ash Plantains	Wetakolu	Long Beans	Ladies Fingers	Bitter Gourd	Brinjals	Limes	Mukunuwenna	Green Beans	Cabbages	Carrot	Leeks	Tomatoes	Beetroot	Potatoes	Seer Fish	Kelawalla	Mullet	Hurulla	Salaya	Banana / Ambul	Papaw	Pineapple	Egg (each)	Chicken	
2018	Average	54.93	76.33	72.05	63.96	110.34	65.94	132.47	55.16	109.82	62.66	131.54	107.39	76.48	78.31	93.14	830.37	531.90	474.91	239.12	119.47	47.62	48.84	87.93	16.58	369.82
2019	"	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 (a)	"	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
2019	1st Qtr	46.78	56.91	57.97	58.00	88.22	63.07	116.97	56.96	78.56	52.67	97.86	74.97	47.12	60.33	101.53	821.00	544.33	453.39	238.43	134.17	41.23	65.00	84.33	18.50	378.40
	2nd Qtr	49.83	65.72	60.43	57.97	94.46	54.93	191.06	60.80	98.04	43.28	90.89	59.58	54.81	63.30	119.44	984.13	585.35	482.18	272.90	162.78	41.48	48.46	80.86	17.56	396.89
	3rd Qtr	54.24	57.58	58.34	50.93	107.08	61.80	225.48	59.68	108.77	48.40	93.25	54.50	61.42	66.03	111.81	955.56	652.89	553.39	310.76	178.00	47.73	48.71	88.60	18.01	376.64
	4th Qtr	59.16	73.44	84.85	59.58	156.18	71.19	160.60	57.98	102.96	81.15	136.00	142.92	80.38	100.00	111.11	858.63	556.39	451.96	296.22	140.00	48.21	43.72	88.44	19.32	391.55
2020 (a)	1st Qtr	61.81	80.83	94.46	80.39	131.32	85.38	82.97	62.77	155.28	96.08	226.11	184.17	165.97	123.06	99.72	878.47	620.24	482.08	346.17	175.83	45.04	52.16	95.07	17.60	388.59
	2nd Qtr	51.32	55.74	60.81	53.85	76.96	58.12	215.27	62.06	92.68	66.85	93.42	92.50	68.31	65.14	103.61	829.07	614.23	500.81	332.50	170.87	44.91	47.96	79.35	17.80	386.26
	3rd Qtr	60.92	70.97	69.48	55.69	108.32	65.25	158.80	60.28	135.32	73.83	95.95	69.52	78.21	82.95	128.33	929.17	620.52	460.69	327.56	199.70	53.63	47.21	80.89	20.00	440.61
	4th Qtr	57.89	78.35	88.87	57.55	160.00	81.62	138.20	61.78	127.98	66.31	121.25	75.28	80.53	78.84	140.00	738.75	561.67	499.76	296.35	135.67	50.08	39.89	89.94	19.45	418.26
2020 (a)	February	64.82	90.76	102.63	97.39	140.26	79.04	74.29	68.09	198.33	102.00	273.33	232.50	194.17	135.00	122.50	850.00	593.75	497.50	360.00	167.50	41.99	51.63	88.00	14.88	394.29
	March	52.00	48.50	61.68	51.36	90.70	60.23	81.30	57.89	78.75	76.25	87.50	90.00	71.25	64.17	76.67	816.67	651.25	466.25	332.50	181.67	49.18	54.27	94.44	20.21	388.79
	April	52.00	48.50	61.68	51.36	90.70	60.23	81.30	57.89	78.75	76.25	87.50	90.00	71.25	64.17	76.67	816.67	651.25	466.25	332.50	181.67	49.18	54.27	94.44	20.21	388.79
	May	47.83	52.93	54.35	50.96	61.50	48.69	309.05	65.72	97.86	51.43	74.00	76.25	48.33	50.00	107.50	764.29	550.00	502.86	315.00	166.67	40.69	43.75	82.50	15.45	358.91
	June	54.13	65.79	66.42	59.24	78.70	65.43	255.48	62.57	101.43	72.86	118.75	111.25	85.36	81.25	126.67	906.25	641.43	533.33	350.00	164.29	44.85	45.85	61.11	17.75	411.07
	July	53.90	61.56	57.71	57.43	85.83	60.82	208.41	59.86	81.67	69.00	87.86	78.57	76.15	78.18	150.00	875.00	615.56	483.75	316.67	201.11	50.61	46.20	70.18	20.40	419.81
	August	63.27	68.47	64.00	51.19	107.50	71.92	165.25	60.44	164.29	72.50	77.50	70.00	56.25	76.67	130.00	950.00	636.00	458.33	336.00	228.00	54.72	45.00	90.00	21.25	460.18
	September	65.60	82.87	86.74	58.46	131.65	63.00	102.73	60.54	160.00	80.00	122.50	60.00	102.22	94.00	105.00	962.50	610.00	440.00	330.00	170.00	55.56	50.43	82.50	18.33	441.85
	October	64.11	74.33	80.48	55.19	149.50	66.93	105.77	65.06	122.50	85.00	128.33	85.00	103.33	71.67	107.50	881.25	630.00	514.29	334.29	148.00	56.56	44.50	95.83	20.02	415.74
	November	52.89	69.79	76.78	53.96	158.13	66.54	136.59	58.04	118.57	57.50	101.67	65.83	72.27	82.86	122.50	510.00	380.00	425.00	233.33	85.00	48.97	35.70	80.00	18.50	429.04
	December	56.67	90.92	109.35	63.50	172.39	111.40	172.25	62.23	142.86	56.43	133.75	75.00	66.00	82.00	190.00	825.00	675.00	560.00	321.43	174.00	44.71	39.46	94.00	19.83	410.00
2021 (a)	January	60.21	84.50	110.87	69.65	187.78	82.60	158.89	60.52	110.00	45.71	118.00	59.17	92.92	92.00	160.00	871.43	558.33	437.14	320.00	146.00	44.48	41.39	96.25	12.43	426.67
	February	63.40	111.15	116.46	97.83	183.89	191.09	139.00	60.14	121.00	73.75	102.50	87.50	112.08	122.00	107.50	890.00	546.67	475.56	325.00	171.88	46.07	47.05	92.14	18.86	407.20

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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TABLE 20

Average Retail Prices of Selected Varieties of Vegetables and Fish

Rs. per kg

Period	Vegetables															Sea Fish					
	Low-Country								Up-Country							Seer Fish	Kelawalla	Mullet	Hurulla	Salaya	
	Ash Plantains	Wetakolu	Long Beans	Ladies Fingers	Bitter Gourd	Brinjals	Limes	Mukunuwenna (a)	Green Beans	Cabbages	Carrot	Leeks	Tomatoes	Beetroot	Potatoes						
2018	Average	108.76	148.65	135.17	122.46	185.70	121.51	28.37	30.08	205.04	132.68	220.34	192.91	142.88	136.91	104.57	1,241.98	866.31	621.10	404.73	216.83
2019	"	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 (b)	"	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
2019	Q1	100.05	127.76	106.96	112.55	166.44	109.78	25.86	29.67	135.30	99.84	142.26	130.53	99.07	116.31	91.70	1,245.85	877.69	618.95	402.60	218.39
	Q2	102.65	140.76	126.76	115.28	182.59	109.52	39.08	29.86	203.69	113.31	172.80	134.92	113.89	128.35	118.33	1,289.10	926.65	683.00	445.69	260.09
	Q3	109.44	132.62	118.01	103.23	186.56	113.64	40.55	30.16	191.09	104.55	158.19	116.09	122.66	115.35	134.38	1,336.49	969.43	716.31	474.45	281.31
	Q4	124.21	161.33	165.79	134.01	255.98	152.51	33.05	30.81	215.74	159.05	237.17	233.35	154.41	166.06	139.91	1,250.34	953.00	682.27	452.15	248.68
2020 (b)	Q1	133.76	183.95	176.89	169.62	229.29	158.24	18.58	32.07	253.53	174.12	320.39	288.47	254.01	190.50	131.91	1,294.86	942.03	691.03	493.34	275.90
	Q2	102.78	126.43	109.50	102.10	160.86	110.75	50.56	30.27	161.48	117.03	160.09	154.97	115.35	113.66	126.11	1,217.33	947.08	692.84	504.47	289.08
	Q3	122.46	149.61	134.12	108.50	202.79	123.38	33.37	31.16	215.69	141.26	173.93	134.04	133.48	134.02	149.46	1,331.99	976.51	740.29	519.31	299.57
	Q4	120.04	166.68	163.24	118.60	251.77	141.67	29.65	31.37	225.70	131.14	196.76	127.50	138.04	131.46	170.63	1,175.58	895.50	633.16	438.99	248.44
2020 (b)	Feb	137.19	194.55	187.49	187.05	243.17	147.02	17.36	32.52	273.28	182.84	356.92	307.62	315.92	198.59	133.65	1,313.66	943.35	698.14	497.36	279.49
	Mar	120.32	130.18	132.45	117.56	172.85	128.84	18.79	31.39	167.19	142.55	212.58	193.82	158.60	128.26	124.17	1,299.13	925.54	681.83	489.22	278.56
	Apr	98.88	107.43	98.08	90.13	130.77	95.25	43.03	29.17	139.75	101.75	148.29	146.59	80.95	93.97	116.86	1,141.18	932.73	684.62	478.60	269.11
	May	97.08	121.03	108.32	100.70	148.10	104.62	53.73	30.75	154.59	110.26	149.98	148.25	96.98	105.48	121.56	1,181.98	925.90	626.67	494.16	284.31
	Jun	112.37	150.85	122.10	115.47	203.71	132.38	54.93	30.90	190.11	139.07	181.99	170.08	168.12	141.53	139.91	1,328.84	982.61	767.23	540.64	313.82
	Jul	113.00	127.60	113.57	104.09	192.82	112.53	44.90	30.96	167.77	128.71	167.59	138.32	136.93	129.75	155.72	1,355.77	977.89	750.36	533.32	309.57
	Aug	124.69	148.64	131.18	105.23	194.57	130.79	31.91	31.16	234.38	142.08	166.25	129.54	104.62	136.64	148.36	1,327.91	977.95	734.98	534.57	301.56
	Sep	129.67	172.58	157.61	116.19	221.00	126.83	23.30	31.34	244.93	153.00	187.93	134.27	158.90	135.66	144.30	1,312.31	973.70	735.53	490.05	287.56
	Oct	125.74	152.96	153.98	114.79	245.73	124.32	22.62	31.34	226.70	143.24	187.09	128.39	155.31	126.79	148.59	1,248.04	980.82	724.54	477.44	277.79
	Nov	115.43	151.60	152.52	111.86	235.08	134.68	31.21	31.28	218.93	127.63	193.51	127.22	128.57	120.87	165.36	1,038.72	795.14	566.86	390.51	217.08
	Dec	118.95	195.47	183.22	129.15	274.51	166.00	35.11	31.48	231.47	122.57	209.69	126.88	130.24	146.72	197.96	1,239.99	910.53	608.09	449.03	250.44
	2021 (b)	Jan	119.58	203.95	178.92	147.19	284.68	165.16	32.41	31.49	218.70	113.77	196.79	128.24	163.75	177.99	152.29	1,274.02	932.21	669.45	480.71
Feb		119.60	215.09	176.91	177.67	281.83	204.74	27.38	32.92	211.52	135.39	216.19	160.36	222.18	218.92	138.13	1,276.75	967.34	682.70	508.65	249.55

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

(b) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## Utility Prices

Item	Unit	Price before Change (Rs. per unit)	Price after Change (Rs. per unit)	Absolute Change (Rs. per unit)	% Change	Date of Revision	
Telephone Charges (Domestic)	Category						
	0 – 200	2.80	2.80	0.00	0.0	01/11/2007	
	201 – 500	3.00	2.80	-0.20	-6.7		
	501 – 1,000	3.00	2.80	-0.20	-6.7		
	1,001 – 3,000	2.75	2.80	0.05	1.8		
	Above 3,000	2.50	2.80	0.30	12.0		
Rental	495.00	345.00	-150.00	-30.3			
Reduced New Tariff Plan : > A start up fee of Rs. 1.50 for each successful call. > Billed on per second basis and Revised Peak, Economy and Discount Time Band > Each customer will be entitled to a maximum of Rs. 400 worth free calls per month. This tariff structure is applicable for existing customers. New customers will be charged based on their packages							
Bus Fare (Private Sector)	Fare Stage						
	1	12.00	12.00	0.00	0.0	27/12/2018	
	2	15.00	14.00	-1.00	-6.7		
	3	20.00	19.00	-1.00	-5.0		
	4	24.00	23.00	-1.00	-4.2		
	5	29.00	28.00	-1.00	-3.4		
Electricity (Domestic)	Unit Charge – Usage less than 60 units						
	0 – 30	3.00	2.50	-0.50	-16.7	16/09/2014	
	31 – 60	4.70	4.85	0.15	3.2		
	Unit Charge – Usage more than 60 units						
	0 – 30	10.00	7.85	-2.15	-21.5	16/09/2014	
	31 – 60	10.00	7.85	-2.15	-21.5		
	61 – 90	12.00	10.00	-2.00	-16.7		
	91 – 120	26.50	27.75	1.25	4.7		
	121 – 180	30.50	32.00	1.50	4.9		
	Over 180	42.00	45.00	3.00	7.1		
	Fixed Charges						
	0 – 30	30.00	30.00	0.00	0.0	16/09/2014	
	31 – 60	60.00	60.00	0.00	0.0		
	61 – 90	90.00	90.00	0.00	0.0		
91 – 180	315.00	480.00	165.00	52.4			
Over 180	420.00	540.00	120.00	28.6			
A Fuel Adjustment Charge was removed w.e.f. 16/09/2014							
		<u>Before Change</u>	<u>After Change</u>				
	0 – 30	25%	–				
	31 – 60	35%	–				
	61 – 90	10%	–				
	above 90	40%	–				
Water (Domestic)	Category						
	00 – 05	3.00	8.00	5.00	166.7	01/10/2012	
	06 – 10	7.00	11.00	4.00	57.1		
	11 – 15	15.00	20.00	5.00	33.3		
	16 – 20	30.00	40.00	10.00	33.3		
	21 – 25	50.00	58.00	8.00	16.0		
	26 – 30	75.00	88.00	13.00	17.3		
	31 – 40	90.00	105.00	15.00	16.7		
	41 – 50	105.00	120.00	15.00	14.3		
	51 – 75	110.00	130.00	20.00	18.2		
	Over 75	120.00	140.00	20.00	16.7		
	Service Charge						
	00 – 05	50.00	50.00	0.00	0.0		15/02/2009
	06 – 10	50.00	65.00	15.00	30.0		
11 – 15	50.00	70.00	20.00	40.0			
16 – 20	50.00	80.00	30.00	60.0			
21 – 25	50.00	100.00	50.00	100.0			
26 – 30	50.00	200.00	150.00	300.0			
31 – 40	50.00	400.00	350.00	700.0			
41 – 50	50.00	650.00	600.00	1,200.0			
51 – 75	50.00	1,000.00	950.00	1,900.0			
Over 75	50.00	1,600.00	1,550.00	3,100.0			
* A 10% reduction for the total bill value was applied for bills with usage up to 25 units w.e.f 01.11.2014 (this reduction does not apply to bills with more than 25 units).							

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



## Minimum Wage Rate Indices of Workers in Wages Boards Trades

December 1978 = 100

Period	Workers in Agriculture (a)		Workers in Industry & Commerce (b)		Workers in Services (c)		Workers in Wages Boards Trades (d)		
	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	Nominal Wage Rate	Real Wage Rate Index	
2018	Average	4,748.8	107.5	3,545.3	80.2	2,331.2	52.7	4,155.2	94.0
2019	"	4,784.5	103.8	3,796.6	82.4	2,659.3	57.7	4,275.5	92.8
2020 (e)	"	4,785.6	99.3	3,806.2	79.0	2,684.2	55.7	4,282.0	88.8
2019	1st Quarter	4,784.2	105.8	3,767.8	83.4	2,584.5	57.2	4,258.6	94.2
	2nd Quarter	4,784.1	104.4	3,806.2	83.0	2,684.2	58.6	4,281.0	93.4
	3rd Quarter	4,784.4	103.0	3,806.2	82.0	2,684.2	57.8	4,281.1	92.2
	4th Quarter	4,785.1	101.9	3,806.2	81.1	2,684.2	57.2	4,281.4	91.2
2020 (e)	1st Quarter	4,785.4	100.1	3,806.2	79.6	2,684.2	56.2	4,281.9	89.6
	2nd Quarter	4,785.4	100.0	3,806.2	79.5	2,684.2	56.1	4,281.9	89.5
	3rd Quarter	4,785.7	99.0	3,806.2	78.8	2,684.2	55.5	4,282.0	88.6
	4th Quarter	4,785.9	98.0	3,806.2	77.9	2,684.2	54.9	4,282.2	87.6
2020 (e)	February	4,785.6	99.8	3,806.2	79.4	2,684.2	56.0	4,281.9	89.3
	March	4,785.3	100.7	3,806.2	80.1	2,684.2	56.5	4,281.9	90.1
	April	4,785.3	100.6	3,806.2	80.0	2,684.2	56.4	4,281.9	90.0
	May	4,785.4	100.1	3,806.2	79.6	2,684.2	56.2	4,281.9	89.6
	June	4,785.6	99.3	3,806.2	79.0	2,684.2	55.7	4,282.0	88.9
	July	4,785.6	99.3	3,806.2	78.9	2,684.2	55.7	4,282.0	88.8
	August	4,785.6	99.3	3,806.2	78.9	2,684.2	55.7	4,282.0	88.8
	September	4,785.7	98.6	3,806.2	78.4	2,684.2	55.3	4,282.0	88.2
	October	4,785.9	98.5	3,806.2	78.3	2,684.2	55.2	4,282.1	88.1
	November	4,785.9	98.0	3,806.2	78.0	2,684.2	55.0	4,282.2	87.7
	December	4,786.0	97.4	3,806.2	77.5	2,684.2	54.6	4,282.2	87.1
2021 (e)	January	4,786.2	96.9	3,806.2	77.1	2,684.2	54.3	4,282.4	86.7
	February	4,786.4	96.6	3,806.2	76.8	2,684.2	54.2	4,282.4	86.5

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.

Wage Rate Indices (Public Sector Employees)<sup>(a)(b)</sup>

2012 = 100

Period	Senior Level Officers		Tertiary Level Officers		Secondary Level Officers		Primary Level Officers		All Central Government		
	NWRI	RWRI (c)	NWRI	RWRI (c)	NWRI	RWRI (c)	NWRI	RWRI (c)	NWRI	RWRI (c)	
2017	141.4	115.0	155.5	126.6	161.6	131.5	170.4	138.7	160.8	130.9	
2018	144.9	115.5	155.9	124.2	161.6	128.8	170.4	135.7	161.0	128.3	
2019 (d)	162.0	124.6	167.5	128.8	165.6	127.4	177.0	136.2	166.2	127.9	
2018	2nd Quarter	144.9	116.0	155.9	124.8	161.6	129.4	170.4	136.4	161.0	128.9
	3rd Quarter	144.9	115.2	155.9	123.9	161.6	128.4	170.4	135.4	161.0	127.9
	4th Quarter	144.9	114.2	155.9	122.8	161.6	127.3	170.4	134.2	161.0	126.8
2019 (d)	1st Quarter	158.4	124.5	162.5	127.8	161.7	127.2	170.4	134.0	162.2	127.5
	2nd Quarter	158.4	123.0	162.5	126.2	161.7	125.6	170.4	132.3	162.2	125.9
	3rd Quarter	165.6	127.1	172.4	132.3	169.4	130.0	183.6	140.9	170.2	130.7
	4th Quarter	165.6	123.9	172.4	129.0	169.4	126.7	183.6	137.4	170.2	127.4
2020 (d)	1st Quarter	179.1	130.9	187.6	137.1	177.5	129.8	184.3	134.7	178.5	130.5
2019 (d)	May	158.4	122.7	162.5	125.9	161.7	125.3	170.4	132.0	162.2	125.6
	June	158.4	122.2	162.5	125.4	161.7	124.8	170.4	131.5	162.2	125.1
	July	165.6	127.6	172.4	132.8	169.4	130.5	183.6	141.5	170.2	131.2
	August	165.6	127.3	172.4	132.5	169.4	130.2	183.6	141.2	170.2	130.9
	September	165.6	126.4	172.4	131.6	169.4	129.3	183.6	140.2	170.2	130.0
	October	165.6	125.2	172.4	130.3	169.4	128.0	183.6	138.8	170.2	128.7
	November	165.6	124.2	172.4	129.3	169.4	127.1	183.6	137.8	170.2	127.7
	December	165.6	122.3	172.4	127.3	169.4	125.1	183.6	135.6	170.2	125.7
2020 (d)	January	179.1	130.3	187.6	136.5	177.5	129.2	184.3	134.1	178.5	129.9
	February	179.1	130.3	187.6	136.5	177.5	129.2	184.3	134.1	178.5	129.9
	March	179.1	132.1	187.6	138.3	177.5	130.9	184.3	135.9	178.5	131.7
	April	179.1	132.5	187.6	138.7	177.5	131.3	184.3	136.3	178.5	132.1

NWRI = Nominal Wage Rate Index

RWRI = Real Wage Rate Index

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

(b) Compilation of this index was discontinued since May 2020.

(c) Based on NCPI (2013 = 100)

(d) Provisional

Wage Rate Indices (Public Sector Employees)<sup>(a)</sup>

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 (c)	131.4	108.7	121.0	100.1	115.1	95.2	108.3	89.6	114.6	94.8
2019										
1st Quarter	114.9	103.1	104.8	94.1	100.5	90.2	100.0	89.7	101.4	91.0
2nd Quarter	114.9	101.8	104.8	92.9	100.5	89.1	100.0	88.6	101.4	89.9
3rd Quarter	119.9	105.1	111.2	97.4	107.5	94.2	107.8	94.4	108.4	95.0
4th Quarter	119.9	102.4	111.2	94.9	107.5	91.8	107.8	92.0	108.4	92.6
2020 (c)										
1st Quarter	131.4	109.6	121.0	100.9	115.1	96.0	108.3	90.4	114.6	95.6
2nd Quarter	131.4	110.1	121.0	101.4	115.1	96.5	108.3	90.8	114.6	96.0
3rd Quarter	131.4	108.3	121.0	99.8	115.1	94.9	108.3	89.3	114.6	94.5
4th Quarter	131.4	106.8	121.0	98.3	115.1	93.6	108.3	88.0	114.6	93.1
2020 (c)										
February	131.4	109.1	121.0	100.5	115.1	95.6	108.3	90.0	114.6	95.2
March	131.4	110.6	121.0	101.8	115.1	96.9	108.3	91.2	114.6	96.5
April	131.4	110.9	121.0	102.1	115.1	97.2	108.3	91.4	114.6	96.8
May	131.4	110.4	121.0	101.7	115.1	96.8	108.3	91.0	114.6	96.3
June	131.4	108.9	121.0	100.3	115.1	95.4	108.3	89.8	114.6	95.0
July	131.4	108.9	121.0	100.3	115.1	95.4	108.3	89.8	114.6	95.0
August	131.4	108.5	121.0	99.9	115.1	95.1	108.3	89.5	114.6	94.6
September	131.4	107.6	121.0	99.1	115.1	94.3	108.3	88.8	114.6	93.9
October	131.4	107.5	121.0	99.0	115.1	94.2	108.3	88.6	114.6	93.8
November	131.4	106.9	121.0	98.5	115.1	93.7	108.3	88.2	114.6	93.3
December	131.4	105.9	121.0	97.5	115.1	92.8	108.3	87.3	114.6	92.4
2021 (c)										
January	131.4	105.2	121.0	96.9	115.1	92.2	108.3	86.8	114.6	91.8
February	131.4	104.7	121.0	96.4	115.1	91.7	108.3	86.3	114.6	91.3

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

## PRICES AND WAGES

## TABLE 25

All Island Average Daily Wages in the Informal Sector<sup>(a)</sup>

Rupees

Period		Agriculture										Housing Construction (b)					
		Tea		Rubber		Coconut		Paddy			Carpentry			Masonry			
		Preparation of Land	Plucking	Planting	Tapping		Digging Pits	Plucking with sticks	Ploughing with mammoties	Transplanting/ Harvesting (c)		Master Carpenter	Skilled Helper	Unskilled Helper	Master Mason	Skilled Helper	Unskilled Helper
Male	Female	Male	Male	Female	Male	Male	Male	Male	Female								
2018	Average	1,254	768	1,197	795	749	1,401	1,574	1,384	1,297	995	1,987	1,479	1,190	1,994	1,467	1,228
2019	"	1,254	768	1,197	795	749	1,401	1,574	1,384	1,297	995	1,987	1,479	1,190	1,994	1,467	1,228
2020 (d)	"	1,374	806	1,343	868	815	1,490	1,650	1,517	1,484	1,140	2,309	1,658	1,373	2,310	1,645	1,388
2019	1st Qtr	1,303	810	1,271	840	823	1,461	1,572	1,409	1,349	1,068	2,045	1,518	1,256	2,027	1,472	1,258
	2nd Qtr	1,289	781	1,322	812	767	1,488	1,603	1,472	1,392	1,053	2,054	1,520	1,254	2,064	1,513	1,286
	3rd Qtr	1,313	833	1,343	814	775	1,462	1,592	1,467	1,460	1,133	2,144	1,573	1,261	2,144	1,525	1,303
	4th Qtr	1,304	791	1,313	835	788	1,445	1,608	1,507	1,447	1,104	2,187	1,588	1,313	2,199	1,567	1,350
2020 (d)	1st Qtr	1,365	796	1,319	846	783	1,465	1,606	1,509	1,482	1,161	2,265	1,643	1,357	2,235	1,626	1,362
	2nd Qtr	1,373	813	1,348	862	803	1,490	1,684	1,498	1,502	1,162	2,283	1,641	1,361	2,267	1,628	1,365
	3rd Qtr	1,367	809	1,364	880	836	1,506	1,667	1,527	1,490	1,126	2,316	1,652	1,370	2,354	1,640	1,398
	4th Qtr	1,392	806	1,343	883	838	1,499	1,642	1,536	1,461	1,113	2,373	1,695	1,402	2,385	1,686	1,425
2020 (d)	February	1,393	798	1,314	861	789	1,460	1,620	1,521	1,478	1,156	2,271	1,651	1,372	2,246	1,631	1,346
	March	1,393	798	1,314	861	789	1,460	1,620	1,521	1,478	1,156	2,271	1,651	1,372	2,246	1,631	1,346
	April	1,393	798	1,314	861	789	1,460	1,620	1,521	1,478	1,156	2,271	1,651	1,372	2,246	1,631	1,346
	May	1,369	827	1,343	861	800	1,505	1,750	1,500	1,540	1,166	2,267	1,632	1,346	2,246	1,615	1,365
	June	1,357	813	1,386	865	820	1,505	1,682	1,472	1,488	1,163	2,312	1,640	1,366	2,310	1,639	1,385
	July	1,400	820	1,367	861	822	1,496	1,636	1,505	1,478	1,109	2,309	1,644	1,357	2,352	1,670	1,393
	August	1,320	802	1,363	925	880	1,527	1,690	1,535	1,521	1,169	2,296	1,633	1,376	2,338	1,602	1,395
	September	1,380	805	1,363	855	805	1,496	1,675	1,540	1,471	1,100	2,342	1,680	1,378	2,371	1,649	1,407
	October	1,375	805	1,250	839	783	1,488	1,650	1,536	1,461	1,134	2,319	1,686	1,385	2,337	1,684	1,410
	November	1,393	815	1,400	915	880	1,519	1,600	1,541	1,452	1,106	2,361	1,688	1,415	2,361	1,677	1,458
	December	1,406	798	1,378	895	850	1,492	1,675	1,532	1,471	1,098	2,439	1,710	1,406	2,457	1,698	1,409
2021 (d)	January	1,436	811	1,386	900	856	1,478	1,638	1,510	1,450	1,064	2,451	1,719	1,423	2,457	1,705	1,466
	February	1,413	814	1,386	900	844	1,485	1,623	1,508	1,473	1,087	2,465	1,728	1,403	2,463	1,699	1,460

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(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 26**

**Cost of Construction Indices**

1990 = 100

Period	Modern Housing	Semi Permanent Housing	All Housing	Non-Residential Building	All Civil Works	All Construction
2018 Average	781.3	1,165.0	805.1	716.1	591.2	706.0
2019 "	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
2019 1st Quarter	804.1	1,186.3	827.8	740.4	614.7	729.3
2nd Quarter	814.5	1,191.7	837.9	748.9	619.1	737.0
3rd Quarter	816.4	1,193.1	839.7	750.4	620.4	738.5
4th Quarter	828.2	1,201.5	851.3	760.0	626.0	747.4
2020 1st Quarter	837.9	1,216.8	861.4	769.5	632.2	755.9
2nd Quarter	838.1	1,216.1	861.6	772.7	634.5	757.5
3rd Quarter	841.5	1,223.0	865.1	779.7	641.2	763.0
4th Quarter	844.6	1,231.3	868.5	782.3	646.1	766.8

Source : Construction Industry Development Authority

**PRICES AND WAGES**

**TABLE 27**

**Price Indices for Selected Construction Materials and Labour Wages**

1990 = 100

Period (a)	Cement	Rubble	Bricks (Hand cut)	Calicut Tiles	Reinforce-ment Steel	Structural Steel	Asbestos Roofing Sheets	PVC Pipes (b)	General Timber	Electrical Wiring	Wall Paint	Glass	Skilled Labour	Semi Skilled Labour	Unskilled Labour
2018 Average	528.3	738.3	1,781.7	925.4	607.4	520.0	474.7	852.1	1,106.0	490.2	779.3	378.0	511.0	528.8	610.5
2019 "	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 (c) "	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
2019 3rd Qtr	603.1	770.6	1,785.0	930.0	714.8	562.0	495.4	920.0	1,352.0	531.3	907.0	431.4	511.5	528.8	611.6
4th Qtr	596.0	770.6	1,846.3	930.0	714.8	562.0	512.9	908.5	1,352.0	531.3	928.4	431.4	527.8	555.2	638.0
2020 (c) 1st Qtr	581.8	770.6	1,826.2	930.0	714.8	562.0	512.9	859.0	1,352.0	531.3	959.5	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
2nd Qtr	581.8	754.7	1,810.6	961.0	737.6	569.5	512.9	859.0	1,374.5	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
3rd Qtr	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	449.0	560.3	608.0	690.8
4th Qtr	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	784.5	584.5	512.9	911.8	1,419.6	549.5	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
2020 (c) Feb	581.8	770.6	1,810.6	930.0	714.8	562.0	512.9	859.0	1,352.0	531.3	928.4	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
Mar	581.8	770.6	1,810.6	930.0	714.8	562.0	512.9	859.0	1,352.0	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
Apr	581.8	770.6	1,810.6	930.0	714.8	562.0	512.9	859.0	1,352.0	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
May	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	714.8	562.0	512.9	859.0	1,352.0	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
Jun	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
Jul	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	431.4	560.3	608.0	690.8
Aug	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
Sep	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
Oct	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
Nov	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	783.1	584.5	512.9	859.0	1,419.6	531.3	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
Dec	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	787.4	584.5	512.9	1,017.4	1,419.6	585.8	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
2021 (c) Jan	581.8	746.7	1,810.6	976.5	827.0	617.6	512.9	1,017.4	1,419.6	594.9	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8
Feb	581.8	843.3	1,810.6	976.5	837.4	617.6	512.9	1,017.4	1,419.6	658.9	1,021.8	457.8	560.3	608.0	690.8

(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<sup>(a)(b)</sup>

Rs. million

Period	Revenue and Grants	Expenditure and Net Lending (c)	Overall Budget Balance	Domestic Financing	Foreign Financing (d)	Total Financing
2016	1,693,558	2,333,883	-640,325	248,411	391,914	640,325
2017	1,839,562	2,573,056	-733,494	294,251	439,243	733,494
2018	1,932,459	2,693,228	-760,769	437,234	323,535	760,769
2019 (e)	1,898,808	3,337,896	-1,439,088	896,448	542,641	1,439,088
2020 (e)(f)	1,373,308	3,040,996	-1,667,688	1,750,887	-83,199	1,667,688
2021 (f)						
Jan	96,189	248,184	-151,995	200,710	-48,715	151,995
Feb	142,088	217,788	-75,700	73,815	1,885	75,700

(a) Revised based on economic classification.

(b) In line with other publications, the format has been updated. Accordingly, revenue and grants, expenditure and net lending and overall budget balance have been revised.

(c) Excludes debt repayments.

(d) Net foreign investment 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 arrears carried forward from 2019. Restated monthly data for 2019 and 2020 are not available.

(f) Provisional

Sources : Ministry of Finance  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## GOVERNMENT FINANCE

TABLE 29

## Economic Classification of Government Revenue

Rs. million

Period	Tax Revenue											Non-Tax Revenue				Total Revenue			
	Value Added Tax					Excise Tax						Import Duties	Other	Total	Profits and Dividends		Sales and Charges	Other	Total
	Income Tax	Ports and Airports Development Levy	Manufacturing/Non-Manufacturing	Imports	Total	Liquor	Cigarettes	Petroleum	Motor Vehicles	Other	Total								
2016	258,857	88,823	168,134	115,336	283,470	120,238	88,792	55,719	186,499	3,704	454,952	156,487	221,101	1,463,689	108,160	68,365	45,848	222,374	1,686,062
2017	274,562	102,360	275,367	168,393	443,760	113,684	86,002	73,983	189,740	6,091	469,500	136,501	243,495	1,670,178	53,998	66,635	40,719	161,353	1,831,531
2018	310,449	113,950	282,576	179,163	461,740	113,944	92,243	66,318	204,081	7,701	484,287	96,991	244,901	1,712,318	41,828	101,132	64,696	207,656	1,919,973
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)(b)	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 (b) Jan	2,692	11,347	14,138	9,263	23,401	11,925	3,763	1,389	4,984	520	22,581	10,060	18,024	88,105	205	3,273	4,606	8,084	96,189
Feb	44,271	11,305	13,002	8,658	21,660	12,243	6,744	5,789	1,816	581	27,173	8,219	22,504	135,132	385	2,608	3,841	6,834	141,967

(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 arrears carried forward from 2019. Restated monthly data for 2019 and 2020 are not available.

Source : Ministry of Finance

(b) Provisional

## Government Expenditure

Rs. million

Ministry (a)	Recurrent		Capital	
	Revised	Actual	Revised	Actual
	Estimates (b)	Expenditure	Estimates (b)	Expenditure
1.. HE the President, Prime Minister, Judges of the Supreme Court etc.	20,177	16,936	5,499	4,054
2. Ministry of Buddhasasana, Religious and Cultural Affairs	4,182	3,711	1,312	1,070
3. Ministry of Finance (c)	1,152,881	1,087,953	1,068,206	1,019,248
4. Ministry of Defence	262,939	259,774	20,842	16,024
5. Ministry of Mass Media	19,127	18,510	1,110	804
6. Ministry of Justice	11,683	11,478	4,043	3,282
7. Ministry of Health	125,776	127,088	36,800	42,617
8. Foreign Ministry	12,050	10,498	267	209
9. Ministry of Transport	16,040	15,310	48,412	47,315
10. Ministry of Energy	162	164	4	3
11. Ministry of Trade	972	860	3,620	2,715
12. Ministry of Highways	191	196	254,827	226,070
13. Ministry of Agriculture	9,099	8,877	7,269	7,045
14. Ministry of Power	217	171	58,061	57,909
15. Ministry of Lands	4,681	4,602	3,350	3,250
16. Ministry of Urban Development and Housing	384	197	21,370	19,030
17. Ministry of Education	97,624	94,853	25,753	25,373
18. Ministry of Public Services, Provincial Councils and Local Government	312,043	304,501	994	748
19. Ministry of Plantation	1,084	1,040	338	327
20. Ministry of Industries	1,158	1,075	3,358	2,830
21. Ministry of Fisheries	996	977	364	367
22. Ministry of Tourism	643	627	404	288
23. Ministry of Environment	961	946	320	232
24. Ministry of Wildlife and Forest Conservation	100	104	1,356	1,150
25. Ministry of Water Supply	307	312	75,668	65,385
26. Ministry of Ports and Shipping	756	749	225	17
27. Ministry of Technology	1,212	1,173	201	131
28. Ministry of Public Security	104,309	97,199	1,771	1,596
29. Ministry of Labour	2,729	2,571	1,079	1,000
30. Ministry of Youth and Sports	3,922	3,605	3,170	2,334
31. Ministry of Irrigation	3,456	3,436	46,758	37,615
32. State Ministry of National Heritage, Performing Arts and Rural Arts Promotion	1,287	1,184	524	441
33. State Ministry of Rural and School Sports Infrastructure Improvement	445	401	940	555
34. State Ministry of Women and Child Development, Preschools and Primary Education, School Infrastructure and Education Services	21,082	19,336	15,269	14,745
35. State Ministry of Education Reforms, Open Universities and Distance Learning Promotion	558	544	1,728	1,605
36. State Ministry of Ornamental Fish, Inland Fish and Prawn Farming, Fishery Harbour Development, Multiday Fishing Activities and Fish Exports	1,307	1,295	2,928	2,498
37. State Ministry of Solar Power, Wind and Hydro Power Generation Projects Development	276	257	463	278
38. State Ministry of Backward Rural Areas Dev. and Promotion of Domestic Animal Husbandry & Minor Economic Crop Cultivation	136	123	8	51
39. State Ministry of Rattan, Brass, Pottery, Furniture and Rural Industrial Promotion	677	643	92	82
40. State Ministry of Internal Security, Home affairs & Disaster Management	45,207	44,445	10,971	9,422
41. State Ministry of Company Estate Reforms, Tea and Rubber Estates Related Crops Cultivation and Factories Modernization and Tea and Rubber Export Promotion	1,307	1,257	4,133	3,442
42. State Ministry of Urban Development, Coast Conservation, Waste Disposal and Community Cleanliness	1,451	911	27,094	21,543
43. State Ministry of Foreign Employment Promotion and Market Diversification	623	599	29	25
44. State Ministry of Money and Capital Market and State Enterprise Reforms	730	435	58,613	51,423
45. State Ministry of Samurdhi, Household Economy, Micro Finance, Self Employment and Business Development	112,913	86,650	843	886
46. State Ministry of Rural Housing, Construction and Building Material Industries	2,114	2,062	4,326	3,832
47. State Ministry of Indigenous Medicine Promotion, Rural and Ayurvedic Hospitals Development and Community Health	1,844	1,786	109	91
48. State Ministry of Estate Housing and Community Infrastructure	398	375	1,394	1,255
49. State Ministry of Prison Reforms and Prisoners' Rehabilitation	7,375	7,321	853	558
50. State Ministry of Regional Co-operation	74	46	7	2
51. State Ministry of Provincial Councils and Local Government	264,212	266,299	47,346	45,597
52. State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Education, Research and Innovation	8,186	7,940	4,817	4,235
53. State Ministry of Dhamma Schools, Pirivenas and Bhikkhu Education	4,286	4,368	179	161
54. State Ministry of Production, Supply and Regulation of Pharmaceuticals	85,775	84,110	155	152
55. State Ministry of Wildlife Protection, Adoption of Safety Measures Including the Construction of Electrical fences and Trenches and Reforestation and Forest Resource Development	3,570	3,599	1,230	1,036
56. State Ministry of Paddy and Grains, Organic Food, Vegetable, Fruits, Chillies, Onion and Potato Cultivation Promotion, Seed Production and Advanced Technology Agriculture	8,939	8,808	5,366	4,582
57. State Ministry of Production and Supply of Fertilizer and Regulation of Chemical Fertilizer and Insecticide Use	38,207	36,832	3	5
58. State Ministry of Livestock Farm Promotion and Dairy and Egg Related Industries	1,016	983	735	630
59. State Ministry of Canals and Common Infrastructure Development in Settlements in Mahaweli Zones	2,699	2,680	844	834
60. State Ministry of Tanks, Reservoirs and Irrigation Development related to Rural Paddy Fields	35	15	82	61
61. State Ministry of Land Management, State Enterprises Land and Property Development	953	907	47	43
62. State Minister of Coconut, Kithul and Palmyrah Cultivation Promotion and Related Industrial Product Manufacturing and Export Diversification	1,082	1,042	1,070	1,011
63. State Ministry of Development of Minor Crops Plantation Including Sugarcane, Maize, Cashew, Pepper, Cinnamon, Cloves, Betle Related Industries and Export Promotion	1,202	1,113	2,521	2,812
64. State Ministry of Rural and Divisional Drinking Water Supply Projects Development	205	190	2,576	1,637
65. State Ministry of Warehouse Facilities, Container Yards, Ports Supply Facilities and Boats and Shipping Industry Development	14	9	2,536	1,494
66. State Ministry of Rural Roads and Other Infrastructure	27	15	6,173	4,917
67. State Ministry of Vehicle Regulation, Bus Transport Services and Train Compartments and Motor Car Industry	13,260	13,614	8,535	2,279
68. State Ministry of Aviation and Export Zones Development	59	49	227	227
69. State Ministry of Cooperative Services, Marketing Development and Consumer Protection	649	643	19	20
70. State Ministry of Batik, Handloom and Local Apparel Products	281	248	172	161
71. State Ministry of Gem and Jewellery Related Industries	108	90	22	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,806,427</b>	<b>2,682,713</b>	<b>1,911,728</b>	<b>1,774,677</b>

(a) The list of Ministries is based on approved Budget Estimates for 2020.

Source : Ministry of Finance

(b) As per the approved Budget Estimates 2021.

(c) Includes debt service payments



## Economic Classification of Government Expenditure

Rs. million

Period	Recurrent					Total	Capital and net lending	Total	
	Salaries & Wages	Interest	Pension	Samurdhi	Other				
2016	576,471	610,895	171,903	40,740	357,773	1,757,782	576,101	2,333,883	
2017	588,518	735,566	181,059	39,707	382,843	1,927,693	645,363	2,573,056	
2018	626,045	852,190	194,495	39,239	377,745	2,089,713	603,515	2,693,228	
2019 (a)	686,452	901,353	227,670	44,660	564,446	2,424,582	913,314	3,337,896	
2020 (a)(b)	794,158	980,302	257,833	52,434	463,632	2,548,359	492,638	3,040,996	
2021 (b)	Jan	66,139	111,971	20,562	4,327	27,432	230,432	17,752	248,184
	Feb	68,952	56,715	21,515	4,320	39,194	190,696	27,091	217,788

(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 arrears carried forward from 2019. Restated monthly data for 2019 and 2020 are not available.

Source : Ministry of Finance

(b) Provisional

## Outstanding Central Government Debt

Rs. million

Item	2017 December	2018 December	2019 December (a)	2020 December (a)(b)	2021 January (a)(b)	2021 February (a)(b)
<b>Total Domestic Debt</b>	<b>5,664,215</b>	<b>6,071,001</b>	<b>6,830,260</b>	<b>9,065,068</b>	<b>9,346,902</b>	<b>9,420,166</b>
Short-Term	1,031,181	1,134,553	1,270,374	2,197,594	2,399,116	2,412,080
Treasury bills (c)	697,154	746,887	873,943	1,620,705	1,656,072	1,661,811
Provisional advances from the Central Bank	199,801	198,633	236,609	153,079	198,171	198,182
Import bills held by commercial banks	—	—	131	155	154	191
Other liabilities to the banking sector net of bank deposits	134,227	189,034	159,691	423,656	544,719	551,895
Medium and Long-Term	4,633,033	4,936,447	5,559,887	6,867,473	6,947,785	7,008,086
Rupee Securities	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088
Treasury bonds (d)	3,892,408	4,197,323	4,606,232	5,713,300	5,812,750	5,868,643
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	637,886	614,219	559,284	486,870	479,457	485,303
International Sovereign Bonds	n.a.	n.a.	202,099	415,756	433,164	432,117
Offshore Banking Units	64,199	100,512	168,011	227,418	198,283	197,892
Other	14,453	305	173	41	42	42
<b>By Debt Instrument</b>	<b>5,664,215</b>	<b>6,071,001</b>	<b>6,830,260</b>	<b>9,065,068</b>	<b>9,346,902</b>	<b>9,420,166</b>
Rupee Securities	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088
Treasury bills (c)	697,154	746,887	873,943	1,620,705	1,656,072	1,661,811
Treasury bonds (d)	3,892,407	4,197,323	4,606,232	5,713,300	5,812,750	5,868,643
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	637,886	614,219	559,284	486,870	479,457	485,303
International Sovereign Bonds	n.a.	n.a.	202,099	415,756	433,164	432,117
Provisional advances from the Central Bank	199,801	198,633	236,609	153,079	198,171	198,182
Other	212,879	289,851	328,006	651,269	743,198	750,021
<b>By Institution (e)</b>	<b>5,664,215</b>	<b>6,071,001</b>	<b>6,830,260</b>	<b>9,065,068</b>	<b>9,346,902</b>	<b>9,420,166</b>
Banks	2,361,254	2,321,802	2,888,451	4,735,738	4,942,039	4,986,840
Central Bank						
By Debt Instrument	209,412	244,128	310,910	876,817	933,028	1,007,579
Treasury bills	9,908	45,797	25,873	654,611	665,668	739,384
Treasury bonds (f)				48,872	70,574	70,575
Other	199,504	198,331	236,165	151,632	196,785	197,620
Commercial Banks						
By Debt Instrument	2,151,843	2,077,674	2,577,541	3,858,921	4,009,011	3,979,262
Rupee Loans	15,870	15,870	15,870	15,870	15,870	15,870
Treasury bills	463,198	489,199	684,680	813,040	816,495	733,875
Treasury bonds	858,574	698,378	821,908	1,513,286	1,562,770	1,604,971
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	615,477	584,081	524,543	448,260	436,134	441,852
International Sovereign Bonds	n.a.	n.a.	202,099	415,756	433,164	432,117
Other	198,723	290,145	328,442	652,710	744,577	750,576
Non-Bank sector						
By Debt Instrument	3,302,961	3,749,199	3,941,809	4,329,330	4,404,863	4,433,326
Rupee Loans (g)	8,218	8,218	8,218	8,218	8,218	8,218
Treasury bills	224,048	211,891	163,390	153,053	173,910	188,552
Treasury bonds	3,033,833	3,498,945	3,735,452	4,129,440	4,179,405	4,193,097
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	22,409	30,137	34,741	38,611	43,323	43,451
Other	14,453	7	7	7	7	7
By Institution	3,302,961	3,749,199	3,941,809	4,329,330	4,404,863	4,433,326
National Savings Bank	447,792	494,976	593,965	710,999	725,482	745,156
Employees' Provident Fund	1,930,141	2,147,176	2,390,177	2,612,216	2,612,216	2,612,216
Other	925,028	1,107,046	957,666	1,006,114	1,067,165	1,075,953
<b>Total Foreign Debt (h)</b>	<b>4,718,618</b>	<b>5,959,547</b>	<b>6,201,283</b>	<b>6,052,179</b>	<b>6,341,041</b>	<b>6,334,209</b>
By Type	4,718,618	5,959,547	6,201,283	6,052,179	6,341,041	6,334,209
Project Loans	2,610,547	3,149,905	3,231,464	3,458,461	3,638,310	3,637,029
Non-Project Loans	2,108,070	2,809,642	2,969,819	2,593,718	2,702,731	2,697,180
Commodity	62,727	63,267	52,312	43,023	42,582	42,200
Other	2,045,344	2,746,375	2,917,507	2,550,695	2,660,149	2,654,980
By Institution	4,718,618	5,959,547	6,201,283	6,052,179	6,341,041	6,334,209
Concessional Loans	2,130,482	2,705,836	2,767,459	2,988,113	3,112,031	3,100,816
Multilateral	954,662	1,392,857	1,356,925	1,445,230	1,519,186	1,522,705
Bilateral	1,175,820	1,312,979	1,410,534	1,542,883	1,592,845	1,578,112
Non-Concessional Loans	2,588,135	3,253,711	3,433,824	3,064,066	3,229,010	3,233,392
Multilateral	243,581	58,586	112,943	156,252	210,932	217,928
Bilateral	316,626	209,970	198,733	184,051	191,949	196,265
Commercial Loans	2,027,928	2,985,156	3,122,148	2,723,763	2,826,129	2,819,200
International Sovereign Bonds (i)	1,475,049	2,220,411	2,531,493	2,203,279	2,298,082	2,293,750
Sri Lanka Development Bonds	n.a.	n.a.	943	4,986	5,198	5,188
Foreign Currency Term Financing Facility	217,054	330,174	242,191	279,612	291,592	291,018
Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bills	27,552	11,909	23,727	670	671	668
Non-Resident Investments in Treasury Bonds	295,059	146,914	80,294	6,204	6,754	6,394
Other (i)	13,215	275,747	243,501	229,011	223,832	222,182
<b>Total Outstanding Government Debt</b>	<b>10,382,832</b>	<b>12,030,548</b>	<b>13,031,543</b>	<b>15,117,247</b>	<b>15,687,943</b>	<b>15,754,375</b>

(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 SLDBs and outstanding ISBs of the Sri Lankan Government have been classified under domestic debt.

(b) Provisional

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

(d) Excludes Treasury bonds held by non-resident investors and includes Government Treasury bonds of Rs. 4,397 million issued to CWE in November 2003 (matured on 14 November 2016) and Rs. 13,125 million issued to capitalize Sri Lanka Airlines in March 2013 (matured on 01 June 2018) and Rs. 78,441 million issued to CPC

in January 2012 (of which Rs. 21,778 million matured on 01 January 2017 and the current outstanding is Rs. 56,662 million).

(e) 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 by businesses and individuals.

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

(g) Includes sinking fund.

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

(i) Figures for 2019 and 2020 have been revised. These reflect classification revisions with the availability of a new survey on ISB holdings of domestic entities as well.

Sources : Ministry of Finance  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## Exports, Imports and Trade Balance

US dollars million

Period	Imports		Domestic	Exports			Balance of Trade		
	Customs	Adjusted (a)		Re-Exports	Total Customs	Total Adjusted (a)	Customs	Adjusted (a)	
2018	21,946.9	22,232.7	11,640.7	495.0	12,135.7	11,889.6	-10,306.2	-10,343.1	
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 (b)	15,584.2	16,055.4	9,912.4	187.3	10,099.7	10,047.4	-5,671.8	-6,007.9	
2019	1st Quarter	4,666.8	4,816.9	3,115.7	69.3	3,185.0	3,156.1	-1,551.1	-1,660.8
	2nd Quarter	4,701.8	4,779.1	2,814.0	46.0	2,860.0	2,843.1	-1,887.8	-1,936.0
	3rd Quarter	4,877.8	5,000.1	2,942.8	34.4	2,977.2	2,984.8	-1,935.0	-2,015.3
	4th Quarter	5,229.3	5,341.0	2,890.7	61.1	2,951.7	2,956.0	-2,338.6	-2,385.0
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	4,406.8	4,502.7	2,576.5	41.9	2,618.4	2,649.7	-1,830.3	-1,853.0
	2nd Quarter	3,108.8	3,171.9	1,785.9	20.3	1,806.2	1,763.1	-1,322.9	-1,408.7
	3rd Quarter	3,916.9	4,107.7	3,039.1	88.2	3,127.4	3,032.2	-877.7	-1,075.5
	4th Quarter	4,151.8	4,273.1	2,510.9	37.5	2,548.4	2,602.4	-1,640.8	-1,670.7
2020 (b)	February	1,501.4	1,562.3	969.3	25.5	994.8	988.5 (c)	-532.1	-573.9
	March	1,150.3	1,205.0	646.0	4.6	650.6	656.2 (c)	-504.3	-548.7
	April	1,107.3	1,122.6	277.4	11.1	288.5	282.3	-829.9	-840.3
	May	977.7	993.8	602.4	11.5	613.9	586.7	-375.3	-407.1
	June	1,023.7	1,055.5	906.0	11.4	917.4	894.1	-117.7	-161.3
	July	1,211.2	1,293.7	1,090.2	50.1	1,140.3	1,085.0	-121.0	-208.7
	August	1,227.9	1,289.1	947.7	23.5	971.2	947.2	-280.3	-341.9
	September	1,477.7	1,524.9	1,001.3	14.6	1,015.9	1,000.0	-476.4	-524.9
	October	1,348.9	1,362.8	831.7	8.5	840.2	854.3 (c)	-517.2	-514.3
	November	1,363.8	1,383.7	747.6	7.9	755.5	783.7	-616.3	-600.0
	December	1,439.0	1,526.6	931.6	20.9	952.5	964.5	-507.4	-562.2
2021 (b)	January	1,543.8	1,591.6	908.1	10.1	918.2	936.7	-635.7	-654.9
	February	1,452.1	1,523.6	926.2	9.1	935.3	951.7	-525.9	-571.9

(a) Adjusted for lags and other factors of recording

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 34

## Exports

US dollars million

Period	Industrial Exports					Agricultural Exports						Mineral Exports	Unclassified Exports	Total Exports (a)
	Textiles and Garments	Rubber Products	Gems, Diamonds and Jewellery	Petroleum Products	Other	Tea	Rubber	Coconut Products	Spices	Minor Agricultural Products	Other			
2018	5,317.7	875.3	278.0	622.1	2,165.0	1,428.5	31.6	311.0	360.2	118.4	329.7	34.4	17.8	11,889.6
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 (b)	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
2019														
1st Quarter	1,474.2	233.0	83.3	124.0	579.8	347.2	8.4	87.8	80.6	27.2	96.5	9.1	5.0	3,156.1
2nd Quarter	1,287.2	209.2	67.6	117.9	552.4	337.7	6.6	85.4	63.0	25.1	79.7	7.7	3.8	2,843.1
3rd Quarter	1,425.4	220.0	73.6	125.9	504.2	340.4	5.1	85.3	91.2	27.7	74.1	7.9	3.9	2,984.8
4th Quarter	1,409.7	204.0	81.2	153.3	500.5	321.1	4.1	71.0	77.8	40.0	79.0	9.2	5.3	2,956.0
2020 (b)														
1st Quarter	1,254.9	196.2	54.6	177.7	450.8	270.1	7.2	70.4	51.0	39.6	68.2	4.9	4.2	2,649.6 (c)
2nd Quarter	689.0	139.6	18.2	41.8	334.5	301.6	6.3	76.4	62.8	31.1	54.3	4.8	2.8	1,763.1
3rd Quarter	1,342.9	231.2	50.2 (c)	77.3	621.3	347.9	6.5	110.5	119.2	40.4	75.0	6.2	3.7	3,032.3 (c)
4th Quarter	1,136.2	219.2	58.6	76.8	501.2	321.4	10.2	87.9	100.4	23.6	54.3	9.2	3.4	2,602.4
2020 (b)														
February	468.1	71.5	21.4 (c)	57.8	171.2	107.8	3.1	26.2	18.7	14.7	24.7	1.8	1.5	988.5 (c)
March	312.7	54.5	8.4 (c)	37.0	118.8	62.5	1.4	19.7	12.9	10.5	15.6	1.0	1.1	656.2 (c)
April	65.2	24.2	0.1	14.5	56.7	78.4	1.6	14.3	12.0	4.9	9.1	1.0	0.3	282.3
May	220.1	49.4	6.8	10.6	114.0	108.3	1.8	27.9	19.3	10.2	15.6	2.2	0.5	586.7
June	403.7	66.0	11.2	16.7	163.8	114.9	2.9	34.2	31.5	16.0	29.5	1.6	2.1	894.1
July	469.2	82.2	17.7	26.7	223.7	130.9	2.9	40.8	40.9	17.5	28.1	2.9	1.6	1,085.0
August	440.0	71.0	12.2	22.0	183.8	103.0	1.5	33.9	39.7	12.1	25.7	1.6	0.8	947.2
September	433.7	78.0	20.3 (c)	28.6	213.9	114.0	2.1	35.8	38.6	10.8	21.3	1.7	1.3	1,000.0
October	358.2	77.9	16.2 (c)	24.4	162.4	112.2	2.4	32.5	33.6	8.7	22.0	2.2	1.6	854.3 (c)
November	326.2	66.4	23.6	21.3	159.9	96.2	3.2	28.6	33.8	7.6	13.8	2.3	0.9	783.7
December	451.8	74.9	18.7	31.2	178.9	113.0	4.6	26.8	33.1	7.3	18.6	4.6	1.0	964.5
2021 (b)														
January	423.0	80.2	23.4	34.4	171.3	101.0	3.9	24.2	42.0	8.1	20.8	3.5	1.0	936.7
February	443.3	81.0	19.7	22.7	173.7	112.5	2.7	30.9	33.1	9.2	18.0	3.6	1.3	951.7

(a) Total exports includes unclassified exports

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

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

**TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS**
**TABLE 35**
**Export Performance based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)<sup>(a)</sup>**

		Exports (US dollars million)											
Period		Food and Live Animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes	Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s.	Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC	Total Exports	Total Exports (Rs. million)
2018		2,633.2	164.8	348.4	622.1	88.8	214.6	1,599.2	541.1	5,677.4	...	11,889.6	1,933,533.2
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 (b)		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
2019	1st Quarter	682.5	45.3	95.0	124.0	20.7	56.0	439.6	130.3	1,562.6	–	3,156.1	567,284.0
	2nd Quarter	606.3	38.8	84.4	117.9	17.3	56.0	384.6	176.0	1,361.7	...	2,843.1	500,491.0
	3rd Quarter	629.7	38.7	84.5	125.9	17.4	58.4	408.8	118.1	1,503.3	–	2,984.8	531,902.9
	4th Quarter	623.4	39.5	79.2	153.3	18.6	53.0	394.8	107.6	1,486.8	...	2,956.0	535,118.5
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	536.4	27.3	82.3	177.7	16.4	47.5	334.4	100.7	1,327.0	–	2,649.7	483,213.3
	2nd Quarter	541.8	20.2	72.4	41.8	17.8	49.2	261.1	70.9	688.0	–	1,763.1	330,996.4
	3rd Quarter	732.4	39.0	111.3	77.3	33.3	63.3	401.2	117.6	1,456.8	...	3,032.2	561,811.2
	4th Quarter	598.7	30.1	102.7	76.8	29.1	64.0	347.3	106.9	1,246.8	0.1	2,602.4	482,899.2
2020 (b)	February	204.2	10.0	30.7	57.8	6.0	15.9	128.1 (c)	39.6	496.1	–	988.5 (c)	179,477.9 (c)
	March	137.2	6.6	20.5	37.0	4.4	13.8	76.8 (c)	24.3	335.6	–	656.2 (c)	121,437.6 (c)
	April	121.2	3.6	12.3	14.5	2.9	11.2	31.3	10.3	75.1	–	282.3	54,510.0
	May	185.2	5.9	25.7	10.6	6.4	17.2	82.2	24.0	229.5	–	586.7	110,218.0 (c)
	June	235.4	10.7	34.3	16.7	8.5	20.7	147.6	36.7	383.4	–	894.1	166,268.5
	July	289.9	11.7	42.8	26.7	11.3	22.3	151.3	38.6	490.3	–	1,085.0	201,649.8
	August	214.2	14.8	32.6	22.0	10.6	21.4	122.0	36.2	473.5	–	947.2	175,136.8
	September	228.3	12.5	35.8	28.6	11.4	19.6	128.0 (c)	42.8	492.9	...	1,000.0	185,039.5 (c)
	October	207.1	10.4	35.3	24.4	10.5	22.7	105.5 (c)	24.3	414.2	–	854.3 (c)	157,560.8 (c)
	November	185.6	6.9	35.1	21.3	9.3	19.7	119.1	37.2	349.5	–	783.7	144,810.4
	December	206.1	12.7	32.3	31.2	9.3	21.6	122.7	45.3	483.2	0.1	964.5	180,528.0
2021 (b)	January	209.2	10.5	31.0	34.4	7.1	21.6	131.7	46.9	444.1	0.2	936.7	178,425.9
	February	209.9	9.3	32.9	22.7	10.1	21.2	123.3	47.2	475.2	–	951.7	184,700.2

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

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

... Negligible

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

## Composition of Industrial and Mineral Exports

US dollars thousand

Item	February (a)	
	2020	2021
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	36,649	41,656
Milling Industry Products	4,693	4,467
Vegetable, Fruit and Nuts Preparations	13,563	17,629
Cereal Preparations	1,586	2,119
Fish Preparations (b)	1,842	1,550
Manufactured Tobacco	4,529	4,895
Other	10,436	10,995
Animal Fodder	10,957	8,552
Textiles and Garments	468,137	443,328
Garments	433,729	408,417
Woven Fabrics	12,948	13,586
Yarn	8,165	6,955
Other Made-up Textile Articles	13,295	14,369
Rubber Products	71,523	80,956
Rubber Tyres	41,769	44,598
Surgical and Other Gloves	17,315	29,407
Other Rubber Products	12,439	6,952
Gems, Diamonds and Jewellery	21,429	19,675
Gems	6,983	8,140
Diamonds	13,642	10,884
Jewellery	804	652
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances	34,768	39,602
Electrical Machinery and Equipment	2,235	3,334
Electronic Equipment	11,489	12,564
Insulated Wires, Cables and Conductors	6,240	6,338
Other Industrial Machinery	14,804	17,366
Transport Equipment	6,925	8,999
Road Vehicles	4,189	5,520
Ships, Boats and Floating Structures	127	261
Other	2,610	3,219
Petroleum Products	57,834	22,671
Bunkers and Aviation Fuel	57,404	21,969
Other Petroleum Products	430	702
Chemical Products	12,949	15,325
Wood and Paper Products	11,221	9,887
Leather, Travel Goods and Footwear	7,342	4,461
Footwear	3,510	1,383
Travel Goods	2,268	2,377
Other	1,565	701
Plastics and Articles	6,037	6,601
Base Metals and Articles	12,068	8,983
Ceramic Products	2,642	2,893
Tiles	540	401
Tableware, Household Items and Sanitaryware	1,732	2,188
Other	369	304
Other Industrial Exports	29,633	26,726
<b>TOTAL INDUSTRIAL EXPORTS</b>	<b>790,113</b>	<b>740,315</b>
Mineral Exports		
Natural Graphite	308	399
Natural Sands	0	0
Quartz	819	713
Other	709	2,531
<b>TOTAL MINERAL EXPORTS</b>	<b>1,836</b>	<b>3,644</b>

(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

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TABLE 37

Tea and Rubber – Auctions and Exports

Period	Tea								Rubber															
	Exports			Colombo Auctions					Exports				Prices											
	Volume (kg '000)	Value US\$ mn	Price F.O.B. Price US\$/kg	Quantity Sold (kg. '000)	Gross Price (Rs./kg)				Volume ('000 kg)				Value (US \$ mn)			Price F.O.B. (US\$/kg)	Colombo Market (Rs./kg)				R.S.S. No.3 Singapore (US\$ / kg)			
					High	Medium	Low	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other	Total	Sheet	Crepe	Other		Total	R.S.S.		Latex Crepe		Scrap Crepe No. IX Br		
																No.1	No.2	IX Br.	No.1					
2018	282,364	1,428	5.06	281,828	573.32	518.18	600.17	581.58	1,368	10,055	2,559	13,982	2.3	24.2	5.1	31.6	2.26	281.36	273.85	321.70	313.12	210.34	1.57	
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 (a)	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	
2019	1st Qtr	73,625	347	4.72	74,635	571.07	507.13	608.51	584.69	510	3,522	855	4,887	0.8	6.1	1.5	8.4	1.71	255.91	253.78	240.76	236.76	213.94	1.66
	2nd Qtr	71,519	338	4.72	74,262	498.59	466.61	567.41	536.78	639	2,150	902	3,690	1.0	4.0	1.6	6.6	1.79	285.69	279.25	291.50	286.16	249.31	1.80
	3rd Qtr	75,952	340	4.48	76,307	452.30	424.46	542.52	506.02	493	1,575	331	2,400	0.8	3.4	0.9	5.1	2.14	297.61	285.67	319.98	317.00	251.50	1.56
	4th Qtr	71,562	321	4.49	65,256	521.14	467.48	595.96	559.18	464	1,298	265	2,026	0.8	2.8	0.6	4.1	2.01	314.83	312.44	357.05	353.60	265.48	1.55
2020 (a)	1st Qtr	59,579	270	4.53	59,588	560.20	520.29	629.05	597.44	854	2,011	854	3,719	1.4	4.4	1.4	7.2	1.93	309.24	–	351.39	350.79	248.33	1.60
	2nd Qtr	64,508	302	4.68	64,692	625.37	586.91	718.31	672.63	687	1,819	680	3,186	1.0	4.1	1.2	6.3	1.97	–	–	320.22	316.83	195.22	1.36
	3rd Qtr	74,209	348	4.69	83,154	546.38	533.33	667.52	620.17	1,077	1,542	1,130	3,750	1.6	3.0	1.8	6.5	1.72	323.00	281.25	328.33	326.21	256.45	1.68
	4th Qtr	67,274	321	4.78	61,806	628.53	573.65	668.83	645.16	1,700	1,644	1,768	5,111	3.2	4.0	3.1	10.2	1.99	403.18	373.50	436.19	429.76	326.61	2.27
2020 (a)	Feb	23,657	108	4.56	20,548	575.25	534.90	631.26	604.54	387	850	396	1,634	0.6	1.8	0.7	3.1	1.92	301.25	–	351.00	349.08	247.27	1.61
	Mar	13,828	63	4.52	14,220	566.67	535.78	627.49	597.96	190	334	201	725	0.3	0.8	0.3	1.4	1.87	300.00	–	351.75	354.63	242.00	1.50
	Apr	18,158	78	4.32	19,107	651.48	618.29	742.80	697.18	40	483	182	705	0.1	1.2	0.4	1.6	2.23	–	–	330.67	333.00	201.00	1.33
	May	22,663	108	4.78	17,031	653.51	597.80	754.36	705.00	215	502	230	948	0.3	1.1	0.4	1.8	1.91	–	–	330.00	320.50	191.17	1.35
	Jun	23,686	115	4.85	28,555	571.12	544.63	657.78	615.69	432	834	267	1,533	0.6	1.8	0.5	2.9	1.88	–	–	300.00	297.00	193.50	1.40
	Jul	28,045	131	4.67	35,845	532.52	522.22	670.03	613.83	671	602	501	1,773	1.0	1.1	0.8	2.9	1.63	–	270.00	298.00	293.00	218.60	1.48
	Aug	22,011	103	4.68	21,371	542.36	541.92	667.80	622.40	207	353	286	846	0.3	0.7	0.5	1.5	1.77	–	292.50	332.00	331.13	259.75	1.70
	Sep	24,153	114	4.72	25,938	564.26	535.86	664.73	624.29	199	587	344	1,130	0.3	1.2	0.6	2.1	1.83	323.00	–	355.00	354.50	291.00	1.86
	Oct	23,119	112	4.85	19,842	610.47	568.46	679.65	647.81	341	410	519	1,271	0.6	0.9	0.9	2.4	1.88	362.67	330.00	399.25	385.60	283.50	2.19
	Nov	20,224	96	4.76	20,709	631.53	568.51	664.73	642.80	592	472	607	1,672	1.1	1.1	1.0	3.2	1.91	406.88	417.00	447.17	445.33	336.33	2.30
	Dec	23,931	113	4.72	21,255	643.60	583.98	662.10	644.88	767	761	641	2,169	1.5	2.0	1.1	4.6	2.12	440.00	–	462.17	458.33	360.00	2.33
2021 (a)	Jan	20,820	101	4.85	25,418	615.64	585.48	672.73	646.41	260	823	639	1,722	0.5	2.3	1.1	3.9	2.28	458.50	444.00	496.48	495.50	364.00	2.30
	Feb	23,252	113	4.84	23,363	614.62	579.62	676.37	649.08	315	564	259	1,139	0.6	1.6	0.5	2.7	2.39	444.33	426.00	602.25	597.25	366.67	2.35

(a) Provisional

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

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TABLE 38

## Major Coconut Products – Auctions and Exports

Period	Exports										Prices							
	Volume ('000 kg)				Value (US \$ '000)						F.O.B. (US \$ / kg)			Colombo Market (Rs. / kg)			London Market	
	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Total Mn. Nuts (a)	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Non-Kernel Products	Total	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra	Desiccated Coconut	Coconut Oil	Copra (b)	Philippine Copra (US\$ / kg)	Sri Lanka Desiccated Coconut (US\$ / kg)	
2018	26,630	16,613	629	355	70,310	77,479	1,457	161,755	311,001	2.64	4.66	2.31	378.22	364.59	203.85	0.62	2.59	
2019	67,819	16,400	3,915	692	95,030	60,868	5,174	168,434	329,506	1.40	3.71	1.32	251.03	310.09	158.19	0.46	1.55	
2020 (c)	43,043	19,764	1,082	574	82,818	78,667	1,620	182,066	345,172	1.92	3.98	1.50	414.46	440.41	230.00	0.63	2.45	
2019	1st Qtr	15,339	3,990	952	159	23,941	16,956	1,321	45,620	87,838	1.56	4.25	1.39	260.19	323.34	167.18	0.46	1.61
	2nd Qtr	15,760	4,114	802	163	24,206	15,684	1,038	44,428	85,356	1.54	3.81	1.29	239.06	308.28	156.46	0.41	1.56
	3rd Qtr	19,702	4,042	745	193	25,420	13,825	936	45,103	85,284	1.29	3.42	1.26	221.51	291.00	138.53	0.44	1.30
	4th Qtr	17,018	4,255	1,415	177	21,463	14,404	1,879	33,283	71,028	1.26	3.39	1.33	283.39	317.76	176.00	0.54	1.72
2020 (c)	1st Qtr	11,794	3,208	902	125	19,194	12,056	1,266	37,910	70,425	1.63	3.76	1.40	389.19	393.04	230.00	0.57	2.28
	2nd Qtr	8,198	4,208	53	101	16,545	15,954	89	43,785	76,373	2.02	3.79	1.67	415.17	496.73	–	0.54	2.17
	3rd Qtr	13,426	7,134	66	167	26,918	28,461	137	54,982	110,498	2.00	3.99	2.07	439.26	450.23	–	0.65	2.31
	4th Qtr	9,624	5,214	61	135	20,161	22,195	129	45,389	87,875	2.09	4.26	2.13	–	–	–	0.81	3.03
2020 (c)	Feb	4,653	1,082	272	47	7,666	4,364	385	13,751	26,166	1.65	4.03	1.42	399.79	405.56	229.67	0.53	2.33
	Mar	3,177	847	116	33	5,479	3,035	165	11,027	19,706	1.72	3.58	1.43	391.11	400.00	–	0.53	2.17
	Apr	1,810	780	32	21	3,563	2,727	49	7,946	14,285	1.97	3.50	1.52	–	–	–	0.53	2.16
	May	2,653	1,571	21	34	5,395	5,873	31	16,556	27,855	2.03	3.74	1.50	415.00	492.21	–	0.52	2.16
	Jun	3,735	1,857	...	45	7,587	7,354	9	19,283	34,233	2.03	3.96	56.20	415.34	501.25	–	0.58	2.20
	Jul	5,139	2,366	44	61	9,866	9,363	80	21,490	40,799	1.92	3.96	1.84	406.09	461.74	–	0.56	2.25
	Aug	3,982	2,319	–	51	7,937	9,093	–	16,896	33,926	1.99	3.92	–	446.21	440.97	–	0.62 (d)	2.24
	Sep	4,306	2,449	22	55	9,115	10,005	56	16,596	35,772	2.12	4.09	2.53	465.49	447.98	–	0.65 (d)	2.43
	Oct	3,771	2,054	29	47	7,231	8,524	57	16,693	32,505	1.92	4.15	1.96	(e)	(e)	(e)	0.70 (d)	2.72
	Nov	2,972	1,773	22	39	6,427	7,334	51	14,786	28,598	2.16	4.14	2.31	(e)	(e)	(e)	0.85	3.00
	Dec	2,882	1,387	10	39	6,503	6,337	22	13,910	26,772	2.26	4.57	2.21	–	–	–	0.88	3.37
2021 (c)	Jan	2,382	865	1	29	5,206	4,219	4	14,726	24,156	2.19	4.88	7.04	(e)	(e)	(e)	0.96	2.33
	Feb	3,617	1,261	11	44	7,375	5,735	27	17,767	30,905	2.04	4.55	2.45	(e)	(e)	(e)	n.a.	3.43

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

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

(c) Provisional

(d) Revised

(e) Coconut auction has not been held since October 2020

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



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TABLE 39

Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Volume

Volume ('000 kg)

Period	Spices					Minor Agricultural Products												
	Cinnamon	Pepper	Cloves	Nutmeg and Mace	Other Spices	Vegetables	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Fruits	Cereals	Sesame Seeds	Cocoa	Coffee	Arecanuts	Betel Leaves	Essential Oils	Cashew Nuts	Other	
2018	17,860	13,601	3,290	2,350	1,400	25,765	817	37,363	10,254	3,616	296	24	4,947	4,009	195	72	36,705	
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 (a)	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	
2019	1st Quarter	3,922	1,415	2,969	543	297	6,029	253	9,409	2,677	1	163	7	600	1,174	39	15	8,971
	2nd Quarter	3,205	1,564	1,274	954	276	6,022	159	9,803	1,330	1	143	7	616	804	43	12	10,597
	3rd Quarter	5,157	3,281	451	1,173	299	6,358	200	8,972	1,478	19	105	5	1,462	979	50	19	5,313
	4th Quarter	5,196	2,074	432	747	270	5,548	192	10,712	1,516	1	109	4	3,457	1,721	53	10	9,594
2020 (a)	1st Quarter	3,341	969	732	276	366	4,497	159	9,235	3,133	1	128	4	4,366	1,515	26	8	8,294
	2nd Quarter	3,318	2,340	589	595	302	5,556	153	10,415	2,362	...	34	4	3,630	518	34	3	6,279
	3rd Quarter	6,998	3,193	711	955	388	16,283	290	9,563	2,601	1	59	13	4,349	1,011	63	13	6,878
	4th Quarter	5,432	3,040	564	625	390	6,870	241	9,512	3,404	1	34	5	239	895	61	15	7,567
2020 (a)	February	1,258	353	289	53	122	1,613	52	3,151	2,207	...	63	1	1,704	511	8	6	2,768
	March	650	152	225	77	122	1,151	48	2,897	471	...	29	1	1,204	398	8	1	1,790
	April	731	150	84	62	61	1,072	42	2,898	529	–	6	...	334	87	3	...	713
	May	926	761	267	208	91	1,476	45	3,558	917	...	7	1	1,127	116	15	2	1,401
	June	1,661	1,429	238	325	150	3,008	66	3,959	917	...	21	3	2,170	316	16	1	4,166
	July	2,210	1,459	367	450	134	8,425	84	3,571	766	1	20	5	2,375	286	29	8	3,027
	August	2,410	805	218	239	97	6,405	120	2,693	775	...	14	5	1,497	193	10	3	1,950
	September	2,378	929	127	267	157	1,454	86	3,299	1,059	...	25	4	477	533	24	2	1,901
	October	1,877	663	131	194	128	4,333	100	3,745	694	–	21	2	164	410	17	6	2,265
	November	2,051	939	116	239	147	1,575	60	3,079	1,702	1	8	1	73	286	13	4	2,312
	December	1,504	1,438	318	192	115	962	82	2,688	1,008	–	5	2	1	200	30	5	2,990
2021 (a)	January	2,034	1,489	687	125	154	1,132	48	2,784	810	...	17	1	155	279	22	5	2,845
	February	1,304	1,338	1,192	137	109	1,267	53	2,837	729	...	7	3	589	315	12	3	2,828

(a) Provisional  
... Negligible

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

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TABLE 40

## Exports of Other Agricultural Products – Value

US \$ '000

Period	Spices						Minor Agricultural Products												Total
	Cinnamon	Pepper	Cloves	Nutmeg and Mace	Other Spices	Vegetables	Unmanufactured Tobacco	Fruits	Cereals	Sesame Seeds	Cocoa	Coffee	Arecanuts	Betel Leaves	Essential Oils	Cashew nuts	Other		
2018	228,490	77,656	16,838	28,817	8,422	28,240	35,574	39,199	7,024	4,901	697	285	17,864	16,169	3,861	825	27,525	542,389	
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 (a)	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	
2019																			
1st Quarter	45,237	8,370	18,987	5,931	2,082	8,083	7,450	10,544	1,555	8	423	78	1,891	4,819	950	163	6,759	123,333	
2nd Quarter	35,574	8,729	6,432	10,271	1,961	7,888	9,142	9,507	1,286	6	273	114	2,142	3,281	907	194	7,354	105,061	
3rd Quarter	53,239	20,699	2,932	12,191	2,144	8,099	9,168	9,893	1,328	39	193	107	4,653	3,938	867	261	6,469	136,219	
4th Quarter	53,494	12,649	2,220	7,441	1,965	7,930	8,967	11,116	1,480	4	212	55	12,590	6,971	818	94	6,702	134,708	
2020 (a)																			
1st Quarter	35,874	4,706	4,623	3,584	2,259	6,820	4,402	8,510	1,750	5	230	44	15,931	6,116	656	96	6,230	101,835	
2nd Quarter	39,232	11,470	3,397	6,975	1,728	7,016	5,133	8,047	2,183	...	111	48	13,051	2,150	870	30	4,644	106,086	
3rd Quarter	84,519	17,448	4,455	10,625	2,198	14,653	10,129	9,217	2,392	6	169	156	15,459	4,074	1,682	211	6,985	184,380	
4th Quarter	67,712	18,541	3,699	7,795	2,653	8,078	5,818	7,331	2,657	5	145	68	860	3,613	1,523	201	7,211	137,911	
2020 (a)																			
February	13,022	1,919	2,001	866	845	2,369	1,727	2,895	911	2	88	9	6,158	2,064	230	54	2,271	37,431	
March	9,128	955	1,236	1,115	478	1,809	1,045	2,139	418	1	62	14	4,364	1,586	219	6	1,733	26,307	
April	9,304	861	606	1,084	187	1,237	1,608	2,104	496	–	22	5	1,215	366	121	9	598	19,824	
May	10,869	3,767	1,770	2,222	640	1,874	2,208	2,655	845	...	30	11	4,191	476	258	14	1,689	33,520	
June	19,059	6,842	1,021	3,670	901	3,904	1,317	3,288	841	...	59	32	7,644	1,308	491	7	2,357	52,742	
July	25,828	7,208	2,098	5,065	739	7,145	2,485	3,334	771	5	45	81	8,386	1,145	688	147	2,884	68,055	
August	30,180	4,531	1,374	3,036	605	5,169	4,923	2,904	747	...	43	27	5,345	781	346	30	1,844	61,887	
September	28,510	5,710	984	2,524	854	2,340	2,270	2,979	874	1	80	48	1,728	2,148	648	34	2,256	54,438	
October	24,457	4,293	1,125	2,523	1,175	4,386	2,039	2,564	669	–	83	28	604	1,663	482	68	2,559	48,718	
November	23,932	5,749	865	2,505	711	2,022	1,268	2,217	1,025	5	39	14	253	1,149	442	56	2,363	44,615	
December	19,323	8,499	1,708	2,767	767	1,670	2,512	2,551	963	–	23	26	3	801	600	77	2,289	44,578	
2021 (a)																			
January	26,798	8,918	3,895	1,670	761	1,658	2,199	2,649	784	...	60	11	572	1,123	457	71	2,340	53,967	
February	16,296	8,452	5,183	2,711	479	1,530	2,414	2,517	739	...	34	35	2,171	1,268	447	38	1,982	46,298	

(a) Provisional  
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Source : Sri Lanka Customs

## Composition of Imports

US dollars million

Category	2017	2018	2019	2020 (a)	February (a)	
					2020	2021
<b>1. Consumer Goods</b>	<b>4,503</b>	<b>4,980</b>	<b>3,957</b>	<b>3,402</b>	<b>327.3</b>	<b>272.7</b>
<b>1.1 Food and Beverages</b>	<b>1,841</b>	<b>1,606</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>135.8</b>	<b>131.8</b>
Lentils	114	79	80	97	5.4	9.3
Onions	123	109	124	149	12.0	11.5
Sugar	256	248	200	276	25.6	29.0
Rice	301	107	13	11	1.4	1.1
Flour	2	3	3	7	1.6	0.6
Dairy Products	316	332	312	334	28.0	31.7
Fish	214	192	210	186	11.4	5.2
Oil and Fats	46	47	29	107	3.7	19.4
Spices	93	114	115	127	13.4	6.2
Other	375	375	341	262	33.3	18.0
<b>1.2 Non-Food Consumer Goods</b>	<b>2,661</b>	<b>3,374</b>	<b>2,530</b>	<b>1,847</b>	<b>191.4</b>	<b>140.9</b>
Vehicles	773	1,574	816	283	53.6	0.9
Home Appliances - Radio Receivers and Television Sets	141	124	102	84	11.3	8.4
Household and Furniture Items	186	169	172	147	13.2	13.8
Rubber Products	94	95	83	58	6.8	9.0
Medical and Pharmaceutical Products	520	532	553	596	42.2	41.2
Other	948	880	805	680	64.4	67.6
<b>2. Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>11,436</b>	<b>12,488</b>	<b>11,370</b>	<b>9,077</b>	<b>911.5</b>	<b>945.9</b>
Fertiliser	103	262	221	259	13.2	14.0
Fuel	3,428	4,152	3,892	2,543	418.7	320.2
Chemical Products	834	904	831	831	64.4	77.4
Wheat and Maize	357	373	346	384	8.4	55.5
Textiles and Textile Articles	2,724	2,859	2,909	2,335	182.0	222.8
Diamonds, Precious Stones and Metals	772	573	201	117	6.3	12.1
Base Metals	629	683	563	460	20.4	28.2
Vehicle and Machinery Parts	295	296	270	239	18.8	27.3
Paper and Paperboards and Articles thereof	485	529	457	383	32.3	31.9
Other	1,809	1,857	1,678	1,524	146.9	156.6
<b>3. Investment Goods</b>	<b>4,895</b>	<b>4,690</b>	<b>4,603</b>	<b>3,563</b>	<b>318.8</b>	<b>303.7</b>
Building Materials	1,591	1,525	1,509	1,036	102.5	89.2
Transport Equipment	675	668	597	348	32.6	20.6
Machinery and Equipment	2,621	2,492	2,490	2,176	183.5	193.8
Other	8	6	8	3	0.3	0.1
<b>4. Total ( Items 1, 2 and 3 )</b>	<b>20,833</b>	<b>22,158</b>	<b>19,929</b>	<b>16,041</b>	<b>1,557.5</b>	<b>1,522.3</b>
<b>5. Unclassified Imports</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<b>6. Total Imports (b)</b>	<b>20,980</b>	<b>22,233</b>	<b>19,937</b>	<b>16,055</b>	<b>1,562.3</b>	<b>1,523.6</b>

(a) Provisional

(b) Adjusted

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

## TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 42

Import Performance based on Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)<sup>(a)</sup>

		Imports (US dollars million)											
Period		Food and Live Animals	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude Materials, Inedible, except Fuels	Mineral Fuels, Lubricants and Related Materials	Animal and Vegetable Oils, Fats and Waxes	Chemicals and Related Products, n.e.s.	Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Materials	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Commodities and Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere in the SITC	Total Imports	Total Imports (Rs. million)
2018		2,173.4	161.2	487.5	4,151.9	184.6	2,372.4	5,896.2	5,232.7	1,111.7	461.0	22,232.7	3,606,643.7
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 (b)		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
2019	1st Quarter	432.4	38.5	98.8	1,018.6	39.4	520.0	1,401.4	1,022.0	241.2	4.4	4,816.9	866,034.4
	2nd Quarter	493.1	32.9	124.7	982.3	20.6	521.8	1,374.2	996.2	228.3	4.9	4,779.1	840,828.4
	3rd Quarter	460.9	41.1	115.6	929.5	22.7	590.0	1,499.8	1,082.6	253.4	4.3	5,000.1	891,263.3
	4th Quarter	571.7	34.5	126.5	961.1	28.5	578.8	1,553.3	1,191.4	288.9	6.3	5,341.0	966,902.3
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	562.4	26.2	133.4	948.2	47.6	465.1	1,153.2	927.7	235.1	3.8	4,502.7	821,456.7
	2nd Quarter	494.5	25.7	98.3	295.2	22.6	510.6	843.8	727.9	150.0	3.4	3,171.9	599,729.5
	3rd Quarter	527.6	22.1	107.9	661.8	57.9	566.1	1,200.5	766.1	194.2	3.6	4,107.7	760,928.0
	4th Quarter	523.2	19.8	96.7	637.4	67.3	650.6	1,276.8	782.7	210.9	7.7	4,273.1	792,801.0
2020 (b)	February	158.9	10.9	42.9	418.7	24.0	163.7	358.8	303.2	79.9	1.5	1,562.3	283,659.9
	March	224.8	5.5	41.5	237.7	10.0	124.5	291.5	218.3	49.7	1.4	1,205.0	223,002.4
	April	164.8	6.6	31.6	121.8	7.0	172.0	292.6	280.5	45.3	0.4	1,122.6	216,759.0
	May	182.9	6.6	37.5	62.9	10.3	168.4	231.1	245.3	46.7	2.2	993.8	186,704.5
	June	146.7	12.5	29.2	110.4	5.4	170.2	320.1	202.2	58.0	0.8	1,055.5	196,265.9
	July	167.7	6.3	40.9	200.3	19.0	186.3	383.1	224.3	63.1	2.6	1,293.7	240,431.4
	August	160.9	9.1	28.4	247.5	21.9	168.4	369.9	225.1	57.5	0.3	1,289.1	238,344.5
	September	198.9	6.6	38.5	214.0	17.0	211.4	447.5	316.7	73.6	0.7	1,524.9	282,152.1
	October	153.8	6.4	30.8	223.4	20.3	195.4	428.2	235.6	66.2	2.6	1,362.8	251,348.4
	November	161.3	5.9	29.6	178.9	24.3	237.0	414.2	262.2	68.0	2.3	1,383.7	255,691.5
	December	208.1	7.5	36.3	235.1	22.7	218.2	434.4	284.8	76.8	2.8	1,526.6	285,761.2
	2021 (b)	January	201.4	7.0	40.3	309.8	33.4	195.4	421.1	307.0	75.0	1.2	1,591.6
February		195.1	5.0	45.8	320.2	34.3	185.7	399.2	265.5	71.4	1.3	1,523.6	295,680.5

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

(b) Provisional

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

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 43

External Trade Indices – Export Value<sup>(a)</sup>

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			
2018	228.4	340.9	226.1	218.7	142.4	26.0	269.5	237.0	160.7	203.4	198.3	
2019	263.9	313.1	246.0	244.7	147.8	22.1	314.2	266.2	168.9	221.4	219.0	
2020 (b)	215.6	231.3	231.2	206.0	141.4	28.5	341.6	308.6	166.2	170.0	190.7	
2019	1st Quarter	279.5	299.5	266.2	260.4	153.3	30.7	337.0	242.0	178.6	237.5	232.8
	2nd Quarter	239.0	278.8	234.1	228.4	146.0	23.7	320.9	218.5	161.4	197.2	205.4
	3rd Quarter	267.9	301.6	249.2	243.1	149.1	18.6	324.4	245.2	170.6	206.8	218.2
	4th Quarter	269.2	372.8	234.7	246.9	142.8	15.2	274.6	359.1	164.8	244.1	219.6
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	241.4	435.1	227.5	226.0	121.0	26.8	274.5	357.6	141.7	130.2	198.3
	2nd Quarter	136.1	106.2	166.6	133.2	139.7	24.1	306.6	289.5	153.8	133.0	135.8
	3rd Quarter	262.5	192.5	272.2	249.9	158.4	24.5	437.3	370.5	198.9	167.9	230.5
	4th Quarter	222.5	191.6	258.4	214.7	146.5	38.6	347.9	216.9	170.2	249.0	198.1
2020 (b)	February	269.0	423.4	247.6	249.9	144.3	34.8	304.4	396.1	163.1	146.1	220.9
	March	183.1	276.2	192.1	171.3 (c)	85.3	15.4	233.7	289.9	104.5	83.1	149.5 (c)
	April	39.9	113.1	89.1	54.1	111.5	18.6	176.7	141.7	107.0	81.8	67.1
	May	130.9	80.3	176.9	131.2	150.0	20.8	335.3	283.9	158.3	184.8	135.7
	June	237.6	125.2	233.9	214.3	157.5	32.9	407.9	442.9	196.2	132.5	204.7
	July	275.9	199.9	291.2	265.3	179.4	33.0	485.8	483.0	223.5	237.0	248.2
	August	257.5	163.7	250.3	234.8	140.3	17.0	401.9	331.6	183.8	131.2	215.6
	September	254.0	213.7	275.1	249.7	155.5	23.4	424.1	296.9	189.5	135.5	227.8
	October	209.1	181.1	274.0	205.4 (c)	152.6	27.0	384.1	239.0	179.5	176.9	194.0 (c)
	November	190.8	158.5	233.8	192.3	131.0	36.1	338.6	207.7	155.8	189.4	178.3
	December	267.6	235.3	267.4	246.4	155.9	52.8	321.1	204.0	175.2	380.6	222.2
2021 (b)	January	255.0	264.2	291.4	243.0	141.8	45.9	294.8	228.4	175.4	289.8	219.6
	February	272.3	177.4	299.6	250.3	161.0	32.4	384.3	266.3	184.5	309.8	227.4

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

## TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 44

External Trade Indices – Import Value<sup>(a)</sup>

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		
2018	173.6	420.1	288.3	196.1	227.5	157.2	249.9	202.1	222.8	267.3	161.3	266.6	244.3	237.9	
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 (b)	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	
2019	1st Quarter	161.0	318.8	234.4	213.0	242.3	127.3	253.8	127.5	219.2	304.0	120.4	290.9	260.7	228.5
	2nd Quarter	167.0	293.9	226.1	201.1	243.0	116.4	244.4	211.4	214.4	276.1	170.1	265.0	250.0	221.9
	3rd Quarter	152.1	373.1	254.9	192.9	255.3	195.2	254.4	214.8	222.1	275.6	169.1	320.6	266.2	235.2
	4th Quarter	202.2	404.3	296.3	202.4	276.9	144.0	258.8	271.2	237.9	322.3	176.4	284.8	280.0	255.1
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	208.3	302.3	252.0	201.2	221.7	69.5	236.5	196.1	204.2	276.0	126.5	231.2	230.3	216.8
	2nd Quarter	182.7	264.5	220.8	65.0	163.8	226.1	242.3	191.9	134.7	208.4	128.1	163.2	177.5	158.1
	3rd Quarter	179.2	240.9	207.9	142.6	217.3	87.4	276.2	329.5	196.1	289.9	55.4	215.0	217.0	200.8
	4th Quarter	201.3	244.8	221.6	137.6	242.9	327.4	294.6	233.7	203.9	291.7	77.1	216.5	222.9	209.2
2020 (b)	February	197.8	320.4	254.9	265.3	193.9	106.2	238.6	61.2	218.2	264.3	105.9	240.3	223.0	224.6
	March	212.4	211.6	212.0	153.5	151.2	54.4	196.5	462.6	170.7	191.3	111.6	173.7	168.8	176.5
	April	211.9	294.8	250.5	82.1	166.4	248.8	255.9	69.5	145.1	173.3	246.7	162.1	185.7	171.6
	May	184.1	246.3	213.1	41.2	133.4	247.1	232.1	299.3	120.5	235.7	83.6	140.3	174.3	147.5
	June	152.1	252.2	198.7	71.7	191.7	182.3	238.9	206.9	138.5	216.1	54.1	187.2	172.6	155.4
	July	194.2	273.0	230.9	129.9	215.0	74.5	281.1	198.9	180.0	231.5	58.9	226.1	192.7	190.3
	August	157.5	208.7	181.3	159.7	210.9	67.3	246.5	340.4	192.9	260.6	30.2	195.9	191.6	188.6
	September	185.9	241.0	211.5	138.2	226.2	120.4	301.2	449.3	215.5	377.6	77.0	223.2	266.7	223.3
	October	181.8	218.9	199.0	143.8	236.0	183.1	270.2	177.6	198.8	267.8	75.2	208.5	208.5	199.0
	November	184.7	223.0	202.5	115.4	234.8	547.2	300.0	210.0	199.4	293.5	100.4	187.8	220.3	202.4
	December	237.4	292.7	263.1	153.6	257.9	251.7	313.7	313.6	213.5	313.7	55.7	253.2	240.0	226.2
2021 (b)	January	280.9	284.0	282.4	206.0	264.3	39.8	342.6	52.3	229.8	327.5	87.2	215.8	242.2	240.0
	February	205.2	252.1	227.0	216.9	253.6	120.0	306.5	430.9	242.1	298.5	71.5	223.5	227.0	234.0

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 45

External Trade Indices – Export Volume<sup>(a)</sup>

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			
2018	132.4	251.1	111.4	158.7	85.5	26.7	132.8	162.0	92.6	99.3	137.3	
2019	143.2	246.7	109.4	170.8	88.8	24.0	177.6	163.0	97.7	98.2	147.2	
2020 (b)	111.5	238.5	100.0	153.5	80.7	29.4	168.0	173.1	90.5	68.6	132.9	
2019	1st Quarter	156.3	215.3	118.7	182.6	89.8	34.8	165.8	146.8	100.1	100.0	156.2
	2nd Quarter	135.3	197.2	105.7	161.2	86.7	27.9	177.9	139.5	93.8	90.0	139.3
	3rd Quarter	139.4	242.0	107.1	156.8	92.2	18.3	202.3	139.7	100.6	105.6	138.1
	4th Quarter	141.7	332.2	106.3	182.5	86.7	14.9	164.6	226.0	96.2	97.4	155.1
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	131.0	284.9	98.9	153.3	72.6	27.0	137.1	182.4	80.1	59.7	130.0
	2nd Quarter	69.4	168.7	75.5	103.7	77.8	24.5	149.6	143.5	83.1	51.9	95.7
	3rd Quarter	133.7	277.9	123.6	186.7	90.4	28.8	214.9	187.2	106.4	66.9	160.6
	4th Quarter	111.9	222.5	101.7	170.2	82.0	37.2	170.6	179.3	92.3	95.8	145.3
2020 (b)	February	142.5	245.2	107.8	152.3 (c)	86.2	36.1	152.0	188.7	92.0	70.0	132.5 (c)
	March	102.8	209.8	81.0	129.7 (c)	51.0	15.2	114.2	133.2	58.0	35.2	107.4 (c)
	April	21.1	146.4	41.5	54.6 (c)	65.0	15.5	75.5	80.5	58.9	30.9	54.4
	May	69.0	85.9	80.3	93.0 (c)	81.8	22.2	166.4	147.0	85.5	70.1	88.8 (c)
	June	118.3	273.9	104.8	163.5 (c)	86.7	35.9	206.8	202.9	104.9	54.6	143.8 (c)
	July	146.3	383.2	139.0	194.1 (c)	102.6	43.5	247.2	225.3	122.6	85.3	170.2 (c)
	August	125.5	149.5	111.0	174.8 (c)	80.5	19.4	199.1	165.8	98.1	54.5	149.9 (c)
	September	129.4	301.0	120.8	191.2 (c)	88.1	23.5	198.4	170.5	98.4	60.8	161.6 (c)
	October	112.3	172.4	112.1	163.6 (c)	84.4	30.4	190.0	173.7	95.7	69.6	141.5 (c)
	November	96.2	186.9	87.1	146.4	74.1	37.5	169.6	188.3	87.3	67.5	127.1
	December	127.2	308.3	106.0	200.8	87.5	43.8	152.2	176.0	93.9	150.2	167.5
2021 (b)	January	129.1	192.8	106.7	158.0	76.2	37.7	135.8	159.5	87.7	110.6	135.5
	February	143.8	118.0	109.2	149.2	84.9	25.2	172.0	137.4	91.8	116.4	130.4

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

## TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 46

External Trade Indices – Import Volume<sup>(a)</sup>

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
2018		129.5	245.3	183.4	152.5	144.3	136.0	165.2	134.2	162.2	249.6	109.3	212.1	208.2	174.3
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 (b)		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
2019	1st Quarter	114.9	161.2	136.4	161.4	148.1	89.4	148.6	75.2	152.2	247.3	80.5	221.5	203.7	158.4
	2nd Quarter	122.4	154.7	137.4	145.4	148.3	88.3	150.9	120.9	147.1	226.9	114.4	197.2	193.8	153.5
	3rd Quarter	103.4	185.0	141.4	149.8	153.5	162.2	162.3	132.0	157.5	254.3	83.8	234.3	211.6	164.1
	4th Quarter	141.3	194.9	166.2	150.4	165.6	138.2	161.0	182.1	167.2	317.5	96.1	207.6	237.1	180.8
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	141.4	147.4	144.2	164.8	132.3	58.7	154.8	117.0	149.7	273.9	71.0	157.2	195.3	156.6
	2nd Quarter	114.7	133.5	123.5	85.6	92.8	178.6	141.1	107.3	103.5	198.2	60.0	117.0	144.2	114.5
	3rd Quarter	121.2	114.2	118.0	150.0	133.1	76.1	166.9	194.9	154.8	273.3	28.6	161.9	187.2	153.2
	4th Quarter	132.2	119.6	126.3	132.1	148.9	327.6	169.0	136.3	152.7	312.6	42.2	154.5	207.1	157.5
2020 (b)	February	126.1	160.6	142.2	203.6	119.3	87.3	161.2	39.2	159.6	231.6	55.9	160.3	172.4	157.5
	March	144.5	99.6	123.6	162.6	86.8	49.4	126.2	264.3	136.7	246.2	67.3	113.7	168.0	139.4
	April	128.3	149.7	138.3	115.3	97.6	184.7	155.2	37.7	120.0	168.1	108.5	124.8	142.2	126.8
	May	114.2	134.8	123.8	62.9	76.4	178.0	132.8	168.0	90.2	162.9	42.4	95.4	116.7	101.0
	June	101.6	116.0	108.3	78.4	104.4	173.1	135.1	116.2	100.2	263.8	29.0	130.9	173.5	115.8
	July	126.1	127.7	126.8	134.6	125.6	58.2	170.9	113.8	138.6	205.3	31.5	165.5	155.9	138.7
	August	105.1	97.2	101.4	169.3	123.6	59.4	149.8	203.4	154.0	267.3	17.6	149.8	178.4	147.8
	September	132.4	117.8	125.6	146.1	150.1	110.5	180.1	267.6	171.8	347.2	36.6	170.2	227.3	173.0
	October	123.2	114.5	119.1	149.3	143.9	183.5	157.7	123.4	156.7	398.8	37.5	170.9	252.8	168.0
	November	121.4	113.7	117.8	114.7	148.3	510.5	170.3	112.9	149.8	260.3	56.0	122.4	175.0	147.6
	December	152.0	130.7	142.1	132.4	154.4	288.7	178.9	172.6	151.5	278.8	33.1	170.3	193.4	156.9
2021 (b)	January	183.8	126.8	157.3	168.9	153.7	28.5	192.2	31.1	158.9	302.9	49.1	142.8	200.3	165.8
	February	120.7	112.0	116.6	158.8	148.3	89.3	162.7	224.8	155.6	259.0	36.1	146.7	177.3	151.4

(a) Volume index is computed as a Laspeyres index

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional



**TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS**
**TABLE 47**
**External Trade Indices – Export Unit Value<sup>(a)</sup>**

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			
2018	172.5	135.8	202.9	137.8	166.5	97.4	202.9	146.3	173.5	204.7	144.4	
2019	184.3	127.0	224.8	143.3	166.4	92.0	176.9	163.3	172.8	225.4	148.8	
2020 (b)	193.4	97.0	231.3	134.2	175.2	96.9	203.3	178.3	183.7	248.0	143.5	
2019	1st Quarter	178.8	139.1	224.3	142.6	170.8	88.3	203.2	164.9	178.4	237.6	149.0
	2nd Quarter	176.7	141.4	221.4	141.7	168.4	85.1	180.4	156.6	172.0	219.1	147.4
	3rd Quarter	192.2	124.6	232.6	155.0	161.7	102.0	160.4	175.5	169.6	195.9	158.0
	4th Quarter	189.9	112.2	220.9	135.3	164.8	101.8	166.8	158.9	171.2	250.7	141.6
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	184.3	152.7	230.0	147.5	166.6	99.0	200.1	196.1	177.0	218.1	152.5
	2nd Quarter	196.0	62.9	220.6	128.4	179.5	98.3	205.0	201.8	185.1	256.5	141.9
	3rd Quarter	196.3	69.3	220.2	133.9	175.3	84.9	203.5	197.9	187.0	251.0	143.6
	4th Quarter	198.8	86.1	254.0	126.1	178.7	103.7	204.0	121.0	184.4	259.9	136.3
2020 (b)	February	188.8	172.7	229.8	164.1 (c)	167.4	96.4	200.2	210.0	177.3	208.6	166.7 (c)
	March	178.1	131.7	237.2	132.1 (c)	167.2	101.2	204.6	217.6	180.2	235.9	139.2 (c)
	April	189.1	77.2	214.9	99.0 (c)	171.7	119.7	234.2	175.9	181.7	264.8	123.3
	May	189.7	93.5	220.2	141.1 (c)	183.3	93.9	201.5	193.1	185.1	263.8	152.7 (c)
	June	200.8	45.7	223.1	131.0 (c)	181.7	91.7	197.3	218.3	187.0	242.5	142.3 (c)
	July	188.6	52.2	209.5	136.7 (c)	174.9	75.8	196.5	214.4	182.3	277.8	145.8 (c)
	August	205.2	109.6	225.5	134.4 (c)	174.4	87.5	201.8	200.0	187.3	240.6	143.8 (c)
	September	196.3	71.0	227.7	130.6 (c)	176.5	99.6	213.8	174.1	192.7	222.9	141.0 (c)
	October	186.2	105.1	244.4	125.6 (c)	180.7	88.9	202.2	137.6	187.5	254.2	137.1 (c)
	November	198.3	84.8	268.5	131.4	176.9	96.2	199.7	110.3	178.5	280.6	140.3
	December	210.4	76.3	252.2	122.7	178.1	120.4	211.0	115.9	186.6	253.3	132.7
2021 (b)	January	197.5	137.0	273.1	153.9	186.1	121.9	217.0	143.2	199.9	262.0	162.1
	February	189.4	150.3	274.3	167.8	189.7	128.8	223.4	193.9	201.1	266.2	174.4

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

## TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 48

External Trade Indices – Import Unit Value<sup>(a)</sup>

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	
2018	134.1	171.3	157.2	128.6	157.6	115.5	151.3	150.5	137.3	107.1	147.5	125.7	117.4	136.5	105.8	
2019	141.6	199.8	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 (b)	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	
2019	1st Quarter	140.1	197.8	171.9	131.9	163.5	142.4	170.9	169.6	144.0	122.9	149.6	131.3	128.0	144.2	103.3
	2nd Quarter	136.5	190.0	164.5	138.3	163.9	131.8	161.9	174.9	145.7	121.6	148.6	134.4	129.0	144.5	102.0
	3rd Quarter	147.1	201.6	180.3	128.8	166.4	120.3	156.7	162.7	141.0	108.4	201.8	136.9	125.8	143.3	110.3
	4th Quarter	143.1	207.5	178.2	134.6	167.2	104.1	160.8	149.0	142.2	101.5	183.6	137.1	118.1	141.1	100.3
2020 (b)	1st Quarter	147.3	205.0	174.8	122.1	167.6	118.3	152.8	167.6	136.4	100.8	178.3	147.0	118.0	138.4	109.7
	2nd Quarter	159.3	198.1	178.8	76.0	176.5	126.6	171.8	178.9	130.2	105.1	213.6	139.4	123.1	138.1	102.7
	3rd Quarter	147.8	210.9	176.3	95.1	163.3	114.9	165.5	169.0	126.7	106.1	193.9	132.9	115.9	131.1	110.2
	4th Quarter	152.3	204.7	175.4	104.1	163.2	99.9	174.4	171.5	133.6	93.3	182.8	140.1	107.7	132.8	103.1
2020 (b)	February	156.9	199.4	179.3	130.4	162.6	121.7	148.0	156.3	136.7	114.1	189.3	149.9	129.3	142.7	116.9 (c)
	March	147.0	212.5	171.5	94.4	174.2	110.2	155.8	175.0	124.9	77.7	165.7	152.7	100.5	126.7	109.9 (c)
	April	165.2	197.0	181.2	71.2	170.5	134.7	164.9	184.3	121.0	103.1	227.3	129.9	130.5	135.4	91.1
	May	161.1	182.7	172.1	65.6	174.6	138.8	174.7	178.2	133.5	144.7	196.9	147.0	149.3	146.0	104.6 (c)
	June	149.7	217.5	183.5	91.4	183.6	105.4	176.8	178.1	138.2	81.9	186.4	143.0	99.5	134.1	106.1 (c)
	July	153.9	213.9	182.0	96.5	171.1	127.9	164.5	174.8	129.8	112.8	187.1	136.6	123.6	137.3	106.2 (c)
	August	149.9	214.8	178.8	94.4	170.6	113.2	164.6	167.3	125.3	97.5	172.1	130.7	107.4	127.6	112.7 (c)
	September	140.4	204.5	168.4	94.6	150.7	109.0	167.3	167.9	125.5	108.7	210.2	131.1	117.3	129.1	109.2 (c)
	October	147.6	191.1	167.1	96.3	164.0	99.8	171.4	143.9	126.9	67.2	200.7	122.0	82.5	118.4	115.8 (c)
	November	152.1	196.2	171.9	100.6	158.4	107.2	176.1	186.1	133.1	112.8	179.3	153.4	125.8	137.1	102.3
	December	156.2	224.0	185.2	116.0	167.0	87.2	175.3	181.7	140.9	112.5	168.4	148.7	124.1	144.2	92.0
2021 (b)	January	152.8	224.0	179.5	121.9	172.0	139.7	178.2	168.2	144.6	108.1	177.6	151.1	120.9	144.7	112.0
	February	170.1	225.1	194.7	136.6	171.0	134.5	188.4	191.7	155.5	115.2	198.0	152.3	128.0	154.6	112.8

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

TRADE, TOURISM AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

TABLE 49

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	
2018	840,956	966,731	71,636	129,492	176,905	125,067	23,009	2,333,796	72.8	457	24,757	
2019	690,716	734,056	44,143	119,681	196,856	105,414	22,836	1,913,702	57.1	474	24,831	
2020 (b)	180,830	158,448	10,231	29,627	100,766	22,706	5,096	507,704	15.0	484	25,407	
2019	1st Qtr	285,716	258,337	13,072	48,910	92,934	34,264	7,367	740,600	76.4	461	24,893
	2nd Qtr	105,043	100,873	7,679	17,176	14,446	18,976	3,656	267,849	33.8	467	25,135
	3rd Qtr	133,231	158,501	14,195	20,972	14,699	21,510	4,755	367,863	51.0	463	24,982
	4th Qtr	166,726	216,345	9,197	32,623	74,777	30,664	7,058	537,390	67.2	474	24,831
2020 (b)	1st Qtr	180,830	158,448	10,231	29,627	100,373	22,706	5,096	507,311	52.0	n.a.	n.a.
	2nd Qtr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	3rd Qtr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	4th Qtr	-	-	-	-	393	-	-	393	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2020 (b)	February	83,478	54,035	2,499	13,466	41,320	10,619	2,090	207,507	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	March	26,634	21,404	621	3,019	16,170	2,895	627	71,370	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	December	-	-	-	-	393	-	-	393	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
2021 (b)	January	55	74	-	27	1,520	6	-	1,682	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	February	559	272	14	149	2,327	29	16	3,366	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Graded establishments

(b) Provisional

Source : Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority

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

CURRENT AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT	US\$ million											
	2020 – 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (b)			2020 – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (b)			2020 – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (b)			2020 – 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (b)		
	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net	Credit	Debit	Net
<b>Goods and Services</b>	<b>4,216</b>	<b>5,397</b>	<b>-1,181</b>	<b>2,232</b>	<b>3,584</b>	<b>-1,352</b>	<b>3,524</b>	<b>4,539</b>	<b>-1,015</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>4,752</b>	<b>-1,641</b>
<b>Goods (c)</b>	<b>2,650</b>	<b>4,503</b>	<b>-1,853</b>	<b>1,763</b>	<b>3,172</b>	<b>-1,409</b>	<b>3,032</b>	<b>4,108</b>	<b>-1,075</b>	<b>2,602</b>	<b>4,273</b>	<b>-1,671</b>
General merchandise on a BOP basis	2,650	4,503	-1,853	1,763	3,172	-1,409	3,032	4,106	-1,073	2,602	4,267	-1,665
Non-monetary gold		0.2	-0.2		0.2	-0.2		2	-2		6	-6
<b>Services</b>	<b>1,567</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>29</b>
Transport	581	443	137	177	169	8	192	213	-21	224	234	-10
Sea transport	281	211	70	119	117	2	149	150	-2	154	157	-3
Freight	281	211	70	119	117	2	149	150	-2	154	157	-3
Air transport	300	232	68	58	52	6	44	63	-19	70	77	-7
Passenger	269	209	60	45	39	6	27	46	-19	53	60	-7
Freight	31	23	8	13	13	0	17	17	-0	17	17	-0
Travel (d)	682	216	466	–	73	-73	–	68	-68	1	92	-91
Construction	1	5	-4	1	1	1	4	1	3	1	3	-3
Insurance and pension services	10	27	-17	12	19	-7	8	13	-5	10	23	-14
Financial services	21	82	-61	30	47	-17	21	48	-27	24	43	-19
Telecommunication, computer and information services	264	91	173	240	75	165	255	62	193	236	60	175
Telecommunications services	13	12	1	6	6	-0.5	2	8	-5	4	7	-3
Computer services	252	80	172	235	69	165	253	54	199	232	54	178
Other business services	4	14	-10	5	8	-3	4	8	-5	4	7	-3
Government goods and services, n.i.e.	4	15	-11	4	21	-17	8	18	-10	10	16	-6
<b>Primary Income</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>-613</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>-488</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>-554</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>-446</b>
Compensation of employees	8	33	-25	8	26	-18	9	35	-26	12	39	-27
Investment income	55	643	-588	40	509	-469	34	563	-528	32	452	-419
Direct investment	4	176	-171	4	149	-145	4	160	-156	4	134	-130
Dividends	3	126	-123	3	102	-99	3	103	-99	3	97	-93
Re-invested earnings	1	50	-49	1	47	-46	1	57	-57	1	37	-36
Portfolio investment		250	-250		232	-232		234	-234		216	-216
Equity		4	-4		6	-6		8	-8		–	–
Interest		246	-246		226	-226		226	-226		216	-216
Short-term		2	-2		0.02	-0.02		0.01	-0.01		0.02	-0.02
Long-term		244	-244		226	-226		226	-226		216	-216
Other investment	26	218	-193	13	128	-115	9	169	-159	9	101	-93
Reserve assets	25		25	23		23	21		21	20		20
<b>Secondary Income</b>	<b>1,604</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>1,366</b>	<b>1,383</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>2,074</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>1,820</b>	<b>2,056</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>1,807</b>
General Government (e)	3		3	4		4	5		5	1		1
Financial corporations, non-financial corporations, households	1,600	238	1,362	1,379	169	1,210	2,069	254	1,815	2,055	249	1,806
Personal transfers	1,600	238	1,362	1,379	169	1,210	2,069	254	1,815	2,055	249	1,806
of which, Workers' remittances	1,600		1,379				2,069		2,055			
<b>Current Account</b>	<b>5,883</b>	<b>6,311</b>	<b>-428</b>	<b>3,663</b>	<b>4,289</b>	<b>-626</b>	<b>5,641</b>	<b>5,390</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>5,211</b>	<b>5,491</b>	<b>-280</b>
<b>Capital Account</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>
Capital transfers	15	8	7	14	5	9	15	5	11	7	6	1
General Government (f)	6	–	6	7		7	9	–	9	2	–	2
Financial corporations, non-financial corporations, households	9	8	1	7	5	2	7	5	2	5	6	-1
<b>Current Account + Capital Account</b>	<b>5,898</b>	<b>6,318</b>	<b>-421</b>	<b>3,677</b>	<b>4,294</b>	<b>-617</b>	<b>5,656</b>	<b>5,395</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>5,218</b>	<b>5,497</b>	<b>-279</b>

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

(Contd.)

(b) Provisional

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	US\$ million							
	2020 – 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (b)		2020 – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (b)		2020 – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (b)		2020 – 4 <sup>th</sup> 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
<b>FINANCIAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>-220</b>	<b>-1,302</b>	<b>-1,345</b>	<b>-232</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>-462</b>	<b>-819</b>
<b>Direct Investment</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>4</b>
Equity and investment fund shares	47	3	60	3	57	3	47	3
Equity other than reinvestment of earnings	-2	2	13	2	-0.1	2	9	2
Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g)	-2	2	13	2	-0.1	2	9	2
– BOI companies	10	–	9	–	0.3	–	9	–
– CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	-12	–	4	–	-0.4	–	0	–
– Other companies	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Reinvestment of earnings	50	1	47	1	57	1	37	1
Debt instruments	70	1	65	1	45	1	42	1
Direct investor in direct investment enterprise (g)	70	1	65	1	45	1	42	1
– BOI companies	70	–	65	–	45	–	42	–
Shareholder Advance	32	–	40	–	23	–	21	–
Intra Company Borrowings	38	–	25	–	22	–	21	–
Debt Repayments	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
– CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
– Other companies	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Portfolio Investment</b>	<b>-517</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-254</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-462</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-1,149</b>	<b>–</b>
Equity and investment fund shares	-16	–	-87	–	-103	–	-11	–
– CSE companies (not registered with BOI)	-16	–	-87	–	-103	–	-11	–
Debt securities	-501	–	-168	–	-359	–	-1,139	–
Central Bank	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Deposit-taking corporations, other than the central bank	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Short-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Long term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
General Government	-501	–	-168	–	-359	–	-1,139	–
Short-term (Treasury bills)	-70	–	-46	–	-0.02	–	-5	–
Long-term	-430	–	-122	–	-359	–	-1,133	–
Treasury bonds	-290	–	-85	–	-20	–	-35	–
SLDBs	22	–	–	–	-2	–	1	–
Sovereign bonds	-162	–	-37	–	-337	–	-1,099	–
Other Sectors	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Long-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Financial Derivatives</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>Other Investment</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>-1,172</b>	<b>-392</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>-333</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>256</b>
<b>Other equity</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>Currency and deposits</b>	<b>-195</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>-441</b>	<b>-65</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>-107</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>150</b>
Central Bank	-0.1	–	0.1	–	400	–	-0.1	–
Short-term	-0.1	–	0.1	–	-0.01	–	-0.1	–
Long-term	–	–	–	–	400	–	–	–
Deposit taking corporations, other than the central bank	-195	86	-441	-65	-24	-107	245	150
Short-term	-195	260	-441	-31	-24	-30	245	60
Long-term	–	-174	–	-34	–	-76	–	90
General Government	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other Sectors	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Loans</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-405</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-265</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-131</b>	<b>–</b>
Central Bank	–	–	–	–	–	–	-14	–
Credit and loans with the IMF	–	–	–	–	–	–	-14	–
Other Short-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other Long-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank	961	–	-271	–	-161	–	-453	–
Short-term	852	–	-65	–	90	–	-474	–
Long-term	109	–	-207	–	-251	–	20	–
General Government	304	–	-172	–	-141	–	179	–
Short-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Long-term	304	–	-172	–	-141	–	179	–
Other sectors (h)	-137	–	38	–	36	–	158	–
Short-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Long-term	-137	–	38	–	36	–	158	–
<b>Insurance, pension and standardised guarantee schemes</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>Trade credit and advances</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>-63</b>	<b>-379</b>	<b>-74</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>-35</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>-51</b>
Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank	–	-5	-16	-16	23	23	7	7
Short-term	–	-5	-16	-16	23	23	7	7
Other sectors (i)	132	-58	-379	-58	132	-58	301	-58
Short-term	132	-58	-379	-58	132	-58	301	-58
<b>Other accounts receivable/payable</b>	<b>-237</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>-253</b>	<b>-115</b>	<b>-191</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>157</b>
Central Bank	-237	–	54	–	-115	–	184	–
Short term (j)	-237	–	54	–	-115	–	184	–
Deposit taking corporations, except the central bank	–	311	–	-253	–	-191	–	157
Short-term	–	311	–	-253	–	-191	–	157
<b>Special Drawing Rights (SDRs)</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>–</b>
<b>Reserve Assets</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-558</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-957</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-1,078</b>	<b>–</b>
Monetary gold	–	-667	–	–	–	–	–	–
Special drawing rights	–	-7	–	2	-0.1	–	-0.2	–
Reserve position in the IMF	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other reserve assets	–	116	–	-959	889	–	-1,078	–
Currency and deposits	–	-68	–	-507	993	–	-595	–
Claims on monetary authorities	–	288	–	-1,371	998	–	-1,006	–
Claims on other entities	–	-355	–	863	-5	–	411	–
Securities	–	178	–	-450	-104	–	-481	–
Debt securities	–	178	–	-450	-104	–	-481	–
Short-term	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Long term	–	178	–	-450	-104	–	-481	–
Equity and investment fund shares	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Financial derivatives	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other claims	–	5	–	-1	-0.3	–	-3	–
<b>FINANCIAL ACCOUNT (NET)</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-649</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-44</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>-357</b>	<b>–</b>
Errors and omissions	–	-228	–	573	–	529	–	-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							
	31 <sup>st</sup> March 2020 (a)		30 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 (a)		30 <sup>th</sup> September 2020 (a)		31 <sup>st</sup> December 2020 (a)	
	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities
<b>Direct Investment (b)</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>12,399</b>	<b>1,503</b>	<b>12,772</b>	<b>1,506</b>	<b>13,216</b>	<b>1,509</b>	<b>13,832</b>
Equity and investment fund shares	1,468	7,551	1,469	7,858	1,471	8,258	1,473	8,831
Debt instruments	32	4,849	34	4,914	35	4,959	36	5,001
<b>Portfolio Investment</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>9,133</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>10,578</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>10,760</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>8,420</b>
Equity and investment fund shares		260		480		652		708
Other sectors		260		480		652		708
Debt securities (c)	0.1	8,873	0.1	10,098	0.1	10,108	0.1	7,712
Deposit taking corporations	0.1	–	0.1	–	0.1	–	0.1	–
Long-term		–		–		–		–
General Government		8,749		9,970		9,983		7,616
Short-term		53		8		9		4
Long-term		8,696		9,961		9,974		7,613
Other Sectors		124		129		125		96
Short-term								
Long term		124		129		125		96
<b>Financial Derivatives</b>								
<b>Other Investment</b>	<b>4,180</b>	<b>36,087</b>	<b>3,788</b>	<b>35,023</b>	<b>3,454</b>	<b>35,486</b>	<b>3,710</b>	<b>36,499</b>
<b>Other equity</b>								
<b>Currency and deposits</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>1,112</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>1,489</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>1,734</b>
Central Bank		0.2		0.4		400		400
Short-term		0.2		0.4		0.4		0.3
Long-term		–		–		400		400
Deposit taking corporations	857	1,553	793	1,112	686	1,088	835	1,333
Short-term	623	1,553	592	1,112	562	1,088	622	1,333
Long-term	234	–	200	–	124	–	214	–
<b>Loans</b>		<b>31,486</b>		<b>31,185</b>		<b>31,242</b>		<b>31,512</b>
Central Bank		1,300		1,310		1,340		1,378
Credit and loans with the IMF		1,300		1,310		1,340		1,378
Deposit taking corporations		6,210		5,939		5,778		5,324
Short term		4,623		4,558		4,648		4,174
Long term		1,587		1,381		1,130		1,150
General Government		19,975		19,895		20,044		20,570
Long term		19,975		19,895		20,044		20,570
Other Sectors (d)		4,002		4,042		4,080		4,240
Long-term		4,002		4,042		4,080		4,240
<b>Insurance guarantee schemes</b>								
<b>Trade credit and advances</b>	<b>1,115</b>	<b>2,288</b>	<b>1,041</b>	<b>1,908</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>2,040</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>2,341</b>
Deposit taking corporations	87		71		94		101	
Short term	87		71		94		101	
Other sectors (e)	1,028	2,288	970	1,908	912	2,040	853	2,341
Short-term	1,028	2,288	970	1,908	912	2,040	853	2,341
<b>Other accounts receivable / payable</b>	<b>2,208</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>1,954</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>1,763</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>1,920</b>	<b>343</b>
Central Bank (f)		219		273		159		343
Short-term		219		273		159		343
Deposit taking corporations	2,208		1,954		1,763		1,920	
Short-term	2,208		1,954		1,763		1,920	
<b>Special Drawing Rights (SDRs)</b>		<b>540</b>		<b>544</b>		<b>557</b>		<b>570</b>
<b>Reserve Assets</b>	<b>7,534</b>		<b>6,695</b>		<b>6,666</b>		<b>5,664</b>	
Monetary gold	340		384		406		409	
Special drawing rights	1		3		3		3	
Reserve position in the IMF	65		66		67		69	
Other reserve assets	7,128		6,243		6,190		5,184	
Currency and deposits	2,320		1,812		2,805		2,210	
Claims on monetary authorities	2,240		869		1,867		861	
Claims on other entities	80		943		939		1,350	
Securities	4,808		4,430		3,385		2,974	
Debt securities	4,808		4,430		3,385		2,974	
<b>Total Assets / Liabilities</b>	<b>13,214</b>	<b>57,619</b>	<b>11,985</b>	<b>58,373</b>	<b>11,626</b>	<b>59,463</b>	<b>10,883</b>	<b>58,750</b>
<b>Net Assets / Liabilities</b>		<b>-44,405</b>		<b>-46,388</b>		<b>-47,836</b>		<b>-47,868</b>

(a) Provisional

(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.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## International Reserves of Sri Lanka

US\$ million

End of Period	Central Bank	Government	Gross Official Reserves		Commercial Banks	Total International Reserves (3+5)		Change in Gross Official Reserves	Change in Total International Reserves
			Value	Months of Imports (a)		Value	Months of Imports (a)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2018	6,102.1	817.1	6,919.2	3.7	2,663.6	9,582.9	5.2	-1,039.4	-853.6
2019	7,256.0	386.4	7,642.4	4.6	2,759.5	10,401.9	6.3	723.2	819.0
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
2019									
1st Qtr	5,705.4	1,923.8	7,629.2	4.3	2,879.8	10,509.0	6.0	710.0	926.1
2nd Qtr	6,673.9	2,191.1	8,865.0	5.2	2,637.0	11,502.0	6.8	1,235.7	993.0
3rd Qtr	6,586.0	1,049.4	7,635.3	4.6	2,726.9	10,362.2	6.2	-1,229.7	-1,139.8
4th Qtr	7,256.0	386.4	7,642.4	4.6	2,759.5	10,401.9	6.3	7.1	39.7
2020									
1st Qtr	7,063.0	470.7	7,533.7	4.6	3,151.9	10,685.7	6.5	-108.7	283.8
2nd Qtr	6,556.5	138.1	6,694.6	4.5	2,817.9	9,512.5	6.3	-839.1	-1,173.1
3rd Qtr	6,534.0	132.3	6,666.3	4.7	2,542.6	9,208.9	6.5	-28.3	-303.6
4th Qtr	5,509.6	154.6	5,664.3	4.2	2,856.5	8,520.7	6.4	-1,002.1	-688.2
2020									
Feb	7,645.8	295.7	7,941.5	4.7	2,996.7	10,938.2	6.5	428.8	549.4
Mar	7,063.0	470.7	7,533.7	4.6	3,151.9	10,685.7	6.5	-407.8	-252.5
Apr	7,076.3	133.2	7,209.5	4.5	3,084.5	10,294.0	6.5	-324.2	-391.7
May	6,357.6	142.3	6,499.9	4.2	2,748.8	9,248.6	6.0	-709.7	-1,045.3
Jun	6,556.5	138.1	6,694.6	4.5	2,817.9	9,512.5	6.3	194.8	263.9
Jul	6,966.5	129.3	7,095.8	4.8	2,936.6	10,032.4	6.8	401.2	519.9
Aug	7,260.3	169.7	7,430.1	5.2	2,915.2	10,345.3	7.2	334.3	312.8
Sep	6,534.0	132.3	6,666.3	4.7	2,542.6	9,208.9	6.5	-763.8	-1,136.3
Oct	5,733.6	122.2	5,855.7	4.2	2,701.9	8,557.7	6.2	-810.6	-651.2
Nov	5,357.4	197.9	5,555.3	4.1	2,808.4	8,363.7	6.2	-300.5	-194.0
Dec	5,509.6	154.6	5,664.3	4.2	2,856.5	8,520.7	6.4	109.0	157.1
2021									
Jan	4,692.8	149.0	4,841.9	3.7	2,753.7	7,595.6	5.7	-822.4	-925.2
Feb	4,407.9	175.1	4,583.0	3.5	2,742.6	7,325.5	5.5	-258.9	-270.0

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

End of Period	Sri Lanka Rupees per 100 units of Foreign Currency						Monthly Average Index		
	US dollar	Pound sterling	Euro	Japanese yen	Indian rupee	SDR (a)	NEER (b) (2017=100)	REER (c) (2017=100)	
2018	18,274.99	23,186.39	20,899.28	165.47	261.32	25,351.10	94.05	95.45	
2019	18,163.40	23,845.82	20,366.62	167.17	254.67	25,116.89	88.18	90.68	
2020	18,640.82	25,435.40	22,942.19	180.81	254.67	26,847.81	85.96	91.36	
2019	1st Qtr	17,613.00	23,015.79	19,780.28	158.97	254.62	24,451.25	86.92	88.72
	2nd Qtr	17,654.24	22,367.04	20,070.22	164.04	255.61	24,543.10	89.26	91.42
	3rd Qtr	18,192.72	22,357.94	19,893.74	168.60	258.02	24,802.32	88.97	91.57
	4th Qtr	18,163.40	23,845.82	20,366.62	167.17	254.67	25,116.89	87.59	91.02
2020	1st Qtr	18,862.36	23,266.72	20,795.75	173.81	250.13	25,743.35	87.30	92.40
	2nd Qtr	18,622.92	22,918.30	20,940.54	172.93	246.74	25,619.55	86.14	91.61
	3rd Qtr	18,552.24	23,873.02	21,797.03	175.53	251.52	26,113.58	85.88	91.43
	4th Qtr	18,640.82	25,435.40	22,942.19	180.81	254.67	26,847.81	84.51	90.01
2020	Feb	18,180.71	23,432.21	19,978.78	166.28	253.73	24,967.21	87.62	92.86
	Mar	18,862.36	23,266.72	20,795.75	173.81	250.13	25,743.35	87.35	92.09
	Apr	19,285.00	24,017.54	20,955.08	180.71	255.67	26,406.56	84.73	89.67
	May	18,628.65	22,955.15	20,650.79	173.43	245.98	25,558.88	86.94	92.48
	Jun	18,622.92	22,918.30	20,940.54	172.93	246.74	25,619.55	86.74	92.67
	Jul	18,567.69	24,383.09	22,070.48	178.15	243.51	26,237.45	86.27	91.93
	Aug	18,615.78	24,841.83	22,166.74	176.51	254.61	26,414.12	85.83	91.10
	Sep	18,552.24	23,873.02	21,797.03	175.53	251.52	26,113.58	85.55	91.27
	Oct	18,427.69	23,944.94	21,664.51	176.45	248.25	26,019.71	85.63	91.17
	Nov	18,496.01	24,670.90	22,141.57	178.06	250.17	26,450.96	84.94	90.91
	Dec	18,640.82	25,435.40	22,942.19	180.81	254.67	26,847.81	82.95	87.96
2021	Jan	19,439.48	26,654.44	23,533.43	186.09	266.36	28,008.40	80.83	85.86
	Feb	19,401.19	27,430.37	23,594.76	183.00	268.27	28,066.73	79.27	84.16

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

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



## Interbank Forward Market Transactions

Period	Forward Volume (US\$ million)						Annualised Forward Premium (as % of spot) (a)		Annualised Interest Differential (as % of spot)		
	Below 1 Month	1 Month	2 Months	3 Months	Over 3 Months	Total	1 Month (%)	3 Months (%)	1 Month (%)	3 Months (%)	
2018	1,806.66	1,917.90	614.42	572.72	1,720.10	6,631.80	6.10	5.79	6.20	6.17	
2019	2,066.14	2,751.66	404.23	603.65	1,908.05	7,733.73	4.78	4.85	6.09	6.06	
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	
2019	1st Qtr	530.49	718.81	46.89	157.25	527.41	1,980.85	6.16	6.40	7.01	6.98
	2nd Qtr	419.63	713.75	96.79	189.65	529.85	1,949.67	5.83	5.83	6.16	6.13
	3rd Qtr	618.50	773.55	117.45	131.50	485.25	2,126.25	3.69	3.60	5.61	5.59
	4th Qtr	497.52	545.55	143.10	125.25	365.54	1,676.96	3.45	3.59	5.57	5.55
2020	1st Qtr	683.22	530.95	170.00	298.75	277.50	1,960.42	2.94	3.02	4.96	5.83
	2nd Qtr	612.55	656.95	179.14	112.25	387.25	1,948.14	2.36	2.32	5.11	6.00
	3rd Qtr	464.68	604.88	269.36	175.54	300.85	1,815.31	0.35	0.64	3.99	4.40
	4th Qtr	792.97	596.45	286.97	237.14	326.24	2,239.77	-0.18	-0.04	3.93	4.38
2020	Feb	127.10	146.70	11.00	95.25	83.00	463.05	3.44	3.50	4.64	5.70
	Mar	324.62	211.75	81.00	119.50	94.00	830.87	1.92	2.15	5.22	6.13
	Apr	259.78	290.15	35.00	19.00	119.75	723.68	4.72	-0.83	5.19	5.68
	May	123.39	161.55	58.00	20.00	105.25	468.19	1.57	6.86	5.20	6.35
	Jun	229.38	205.25	86.14	73.25	162.25	756.27	0.78	0.93	4.95	5.99
	Jul	228.21	215.77	147.84	45.00	90.68	727.50	0.24	0.36	4.13	4.55
	Aug	129.38	199.11	50.35	73.84	125.95	578.63	0.37	0.87	3.91	4.36
	Sep	107.09	190.00	71.17	56.70	84.22	509.18	0.44	0.69	3.92	4.28
	Oct	162.21	244.96	104.06	104.90	179.99	796.12	0.81	0.45	3.93	4.34
	Nov	291.55	150.89	103.73	70.39	117.21	733.77	0.81	0.49	3.94	4.38
	Dec	339.21	200.60	79.18	61.85	29.04	709.88	-2.10	-1.05	3.94	4.43
2021	Jan	349.89	215.04	102.63	25.69	38.88	732.13	12.99	2.38	3.96	4.47
	Feb	208.05	267.25	35.50	5.00	15.50	531.30	-0.19	-4.17	3.98	4.57

(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

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## TABLE 55

Monetary Aggregates – M<sub>1</sub> and M<sub>2</sub>

Rs. million

End of Period	Currency				Demand Deposits				Narrow Money Supply (M <sub>1</sub> ) (3)+(7)	Time and Savings Deposits held by the Public (10)	Broad Money Supply (M <sub>2</sub> ) (e) (9)+(10)
	Held by the Government (a)	Held by Banks	Held by the Public	Total	Held by the Government (b)	Held by Banks (c)	Held by the Public	Total (d)			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(1)+(2)+(3) (4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(5)+(6)+(7) (8)			
2018	...	167,876	473,066	640,943	45,597	808,482	357,727	1,211,806	830,793	5,596,536	6,427,330
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
2019 Q1	...	191,580	496,058	687,638	34,441	890,331	357,510	1,282,282	853,568	5,696,474	6,550,042
Q2	...	166,881	454,674	621,555	33,316	979,175	348,651	1,361,142	803,325	5,857,906	6,661,231
Q3	...	183,171	466,841	650,011	33,531	772,377	376,229	1,182,137	843,070	5,918,193	6,761,262
Q4	...	183,759	494,208	677,967	44,320	720,915	371,259	1,136,494	865,467	6,047,243	6,912,710
2020 Q1	...	237,220	567,970	805,190	36,717	658,761	396,786	1,092,264	964,756	6,371,192	7,335,948
Q2	...	189,451	579,490	768,941	33,743	488,975	422,361	945,078	1,001,851	6,602,276	7,604,127
Q3	...	177,383	597,951	775,334	35,697	566,002	459,413	1,061,112	1,057,364	6,969,706	8,027,070
Q4	...	193,798	641,010	834,808	52,075	623,850	536,140	1,212,066	1,177,150	7,318,638	8,495,788
2020 February	...	178,978	504,759	683,737	33,855	727,218	361,440	1,122,512	866,199	6,215,412	7,081,611
March	...	237,220	567,970	805,190	36,717	658,761	396,786	1,092,264	964,756	6,371,192	7,335,948
April	...	223,201	597,968	821,170	35,034	611,836	394,534	1,041,404	992,502	6,473,595	7,466,098
May	...	202,825	598,359	801,184	33,318	554,866	393,419	981,603	991,778	6,532,036	7,523,814
June	...	189,451	579,490	768,941	33,743	488,975	422,361	945,078	1,001,851	6,602,276	7,604,127
July	...	176,000	592,385	768,385	32,922	611,573	432,204	1,076,700	1,024,589	6,693,183	7,717,772
August	...	171,997	595,993	767,991	40,668	647,323	462,468	1,150,459	1,058,461	6,799,975	7,858,436
September	...	177,383	597,951	775,334	35,697	566,002	459,413	1,061,112	1,057,364	6,969,706	8,027,070
October	...	195,915	614,831	810,746	38,356	591,316	470,903	1,100,575	1,085,734	7,080,727	8,166,461
November	...	196,860	618,037	814,897	38,994	577,562	476,944	1,093,501	1,094,981	7,169,633	8,264,614
December	...	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 January	...	198,822	645,946	844,768	31,140	613,240	537,188	1,181,567	1,183,134	7,416,885	8,600,019
February	...	193,725	659,059	852,784	31,462	573,876	540,885	1,146,223	1,199,944	7,506,254	8,706,198

(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<sub>2</sub> equals currency held by the public plus rupee denominated demand, savings and time deposits held by the public.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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**Monetary Survey – M<sub>2</sub><sup>(a)</sup>**
**TABLE 56**

Rs. million

End of Period	Monetary Aggregates (Monetary Liabilities)		Net Foreign Assets (b)			Net Domestic Assets												Reserve Money (RM)	Money Multiplier	
	Narrow Money Supply (M <sub>1</sub> ) (c)	Broad Money Supply (M <sub>2</sub> ) (5)+(14)-(17)	Monetary Authorities (d)	Commercial Banks	Total (3)+(4)	Domestic Assets								Net Other Liabilities			M <sub>1</sub> / RM		M <sub>2</sub> / RM	
						Central Bank of Sri Lanka			Commercial Banks					Gross Domestic Assets (8)+(11)+(12)+(13)	Monetary Authorities (d)	Commercial Banks		Total (15)+(16)		
	Claims on Govt.	Deposits of the Govt.	Net Credit to the Govt. (e) (6)-(7)	Claims on Govt.	Deposits of the Govt.	Net Credit to the Govt. (e) (9)-(10)	Credit to Public Corporations	Credit to Private Sector	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)				
2018	830,793	6,427,330	750,541	-202,093	548,448	473,118	301	472,817	1,763,914	120,729	1,643,185	432,854	5,135,547	7,684,403	582,368	1,223,153	1,805,521	961,096	0.86	6.69
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
2019 Q1	853,568	6,550,042	691,891	-164,513	527,379	505,063	358	504,706	1,848,126	114,601	1,733,525	436,181	5,182,016	7,856,428	508,912	1,324,853	1,833,765	962,938	0.89	6.80
Q2	803,325	6,661,231	807,937	-172,794	635,143	343,168	261	342,907	2,047,989	112,306	1,935,683	450,840	5,184,664	7,914,094	529,210	1,358,796	1,888,006	874,533	0.92	7.62
Q3	843,070	6,761,262	851,699	-143,182	708,516	383,434	277	383,157	2,038,214	105,119	1,933,095	461,467	5,243,587	8,021,306	584,778	1,383,781	1,968,560	914,667	0.92	7.39
Q4	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 Q1	964,756	7,335,948	943,529	-469,450	474,078	474,030	773	473,257	2,297,761	98,956	2,198,805	498,890	5,485,855	8,656,807	611,489	1,183,449	1,794,938	1,013,797	0.95	7.24
Q2	1,001,851	7,604,127	824,638	-414,574	410,064	557,283	607	556,676	2,654,581	91,008	2,563,572	534,059	5,386,322	9,040,629	612,267	1,234,299	1,846,566	868,953	1.15	8.75
Q3	1,057,364	8,027,070	758,552	-461,939	296,612	578,351	604	577,747	3,007,564	98,932	2,908,632	584,928	5,560,804	9,632,111	560,933	1,340,720	1,901,654	891,389	1.19	9.01
Q4	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
2020 Feb	866,199	7,081,611	970,984	-501,496	469,488	308,676	271	308,405	2,223,635	97,894	2,125,740	491,252	5,398,198	8,323,594	595,546	1,115,925	1,711,471	963,283	0.90	7.35
Mar	964,756	7,335,948	943,529	-469,450	474,078	474,030	773	473,257	2,297,761	98,956	2,198,805	498,890	5,485,855	8,656,807	611,489	1,183,449	1,794,938	1,013,797	0.95	7.24
Apr	992,502	7,466,098	949,121	-453,361	495,760	566,314	472	565,842	2,311,794	89,887	2,221,907	521,014	5,489,959	8,798,722	693,686	1,134,699	1,828,384	1,021,589	0.97	7.31
May	991,778	7,523,814	817,817	-429,593	388,224	606,166	529	605,637	2,460,166	85,425	2,374,742	525,583	5,435,818	8,941,780	622,164	1,184,027	1,806,190	996,539	1.00	7.55
Jun	1,001,851	7,604,127	824,638	-414,574	410,064	557,283	607	556,676	2,654,581	91,008	2,563,572	534,059	5,386,322	9,040,629	612,267	1,234,299	1,846,566	868,953	1.15	8.75
Jul	1,024,589	7,717,772	785,202	-460,093	325,109	550,728	712	550,016	2,853,030	97,451	2,755,579	556,995	5,383,850	9,246,439	566,719	1,287,057	1,853,776	878,832	1.17	8.78
Aug	1,058,461	7,858,436	822,435	-490,870	331,565	535,379	815	534,564	2,914,932	108,775	2,806,157	581,135	5,462,837	9,384,693	588,893	1,268,929	1,857,822	879,828	1.20	8.93
Sep	1,057,364	8,027,070	758,552	-461,939	296,612	578,351	604	577,747	3,007,564	98,932	2,908,632	584,928	5,560,804	9,632,111	560,933	1,340,720	1,901,654	891,389	1.19	9.01
Oct	1,085,734	8,166,461	574,153	-468,860	105,293	735,896	709	735,187	3,145,513	103,104	3,042,409	572,400	5,626,080	9,976,076	498,535	1,416,374	1,914,909	928,388	1.17	8.80
Nov	1,094,981	8,264,614	540,147	-502,156	37,991	800,423	923	799,500	3,174,282	105,800	3,068,482	587,484	5,675,209	10,130,676	524,715	1,379,337	1,904,052	936,257	1.17	8.83
Dec	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 Jan	1,183,134	8,600,019	417,927	-508,470	-90,542	925,704	1,386	924,317	3,507,269	112,233	3,395,036	611,189	5,756,203	10,686,746	497,447	1,498,737	1,996,184	975,897	1.21	8.81
Feb	1,199,944	8,706,198	393,859	-517,407	-123,548	997,022	563	996,460	3,473,682	114,509	3,359,173	619,593	5,828,486	10,803,712	537,493	1,436,473	1,973,966	978,090	1.23	8.90

- (a) M<sub>2</sub> 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

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## TABLE 57

## Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank

Rs. million

End of Period	Assets										Total Assets/ Liabilities	International Reserve as a percentage of Currency and Deposit Liabilities	
	International Reserve					Domestic Assets							
	Cash and Bank Balances Abroad including Treasury bills	Foreign Government and Non-Governmental Securities (a)	Special Drawing Rights	IMF Related Assets	Receivables	Total	Loans and Advances to		Government and Government Guaranteed Securities (b)	Other Assets and Accounts			
							Government	Other					
2018	521,810	732,344	217	147,201	1,020	1,402,591	198,633	96	274,486	41,634	1,917,439	87	
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	
2019	Q1	655,795	666,053	64	141,976	16,907	1,480,795	237,804	95	267,259	45,991	2,031,945	85
	Q2	909,699	658,842	1,288	142,664	8,075	1,720,568	236,564	57	106,603	76,734	2,140,525	96
	Q3	671,420	713,722	1,316	144,162	11,386	1,542,006	237,810	56	145,624	44,308	1,969,804	96
	Q4	594,095	768,470	1,320	145,831	62	1,509,777	236,609	39	126,867	46,126	1,919,417	98
2020	Q1	485,405	908,015	87	149,695	659	1,543,861	237,792	39	236,238	44,235	2,062,165	96
	Q2	410,174	832,007	489	148,974	13,367	1,405,013	235,981	2,902	321,303	46,921	2,012,118	97
	Q3	909,203	829,210	492	151,800	4,643	1,895,348	237,808	77,272	340,543	48,333	2,599,304	93
	Q4	479,514	744,000	492	158,465	1,716	1,384,188	153,062	111,232	717,260	55,855	2,421,597	76
2020	February	630,402	825,753	84	145,182	15,853	1,617,273	237,809	39	70,867	71,227	1,997,216	100
	March	485,405	908,015	87	149,695	659	1,543,861	237,792	39	236,238	44,235	2,062,165	96
	April	442,552	936,828	1,405	153,229	38,709	1,572,722	237,810	39	328,504	45,038	2,184,112	96
	May	402,165	855,875	488	148,622	18,706	1,425,856	237,810	110	368,356	46,537	2,078,669	89
	June	410,174	832,007	489	148,974	13,367	1,405,013	235,981	2,902	321,303	46,921	2,012,118	97
	July	515,994	833,312	1,183	152,568	14,166	1,517,222	237,841	28,148	312,886	47,332	2,143,431	94
	August	654,686	832,672	497	153,595	10,392	1,651,842	237,787	52,900	297,592	47,407	2,287,528	97
	September	909,203	829,210	492	151,800	4,643	1,895,348	237,808	77,272	340,543	48,333	2,599,304	93
	October	461,041	817,517	1,166	151,304	3,057	1,434,084	237,811	99,449	498,085	49,094	2,318,522	80
	November	437,449	806,687	477	153,812	9,473	1,407,898	237,809	108,675	562,614	49,837	2,366,834	78
	December	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	January	481,984	664,777	1,290	162,804	3	1,310,858	198,171	109,629	727,532	58,056	2,404,246	70
	February	455,045	504,136	539	163,143	743	1,123,606	198,182	110,734	798,840	55,878	2,287,240	66

(a) Includes securities acquired from government institutions.

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

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**TABLE 57 (Contd.)**
**Assets and Liabilities of the Central Bank**

Rs. million

End of Period	Liabilities													Other Liabilities and Accounts
	Capital Account			Currency Issued			Securities Outstanding (c)	Deposits					Total	
	Capital	Surplus	Total	Notes in Circulation	Coins in Circulation	Total		Government	Government Agencies and Institutions	Commercial Banks	International Organisations, Foreign Governments and Foreign Banking Institutions	Other		
2018	50,000	0	50,000	627,120	13,822	640,943	0	301	48	320,106	652,080	18	972,553	253,943
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
2019 Q1	50,000	0	50,000	673,495	14,144	687,638	0	358	47	275,253	788,943	13	1,064,614	229,693
Q2	50,000	0	50,000	607,189	14,366	621,555	0	261	78	252,900	912,668	8	1,165,915	303,055
Q3	50,000	0	50,000	635,424	14,587	650,011	0	277	66	264,590	690,325	125	955,384	314,409
Q4	50,000	0	50,000	663,139	14,828	677,967	0	444	56	254,582	613,813	8	868,902	322,548
2020 Q1	50,000	0	50,000	790,149	15,041	805,190	0	773	107	208,499	600,623	6	810,009	396,966
Q2	50,000	0	50,000	753,829	15,112	768,941	0	607	106	99,906	580,464	10	681,093	512,084
Q3	50,000	0	50,000	759,985	15,349	775,334	0	604	31	116,024	1,136,842	73	1,253,575	520,396
Q4	50,000	0	50,000	819,298	15,509	834,808	0	1,430	30	129,602	857,447	9	988,519	548,271
2020 February	50,000	0	50,000	668,768	14,969	683,737	0	271	106	279,440	646,376	11	926,204	337,275
March	50,000	0	50,000	790,149	15,041	805,190	0	773	107	208,499	600,623	6	810,009	396,966
April	50,000	0	50,000	806,127	15,043	821,170	0	472	107	200,312	623,683	8	824,582	488,360
May	50,000	0	50,000	786,113	15,071	801,184	0	529	107	195,249	608,137	12	804,034	423,451
June	50,000	0	50,000	753,829	15,112	768,941	0	607	106	99,906	580,464	10	681,093	512,084
July	50,000	0	50,000	753,190	15,195	768,385	0	712	113	110,334	732,105	6	843,269	481,776
August	50,000	0	50,000	752,726	15,264	767,991	0	815	114	111,723	829,493	7	942,153	527,385
September	50,000	0	50,000	759,985	15,349	775,334	0	604	31	116,024	1,136,842	73	1,253,575	520,396
October	50,000	0	50,000	795,346	15,400	810,746	0	709	58	117,583	860,008	15	978,373	479,403
November	50,000	0	50,000	799,459	15,438	814,897	0	923	36	121,324	867,807	11	990,101	511,835
December	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 January	50,000	0	50,000	829,204	15,564	844,768	0	1,386	30	131,099	892,972	13	1,025,501	483,978
February	50,000	0	50,000	837,145	15,639	852,784	0	563	41	125,264	729,787	17	855,672	528,784

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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## TABLE 58

Assets and Liabilities of Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of the Commercial Banks<sup>(a)</sup>

		Assets															Rs. million			
End of Period		Cash in Hand	Due from Central Bank	Due from Domestic Banks	Cash Items in Process of Collection	Foreign Currency on Hand and Balances due from Banks Abroad	Investments			Loans and Advances					Fixed and Other Assets (b)	Total Assets or Liabilities	% of Liquid Assets to Demand Deposits (c)	% of Loans & Adv. to Total Deposits		
							Sri Lanka Govt. Obligations			Other Investments	Bills Purchased and Discounted		Over-drafts	Loans					Total	
							Treasury bills	Treasury bonds	Other Government Securities		Local	Imports								Exports
2018		167,876	336,267	78,638	28,255	772,110	447,299	632,670	375,839	110,740	2,700	12,642	18,243	1,037,776	4,684,393	5,755,754	340,216	9,045,664	518.5	83.5
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
2019	Q1	191,580	277,125	79,537	27,408	787,318	503,867	753,525	351,807	105,943	2,377	8,437	18,075	992,694	4,720,268	5,741,850	367,312	9,187,271	614.5	82.5
	Q2	166,881	278,995	88,868	27,617	748,307	592,577	878,488	399,958	105,430	2,410	8,139	16,608	907,310	4,761,565	5,696,032	373,431	9,356,583	654.7	80.4
	Q3	183,171	294,331	85,589	29,873	796,395	589,206	784,599	434,059	106,519	2,053	9,958	17,609	950,082	4,836,919	5,816,620	395,528	9,515,891	615.4	81.1
	Q4	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	Q1	237,220	264,813	102,143	31,531	603,220	630,332	851,620	485,846	95,711	2,004	9,390	16,446	1,092,721	5,083,351	6,203,914	748,561	10,254,910	570.8	80.4
	Q2	189,451	236,312	89,325	29,763	605,432	707,754	1,006,526	451,212	91,647	1,950	6,215	13,216	1,173,061	5,106,833	6,301,275	807,060	10,515,757	576.8	79.2
	Q3	177,383	253,540	80,292	29,363	624,005	778,605	1,158,411	524,286	96,280	2,673	7,454	17,405	1,119,105	5,437,120	6,583,757	811,414	11,117,336	577.8	77.9
	Q4	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
2020	February	178,978	303,144	109,128	31,128	522,126	619,366	851,041	459,588	97,506	2,227	5,765	16,704	1,026,482	5,019,982	6,071,159	764,406	10,007,570	594.0	81.0
	March	237,220	264,813	102,143	31,531	603,220	630,332	851,620	485,846	95,711	2,004	9,390	16,446	1,092,721	5,083,351	6,203,914	748,561	10,254,910	570.8	80.4
	April	223,201	298,105	121,213	28,995	630,544	656,889	846,328	469,344	93,436	1,874	8,198	14,954	1,095,604	5,122,097	6,242,728	792,540	10,403,325	588.9	79.8
	May	202,825	249,624	101,845	28,733	593,735	660,539	954,276	456,461	97,008	1,924	6,998	13,396	1,105,953	5,109,676	6,237,947	811,256	10,394,251	593.4	79.5
	June	189,451	236,312	89,325	29,763	605,432	707,754	1,006,526	451,212	91,647	1,950	6,215	13,216	1,173,061	5,106,833	6,301,275	807,060	10,515,757	576.8	79.2
	July	176,000	232,592	78,538	29,700	588,966	732,622	1,066,689	481,936	97,410	1,979	5,128	15,505	1,229,317	5,149,094	6,401,024	807,257	10,692,732	574.0	79.1
	August	171,997	247,438	108,031	30,223	605,703	763,816	1,070,265	509,126	102,629	2,318	6,877	17,197	1,212,778	5,260,872	6,500,041	815,709	10,924,979	541.6	78.4
	September	177,383	253,540	80,292	29,363	624,005	778,605	1,158,411	524,286	96,280	2,673	7,454	17,405	1,119,105	5,437,120	6,583,757	811,414	11,117,336	577.8	77.9
	October	195,915	230,411	78,237	29,549	641,068	783,303	1,186,899	531,499	104,893	2,738	6,344	17,121	1,203,819	5,494,949	6,724,970	797,230	11,303,975	572.2	78.3
	November	196,860	259,534	100,002	29,077	643,458	748,116	1,179,228	568,027	95,803	2,686	5,544	17,043	1,242,746	5,565,748	6,833,766	824,767	11,478,639	564.5	78.4
	December	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	January	198,822	224,700	97,201	29,658	702,113	782,704	1,477,929	586,655	98,572	5,176	4,997	17,986	1,229,362	5,659,608	6,917,129	801,834	11,917,317	573.8	76.0
	February	193,725	277,145	98,494	31,887	725,318	704,001	1,503,492	598,540	104,665	5,104	5,427	19,208	1,249,363	5,719,281	6,998,384	831,162	12,066,815	571.3	75.8

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

(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, Treasury bonds 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.

(Contd.)

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**TABLE 58 (Contd.)**
**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		Government of Sri Lanka	Residents	Non Residents	Government of Sri Lanka	Residents	Non Residents	Demand	Time and Savings	Total	Domestic InterBank (d)	Foreign	
		Domes-tic	Fore-ign												
2018	1,002,594	635	21,861	45,295	357,680	36,075	75,433	5,596,536	760,696	461,547	6,432,666	6,894,213	268,771	173,813	706,274
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
2019 Q1	1,016,288	507	12,728	34,083	357,463	9,448	80,518	5,696,474	765,706	414,230	6,542,698	6,956,928	283,179	182,023	748,853
Q2	1,058,815	426	16,694	33,055	348,573	12,920	79,251	5,857,906	738,375	411,668	6,675,533	7,087,200	298,945	169,719	741,902
Q3	1,093,592	388	15,572	33,253	376,163	10,050	71,866	5,918,193	744,481	435,427	6,734,540	7,169,967	287,769	187,082	777,482
Q4	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 Q1	1,158,260	3,319	14,573	35,944	396,679	10,933	63,012	6,371,192	823,324	461,448	7,257,528	7,718,976	316,604	240,287	820,784
Q2	1,182,624	3,332	13,033	33,135	422,255	11,247	57,873	6,602,276	818,213	483,002	7,478,362	7,961,365	318,367	190,729	862,673
Q3	1,234,531	5,028	13,546	35,093	459,382	14,587	63,839	6,969,706	899,893	527,636	7,933,438	8,461,074	414,134	175,324	832,273
Q4	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
2020 February	1,148,649	2,013	16,190	33,583	361,334	9,648	64,311	6,215,412	791,824	422,768	7,071,547	7,494,315	324,991	222,664	816,950
March	1,158,260	3,319	14,573	35,944	396,679	10,933	63,012	6,371,192	823,324	461,448	7,257,528	7,718,976	316,604	240,287	820,784
April	1,169,000	2,261	14,511	34,562	394,427	11,610	55,325	6,473,595	838,355	457,371	7,367,275	7,824,646	351,590	234,382	823,706
May	1,170,772	2,498	13,144	32,788	393,312	12,947	52,636	6,532,036	813,784	454,690	7,398,456	7,853,147	331,781	196,850	841,701
June	1,182,624	3,332	13,033	33,135	422,255	11,247	57,873	6,602,276	818,213	483,002	7,478,362	7,961,365	318,367	190,729	862,673
July	1,213,703	5,376	15,486	32,211	432,091	11,384	65,241	6,693,183	838,740	496,549	7,597,163	8,093,712	370,794	198,953	815,570
August	1,224,857	4,318	18,745	39,853	462,353	11,800	68,922	6,799,975	885,144	537,071	7,754,040	8,291,111	397,859	198,080	813,072
September	1,234,531	5,028	13,546	35,093	459,382	14,587	63,839	6,969,706	899,893	527,636	7,933,438	8,461,074	414,134	175,324	832,273
October	1,242,313	2,179	13,600	37,647	470,844	13,337	65,456	7,080,727	909,532	537,608	8,055,715	8,593,323	446,154	190,579	831,605
November	1,251,233	3,474	12,509	38,071	476,908	13,240	67,729	7,169,633	934,308	544,203	8,171,670	8,715,873	452,696	202,600	856,237
December	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 January	1,292,501	1,796	14,385	29,753	537,158	13,777	82,480	7,416,885	1,001,774	596,870	8,501,138	9,098,008	464,984	198,634	863,190
February	1,298,563	3,356	14,447	30,900	540,844	14,801	83,609	7,506,254	1,038,688	604,348	8,628,551	9,232,899	478,455	193,997	862,900

(d) Includes the Central Bank.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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Assets and Liabilities of Off-Shore Banking Units (OBUs) of the Commercial Banks<sup>(a)</sup>

TABLE 59

Rs. million

End of Period	Assets (b)								Liabilities (b)								Total Assets/ Liabilities
	Non-Residents		Residents						Non-Residents		Residents						
	Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Commercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enterprises	Other Approved Enterprises	Other Assets	Non-Bank	Bank	Central Bank	Commercial Banks	Inter OBUs	BOI Enterprises	Other Approved Enterprises	Other Liabilities	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	
2018	180,156	130,527	6,121	351,269	38,361	399,427	749,613	29,190	97,950	688,512	0	665,484	7,537	217,002	9,384	198,794	1,884,664
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
2019 Q1	182,408	136,812	0	336,900	32,436	381,148	659,491	24,563	103,157	585,687	0	629,740	14,177	213,509	8,226	199,262	1,753,758
Q2	183,766	114,938	0	322,869	36,069	390,252	689,491	32,937	91,475	599,513	0	628,631	17,664	212,857	9,434	210,747	1,770,321
Q3	203,595	138,020	0	350,383	27,039	396,102	735,108	37,098	83,339	645,100	0	691,974	13,317	214,246	17,451	221,918	1,887,345
Q4	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 Q1	237,794	144,040	0	50,842	41,060	425,862	963,192	17,472	77,598	806,396	0	474,903	14,586	251,432	13,144	242,204	1,880,261
Q2	239,138	89,301	0	56,384	40,318	428,556	913,565	25,289	75,875	712,449	0	501,574	10,838	242,802	21,876	227,137	1,792,552
Q3	227,915	99,147	0	51,002	46,658	413,084	949,479	21,851	76,647	667,150	0	522,951	10,237	266,207	26,152	239,792	1,809,136
Q4	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
2020 February	221,616	128,322	0	47,731	39,378	397,740	893,268	26,511	77,620	747,819	0	440,867	17,142	220,338	14,304	236,475	1,754,566
March	237,794	144,040	0	50,842	41,060	425,862	963,192	17,472	77,598	806,396	0	474,903	14,586	251,432	13,144	242,204	1,880,261
April	239,821	129,443	0	56,949	46,245	443,960	948,118	21,150	83,853	748,376	0	511,200	11,426	269,685	17,005	244,141	1,885,686
May	235,150	93,146	0	54,258	52,325	432,213	928,905	18,302	79,464	721,361	0	504,007	9,915	256,439	19,910	223,204	1,814,299
June	239,138	89,301	0	56,384	40,318	428,556	913,565	25,289	75,875	712,449	0	501,574	10,838	242,802	21,876	227,137	1,792,552
July	237,653	113,051	0	48,339	50,024	424,751	922,943	26,626	71,297	707,246	0	524,677	10,064	255,541	23,209	231,354	1,823,388
August	238,455	115,851	0	51,771	50,056	424,068	955,304	24,258	68,931	691,816	0	541,267	23,864	269,958	22,555	241,373	1,859,764
September	227,915	99,147	0	51,002	46,658	413,084	949,479	21,851	76,647	667,150	0	522,951	10,237	266,207	26,152	239,792	1,809,136
October	220,298	114,139	0	39,705	53,627	406,627	936,901	27,368	75,599	675,684	0	507,609	12,383	265,698	25,626	236,067	1,798,665
November	225,885	127,522	0	47,832	62,036	398,254	938,626	23,602	80,592	671,878	0	515,339	11,503	271,166	25,518	247,762	1,823,757
December	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 January	239,627	153,368	0	54,842	50,355	419,076	906,878	22,625	89,245	566,714	0	591,903	14,233	295,159	27,307	262,211	1,846,773
February	236,623	151,690	0	54,758	59,920	422,797	922,643	29,594	85,388	598,347	0	589,072	15,569	285,332	25,350	278,965	1,878,024

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

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



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## TABLE 60

Consolidated Monetary Survey (M<sub>2b</sub>)<sup>(a)</sup>

Rs. million

End of Period	Broad Money (M <sub>2b</sub> )						Net Foreign Assets (b)					Total Net Foreign Assets (8)+(11)
	Narrow Money (M <sub>1</sub> ) (c)			Time and Savings Deposits (d)			Total Broad Money (M <sub>2b</sub> ) (3)+(6)	Monetary Authorities (e)	Commercial Banks			
	Currency	Demand Deposits	Total Narrow Money (M <sub>1</sub> ) (1)+(2)	DBUs	OBU	Total Time and Savings Deposits (4)+(5)			DBUs	OBU	Total Commercial Banks (9)+(10)	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)			(7)	(8)	(9)	
2018	473,066	357,727	830,793	6,071,118	226,386	6,297,503	7,128,297	750,541	-341,769	-475,779	-817,548	-67,007
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
2019 Q1	496,058	357,510	853,568	6,178,002	221,735	6,399,737	7,253,305	691,891	-291,661	-369,623	-661,285	30,607
Q2	454,674	348,651	803,325	6,312,151	222,291	6,534,442	7,337,767	807,937	-307,160	-392,284	-699,444	108,493
Q3	466,841	376,229	843,070	6,368,726	231,696	6,600,422	7,443,491	851,699	-337,958	-386,824	-724,782	126,917
Q4	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 Q1	567,970	396,786	964,756	6,868,918	264,575	7,133,493	8,098,249	943,529	-413,251	-502,159	-915,410	28,119
Q2	579,490	422,361	1,001,851	7,098,219	264,678	7,362,898	8,364,748	824,638	-376,459	-459,884	-836,343	-11,705
Q3	597,951	459,413	1,057,364	7,520,708	292,358	7,813,066	8,870,430	758,552	-407,703	-416,735	-824,438	-65,886
Q4	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
2020 February	504,759	361,440	866,199	6,692,161	234,642	6,926,803	7,793,001	970,984	-398,100	-475,501	-873,601	97,383
March	567,970	396,786	964,756	6,868,918	264,575	7,133,493	8,098,249	943,529	-413,251	-502,159	-915,410	28,119
April	597,968	394,534	992,502	6,979,805	286,690	7,266,495	8,258,997	949,121	-402,663	-462,965	-865,628	83,493
May	598,359	393,419	991,778	7,024,993	276,349	7,301,342	8,293,120	817,817	-394,129	-472,529	-866,658	-48,841
June	579,490	422,361	1,001,851	7,098,219	264,678	7,362,898	8,364,748	824,638	-376,459	-459,884	-836,343	-11,705
July	592,385	432,204	1,024,589	7,204,054	278,749	7,482,804	8,507,393	785,202	-406,261	-427,839	-834,100	-48,899
August	595,993	462,468	1,058,461	7,341,047	292,513	7,633,560	8,692,021	822,435	-435,567	-406,440	-842,007	-19,572
September	597,951	459,413	1,057,364	7,520,708	292,358	7,813,066	8,870,430	758,552	-407,703	-416,735	-824,438	-65,886
October	614,831	470,903	1,085,734	7,640,422	291,324	7,931,746	9,017,480	574,153	-403,885	-416,846	-820,731	-246,578
November	618,037	476,944	1,094,981	7,743,970	296,683	8,040,654	9,135,635	540,147	-422,287	-399,063	-821,350	-281,203
December	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 January	645,946	537,188	1,183,134	8,027,096	322,467	8,349,563	9,532,697	417,927	-476,046	-262,963	-739,010	-321,082
February	659,059	540,885	1,199,944	8,140,280	310,682	8,450,962	9,650,906	393,859	-484,133	-295,423	-779,556	-385,697

(a) M<sub>2b</sub> 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.

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The major changes are:

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

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

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

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

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

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TABLE 60 (Contd.)

Consolidated Monetary Survey (M<sub>2b</sub>)<sup>(a)</sup>

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			Monetary Authorities and DBUs	OBUs	Total Other Items (Net) (25)+(26)			
	Central Bank of Sri Lanka	Commercial Banks		Total Credit to the Govt. (13)+(15) (f)	Total Credit to Public Corps. (18)+(19)	DBUs	OBUs	Total Credit to the Private Sector (21)+(22)	Total Domestic Credit (17)+(20) +(23)								
(13)	DBUs	OBUs	(14)							(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)		(20)	(21)
2018	472,817	1,643,185	400,709	2,043,894	2,516,711	432,854	322,526	755,380	5,135,547	425,805	5,561,351	8,833,442	-1,191,264	-446,874	-1,638,139	7,195,304	
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	
2019 Q1	504,706	1,733,525	376,025	2,109,550	2,614,256	436,181	266,391	702,573	5,182,016	398,222	5,580,239	8,897,068	-1,225,089	-449,281	-1,674,369	7,222,699	
Q2	342,907	1,935,683	389,480	2,325,163	2,668,070	450,840	279,374	730,214	5,184,664	410,889	5,595,553	8,993,836	-1,299,394	-465,168	-1,764,562	7,229,274	
Q3	383,157	1,933,095	415,409	2,348,505	2,731,661	461,467	293,864	755,331	5,243,587	421,937	5,665,523	9,152,516	-1,323,251	-512,690	-1,835,941	7,316,575	
Q4	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 Q1	473,257	2,198,805	563,413	2,762,217	3,235,475	498,890	369,399	868,289	5,485,855	456,242	5,942,097	10,045,861	-1,353,411	-622,319	-1,975,730	8,070,130	
Q2	556,676	2,563,572	479,138	3,042,710	3,599,386	534,059	417,215	951,274	5,386,322	445,768	5,832,090	10,382,750	-1,388,739	-617,558	-2,006,297	8,376,453	
Q3	577,747	2,908,632	495,602	3,404,235	3,981,981	584,928	433,343	1,018,271	5,560,804	433,617	5,994,422	10,994,674	-1,404,889	-653,470	-2,058,358	8,936,316	
Q4	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	
2020 February	308,405	2,125,740	525,897	2,651,637	2,960,042	491,252	341,352	832,603	5,398,198	423,760	5,821,958	9,614,603	-1,338,119	-580,865	-1,918,985	7,695,618	
March	473,257	2,198,805	563,413	2,762,217	3,235,475	498,890	369,399	868,289	5,485,855	456,242	5,942,097	10,045,861	-1,353,411	-622,319	-1,975,730	8,070,130	
April	565,842	2,221,907	513,584	2,735,491	3,301,332	521,014	412,940	933,953	5,489,959	465,554	5,955,513	10,190,799	-1,372,872	-642,423	-2,015,295	8,175,504	
May	605,637	2,374,742	483,983	2,858,725	3,464,361	525,583	427,011	952,594	5,435,818	450,125	5,885,943	10,302,898	-1,348,697	-612,241	-1,960,938	8,341,960	
June	556,676	2,563,572	479,138	3,042,710	3,599,386	534,059	417,215	951,274	5,386,322	445,768	5,832,090	10,382,750	-1,388,739	-617,558	-2,006,297	8,376,453	
July	550,016	2,755,579	477,978	3,233,557	3,783,573	556,995	425,588	982,583	5,383,850	444,128	5,827,978	10,594,134	-1,396,736	-641,106	-2,037,842	8,556,292	
August	534,564	2,806,157	494,133	3,300,290	3,834,854	581,135	441,793	1,022,929	5,462,837	443,447	5,906,284	10,764,066	-1,372,053	-680,420	-2,052,472	8,711,593	
September	577,747	2,908,632	495,602	3,404,235	3,981,981	584,928	433,343	1,018,271	5,560,804	433,617	5,994,422	10,994,674	-1,404,889	-653,470	-2,058,358	8,936,316	
October	735,187	3,042,409	485,399	3,527,808	4,262,995	572,400	430,591	1,002,991	5,626,080	427,538	6,053,618	11,319,604	-1,420,187	-635,359	-2,055,546	9,264,058	
November	799,500	3,068,482	494,807	3,563,289	4,362,789	587,484	423,062	1,010,546	5,675,209	419,011	6,094,221	11,467,555	-1,409,584	-641,133	-2,050,718	9,416,838	
December	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 January	924,317	3,395,036	438,606	3,833,642	4,757,960	611,189	446,938	1,058,127	5,756,203	440,410	6,196,613	12,012,700	-1,418,397	-740,524	-2,158,921	9,853,779	
February	996,460	3,359,173	437,488	3,796,661	4,793,121	619,593	460,420	1,080,014	5,828,486	447,532	6,276,018	12,149,152	-1,373,215	-739,335	-2,112,550	10,036,602	

(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

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## TABLE 61

Financial Survey (M<sub>4</sub>)<sup>(a)</sup>

Rs. million

End of Period	Broad Money (M <sub>4</sub> )								Net Foreign Assets					
	Currency (b)	Demand Deposits (b)	Time and Savings Deposits (c)					Time and Savings Deposits (3)+(4)+(5)+(6)+(7)	Broad Money (M <sub>4</sub> ) (1)+(2)+(8)	Monetary Authorities (e)	Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBU)	LSBs and LFCs	Total Net Foreign Assets (10)+(11)+(12)	
			Commercial Banks		LSBs (d)		LFCs							
			DBUs (b)	OBU	RDBs/Pradeshya Sanwardhana Bank	Other								
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)		
2018	463,512	296,275	5,965,178	226,386	137,928	946,684	693,625	7,969,801	8,729,588	750,541	-817,548	-66,658	-133,665	
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	
2019	Q1	484,212	299,239	6,059,956	221,735	135,387	974,856	726,683	8,118,618	8,902,069	691,891	-661,285	-64,251	-33,644
	Q2	444,152	282,407	6,196,674	222,291	140,646	1,021,214	743,256	8,324,082	9,050,641	807,937	-699,444	-58,618	49,874
	Q3	456,497	321,337	6,258,446	231,696	142,628	1,063,364	736,559	8,432,693	9,210,528	851,699	-724,782	-14,964	111,953
	Q4	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	Q1	558,177	338,459	6,746,336	264,575	148,940	1,181,590	735,152	9,076,594	9,973,230	943,529	-915,410	-13,973	14,146
	Q2	569,096	353,413	6,973,478	264,678	154,783	1,242,909	703,166	9,339,014	10,261,523	824,638	-836,343	-10,681	-22,385
	Q3	586,210	396,752	7,382,181	292,358	163,045	1,315,687	724,042	9,877,313	10,860,274	758,552	-824,438	-10,644	-76,530
	Q4	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
2020	Feb	493,672	309,650	6,572,589	234,642	149,245	1,172,524	743,749	8,872,749	9,676,071	970,984	-873,601	-13,426	83,958
	Mar	558,177	338,459	6,746,336	264,575	148,940	1,181,590	735,152	9,076,594	9,973,230	943,529	-915,410	-13,973	14,146
	Apr	588,975	337,436	6,861,720	286,690	150,971	1,206,252	728,300	9,233,934	10,160,344	949,121	-865,628	-10,975	72,518
	May	589,353	333,227	6,911,467	276,349	151,840	1,215,319	721,834	9,276,809	10,199,389	817,817	-866,658	-10,668	-59,509
	Jun	569,096	353,413	6,973,478	264,678	154,783	1,242,909	703,166	9,339,014	10,261,523	824,638	-836,343	-10,681	-22,385
	Jul	582,584	362,617	7,072,946	278,749	158,212	1,275,554	701,236	9,486,698	10,431,900	785,202	-834,100	-10,656	-59,555
	Aug	584,880	393,536	7,205,318	292,513	160,340	1,292,178	708,851	9,659,201	10,637,616	822,435	-842,007	-10,702	-30,275
	Sep	586,210	396,752	7,382,181	292,358	163,045	1,315,687	724,042	9,877,313	10,860,274	758,552	-824,438	-10,644	-76,530
	Oct	603,733	417,801	7,505,014	291,324	164,850	1,341,025	724,915	10,027,128	11,048,662	574,153	-820,731	-7,529	-254,107
	Nov	607,338	417,131	7,614,480	296,683	167,223	1,365,088	726,155	10,169,629	11,194,098	540,147	-821,350	-7,583	-288,786
	Dec	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 (h)	Jan	634,058	471,728	7,901,417	322,467	171,115	1,416,737	725,364	10,537,099	11,642,886	417,927	-739,010	-7,871
Feb		645,898	477,847	8,011,884	310,682	171,509	1,439,005	733,531	10,666,612	11,790,357	393,859	-779,556	-14,751	-400,448

(a) M<sub>4</sub> 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<sub>2b</sub>.

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(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<sub>4</sub>) definition.

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

(d) LSBs include Regional Development Bank/Pradeshya Sanwardhana Bank (which was established on 14 July 2010 by amalgamating Regional Development Banks), National Savings Bank, State Mortgage and Investment Bank, SANASA Development Bank Ltd., HDFC Bank of Sri Lanka 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 Licenced Specialised Bank was amalgamated with the DFCC Vardhana Bank and operates as a Licenced Commercial Bank namely, DFCC Bank PLC with effect from 01 October 2015. Lankaputhra Development Bank Ltd., which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Regional Development Bank/Pradeshya 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.

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TABLE 61 (Contd.)

Financial Survey (M<sub>4</sub>)<sup>(a)</sup>

Rs. million

		Net Domestic Assets																Total Other Items (Net)	Total Net Domestic Assets (30)+(31)	
		Domestic Credit																		
End of Period	Central Bank of Sri Lanka	Credit to the Government (net) (f)					Credit to Public Corporations				Credit to Private Sector						Total Domestic Credit (20)+(23) +(29)			
		DBUs	OBU	RDBs / Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank	Other	LFCs	Total Credit to the Govt. (14)+(15)+ (16)+(17)+ (18)+(19)	Commercial Banks (DBUs and OBUs)	LSBs and LFCs	Total Credit to Public Corpo- rations	Commercial DBUs	Banks OBU	LSBs RDBs / Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank	Other	LFCs (g)	Total Credit to Private Sector (24)+(25)+ (26)+(27)+ (28)				
		(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)
2018		472,817	1,643,185	400,709	6,750	511,820	64,756	3,100,037	755,380	0	755,380	5,135,547	425,805	142,102	611,724	1,185,946	7,501,124	11,356,541	-2,493,288	8,863,253
2019		363,032	1,979,687	453,209	10,790	603,065	73,169	3,482,951	817,953	0	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	0	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
2019	Q1	504,706	1,733,525	376,025	9,500	523,573	77,038	3,224,367	702,573	0	702,573	5,182,016	398,222	140,870	632,823	1,188,128	7,542,060	11,468,999	-2,533,287	8,935,713
	Q2	342,907	1,935,683	389,480	10,254	535,685	76,622	3,290,631	730,214	0	730,214	5,184,664	410,889	143,791	638,829	1,182,397	7,560,569	11,581,414	-2,580,648	9,000,766
	Q3	383,157	1,933,095	415,409	11,780	563,455	78,139	3,385,036	755,331	0	755,331	5,243,587	421,937	146,044	643,145	1,181,541	7,636,253	11,776,620	-2,678,045	9,098,575
	Q4	363,032	1,979,687	453,209	10,790	603,065	73,169	3,482,951	817,953	0	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	Q1	473,257	2,198,805	563,413	9,522	633,243	73,236	3,951,477	868,289	0	868,289	5,485,855	456,242	156,142	667,035	1,194,313	7,959,587	12,779,354	-2,820,270	9,959,084
	Q2	556,676	2,563,572	479,138	11,939	652,190	64,171	4,327,686	951,274	0	951,274	5,386,322	445,768	155,149	683,888	1,190,174	7,861,301	13,140,261	-2,856,352	10,283,909
	Q3	577,747	2,908,632	495,602	11,212	684,626	72,854	4,750,673	1,018,271	0	1,018,271	5,560,804	433,617	159,483	716,682	1,191,163	8,061,749	13,830,693	-2,893,889	10,936,805
	Q4	868,892	3,203,694	475,476	10,178	732,035	75,471	5,365,746	1,002,174	0	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
2020	Feb	308,405	2,125,740	525,897	10,406	627,660	72,102	3,670,209	832,603	0	832,603	5,398,198	423,760	154,037	666,531	1,199,209	7,841,735	12,344,548	-2,752,434	9,592,113
	Mar	473,257	2,198,805	563,413	9,522	633,243	73,236	3,951,477	868,289	0	868,289	5,485,855	456,242	156,142	667,035	1,194,313	7,959,587	12,779,354	-2,820,270	9,959,084
	Apr	565,842	2,221,907	513,584	9,578	643,488	67,717	4,022,115	933,953	0	933,953	5,489,959	465,554	158,766	673,112	1,197,510	7,984,902	12,940,970	-2,853,144	10,087,827
	May	605,637	2,374,742	483,983	11,986	646,927	63,749	4,187,024	952,594	0	952,594	5,435,818	450,125	154,446	676,067	1,194,283	7,910,738	13,050,356	-2,791,459	10,258,897
	Jun	556,676	2,563,572	479,138	11,939	652,190	64,171	4,327,686	951,274	0	951,274	5,386,322	445,768	155,149	683,888	1,190,174	7,861,301	13,140,261	-2,856,352	10,283,909
	Jul	550,016	2,755,579	477,978	13,020	661,640	61,742	4,519,975	982,583	0	982,583	5,383,850	444,128	154,188	689,774	1,183,839	7,855,779	13,358,337	-2,866,882	10,491,454
	Aug	534,564	2,806,157	494,133	11,862	667,308	55,541	4,569,565	1,022,929	0	1,022,929	5,462,837	443,447	155,721	697,662	1,189,340	7,949,007	13,541,500	-2,873,609	10,667,891
	Sep	577,747	2,908,632	495,602	11,212	684,626	72,854	4,750,673	1,018,271	0	1,018,271	5,560,804	433,617	159,483	716,682	1,191,163	8,061,749	13,830,693	-2,893,889	10,936,805
	Oct	735,187	3,042,409	485,399	9,500	692,724	73,032	5,038,251	1,002,991	0	1,002,991	5,626,080	427,538	165,472	742,078	1,188,415	8,149,583	14,190,825	-2,888,056	11,302,769
	Nov	799,500	3,068,482	494,807	11,860	712,257	75,825	5,162,730	1,010,546	0	1,010,546	5,675,209	419,011	167,256	749,056	1,183,444	8,193,976	14,367,252	-2,884,368	11,482,885
	Dec	868,892	3,203,694	475,476	10,178	732,035	75,471	5,365,746	1,002,174	0	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 (h)	Jan	924,317	3,395,036	438,606	9,983	745,651	66,933	5,580,527	1,058,127	0	1,058,127	5,756,203	440,410	173,704	774,352	1,199,654	8,344,324	14,982,977	-3,011,138	11,971,839
	Feb	996,460	3,359,173	437,488	10,384	772,376	67,917	5,643,798	1,080,014	0	1,080,014	5,828,486	447,532	177,984	789,573	1,196,087	8,439,661	15,163,473	-2,972,667	12,190,805

(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.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(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.

(h) Provisional

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**TABLE 62**
**Reserve Position of Commercial Banks<sup>(a)(b)</sup>**

Rs. million

Period	Deposits (c)				Required Reserves Against Deposits (d)							Actual Reserves	
	Demand	Time and Savings	Other	Total (e)	Demand	Time and Savings	Other	Total Reserves (e)	Till Cash	Required Reserves	Required Reserves Cumulative	Commercial Banks' Deposits with the Central Bank (Cumulative total for the reserve week)	Excess / (Deficit) on SRR (12) - (11)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
2018	391,719	5,517,000	32,853	5,967,560	23,503	331,020	1,971	382,483	57,791	324,692	5,195,065	5,203,094	8,029
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
2019 Q1	399,429	5,584,191	29,599	6,036,152	19,971	279,210	1,480	323,594	57,710	265,885	4,254,158	4,263,317	9,159
Q2	388,125	5,701,303	27,440	6,120,183	19,406	285,065	1,372	309,158	60,637	248,521	3,727,808	3,734,451	6,643
Q3	389,070	5,796,807	29,516	6,216,807	19,453	289,840	1,476	312,183	61,077	251,107	3,766,598	3,771,186	4,587
Q4	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 Q1	405,303	6,093,913	28,906	6,528,238	16,212	243,757	1,156	261,241	61,729	199,512	3,192,197	3,219,586	27,388
Q2	428,735	6,406,675	29,325	6,864,842	8,575	128,134	587	137,401	50,948	86,453	1,296,792	1,310,419	13,627
Q3	467,537	6,688,350	30,677	7,186,666	9,351	133,767	614	143,834	42,349	101,485	1,522,275	1,526,609	4,334
Q4	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
2020 Feb	408,084	6,024,338	28,427	6,460,985	20,404	301,217	1,421	323,179	58,898	264,281	3,699,929	3,704,081	4,151
Mar	405,303	6,093,913	28,906	6,528,238	16,212	243,757	1,156	261,241	61,729	199,512	3,192,197	3,219,586	27,388
Apr	435,125	6,194,562	28,914	6,658,712	17,405	247,782	1,157	266,455	82,170	184,285	2,764,273	2,769,782	5,510
May	437,238	6,347,225	31,334	6,815,905	17,490	253,889	1,253	272,741	93,755	178,986	2,863,776	2,869,605	5,829
Jun	428,735	6,406,675	29,325	6,864,842	8,575	128,134	587	137,401	50,948	86,453	1,296,792	1,310,419	13,627
Jul	445,373	6,485,962	29,127	6,960,567	8,907	129,719	583	139,314	46,479	92,835	1,485,359	1,491,267	5,908
Aug	454,192	6,568,374	30,319	7,052,988	9,084	131,367	606	141,161	42,784	98,377	1,574,036	1,598,754	24,718
Sep	467,537	6,688,350	30,677	7,186,666	9,351	133,767	614	143,834	42,349	101,485	1,522,275	1,526,609	4,334
Oct	479,054	6,838,981	31,641	7,349,775	9,581	136,780	633	147,093	44,003	103,090	1,649,443	1,674,309	24,866
Nov	493,977	6,965,957	32,908	7,492,940	9,880	139,319	658	149,954	47,247	102,707	1,540,607	1,599,785	59,178
Dec	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 Jan	536,396	7,181,804	34,370	7,752,667	10,728	143,636	687	155,149	47,198	107,951	1,727,211	1,889,447	162,236
Feb	535,336	7,286,737	34,555	7,856,715	10,707	145,735	691	157,220	47,904	109,315	1,421,100	1,518,382	97,282

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.

(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.

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## TABLE 63

## Currency Issued by the Central Bank (by Denomination)

End of Period	Currency Issued (a)	Notes (b)											Coins										Rs. million
		Rs. 5,000	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 500	Rs. 200	Rs. 100	Rs. 50	Rs. 20	Rs. 10	Total Notes (c)	Rs. 10	Rs. 5	Rs. 2	Re. 1	Cts. 50	Cts. 25	Cts. 10	Cts. 05	Cts. 02	Ct. 01	Total Coins (d)	
		2018	640,943	409,762	5,332	136,788	40,093	128	22,613	5,457	5,607	1,271	627,120	6,101	4,408	1,414	930	185	121	39	23	6	4
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	
2019 Q1	687,638	444,600	4,954	143,327	43,281	128	24,192	5,786	5,889	1,269	673,495	6,300	4,501	1,434	940	185	121	39	23	6	4	14,144	
Q2	621,555	394,507	4,626	131,440	39,568	128	23,632	5,919	6,035	1,265	607,189	6,437	4,561	1,449	948	185	121	39	23	6	4	14,366	
Q3	650,011	423,081	4,297	131,804	40,260	128	23,013	5,673	5,839	1,262	635,424	6,574	4,625	1,462	956	185	121	39	23	6	4	14,587	
Q4	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 Q1	805,190	540,461	3,695	159,052	47,947	128	25,478	6,023	6,038	1,258	790,149	6,851	4,760	1,490	970	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,041	
Q2	768,941	511,096	3,592	153,130	46,855	128	25,534	6,029	6,139	1,257	753,829	6,890	4,784	1,496	973	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,112	
Q3	775,334	532,295	3,391	143,236	43,337	127	24,184	5,901	6,190	1,254	759,985	7,031	4,854	1,512	983	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,349	
Q4	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	
2020 February	683,737	452,005	3,721	134,167	41,750	128	24,002	5,762	5,905	1,259	668,768	6,807	4,738	1,486	968	185	121	39	23	6	4	14,969	
March	805,190	540,461	3,695	159,052	47,947	128	25,478	6,023	6,038	1,258	790,149	6,851	4,760	1,490	970	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,041	
April	821,170	539,517	3,677	173,078	50,168	128	26,141	6,036	6,053	1,258	806,127	6,852	4,761	1,490	970	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,043	
May	801,184	528,645	3,661	164,609	49,485	128	26,106	6,054	6,097	1,258	786,113	6,867	4,770	1,493	971	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,071	
June	768,941	511,096	3,592	153,130	46,855	128	25,534	6,029	6,139	1,257	753,829	6,890	4,784	1,496	973	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,112	
July	768,385	519,274	3,525	147,045	44,937	127	24,816	5,974	6,169	1,256	753,190	6,941	4,807	1,501	977	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,195	
August	767,991	523,613	3,477	144,325	43,447	127	24,320	5,916	6,176	1,255	752,726	6,982	4,827	1,506	980	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,264	
September	775,334	532,295	3,391	143,236	43,337	127	24,184	5,901	6,190	1,254	759,985	7,031	4,854	1,512	983	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,349	
October	810,746	560,033	3,383	148,726	45,137	127	24,432	5,956	6,228	1,254	795,346	7,061	4,869	1,515	985	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,400	
November	814,897	564,074	3,379	148,946	45,209	127	24,212	5,969	6,220	1,254	799,459	7,082	4,879	1,519	987	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,438	
December	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 January	844,768	588,708	3,293	151,812	46,715	127	24,793	6,088	6,346	1,253	829,204	7,156	4,919	1,528	992	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,564	
February	852,784	597,615	3,283	150,777	46,414	127	25,074	6,140	6,392	1,253	837,145	7,199	4,942	1,533	995	185	121	39	23	6	4	15,639	

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 and Re. 1 are also included. The value of these notes remained unchanged at Rs. 37.2 million, Rs. 26.7 million and Rs. 5.0 million, respectively, as at end February 2021.
- (d) This includes commemorative coins issued upto 28 February 2021. As at end February 2021, the values of Rs. 100 coins, Rs. 500 coins, Rs. 1,000 coins and Rs. 5,000 coins stand at Rs. 5.7 million, Rs. 25.2 million, Rs. 255.7 million and Rs. 44.9 million, respectively. The total value of other commemorative coins, as at end February 2021, stands at Rs. 259.8 million.

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**TABLE 64**
**Money Rates: The Central Bank and Commercial Banks<sup>(a)</sup>**

Per cent per annum

End of Period	Central Bank of Sri Lanka				Commercial Banks' Deposit Rates										Commercial Banks' Rates on Advances																				
	Overnight				Fixed Deposits										Loans and Overdrafts																				
	Bank Rate (b)	Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR)(c)	Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR)(c)		3 month	6 month	12 month	24 month	Savings Deposits	AWDR (d)	AWFDR (e)	AWNDR (f)	AWNFR (g)	Secured by						UnSecured	Bills Purchased and Discounted		AWPR (h)	AWLR (i)	AWNLR (j)	Overnight SLIBOR Rate (k)	Interbank Call Market Rate (l)								
														Stock in Trade	Immovable Property		Others		Max.		Min.	Max.					Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Average Weighted	
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Average Weighted	Max.	Min.	Average Weighted							
2018	15.00	8.00	9.00	13.80	4.00	14.00	4.00	15.00	4.53	13.50	5.40	8.50	0.50	8.81	10.85	10.94	11.27	28.00	7.93	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	29.00	3.50	27.00	6.00	11.94	14.40	14.54	9.00	9.00	8.90	8.95	
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		
2019	1st Qtr	15.00	8.00	9.00	13.25	4.00	14.00	4.00	15.00	4.00	13.50	5.40	8.50	0.20	8.98	11.11	11.42	11.79	28.00	5.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	29.00	6.00	27.00	5.50	12.23	14.49	14.64	8.59	8.57	8.45	8.51
	2nd Qtr	15.00	7.50	8.50	14.00	3.65	13.25	1.00	15.00	1.00	13.00	5.40	7.50	0.20	8.94	11.07	9.85	10.13	28.00	5.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	30.00	6.00	27.00	5.50	11.45	14.36	14.43	7.91	7.90	7.85	7.86
	3rd Qtr	15.00	7.00	8.00	11.75	3.05	12.50	1.00	15.00	1.00	12.62	1.00	8.00	0.20	8.51	10.46	8.41	8.72	28.00	4.48	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	30.00	3.75	26.00	2.69	10.57	13.91	13.50	7.45	7.45	7.40	7.45
	4th Qtr	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	1st Qtr	15.00	6.25	7.25	11.50	0.30	11.30	0.50	15.00	0.95	12.50	5.30	7.50	0.20	7.90	9.65	8.22	8.44	28.00	7.37	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	6.92	24.00	6.00	9.35	13.22	12.19	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75
	2nd Qtr	9.50	5.50	6.50	11.50	1.80	11.30	1.85	15.00	2.00	12.50	5.30	7.00	0.25	7.38	9.00	7.20	7.37	28.00	4.00	28.00	5.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	3.67	20.00	6.00	8.78	12.64	11.18	5.53	5.60	5.50	5.52
	3rd Qtr	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.25	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.50	3.00	7.00	0.10	6.44	7.90	5.31	5.46	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	16.00	5.72	6.42	11.21	8.82	4.55	4.52	4.53	
	4th Qtr	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	
2020	Feb	15.00	6.50	7.50	11.50	2.30	11.30	3.00	15.00	3.50	12.50	5.30	8.25	0.25	8.06	9.83	8.55	8.82	28.00	7.59	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	7.25	24.00	6.00	9.51	13.36	12.54	6.97	7.00	6.90	6.95
	Mar	15.00	6.25	7.25	11.50	0.30	11.30	0.50	15.00	0.95	12.50	5.30	7.50	0.20	7.90	9.65	8.22	8.44	28.00	7.37	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	6.92	24.00	6.00	9.35	13.22	12.19	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75
	Apr	10.00	6.00	7.00	11.50	2.05	11.30	2.40	15.00	3.00	12.50	5.30	7.50	0.20	7.77	9.51	7.83	7.88	28.00	7.31	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	6.50	24.00	6.00	9.38	13.08	11.67	6.47	6.45	6.40	6.40
	May	9.50	5.50	6.50	11.50	2.00	11.30	2.25	15.00	2.50	12.50	5.30	7.50	0.20	7.57	9.26	7.83	7.96	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	6.92	24.00	6.00	9.28	12.96	11.68	5.90	5.85	5.80	5.84
	Jun	9.50	5.50	6.50	11.50	1.80	11.30	1.85	15.00	2.00	12.50	5.30	7.00	0.25	7.38	9.00	7.20	7.37	28.00	4.00	28.00	5.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	3.67	20.00	6.00	8.78	12.64	11.18	5.53	5.60	5.50	5.52
	Jul	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.50	0.32	11.30	1.25	15.00	1.60	12.50	4.35	7.00	0.20	7.16	8.69	5.78	5.96	28.00	6.11	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	20.00	6.00	7.79	12.29	9.85	4.55	4.53	4.53	
	Aug	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.25	0.32	11.30	1.25	15.00	2.00	12.50	4.35	7.00	0.20	6.74	8.26	5.49	5.66	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	20.00	6.00	7.01	11.84	9.12	4.53	4.53	4.53	
	Sep	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.25	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.50	3.00	7.00	0.10	6.44	7.90	5.31	5.46	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	16.00	5.72	6.42	11.21	8.82	4.55	4.52	4.53	
	Oct	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.25	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.50	3.00	7.00	0.10	6.23	7.59	5.10	5.25	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	16.00	5.72	6.10	10.82	8.73	4.55	4.52	4.53	
	Nov	8.50	4.50	5.50	11.25	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.50	3.00	7.00	0.10	6.01	7.37	4.96	5.07	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	17.45	4.05	5.95	10.55	8.71	4.55	4.53	4.54	
	Dec	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	Jan	8.50	4.50	5.50	8.33	0.15	11.30	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.25	3.00	7.00	0.10	5.58	6.88	5.19	5.30	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	2.01	17.42	2.89	5.82	10.17	8.37	4.55	4.54	4.55	
	Feb	8.50	4.50	5.50	8.33	0.15	8.83	0.20	15.00	0.25	12.25	3.00	7.00	0.10	5.36	6.53	4.96	5.09	28.00	4.00	28.00	4.00	28.00	1.00	28.00	4.00	17.42	2.87	5.72	10.08	8.26	4.55	4.54	4.55	

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. Since 16 April 2020, the Bank Rate was allowed to be determined automatically with a margin of 300 basis points above the SLFR.
- (c) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) respectively, with effect from 02 January 2014.
- (d) The Average Weighted Deposit Rate (AWDR) is calculated by 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 (AWNFR) 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.

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## TABLE 65

## Yield Rates on Government Securities

Per cent per annum/Rs. million

End of Period	Primary Market Operations													Secondary Market Operations (a)																
	Weighted Average Yield Rates (per cent per annum)													Trading Volumes (b) (Rs. million)								Yield Rates (c) (per cent per annum)								
	Treasury Bills			Treasury Bonds (d)										Treasury Bills				Treasury Bonds				Treasury Bills				Treasury Bonds				
	91 day	182 day	364 day	2 year	3 year	4 year	5 year	6 year	7 year	8 year	9 year	10 year	Above 10 year	Outright Transactions Purchased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Repur-chased	Outright Transactions Purchased	Sold	Repo Transactions Repur-chased	Reverse Repur-chased	<= 91 day	<= 182 day	<= 364 day	<= 2 year	<= 3 year	<= 4 year	<= 5 year	<= 10 year	<= 15 year
2018 (e)	10.01	9.99	11.20	-	11.88	-	11.69	-	10.32	12.23	12.16	10.20	12.23	319,689	534,508	1,843,858	69,669	511,038	628,865	8,089,681	2,135,095	9.66	9.96	10.91	11.16	11.41	11.51	11.55	11.83	-
2019 (e)	7.51	8.02	8.45	9.79	9.65	-	9.87	-	-	10.24	10.00	10.23	10.68	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)	4.69	4.80	5.05	5.65	5.99	6.32	6.79	6.57	7.01	7.07	-	9.99	7.84	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	-
2019 (f) Q1	9.39	9.67	10.40	-	10.85	-	11.04	-	-	11.30	-	11.35	-	81,498	151,951	385,351	9,543	174,175	215,317	3,509,635	393,803	9.59	9.69	10.40	10.59	10.74	10.86	10.93	11.29	-
Q2	8.24	8.49	8.70	9.79	10.72	-	9.83	-	-	10.63	-	10.59	-	161,365	123,083	374,536	16,100	190,505	202,821	2,093,855	343,598	8.37	8.59	8.79	9.34	9.72	9.89	10.00	10.46	-
Q3	7.62	7.75	8.41	-	-	-	10.27	-	-	-	10.00	-	10.59	169,046	104,980	247,463	1,129	260,921	232,628	1,146,722	262,500	7.68	7.79	8.32	8.80	9.25	9.91	10.24	10.51	-
Q4	7.51	8.02	8.45	-	9.65	-	9.87	-	-	10.24	-	10.23	10.68	185,072	143,936	248,942	20,428	133,163	160,434	798,269	355,044	7.55	7.95	8.47	8.71	9.24	9.74	9.94	10.21	-
2020 (f) Q1	7.00	7.25	7.50	-	9.33	9.81	9.27	-	-	9.99	-	9.99	-	240,580	219,672	492,662	16,329	164,117	158,813	724,013	205,862	7.27	7.80	8.28	8.71	9.19	9.45	9.70	9.97	-
Q2	5.50	5.53	5.66	5.86	8.05	8.70	8.59	8.59	6.97	8.85	-	-	-	280,679	233,525	306,462	10,530	320,048	273,318	1,185,777	293,921	5.60	5.73	5.93	5.96	6.38	6.82	7.12	7.57	-
Q3	4.51	4.64	4.89	5.65	5.72	-	6.59	6.57	7.05	7.07	-	-	-	390,955	280,191	391,183	5,727	305,806	297,633	1,398,348	386,265	4.57	4.68	4.89	5.43	5.94	6.31	6.69	7.36	-
Q4	4.69	4.80	5.05	-	5.99	6.32	6.79	-	7.01	-	-	-	7.84	275,501	219,811	272,776	4,335	173,886	153,249	1,187,680	394,349	4.64	4.73	4.98	5.54	5.98	6.40	6.64	7.56	-
2020 (g) Feb	7.42	8.06	8.58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81,879	76,945	205,678	7,107	57,797	50,106	226,429	64,092	7.45	8.04	8.56	8.90	9.33	9.54	9.73	10.00	-
Mar	7.00	7.25	7.50	-	9.33	9.81	-	-	-	9.99	-	-	-	66,158	69,628	131,989	3,008	58,798	46,955	248,633	56,671	7.27	7.80	8.28	8.71	9.19	9.45	9.70	9.97	-
Apr	6.75	6.80	7.00	-	8.14	8.70	8.75	-	8.88	-	-	-	-	90,510	46,499	146,194	8,145	57,640	58,135	427,919	73,839	6.72	6.90	7.19	7.66	8.23	8.52	8.81	9.24	-
May	6.69	6.82	6.93	-	8.05	-	-	-	-	8.85	-	-	-	105,775	103,745	70,294	1,297	146,363	101,577	384,939	100,480	6.64	6.76	6.92	7.35	8.00	8.36	8.56	9.05	-
Jun	5.50	5.53	5.66	5.86	-	-	8.59	8.59	6.97	-	-	-	-	84,394	83,281	89,974	1,088	116,045	113,606	372,919	119,602	5.60	5.73	5.93	5.96	6.38	6.82	7.12	7.57	-
Jul	4.59	4.68	4.86	5.73	-	-	6.50	6.57	7.05	-	-	-	-	151,358	117,095	194,172	1,721	136,298	132,136	467,355	102,477	4.61	4.69	4.88	5.32	5.85	6.19	6.53	7.21	-
Aug	4.56	4.68	4.89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99,042	77,109	88,504	259	73,983	78,354	459,624	102,703	4.58	4.69	4.85	5.32	5.75	6.06	6.39	7.25	-
Sep	4.51	4.64	4.89	5.65	5.72	-	6.59	-	-	7.07	-	-	-	140,555	85,987	108,507	3,747	95,525	87,143	471,369	181,085	4.57	4.68	4.89	5.43	5.94	6.31	6.69	7.36	-
Oct	4.57	4.69	4.96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76,265	66,342	85,395	1,390	57,053	56,560	364,077	150,599	4.54	4.66	4.89	5.37	5.75	6.06	6.38	7.27	-
Nov	4.64	4.76	5.00	-	6.32	-	-	-	7.01	-	-	-	-	59,786	32,473	83,989	1,389	49,595	44,596	368,461	119,982	4.63	4.73	4.96	5.52	6.04	6.36	6.59	7.49	-
Dec	4.69	4.80	5.05	-	5.99	-	6.79	-	-	-	-	-	7.84	139,450	120,996	103,392	1,556	67,238	52,093	455,142	123,768	4.64	4.73	4.98	5.54	5.98	6.40	6.64	7.56	-
2021 (g) Jan	4.69	4.75	4.98	-	-	6.34	6.72	7.16	7.39	-	-	-	-	133,658	123,402	89,698	2,455	48,107	58,162	252,157	128,671	4.64	4.73	4.94	5.29	5.73	6.24	6.51	7.47	-
Feb	4.90	4.99	5.09	-	6.70	-	7.07	-	7.57	-	-	-	-	78,382	111,412	85,959	773	47,205	49,528	215,737	120,247	4.77	4.85	5.06	5.54	6.11	6.65	6.94	7.82	-

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

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(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 during the month.



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TABLE 66

## Deposit and Lending Rates of Non-Commercial Bank Financial Institutions

Per cent per annum

End of Period	Deposit Rates					Lending Rates			
	National Savings Bank		State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Sanasa Development Bank		National Savings Bank	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	Sanasa Development Bank	National Housing Development Authority
	Savings Deposits	Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Fixed Deposits (1 year)	Savings Deposits	Fixed Deposits (1 year)				
2018	4.00	10.50	12.00	4.00–10.00	11.50–15.00	6.75–16.25	10.50–20.00	5.00–24.00	5.00
2019	4.00	9.83	9.83	4.00–10.00	9.40–15.00	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
2019 Q1	4.00	10.50	12.00	4.00–10.00	12.00–15.00	3.46–17.00	10.50–20.00	5.00–24.00	5.00–6.00
Q2	4.00	10.50	9.83	4.00– 7.50	10.97–15.00	3.46–15.50	10.25–20.00	5.00–24.00	5.00–6.00
Q3	4.00	9.83	9.83	4.00–10.00	9.40–15.00	3.46–15.25	10.25–19.50	5.00–24.00	5.00–6.00
Q4	4.00	9.83	9.83	4.00–10.00	9.40–15.00	12.00–14.50	10.25–18.00	5.00–22.00	5.00–6.00
2020 Q1	4.00	8.50	9.50	4.00– 9.25	9.60–10.50	12.00–14.50	9.50–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
Q2	4.00	7.25	8.50	4.00– 9.00	9.25–10.00	12.00–14.50	4.00–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
Q3	3.50	5.50	6.25	3.00– 7.00	6.00– 7.00	7.00–10.00	8.50–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
Q4	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
2020 February	4.00	8.75	9.50	4.00–10.00	9.40–15.00	12.00–14.50	9.50–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
March	4.00	8.50	9.50	4.00– 9.25	9.60–10.50	12.00–14.50	9.50–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
April	4.00	8.75	9.50	4.00– 9.25	9.60–10.50	12.00–14.50	9.50–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
May	4.00	8.75	9.00	4.00– 9.00	9.60–10.25	12.00–14.50	9.50–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
June	4.00	7.25	8.50	4.00– 9.00	9.25–10.00	12.00–14.50	4.00–18.00	5.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
July	4.00	5.75	6.75	3.50– 8.50	7.25– 8.50	8.00–10.00	4.00–18.00	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
August	3.50	5.75	6.75	3.00– 8.00	7.25– 8.50	7.00–10.00	4.00–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
September	3.50	5.50	6.25	3.00– 7.00	6.00– 7.00	7.00–10.00	8.50–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
October	3.50	5.50	5.75	3.00– 7.00	6.00– 7.00	7.00–10.00	8.73–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
November	3.50	5.25	5.75	3.00– 7.00	5.75– 6.75	7.00–10.00	8.73–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
December	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 January	3.50	5.25	5.50	3.00– 5.50	5.25– 6.50	6.25–10.00	8.37–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00
February	3.50	5.00	5.50	3.00– 5.50	5.25– 6.50	6.25–10.00	7.00–12.50	4.00–22.00	6.00–9.00

Sources : Respective Licensed Specialised Banks  
National Housing Development Authority

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## Interest Rates of Licensed Commercial Banks (as at end February, 2021)

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Per cent per annum

Bank	Amiana 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
<b>DEPOSITS &amp; ADVANCES</b>																								
<b>SELECTED TYPES OF DEPOSITS</b>	<b>Interest Rates on Deposits – % per annum</b>																							
Savings Deposits	2.3-2.7	3.0	1.6	4.0-5.0	1.0-4.3	2.5	1.0-2.3	2.0-5.0	3.0	2.5-5.0	3.0	3.8-4.8	2.5	3.0	2.0-3.0	2.5-3.0	3.0-6.0	2.5	2.0-4.0	2.5-3.0	0.2-1.0	3.0	0.5-1.5	2.0
Annual Effective Rate	2.3-2.7	3.0	1.6	4.1-5.1	-	2.5	1.0-2.3	2.0-5.1	3.0	2.5-5.1	3.0	-	2.5	3.0	2.0-3.0	2.5-3.0	3.0-6.0	2.5	2.0-4.1	2.5-3.0	0.2-1.0	3.0	0.5-1.5	2.0
Time Deposits - 12 months																								
Interest payable at maturity	4.9-7.0	5.0-15.0	4.0	5.3-5.9	-	4.5-5.3	-	5.0-6.0	5.5-9.8	4.5-6.5	5.5	5.5-6.5	4.8-10.0	5.3-5.8	4.8-5.0	5.3	4.8-5.0	5.5	4.5-5.0	5.0	2.0-3.0	4.5	3.0-3.5	5.0
Annual Effective Rate	4.9-7.0	5.0-15.0	4.0	5.3-5.9	-	4.5-5.3	-	5.0-6.0	5.5-9.8	4.5-6.5	5.5	-	4.8-10.0	5.3-5.8	4.8-5.0	5.3	5.3-5.8	5.5	4.5-5.0	5.0	2.0-3.0	4.5	3.0-3.5	5.0
Interest payable monthly	4.5-7.0	4.8-14.1	-	5.1	-	4.4-5.2	-	4.9-5.5	5.4-9.5	4.4-4.9	5.1	5.3-6.3	5.0-9.0	5.1-5.5	4.6-4.9	5.2	4.6-4.8	5.3	4.3-4.8	4.5	1.9-2.9	4.3	2.8-3.3	4.3
Annual Effective Rate	4.6-7.2	4.9-15.0	-	5.3	-	4.5-5.3	-	5.0-5.7	5.5-9.9	4.5-5.0	5.1	-	5.1-9.4	5.2-5.6	4.7-5.0	5.3	4.6-4.9	5.4	4.3-4.9	4.6	1.9-2.9	4.3	2.8-3.3	4.3
NRFC Savings Deposits																								
- US Dollars	1.5-2.3	0.8-2.0	0.1	-	-	1.0-3.6	-	1.3-4.8	-	1.8-3.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0-2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	0.0-0.1	1.0	0.0-0.1	2.0
Annual Effective Rate	1.5-2.3	0.8-2.0	0.1	-	-	1.0-3.7	-	1.3-4.9	-	1.8-3.8	0.5	-	0.5	1.0-2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	1.0	2.3	2.0	-	1.0	0.0-0.1	2.0
<b>SELECTED TYPES OF ADVANCES</b>	<b>Interest Rates on Advances – % per annum</b>																							
Lending to Prime Customers	6.2-10.0	5.9-9.7	-	7.0	-	4.0	5.3-6.4	5.9-7.9	-	6.5-9.2	-	7.4-14.1	4.9-8.3	5.1-16.8	5.3-7.6	7.8	5.8	5.8	5.0-8.8	5.0-9.0	6.3-9.5	-	5.5-14.3	5.6-10.0
Export Bill Finance																								
- Rupee Facilities	8.6-10.1	3.0-4.5	-	-	4.0-6.2	9.5	-	9.7	-	-	7.0-12.5	13.0-16.0	8.3-8.8	10.8-14.0	-	9.0-16.0	-	-	-	7.3-10.5	-	-	-	5.7-15.5
Import Bill Finance																								
- Rupee Facilities	8.6-10.1	11.0-14.8	-	8.4-13.0	4.0-6.2	5.5-9.9	6.1-9.0	5.9-28.0	-	7.7-10.3	8.8-12.5	13.0-16.0	5.5-10.3	6.7	5.3-13.0	9.0-20.0	15.5	5.8-11.0	5.8-9.3	5.8-11.5	5.5-9.0	5.8-9.3	-	7.3-17.0
Lease Finance	9.0-12.0	12.5-15.0	-	-	-	8.5-11.0	-	9.3-16.3	-	9.0-11.5	-	-	12.0-17.0	8.8-16.5	-	-	-	-	9.0-12.5	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture - short-term (up to one year)	8.6-11.1	10.3-12.5	-	6.0	-	3.5-13.0	-	7.4	-	10.0-13.0	7.0-9.0	-	6.3-12.5	7.9-14.9	5.5-13.3	-	9.3-12.0	9.0-11.8	8.0-12.0	4.0-14.0	-	3.2-4.0	5.5-10.1	-
Residential Housing	7.0-8.3	7.0-11.8	-	12.0	-	8.5-10.0	-	9.0-10.5	-	7.7-10.5	10.8-11.0	-	-	9.3-9.5	7.0	7.0-12.0	9.0-10.5	8.0-13.5	7.0-9.5	7.0-12.5	-	-	7.9-16.1	10.8
SMI Lending (up to 5 years)	10.1-12.0	6.0-9.0	-	11.5-13.5	-	2.0-10.0	-	-	-	7.7-11.5	9.0-11.0	7.4-14.1	5.3-17.0	5.8-12.8	7.8-13.8	3.5-15.5	6.0-11.1	9.5-12.0	6.0	6.0-14.0	-	2.7-12.5	-	5.1-28.0
Pawning	9.3	9.0-9.5	-	-	-	9.0	-	8.5-10.0	-	9.0	-	-	-	8.0-8.5	10.0	10.0-10.0	9.5-10.0	-	8.0	10.0	-	-	-	10.0
US Dollar Loans to Exporters	5.1-5.2	5.0-8.0	-	-	-	3.1-5.2	2.1	2.9-5.5	-	4.4	1.5-4.5	3.0-6.0	3.6-5.1	8.3	-	6.6-10.0	1.7-3.2	-	3.2-6.0	4.5-6.0	3.4	6.0	2.4-5.1	3.5
Overdrafts																								
Corporate Lending	8.6-10.6	16.0-22.0	-	18.0	-	8.4-13.0	-	-	24.0	8.2-28.0	7.0-18.0	20.0	8.3	9.8-16.0	5.8-10.8	16.0	-	22.0-24.0	16.0	9.0-16.0	16.0	-	5.5-10.3	14.0-28.0
Personal / Retail Lending	8.6-10.6	16.0-22.0	-	18.0	-	7.9-15.0	-	16.0-24.0	24.0	28.0	7.0-18.0	20.0	5.5-7.5	11.8-16.0	6.3-16.0	12.0-16.0	16.0-24.0	16.0-22.0	16.0	13.0-16.0	16.0	-	14.8	16.0-18.0

Source : Licensed Commercial Banks

**Commercial Banks' Fees and Commissions  
(as at end December 2020)**

**A. Export and Import Related Transactions**

Export Services	Maximum	Minimum
LC Advising Charges	Rs. 10,500 US \$ 60	Rs. 1,000 US \$ 10
Negotiation of documentary bills	Rs. 46,000 US \$ 300 0.38%	Rs. 1,500 US \$ 11 0.10%
Bills for collection	Rs. 15,000 US \$ 150 0.38%	Rs. 1,000 US \$ 5 0.10%
Confirmation of documentary credit	Rs. 7,500 2.00%	Rs. 200 0.13%
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 15,000 US \$ 100	Rs. 1,000 US \$ 8
Import Services		
Establishing of LCs	Rs. 7,500 US \$ 75 0.63%	Rs. 1,500 US \$ 16 0.13%
Shipping indemnities	Rs. 5,500 US \$ 50 0.40%	Rs. 1,500 US \$ 20 0.14%
Import bills for collection	Rs. 100,000 US \$ 500 0.50%	Rs. 1,000 US \$ 13 0.25%
DC Transmission / Telex charges	Rs. 4,000 US \$ 50	Rs. 1,000 US \$ 16
Documents with discrepancies	Rs. 14,732 US \$ 250	Rs. 2,000 US \$ 20

**B. Foreign Remittances**

Inward	Maximum	Minimum
Telegraphic transfers	Rs. 5,000 US \$ 15,000	Rs. 100 US \$ 2
Foreign drafts purchased	Rs. 7,750 US \$ 65 0.50%	Rs. 50 US \$ 1 0.25%
Foreign Remittances – Outward		
Telegraphic transfers	Rs. 25,000 US \$ 50	Rs. 500 US \$ 5
Foreign drafts	Rs. 15,000 US \$ 53	Rs. 300 US \$ 3
Traveller's Cheques		
Agent's commission	0.00%	0.00%
Issuing charges	Rs. 400 0.00%	Rs. 400 4.00%
Encashment charges	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 300
Foreign Currency Accounts		
Inward TTs	Rs. 10,000 US \$ 300	Rs. 150 US \$ 2
Foreign currency notes	Rs. 500 3.00%	Rs. 500 0.75%
Traveller's cheques	Rs. 0 US \$ 7	Rs. 0 US \$ 5

**C. Domestic Banking Operations**

Current Accounts	Maximum	Minimum
Issuing cheques	Rs. 250	Rs. 10
Returned cheques		
– for insufficient funds	Rs. 5,500	Rs. 500
– technical objections	Rs. 3,000	Rs. 100
Stopped cheques	Rs. 7,000	Rs. 250
Standing instructions	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 50
Monthly service charges	Rs. 25,000	Rs. 50
Loans		
Application processing fees	Rs. 916,667	Rs. 100
Inspection charges	Rs. 50,000	Rs. 50
ATM and Credit Cards		
ATM cards		
– Issuing fee	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 200
Credit cards		
– Issuing fee	Rs. 7,000	Rs. 300
– Renewal fee	Rs. 20,000	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<sup>(a)</sup>

Value in Rs. million

Period	Cheque Clearing		SLIPS		
	No.	Value	No.	Value	
2018	50,352,229	10,528,393	32,943,254	1,972,195	
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	
2019	Q1	12,035,950	2,520,446	8,610,293	518,582
	Q2	11,241,586	2,402,068	9,097,998	513,612
	Q3	11,832,696	2,505,202	9,196,986	524,565
	Q4	11,691,542	2,435,339	9,707,152	547,416
2020	Q1	10,279,779	2,117,623	9,509,056	534,453
	Q2	5,542,418	1,332,828	8,396,826	511,486
	Q3	9,415,141	2,130,569	9,195,143	582,384
	Q4	8,394,127	1,909,979	9,729,266	628,376
2020	February	3,562,006	741,363	3,016,862	178,661
	March	2,721,473	540,492	3,215,740	167,107
	April	1,199,917	292,334	2,797,296	155,915
	May	1,675,572	423,252	2,643,269	163,943
	June	2,666,929	617,243	2,956,261	191,627
	July	3,153,441	701,363	3,129,860	199,020
	August	2,998,151	696,455	2,962,329	185,582
	September	3,263,549	732,750	3,102,954	197,782
	October	2,820,725	635,003	3,093,313	196,055
	November	2,546,296	592,731	3,031,440	192,097
	December	3,027,106	682,245	3,604,513	240,225
2021	January	2,849,425	656,870	3,113,821	215,030
	February	2,853,695	672,650	3,051,031	212,654

(a) SLIPS : Sri Lanka Interbank Payments System

Source : LankaClear (Pvt) Ltd.

**FINANCIAL SECTOR**
**TABLE 70**
**Commercial Banks' Debits and Deposits Turnover<sup>(a)</sup>**

Rs. million

During the Period	Value of Debits to Demand Deposit Accounts		Average Demand Deposits	Rate of Turnover		Value of Debits to Time Deposit Accounts		Average Time Deposits	Rate of Turnover		Value of Debits to Savings Deposit Accounts		Average Savings Deposits	Rate of Turnover		
	Total for Period	Monthly Average		Total for Period (1)+(3)	Month (2)+(3)	Total for Period	Average		Total for Period (6)+(8)	Month (7)+(8)	Total for Period	Average		Total for Period (11)+(13)	Month (12)+(13)	
																(1)
2018	40,383,749.2	3,365,312.4	336,957.6	119.85	9.99	2,117,357.9	176,446.5	3,484,966.8	0.61	0.05	14,854,543.0	1,237,878.6	1,595,476.6	9.31	0.78	
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	
2019	Q1	9,887,905.7	3,295,968.6	333,243.1	29.67	9.89	550,536.6	183,512.2	3,791,826.4	0.15	0.05	3,782,470.4	1,260,823.5	1,642,352.1	2.30	0.77
	Q2	9,652,957.7	3,217,652.6	336,555.4	28.68	9.56	527,998.2	175,999.4	3,902,996.4	0.14	0.05	4,210,396.4	1,403,465.5	1,684,838.4	2.50	0.83
	Q3	10,735,043.0	3,578,347.7	334,537.3	32.09	10.70	475,518.2	158,506.1	3,980,744.0	0.12	0.04	4,429,817.5	1,476,605.8	1,709,251.4	2.59	0.86
	Q4	10,143,321.7	3,381,107.2	335,452.7	30.24	10.08	430,286.5	143,428.8	3,962,940.4	0.11	0.04	4,557,386.5	1,519,128.8	1,756,772.6	2.59	0.86
2020	Q1	9,741,607.1	3,247,202.4	352,187.8	27.66	9.22	458,674.5	152,891.5	4,062,035.9	0.11	0.04	4,495,165.4	1,498,388.5	1,826,230.3	2.46	0.82
	Q2	8,137,215.6	2,712,405.2	379,573.4	21.44	7.15	456,728.2	152,242.7	4,168,098.0	0.11	0.04	3,727,974.1	1,242,658.0	1,999,570.6	1.86	0.62
	Q3	10,661,262.2	3,553,754.1	424,447.4	25.12	8.37	539,278.6	179,759.5	4,313,994.9	0.13	0.04	5,137,407.4	1,712,469.1	2,155,408.7	2.38	0.79
	Q4	9,999,312.9	3,333,104.3	451,256.7	22.16	7.39	464,969.5	154,989.8	4,448,132.3	0.10	0.03	5,896,000.3	1,965,333.4	2,370,217.5	2.49	0.83
2020	February	3,187,680.8		346,079.0	9.21		144,840.0		4,061,910.2	0.04		1,463,906.3		1,816,713.9	0.81	
	March	2,841,030.1		361,612.5	7.86		139,675.8		4,098,406.6	0.03		1,395,361.9		1,871,634.9	0.75	
	April	2,111,692.9		377,074.9	5.60		125,329.6		4,123,716.2	0.03		999,611.9		1,959,503.4	0.51	
	May	2,498,091.6		374,910.9	6.66		140,229.3		4,163,215.3	0.03		1,181,489.3		2,008,690.8	0.59	
	June	3,527,431.1		386,734.5	9.12		191,169.2		4,217,362.6	0.05		1,546,872.9		2,030,517.7	0.76	
	July	4,023,179.2		405,773.9	9.91		189,480.2		4,265,226.1	0.04		1,747,718.6		2,082,887.1	0.84	
	August	3,211,711.6		427,161.9	7.52		169,335.0		4,308,875.9	0.04		1,727,161.7		2,150,989.3	0.80	
	September	3,426,371.4		440,406.4	7.78		180,463.5		4,367,882.7	0.04		1,662,527.1		2,232,349.8	0.74	
	October	3,327,391.0		441,340.9	7.54		171,512.0		4,411,592.2	0.04		1,930,642.0		2,315,463.5	0.83	
	November	3,185,393.2		448,952.5	7.10		133,832.0		4,441,566.9	0.03		1,884,317.2		2,374,047.2	0.79	
	December	3,486,528.7		463,476.7	7.52		159,625.5		4,491,237.7	0.04		2,081,041.1		2,421,141.9	0.86	
2021	January	3,327,798.6		475,595.4	7.00		175,517.9		4,541,607.8	0.04		1,938,892.9		2,463,820.6	0.79	
	February	3,470,800.1		474,518.2	7.31		161,404.7		4,564,073.0	0.04		1,948,675.1		2,521,712.3	0.77	

(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	Mar 2020	28,256	6.5	175,273	4.3	28,338	1.4	231,868	3.5
	Jun 2020	26,232	6.0	195,140	4.6	43,076	2.0	264,448	3.9
	Sep 2020	27,313	5.9	225,622	5.2	42,712	1.8	295,647	4.1
	Dec 2020 (a)	28,575	5.3	210,678	4.5	54,838	2.1	294,091	3.8
2. Plantations	Mar 2020	6,270	1.4	8,665	0.2	7,227	0.4	22,161	0.3
	Jun 2020	5,631	1.3	10,519	0.2	5,926	0.3	22,076	0.3
	Sep 2020	7,710	1.7	11,836	0.3	8,098	0.3	27,644	0.4
	Dec 2020 (a)	8,509	1.6	13,437	0.3	11,850	0.5	33,797	0.4
3. Trading	Mar 2020	38,238	8.8	44,602	1.1	29,340	1.4	112,179	1.7
	Jun 2020	38,156	8.7	46,997	1.1	29,699	1.4	114,852	1.7
	Sep 2020	42,948	9.2	53,150	1.2	37,264	1.6	133,363	1.8
	Dec 2020 (a)	52,940	9.9	60,537	1.3	42,630	1.6	156,107	2.0
4. Manufacturing Establishments	Mar 2020	29,808	6.8	77,681	1.9	24,609	1.2	132,099	2.0
	Jun 2020	27,821	6.4	83,434	2.0	26,603	1.2	137,858	2.0
	Sep 2020	34,501	7.4	89,773	2.1	27,740	1.2	152,014	2.1
	Dec 2020 (a)	39,654	7.4	93,613	2.0	32,271	1.2	165,538	2.1
5. Other Business Institutions	Mar 2020	155,213	35.6	736,270	18.0	261,171	12.7	1,152,655	17.5
	Jun 2020	157,071	35.9	776,787	18.3	235,064	11.0	1,168,922	17.2
	Sep 2020	158,521	34.1	825,044	18.8	277,420	11.7	1,260,985	17.5
	Dec 2020 (a)	183,740	34.2	906,591	19.5	353,404	13.5	1,443,735	18.5
6. Non-Business Institutions	Mar 2020	32,676	7.5	263,907	6.5	88,493	4.3	385,075	5.9
	Jun 2020	32,097	7.3	279,923	6.6	40,462	1.9	352,481	5.2
	Sep 2020	31,960	6.9	310,162	7.1	39,745	1.7	381,867	5.3
	Dec 2020 (a)	39,829	7.4	309,430	6.7	73,684	2.8	422,942	5.4
7. Local Authorities	Mar 2020	17,756	4.1	13,104	0.3	4,288	0.2	35,149	0.5
	Jun 2020	15,342	3.5	11,571	0.3	4,375	0.2	31,288	0.5
	Sep 2020	14,935	3.2	15,278	0.3	4,872	0.2	35,085	0.5
	Dec 2020 (a)	23,462	4.4	12,662	0.3	3,945	0.2	40,070	0.5
8. Individuals	Mar 2020	128,033	29.3	2,762,046	67.7	1,609,458	78.4	4,499,537	68.5
	Jun 2020	134,823	30.8	2,829,444	66.8	1,757,632	82.0	4,721,900	69.3
	Sep 2020	146,937	31.6	2,846,811	65.0	1,935,138	81.5	4,928,887	68.3
	Dec 2020 (a)	159,765	29.8	3,043,693	65.4	2,044,773	78.1	5,248,230	67.2
9. Total	Mar 2020	436,251	100.0	4,081,549	100.0	2,052,923	100.0	6,570,723	100.0
	Jun 2020	437,173	100.0	4,233,814	100.0	2,142,839	100.0	6,813,826	100.0
	Sep 2020	464,826	100.0	4,377,676	100.0	2,372,989	100.0	7,215,492	100.0
	Dec 2020 (a)	536,474	100.0	4,650,642	100.0	2,617,395	100.0	7,804,510	100.0

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

Commercial Banks' Loans and Advances to the Private Sector <sup>(a)(b)</sup>

Category	December 2019		December 2020 (c)		% Change
	Amount (Rs. mn.)	as a % of Total	Amount (Rs. mn.)	as a % of Total	
<b>1. Agriculture and Fishing</b>	<b>471,132</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>489,698</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<i>of which,</i>					
Tea	95,828	1.6	102,009	1.6	6.4
Rubber	25,899	0.4	30,812	0.5	19.0
Coconut	24,717	0.4	27,849	0.4	12.7
Paddy	38,015	0.6	38,554	0.6	1.4
Vegetable and Fruit Cultivation, and Minor Food Crops	30,822	0.5	29,193	0.5	-5.3
Livestock and Dairy Farming	26,176	0.4	26,248	0.4	0.3
Fisheries	21,532	0.4	20,531	0.3	-4.6
<b>2. Industry</b>	<b>2,427,025</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>2,540,105</b>	<b>39.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<i>of which,</i>					
Construction	1,197,629	19.9	1,348,558	21.1	12.6
<i>of which,</i>					
Personal Housing including Purchasing / Construction / Repairs	563,625	9.4	633,359	9.9	12.4
Staff Housing	85,956	1.4	91,726	1.4	6.7
Food and Beverages	130,800	2.2	148,321	2.3	13.4
Textiles and Apparel	214,632	3.6	235,127	3.7	9.5
Wood and Wood Products including Furniture	21,462	0.4	19,244	0.3	-10.3
Paper and Paper Products	21,446	0.4	19,341	0.3	-9.8
Chemical, Petroleum, Pharmaceutical and Healthcare and Rubber and Plastic Products	119,807	2.0	115,946	1.8	-3.2
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	32,137	0.5	15,127	0.2	-52.9
Basic metal Products	42,639	0.7	49,507	0.8	16.1
Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery and Transport Equipment	192,281	3.2	132,890	2.1	-30.9
Other Manufactured Products	25,168	0.4	25,672	0.4	2.0
<b>3. Services</b>	<b>1,692,781</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>1,716,712</b>	<b>26.9</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<i>of which,</i>					
Wholesale and Retail Trade	502,401	8.4	501,803	7.9	-0.1
Tourism	235,059	3.9	261,734	4.1	11.3
Financial and Business Services	370,614	6.2	350,141	5.5	-5.5
Transport	89,438	1.5	71,981	1.1	-19.5
Communication and Information Technology	61,837	1.0	63,254	1.0	2.3
Printing and Publishing	26,194	0.4	24,684	0.4	-5.8
Education	13,034	0.2	16,365	0.3	25.6
Health	44,729	0.7	50,720	0.8	13.4
Shipping, Aviation and Freight Forwarding	27,219	0.5	21,600	0.3	-20.6
<b>4. Personal Loans and Advances (d)</b>	<b>1,418,468</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>1,632,088</b>	<b>25.6</b>	<b>15.1</b>
<i>of which,</i>					
Consumer Durables	239,104	4.0	330,839	5.2	38.4
Pawning	210,954	3.5	248,714	3.9	17.9
Credit Cards	131,028	2.2	127,767	2.0	-2.5
Personal Education	8,544	0.1	10,371	0.2	21.4
Personal Healthcare	3,444	0.1	2,061	0.0	-40.1
Other	773,807	12.9	854,829	13.4	10.5
<b>5. Total (e)</b>	<b>6,009,406</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,378,604</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6.1</b>

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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

(c) Provisional

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

(e) Total credit to the private sector as per the Quarterly Survey differ from that in the Monetary Survey due to differences in the compilation methodologies.

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## TABLE 73

## Savings and Fixed Deposits of Deposit Taking Institutions

Rs. million

End of Period	Savings Deposits							Fixed Deposits							Total Deposits
	Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	RDBs/ Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank (b)	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c)	Licensed Finance Companies (d)	Total	Commercial Banks (a)	National Savings Bank (e)	State Mortgage & Investment Bank	RDBs/ Pradeshiya Sanwardhana Bank (b)	Other Licensed Specialised Banks (c)	Licensed Finance Companies	Total	
2018	1,945,369	197,638	1,320	51,404	17,751	34,601	2,248,084	4,489,223	616,268	30,320	86,524	83,387	658,095	5,963,816	8,211,900
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
2019 Q1	1,976,177	202,331	1,393	52,375	18,236	31,207	2,281,718	4,568,443	633,107	32,224	83,012	87,564	694,514	6,098,865	8,380,583
Q2	1,988,202	206,810	1,345	53,129	18,663	32,129	2,300,278	4,689,247	674,180	32,696	87,517	87,520	709,947	6,281,106	8,581,384
Q3	2,034,600	210,141	1,391	55,114	19,417	33,365	2,354,028	4,701,857	712,971	31,947	87,514	87,496	702,170	6,323,955	8,677,983
Q4	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 Q1	2,285,352	226,705	1,560	56,799	23,158	31,873	2,625,447	4,974,100	799,558	36,889	92,141	93,719	702,443	6,698,851	9,324,298
Q2	2,370,356	243,402	1,734	59,622	23,958	29,470	2,728,542	5,109,946	836,606	37,847	95,160	99,362	672,893	6,851,814	9,580,356
Q3	2,604,444	260,761	1,861	63,507	25,326	31,543	2,987,442	5,330,936	881,275	39,168	99,538	107,295	691,678	7,149,891	10,137,333
Q4	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
2020 February	2,141,991	221,884	1,404	56,693	22,970	37,059	2,482,001	4,931,475	796,158	36,737	92,552	93,371	705,852	6,656,146	9,138,146
March	2,285,352	226,705	1,560	56,799	23,158	31,873	2,625,447	4,974,100	799,558	36,889	92,141	93,719	702,443	6,698,851	9,324,298
April	2,339,664	239,041	1,731	58,458	24,378	30,738	2,694,011	5,029,546	810,712	36,810	92,513	93,580	696,750	6,759,910	9,453,921
May	2,333,080	242,078	1,801	57,954	24,255	29,372	2,688,539	5,067,318	815,103	37,219	93,886	94,863	691,653	6,800,041	9,488,581
June	2,370,356	243,402	1,734	59,622	23,958	29,470	2,728,542	5,109,946	836,606	37,847	95,160	99,362	672,893	6,851,814	9,580,356
July	2,434,229	246,460	1,709	60,693	24,319	29,464	2,796,874	5,164,872	863,333	38,165	97,519	101,568	670,964	6,936,421	9,733,296
August	2,508,858	252,034	1,718	61,647	24,846	30,441	2,879,544	5,247,122	871,201	38,720	98,693	103,658	677,596	7,036,991	9,916,535
September	2,604,444	260,761	1,861	63,507	25,326	31,543	2,987,442	5,330,936	881,275	39,168	99,538	107,295	691,678	7,149,891	10,137,333
October	2,695,636	267,854	1,836	64,180	25,820	35,074	3,090,401	5,362,024	897,459	39,681	100,670	108,375	689,013	7,197,221	10,287,622
November	2,747,628	273,091	1,948	65,115	26,060	37,233	3,151,074	5,425,991	914,907	39,583	102,108	109,499	688,088	7,280,177	10,431,251
December	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 January	2,897,577	285,019	1,918	65,828	26,958	36,898	3,314,198	5,605,518	951,581	39,402	105,288	111,859	687,799	7,501,447	10,815,645
February	2,977,227	290,990	2,319	66,417	26,644	43,425	3,407,023	5,653,282	965,558	40,186	105,092	113,308	689,435	7,566,862	10,973,885

(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 amalgamated with Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd., and operated as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC with effect from 01 January 2015. 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.

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