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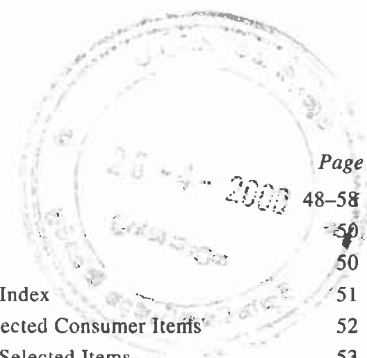


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KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

SRI LANKA ECONOMY - 1997

Area	Sq. Km.	'000 Ha.	Mn. Acres	Life Expectancy : 72 years (Male : 69.5 yrs., Female : 74.2yrs)
Gross	65,610	6,561	16.2	Literacy Rate : 88.6% (Male : 92.2%, Female : 86.2%)
Excluding Inland Water	62,705	6,270	15.5	Human Development Index (1994) : 0.711 (Min 0.0 Max 1.0)
Temperature : °C (°F)				GNP at Market Prices : Rs. Bn. 888.9 US \$ Mn. 15,068
Low Country	Min. 23.8 (74.8)	Max. 31.6 (88.9)		Per Capita GNP : Rs. 47,837 US \$ 812
Hill Country	Min. 16.9 (62.4)	Max. 25.8 (78.4)		Per Capita GNP (PPP) (1995) : US \$ 3,250
Annual Rainfall (Average) : 1,861 mm				Rate of Growth of Real GDP : 6.0%
Population, '000 : 18,552	Population Growth, % : 1.3			Sectoral Composition of GDP (1996) : %
Province	Population '000	Land Area (Sq. km.)	Density of Population (per Sq. km.)	Agriculture 18.4 Construction 6.9
Western	4,769	3,593	1,327	Mining & Quarrying 2.5 Services 51.2
Central	2,352	5,575	422	Manufacturing 21.0
Southern	2,415	5,383	449	Inflation : Change of CCPI : 9.6% ; Change of GCPI : 7.1%
North-Western	2,183	7,506	291	Labour Force (% of Population) : 48.4%
Sabaragamuwa	1,784	4,921	363	Unemployment (% of Labour Force) : 10.2%
Northern	1,411	8,290	170	Money Stock (M ₂) : Rs. Bn. 288.3
Eastern	1,354	9,361	145	Money (M ₂) Growth : 13.8%
Uva	1,154	8,335	138	
North-Central	1,130	9,741	116	
Total	18,552	62,705	296	
Composition of Population (1981 Census):				
By Ethnicity	%	By Religion	%	
Sinhalese	74.0	Buddhists	69.3	Exports of Goods & Services : Rs. Bn. 338.3 US \$ Mn. 5,724
Sri Lankan Tamils	12.6	Hindus	15.5	Imports of Goods & Services : 410.2 6,951
Indian Tamils	5.5	Muslims	7.5	BOP Current Account : -18.2 -317
Moors	7.1	Christians	7.6	External Assets : 172.8 2,822
Others	0.8	Others	0.1	External Debt : 511.8 8,365
By Sector	%	By Age (Years)	%	% of GDP 57.5
Urban	21.5	0 - 14	35.2	Fiscal Deficit (After Grants) : -34.8 -590
Rural	72.2	15 - 54	60.5	% of GDP -3.9
Estate	6.3	55 & above	4.3	Exchange Rate (Average) : Rs. per US.\$ 58.99
				Rs. per SDR 81.14

REAL SECTOR

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Population, '000	14,190	17,247	17,405	17,619	17,865	18,112	18,315	18,552
Population Growth, %	1.8	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.3
Density of Population per Sq. Km.	219	277	279	283	287	289	292	296
Labour Force, % of Population (10 Yrs. & above)	37.2	49.3	48.9	49.5	48.1	48.3	48.5	48.4
Unemployment, % of Labour Force	14.6	13.8	13.3	13.8	12.1	12.0	11.1	10.2
GNP (Market Prices) : Rs. Bn.	38.7	369.3	424.3	499.6	575.5	659.1	762.7	888.9
US \$ Mn.	2,477	8,926	9,681	10,355	11,646	12,860	13,800	15,068
Per Capita GNP : Rs.	2,725	21,410	24,379	28,357	32,215	36,381	41,644	47,837
US \$	175	518	556	588	652	710	753	812
GDP (Market Prices) : Rs. Bn.	42.7	372.3	425.3	499.6	579.1	667.8	768.9	887.5
US \$ Mn.	2,733	9,000	9,703	10,354	11,718	13,030	13,912	15,045
Per Capita GDP : Rs.	3,007	21,589	24,435	28,354	32,414	36,869	41,984	47,837
US \$	193	522	557	588	656	719	760	811
Real GDP Growth, %	8.2	4.6	4.3	6.9	5.6	5.5	3.8	6.0
GDP at 1982 Prices : Rs. Bn.	40.5	135.2	141.0	150.8	159.3	168.0	174.3	184.8
Sectoral Shares in GDP, %								
Agriculture	26.0	22.6	21.3	20.5	20.0	18.4	17.9	17.9
Mining & Quarrying	3.6	2.6	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5
Manufacturing	14.6	17.7	18.5	19.7	20.4	21.0	21.5	21.5
Construction	4.6	6.7	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.8
Services	51.2	49.6	50.4	50.9	50.4	50.2	51.2	51.3
Expenditure and Savings, % of GDP								
Consumption	84.7	87.2	85.0	84.0	84.8	84.7	84.5	83.8
Government Consumption	9.5	9.8	9.6	9.2	9.7	11.5	10.4	9.5
Investment	19.9	22.9	24.3	25.6	27.0	25.7	24.2	25.5
Government Investment	7.2	4.3	3.2	4.2	3.0	3.5	3.3	3.4
Domestic Savings	15.2	12.8	15.0	16.0	15.2	15.3	15.5	15.3
National Savings	15.5	15.2	17.9	20.2	19.1	19.5	19.2	19.5
Savings - Investment Gap	-4.4	-7.7	-6.4	-5.4	-7.9	-6.2	-5.0	-6.0

(a) Provisional

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS (Contd.)

AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Principal Agricultural Produce								
Paddy, M.T. '000	1,891	2,389	2,340	2,570	2,684	2,810	2,061	2,233
Bushels, Mn.	91	114	112	123	129	135	99	107
Tea, Mn. Kgs.	199	241	178	232	242	246	258	277
Rubber, Mn. Kgs.	156	104	106	104	105	106	112	118
Coconut, Mn. Nuts	2,207	2,184	2,296	2,164	2,622	2,755	2,546	2,571
Agricultural Exports, Rs. Bn.	10.4	26.5	26.5	31.6	34.7	42.5	53.2	62.5
Tea	6.4	17.9	14.9	19.9	21.0	24.6	34.1	42.5
Rubber	2.0	2.6	3.0	3.1	3.6	5.7	5.8	4.6
Coconut	1.3	2.6	3.7	2.8	3.8	5.3	6.1	6.8
Minor Agricultural Crops	0.7	3.4	5.0	5.8	6.4	6.9	7.3	8.6
Industrial Production, Rs. Bn.	8.9	103.9	136.1	166.5	190.6	221.4	260.2	304.4
Value Added In Industry, Rs. Bn.	—	38.0	50.4	60.7	70.0	81.8	95.4	112.6
Industrial Exports, Rs. Bn.	1.9	50.7	77.3	101.4	118.5	147.1	166.5	202.8
Textile & Wearing Apparel	0.5	33.3	53.2	68.2	76.7	94.9	105.3	134.5
Petroleum Products	0.9	3.3	2.8	3.8	4.0	4.3	5.7	5.4
Other Industrial Products	0.5	14.1	21.3	29.5	37.9	47.8	55.5	62.9
Petroleum Refined Products, MT '000								
Petrol	121	137	113	164	186	154	189	161
Diesel	359	463	362	564	647	583	585	532
Kerosene	211	151	127	189	192	192	200	147
Furnace Oil	548	571	458	564	602	582	749	665
Aviation Fuel	36	90	69	91	61	64	69	74

(a) Provisional

GOVERNMENT FINANCE

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(b)
(Rupees Billion)								
Revenue	11.1	76.2	85.8	98.3	110.0	136.3	146.3	170.3
Expenditure and Net Lending	16.9	119.5	117.0	140.5	167.8	200.5	214.7	213.6
Current Expenditure	9.8	83.8	89.6	102.3	127.1	154.2	170.6	181.1
Capital Expenditure	4.6	25.3	24.9	33.7	30.4	41.7	40.0	32.5
Current Account Surplus/Deficit (-)	1.2	-7.6	-3.9	-3.9	-17.0	-17.9	-24.4	-10.8
Budget Deficit (Before Grants)	-5.8	-43.3	-31.2	-42.2	-57.8	-64.2	-68.4	-43.3
Financing - Foreign Grants	0.6	7.7	8.3	8.0	8.3	9.0	8.5	8.5
Borrowing - Foreign	3.3	19.3	7.4	9.9	11.8	21.2	10.9	13.4
Domestic	1.9	16.1	15.6	24.2	37.7	34.0	49.0	21.4
(Per cent of GDP)								
Revenue	25.9	20.4	20.2	19.7	19.0	20.4	19.0	19.2
Expenditure and Net Lending	39.6	32.1	27.5	28.1	29.0	30.0	27.9	24.0
Current Expenditure	23.1	22.5	21.1	20.5	21.9	23.1	22.2	20.4
Capital Expenditure	10.9	6.8	5.9	6.7	5.2	6.2	5.2	3.7
Current Account Surplus/Deficit (-)	2.8	-2.0	-0.9	-0.8	-2.9	-2.7	-3.2	-1.2
Budget Deficit (Before Grants)	-13.7	-11.6	-7.3	-8.4	-10.0	-9.6	-8.9	-4.9
Debt :Rs. Bn.	30.9	367.0	405.6	483.9	550.9	632.0	708.9	758.7
% of GDP	72.5	98.5	95.4	96.9	95.1	94.6	92.2	85.4
Domestic Debt	38.4	40.9	40.0	42.8	43.0	42.8	45.4	43.1
Foreign Debt	34.2	57.6	55.4	54.1	52.1	51.9	46.8	42.3
Debt Service Payments, % of GDP	5.9	10.7	12.2	11.5	10.5	11.2	10.3	10.0
Interest payments, % of GDP	3.1	5.9	6.1	6.0	7.1	6.2	6.4	6.2

(a) Provisional

(b) Projection

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS (Contd.)

EXTERNAL SECTOR

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(b)
(Rupees Billion)								
Exports (Merchandise)	13.2	84.4	107.9	138.2	158.6	195.1	226.8	273.8
Imports (Merchandise)	15.6	125.6	153.6	193.7	235.7	272.5	299.5	344.8
Trade Balance	-2.4	-41.3	-45.8	-55.5	-77.1	-77.4	-72.7	-70.9
Services Account	0.1	-3.8	-1.4	1.8	0.5	0.8	-5.4	-0.9
Net Remittances	0.3	16.6	20.3	27.1	31.0	34.8	39.5	46.8
Current Account Balance	-1.0	-20.0	-18.9	-18.8	-37.4	-32.9	-30.2	-18.2
Overall Balance	1.9	10.1	9.5	24.1	17.2	1.4	-4.1	27.1
(US Dollars Million)								
Exports (Merchandise)	845	2,040	2,459	2,858	3,200	3,799	4,096	4,633
Imports (Merchandise)	1,025	3,034	3,501	4,010	4,759	5,311	5,415	5,842
Trade Balance	-180	-993	-1,043	-1,152	-1,559	-1,512	-1,319	-1,209
Services Account	8	-90	-34	39	12	15	-98	-16
Net Remittances	22	401	462	561	627	679	715	792
Current Account Balance	-93	-480	-432	-391	-753	-644	-549	-317
Overall Balance	120	218	172	516	310	-64	-134	362
(Per cent of GDP)								
Exports (Merchandise)	30.9	22.7	25.4	27.6	27.4	29.2	29.5	30.9
Imports (Merchandise)	36.5	33.7	36.1	38.8	40.7	40.8	39.0	38.9
Trade Balance	-5.6	-11.1	-10.8	-11.2	-13.3	-11.6	-9.5	-8.0
Net Remittances	2.9	4.5	4.8	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.3
Current Account Balance	-2.4	-5.4	-4.5	-5.3	-6.5	-4.9	-3.9	-2.0
Terms of Trade (1990=100)	-	101.0	121.0	126.3	125.4	124.3	127.2	n.a.
Export Price Index (1990=100)	-	105.0	131.8	144.7	151.7	174.2	194.9	n.a.
Import Price Index (1990=100)	-	103.9	108.8	114.6	121.0	140.2	153.2	n.a.
Gross External Assets								1997 (a)
Rs. Bn.	7.5	49.2	66.2	105.3	130.3	138.9	138.3	172.9
US \$ Mn.	482	1,156	1,440	2,124	2,608	2,570	2,440	2,833
In Months of Imports	4.0	4.4	5.1	6.5	6.5	5.9	5.5	6.0
External Debt								
Rs. Bn.	17.5	276.0	314.3	376.8	436.3	508.3	484.2	511.8
US \$ Mn.	1,114	6,482	6,832	7,601	8,730	9,421	8,558	8,365
% of GDP	41.0	74.1	73.9	75.4	75.3	76.1	63.0	57.7
Debt Service Ratio, %	14.9	15.8	14.6	11.8	11.2	11.6	12.9	11.0
Tourists Arrivals, '000	192.6	317.7	393.7	392.3	407.5	403.1	302.3	366.2
Exchange Rates (Average)								
Rs./US\$	15.61	41.37	43.83	48.25	49.42	51.25	55.27	58.99
Rs./SDR	20.20	56.61	61.75	67.39	70.75	77.74	80.23	81.17
Rs./Pound Sterling	29.97	73.20	77.38	72.47	75.68	80.88	86.34	96.69
Rs./Deutsche Mark	7.77	24.93	28.07	29.18	30.45	35.81	36.75	34.07
Rs./Yen	0.07	0.31	0.35	0.43	0.48	0.55	0.51	0.49
Rs./Indian Rs.	1.91	1.82	1.69	1.58	1.57	1.58	1.56	1.63

(a) Provisional

(b) Projection

PRICES AND WAGES

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Price Indices								
Colombo Consumers' Price Index (1952=100)	227.8	1,131.5	1,260.4	1,408.4	1,527.4	1,644.6	1,906.7	2,089.1
Change (%)	12.1	12.2	11.4	11.7	8.4	7.7	15.9	9.6
Greater Colombo Consumers' Price Index (Jan. - June 1989 = 100)	-	138.9	152.0	164.8	172.6	179.3	205.5	220.1
Change (%)	-	11.5	9.4	8.4	4.8	3.9	14.7	7.1
Wholesale Price Index (1974 = 100)	156.7	710.8	773.0	831.8	873.4	950.7	1,145.1	1,224.3
Change (%)	15.8	9.2	8.8	7.6	5.0	8.9	20.5	6.9
Implicit GNP Deflator (1982 = 100)	55.0	249.6	274.6	300.6	328.9	356.5	400.3	437.7
Change (%)	7.5	11.1	10.0	9.5	9.4	8.4	12.3	9.3
Construction Cost Index (1990 = 100)	-	110.4	118.6	127.4	137.6	147.1	153.5	159.2
Change (%)	-	10.4	7.4	7.4	8.0	6.9	4.4	3.7
Wage Rate Indices								
Central Govt. Employees (1978 Dec. = 100)	100.0	534.6	557.6	675.5	735.5	792.5	818.2	906.5
Change (%)	14.5	12.1	4.3	21.1	8.9	7.7	3.2	10.8
Government Teachers (1978 Dec. = 100)	100.0	444.8	461.8	567.1	595.6	760.5	760.5	778.5
Change (%)	10.4	10.0	3.8	22.8	5.0	27.7	0.0	2.4
Wages Board Workers (1978 Dec. = 100)	94.7	518.8	590.0	685.8	712.4	740.3	801.7	849.1
Change (%)	43.1	14.4	13.7	16.2	3.9	3.9	8.3	5.9

(a) Provisional

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS (Contd.)

MONEY AND MONEY RATES

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Narrow Money (M ₁), Rs. Bn.	5.9	46.6	50.1	59.3	70.5	75.2	78.2	85.9
% of GDP	13.9	12.5	11.8	11.9	12.2	11.3	10.2	9.7
% Change of M ₁	10.6	17.7	7.4	18.6	18.7	6.7	4.0	9.8
Broad Money (M ₂), Rs. Bn.	10.9	110.6	129.8	160.1	191.7	228.5	253.2	288.3
Currency	3.0	24.9	27.3	32.1	38.9	42.2	42.6	45.7
Demand Deposits	2.9	21.7	22.8	27.2	31.6	33.0	35.6	40.1
Time and Savings Deposits	5.0	63.9	79.7	100.8	121.2	153.3	175.0	202.4
M ₂ , % of GDP	25.5	29.7	30.5	32.1	33.1	34.2	32.9	32.5
M ₂ Change, Rs. Bn.	2.2	20.0	19.2	30.3	31.5	36.9	24.7	35.1
Net External Banking Assets	1.9	8.8	8.7	27.2	16.3	1.1	-4.7	27.4
Domestic Credit	1.8	11.8	16.3	6.7	23.1	50.0	28.5	20.4
Net Other Items	-1.5	-0.6	-5.8	-3.6	-7.9	-14.2	0.9	-12.7
% Change of M ₂	25.0	22.1	17.4	23.4	19.7	19.2	10.8	13.8
Domestic Credit, Rs. Bn.	10.7	127.8	144.0	150.7	173.8	223.8	252.3	272.7
Government (Net)	1.9	35.4	33.1	27.0	28.1	35.2	47.6	46.3
Public Corporations	4.0	15.8	16.7	9.7	7.8	12.5	11.3	12.0
Private Sector	4.8	76.6	94.2	114.0	137.9	176.1	193.4	214.4
Money Multiplier : For M ₁	1.39	1.16	1.12	1.05	1.04	0.96	0.91	1.03
For M ₂	2.56	2.76	2.89	2.84	2.82	2.91	2.96	3.44
Velocity of Money : of M ₁	7.32	8.84	9.01	9.21	8.97	9.49	10.01	11.92
of M ₂	4.20	3.77	3.56	3.47	3.32	3.51	3.19	3.30
Bank Rate, %	10	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
Prime Lending Rate, %	-	19.6	20.2	20.4	17.8	19.9	18.4	14.2
Treasury Bill Yield, % - 3 Months	9.9	16.33	17.67	18.09	18.73	19.26	17.45	9.97
6 Months	-	16.38	18.05	18.47	19.29	18.91	17.40	10.09
12 Months	-	17.43	18.99	19.38	19.43	18.97	17.38	10.21
Rupee Securities Rate, %	10	14 - 18	15 - 17	16 - 18.5	14 - 16	14	13 - 15	11.3-14.5
Call Money Rate, %	7 - 10	14 - 19	13 - 27	16.5 - 28	14 - 28	16 - 102	13 - 31	9-20
Savings Rate, %								
Commercial Banks	7.2	6.5 - 14	6.5 - 14	5.5 - 14	5.5 - 13	5 - 13	4.5 - 13	3-11
NSB	8.4	14	14	14	14	12	12	10.8
NSB 12 Months Fixed Deposit Rate, %	15	17	17	16	14	16	15	11

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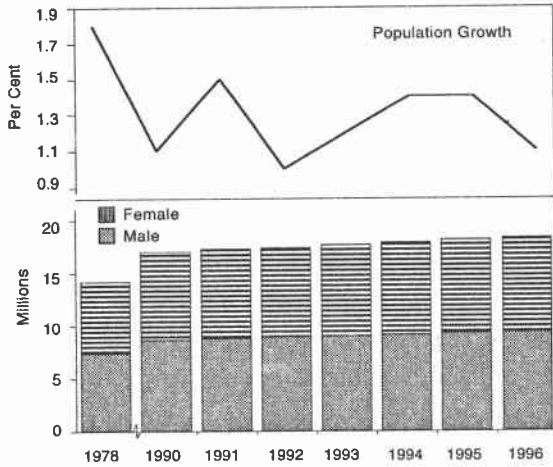
MONEY AND CAPITAL MARKET

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Call Money Market, Rs. Bn.								
Total Lending	-	224.9	207.2	375.0	468.5	653.6	944.8	1,015.5
Outstanding (Year End)	-	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.2	8.1	6.9	3.6
Treasury Bill Market, Rs. Bn.								
Primary Market Issues	8.2	131.6	194.8	158.9	168.4	224.0	226.9	210.9
Central Bank Secondary Market								
Sales	-	80.4	119.4	94.7	21.2	17.0	16.1	18.8
Purchases	-	36.7	49.6	46.9	18.9	35.3	16.8	17.2
Bills Outstanding	2.6	73.0	87.1	97.2	98.9	113.8	125.0	115.0
Central Bank Holdings	2.1	35.0	26.0	6.0	9.0	15.0	20.0	11.5
Other	0.5	38.0	61.1	91.2	89.9	98.8	105.0	103.5
Rupee Securities, Rs. Bn.								
Outstanding	12.0	66.8	69.2	105.7	137.6	157.9	206.0	239.5
Issues	1.8	26.0	20.9	28.2	46.9	46.7	70.6	48.5
Share Market								
Listed Companies	-	178	190	201	215	226	235	239
Share Turnover, Rs. Bn.	-	5.5	6.2	22.1	34.5	11.2	7.4	18.3
Non-National Transactions(Net), Rs. Bn.	-	1.3	1.1	3.3	1.3	-0.1	0.4	0.7
Market Capitalization, Rs. Bn.	-	81.8	66.2	123.8	143.2	106.9	104.2	129.4
All Share Price Index (1985=100)	-	837.8	605.3	979.0	986.7	663.7	603.0	702.2
Sensitive Price Index (1985=100)	-	1,198.7	826.6	1,442.4	1,438.8	990.5	897.7	1,068.0
Market Price Earning Ratio	-	20.9	12.5	19.6	16.3	11.2	10.7	12.5
Market Dividend Yield, %	-	1.4	2.2	1.4	1.7	4.3	4.1	3.2

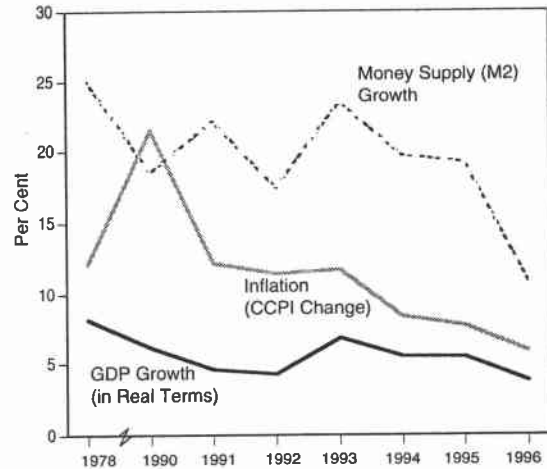
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KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

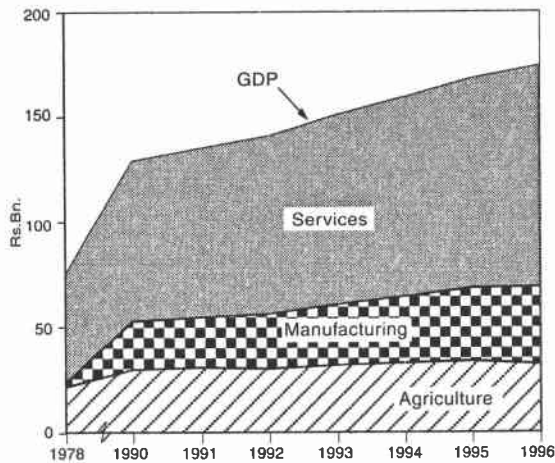
Population



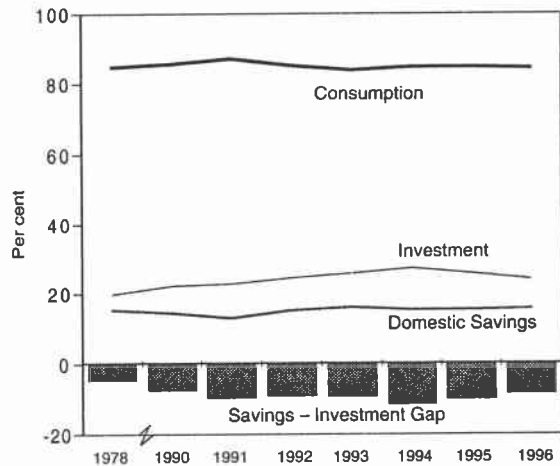
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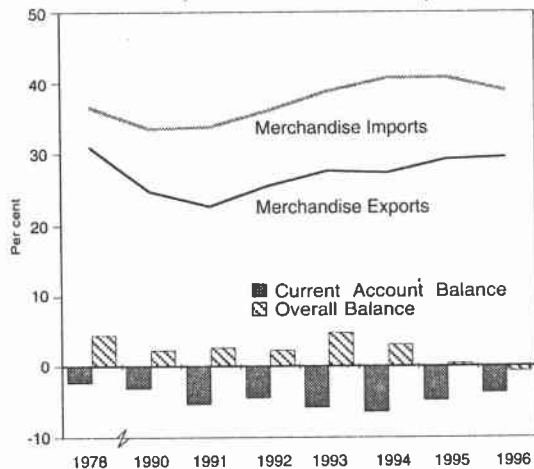
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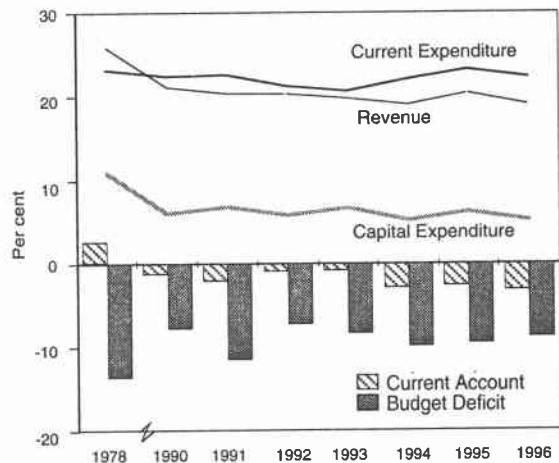
Expenditure and Savings (Per cent of GDP)



Balance of Payments (Per cent of GDP)

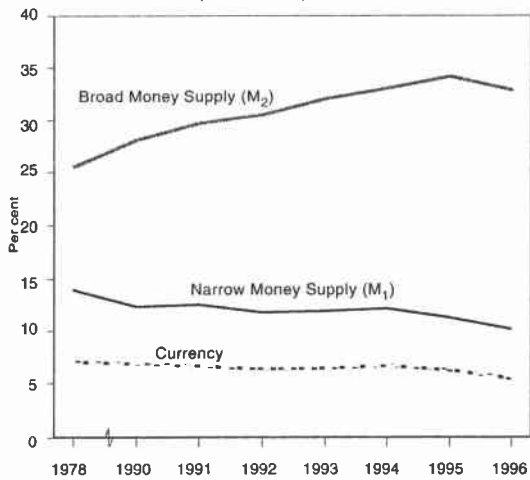


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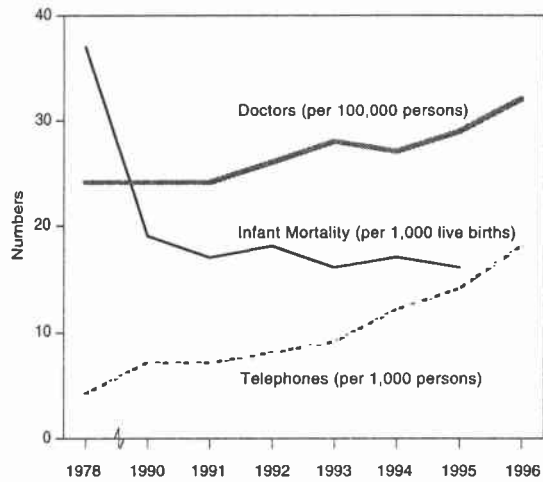


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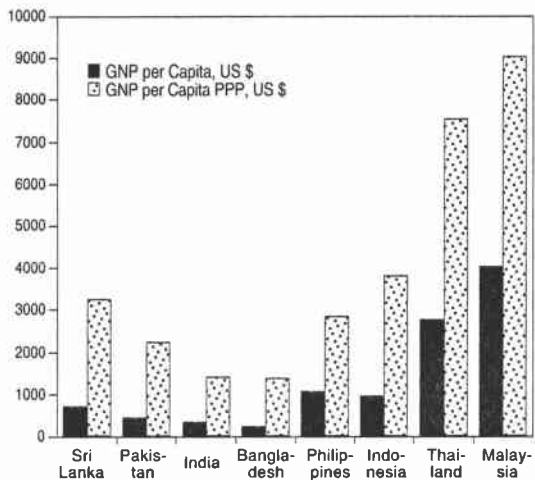
Money Supply
(% of GDP)



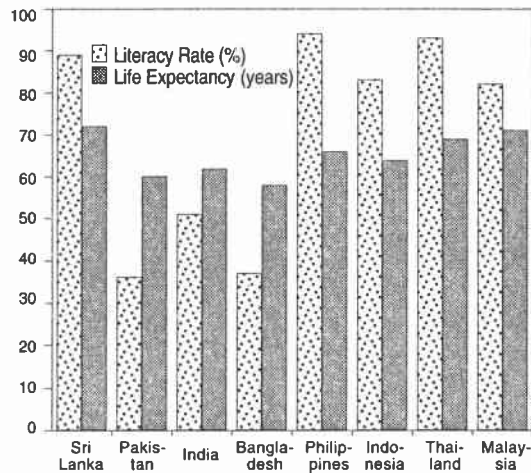
Selected Socio-Economic Indicators



GNP per Capita 1995
Selected Asian Countries



Social Indicators
Selected Asian Countries



KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS (Contd.)

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Central Bank								
Assets, Rs. Bn.	14.2	95.8	101.3	133.6	155.9	173.5	181.6	183.9
International Reserves	6.1	28.9	40.4	76.7	95.7	105.9	103.2	119.0
Credit to Government	0.6	46.0	40.6	24.8	27.8	36.5	45.1	35.9
Credit to Financial Institutions	0.9	5.3	5.8	4.9	3.4	2.8	2.2	1.7
Currency in Circulation, Rs. Bn.	3.5	27.5	30.5	35.9	43.1	46.7	49.5	53.1
Deposits, Rs. Bn.	3.6	37.7	37.3	54.1	64.3	77.3	79.4	76.1
Commercial Banks								
No. of Banks	11	23	23	23	23	26	26	26
Branches	768	766	816	852	889	926	958	1,134
Assets, Rs. Bn.	13.8	155.4	184.5	243.9	281.1	335.5	389.8	442.8
Loans	8.7	94.3	112.6	125.2	143.2	187.0	202.4	230.2
Investments	0.6	12.0	13.5	19.5	26.0	19.3	26.9	35.4
Capital, Rs. Bn.	0.5	9.0	9.9	21.9	28.8	33.5	39.3	44.4
Deposits, Rs. Bn.	8.8	109.3	130.9	159.3	190.6	228.2	261.9	302.2
Finance Companies (Registered)								End Sept.
Assets, Rs. Bn.	—	—	7.2	8.0	10.2	12.4	15.6	21.4
Investments	—	—	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.3
Loans	—	—	4.2	5.1	6.1	7.4	10.5	12.3
Deposits, Rs. Bn.	—	—	4.3	5.0	5.9	7.2	8.8	13.2
Selected Other Institutions - Assets, Rs. Bn.								
Merchant Banks								
(MBSL, PMBL, Seylan, Vanik)	—	—	1.7	3.9	7.2	13.6	14.8	14.3
Regional Rural Development Banks	—	1.4	1.9	2.5	3.0	3.6	4.0	4.5
Long Term Credit Institutions								
(NDB, DFCC, SMIB)	—	15.1	19.6	24.5	28.8	36.4	42.1	49.6
Unit Trusts	—	—	2.5	5.3	3.6	2.9	2.7	3.3
Employees' Provident Fund, Rs. Bn.	3.3	43.8	45.8	62.4	75.7	81.5	122.0	145.0
Employees' Trust Fund, Rs. Bn.	—	6.0	7.3	9.3	11.8	14.2	17.0	20.2

(a) Provisional

INFRASTRUCTURE

Indicator	1978	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	1997(a)
Electricity								
Installed Capacity, MW	401	1,289	1,409	1,409	1,409	1,409	1,453	1,607
Units Generated, GWh	1,385	3,376	3,540	3,979	4,364	4,783	4,530	5,125
Telecommunication								
Telephones (Telecom)	49,500	125,834	135,504	155,239	180,724	205,963	254,523	315,000
Cellular Phones	—	—	—	6,242	29,182	51,316	71,029	114,888
Wireless Local Loop Telephones	—	—	—	—	—	—	527	26,381
Public Pay Phones (Telecom & Private)	—	259	498	673	905	1,597	2,152	2,571
Telephone Density (per 1,000 persons)	4	7	8	9	12	14	18	25
Radio Paging Subscribers	—	—	—	—	6,302	9,565	10,721	10,829
Data Com., E-mail and Internet Subscribers	—	—	—	—	175	273	4,110	9,045
Port Services (Port of Colombo)								
Vessels Arrived	1,868	2,928	3,117	3,887	3,790	3,277	3,467	3,627
Cargo Discharged, MT '000	1,896	7,982	8,131	9,732	10,515	11,390	13,400	15,645
Cargo Loaded, MT '000	1,050	4,275	3,826	4,980	5,629	6,024	7,485	9,471
Container Throughput, TEU '000	—	669.5	675.8	857.8	972.6	1,049.0	1,356.3	1,687.2
Transportation								End Sept.
Road Kilometerage (A & B Class)	8,668	10,581	10,887	10,960	11,076	11,152	11,147	11,152
New Registration of Motor vehicles, No.	24,214	84,446	98,682	84,469	75,521	82,845	79,413	59,865
S L T B / Peoples Bus Companies								
Buses Operated (Daily Average)	5,097	3,359	3,550	3,709	4,207	4,692	4,710	4,492
Passenger Kilometers, Mn.	20,374	11,454	12,840	13,608	15,613	19,390	20,267	14,280
Sri Lanka Railways								
Passenger Kilometers, Mn.	3,709	2,932	2,613	2,822	3,202	3,321	3,478	1,958(b)
Freight Ton Kilometers, Mn.	281	169	177	159	154	136	124	60(b)
Airlanka								
Passenger Kilometers Flown, Mn.	129	3,486	4,165	3,677	3,737	4,035	3,868	4,335
Ton Kilometers Performed, Mn.	12	422	490	440	453	526	512	578

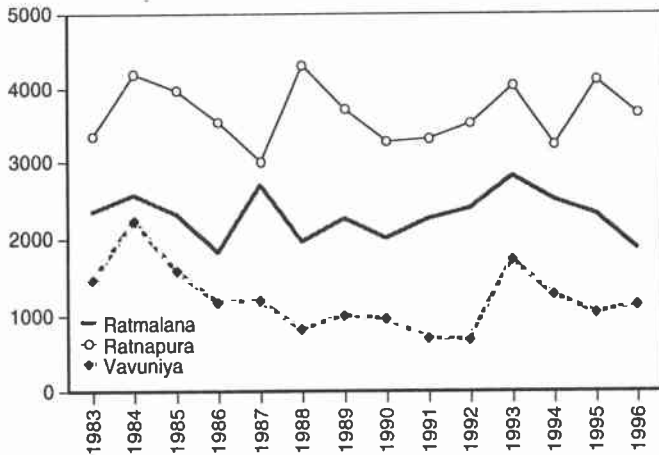
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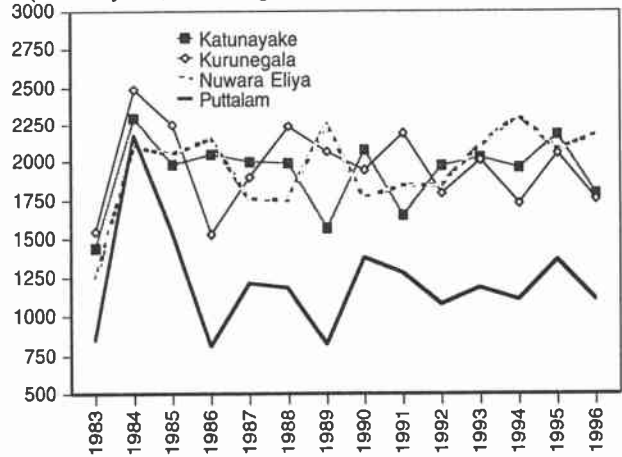
Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CLIMATE - RAINFALL

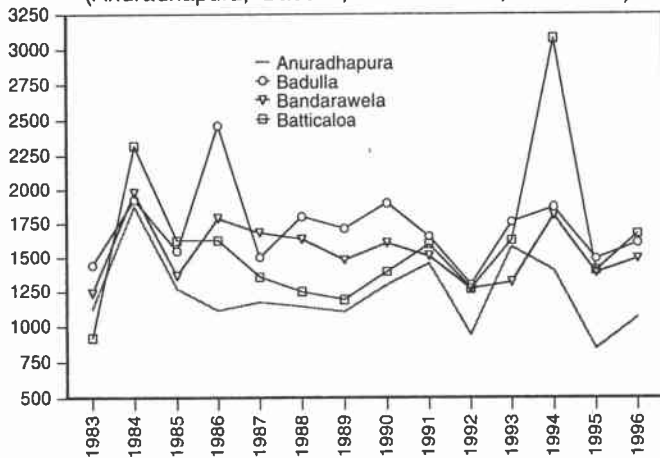
Annual Rainfall, mm
(Ratmalana, Ratnapura, Vavuniya)



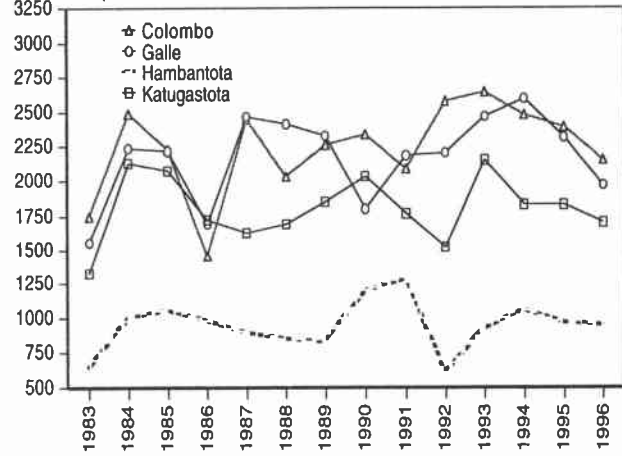
Annual Rainfall, mm
(Katunayake, Kurunegala, Nuwara Eliya, Puttalam)



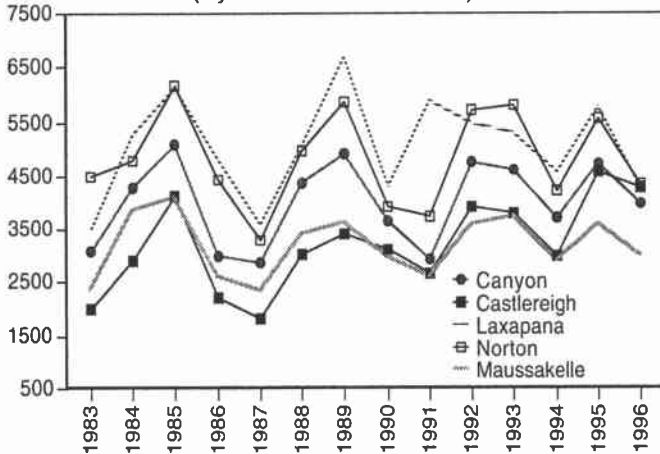
Annual Rainfall, mm
(Anuradhapura, Badulla, Bandarawela, Batticaloa)



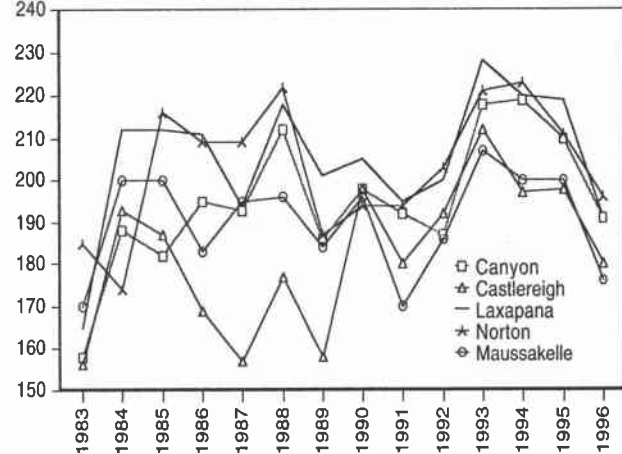
Annual Rainfall, mm
(Colombo, Galle, Hambantota, Katugastota)



Annual Rainfall, mm
(Hydro Catchment Areas)



Annual Rain Days
(Hydro Catchment Areas)



MEAN TEMPERATURE 1986 - 1996

Degrees Celsius

Meteorological Station	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Anuradhapura	28.8	28.8	28.9	28.5	28.1	28.2	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.4	28.1
Badulla	23.5	24.2	23.6	23.1	24.3	24.1	24.1	23.9	24.2	24.1	24.1
Batticaloa	28.2	28.3	28.6	28.1	n.a.	27.8	27.9	30.6	28.0	28.3	28.1
Colombo	27.5	27.8	27.9	27.3	27.7	27.7	27.1	27.8	27.7	27.9	27.8
Diyatalawa/Bandarawela (a)	20.0	20.1	19.8	19.5	20.6	20.7	20.7	20.7	20.6	20.9	20.7
Galle	26.9	27.6	26.9	26.3	27.3	27.2	27.0	27.3	27.2	27.1	27.0
Hambantota	27.5	28.0	28.2	27.5	27.7	27.5	27.3	27.4	27.4	27.6	27.5
Jaffna	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Katugastota	27.8	25.3	24.6	24.4	24.9	24.8	24.6	24.7	24.8	24.7	24.7
Kankasanturai	24.8	28.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Katunayake	28.1	28.0	27.8	27.2	27.7	27.7	27.4	27.8	27.7	27.8	27.7
Kurunegala	27.0	28.0	27.5	27.2	27.6	27.3	27.2	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.5
Maha Illuppallama	28.1	27.0	24.8	27.4	27.7	27.6	26.1	27.3	27.5	27.5	27.4
Mannar	28.0	28.8	28.0	28.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Mullativu	28.7	29.7	28.4	28.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nuwara Eliya	15.9	16.1	16.1	15.9	16.1	16.1	15.7	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.0
Pothuvil	27.5	28.7	28.3	28.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	28.0	27.0
Puttalam	27.8	28.0	27.7	27.8	28.3	28.4	28.0	27.9	28.0	28.2	28.3
Ratmalana	n.a.	28.3	28.0	27.9	28.1	28.2	27.9	28.1	28.0	28.2	28.0
Ratnapura	27.6	28.9	28.2	27.9	27.7	27.6	27.6	27.5	27.1	27.2	27.1
Trincomalee	28.4	29.2	29.2	28.8	n.a.	28.7	28.5	28.5	28.7	28.8	28.7
Vavuniya	27.8	27.6	27.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	26.4	26.6	28.1	28.1	28.2

(a) From 1991, Bandarawela.

Source : Department of Meteorology

RAINFALL AND RAIN DAYS - HYDRO CATCHMENT AREAS 1986 - 1996

Station	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Annual Rainfall, Millimetres											
Canyon	3,007.5	2,880.7	4,362.0	4,906.7	3,667.1	2,924.7	4,758.7	4,623.3	3,702.6	4,722.3	3,983.5
Castlereigh	2,208.4	1,811.8	3,019.2	3,416.8	3,107.1	2,675.9	3,911.7	3,801.9	2,992.2	4,572.1	4,274.5
Laxapana	4,830.8	3,586.2	5,053.7	6,693.9	4,317.9	5,914.5	5,499.0	5,315.8	4,600.4	5,792.9	4,280.5
Norton	4,448.4	3,293.4	4,989.7	5,871.6	3,920.6	3,738.9	5,727.9	5,812.7	4,240.1	5,570.6	4,336.3
Maussakele	2,593.8	2,319.2	3,424.1	3,636.9	2,974.3	2,605.6	3,598.7	3,757.9	2,911.3	3,590.5	2,986.1
Samanala Power Station	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	5,974.0	3,970.3	4,048.4	4,664.3	5,629.0	4,251.0	4,860.4	3,941.8
Wimalasurendra Power Station	4,299.7	3,279.4	4,965.3	6,035.2	3,659.5	502.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	25.2	773.2
Kothmale Power Station	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	924.6	530.0	1,587.5	2,416.5	1,283.5	2,346.8	1,371.4
Annual Rain Days											
Canyon	195	193	212	186	198	192	187	218	219	210	191
Castlereigh	169	157	177	158	198	180	192	212	197	198	180
Laxapana	211	194	218	201	205	195	200	228	220	219	191
Norton	209	209	222	187	194	194	203	221	223	211	196
Maussakele	183	195	196	184	196	170	186	207	200	200	176
Samanala Power Station	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	176	208	193	192	214	195	199	162
Wimalasurendra Power Station	195	201	211	186	158	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	44
Kothmale Power Station	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	125	41	118	126	115	120	96

n.a. = Not available

Source : Department of Meteorology

RAINFALL AND RAIN DAYS - SELECTED STATIONS 1986 - 1996

Meteorological Station	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Annual Rainfall, Millimetres											
Anuradhapura	1,114.5	1,176.9	n.a.	1,104.4	1,298.5	1,456.8	939.7	1578.9	1,405.1	849.4	1,068.3
Badulla	2,462.3	1,504.3	1,802.2	1,713.0	1,903.4	1,659.0	1,302.4	1759.5	1,866.0	1,493.4	1,607.2
Bandarawela	1,795.2	1,682.6	1,638.0	1,487.0	1,613.9	1,515.1	1,272.5	1318.7	1,815.0	1,388.2	1,497.3
Batticaloa	1,627.2	1,358.9	1,250.8	1,199.4	n.a.	1,599.1	1,270.3	1625.7	3,080.7	1,403.7	1,681.6
Colombo	1,456.6	2,451.9	2,036.2	2,265.7	2,341.4	2,096.9	2,575.2	2647.0	2,483.0	2,398.9	2161.0
Galle	1,694.0	2,466.5	2,421.0	2,325.3	1,797.5	2,188.9	2,210.4	2472.5	2,598.5	2,321.3	1,970.3
Hambantota	973.1	889.5	n.a.	825.9	1,192.9	1,283.8	603.2	918.1	1,055.5	962.8	943.5
Jaffna	1,494.8	1,080.1	1,346.6	998.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Katugastota	1,723.7	1,629.0	1,685.8	1,848.4	2,034.6	1,768.1	1,515.6	2157.8	1,832.0	1,835.3	1,707.1
Katunayake	2,044.8	n.a.	1,996.1	1,560.8	2,075.1	1,652.9	1,973.5	2033.4	1,966.3	2,180.1	1,795.2
Kurunegala	1,529.7	1,893.0	2,244.1	2,064.4	1,949.1	2,191.1	1,796.8	2011.9	1,726.5	2,055.6	1,757.1
Maha Illuppallama	1,065.2	1,473.2	n.a.	1,216.2	1,399.7	1,222.3	1,062.0	1607.3	1,595.7	1,422.2	1,269.2
Mannar	n.a.	780.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	937.7	999.6
Mullativu	903.1	n.a.	1,041.1	983.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nuwara Eliya	2,152.8	1,754.5	1,742.4	2,248.4	1,757.6	1,836.6	1,842.4	2099.9	2,303.4	2,082.5	2,176.5
Pottuvil	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	947.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1,800.4	1,137.9	1,079.7
Puttalam	814.8	1,211.9	1,182.7	827.7	1,370.2	1,281.3	1,077.8	1181.0	1,104.5	1,361.7	1,112.5
Ratmalana	1,815.7	2,702.5	1,958.3	2,251.9	1,997.8	2,245.1	2,385.7	2821.9	2,493.8	2,312.0	1,855.8
Ratnapura	3,547.0	3,013.3	4,310.8	3,733.7	3,280.1	3,321.2	3,536.2	4041.5	3,246.0	4,115.9	3,674.1
Trincomalee	1,521.9	n.a.	n.a.	1,302.4	n.a.	1,287.9	1,598.5	1944.0	1,973.8	1,379.4	1,459.4
Vavuniya	1,178.7	1,187.8	811.5	996.9	n.a.	n.a.	681.3	1722.3	1,268.9	1,037.5	1,124.8
Annual Rain Days											
Anuradhapura	95	97	n.a.	76	95	102	88	109	108	83	94
Badulla	154	158	159	147	151	143	127	152	161	142	130
Bandarawela	161	149	159	156	145	136	131	141	174	142	137
Batticaloa	110	106	95	89	n.a.	80	79	105	121	111	105
Colombo	141	157	156	150	153	166	151	159	171	168	146
Galle	176	172	186	168	172	192	157	188	198	190	171
Hambantota	89	92	n.a.	80	95	100	81	108	119	105	92
Jaffna	92	72	53	60	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Katugastota	164	155	163	165	172	164	171	191	193	170	149
Katunayake	145	n.a.	146	140	136	138	142	157	152	142	122
Kurunegala	145	145	154	140	146	154	147	172	149	148	124
Maha Illuppallama	100	113	n.a.	96	104	104	87	111	108	84	102
Mannar	n.a.	59	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	53	61
Mullativu	87	n.a.	83	79	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nuwara Eliya	198	181	195	197	190	205	183	199	225	194	193
Pottuvil	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	79	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	77	56	37
Puttalam	81	95	93	74	79	98	85	112	101	75	89
Ratmalana	156	161	163	157	165	167	156	180	179	174	150
Ratnapura	219	200	218	187	221	229	212	242	241	221	213
Trincomalee	96	n.a.	n.a.	89	n.a.	92	82	104	101	100	93
Vavuniya	95	95	95	99	n.a.	n.a.	52	110	93	74	69

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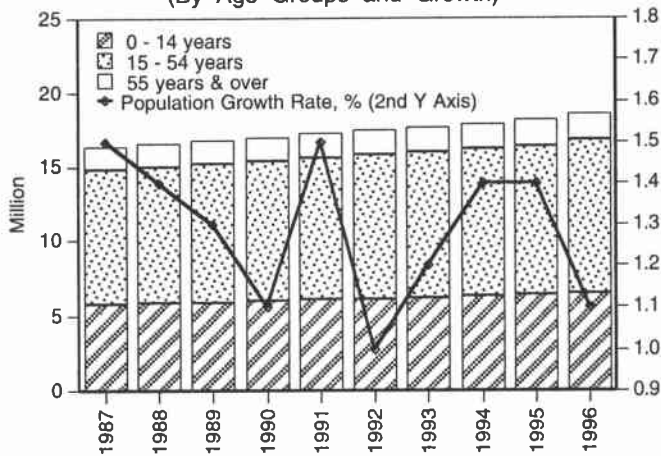
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1995																								
Anuradhapura	76	93	71	94	61	92	72	94	74	91	69	88	63	85	63	87	63	87	71	92	77	94	71	93
Badulla	79	95	75	95	66	93	76	95	73	93	67	89	65	91	69	93	66	93	74	95	77	96	81	95
Bandarawela	82	93	74	89	65	85	80	94	75	88	67	79	63	75	65	77	65	78	77	87	83	93	81	91
Batticaloa	79	84	78	86	75	86	75	88	71	85	66	80	61	81	66	79	65	80	74	87	78	n.a.	78	n.a.
Colombo	69	86	69	86	68	87	76	94	79	88	81	88	78	87	79	87	77	85	77	89	75	91	63	83
Galle	77	n.a.	73	n.a.	75	n.a.	79	n.a.	85	n.a.	88	n.a.	85	n.a.	86	n.a.	85	n.a.	84	n.a.	80	n.a.	75	n.a.
Hambantota	74	85	74	87	71	85	78	90	85	92	83	92	69	84	89	89	76	86	78	87	73	86	69	82
Katugastota	74	91	71	96	62	88	77	95	79	93	80	90	77	89	76	89	76	92	79	95	79	95	74	91
Katunayake	68	89	66	89	66	91	76	95	79	91	83	89	79	88	79	88	77	87	77	92	75	93	60	87
Kurunegala	67	85	64	84	55	84	74	94	77	89	79	87	73	83	74	87	71	85	74	90	75	91	66	82
Maha Illuppalama	76	n.a.	72	n.a.	63	n.a.	72	n.a.	74	n.a.	72	n.a.	65	n.a.	63	n.a.	61	n.a.	67	n.a.	77	n.a.	73	n.a.
Mannar	79	n.a.	74	n.a.	67	n.a.	74	n.a.	79	n.a.	77	n.a.	80	n.a.	79	n.a.	81	n.a.	83	n.a.	77	n.a.	79	n.a.
Nuwara Eliya	79	91	74	81	60	74	80	94	84	94	90	95	87	92	85	93	85	93	84	94	80	91	80	88
Puttalam	75	93	69	91	65	88	75	91	76	87	74	84	71	84	71	84	70	84	70	86	77	89	69	90
Ratmalana	70	n.a.	69	n.a.	69	n.a.	75	n.a.	79	n.a.	82	n.a.	75	n.a.	78	n.a.	76	n.a.	77	n.a.	75	n.a.	63	n.a.
Ratnapura	74	94	68	93	66	94	79	99	82	95	85	94	75	89	80	93	80	94	81	97	78	93	71	93
Trincomalee	82	87	80	85	76	88	78	91	68	87	63	82	62	81	62	81	69	86	77	90	n.a.	n.a.	78	n.a.
Vavuniya	81	n.a.	76	n.a.	70	n.a.	77	n.a.	78	n.a.	71	n.a.	67	n.a.	69	n.a.	66	n.a.	75	n.a.	79	n.a.	78	n.a.
1996																								
Anuradhapura	70	93	71	94	57	90	71	93	65	90	70	90	65	86	72	91	73	92	73	93	77	94	60	95
Badulla	82	95	82	95	64	91	75	95	63	91	70	89	67	91	65	91	75	94	71	94	73	95	77	94
Bandarawela	80	92	79	92	63	83	79	93	65	83	69	74	67	75	68	78	71	n.a.	70	n.a.	77	n.a.	72	n.a.
Batticaloa	78	n.a.	79	n.a.	75	n.a.	76	n.a.	70	n.a.	72	n.a.	63	n.a.	72	n.a.	77	n.a.	73	n.a.	81	n.a.	80	n.a.
Colombo	67	84	70	86	67	86	76	91	75	84	79	88	80	89	77	85	81	87	77	89	75	90	71	89
Galle	77	88	80	88	74	86	81	87	82	87	86	89	87	89	84	88	85	88	83	89	77	87	77	87
Hambantota	72	83	74	84	72	85	78	87	81	89	80	89	76	87	71	86	80	89	75	85	75	87	74	86
Katugastota	72	91	71	89	61	88	79	96	69	90	78	91	77	87	77	89	82	n.a.	79	n.a.	77	n.a.	76	n.a.
Katunayake	65	89	66	87	67	89	75	92	75	89	79	90	79	88	77	86	79	88	77	91	74	92	71	91
Kurunegala	62	81	61	83	56	83	74	93	69	85	75	85	75	84	72	85	79	n.a.	75	n.a.	74	n.a.	72	n.a.
Maha Illuppallama	73	n.a.	71	n.a.	61	n.a.	73	n.a.	64	n.a.	71	n.a.	64	n.a.	64	n.a.	73	n.a.	73	n.a.	78	n.a.	79	n.a.
Nuwara Eliya	80	87	75	83	60	74	80	94	72	89	83	90	89	93	90	95	91	94	79	88	77	87	76	84
Puttalam	69	90	69	91	65	87	73	90	74	85	75	87	72	84	75	87	77	87	78	91	80	93	81	96
Ratmalana	67	n.a.	70	n.a.	67	n.a.	75	n.a.	74	n.a.	78	n.a.	78	n.a.	77	n.a.	80	n.a.	77	n.a.	73	n.a.	69	n.a.
Ratnapura	72	94	73	95	67	94	80	97	71	92	80	94	81	90	79	91	85	95	78	94	78	95	73	92
Trincomalee	80	85	76	85	73	87	74	90	62	81	69	82	66	81	68	83	71	83	78	89	82	89	79	85

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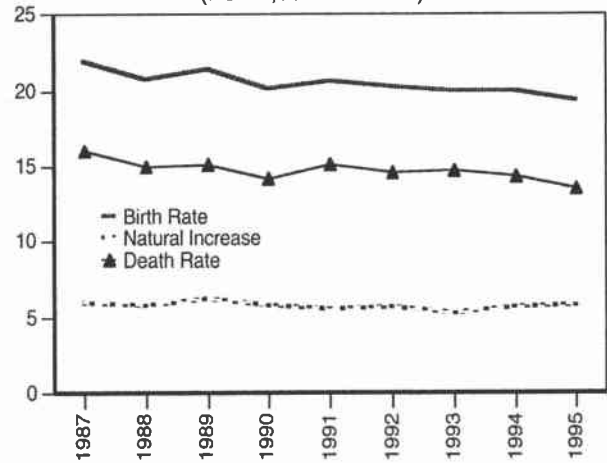
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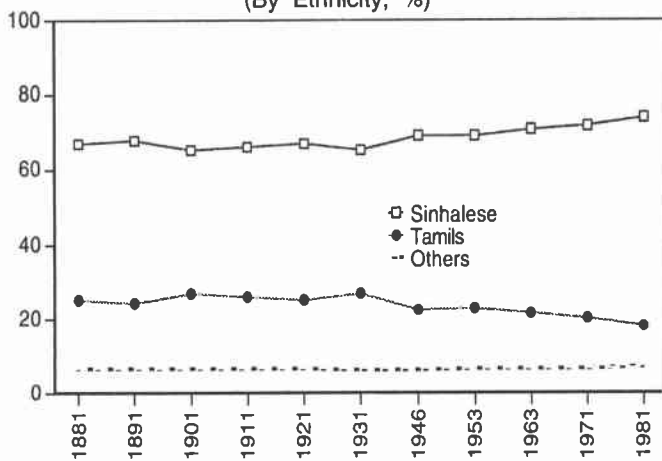
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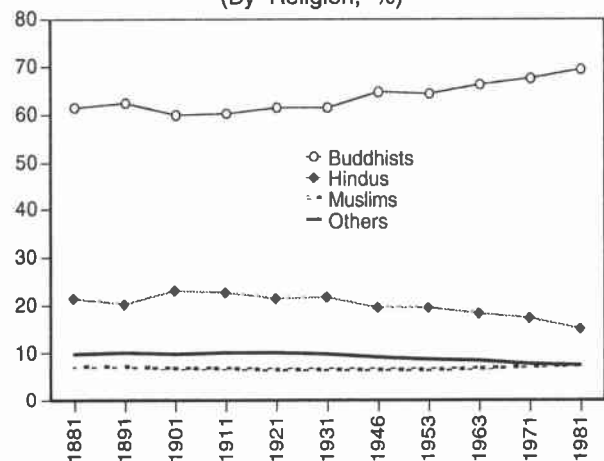
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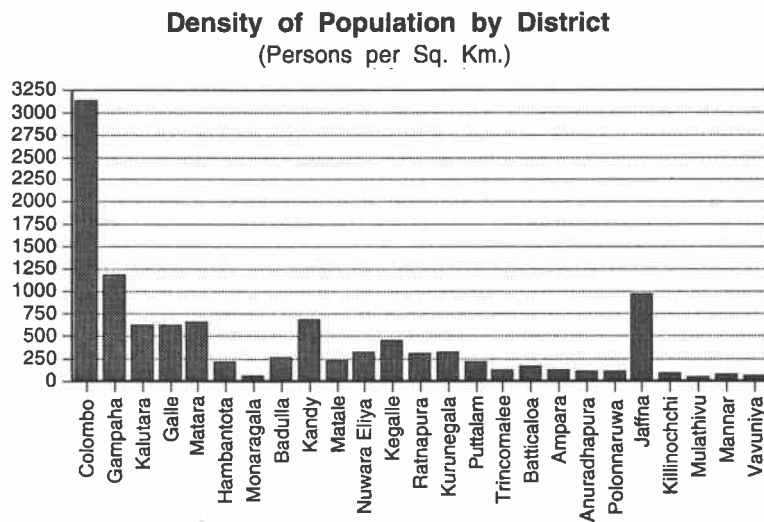
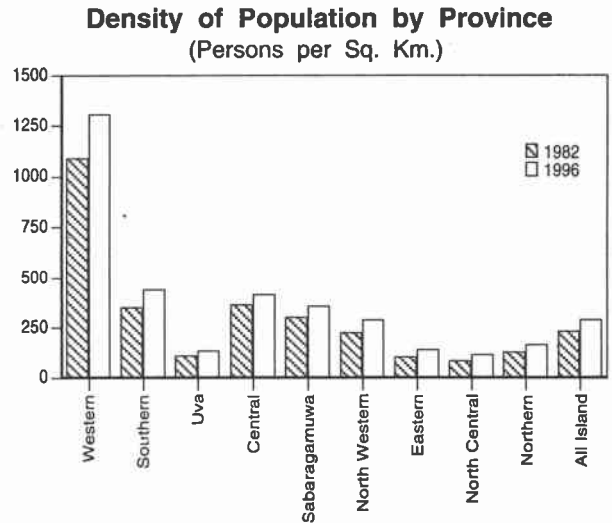
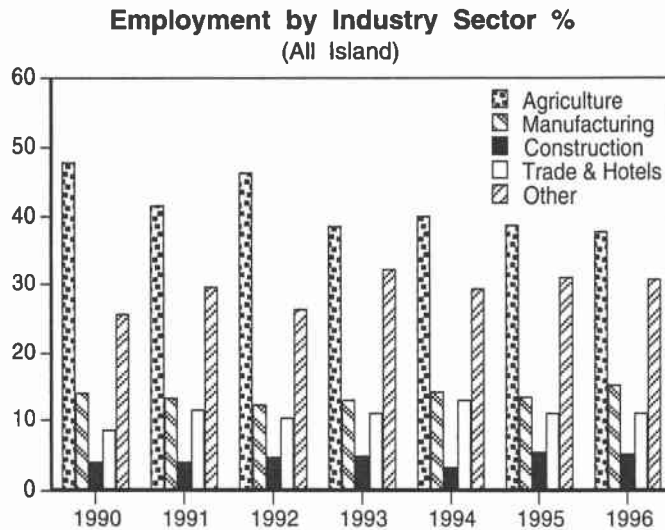
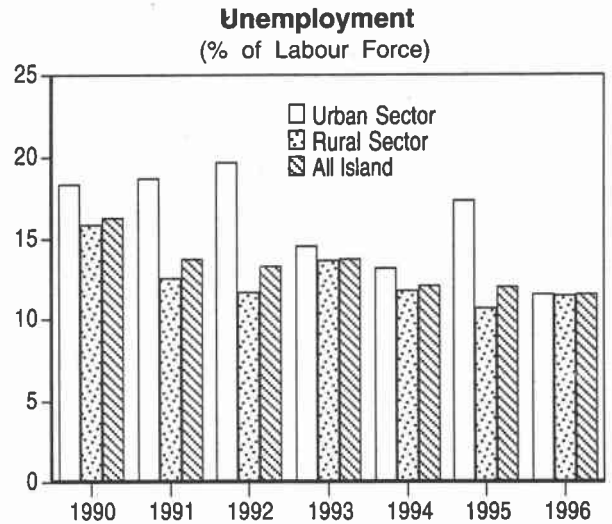
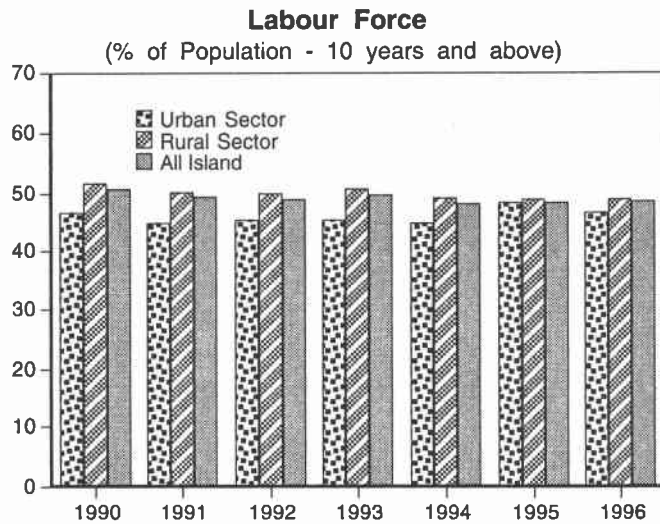
Census Population
(By Ethnicity, %)



Census Population
(By Religion, %)



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POPULATION BY DISTRICTS AND SECTORS 1971 AND 1981

District	1971 Census								1981 Census							
	No. '000				Percent				No. '000				Percent			
	Total	Urban	Rural	Estate	Urban	Rural	Estate		Total	Urban	Rural	Estate	Urban	Rural	Estate	
Colombo	2,672.3	1,476.2	1,183.4	12.7	55.2	44.3	0.5		1,698.3	1,262.0	427.4	9.0	74.3	25.2	0.5	
Gampaha	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.		1,389.5	386.1	1,001.4	2.0	27.8	72.1	0.1	
Kalutara	729.5	159.5	521.4	48.6	21.8	71.5	6.7		827.2	177.0	605.7	44.5	21.4	73.2	5.4	
Galle	735.2	154.9	555.4	24.9	21.1	75.5	3.4		814.6	168.1	625.6	20.9	20.6	76.8	2.6	
Matara	586.4	66.1	496.8	23.5	11.3	84.7	4.0		644.2	71.5	552.6	20.1	11.1	85.8	3.1	
Hambantota	340.3	33.3	306.4	0.6	9.8	90.0	0.2		424.1	41.4	381.2	1.5	9.8	89.9	0.3	
Moneragala	193.0	5.1	176.8	11.1	2.6	91.6	5.8		279.7	6.0	265.1	8.6	2.2	94.8	3.0	
Badulla	615.4	55.4	350.3	209.7	9.0	56.9	34.1		642.9	51.5	430.1	161.3	8.0	66.9	25.1	
Kandy	1,187.9	147.3	748.8	291.8	12.4	63.0	24.6		1,126.3	147.4	848.4	130.5	13.1	75.3	11.6	
Matale	314.9	37.6	233.9	43.4	11.9	74.3	13.8		357.4	37.9	289.1	30.5	10.6	80.9	8.5	
Nuwara Eliya	450.3	27.6	166.6	256.1	6.1	37.0	56.9		522.2	37.9	171.7	312.7	7.3	32.9	59.8	
Kegalle	654.8	46.1	529.8	78.8	7.0	80.9	12.1		682.4	53.5	566.7	62.2	7.8	83.0	9.2	
Ratnapura	661.4	50.0	485.6	125.8	7.6	73.4	19.0		796.5	59.2	629.7	107.6	7.4	79.1	13.5	
Kurunegala	1,025.6	42.2	965.4	18.0	4.1	94.1	1.8		1,212.8	43.9	1,157.9	10.9	3.6	95.5	0.9	
Puttalam	378.4	52.4	321.2	4.8	13.8	84.9	1.3		493.3	61.8	428.6	3.0	12.5	86.9	0.6	
Trincomalee	188.2	72.2	114.7	1.3	38.4	60.9	0.7		256.8	83.3	169.7	3.8	32.4	66.1	1.5	
Batticaloa	256.7	69.5	187.2	0.1	27.1	72.9	0.0		330.9	79.6	251.2	0.2	24.0	75.9	0.1	
Ampara	272.6	32.0	240.5	0.1	11.8	88.2	0.0		388.8	53.6	335.2	-	13.8	86.2	-	
Anuradhapura	388.7	38.8	348.5	1.4	10.0	89.6	0.4		587.8	41.7	544.6	1.5	7.1	92.7	0.2	
Polonnaruwa	163.7	16.3	146.9	0.5	10.0	89.7	0.3		262.8	20.8	240.1	1.9	7.9	91.4	0.7	
Jaffna	701.6	233.9	467.6	0.1	33.3	66.7	0.0		831.1	270.6	560.5	...	32.6	67.4	0.0	
Mullativu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		77.5	7.2	70.2	0.1	9.3	90.6	0.1	
Mannar	77.8	11.1	66.7	...	14.3	85.7	0.0		106.9	14.5	91.8	0.7	13.5	85.8	0.7	
Vavuniya	95.2	20.6	74.6	-	21.6	78.4	-		95.9	18.5	77.4	-	19.3	80.7	-	
Total	12,689.9	2,848.1	8,688.5	1,153.3	22.4	68.5	9.1		14,850.0	3,194.9	10,721.7	933.5	21.5	72.2	6.3	

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Source : Department of Census and Statistics.

POPULATION BY RELIGION AND ETHNICITY 1881 - 1981

Census Year	Total Population '000	By Religion (%)						By Ethnicity (%)					
		Budhist	Hindus	Muslims	Christians	Others	Sinhalese	Sri Lankan Tamils	Indian Tamils	Moors	Burg-hers	Malays	Others
1881	2,759.8	61.5	21.5	7.2	9.7	0.1	66.9	24.9		6.7	0.7	0.3	0.5
1891	3,007.8	62.4	20.5	7.1	10.0	...	67.9	24.1		6.5	0.7	0.3	0.5
1901	3,566.0	60.0	23.2	6.9	9.8	0.1	65.4	26.7		6.4	0.6	0.3	0.6
1911	4,106.4	60.3	22.8	6.9	10.0	...	66.1	12.9	12.9	6.5	0.7	0.3	0.6
1921	4,498.6	61.6	21.8	6.7	9.9	...	67.1	11.5	13.4	6.3	0.6	0.3	0.8
1931	5,306.9	61.5	22.0	6.7	9.8	...	65.5	11.3	15.4	6.1	0.6	0.3	0.8
1946	6,657.3	64.5	19.8	6.6	9.1	...	69.4	11.0	11.7	6.2	0.6	0.3	0.8
1953	8,097.9	64.3	19.9	6.7	8.9	0.2	69.4	10.9	12.0	6.3	0.6	0.3	0.5
1963	10,582.0	66.2	18.5	6.8	8.4	0.1	71.0	11.0	10.6	6.5	0.4	0.3	0.2
1971	12,689.8	67.3	17.6	7.1	7.9	0.1	72.0	11.2	9.3	6.7	0.4	0.3	0.1
1981	14,850.0	69.3	15.5	7.6	7.5	0.1	74.0	12.7	5.5	7.0	0.3	0.3	0.2

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics.

POPULATION BY DISTRICT, RELIGION AND ETHNICITY - 1981 CENSUS

District	Population	Population by Religion (%)					Population by Ethnicity (%)						
		Bud-dhist	Hin-dus	Mus-lims	Chris-tians	Others	Sinha-lese	Sri Lankan Tamils	Indian Tamils	Moors	Burg-hers	Malays	Others
Colombo	1,698,322	70.8	7.6	10.0	11.4	0.2	77.9	9.8	1.3	8.3	1.1	1.1	0.5
Gampaha	1,389,490	71.1	1.9	3.4	23.5	0.1	92.2	3.3	0.4	2.8	0.6	0.6	0.1
Kalutara	827,189	84.4	4.5	7.6	3.5	0.0	87.3	1.0	4.1	7.5	0.0	0.1	0.0
Galle	814,579	94.1	1.8	3.2	0.6	0.3	94.4	0.7	1.4	3.2	0.0	0.1	0.2
Matara	644,231	94.6	2.4	2.6	0.4	0.0	94.6	0.6	2.2	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Hambantota	424,102	97.3	0.4	2.2	0.1	0.0	97.4	0.4	0.1	1.1	0.0	1.0	0.0
Moneragala	279,743	92.8	4.6	2.1	0.5	0.0	92.9	1.8	3.3	1.9	0.0	0.1	0.0
Badulla	642,893	68.3	25.0	4.5	2.2	0.0	68.5	5.7	21.1	4.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Kandy	1,126,296	74.4	11.9	11.2	2.3	0.2	75.0	4.9	9.3	10.0	0.2	0.2	0.4
Matale	357,441	78.7	11.6	7.4	2.3	0.0	79.9	5.7	6.8	7.3	0.1	0.1	0.1
Nuwara Eliya	522,219	35.4	55.6	3.0	5.9	0.1	35.9	13.5	47.3	2.8	0.1	0.2	0.2
Kegalle	682,411	85.2	7.7	5.4	1.7	0.0	86.3	2.1	6.4	5.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Ratnapura	796,468	84.6	11.9	1.9	1.6	0.0	84.6	2.3	11.1	1.7	0.1	0.1	0.1
Kurunegala	1,212,755	90.4	1.1	5.3	3.2	0.0	93.1	1.1	0.5	5.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
Puttalam	493,344	47.5	4.2	10.2	38.0	0.1	82.6	6.7	0.6	9.7	0.1	0.2	0.1
Trincomalee	256,790	32.4	31.8	29.5	6.0	0.3	33.6	33.8	2.6	29.0	0.5	0.3	0.2
Batticaloa	330,899	2.7	66.3	24.1	6.8	0.1	3.2	70.9	1.2	23.9	0.7	0.0	0.1
Ampara	388,786	37.2	19.1	41.6	2.0	0.1	37.7	20.1	0.4	41.4	0.2	0.1	0.1
Anuradhapura	587,822	90.2	1.0	7.5	1.2	0.1	91.3	1.4	0.1	7.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Polonnaruwa	262,753	89.9	2.0	6.7	1.3	0.1	90.9	2.2	0.1	6.5	0.0	0.1	0.2
Jaffna	831,112	0.5	85.2	1.7	12.6	0.0	0.6	95.3	2.4	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mullathivu	77,512	1.3	78.3	4.9	15.5	0.0	5.1	76.0	13.9	4.9	0.1	0.0	0.0
Mannar	106,940	3.0	26.7	28.1	42.1	0.1	8.1	50.6	13.3	26.6	0.0	0.0	1.4
Vavuniya	95,904	16.5	69.3	7.1	7.1	0.0	16.6	56.9	19.4	6.9	0.0	0.0	0.2
Total	14,850,001	69.3	15.5	7.6	7.5	0.1	74.0	12.7	5.5	7.0	0.3	0.3	0.2

Source : Department of Census and Statistics.

VITAL STATISTICS 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Population, '000	16,361	16,586	16,806	16,993	17,247	17,405	17,619	17,865	18,112	18,315
0 - 14 years	5,770	5,850	5,917	5,982	6,070	6,126	6,203	6,290	6,377	6,447
15 - 54 years	9,039	9,163	9,299	9,403	9,545	9,633	9,751	9,887	10,022	10,317
55 years & over	1,552	1,573	1,590	1,608	1,632	1,646	1,665	1,688	1,713	1,731
Population Growth Rate, %	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.1
Crude Birth Rate per 1,000	21.9	20.7	21.3	20.0	20.6	20.1	19.9	19.9	19.3	18.6
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	5.9	5.8	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.3	5.6	5.8	6.5
Rate of Natural Increase per 1,000	16.0	14.9	15.1	14.2	15.1	14.5	14.6	14.3	13.5	12.1
In Migration, '000	392.1	426.6	421.4	565.9	552.6	767.2	817.0	898.0	919.0	861.0
Out Migration, '000	435.9	477.4	441.0	545.9	620.4	839.2	846.6	897.0	954.0	855.0
Net Migration Rate per 1,000	-2.7	-3.1	-1.2	1.2	-3.9	-4.1	-1.7	0.02	-2.0	0.4
Density of Population, Persons per Sq. Km.	256	266	270	273	277	279	283	287	289	292
Infant Mortality per 1,000 Live Births	24.0	n.a.	17.6	19.3	17.2	18.2	16.3	16.8	16.5	16.9

(a) Provisional
n.a. - Not Available

Source : Registrar General's Office

POPULATION BY AGE GROUPS 1987 - 1996

Thousands

	1987		1988		1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996(a)	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Age Groups																				
0 - 4	1,042	1,004	1,056	1,018	1,070	1,032	1,081	1,042	1,097	1,058	1,107	1,067	1,121	1,081	1,137	1,096	1,152	1,111	1,165	1,123
5 - 9	944	912	957	924	970	937	980	946	994	960	1,003	969	1,016	981	1,030	995	1,044	1,009	1,056	1,020
10 - 14	951	912	964	924	977	937	987	946	1,001	960	1,011	969	1,023	981	1,037	995	1,052	1,009	1,063	1,020
15 - 19	896	872	909	884	921	896	930	905	944	918	953	927	965	938	978	951	992	964	1,003	975
20 - 24	845	839	856	850	868	862	877	871	890	884	898	892	909	903	922	915	934	928	945	938
25 - 29	703	702	713	712	723	722	730	729	741	740	748	747	757	756	768	766	778	777	787	786
30 - 34	628	613	637	622	646	630	652	637	662	646	668	652	676	660	686	669	695	678	703	686
35 - 39	465	460	471	466	478	472	482	477	490	484	494	489	500	495	507	502	514	509	520	515
40 - 44	396	373	402	378	407	383	411	387	418	393	421	397	427	402	433	407	439	413	444	418
45 - 49	340	332	345	336	350	341	353	344	359	349	362	352	366	357	372	362	377	366	381	371
50 - 54	314	281	318	285	322	289	326	292	331	296	334	299	338	302	342	307	347	311	351	314
55 - 59	245	221	249	224	252	227	255	229	258	233	261	235	264	237	268	241	272	244	275	247
60 - 64	202	173	205	176	208	178	210	180	213	183	215	184	217	186	220	189	223	192	226	194
65 - 69	147	131	149	133	151	134	152	136	155	138	156	139	158	141	160	143	163	145	164	146
70 - 74	108	92	110	94	111	95	112	96	113	97	114	98	116	99	117	101	119	102	120	103
75 - 79	62	55	63	56	64	57	64	57	65	58	66	59	66	60	67	60	68	61	69	62
80 & over	58	55	58	55	59	56	60	57	61	58	61	58	62	59	63	59	64	60	64	61
Total	8,346	8,027	8,462	8,137	8,577	8,248	8,662	8,331	8,792	8,455	8,872	8,533	8,981	8,638	9,107	8,758	9,233	8,879	9,336	8,979
Total Population (Mid Year)	16,373		16,599		16,825		16,993		17,247		17,405		17,619		17,865		18,112		18,315	

(a) Provisional M - Male F - Female

Source : Registrar General's Office

POPULATION BY PROVINCE AND DISTRICT 1986 - 1996

Thousands

Province / District	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Western	4,198	4,251	4,299	4,346	4,387	4,442	4,489	4,542	4,599	4,656	4,711
Colombo	1,840	1,867	1,891	1,915	1,935	1,965	1,994	2,026	2,062	2,095	2,128
Gampaha	1,467	1,481	1,494	1,506	1,518	1,532	1,543	1,555	1,568	1,582	1,595
Kalutara	891	903	914	925	934	945	952	961	969	979	988
Central	2,090	2,118	2,144	2,168	2,180	2,220	2,213	2,233	2,261	2,296	2,316
Kandy	1,185	1,200	1,214	1,227	1,236	1,258	1,257	1,269	1,286	1,306	1,319
Matale	392	398	405	410	414	421	423	429	434	440	445
Nuwara Eliya	513	520	525	531	530	541	533	535	541	550	552
Southern	2,078	2,114	2,148	2,181	2,207	2,239	2,268	2,299	2,330	2,362	2,388
Galle	883	897	910	922	932	946	958	971	983	996	1,007
Matara	718	731	744	757	765	776	786	797	810	822	832
Hambantota	477	486	494	502	510	517	524	531	537	544	549
Northern	1,230	1,252	1,267	1,287	1,296	1,310	1,322	1,336	1,363	1,379	1,396
Jaffna	822	836	844	856	863	871	875	879	896	905	911
Mannar	120	122	124	127	129	132	134	137	140	141	143
Vavuniya	107	109	110	112	114	114	115	117	119	121	124
Mullaitivu	87	89	90	91	91	92	94	96	98	100	103
Killinochchi	94	96	99	101	99	101	104	107	110	112	115
Eastern	1,114	1,135	1,156	1,178	1,194	1,214	1,236	1,257	1,282	1,305	1,328
Batticaloa	378	386	393	401	409	417	425	433	443	452	461
Ampara	444	452	461	470	474	482	492	501	512	522	531
Trincomalee	292	297	302	307	311	315	319	323	327	331	336
North Western	1,885	1,916	1,944	1,971	1,999	2,026	2,052	2,079	2,107	2,135	2,158
Kurunegala	1,333	1,354	1,373	1,391	1,410	1,428	1,445	1,462	1,481	1,499	1,513
Puttalam	552	562	571	580	589	598	607	617	626	636	645
North Central	955	970	986	1,004	1,019	1,035	1,053	1,070	1,086	1,103	1,116
Anuradhapura	660	671	682	694	705	716	728	741	750	763	772
Polonnaruwa	295	299	304	310	314	319	325	329	336	340	344
Uva	987	1,005	1,023	1,033	1,045	1,069	1,072	1,085	1,102	1,122	1,135
Badulla	667	678	689	698	701	718	716	724	735	748	756
Monaragala	320	327	334	340	344	351	356	361	367	374	379
Sabaragamuwa	1,590	1,612	1,632	1,652	1,666	1,692	1,700	1,718	1,735	1,754	1,767
Ratnapura	870	885	899	913	923	941	948	960	972	984	994
Kegalle	720	727	733	739	743	751	752	758	763	770	773
Total	16,127	16,373	16,599	16,825	16,993	17,247	17,405	17,619	17,865	18,112	18,135

Source: Registrar General's Office

POPULATION DENSITY BY DISTRICT 1982 AND 1996

District	1982					1996				
	Land Area(a)		Population		Density (Persons/ Sq. Km.)	Land Area(a)		Population		Density (Persons/ Sq. Km.)
	(Sq. Km.)	%	('000)	%		(Sq. Km.)	%	('000)	%	
Colombo	652	1.0	1,735	11.4	2,659	676	1.1	2,128	11.6	3,148
Gampaha	1,399	2.2	1,412	9.3	1,010	1,341	2.1	1,595	8.7	1,189
Kalutara	1,607	2.5	847	5.6	527	1,576	2.5	988	5.4	627
Galle	1,674	2.6	832	5.5	497	1,617	2.6	1,007	5.5	623
Matara	1,246	1.9	663	4.4	532	1,270	2.0	832	4.5	655
Hambantota	2,593	4.0	438	2.9	169	2,496	4.0	549	3.0	220
Monaragala	5,581	8.6	291	1.9	52	5,608	8.9	379	2.1	68
Badulla	2,818	4.4	649	4.3	230	2,827	4.5	756	4.1	267
Kandy	2,158	3.3	1,143	7.5	530	1,917	3.1	1,319	7.2	688
Matale	1,995	3.1	367	2.4	184	1,952	3.1	445	2.4	228
Nuwara Eliya	1,437	2.2	517	3.4	360	1,706	2.7	552	3.0	324
Kegalle	1,663	2.6	694	4.6	417	1,685	2.7	773	4.2	459
Ratnapura	3,239	5.0	815	5.4	252	3,236	5.2	994	5.4	307
Kurunegala	4,773	7.4	1,245	8.2	261	4,524	7.2	1,513	8.3	334
Puttalam	2,977	4.6	509	3.4	171	2,882	4.6	645	3.5	224
Trincomalee	2,618	4.0	267	1.8	102	2,529	4.0	336	1.8	133
Batticaloa	2,464	3.8	343	2.3	139	2,610	4.2	461	2.5	177
Ampara	4,539	7.0	401	2.6	88	4,222	6.7	531	2.9	126
Anuradhapura	7,129	11.0	608	4.0	85	6,664	10.6	772	4.2	116
Polonnaruwa	3,404	5.3	271	1.8	80	3,077	4.9	344	1.9	112
Jaffna	2,072	3.2	853	5.6	412	929	1.5	911	5.0	981
Killinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	1,205	1.9	115	0.6	95
Mullativu	1,966	3.0	79	0.5	40	2,415	3.9	103	0.6	43
Mannar	2,002	3.1	111	0.7	55	1,880	3.0	143	0.8	76
Vavuniya	2,645	4.1	100	0.7	38	1,861	3.0	124	0.7	67
Total	64,652	100.0	15,190	100.0	235	62,705	100.0	18,315	100.0	292

(a) Total land area excluding large inland waters
(b) Provisional

Sources : Surveyer General's Office
Registrar General's Office

CRUDE BIRTH RATE AND DEATH RATE BY DISTRICT 1989 - 1995

Per '000

District	1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995(a)	
	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate	Crude Birth Rate	Crude Death Rate
Colombo	22.2	8.9	23.2	8.9	25.7	8.8	25.2	8.5	25.7	8.8	25.5	9.1	25.5	9.1
Gampaha	15.4	6.0	14.8	5.8	15.0	5.3	13.6	5.6	11.7	4.5	15.3	5.4	14.7	5.8
Kalutara	18.5	6.0	16.6	5.5	17.4	5.3	15.8	5.6	15.7	5.4	15.3	5.4	15.1	5.5
Galle	20.8	6.2	20.3	5.9	20.3	5.9	20.1	5.8	18.9	5.7	19.0	6.2	18.4	6.2
Matara	22.7	6.2	21.2	6.1	20.2	5.4	20.2	5.4	20.8	5.1	20.9	5.6	20.6	6.7
Hambantota	21.1	4.7	19.4	3.6	18.6	3.9	16.3	3.7	15.4	3.2	17.2	3.4	14.9	3.5
Moneragala	22.8	4.2	21.2	3.1	20.7	3.2	18.6	2.7	19.5	2.7	21.4	3.1	16.8	3.3
Badulla	25.6	6.3	26.1	6.5	26.3	5.2	23.6	4.8	24.1	4.6	22.6	4.7	22.3	5.1
Kandy	22.4	6.8	21.2	6.3	23.1	6.2	22.4	6.3	22.0	6.1	22.1	6.2	21.9	6.5
Matale	21.8	5.8	20.0	4.9	19.3	4.7	20.1	4.9	19.1	4.2	18.2	4.5	19.1	5.3
Nuwara Eliya	27.8	9.1	23.0	8.3	26.3	7.1	26.0	7.6	26.3	9.0	27.6	9.1	29.1	9.0
Kegalle	16.4	6.1	14.8	5.4	14.9	4.7	13.4	4.9	14.0	4.9	12.9	4.3	11.7	5.0
Ratnapura	24.9	5.5	24.1	5.4	23.0	4.7	19.5	5.1	19.7	4.6	18.7	4.9	17.6	4.0
Kurunegala	20.7	5.9	18.7	5.0	18.0	5.2	17.4	5.0	17.4	4.8	17.8	4.9	16.1	4.9
Puttalam	21.5	5.3	21.0	5.0	21.9	5.4	19.7	4.9	20.5	4.3	20.7	5.0	21.1	5.0
Trincomalee	20.7	5.5	18.2	4.1	17.7	3.3	17.5	3.3	13.6	2.2	13.0	3.0	18.3	2.9
Batticaloa	28.0	7.9	27.4	7.8	26.9	7.2	28.8	7.0	25.7	4.8	27.3	5.7	26.0	5.4
Ampara	24.5	5.1	23.6	4.6	24.0	5.7	25.8	4.9	24.8	4.1	25.0	3.8	22.4	4.9
Anuradhapura	23.0	5.3	20.6	5.2	22.0	4.9	21.5	4.8	21.1	4.1	22.2	4.8	19.9	5.6
Polonnaruwa	20.3	4.7	21.0	4.2	21.6	4.5	21.9	5.6	24.0	4.6	20.0	5.0	17.0	4.6
Jaffna	16.3	4.1	11.2	2.8	11.2	2.8	18.5	4.9	18.1	5.0	14.5	5.3	15.2	4.8
Killinochchi	26.9	4.1	26.3	4.3	31.7	5.1	34.0	4.6	32.4	5.0	31.8	4.8	32.1	6.9
Mullativu	21.9	5.6	15.3	2.5	23.3	3.7	24.8	3.5	25.6	2.9	24.1	2.9	25.8	3.2
Mannar	27.2	5.6	26.8	5.6	26.8	5.6	25.1	4.6	25.2	5.2	12.5	2.0	12.3	1.9
Vavuniya	21.3	5.1	15.6	3.2	13.3	2.9	15.9	4.3	21.8	3.7	21.2	3.3	23.6	5.9
Sri Lanka	21.3	6.2	20.0	5.8	20.6	5.5	20.1	5.6	19.9	5.3	19.9	5.6	19.3	5.8

(a) Provisional

Source: Registrar General's Office

LABOUR FORCE BY AGE, SEX AND SECTOR 1990 - 1996

% of Population

Item	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996	
	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.
By Age														
10 - 14	3.5	4.3	3.0	2.5	1.6	1.8	3.0	1.7	3.7	1.8	1.7	1.1	1.4	1.6
15 - 19	31.6	31.3	26.6	29.3	25.5	26.3	28.1	28.3	30.1	27.5	26.8	25.4	26.3	27.2
20 - 24	75.5	74.6	71.3	72.5	74.3	70.9	67.4	69.5	66.7	68.5	63.7	66.5	67.6	68.6
25 - 29	73.9	76.2	74.6	74.4	77.0	75.3	72.2	73.6	70.7	73.2	73.7	73.3	69.9	69.9
30 - 34	73.7	74.6	71.7	72.6	72.6	69.6	70.9	72.0	69.6	71.7	69.6	70.5	71.2	70.0
35 - 39	68.6	74.0	69.5	72.4	71.5	69.3	76.6	72.5	68.0	70.0	72.9	69.9	70.1	71.5
40 - 44	70.1	73.3	72.9	70.5	71.4	68.7	71.6	71.3	71.2	70.7	68.3	69.1	69.2	69.5
45 - 49	66.6	68.8	73.2	67.5	67.6	65.5	62.2	66.8	68.1	64.8	71.3	69.6	65.9	66.5
50 - 54	69.1	65.6	56.2	59.3	52.4	56.8	61.8	59.4	65.4	45.7	57.1	56.1	58.4	59.8
55 - 59	54.1	52.7	49.4	51.6	44.7	47.6	45.1	44.9	46.5	48.4	57.7	51.8	53.6	49.2
60 & above	30.5	30.6	24.0	27.7	22.2	24.8	26.0	25.0	24.0	24.1	26.1	23.7	25.9	23.5
All Ages (10 Years & above)	50.7	52.2	49.3	49.8	48.9	48.2	49.5	49.1	48.1	48.7	48.3	48.0	48.5	48.8
By Sector														
Urban														
Male	65.5	48.2	62.4	63.3	64.3	63.1	66.2	63.5	65.0	64.8	64.5	64.4	61.9	63.8
Female	27.9	21.7	27.2	27.6	27.4	26.6	25.7	25.0	24.8	25.1	27.8	26.6	24.6	26.3
Total	46.6	34.7	44.7	45.2	45.3	44.7	45.3	44.0	44.7	44.3	48.3	45.4	42.7	44.4
Rural														
Male	67.6	51.0	64.9	65.2	67.0	65.7	66.0	65.8	65.4	65.5	63.9	64.4	66.8	66.3
Female	36.2	28.4	36.8	36.7	32.9	32.3	35.3	35.3	32.5	33.9	34.0	33.1	31.9	32.6
Total	51.6	39.8	50.0	50.7	49.9	49.1	50.7	50.6	49.1	49.8	48.9	48.8	49.5	49.4
All Island														
Male	67.2	67.7	64.4	64.8	66.5	65.2	66.1	65.3	65.3	65.4	64.1	64.4	66.1	65.9
Female	34.7	36.2	34.8	35.0	31.7	31.1	33.3	33.2	30.8	32.0	32.7	31.7	30.7	31.7
Total	50.7	52.2	49.3	49.8	48.9	48.2	49.5	49.1	48.1	48.7	48.3	48	48.5	48.7

Source : Department of Census & Statistics

UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUPS, LEVEL OF EDUCATION AND SECTOR 1990 - 1996

Item	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996	
	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.
By Age Group, %														
15 - 19	25.3	20.3	14.9	19.3	20.1	19.2	16.7	20.4	22.3	22.4	25.5	21.1	25.4	24.0
20 - 24	40.0	40.3	45.2	42.2	41	40.9	40.1	38.5	38.6	41.2	37.3	38.2	41.3	39.2
25 - 29	16.5	19.3	17.2	16.7	21.2	20.4	18.4	18.9	14.4	15.6	17.8	20.0	18.2	18.2
30 - 39	11.7	13.2	16.6	15.8	13.8	13.4	16.3	15.5	17.6	15.5	12.6	15.0	10.4	14.3
40 - 49	2.9	4.6	5.7	4.8	3.4	4.5	6.6	5.0	4.2	3.9	6.1	4.9	3.6	3.6
50 - 59	3.0	2.0	0.1	1.0	0.4	1.3	1.5	1.6	2.8	1.2	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.6
60 & above	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.4	...	...	...	0.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
By Level of Education, %														
No Schooling	1.7	1.3	0.9	1.9	0.4	1.5	1.4	1.3	0.8	1.2	0.0	0.8	0.6	1.2
Grade 0 - 4 (1 - 5 years)	6.9	7.2	7.9	7.1	6.5	7.7	7.0	7.0	3.2	7.4	6.5	4.7	7.1	6.7
Grade 5 - 10 (6 -11 years)	54.5	49.7	43.8	45.7	53.0	50.5	38.9	44.9	46.3	44.9	53.2	47.1	51.6	47.3
G.C.E. (O/L)	23.0	26.5	29.8	30.3	25.6	27.0	28.8	28.7	31.7	28.3	23.9	29.1	21.7	26.0
G.C.E. (A/L) and above	13.9	15.4	17.6	15.1	14.4	13.3	23.9	18.0	17.9	18.2	16.5	18.3	19.1	18.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
By Sex & Sector, % of Labour Force														
Urban														
Male	14.4	16.6	14.6	13.0	16.5	14.8	12.1	12.7	10.1	10.8	14.0	12.1	7.4	9.5
Female	27.5	30.0	28.0	26.7	26.9	23.6	20.3	24.6	21.1	23.9	24.9	20.9	16.4	18.8
Total	18.4	20.2	18.7	17.3	19.7	17.4	14.5	16.1	13.2	14.7	17.4	14.8	10.1	12.3
Rural														
Male	12.1	10.9	8.3	9.5	8.5	9.7	9.7	9.0	9.7	9.4	8.0	8.3	9.0	8.3
Female	22.8	22.3	19.8	22.3	18.2	22.7	21.4	21.2	16.1	19.3	15.6	18.3	16.1	17.9
Total	15.9	14.7	12.6	14.1	11.7	13.9	13.7	13.3	11.8	12.8	10.7	11.7	11.3	11.5
All														
Male	12.5	11.8	9.6	10.2	10.1	10.7	10.2	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.2	8.8	8.8	8.5
Female	23.5	23.4	21.2	23.0	19.8	22.9	21.0	21.7	17.0	20.1	17.3	18.8	16.2	18.0
Total	16.3	15.5	13.8	14.7	13.3	14.6	13.8	13.8	12.1	13.1	12.0	12.2	11.1	11.7

Source : Department of Census & Statistics

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS 1990 - 1996

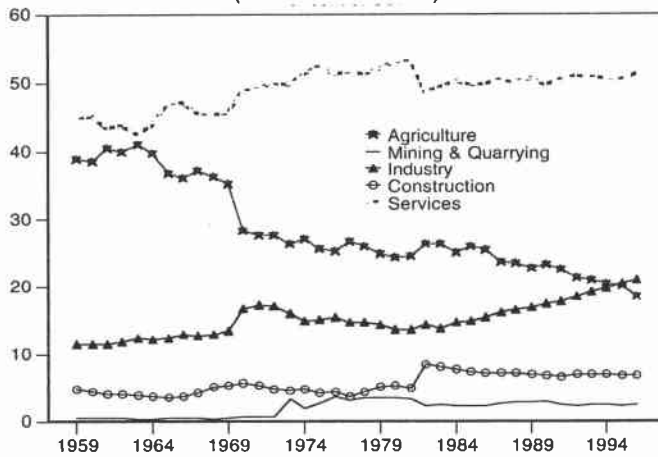
Percentage

Item	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996	
	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.	4th Qtr.	Annual Ave.
By Industrial Category														
Agriculture	47.7	46.8	41.6	42.5	46.1	42.1	38.5	41.5	40.0	39.5	38.7	36.7	37.7	37.4
Mining & Quarrying	1.6	1.6	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.6	2.2	1.5	1.3	0.8	2.6	1.7	1.8	1.6
Manufacturing	14.1	13.3	13.4	15.0	12.3	13.1	13.2	13.2	14.2	14.3	13.5	14.7	14.5	14.7
Electricity, Gas & Water	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5
Construction	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.4	3.2	4.1	5.5	5.3	5.8	5.4
Trade & Hotels	8.6	9.6	11.5	10.7	10.3	11.3	11.0	11.1	13.2	12.2	11.2	12.2	11.9	11.9
Transport, Storage & Communication	3.8	4.1	5.1	4.1	4.5	4.4	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.8	4.7	5.5	4.9
Insurance & Real Estate	1.4	1.3	1.9	1.9	0.7	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.2	1.5	2.1	2.0
Personal Services	14.5	15.7	14.8	14.8	15.9	16.9	20.9	17.5	17.6	18.1	16.9	17.3	17.2	18.2
Not Defined	3.4	3.2	6.5	4.8	3.9	4.0	3.2	4.5	3.3	4.0	4.8	5.4	3.0	3.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
By Occupational Groups														
Senior Officials & Managers	0.3	0.4	1.1	0.8	1.7	2.4	1.5	1.4	1.8	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3
Professionals	4.6	4.6	5.0	4.6	5.3	5.1	7.9	5.9	5.7	5.3	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.6
Technicians & Associate Professionals	3.8	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.9
Clerks	4.0	3.4	4.2	4.1	4.1	3.7	4.3	4.0	4.9	4.6	4.0	4.8	4.8	4.7
Sales & Service Workers	8.2	9.2	9.9	9.7	8.0	9.6	11.2	10.3	12.2	12.2	11.6	12.3	12.3	11.7
Skilled Agricultural & Fishery Workers	30.4	29.2	24.2	23.8	31.1	29.2	30.6	30.6	25.1	25.2	26.8	24.7	22.9	23.4
Craft & Related Workers	11.7	11.8	13.4	13.8	13.1	15.2	15.5	14.4	15.2	15.7	14.7	15.7	16.4	16.3
Plant & Machine Operators & Assemblers	5.0	5.4	4.6	4.1	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.8	3.9	4.8	4.4	4.3	5.5	5.1
Elementary Occupation	31.9	32.6	34.5	35.5	25.5	23.1	18.3	21.5	24.9	24.1	26.1	26.1	26.0	26.0
Not Identified	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	4.3	4.2	2.6	3.3	2.7	3.6	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
By Employment Status														
Public Employees	21.6	21.5	20.8	22.9	15.9	20.0	16.5	17.4	16.7	16.4	13.7	15.6	14.8	15.0
Private Employees	34.1	33.7	42.1	39.5	43.5	40.0	44.4	42.8	41.4	44.3	43.7	44.3	46.2	46.1
Employers	1.5	1.8	2.1	2.2	1.4	1.6	2.8	2.0	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.4
Self Employed	29.8	29.2	24.8	25.4	26.3	27.1	28.6	27.4	27.9	27.2	30.0	28.3	27.3	26.8
Unpaid Family Workers	13.0	13.8	10.3	10.0	12.9	11.2	7.7	10.4	11.2	9.8	10.0	9.4	9.5	9.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

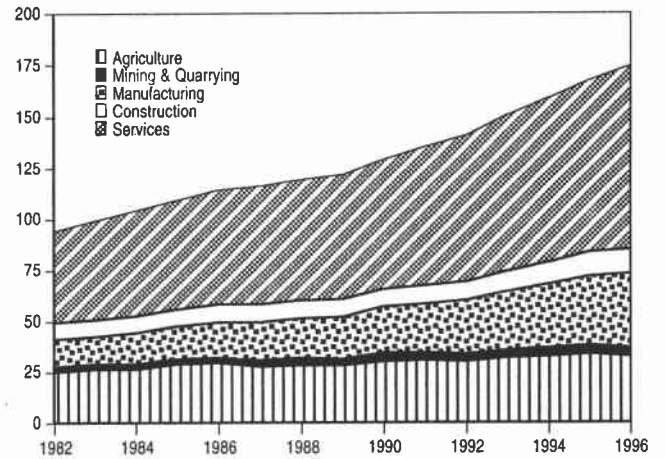
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NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

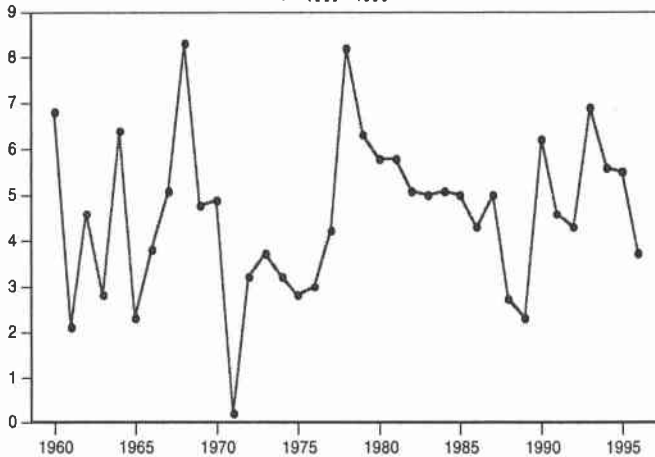
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(Per cent of GDP)



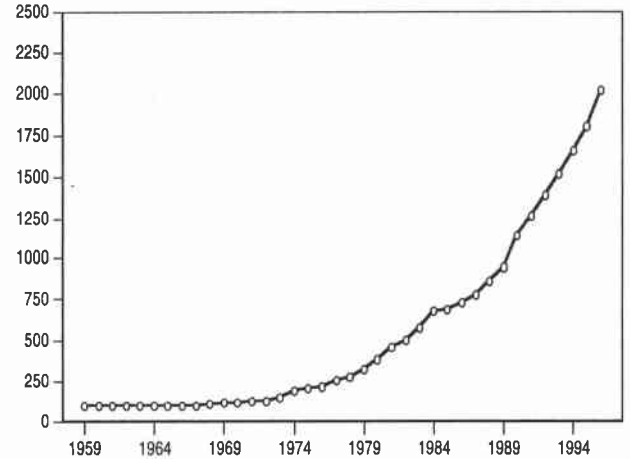
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(Rs. Bn. - 1982 Factor Prices)



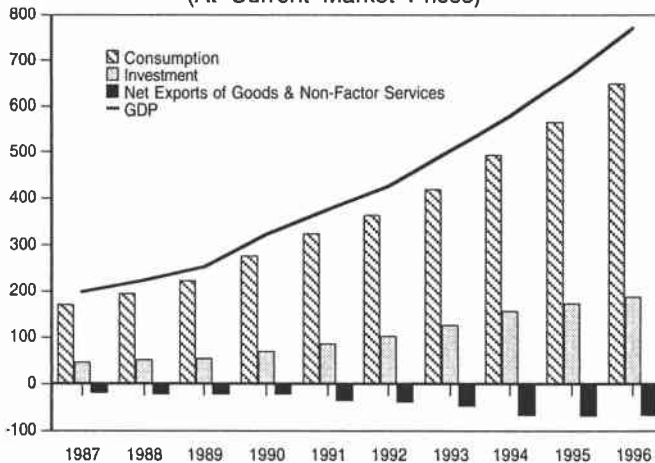
Growth of Real GDP 1960 - 1996
(Per cent)



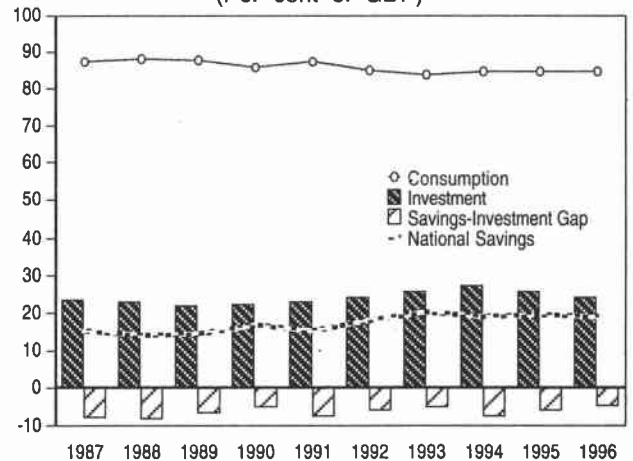
GDP Deflator 1959 - 1996
(Base Year 1959 = 100)



GDP by Expenditure, Rs. Bn.
(At Current Market Prices)



Expenditure and Savings
(Per cent of GDP)



SUMMARY OF NATIONAL ACCOUNTS 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Gross National Product (GNP), Rs. Mn.										
GNP at Constant (1982) Factor Cost Prices	113,307	116,214	118,874	126,426	132,214	138,074	148,744	156,571	165,897	171,056
GNP at Current Factor Cost Prices	173,395	198,250	222,399	283,930	330,032	379,179	447,113	514,990	591,369	684,741
GNP at Current Market Prices	195,883	221,435	250,060	319,420	369,262	424,313	499,622	575,528	659,050	762,710
Gross Domestic Product (GDP), Rs. Mn.										
GDP at Constant (1982) Factor Cost Prices	115,922	119,050	121,729	129,244	135,204	140,990	150,783	159,269	167,953	174,261
2 GDP at Current Factor Cost Prices	177,731	203,516	228,138	290,615	337,399	386,999	453,092	523,300	598,327	695,934
GDP at Current Market Prices	196,723	221,982	251,891	321,784	372,345	425,283	499,565	579,084	667,772	768,334
Real National Income at Constant (1982) Prices (RNI), Rs. Mn.										
	117,727	118,657	120,528	127,389	132,131	139,007	150,718	156,620	165,099	172,296
Economic Growth Rates (In Real Terms), %										
Growth of GDP	1.5	2.7	2.3	6.2	4.6	4.3	6.9	5.6	5.5	3.7
Growth of GNP	1.6	2.6	2.3	6.4	4.6	4.4	7.7	5.3	5.9	3.1
Growth of RNI	3.8	0.7	1.6	5.7	3.7	5.2	8.4	3.9	5.4	4.3
Per Capita Income, Rs. (Current Market Prices)										
GDP Per Capita	12,015	13,373	14,971	18,936	21,589	24,435	28,354	32,414	36,869	41,951
GNP Per Capita	11,964	13,340	14,862	18,797	21,410	24,379	28,357	32,215	36,387	41,644
Expenditure, Rs. Mn. (Current Market Prices)										
Gross Domestic Expenditure	217,387	245,868	275,812	347,148	410,003	464,677	547,251	647,445	737,486	835,938
Gross National Expenditure	192,386	216,717	246,152	315,099	364,979	417,462	493,586	570,774	660,814	757,742
Consumption	171,487	195,306	221,090	275,693	324,847	361,438	491,032	490,948	559,340	565,661
Investment	45,900	50,562	54,722	71,455	85,156	103,239	127,675	156,510	171,825	186,264
Savings (Current Market Prices), Rs. Mn.										
Domestic Savings	25,236	26,676	30,801	46,091	47,498	63,845	79,989	88,149	102,111	119,260
National Savings	30,061	31,597	36,902	53,924	56,754	76,277	101,100	110,828	129,973	147,552
Net Exports of Goods and Non-Factor Services (Current Prices), Rs. Mn.										
	-20,664	-23,886	-23,921	-25,364	-37,658	-39,394	-47,686	-68,361	-69,714	-67,004
Exports of Goods and Non - Factor Services	49,559	57,885	68,666	97,117	107,016	135,114	168,858	195,805	237,711	269,765
Imports of Goods and Non - Factor Services	70,223	81,771	92,587	122,481	144,674	174,508	216,544	264,166	307,425	336,769
Factor Income From Abroad (Net) (Current Prices), Rs. Mn.										
	-4,336	-5,266	-5,739	-6,685	-7,367	-7,820	-5,979	-8,310	-6,958	-11,193
Population (Mid Year), '000	16,373	16,599	16,825	16,993	17,247	17,405	17,619	17,865	18,112	18,315

(a) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

RNI = GNP at constant (1982) Factor Cost Prices + Terms of Trade Effects on Exports.

GDP, GNP AND DEFLATORS (FACTOR COST PRICES) 1959 - 1996

Year	Gross Domestic Product					Gross National Product					Adjusted GDP Deflator (1959=100)	Adjusted GNP Deflator (1959=100)
	Rs. Mn. at Current Prices	Growth Rate %	Rs. Mn. at Constant Prices	Growth Rate %	GDP Deflator	Rs. Mn. at Current Prices	Growth Rate %	Rs. Mn. at Constant Prices	Growth Rate %	GNP Deflator		
BASE YEAR 1959												
1959	5,930	—	5,930	—	100.0	5,893	—	5,893	—	100.0	100.0	100.0
1960	6,331	6.8	6,332	6.8	100.0	6,287	6.7	6,289	6.7	100.0	100.0	100.0
1961	6,353	0.3	6,465	2.1	98.3	6,313	0.4	6,425	2.2	98.3	98.3	98.3
1962	6,549	3.1	6,760	4.6	96.9	6,503	3.0	6,710	4.4	96.9	96.9	96.9
1963	6,849	4.6	6,951	2.8	98.5	6,797	4.5	6,900	2.8	98.5	98.5	98.5
1964	7,326	7.0	7,397	6.4	99.0	7,291	7.3	7,363	6.7	99.0	99.0	99.0
1965	7,499	2.4	7,565	2.3	99.1	7,484	2.6	7,551	2.6	99.1	99.1	99.1
1966	7,741	3.2	7,854	3.8	98.6	7,705	3.0	7,818	3.5	98.6	98.6	98.6
1967	8,318	7.5	8,255	5.1	100.8	8,265	7.3	8,210	5.0	100.7	100.8	100.7
1968	9,930	19.4	8,937	8.3	111.1	9,876	19.5	8,901	8.4	111.0	111.1	111.0
1969	10,834	9.1	9,369	4.8	115.6	10,725	8.6	9,301	4.5	115.3	115.6	115.3
1970	11,778	8.7	9,828	4.9	119.8	11,636	8.5	9,743	4.8	119.4	119.8	119.4
BASE YEAR 1970												
1970	13,187	—	13,187	4.9	100.0	12,967	—	12,967	4.8	100.0	119.8	119.4
1971	13,674	3.7	13,209	0.2	103.5	13,486	4.0	13,034	0.5	103.5	124.1	123.6
1972	14,720	7.6	13,631	3.2	108.0	14,542	7.8	13,474	3.4	107.9	129.4	128.4
1973	17,920	21.7	14,138	3.7	126.8	17,737	22.0	14,016	4.0	126.3	151.9	151.1
1974	23,302	30.0	14,585	3.2	159.8	23,119	30.3	14,449	3.1	160.0	191.5	191.1
1975	25,691	10.3	14,987	2.8	171.4	25,478	10.2	14,837	2.7	171.7	205.4	205.1
1976	28,032	9.1	15,431	3.0	181.7	27,750	8.9	15,258	2.8	181.9	217.7	217.2
1977	34,684	23.7	16,078	4.2	215.7	34,432	24.1	15,934	4.4	216.1	258.5	258.1
1978	40,479	16.7	17,401	8.2	232.6	40,242	16.9	17,329	8.8	232.2	278.8	277.3
1979	49,782	23.0	18,501	6.3	269.1	49,542	23.1	18,430	6.4	268.8	322.5	321.0
1980	62,246	25.0	19,575	5.8	318.0	61,814	24.8	19,456	5.6	317.7	381.1	379.4
1981	79,337	27.5	20,706	5.8	383.2	77,625	25.6	20,257	4.1	383.2	459.2	457.7
1982	91,643	15.5	21,756	5.1	421.2	89,609	15.4	21,229	4.8	422.1	504.8	504.1
BASE YEAR 1982												
1982	94,679	—	94,679	5.1	100.0	92,720	—	92,720	4.8	100.0	504.8	504.1
1983	113,878	20.3	99,375	5.0	114.6	110,664	19.4	96,439	4.0	114.8	578.5	579.5
1984	140,039	23.0	104,395	5.1	134.1	136,638	23.5	101,399	5.1	134.8	677.1	679.3
1985	148,321	5.9	109,570	5.0	135.4	144,921	6.1	106,741	5.3	135.8	683.4	684.5
1986	163,713	10.4	114,261	4.3	143.3	159,852	10.3	111,565	4.5	143.3	723.3	722.3
1987	177,731	8.6	115,922	5.0	153.3	173,395	8.5	113,307	1.6	153.0	774.0	771.5
1988	203,516	14.5	119,050	2.7	171.0	198,250	14.3	116,214	2.6	170.6	863.0	860.0
1989	228,138	12.1	121,729	2.3	187.4	222,399	12.2	118,874	2.3	187.1	946.1	943.2
1990	290,615	27.4	129,244	6.2	224.9	283,930	27.7	126,426	6.4	224.6	1,135.1	1,132.2
1991	337,399	16.1	135,204	4.6	249.6	330,032	16.2	132,214	4.6	249.6	1,259.7	1,258.4
1992	386,999	14.7	140,990	4.3	274.5	379,179	14.9	138,074	4.4	274.6	1,385.6	1,384.4
1993	453,092	17.1	150,783	6.9	300.5	447,113	17.9	148,744	7.7	300.6	1,516.9	1,515.4
1994	523,300	15.5	159,269	5.6	328.6	514,990	15.2	156,571	5.3	328.9	1,658.6	1,658.1
1995	598,327	14.3	167,953	5.5	356.3	591,369	14.8	165,897	5.9	356.5	1,798.4	1,797.1
1996	695,934	16.3	174,261	3.7	399.4	684,741	15.8	171,056	3.1	400.3	2,016.0	2,018.0

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY SECTOR 1959 - 1996
(Constant Factor Cost Prices)

Rs. Million

Year	Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	Mining & Quarrying	Manufacturing	Construction	Electricity, Gas & Water	Transport, Storage & Communication	Trade	Banking, Insurance & Real Estate	Ownership of Dwellings	Public Administration & Defence	Services (n.e.s.)	Gross Domestic Product
BASE YEAR 1959												
1959	2,302.4	31.3	682.1	282.9	9.5	540.9	800.8	50.9	200.6	301.0	727.6	5,930.0
1960	2,435.5	32.4	728.0	280.9	9.8	584.8	928.8	51.8	211.8	314.4	754.2	6,332.4
1961	2,613.5	31.8	745.9	268.6	10.4	565.7	839.4	58.5	224.2	323.5	783.3	6,464.8
1962	2,694.5	33.2	797.6	281.5	11.1	608.1	891.9	64.2	235.8	343.7	798.1	6,759.7
1963	2,846.0	29.5	853.0	271.8	11.4	591.8	875.1	67.4	227.2	365.1	812.3	6,950.6
1964	2,945.9	32.1	901.3	283.3	12.9	640.7	1,003.1	73.6	254.8	363.3	886.0	7,397.0
1965	2,772.8	34.0	936.9	266.2	13.5	740.3	1,105.2	90.4	272.8	371.9	960.9	7,564.9
1966	2,821.2	37.1	1,008.1	293.2	14.3	791.8	1,144.1	83.0	272.8	396.5	992.3	7,854.4
1967	3,060.6	37.0	1,052.1	350.8	14.7	772.9	1,193.8	99.6	263.1	388.9	1,021.4	8,254.9
1968	3,239.7	37.3	1,154.0	457.8	15.0	848.5	1,245.0	110.4	291.8	432.4	1,104.8	8,936.7
1969	3,280.5	55.0	1,260.5	504.5	17.6	900.6	1,361.1	113.7	290.9	445.4	1,138.9	9,368.7
1970	3,406.6	65.2	1,331.8	577.2	21.3	913.2	1,393.2	118.0	301.5	458.8	1,183.7	9,770.5
BASE YEAR 1970												
1970	3,732	95	2,197	744	101	1,258	2,533	152	399	517	1,459	13,187
1971	3,642	96	2,279	708	90	1,219	2,456	166	407	548	1,598	13,209
1972	3,755	103	2,321	651	101	1,335	2,548	175	415	583	1,644	13,631
1973	3,725	472	2,266	665	107	1,354	2,607	182	419	641	1,700	14,138
1974	3,942	295	2,163	712	108	1,462	2,771	213	455	688	1,776	14,585
1975	3,847	395	2,263	649	117	1,497	2,886	276	463	729	1,865	14,987
1976	3,894	571	2,371	685	122	1,425	2,928	246	467	760	1,962	15,431
1977	4,299	515	2,357	619	131	1,498	2,999	295	475	791	2,099	16,078
1978	4,532	619	2,541	794	158	1,607	3,267	318	499	854	2,212	17,401
1979	4,622	652	2,659	960	190	1,716	3,551	350	518	905	2,378	18,501
1980	4,766	684	2,681	1,066	209	1,838	3,849	402	549	959	2,572	19,575
1981	5,097	713	2,820	1,034	234	1,957	4,034	462	579	997	2,779	20,706
1982	5,231	742	2,955	1,013	257	2,079	4,275	517	611	1,102	2,974	21,756
BASE YEAR 1982												
1982	24,964	2,238	13,601	7,959	1,089	10,666	19,694	3,715	3,250	2,899	4,604	94,679
1983	26,212	2,413	13,710	8,039	1,161	11,281	20,738	4,130	3,315	3,786	4,590	99,375
1984	26,113	2,449	15,390	8,030	1,239	12,437	22,029	4,526	3,381	4,165	4,636	104,395
1985	28,366	2,486	16,193	8,070	1,313	12,959	22,925	4,975	3,432	4,432	4,419	109,570
1986	29,106	2,615	17,558	8,191	1,406	13,377	23,821	5,174	3,497	5,274	4,242	114,261
1987	27,409	3,112	18,748	8,338	1,448	13,538	24,496	5,490	3,550	5,435	4,358	115,922
1988	27,984	3,392	19,622	8,463	1,499	13,619	25,164	5,819	3,603	5,462	4,423	119,050
1989	27,666	3,576	20,488	8,514	1,526	13,883	25,588	6,168	3,650	6,140	4,530	121,729
1990	30,011	3,901	22,427	8,761	1,681	14,410	26,497	6,556	3,705	6,355	4,940	129,244
1991	30,570	3,511	23,949	9,033	1,800	15,534	28,556	6,831	3,761	6,304	5,355	135,204
1992	30,090	3,300	26,059	9,765	1,897	16,606	30,074	7,241	3,795	6,449	5,714	140,990
1993	31,554	3,693	28,806	10,400	2,125	17,287	32,584	8,023	3,841	6,642	5,828	150,783
1994	32,593	3,915	31,418	11,024	2,335	17,823	34,667	8,785	3,887	6,848	5,974	159,269
1995	33,659	4,048	34,294	11,564	2,573	18,803	35,906	9,707	3,938	7,218	6,243	167,953
1996	32,109	4,408	36,539	11,957	2,522	20,213	37,765	10,687	3,989	7,579	6,493	174,261

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY SECTOR 1959 - 1996
(Current Factor Cost Prices)

Rs. Million

Year	Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	Mining & Quarrying	Manufacturing	Construction	Electricity Gas & Water	Transport, Storage & Communication	Trade	Banking, Insurance & Real Estate	Ownership of Dwellings	Public Administration & Defence	Services (n.e.s.)	Gross Domestic Product
BASE YEAR 1959												
1959	2,302.4	31.3	682.1	282.9	9.5	540.9	800.8	50.9	200.6	301.0	727.6	5,930.0
1960	2,389.7	32.2	711.7	283.1	9.8	587.3	936.5	51.5	213.5	314.4	801.3	6,331.0
1961	2,456.1	31.7	709.5	279.1	10.4	578.9	872.8	58.4	233.1	323.5	799.7	6,353.2
1962	2,392.3	33.4	748.9	279.0	11.1	633.6	954.4	64.5	248.6	343.7	821.5	6,531.0
1963	2,600.2	30.0	783.6	285.4	11.4	636.6	971.2	68.5	260.3	365.1	836.9	6,849.2
1964	2,663.5	33.1	819.4	306.3	12.9	706.3	1,146.6	75.9	275.3	363.3	923.6	7,326.2
1965	2,522.5	35.1	918.5	286.9	13.5	775.6	1,191.2	93.2	294.0	371.9	996.5	7,498.9
1966	2,613.6	38.4	866.2	317.2	14.3	829.2	1,237.8	85.8	314.0	396.5	1,028.3	7,741.3
1967	2,939.9	39.9	883.6	380.2	15.1	831.0	1,293.7	107.4	332.5	402.9	1,091.8	8,318.0
1968	3,691.1	46.8	1,120.7	522.3	16.4	939.2	1,420.5	138.6	332.9	474.3	1,227.4	9,930.2
1969	3,732.1	69.0	1,312.0	627.0	18.4	1,060.2	1,691.9	142.7	388.6	469.2	1,322.6	10,833.7
1970	3,950.6	84.1	1,424.6	744.0	26.3	1,151.9	1,795.9	152.2	398.9	516.5	1,458.5	11,703.5
BASE YEAR 1970												
1970	3,732	95	2,197	744	101	1,258	2,533	152	399	517	1,459	13,187
1971	3,705	112	2,592	751	113	1,270	3,076	166	407	550	1,549	14,291
1972	3,878	129	2,399	711	130	1,405	2,652	191	414	575	1,619	14,103
1973	4,892	489	3,122	802	136	1,596	3,806	220	421	654	1,782	17,920
1974	7,728	334	4,342	1,011	154	1,853	4,443	302	456	704	1,976	23,303
1975	7,798	450	5,158	1,018	164	2,079	4,975	336	639	798	2,276	25,691
1976	8,133	639	5,620	1,164	171	2,286	5,456	419	726	948	2,470	28,032
1977	10,644	595	8,023	1,133	194	2,723	6,239	542	832	1,177	2,582	34,684
1978	12,332	732	8,094	1,965	239	2,994	7,536	845	969	1,516	3,257	40,479
1979	13,412	947	9,484	3,218	398	4,744	9,435	1,243	1,293	1,664	3,944	49,782
1980	17,151	1,249	11,048	5,552	601	5,293	10,898	1,785	1,457	1,965	5,247	62,246
1981	21,977	1,514	12,883	7,001	808	7,307	14,197	2,463	1,768	2,350	7,069	79,337
1982	25,157	1,734	14,134	7,959	1,244	8,536	16,059	3,192	2,052	2,878	8,698	91,643
BASE YEAR 1982												
1982	24,964	2,238	13,601	7,959	1,089	10,666	19,694	3,715	3,250	2,899	4,604	94,679
1983	32,180	2,799	15,958	9,807	1,428	12,554	21,759	4,183	3,696	4,100	5,414	113,878
1984	40,138	3,153	20,890	11,180	1,633	15,499	27,192	4,731	3,958	5,322	6,343	140,039
1985	41,069	3,328	21,845	11,640	2,042	16,554	29,261	5,693	4,162	6,376	6,347	148,317
1986	44,355	4,155	24,869	12,272	2,252	17,911	31,808	6,840	4,578	7,945	6,728	163,713
1987	47,923	4,927	28,470	13,020	2,346	18,663	34,520	7,455	4,904	8,501	7,002	177,731
1988	53,600	5,567	31,298	14,943	2,492	21,988	40,578	9,002	5,250	11,050	7,748	203,516
1989	58,462	5,980	34,941	17,332	2,788	23,109	46,625	10,496	5,850	13,600	8,955	228,138
1990	76,488	7,098	43,264	21,541	3,652	28,655	61,812	13,225	7,138	15,840	11,902	290,615
1991	90,257	7,204	49,816	24,535	4,729	32,896	71,556	16,399	8,130	17,630	14,247	337,399
1992	100,080	6,757	59,346	28,485	4,630	38,587	83,904	20,827	9,146	18,141	17,096	386,999
1993	111,659	8,446	68,881	32,615	6,065	45,533	99,736	27,804	10,344	22,622	19,387	453,092
1994	124,370	10,473	80,482	38,323	7,727	52,591	115,021	35,617	11,513	25,314	21,869	523,300
1995	137,678	11,510	94,098	44,455	8,701	59,217	131,449	43,346	12,572	31,136	24,165	598,327
1996	156,108	13,927	112,724	48,234	9,171	73,784	155,316	49,675	14,232	35,215	27,548	695,934

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AT CURRENT FACTOR COST PRICES 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Sector	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	47,923	53,600	58,462	76,488	90,257	100,080	111,659	124,370	137,678	156,108
Agriculture	40,579	45,557	48,797	65,141	75,108	81,137	90,369	98,519	106,753	122,594
Tea	5,889	6,478	6,697	8,939	7,553	4,925	6,811	6,879	7,230	10,332
Rubber	1,215	1,619	1,446	1,467	1,254	1,743	2,177	3,185	4,007	4,011
Coconut	3,475	5,021	4,917	4,852	6,667	9,320	9,711	9,167	9,323	12,838
Paddy	8,393	9,420	9,495	15,088	17,080	19,659	21,586	21,241	21,645	19,892
Other	21,607	23,019	26,242	34,795	42,554	45,490	50,084	58,047	64,548	75,521
Forestry	3,642	4,006	4,578	5,547	7,267	8,357	9,360	11,475	14,321	14,751
Fishing	3,702	4,037	5,087	5,800	7,882	10,586	11,930	14,376	16,604	18,763
Mining & Quarrying	4,927	5,567	5,980	7,098	7,204	6,757	8,446	10,473	11,510	13,927
Manufacturing	28,470	31,298	34,941	43,264	49,816	59,346	68,881	80,482	94,098	112,724
Processing of Tea, Rubber & Coconut Kernel Products	6,325	6,451	6,825	8,740	8,015	7,839	8,427	9,994	11,853	16,203
Factory Industry	18,582	21,146	25,140	31,120	38,294	47,250	55,707	64,174	74,699	87,771
Small Industry	3,563	3,701	2,976	3,404	3,507	4,257	4,747	6,314	7,546	8,750
Construction	13,020	14,943	17,332	21,541	24,535	28,485	32,615	38,323	44,455	48,234
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	2,346	2,492	2,788	3,652	4,729	4,630	6,065	7,727	8,701	9,171
Transport, Storage & Communication	18,663	21,988	23,109	28,655	32,896	38,587	45,533	52,591	59,217	73,784
Wholesale & Retail Trade	34,520	40,578	46,625	61,812	71,556	83,904	99,736	115,021	131,449	155,316
Imports	11,815	14,043	15,981	22,053	25,670	30,778	39,611	47,375	55,050	64,629
Exports	2,659	2,883	3,423	4,846	5,806	7,234	9,093	10,439	13,414	16,365
Domestic	20,046	23,652	27,221	34,913	40,080	45,892	51,032	57,207	62,985	74,322
Banking, Insurance & Real Estate	7,455	9,002	10,496	13,225	16,399	20,827	27,804	35,617	43,346	49,675
Ownership of Dwellings	4,904	5,250	5,850	7,138	8,130	9,146	10,344	11,513	12,572	14,232
Public Administration & Defence	8,501	11,050	13,600	15,840	17,630	18,141	22,622	25,314	31,136	35,215
Services (n.e.s.)	7,002	7,748	8,955	11,902	14,247	17,096	19,387	21,869	24,165	27,548
GDP	177,731	203,516	228,138	290,615	337,399	386,999	453,092	523,300	598,327	695,934
Net Factor Income from Abroad	-4,336	-5,266	-5,739	-6,685	-7,367	-7,820	-5,979	-8,310	-6,958	-11,193
GNP	173,395	198,250	222,399	283,930	330,032	379,179	447,113	514,990	591,369	684,741

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AT 1982 FACTOR COST PRICES 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Sector	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	27,409	27,984	27,666	30,011	30,570	30,090	31,554	32,593	33,659	32,109
Agriculture	23,003	23,762	23,311	25,729	25,941	25,316	26,592	27,596	28,496	27,035
Tea	2,750	2,926	2,668	3,004	3,100	2,303	2,985	3,116	3,166	3,327
Rubber	765	770	697	718	655	669	681	688	694	738
Coconut	2,967	2,501	3,210	3,261	2,827	2,971	2,799	3,376	3,548	3,278
Paddy	5,423	6,312	5,258	6,378	6,002	5,882	6,447	6,750	7,067	5,180
Other	11,098	11,253	11,478	12,368	13,357	13,491	13,680	13,666	14,021	14,512
Forestry	2,215	1,943	1,985	2,030	2,107	2,149	2,151	2,147	2,173	2,201
Fishing	2,191	2,279	2,370	2,252	2,522	2,625	2,811	2,850	2,990	2,873
Mining & Quarrying	3,112	3,392	3,576	3,901	3,511	3,300	3,693	3,915	4,048	4,408
Manufacturing	18,748	19,622	20,488	22,427	23,949	26,059	28,806	31,418	34,294	36,539
Processing of Tea, Rubber & Coconut Kernel Products	3,340	3,273	3,257	3,530	3,332	2,912	3,157	3,567	3,724	3,761
Factory Industry	13,113	14,030	15,500	17,085	18,708	21,140	23,529	25,600	28,160	30,216
Small Industry	2,295	2,319	1,731	1,812	1,909	2,007	2,120	2,251	2,410	2,562
Construction	8,338	8,463	8,514	8,761	9,033	9,765	10,400	11,024	11,564	11,957
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	1,448	1,499	1,526	1,681	1,800	1,897	2,125	2,335	2,573	2,522
Transport, Storage & Communication	13,538	13,619	13,883	14,410	15,534	16,606	17,287	17,823	18,803	20,213
Wholesale & Retail Trade	24,496	25,164	25,588	26,497	28,556	30,074	32,584	34,667	35,906	37,765
Imports	9,628	9,810	9,614	9,422	10,826	11,714	13,436	14,699	15,008	16,119
Exports	2,490	2,579	2,752	3,060	3,210	3,695	4,190	4,726	5,321	5,757
Domestic	12,378	12,775	13,222	14,015	14,520	14,665	14,958	15,242	15,577	15,889
Banking, Insurance & Real Estate	5,490	5,819	6,168	6,556	6,831	7,241	8,023	8,785	9,707	10,687
Ownership of Dwellings	3,550	3,603	3,650	3,705	3,761	3,795	3,841	3,887	3,938	3,989
Public Administration & Defence	5,435	5,462	6,140	6,355	6,304	6,449	6,642	6,848	7,218	7,579
Services (n.e.s.)	4,358	4,423	4,530	4,940	5,355	5,714	5,828	5,974	6,243	6,493
GDP	115,922	119,050	121,729	129,244	135,204	140,990	150,783	159,269	167,953	174,261
Net Factor Income from Abroad	-2,615	-2,836	-2,855	-2,818	-2,990	-2,916	-2,039	-2,698	-2,056	-3,205
GNP	113,307	116,214	118,874	126,426	132,214	138,074	148,744	156,571	165,897	171,056

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

COMPOSITION OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT 1990 - 1996

Item	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996(a)	
	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%	Rs. Mn.	%
Gross Domestic Product by Sector (Current Factor Cost Prices)	290,615	100.0	337,399	100.0	386,999	100.0	453,092	100.0	523,300	100.0	598,327	100.0	695,934	100.0
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	76,488	26.3	90,257	26.8	100,080	25.9	111,659	24.6	124,370	23.8	137,678	23.0	156,108	22.4
Mining & Quarrying	7,098	2.4	7,204	2.1	6,757	1.7	8,446	1.9	10,473	2.0	11,510	1.9	13,927	2.0
Manufacturing	43,264	14.9	49,816	14.8	59,346	15.3	68,881	15.2	80,482	15.4	94,098	15.7	112,724	16.2
Construction	21,541	7.4	24,535	7.3	28,485	7.4	32,615	7.2	38,323	7.3	44,455	7.4	48,234	6.9
Electricity, Gas, Water & Sanitary Services	3,652	1.2	4,729	1.4	4,630	1.2	6,065	1.4	7,727	1.5	8,701	1.5	9,171	1.3
Transport, Storage & Communication	28,655	9.9	32,896	9.7	38,587	10.0	45,533	10.0	52,591	10.0	59,217	9.9	73,784	10.6
Wholesale & Retail Trade	61,812	21.3	71,556	21.2	83,904	21.7	99,736	22.0	115,021	22.0	131,449	22.0	155,316	22.3
Banking, Insurance & Real Estate	13,225	4.5	16,399	4.9	20,827	5.4	27,804	6.1	35,617	6.8	43,346	7.2	49,675	7.1
Ownership of Dwellings	7,138	2.5	8,130	2.4	9,146	2.4	10,344	2.3	11,513	2.2	12,572	2.1	14,232	2.0
Public Administration & Defence	15,840	5.5	17,630	5.2	18,141	4.7	22,622	5.0	25,314	4.8	31,136	5.2	35,215	5.1
Services (n.e.s.)	11,902	4.1	14,247	4.2	17,096	4.4	19,387	4.3	21,869	4.2	24,165	4.0	27,548	4.0
Gross Domestic Product by Expenditure (Current Market Prices)	321,784	100.0	372,345	100.0	425,283	100.0	499,565	100.0	579,084	100.0	667,772	100.0	768,934	100.0
Consumption	275,693	85.7	324,847	87.2	361,438	85.0	419,576	84.0	490,935	84.8	565,661	84.7	649,674	84.5
Government	31,405	9.8	36,633	9.8	40,972	9.6	45,791	9.2	56,002	9.7	76,604	11.5	80,258	10.4
Private	244,288	75.9	288,214	77.4	320,466	75.4	373,785	74.8	434,933	75.1	489,057	73.2	569,416	74.1
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	71,455	22.2	85,156	22.9	103,239	24.3	127,675	25.6	156,510	27.0	171,825	25.7	186,264	24.2
Government	12,665	3.9	15,883	4.3	13,682	3.2	20,755	4.2	17,661	3.1	23,645	3.5	25,618	3.3
Private and Public Corporations	58,790	18.3	69,273	18.6	89,557	21.1	106,920	21.4	138,849	24.0	148,180	22.2	160,646	20.9
Net Exports of Goods and Non-Factor Services	-25,364	-7.9	-37,658	-10.1	-39,394	-9.3	-47,686	-9.5	-68,361	-11.8	-69,714	-10.4	-67,004	-8.7
Exports of Goods and Non-Factor Services	97,117	30.2	107,016	28.7	135,114	31.8	168,858	33.8	195,805	33.8	237,711	35.6	269,765	35.1
Imports of Goods and Non-Factor Services	122,481	38.1	144,674	38.9	174,508	41.0	216,544	43.3	264,166	45.6	307,425	46.0	336,769	43.8

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

INVESTMENT AND SAVINGS (CURRENT MARKET PRICES) 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

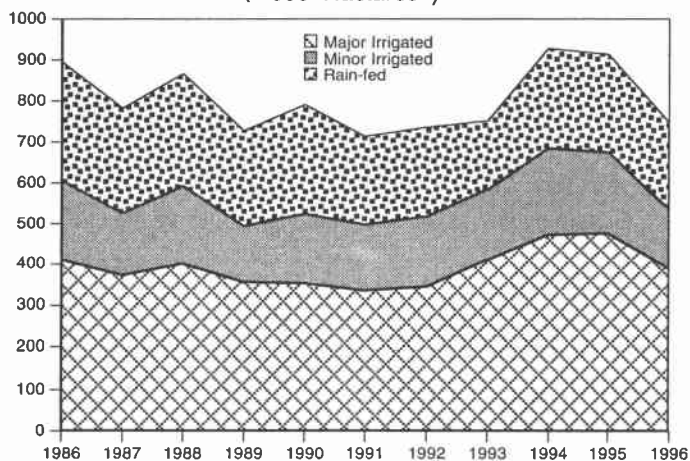
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Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	197,093	221,982	251,891	321,784	372,345	425,283	499,565	579,084	667,772	768,934
Consumption	171,487	195,306	221,090	275,693	324,847	361,438	419,576	490,935	565,661	649,674
Investment	45,900	50,562	54,722	71,455	85,156	103,239	127,675	156,510	171,825	186,264
Net Exports of Goods & Non-Factor Services	-20,294	-23,886	-23,921	-25,364	-37,658	-39,394	-47,686	-68,361	-69,714	-67,004
Domestic Savings (GDP-Consumption)	25,606	26,676	30,801	46,091	47,498	63,845	79,989	88,149	102,111	119,260
Net Factor Income from abroad	-4,336	-5,266	-5,739	-6,685	-7,367	-7,821	-5,979	-8,310	-6,958	-11,154
Net Private Transfers from abroad	9,226	10,187	11,840	14,518	16,623	20,253	27,090	30,989	34,820	39,485
National Savings	30,496	31,597	36,902	53,924	56,754	76,277	101,100	110,828	129,973	147,591
Savings - Investment Gap	-15,404	-18,965	-17,820	-17,531	-28,402	-26,961	-26,575	-45,682	-41,852	-38,673
Financing the Gap	15,404	18,965	17,820	17,531	28,402	26,961	26,575	45,682	41,852	38,673
Official Transfers (Net)	5,311	6,588	6,751	7,142	8,407	8,027	7,749	8,257	8,896	8,515
Foreign Direct Investment (Net)	1,727	1,382	633	1,294	2,633	5,315	9,107	7,815	2,931	6,606
Foreign Portfolio Investment (Net)	-	-	-	390	1,329	1,122	3,272	1,334	-90	353
Private Foreign Loans (Net)	780	-867	1,754	850	1,100	6,814	16,108	28,558	4,286	2,237
Government Foreign Loans (Net)	5,901	7,793	8,179	16,397	22,109	10,199	12,579	12,204	23,210	12,474
Valuation Adjustments, Errors and Omissions	461	730	-1,403	-1,061	2,965	4,954	1,908	4,679	4,055	4,339
Monetary Movement	1,224	3,339	1,905	-7,480	-10,140	-9,469	-24,149	-17,166	-1,437	4,148
Percent of GDP										
Investment	23.3	22.8	21.7	22.2	22.9	24.3	25.6	27.0	25.7	24.2
Domestic Savings	13.0	12.0	12.2	14.3	12.8	15.0	16.0	15.2	15.3	15.5
National Savings	15.4	14.2	14.6	16.8	15.2	17.9	20.2	19.1	19.5	19.2
Saving-Investment Gap	-7.8	-8.5	-7.1	-5.4	-7.6	-6.3	-5.3	-7.9	-6.3	-5.0

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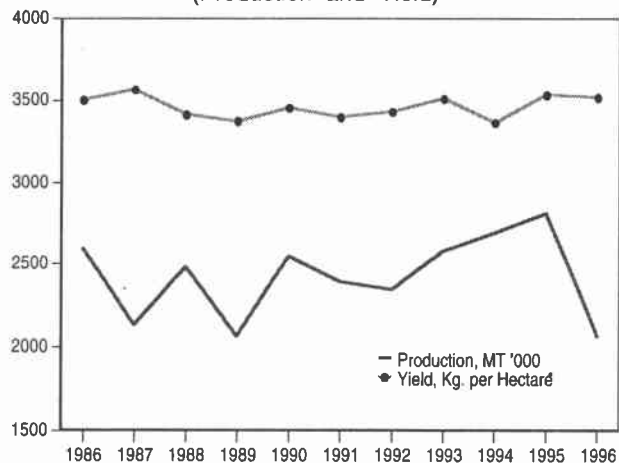
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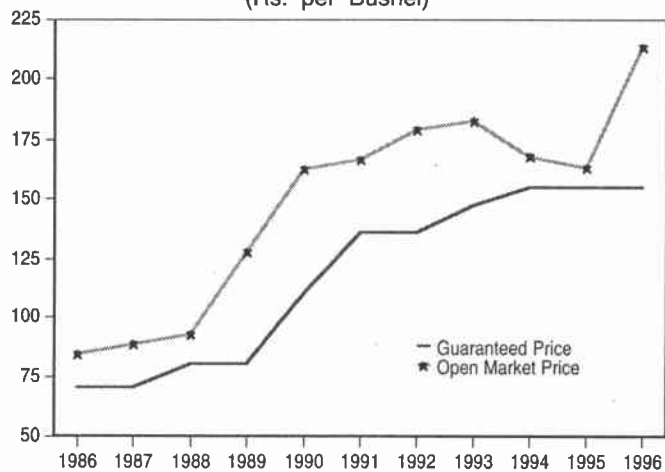
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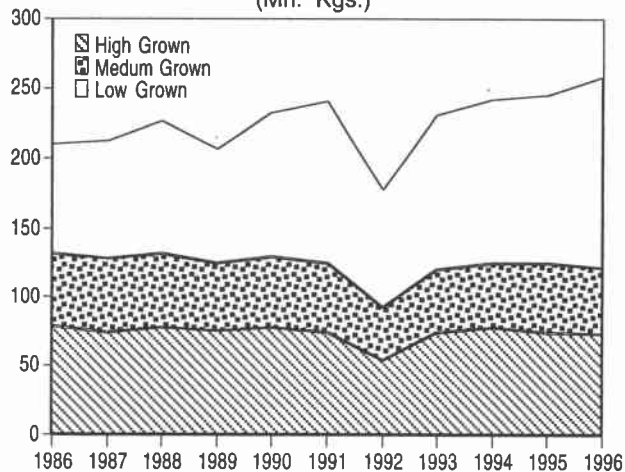
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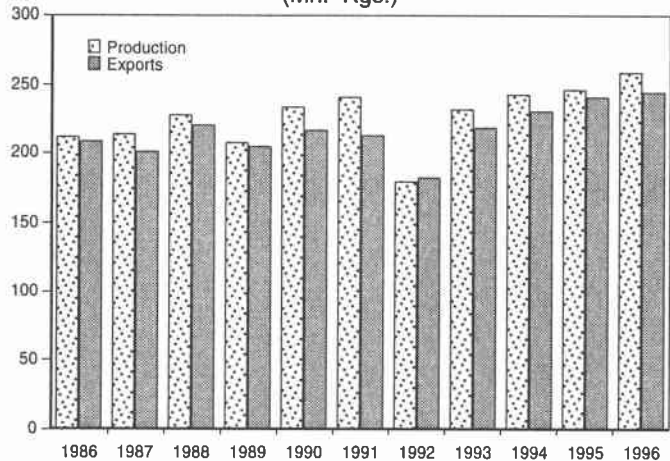
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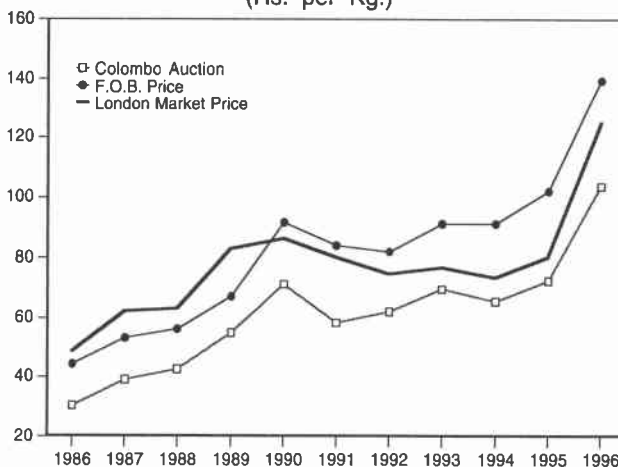
Tea Production
(Mn. Kgs.)



Tea Production and Exports
(Mn. Kgs.)

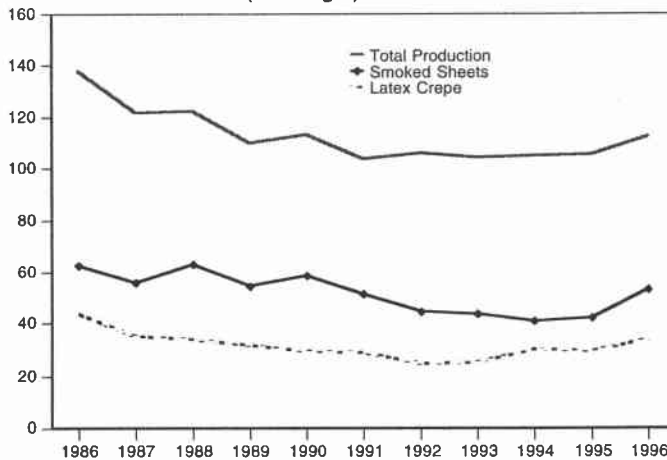


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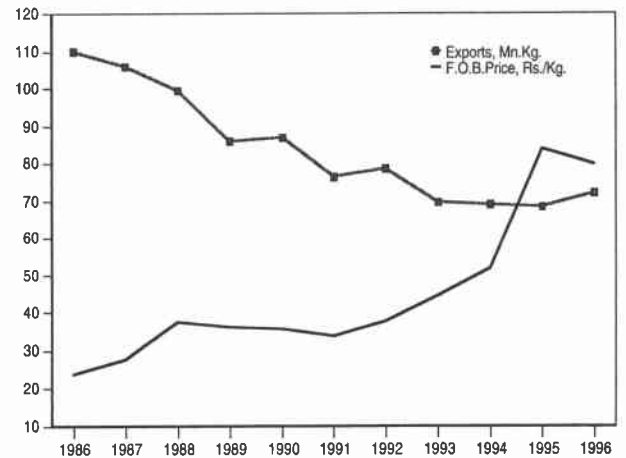


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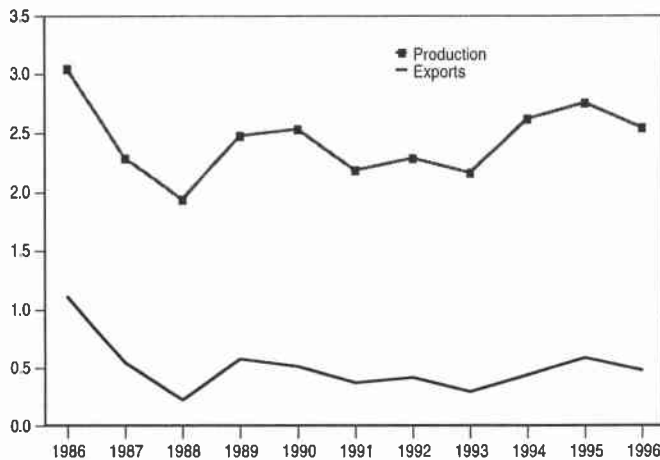
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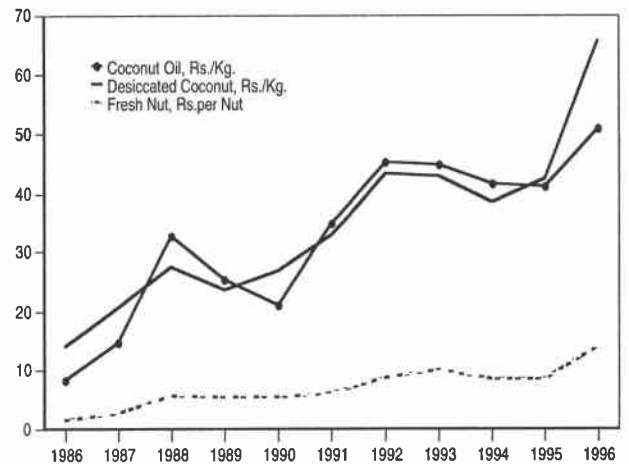
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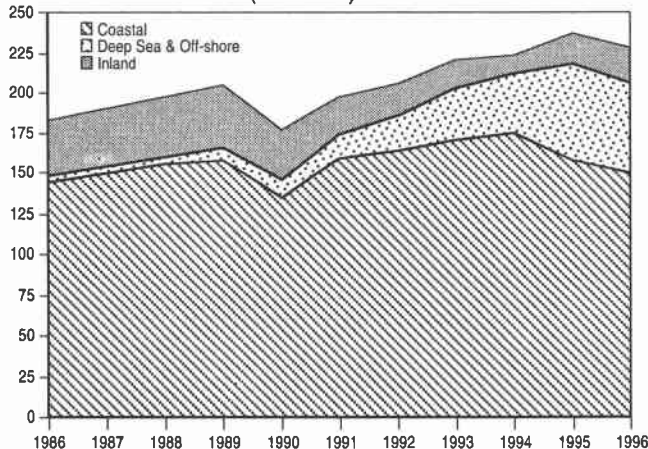
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(Bn. Nuts)



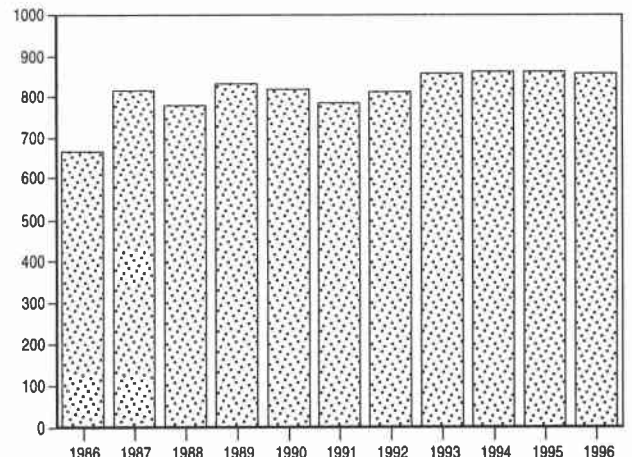
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Fish Production
(MT '000)

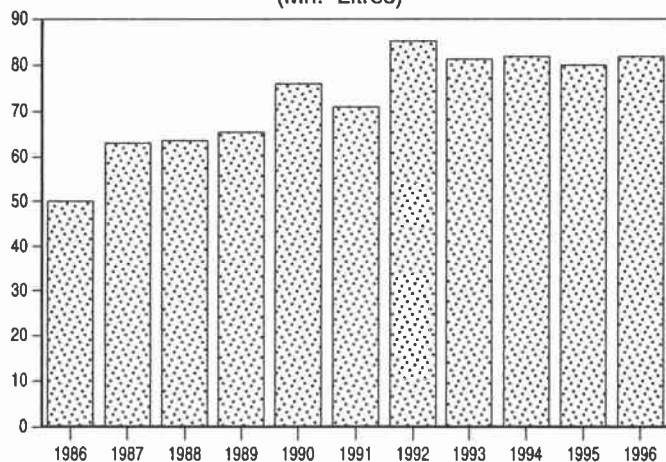


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(In Number Mn.)

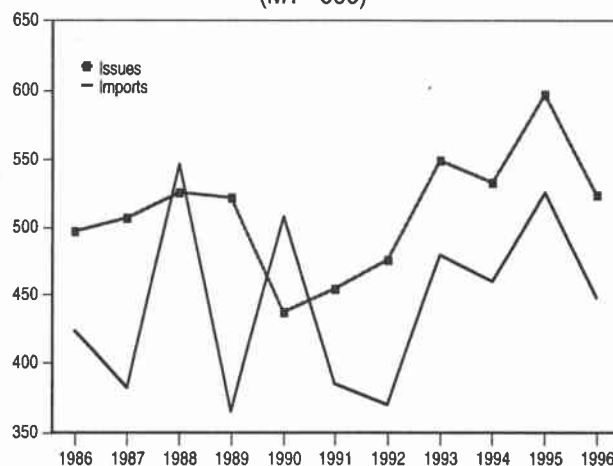


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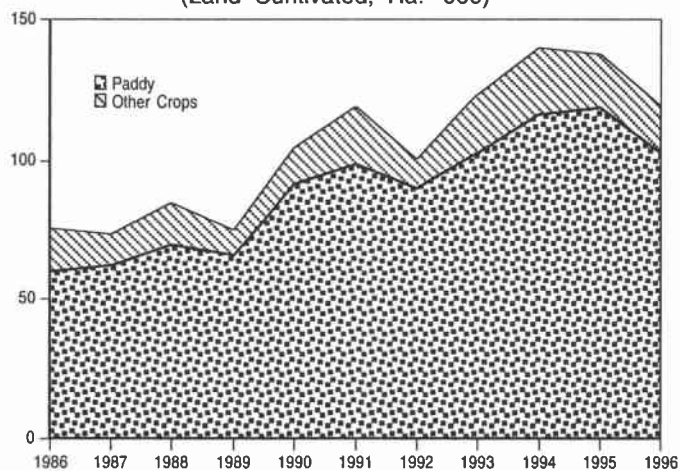
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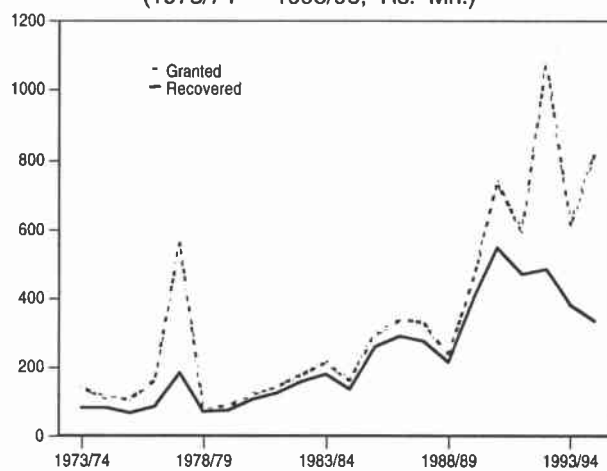
Fertilizer Issues and Imports
(MT '000)



Mahaweli Programme
(Land Cultivated, Ha. '000)



Cultivation Loans
(1973/74 - 1995/96, Rs. Mn.)



PADDY 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Area Sown, Ha. '000	895	781	868	727	857	817	803	835	930	915	749
Maha	555	508	545	469	531	501	548	546	581	567	499
Yala	340	273	323	258	326	316	255	289	349	348	250
Irrigated Area	606	524	592	493	520	496	515	584	683	673	536
Major	408	371	400	355	352	335	344	409	470	473	388
Minor	198	153	192	138	168	161	171	175	213	200	148
Rain-fed Area	288	257	276	234	270	219	221	168	247	242	213
Area Under Improved Varieties, Ha. '000	859	769	843	707	708	744	627	708	803	888	734
Gross Area Harvested, Ha. '000	835	679	816	690	828	791	766	820	897	890	660
Maha	527	433	499	440	519	483	523	538	561	549	425
Yala	308	246	317	250	309	308	243	282	336	341	235
Production, MT '000	2,588	2,127	2,477	2,063	2,538	2,389	2,340	2,570	2,684	2,810	2,061
Maha	1,688	1,392	1,525	1,342	1,647	1,554	1,630	1,692	1,670	1,761	1,331
Yala	900	735	952	721	891	835	710	878	1,014	1,049	730
Yield per Hectare, Kgs.	3,500	3,564	3,413	3,374	3,453	3,398	3,428	3,511	3,363	3,535	3,513
Maha	3,585	3,678	3,440	3,429	3,564	3,620	3,512	3,516	3,345	3,603	3,534
Yala	3,287	3,362	3,370	3,279	3,265	3,048	3,252	3,481	3,393	3,427	3,477
Fertilizer Issues, MT '000	197	151	204	156	144	179	208	248	270	257	238
Credit Granted for Paddy Cultivation, Rs. Mn.	190	262	245	207	361	734	618	603	660	792	396
Maha	101	183	190	119	206	512	484	418	453	571	308
Yala	89	79	55	88	155	222	134	185	207	221	88
Prices, Rs. per Bushel											
Guaranteed Price	70	70	80	80	110	136	136	147	155	155	155
Open Market Price	84.20	88.23	92.30	127.70	162.63	166.41	178.76	182.59	167.64	163.23	213.25
Insurance											
Area Insured, Ha. '000	52	68	53	37	40	54	39	34	40	66	26
Total Premium Collected, Rs. Mn.	14	18	15	9	10	14	11	15	18	40	16
Total Indemnities Paid, Rs. Mn.	29	47	21	11	9	9	7	6	28	26	19
Rice Imports, MT '000	231	113	210	316	172	133	237	209	58	9	341
Import Price (C & F) Rs. per MT	4,554	6,086	8,593	10,750	10,224	11,950	12,021	11,426	11,216	12,875	14,999
Value Added, Rs. Mn. (Growing only)	9,992	8,393	9,420	9,495	15,088	17,080	19,659	21,586	21,241	21,645	19,892
Percent of GDP	6.1	4.7	4.6	4.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	4.8	4.1	3.6	2.9

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

TEA 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Area, Hectares (b)	222,905	221,498	221,683	222,110	221,758	221,691	221,836	n.a.	187,426(c)	188,970(c)	187,310(c)
High Grown	65,018	64,484	64,507	64,580	73,138	73,331	64,564	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	51,444
Medium Grown	61,083	60,192	59,865	59,616	83,223	82,467	57,418	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	58,155
Low Grown	39,558	38,806	38,688	38,657	65,397	65,893	34,483	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	79,711
Replanted Area, Hectares	1,618	1,503	1,592	1,551	1,586	1,773	1,417	1,311	1,225	1,215	990
Subsidies, Rs. Mn.	21.2	24.6	22.8	14.4	79.3	n.a.	73.4	79.0	74.9	n.a.	n.a.
Fertilizer Issues (wholesale), MT '000	128.8	136.7	138.0	127.9	134.1	118.9	110.2	147.2	126.4	120.3	154.0
Factories, No.	705	659	692	701	629	635	609	592	559	578	594
High Grown	201	187	194	195	175	169	165	165	153	153	155
Medium Grown	216	191	203	202	168	165	149	141	130	132	126
Low Grown	288	281	295	304	286	301	295	286	276	293	313
Production, Mn. Kgs.	211.3	213.3	226.9	207.0	233.1	240.7	178.9	231.9	242.2	245.9	258.4
High Grown	77.1	73.4	76.8	74.1	76.1	73.2	53.7	72.6	76.7	73.5	72.2
Medium Grown	53.3	53.5	54.3	50.0	51.9	51.3	37.9	47.2	47.4	50.6	48.0
Low Grown	80.9	86.4	95.8	82.9	105.1	116.2	87.3	112.1	118.1	121.8	138.2
Cost of Production, Rs./Kg.	n.a.	n.a.	43.98	49.70	60.51	60.68	72.26	75.81	75.67	76.74	90.75
Colombo Auction Price, Rs./Kg.	30.68	39.30	42.77	54.61	70.97	58.27	61.75	69.27	65.12	72.21	103.88
High Grown	31.58	38.76	44.88	55.85	68.12	57.41	66.45	68.34	66.30	70.04	93.38
Medium Grown	28.49	35.09	40.73	49.33	62.61	51.53	54.84	63.57	57.93	62.89	89.70
Low Grown	31.26	42.46	42.36	56.97	77.33	61.75	61.90	71.49	67.38	77.27	114.35
Quantity Sold at Colombo Auctions, Mn. Kgs.	203.3	208.2	209.1	193.7	216.9	226.2	172.9	213.2	223.7	225.2	230.0
High Grown	69.2	70.9	66.2	66.4	70.4	68.0	51.9	67.1	68.1	66.1	63.5
Medium Grown	50.9	52.9	50.2	49.0	49.1	46.6	34.6	42.0	44.6	45.2	43.1
Low Grown	83.2	84.4	92.7	78.3	97.4	111.6	86.4	104.1	111.0	113.9	123.3
Exports											
Value, Rs. Mn.	9,252.8	10,653.5	12,298.7	13,663.9	19,823.3	17,866.8	14,893.4	19,911.1	20,963.7	24,637.6	34,068.0
Quantity, Mn. Kgs.	207.8	201.1	219.8	204.2	216.0	212.4	181.7	218.4	229.6	240.8	244.1
F.O.B. Price, Rs. / Kg.	44.52	52.97	55.95	66.91	91.78	84.12	81.98	91.16	91.32	102.31	139.56
London Market Price per Kg.											
New Pence	115.67	108.34	106.43	127.44	114.10	100.28	107.35	104.03	93.72	94.99	130.29
Rs.	48.35	61.94	62.88	82.88	86.25	79.80	74.53	76.46	73.15	80.03	124.90
Tax collected from Tea, Rs. Mn.	996.1	1,152.1	872.0	628.8	1,601.0	492.0	360.0	23.0	-	-	-
Specific Tax	934.1	890.1	608.0	273.5	290.0	194.0	134.0	23.0	-	-	-
Advalorem Tax	62.0	262.0	267.0	355.3	1,311.0	298.0	226.0	-	-	-	-
Value added, % of GDP (Growing & Processing)	4.5	5.5	5.1	4.5	4.4	3.4	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.2
Domestic Consumption (d), Mn. Kgs.	20.8	21.1	21.4	21.7	21.9	22.3	22.5	22.8	23.1	23.4	23.7

(a) Provisional

(b) The area registered with the Tea Commissioner

(c) Based on a Tea Land Survey conducted by the Tea Commissioner's Division

(d) Estimated Household Consumption

n.a. - Not Available

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Tea Board

RUBBER 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Area, Hectares											
Under cultivation	202,701	201,861	200,248	199,648	199,048	198,451	194,550	161,477	160,909	161,600	162,000
Under Tapping	149,918	147,484	145,495	147,285	146,325	147,048	146,265	119,353	120,912	123,948	122,252
High Yielding	187,664	190,629	196,252	197,200	197,350	197,672	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Area Replanted, Hectares	5,911	5,635	4,167	6,147	5,202	5,190	3,918	2,419	1,623	3,239	3,200
Area Newly Planted, Hectares	1,706	1,720	1,508	1,241	1,290	1,803	914	907	538	829	855
Subsidies for Replanting, Rs. Mn.	106.0	96.0	87.6	92.7	114.0	106.3	96.7	107.9	85.9	94.2	81.2
Fertilizer Issues (wholesale), MT	26,258	24,706	25,063	22,036	21,246	13,686	13,106	17,883	17,160	14,947	16,556
Average Yield per Hectare, Kgs.	919	826	841	752	773	706	725	873	870	980	920
Cost of Production (b), Rs. / Kg.	13.70	14.28	17.18	19.35	21.39	22.92	24.50	30.22	30.85	33.37	36.70
Total Production, Mn. Kgs.	137.8	121.8	122.4	110.07	113.1	103.9	106.1	104.2	105.3	105.7	112.5
Smoked Sheet	62.5	55.6	62.8	54.3	58.6	51.3	44.4	43.7	40.9	42.2	53.2
Sole Crepe	4.4	4.7	3.0	2.6	3.7	2.4	3.6	3.8	4.0	2.7	3.7
Scrap Crepe	7.4	9.1	5.0	3.7	5.0	7.4	5.6	4.1	4.4	2.9	4.1
Latex Crepe	43.5	35.1	33.6	31.3	29.1	28.7	24.9	25.1	30.1	29.3	33.7
Latex	5.8	5.7	3.8	4.8	6.7	7.2	12.2	13.1	14.5	5.6	6.7
Technically Specified Rubber	14.3	11.6	14.2	14.0	9.9	6.7	15.5	13.9	11.5	14.5	11.1
Local Consumption, Mn. Kgs.	16.4	19.3	19.9	21.0	23.6	26.7	28.8	32.8	36.4	36.9	39.9
Stocks, Mn. Kgs.	23.6	20.0	23.2	26.9	29.8	17.3	16.0	17.2	16.4	16.9	17.6
Exports											
Value, Rs. Mn.	2,622.0	2,929.3	3,705.9	3,112.1	3,080.2	2,641.2	2,959.9	3,086.3	3,582.2	5,713.0	5,753
Volume, Mn. Kgs.	110.0	106.0	99.3	86.0	86.8	76.4	78.6	69.6	69.1	68.3	72.1
F.O.B. Price, Rs. / Kg.	23.83	27.63	37.33	36.18	35.50	33.53	37.64	44.34	51.81	83.69	79.78
Export Destinations, Mn. Kgs.											
People's Republic of China	9.6	13.8	11.0	—	—	3.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4
U.S.S.R.	10.6	7.1	3.6	2.4	2.4	0.3	—	—	0.08	0.07	0.2
U.S.A.	8.4	9.2	13.6	7.1	7.1	5.3	5.8	6.4	5.6	6.4	7.5
Poland	3.6	9.5	4.5	7.3	7.3	3.3	9.2	5.2	5.0	2.8	2.7
Rumania	—	3.0	—	3.0	13.9	2.1	2.2	0.8	0.4	0.3	0.4
Pakistan	7.5	8.8	8.9	6.8	6.8	8.2	9.5	9.0	10.1	8.6	9.4
Mexico	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.4
Spain	—	1.9	—	1.9	2.6	1.1	1.9	3.2	3.1	3.1	4.7
Japan	11.1	5.0	3.9	3.1	3.1	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.1	3.5
E.E.C. Countries	27.7	25.8	21.6	20.5	20.5	29.0	27.7	17.7	25.4	17.4	19.0
Other Countries	30.2	25.6	31.2	37.7	17.9	22.3	21.8	23.2	15.3	25.3	23.9
Value Added(c), % of GDP	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.9

(a) Provisional

(b) Weighted average of Cost of Production of public sector estates, private sector estates and small holdings. From 1986 onwards the average is for the private sector.

(c) In growing and processing only.

Sources: Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Rubber Development Department
Sri Lanka Customs

COCONUT 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Coconut Production, Mn. Nuts	3,039	2,291	1,936	2,484	2,532	2,184	2,296	2,164	2,622	2,755	2,546
Manufacture of Major Coconut Products, MT '000											
Copra	242.6	125.4	62.0	129.5	128.8	60.6	55.0	40.7	103.9	114.2	74.5
Coconut Oil	143.3	71.6	34.5	74.6	74.8	32.6	30.2	22.0	60.0	64.5	41.0
Desiccated Coconut	62.6	51.4	22.8	46.9	55.3	49.30	53.60	39.6	55.9	68.4	62.5
Poonac	71.7	35.8	17.3	37.3	37.4	16.3	15.1	11.0	30.0	32.1	20.5
Cost of Production, Rs. per Nut	0.66	0.73	0.81	0.85	1.11	1.70	1.97	2.03	1.84	2.02	2.18
Fertilizer Issues (wholesale), MT	31,640	42,173	41,984	38,519	23,580	28,842	34,270	36,094	31,218	33,607	39,100
Export Volume											
Three Major Coconut Products, Mn. Nuts	1,105	538	224	572	508	367	412	293	437	579	475
Copra, MT '000	10.1	9.0	5.9	8.2	7.2	8.3	5.9	4.9	6.5	10.2	7.8
Coconut Oil, MT '000	81.1	16.5	5.4	29.7	14.0	1.1	2.4	2.6	4.5	8.9	2.8
Desiccated Coconut, MT '000	59.8	53.2	22.4	43.2	53.0	47.2	53.5	36.4	54.2	67.1	60.8
Fresh Nuts, Mn. Nuts	17.8	16.3	12.1	16.3	22.2	24.4	24.8	22.3	25.4	26.5	17.5
Coir Fibre Bristle, MT '000	9.2	8.7	7.5	8.0	6.9	8.3	8.9	6.6	7.3	6.8	5.5
Coir Fibre Mattress, MT '000	45.2	40.6	30.6	35.6	37.7	32.7	31.9	22.6	26.6	29.5	24.4
Coconut Shell Charcoal, MT '000	27.7	32.4	13.3	20.7	11.3	11.8	8.1	3.0	6.7	3.8	9.9
Export Value, Rs. Mn.											
Three Major Coconut Products	1,608.8	1,422.6	895.5	1,920.3	1,842.5	1,769.0	2,664.7	1,846.8	2,475.8	3,520.4	4,469.0
Copra	87.9	79.3	102.1	147.8	119.9	186.5	187.9	166.5	198.9	292.1	327.0
Coconut Oil	672.5	242.2	175.1	749.4	295.5	36.7	105.1	115.8	188.6	369.2	143.0
Desiccated Coconut	848.4	1,101.1	618.3	1,023.1	1,427.1	1,545.8	2,371.7	1,564.5	2,088.3	2,859.0	3,999.0
Fresh Nuts	88.2	112.1	70.5	90.1	125.4	152.3	216.1	224.4	220.9	229.9	234.6
Coir Fibre Bristle	130.9	126.1	131.5	178.8	130.0	130.4	197.2	180.3	191.4	203.9	190.8
Coir Fibre Mattress	179.9	168.5	130.9	199.6	263.4	216.0	235.4	174.9	254.3	354.9	260.0
Coconut Shell Charcoal	102.3	145.6	87.2	158.4	91.9	99.9	82.5	38.1	75.9	47.5	110.5
F.O.B. Price, Rs. per Kg.											
Copra	8.72	8.82	17.46	17.92	16.53	24.31	32.19	33.73	30.67	28.59	41.63
Coconut Oil	8.29	14.71	32.73	25.26	21.14	35.03	45.33	44.90	41.64	41.23	50.98
Desiccated Coconut	14.18	20.68	27.57	23.68	26.94	32.78	43.36	42.94	38.55	42.57	65.78
Fresh Nuts, Rs. per Nut	1.57	2.80	5.81	5.54	5.65	6.23	8.72	10.05	8.69	8.67	14.12
Coir Fibre Bristle	14.27	14.45	17.55	22.49	18.85	15.76	22.18	27.49	26.30	29.83	34.66
Coir Fibre Mattress	3.98	4.15	4.27	5.61	6.99	6.62	7.37	7.73	9.55	12.04	10.69
Coconut Shell Charcoal	3.70	4.48	6.53	7.66	8.12	8.43	10.21	12.70	11.26	12.37	11.30
Local Market Price, Rs. per Kg.											
Copra No. 1	5.88	12.53	19.79	13.67	13.17	22.28	27.47	33.56	28.60	26.18	44.47
Coconut Oil	8.26	16.75	30.80	19.05	18.36	31.07	41.23	44.13	37.54	34.31	56.12
Desiccated Coconut	10.01	18.30	23.01	19.46	22.33	26.15	39.17	39.23	35.95	39.19	63.02
Price of a Fresh Nut (Retail), Rs.	1.46	2.64	4.00	3.15	3.75	4.70	6.32	7.53	6.29	5.44	9.37
Value Added, % of GDP (b)	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	1.9	2.5	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.0
Domestic Consumption (c), Mn. Nuts	1,877	1,731	1,701	1,896	2,018	1,795	1,859	1,847	1,982	2,009	2,042

(a) Provisional

(b) In Growing and Processing only

(c) Estimated Household Consumption

Sources : Coconut Development Authority
Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Customs

SUBSIDIARY FOOD CROPS 1986 - 1996

Crop	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Area, Hectares	218,239	226,945	259,629	198,973	272,149	243,358	234,976	248,043	204,541	193,742	174,933
Manioc	27,631	28,344	31,847	25,078	40,329	39,726	34,166	33,850	33,428	32,850	30,915
Maize	36,388	39,199	50,429	37,150	47,885	40,159	41,087	49,863	31,495	35,938	30,895
Chillies	39,893	26,409	32,690	26,952	38,095	34,176	31,399	42,753	36,516	30,597	26,098
Red Onions	8,637	10,998	11,035	10,223	8,485	6,269	8,147	8,752	6,960	6,993	6,584
Ground Nuts	10,250	8,827	12,535	10,345	11,653	10,139	9,583	10,615	10,436	9,896	8,793
Green Gram	24,404	34,839	33,465	25,141	38,107	42,683	48,445	33,185	22,445	18,097	18,261
Soya Beans	6,307	6,685	8,341	4,662	5,868	2,852	2,020	1,479	957	2,359	849
Potatoes	7,880	7,099	6,600	6,839	7,699	3,499	5,310	7,733	7,210	7,428	7,925
Big Onions	515	439	623	988	1,776	2,400	2,460	3,514	3,761	3,687	2,662
Kurakkan	11,422	10,350	11,081	5,070	7,248	7,298	6,661	6,440	9,448	7,439	6,129
Gingelly	11,522	17,363	17,547	15,618	17,731	16,322	10,750	11,818	8,965	8,560	7,567
Meneri	578	497	338	151	1,300	1	330	n.a.	505	340	306
Cowpea	22,693	21,844	24,880	19,883	28,141	27,602	25,859	22,341	20,977	18,105	18,884
Black Gram	10,119	14,052	18,218	10,873	17,832	10,232	8,759	15,700	11,438	11,453	9,065
Production, MT	852,004	732,349	891,554	366,266	619,415	639,308	610,035	703,206	649,307	626,822	595,938
Manioc	503,095	353,064	489,250	27,610	253,985	358,808	301,878	299,572	298,402	288,928	270,596
Maize	40,619	45,336	70,569	36,425	63,914	48,500	46,933	69,268	31,596	34,836	32,963
Chillies	46,051	27,624	40,274	30,044	39,147	31,600	23,540	40,425	93,014	85,362	73,611
Red Onions	76,485	112,604	113,265	107,689	73,956	51,300	87,030	90,990	48,228	48,392	43,938
Ground Nuts	9,827	17,206	11,909	8,832	9,652	10,300	9,800	12,299	5,628	5,912	5,120
Green Gram	17,227	23,072	23,097	19,324	29,697	30,700	23,558	26,425	19,030	16,013	16,585
Soya Beans	7,326	10,150	9,890	2,906	7,310	2,900	2,497	2,185	972	2,367	726
Potatoes	108,100	91,609	78,200	93,701	84,347	42,200	45,054	77,163	79,385	81,657	100,755
Big Onions	5,586	4,215	6,826	11,099	18,777	21,400	27,639	38,023	34,726	29,719	19,367
Kurakkan	6,515	6,832	7,858	3,607	4,460	5,000	4,796	4,627	6,672	4,876	3,906
Gingelly	6,338	10,328	8,994	3,465	7,320	11,800	9,375	6,073	4,646	4,449	3,817
Meneri	238	267	194	100	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	399	259	194
Cowpea	16,832	17,431	18,072	14,933	19,460	21,600	21,635	20,024	18,604	16,110	16,997
Black Gram	7,765	12,611	13,156	6,531	7,390	3,200	6,300	16,132	8,005	7,942	7,363

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

MINOR EXPORT CROPS 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Cultivated Area, Hectares											
Cocoa	8,320	8,620	8,750	8,650	8,570	8,660	8,530	5,470	5,716	5,733	5,160
Cinnamon	20,720	21,060	20,360	20,420	20,190	20,310	20,210	24,257	24,218	24,248	24,304
Cardamoms	5,210	4,330	4,350	4,450	4,390	4,440	4,510	4,487	4,510	4,535	4,547
Cloves	4,952	5,775	5,898	6,046	5,997	5,876	6,146	10,619	10,778	10,841	10,694
Pepper	13,210	15,010	15,620	15,940	15,600	17,000	17,190	25,840	25,590	26,990	26,988
Production, MT											
Cocoa	3,700	3,600	3,600	3,900	4,200	4,700	4,100	3,338	3,414	3,591	3,080
Cinnamon	9,300	9,400	9,700	10,200	10,500	9,900	10,500	12,232	11,924	11,797	11,969
Cardamoms	400	300	300	300	500	800	1,000	1,017	1,068	1,118	1,209
Cloves	710	641	1,052	1,179	1,351	1,354	1,799	3,489	3,448	3,696	4,459
Pepper	5,600	6,400	6,800	8,500	8,700	9,900	10,900	14,627	14,714	16,123	17,349
Exports - Quantity, MT											
Cocoa	672	814	135	121	168	75	15	53	15	190	43
Cardamoms	272	192	139	126	34	29	21	14	26	19	6
Pepper	1,271	2,015	2,692	1,576	1,309	2,074	2,153	7,939	3,490	2,768	2,987
Cloves	740	492	2,251	312	2,292	1,037	1,114	1,688	850	1,116	1,429
Cinnamon	7,589	7,505	6,810	7,493	6,512	7,889	8,238	8,755	11,040	9,852	10,077
Coffee	2,640	851	4,202	1,805	1,244	2,660	1,652	1,009	4,371	1,281	692
Cashew Nuts	503	1,034	1,116	1,328	1,281	1,102	1,062	1,384	390	349	334
Nutmeg & Mace	386	286	490	390	270	486	815	784	666	755	1,084
Unmanufactured Tobacco	414	416	718	601	1,333	1,808	3,935	3,818	3,540	3,021	3,229
Exports - Value, Rs. Mn.											
Cocoa	34.1	43.1	7.5	6.0	6.6	2.9	1.2	2.7	0.9	2.3	2.0
Cardamoms	64.4	35.1	22.0	19.4	9.8	6.9	6.2	7.6	10.8	8.0	4.0
Pepper	159.6	285.8	291.5	151.7	117.8	140.4	122.5	396.1	317.0	358.0	390.0
Cloves	161.9	42.7	252.7	16.0	233.7	63.7	61.0	71.9	41.3	65.4	85.0
Cinnamon	327.9	445.2	674.7	1,057.9	1,187.9	1,436.2	1,523.9	1,645.2	1,626.1	1,721.3	1,923.0
Coffee	225.0	45.0	232.0	94.0	38.0	76.0	49.0	44.0	375.0	127.0	54.0
Cashew Nuts	91.0	196.0	208.0	244.0	277.0	290.0	236.0	342.0	112.0	113.0	104.0
Nutmeg & Mace	24.7	36.9	59.3	46.0	22.7	24.4	47.2	35.6	39.1	53.1	75.0
Unmanufactured Tobacco	22.0	131.0	63.0	79.0	152.0	243.0	1,709.0	1,749.0	1,613.0	1,831.0	2,346.0
F.O.B. Price, Rs. per Kg.											
Cocoa	50.74	52.95	55.55	49.59	39.29	38.67	80.00	50.94	60.00	12.11	46.51
Cardamoms	236.76	182.81	158.27	153.97	288.23	237.93	295.20	542.86	415.38	421.05	666.67
Pepper	125.57	141.84	108.28	96.26	89.99	67.70	56.90	49.89	90.83	129.34	130.56
Cloves	218.78	86.79	112.26	51.28	101.96	61.43	54.76	42.59	48.59	58.6	59.48
Cinnamon	43.21	59.32	99.07	141.18	182.42	182.05	185.01	187.91	142.29	174.72	190.83
Coffee	85.23	52.88	55.21	52.08	30.55	28.57	29.66	43.61	85.79	99.14	78.03
Cashew Nuts	180.91	189.55	186.38	183.73	216.24	263.16	222.22	247.11	287.18	323.78	311.38
Nutmeg & Mace	63.98	129.02	121.02	117.95	84.07	50.21	57.91	45.41	58.71	70.33	69.19
Unmanufactured Tobacco	53.14	74.52	128.57	131.45	114.03	134.40	434.31	458.09	455.65	606.09	726.54

(a) Provisional

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

FERTILIZER 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Local Production											
Phosphate, MT	14,969	21,236	23,100	24,458	32,559	19,689	25,717	30,167	26,865	32,115	34,108
Imports											
Quantity, MT	423,189	382,199	546,108	364,919	507,731	385,019	369,533	479,367	459,389	525,650	447,039
Value, Rs. Mn.	1,401	1,270	2,459	1,800	2,985	2,567	2,520	3,232	3,365	5,110	5,291
Issues (wholesale), MT	497,059	506,726	525,166	522,104	437,129	453,770	475,822	549,120	532,660	597,602	523,230
Paddy	232,617	217,120	226,198	240,155	161,230	179,306	207,793	247,973	269,738	256,756	237,471
Tea	128,849	136,653	138,001	126,285	134,125	118,933	110,254	147,195	126,404	120,288	154,009
Rubber	26,258	24,706	25,063	22,036	22,246	13,686	13,106	17,883	17,160	14,947	16,556
Coconut	31,640	42,173	41,984	38,519	23,581	28,842	34,270	36,094	31,218	33,607	39,100
Minor Export Crops	2,356	3,190	4,659	29,285	7,622	11,092	7,117	7,021	5,610	51,063	6,069
Minor Food Crops	21,330	22,201	39,600	5,600	46,264	50,702	49,522	44,300	40,611	39,736	54,793
Tobacco	5,492	7,735	6,123	6,484	6,423	5,310	2,162	9,824	4,331	47,014	4,139
Other	48,517	52,948	43,538	53,740	35,638	45,899	51,598	38,830	37,588	34,191	11,093
Issues in NPK											
Nutrients (b), MT '000	209.1	206.6	206.9	204.9	171.2	177.0	183.6	213.3	214.4	207.2	211.0
Paddy	108.9	101.7	104.2	111.0	75.7	81.6	93.8	110.5	122.5	118.5	109.8
Tea	43.1	45.8	47.5	47.0	47.0	41.7	37.5	50.7	44.0	42.4	54.7
Rubber	9.2	7.7	8.3	8.1	7.9	4.8	4.7	6.3	6.0	5.2	5.7
Coconut	12.2	16.4	16.7	15.7	9.3	10.8	12.7	12.8	11.5	12.1	14.3
Minor Export Crops	0.8	1.1	1.5	1.1	2.5	3.6	2.2	2.4	2.0	1.5	2.1
Minor Food Crops	8.0	8.1	14.5	1.9	16.6	18.0	17.3	15.6	14.8	14.5	18.7
Tobacco	3.1	7.7	1.0	1.3	0.9	0.5	0.3	3.4	1.5	1.5	1.4
Other	23.8	18.1	13.2	18.8	11.3	16.0	15.1	11.6	12.1	11.5	4.3
Use of Subsidy, Rs. Mn.	613	498	599	347	-	-	-	-	610.6	1,345	1,500

(a) Provisional

(b) Estimates

Source : National Fertilizer Secretariat

SETTLEMENT AND NEW LAND UNDER MAHAWELI PROGRAMME 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Settlements (Families)											
System H	780	182	14	9	1,680	1,151	754	283	30	-	-
System C	2,151	1,407	1,081	1,008	3,427	3,240	2,005	1,500	332	68	-
System B	1,260	857	656	324	3,492	1,468	1,716	3,190	841	132	752
System G	583	274	85	1,305	366	126	6	-	-	-	-
Total Families	4,774	2,720	5,106	2,740	8,965	5,985	4,481	4,973	1,203	200	752
New Land Cultivated (Hectares)											
System H	45,523	34,574	37,677	23,213	41,236	51,191	36,243	45,050	56,477	51,866	40,166
Paddy	32,432	26,612	27,511	18,815	35,487	38,568	30,556	31,408	41,155	42,558	32,806
Other Crops	13,091	7,962	10,166	4,398	5,749	12,623	5,687	13,642	15,322	9,308	7,360
System C	17,226	19,453	24,581	25,873	32,092	34,713	34,533	41,497	44,016	45,487	44,666
Paddy	15,727	18,738	22,773	23,974	28,359	30,640	31,858	38,378	39,683	40,297	39,984
Other Crops	1,499	715	1,808	1,899	3,733	4,073	2,675	3,119	4,333	5,190	4,682
System B	7,405	11,854	15,062	18,320	21,113	21,898	23,007	26,185	38,082	28,454	25,988
Paddy	7,149	10,746	14,203	17,357	19,928	20,749	21,799	24,469	34,328	25,329	23,455
Other Crops	256	1,108	859	963	1,185	1,149	1,208	1,716	3,754	3,125	2,533
System G	6,046	8,153	7,856	8,206	9,281	9,731	5,354	9,146	-	10,514	7,658
Paddy	4,576	6,090	5,570	5,946	7,248	7,630	5,076	7,365	-	9,029	5,800
Other Crops	1,470	2,063	2,286	2,260	2,033	2,101	278	1,781	-	1,485	1,858
System L	-	-	-	-	998	1,223	1516	1,177	1,283	1,107	623
Paddy	-	-	-	-	483	784	824	726	844	816	396
Other Crops	-	-	-	-	515	439	692	451	439	291	227
Total	76,200	74,034	85,176	75,612	104,720	118,756	100,653	123,055	139,858	137,428	119,101
Paddy	59,884	62,186	70,057	66,092	91,505	98,371	90,113	102,346	116,010	118,029	102,441
Other Crops	16,316	11,848	15,119	9,520	13,215	20,385	10,540	20,709	23,848	19,399	16,660

(a) Provisional

Source : Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka

FISH AND LIVESTOCK 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Fish Production, MT	183,056	190,002	197,536	205,286	177,063	198,063	206,168	220,900	224,000	237,550	228,550
Coastal	144,266	149,278	155,099	157,411	134,132	159,151	163,168	169,900	174,500	157,550	149,300
Deep Sea and Off-shore	3,400	4,259	4,425	8,155	11,666	15,080	22,000	33,000	37,500	60,000	57,000
Inland	35,390	36,405	38,012	39,720	31,265	23,832	21,000	18,000	12,000	20,000	22,250
Import of Fish Products											
Quantity, MT – Dried Fish	24,094	30,365	30,588	34,855	38,350	43,894	44,834	66,180	47,620	48,748	48,328
– Other	8,362	7,749	15,007	18,189	9,652	9,537	12,211	12,874	14,055	22,684	17,564
Value, Rs. Mn. – Dried Fish	626	755	942	1,003	1,312	1,686	1,804	1,932	2,093	2,153	2,355
– Other	212	193	194	317	427	404	643	524	863	1,303	1,331
Cattle											
Population, '000	1,783	1,808	1,788	1,820	1,773	1,477	1,604	1,704	1,703	1,704	1,644
Slaughtered, '000	194	184	163	151	152	171	190	179	193	202	n.a.
Production of Milk, Lit.'000	128,001	157,969	162,155	172,859	215,792	208,822	232,665	244,567	250,499	253,447	249,460
Buffaloes											
Population, '000	964	1008	963	967	958	825	897	794	791	764	761
Production of Milk, Lit.'000	49,960	62,919	63,497	65,344	75,961	70,889	85,294	81,119	81,800	79,859	81,936
Sheep and Goats											
Population, '000											
Sheep	29	28	28	30	26	20	22	20	20	19	11
Goats	534	503	510	518	522	460	528	583	588	591	535
Slaughtered, '000	121	111	104	96	83	79	102	109	129	114	n.a.
Pigs											
Population, '000	86	97	95	94	85	84	91	90	94	87	85
Slaughtered, '000	16	20	21	19	23	31	33	23	28	32	n.a.
Poultry											
Population, '000	7,668	8,619	8,674	8,833	8,797	8,261	8,852	9,261	9,466	9,573	9,148
Production of Eggs, '000	667,025	814,874	777,710	833,476	817,349	784,772	812,265	856,824	863,303	861,700	855,852

(a) Provisional

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics
Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CULTIVATION LOANS – REFINANCE CREDIT SCHEMES (a)

(Position as at End of December)

Cultivation Year	Loans Granted			Recoveries			Percent of Recoveries		
	Paddy	Other Crops	All Crops	Paddy	Other Crops	All Crops	Paddy	Other Crops	All Crops
1973/74	111	26	137	64	17	81	57.8	64.7	59.1
1974/75	86	23	109	64	15	79	74.7	63.7	72.4
1975/76	75	30	105	48	19	66	63.9	61.3	63.1
1976/77	102	58	160	54	31	84	52.8	52.5	52.7
1977/78	448	116	563	138	44	182	30.8	38.4	32.4
1978/79	59	20	79	50	18	68	84.7	88.5	85.6
1979/80	60	23	83	54	20	74	89.2	88.5	89.0
1980/81	84	34	118	75	31	106	89.8	89.0	89.5
1981/82	112	28	141	97	24	122	86.6	86.2	86.5
1982/83	148	27	174	130	24	154	88.2	90.3	88.5
1983/84	172	42	214	144	35	179	83.8	82.3	83.5
1984/85	122	38	159	104	31	136	85.5	83.5	85.1
1985/86	203	92	294	175	81	256	86.5	88.3	87.0
1986/87	269	68	337	229	60	289	85.4	87.4	85.8
1987/88	245	87	331	198	79	277	80.9	90.8	83.7
1988/89	153	80	233	141	73	215	92.2	91.3	92.3
1989/90	301	165	457	262	137	399	87.0	83.0	87.3
1990/91	538	201	739	396	157	552	73.6	78.1	74.7
1991/92	428	171	599	329	144	473	76.9	84.2	79.0
1992/93	896	182	1,079	342	143	484	38.2	78.6	44.9
1993/94	407	214	620	235	145	380	57.8	67.7	61.3
1994/95	646	176	823	268	66	333	41.5	37.2	40.5
1995/96 (b)	389	199	588	246	113	359	63.2	56.8	61.1

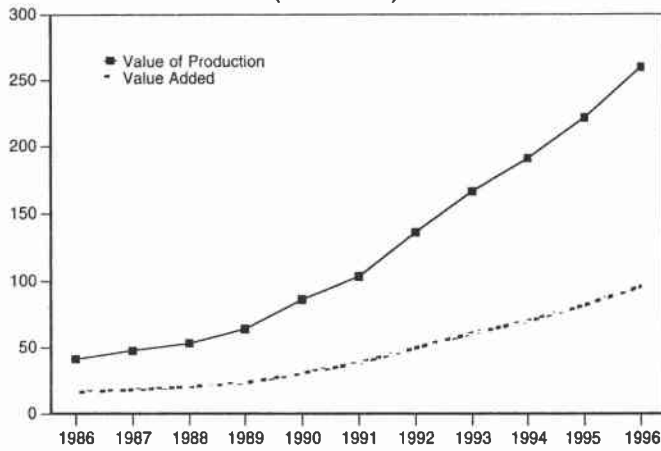
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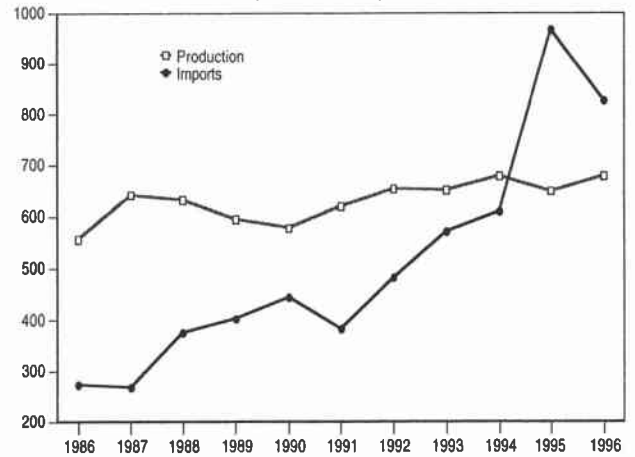
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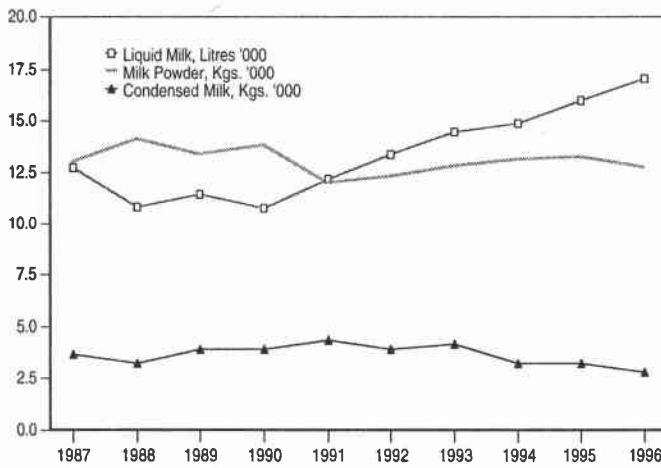
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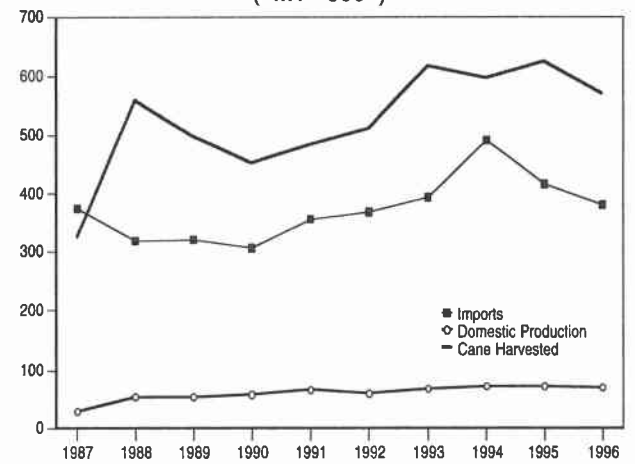
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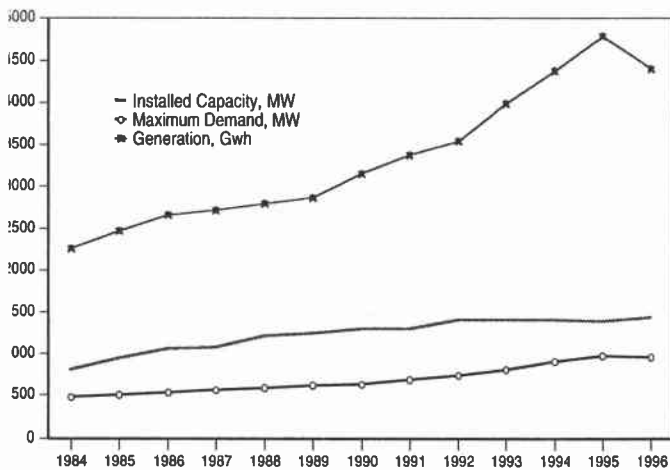
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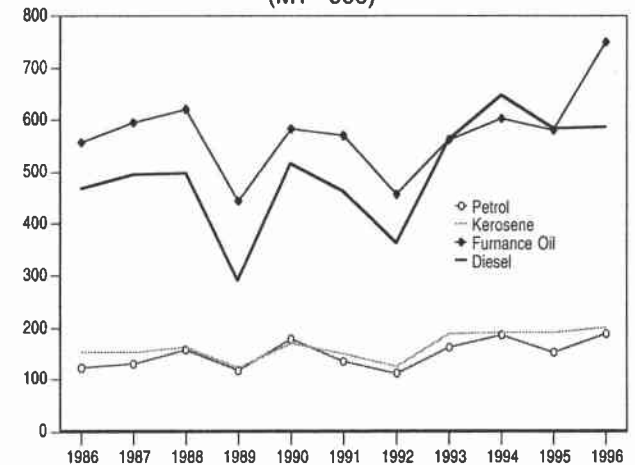
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(MT '000)



Electricity



Petroleum Refine Products
(MT '000)



INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Industrial Category	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Value of Industrial Production (at Current Prices)	41,453	48,540	54,063	64,907	86,756	103,924	136,106	166,475	190,643	221,440	260,247
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	12,129	12,962	14,675	18,458	21,955	30,003	34,157	39,709	45,054	54,927	68,209
Textile, Wearing Apparel and Leather Products	12,088	15,428	18,166	22,073	27,930	33,854	53,929	70,057	78,211	89,944	101,627
Wood and Wood Products (including Furniture)	632	677	640	667	721	802	1,005	1,230	1,601	1,929	2,171
Paper and Paper Products	1,289	1,372	1,492	1,456	1,880	2,214	2,586	3,438	4,066	4,595	5,069
Chemicals, Petroleum, Coal, Rubber and Plastic Products	11,088	13,477	13,681	12,041	21,215	20,140	23,817	28,876	34,017	38,321	46,936
Non-Metallic Mineral Products (except Petroleum and Coal)	2,053	2,156	2,267	6,007	7,554	8,181	10,582	12,351	14,580	16,740	18,997
Basic metal products	281	307	487	792	1,006	1,264	1,424	1,497	1,909	1,736	2,248
Fabricated Metal Products, Machinery and Transport Equipment	1,757	2,006	2,477	3,182	4,199	5,093	5,948	5,915	7,122	7,977	8,807
Manufactured Products (n.e.s.)	136	155	178	231	296	2,373	2,658	3,402	4,083	5,271	6,183
Value Added in Industry (at Current Prices)	16,019	18,513	21,050	24,067	30,984	38,041	50,367	60,746	69,983	81,838	95,421
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	6,850	7,194	8,225	10,168	12,065	15,070	18,668	21,704	24,373	29,507	32,891
Textile, Wearing Apparel and Leather Products	3,104	4,409	4,797	5,746	7,167	8,542	14,630	18,994	20,660	24,859	31,184
Wood and Wood Products (including Furniture)	393	408	463	496	485	571	677	831	1,081	1,177	1,250
Paper and paper products	626	692	751	745	1,019	1,167	1,397	1,912	2,301	2,458	2,580
Chemicals, Petroleum, Coal, Rubber and Plastic Products	2,705	3,371	3,827	3,531	2,428	3,199	3,989	4,723	5,758	6,898	8,957
Non-Metallic Mineral Products (except Petroleum and Coal)	1,117	1,104	1,308	1,218	4,742	4,905	5,918	7,163	9,272	9,726	10,537
Basic Metal Products	37	49	71	77	194	248	263	279	356	347	450
Fabricated Metal Products, machinery and Transport Equipment	1,116	1,204	1,518	1,969	2,746	3,247	3,629	3,608	4,344	4,547	4,809
Manufactured Products (n.e.s.)	71	82	90	117	138	1,092	1,196	1,532	1,838	2,319	2,763
Value Added in Industry as a % of GDP (at Current Prices)	9.8	10.4	10.3	10.5	10.7	11.3	13.0	13.4	13.4	13.7	13.7

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

PETROLEUM 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Crude Oil Imports											
Quantity, MT '000	1,639	1,779	1,848	1283	1,791	1,637	1,304	1,800	1,913	1,872	2,041
Value (C & F), Rs. Mn.	5,296.4	7,121.3	6,339.8	5,912.3	12,425.0	9,732.2	7,748.7	11,044.0	11,682.2	12,251.4	16,674.5
Refined Products Imports											
Quantity, MT '000	147	251	143	374	125	216	662	294	288	563	761
Value (C & F), Rs.Mn.	626.4	1,226.8	673.3	2,445.5	1,149.7	2,475.5	5,526.4	2,553.6	2,446.4	4,803.9	9,003.6
Processed in Sri Lanka, MT '000											
Petrol (Super)	123	131	159	119	179	137	113	164	186	153	189
Kerosene	154	153	163	124	171	151	127	189	192	192	201
Furnace Oil	559	596	622	446	583	571	458	564	603	582	749
Auto Diesel	407	332	417	250	463	405	299	533	581	556	585
Marine and Heavy Diesel	61	163	80	39	53	58	63	31	66	27	1
Aviation Fuel (Avtur)	97	71	86	49	101	90	69	91	61	67	69
Liquid Petroleum Gas	16	18	20	15	19	19	14	17	15	14	18
Asphalts (Bitumen)	47	33	27	26	26	35	28	46	42	43	40
Naptha (Chemical)	134	120	96	58	73	85	73	118	114	120	104
Solvents	4	4	4	2	4	2	4	4	2	-	...
Locally Blended Lubrication Oil	20	20	18	21	22	21	21	-	24	27	28
Exports (b), Rs. Mn.	2,304.6	2,554.2	2,234.1	2,385.6	3,974.6	3,335.4	2,776.2	3,587.2	3,979.1	4,412.2	5,742.8
Marine Diesel	188.2	160.5	148.9	158.9	273.7	259.6	190.1	189.1	180.9	151.3	191.1
Aviation Fuel (Avtur & Avgas)	558.3	523.6	456.3	507.3	895.7	695.7	669.2	949.1	985.5	1,140.2	1,507.5
Auto Diesel	129.5	138.8	166.9	183.8	319.6	334.1	416.5	449.4	458.6	532.4	589.4
Naptha	427.7	498.9	406.2	363.0	583.6	748.9	583.6	819.3	749.5	803.8	1,041.3
Furnace Oil	206.7	108.3	264.3	286.0	370.5	319.3	15.0	210.7	322.6	389.4	393.5
Fuel Oil (Bunkering)	794.2	1,124.1	791.5	886.6	1,531.5	977.8	901.8	969.6	1,282.0	1,395.1	2,020.0

(a) Provisional

Source : Ceylon Petroleum Corporation

(b) Excluding Exports Earnings on Lighterage and Services.

CEMENT 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Local Production											
Installed Capacity, MT '000	865	919	952	975	975	975	608	677	677	677	677
Production Volume, MT '000	557	642	632	596	578	619	653	651	677	649	677
Kankasanturai	61	32	97	113	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puttalam	380	430	383	309	398	445	474	466	476	458	497
Galle	116	180	152	174	125	174	179	185	201	191	180
Cost of Production, Rs. per MT											
Kankasanturai	1,684	1,572	1,874	1,318	1,501	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puttalam	1,366	1,583	1,622	1,472	1,544	2,171	2,422	3,521	3,886	4,255	n.a.
Galle	1,712	1,470	1,760	2,131	2,647	3,269	3,272	3,228	3,697	4,065	n.a.
Sales, MT '000	546	643	629	581	568	628	649	656	677	655	670
Imports											
Volume, MT '000	274	268	375	402	443	383	482	571	610	965	826
Value, Rs. Mn.	537	550	848	437	1,114	989	1,373	1,796	2,009	3,450	3,381
Imports Price (C&F), Rs. per MT	1,950	2,052	2,261	1,087	2,515	2,582	2,849	3,145	3,292	3,575	4,093
Cement Availability, MT '000	831	910	1007	998	1,021	1,002	1,135	1,222	1,292	1,612	1,503
Local Production	557	642	632	596	578	619	653	651	677	649	677
Imports	274	268	375	402	443	383	482	571	610	963	826
Price, Rs. per MT											
Kankasanturai	1,920	1,920	1,920	2,700	3,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puttalam	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,700	3,400	3,250	3,434	3,642	4,000	4,300	4,700
Galle	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,800	3,400	3,350	3,350	3,880	4,100	5,240	5,480

(a) Provisional

Sources : Puttalam Cement Company Limited
Ruhunu Cement Company Limited
Sri Lanka Customs

SUGAR 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Sugar Cane										
Total Area (with ratoons), Ha.	10,688	11,657	10,557	10,534	12,936	14,376	12,890	11,511	10,574	11,401
Area Harvested, Ha.	6,615	9,111	8,699	8,114	8,289	10,531	11,095	13,300	13,574	15,100
Cane Harvested, MT	323,586	559,657	498,376	453,184	483,725	512,506	617,922	596,427	625,443	570,442
Average Yield per Hectare, MT	48.9	61.4	57.3	55.9	58.4	48.7	55.7	44.8	46.1	37.8
Sugar Production, MT	29,297	53,521	53,839	57,165	66,450	59,974	68,603	72,274	71,416	70,114
Hingurana	8,640	11,084	14,256	12,140	9,374	9,520	12,880	14,058	9,681	12,090
Kantale	2,282	1,427	2,305	2,364	2,558	2,392	366	-	-	-
Sevanagala	4,106	11,038	8,928	9,641	10,554	13,840	15,895	18,534	18,654	16,024
Pelwatta	14,269	29,972	28,350	33,020	43,964	34,222	39,462	39,682	43,081	42,000
Cost of Sugar Production, Rs./Kg.										
Hingurana	15.65	14.82	17.37	20.85	21.50	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Kantale	21.47	41.54	n.a.	37.70	40.23	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Sevanagala	39.26	18.25	n.a.	21.86	22.21	19.29	19.96	20.07	21.5	26.85
Pelwatta	-	-	32.53	32.73	29.30	25.98	20.31	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Sugar Imports										
Volume, MT '000	376	319	320	305	358	370	394	491	418	381
Value, Rs. Mn.	2,389	2,927	4,326	5,173	5,139	4,952	5,621	8,875	8,737	8,026
Import Price (C&F), Rs./MT	6,348	9,177	13,503	16,943	14,336	13,383	14,172	18,075	20,902	21,066
Sugar Availability, MT	405,297	372,521	373,839	362,165	424,450	429,974	462,603	563,274	489,416	451,114
Per Capita, Kg.	24.0	20.7	20.6	21.3	24.6	24.7	26.3	31.5	27.0	24.6

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Milk Collection, Litres '000	82,685	78,923	79,966	85,586	91,687	82,582	85,614	80,962	89,444	92,127
Milk Industries of Lanka Co., Ltd. (b)	61,506	58,258	52,751	59,309	62,483	43,837	42,540	41,911	46,776	40,935
Ceylon Cold Stores Ltd.	798	501	675	821	833	936	1,012	1,054	1,168	1,100
International Dairy Products Ltd. (c)	7,220	6,516	8,119	6,049	8,015	9,654	11,089	10,979	9,100	13,272
Nestle Lanka Ltd.	13,161	13,648	18,421	19,407	20,356	28,155	30,973	27,018	32,400	36,820
Finished Products										
Liquid Milk, Litres '000	13,003	14,077	13,348	13,810	12,025	12,295	12,781	13,094	13,238	12,720
Pasteurised Milk	7,167	8,624	7,856	8,234	6,837	7,363	7,732	7,701	7,080	5,801
Sterilised Milk	5,836	5,453	5,492	5,576	5,188	4,932	5,049	5,393	6,158	6,919
Condensed Milk, Kgs. '000	3,703	3,261	3,917	3,914	4,385	3,960	4,197	3,271	3,290	2,849
Milk Powder, Kgs. '000	12,752	10,835	11,456	10,793	12,196	13,336	14,436	14,875	16,014	17,060
Highland	4,057	3,137	2,245	2,688	3,143	3,207	3,019	3,123	3,262	4,146
Nestle Products	8,695	7,698	9,211	8,105	9,053	10,129	11,417	11,752	12,752	12,914
Other Products										
Butter, Kgs. '000	310	448	349	465	438	434	370	398	331	483
Ice Cream, Litres '000	2,060	2,345	2,542	3,083	3,680	2,231	2,569	3,159	5,994	5,496
Yoghurt Cups, '000	3,934	5,472	5,716	11,693	15,156	14,645	15,947	17,861	22,419	15,712
Imports of Milk Products										
Infant Milk Food, MT	178	210	399	610	725	542	524	1,379	1,025	536
Other Milk Food, MT '000	38	42	50	65	47	33	56	48	47	43

(a) Provisional

(b) Excluding milk sold to IDPL

(c) Including milk purchased from Milk Board/Milco

Sources : Ceylon Cold Stores Ltd.

International Dairy Products Ltd.

Milk Industries of Lanka Co. Ltd.

Nestle Lanka Ltd.

TEXTILES 1988 - 1996

Item	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Production									
Yarn, Mn. Kgs.	11.0	10.1	11.4	19.6	22.0	24.4	26.2	26.3	28.4
Fabric, Mn. Metres	125.8	130.5	144.5	181.4	187.3	211.2	223.2	204.6	188.1
Garment (Export), Mn. Pcs.	185.5	185.8	212.4	241.8	315.8	362.6	413.6	447.6	471.6
Exports									
Yarn, Mn. Kgs.	-	-	-	1.5	8.5	12.6	12.6	13.2	14.5
Rs. Mn.	-	-	196	439	1,198	1,542	1,697	2,156	2,339
Fabric, Mn. Sq. Metres	-	-	-	1.7	9.6	24.6	41.3	54.1	n.a.
Rs. Mn.	-	-	248	357	852	1,700	2,207	2,578	3,211
Garment, Mn. Pcs.	185.5	185.8	212.4	241.9	315.8	362.6	413.6	447.6	471.6
Rs. Mn.	13,581	16,893	24,933	31,627	49,176	62,349	68,945	84,806	93,814
Total Exports, Rs. Mn.	13,770	17,078	26,623	33,961	53,456	68,056	76,521	95,046	105,293
Imports									
Yarn, Mn. Kgs.	7.5	7.3	10.9	15.1	22.7	24.2	26.5	25.2	30
Rs. Mn.	911	1,097	1,687	3,011	3,684	4,057	4,694	5,409	6,291
Fabric, Mn. Sq. Metres	238.5	231.6	269.0	381.1	385.9	466.2	587.7	551.5	n.a.
Rs. Mn.	9,104	10,689	13,824	19,388	28,056	35,841	38,707	43,210	44,310
Fibre, Mn. Kgs.	13.1	12.0	13.2	21.6	25.7	29.7	32.9	28.8	29.5
Rs. Mn.	674	756	1,055	1,878	2,156	2,272	2,914	3,073	3,020
Total Value of Imports, Rs. Mn.	11,254	13,205	17,070	25,301	34,848	44,498	54,850	63,404	67,437
Export Markets (% of Value of Garment Exports)									
U.S.A.	-	68.9	66.4	60.1	60.0	63.1	60.6	60.7	n.a.
Germany	-	-	9.7	11.3	11.5	10.5	9.1	8.8	n.a.
U.K.	-	-	6.0	8.3	9.1	9.4	12.0	13.7	n.a.
France	-	-	3.8	5.6	5.1	4.2	3.6	2.6	n.a.
Netherlands	-	-	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.9	3.8	3.8	n.a.
Canada	-	-	2.7	2.5	2.0	1.5	2.3	1.7	n.a.
Italy	-	-	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.1	1.3	n.a.

(a) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Industrial Development (Textiles Division)

ELECTRICITY 1984 - 1996

Item	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Installed Capacity (MW)													
Hydro	542	679	801	801	938	968	1,017	1,017	1,137	1,137	1,137	1,137	1,139
Thermal	270	270	264	270	270	272	272	272	272	272	272	250	293
Maximum Demand (MW)	487	515	540	570	594	618	640	685	742	812	911	980	968
Units Generated (GWh.)													
Hydro	2,261	2,464	2,652	2,707	2,799	2,859	3,150	3,376	3,540	3,979	4,365	4,783	4,388
Thermal	2,091	2,395	2,645	2,177	2,597	2,802	3,145	3,116	2,900	3,796	4,089	4,514	3,252
	170	69	7	530	202	57	5	260	640	183	275	269	1,026
Sales (GWh.)													
Domestic	317	346	369	382	405	420	514	644	704	826	928	1,034	1,046
Industrial	791	850	926	867	905	848	1,010	958	1,057	1,223	1,406	1,527	1,361
Small Units	32	35	36	39	42	43	55	67	76	86	98	99	95
Medium Units	372	411	445	450	479	459	599	494	508	614	705	764	719
Large Units	387	404	445	378	384	346	356	397	333	523	603	664	547
Commercial	241	280	305	341	358	357	423	466	581	641	582	631	592
Bulk Supply	458	502	543	571	601	631	657	572	545	536	609	683	542
Street Lighting	11	12	13	15	16	17	18	22	29	43	40	40	47

(a) Provisional

Source : Ceylon Electricity Board

GROSS GENERATION OF ELECTRICITY BY POWER STATIONS - 1995/96 Gwh

Power Station	Capacity (MW)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Generation in 1995, Gwh														
Kelani River Complex														
Canyon	60	10.20	12.73	14.06	8.87	6.50	19.42	16.62	12.72	19.91	16.67	13.45	12.49	163.63
Old Laxapana	50	17.36	17.92	20.54	16.55	25.34	24.90	25.02	23.98	24.28	26.39	19.68	25.24	267.19
New Laxapana	100	31.89	39.18	44.80	32.19	33.19	52.06	51.47	44.77	53.29	37.94	34.15	38.23	493.16
Wimalasurendra	50	7.41	8.10	9.07	5.90	16.25	13.34	13.07	8.80	15.02	17.12	13.58	10.90	138.57
Samanala	75	25.87	32.36	36.56	29.35	41.05	49.70	46.93	44.19	40.70	29.11	26.37	36.42	438.59
Total	335	92.72	110.29	125.03	92.87	122.33	159.42	153.10	134.45	153.20	127.23	107.23	123.28	1,501.15
Mahaweli River Complex														
Ukuwela	40	11.78	6.59	11.83	8.59	6.35	13.20	22.32	21.22	18.04	23.02	12.93	18.44	174.30
Bowetanne	40	3.86	2.68	2.76	3.08	5.49	3.23	4.92	3.66	3.66	9.36	9.28	5.07	57.05
Victoria	210	87.49	64.46	85.77	75.06	83.08	87.82	90.69	116.99	75.09	87.67	114.81	111.79	1,080.71
Kotmale	201	28.57	27.19	32.99	17.83	43.37	44.89	63.79	64.17	68.85	70.84	60.02	50.49	572.96
Randenigala	122	59.35	48.91	34.45	39.01	42.89	43.57	37.88	38.42	42.90	39.12	53.02	53.59	533.09
Rantambe	49	31.45	24.31	15.62	19.33	21.95	18.92	16.09	16.09	17.51	17.85	23.43	24.67	247.23
Total	662	222.50	174.13	183.40	162.89	203.12	211.63	235.69	260.55	226.04	247.85	273.49	264.04	2,665.33
Samanalawewa	120	13.62	11.43	9.76	64.71	72.40	23.32	14.32	11.83	18.22	38.09	19.22	7.33	304.26
Minor Hydro														
Inginiyagala	11.25	2.75	2.64	0.90	2.92	2.46	2.35	1.64	1.19	1.15	0.77	0.89	0.93	20.57
Uda Walawe	6	1.06	1.14	0.38	0.62	1.80	1.32	1.10	0.74	0.00	0.31	0.74	0.12	9.31
Nilambe	3.2	1.04	0.72	0.34	0.99	1.71	1.29	1.08	0.65	1.25	1.64	1.78	0.94	13.41
Total	20.5	4.85	4.49	1.62	4.53	5.96	4.95	3.82	2.57	2.40	2.71	3.41	1.98	43.29
Thermal Complex														
Kelanitissa : Steam	50	14.82	13.71	13.79	8.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.11	51.17
Gas	120	26.07	33.74	46.93	19.62	0.19	0.25	0.05	0.07	0.02	0.07	0.03	0.12	127.17
Sapugaskanda : Diesel	80	0.69	1.22	1.02	0.28	0.02	0.26	0.12	0.33	0.08	0.01	0.28	0.84	5.14
Hydro		17.17	13.16	24.36	14.54	0.00	0.04	0.07	0.15	0.00	0.00	2.15	14.01	85.64
Total	250	58.74	61.82	86.10	43.18	0.21	0.54	0.24	0.56	0.10	0.08	2.46	15.09	269.12
Grand Total	1,387	392.44	362.15	405.92	368.19	404.02	399.87	407.17	409.96	399.96	415.97	405.80	411.72	4,783.15
Generation in 1996, Gwh														
Kelani River Complex														
Canyon	60	13.45	16.15	13.55	10.04	9.29	4.77	1.00	0.97	13.02	19.25	10.57	7.75	119.80
Old Laxapana	50	19.28	15.27	22.56	13.54	12.41	13.24	14.18	25.99	30.90	31.62	20.92	21.39	241.30
New Laxapana	100	40.43	47.83	45.44	38.19	29.49	21.74	19.35	17.77	38.01	51.44	37.27	27.28	414.22
Wimalasurendra	50	8.03	6.49	9.80	5.22	5.18	3.98	1.97	11.13	17.34	18.64	9.64	9.19	106.62
Samanala	75	34.14	33.26	37.75	28.87	23.21	22.80	26.21	27.88	40.55	43.85	29.37	24.29	372.16
Total	335	115.32	119.00	129.09	95.86	79.59	66.53	62.70	83.73	139.82	164.80	107.77	89.90	1,254.10
Mahaweli River Complex														
Ukuwela	40	15.88	11.08	3.69	7.27	4.81	4.72	13.27	15.90	17.36	22.66	24.04	19.19	159.85
Bowetanne	40	2.29	1.72	1.24	2.44	1.60	1.23	2.19	2.06	4.53	9.29	7.05	4.95	40.59
Victoria	210	85.08	64.07	67.27	43.13	40.32	9.57	41.54	55.56	36.85	57.60	66.14	61.21	628.33
Kotmale	201	35.67	21.45	7.25	19.08	8.52	24.28	36.43	53.80	68.72	80.67	55.05	48.39	459.27
Randenigala	122	56.50	47.05	42.53	23.40	44.30	26.38	17.54	14.74	3.59	18.97	26.27	17.89	339.15
Rantambe	49	26.71	26.16	18.37	13.86	20.22	13.96	10.91	9.19	2.86	11.83	16.40	11.96	182.44
Total	662	222.13	171.51	140.35	109.17	119.77	80.15	121.87	151.25	133.90	201.02	194.94	163.57	1,809.63
Samanalawewa	120	8.78	7.38	14.30	31.43	12.54	7.66	6.39	10.34	10.71	10.23	21.01	11.25	152.21
Minor Hydro														
Inginiyagala	11	0.87	0.75	3.09	2.77	3.25	3.20	3.35	0.67	0.05	0.88	2.20	0.81	21.90
Uda Walawe	6	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.71	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.29
Nilambe	3	0.54	0.56	0.25	1.30	0.31	0.46	0.66	0.86	1.21	1.75	0.74	1.45	10.08
Total	20	1.41	1.31	3.34	4.08	4.28	4.22	4.01	1.53	1.26	2.63	2.94	2.26	33.27
Thermal Complex														
Kelanitissa : Steam	50	12.90	22.88	25.73	25.88	17.47	25.01	20.87	19.22	23.15	0.00	6.13	27.39	226.16
Gas	120	36.54	44.80	57.24	50.20	55.20	47.18	54.78	52.58	26.26	1.83	21.09	52.21	499.92
Sapugaskanda : Diesel	80	0.68	1.12	3.12	4.64	0.71	0.81	0.54	0.73	0.49	0.31	0.38	0.98	14.50
Hydro		14.52	13.22	18.68	9.65	20.18	24.86	27.31	24.56	21.48	20.58	18.46	17.48	230.98
Total	250	64.64	82.02	104.76	90.36	93.57	97.86	103.50	97.09	71.38	22.72	46.06	98.07	972.01
Grand Total	1,387	412.27	381.22	391.84	330.89	309.74	256.62	298.47	343.94	357.06	401.39	372.72	365.06	4,221.22

Source : Ceylon Electricity Board

BOARD OF INVESTMENT (BOI) ENTERPRISES 1987 - 1996

Industrial Category	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)	Number of Enterprises End 1996(a)
Employment (End December)											
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	641	796	1,135	1,633	2,168	2,480	3,094	4,105	8,166	6,931	77
Textile, Wearing Apparel and Leather Products	38,343	39,848	42,925	49,554	54,214	63,103	127,665	144,131	153,664	156,391	117
Wood and Wood Products (including Furniture)	56	77	69	44	52	58	628	1,074	2,500	2,449	19
Paper and Paper Products	-	-	-	-	127	150	276	459	519	733	12
Chemicals, Petroleum, Coal, Rubber and Plastic Products	1,649	2,285	2,049	2,765	5,390	7,291	10,349	13,378	19,047	20,509	66
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	2,132	2,817	4,431	5,502	6,069	6,966	7,270	8,146	9,160	9,226	42
Fabricated Metal Products	435	1,202	1,287	1,436	1,465	1,498	609	887	1,252	1,399	20
Manufactured Products (n.e.s.)	3,683	3,680	5,312	6,024	11,055	16,447	21,182	23,433	23,734	26,645	102
Services	534	3,921	4,221	4,400	4,917	6,227	8,805	10,047	15,332	17,687	255
Total	47,473	54,626	61,429	71,358	85,457	104,220	179,878	205,660	233,374	241,970	710
Export Earnings (f.o.b.) (Rs. Mn.)											Investments Rs. Mn. (a) End 1996
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	145	199	379	849	1,235	1,730	2,838	2,929	3,963	4,857	4,437
Textile, Wearing Apparel and Leather Products	6,100	6,979	8,825	11,669	14,481	30,488	56,890	60,820	73,287	82,050	15,045
Wood and Wood Products (including Furniture)	4	6	9	6	10	18	145	158	293	342	564
Paper and Paper Products	-	-	-	-	9	111	155	616	574	857	550
Chemicals, Petroleum, Coal, rubber and plastic products	262	379	405	503	1,088	2,436	4,114	7,903	12,217	15,083	6,877
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	317	667	666	1,811	1,871	3,315	3,410	4,502	6,155	7,068	2,783
Fabricated Metal Products	177	414	621	750	687	994	297	354	722	1,132	1,180
Manufactured Products (n.e.s.)	445	494	703	1,213	1,768	8,858	7,012	7,200	9,151	12,822	4,647
Services	282	405	244	724	944	1,180	1,879	3,553	7,001	9,272	55,539
Total	7,732	9,543	11,852	17,525	22,093	49,130	76,740	88,035	113,363	133,483	91,622

(a) Provisional

Source : Board of Investment of Sri Lanka

MINERALS 1987 - 1996

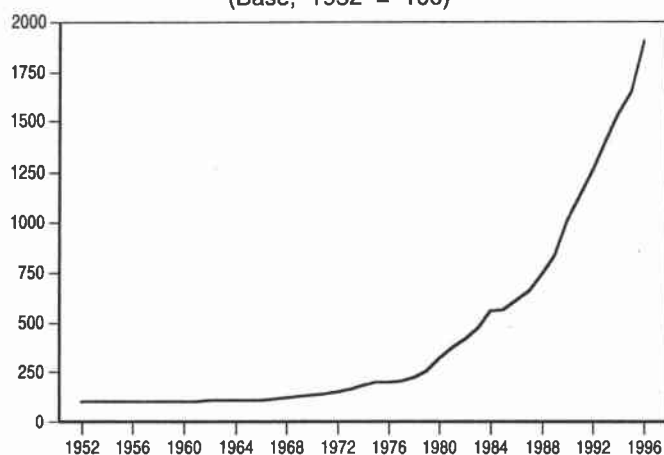
Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Precious & Semi Precious Stones										
Exports, Rs. Mn.	1,241.0	1,954.0	1,905.8	2,437.1	2,202.8	2,077.0	2,483.9	2,704.2	2,426.5	1,965.2
Gem Exports	1,152.3	1,425.4	1,351.4	1,840.0	1,568.7	1,621.0	1,989.8	2,253.6	1,990.9	1,499.4
Geuda Exports	188.7	528.6	554.4	597.1	634.1	456.0	494.1	450.6	435.6	462.8
Tourist Sales, Rs. Mn.	177.3	181.8	252.2	268.4	631.1	469.6	1,208.9	1,221.5	187.7	271.7
Graphite										
Production, MT	6,718	6,132	4,226	5,556	6,381	3,307	3,306	3,033	4,035	5,620
Exports	9,431	8,551	4,160	4,725	2,195	1,766	2,430	2,696	4,138	6,432
- Quantity, MT	132.0	157.0	111.7	174.3	97.9	60.7	68	64.0	91	164
- Value, Rs. Mn.	13,997	18,390	26,674	36,899	43,973	34,364	27,983	23,651	22,200	22,515
Local Sales	106	86	74	95	80	90	88	45	50	54
- Quantity, MT	1,302	999	1,209	2,279	2,144	2,108	2,100	452	510	1,493
- Value, Rs.'000	128,490	74,305	97,284	66,413	60,861	33,283	60,949	59,911	50,250	62,810
Ilmenite										
Production, MT	106,772	91,878	118,080	74,118	20,500	68,677	63,370	52,122	69,210	33,364
Exports	147	146	236	178	41	120	113	109	176	103
- Quantity, MT	147	146	236	178	41	120	113	109	176	103
- Value, Rs. Mn.	7,234	5,255	6,061	5,460	3,085	2,741	2,643	2,411	2,947	3,532
Rutile										
Production, MT	-	13,759	5,230	7,581	140	2,010	2,703	4,375	3,920	1,102
Exports	-	147	103	184	4	27	40	74	90	30
- Quantity, MT	-	147	103	184	4	27	40	74	90	30
- Value, Rs. Mn.	-	147	103	184	4	27	40	74	90	30

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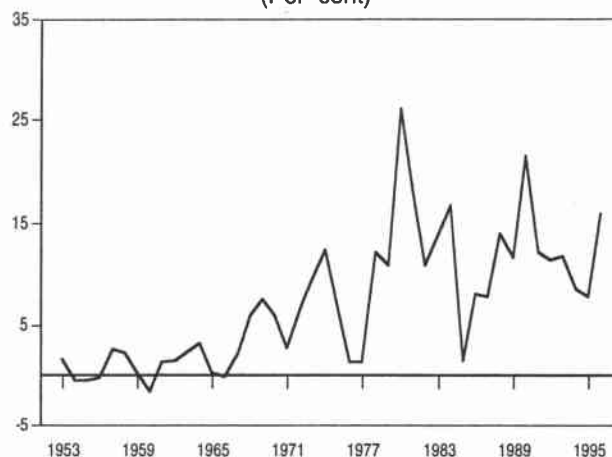
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PRICES AND WAGES

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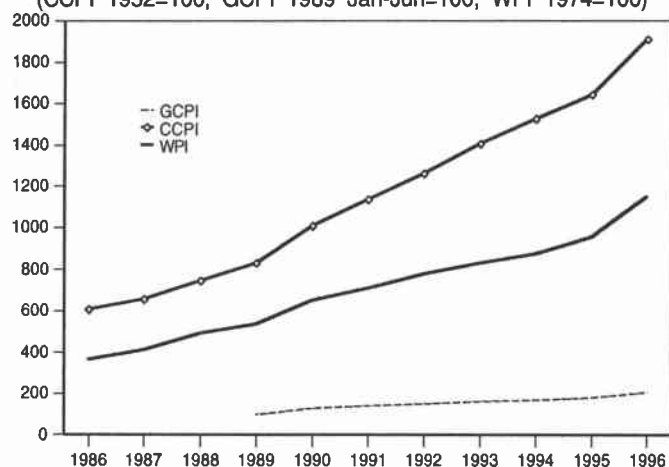


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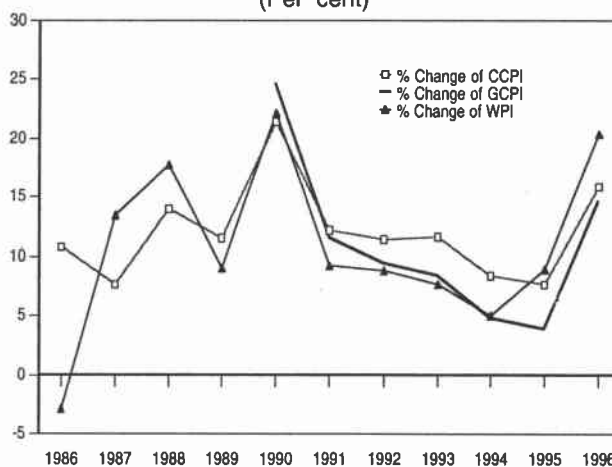


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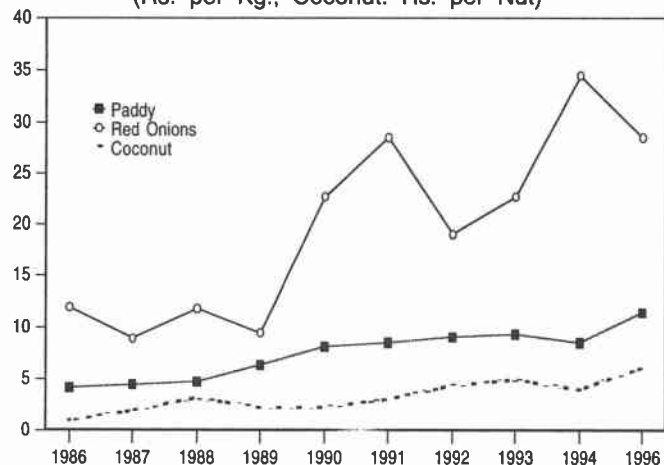
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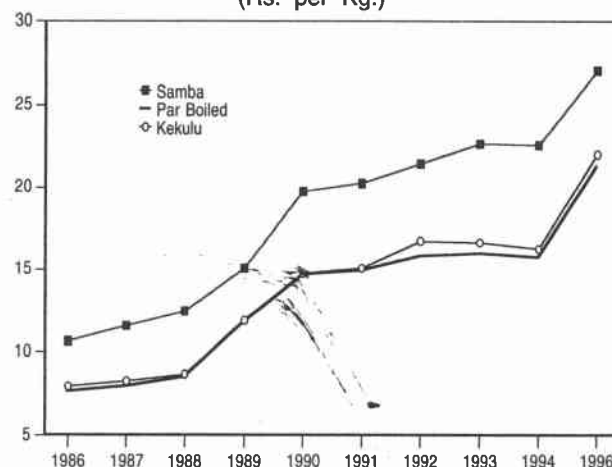
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(Per cent)



Selected Wholesale Prices
(Rs. per Kg., Coconut: Rs. per Nut)

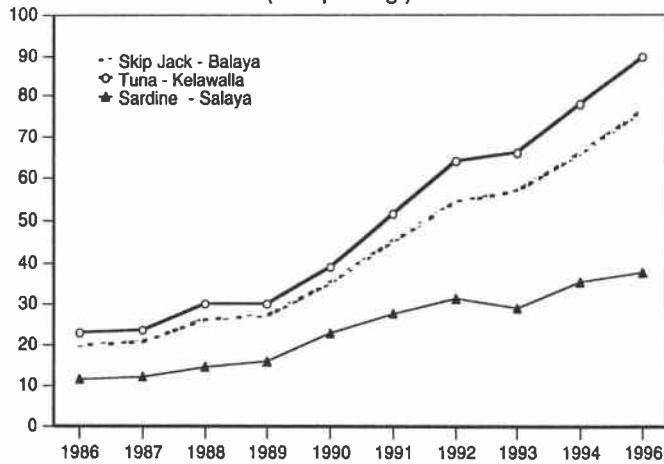


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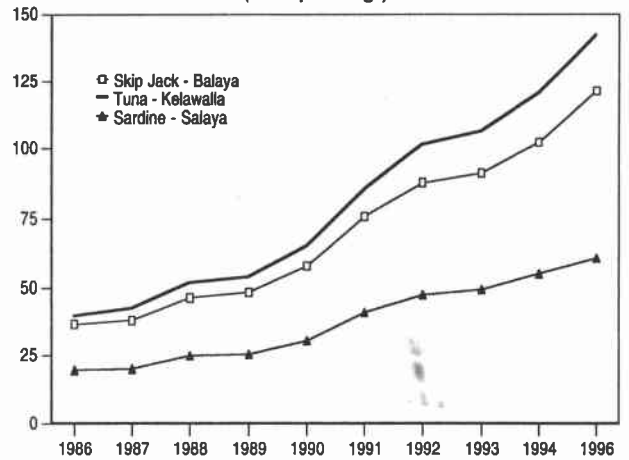


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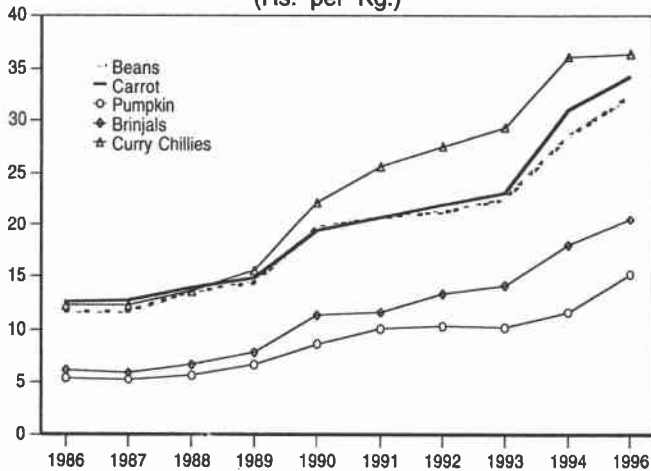
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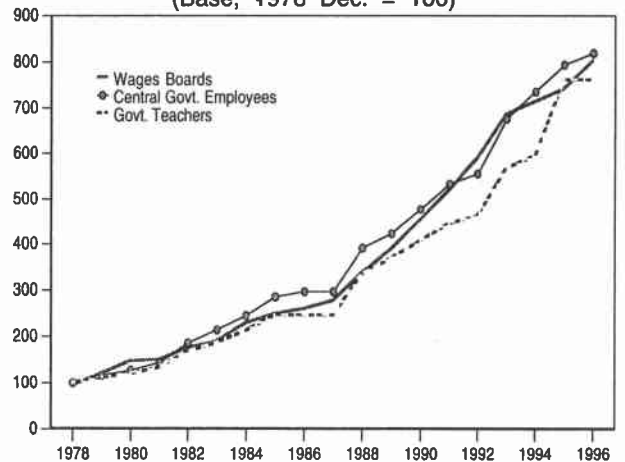
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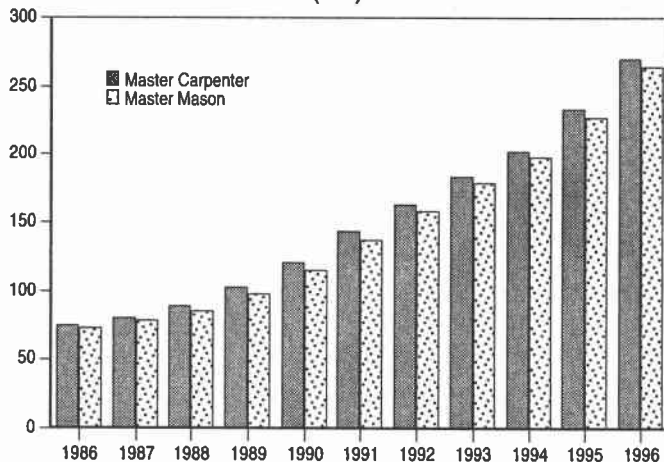
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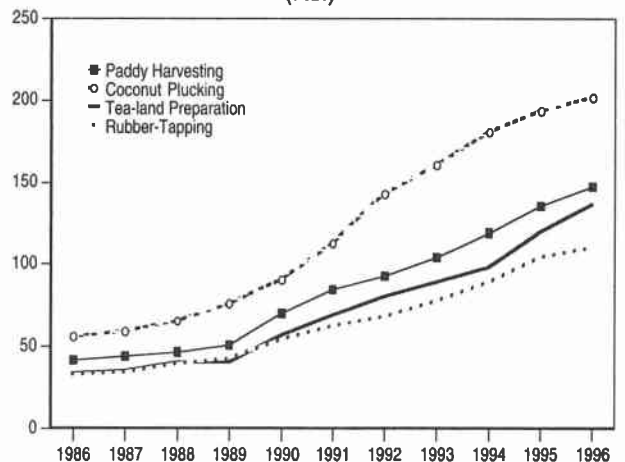
Wage Indices
(Base, 1978 Dec. = 100)



Daily Wages – Carpenter and Mason
(Rs.)



Daily Wages in Plantations
(Rs.)



CONSUMER PRICE INDICES 1987 - 1997

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
Colombo Consumers' Price Index (1952=100)											
All Items (Average)	652.8	744.1	830.2	1,008.6	1,131.5	1,260.4	1,408.4	1,527.4	1,644.6	1,906.7	2,089.1
Percentage Change	7.7	14.0	11.6	21.5	12.2	11.4	11.7	8.4	7.7	15.9	9.6
Commodity-wise Sub Indices											
Food	697.0	802.0	884.6	1,090.9	1,220.3	1,366.0	1,519.4	1,654.1	1,768.1	2,107.6	2,336.9
Clothing	400.9	419.8	490.0	610.2	678.4	723.6	782.7	795.7	803.9	821.8	844.0
Fuel and Light	1,358.7	1,535.1	1,718.9	1,934.2	2,252.2	2,334.3	2,730.0	3,131.6	3,322.4	3,591.6	3,752.8
Rent	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8	109.8
Miscellaneous	650.7	742.6	860.2	1,021.0	1,146.0	1,318.7	1,490.4	1,578.7	1,800.6	1,944.7	2,157.8
Greater Colombo Consumers' Price Index (Jan.-June 1989=100)											
All Items (Average)				124.6	138.9	152.0	164.8	172.6	179.3	205.5	220.1
Percentage Change				24.6	11.5	9.4	8.4	4.8	3.9	14.6	7.1
Commodity-wise Sub Indices											
Food and Drinks				129.2	144.4	158.4	172.2	179.1	183.2	216.0	232.2
Liquor, Tobacco, Betel and Arecanuts				123.8	137.9	158.9	180.1	194.9	228.7	250.7	273.4
Housing				100.4	103.3	109.1	109.3	109.5	109.7	109.8	109.9
Fuel and Light				115.3	129.9	135.0	157.9	184.8	200.5	215.9	227.1
Clothing and Foot Wear				140.9	168.2	175.8	190.3	197.8	210.5	218.3	227.1
Personal Care, Health Services, Household Goods and Services				111.7	127.1	143.0	154.9	165.3	182.7	202.8	227.0
Transport and Telecommunications				116.6	145.8	161.7	163.5	164.3	167.6	181.8	195.0
Miscellaneous				118.5	128.1	130.6	134.3	149.3	162.9	173.8	179.2

Sources : Dept.of Census and Statistics
•Central Bank of Sri Lanka

WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX (1974=100) 1987 - 1997

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
All Items (Average)	414.9	488.7	532.9	651.1	710.8	773.0	831.8	873.4	950.7	1,145.1	1,224.3
Percentage Change	13.4	17.8	9.0	22.2	9.2	8.8	7.6	5.0	8.9	20.4	6.9
Commodity-wise Sub Indices											
Food	385.7	471.9	493.3	599.2	649.1	720.0	770.4	760.4	800.0	1,040.7	1,132.2
Alcoholic Drinks	441.0	502.9	573.0	668.9	776.4	886.6	956.2	969.2	1,095.4	1,176.0	1,361.3
Textile & Footwear	323.4	329.4	343.6	404.7	426.3	418.7	452.1	482.9	580.4	626.5	633.8
Paper Products	432.7	452.2	550.1	722.5	747.4	704.9	745.2	761.6	960.3	1,063.4	903.1
Chemicals & Chemical Products	227.3	259.4	291.9	423.8	495.4	531.0	542.2	550.4	637.0	660.9	717.4
Petroleum Products	685.1	685.1	762.3	938.4	1,105.1	1,135.7	1,240.8	1,295.0	1,314.8	1,374.9	1,528.2
Non Metallic Products	594.2	658.2	735.9	1,131.4	1,262.1	1,356.0	1,566.8	1,896.1	2,120.4	2,238.3	2,386.8
Metal Products	322.7	358.6	469.6	568.6	566.5	588.4	659.1	698.2	706.4	784.4	806.1
Transport Equipment	313.8	321.3	395.9	505.4	568.4	623.2	660.0	682.2	846.7	908.6	937.2
Electrical Appliances & Supplies	308.4	346.1	427.8	532.7	600.3	603.3	635.4	691.8	753.0	767.7	800.5
Machinery	235.5	264.4	285.7	375.1	409.7	440.4	492.7	547.0	583.9	604.3	596.1
Fuel & Light	723.2	754.3	1,002.9	1,233.7	1,289.4	1,290.5	1,307.5	1,739.3	2,131.6	2,410.1	2,694.8
Miscellaneous	649.0	827.1	1,051.2	1,167.5	1,214.8	1,323.2	1,480.0	2,050.5	2,481.0	2,729.5	2,582.5
Sector-wise Sub Indices											
Domestic	340.5	383.3	466.0	590.3	660.5	697.3	737.6	833.6	890.6	994.5	1,059.1
Import	362.5	403.4	458.7	578.8	614.3	634.4	671.6	702.0	773.0	862.8	933.5
Export	644.6	826.9	772.1	874.2	939.8	1,109.2	1,235.5	1,169.1	1,297.8	1,822.4	1,944.5
Consumer	406.5	489.6	519.5	631.3	688.5	760.7	814.3	818.8	871.6	1,093.1	1,190.4
Intermediate	449.9	495.3	588.4	714.1	781.1	807.4	874.5	1,029.1	1,187.2	1,309.2	1,324.0
Investment	396.7	439.3	503.6	700.4	769.3	824.9	938.3	1,094.8	1,205.6	1,273.1	1,343.5

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

COLOMBO CONSUMERS' PRICE INDEX 1952 - 1997

(Base : 1952 = 100)

Year	All Items	Change, %	Food	Clothing	Fuel & light	Rent	Miscellaneous
1952	100.0	—	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1953	101.6	1.6	106.0	82.8	99.8	101.3	97.2
1954	101.1	-0.5	106.1	79.5	103.4	101.5	94.5
1955	100.5	-0.6	105.1	80.5	102.3	101.5	94.6
1956	100.2	-0.3	103.3	81.8	101.3	101.5	98.6
1957	102.8	2.6	104.9	84.4	97.3	101.5	106.9
1958	105.0	2.1	105.8	87.5	101.0	101.5	113.1
1959	105.2	0.2	104.7	92.1	102.4	101.5	115.3
1960	103.5	-1.6	100.8	95.1	102.7	101.5	117.5
1961	104.8	1.3	99.8	103.9	104.4	101.5	122.8
1962	106.3	1.4	100.9	108.2	105.6	101.5	124.9
1963	108.8	2.4	103.0	118.2	103.0	101.5	126.6
1964	112.2	3.1	106.4	127.2	103.2	101.5	129.3
1965	112.5	0.3	107.3	126.7	100.7	101.5	128.3
1966	112.3	-0.2	109.1	117.3	95.7	101.5	127.3
1967	114.8	2.2	112.7	116.7	96.4	101.5	128.9
1968	121.5	5.8	121.2	120.1	103.2	101.5	133.6
1969	130.5	7.4	127.9	130.8	124.9	108.4	147.1
1970	138.2	5.9	136.6	137.3	136.1	109.8	153.2
1971	141.9	2.7	139.1	145.0	140.8	109.8	169.5
1972	150.9	6.3	147.5	163.5	145.9	109.8	169.5
1973	165.4	9.6	166.2	186.1	164.4	109.8	169.8
1974	185.8	12.3	189.7	204.6	220.9	109.8	178.3
1975	198.3	6.7	204.3	208.2	238.0	109.8	191.9
1976	200.7	1.2	202.1	211.7	265.2	109.8	203.8
1977	203.2	1.2	203.3	223.8	257.5	109.8	208.4
1978	227.8	12.1	237.5	226.2	262.1	109.8	224.8
1979	252.3	10.8	263.3	231.2	327.5	109.8	252.4
1980	318.2	26.1	339.7	239.9	563.9	109.8	293.8
1981	375.4	18.0	399.6	257.8	767.9	109.8	345.7
1982	416.1	10.8	450.4	273.8	816.4	109.8	377.1
1983	474.2	14.0	506.3	291.1	1,087.6	109.8	433.7
1984	553.1	16.6	598.0	308.5	1,282.7	109.8	496.9
1985	561.2	1.5	598.4	324.2	1,332.1	109.8	524.4
1986	606.0	8.0	641.4	374.5	1,347.6	109.8	599.7
1987	652.8	7.7	697.0	400.9	1,358.7	109.8	650.7
1988	744.1	14.0	802.0	419.8	1,535.1	109.8	742.6
1989	830.2	11.6	884.6	490.0	1,718.9	109.8	860.1
1990	1,008.6	21.5	1,090.0	610.2	1,934.2	109.8	1,021.0
1991	1,131.5	12.2	1,220.3	678.4	2,252.2	109.8	1,146.0
1992	1,260.4	11.4	1,366.0	723.6	2,334.3	109.8	1,318.7
1993	1,408.4	11.7	1,519.4	782.7	2,730.0	109.8	1,490.4
1994	1,527.4	8.4	1,654.1	795.7	3,131.6	109.8	1,578.7
1995	1,644.6	7.7	1,768.1	803.9	3,322.4	109.8	1,800.6
1996	1,906.7	15.9	2,107.6	821.8	3,591.6	109.8	1,994.7
1997	2,089.1	9.6	2,336.9	844.0	3,752.8	109.8	2,157.8

Source : Department of Census & Statistics

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED CONSUMER ITEMS 1986 - 1996

Rupees

Commodity	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1996(a)
Rice, kg.										
Samba (Highest)	10.64	11.62	12.43	15.08	19.79	20.21	21.39	22.62	22.51	27.07
Par Boiled	7.65	7.95	8.46	11.85	14.68	14.89	15.82	15.99	15.75	21.26
Kekulu	7.96	8.25	8.68	11.92	14.78	15.11	16.72	16.68	16.24	22.01
Up Country Vegetables, kg.										
Beans	11.63	11.68	13.46	14.30	19.49	20.59	21.07	22.44	28.53	32.25
Carrot	12.55	12.67	13.91	14.82	19.30	20.58	21.93	23.05	30.93	34.17
Beet Root	10.97	10.76	11.90	12.20	17.04	19.88	20.46	22.56	29.13	33.02
Low Country Vegetables, kg.										
Pumpkin (Red)	5.45	5.27	5.72	6.78	8.62	10.08	10.41	10.26	11.66	15.13
Brinjals	6.18	5.93	6.74	7.86	11.38	11.61	13.39	14.15	18.04	20.39
Curry Chillies	12.27	12.34	13.56	15.50	22.17	25.66	27.63	29.42	36.11	36.32
Limes	20.50	23.58	23.71	22.72	32.48	42.08	57.80	39.60	58.70	5.99
Yams, kg.										
Potatoes	17.55	16.54	21.35	22.33	29.52	45.00	41.63	42.53	51.54	43.89
Manioc	3.10	3.36	3.78	4.14	5.32	6.11	6.78	7.08	7.92	10.48
Sweet Potatoes	5.51	6.07	6.71	7.54	9.34	11.36	12.18	12.56	14.27	15.59
Meat and Eggs, kg.										
Beef (without bones)	26.26	29.50	33.73	40.27	50.20	67.19	71.36	74.42	77.95	89.54
Mutton (with bones)	51.20	58.15	66.04	75.31	91.84	108.07	115.52	116.85	123.61	151.29
Pork	36.04	37.23	40.10	46.76	61.52	66.77	66.22	70.22	74.01	87.36
Chicken (Ordinary)	46.98	47.10	52.43	60.04	74.40	79.31	83.76	86.74	88.75	103.73
Eggs (Farm)	1.67	1.47	1.70	2.32	2.46	2.51	2.61	2.67	2.87	3.53
Sea Fish, kg.										
Seer - Thora	61.87	66.66	79.30	83.53	100.50	130.37	151.97	155.49	180.62	218.03
Trevally - Parawa	46.51	49.97	59.02	62.02	77.02	101.69	119.47	119.62	136.78	161.2
Skip Jack - Balaya	36.78	38.14	46.45	48.19	58.21	75.89	88.07	91.37	102.70	121.41
Tuna - Kelawalla	39.77	42.57	51.97	53.77	65.24	85.58	101.74	106.42	120.33	142.07
Shark - Mora	33.39	35.00	42.18	43.79	52.38	66.10	76.68	81.38	92.69	110.38
Sardine - Salaya	19.66	20.22	25.14	25.60	30.58	41.09	47.41	49.43	55.03	60.79
Dried Fish, kg.										
Seer - Thora	69.80	71.34	80.64	89.93	116.58	146.87	166.58	170.55	186.69	220.25
Shark - Mora	47.29	48.18	56.28	58.50	74.09	89.78	96.55	103.31	115.76	139.31
Skip Jack - Balaya	46.49	45.43	53.47	53.92	65.84	79.59	86.69	92.32	102.05	122.28
Queen Fish - Kattawa	59.36	60.85	70.11	74.85	104.81	130.25	144.02	149.36	161.14	202.82
Sprats	46.98	52.49	56.01	57.85	65.90	70.35	78.48	84.26	101.95	121.22
Pulses, kg.										
Green Grams	21.47	16.59	20.17	30.55	26.79	28.14	31.65	31.22	34.00	45.47
Dhal - Mysore	33.30	32.46	32.74	33.09	50.89	54.62	57.42	56.77	35.34	44.29
Dhal - Kadala	-	-	-	-	54.12	50.87	48.37	45.26	39.43	n.a.
Curry Stuff, kg.										
Dried Chillies	41.80	46.97	67.59	77.72	89.22	125.32	125.62	117.00	109.35	136.41
Pepper	137.68	156.60	133.00	122.51	109.31	89.98	69.44	68.22	91.25	142.88
Tamarind	18.90	15.63	15.82	17.70	21.24	22.63	24.06	24.30	25.55	37.36
Coriander	20.50	25.00	29.96	32.24	34.46	38.37	46.03	48.88	48.03	74.74
Turmeric (Dried)	63.93	56.38	54.50	63.80	71.90	75.90	81.30	88.50	87.00	89.5
Garlic	34.23	38.62	42.00	53.70	59.00	77.40	72.80	73.90	65.50	93.5
Spices, kg.										
Red Onions	17.74	13.52	17.91	14.81	36.60	43.89	29.79	36.25	50.50	51.99
Cummin Seeds	43.54	66.64	63.20	68.80	69.60	94.70	126.80	156.70	149.60	147.77
Fennel Seeds	29.80	30.07	30.60	39.10	46.40	60.60	66.40	73.10	74.80	9.33
Mathe Seeds	24.65	25.29	33.40	42.40	46.60	52.50	51.50	53.30	56.10	6.64
Cinnamon Quills	53.01	55.78	78.27	117.01	153.02	175.08	188.80	196.00	194.80	223.7
Coconut										
Coconut (Medium), each	1.52	2.68	4.27	3.20	3.18	4.28	5.58	6.81	5.37	8.16
Coconut Oil, 750 ml	8.04	14.17	26.60	18.70	16.80	25.37	33.26	36.77	32.14	48.75
Fruits, each										
Pineapple (Mursi), 2 kg.	9.93(b)	11.95	12.51	13.29	16.48	18.22	21.59	22.24	23.72	26.38
King Coconut	3.18	3.44	3.83	3.84	4.50	5.09	-	-	-	-
Banana - Kolikuttu	1.29	1.53	1.76	1.94	2.43	2.83	3.23	3.55	3.68	4.30
Banana - Ambul	0.49	0.60	0.69	0.92	1.01	1.26	1.45	1.67	1.76	2.03
Milk Foods and Beverages, kg.										
Fresh Milk (Dairy), 750 ml	4.71	5.01	5.46	6.15	7.59	8.36	9.19	9.76	10.75	12.74
Tea (BOP)	65.04	67.22	70.50	78.47	100.98	106.17	100.07	102.78	103.75	124.22
Coffee Powder	147.30	158.00	158.80	164.40	165.60	169.50	169.50	165.90	170.40	309.4
Tobacco & Tobacco Products, each										
Chewing Tobacco - Jaffna	5.92	5.08	5.18	5.32	8.61	13.34	16.09	16.77	16.61	23.7
Cigarettes - Four Aces	0.79	0.92	1.11	1.41	1.70	1.96	-	-	-	-
Three Roses	0.89	1.00	1.20	1.47	1.77	2.00	2.32	2.50	2.64	n.a.
Bristol	0.90	1.00	1.20	1.50	1.77	2.00	2.34	2.51	2.68	n.a.
Clothing										
Poplin - Local, 1 metre	18.54	19.35	20.45	26.32	42.11	47.81	43.49	45.33	45.62	53.94
Sarongs, each	72.36	77.60	82.26	96.00	122.96	138.83	139.29	146.93	152.23	172.42
Sarees, each	-	-	293.71	353.06	473.10	493.30	470.50	481.38	497.56	475.53
Soap, tablet										
Sunlight	2.91	3.16	4.31	4.66	4.89	5.81	6.89	7.01	7.02	n.a.
Snow White	2.89	2.91	4.06	4.48	4.62	5.23	-	-	-	n.a.
Sovereign Bar, Bar	14.97	14.43	20.56	24.25	25.13	26.50	35.40	36.68	37.01	n.a.
Rexona	3.95	3.97	4.44	4.61	4.88	6.18	7.34	9.13	9.49	n.a.
Fuel & Light										
Kerosene, 1 litre	7.27	7.31	7.16	7.18	7.65	9.42	9.73	11.08	12.01	10.93
Fire Wood, 50 kg.	29.36	31.15	34.17	39.65	48.61	56.04	58.51	63.93	77.79	105.22
Safety Matches, box	0.50	0.50	0.55	0.72	0.90	0.99	1.00	1.15	1.24	1.62

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AVERAGE PRODUCER PRICES OF SELECTED ITEMS 1986 - 1996

										Rupees
Commodity	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1996(a)
Paddy, kg.	4.20	4.49	4.72	6.34	8.00	8.44	9.04	9.26	8.50	11.47
Up-Country Vegetables, kg.										
Beans	6.45	7.08	7.76	8.47	11.56	12.14	12.46	12.97	17.01	17.46
Carrot	6.95	7.29	7.70	8.33	10.45	10.71	12.69	12.96	17.49	16.85
Beet Root	6.49	6.38	6.68	7.33	9.94	11.66	12.64	13.58	18.39	15.87
Low-Country Vegetables, kg.										
Pumpkin (Red)	3.19	2.78	3.04	3.77	5.06	5.59	5.59	5.56	6.31	7.29
Brinjals	4.24	-	-	-	-	-	7.92	8.45	10.62	10.75
Curry Chillies	7.78	8.13	8.68	10.14	14.93	18.14	18.70	19.62	26.97	25.95
Limes	12.47	13.69	13.91	13.61	18.66	27.20	28.97	20.64	28.84	24.84
Yams, kg.										
Potatoes	13.40	12.63	16.19	16.14	21.96	32.19	31.36	30.67	38.55	30.83
Manioc	1.86	2.00	2.29	2.41	3.18	3.62	4.12	4.43	4.88	6.04
Sweet Potatoes	3.59	3.86	4.29	4.88	5.92	7.55	7.60	8.06	9.21	8.91
Eggs, each										
Eggs (Ordinary)	1.43	1.36	1.52	1.80	2.11	2.10	2.21	2.25	2.44	2.96
Sea Fish, kg.										
Seer - Thora	35.91	36.13	43.60	46.34	60.50	78.49	100.58	94.44	111.28	167.44
Trevally - Parawa	28.11	28.47	32.14	36.80	47.27	60.20	76.01	67.27	77.46	126.30
Skip Jack - Balaya	19.74	20.63	26.15	27.04	34.89	44.96	54.26	56.92	65.55	76.04
Tuna - Kelawalla	22.92	23.49	29.94	30.13	38.93	51.50	63.93	65.92	77.73	89.64
Shark - Mora	18.35	20.13	25.34	27.34	32.81	39.45	46.94	47.03	56.35	69.12
Sardine - Salaya	11.74	12.43	14.75	16.06	22.76	27.64	31.39	28.99	35.36	37.54
Dried Fish, kg.										
Seer - Thora	44.14	44.17	44.23	53.09	66.19	76.40	133.13	103.75	96.88	170.00
Shark - Mora	33.77	38.55	43.74	45.27	52.06	65.52	73.18	55.00	70.00	119.17
Skip Jack - Balaya	30.66	28.81	39.94	38.76	47.96	54.47	68.50	56.92	64.29	104.33
Queen Fish - Kattawa	38.79	40.09	38.84	45.77	61.48	71.33	97.82	103.41	104.32	146.83
Sprats	39.12	40.02	40.47	38.59	52.27	50.81	66.28	47.50	66.88	97.62
Pulses, kg.										
Green Grams	14.99	11.99	14.00	22.34	21.27	20.37	23.15	23.61	24.06	31.76
Cowpea MI 35 (White)	11.46	9.27	10.15	15.38	17.04	13.23	15.78	16.97	16.98	22.71
Sorghum	4.00	8.00	5.00	-	11.80	8.63	12.50	28.00	7.00	8.00
Curry Stuff, kg.										
Dried Chillies	31.82	35.54	38.34	47.90	67.69	98.32	102.14	93.28	86.48	100.49
Pepper	102.23	112.08	83.72	85.21	66.86	52.40	37.74	42.12	72.90	103.28
Turmeric (Dried)	41.11	36.64	38.73	39.25	41.55	48.96	53.15	53.24	57.92	55.28
Spices, kg.										
Red Onions	11.88	8.87	11.83	9.37	22.72	28.50	19.12	22.65	34.46	28.49
Cloves	157.31	94.22	117.56	102.98	93.43	97.51	76.52	46.42	49.28	55.37
Cardamoms	197.29	130.31	126.16	126.88	165.26	155.68	204.72	338.92	295.05	100.97
Cinnamon Quills	37.42	42.92	66.15	99.15	139.87	142.10	149.50	139.35	147.69	149.93
Coconut										
Coconut, Estate - each	0.92	1.90	3.14	2.17	2.12	2.97	4.23	4.86	3.83	6.04
Copra No. 1, 250 kg.	1,049.76	2,221.78	3,908.67	2,542.53	2,396.84	3,740.77	5,359.14	5,911.73	4,711.30	6,682.10
Coconut Charcoal, 50 kg.	127.37	161.79	206.23	233.76	238.07	253.90	320.77	353.41	384.99	365.76
Fruits, 50 kg.										
Pineapple - (Murusi)	145.52	198.09	236.01	257.98	270.24	318.88	380.63	413.88	527.50	448.35
Banana - (Kolikuttu)	355.45	383.94	422.01	439.42	529.10	606.42	800.67	964.42	977.03	1,005.09
Banana - (Ambul)	158.23	216.03	237.63	269.77	318.05	374.47	468.99	537.54	555.93	617.43
Betel and Arecanut, 1,000										
Betel	45.07	49.53	47.12	69.75	72.62	78.77	123.05	90.06	127.85	149.41
Arecanut (Seasoned)	73.69	78.31	128.71	119.93	123.41	158.73	251.52	730.26	310.36	282.08
Jaggery and Honey										
Coconut (Jaggery), kg.	16.21	15.52	16.82	22.96	29.17	30.05	40.52	46.15	48.55	n.a.
Sugar Cane (Jaggery), kg.	8.96	13.83	12.77	15.78	18.19	16.51	17.76	24.76	22.90	32.13
Coconut (Honey), 750 ml.	15.10	17.72	18.47	24.11	25.65	29.88	32.68	34.14	36.38	53.70
Sugar Cane (Honey) 750 ml.	9.52	13.03	13.97	16.64	20.47	26.63	14.12	13.79	13.17	n.a.
Building Materials										
Bricks, 1,000	457.49	451.82	501.66	560.17	681.83	796.98	884.01	1,013.35	1,237.41	1,380.05
Sand, cube	92.04	94.71	109.26	129.74	156.62	209.83	218.46	255.27	312.52	430.90
Metal 3/4", cube	673.42	717.91	802.16	932.89	1,122.98	1,400.39	1,522.24	1,647.57	1,803.66	2,108.12
Others, kg.										
Coffee seeds	58.80	41.56	41.50	40.97	29.28	27.13	26.71	30.83	67.27	68.80
Cocoa	40.73	37.43	34.55	30.78	27.84	33.31	43.19	35.80	39.03	56.81
Tea Leaves	3.49	4.62	5.35	6.38	9.26	8.24	8.12	9.67	8.63	14.17

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RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED FOOD ITEMS 1995

Rs. per kg.

Iem	City	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Samba Rice	Colombo	—	—	—	—	22.33	22.13	22.00	21.20	21.20	22.63	25.93	25.39
	Kandy	24.35	23.50	22.88	21.00	21.40	21.38	21.25	21.88	20.75	22.00	24.25	25.38
	Matara	25.00	24.00	23.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.00	22.25	25.40	26.00
	Anuradhapura	24.00	23.00	22.00	21.00	20.00	20.00	20.25	20.00	19.00	20.35	24.50	24.50
Kekulu Rice	Colombo	—	—	—	—	17.67	17.88	17.00	17.30	17.00	17.88	20.37	20.20
	Kandy	18.01	17.38	15.75	15.00	15.35	16.00	16.38	16.38	16.63	16.25	17.25	18.13
	Matara	17.00	16.81	15.00	14.50	14.70	15.00	15.00	14.65	14.37	14.87	17.55	17.87
	Anuradhapura	16.50	18.40	15.00	15.00	15.50	17.00	17.50	17.00	17.50	17.50	20.00	21.00
Beans	Colombo	—	—	—	—	51.33	46.00	43.00	31.20	30.40	32.00	35.65	25.13
	Kandy	28.40	24.50	19.50	20.25	40.40	36.50	30.25	21.50	21.00	25.00	26.50	21.00
	Matara	37.00	28.00	16.00	25.00	43.20	42.00	31.00	25.60	24.00	23.00	32.00	19.50
	Anuradhapura	32.00	27.60	19.00	25.00	41.00	40.00	37.00	28.50	27.50	28.50	32.50	18.00
Cabbages	Colombo	—	—	—	—	37.33	40.00	40.00	31.60	28.40	31.00	31.57	24.53
	Kandy	18.80	15.25	15.25	15.50	20.60	28.25	27.75	20.00	15.50	16.25	22.50	18.00
	Matara	21.00	18.00	16.00	19.00	28.80	31.00	35.00	23.20	20.00	19.00	20.80	16.00
	Anuradhapura	25.00	20.00	18.00	20.00	25.00	36.00	35.50	27.00	19.50	20.00	25.50	20.00
Brinjals	Colombo	—	—	—	—	30.67	34.50	38.50	26.40	29.20	30.00	33.15	30.00
	Kandy	9.20	9.00	9.00	14.50	16.80	20.50	20.00	21.50	18.25	21.00	22.50	18.50
	Matara	10.00	12.00	10.00	21.00	22.80	23.00	24.00	22.40	22.00	20.50	22.40	18.00
	Anuradhapura	8.00	8.00	10.00	10.00	15.50	23.00	18.00	19.00	20.00	18.00	21.00	12.00
Pumpkins	Colombo	—	—	—	—	16.00	15.50	20.00	18.00	17.60	17.00	18.42	13.47
	Kandy	10.40	9.50	9.00	10.00	13.20	11.50	14.50	14.25	12.50	12.50	12.50	11.00
	Matara	10.00	10.00	10.00	12.00	11.20	12.50	18.00	15.60	12.50	14.00	11.60	10.00
	Anuradhapura	10.00	10.00	11.00	10.00	12.00	16.00	21.00	18.00	14.50	13.00	16.00	11.00
Red Onions	Colombo	—	—	—	—	57.33	52.00	34.25	25.20	23.20	31.50	46.75	49.85
	Kandy	54.60	33.50	27.25	38.00	57.20	58.00	39.00	25.00	22.00	28.25	47.25	58.75
	Matara	69.50	35.00	29.60	42.25	59.50	57.50	36.50	24.40	21.50	29.25	44.80	53.00
	Anuradhapura	60.00	32.00	28.00	38.50	48.00	52.00	37.00	24.00	21.00	23.00	47.00	49.00
Big Onions	Colombo	—	—	—	—	22.67	24.50	27.75	27.60	23.60	32.00	39.75	39.08
	Kandy	45.80	22.00	20.50	18.75	25.80	24.75	29.00	25.00	22.50	26.00	37.00	46.75
	Matara	41.00	24.00	18.20	19.50	24.80	24.00	28.50	26.80	19.25	23.00	39.20	42.50
	Anuradhapura	45.00	26.40	21.00	25.00	40.00	27.00	33.75	37.20	21.00	27.75	39.75	49.00
Potatoes	Colombo	—	—	—	—	46.67	55.50	66.00	63.60	53.00	51.33	57.71	44.90
	Kandy	38.80	31.00	29.50	33.50	45.40	55.00	66.00	55.50	43.25	45.00	57.25	49.50
	Matara	41.00	38.75	30.00	36.50	47.20	59.50	69.50	64.50	46.50	44.00	54.00	41.33
	Anuradhapura	43.00	35.00	32.00	38.25	46.00	55.00	69.00	66.00	47.00	47.50	55.50	50.00
Dried Chillies	Colombo	—	—	—	—	100.00	111.25	138.75	145.00	121.00	121.25	132.50	133.39
	Kandy	128.00	127.50	115.00	105.00	104.00	110.00	137.50	145.00	125.00	118.75	131.25	147.50
	Matara	130.00	123.75	118.00	100.00	100.00	117.50	145.00	146.00	122.50	122.50	134.00	142.50
	Anuradhapura	130.00	110.00	100.00	105.00	100.00	105.00	130.00	146.00	130.00	122.50	140.00	140.00
Kelawalla	Colombo	—	—	—	—	136.67	145.00	135.00	142.50	146.00	135.00	141.50	149.50
	Kandy	130.00	135.00	118.75	127.50	144.00	136.25	155.00	140.00	135.00	137.50	147.50	140.00
	Matara	145.00	137.50	124.00	130.00	138.00	132.50	122.50	128.00	130.00	110.00	126.00	133.33
	Anuradhapura	140.00	140.00	130.00	120.00	150.00	135.00	150.00	138.00	125.00	105.00	142.50	110.00
Hurulla	Colombo	—	—	—	—	80.00	90.00	77.50	76.00	64.00	62.50	71.00	58.02
	Kandy	67.00	86.25	76.25	82.50	50.00	115.00	95.00	80.00	72.50	72.50	86.25	87.50
	Matara	56.66	58.33	52.50	61.66	60.00	90.00	70.00	64.00	65.00	50.00	61.00	75.00
	Anuradhapura	80.00	80.00	70.00	75.00	90.00	60.00	90.00	72.00	72.00	65.00	60.00	60.00
Eggs (each)	Colombo	—	—	—	—	2.87	3.00	3.00	2.70	2.81	2.58	2.26	2.46
	Kandy	2.88	2.99	3.15	3.24	2.86	3.00	3.00	2.98	2.80	2.78	2.63	2.74
	Matara	3.50	3.06	3.33	3.63	3.20	3.00	3.19	3.05	3.13	3.13	3.05	2.94
	Anuradhapura	3.25	3.25	3.50	3.75	3.30	3.15	3.20	3.10	2.95	3.00	2.55	3.05
Coconut (each)	Colombo	—	—	—	—	6.83	6.50	6.50	6.00	6.30	6.63	6.92	7.50
	Kandy	6.80	6.00	6.38	6.19	6.10	6.00	5.25	6.00	6.13	6.25	6.63	7.63
	Matara	4.50	4.75	5.60	5.88	5.60	6.00	6.00	5.40	6.13	6.25	6.90	7.25
	Anuradhapura	5.75	6.25	5.75	6.00	5.60	5.00	4.75	4.60	5.25	5.75	7.25	6.50

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Samba Rice	Colombo	24.65	25.55	25.50	25.00	25.38	25.88	26.00	27.25	30.00	30.00	32.50	32.75
	Kandy	25.13	25.63	24.25	25.00	24.25	25.50	25.50	25.80	29.25	29.00	31.63	32.63
	Matara	25.60	26.00	26.00	25.50	24.80	25.50	26.00	26.50	29.00	29.80	31.75	33.00
	Anuradhapura	23.00	22.50	22.50	22.50	23.00	24.50	25.00	24.50	27.25	27.10	29.50	31.00
Kekulu Rice	Colombo	19.69	20.42	20.50	20.50	21.00	22.25	23.50	27.00	27.00	26.90	28.25	28.75
	Kandy	18.00	18.88	18.25	18.88	19.25	21.00	22.63	23.80	26.25	25.50	26.00	27.13
	Matara	17.25	17.87	18.00	18.12	18.00	20.12	20.90	24.25	24.00	23.20	24.00	25.75
	Anuradhapura	20.25	17.50	17.50	17.50	21.00	23.00	23.50	25.50	27.00	25.40	28.00	29.00
Beans	Colombo	26.11	24.78	27.00	41.00	39.75	49.00	46.00	34.00	36.00	36.60	28.25	42.00
	Kandy	15.25	19.00	21.00	28.25	39.25	48.50	40.00	23.20	20.50	24.50	25.00	21.00
	Matara	20.00	20.00	12.56	32.00	36.40	44.00	41.60	27.00	27.00	27.00	21.50	32.00
	Anuradhapura	15.80	18.00	20.00	30.00	38.50	46.50	45.00	27.50	26.00	27.25	23.00	32.00
Cabbages	Colombo	18.80	16.90	17.00	17.00	36.75	40.00	35.00	31.25	27.00	28.80	29.00	25.00
	Kandy	9.25	7.25	9.50	15.00	27.00	34.00	29.50	20.00	16.75	17.50	22.00	18.75
	Matara	10.00	10.00	13.75	23.50	30.80	40.00	36.80	25.00	24.00	21.40	21.00	19.50
	Anuradhapura	12.40	22.00	20.00	22.00	32.00	33.00	30.50	27.00	20.00	21.00	24.00	20.00
Brinjals	Colombo	26.08	21.90	21.00	25.00	34.00	40.75	35.00	38.75	34.75	29.60	33.50	34.00
	Kandy	12.00	12.75	10.50	13.00	20.50	23.25	23.00	18.40	18.75	19.25	21.00	17.50
	Matara	12.80	11.50	13.50	19.00	18.80	25.00	16.00	17.00	18.50	18.40	20.00	21.00
	Anuradhapura	13.60	8.00	6.00	12.00	16.50	29.00	21.50	20.00	20.00	20.50	23.50	24.50
Pumpkins	Colombo	11.03	11.05	12.00	14.00	16.00	22.00	31.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
	Kandy	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.25	13.50	15.00	20.00	15.20	15.25	14.00	17.50	13.00
	Matara	10.40	12.00	14.00	17.50	18.40	20.00	23.50	18.00	17.00	18.80	12.50	11.25
	Anuradhapura	12.00	10.00	10.00	12.00	14.50	19.00	24.00	20.00	15.00	14.50	18.00	17.00
Red Onions	Colombo	32.07	24.13	26.50	33.00	71.50	77.50	55.50	56.50	52.50	50.40	48.00	46.00
	Kandy	38.75	25.00	28.00	29.00	63.00	90.00	65.00	59.25	62.50	58.50	52.50	54.00
	Matara	30.40	24.50	31.00	45.50	75.60	83.75	57.20	55.00	56.00	50.80	48.50	45.00
	Anuradhapura	36.00	40.00	26.00	26.00	67.50	83.00	61.25	49.00	52.50	56.00	59.00	52.50
Big Onions	Colombo	31.21	20.97	23.00	21.00	27.00	25.00	32.00	26.75	26.50	26.80	31.50	31.00
	Kandy	32.25	25.50	25.50	21.50	34.50	27.00	36.25	29.20	24.50	25.50	35.50	34.50
	Matara	28.40	21.00	23.50	26.00	27.50	26.50	32.80	28.00	26.25	27.60	31.75	30.80
	Anuradhapura	32.40	30.00	18.00	22.00	35.50	30.00	39.25	31.00	24.25	29.00	32.50	31.50
Potatoes	Colombo	33.05	29.92	31.00	35.00	42.00	48.50	55.25	43.75	35.00	40.40	37.00	31.50
	Kandy	34.50	34.75	34.00	36.25	55.75	52.00	56.25	52.80	40.00	44.50	39.50	36.50
	Matara	31.20	33.50	35.00	40.50	42.50	50.50	58.80	46.75	48.00	42.00	40.50	36.75
	Anuradhapura	38.50	45.00	30.00	45.00	42.50	51.50	60.00	51.00	42.50	44.00	41.00	38.50
Dried Chillies	Colombo	163.37	136.33	122.50	123.75	126.25	147.50	142.50	145.00	133.75	128.00	136.25	122.50
	Kandy	172.50	150.00	127.50	127.50	115.00	140.00	145.00	146.00	137.50	128.75	140.00	140.00
	Matara	168.00	137.50	130.00	122.50	122.00	150.00	150.00	148.75	136.25	182.00	130.00	120.00
	Anuradhapura	167.50	100.00	100.00	95.00	115.00	127.50	130.00	142.50	127.50	112.00	110.00	121.25
Kelawalla	Colombo	139.43	144.21	101.25	115.00	115.00	130.00	134.00	110.00	90.00	118.00	117.50	125.00
	Kandy	150.00	147.50	135.00	137.50	152.50	155.00	160.00	156.00	155.00	160.00	157.50	165.00
	Matara	142.00	140.00	135.00	175.00	138.00	175.00	140.00	152.50	137.50	157.50	145.00	160.00
	Anuradhapura	160.00	165.00	110.00	120.00	150.00	165.00	150.00	152.50	145.00	150.00	134.00	175.00
Hurulla	Colombo	63.17	77.50	75.00	86.25	93.75	97.50	78.75	62.50	62.50	57.00	60.00	65.00
	Kandy	91.25	100.00	87.50	95.00	105.00	110.00	105.00	98.00	97.50	90.00	80.00	85.00
	Matara	77.00	70.00	77.50	82.50	-	100.00	-	80.00	70.00	67.50	78.75	60.00
	Anuradhapura	85.00	90.00	70.00	80.00	85.00	90.00	90.00	80.00	85.00	90.00	75.00	95.00
Eggs (each)	Colombo	2.67	2.14	2.63	2.80	2.85	3.05	2.69	2.90	3.40	3.72	4.03	3.88
	Kandy	2.79	2.50	2.63	3.20	3.06	3.35	3.03	2.84	3.56	4.00	4.38	4.25
	Matara	3.00	2.94	2.75	3.13	3.05	3.19	3.10	3.06	3.56	3.15	4.00	4.06
	Anuradhapura	2.80	2.90	3.00	3.35	3.05	3.45	3.15	3.00	3.40	3.90	4.30	4.10
Coconut (each)	Colombo	-	-	10.00	10.25	10.00	10.50	10.00	10.63	12.00	12.40	12.25	13.50
	Kandy	8.25	8.63	9.50	9.13	8.88	9.00	8.50	8.20	9.75	11.00	11.00	13.50
	Matara	8.30	9.63	9.50	8.67	9.10	8.75	7.70	8.25	9.25	10.00	10.50	12.50
	Anuradhapura	7.75	9.00	9.00	8.50	8.00	7.75	7.60	8.25	9.75	11.25	12.00	12.00

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

NOMINAL WAGE RATE INDICES 1952 – 1996

1978 December = 100

Year	Workers in Wages Boards				Government Employees			
	Workers in Agriculture	Workers in Industry and Commerce	Workers in Services	Workers in Wages Board Trades	Non-Executive Officers	Minor Employees	All Central Government Employees	Government School Teachers
1952	20.8	26.1	—	21.4	42.7	32.4	36.3	49.1
1953	21.2	26.4	—	21.8	43.2	33.1	36.9	49.6
1954	21.5	26.3	—	22.0	43.3	33.2	37.0	49.7
1955	22.2	26.5	—	22.7	45.6	35.7	39.5	54.1
1956	22.3	26.9	—	22.8	46.4	36.6	40.3	55.6
1957	22.7	27.3	—	23.1	47.4	37.6	41.3	55.9
1958	23.0	30.3	—	23.8	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1959	23.0	33.7	—	24.1	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1960	23.0	33.6	—	24.0	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1961	23.1	33.6	—	24.1	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1962	23.3	33.8	—	24.4	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1963	23.6	34.2	—	24.7	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1964	24.2	34.7	—	25.3	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1965	24.2	34.7	—	25.3	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1966	24.2	34.5	—	25.3	52.2	42.2	46.0	57.6
1967	25.1	36.3	—	26.2	53.5	44.1	47.7	58.6
1968	29.0	42.3	—	30.2	59.7	52.8	55.4	63.6
1969	29.0	42.3	—	30.2	61.6	54.4	57.2	65.0
1970	29.3	43.4	—	30.6	67.0	59.2	62.2	69.2
1971	29.6	46.1	—	31.1	67.0	59.2	62.2	69.2
1972	31.0	47.5	—	33.6	67.1	59.4	62.4	69.2
1973	35.1	52.2	—	36.4	69.5	62.9	65.4	70.6
1974	43.9	62.0	—	45.5	77.4	71.4	73.7	78.0
1975	50.4	72.0	—	52.4	84.2	79.8	81.5	84.3
1976	51.5	73.9	—	53.6	88.2	84.9	86.2	89.1
1977	64.8	79.5	—	66.2	89.2	86.2	87.3	90.6
1978	94.2	98.8	—	94.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1979	123.1	111.3	113.9	119.6	115.6	118.7	117.2	112.3
1980	153.6	138.8	130.5	147.3	126.0	132.0	129.1	120.1
1981	153.9	151.0	146.4	152.2	140.9	151.1	146.1	133.1
1982	181.2	161.0	169.7	175.8	180.6	194.7	187.8	166.4
1983	198.7	163.1	177.8	188.8	204.6	226.2	215.7	188.1
1984	250.3	183.3	190.7	228.8	231.4	260.9	246.6	211.4
1985	273.5	203.9	190.7	247.9	264.4	303.2	284.3	247.3
1986	288.1	224.3	190.7	261.3	276.6	317.2	297.4	247.3
1987	302.3	256.3	196.6	277.7	276.6	317.2	297.4	247.3
1988	378.4	271.7	229.5	335.8	364.0	414.1	390.0	331.5
1989	435.9	334.9	245.9	388.1	396.0	444.6	421.8	367.8
1990	517.2	379.5	267.8	453.5	439.6	513.5	476.8	404.5
1991	577.7	459.6	336.5	518.8	488.2	582.3	534.6	444.8
1992	664.1	510.8	365.9	590.0	507.2	609.9	557.6	461.8
1993	803.7	528.7	365.9	685.8	622.1	728.3	675.5	567.1
1994	821.5	555.8	431.4	712.4	692.7	772.3	735.5	595.6
1995	830.9	651.6	456.7	740.3	749.4	828.1	792.5	760.5
1996	907.9	682.8	487.2	801.7	757.1	878.8	818.2	760.5
1997	971.8	710.8	487.2	849.1	842.9	966.7	906.5	778.5

Source : Labour Department
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

AVERAGE DAILY WAGE RATES IN AGRICULTURE AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION 1986 - 1996

Rupees

Activity	Type of Labour	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Paddy												
Ploughing with Ploughs	M	45.55	50.06	59.13	66.35	87.54	103.35	112.14	130.25	157.50	n.a.	173.00
Ploughing with Mammoities	M	39.87	42.50	46.42	57.03	71.46	85.07	95.77	115.15	119.96	135.19	n.a.
Sowing	M	42.55	46.57	50.50	55.15	75.33	90.99	103.41	114.68	125.00	n.a.	152.00
Transplanting	M	38.66	42.33	44.28	50.15	72.50	82.98	95.89	104.34	120.31	138.96	148.00
	F	30.50	32.99	35.08	39.90	55.71	66.14	73.55	81.88	91.29	105.97	115.00
Manuring	M	40.55	44.07	47.81	54.75	69.16	82.75	94.11	108.31	123.11	n.a.	147.00
Spraying	M	49.10	52.77	60.20	68.58	82.29	96.91	112.49	129.56	147.37	n.a.	174.00
Weeding	M	37.27	38.80	39.00	49.25	63.09	74.74	91.88	98.47	122.50	n.a.	141.00
	F	29.25	31.87	34.08	38.42	52.20	64.66	69.92	77.92	97.88	n.a.	115.00
Harvesting	M	41.55	43.68	46.08	50.53	70.29	84.82	92.50	104.16	118.60	135.34	147.00
	F	31.55	33.23	35.98	41.34	55.41	69.18	74.66	84.16	94.94	105.25	117.00
Threshing	M	43.48	46.04	49.86	59.85	79.17	100.30	99.73	113.43	127.22	n.a.	145.00
Winnowing	M	42.82	44.81	50.83	58.32	73.02	92.02	101.91	115.52	121.25	n.a.	145.00
	F	30.82	32.98	37.21	44.01	54.20	63.26	69.79	79.55	71.00	n.a.	114.00
Coconut												
Digging Pits	M	42.30	46.12	51.28	59.79	72.37	92.07	105.46	125.47	143.26	160.19	176.57
Planting	M	37.88	42.40	45.30	55.09	68.58	80.68	95.81	109.49	143.75	n.a.	156.86
	F	27.92	31.00	33.45	38.33	55.84	57.84	66.85	75.53	92.50	n.a.	117.56
Manuring	M	38.02	42.10	47.53	55.49	69.07	84.36	100.07	115.48	142.50	n.a.	162.10
	F	29.57	31.77	35.05	39.74	50.93	58.35	67.06	78.52	105.00	n.a.	118.37
Plucking	M	55.66	58.98	64.77	75.73	90.08	112.73	142.72	160.11	180.48	193.54	202.00
Collecting Nuts	M	34.05	37.66	41.81	48.59	59.81	73.04	89.08	99.00	114.74	n.a.	133.17
	F	26.44	29.22	31.95	34.86	46.84	54.94	64.05	72.06	80.36	n.a.	101.81
Husking	M	52.51	56.48	64.71	72.29	87.50	107.43	127.95	142.84	167.89	n.a.	198.45
Tea												
Preparation of Land	M	33.76	34.90	39.56	39.96	55.81	68.08	79.93	89.13	97.79	119.26	136.00
Planting	M	34.07	35.61	39.55	42.47	60.41	72.51	83.55	94.94	94.17	n.a.	139.00
	F	25.98	27.30	30.98	33.95	48.96	53.65	62.50	69.74	72.00	n.a.	105.00
Manuring	M	33.40	34.98	38.73	41.46	57.20	70.57	81.38	92.40	96.00	n.a.	139.00
Weeding	M	31.79	32.69	37.69	40.74	53.93	66.50	77.57	87.80	94.58	n.a.	129.00
	F	25.10	26.97	30.70	34.03	44.78	52.37	61.14	68.14	70.00	n.a.	98.00
Pruning	M	43.66	50.38	53.43	57.69	74.10	89.33	103.14	116.42	122.78	n.a.	171.00
Plucking	M	30.36	31.69	33.62	38.18	52.31	61.42	71.67	81.12	89.00	n.a.	117.00
	F	26.11	26.38	—	—	44.27	52.97	61.43	71.00	75.53	91.52	93.00
Rubber												
Uprooting and Cleaning	M	38.69	41.78	47.50	53.34	67.15	84.21	97.96	111.23	121.88	n.a.	157.00
Planting	M	37.66	40.00	45.27	51.95	67.35	80.28	95.94	106.34	111.87	131.15	147.00
Planting of Creepers	M	34.72	36.97	41.87	45.20	63.01	75.57	94.44	102.99	109.00	n.a.	142.00
	F	25.69	29.27	32.96	35.69	49.92	60.45	69.38	71.16	78.75	n.a.	115.00
Pruning	M	37.59	39.69	43.34	48.37	65.58	78.48	94.03	101.35	107.50	n.a.	143.00
Manuring	M	38.75	40.36	46.12	53.11	68.03	80.56	94.95	103.18	111.67	n.a.	143.00
Spraying	M	40.95	41.85	42.36	47.21	76.24	84.56	103.42	116.31	108.33	n.a.	146.00
Tapping	M	32.27	34.46	38.91	42.39	53.87	61.78	67.83	77.55	88.87	104.28	110.00
	F	29.06	31.15	34.68	37.64	46.18	53.17	55.79	63.62	76.96	95.08	99.00
Building Construction												
Carpentry												
Master Carpenter	M	74.61	80.22	88.87	102.82	120.72	143.66	162.46	183.47	202.72	233.64	270.00
Skilled Helper	M	50.92	55.10	62.01	71.54	85.79	102.04	120.04	136.02	151.64	169.07	194.00
Unskilled Helper	M	37.87	40.61	45.29	53.03	64.86	77.42	89.62	104.74	115.89	132.21	151.00
Masonry												
Master Mason	M	72.30	77.97	84.99	97.29	115.00	137.62	157.92	178.84	198.02	226.97	264.00
Skilled Helper	M	49.60	53.76	59.95	69.35	82.87	101.91	117.47	133.20	147.94	167.77	189.00
Unskilled Helper	M	37.36	40.35	44.74	52.26	64.97	76.67	89.15	103.46	115.18	131.30	150.00

(a) Provisional M – Male F – Female

Note: These wage rates represent payment in cash without meals.

Sources : Country-Wide Data Collection System
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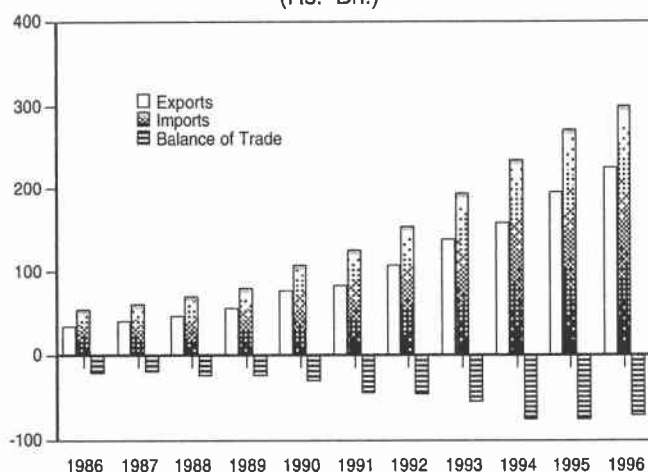
CONSTRUCTION COST INDICES 1990 - 1996
(1990 = 100)

Year	Quarter	Modern Housing	Semi Permanent Housing	All Housing	Non-Residential Building	All Civil Works	All Construction
1990	1st Quarter	93.7	92.6	93.6	94.4	95.8	94.6
	2nd Quarter	95.9	93.6	95.7	96.0	96.6	96.1
	3rd Quarter	103.2	104.4	103.4	102.5	101.6	102.5
	4th Quarter	107.2	109.4	107.3	107.1	106.0	106.8
1991	1st Quarter	106.5	111.9	106.8	107.9	112.6	109.2
	2nd Quarter	106.2	114.4	106.7	107.7	112.8	109.2
	3rd Quarter	108.3	114.0	108.7	108.2	114.5	110.8
	4th Quarter	109.9	116.2	110.3	109.4	116.4	112.4
1992	1st Quarter	112.7	120.3	113.2	112.0	117.8	114.7
	2nd Quarter	115.5	123.6	116.0	115.1	120.3	117.5
	3rd Quarter	119.8	124.8	120.1	118.7	122.4	120.7
	4th Quarter	121.3	128.3	121.7	119.1	122.4	121.4
1993	1st Quarter	123.4	130.1	123.9	121.1	123.8	123.3
	2nd Quarter	125.5	131.5	125.8	123.4	125.3	125.1
	3rd Quarter	128.4	134.7	128.8	127.0	129.7	128.8
	4th Quarter	132.0	137.7	132.3	129.7	133.6	132.3
1994	1st Quarter	135.5	141.2	135.9	132.4	134.8	134.8
	2nd Quarter	135.5	145.3	136.1	132.7	136.0	135.4
	3rd Quarter	139.4	148.1	140.0	136.0	139.8	139.1
	4th Quarter	140.8	152.0	141.5	136.1	140.1	139.9
1995	1st Quarter	143.5	155.7	144.2	139.2	144.7	143.4
	2nd Quarter	146.1	160.7	147.0	141.3	146.0	145.5
	3rd Quarter	151.8	164.8	152.6	146.8	150.0	150.4
	4th Quarter	149.3	170.0	150.6	144.6	149.6	149.0
1996	1st Quarter	151.2	173.3	152.6	146.2	150.6	150.6
	2nd Quarter	153.9	173.3	155.1	149.5	152.7	153.0
	3rd Quarter	156.5	181.8	157.9	152.2	152.8	154.8
	4th Quarter	156.8	189.2	158.8	152.7	153.1	155.4
1997	1st Quarter	158.8	192.8	160.9	154.1	153.7	156.8
	2nd Quarter	158.8	195.2	161.1	154.6	154.3	157.2
	3rd Quarter	160.6	200.7	163.1	156.3	156.5	159.2
	4th Quarter	167.3	206.3	169.7	160.7	158.2	163.5

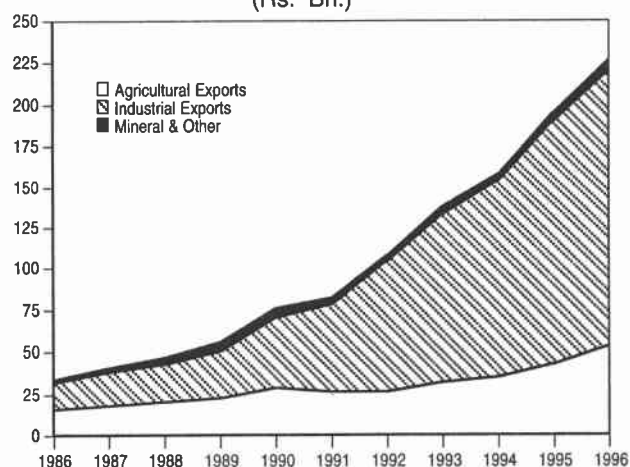
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EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE

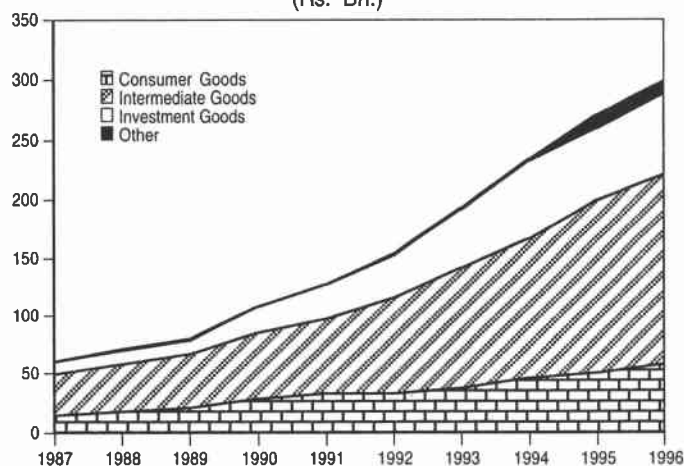
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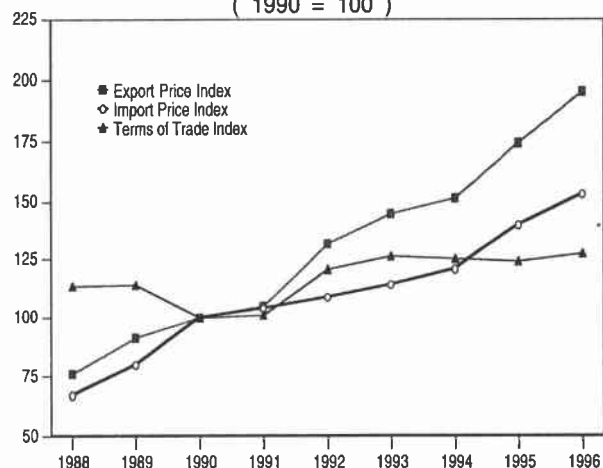
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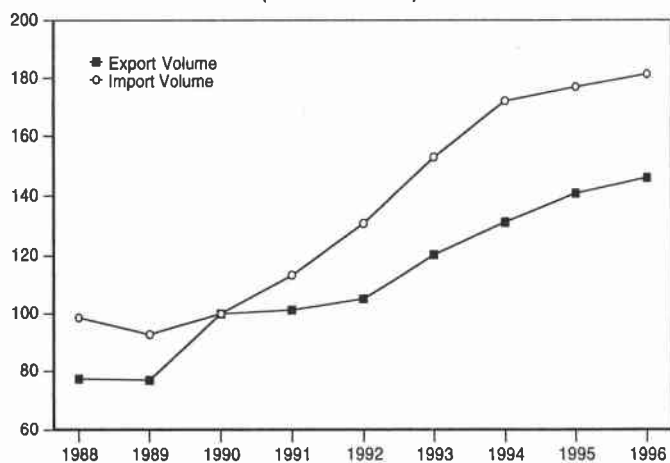
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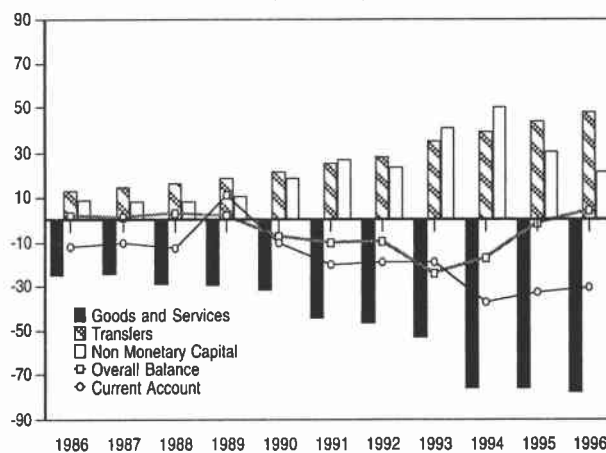
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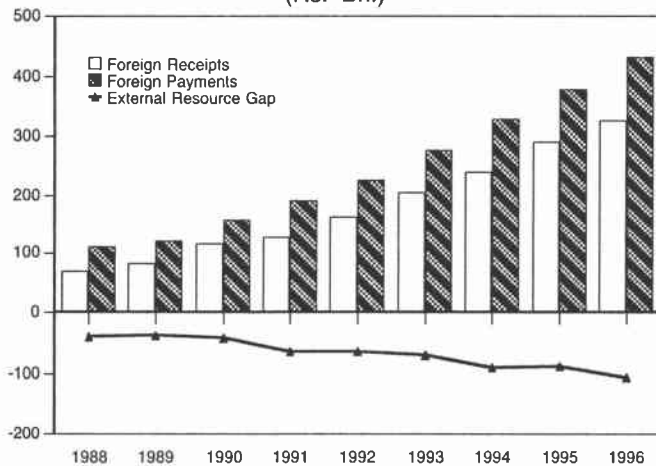


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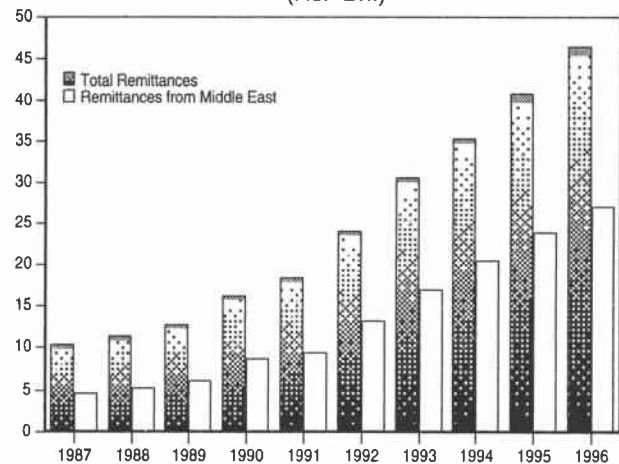


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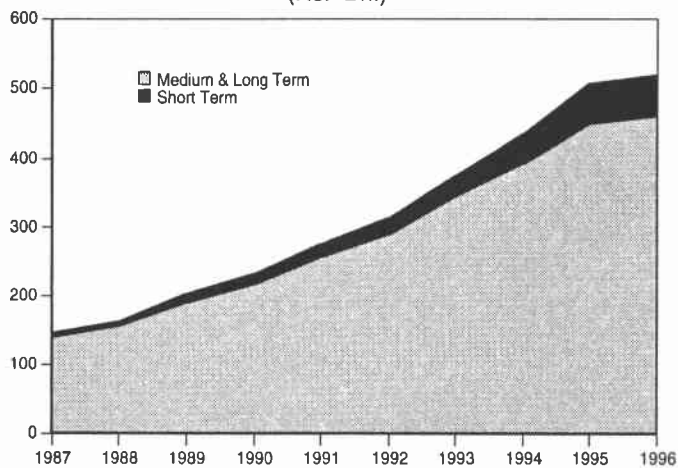
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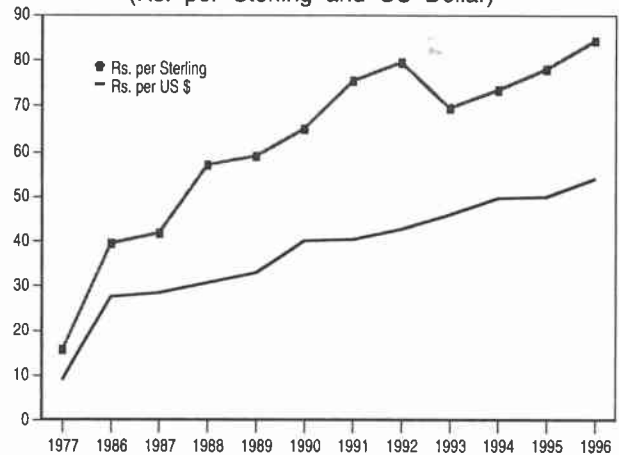
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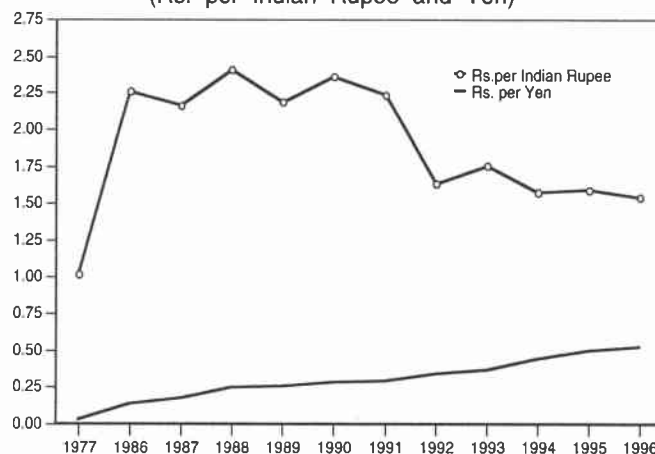
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(Rs. Bn.)



Exchange Rates
(Rs. per Sterling and US Dollar)



Exchange Rates
(Rs. per Indian Rupee and Yen)



SUMMARY OF EXTERNAL TRADE 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Exports (b), Rs. Mn.	34,039	41,133	46,928	56,175	76,633	82,225	107,855	138,175	158,554	195,092	226,801
Agricultural Exports	15,730	17,437	20,104	22,049	28,885	26,537	26,504	31,618	34,692	42,478	53,206
Tea	9,253	10,654	12,299	13,664	19,823	17,867	14,893	19,911	20,964	24,638	34,067
Rubber	2,622	2,929	3,706	3,112	3,080	2,641	2,960	3,086	3,582	5,713	5,753
Coconut Products	2,389	2,140	1,538	2,865	2,783	2,619	3,691	2,796	3,761	5,270	6,091
Other Agri. Products	1,466	1,714	2,561	2,408	3,199	3,410	4,959	5,825	6,385	6,857	7,295
Industrial Exports	15,878	20,004	22,674	28,470	41,510	51,188	77,281	101,437	118,544	147,069	166,543
Textiles and Garments	9,629	12,560	13,770	17,028	24,383	31,891	53,209	68,150	76,685	94,946	105,341
Petroleum Products	2,358	2,592	2,265	2,242	3,974	3,289	2,771	3,801	3,959	4,349	5,740
Other Industrial Products	3,891	4,852	6,639	9,200	13,153	16,008	21,301	29,486	37,900	47,774	55,463
Mineral Exports	1,182	1,805	2,614	2,693	3,484	2,562	2,749	3,653	4,292	4,447	5,292
Other (c)	1,249	1,887	1,536	2,963	2,754	1,938	1,321	1,467	1,026	1,098	1,760
Imports (d), Rs. Mn.	54,559	60,528	71,030	80,225	107,728	126,643	153,555	193,550	235,576	272,200	299,424
Consumer Goods	12,256	13,814	17,438	20,962	28,420	32,357	36,746	42,981	51,810	60,508	68,372
Intermediate Goods	28,618	34,619	40,325	45,255	55,757	64,265	78,043	98,343	114,004	138,475	153,117
Investment Goods	10,556	11,334	12,081	12,018	23,412	29,792	37,294	50,508	67,524	60,916	66,647
Unclassified Imports	3,129	761	1,186	1,990	139	229	1,472	1,718	2,238	12,301	11,288
Balance of Trade, Rs. Mn.	-20,520	-19,395	-24,102	-24,050	-31,095	-44,418	-45,700	-55,375	-77,022	-77,108	-72,623
Export/Import Ratio	0.62	0.68	0.66	0.70	0.71	0.65	0.70	0.71	0.67	0.72	0.76
Export Indices (1990 = 100)											
Price Index	-	-	76.2	91.7	100.0	105.0	131.8	144.7	151.2	174.2	194.9
Volume Index	-	-	77.4	77.1	100.0	101.2	105.2	120.2	131.5	140.9	146.4
Value Index	-	-	59.0	70.7	100.0	106.2	138.5	173.8	199.5	245.5	285.4
Import Indices (1990 = 100)											
Price Index	-	-	67.0	80.2	100.0	103.9	108.8	114.6	121.0	140.2	153.2
Volume Index	-	-	98.3	92.9	100.0	113.2	131.0	153.4	172.1	176.7	181.4
Value Index	-	-	65.9	74.5	100.0	117.6	142.5	175.8	208.2	247.8	277.9
Terms of Trade (e) (1990 = 100)	-	-	113.8	114.3	100.0	101.0	121.0	126.3	125.4	124.2	127.2

(a) Provisional

(b) At f.o.b. Prices

(c) Includes Re-Exports

(d) At c.i.f. Prices

(e) Terms of Trade = $\frac{\text{Export Price Index}}{\text{Import Price Index}} \times 100$

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SELECTED EXPORTS 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Agricultural Exports											
Tea, MT '000	208	201	220	204	216	212	182	218	230	241	244
Rubber, MT '000	110	106	99	86	87	76	79	70	69	68	72
Coconuts, Mn. Nuts	1,105	538	224	572	508	367	412	293	437	579	475
Vegetables, MT	2,146	2,312	8,902	3,915	12,702	9,305	9,791	11,361	16,299	8,371	6,734
Coffee, MT	2,640	851	4,203	1,805	1,245	2,660	1,652	1,009	4,371	1,281	692
Cinnamon, MT	7,589	7,505	6,811	7,493	6,512	7,889	8,238	8,755	11,040	9,852	10,077
Pepper, MT	1,271	2,015	2,692	1,576	1,308	2,074	2,153	7,939	3,490	2,768	2,987
Betel Leaves and Areanuts, MT	2,860	3,278	3,985	3,012	6,397	5,047	2,864	2,946	2,157	4,574	5,689
Sesame Seeds & Other Oil Seeds, MT	2,679	6,685	7,841	622	4,606	2,035	2,405	20	194	373	129
Unmanufactured Tobacco, MT	415	416	718	602	1,333	1,808	3,935	3,818	3,540	3,021	3,229
Industrial Exports, MT											
Avtur	65,286	64,872	55,667	49,108	55,456	39,115	49,784	65,756	68,432	77,126	85,491
Naptha	130,770	113,119	103,209	63,048	74,764	87,324	76,466	118,010	113,191	110,025	113,155
Furnace Oil	456,622	429,558	441,849	366,255	436,918	351,427	236,996	341,218	368,800	346,799	354,679
Diesel (Auto, Heavy & Marine)	70,471	57,035	63,624	42,758	52,585	45,343	46,895	52,378	46,332	47,438	48,987
Garments, Mn. pcs.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	186	212	242	316	363	414	448	472
Mineral Exports (b), MT	111,378	115,371	109,640	124,138	11,619	2,536	47,198	68,504	59,188	75,826	68,759

(a) Provisional
(b) Ilmenite, Rutile & Graphite

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Customs

SELECTED IMPORTS 1986 - 1996

Country	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Food and Drinks, MT '000											
Rice	231	113	210	316	172	133	237	209	58	9	341
Sugar	322	376	319	320	305	358	370	394	491	417	381
Milk & Milk Products											
Milk and Milk Food (b)	28	38	42	50	65	44	33	56	48	47	43
Infant Milk Food, MT	255	178	210	399	610	725	542	524	1,379	1,025	536
Fish and Fish Products											
Fish Dried (c)	24	30	31	35	38	47	44	66	48	49	48
Fish Other	8	8	15	18	10	10	12	13	14	23	18
Wheat Grain, MT '000	681	578	612	726	577	670	709	771	826	1,057	913
Pharmaceutical Products, MT '000	5	5	7	9	8	6	21	6	9	9	5
Fertilizer, MT '000	378	373	556	355	505	359	340	465	427	452	361
Crude Oil, MT '000	1,639	1,779	1,848	1,283	1,779	1,626	1,297	1,791	1,898	1,860	2,033
Cement, MT '000	274	268	375	402	443	383	482	571	610	963	826
Transport Equipment (No.)											
Motor Vehicles (d)	13,588	13,749	13,802	12,676	22,911	18,832	11,316	n.a.	46,645	27,758	19,071
Motor Cycles	27,176	30,846	30,997	63,776	48,128	56,873	64,631	58,489	49,890	29,846	38,191
Tractors	2,670	1,692	2,304	1,891	3,433	5,874	6,613	7,002	6,962	8,837	9,240

(a) Provisional.
(b) Excluding Infant Milk Food.
(c) Including Maldivian-Fish, Sprats and Smoked Fish.
(d) Including Motor Cars, Vans, Lorries and Buses.

Source : Sri Lanka Customs

IMPORTS BY MAJOR CATEGORIES 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Category	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Consumer Goods	13,814	17,438	20,962	28,420	32,357	32,197	37,372	45,985	50,353	57,106
Food and Drink	7,462	10,214	13,136	15,624	16,750	18,395	20,066	23,914	26,746	33,111
Rice	687	1,808	3,396	1,758	1,589	2,852	2,386	655	122	5,118
Flour	96	303	175	1,387	1	3	552	19	4	4
Sugar	2,389	2,927	4,326	5,173	5,139	4,952	5,621	8,875	8,737	8,026
Milk & Milk Products	1,276	1,931	2,298	2,367	2,796	2,941	3,655	4,305	5,630	6,045
Fish Dried	767	945	1,003	1,312	1,686	1,804	1,932	2,093	2,153	2,355
Fish Other	193	194	317	427	404	641	524	863	1,303	1,331
Food Other	2,054	2,106	1,620	3,200	5,135	5,202	5,396	7,104	8,797	10,232
Other Consumer Goods	6,353	7,225	7,826	12,796	15,607	13,802	17,306	22,071	23,607	23,995
Motor cars and cycles	2,207	2,309	2,886	2,769	2,163	2,459	2,967	5,566	5,082	5,094
Radio Receivers & Television Sets	500	836	775	446	618	790	1,009	1,163	1,006	1,138
Rubber Tyres & Tubes	224	253	285	443	415	520	991	686	382	534
Medical & Pharmaceutical Products	829	103	1,086	1,668	1,755	2,441	2,490	3,292	4,233	3,869
Other	2,593	2,796	2,796	7,470	10,656	7,592	9,849	11,364	12,904	13,360
Intermediate Goods	34,619	40,325	45,255	55,757	64,265	82,592	103,952	119,829	148,630	164,384
Fertilizer	1,299	2,476	1,755	2,958	2,430	2,366	3,108	3,097	4,407	4,189
Petroleum	8,716	7,839	8,376	14,372	12,887	13,938	14,920	14,641	19,827	26,525
Chemical Elements & Compounds	1,559	1,887	2,117	4,754	3,643	4,125	5,244	5,975	7,310	7,402
Dyeing Tanning & Colouring Materials	517	542	576	885	928	1,549	1,467	1,649	1,830	1,845
Paper & Paper Boards	1,560	1,922	1,813	2,967	3,570	3,815	4,669	5,513	7,325	7,487
Wheat & Meslin	1,923	2,800	4,964	3,791	3,303	4,549	5,609	5,825	10,155	11,267
Textiles (including clothing)	8,086	8,796	9,981	13,454	20,611	33,552	41,740	51,299	59,375	64,601
Other	10,960	14,062	15,673	12,576	16,893	18,698	27,195	31,830	38,401	41,068
Investment Goods	11,334	12,081	12,018	23,412	29,792	37,294	50,508	67,524	60,916	66,647
Building Materials	710	1,038	891	6,365	6,840	7,936	9,342	11,898	13,956	14,540
Transport Equipment	1,418	1,409	1,833	4,537	7,607	7,889	15,012	22,425	15,564	9,885
Machinery & Equipment	6,640	7,047	6,278	9,885	11,881	17,098	22,377	27,635	25,769	35,987
Other	2,566	2,586	2,916	2,625	3,464	4,371	3,777	5,566	5,627	6,235
Unclassified Imports	761	1,186	1,990	140	229	1,472	1,718	2,238	12,301	11,287
Total Imports	60,528	71,030	80,225	107,729	126,643	153,555	193,550	235,576	272,200	299,424

(a) Provisional

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
Sri Lanka Customs

MAJOR EXPORT MARKETS 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Country	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Industrial Countries	23,248	27,460	34,306	46,998	53,665	81,774	103,683	118,545	146,710	165,669
Belgium - Luxembourg	805	1,669	3,003	3,882	3,262	5,913	8,545	9,346	11,204	12,119
Canada	717	718	922	1,163	1,324	1,700	1,753	2,509	2,527	2,516
France	749	905	1,409	1,750	2,629	3,949	4,162	4,236	4,392	5,983
Germany, Federal Republic of	2,978	3,317	3,440	5,075	6,157	9,282	10,992	10,994	13,032	13,229
Italy	412	497	761	1,466	1,538	2,074	2,054	2,775	3,699	3,220
Japan	1,980	2,702	3,208	4,102	4,204	5,611	7,150	8,167	10,269	14,172
Netherlands	1,167	1,507	1,616	1,946	2,443	4,283	5,200	5,542	7,167	6,833
United Kingdom	2,216	2,574	3,186	4,613	5,222	7,460	9,836	14,104	17,696	21,477
United States	10,459	11,684	14,417	19,732	23,128	36,712	48,653	55,112	69,372	77,148
Developing Countries	13,905	17,179	18,192	26,680	25,708	23,081	28,871	35,250	40,556	49,217
Middle East	7,716	8,427	8,782	13,383	13,539	10,557	12,496	16,845	13,914	16,818
Iran	842	998	1,215	2,593	3,228	2,116	980	829	1,296	1,995
Iraq	1,394	1,628	1,407	1,556	53	-	3	2	9	6
Libya	522	471	441	914	1,163	490	747	632	1,249	1,062
Saudi Arabia	1,089	1,157	1,200	1,693	1,588	1,603	1,422	1,958	1,055	1,787
U.A.E.	639	569	730	1,116	1,518	1,210	3,208	3,083	2,801	3,082
Syrian Arab Republic	397	504	488	1,251	690	962	1,522	1,832	1,668	3,030
Jordan	239	365	241	658	2,327	1,362	2,007	1,966	1,649	2,016
Africa	687	660	933	911	796	994	1,180	2,145	2,180	2,064
South Africa	410	407	478	493	404	525	534	677	982	858
Asia	4,315	6,759	6,414	7,652	8,921	7,824	10,906	15,035	18,012	19,273
China, People's Republic of	478	763	129	175	186	68	143	95	177	635
Hong-kong	576	529	651	685	615	1,062	1,553	1,762	2,950	3,504
India	187	615	356	826	522	503	955	1,170	1,634	2,370
Malaysia	36	69	50	101	1,100	198	161	284	1,124	1,491
Pakistan	931	1,679	1,619	1,301	1,323	1,252	1,713	2,144	2,218	2,041
Singapore	954	1,416	1,307	1,982	2,792	1,457	2,353	3,766	3,754	3,303
Europe	595	542	803	1,362	871	1,769	2,115	2,129	3,661	7,695
Yugoslavia	63	91	157	253	179	107	4	66	-	-
Western Hemisphere	593	792	1,259	1,561	1,581	1,938	2,175	2,096	2,790	3,367
Mexico	242	393	621	725	839	867	885	740	834	1,075
C.I.S., Eastern Europe, etc. (b)	857	703	1,238	1,812	546	438	2,546	1,904	4,781	7,151
C.I.S.	509	394	963	1,662	478	386	2,442	1,849	4,644	6,983
Unclassified	1,851	1,749	1,776	1,134	2,306	2,215	2,894	2,961	3,211	4,764
Total	39,861	47,092	55,511	76,624	82,225	107,509	137,994	158,660	195,258	226,801

(a) Provisional

(b) C.I.S. : Commonwealth of Independent Nations

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs

Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MAJOR IMPORT SOURCES 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Country	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Industrial Countries	26,128	31,318	31,032	41,972	46,541	54,980	67,379	90,254	91,165	104,055
Australia	600	831	1,316	1,740	1,513	2,230	2,889	4,534	4,544	5,928
Canada	512	1,296	534	760	660	930	717	677	765	1,302
France	1,017	1,640	1,299	1,699	1,441	1,896	2,442	2,730	3,008	2,730
Germany, Federal Republic of	2,650	3,265	2,564	3,361	4,215	5,580	6,686	8,390	8,554	8,497
Italy	643	673	1,070	758	797	1,142	2,108	2,364	3,260	4,769
Japan	8,958	9,705	9,350	13,035	14,828	18,215	21,870	26,021	25,556	27,488
Netherlands	745	1,162	1,068	795	1,989	1,869	2,671	3,501	4,372	4,571
New Zealand	509	717	814	1,181	1,335	1,579	2,035	2,380	3,087	3,847
Sweden	724	649	557	635	815	905	1,179	1,203	1,904	3,142
Switzerland	610	464	524	729	1,079	1,419	1,769	2,993	4,519	5,190
United States	3,359	4,857	4,939	8,322	7,221	6,985	6,343	14,070	8,852	10,958
United Kingdom	4,135	4,025	4,512	5,487	6,881	7,575	8,930	12,234	12,435	13,913
Developing Countries	33,124	38,516	43,834	63,164	80,831	93,587	113,168	130,310	152,211	172,159
Middle East	7,262	7,346	7,403	12,135	11,175	8,775	9,896	11,960	17,870	22,997
Iran	3,065	3,238	3,479	8,904	5,988	5,129	4,642	4,493	4,396	8,415
Saudi Arabia	331	446	1,645	1,312	391	703	547	1,155	4,208	6,275
Bahrain	241	8	10	437	171	642	281	366	1,194	2,240
Africa	2,490	3,237	4,257	4,623	3,989	3,333	2,832	3,336	2,930	3,684
South Africa	1,801	2,159	2,878	3,342	3,626	3,117	2,352	2,556	2,110	3,279
Asia	21,975	26,321	30,114	43,004	62,084	77,543	95,845	107,339	122,054	138,355
Burma	150	97	146	275	6	141	338	51	25	642
China, People's Rep. of	1,876	3,336	3,696	4,857	4,197	5,302	7,245	7,732	8,229	8,188
China - Taiwan	3,123	3,350	4,183	6,243	8,581	9,379	10,904	12,364	14,681	15,906
Hong-kong	3,823	3,710	3,963	4,822	8,792	10,561	15,098	15,644	18,316	19,569
India	2,460	2,894	2,313	4,731	9,105	13,230	16,569	19,985	20,045	31,056
South Korea	2,320	2,843	3,410	5,122	9,062	9,182	12,642	16,123	17,856	19,325
Malaysia	1,731	1,971	2,195	4,580	5,784	5,591	8,282	8,952	10,890	10,105
Pakistan	1,374	2,215	1,788	2,036	3,051	2,892	2,670	3,000	2,686	3,815
Singapore	2,948	2,955	3,402	4,106	5,584	10,416	10,049	11,565	12,798	14,284
Thailand	1,182	1,336	3,509	3,411	4,099	4,247	5,276	6,058	5,856	7,157
Europe	702	790	1,278	2,064	2,550	2,228	3,486	3,092	2,590	3,078
Turkey	405	474	181	763	988	404	893	1,538	1,009	1,545
Western Hemisphere	695	823	783	845	1,033	1,708	1,110	4,582	6,768	4,045
C.I.S., Eastern Europe, etc. (b)	470	431	449	494	380	1,130	745	887	778	1,503
Unclassified	28	55	38	-	78	84	89	76	143	180
Total	59,750	70,320	75,353	105,559	127,831	149,780	181,381	221,527	244,324	277,897

(a) Provisional

(b) C.I.S. : Commonwealth of Independent Nations

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CENTRAL BANK TRADE INDICES - VOLUME 1988 - 1996

(1990 = 100)

Category	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Total Exports	77.4	77.1	101.2	105.2	120.2	131.5	140.9	146.4
Agricultural Exports	98.4	94.9	95.0	91.8	99.5	106.4	106.9	108.8
Tea	101.0	93.3	98.0	84.8	102.4	107.6	115.1	116.9
Rubber	114.4	97.7	87.3	89.1	80.1	79.6	79.1	83.0
Coconut Products	59.0	110.7	81.1	91.3	66.3	95.0	126.6	100.9
Other Agricultural Products	108.4	88.2	98.7	126.2	136.9	139.6	98.0	107.5
Industrial Products	72.6	72.1	111.8	123.0	148.2	167.6	187.9	197.5
Textiles and Garments	87.3	85.6	116.6	140.5	166.1	208.5	226.3	236.4
Petroleum Products	124.3	86.9	94.7	88.6	117.1	109.5	107.7	120.3
Other	47.0	52.7	106.1	97.1	121.3	123.4	148.1	165.6
Mineral Products	82.7	89.8	61.5	55.4	71.8	75.0	66.2	77.1
Precious and Semi-precious Stones	77.5	84.6	67.2	56.6	75.7	76.6	66.5	80.0
Other	111.2	125.2	31.1	46.7	42.5	61.1	63.7	57.9
Total Imports	98.3	92.9	113.2	131.0	153.4	172.1	176.7	181.4
Consumer Goods	89.2	88.3	108.6	91.9	113.2	138.3	122.4	130.8
Food and Drinks	89.5	94.9	108.3	100.3	134.4	165.8	126.8	150.8
Other Consumer Goods	88.7	79.0	108.8	82.6	95.7	117.3	117.8	110.7
Intermediate Goods	105.1	95.3	115.4	166.4	183.8	205.3	230.4	227.7
Petroleum	103.2	89.6	99.9	100.0	101.0	107.6	134.1	156.1
Fertilizer	110.1	70.3	71.1	72.8	93.8	82.9	89.7	71.4
Chemicals	78.8	69.1	91.4	95.8	113.6	124.5	131.9	120.1
Wheat	106.1	125.9	116.1	123.0	133.8	143.3	183.5	158.3
Textiles and Clothing	131.8	96.4	137.9	202.3	230.9	265.2	289.9	297.0
Investment Goods	92.7	86.4	116.9	129.4	139.0	147.5	124.0	136.9
Machinery and Equipment	100.2	79.2	111.6	129.7	140.3	138.6	105.9	139.1
Transport Equipment	51.0	59.3	142.8	99.1	120.9	142.6	130.6	114.0
Building Materials	88.5	92.3	102.2	124.8	125.6	121.8	127.4	118.0

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CENTRAL BANK TRADE INDICES - VALUE 1988 - 1996

(1990 = 100)

Category	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Total Exports	59.0	70.7	106.2	138.5	173.8	199.5	245.5	285.4
Agricultural Exports	69.6	76.1	91.9	91.3	109.5	118.8	145.0	184.1
Tea	62.0	68.9	90.1	75.1	100.4	105.8	124.3	171.9
Rubber	120.3	101.0	85.7	96.1	100.2	116.3	185.5	186.8
Coconut Products	54.8	100.9	94.1	132.6	100.5	135.1	189.4	218.8
Other Agricultural Products	80.1	75.3	106.6	151.3	182.1	187.8	195.4	227.1
Industrial Products	64.6	68.6	122.2	182.5	241.9	281.1	354.3	401.2
Textiles and Garments	56.7	70.1	132.2	209.0	270.8	304.5	377.3	418.6
Petroleum Products	57.0	56.4	82.8	69.7	95.8	98.6	109.4	144.4
Other	48.7	69.9	114.8	165.0	230.1	292.3	386.1	448.2
Mineral Products	72.6	74.8	71.2	76.4	101.5	119.3	123.5	147.0
Precious and Semi-precious Stones	70.6	75.1	80.4	84.6	116.0	133.5	135.4	162.7
Other	81.6	73.4	30.6	40.1	37.7	56.4	71.3	78.2
Total Imports	65.9	74.5	117.6	142.5	175.8	208.2	247.8	277.9
Consumer Goods	62.4	75.0	115.7	115.2	133.7	164.5	180.1	204.3
Food and Drinks	67.4	86.6	110.5	121.4	132.4	157.7	176.4	218.4
Other Consumer Goods	56.5	61.2	122.0	107.8	135.2	172.5	184.5	187.5
Intermediate Goods	65.7	74.8	115.8	148.9	187.4	216.0	267.9	296.3
Petroleum	54.6	58.3	89.7	97.0	103.8	101.9	138.0	184.6
Fertilizer	83.7	59.3	82.2	80.0	105.1	104.7	149.0	141.6
Chemicals	39.7	44.6	76.7	86.9	110.4	125.8	153.9	155.9
Wheat	73.9	130.9	87.1	120.0	148.0	153.7	267.9	297.2
Textiles and Clothing	65.4	74.2	153.2	249.4	310.3	381.3	441.3	480.2
Investment Goods	68.1	67.4	127.3	159.3	198.1	240.3	237.8	284.7
Machinery and Equipment	71.3	63.5	120.2	173.0	226.4	279.6	260.7	364.0
Transport Equipment	31.1	40.4	167.7	173.9	239.7	246.1	227.4	217.9
Building Materials	77.1	74.6	107.5	124.7	146.8	186.9	219.3	228.5

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CENTRAL BANK TRADE INDICES - PRICE 1988 - 1996

(1990 = 100)

Category	1988	1989	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Total Exports	76.2	91.7	105.0	131.8	144.7	151.7	174.2	194.9
Agricultural Exports	70.7	80.2	96.8	99.5	110.0	111.6	135.6	169.2
Tea	81.5	73.9	92.0	88.6	98.1	98.3	108.0	147.0
Rubber	105.2	103.4	98.2	107.9	125.2	146.1	234.5	225.1
Coconut Products	92.8	91.2	116.0	145.3	151.5	142.2	149.6	216.8
Other Agricultural Products	75.3	87.4	108.0	119.9	133.0	134.5	199.5	211.3
Industrial Products	75.2	95.1	109.3	148.3	163.2	167.9	188.5	203.1
Textiles and Garments	64.9	81.8	113.4	148.7	163.1	146.2	166.8	177.1
Petroleum Products	45.9	64.9	87.4	78.7	81.7	89.4	101.6	120.1
Other	105.7	131.8	108.1	169.9	189.6	236.9	260.7	270.7
Mineral Products	97.8	83.3	115.7	137.7	141.3	159.1	186.7	190.8
Precious and Semi-precious stones	91.1	88.9	119.8	149.6	153.3	174.3	203.6	203.4
Other	73.3	58.6	98.5	85.8	88.7	92.2	112.0	134.9
Total Imports	67.0	80.2	103.9	108.8	114.6	121.0	140.2	153.2
Consumer Goods	70.0	84.9	106.6	125.4	118.1	118.9	147.1	156.1
Food and Drinks	75.3	91.3	102.0	120.9	98.5	95.1	139.1	144.8
Other Consumer Goods	63.6	77.4	112.1	130.6	141.3	147.1	156.6	169.5
Intermediate Goods	62.5	78.5	100.3	95.2	101.9	105.2	116.3	130.1
Petroleum	52.9	65.1	89.8	97.0	102.8	94.8	102.9	118.2
Fertilizer	76.0	84.4	115.6	109.8	112.0	126.3	166.2	198.2
Chemicals	50.4	64.5	83.9	90.6	97.2	101.1	116.7	129.8
Wheat	69.6	104.0	75.0	97.5	110.6	107.2	146.0	187.7
Textiles and Clothing	49.6	76.9	111.1	123.3	134.4	143.8	152.2	161.7
Investment Goods	73.5	78.0	108.9	123.1	142.4	163.0	191.8	208.0
Machinery and Equipment	71.2	80.2	107.6	133.3	161.3	201.7	246.2	261.7
Transport Equipment	60.9	68.1	117.4	175.5	198.3	172.5	174.2	191.1
Building Materials	87.2	80.9	105.1	99.9	116.9	153.4	172.1	193.5
Terms of Trade	113.8	114.3	101.0	121.0	126.3	125.4	124.2	127.2

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

EXCHANGE RATES 1977 - 1996

(Year End)

Sri Lanka Rupees per Unit of Foreign Currency

Country	Currency	1977 Nov (a)	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Australia	Dollar	9.5542	22.1721	28.1850	31.8820	30.9446	32.3608	31.6825	33.4912	38.8270	40.3275	45.1910
Austria	Schilling	0.5270	2.7375	2.6164	3.3567	3.8683	3.9934	4.0337	4.1126	4.5074	5.3518	5.1729
Belgium	Franc	0.2416	0.9202	0.8715	1.1279	1.2732	1.3593	1.3912	1.3850	1.5646	1.8384	1.7951
Canada	Dollar	7.6783	23.5728	27.6724	34.5647	34.6762	36.7148	36.2619	37.0359	35.5856	39.7701	41.4404
Denmark	Kroner	1.3930	5.0000	4.7832	6.0952	6.7876	7.1798	7.4074	7.3736	8.1941	9.7515	9.5287
Fed. Rep. of Germany	Deutsche Mark	3.7692	19.2826	18.4797	23.7002	26.1554	28.0178	28.5714	28.7371	32.1622	37.7638	36.4604
France	Franc	1.7601	5.6936	5.4121	6.9354	7.7125	8.1924	8.3757	8.4655	9.3151	11.0493	10.8112
Hongkong	Dollar	1.8162	3.9579	4.2298	5.1216	5.1549	5.4820	5.9425	6.4174	6.4586	6.9888	7.3293
India	Rupee	1.0214	2.4043	2.1848	2.3603	2.2332	1.6352	1.7520	1.5774	1.5926	1.5448	1.5839
Italy	Lira	0.0097	0.0261	0.0251	0.0316	0.0347	0.0370	0.0313	0.0292	0.0304	0.0342	0.0371
Japan	Yen	0.0341	0.2491	0.2631	0.2816	0.2943	0.3390	0.3699	0.4433	0.5004	0.5255	0.4886
Kuwait	Dinar	30.0030	113.2640	117.3654	136.9652	-	-	151.8503	165.6467	166.5167	180.4591	190.1257
Malaysia	Ringgit	3.5376	12.3505	12.1959	14.8230	14.7551	15.6039	17.6009	18.6181	19.5116	21.2534	22.4175
Netherlands	Guilder	3.5126	17.1260	16.3649	21.0029	23.2736	24.8396	25.4186	25.6410	28.7175	33.7407	32.4780
New Zealand	Dollar	8.4049	20.1956	20.7444	23.9200	23.5706	23.1082	23.6394	27.6231	32.1047	35.3822	40.0422
Norway	Kroner	1.5576	4.9063	5.0087	6.1045	6.6837	7.0919	6.6946	6.6314	7.3701	8.5430	8.7949
Pakistan	Rupee	0.8658	1.7570	1.7660	1.8628	1.8362	1.7162	1.7850	1.6388	1.6211	1.5743	1.4148
Saudi Arabia	Riyal	2.4320	8.2072	8.8078	10.6651	10.7285	11.3533	12.2652	13.2145	14.0324	14.8511	15.1191
Singapore	Dollar	3.5617	15.3851	16.9746	21.1333	22.8831	26.1275	28.0351	30.9074	34.1627	38.2231	40.5007
South Africa	Rand	9.7888	15.8521	13.9231	15.8416	16.0319	15.5472	15.0820	14.6264	14.0324	14.8065	12.1229
Sweeden	Kroner	1.7814	5.2707	5.3602	6.4777	7.0037	7.6473	6.5133	5.9830	6.7340	8.1317	8.2504
Switzerland	Franc	3.8160	23.8608	21.8614	26.1609	30.6824	31.4464	31.4745	33.8350	38.1090	46.8146	42.0504
United Arab Emirates	Dirham	2.1959	8.3760	8.9936	10.8906	10.9559	11.5943	12.5248	13.4953	13.6093	14.7160	15.4383
United Kingdom	Pound	15.5255	57.1721	59.0786	65.0400	75.5908	79.5820	69.4278	73.4972	78.0513	84.2465	95.8598
United States of America	Dollar	8.9990	30.7625	33.0325	40.0000	40.2400	42.5800	46.0000	49.5615	49.9800	54.0475	56.7050

(a) From mid-night of 15 November 1977, the Sri Lanka Rupee was allowed to float.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Rs. Million											
Merchandise	-21,390	-20,005	-24,268	24,050	28,145	-41,253	-45,784	-55,486	-77,190	-77,435	-72,731
Exports (f.o.b.)	33,893	41,097	46,985	56,175	79,481	84,378	107,855	138,174	158,554	195,092	226,801
Imports (c.i.f.)	55,283	6,102	71,253	80,225	107,626	125,631	153,640	193,661	235,744	272,527	299,532
Services	-3,616	-4,625	-4,884	-5,609	3,905	-3,773	-1,430	1,821	520	763	-5,427
Receipts	10,601	11,721	13,097	14,598	21,364	24,897	30,256	36,050	44,363	53,487	52,053
Payments	14,217	16,346	17,981	20,207	25,269	28,670	31,686	34,229	43,843	52,723	57,480
Goods and Services	-25,006	-24,630	-29,152	-29,659	-32,050	-45,026	-47,214	-53,665	-76,671	-76,672	-78,158
Transfers	13,097	14,537	16,774	18,591	21,660	25,030	28,280	34,839	39,245	43,716	48,000
Private – Receipts	8,873	10,324	11,386	12,830	16,054	18,311	24,037	30,592	35,345	40,891	46,467
Payments	890	1,098	1,200	990	1,536	1,688	3,784	3,501	4,357	6,072	6,982
Official Receipts	5,114	5,311	6,588	6,751	7,142	8,407	8,027	7,749	8,257	8,896	8,515
Current Account	-11,909	-10,093	-12,377	11,069	-10,390	-19,996	-18,934	-18,825	-37,425	-32,956	-30,157
Non Monetary Capital	9,094	8,408	8,308	10,566	18,931	27,171	23,450	41,066	49,912	30,338	21,671
Private – Direct Investment	784	1,727	1,382	633	1,294	2,633	5,315	9,107	7,815	2,931	6,606
Portfolio Investment	–	–	–	–	390	1,329	1,122	3,272	1,334	-90	353
Other long Term	514	-437	-1,341	1,803	1,835	-1,005	1,162	8,998	15,628	2,856	202
Short Term	-377	1,217	474	3,557	2,685	2,105	5,652	7,110	12,930	1,430	2,035
Government – Long Term	8,173	5,901	7,793	8,179	16,397	20,849	11,494	12,579	12,204	23,210	12,474
Short Term	–	–	–	–	–	1,260	-1,295	–	–	–	–
Errors and Omissions	-330	-1,380	723	-1,295	-1,812	2,730	3,399	11,077	6,059	-2,339	126
Valuation Adjustments	1,371	1,841	7	-108	751	235	1,555	-1,420	-1,380	6,394	4,213
Overall Balance	-1,774	-1,224	-3,339	-1,905	7,480	10,140	9,469	24,149	17,166	1,437	-4,148
Monetary Sector	1,774	1,224	3,339	1,905	-7,480	-10,140	-9,469	-24,149	-17,166	-1,437	4,148
Government	237	773	-216	-1,106	592	-527	150	-115	466	194	-356
Central Bank	1,994	2,512	-1,424	1,075	-7,013	-12,327	-12,392	-38,559	-17,980	-9,883	2,661
Commercial Banks	-215	-615	343	542	-3,292	2,764	213	7,071	-3,466	6,372	4,157
Transactions with IMF	-242	-1,446	4,635	1,394	2,233	-51	2,561	7,455	3,814	1,880	-2,314
SDR Millions											
Merchandise	-649	-525	-568	-530	-518	-726	-740	-825	-1,089	-997	-909
Exports (f.o.b.)	1,029	1,077	1,098	1,207	1,456	1,491	1,745	2,046	2,235	2,504	2,822
Imports (c.i.f.)	1,678	1,602	1,666	1,737	1,974	2,217	2,485	2,872	3,324	3,501	3,731
Services	-109	-121	-114	-123	-72	-66	-24	28	8	10	-68
Receipts	323	307	306	314	391	439	489	535	627	688	648
Payments	432	428	420	437	463	505	513	507	619	678	716
Goods and Services	-758	-646	-682	-653	-590	-792	-764	-797	-1,081	-987	-976
Transfers	395	380	392	405	399	441	458	517	555	562	598
Private – Receipts	269	270	266	279	297	323	389	454	499	526	579
Payments	27	29	28	21	28	30	61	52	61	78	87
Official Receipts	153	139	154	147	130	148	130	115	117	114	106
Current Account	-363	-266	-290	-248	-192	-351	-307	-280	-526	-425	-378
Non Monetary Capital	279	218	194	216	345	475	381	612	700	399	271
Private – Direct Investment	24	45	32	14	24	46	86	134	111	35	83
Portfolio Investment	–	–	–	–	7	24	18	48	20	-2	4
Other long Term	15	-10	-32	-39	-33	-18	18	135	216	49	2
Short Term	-11	30	12	72	48	35	91	105	182	18	26
Government – Long Term	251	153	182	169	299	366	189	190	172	299	156
Short Term	–	–	–	–	–	23	-22	–	–	–	–
Errors and Omissions	19	-14	32	-34	-15	29	60	44	-1	-37	44
Valuation Adjustments	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Overall Balance	-65	-62	-64	-67	138	152	133	375	173	-62	-63
Monetary Sector	65	62	64	67	-138	-152	-133	-375	-173	62	63
Government	12	22	-5	-19	13	-7	3	–	8	4	-4
Central Bank	109	111	-29	47	-109	-188	-178	-519	-176	3	48
Commercial Banks	2	-2	9	18	-55	51	5	106	-52	77	50
Transactions with IMF	-59	-69	89	21	13	-8	37	38	47	-22	-31

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS 1987 - 1996

US \$ Million

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Merchandise	-679	-764	-679	-704	-993	-1,043	-1,152	-1,559	-1,512	-1,319
Exports (f.o.b.)	1,394	1,476	1,547	1,978	2,040	2,459	2,858	3,200	3,799	4,096
Imports (c.i.f.)	2,073	2,240	2,226	2,681	3,034	3,501	4,010	4,759	5,311	5,415
Services	-157	-153	-158	-98	-90	-34	39	12	15	-98
Receipts	397	411	402	531	601	689	747	898	1,044	941
Payments	554	565	560	629	691	723	708	886	1,029	1,039
Goods and Services	-836	-917	-837	-801	-1,084	-1,076	-1,113	-1,547	-1,497	-1,417
Private Transfers (Net)	313	320	331	365	401	462	561	627	679	715
Receipts	350	358	358	403	442	548	633	714	798	841
Payments	37	38	27	38	41	86	73	88	118	126
Official Transfers (Net)	180	207	188	177	203	182	161	167	174	154
Current Account Balance	-344	-390	-318	-260	-480	-432	-391	-753	-644	-549
Non-Monetary Capital (Net)	282	261	277	469	651	536	854	1,002	606	394
Long-term	243	245	184	394	539	413	640	714	581	350
Direct Investment	58	43	18	33	62	122	187	158	53	120
Foreign Direct Investment	58	43	18	33	62	122	187	158	16	86
Privatization Proceeds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	34
Private Long-term (Net)	-13	-43	-50	-45	-24	25	188	310	75	3
Inflows	81	54	13	32	86	160	303	403	222	181
Outflows	94	97	63	77	110	134	115	93	147	177
Government Long-term (Net)	198	245	217	406	501	266	265	246	453	227
Inflows	343	409	373	532	634	441	466	445	669	466
Outflows	145	164	156	126	133	175	201	199	216	240
Short-term	39	16	92	75	112	123	214	288	25	44
Portfolio Investment	-	-	-	10	32	26	67	28	-2	7
Private Short-term (Net)	39	16	92	65	48	128	147	260	27	37
Government Short-term (Net)	-	-	-	-	31	-31	-	-	-	-
Errors and Omissions	-5	38	-47	-20	47	67	53	61	-25	-21
Overall Balance	-67	-91	-88	189	218	172	516	310	-64	-134
Monetary Movements	67	91	88	-189	-218	-172	-516	-310	64	134
Ratios to GDP in Percentages										
Trade Account	-10.2	-10.9	-9.7	-8.8	-11.0	-10.8	-11.1	-13.3	-11.6	-9.5
Current Account	-5.1	-5.6	-4.5	-3.2	-5.3	-4.5	-5.3	-6.4	-4.9	-3.9
Current Account without Grants	-7.8	-8.5	-7.2	-5.4	-7.6	-6.4	-6.9	-7.9	-6.3	-5.0

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

FINANCING OF THE EXTERNAL RESOURCE GAP 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Category	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Foreign Receipts	63,142	71,468	83,602	116,898	127,586	162,148	204,815	238,262	289,470	325,321
Merchandise	41,097	46,985	56,175	79,481	84,378	107,855	138,174	158,554	195,092	226,801
Services	11,721	13,097	14,597	21,363	24,897	30,258	36,050	44,363	53,487	52,053
Private Transfers	10,324	11,386	12,830	16,054	18,311	24,037	30,592	35,345	40,891	46,467
Foreign Payments	94,836	111,115	120,272	157,905	190,308	225,928	274,380	327,755	377,885	431,349
Merchandise	61,102	71,253	80,225	107,626	125,631	153,640	193,660	235,744	272,527	299,532
Services	16,346	17,981	20,207	25,268	28,670	31,686	34,229	43,843	52,723	57,480
Private Transfers	1,098	1,200	990	1,536	1,688	3,785	3,501	4,357	6,072	6,982
Capital Repayments	16,290	20,681	18,850	23,475	31,813	32,610	33,027	30,263	40,695	62,741
Investment Outflows	-	-	-	-	189	1,559	7,835	13,547	5,868	4,613
Progress Payments	-	-	-	-	2,317	2,649	2,127	-	-	-
External Resource Gap	-31,694	-39,647	-36,670	-41,007	-62,722	-63,780	-69,564	-89,493	-88,415	-106,027
Financing of Resource Gap	31,694	39,647	36,670	41,007	62,722	63,780	69,564	89,493	88,415	106,027
Central Government	15,437	19,630	20,562	28,639	36,046	27,220	30,066	30,282	43,193	34,232
Grants	5,311	6,588	6,751	7,142	8,407	8,027	7,749	8,257	8,896	8,515
Project Aid	7,934	8,885	8,715	13,266	24,048	13,169	17,029	19,876	22,473	23,434
Commodity Aid	504	918	1,023	1,761	690	830	343	244	420	-
Food Aid	695	1,129	1,025	1,439	-	-	483	403	-	-
Other Long Term	1,029	2,110	3,048	5,031	1,641	5,194	4,462	1,504	11,403	2,283
Short Term	-	-	-	-	1,260	-	-	-	-	-
Private Sector	12,608	11,577	13,587	19,971	30,730	37,895	60,621	71,081	41,420	60,995
Direct Investment	1,766	1,456	707	1,736	2,822	5,385	9,441	8,223	3,320	7,344
Portfolio Investment	-	-	-	397	1,763	2,611	10,773	14,473	5,389	4,229
Suppliers' Credit and										
Commercial Borrowing	3,008	1,746	466	1,310	3,537	7,081	14,586	20,203	10,305	10,000
Short Term	7,834	8,375	12,414	16,528	22,608	22,818	25,821	28,182	22,406	39,422
Other	3,802	7,710	3,923	-6,541	-7,017	-6,289	-23,030	-16,550	-253	6,462
IMF Drawing	1,120	7,317	3,412	3,172	3,073	6,942	8,573	4,429	3,064	-
Borrowing from Abroad	1,801	-	2,401	-2,631	-	-	-	-	-	-
External Assets	-982	-546	-4,364	-11,082	-14,751	-17,012	-39,023	-25,082	-8,565	556
Other	1,863	939	2,474	4,000	4,662	3,782	7,419	4,102	5,248	5,906
Balancing Items	-189	730	-1,402	-1,062	2,963	4,954	1,908	4,679	4,055	4,339
Valuation Adjustments	1,841	7	-108	751	235	1,555	-1,420	-1,380	6,394	4,213
Errors & Omissions	-2,030	723	-1,294	-1,813	2,728	3,399	3,328	6,059	-2,339	126
Pressure on Balance of Payments(b)										
With Aid Imports	52.1	55.7	46.2	35.8	49.2	39.5	33.9	37.6	31.0	32.8
Adjusted for Aid Imports	35.3	36.7	29.6	18.1	24.2	26.5	21.6	37.6	31.0	32.8

(a) Provisional

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) $\frac{\text{External Resource Gap}}{\text{Foreign Receipts}} \times 100$

PRIVATE REMITTANCES FROM ABROAD 1987 - 1996

Country	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Rs. Million										
Middle East	4,701.9	5,340.3	6,229.1	8,711.8	9,515.3	13,186.2	16,932.1	20,385.3	23,804.0	27,057.9
E.E.C. Countries	1,662.1	1,874.7	1,987.6	1,832.3	2,289.8	3,357.4	4,575.0	5,182.7	6,051.7	6,947.6
North America	2,116.4	2,215.6	2,390.1	3,165.5	3,766.9	3,443.4	3,693.3	3,195.5	3,265.1	3,289.3
Other Europe	510.2	534.0	513.9	410.5	444.0	995.1	1,386.5	1,755.5	2,085.4	2,575.3
South East Asia	433.6	511.3	510.3	902.9	926.4	383.0	488.4	735.3	817.8	866.4
Far East Asia	423.3	363.6	475.7	781.7	967.3	2,001.1	2,358.7	2,601.6	3,117.4	3,650.3
South Asia	185.8	193.2	268.3	132.9	246.9	254.4	514.1	226.1	264.3	337.0
Australasia (b)	154.8	204.5	171.9	90.3	120.2	180.7	315.0	333.0	404.2	505.4
Central Africa	51.6	34.1	74.7	2.4	5.6	5.5	7.9	0.3	...	...
South Africa	31.0	33.2	52.3	18.7	18.5	0.4	0.4	4.6	15.5	24.1
North Africa	16.3	11.4	15.3	1.7	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.1	...	...
Eastern Europe	10.4	10.2	12.3	2.8	2.1	69.4	93.3	53.6	204.4	312.9
South & Central America	2.5	3.0	2.7	0.1	7.1	...	0.1	480.0	408.9	417.2
Other	23.9	33.2	25.5	0.2	0.2	159.3	226.5	391.4	452.5	481.4
Total	10,323.8	11,362.3	12,729.7	16,053.8	18,310.8	24,036.7	30,591.5	35,345.1	40,891.2	46,464.8
SDR Million										
Middle East	123.1	124.8	137	160.1	168.1	213.4	251.2	288.0	306.2	337.3
E.E.C. Countries	43.5	43.8	43	33.7	40.4	54.3	67.8	73.2	77.8	86.6
North America	55.4	51.8	51.7	58.2	66.5	55.7	54.7	45.1	42.0	41.0
Other European Countries	13.5	12.5	11.1	7.5	7.8	16.1	20.5	24.7	26.8	32.1
South East Asia	11.3	12.0	11.0	16.6	16.4	6.2	7.2	10.4	10.5	10.8
Far East Asia	11.1	8.5	10.3	14.4	17.1	32.4	35.0	36.7	40.1	45.5
South Asia	4.9	4.5	5.8	2.4	4.4	4.1	7.6	3.2	3.4	4.2
Australasia (b)	4.1	4.8	3.7	1.7	2.1	2.9	4.7	4.6	5.2	6.3
Central Africa	1.4	0.8	1.6	...	0.1	0.1	0.6	...	...	...
South Africa	0.8	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.3	...	...	0.1	0.2	0.3
North Africa	0.3	0.3	0.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Europe	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	...	1.1	1.4	0.8	2.6	3.9
South & Central America	0.1	0.1	0.1	...	0.1	...	...	6.8	5.3	5.2
Other	0.6	0.7	0.6	...	...	2.6	3.4	5.4	5.8	6.0
Total	270.4	265.7	277.6	295.0	323.3	388.9	453.6	498.9	525.9	579.2
Percentage Share										
Middle East	45.54	47.00	48.93	54.27	51.97	54.86	55.35	57.68	58.21	58.23
E.E.C. Countries	16.10	16.50	15.61	11.41	12.51	13.97	14.96	14.66	14.80	14.95
North America	20.50	19.50	18.78	19.72	20.57	14.33	12.07	9.04	7.98	7.08
Other European Countries	4.94	4.70	4.04	2.56	2.42	4.14	4.53	4.97	5.10	5.54
South East Asia	4.20	4.50	4.01	5.62	5.06	1.59	1.60	2.08	2.00	1.86
Far East Asia	4.10	3.20	3.74	4.87	5.28	8.33	7.71	7.36	7.62	7.86
South Asia	1.80	1.70	2.11	0.83	1.35	1.06	1.68	0.64	0.65	0.73
Australasia (b)	1.50	1.80	1.35	0.56	0.66	0.75	1.03	0.94	0.99	1.09
Central Africa	0.50	0.30	0.59	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.03	...	...	...
South Africa	0.30	0.29	0.41	0.12	0.10	...	...	0.01	0.04	0.05
North Africa	0.16	0.10	0.12	0.01	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Europe	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.02	0.01	0.29	0.30	0.15	0.50	0.67
South & Central America	0.02	0.03	0.02	...	0.04	...	...	1.36	1.00	0.90
Other	0.23	0.29	0.20	...	...	0.66	0.74	1.11	1.11	1.04
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

... Negligible.

(a) Provisional.

(b) Includes Australia, New Zealand and Fiji Islands.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

TOURISM 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Total Tourist Arrivals	230,106	182,620	182,662	184,732	297,888	317,703	393,669	392,250	407,511	403,101	302,265
Tourist Arrivals by Region											
Europe	145,786	124,272	114,812	106,454	176,856	196,809	250,035	256,158	258,285	254,730	171,888
Asia	66,150	43,462	53,712	65,428	100,004	96,654	114,162	106,668	116,352	118,323	102,558
North America	9,232	7,166	6,534	5,844	8,084	11,519	12,954	13,743	15,612	14,565	12,462
Australasia (b)	5,788	4,448	3,992	4,020	8,914	9,747	12,363	11,823	12,033	10,254	8,763
Middle East	2,264	2,426	2,736	2,286	3,122	3,702	3,540	2,931	3,945	3,819	3,882
Africa	484	472	480	400	578	804	582	516	744	798	2,376
Latin America & Caribbeans	402	374	396	300	330	372	372	519	540	612	336
Tourist Arrivals by Purpose of Visits											
Pleasure	216,148	162,782	165,076	170,170	277,722	295,781	373,198	387,151	377,537	383,570	286,924
Business	10,094	14,276	13,670	11,774	15,250	12,073	15,353	3,923	21,340	10,772	8,781
Other	3,864	5,562	3,916	2,788	4,916	9,849	5,118	1,177	8,634	8,759	6,560
Excursionist Arrivals	6,266	2,417	6,108	4,064	3,954	2,665	5,651	6,093	8,413	10,556	12,863
Total Charter Carrier Arrivals	46,430	44,994	35,968	24,504	54,914	34,746	41,412	5,177	34,392	32,487	14,640
Establishments Providing Accommodation	237	232	213	198	216	231	255	269	303	307	365
Graded Establishments	131	128	128	118	120	122	127	129	134	138	144
Rooms	9,794	9,921	9,977	9,459	9,556	9,679	10,214	10,365	10,742	11,255	11,600
Beds	19,301	19,322	19,432	18,464	18,669	18,947	19,907	20,242	20,929	21,197	22,040
Supplementary Estblmts.	106	104	85	80	96	109	145	140	169	169	221
Rooms	1,187	1,172	936	901	1,080	1,191	1,587	1,562	2,045	2,045	2,472
Beds	2,386	2,334	1,893	1,783	2,152	2,400	3,190	3,182	3,783	3,783	4,449
Annual Room Occupancy Rate (%) (c)	32.9	31.5	32.1	31.0	47.2	48.4	55.3	57.0	56.6	52.6	40.3
Employment in Tourist Industry	53,477	48,811	47,232	54,480	59,914	64,507	69,096	73,704	84,154	87,360	82,828
Direct Employment	22,285	20,338	19,960	22,700	25,000	26,878	28,790	30,710	35,064	36,260	33,131
Estimated Indirect Employment	31,199	28,473	27,944	31,780	35,000	37,629	40,306	42,994	49,090	51,100	49,697
Gross Tourist Receipts											
Rs. Mn.	2,160	2,415	2,438	2,740	5,303	6,486	8,826	10,037	11,375	11,569	9,195
US \$ Mn.	76	82	77	76	132	157	201	208	230	226	166

(a) Provisional.

Source : Ceylon Tourist Board

(b) Includes Australia, New Zealand and Fiji Islands.

(c) In Graded Establishments only.

The term "tourist" is used to describe visitors who spend one night or more in the country.

The term "excursionist" identifies those who do not make an overnight stay but spend several hours in the country.

EXTERNAL DEBT AND SERVICE PAYMENTS 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

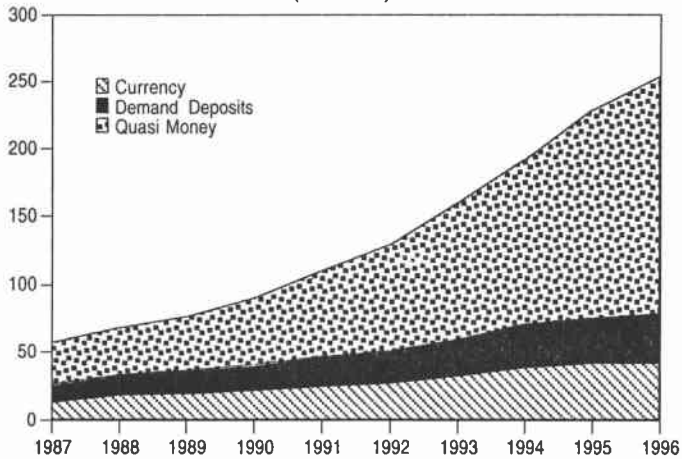
Category	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
External Debt: Total Outstanding	147,088	162,605	203,682	233,666	275,998	314,257	376,772	436,333	508,341	521,178
% of GDP	74.8	73.3	80.9	72.6	74.1	73.9	75.4	75.3	76.1	67.8
Medium and Long Term Debt	138,740	155,353	190,472	216,846	255,798	289,679	345,083	391,714	450,040	460,057
Government	113,134	126,230	157,189	182,300	218,400	243,251	281,142	306,615	355,736	366,946
Public Corporations	10,032	8,421	8,477	8,071	8,775	11,272	16,901	25,509	30,306	32,203
Private Sector	9,348	9,841	12,551	11,987	14,186	16,957	21,387	28,857	32,651	31,875
IMF Drawings	6,226	10,861	12,255	14,488	14,437	18,199	25,653	30,734	31,347	29,033
Short Term Debt	8,348	7,252	13,210	16,820	20,200	24,579	31,689	44,619	58,301	61,121
Debt Service Payments	14,539	17,207	17,138	17,972	20,173	23,671	24,066	26,734	33,570	42,045
Amortization	9,623	11,033	9,920	9,975	11,353	14,329	14,317	15,012	19,398	25,355
Interest Payments	4,916	6,174	7,218	7,997	8,820	9,342	9,750	11,723	14,172	16,691
Earnings from Merchandise Exports and Services	52,819	60,082	70,773	100,846	109,275	138,111	174,224	202,917	248,579	278,854
Receipts from Merchandise Exports, Services and Private Transfers	63,143	71,468	83,603	116,900	127,586	162,148	204,815	238,262	289,470	325,321
Debt Service Ratio										
Debt Service as a % of Earnings	27.5	28.6	24.2	17.8	18.5	17.1	13.8	13.2	13.5	15.1
Debt Service as a % of Receipts	23.0	24.0	20.5	15.4	15.8	14.6	11.8	11.2	11.6	12.9
Government Debt Service Payments (As a % of Total Debt Service Payments)	46.9	47.7	53.0	51.0	49.9	51.0	62.1	58.9	53.3	48.4

(a) Provisional

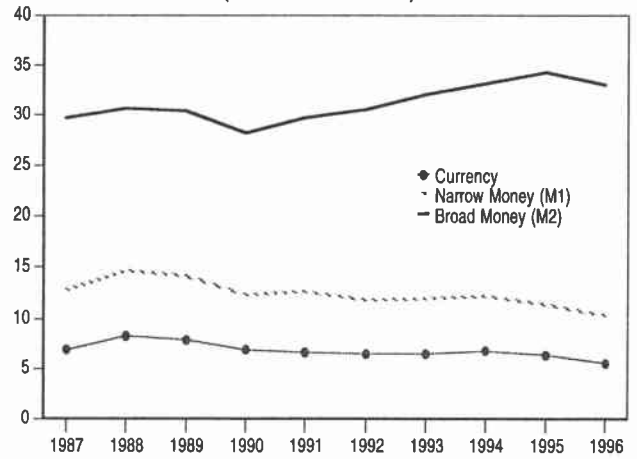
Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MONEY & CAPITAL MARKETS

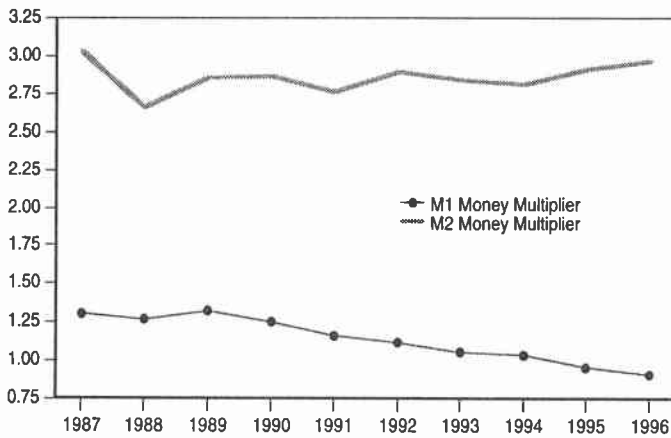
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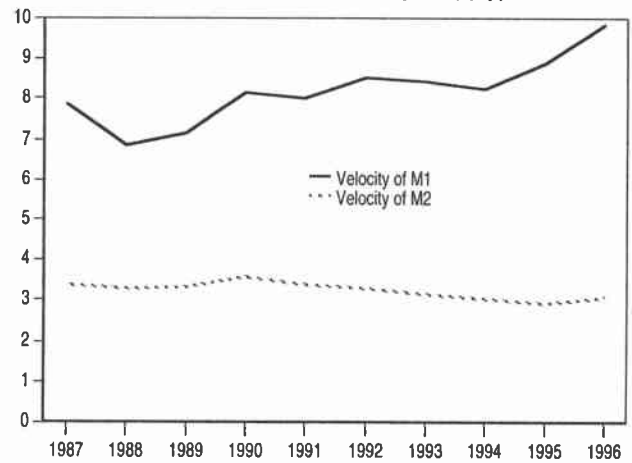
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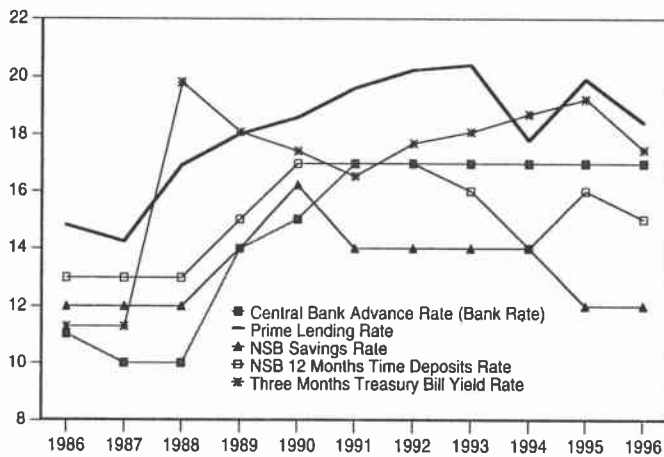
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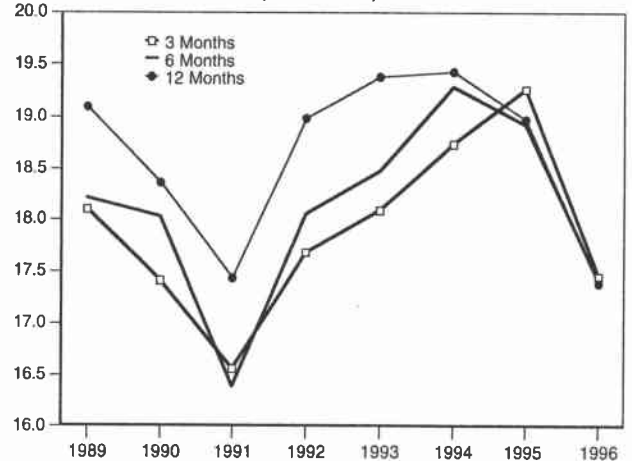
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(Ratio of GDP to Money Supply)



Selected Interest Rates %
(Year End)

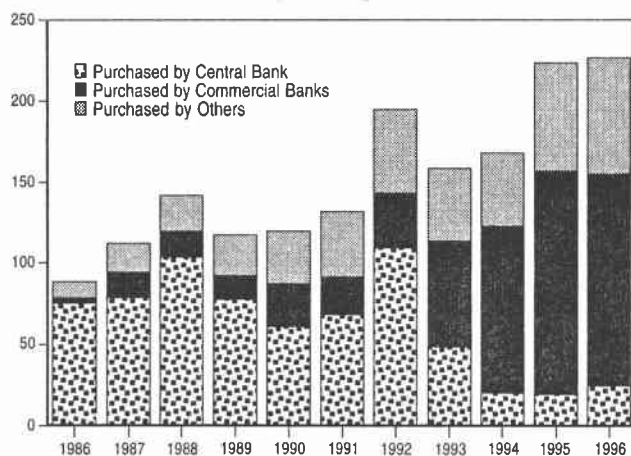


Treasury Bill Yield Rates %
(Year End)

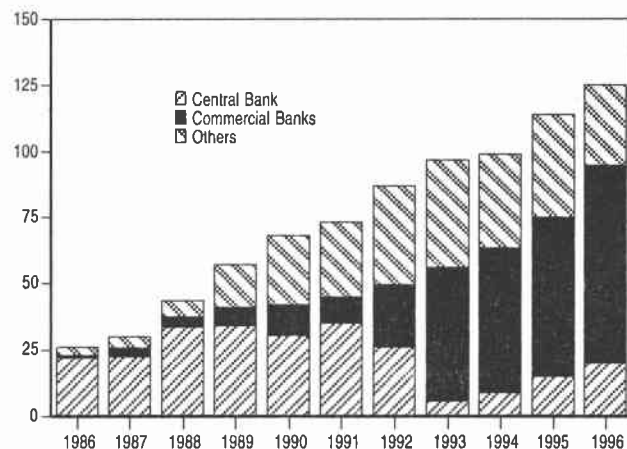


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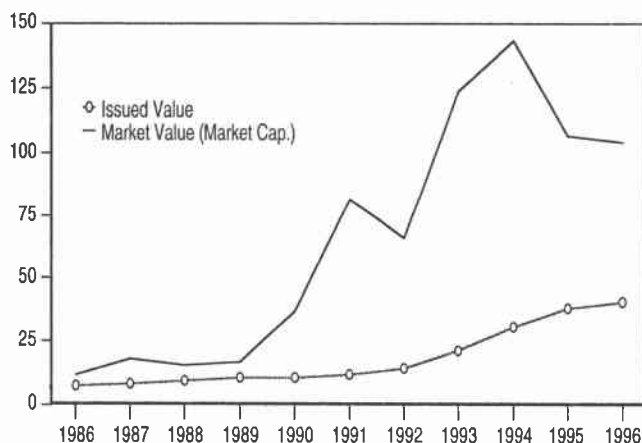
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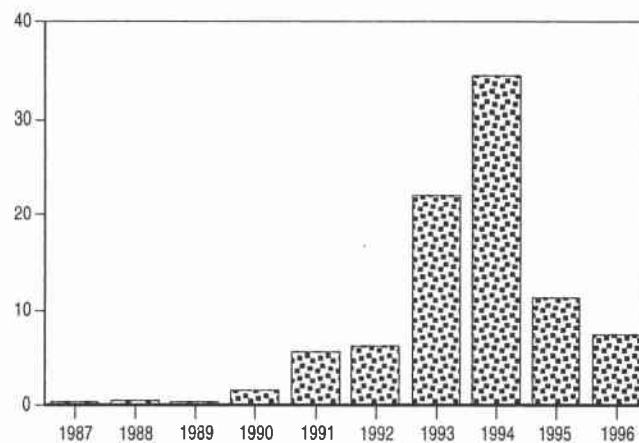
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(By Ownership, Rs. Bn.)



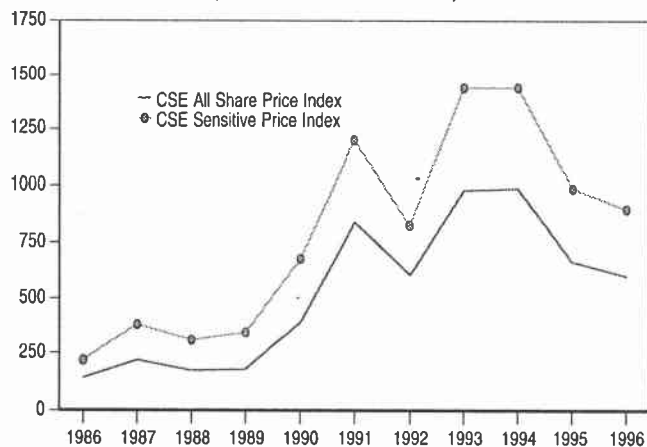
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(Rs. Bn.)



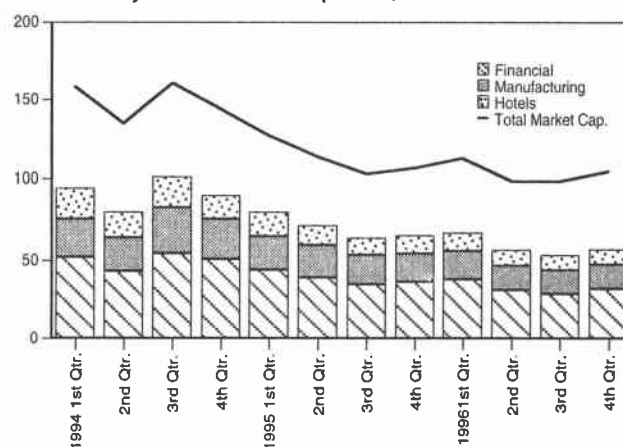
Share Trading Turnover
(Rs. Bn.)



Share Price Indices
(Base, 1985 = 100)



Market Capitalization
By Sector of Companies, Rs. Bn.



RESERVE MONEY 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Reserve Money											
Currency Holdings	12,862	15,060	20,363	21,121	23,890	27,513	30,486	35,949	43,081	46,684	49,480
Public	11,570	13,495	18,487	19,650	22,120	24,852	27,281	32,133	38,906	42,198	42,565
Commercial Banks	1,292	1,565	1,876	1,471	1,770	2,661	3,205	3,816	4,175	4,486	6,915
Commercial Banks' Deposits with the Central Bank	5,045	4,047	5,033	5,597	7,458	12,426	14,326	20,466	24,832	31,853	35,907
Deposits of Govt. Agencies with the Central Bank	123	163	160	69	221	107	36	53	142	49	122
Total	18,030	19,270	25,556	26,787	31,569	40,046	44,848	56,468	68,055	78,586	85,509
Factors Determining Reserve Money											
Net Foreign Assets of the Central Bank	7,076	8,256	3,709	4,310	4,676	13,486	21,048	45,725	60,013	65,148	64,063
Gross International Reserves	9,539	8,838	7,615	9,961	16,397	28,954	40,387	76,694	95,671	105,896	103,244
Less: Foreign Liabilities	2,463	582	3,906	5,651	11,721	15,468	19,339	30,969	35,658	40,748	39,181
Net Credit to Govt. by the Central Bank	23,135	24,601	32,917	33,971	34,602	36,954	37,937	23,008	25,006	33,538	41,635
Gross Credit	24,847	26,157	36,439	36,741	38,206	45,981	40,603	24,810	27,819	36,578	45,146
Government & Govt. Guaranteed Securities	20,221	20,888	30,244	29,141	27,044	29,864	21,802	3,954	5,100	12,525	17,100
Advances	4,626	5,269	6,195	7,600	11,162	16,117	18,801	20,856	22,719	24,053	28,046
Less: Govt. Deposits with the Central Bank	1,711	1,553	3,514	2,765	3,593	9,017	2,655	1,801	2,812	3,039	3,510
Govt. Currency Holdings	1	3	8	5	11	10	11	1	1	1	1
Central Bank Credit to Financial Institutions	3,152	3,496	3,854	4,313	7,331	5,344	5,763	4,903	3,376	2,812	2,259
Net Other Assets of the Central Bank	-15,333	-17,083	-14,924	-15,807	-15,040	-15,738	-19,900	-17,168	-20,340	-22,912	-22,448
Other Assets	5,626	6,953	7,424	11,756	15,529	15,556	14,500	27,227	29,091	28,219	30,914
Less: Other Liabilities	20,959	24,036	22,348	27,563	30,569	31,294	34,400	44,395	49,431	51,131	53,362
Total (Reserve Money)	18,030	19,270	25,556	26,787	31,569	40,046	44,848	56,468	68,055	78,586	85,509

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MONEY SUPPLY 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Monetary Aggregates										
Currency in Circulation	15,063	20,371	21,126	23,901	27,523	30,496	35,949	43,081	46,685	49,480
Held by the Government	3	8	5	11	10	11	1	1	1	1
Held by Commercial banks	1,565	1,876	1,471	1,770	2,661	3,205	3,816	4,175	4,486	6,915
Held by the Public	13,495	18,487	19,650	22,120	24,852	27,281	32,133	38,906	42,198	42,565
Demand Deposits	20,206	30,925	35,519	49,596	66,875	68,012	87,131	104,093	117,687	126,723
Held by the Government	3,807	7,727	8,357	12,587	16,759	11,136	7,572	11,186	11,271	14,378
Held by Commercial Banks	4,811	9,306	11,475	19,533	28,367	34,100	52,337	61,352	73,397	76,707
Held by the Public	11,588	13,892	15,688	17,477	21,748	22,776	27,222	31,555	33,019	35,638
Narrow Money Supply (M ₁)	25,083	32,379	35,338	39,597	46,601	50,057	59,355	70,461	75,217	78,203
Quasi-Money (Time & Savings Deposits held by the Public with Commercial Banks)	33,252	35,567	41,096	50,949	63,975	79,472	100,781	121,209	153,319	174,998
Broad Money Supply (M ₂)	58,335	67,946	76,434	90,546	110,575	129,798	160,136	191,670	228,536	253,201
Monetary Survey (Determinants of M₂)										
Net External Banking Assets	9,291	7,059	4,732	3,419	12,258	20,940	48,119	64,467	66,532	61,861
Domestic Credit	75,566	96,867	102,321	115,964	127,751	144,003	150,697	173,796	223,798	252,317
Net Credit to Government	27,048	36,065	36,119	39,197	41,792	42,350	35,098	40,250	47,738	63,970
By Central Bank	24,601	32,917	33,971	34,602	36,955	37,939	16,797	19,568	27,458	37,801
By Commercial Banks	2,447	3,147	2,148	4,595	4,838	4,412	18,301	20,682	20,280	26,169
Gross Credit to Private Sector	48,518	60,803	66,203	80,606	92,359	110,938	123,704	145,648	188,584	204,759
Public Corporations	7,366	10,787	13,862	15,636	14,077	14,750	7,775	5,163	8,527	9,938
Co-operatives	1,123	1,319	1,178	1,535	1,683	1,962	1,903	2,541	3,939	1,465
Other Private	40,029	48,697	51,163	63,435	76,599	94,226	114,026	137,943	176,118	193,356
Other Items (Net)	-26,522	-35,980	-30,620	-28,838	-29,435	-35,144	-38,679	-46,593	-61,794	-60,978
Broad Money Supply (M ₂)	58,335	67,946	76,434	90,546	110,575	129,798	160,136	191,670	228,536	253,201
Reserve Money	19,270	25,556	26,787	31,569	40,046	44,848	56,468	68,055	78,586	85,508
Money Supply (12 Month Average)										
M ₁	22,760	28,022	33,182	37,098	42,144	47,218	54,237	64,561	70,345	76,798
M ₂	54,778	63,446	71,238	82,735	98,638	119,395	143,963	174,351	190,385	240,749
Gross Domestic Product (Market Prices)	196,723	221,982	251,891	321,784	372,345	425,283	499,565	579,084	667,772	768,934
Money Multiplier (a) : For M ₁	1.30	1.27	1.32	1.25	1.16	1.12	1.05	1.04	0.96	0.91
For M ₂	3.03	2.66	2.85	2.87	2.76	2.89	2.84	2.82	2.91	2.96
Velocity of Money (b)										
Of M ₁	8.64	7.92	7.59	8.67	8.84	9.01	9.21	8.97	9.49	10.01
Of M ₂	3.59	3.50	3.54	3.89	3.77	3.56	3.47	3.32	3.51	3.19

Note: Monetary data from 1990 have been reclassified to be consistent with the standard international practice.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Ratio of Money Supply to Reserve Money

(b) Ratio of GDP to Money Supply (Average)

INTEREST RATES 1986 - 1996

per centum per annum

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Central Bank Advance Rate (Bank Rate)	11	10	10	14	15	17	17	17	17	17	17
Inter-bank Call Loans	12-12.75	11-14	16-21	13-25	14-19	13-27	10-32	16.5-28	14-28	16-102	13-31
Treasury Bill Yield Rates											
Primary Market											
3 Months	11.31	11.31	19.82	18.10	17.41	16.55	17.67	18.09	18.73	19.26	17.45
6 Months	-	-	-	18.20	18.02	16.38	18.05	18.47	19.29	18.91	17.40
12 Months	-	-	-	19.10	18.36	17.43	18.99	19.38	19.43	18.97	17.38
Central Bank's Secondary Market - Sales											
3 Months	10.26	7.39	18.85	16.12	15.85	15.05	17.26	17.84	18.48	19.01	17.20
6 Months	-	-	-	16.80	16.80	15.92	17.45	18.22	19.04	18.66	17.20
12 Months	-	-	-	18.34	18.34	17.30	18.06	19.13	19.18	18.72	17.20
Commercial Bank Deposit Rates											
Savings	6-12	6-11	5-11	5-14	5-14	6.5-14	6.5-14	6-15	5.5-13	5-13	4.5 - 13
Fixed Deposits											
3 Months	8-11.5	8-11.5	7-16	7-19.4	7-22.5	11-18.5	10-18.5	10-17	8-15	9-18.4	9 - 16
6 Months	7.5-13	7-13	8-13.5	8-16	8-21	12-19	11-18.5	10-18	9-16	10-17	10 - 16
12 Months	8.5-14	8.5-14	9-15.5	11-20.5	11-21	10-20	13.5-20	13.5-17.5	10-17	10-17	12-17.75
NSB Deposit Rates											
Savings	12	12	12	14	16.2	14	14	14	14	12	12
Fixed Deposits											
6 Months	12	12	12	14	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	15.3	-	-
12 Months	13	13	13	15	17	17	17	16	14	16	15
Commercial Bank Advance Rates											
Prime Lending Rate	14.8	14.2	16.9	18	18.6	19.6	20.2	20.4	17.8	19.9	18.4
Loans Secured by Government Securities	12-26	9.8-26	9.8-26	9.8-25	9.8-25	11.8-28	11.8-26	16-26	16-26.5	16-26.5	16-26.5
Unsecured Loans	9.8-30	9.8-33	13-33	13-33	13-35	13-33	13-32	16.5-36	15-36	16.2-36	16-36
Bills Purchased and Discounted	11-22	11-22	10-25	7-25	10-25	10-30	14.5-30	14.5-30	11-30	11-30	11-30
International Interest Rates (Period Average)											
LIBOR on US Dollar Deposits											
Overnight	6.97	6.63	7.56	9.21	8.13	5.78	3.60	3.05	4.24	5.90	5.35
Seven-Days	6.95	6.82	7.68	9.26	8.20	5.87	3.66	3.08	4.31	5.93	5.40
One-Month	6.94	6.99	7.81	9.24	8.29	5.90	3.72	3.16	4.46	5.97	5.44
Three-Months	6.86	7.18	7.98	9.28	8.31	5.99	3.86	3.29	4.74	6.04	5.51
Six-Months	6.85	7.30	8.13	9.27	8.35	6.08	3.90	3.41	5.07	6.10	5.59
One-Year	6.95	7.61	8.41	9.31	8.45	6.29	4.20	3.64	5.59	6.24	5.78
LIBOR on SDR Deposits											
Three-Months	6.65	6.22	6.56	8.40	9.07	7.70	6.27	4.74	3.86	4.60	3.72
Six-Months	6.58	6.31	6.70	8.44	9.17	7.71	6.22	4.64	3.97	4.63	3.79
One-Year	6.58	6.48	6.87	8.46	9.28	7.76	6.34	4.59	4.22	4.72	3.95
LIBOR on Three-Months Deposits											
French Franc	9.46	8.64	8.09	9.35	10.29	9.61	10.37	8.57	5.88	6.68	3.94
Deutsche Mark	4.64	4.06	4.33	7.09	8.51	9.31	9.52	7.30	5.36	4.53	3.31
Japanese Yen	5.12	4.26	4.51	5.46	7.76	7.38	4.46	3.00	2.31	1.27	0.63
Swiss Franc	4.33	3.91	3.20	7.07	8.96	8.25	7.88	4.96	4.16	3.09	3.03
Pound Sterling (Paris Market)	10.97	9.80	10.36	13.94	14.79	11.67	9.70	6.05	5.54	6.73	2.05
US Treasury Bill Rate - 3 Months	5.97	5.83	6.67	8.11	7.51	5.41	3.46	3.02	4.27	5.51	5.04

Note: Domestic Interest rates represent the year end position.
LIBOR - London Inter Bank Offer Rate

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka
International Financial Statistics, October 1997, IMF

TREASURY BILL MARKET 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Primary Market											
Amount Issued/Sold, Rs. Mn.	88,080	112,327	141,800	117,312	119,838	131,568	194,808	158,856	168,369	224,011	226,880
Purchased by Central Bank	75,715	79,225	103,291	77,502	60,987	68,440	109,192	48,201	20,104	19,917	24,401
Commercial Banks	1,662	14,240	15,498	13,857	25,500	21,962	33,911	64,735	101,949	136,963	129,838
Others	10,704	18,785	23,011	25,952	33,350	41,166	51,705	45,920	46,316	67,131	72,641
Weighted Average Price, Rs. - Year End (Per Rs. 100 worth Treasury Bill)											
3 Months	97.25	97.25	95.28	95.67	95.83	96.01	95.77	95.67	95.53	95.41	95.82
6 Months	-	-	-	91.66	91.73	92.43	91.72	91.55	91.20	91.36	92.00
12 Months	-	-	-	83.96	84.49	85.16	84.04	83.77	83.73	84.05	85.19
Weighted Average Yield, % - Year End											
3 Months	11.31	11.31	19.82	18.10	17.41	16.55	17.67	18.09	18.73	19.26	17.45
6 Months	-	-	-	18.20	18.02	16.38	18.05	18.47	19.29	18.91	17.40
12 Months	-	-	-	19.10	18.36	17.43	18.99	19.38	19.43	18.97	17.38
Weighted Average Yield, % - Average											
3 Months	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.84	19.18	14.32	16.31	16.04
6 Months	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.02	19.09	14.75	17.43	16.46
12 Months	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.83	20.53	15.90	17.63	17.17
Central Bank Secondary Treasury Bill Market											
Sales (Discounts), Rs. Mn.	73,438	49,157	61,339	71,155	67,709	80,387	119,366	94,763	21,187	17,044	16,112
Purchases (Re-discounts), Rs. Mn.	32,312	23,181	25,333	23,249	21,097	36,687	49,612	46,851	18,865	35,328	16,821
Ownership of Outstanding Bills, Rs. Mn.											
Central Bank	22,114	22,288	33,270	34,098	30,654	35,032	25,998	5,978	8,979	14,984	19,980
Commercial Banks	150	3,334	3,525	6,282	10,604	9,240	22,760	49,566	53,858	59,742	74,701
Employees' Provident Fund	-	-	-	-	-	1,000	1,100	1,250	2,159	1,424	200
Other Provident Funds	180	489	2,850	6,611	9,684	8,838	10,271	6,668	7,445	7,052	544
Savings Institutions	400	658	575	2,301	1,776	7,287	16,645	25,498	15,901	14,766	8,793
Insurance & Finance Companies	21	137	1,026	3,821	3,848	5,630	6,467	5,863	5,911	8,389	11,535
Departments & Other Official Funds	3,297	2,707	70	3,603	4,748	5,209	2,398	442	547	654	7,971
Other	11	237	2,384	529	655	732	1,457	1,931	4,096	6,759	1,272
Total	26,173	29,850	43,700	57,245	67,968	72,968	87,096	97,196	98,896	113,771	124,996

(a) Provisional

(b) As at end of year

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

SHARE MARKET INDICATORS 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Turnover, Rs. Mn.	142	334	379	255	1,563	5,542	6,159	22,124	34,505	11,249	7,403
Daily Turnover Average, Rs. Mn.	0.5	1.2	1.3	1.0	6.6	23.2	25.5	91.4	146.2	46.9	30.6
No. of Trades	5,125	7,542	13,009	16,740	48,332	91,571	109,930	232,337	404,367	186,275	98,191
No. of Shares Traded, Mn.	6	17	13	12	42	110	113	424	506	316	227
Traded Shares as a % of Total Listed Shares	0.77	2.08	1.41	1.15	3.82	9.10	7.00	18.00	14.94	8.18	5.53
Turnover as a % of GDP	0.08	0.17	0.17	0.10	0.49	1.49	1.45	4.43	5.96	1.68	0.96
Turnover as a % of Market Capitalization	1.20	1.81	2.41	1.49	4.24	6.77	9.30	17.87	24.09	10.53	7.10
Non-National Transactions (Net), Rs. Mn.	-	-	-	-	391	1,330	1,121	3,272	1,334	-90	352
Purchases	-	-	-	-	398	1,764	2,611	10,773	14,473	5,389	4,224
Sales	-	-	-	-	7	434	1,490	7,501	13,139	5,479	3,872
Total Number of Shares Listed, Mn. (b)	779	819	919	1,048	1,099	1,209	1,615	2,355	3,388	3,864	4,103
Value (at par) of Shares, Rs. Mn.	7,790	8,196	9,190	10,404	10,908	11,640	14,660	21,430	30,882	38,325	40,619
Market Capitalization, Rs. Mn. (b)	11,812	18,460	15,694	17,087	36,880	81,840	66,200	123,790	143,210	106,869	104,197
Rate of Market Capitalization, %	51.6	125.2	70.8	64.2	238.1	603.1	351.6	477.6	363.7	178.8	156.5
Market Capitalization as a % of GDP	6.58	9.38	7.07	6.78	11.46	21.98	15.57	24.78	24.73	16.00	13.55
No. of New Shares Offered, Mn.	11	21	20	14	7	12	78	42	190	100	64
Value of New Shares, Rs. Mn. (c)	131	206	201	140	70	326	1,267	1,050	4,589	2,120	2,178
No of New Issues	5	5	10	2	1	6	15	12	21	17	8
No. of Listed Companies	-	-	-	-	175	178	190	201	215	226	235
CSE All Share Price Index (Base, 1985 = 100) (b)	141.4	218.0	172.4	179.5	384.4	837.8	605.3	979.0	986.7	663.7	603.0
CSE Sensitive Price Index (Base, 1985 = 100) (b)	218.2	384.1	309.6	341.7	680.3	1,198.7	826.6	1,442.4	1,438.8	990.5	897.7
Market Price Earning Ratio (PER) (b)	-	-	-	-	-	20.90	12.52	19.56	16.30	11.20	10.7
Market Dividend Yield (b), %	-	-	-	-	-	1.40	2.23	1.41	1.70	4.30	4.1
Market Price to Book Value (b)	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.30	3.50	2.50	1.40	1.1
GDP at Market Prices, Rs. Mn.	179,474	196,723	221,982	251,891	321,724	372,345	425,283	499,565	579,084	667,772	768,934

(a) Provisional

(b) As at End of December

(c) Par Value and Premium

Sources : Colombo Stock Exchange
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SHARE ISSUES 1993 - 1996

Issue & Sector	1993			1994			1995			1996		
	No. of Issues	Shares '000	Value Rs. '000	No. of Issues	Shares '000	Value Rs. '000	No. of Issues	Shares '000	Value Rs. '000	No. of Issues	Shares '000	Value Rs. '000
New Issues												
Banks, Finance & Insurance	3	18,320	528,000	6	101,336	1,825,274	1	14,188	289,760	1	10,000	400,000
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	-	-	-	3	7,000	197,000	1	8,500	382,500	1	5,850	70,200
Hotels & Travels	4	11,505	158,595	-	-	-	1	6,000	240,000	2	9,341	358,019
Land & Property	-	-	-	1	1,550	31,000	1	18,500	185,000	-	-	-
Manufacturing	2	8,250	210,000	4	28,825	1,059,800	7	25,935	1,042,548	1	11,700	585,000
Motors	1	450	24,750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trading	2	2,918	129,365	-	-	-	1	3,300	214,500	-	-	-
Footwear & Textiles	-	-	-	1	7,500	135,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plantations	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	8,000	80,000	4	16,000	160,000
Diversified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1,553	291,979
Total	12	41,442	1,050,710	15	146,211	3,248,074	14	84,423	2,434,308	10	54,444	1,865,198
Right Issues												
Banks, Finance & Insurance	5	14,267	664,607	2	13,500	990,000	3	14,333	433,333	1	5,358	425,040
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	2	1,587	31,148	1	3,062	91,856	1	700	9,800	2	73,511	1,524,684
Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals	2	1,225	31,750	-	-	-	2	1,715	71,450	1	7,800	156,000
Construction & Engineering	1	32,731	327,313	-	-	-	1	1,715	34,307	-	-	-
Hotels & Travels	5	35,019	906,160	9	69,618	1,671,252	2	24,730	254,600	2	140,606	1,452,511
Investment Trust	1	800	13,798	2	1,800	36,000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land & Property	4	39,987	1,175,698	3	47,500	2,075,004	-	-	-	1	3,750	37,500
Manufacturing	4	8,510	395,597	5	27,330	1,047,640	4	15,082	330,000	4	6,680	308,002
Motors	1	954	95,398	1	250	31,250	1	11	1,540	2	9,850	217,750
Services	2	1,716	290,970	2	3,466	1,249,361	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stores & Supplies	2	2,837	33,675	-	-	-	1	3,000	30,333	-	-	-
Trading	2	1,804	65,072	2	6,500	440,000	-	-	-	1	2,126	106,288
Footwear & Textiles	-	-	-	2	5,972	168,039	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	31	141,436	4,031,185	29	178,997	7,800,400	15	61,287	1,165,985	14	249,680	4,227,774
Bonus Issues												
Banks, Finance & Insurance	6	21,985	281,650	7	20,055	200,550	3	12,156	121,556	5	33,697	336,973
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	3	152,984	179,842	3	12,492	124,921	1	456	4,563	2	38,929	389,289
Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals	1	2,187	21,870	1	333	3,333	1	2,310	23,100	2	9,333	93,330
Construction & Engineering	-	-	-	1	1,701	17,011	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hotels & Travels	1	14,663	146,630	5	52,870	528,697	-	-	-	2	9,469	20,444
Investment Trust	1	700	8,200	1	4,140	41,400	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land & Property	-	-	-	2	2,845	28,451	1	14,400	144,000	-	-	-
Manufacturing	2	3,953	39,534	5	24,542	245,418	5	13,071	130,706	4	11,040	110,298
Motors	1	180	900	3	3,781	37,811	1	1,200	12,000	2	10,004	62,236
Services	1	862	8,623	2	4,200	41,997	1	1,140	11,400	-	-	-
Stores & Supplies	1	675	3,375	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trading	2	2,355	23,548	2	5,609	56,089	1	2,000	20,000	2	3,979	39,785
Oil Palm	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8,736	87,360	-	-	-
Footwear & Textiles	-	-	-	1	1,944	19,438	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diversified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5,500	55,000
Total	19	200,545	714,172	33	134,511	1,345,113	17	55,469	554,684	21	121,951	1,107,356

Source : Colombo Stock Exchange

SHARE TRADING INDICATORS BY

Indicator & Quarter	Banks, Insurance & Finance	Beverages, Food & Tobacco	Construction & Engineering	Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals	Diversified	Footwear & Textiles	Hotels & Travels
Shares Traded, '000							
1994 1st Quarter	53,354	47,119	4,050	1,467	—	4,815	18,665
2nd Quarter	19,853	15,275	2,034	695	—	986	8,371
3rd Quarter	33,008	17,736	1,923	541	—	2,971	15,949
4th Quarter	37,296	7,199	967	633	—	2,459	18,606
1995 1st Quarter	28,432	13,412	1,905	1,852	—	6,139	6,703
2nd Quarter	35,618	18,287	1,349	596	—	5,687	6,720
3rd Quarter	25,381	7,027	2,302	618	—	911	6,066
4th Quarter	51,149	10,090	896	273	—	374	3,545
1996 1st Quarter	14,676	11,342	1,938	178	11,680	508	3,933
2nd Quarter	8,098	4,898	1,295	180	7,409	604	2,041
3rd Quarter	9,956	5,321	3,649	128	5,220	312	3,085
4th Quarter	19,988	16,510	2,769	250	11,354	528	2,806
Turnover, Rs. '000							
1994 1st Quarter	6,521,617	1,281,556	163,763	146,097	—	204,538	765,417
2nd Quarter	2,582,595	335,709	97,551	63,934	—	55,746	301,098
3rd Quarter	2,732,110	473,712	61,302	51,848	—	113,479	502,650
4th Quarter	2,651,484	189,758	39,738	42,521	—	60,371	432,707
1995 1st Quarter	1,377,296	157,458	40,158	162,714	—	107,032	182,727
2nd Quarter	1,399,868	198,414	24,948	27,570	—	103,203	108,173
3rd Quarter	1,449,589	87,646	34,699	33,231	—	11,151	105,641
4th Quarter	1,133,595	124,675	10,917	12,918	—	3,768	52,622
1996 1st Quarter	1,384,344	116,480	23,309	10,282	635,207	5,735	46,427
2nd Quarter	475,126	49,614	12,777	12,999	249,061	4,937	36,204
3rd Quarter	388,480	80,970	36,778	6,687	279,310	1,836	47,970
4th Quarter	1,033,064	282,407	37,978	13,918	556,110	4,443	27,769
No. of Trades							
1994 1st Quarter	44,974	16,474	1,770	1,935	—	6,343	16,451
2nd Quarter	19,072	8,073	923	938	—	2,172	7,568
3rd Quarter	38,958	9,408	1,396	772	—	4,761	10,708
4th Quarter	32,809	5,556	1,422	580	—	5,052	7,135
1995 1st Quarter	25,431	5,778	1,286	578	—	3,800	4,282
2nd Quarter	22,634	5,224	625	435	—	2,889	2,672
3rd Quarter	17,592	3,333	949	449	—	1,575	2,327
4th Quarter	12,644	2,573	297	380	—	698	1,379
1996 1st Quarter	9,035	2,909	399	383	2,468	726	1,176
2nd Quarter	6,076	2,123	212	353	1,311	635	922
3rd Quarter	6,752	3,257	459	243	1,088	483	1,104
4th Quarter	10,094	4,908	863	377	2,185	772	1,295
Market Capitalization, Rs. Mn.							
1994 1st Quarter	51,800	16,444	3,427	3,619	—	3,123	20,053
2nd Quarter	43,222	14,384	2,904	2,723	—	2,663	16,082
3rd Quarter	54,312	15,774	3,005	3,191	—	2,707	19,007
4th Quarter	50,409	13,482	2,484	2,709	—	2,753	15,303
1995 1st Quarter	43,556	11,450	2,470	2,381	—	2,029	14,830
2nd Quarter	39,014	10,026	2,162	2,072	—	1,523	12,278
3rd Quarter	34,735	9,842	1,986	2,290	—	1,304	11,073
4th Quarter	35,790	12,042	1,866	2,256	—	1,217	10,949
1996 1st Quarter	37,721	12,280	1,769	2,519	15,071	1,007	11,185
2nd Quarter	30,777	11,247	1,608	2,630	13,279	897	9,198
3rd Quarter	28,806	12,126	1,914	2,764	13,975	860	9,862
4th Quarter	31,414	13,005	2,109	2,796	14,211	875	10,177
Price Index - High Average							
1994 1st Quarter	3,982.6	1,119.8	544.2	1,467.3	—	1,121.4	900.3
2nd Quarter	3,484.5	937.3	448.6	1,256.6	—	1,056.2	824.2
3rd Quarter	3,559.3	901.1	379.3	1,134.0	—	906.4	761.5
4th Quarter	3,453.7	874.0	376.0	1,097.6	—	850.0	713.8
1995 1st Quarter	3,140.1	789.5	315.9	951.4	—	698.8	626.8
2nd Quarter	2,508.3	599.9	290.3	816.8	—	504.8	521.1
3rd Quarter	2,322.8	555.2	251.8	770.6	—	403.3	447.5
4th Quarter	2,070.3	555.7	228.3	765.4	—	333.5	392.0
1996 1st Quarter	2,281.8	562.0	222.7	899.1	121.8	308.7	369.5
2nd Quarter	2,100.9	537.1	206.3	912.7	115.6	266.1	313.3
3rd Quarter	1,736.2	498.8	220.3	894.0	105.3	229.4	286.2
4th Quarter	1,821.5	559.0	245.3	938.8	112.3	251.3	302.3

SECTOR OF COMPANIES 1994 - 1996

Investment Trust	Land & Property	Manu- facturing	Motors	Oil Palms	Plantations	Stores & Suppliers	Services	Trading
3,391	13,969	37,858	3,834	20	—	1,418	2,359	7,246
931	4,479	27,060	1,697	1	—	132	983	3,320
2,290	5,721	44,469	2,393	0	—	95	805	4,736
1,097	3,966	15,045	814	2	—	18	965	1,226
1,515	3,869	15,857	710	2	—	28	1,319	2,292
1,501	2,574	14,361	907	0	—	2	1,753	966
652	2,420	11,799	2	23	—	57	1,201	1,732
1,193	5,969	8,693	501	21	—	89	404	560
109	5,979	12,558	1,059	5	151	3	172	305
92	1,707	7,375	1,222	20	122	6	65	1,154
112	1,188	6,702	965	0	408	1	42	829
85	1,779	25,165	895	0	5,068	216	217	205
1,027,311	505,035	2,783,917	385,788	10,365	—	55,229	898,621	731,299
224,473	143,899	1,510,694	144,340	330	—	23,695	233,909	309,254
522,050	131,261	2,928,993	229,204	32	—	14,564	128,408	414,481
142,395	92,487	884,880	49,997	557	—	1,934	133,867	89,596
265,403	74,197	664,491	26,853	611	—	3,782	150,300	275,458
219,445	34,155	531,642	64,091	86	—	356	280,121	146,241
105,029	32,461	360,195	68,555	7,743	—	5,854	183,996	185,914
182,924	45,558	237,756	19,645	6,302	2	9,417	68,781	74,474
2,092	38,090	404,570	45,200	1,550	2,684	237	4,868	9,299
3,413	21,574	184,230	39,309	6,203	1,919	423	1,802	41,366
1,389	8,912	146,275	30,453	102	7,734	58	1,166	20,622
1,240	10,873	319,729	30,839	59	124,698	19,925	6,374	6,836
2,396	10,126	31,985	2,941	22	—	482	1,442	5,110
1,138	4,159	23,578	1,095	3	—	168	687	2,100
1,823	4,756	33,575	1,594	1	—	121	645	3,097
1,317	4,884	17,175	846	5	—	42	586	1,420
1,402	4,383	13,792	749	13	—	48	546	2,303
855	2,730	10,326	621	3	—	15	502	948
612	2,816	10,142	625	14	—	68	532	1,039
480	2,252	7,300	558	6	1	40	234	620
187	1,293	6,561	552	1	68	22	159	318
141	802	4,785	697	6	85	16	94	249
124	828	5,000	492	4	321	17	116	294
146	907	9,866	292	2	534	50	221	365
8,351	5,998	23,224	3,318	1,049	—	1,835	5,951	9,331
8,059	4,901	20,556	2,799	1,041	—	1,675	5,213	8,090
8,088	5,322	28,333	2,836	1,041	—	1,825	5,626	9,009
9,135	4,890	24,633	2,503	1,067	—	1,722	5,234	7,360
7,964	4,937	21,314	2,031	1,206	—	1,590	3,694	7,580
7,103	4,353	20,144	2,121	1,195	—	1,592	3,687	6,595
6,467	3,738	18,422	1,759	1,167	—	1,263	3,414	5,731
6,332	3,808	18,501	1,621	1,113	600	1,234	3,465	6,076
884	3,509	18,105	1,733	1,117	1,620	1,235	635	2,685
797	3,226	16,088	1,663	1,117	2,010	1,196	604	2,315
781	3,458	14,478	1,431	1,117	2,810	1,135	644	2,265
658	3,507	15,915	1,344	1,135	3,075	1,011	709	2,257
4,170.4	304.8	1,072.0	925.2	1,016.9	—	1,360.5	2,798.4	1,838.1
3,442.7	251.6	942.0	848.3	1,001.1	—	1,288.8	2,333.3	1,517.1
3,483.0	229.1	984.1	734.7	993.7	—	1,324.1	1,908.3	1,372.7
4,012.1	224.9	958.5	712.9	1,018.7	—	1,293.4	1,032.4	1,414.9
3,855.5	197.3	857.2	639.6	1,151.6	—	1,231.5	1,776.1	1,235.3
3,155.7	167.1	622.0	538.8	1,151.6	—	1,142.2	1,274.9	1,060.5
3,119.5	152.2	576.6	534.4	1,141.4	—	1,117.7	1,262.4	944.0
2,653.8	132.0	504.7	437.3	1,114.2	150.0	872.8	1,232.4	857.3
2,542.4	131.0	484.2	455.4	1,066.0	178.1	868.0	1,193.9	912.1
2,488.2	128.1	470.6	423.8	1,066.0	220.9	863.4	1,129.7	895.5
2,270.7	124.1	415.4	384.4	1,066.0	312.2	839.6	1,142.6	776.4
2,266.6	128.7	387.0	374.1	1,083.4	422.6	796.6	1,255.1	777.5

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SHARE TRADING INDICATORS BY

Indicator & Quarter	Banks, Insurance & Finance	Beverages, Food & Tobacco	Construction & Engineering	Chemicals & Pharmac- uticals	Diversified	Footwear & Textiles	Hotels & Travels
Price Index - Low Average							
1994 1st Quarter	2,696.6	756.0	393.4	1,009.4	-	784.6	710.8
2nd Quarter	2,597.8	700.0	294.1	922.9	-	789.3	589.8
3rd Quarter	2,793.6	761.9	307.6	950.0	-	786.5	588.6
4th Quarter	2,924.8	710.5	285.9	930.2	-	658.5	559.6
1995 1st Quarter	2,305.0	584.5	262.1	799.0	-	490.9	519.2
2nd Quarter	1,841.0	468.7	228.7	673.6	-	380.8	417.8
3rd Quarter	1,921.2	472.2	227.6	695.1	-	330.0	385.7
4th Quarter	1,883.4	463.0	206.8	673.0	-	307.7	368.2
1996 1st Quarter	1,989.6	510.8	190.4	733.5	98.5	254.8	310.2
2nd Quarter	1,723.4	492.0	183.7	865.1	100.1	226.9	283.6
3rd Quarter	1,537.2	454.4	183.2	836.7	96.0	213.0	270.3
4th Quarter	1,595.9	504.1	201.6	864.6	105.1	210.1	282.4
Price Index - Average							
1994 1st Quarter	3,429.5	942.8	483.5	1,243.8	-	958.7	805.7
2nd Quarter	2,969.3	800.0	377.1	1,085.4	-	921.9	693.9
3rd Quarter	3,055.7	815.5	344.4	1,014.8	-	838.2	643.5
4th Quarter	3,233.5	794.6	329.4	1,031.9	-	767.2	652.9
1995 1st Quarter	2,706.0	663.6	281.4	868.1	-	569.4	560.5
2nd Quarter	2,215.9	529.8	250.6	731.6	-	437.7	454.3
3rd Quarter	2,189.9	521.8	239.3	739.8	-	379.1	424.5
4th Quarter	1,958.9	504.0	214.7	724.2	-	321.2	377.1
1996 1st Quarter	2,107.8	529.9	211.5	788.4	109.1	283.0	336.7
2nd Quarter	1,964.7	514.9	195.1	889.2	107.6	249.8	300.9
3rd Quarter	1,598.4	470.5	195.8	859.4	99.6	222.1	279.1
4th Quarter	1,711.5	525.7	228.6	895.5	109.4	226.7	293.2
Market Dividend Yield, %							
1994 1st Quarter	0.80	2.45	0.05	2.47	-	1.67	0.96
2nd Quarter	0.86	3.55	0.06	3.35	-	2.27	1.36
3rd Quarter	0.65	3.21	0.05	2.91	-	1.56	1.03
4th Quarter	0.94	4.13	0.09	3.51	-	2.32	1.17
1995 1st Quarter	1.27	4.75	0.09	4.05	-	4.40	1.21
2nd Quarter	1.80	5.97	0.11	4.74	-	5.86	1.45
3rd Quarter	2.03	6.86	0.12	4.73	-	6.46	1.60
4th Quarter	2.15	10.33	0.31	4.65	-	9.38	5.11
1996 1st Quarter	2.14	8.26	0.30	4.15	1.29	11.32	6.13
2nd Quarter	2.39	9.37	0.31	4.79	1.53	13.62	6.29
3rd Quarter	2.49	8.59	0.31	4.54	1.44	14.37	6.27
4th Quarter	2.29	7.67	0.33	4.59	1.41	14.24	5.06
Marker Price Earning Ratio							
1994 1st Quarter	29.75	25.37	130.22	15.15	-	22.96	30.11
2nd Quarter	19.20	18.81	110.36	10.70	-	13.62	19.95
3rd Quarter	23.55	21.06	114.25	12.75	-	16.17	27.14
4th Quarter	17.79	15.39	1.41	8.69	-	14.28	19.55
1995 1st Quarter	13.66	11.83	2.10	7.55	-	10.64	18.59
2nd Quarter	10.33	11.12	4.86	6.35	-	7.98	15.35
3rd Quarter	9.83	9.50	9.14	6.75	-	5.33	13.72
4th Quarter	10.29	11.55	8.74	7.32	-	6.42	17.13
1996 1st Quarter	10.32	9.82	8.29	8.17	16.43	5.31	17.50
2nd Quarter	8.63	9.03	8.95	6.35	16.92	6.22	16.68
3rd Quarter	8.08	8.96	10.65	7.31	17.81	3.32	23.58
4th Quarter	8.87	10.43	12.15	8.12	18.21	3.38	25.86
Market Price to Book Value							
1994 1st Quarter	6.59	3.96	5.49	2.49	-	2.91	2.96
2nd Quarter	4.23	3.45	4.65	1.84	-	2.07	1.91
3rd Quarter	5.62	3.86	4.82	2.10	-	3.02	2.53
4th Quarter	3.93	2.79	2.27	1.65	-	2.42	1.45
1995 1st Quarter	2.91	2.48	2.28	1.43	-	1.28	1.41
2nd Quarter	1.15	2.07	1.91	1.20	-	0.96	1.15
3rd Quarter	1.82	1.72	1.53	1.29	-	0.77	0.87
4th Quarter	1.67	2.37	1.17	1.35	-	0.72	0.81
1996 1st Quarter	1.79	2.13	1.11	1.51	1.27	0.60	0.83
2nd Quarter	1.36	1.83	0.88	1.42	0.97	0.55	0.67
3rd Quarter	1.21	1.57	1.04	1.46	1.02	0.73	0.73
4th Quarter	1.31	1.67	1.08	1.45	1.02	0.74	0.73

SECTOR OF COMPANIES 1994 - 1996 (Contd.)

Investment Trust	Land & Property	Manu- facturing	Motors	Oil Palms	Plantations	Stores & Suppliers	Services	Trading
3,271.6	207.0	695.7	720.8	1,001.1	-	1,170.9	1,838.6	1,172.0
2,849.3	188.6	697.0	649.7	993.5	-	1,198.4	1,735.0	1,033.2
3,100.0	192.3	755.7	682.9	99.5	-	1,196.2	1,766.3	1,205.2
3,235.1	189.5	768.2	598.6	982.9	-	1,212.3	1,725.3	1,083.5
2,910.8	162.5	579.5	479.3	1,018.7	-	1,137.4	1,253.0	997.7
2,478.7	141.1	479.2	446.1	1,141.4	-	1,117.7	1,133.3	856.9
2,542.8	127.4	496.7	439.9	1,114.2	-	886.4	1,158.6	803.7
2,495.0	122.1	148.8	363.0	1,062.2	100.0	848.7	1,141.1	771.2
2,429.9	126.1	448.9	389.1	1,062.2	150.0	852.5	1,110.9	802.1
2,244.6	117.0	417.3	372.3	1,066.0	178.1	839.6	1,067.8	764.6
2,198.7	114.4	356.6	333.6	1,066.0	216.0	796.6	1,049.5	735.5
1,831.6	121.4	352.8	316.2	1,066.0	310.5	709.4	1,137.5	714.0
3,637.5	241.2	910.9	831.4	1,005.2	-	1,258.7	2,354.9	1,490.1
3,192.8	214.8	791.0	739.8	997.3	-	1,251.3	2,015.7	1,242.2
3,209.0	209.5	852.4	703.9	993.5	-	1,254.9	1,818.7	1,266.2
3,558.8	205.2	883.3	664.2	987.6	-	1,268.6	1,901.9	1,246.3
3,389.6	178.8	689.9	541.3	1,034.0	-	1,176.7	1,541.0	1,106.9
2,856.2	152.8	545.4	490.9	1,147.8	-	1,130.5	1,210.5	938.8
2,861.5	144.9	547.1	510.7	1,137.7	-	1,005.1	1,223.2	887.5
2,553.3	127.5	486.6	392.3	1,075.1	117.9	861.1	1,192.7	803.9
2,483.1	128.8	467.6	412.3	1,065.8	159.8	862.4	1,152.7	854.2
2,380.9	123.7	455.1	391.4	1,066.0	199.5	849.3	1,107.5	803.4
2,242.0	118.5	369.1	355.4	1,066.0	231.7	816.8	1,079.9	753.0
2,115.6	124.8	370.1	343.8	1,079.0	354.4	758.3	1,193.4	751.4
0.66	4.27	1.13	1.42	1.31	-	0.88	0.84	1.17
0.68	5.31	1.01	1.74	1.31	-	0.96	0.94	1.39
0.68	4.80	0.76	1.79	1.32	-	0.89	0.87	1.25
0.78	6.09	1.30	2.55	1.52	-	1.08	1.30	1.98
0.09	6.03	1.25	3.14	1.03	-	1.16	1.91	1.89
1.18	6.83	1.68	3.11	1.03	-	1.17	2.01	2.55
1.34	12.11	2.06	4.04	1.06	-	1.54	2.20	2.94
1.71	15.64	4.54	4.56	2.97	0.00	1.54	2.43	2.96
2.75	17.36	4.54	4.26	2.96	0.00	1.54	6.63	4.80
3.05	17.96	6.19	5.10	2.96	15.00	1.61	6.54	5.70
2.95	9.63	5.98	6.12	3.71	5.77	1.62	6.33	5.51
11.85	10.85	6.44	6.05	3.66	6.25	1.82	3.88	5.54
41.75	16.79	29.76	20.48	17.73	-	29.93	27.31	25.44
40.45	13.16	22.98	17.04	17.72	-	27.28	24.36	22.10
40.28	14.55	28.68	16.32	17.59	-	29.69	26.32	24.41
21.92	9.99	18.67	12.08	18.60	-	16.85	20.42	17.54
18.54	9.03	16.69	9.81	27.35	-	15.69	13.68	17.34
11.10	8.41	16.16	7.67	27.46	-	15.34	12.76	12.78
9.86	7.84	12.21	5.91	26.68	-	14.81	12.11	11.13
11.47	9.02	12.34	5.50	11.57	-	21.37	11.76	12.87
10.98	8.50	12.06	5.88	11.61	0.00	21.39	7.42	10.79
9.90	7.87	9.78	5.80	11.61	8.47	20.72	8.12	7.74
13.28	9.34	9.57	4.84	9.93	9.46	19.66	8.47	7.83
12.72	9.14	10.99	4.97	10.09	10.35	24.41	11.07	7.75
4.37	1.76	5.48	2.99	1.65	-	2.81	4.59	3.07
4.24	1.39	4.14	2.59	1.65	-	2.59	4.09	2.78
4.22	1.54	5.46	2.51	1.64	-	2.80	4.42	3.08
1.92	1.20	2.97	1.80	1.39	-	1.88	2.92	1.93
1.68	1.21	2.88	1.47	2.04	-	1.75	2.03	1.97
1.41	1.07	2.56	1.44	2.05	-	1.74	1.47	1.50
1.20	0.83	1.88	1.11	1.99	-	1.34	1.35	1.16
1.15	0.68	1.68	0.98	1.47	0.00	1.31	1.35	1.22
2.29	0.66	1.62	1.05	1.48	0.00	1.31	1.11	1.01
2.06	0.61	1.37	0.92	1.48	1.06	1.27	0.75	0.83
2.08	0.65	1.16	0.78	1.38	1.01	1.20	0.79	0.82
1.42	0.67	1.25	0.69	1.40	1.11	0.95	0.84	0.82

Source : Colombo Stock Exchange

SHARE TRADING INDICATORS BY

Indicator & Quarter	Asian Hotels Corporation Ltd.	Bata Shoe Company of Ceylon Ltd.	Lanka Ceramic Ltd.	Central Finance Co. Ltd.	Chemical Industries Colombo Ltd.	Comm. Bank of Ceylon Ltd.	Ceylon Oxygen Ltd.	Ceylon Tobacco Co. Ltd.	Dev. Finance Corporation	Colombo Dockyard Ltd.
No. of Trades										
1994 1st Quarter	1,147	1,040	495	570	187	969	815	850	2,021	1,258
2nd Quarter	1,114	436	305	207	86	411	369	260	1,173	483
3rd Quarter	942	536	1,150	58	82	287	263	329	1,207	1,191
4th Quarter	1,023	175	343	125	41	211	165	191	706	1,076
1995 1st Quarter	885	84	274	85	59	238	119	250	587	1,157
2nd Quarter	363	124	90	348	37	220	181	178	976	583
3rd Quarter	248	87	66	217	31	258	76	204	1,081	919
4th Quarter	241	79	151	107	18	196	75	250	578	277
1996 1st Quarter	147	76	105	118	37	709	56	368	560	377
2nd Quarter	67	66	42	39	19	256	54	200	322	208
3rd Quarter	47	50	42	100	32	280	52	236	270	441
4th Quarter	2	38	273	68	45	628	72	283	266	844
Turnover, Rs. '000										
1994 1st Quarter	100,757	33,538	343,980	274,224	14,570	412,837	35,266	55,342	977,507	154,124
2nd Quarter	28,729	9,032	189,767	136,900	10,123	65,387	21,751	5,429	788,221	51,329
3rd Quarter	217,928	28,200	955,625	9,388	19,818	49,870	19,209	29,884	561,931	46,879
4th Quarter	284,225	8,461	86,598	118,457	6,065	51,372	3,560	2,494	525,404	18,366
1995 1st Quarter	62,591	1,766	83,319	28,968	140,775	43,528	9,472	5,011	149,806	30,066
2nd Quarter	61,715	1,712	103,153	70,563	507	33,655	45,464	1,920	274,515	20,426
3rd Quarter	34,967	741	5,518	43,971	370	27,521	3,403	3,165	500,583	31,653
4th Quarter	31,541	1,233	39,278	30,982	169	27,919	6,796	4,232	383,604	10,058
1996 1st Quarter	30,212	3,141	26,789	21,620	453	95,881	568	26,750	678,354	22,106
2nd Quarter	1,665	741	4,385	5,948	755	29,121	12,478	2,697	150,428	12,478
3rd Quarter	9,873	360	566	16,519	610	10,460	959	3,861	129,709	36,063
4th Quarter	10,453	299	8,163	11,326	1,114	27,036	577	17,757	287,056	36,951
No. of Shares Traded, 000										
1994 1st Quarter	1,805	620	2,698	466	105	943	248	979	1,615	3,635
2nd Quarter	1,614	177	1,992	236	90	197	162	140	1,567	1,689
3rd Quarter	6,798	471	9,310	18	154	144	150	787	1,076	1,826
4th Quarter	13,670	148	869	211	57	160	32	74	968	794
1995 1st Quarter	3,345	41	1,436	65	1,407	157	123	185	310	1,660
2nd Quarter	4,116	52	2,044	335	7	193	615	80	653	1,328
3rd Quarter	2,203	26	108	160	5	144	51	130	1,486	2,205
4th Quarter	2,036	46	969	127	3	149	123	150	1,285	888
1996 1st Quarter	2,417	123	659	75	7	413	11	935	2,110	1,935
2nd Quarter	191	28	95	23	13	197	15	102	471	1,294
3rd Quarter	1,235	16	19	68	12	100	19	140	472	3,643
4th Quarter	1,140	13	269	47	22	226	10	599	1,026	2,762
Price - Average										
1994 1st Quarter	52.09	52.78	121.52	534.93	141.79	445.06	142.03	52.45	573.36	41.50
2nd Quarter	43.03	49.25	100.46	568.73	113.24	335.93	127.98	38.08	496.55	28.41
3rd Quarter	29.84	51.39	97.16	530.99	123.11	349.80	117.60	36.78	533.00	25.28
4th Quarter	26.55	56.65	97.14	568.05	112.53	327.69	109.80	34.33	549.31	22.49
1995 1st Quarter	18.97	43.47	68.31	425.66	97.90	263.30	84.86	27.72	473.84	18.25
2nd Quarter	15.46	32.17	53.29	238.76	73.73	183.94	70.56	23.10	415.66	14.93
3rd Quarter	15.05	28.32	53.17	258.72	71.85	187.45	65.03	24.27	337.45	14.06
4th Quarter	15.12	27.03	40.39	242.23	60.31	189.9	53.55	28.39	299.20	11.63
1996 1st Quarter	11.84	27.27	42.82	257.19	60.81	229.39	53.77	27.80	327.66	10.63
2nd Quarter	9.51	25.79	45.47	262.24	56.83	142.58	55.17	26.43	319.13	9.05
3rd Quarter	8.08	22.47	27.14	241.20	51.94	109.13	49.21	26.06	273.26	9.83
4th Quarter	10.02	23.05	30.64	239.91	52.13	119.42	56.82	28.65	275.14	12.95

MAJOR COMPANIES (BLUE CHIPS) 1994 - 1996

Ceylon Grain Elevators Ltd.	Hatton National Bank Ltd.	John Keells Holdings Ltd.	Korea Ceylon Footwear Mfg. Co.	Lanka Orix Leasing Co. Ltd.	Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka	National Develop- ment Bank	Pure Beverages Co. Ltd.	Richard Pieris & Co. Ltd.	Sampath Bank Ltd.	Aitken Spence & Co. Ltd.	United Motors Lanka Ltd.
581	791	990	462	275	4,670	2,665	1626	704	6,851	304	980
283	273	630	259	241	2,053	1,597	1,230	287	2,915	203	548
582	288	659	199	182	2,831	1,415	1,586	175	3,512	161	914
746	257	262	104	124	2,242	532	363	276	2,945	177	457
524	245	448	54	87	2,483	613	125	149	2,410	190	476
659	358	425	32	73	1,530	1,115	124	160	1,521	279	380
376	282	328	50	80	1,552	918	89	94	1,552	297	340
219	266	301	19	66	911	292	135	76	917	117	302
220	293	498	61	61	571	239	69	233	1,293	113	356
84	288	183	107	33	550	214	63	118	658	46	539
232	192	198	37	56	835	160	42	130	593	57	370
1,846	208	227	222	64	1,072	202	82	74	559	103	151
306,303	138,057	904,801	65,093	228,709	540,560	1,023,615	157,216	198,126	590,790	844,248	185,109
93,480	107,432	173,485	31,526	95,709	132,944	462,738	42,638	107,501	177,931	219,305	63,900
117,039	178,102	457,294	35,538	77,769	119,227	388,234	168,315	33,487	226,004	106,226	51,253
90,754	259,288	85,460	8,022	64,805	95,938	232,985	45,610	98,998	125,221	110,369	20,312
38,742	30,353	171,150	1,426	23,582	126,576	234,322	1,386	22,111	124,690	124,056	16,395
72,570	135,852	207,300	1,616	23,207	35,107	281,363	12,378	51,267	92,992	271,454	13,215
34,839	66,824	99,955	1,768	7,692	46,008	387,476	2,004	11,431	129,210	175,471	42,383
36,025	56,220	180,425	54	59,557	20,231	140,054	1,456	7,101	65,396	66,782	7,805
22,471	87,770	236,632	501	4,424	9,975	120,919	484	137,598	226,885	143,211	23,767
4,027	48,075	159,734	2,787	15,316	5,142	73,182	277	60,415	60,897	23,310	25,969
8,837	20,125	162,921	464	27,762	9,975	33,603	166	60,912	54,441	72,967	17,331
126,250	15,783	336,397	3,070	101,219	12,716	91,206	1,195	24,639	291,323	39,875	24,185
1,786	274	2,283	467	763	4,600	2,380	1,805	1,707	8,800	1,420	2,618
615	218	582	235	367	1,593	1,199	845	636	3,212	600	1,200
707	361	1,521	374	291	1,701	914	2,614	316	4,035	347	1,109
748	450	299	95	225	1,336	524	613	577	2,351	329	478
661	62	783	24	93	2,054	626	24	203	2,633	587	568
1,480	265	1,168	52	105	765	1,284	320	628	2,068	1,481	549
649	124	516	71	40	1,341	1,506	62	128	2,698	919	1,532
759	109	1,118	3	395	795	660	51	100	1,391	354	326
579	203	1,433	36	28	436	511	26	2,102	4,421	785	794
127	167	982	301	99	339	325	17	842	1,214	132	959
615	97	961	52	259	780	172	11	647	1,251	554	580
13,105	68	1,769	256	712	593	454	75	253	6,282	356	687
166.83	502.17	370.78	133.93	296.43	113.45	423.72	82.91	234.86	66.41	542.54	69.13
150.71	486.13	296.79	127.95	262.52	89.35	372.70	51.57	168.48	54.60	351.65	52.49
162.07	481.65	302.96	95.25	262.90	69.86	419.68	64.38	173.91	54.58	311.10	46.40
126.53	564.05	290.94	81.64	282.87	71.00	437.53	70.34	169.20	52.64	328.75	40.31
60.19	496.81	228.29	56.34	250.19	60.56	363.10	57.37	116.42	47.65	229.12	29.84
47.04	510.73	177.26	28.66	218.72	46.41	234.58	41.07	84.31	44.59	183.19	23.94
51.58	523.77	193.47	25.30	204.35	40.25	247.76	32.45	87.91	46.95	190.30	26.91
47.05	520.60	162.64	17.69	154.56	25.55	214.63	26.58	71.31	46.63	190.31	25.18
39.31	405.71	161.04	15.01	158.72	22.31	240.28	18.63	67.14	49.19	182.82	27.54
33.65	271.19	162.97	11.90	155.25	17.41	226.15	15.95	71.26	49.75	172.31	25.77
15.33	203.49	157.76	9.70	109.43	13.64	188.16	14.47	78.18	43.56	132.61	29.12
12.85	230.84	187.54	12.03	135.17	21.25	199.05	15.99	88.26	45.73	114.20	32.74

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SHARE TRADING INDICATORS BY

Indicator & Quarter	Asian Hotels Corporation Ltd.	Bata Shoe Company of Ceylon Ltd.	Lanka Ceramic Ltd.	Central Finance Co. Ltd.	Chemical Industries Colombo Ltd.	Comm. Bank of Ceylon Ltd.	Ceylon Oxygen Ltd.	Ceylon Tobacco Co. Ltd.	Dev. Finance Corporation	Colombo Dockyard Ltd.
Price - High										
1994 1st Quarter	63.00	73.00	155.50	637.00	190.00	525.00	173.00	65.50	680.00	47.00
2nd Quarter	60.00	64.00	130.00	615.00	128.00	415.00	140.00	49.00	575.00	36.00
3rd Quarter	38.00	68.25	118.00	600.00	140.00	410.00	134.00	41.00	618.00	30.00
4th Quarter	32.00	63.50	109.00	585.50	128.00	380.00	115.50	38.75	610.00	26.00
1995 1st Quarter	23.50	50.00	95.00	530.25	107.00	310.00	105.00	33.00	550.00	23.25
2nd Quarter	17.50	38.00	60.00	345.00	91.00	237.00	81.00	27.50	500.00	18.50
3rd Quarter	17.00	30.25	57.00	320.00	78.00	199.75	68.00	29.00	385.00	15.50
4th Quarter	17.00	28.25	47.00	260.00	62.50	225.00	56.00	35.00	315.00	13.00
1996 1st Quarter	14.25	30.00	52.00	310.50	63.50	275.00	58.00	37.00	360.00	11.75
2nd Quarter	10.50	28.50	47.00	285.00	60.00	157.00	58.00	27.50	345.00	10.00
3rd Quarter	9.50	24.00	37.75	243.25	55.00	122.00	53.00	30.00	305.50	12.00
4th Quarter	10.50	24.00	33.00	247.00	57.00	140.00	58.25	32.75	295.00	14.75
Price - Low										
1994 1st Quarter	45.00	40.00	80.50	435.00	110.00	353.75	120.00	39.00	430.25	33.00
2nd Quarter	25.00	35.00	84.00	500.00	105.00	300.00	110.00	31.00	410.00	20.00
3rd Quarter	26.00	44.00	79.75	500.00	102.50	310.00	110.00	33.00	490.00	22.00
4th Quarter	18.00	45.00	74.00	512.00	100.00	275.00	100.00	28.50	486.50	18.00
1995 1st Quarter	16.50	37.00	51.00	350.00	89.00	225.00	71.25	24.00	409.75	16.25
2nd Quarter	13.50	27.00	48.00	176.00	64.00	150.00	58.00	19.00	315.00	12.50
3rd Quarter	13.50	27.00	45.50	230.00	65.00	175.00	60.00	21.50	295.00	13.00
4th Quarter	13.50	26.00	39.00	230.00	60.00	175.00	50.00	23.00	280.00	10.00
1996 1st Quarter	10.00	25.00	39.50	230.00	57.00	155.00	50.25	22.50	298.00	8.50
2nd Quarter	8.00	24.00	42.50	240.00	53.00	119.00	53.00	25.50	301.00	8.00
3rd Quarter	7.00	21.00	25.00	239.00	50.00	89.00	46.75	23.75	263.00	8.50
4th Quarter	9.00	21.50	27.75	233.00	46.75	97.00	52.00	28.00	260.00	10.25
Market Capitalization, Rs. Mn.										
1994 1st Quarter	4,106	750	3,960	1,827	729	4,816	804	4,588	12,467	3,134
2nd Quarter	2,053	597	2,700	1,689	567	3,981	675	3,823	11,588	2,245
3rd Quarter	4,449	713	3,300	1,781	713	4,600	690	3,632	13,827	2,432
4th Quarter	2,873	667	2,565	1,608	556	3,588	600	2,867	11,333	1,918
1995 1st Quarter	2,452	488	1,913	1,096	513	2,938	486	2,580	10,427	1,660
2nd Quarter	2,207	353	1,740	700	367	2,188	390	2,150	8,500	1,403
3rd Quarter	1,892	329	1,365	700	356	2,194	408	2,198	9,067	1,216
4th Quarter	2,032	329	1,170	746	324	2,500	300	3,297	9,067	1,029
1996 1st Quarter	2,803	323	1,410	883	308	3,120	330	3,613	10,427	912
2nd Quarter	1,313	293	1,275	746	286	2,400	318	3,512	9,097	795
3rd Quarter	1,992	271	825	734	297	2,406	318	3,813	8,039	1,122
4th Quarter	2,214	268	930	716	265	3,100	468	3,947	7,858	1,356

MAJOR COMPANIES (BLUE CHIPS) 1994 - 1996 (Contd.)

Ceylon Grain Elevators Ltd.	Hatton National Bank Ltd.	John Keells Holdings Ltd.	Korea Ceylon Footwear Mfg. Co.	Lanka Orix Leasing Co. Ltd.	Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka	National Develop- ment Bank	Pure Beverages Co. Ltd.	Richard Pieris & Co. Ltd.	Sampath Bank Ltd.	Aitken Spence & Co. Ltd.	United Motors Lanka Ltd.
230.00	615.00	430.25	167.00	331.75	168.00	490.00	127.25	280.00	87.00	635.00	77.00
190.00	585.00	325.00	150.00	295.00	135.00	435.25	67.50	190.00	70.00	520.00	63.75
195.00	575.00	335.00	100.00	290.00	79.50	485.00	75.50	212.25	64.50	333.00	53.00
185.00	590.00	315.00	90.00	300.00	81.00	470.00	75.00	200.00	60.00	365.00	46.00
83.00	535.00	295.00	67.00	300.00	77.00	430.00	67.00	145.00	60.00	297.50	39.00
56.25	565.00	200.00	43.00	240.00	56.75	326.50	48.00	100.00	48.75	196.25	27.25
56.00	550.00	215.00	28.50	218.00	49.25	275.00	38.00	96.00	50.25	194.50	31.25
50.25	600.00	178.00	18.00	165.00	30.50	222.00	31.50	75.00	50.00	200.00	27.00
44.25	599.00	198.00	18.50	170.00	25.00	273.00	20.00	73.00	55.00	190.00	32.25
38.25	310.00	186.75	15.25	157.25	21.00	240.50	17.00	72.75	52.25	180.00	30.00
20.50	220.00	177.00	11.00	125.00	17.00	200.00	16.00	102.00	48.75	156.00	34.00
17.00	260.00	197.00	15.00	152.00	25.00	210.00	17.00	102.00	47.00	130.00	38.00
120.00	375.00	310.00	103.00	270.00	80.25	345.00	57.00	149.00	53.25	410.00	60.00
128.00	390.00	255.25	90.00	230.00	68.25	300.00	37.00	150.00	43.00	290.00	39.00
140.00	430.00	280.50	85.00	245.00	59.00	375.00	50.75	155.00	48.00	300.00	43.00
68.00	500.00	246.25	69.75	260.00	65.00	381.00	62.00	130.00	47.00	290.00	32.50
45.00	460.00	190.00	45.00	218.00	45.00	300.00	45.00	95.00	37.00	185.00	23.00
38.00	485.00	142.00	24.50	190.00	35.00	190.00	37.00	75.00	35.00	167.00	17.00
45.00	495.00	166.00	20.00	165.00	22.75	205.00	28.00	77.00	44.00	182.00	24.00
43.00	479.50	136.00	17.50	150.00	21.75	205.00	19.00	68.00	44.25	180.00	23.00
35.00	307.00	135.00	10.75	153.00	20.50	210.50	17.00	63.50	45.00	175.00	23.00
21.50	215.00	145.00	8.50	155.00	12.00	195.00	14.50	68.00	48.25	159.00	22.75
14.00	195.00	143.75	8.25	105.25	10.00	169.75	14.00	68.00	40.00	125.00	26.50
9.00	200.00	173.00	10.00	108.25	17.00	190.00	14.25	76.00	43.00	89.50	26.50
4,988	7,140	6,280	1,312	2,025	3,500	7,442	1,172	1,465	2,967	4,463	611
4,200	5,100	6,110	972	2,286	2,800	6,650	945	1,753	2,214	3,883	593
4,905	6,720	6,100	1,137	2,610	3,663	8,155	1,418	2,170	2,569	4,310	562
2,145	6,420	6,615	881	2,430	3,400	7,263	1,172	1,461	2,225	3,883	464
2,940	5,940	4,778	569	2,250	2,838	5,740	870	1,256	2,126	2,459	324
3,090	6,000	4,655	328	1,962	2,238	4,253	718	1,024	2,004	2,485	296
2,700	6,204	4,220	253	1,485	1,313	3,798	529	967	1,993	2,394	302
2,670	6,840	3,920	227	1,352	1,150	3,850	1,437	934	2,015	2,420	324
2,220	6,140	5,285	136	1,420	1,038	4,218	1,342	883	2,347	2,459	385
1,290	4,320	4,060	133	1,395	638	3,413	1,210	902	2,170	2,305	389
900	4,000	4,956	107	974	838	3,421	1,059	1,245	1,993	1,884	498
840	5,200	5,495	177	1,292	1,175	3,413	1,248	973	2,037	1,297	396

Source : Colombo Stock Exchange

FOREIGN TRADING OF SHARES BY

Indicator & Quarter	Banks, Insurance & Finance	Beverages, Food & Tobacco	Construction & Engineering	Chemicals & Phamac- uticals	Diversified	Footwear & Textiles	Hotels & Travels
Sales - No. of Shares							
1994 1st Quarter	11,268	24,330	1,821	73	3,277	207	3,384
2nd Quarter	5,729	4,024	928	157	1,708	89	1,194
3rd Quarter	8,689	8,789	445	65	2,677	31	6,981
4th Quarter	8,699	3,005	319	279	4,095	70	13,499
1995 1st Quarter	6,157	10,584	808	1,285	5,713	89	1,098
2nd Quarter	5,151	10,985	705	231	7,862	4,391	3,075
3rd Quarter	3,802	3,227	894	252	4,798	70	2,115
4th Quarter	4,683	6,740	593	2	26,753	10	1,877
1996 1st Quarter	4,859	7189	426	3	6,459	112	2,115
2nd Quarter	2,805	3,336	1,060	3	3,831	281	815
3rd Quarter	4,000	804	3,311	30	2,066	49	1,505
4th Quarter	9,253	8,337	1,011	-	5,777	182	1,833
Sales - Amount, Rs. '000							
1994 1st Quarter	2,122,234	463,765	75,817	6,643	988,937	7,791	165,625
2nd Quarter	959,493	99,940	63,695	16,669	407,111	4,177	41,101
3rd Quarter	849,704	220,315	11,970	8,358	643,237	1,108	243,173
4th Quarter	1,185,777	71,085	13,001	18,445	216,986	3,427	281,927
1995 1st Quarter	506,520	90,161	14,783	127,896	399,059	1,292	41,851
2nd Quarter	453,196	104,335	10,900	13,671	548,270	83,508	45,101
3rd Quarter	614,376	30,151	14,255	15,054	339,014	1,451	39,555
4th Quarter	566,956	49,228	6,613	61	362,133	94	29,325
1996 1st Quarter	702,319	48,839	4,882	252	311,279	2,305	24,639
2nd Quarter	289,440	22,929	10,254	257	191,312	2,537	15,174
3rd Quarter	221,460	6,774	32,638	37	206,225	390	13,977
4th Quarter	483,493	112,641	13,943	-	399,291	1,816	18,425
Purchases - No. of Shares							
1994 1st Quarter	17,612	25,059	3,230	337	3,890	668	3,481
2nd Quarter	6,420	9,090	1,355	122	2,356	74	438
3rd Quarter	9,133	10,255	528	79	2,760	487	7,034
4th Quarter	5,551	2,197	169	208	2,175	108	9,973
1995 1st Quarter	3,344	7,011	1,049	10	1,372	4,426	2,396
2nd Quarter	10,736	6,810	1,118	234	5,003	4,818	3,947
3rd Quarter	9,085	3,899	1,857	269	3,490	76	3,022
4th Quarter	13,208	3,766	495	5	5,708	33	2,184
1996 1st Quarter	10,000	6,684	1,482	13	5,397	89	2,394
2nd Quarter	4,435	1,547	750	3	4,425	121	158
3rd Quarter	4,660	728	738	22	4,522	31	182
4th Quarter	5,774	3,291	1,757	62	8,565	24	863
Purchases - Amount Rs. '000							
1994 1st Quarter	2,657,327	650,049	136,465	36,561	1,651,415	39,167	199,435
2nd Quarter	1,176,590	185,880	41,419	13,912	494,081	8,103	15,442
3rd Quarter	1,237,158	224,854	22,626	9,532	650,718	36,874	230,817
4th Quarter	847,394	77,883	12,851	13,193	117,831	3,888	226,165
1995 1st Quarter	266,390	55,363	21,763	561	243,983	79,054	57,308
2nd Quarter	604,990	56,037	19,328	13,819	540,504	91,197	60,201
3rd Quarter	954,656	35,577	26,874	16,583	364,191	1,635	61,991
4th Quarter	668,291	27,017	5,627	241	294,173	260	34,662
1996 1st Quarter	1,096,145	58,021	17,039	811	569,039	1,286	29,583
2nd Quarter	289,494	17,621	7,550	87	210,284	1,115	4,782
3rd Quarter	226,949	19,874	8,225	973	268,889	348	2,550
4th Quarter	457,894	72,695	25,296	4,347	475,208	256	7,630

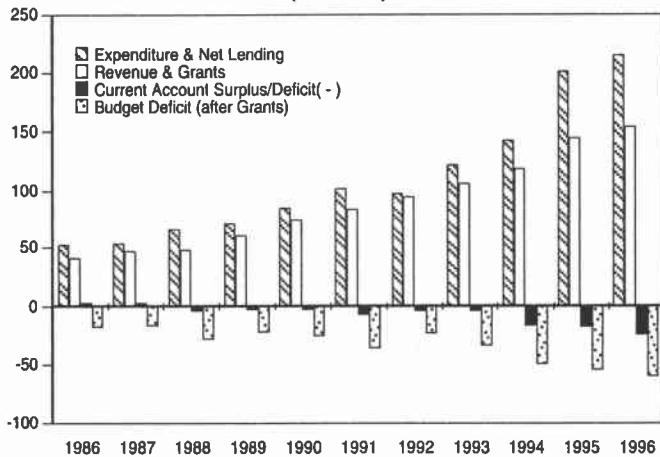
SECTOR OF COMPANIES 1994 - 1996

Investment Trust	Land & Property	Manu- facturing	Motors	Oil Palms	Plantations	Stores & Suppliers	Services	Trading
282	1,050	14,761	2,013	9	-	29	67	1,490
43	737	9,510	995	-	-	58	13	91
10	798	14,797	1,062	-	-	47	72	75
1	213	5,773	69	-	-	2	36	158
15	727	6,905	336	-	-	-	65	22
72	568	7,049	77	-	-	-	100	23
...	138	4,064	726	-	-	42	109	805
10	3,480	3,845	1	-	-	75	3	11
1	174	7,104	410	-	-	-	1	4
19	6	3,737	116	-	-	-	-	954
41	1	2,844	365	-	25	-	-	736
5	77	16,202	648	-	-	184	1	67
59,145	26,682	1,393,602	188,939	4,673	-	4,584	4,094	173,312
10,681	13,923	626,605	73,954	-	-	10,522	565	6,423
2,391	13,153	802,755	96,039	-	-	8,324	2,553	6,776
137	4,354	393,042	4,358	-	-	299	1,222	14,465
3,695	12,497	280,616	10,959	-	-	-	2,304	286
1,810	3,461	305,845	2,101	-	-	-	3,010	1,007
5	1,826	122,907	25,588	-	-	4,787	3,128	38,038
224	22,928	114,125	23	-	-	8,250	90	724
44	944	255,248	12,477	-	3	20	30	108
190	58	104,440	4,995	-	-	5	3	35,755
345	9	55,539	12,368	-	505	7	-	18,149
39	968	192,736	22,100	-	-	15,763	40	1,893
49	2,255	10,725	2,041	4	-	24	76	1,169
2	217	9,536	1,100	-	-	67	5	153
129	688	14,252	1,022	-	-	33	29	398
58	201	2,338	420	-	-	3	36	200
73	350	3,600	51	-	-	-	-	56
25	84	4,019	220	-	-	-	-	53
-	133	3,725	1,237	22	-	16	8	366
-	1,172	3,781	70	21	-	29	-	18
1	259	4,817	463	5	-	-	1	97
-	141	1,087	211	-	-	2	-	874
2	51	880	370	-	27	-	-	586
-	156	4,475	30	-	14	95	4	19
12,192	66,566	1,080,370	158,358	1,757	-	3,408	3,392	144,220
46	4,238	645,225	86,819	-	-	14,513	171	13,851
9,064	11,174	863,412	116,342	-	-	5,792	998	24,734
7,280	4,070	135,024	20,840	-	-	413	1,219	20,286
15,454	5,701	166,754	2,519	-	-	-	-	2,034
2,289	577	213,877	33,765	-	-	-	-	3,119
7	2,017	125,146	42,586	7,415	-	1,373	238	16,954
-	13,628	118,492	3,411	6,302	2	2,826	-	538
17	3,773	136,338	24,234	1,550	-	54	22	3,116
-	686	25,561	5,404	6,200	-	40	-	33,889
117	530	15,646	12,526	-	440	-	-	16,246
17	1,555	52,242	1,264	-	360	7,580	143	343

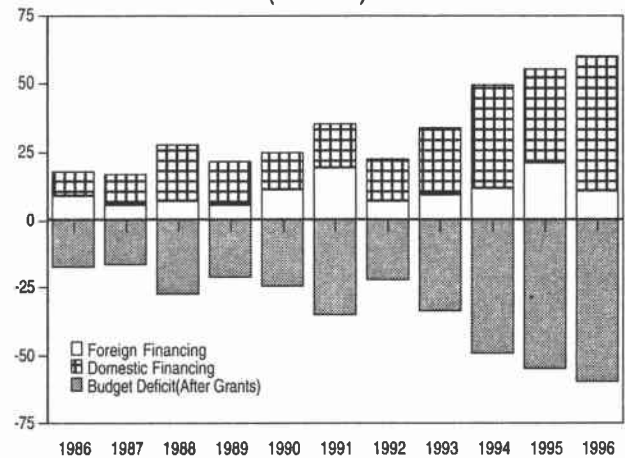
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GOVERNMENT FINANCE

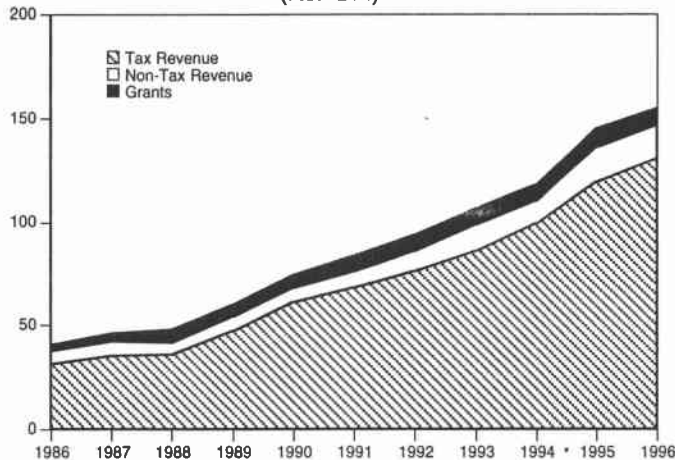
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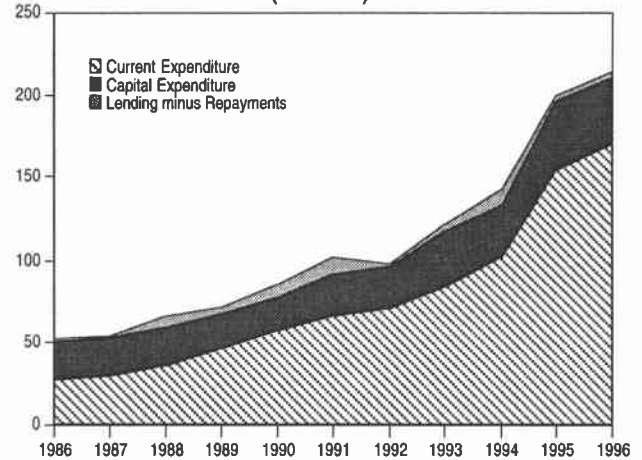
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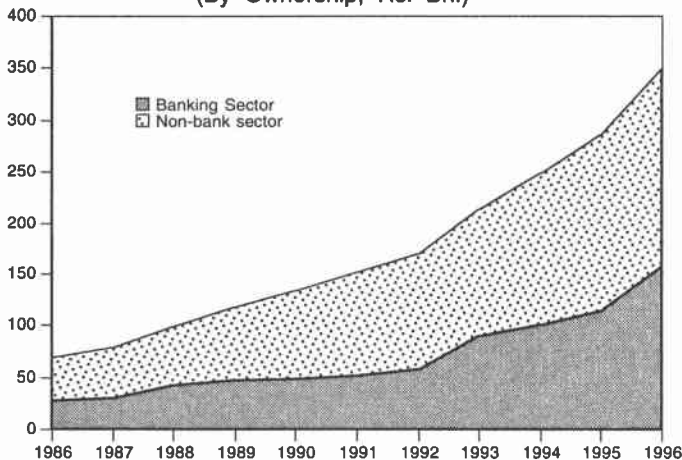
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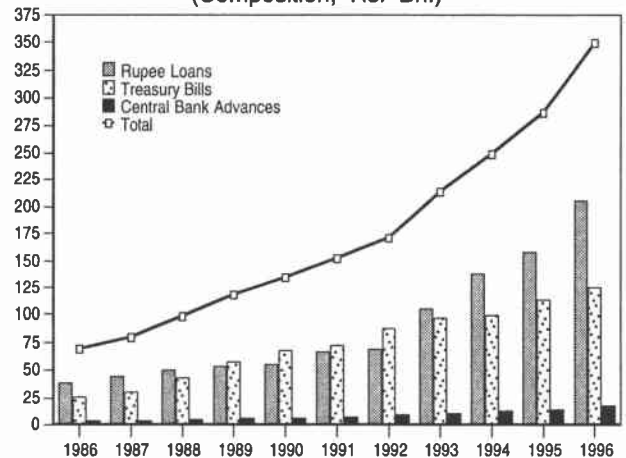
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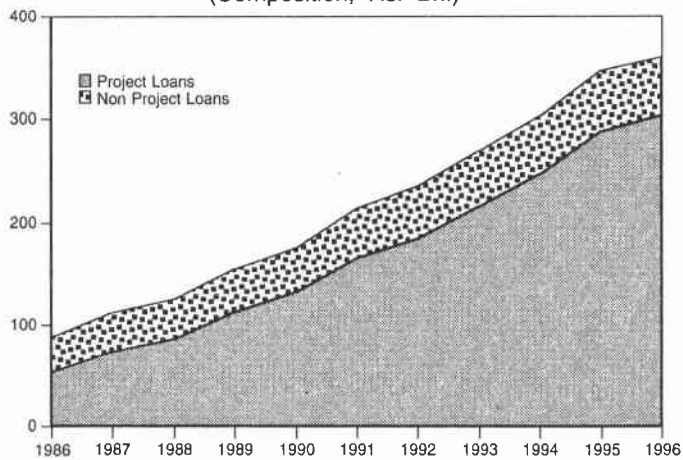


Government Domestic Debt
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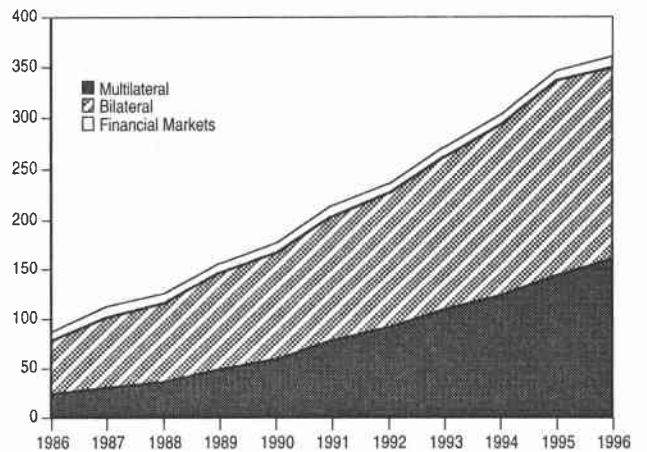


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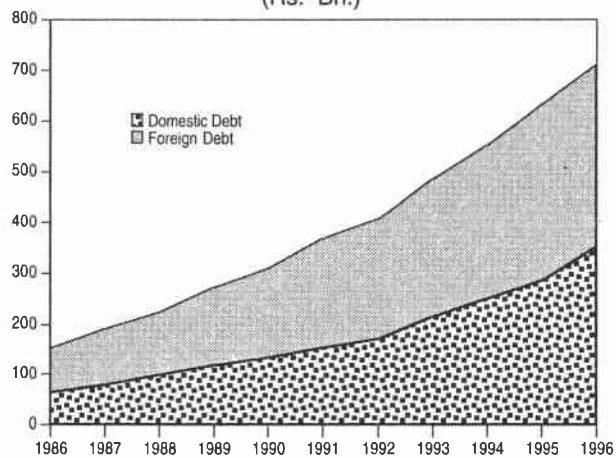
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Government Foreign Debt
(By Ownership, Rs. Bn.)



Government Debt Outstanding
(Rs. Bn.)



SUMMARY OF FISCAL OPERATIONS 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Revenue and Grants	40,991	46,822	48,337	60,386	74,661	84,049	94,061	106,364	118,295	145,286	154,779
Tax Revenue	31,272	35,119	35,946	47,513	61,206	68,157	76,353	85,891	99,417	118,543	130,202
Income Tax	4,787	4,909	4,647	5,148	7,337	9,722	10,967	12,543	15,277	17,161	20,751
Taxes on Property	648	1,568	1,777	2,697	3,140	3,541	3,597	3,493	4,386	5,162	5,279
Taxes on Goods and Services	14,787	15,667	17,021	20,828	28,770	32,107	38,158	47,963	56,685	70,797	77,105
Taxes on International Trade	11,050	12,975	12,501	16,495	19,341	19,754	21,640	20,819	22,598	24,373	25,463
Non-Tax Revenue	5,966	7,026	5,803	6,466	6,758	8,022	9,428	12,448	10,621	17,715	16,077
Property Income	4,731	4,541	4,080	4,387	4,192	5,964	5,612	7,742	6,960	12,857	10,059
Fees and Charges	347	344	412	627	835	917	1,225	1,303	988	1,751	2,827
Grants	3,753	4,677	6,588	6,407	6,697	7,870	8,280	8,025	8,257	9,028	8500
Expenditure	52,066	53,434	65,894	71,102	85,395	101,664	98,075	121,897	142,377	200,482	214,710
Current Expenditure	26,839	29,099	35,494	45,822	57,352	65,893	70,740	83,725	101,693	154,159	170,629
Expenditure on Goods and Services	8,027	8,006	10,016	14,446	15,748	17,985	20,793	26,332	29,309	75,447	78,667
Salaries and Wages	8,027	8,006	10,016	14,446	15,748	17,985	20,793	26,332	29,309	34,909	38,333
Interest Payments	8,762	10,157	12,590	14,352	20,668	22,073	25,940	30,203	38,031	38,225	46,021
Domestic	6,553	7,593	9,694	11,015	16,990	17,960	21,201	25,101	32,520	32,064	39,282
Foreign	2,209	2,564	2,896	3,337	3,678	4,113	4,739	5,102	5,511	6,162	6,739
Transfer Payments	10,050	10,936	12,888	17,024	20,936	25,835	24,007	27,190	34,353	40,487	46,813
Capital Expenditure	23,236	22,817	22,878	20,750	19,529	25,304	24,949	33,662	30,391	41,723	40,034
Acquisition of Real Assets	7,788	10,983	12,004	13,069	12,025	14,072	12,604	19,719	16,747	22,589	24,576
Capital Transfers	15,448	11,834	10,872	7,681	7,504	11,233	12,345	13,943	13,644	19,134	16,701
Lending minus Repayments	1,991	1,518	7,522	4,530	8,514	10,467	2,386	4,510	10,293	4,600	4,047
Current Account Surplus/Deficit (-)	3,272	2,585	-4,383	-2,905	-3,807	-7,577	-3,858	-3,949	-17,046	-17,901	-24,351
Budget Deficit (after Grants)	-18,202	-17,072	-28,195	-21,778	-25,153	-35,478	-22,912	-34,096	-49,474	-55,196	-59,932
Financing of Budget Deficit	18,202	17,072	28,195	21,778	25,152	35,478	22,912	34,096	49,474	55,196	59,932
Foreign Financing	9,061	5,716	7,128	5,926	11,644	19,329	7,361	9,855	11,778	21,224	10,911
Domestic Financing	9,142	11,356	21,067	15,852	13,508	16,149	15,551	24,241	37,696	33,972	49,020
Non-Market Borrowings	1,752	1,068	3,858	2,650	305	691	-3,205	2,012	-666	548	10,363
Market Borrowings	7,390	10,288	17,209	13,202	13,203	15,458	18,756	22,229	38,362	33,424	38,657
Bank	2,138	3,809	9,201	-533	257	35	-2,323	-6,079	1,157	7,065	12,344
Non-Bank	5,252	6,478	8,008	13,735	12,946	15,423	21,079	28,308	37,205	26,359	26,313
Public Debt Outstanding	151,786	191,439	224,251	273,859	310,780	366,698	405,558	483,909	550,930	632,045	708,859
Domestic	63,482	78,998	98,594	117,561	133,897	152,119	170,020	213,685	249,118	285,759	349,007
Foreign	88,304	112,441	125,657	156,298	176,883	214,579	235,538	270,224	301,812	346,286	359,852

(a) Provisional.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

CURRENT EXPENDITURE 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
General Public Services	8,680	11,113	13,424	14,090	17,942	19,811	24,453	27,564	30,444	47,888	53,168
Civil Administration	2,884	2,943	6,145	6,781	6,622	5,612	7,099	7,405	4,637	6,562	10,207
Defence	4,351	6,001	4,732	4,073	6,736	10,317	12,876	15,413	19,415	35,186	37,370
Public Order and Safety	1,445	2,169	2,547	3,236	4,585	3,882	4,478	4,746	6,392	6,140	5,591
Social Services	11,004	12,714	15,251	19,976	24,449	31,594	32,700	37,476	47,656	57,648	59,294
Education	3,775	4,066	5,036	6,612	8,529	7,951	10,533	11,225	14,836	15,784	16,018
Health	1,841	2,401	2,420	3,381	3,685	4,110	4,518	5,711	7,666	8,818	9,260
Welfare	5,254	6,098	7,607	9,750	11,973	19,266	17,378	20,255	24,560	32,106	32,824
Housing	13	13	15	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Community Services	121	136	173	216	262	267	271	285	593	941	1,191
Economic Services	3,960	2,905	4,047	4,579	5,137	3,925	3,834	4,328	6,195	8,078	8,807
Agriculture & Irrigation	1,336	1,086	1,399	976	982	912	1,398	1,483	2,506	3,826	3,894
Fisheries	38	40	40	47	46	98	68	107	99	105	148
Manufacturing and Mining	443	141	197	408	181	231	349	403	351	252	282
Energy and Water Supply	50	73	80	416	345	659	133	93	518	990	590
Transport & Communication	1,668	1,200	1,613	1,138	2,600	1,308	1,208	1,346	2,024	2,014	2,423
Trade & Commerce	152	190	415	950	159	137	232	203	72	172	891
Other	273	175	304	645	824	580	446	693	625	719	580
Other	10,323	12,828	13,410	18,240	24,241	28,425	28,652	32,920	42,789	40,549	50,231
Of which; Interest	8,762	10,157	12,590	14,352	20,668	22,073	25,940	30,203	38,031	38,687	46,021
Total	33,966	39,560	46,132	56,884	71,770	83,756	89,639	102,288	127,084	154,159	170,629

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AND LENDING 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
General Public Services	1,217	1,676	2,772	2,503	3,617	2,422	1,970	4,085	2,390	5,776	2,827
Civil Administration	864	870	2,133	2,002	1,599	1,680	1,256	3,463	1,753	3,962	1,602
Public Order and Safety	353	806	639	501	2,018	742	714	622	637	1,814	1,226
Social Services	2,567	2,817	2,883	3,667	3,019	2,964	6,136	6,075	7,677	9,854	11,185
Education	1,252	787	855	1,529	1,042	1,178	2,008	2,845	2,877	3,124	4,384
Health	405	979	1,498	1,258	1,279	1,119	2,023	1,353	1,519	2,134	2,768
Welfare	15	53	13	10	25	15	1,191	1,084	1,681	1,690	1,068
Housing	575	505	429	787	513	535	767	604	802	1,610	1,606
Community Services	320	493	88	83	160	117	148	189	798	1,297	1,359
Economic Services	21,547	20,834	21,128	22,129	18,798	26,022	20,444	29,600	29,304	36,106	34,519
Agriculture & Irrigation	8,217	8,484	6,412	5,234	5,215	6,071	5,890	5,682	5,179	6,060	5,491
Of which: Mahaweli Project	5,952	5,101	3,430	2,475	1,810	2,410	2,670	2,810	2,598	3,090	1,940
Fisheries	223	294	140	283	133	181	175	124	368	361	311
Manufacturing and Mining	793	1,162	330	471	120	171	184	1,471	22	250	379
Energy and Water Supply	2,476	3,226	5,451	4,719	6,132	6,181	5,527	4,728	5,518	5,003	6,035
Transport & Communication	7,648	5,633	6,264	6,666	4,319	10,921	4,363	10,165	14,522	18,888	14,898
Trade & Commerce	445	309	103	50	205	218	365	364	182	20	105
Other	1,746	1,727	2,428	2,230	2,674	2,279	3,940	7,066	3,513	5,524	7,300
Other	574	648	1,188	828	952	1,250	1,072	1,081	1,084	1,074	1,082
Total Capital Expenditure and Lending	25,905	25,975	27,971	26,651	26,387	32,658	29,622	40,841	40,455	52,810	48,369

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GOVERNMENT REVENUE 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Tax Revenue	31,272	35,119	35,946	47,513	61,206	68,157	76,352	85,891	99,417	118,543	130,202
Taxes on Foreign Trade	11,050	12,975	12,501	16,495	19,341	19,754	21,640	20,819	22,598	24,373	25,463
Exports	1,636	1,924	1,830	1,572	2,549	1,137	821	57	-	8	5
Imports	9,414	11,051	10,671	14,923	16,792	18,617	20,819	20,762	22,598	24,365	25,458
Taxes on Domestic Goods and Services	14,787	15,667	17,021	20,828	28,770	32,107	38,158	47,963	56,685	70,797	77,105
Turnover Taxes	10,088	10,611	12,321	14,658	20,291	21,430	24,095	29,663	32,300	36,429	37,631
Excise Tax	4,414	4,716	4,420	5,812	8,170	10,597	10,232	11,655	14,632	19,436	22,067
Licence Fees	285	340	280	358	309	80	67	56	60	524	966
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,764	6,589	9,693	14,408	16,441
Taxes on Net Income and Profits	4,787	4,909	4,647	5,148	7,337	9,722	10,967	12,543	15,277	17,161	20,751
Corporate	3,274	3,329	3,183	2,941	4,380	6,183	6,900	7,308	9,656	9,803	13,311
Non-corporate	1,513	1,580	1,464	2,207	2,957	3,539	4,067	5,235	5,621	7,358	7,440
Taxes on Property	648	1,568	1,777	2,697	3,140	3,541	3,597	3,493	4,386	5,162	5,279
Taxes on Treasury Bills (Central Bank)	-	-	-	2,345	2,618	3,033	1,991	1,073	471	1,050	1,604
Non-Tax Revenue	5,966	7,026	5,803	6,466	6,758	8,022	8,778	12,448	10,521	17,715	16,077
Current Revenue	5,943	7,013	5,741	6,439	6,429	7,989	8,767	12,376	10,521	17,619	16,042
Property Income	4,731	4,541	4,080	4,387	4,192	5,964	5,612	7,742	6,960	12,856	10,059
Fees and Charges	347	334	412	627	835	917	1,225	1,303	988	1,751	2,827
Other	865	2,138	1,249	1,425	1,402	1,108	1,930	3,331	2,573	3,012	3,156
Capital Revenue	23	13	62	27	329	33	11	72	-	96	35
Total	37,238	42,145	41,749	53,979	67,964	76,179	85,130	98,339	109,938	136,258	146,279

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GOVERNMENT DOMESTIC DEBT 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Composition											
Rupee Loans	39,130	44,958	49,797	54,217	54,676	66,823	69,180	105,707	137,554	157,928	205,975
Treasury Bills	26,173	29,849	43,700	57,246	67,968	72,968	87,096	97,196	98,896	113,771	124,996
Treasury Certificates of Deposits	-	-	-	-	109	153	102	114	145	200	212
Tax Reserve Certificates	9	9	9	9	8	9	8	8	7	7	7
National Defence Bonds	-	-	-	-	4,532	4,532	4,532	-	-	-	-
Central Bank Advances	4,040	4,000	4,926	5,900	6,408	7,444	8,928	10,502	12,366	13,700	17,693
Other	148	182	163	190	196	190	174	158	151	153	124
Total	69,500	78,998	98,594	117,561	133,897	152,119	170,020	213,685	249,118	285,759	349,007
Ownership											
Banking Sector	27,193	30,504	42,348	46,874	48,254	52,146	58,111	90,135	100,043	113,355	156,695
Central Bank	26,190	26,324	38,228	40,025	37,080	42,486	34,931	16,480	21,345	28,684	37,673
Commercial Banks	1,003	4,180	4,120	6,849	11,174	9,659	23,180	73,655	78,698	84,671	119,022
Non-Bank Sector	42,308	48,494	56,247	70,688	85,643	99,974	111,909	123,550	149,075	172,404	192,312
Market Borrowings	42,159	48,313	56,085	70,497	85,448	99,784	111,736	123,392	148,924	172,251	192,188
Co-operative Banks	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	-	-	-	-
Savings Institutions	14,025	16,113	17,952	18,960	24,190	26,659	30,882	38,752	46,657	49,671	53,096
Sinking Funds	4,808	4,475	2,832	2,289	1,662	840	359	239	137	100	100
Insurance Funds	1,127	182	1,086	2,388	1,742	4,074	4,035	244	312	303	158
Provident and Pension Funds	18,627	23,383	30,498	40,146	49,065	58,095	67,917	75,768	91,041	104,139	118,781
Official Funds	3,424	3,795	3,510	6,205	8,084	6,988	3,883	464	568	672	509
Private Business and Individuals	142	361	203	506	701	3,123	4,656	7,925	10,209	17,366	19,544
Non-Market Borrowings (Foreign Administrative)	147	181	163	190	195	190	173	158	151	153	124
Total	69,500	78,998	98,594	117,561	133,897	152,119	170,020	213,685	249,118	285,759	349,007

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

GOVERNMENT FOREIGN DEBT 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Composition											
Project Loans	53,897	73,356	85,745	113,120	132,338	166,149	185,003	216,355	246,075	286,848	302,470
Non Project Loans	34,407	39,085	39,912	43,178	44,545	48,430	50,536	53,869	55,737	59,438	57,382
Commodity	26,383	32,894	35,886	41,117	43,393	46,037	48,550	52,120	54,147	57,730	55,238
Other	8,024	6,191	4,026	2,061	1,152	2,393	1,986	1,749	1,590	1,708	2,144
Total	88,304	112,441	125,657	156,298	176,883	214,579	235,538	270,224	301,812	346,286	359,852
Ownership											
Multilateral	23,983	30,208	36,409	48,698	59,526	78,085	91,067	109,284	123,014	144,594	160,400
A.D.B.	5,853	7,524	10,758	15,978	20,665	28,704	35,943	44,688	51,318	60,748	69,722
I.B.R.D.	453	573	889	1,303	1,277	1,238	1,214	1,185	1,048	970	841
I.D.A	14,054	18,726	21,682	28,193	34,532	44,907	50,457	60,097	67,220	79,112	85,961
I.M.F.	2,061	1,477	813	479	325	322	348	-	-	-	-
I.F.A.D.	694	979	1,156	1,531	1,645	1,860	2,062	2,294	2,503	2,876	3,065
O.P.E.C.	869	931	889	945	816	776	578	704	610	551	463
E.E.C.	-	-	223	269	267	278	465	316	315	336	348
Bilateral	53,176	71,587	78,879	97,446	106,677	124,470	134,065	151,273	169,446	191,063	188,498
Canada	3,362	3,803	4,552	5,615	5,496	5,674	5,461	5,427	5,064	5,492	5,548
France(b)	1,614	3,369	2,496	3,183	3,767	4,035	4,926	4,888	5,235	6,187	6,020
Germany	10,065	14,469	14,990	20,078	22,810	24,439	19,966	23,707	24,858	28,961	27,189
Japan	15,568	23,534	28,192	33,558	38,463	52,485	59,304	73,815	89,291	101,557	99,865
U.S.A.	16,214	18,247	20,803	25,895	27,073	28,667	33,338	34,180	34,747	37,817	39,260
Netherlands	2,725	3,482	3,216	3,864	4,093	4,139	3,989	3,824	3,899	3,928	3,525
People's Republic of China	526	834	1,015	1,088	957	1,006	1,011	987	699	717	689
Kuwait	745	975	1,282	1,486	1,503	1,421	1,385	1,359	1,605	1,661	1,681
Switzerland	499	640	556	366	442	455	457	496	557	693	626
Saudi Arabian Fund	855	932	957	1,071	939	898	837	788	685	665	516
India	340	359	341	282	176	75	18	35	27	111	184
Other	663	944	480	959	959	1,176	3,374	1,767	2,779	3,274	3,395
Financial Markets	11,145	10,646	10,369	10,154	10,680	12,025	10,406	9,668	9,350	10,630	10,954
Euro-Currency	4,844	3,516	2,123	571	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solomon Bros. Inco.											
New York	572	611	648	777	773	808	846	865	827	843	830
Skandinaviska Enskilda											
Sweeden	1,101	1,078	746	412	386	353	237	164	124	76	-
Manufacturers Hanover											
Trust Co.	1,327	1,702	1,566	1,487	1,394	1,133	710	497	243	64	-
Bank of Indo-Suez	84	80	390	521	504	463	434	336	285	265	187
C. Itoh & Co. Ltd.,											
Japan	183	355	470	417	352	298	219	132	-	-	-
Bankers' Trust Co.	399	431	462	560	563	595	643	693	700	757	794
American Express Bank	-	461	495	600	603	638	689	742	750	811	850
France	538	17	705	1,757	1,982	1,748	1,780	1,789	1,702	1,712	1,356
Other	2,097	2,396	2,764	3,051	4,125	5,989	4,849	4,450	4,719	6,102	6,937
Total	88,304	112,441	125,657	156,298	176,883	214,579	235,538	270,225	301,810	346,286	359,852

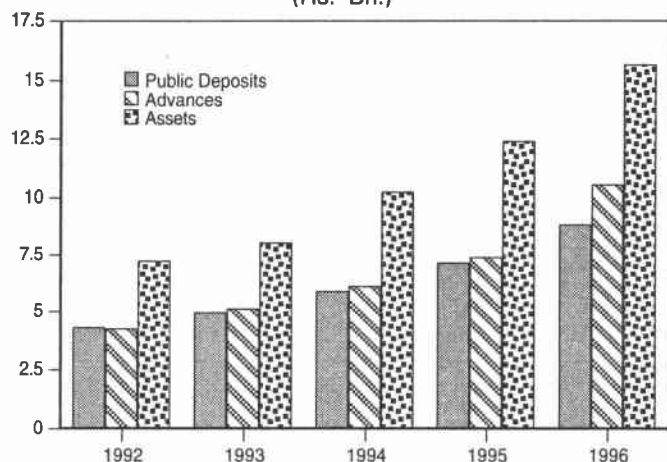
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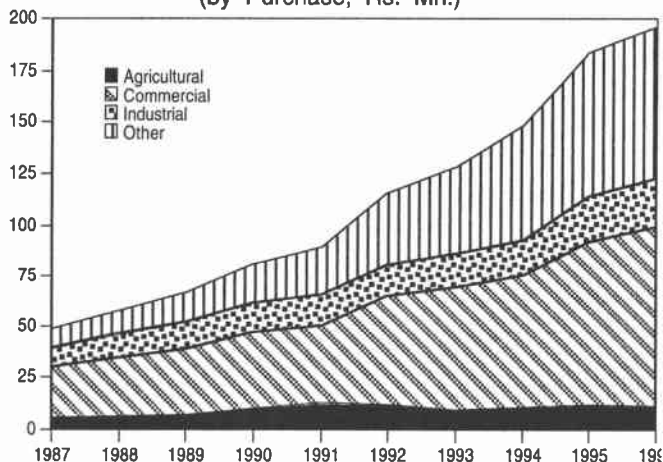
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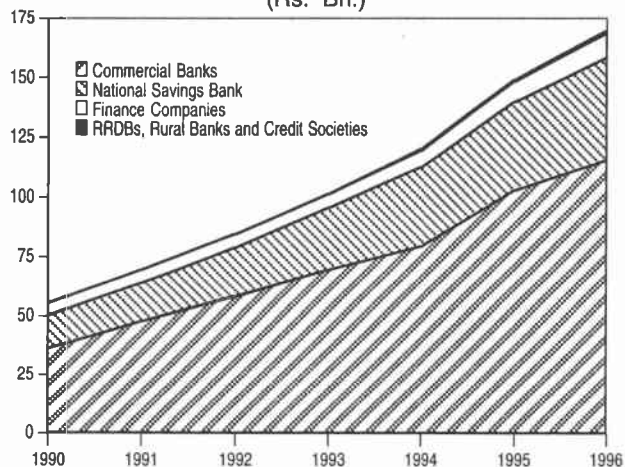
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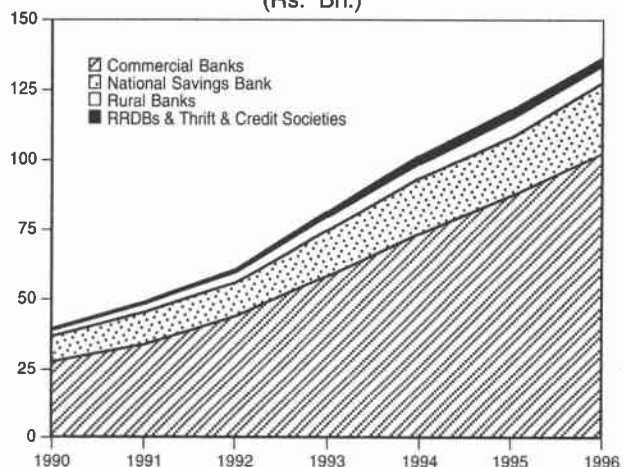
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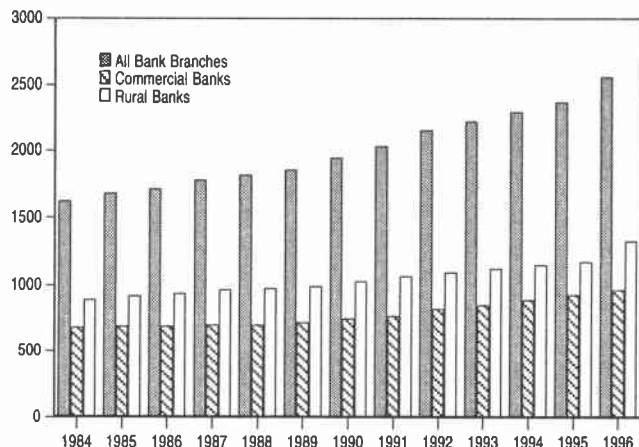
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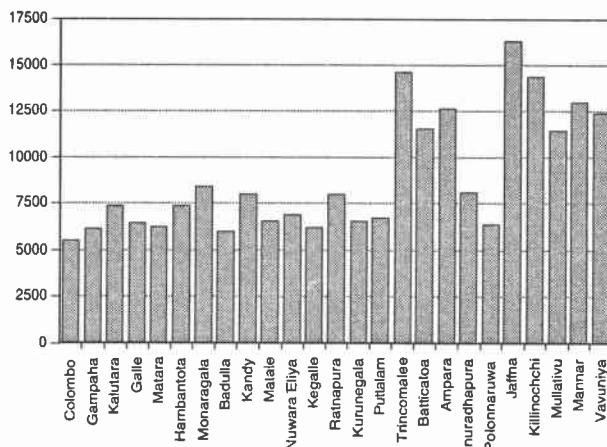
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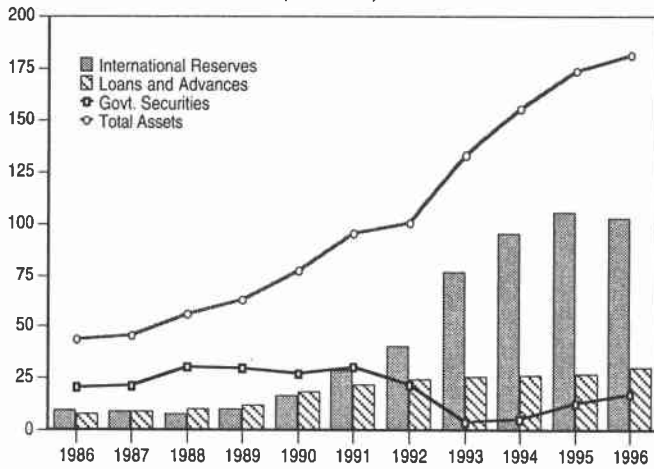


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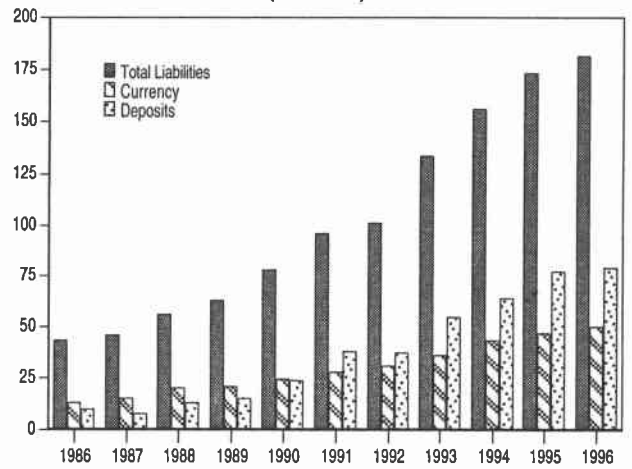


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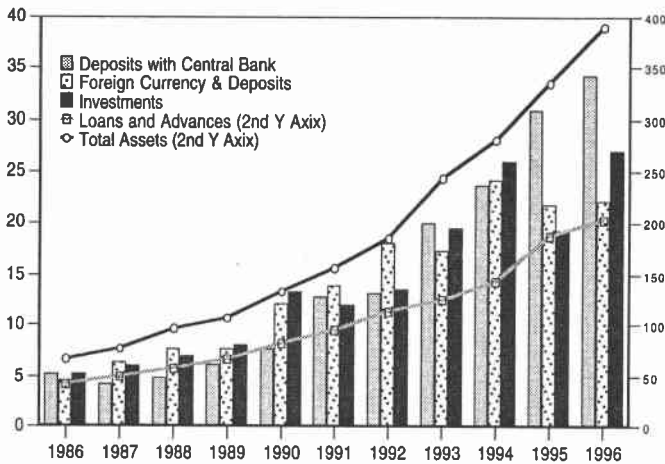
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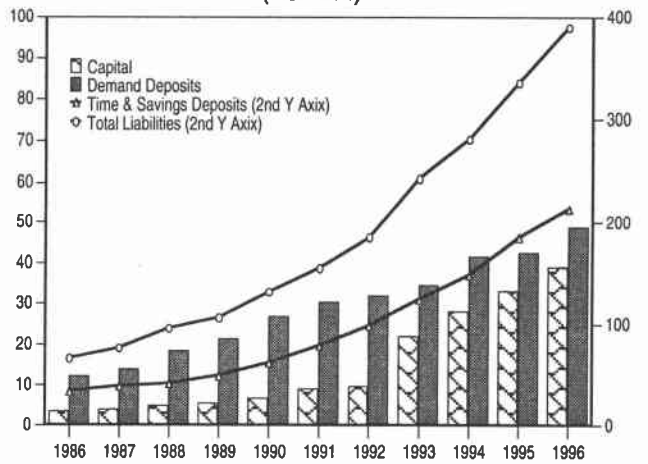
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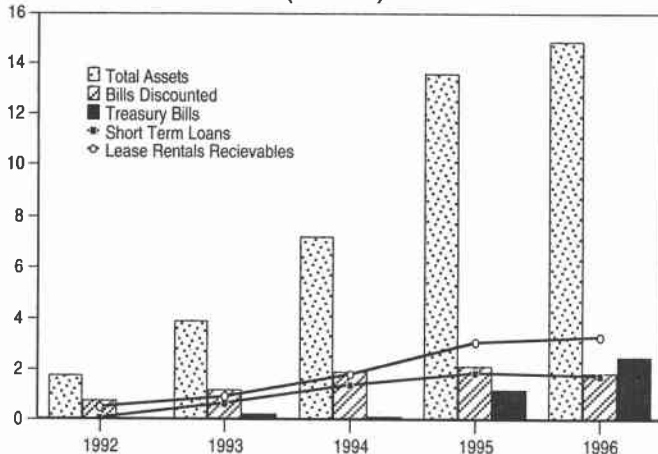
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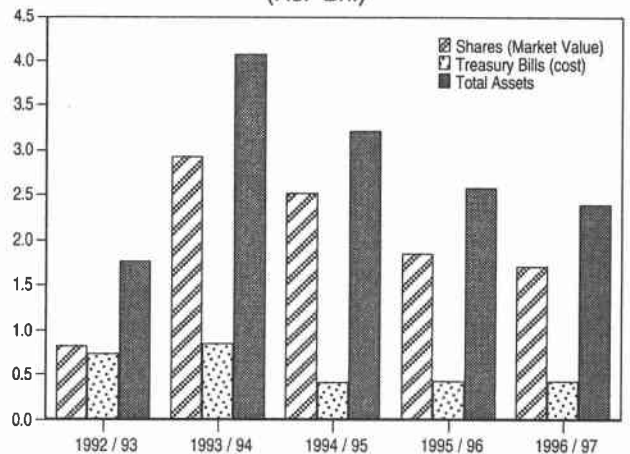
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Merchant Banks - Assets
(Rs. Bn.)



Unit Trusts - Assets
(Rs. Bn.)



ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE CENTRAL BANK 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Assets											
International Reserves	9,539	8,838	7,615	9,961	16,397	28,954	40,387	76,694	95,671	105,896	103,244
Cash and Balances abroad (including Treasury Bills)	4,729	3,205	2,683	4,831	8,847	21,612	10,954	18,402	13,007	39,932	35,243
Foreign Government and Non-Government Securities	4,810	5,630	4,929	4,678	7,534	7,332	29,430	58,274	82,648	65,916	67,896
Special Drawing Rights	—	3	3	452	16	10	3	19	17	49	106
Loans and Advances	7,777	8,765	10,049	11,913	18,493	21,461	24,564	25,759	26,095	26,864	30,305
To Government	4,625	5,269	6,195	7,600	11,162	16,117	18,801	20,856	22,719	24,053	28,046
To Others	3,152	3,496	3,854	4,313	7,331	5,344	5,763	4,903	3,376	2,811	2,259
Government and Government Guaranteed Securities	20,221	20,888	30,244	29,141	27,044	29,864	21,802	3,954	5,100	12,525	17,100
Other Assets	5,626	6,953	7,424	11,756	15,529	15,556	14,500	27,227	29,091	28,219	30,914
Total	43,164	45,444	55,332	62,771	77,462	95,835	101,253	133,634	155,957	173,505	181,564
Liabilities											
Capital	95	96	97	107	607	857	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Currency Issue	12,863	15,063	20,371	21,126	23,901	27,523	30,496	35,949	43,081	46,685	49,480
Held by the Public	11,570	13,495	18,487	19,650	22,120	24,852	27,281	32,133	38,906	42,198	42,565
Commercial Banks	1,292	1,565	1,876	1,471	1,770	2,661	3,205	3,816	4,175	4,486	6,915
Government	1	3	8	5	11	10	11	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5
Deposits	10,007	7,699	12,999	14,776	23,663	37,722	37,277	54,139	64,251	77,325	79,392
Government	1,711	1,553	3,514	2,765	3,593	9,017	2,655	1,801	2,812	3,039	3,510
Commercial Banks	5,045	4,047	5,033	5,597	7,458	12,426	14,326	20,466	24,832	31,853	35,907
Govt. Agencies and Institutions	123	163	160	69	221	107	36	53	142	49	122
International	2,463	582	3,906	5,651	11,721	15,468	19,339	30,969	35,658	40,748	39,181
Other	664	1,354	387	695	670	704	922	851	807	1,636	674
Borrowings Abroad	—	1,801	231	2,632	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Liabilities	17,595	20,765	21,614	24,129	29,291	29,733	32,481	40,391	43,885	48,496	51,691
Total	43,164	45,444	55,332	62,771	77,462	95,835	101,253	133,634	155,957	173,505	181,564

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF COMMERCIAL BANKS 1986 - 1996

Rs. Million

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Assets											
Cash on Hand	1,292	1,565	1,876	1,471	1,770	2,661	3,205	3,816	4,175	4,486	6,915
Due from Central Bank	5,162	4,103	4,783	6,140	7,637	12,760	13,084	20,058	23,783	30,963	34,273
Due from Domestic Banks	851	1,176	797	2,181	2,140	1,706	2,136	2,780	3,959	6,049	7,054
Cash Items in Process of Collection	1,919	1,765	6,421	3,444	4,957	4,480	3,396	4,024	5,453	8,311	7,864
Foreign Currency on Hand and Balances due from Banks Abroad	4,536	6,362	7,697	7,607	12,077	13,833	18,113	17,217	24,236	21,835	22,246
Investments	5,230	6,023	6,867	8,074	13,277	11,981	13,501	19,450	26,003	19,267	26,952
Treasury Bills	1,171	3,850	4,857	6,113	11,237	9,899	10,653	14,274	15,143	11,552	15,530
Government Securities	1,053	966	725	801	932	867	1,035	806	1,347	753	840
Other	3,006	1,207	1,285	1,160	1,108	1,215	1,813	4,370	9,513	6,962	10,582
Loans and Advances	41,339	49,054	57,709	66,831	81,642	94,251	112,634	125,182	143,221	186,992	202,422
Bills Purchased and Discounted	4,322	5,147	5,267	6,703	7,368	9,499	8,346	10,540	10,773	14,799	18,729
Overdrafts	11,974	13,862	17,603	20,255	22,900	28,766	39,195	40,505	46,254	64,526	65,950
Loans	25,043	30,045	34,839	39,873	51,374	55,986	65,093	74,136	86,194	107,668	117,743
Fixed and Other Assets	5,990	6,777	9,666	10,605	8,865	13,689	18,438	51,379	50,238	57,611	82,070
Total	66,320	76,825	95,814	106,352	132,364	155,361	184,507	243,904	281,067	335,513	389,796
Liabilities											
Capital (Paid-up, Reserve Funds and Undistributed Profit)	3,410	3,954	4,774	5,395	6,690	8,960	9,868	21,851	28,278	33,460	39,238
Demand Deposits	12,236	13,861	18,313	21,439	26,885	30,311	32,091	34,592	41,708	42,576	48,868
Inter-Banks	128	153	317	148	291	378	391	519	417	288	954
Govt. of Sri Lanka	2,619	2,253	4,214	5,592	8,993	7,742	8,482	5,771	8,374	8,232	10,869
Residents	9,358	11,243	13,511	15,375	17,256	21,641	22,741	27,169	31,415	32,970	35,516
Non-Residents	131	212	271	324	345	549	478	1,132	1,502	1,086	1,529
Time and Savings Deposits	33,875	68,492	41,819	48,548	61,700	78,960	98,776	124,745	148,882	185,656	213,040
Govt. of Sri Lanka	722	662	511	259	730	897	593	533	916	1,252	2,033
Residents	29,540	33,024	35,375	40,078	50,665	63,519	79,741	100,780	121,210	153,319	174,998
Non-Residents	3,613	4,807	5,933	8,210	10,305	14,544	18,442	23,432	26,755	31,085	36,009
Borrowings	4,907	6,120	5,835	6,718	9,946	8,624	9,481	11,241	12,692	17,043	28,195
Domestic Inter-Banks	3,968	4,608	4,669	5,439	8,691	7,427	7,813	9,157	10,591	14,259	26,208
Foreign	939	1,512	1,166	1,279	1,255	1,197	1,668	2,084	2,101	2,784	1,987
Other Liabilities	11,893	14,398	25,074	24,253	27,143	28,506	34,291	51,475	49,507	56,779	60,457
Total	66,320	76,825	95,814	106,352	132,364	155,361	184,507	243,904	281,067	335,513	389,796

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

MOBILIZATION OF DEPOSITS 1990 - 1996

Item	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996(a)	
	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%	Amount Rs. Mn.	%
Demand Deposits (Commercial Banks)	26,885	21.97	30,311	20.27	32,092	18.05	34,592	15.88	41,708	15.80	42,576	13.75	48,867	13.76
Savings Deposits	39,888	32.60	49,216	32.92	60,988	34.30	81,701	37.50	101,738	38.54	117,682	38.00	136,410	38.41
Commercial Banks	27,312	22.32	33,509	22.41	43,602	24.52	58,397	26.80	73,357	27.79	87,227	28.16	102,315	28.81
National Savings Bank	9,527	7.78	11,637	7.78	12,224	6.87	16,371	7.51	19,967	7.56	20,942	6.76	24,537	6.91
Reg. Rural Dev. Banks	277	0.23	388	0.26	587	0.33	979	0.45	1,254	0.47	1,603	0.52	1,618	0.46
Rural Banks	2,279	1.86	3,134	2.10	3,931	2.21	4,666	2.14	5,552	2.10	6,352	2.05	6,157	1.73
Thrift & Credit Co-operative Societies	493	0.40	548	0.37	644	0.36	1,288	0.59	1,608	0.61	1,558	0.50	1,783	0.50
Time Deposits	55,588	45.43	69,978	46.81	84,727	47.65	101,579	46.62	120,556	45.66	149,460	48.26	169,846	47.83
Commercial Banks	36,352	29.71	47,771	31.95	57,897	32.56	69,522	31.91	79,244	30.02	102,751	33.18	115,502	32.52
National Savings Bank	13,577	11.09	16,177	10.82	20,653	11.62	25,786	11.84	33,360	12.64	36,814	11.89	42,299	11.91
Reg. Rural Dev. Banks	37	0.03	50	0.03	80	0.04	120	0.06	228	0.09	342	0.11	417	0.12
Rural Banks	218	0.19	315	0.21	402	0.23	531	0.24	808	0.31	1,148	0.37	1,159	0.33
Finance Companies	5,383	4.40	5,625	3.77	5,642	3.17	5,493	2.52	6,788	2.57	8,227	2.66	10,202	2.87
Thrift & Credit Co-operative Societies	21	0.02	40	0.03	53	0.03	127	0.06	128	0.05	178	0.06	267	0.08
Total	122,361	100	149,505	100	177,807	100	217,872	100	264,002	100	309,718	100	355,123	100

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

DEPOSITS OF COMMERCIAL BANKS 1990 - 1996

Rs. Million

Ownership	1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1995		1996(a)	
	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits	Demand Depo- sits	Time & Savings Deposits
Government	8,993	730	7,742	897	8,482	593	5,771	533	8,374	916	8,232	1,252	10,869	2,033
Financial Institution (b)	1,130	2,401	1,554	3,009	1,442	3,613	1,981	3,804	1,730	4,397	2,067	7,099	1,798	6,581
Plantation	839	297	733	399	780	403	521	445	805	596	1,087	585	654	646
Trading	2,294	1,781	3,068	2,569	2,673	3,184	3,403	3,562	3,996	4,112	3,829	4,635	3,878	4,083
Manufacturing	1,531	897	1,409	1,209	1,595	1,757	1,504	1,809	1,914	2,610	1,832	3,349	2,439	2,713
Other Business Institutions	3,070	3,213	4,172	6,486	4,040	8,229	4,094	6,076	5,307	12,966	5,192	15,671	5,730	17,157
Non-Business Institutions	1,544	2,065	2,127	2,925	3,062	3,905	1,897	3,220	2,410	4,656	2,449	5,634	2,394	6,988
Individuals	5,754	31,031	7,244	38,290	7,337	47,915	12,113	65,618	15,113	77,134	12,702	105,269	15,665	121,127
Local Govt. & Provincial Councils	336	360	588	354	1,220	478	1,566	684	1,972	695	1,934	1,275	1,984	4,998
Certificates of Deposits	-	2,789	-	3,225	-	4,003	-	4,858	-	6,415	-	7,930	-	9,693
Foreign Currency Deposits	-	9,894	-	13,114	-	18,017	-	23,338	-	26,940	-	30,976	-	35,931
Unclassified	1,394	8,206	1,674	8,977	1,460	9,275	1,742	13,785	87	11,164	3,252	6,303	3,456	5,867
Total	26,885	63,664	30,311	81,280	32,092	101,499	34,592	127,919	41,708	152,601	42,576	189,978	48,867	217,817

(a) Provisional

(b) Include Interbank Deposits

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

LOANS AND ADVANCES OF COMMERCIAL BANKS 1987 - 1996

Rs. Million

Purpose of Loan / Advance	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Agricultural	5,207 (10.7)	5,831 (10.1)	6,581 (9.9)	9,639 (11.9)	12,012 (13.5)	11,838 (10.2)	8,950 (7.0)	10,517 (7.1)	11,618 (6.3)	10,691 (5.4)
Traditional Plantation(a)	2,419	2,984	3,475	5,184	6,401	5,627	2,241	3,123	4,147	3,228
Paddy	1,234	1,191	1,295	1,558	1,757	1,848	1,711	2,385	2,192	2,486
Other Agriculture	1,554	1,656	1,812	2,898	3,853	4,364	4,997	5,009	5,279	4,978
Commercial	24,860 (51.2)	28,512 (49.5)	31,924 (48.0)	37,285 (46.1)	37,925 (42.5)	52,866 (45.7)	60,611 (47.3)	64,550 (43.6)	80,530 (43.8)	88,603 (45.1)
Export Trading	8,757	8,265	10,865	12,407	12,476	15,884	15,481	22,160	23,608	24,721
Import Trading	6,196	7,153	7,414	10,041	8,795	14,378	18,200	18,007	26,716	31,253
Other	9,906	13,094	6,832	6,924	7,488	7,373	26,929	24,382	30,206	32,629
Industrial	9,003 (18.1)	11,508 (20.0)	13,321 (20.0)	14,718 (18.2)	15,189 (17.0)	15,658 (13.6)	16,536 (12.9)	17,623 (13.2)	21,651 (11.8)	23,257 (11.9)
Mechanical Processing of Tea, Rubber & Coconut	210	461	958	1,375	1,272	1,653	1,102	1,783	1,788	2,597
Other Manufacturing	8,793	11,047	12,363	13,343	13,917	14,006	15,434	15,840	19,863	20,660
Engineering and Building Trade	1,036 (2.1)	1,614 (2.8)	1,940 (2.9)	2,345 (2.9)	2,286 (2.6)	2,273 (2.0)	1,656 (1.3)	1,681 (1.1)	2,161 (1.2)	2,305 (1.2)
Mining	238 (0.5)	231 (0.4)	456 (0.7)	167 (0.2)	606 (0.7)	178 (0.2)	259 (0.2)	197 (0.1)	160 (0.1)	166 (0.1)
Financial	1,022 (2.1)	1,209 (2.1)	1,675 (2.5)	2,338 (2.9)	2,891 (3.2)	4,327 (3.7)	5,783 (4.5)	6,518 (4.4)	7,908 (4.3)	8,322 (4.2)
Tourism	807 (1.7)	891 (1.5)	737 (1.1)	804 (1.0)	963 (1.1)	3,168 (2.7)	2,150 (1.7)	2,346 (1.6)	2,846 (1.5)	3,336 (1.7)
Housing & Property Development	3,953 (8.1)	4,783 (8.3)	6,067 (9.1)	8,296 (10.3)	10,393 (11.7)	13,508 (11.7)	14,283 (11.1)	19,540 (13.2)	22,180 (12.1)	24,064 (12.3)
Consumption	851 (1.7)	1,166 (2.0)	1,523 (2.3)	2,155 (2.7)	2,939 (3.3)	5,312 (4.6)	6,552 (5.1)	10,961 (7.4)	13,846 (7.5)	16,314 (8.3)
Other Loans	1,626 (3.3)	1,824 (3.2)	2,252 (3.4)	3,099 (3.8)	3,965 (4.4)	6,514 (5.6)	11,480 (8.9)	14,033 (11.7)	21,047 (11.4)	19,197 (9.8)
Total	48,603	57,567	66,475	80,846	89,168	115,643	128,260	147,964	183,946	196,253

(a) Tea, Rubber and Coconut

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

Note: Percentage share of the total loans and advances is given within parenthesis.

BANKING DENSITY BY DISTRICT 1996

District	Bank of Ceylon			People's Bank	Hatton National Bank	Commercial Bank of Ceylon	Sampath Bank	Seylan Bank	Foreign Banks & Other	National Savings Bank	Regional Rural Development Banks	Rural Banks	Total No. of Branches	Population '000	Population per Branch	Banking Density Index (b)
	Main	ASC	Other													
Colombo	49	-	19	72	25	16	12	28	40	22	-	102	385	2,128	5,527	1.809
Gampaha	18	1	2	26	9	5	5	14	-	13	5	163	261	1,595	6,111	1.636
Kalutara	13	1	1	15	2	2	1	6	-	5	16	72	134	988	7,373	1.356
Galle	15	1	1	16	2	4	-	3	-	3	12	99	156	1007	6,455	1.549
Matara	12	-	1	15	1	2	3	1	-	10	13	75	133	832	6,256	1.599
Hambantota	7	-	1	9	3	-	-	3	-	3	8	40	74	549	7,419	1.348
Monaragala	6	2	1	7	2	-	-	-	-	1	6	20	45	379	8,422	1.187
Badulla	10	5	1	18	3	-	-	3	-	3	13	70	126	756	6,000	1.667
Kandy	16	-	3	21	4	2	1	3	3	5	15	92	165	1,319	7,994	1.251
Matale	7	-	2	8	2	2	1	1	-	1	6	38	68	445	6,544	1.528
Nuwara Eliya	9	1	1	11	4	1	-	4	-	2	8	39	80	552	6,900	1.449
Kegalle	10	-	1	15	2	1	-	4	-	4	14	74	125	773	6,184	1.617
Ratnapura	12	-	3	15	4	1	1	3	-	3	7	75	124	994	8,016	1.247
Kurunegala	20	2	1	20	1	1	2	2	-	3	17	162	231	1,513	6,550	1.527
Puttalam	10	-	1	10	2	2	-	4	-	5	10	52	96	645	6,719	1.488
Trincomalee	5	-	1	6	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	9	23	336	14,609	0.685
Batticaloa	5	-	2	7	1	-	-	2	-	1	-	22	40	461	11,525	0.868
Ampara	8	1	1	12	1	-	-	1	-	2	7	9	42	531	12,643	0.791
Anuradhapura	19	2	1	18	2	1	1	2	-	4	11	34	95	772	8,126	1.231
Polonnaruwa	8	1	-	8	1	1	-	2	-	1	7	25	54	344	6,370	1.570
Jaffna	10	-	1	10	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	30	56	911	16,268	0.615
Killinochchi	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	8	115	14,375	0.696
Mullativu	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	9	103	11,444	0.874
Mannar	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	11	143	13,000	0.769
Vavuniya	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	4	10	124	12,400	0.806
Total	274	17	48	346	75	41	27	87	43	99	175	1,319	2,551	18,315	7,180	1.393

(a) Foreign Banks – ANZ Grindlays Bank Plc., Standard Chartered Bank, Hong-kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd., Indian Bank, Indian Overseas Bank, Banque Indosuez, Overseas Trust Bank Ltd., City Bank N.A., American Express Bank, ABN-AMRO Bank NV, Habib Bank A.G. Zurich, Deutsche Bank AG, Middle East Bank Ltd., Public Bank Berhad, Mashreq Bank psc, State Bank of India, Habib Bank Ltd, Korea Exchange Bank. Other – Pan Asia Bank Ltd. and Union Bank of Colombo Ltd.

Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

(b) No. of Bank Branches per 10,000 persons

BANK BRANCH NETWORK 1984 - 1996

Name of Bank	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Commercial Banks	680	691	694	697	700	714	745	766	816	852	889	926	958
Domestic Banks	655	666	672	675	678	693	722	741	787	819	853	889	921
Bank of Ceylon	321	327	328	328	326	323	325	328	330	333	336	339	339
Main Branches	229	236	238	239	239	238	247	250	252	259	262	273	274
A.S.C. Branches	57	53	52	49	47	45	38	36	34	29	28	19	17
Other	35	38	38	40	40	40	40	42	44	45	46	47	48
People's Bank	290	293	297	298	298	302	308	310	321	327	332	343	346
Commercial Bank of Ceylon	12	14	15	15	16	16	19	21	28	31	34	36	41
Hatton National Bank	32	32	32	33	33	35	40	43	48	53	56	64	75
Sampath Bank	-	-	-	1	4	11	13	13	16	18	21	24	27
Seylan Bank	-	-	-	-	1	6	17	26	44	57	74	81	87
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6
Foreign Banks	25	25	22	22	22	21	23	25	29	33	36	37	37
Regional Rural Development Banks	-	16	32	61	80	89	101	124	156	163	169	171	175
National Savings Bank	52	56	60	62	64	69	76	81	84	85	90	96	99
Rural Banks	888	914	932	955	970	986	1,028	1,060	1,094	1,120	1,142	1,177	1,319
Total	1,620	1,677	1,718	1,775	1,814	1,858	1,950	2,031	2,150	2,220	2,290	2,370	2,551
Population per Bank Branch	9,629	9,444	9,381	9,217	9,143	9,045	8,714	8,492	8,095	7,936	7,801	7,642	7,180
Banking Density Index (b)													
Commercial Bank Branches	0.436	0.436	0.431	0.426	0.422	0.425	0.438	0.444	0.469	0.484	0.498	0.511	0.523
All Branches	1.039	1.059	1.066	1.085	1.094	1.105	1.148	1.178	1.235	1.260	1.282	1.308	1.393

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Number of Bank Branches per 10,000 Persons.

MERCHANT BANKS 1992 - 1996

Rs. '000

Item	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Gross Income	325,157	562,617	1,364,149	1,887,636	2,323,017
Net Profit Before Taxation	107,990	213,822	414,055	218,545	113,148
Profit Available for Appropriation	136,753	288,234	499,217	409,176	331,665
Dividend Payments	43,595	93,100	219,100	101,499	50,600
Retained Profit	93,158	115,134	280,117	307,677	281,065
Assets					
Quoted Equity Investments	77,717	148,698	901,467	1,784,368	1,924,247
Non-Quoted Investments	43,503	155,955	304,130	514,313	511,501
Debentures	1,368	1,368	1,080	9,413	100,913
Bills Discounted	731,709	1,131,809	1,865,585	2,083,950	1,828,696
Treasury Bills & Govt. Securities	20,505	220,069	89,104	1,148,292	2,481,524
Short-term Loans & Bridging Finance	49,950	611,723	1,346,922	1,812,250	1,710,065
Lease rental receivable	493,004	892,667	1,758,720	3,033,612	3,249,785
Total	1,749,372	3,883,347	7,199,356	13,578,316	14,828,346
Liabilities (Excluding Capital & Reserves)	1,443,430	2,713,906	5,438,046	10,756,392	12,126,684
Net Assets	305,942	1,169,440	2,327,276	2,821,923	2,701,863
Financed by					
Share Capital	165,990	812,750	1,125,000	1,210,000	1,233,735
Share Premium	50,000	251,096	887,897	1,142,897	1,170,714
Retained Profit	93,158	97,904	257,096	274,571	165,076
Reserves	-	17,228	35,617	60,662	65,615
Other	-3,206	-9,539	21,666	133,793	33,869
Contingent Liabilities	107,267	36,089	285,367	595,499	635,211
No. of Ordinary Shares in Issue, '000	20,990	80,275	111,500	120,000	122,373
No. of Share Holders	6,451	32,988	43,252	46,408	37,544
Profit per Ordinary Share, Rs. (Ave.)	6.52	3.59	4.48	3.41	2.71
Dividend per Ordinary Share, Rs. (Ave.)	2.08	1.16	1.97	0.85	0.41
Net Assets per Ordinary Share, Rs.(Ave.)	14.58	14.57	20.87	23.52	22.08

(a) Provisional

Sources : Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka Ltd.; Vanik Incorporation Ltd.;
People's Merchant Bank Ltd.; Seylan Merchant Bank Ltd.

FINANCE COMPANIES 1992 - 1996

(Financial Years)

Rs. Million

Item	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95	1995/96(a)
Liabilities	7,237.4	8,055.4	10,180.4	12,358.5	15,627.7
Capital Funds	966.0	1,110.4	1,637.9	1,995.4	2,219.9
Share Capital	185.5	170.0	270.8	382.6	385.7
Reserve Fund	147.4	175.4	204.3	245.6	308.1
Other Reserves	689.7	747.4	1,120.8	1,301.9	1,416.2
Profit & Loss Account	-56.6	17.6	42.0	65.3	109.9
Public Deposits	4,288.9	4,986.7	5,907.9	7,185.8	8,793.0
Provision for Bad Debts	125.9	258.9	702.8	855.2	1,026.7
Borrowings	1,196.9	748.3	781.4	975.1	1,242.5
Banks	1,147.7	718.5	610.5	823.1	375.3
Other	49.2	29.7	170.9	152	867.2
Other Liabilities	659.7	951.1	1,150.4	1,347.0	2,345.6
Assets	7,237.4	8,055.4	10,180.4	12,358.5	15,627.7
Liquid Assets	847.0	995.3	1,140.0	1,352.5	1,600.6
Cash and due from Banks	441.1	168.2	167.1	194.1	241.1
Fixed Deposits	—	325.2	290.1	367.7	408.7
Treasury Bills	405.9	501.9	682.8	790.7	950.8
Investments	547.5	548.1	991.3	1,026.2	1,045.1
Shares in Subsidiaries, Associated & Related Companies	102.7	119.8	188.6	281.0	382.3
Shares in Other Companies	444.8	428.3	802.5	745.0	662.3
Debentures	—	—	0.2	0.2	0.5
Advances	4,229.7	5,152.3	6,120.3	7,419.3	10,473.6
Hire Purchase	1,911.9	1,991.5	2,349.6	2,197.4	2,682.9
Leasing	1,246.4	2,106.4	2,622.9	3,593.0	5,629.1
Loans	1,071.4	578.0	604.3	606.8	1,005.0
Real Estates	—	200.6	263.5	395.9	644.6
Other Advances	—	275.7	280	626.2	262.2
Fixed Assets	990.4	798	1,019.9	1,534.6	1,189.6
Freehold Land & Buildings	507.5	591.4	777.7	818.7	860.7
Other Assets	622.7	561.6	908.9	1,025.9	1,318.8
Central Bank Refinance Outstanding (End of Year)	1,810.0	2,045.0	2,034.0	2,473.0	2,573.4
Relief Payments to Depositors (Cumulative)	462.0	509.9	511.5	523.5	572.7
Number of Registered Companies	24	24	24	24	24

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

UNIT TRUSTS 1992 - 1996
(Financial Years)

Item	1992 / 93	1993 / 94	1994 / 95	1995 / 96	1996 / 97
Income, Rs. '000	273,990.3	718,809.8	453,032.4	236,438.7	227,069.6
Interest	221,087.4	258,798.0	172,881.7	184,394.2	165,324.5
Dividend	12,947.6	25,536.8	41,593.2	42,798.0	45,767.6
Profit on Disposal of Shares	309.6	385,951.1	213,424.4	3,069.6	12,682.9
Profit on Trade of Units	37,345.1	44,350.5	18,194.4	2,452.8	-1,149.0
Other	2,300.6	4,173.4	6,938.7	3,724.1	4,885.8
Profit for the Year, Rs. '000	230,608.2	628,454.5	356,388.4	166,885.3	167,497.8
Retained Earnings, Rs. '000					
Profit Brought Forward	26,494.5	119,611.7	290,414.6	235,386.7	86,037.2
Profit for the Year	230,608.2	628,454.5	356,388.4	166,885.3	167,497.8
Less : Income Distribution	137,490.9	457,651.4	411,416.4	316,234.7	193,663.0
Total : Profit carried forward	119,611.8	290,414.6	235,386.7	86,037.2	59,872.1
Investments, Rs. '000					
Shares (Market Value)	830,085.8	2,922,382.7	2,515,073.8	1,853,260.9	1,706,964.5
Treasury Bills (cost)	732,588.4	848,142.3	425,561.9	437,645.8	428,396.9
Debentures (cost)	70,260.0	150,699.6	120,683.6	102,483.6	34,550.0
Other	18,775.0	150,064.0	155,191.0	185,782.0	200,537.0
Total	1,758,910.2	4,071,295.6	3,216,510.3	2,579,172.4	2,388,448.4
Net Current Assets, Rs. '000	599,684.5	79,692.9	222,708.8	243,667.3	222,214.7
Current Assets	710,022.2	1,261,069.9	418,957.0	321,744.3	295,819.8
Current Liabilities	110,337.7	1,181,377.0	196,248.2	78,627.0	73,794.0
Net Assets (Market Value of Funds), Rs. '000	2,358,594.7	4,150,981.6	3,439,219.1	2,822,839.7	2,642,895.6
Investments in Shares, No. of Shares					
Banks, Finance & Insurance	3,011,032	5,542,436	14,779,152	12,236,606	12,337,846
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	4,131,553	4,991,642	5,411,657	4,232,135	5,220,801
Manufacturing	3,304,108	6,105,249	14,384,176	15,307,950	16,856,458
Hotels & Travels	1,345,615	3,131,074	2,467,436	2,704,125	2,821,325
Footwear & Textiles	860,223	1,176,370	1,717,439	1,637,061	1,694,761
Trading	434,413	1,125,602	1,075,415	1,132,977	1,804,829
Motors	731,004	1,361,339	1,100,813	1,006,013	1,017,833
Chemicals	342,283	213,404	228,794	287,614	334,394
Other	709,527	1,660,891	2,598,338	6,350,180	7,231,352
Total	14,869,758	25,308,007	43,763,220	44,890,941	49,319,555
Investments in Shares, Rs. '000 (Market Value)					
Banks, Finance & Insurance	305,639.9	1,259,186.5	1,105,847.3	813,910.8	702,547.9
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	70,656.9	149,458.3	107,658.8	88,910.9	118,927.9
Manufacturing	137,071.1	617,489.1	773,234.4	540,784.6	439,607.5
Hotels & Travels	64,081.3	195,759.4	98,225.2	45,429.3	44,786.1
Footwear & Textiles	30,193.2	94,004.7	49,359.8	24,061.6	23,356.4
Trading	47,703.6	156,961.4	82,519.1	56,721.6	58,863.5
Motors	62,904.5	167,522.4	79,035.3	52,194.4	41,655.6
Chemicals	25,865.6	24,909.5	16,069.6	12,459.5	16,606.1
Other	85,969.7	257,091.4	203,124.3	218,788.2	251,756.8
Total	830,085.8	2,922,382.7	2,515,073.8	1,853,260.9	1,698,107.8
Total Cost on Share Investments, Rs. '000	998,124.5	2,206,974.8	2,688,551.6	2,573,473.7	2,730,533.8
Units in Issue (No.)	254,142,424	281,031,569	328,830,957	347,824,254	354,754,930
Dividend Paid, Rs. per Unit (Average)	0.54	1.63	1.25	0.91	0.55
Unit Holders (No.)	n.a.	n.a.	25,619	24,868	25,239
Buying Price of Units, Rs. per Unit	8.81 - 14.08	11.58 - 18.7	6.91 - 13.71	5.64 - 10.19	5.53 - 8.61
Selling Price of Units, Rs. per Unit	9.38 - 15.26	12.58 - 20.42	7.48 - 14.74	6.09 - 10.94	5.98 - 9.18

Sources : Comtrust Unit Trust
Ceybank Unit Trust
National Equity Fund
Pyramid Unit Trust

REGIONAL RURAL DEVELOPMENT BANKS 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
No. of Banks	4	5	9	11	11	12	15	16	17	17	17	17
Branches	17	32	61	80	89	103	124	156	163	169	171	175
Total Staff	93	213	513	613	611	701	994	1,232	1,421	1,458	1,467	1,542
Deposits - No. '000	12.5	41.2	88.0	144.5	199.5	309.6	423.7	573.7	715.4	835.2	932.8	993.4
Amount, Rs. Mn.	3.4	20.8	53.0	107.6	172.3	313.9	437.5	667.5	1,072.3	1,497.2	1,943.5	2,033.1
Savings	3.1	16.0	43.8	89.5	144.5	277.3	387.8	586.9	951.4	1,268.8	1,594.7	1,595.5
Time & Other	0.3	4.8	9.2	18.1	27.8	36.6	49.7	80.6	120.9	228.4	348.8	437.6
Loans Granted - No. '000	1.1	8.2	13.8	32.8	34.9	86.1	121.0	189.7	228.9	327.2	341.7	345.0
Amount, Rs. Mn.	4.9	65.2	96.0	140.6	189.8	524.2	759.1	1,004.9	1,376.9	1,807.5	2,054.6	2,313.9
Agriculture	2.0	23.4	35.0	47.6	86.8	281.4	340.6	321.1	422.2	379.5	347.8	287.0
Livestocks & Fisheries	0.6	4.9	6.2	10.0	10.8	23.9	32.3	45.7	53.9	53.8	44.9	48.9
Small Industries	1.0	8.3	15.2	20.5	17.7	42.4	59.0	81.5	99.5	102.0	131.1	200.8
Pawning	-	n.a.	n.a.	30.6	35.4	94.4	163.8	301.7	410.6	689.3	849.4	740.0
Other	1.3	28.6	39.6	31.9	39.1	82.1	163.4	254.9	390.7	582.9	681.4	1,037.2
Loans Outstanding - No. '000	1.2	7.9	17.4	25.8	40.1	86.4	108.2	166.9	215.8	258.5	292.7	296.0
Amount, Rs. Mn.	4.3	47.2	86.3	139.0	218.3	517.2	806.1	1,111.8	1,513.9	1,873.2	2,431.4	2,811.2
Agriculture	1.6	20.8	39.6	55.7	97.1	271.5	400.3	455.1	555.4	566.1	629.4	608.2
Livestocks & Fisheries	0.5	4.5	7.7	13.4	16.7	29.8	43.7	70.2	86.0	99.5	105.6	120.8
Small Industries	0.8	7.2	16.2	23.4	28.3	55.2	77.6	115.9	154.2	169.5	214.0	316.6
Pawning	-	0.7	5.9	17.4	32.4	62.8	104.7	169.4	268.6	395.1	506.6	530.7
Other	1.4	14.0	16.9	29.1	43.8	97.9	179.8	301.2	449.7	643.0	975.8	1,234.8
Investments, Rs. Mn.	36.4	43.8	88.5	115.4	133.1	280.4	439.7	490.2	650.6	593.3	571.8	454.0
Total Assets, Rs. Mn.	n.a.	n.a.	203.1	334.7	460.7	979.8	1,418.8	1,900.0	2,534.0	2,981.9	3,564.8	3,965.1

(a) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

CO-OPERATIVE RURAL BANKS AND CREDIT SOCIETIES 1991 - 1996

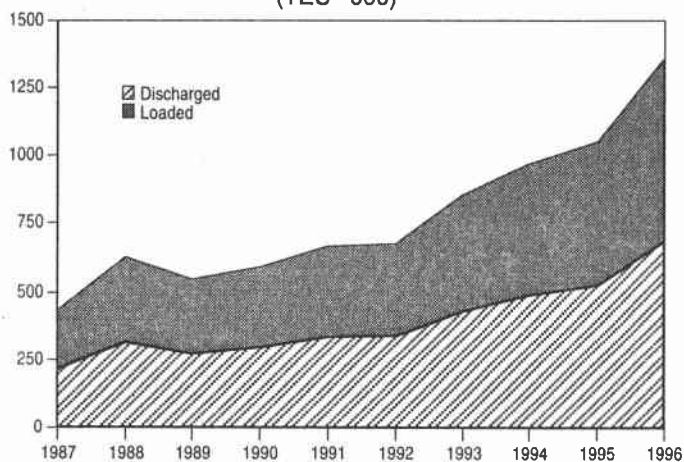
Item	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Co-operative Rural Banks						
No. of Banks	1,060	1,094	1,120	1,142	1,177	1,319
Deposits, Rs. Mn.	3,449	4,333	5,197	6,360	7,500	7,616
Savings Deposits	3,134	3,931	4,666	5,552	6,352	6,457
Time Deposits	315	402	531	808	1,148	1,159
Loans Outstanding, Rs. Mn.	2,188	2,471	2,813	3,243	3,763	4,253
Loans Granted, Rs. Mn.	584	596	539	536	805	1,067
Agriculture & Animal Husbandry	110	117	101	98	135	129
Small Industries	39	35	33	21	40	43
Housing, Electrification & Water	237	256	264	261	385	584
Commerce & Other Projects	111	103	63	74	104	158
Other	86	85	78	82	141	154
Thrift & Credit Co-operative Societies						
No. of Societies	6,138	6,404	6,843	7,681	7,992	8,340
Deposits, Rs. Mn.	588	697	1,415	1,736	1,736	2,050
Loans Granted, Rs. Mn.	609	715	1,086	1,270	1,677	1,888
Agriculture & Animal Husbandry	239	234	322	142	251	297
Small Industries	93	92	39	77	126	99
Housing, Electrification & Water	153	249	76	112	156	179
Commerce & Other Projects	62	34	-	683	732	649
Other	61	105	649	256	412	664

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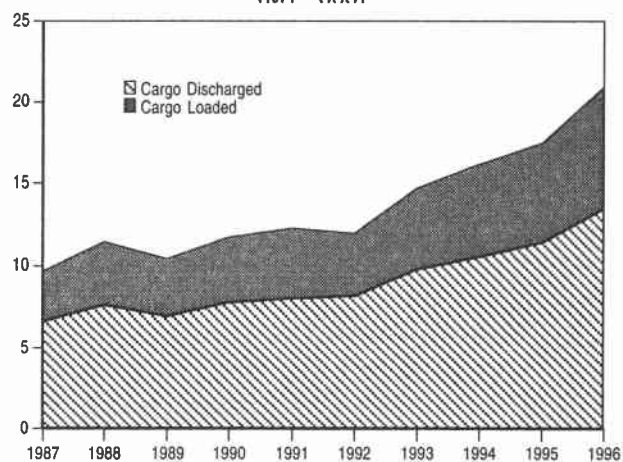
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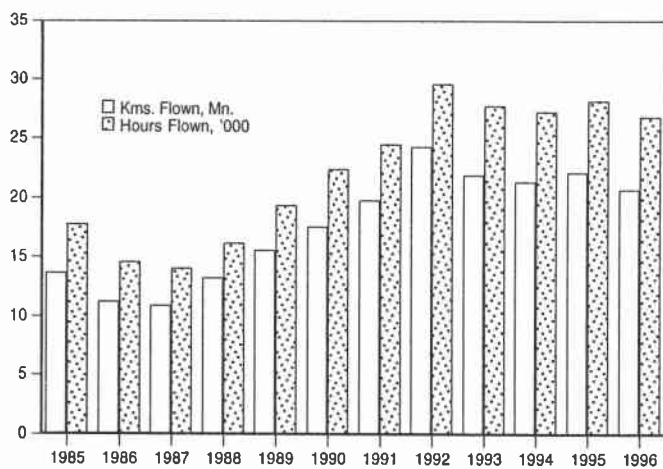
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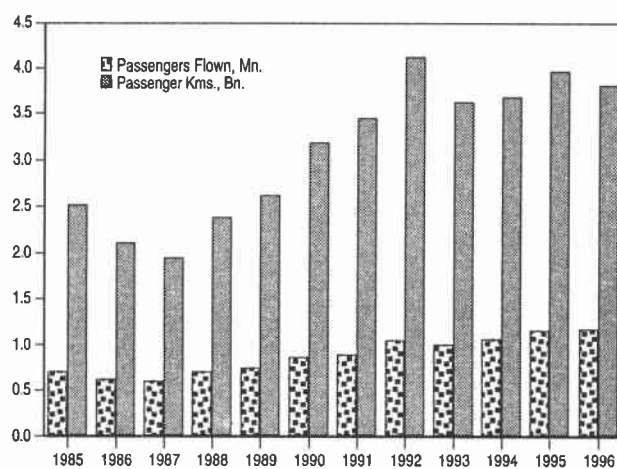
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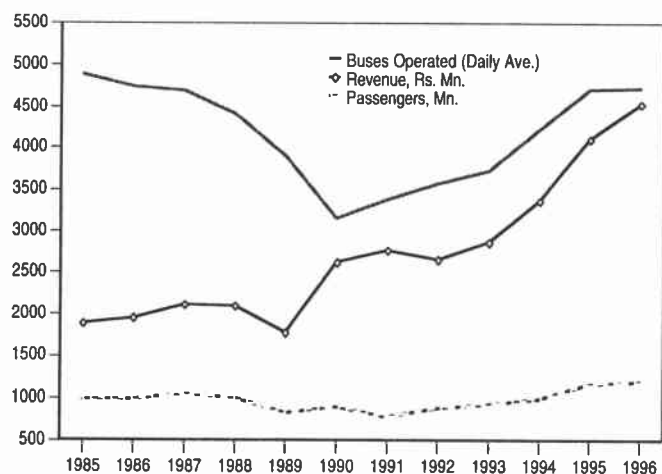


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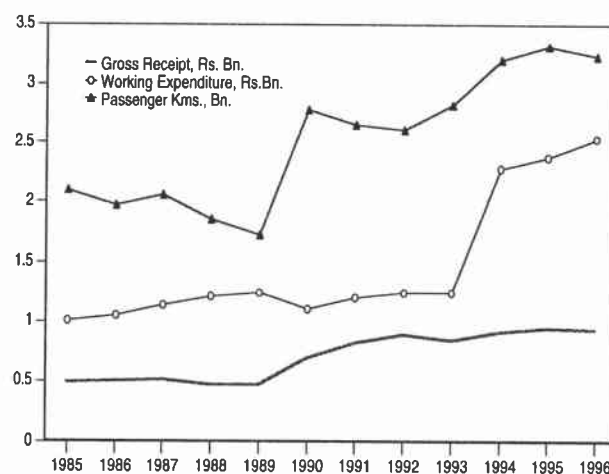


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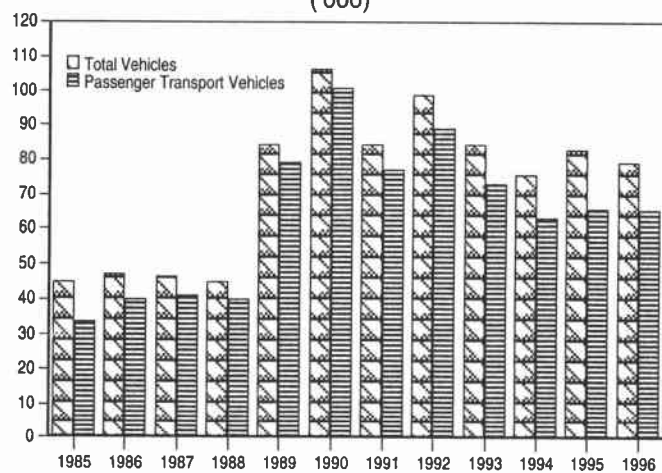
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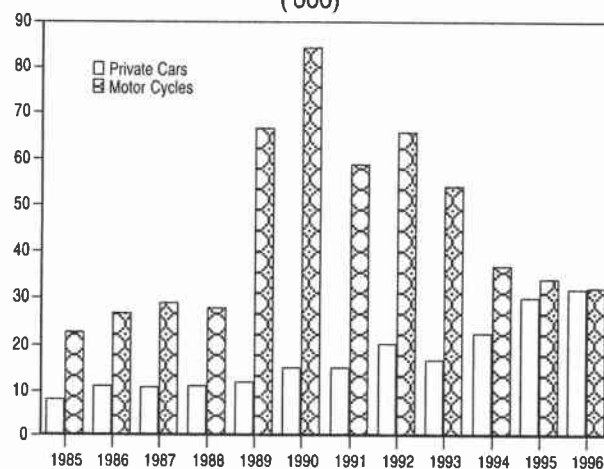
Sri Lanka Railways



New Registration of Vehicles ('000)



New Registrations – Cars and Motor Cycles ('000)



ROAD NETWORK 1985 - 1996

Kilometres

Year	Class A		Class B		Class C		Class D		Class E		Total	
1985	4,157		4,919		10,277		5,523		600		25,476	
1986	4,092		4,896		10,322		5,688		492		25,490	
1987	4,087		4,776		10,514		5,693		565		25,635	
1988	4,056		5,833		9,436		5,840		460		25,625	
1989	4,116		6,331		9,161		5,600		480		25,688	
1990	4,116		6,331		9,640		5,150		501		25,738	
1991	4,116		6,465		9,453		5,200		516		25,750	
1992	4,216		6,671		8,917		5,280		516		25,600	
1993	4,220		6,722		8,961		5,296		381		25,580	
1994	4,220		6,854		8,765		5,300		381		25,520	
1995	4,220		6,908		8,457		5,346		554		25,485	

Road Kilometrage by Province and District 1996 (a)													
Province/ District	Class A		Class B		Class C		Class D		Class E		Total		
Western	373	1,124	1,124	830	-	3,451	Eastern	620	459	377	204	14	1,674
Colombo	165	249	250	159	-	823	Batticaloa	172	59	216	113	14	574
Gampaha	128	578	397	475	-	1,578	Ampara	307	230	-	-	-	537
Kalutara	80	297	477	196	-	1,050	Trincomalee	141	170	161	91	-	563
Central	409	1,270	1,774	411	246	4,110	North Western	353	914	992	1,032	37	3,328
Kandy	184	526	951	97	20	1,778	Kurunegala	197	590	640	840	18	2,285
Matale	105	264	335	185	48	937	Puttalam	156	324	352	192	19	1,043
Nuwara Eliya	120	480	488	129	178	1,395	North Central	494	562	988	758	-	2,802
Southern	353	860	830	802	53	2,898	Anuradhapura	352	382	687	701	-	2,122
Galle	103	365	323	326	53	1,170	Polonnaruwa	142	180	301	57	-	680
Matara	135	224	259	235	-	853	Uva	468	556	1,163	476	204	2,882
Hambantota	115	271	248	241	-	875	Badulla	264	424	929	233	148	1,998
Northern	735	524	387	519	-	2,166	Monaragala	204	147	234	243	56	884
Jaffna	381	277	-	-	-	658	Sabaragamuwa	416	641	822	314	-	2,193
Killinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	0	Kegalle	144	249	442	265	-	1,100
Mannar	113	92	110	166	-	481	Ratnapura	272	392	380	49	-	1,093
Mullativu	113	102	178	151	-	544	Total Year 1996	4,221	6,926	8,457	5,346	554	25,504
Vavuniya	128	54	99	202	-	483	Year 1990	4,116	6,331	9,640	5,150	501	25,738
							Year 1985	4,157	4,919	10,277	5,523	600	25,476

(a) Provisional

Sources : Road Development Authority
Provincial Councils

- "A" Class - All roads within the network of Trunk Roads connecting the national capital with the provincial capitals and also connecting these capitals with another. Also included are other major roads (all roads paved and bitumen surfaced with carriage way between 24ft. to 36ft. and platform width 36ft. to 56ft.)
- "B" Class - Main roads connecting other important towns and also providing important links within the trunk route system (Metalled and bitumen with a small percentage gravelled.)
- "C" Class - Other roads such as agricultural roads and local road (Single carriage way of 12ft. width and a platform width of 22ft. mostly metalled but with a small percentage gravelled.)
- "D" Class - Gravelled road with 8ft. - 10ft. width surface generally motorable during dry weather only.
- "E" Class - Bridle paths, generally unmotorable but some are jeepable.

NEW REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Passenger Transport (No.)	33,529	39,847	41,206	39,978	79,321	100,722	77,167	88,915	72,866	63,131	65,953	65,355
Buses & Private Coaches	2,648	2,065	1,236	1,108	704	1,237	3,448	2,904	2,130	3,823	1,700	1,479
Private Cars (b)	8,099	11,189	10,929	11,033	11,921	15,061	15,076	20,177	16,802	22,517	30,046	31,921
Motor Cycles	22,782	26,593	29,041	27,837	66,696	84,424	58,643	65,834	53,934	36,791	34,207	31,955
Goods Transport (No.)	7,216	3,350	2,901	2,504	2,457	2,813	3,200	4,146	4,948	5,195	7,293	5,660
Lorries	7,098	3,247	2,846	2,445	2,414	2,755	3,052	3,909	4,653	4,971	6,979	5,427
Others	118	103	55	59	43	58	148	237	295	224	314	233
Land Vehicles (No.)	4,149	3,790	2,386	2,342	2,603	2,569	4,003	5,487	6,647	7,161	9,569	8,340
Tractors	664	542	610	509	462	391	582	1,182	1,563	1,807	2,328	1,819
Trailers	543	582	667	371	269	239	333	553	928	1,184	1,707	1,313
Others	2,942	2,666	1,109	1,462	1,872	1,939	3,088	3,752	4,156	4,170	5,534	5,208
Others (No.)	9	10	50	1	14	21	76	134	8	34	30	58
Total	44,903	46,997	46,543	44,825	84,395	106,125	84,446	98,682	84,469	75,521	82,845	79,413

(a) Provisional

(b) Including dual purpose vehicles

Source : Commissioner of Motor Traffic,
Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

SLCTB/PEOPLISED BUS COMPANIES 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Operational												
Passengers Transported, Mn.	974	985	1,038	988	822	888	769	868	909	976	1,149	1,177
Buses Scheduled (Average Daily), No.	5,954	5,948	5,872	5,580	6,028	5,673	5,192	5,411	5,295	5,614	6,044	6,205
Buses Operated (Average Daily), No.	4,880	4,738	4,694	4,407	3,894	3,151	3,359	3,550	3,709	4,207	4,698	4,713
Scheduled Kilometres, Mn.	552	544	532	550	546	516	n.a.	472	462	491	537	552
Operated Kilometres	390	375	371	333	261	243	247	268	272	307	353	348
Passenger Kilometres (b), Mn.	14,249	15,149	15,974	15,413	12,980	13,674	11,454	12,840	13,608	15,613	19,305	20,267
Seat Kilometres (c), Mn.	20,874	20,335	19,993	18,047	14,079	13,155	13,389	14,533	14,970	16,590	19,282	19,159
Average Passenger Journey, Km.	14.6	15.4	15.4	15.6	15.8	15.3	14.9	14.8	14.9	16.0	16.8	17.2
Load Factor (d), %	68.3	74.5	79.9	85.0	92.2	103.9	85.5	88.4	90.9	94.1	100.5	105.8
Average Capacity of												
Vehicles Operated, No.	53.5	54.2	53.9	54.2	54.0	54.5	55.0	54.2	54.0	54.1	54.7	55.1
Average Vehicle Utilization (e), Km.												
Scheduled	254	251	248	256	248	249	n.a.	238	n.a.	239	244	243
Operated	219	217	216	206	183	211	201	206	202	200	206	202
Revenue, Rs. Mn.	1,891	1,957	2,116	2,087	1,780	2,617	2,761	2,645	2,851	3,346	4,104	4,526
Way Bill Collection	1,631	1,716	1,869	1,868	1,642	2,447	n.a.	2,451	2,656	3,151	3,891	4,288
Sales of Season Tickets	260	241	247	219	138	170	n.a.	194	195	195	213	238

(a) Provisional.

(b) Total Revenue/Average Fare per Kilometre.

(c) Operated Kilometres X Average Capacity.

(d) $\frac{\text{Passenger Kilometres}}{\text{Seat Kilometres}} \times 100$

(e) Per Bus per Day.

Source : National Transport Commission

SRI LANKA RAILWAYS 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Rolling Stock, No.												
Locomotive (b)												
Broad Gauge	229	228	225	182	182	178	251	262	262	153	153	155
Narrow Gauge	18	18	19	13	13	13	19	19	19	5	5	5
Passenger Coaches												
Broad Gauge	1,283	1,265	1,150	1,085	1,149	1,191	1,293	1,308	1308	1,267	1,267	1,267
Narrow Gauge	70	70	70	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	45	59
Goods Wagons												
Broad Gauge	3,690	3,442	3,507	3,233	3,232	3,131	2,843	2,722	2592	2,529	2,529	2,575
Narrow Gauge	105	113	113	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	-
Route, Km.												
Broad Gauge	1,394	1,394	1,394	1,394	1,394	1,394	1,403	1,403	1404	1,404	1,404	1,418
Narrow Gauge	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	59
Stations, No.												
Broad Gauge	156	156	156	166	166	156	156	154	155	156	157	157
Narrow Gauge	12	12	12	12	12	14	14	6	8	8	7	8
Sub Stations, No.												
Broad Gauge	108	108	108	100	101	113	116	116	118	122	121	121
Narrow Gauge	8	8	8	7	7	7	7	14	12	13	13	12
Passenger Journeys, Mn.												
Ordinary Ticket Passengers (c)	23.9	23.3	24.5	22.1	21.4	35.4	33.2	34.7	38.3	43.0	44	43
Season Ticket Passengers	36.5	36.4	36.2	32.8	25.2	33.3	36.7	37.8	40.1	42.4	42.0	42.0
Passenger Kilometres (d), Mn.												
Ordinary Ticket Passengers	1,048	903	984	864	949	1,766	1,560	1,511	1,647	1,941	2,030	1,936
Season Ticket Passengers (e)	1,053	1,070	1,075	995	785	1,015	1,093	1,102	1,175	1,260	1,290	1,304
Revenue from Passenger Traffic, Rs. Mn.												
Ordinary Ticket Passengers	186.1	164.1	172.0	158.4	180.9	333.5	372.1	343.1	376.9	426.0	463.0	475.0
Season Ticket Passengers	82.9	92.9	67.5	66.2	53.1	77.5	136.6	136.9	128.3	139.7	132.0	147.0
Coaching Train Kilometre, Mn. Km.	6.0	5.8	5.9	4.7	4.2	5.7	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.2
Goods Hauled, Mn. Tons	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.0
Ton Kilometrage of Goods Hauled (f), Mn.	231.9	203.6	195.0	197.5	170.7	163.8	169.1	177.0	159.2	154.1	137.0	107.0
Receipts from Goods Traffic, Rs. Mn.	164.1	190.0	185.7	186.0	165.1	205.0	217.7	237.8	216.8	200.0	190.0	174.0
Goods Train Kilometres, Mn. Km.	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.0	0.9
Gross Railway Receipts, Rs. Mn.	483	501	506	469	462	686	817	894	833	916	947	938
Railway Working Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	1,010	1,046	1,133	1,213	1,242	1,103	1,200	1,239	1,237	2,282	2,379	2,538
Personnel Strength, No.	26,739	22,877	23,998	22,228	22,056	17,429	18,478	18,346	18,346	18,542	18,843	18,843

(a) Provisional

Source : Sri Lanka Railways

(b) Locomotives include all engines, steam and diesel and power sets and rail cars.

(c) Number of Journeys taken by passengers holding ordinary tickets (or number of ordinary ticket holders.)

(d) Number of passengers travelled X distance travelled.

(e) Number of season ticket holders multiplied by 40 (assuming that a season ticket holder usually takes 40 number of journey for a month).

(f) Number of tons hauled X distance hauled.

AVIATION: AIR LANKA 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Scheduled Services										
Kilometres Flown, '000	11,000	13,284	15,517	17,539	19,780	24,222	21,862	21,328	22,047	20,719
Hours Flown	14,146	16,225	19,375	22,308	24,485	29,589	27,638	27,128	28,144	26,765
Passengers Carried, No.	588,440	694,306	739,840	865,529	892,740	1,045,589	993,847	1,066,845	1,155,715	1,170,708
Freight Tons Carried, No.	11,284	14,246	16,162	21,426	24,260	27,033	24,585	26,500	34,292	33,369
Passenger Kilometres Flown, '000	1,945,841	2,382,538	2,622,905	3,189,010	3,449,156	4,104,396	3,624,030	3,683,204	3,966,235	3,816,384
Available Seat Kilometres, '000	2,915,034	3,256,271	3,778,831	4,222,467	4,821,413	6,049,738	5,261,450	5,174,961	5,566,553	5,342,347
Passenger Load Factor, %	66.8	73.2	69.4	75.5	71.5	67.8	68.9	71.2	71.3	71.4
Total Tonne Kilometres Performed, '000	225,701	278,457	313,290	389,996	418,082	484,587	435,550	447,661	519,181	507,406
Passengers (Including Excess Baggage)	175,130	214,428	236,058	294,442	314,714	369,396	326,163	331,489	356,231	343,475
Freight	49,091	59,931	73,188	91,161	98,698	109,846	104,435	109,903	156,715	158,584
Mail	1,480	4,098	4,044	4,393	4,671	5,345	4,952	6,269	6,235	5,347
Available Ton Kilometres, '000	363,272	423,116	500,246	569,966	633,561	776,048	668,903	663,440	748,769	720,602
Weight Load Factor, %	62.1	65.8	62.6	68.4	66.0	62.4	65.1	67.5	69.3	70.4
Non Scheduled Services										
Kilometres Flown, '000	—	219	124	880	146	240	224	207	266	218
Hours Flown, No.	—	289	58.27	197.3	183.5	197.5	122.12	238	325	432
Passenger Kilometres Flown, '000	—	48,812	27,340	235,295	37,081	60,168	53,065	53,456	69,190	51,321
Ton Kilometres Performed, '000	—	4,412	2,483	23,297	3,535	5,429	4,776	4,866	6,386	5,092
Available Ton Kilometres, '000	—	7,289	4,069	26,454	4,403	5,430	4,776	5,133	6,560	6,101
Personnel Strength, No.	3,626	3,334	3,552	3,572	3,749	4,229	4,091	4,210	4,445	4,597

(a) Provisional

Source: Air Lanka

PORT SERVICES 1987 - 1996

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Vessels Arrived	2,614	2,717	2,801	3,089	3,177	3,438	4,345	4,294	3,835	4,100
Colombo	2,235	2,327	2,548	2,847	2,928	3,117	3,887	3,790	3,277	3,467
Galle	83	66	78	59	54	74	210	223	253	268
Trincomalee	296	324	175	183	195	247	248	281	305	365
Cargo										
Discharged, MT '000	7,458	8,336	7,924	8,648	8,969	9,260	11,056	11,968	12,951	14,830
Colombo	6,622	7,575	6,925	7,723	7,982	8,131	9,732	10,515	11,390	13,400
Galle	226	174	212	189	219	236	255	297	236	234
Trincomalee	610	587	787	736	768	893	1,069	1,156	1,325	1,196
Cargo										
Loaded, MT '000	3,464	4,193	5,288	4,401	4,696	4,271	5,443	6,131	6,556	7,893
Colombo	3,060	3,895	3,504	3,983	4,275	3,826	4,980	5,629	6,024	7,485
Galle	-	11	1,387	10	-	-	-	7	2	2
Trincomalee	404	287	397	408	421	445	463	495	530	406
Total Cargo Handled (Port of Colombo), MT '000	9,682	11,469	10,429	11,718	12,282	11,957	14,712	16,143	17,413	20,885
Containerised	4,670	6,599	6,086	6,808	7,060	7,247	9,316	10,742	11,614	14,828
Break Bulk	2,389	2,372	2,170	2,316	2,267	2,039	2,263	2,231	2,430	2,225
Dry Bulk	387	412	415	499	830	499	682	603	632	704
Liquid Bulk	2,236	2,086	1,758	2,095	2,125	2,172	2,451	2,567	2,738	3,128
Container Throughput (Port of Colombo), TEU	435,618	628,485	551,810	595,356	669,488	675,776	857,768	972,642	1,049,044	1,356,301
Discharging	218,812	317,157	273,622	299,222	335,891	339,862	432,375	488,815	526,178	685,316
Domestic	65,174	68,804	78,401	87,917	95,197	107,033	127,405	146,636	165,158	179,632
Transshipment	150,446	244,567	191,396	205,525	234,791	226,489	297,051	333,529	350,865	492,455
Re-Stowing	3,192	3,786	3,825	5,780	5,903	6,340	7,919	8,650	10,155	13,229
Loading	216,806	311,328	278,188	296,134	333,597	335,914	425,393	483,827	522,866	670,985
Domestic	63,902	66,635	80,579	85,122	92,986	104,898	124,494	142,839	163,096	170,168
Transshipment	149,776	240,934	193,821	205,247	234,728	224,724	293,603	332,311	349,627	487,427
Re-Stowing	3,128	3,759	3,788	5,765	5,883	6,292	7,296	8,677	10,143	13,390
Revenue, Rs. Mn.	1,970	2,273	2,685	3,382	3,752	4,031	4,931	5,197	4,820	8,547
Colombo	1,870	2,166	2,557	3,258	3,609	3,872	4,737	4,964	4,582	8,319
Galle	42	46	45	42	51	50	64	90	75	79
Trincomalee	58	61	83	82	92	109	130	143	163	149
Employees	21,542	20,447	19,773	19,792	18,312	17,893	17,345	16,910	16,492	17,436
Colombo	19,241	18,214	17,582	17,611	16,486	16,181	15,844	15,409	14,851	15,575
Galle	869	845	837	805	701	656	634	634	779	804
Trincomalee	1,432	1,388	1,354	1,376	1,125	1,056	867	867	862	1,057

(a) Provisional.

Source : Sri Lanka Ports Authority

DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Mid-year Population, Mn.	1980	14.8	673.4	82.6	88.5	14.6	1.25	0.16
	1990	17.0	834.7	112.1	106.8	18.1	1.54	0.21
	1994	17.9	900.0	126.5	114.8	20.1	1.69	0.24
	1995	18.1	916.0	130.3	116.9	20.6	1.73	0.25
	1996	18.3	932.4	134.1	119.1	21.2	1.77	0.26
Population Growth, %	1996	1.1	1.8	2.9	1.9	2.4	2.3	1.2
	1980-96	24.2	38.5	62.3	34.6	44.5	41.6	62.0
Land Area, '000 Sq.Km.	1996	62.7	2973.2	770.9	130.2	136.8	47.0	0.3
Density of Population [Persons per Sq. Km.] (a)	1996	292	314	174	915	155	38	867
Population By Age Grups, %								
0 - 14 Years	1996	35.2	35.2	44.3	39.5	37.4	41.1	46.6
15 - 64 Years	1996	60.5	60.2	52.7	57.4	58.5	55.4	50.0
65 Years & Above	1996	4.3	4.6	3.0	3.1	4.1	3.5	3.4
Urban Population, %	1996	22.7	27.2	35.3	18.9	14.3	6.7	27.1
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	1994	19	26	39	28	40	42	30
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	1994	6	9	9	10	13	15	8
Total Fertility Rate [Births per Woman]	1996	2.4	3.3	5.6	3.8	5.1	6.0	6.7
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	1995	16.7	77	78	75	93	116	32
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	1980-96	30	437	340	449	830	370	202
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	1995	72	62	60	58	55	52	63

DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Mid-year Population, Mn.	1980	2.3	38.1	13.8	46.7	48.3	148.0
	1990	2.7	42.9	17.8	55.8	62.0	179.3
	1994	2.9	44.5	20.1	58.7	68.6	192.2
	1995	3.0	44.9	20.7	59.4	70.3	195.3
	1996	3.0	45.2	21.2	60.0	71.9	198.3
Population Growth, %	1996	0.3	0.7	2.4	1.0	2.3	1.5
	1980-96	31.6	18.6	53.6	28.5	48.9	34.0
Land Area, '000 Sq. Km.	1996	0.6	98.7	328.6	510.9	298.2	1811.6
Density of Population [Persons per Sq. Km.] (a)	1996	4,918	458	65	117	241	109
Population By Age Grups, %							
0 - 14 Years	1996	22.7	23.6	37.0	27.0	38.3	33.0
15 - 64 Years	1996	70.6	70.8	59.0	68.0	58.3	62.7
65 Years & Above	1996	6.7	5.6	4.0	5.0	3.4	4.3
Urban Population, %	1996	100	82.3	54.4	20.4	55.1	36.3
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	1994	19	15	28	17	31	24
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	1994	5	6	5	6	6	8
Total Fertility Rate [Births per Woman]	1996	1.7	1.7	3.4	2.0	4.0	2.7
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	1995	4	10	11	36	40	55
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	1980-96	11	30	34	155	208	390
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	1995	76	72	71	69	66	64

(a) Population / Total Land Area

Sources : Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries 1997, ADB
World Bank Atlas 1997
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

SOCIAL INDICATORS : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Human Development Index (a) (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	1994	0.711	0.446	0.445	0.368	0.347	0.338	0.611
Literacy Rate, %	1994	89	51	37	37	27	41	93
Labour Force, %	1990	49	43	35	49	47	51	41
Population per Physician	1995	3,411	2,106	1,915	5,143	12,500	10,922	2,493
Population per Hospital Bed	1995	345	1,037	1,522	3,265	3,839	1,500	817
Daily Per Capita Protein Supply, Grams	1994	46	58	60	42	55	n.a.	84
Daily Per Capita Calorie Supply, Calories	1994	2,243	2,384	2,429	1,951	2,104	n.a.	2,375
Daily News Papers per 1,000 Persons	1992	26	31	6	6	7	n.a.	13
Television Sets per 1,000 Persons	1992	55	37	18	5	2	n.a.	25
Radios per 1,000 Persons	1992	200	80	91	44	34	16	119
Telephones per 1,000 Persons	1995	14	13	16	2	4	6	57

SOCIAL INDICATORS : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Human Development Index (a) (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	1994	0.900	0.890	0.832	0.833	0.672	0.668
Literacy Rate, %	1993	91	98	83	93	94	83
Labour Force, %	1990	49	46	39	57	40	44
Population per Physician	1995	664	817	1,865	4,260	9,689	7,028
Population per Hospital Bed	1995	283	276	591	579	935	1,503
Daily Per Capita Protein Supply, Grams	1994	87	86	64	53	58	60
Daily Per Capita Calorie Supply, Calories	1994	3,114	3,224	2,785	2,387	2,424	2,616
Daily News Papers per 1,000 Persons	1992	336	407	117	74	49	24
Television Sets per 1,000 Persons	1992	379	211	150	114	45	60
Radios per 1,000 Persons	1992	646	1002	430	192	139	147
Telephones per 1,000 Persons	1995	478	415	166	59	21	17

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

Note : If estimates for the reference year are not available, data refer to most recent year.

Sources : Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries 1997, ADB
World Bank Atlas 1997
Human Development Report 1997, UNDP
UN Statistical Yearbook 1993
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS INDICATORS : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Gross National Product (GNP) (a), Mn. US\$	1990	7,973	301,628	41,130	21,980	3,587	266	146
	1994	11,647	299,174	51,585	26,833	4,111	242	241
	1995	12,859	333,225	59,432	30,437	4,325	270	271
	1996	13,799	n.a.	60,650	32,552	4,487	293	n.a.
GNP Per Capita (a), US\$	1990	469	361	366	206	198	173	685
	1994	652	332	408	234	205	143	983
	1995	710	364	456	260	210	156	1,071
	1996	753	n.a.	452	273	212	166	n.a.
GNP Per Capita PPP, US\$	1995	3,250	1,400	2,230	1,380	1,170	1,260	3,080
Growth Rate of Real GDP, % (b)	1990	6.2	5.4	4.6	6.6	4.5	6.6	16.2
	1994	5.6	7.2	4.5	4.2	7.7	6.4	6.6
	1995	5.5	7.1	4.4	4.4	2.5	7.5	7.2
	1996	3.8	n.a.	6.1	5.4	6.0	6.4	6.5
Sectoral Composition of GDP, % (b)								
Agriculture	1990	23.2	30.9	25.8	38.3	50.5	44.6	8.9
	1995	20.0	26.9	24.7	32.8	42.9	37.9	18.7
Mining	1990	3.0	2.0	0.5	—	0.5	0.9	1.8
	1995	2.4	1.9	0.5	—	0.5	1.2	1.7
Manufacturing	1990	17.4	21.1	17.6	9.9(c)	5.8	7.1	5.7
	1995	20.4	22.3	18.2	11.3(c)	8.6	9.2	6.2
Services	1990	56.4	46.0	56.0	51.8	43.3	47.4	83.6
	1995	57.1	49.0	56.7	55.9	48.0	51.6	73.4
Consumption, Investment and Savings, % of GDP (a)								
Private Consumption	1990	75.9	56.1	71.4	83.3	83.5	51.9	52.8
	1994	75.1	59.2	71.3	78.3	77.3	50.0	n.a.
	1995	73.2	58.2	72.5	78.0	79.4	45.7	n.a.
Government Consumption	1990	9.8	11.5	15.1	14.0	8.7	19.0	35.9
	1994	9.7	10.5	12.0	14.3	8.0	16.8	n.a.
	1995	11.5	10.6	11.7	13.7	8.2	17.5	n.a.
Gross Capital Formation	1990	22.2	25.2	18.9	12.8	18.4	33.1	64.2
	1994	27.0	24.0	19.4	13.8	22.4	48.2	n.a.
	1995	25.7	26.2	18.7	16.6	23.5	45.7	n.a.
Domestic Savings	1990	14.3	23.6	13.5	2.7	7.9	29.1	11.3
	1994	15.2	24.9	16.7	7.4	14.7	33.2	n.a.
	1995	15.3	25.6	15.7	8.2	12.4	36.8	n.a.
National Savings	1990	16.8	22.2	17.8	5.7	9.7	22.6	n.a.
	1994	19.1	24.9	16.0	12.2	16.6	22.5	n.a.
	1995	19.5	25.6	16.5	13.0	14.6	24.8	n.a.

(a) At Current Market Prices.

(b) Estimates at constant prices with varying base year from country to country.

(c) Includes Mining.

Sources : Key Indicators of Developing Asian And Pacific Countries 1997, ADB
International Financial Statistics, August 1997, IMF
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS INDICATORS : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Gross National Product (GNP) (a), Mn. US\$	1990	37,590	251,868	40,902	84,369	44,531	109,209
	1994	71,816	378,086	68,918	140,090	65,730	170,280
	1995	85,636	452,473	83,092	163,921	76,180	192,474
	1996	94,874	480,627	93,545	179,837	86,913	216,190
GNP Per Capita (a), US\$	1990	13,871	5,875	2,303	1,511	718	609
	1994	24,511	8,506	3,427	2,386	958	889
	1995	28,641	10,089	4,016	2,760	1,084	989
	1996	31,625	10,622	4,412	2,997	1,209	1090
GNP Per Capita PPP, US\$	1995	22,770	11,450	9,020	7,540	2,850	3,800
Growth Rate of Real GDP, % (b)	1990	9.0	9.5	9.7	11.2	3.0	9.0
	1994	10.5	8.6	9.2	8.7	4.4	7.5
	1995	8.8	8.9	9.5	8.8	4.8	8.2
	1996	7.0	7.1	8.2	6.7	5.5	7.8
Sectoral Composition of GDP, % (b)							
Agriculture	1990	0.3	8.7	18.7	13.6	22.2	20.2
	1995	0.2	6.6	13.5	10.8	21.5	16.1
Mining	1990	0.1	0.6	9.8	1.6	1.5	10.1
	1995	...	0.3	7.5	1.5	1.3	9.3
Manufacturing	1990	28.4	29.2	26.9	27.8	25.5	20.6
	1995	27.8	30.0	33.1	32.2	25.3	23.9
Services	1990	71.2	61.6	44.6	57.1	50.6	49.1
	1995	72.0	63.1	45.9	55.5	51.8	50.8
Consumption, Investment and Savings, % of GDP (a)							
Private Consumption	1990	44.4	53.7	52.6	56.4	71.2	58.9
	1994	42.9	53.7	48.6	54.9	74.4	58.0
	1995	40.9	53.0	47.9	54.4	74.1	58.6
Government Consumption	1990	10.0	10.1	14.0	9.4	10.1	8.8
	1994	8.3	10.6	12.6	9.8	10.8	8.1
	1995	8.2	10.3	12.6	9.4	11.4	7.9
Gross Capital Formation	1990	36.0	36.9	30.4	41.3	24.2	27.7
	1994	32.7	36.1	40.4	41.0	24.1	31.6
	1995	33.1	37.0	43.2	43.3	22.2	30.9
Domestic Savings	1990	45.6	36.2	33.4	35.0	18.7	32.3
	1994	49.7	35.7	38.8	35.2	14.9	35.3
	1995	50.8	36.8	39.5	36.2	14.6	35.2
National Savings	1990	46.2	35.5	29.0	33.8	18.1	27.7
	1994	49.8	35.0	33.8	33.1	17.4	31.6
	1995	50	35.9	34.6	34	17.3	30.9

(a) At Current Market Prices.

(b) Estimates at constant prices with
varying base year from country to country.

Sources : Key Indicators of Developing Asian And Pacific Countries 1997, ADB
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AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIAL INDICATORS : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Agriculture								
Cropped Land (Agricultural), % of Total Land Area	1975	29.6	56.5	25.7	70.1	17.0	2.4	10.0
	1994	29.1	57.1	27.7	74.5	17.2	2.9	10.0
Forest and Woodland, % of Total Land Area	1975	27.9	22.1	3.7	16.9	42.9	55.0	3.3
	1994	32.5	23.0	4.5	14.6	42.0	66.0	3.3
Irrigated Land, % of Cropped Land	1992	28.9	27.0	81.0	34.3	36.1	25.4	—
Cropped Land per Capita, Hectares	1975	0.14	0.27	0.27	0.12	0.18	0.10	0.02
	1994	0.10	0.18	0.16	0.08	0.11	0.08	0.01
Share of Agriculture in GDP, %	1985	25.9	34.6	27.4	41.7	51.7	54.9	11.6
	1995	20.0	26.9	24.7	32.8	42.9	37.9	18.7
Index of Agricultural Production (1988 = 100)	1995	114	125	138	116	114	111	119
Paddy Production/World Paddy Production (a), %	1996	0.4	22.1	1.0	4.8	0.7	—	—
Yield of Paddy Production per Hectare, Kg.	1985	3,071	2,329	2,350	2,169	2,016	1,938	—
	1996	3,513	2,950	2,451	2,547	2,928	1,667	—
Per Capita Paddy Production, Kg.	1985	128	128	46	232	172	45	—
	1996	155	134	41	227	201	28	—
Industry								
Share of Manufacturing in GDP, %	1985	14.8	19.4	16.5	9.9	5.5	5.0	5.6
	1995	20.4	22.3	18.2	11.3	8.6	9.2	6.2
Index of manufacturing (1988 = 100)	1995	—	159	134	179	153	—	—
Electricity Production Per Capita, Kwh	1985	156	244	239	47	21	15	60
	1995	264	427	411	87	49	998	202
Energy Consumption Per Capita, Kg.oe	1985	109	174	210	43	18	17	114
	1994	114	267	251	63	25	38	151

AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIAL INDICATORS : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Agriculture							
Cropped Land (Agricultural), % of Total Land Area	1975	13.1	22.7	14.2	32.6	25.7	14.4
	1994	1.6	20.8	23.1	40.7	30.8	16.7
Forest and Woodland, % of Total Land Area	1975	4.9	67.1	68.4	36.2	45.2	67.5
	1994	4.9	65.4	67.9	26.4	45.6	61.7
Irrigated Land, % of Cropped Land	1992	0.00	64.0	7.0	21.9	17.2	36.7
Cropped Land per Capita, Hectares	1975	0.00	0.06	0.38	0.40	0.18	0.19
	1994	0.00	0.05	0.39	0.36	0.14	0.16
Share of Agriculture in GDP, %	1985	0.8	13.9	20.8	19.1	24.6	22.7
	1995	0.2	6.6	13.5	10.8	21.5	16.1
Index of Agricultural Production (1988 = 100)	1995	43	113	126	114	124	123
Paddy Production/World Paddy Production (a), %	1996	...	1.1	0.4	3.8	2.0	9.0
Yield of Paddy Production per Hectare, Kg.	1985	...	6,351	2,780	2,061	2,588	3,942
	1996	...	6,101	3,129	2,364	2,890	4,515
Per Capita Paddy Production, Kg.	1985	...	192	118	392	161	237
	1996	...	139	97	363	161	258
Industry							
Share of Manufacturing in GDP, %	1985	23.6	25.3	19.7	22.5	25.2	15.8
	1995	27.8	30.0	33.1	32.2	25.3	23.9
Index of Manufacturing (1988 = 100)	1995	179	169	246	216	199	79
Electricity Production Per Capita, Kwh.	1985	3,999	1,422	955	446	416	103
	1994	7,377	4,117	1,638	1,342	475	314
Energy Consumption Per Capita, Kg.oe	1985	6,551	1,273	805	314	195	226
	1994	6,520	2,647	1,570	744	288	329

(a) World Paddy Production : 567,312 Thousand M.T.

Source : Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries 1996, ADB

MONETARY AND FISCAL INDICATORS : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Reserve Money, Mn. US\$	1994	1,387	49,206	9,243	2,935	583	41	86
	1995	1,552	53,591	10,530	2,637	603	66	87
	1996	1,553	53,693	8,899	2,867	606	n.a.	103
Narrow Money (M ₁), Mn. US\$	1994	1,426	54,026	14,244	2,884	618	33	73
	1995	1,468	58,084	15,516	3,360	647	41	76
	1996	1,415	59,958	14,635	3,390	627	n.a.	90
Broad Money (M ₂), Mn. US\$	1994	3,888	150,730	23,370	9,771	1,472	76	111
	1995	4,478	161,893	25,693	10,942	1,620	100	126
	1996	4,587	171,654	27,056	11,679	1,663	n.a.	159
% of GDP	1994	33.2	49.6	45.4	38.1	36.5	28.2	46.1
	1995	34.4	47.8	43.6	37.7	38.3	32.6	46.6
	1996	33.0	n.a.	44.9	37.5	37.7	n.a.	n.a.
Composition of M ₂ (%)								
Currency	1996	16.8	21.3	25.8	14.0	27.0	13.3	22.8
Demand Deposits	1996	14.1	13.6	28.3	15.1	10.7	27.4	33.8
Quasi-Money	1996	69.2	65.1	45.9	71.0	62.3	59.3	43.4
% Change of Money (a)								
M ₁	1994	18.7	27.4	15.1	24.3	20.6	24.1	22.5
	1995	6.7	11.1	12.8	16.7	9.9	26.6	5.7
	1996	4.0	12.8	7.5	4.7	5.9	n.a.	17.8
M ₂	1994	19.2	20.3	17.4	19.3	18.1	50.9	24.2
	1995	19.4	11.0	13.8	12.2	15.6	35.6	15.6
	1996	10.5	15.9	20.1	10.8	12.2	n.a.	26.0
Causal Factors in M ₂ Mn. US \$								
Net Foreign Assets	1996	835	22,344	-2,361	2,079	668	137	71
Domestic Credit	1996	4,865	169,122	31,619	9,576	1,561	30	138
Net Other Items	1996	-1,114	-19,812	-2,201	24	-566	-66	-50
Money Multiplier								
For M ₁	1995	0.95	1.08	1.47	1.27	1.07	0.62	0.88
	1996	0.91	1.12	1.61	1.18	1.03	n.a.	0.87
For M ₂	1995	2.89	3.02	2.44	4.15	2.69	1.51	1.45
	1996	2.95	3.20	3.04	4.07	2.74	n.a.	1.54
Income Velocity of Money (c)								
of M ₁	1995	8.76	5.74	3.83	9.06	6.69	6.63	3.55
	1996	9.75	n.a.	4.14	9.6	7.16	n.a.	n.a.
of M ₂	1995	2.87	2.06	2.31	2.78	2.67	2.70	2.15
	1996	3.01	n.a.	2.24	2.79	2.7	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal Operation Indicators, % of GDP								
Government Revenue	1995-96	19.0	14.9	17.8	18.8	11.3	18.1	38.5
Current Expenditure	1995-96	22.2	13.6	18.3	8.8	7.7	18.3	27.5
Capital Expenditure	1995-96	5.2	0.6	4.4	7.4	9.8	32.8	26.0
Budget Surplus/Deficit (-)	1995-96	-8.9	-1.3	-5.0	2.6	-6.3	-31.2	-15.1

(a) Percent change of amounts in domestic currency.

(b) Ratio of Money to Reserve Money.

(c) Ratio of GNP to Money.

Sources : International Financial Statistics, October 1997, IMF
Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific
Countries 1997, ADB

MONETARY AND FISCAL INDICATORS : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Reserve Money, Mn. US\$	1994	10,198	31,370	14,664	13,117	7,251	10,669
	1995	12,022	37,997	19,154	16,227	8,728	12,079
	1996	12,900	31,976	n.a.	18,104	9,804	15,745
Narrow Money (M ₁), Mn. US\$	1994	15,327	40,464	21,406	13,773	6,053	19,188
	1995	17,885	50,401	25,393	15,585	7,569	20,962
	1996	19,177	49,154	n.a.	16,711	8,892	22,042
Broad Money (M ₂), Mn. US\$	1994	61,529	165,759	62,938	112,497	29,264	79,481
	1995	71,940	199,601	79,119	132,876	37,327	97,124
	1996	79,398	221,657	n.a.	147,043	45,119	118,529
% of GDP	1994	86.6	43.5	86.8	78.6	45.7	44.9
	1995	84.2	43.7	90.6	79.5	50.4	48.3
	1996	84.4	45.7	n.a.	79.9	54.0	52.5
Composition of M ₂ (%)							
Currency	1996	9.2	8.7	8.8	8.2	10.4	8.1
Demand Deposits	1996	15.5	13.5	23.3	3.2	9.3	10.5
Quasi-Money	1996	75.8	77.8	67.9	88.6	80.3	81.4
% Change of Money (a)							
M ₁	1994	2.3	11.9	16.8	16.9	11.3	22.9
	1995	8.3	19.6	13.2	12.1	21.7	13.7
	1996	6.7	1.7	n.a.	9.1	19.8	9.6
M ₂	1994	14.4	18.7	12.7	12.9	24.4	20.0
	1995	8.5	15.6	20.0	17.0	24.2	27.2
	1996	9.8	15.8	n.a.	12.6	23.2	27.2
Causal Factors in M ₂ , Mn. US \$							
Net Foreign Assets	1996	64,015	25,033	23,243	-3,184	2,679	21,727
Domestic Credit	1996	61,254	318,711	83,048	182,768	55,475	123,240
Net Other Items	1996	-45,871	-122,087	-27,172	-32,542	-13,035	-26,438
Money Multiplier							
For M ₁	1995	1.49	1.33	1.33	0.96	0.87	1.74
	1996	1.49	1.54	n.a.	0.92	0.91	1.40
For M ₂	1995	5.98	5.25	4.13	8.19	4.28	8.04
	1996	6.15	6.93	n.a.	8.12	4.60	7.53
Income Velocity of Money (c)							
of M ₁	1995	4.79	8.98	3.27	10.52	10.06	9.18
	1996	4.95	9.78	n.a.	10.76	9.77	9.81
of M ₂	1995	1.19	2.27	1.05	1.23	2.04	1.98
	1996	1.19	2.17	n.a.	1.22	1.93	1.82
Fiscal Operation Indicators, % of GDP							
Government Revenue	1995-96	20.9	19.6	23.6	18.3	18.7	16.0
Current Expenditure	1995-96	15.3	14.0	17.8	10.9	15.0	9.3
Capital Expenditure	1995-96	—	3.6	5.1	6.7	3.4	5.9
Budget Surplus/Deficit (-)	1995-96	-1.9	-0.2	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.8

(a) Percent change of amounts in domestic currency.

(b) Ratio of Money to Reserve money.

(c) Ratio of GNP to Money.

Sources : International Financial Statistics, October 1997, IMF
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EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : SAARC Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	India	Pakistan	Bangladesh	Nepal	Bhutan	Maldives
Exports, Mn. US \$	1994	3,209 (12.0)	25,022 (16.2)	7,367 (10.3)	2,661 (16.8)	364 (-6.7)	71 (3.1)	46 (32.7)
	1995	3,807 (18.6)	30,684 (22.6)	7,986 (8.4)	3,173 (19.2)	348 (-4.2)	n.a.	50 (7.8)
	1996	4,103 (7.8)	33,020 (7.6)	9,294 (16.4)	3,301 (4.0)	n.a.	n.a.	59 (19.8)
Exports Per Capita, US \$	1994	180	28	58	23	18	42	187
	1995	210	33	61	27	17	n.a.	196
	1996	224	35	69	28	n.a.	n.a.	227
Imports, Mn. US \$	1994	4,767 (18.8)	26,843 (17.9)	8,890 (-5.8)	4,603 (15.2)	1,159 (31.8)	114 (13.0)	222 (19.8)
	1995	5,311 (11.4)	34,570 (28.8)	11,462 (28.9)	6,502 (41.2)	1,374 (18.6)	n.a.	268 (20.8)
	1996	5,417 (2.0)	37,366 (8.1)	12,134 (5.9)	6,618 (1.8)	n.a.	n.a.	302 (12.7)
Imports Per Capita, US \$	1994	267	30	70	40	58	67	905
	1995	293	38	88	56	67	n.a.	1059
	1996	293	40	90	56	n.a.	n.a.	1156
Export / Import Ratio	1994	0.67	0.93	0.83	0.58	0.31	0.62	0.21
	1995	0.72	0.89	0.70	0.49	0.25	n.a.	0.18
	1996	0.76	0.88	0.77	0.50	n.a.	n.a.	0.20
Balance of Trade (a), Mn. US \$	1994	-1,559	-1,821	-1,523	-1,942	-795	-43	-176
	1995	-1,505	-3,886	-3,475	-3,329	-1,026	n.a.	-218
	1996	-1,314	-4,346	-2,820	-3,317	n.a.	n.a.	-243
Terms of Trade Index (1990 = 100)	1994	125.4	181.7	98.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1995	124.2	126.0	110.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	1996	127.2	n.a.	110.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Current A/c Balance, Mn. US \$	1994	-753	-1676	-1,804	200	-352	-39	-11
	1995	-644	-5563	-3333	-824	-356	-57	-16
	1996	-549	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-327	-48	6
Total Reserve Minus Gold, Mn. US \$	1994	2,046	19,698	2,929	3,139	694	115	31
	1995	2,088	17,922	1,733	2,340	586	124	48
	1996	1,962	20,170	548	1,835	571	184	76
External Debt, Mn. US \$	1994	8,830	101,501	27,342	16,223	2,320	87	123
	1995	9,918	93,766	30,152	16,370	2,398	87	155
External Debt Service Ratio, % (b)	1994	8.3	25.6	35.3	14.1	7.7	n.a.	7.3
	1995	7.0	28.2	26.9	13.3	7.8	n.a.	7.1
Exchange Rate (c) (Domestic Cur. / US\$)	1994	49.415	31.374	30.567	40.212	49.398	31.374	11.586
	1995	51.252	32.427	31.643	40.278	51.890	32.427	11.770
	1996	55.272	35.433	36.079	41.796	56.692	35.433	11.770

(a) Exports less imports

(b) Total debt service (*i.e.* principal and interest payments on long term debt, interest payments on short term debt, and IMF repurchases and charges.

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

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Note : Annual change (%) is given within parenthesis.

EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : Selected East Asian Countries

Indicator	Ref. Year	Singapore	Rep. of Korea	Malaysia	Thailand	Philippines	Indonesia
Exports, Mn. US \$	1994	96,456 (30.4)	96,013 (16.8)	58,563 (24.3)	45,233 (22.4)	13,252 (18.6)	40,055 (8.8)
	1995	118,185 (22.5)	125,058 (30.3)	73,801 (26.0)	56,195 (24.2)	17,519 (32.2)	45,417 (13.4)
	1996	125,058 (5.8)	129,715 (3.7)	78,247 (6.0)	55,526 (-1.2)	20,396 (16.4)	49,814 (9.7)
Exports Per Capita, US \$	1994	32,920	2,160	2,912	770	193	209
	1995	39,527	2,788	3,567	946	249	233
	1996	41,686	2,867	3,691	925	284	251
Imports, Mn. US \$	1994	102,394 (20.2)	102,348 (22.1)	59,395 (30.2)	54,434 (18.1)	22,584 (19.8)	31,983 (12.9)
	1995	124,395 (21.5)	135,119 (32.0)	77,670 (30.8)	73,426 (34.9)	28,388 (25.7)	40,630 (27.0)
	1996	131,335 (5.6)	150,339 (11.3)	78,423 (1.0)	72,158 (-1.7)	34,536 (21.7)	42,929 (5.7)
Imports Per Capita, US \$	1994	34,947	2303	2,954	927	329	167
	1995	41,604	3,013	3,754	1236	404	209
	1996	43,778	3,322	3,699	1203	480	216
Export / Import Ratio	1994	0.94	0.94	0.99	0.83	0.59	1.25
	1995	0.95	0.93	0.95	0.77	0.62	1.12
	1996	0.95	0.86	1.00	0.77	0.59	1.16
Balance of Trade (a), Mn. US \$	1994	-5,938	-6,335	-832	-9,202	-9,332	8,072
	1995	-6,210	-10,061	-3,869	-17,231	-10,869	4,787
	1996	-6,277	-20,624	-176	-16,632	-14,140	6,885
Terms of Trade Index (1990 = 100)	1994	91.4	105.9	n.a.	101.4	92.7	82
	1995	90.0	102.4	n.a.	96.6	93.7	n.a.
	1996	90.1	90.3	n.a.	n.a.	89.6	n.a.
Current A/c Balance, Mn. US \$	1994	12,226	-3,855	-4,520	-8,085	-2,950	-2,792
	1995	14,498	-8,250	-7,360	-13,554	-1,980	-7,023
	1996	14,283	-23,061	n.a.	-14,692	n.a.	n.a.
Total Reserve Minus Gold, Mn. US \$	1994	58,177	25,639	25,423	29,332	6,017	12,133
	1995	68,695	32,678	23,774	35,982	6,372	13,708
	1996	76,847	34,037	27,009	37,731	10,030	18,251
External Debt, Mn. US \$	1994	7,665	85,555	29,537	48,095	39,996	96,543
	1995	8,405	113,463	34,352	56,789	39,445	107,831
External Debt Service Ratio (b), %	1994	0.5	7.3	9.3	13.5	18.9	30.7
	1995	0.5	4.9	7.8	10.2	16.4	30.9
Exchange Rate (c) (Domestic Currency / US\$)	1994	1.5274	803.45	2.624	25.150	26.417	2,160.8
	1995	1.4174	771.27	2.5044	24.915	25.714	2,248.6
	1996	1.4100	804.45	2.5159	25.343	26.216	2343.3

(a) Exports less imports

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CONSUMER PRICE CHANGES^(a) % : Sri Lanka and Selected Countries

Country	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(b)
SAARC Countries								
Sri Lanka	11.6	21.5	12.2	11.4	11.7	8.4	7.7	15.9
India	6.2	8.9	13.9	11.8	6.4	10.2	10.2	9.0
Pakistan	7.9	9.1	11.8	9.5	10.0	12.4	12.3	10.4
Bangladesh	10.0	8.1	7.2	4.3	—	3.6	5.8	2.7
Nepal	8.8	8.2	15.6	17.1	7.5	8.3	7.6	9.2
Bhutan	8.8	10.0	12.3	16.0	11.2	7.0	8.4	6.2
Maldives	7.2	3.6	14.7	16.8	20.2	1.4	7.5	6.3
East Asian Countries (Selected)								
Singapore	2.3	3.5	3.4	2.3	2.3	3.1	1.7	1.4
Rep. of Korea	5.7	8.6	9.3	6.2	4.8	6.3	4.5	5.0
Malaysia	2.8	2.6	4.4	4.8	3.5	3.7	5.3	3.5
Thailand	5.4	6.0	5.7	4.1	3.4	5.2	5.7	5.8
Philippines	12.2	14.1	18.7	8.9	7.6	9.1	8.1	8.4
Indonesia	6.4	7.8	9.4	7.5	9.7	8.5	9.4	7.9
Industrial Countries (Selected)								
Japan	2.3	3.1	3.3	1.7	1.3	0.7	-0.1	0.1
United States	4.8	5.4	4.2	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	2.9
United Kingdom	7.8	9.5	5.9	3.7	1.6	2.5	3.4	2.4

(a) Per cent Change of Annual Average of Consumer Price Index. (1990 = 100)

(b) Provisional

CONSUMER PRICE CHANGES^(a) %

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Industrial Countries	11.4	12.4	4.4	5.2	4.4	3.1	2.8	2.3	2.5	2.3
United States	9.1	13.5	3.6	5.4	4.2	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	2.9
Canada	10.8	10.2	4.0	4.8	5.6	1.5	1.8	0.2	2.2	1.6
Australia	15.1	10.1	6.7	7.3	3.2	1.0	1.8	1.9	4.6	2.6
Japan	11.8	7.8	2.0	3.1	3.3	1.7	1.3	0.7	-0.1	0.1
New Zealand	14.5	17.1	15.4	6.1	2.6	1.0	1.3	1.7	3.8	2.3
Denmark	9.6	12.3	4.7	2.6	2.4	2.1	1.3	2.0	2.1	2.1
France	11.7	13.5	5.8	3.4	3.2	2.4	2.1	1.7	1.8	2.0
Germany	5.9	5.4	2.2	2.7	3.5	4.0	4.1	3.0	1.8	1.5
Greece	13.4	24.9	19.3	20.4	19.5	15.9	14.4	10.9	8.9	8.2
Italy	16.9	21.3	9.2	6.5	6.3	5.1	4.5	4.0	5.2	4.0
Sweden	9.8	13.7	7.4	10.5	9.3	2.3	4.6	2.2	2.5	0.5
United Kingdom	24.2	18.0	6.1	9.5	5.9	3.7	1.6	2.5	3.4	2.4
Developing Countries	20.1	28.8	39.2	76.6	42.1	45.3	50.9	65.0	26.8	15.9
Africa	18.2	15.7	14.2	16.6	31.5	45.0	36.6	60.2	38.4	25.2
Algeria	8.2	9.5	10.5	16.6	25.9	31.7	20.5	29.0	32.2	26.6
Botswana	12.0	13.6	8.1	11.4	11.8	16.2	14.3	10.5	10.5	10.1
Ethiopia	6.6	4.5	19.1	5.2	35.7	10.5	3.5	7.6	10.0	-5.1
Ghana	29.8	50.1	10.3	37.3	18.0	10.1	25.0	24.9	74.3	34.0
Kenya	19.1	13.9	-1.0	15.6	19.8	29.5	45.8	29.0	0.8	8.8
Nigeria	33.9	10.0	7.4	7.4	13.0	44.6	57.2	57.0	72.8	29.3
South Africa	13.5	13.8	16.3	14.4	15.3	13.9	9.7	9.0	8.6	7.4
Tanzania	26.1	30.2	33.3	35.8	28.7	21.8	25.3	33.1	29.8	19.7
Uganda	-	-	157.7	33.1	28.1	52.4	6.1	9.7	8.6	7.2
Zaire	28.7	46.6	23.8	81.3	2,154.4	4,129.2	1,986.9	23,773.1	541.9	-
Zambia	10.1	11.6	37.3	117.5	92.6	197.4	188.1	53.6	34.2	43.9
Zimbabwe	10.0	5.4	8.5	17.4	23.3	42.1	27.6	22.3	22.6	21.4
Asia	10.5	15.2	5.5	6.5	8.2	7.7	9.3	13.7	11.3	7.7
Bangladesh	21.9	13.4	10.7	8.1	7.2	4.3	-	3.6	5.8	2.7
Bhutan	-	-	1.9	10.0	12.3	16.0	11.2	7.0	8.4	6.2
China, People's Rep.	-	-	-	3.1	3.5	6.3	14.6	24.2	16.9	8.3
Fiji	13.1	14.5	4.4	8.2	6.5	4.9	5.2	0.6	2.2	3.1
Hongkong	2.7	14.8	3.4	9.7	11.0	9.6	8.5	8.2	8.6	6.0
India	5.7	11.4	5.6	9.0	13.9	11.8	6.4	10.2	10.2	9.0
Indonesia	19.1	18.0	4.7	7.8	9.4	7.5	9.7	8.5	9.4	8.0
Korea, Rep. of	25.3	28.7	2.5	8.6	9.3	6.2	4.8	6.3	4.5	4.9
Malaysia	4.5	6.7	0.3	2.6	4.4	4.8	3.5	3.7	5.3	3.5
Maldives	-	23.8	-	3.6	14.7	16.8	20.2	1.4	7.5	6.3
Myanmar	31.7	0.6	6.8	17.6	32.3	21.9	31.8	24.1	25.2	16.3
Nepal	7.6	14.7	8.1	8.2	15.6	17.1	7.5	8.3	7.6	9.2
Pakistan	20.9	11.9	5.6	9.1	11.8	9.5	10.0	12.4	12.3	10.4
Papua New Guinea	10.5	12.1	3.7	7.0	7.0	4.3	5.0	2.9	17.3	11.6
Philippines	6.8	18.2	23.1	14.1	18.7	8.9	7.6	9.1	8.1	8.4
Singapore	2.5	8.5	0.5	3.5	3.4	2.3	2.3	3.1	1.7	1.4
Sri Lanka	6.7	26.1	1.5	21.5	12.2	11.4	11.7	8.4	7.7	15.9
Thailand	5.3	19.7	2.4	6.0	5.7	4.1	3.4	5.2	5.7	5.8
Europe	8.8	26.2	23.2	153.8	82.2	86.7	66.2	72.0	50.6	45
Hungary	3.8	9.3	7.0	29.0	34.2	22.9	22.5	18.9	28.3	23.5
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-	410.2	72.2	39.7	24.6
Poland	2.3	9.7	11.5	555.4	76.7	45.3	36.9	33.3	26.8	20.2
Romania	0.2	1.5	-0.4	4.2	230.6	211.2	255.2	136.8	32.2	38.8
Russia	-	-	-	-	-	-	874.6	307.4	197.4	47.6
Turkey	19.2	110.2	45.0	60.3	66.0	70.1	66.1	106.3	88.1	80.4
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	4734.9	891.2	376.7	80.3
Middle East	16.9	23.5	17.4	11.0	13.2	12.0	10.7	12.1	19.3	11.4
Bahrain	16.2	3.9	-2.6	0.9	0.8	-0.2	2.5	0.8	2.7	-0.3
Egypt	9.7	20.7	12.1	16.8	19.7	13.6	12.1	8.2	15.7	7.2
Iran, I.R. of	12.9	20.6	4.4	7.6	17.1	25.6	21.2	31.5	49.6	28.9
Israel	39.3	131.0	304.6	17.2	19.0	11.9	10.9	12.3	10.0	11.3
Jordan	12.0	11.1	3.0	16.2	8.2	4.0	4.7	3.5	2.4	6.5
Kuwait	-	6.9	1.5	9.8	9.1	-0.5	0.4	2.5	2.7	3.2
Lebanon	6.1	10.5	54.5	62.7	48.4	80.7	15.7	6.8	-	-
Saudi Arabia	34.6	3.8	-3.1	2.1	4.9	-0.1	1.1	0.6	4.9	1.2
Western Hemisphere	37.2	51.5	130.2	504.7	148.1	170.8	239.2	299.5	51.2	23.8
Argentina	182.9	100.8	672.1	2,314.0	171.7	24.9	10.6	4.2	3.4	0.2
Brazil	29.0	82.8	226.9	2,937.8	440.9	1,008.7	2,148.4	2,668.5	84.4	18.2
Chile	374.7	35.1	30.7	26.0	21.8	15.4	12.7	11.4	8.2	7.4
Colombia	22.9	26.5	24.0	29.1	30.4	27.0	22.6	23.8	21.0	20.2
Jamaica	17.4	27.3	25.7	22.0	51.1	77.3	22.1	35.1	19.9	26.4
Mexico	15.2	26.4	57.7	26.7	22.7	15.5	9.8	7.0	35.0	34.4
Panama	5.9	13.8	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.8	0.5	1.3	1.0	1.3
Paraguay	6.8	22.4	25.2	38.2	24.3	15.1	18.3	20.6	13.4	9.8
Peru	23.6	59.1	163.4	7481.7	409.5	73.5	48.6	23.7	11.1	11.5
Uruguay	81.4	63.5	72.2	112.5	102.0	68.5	54.1	44.7	42.2	28.3
World	14.2	17.7	15.4	29.2	18.0	18.1	19.6	23.7	11.6	7.5

(a) Percent change of Annual Average Consumer Price Index

Source : International Financial Statistics, IMF
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GROWTH OF REAL GDP %

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Industrial Countries	-0.1	0.9	3.3	2.1	0.5	1.9	1.4	3.6	2.2
United States	-0.8	-0.5	3.2	0.8	-1.2	3.3	3.1	4.1	2.0
Canada	2.6	1.5	4.8	-0.2	-1.8	0.8	2.2	4.1	2.3
Australia	2.9	2.3	4.4	1.4	-1.6	2.6	4.0	5.2	3.1
Japan	2.9	3.5	5.2	4.8	3.8	1.0	0.3	0.6	1.4
New Zealand	1.7	1.1	-0.2	-0.8	1.3	-	6.0	3.4	-
Denmark	-0.7	-0.4	4.3	1.4	1.3	0.2	1.5	4.4	2.6
France	-0.3	1.6	1.9	2.5	0.8	1.2	-1.3	2.8	2.2
Germany	-	1.0	2.3	5.9	4.9	1.8	-1.7	2.3	-
Greece	6.1	1.7	3.1	-0.8	3.5	0.4	-0.9	1.5	-
Italy	-2.7	4.1	2.6	2.1	1.3	0.9	-	-	-
Sweden	2.6	1.7	2.2	1.4	-1.7	-1.4	-2.2	2.6	3.0
United Kingdom	-0.7	-2.2	3.8	0.4	-2.0	-0.5	2.3	3.8	2.4
Developing Countries	4.5	5.6	4.7	3.6	3.6	5.2	5.8	6.3	-
Africa	1.3	5.1	3.3	2.6	1.1	-0.6	2.0	3.5	-
Botswana	-1.3	14.3	7.2	5.7	8.8	6.5	-0.3	4.1	-
Ethiopia	0.1	5.5	-5.9	-0.4	-6.0	-	-	-	-
Ghana	-12.9	-	5.1	3.3	5.3	3.9	5.0	-	-
Kenya	3.4	5.6	4.3	4.2	1.4	-0.8	0.4	3.9	-
Nigeria	-3.0	5.3	9.4	8.2	4.7	3.0	2.3	1.3	-
South Africa	1.7	6.6	-1.2	-0.3	-1.0	-2.2	1.3	2.7	3.3
Tanzania	5.7	3.0	4.6	4.5	5.7	3.5	4.2	3.0	-
Uganda	-2.0	-3.4	-0.1	-5.0	8.5	4.5	6.4	9.4	-
Zaire	-5.0	-22.4	1.1	-2.5	-12.3	-10.5	-	-	-
Zambia	-2.4	3.0	1.6	-0.5	-1.8	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	-3.6	10.6	6.4	-0.5	-2.8	-	-	-	-
Asia	6.4	6.8	7.0	5.6	5.8	8.4	8.4	8.7	-
Bangladesh	3.4	1.3	3.7	6.6	3.4	4.2	4.5	4.2	4.4
Bhutan	-	-	3.7	4.6	-	-	-	-	-
China, People's Rep.	-	7.8	12.9	3.9	8.0	13.2	13.8	11.9	-
Fiji	-	-	2.8	6.7	-	-	-	-	-
India	9.7	6.5	5.5	5.7	0.5	4.6	4.5	6.3	-
Indonesia	5.0	9.9	2.5	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.5	7.5	-
Korea, Rep. of	7.1	-2.2	6.2	9.5	9.1	5.1	5.8	8.6	9.0
Malaysia	0.8	7.4	-1.0	9.7	8.7	7.8	8.3	8.7	-
Maldives	-2.1	8.6	13.7	16.2	7.6	6.3	6.2	6.6	7.2
Myanmar	4.1	22.4	2.9	2.8	-0.7	9.7	6.0	7.5	9.8
Nepal	1.5	-2.3	6.1	4.9	6.4	4.6	3.3	7.3	-
Pakistan	4.6	8.7	7.6	4.5	5.5	7.8	1.9	4.0	-
Papua New Guinea	0.9	-2.3	3.6	-3.0	9.5	11.8	14.4	-	-
Philippines	6.4	5.2	-7.3	3.0	-0.5	0.3	2.1	4.4	4.8
Singapore	4.1	9.7	-1.6	8.1	7.0	6.4	10.1	10.1	-
Sri Lanka	2.8	5.8	5.0	6.2	4.6	4.3	6.9	5.6	5.5
Thailand	4.8	4.8	4.6	11.6	8.4	7.9	8.2	8.5	-
Europe	-	-	2.2	-1.8	-8.5	-	-	-	-
Hungary	6.2	0.2	-0.3	-3.5	-11.9	-3.0	-0.8	2.9	-
Lithuania	19.6	-	2.6	-	-	-	-30.3	1.0	2.6
Romania	-	-	-0.1	-7.3	-12.9	-13.5	1.4	4.0	-
Turkey	-	-	-	9.2	0.8	5.0	5.8	-3.0	-
Middle East	7.1	0.6	1.9	8.1	5.8	4.7	2.4	3.0	-
Bahrain	-	6.6	-2.8	4.6	4.6	7.8	8.3	2.3	-
Egypt	-	-	12.1	5.7	1.1	4.4	2.9	3.9	4.6
Iran, I.R. of	2.8	-13.9	0.2	11.7	11.4	5.7	1.6	1.9	-
Israel	16.7	3.2	4.0	5.8	6.2	6.6	3.9	6.5	-
Jordan	12.6	17.6	4.1	1.0	1.8	16.1	5.9	5.9	6.4
Kuwait	-12.3	-20.4	-4.3	-9.6	-9.6	-9.6	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	8.6	7.9	-4.1	10.7	8.4	2.8	-0.6	0.5	-
Western Hemisphere	3.7	6.5	3.5	0.3	3.1	2.3	3.3	4.7	-
Argentina	-0.7	1.5	-6.6	0.1	8.9	8.7	6.0	7.4	-
Brazil	5.2	9.2	7.8	-4.6	0.3	-0.8	4.2	5.7	-
Chile	-12.9	7.8	2.5	3.3	7.3	10.7	6.6	4.2	8.5
Colombia	2.3	4.1	3.1	4.3	2.0	4.0	5.4	5.7	-
Jamaica	-1.2	-5.7	-4.6	5.5	0.5	1.9	0.7	-	-
Mexico	5.6	8.3	2.5	4.5	3.6	2.8	0.7	3.5	-6.9
Panama	1.7	14.5	5.1	7.4	7.9	7.2	4.1	3.7	-
Paraguay	6.3	11.4	4.0	3.1	2.5	1.8	4.1	3.1	4.2
Peru	3.4	5.2	2.8	-3.8	2.9	-1.8	6.3	13.1	7.0
Uruguay	5.9	6.0	1.5	0.9	3.2	7.9	3.0	6.8	-2.4
World	1.4	2.6	3.8	2.7	1.7	3.2	3.1	4.6	-

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF

EXPORTS

US \$ Million

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Industrial Countries	577,300	1,260,400	1,276	2,453,500	2,503,300	2,651,900	2,579,700	2,905,500	3,460,500	3,546,000
United States	108,856	225,566	218,815	393,592	421,730	448,164	464,773	512,627	584,743	625,073
Canada	34,074	67,734	90,950	127,629	127,163	134,435	145,178	165,376	192,197	201,633
Australia	11,948	21,944	22,604	39,752	41,854	42,824	42,723	47,538	52,692	60,479
Japan	55,819	130,441	177,164	287,581	314,786	339,885	362,244	397,005	443,116	410,901
New Zealand	2,162	5,421	5,720	9,488	9,589	9,824	10,537	12,181	13,738	14,422
Denmark	8,712	16,749	17,090	35,133	36,001	41,053	37,168	41,417	49,036	49,409
France	53,086	116,030	101,674	216,588	217,100	235,871	209,349	235,905	286,738	288,468
Germany	90,176	192,860	183,933	410,104	402,843	422,271	380,154	427,179	523,802	521,111
Greece	2,294	5,153	4,539	8,105	8,666	9,509	8,435	9,384	-	-
Italy	34,988	78,104	76,717	170,304	169,465	178,155	169,153	191,422	233,998	250,843
Sweden	17,383	30,906	30,461	57,540	55,217	56,118	49,857	61,292	79,908	84,509
United Kingdom	43,423	110,134	101,252	185,172	184,964	190,003	180,180	204,923	242,042	260,746
Developing Countries	266,228	660,396	572,675	925,561	974,303	1,080,160	1,146,060	1,333,940	1,618,470	1,712,710
Africa	33,668	88,850	63,787	84,134	81,749	84,630	86,020	88,900	102,580	-
Botswana	142	502	728	1,784	1,849	1,744	1,722	1,878	2,143	3,231
Central African Rep.	47	116	92	120	47	107	110	151	171	-
Congo	178	911	1,087	981	1,029	1,184	1,069	932	872	438
Ethiopia	240	425	333	298	189	169	199	372	423	-
Kenya	606	1,245	958	1,031	1,107	1,339	1,336	1,609	1,878	2,067
Nigeria	7,845	25,968	12,548	13,670	12,264	11,886	9,916	9,368	10,636	18,613
South Africa	8,719	25,525	16,293	23,549	23,306	23,413	24,261	24,987	27,860	29,330
Tanzania	438	511	247	415	342	416	450	519	639	760
Uganda	26	345	387	147	200	142	179	424	461	604
Zaire	275	544	950	999	830	426	368	419	-	-
Zambia	810	1,298	784	1,309	745	756	990	1	1	1,196
Zimbabwe	932	1,415	1,113	1,726	1,532	1,445	1,568	1,885	2	2,119
Asia	54,231	163,724	209,059	451,996	515,740	585,540	646,350	768,120	931,900	972,130
Bangladesh	327	793	999	1,671	1,689	2,098	2,272	2,661	3,173	3,297
Bhutan	-	17	22	75	72	-	-	-	-	-
China, People's Rep.	7,689	18,099	27,350	62,091	71,910	84,940	90,970	121,047	148,797	151,197
Fiji	202	470	307	615	462	407	405	509	607	745
Hongkong	6,026	19,752	30,187	82,160	98,577	119,512	135,248	151,395	173,754	-
India	4,355	8,586	9,140	17,975	17,664	19,563	21,553	25,075	30,484	33,054
Indonesia	7,102	21,909	18,587	25,675	29,142	33,967	36,823	40,055	45,417	49,814
Korea, Rep. of	4,945	17,512	30,282	65,016	71,870	76,632	82,236	96,013	125,058	129,715
Malaysia	3,843	12,958	15,442	29,416	34,349	40,713	47,122	58,756	74,037	77,802
Maldives	3	8	23	52	54	40	35	46	50	59
Mongolia	-	-	689	661	348	389	381	324	473	423
Myanmar	173	472	303	325	419	537	583	771	846	692
Nepal	100	80	160	210	264	368	384	362	345	385
Pakistan	1,052	2,618	2,740	5,589	6,528	7,317	6,688	7,365	7,992	9,321
Papua New Guinea	441	1,031	912	1,144	1,338	1,810	2,491	2,640	2,644	2,514
Philippines	2,294	5,741	4,607	8,068	8,767	9,752	11,089	13,304	17,502	20,417
Singapore	5,375	19,376	22,812	52,752	59,025	63,484	74,012	96,826	118,268	125,014
Sri Lanka	603	1,067	1,293	1,983	2,039	2,455	2,859	3,208	3,798	4,095
Thailand	2,208	6,505	7,121	23,070	28,428	32,472	36,775	45,130	56,459	55,721
Vietnam	229	339	699	2,404	2,087	2,581	2,985	3,600	-	-
Europe	50,426	92,822	120,929	118,216	115,505	135,330	139,950	178,870	230,750	245,260
Hungary	4,519	8,638	8,472	9,550	10,227	10,680	8,918	10,733	12,540	12,686
Poland	10,289	14,191	11,489	13,627	14,903	13,324	14,143	17,042	22,892	3,335
Romania	5,341	11,209	12,167	5,775	4,266	4,363	4,892	6,151	7,548	2,444
Russia	-	-	-	-	-	42,040	44,297	67,642	81,137	88,703
Turkey	1,401	2,910	7,958	12,959	13,594	14,715	15,345	18,106	21,639	23,083
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	8,045	7,817	10,305	11,567	-
Middle East	92,918	216,891	99,584	146,721	136,222	145,760	137,940	139,120	156,360	-
Bahrain	1,107	3,606	2,897	3,761	3,511	3,464	3,723	3,454	4,113	4,602
Egypt	1,402	3,046	1,838	2,585	3,659	3,051	2,244	3,463	3,435	3,535
Israel	1,941	5,538	6,260	11,576	11,921	13,119	14,826	16,884	19,046	2,051
Jordan	153	574	789	1,064	1,130	1,215	1,232	1,424	1,769	1,817
Kuwait	9,184	19,663	10,487	7,042	1,088	6,660	10,248	11,614	12,931	14,803
Saudi Arabia	29,682	109,083	27,481	44,417	47,797	50,280	42,395	42,614	50,040	-
United Arab Emirates	7,262	20,676	14,043	23,544	24,436	24,756	-	-	-	-
Western Hemisphere	41,954	103,745	98,868	128,402	125,830	129,660	134,570	155,330	191,410	212,950
Argentina	2,961	8,021	8,396	12,353	11,978	12,235	13,118	15,659	20,967	23,811
Brazil	8,670	20,132	25,639	31,414	31,620	35,793	38,597	43,558	46,506	47,762
Chile	1,552	4,705	3,804	8,373	8,942	10,007	9,199	11,604	16,137	15,353
Colombia	1,465	3,924	3,552	6,766	7,232	6,917	7,116	8,419	10,126	10,587
Guyana	357	396	206	251	248	302	423	439	467	546
Jamaica	815	963	566	1,135	1,053	1,102	1,069	1,192	1,414	1,378
Mexico	2,904	15,570	22,112	27,131	27,318	27,704	30,241	34,530	48,430	-
Panama	283	358	334	340	358	502	553	583	625	-
Paraguay	176	310	304	959	737	657	725	817	919	-
Peru	1,291	3,898	2,979	3,231	3,329	3,484	3,515	4,555	5,575	5,897
Uruguay	384	1,059	909	1,693	1,605	1,703	1,645	1,913	2,106	2,397
World	843,500	1,920,800	1,848,700	3,379,100	3,477,600	3,732,100	3,725,800	4,239,500	5,078,900	5,258,700

Source : International Financial Statistics, IMF
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IMPORTS

US \$ Million

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Industrial Countries	603,900	1,400,300	1,374,200	2,573,100	2,591,200	2,706,100	2,545,800	2,888,700	3,413,000	3,532,600
United States	105,880	256,984	325,463	516,987	508,363	553,923	603,438	689,215	770,852	822,025
Canada	36,106	62,544	80,640	123,244	124,782	129,262	139,035	155,072	168,426	175,158
Australia	10,697	22,399	25,889	42,032	41,697	43,807	45,577	53,425	61,283	65,427
Japan	57,860	141,296	130,488	235,368	236,999	233,246	241,624	275,235	335,882	349,152
New Zealand	3,155	5,472	5,992	9,501	8,381	9,202	9,636	11,913	13,958	14,725
Denmark	10,368	19,340	18,245	32,228	32,402	35,174	30,542	34,878	43,223	43,734
France	54,222	134,866	108,251	234,436	231,784	239,638	201,838	230,188	275,275	277,673
Germany	74,930	188,002	158,488	346,153	389,908	402,441	346,027	385,381	464,271	455,683
Greece	5,357	10,548	10,134	19,777	21,580	23,220	22,011	21,466	-	-
Italy	38,526	100,741	87,692	181,968	182,679	188,451	148,273	169,172	206,040	206,901
Sweden	17,450	33,438	28,547	54,264	49,990	50,017	42,681	51,725	64,645	66,761
United Kingdom	53,343	115,545	108,957	222,977	209,947	221,551	205,390	227,000	283,719	285,997
Developing Countries	262,916	598,820	560,908	893,085	992,837	1,135,260	1,232,470	1,399,270	1,701,060	1,815,900
Africa	37,998	82,010	57,445	75,646	74,824	83,550	86,490	84,300	102,910	100,410
Botswana	218	692	580	1,946	1,947	1,861	1,771	1,643	1,914	1,735
Central African Rep.	69	81	113	154	93	145	126	139	174	-
Congo	174	580	598	621	472	688	582	635	670	-
Ethiopia	313	716	993	1,081	472	799	787	1,033	-	-
Kenya	945	2,125	1,436	2,124	1,797	1,713	1,711	2,156	2,948	2,912
Nigeria	6,041	16,660	8,877	5,627	9,031	8,119	7,508	6,511	9,332	7,996
South Africa	8,226	19,598	11,319	18,399	18,834	19,761	20,017	23,387	30,555	30,126
Tanzania	780	1,252	1,324	1,027	1,533	1,510	1,497	1,505	1,619	1,394
Uganda	200	293	327	213	196	439	-	870	1,058	1,188
Zaire	300	278	792	888	711	420	372	382	-	-
Zambia	1,138	1,339	654	1,220	948	954	12,222	1,203	1,499	-
Zimbabwe	932	1,448	896	1,847	2,055	2,203	1,820	2,241	-	-
Asia	66,497	181,156	223,562	470,056	537,978	609,940	685,720	802,740	986,510	1,035,490
Bangladesh	1,321	2,599	2,772	3,598	3,401	3,888	4,001	4,701	6,496	6,615
Bhutan	0	50	84	108	102	134	100	114	-	-
China, People's Rep.	7,926	19,941	42,252	53,345	63,791	80,585	103,088	115,681	129,113	138,944
Fiji	268	562	442	743	642	614	634	724	864	980
Hongkong	6,766	22,447	29,703	82,474	100,255	123,430	138,658	161,777	192,774	-
India	6,381	14,864	15,928	23,642	20,418	23,580	22,761	26,846	34,522	37,375
Indonesia	4,770	10,834	10,259	21,837	25,869	27,280	28,328	31,983	40,630	42,929
Korea	7,274	22,292	31,136	69,844	81,525	81,775	83,800	102,348	135,119	150,339
Malaysia	3,566	10,820	12,301	29,258	36,648	39,926	45,657	59,581	77,751	78,429
Maldives	7	29	53	138	161	189	185	222	268	302
Mongolia	0	0	1,096	924	361	418	362	223	415	439
Myanmar	197	353	283	270	646	651	814	886	1,335	1,358
Nepal	171	342	453	686	758	776	890	1,155	1,342	1,442
Pakistan	2,158	5,350	5,890	7,376	8,439	9,379	9,500	8,889	11,461	12,131
Papua New Guinea	592	1,170	1,008	1,193	1,614	1,485	1,299	1,522	1,452	1,741
Philippines	3,756	8,295	5,459	13,041	12,786	15,449	18,754	22,546	28,337	34,122
Singapore	8,133	24,007	26,285	60,899	66,293	72,179	85,234	102,670	124,507	131,338
Sri Lanka	816	2,037	1,843	2,685	3,054	3,445	3,991	4,776	5,185	5,416
Thailand	3,280	9,214	9,242	33,379	37,591	40,686	46,208	54,459	70,776	73,484
Vietnam	1,102	1,314	1,857	2,752	2,338	2,541	3,924	5,000	-	-
Europe	76,938	123,564	130,512	137,229	134,615	149,780	162,440	186,580	246,950	282,820
Hungary	5,400	9,219	8,183	8,621	11,449	11,123	12,597	14,438	15,073	15,896
Poland	11,155	16,690	11,855	8,413	15,757	15,701	18,834	21,383	29,050	37,137
Romania	5,769	13,843	11,267	9,843	5,793	6,260	6,522	7,109	10,278	11,435
Russia	0	0	-	-	-	36,984	32,806	50,518	60,916	61,147
Turkey	4,739	7,910	11,343	22,302	21,047	22,871	29,428	23,270	35,709	42,465
Ukraine	0	0	-	-	-	7,099	9,533	10,748	11,379	-
Middle East	44,465	113,088	99,529	108,484	120,752	136,930	129,650	128,860	146,060	155,130
Bahrain	1,189	3,483	3,107	3,712	4,115	4,263	3,858	3,748	3,716	4,093
Egypt	3,751	4,860	5,495	9,216	7,862	8,245	8,184	10,185	11,739	13,019
Israel	5,997	9,784	9,875	16,794	18,849	20,253	22,623	25,237	29,579	-
Jordan	732	2,402	2,733	2,600	2,508	3,255	3,539	3,382	3,698	4,428
Kuwait	2,390	6,529	6,005	3,972	4,761	7,261	7,036	6,697	7,784	7,542
Oman	765	1,732	3,153	2,681	3,194	3,769	4,114	3,915	4,248	4,578
Saudi Arabia	4,213	30,166	23,622	24,069	29,079	33,271	28,198	23,338	28,091	27,768
United Arab Emirates	2,685	8,746	6,549	11,199	13,746	17,410	19,520	-	-	-
Western Hemisphere	53,466	117,584	72,756	112,862	130,283	157,810	170,000	198,460	220,300	243,380
Argentina	3,947	10,541	3,814	4,076	8,275	14,872	16,784	21,527	20,122	23,762
Brazil	13,592	24,961	14,332	22,524	22,950	23,068	27,740	35,997	53,783	56,947
Chile	1,525	5,797	3,072	7,678	8,094	10,129	11,825	11,825	15,914	17,828
Colombia	1,495	4,739	4,141	5,590	4,906	6,516	9,832	11,883	13,853	13,684
Guyana	342	365	226	311	307	443	484	-	-	-
Jamaica	1,122	1,095	1,111	1,859	1,491	1,668	2,097	2,164	2,757	2,935
Mexico	6,580	19,460	13,993	29,969	38,124	48,998	50,147	60,979	46,887	-
Panama	892	1,449	1,392	1,539	1,695	2,024	2,188	2,404	2,511	-
Paraguay	206	615	502	1,352	1,460	1,422	1,689	2,370	3,144	-
Peru	2,550	2,499	1,835	3,470	4,195	4,861	4,859	6,691	9,224	9,473
Uruguay	556	1,680	708	1,343	1,637	2,045	2,326	2,786	2,867	3,323
World	866,800	1,999,100	1,935,200	3,466,200	3,584,000	3,846,400	3,778,300	4,288,000	5,114,000	5,348,500

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BOP CURRENT ACCOUNT BALANCE : PER CENT OF GDP

Region / Country	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Industrial Countries								
United States	0.1	-3.1	-1.7	-0.1	-1.0	-1.6	-2.2	-2.1
Canada	-0.6	-1.4	-3.9	-4.2	-4.0	-4.2	-3.2	-1.5
Australia	-3.0	-5.8	-5.5	-3.9	-4.0	-3.7	-5.4	-5.5
Japan	-1.0	3.7	1.2	2.1	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.2
New Zealand	-4.3	-11.7	-7.2	-3.5	-3.4	-2.5	-4.6	-
Denmark	-	-4.8	1.1	1.5	3.0	3.5	1.5	0.3
France	-0.6	-	-0.8	-0.5	0.3	0.7	0.6	1.1
Germany	-1.6	2.8	3.2	-1.2	-1.2	-0.9	-1.2	-
Greece	-5.5	-9.8	-4.3	-1.8	-2.2	-0.8	-0.2	-
Italy	-2.3	-1.0	-1.6	-2.1	-2.4	1.0	1.5	-
Sweden	-3.5	-1.0	-2.8	-1.9	-3.6	-2.2	0.4	2.0
United Kingdom	1.3	0.7	-3.4	-1.5	-1.6	-1.8	-0.3	-1.0
Developing Countries								
Africa								
Algeria	0.6	1.7	2.4	5.5	-	-	-	-
Botswana	-15.2	8.5	1.1	9.5	6.4	13.9	6.5	-
Ethiopia	-5.5	1.6	-3.4	1.1	-1.7	-1.0	-	-
Ghana	0.2	-2.1	-3.6	-3.6	-5.5	-9.2	-	-
Kenya	-12.4	-1.9	-6.2	-2.7	-2.3	2.3	-	-
Nigeria	5.6	3.2	15.4	3.7	7.1	-2.5	-5.1	-
South Africa	4.5	4.7	1.9	2.0	1.2	1.5	-0.5	-2.6
Tanzania	-10.2	-5.8	-10.9	-10.6	-11.1	-11.8	-	-
Uganda	-0.5	0.1	-7.5	-6.0	-3.2	-5.9	-1.8	-
Zaire	-	-4.0	-6.9	-	-	-	-	-
Zambia	-13.3	-17.5	-15.9	-9.0	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	-2.8	-1.4	-2.3	-	-	-	-	-
Asia								
Bangladesh	-5.5	-3.2	-1.9	0.3	0.8	1.5	1.0	-
China, People's Rep.	-	-4.9	3.9	4.3	1.4	-2.7	1.3	-
Fiji	-1.3	1.7	-0.7	3.6	3.8	0.8	-	-
India	-1.0	-2.0	-2.2	-1.5	-1.5	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-2.2	-2.8	-3.7	-2.2	-1.3	-1.6	-
Korea, Rep. of	-8.4	-0.8	-0.7	-2.8	-1.3	0.3	-1.0	-
Malaysia	-1.1	-1.9	-2.0	-8.9	-3.7	-4.4	-5.9	-
Maldives	-52.3	-6.5	5.9	-5.5	-10.3	-21.9	-	-
Myanmar	-5.9	-3.1	-1.8	-0.9	-	-	-	-
Nepal	-2.0	-4.8	-8.2	-9.4	-5.2	-6.3	-8.7	-
Pakistan	-3.9	-3.6	-4.2	-3.3	-3.9	-6.1	-	-
Papua New Guinea	-10.4	-5.5	-2.3	-4.1	2.2	12.7	-	-
Philippines	-5.9	-0.1	-6.1	-2.3	-1.9	-5.5	-4.4	-
Singapore	-13.3	-	8.5	10.8	12.4	9.1	17.3	-
Sri Lanka	-16.3	-7.0	-3.2	-5.3	-4.5	-5.3	-6.4	-4.9
Thailand	-6.4	-4.0	-8.5	-7.7	-5.7	-5.6	-5.9	-
Europe								
Hungary	-	-2.2	1.1	1.2	0.9	-11.1	-9.8	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	-3.4	-2.2	-
Poland	-6.0	-1.4	5.2	-2.8	-3.7	-6.7	-2.7	-
Romania	-7.1	2.9	-8.5	-3.5	-7.7	-4.5	-1.4	-
Turkey	-	-	-1.7	0.2	-0.6	-3.6	2.0	-
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3.2	-
Middle East								
Bahrain	6.0	1.1	6.2	-18.7	-17.0	0.5	-1.8	-
Egypt	-2.0	-4.1	0.3	5.4	6.7	4.9	0.1	-
Iran, I.R. of	-2.6	-0.3	0.1	-1.3	-0.6	-5.7	6.4	-
Israel	-4.0	4.8	-0.1	-1.9	-1.3	-3.4	-5.1	-
Jordan	9.7	-5.1	-5.6	-9.4	-16.3	-11.4	-6.6	-
Kuwait	53.3	22.4	21.0	-240.5	-2.3	8.2	10.2	-
Saudi Arabia	26.5	-14.9	-4.0	-23.3	-14.4	-14.6	-8.8	-
Western Hemisphere								
Argentina	-2.3	-1.1	3.2	-0.3	-2.9	-2.9	-	-
Brazil	-5.4	-0.1	-0.9	-0.4	1.6	-	-0.2	-
Chile	-7.1	-8.6	-1.8	0.3	-1.6	-4.6	-1.2	0.2
Colombia	-0.6	-5.2	1.3	5.7	2.1	-4.2	-4.5	-
Jamaica	-5.1	-13.6	-7.3	-6.6	0.9	-4.8	-	-
Mexico	-5.4	0.4	-3.0	-5.1	-7.3	-6.4	-7.8	-0.3
Panama	-16.6	-3.6	-4.4	-12.2	-10.8	-8.1	-16.3	-
Paraguay	-6.2	-5.5	-3.3	-5.2	-9.3	-12.1	-9.6	-
Peru	-0.5	0.6	-2.0	-1.7	-3.9	-4.1	-4.5	-
Uruguay	-7.0	-2.1	2.2	0.4	-0.1	-1.8	-2.4	-

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF

INVESTMENTS : PER CENT OF GDP

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Industrial Countries	21.6	23.2	21.3	21.5	20.4	19.8	19.4	19.8	20.3
United States	17.2	20.0	20.1	16.9	15.3	15.6	16.6	17.1	17.7
Canada	25.2	23.4	20.2	20.7	19.0	18.1	18.2	19.0	18.2
Australia	23.5	24.7	24.8	22.8	19.8	19.7	20.4	21.5	21.4
Japan	32.8	32.2	28.2	32.8	32.5	31.3	29.9	28.9	—
New Zealand	31.8	20.8	26.9	19.9	16.8	18.6	21.1	22.3	—
Denmark	20.9	18.5	19.6	17.3	16.4	15.4	14.2	14.8	17.5
France	23.5	24.2	18.9	22.5	21.5	19.7	17.1	18.0	18.2
Germany	19.8	25.1	21.8	24.6	25.9	25.1	23.9	24.5	—
Greece	27.0	28.6	21.3	23.6	23.8	21.7	20.9	20.5	—
Italy	23.9	27.0	22.5	21.0	20.5	19.4	16.8	17.0	—
Sweden	23.3	21.3	19.2	21.3	17.9	16.5	13.3	14.2	15.6
United Kingdom	18.6	16.8	17.2	19.2	16.1	15.4	15.0	15.4	15.6
Developing Countries	25.5	25.5	22.3	24.3	23.5	23.7	23.3	23.4	—
Africa	29.2	25.6	20.3	19.6	18.8	18.7	18.7	—	—
Algeria	45.2	39.1	33.2	28.7	29.1	28.8	27.5	—	—
Botswana	46.0	37.7	30.4	31.8	31.7	31.5	30.0	—	—
Ethiopia	10.5	10.0	10.5	8.9	7.1	9.4	12.7	15.0	15.7
Ghana	12.7	5.6	9.6	12.3	12.7	12.9	22.0	—	—
Kenya	18.2	30.0	25.5	24.3	21.3	17.4	18.4	19.6	22.0
Nigeria	25.3	22.5	7.1	11.9	11.0	10.7	11.6	9.3	6.4
South Africa	32.0	30.8	20.3	17.6	16.9	15.9	15.7	17.7	19.3
Tanzania	21.1	23.0	18.6	40.8	29.5	32.7	32.2	30.7	—
Uganda	7.6	—	7.2	15.4	17.4	15.9	17.6	14.4	—
Zaire	31.9	10.7	12.5	9.1	5.6	6.9	2.3	—	—
Zambia	40.5	23.3	14.9	17.3	14.7	14.1	10.7	—	—
Zimbabwe	27.1	18.8	19.8	25.5	—	—	—	—	—
Asia	21.5	24.1	24.2	29.1	28.4	28.6	27.5	28.5	—
Bangladesh	5.5	11.3	10.3	12.8	11.5	12.1	14.3	13.8	16.1
Bhutan	—	31.0	45.4	34.1	32.0	48.8	—	—	—
Fiji	20.6	31.8	19.1	17.4	13.5	13.1	15.1	—	—
India	20.8	20.9	24.2	25.2	22.7	24.0	21.3	23.2	—
Indonesia	20.3	20.9	28.0	36.1	35.5	35.9	33.2	34.3	41.8
Korea, Rep. of	27.1	31.7	29.6	36.9	38.9	36.6	35.1	36.1	37.1
Malaysia	25.5	30.4	27.6	31.3	35.9	33.5	35.0	38.5	—
Myanmar	10.0	21.5	15.5	13.4	15.3	13.5	12.4	12.4	59.1
Nepal	14.5	18.3	21.9	18.4	20.8	21.2	21.2	20.5	—
Pakistan	16.4	18.5	18.3	18.9	19.0	20.1	20.7	19.9	—
Papua New Guinea	22.1	23.4	18.8	24.4	27.4	23.8	18.8	—	—
Philippines	29.5	29.1	14.3	24.2	20.2	21.3	24.0	24.0	22.3
Singapore	37.6	46.3	42.5	35.7	35.1	36.4	38.4	32.2	—
Sri Lanka	15.6	33.8	23.8	22.2	22.9	24.3	25.6	27.0	25.7
Thailand	26.7	29.1	28.2	41.1	42.2	39.6	39.9	40.1	—
Europe	34.4	29.1	26.3	24.7	20.8	19.5	20.1	18.3	—
Hungary	37.8	30.7	25.0	25.4	19.7	15.2	19.4	21.5	—
Poland	36.7	26.4	27.7	25.6	19.9	15.2	15.6	15.9	—
Romania	—	39.8	33.0	30.2	28.0	31.4	29.0	26.9	—
Russia	—	—	—	—	—	35.7	31.4	28.4	28.6
Turkey	—	—	—	24.6	22.4	23.2	26.1	21.3	—
Ukraine	—	—	—	—	—	34.5	36.3	35.3	—
Middle East	26.6	27.1	22.7	23.5	25.8	25.5	24.5	22.4	—
Egypt	27.2	28.0	28.7	29.4	24.0	19.8	19.7	20.3	19.2
Iran, I.R. of	28.8	29.6	21.1	28.6	33.2	35.4	29.0	23.0	—
Israel	31.3	22.4	18.5	18.7	24.3	24.3	24.0	24.2	—
Jordan	23.4	40.3	20.5	31.9	25.9	34.6	37.3	36.2	35.8
Kuwait	12.7	13.9	18.9	15.9	39.3	18.2	13.8	10.7	—
Saudi Arabia	20.9	21.7	20.9	19.5	21.2	22.2	24.2	20.0	—
Western Hemisphere	24.3	24.9	20.0	20.6	19.8	20.9	21.1	21.2	—
Argentina	26.6	25.3	17.6	14.0	14.6	16.7	18.2	19.9	—
Brazil	25.7	23.2	21.3	22.9	19.3	19.5	20.0	20.8	—
Chile	13.1	21.0	17.2	26.3	24.5	26.8	28.8	26.8	27.4
Colombia	17.0	19.1	19.0	18.5	16.0	17.2	21.2	21.1	—
Jamaica	25.8	15.9	25.3	28.0	27.4	28.5	34.7	—	—
Mexico	23.7	29.6	20.8	22.8	23.4	24.4	23.2	23.5	19.4
Panama	30.8	30.2	16.4	16.6	18.9	23.6	25.2	27.8	—
Paraguay	24.1	28.8	22.0	22.9	24.8	22.9	22.9	23.4	23.2
Peru	19.8	28.9	30.3	15.7	14.9	16.5	18.5	22.0	24.2
Uruguay	13.5	17.3	11.4	11.0	13.5	13.3	14.6	14.6	14.1
World	22.9	24.0	21.6	22.5	21.5	21.2	20.8	21.0	—

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF

CONSUMPTION : PER CENT OF GDP

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Industrial Countries	78.2	77.8	79.2	78.3	79.5	79.9	80.1	79.8	79.2
United States	81.9	80.6	82.8	84.3	85.0	84.9	84.7	84.3	83.7
Canada	76.3	74.8	77.4	79.1	82.3	83.0	82.6	80.7	79.5
Australia	75.6	76.4	78.1	76.9	80.3	81.5	80.5	79.7	80.2
Japan	67.2	68.7	68.5	66.5	65.7	66.5	67.7	69.0	-
New Zealand	75.7	79.3	76.9	79.6	79.7	79.3	76.8	75.0	-
Denmark	80.1	82.5	80.1	77.3	77.5	77.8	78.8	79.2	78.4
France	75.3	77	80.5	77.6	78.1	79.0	80.7	79.8	79.5
Germany	77.3	77.2	76.8	72.6	72.3	72.5	73.5	72.7	-
Greece	82.7	80.9	85.9	89.1	87.8	88.4	89.2	88.9	-
Italy	77.2	77.2	79.4	79.4	80.1	80.7	80.3	80.1	-
Sweden	75.4	80.8	78.8	78.3	80.5	81.8	83.1	81.6	78.1
United Kingdom	84.3	81.4	81.9	83.6	85.1	86.3	86.3	85.6	85.4
Developing Countries	75.8	74.9	76.6	75.1	77.3	76.5	77.3	76.7	-
Africa	75.7	75.3	78.2	78.4	80.4	82.9	83.9	84.8	-
Algeria	64.0	56.9	63.6	72.8	65.2	70.0	72.9	-	-
Botswana	78.3	72.3	67.1	64.4	66.5	66.2	75.5	75.2	-
Ethiopia	93.4	95.2	97.5	95.7	100.0	96.9	96.4	95.3	92.8
Ghana	86.4	95.1	92.4	96.4	95.3	97.9	94.1	-	-
Kenya	86.5	81.4	75.4	80.9	80.0	82.5	76.6	77.2	84.4
Nigeria	73.1	72.3	84.9	60.6	72.5	77.2	80.6	85.5	90.1
South Africa	70.8	64.6	70.8	76.9	78.9	82.0	81.3	81.3	81.3
Tanzania	91.7	90.2	91.4	83.0	97.8	97.8	95.9	97.3	-
Uganda	-	-	99.3	108.2	105.9	104.9	105.3	101.5	-
Zaire	87.2	89.4	83.6	83.0	93.1	90.5	95.0	-	-
Zambia	79.0	80.7	84.6	82.2	68.4	88.9	90.5	-	-
Asia	82.4	78.8	77.3	71.8	71.6	70.4	71.6	70.7	-
Bangladesh	100.7	97.5	95.5	97.3	95.9	94.2	93.0	92.6	91.8
Bhutan	-	92.1	86.4	79.9	80.6	80.5	-	-	-
Fiji	80.0	74.4	82.8	83.4	86.4	85.4	86.7	-	-
India	82.7	82.6	78.6	73.2	73.1	70.6	72.8	70.7	-
Indonesia	79.1	70.8	70.2	63.3	64.1	61.8	64.7	64.4	62.1
Korea, Rep. of	81.9	76.2	68.6	63.8	63.6	64.8	64.6	64.3	63.3
Malaysia	76.2	67.1	67.3	66.6	67.9	64.5	64.1	63.1	-
Maldives	-	95.4	101.4	74.8	-	-	-	-	-
Nepal	90.0	88.9	86.6	92.1	90.4	89.2	88.4	87.6	-
Pakistan	92.6	92.2	93.7	86.5	82.6	83.0	85.2	84.4	-
Papua New Guinea	84.6	86.4	90.4	83.9	82.5	80.3	72.2	-	-
Philippines	76.1	73.4	81.2	81.3	83.4	85.1	86.2	85.1	85.3
Singapore	71.4	61.2	59.4	53.9	53.0	52.8	51.5	48.7	-
Sri Lanka	91.9	88.8	88.1	85.7	87.2	85.0	84.0	84.8	84.7
Thailand	80.0	77.7	75.7	65.3	64.2	64.3	64.4	64.4	-
Europe	71.3	69.2	67.3	73.5	76.7	79.3	80.4	78.7	-
Hungary	69.7	71.5	72.9	72.0	81.3	85.1	88.8	85.0	-
Poland	70.9	76.1	70.8	67.2	82.0	82.8	83.5	83.1	-
Romania	-	63	60.2	79.2	75.9	77.0	76.0	75.1	-
Russia	-	-	-	-	-	49.8	60.9	67.2	65.8
Turkey	-	-	-	79.7	80.3	79.7	79.7	77.8	-
Ukraine	-	-	-	-	-	63.6	64.0	67.8	-
Middle East	64.8	63.9	81.2	78.6	89.7	78.5	77.6	77.1	-
Egypt	92	87.7	82.2	83.0	73.9	83.0	83.3	84.9	83.1
Iran, I.R. of	64	74	76.5	76.8	83.9	72.4	69.7	70.7	-
Israel	102.6	92.8	94.9	92.2	90.2	89.1	92.0	91.6	-
Jordan	98.1	104.3	115.2	99.0	97.4	98.5	93.9	88.0	85.0
Kuwait	32.8	41.1	70.2	97.2	294.4	93.9	81.2	77.6	-
Saudi Arabia	32.1	37.8	87.0	70.4	75.5	72.1	72.5	69.9	-
Western Hemisphere	76.5	76.9	76.3	77.1	79.2	79.9	80.2	80.1	-
Argentina	74.1	99.1	76.9	80.3	83.6	84.8	83.6	82.4	-
Brazil	73.8	78.5	75.3	75.6	78.6	77.0	77.8	78.0	-
Chile	88.9	83.2	80.4	70.3	71.5	71.8	73.5	71.8	70.7
Colombia	81.2	80.3	79.7	75.7	76.6	80.9	81.1	83.3	-
Jamaica	84.6	86.2	84.9	76.1	81.0	69.2	73.7	-	-
Mexico	79	75.1	74.1	78.3	79.7	81.0	81.0	81.6	77.7
Panama	76.5	76.4	87.0	81.9	85.5	80.7	77.8	75.9	-
Paraguay	80.4	77.5	82.2	83.4	83.2	87.6	88.0	91.2	88.4
Peru	90.1	68.2	75.1	82.8	76.1	85.7	84.3	80.9	80.7
Uruguay	90.1	88.3	83.0	83.0	83.3	85.8	85.9	86.2	86.8
World	77.5	76.8	78.2	77.2	78.7	78.7	79.1	78.7	-

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF

NON-GOLD FOREIGN RESERVES : IN WEEKS OF IMPORTS

Region / Country	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995
Industrial Countries	8.5	8.8	9.5	11.9	11.5	10.5	11.6	11.4	11.2
United States	2.3	3.2	4.7	7.3	6.8	5.7	5.4	4.8	5.0
Canada	6.4	2.6	1.6	7.5	6.8	4.6	4.7	4.1	4.6
Australia	14.4	3.9	11.6	20.1	20.6	13.3	12.7	11.0	10.1
Japan	10.7	9.1	10.6	17.3	15.8	16.0	21.2	23.8	28.4
New Zealand	7.0	3.3	13.8	22.6	18.3	17.4	18.0	16.2	16.4
Denmark	4.0	9.1	15.5	17.1	11.9	16.3	17.5	13.5	13.3
France	8.1	10.5	12.8	8.2	7.0	5.9	5.8	5.9	5.1
Germany	18.2	13.4	14.6	10.2	8.4	11.8	11.6	10.5	9.9
Greece	9.4	6.6	4.5	9.0	12.5	10.7	18.4	35.1	—
Italy	1.8	11.9	9.2	18.0	13.9	7.6	9.7	9.9	8.9
Sweden	8.5	5.3	10.6	17.2	19.1	23.5	23.2	23.4	19.4
United Kingdom	4.5	9.3	6.1	8.4	10.4	8.6	9.3	9.4	8.3
Developing Countries	17.1	15.0	17.9	18.5	20.3	18.7	20.6	21.2	20.8
Africa	13.7	12.1	8.2	11.4	14.0	10.5	12.9	15.0	10.2
Algeria	10.7	18.6	14.9	3.9	10.3	8.8	9.9	—	—
Botswana	—	25.8	70.2	90.5	100.8	107.4	121.9	141.6	—
Ethiopia	46.0	5.8	7.7	1.0	6.0	15.1	30.1	27.4	—
Ghana	8.1	8.3	34.0	—	56.0	7.6	—	—	—
Kenya	9.5	12.0	14.4	5.0	3.4	1.6	12.3	13.4	6.2
Nigeria	48.1	31.9	9.8	35.7	25.5	6.2	9.5	11.1	2.5
South Africa	3.1	1.9	1.4	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.6	3.7	4.8
Tanzania	4.4	0.8	0.6	9.8	6.9	11.3	7.1	11.5	8.7
Uganda	8.1	0.5	4.3	10.8	15.6	11.2	—	19.2	22.7
Zaire	8.3	38.1	12.5	12.8	13.4	19.4	6.5	16.4	—
Zambia	6.5	3.0	15.9	8.2	10.1	—	—	—	—
Zimbabwe	4.5	7.7	5.4	4.2	3.8	5.2	12.3	9.4	—
Asia	9.6	10.9	16.9	20.0	21.5	19.1	19.7	21.5	19.6
Bangladesh	5.8	6.0	6.3	9.1	19.5	24.4	31.3	34.7	18.7
Fiji	28.8	15.5	15.4	18.3	22.0	26.8	22.1	19.6	21.0
India	8.9	24.3	21.0	3.3	9.2	12.7	23.3	38.2	27.0
Indonesia	6.4	25.9	25.2	17.8	18.6	19.9	20.7	19.7	17.4
Korea, Rep. of	5.6	6.8	4.8	11.0	8.7	10.9	12.6	13.0	12.6
Malaysia	21.2	21.1	20.8	17.3	15.4	22.4	31.0	22.2	15.9
Maldives	—	1.7	4.5	9.2	7.6	7.7	7.3	7.3	9.3
Myanmar	35.1	38.3	6.2	60.2	20.8	22.4	19.4	24.8	21.9
Nepal	29.1	27.8	6.4	22.4	27.2	30.7	37.9	31.1	22.2
Pakistan	8.2	4.8	7.1	2.1	3.2	4.7	6.6	17.1	7.9
Papua New Guinea	15.8	18.7	22.8	17.6	10.4	8.4	5.7	3.3	9.4
Philippines	18.2	17.8	5.9	3.7	13.2	14.8	13.0	13.9	11.7
Singapore	19.2	14.2	25.4	23.7	26.8	28.7	29.5	29.5	28.7
Sri Lanka	3.7	6.3	12.7	8.2	11.7	14.0	21.2	22.3	20.9
Thailand	26.6	8.8	12.3	20.7	24.2	26.0	27.5	28.0	25.4
Europe	2.0	2.6	3.1	8.2	8.5	7.4	11.0	12.1	18.0
Hungary	—	—	13.7	6.5	17.9	20.7	28.0	24.5	41.6
Poland	—	0.4	3.8	27.8	12.0	13.6	11.3	14.2	26.4
Romania	4.9	1.2	0.9	2.8	6.2	6.9	7.9	15.3	9.4
Turkey	10.4	7.1	4.8	14.1	12.7	14.0	11.2	16.0	18.1
Middle East	51.1	32.4	32.9	25.0	25.0	22.4	25.4	26.6	26.4
Egypt	2.7	11.2	7.5	15.1	35.2	68.2	82.0	68.8	—
Israel	9.9	17.8	19.4	19.4	17.3	13.2	14.7	14.0	14.2
Jordan	32.6	24.7	8.0	17.0	17.1	12.3	24.1	26.0	27.7
Kuwait	32.4	31.3	47.4	25.6	37.2	36.9	31.1	27.2	25.9
Lebanon	30.5	22.6	25.3	13.6	17.7	18.5	24.6	35.2	34.7
Saudi Arabia	286.3	40.4	55.0	25.2	20.9	9.2	13.7	16.4	16.3
Western Hemisphere	17.2	17.2	28.6	21.7	25.9	28.6	32.7	26.9	30.8
Argentina	3.8	33.1	44.6	58.6	37.7	34.9	42.7	34.6	36.9
Brazil	15.2	12.0	38.5	17.2	18.2	50.8	57.4	53.5	48.1
Chile	1.9	28.0	41.5	41.1	45.2	47.1	45.1	57.6	46.2
Colombia	16.5	53.0	20.0	39.2	63.9	59.0	39.9	33.9	30.4
Jamaica	5.8	5.0	7.5	4.7	3.7	10.1	10.3	17.7	12.9
Mexico	10.9	7.9	18.2	17.1	24.2	20.1	26.0	5.4	18.7
Panama	2.0	4.2	3.7	11.6	15.3	13.0	14.2	15.2	—
Paraguay	29.1	64.4	55.3	25.4	34.3	20.5	19.4	22.3	—
Peru	8.7	41.2	52.2	15.6	30.3	30.5	36.5	54.3	46.3
Uruguay	5.5	11.9	12.8	20.3	10.7	13.0	17.0	18.1	20.9
World	11.2	10.8	12.0	13.6	14.0	13.1	14.6	14.7	14.4

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX 1994

Country	Life Expectancy at Birth (years)	Adult Literacy Rate (%)	Real GDP per Capita (PPP \$)	Life Expectancy Index	Education Index	GDP Index	Human Development Index (HDI) Value	HDI Rank
High Human Development	74.6	97.0	17,052	0.83	0.91	0.98	0.907	
Canada	79.0	99.0	21,459	0.90	0.99	0.99	0.960	1
France	78.7	99.0	20,510	0.89	0.96	0.99	0.946	2
Norway	77.5	99.0	21,346	0.88	0.97	0.99	0.943	3
USA	76.2	99.0	26,397	0.85	0.98	0.99	0.942	4
Netherlands	77.3	99.0	19,238	0.87	0.96	0.99	0.940	6
Japan	79.8	99.0	21,581	0.91	0.92	0.99	0.940	7
Finland	76.3	99.0	17,417	0.85	0.98	0.98	0.940	8
New Zealand	76.4	99.0	16,851	0.86	0.97	0.98	0.937	9
Sweden	78.3	99.0	18,540	0.89	0.93	0.99	0.936	10
Spain	77.6	97.1	14,324	0.88	0.95	0.98	0.934	11
Australia	78.1	99.0	19,285	0.89	0.92	0.99	0.931	14
United Kingdom	76.7	99.0	18,620	0.86	0.95	0.99	0.931	15
Germany	76.3	99.0	19,675	0.86	0.93	0.99	0.924	19
Hong Kong	79.0	92.3	22,310	0.90	0.86	0.99	0.914	22
Singapore	77.1	91.0	20,987	0.87	0.85	0.99	0.900	26
Korea, Rep. of	71.5	97.9	10,656	0.77	0.93	0.97	0.890	32
United Arab Emirates	74.2	78.6	16,000	0.82	0.80	0.98	0.866	44
Fiji	71.8	91.3	5,763	0.78	0.87	0.94	0.863	46
Thailand	69.5	93.5	7,104	0.74	0.80	0.96	0.833	59
Malaysia	71.2	83.0	8,865	0.77	0.76	0.97	0.832	60
Medium Human Development	67.0	82.6	3,352	0.70	0.76	0.54	0.667	
Lebanon	69.0	92.0	4,863	0.73	0.86	0.79	0.794	65
Saudi Arabia	70.3	61.8	9,338	0.76	0.60	0.97	0.774	73
Turkey	68.2	81.6	5,193	0.72	0.75	0.84	0.772	74
Korea	71.4	95.0	3,965	0.77	0.88	0.64	0.765	75
Lithuania	70.1	98.4	4,011	0.75	0.89	0.65	0.762	76
Romania	69.5	96.9	4,037	0.74	0.85	0.65	0.748	79
Algeria	67.8	59.4	5,442	0.71	0.62	0.88	0.737	82
Cuba	75.6	95.4	3,000	0.84	0.85	0.48	0.723	86
Peru	67.4	88.3	3,645	0.71	0.86	0.59	0.717	89
Sri Lanka	72.2	90.1	3,277	0.79	0.82	0.52	0.711	91
Botswana	52.3	68.7	5,367	0.45	0.69	0.87	0.673	97
Philippines	67.0	94.4	2,681	0.70	0.89	0.43	0.672	98
Indonesia	63.5	83.2	3,740	0.64	0.76	0.60	0.668	99
China	68.9	80.9	2,604	0.73	0.73	0.41	0.626	108
Egypt	64.3	50.5	3,846	0.66	0.57	0.62	0.614	109
Maldives	62.8	93.0	2,200	0.63	0.86	0.35	0.611	111
Viet Nam	66.0	93.0	1,208	0.68	0.80	0.18	0.557	121
Iraq	57.0	56.8	3,159	0.53	0.56	0.51	0.531	126
Papua New Guinea	56.4	71.2	2,821	0.52	0.60	0.45	0.525	128
Zimbabwe	49.0	84.7	2,196	0.40	0.79	0.35	0.513	129
Low Human Development	56.1	49.9	1,308	0.52	0.49	0.20	0.403	
Myanmar	58.4	82.7	1,051	0.56	0.71	0.16	0.475	131
India	61.3	51.2	1,348	0.60	0.53	0.21	0.446	138
Pakistan	62.3	37.1	2,154	0.62	0.37	0.34	0.445	139
Nigeria	51.0	55.6	1,351	0.43	0.54	0.21	0.393	141
Bangladesh	56.4	37.3	1,331	0.52	0.38	0.20	0.368	144
Nepal	55.3	27.0	1,137	0.51	0.36	0.17	0.347	154
Bhutan	51.5	41.1	1,289	0.44	0.38	0.20	0.338	155
Angola	47.2	42.5	1,600	0.37	0.39	0.25	0.335	157
Uganda	40.2	61.1	1,370	0.25	0.52	0.21	0.328	159
Ethiopia	48.2	34.5	427	0.39	0.29	0.05	0.244	170
All Developing Countries	61.8	69.7	2,904	0.61	0.65	0.46	0.576	
Industrial Countries	74.1	98.5	15,986	0.82	0.93	0.98	0.911	
World	63.2	77.1	5,798	0.64	0.71	0.94	0.764	

Source : Human Development Report 1997, UNDP

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX 1960 - 1994

	1960	1970	1980	1992	1994	HDI Rank 1994
High Human Development						
Canada	0.865	0.887	0.911	0.932	0.960	1
France	0.853	0.871	0.895	0.927	0.946	2
Norway	0.865	0.878	0.901	0.928	0.943	3
USA	0.865	0.881	0.905	0.925	0.942	4
Netherlands	0.855	0.867	0.888	0.923	0.940	6
Japan	0.686	0.875	0.906	0.929	0.940	7
Finland	0.811	0.855	0.880	0.911	0.940	8
New Zealand	0.852	0.861	0.877	0.907	0.937	9
Sweden	0.867	0.881	0.899	0.928	0.936	10
Spain	0.636	0.820	0.851	0.888	0.934	11
Australia	0.797	0.857	0.880	0.917	0.932	14
United Kingdom	0.857	0.873	0.892	0.919	0.931	15
Germany	0.841	0.856	0.881	0.918	0.924	19
Hong Kong	0.561	0.737	0.830	0.875	0.914	22
Singapore	0.519	0.682	0.780	0.836	0.900	26
Korea, Rep. of	0.398	0.523	0.666	0.859	0.890	32
United Arab Emirates	0.515	0.601	0.719	0.771	0.866	44
Fiji	-	-	-	-	0.863	46
Thailand	0.373	0.465	0.551	0.798	0.833	59
Malaysia	0.330	0.471	0.687	0.794	0.832	60
Medium Human Development						
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	0.794	65
Saudi Arabia	0.448	0.511	0.629	0.742	0.774	73
Turkey	0.333	0.441	0.549	0.739	0.772	74
Korea	-	-	-	-	0.765	75
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	0.762	76
Romania	-	-	-	-	0.748	79
Algeria	0.264	0.323	0.476	0.553	0.737	82
Cuba	-	-	-	-	0.723	86
Peru	0.420	0.528	0.590	0.642	0.717	89
Sri Lanka	0.475	0.506	0.552	0.665	0.711	91
Botswana	0.207	0.284	0.414	0.670	0.673	97
Philippines	0.419	0.489	0.557	0.621	0.672	98
Indonesia	0.223	0.306	0.418	0.586	0.668	99
China	0.248	0.372	0.475	0.644	0.626	108
Egypt	0.210	0.269	0.360	0.551	0.614	109
Maldives	-	-	-	-	0.611	111
Viet Nam	-	-	-	-	0.557	121
Iraq	0.348	0.452	0.581	0.614	0.531	126
Papua New Guinea	0.208	0.325	0.348	0.408	0.525	128
Zimbabwe	0.284	0.326	0.386	0.474	0.513	129
Low Human Development						
Myanmar	0.243	0.318	0.356	0.406	0.475	131
India	0.206	0.254	0.296	0.382	0.446	138
Pakistan	0.183	0.244	0.287	0.393	0.445	139
Nigeria	0.184	0.230	0.297	0.348	0.393	141
Bangladesh	0.166	0.199	0.234	0.309	0.368	144
Nepal	0.128	0.162	0.209	0.289	0.347	154
Bhutan	-	-	-	-	0.338	155
Angola	0.139	0.195	0.212	0.271	0.335	157
Uganda	0.185	0.213	0.215	0.272	0.328	159
Ethiopia	-	-	-	-	0.244	170

Source : Human Development Report 1997, UNDP

INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY PRICES 1965 - 1996

Item	1965	1970	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Aluminium (US Cents/Pound)												
All Origins (London)	24.50	27.86	39.39	80.51	47.21	74.37	59.15	56.98	51.71	66.93	81.88	68.35
Bananas (US Cents/Pound)												
Latin America (US Ports)	7.25	7.53	11.15	17.01	17.15	24.60	25.46	21.69	20.10	19.91	20.03	21.41
Beef (US Cents/Pound)												
Australia - NZ (US Ports)	39.99	59.16	60.20	125.19	97.67	116.27	120.83	111.34	118.74	105.82	86.50	80.97
United States (New York)	29.60	41.30	44.99	86.71	89.70	94.27	90.43	90.11	93.44	86.73	84.00	84.8
Argentina (Frozen)	28.37	33.14	38.87	97.41	86.61	130.90	194.67	253.91	303.09	230.30	210.56	168.06
Argentina (Corned)	37.68	39.29	78.95	143.68	82.23	102.80	120.14	93.41	111.75	124.98	-	-
Butter (US Cents/Pound)												
New Zealand (London)	41.51	33.47	72.10	151.39	101.45	147.94	140.87	150.53	140.98	140.51	164.51	-
New Zealand	38.24	28.58	50.46	73.80	60.22	87.34	78.39	91.60	81.66	84.46	99.25	103.17
Coconut Oil (US Cents/Pound)												
Philippines (New York)	15.84	17.19	17.85	30.51	26.77	15.32	19.64	26.22	20.47	27.51	30.37	34.10
Philippines	13.10	12.80	17.00	28.06	24.18	13.99	16.13	24.71	19.42	-	27.08	32.66
Coffee (US Cents/Pound)												
Other milds (New York)	45.38	52.01	65.41	154.20	145.56	89.15	85.03	63.66	69.94	148.53	149.41	120.25
Brazil (New York)	43.75	55.80	82.58	208.79	148.93	83.80	72.88	56.26	66.58	143.32	145.98	120.29
Brazil	39.62	44.26	49.57	143.75	103.97	58.80	57.28	43.25	50.08	115.54	123.89	100.23
Colombia (New York)	48.49	56.66	81.60	178.83	145.56	89.15	84.97	63.64	-	-	-	-
Colombia	46.01	54.22	62.38	161.70	134.87	79.86	83.93	60.29	-	-	-	-
Uganda (New York)	30.77	41.44	61.05	147.15	121.24	54.99	49.83	43.63	53.50	119.82	126.83	82.84
Copra (US \$/Metric Ton)												
Philippines (Europ. Ports)	226.17	223.08	256.00	453.00	386.42	229.92	295.85	381.85	295.42	416.84	438.50	488.98
Cotton (US Cents/Pound)												
United States (10 Markets)	30.40	25.08	45.07	81.28	58.68	71.82	70.65	54.72	55.85	73.73	94.92	78.99
Liverpool Index	28.84	28.93	53.09	93.73	59.92	82.56	76.91	57.94	58.02	79.72	98.30	80.54
Egypt Liverpool	51.18	62.60	129.41	153.49	163.97	300.12	277.66	212.79	201.19	171.54	-	-
Egypt (Long Staple)	49.71	61.06	138.39	123.22	138.35	516.94	256.14	164.99	130.01	-	110.29	-
Egypt (Lond Medium)	41.08	49.83	109.72	109.17	133.21	436.98	215.20	110.82	99.22	-	97.40	-
Gold (US\$/Fine Ounce)												
United Kingdom (London)	35.00	35.94	161.03	607.86	317.18	383.51	362.18	343.42	359.73	384.22	384.16	387.82
Ground Nuts (US\$/Metric Ton)												
Nigeria (London)	206.54	228.18	432.96	1236.58	675.75	1,325.50	1,237.83	799.13	1,092.15	954.80	909.92	962.00
Maize (US\$/Bushel)												
United States (Chicago)	1.30	1.37	2.90	3.00	2.66	2.61	2.51	2.49	2.45	2.59	2.82	4.10
United States (US Gulf Ports)	1.40	1.48	3.04	3.19	2.85	2.78	2.73	2.65	2.59	2.74	3.14	4.18
Thailand	1.47	1.66	3.38	4.11	2.59	3.33	3.17	3.68	3.14	-	5.14	-
News Print (US\$/Short Ton)												
United States (New York)	132.44	150.54	256.78	388.64	463.54	495.63	501.02	455.17	464.39	482.88	670.90	661.22
Finland	112.66	114.89	315.57	410.92	328.07	575.21	556.29	469.86	377.38	401.99	605.05	650.84
Sweden	119.22	117.98	327.47	437.42	342.60	597.91	591.00	489.22	-	-	-	-
Palm Oil (US\$/Metric Ton)												
Malaysia (N.W.Europe)	273.42	259.50	420.25	583.08	500.92	289.83	339.00	393.69	377.73	529.15	628.58	532.03
Malaysia	244.54	214.82	474.94	529.53	493.83	287.10	329.78	382.41	382.97	381.06	596.98	-
Pepper, Black (US Cents/Pound)												
Malaysia (New York)	47.90	57.30	90.95	90.43	183.10	81.30	64.34	66.70	104.90	-	171.86	-
Petroleum, Spot (US\$/Barrel)												
Average Crude Price	2.11	2.11	10.60	35.48	26.98	22.05	18.30	18.22	16.13	15.47	17.16	20.42
Dubai Fateh	1.80	1.80	10.43	35.85	26.46	20.46	16.54	17.19	14.96	14.76	16.13	18.55
UK Brent	2.23	2.23	11.50	37.89	27.33	23.99	19.99	19.34	17.04	15.82	17.06	20.65
Alaskan North Slope	2.30	2.30	9.85	32.69	27.14	22.03	18.35	18.15	16.40	15.76	17.24	-
West Texas Intermediate	-	-	-	-	28.14	24.45	21.46	20.56	18.46	17.10	18.32	22.05
Rice (US\$/Metric Ton)												
United States (new orleans)	182.93	188.25	418.56	494.97	382.38	389.50	418.02	401.14	389.15	466.68	419.70	499.94
Thailand (Bangkok)	136.25	143.00	363.17	433.67	217.42	287.17	312.58	287.44	267.94	358.03	327.78	-
Thailand	110.25	113.77	301.86	340.29	204.16	270.20	287.14	291.03	257.18	-	-	-
Myanmar	102.49	83.33	207.50	274.95	164.87	205.49	232.27	211.99	173.25	171.53	209.86	210.60
Rubber (US Cents/Pound)												
All Origins (New York)	25.66	21.07	29.87	73.43	41.77	50.17	47.63	46.67	47.34	48.93	56.65	54.83
Malaysia (Singapore)	22.90	18.47	25.44	64.62	34.42	39.22	37.46	39.08	37.71	51.07	71.68	63.59
Malaysia	22.42	18.98	26.30	63.07	35.05	38.42	39.20	40.55	40.03	49.73	70.82	-
Thailand	20.67	17.66	23.28	60.13	32.84	35.89	35.20	35.28	35.07	-	-	-

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INTERNATIONAL COMMODITY PRICES 1965 - 1996 (Contd.)

Item	1965	1970	1975	1980	1985	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Silver (US Cents/troy ounce)												
United States (New York)	129.30	177.10	441.90	2,057.70	614.20	482.00	404.00	393.60	429.80	528.40	519.20	518.30
Soybeans (US\$/Metric Tons)												
United States (Rotterdam)	116.92	116.92	221.67	296.25	224.42	246.75	239.56	235.52	255.25	252.82	259.25	304.50
Soybean Oil (US\$/Metric Ton)												
All Origins (Dutch Ports)	270.00	286.33	563.33	598.25	576.00	447.50	453.90	428.65	479.98	616.20	625.20	551.60
Sugar (US Cents/Pound)												
EU Import Price	5.82	5.09	15.44	22.09	16.12	26.45	27.77	28.48	28.10	28.20	31.21	31.15
Caribbean (New York)	2.12	3.76	20.56	28.67	4.05	12.51	8.98	9.07	10.02	12.11	13.28	11.96
US Import price Price	6.18	7.50	22.47	30.03	20.35	23.25	21.55	21.30	21.61	22.03	23.06	22.36
Brazil	3.39	5.10	29.18	21.79	6.66	15.94	11.87	11.12	11.62	13.15	13.75	13.20
Australia	3.91	4.97	19.95	21.07	5.84	12.65	10.76	10.44	10.68	12.14	13.35	12.84
Philippines	5.40	6.62	27.03	16.22	14.94	19.46	19.09	19.02	14.13	22.29	19.72	20.15
Tea (US Cents /Pounds)												
Average Auction (London)	57.64	49.55	62.68	101.06	89.98	92.17	83.57	90.60	84.20	83.15	74.46	80.36
Sri Lanka	50.77	40.91	58.78	91.64	101.24	103.91	92.23	84.84	85.58	83.81	90.55	114.51
Tobacco (US\$/Metric Ton)												
United States (All Markets)	59.40	1,055.44	1,841.99	2,275.86	2,611.82	3,392.19	3,500.07	3,439.54	2,695.34	2,974.85	2,643.44	3,055.17
Urea (US\$/Metric Ton)												
Any Origin (Europe)	94.75	48.25	197.67	222.08	136.33	157.00	172.00	140.33	106.75	147.92	211.50	205.48
Wheat (US\$/Bushel)												
Australia (Sydney)	1.53	1.48	4.03	4.77	3.84	5.29	3.59	5.41	4.20	4.41	5.38	6.19
Australia	1.55	1.42	4.57	4.91	3.50	4.25	2.91	4.20	3.73	3.51	5.17	5.45
United States (US Gulf Ports)	1.62	1.49	4.06	4.70	3.70	3.69	3.50	4.11	3.82	4.08	4.82	5.64
Argentina	1.52	1.48	4.68	5.01	3.13	3.93	2.44	3.27	3.57	3.58	4.47	5.47

Source : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 1996, IMF.

GENERAL EDUCATION 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996 (a)
Total No. of Schools	10,100	10,207	10,261	10,296	10,382	10,520	10,583	10,710	10,779	10,888	10,936
No. of Govt. Schools	9,657	9,709	9,771	9,805	9,864	9,998	10,042	10,160	10,191	10,283	10,312
Primary	3,906	3,518	4,274	4,430	4,369	4,326	4,334	4,237	4,177	4,157	4,188
Secondary	5,751	6,191	5,497	5,375	5,495	5,672	5,708	5,923	6,014	6,126	6,124
Other Schools	443	498	490	491	518	522	541	550	588	605	624
Pirivenas	372	427	431	430	457	459	478	487	509	526	545
Private Schools	71	71	59	61	61	63	63	63	79	79	79
Classification of Govt. Schools	9,657	9,709	9,771	9,805	9,864	9,998	10,042	10,160	10,191	10,283	10,312
Grade 1A & B	453	470	489	492	501	513	530	554	566	592	588
Grade 1C	1,313	1,313	1,457	1,372	1,389	1,510	1,617	1,699	1,696	1,730	1,838
Grade 2	3,985	4,408	3,551	3,511	3,575	3,581	3,561	3,670	3,752	3,804	3,698
Grade 3	3,906	3,518	4,274	4,430	4,399	4,394	4,334	4,237	4,177	4,157	4,188
Pupils	3,864,187	3,974,605	4,058,843	4,179,520	4,232,356	4,258,697	4,286,876	4,303,432	4,328,521	4,352,686	4,251,954
Government Schools	3,751,708	3,855,019	3,938,062	4,057,815	4,111,272	4,135,114	4,159,313	4,172,897	4,194,448	4,216,571	4,119,627
Other Schools	112,479	119,586	120,781	121,705	121,084	123,583	127,563	130,535	134,073	136,115	132,327
Pirivena Schools	32,562	37,031	37,810	37,889	38,491	40,015	43,239	46,663	46,314	47,485	45,620
Private Schools	79,917	82,555	82,971	83,816	82,593	83,568	84,324	83,872	87,759	88,630	86,707
New Admissions (Govt. Schools)	390,782	394,602	394,960	396,748	387,314	388,315	359,228	354,390	343,279	330,426	322,686
Dropouts (%)	4.6	4.3	n.a.	n.a.	4.7	4.3	3.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total No. of Teachers (Govt. & Other Schools)	149,129	146,712	146,334	153,243	184,822	177,231	182,723	194,073	195,175	195,388	193,431
Government Teachers	143,398	140,385	140,061	146,997	178,333	170,735	175,813	186,926	187,579	187,571	185,553
Science Graduates	3,487	3,686	3,734	4,221	3,780	3,791	3,804	46,968	4,486	n.a.	48,395
Arts & Other Graduates	29,380	29,720	30,911	35,217	36,255	35,621	36,182		43,275	n.a.	
Diploma (Science & Maths)	237	205	251	222	210	192	171	n.a.	148	n.a.	675
Trained Teachers	82,305	80,117	81,661	82,065	84,336	76,195	80,826	83,676	85,472	n.a.	88,496
Others	27,989	26,657	23,504	25,272	53,752	54,936	54,830	56,282	54,198	n.a.	47,987
Private & Pirivena Schools Teachers	5,731	6,327	6,273	6,246	6,489	6,496	6,910	7,147	7,596	7,817	7,878
Pupil / Teacher Ratio (All Schools)	26	27	28	27	23	24	24	22	22	22	22
Govt. Expenditure on General Education, Rs. Mn.	3,556.4	3,662.5	3,980.3	5,861	6,879	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	9,003	n.a.	n.a.
Current Expenditure	3,309.2	3,376.0	3,437.1	5,722	3,212	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	5,480	n.a.	n.a.
Capital Expenditure	247.2	286.5	543.2	139	180	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	3,523	n.a.	n.a.

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Primary Education : 1978-1982: schools having classes from Grade 1-8
1983-1984: schools having classes from K.G. to Grade 5
1985-1986: schools having classes from year 1-6

Secondary Education : 1978-1982: schools having classes up to Grade 12
1983-1984: schools having classes up to Grade 8, Grade 10 & Grade 12
1985-1986: schools having classes from year 1-9, 1-11, 1-13, & 7-13

Classification of Schools from 1978 is as follows:

Grade 1A - Schools having GCE (A/L) Science classes
Grade 1B - - do -
Grade 1C - Schools having GCE (A.L.) Arts/Commerce classes.
Grade 2 - Schools having classes up to Grade 10 or 6-9/year 1-11
Grade 3 - Schools having classes up to Grade 1-5/year 1-6

Sources : Ministry of Education and
Higher Education
Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

TEACHERS AND PUPILS BY PROVINCE AND DISTRICT 1986 - 1996

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Province / District	1986		1987		1988		1989		1990		1991		1992		1993		1994		1996(a)	
	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P	T	P
Western	36	946	36	967	36	983	35	986	42	991	37	975	36	910	37	906	36	911	42	960
Colombo	15	401	15	406	15	406	15	411	17	409	15	398	14	359	14	354	15	354	17	395
Gampaha	13	336	13	344	13	350	12	352	15	355	13	353	13	336	13	336	12	341	15	344
Kalutara	8	209	8	217	8	227	8	223	10	227	9	224	9	215	9	216	9	216	10	221
Central	20	510	20	528	20	543	21	558	26	567	25	576	25	567	25	571	26	574	27	586
Kandy	12	286	12	293	12	299	13	302	15	302	14	306	14	297	14	297	15	299	16	310
Matale	4	97	4	100	4	104	4	106	5	108	5	109	5	108	5	108	5	108	5	109
Nuwara Eliya	4	127	4	135	4	140	4	150	6	157	6	161	6	162	6	166	6	167	6	167
Southern	21	520	21	533	21	550	21	549	27	558	27	555	26	548	28	556	29	564	29	574
Galle	8	217	8	222	8	224	8	226	11	228	11	227	11	226	11	230	12	238	11	235
Matara	8	179	8	182	8	193	8	186	10	189	9	187	9	180	10	183	10	182	11	192
Hambantota	5	124	5	129	5	133	5	137	6	141	7	141	6	142	7	143	7	144	7	147
Northern	9	292	9	295	8	308	10	328	10	328	10	313	9	289	10	290	10	292	9	247
Jaffna	6	205	6	205	6	209	7	219	7	219	7	218	6	194	7	187	7	181	5	108
Killinochchi	0.7	25	0.7	24	0.7	27	0.7	29	0.7	29	0.8	30	0.6	34	0.8	38	0.7	39	1	51
Mannar	0.7	22	0.7	23	0.7	26	0.8	30	0.8	30	0.8	20	0.6	16	0.6	17	0.6	19	0.6	24
Mullativu	0.5	20	0.5	21	0.5	22	0.5	22	0.5	22	0.7	24	0.6	24	1.0	24	0.7	27	2	36
Vavuniya	0.6	20	0.7	22	0.6	24	0.7	28	0.7	28	0.9	21	1	21	0.6	24	1	26	0.6	28
Eastern	8	262	8	268	8	276	9	299	11	302	11	326	12	327	14	340	14	346	14	352
Batticaloa	2	80	2	81	2	84	3	92	3	92	3	101	3	104	4	107	3	109	4	110
Ampara	4	116	4	121	4	126	4	131	5	134	5	147	6	149	7	152	7	155	6	156
Trincomalee	2	66	2	66	2	66	2	77	3	76	3	78	3	74	3	81	4	82	4	86
North Western	19	462	19	476	19	489	19	500	24	505	23	516	23	515	24	512	24	512	25	513
Kurunegala	14	333	14	342	14	350	15	356	18	359	17	360	18	356	19	353	18	352	19	353
Puttalam	5	129	5	134	5	139	4	144	6	146	6	156	5	159	5	159	6	160	6	160
North Central	9	249	9	259	9	268	9	272	12	279	11	287	12	291	13	282	13	282	12	282
Anuradhapura	6	176	6	183	6	188	6	191	8	196	8	200	9	205	9	196	9	196	9	196
Polonnaruwa	3	73	3	76	3	80	3	81	4	83	3	87	3	86	4	86	4	86	3	86
Uva	10	244	10	255	10	266	11	275	13	281	13	289	13	292	14	296	15	301	15	310
Badulla	7	164	7	171	7	178	8	183	9	186	9	189	9	190	10	191	10	194	11	198
Monaragala	3	80	3	84	3	88	3	92	4	95	4	100	4	102	4	105	5	107	4	112
Sabaragamuwa	16	378	16	390	16	400	16	412	20	418	20	421	19	418	20	419	20	423	20	428
Kegalle	8	204	8	212	8	220	8	229	10	235	10	238	9	238	10	179	10	179	10	180
Ratnapura	8	174	8	178	8	180	8	183	10	183	10	183	10	180	10	240	10	244	10	248

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T : Teachers

P : Pupils

Note : Data for the year 1995 are not available

Source : Ministry of Education and Higher Education

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS BY SECTOR 1991 & 1996

Type of Schools	Urban Sector				Rural Sector				All Island			
	Schools	Pupils	Teachers	Pupils per Teacher	Schools	Pupils	Teachers	Pupils per Teacher	Schools	Pupils	Teachers	Pupils per Teacher
Year 1991												
Schools having Classes GCE (A/L) Science (1AB)	196	378,171	14,232	27	317	458,753	18,217	25	513	836,924	32,449	26
Schools having Classes GCE(A/L)Arts/Commerce (Other than Science)(1C)	159	155,022	6,134	25	1,351	1,039,175	43,410	24	1,510	1,194,197	49,544	24
Schools having Classes upto year 11 (Type 2)	297	159,839	6,342	25	3,284	1,222,380	53,667	23	3,581	1,382,219	60,009	23
Schools having Classes from years 1 to 5 or years 1 to 8 (Type 3)	194	56,998	2,039	28	4,200	664,776	26,694	25	4,394	721,744	28,733	25
All Schools	846	750,030	28,747	26	19,152	3,385,084	141,988	24	9,998	4,135,114	170,735	24
Year 1996												
Schools having Classes GCE (A/L) Science (1AB)	201	417,408	164,69	25	387	585,936	24,093	24	588	1,003,344	40,562	25
Schools having Classes GCE(A/L)Arts/Commerce (Other than Science)(1C)	196	176,799	7,873	22	1,642	1,170,952	52,049	23	1,838	1,347,751	59,922	22
Schools having Classes upto year 11 (Type 2)	282	122,107	5,773	21	3,416	1,086,367	53,016	20	3,698	1,208,474	58,789	21
Schools having Classes from years 1 to 5 or years 1 to 8 (Type 3)	165	35,064	1,550	23	4,023	524,994	24,856	21	4,188	560,058	26,406	21
All Schools	844	751,378	31,665	24	9,468	3,368,249	154,014	22	10,312	4,119,627	185,679	22

Source : Ministry of Education and Higher Education

UNIVERSITY EDUCATION 1985 - 1995

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995(a)
No. of Universities	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	10
No. of Students	18,496	18,217	18,913	19,966	24,640	29,471	28,260	31,447	30,637	30,764	31,241
No. of Teachers	1,683	1,808	1,843	1,825	1,811	2,040	2,090	2,285	2,384	2,525	2,747
New Admission	5,463	5,630	5,426	5,581	6,208	6,463	8,970	8,900	7,849	8,015	8,663
No. Graduated	4,528	4,179	845	544	1,277	4,476	5,386	4,419	5,059	5,750	5,550
Arts & Oriental Studies											
- B.A./B.A. Special	1,987	1,764	238	221	658	1,759	1,983	1,603	1,661	1,977	2,033
Commerce & Mgt. Studies											
- B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.A.	741	718	139	159	251	772	1,096	620	1,179	1,022	983
Law L.L.B.	64	61	-	-	-	88	98	89	112	183	140
Science B.Sc.	831	759	255	164	293	814	1,169	1,055	903	1,187	1,109
Engineering B.Sc. (Eng.)	247	286	-	-	-	454	355	379	382	652	458
Medicine M.B.B.S.	385	338	199	-	66	314	339	334	447	399	442
Dental Surgery B.D.S.	45	63	-	-	-	27	42	48	69	41	66
Agriculture B.Sc.	162	142	14	-	9	175	197	188	191	190	226
Veterinary Science B.V. Sc.	24	20	-	-	-	34	31	32	29	31	37
Architecture and Quantity Surveying B.Sc.	42	28	-	-	-	39	76	71	86	68	56
Expenditure on Higher Education, Rs.Mn.	723	1,058	1,000	1,080	1,189	1,379	1,470	2,351	2,581	2,597	2,914
Capital Expenditure	378	663	520	505	421	423	390	966	772	548	625
Recurrent Expenditure	346	395	481	575	768	956	1,080	1,385	1,809	2,049	2,839

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Source : University Grants Commission

ELIGIBILITY, ADMISSION AND ENROLMENT OF STUDENTS FOR UNIVERSITY EDUCATION 1990 - 1995

		1989/1990				1990/1991				1991/1992			
		Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled	Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled	Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled
Arts	Male	4,926	961	20	4,811	4,695	1,078	23	5,070	5,631	1,101	20	4,461
	Female	10,007	1,086	11	5,207	11,319	1,798	16	5,563	13,377	1,849	14	5,670
	Total	14,933	2,047	14	10,018	16,014	2,876	18	10,633	19,008	2,950	16	10,131
Commerce	Male	4,169	627	15	2,781	4,567	872	19	3,279	5,368	806	15	3,105
	Female	4,643	442	10	2,217	5,891	736	12	2,626	6,813	720	11	2,450
	Total	8,812	1,069	12	4,998	10,458	1,608	15	5,905	12,181	1,526	13	5,555
Science	Male	5,926	2,178	37	8,579	5,919	2,862	48	9,577	5,977	2,744	46	9,479
	Female	4,820	1,169	24	4,665	4,983	1,624	33	5,332	5,288	1,680	32	5,472
	Total	10,746	3,347	31	13,244	10,902	4,486	41	14,909	11,265	4,424	39	14,951
Total	Male	15,021	3,766	25	16,171	15,181	4,812	32	17,926	16,976	4,651	27	17,045
	Female	19,470	2,697	14	12,089	22,193	4,158	19	13,521	25,478	4,249	17	13,592
	Total	34,491	6,463	19	28,260	37,374	8,970	24	31,447	42,454	8,900	21	30,637
		1992/1993				1993/1994				1994/1995			
		Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled	Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled	Eligible	Admitted	Percentage	Enrolled
Arts	Male	6,643	1,044	16	4,313	8,257	1,243	15	5,207	8,440	1,215	14	5,018
	Female	14,435	1,628	11	6,037	17,207	1,587	9	5,724	17,388	1,880	11	6,594
	Total	21,078	2,672	13	10,350	25,464	2,830	11	10,931	25,828	3,095	12	11,612
Commerce	Male	7,573	781	10	3,020	8,039	854	11	3,719	7,641	806	11	3,425
	Female	9,163	665	7	2,430	8,968	599	7	2,213	8,297	701	8	2,603
	Total	16,736	1,446	9	5,450	17,007	1,453	9	5,932	15,938	1,507	9	6,028
Science	Male	7,014	2,473	35	9,515	6,979	2,548	37	10,326	9,043	2,653	29	9,786
	Female	5,534	1,258	23	5,449	5,694	1,184	21	4,815	8,483	1,408	17	5,384
	Total	12,548	3,731	30	14,964	12,673	3,732	29	15,141	17,526	4,061	23	15,170
Total	Male	21,230	4,298	20	16,848	23,275	4,645	20	19,252	25,124	4,674	19	18,239
	Female	29,132	3,551	12	13,916	31,869	3,370	11	12,752	34,168	3,989	12	14,581
	Total	50,362	7,849	16	30,764	55,144	8,015	15	32,004	59,292	8,663	15	32,820

Source : University Grants Commission

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION BY PROVINCE AND DISTRICT 1990 - 1995

Province / District	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92	1992/93	1993/94	1994/95
Western	1,952	2,737	2,806	2,396	1,998	2,626
Colombo	1,194	1,669	1,735	1,389	1,167	1,522
Gampaha	469	647	642	604	498	649
Kalutara	289	421	429	403	333	455
Central	673	914	884	884	824	910
Matale	116	143	136	148	131	149
Kandy	444	621	589	575	530	577
Nuwara Eliya	113	150	159	161	163	184
Southern	851	1,276	1,219	1,200	1,172	1,310
Galle	340	579	504	539	446	522
Matara	268	440	444	378	459	502
Hambantota	243	257	271	283	267	286
Northern	836	1,146	1,107	537	680	774
Jaffna	667	942	922	399	518	566
Killinochchi	27	40	41	32	32	44
Mannar	69	72	58	47	59	67
Mullativu	40	52	50	33	38	53
Vavuniya	33	40	36	26	33	44
Eastern	413	530	586	467	478	517
Trincomalee	91	119	114	106	106	121
Batticaloa	119	155	213	135	168	170
Ampara	203	256	259	226	204	226
North Western	604	923	872	929	822	974
Puttalam	158	197	183	218	158	205
Kurunegala	446	726	689	711	664	769
North Central	267	329	347	344	327	393
Anuradhapura	193	232	244	238	226	282
Polonnaruwa	74	97	103	106	101	111
Uva	377	425	433	438	401	449
Badulla	303	333	329	342	297	330
Monaragala	74	92	104	96	104	119
Sabaragamuwa	489	685	643	654	627	710
Kegalle	236	360	342	330	329	368
Ratnapura	253	325	301	324	298	342
Total	6,462	8,965	8,897	7,849	7,329	8,663

Source : University Grants Commission

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION BY DISTRICT AND ACADEMIC STREAM - 1994/95

	Arts		Mgt. Studies		Commerce		Law		Phy. Science		Bio Science		Medicine	
	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C
Colombo	176	26	138	54	139	19	16	17	160	12	33	60	170	74
Gampaha	151	3	41	44	49	33	7	6	26	22	1	25	18	41
Kalutara	179	1	22	22	20	15	10	7	21	11	2	15	12	27
Matale	51	-	-	8	-	7	1	3	-	7	-	6	1	5
Kandy	189	17	22	37	15	25	10	9	18	27	1	17	13	47
Nuwara Eliya*	21	30	1	14	-	8	-	2	-	2	-	13	-	14
Galle	172	-	15	24	3	15	2	8	29	71	5	12	27	31
Matara	185	-	24	17	5	9	8	5	17	3	-	7	15	24
Hambantota*	101	5	4	19	1	23	-	4	1	20	-	10	5	22
Jaffna	119	3	22	12	50	14	-	2	86	1	2	18	17	29
Kilinochchi*	1	9	-	2	-	3	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	3
Mannar*	13	3	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	5
Mulativu*	9	8	3	1	-	5	-	1	-	3	-	2	-	2
Vavuniya*	1	7	3	6	-	2	-	1	-	2	-	4	1	5
Trincomalee*	42	8	5	7	1	3	-	2	-	5	-	5	3	11
Batticaloa	29	13	5	11	-	14	-	1	1	7	-	8	1	13
Ampara*	81	-	7	20	-	25	2	3	-	13	-	17	-	17
Puttalam	64	8	1	15	-	13	3	4	4	15	-	15	3	17
Kurunegala	330	2	16	40	-	28	3	9	3	28	-	26	12	47
Anuradhapura*	105	-	1	18	-	16	3	6	-	11	-	9	-	26
Polonnaruwa*	23	20	-	7	-	8	-	3	-	2	-	6	1	9
Badulla*	62	28	-	25	-	26	-	8	-	30	-	27	3	30
Moneragala*	21	14	-	7	-	5	-	2	-	1	-	7	1	7
Kegalle	185	1	7	22	9	6	5	5	7	13	-	12	6	18
Ratnapura	137	1	7	29	-	9	6	5	1	18	2	14	3	26
Total	2,447	207	344	464	292	333	76	114	374	328	46	338	312	550

	Dental		Veterinary		Agriculture		Engineering		Architecture		Qty. Surveying		Total		Total
	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	
Colombo	17	4	13	1	23	4	113	63	5	5	1	-	1,004	339	1,343
Gampaha	1	3	4	3	3	14	11	38	-	5	-	2	312	239	551
Kalutara	2	3	3	1	4	4	6	24	3	2	-	-	284	132	416
Matale	-	1	-	2	2	4	1	7	-	-	-	2	56	52	108
Kandy	-	6	1	1	5	13	18	45	4	3	-	3	296	250	546
Nuwara Eliya*	-	1	-	1	-	7	-	8	-	-	-	-	22	100	122
Galle	-	3	-	4	12	2	25	24	2	1	-	-	292	195	487
Matara	-	1	4	-	16	8	20	22	6	-	1	2	301	98	399
Hambantota*	-	2	1	1	-	9	3	19	-	-	-	1	116	135	251
Jaffna	1	2	1	2	10	13	48	23	-	1	-	-	356	120	476
Kilinochchi*	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	26	27
Mannar*	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	13	20	33
Mulativu*	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	12	27	39
Vavuniya*	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	5	35	40
Trincomalee*	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	8	-	-	-	-	54	53	107
Batticaloa	-	1	-	2	-	4	1	11	-	-	-	2	37	87	124
Ampara*	-	3	-	3	-	4	2	13	-	-	-	-	92	118	210
Puttalam	-	1	-	1	-	6	3	12	-	-	-	-	78	107	185
Kurunegala	-	1	2	1	3	20	8	35	1	2	-	1	378	240	618
Anuradhapura*	-	2	-	2	1	9	2	17	-	-	-	-	112	116	228
Polonnaruwa*	-	1	-	2	-	5	-	12	-	-	-	-	24	75	99
Badulla*	-	3	-	2	-	10	1	22	-	1	-	2	66	214	280
Moneragala*	1	1	1	-	-	3	-	4	-	-	-	-	24	51	75
Kegalle	-	3	-	1	-	9	1	19	1	2	-	-	221	111	332
Ratnapura	-	2	-	2	2	10	1	16	-	2	-	1	159	135	294
Total	22	49	30	34	81	165	267	452	22	24	2	17	4,315	3,075	7,390

A - 40% Merit Quota

B - 55% District Quota

C - 05% Educationally Disadvantage District Quota

Note: Above statistics relate to under graduates actually registered for the first year.

Above statistics do not include 1,226 students without the relevant information

* Educationally Disadvantage Districts.

Source : University Grants Commission

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION BY ACADEMIC STREAM AND RACE 1990 - 1995

		Arts		Commerce & Management		Law		Physical Science Maths & Statistics		Bio Science		Medicine	
		A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C
Sinhalese	1989/90	426	996	183	539	48	98	170	542	143	436	130	313
	1990/91	1,523	253	377	678	69	79	154	372	135	279	261	400
	1991/92	1,604	377	321	700	56	136	226	341	135	356	248	435
	1992/93	1,759	214	394	657	64	100	155	587	46	347	272	412
	1993/94	1,876	223	394	689	57	107	278	290	48	241	288	425
	1994/95	2,111	741	506	617	66	161	264	218	42	218	277	460
Tamils	1989/90	65	149	126	121	2	16	121	90	57	66	32	52
	1990/91	266	23	164	124	3	15	96	59	54	44	64	71
	1991/92	378	30	146	141	11	11	92	62	30	70	55	76
	1992/93	176	56	44	103	—	17	13	68	4	37	18	52
	1993/94	211	40	120	123	1	12	98	34	6	44	31	60
	1994/95	167	43	101	83	2	8	107	35	3	47	29	75
Moors	1989/90	60	130	10	78	6	18	3	35	4	18	2	19
	1990/91	186	25	33	73	5	16	12	18	8	18	—	26
	1991/92	132	46	17	91	2	16	4	13	6	22	5	43
	1992/93	167	26	23	51	1	13	2	38	1	22	1	23
	1993/94	211	26	26	81	7	11	9	26	—	26	5	30
	1994/95	214	23	26	94	8	9	3	15	1	27	5	15
Others	1989/90	2	1	2	3	—	2	3	2	—	—	3	—
	1990/91	2	1	2	3	—	1	1	—	3	1	—	3
	1991/92	4	—	3	4	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
	1992/93	12	2	6	8	1	1	—	1	—	2	1	2
	1993/94	1	1	3	7	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—
	1994/95	3	—	3	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1989/90	553	1,276	321	741	56	134	297	669	204	520	167	384
	1990/91	1,977	302	576	878	77	111	263	449	200	342	325	500
	1991/92	2,118	453	487	936	69	163	323	418	171	448	308	554
	1992/93	2,114	298	467	819	66	131	170	694	51	408	292	489
	1993/94	2,299	290	543	800	65	132	388	350	54	311	324	515
	1994/95	2,495	207	636	797	76	114	374	268	46	292	311	550

		Dental		Veterinary Medicine		Agriculture		Engineering		Architecture		Quantity Surveying		Total	
		A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C	A	B & C
Sinhalese	1989/90	11	52	11	30	87	201	77	285	12	23	3	17	1,301	3,532
	1990/91	24	39	10	24	68	165	141	324	17	27	10	14	2,789	2,654
	1991/92	16	34	14	34	82	154	165	329	15	30	5	12	2,887	2,938
	1992/93	16	42	12	26	110	134	250	373	18	28	8	25	3,104	2,945
	1993/94	16	39	15	11	101	144	151	378	22	31	7	10	3,253	2,588
	1994/95	20	35	28	23	70	133	197	361	22	23	2	12	3,605	3,002
Tamils	1989/90	8	5	3	4	23	27	80	56	—	2	6	1	523	589
	1990/91	—	5	3	7	26	21	81	57	1	—	8	2	766	428
	1991/92	6	10	—	10	17	28	70	113	1	1	12	5	818	557
	1992/93	—	12	—	8	7	28	32	72	—	—	2	6	296	459
	1993/94	—	8	4	2	10	17	61	82	—	—	3	4	545	426
	1994/95	2	7	1	8	10	25	65	63	—	1	—	2	487	397
Moors	1989/90	—	5	—	2	—	18	1	20	—	1	—	—	86	344
	1990/91	—	5	—	1	1	7	4	24	—	1	—	1	249	215
	1991/92	—	3	—	2	2	7	3	22	—	—	1	—	172	265
	1992/93	—	2	—	2	2	7	5	12	—	1	—	2	202	199
	1993/94	—	3	—	1	—	7	4	23	—	—	—	—	262	234
	1994/95	—	7	1	3	—	7	4	27	—	—	—	3	262	230
Others	1989/90	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	10	10
	1990/91	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	9	12
	1991/92	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	11	6
	1992/93	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	20	18
	1993/94	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	9	12
	1994/95	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	8	6
Total	1989/90	19	62	14	36	110	246	158	363	12	26	9	18	1,920	4,475
	1990/91	24	49	13	32	95	194	227	407	18	28	18	17	3,813	3,309
	1991/92	22	47	14	46	101	189	240	464	17	31	18	17	3,888	3,766
	1992/93	16	56	12	36	119	170	287	458	18	29	10	33	3,622	3,621
	1993/94	16	50	19	14	111	168	118	485	22	31	10	14	3,969	3,160
	1994/95	22	49	30	34	81	165	267	452	22	24	2	17	4,362	2,969

A - 40 % Merit Quota B - 55 % District Quota
C - 5 % Educationally Disadvantage District Quota

Source : University Grants Commission

Note : Above statistics relate to undergraduates registered for the first year.

Above statistics do not include the students without the relevant information as follows

13 in 1989/90, 861 in 1990/91, 496 in 1991/92, 1,006 in 1993/94 and 1,229 in 1994/95.

HEALTH SERVICES 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Western Medicine (a)											
Hospitals (b)	497	497	498	502	502	504	506	504	510	535	540
Central Dispensaries	341	346	350	361	278	275	350	365	370	386	377
Doctors (c)	3,264	3,380	3,416	3,649	3,514(e)	4,135	4,598	4,853	5,404	5,310	5,855
Hospital Beds	46,005	45,019	45,406	45,721	42,079(d)	42,437(d)	48,061	48,949	50,091	52,528	52,613
Nurses	8,019	7,843	8,317	9,486	8,957(e)	9,934	11,214	11,818	13,060	13,310	13,846
Attendants	4,937	5,462	6,019	6,030	5,707(e)	5,697	5,710	5,772	5,469	5,579	5,758
In Patients Treated, '000	2,590	2,772	2,543	2,513	2,533(d)	2,629(d)	3,023	3,174	3,204	2,953	n.a.
Out Patients' Visits, '000	32,561	34,139	31,407	31,781	28,401(d)	28,575(d)	36,827	36,892	35,276	32,084	n.a.
Indigenous Medicine (Ayurvedic) (a)											
Hospitals	22	25	28	30	35	38	41	41	42	42	42
Central Dispensaries	33	41	54	68	82	90	100	106	114	114	114
Hospital Beds	1,586	1,694	1,816	1,876	2,002	2,152	2,203	2,203	2,203	2,205	2,205
Doctors	173	173	186	194	229	229	294	n.a.	n.a.	555	732
Registered Physicians	13,184	13,570	12,957	13,076	13,284	12,852	13,131	13,454	13,624	13,310	14,808
Nurses	126	125	142	103	103	103	121	121	121	121	121
Attendants	250	250	280	164	184	184	184	184	184	184	184
In Patients Treated, '000	23	19	19	18	21	19	21	22	22	21	21
Out Patients Treated, '000	1,514	1,674	1,626	1,394	1,810	1,920	2,046	2,128	2,127	2,143	2,193
Total Expenditure on Indigenous Medicine, Rs. '000	66,352	90,398	102,107	164,596	84,989	101,217	86,024	85,441	98,649	102,875	108,658
Family Planning											
New Acceptors (No.)	34,107	114,765	120,298	121,311	144,944	63,872	178,935	169,689	176,289	184,186	n.a.
Loops	12,759	10,077	12,768	10,929	12,020	15,152	24,925	24,528	26,215	27,815	n.a.
Oral Pills	39,939	31,889	34,130	31,380	31,385	38,484	48,353	48,764	44,707	43,258	n.a.
Sterilizations	53,133	33,778	22,741	19,342	30,322	40,542	42,031	38,315	37,839	33,625	n.a.
Injectables	37,803	38,858	50,590	59,487	70,911	69,252	63,170	57,406	66,297	78,982	n.a.
Norplant	45	163	69	173	296	442	456	676	1,231	506	n.a.
Govt., Expenditure on Health, Rs. Mn.	2,249	3,380	3,931	4,639	4,964	5,229	6,541	7,064	9,185	10,952	12,028
Current Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	1,841	2,401	2,427	3,381	3,685	4,110	4,518	5,711	7,666	8,818	6,260
Capital Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	408	979	1,504	1,258	1,279	1,119	2,023	1,353	1,519	2,134	2,768
Imports of Medical & Pharmaceutical Products (Govt. & Private), Rs. Mn.	780	786	911	1,086	3,270	1,755	2,441	2,490	3,292	4,233	3,869

- (a) Public Sector
(b) Includes Maternity Homes
(c) Includes A.M.P.s
(d) Excludes Northern and Eastern Provinces
(e) Excludes Northern Province
(f) Provisional

Sources : Ministry of Health
Family Health Bureau,
Ministry of Indigenous Medicines

ACTIVITIES OF HEALTH CAMPAIGNS 1988 - 1996

Item	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Sexually Transmitted Diseases									
Patients Examined, '000	20.5	21.3	18.0	21.6	22.0	11.9	16.4	11.1	13.8
Positive Cases, '000	7.7	6.9	6.9	6.1	5.1	2.9	6.7	2.5	5.5
Personnel Strength – Doctors	23	24	22	17	13	18	15	15	20
Others	163	168	383	103	63	92	90	96	92
Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	5.3	6.9	7.1	6.5	5.9	6.6	9.4	15.4	22.3
Malaria									
Patients Examined, '000	1,330.0	1,124.4	1,175.0	1,398.0	1,558.0	1,503.0	1,370.0	1,098.1	1,289.0
Positive Cases, '000	383.9	258.7	279.0	400.0	399.0	363.0	273.0	142.3	184.3
Personnel Strength – Doctors	8	5	4	3	5	7	7	8	8
Others	2,164	189	135	147	123	5,131	4,315	3,728	4,018
Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	421.3	434.6	250.0	460.0	541.0	439.2	639.8	363.4	204.6
Leprosy									
Patients Examined, '000	20.3	24.0	30.0	32.0	26.0	23.0	21.5	17.3	16.9
Positive Cases, '000	1.0	2.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.9	1.7
Personnel Strength – Doctors	5	6	6	6	5	5	5	7	10
Others	147	126	121	112	117	122	124	118	159
Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	7.2	7.6	9.1	9.6	9.6	12.0	11.8	13.2	15.0
Respiratory Diseases									
Patients Examined, '000	73.2	82.4	150.1	168.1	191.3	102.1	268.1	265.5	303.7
Positive Cases, '000	1.8	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.1	3
Personnel Strength – Doctors	50	24	29	22	28	34	39	44	45
Others	750	542	403	379	398	406	411	414	354
Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	35.2	27.9	28.0	33.6	39.2	44.2	41.9	50.6	60.5
Filariasis									
Patients Examined, '000	915.9	487.8	776.6	24.8	38.0	632.0	612.4	648.3	799.0
Positive Cases, '000	2.8	1.3	2.4	0.1	0.2	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.9
Personnel Strength – Doctors	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Others	577	613	17	17	17	17	19	18	21
Expenditure, Rs. Mn.	12.8	14.5	6.7	1.1	1.2	2.8	2.2	2.2	2.1

(a) Provisional

Sources : STD/AIDS Control Programme
Anti-Malaria Campaign,
Anti-Leprosy Campaign,
Respiratory Disease Control Program,
Anti-Filariasis Campaign.

ELECTRICITY SALES BY PROVINCE 1994 - 1995

Province & Type of Sale	Units in Gwh		Revenue, Rs. Mn.		Consumer Accounts	
	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995
Western Province						
Domestic	316.753	348.499	791.047	763.318	378,107	408,968
Religious	4.293	4.609	10.105	11.097	2,144	2,187
Industrial	580.569	643.314	2566.481	2863.566	6,432	6,728
Commercial	132.282	143.430	743.518	812.626	37,131	40,488
Street Lighting	9.157	8.834	31.118	35.335	-	-
Local Authorities	490.140	553.726	1121.430	1261.820	57	48
Total	1043.054	1148.686	4142.269	4485.942	423,814	458,371
North Central Province						
Domestic	35.823	36.102	82.448	67.185	67,608	74,833
Religious	0.973	1.143	2.229	2.582	712	795
Industrial	24.631	27.414	111.519	125.060	1,828	2,041
Commercial	26.378	23.257	148.711	132.687	9,817	10,476
Street Lighting	0.914	0.892	3.091	3.568	-	-
Total	88.719	88.809	347.998	331.081	79,965	88,145
Northern Province						
Domestic	2.306	3.020	5.422	6.554	3,153	4,190
Religious	0.073	0.085	0.177	0.210	48	58
Industrial	0.733	0.828	4.702	5.599	46	50
Commercial	2.536	3.050	14.055	17.286	939	1,088
Street Lighting	0.154	0.154	0.515	0.618	-	-
Total	5.803	7.138	24.870	30.287	4,186	5,386
Central Province						
Domestic	95.195	111.287	202.917	213.574	168,893	181,156
Religious	2.431	2.492	5.101	4.628	1,830	1,926
Industrial	123.311	127.780	561.930	591.202	1,714	1,806
Commercial	41.238	44.318	231.649	252.173	21,929	23,157
Street Lighting	1.530	1.511	5.140	6.028	-	-
Local Authorities	62.254	68.234	151.169	169.537	10	10
Total	263.705	287.388	1006.737	1067.605	194,366	208,045
North Western						
Domestic	82.249	99.244	174.342	194.500	133,468	144,615
Religious	2.146	2.352	4.359	4.653	1,848	1,946
Industrial	147.893	151.191	630.468	655.315	3,803	4,115
Commercial	29.851	33.312	169.268	191.131	20,487	21,828
Street Lighting	3.197	3.195	10.671	12.612	-	-
Total	265.336	289.294	989.108	1058.211	159,606	172,504
Eastern Province						
Domestic	46.142	51.820	104.615	97.875	74,143	82,493
Religious	1.216	1.314	2.787	2.941	975	1,056
Industrial	73.147	82.178	295.020	337.261	1,225	1,329
Commercial	20.532	20.228	116.185	116.761	9,916	10,755
Street Lighting	3.583	3.577	11.965	14.307	-	-
Total	144.620	159.116	530.572	569.145	86,259	95,633
Southern Province						
Domestic	89.465	100.003	180.014	182.104	165,541	176,791
Religious	2.357	2.459	5.305	5.565	1,491	1,524
Industrial	89.847	97.554	409.302	447.323	1,583	1,647
Commercial	31.755	33.809	180.320	190.655	18,406	19,623
Street Lighting	3.381	3.267	11.479	13.068	-	-
Local Authorities	44.816	49.128	94.343	103.355	10	10
Total	216.805	237.092	786.420	878.715	188,021	199,585
Uva Province						
Domestic	32.426	36.112	67.157	64.508	65,271	71,985
Religious	0.767	0.821	1.642	1.723	608	661
Industrial	33.859	34.178	158.803	161.206	719	786
Commercial	16.676	17.127	94.052	98.451	8,088	8,806
Street Lighting	2.162	2.162	7.213	8.646	-	-
Total	85.890	90.400	328.867	334.534	74,686	82,238
Sabaragamuwa Province						
Domestic	51.037	60.147	105.890	112.912	92,743	102,189
Religious	1.466	1.580	3.491	3.669	1,160	1,232
Industrial	142.023	152.862	605.641	658.548	1,549	1,599
Commercial	19.735	23.019	113.661	134.279	14,116	15,485
Street Lighting	0.805	0.801	2.692	3.205	-	-
Local Authorities	11.489	11.938	30.293	28.711	11	11
Total	226.555	250.347	861.668	941.324	109,579	120,516
Total	2,340.487	2,558.270	9,018.509	9,696.844	1,320,482	1,430,423

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board

POSTAL SERVICES 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Post Offices	473	487	495	508	511	515	527	534	544	557	562	573
Sub Post Offices	3,200	3,221	3,262	3,321	3,330	3,349	3,357	3,357	3,351	3,375	3,404	3,452
Agency Post Offices	—	—	—	—	—	81	98	127	147	173	182	196
Delivery Areas	6,612	6,614	6,621	6,621	6,630	6,636	6,729	6,729	6,729	6,729	6,729	6,729
Area Served by a Post Office (Sq. km.)	18	18	17	17	17	17	17	16	16	16	16	16
Population Served by a Post Office	4,305	4,321	4,335	4,306	4,406	4,398	4,450	4,374	4,336	4,365	4,393	4,339
Letters Per Inhabitant	42	37	35	32	28	29	28	25	26	27	27	27
Domestic Mail, '000												
Letters	460,498	460,404	446,098	453,789	345,239	375,812	375,221	316,779	340,650	375,293	316,008	327,711
Post Cards	43,279	41,911	40,735	33,538	25,944	28,641	27,732	26,090	22,926	23,902	16,764	17,064
Newspapers	42,466	35,650	25,587	18,668	11,074	12,797	14,446	21,524	19,150	16,557	86,336	92,757
Express	327	319	295	295	245	231	217	142	166	157	184	201
Insured	42	37	32	64	108	59	52	18	126	391	10	8
Registered	19,574	29,753	28,003	28,026	28,021	28,223	28,517	29,486	30,876	31,901	32,943	32,305
Parcels												
Parcels (Ordinary) Paid	474	342	314	339	303	297	291	257	284	269	295	297
Parcels (Ordinary) Other	281	327	305	298	258	293	295	236	297	314	309	297
Foreign Mail (Outward), '000												
Sea												
Letters	178	137	150	408	339	313	286	213	194	144	128	94
Post Cards	38	42	72	60	30	30	27	14	13	23	19	28
Newspapers & Magazines	1,139	897	351	145	53	48	42	30	32	42	49	66
Small Packets	1,162	1,337	280	180	34	31	26	20	20	8	9	28
Parcels	7	7	7	6	5	5	4	3	3	3	4	8
Air												
Letters	21,465	18,953	28,343	34,377	31,976	29,794	28,600	27,098	26,294	26,914	27,115	26,773
Post Cards	1,803	2,073	2,234	2,777	1,900	1,878	1,654	5,222	4,854	4,946	4,787	4,556
Newspapers & Magazines	3,466	3,778	1,557	829	542	463	511	667	647	653	659	1,006
Small Packets	1,691	1,052	332	430	525	515	541	296	324	446	421	318
Parcels	6	6	7	7	9	12	12	14	16	17	24	34
Foreign Mail (Inward), '000												
Sea												
Letters	336	176	184	401	341	334	306	181	177	150	142	132
Post Cards	69	69	69	58	26	25	22	12	14	26	24	33
Newspapers & Magazines	2,583	2,730	813	193	115	108	113	60	71	38	46	67
Small Packets	2,635	2,498	472	183	93	84	87	24	25	37	36	29
Parcels	28	27	25	24	25	20	15	13	12	13	12	12
Air												
Letters	22,153	20,202	28,646	37,384	35,057	33,669	32,638	28,998	30,158	27,580	27,692	27,077
Post Cards	2,557	2,224	2,399	2,316	2,038	1,962	1,739	2,723	2,827	3,110	2,954	2,169
Newspapers & Magazines	3,384	3,675	2,054	1,445	768	739	742	1,803	1,767	1,843	2,232	1,795
Small Packets	825	1,040	404	475	524	530	568	317	353	409	414	415
Parcels	45	46	41	39	32	54	40	44	38	42	40	45

(a) Provisional.

Source : Department of Posts

TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Telecom Services											
Telephones (Main Lines)	92,065	96,668	102,378	105,744	123,585	125,834	135,504	157,774	180,724	205,963	254,523
Colombo	57,824	n.a.	63,204	64,827	82,860	84,883	91,023	104,920	122,277	138,538	167,836
Outstations	34,241	n.a.	39,174	40,917	40,725	40,951	44,481	52,854	58,447	67,425	86,687
New Telephone Lines Given (Inland)	4,379	4,603	4,999	3,336	17,756	6,579	10,607	22,270	25,322	24,556	50,150
Telephone Applicants in the Waiting list	16,939	27,016	50,994	48,400	47,945	61,313	96,207	124,066	186,245	237,800	256,000
Public Telephone Call Boxes	403	422	520	560	560	259	498	673	756	850	n.a.
Subscriber Terminal Capacity of Public Switching Exchanges	136,166	140,790	140,901	171,908	158,518	159,667	179,995	207,227	240,118	271,250	n.a.
Overseas Telephone Calls (Outward)											
No. of Calls	1,055	1,222	1,547	2,251	3,801	5,102	6,388	6,500	7,200	10,623	n.a.
Minutes, '000	-	-	-	8,038	9,006	15,600	17,775	19,900	23,800	27,000	29,603
Overseas Telegraph Messages from Sri Lanka, '000	146	134	91	103	99	89	92	85	88	77	n.a.
Overseas Telegraph Messages to Sri Lanka, '000	-	-	110	108	79	69	60	54	50	41	n.a.
Overseas Telex Calls											
No. of Calls	1,838	1,941	1,905	1,565	1,515	1,519	1,393	1,100	904	1,932	1,091
Minutes, '000	-	-	-	4,777	4,472	4,346	4,231	3,300	2,625	1,478	
Telex Connections (New)	1,330	1,430	1,510	1,591	1,666	1,740	1,583	1,626	1,845	1,847	1,253
Other Private Sector											
Cellular Phones								6,242	29,182	51,316	71,228
Wireless Local Loop Telephones								-	-	-	527
Public Pay Phone Booths								-	905	1,597	2,152
Radio Paging Subscribers								-	6,302	9,565	10,721
Data Communication Subscribers								-	175	273	355

(a) Provisional

Sources : Sri Lanka Telecom Ltd.
Central Bank of Sri Lanka.

FILM INDUSTRY 1986 - 1996

Item	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Films Released	150	172	176	118	132	122	120	104	110	92	96
Sinhala	18	18	15	12	20	25	26	25	26	24	24
Tamil	20	28	23	12	18	30	25	18	23	26	28
English	112	126	138	94	77	63	66	57	56	38	36
Hindi	-	-	-	-	4	3	3	3	5	4	8
Other Films	-	-	-	-	13	1	-	1	-	-	-
Nationally Produced Films	18	18	-	-	-	38	49	57	58	45	8
Imported Films	176	153	200	96	122	80	123	50	46	84	77
England	42	29	26	11	46	-	1	-	-	-	-
U.S.A.	75	59	50	11	17	37	56	22	24	37	24
India	20	28	10	8	29	41	55	5	15	39	47
Hong-kong	27	25	16	3	12	-	4	14	2	2	2
Others	11	11	98	59	17	2	6	9	5	6	4
Cinemas	313	274	258	268	251	253	258	262	263	252	245
Seat Capacity	122,660	131,221	138,604	144,996	138,348	140,301	134,589	110,103(b)	120,638	120,231	128,210
Balcony & Boxes	14,856	13,207	16,792	16,953	16,560	16,808	17,441	15,205(b)	18,083	18,140	21,002
Reserved & O.D.C.	24,151	22,977	24,602	26,053	24,628	34,824	35,822	38,590(b)	45,142	45,594	48,487
O.D.C. & First Class	39,464	30,725	40,475	42,210	41,035	42,012	42,454	33,859(b)	36,101	36,077	38,684
Second Class	36,027	29,520	41,975	43,985	41,005	38,137	35,940	21,408(b)	19,967	19,275	19,097
Gallery	8,162	4,729	14,760	15,795	15,120	8,520	2,932	1,041(b)	1,345	1,145	940
Patrons, Mn.	-	-	-	-	-	31.1	28.5	27.5	24.2	23.4	18.8
Average Daily Attendance	102,075	102,000	-	-	-	88,075	83,623	78,035	69,363	66,176	53,188
Cinema Studios	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	4	3	3	3

(a) Provisional

(b) Information relating to 235 Cinemas.

Source : National Film Corporation of Sri Lanka.

MASS MEDIA 1985 - 1996

Item	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996(a)
Circulation of Newspapers												
Daily Newspapers, '000	114,851	115,874	119,039	114,274	101,529	95,487	140,410	141,104	151,301	192,937	165,687	149,136
Sinhala	67,753	69,267	72,116	70,105	61,586	62,296	97,520	97,609	102,346	142,739	115,990	100,820
Tamil	15,239	14,113	13,228	12,983	10,777	7,357	11,100	10,364	11,674	13,172	13,750	13,950
English	31,859	32,494	33,695	31,186	29,166	25,834	31,790	33,131	37,281	37,026	35,947	34,366
Copies per Thousand	23	23	23	22	19	18	26	26	27	35	29	26
Persons per Day, No.												
Weekly Newspapers, '000	99,477	111,645	152,690	69,146	107,302	109,945	118,107	122,720	126,540	125,526	128,088	131,914
Sinhala	81,971	90,633	133,193	54,348	86,781	89,088	96,571	99,039	101,041	99,509	101,189	106,058
Tamil	4,196	4,828	5,099	5,146	1,840	2,121	3,998	5,201	6,827	7,481	7,686	4,618
English	13,310	16,184	14,398	9,652	18,681	18,736	17,538	18,480	18,672	18,536	19,213	21,238
Copies per Thousand	121	133	179	80	123	124	132	136	138	135	136	138
Persons, No.												
Circulation per Thousand	144	156	202	102	142	142	158	162	165	170	165	164
Persons per Day, No.												
Televisions												
No. of TV Licences, '000								487	434	791	850	801
No. of TV Sets in Use, '000						849	850	950	1,000	1,400	1,500	1,600
No. of TV Channels								3	3	6	6	8
Radios												
No. of Radio Licences, '000									860	1,340	1,420	1,260
No. of Radio Services									18	18	18	18

(a) Provisional.

Sources : Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd.
Express Newspapers (Ceylon) Ltd.
Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation.
Sri Lanka Rupavahini Corporation.
Sumathi Publications.
Upali Newspapers Ltd.
Wijeya Publications Ltd.

PRISONS AND PRISONERS 1984 - 1995

Item	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995(a)
Admission of Youthful Offenders to Training Schools	83	69	129	78	45	31	56	27	39	71	83	46
Youthful Offenders in Training School (Daily Average)	219	200	203	236	224	177	154	108	106	108	136	162
Admission to Prisons by Offence												
Murder	102	107	156	216	41	141	214	165	182	240	236	213
Attempted Murder	63	39	43	71	81	38	66	61	59	66	81	98
Culpable Homicide and Attempted Culpable Homicide	77	57	56	104	31	63	124	171	139	146	120	144
Kidnapping	5	2	4	2	—	1	6	2	1	12	14	7
Rape	48	31	38	42	9	39	98	35	121	87	79	78
Simple & Grievous Hurt	200	227	245	253	75	232	345	240	480	361	366	371
Criminal Force & Intimidation	26	21	9	9	9	6	8	38	22	26	44	30
Unlawful Intercourse & Attempt	99	136	232	233	1	7	22	85	126	110	233	94
Attempt Suicide & Abetment of Suicide	13	9	4	10	3	—	1	1	14	4	3	8
Burglary & Robbery	399	402	235	174	145	124	217	391	361	331	328	301
Trespass, House Breaking & Possession of House Breaking Tools	174	133	183	252	86	111	116	212	429	230	227	258
Extortion & Looting	255	305	196	211	89	178	311	266	373	374	319	344
Cheating & Criminal Breach of Trust	195	234	285	283	64	135	217	215	225	227	221	203
Theft	1,542	1,354	1,195	1,630	486	853	1,080	1,140	1,545	1,466	1,384	1,376
Other Offences	9,785	10,212	11,736	9,865	7,179	6,086	11,303	15,997	14,174	14,964	12,586	12,368
Total	12,983	13,269	14,617	13,355	8,299	8,014	14,128	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893
Admissions to Prisons by Length of Sentence												
Under one Month	2,328	2,181	2,051	1,961	1,431	1,070	1,559	1,850	2,229	2,031	1,906	1,906
One Month to Six Months	5,631	6,165	7,843	6,208	4,277	3,547	5,244	5,843	7,240	6,744	5,944	5,653
Seven Month to One Year	2,077	1,900	2,236	2,577	1,891	1,940	4,636	7,727	5,651	6,733	5,496	5,461
One Year to Two Years	1,353	1,796	1,478	1,662	441	791	1,441	1,994	1,976	2,017	1,708	1,717
Three Years to Five Years	1,315	829	765	682	187	483	955	1,297	925	829	868	828
Six Years to ten Years	117	257	119	98	48	106	151	177	121	121	142	192
Over Ten Years	162	141	125	167	24	77	142	131	109	169	177	136
Total	12,983	13,269	14,617	13,355	8,299	8,014	14,128	19,019	18,251	18,644	16,241	15,893
Death Sentences												
Sentenced to Death	60	81	50	79	41	48	102	82	71	120	112	66
Death Sentences Commuted to Imprisonment	16	3	2	5	6	13	—	8	41	41	86	55
Awaiting Execution or Final Decision for Commutation or Execution	58	21	34	76	39	43	96	74	66	76	26	11
Total	134	105	86	160	86	104	198	164	178	237	224	132
Admission Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	83	84	91	82	50	48	83	110	105	106	91	88

(a) Provisional

Source : Prison Department

ADMISSION TO PRISONS BY DISTRICT 1992 - 1995

District	1992			1993			1994			1995(a)		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Colombo	7,317	247	7,564	8,179	133	8,312	6,503	107	6,610	6,309	70	6,379
Gampaha	1,564	103	1,667	1,477	106	1,583	1,267	95	1,362	1,133	56	1,189
Kalutara	1,119	45	1,164	1,242	29	1,271	989	28	1,017	1,168	17	1,185
Kandy	1,128	92	1,220	1,076	81	1,157	1,126	76	1,202	95	69	164
Matale	338	15	353	453	38	491	459	35	494	21	19	40
Nuwara Eliya	97	2	99	97	6	103	103	7	110	1,027	6	1,033
Galle	674	26	700	872	80	952	852	86	938	1,160	39	1,199
Matara	303	9	312	508	65	573	305	48	353	393	38	431
Hambantota	206	3	209	71	7	78	333	5	338	315	6	321
Jaffna	29	7	36	6	1	7	11	5	16	9	3	12
Mannar	22	2	24	9	3	12	9	1	10	14	1	15
Vavuniya	22	1	23	19	3	22	32	2	34	55	8	63
Mullativu	15	-	15	3	-	3	5	-	5	3	6	9
Killinochchi	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	4	7	11
Batticaloa	70	17	87	38	2	40	98	10	108	2	10	12
Ampara	78	4	82	69	3	72	116	4	120	133	1	134
Trincomalee	128	25	153	176	16	192	260	25	285	318	32	350
Kurunegala	1,388	52	1,440	923	29	952	858	32	890	887	39	926
Puttalam	197	34	231	163	25	188	170	25	195	188	10	198
Anuradhapura	488	18	506	455	45	500	422	42	464	565	28	593
Polonnaruwa	475	12	487	436	21	457	405	12	417	612	22	634
Badulla	415	18	433	443	27	470	391	19	410	207	7	214
Monaragala	540	14	554	363	22	385	272	22	294	217	3	220
Ratnapura	353	35	388	444	22	466	357	23	380	302	12	314
Kegalle	478	24	502	343	14	357	185	4	189	233	14	247
Total	17,446	805	18,251	17,865	779	18,644	15,528	713	16,241	15,370	523	15,893

(a) Provisional

Source : Prison Department

CONVICTED PRISONERS 1991 - 1995

Item	1991			1992			1993			1994			1995(a)		
	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
Prisoners by Age Groups															
Under 16 years	32	-	32	17	1	18	23	2	25	38	-	38	30	-	30
16 to 40 years	15,459	712	16,162	14,642	566	15,258	15,448	573	16,021	13,193	523	13,716	13,021	359	13,380
41 to 60 years	2,296	248	2,544	2,482	194	2,676	2,165	187	2,352	2,061	168	2,229	2,084	156	2,240
Above 60 years	230	51	281	305	44	349	229	17	246	236	22	258	235	8	243
Prisoners by Educational Status															
No Schooling	1,601	218	1,819	924	269	1,193	1,330	318	1,321	861	270	1,131	1,479	173	1,652
Grade 1-5	1,764	294	2,058	2,626	227	2,853	2,149	232	2,381	6,213	355	6,568	5,657	238	5,895
Passed Grade 8	7,922	191	8,113	8,120	114	8,234	7,956	60	8,016	7,869	70	7,939	7,443	82	7,525
Passed GCE (O / L)	709	95	804	371	26	397	408	3	411	465	17	482	673	25	698
Passed GCE (A / L)	135	13	148	96	5	101	82	1	83	110	1	111	109	4	113
Graduates	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	9	1	10
Other	7	7	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prisoners by Marital Status															
Never Married	9,234	263	9,497	7,516	240	7,756	9,140	488	9,628	6,903	209	7,112	6,648	125	6,773
Married	8,394	592	8,986	9,585	463	10,048	8,414	218	8,632	8,271	385	8,656	8,186	283	8,469
Widowed	139	80	219	121	35	156	104	22	126	115	74	189	204	62	266
Divorced	145	29	174	138	27	165	128	12	140	136	32	168	225	36	261
Legally Separated	96	47	143	86	40	126	79	39	118	103	13	116	107	17	124
Prisoners by Race															
Sinhalese	-	-	13,061	-	-	13,282	-	-	13,761	11,596	553	12,149	11,178	384	11,562
Tamil	-	-	2,790	-	-	2,402	-	-	2,304	1,869	125	2,021	1,956	82	2,038
Moor	-	-	3,055	-	-	2,443	-	-	2,462	1,954	23	1,977	2,058	26	2,084
Malay	-	-	89	-	-	80	-	-	90	66	6	72	87	5	92
Burgher	-	-	14	-	-	34	-	-	17	7	6	13	71	24	95
Other	-	-	10	-	-	10	-	-	10	9	-	9	20	2	22
Prisoners by Religion															
Buddhist	-	-	12,060	-	-	12,209	-	-	12,707	10,565	450	11,015	10,272	317	10,589
Hindu	-	-	1,757	-	-	1,879	-	-	1,662	1,381	68	1,449	1,333	70	1,403
Muslim	-	-	3,604	-	-	2,783	-	-	2,939	2,006	43	2,049	2,131	23	2,154
Roman Catholic	-	-	1,130	-	-	970	-	-	870	1,020	147	1,167	1,206	109	1,315
Other Christians	-	-	414	-	-	402	-	-	450	548	5	553	421	3	424
Others	-	-	54	-	-	8	-	-	16	8	-	8	7	1	8
Total Convicted Prisoners	-	-	19,019	-	-	18,251	-	-	18,644	15,528	713	16,241	15,370	523	15,893

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M - Male

F - Female

Source : Prison Department