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## COUNTRY PROFILE – 2018<sup>(a)</sup>

**Population (Mid-Year) ('000) – 2018<sup>(a)</sup>** **21,670**

**Land Area (Excluding Inland Waters)** **Sq. km. 62,705**

### Population and Land Area by Provinces – 2018

Province	Population <sup>(b)</sup> '000	Land Area (Sq. km.)	Population Density <sup>(c)</sup>
Western	6,129	3,593	1,706
Central	2,750	5,575	493
Southern	2,637	5,383	490
Northern	1,131	8,290	136
Eastern	1,710	9,361	183
North Western	2,536	7,506	338
North Central	1,366	9,741	140
Uva	1,364	8,335	164
Sabaragamuwa	2,047	4,921	416
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,670</b>	<b>62,705</b>	<b>346</b>

### Composition of Population (2012 Census)

By Ethnicity		By Religion	
	%		%
Sinhalese	74.9	Buddhist	70.1
Sri Lankan Tamil	11.2	Hindu	12.6
Indian Tamil	4.1	Islam	9.7
Sri Lankan Moor	9.3	Christian &	
Other	0.5	Roman Catholic	7.6
<b>By Sector % (2012 Census)</b>		Other	0.0
Urban	18.2	Rural	77.4
		Estate	4.4

**Mid-Year Population Growth Rate (2018), % :** **1.1**

GDP at Market Prices<sup>(a)(d)</sup> : Rs.bn. 14,450    US\$ bn 88.9

GDP Per Capita at Market Prices<sup>(a)(d)</sup> : Rs. 666,817    US\$ 4,102

**Real GDP Growth Rate<sup>(a)(d)</sup>, %** **3.2**

### Sectoral Composition of GDP<sup>(a)(d)</sup>, %

Agriculture	7.0
Industry	26.1
Services	57.7
Taxes less subsidies on products	9.2

	Rs. bn.	% of GDP
Exports of Goods and Services <sup>(a)</sup>	3,292	22.8
Imports of Goods and Services <sup>(a)</sup>	4,354	30.1
Budget Deficit	-760.8	-5.3
Money Stock M <sub>2b</sub>	7,128.3	46.9 (e)

Unemployment Rate (2018), % of Labour Force : 4.4

Inflation (2018) : Change of CCPI (2013=100) (Annual Avg.), % : 4.3

Change of NCPI (2013=100) (Annual Avg.), % : 2.1

Life Expectancy (2017) : (Avg.) yrs. 75.5

Literacy Rate (Aged 10 Years and above) (2017), % : 92.6

Human Development Index (2017) : 0.770 (Min. : 0.0 ; Max. : 1.0)

**Temperature (2018) : °C (°F)**

	Minimum	Maximum
Low Country	24.1 (75.4)	27.1 (80.8)
Hill Country	18.1 (64.6)	31.8 (89.2)

(a) Provisional

(b) Based on the Census of Population and Housing – 2012.

(c) Persons per sq. km.

(d) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010).

(e) M<sub>2b</sub> (12 month average) as a % of GDP at market price.

## KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Population, '000 (Mid-Year)</b>	20,778 <sup>(a)</sup>	20,966 <sup>(a)</sup>	21,203 <sup>(a)</sup>	21,444 <sup>(a)</sup>	21,670
Annual Population Growth, %	0.9 <sup>(a)</sup>	0.9 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.1
Density of Population, Persons per sq. km.	331	334	338	342	346
Labour Force Participation Rate, (% of Household Population) <sup>(b)</sup>	53.2	53.8	53.8	54.1	51.8
Unemployment Rate, (% of Labour Force) <sup>(b)</sup>	4.3	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4
<b>National Accounts<sup>(c)</sup></b>					
GNI (Market Prices), Rs. bn.	10,125	10,676	11,676 <sup>(d)</sup>	13,065 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	14,058
Per Capita GNI (Market Prices), Rs.	487,462	509,200	550,697 <sup>(d)</sup>	609,281 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	648,731
	US\$	3,734	3,746	3,782 <sup>(d)</sup>	3,996 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>
GDP (Market Prices), Rs. bn.	10,361	10,951	11,996 <sup>(d)</sup>	13,418 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	14,450
Real GDP Growth Rate, %	5.0	5.0	4.5 <sup>(d)</sup>	3.4 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	3.2
<b>Investment and Savings<sup>(c)</sup>, % of GDP</b>					
Investment	32.3	31.2	27.9 <sup>(d)</sup>	28.8 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	28.6
Domestic Savings	24.2	23.6	20.6 <sup>(d)</sup>	21.7 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	21.2
National Savings	29.8	28.8	25.7 <sup>(d)</sup>	26.2 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	25.4
<b>Price Changes, %</b>					
National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	-	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1
Colombo Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	-	2.2	4.0	6.6	4.3
Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	3.3	0.9	3.7	-	-
Wholesale Price Index (Annual Avg.)	3.2	1.0	4.2	7.4	3.4
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100) (Annual Avg.)	-	3.6	1.7	17.0	6.3
Implicit GNI Deflator <sup>(c)</sup>	2.9	0.6	4.9 <sup>(d)</sup>	8.2 <sup>(a)(d)</sup>	4.3

(a) Provisional

(c) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010).

Sources : Registrar General's Department

(b) Household Population aged 15 years and above and data covers the entire island.

(d) Revised

Department of Census and Statistics

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

Compilation of Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07=100) was discontinued since January 2017.





## KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Indicator	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Monetary Aggregates</b>					
Reserve Money, Rs.bn.	577.9	673.4	856.1	939.8	961.1
Narrow Money M <sub>1</sub> , Rs.bn.	612.2	715.0	776.6	793.3	830.8
Change of M <sub>1</sub> , %	26.3	16.8	8.6	2.1	4.7
Broad Money M <sub>2b</sub> , Rs.bn.	3,875.9	4,565.9	5,405.6	6,308.1	7,128.3
Change of M <sub>2b</sub> , %	13.4	17.8	18.4	16.7	13.0
Money Multiplier for M <sub>2b</sub>	6.71	6.78	6.31	6.71	7.42
<b>Interest Rates (Year End), %</b>					
Treasury Bill Primary Yield – 3 Months	5.74	6.45	8.72	7.69	10.01
Standing Deposit Facility Rate <sup>(b)</sup>	6.50	6.00	7.00	7.25	8.00
Standing Lending Facility Rate <sup>(b)</sup>	8.00	7.50	8.50	8.75	9.00
Treasury Bonds – Two Year	–	6.70	11.04	9.83	–
Average Weighted Prime Lending Rate (Monthly)	6.35	7.40	11.73	11.33	11.94
AWCMR (End Year)	6.21	6.40	8.42	8.15	8.95
NSB Savings	5.00	5.00	4.25	4.00	4.00
<b>Financial Institutions – Assets, Rs.bn.</b>					
Central Bank	1,464.3	1,426.3	1,529.2	1,604.8	1,917.4
Commercial Bank <sup>(c)</sup>	4,855.9	5,698.5	6,682.6	7,824.8	9,045.7
Finance Companies	782.7	984.0	1,177.8	1,304.0	1,474.5
Unit Trusts (Net Assets)	125.9	129.4	103.1	127.6	64.2
<b>Share Market</b>					
Market Capitalization, Rs.bn. (Year End)	3,104.9	2,938.0	2,745.4	2,899.3	2,839.5
All Share Price Index (Year End)	7,299.0	6,894.5	6,228.3	6,369.3	6,052.4

(a) Provisional

(b) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) respectively, with effect from 02nd January 2014.

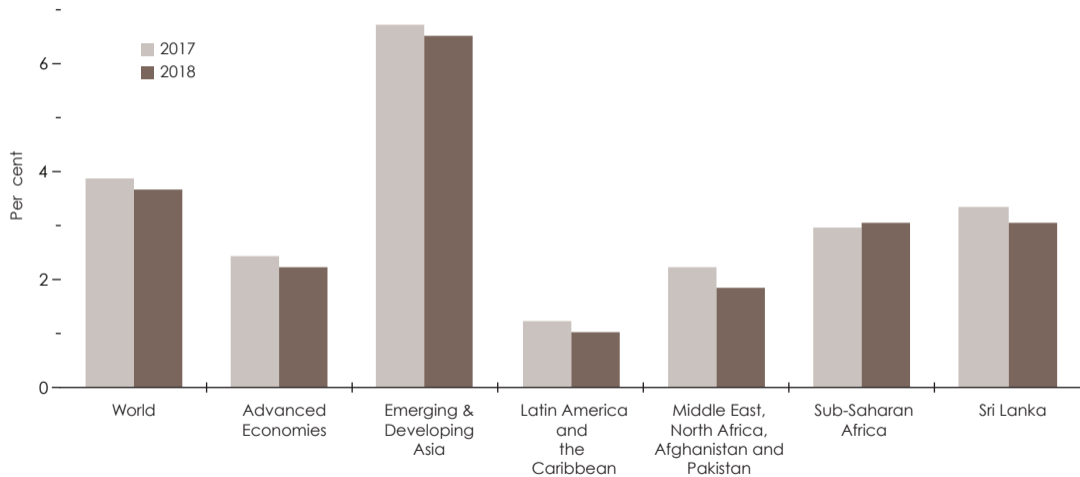
(c) Includes only assets of the Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of commercial banks.

## GDP – WORLD COMPARISON

Region / Country	Real GDP Growth, %					
	Average 2000–2010	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>World</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Advanced Economies</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>
USA	1.7	2.5	2.9	1.6	2.2	2.9
Japan	0.6	0.4	1.2	0.6	1.9	0.8
Germany	0.9	2.2	1.5	2.2	2.5	1.5
<b>Emerging and Developing Europe</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Emerging and Developing Economies</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>
<b>Emerging and Developing Asia</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.4</b>
China	10.5	7.3	6.9	6.7	6.8	6.6
Indonesia	5.4	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2
India	7.5	7.4	8.0	8.2	7.2	7.1
Sri Lanka	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.5	3.3	3.0
<b>Latin America and the Caribbean</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<b>Middle East, North Africa, Afghanistan and Pakistan</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.8</b>
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>3.0</b>

Sources : World Economic Outlook, April 2019, IMF  
Department of Census and Statistics

## World GDP Growth by Regions



## DEMOGRAPHY : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Mid-Year Population, Mn.	2000	19.1	21.0	129.3	0.6	1,019.0	0.3	21.0	140.0
	2005	19.6	23.6	138.6	0.6	1,106.0	0.3	25.3	156.0
	2010	20.7	26.0	148.6	0.7	1,186.0	0.4	26.3	173.5
	2017	21.7 <sup>(a)</sup>	29.7	162.7	0.7	1,316.0	0.5	28.7	207.8
Population Growth, %	2010	1.0	2.0	1.3	1.8	1.4	2.3	1.4	2.1
	2017	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.3	1.3	4.3	1.4	2.4
Density of Population [Persons per sq. km.]	2017	346 <sup>(a)</sup>	54	1,265	21	450	1,454	204	256
Population by Age Groups, %									
0 – 14 Years	2017	25.2 <sup>(a)</sup>	43.2	28.4	26.5	27.8	23.4	30.9	34.8
15 – 64 Years	2017	66.9 <sup>(a)</sup>	54.2	66.5	68.6	66.2	72.5	63.3	60.7
65 Years and above	2017	7.8 <sup>(a)</sup>	2.6	5.1	4.9	6.0	4.1	5.8	4.5
Urban Population, %	2017	19.4	24.0	35.9	37.8	33.6	39.4	20.1	36.4
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	2016	15.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	33.2	19.0	18.2	19.0	18.3	19.7	28.2
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	2016	6.4 <sup>(a)</sup>	6.7	5.3	6.0	7.3	3.3	6.3	7.3
Total Fertility Rate, Births per Woman	2016	2.0	4.6	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.1	3.5
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	2016	8	53	28	27	35	7	28	64
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	2015	30	396	176	148	174	68	258	178
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	2016	75.3	63.7	72.5	70.2	68.6	77.3	70.3	66.5

(a) 2018

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Human Development Report 2018, UNDP  
World Development Indicators 2019  
(World Bank – Updated 24/04/2019)

Department of Census and Statistics  
Registrar General's Department

## DEMOGRAPHY : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Mid-Year Population, Mn.	2000	206.3	23.5	76.8	47.0	4.0	62.2
	2005	219.9	26.0	84.7	48.2	4.3	64.1
	2010	238.5	28.6	93.1	49.6	5.1	65.9
	2017	261.9	32.0	104.9	51.4	5.6	67.7
Population Growth, %	2010	2.7	1.8	2.3	0.5	1.8	0.6
	2017	1.2	1.3	1.6	0.4	0.1	0.4
Density of Population [Persons per sq. km.]	2017	146	96	352	528	7,916	135
Population By Age Groups, %							
0 – 14 Years	2017	27.4	24.3	31.7	13.5	15.0	17.3
15 – 64 Years	2017	67.3	69.4	63.5	72.6	72.1	71.3
65 Years and above	2017	5.3	6.3	4.8	13.9	12.9	11.4
Urban Population, %	2017	54.7	75.5	46.7	82.7	100.0	49.2
Crude Birth Rate, per 1,000	2016	19.0	17.1	23.2	7.9	9.4	10.3
Crude Death Rate, per 1,000	2016	7.1	4.9	6.5	5.5	4.8	7.9
Total Fertility Rate, Births per Woman	2016	2.4	2.0	2.9	1.2	1.2	1.5
Infant Mortality Rate [per 1,000 Live Births]	2016	22	7	22	3	2	11
Maternal Mortality Rate [per 100,000 Live Births]	2015	126	40	114	11	10	20
Expectation of Life at Birth, Years	2016	69.2	75.3	69.1	82.0	82.8	75.3

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Human Development Report 2018, UNDP  
World Development Indicators 2019  
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## NATIONAL ACCOUNTS : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka <sup>(a)</sup>	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Gross Domestic Product (GDP) <sup>(b)</sup> , Mn. US \$	2014	79,359	21,331	173,062	1,959	2,042,939	3,697	20,138	248,949
	2015	80,556	20,607	194,446	2,059	2,145,537	4,007	20,801	267,035
	2016	82,390 <sup>(c)</sup>	20,234	220,316	2,213	2,270,056	4,224	20,929	277,521
	2017	88,013 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	21,517	245,633	n.a.	2,575,667	n.a.	24,870	303,092
GDP Per Capita <sup>(b)</sup> , US \$	2014	3,821	759	1,104	2,629	1,612	8,450	730	1,324
	2015	3,842	721	1,224	2,720	1,672	8,317	744	1,393
	2016	3,886 <sup>(c)</sup>	693	1,370	2,879	1,748	8,963	739	1,420
	2017	4,104 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	724	1,510	n.a.	1,957	n.a.	866	1,459
GDP Per Capita at PPP, US \$	2017	12,835	1,972	3,869	9,372	7,059	16,653	2,697	5,527
Real GDP Growth, %	2015	5.0	1.5	6.6	6.6	8.2	2.9	3.3	4.7
	2016	4.5 <sup>(c)</sup>	2.3	7.1	8.0	7.1	7.3	0.6	5.5
	2017	3.4 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	2.7	7.3	4.6	6.7	6.9	7.9	5.7
Sectoral Composition of GDP <sup>(b)(e)</sup> , %									
Agriculture	2017	7.8 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	24.8 <sup>(f)</sup>	14.2 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	17.1 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	29.4 <sup>(f)</sup>	24.4 <sup>(f)</sup>
Industry	2017	27.3 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	22.0 <sup>(f)</sup>	29.3 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	29.1 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	14.6 <sup>(f)</sup>	19.1 <sup>(f)</sup>
Services	2017	55.7 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	53.2 <sup>(f)</sup>	56.5 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	53.9 <sup>(f)</sup>	n.a.	56.0 <sup>(f)</sup>	56.5 <sup>(f)</sup>
Consumption, Investment and Savings <sup>(b)</sup> , % of GDP									
Private Consumption	2017	69.9 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	76.0	68.7	n.a.	59.1	n.a.	78.0	82.0
Government Consumption	2017	8.4 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	11.5	6.0	n.a.	11.4	n.a.	11.7	11.3
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	2017	28.8 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	18.2	30.5	n.a.	30.6	n.a.	42.5	16.1
Gross Domestic Savings	2017	21.7 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	12.1	25.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	10.3	6.8
Gross National Savings	2017	26.2 <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	21.2	29.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	43.8	19.4

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

(b) Estimates at current market prices.

(c) Revised.

(d) Provisional.

n.a. – Not available

(e) For Sri Lanka, excluding taxes less subsidies on products (GDP = the sum of the gross value added at basic prices, plus all taxes on products, less all subsidies on products).

(f) Estimates at current basic prices.

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
World Development Indicators 2019  
(World Bank – Updated 24/04/2019)  
Department of Census and Statistics

## NATIONAL ACCOUNTS : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Gross Domestic Product (GDP) <sup>(a)</sup> , Mn.US\$	2014	890,815	338,066	284,585	1,411,334	311,552	407,339
	2015	861,256	296,434	292,774	1,382,764	304,091	401,399
	2016	932,259	296,536	304,889	1,414,804	309,753	411,755
	2017	1,015,539	314,497	313,595	1,530,751	323,900	455,303
GDP Per Capita <sup>(a)</sup> , US\$	2014	3,533	11,012	2,849	27,811	56,960	6,079
	2015	3,371	9,501	2,883	27,105	54,940	5,970
	2016	3,604	9,384	2,953	27,608	55,241	6,104
	2017	3,878	9,828	2,989	29,754	57,713	6,725
GDP Per Capita at PPP, US\$	2017	12,284	29,449	8,343	38,335	93,905	17,872
Growth Rate of Real GDP, %	2015	4.9	5.1	6.1	2.8	2.2	3.0
	2016	5.0	4.2	6.9	2.9	2.4	3.3
	2017	5.1	5.9	6.7	3.1	3.6	3.9
Sectoral Composition of GDP <sup>(a)</sup> , %							
Agriculture	2017	13.7 <sup>(b)</sup>	8.9 <sup>(c)</sup>	9.7	2.2 <sup>(b)</sup>	0.0	8.7
Industry	2017	41.0 <sup>(b)</sup>	39.4 <sup>(c)</sup>	30.5	39.6 <sup>(b)</sup>	24.8	35.1
Services	2017	45.4 <sup>(b)</sup>	51.7 <sup>(c)</sup>	59.9	58.3 <sup>(b)</sup>	75.2	56.3
Expenditure and Savings <sup>(a)</sup> , % of GDP							
Private Consumption	2017	56.1	55.4	73.5	45.8	35.6	47.8
Government Consumption	2017	9.1	12.2	11.3	15.3	10.9	16.4
Gross Capital Formation	2017	33.4	25.5	25.1	31.1	27.6	22.8
Domestic Savings	2017	33.6	32.5	15.2	36.6	51.9	37.4
National Savings	2017	n.a.	28.4	n.a.	36.1	46.5	34.7

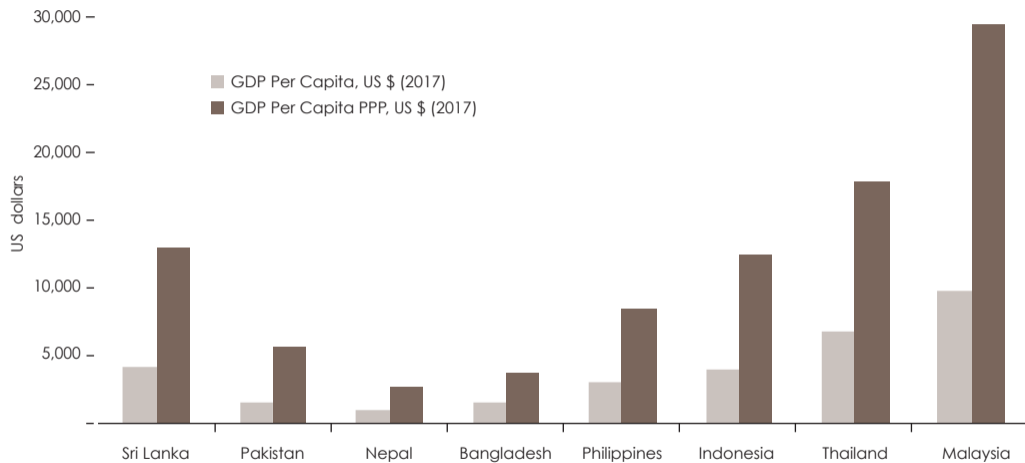
(a) Estimates at current market prices.

(b) Estimates at current basis prices.

(c) Estimates at current producers' prices.

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
World Development Indicators 2019  
(World Bank – Updated 24/04/2019)

## Per Capita Income (Selected Asian Countries)





## SOCIAL INDICATORS : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Human Development Index <sup>(a)</sup> (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	2017	0.770	0.498	0.608	0.612	0.640	0.717	0.574	0.562
Literacy Rate, % :									
– Male	2015	93.6 <sup>(b)</sup>	51.5	75.6 <sup>(c)</sup>	71.1	80.9	99.8	75.8	69.6
– Female		91.7 <sup>(b)</sup>	23.9	69.9 <sup>(c)</sup>	55.1	63.0	98.9	54.8	42.7
Labour Force Participation Rate, %									
– Male	2017	73.0 <sup>(d)(e)</sup>	86.7	79.8	74.3	78.8	82.1	85.9	82.7
– Female		33.6 <sup>(d)(e)</sup>	19.5	33.0	58.0	27.2	42.9	82.7	24.9
Unemployment Rate, %	2017	4.4 <sup>(d)(e)</sup>	n.a.	4.4	2.5 <sup>(f)</sup>	2.7 <sup>(g)</sup>	11.7 <sup>(h)</sup>	3.0 <sup>(i)</sup>	3.6 <sup>(f)</sup>
Employment (% of total employment)									
– Agriculture	2017	25.5 <sup>(d)</sup>	39.5 <sup>(c)</sup>	40.6	43.9	53.2 <sup>(j)</sup>	10.4	64.0 <sup>(k)</sup>	42.3 <sup>(f)</sup>
– Industry	2017	27.9 <sup>(d)</sup>	14.8 <sup>(c)</sup>	20.4	19.9	21.5 <sup>(j)</sup>	18.8	9.5 <sup>(k)</sup>	23.6 <sup>(f)</sup>
– Services	2017	46.6 <sup>(d)</sup>	45.7 <sup>(c)</sup>	38.9	36.2	25.3 <sup>(j)</sup>	70.8	25.7 <sup>(k)</sup>	34.2 <sup>(f)</sup>
Population below the Income Poverty Line <sup>(l)</sup> , %	2006–2017	n.a.	35.8	24.3	12.0	21.9	15.7	25.2	29.5
Physicians, per 10,000 population	2015	9.7 <sup>(d)</sup>	3.0 <sup>(c)</sup>	4.7	3.8 <sup>(c)</sup>	7.6 <sup>(c)</sup>	36.1	6.0 <sup>(i)</sup>	9.8
Hospital Beds, per 10,000 people	2015	35.0 <sup>(d)</sup>	5.0	8.0	17.0 <sup>(g)</sup>	7.0 <sup>(k)</sup>	43.0 <sup>(j)</sup>	3.0 <sup>(g)</sup>	6.0 <sup>(i)</sup>
Internet Subscriptions, per 100 people	2016	34 <sup>(d)</sup>	11	18	42	30	59	20	16
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Main Lines)	2016	115 <sup>(d)</sup>	3	5	26	18	49	30	16
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Mobile Phones)	2016	1,501 <sup>(d)</sup>	623	834	875	852	1,899	1,108	706

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

(b) 2017 (c) 2016 (d) 2018

(e) In July 2016, DCS published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

(f) 2015 (g) 2012 (h) 2010 (i) 2014 (j) 2009 (k) 2011

(l) National Poverty Line (Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified)

n.a. – Not available

Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Human Development Report 2018, UNDP  
Department of Census and Statistics  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SOCIAL INDICATORS : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Human Development Index <sup>(a)</sup> (Max.: 1.000 ; Min.: 0.000)	2017	0.694	0.802	0.699	0.903	0.932	0.755
Literacy Rate, % :							
– Male	2015	97.2	96.2	96.2	98.3 <sup>(b)</sup>	98.7 <sup>(c)</sup>	94.7
– Female		98.6	93.1	97.0	97.6 <sup>(b)</sup>	95.4 <sup>(c)</sup>	91.2
Labour Force Participation Rate, %							
– Male	2017	81.8	77.4	75.1	73.2	76.8	77.3
– Female		50.7	50.8	49.6	52.2	60.5	60.5
Unemployment Rate, %	2017	4.1 <sup>(c)</sup>	3.4	2.6	3.7	1.9	0.7 <sup>(c)</sup>
Employment (% of total employment)							
– Agriculture	2017	29.7	11.3	25.4	4.8	0.1	31.5
– Industry	2017	22.3	27.7	18.3	25.3	15.8	22.8
– Services	2017	48.1	61.0	56.3	69.9	84.1	45.7
Population below the Income Poverty Line <sup>(d)</sup> , %	2016–2017	10.6	n.a.	21.6	n.a.	n.a.	10.5
Physicians, per 10,000 population	2015	2.0 <sup>(e)</sup>	15.3	n.a.	22.3 <sup>(c)</sup>	22.8 <sup>(c)</sup>	4.7
Hospital Beds, per 10,000 people	2015	12.0	19.0	5.0 <sup>(f)</sup>	115.0	24.0	21.0 <sup>(f)</sup>
Internet Subscriptions, per 100 people	2016	25	79	56	93	81	48
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Main Lines)	2016	41	155	37	552	355	68
Telephones, per 1,000 people (Mobile Phones)	2016	1,477	1,408	1,094	1,207	1,505	1,738

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

(b) 2008 (c) 2016

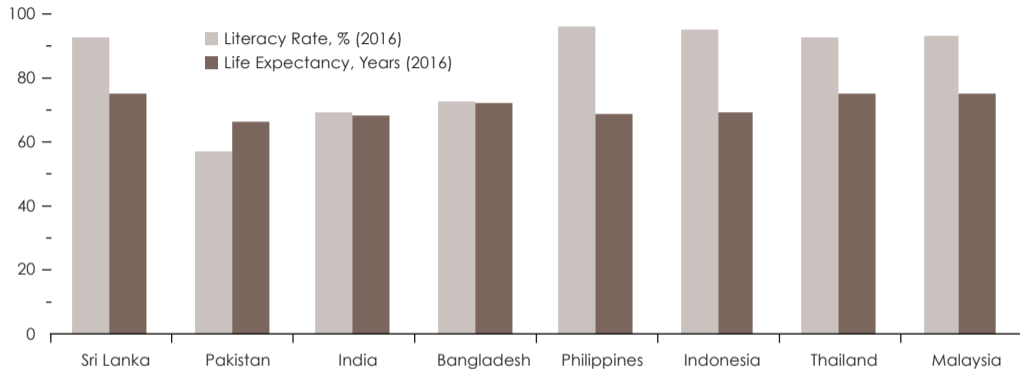
(d) National Poverty Line (Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified).

(e) 2012 (f) 2010

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Sources : Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Human Development Report 2018, UNDP

### Social Indicators (Selected Asian Countries)



	<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>Pakistan</b>	<b>India</b>	<b>Bangladesh</b>	<b>Philippines</b>	<b>Indonesia</b>	<b>Thailand</b>	<b>Malaysia</b>
Literacy Rate, % (2016)	93.1	57.0	69.3	72.8	96.4	95.4	92.9	93.3
Life Expectancy, Years (2016)	75.3	66.5	68.6	72.5	69.1	69.2	75.3	75.3

## INFLATION<sup>(a)</sup> : SELECTED COUNTRIES

Percentage

Country	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>SAARC Countries</b>						
Sri Lanka <sup>(b)</sup>	6.9	3.3	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1
Afghanistan	7.4	4.7	-0.7	4.4	5.0	3.0
Bangladesh	7.5	7.0	6.2	5.7	5.6	6.0
Bhutan	11.3	9.5	7.6	7.6	5.8	4.6
India	9.4	5.8	4.9	4.5	3.6	4.7
Maldives	3.8	2.1	1.9	0.8	2.3	1.7
Nepal	9.9	9.0	7.2	9.9	4.5	4.2
Pakistan	7.4	8.6	4.5	2.9	4.1	3.9
<b>East Asian Countries (Selected)</b>						
Indonesia	6.4	6.4	6.4	3.5	3.8	3.4
Malaysia	2.1	3.1	2.1	2.1	3.8	1.0
Philippines	2.6	3.6	0.7	1.3	2.9	4.9
Republic of Korea	1.3	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.9	1.5
Singapore	2.4	1.0	-0.5	-0.5	0.6	1.0
Thailand	2.2	1.9	-0.9	0.2	0.7	0.9
<b>Industrial Countries (Selected)</b>						
Japan	0.3	2.8	0.8	-0.1	0.5	1.2
United Kingdom	2.6	1.5	0.0	0.7	2.7	2.5
United States	1.5	1.6	0.1	1.3	2.1	2.4

(a) Percentage change in annual average of Consumer Price Index.

(b) 2013 and 2014 – Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100)  
2015 onwards – National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100)

Sources : World Economic Outlook, April 2018, IMF  
Department of Census and Statistics

## EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Exports, Mn. US \$	2017	11,360 <sup>(a)</sup>	723	32,547	577	305,504	n.a.	709	19,644
Exports Per Capita, US \$	2017	531	20	200	794	232	n.a.	25	95
Imports, Mn. US \$	2017	20,980 <sup>(a)</sup>	7,065	41,608	1,064	463,677	n.a.	9,613	50,380
Imports Per Capita, US \$	2017	980	220	256	1,464	352	n.a.	335	242
Export / Import Ratio	2017	0.54	0.09	0.78	0.54	0.66	n.a.	0.07	0.39
Balance of Trade <sup>(b)</sup> , Mn. US \$	2017	-9,619.8 <sup>(a)</sup>	-5,938.0	-9,061.3	-487.3	158,173.5	n.a.	-8,903.5	-30,735.2
Current Account Balance, Mn. US \$	2017	-2,309.0 <sup>(a)</sup>	-4,683.1	-6,364.8	-546.1	-39,072.6	-876.4	-815.3	-15,818.0
Total Reserves Minus Gold, Mn. US \$	2017	7,031	7,186	32,849	1,206	389,350	597	n.a.	15,765
External Debt, Mn. US \$	2016	46,418	2,404	41,126	2,348	456,140	1,155	4,251	72,697
External Debt Service / Export Ratio <sup>(c)</sup> , %	2016	25.6	3.5	4.7	11.6	17.3	3.7	8.9	15.4
Exchange Rate <sup>(d)</sup> (Domestic Currency / US \$)	2017	152.46	68.03	80.44	65.12	65.12	15.39	104.51	105.46

(a) Revised

(b) Exports less imports.

(c) Total debt service includes principal and interest payments on long-term debt, interest payments on short-term debt, and IMF repurchases and charges.

(d) Units of domestic currency (annual average) per US dollar.

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Sources : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 2018, IMF  
Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## EXTERNAL TRADE AND FINANCE : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand
Exports, Mn. US \$	2017	168,811	230,279	62,875	573,694	385,307	243,831
Exports Per Capita, US \$	2017	645	7,196	599	11,151	68,654	3,602
Imports, Mn. US \$	2017	156,925	206,338	92,660	478,478	338,247	210,781
Imports Per Capita, US \$	2017	599	6,448	883	9,301	60,269	3,113
Export / Import Ratio	2017	1.08	1.12	0.68	1.20	1.14	1.16
Balance of Trade <sup>(a)</sup> , Mn. US \$	2017	11,885.5	23,941.0	-29,785.0	95,216.1	47,059.2	33,050.2
Current Account Balance, Mn. US \$	2017	-17,292.8	9,450.0	-2,517.8	78,460.2	60,998.5	48,126.4
Total Reserves Minus Gold, Mn. US \$	2017	126,857	100,878	73,228	384,453	279,690	196,121
External Debt, Mn. US \$	2016	316,431	200,364	77,319	418,824	–	121,497
External Debt Service / Exports Ratio <sup>(b)</sup> , %	2016	39.6	4.9	12.6	–	–	5.0
Exchange Rate <sup>(c)</sup> (Domestic Currency / US \$)	2017	13,380.87	4.30	50.40	1,130.42	1.38	33.94

(a) Exports less imports.

(b) Total debt service includes 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.

Sources : International Financial Statistics, Yearbook 2018, IMF  
Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2017, ADB

## MONETARY AND FISCAL INDICATORS : SAARC COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Sri Lanka	Afghanistan	Bangladesh	Bhutan	India	Maldives	Nepal	Pakistan
Reserve Money, Mn. US \$	2017	6,148	4,926	26,052	512	344,180	694	5,348	n.a.
Narrow Money, Mn. US \$	2017	5,190	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	451,693	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Broad Money, Mn. US \$	2017	41,268	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	2,067,086	2,078	26,710	165,552
Broad Money, % of GDP	2017	46.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	80.3	n.a.	107.4	54.6
Change of Money <sup>(a)</sup> , %	Narrow Money	2018	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	44.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	Broad Money	2018	16.7	n.a.	n.a.	10.0	5.2	12.0	9.9
Composition of Broad Money, %									
Currency	2017	7.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	13.3	9.1	13.1	21.3
Demand Deposits	2017	5.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	11.5	36.1	7.5	43.7
Quasi-Money	2017	87.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	81.3	54.8	73.5	13.6
Causal Factors in Broad Money, Mn. US \$									
Net Foreign Assets	2017	795	8,622	32,249	1,141	452,020	668	9,852	9,922
Domestic Credit	2017	49,097	-578	107,669	1,414	2,074,360	2,372	20,935	140,400
Net Other Items	2017	-8,624	1,763	17,085	-833	-333,726	-962	5,624	-19,936
Money Multiplier <sup>(b)</sup>									
for Narrow Money	2017	0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
for Broad Money	2017	6.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	6.0	3.0	5.0	n.a.
Income Velocity of Money <sup>(c)</sup>									
of Narrow Money	2017	17.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	5.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of Broad Money	2017	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.2	n.a.	0.9	1.8
Fiscal Operation Indicators, % of GDP									
Revenue	2017	14.2	11.5	10.3	18.6	9.0	n.a.	22.4	15.5
Total Expenditure	2017	19.3	24.4	13.6	31.3	13.1	n.a.	28.0	21.6
Budget Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)	2017	-5.2	0.0	-3.4	-3.3	-3.2	n.a.	-5.0	-5.8

(a) Percentage change of amounts in domestic currency.

(b) Ratio of Money to Reserve Money.

(c) Ratio of GDP to Money.  
n.a. – Not available

Sources : International Financial Statistics, Year Book 2018, IMF  
Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## MONETARY AND FISCAL INDICATORS : SELECTED EAST ASIAN COUNTRIES

Indicator	Ref. Year	Indonesia	Malaysia	Philippines	Rep. of Korea	Singapore	Thailand	
Reserve Money, Mn. US \$	2017	86,040	n.a.	62,831	145,615	50,996	57,199	
Narrow Money, Mn. US \$	2017	102,658	104,073	71,356	793,893	137,438	62,387	
Broad Money, Mn. US \$	2017	399,997	n.a.	250,140	2,363,712	433,987	587,675	
Broad Money, % of GDP	2017	39.4	n.a.	79.8	154.4	134.0	129.1	
Change of Money <sup>(a)</sup> , %	Narrow Money	2017	12.4	11.0	16.1	6.8	6.3	9.4
	Broad Money	2017	8.3	n.a.	11.4	5.1	3.2	5.0
Composition of Broad Money, %								
Currency	2017	10.8	n.a.	8.5	3.8	7.3	7.5	
Demand Deposits	2017	14.8	n.a.	20.0	29.8	24.4	3.1	
Quasi-Money	2017	74.3	n.a.	53.2	66.4	68.3	89.4	
Causal Factors in Broad Money, Mn. US \$								
Net Foreign Assets	2017	113,806	127,578	88,199	511,388	237,612	194,652	
Domestic Credit	2017	411,592	461,540	209,478	2,605,342	471,231	582,694	
Net Other Items	2017	-125,401	-165,544	47,531	-753,019	-274,857	-189,671	
Money Multiplier <sup>(b)</sup>								
for Narrow Money	2017	1.2	n.a.	n.a.	5.5	2.7	n.a.	
for Broad Money	2017	4.6	n.a.	4.0	16.2	8.5	10.3	
Income Velocity of Money <sup>(c)</sup>								
of Narrow Money	2017	9.9	3.0	4.4	1.9	2.4	7.3	
of Broad Money	2017	2.5	n.a.	1.3	0.6	0.7	0.8	
Fiscal Operation Indicators, % of GDP								
Revenue	2017	12.8	16.3	15.7	23.3	21.9 <sup>(d)</sup>	18.2	
Total Expenditure	2017	15.7	19.3	17.9	21.0	16.8 <sup>(d)</sup>	19.9	
Budget Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)	2017	-2.9	-3.0	-2.2	1.4	5.2 <sup>(d)</sup>	-1.7	

(a) Percentage change of amounts in domestic currency.

(b) Ratio of Money to Reserve Money.

(c) Ratio of GDP to Money.

(d) 2016 data

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Sources : International Financial Statistics, Year Book 2018, IMF  
Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific 2018, ADB



## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Income Distribution

Item	1953	1963	1973	1978/79	1981/82	1986/87 <sup>(a)</sup>	1996/97 <sup>(a)</sup>	2003/04 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Average Income per Month, Rs.</b>								
Per Spending Unit	169	193	311	921	1,652	2,728	8,744	15,400
Per Income Receiver	108	134	228	606	1,108	1,817	5,760	10,754
<b>Income Shares by Deciles of Income Receivers, %</b>								
1 <sup>st</sup> Decile	1.51	1.17	1.80	1.19	1.17	1.09	1.27	1.07
2 <sup>nd</sup> Decile	3.56	2.70	3.17	2.57	2.45	2.45	2.77	2.52
3 <sup>rd</sup> Decile	3.56	3.56	4.38	3.57	3.41	3.40	3.86	4.10
4 <sup>th</sup> Decile	4.37	4.57	5.70	4.80	4.53	4.39	4.93	4.20
5 <sup>th</sup> Decile	5.71	5.55	7.10	5.93	5.53	5.69	6.10	5.76
6 <sup>th</sup> Decile	6.31	6.82	8.75	7.37	6.86	6.79	7.44	7.30
7 <sup>th</sup> Decile	7.94	8.98	10.56	9.10	8.54	8.37	9.12	8.70
8 <sup>th</sup> Decile	10.39	11.46	12.65	11.36	10.68	11.08	11.55	11.20
9 <sup>th</sup> Decile	14.16	16.01	15.91	15.36	14.87	15.37	15.68	15.47
10 <sup>th</sup> Decile	42.49	39.24	29.98	38.73	41.93	41.37	37.28	39.70
<b>Gini Coefficient (One Month Income)</b>								
Spending Units	0.46	0.45	0.35	0.43	0.45	0.46	0.43	0.46
Income Receivers	0.50	0.49	0.41	0.50	0.52	0.52	0.48	0.50

(a) Excluding Northern and Eastern Provinces.

(b) Excluding Mannar, Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu Districts.

Source : Consumer Finances and Socio-Economic Survey Series  
of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Consumer Expenditure

Item	1953	1963	1973	1978/79	1981/82	1986/87 <sup>(a)</sup>	1996/97 <sup>(a)</sup>	2003/04 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Total Consumer Expenditure per Month, Rs.</b>								
Per Spending Unit	162	191	310	877	1,570	2,175	8,592	15,471
Per Person	34	36	58	179	318	534	2,012	3,936
<b>Consumer Expenditure Shares, %</b>								
Food	59.9	56.3	55.4	56.7	56.5	52.2	48.4	37.9
Rice	10.5	10.9	15.0	14.9	15.7	12.5	9.9	6.9
Wheat Flour	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.2	1.7	1.1	0.8	0.5
Bread	1.5	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.5	2.9	2.3	1.3
Meat	0.8	3.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.5
Condiments	2.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	5.0	4.3	3.3
Coconut	4.1	6.0	4.6	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.5	2.5
Milk	3.3	2.9	8.4	5.2	4.5	4.5	3.3	2.7
Sugar	2.2	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.2	2.2	1.2
Clothing and Apparel	7.9	9.6	7.6	10.6	7.7	7.6	6.3	8.3
Housing	3.6	7.3	6.8	5.8	5.9	7.8	10.8	10.7
Medical	1.3	2.8	1.6	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.4	3.4
Education	2.0	1.8	2.2	1.6	1.6	2.1	2.3	3.0
Transport and Communication	2.6	2.3	3.4	4.5	3.9	4.9	5.3	8.8
Fuel and Light	2.0	4.4	4.2	3.9	5.2	4.6	3.9	4.4
Consumer Durables	3.2	0.4	6.0	4.6	6.4	5.2	6.7	8.9
Interest on Debt	0.7	0.8	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.9	2.1	1.5
Other	16.8	14.3	12.7	10.2	10.7	12.5	11.8	13.1

(a) Excluding Northern and Eastern Provinces.

(b) Excluding Mannar, Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu Districts.

Source : Consumer Finances and Socio-Economic Survey Series  
of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : National Level Findings of the Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) by Survey Period – Sri Lanka

Variable	Unit	HIES Survey Period								
		1985/86	1990/91	1995/96	2002	2005	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016
<b>Household size</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Mean household income per month	Rs.	2,012	3,549	6,476	12,803	20,048	26,286	36,451	45,878	62,237
Median household income per month	Rs.	1,322	2,547	3,793	8,482	13,617	16,735	23,746	30,814	43,511
Mean per capita income per month	Rs.	395	724	1,439	3,056	4,896	6,463	9,104	11,819	16,377
Income receivers mean income per month	Rs.	941	1,819	3,367	6,959	10,563	14,457	20,427	25,963	33,894
No. of income receivers per household	No.	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Mean household expenditure per month	Rs.	2,079	3,905	6,525	13,147	19,151	22,952	31,331	41,444	54,999
Expenditure on food and drink	Rs.	1,198	2,377	3,552	5,848	7,593	8,641	13,267	15,651	19,114
Expenditure on non-food items (excluding liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco)	Rs.	802	1,384	2,753	6,993	11,079	13,819	17,399	25,088	34,829
Expenditure on liquor, narcotic drugs and tobacco	Rs.	79	144	219	306	479	492	665	705	1,056
Gini coefficient of household income		0.46	0.43	0.46	0.47	0.47	0.49	0.49	0.48	0.45
Gini coefficient of household expenditure		–	–	0.36	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.37	0.40	0.41
Gini coefficient of income receivers income		–	0.52	0.52	0.53	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.53	0.51
Food Ratio (as a percentage)	%	57.6	60.9	54.4	44.5	39.6	37.6	42.3	37.8	34.8
Poverty Head Count Ratio	%	–	26.1	28.8	22.7	–	15.2	8.9	6.7	4.1

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Average Monthly Household Expenditure on Selected Food/Non-Food Items by HIES Survey Period – Sri Lanka

Expenditure Group	HIES Survey Period								
	1985/86 <sup>(a)</sup>	1990/91	1995/96	2002	2005	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016
<b>Average Monthly Expenditure (% share)</b>									
<b>Food Expenditure</b>									
Rice	25.3	25.7 <sup>(a)</sup>	21.2	18.0	13.8	13.9	17.3	13.6	12.8
Wheat Flour	2.6	1.5 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.0
Bread	5.3	4.5 <sup>(a)</sup>	4.4	4.3	3.6	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.4
Condiments	9.8	10.6 <sup>(a)</sup>	9.9	9.1	9.0	9.3	9.1	9.0	9.8
Pulses	3.6	4.8 <sup>(a)</sup>	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.5	4.1	3.5	3.6
Vegetables	9.9	9.9 <sup>(a)</sup>	8.3	7.9	8.1	8.4	7.6	8.2	8.0
Coconuts	5.9	5.5 <sup>(a)</sup>	6.9	7.3	5.6	5.5	5.6	6.1	5.7
Meat	2.6	3.4 <sup>(a)</sup>	4.4	3.2	4.4	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.8
Fish	5.9	5.8 <sup>(a)</sup>	6.6	6.3	8.5	8.6	8.8	9.1	9.5
Dried Fish	4.0	4.2 <sup>(a)</sup>	4.6	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.7	4.2	4.0
Milk & Milk Products	4.3	5.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	7.1	8.4	9.9	8.7	7.8	8.9	8.2
Eggs	0.9	1.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.1	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1
Fruits	1.2	1.3 <sup>(a)</sup>	1.7	3.6	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.9	3.2
Sugar	6.3	6.5 <sup>(a)</sup>	5.2	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.4	2.9	2.2
Other Food & Drinks	12.5	10.1 <sup>(a)</sup>	13.8	19.6	20.3	21.2	20.1	21.8	23.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Non-Food Expenditure</b>									
Housing	16.8	22.3	27.8	22.8	17.8	18.4	19.1	18.1	19.2
Fuel and Light	11.8	11.8	9.9	7.6	7.0	7.3	7.1	6.8	4.9
Clothing, Textile and Footwear	10.8	10.4	9.5	5.3	5.1	4.9	5.0	4.6	4.4
Personal Care and Health	9.1	9.7	10.4	8.0	9.6	6.9	7.9	8.5	7.0
Transport and Communication	11.9	12.6	12.9	12.7	15.0	16.8	17.0	16.7	15.5
Education	3.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.4	5.6	5.6	5.8
Cultural and Entertainment	—	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.0	2.5
Non-Durable Household Goods	—	3.9	2.9	1.9	2.7	2.1	1.5	1.2	1.0
Consumer Durables	4.4	3.5	4.1	4.4	6.2	5.5	4.3	3.9	6.3
Other Non-Consumer Expenditure	22.9	10.0	8.6	26.8	26.2	28.5	26.6	29.8	30.5
Liquor and Tobacco	9.0	9.4	7.4	4.2	4.1	3.4	3.7	2.7	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Revised

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series, Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Population Distribution 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Population Distribution</b>										
<b>By Gender, %</b>										
Male	47.8	45.9	47.3	47.3	46.4	46.2	45.4	46.8	46.3	46.8
Female	52.2	54.1	52.7	52.7	53.6	53.8	54.6	53.2	53.7	53.2
<b>By Age Group, %</b>										
0 – 14 Years	23.4	26.7	25.4	25.3	28.9	24.8	29.4	25.9	23.6	25.3
15 – 59 Years	60.1	56.9	57.6	59.9	61.1	59.6	58.1	59.9	59.3	59.2
Over 59 Years	16.5	16.5	17.0	14.8	10.0	15.6	12.5	14.2	17.1	15.5
<b>By Educational Attainment, %</b>										
No Schooling	2.0	5.0	3.6	1.9	3.9	3.1	3.1	5.1	4.4	3.3
Up to Grade 5	18.0	26.2	23.9	25.6	32.0	23.9	25.6	25.6	24.4	23.5
Grade 6 – 10	42.8	41.8	43.4	51.0	40.6	45.6	49.1	45.4	44.6	44.1
Passed G.C.E. (O/L)	18.6	13.8	15.8	10.8	14.9	13.5	11.8	13.9	14.7	15.3
Passed G.C.E. (A/L) and above	18.6	13.0	13.2	10.7	8.5	13.8	10.2	9.9	11.8	13.8

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Income Distribution 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Mean Income, Rs. per Month</b>										
Per Household	84,231	53,053	59,375	46,081	43,168	60,398	60,298	51,635	49,057	62,237
Per Person	21,665	13,729	15,730	11,384	11,259	16,671	16,567	13,867	13,157	16,377
Per Income Receiver	43,959	28,328	32,354	23,286	27,511	33,274	35,186	29,623	26,153	33,894
<b>Median Income, Rs. per Month</b>										
Per Household	57,514	40,010	43,605	34,500	32,621	41,977	42,092	36,597	37,043	43,511
Per Person	14,400	9,890	11,253	8,434	8,261	11,420	11,248	10,139	9,711	11,307
Per Income Receiver	30,000	20,000	23,143	17,200	21,500	22,127	23,417	20,377	19,436	23,260
<b>Income Share by Households, %</b>										
Richest 20%	51.2	47.5	48.2	48.4	47.6	51.5	51.6	49.8	47.0	50.8
Poorest 20%	5.3	5.2	5.6	4.3	5.2	4.5	4.7	4.3	5.5	4.8
Middle 60%	43.4	47.2	46.2	47.3	47.2	44.0	43.7	45.9	47.5	44.4
<b>Gini Coefficient (One Month Income)</b>										
Gini coefficient (Households)	0.45	0.42	0.42	0.44	0.42	0.46	0.46	0.45	0.41	0.45
Gini coefficient (per Person)	0.45	0.41	0.40	0.41	0.40	0.44	0.45	0.42	0.39	0.44
Gini coefficient (Income Receivers)	0.51	0.49	0.49	0.52	0.46	0.53	0.53	0.50	0.47	0.51

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Housing Expenditure 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Total Consumer Expenditure per Month, Rs. per Household</b>	<b>74,505</b>	<b>50,334</b>	<b>52,271</b>	<b>42,537</b>	<b>38,407</b>	<b>55,514</b>	<b>48,176</b>	<b>39,140</b>	<b>42,810</b>	<b>54,999</b>
<b>Consumer Expenditure Share, %</b>										
<b>All Food</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Cereal	12.5	19.0	14.3	20.1	13.9	15.1	18.1	20.6	18.7	15.5
Prepared Foods	15.7	9.3	11.0	9.2	11.4	12.1	8.6	7.1	8.8	11.8
Pulses	3.3	4.3	4.0	3.9	2.2	3.2	3.6	4.5	4.7	3.6
Vegetables	8.7	10.8	10.3	7.8	9.0	9.8	10.7	13.1	11.8	9.9
Meat	5.1	5.2	2.7	5.4	8.4	4.9	4.7	3.4	3.1	4.8
Fish	9.9	6.1	11.0	13.2	14.9	9.3	9.6	6.5	5.9	9.5
Dried Fish	4.1	4.1	4.1	0.6	2.1	5.4	4.4	3.8	5.4	4.0
Eggs	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.1
Coconut	5.2	5.7	6.8	5.4	4.7	5.9	6.4	4.8	7.7	5.8
Condiments	9.2	9.6	11.2	9.8	10.5	10.2	9.4	10.0	9.8	9.8
Milk and Milk Products	9.2	8.6	8.5	7.6	6.7	7.0	6.7	7.9	7.6	8.2
Fat and Oil	2.2	2.9	1.9	3.2	2.6	2.1	3.1	4.0	2.6	2.5
Sugar, Jaggery & Treacle	1.8	2.2	2.6	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.3
Fruits	3.8	2.8	3.2	2.6	2.4	3.1	2.9	3.5	2.9	3.2
Other	8.3	8.2	7.3	7.0	7.3	8.8	8.2	7.2	7.4	8.0
<b>All Non-Food</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Housing	24.9	18.5	15.8	8.8	16.2	12.8	13.2	17.2	16.7	19.2
Fuel and Light	5.0	4.9	4.0	7.2	9.2	4.0	4.1	4.7	4.6	4.9
Personal Care and Health Expenses	6.8	7.2	7.4	10.9	7.3	7.2	6.0	5.6	6.8	7.0
Transport	12.9	12.1	10.9	11.4	11.9	12.5	12.6	13.1	13.1	12.4
Communication	3.2	3.2	2.4	3.8	3.8	2.7	2.5	3.0	3.0	3.0
Education	6.2	6.3	5.0	6.9	6.0	4.9	4.5	5.7	5.6	5.8
Cultural Activities and Entertainment	2.8	2.1	2.6	1.7	1.1	2.0	1.7	2.3	4.5	2.5
Non-Durable Household Goods & Services	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8
Clothing, Textile and Footwear	3.4	5.0	4.4	5.9	7.9	4.2	5.4	6.0	5.2	4.4
Durable Household Goods	4.9	4.9	9.2	5.4	6.2	10.3	5.7	4.5	6.5	6.3
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	14.4	18.4	17.6	17.7	12.8	19.6	22.1	16.3	17.0	16.6
Other Rare Expenses	11.7	12.5	16.0	15.1	12.3	14.9	16.7	11.8	11.8	13.1
Liquor, Narcotic Drugs and Tobacco	1.9	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.6	7.6	3.4	2.9

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Housing and Amenities 2016

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Housing Conditions, % of Households</b>										
Wall Type <sup>(a)</sup>										
Permanent	96.3	96.6	95.6	93.5	95.2	93.6	97.4	94.7	94.6	95.5
Semi Permanent	3.7	3.4	4.4	6.5	4.8	6.4	2.6	5.3	5.4	4.5
Floor Type <sup>(b)</sup>										
Permanent	98.8	92.8	96.1	98.0	95.6	96.0	93.5	87.2	94.4	95.6
Semi Permanent	1.2	7.2	3.9	2.0	4.4	4.0	6.5	12.8	5.6	4.4
Roof Type <sup>(c)</sup>										
Permanent	96.6	78.5	95.5	91.9	94.5	92.5	97.4	85.0	89.8	91.9
Semi Permanent	3.4	21.5	4.5	8.1	5.5	7.5	2.6	15.0	10.2	8.1
<b>Water Supply and Sanitation</b>										
Main Source of Drinking Water										
Safe	98.2	77.7	92.7	92.3	97.7	92.7	71.2	79.4	76.0	88.8
Not Safe	1.8	22.3	7.3	7.7	2.3	7.3	28.8	20.6	24.0	11.2
Toilet Facilities										
Exclusive for the Household	93.0	91.5	92.8	89.1	90.6	90.3	88.7	92.4	91.8	91.7
Sharing with another Household	6.0	7.9	6.9	9.3	7.3	8.5	10.6	7.2	7.7	7.5
Public Toilet Facilities	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.3	-	0.3	0.4	0.4
No Toilet Facilities	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.0	1.9	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.4
<b>Availability of Household Equipments</b>										
Radio / Cassette Players	67.4	71.3	62.9	40.7	45.5	63.3	64.3	68.2	62.7	63.2
Television	90.9	87.7	87.8	72.2	15.1	85.3	87.7	85.2	87.0	86.3
Telephone / Cellular Phone	94.1	93.2	92.5	91.8	87.9	90.8	90.1	83.5	90.3	91.5
Bicycle	22.3	7.5	32.1	72.8	58.1	44.7	58.5	13.1	8.7	30.1
Motor Cycle / Scooters	35.4	16.4	43.8	44.1	39.4	56.6	58.7	20.3	24.1	36.8
Motor Car / Van	16.1	7.7	7.6	2.1	2.5	9.8	6.1	5.1	7.4	9.3
Sewing Machine	47.0	41.2	39.0	22.8	26.2	38.0	36.9	33.7	37.8	39.0
Refrigerator	71.2	46.5	53.4	29.5	34.4	55.0	49.7	33.2	47.4	52.9
Washing Machine	35.5	19.9	15.9	7.4	14.1	17.0	11.7	8.8	12.0	20.3
Personal Computer	31.5	18.8	16.7	16.7	11.2	18.3	14.1	11.6	16.4	20.3

(a) Permanent – Brick, Cobak, Cement Block, Pressed Soil Block  
Semi Permanent – Plank/Metal Sheet, Cadjan/Palmyrah, Other

(b) Permanent – Cement, Teraso/Tile, Concrete  
Semi Permanent – Mud, Wood, Sand, Other

(c) Permanent – Tile, Asbestos, Concrete  
Semi Permanent – Takaran, Cadjan/ Palmyrah, Other

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016, Department of Census and Statistics



**SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS BY PROVINCE : Sources of Energy for Lighting and Cooking 2016**

Per cent

Item	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Sources of Energy for Lighting</b>										
Electricity	98.7	96.8	98.6	92.4	93.2	95.9	97.3	96.0	96.4	96.9
Kerosene	1.0	2.8	1.3	7.2	5.9	3.7	2.6	3.6	3.5	2.8
Solar Energy	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3
Other	0.1	–	–	–	0.1	–	–	–	0.1	–
<b>Sources of Energy for Cooking</b>										
Firewood	39.3	74.3	75.9	79.0	98.9	83.0	86.1	89.8	85.5	68.6
Gas	56.5	24.4	22.8	17.1	28.0	15.1	13.4	9.5	13.7	29.1
Kerosene	2.5	0.8	0.3	3.2	1.7	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.2
Other	1.7	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.6	1.1

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Population Distribution by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
<b>Population Distribution</b>								
<b>By Gender, %</b>								
Male	47.4	47.0	48.0	47.1	46.9	46.8	47.1	46.8
Female	52.6	53.0	52.0	52.9	53.1	53.2	52.9	53.2
<b>By Age Group, %</b>								
0 – 14 Years	24.2	26.0	31.1	25.9	23.8	25.3	30.3	25.3
15 – 59 Years	61.5	60.6	57.0	60.6	60.1	59.1	57.0	59.2
Over 59 Years	14.3	13.5	11.9	13.6	16.1	15.6	12.7	15.5
<b>By Educational Attainment, %</b>								
No Schooling	2.2	3.5	12.2	3.7	2.4	3.1	10.1	3.3
Up to Grade 5	19.2	25.0	42.0	24.7	19.3	23.5	39.6	23.5
Grade 6 – 10	39.8	44.8	38.7	43.6	40.4	45.0	41.8	44.1
Passed G.C.E. (O/L)	18.2	15.5	4.9	15.5	18.4	15.1	5.4	15.3
Passed G.C.E. (A/L) and Above	20.5	11.1	2.2	12.4	19.4	13.2	3.0	13.8

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Income Distribution by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
<b>Mean Income, Rs. per Month</b>								
Per Household	69,880	41,478	30,220	45,878	88,692	58,137	34,804	62,237
Per Person	17,262	10,843	7,100	11,819	22,297	15,508	8,566	16,377
<b>Median Income, Rs. per Month</b>								
Per Household	42,267	29,376	24,087	30,814	57,833	42,133	29,134	43,511
Per Person	10,420	7,657	5,503	7,881	14,090	11,140	7,107	11,307
<b>Income Shares by Deciles of Households, %</b>								
1st Decile	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.1	1.6
2nd Decile	2.8	3.2	3.7	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.2
3rd Decile	3.7	4.4	5.1	4.1	4.1	4.5	5.3	4.3
4th Decile	4.6	5.4	6.4	5.1	5.0	5.5	6.6	5.3
5th Decile	5.6	6.5	7.4	6.2	5.8	6.7	7.8	6.4
6th Decile	6.7	7.7	8.7	7.3	7.2	7.9	9.0	7.6
7th Decile	8.3	9.2	9.9	8.9	8.9	9.5	10.6	9.2
8th Decile	10.3	11.4	11.8	10.9	10.7	11.7	12.5	11.5
9th Decile	14.5	15.1	14.8	14.9	14.8	15.6	15.8	15.4
10th Decile	42.0	35.6	30.3	38.0	38.6	33.7	26.7	35.4
<b>Income Share by Households, %</b>								
Richest 20%	56.5	50.7	45.1	52.9	53.4	49.3	42.5	50.8
Poorest 20%	4.4	4.7	5.7	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.9	4.8
Middle 60%	39.2	44.6	49.3	42.6	41.7	45.8	51.6	44.4
<b>Gini Coefficient, One Month Income</b>								
Gini Coefficient (Households)	0.51	0.45	0.39	0.48	0.48	0.44	0.36	0.45
Gini Coefficient (Income Receivers)	0.56	0.51	0.44	0.53	0.53	0.50	0.42	0.51

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Household Expenditure by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
<b>Expenditure, Rs. per Month</b>								
<b>Per household</b>	<b>58,930</b>	<b>38,274</b>	<b>29,379</b>	<b>41,444</b>	<b>77,337</b>	<b>51,377</b>	<b>34,851</b>	<b>54,999</b>
<b>Household Expenditure Share, %</b>								
Food	32.1	39.2	49.8	37.8	31.2	35.4	48.5	34.8
Housing	17.5	9.4	5.0	11.3	18.9	10.7	6.0	12.5
Fuel and Light	5.5	3.8	4.1	4.2	3.9	3.0	3.5	3.2
Personal Care and Health Expenses	5.3	5.3	3.5	5.3	4.5	4.7	3.1	4.6
Transport	8.9	8.1	5.6	8.3	9.3	7.8	5.4	8.1
Communication	2.7	2.0	1.7	2.2	2.2	1.9	1.7	2.0
Education	4.7	3.2	1.8	3.5	4.6	3.5	2.5	3.8
Cultural Activities and Entertainment	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.9	1.6	0.9	1.7
Non-Durable Household Goods and Services	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.0	0.9	1.2
Clothing, Textile and Footwear	2.4	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.5	3.0	3.7	2.9
Durable Household Goods	1.5	2.8	2.3	2.5	3.1	4.5	2.5	4.1
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	9.2	11.5	10.1	10.9	7.8	11.9	9.7	10.8
Other Rare Expenses	6.4	7.5	5.7	7.2	7.1	9.1	6.1	8.6
Liquor, Narcotic Drugs and Tobacco	1.0	1.8	5.4	1.7	1.4	2.0	5.5	1.9

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Housing and Amenities by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
<b>Housing Conditions, % of Households</b>								
Wall Type <sup>(a)</sup>								
Permanent	96.0	92.8	95.0	93.5	97.3	95.1	96.2	95.5
Semi Permanent	4.0	7.2	5.0	6.5	2.7	4.9	3.8	4.5
Floor Type <sup>(b)</sup>								
Permanent	98.4	91.6	84.9	92.4	98.9	95.2	89.1	95.6
Semi Permanent	1.6	8.4	15.1	7.6	1.1	4.8	10.9	4.4
Roof Type <sup>(c)</sup>								
Permanent	95.5	91.5	32.3	89.6	96.1	94.2	33.0	91.9
Semi Permanent	4.5	8.5	67.7	10.4	3.9	5.8	67.0	8.1
<b>Water Supply and Sanitation</b>								
Main Source of Drinking Water								
Safe	98.8	90.0	46.3	89.7	97.8	89.3	44.7	88.8
Not Safe	1.2	10.0	53.7	10.3	2.2	10.7	55.3	11.2
Toilet Facilities								
Exclusive for the Household	90.0	90.7	76.2	89.9	91.9	92.4	77.3	91.7
Sharing with another Household	7.3	7.8	21.1	8.4	6.6	7.0	19.8	7.5
Public Toilet Facilities	2.7	0.2	2.1	0.7	1.6	0.1	2.6	0.4
No Toilet Facilities	-	1.2	0.7	0.9	-	0.5	0.4	0.4
<b>Availability of Household Equipments</b>								
Radios / Cassette Players	73.7	71.2	65.7	71.4	61.7	64.0	54.9	63.2
Televisions	90.4	81.6	73.3	82.7	88.9	86.1	81.2	86.3
Telephones / Cellular Phones	93.1	87.0	75.4	87.6	95.3	91.1	83.4	91.5
Bicycles	31.1	39.0	4.9	36.2	25.2	32.6	3.3	30.1
Motor Cycles / Scooters	27.6	32.2	6.5	30.3	30.1	39.9	5.7	36.8
Motor Cars / Vans	15.4	5.5	1.0	7.0	16.2	8.3	0.9	9.3
Sewing Machines	52.0	41.1	17.5	41.9	44.1	39.1	16.1	39.0
Refrigerators	67.7	43.2	14.3	46.2	68.8	51.4	17.3	52.9
Washing Machines	37.4	13.5	2.3	17.2	40.2	17.1	2.5	20.3
Personal Computers	34.5	15.9	3.8	18.5	34.0	18.2	5.4	20.3

(a) Permanent – Brick, Cobak, Cement Block, Pressed Soil Block  
Semi Permanent – Plank/Metal Sheet, Cadjan/Palmyrah, Other

(b) Permanent – Cement, Teraso/Tile, Concrete  
Semi Permanent – Mud, Wood, Sand, Other

(c) Permanent – Tile, Asbestos, Concrete  
Semi Permanent – Takaran, Cadjan/ Palmyrah, Other

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Sources of Energy for Lighting and Cooking by Sector 2012/13 and 2016

% of Households

Item	2012/13				2016			
	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island	Urban	Rural	Estate	All Island
<b>Sources of Energy for Lighting</b>								
Electricity	98.0	88.8	83.0	90.2	98.9	96.7	92.7	96.9
Kerosene	1.8	10.2	16.5	9.0	0.8	3.0	7.1	2.8
Solar Energy	0.2	0.9	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3
Other	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	...	-	...
<b>Sources of Energy for Cooking</b>								
Firewood	36.7	86.7	95.7	78.5	25.1	76.8	85.8	68.6
Gas	54.7	11.4	2.4	18.5	68.6	21.7	12.9	29.1
Kerosene	6.5	1.0	1.1	1.9	4.5	0.6	0.9	1.2
Other	2.2	1.0	0.6	1.1	1.8	1.0	0.4	1.1

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Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Poverty Indicators by Sector and Province

Sector / Province	Poverty Head Count Index (Percentage) by HIES Survey Period						Poor Household Percentage		Poverty Gap Index (%)	
	1995/96	2002	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016	2012/13	2016	2012/13	2016
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>0.6</b>
<b>Sector</b>										
Urban	14.0	7.9	6.7	5.3	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.3	0.3	0.3
Rural	30.9	24.7	15.7	9.4	7.6	4.3	6.0	3.3	1.4	0.6
Estate	38.4	30.0	32.0	11.4	10.9	8.8	8.8	6.8	1.6	1.2
<b>Province</b>										
Western	16.3	10.8	8.2	4.2	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.2	0.4	0.3
Central	36.2	25.1	22.3	9.7	6.6	5.4	5.1	4.1	1.0	0.9
Southern	32.6	27.8	13.8	9.8	7.7	3.0	6.3	2.3	1.4	0.4
Northern	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	12.8	10.9	7.7	8.8	6.3	2.3	1.1
Eastern	n.a.	n.a.	10.8	14.8	11.0	7.3	8.0	5.3	2.1	1.2
North Western	27.7	27.3	14.6	11.3	6.0	2.7	4.5	2.1	1.1	0.4
North Central	24.7	21.5	14.2	5.7	7.3	3.3	6.1	2.4	1.0	0.5
Uva	46.7	37.2	27.0	13.7	15.4	6.5	13.5	5.4	2.6	0.7
Sabaragamuwa	41.7	33.6	24.2	10.6	8.8	6.7	6.6	5.1	1.5	1.1

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Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey Series,  
Department of Census and Statistics

## SOCIO-ECONOMIC CONDITIONS : Daily Average Dietary Energy Consumption per Person by Poverty Status, Sector and Province 2012/13 and 2016

Kilo calories

Sector / Province	2012/13			2016		
	Poor Households	Non-Poor Households	All Households	Poor Households	Non-Poor Households	All Households
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>1,530</b>	<b>2,153</b>	<b>2,111</b>	<b>1,445</b>	<b>2,123</b>	<b>2,095</b>
<b>Sector</b>						
Urban	1,243	1,915	1,901	1,222	1,947	1,933
Rural	1,539	2,197	2,147	1,454	2,152	2,122
Estate	1,646	2,388	2,307	1,550	2,322	2,254
<b>Province</b>						
Western	1,176	1,975	1,958	1,195	1,967	1,954
Central	1,523	2,246	2,198	1,471	2,167	2,129
Southern	1,443	2,214	2,155	1,379	2,141	2,118
Northern	1,545	2,219	2,146	1,624	2,225	2,179
Eastern	1,453	2,152	2,075	1,423	2,099	2,050
North Western	1,501	2,197	2,155	1,386	2,164	2,143
North Central	1,553	2,254	2,203	1,429	2,275	2,247
Uva	1,783	2,404	2,308	1,703	2,360	2,318
Sabaragamuwa	1,675	2,209	2,162	1,420	2,178	2,127

Source : Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2012/13 and 2016,  
Department of Census and Statistics



## PROSPERITY INDEX BY PROVINCE 2009–2017

Province	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Prosperity Index</b>									
Western	0.56	0.70	0.86	0.86	1.07	1.22	1.13	1.20	1.28
Central	-0.51	-0.21	-0.09	-0.02	0.23	0.30	0.26	0.35	0.35
Southern	-0.35	-0.24	-0.01	0.03	0.17	0.23	0.31	0.41	0.49
Northern	-1.09	-0.64	-0.40	-0.27	0.09	0.25	0.15	0.27	0.19
Eastern	-0.65	-0.42	-0.43	-0.27	-0.11	-0.09	-0.03	0.14	0.07
North Western	-0.41	-0.25	-0.16	-0.06	0.17	0.27	0.17	0.31	0.35
North Central	-0.49	-0.23	-0.13	-0.03	0.12	0.15	0.24	0.28	0.20
Uva	-0.62	-0.45	-0.37	-0.21	-0.10	-0.01	0.03	0.21	0.14
Sabaragamuwa	-0.69	-0.38	-0.35	-0.16	0.01	0.07	0.11	0.13	0.15
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>-0.89</b>	<b>-0.53</b>	<b>-0.28</b>	<b>-0.01</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.48</b>	<b>0.45</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>0.77</b>
<b>Economy &amp; Business Climate Sub Index</b>									
Western	0.82	0.96	1.20	0.98	1.45	1.68	1.50	1.52	1.66
Central	-0.57	-0.43	-0.21	-0.17	0.44	0.45	0.36	0.36	0.45
Southern	-0.62	-0.41	-0.17	-0.07	0.14	0.13	0.24	0.30	0.53
Northern	-1.30	-0.49	-0.16	-0.10	0.33	0.45	0.32	0.26	0.10
Eastern	-0.64	-0.42	-0.49	-0.33	0.11	0.09	0.10	0.24	0.10
North Western	-0.49	-0.37	-0.24	-0.22	0.28	0.35	0.31	0.43	0.39
North Central	-0.55	-0.30	-0.12	-0.16	0.20	0.25	0.31	0.45	0.31
Uva	-0.87	-0.54	-0.47	-0.32	0.00	0.01	-0.01	0.30	0.47
Sabaragamuwa	-0.74	-0.45	-0.39	-0.22	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.17	0.35
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>-1.03</b>	<b>-0.64</b>	<b>-0.27</b>	<b>-0.08</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>0.93</b>

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## PROSPERITY INDEX BY PROVINCE 2009–2017 (Contd.)

Province	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Well-being of the People Sub Index</b>									
Western	0.37	0.54	0.65	0.80	0.89	0.91	1.02	1.18	1.04
Central	-0.62	-0.32	-0.36	-0.19	-0.10	-0.05	0.05	0.23	0.16
Southern	-0.20	-0.23	0.08	0.28	0.36	0.46	0.51	0.71	0.75
Northern	-0.73	-0.38	-0.31	0.03	0.04	0.25	0.13	0.42	0.38
Eastern	-0.66	-0.42	-0.42	-0.20	-0.19	-0.19	-0.15	0.05	0.00
North Western	-0.38	-0.16	-0.09	0.04	0.12	0.20	0.20	0.40	0.34
North Central	-0.54	-0.33	-0.29	-0.07	0.03	0.04	0.16	0.35	0.33
Uva	-0.79	-0.64	-0.55	-0.35	-0.27	-0.18	-0.13	0.13	0.09
Sabaragamuwa	-0.57	-0.29	-0.23	-0.12	-0.04	-0.03	0.07	0.34	0.27
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>-0.86</b>	<b>-0.57</b>	<b>-0.37</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>0.76</b>
<b>Socio-Economic Infrastructure Sub Index</b>									
Western	0.48	0.59	0.73	0.82	0.86	1.08	0.87	0.91	1.14
Central	-0.34	0.14	0.28	0.31	0.34	0.49	0.36	0.47	0.43
Southern	-0.23	-0.08	0.07	-0.10	0.00	0.10	0.17	0.21	0.19
Northern	-1.25	-1.05	-0.75	-0.73	-0.11	0.05	-0.02	0.12	0.09
Eastern	-0.66	-0.40	-0.39	-0.28	-0.25	-0.16	-0.05	0.14	0.11
North Western	-0.38	-0.23	-0.14	-0.01	0.13	0.26	0.00	0.11	0.31
North Central	-0.38	-0.06	0.03	0.15	0.13	0.17	0.24	0.05	-0.05
Uva	-0.20	-0.18	-0.09	0.04	-0.03	0.14	0.23	0.22	-0.14
Sabaragamuwa	-0.75	-0.38	-0.42	-0.16	0.03	0.17	0.19	-0.11	-0.17
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	<b>-0.77</b>	<b>-0.39</b>	<b>-0.21</b>	<b>-0.02</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>0.40</b>	<b>0.62</b>

Note : A new methodology in line with Legatum Prosperity Index was introduced since 2014.  
The indices prior to 2014 series has been spliced to the revised series.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## DEMOGRAPHY

Item	2013	2014	2015 <sup>(a)</sup>	2016 <sup>(a)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Mid-Year Population<sup>(b)</sup>, '000</b>	<b>20,585</b>	<b>20,778</b>	<b>20,966</b>	<b>21,203</b>	<b>21,444</b>	<b>21,670</b>
Male	9,966	10,059	10,151	10,265	10,382	10,492
Female	10,619	10,719	10,815	10,938	11,062	11,178
By Age Groups <sup>(b)</sup>						
0 – 14 Years	5,188	5,239	5,288	5,348	5,411	5,470
15 – 54 Years	11,773	11,881	11,989	12,124	12,263	12,392
55 Years and Over	3,624	3,658	3,689	3,731	3,770	3,808
<b>Population Growth, %</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Crude Birth Rate per 1,000	17.8	16.8	16.0	15.6	15.2	15.1
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.5	6.4
<b>Rate of Natural Increase per 1,000</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>8.7</b>
Net Migration Rate per 1,000	-2.3	-2.0	0.7	2.1	2.3	0.8
Infant Mortality per 1,000 Live Births	8.3	7.6	8.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Density of Population, Persons per sq. km.	328.0	331.0	334.0	338.0	342.0	346.0

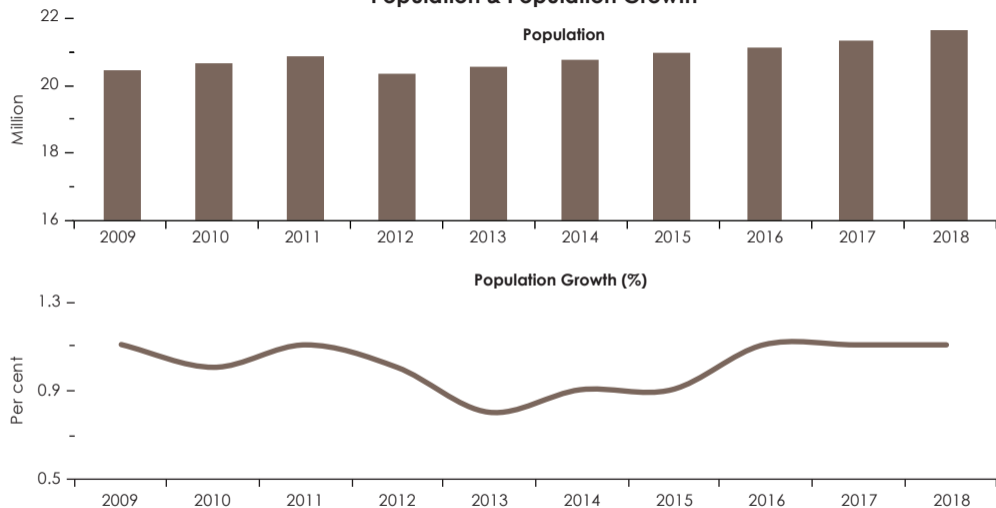
(a) Provisional

(b) Mid-year population estimates from 2012 onwards were prepared based on the final report of the Census of Population and Housing – 2012.

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Source : Registrar General's Department

## Population & Population Growth



\* Estimates upto 2011 are based on Census of Population and Housing 2001 and those from 2012 onwards are based on Census of Population and Housing 2012.

## LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT<sup>(a)</sup>

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Labour Force, '000</b>	<b>8,034</b>	<b>8,049</b>	<b>8,214</b>	<b>8,311</b>	<b>8,567</b>	<b>8,388</b>
Total Employed, '000	7,681	7,700	7,831	7,948	8,208	8,015
Total Unemployed, '000	353	348	383	363	359	373
<b>Labour Force Participation Rate</b>						
Total	53.7	53.2	53.8	53.8	54.1	51.8
<b>By Gender, %</b>						
Male	74.9	74.6	74.7	75.1	74.5	73.0
Female	35.4	34.6	35.9	35.9	36.6	33.6
<b>By Residential Sector, %</b>						
Urban	47.7	48.7	48.6	49.8	50.5	49.6
Rural	54.9	54.1	54.8	54.6	54.8	52.3
<b>Status of Employment, %</b>						
Public Sector Employees	15.2	15.5	15.1	14.6	14.4	14.5
Private Sector Employees	40.5	40.9	41.0	43.3	43.3	43.4
Employers	3.0	2.7	3.1	2.7	3.0	2.8
Self-Employed	32.2	32.0	32.3	31.6	31.3	32.3
Unpaid Family Workers	9.1	8.9	8.4	7.8	8.0	7.2

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## LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT<sup>(a)</sup> (Contd.)

Item	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Employment By Sector<sup>(c)</sup>, %</b>			
Agriculture	27.1	26.1	25.5
Mining and Quarrying	0.8	0.8	0.8
Manufacturing	17.9	19.3	18.3
Construction, Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply, Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	7.8	8.4	8.9
Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motor Cycles	13.9	14.1	14.2
Transport and Storage	6.5	6.3	6.3
Accommodation and Food Services Activities	2.6	2.6	3.0
Information and Communication	0.8	0.9	0.7
Financial and Insurance Activities	2.0	1.9	2.2
Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	0.7	0.8	1.1
Administrative and Support Service Activities	1.4	1.9	2.1
Public Administration and Defence, Compulsory Social Security	7.7	6.4	5.4
Education	4.3	4.6	5.3
Human Health and Social Work Activities	1.8	1.8	1.8
Other <sup>(d)</sup>	5.0	4.2	4.6

(a) Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers entire island.

(b) Provisional.

(c) Based on the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC) – Revision 4.

(d) Includes activities of households as Employers; Real Estate; Arts, Entertainment and Recreation; and Extra Territorial Organisations and Bodies.

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a re-weighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards.

## LABOUR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT<sup>(a)</sup>

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>By Gender</b>						
Male	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0
Female	6.6	6.5	7.6	7.0	6.5	7.1
<b>By Age Groups (Years)</b>						
15 – 19	18.8	21.4	24.1	27.1	21.0	26.5
20 – 29	13.1	13.6	14.2	14.2	13.5	15.0
30 – 39	2.7	2.7	3.1	2.4	2.7	3.0
40 and above	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.7
<b>By Level of Education</b>						
Grade 5 and below	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grades 6 – 10	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	2.8	2.9
GCE (O/L)	6.0	5.9	6.4	5.8	5.9	5.2
GCE (A/L) & above	8.7	8.2	9.2	8.3	8.1	9.1
<b>Overall</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>

(a) Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers the entire island.

(b) Provisional

Note : In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a reweighted and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards

... - Negligible

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

## FOREIGN EMPLOYMENT

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Total Migration for Employment (No.)</b>	<b>293,218</b>	<b>300,703</b>	<b>263,443</b>	<b>242,816</b>	<b>211,992</b>	<b>211,229</b>
Migration for employment as a % of departures	23.2	22.9	19.4	16.8	14.7	14.3
Average No. of migrant travellers for employment per day	803	824	722	665	581	579
<b>Migrant Employment Categories</b>						
by gender (No.) – Male	175,185	190,217	172,788	160,306	139,268	129,718
– Female	118,033	110,486	90,655	82,510	72,724	81,511
by skills (%) – Professional	1.8	1.8	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.4
– Middle level	5.6	6.9	2.6	3.4	3.4	3.6
– Clerical & related	9.1	9.7	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.7
– Skilled	26.3	25.7	32.8	33.1	34.1	33.0
– Unskilled	24.2	26.4	29.6	29.5	28.8	24.5
– House maids	33.0	29.5	27.8	26.8	26.4	30.7
<b>Migrant Remittances (US \$ mn.)</b>	<b>6,407</b>	<b>7,018</b>	<b>6,980</b>	<b>7,242</b>	<b>7,164</b>	<b>7,015</b>
– Middle East	3,562	3,902	3,769	3,889	3,711	3,592
– Other	2,845	3,116	3,211	3,353	3,453	3,423
– Middle East as a % of total remittances	55.6	55.6	54.0	53.7	51.8	51.2

(a) Provisional

Source : Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment



## GROSS NATIONAL INCOME (by Industrial Origin)<sup>(a)(b)</sup>

Sector	Rs. million					
	At Current Market Prices		Growth Rate (%)	At Constant (2010) Prices		Growth Rate (%)
	2017 <sup>(c)</sup>	2018	2018	2017 <sup>(c)</sup>	2018	2018
<b>Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing</b>	<b>1,044,218</b>	<b>1,137,170</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>642,366</b>	<b>672,923</b>	<b>4.8</b>
<b>Industry</b>	<b>3,661,945</b>	<b>3,900,369</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>2,495,721</b>	<b>2,518,964</b>	<b>0.9</b>
Manufacturing, mining and quarrying and other industries	2,492,161	2,701,928	8.4	1,685,764	1,716,974	10.1
Of which: Manufacturing activities	2,141,366	2,343,641	9.4	1,448,383	1,491,654	3.0
Construction	1,040,876	1,054,287	1.3	674,025	659,687	-2.1
<b>Services</b>	<b>7,473,723</b>	<b>8,211,616</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>5,311,107</b>	<b>5,560,849</b>	<b>4.7</b>
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation and storage, postal and courier activities, accommodation and food service activities	3,132,860	3,414,071	9.0	2,158,118	2,244,056	4.0
Information and communication	90,483	102,121	12.9	57,870	63,021	8.9
Financial and insurance activities	675,010	701,780	4.0	700,547	781,478	17.4
Real estate activities (including ownership of dwelling)	770,244	833,256	8.2	544,727	565,303	8.0
Professional, scientific, technical, administration and support service activities	224,429	243,568	8.5	158,754	165,247	4.1
Public administration, defense, education, human health and social work activities	1,288,891	1,505,715	16.8	777,518	784,401	0.9
Other services (excluding own-services)	1,291,805	1,411,104	9.2	913,573	957,342	4.8
<b>Gross Value Added (GVA) at Basic Price</b>	<b>12,179,886</b>	<b>13,249,155</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>8,449,194</b>	<b>8,752,736</b>	<b>3.6</b>
(+) Taxes on products	1,354,211	1,360,114	0.4	922,441	927,445	0.5
(-) Subsidies on products	115,810	159,338	37.6	26,795	35,453	32.3
<b>GDP at Market Price</b>	<b>13,418,287</b>	<b>14,449,931</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>9,344,839</b>	<b>9,644,728</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Net Primary Income from Rest of the World	-352,856	-391,934	-11.1	-249,616	-266,091	-6.6
<b>Gross National Income</b>	<b>13,065,431</b>	<b>14,057,997</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>9,095,223</b>	<b>9,378,637</b>	<b>3.1</b>
<b>GDP Per Capita, Rs.</b>	<b>625,736</b>	<b>666,817</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>435,779</b>	<b>445,073</b>	<b>2.1</b>

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

(b) Provisional

(c) Revised

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

## EXPENDITURE ON GROSS NATIONAL INCOME (at Current Market Prices)<sup>(a)</sup>

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016 <sup>(b)</sup>	2017 <sup>(b)(c)</sup>	2018 <sup>(c)</sup>
	Rs. million					
<b>Gross National Income</b>	<b>9,366,039</b>	<b>10,125,078</b>	<b>10,675,880</b>	<b>11,676,431</b>	<b>13,065,431</b>	<b>14,057,997</b>
Consumption Expenditure	7,229,352	7,850,006	8,360,930	9,529,202	10,513,141	11,381,403
Private	6,483,669	6,981,947	7,376,176	8,514,456	9,382,467	10,081,223
Government	745,684	868,059	984,755	1,014,746	1,130,674	1,300,180
Gross Domestic Capital Formation	3,189,326	3,347,638	3,414,556	3,341,171	3,867,947	4,130,406
Gross Domestic Expenditure	10,418,678	11,197,644	11,775,486	12,870,372	14,381,088	15,511,809
Export of Goods and Services	1,949,158	2,185,039	2,301,065	2,540,049	2,909,720	3,292,414
Import of Goods and Services	2,775,711	3,021,531	3,125,931	3,414,338	3,872,521	4,354,292
Gross Domestic Product	9,592,125	10,361,151	10,950,621	11,996,083	13,418,287	14,449,931
Net Primary Income from Rest of the World	-226,086	-236,073	-274,740	-319,652	-352,856	-391,934
Expenditure on Gross National Income	9,366,039	10,125,078	10,675,880	11,676,431	13,065,431	14,057,997

(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

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

**QUARTERLY GROWTH OF GDP and GNI [at Constant (2010) Prices]<sup>(a)</sup>**

							Percentage
	Period	Agriculture	Industry	Services	Gross Value Added (GVA)	GDP	GNI
2015	1st Quarter	4.3	-1.4	6.4	3.7	3.9	3.8
	2nd Quarter	8.8	4.6	7.5	6.8	7.1	7.3
	3rd Quarter	5.9	3.6	6.8	5.8	5.9	6.1
	4th Quarter	0.4	2.5	3.5	2.9	3.3	2.2
	<b>Annual</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>4.8</b>
2016 <sup>(b)</sup>	1st Quarter	-5.2	14.8	3.4	6.2	6.2	6.2
	2nd Quarter	-6.3	0.9	3.4	1.9	2.0	1.5
	3rd Quarter	3.0	1.6	5.8	4.3	4.5	4.2
	4th Quarter	-6.1	4.8	6.3	4.8	5.3	5.3
	<b>Annual</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.3</b>
2017 <sup>(b)(c)</sup>	1st Quarter	-4.4	2.9	4.4	3.2	3.2	3.1
	2nd Quarter	-2.6	4.7	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.7
	3rd Quarter	-2.0	4.7	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.2
	4th Quarter	7.2	4.3	3.4	4.0	3.7	3.5
	<b>Annual</b>	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>
2018 <sup>(c)</sup>	1st Quarter	5.1	1.7	5.5	4.2	4.0	4.2
	2nd Quarter	5.6	2.8	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.9
	3rd Quarter	4.0	3.1	4.3	3.9	3.5	3.5
	4th Quarter	4.5	-3.6	4.3	2.1	1.8	1.2
	<b>Annual</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>

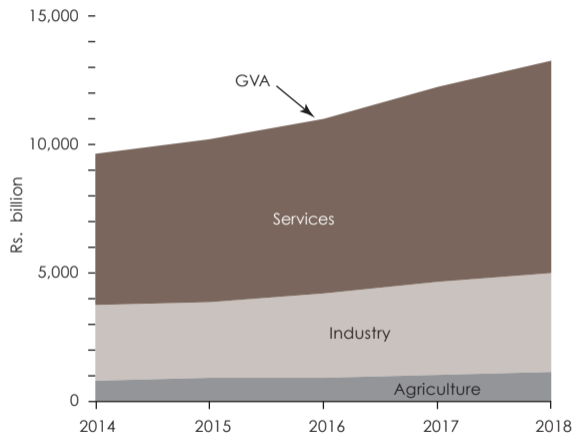
(a) Based on the GDP estimates (base year 2010)

(b) Revised

(c) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

## Gross Value Added at Basic Prices (Current)



## Sectoral Composition of GDP (Rs. bn. at Current Prices)

	2014	2015	2016 <sup>(a)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
Agriculture	830	896	891	1,044	1,137
Industry	2,932	2,975	3,337	3,662	3,900
Services	5,896	6,283	6,771	7,474	8,212
<b>GVA</b>	<b>9,657</b>	<b>10,155</b>	<b>11,000</b>	<b>12,180</b>	<b>13,249</b>

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

Note: Rebased data (2010)

## PROVINCIAL GDP (at Current Market Prices) SHARES AND GROWTH

Province \ Year	Share (%)					GDP (Rs. Mn.)		Per Capita GDP (Rs.)		Growth (%) 2016 / 2017
	2013 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2015 <sup>(a)</sup>	2016 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>	2016 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>	2016 <sup>(a)(b)(d)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)(c)(d)</sup>	
Western	42.2	41.5	39.9	37.9	37.7	4,540,772	5,054,669	753,280	831,223	10.3
Central	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.7	1,277,670	1,436,787	474,970	527,843	11.1
Southern	10.1	10.0	10.1	9.9	9.8	1,188,146	1,313,121	459,809	502,919	9.4
Northern	3.4	3.9	4.1	4.5	4.5	541,431	605,331	489,097	540,957	10.6
Eastern	5.7	5.5	5.7	5.3	5.6	632,592	746,471	384,555	445,123	15.8
North Western	10.9	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.7	1,280,125	1,440,015	516,805	574,169	11.1
North Central	5.1	5.4	5.9	5.9	5.6	706,286	751,131	531,042	556,806	4.9
Uva	5.2	5.4	5.6	7.1	7.6	855,710	1,020,692	641,943	756,629	17.9
Sabaragamuwa	7.0	7.1	7.5	8.1	7.8	973,351	1,050,070	484,495	517,786	6.9
<b>Sri Lanka</b>	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	11,996,083	13,418,287	565,773	625,736	10.6

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

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Revised (c) Provisional

(d) Estimates as per the latest population figures.

Note: Department of Census and Statistics revised the base year of National account compilation from 2002 to 2010.

Hence 2013 onwards, PGDP numbers are calculated based on the new GDP (base year 2010) published by the DCS.

## REGIONAL GDP BY ECONOMIC SECTORS (at Current Market Prices)

Sector \ Province	Rs. million									
	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>2015<sup>(a)</sup></b>										
Agriculture	92,836	125,443	160,595	55,412	82,454	133,857	82,208	90,737	72,686	896,229
Industry	1,505,766	246,373	185,672	103,425	152,739	309,294	122,137	152,500	197,327	2,975,232
Services	2,449,348	704,879	678,853	260,918	343,827	635,180	393,475	322,231	494,668	6,283,379
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,365,166</b>	<b>1,161,070</b>	<b>1,105,453</b>	<b>452,649</b>	<b>624,395</b>	<b>1,162,834</b>	<b>644,667</b>	<b>609,781</b>	<b>824,606</b>	<b>10,950,621</b>
<b>2016<sup>(a)</sup></b>										
Agriculture	95,423	128,379	162,312	62,454	83,752	129,177	73,589	87,414	68,425	890,925
Industry	1,460,494	280,286	199,955	155,318	125,327	325,952	144,099	339,628	306,368	3,337,428
Services	2,607,660	762,871	727,182	278,683	370,965	718,659	429,928	357,585	517,704	6,771,236
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,540,772</b>	<b>1,277,670</b>	<b>1,188,146</b>	<b>541,431</b>	<b>632,592</b>	<b>1,280,125</b>	<b>706,286</b>	<b>855,710</b>	<b>973,351</b>	<b>11,996,083</b>
<b>2017<sup>(b)</sup></b>										
Agriculture	106,211	148,585	185,190	74,615	109,816	143,024	86,330	97,271	93,176	1,044,218
Industry	1,595,625	315,095	214,841	170,080	147,843	370,656	125,254	434,777	287,774	3,661,945
Services	2,886,326	840,503	791,899	304,769	419,918	793,434	470,224	394,443	572,207	7,473,723
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,054,669</b>	<b>1,436,787</b>	<b>1,313,121</b>	<b>605,331</b>	<b>746,471</b>	<b>1,440,015</b>	<b>751,131</b>	<b>1,020,692</b>	<b>1,050,070</b>	<b>13,418,287</b>

(a) Revised (b) Provisional

Note : Based on the new GDP (base year 2010) published by the DCS.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## PRODUCTION AND PRICES OF MAJOR CROPS

Item	Unit	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Production Volume</b>							
Paddy	'000 MT	4,621	3,381	4,819	4,420	2,383	3,930
	'000 Bushels	221,435	162,027	230,940	211,836	114,214	188,340
Tea	Mn. kgs.	340	338	329	293	307	304
Rubber	Mn. kgs.	130	99	89	79	83	83
Coconut	Mn. Nuts	2,513	2,870	3,056	3,011	2,450	2,623
<b>Prices</b>							
Paddy : Producer Price	Rs. per kg.	30.67	39.29	37.74	35.44	46.92	32.38
Tea : Colombo Auction (Gross)	Rs. per kg.	445.83	459.01	401.46	473.15	620.44	581.58
Rubber : F.O.B. Price	Rs. per kg.	389.81	362.83	342.03	294.33	343.56	363.93
Coconut : Wholesale Price	Rs. per Nut	29.59	31.51	33.88	32.13	62.71	60.68
<b>Value of Production, Rs. mn.</b>							
Paddy	Rs. mn.	141,726	106,535	181,869	156,645	111,810	127,253
Tea	Rs. mn.	151,114	156,123	132,080	138,633	190,537	176,684
Rubber	Rs. mn.	50,675	35,788	30,441	23,252	28,515	30,061
Coconut	Rs. mn.	74,360	90,434	103,537	96,743	153,640	159,164

(a) Revised  
(b) Provisional

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics  
Rubber Development Department  
Coconut Development Authority

Central Bank of Sri Lanka  
Sri Lanka Tea Board

## ANNUAL PRODUCTION VOLUME – SUBSIDIARY FOOD CROPS

Item	Metric tonnes					
	2013	2014 <sup>(a)</sup>	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
Manioc	302,782	310,249	324,097	324,080	306,347	323,108
Potatoes	78,751	82,750	97,391	95,805	73,358	88,897
Sweet Potatoes	53,383	50,970	51,988	44,715	40,693	3,323
Chillies (green)	71,175	73,679	62,866	72,311	51,827	79,003
Red Onions	55,592	63,212	61,202	63,675	57,747	61,073
Big Onions	69,635	111,137	89,323	65,223	53,603	28,047
Maize	209,042	240,731	261,115	243,960	195,744	270,041
Cowpea	14,185	15,209	12,276	13,740	8,576	11,180
Green Gram	14,252	14,616	15,058	14,546	9,392	9,856
Black Gram	9,175	9,644	11,901	11,197	7,329	11,852
Kurakkan	7,011	8,851	8,916	8,565	5,574	8,060
Ground Nuts	27,486	25,184	28,503	24,200	22,475	27,602
Ginger	14,075	15,481	17,273	23,184	16,326	14,208
Gingelly	14,236	14,297	13,285	14,913	7,754	8,589
Turmeric	11,282	11,351	14,397	25,204	10,267	10,727
Soya Beans	13,445	10,812	11,254	7,946	14,363	2,500
Sorghum	138	122	101	161	1,300	169
Mustard	185	264	248	220	192	217
Meneri	33	29	43	25	34	57

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics



## FISH PRODUCTION BY PROVINCE

Metric tonnes

Year \ Province		Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
2013	Marine Fish	94,030	–	140,620	55,640	84,570	71,070	–	–	–	445,930
	Inland Fish	1,369	3,043	8,137	3,539	11,225	13,160	17,160	7,506	1,771	66,910
	<b>Total</b>	<b>95,399</b>	<b>3,043</b>	<b>148,757</b>	<b>59,179</b>	<b>95,795</b>	<b>84,230</b>	<b>17,160</b>	<b>7,506</b>	<b>1,771</b>	<b>512,840</b>
2014	Marine Fish	85,320	–	152,790	72,730	75,720	72,740	–	–	–	459,300
	Inland Fish	1,286	2,009	7,110	3,558	12,192	10,760	23,860	10,990	3,985	75,750
	<b>Total</b>	<b>86,606</b>	<b>2,009</b>	<b>159,900</b>	<b>76,288</b>	<b>87,912</b>	<b>83,500</b>	<b>23,860</b>	<b>10,990</b>	<b>3,985</b>	<b>535,050</b>
2015	Marine Fish	75,380	–	156,530	72,560	70,800	77,620	–	–	–	452,890
	Inland Fish	1,315	1,699	4,926	3,736	11,764	13,240	19,100	8,643	2,877	67,300
	<b>Total</b>	<b>76,695</b>	<b>1,699</b>	<b>161,456</b>	<b>76,296</b>	<b>82,564</b>	<b>90,860</b>	<b>19,100</b>	<b>8,643</b>	<b>2,877</b>	<b>520,190</b>
2016	Marine Fish	83,550	–	149,950	75,470	72,460	75,560	–	–	–	456,990
	Inland Fish	1,850	2,149	5,545	6,404	17,950	16,385	16,515	4,665	2,465	73,930
	<b>Total</b>	<b>85,400</b>	<b>2,149</b>	<b>155,495</b>	<b>81,874</b>	<b>90,410</b>	<b>91,945</b>	<b>16,515</b>	<b>4,665</b>	<b>2,465</b>	<b>530,920</b>
2017	Marine Fish	78,095	–	144,600	83,155	77,790	65,800	–	–	–	449,440
	Inland Fish	1,670	2,970	10,640	7,170	19,520	9,600	24,070	3,990	2,240	81,870
	<b>Total</b>	<b>79,765</b>	<b>2,970</b>	<b>155,240</b>	<b>90,325</b>	<b>97,310</b>	<b>75,400</b>	<b>24,070</b>	<b>3,990</b>	<b>2,240</b>	<b>531,310</b>
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	Marine Fish	76,770	–	148,040	78,620	70,600	65,340	–	–	–	439,370
	Inland Fish	3,160	2,470	9,750	3,490	23,300	12,530	24,540	6,710	1,740	87,690
	<b>Total</b>	<b>79,930</b>	<b>2,470</b>	<b>157,790</b>	<b>82,110</b>	<b>93,900</b>	<b>77,870</b>	<b>24,540</b>	<b>6,710</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>527,060</b>

(a) Provisional

Source : Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development

## NATIONAL LIVESTOCK STATISTICS

Type of Livestock		2013	2014	2015 <sup>(a)</sup>	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
'000							
<b>Neat Cattle (No.)</b>							
Milk Cows – Milking at present		306	294	301	284	296	329
Not milking at present		261	245	239	212	259	300
Total Cattle		1,169	1,105	1,088	945	1,001	1,111
<b>Buffaloes (No.)</b>							
Milk Cows – Milking at present		103	90	92	83	86	94
Not milking at present		67	56	56	48	57	58
Total Buffaloes		381	321	323	267	284	309
Goats	(No.)	331	299	309	267	287	315
Sheep	(No.)	9	8	8	8	10	11
Pigs	(No.)	81	105	70	81	95	98
Poultry	(No.)	16,647	16,630	16,744	21,056	21,276	20,531
Ducks	(No.)	13	12	12	12	11	12
<b>Average Monthly Production</b>							
Cow Milk	(Litres)	22,097	22,743	25,449	26,490	27,301	32,140
Buffalo Milk	(Litres)	5,334	5,083	5,754	5,511	5,716	7,160
Total Milk	(Litres)	27,431	27,825	31,204	32,001	33,017	39,299
Eggs	(No.)	136,404	143,441	158,238	171,638	172,739	164,351

(a) Provisional

Source : Department of Census and Statistics

## AGRICULTURAL LAND USE

Item	Heactares '000					
	2013	2014	2015 <sup>(a)</sup>	2016	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Main Agricultural Crops</b>						
Paddy	1,227	964	1,254	1,114	792	1,041
Tea	222	222	203	202	201	201
Rubber	134	134	137	133	137	136
<b>Minor Export Crops</b>						
Cocoa	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.8	1.8
Cinnamon	31.6	31.9	32.1	32.7	33.0	33.6
Cardamom	2.8	2.8	2.8	1.2	1.7	1.7
Cloves	7.6	7.6	7.6	6.8	7.9	8.0
Pepper	32.0	32.3	32.4	39.5	39.3	40.2
Coffee	8.7	8.7	7.4	7.5	4.5	4.5
<b>Selected Other Crops</b>						
Manioc	23.9	23.9	23.9	22.8	22.1	22.4
Maize	67.7	67.2	70.0	67.7	52.5	70.9
Chillies	14.4	14.0	13.0	15.3	10.9	13.6
Red Onions	4.6	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.2	4.0
Big Onions	4.2	6.8	5.6	4.0	3.0	1.4
Potatoes	5.1	5.4	5.5	5.8	4.5	5.2
Gingelly (Sesame)	17.1	14.5	17.8	14.0	9.1	11.9
Sugar Cane (with ratoons) <sup>(c)</sup>	18.5	18.9	17.0	23.6	17.9	15.7
Cowpea	10.8	11.5	9.2	8.2	6.8	9.5
Greengram	11.1	11.8	11.3	11.3	7.4	8.6

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Includes Nucleus Estates and allottees

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics  
Department of Export AgricultureLanka Sugar Company (Pvt) Ltd.  
Galoya Plantation (Pvt) Ltd.

## INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Industrial Category	2013	2014	2015	2016 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
	Rs. million					
<b>Value Added in Manufacturing Activities (Constant 2010 Prices)<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>1,263,922</b>	<b>1,296,100</b>	<b>1,360,976</b>	<b>1,402,393</b>	<b>1,448,383</b>	<b>1,491,653</b>
Manufacture of Food, Beverages & Tobacco Products	507,127	513,960	528,821	529,786	525,211	554,127
Manufacture of Textiles, Wearing Apparel and Leather Related Products	264,527	276,800	282,719	289,001	300,122	310,948
Manufacture of Wood and of Products of Wood and Cork, except Furniture	25,258	23,139	27,320	32,855	32,617	32,834
Manufacture of Paper Products, Printing and Reproduction of Media Products	24,925	24,968	27,728	30,283	31,839	30,519
Manufacture of Coke and Refined Petroleum Products	27,514	28,723	29,075	31,245	29,743	27,312
Manufacture of Chemical Products and Basic Pharmaceutical Products	81,982	82,243	83,179	90,095	92,758	90,941
Manufacture of Rubber and Plastic Products	82,187	71,909	76,144	77,055	85,730	87,754
Manufacture of Other Non-metallic Mineral Products	81,037	78,671	75,191	69,660	78,782	84,035
Manufacture of Basic Metals and Fabricated Metal Products	26,589	24,882	28,953	38,577	43,430	46,512
Manufacture of Machinery and Equipment	30,845	32,064	38,848	46,610	50,971	50,271
Manufacture of Furniture	67,488	82,748	94,489	96,303	99,889	97,564
Other Manufacturing, and Repair and Installation of Machinery and Equipment	44,443	55,993	68,509	70,923	77,291	78,836
<b>Factory Industry Production Index (FIPI) (2010=100)<sup>(d)</sup></b>	<b>108.3</b>	<b>114.9</b>	<b>125.4</b>	<b>122.0</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
<b>Index of Industrial Production (IIP) (2015=100)<sup>(e)</sup></b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>103.3</b>	<b>105.8</b>	<b>106.7</b>

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of the Department of Census and Statistics.

(d) Based on the FIPI (2010=100) compiled by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka and indices are classified according to the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC) Revision 4.

(e) Based on the IIP (2015=100) compiled by the Department of Census and Statistics and indices are classified according to the ISIC Revision 4.

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

## ENERGY

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	
<b>Petroleum</b>							
<b>Imports</b>							
Crude Oil: Quantity	MT '000	1,743	1,824	1,763	1,685	1,591	1,674
Value (C.I.F.)	Rs. Mn.	182,064	187,760	100,578	86,969	107,397	160,024
Refined Products <sup>(b)(c)</sup> : Quantity	MT '000	2,907	3,385	3,321	3,885	4,895	4,959
Value (C.I.F.)	Rs. Mn.	352,984	391,651	244,148	246,233	375,374	475,521
<b>Locally Refined Products, MT '000</b>							
Petrol		144	152	154	166	165	165
Diesel <sup>(d)</sup>		390	496	510	583	509 (e)	568
Kerosene		57	65	75	104	57 (e)	35
Furnace Oil		724	641	552	479	432 (e)	424
Aviation Fuel		125	168	155	148	236 (e)	237
<b>Local Consumption, MT '000</b>							
Petrol		788	836	1011	1172	1,277	1,368
Diesel <sup>(d)</sup>		1,755	2,008	1,853	2,218	2,286	2,088
Kerosene		126	122	130	137	161	210
Furnace Oil		827	915	630	817	1,040	949
L.P. Gas		218	232	293	356	412	435
<b>Electricity</b>							
Available Capacity, MW		3,362	3,932	3,847	4,018	4,138	4,085
Units Generated, GWh		11,898	12,357	13,090	14,149	14,671	15,255
Hydro <sup>(f)</sup>		5,990	3,632	4,904	3,481	3,059	5,149
Thermal and Other <sup>(g)</sup>		5,908	8,725	8,185	10,668	11,612	10,106
Sales, GWh		10,621	11,063	11,786	12,785	13,430	14,100
Domestic and Religious		3,546	3,585	3,943	4,272	4,463	4,641
Industrial, General Purposes and Hotel		5,660	6,018	6,288	6,851	7,263	7,710

(a) Provisional

(b) Imports by Ceylon Petroleum Corporation, Lanka IOC and Lanka Marine Services (Pvt) Ltd.

(c) Excluding Coal

(d) Super and Auto Diesel

(e) Revised

(f) Excluding mini hydro

(g) Includes private power generation, coal and mini hydro power generation

Sources : Ceylon Petroleum Corporation  
Lanka Marine Services (Pvt) Ltd.  
Laugfs Gas PLC  
Sri Lanka CustomsLanka IOC PLC  
Litro Gac Lanka Ltd.  
Ceylon Electricity Board  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## ELECTRICITY SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	LECO	All Island
<b>No. of Consumer Accounts</b>											
2014	1,370,114	883,595	679,316	241,719	418,014	720,471	372,667	325,787	405,847	1	5,417,532
2015	1,235,682	911,417	702,117	270,263	442,447	753,125	390,774	342,013	428,649	1	5,649,132
2016	1,281,087	957,200	731,831	306,565	479,953	797,194	422,903	364,622	447,709	1	5,964,194
2017	1,316,118	982,134	749,918	339,420	516,695	828,918	436,174	381,433	464,726	1	6,193,130
2018	1,349,535	1,002,820	766,864	356,253	535,636	848,767	448,008	390,670	475,925	1	6,354,280
<b>Sales (Gwh)</b>											
2014	4,823	1,043	878	260	504	1,094	404	278	427	1,352	11,063
2015	3,730	1,133	930	301	557	1,165	438	301	457	1,446	11,786
2016	4,020	1,212	1,016	342	626	1,270	506	333	491	1,553	12,785
2017	4,267	1,266	1,064	384	673	1,330	529	350	513	1,595	13,431
2018	4,544	1,310	1,126	419	712	1,372	566	371	541	1,640	14,091
<b>Generation (Gwh) (Excluding self generation)</b>											
2014	3,653	3,768	2	155	-	3,921	-	28	829	-	12,357
2015	2,590	4,985	1	157	-	4,696	-	81	648	-	13,159
2016	4,372	3,612	2	169	-	5,306	-	69	719	-	14,249
2017	4,643	3,434	191	172	15	5,396	20	50	749	-	14,670
2018	3,544	5,506	96	145	15	4,997	20	74	823	-	15,220

Note 1: Transmission Bulk Supply to Lanka Electricity Company Ltd. (LECO) is shown as a total and accounted as one account.

Note 2: Street Lighting Consumer Accounts are accounted as one account.

Sources : Ceylon Electricity Board  
Lanka Electricity Company Ltd.

## PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES

Item		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
Hospitals (practicing Western Medicine)	No.	603	601	610	610	612	613
Beds	No.	74,636	76,918	76,781	76,829	76,569	76,774
Primary Medical Care Units	No.	481	484	475	475	506	506
Doctors	No.	17,553	17,903	19,429 <sup>(c)</sup>	20,458	20,349	20,947
Assistant Medical Practitioners	No.	1,057	1,055	1,017	1,011	910	895
Nurses	No.	30,928	31,964	32,272	32,499	34,221	36,165
Attendants	No.	8,091	8,215	8,689	8,268	9,218	n.a.
In - Patients	No. '000	5,926	6,120	6,322	6,493	6,910	n.a.
Out - Patients	No. '000	53,861	55,105	54,652	53,044	55,520	n.a.
Ayurvedic Physicians <sup>(d)</sup>	No.	21,060	22,422	22,672	23,082	23,206	25,431
Total Health Expenditure	Rs. mn.	119,530	138,403	177,789	186,149	196,820	218,462
Recurrent Expenditure	Rs. mn.	99,609	116,151	140,560	155,402	161,312	180,568
Capital Expenditure	Rs. mn.	19,920	22,252	37,230	30,747	35,509	37,893
Total Health Expenditure as a % of GDP <sup>(e)</sup>		1.25	1.34	1.62	1.55	1.47	1.51

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional.

(c) Including Intern Medical Officers.

(d) Registered with the Ayurvedic Medical Council.

(e) Data from 2010 are based on the base year 2010 GDP estimates of DCS

n.a. – Not available

Sources : Ministry of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine  
 Department of Ayurveda  
 Ministry of Finance  
 Department of Census and Statistics  
 Central Bank of Sri Lanka





## WATER CONSUMPTION AND REVENUE BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>No. of Consumers</b>										
2014	833,648	224,217	276,334	12,189	163,349	64,030	91,900	76,064	90,267	1,831,998
2015	878,379	236,052	293,217	14,834	185,298	69,182	100,668	81,307	94,784	1,953,721
2016	937,246	248,735	303,423	17,817	216,552	73,782	107,686	86,273	100,957	2,092,471
2017	986,928	261,356	312,024	21,653	243,424	78,036	114,351	94,794	106,606	2,219,172
2018	1,026,852	272,559	320,351	24,199	264,831	82,548	121,541	103,307	112,466	2,328,654
<b>Quantity of Water Sold (m<sup>3</sup> Mn.)</b>										
2014	230.3	43.3	53.6	2.0	24.9	13.0	19.2	14.0	15.8	416.2
2015	242.1	45.9	56.7	2.4	28.3	13.6	20.8	14.6	17.2	441.7
2016	268.9	51.1	61.7	2.9	34.9	15.4	23.8	16.6	19.5	494.7
2017	274.1	53.4	62.7	3.3	39.1	15.4	24.5	17.1	19.9	509.5
2018	284.5	55.0	66.0	3.7	43.5	17.1	25.4	18.3	20.6	534.1
<b>Revenue Billed (Rs. Mn.)</b>										
2014	12,159.2	1,595.6	2,254.7	92.6	980.5	494.8	850.8	575.9	691.2	19,695.2
2015	12,641.7	1,648.4	2,319.6	107.3	1,070.3	502.9	896.4	584.8	713.4	20,484.8
2016	14,732.7	1,925.6	2,640.3	125.9	1,379.4	590.3	1,079.8	687.4	875.0	24,036.3
2017	15,061.0	2,044.0	2,744.6	146.1	1,533.6	593.3	1,119.9	718.1	912.0	24,872.8
2018	15,822.8	2,111.5	2,921.8	160.5	1,701.2	656.7	1,151.4	760.7	945.4	26,232.1
<b>Revenue Collected (Rs. Mn.)</b>										
2014	12,324.8	1,574.0	2,209.4	95.3	993.6	497.8	894.1	577.1	682.0	19,848.1
2015	13,045.1	1,681.5	2,387.5	106.9	1,085.4	520.1	930.1	613.5	719.0	21,089.1
2016	14,550.8	1,934.0	2,765.8	125.4	1,313.1	595.7	1,067.7	680.3	859.0	23,891.8
2017	15,343.0	2,130.7	2,809.5	144.3	1,669.9	600.5	1,176.7	732.4	938.8	25,546.1
2018	16,382.0	2,181.6	2,970.1	171.5	1,788.8	677.9	1,212.5	859.9	1,004.4	27,248.7

Source : National Water Supply and Drainage Board

## COMMUNICATIONS

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Post Offices</b>	<b>4,628</b>	<b>4,692</b>	<b>4,692</b>	<b>4,691</b>	<b>4,690</b>	<b>4,692</b>
Main Post Offices	651	653	653	652	653	653
Sub-Post Offices	3,375	3,410	3,410	3,410	3,409	3,410
Private Post Offices	602	629	629	629	628	629
Area served by a Post Office (sq. km)	14	13	13	14	14	15
Population served by a Post Office (No.)	4,447	4,427	4,468	4,520	4,572	4,791
<b>Telephones</b>	<b>23,021,937</b>	<b>24,832,848</b>	<b>26,985,740</b>	<b>28,778,063</b>	<b>30,802,261</b>	<b>35,012,720</b>
Wireline Telephones in Service (No.)	1,062,065	1,123,126	1,128,291	1,166,348	1,198,483	1,215,967
Wireless Local Loop Telephones (No.)	1,644,722 <sup>(b)</sup>	1,586,722	1,472,905	1,384,084	1,404,695	1,268,649
Cellular Phones (No.)	20,315,150 <sup>(b)</sup>	22,123,000	24,384,544	26,227,631	28,199,083	32,528,104
Telephone Penetration (per 100 persons)	111.9	119.6	128.7	135.7	143.6	161.6
Public Pay Phones	6,773	6,642	5,809	5,301	5,137	5,091
<b>E-mail and Internet Subscribers<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>2,009,456</b>	<b>3,396,295</b>	<b>4,090,920</b>	<b>4,920,554</b>	<b>5,904,260</b>	<b>7,263,161</b>

(a) Provisional.

(b) Wireless Local Loop telephones and Cellular phones declined in 2013 due to a revision in the classification of active subscribers in January 2013.

(c) Including mobile internet connections.

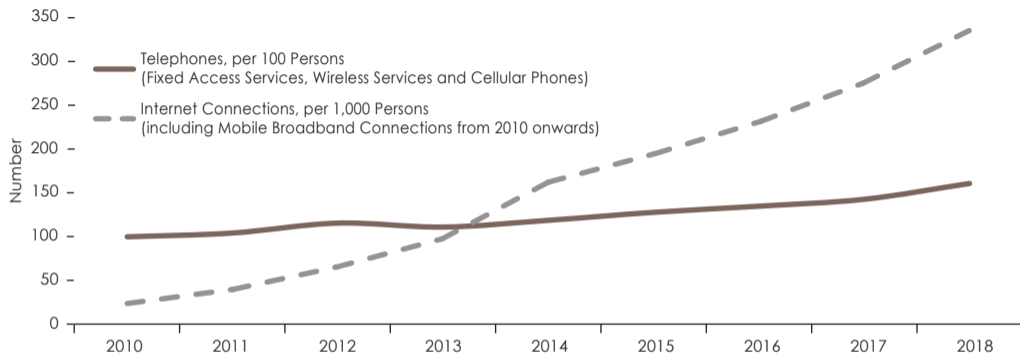
Sources : Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka  
Department of Census and Statistics  
Department of Posts

## TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province										Number
	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Land Phones</b>										
<b>Sri Lanka Telecom Ltd. (includes Wireline and CDMA provided by SLT)</b>										
2014	824,595	171,852	149,628	68,470	82,014	112,574	63,651	82,728	107,785	1,663,297
2015	821,168	167,980	147,395	72,903	80,781	51,123	127,554	84,765	109,547	1,663,216
2016	836,708	167,602	150,408	72,552	80,417	51,090	127,985	86,393	111,523	1,684,678
2017	854,509	172,042	153,539	73,693	80,944	117,410	68,323	87,608	116,271	1,724,339
2018	836,474	167,418	148,290	72,824	80,186	127,244	67,802	88,649	128,311	1,717,198
<b>Wireless Local Loop &amp; CDMA (provided by Dialog Broadband and Lankabell)</b>										
2014	266,389	135,782	142,310	33,142	30,807	130,396	83,026	113,075	111,624	1,046,551
2015	239,578	123,476	128,869	32,543	31,915	138,831	95,195	198,355	99,084	1,087,846
2016	233,018	113,728	116,535	20,276	23,926	106,612	63,719	100,255	87,685	865,754
2017	319,176	105,688	102,409	16,337	20,658	94,826	54,040	89,296	76,409	878,839
2018	307,640	88,347	83,632	12,906	16,952	77,903	43,156	74,065	62,817	767,418
<b>Public Pay Phones</b>										
2014	3,307	801	659	76	255	647	292	234	371	6,642
2015	2,678	351	609	83	244	593	274	206	771	5,809
2016	2,510	689	520	74	205	550	241	196	312	5,297
2017	2,438	684	510	74	205	518	238	186	284	5,137
2018	2,430	672	510	74	205	494	238	186	282	5,091

Source : Telecommunication Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

## Selected Socio Economic Indicators



	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
Telephones, per 100 Persons (Fixed Access Services, Wireless Services and Cellular Phones)	100.7	105.1	116.4	111.9	119.6	128.7	135.7	143.6	161.6
Internet Connections, per 1,000 Persons (including Mobile Broadband Connections from 2010 onwards)	24.3	40.4	66.9	97.6	163.5	195.1	232.1	275.3	335.2

(a) Provisional

## POSTAL SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province		Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>No. of Main Post Offices</b>	2014	147	101	93	52	56	65	39	46	54	653
	2015	148	102	91	52	56	65	39	46	54	653
	2016	148	102	91	52	56	65	39	46	54	653
	2017	147	102	91	52	57	65	39	46	54	653
	2018	147	102	92	52	57	65	38	46	54	653
<b>No. of Sub Post Offices</b>	2014	553	532	509	264	222	419	272	253	386	3,410
	2015	553	534	507	264	222	419	272	253	386	3,410
	2016	553	534	507	264	222	419	272	253	386	3,410
	2017	553	532	510	264	222	419	273	253	384	3,410
	2018	532	532	505	264	220	418	274	250	385	3,380
<b>No. of Agency Post Offices/ Co-operative Thrift Society and Estate Agency Post Offices</b>	2014	326	58	43	26	17	64	24	18	53	629
	2015	326	58	43	26	17	64	24	18	53	629
	2016	262	21	28	26	19	41	12	18	20	447
	2017	262	19	17	26	19	25	12	18	14	412
	2018	109	15	15	26	5	20	11	3	6	210 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Total No. of Post Offices</b>	2014	1,026	691	645	342	295	548	335	317	493	4,692
	2015	1,027	694	641	342	295	548	335	317	493	4,692
	2016	963	657	626	342	297	525	323	317	460	4,510
	2017	962	653	618	342	298	509	324	317	452	4,475
	2018	788	649	612	342	282	503	323	299	445	4,243

(a) Revised

(b) Active Post Office (DPMG Report)

Source : Department of Posts

## TRANSPORTATION

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Road Kilometrage<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>12,169</b>	<b>12,208</b>	<b>12,210</b>	<b>12,210</b>	<b>12,210</b>	<b>12,220</b>
<b>New Registration of Motor Vehicles</b>	<b>326,651</b>	<b>429,556</b>	<b>668,907</b>	<b>493,328</b>	<b>451,653</b>	<b>480,799</b>
Buses and Coaches	1,805	3,851	4,140	2,685	3,331	2,957
Cars	28,380	38,780	105,628	45,172	39,182	80,776
Motor Cycles	169,280	272,885	370,889	340,129	344,380	339,763
Goods Transport Vehicles <sup>(d)</sup>	30,475	25,920	46,598	34,450	28,174	26,302
Land Vehicles	13,038	9,082	12,105	13,947	13,049	10,282
Three Wheelers	83,673	79,038	129,547	56,945	23,537	20,063
Quadricycles and Motor Homes	–	–	–	–	–	656
<b>SLTB / Regional Bus Companies</b>						
Buses Operated (Average per day)	4,373	4,226	5,284	5,314	5,266	5,227
Passenger Kilometres, mn.	12,201	12,717	15,210	16,101	15,810	15,541
Private Operator Buses (Permits issued)	19,651	20,421	19,397	19,614	19,998	20,030
<b>Sri Lanka Railways</b>						
Passenger Kilometres, mn.	6,257	6,842	7,407	7,413	7,495	7,710
Freight Ton Kilometres, mn.	133	130	130	140	145	120
<b>SriLankan Airlines</b>						
Passenger Kilometres Flown, mn.	12,988	12,719	12,747	12,855	14,169	16,180
Passengers, '000	4,019	4,169	4,314	4,476	5,355	5,882
Freight, MT '000	100	96	103	113	124	136

(a) Revised.

(b) Provisional.

(c) Kilometrage of A and B class roads maintained by Road Development Authority.

(d) Includes dual purpose vehicles.

Sources : Road Development Authority  
 Department of Motor Traffic  
 Sri Lanka Transport Board  
 Sri Lanka Railways  
 Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka

## REGIONAL BUS COMPANIES SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>No. of Buses Operated</b>										
2013	1,151	570	410	179	214	499	442	419	503	4,387
2014	1,349	739	446	200	263	541	403	496	566	5,003
2015	1,416	789	493	241	308	587	421	573	612	5,440
2016	1,335	793	486	245	301	581	424	568	603	5,336
2017	1,276	789	480	236	295	588	420	578	604	5,266
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	1,266	764	470	242	291	584	426	601	591	5,235
<b>Operated km. Mn.</b>										
2013	82.3	41.3	35.8	15.3	20.7	42.0	35.0	31.4	38.8	342.8
2014	95.0	42.4	38.5	17.1	23.7	43.5	38.4	35.1	35.1	368.8
2015	109.7	54.6	45.4	23.3	30.3	50.4	38.5	45.4	40.3	437.8
2016 <sup>(b)</sup>	109.8	56.1	46.1	25.8	32.1	51.6	40.6	48.4	41.2	451.6
2017 <sup>(b)</sup>	90.7	48.5	38.1	21.7	26.7	45.5	34.8	40.9	35.1	382.1
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	105.0	55.6	44.6	25.8	31.9	52.8	40.9	49.1	40.6	446.4
<b>Passenger km. Mn.</b>										
2013	2,908.4	1,630.2	1,370.4	538.0	824.0	1,407.4	1,243.4	1,040.3	1,241.9	12,203.9
2014	3,146.9	1,709.3	1,337.7	570.9	932.9	1,451.7	1,305.9	1,139.8	1,122.4	12,714.4
2015	3,677.0	2,143.4	1,598.5	824.1	1,166.1	1,663.0	1,330.4	1,470.7	1,337.3	15,210.3
2016	3,469.9	2,127.3	1,498.9	861.4	1,170.0	1,772.1	1,313.5	1,560.1	1,455.3	15,228.4
2017	3,465.6	2,241.3	1,624.8	919.8	1,272.8	1,826.5	1,455.9	1,679.9	1,215.3	15,710.8
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	3,320.7	2,234.3	1,566.1	911.6	1,250.0	1,849.8	1,490.6	1,587.2	1,299.7	15,510.0

(a) Provisional (b) Revised

Source : Sri Lanka Transport Board

Note : Buses under SLTTS (Sri Lanka Tourist Transport Service), are included in Western Province from 2014 onwards.

## PRIVATE OPERATOR BUS SERVICES BY PROVINCE

Year \ Province	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>No. of Buses Operated</b>										
2013	5,384	2,783	1,753	963	530	1,925	831	1,143	1,755	17,067
2014	6,746	2,806	1,816	968	460	1,820	764	1,152	2,001	21,353*
2015	4,802	2,012	1,240	997	416	1,258	609	810	1,700	16,950*
2016	4,302	2,367	1,191	901	501	1,470	625	785	1,772	17,131*
2017	4,154	2,410	1,280	965	493	1,478	626	825	1,715	16,972*
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	5,854	2,481	1,281	925	540	1,482	626	1,144	1,729	19,055*
<b>Operated km. Mn.</b>										
2013	267.3	138.2	87.0	47.8	26.3	95.6	41.2	56.7	87.1	847.2
2014	361.8	152.4	112.7	50.4	27.3	115.2	45.9	64.0	112.1	1,336.2*
2015	238.4	99.9	61.6	49.5	20.7	62.4	30.2	40.2	84.4	1,012.6*
2016	214.1	117.8	59.2	44.8	24.9	73.1	31.1	39.1	88.2	1,030.2*
2017	206.2	119.6	63.5	47.9	24.4	73.3	31.0	40.9	85.1	1,008.8*
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	290.5	123.1	63.5	45.9	26.8	73.6	31.0	56.7	85.8	1,110.4
<b>Passenger km. Mn.</b>										
2013	14,031.2	7,252.8	4,568.5	2,509.7	1,381.2	5,016.7	2,165.7	2,978.8	4,573.7	44,478.3
2014	16,715.2	7,040.3	5,205.9	2,328.0	1,261.2	5,321.5	2,121.6	2,954.6	5,181.1	65,676.7*
2015	11,012.8	4,614.3	2,843.8	2,286.5	954.0	2,885.1	1,396.7	1,857.6	3,898.8	47,552.4*
2016	9,893.1	5,443.3	2,738.9	2,072.0	1,152.1	3,380.5	1,437.3	1,805.2	4,074.9	49,544.5*
2017	9,256.7	5,527.0	2,935.5	2,213.1	1,130.6	3,389.6	1,435.6	1,892.0	3,933.1	50,542.4*
2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	13,425.4	5,689.8	2,937.8	2,121.4	1,238.4	3,398.8	1,435.6	2,623.6	3,965.2	55,459.8*

(a) Provisional

Source : National Transport Commission

\* These figures include the data related to the permits issued by the National Transport Commission as well.



## MOTOR VEHICLES BY PROVINCE<sup>(a)</sup>

Number

Vehicle Category	Western	Central	Southern	Northern	Eastern	North Western	North Central	Uva	Sabara-gamuwa	All Island
<b>Year 2017</b>										
Omnibuses *	5,946	1,743	1,980	1,014	654	2,082	828	1,329	1,911	17,487
Private Coaches **	14,173	3,835	5,960	744	686	4,117	1,131	1,175	3,186	35,007
Dual Purpose Vehicles	127,117	37,719	40,599	8,469	14,225	53,882	24,888	17,485	25,523	349,907
Private Cars	266,263	56,549	53,659	5,632	12,125	53,043	20,762	16,646	34,552	519,231
Land Vehicles	10,708	3,936	14,812	14,175	21,551	15,810	11,337	9,504	3,360	105,193
Goods Transport Vehicles	76,789	24,501	24,016	5,771	7,096	34,994	12,315	10,526	18,485	214,493
Motor Cycles	679,349	152,818	367,631	183,024	241,997	409,446	226,577	114,808	155,956	2,531,606
Threewheelers	282,587	130,731	133,894	18,715	50,259	101,710	59,854	69,066	119,632	966,448
Others	374	91	100	145	66	97	47	2,478	95	3,493
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,463,306</b>	<b>411,923</b>	<b>642,651</b>	<b>237,689</b>	<b>348,659</b>	<b>675,181</b>	<b>357,739</b>	<b>243,017</b>	<b>362,700</b>	<b>4,742,865</b>
<b>Year 2018<sup>(b)</sup></b>										
Omnibuses *	6,424	2,761	6,196	1,030	634	6,460	857	1,030	1,803	54,189
Private Coaches **	14,997	3,043	2,018	902	780		1,202	1,180	2,872	
Dual Purpose Vehicles	130,794	39,947	42,194	10,046	14,988	56,590	25,797	18,669	24,528	363,553
Private Cars	296,888	63,592	60,895	7,160	14,286	60,594	23,293	19,127	36,740	582,575
Land Vehicles	11,179	3,909	14,710	16,050	22,473	15,931	11,417	9,555	2,952	108,176
Goods Transport Vehicles	79,930	24,812	22,997	5,212	7,977	35,761	12,644	11,390	18,329	219,052
Motor Cycles	731,065	168,572	392,793	210,502	262,296	441,671	240,704	122,971	159,188	2,729,762
Threewheelers	286,265	136,270	136,236	21,295	51,208	101,112	59,511	70,022	110,035	971,954
Others	441	207	94	88	157	164	22	205	517	1,895
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,557,983</b>	<b>443,113</b>	<b>678,133</b>	<b>272,285</b>	<b>374,799</b>	<b>718,283</b>	<b>375,447</b>	<b>254,149</b>	<b>356,964</b>	<b>5,031,156</b>

(a) Motor Vehicles with valid revenue licenses. (b) Provisional.

Sources : Divisional Secretariats

\* Buses owned by SLTB and private buses with route permits.

\*\* Other private buses and coaches without route permits.

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## PORT SERVICES

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Vessels Arrived</b>	<b>3,976</b>	<b>4,264</b>	<b>4,728</b>	<b>4,998</b>	<b>4,879</b>	<b>4,874</b>
Colombo	3,667	3,742	4,197	4,405	4,329	4,331
Galle	36	60	72	96	87	84
Trincomalee	134	127	164	216	233	189
Hambantota	139	335	295	281	230	270
<b>Cargo Handled (Loaded and Discharged), MT '000</b>	<b>66,243</b>	<b>74,410</b>	<b>77,579</b>	<b>86,519</b>	<b>93,857</b>	<b>104,935</b>
Colombo	63,482	70,794	73,718	81,879	89,035	100,152
Galle	207	394	542	771	712	729
Trincomalee	2,435	2,748	3,027	3,514	3,897	3,560
Hambantota	119	474	293	355	213	494
<b>Port of Colombo – Cargo Handled, MT '000</b>	<b>63,482</b>	<b>70,794</b>	<b>73,718</b>	<b>81,879</b>	<b>89,035</b>	<b>100,152</b>
Containerised	56,195	63,329	65,682	73,682	79,825	90,016
Break Bulk	364	601	1,113	879	843	692
Dry Bulk	2,657	2,444	2,344	2,572	2,501	2,825
Liquid Bulk	4,265	4,420	4,579	4,746	5,865	6,618
<b>Port of Colombo – Container Throughput, TEUs '000</b>	<b>4,306.2</b>	<b>4,907.9</b>	<b>5,185.5</b>	<b>5,734.9</b>	<b>6,209.1</b>	<b>7,047.5</b>
Domestic (Exports and Imports)	1,032.0	1,127.0	1,218.0	1,299.9	1,383.6	1,343.2
Transhipment	3,208.1	3,699.7	3,888.3	4,355.3	4,741.6	5,602.4
Re-stowing	66.1	81.2	79.2	79.8	83.9	101.9
<b>Revenue, Rs. Mn.</b>	<b>37,232</b>	<b>37,492</b>	<b>40,805</b>	<b>44,080</b>	<b>45,740<sup>(b)</sup></b>	<b>52,283</b>
Colombo	35,804	35,159	37,214	39,913	41,456 <sup>(b)</sup>	49,606
Galle	478	696	915	1,239	1,388	1,623
Trincomalee	366	400	530	886	1,120	1,054
Hambantota	585	1,237	2,145	2,042	1,776	n.a.

(a) Provisional (b) Revised

TEUs : Twenty Foot Equivalent Container Units

Source : Sri Lanka Ports Authority

## PRICES

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Indicators of Price Level</b>						
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2006/07 = 100)	174.2	179.9	181.5	188.3	-	-
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	195.2	202.5	212.4	221.7	-	-
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	151.0	152.7	138.2	138.0	-	-
Transport	190.2	198.9	182.9	187.1	-	-
Communication	90.3	93.9	94.0	100.5	-	-
Education	142.6	143.3	148.1	155.2	-	-
CCPI Core <sup>(b)</sup>	166.5	172.3	177.6	186.7	-	-
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2013 = 100)	-	105.1	107.4	111.7	119.0	124.1
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	-	104.3	110.0	116.7	127.5	131.8
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	-	108.9	110.3	110.1	110.2	111.4
Transport	-	101.7	91.1	92.9	96.9	105.8
Communication	-	103.5	103.5	110.0	119.8	118.0
Health	-	104.1	111.7	126.0	144.2	158.2
Clothing and Footwear	-	100.9	111.9	119.2	126.3	134.9
CCPI Core <sup>(c)</sup>	-	105.8	111.1	116.0	122.8	127.1
National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) (2013 = 100)	-	105.5	109.5	113.8	122.6	125.2
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	-	105.2	110.7	114.1	127.0	126.8
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	-	110.1	114.7	114.8	115.8	117.3
Transport	-	102.7	92.8	97.6	103.3	112.0
Communication	-	103.7	103.8	110.9	121.2	119.7
Health	-	105.4	114.8	128.0	140.7	151.3
Clothing and Footwear	-	103.2	110.5	114.5	118.2	122.8
NCPI Core <sup>(d)</sup>	-	105.7	110.6	117.1	122.8	125.8
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100)	-	101.6	105.3	107.1	125.3	133.2
Implicit GDP Deflator (1996 = 100)	414.3	426.3	429.1	449.9 <sup>(e)</sup>	486.6 <sup>(a)(e)</sup>	507.7
Cost of Construction Index (1990=100)	590.4	604.9	621.3	643.4	677.0	706.0

(a) Provisional (b) Based on CCPI (2006/07)=100 (c) Based on CCPI (2013=100)

(d) Based on NCPI (2013=100) (e) Revised

Note: Compilation of Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07=100) was discontinued since January 2017.

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics

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## PRICES (Contd.)

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Price Changes (Annual average), %</b>						
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2006/07 = 100)	6.9	3.3	0.9	3.7	-	-
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	7.9	3.8	4.9	4.4	-	-
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	10.7	1.1	-9.5	-0.1	-	-
Transport	4.6	4.5	-8.0	2.3	-	-
Communication	0.0	4.0	0.1	6.9	-	-
Education	0.9	0.5	3.4	4.8	-	-
CCPI Core <sup>(b)</sup>	4.4	3.5	3.1	5.1	-	-
Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI) (2013 = 100)	-	-	2.2	4.0	6.6	4.3
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	-	-	5.5	6.1	9.3	3.3
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	-	-	1.4	-0.2	0.1	1.0
Transport	-	-	-10.4	2.0	4.3	9.2
Communication	-	-	0.0	6.3	8.9	-1.5
Health	-	-	7.2	12.9	14.4	9.7
Clothing and Footwear	-	-	10.9	6.5	6.0	6.8
CCPI Core <sup>(c)</sup>	-	-	4.9	4.4	5.9	3.5
National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) (2013 = 100)	-	-	3.8	4.0	7.7	2.1
Sub Indices :						
Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	-	-	5.2	3.1	11.3	-0.2
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels	-	-	4.2	0.1	0.9	1.3
Transport	-	-	-9.6	5.1	5.9	8.4
Communication	-	-	0.1	6.8	9.3	-1.3
Health	-	-	8.9	11.5	9.9	7.6
Clothing and Footwear	-	-	7.1	3.7	3.2	4.0
NCPI Core <sup>(d)</sup>	-	-	4.6	5.9	4.9	2.4
Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100)	-	-	3.6	1.7	17.0	6.3
Implicit GDP Deflator (1996 = 100)	6.2	2.9	0.6	4.8 <sup>(e)</sup>	8.2 <sup>(a)(e)</sup>	4.3
Cost of Construction Index (1990=100)	7.2	2.5	2.7	3.6	5.2	4.3

(a) Provisional    (b) Based on CCPI (2006/07)=100    (c) Based on CCPI (2013=100)

(d) Based on NCPI (2013=100)    (e) Revised

Note: Compilation of Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07=100) was discontinued since January 2017.

Sources : Department of Census and Statistics  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka  
Construction Industry Development Authority

## PURCHASING MANAGERS' INDEX (PMI)

		Year \ Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
PMI Manufacturing	2018	51.7	55.6	65.6	45.5	60.6	57.6	57.2	58.2	54.1	58.2	54.3	53.7	
	2019	54.4	50.6	66.9	41.0	50.7	53.9	55.7	-	-	-	-	-	
PMI Services	2018	56.6	58.4	58.0	53.2	56.9	58.7	57.8	57.0	53.0	55.5	52.6	54.7	
	2019	55.8	53.0	56.3	45.3	44.7	53.1	57.1	-	-	-	-	-	

**Note :**

The Index

PMI is calculated as a 'Diffusion Index', where it takes values between 0 to 100.

PMI = 50; sector remained neutral

PMI > 50; sector is generally expanding

PMI < 50; sector is generally contracting

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## PRICES OF SELECTED FOOD ITEMS

Rs. per kg.

Item	Producer Price (Average)			Retail Price (Average)					
	All Island			All Island			Colombo City <sup>(a)</sup>		
	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Rice</b>									
Samba	38.58	49.07	47.93	95.58	101.58	106.18	90.33	100.82	112.18
Par-Boiled	34.48	46.26	41.19	76.69	90.59	85.58	78.54	92.59	90.98
Kekulu	34.85	46.51	41.54	69.60	86.03	79.08	68.04	88.18	75.41
<b>Vegetables</b>									
Green Beans	117.10	112.18	109.39	183.39	176.78	203.73	190.00	173.33	234.90
Carrot	108.78	112.28	126.14	168.30	176.58	220.60	151.09	149.00	243.63
Leeks	86.29	83.68	108.84	143.24	138.26	194.75	124.55	135.24	213.53
Tomatoes	63.70	83.22	76.71	115.06	140.00	143.71	101.30	146.19	156.47
Ash Plantains	47.97	53.98	54.46	94.52	103.29	108.53	91.59	109.52	134.31
Pumpkin	43.76	52.25	42.60	84.79	95.77	85.81	80.00	93.81	93.86
Bitter Gourd	97.66	116.95	108.90	158.13	184.87	187.66	147.61	188.10	187.06
Brinjals	57.90	66.28	65.34	100.96	117.35	123.58	103.70	145.00	157.06
<b>Leafy Vegetables</b>									
Gotukola <sup>(c)</sup>	71.49	72.42	62.22	25.04	26.39	29.20	34.55	32.38	19.02
Mukunuwenna <sup>(c)</sup>	58.27	59.63	53.55	26.35	27.58	29.97	29.13	32.75	46.27
<b>Yams</b>									
Potatoes	99.78	113.34	88.64	134.74	145.90	142.02	141.04	156.67	152.90
Manioc	35.75	43.67	36.15	61.62	72.59	65.28	74.09	87.62	69.80
Sweet Potatoes	47.95	49.65	52.41	82.27	85.23	94.80	90.43	96.67	101.20

(a) Up to 2017, Colombo city prices consisted prices from the Pettah market. From 2018 onwards, after revamping the Country Wide Data Collection System (CWDCS), Colombo city prices consisted prices from Borella market instead of Pettah market.

(b) Provisional

(c) Producer prices represent prices per kg while retail prices are for a bunch.

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## PRICES OF SELECTED FOOD ITEMS (Contd.)

Rs. per kg.

Item	Producer Price (Average)			Retail Price (Average)					
	All Island			All Island			Colombo City <sup>(a)</sup>		
	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
Green Gram	182.81	183.23	167.89	228.94	234.31	229.64	227.61	228.57	217.47
Dried Chillies	264.25	210.62	198.25	349.26	259.07	281.90	348.33	244.12	302.55
Red Onions	74.29	136.14	106.68	123.39	236.50	186.07	126.38	311.42	242.35
Dhal (Mysore)	–	–	–	183.29	167.56	165.48	173.21	164.89	135.88
<b>Meat and Eggs</b>									
Beef	–	–	–	650.60	747.09	851.12	809.09	907.14	973.73
Chicken (Broiler – with skin)	344.92	348.27	369.70	405.86	416.22	436.32	417.27	394.00	424.20
Eggs (Farm) (each)	14.19	12.47	13.10	16.19	14.19	15.61	14.67	12.79	15.78
<b>Sea Fish</b>									
Seer (Thora)	793.22	811.22	839.20	1,173.76	1,221.96	1,241.44	1,365.31	1,390.00	1,392.55
Trevally (Paraw)	550.80	590.65	627.74	770.46	815.75	792.12	694.78	869.44	771.18
Skip Jack (Balaya)	391.65	378.12	340.47	601.10	596.02	562.68	411.88	391.11	657.65
Tuna (Kelawalla)	498.73	535.85	528.91	802.07	850.57	858.29	685.83	812.22	941.33
Sail Fish (Talapath)	601.33	599.92	669.68	877.65	960.93	986.89	720.87	842.35	1,221.60
<b>Dried Fish</b>									
Queen Fish (Kattawa)	724.25	780.91	948.57	1,040.80	1,078.03	1,142.54	1,056.25	1,100.00	1,319.61
Skip Jack (Balaya)	567.16	553.04	509.74	747.16	740.10	729.43	781.25	788.10	870.59
Sprats (Halmessa)	446.72	502.07	567.78	573.50	613.53	670.99	475.21	485.24	673.14

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(b) Provisional

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## WAGE INDICES

Wage Index <sup>(a),(b)</sup>	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Wage Index for Public Sector Employees (2012 = 100)</b>						
<b>All Central Government Officers</b>	106.3	117.5	154.8	160.8	160.8	161.0
	(6.3)	(10.5)	(31.7)	(3.9)	(0.0)	(0.1)
Senior Level Officers	103.6	110.8	134.6	141.4	141.4	144.9
	(3.6)	(7.0)	(21.5)	(5.0)	(0.0)	(2.5)
Tertiary Level Officers	106.0	116.4	149.0	155.5	155.5	155.9
	(6.0)	(9.8)	(28.0)	(4.4)	(0.0)	(0.2)
Secondary Level Officers	106.5	117.9	155.8	161.6	161.6	161.6
	(6.5)	(10.7)	(32.2)	(3.7)	(0.0)	(0.0)
Primary Level Officers	106.8	119.2	162.9	170.4	170.4	170.4
	(6.8)	(11.6)	(36.6)	(4.6)	(0.0)	(0.0)
<b>Minimum Wage Index for Wages Boards Trades (1978 Dec.=100)</b>						
Workers in Agriculture Trades	4,435.9	4,560.9	4,734.4	4,735.7	4,736.7	4,748.8
	(0.1)	(2.8)	(3.8)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.3)
Workers in Industry and Commerce Trades	3,191.6	3,459.1	3,459.1	3,459.1	3,459.1	3,545.3
	(32.9)	(8.4)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(2.5)
Workers in Services Trades	2,241.5	2,313.2	2,313.2	2,313.2	2,313.2	2,331.2
	(21.0)	(3.2)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.8)
Workers in all Trades	3,869.2	4,012.2	4,127.0	4,127.9	4,128.6	4,155.2
	(5.7)	(3.7)	(2.9)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.6)

(a) Indices for nominal wage rates exclude bonus, over-time and other special payments.

(b) The figures in parenthesis indicate annual average percentage changes of indices.

Sources : Department of Labour  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

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## WAGE INDICES (Contd.)

Wage Index <sup>(a)</sup>	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Wage Rate Index for Informal Private Sector Employees (2012 = 100)</b>				
<b>Informal Private Sector</b>	<b>126.7</b>	<b>136.7</b>	<b>149.7</b>	<b>169.5</b>
	(7.3)	(7.9)	(9.5)	(13.2)
<b>Agriculture</b>	<b>128.3</b>	<b>136.9</b>	<b>150.9</b>	<b>172.6</b>
	(8.5)	(6.7)	(10.3)	(14.3)
Paddy	130.1	142.3	152.9	173.5
	(11.8)	(9.4)	(7.4)	(13.5)
Coconut	128.9	136.1	147.6	159.3
	(4.5)	(5.6)	(8.5)	(7.9)
Rubber	126.3	133.4	149.9	165.7
	(5.9)	(5.6)	(12.4)	(10.5)
Tea	128.3	135.0	153.8	179.3
	(8.9)	(5.2)	(14.0)	(16.6)
<b>Industry</b>	<b>129.0</b>	<b>140.7</b>	<b>155.0</b>	<b>173.0</b>
	(8.4)	(9.1)	(10.2)	(11.6)
Construction	122.6	134.7	150.2	163.1
	(6.7)	(9.8)	(11.5)	(8.6)
Small Industries	131.6	143.0	156.5	177.2
	(9.1)	(8.7)	(9.4)	(13.3)
<b>Services</b>	<b>123.9</b>	<b>132.8</b>	<b>144.1</b>	<b>164.8</b>
	(5.9)	(7.2)	(8.5)	(14.3)
Wholesale and Retail Trade	121.9	128.3	139.7	162.5
	(5.4)	(5.2)	(8.9)	(16.3)
Transport	121.2	130.6	142.4	159.4
	(5.1)	(7.8)	(9.0)	(11.9)

(a) The figures in parenthesis indicate annual average percentage changes of indices.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## EXPORTS

Item	US dollars million					Rupees million				
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Agricultural Exports</b>	<b>2,794</b>	<b>2,481</b>	<b>2,326</b>	<b>2,767</b>	<b>2,579</b>	<b>364,762</b>	<b>337,007</b>	<b>338,727</b>	<b>422,031</b>	<b>418,865</b>
Tea	1,628	1,340	1,269	1,530	1,428	212,588	182,054	184,778	233,338	231,750
Rubber	45	26	33	39	32	5,916	3,548	4,758	5,920	5,088
Coconut	356	352	366	348	311	46,517	47,745	53,283	53,037	50,465
Other Agricultural Crops	764	763	658	851	808	99,741	103,660	95,907	129,736	131,561
<b>Industrial Exports</b>	<b>8,262</b>	<b>8,017</b>	<b>7,940</b>	<b>8,542</b>	<b>9,258</b>	<b>1,078,725</b>	<b>1,087,938</b>	<b>1,155,706</b>	<b>1,302,575</b>	<b>1,506,200</b>
Textiles and Garments	4,930	4,820	4,884	5,032	5,318	643,688	654,794	710,768	767,254	865,975
Petroleum Products	338	374	287	434	622	44,132	50,461	41,794	66,280	101,467
Other Industrial Products	2,994	2,823	2,769	3,076	3,318	390,905	382,684	403,144	469,041	538,759
<b>Mineral Exports</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>7,764</b>	<b>3,826</b>	<b>4,219</b>	<b>5,263</b>	<b>5,570</b>
<b>Unclassified Exports</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1,924</b>	<b>2,660</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>2,570</b>	<b>2,898</b>
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>11,130</b>	<b>10,546</b>	<b>10,310</b>	<b>11,360</b>	<b>11,890</b>	<b>1,453,176</b>	<b>1,431,431</b>	<b>1,500,766</b>	<b>1,732,440</b>	<b>1,933,533</b>
Export Value Index (2010=100)	129.1	122.3	119.6	131.8	137.9	149.1	146.8	153.9	177.7	198.3
Export Volume Index (2010=100)	122.3	128.0	127.0	136.7	137.3	122.3	128.0	127.0	136.7	137.3
Export Unit Value Index (2010=100)	105.5	95.6	94.1	96.4	100.4	121.9	114.7	121.2	130.0	144.4
Terms of Trade (2010=100)	97.6	100.3	104.3	105.5	105.6	97.6	100.2	104.2	105.6	105.8

(a) Provisional

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

## IMPORTS

Item	US dollars million					Rupees million				
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Consumer Goods</b>	<b>3,853</b>	<b>4,713</b>	<b>4,319</b>	<b>4,503</b>	<b>4,980</b>	<b>503,021</b>	<b>640,352</b>	<b>628,862</b>	<b>686,424</b>	<b>806,608</b>
Rice	282	135	13	301	107	36,795	17,956	1,872	45,881	16,679
Flour	2	2	2	2	3	270	277	255	300	494
Sugar	255	253	343	256	248	33,332	34,164	49,919	39,041	40,045
Milk and Milk Products	339	251	249	316	332	44,308	34,088	36,338	48,145	54,002
<b>Intermediate Goods</b>	<b>11,398</b>	<b>9,638</b>	<b>9,870</b>	<b>11,436</b>	<b>12,488</b>	<b>1,488,091</b>	<b>1,309,234</b>	<b>1,438,156</b>	<b>1,743,719</b>	<b>2,027,460</b>
Fertiliser	272	290	137	103	262	35,591	39,573	19,904	15,703	42,682
Fuel	4,597	2,700	2,481	3,428	4,152	600,150	366,339	361,895	522,470	674,295
Textiles and Textile Articles	2,328	2,296	2,705	2,724	2,859	303,907	311,965	393,896	415,386	465,334
Wheat and Maize	405	357	249	357	373	52,844	48,658	36,221	54,394	60,637
<b>Investment Goods</b>	<b>4,152</b>	<b>4,567</b>	<b>4,981</b>	<b>4,895</b>	<b>4,690</b>	<b>542,169</b>	<b>620,730</b>	<b>725,473</b>	<b>746,175</b>	<b>760,942</b>
Building Materials	1,309	1,352	1,569	1,591	1,525	170,901	184,176	228,538	242,621	247,730
Transport Equipment	707	931	663	675	668	92,367	125,927	96,605	102,914	108,057
Machinery and Equipment	2,131	2,278	2,741	2,621	2,492	278,257	309,811	399,090	399,453	404,175
<b>Unclassified Imports</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>1,882</b>	<b>2,151</b>	<b>1,902</b>	<b>22,254</b>	<b>11,634</b>
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>19,417</b>	<b>18,935</b>	<b>19,183</b>	<b>20,980</b>	<b>22,233</b>	<b>2,535,163</b>	<b>2,572,467</b>	<b>2,794,393</b>	<b>3,198,572</b>	<b>3,606,644</b>
Import Value Index (2010=100)	144.8	141.2	143.1	156.5	165.8	167.2	169.7	184.3	211.0	237.9
Import Volume Index (2010=100)	134.0	148.2	158.5	171.3	174.3	134.0	148.2	158.5	171.3	174.3
Import Unit Value Index (2010=100)	108.1	95.3	90.2	91.3	95.1	124.8	114.5	116.3	123.2	136.5
Terms of Trade (2010=100)	97.6	100.3	104.3	105.5	105.6	97.6	100.2	104.2	105.6	105.8

(a) Provisional

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

## SELECTED EXPORTS

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Agricultural Commodities</b>						
Tea, MT '000	320	327	307	289	289	282
Rubber, MT '000	24	16	10	16	17	14
Coconut, Mn. Nuts <sup>(b)</sup>	379	716	552	765	466	355
Minor Agricultural Commodities, MT						
Vegetables	22,737	40,460	25,846	21,140	21,697	25,765
Fruits	33,532	39,008	32,659	33,300	31,320	37,363
Coffee	19	57	24	14	14	24
Cinnamon	14,148	13,949	13,828	14,946	16,967	17,860
Unmanufactured Tobacco	1,142	1,162	880	897	918	817
Cashewnuts	51	129	113	63	60	72
Betel Leaves	3,024	2,998	2,404	1,956	5,145	4,009
<b>Selected Other Commodities</b>						
Mineral Exports <sup>(c)</sup> , MT	3,083	3,116	2,834	3,163	3,123	3,298
Gems, '000 Carats	14,393	12,685	12,116	12,136	9,400	8,190

(a) Provisional

(b) Nut equivalent of copra, oil and desiccated coconut

(c) Graphite only

Sources : National Gem and Jewellery Authority  
Sri Lanka Customs  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SELECTED IMPORTS

Item	Unit	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
Rice	MT '000	23	600	286	30	748	249
Wheat Grain	MT '000	895	1,179	1,208	948	1,250	1,297
Sugar	MT '000	548	520	624	651	498	645
Milk and Milk Products <sup>(b)</sup>	MT '000	69	71	86	100	99	105
Infant Milk Products	MT	1,545	1,172	1,613	1,659	2,179	1,873
Fish – Dried <sup>(c)</sup>	MT '000	39	36	35	37	35	35
– Other	MT '000	40	43	85	78	71	49
Pharmaceutical Products	MT '000	122	108	74	111	168	116
Fertiliser	MT '000	600	765	873	527	399	861
Crude Oil	MT '000	1,743	1,824	1,763	1,685	1,591	1,674
Cement	MT '000	4,123	4,363	4,092	5,299	5,676	5,114
Motor Vehicles <sup>(d)</sup>	No.	32,321	46,647	134,715	47,957	40,519	86,497
Motor Cycles	No.	160,524	314,060	349,385	329,978	364,346	354,998
Tractors	No.	13,701	5,842	12,601	13,185	10,295	6,992

(a) Provisional

(b) Excluding infant milk food

(c) Including maldivian fish, sprats and smoked fish

(d) Including motor cars, vans, lorries and buses

Sources : Sri Lanka Customs  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## TOURISM

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Tourist Arrivals</b>	<b>1,274,593</b>	<b>1,527,153</b>	<b>1,798,380</b>	<b>2,050,832</b>	<b>2,116,407</b>	<b>2,333,796</b>
Excursionist Arrivals <sup>(b)</sup>	140,009	138,097	195,134	116,544	131,409	186,862
Tourist Guest Nights, '000	10,909	15,119	18,163	20,918	23,068	25,205
Hotels <sup>(c)</sup> , No.	967	1,599	1,763	1,940	2,094	2,312
Rooms <sup>(c)</sup> , No.	23,596	28,426	30,078	33,661	35,986	38,214
Room Occupancy Rate <sup>(d)</sup> , %	71.7	74.3	74.5	74.8	73.3	72.8
Gross Tourist Receipts, Rs. mn.	221,720	317,479	405,492	512,373	598,143	711,961
US \$ mn.	1,715	2,431	2,981	3,518	3,925	4,381
<b>Total Employment<sup>(e)</sup></b>	<b>270,150</b>	<b>299,890</b>	<b>319,436</b>	<b>335,659</b>	<b>359,215</b>	<b>388,487</b>
Direct Employment <sup>(e)</sup>	112,550	129,790	135,930	146,115	156,369	169,003
Indirect Employment <sup>(e)</sup>	157,600	170,100	183,506	189,544	202,846	219,484

(a) Provisional

(b) Refers to those who spend less than 24 hours in the country

(c) Graded and Supplementary Establishments only

(d) Graded Establishments only

(e) Estimates

Sources : Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS<sup>(a)</sup>

Item	US dollars million		Rupees million	
	2017 <sup>(b)</sup>	2018 <sup>(c)</sup>	2017 <sup>(b)</sup>	2018 <sup>(c)</sup>
<b>Current Account (net)</b>	<b>-2,309</b>	<b>-2,814</b>	<b>-351,341</b>	<b>-454,308</b>
Trade Balance	-9,619	-10,343	-1,466,133	-1,673,111
Services (net)	3,302	3,766	503,332	611,233
Primary Income (net)	-2,319	-2,399	-352,856	-391,934
Secondary Income (net)	6,327	6,163	964,316	999,504
<b>Capital Account (net)</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1,667</b>	<b>2,265</b>
<b>Current and Capital Account</b>	<b>-2,298</b>	<b>-2,799</b>	<b>-349,674</b>	<b>-452,043</b>
<b>Financial Account (net)</b>	<b>-2,123</b>	<b>-3,328</b>	<b>-329,233</b>	<b>-536,943</b>
Net Acquisition of Assets	2,938	-591	450,791	-108,041
Net Incurrence of Liabilities	5,061	2,737	780,025	428,902
<b>Net Errors and Omissions</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>-529</b>	<b>20,441</b>	<b>-84,899</b>
<b>Overall Balance</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>-1,103</b>	<b>330,004</b>	<b>-4,354</b>
<b>Ratio to GDP in Percentages<sup>(d)</sup></b>				
Trade Balance	-10.9	-11.6		
Goods and Services	-7.2	-7.4		
Current Account	-2.6	-3.2		
Current and Capital Account	-2.6	-3.1		
<b>Total External Assets</b>	<b>10,436</b>	<b>9,583</b>	<b>1,595,264</b>	<b>1,751,224</b>
<b>Total External Assets in Months of Imports</b>				
Merchandise Imports	6.0	5.2		
Merchandise and Services Imports	4.9	4.3		

(a) The classification used in this table follows the Balance of Payments Manual 6th edition (2009) of the IMF.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(b) Revised (c) Provisional

(d) Based on GDP at current market prices published by the Department of Census and Statistics.  
Ratios calculated in rupee values and US dollar values differ due to variations in exchange rates during the year.

## NET RECEIPTS OF FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

Item	US dollars million					Rupees million				
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Net Receipts to Government</b>	<b>2,103</b>	<b>2,443</b>	<b>2,934</b>	<b>2,821</b>	<b>3,060</b>	<b>274,566</b>	<b>332,132</b>	<b>427,226</b>	<b>430,128</b>	<b>497,451</b>
Foreign Loans	2,022	2,367	2,879	2,791	3,039	264,021	321,814	419,249	425,460	494,021
ADB	90	135	168	194	200	11,702	18,315	24,507	29,567	32,517
China <sup>(b)</sup>	206	289	273	394	1,207	26,942	39,228	39,807	60,001	196,246
IDA	83	37	154	118	12	10,811	5,050	22,427	17,948	1,914
Korea	13	14	11	-6	8	1,688	1,858	1,586	-908	1,239
Japan	41	-7	-50	-36	-33	5,348	-943	-7,312	-5,553	-5,431
Other	1,590	1,900	2,323	2,128	1,646	207,530	258,306	338,234	324,405	267,536
Foreign Grants	81	76	55	31	21	10,545	10,318	7,977	4,668	3,430
ADB	7	2	-	-	-	935	220	-	-	-
Japan	17	7	7	10	14	2,181	958	1,017	1,466	2,263
United Nations	...	6	8	4	3	38	806	1,185	635	523
USA	10	-	25	-	3	1,331	-	3,570	-	453
Other	46	61	15	17	1	6,060	8,334	2,205	2,567	191
<b>Foreign Loans Liability as at end December</b>	<b>23,844</b>	<b>26,071</b>	<b>27,787</b>	<b>30,950</b>	<b>36,665</b>	<b>3,113,116</b>	<b>3,544,031</b>	<b>4,045,796</b>	<b>4,718,618</b>	<b>5,959,547</b>
Project Loans <sup>(c)</sup>	14,588	16,040	16,299	17,123	19,379	1,904,599	2,180,388	2,373,097	2,610,547	3,149,905
Non-Project Loans <sup>(d)</sup>	9,256	10,031	11,488	13,827	17,286	1,208,516	1,363,642	1,672,699	2,108,070	2,809,642

(a) Provisional

(b) Excludes net receipts from China for State Owned Business Enterprises.

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(c) Excludes outstanding loans of project under SOBES.

(d) Includes rupee denominated Treasury bonds and Treasury bills held by foreign investors, proceeds from the International sovereign bonds issuances and foreign currency term financing facility.

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka  
Ministry of Finance



## EXCHANGE RATES<sup>(a)</sup> (End of Period)

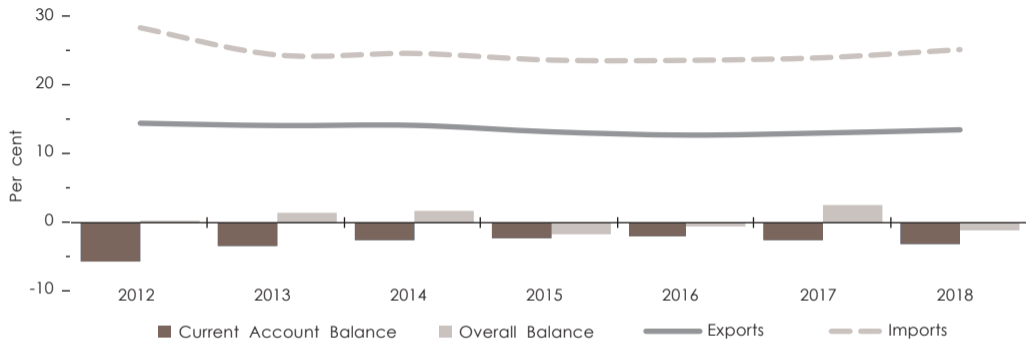
Sri Lanka Rupees per unit of foreign currency

Country	Currency	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Asian Countries</b>							
China	Yuan	21.5700	21.1401	22.1854	21.5682	23.4548	26.5683
Hong Kong	Dollar	16.8621	16.8938	18.5869	19.3156	19.5511	23.3369
India	Rupee	2.1116	2.0675	2.1677	2.2056	2.3854	2.6132
Indonesia	Rupiah	0.0107	0.0105	0.0104	0.0111	0.0113	0.0126
Korea	Won	0.1239	0.1200	0.1224	0.1243	0.1432	0.1644
Pakistan	Rupee	1.2376	1.2975	1.3733	1.4297	1.3808	1.3063
Philippines	Peso	2.9449	2.9272	3.0710	3.0260	3.0583	3.4796
Singapore	Dollar	103.2559	99.2529	101.8396	103.6714	114.3224	133.8092
Thailand	Baht	3.9791	3.9851	3.9918	4.1832	4.6759	5.6179
<b>Middle East Countries</b>							
Kuwait	Dinar	463.0064	447.8610	474.4822	489.3026	505.9239	601.3686
Saudi Arabia	Riyal	34.8633	34.9225	38.3910	39.9344	40.7586	48.7054
United Arab Emirates	Dirham	35.5984	35.6779	39.2305	40.7852	41.6147	49.7529
<b>Industrial Countries</b>							
Australia	Dollar	116.6709	107.6433	105.1007	108.4252	119.1045	128.8661
Canada	Dollar	122.7324	113.1192	103.8886	111.1688	121.6077	134.0792
Japan	Yen	1.2459	1.0979	1.1960	1.2867	1.3559	1.6547
United Kingdom	Pound sterling	215.5790	204.0427	213.5724	184.0443	205.5362	231.8639
United States of America	Dollar	130.7530	131.0486	144.0623	149.8000	152.8548	182.7499
<b>International Monetary Fund</b>	<b>SDR</b>	<b>201.3550</b>	<b>189.8640</b>	<b>199.6310</b>	<b>201.3810</b>	<b>217.6860</b>	<b>253.5110</b>
<b>European Monetary Union</b>	<b>Euro</b>	<b>180.4522</b>	<b>159.4206</b>	<b>157.3737</b>	<b>157.8742</b>	<b>182.4857</b>	<b>208.9928</b>

(a) Rates announced by the Central Bank for its transactions.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## Balance of Payments (% of GDP)



(a) Provisional

Note : 2010 onwards figures are based on new 2010 base year GDP series.

## GOVERNMENT FISCAL OPERATIONS

Item	Rs. million					
	2015	2016	2017	2018		2019 Preliminary Estimates(a)
				Approved Estimates	Provisional	
<b>Total Revenue and Grants</b>	<b>1,460,892</b>	<b>1,693,558</b>	<b>1,839,562</b>	<b>2,227,200</b>	<b>1,932,459</b>	<b>2,357,000</b>
Total Revenue	1,454,878	1,686,062	1,831,531	2,217,200	1,919,973	2,344,000
Tax	1,355,779	1,463,689	1,670,178	2,034,000	1,712,318	2,077,000
Non Tax	99,099	222,374	161,353	183,200	207,656	267,000
Grants	6,014	7,496	8,031	10,000	12,486	13,000
<b>Expenditure and Lending Minus Repayments</b>	<b>2,290,394</b>	<b>2,333,883</b>	<b>-2,573,056</b>	<b>-2,902,200</b>	<b>-2,693,228</b>	<b>-3,042,000</b>
Current Expenditure	1,701,658	1,757,782	-1,927,693	-2,152,000	-2,089,713	-2,308,000
Capital Expenditure	588,175	577,036	-638,343	-746,863	-612,561	-741,000
Lending Minus Repayments	561	-934	-7,021	-3,336	9,046	7,000
<b>Current Account Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)</b>	<b>-246,779</b>	<b>-71,719</b>	<b>-96,162</b>	<b>65,200</b>	<b>-169,740</b>	<b>36,000</b>
<b>Primary Account Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)</b>	<b>-319,828</b>	<b>-29,430</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>145,000</b>	<b>91,421</b>	<b>228,000</b>
<b>Overall Budget Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)</b>	<b>-829,502</b>	<b>-640,325</b>	<b>-733,494</b>	<b>-675,000</b>	<b>-760,769</b>	<b>-685,000</b>
<b>Financing</b>	<b>829,502</b>	<b>640,325</b>	<b>733,494</b>	<b>675,000</b>	<b>760,769</b>	<b>685,000</b>
Foreign Financing (Net)	236,803	391,914	439,243	360,000	323,535	235,000
Gross Borrowing	521,096	561,020	663,852	630,715	632,505	900,000
Repayments	-284,293	-169,107	-224,609	-270,715	-308,970	-665,000
Domestic Financing	592,699	248,411	294,251	315,000	437,234	450,000
Market Borrowing	592,699	248,411	249,574	315,000	329,351	450,000
Non-Bank	300,858	108,456	61,841	195,000	219,885	362,000
Bank	291,841	139,955	187,733	120,000	109,466	88,000
Other Borrowing <sup>(b)</sup>	-	-	44,677	-	107,883	-
<b>Public Debt Outstanding</b>	<b>8,503,227</b>	<b>9,387,303</b>	<b>10,313,045</b>	<b>n.a.</b>	<b>11,977,539</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
Domestic	4,959,196	5,341,507	5,594,427	n.a.	6,017,992	n.a.
Foreign	3,544,031	4,045,796	4,718,618	n.a.	5,959,547	n.a.

(a) Based on Budget Speech 2019 (excluding revenue and expenditure transfers to Provincial Councils).

(b) Includes non-market borrowings and proceeds from the long lease of Hambantota Port in 2017 and 2018.

Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka  
Ministry of Finance

## GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

Rs. million

Item	2015	2016	2017	2018		2019
				Approved Estimates	Provisional	Preliminary Estimates <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>1,454,878</b>	<b>1,686,062</b>	<b>1,831,531</b>	<b>2,217,200</b>	<b>1,919,973</b>	<b>2,344,000</b>
Tax Revenue	1,355,779	1,463,689	1,670,178	2,034,000	1,712,318	2,077,000
Taxes on Foreign Trade	244,231	302,538	311,782	371,500	288,341	345,000
Imports	132,189	156,487	136,501	175,000	96,991	140,000
PAL / SCL / Other	112,042	146,051	175,280	196,500	191,351	205,000
Taxes on Domestic Goods and Services	724,282	747,147	921,244	1,113,950	959,365	1,293,000
VAT	219,700	283,470	443,760	550,000	461,740	529,000
Excise Tax	497,652	454,952	469,500	535,040	484,287	593,000
Licence Fees	6,929	8,726	7,984	28,910	13,339	171,000
Taxes on Net Income and Profits	262,583	258,857	274,562	370,000	310,449	387,000
Corporate	162,019	164,592	177,591	254,200	212,112	250,000
Personal	100,564	94,265	96,971	115,800	98,337	137,000
Other	124,683	155,147	162,591	178,550	154,162	54,000
Non-Tax Revenue	99,099	222,374	161,353	183,200	207,656	267,000
<b>Expenditure and Net Lending</b>	<b>2,290,394</b>	<b>2,333,883</b>	<b>2,573,056</b>	<b>2,902,200</b>	<b>2,693,228</b>	<b>3,042,000</b>
Current Expenditure	1,701,658	1,757,782	1,927,693	2,152,000	2,089,713	2,308,000
Expenditure on Goods and Services	772,563	746,250	756,591	862,954	806,002	849,000
Interest Payments	509,674	610,895	735,566	820,000	852,190	913,000
Transfers and Subsidies Payments	419,420	400,637	435,536	469,046	431,521	546,000
Capital Expenditure	588,175	577,036	638,343	746,863	612,561	741,000
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	313,260	328,202	360,333	528,499	355,763	463,000
Capital Transfers	274,916	248,834	278,010	218,364	256,798	278,000
Under Expenditure Provision	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lending Minus Repayments	561	-934	7,021	3,336	-9,046	-7,000

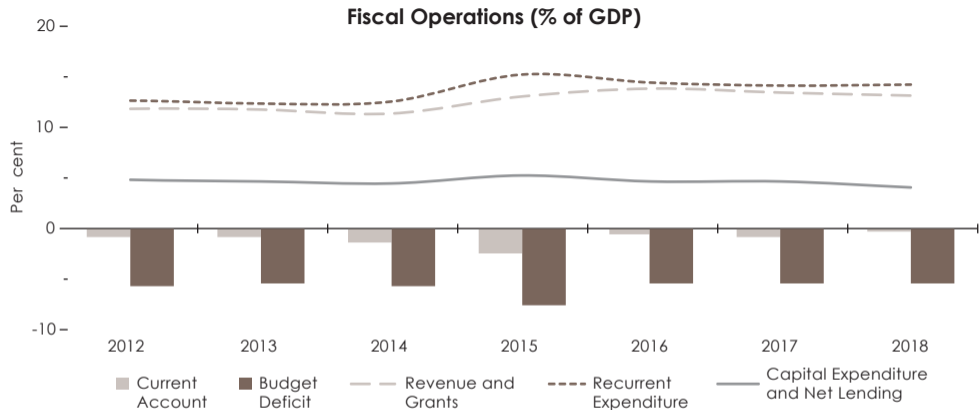
(a) Based on Budget Speech 2019 (excluding revenue and expenditure transfers to Provincial Councils)

Source : Ministry of Finance

PAL – Ports and Airports Development Levy

SCL – Special Commodity Levy

VAT – Value Added Tax



<b>Fiscal Operations</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018<sup>(a)</sup></b>
Revenue and Grants	12.2	12.0	11.6	13.3	14.1	13.7	13.4
Recurrent Expenditure	13.0	12.6	12.8	15.5	14.7	14.4	14.5
Capital Expenditure and Net Lending	4.9	4.8	4.6	5.4	4.8	4.8	4.2
Current Account	-0.9	-0.7	-1.2	-2.3	-0.6	-0.7	-0.2
Budget Deficit	-5.6	-5.4	-5.7	-7.6	-5.3	-5.5	-5.3

(a) Provisional

Note : 2010 onwards figures are based on new 2010 base year GDP series.

## MONETARY DEVELOPMENTS

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
	Rs. million					
<b>Reserve Money</b>	<b>488,586</b>	<b>577,912</b>	<b>673,432</b>	<b>856,147</b>	<b>939,793</b>	<b>961,096</b>
<b>Narrow Money (M<sub>1</sub>)</b>	<b>484,578</b>	<b>612,155</b>	<b>714,988</b>	<b>776,624</b>	<b>793,299</b>	<b>830,793</b>
Currency	264,607	329,426	388,057	429,502	439,396	473,066
Demand Deposits	219,971	282,729	326,931	347,123	353,903	357,727
<b>Time and Savings Deposits<sup>(b)</sup></b>	<b>2,933,275</b>	<b>3,263,698</b>	<b>3,850,929</b>	<b>4,628,972</b>	<b>5,514,762</b>	<b>6,297,503</b>
Domestic Banking Units	2,809,888	3,121,032	3,674,360	4,439,938	5,298,564	6,071,118
Foreign Currency Banking Units	123,387	142,666	176,569	189,034	216,198	226,386
<b>Broad Money (M<sub>2</sub>)</b>	<b>3,058,793</b>	<b>3,460,558</b>	<b>4,057,212</b>	<b>4,823,559</b>	<b>5,665,313</b>	<b>6,427,330</b>
Time and Savings deposits (TSD) <sup>(b)</sup>	2,574,215	2,848,402	3,342,224	4,046,935	4,872,014	5,596,536
<b>Broad Money M<sub>2b</sub> (M<sub>1</sub> + QM)</b>	<b>3,417,853</b>	<b>3,875,853</b>	<b>4,565,917</b>	<b>5,405,596</b>	<b>6,308,062</b>	<b>7,128,297</b>
<b>Underlying Factors in M<sub>2b</sub></b>						
Domestic Credit	4,200,783	4,640,146	5,732,034	6,671,677	7,504,715	8,831,966
Claims on Government (Net)	1,301,342	1,435,900	1,759,492	1,972,133	2,168,517	2,515,235
Credit to Public Corporations	365,098	450,924	530,669	513,768	536,982	755,380
Credit to Private Sector	2,534,343	2,753,322	3,441,874	4,185,777	4,799,215	5,561,351
Net Foreign Assets	-76,325	15,126	-298,163	-231,238	121,538	-67,007
Monetary Authorities	529,128	688,007	576,187	558,589	846,139	750,541
Commercial Banks	-605,453	-672,881	-874,350	-789,827	-724,601	-817,548
Net Other Items	-706,605	-779,418	-867,954	-1,034,843	-1,318,191	-1,636,662
<b>Currency / M<sub>2b</sub> , %</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.6</b>
Income Velocity of Money	2.99	2.85	2.62	2.43 <sup>(c)</sup>	2.27 <sup>(c)</sup>	2.13
Money Multiplier (M <sub>2b</sub> / Reserve Money)	7.00	6.71	6.78	6.31	6.71	7.42

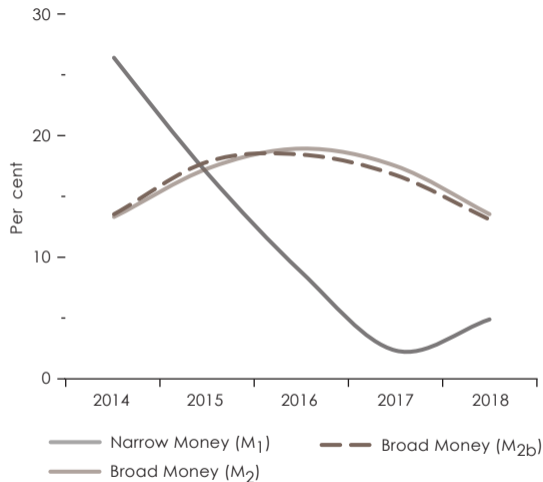
(a) Provisional

(b) Previously known as Quasi Money.

(c) Revised

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## Growth of Money Supply



## Monetary Aggregates (Growth)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
Narrow Money (M <sub>1</sub> )	26.3	16.8	8.6	2.1	4.7
Broad Money (M <sub>2</sub> )	13.1	17.2	18.9	17.5	13.5
Broad Money (M <sub>2b</sub> )	13.4	17.8	18.4	16.7	13.0

(a) Provisional

## MONEY MARKET OPERATIONS

Rs. million

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Call Money : Total Lending / Borrowing</b>	<b>2,079,206</b>	<b>2,198,356</b>	<b>2,827,930</b>	<b>3,493,392</b>	<b>3,900,444</b>	<b>4,196,244</b>
<b>Primary Treasury bill Market</b>						
Amount Issued / Sold	1,235,304	1,121,705	1,589,527	1,635,349	1,624,266	1,653,259
Purchased by – Central Bank	334,764	337,659	564,159	790,738	513,092	724,051
Others	900,540	784,046	1,025,368	844,611	1,111,174	929,208
Total Outstanding (year end)	774,052	750,267	663,285	792,396	724,706	758,796
<b>Central Bank Secondary Treasury bill Market</b>						
Repo Transactions	5,677,442	3,457,540	750,227	251,922	3,327,692	1,530,256
Reverse Repo Transactions	127,321	10,130	44,374	3,937,716	1,049,615	3,385,716
Other : Outright Sales	128,750	–	127,855	39,600	110,325	63,725
Outright Purchases	–	–	–	15,770	–	40,497
<b>Standing Deposit Facility<sup>(b)</sup></b>	–	<b>5,181,675</b>	<b>17,989,768</b>	<b>5,572,700</b>	<b>3,954,870</b>	<b>4,502,900</b>
<b>Certificates of Deposits (year end)</b>	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Treasury bonds</b>						
Primary Market Issues	1,017,134	860,695	869,923	663,616	548,815	763,020
Outstanding (year end) <sup>(c)</sup>	2,855,846	3,245,764	3,603,982	3,962,009	4,117,679	4,287,576
Central Bank's Reverse Repo Transactions	60,031	3,622	43,776	6,082,885		
<b>Central Bank Securities</b>						
Issues	–	–	–	–	–	–
Outstanding (year end)	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Market Repo Volume – Overnight<sup>(d)</sup></b>	<b>3,422,395</b>	<b>2,246,232</b>	<b>1,961,747</b>	<b>6,572,473</b>	<b>4,205,574</b>	<b>2,761,231</b>
<b>Commercial Papers</b>						
Issues	28,262	8,171	7,907	6,968	6,512	1,858
Outstanding (year end)	7,420	3,451	4,517	2,229	1,745	1,150

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Provisional

(b) From 02<sup>nd</sup> January 2014 Standing Repurchase facility was renamed as Standing Deposit Facility and from 03<sup>rd</sup> February 2014, it was made uncollateralized.

(c) Excludes Treasury bonds of Rs.4,397 million issued to CWE in November 2003 (matured in 14 November 2016) and Rs.78,441 million issued to CPC in January 2012 (of which Rs.21,779 million matured in 01 January 2017 and the current outstanding is Rs.56,662 million) and Rs. 13,125 million issued to capitalize SriLankan Airlines in March 2013.

(d) Overnight (it covers only Licensed Commercial Banks and Primary Dealers).



## INTEREST RATES

							Per cent per annum
Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	
<b>Domestic Interest Rates (year end)</b>							
Central Bank Advance Rate (Bank Rate)	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	
Inter-bank Call Rates	7.50-7.75	6.00-6.50	6.4	8.40-8.44	8.10-8.25	8.90-9.00	
SLIBOR (Overnight)	7.76	6.1	6.40	8.44	8.15	9.00	
<b>Treasury bill Yield Rates</b>							
Primary Market – 3 Months	7.54	5.74	6.45	8.72	7.69	10.01	
6 Months	7.85	5.84	6.83	9.63	8.30	9.99	
12 Months	8.29	6.01	7.30	10.17	8.90	11.20	
Standing Deposit Facility Rate <sup>(a)</sup>	6.50	6.50	6.00	7.00	7.25	8.00	
Standing Lending Facility Rate <sup>(a)</sup>	8.50	8.00	7.50	8.50	8.75	9.00	
<b>Treasury bonds, Yield to Maturity</b>							
2 Years	–	–	6.70 (Jun)	–	9.92 (Nov)	–	
3 Years	10.87 (Aug)	–	8.18 (Jul)	–	–	11.88 (Dec)	
4 Years	–	–	8.91 (Dec)	10.61 (Oct)	11.13 (Jul)	–	
<b>Commercial Banks Deposit Rates</b>							
AWDR	9.37	6.20	6.20	8.17	9.07	8.81	
Fixed Deposits – 3 Months	5.70-15.00	3.50-7.00	3.10-11.10	4.00-13.50	4.00-12.75	4.00-13.80	
6 Months	6.20-12.25	3.90-8.75	3.90-9.50	4.50-13.50	4.00-13.50	4.50-14.00	
12 Months	6.00-16.00	3.95-12.00	3.95-15.00	4.50-15.00	4.89-15.00	4.53-15.00	
<b>NSB Deposits Rates</b>							
Savings Deposits	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.25	4.00	4.00	
Fixed Deposits – 12 Months	9.50	6.50	7.25	11.00	11.00	10.50	
<b>Commercial Banks Lending Rates</b>							
AWPR (Monthly)	9.96	6.35	7.40	11.73	11.33	11.94	
Loans Secured by Government Securities	9.00-18.00	6.60-24.00	6.00-14.25	5.00-20.00	8.00-16.00	8.00-16.00	
Unsecured Loans	7.00-24.00	5.44-24.00	2.50-24.00	3.50-24.00	4.07-36.87	3.50-29.00	
<b>LIBOR on US Dollar Deposits (Average)</b>							
3 Months	0.27	0.23	0.32	0.74	1.26	2.31	
6 Months	0.41	0.33	0.49	1.06	1.48	2.49	
12 Months	0.68	0.56	0.79	1.38	1.79	2.76	

(a) Repurchase Rate and Reverse Repurchase Rate were renamed as Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) respectively, with effect from 02<sup>nd</sup> January 2014.

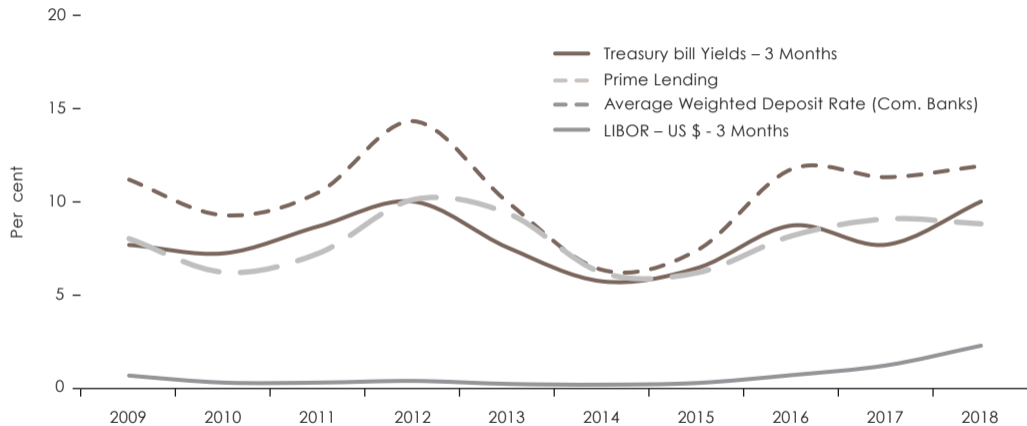
Sources : Central Bank of Sri Lanka  
Reuters

SLIBOR – Sri Lanka Inter Bank Offer Rate

LIBOR – London Inter Bank Offer Rate

AWDR – Average Weighted Deposit Rate

## Selected Interest Rates



## BANK BRANCH NETWORK

Item	2013 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014 <sup>(a)</sup>	2015 <sup>(a)</sup>	2016 <sup>(a)</sup>	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Commercial Bank Branches<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>2,663</b>	<b>2,734</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>2,841</b>	<b>2,855</b>	<b>2,877</b>
Domestic Bank Branches	2,616	2,683	2,736	2,788	2,803	2,826
Foreign Bank Branches	47	51	53	53	52	51
<b>Specialised Banks Branches<sup>(c)</sup></b>	<b>656</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>696</b>
<b>Total Bank Branches</b>	<b>3,319</b>	<b>3,388</b>	<b>3,460</b>	<b>3,524</b>	<b>3,546</b>	<b>3,573</b>
<b>No. of Commercial Banks</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
Domestic Banks	12	13	13	13	13	13
Foreign Banks	12	12	12	12	12	13
<b>No. of Specialised Banks</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Total No. of Banks</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>33</b>

(a) Revised

(b) Provisional

(c) Includes Main Branches and Other Banking Outlets except Student Saving Units.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## OPERATIONS OF COMMERCIAL BANKS<sup>(a)</sup>

Rs. million

Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Assets</b>	<b>4,328,266</b>	<b>4,855,940</b>	<b>5,698,522</b>	<b>6,682,581</b>	<b>7,824,839</b>	<b>9,045,664</b>
Cash in Hand	75,164	87,469	103,643	123,276	158,658	167,876
Deposits with Central Bank	151,200	164,428	199,646	308,671	341,828	336,267
Foreign Currency in Hand and due from Banks Abroad	108,503	196,950	359,740	432,933	525,901	772,110
Due from Domestic Banks	25,568	43,810	80,582	74,813	78,804	78,638
Cash Items in Process of Collection	25,762	14,831	17,591	20,289	24,048	28,255
Investments	980,866	1,063,637	1,189,962	1,282,031	1,567,654	1,566,548
Commercial Bills	45,008	42,580	19,029	20,063	24,711	33,585
Overdrafts	489,383	531,878	605,893	707,018	864,011	1,037,776
Loans	2,013,271	2,202,030	2,852,731	3,478,638	4,002,056	4,684,393
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>4,328,266</b>	<b>4,855,940</b>	<b>5,698,522</b>	<b>6,682,581</b>	<b>7,824,839</b>	<b>9,045,664</b>
Capital <sup>(c)</sup>	444,945	528,661	608,898	716,963	850,931	1,002,594
Demand Deposits	272,753	339,458	389,293	405,152	425,822	461,547
Time and Savings Deposits	2,980,394	3,301,517	3,901,124	4,672,937	5,566,871	6,432,666
Borrowings – Domestic Inter-Bank	127,460	145,315	182,212	206,131	254,942	268,771
– Foreign	111,981	138,443	195,717	212,374	162,385	173,813
<b>Liquid Assets</b>	<b>1,142,473</b>	<b>1,310,855</b>	<b>1,512,267</b>	<b>1,804,796</b>	<b>2,216,199</b>	<b>2,389,807</b>
Liquid Assets / Total Deposits, %	35.1	36.0	35.2	35.5	37.0	34.7
Cash in Hand / Total Deposits, %	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.4
<b>Loans and Advances / Total Deposits, %</b>	<b>78.3</b>	<b>76.3</b>	<b>81.1</b>	<b>82.8</b>	<b>81.6</b>	<b>83.5</b>
<b>Statutory Reserve Ratio, %</b>	<b>6.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>	<b>6.00</b>	<b>7.50</b>	<b>7.50</b>	<b>6.00</b>

(a) Includes Domestic Banking Units (DBUs) of Commercial banks only.

(b) Provisional.

(c) Paid up, Reserve Funds and Retained Profits.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## LICENSED SPECIALISED BANKS

Item	Rs. million					
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>National Savings Bank</b>						
Assets	657,107	785,945	850,927	913,710	1,011,051	1,046,712
Loans	153,569	217,458	264,270	309,606	374,299	427,291
Investments	460,074	517,070	530,015	529,703	553,155	527,488
Deposits	479,814	539,219	581,916	639,954	714,362	813,906
<b>Regional Development Banks</b>						
Assets	81,101	95,903	110,370	134,798	174,201	183,022
Loans	60,083	61,996	88,388	106,799	128,344	135,470
Investments	564	2,745	13,248	2,179	9,674	13,383
Deposits	62,607	72,525	86,340	104,689	136,582	137,928
<b>State Mortgage and Investment Bank</b>						
Assets	27,031	30,584	34,386	35,553	42,488	43,263
Loans	21,542	24,447	26,862	28,534	33,575	34,936
<b>DFCC Bank<sup>(b)</sup></b>						
Assets	91,716	97,775	-	-	-	-
Loans	61,489	75,375	-	-	-	-
<b>Other Licensed Specialised Banks<sup>(c)</sup></b>						
Assets	81,533	100,689	124,914	136,206	158,896	173,454
Loans	51,524	64,858	81,875	94,383	113,199	127,531

(a) Provisional.

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

(c) Includes MBSL Savings Bank Ltd, Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka, Lankaputra Development Bank, Sanasa Development Bank and Sri Lanka Savings Bank (Sri Lanka Savings Bank commenced operations

in March 2008). MBSL Savings Bank Ltd which operated as a LSB, was amalgamated with Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka PLC and MCSL Financial Services Ltd and operates as a LFC namely, Merchant Bank of Sri Lanka and Finance PLC with effect from, 01 January 2015.

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SELECTED NON-BANK FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

	Rs. million					
Item	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Licensed Finance Companies, No.</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>43</b>
Deposits	337,297	414,116	480,636	530,740	686,720	716,848
Capital <sup>(b)</sup>	80,411	97,192	102,590	121,849	141,628	169,191
Assets (net)	622,349	742,811	915,349	1,112,130	1,227,491	1,383,742
<b>Co-operative Rural Banks, No. of Banks</b>	<b>2,080</b>	<b>2,185</b>	<b>2,210</b>	<b>2,227</b>	<b>2,258</b>	<b>2,284</b>
Deposits	79,355	84,640	87,157	91,980	102,249	124,640
Loans Outstanding	39,520	37,757	45,130	49,770	55,488	72,788
<b>Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies, No.</b>	<b>8,424</b>	<b>8,424</b>	<b>8,424</b>	<b>8,423</b>	<b>8,423</b>	<b>n.a.</b>
Deposits	5,588	3,883	1,603	4,300	5,820	n.a.
Loans Granted	4,766	4,808	7,060	18,200	15,664	n.a.
<b>Unit Trusts</b>						
Net Assets (Rs. billion)	54.4	126.5	130.3	104.0	128.8	64.2
Investments in Shares (Market Value, Rs. billion)	9.5	13.6	14.4	13.9	13.0	9.5
Investments in Government Securities (Rs. billion)	17.4	56.1	29.4	49.6	22.5	2.5
No. of Units in Issues, (mn)	4,103	9,772	8,812	7,141	7,638	3,368
No. of Unit holders	29,940	32,619	38,140	41,154	41,037	42,093

(a) Provisional

(b) Capital represent the equity capital of the LFC sector

n.a. – Not available

Source : Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## MOBILISATION OF DEPOSITS

Item	Rupees million					Percentage Share				
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Demand Deposits (Commercial Banks)</b>	<b>380,970</b>	<b>446,448</b>	<b>479,202</b>	<b>496,010</b>	<b>543,966</b>	<b>7.55</b>	<b>7.67</b>	<b>7.07</b>	<b>6.18</b>	<b>6.57</b>
<b>Savings Deposits</b>	<b>1,519,193</b>	<b>1,794,032</b>	<b>1,926,016</b>	<b>2,114,111</b>	<b>2,170,786</b>	<b>30.09</b>	<b>30.80</b>	<b>28.43</b>	<b>26.34</b>	<b>26.22</b>
Licensed Commercial Banks	1,282,186	1,518,521	1,627,851	1,779,045	1,909,489	25.40	26.07	24.02	22.16	23.06
Licensed Specialised Banks	179,425	211,073	230,256	253,293	261,297	3.55	3.62	3.40	3.16	3.16
Licensed Finance Companies	16,984	22,568	22,184	30,014	34,601	0.34	0.39	0.33	0.37	0.00
Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies	2,839	1,203	3,225	5,820	12,145	0.06	0.02	0.05	0.07	0.00
Co-operative Rural Banks	37,759	40,666	42,500	45,939	51,955	0.75	0.70	0.63	0.57	0.00
<b>Time Deposits</b>	<b>3,148,426</b>	<b>3,583,894</b>	<b>4,370,522</b>	<b>5,416,291</b>	<b>5,564,923</b>	<b>62.36</b>	<b>61.53</b>	<b>64.50</b>	<b>67.48</b>	<b>67.21</b>
Licensed Commercial Banks	2,180,149	2,531,020	3,200,730	3,985,888	4,751,133	43.18	43.46	47.24	49.66	57.38
Licensed Specialised Banks	523,884	548,497	611,719	718,422	813,792	10.38	9.42	9.03	8.95	9.83
Licensed Finance Companies	396,468	457,486	507,688	655,670	681,317	7.85	7.85	7.49	8.17	0.00
Thrift and Credit Co-operative Societies	1,044	401	1,075	n.a.	5,937	0.02	0.01	0.02	-	-
Co-operative Rural Banks	46,881	46,490	49,310	56,311	72,685	0.93	0.80	0.73	0.70	0.00
<b>Total Deposits<sup>(b)</sup></b>	<b>5,048,589</b>	<b>5,824,374</b>	<b>6,775,740</b>	<b>8,026,412</b>	<b>9,138,316</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>

(a) Provisional

(b) Demand, Savings &amp; Time Deposits

n.a. – Not available

Sources : Co-operative Development Department  
Sanasa Federation  
Central Bank of Sri Lanka

## SHARE MARKET INDICATORS

Item	Unit	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 <sup>(a)</sup>	2018 <sup>(b)</sup>
Turnover	Rs. mn.	200,468	340,917	253,251	176,935	220,591	200,069
Daily Turnover Average	Rs. mn.	828	1,415	1,060	737	915	834
Shares Traded	No. mn.	9,054	16,722	9,415	7,196	8,468	6,001
Trades	No.	1,421,303	1,982,709	1,506,790	1,056,849	981,977	885,657
Listed Companies	No.	289	294	294	295	296	297
Foreign Trading (Net)	Rs. mn.	22,734	21,139	-5,370	384	17,657	-23,247
Purchases		83,607	104,690	84,415	74,583	112,285	77,067
Sales		60,873	83,551	89,784	74,199	94,627	100,315
Total Number of Shares Listed	mn.	75,028	78,751	84,920	89,638	94,476	100,418
Market Capitalization	Rs. bn.	2,459.9	3,104.9	2,938.0	2,745.4	2,899.3	2,839.5
New Issues, No. (IPOs)	No.	1	6	2	3	1	3
Shares Offered	mn.	80	573	107	172	151	170
Value	Rs. mn.	494	2,694	330	1,898	960	1,953
CSE All Share Price Index (1985=100)		5,912.8	7,299.0	6,894.5	6,228.3	6,369.3	6,052.4
S & P SL20 Index <sup>(c)</sup>		3,263.9	4,089.1	3,625.7	3,496.4	3,671.7	3,135.2
Market Price Earning Ratio (PER)		15.9	19.7	18.0	12.4	10.6	9.7
Market Dividend Yield %		2.9	2.1	2.2	2.8	3.2	3.1
Market Price to Book Value		2.0	2.2	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.2

(a) Revised (b) Provisional

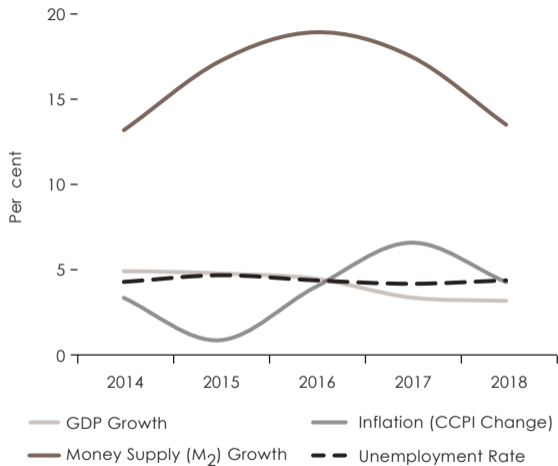
(c) The S & P SL20 index was introduced in June 2012, replacing the Milanka Price Index.

IPOs – Initial Public Offerings

Source : Colombo Stock Exchange



## Macroeconomic Indicators



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	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018 <sup>(a)</sup>
GDP Growth	5.0	4.8	4.5	3.4	3.2
Inflation (CCPI Change)	3.3	0.9	4.0	6.6	4.3
Money Supply (M <sub>2</sub> ) Growth	13.1	17.2	18.9	17.5	13.5
Unemployment Rate	4.3	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.4

(a) Provisional



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