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| **KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS** |
| 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 (a) |
| DEMOGRAPHY  Mid-year population (‘000 persons) (b)(c) 20,585 20,778 20,970 (d) 21,203 (a) 21,444 (a) 21,670 (a) 21,803  Growth of mid-year population (per cent) (b) 0.8 0.9 0.9 1.1 (a) 1.1 (a) 1.1 (a) 0.6  Population density (persons per sq.km.) (b) 328 331 334 338 (a) 342 (a) 346 (a) 348  Labour force (‘000 persons) (e)(f) 8,034 8,049 8,214 8,311 8,567 8,388 8,592  Labour force participation rate (per cent) (e)(f) 53.7 53.2 53.8 53.8 54.1 51.8 52.3  Unemployment rate (per cent of labour force) (e)(f) 4.4 4.3 4.7 4.4 4.2 4.4 4.8 |
| OUTPUT (g)  GDP at current market price (Rs. billion) 9,592 10,361 10,951 11,996 13,328 (d) 14,366 (a)(d) 15,016  GNI at current market price (Rs. billion) 9,366 10,125 10,676 11,676 12,975 (d) 13,977 (a)(d) 14,584  GDP at current market price (US$ billion) 74.3 79.4 80.6 82.4 87.4 (d) 88.4 (a)(d) 84.0  GNI at current market price (US$ billion) 72.5 77.6 78.5 80.2 85.1 (d) 86.0 (a)(d) 81.6  Per capita GDP at current market price (Rs.) (h) 465,976 498,660 522,204 565,773 621,531 (d) 662,949 (a)(d) 688,719  Per capita GNI at current market price (Rs.) (h) 454,993 487,298 509,103 550,697 605,076 (d) 644,970 (a)(d) 668,894  Per capita GDP at current market price (US$) (h) 3,609 3,819 3,841 3,886 4,077 (d) 4,079 (a)(d) 3,852  Per capita GNI at current market price (US$) (h) 3,524 3,732 3,745 3,782 3,969 (d) 3,968 (a)(d) 3,741 |
| REAL OUTPUT (percentage change) (g)  GDP 3.4 5.0 5.0 4.5 3.6 (d) 3.3 (a)(d) 2.3  Major economic activities of GDP  Agriculture 3.2 4.6 4.7 -3.7 -0.4 (d) 6.5 (a)(d) 0.6  Industry 4.1 4.7 2.2 5.7 4.7 (d) 1.2 (a)(d) 2.7  Services 3.8 4.8 6.0 4.8 3.6 (d) 4.6 (a)(d) 2.3  GNI 2.8 5.1 4.8 4.3 3.6 (d) 3.2 (a)(d) 2.2 |
| AGGREGATE DEMAND AND SAVINGS (per cent of GDP) (g)  Consumption 75.4 75.8 76.4 79.4 75.6 (d) 77.0 (a)(d) 78.7  Private 67.6 67.4 67.4 71.0 67.1 (d) 67.8 (a)(d) 69.3  Government 7.8 8.4 9.0 8.5 8.5 (d) 9.1 (a)(d) 9.4  Investment 33.2 32.3 31.2 27.9 31.6 (d) 30.4 (a)(d) 27.4  Net exports of goods and services -8.6 -8.1 -7.5 -7.3 -7.2 (d) -7.4 (a)(d) -6.1  Exports of goods and services 20.3 21.1 21.0 21.2 21.8 (d) 22.9 (a)(d) 23.1  Imports of goods and services 28.9 29.2 28.5 28.5 29.1 (d) 30.3 (a)(d) 29.2  Domestic savings 24.6 24.2 23.6 20.6 24.4 (d) 23.0 (a)(d) 21.3  Net primary and secondary income from rest of the world 5.2 5.6 5.2 5.2 4.6 (d) 4.2 (a)(d) 4.0  National savings 29.9 29.8 28.8 25.7 29.0 (d) 27.3 (a)(d) 25.3 |
| PRICES AND WAGES (percentage change)  National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) - annual average - - 3.8 4.0 7.7 2.1 3.5  National Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) - year-on-year (end period) - - 4.2 4.2 7.3 0.4 6.2  Colombo Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) - annual average - - 2.2 4.0 6.6 4.3 4.3  Colombo Consumer Price Index (2013 = 100) - year-on-year (end period) - - 4.6 4.5 7.1 2.8 4.8  Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100) - annual average (i) 6.9 3.3 0.9 3.7 - - -  Colombo Consumer Price Index (2006/07 = 100) - year-on-year (end period) (i) 4.7 2.1 2.8 4.1 - - -  Producer's Price Index (2013 Q4 = 100) - annual average - - 3.6 1.7 17.0 6.3 2.9  GDP deflator (g) 6.2 2.9 0.6 4.8 7.3 (d) 4.3 (a)(d) 2.2  GNI deflator (g) 6.2 2.9 0.6 4.9 7.3 (d) 4.3 (a)(d) 2.1  Nominal wage rate index for workers in all wages boards (1978 Dec =100) 5.7 3.7 2.9 0.0 0.0 0.6 2.9  Nominal wage rate index for public sector employees (2016 =100) - - - - - 0.2 4.7  Nominal wage rate index for public sector employees (2012 =100) 6.3 10.5 31.7 3.9 0.0 0.1 3.2  Nominal wage rate index for informal private sector employees (2012 =100) 9.8 7.6 7.3 7.9 9.5 13.2 6.2 |
| EXTERNAL TRADE  Trade balance (US$ million) -7,609 -8,287 -8,388 -8,873 -9,619 -10,343 -7,997  Exports 10,394 11,130 10,546 10,310 11,360 11,890 11,940  Imports 18,003 19,417 18,935 19,183 20,980 22,233 19,937  Terms of trade (percentage change) 4.6 4.3 2.7 4.0 1.2 0.02 -1.6  Export unit value index (2010 = 100) (percentage change) -0.3 2.7 -9.4 -1.5 2.4 4.2 -6.3  Import unit value index (2010 = 100) (percentage change) -4.7 -1.5 -11.8 -5.3 1.2 4.1 -4.8  Export volume index (2010 = 100) (percentage change) 6.7 4.3 4.6 -0.7 7.6 0.5 7.2  Import volume index (2010 = 100) (percentage change) -1.5 9.5 10.6 7.0 8.1 1.8 -5.8 |
| EXTERNAL FINANCE (US$ million)  Services and primary income account (net) -572 72 312 678 984 1,381 (d) 423  Current private transfers (net) 5,619 6,199 6,167 6,434 6,316 6,155 5,757  Current official transfers (net) 21 28 27 19 11 8 9  Current account balance -2,541 -1,988 -1,883 -1,742 -2,309 -2,799 (d) -1,808  Overall balance 985 1,369 -1,489 -500 2,068 -1,103 377 |
| 1. Provisional (f) In July 2016, the Department of Census and Statistics published a re-weighted 2. As reported by Registrar General’s Department and revised labour force data series for 2011 onwards. 3. Based on the Census of Population and Housing - 2012 (g) Rebased GDP estimates (base year 2010) of the Department of Census and 4. Revised Statistics have been used. 5. Household population aged 15 and above is considered for the calculation of (h) Estimates are updated with the latest population figures   labour force. (i) Compilation of this index was discontinued since January 2017. |

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| **KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS (Contd.)** |
| 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 (a) |
| Current account balance (per cent of GDP) (g)(j) -3.4 -2.5 -2.3 -2.1 -2.6 -3.2 -2.2  Total foreign assets (months of the same year imports) (k) 5.7 6.1 5.9 5.3 6.0 5.2 6.3  Gross official reserves (months of the same year imports) 5.0 5.1 4.6 3.8 4.6 3.7 4.6  Overall debt service ratio (l)  As a percentage of export of goods and services 26.8 21.7 28.2 25.6 23.9 28.9 29.7  As a percentage of current receipts 18.7 15.2 19.8 18.0 17.3 21.3 21.9  Total external debt (per cent of GDP) (g)(j) 53.7 54.1 55.7 56.8 59.0 (d) 59.2 (d) 66.6 |
| EXCHANGE RATES  Annual average  Rs/US$ 129.11 130.56 135.94 145.60 152.46 162.54 178.78  Rs/SDR (m) 196.19 198.35 190.16 202.39 211.49 229.90 246.97  NEER (2017 = 100) (24 - currency basket) (n) 104.39 105.29 109.40 104.89 100.00 94.05 (d) 88.18  REER (2017 = 100) (24 - currency basket) (n)(o) 96.33 98.92 102.84 100.79 100.00 95.45 (d) 90.30  Year end  Rs/US$ 130.75 131.05 144.06 149.80 152.85 182.75 181.63  Rs/SDR (m) 201.36 189.86 199.63 201.38 217.69 253.51 251.17 |
| GOVERNMENT FINANCE (per cent of GDP) (g)(p)  Revenue and grants 12.0 11.6 13.3 14.1 13.8 13.5 12.6  Revenue 11.9 11.5 13.3 14.1 13.7 13.4 12.6  o/w Tax revenue 10.5 10.1 12.4 12.2 12.5 11.9 11.6  Grants 0.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1  Expenditure and net lending 17.4 17.3 20.9 19.5 19.3 18.7 19.4  Recurrent expenditure 12.6 12.8 15.5 14.7 14.5 14.5 15.3  Capital expenditure and net lending 4.8 4.6 5.4 4.8 4.8 4.2 4.1  Current account balance -0.7 -1.2 -2.3 -0.6 -0.7 -1.2 -2.7  Primary balance -0.8 -1.5 -2.9 -0.2 0.02 0.6 -0.8  Overall fiscal balance -5.4 -5.7 -7.6 -5.3 -5.5 -5.3 -6.8  Deficit financing 5.4 5.7 7.6 5.3 5.5 5.3 6.8  Foreign 1.3 2.1 2.2 3.3 3.3 2.3 2.1  Domestic 4.1 3.7 5.4 2.1 2.2 3.0 4.7  Central government debt 71.8 72.3 78.5 79.0 77.9 83.7 86.8  Foreign 30.9 30.0 32.4 33.7 35.4 41.5 42.6  Domestic (q) 41.0 42.2 46.2 45.3 42.5 42.3 44.1 |
| MONETARY AGGREGATES (year-on-year percentage change)  Reserve money 0.9 18.3 16.5 27.1 9.8 2.3 -3.0  Narrow money (M1) 7.7 26.3 16.8 8.6 2.1 4.7 4.2  Broad money (M2b) (r) 16.7 13.4 17.8 18.4 16.7 13.0 7.0  Net foreign assets of the banking system -195.5 119.8 -2,071.2 22.4 152.6 -155.1 291.4  Net domestic assets of the banking system 18.3 10.5 26.0 15.9 9.8 16.3 4.2  Domestic credit from the banking system to  Government (net) 24.5 10.3 22.5 12.1 10.0 16.1 (d) 9.9  Public corporations 24.8 23.5 17.7 -3.2 4.5 40.7 8.3  Private sector 7.5 8.6 25.0 21.6 14.7 15.9 4.3  Money multiplier for M2b (end year) 7.00 6.71 6.78 6.31 6.71 7.42 8.18  Velocity of M2b (average for the year) (g) 2.99 2.85 2.62 2.43 2.26 (d) 2.12 (d) 2.04 |
| INTEREST RATES (per cent per annum at year end)  Standing Deposit Facility Rate (SDFR) (s) 6.50 6.50 6.00 7.00 7.25 8.00 7.00  Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) (s) 8.50 8.00 7.50 8.50 8.75 9.00 8.00  Money market rates  Average weighted call money rate (AWCMR) 7.66 6.21 6.40 8.42 8.15 8.95 7.45  Treasury bill yields  91 days 7.54 5.74 6.45 8.72 7.69 10.01 7.51  364 days 8.29 6.01 7.30 10.17 8.90 11.20 8.45  Deposit rates  Commercial banks’ average weighted deposit rate (AWDR) 9.37 6.20 6.20 8.17 9.07 8.81 8.20  Commercial banks’ average weighted fixed deposit rate (AWFDR) 11.78 7.33 7.57 10.46 11.48 10.85 10.05  NSB savings rate 5.00 5.00 5.00 4.25 4.00 4.00 4.00  NSB 12 month fixed deposit rate 9.50 6.50 7.25 11.00 11.00 10.50 9.83  Lending rates  Commercial banks’ average weighted prime lending rate (AWPR) 10.13 6.26 7.53 11.52 11.55 12.09 9.74  Commercial banks’ average weighted lending rate (AWLR) 15.18 11.91 11.00 13.20 13.88 14.40 13.59 |
| CAPITAL MARKET  All share price index (ASPI) (1985 = 100) 5,912.8 7,299.0 6,894.5 6,228.3 6,369.3 6,052.4 6,129.2  S&P SL 20 index (2004 Dec = 1,000) 3,263.9 4,089.1 3,625.7 3,496.4 3,671.7 3,135.2 2,937.0  Value of shares traded (Rs. million) 200,468 340,917 253,251 176,935 220,591 200,069 171,408  Net purchases by non nationals (Rs. million) 22,783 21,217 -5,372 338 17,655 -23,239 -11,735  Market capitalisation (Rs. billion) 2,459.9 3,104.9 2,938.0 2,745.4 2,899.3 2,839.5 2,851.3 |
| 1. Based on GDP estimates in US dollars (p) Based on the revised GDP estimates for 2017 and 2018 released on 31 March 2. Excludes foreign assets in the form of direct investments abroad and 2020 by Department of Census and Statistics   trade credit and advances received (q) Outstanding balance of Treasury bonds issued to State Owned Business Enterprises   1. Overall debt service ratios were reclassified to capture debt servicing (SOBEs) has been included.   in accordance with the External Debt Statistics Manual (2003) of the (r) Figures from 2015 include assets/ liabilities of DFCC Bank PLC, which merged with International Monetary Fund (IMF). DFCC Vardhana Bank, with effect from 1 October 2015.   1. Special Drawing Rights (SDR), the unit of account of the IMF (s) Repurchase rate and Reverse Repurchase rate renamed as Standing Deposit 2. Exchange rates have been defined in terms of indices so that the appreciation/ Facility Rate (SDFR) and Standing Lending Facility Rate (SLFR) respectively, with effect depreciation of the rupee relative to other currencies is reflected by a rise/fall from 2 January 2014.   in the values of the effective exchange rate indices.   1. CCPI is used for the computation of the Real Effective Exchange Rate (REER). The REER is computed by adjusting the Nominal Effective Exchange Rate (NEER) for inflation differentials with the countries whose currencies are included in the basket. |