



Central Bank Survey: End-July 2016

The monetary base went up by Rs1,391 million or 2.0 per cent, from Rs70,420 million at end-June 2016 to Rs71,811 million at end-July 2016 as against a fall of 7.4 per cent registered between end-May 2016 and end-June 2016. The increase in the monetary base reflected the rise in liabilities to other depository corporations and currency in circulation. The annual growth rate of monetary base accelerated by 4.4 per cent in July 2016 as against a contraction of 1.6 per cent in June 2016.

On the sources side of the monetary base, the net foreign assets of the Bank rose by Rs185 million or 0.1 per cent, from Rs166,726 million as at end-June 2016 to Rs166,911 million as at end-July 2016. Net Claims on Central Government went up by Rs130 million, from negative Rs35,913 million at end-June 2016 to negative Rs35,783 million at end-July 2016.

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	Jul-16	Jun-16	Monthly Change		JuL-15	Annual Change	
	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)
1. Net Foreign Assets	166,911	166,726	185	0.1	142,105	24,806	17.5
Claims on Nonresidents	167,229	167,033	196	0.1	142,244	24,985	17.6
Liabilities to Nonresidents	318	307	11	3.6	139	179	128.3
2. Domestic Claims	-30,677	-31,286	609	1.9	-21,089	-9,588	-45.5
A. Net Claims on Central Government	-35,783	-35,913	130	0.4	-26,328	-9,455	-35.9
B. Claims on Other Sectors	3,749	3,761	-11	-0.31	3,664	85	2.3
C. Claims on Other Depository Corporations	1,357	867	490	56.5	1,575	-218	-13.9
3. ASSETS = LIABILITIES	136,233	135,440	793	0.6	121,016	15,218	12.6
4. Monetary Base	71,811	70,420	1,391	2.0	68,773	3,038	4.4
A. Currency in Circulation	31,023	30,581	442	1.4	29,085	1,938	6.7
B. Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	40,642	39,659	983	2.5	39,385	1,257	3.2
C. Liabilities to Other Sectors	146	180	-34	-18.7	303	-157	-51.8
5. Other Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	34,420	35,388	-968	-2.7	26,274	8,147	31.0
6. Deposits and Securities other than Shares, Excluded from Monetary Base	3,997	3,921	76	1.9	2,351	1,645	70.0
7. Other	26,005	25,711	294	1.1	23,617	2,388	10.1

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Source: Research & Economic Analysis Department