



Central Bank Survey: End-July 2020

The monetary base went up by Rs5,526 million, from Rs148,347 million at the end of June 2020 to Rs153,873 million at the end of July 2020, or by 3.7 per cent, as against a decrease of 5.4 per cent registered between end-May 2020 and end-June 2020. The expansion in the monetary base resulted from the increases in all of its components. The annual growth rate of the monetary base fell from 40.3 per cent in June 2020 to 40.1 per cent in July 2020.

On the sources side of the monetary base, the net foreign assets of the Bank rose by Rs16,712 million or 6.0 per cent to Rs295,596 million at the end of July 2020. Net Claims on Central Government increased by Rs1,039 million from negative Rs22,127 million at end-June 2020 to negative Rs21,089 million at end-July 2020.

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	Jul-20	Jun-20	Monthly Change		Jul-19	Annual Change	
	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)
1. Net Foreign Assets	295,596	278,884	16,712	6.0	258,965	36,632	14.1
Claims on Nonresidents	305,567	288,882	16,685	5.8	259,220	46,348	17.9
Liabilities to Nonresidents	9,971	9,998	-27	-0.3	255	9,716	3,808.1
2. Domestic Claims	-3,657	-5,905	2,248	38.1	-14,092	10,436	74.1
A. Net Claims on Central Government	-21,089	-22,127	1,039	4.7	-18,377	-2,711	-14.8
B. Claims on Other Sectors	5,380	4,120	1,260	30.6	4,022	1,357	33.7
C. Claims on Other Depository Corporations	12,052	12,103	-51	-0.4	262	11,790	4,492.9
3. ASSETS = LIABILITIES	291,939	272,980	18,959	6.9	244,872	47,067	19.2
4. Monetary Base	153,873	148,347	5,526	3.7	109,853	44,021	40.1
A. Currency in Circulation	42,116	41,856	261	0.6	36,453	5,664	15.5
B. Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	110,725	106,334	4,392	4.1	73,260	37,465	51.1
C. Liabilities to Other Sectors	1,031	158	874	554.5	140	891	637.0
5. Other Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	64,927	58,200	6,727	11.6	74,967	-10,041	-13.4
6. Deposits and Securities other than Shares, Excluded from Monetary Base	20,161	19,411	750	3.9	27,210	-7,049	-25.9
7. Other	52,978	47,022	5,956	12.7	32,842	20,136	61.3

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Source: Economic Analysis and Research and Statistics Department