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Coordinated Direct Investment Survey (CDIS) Results for Mauritius: End-December 2016

The International Monetary Fund (IMF) has released the results of its 2017 Coordinated Direct Investment Survey (CDIS) for data as at end-December 2016 on its website on 12 December 2017. The CDIS is a worldwide survey of bilateral direct investment position, designed to improve the availability and quality of data on direct investment, both overall and by immediate counterpart economy.

The Bank is the focal point for the survey in Mauritius and collected data with the support of the Financial Services Commission for those entities falling under its regulatory and supervisory purview.

CDIS Position Data for Mauritius

The stock of direct investment liabilities of Mauritius increased from USD270 billion as at end-December 2015 to USD283 billion as at end-December 2016, or by about 5.2 per cent (Table 1). The United States ranked first in terms of direct investment in Mauritius with outstanding claims of USD54 billion as at end-December 2016, followed by Cayman Islands (USD41 billion), Singapore (USD22 billion) and India (USD21 billion).

The stock of direct investment assets of Mauritius rose from USD223 billion as at end-December 2015 to USD234 billion as at end-December 2016. India remained the number one destination of Mauritius' direct investment abroad with outstanding assets of USD102 billion as at end-December 2016 followed by Singapore (USD21 billion).

Table 1: Direct investment position data for Mauritius as at end-December 2016 vis-à-vis its top ten counterpart economies, USD million

Stock of Direct Investment Liabilities		Stock of Direct Investment Assets	
Total	282,969	Total	234,288
<i>of which:</i>		<i>of which:</i>	
United States	53,958	India	101,688
Cayman Islands	41,496	Singapore	21,086
Singapore	21,775	China, P.R.: Mainland	7,248
India	20,876	Cayman Islands	6,898
United Kingdom	17,666	South Africa	6,723
South Africa	15,755	United Kingdom	6,404
Netherlands	13,579	China, P.R.: Hong Kong	5,804
China, P.R.: Hong Kong	11,121	Netherlands	5,469
Luxembourg	7,787	United Arab Emirates	4,757
Virgin Islands, British	7,512	Virgin Islands, British	3,743

Note: The Coordinated Direct Investment Survey includes cross-border position data of Category 1 Global Business Companies (GBC1s).

For further information consult <http://data.imf.org/CDIS>

Table 2: Direct investment position data for Mauritius by sector as at end-December 2015 and 2016, USD million

	2015 ¹	2016 ²
Direct Investment Asset Position	222,807.9	234,288.1
GBC1s	222,082.0	233,562.0
Non-GBCs	725.9	726.1
Direct Investment Liability Position	270,121.8	282,968.6
GBC1s	265,790.5	278,468.9
Non-GBCs	4,331.3	4,499.7

¹ Revised.

² Provisional.

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