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Coordinated Direct Investment Survey (CDIS) Results for Mauritius: End-December 2015

The International Monetary Fund (IMF) has released the results of its 2016 Coordinated Direct Investment Survey¹ (CDIS) for data as at end-December 2015 on its website on 13 December 2016. 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 carries out the survey in collaboration with the Financial Services Commission.

CDIS Position Data for Mauritius

The stock of direct investment liabilities of Mauritius dropped to USD269 billion as at end-December 2015, from USD297 billion as at end-December 2014. The United States ranked first in terms of direct investment in Mauritius with outstanding claims of USD55 billion as at end-December 2015, followed by Cayman Islands (USD35 billion), Singapore (USD24 billion) and India (USD23 billion).

The stock of direct investment assets of Mauritius totalled USD221 billion as at end-December 2015, down from USD230 billion as at end-December 2014. India remained the number one destination of Mauritius' direct investment with outstanding assets of USD100 billion as at end-December 2015, representing 45.3 per cent of the total stock of outward direct investment, followed by Singapore (USD20 billion).

The table below gives the direct investment position data for Mauritius as at end-December 2015 vis-à-vis its top ten counterpart economies.

(USD million)

Stock of Direct Investment Liabilities		Stock of Direct Investment Assets	
Total	269,105	Total	221,313
of which:		of which:	
United States	55,214	India	100,225
Cayman Islands	35,008	Singapore	19,631
Singapore	23,948	China, P.R.: Hong Kong	6,620
India	22,734	China, P.R.: Mainland	6,441
United Kingdom	16,303	Indonesia	6,434
South Africa	11,861	United States	4,528
China, P.R.: Hong Kong	10,092	South Africa	4,079
Virgin Islands, British	9,661	Cayman Islands	3,856
Netherlands	8,705	Luxembourg	3,854
Luxembourg	6,552	United Arab Emirates	3,520

Note: The Coordinated Direct Investment Survey includes cross-border position data of

Category 1 Global Business Companies (GBC1s).

Source: IMF Website. For further information consult http://cdis.imf.org