



Gross Official International Reserves: End-February 2022

The Gross Official International Reserves (GOIR) of the country decreased by Rs4.4 billion, from Rs345.4 billion (equivalent to USD7,910.3 million) as at end-January 2022 to Rs341.1 billion (equivalent to USD7,750.5 million) as at end-February 2022. Compared to end-February 2021, the GOIR rose by Rs47.2 billion.

Based on the imports of goods and services for calendar year 2020, the GOIR represented 20.0 months of imports as at end-February 2022, compared to 20.2 months as at end-January 2022 and 17.2 months as at end-February 2021.

Table 1: Gross Official International Reserves: February 2021 – February 2022

	Gross Foreign Assets of Bank of Mauritius				Reserve Position in the IMF	Gross Official International Reserves	Gross Official International Reserves	Import Cover
	Gold	SDR	Other	TOTAL				
	(Rs million)							
Feb-21	28,165	5,215	258,439	291,819	1,998	293,817	7,347.2	17.2
Mar-21	27,403	5,197	263,470	296,070	2,001	298,071	7,329.0	17.5
Apr-21	28,696	5,252	266,301	300,249	2,020	302,269	7,461.3	17.7
May-21	31,057	5,307	270,781	307,145	2,051	309,196	7,587.8	18.1
Jun-21	29,951	5,485	272,359	307,795	2,123	309,918	7,269.5	18.2
Jul-21	31,349	5,519	272,260	309,128	2,138	311,266	7,261.0	18.2
Aug-21	31,038	13,767	273,349	318,154	2,125	320,279	7,493.4	18.8
Sep-21	29,626	13,692	289,968	333,287	2,104	335,390	7,842.1	19.6
Oct-21	30,839	13,776	282,826	327,441	2,126	329,567	7,660.7	19.3
Nov-21	31,047	13,701	289,198	333,945	2,117	336,062	7,764.7	19.7
Dec-21	31,636	13,801	325,128	370,565	2,132	372,697	8,562.0	21.8
Jan-22¹	31,280	13,752	298,271	343,303	2,130	345,433	7,910.3	20.2
Feb-22²	33,453	13,895	291,558	338,906	2,152	341,058	7,750.5	20.0

¹ Revised

² Provisional

Figures may not add up to total due to rounding.

Note: For 2021 and 2022, the monthly import cover is based on imports of goods and services for calendar year 2020.