

Mauritius' International Investment Position¹ (IIP) End-December 2019 (Preliminary estimates)

- Preliminary estimates of the International Investment Position (IIP) for Mauritius indicate a net foreign asset position of Rs962 billion (equivalent to USD26 billion) as at end-December 2019. Claims on non-residents have been estimated at Rs17,304 billion (equivalent to USD473 billion) while liabilities to non-residents have been estimated at Rs16,342 billion (equivalent to USD447 billion).
- 2. The net foreign asset position of the non-GBLH sector stood at Rs427 billion (equivalent to USD12 billion) as at end-December 2019. Non-GBLH residents' claims on non-residents amounted to Rs1,111 billion (equivalent to USD30 billion) while their liabilities to non-residents totalled Rs684 billion (equivalent to USD19 billion). Gross official international reserves of the country increased by Rs52 billion to Rs269 billion (equivalent to USD7 billion) as at end-December 2019 compared to end-December 2018.
- 3. The net foreign asset position of the GBLH sector has been estimated at Rs536 billion (equivalent to USD15 billion) as at end-December 2019. GBLHs' claims on non-residents are estimated at Rs16,194 billion (equivalent to USD442 billion) while their liabilities to non-residents are estimated at Rs15,658 billion (equivalent to USD428 billion).

Table 1 summarises the foreign asset and liability position of Mauritius by functional category as at end-December 2019.

Table 1: International Investment Position, end-December 2019²

	Rs billion	USD billion		Rs billion	USD billion
Net Foreign Asset Position	962	26			
o/w: Non-GBLH	427	12			
GBLH	536	15			
Claims on Non-residents	17,304	473	Liabilities to Non-residents	16,342	447
o/w: Non-GBLH	1,111	30	o/w: Non-GBLH	684	19
GBLH	16,194	442	GBLH	15,658	428
Direct Investment	9,984	273	Direct Investment	11,829	323
o/w: Non-GBLH	25	1	o/w: Non-GBLH	216	6
GBLH	9,958	272	GBLH	11,613	317
Portfolio Investment	4,718	129	Portfolio Investment	1,154	32
o/w: Non-GBLH	262	7	o/w: Non-GBLH	42	1
GBLH	4,455	122	GBLH	1,112	30
Other Investment	2,216	61	Other Investment	3,329	91
o/w: Non-GBLH	551	15	o/w: Non-GBLH	423	12
GBLH	1,665	45	GBLH	2,906	79
Financial Derivatives	117	3	Financial Derivatives	31	1
o/w: Non-GBLH	2	0.1	o/w: Non-GBLH	3	0.1
GBLH	115	3	GBLH	28	1
Reserve Assets	269	7			

Note: Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

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¹ Includes position data of Global Business License Holders' (GBLH) companies.

² Preliminary estimates.