



Central Bank Survey: End-July 2015

The monetary base went down by Rs2,821 million or 3.9 per cent, from Rs71,594 million at end-June 2015 to Rs68,773 million at end-July 2015 as against an increase of 1.1 per cent registered between end-May 2015 and end-June 2015. The drop in the monetary base reflected the decrease in Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations. The annual growth rate of monetary base dropped to 6.1 per cent in July 2015, from 15.2 per cent in June 2015.

On the sources side of the monetary base, net foreign assets of the Bank went up by Rs3,477 million or 2.5 per cent, from Rs138,628 million at end-June 2015 to Rs142,105 million at end-July 2015. Net Claims on Central Government decreased by Rs4,614 million, from negative Rs21,715 million at end-June 2015 to negative Rs26,328 million at end-July 2015.

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	Jul-15	Jun-15	Monthly Change		Jul-14	Annual Change	
	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)	(Rs Mn)	(Rs Mn)	(Per Cent)
1. Net Foreign Assets	142,105	138,628	3,477	2.5	121,076	21,029	17.4
Claims on Nonresidents	142,244	138,736	3,508	2.5	121,351	20,893	17.2
Liabilities to Nonresidents	139	108	31	29.1	275	-136	-49.4
2. Domestic Claims	-21,089	-15,983	-5,106	-31.9	-17,279	-3,810	-22.0
A. Net Claims on Central Government	-26,328	-21,715	-4,614	-21.2	-19,181	-7,147	-37.3
B. Claims on Other Sectors	3,664	3,704	-40	-1.1	117	3,547	3,025.1
C. Claims on Other Depository Corporations	1,575	2,028	-453	-22.3	1,785	-210	-11.7
3. ASSETS = LIABILITIES	121,016	122,645	-1,630	-1.3	103,796	17,219	16.6
4. Monetary Base	68,773	71,594	-2,821	-3.9	64,802	3,971	6.1
A. Currency in Circulation	29,085	28,401	683	2.4	27,339	1,746	6.4
B. Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	39,385	42,987	-3,602	-8.4	37,346	2,039	5.5
C. Liabilities to Other Sectors	303	206	98	47.5	117	186	158.9
5. Other Liabilities to Other Depository Corporations	26,274	24,624	1,650	6.7	15,863	10,411	65.6
6. Deposits and Securities other than Shares, Excluded from Monetary Base	2,351	2,054	298	14.5	1,991	360	18.1
7. Other	23,617	24,373	-756	-3.1	21,141	2,477	11.7

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Source: Statistics Division