

Table 35: Gross Official International Reserves: December 2008 - December 2009

	Gross Foreign Assets of Bank of Mauritius				Reserve Position in the IMF	Foreign Assets of Government	Gross Official International Reserves	Gross Official International Reserves ¹
	Gold ³	SDR	Other	TOTAL				
	(Rs million)							(US\$ million)
Dec-08	1,355	930	53,775	56,060	643	0.1	56,703.1	1,785.6
Jan-09	1,463	936	52,474	54,873	646	0.2	55,519.2	1,687.6
Feb-09	1,612	957	54,765	57,334	664	0.3	57,998.3	1,686.1
Mar-09	1,498	931	54,628	57,057	652	0.3	57,709.3	1,741.7
Apr-09	1,505	961	57,921	60,387	671	0.2	61,058.2	1,794.0
May-09	1,548	937	57,988	60,473	659	0.1	61,132.1	1,888.4
Jun-09	1,490	940	60,871	63,301	656	0.2	63,957.2	1,989.4
Jul-09	1,467	932	60,945	63,344	651	0.0	63,995.0	2,008.8
Aug-09	1,482	4,656	60,862	67000*	651	0.1	67,651.1	2,140.2
Sep-09	1,500	4,813	59,242	65,555	636	0.2	66,191.2	2,167.8
Oct-09	1,555	4,802	60,038	66,395	633	0.1	67,028.1	2,214.2
Nov-09	3,903	4,743	59,334	67,980	624	0.1	68,604.1	2,328.4
Dec-09 ²	3,783	4,727	60,626	69,136	625	0.1	69,761.1	2,303.1

¹ Valued at end-of-period exchange rate.

* On 28 august 2009, the IMF granted additional SDR allocation to Mauritius

² Provisional³ The Bank of Mauritius purchased 2 metric tons of gold from the IMF on 16 November 2009 equivalent to Rs2,195 million.

Source: Statistics Division.

Table 36: Net International Reserves*: November 2008 - November 2009

	Bank of Mauritius Net Foreign Assets	Other Depository Corporations Net Foreign Assets ¹	Others ²	Net International Reserves	Import Coverage (No. of weeks) ³
	(Rs million)				
Nov-08	53,300	30,841	623	84,763	35.9
Dec-08	56,025	33,496	643	90,164	38.2
Jan-09	54,839	36,238	646	91,723	38.9
Feb-09	57,299	34,409	664	92,372	39.1
Mar-09	57,042	31,468	652	89,162	37.8
Apr-09	60,371	33,456	671	94,498	40.0
May-09	60,458	33,224	659	94,341	40.0
Jun-09	63,282	33,864	656	97,802	41.4
Jul-09	63,325	32,490	651	96,466	40.9
Aug-09	63,266	33,303	651	97,220	41.2
Sep-09	61,539	31,732	637	93,908	39.8
Oct-09	62,380	33,138	633	96,151	40.7
Nov-09	63,965	35,904	624	100,493	42.6

*:Based on the methodological framework of the IMF Depository Corporations Survey

¹ The Net Foreign Assets of Other Depository Corporations are adjusted for transactions of Global Business Licence Holders.² Comprises Foreign Assets of the Government and the country's Reserve Position in the IMF.³ Based on the value of the import bill for the fiscal year 2008-09, exclusive of purchase of marine vessel.

Source: Statistics Division.