

**Table 24a: Secondary Market Activity: December 2004 - December 2005**

Period	Holdings of SMC as at end of period	Amount of Bills transacted outside SMC <sup>1</sup>	Amount of Bills purchased by SMC	Amount of Bills sold by SMC <sup>2</sup>	Amount of Other Government Securities transacted outside SMC	Amount of Other Government Securities transacted by SMC	Total Amount of secondary market transactions	Weighted average yield on Bills sold by SMC <sup>3</sup>
<b>December-05</b>								
01 -02 Dec	4,053.0	23.8	180.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	204.5	-
05 - 09 Dec	4,702.8	156.5	650.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	806.7	6.84
12 - 16 Dec	3,952.8	73.9	2.1	652.1	0.0	0.0	728.1	-
19 - 23 Dec	3,852.8	241.1	4.9	4.9	0.0	0.0	250.9	-
26 - 30 Dec	3,852.0	506.4	159.1	159.9	0.0	0.0	825.4	6.84
<b>Dec-04</b>	2,247	969	4	21	0	0	994	5.72
<b>Jan-05</b>	2,103	637	472	481	0	0	1,590	6.43
<b>Feb-05</b>	1,749	310	924	917	0	0	2,150	6.65
<b>Mar-05</b>	2,474	1,112	1,273	498	0	0	2,882	6.69
<b>Apr-05</b>	2,419	1,118	103	9	0	0	1,230	6.77
<b>May-05</b>	2,362	596	349	355	0	0	1,300	6.60
<b>Jun-05</b>	3,305	940	271	276	0	0	1,486	6.58
<b>Jul-05</b>	3,300	360	0	5	0	0	365	6.67
<b>Aug-05</b>	4,100	683	930	131	0	0	1,744	6.57
<b>Sep-05</b>	3,494	577	166	471	0	0	1,214	6.88
<b>Oct-05</b>	3,634	354	527	371	0	0	1,252	6.86
<b>Nov-05</b>	3,872	445	977	489	0	0	1,910	6.84
<b>Dec-05</b>	3,852	1,002	997	817	0	0	2,816	6.84

<sup>1</sup> Includes Transactions by Primary Dealers.

<sup>2</sup> Includes Bills sold Over The Counter (OTC) and on the Stock Exchange of Mauritius.

<sup>3</sup> Only on Outright Transactions.

SMC: Secondary Market Cell of the Bank of Mauritius.

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Note: Effective 1 October 2002, the Bank of Mauritius discontinued the sale of Treasury Bills over the counter to individuals and non-financial corporations. Effective 2 June 2003, such sales have resumed at the Bank's Rodrigues Office.

**Table 24b: Trading of Treasury / Bank of Mauritius Bills on The Stock Exchange of Mauritius: December 2004 – December 2005**

Period	Amount Transacted				Yield (Per cent per annum)
	182-Day	364-Day	728-Day	Total	
	(Rupees million)				
<b>Dec-04</b>	-	-	12.5	12.5	5.38-6.63
<b>Jan-05</b>	-	-	9.3	9.3	6.06-6.66
<b>Feb-05</b>	-	-	9.0	9.0	6.16-6.75
<b>Mar-05</b>	-	-	7.1	7.1	6.06-6.78
<b>Apr-05</b>	-	-	5.6	5.6	6.25-6.78
<b>May-05</b>	-	-	6.8	6.8	6.06-6.75
<b>Jun-05</b>	-	-	4.7	4.7	5.97-6.75
<b>Jul-05</b>	-	-	4.8	4.8	5.94-6.75
<b>Aug-05</b>	-	-	1.8	1.8	5.84-6.88
<b>Sep-05</b>	-	-	5.2	5.2	6.88
<b>Oct-05</b>	-	-	2.8	2.8	6.84-6.88
<b>Nov-05</b>	-	-	0.1	0.1	6.84
<b>Dec-05</b>	-	-	1.0	1.0	6.84