Revision of External Sector Statistics: Calendar Year 2020

I. Background

1. The Bank is releasing revised External Sector Statistics (ESS) for calendar year 2020. The revisions incorporate data culled from the annual Foreign Assets and Liabilities Survey (FALS) and the annual External Sector Statistics & National Accounts (ESSNAC) Survey as well as changes in other data collected for 2020. The FALS collects information from a sample of resident enterprises on their transaction, position data and other related income variables pertaining to their claims and liabilities to non-residents. The ESSNAC survey collects similar information for global business license holders (GBLHs). The FALS is carried out by the Bank while the ESSNAC Survey is administered by the Financial Services Commission (FSC). Details on the revisions made are found in the Annexed Tables.

II. Key outcome

- 2. FALS2021 collected data for calendar year 2020 and targeted 785 enterprises, of which 589 enterprises responded to the survey, representing a response rate of 75 per cent. Based on survey results, it is estimated that the gross foreign assets of non-GBLHs residents increased from Rs42.0 billion as at end-2019 to Rs50.9 billion as at end-2020 while their gross foreign liabilities rose by Rs5.5 billion to Rs83.1 billion. Accordingly, the net liability position of non-GBLHs resident enterprises declined by Rs3.4 billion, from Rs35.6 billion as at end-2019 to Rs32.2 billion as at end-2020 (Table 1).
- 3. The ESSNAC Survey 2020 covered the population of GBLHs. Gross foreign assets of GBLHs increased by Rs2.0 trillion (USD17.9 billion), from Rs16.2 trillion (USD442.8 billion) as at end-2019 to Rs18.2 trillion (USD460.7 billion) as at end-2020. The gross foreign liabilities of GBLHs went up by Rs2.4 trillion (USD28.7 billion), from Rs15.6 trillion (USD427.5 billion) to Rs18.0 trillion (USD456.2 billion) over the same period. Consequently, net foreign assets of GBLHs stood at Rs175.1 billion (USD4.4 billion) as at end-2020, lower by Rs383.8 billion (USD10.8 billion) compared to end-2019 (Table 2).

III. Revision of External Sector Statistics

The following data categories falling under the external sector statistics are being revised for calendar year 2020:

- 1) Balance of payments;
- 2) International investment position;
- 3) Direct investment assets and liabilities positions;
- 4) Portfolio investment assets and liabilities positions;
- 5) Gross direct investment flows; and
- 6) Private sector gross external debt.

1. Balance of payments

The current account deficit for 2020 has been revised down to Rs39.7 billion (equivalent to USD1.0 billion), from an initial estimate of Rs54.0 billion (equivalent to USD1.4 billion), mainly on account of higher net primary income surplus received by GBLHs companies, which more than offset the wider deficit in the secondary income account. As a ratio to GDP, the current account deficit declined to 9.2 per cent, from the preliminary estimate of 12.6 per cent. The financial account posted net inflows of Rs39.2 billion (equivalent to USD1.0 billion) compared to the preliminary estimated net inflows of Rs49.2 billion (equivalent to USD1.3 billion). (Table 3).

The FALS and ESSNAC survey results are used to supplement the primary and secondary income accounts as well as the financial account of the balance of payments. The GBLHs contributed net primary income of Rs60.3 billion (equivalent to USD1.5 billion) compared to the preliminary estimate of Rs32.0 billion (equivalent to USD0.8 billion). The inclusion of GBLHs transactions from the ESSNAC survey was the most significant revision made given the magnitude and specificity of transactions by GBLHs entities. The revision outcomes are as follows:

- (i) The revision in the primary income account reflected changes in the investment income subaccounts. The income flows estimated from the ESSNAC survey were significantly higher compared to preliminary estimates.
- (ii) A higher deficit in the secondary income account, reflecting essentially higher tax payments for higher income received by GBLHs to foreign governments.
- (iii) Changes to the direct investment, portfolio investment and other investment accounts have been amended to include the results of FALS and ESSNAC surveys.

2. International Investment Position (IIP)

The country's net foreign asset position as at end-2020 stood at Rs703 billion, higher relative to previous estimate of Rs653 billion (Table 4). Compared to 2019, the net IIP declined by Rs289 billion, reflecting essentially lower GBLHs residents' net claims on non-residents. However, excluding GBLHs, net claims on non-residents increased by Rs95 billion to Rs528 billion.

Total claims on non-residents, inclusive of GBLHs, increased by 12.4 per cent, from Rs17,316 billion at the end-2019 to Rs19,465 billion as at end-2020. Likewise, total liabilities owed to non-residents rose by 14.9 per cent, from Rs16,324 billion to Rs18,762 billion over the same period (Table 5).

3. Direct Investment Assets and Liabilities Positions

The revised direct investment liabilities position dropped to Rs13,277 billion as at end-December 2020 compared to the preliminary estimate of Rs13,333 billion (Table 5 and 6). The stock of direct investment assets stood at Rs11,398 billion as at end-December 2020, slightly higher relative to the previous estimate of Rs11,394 billion (Table 5 and 7).

4. Portfolio Investment Assets and Liabilities Positions

Total portfolio investment assets as at end-2020 were revised slightly down to Rs5,384 billion compared to the initial estimate of Rs5,397 billion (Table 5). Compared to end-December 2019, total foreign portfolio investment assets rose by Rs627 billion. The stock of GBLHs portfolio investment assets abroad as at end-December 2020 stood at Rs5,034 billion, up from Rs4,494 billion as at end-December 2019. The outstanding foreign portfolio investment asset held by non-GBLHs increased to Rs350 billion from Rs262 billion a year ago. The total portfolio investment liabilities stood at Rs2,017 billion as at end-2020, unchanged from the preliminary estimate.

5. Gross Direct Investment Flows ¹ (Excluding flows of GBLHs)

Gross direct investment flows for calendar year 2020 have been revised to incorporate the direct investment flows culled from FALS2021. The revised gross direct investment flows in Mauritius amounted to Rs16,944 million, of which Rs5,251 million were supplemented from FALS2021 (Table 8). Gross direct investment abroad amounted to Rs3,534 million in 2020, of which Rs1,687 million were culled from FALS2021. Tables 9a and 10a provide details on gross direct investment flows by sector in Mauritius and abroad, respectively. Tables 9b and 10b provide details on gross direct investment flows by geographical origin and destination, respectively.

6. Private Sector Gross External Debt (Including GBLHs)

The gross external debt as at end-December 2020 has been revised up from Rs8,213 billion to Rs8,395 billion. The gross external debt stock of the private sector rose by Rs743 billion, from Rs7,652 billion as at end-December 2019. Excluding GBLHs external debt stock, private sector gross external debt rose by Rs3.5 billion to Rs26.1 billion as at end-December 2020. The stock of non-GBLHs long-term external debt went up to Rs20.1 billion, from Rs17.7 billion as at end-December 2019. Similarly, the stock of short-term external debt increased to Rs6.0 billion as at end-December 2020, from Rs4.9 billion as at end-December 2019 (Table 11).

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¹ FALS separately collects data on equity and intra-company loans, which cannot be collected from banking records and other administrative sources. FALS also provide data on retained or reinvested earnings.

Table 1: Foreign Assets and Liabilities of non-GBLHs resident entities, 2020, Rs million

| | | End-2019 | Net Transactions | Other Changes ¹ | End-2020 |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| I. | Assets | 42,019 | 2,112 | 6,779 | 50,910 |
| | Equity | 26,437 | 2,489 | 7,256 | 36,182 |
| | Outward Direct Investment (Equity) | 11,659 | (428) | 1,331 | 12,561 |
| | Portfolio Investment | 14,778 | 2,918 | 5,926 | 23,621 |
| | Other Assets | 15,582 | (377) | (477) | 14,728 |
| | Held with affiliates ² | 8,532 | 469 | 527 | 9,528 |
| | Held with unaffiliates ⁴ | 7,050 | (846) | (1,004) | 5,200 |
| | Long-Term | 987 | 17 | (958) | 46 |
| 000000000000000000000000000000000000000 | Short-Term | 6,063 | (862) | (47) | 5,153 |
| II. | Liabilities | 77,642 | 472 | 5,030 | 83,144 |
| | Equity | 49,279 | (1,838) | (2) | 47,439 |
| | Foreign Direct Investment (Equity) | 41,641 | (1,445) | (154) | 40,042 |
| | Portfolio Investment | 7,638 | (393) | 152 | 7,397 |
| | Other Liabilities | 28,363 | 2,310 | 5,032 | 35,704 |
| | Due to affiliates ³ | 14,283 | 1,055 | 1,172 | 16,511 |
| | Due to unaffiliates ⁵ | 14,080 | 1,255 | 3,860 | 19,194 |
| | Long-Term | 8,881 | (805) | 3,613 | 11,690 |
| | Short-Term | 5,199 | 2,059 | 246 | 7,504 |
| III. | NET ASSETS (I - II) - Rs million | -35,623 | 1,640 | 1,750 | -32,233 |
| IV. | NET ASSETS - USD million | -973 | 42 | -116 | -815 |

¹ Include valuation change and other changes in volume. 'Other changes in volume' pertain to neither transactions nor valuation and may include items like cancellations/write-offs or movements across functional categories.

² Include long-term lending to foreign-related parties and fellow enterprises as well as reverse investment transactions with non-residents.

³ Include long-term borrowing from foreign-related parties and fellow enterprises as well as reverse investment transactions with non-residents.

⁴ Include lending to unrelated non-residents through debt instruments like loans, trade credit, advances, etc.

⁵ Include borrowing from unrelated non-residents through debt instruments like loans, trade credit, advances, etc.

Table 2 : GBLHs Assets/Liabilities vis-à-vis non-residents, 2020, Rs million

| | Closing Stock 2019 | Net Transactions | Other Changes ¹ | Closing Stock 2020 |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Assets | 16,205,354 | -101,503 | 2,105,008 | 18,208,859 |
| Direct Investment | 9,921,958 | 115,778 | 1,332,982 | 11,370,718 |
| Equity | 7,782,609 | 205,537 | 956,741 | 8,944,887 |
| Other Capital | 2,139,349 | -89,759 | 376,241 | 2,425,831 |
| Portfolio Investment | 4,494,236 | -125,914 | 666,050 | 5,034,372 |
| Equity | 4,219,443 | -124,380 | 642,440 | 4,737,503 |
| Debt | 274,794 | -1,535 | 23,610 | 296,869 |
| Other Investment | 1,673,723 | -94,396 | 107,082 | 1,686,409 |
| Financial Derivatives | 115,437 | 3,030 | -1,106 | 117,360 |
| Liabilities | 15,646,396 | -61,498 | 2,448,840 | 18,033,738 |
| Direct Investment | 11,604,977 | -385,438 | 1,835,216 | 13,054,755 |
| Equity | 7,280,382 | -401,347 | 1,280,261 | 8,159,296 |
| Other Capital | 4,324,595 | 15,909 | 554,955 | 4,895,459 |
| Portfolio Investment | 1,111,655 | 170,968 | 690,724 | 1,973,347 |
| Equity | 708,688 | 127,724 | 625,434 | 1,461,847 |
| Debt | 402,967 | 43,244 | 65,289 | 511,500 |
| Other Investment | 2,902,021 | 146,008 | -85,597 | 2,962,431 |
| Financial Derivatives | 27,743 | 6,965 | 8,497 | 43,205 |
| NET ASSETS (I - II) | 558,959 | -40,005 | -343,832 | 175,121 |
| NET ASSETS - USD million | 15,272 | -1,017 | -9,825 | 4,430 |

¹ Include valuation change and other changes in volume. 'Other changes in volume' pertain to neither transactions nor valuation and may include items like cancellations/write-offs or movements across functional categories.

Table 3: Revised Balance of Payments: Calendar Year 2020, Rs million

| | l De | oliminary octimat | tos | | Revised estimates | - |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Credit | eliminary estimat Debits | Net | Credit | Debits | Net |
| CURRENT ACCOUNT | 405,031 | 459,060 | -54,029 | 471,358 | 511,052 | -39,694 |
| GOODS | 70,223 | 153,684 | -83,461 | 70,223 | 153,684 | - <u>33,654</u> -83,461 |
| SERVICES | | | -880 | | | |
| | 50,265 | 51,145 | | 50,265 | 51,033 | -768 |
| PRIMARY INCOME | 270,289 | 227,255 | 43,034 | 336,599 | 263,148 | 73,452 |
| Compensation of employees | 31 | 259 | -228 | 31 | 259 | -228 |
| Investment income | 270,258 | 226,996 | 43,262 | 336,568 | 262,889 | 73,680 |
| Direct investment | 176,891 | 162,779 | 14,112 | 243,861 | 195,004 | 48,858 |
| o/w global business | 176,702 | 157,842 | 18,860 | 243,991 | 192,448 | 51,542 |
| Portfolio investment | 46,068 | 25,428 | 20,640 | 33,532 | 14,163 | 19,369 |
| o/w global business | 41,635 | 22,580 | 19,055 | 29,098 | 11,314 | 17,784 |
| Other investment | 42,786 | 38,789 | 3,997 | 54,662 | 53,722 | 940 |
| o/w global business | 27,947 | 33,895 | -5,948 | 39,701 | 48,702 | -9,001 |
| Reserve assets | 4,513 | | 4,513 | 4,513 | | 4,513 |
| SECONDARY INCOME | 14,254 | 26,976 | -12,722 | 14,271 | 43,188 | -28,917 |
| General government | 3,095 | 142 | 2,953 | 3,112 | 142 | 2,970 |
| Financial corporations, nonfinancial corporations, households, | 11,159 | 26,834 | -15,675 | 11,159 | 43,046 | -31,887 |
| and NPISHs | | | | | | |
| Personal transfers | 11,159 | 26,834 | -15,675 | 11,159 | 43,046 | -31,887 |
| o/w global business | | 12,679 | -12,679 | | 28,891 | -28,891 |
| o/w workers' remittances | 3,066 | 7,438 | -4,372 | 3,066 | 7,438 | -4,372 |
| | | eliminary estimat | tes | | Revised estimates | 5 |
| | Net acquisition of financial | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net | Net acquisition of financial | Net incurrence of liabilities | Net |
| Financial account Net lending (+) / net borrowing (-) | assets | | -49,216 | assets | | -39,219 |
| Direct investment | 228,723 | 340,096 | -111,373 | 116,411 | -376,598 | 493,009 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | 182,978 | 272,076 | -89,098 | 205,597 | -393,793 | 599,390 |
| o/w global business | 182,157 | 264,335 | -82,177 | 205,537 | -401,347 | 606,884 |
| Debt instruments | 45,745 | 68,019 | -22,274 | -89,186 | 17,195 | -106,382 |
| o/w global business | 45,539 | 66,084 | -20,544 | -89,759 | 15,909 | -105,668 |
| Portfolio investment | 132,067 | -63,724 | 195,791 | -86,281 | 166,627 | -252,908 |
| Equity and investment fund shares | 108,594 | -14,311 | 122,906 | -120,611 | 125,727 | -246,338 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | 1,296 | | 1,296 | 1,296 | | 1,296 |
| Other sectors | 107,299 | -14,311 | 121,610 | -121,907 | 125,727 | -247,634 |
| o/w global business | 104,826 | -12,314 | 117,140 | -124,380 | 127,724 | -252,104 |
| Debt securities | 23,472 | -49,413 | 72,885 | 34,330 | 40,901 -34 | -6,570 |
| Central bank Short-term | | -34 -20 | 34 20 | | -34 | 34 20 |
| Long-term | | -14 | 14 | | -14 | 14 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | 33,902 | -2,381 | 36,283 | 33,902 | -2,381 | 36,283 |
| General government | | 201 | -201 | | 201 | -201 |
| Short-term | | -11 | 11 | | -11 | 11 |
| Long-term | | 211 | -211 | | 211 | -211 |
| Other sectors | -10,429 | -47,199 | 36,769 | 429 | 43,115 | -42,686 |
| o/w global business | - 12,393 | -47,070 | 34,677 | -1,535 | 43,244 | -44,778 |
| Financial derivatives and employee stock options | -3,122 | -5,223 | 2,100 | 2,718 | 7,001 | -4,283 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -312 | 37 | -348 | -312 | 37 | -348 |
| Other sectors | -2,811 | -5,259 | 2,449 2,449 | 3,030 | 6,965 | -3,935 -3,935 |
| o/w global business Other investment | -2,811 -60.392 | -5,259 54,285 | -114,676 | 3,030 -118,388 | 6,965 135.590 | -3,933 - 253.979 |
| Currency and deposits | -29,079 | | -33,097 | -41,446 | , | -45,464 |
| Central bank | -23,079 | 2,166 | | 41,440 | 2,166 | -2,166 |
| Short-term | | 2,166 | | | 2,166 | -2,166 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -6,465 | 1,853 | -8,318 | | 1,853 | -8,318 |
| Other sectors | -22,614 | | -22,614 | -34,981 | | -34,981 |
| Other financial corporations | -22,614 | | -22,614 | -34,981 | | -34,981 |
| Short-term | -22,614 | | -22,614 | -34,981 | | -34,981 |
| o/w global business | -22,614 | 0 | -22,614 | -34,981 | | -34,981 |
| Loans Deposit taking corporations except the central bank | -37,147 | -25,003 | -12,144 | -70,567 | 50,235 | -120,802 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | -17,998 -17,998 | -35,092 -35,092 | 17,094 17,094 | -17,998 -17,998 | -35,092 -35,092 | 17,094 17,094 |
| Long-term General government | -17,998 | -35,092 13,746 | -13,746 | -17,998 | -35,092 13,746 | -13,746 |
| Other long-term | | 13,746 | -13,746 | | 13,746 | -13,746 |
| Other sectors | -19,149 | -3,657 | -15,492 | -52,569 | 71,581 | -124,150 |
| Long-term | -19,149 | | -15,492 | -52,569 | | -124,150 |
| Other financial corporations | -19,149 | -8,346 | -10,803 | -52,569 | 66,892 | -119,461 |
| Long-term | -19,149 | -8,346 | -10,803 | -52,569 | 66,892 | -119,461 |
| o/w global business | -19,149 | -8,346 | -10,803 | -52,569 | 66,892 | -119,461 |
| Trade Credits and advances | 566 | 3,015 | -2,449 | 566 | 3,015 | -2,449 |
| Other sectors | 566 | | -2,449 | 566 | | -2,449 |
| Short-term | 566 | | -2,449 | 566 | | -2,449 |
| Other accounts receivable/payable—other | 5,268 -95 | 72,254 -794 | -66,986 | -6,942 -95 | 78,322 -794 | -85,264 |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank Short-term | -95 -95 | -794 -794 | 699 699 | -95 -95 | -794 -794 | 699 699 |
| Other sectors | 5,363 | 73,048 | -67,684 | -6,847 | 79,116 | -85,962 |
| Long-term | 5,363 | 73,048 | -67,684 | -6,847 | 79,116 | -85,962 |
| Other financial corporations | 5,363 | | -67,684 | -6,847 | 79,116 | -85,962 |
| Long-term | 5,363 | 73,048 | -67,684 | -6,847 | 79,116 | -85,962 |
| o/w global business | 5,363 | 73,048 | -67,684 | -6,847 | 79,116 | -85,962 |
| Reserve assets | -21,058 | | -21,058 | -21,058 | | -21,058 |
| Reserve position in the IMF | 537 | | 537 | 537 | | 537 |
| Other reserve assets | -21,595 | | -21,595 | -21,595 | | -21,595 |
| Net errors and omissions | 1 | | 4,813 | 1 | | 475 |

Table 4: Net International Investment Position, end-2019 and end-2020, Rs billion

| | Claims on Non-Residents | Liabilities to Non-Residents | Net International Investment Position |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| End-2019 | 17,316 | 16,324 | 992 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 1,111 | 678 | 433 |
| GBLH | 16,205 | 15,646 | 559 |
| End-2020 (Preliminary estimates) | 19,283 | 18,631 | 653 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 1,258 | 729 | 528 |
| GBLH | 18,026 | 17,901 | 125 |
| End-2020 (Revised estimates) | 19,465 | 18,762 | 703 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 1,256 | 728 | 528 |
| GBLH | 18,209 | 18,034 | 175 |

Table 5: International Investment Position, end-2019 and end-2020, Rs billion

| | | 20 | 20 | | | 20 | 20 |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------|-----------|------------------------------|--------|-------------|-----------|
| | 2019 | Preliminary | Revised | | 2019 | Preliminary | Revised |
| | | Estimates | Estimates | | | Estimates | Estimates |
| Claims on Non-residents | 17,316 | 19,283 | 19,465 | Liabilities to Non-residents | 16,324 | 18,631 | 18,762 |
| Direct Investment | 9,947 | 11,394 | 11,398 | Direct Investment | 11,817 | 13,333 | 13,277 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 26 | 27 | 27 | o/w: Non-GBLH | 212 | 225 | 223 |
| GBLH | 9,922 | 11,367 | 11,371 | GBLH | 11,605 | 13,108 | 13,055 |
| Portfolio Investment | 4,757 | 5,397 | 5,384 | Portfolio Investment | 1,154 | 2,017 | 2,017 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 262 | 350 | 350 | o/w: Non-GBLH | 42 | 44 | 44 |
| GBLH | 4,494 | 5,047 | 5,034 | GBLH | 1,112 | 1,973 | 1,973 |
| Other Investment | 2,225 | 2,076 | 2,275 | Other Investment | 3,323 | 3,234 | 3,421 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 552 | 591 | 588 | o/w: Non-GBLH | 421 | 458 | 459 |
| GBLH | 1,674 | 1,485 | 1,686 | GBLH | 2,902 | 2,776 | 2,962 |
| Financial Derivatives | 117 | 129 | 119 | Financial Derivatives | 31 | 46 | 46 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 2 | 2 | 2 | o/w: Non-GBLH | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| GBLH | 115 | 127 | 117 | GBLH | 28 | 43 | 43 |
| Reserve Assets | 269 | 288 | 288 | | | | |

Table 6: Stock of direct investment liabilities, end-2020, Rs billion

| | | End-D | ec-20 |
|-------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| | End-Dec-19 | Preliminary Estimates | Revised Estimates |
| Total Inward Direct Investment (DI) | 11,817 | 13,333 | 13,277 |
| Equity | 7,478 | 8,426 | 8,365 |
| Non-GBLHs | 197 | 211 | 206 |
| GBLHs | 7,280 | 8,215 | 8,159 |
| Debt | 4,339 | 4,907 | 4,912 |
| Non-GBLHs | 14 | 14 | 17 |
| GBLHs | 4,325 | 4,893 | 4,895 |

Table 7: Stock of direct investment assets, end-2020, Rs billion

| | | End-D | ec-20 |
|--------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| | End-Dec-19 | Preliminary Estimates | Revised Estimates |
| Total Outward Direct Investment (DI) | 9,947 | 11,394 | 11,398 |
| Equity | 7,800 | 8,977 | 8,963 |
| Non-GBLHs | 17 | 18 | 18 |
| GBLHs | 7,783 | 8,960 | 8,945 |
| Debt | 2,148 | 2,416 | 2,435 |
| Non-GBLHs | 9 | 9 | 10 |
| GBLHs | 2,139 | 2,407 | 2,426 |

Table 8: Gross direct investment flows (Excluding GBLHs) supplemented by FALS in 2020, Rs million

| | 2019 | 2020 |
|--|--------|--------|
| Gross inward direct investment flows | 22,289 | 16,944 |
| Banking records and other administrative sources | 17,837 | 11,693 |
| FALS supplement | 4,453 | 5,251 |
| o/w: Equity ¹ | 618 | 676 |
| Retained earnings | 2,711 | 2,646 |
| Shareholders' loan | 1,123 | 1,928 |
| Gross outward direct investment flows | 3,937 | 3,534 |
| Banking records and other administrative sources | 2,347 | 1,848 |
| FALS supplement | 1,590 | 1,687 |
| o/w: Equity ¹ | 122 | 466 |
| Retained earnings | 293 | 137 |
| Shareholders' loan | 1,175 | 1,084 |

¹ Refers to equity supplemented by FALS, that is, equity not captured from banking records and other administrative sources.

Table 9a: Gross direct investment flows in Mauritius (Excluding GBLHs) by sector, 2020, Rs million

| Sector | Description | 2020 ² | 2020 ³ (Inclusive of FALS Results) |
|---|--|-------------------|---|
| Α | Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 152 | 199 |
| С | Manufacturing | 1,645 | 2,580 |
| D | Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | - | 3 |
| F | Construction | 2 | 282 |
| G | Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles | 101 | 680 |
| Н | Transportation and storage | 248 | 338 |
| I | Accommodation and food service activities | 192 | 1,017 |
| J | Information and communication | 52 | 552 |
| K | Financial and insurance activities | 607 | 1,719 |
| L | Real estate activities | 8,531 | 9,210 |
| | of which - IRS/RES/IHS/PDS/SCS ¹ | 6,308 | 6,308 |
| M | Professional, scientific and technical activities | 24 | 24 |
| N | Administrative and support service activities | - | 42 |
| P | Education | 24 | 116 |
| Q | Human health and social work activities | 94 | 143 |
| R | Arts, entertainment and recreation | 17 | 19 |
| S | Other service activities | 5 | 20 |
| 000000000000000000000000000000000000000 | Unspecified ⁴ | 2,500 | _ |
| | Total | 14,193 | 16,944 |

¹ IRS/RES/IHS/PDS/SCS: Integrated Resort Scheme/Real Estate Scheme/Invest Hotel Scheme/Property Development Scheme/Smart City Scheme.

² Preliminary estimates.

³ Revised estimates.

⁴ The preliminary estimate includes the Bank's estimate for FALS.

Table 9b: Gross direct investment flows in Mauritius (Excluding GBLHs) by geographical origin, 2020, Rs million

| Region /Economy | 2020 ¹ | 2020 ² (Inclusive of FALS Results) |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Total world | 14,193 | 16,944 |
| Developed countries | 8,268 | 11,334 |
| Europe | 7,699 | 10,393 |
| European Union 27 | 6,889 | 9,213 |
| Belgium | 56 | 58 |
| Luxembourg | 123 | 398 |
| France | 4,173 | 5,485 |
| Germany | 252 | 252 |
| United Kingdom | 504 | 892 |
| Switzerland | 638 | 727 |
| Other | 172 | 454 |
| North America | 569 | 941 |
| United States | 549 | 920 |
| Developing economies | 3,425 | 5,610 |
| Africa | 1,970 | 2,537 |
| Reunion | 11 | 46 |
| South Africa | 1,540 | 2,013 |
| Other | 420 | 478 |
| Latin America and the Caribbean | 78 | 543 |
| Central America | 78 | 543 |
| Asia and Oceania | 1,377 | 2,530 |
| Asia | 1,367 | 2,520 |
| West Asia | 290 | 325 |
| United Arab Emirates | 278 | 286 |
| South and East Asia | 1,077 | 2,194 |
| South Asia | 318 | 948 |
| India | 199 | 830 |
| East Asia | 759 | 1,246 |
| China | 228 | 1,063 |
| Other | 531 | 183 |
| Oceania | 10 | 10 |
| Unspecified ³ | 2,500 | - |

¹ Preliminary estimates.

² Revised estimates.

³ The preliminary estimate includes the Bank's estimate for FALS.

Table 10a: Gross direct investment flows abroad (Excluding GBLHs) by sector, 2020, Rs million

| Sector | Description | 2020 ¹ | 2020 ² (Inclusive of FALS Results) |
|--------|--|-------------------|---|
| Α | Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 11 | 91 |
| С | Manufacturing | 336 | 856 |
| D | Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply | - | 20 |
| G | Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles | 4 | 9 |
| Н | Transportation and storage | 14 | 117 |
| I | Accommodation and food service activities | 916 | 990 |
| J | Information and communication | 198 | 517 |
| K | Financial and insurance activities | 106 | 317 |
| L | Real estate activities | 257 | 326 |
| М | Professional, scientific and technical activities | 4 | 4 |
| N | Administrative and support service activities | 2 | 288 |
| | Unspecified ³ | 1,000 | _ |
| | Total | 2,848 | 3,534 |

¹ Preliminary estimates.

² Revised estimates.

³ The preliminary estimate includes the Bank's estimate for FALS.

Table 10b: Gross direct investment flows abroad (Excluding GBLHs), by geographical destination, 2020, Rs million

| Region /Economy | 2020 ¹ | 2020 ² (Inclusive of FALS Results) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Total world | 2,848 | 3,534 |
| Developed countries | 210 | 876 |
| Europe | 208 | 717 |
| European Union 27 | 206 | 676 |
| France | 122 | 420 |
| Switzerland | 2 | 9 |
| Other | - | 32 |
| North and Central America | 2 | 159 |
| United States | 2 | 159 |
| Developing economies | 1,637 | 2,658 |
| Africa | 1,270 | 1,998 |
| Kenya | 1 | 5 |
| Madagascar | 54 | 503 |
| Mozambique | 56 | 65 |
| Reunion | - | 30 |
| Seychelles | 916 | 1,035 |
| South Africa | 33 | 47 |
| Other | 211 | 313 |
| Latin America and the Carribbean | _ | 36 |
| Asia and Oceania | 367 | 625 |
| Asia | 348 | 606 |
| West Asia | 53 | 55 |
| United Arab Emirates | 53 | 55 |
| South and East Asia | 295 | 550 |
| South Asia | 295 | 546 |
| India | 2 | 103 |
| Other | 293 | 442 |
| East Asia | - | 5 |
| China | - | - |
| Other | - | 5 |
| Oceania | 19 | 19 |
| Unspecified ³ | 1,000 | _ |

Table 11: Private sector gross external debt, Rs million

| | End-Dec-19 | End-Dec-20 | |
|---|------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Private sector external debt | | Preliminary Estimates | Revised Estimates |
| Short-term | 4,927 | 5,761 | 5,977 |
| Long-term | 7,647,263 | 8,207,224 | 8,389,482 |
| o/w: Non-GBLH | 17,680 | 17,016 | 20,092 |
| GBLH | 7,629,583 | 8,190,207 | 8,369,390 |
| Private sector gross external debt | 7,652,190 | 8,212,984 | 8,395,459 |
| Private sector gross external debt excluding GBLH | 22,607 | 22,777 | 26,069 |

¹ Preliminary estimates.

² Revised estimates.

³ The preliminary estimate includes the Bank's estimate for FALS.