

Preface

The *Statistical Supplement* provides detailed and comprehensive data on almost all sectors of the economy covered in the *State Bank's Annual Report, The State of Pakistan's Economy, Volume I, 2009-10*. The data in the supplement is aimed to substantiate the analysis carried out in the report and to facilitate readers in undertaking detailed analysis of the economy. The tables included in the supplement used to be published as *statistical annexure* of the annual Report. Starting with the current issue, the tables are now separately published as statistical supplement to the State Bank's Annual Report, Volume I.

The Statistical Supplement contains data covering economic growth, savings, investment, prices, public finance, money and credit, banking system, capital market, domestic and external debt, balance of payments, foreign trade and social sector development. Efforts have been made to include accurate and up-to-date data relating to the different sectors of the economy. It is hoped that the supplement will serve as a useful source of information and will cater the needs of researchers and policy makers. Data for the supplement has been collected from a variety of sources and cooperation of the government organizations and various departments of the State Bank in providing the data is highly appreciated. Efforts of the team are also acknowledged with appreciation for timely preparation of the publication.

Comments and suggestions for further improving the publication are welcome.

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