

1. Selected Economic Indicators

ITEM	Unit / Base	Correspondin					
		Month	2004		2005		
			a year ago [®]	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
1. Currency in Circulation	Billion Rs.	638.5	655.3	701.9	675.8	664.9	671.7
2. Monetary Assets (M ₂)	"	2,575.9	2,731.0	2,730.1	2,758.1	2,812.2	2,830.8
3. Scheduled Banks' Advances #	"	1,414.4	1,525.2	1,534.0	1,548.9	1,594.9	1,604.8
4. Government Deposits with SBP	"	23.0	47.0	58.3	25.9	44.5	48.5
5. Ways and Means Advances to Government	"	183.5	190.2	188.8	189.1	191.9	197.0
6. Deposits and other Accounts #	"	2,173.7	2,291.0	2,239.1	2,293.0	2,357.9	2,377.5
7. Scheduled Banks' Investment	"	644.4	615.4	602.5	647.0	658.2	671.0
8. Banks' Clearings	"	962.8	1,269.6	1,113.4	1,089.4	1,529.1	1,315.1
9. Call Money Rate	%	4.04	2.79	6.53	2.67	5.02	3.95
10. Ratio of Scheduled Banks' Advances to Deposits	%	65.07	66.57	68.51	67.55	67.64	67.50
11. Ratio of Scheduled Banks' Investment to Deposits	%	29.65	26.86	26.91	28.22	15.19	28.22
12. Weighted Average - Scheduled Banks' Deposits	%	1.28	1.33				
13. Weighted Average - Scheduled Banks' Advances	%	7.28	6.99				
14. Consumer Price Index	2000-01=100	121.44	120.41	121.58	122.78	124.37	126.53
15. Wholesale Price Index	2000-01=100	122.12	121.82	123.68	125.56	127.30	129.35
16. SBP Indices of Share Prices:							
i. General Index	2000-01=100	304.83	335.46	354.96	429.44	371.66	368.07
ii. Sensitive Index	2000-01=100	353.40	394.88	446.83	576.36	485.18	502.83
17. Market Capitalisation of Ordinary Shares	Billion Rs.	1,524	1,696	1,840	2,272	2,151	1,977
18. Industrial Production :							
i. Cotton Cloth	Million Sq.M	65.43	84.93	82.82	70.47	65.50	70.00
ii. Cotton Yarn	'000' Tonnes	160.46	174.05	175.28	167.34	191.18	190.00
iii. Quantum Index of Manufacturing	1999-2000=100	149.98	194.19	183.32	173.16	198.10	179.64
19. Foreign Trade :							
1. Exports	Million US \$	911.7	1,140.0	1,152.0	1,198.5	1,356.8	1,301.7
2. Imports	"	1,481.8	1,678.9	1,617.6	1,791.0	2,143.1	1,903.3
3. Balance of Trade	"	(-)570.1	(-)538.9	(-)465.6	(-)592.5	(-)786.3	(-)601.6
20. Exchange Rate (End month SBP rate to Authorised Dealers *)	Rs. per US Dollar	59.7648	59.4485	59.3219	59.3365	59.3763	59.4447

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I T E M	Unit / Base	2005						
		May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.
1. Currency in Circulation	Billion Rs.	685.3	665.9	675.3	669.7	673.7	727.3	...
2. Monetary Assets (M ₂)	"	2,864.4	2,966.4	2,950.9	2,936.9	2,956.0	2,984.4	...
3. Scheduled Banks' Advances #	"	1,636.2	1,680.5	1,655.9	1,654.3	1,673.7	1,743.0	1,804.8
4. Government Deposits with SBP	"	80.8	92.9	87.6	82.0	81.5	114.8	111.8
5. Ways and Means Advances to Government	"	197.0	197.2	192.9	181.5	185.7	191.8	193.2
6. Deposits and other Accounts	"	2,411.1	2,540.8	2,424.1	2,425.8	2,408.4	2,418.4	2,483.4
7. Scheduled Banks' Investment	"	658.2	729.3	772.2	748.3	766.6	730.3	697.7
8. Banks' Clearings	"	1,300.9	1,416.6	1,297.1	1,359.5	1,447.5	1,423.7	1,305.6
9. Call Money Rate	%	6.37	6.85	8.52	7.78	8.09	9.23	8.98
10. Ratio of Scheduled Banks' Advances to Deposits	%	67.86	66.14	68.31	68.20	69.50	72.07	72.67
11. Ratio of Scheduled Banks' Investment to Deposits	%	27.30	28.70	31.86	30.85	31.83	30.20	28.09
12. Weighted Average - Scheduled Banks' Deposits	%		1.89					
13. Weighted Average - Scheduled Banks' Advances	%		8.81					
14. Consumer Price Index	2000-01=100	125.97	126.09	128.13	128.18	128.82	130.03	131.02
15. Wholesale Price Index	2000-01=100	128.59	129.50	132.08	133.45	134.17	135.20	135.44
16. SBP Indices of Share Prices:								
i. General Index	2000-01=100	328.30	359.99	353.29	356.70	397.87	396.61	440.80
ii. Sensitive Index	2000-01=100	441.49	491.68	465.71	474.49	536.10	517.67	581.68
17. Market Capitalisation of Ordinary Shares	Billion Rs.	1,793	2,013	2,014	2,132	2,330	2,341	2,557
18. Industrial Production :								
i. Cotton Cloth	Million Sq.M	69.50	69.90	...	...	...	...	...
ii. Cotton Yarn	'000' Tonnes	190.50	190.20	...	...	...	...	...
iii. Quantum Index of Manufacturing	1999-2000=100	181.05	172.84	...	...	...	...	...
19. Foreign Trade :								
1. Exports	Million US \$	1,384.7	1,541.1	1,274.7	1,408.2 ^τ	1,499.3 ^τ	1,329.3 ^τ	1,120.2 ^τ
2. Imports	"	2,033.5	2,240.6	1,996.9	2,234.7 ^τ	2,322.4 ^τ	2,327.5 ^τ	2,299.7 ^τ
3. Balance of Trade	"	(-)648.8	(-)699.5	(-)722.2	(-)826.5 ^τ	(-)823.0 ^τ	(-)998.2 ^τ	(-)1,179.5 ^τ
20. Exchange Rate (End month SBP rate to Authorised Dealers *)	Rs. Per US Dollar	59.5653	59.6738	59.6199	59.6738	59.6980	59.6929	59.7479

τ Excluding re-exports and re-imports

@ Figures in this column relate to the month / half year of the previous year corresponding to the latest current month / half year for which data is given.

Excluding inter bank

* Mid-point of spot buying and selling