

GUYANA: SELECTED FINANCIAL SECTOR DATA November 30, 2023

Data Category/Component	Unit	November 2022	November 2023	Percent change (unless otherwise shown)	
Analytical Accounts of the Banking Sector					
Monetary Aggregates (M2)	G\$ million	649,167	809,849	24.8	
Net Domestic Credit to the Public Sector ¹	G\$ million	13,355	112,997	746.1	
Domestic Credit to the Private Sector	G\$ million	325,021	373,110	14.8	
External Position (Net Foreign Assets)	US\$ million	1,200.1	1,199.8	0.0	
Analytical Accounts of the Central Bank					
Reserve Money ²	G\$ million	304,876	389,190	27.7	
Net Domestic Claims on the Public Sector	G\$ million	(63,538)	15,047	-123.7	
External Position (Net Foreign Assets)	US\$ million	758.5	699.8	-7.8	
Interest Rates					
Central Bank Lending Rate (Bank Rate)	Percent	5.00	5.00	0.0	
Government of Guyana - 91-day Treasury Bill Discount Rate (End of Period)	Percent	1.54	1.10	-28.4	
New Building Society Ltd. Mortgage rates					
Residential (15 to 30 year terms)	Percent	6.45	4.73	-26.7	
Low Income (Less than \$80,000 per month - mortgages up to \$6M)	Percent	4.00	3.63	-9.4	
Commercial Banks					
Savings Deposit Rate	Percent	0.81	0.81	0.0	
Weighted Average Lending Rate	Percent	8.36	8.29	-0.8	
Gross International Reserves (BOG)	US\$ million	762.0	703.2	-7.7	
Foreign Exchange Market - banks and non-banks ³					
Purchases	US\$ million	262.68	249.18	-5.1	
Sales	US\$ million	258.96	266.04	2.7	
End of Period Exchange Rate ⁴	G\$ per US\$	208.50	208.50	0.0	
Period Average Exchange Rate ⁵	G\$ per US\$	208.50	208.50	0.0	
Inflation Rate ⁶					
Change in Consumer Price Index - YTD (Oct.)	Percent	6.50	1.10		

Source: Bank of Guyana

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¹ Brackets indicate net deposits with the banking system.

 $^{^2\, \}text{Sum of Currency in Circulation, Bank of Guyana liabilities to commercial banks and bank's foreign currency reserves.}$

 $^{^3}$ Total foreign exchange purchases and sales of US\$, £, Euro and CN\$ are valued in US\$ equivalent.

 $^{^{4}}$ The end of period exchange rate is the weighted official rate used by the Bank of Guyana for transactions.

 $^{^{5}}$ The period average exchange rate reflects the weighted average rate for the respective periods.

⁶ New CPI base year Dec 2009=100.