



BANK OF GUYANA

BANKING SYSTEM
STATISTICAL
ABSTRACT

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BANK OF GUYANA: ASSETS
(G\$ MILLION)

Table 1.1

End of Period	Total Assets	Foreign Assets					Claims on Central Government				Advances to Banks	Other	
		Total	Gold	Foreign Balances	SDR Holdings	Market Securities	Total	Securities	T/Bills	Advances		Non-Interest Debentures	Other
1996	145157.7	46879.5	602.3	9275.6	15.1	36986.5	795.1	-	795.1	-	-	94848.7	2634.4
1997	122797.7	44978.2	3,537.3	14370.5	28.1	27042.3	238.4	-	238.4	-	-	75043.8	2537.3
1998	118159.0	45162.7	3,441.0	13072.8	33.6	28615.3	1020.3	-	1020.3	-	-	67960.7	4015.4
1999	126515.8	48305.1	-	19551.9	220.9	28532.3	1567.0	-	1567.0	-	-	68723.3	7920.4
2000	130940.3	54654.7	39.1	29260.4	1687.8	23667.4	2178.2	-	2178.2	-	-	68268.5	5839.0
2001	113735.4	54014.8	233.4	30672.1	463.1	22646.2	1022.5	-	1022.5	-	-	47992.7	10705.4
2002	112695.2	53577.6	39.3	36881.8	828.1	15828.4	1120.3	-	1120.3	-	-	47440.6	10556.6
2003													
Mar	112354.7	52666.4	139.6	30097.6	755.5	21673.7	2013.6	-	2013.6	-	-	47440.6	10234.2
Jun	112153.8	50833.7	96.9	30729.0	86.1	19921.8	1616.6	-	1616.6	-	-	47440.6	12262.9
Sep	111731.7	51137.6	17.6	28617.5	1623.5	20878.9	1321.0	-	1321.0	-	-	47440.6	11832.6
Dec	115630.9	52816.9	-	28863.3	873.6	23080.0	2330.7	-	2330.7	-	-	46873.4	13609.9
2004													
Mar	111165.9	50573.4	-	24125.1	725.2	25723.1	1022.0	-	1022.0	-	-	46873.4	12697.1
Jun	111508.6	49021.1	-	29383.6	506.7	19130.8	2065.5	-	2065.5	-	-	46873.4	13548.7
Sep	111948.6	50950.3	-	29842.7	2004.1	19103.5	1022.0	-	1022.0	-	-	46873.4	13102.9
Dec	106935.9	44909.9	114.2	22377.3	1318.0	21100.5	1174.3	-	1174.3	-	-	46873.4	13978.3
2005													
Jan	107481.8	45408.8	170.4	22541.6	1318.0	21378.9	1125.5	-	1125.5	-	-	46873.4	14074.2
Feb	109328.3	47990.3	206.2	23900.5	2526.0	21357.7	1122.7	-	1122.7	-	-	45669.3	14545.9
Mar	111338.7	47895.0	265.5	22465.9	2526.0	22637.6	1122.3	-	1122.3	-	-	45669.3	16652.2
Apr	110232.7	46489.0	313.9	20707.0	2526.0	22942.2	1122.3	-	1122.3	-	-	45669.3	16952.1
May	111210.3	46106.5	377.0	21930.7	911.2	22887.6	1122.3	-	1122.3	-	-	45669.3	18312.2
Jun	111308.8	46616.9	410.8	22771.8	636.1	22798.2	1021.9	-	1021.9	-	-	45669.3	18000.7
Jul	109327.8	44373.6	448.3	20650.6	521.9	22752.7	1021.9	-	1021.9	-	-	45669.3	18263.0
Aug	110316.5	45673.0	517.8	22065.4	501.9	22587.8	1021.8	-	1021.8	-	-	45669.3	17952.3
Sep	111851.9	47653.4	345.9	24125.2	501.9	22680.3	1021.8	-	1021.8	-	-	45669.3	17507.3
Oct	110687.7	46146.6	193.0	24023.3	159.4	21770.9	1021.8	-	1021.8	-	-	45669.3	17849.8
Nov	110237.6	46186.7	200.1	24254.6	265.4	21466.6	1021.8	-	1021.8	-	-	45669.3	17359.7
Dec	114986.4	50516.5	79.2	29098.9	103.4	21235.0	1021.8	-	1021.8	-	-	45669.3	17778.7
2006													
Jan	113094.1	50409.5	79.2	26008.4	103.4	24218.5	1024.7	-	1024.7	-	-	45669.3	15990.6
Feb	114877.8	52245.8	79.2	25119.1	2883.2	24164.2	1024.7	-	1024.7	-	-	45669.3	15938.0

Source: Bank of Guyana

Figures for December 2005 are preliminary.

BANK OF GUYANA: LIABILITIES
(G\$ MILLION)

Table 1.2

End of Period	Total Liabilities	Currency			Deposits						Capital and Reserves		Allocation SDRs	Other
		Total	Notes	Coins	Total	Gov't	Int'l Orgs.	Banks		Other	Authorised Share Cap.	Other Reserves		
								EPDs	Other					
1996	145157.7	11285.0	11209.2	75.8	103909.9	29416.6	65791.5	329.7	9121.2	-749.0	4.3	18212.3	2955.0	8791.2
1997	122797.7	12469.8	12331.8	138.0	80917.9	26935.3	44266.7	317.6	11502.3	-2104.0	4.3	18141.2	2822.4	8442.2
1998	118159.0	12516.9	12347.0	169.9	75507.7	21461.5	40663.1	310.2	14344.6	-1271.8	1000.0	18258.1	2838.2	8038.0
1999	126515.8	15620.3	15413.7	206.6	84906.9	33448.9	40368.5	77.0	10418.5	594.1	1000.0	18126.3	3480.0	3382.3
2000	130940.3	16215.2	15969.0	246.2	88090.4	38037.4	36059.6	75.6	13495.4	422.4	1000.0	19241.1	3493.4	2900.3
2001	113735.4	16808.6	16526.1	282.6	87492.1	36537.4	31617.7	62.2	15727.7	3547.1	1000.0	4197.8	3430.1	806.7
2002	112695.2	17178.1	16860.6	317.5	86244.3	36201.2	29086.9	62.0	19039.0	1855.2	1000.0	4223.1	3509.0	540.7
2003														
Mar	112354.7	15555.5	15233.4	322.1	87537.6	41041.7	29005.4	62.0	15207.8	2220.7	1000.0	4321.6	3509.0	431.1
Jun	112153.8	15438.5	15107.6	330.9	87920.6	38235.8	28713.1	61.9	17936.0	2973.9	1000.0	4102.6	3896.0	-203.9
Sep	111731.7	15669.6	15328.7	340.9	85925.0	36956.4	30158.3	61.7	16538.0	2210.6	1000.0	4118.1	3896.0	1123.0
Dec	115630.9	19774.1	19419.5	354.5	86475.8	35680.0	27887.8	61.7	19834.5	3011.8	1000.0	4062.7	3896.0	422.2
2004														
Mar	111165.9	17540.7	17179.4	361.4	84565.0	35224.2	27640.9	61.7	18482.9	3155.3	1000.0	3987.7	3896.0	176.4
Jun	111508.6	17542.6	17169.3	373.3	84469.8	38437.7	26688.0	61.7	16514.1	2768.3	1000.0	3584.3	4161.0	750.9
Sep	111948.6	18144.0	17758.2	385.9	84715.9	36153.0	27932.0	61.7	17424.3	3145.0	1000.0	3816.9	4161.0	110.7
Dec	106935.9	21778.0	21380.9	397.1	75538.1	24785.7	25626.5	61.7	21451.9	3612.3	1000.0	4173.6	4161.0	285.2
2005														
Jan	107481.8	20372.7	19973.6	399.1	77545.7	25909.3	25625.9	61.7	22514.5	3434.3	1000.0	4093.5	4161.0	308.9
Feb	109328.3	19909.7	19507.2	402.5	79750.4	27001.3	28244.1	61.7	21589.1	2854.2	1000.0	3891.5	4161.0	615.6
Mar	111338.7	20137.1	19730.8	406.3	81587.7	26990.2	28237.1	61.7	21162.9	5135.8	1000.0	3873.2	4161.0	579.8
Apr	110232.7	20165.7	19757.5	408.3	80375.3	24513.1	27989.2	61.7	21972.9	5838.4	1000.0	3882.6	4161.0	648.0
May	111210.3	19696.7	19284.5	412.3	81582.6	25018.1	28245.1	61.7	22460.5	5797.2	1000.0	3820.2	4407.8	703.0
Jun	111308.8	19601.3	19187.1	414.2	81730.3	28990.7	27789.0	61.7	19080.7	5808.1	1000.0	3810.6	4407.8	758.8
Jul	109327.8	19726.4	19310.1	416.4	79217.9	25655.8	27993.1	61.7	20302.1	5205.2	1000.0	3865.1	4407.8	1110.6
Aug	110316.5	19796.8	19375.1	421.7	80394.6	26756.9	27302.8	61.7	20387.0	5886.3	1000.0	3942.1	4407.8	775.2
Sep	111851.9	19714.4	19289.3	425.2	81942.8	25296.2	30272.4	61.7	21902.4	4410.1	1000.0	4004.0	4407.8	782.9
Oct	110687.7	20203.9	19775.4	428.6	80069.6	25560.6	29551.6	61.7	20447.4	4448.4	1000.0	4169.6	4407.8	836.7
Nov	110237.6	20516.8	20084.6	432.2	79118.0	21281.0	29218.3	61.7	24203.2	4353.8	1000.0	4227.5	4407.8	967.6
Dec	114986.4	23936.2	23498.3	437.9	80520.7	21806.6	29175.8	61.7	24616.7	4859.9	1000.0	4280.6	4407.8	841.1
2006														
Jan	113094.1	21517.9	21079.2	438.7	81028.3	37672.7	15526.3	61.7	24957.7	2810.0	1000.0	4062.1	4407.8	1078.1
Feb	114877.8	20799.7	20358.9	440.8	83754.2	39065.0	17875.8	61.7	24011.3	2740.5	1000.0	4056.9	4407.8	859.2

Source: Bank of Guyana

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BANK OF GUYANA: CURRENCY NOTES ISSUE
(G\$Million)

Table 1.3

Period	Total Issue G\$Mn.	Denominations													
		\$1000		\$500		\$100		\$20		\$10 *		\$5 *		\$1 *	
		G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue	G\$Mn.	% of Total Issue
1996	11209.2	915.7	8.2	9425.5	84.1	657.6	5.9	156.4	1.4	19.3	0.2	16.1	0.1	18.6	0.2
1997	12331.8	8679.4	70.4	3027.2	24.5	456.1	3.7	169.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
1998	12347.0	10099.2	81.8	1587.5	12.9	480.4	3.9	179.8	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999	15413.7	13506.4	87.6	1140.8	7.4	561.2	3.6	205.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000	15969.0	12777.5	80.0	2411.3	15.1	567.6	3.6	212.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001															
Mar.	13766.2	11762.9	85.4	1279.7	9.3	518.5	3.8	205.1	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	13060.0	11217.5	85.9	1123.0	8.6	515.1	3.9	204.4	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	13344.8	11655.0	87.3	940.3	7.0	538.6	4.0	210.9	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	16526.1	14748.8	89.2	940.5	5.7	609.3	3.7	227.5	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002															
Mar.	14895.9	13249.4	88.9	834.8	5.6	590.2	4.0	221.5	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	14238.8	12655.9	88.9	799.2	5.6	566.6	4.0	217.1	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	14029.8	12425.8	88.6	806.6	5.7	572.6	4.1	224.9	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	16860.6	15156.7	89.9	849.1	5.0	620.6	3.7	234.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003															
Mar.	15233.4	13648.7	89.6	780.5	5.1	579.2	3.8	225.0	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	15107.6	13517.1	89.5	774.7	5.1	588.1	3.9	227.8	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	15328.7	13759.2	89.8	754.5	4.9	585.9	3.8	229.1	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	19419.5	17645.3	90.9	855.9	4.4	667.1	3.4	251.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004															
Mar.	17179.4	15523.1	90.4	793.1	4.6	622.5	3.6	240.7	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	17169.3	15498.1	90.3	808.0	4.7	622.5	3.6	240.7	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	17758.2	16032.2	90.3	822.1	4.6	652.1	3.7	251.8	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	21380.9	19515.0	91.3	889.0	4.2	705.6	3.3	271.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005															
Jan.	19973.6	18146.2	90.9	869.3	4.4	688.6	3.4	269.4	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb.	19507.2	17697.0	90.7	862.8	4.4	679.7	3.5	267.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mar.	19730.8	17983.2	91.1	825.6	4.2	658.5	3.3	263.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apr.	19757.5	17978.1	91.0	836.0	4.2	676.9	3.4	266.5	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	19284.5	17529.0	90.9	823.3	4.3	664.7	3.4	267.4	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	19187.1	17456.5	91.0	800.6	4.2	665.9	3.5	264.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jul.	19310.1	17552.9	90.9	808.5	4.2	678.6	3.5	270.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	19375.1	17581.7	90.7	824.2	4.3	691.2	3.6	278.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	19289.3	17538.2	90.9	797.0	4.1	682.2	3.5	271.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	19775.4	18023.7	91.1	794.6	4.0	684.1	3.5	272.9	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	20084.6	18311.8	91.2	803.3	4.0	692.5	3.4	277.0	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	23498.3	21128.8	89.9	1315.8	5.6	759.0	3.2	294.7	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006															
Jan.	21079.2	19022.4	90.2	1070.9	5.1	703.9	3.3	281.9	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feb.	20358.9	18422.1	90.5	962.3	4.7	693.4	3.4	281.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Bank of Guyana

* These notes were replaced by coins effective from May 26, 1996 but continued to be legal tender until December 31, 1996.

These notes while not legal tender after December 31, 1996 were convertible to other legal tender until June 30, 1997.

BANK OF GUYANA: COINS ISSUE
(G\$'000)

Table 1.4

Period	Total Issue	Denominations							
		\$10*	\$5*	\$1*	1) 50c	1) 25c	1) 10c	1) 5c	1) 1c
1996	92569.7	40449.7	25442.5	9875.0	193.1	9150.8	3867.0	1913.9	1677.8
1997	137965.0	70225.7	46658.3	21081.1	-	-	-	-	-
1998	169944.5	81041.3	59809.6	29093.7	-	-	-	-	-
1999	206596.8	95769.0	73722.0	37105.9	-	-	-	-	-
2000	246192.4	111767.7	89033.1	45391.6	-	-	-	-	-
2001									
Mar.	249978.2	112414.2	90842.7	46721.2	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	257848.5	115128.4	93886.1	48834.0	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	269056.9	120233.7	98099.4	50723.8	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	282586.7	125847.1	103446.7	53292.9	-	-	-	-	-
2002									
Mar.	290474.7	128258.9	106997.1	55218.8	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	298658.0	131437.7	110185.6	57034.8	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	308232.1	135630.1	113685.8	58916.2	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	317516.4	139041.0	117271.4	61204.0	-	-	-	-	-
2003									
Mar.	322103.6	140042.0	119402.5	62659.1	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	330891.8	143579.5	122985.6	64326.7	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	340875.8	147690.5	126844.3	66341.0	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	354545.8	154315.8	132104.3	68125.7	-	-	-	-	-
2004									
Mar.	361360.2	156142.5	135379.8	69837.9	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	373313.1	161955.8	139846.7	71510.6	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	385853.0	167627.1	145093.1	73132.9	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	397113.0	172541.0	149645.1	74926.8	-	-	-	-	-
2005									
Jan.	399077.0	173132.9	150681.4	75262.7	-	-	-	-	-
Feb.	402525.9	174605.0	152223.9	75697.0	-	-	-	-	-
Mar.	406309.1	175799.7	154007.8	76501.6	-	-	-	-	-
Apr.	408278.1	176534.7	154768.5	76975.0	-	-	-	-	-
May	412271.9	178557.0	156223.4	77491.5	-	-	-	-	-
Jun.	414209.3	178823.4	157370.2	78015.7	-	-	-	-	-
Jul.	416357.0	179567.2	158539.1	78250.8	-	-	-	-	-
Aug.	421718.4	182073.8	160723.9	78920.7	-	-	-	-	-
Sep.	425156.9	183686.7	161970.6	79499.6	-	-	-	-	-
Oct.	428570.4	185129.2	163413.9	80027.3	-	-	-	-	-
Nov.	432205.4	187512.9	163816.5	80875.9	-	-	-	-	-
Dec.	437939.3	189688.5	166503.0	81747.8	-	-	-	-	-
2006									
Jan.	438688.1	189746.6	166967.6	81974.0	-	-	-	-	-
Feb.	440798.7	190740.6	167796.3	82261.9	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Bank of Guyana

* Includes new coins in circulation effective from May 1996.

1) Coins which ceased to be legal tender from May 26, 1996.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: ASSETS¹
(G\$ THOUSANDS)

Table 2.1 (a)

End of Period	Total Assets	Foreign Sector				Public Sector						Non-Bank Financial Institutions Loans	Priv. Sect. Loans & Advances & Securities	Bank of Guyana				Other	
		Total	Bal. due from Banks Abroad	Loans to Non-Residents	Other	Total	Central Government			Public Enterprises	Other			Total	Deposits	External Payment Deposits	Currency		
							Total	Securities	Loans										
1996	77,768,567	3,750,319	2,452,469	830,484	467,366	17,645,014	17,250,375	17,221,840	28,535	254,461	140,178	183,283	35,864,027	10,729,376	9,056,502	329,659	1,343,215	9,596,548	
1997	89,290,729	3,497,458	2,152,522	1,280,260	64,676	19,644,894	18,025,420	18,024,933	487	216,218	1,403,256	118,154	42,920,893	13,315,475	11,720,910	317,585	1,276,980	9,793,855	
1998	100,494,733	3,969,361	2,693,500	570,119	705,742	18,151,096	15,850,882	15,850,241	641	410,206	1,890,008	195,051	48,872,172	16,069,725	14,576,155	310,233	1,183,337	13,237,328	
1999	104,127,717	7,893,742	4,959,704	419,616	2,514,422	15,454,043	13,345,716	13,345,478	238	682,976	1,425,351	568,594	52,165,992	12,418,927	10,143,167	76,972	2,198,788	15,626,419	
2000	117,745,982	8,223,770	4,553,178	763,443	2,907,149	23,193,719	20,264,178	20,264,138	40	419,617	2,509,924	659,748	52,778,294	15,509,505	13,713,790	75,608	1,720,107	17,380,946	
2001	124,325,837	10,784,082	4,693,479	1,302,137	4,788,466	21,618,879	20,766,067	20,766,067	-	851,603	1,209	463,662	53,897,876	18,340,127	16,607,502	62,239	1,670,386	19,221,211	
2002	135,041,638	13,034,284	2,936,306	1,551,060	8,546,918	24,772,996	23,958,389	23,956,186	2,203	807,464	7,143	723,927	55,041,306	21,030,989	19,200,543	62,044	1,768,402	20,438,136	
2003																			
Mar	126,407,697	14,572,495	4,045,042	1,559,338	8,968,115	34,669,860	33,944,756	33,943,123	1,633	719,465	5,639	691,371	45,003,188	16,950,390	15,502,137	62,044	1,386,209	14,520,393	
Jun	129,668,144	15,584,143	3,680,644	1,611,313	10,292,186	33,568,849	32,899,010	32,896,111	2,899	663,584	6,255	741,771	44,538,701	19,550,420	18,327,750	61,878	1,160,792	15,684,260	
Sep	131,832,291	16,497,353	3,936,956	1,439,225	11,121,172	36,618,371	35,939,440	35,937,925	1,515	617,045	61,886	727,722	43,784,536	18,186,488	16,842,180	61,674	1,282,634	16,017,821	
Dec	134,994,721	18,284,739	5,914,767	1,476,168	10,893,804	33,132,083	32,248,132	32,246,933	1,199	821,744	62,207	855,478	44,851,255	21,882,609	19,935,021	61,674	1,885,914	15,988,557	
2004																			
Mar	139,031,998	18,024,287	5,130,313	1,469,372	11,424,602	40,289,699	37,770,403	37,767,018	3,385	2,506,472	12,824	792,864	41,250,738	20,006,045	18,296,844	61,674	1,647,527	18,668,365	
Jun	139,424,086	18,706,121	6,044,836	1,603,219	11,058,066	42,161,608	39,890,950	39,886,690	4,260	2,201,874	68,784	708,352	40,928,012	18,180,820	16,644,298	61,674	1,474,848	18,739,173	
Sep	138,612,169	19,579,321	6,037,147	1,727,760	11,814,414	39,283,424	37,128,063	37,124,043	4,020	2,097,195	58,166	524,784	41,293,323	19,330,905	17,605,657	61,674	1,663,574	18,600,412	
Dec	146,765,810	21,769,312	7,543,422	1,557,163	12,668,727	39,451,288	38,135,777	38,135,676	101	1,265,422	50,089	489,981	40,838,902	23,318,495	21,024,435	61,674	2,232,386	20,897,832	
2005																			
Jan	149,744,508	22,013,321	7,758,301	1,366,729	12,888,291	41,973,096	40,601,564	40,601,297	267	1,321,022	50,510	457,115	40,985,497	24,367,733	22,229,724	61,674	2,076,335	19,947,746	
Feb	150,596,134	22,429,296	8,463,645	1,460,941	12,504,710	44,143,749	42,717,185	42,716,562	623	1,398,998	27,566	439,213	40,706,426	23,072,437	21,071,583	61,674	1,939,180	19,805,013	
Mar	151,682,410	22,916,447	7,755,906	1,454,216	13,706,325	44,762,371	43,035,644	43,035,416	228	1,673,633	53,094	438,888	40,907,633	22,733,484	20,655,395	61,674	2,016,415	19,923,587	
Apr	154,530,031	26,120,664	10,514,913	1,367,689	14,238,062	43,793,615	41,546,435	41,545,701	734	2,242,940	4,240	597,422	41,319,756	22,978,894	21,258,039	61,674	1,659,181	19,719,680	
May	155,627,768	26,913,313	11,268,757	1,398,303	14,246,253	41,762,805	39,457,595	39,457,475	120	2,301,144	4,066	588,107	41,998,830	23,905,768	22,033,229	61,674	1,810,865	20,458,945	
Jun	153,011,887	27,050,653	10,758,708	1,471,348	14,820,597	42,808,645	40,381,852	40,381,331	521	2,366,868	59,925	453,790	42,339,632	21,244,548	19,168,203	61,674	2,014,671	19,114,619	
Jul	152,739,652	27,139,339	10,080,428	1,475,870	15,583,041	40,913,453	37,953,247	37,952,596	651	2,884,428	75,778	485,809	42,637,526	21,598,170	19,967,152	61,674	1,569,344	19,965,355	
Aug	154,143,966	27,679,161	10,022,832	1,476,370	16,179,959	42,144,706	39,134,844	39,134,387	457	2,926,886	82,976	412,047	42,289,952	22,280,635	20,011,167	61,674	2,207,794	19,337,465	
Sep	154,381,672	27,567,457	9,381,318	1,734,064	16,452,075	40,083,165	37,204,663	37,204,354	309	2,841,738	36,764	475,723	41,832,985	23,326,111	21,730,534	61,674	1,533,903	21,096,231	
Oct	157,654,238	27,525,912	9,185,385	1,664,459	16,676,068	41,401,923	38,460,434	38,459,835	599	2,904,229	37,260	534,841	42,265,929	21,872,519	20,229,481	61,674	1,581,364	24,053,114	
Nov	162,404,518	28,042,422	9,942,826	1,679,015	16,420,581	39,047,947	36,421,245	36,420,989	256	2,573,902	52,800	531,402	43,157,748	25,800,471	23,729,172	61,674	2,009,625	25,824,528	
Dec	162,714,548	28,270,563	10,425,188	1,430,216	16,415,159	41,999,363	40,432,632	40,427,232	5,400	1,485,511	81,220	532,463	43,400,883	26,565,174	24,093,968	61,674	2,409,532	21,946,102	
2006																			
Jan	164,074,482	28,330,047	9,713,883	1,457,405	17,158,759	45,415,485	43,183,119	43,178,302	4,817	2,229,765	2,601	478,359	43,745,959	26,798,130	24,419,564	61,674	2,316,892	19,306,502	
Feb	164,840,819	28,462,734	10,229,406	1,358,998	16,874,330	47,371,020	44,793,927	44,790,213	3,714	2,575,316	1,777	405,637	43,148,059	25,698,330	23,604,338	61,674	2,032,318	19,755,039	

Source: Commercial Banks

¹ Effective February 1996, commercial banks accounts reflect the merged operations of GNCB with GAIBANK.

COMMERCIAL BANKS : LIABILITIES, CAPITAL AND RESERVES¹
(G\$ THOUSAND)

Table 2.1 (b)

End of Period	Total Liabilities	Foreign Sector				Public Sector				Non-Bank Financial Institutions Deposits	Private Sector Deposits	External Payment Deposits	Bank of Guyana	Other Liabilities	Capital & Reserves
		Total	Bal. due to Banks Abroad	Non-Resident Deposits	Other	Total	Central Government Deposits	Public Enterprises Deposits	Other Deposits						
1996	77,768,567	3,567,033	492,402	3,074,631	-	7,571,411	2,623,150	4,542,299	405,962	2,756,848	46,674,437	329,659	-	3,151,050	13,718,129
1997	89,290,729	4,963,726	782,677	4,181,049	-	9,631,037	2,302,744	3,834,771	3,493,522	3,777,663	52,116,931	317,585	-	3,429,724	15,054,063
1998	100,494,733	5,283,883	1,090,731	4,193,152	-	10,040,516	1,680,181	4,010,707	4,349,628	5,898,442	56,422,262	310,233	-	3,154,589	19,384,808
1999	104,127,717	4,662,897	767,983	3,894,914	-	7,270,542	3,789,090	3,301,907	179,545	5,796,269	62,152,230	76,972	-	2,692,217	21,476,590
2000	117,745,982	4,875,522	1,435,647	3,439,875	-	9,134,106	4,825,956	1,739,348	2,568,802	8,454,689	69,937,199	75,608	-	2,992,043	22,276,815
2001	124,325,837	4,190,114	1,268,314	2,921,800	-	7,643,860	3,783,884	1,892,619	1,967,357	8,008,540	76,682,347	62,239	-	5,016,241	22,722,496
2002	135,041,638	5,316,744	1,093,082	4,223,662	-	10,279,996	4,453,279	2,708,221	3,118,496	9,221,579	81,622,447	62,044	-	6,261,913	22,276,915
2003															
Mar	126,407,697	5,059,097	1,071,309	3,987,788	-	9,776,494	4,903,705	1,586,912	3,285,877	9,013,658	83,404,359	62,044	-	4,985,161	14,106,884
Jun	129,668,144	5,752,475	803,635	4,948,840	-	9,758,779	4,592,639	1,967,477	3,198,663	9,914,195	84,654,629	61,878	-	5,413,991	14,112,197
Sep	131,832,291	5,445,466	710,025	4,735,441	-	10,357,238	4,644,406	2,177,618	3,535,214	11,103,333	85,326,106	61,674	-	5,323,236	14,215,238
Dec	134,994,721	5,170,319	1,128,289	4,042,030	-	11,988,950	5,070,966	2,403,226	4,514,758	9,853,680	86,841,777	61,674	-	6,411,298	14,667,023
2004															
Mar	139,031,998	4,480,842	570,286	3,910,556	-	11,981,401	5,106,817	2,539,838	4,334,746	11,916,295	89,137,912	61,674	-	6,563,930	14,889,944
Jun	139,424,086	4,628,874	720,652	3,908,222	-	13,687,289	5,240,085	2,946,076	5,501,128	10,505,467	89,546,160	61,674	-	5,293,061	15,701,561
Sep	138,612,169	4,229,796	351,956	3,877,840	-	12,039,151	5,113,234	2,347,808	4,578,109	10,520,626	90,985,639	61,674	-	5,395,642	15,379,641
Dec	146,765,810	7,108,116	450,506	6,657,610	-	14,051,174	5,249,027	3,848,610	4,953,537	10,513,896	92,872,660	61,674	-	7,215,594	14,942,696
2005															
Jan	149,744,508	7,811,838	490,471	7,321,367	-	15,800,409	6,329,966	4,454,125	5,016,318	10,516,676	93,622,744	61,674	-	6,749,535	15,181,632
Feb	150,596,134	7,540,006	673,459	6,866,547	-	15,016,387	6,565,381	3,482,425	4,968,581	10,598,113	95,462,472	61,674	-	6,505,438	15,412,044
Mar	151,682,410	7,101,922	601,714	6,500,208	-	16,009,556	6,816,524	3,498,443	5,694,589	11,755,293	95,499,468	61,674	-	6,054,076	15,200,421
Apr	154,530,031	9,033,570	831,088	8,202,482	-	14,466,087	6,142,375	2,970,566	5,353,146	12,182,541	97,956,441	61,674	-	5,464,938	15,364,780
May	155,627,768	8,317,117	460,657	7,856,460	-	15,520,672	6,365,068	2,782,318	6,373,286	11,936,742	98,060,034	61,674	-	6,162,895	15,568,634
Jun	153,011,887	8,839,207	540,049	8,299,158	-	15,904,352	6,542,066	2,801,554	6,560,732	12,423,907	95,437,700	61,674	-	4,624,546	15,720,501
Jul	152,739,652	8,813,409	547,312	8,266,097	-	15,631,087	6,671,829	2,385,368	6,573,890	9,788,664	97,456,643	61,674	-	4,999,047	15,989,128
Aug	154,143,966	8,314,549	586,947	7,727,602	-	15,770,706	6,328,152	2,889,507	6,553,047	10,343,069	98,585,649	61,674	-	4,831,381	16,236,938
Sep	154,381,672	8,249,949	661,128	7,588,821	-	16,138,904	6,592,200	2,748,007	6,798,697	9,671,841	99,386,521	61,674	-	5,332,626	15,540,157
Oct	157,654,238	8,044,405	629,188	7,415,217	-	15,636,962	6,630,259	2,280,643	6,726,060	9,755,978	99,760,010	61,674	-	8,515,326	15,879,883
Nov	162,404,518	9,162,697	383,553	8,779,144	-	16,221,089	6,524,208	2,951,501	6,745,380	9,716,418	100,614,360	61,674	-	10,554,084	16,074,196
Dec	162,714,548	10,572,576	855,016	9,717,560	-	19,922,999	7,371,844	3,361,451	9,189,704	9,909,956	100,618,120	61,674	-	5,526,802	16,102,421
2006															
Jan	164,074,482	9,821,007	892,456	8,928,551	-	21,685,057	3,642,778	8,820,381	9,221,898	10,270,800	101,934,169	61,674	-	4,028,533	16,273,242
Feb	164,840,819	9,464,579	640,461	8,824,118	-	21,322,921	2,639,241	9,433,895	9,249,785	9,901,074	103,215,435	61,674	-	4,478,059	16,397,077

Source: Commercial Banks

¹ Effective February 1996, commercial banks accounts reflect the merged operations of GNCB with GAIBANK.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: TOTAL DEPOSITS
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.2

End of Period	Total Dep. Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector						Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Institutions			Foreign Sector
			Total Public Sector	General Government				Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private	
				Total	Central Gov't	Local Gov't	Other								
1996	60077.3	57002.7	7571.4	3029.1	2623.2	109.1	296.8	4542.3	46674.4	5118.7	41555.8	2756.8	93.6	2663.3	3074.6
1997	69706.7	65525.6	9631.0	5796.3	2302.7	134.6	3358.9	3834.8	52116.9	6506.8	45610.1	3777.7	764.3	3013.4	4181.0
1998	76554.4	72361.2	10040.5	6029.8	1680.2	248.1	4101.6	4010.7	56422.3	6943.5	49478.7	5898.4	429.1	5469.4	4193.2
1999	77552.8	73657.9	5709.4	3316.6	3217.9	80.3	18.4	2392.8	62152.2	7955.8	54196.4	5796.3	1528.6	4267.7	3894.9
2000	77414.1	74219.0	7786.0	6318.5	3877.9	20.8	2419.8	1467.6	58287.0	12697.0	45590.0	8146.0	933.8	7212.2	3195.1
2001	95256.5	92334.7	7643.9	5751.2	3783.9	263.5	1703.9	1892.6	76682.3	13967.2	62715.1	8008.5	608.3	7400.3	2921.8
2002	105347.7	101124.0	10280.0	7571.8	4453.3	196.5	2922.0	2708.2	81622.4	16407.2	65215.3	9221.6	526.8	8694.8	4223.7
2003															
Mar	106182.3	102194.5	9776.5	8189.6	4903.7	306.8	2979.0	1586.9	83404.4	16442.4	66962.0	9013.7	1164.2	7849.4	3987.8
Jun	109276.4	104327.6	9758.8	7791.3	4592.6	178.2	3020.5	1967.5	84654.6	16943.4	67711.2	9914.2	1282.1	8632.1	4948.8
Sep	111522.1	106786.7	10357.2	8179.6	4644.4	140.3	3394.9	2177.6	85326.1	18231.5	67094.6	11103.3	846.9	10256.4	4735.4
Dec	112726.4	108684.4	11989.0	9585.7	5071.0	144.7	4370.0	2403.2	86841.8	18500.8	68341.0	9853.7	863.4	8990.3	4042.0
2004															
Mar	116946.2	113035.6	11981.4	9441.6	5106.8	195.6	4139.2	2539.8	89137.9	19147.8	69990.1	11916.3	932.3	10984.0	3910.6
Jun	117647.1	113738.9	13687.3	10741.2	5240.1	156.7	5344.5	2946.1	89546.2	19217.9	70328.2	10505.5	989.2	9516.3	3908.2
Sep	117423.3	113545.4	12039.2	9691.3	5113.2	161.1	4417.0	2347.8	90985.6	19574.9	71410.7	10520.6	1011.4	9509.2	3877.8
Dec	124095.3	117437.7	14051.2	10202.6	5249.0	147.8	4805.7	3848.6	92872.7	15016.6	77856.1	10513.9	1165.5	9348.4	6657.6
2005															
Jan	127261.2	119939.8	15800.4	11346.3	6330.0	210.3	4806.0	4454.1	93622.7	14657.1	78965.7	10516.7	959.6	9557.1	7321.4
Feb	127943.5	121077.0	15016.4	11534.0	6565.4	177.0	4791.6	3482.4	95462.5	16195.8	79266.7	10598.1	764.3	9833.8	6866.5
Mar	129764.5	123264.3	16009.6	12511.1	6816.5	203.8	5490.8	3498.4	95499.5	16108.6	79390.9	11755.3	779.1	10976.2	6500.2
Apr	132807.6	124605.1	14466.1	11495.5	6142.4	233.8	5119.4	2970.6	97956.4	17025.4	80931.0	12182.5	791.8	11390.8	8202.5
May	133373.9	125517.4	15520.7	12738.4	6365.1	168.2	6205.0	2782.3	98060.0	16808.8	81251.2	11936.7	597.0	11339.7	7856.5
Jun	132065.1	123766.0	15904.4	13102.8	6542.1	194.0	6366.8	2801.6	95437.7	14406.1	81031.6	12423.9	1009.9	11414.1	8299.2
Jul	131142.5	122876.4	15631.1	13245.7	6671.8	196.7	6377.2	2385.4	97456.6	15258.3	82198.3	9788.7	1032.8	8755.9	8266.1
Aug	132427.0	124699.4	15770.7	12881.2	6328.2	179.5	6373.6	2889.5	98585.6	16714.9	81870.8	10343.1	1048.9	9294.2	7727.6
Sep	132786.1	125197.3	16138.9	13390.9	6592.2	192.0	6606.7	2748.0	99386.5	15404.9	83981.6	9671.8	1061.7	8610.1	7588.8
Oct	132568.2	125153.0	15637.0	13356.3	6630.3	267.0	6459.1	2280.6	99760.0	15403.7	84356.3	9756.0	1068.4	8687.5	7415.2
Nov	135331.0	126551.9	16221.1	13269.6	6524.2	240.8	6504.6	2951.5	100614.4	16495.9	84118.4	9716.4	1088.9	8627.5	8779.1
Dec	140168.6	130451.1	19923.0	16561.5	7371.8	247.8	8941.9	3361.5	100618.1	15316.5	85301.7	9910.0	1112.2	8797.7	9717.6
2006															
Jan	142818.6	133890.0	21685.1	12864.7	3642.8	487.5	8734.4	8820.4	101934.2	15958.1	85976.1	10270.8	1125.0	9145.8	8928.6
Feb	143263.5	134439.4	21322.9	11889.0	2639.2	521.2	8728.6	9433.9	103215.4	16613.7	86601.8	9901.1	1134.7	8766.4	8824.1

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: DEMAND DEPOSITS
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.3

End of Period	Total Dep. Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector						Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Institutions			Foreign Sector
			Total Public Sector	General Government			Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private		
				Total	Central Gov't	Local Gov't								Other	
1996	8911.8	7955.3	2472.5	1009.4	962.6	23.8	23.0	1463.0	5131.3	2539.2	2592.1	351.5	22.7	328.8	956.5
1997	9647.5	8354.1	2568.8	812.7	677.2	112.2	23.3	1756.1	5186.4	3351.7	1834.7	598.9	204.5	394.5	1293.4
1998	9312.8	7827.7	1727.8	715.0	544.7	139.8	30.5	1012.7	5547.3	3169.3	2378.0	552.7	195.2	357.5	1485.0
1999	12617.2	10692.9	3309.4	1561.6	875.8	16.9	16.9	838.8	6720.5	3548.0	3172.5	662.9	119.1	543.9	1924.3
2000	12635.9	11074.3	1748.3	909.5	875.8	16.9	16.9	838.8	8906.3	5866.7	3039.5	419.8	60.4	359.4	1561.6
2001	13489.3	11975.4	2852.6	1659.6	1556.3	82.6	20.8	1193.0	8454.3	5117.9	3336.4	668.5	104.5	564.0	1513.9
2002	15864.3	14039.8	3627.7	1981.2	1845.8	98.7	36.7	1646.5	9839.9	6095.8	3744.1	572.2	40.6	531.6	1824.6
2003															
Mar	15309.8	13422.9	3183.3	2194.6	1916.2	184.7	93.8	988.7	9413.3	5803.1	3610.2	826.2	343.8	482.4	1886.9
Jun	17253.7	14345.9	3664.6	2249.9	2079.6	102.1	68.3	1414.6	9900.2	6359.2	3541.0	781.1	321.2	459.9	2907.9
Sep	18205.9	15599.9	3586.6	1953.1	1818.4	65.3	69.5	1633.5	11014.0	7339.2	3674.8	999.3	437.1	562.2	2606.0
Dec	17821.0	15874.1	3355.7	2107.8	1973.7	70.0	64.0	1248.0	11375.3	7455.8	3919.5	1143.1	437.0	706.0	1946.9
2004															
Mar	19449.4	17794.1	3349.6	2150.6	1959.8	120.6	70.2	1199.0	12210.8	8024.0	4186.9	2233.7	507.5	1726.2	1655.3
Jun	19878.7	18204.1	3834.5	2229.7	2080.0	82.1	67.6	1604.8	13258.3	7858.9	5399.4	1111.3	484.7	626.6	1674.7
Sep	19935.8	18174.3	3298.5	2025.4	1853.5	89.1	82.7	1273.1	13725.5	8660.8	5064.7	1150.3	502.6	647.8	1761.4
Dec	23171.4	19042.9	4318.9	2398.8	2215.7	70.6	112.5	1920.1	12984.4	9469.6	3514.8	1739.5	652.7	1086.8	4128.5
2005															
Jan	23866.2	19682.0	4994.5	2334.7	2133.3	133.1	68.4	2659.8	13327.2	9203.3	4123.8	1360.3	537.2	823.1	4184.3
Feb	24602.1	20821.1	5177.4	2726.4	2578.3	99.8	48.3	2451.1	14394.9	10219.7	4175.2	1248.8	341.9	906.9	3781.0
Mar	26838.4	23385.2	5008.7	2806.0	2569.5	125.8	110.7	2202.7	14524.5	9901.9	4622.7	3852.0	353.3	3498.7	3453.2
Apr	26215.2	21181.8	4581.2	2750.5	2508.8	154.7	87.0	1830.7	15230.4	10642.1	4588.3	1370.2	366.0	1004.1	5033.4
May	27044.8	22452.7	4735.0	2815.7	2657.2	90.7	67.8	1919.3	16022.4	11294.9	4727.5	1695.3	171.3	1524.1	4592.1
Jun	27582.7	22468.4	4690.7	2862.2	2677.1	116.6	68.5	1828.5	13986.9	9316.3	4670.6	3790.8	79.3	3711.5	5114.3
Jul	25137.8	20158.0	4058.5	2616.3	2390.9	119.1	106.3	1442.3	14586.9	10003.5	4583.4	1512.6	100.2	1412.3	4979.8
Aug	26370.5	21858.7	4162.8	2363.1	2184.6	101.7	76.8	1799.7	15666.3	11179.5	4486.8	2029.6	118.8	1910.8	4511.8
Sep	25215.4	20895.3	4195.4	2533.5	2309.6	113.9	110.1	1661.9	14780.0	10279.0	4501.0	1919.9	128.1	1791.8	4320.1
Oct	24319.2	20217.5	3728.9	2504.2	2242.6	188.6	73.0	1224.8	14956.6	10345.2	4611.4	1532.0	133.5	1398.5	4101.7
Nov	26848.8	21220.8	4417.5	2582.5	2316.7	163.0	102.8	1835.0	15291.1	10711.1	4580.0	1512.2	155.9	1356.2	5628.0
Dec	26847.2	20521.9	4590.6	3200.6	2907.4	170.4	122.8	1390.0	14445.6	9815.4	4630.2	1485.6	175.7	1309.9	6325.3
2006															
Jan	27898.1	22249.0	5593.1	2127.0	1642.2	410.0	74.8	3466.1	14900.5	10030.4	4870.2	1755.4	87.0	1668.4	5649.0
Feb	28049.4	22555.2	5192.7	1949.8	1441.4	443.8	64.6	3242.9	15871.0	11080.5	4790.5	1491.6	98.9	1392.7	5494.1

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: TIME DEPOSITS
(G\$Million)

Table 2.4

End of Period	Total Dep. Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector						Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Institutions			Foreign Sector
			Total Public Sector	General Government			Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private		
				Total	Central Gov't	Local Gov't								Other	
1996	19493.5	19016.8	1674.5	1004.3	760.3	77.6	166.4	670.1	15443.3	1393.8	14049.5	1899.1	15.2	1883.9	476.7
1997	23090.5	22657.1	3003.4	2202.2	748.1	13.5	1440.5	801.3	16833.0	1636.6	15196.4	2820.7	506.2	2314.4	433.4
1998	25848.7	25006.2	3288.6	2555.8	592.0	95.2	1868.6	732.8	17047.5	1771.4	15276.1	4670.2	187.8	4482.4	842.5
1999	25579.1	24818.3	1163.1	899.3	881.5	16.3	1.5	263.8	18885.4	2287.2	16598.2	4769.8	1403.5	3366.3	760.8
2000	30419.6	29843.6	4001.9	3726.4	1319.6	3.9	2402.9	275.5	18407.4	3484.9	14922.5	7434.2	844.6	6589.6	576.1
2001	33133.8	32754.2	3062.0	3005.5	1239.7	82.7	1683.1	56.6	23188.3	3844.9	19343.4	6503.9	503.3	6000.7	379.5
2002	33798.4	32702.5	4849.7	4354.8	1427.4	42.1	2885.2	494.9	20308.8	3413.5	16895.3	7544.0	486.2	7057.8	1095.9
2003															
Mar	32932.4	31863.5	4179.7	3941.0	1013.6	42.2	2885.3	238.7	20215.2	3138.1	17077.1	7468.6	820.4	6648.2	1068.9
Jun	33803.8	32773.8	4274.7	4033.5	1063.3	18.0	2952.2	241.2	20291.5	3467.0	16824.5	8207.6	958.9	7248.7	1029.9
Sep	33192.2	32171.0	4537.5	4323.6	1131.0	17.5	3175.1	213.9	18740.0	3181.2	15558.8	8893.6	0.8	8892.7	1021.2
Dec	33379.5	32351.1	6137.3	5921.0	1648.3	17.5	4255.2	216.3	18624.3	3114.2	15510.1	7589.5	0.8	7588.7	1028.4
2004															
Mar	33003.3	31916.1	6140.9	5923.2	1887.9	17.5	4017.8	217.7	18190.1	2934.2	15255.8	7585.1	0.8	7584.3	1087.3
Jun	31845.9	30784.8	7457.9	7238.4	1995.3	17.6	5225.4	219.5	15368.1	2400.8	12967.4	7958.8	85.8	7872.9	1061.1
Sep	31006.3	29972.8	6779.4	6559.3	2209.1	17.6	4332.6	220.1	15165.9	2380.7	12785.2	8027.5	86.4	7941.1	1033.5
Dec	30520.2	29412.0	7131.9	6973.3	2360.6	21.4	4591.3	158.6	15051.6	2002.3	13049.2	7228.5	86.9	7141.5	1108.2
2005															
Jan	30690.9	29515.2	7230.0	7046.7	2389.8	21.4	4635.5	183.4	14805.2	1942.6	12862.6	7480.0	0.0	7480.0	1175.7
Feb	30990.6	29820.8	7281.2	7097.8	2435.4	21.4	4641.1	183.3	14854.0	1991.0	12863.0	7685.6	0.0	7685.6	1169.8
Mar	30100.9	29039.2	8110.4	7926.8	2552.6	21.4	5352.8	183.6	14799.2	1986.7	12812.5	6129.5	0.0	6129.5	1061.7
Apr	32982.0	31957.9	7828.7	7644.9	2618.6	21.4	5005.0	183.8	15548.9	2062.3	13486.7	8580.3	0.0	8580.3	1024.0
May	33555.8	32506.5	8999.9	8839.6	2708.4	21.4	6109.8	160.3	15045.4	2070.0	12975.4	8461.3	0.0	8461.3	1049.2
Jun	31392.1	30357.6	9069.4	8908.8	2766.5	21.5	6120.8	160.6	14219.6	2020.5	12199.1	7068.6	502.1	6566.6	1034.5
Jul	31272.8	30258.7	9168.9	9008.3	2843.6	21.5	6143.2	160.6	14467.4	2114.1	12353.3	6622.5	504.0	6118.5	1014.1
Aug	31615.2	30585.8	9172.9	9011.8	2821.7	21.5	6168.6	161.2	14691.4	2144.4	12547.1	6721.5	501.6	6219.9	1029.4
Sep	31563.4	30526.4	9452.1	9290.7	2901.0	21.5	6368.2	161.4	15016.5	2131.3	12885.2	6057.8	502.3	5555.5	1037.0
Oct	31253.2	30248.3	9539.7	9378.4	2974.1	21.5	6382.8	161.3	14366.9	2017.3	12349.6	6341.7	503.7	5838.1	1004.8
Nov	31302.9	30312.3	9611.7	9449.8	3029.8	21.5	6398.5	161.9	14280.3	2082.2	12198.1	6420.3	501.6	5918.7	990.6
Dec	33899.3	32943.1	12103.3	11941.1	3103.7	21.5	8815.8	162.2	14349.0	2178.4	12170.7	6490.8	502.3	5988.4	956.2
2006															
Jan	33707.8	32754.3	11910.3	9235.7	557.9	21.5	8656.3	2674.6	14273.0	2150.3	12122.8	6570.9	603.9	5967.1	953.5
Feb	33966.2	32992.6	11987.3	8927.9	245.7	21.5	8660.6	3059.4	14414.7	2177.9	12236.8	6590.5	601.7	5988.9	973.6

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: SAVINGS DEPOSITS
(G\$Million)

Table 2.5

End of Period	Total Dep. Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector						Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Institutions			Foreign Sector
			Total Public Sector	General Government				Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private	
				Total	Central Gov't	Local Gov't	Other								
1996	31672.0	30030.6	3424.5	1015.4	900.3	7.7	107.4	2409.2	26099.8	1185.7	24914.1	506.3	55.6	450.6	1641.4
1997	36968.7	34514.4	4058.8	2781.5	877.4	9.0	1,895.0	1277.4	30097.5	1518.4	28579.1	358.1	53.6	304.5	2454.3
1998	41392.9	39527.2	5024.2	2758.9	543.4	13.0	2,202.5	2265.2	33827.5	2002.8	31824.6	675.6	46.1	629.5	1865.6
1999	40917.6	39707.8	2798.0	1507.8	1460.6	47.1	-	1290.3	36546.3	2120.6	34425.7	363.5	6.0	357.5	1209.8
2000	34358.6	33301.1	2035.8	1682.5	1682.5	0.0	-	353.3	30973.3	3345.4	27627.9	292.0	28.8	263.2	1057.5
2001	48633.5	47605.1	1729.2	1086.1	987.9	98.2	-	643.1	45039.8	5004.5	40035.4	836.1	0.5	835.6	1028.4
2002	55684.9	54381.7	1802.6	1235.8	1180.1	55.7	-	566.8	51473.8	6897.8	44575.9	1105.3	0.0	1105.3	1303.2
2003															
Mar	57940.2	56908.1	2413.4	2053.9	1973.9	80.0	-	359.5	53775.8	7501.1	46274.7	718.9	0.1	718.8	1032.0
Jun	58219.0	57207.9	1819.5	1507.8	1449.8	58.0	-	311.7	54462.8	7117.2	47345.7	925.6	2.0	923.6	1011.1
Sep	60124.0	59015.8	2233.2	1902.9	1695.1	57.6	150.3	330.2	55572.2	7711.1	47861.0	1210.5	409.0	801.5	1108.2
Dec	61526.0	60459.2	2496.0	1557.0	1449.0	57.2	50.8	939.0	56842.2	7930.8	48911.4	1121.1	425.6	695.5	1066.7
2004															
Mar	64493.4	63325.4	2490.8	1367.7	1259.1	57.4	51.2	1123.1	58737.0	8189.6	50547.4	2097.5	424.0	1673.5	1168.0
Jun	65922.5	64750.0	2394.9	1273.1	1164.7	56.9	51.5	1121.8	60919.7	8958.3	51961.5	1435.4	418.7	1016.8	1172.5
Sep	66481.2	65398.3	1961.3	1106.7	1050.6	54.4	1.7	854.6	62094.2	8533.4	53560.8	1342.8	422.4	920.4	1082.9
Dec	70403.7	68982.9	2600.3	830.4	672.7	55.8	101.9	1769.9	64836.7	3544.6	61292.1	1545.9	425.9	1120.0	1420.9
2005															
Jan	72704.0	70742.7	3575.9	1964.9	1806.9	55.9	102.1	1611.0	65490.4	3511.1	61979.3	1676.3	422.4	1253.9	1961.4
Feb	72350.8	70435.0	2557.8	1709.8	1551.6	55.8	102.3	848.0	66213.5	3985.1	62228.4	1663.7	422.4	1241.3	1915.8
Mar	72825.2	70839.9	2890.5	1778.3	1694.5	56.5	27.3	1112.2	66175.7	4220.1	61955.7	1773.7	425.8	1348.0	1985.3
Apr	73610.4	71465.3	2056.1	1100.0	1015.0	57.6	27.4	956.1	67177.1	4321.1	62856.0	2232.1	425.8	1806.4	2145.1
May	72773.3	70558.2	1785.8	1083.1	999.5	56.2	27.4	702.7	66992.3	3443.9	63548.4	1780.1	425.8	1354.4	2215.1
Jun	73090.3	70939.9	2144.3	1331.8	1098.4	55.9	177.5	812.5	67231.2	3069.4	64161.8	1564.5	428.5	1136.0	2150.3
Jul	74731.8	72459.7	2403.7	1621.2	1437.3	56.1	127.7	782.5	68402.3	3140.7	65261.6	1653.6	428.5	1225.1	2272.2
Aug	74441.3	72254.8	2435.0	1506.3	1321.9	56.3	128.1	928.7	68227.9	3391.1	64836.8	1591.9	428.5	1163.4	2186.5
Sep	76007.3	73775.6	2491.4	1566.7	1381.6	56.7	128.4	924.7	69590.0	2994.6	66595.4	1694.2	431.3	1262.9	2231.7
Oct	76995.7	74687.1	2368.3	1473.8	1413.6	56.9	3.3	894.5	70436.5	3041.2	67395.3	1882.3	431.3	1450.9	2308.6
Nov	77179.3	75018.8	2191.9	1237.3	1177.7	56.3	3.3	954.7	71042.9	3702.6	67340.3	1783.9	431.3	1352.6	2160.6
Dec	79422.2	76986.1	3229.2	1419.9	1360.7	55.9	3.3	1809.3	71823.4	3322.7	68500.7	1933.5	434.2	1499.4	2436.0
2006															
Jan	81212.8	78886.7	4181.6	1502.0	1442.7	56.0	3.3	2679.7	72760.6	3777.5	68983.1	1944.5	434.2	1510.3	2326.0
Feb	81248.0	78891.6	4142.9	1011.3	952.1	55.9	3.3	3131.6	72929.7	3355.2	69574.5	1819.0	434.2	1384.8	2356.4

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: TIME DEPOSITS BY MATURITY
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.6

End Of Period	Up To 3 Months	Exceeding 3 & Up To 6 Months	Exceeding 6 & Up To 9 Months	Up To 12 Months	Exceeding 12 Months	Total
1996	16908.9	1907.6	0.2	253.5	423.4	19493.5
1997	17513.0	3701.5	5.9	1853.4	16.8	23090.5
1998	17020.6	5151.1	2.8	3655.0	19.2	25848.7
1999	14820.6	3906.5	1475.3	4715.0	661.7	25579.1
2000	16979.5	5389.5	14.0	9844.4	1021.6	33249.1
2001	16307.9	4547.0	79.7	10022.0	2177.2	33133.8
2002						
Mar.	16513.8	4734.6	33.4	9650.0	2177.0	33108.8
Jun.	16943.6	4711.5	116.6	10521.5	1693.2	33986.4
Sep.	16088.7	4682.6	280.3	10879.6	1758.9	33690.1
Dec.	15645.2	4609.1	318.6	11116.5	2109.1	33798.4
2003						
Mar.	15451.0	4934.5	9.7	10492.1	2045.0	32932.4
Jun.	15787.7	4689.7	104.3	11202.1	2020.0	33803.8
Sep.	14915.1	4843.2	128.2	11970.8	1335.0	33192.2
Dec.	13909.0	5502.0	71.9	12528.3	1368.3	33379.5
2004						
Mar.	13626.1	5127.8	352.4	12472.3	1424.7	33003.3
Jun.	13176.4	3896.1	458.1	13219.1	1096.2	31845.9
Sept.	13115.1	4127.2	181.9	12492.2	1089.9	31006.3
Dec.	12760.7	4553.8	32.3	12359.1	814.3	30520.2
2005						
Jan.	12804.0	4450.3	14.1	12598.6	823.9	30690.9
Feb.	12924.0	4446.9	5.0	12778.6	836.1	30990.6
Mar.	11903.8	4122.1	5.8	13158.3	910.8	30100.9
Apr.	15092.1	4015.1	11.6	12892.3	970.9	32982.0
May	14602.7	3846.8	11.8	14172.4	922.1	33555.8
Jun.	11251.3	3806.2	326.7	15103.0	904.8	31392.1
Jul.	12300.7	3803.2	617.7	13569.5	981.7	31272.8
Aug.	12331.0	3861.6	71.8	14299.0	1051.7	31615.2
Sep.	12431.4	3865.7	71.2	12238.4	2956.8	31563.4
Oct.	12133.9	3894.8	85.3	12317.2	2822.1	31253.2
Nov.	11945.0	4045.3	85.2	12404.3	2823.1	31302.9
Dec.	11434.3	4070.2	85.3	15305.8	3003.8	33899.3
2006						
Jan.	11466.9	4110.8	83.7	15007.4	3039.0	33707.8
Feb.	12361.8	4153.2	150.7	14271.9	3028.6	33966.2

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: DEBITS AND CREDITS ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.7

Period	Savings Deposits At Beg. Of Period	Credits	Debits	Net Credits (+) Or Debits (-)	Interest Accrued/ Credited To Acc. During The Period	Savings Deposits at end of Period
		On Savings Acc. During The Period				
1996	32079.9	11089.7	11803.6	-713.9	306.0	31672.0
1997	35928.4	12691.1	11998.7	692.5	347.9	36968.7
1998	40108.9	11735.7	10703.1	1032.6	251.4	41392.9
1999	39322.6	16112.8	14675.7	1437.1	157.9	40917.6
2000	43787.8	10022.0	10330.3	-308.3	197.9	43677.4
2001	47453.2	14021.6	13014.9	1006.7	173.7	48633.5
2002						
Mar.	48667.1	11398.5	11502.4	-103.9	337.6	48900.8
Jun.	50449.9	21690.2	21767.8	-77.6	137.8	50510.1
Sep.	51768.4	14116.0	13621.4	494.5	286.0	52549.0
Dec.	53913.0	17222.8	15603.1	1619.8	152.2	55684.9
2003						
Mar.	57883.4	16624.0	16957.2	-333.3	390.0	57940.2
Jun.	58651.2	18138.0	19057.6	-919.6	487.3	58219.0
Sep.	59460.9	18898.0	18663.5	234.5	428.6	60124.0
Dec.	61792.4	20283.0	20798.3	-515.4	248.9	61526.0
2004						
Mar.	63327.7	21987.9	21329.5	658.3	507.3	64493.4
Jun.	65212.0	25970.2	25888.1	81.9	628.4	65922.5
Sep.	65454.6	26372.8	26169.6	203.2	823.4	66481.2
Dec.	68433.5	25707.5	23977.3	1730.2	240.0	70403.7
2005						
Jan.	70403.7	20003.3	17760.0	2243.4	57.0	72704.0
Feb.	72704.0	17432.4	17901.7	-469.3	116.0	72350.8
Mar.	72350.8	25518.1	25554.5	-36.4	510.8	72825.2
Apr.	72825.2	26178.1	25613.6	564.5	220.7	73610.4
May	73610.4	22288.6	23211.8	-923.2	86.1	72773.3
Jun.	72773.3	21983.8	21822.1	161.7	155.3	73090.3
Jul.	73090.3	23716.5	22091.2	1625.3	16.3	74731.8
Aug.	74731.8	17195.7	17506.2	-310.5	19.9	74441.3
Sep.	74441.3	22358.2	21199.6	1158.6	407.4	76007.3
Oct.	76007.3	23642.1	22888.3	753.7	234.7	76995.7
Nov.	76995.7	24357.7	24182.2	175.5	8.1	77179.3
Dec.	77179.3	26246.7	24171.8	2075.0	167.9	79422.2
2006						
Jan.	79422.2	26590.6	24858.9	1731.7	58.9	81212.8
Feb.	81212.8	23111.6	23097.6	14.0	21.3	81248.0

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS : DEBITS AND CLEARING BALANCES
(G\$ MILLION)

DEBITS ON CHEQUING ACCOUNTS

CLEARING BALANCES

Table 2.8

Period	Debits
1996	1,043,587
1997	541,088
1998	881,453
1999	1,186,599
2000	1,393,131
2001	1,317,397
2001	
Mar.	112,839
Jun.	107,551
Sep.	106,260
Dec.	107,094
2002	
Mar.	101,192
Jun.	95,028
Sep.	100,823
Dec.	103,269
2003	
Mar.	98,909
Jun.	96,104
Sep.	101,567
Dec.	110,920
2004	
Mar.	109,478
Jun.	109,613
Sep.	111,541
Dec.	159,657
2005	
Jan.	132,979
Feb.	129,758
Mar.	152,684
Apr.	149,594
May	147,094
Jun.	164,857
Jul.	161,863
Aug.	182,877
Sep.	183,630
Oct.	180,019
Nov.	176,181
Dec.	167,641
2006	
Jan.	158,740
Feb.	156,299

Table 2.9

Period	Clearings 1)
1996	59,582
1997	65,171
1998	70,059
1999	91,752
2000	107,599
2001	106,865
2001	
Mar.	8,312
Jun.	7,998
Sep.	8,411
Dec.	10,266
2002	
Mar.	8,512
Jun.	7,969
Sep.	8,962
Dec.	10,969
2003	
Mar.	9,707
Jun.	9,179
Sep.	9,447
Dec.	16,312
2004	
Mar.	10,012
Jun.	9,589
Sep.	9,798
Dec.	13,049
2005	
Jan.	11,332
Feb.	9,245
Mar.	11,046
Apr.	10,410
May	11,407
Jun.	11,537
Jul.	9,696
Aug.	11,084
Sep.	11,275
Oct.	10,712
Nov.	11,154
Dec.	12,555
2006	
Jan.	11,232
Feb.	9,003

Sources : Bank of Guyana and Commercial Banks

1) Data reflect normal clearings at the Bank of Guyana. This excludes the returns of normal clearings, high value items and clearings done at the 4 regional clearings house facilities.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: TOTAL LOANS AND ADVANCES
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.10

End of Period	Total Loans Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector					Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Inst.			Non-Residents
			Total Public Sector	General Government			Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private	
				Total	Central Gov't	Other Gov't ¹								
1996	37161.8	36331.3	284.0	29.5	28.5	1.0	254.5	35864.0	29795.5	6068.5	183.3	33.6	149.7	830.5
1997	44540.1	43259.8	220.8	4.5	0.5	4.0	216.2	42920.9	34152.3	8768.6	118.2	9.9	108.2	1280.3
1998	50048.2	49478.1	410.8	0.6	0.6	0.0	410.2	48872.2	38925.4	9946.8	195.1	29.8	165.3	570.1
1999	53885.0	53465.4	730.8	47.9	0.2	47.6	683.0	52166.0	41704.3	10461.7	568.6	-	568.6	419.6
2000	54660.3	53896.9	458.8	39.2	0.0	39.2	419.6	52778.3	43621.7	9156.6	659.7	0.0	659.7	763.4
2001	52432.9	51130.7	852.8	1.2	-	1.2	851.6	49814.2	41052.8	8761.5	463.7	-	463.7	1302.1
2002	50473.6	48922.6	816.8	9.3	2.2	7.1	807.5	47381.8	38308.3	9073.5	723.9	-	723.9	1551.1
2003														
Mar	40471.1	38911.8	726.7	7.3	1.6	5.6	719.5	37493.7	29427.5	8066.2	691.4	0.0	691.4	1559.3
Jun	39453.2	37841.9	672.7	9.2	2.9	6.3	663.6	36427.4	28229.7	8197.7	741.8	-	741.8	1611.3
Sep	39590.8	38151.6	680.4	63.4	1.5	61.9	617.0	36743.4	28365.8	8377.6	727.7	-	727.7	1439.2
Dec	41738.4	40262.2	885.2	63.4	1.2	62.2	821.7	38521.6	29696.1	8825.5	855.5	-	855.5	1476.2
2004														
Mar	39971.4	38502.0	2522.7	16.2	3.4	12.8	2506.5	35186.5	28019.6	7166.9	792.9	-	792.9	1469.4
Jun	39059.3	37456.0	2274.9	73.0	4.3	68.8	2201.9	34472.8	27267.9	7204.9	708.4	-	708.4	1603.2
Sep	39561.9	37834.1	2159.4	62.2	4.0	58.2	2097.2	35150.0	27772.4	7377.5	524.8	-	524.8	1727.8
Dec	38136.7	36579.6	1315.6	50.2	0.1	50.1	1265.4	34774.0	26581.5	8192.5	490.0	-	490.0	1557.2
2005														
Jan	37939.4	36572.7	1371.8	50.8	0.3	50.5	1321.0	34743.8	26327.0	8416.7	457.1	-	457.1	1366.7
Feb	37789.2	36328.2	1427.2	28.2	0.6	27.6	1399.0	34461.8	26043.4	8418.4	439.2	-	439.2	1460.9
Mar	38097.5	36643.3	1727.0	53.3	0.2	53.1	1673.6	34477.5	26045.0	8432.5	438.9	-	438.9	1454.2
Apr	39062.9	37695.2	2247.9	5.0	0.7	4.2	2242.9	34849.8	26264.5	8585.3	597.4	-	597.4	1367.7
May	39844.5	38446.1	2305.3	4.2	0.1	4.1	2301.1	35552.7	26772.5	8780.2	588.1	-	588.1	1398.3
Jun	40157.0	38685.6	2427.3	60.4	0.5	59.9	2366.9	35804.5	27071.9	8732.7	453.8	-	453.8	1471.3
Jul	41001.7	39525.8	2960.9	76.4	0.7	75.8	2884.4	36079.1	27134.6	8944.6	485.8	-	485.8	1475.9
Aug	40737.1	39260.7	3010.3	83.4	0.5	83.0	2926.9	35838.3	26568.4	9269.9	412.0	-	412.0	1476.4
Sep	40739.9	39005.9	2878.8	37.1	0.3	36.8	2841.7	35651.3	26586.4	9065.0	475.7	-	475.7	1734.1
Oct	40906.6	39242.1	2942.1	37.9	0.6	37.3	2904.2	35765.2	26473.5	9291.7	534.8	-	534.8	1664.5
Nov	41414.4	39735.4	2627.0	53.1	0.3	52.8	2573.9	36577.0	26660.2	9916.8	531.4	-	531.4	1679.0
Dec	40337.1	38906.9	1572.1	86.6	5.4	81.2	1485.5	36802.3	26499.3	10303.0	532.5	-	532.5	1430.2
2006														
Jan	41689.8	40232.4	2237.2	7.4	4.8	2.6	2229.8	37516.8	27233.1	10283.8	478.4	-	478.4	1457.4
Feb	41370.8	40011.8	2580.8	5.5	3.7	1.8	2575.3	37025.4	26666.6	10358.7	405.6	-	405.6	1359.0

Source: Commercial Banks

Note: Loans and Advances do not include Real Estate Mortgage Loans.

¹ Other Govt. consists of Local Government and NIS.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: DEMAND LOANS AND ADVANCES
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.11

End of Period	Total Loans Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector					Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Inst.			Non-Residents
			Total Public Sector	General Government			Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private	
				Total	Central Gov't	Other Gov't ¹								
1996	23878.1	23061.8	284.0	29.5	28.5	1.0	254.5	22618.5	18580.2	4038.3	159.4	33.6	125.8	816.3
1997	28700.7	28325.2	219.9	4.1	0.0	4.0	215.8	28043.3	23135.5	4907.8	62.0	9.9	52.0	375.6
1998	32419.5	32132.8	358.0	0.2	0.2	-	357.8	31586.9	26406.6	5180.2	188.0	29.8	158.2	286.7
1999	34959.1	34591.5	640.8	47.9	0.2	47.6	593.0	33929.5	27367.8	6561.7	21.2	-	21.2	367.7
2000	33058.4	32446.6	368.0	39.2	0.0	39.2	328.8	31888.0	26090.7	5797.4	190.6	0.0	190.6	611.8
2001	30014.5	29388.9	699.2	1.2	-	1.2	698.0	28648.1	24141.0	4507.1	41.6	-	41.6	625.7
2002	28382.0	27382.0	673.5	1.1	1.1	0.0	672.3	26450.6	22057.1	4393.5	257.9	-	257.9	1000.1
2003														
Mar	21766.1	20752.5	587.9	0.6	0.6	-	587.3	19919.0	15845.9	4073.1	245.6	0.0	245.6	1013.5
Jun	21692.0	20620.2	488.0	1.9	1.9	-	486.1	19846.9	15517.5	4329.3	285.3	-	285.3	1071.8
Sep	21253.5	20343.2	490.3	50.7	0.4	50.2	439.6	19561.7	15032.3	4529.4	291.2	-	291.2	910.3
Dec	23154.6	22200.8	695.0	50.7	0.1	50.6	644.3	21202.9	16178.3	5024.6	302.9	-	302.9	953.8
2004														
Mar	22670.7	21718.6	2329.6	0.6	0.2	0.4	2329.0	19126.2	14342.5	4783.7	262.8	-	262.8	952.1
Jun	19885.5	18790.8	2073.5	49.1	0.1	48.9	2024.4	16583.3	13732.3	2851.0	134.0	-	134.0	1094.7
Sep	20175.2	18923.8	1958.7	39.0	0.1	38.9	1919.8	16899.0	14004.4	2894.5	66.0	-	66.0	1251.5
Dec	19732.7	18516.8	1138.2	50.2	0.1	50.1	1088.0	17210.7	14451.6	2759.2	167.9	-	167.9	1215.9
2005														
Jan	19151.1	18123.2	1194.4	50.8	0.3	50.5	1143.6	16789.8	14253.9	2535.9	139.1	-	139.1	1027.8
Feb	19108.5	17983.5	1249.7	28.2	0.6	27.6	1221.6	16577.4	14061.1	2516.3	156.4	-	156.4	1124.9
Mar	19314.8	18194.2	1549.5	53.3	0.2	53.1	1496.2	16481.4	13887.9	2593.5	163.3	-	163.3	1120.6
Apr	20038.1	18997.1	2070.5	5.0	0.7	4.2	2065.5	16600.0	13888.4	2711.5	326.7	-	326.7	1041.0
May	20119.0	19036.1	1847.9	4.2	0.1	4.1	1843.7	16868.0	14289.2	2578.8	320.2	-	320.2	1082.9
Jun	20361.2	19192.3	1970.4	60.4	0.5	59.9	1909.9	17010.2	14481.7	2528.5	211.7	-	211.7	1168.9
Jul	21137.6	19952.8	2503.9	76.4	0.7	75.8	2427.5	17201.8	14717.7	2484.1	247.0	-	247.0	1184.9
Aug	20862.3	19671.9	2553.4	83.4	0.5	83.0	2470.0	16912.7	14281.7	2630.9	205.8	-	205.8	1190.5
Sep	21101.1	19623.1	2421.9	37.1	0.3	36.8	2384.8	16981.1	14463.2	2517.8	220.2	-	220.2	1478.0
Oct	21491.4	20071.1	2485.2	37.9	0.6	37.3	2447.3	17303.9	14591.0	2712.9	282.0	-	282.0	1420.3
Nov	21583.1	20138.0	2170.0	53.1	0.3	52.8	2117.0	17686.1	14965.8	2720.3	281.9	-	281.9	1445.1
Dec	20618.2	19411.9	1395.2	86.6	5.4	81.2	1308.6	17731.0	14991.3	2739.7	285.7	-	285.7	1206.3
2006														
Jan	21705.2	20468.9	2060.3	7.4	4.8	2.6	2052.8	18148.6	15412.6	2736.0	260.0	-	260.0	1236.3
Feb	21575.8	20435.8	2403.9	5.5	3.7	1.8	2398.4	17787.5	15088.9	2698.5	244.5	-	244.5	1140.0

Source: Commercial Banks

¹ Other Govt. consists of Local Government and NIS.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: TERM LOANS AND ADVANCES¹
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.12

End of Period	Total Loans Residents & Non-Residents	Total Residents	Public Sector					Private Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Inst.			Non-Residents
			Total Public Sector	General Government			Public Non-Fin. Enterprises	Total	Business Enterprises	Individual Customers	Total	Public	Private	
				Total	Central Gov't	Other Gov't								
1996	13283.6	13269.4	-	-	-	-	-	13245.5	11215.3	2030.2	23.9	-	23.9	14.2
1997	15839.3	14934.6	0.9	0.5	0.5	-	0.4	14877.6	11016.8	3860.8	56.2	-	56.2	904.7
1998	17628.7	17345.3	52.9	0.4	0.4	-	52.5	17285.3	12518.7	4766.6	7.1	-	7.1	283.4
1999	18925.9	18874.0	90.0	-	-	-	90.0	18236.5	14336.5	3900.0	547.4	-	547.4	51.9
2000	21601.9	21450.3	90.8	-	-	-	90.8	20890.3	17531.1	3359.2	469.2	-	469.2	151.7
2001	22418.3	21741.8	153.6	-	-	-	153.6	21166.2	16911.8	4254.4	422.0	-	422.0	676.5
2002	22091.6	21540.6	143.4	8.2	1.1	7.1	135.1	20931.2	16251.2	4680.0	466.0	-	466.0	551.0
2003														
Mar	18705.0	18159.2	138.8	6.7	1.0	5.6	132.2	17574.6	13581.6	3993.1	445.8	-	445.8	545.8
Jun	17761.2	17221.7	184.7	7.3	1.0	6.3	177.4	16580.5	12712.2	3868.3	456.5	-	456.5	539.5
Sep	18337.3	17808.4	190.2	12.7	1.1	11.6	177.4	17181.7	13333.5	3848.2	436.5	-	436.5	528.9
Dec	18583.8	18061.4	190.2	12.7	1.1	11.6	177.4	17318.7	13517.8	3800.9	552.6	-	552.6	522.4
2004														
Mar	17,300.7	16,783.4	193.1	15.6	3.2	12.4	177.4	16,060.3	13,677.1	2,383.2	530.1	-	530.1	517.3
Jun	19,173.8	18,665.2	201.4	24.0	4.1	19.8	177.4	17,889.5	13,535.6	4,353.9	574.3	-	574.3	508.5
Sep	19,386.7	18,910.4	200.7	23.2	3.9	19.3	177.4	18,251.0	13,768.0	4,483.0	458.7	-	458.7	476.3
Dec	18,404.0	18,062.8	177.4	-	-	-	177.4	17,563.2	12,129.9	5,433.3	322.1	-	322.1	341.2
2005														
Jan	18,788.3	18,449.5	177.4	-	-	-	177.4	17,954.0	12,073.1	5,880.9	318.0	-	318.0	338.9
Feb	18,680.7	18,344.7	177.4	-	-	-	177.4	17,884.5	11,982.3	5,902.1	282.8	-	282.8	336.0
Mar	18,782.7	18,449.1	177.4	-	-	-	177.4	17,996.1	12,157.1	5,839.0	275.6	-	275.6	333.6
Apr	19,024.7	18,698.1	177.4	-	-	-	177.4	18,249.9	12,376.1	5,873.8	270.7	-	270.7	326.7
May	19,725.5	19,410.1	457.4	-	-	-	457.4	18,684.7	12,483.3	6,201.4	267.9	-	267.9	315.4
Jun	19,795.8	19,493.3	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,794.3	12,590.1	6,204.2	242.0	-	242.0	302.5
Jul	19,864.0	19,573.0	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,877.3	12,416.8	6,460.5	238.8	-	238.8	291.0
Aug	19,874.7	19,588.8	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,925.6	12,286.7	6,639.0	206.3	-	206.3	285.9
Sep	19,638.8	19,382.7	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,670.3	12,123.1	6,547.1	255.5	-	255.5	256.1
Oct	19,415.2	19,171.1	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,461.3	11,882.5	6,578.9	252.8	-	252.8	244.2
Nov	19,831.3	19,597.4	456.9	-	-	-	456.9	18,890.9	11,694.3	7,196.6	249.5	-	249.5	233.9
Dec	19,718.9	19,495.0	176.9	-	-	-	176.9	19,071.3	11,508.0	7,563.3	246.8	-	246.8	223.9
2006														
Jan	19,984.6	19,763.5	176.9	-	-	-	176.9	19,368.2	11,820.5	7,547.8	218.3	-	218.3	221.2
Feb	19,795.0	19,576.0	176.9	-	-	-	176.9	19,237.9	11,577.7	7,660.2	161.1	-	161.1	219.0

Source: Commercial Banks

¹ Term Loans and Advances do not include Real Estate Mortgage Loans.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: LOANS & ADVANCES TO RESIDENTS BY SECTOR
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.13(a)

	1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Dec.		Dec.		Dec.		Dec.		Dec.	
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	47.9		39.2		1.2	-	9.3	-	63.4	-
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	0.0	568.6	0.0	659.7	0.0	463.7	0.0	723.9	0.0	855.4
Pub. Finan. Instits.	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-
Co-op Finan. Instits.	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
Insurance Companies	-	485.8	-	557.0	-	385.6	-	655.6	-	769.6
Building Societies	-	1.3	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0
Credit Unions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brokers and Money Lenders	-	6.2	-	3.0	-	8.6	-	9.2	-	13.0
Trust & Investment Companies	-	75.3	-	99.8	-	69.5	-	59.2	-	72.8
Pension Funds	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	-	-	-
BUSINESS ENTERPRISES	683.0	41704.3	419.6	43621.7	851.6	41052.8	807.5	38308.3	821.7	29696.1
<i>Agriculture</i>	81.6	8061.4	2.3	8674.8	7.3	8133.5	127.6	6759.5	102.3	3468.8
Sugarcane	70.3	62.7	2.3	43.3	0.0	122.2	107.8	114.0	102.3	120.3
Paddy	10.3	5418.9	0.0	5732.1	6.3	5370.5	4.7	4008.2	0.0	1813.3
Other Farming	0.0	332.4	0.0	372.5	0.0	179.0	0.0	139.7	0.0	93.4
Livestock	0.0	882.7	0.0	887.0	0.0	573.7	0.0	647.4	0.0	419.2
Forestry	0.9	711.3	0.0	684.9	1.0	935.3	15.1	639.8	0.0	72.0
Shrimp & Other Fishing	0.0	653.4	0.0	955.0	0.0	952.7	0.0	1210.4	0.0	950.6
<i>Mining & Quarrying</i>	208.7	1017.6	229.5	803.1	660.4	702.6	486.9	680.7	320.9	697.5
Bauxite	208.7	2.5	229.5	0.0	660.4	0.0	486.9	0.5	320.9	0.0
Other	0.0	1015.2	0.0	803.1	0.0	702.6	0.0	680.2	0.0	697.5
<i>Manufacturing</i>	199.2	15817.1	182.7	16104.0	179.2	15079.7	190.0	13716.3	384.6	10078.2
Timber and Sawmilling	0.0	2284.7	0.0	2715.0	0.0	2093.4	0.0	1478.3	0.0	1212.8
Other Construction and Engin.	0.0	2726.0	0.0	2458.7	0.0	2463.0	0.0	2171.9	0.0	2184.9
Sugar Molasses	0.0	140.9	0.0	535.2	0.0	997.8	0.0	550.5	0.0	504.8
Rice Milling	156.5	6098.1	149.9	5884.0	162.7	5145.3	174.4	6199.6	177.4	3557.5
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	0.0	1239.4	0.0	1048.9	0.0	753.1	0.0	505.0	0.0	536.7
Textiles & Clothing	42.6	122.9	32.8	87.8	16.5	69.5	15.6	66.3	0.0	54.7
Electricity	0.0	2.1	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0
Other Manufacturing	0.0	3202.9	0.0	3373.1	0.0	3557.4	0.0	2744.5	207.1	2026.9
<i>Services</i>	193.5	16808.2	5.1	18039.8	4.6	17136.9	3.0	17151.8	14.0	15451.5
Drainage & Irrigation	0.0	172.9	0.0	75.4	0.0	61.3	0.0	43.5	0.0	28.0
Transportation	52.9	954.1	0.0	1297.3	0.0	1364.9	0.0	1012.8	0.0	956.5
Telecommunications	-	1.7	0.0	35.7	0.0	16.1	0.0	4.8	14.0	85.9
Entertaining & Catering	-	1430.9	0.0	1681.1	0.0	1651.2	0.0	1652.8	0.0	1794.7
Distribution	140.6	10144.7	0.0	10727.7	0.0	10091.9	0.0	9938.4	0.0	9245.5
Education	-	81.4	0.0	78.6	0.0	102.0	0.0	379.1	0.0	252.3
Health	-	135.8	0.0	142.0	0.0	156.9	0.0	107.0	0.0	138.3
Professional Services	-	773.9	0.0	799.2	0.0	775.6	0.0	637.8	0.0	561.7
Other Services	-	3112.9	5.1	3202.8	4.6	2917.1	3.0	3375.5	0.0	2388.6
HOUSEHOLDS	0.0	10461.7	0.0	9156.6	0.0	8761.5	0.0	9073.5	0.0	8825.5
Housing	-	3333.9	-	4147.7	-	3177.6	-	3850.7	-	3648.3
Motor Cars	-	961.6	-	968.3	-	1386.7	-	1417.8	-	1786.7
Other Durable Goods	-	320.1	-	118.6	-	479.7	-	656.7	-	688.0
Education	-	86.4	-	93.4	-	96.9	-	99.4	-	125.6
Travel	-	42.6	-	15.7	-	10.6	-	11.9	-	15.8
Other Purpose	-	5717.1	-	3812.9	-	3610.0	-	3037.1	-	2561.0
TOTAL	730.8	53159.5	458.8	53438.0	852.8	50277.9	816.8	48105.7	885.2	39377.0

Source: Commercial Banks

**COMMERCIAL BANKS: LOANS & ADVANCES
TO RESIDENTS BY SECTOR
(G\$ Million)**

Table 2-13(b)

	2004							
	Mar.		Jun.		Sep.		Dec.	
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	16.2	-	73.0	-	62.2	-	50.2	-
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	0.0	792.9	0.0	708.4	0.0	524.8	0.0	490.0
Pub. Finan. Instits.	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0	-
Co-op Finan. Instits.	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	0.0
Insurance Companies	-	779.6	-	697.7	-	515.1	-	474.2
Building Societies	-	0.0	-	1.2	-	0.0	-	0.0
Credit Unions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brokers and Money Lenders	-	13.3	-	9.5	-	9.7	-	15.7
Trust & Investment Companies	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.2
Pension Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BUSINESS ENTERPRISES	2506.5	28019.6	2201.9	27267.9	2097.2	27772.4	1265.4	26581.5
<i>Agriculture</i>	75.7	3626.0	0.9	3487.9	0.0	3220.3	0.0	3244.6
Sugarcane	75.7	119.1	0.9	118.4	0.0	170.7	0.0	28.3
Paddy	0.0	1842.9	0.0	1693.3	0.0	1651.9	0.0	1653.8
Other Farming	0.0	116.8	0.0	112.3	0.0	115.2	0.0	117.0
Livestock	0.0	390.1	0.0	386.5	0.0	242.3	0.0	372.4
Forestry	0.0	14.2	0.0	28.3	0.0	33.4	0.0	29.7
Shrimp & Other Fishing	0.0	1142.9	0.0	1149.1	0.0	1006.9	0.0	1043.4
<i>Mining & Quarrying</i>	321.3	643.1	140.2	647.8	293.3	668.8	60.3	409.9
Bauxite	321.3	0.0	140.2	0.0	293.3	0.0	60.3	96.0
Other	0.0	643.1	0.0	647.8	0.0	668.8	0.0	314.0
<i>Manufacturing</i>	2091.8	9101.3	2050.7	8972.7	1802.4	9712.3	1201.0	8539.8
Timber and Sawmilling	0.0	938.0	0.0	1005.2	0.0	1061.9	0.0	823.7
Other Constr. and Engin.	0.0	2106.1	0.0	2007.5	0.0	2344.6	0.0	2332.1
Sugar Molasses	586.1	468.7	573.5	469.2	356.8	672.2	0.0	3.5
Rice Milling	177.4	3306.3	177.4	3267.5	177.4	3131.0	177.4	2482.8
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	0.0	459.2	0.0	558.1	0.0	563.0	0.0	540.9
Textiles & Clothing	0.0	55.1	0.0	54.5	0.0	51.6	0.0	65.9
Electricity	1107.3	0.0	1079.4	0.0	1051.5	0.0	1023.6	4.9
Other Manufacturing	221.0	1767.8	220.4	1610.8	216.7	1888.1	0.0	2286.0
<i>Services</i>	17.7	14649.3	10.0	14159.5	1.5	14171.0	4.1	14387.2
Drainage & Irrigation	0.0	25.9	0.0	24.0	0.0	27.7	0.0	25.8
Transportation	0.0	1066.1	0.0	1263.6	0.0	1217.9	0.0	1143.7
Telecommunications	17.7	117.8	10.0	31.3	1.5	13.8	0.0	25.8
Entertaining & Catering	0.0	1751.0	0.0	1641.7	0.0	1956.4	0.0	1368.5
Distribution	0.0	8556.5	0.0	8128.4	0.0	8332.4	0.0	8988.3
Education	0.0	243.5	0.0	235.2	0.0	225.4	0.0	216.7
Health	0.0	132.0	0.0	144.5	0.0	147.6	0.0	148.6
Professional Services	0.0	509.4	0.0	570.1	0.0	594.8	0.0	518.1
Other Services	0.0	2247.2	0.0	2120.7	0.0	1655.0	4.1	1951.6
HOUSEHOLDS	0.0	7166.9	0.0	7204.9	0.0	7377.5	0.0	8192.5
Housing	-	2504.6	-	2471.4	-	2465.6	-	2622.1
Motor Cars	-	1488.6	-	1780.7	-	2030.3	-	2156.3
Other Durable Goods	-	684.0	-	666.9	-	539.1	-	310.1
Education	-	123.9	-	116.9	-	140.2	-	169.0
Travel	-	14.3	-	14.0	-	18.4	-	33.5
Other Purposes	-	2351.4	-	2155.1	-	2184.0	-	2901.4
TOTAL	2522.7	35979.3	2274.9	35181.1	2159.4	35674.8	1315.6	35264.0

Source: Commercial Banks

**COMMERCIAL BANKS: LOANS & ADVANCES
TO RESIDENTS BY SECTOR**
(G\$ Million)

Table 2-13(c)

	2005											
	Jan.		Feb.		Mar.		Apr.		May		Jun.	
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	50.8	-	28.2	-	53.3	-	5.0	-	4.2	-	60.4	-
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	0.0	457.1	0.0	439.2	0.0	438.9	0.0	597.4	0.0	588.1	0.0	453.8
Pub. Finan. Instits.	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-
Co-op Finan. Instits.	-	0.0	-	220.4	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0
Insurance Companies	-	435.0	-	199.3	-	417.2	-	584.3	-	566.4	-	429.3
Building Societies	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0
Credit Unions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brokers and Money Lenders	-	12.0	-	12.9	-	14.3	-	12.8	-	13.5	-	21.3
Trust & Investment Companies	-	10.1	-	6.5	-	7.4	-	0.3	-	8.2	-	3.2
Pension Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BUSINESS ENTERPRISES	1321.0	26324.7	1399.0	26041.1	1673.6	26045.0	2242.9	26264.5	2301.1	26772.5	2366.9	27071.9
Agriculture	28.8	3237.0	5.0	3374.9	258.2	3387.0	272.1	3642.4	380.0	3617.3	398.0	3552.6
Sugarcane	28.8	29.9	5.0	73.6	258.2	71.6	272.1	115.2	380.0	109.0	398.0	111.3
Paddy	0.0	1661.2	0.0	1676.9	0.0	1647.6	0.0	1583.0	0.0	1555.3	0.0	1490.2
Other Farming	0.0	114.8	0.0	115.3	0.0	118.0	0.0	119.8	0.0	119.5	0.0	115.8
Livestock	0.0	354.2	0.0	310.9	0.0	328.3	0.0	408.0	0.0	391.4	0.0	391.6
Forestry	0.0	32.6	0.0	33.1	0.0	34.9	0.0	36.4	0.0	36.2	0.0	73.9
Shrimp & Other Fishing	0.0	1044.3	0.0	1165.2	0.0	1186.7	0.0	1380.0	0.0	1405.9	0.0	1369.9
Mining & Quarrying	100.5	347.7	211.3	336.4	241.2	440.0	241.2	379.3	241.2	478.5	241.2	349.3
Bauxite	100.5	96.8	211.3	97.5	241.2	98.4	241.2	99.2	241.2	111.2	241.2	99.8
Other	0.0	250.9	0.0	238.9	0.0	341.6	0.0	280.1	0.0	367.3	0.0	249.4
Manufacturing	1191.7	8500.8	1182.4	8529.2	1173.1	7969.0	1725.0	8232.5	1665.5	8447.9	1714.8	8543.7
Timber and Sawmilling	0.0	782.3	0.0	770.7	0.0	775.0	0.0	793.3	0.0	788.8	0.0	901.4
Other Constr. and Engin.	0.0	2286.4	0.0	2321.0	0.0	2266.1	0.0	2196.1	0.0	2499.6	0.0	2508.0
Sugar Molasses	0.0	1.4	0.0	2.9	0.0	2.7	551.9	187.4	511.0	162.1	570.2	440.6
Rice Milling	177.4	2386.9	177.4	2336.8	177.4	1918.8	177.4	1949.5	177.4	2028.6	176.9	1873.7
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	0.0	671.3	0.0	691.6	0.0	797.5	0.0	818.8	0.0	753.9	0.0	851.9
Textiles & Clothing	0.0	60.4	0.0	60.1	0.0	59.4	0.0	58.1	0.0	57.0	0.0	55.0
Electricity	1014.2	4.8	1004.9	10.0	995.6	9.8	995.6	9.9	977.0	4.4	967.7	11.2
Other Manufacturing	0.0	2307.3	0.0	2336.1	0.0	2139.7	0.0	2219.2	0.0	2153.6	0.0	1901.9
Services	0.0	14239.3	0.3	13800.6	1.2	14249.0	4.7	14010.4	14.5	14228.7	12.9	14626.3
Drainage & Irrigation	0.0	22.8	0.0	22.7	0.0	38.3	0.0	45.1	0.0	40.2	0.0	25.5
Transportation	0.0	1170.2	0.0	1157.8	0.0	1346.6	0.0	1082.7	0.0	1135.4	0.0	1214.4
Telecommunications	0.0	43.4	0.0	27.3	1.2	19.8	4.7	41.4	14.5	27.5	12.9	31.1
Entertaining & Catering	0.0	1369.6	0.0	1293.1	0.0	1792.2	0.0	1498.6	0.0	1494.2	0.0	1294.9
Distribution	0.0	8921.4	0.3	8678.3	0.0	8494.5	0.0	8836.6	0.0	8987.6	0.0	9565.1
Education	0.0	217.1	0.0	219.9	0.0	203.8	0.0	181.2	0.0	186.0	0.0	188.5
Health	0.0	121.0	0.0	128.5	0.0	147.6	0.0	153.5	0.0	134.0	0.0	123.5
Professional Services	0.0	441.1	0.0	442.9	0.0	423.4	0.0	403.8	0.0	418.3	0.0	415.1
Other Services	0.0	1932.6	0.0	1830.1	0.0	1782.8	0.0	1767.4	0.0	1805.6	0.0	1768.2
HOUSEHOLDS	0.0	8416.7	0.0	8418.4	0.0	8432.5	0.0	8585.3	0.0	8780.2	0.0	8732.7
Housing	-	2957.7	-	3081.6	-	3076.6	-	3080.3	-	3122.2	-	2886.4
Motor Cars	-	1974.6	-	2075.9	-	2142.6	-	2110.2	-	2081.1	-	2226.8
Other Durable Goods	-	295.7	-	317.6	-	321.5	-	325.2	-	312.5	-	358.2
Education	-	152.3	-	152.0	-	154.6	-	155.3	-	155.3	-	174.3
Travel	-	33.2	-	33.1	-	32.1	-	30.8	-	32.8	-	40.4
Other Purposes	-	3003.2	-	2758.3	-	2705.0	-	2883.5	-	3076.3	-	3046.5
TOTAL	1371.8	35198.6	1427.2	34898.7	1727.0	34916.3	2247.9	35447.3	2305.3	36140.8	2427.3	36258.3

Source: Commercial Banks

**COMMERCIAL BANKS: LOANS & ADVANCES
TO RESIDENTS BY SECTOR**
(G\$ Million)

Table 2-13(d)

	2005											
	Jul.		Aug.		Sep.		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.	
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	76.4	-	83.4	-	37.1	-	37.9	-	53.1	-	86.6	-
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	0.0	485.8	0.0	412.0	0.0	475.7	0.0	534.8	0.0	531.4	0.0	532.5
Pub. Finan. Instits.	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-
Co-op Finan. Instits.	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.2
Insurance Companies	-	463.6	-	387.8	-	458.7	-	525.1	-	510.3	-	514.4
Building Societies	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0	-	0.0
Credit Unions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brokers and Money Lenders	-	16.3	-	14.6	-	9.6	-	7.0	-	14.0	-	17.9
Trust & Investment Companies	-	5.9	-	9.7	-	7.4	-	2.8	-	7.1	-	0.0
Pension Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BUSINESS ENTERPRISES	2884.4	27134.6	2926.9	26568.4	2841.7	26586.4	2904.2	26473.5	2573.9	26660.2	1485.5	26499.3
Agriculture	722.7	3580.7	770.1	3589.3	694.0	3555.3	750.8	3537.7	379.7	3615.0	146.2	3637.7
Sugarcane	722.7	104.1	770.1	108.6	694.0	99.4	750.8	101.9	379.7	86.3	146.2	75.5
Paddy	0.0	1478.3	0.0	1494.4	0.0	1453.0	0.0	1408.5	0.0	1383.9	0.0	1411.0
Other Farming	0.0	109.4	0.0	108.5	0.0	111.8	0.0	116.2	0.0	132.7	0.0	111.5
Livestock	0.0	405.8	0.0	451.2	0.0	441.0	0.0	442.3	0.0	444.5	0.0	422.9
Forestry	0.0	63.4	0.0	71.3	0.0	71.8	0.0	69.9	0.0	81.5	0.0	76.3
Shrimp & Other Fishing	0.0	1419.7	0.0	1355.4	0.0	1378.4	0.0	1399.0	0.0	1486.1	0.0	1540.5
Mining & Quarrying	241.2	427.2	241.2	402.6	241.2	357.3	241.2	412.7	301.5	343.2	241.2	346.0
Bauxite	241.2	99.7	241.2	100.5	241.2	99.3	241.2	99.2	301.5	99.0	241.2	99.9
Other	0.0	327.5	0.0	302.0	0.0	258.0	0.0	313.5	0.0	244.2	0.0	246.2
Manufacturing	1907.7	8561.0	1912.4	8095.2	1905.4	8112.0	1910.8	8360.1	1891.3	8297.6	1098.1	8150.0
Timber and Sawmilling	0.0	869.8	0.0	845.4	0.0	888.6	0.0	906.8	0.0	918.1	0.0	975.5
Other Constr. and Engin.	0.0	2562.6	0.0	2177.2	0.0	2185.9	0.0	2376.1	0.0	2511.4	0.0	2366.6
Sugar Molasses	763.0	418.8	786.4	419.8	788.7	415.5	803.3	391.7	793.2	97.4	0.0	87.9
Rice Milling	176.9	1764.2	176.9	1741.1	176.9	1771.6	176.9	1830.5	176.9	1777.5	176.9	1745.0
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	0.0	931.9	0.0	857.7	0.0	898.8	0.0	934.6	0.0	1068.6	0.0	895.4
Textiles & Clothing	0.0	54.4	0.0	51.4	0.0	52.5	0.0	53.2	0.0	48.5	0.0	49.8
Electricity	967.7	11.0	949.1	11.1	939.8	10.9	930.5	10.8	921.2	10.8	921.2	3.5
Other Manufacturing	0.0	1948.3	0.0	1991.4	0.0	1888.2	0.0	1856.3	0.0	1865.4	0.0	2026.4
Services	12.8	14565.7	3.1	14481.4	1.1	14561.7	1.4	14163.0	1.4	14404.4	0.0	14365.5
Drainage & Irrigation	0.0	24.8	0.0	24.9	0.0	33.2	0.0	28.5	0.0	38.0	0.0	38.3
Transportation	0.0	1152.6	0.0	1121.8	0.0	1203.8	0.0	1070.5	0.0	1227.3	0.0	1054.6
Telecommunications	12.8	30.8	3.1	25.6	1.1	17.7	1.4	19.9	0.0	22.4	0.0	23.7
Entertaining & Catering	0.0	1332.4	0.0	1382.3	0.0	1447.7	0.0	1364.8	0.0	1450.5	0.0	1400.1
Distribution	0.0	9476.5	0.0	9306.5	0.0	9054.1	0.0	8991.2	0.0	8894.2	0.0	9072.9
Education	0.0	168.0	0.0	174.8	0.0	167.6	0.0	156.5	0.0	140.3	0.0	142.1
Health	0.0	129.4	0.0	135.8	0.0	156.2	0.0	169.6	0.0	154.7	0.0	171.2
Professional Services	0.0	414.5	0.0	391.6	0.0	408.5	0.0	404.1	0.0	397.1	0.0	436.5
Other Services	0.0	1836.8	0.0	1918.2	0.0	2073.1	0.0	1957.9	1.4	2080.1	0.0	2026.0
HOUSEHOLDS	0.0	8944.6	0.0	9269.9	0.0	9065.0	0.0	9291.7	0.0	9916.8	0.0	10303.0
Housing	-	2943.9	-	3223.1	-	3190.3	-	2987.7	-	3210.5	-	3008.5
Motor Cars	-	2384.0	-	2456.9	-	2554.6	-	2601.0	-	2652.1	-	2721.9
Other Durable Goods	-	346.3	-	342.5	-	385.8	-	385.1	-	450.1	-	532.1
Education	-	170.3	-	184.9	-	205.6	-	212.7	-	215.5	-	217.4
Travel	-	46.0	-	48.0	-	53.5	-	54.3	-	54.1	-	55.3
Other Purposes	-	3053.9	-	3014.5	-	2675.2	-	3050.9	-	3334.5	-	3767.8
TOTAL	2960.8	36564.9	3010.3	36250.4	2878.8	36127.1	2942.1	36300.1	2627.0	37108.4	1572.1	37334.8

Source: Commercial Banks

**COMMERCIAL BANKS: LOANS & ADVANCES
TO RESIDENTS BY SECTOR
(G\$ Million)**

Table 2-13(e)

	2006			
	Jan.		Feb.	
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	7.4	-	5.5	-
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	0.0	478.4	0.0	405.6
Pub. Finan. Instits.	0.0	-	0.0	-
Co-op Finan. Instits.	-	0.0	-	0.0
Insurance Companies	-	463.6	-	391.7
Building Societies	-	0.0	-	0.0
Credit Unions	-	-	-	-
Brokers and Money Lenders	-	13.7	-	13.1
Trust & Investment Companies	-	1.1	-	0.8
Pension Funds	-	-	-	-
BUSINESS ENTERPRISES	2229.8	27233.1	2575.3	26666.6
Agriculture	239.3	3723.3	281.8	3606.7
Sugarcane	239.3	72.1	281.8	71.8
Paddy	0.0	1509.3	0.0	1369.2
Other Farming	0.0	114.9	0.0	114.1
Livestock	0.0	439.8	0.0	499.4
Forestry	0.0	72.9	0.0	82.6
Shrimp & Other Fishing	0.0	1514.3	0.0	1469.7
Mining & Quarrying	241.5	483.6	241.2	421.7
Bauxite	241.2	99.7	241.2	80.4
Other	0.3	383.9	0.0	341.3
Manufacturing	1748.5	8956.9	2047.5	8423.5
Timber and Sawmilling	0.0	950.2	0.0	931.2
Other Constr. and Engin.	0.0	2636.7	0.0	2256.0
Sugar Molasses	669.0	164.9	977.3	133.8
Rice Milling	176.9	1692.5	176.9	1688.8
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	0.0	1037.6	0.0	986.0
Textiles & Clothing	0.0	48.3	0.0	48.2
Electricity	902.6	3.4	893.3	3.2
Other Manufacturing	0.0	2423.3	0.0	2376.3
Services	0.4	14069.2	4.8	14214.7
Drainage & Irrigation	0.0	38.0	0.0	37.9
Transportation	0.0	1253.2	0.0	1170.6
Telecommunications	0.0	25.0	0.0	38.3
Entertaining & Catering	0.0	1367.9	0.0	1341.9
Distribution	0.0	8592.8	0.0	8836.1
Education	0.0	142.5	0.0	136.5
Health	0.0	156.3	0.0	148.9
Professional Services	0.0	390.7	0.0	387.0
Other Services	0.4	2102.7	4.8	2117.5
HOUSEHOLDS	0.0	10283.8	0.0	10358.7
Housing	-	3024.6	-	2825.7
Motor Cars	-	2746.8	-	2690.2
Other Durable Goods	-	514.8	-	530.6
Education	-	215.0	-	211.2
Travel	-	47.9	-	45.3
Other Purposes	-	3734.6	-	4055.8
TOTAL	2237.2	37995.2	2580.8	37431.0

Source: Commercial Banks

COMMERCIAL BANKS: LIQUID ASSETS
(G\$ Million)

Table 2.14

End Of Period	Total Liquid Assets	Cash In Bank	Excess Reserve	Bals Due From H/Q Own Branch Abroad	Net Bals Due From Com Banks In Guy.	Bals Due From Other Banks Abroad	Treasury Bills	Req. Liquid Assets	Surplus (+) Deficit (-)
1996	17221.5	1425.3	261.2	675.5	754.8	2348.1	11756.5	13193.0	4028.4
1997	22221.1	1341.7	2806.9	92.5	1080.6	2152.5	14746.9	15012.0	7209.1
1998	21062.0	1319.0	3412.6	102.7	486.5	2590.8	13150.4	15620.5	5441.5
1999	20909.7	2312.7	1133.0	891.1	1058.9	4068.6	11445.5	16155.2	4754.5
2000	31611.2	1897.4	3370.3	1061.2	882.3	3491.9	20908.1	19158.1	12453.2
2001									
Mar.	30586.5	1232.7	1645.2	1020.9	795.8	3540.9	22351.0	19102.7	11483.8
Jun.	30664.7	1101.6	3176.6	1500.8	984.5	3684.0	20217.3	19199.6	11465.1
Sep.	31633.3	1130.3	3865.9	1609.9	892.2	3446.3	20688.8	19310.4	12322.9
Dec.	33533.8	1791.0	4996.7	1239.4	626.9	3454.1	21425.8	20153.5	13380.3
2002									
Mar.	34238.9	1334.2	6117.1	1320.4	1193.8	4073.9	20199.4	20441.2	13797.7
Jun.	38121.3	1214.5	8352.0	1398.0	951.1	4571.3	21634.3	20640.4	17480.9
Sep.	37543.3	1328.2	4763.3	298.5	564.6	3665.5	26923.1	21730.7	15812.6
Dec.	37300.1	1866.0	6006.1	395.6	899.3	2540.7	25592.3	22330.0	14970.0
2003									
Mar.	35717.9	1455.3	2091.0	793.4	632.6	3251.6	27493.9	22419.6	13298.3
Jun.	37150.5	1335.2	4565.5	318.5	920.8	3362.1	26648.5	22809.0	14341.6
Sep.	38635.3	1479.3	2941.7	205.2	579.7	3731.7	29697.6	23356.8	15278.4
Dec.	39992.5	2022.9	6066.7	478.5	773.9	5436.2	25214.1	23510.0	16482.5
2004									
Mar.	42237.5	1756.4	4058.3	466.2	558.1	4664.1	30734.3	24461.4	17776.0
Jun.	42866.0	1572.6	1769.2	644.7	609.4	5400.2	32870.0	24465.0	18401.0
Sep.	41284.9	1915.2	3040.9	636.3	384.6	5400.8	29907.1	24664.3	16620.7
Dec.	48954.7	2455.9	6956.2	589.1	883.8	6954.3	31115.4	26330.9	22623.8
2005									
Jan.	51775.7	2407.4	6977.9	1191.1	1051.9	6567.2	33580.1	27127.5	24609.2
Feb.	52794.8	2089.6	5670.7	1364.0	875.5	7099.7	35695.4	27346.7	25410.1
Mar.	51888.1	2252.2	4985.6	1206.2	881.6	6549.7	36012.9	27797.8	24052.3
Apr.	52092.5	1976.2	3798.3	2049.4	1279.9	8465.5	34523.1	28105.2	23931.0
May	52516.5	2065.5	5469.1	2761.7	1278.2	8507.1	32434.9	28297.1	24174.5
Jun.	49861.0	2208.1	3042.8	2644.0	488.0	8114.8	33363.4	28180.8	21634.5
Jul.	48192.5	1911.3	4192.8	3195.7	1071.9	6884.7	30936.1	27892.0	20247.9
Aug.	49618.9	2842.4	4003.2	2531.0	641.5	7491.8	32109.0	28220.9	21398.0
Sep.	48532.5	1968.2	5750.0	2186.2	1254.0	7195.2	30178.9	27997.9	20534.6
Oct.	47509.5	2014.0	3954.0	2359.5	922.6	6825.8	31433.6	28125.6	19383.9
Nov.	48984.6	2361.5	6605.2	2960.3	680.4	6982.6	29394.7	28538.6	20446.0
Dec.	56441.6	2811.1	8199.9	2901.0	1604.5	7524.1	33401.0	29826.1	26615.5
2006									
Jan.	56026.2	2715.2	6723.6	3966.0	722.4	5747.9	36151.2	30419.7	25606.5
Feb.	56503.2	2203.1	6084.7	3353.3	222.9	6876.1	37763.1	30378.3	26124.8

Source: Commercial Banks

- 1) Statutory reserve deposits are included in the calculation of the required liquid assets.
- 2) Treasury Bills figures have been revised from December 2004 to November 2005.

COMMERCIAL BANKS: MINIMUM RESERVE REQUIREMENTS

(G\$ Million)

Table 2.15

End of Period	Day Of Res. Per.(Week)	Required Reserves	Actual Reserves	Surplus (+) Deficit (-)	End of Period	Day Of Res. Per.(Week)	Required Reserves	Actual Reserves	Surplus (+) Deficit (-)
2004									
Mar.	05th	14042.0	17429.9	3388.0	Mar.	04th	15566.9	22214.9	6648.0
	12th	14061.5	16805.2	2743.7		11th	15660.6	20742.4	5081.8
	19th	14021.4	16989.1	2967.7		18th	15634.7	20634.4	4999.8
	26th	14046.1	18104.4	4058.3		25th	15713.9	20699.5	4985.6
Apr.	02nd	14120.9	17794.8	3674.0	Apr.	01st	15753.2	21490.6	5737.3
	09th	14097.3	17543.4	3446.1		08th	15743.0	20168.2	4425.2
	16th	14075.3	17728.9	3653.5		15th	15795.0	18327.4	2532.4
	23rd	14103.3	19428.6	5325.3		22nd	15758.3	20311.4	4553.1
	30th	14241.0	17032.6	2791.6		29th	15999.1	19797.4	3798.3
May	07th	14062.4	16176.3	2113.9	May	06th	16037.3	19125.7	3088.5
	14th	14001.1	16736.4	2735.3		13th	15957.0	18503.5	2546.5
	21st	13966.5	18399.0	4432.5		20th	15895.6	19548.6	3653.0
	28th	14235.5	19258.3	5022.8		27th	16063.6	21532.7	5469.1
Jun.	04th	14234.4	19466.3	5231.9	Jun.	03rd	16113.2	21295.8	5182.5
	11th	14238.3	16337.2	2098.9		10th	16064.8	19339.9	3275.2
	18th	14152.1	14896.3	744.1		17th	16027.3	19072.0	3044.7
	25th	14057.0	15826.1	1769.2		24th	16001.9	19044.7	3042.8
Jul.	02nd	14100.7	16110.1	2009.4	Jul.	01st	15950.9	18554.8	2603.8
	09th	14196.3	16186.6	1990.3		08th	15869.0	18267.7	2398.7
	16th	14062.2	16381.1	2318.9		15th	15740.0	20020.7	4280.7
	23rd	14120.9	16516.6	2395.6		22th	15735.2	19896.7	4161.5
	30th	14098.8	16351.7	2252.9		29th	15826.5	20019.4	4192.8
Aug.	06th	14103.0	17743.9	3640.9	Aug.	05th	15845.4	20790.6	4945.2
	13th	14108.0	17657.8	3549.8		12th	15893.1	21354.2	5461.1
	20th	14115.4	17735.1	3619.8		19th	15927.3	20525.1	4597.8
	27th	14173.3	17808.6	3635.3		26th	15990.6	19993.8	4003.2
Sep.	03rd	14163.5	18442.6	4279.1	Sep.	02nd	15919.0	21332.5	5413.5
	10th	14227.2	17716.2	3488.9		09th	15913.3	20968.4	5055.1
	17th	14184.8	16788.5	2603.7		16th	15938.7	19996.5	4057.8
	24th	14152.9	17193.8	3040.9		23th	15722.7	21385.2	5662.5
Oct.	01st	14166.7	17897.9	3731.2	Oct.	30th	15907.9	21658.0	5750.1
	08th	14325.2	18170.5	3845.3		07th	15952.7	21490.6	5537.9
	15th	14412.4	17316.2	2903.8		14th	16031.0	19792.5	3761.5
	22nd	14357.4	18204.4	3846.9		21st	16013.2	19638.9	3625.7
	29th	14197.1	18065.4	3868.4		28th	15996.6	19950.7	3954.1
Nov.	05th	14482.9	17926.2	3443.3	Nov.	04th	15992.3	20219.2	4226.9
	12th	14526.8	18655.5	4128.7		11th	16108.4	21121.6	5013.2
	19th	14638.8	19079.0	4440.2		18th	16130.2	22844.2	6714.0
	26th	14861.0	20159.8	5298.8		25th	16194.7	22799.9	6605.2
	29th	14197.1	18065.4	3868.4					
Dec.	03rd	14917.5	19356.8	4439.4	Dec.	02nd	16269.5	22127.8	5858.3
	10th	14987.9	18993.4	4005.6		09th	16372.8	24321.4	7948.6
	17th	15085.9	18537.7	3451.8		16th	16686.6	22986.0	6299.4
	24th	14968.0	20208.2	5240.2		23rd	16692.2	23818.3	7126.1
	31st	15038.5	21994.7	6956.2		30th	16909.3	25109.2	8199.9
2005					2006				
Jan.	07th	15244.1	23597.0	8352.9	Jan.	06th	16956.6	25654.1	8697.5
	14th	15384.9	21284.3	5899.3		13th	17114.8	24688.0	7573.2
	21st	15418.9	21970.4	6551.5		20th	17210.9	24335.7	7124.8
	28th	15422.9	22400.7	6977.9		27th	17240.3	23963.8	6723.5
Feb.	04th	15430.3	21884.1	6453.7	Feb.	03rd	17136.5	24645.6	7509.1
	11th	15496.8	22265.3	6768.5		10th	17139.7	26206.1	9066.4
	18th	15543.6	21549.9	6006.2		17th	17225.5	24247.0	7021.5
	25th	15537.8	21208.5	5670.7		24th	17229.1	23313.8	6084.7

Source: Commercial Banks

MONETARY SURVEY
(G\$ MILLION)

Table 3.1

End of Period	Foreign Assets (Net)			Domestic Credit						Money and Quasi-Money					Other (Net)	
	Total	Bank of Guyana	Commercial Banks	Total	Public Sector			Non-Bank Fin. Inst. (Net)	Private Sector	Total	Money			Quasi-Money Savings & Time Dep.		
					Total	Cent'l Gov't (Net)	Public Ent's. (Net)				Other Pub. Sect. (Net)	Total	Currency			Demand Deposits
1996 ¹	-26173.0	-26356.3	183.3	14487.7	-19247.6	-13994.2	-4287.8	-965.5	-2573.6	36308.9	57580.3	16037.2	9959.3	6077.9	41543.1	-69265.6
1997	-6300.9	-4834.6	-1466.3	23926.8	-17277.0	-10974.2	-3618.6	-2684.3	-3659.5	44863.3	64319.2	17388.7	11192.7	6196.0	46930.5	-46693.3
1998	-71.2	1229.8	-1301.0	31947.0	-14187.9	-6340.9	-3600.5	-4246.5	-5703.4	51838.3	68695.6	17820.7	11334.2	6486.4	50874.9	-36819.9
1999	11591.9	8361.0	3230.8	23860.3	-26735.3	-22080.0	-2618.9	-2036.4	-5227.7	55823.3	77007.7	21576.0	13422.2	8153.9	55431.7	-41555.5
2000	23181.5	19835.1	3346.4	25006.4	-25848.3	-20421.0	-1319.7	-4107.6	-7486.2	58341.0	85445.1	24826.6	14495.1	10331.6	60618.5	-37257.1
2001	30136.4	23542.4	6594.0	26052.6	-24212.6	-18287.5	-1041.0	-4884.1	-7544.9	57810.0	93035.5	24807.4	15138.3	9669.1	68228.1	-36846.5
2002	32203.2	24539.4	7663.8	29141.2	-22025.9	-15330.5	-1900.8	-4794.7	-7497.7	58664.8	98147.3	26364.8	15409.7	10955.1	71782.6	-36802.9
2003																
Mar	32796.7	23379.3	9417.3	24432.5	-15712.4	-9741.8	-867.4	-5103.1	-8322.3	48467.2	98182.2	24191.2	14169.3	10021.9	73991.0	-40953.1
Jun	33150.5	23393.0	9757.4	23823.2	-14973.5	-8067.6	-1303.9	-5602.1	-9172.4	47969.2	99662.2	24907.8	14277.7	10630.1	74754.4	-42688.5
Sep	32638.6	21656.7	10981.9	26279.0	-10771.4	-4095.1	-1560.6	-5115.7	-10375.6	47426.0	100269.0	25956.9	14386.9	11569.9	74312.1	-41351.3
Dec	38080.0	25011.4	13068.6	25198.9	-13316.6	-5926.8	-1581.5	-6888.3	-8998.2	48593.7	106259.1	30792.7	17888.2	12904.5	75466.5	-42980.2
2004																
Mar	36436.6	22954.4	13482.1	27751.9	-8206.2	-1293.4	-33.4	-6879.4	-11123.4	47081.5	105806.2	28879.1	15893.2	12985.9	76927.1	-41617.7
Jun	37527.8	23492.0	14035.8	27483.8	-9821.0	-1476.1	-744.2	-7600.7	-9797.1	47101.9	106199.9	29912.0	16067.8	13844.3	76287.9	-41188.3
Sep	39381.4	24104.3	15277.1	27555.5	-10182.1	-2870.9	-250.6	-7060.5	-9995.8	47733.4	108079.2	30819.1	16480.4	14338.6	77260.2	-41142.4
Dec	34001.5	19424.9	14576.6	37388.2	-973.9	9520.6	-2583.2	-7911.3	-10023.9	48386.0	114494.6	34606.3	19545.6	15060.7	79888.2	-43104.9
2005																
Jan	34479.1	20368.8	14110.3	36526.2	-1589.4	9733.1	-3133.1	-8189.4	-10059.6	48175.1	113534.3	33238.7	18296.3	14942.4	80295.6	-42529.1
Feb	38715.8	23946.9	14768.8	38723.4	850.6	10518.5	-2083.4	-7584.4	-10158.9	48031.7	114954.6	33887.0	17970.6	15916.4	81067.5	-37515.4
Mar	36598.2	20873.3	15724.9	35152.0	-1910.9	10596.5	-1824.8	-10682.6	-11316.4	48379.3	115034.8	34059.9	18120.7	15939.2	80974.9	-43284.6
Apr	36464.6	19467.1	16997.5	37960.2	438.2	12258.5	-727.6	-11092.6	-11585.1	49107.0	117986.3	35260.2	18506.6	16753.7	82726.0	-43561.5
May	38751.7	20262.9	18488.9	35423.5	-3110.9	9442.0	-481.2	-12071.7	-11348.6	49883.0	117147.9	35110.2	17885.9	17224.4	82037.7	-42972.7
Jun	39249.3	21146.4	18102.9	32417.6	-6138.0	6116.2	-434.7	-11819.5	-11970.1	50525.7	113958.5	32507.8	17586.7	14921.1	81450.8	-42291.7
Jul	37757.3	19521.4	18235.9	37467.0	-4312.0	6892.8	499.1	-11703.8	-9302.9	51081.8	116569.7	33699.9	18157.1	15542.9	82869.7	-41345.4
Aug	40095.4	20790.6	19304.8	35929.5	-5002.5	7316.9	37.4	-12356.8	-9931.0	50863.0	117145.6	34226.3	17589.0	16637.3	82919.3	-41120.7
Sep	39266.5	20061.6	19204.8	37177.2	-4495.4	6583.4	93.7	-11172.5	-9196.1	50868.7	118535.8	33929.3	18180.5	15748.7	84606.5	-42092.1
Oct	38786.0	19396.5	19389.5	39432.1	-2977.4	7536.7	623.6	-11137.7	-9221.1	51630.7	119865.7	35062.3	18622.6	16439.7	84803.4	-41647.6
Nov	38741.1	19986.9	18754.2	41524.5	-1541.3	9883.2	-377.6	-11046.9	-9185.0	52250.9	120261.5	34938.2	18507.2	16431.0	85323.2	-39995.9
Dec	41850.9	24244.0	17606.9	40111.4	-3323.7	12521.3	-1875.9	-13969.0	-9377.5	52812.6	124011.5	37839.0	21526.7	16312.3	86172.5	-42049.1
2006																
Jan	55443.7	37042.3	18401.4	27804.5	-15482.9	3137.7	-6590.6	-12029.9	-9792.4	53079.8	122474.5	35440.9	19201.0	16239.9	87033.6	-39226.3
Feb	55006.5	36115.8	18890.7	28888.4	-14488.1	4359.7	-6858.6	-11989.1	-9495.4	52871.9	123121.9	35777.4	18767.4	17010.1	87344.5	-39226.9

Source: Bank of Guyana and Commercial Banks.

¹ Net foreign assets reflect Naples terms debt stock reduction in December 1996.

INTERNATIONAL RESERVES AND FOREIGN ASSETS
(US\$ Million)

Table 3.2

End of Period	Bank Of Guyana						Commercial Banks			Banking System		
	International Reserves			Net Foreign Assets			Net Foreign Assets			Net Foreign Assets		
	Net	Assets	Liabilities	Net	Assets	Liabilities	Net	Assets	Liabilities	Net	Assets	Liabilities
1996 ¹	153.9	331.6	177.7	-186.6	331.6	518.2	1.3	26.6	25.3	-185.3	358.2	543.5
1997	149.9	315.3	165.4	-33.6	315.3	348.9	-10.2	24.3	34.5	-43.8	339.6	383.4
1998	122.2	276.4	154.2	7.4	276.4	268.9	-7.9	23.5	31.4	-0.4	299.9	300.3
1999	126.8	267.0	140.2	46.3	267.0	220.7	17.9	40.1	22.2	64.2	307.2	243.0
2000	178.4	295.8	117.4	107.4	295.8	188.4	18.1	38.8	20.7	125.5	334.6	209.1
2001	187.4	285.1	97.6	124.2	285.1	160.8	28.8	46.4	17.5	153.1	331.4	178.4
2002	183.4	279.5	96.2	128.0	279.5	151.5	40.0	65.9	25.9	167.9	345.4	177.5
2003												
Mar	176.0	272.0	95.9	120.7	272.0	151.3	48.6	72.0	23.4	169.3	343.9	174.7
Jun	172.1	262.4	90.3	120.7	262.4	141.7	50.4	78.8	28.4	171.1	341.2	170.1
Sep	162.3	261.7	99.4	110.9	261.7	150.8	56.2	83.4	27.2	167.2	345.2	178.0
Dec	176.2	271.5	95.4	128.8	271.5	142.8	67.3	92.7	25.4	196.0	364.2	168.2
2004												
Mar	163.8	256.1	92.4	116.4	256.1	139.7	68.4	91.4	23.0	184.7	347.5	162.8
Jun	161.6	246.5	84.9	118.2	246.5	128.3	70.6	94.1	23.5	188.8	340.6	151.8
Sep	163.9	255.1	91.2	120.5	255.1	134.6	76.4	97.9	21.5	196.9	353.0	156.1
Dec	136.6	224.7	88.1	97.2	224.7	127.5	73.0	109.0	36.0	170.2	333.7	163.5
2005												
Jan	141.4	227.6	86.2	102.0	227.6	125.6	70.6	110.2	39.6	172.6	337.8	165.2
Feb	159.3	259.0	99.7	119.9	259.0	139.1	73.9	112.3	38.4	193.8	371.3	177.4
Mar	143.9	242.2	98.3	104.5	242.2	137.7	78.7	114.7	36.0	183.2	356.9	173.7
Apr	136.7	234.1	97.4	97.3	234.1	136.7	85.0	130.6	45.6	182.3	364.7	182.4
May	140.7	231.4	90.7	101.3	231.4	130.1	92.4	134.6	42.1	193.8	366.0	172.2
Jun	145.0	232.0	87.0	105.6	232.0	126.4	90.4	135.1	44.7	196.0	367.0	171.0
Jul	137.3	222.6	85.4	97.9	222.6	124.8	91.4	136.0	44.6	189.3	358.7	169.4
Aug	143.6	229.5	85.9	104.2	229.5	125.3	96.8	138.7	42.0	201.0	368.2	167.2
Sep	139.7	238.4	98.7	100.3	238.4	138.1	96.0	137.8	41.8	196.3	376.2	179.9
Oct	136.5	231.1	94.5	97.1	231.1	134.0	97.1	137.8	40.7	194.2	368.9	174.7
Nov	139.5	231.3	91.8	100.1	231.3	131.3	93.9	140.4	46.5	193.9	371.7	177.8
Dec*	160.5	251.4	90.9	121.1	251.4	130.3	87.9	141.2	53.3	209.0	392.6	183.6
2006												
Jan	224.4	251.2	26.8	185.0	251.2	66.2	91.9	141.5	49.6	276.9	392.7	115.8
Feb	219.8	259.7	39.9	180.4	259.7	79.3	94.3	142.1	47.8	274.7	401.8	127.1

Source: Bank of Guyana and Commercial Banks

¹ Net Foreign Assets reflect Naples terms debt stock reduction in December 1996.

* Figures for December 2005 are preliminary.

GUYANA: SELECTED INTEREST RATES 1)
(Percent Per Annum)

Table 4.1

	2003	2004					2005												2006	
	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	Jun.	Sep.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
BANK OF GUYANA																				
Bank Rate	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.25	6.25
Treasury Bill Discount Rate																				
91 Days	3.40	3.47	3.47	3.52	3.80	3.79	3.83	3.84	3.84	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.76	3.76	3.74	3.88	3.88
182 Days	3.37	3.92	3.98	3.97	3.99	3.96	4.00	3.97	3.97	3.97	3.96	3.95	3.95	3.95	3.90	3.90	3.90	3.84	4.11	4.11
364 Days	4.01	4.13	3.88	4.13	4.44	4.13	4.08	4.17	4.17	4.10	4.15	4.19	4.19	4.03	3.97	3.96	3.97	4.21	4.07	4.21
COMMERCIAL BANKS																				
Small Savings Rate	3.46	3.46	3.46	3.42	3.42	3.42	3.34	3.38	3.38	3.30	3.33	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.38
Prime Lending Rate (weighted average 2)	16.69	16.63	16.60	16.72	16.84	15.91	15.82	15.89	15.88	15.85	16.24	16.41	16.33	16.38	15.21	15.09	15.23	15.24	14.63	15.41
Prime Lending Rate 3)	14.88	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54	14.54
Comm. Banks' Lending Rate (weighted average)	15.58	15.36	15.12	14.85	14.08	10.85	10.77	10.63	10.65	10.17	9.87	9.59	9.27	9.05	13.54	13.41	13.44	13.50	13.34	13.32
HAND-IN-HAND TRUST CORP. INC. 4)																				
Domestic Mortgages	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
Commercial Mortgages	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00	16.00
Average Deposit Rates	3.79	3.79	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23
NEW BUILDING SOCIETY																				
Deposits 5)	3.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50
Mortgage Rates	9.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	7.50
Five dollar shares	4.75	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.80
Save and prosper shares	6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.50

Source: Bank of Guyana, Commercial Banks and other Financial Institutions

- 1) End of period rates.
- 2) The prime lending rate reported by the banks has been weighted by the amount of loans issued at the corresponding rate.
- 3) The average prime lending rate actually used by commercial banks applicable to loans and advances.
- 4) Effective from March 2004 GNCB Trust Company has been re-named Hand-in Hand Trust Corp. Inc.
- 5) Small savings rate

COMMERCIAL BANKS: SELECTED INTEREST RATES
(Per Cent Per Annum)

Table 4.2

End Of Period	Commercial Banks					
	Prime Lending Rate 1)	Small Savings Deps.	3 Mths. Time Deps.	6 Mths. Time Deps.	9 Mths. Time Deps.	12 Mths. Time Deps.
1996	17.21	7.73	8.96	9.93	12.75	9.50
1997	16.93	7.39	8.43	9.43	-	9.30
1998	16.64	7.06	8.02	8.34	9.00	9.65
1999	17.25	7.97	9.34	9.90	10.17	10.26
2000	17.21	7.28	7.37	8.92	8.96	9.41
2001	16.79	6.70	7.15	7.03	7.13	8.07
2002						
Mar.	16.25	5.77	5.28	5.43	6.05	6.09
Jun.	16.25	4.79	4.12	4.28	4.63	4.71
Sep.	16.25	4.40	3.73	3.91	4.13	4.23
Dec.	16.25	4.29	3.70	3.91	4.13	4.23
2003						
Mar.	14.88	4.25	3.56	3.91	4.13	4.23
Jun.	14.88	3.96	3.27	3.56	4.00	3.85
Sep.	14.88	3.54	2.94	3.33	3.50	3.75
Dec.	14.88	3.46	2.81	3.16	3.50	3.54
2004						
Jan.	14.54	3.46	2.77	3.10	3.50	3.58
Feb.	14.54	3.46	2.81	3.15	3.50	3.58
Mar.	14.54	3.46	2.81	3.15	3.50	3.58
Apr.	14.54	3.42	2.81	3.15	3.50	3.58
May	14.54	3.42	2.79	3.10	3.50	3.54
Jun.	14.54	3.42	2.71	3.10	3.50	3.42
Jul.	14.54	3.42	2.55	2.90	3.38	3.21
Aug.	14.54	3.42	2.59	2.95	3.50	3.29
Sep.	14.54	3.42	2.59	2.95	3.50	3.29
Oct.	14.54	3.42	2.59	2.85	3.50	3.25
Nov.	14.54	3.42	2.59	2.85	3.50	3.25
Dec.	14.54	3.42	2.59	2.85	3.50	3.38
2005						
Jan.	14.54	3.34	2.59	2.90	3.25	3.25
Feb.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.25	3.25
Mar.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.21
Apr.	14.54	3.30	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.21
May	14.54	3.33	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Jun.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Jul.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Aug.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Sep.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Oct.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Nov.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Dec.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
2006						
Jan.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.38	3.25
Feb.	14.54	3.38	2.59	2.90	3.25	3.25

Source: Commercial Banks

1) Arithmetic average of the Prime Lending Rate as reported by the Commercial Banks.

COMPARATIVE TREASURY BILL RATES AND BANK RATES

Table 4.3

Period	Guyana		Trin. & Tob.		Barbados		Jamaica	U.S.A.			U.K.		Euro Area
	Treas Bill	Bank Rate	Treas Bill	Bank Rate	Treas Bill	Bank Rate	Treas Bill	Treas Bill	Bank Rate	Treas Bill	Bank Rate 1)	Bank Rate	
1996	9.94	12.00	11.58	13.00	5.61	12.50	28.83	5.00	5.00	6.08	6.00	...	
1997	8.16	11.00	10.81	13.00	4.91	9.00	28.08	5.16	5.00	7.04	7.17	...	
1998	8.84	11.25	11.88	13.00	5.70	9.00	23.52	4.42	4.50	5.72	7.06	...	
1999	11.07	13.25	10.09	13.00	6.05	10.00	20.61	5.23	5.00	5.49	...	4.00	
2000	9.20	11.75	10.85	13.00	3.85	10.00	20.16	5.83	6.00	5.63	...	5.75	
2001	6.25	8.75	6.33	13.00	1.97	7.50	17.03	1.72	1.25	3.83	...	4.25	
2002													
Mar.	5.88	8.25	5.70	13.00	1.16	7.50	14.30	1.81	1.25	3.97	...	4.25	
Jun.	5.49	7.75	4.67	7.75	2.81	7.50	13.81	1.71	1.25	3.98	...	4.25	
Sep.	3.93	6.25	4.18	7.25	2.51	7.50	16.69	1.63	1.25	3.79	...	4.25	
Dec.	3.91	6.25	4.39	7.25	1.51	7.50	17.01	1.20	0.75	3.84	...	3.75	
2003													
Mar.	3.00	5.25	4.30	7.25	2.50	7.50	33.47	1.12	2.25	3.47	...	3.50	
Jun.	2.99	5.25	...	7.25	1.91	7.50	29.92	0.94	2.20	3.47	...	3.00	
Sep.	3.40	5.50	4.80	7.00	1.24	7.50	23.42	0.94	2.00	3.52	...	3.00	
Dec.	3.40	5.50	4.79	7.00	0.77	7.50	23.46	0.89	2.00	3.83	...	3.00	
2004													
Mar.	3.47	5.50	4.82	7.00	0.37	7.50	15.23	0.94	2.00	4.13	...	3.00	
Jun.	3.52	5.50	4.78	7.00	0.30	7.50	14.98	1.28	2.01	4.61	...	3.00	
Sep.	3.80	6.00	4.75	7.00	1.79	7.50	14.80	1.67	2.58	4.69	...	3.00	
Dec.	3.79	6.00	4.70	7.00	2.76	7.50	14.94	2.20	3.15	4.68	...	3.00	
2005													
Jan.	3.83	6.00	4.70	7.00	2.85	7.50	14.40	2.35	3.25	4.66	...	3.00	
Feb.	3.84	6.00	4.71	7.00	2.88	7.50	13.95	2.59	3.49	4.69	...	3.00	
Mar.	3.84	6.00	...	...	3.28	7.50	13.46	2.76	3.58	4.77	...	3.00
Apr.	3.80	6.00	...	...	4.48	7.50	13.43	2.78	3.75	4.70	...	3.00
May	3.80	6.00	...	...	4.61	7.50	13.43	2.87	3.98	4.66	...	3.00
Jun.	3.80	6.00	...	...	4.75	7.50	12.88	3.00	4.01	4.62	...	3.00
Jul.	3.80	6.00	...	...	4.71	10.00	13.03	3.21	4.25	4.46	...	3.00
Aug.	3.76	6.00	...	...	4.88	10.00	13.03	3.46	4.44	4.41	...	3.00
Sep.	3.76	6.00	...	...	...	...	13.15	3.46	4.59	4.40	...	3.00
Oct.	3.76	6.00	...	...	...	...	13.16	3.74	4.75	...	...	3.00
Nov.	3.76	6.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dec.	3.74	6.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2006													
Jan.	3.88	6.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Feb.	3.88	6.25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Source: Statistical Reports from Central Banks & International Financial Statistics (IMF)

1) This rate has been discontinued with effect from 1998.

**CHANGES IN BANK OF GUYANA TRANSACTION EXCHANGE RATE
(G\$/US\$)**

Table 4.4

Date						Rate		Date						Rate		
24	May	04	-	28	May	04	198.25		25	Apr.	05	-	29	Apr.	05	200.00
01	Jun.	04	-	04	Jun.	04	198.25		03	May	05	-	06	May	05	200.00
07	Jun.	04	-	11	Jun.	04	198.25		09	May	05	-	13	May	05	200.00
14	Jun.	04	-	18	Jun.	04	198.25		16	May	05	-	20	May	05	200.00
21	Jun.	04	-	25	Jun.	04	198.75		23	May	05	-	27	May	05	200.00
28	Jun.	04	-	30	Jun.	04	198.75		30	May	05	-	31	May	05	200.00
01	Jul.	04	-	02	Jul.	04	198.75		01	Jun.	05	-	03	Jun.	05	200.00
05	Jul.	04	-	09	Jul.	04	199.25		06	Jun.	05	-	07	Jun.	05	200.00
12	Jul.	04	-	16	Jul.	04	199.25		08	Jun.	05	-	10	Jun.	05	200.25
19	Jul.	04	-	23	Jul.	04	199.25		13	Jun.	05	-	17	Jun.	05	200.25
26	Jul.	04	-	30	Jul.	04	196.25		20	Jun.	05	-	24	Jun.	05	200.25
02	Aug.	04	-				196.25		27	Jun.	05	-	30	Jun.	05	200.25
03	Aug.	04	-	06	Aug.	04	199.25		01	Jul.	05	-				200.25
09	Aug.	04	-	13	Aug.	04	199.25		04	Jul.	05	-	08	Jul.	05	200.25
16	Aug.	04	-	20	Aug.	04	199.25		11	Jul.	05	-	15	Jul.	05	200.25
23	Aug.	04	-	27	Aug.	04	199.25		18	Jul.	05	-	22	Jul.	05	199.50
30	Aug.	04	-	31	Aug.	04	199.25		25	Jul.	05	-	29	Jul.	05	199.50
01	Sep.	04	-	03	Sep.	04	200.00		01	Aug.	05	-	05	Aug.	05	199.50
06	Sep.	04	-	10	Sep.	04	197.25		08	Aug.	05	-	12	Aug.	05	199.50
13	Sep.	04	-	17	Sep.	04	200.00		15	Aug.	05	-	19	Aug.	05	200.00
20	Sep.	04	-	24	Sep.	04	200.00		22	Aug.	05	-	26	Aug.	05	199.75
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01	Oct.	04	-				200.00		01	Sep.	05	-	02	Sep.	05	199.75
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18	Oct.	04	-	22	Oct.	04	200.00		19	Sep.	05	-	23	Sep.	05	199.75
25	Oct.	04	-	29	Oct.	04	200.00		26	Sep.	05	-	30	Sep.	05	200.00
01	Nov.	04	-	05	Nov.	04	200.00		03	Oct.	05	-				200.00
08	Nov.	04	-	11	Nov.	04	200.00		04	Oct.	05	-	07	Oct.	05	199.75
15	Nov.	04	-	19	Nov.	04	200.00		10	Oct.	05	-	14	Oct.	05	199.75
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01	Feb.	04	-	04	Feb.	05	199.75		15	Dec.	05	-	16	Dec.	05	200.25
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28	Feb.	05	-				199.75		09	Jan.	06	-	13	Jan.	06	200.25
07	Mar.	05	-	11	Mar.	05	199.75		16	Jan.	06	-	20	Jan.	06	200.25
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Note: Effective from October 1, 1991 the official exchange rate fluctuates either daily or periodically and is the average of the Telegraphic Transfer Rates of the three (3) largest Commercial Banks.

EXCHANGE RATE
(G\$/US\$)

Table 4.5

Years	End of Period	Average for the Period
1996	141.25	140.38
1997	144.00	142.58
1998	165.25	150.52
1999	180.50	177.65
2000	184.75	182.44
2001	189.50	187.32
2002		
Mar.	190.50	190.50
Jun.	190.75	190.51
Sep.	191.00	191.00
Dec.	191.75	191.75
2003		
Mar.	193.75	192.41
Jun.	193.75	193.45
Sep.	195.25	194.61
Dec.	194.25	195.50
2004		
Mar.	197.25	196.97
Jun.	198.75	198.43
Sept	200.00	199.38
Dec.	199.75	199.78
2005		
Jan.	199.75	199.75
Feb.	199.75	199.75
Mar.	199.75	199.75
Apr.	200.00	199.93
May	200.00	200.00
Jun.	200.25	200.19
Jul.	199.50	199.88
Aug.	199.50	199.67
Sep.	200.00	199.82
Oct.	199.75	199.81
Nov.	199.75	199.81
Dec.	200.25	200.14
2006		
Jan.	200.25	200.25
Feb.	200.25	200.25

Source: Bank of Guyana

MONTHLY AVERAGE MARKET EXCHANGE RATES

Table 4.6

Month	Buying Rate											
	2004				2005				2006			
	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO
Jan	139.37	196.58	327.17	232.49	150.66	198.94	352.82	246.15	161.39	198.81	338.49	230.00
Feb	139.13	197.26	338.00	236.07	151.18	199.38	353.86	247.33	159.59	199.55	340.31	230.28
Mar	140.29	197.74	339.18	232.69	152.19	199.56	360.28	247.48				
Apr	138.89	197.13	333.85	231.87	151.99	199.63	358.86	245.86				
May	137.52	197.26	332.00	232.12	150.62	199.22	354.72	244.21				
Jun	138.94	197.82	339.05	235.28	151.65	199.74	347.87	237.38				
Jul	141.93	198.18	343.87	233.19	151.36	199.23	341.24	231.50				
Aug	142.33	198.10	338.41	232.35	153.90	198.84	338.26	233.91				
Sep	142.14	198.17	339.54	231.17	154.78	198.74	342.81	236.86				
Oct	146.19	198.75	342.21	234.52	159.09	198.64	340.74	231.24				
Nov	149.78	198.95	338.07	241.43	157.33	198.69	338.23	228.51				
Dec	152.03	198.81	354.65	243.93	159.69	199.06	338.46	228.07				

Month	Selling Rate											
	2004				2005				2006			
	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO
Jan	148.98	200.85	344.61	243.08	160.89	202.63	368.42	256.09	169.55	202.21	352.74	240.14
Feb	149.71	201.53	356.85	240.70	160.62	202.67	372.55	255.16	168.77	201.60	351.00	242.90
Mar	149.56	201.90	355.93	242.79	161.21	202.66	374.50	256.09				
Apr	147.80	201.39	354.22	238.30	161.28	202.52	374.64	252.60				
May	147.25	201.51	351.49	237.73	160.86	201.93	375.54	256.95				
Jun	147.64	202.16	358.22	242.59	161.13	202.34	363.93	249.38				
Jul	148.44	202.03	360.04	240.39	162.49	202.43	355.31	243.46				
Aug	149.30	201.60	358.76	239.25	162.31	201.26	352.33	244.52				
Sep	150.57	201.52	355.33	241.60	165.12	201.62	359.22	247.57				
Oct	153.54	202.05	356.70	243.45	168.08	201.96	355.37	242.44				
Nov	157.27	202.13	359.96	246.24	168.14	202.01	352.72	240.39				
Dec	159.70	201.63	368.84	251.87	167.21	201.64	351.13	237.64				

Month	Mid Rate											
	2004				2005				2006			
	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO	CN\$	US\$	£	EURO
Jan	144.17	198.71	335.89	237.79	155.78	200.78	360.62	251.12	165.47	200.51	345.62	235.07
Feb	144.42	199.39	347.42	238.38	155.90	201.03	363.20	251.24	164.18	200.57	345.66	236.59
Mar	144.93	199.82	347.55	237.74	156.70	201.11	367.39	251.78				
Apr	143.35	199.26	344.03	235.09	156.63	201.08	366.75	249.23				
May	142.38	199.38	341.75	234.92	155.74	200.57	365.13	250.58				
Jun	143.29	199.99	348.63	238.93	156.39	201.04	355.90	243.38				
Jul	145.18	200.11	351.96	236.79	156.93	200.83	348.27	237.48				
Aug	145.82	199.85	348.59	235.80	158.11	200.05	345.30	239.21				
Sep	146.35	199.85	347.43	236.39	159.95	200.18	351.01	242.22				
Oct	149.86	200.40	349.46	238.98	163.59	200.30	348.06	236.84				
Nov	153.52	200.54	349.02	243.83	162.74	200.35	345.48	234.45				
Dec	155.87	200.22	361.74	247.90	163.45	200.35	344.79	232.86				

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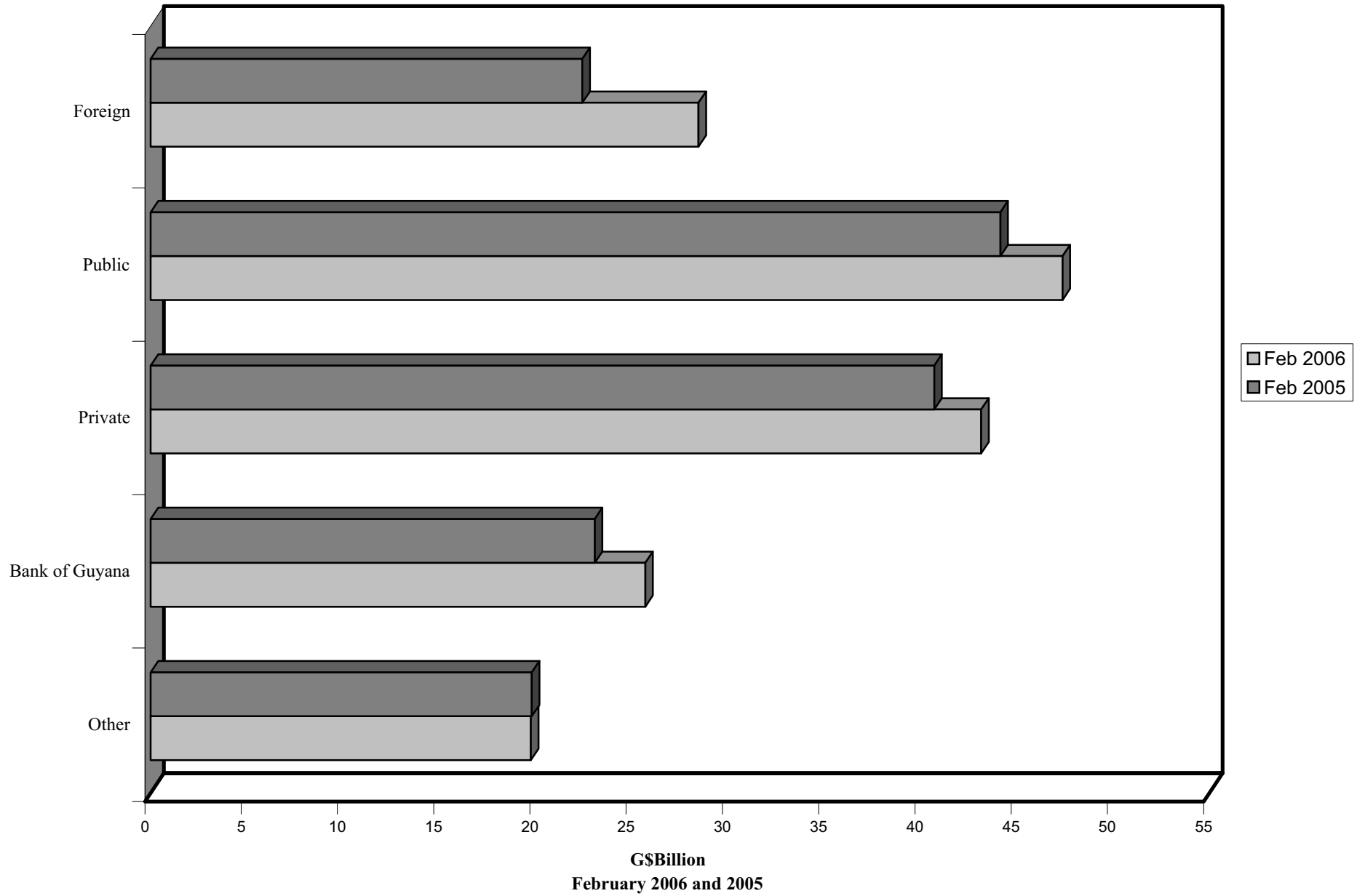
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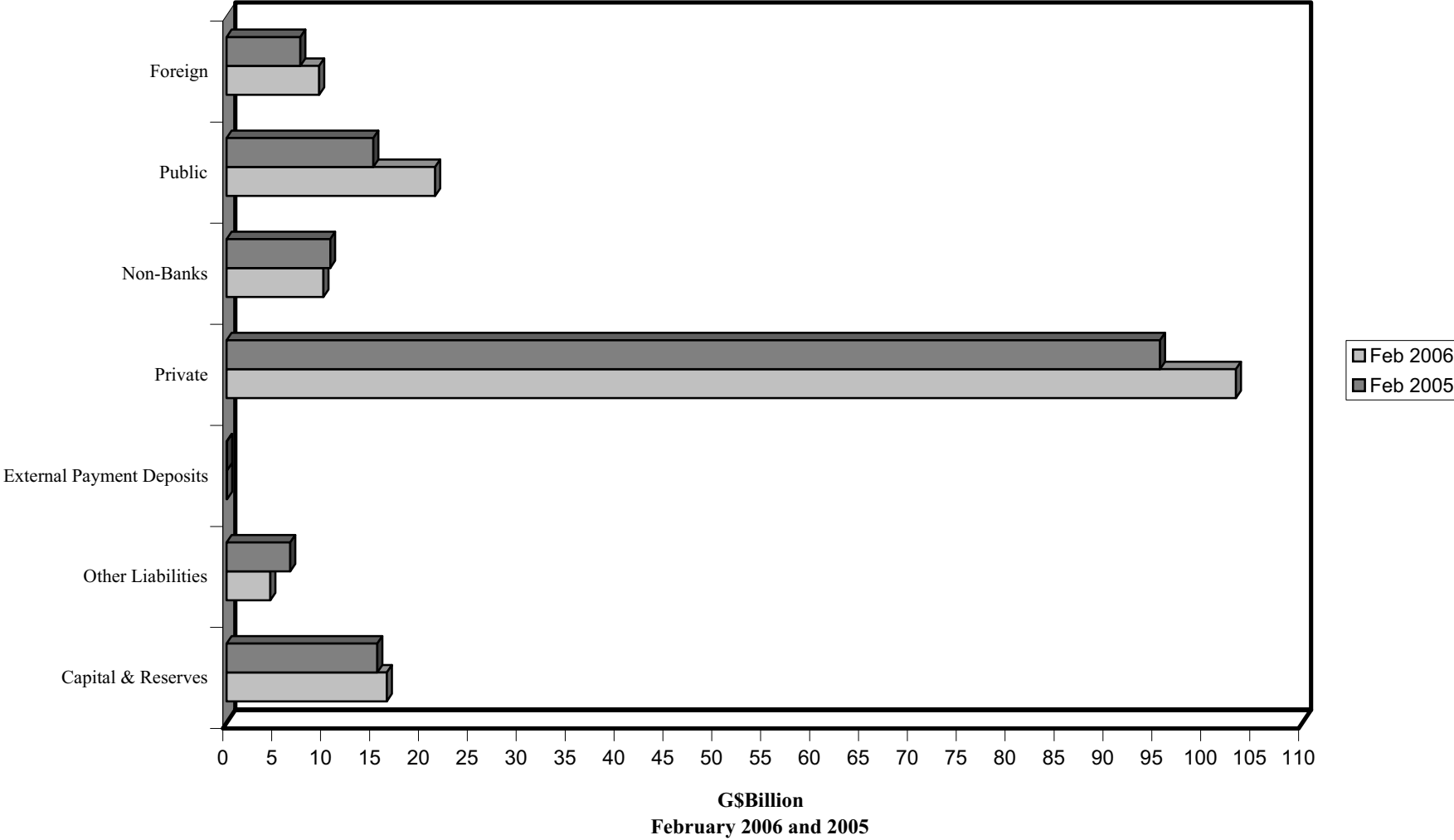
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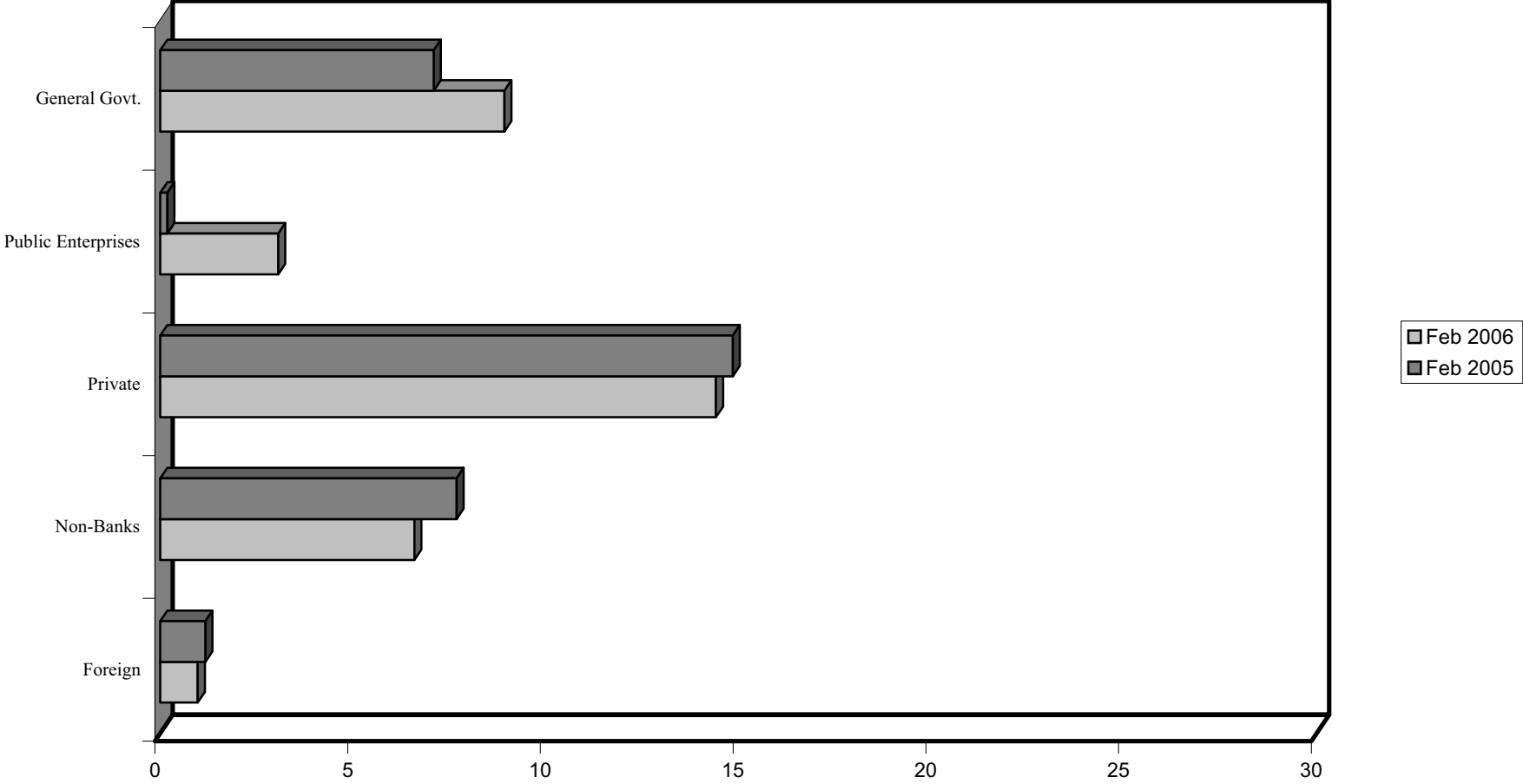
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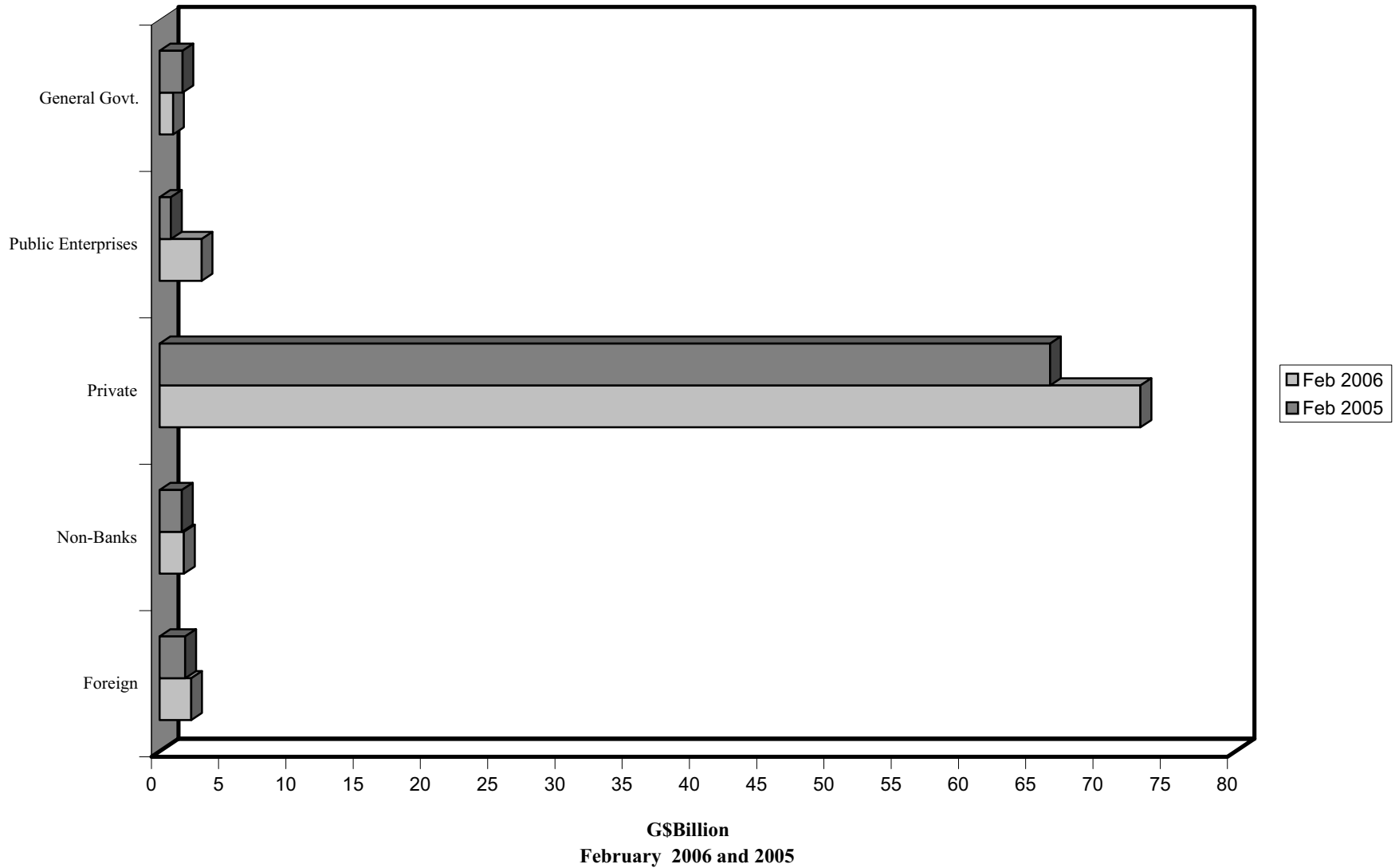


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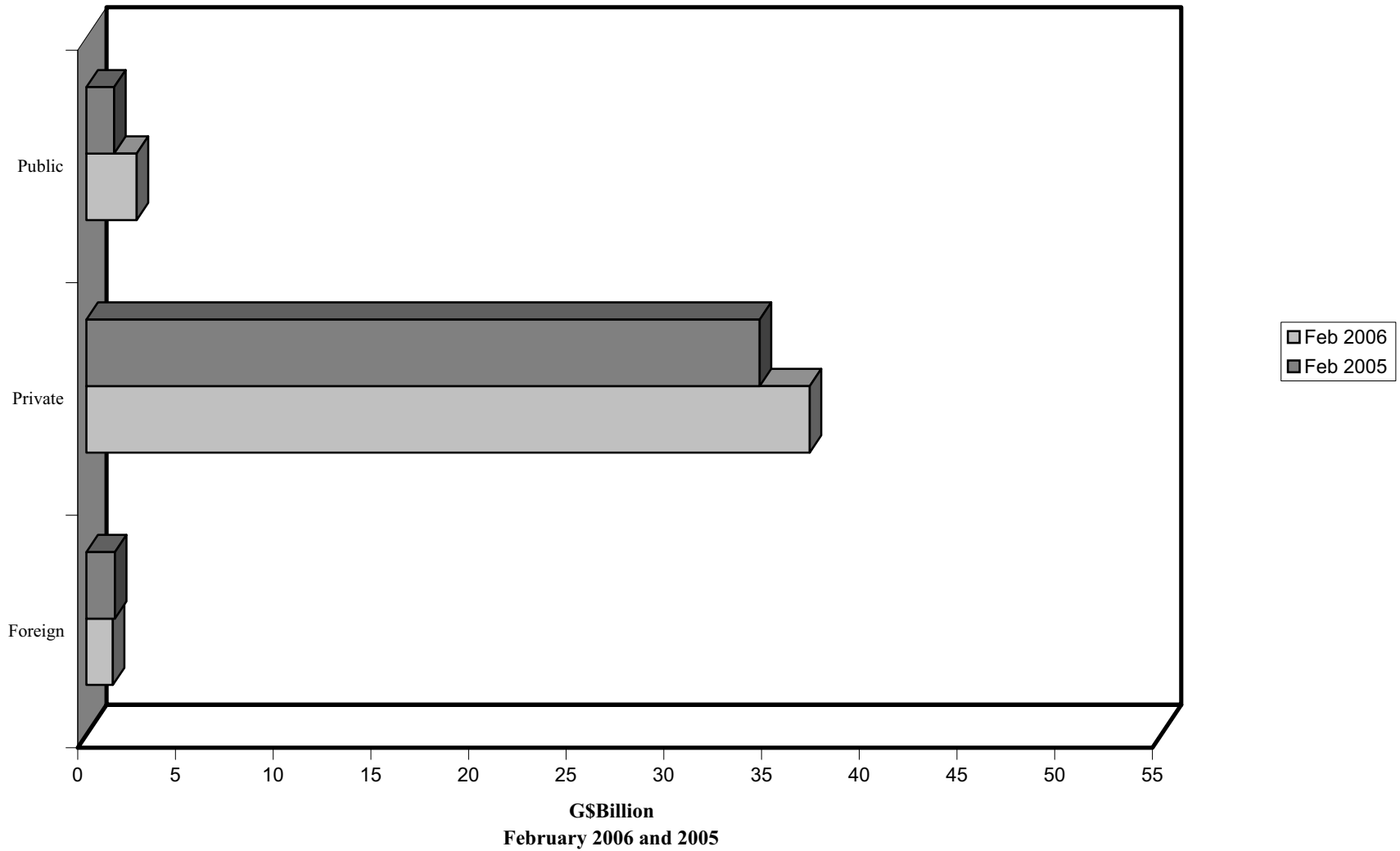


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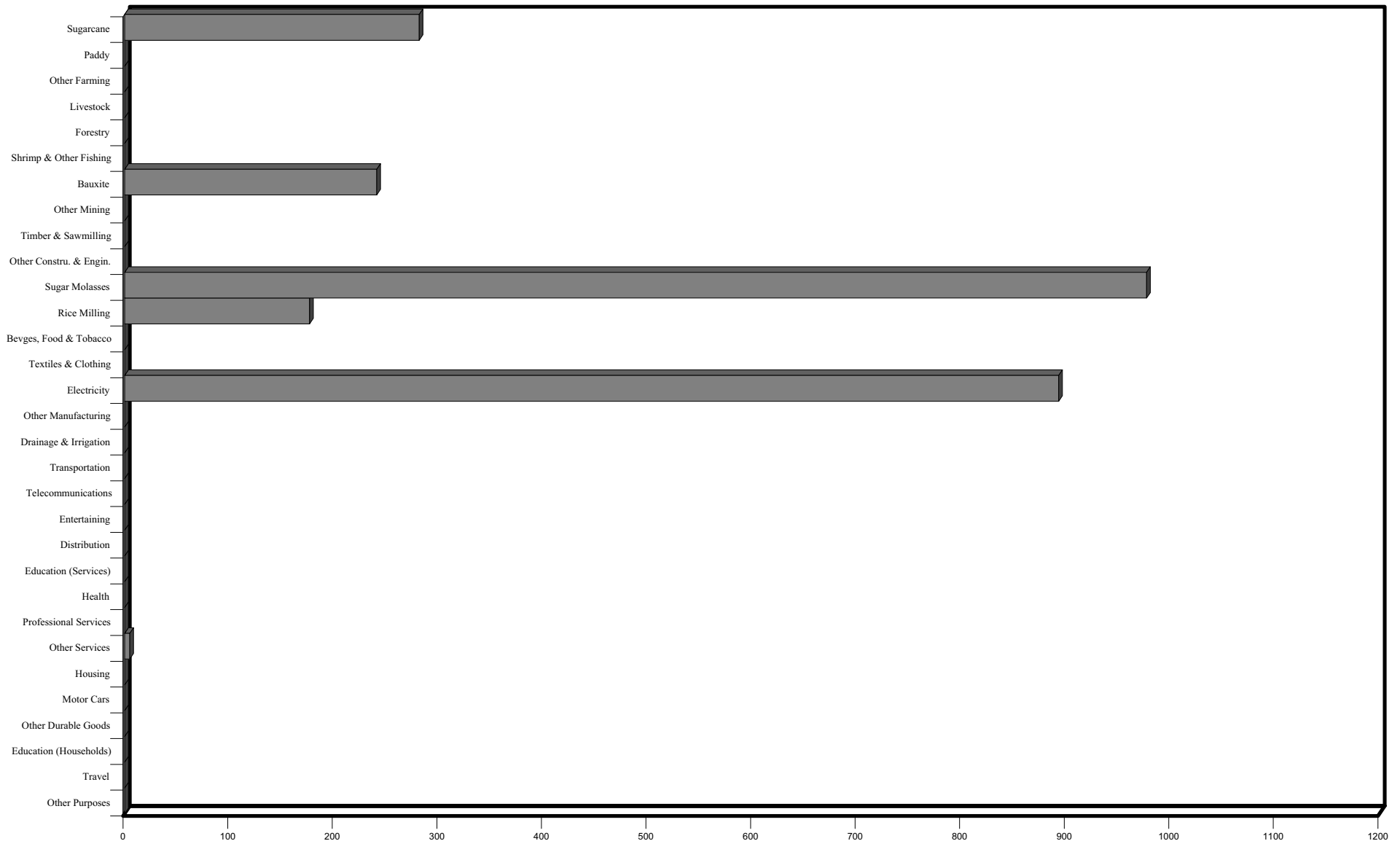
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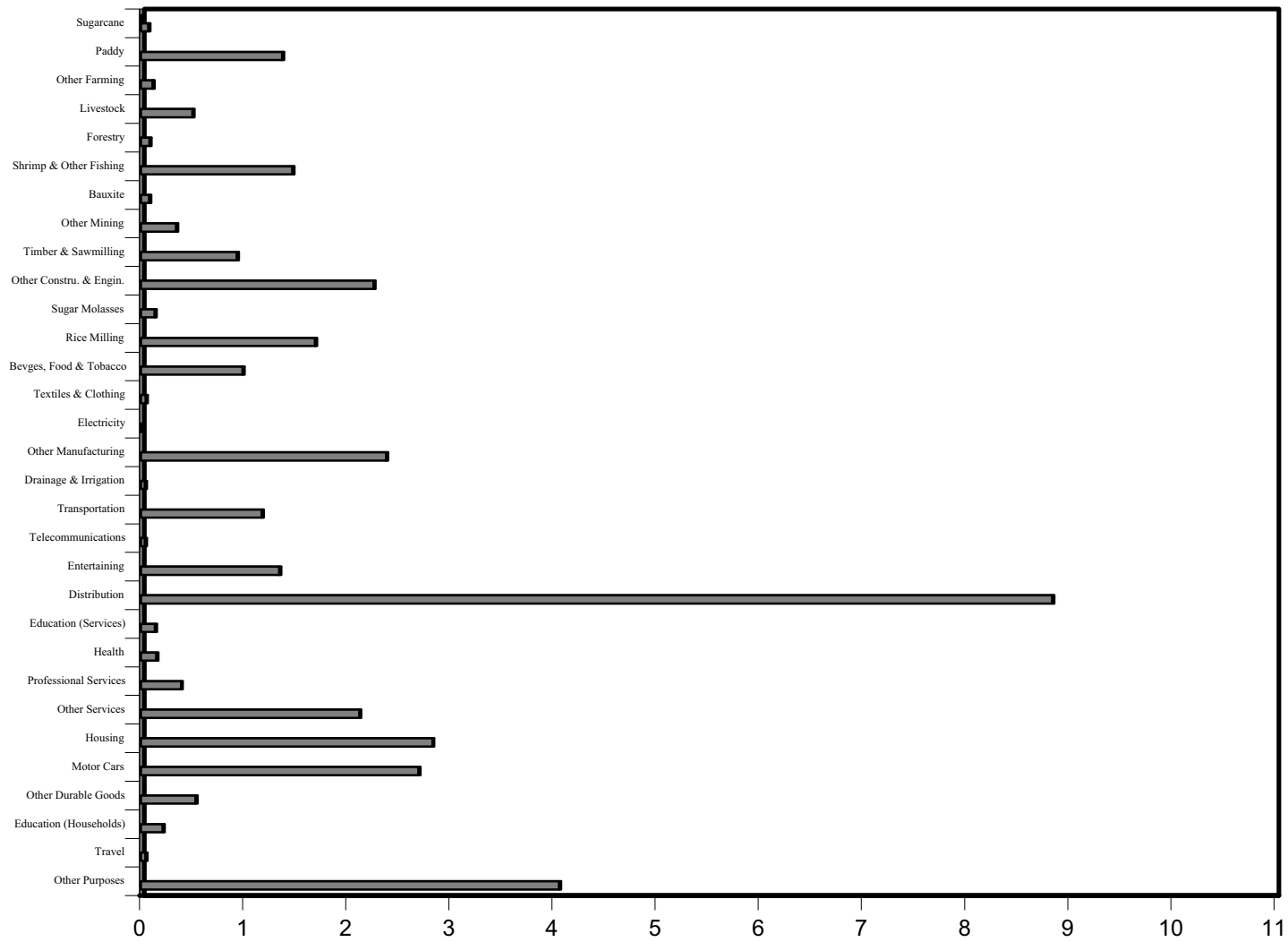


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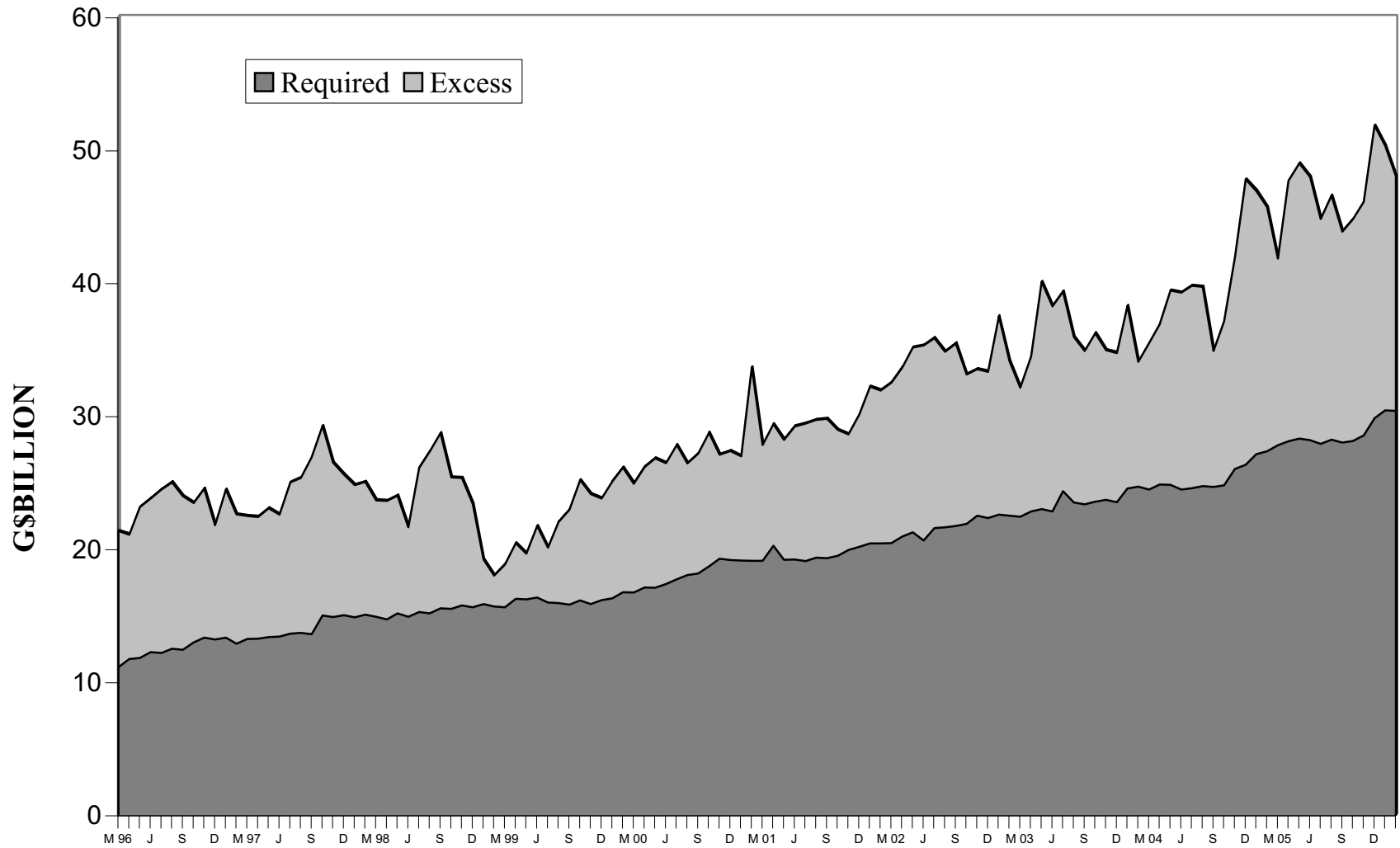
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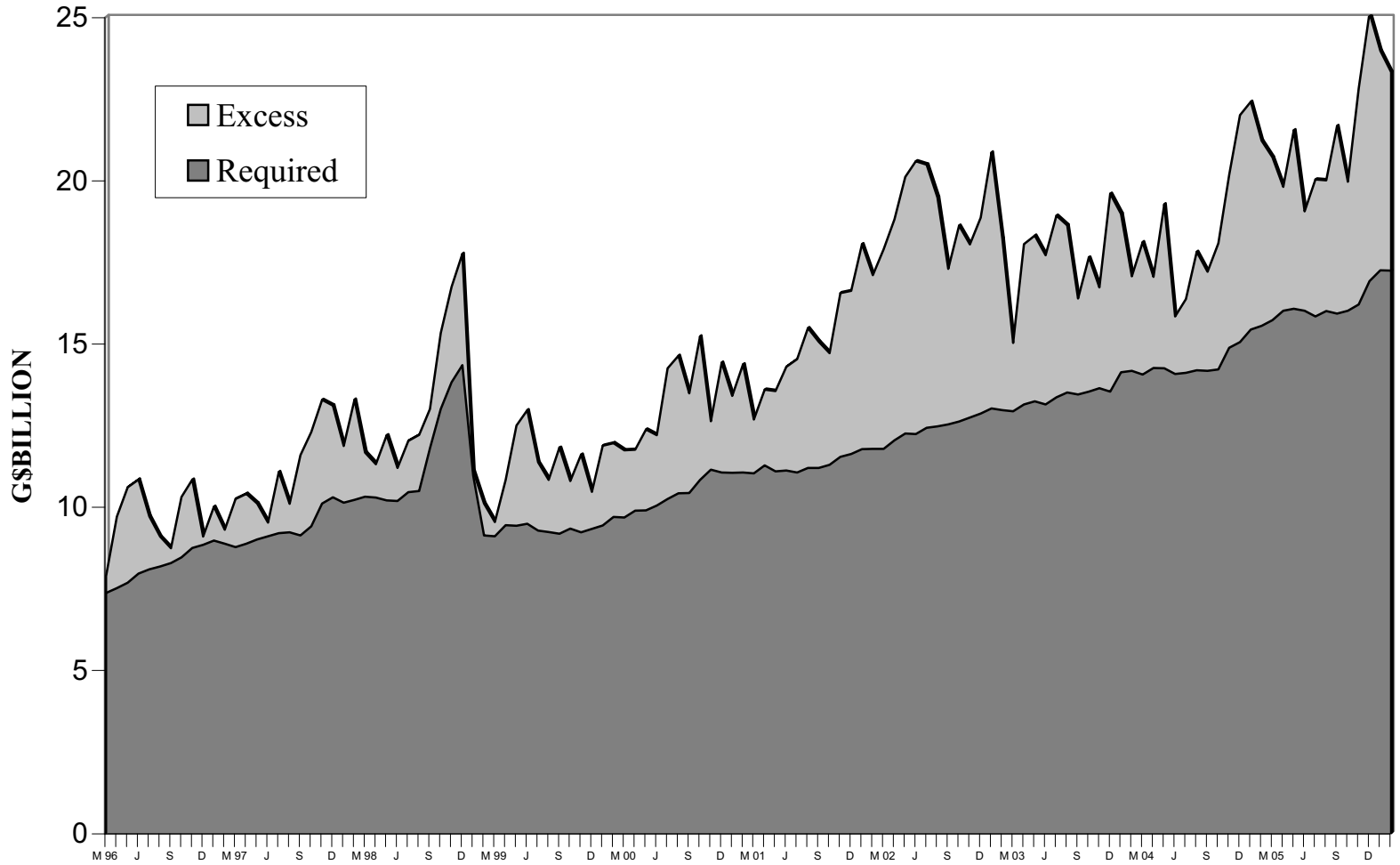


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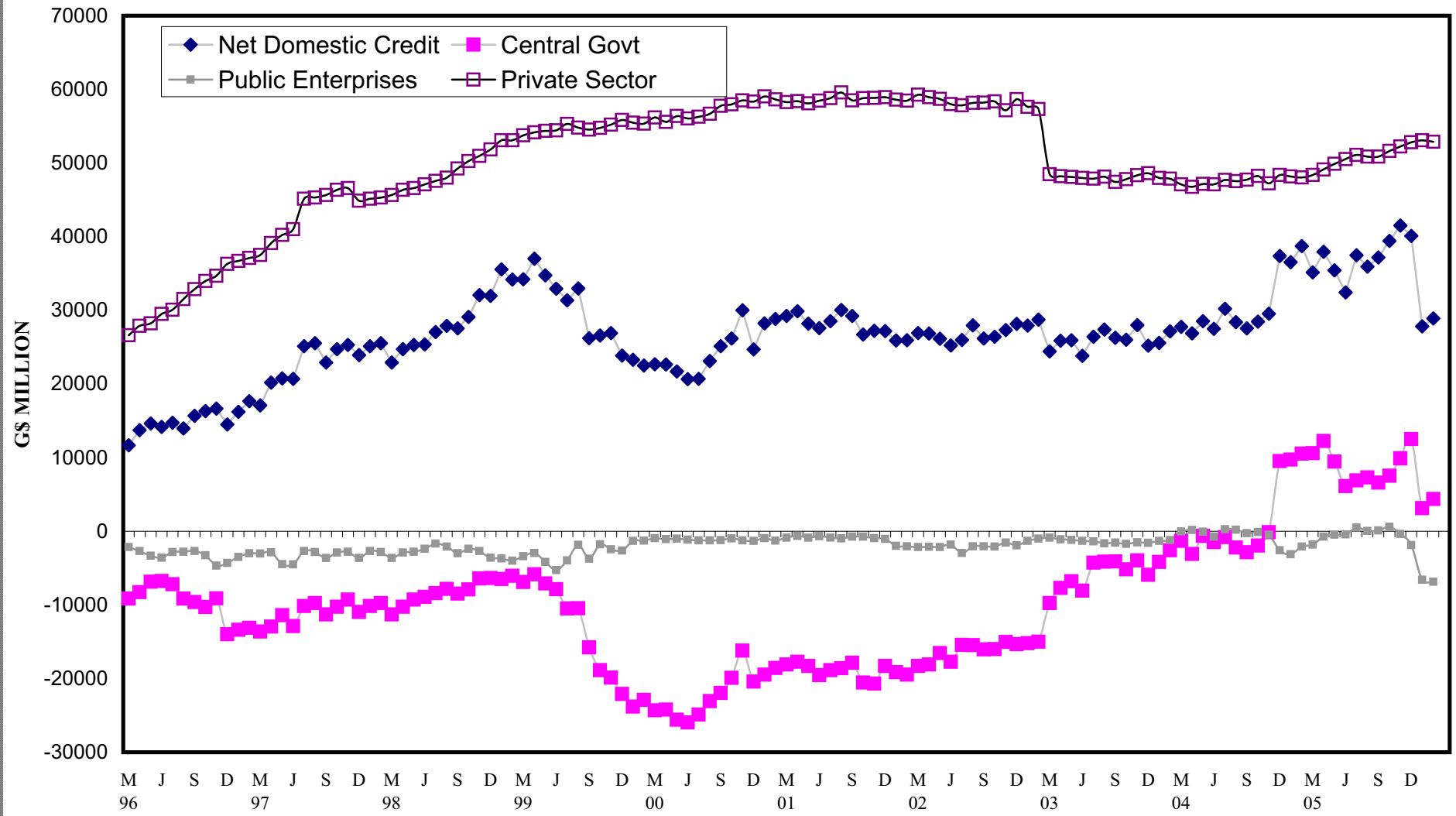
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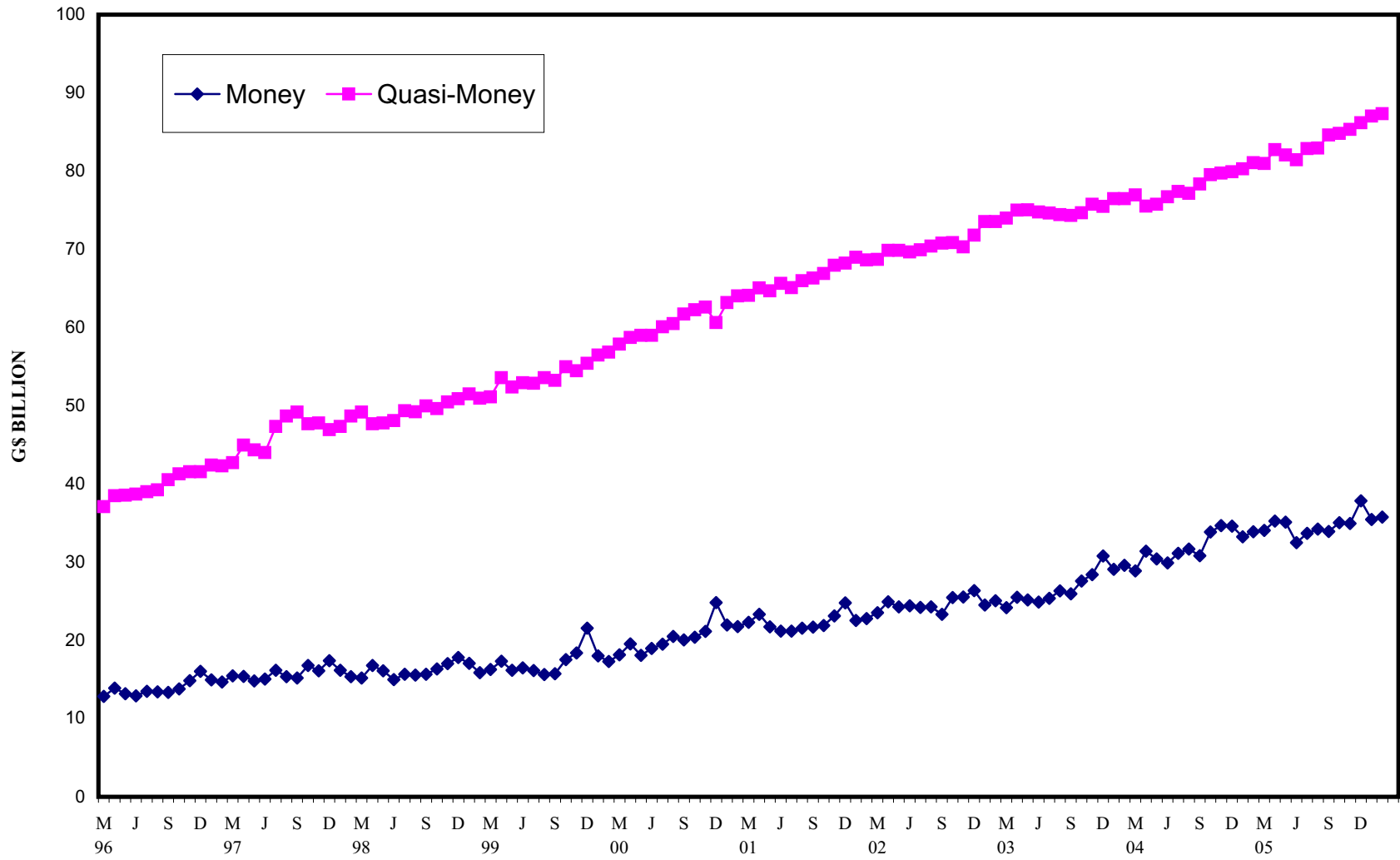
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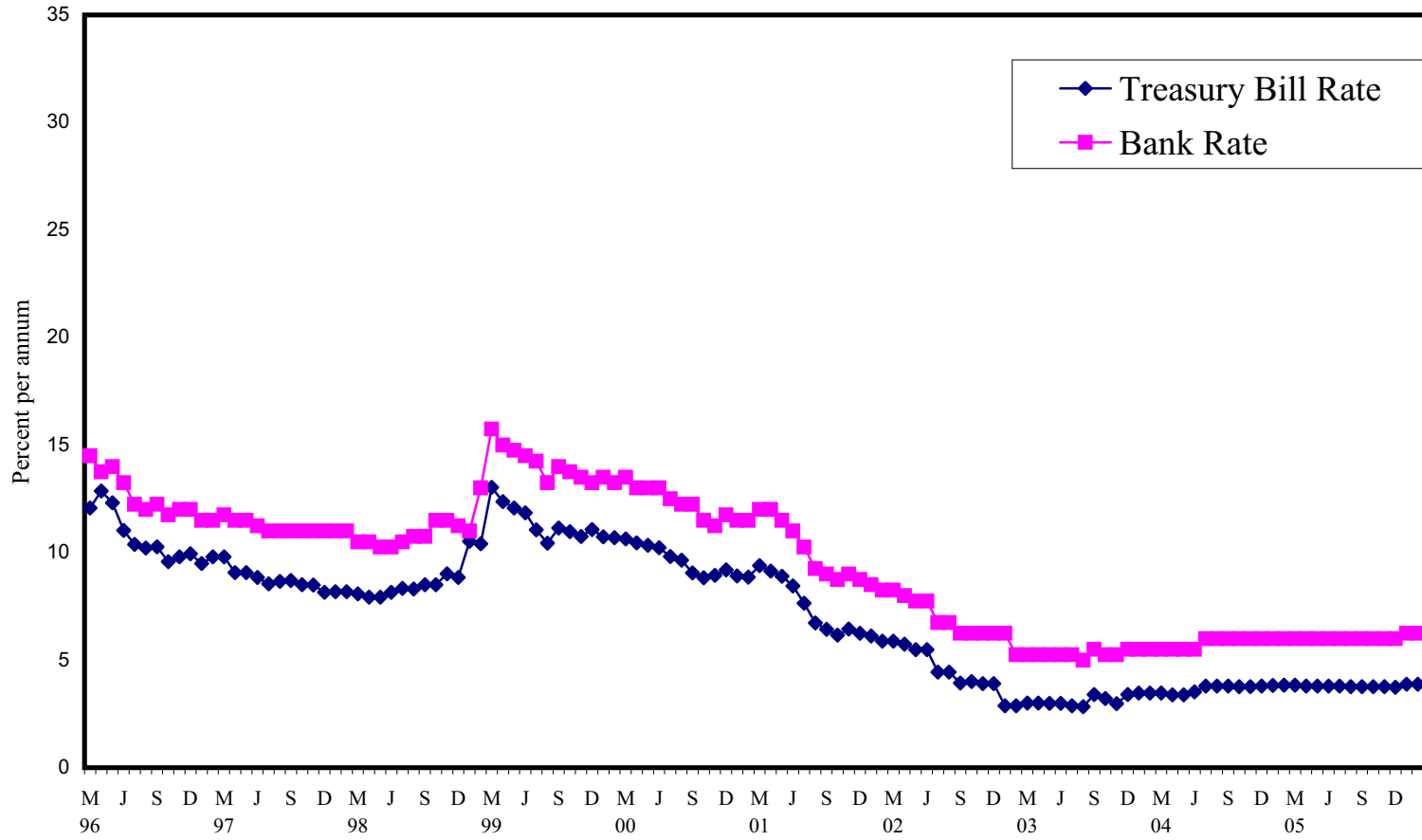
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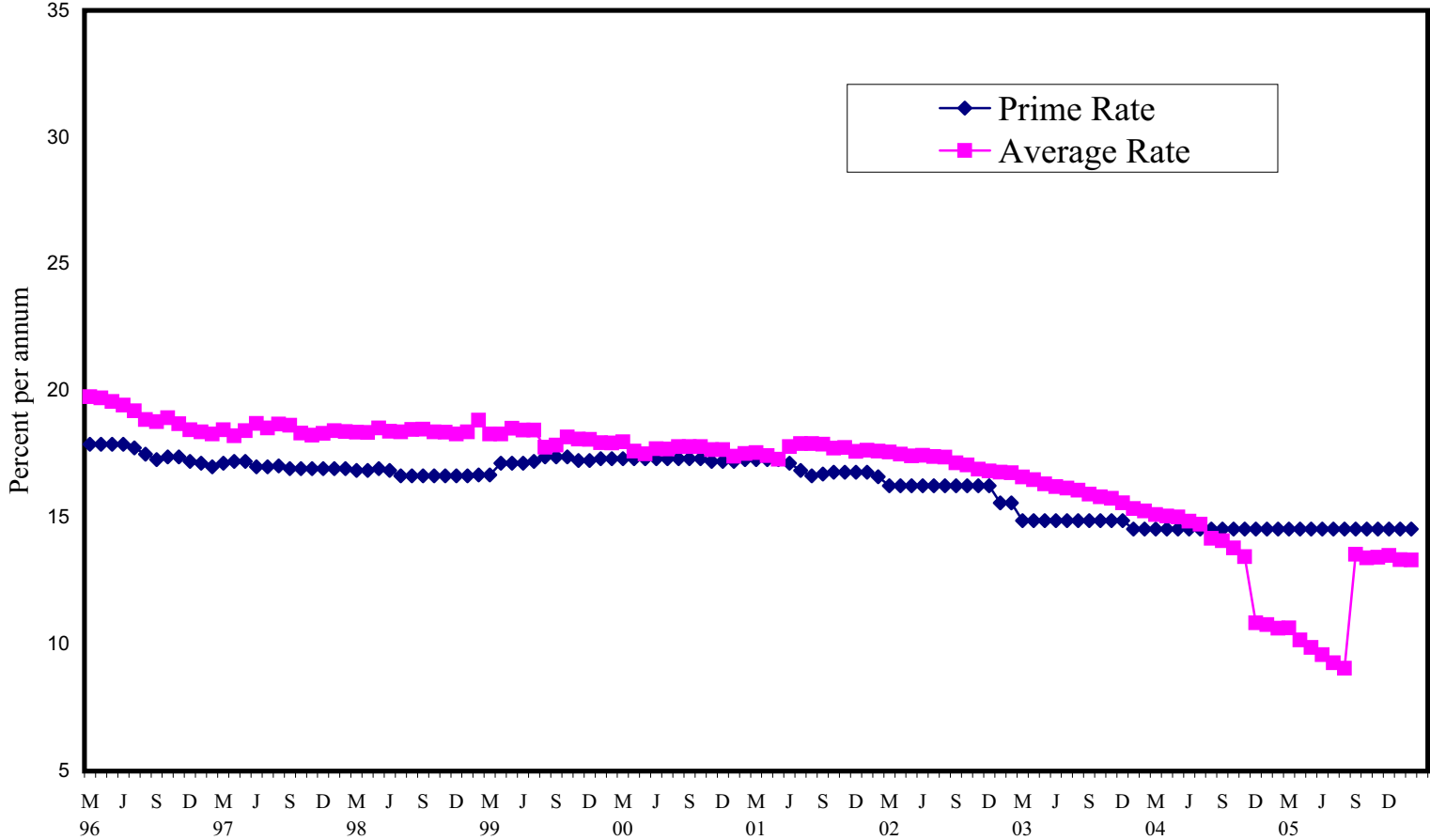
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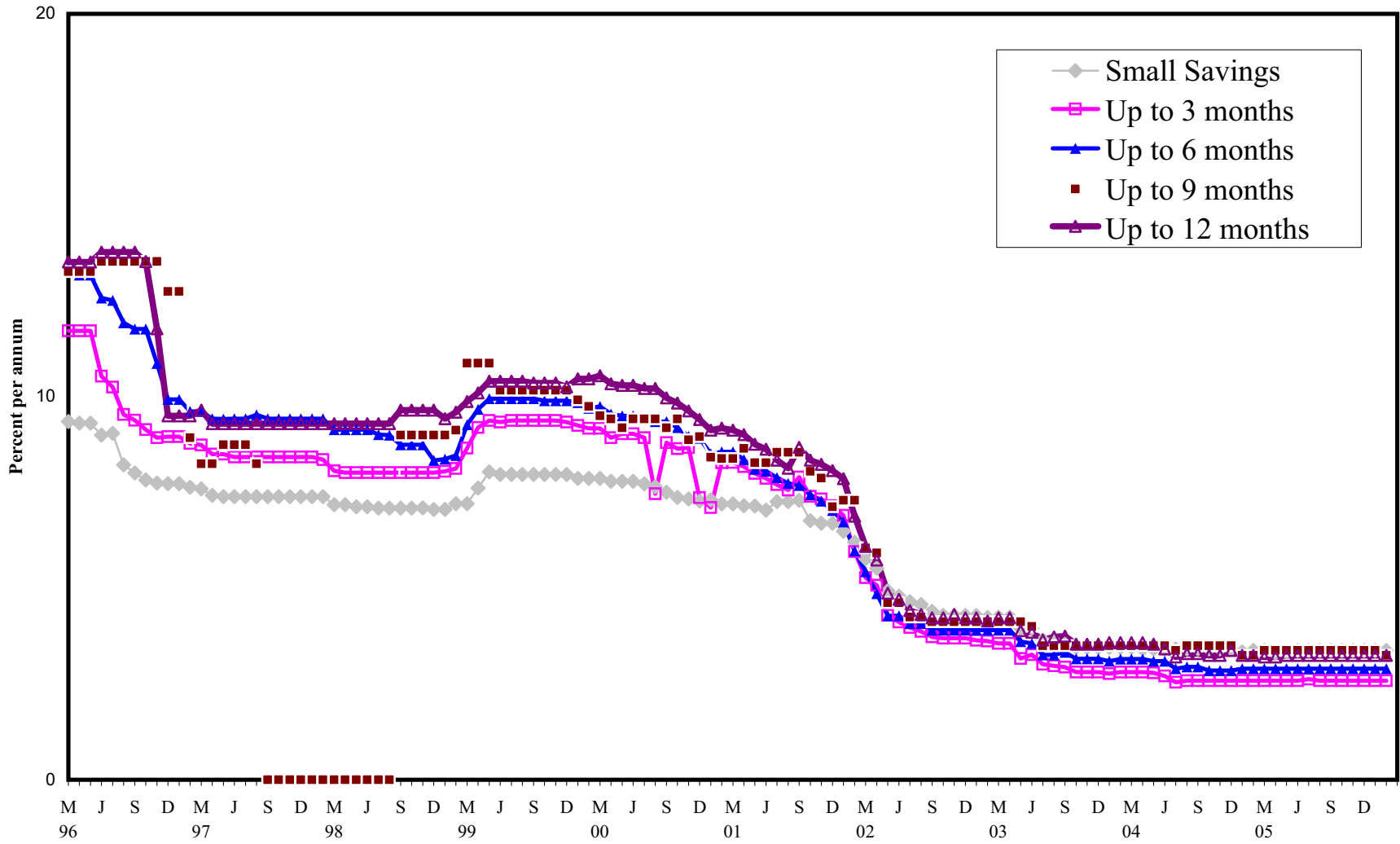


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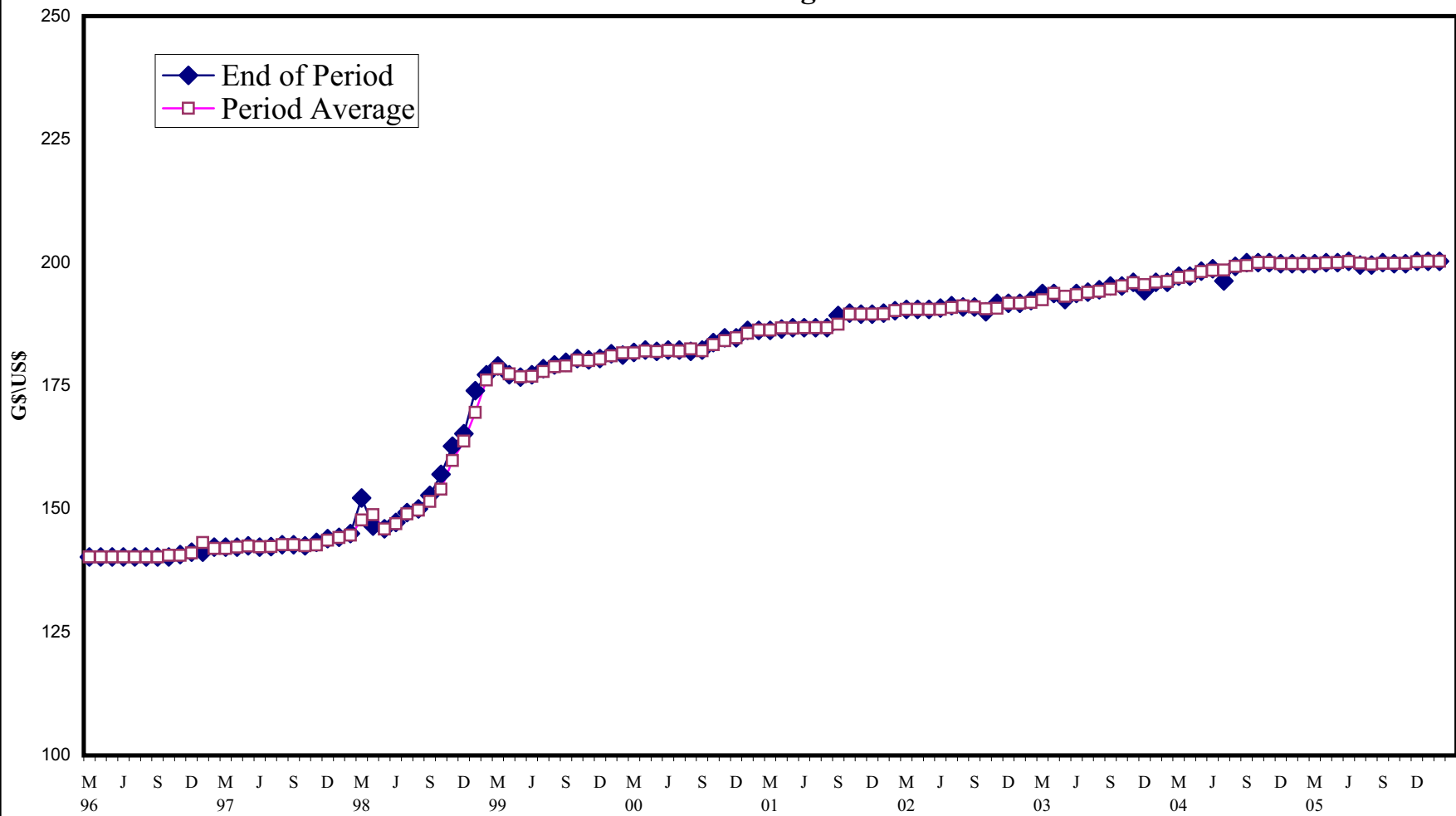


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I. GENERAL NOTES

Symbols Used

- ... Indicates that data are not available;
- Indicates that the figure is zero or less than half the final digit shown or that the item does not exist;
- Used between two period (eg 1989/90 or July-September) to indicate the years or months covered including the beginning and the ending year or month as the case may be;
- / Used between years (eg 1989/90) to indicate a crop year or fiscal year.
- † Means incomplete data due probably to under-reporting or partial response by respondents.
- * Means preliminary figures.
- ** Means revised figures.

In some cases, the individual items do not always sum up to the totals due to rounding.

With effect from December 2002, the assets and liabilities of the banking system include accrued interest.

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II. NOTES TO THE TABLES

TABLE 1.1: Bank of Guyana: Assets

Foreign Assets

Balances with Foreign Banks: Deposits of the Central Bank with Foreign Banks. The data also include holdings of foreign notes and gold.

Gold Tranche with the I.M.F.: One quarter of Guyana's subscription to the International Monetary Fund (I.M.F.) quota, which is made in gold and/or convertible currencies.

Holdings of Special Drawing Rights: Unused portion of the Special Drawing Rights (S.D.R.s) allocated by the I.M.F.

Money Market Securities: Holdings of short-and long-term debt instruments of foreign governments and the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (I.B.R.D.) recorded at cost.

Claims on the Central Government: Holdings of the Government of Guyana Treasury Bills, Debentures valued at cost and Advances from the Bank of Guyana. The Bank of Guyana Act No. 19 of 1998 section 46 has since removed the possibility of advances to Government since it restricted the Central Bank from extending credit directly or indirectly to the Government from that date.

Advances to Commercial Banks: Short term credit to commercial banks.

Other Assets: Include fixed assets such as land and buildings, furniture and equipment. Cheques in the process of collection, notes and coins issued by the British Caribbean Currency Board, non-interest-bearing debentures, and other miscellaneous assets are also included.

TABLE 1.2: Bank of Guyana: Liabilities

Currency Issue: Notes and coins issued by the Bank.

Value of notes issued for October 1999 and August 2000 does not correspond with figures in table 1.3 due to an accounting discrepancy.

Government Deposits: Current account deposits of the Central Government which includes sterilised amount from open market type operation with effect from 1994.

Deposits of International Organisations: Obligations to the I.M.F.; local currency component of the subscription to the I.M.F. quota; deposits of the I.B.R.D, the Caribbean Development Bank (C.D.B.) and foreign central banks. Other foreign liabilities of the Bank of Guyana are also included.

Bank Deposits-EPDs: Guyana dollar deposits with the Bank of Guyana made by Commercial Banks on behalf of their customers pending foreign exchange releases to meet foreign obligations which fell into arrears prior to 1990. This scheme was discontinued for foreign obligations after 1990.

Bank Deposits-Other: Commercial banks' interest earning deposits and statutory reserve deposits with Bank of Guyana are recorded here. With effect from December 1994, special interest earning deposits of the Commercial Banks were discontinued in favour of unremunerated required free reserves. The removal of remuneration for these deposits coincided with the issue of three-year

debentures to sterilise the prevailing excess liquidity levels of banks.

Other Deposits: Includes deposits of National Insurance Scheme (N.I.S.), Livestock Development Fund, Guyana Pension Scheme, Mayor and City Council, Sinking Funds, Guyana Co-operative Agricultural and Industrial Development Bank, Export Development Fund No. 1, Guyana/Libya Agricultural Development Company Limited, and Guyana/Libyan Fishing Company among others.

Authorised Share Capital: The enactment of the Bank of Guyana Act No. 19 of 1998 provided for the increase in the capital for the Bank as part of the reform process.

Other Reserves: These reserves include General, Revaluation and Contingency Reserves.

Allocation of S.D.R.'s: Liability accruing from the SDRs allocated to Guyana, which are valued at the equivalent of Guyana dollar amount converted through the S.D.R./U.S. dollar cross rate.

Other Liabilities: Include provision for accrued expenses, items in transit; private investment fund; and miscellaneous items. The decline in Other Liabilities from November 30, 2002 to December 31, 2002 reflect the charging of valuation changes to Other and Government Deposits.

TABLE 1.3: Bank of Guyana: Currency Notes Issue

Total issue of less withdrawal of mutilated or spoiled legal tender notes. In December 1996, the Bank of Guyana introduced a G\$1,000 as part of its currency reform process. This was followed by the removal from the legal tender of the G\$10, G\$5, and G\$1 notes with effect from January 1997 and their conversion to coins the new legal tender until June 30, 1997.

TABLE 1.4: Bank of Guyana: Coins Issue

Total issue of less withdrawals of defaced legal tender coins. The Bank of Guyana as part of its currency reform programme introduced with effect from January 1, 1997, G\$10, G\$5, G\$1 coins as legal tender and removed from the specie the use of cents.

TABLE 2.1(a): Commercial Banks: Assets

Balances due from Banks abroad: Deposits of commercial banks with non-resident foreign banks included head offices and branches.

Loans to Non-Residents: Commercial Bank lending to non-resident customers. Due to re-classification at a commercial bank, figures for Private Sector and Non-Resident loans have been revised from December 2000 to May 2002. In keeping with the Monetary Financial Statistics Manual (MFSM), figures for loans to Non – Residents, Private sector and public financial enterprises include accrued interest with effect from December 2002.

Other Foreign Assets: Include foreign currency holdings and all other claims on non-residents by commercial banks. Due to reclassification at a commercial bank figures for Public Sector Other and Foreign Sector Other were revised from September 2002 to February 2003.

Securities: The total volume of Central Government Treasury Bills recorded at cost and debentures held by commercial banks. In keeping with the Monetary Financial Statistics manual (MFSM), figures for Securities include accrued interest from Dec. 2002.

Loans: Central Government borrowing from the Commercial Banks. See note above under loans to non-residents.

Public Enterprises: Loans and advances extended by Commercial Banks to public financial business enterprises. Public non-financial enterprises are defined as enterprises in which Government owns above 50 per cent of the share capital. See note above under loans to non –

residents.

Other: Commercial Banks' claims on Local Government and the National Insurance Scheme. See note above under loans to non-residents

Non-Bank Financial Institutions: Loans issued to public and private non-bank financial institutions by commercial Banks'. See note above under loans to non-residents

Private Sector: Lending through loans and advances to private non-financial business enterprises and individual customers. See note above under loans to non-residents.

The decline in Private Sector Loans and advances resulted partly from a reclassification of some loans at one commercial bank. See note above under loans to non-residents.

The acquisition of Guyana National Co-operative Bank (GNCB)'s assets net of loans valued G\$8,473.0 million by the National bank of Industry and Commerce Limited on March 15' 2003 resulted in the decline in Private Sector Loans and Advances during March 2003.

Deposits with Bank of Guyana: Include statutory reserve deposits and interest earning deposits of the Commercial Banks. Effective December 28, 1994, interest-earning deposits discontinued.

External Payment Deposits (E.P.D): Guyana dollar deposits with the Bank of Guyana made by Commercial Banks on behalf of their customers, pending foreign exchange releases to meet external obligations.

Currency: Commercial Banks' holdings of local notes and coins.

Other Assets: Include balances due from other Commercial Banks, Real estate mortgage loans, fixed assets such as land and building, furniture, equipment and other miscellaneous assets.

TABLE 2.1(b): Commercial Banks: Liabilities, Capital and Reserves

Balances due to Other Banks abroad: Foreign claims made on local commercial banks by Head Offices and other banks abroad.

Non-Resident Deposits: Total deposits made by non-resident customers with commercial banks. In keeping with the Monetary Financial Statistics Manual (MFSM), figures for deposits to non-residents, Private sector and public financial enterprises include accrued interest with effect from December 2002.

Other: Include all other foreign claims on Commercial Banks.

Central Government Deposits: Total demand, time and savings deposits made by the Central Government with Commercial Banks. See note above under deposits to non-residents.

Public Enterprise Deposits: Total demand, time and savings deposits made by public non-financial enterprises with the Commercial Banks. Due to the sale of Aroaima Bauxite Company to the government and a reclassification of its accounts from the private to public sector, figures from January 2002 to April 2002 have been revised. See note above under deposits to non-residents.

Other Public Deposits: Include total deposits of Local Government and National Insurance Scheme. See note above under deposits to non-residents.

Non-Bank Financial Institutions Deposits: Consist of total deposits made by Public and Private Financial Institutions. See note above under deposits to non-residents.

Private Sector Deposits: Include total demand, time and savings deposits of Private non-financial Business Enterprises and individual customers. See note above under Public

Enterprises Deposits. See note above under deposits to non-residents.

External Payment Deposits: Comprise customers' deposits (public and private sector) with commercial banks on account of External Liabilities prior to 1990 and awaiting foreign exchange releases from the BOG.

Bank of Guyana: Commercial Bank short-term borrowing from the Bank of Guyana.

Other Liabilities: Other liabilities of the Commercial Banks include manager's cheques, acceptances, provision for taxes and other miscellaneous liabilities.

Capital and Reserve: The acquisition Guyana National Co-operative Bank (GNCB)'s assets net of loans valued G\$8,473.0 million by the National Bank of Industry and Commerce Limited on March 15' 2003 resulted in the decline in the capital and reserve of the banking systems during March 2003.

TABLE 2.2: Commercial Banks: Total Deposits

Total demand, savings and time deposits of residents and non-residents excluding inter-bank deposits are presented. Foreign currencies denominated deposits are also included here. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Tables 2.1 (b) above. See note under Non – Resident Deposits for Table 2.1(b) above.

TABLE 2.3: Commercial Banks: Demand Deposits

Current account deposits of residents and non-residents; inter-bank deposits are excluded. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Tables 2.1 (b) above.

TABLE 2.4: Commercial Banks: Time Deposits

Fixed deposits of residents and non-residents with a minimum withdrawal notice of three months; exclude inter-bank deposits. See note under non-resident deposits for Table 2.1(b) above.

TABLE 2.5: Commercial Banks: Savings Deposits

Deposits with minimum withdrawal notice of one day; exclude inter-bank deposits. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Tables 2.1 (b) above. See note non-resident deposits for Table 2.1(b) above.

TABLE 2.6: Commercial Banks: Time Deposits by Maturity

Includes deposits of both residents and non-residents.

TABLE 2.7: Commercial Banks: Savings Deposits

Includes deposits by both residents and non-residents. Ending balance on savings accounts for November 2002 do not equate to the opening balance for December 2002 due to the addition of accrued interest to the December 2002 opening balance. The ending balance for February 2003 saving accounts differs from the opening balance for March 2003 due to the reclassification from demand and time accounts to saving accounts.

TABLE 2.9: Commercial Banks: Clearing Balances

Comprise total amount of cheques cleared by and debited to the accounts of the Commercial Banks. A National Clearing House was established at the Bank of Guyana during 1998 whereby large (in excess of G\$500,000) and small valued cheques are cleared. Data recorded after 1998 in this table reflect the value of small valued cheques cleared over the reporting period.

TABLE 2.10: Commercial Banks: Total Loans and Advances

The data include loans and advances to residents and non-residents. Real estate mortgage loans and inter-bank loans are excluded. The total of loans and advances to the private sector differs from total

credit to the private sector in Table 3.1(Monetary Survey). The totals for credit to the private sector in Table 3.1 include local securities, other credit instruments and real estate mortgage loans. See note under Loans to Non-Residents for Table 2.1 (a) above. See note under Private Sector for Table 2.1(a) above

TABLE 2.11: Commercial Banks: Demand Loans and Advances

The data cover lending for short periods including overnight loans to residents and non-residents and exclude inter-bank loans. See note under Private Sector For Table 2.1(a) above.

TABLE 2.12: Commercial Banks: Term Loans and Advances

The Loans and advances are for longer periods extended to residents and non-residents; inter-bank lending is excluded. See note under Private Sector for Table 2.1(a) above. See note under loans to non-residents for Table 2.1(a) above.

TABLE 2.13: Commercial Banks: Loans and Advances to Residents by Sector

The data provided record balances at the end of the respective period and therefore indicates the indebtedness of the respective industries at the end of the reporting period. The value of credit obtained by each industry for a given period can be obtained by taking the difference between the balances at the end of the desired period and that immediately preceding. The balances in this table exclude inter-bank loans, real estate mortgage loans, local securities and other credit instruments. It should be noted that gross indebtedness of the sugar and rice industry can be obtained by adding the balances of sugar cane and sugar and molasses manufacturing of sugar, and paddy and rice milling for rice respectively. See note under Loans to Non-Residents for Table 2.1 (a) above. See note under Private Sector for Table 2.1(a) above.

TABLE 2.14: Commercial Banks: Liquid Assets

The liquid assets comprise Bank of Guyana notes and coins, foreign currency held by banks, (special interest earning) deposits held at the Bank of Guyana (BOG), balances due from other commercial banks - both local and foreign, Government of Guyana treasury bills. The special reserves deposits (SRDs) established in 1969, discontinued in 1994 as the Bank of Guyana sought to develop its capacity to manage the excess reserves of the bank more effectively. Approximately, 75-80 per cent of the SRDs were absorbed through a sale of three year, variable rate, fixed date debenture to the Commercial Banks.

Prior to March 1989, the legally required level of liquid assets to be held by the Commercial Banks against their deposit liabilities was calculated as the sum of 20 percent of demand liabilities and 15 percent of time liabilities. During the period March 31, 1989 to May 15, 1991 the determination of the required liquid assets held by the banks was based on actual holdings on specified dates. Accordingly, from March 31, 1989 to June 30, 1990 required liquid assets were stipulated as the actual holdings on March 15, 1989. Between July 30, 1990 and February 19, 1991 the required liquid assets was based on the assets held by the banks on September 30, 1989. Further, between February 20, 1991 and May 14, 1991 the required balances were set as at the end of July 30, 1990.

With effect from May 15, 1991, however, the basis for calculating required liquid assets was changed to 25 percent of demand liabilities and 20 percent of time liabilities. Further, amendments to the liquid asset requirements became effective on 26th, October 1998. The liquid assets based period as been redefined as the Monday for Friday workweek immediately proceeding the liquid asset maintenance period. The liquid asset requirement is determined by applying the prescribed percentages to the weekly average of the daily liabilities balances at the close of business of each of the five days of the liquid asset base period. Figures for Treasury Bills were reclassify from December 2000 to December 2002.

TABLE 2.15: Commercial Banks: Minimum Reserve Requirements

Prior to May 16, 1991, the minimum required reserves of the Commercial Banks were calculated as 6 percent of demand liabilities and 4 percent of time liabilities. Their percentages were changed with effect from May 16, 1991, to 11 percent of demand liabilities and 9 percent of time liabilities.

Commencing April 7, 1994, the minimum required reserves of the Commercial Banks were again revised to the sum of 16 percent of demand liabilities and 14 percent of time liabilities.

On June 29, 1998, in addition to commercial banks, other licensed financial institutions were required to maintain balances with the Central Bank against their deposits and other liabilities. Further, the required reserve period has been changed on Monday to Friday workweek instead of the Wednesday to Thursday week used previously. The required reserve period has been referred to as the reserve base period. The week following the current reserve base period, i.e. the reserve maintenance period is also based on the Monday to Friday workweek. The deposits and other liabilities to which the required reserve ratio(s) are applied are referred to as the reserve base. During the reserve maintenance period, all licensed financial institutions subject to reserve requirement are required to maintain reserves against the relevant deposit and other liabilities.

Effective February 1, 1999, the required reserve ratio applicable to all liabilities of licensed financial institutions was lowered to twelve per cent (12 %). The first reserve base period for which the revised requirements became relevant was the 1st to 5th February 1999 while the reserve maintenance period was the 8th to 12th February 1999. However, reserve balances for the non-bank licensed financial institutions are excluded from table 2.15.

TABLE 3.1: Monetary Survey

A consolidation of the balance sheets of the Bank of Guyana and commercial banks.

Foreign Assets (net)

Bank of Guyana: Gross foreign assets **less** gross foreign liabilities.

Commercial banks: Gross foreign assets **less** gross foreign liabilities. See note under Loans to Non-Residents for Table 2.1 (a) above.

Domestic Credit

Government (net): Gross lending to Central Government by the banking system (a sum of Holdings of debentures, bonds, Treasury bills and loans and advances **less** total deposits of the Central Government).

Public Enterprise (net): Gross borrowing by non-financial public enterprises from the banking system **less** their deposits. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Table 2.1 (b) above.

Other Public Sector (net): Gross borrowing from the banking system by local authorities and municipalities **less** their total deposits and other public sector funds. See note under loans to non-residents for Table 2.1(b) above.

Non-Bank Financial Institution (net): Gross borrowing from the banking system by the non-bank financial intermediaries with the banking system **less** their deposits. See note under loans to non-residents for Table 2.1(b) above.

Private Sector: Gross borrowing from the banking system. See note under Loans to Non-Residents for Table 2.1 (a) above. See note under Private Sector for Table 2.1(a) above.

Money and Quasi-Money

Money: Currency outside banks **plus** private sector demand deposits, managers' cheques and acceptances. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Table 2.1 (b) above

Currency: Currency issue (Table 1.2) **less** currency holdings by Commercial Banks (Table 2.1(a)).

Quasi-money: Time and savings deposits held by the private sector See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Table 2.1 (b) above.

Demand deposits: Balances of the private sector including managers' cheques and acceptances. See note under Public Enterprises Deposits for Table 2.1 (b) above.

Savings and Time deposits: Balances held by private sector. See note under Loans to Non-Residents for Table 2.1 (a) above.

Other (net): Includes the net sum of all assets and liabilities of the Bank of Guyana and the Commercial Banks not shown elsewhere.

TABLE 3.2: International Reserves and Foreign Assets

International Reserves

Bank of Guyana Foreign Assets: Data include gold holdings, balances with foreign banks, foreign notes, foreign cash in the process of collection, gold tranche with I.M.F., S.D.R. holdings and money securities.

Bank of Guyana Foreign Liabilities: Data include total short-term liabilities, short-term liabilities in arrears and total medium-term liabilities in arrears. The liabilities include interest obligations. Rescheduled short-term liabilities are excluded.

Foreign Assets

Bank of Guyana Foreign Assets: The composition of the assets is identical to that of International Reserves foreign assets above.

Bank of Guyana Foreign Liabilities: Data includes all short-term liabilities (current, arrears and rescheduled) and all medium-term liabilities (current, arrears and rescheduled). The liabilities include interest obligations.

Commercial Bank Foreign Assets: Data includes foreign currencies in banks, net balances due from Head Office and other branches abroad, balances due from other banks abroad, foreign treasury bills and securities and credit to non-residents. See note under loans to non-residents for Table 2.1(a) above.

Commercial Bank Foreign Liabilities: Data includes net balances due to Head Office and other branches abroad, balances due to other banks abroad and deposits of non-residents.

TABLE 4.1: Guyana: Selected Interest Rates

Interest rates at Commercial banks and non-bank financial institutions on loans and deposits. The small savings rate represents an arithmetic average of savings deposit rates as reported by the Commercial Banks. Treasury bill rates for all maturities reflect rates at the end of the reporting period. Special deposits have been discontinued with effect from December 1994. NBS deposit rate for September, October and December 2001 have been revised. Small savings rate for November 2001 has been revised. The rates for the Five dollar shares, Save and prosper shares and the deposits for NBS have been revised for July 2002. The average deposit rates for GNCB Trust Company has been revised for the period of September 2002.

TABLE 4.2: Commercial Banks: Selected Interest Rates
Arithmetic average of interest rates as reported by the Commercial Banks.

TABLE 4.3: Comparative Treasury Bills Rates and Bank Rates
The average discount rate on three month Treasury Bills for the U.K., U.S.A., Barbados, Trinidad, Guyana and Jamaica. The U.K. and U.S. rates are the average discount rates at the last tender in each month. The rates for the CARICOM territories are those rates of monthly tender held towards the end of the month. Treasury bills rates for Barbados for 2001 have been revised. The Euro area Bank Rate is the rate at which other Monetary Financial Institutions obtain overnight liquidity from the National Central Bank against eligible assets.

TABLE 4.4: Changes in Bank of Guyana Transaction Exchange Rates
The Guyana dollar was fixed in Pound Sterling at the rate of £1 to G\$4.80 until October of 1975 when it was linked to the US\$1 to G\$2.55.

On June 2, 1981, the Guyana dollar was pegged to a composite basket of currencies consisting of the United States dollar, Pound Sterling, Deutsche Mark, Trinidad and Tobago dollar and the Japanese Yen. The exchange rates was fixed at US\$1 to G\$3.00. The US dollar was the intervention currency used to determine the exchange rate.

From January 11, 1984, the composite basket of currencies was adjusted to include the Pound Sterling, Deutsche Mark, Japanese Yen, French Franc and the Netherlands Guilder, the US dollar, although nor part of the revised basket, remained as the intervention currency. The United States dollar/Guyana dollar exchange rate was announced weekly. From October 1984 until January 1987, the exchange rate was maintained in the range of G\$4.15 to G\$4.40 per US dollar.

Effective January 19, 1987, the Guyana dollar was devalued to G\$10 to US\$1, effective from April 3, 1989 the Guyana dollar was devalued moving from G\$33 per US\$ to US\$1. On June 15, 1990, the Guyana dollar was devalued from G\$33.00 per US\$ to G\$45.00 per US\$. Transactions for this rate were confined to payments in respect of oil imports and external debt services and proceeds from sugar and rice exports.

On February 21, 1991, the Guyana dollar was devalued from G\$45.00 to US\$ to G\$101.75 thereby unifying the official exchange rate with the market determined rate prevailing at that date. The US dollar continued to be the intervention currency. From February 25, 1991, the exchange rate was fixed on a weekly basis. During the period February to September 1991, the exchange rate was determined by the pervious week free market exchange rate of the commercial banks and non-bank dealers.

From October 1991, the average weighted daily exchange rate was telegraphic transfers for the three largest commercial banks was utilised to determine the exchange rate for the Bank of Guyana daily transactions.

TABLE 4.6: Monthly Average Market Exchange Rate
On March 13, 1990, the authorities established the cambio system for foreign currency transactions. Under the system, transactions in the cambio market were conducted freely with licensed dealers (banks and non-banks) setting the rate at which foreign exchange could be bought and sold. The rates are referred to as the market exchange rates.

The buying rate is a weighted average of the purchase rates of all licensed foreign exchange dealers for the month.

The selling rate is a weighted average of the sales rates of all licensed foreign exchange dealers for the month.

The mid-rate is the average buying and selling rates of all licensed foreign exchange dealers. The rate is based on transactions in foreign notes only.

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