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Preface

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This bulletin will be a useful resource for policy makers, development partners and many others interested in the economy and development process of Sri Lanka.

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1. Employment

1.1 Labour force status of the household population, 2013 - 2023 (Age 15 Years and above)

Year	Household population (15 years & over)	Labour force			Not in labour force number	Employment rate (% to total labour force)	Unemployment rate (% to total labour force)	Labour force participation rate (%)
		Total number of labour force	Employed number	Unemployed number				
2013	14,959,065	8,033,804	7,681,279	352,526	6,925,260	95.6	4.4	53.7
2014	15,134,484	8,048,884	7,700,489	348,395	7,085,600	95.7	4.3	53.2
2015	15,281,945	8,214,473	7,830,976	383,496	7,067,473	95.3	4.7	53.8
2016	15,448,679	8,310,682	7,947,683	362,999	7,137,997	95.6	4.4	53.8
2017	15,843,735	8,566,686	8,208,179	358,507	7,277,049	95.8	4.2	54.1
2018	16,196,232	8,387,759	8,015,166	372,593	7,808,473	95.6	4.4	51.8
2019	16,424,016	8,592,010	8,180,693	411,318	7,832,006	95.2	4.8	52.3
2020	16,739,396	8,466,606	7,999,093	467,513	8,272,790	94.5	5.5	50.6
2021	17,133,659	8,553,290	8,113,507	439,783	8,580,369	94.9	5.1	49.9
2022	17,161,973	8,547,062	8,147,731	399,332	8,614,911	95.3	4.7	49.8
2023	17,306,492	8,408,331	8,009,916	398,415	8,898,161	95.3	4.7	48.6

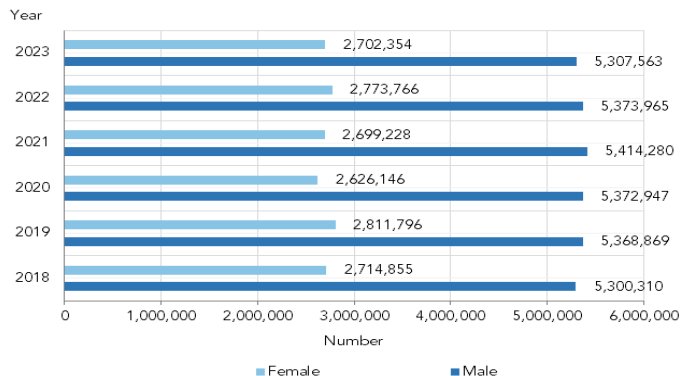
1.2 Employed population by gender, 2018 – 2023

	(Number)					
Employed population	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	8,015,166	8,180,693	7,999,093	8,113,507[#]	8,147,731	8,009,916
Male	5,300,310	5,368,869	5,372,947	5,414,280	5,373,965	5,307,563
Female	2,714,855	2,811,796	2,626,146	2,699,228	2,773,766	2,702,354

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Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population.

Figure 01 - Employed population by gender, 2018 - 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

1.3 Percentage distribution of employed population by employment status & gender, 2018 - 2023

(%)

Employment status	2018			2019			2020		
	Sri Lanka	Male	Female	Sri Lanka	Male	Female	Sri Lanka	Male	Female
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Employee	57.8	57.6	57.8	57.9	57.7	58.3	57.5	56.7	59.0
Employer	2.8	3.7	1.0	2.6	3.5	0.8	2.5	3.4	0.8
Own account worker	32.3	36.0	24.9	32.5	36.5	24.3	33.2	37.5	24.4
Contributing family worker	7.2	2.5	16.3	7.0	2.3	16.1	6.8	2.4	15.8
Employment status	2021			2022			2023		
	Sri Lanka	Male	Female	Sri Lanka	Male	Female	Sri Lanka	Male	Female
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Employee	57.3	56.6	58.7	58.0	57.0	60.0	59.0	57.7	61.9
Employer	2.7	3.7	0.8	2.9	3.9	1.0	2.6	3.5	0.9
Own account worker	33.4	37.3	25.4	33.1	37.2	25.4	32.8	36.8	25.0
Contributing family worker	6.6	2.4	15.2	5.9	2.0	13.6	5.5	2.1	12.2

Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

1.4 Employed population by major economic sector, 2018 - 2023

Major economic sector	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total (Number)	8,015,166	8,180,693	7,999,093	8,113,507	8,147,731	8,009,916
%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Agriculture (Number)	2,043,698	2,071,940	2,169,679	2,213,015	2,158,559	2,088,344
%	25.5	25.3	27.1	27.3	26.5	26.1
Industry (Number)	2,239,262	2,258,421	2,152,746	2,109,482	2,158,199	2,043,154
%	27.9	27.6	26.9	26.0	26.5	25.5
Services (Number)	3,732,206	3,850,332	3,676,688	3,791,011	3,830,973	3,878,418
%	46.6	47.1	46.0	46.7	47.0	48.4

Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

1.5 Percentage distribution of employed population by number of hours worked per week, 2018 - 2023

Hours worked per week	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	(%) 2023
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
0 [#]	5.6	6.4	14.6	9.6	5.8	4.2
1 - 9	1.7	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.4
10 - 39	25.7	26.8	27.1	29.6	31.9	31.2
40 & above	66.9	65.1	56.2	58.7	60.3	62.1

- Has a job but not at work during the reference week.

Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

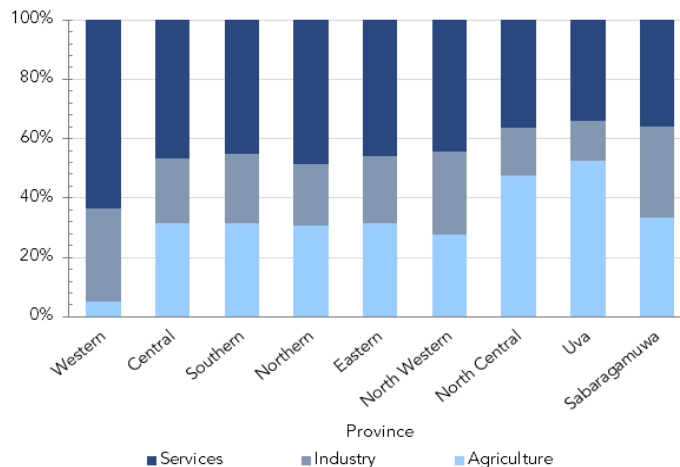
1.6 Percentage distribution of employed population by major economic sector, 2023

Sector / Province	Total	Major economic sector (%)		
		Agriculture	Industry	Services
Sri Lanka	100.0	26.1	25.5	48.4
Sector				
Urban	100.0	3.9	24.9	71.2
Rural	100.0	28.7	26.1	45.2
Estate	100.0	60.4	17.4	22.2
Province				
Western	100.0	5.3	31.3	63.4
Central	100.0	31.6	21.9	46.5
Southern	100.0	31.4	23.5	45.0
Northern	100.0	30.9	20.4	48.7
Eastern	100.0	31.5	22.5	46.0
North Western	100.0	27.7	28.0	44.3
North Central	100.0	47.6	16.2	36.1
Uva	100.0	52.7	13.4	33.9
Sabaragamuwa	100.0	33.4	30.8	35.8

Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Figure 02 - Employed population by economic sector, 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

1.7 Labour force participation rate by gender, 2018 – 2023

(Age 15 years and above)

(%)

Gender	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	51.8	52.3	50.6	49.9	49.8	48.6
Male	73.0	73.0	71.9	71.0	70.5	68.6
Female	33.6	34.5	32.0	31.8	32.1	31.3

1.8 Labour force participation rate by residential sector, 2018 - 2023

(Age 15 years and above)

(%)

Sector	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	51.8	52.3	50.6	49.9	49.8	48.6
Urban	49.6	50.2	47.0	46.9	47.2	46.0
Rural	52.3	52.7	51.3	50.5	50.3	49.1

1.9 Unemployment rate by age group and gender, 2018 - 2023

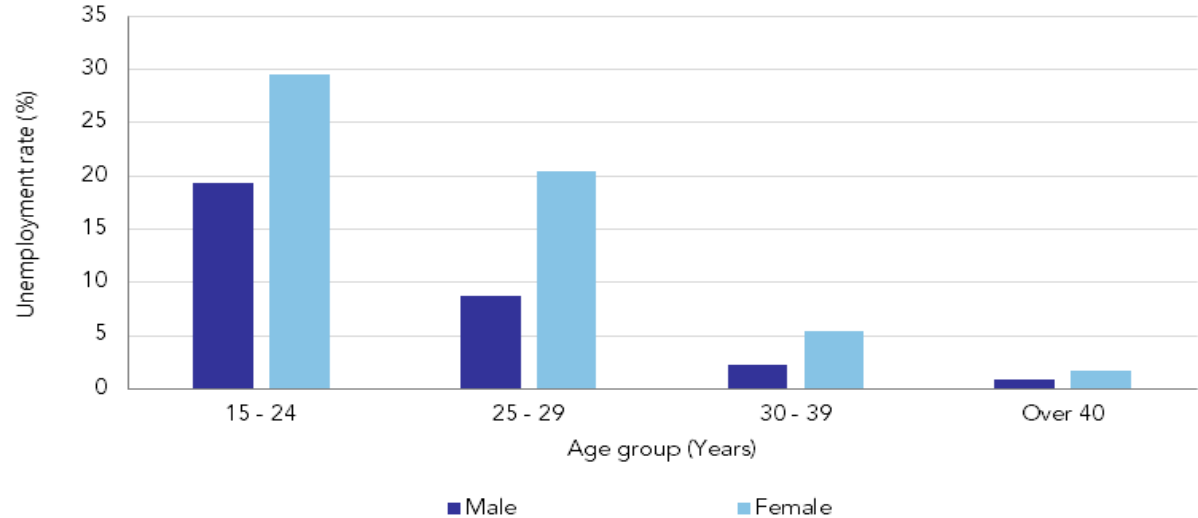
(%)

Age group (Years)	2018			2019			2020		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total	4.4	3.0	7.1	4.8	3.3	7.4	5.5	4.0	8.5
15 - 24	21.4	16.8	30.0	21.5	17.6	28.7	26.5	22.1	35.1
25 - 29	10.4	5.4	19.8	11.0	6.6	18.5	12.0	7.9	19.3
30 - 39	3.0	1.4	5.9	3.1	1.3	6.3	3.5	2.2	6.0
Over 40	0.7	0.5	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.7	1.1	0.7	2.1
Age group (Years)	2021			2022			2023		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total	5.1	3.7	7.9	4.7	3.7	6.5	4.7	3.6	7.0
15 - 24	26.5	21.3	36.2	22.7	20.4	26.7	23.0	19.4	29.5
25 - 29	11.4	7.5	18.3	11.7	8.2	17.7	13.0	8.7	20.4
30 - 39	3.8	2.2	6.5	3.1	2.2	4.9	3.3	2.2	5.4
Over 40	1.0	0.6	1.6	1.2	0.9	1.6	1.2	0.9	1.7

Note - Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Figure 03 - Unemployment rate by age group and gender, 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

1.10 Unemployment rate by level of education & gender, 2018 - 2023

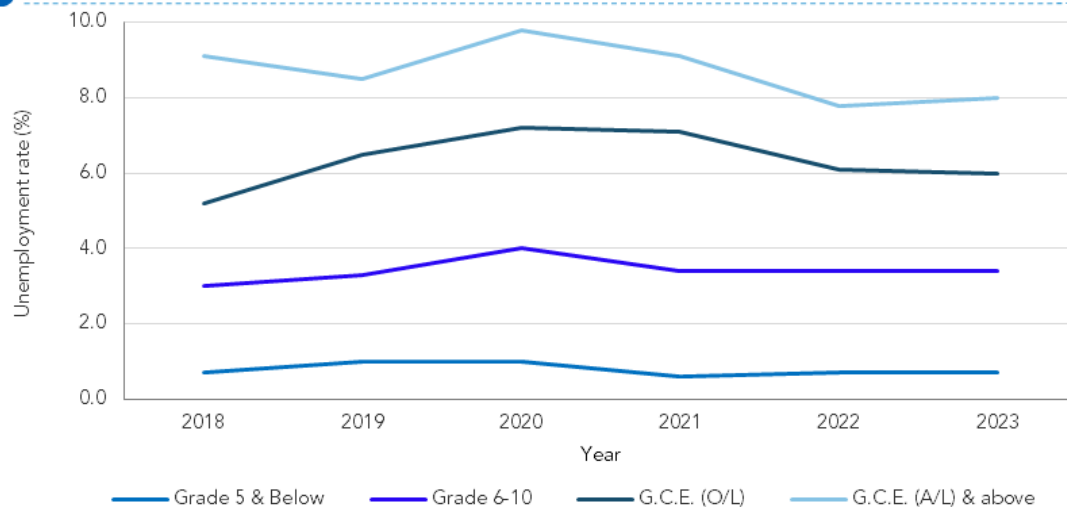
								(%)
Level of education		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Sri Lanka	Total	4.4	4.8	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.7	
	Male	3.0	3.3	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.6	
	Female	7.1	7.4	8.5	7.9	6.5	7.0	
Grade 5 & below	Total	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	
	Male	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	
	Female	0.8	1.6	1.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	
Grade 6-10	Total	3.0	3.3	4.0	3.4	3.4	3.4	
	Male	2.6	2.9	3.4	2.7	3.0	2.9	
	Female	4.0	4.5	5.5	5.2	4.2	4.6	
G.C.E. (O/L)	Total	5.2	6.5	7.2	7.1	6.1	6.0	
	Male	3.9	4.9	5.9	5.8	5.5	4.6	
	Female	8.0	9.6	9.8	10.2	7.5	8.9	
G.C.E. (A/L) and above	Total	9.1	8.5	9.8	9.1	7.8	8.0	
	Male	5.1	5.0	6.2	6.2	5.5	5.8	
	Female	13.2	11.9	13.6	12.2	10.1	10.2	

These figures are to be treated with caution as the corresponding CV (Coefficient of Variance) values are high.

Age 15 years and over population is considered as working age population

Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

Figure 04 - Unemployment rate by level of education, 2018 - 2023

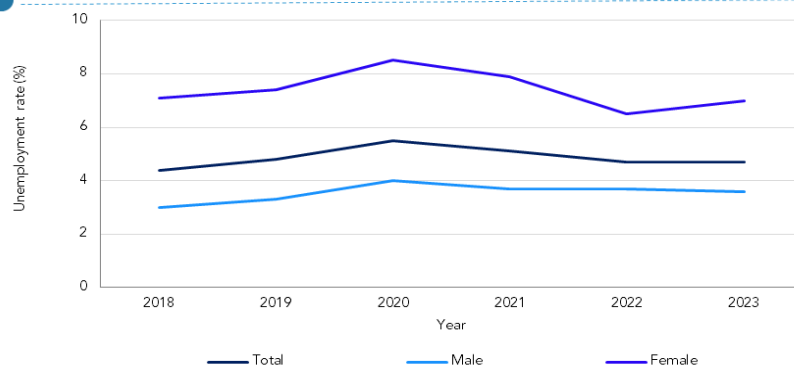


Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

1.11 Unemployment rate by gender, 2018 - 2023

Gender	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total	4.4	4.8	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.7
Male	3.0	3.3	4.0	3.7	3.7	3.6
Female	7.1	7.4	8.5	7.9	6.5	7.0

Figure 05 - Unemployment rate by gender, 2018 - 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

1.12 Unemployment rate by district, 2018 - 2023

(%)

Year	Total	District																								
		Colombo	Gampaha	Kalutara	Kandy	Matale	Nuwara Eliya	Galle	Matara	Hambantota	Jaffna	Mannar	Vavunia	Mullativu	Kilinochchi	Batticaloa	Ampara	Trincomalee	Kurunegala	Puttalam	Anuraddhapura	Polonnaruwa	Badulla	Moneragala	Ratnapura	Kegalle
2018	4.4	3.6	2.5	3.2	5.9	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.7	6.6	6.7	7.1	4.2	2.0	3.8	6.8	6.1	4.5	3.5	3.9	4.6	4.2	5.4	4.8	3.3	5.6
2019	4.8	4.1	4.3	3.2	6.6	7.4	4.2	5.7	7.5	7.3	6.0	5.4	4.6	2.8	2.4	7.2	6.9	4.5	4.7	2.8	3.1	3.6	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.7
2020	5.5	4.8	6.2	5.4	7.5	6.2	4.9	7.0	8.6	7.9	6.8	3.6	2.7	4.7	3.4	4.6	6.1	2.6	5.0	2.9	3.9	4.5	3.6	6.5	5.2	5.5
2021	5.1	4.4	4.7	6.5	6.8	6.1	3.7	7.0	7.2	7.7	4.7	2.1	5.4	2.4	5.3	7.2	5.1	1.4	3.7	3.5	4.6	4.5	5.6	5.4	4.7	5.2
2022	4.7	5.1	4.5	5.4	6.7	5.6	4.3	5.7	5.2	6.9	5.7	2.7	2.1	2.3	4.4	4.2	4.3	2.7	3.9	3.5	4.1	2.9	4.6	3.9	3.5	4.1
2023	4.7	3.7	4.0	6.3	7.4	3.5	2.9	6.2	6.1	7.3	4.0	2.1	3.0	2.2	3.9	6.1	3.1	2.5	3.4	3.5	5.2	3.9	8.0	4.0	3.9	5.2

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2. Poverty

2.1 Poverty incidence (headcount index) in Sri Lanka by province, 2006/07 - 2019

(%)

Province	Survey Period					
	Old poverty line*					Updated poverty line**
	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016	2019	2019
Sri Lanka	15.2	8.9	6.7	4.1	3.2	14.3
Western	8.2	4.2	2.0	1.7	1.1	5.7
Central	22.3	9.7	6.6	5.4	4.7	18.7
Southern	13.8	9.8	7.7	3.0	2.3	12.6
Northern	-	12.8	10.9	7.7	8.0	23.8
Eastern	10.8	14.8	11.0	7.3	3.7	18.6
North Western	14.6	11.3	6.0	2.7	1.8	11.8
North Central	14.2	5.7	7.3	3.3	2.0	11.0
Uva	27.0	13.7	15.4	6.5	6.6	28.3
Sabaragamuwa	24.2	10.6	8.8	6.7	6.2	23.1

* Old poverty line (Based on 2002 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using CCPI for the survey years

** Updated Poverty line (Based on 2012/2013 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using NCPI for the survey year 2019

“ - ” Survey was not conducted due to conflict situation.

Source: Department of Census & Statistics

2.2 Number of poor persons in Sri Lanka by province, 2006/07 - 2019

Province	Survey Period					(Number '000)
	Old poverty line*					Updated poverty line**
	2006/07	2009/10	2012/13	2016	2019	2019
Sri Lanka	2,805	1,806	1,339	844	690	3,042
Western	471	253	116	101	66	342
Central	573	256	166	142	126	504
Southern	338	247	188	75	60	327
Northern	-	92	114	84	89	267
Eastern	100	222	169	118	63	316
North Western	342	272	140	65	45	294
North Central	168	71	89	42	27	145
Uva	346	183	190	84	88	379
Sabaragamuwa	467	210	167	133	126	468

* Old poverty line (Based on 2002 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using CCPI for the survey years

** Updated Poverty line (Based on 2012/2013 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using NCPI for the survey year 2019

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Source: Department of Census & Statistics

2.3 Percentage of poor households by district, 2002 - 2019

(%)

District Years	Sri Lanka	Colombo	Gampaha	Kalutara	Kandy	Matale	Nuwara Eliya	Galle	Matara	Hambantota	Jaffna	Mannar	Vavunia	Mullativu	Kilinochchi	Batticaloa	Ampara	Trincomalee	Kurunegala	Puttalam	Anuradhapura	Polonnaruwa	Badulla	Moneragala	Ratnapura	Kegalle
2002	19.2	5.0	9.2	17.7	20.9	24.5	18.2	21.7	23.2	27.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.2	24.5	17.2	20.1	31.5	32.4	30.1	27.5
2006/07	12.6	3.9	7.2	10.3	13.9	15.7	27.5	10.7	11.7	10.5	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	8.7	-	12.9	10.6	12.7	10.0	21.0	29.2	21.5	18.4
2009/10	7.0	2.5	3.0	4.1	8.3	9.3	7.1	7.9	8.3	5.4	12.4	-	2.0	-	-	17.0	10.0	9.0	8.6	7.5	4.6	4.5	10.9	13.9	8.5	9.0
2012/13	5.3	1.1	1.5	2.5	4.6	6.0	5.6	7.7	6.2	3.8	6.6	15.0	2.4	24.7	10.7	14.3	4.1	6.2	5.0	3.3	6.3	5.6	10.4	18.8	7.5	5.4
2016	3.1	0.6	1.3	2.3	4.2	3.2	4.6	2.0	3.7	1.1	6.0	0.9	1.5	11.2	15.0	8.1	2.1	6.8	2.3	1.6	2.7	1.7	5.9	4.4	4.8	5.4
2019*	2.5	0.2	0.7	2.0	2.4	2.8	7.0	2.5	1.8	1.0	6.9	1.1	4.3	10.8	6.4	3.3	2.1	3.2	1.8	1.0	0.7	3.2	6.0	4.1	5.4	4.5
2019**	11.9	1.8	4.2	9.5	11.5	15.6	23.9	10.8	9.5	12.0	20.8	6.3	12.1	39.5	23.0	16.2	14.2	15.0	10.7	8.1	7.2	13.8	28.0	18.4	20.7	18.0

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* Poverty line (based 2002 on CCPI)

** Poverty line (based 2012/13 on NCPI)

3. National Accounts

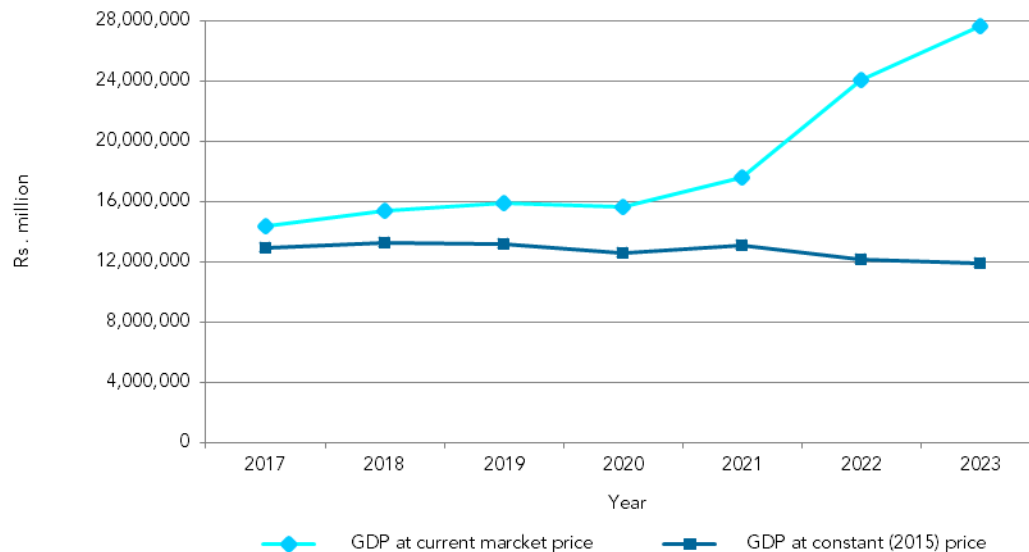
3.1 Gross domestic product and gross national income, 2017 - 2023

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
Current market price							
Gross domestic product (Rs. mn.)	14,387,319	15,351,933	15,910,976	15,646,254	17,612,370	24,063,762	27,629,665
Gross national income (Rs. mn.)	14,034,464	14,962,333	15,469,582	15,223,191	17,216,831	23,432,546	26,734,375
Constant (2015) price							
Gross domestic product (Rs. mn.)	12,936,612	13,235,458	13,206,276	12,595,550	13,125,505	12,161,201	11,881,736
Gross national income (Rs. mn.)	12,621,473	12,894,775	12,833,457	12,258,930	12,831,414	11,853,903	11,501,722
GDP growth rate (%)	6.5	2.3	(0.2)	(4.6)	4.2	(7.3)	(2.3)
GDP implicit price deflator (2015=100)	111.2	116.0	120.5	124.2	134.2	197.9	232.5
Change in GDP implicit price deflator (2015=100)	5.5	4.3	3.9	3.1	8.0	47.5	17.5

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Figure 06 - Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at current market price and constant (2015) price, 2017 - 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

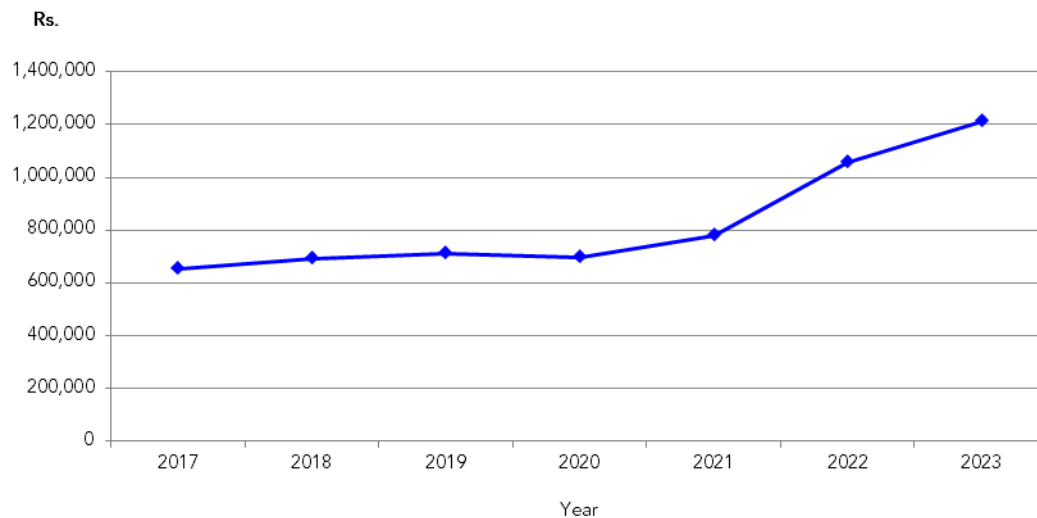
3.2 Per-capita gross national income (GNI), 2017 - 2023

Indicator	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
Per-capita GNI							
At current price (Rs.)	654,470	690,463	709,516	694,520	777,073	1,056,424	1,213,159
At current price (US\$)	4,293	4,248	3,969	3,744	3,907	3,255	3,708

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Figure 07 - Per-capita gross national income at current market price, 2017 - 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

3.3 Percentage share of gross domestic product by major sector, 2016 - 2023

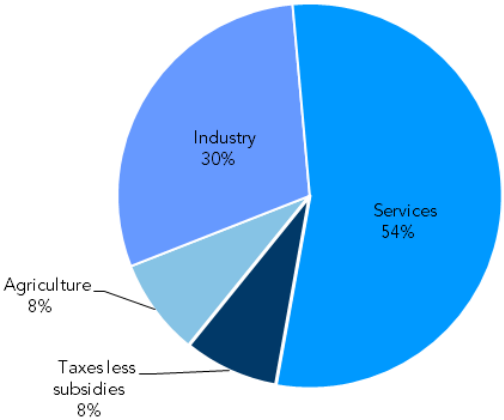
Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	(%) 2023*
Share of GDP at current market prices								
Agriculture	7.3	7.4	7.6	7.3	8.3	8.8	8.5	8.3
Industry	30.5	31.1	30.1	29.2	28.2	30.0	29.8	25.6
Services	53.4	52.2	53.6	55.7	57.8	55.9	57.0	59.9
Taxes less subsidies	8.8	9.2	8.7	7.8	5.7	5.4	4.7	6.2
Share of GDP at constant (2015) prices								
Agriculture	7.5	6.9	7.1	7.2	7.5	7.2	7.5	7.9
Industry	30.2	32.0	31.0	29.8	29.6	30.0	27.2	25.3
Services	54.0	52.6	53.6	55.3	56.9	56.5	59.4	60.6
Taxes less subsidies	8.3	8.5	8.2	7.7	6.1	6.3	5.9	6.3

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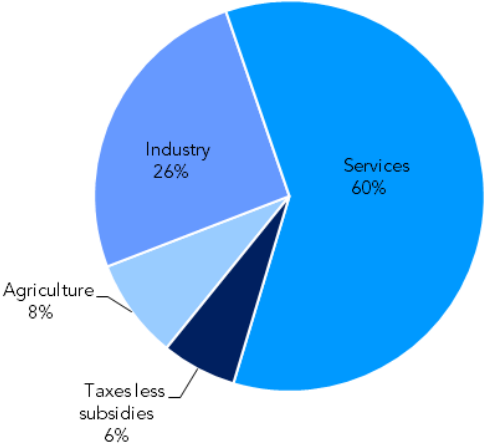
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Figure 08 - Percentage share of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at current market price, 2015 & 2023

Percentage share of GDP at current market price, 2015



Percentage share of GDP at current market price, 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

3.4 Quarterly gross domestic product and economic growth, 2017 - 2023

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
1st Quarter							
GDP at current market price (Rs. mn.)	3,574,220	3,982,861	4,079,249	4,159,281	4,598,722	5,555,203	7,339,004
GDP at constant (2015) price (Rs. mn.)	3,299,080	3,421,635	3,416,841	3,386,607	3,562,623	3,539,811	3,161,963
Economic growth rate (%)	7.3	3.7	(0.1)	(0.9)	5.2	(0.6)	(10.7)
2nd Quarter							
GDP at current market price (Rs. mn.)	3,326,933	3,620,207	3,727,655	3,156,071	3,899,360	5,403,826	6,082,626
GDP at constant (2015) price (Rs. mn.)	2,966,174	3,121,491	3,066,814	2,541,221	2,877,135	2,725,140	2,644,240
Economic growth rate (%)	4.3	5.2	(1.8)	(17.1)	13.2	(5.3)	(3.0)
3rd Quarter							
GDP at current market price (Rs. mn.)	3,693,658	3,891,882	4,111,658	4,219,067	4,411,395	6,583,070	6,904,277
GDP at constant (2015) price (Rs. mn.)	3,239,170	3,381,562	3,421,977	3,382,767	3,310,787	2,940,860	2,987,544
Economic growth rate (%)	6.0	4.4	1.2	(1.1)	(2.1)	(11.2)	1.6
4th quarter							
GDP at current market price (Rs. mn.)	3,792,508	3,856,984	3,992,414	4,111,835	4,702,893	6,521,664	7,303,758
GDP at constant (2015) price (Rs. mn.)	3,432,189	3,310,769	3,300,644	3,284,956	3,374,960	2,955,390	3,087,989
Economic growth rate (%)	8.0	(3.5)	(0.3)	(0.5)	2.7	(12.4)	4.5

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3.5 Percentage share of expenditure on gross domestic product at current market price, 2017 - 2023

(%)

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
Final consumption expenditure	67.0	68.9	71.7	73.3	70.7	75.0	76.2
Household	59.1	60.3	62.7	62.9	61.2	67.8	69.3
Government	7.9	8.6	9.0	10.4	9.5	7.2	6.9
Individual	3.9	3.9	4.7	5.6	5.0	3.9	3.7
Collective	4.0	4.7	4.3	4.8	4.4	3.3	3.1
Gross capital formation	39.7	38.1	34.1	32.9	36.7	28.6	25.3
External balance of goods and services	(6.7)	(6.9)	(5.8)	(6.2)	(7.4)	(3.6)	(1.5)
Exports of goods and non-factor services	20.2	21.4	21.8	15.5	16.9	21.6	20.4
Imports of goods and non-factor services	26.9	28.4	27.6	21.6	24.3	25.1	21.9
Gross domestic product / expenditure	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

[#] Revised^{*} Provisional

3.6 Gross domestic product by industrial origin at constant (2015) price, 2019 - 2023

(Rs. million)

Economics activity (SLSIC)	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	949,582	941,046	950,548	910,842	934,248
Manufacturing, mining and quarrying and other industries	2,694,028	2,601,439	2,765,135	2,381,257	2,268,236
Of which: Manufacturing activities	2,147,376	2,092,317	2,247,151	1,962,458	1,900,381
Construction	1,239,700	1,123,127	1,172,761	927,321	734,859
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation and storage, accommodation and food service activities	3,269,056	3,110,376	3,149,945	3,226,022	3,325,828
Information and communication	321,711	357,578	418,083	416,328	361,295
Financial and insurance activities	630,917	674,951	744,764	608,635	576,239
Real estate activities (including ownership of dwelling)	610,231	604,259	630,570	554,456	521,465
Professional, scientific, technical, administration and support service activities	297,462	287,781	301,890	248,468	254,360
Public administration, defense, education, human health and social work activities	1,124,679	1,147,662	1,172,791	1,169,143	1,162,374
Other services (excluding own-services)	1,052,980	983,900	992,662	995,154	998,877
Equals Gross Value Added (GVA), at basic price	12,190,346	11,832,118	12,299,149	11,437,626	11,137,782
(+) Taxes on products	1,059,823	811,898	877,730	775,977	797,927
(-) Subsidies on products	43,892	48,466	51,374	52,401	53,973
Equals GDP at market price	13,206,276	12,595,550	13,125,505	12,161,201	11,881,736

[#] Revised^{*} Provisional

3.7 Gross domestic product by industrial origin at current market price, 2019 - 2023

(Rs. million)

Economics activity (SLSIC)	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	1,154,540	1,291,023	1,548,117	2,044,721	2,288,020
Manufacturing, mining and quarrying and other industries	3,082,297	3,037,059	3,703,400	5,251,466	5,650,107
Of which: Manufacturing activities	2,571,341	2,548,143	3,164,083	4,729,260	4,950,993
Construction	1,562,278	1,380,791	1,572,211	1,921,624	1,421,045
Wholesale and retail trade, transportation and storage, accommodation and food service activities	3,868,757	3,801,974	4,064,134	6,339,682	8,014,508
Information and communication	349,192	385,981	475,127	575,547	559,248
Financial and insurance activities	740,512	890,111	1,120,638	1,687,303	2,165,247
Real estate activities (including ownership of dwelling)	737,948	741,750	821,121	1,015,941	1,159,821
Professional, scientific, technical, administration and support service activities	365,255	352,460	382,833	445,577	554,182
Public administration, defense, education, human health and social work activities	1,530,443	1,665,963	1,770,239	1,947,566	2,055,478
Other services (excluding own-services)	1,277,604	1,210,362	1,206,712	1,708,257	2,048,824
Equals Gross Value Added (GVA), at basic price	14,668,824	14,757,475	16,664,532	22,937,682	25,916,480
(+) Taxes on products	1,277,118	925,466	969,074	1,186,265	1,767,053
(-) Subsidies on products	34,966	36,687	21,235	60,185	53,869
Equals GDP at market price	15,910,976	15,646,254	17,612,370	24,063,762	27,629,665

[#] Revised^{*} Provisional

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

3.8 Reconciliation of key aggregates at current market price, 2017 - 2023

(Rs. million)

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020 [#]	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023*
Gross domestic product (GDP)	14,387,319	15,351,933	15,910,976	15,646,254	17,612,370	24,063,762	27,629,665
Plus : Primary income from rest of the world	26,394	40,204	44,989	36,766	22,965	90,402	151,550
Less : Primary income to rest of the world	379,250	429,805	486,383	459,829	418,504	721,618	1,046,841
Gross national income (GNI)	14,034,464	14,962,333	15,469,582	15,223,191	17,216,831	23,432,546	26,734,375
Plus : Current transfers received	1,093,607	1,139,324	1,202,334	1,319,377	1,088,388	1,253,677	1,957,222
Less : Current transfers paid	129,291	139,821	171,644	168,589	53,694	94,272	121,015
Gross National disposable income (GDNI)	14,998,779	15,961,836	16,500,272	16,373,980	18,251,526	24,591,950	28,570,582
Less : Final consumption	9,634,523	10,571,361	11,403,356	11,469,129	12,443,651	18,038,220	21,051,610
Gross saving	5,364,256	5,390,476	5,096,916	4,904,851	5,807,874	6,553,730	7,518,971
Plus : Capital transfers received	6,125	6,702	9,054	9,472	9,850	11,909	30,647
Less : Capital transfers paid	4,458	4,437	4,959	4,279	4,841	5,786	10,007
Less : Gross domestic capital formation	5,715,597	5,842,451	5,427,029	5,143,099	6,469,768	6,883,029	6,990,752
Net lending/Net borrowing	(349,674)	(449,710)	(326,019)	(233,056)	(656,885)	(323,175)	548,859

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4. Tourism

4.1 Trends in the economic indicators of tourism sector, 2017 - 2023

(Number)

Year	Tourist Arrivals	Excursionist (Spent less than 24 hours in the country) arrivals	Number of accommodation establishments	Employment	
				Direct	Indirect
2017	2,116,407	131,409*	2,094	156,369	202,846
2018	2,333,796 [#]	186,862*	2,312	169,003	219,484
2019	1,913,702	113,449*	2,620	173,592	229,015
2020	507,704	32,215*	3,019	175,990	171,761
2021	194,495	600*	3,656	177,476	180,451
2022	719,978	38,811*	3,824	190,521	195,715
2023*	1,487,303	100,341	4,349	204,591	225,050

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[#] Revised

Source: Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority

4.2 Departures for foreign employment by manpower level and sex, 2014 - 2023

Year														(Number)	
	Professional level		Middle Level		Clerical & Related		Skilled		Semi-Skilled		Low-skilled		Domestic Housekeeping Assistants	Total	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Female		
2014	4,956	416	20,048	730	27,603	1,664	66,476	6,686	3,394	583	67,740	11,779	88,628	300,703	
2015	5,828	423	6,269	682	11,050	1,451	77,030	4,652	4,394	453	68,217	9,768	73,226	263,443	
2016	6,049	529	7,376	858	9,283	1,579	72,548	3,997	3,519	407	61,531	10,125	65,015	242,816	
2017	5,937	442	6,264	863	7,670	1,601	65,068	3,912	2,957	340	51,372	9,682	55,884	211,992	
2018 [#]	8,368	637	5,673	857	7,925	1,502	62,351	4,662	2,478	291	42,917	8,786	64,757	211,211	
2019	8,989	872	4,788	937	7,543	1,620	57,532	5,179	2,672	278	40,733	10,455	61,489	203,087	
2020	2,716	241	1,315	181	2,098	398	14,819	1,845	705	84	10,847	3,140	15,322	53,711	
2021 [#]	7,735	638	3,618	638	5,474	1,066	37,523	2,651	1,798	132	24,962	6,714	29,315	122,264	
Skilled							Low Skilled						Total		
Male					Female			Male			Female				
2022 [#]	118,979					88,390			67,968			35,616			310,953
2023*	106,763					101,823			57,845			31,225			297,656

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Source: Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment

4.3 Tourist arrivals by region, 2019 - 2023

(Number)

Region	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total arrivals	1,913,702	507,704	194,495	719,978	1,487,303
Western/Northern/Southern Europe	690,716	180,830	55,367	273,164	480,406
Central/Eastern Europe	196,856	100,766	38,129	159,062	276,921
North America	119,681	29,627	11,281	49,409	91,080
East Asia	286,381	52,247	6,861	22,156	136,850
South Asia	447,675	106,201	72,298	157,505	384,448
Australasia	105,414	22,706	4,767	33,876	75,635
Other Regions	66,979	15,327	5,792	24,806	41,963

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Source: Sri Lanka Tourism Development Authority

4.4 Foreign employees' remittances, 2019 - 2023

Region	(US\$ million)				
	2019	2020	2021	2022*	2023*
Middle East	3,459	3,673	2,834	1,936	2,535
European Union	1,263	1350	1,032	705	541
Far East Asia	826	870	686	481	465
Europe-Other	282	305	231	155	464
North America	161	178	126	91	527
South East Asia	376	408	324	220	114
Australia and New Zealand	175	178	143	102	117
South Asia	134	114	93	76	134
South and Central America	27	21	16	15	1,073
Other	13	7	5	8	
Total	6,717	7,104	5,491	3,789	5,970

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5. Industry

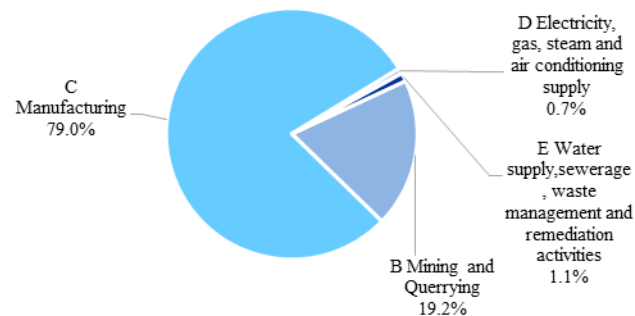
5.1 Distribution of establishments by industry sector, 2020[#] (5 or more persons engaged)

Industrial Sector	No. of establishments	%
Mining and Quarrying	3,463	19.2
Manufacturing	14,247	79.0
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	127	0.7
Water Supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	192	1.1
Total	18,029	100

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Figure 09 - Distribution of establishment by industry sector - 2020[#]



source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

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5.2 Principle indicators of industrial activity, 2020[#]

(Establishments with 5 or more persons engaged)

Industry Sector	No. of establishments	Persons engaged (No.)	Employees (No.)	Salaries and wages (Rs.)	Value of output (Rs.)	Value of intermediate consumption (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
Mining and Quarrying	3,463	33,713	29,611	8,582,477,644	37,495,302,696	16,329,619,975	21,165,682,721
Manufacturing	14,247	1,034,109	1,012,150	385,739,850,673	3,940,286,284,029	2,402,051,524,056	1,538,234,759,972
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	127	26,258	26,106	30,489,979,799	292,149,423,447	239,374,027,166	52,775,396,281
Water Supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	192	12,528	11,881	12,651,650,310	33,420,506,621	13,186,882,794	20,233,623,827
Total	18,029	1,106,608	1,079,748	437,463,958,425	4,303,351,516,793	2,670,942,053,991	1,632,409,462,802

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5.3 Principle indicators of industrial activity, 2011 - 2020

(Establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Year	No. of establishments	Persons engaged (No.)	Employees (No.)	Salaries and wages (Rs.)	Value of output (Rs.)	Intermediate consumption (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
2011	2,595	598,940	596,928	124,660,664,735	1,989,484,168,848	1,161,181,309,415	828,302,859,433
2012	2,593	623,254	620,838	134,775,216,037	2,136,657,251,921	1,206,712,092,133	929,945,159,788
2013*	3,392	834,468	829,733	260,845,463,028	3,138,617,188,661	1,859,060,521,337	1,279,556,667,324
2014	5,374	945,992	934,101	263,181,950,840	3,447,269,066,427	2,130,971,943,049	1,316,297,123,378
2015	5,743	1,074,944	1,069,537	323,478,539,588	4,032,651,136,012	2,521,483,286,271	1,511,167,849,741
2016	6,825	1,283,954	1,278,252	414,032,513,195	4,262,534,830,157	2,721,429,088,716	1,541,105,741,441
2017	7,466	1,352,684	1,347,173	465,852,260,589	4,620,479,129,591	2,869,015,061,808	1,751,464,067,783
2018	6,370	1,345,841	1,338,875	487,987,095,891	4,844,565,124,223	3,128,500,661,336	1,716,064,462,887
2019	5,216	1,331,347	1,327,038	525,371,632,725	4,942,536,411,239	3,276,891,049,163	1,665,645,362,075
2020	18,029	1,106,608	1,079,748	437,463,958,425	4,303,351,516,793	2,670,942,053,991	1,632,409,462,802

* Economic census data

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

5.4 Principle indicators of industrial activity, 2020

(Establishments with 25 or more persons engaged)

Industry sector	No. of establishments	Persons engaged (No.)	Employees (No.)	Salaries and wages (Rs.)	Value of output (Rs.)	Value of intermediate consumption (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
Mining and Quarrying	179	10,592	10,540	4,243,262,360	17,330,042,033	7,853,190,790	9,476,851,243
Manufacturing	4,752	944,691	940,280	367,077,729,981	3,686,388,339,437	2,277,545,849,349	1,408,842,490,088
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	10	24,940	24,936	29,999,568,448	285,510,089,678	236,502,386,335	49,007,703,344
Water Supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	11	11,010	10,999	12,414,364,832	31,140,613,800	12,530,706,051	18,609,907,749
Total	4,952	991,232	986,755	413,734,925,621	4,020,369,084,948	2,534,432,132,525	1,485,936,952,423

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

5.5 Principle indicators of industrial activity, 2020

(Establishments with less than 25 persons engaged)

Industry sector	No. of establishments	Persons engaged (No.)	Employees (No.)	Salaries and wages (Rs.)	Value of output (Rs.)	Value of intermediate consumption (Rs.)	Value added (Rs.)
Mining and Quarrying	3,284	23,121	19,071	4,339,215,283	20,165,260,663	8,476,429,185	11,688,831,478
Manufacturing	9,495	89,418	71,869	18,662,120,692	253,897,944,591	124,505,674,707	129,392,269,884
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	117	1,319	1,170	490,411,351	6,639,333,769	2,871,640,831	3,767,692,938
Water Supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	181	1,518	883	237,285,478	2,279,892,821	656,176,742	1,623,716,078
Total	13,077	115,376	92,993	23,729,032,804	282,982,431,845	136,509,921,466	146,472,510,378

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

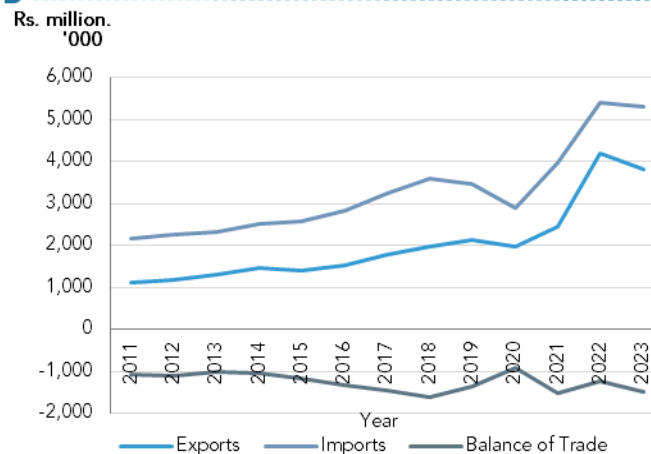
6. Foreign Trade

6.1 Trends in foreign trade, 2011 - 2023

Year	Exports		Imports	(Rs. million) Balance of trade
	Domestic	Re-exports		
2011	1,107,601	20,739	2,178,468	-1,050,128
2012	1,171,468	24,210	2,282,652	-1,086,974
2013	1,292,319	27,877	2,317,405	-997,209
2014	1,442,019	33,048	2,512,833	-1,037,766
2015	1,388,186	32,379	2,581,365	-1,160,800
2016	1,487,652	48,515	2,841,383	-1,305,216
2017	1,739,728	50,155	3,251,281	-1,461,398
2018	1,893,443	80,817	3,587,048	-1,612,788
2019	2,103,220	37,656	3,482,346	-1,341,470
2020	1,834,145	146,640	2,891,600	-910,814
2021	2,436,109	36,432	3,988,063	-1,515,522
2022	4,135,709	59,146	5,419,580	-1,224,726
2023	3,742,688	85,659	5,321,251	-1,492,904

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

Figure 10 - Trends in foreign trade, 2011 - 2023



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

6.2 Value of exports by country, 2015 - 2023

(Rs. million)

Major Country	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1. U.S.A.	380,662	408,814	443,927	501,211	561,469	463,618	610,697	1,068,193	904,609
2. U.K.	139,786	151,940	157,815	159,193	178,322	168,267	185,763	310,515	277,348
3. INDIA	87,412	80,257	105,117	124,946	135,697	111,745	162,246	274,947	271,529
4. GERMENY	64,428	73,615	82,129	99,628	115,421	105,574	150,051	240,732	192,318
5. ITALY	59,007	62,341	80,781	93,897	94,993	84,560	115,080	208,295	221,693
6. BELGIUM	38,373	49,204	52,862	58,352	62,955	54,673	66,502	100,254	72,484
7. U.A.E.	37,186	40,022	41,798	47,063	49,185	34,963	56,373	114,238	118,588
8. NETHERLANDS (HOLAND)	29,911	30,254	33,614	41,905	53,809	53,747	84,682	138,979	112,338
9. JAPAN	29,061	29,143	31,543	36,585	50,305	34,746	44,559	74,520	61,631
10. CHINA	39,837	28,996	63,291	37,471	40,929	41,332	54,456	81,698	84,439
11. RUSSIA	26,312	26,497	31,984	30,112	29,873	30,317	30,093	45,021	47,188
12. CANADA	24,514	26,082	31,859	34,199	42,978	39,424	62,249	117,107	96,220
13. IRAN	21,173	25,154	27,002	24,056	20,020	14,630	15,602	26,475	14,161
14. FRANCE	26,046	24,138	29,004	31,983	34,421	34,183	48,931	83,115	99,175
15. AUSTRALIA	21,681	24,019	28,732	31,257	35,700	32,218	50,592	82,840	74,082
16. TURKEY	24,505	22,481	35,510	35,508	37,459	38,623	35,288	38,965	64,069
17. HONG KONG	16,038	22,188	28,000	28,103	29,842	19,365	28,420	54,727	53,530
18. MEXICO	14,427	19,253	25,080	28,639	28,725	25,108	40,742	61,633	59,851
19. BANGALADESH	12,617	16,373	18,660	22,065	28,964	28,352	44,163	68,474	57,140
20. IRAQ	14,291	16,253	22,392	23,547	22,555	20,426	35,194	50,699	42,088
21. SINGAPORE	10,594	15,792	29,206	23,625	20,571	16,909	19,657	46,898	38,398
22. SWITZERLAND	13,862	14,885	15,403	21,234	21,430	17,433	25,076	54,735	60,290
23. MALDIVES	10,476	13,842	16,402	17,848	20,393	14,396	20,461	34,279	36,845
24. VIETNAM	9,896	13,784	15,220	16,348	14,096	6,887	12,505	15,154	11,956
25. ISRAEL	14,599	13,577	12,039	16,350	21,148	16,495	25,567	48,559	50,695

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

6.3 Value of imports by country, 2015-2023

(Rs. million)

Major Country	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1. CHINA	507,272	622,241	638,983	669,839	721,113	663,612	945,589	1,086,020	1,007,672
2. INDIA	580,904	557,290	685,447	675,872	684,871	556,960	879,329	1,428,094	1,036,552
3. U.A.E.	146,037	155,500	238,529	277,188	275,707	164,709	261,340	296,544	506,240
4. SINGAPORE	125,586	150,115	197,071	218,531	137,076	114,366	143,913	229,355	262,395
5. JAPAN	188,850	138,388	158,331	257,588	156,514	98,049	83,160	81,802	61,424
6. MALAYSIA	69,591	93,543	97,782	125,441	159,816	117,553	153,056	280,532	240,782
7. U.S.A.	63,998	78,565	123,878	104,901	98,118	91,810	104,928	127,062	165,278
8. THAILAND	67,663	74,956	79,056	80,876	78,294	67,964	79,125	94,989	82,516
9. TAIWAN	62,501	72,256	73,492	77,101	73,348	59,198	89,298	124,219	86,984
10. HONG KONG	51,670	67,883	66,951	63,865	54,249	40,913	57,902	79,946	61,904
11. U.K.	65,629	64,942	40,845	59,685	66,037	38,980	47,149	63,035	67,324
12. GERMENY	47,180	63,380	61,079	79,621	69,459	58,615	68,975	93,301	84,029
13. INDONESIA	59,077	55,231	56,596	69,495	76,566	61,202	89,687	103,557	121,279
14. SOUTH KOREA	41,909	47,267	51,361	50,490	45,300	36,007	59,929	73,328	68,240
15. PAKISTHAN	40,411	44,310	53,216	69,640	66,108	60,158	78,428	111,099	105,794
16. FRANCE	15,851	42,969	24,375	45,453	39,425	21,577	27,333	35,840	64,048
17. ITALY	28,476	40,234	46,506	51,663	54,917	49,434	62,572	93,639	79,917
18. SWITZERLAND	17,296	39,952	46,363	48,015	22,608	23,973	19,631	33,923	31,300
19. VIETNAM	33,247	39,276	42,828	42,675	54,025	46,465	79,131	78,729	61,416
20. CANADA	39,831	36,741	34,623	36,667	40,128	38,511	23,690	33,068	40,634
21. SOUTH AFRICA	11,626	29,113	43,362	41,885	30,924	42,442	49,920	72,624	80,444
22. RUSSIA	32,947	29,082	26,655	33,113	36,913	43,728	32,357	116,468	128,285
23. AUSTRALIA	36,500	28,598	37,562	25,689	27,293	22,852	59,689	59,360	60,245
24. NEW ZELAND	25,211	28,560	43,736	50,565	49,265	55,789	54,945	53,337	82,073
25. BRAZIL	17,316	28,142	19,096	7,421	5,946	5,239	7,374	13,743	15,179

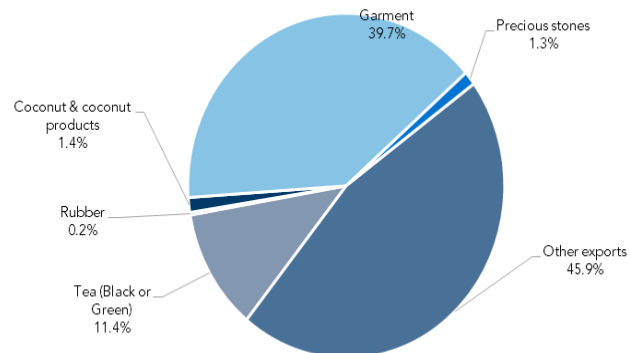
Source: Sri Lanka Customs

6.4 Value of exports by principal commodity, 2020 - 2023

Item	(Rs. million)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total exports	1,834,145	2,435,556	4,135,709	3,742,688
Tea (Black or Green)	230,170	262,877	410,932	428,292
Rubber	5,579	8,377	12,742	9,288
Major coconut products	94,158	126,901	189,354	52,139
Garment	768,276	1,008,727	1,805,188	1,486,412
Precious stones	27,361	58,508	133,440	48,400
Other domestic exports	708,602	970,167	1,584,053	1,718,157

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

Figure 11 - Value of exports by principal commodity, 2023



Source: Sri Lanka Customs

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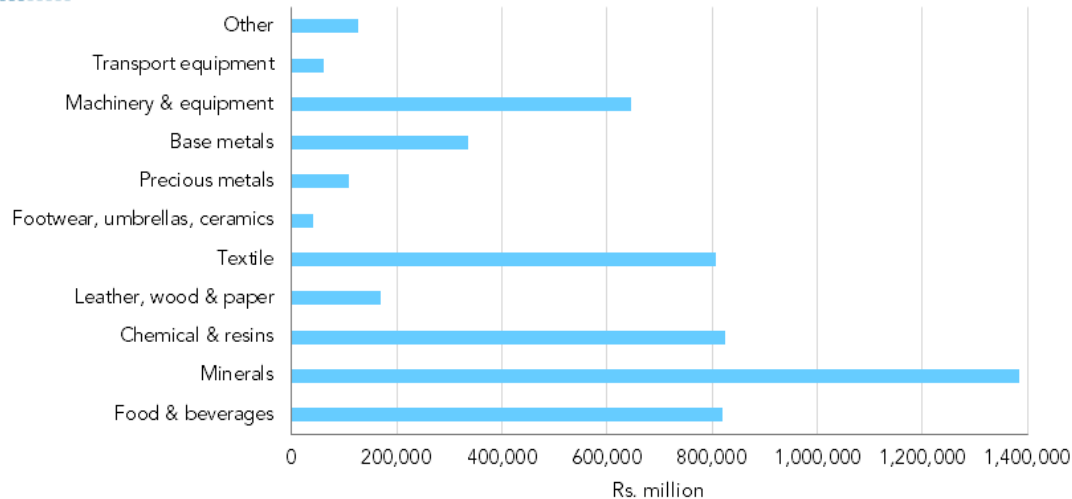
6.5 Value of imports by principal commodity, 2020 - 2023

(Rs. million)

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total imports	2,891,600	3,988,059	5,419,580	5,321,251
Food & beverages	456,899	535,052	752,228	819,963
Minerals	459,498	701,734	1,305,174	1,382,846
Chemical & resins	478,850	692,413	927,045	824,106
Leather, wood & paper	91,320	120,285	180,594	169,707
Textile	460,840	636,945	1,004,574	805,905
Footwear, umbrellas, ceramics	24,552	30,756	43,330	41,821
Precious stones	21,666	28,583	66,731	108,763
Base metals	223,471	363,789	317,221	336,175
Machinery & equipment	466,387	660,723	626,858	644,529
Transport equipment	129,895	110,725	78,031	60,767
Other	78,223	107,053	117,795	126,669

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

Figure 12 - Value of imports by principal commodity, 2023



Source: Sri Lanka Customs

DCS

6.6 End of period exchange rates, 2019 - 2023

Country	Currency	2019	2020	2021	2022	(Rs.) 2023
1. Australia	Dollar	127.2528	143.6648	145.3546	245.6076	221.6283
2. Bangladesh	Taka	2.1395	2.2021	2.3382	3.5202	2.9515
3. Canada	Dollar	139.2098	146.3517	157.2338	267.9482	244.9048
4. People's Republic of China	Yuan	26.0127	28.5858	31.4362	52.1878	45.6693
5. Denmark	Kroner	27.2576	30.8309	30.5042	52.0357	48.1291
6. European Union	Euro	203.6662	229.4219	226.8610	386.9300	358.7451
7. Hong Kong	Dollar	23.3259	24.0458	25.7024	46.5720	41.4508
8. India	Rupee	2.5467	2.5467	2.6935	4.3861	3.8964
9. Indonesia	Rupiah	0.0131	0.0133	0.0140	0.0232	0.0210
10. Japan	Yen	1.6717	1.8081	1.7415	2.7385	2.2911
11. Kenya	Schilling	1.7913	1.7063	1.7714	2.9425	2.0632
12. Korea	Won	0.1569	0.1719	0.1686	0.2876	0.2517
13. Kuwait	Dinar	599.1358	612.8825	662.5473	1,186.1301	1,053.9575
14. Malaysia	Ringgit	44.3822	46.3241	48.0254	82.2912	70.6100
15. New Zealand	Dollar	122.2942	134.6799	136.7860	229.4129	205.6103

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6.6 (Contd.) End of period exchange rates, 2019 - 2023

						(Rs.)
Country	Currency	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
16. Norway	Kroner	20.6236	21.8632	22.7039	36.7071	31.7924
17. Pakistan	Rupee	1.1728	1.1614	1.1245	1.6017	1.1482
18. Philippines	Peso	3.5846	3.8819	3.9332	6.5158	5.8504
19. Saudi Arabia	Riyal	48.4189	49.7016	53.3864	96.5782	86.3819
20. Singapore	Dollar	134.8484	141.0634	148.3212	270.0506	245.7502
21. South Africa	Rand	12.8661	12.7436	12.5882	21.3824	17.4764
22. Sweden	Kroner	19.4511	22.7487	22.1511	34.6994	32.4654
23. Switzerland	Franc	187.6966	211.6231	219.2330	393.2741	384.4787
24. Taiwan	Dollar	6.0565	6.6314	7.2249	11.8173	10.5427
25. Thailand	Baht	6.0900	6.2344	6.0172	10.5082	9.4659
26. United Arab Emirates	Dirham	49.4491	50.7489	54.5688	98.8700	88.1952
27. United Kingdom	Pound sterling	238.4582	254.3540	270.5957	437.3478	412.6135
28. United States of America	Dollar	181.6340	186.4082	200.4338	363.1100	323.9233

Source: Annual Economic Review 2023 – Central Bank of Sri Lanka

7. Agriculture

7.1 Paddy statistics, 2011 - 2023

Year	Extent cultivated (Hectares)			Extent harvested (Hectares)			Production (Mt.)			Average yield (Kg per net Hectare)	
	Yala	Maha	Total	Yala	Maha	Total	Yala	Maha	Total	Yala	Maha
2011	493,004	730,050	1,223,054	489,282	613,492	1,102,774	1,898,037	1,996,184	3,894,221	4,347 [#]	2,994 [#]
2012	364,542	702,075	1,066,617	305,314	684,636	989,950	1,128,984	2,716,961	3,845,945	4,145 [#]	4,444 [#]
2013	447,613	779,635	1,227,248	446,637	741,591	1,188,228	1,774,452	2,846,276	4,620,728	4,408 [#]	4,281 [#]
2014	312,979	651,289	964,268	300,725	579,857	880,582	1,144,929	2,235,851	3,380,780	4,204 [#]	4,065
2015	480,662	772,626	1,253,288	475,773	734,967	1,210,740	1,942,408	2,876,987	4,819,395	4,238	4,303
2016	385,318	756,005	1,141,323	379,970	742,724	1,122,694	1,517,392	2,902,693	4,420,085	4,084	4,165
2017	249,123	542,556	791,679	236,479	382,856	619,335	909,321	1,473,832	2,383,153	3,895	4,071
2018	373,763	667,191	1,040,954	362,966	619,928	982,894	1,532,905	2,396,926	3,929,831	4,377	4,148
2019	368,906	748,027	1,116,933	346,010	724,120	1,070,130	1,519,475	3,072,581	4,592,056	4,366	4,567
2020	456,206	752,248	1,208,454	450,743	739,911	1,190,654	1,924,172	3,196,752	5,120,924	4,552	4,531
2021	501,467	770,240	1,271,707	496,761	762,411	1,259,172	2,088,202	3,061,394	5,149,596	4,309	4,307
2022	481,669	775,846	1,257,515	480,289	766,148	1,246,437	1,461,675	1,931,230	3,392,905	3,207	2,853
2023	505,076	812,601	1,317,677	491,672	807,866	1,299,538	1,817,391	2,696,040	4,513,431	3,822	3,554

Note - Average yield is estimated as means of districts average yields

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.2 Livestock population and production, 2015 - 2023

Item	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Livestock population									
Neat cattles	1,088,110	945,150	1,000,880	1,110,740	1,086,010	1,103,570	1,131,080	1,127,630	1,122,370
Buffaloes	323,080	266,750	283,550	308,790	298,430	323,000	333,210	324,870	327,010
Sheeps / Goats	316,860	275,050	297,579	326,182	325,194	345,720	373,750	377,990	363,430
Pigs	69,680	81,420	95,120	97,990	91,200	92,640	99,010	100,250	101,970
Poultry									
Chicken	16,744,210	21,056,020	21,275,820	20,531,000	20,411,050	24,277,830	24,310,690	22,766,750	18,065,100
Duck	11,590	11,970	10,780	12,465	11,865	14,010	19,835	13,275	15,200
Livestock Production									
Eggs ('000 Number)	1,898,856	2,059,653	2,072,870	1,972,211	2,084,211	1,869,694	1,953,712	1,848,598	1,603,901
Milk ('000 Liter)									
Cow milk	305,392	317,880	329,012	391,531	374,016	413,636	425,370	419,197	411,099
Buffalo milk	69,052	66,128	68,904	76,161	73,566	77,903	87,936	87,253	93,055

Note: 2017 and 2018 Milk data has been updated according to the data reported by districts

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.3 Fish production by fishing sub sector, 1990 - 2023

(Mt.)

Year		1990	1995	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Marine Fish catch	Costal	134,120	157,500	175,280	63,690	121,360	150,110	165,320	180,410 [#]	202,420 [#]	222,350	257,540
	Off shore/deep Sea	11,670	60,000	88,400	66,710	94,620	102,560	109,310	112,760 [#]	129,840 [#]	162,920	159,680
	Total Marine	145,790	217,500	263,680	130,400	215,980	252,670	274,630	293,170 [#]	332,260 [#]	385,270	417,220
Inland & aquaculture		38,190	18,250	36,700	32,830	35,290	38,380	44,490	46,560	52,410	59,560	68,950
Total fish production		183,980	235,750	300,380	163,230	251,270	291,050	319,120	339,730	384,670	444,830	486,170

Year		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Marine Fish catch	Costal	267,980	278,850	269,020	274,160	259,720	249,020	242,580	182,560	178,260	149,440	164,995
	Off shore/deep Sea	177,950	180,450	183,870	182,830	189,720	190,350	172,910	144,370	153,415	131,170	128,950
	Total Marine	445,930	459,300	452,890	456,990	449,440	439,370	415,490	326,930	331,675	280,610	293,945
Inland & aquaculture		66,910	75,750	67,300	73,930	81,870	87,690	90,340	101,810	104,235	116,620	113,125
Total fish production		512,840	535,050	520,190	530,920	531,310	527,060	505,830	428,740	435,910	397,230	407,070

* Provisional # Revised

Source: Ministry of Fisheries

7.4 Production and cultivated extent of cereals and pulses crops, 2018/2019 - 2022/2023

Crop	2018/2019		2019/2020		2020/2021		2021/2022		2022/2023	
	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)
Kurakkan	4,192	5,474	4,570	6,247	6,138	8,064	9,000	10,888	8,028	9,365
Maize	63,450	245,647	78,249	313,521	106,757	472,444	84,158	259,040	75,982	221,249
Sorghum	100	136	200	335	176	321	66	80	91	227
Meneri	70	68	109	107	282	348	257	318	289	376
Green gram	6,156	7,355	10,889	13,497	17,841	18,931	11,899	12,544	12,655	12,454
Cowpea	7,196	8,067	11,518	13,216	10,431	11,878	14,338	14,844	12,248	12,801
Soya beans	914	2,197	3,538	7,879	1,915	3,794	1,931	3,842	3,986	7,780
Black gram	5,302	4,908	8,812	9,562	13,675	14,404	10,683	9,920	10,739	9,783

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.5 Production and cultivated extent of selected crops, 2018/2019 - 2022/2023

Crop	2018/2019		2019/2020		2020/2021		2021/2022		2022/2023	
	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)
Gingelly	6,035	6,085	11,654	8,223	17,228	11,999	16,222	10,230	13,785	11,352
Ground nuts	14,527	26,922	19,508	38,491	18,537	36,947	16,656	27,181	16,597	29,680
Manioc	20,592	281,075	20,689	314,846	20,992	314,382	21,091	307,996	21,968	356,125
Sweet potatoes	3,254	35,607	4,065	44,580	4,017	43,415	4,109	45,040	4,472	53,559
Potatoes	5,432	101,642	3,565	65,085	4,623	75,911	3,455	47,614	2,813	40,749
Red Onions	5,333	58,242	4,623	65,874	4,051	53,784	4,001	49,468	3,865	49,351
Big Onions	924	18,603	2,305	43,018	3,929	65,907	1,440	17,800	341	5,084
Chillies (Green)	10,981	60,593	13,580	79,325	12,301	68,565	12,095	63,035	12,138	67,397
Musterd	81	151	73	63	178	372	117	101	149	106
Ginger (Raw)	1,837	15,687	4,718	42,019	6,139	56,842	6,736	71,931	5,561	59,814
Turmeric(Raw)	922	11,103	2,837	39,726	5,612	51,945	8,747	92,831	8,012	91,737
Cigar. Tobacco	490	4,432	564	5,169	553	5,629	361	2,632	358	3,861
Beedi/chew tobacco	665	5,048	578	4,055	651	4,656	626	3,989	579	4,762

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.6 Production and cultivated extent of selected vegetables, 2018/2019 - 2022/2023

Crop	2018/2019		2019/2020		2020/2021		2021/2022		2022/2023	
	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)
Luffa	3,523	38,108	4,231	45,945	3,959	45,217	4,026	43,726	4,088	43,269
Ladies fingers	6,851	72,226	8,090	81,444	7,515	73,747	7,824	73,475	7,837	70,335
Brinjals	9,877	134,863	11,109	141,882	10,723	129,516	10,772	128,249	11,095	135,087
Bitter gourd	3,402	40,970	4,101	47,632	3,815	47,553	3,463	38,145	3,426	35,281
Snake gourd	2,361	29,806	2,650	32,868	3,095	34,809	2,600	31,196	2,438	27,178
Tomatoes	5,869	77,916	6,569	90,507	6,231	89,669	5,893	88,081	5,558	80,414
Cucumber	2,555	34,864	2,687	38,676	2,582	36,508	2,634	33,974	3,085	47,616
Cabbage	4,153	116,577	4,561	125,746	4,825	129,107	4,547	116,662	4,342	100,084
Carrot	3,553	80,767	3,923	90,225	4,215	95,416	3,721	77,179	3,510	65,352
Knolkhol	1,056	15,306	1,489	17,045	1,418	15,628	1,400	14,968	1,418	14,441
Beetroot	1,805	30,048	2,193	36,262	2,639	40,991	2,096	34,188	2,163	38,622
Raddish	2,676	44,244	2,876	55,773	3,027	58,870	3,487	68,302	3,142	54,512
Beans	6,461	65,450	7,829	82,973	7,598	76,865	6,484	68,182	5,738	66,427
Leeks	2,102	31,879	2,319	35,695	2,830	44,733	2,991	51,800	2,486	40,736
Ash pumpkin	720	10,252	701	11,425	666	11,324	664	10,500	653	9,128
Red pumpkin	6,863	97,473	7,741	113,322	7,895	110,150	6,896	99,714	7,695	100,943
Ash plantain	5,335	63,460	5,357	68,129	6,336	68,645	5,197	60,526	4,949	58,203
Capsicum	3,095	26,414	3,699	31,509	3,335	27,488	3,017	26,100	3,006	23,059

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.7 Production and cultivated extent of minor export crops, 2018/2019 - 2022/2023

Crop	2018/2019		2019/2020		2020/2021		2021/2022		2022/2023	
	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)	Area (Ha.)	Prod. (Mt.)
Cinnamon	33,924	24,821	35,462	22,910	37,028	23,730	38,007	23,764	35,134	22,410
Coffee	5,741	4,887	5,832	6,725	5,857	5,306	5,607	4,828	5,281	4,750
Cocoa	2,000	1,499	1,815	1,455	1,825	1,349	1,789	1,221	1,753	1,321
Pepper	45,267	41,429	48,274	43,557	46,235	42,485	48,179	44,090	46,600	45,166
Cardamoms	863	624	745	633	778	679	703	690	547	518
Cloves	5,938	4,377	5,834	6,711	6,152	5,706	6,055	5,722	5,997	5,899
Arecanut	18,275	53,645	18,208	63,986	17,716	82,132	18,886	66,534	18,172	72,075
Cashew	16,758	35,051	15,621	33,655	14,619	10,335	15,730	18,509	14,845	16,353

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.8 Production and cultivated extent of other selected food crops, 2018/2019 - 2022/2023

Crop	2018/2019		2019/2020		2020/2021		2021/2022		2022/2023	
	Area (Ha.)	Prod. '000 Nuts	Area (Ha.)	Prod. '000 Nuts	Area (Ha.)	Prod. '000 Nuts	Area (Ha.)	Prod. '000 Nuts	Area (Ha.)	Prod. '000 Nuts
Orange	6,742	59,213	6,945	61,203	6,122	58,644	6,465	50,713	6,171	59,492
Lime	10,238	334,546	10,534	391,161	9,625	333,015	9,529	265,250	8,800	280,813
Mango	27,460	444,136	29,229	529,528	27,251	496,488	30,955	553,075	26,965	530,156
Jack	28,143	134,930	30,400	143,414	27,392	130,845	27,057	123,131	25,833	122,325
Bread fruit	4,275	35,752	4,558	44,419	3,488	36,357	4,006	36,995	3,868	39,328
Sugar cane	12,960	653,053 ^(a)	14,428	855,045 ^(a)	14,361	825,541 ^(a)	15,377	876,660 ^(a)	15,895	805,616 ^(a)
Plantain	44,671	56,139 ^(b)	44,886	75,610 ^(b)	41,430	62,090 ^(b)	42,715	122,449 ^(b)	41,338	60,392 ^(b)
Papaw	6,178	52,562	6,665	87,122	6,387	86,414	6,095	95,974	5,429	66,675
Pineapple	4,665	35,834	5,636	42,516	4,663	39,285	5,260	42,295	4,156	36,260
Passion fruit	508	8,846	617	9,758	592	9,819	580	9,694	520	8,530
Betel	2,671	8,209,094 ^(c)	3,283	8,433,426 ^(c)	2,630	5,083,744 ^(c)	2,678	6,635,001 ^(c)	2,390	6,697,691 ^(c)

(a)- Metric tons.

(b)- '000 Bunches

(c)-'000 Leaves

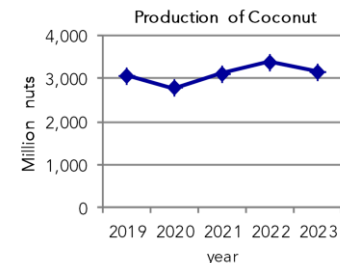
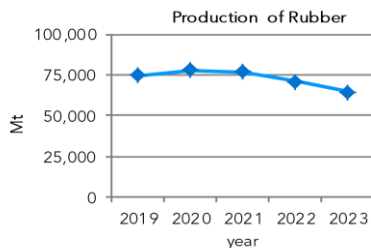
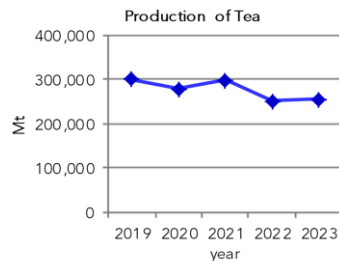
Source: Department of Census and Statistics

7.9 Production and cultivated extent of major crops, 2020 - 2023

crop	2020		2021		2022		2023	
	Cultivated extent (Ha.)	Production (Mt.)	Cultivated extent (Ha.)	Production (Mt.)	Cultivated extent (Ha.)	Production (Mt.)	Cultivated extent (Ha.)	Production (Mt.)
Tea	266,354	278,852	266,509	299,488	267,187	251,499	268,829	256,040
Rubber	137,834	78,204	138,034	76,884	98,583 [#]	70,867	98,393	64,444
Coconut	453,742	2,792 ^(a)	456,137	3,120 ^(a)	460,339	3,391 ^(a)	480,215	3,170 ^(a)

[#] Revised (a)- Million nuts

Figure 13 - **Production of major crops, 2019 - 2023**



Source: Ministry of Plantation Industries, Sri Lanka

8. Prices

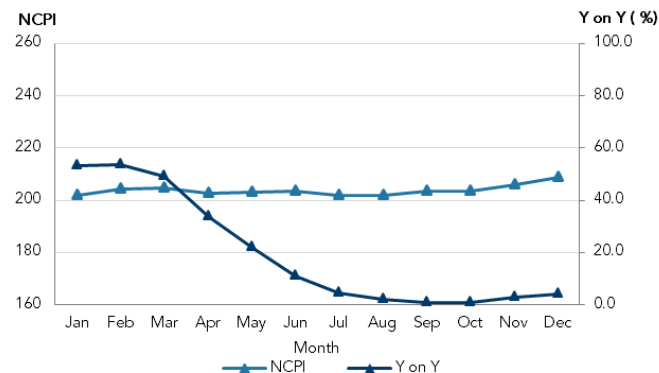
8.1 Movements of the National Consumer Price Index (NCPI), 2023

(Base: 2021 = 100)

Month	Index number	% Change month to month	Inflation %	
			Year on year	12 months moving average
January	201.8	0.7	53.2	-
February	204.1	1.1	53.6	-
March	204.8	0.3	49.2	-
April	202.7	-1.0	33.6	-
May	203.1	0.2	22.1	-
June	203.3	0.1	10.8	-
July	201.9	-0.7	4.6	-
August	201.9	0.0	2.1	-
September	203.5	0.8	0.8	-
October	203.6	0.0	1.0	-
November	206.0	1.2	2.8	-
December	208.8	1.4	4.2	16.5

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Figure 14 - National Consumer Price Index (NCPI) and Year on Year Inflation, 2023
(Base 2021 = 100)



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

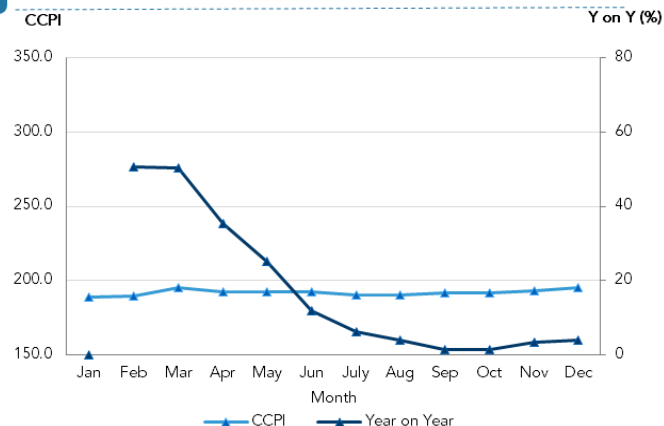
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8.2 Movements of the Colombo Consumer Price Index (CCPI), 2023

(Base: 2021 =100)

Month	Index number	% Change month to month	Inflation %	
			Year on year	12 month moving average
January	188.7	0.5	-	-
February	189.5	0.5	50.6	-
March	195.0	2.9	50.3	-
April	192.3	-1.4	35.3	-
May	192.3	0.0	25.2	-
June	192.3	0.0	12.0	-
July	190.2	-1.1	6.3	-
August	190.1	-0.1	4.0	-
September	191.8	0.9	1.3	-
October	191.4	-0.2	1.5	-
November	193.4	1.0	3.4	-
December	195.1	0.9	4.0	17.4

Figure 15 - Colombo Consumers Price Index (CCPI) and Year on Year Inflation, 2023
(Base 2021 = 100)



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

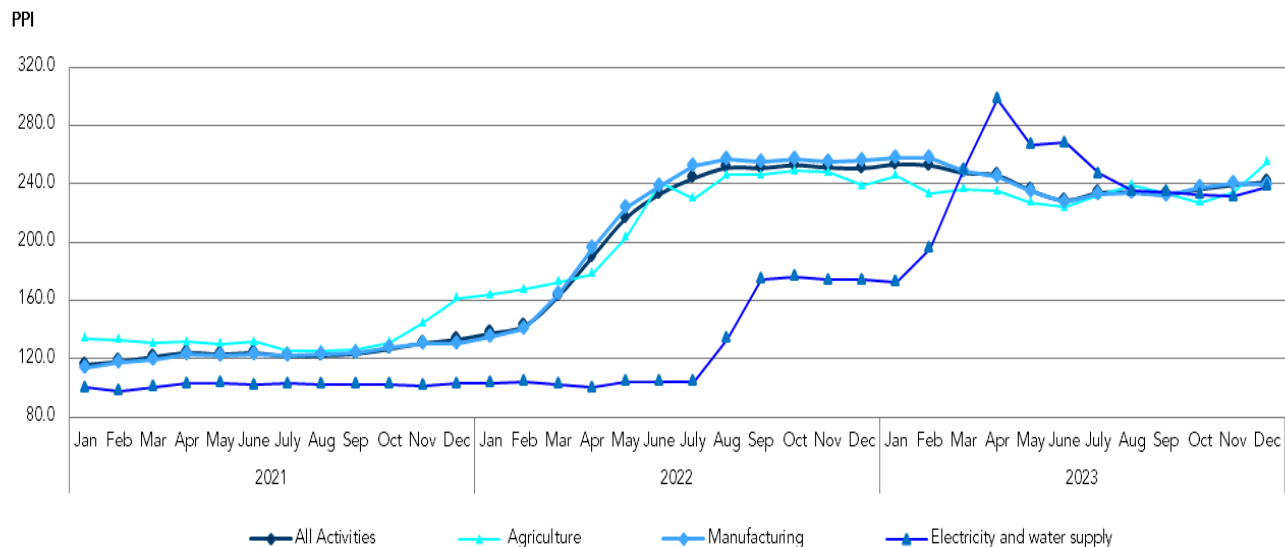
8.3 Movements of Producer Price Index (PPI) by major economic activity, 2023

(Base: 2018 Q4=100)

Month	All activities				Agriculture				Manufacturing				Electricity & Water Supply			
	Index number	% changes			Index number	% changes			Index number	% changes			Index number	% changes		
		Month to month	Year on year	12 Months MA		Month to month	Year on year	12 Months MA		Month to month	Year on year	12 Months MA		Month to month	Year on year	12 Months MA
Jan	253.2	0.7	84.3	79.2	245.6	2.9	49.7	62.9	258.2	0.5	90.8	84.2	172.8	-0.8	67.3	32.7
Feb	252.5	-0.3	77.1	83.5	233.3	-5.0	39.2	63.5	258.0	-0.1	83.0	89.0	195.6	13.2	87.5	39.4
Mar	247.4	-2.0	51.8	84.0	236.4	1.3	37.0	63.2	248.9	-3.5	51.2	88.9	249.5	27.6	143.2	51.1
Apr	245.6	-0.7	29.4	80.0	234.9	-0.6	31.8	62.1	244.6	-1.7	24.9	83.5	298.0	19.4	197.4	67.5
May	235.2	-4.2	8.6	71.4	227.3	-3.2	12.0	57.0	234.7	-4.0	4.8	73.4	267.0	-10.4	155.7	80.5
June	228.6	-2.8	-1.9	61.0	223.7	-1.6	-7.0	47.3	227.3	-3.2	-4.6	62.0	268.3	0.5	157.2	93.5
July	233.7	2.2	-4.1	50.5	232.0	3.7	1.0	39.9	233.2	2.6	-7.7	50.4	246.8	-8.0	135.9	104.7
Aug	234.2	0.2	-6.7	40.4	239.3	3.1	-2.6	31.8	233.4	0.1	-9.3	39.7	235.1	-4.7	75.4	107.6
Sep	232.6	-0.7	-7.3	31.6	233.2	-2.5	-5.1	24.4	232.4	-0.4	-8.9	30.5	234.4	-0.3	34.2	100.9
Oct	236.4	1.6	-5.9	23.9	227.3	-2.5	-8.3	17.5	237.1	2.0	-7.1	22.8	232.6	-0.8	33.6	94.9
Nov	239.2	1.2	-5.3	17.3	234.2	3.0	-5.8	12.0	240.3	1.3	-6.5	15.9	231.4	-0.5	31.1	88.8
Dec	241.3	0.9	-4.0	11.5	255.2	9.0	7.0	9.3	239.5	-0.3	-6.8	9.7	238.4	3.0	36.9	84.3

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

Figure 16 - Monthly Producer Price Index by major economic activity , January 2021 to December 2023
(Base: 2018 Q4 = 100)



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

8.4 Open market monthly average retail prices of selected food items, 2023

(Main markets in Colombo district *)

Item	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	(Rs.) Annual Average
Raw Red - Average	1 Kg.	214.84	200.20	189.90	183.66	176.46	164.31	157.76	163.93	189.45	191.18	198.28	198.07	185.67
Raw White - Average	1 Kg.	201.04	192.52	193.27	194.78	192.27	190.18	194.17	198.06	203.62	203.68	211.37	211.63	198.88
Nadu-Red Local Rice (Parboiled)	1 Kg.	236.56	231.26	225.10	222.26	223.59	218.88	214.42	213.12	217.51	216.04	219.95	221.68	221.70
Nadu-White Local Rice (Parboiled)	1 Kg.	216.20	211.77	209.09	210.06	207.14	203.75	200.73	202.05	213.77	214.83	219.12	220.15	210.72
Samba - Average	1 Kg.	227.56	225.29	226.10	227.08	227.68	228.54	228.45	230.08	253.48	258.17	235.51	238.23	233.85
Wheat Flour (Loose)	1 Kg.	249.52	241.11	231.67	229.10	233.70	224.28	218.81	212.84	212.24	208.27	209.99	210.46	223.50
Red Dhall-Average	1 Kg.	399.04	391.25	378.11	366.66	364.63	358.95	319.61	319.71	338.23	331.84	332.66	334.99	352.97
Cowpea-Whole - Average	1 Kg.	1,364.22	1,289.57	1,131.29	1,030.96	914.53	904.84	899.70	1,050.24	1,088.43	1,111.02	1,128.53	1,215.03	1,094.03
Green Gram - Average	1 Kg.	1,319.99	1,462.98	1,564.91	1,571.04	1,575.55	1,394.43	1,183.67	1,117.67	1,072.84	1,013.42	962.70	1,021.96	1,271.76
Gram Whole - Average	1 Kg.	768.87	732.92	721.65	702.43	666.18	590.25	609.96	643.83	677.24	705.97	711.46	716.27	687.25
White Sugar (Loose)	1 Kg.	229.46	232.78	223.88	227.71	260.30	237.28	245.21	255.79	270.56	271.99	308.68	314.34	256.50

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* : Main markets in Colombo district - Pettah, Maradana, Borella, Dematagoda, Grandpass, Kirulapana, Wellawatta, Kotte, Nugegoda, Dehiwala, Rathmalana, Kolonnawa

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

8.4 (Contd.) Open market monthly average retail prices of selected food items, 2023

(Main markets in Colombo district *)

														(Rs.)
Item	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
Dried Chillies - No 1.	1 Kg.	1,752.04	1,630.76	1,436.42	1,369.10	1,345.66	1,293.79	1,316.73	1,329.74	1,315.39	1,317.30	1,304.61	1,278.97	1,390.88
Corriander	1 Kg.	749.69	780.53	782.12	749.82	770.05	742.34	730.65	711.07	684.98	699.00	695.05	692.39	732.31
Pepper - Powder	1 Kg.	2,673.58	2,707.84	2,706.34	2,651.18	2595.86	2,571.04	2,591.86	2,690.29	2,811.66	2,768.19	2,802.96	2,863.45	2,702.86
Turmeric - Powder	1 Kg.	2,960.54	3,076.75	2,823.00	2,655.26	2,731.80	2,590.29	2,363.90	2,455.38	2,507.00	2,527.60	2,573.19	2,646.75	2,659.29
Garlic	1 Kg.	531.89	538.39	518.64	512.72	583.85	608.29	653.08	641.66	624.82	663.12	659.58	644.01	598.34
Cummin Seed	1 Kg.	2,162.84	2,158.77	2,180.23	2,106.45	2,141.68	2,247.10	2,352.31	2,516.30	2,975.43	3,050.00	3,124.50	3,055.92	2,505.96
Fennel Seed	1 Kg.	1,972.42	1,921.73	1,968.91	1,861.32	1,897.04	1,979.67	2,006.87	2,033.35	2,155.96	2,132.88	2,175.26	2,036.85	2,011.85
Mustard	1 Kg.	864.92	876.02	858.66	852.79	845.25	831.79	841.54	784.64	786.02	778.88	775.59	774.02	822.51
Mathe Seed	1 Kg.	840.87	855.34	851.49	839.46	830.74	822.46	806.15	775.33	786.20	776.44	782.82	767.59	811.24
Cinnamon	1 Kg.	5,423.61	5,907.14	5,805.36	5,628.00	6,355.17	6,094.08	5,807.30	5,633.38	5,751.18	5,532.82	5,931.07	5,526.48	5,782.97
Gorakka	1 Kg.	701.96	711.69	714.31	700.23	705.39	709.94	705.17	695.50	715.45	700.89	711.50	709.88	706.83
Maldive Fish	1 Kg.	3,337.95	3,244.03	3,181.28	3,213.04	3,141.13	3,109.92	3,107.27	3,152.71	3,144.78	3,099.11	3,093.42	3,054.05	3,156.56
Salt- Packet (Laklunu)	1 Kg.	103.65	105.00	105.00	105.29	106.15	105.33	106.15	104.97	101.15	100.00	100.00	101.58	103.69

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* : Main markets in Colombo district - Pettah, Maradana, Borella, Dematagoda, Grandpass, Kirulapana, Wellawatta, Kotte, Nugegoda, Dehiwala, Rathmalana, Kolonnawa

8.4 (Contd.) Open market monthly average retail prices of selected food items, 2023

(Main markets in Colombo district *)

														(Rs.)
Item	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
Tamarind	1Kg.	515.97	523.02	573.19	566.18	566.83	554.38	538.46	527.42	550.56	626.27	673.08	726.77	578.51
Red Onions - Average	1Kg.	694.09	514.47	416.71	437.36	415.42	465.33	562.83	455.65	409.95	439.22	565.79	601.04	498.16
Local Big Onions	1kg.	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a	n.a
Imported Big Onions	1kg.	193.90	160.05	127.17	122.89	127.69	128.19	146.02	164.40	214.03	248.13	282.91	427.86	195.27
Sea Fish-(Large) Paraw-(Sliced)	1Kg.	2,316.69	2,359.60	2,098.75	2,172.62	2,615.20	2,858.23	2,853.39	2,773.01	2,527.11	2,238.69	2,085.88	2,404.41	2,441.96
Sea Fish-(Small) Mullet	1Kg.	1,437.57	1,470.43	1,324.65	1,396.50	1,433.62	1,727.33	1,698.89	1,565.15	1,496.39	1,346.58	1,194.54	1,345.90	1,453.13
Sea Fish-(Large) Thalapath-(Sliced)	1Kg.	2,670.68	2,519.28	2,261.50	2,339.64	2,950.91	3,205.12	3,119.12	3,060.48	3,005.46	2,674.45	2,523.17	2,582.95	2,742.73
Sea Fish-(Large) Kelawalla -(Sliced)	1Kg.	2,180.17	2,104.23	1,959.06	1,938.33	2,444.10	2,734.45	2,664.58	2,537.31	2,611.97	2,212.49	2,136.59	2,032.73	2,296.33
Sea Fish-(Large)-Shark-(Sliced)	1Kg.	1,764.84	1,788.52	1,699.40	1,672.50	1,960.42	2,357.92	2,084.25	1,968.31	1,836.31	1,698.10	1,533.93	1,710.30	1,839.57
Sea Fish-(Small) Salaya	1Kg.	573.80	538.02	504.77	553.53	675.01	734.86	709.19	688.10	635.98	430.24	381.60	491.28	576.37
Dried Fish Katta	1Kg.	2,536.54	2,514.30	2,494.96	2,474.15	2,450.41	2,479.81	2,488.66	2,478.45	2,382.96	2,330.08	2,218.11	2,258.62	2,425.59
Dried Fish Spratts(Medium)	1Kg.	1,403.21	1,387.09	1,335.11	1,266.19	1,253.83	1,261.94	1,284.05	1,267.12	1,270.50	1,320.51	1,329.09	1,324.91	1,308.63

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* : Main markets in Colombo district - Pettah, Maradana, Borella, Dematagoda, Grandpass, Kirulapana, Wellawatta, Kotte, Nugegoda, Dehiwala, Rathmalana, Kolonnawa

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

8.4 (Contd.) Open market monthly average retail prices of selected food items, 2023

(Main markets in Colombo district *)

Item	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	(Rs.) Annual Average
Beef	1Kg.	2,073.61	2,183.33	2,265.63	2,293.75	2,325.00	2,335.27	2,333.93	2,340.92	2,333.68	2,335.71	2,320.00	2,301.67	2,286.88
Chicken - fresh(skinless)	1Kg.	1,185.95	1,173.34	1,212.38	1,425.55	1,362.00	1,481.00	1,493.33	1,421.52	1,238.01	1,105.23	1,158.49	1,260.36	1,293.10
Chicken-Frozen(with skin)	1Kg.	1,327.60	1,445.52	1,250.33	1,330.67	1,325.75	1,339.50	1,369.42	1,365.00	1,270.00	1,162.50	1,182.14	1,187.50	1,296.33
Eggs - Hen Average	Each	54.65	45.14	51.93	53.77	49.57	50.72	54.55	47.57	46.08	47.85	43.01	54.60	49.95
Medium Coconut	Each	105.58	110.50	114.52	113.37	112.20	105.83	101.66	99.24	99.23	103.24	107.69	108.65	106.81
Local Potatoes	1 Kg	449.19	392.19	309.77	324.64	348.94	358.00	386.27	412.38	360.20	317.77	357.92	380.16	366.45
Imported Potatoes	1 Kg	173.57	171.28	160.35	179.83	198.06	203.77	244.27	225.23	210.24	219.08	220.73	222.84	202.44
Coconut Oil-(Loose)	750 ml	532.22	538.78	552.37	545.45	522.20	479.51	454.84	451.25	438.38	432.30	443.76	452.98	487.00
Ash plantain	1 kg.	330.48	334.54	310.15	310.84	291.47	299.48	314.39	311.44	316.40	336.50	383.97	436.99	331.39
Ladies fingers	1 kg.	319.46	341.07	300.10	258.17	318.04	328.45	305.24	260.72	257.58	286.52	355.52	363.39	307.85
Brinjals	1 kg.	437.70	271.20	292.69	335.49	402.36	402.16	443.14	411.90	422.50	449.05	510.05	609.83	415.67
Bitter gourd	1 kg.	472.97	457.52	433.09	383.47	498.75	612.56	497.04	401.07	426.91	498.07	713.41	653.69	504.05
Red pumpkin	1 kg.	237.17	200.79	163.74	147.85	162.90	190.80	223.28	212.36	173.58	158.62	190.35	257.56	193.25
Green Chillies	1 kg.	566.18	532.07	559.30	558.94	516.47	829.87	942.10	698.68	775.20	684.98	849.78	1596.07	759.14
Capsicum	1 kg.	940.16	835.82	588.28	626.88	605.71	607.90	584.34	499.57	441.71	486.79	815.66	809.49	653.53

* : Main markets in Colombo district - Pettah, Maradana, Borella, Dematagoda, Grandpass, Kirulapana, Wellawatta, Kotte, Nugegoda, Dehiwala, Rathmalana, Kolonnawa

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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8.4 (Contd.) Open market monthly average retail prices of selected food items, 2023

(Main markets in Colombo district *)

														(Rs.)
Item	Unit	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual Average
Lime	1 kg.	362.41	331.62	376.21	522.55	559.43	609.26	582.35	871.25	1594.21	2034.45	2,111.08	1131.43	923.85
Beans green	1 kg.	573.02	517.51	340.98	275.90	499.61	544.64	525.37	462.62	475.97	556.72	654.41	655.59	506.86
Long bean	1 kg.	402.67	321.42	274.36	264.37	384.19	466.54	422.91	334.75	347.64	390.91	479.53	449.14	378.20
Beetroot	1 kg.	510.45	315.77	279.26	290.80	429.98	537.65	460.23	286.43	266.32	261.54	400.61	673.68	392.73
Cabbage seed	1 kg.	244.27	186.72	183.44	237.17	347.24	413.06	359.86	329.32	255.15	257.57	445.39	568.47	318.97
Carrot	1 kg.	328.62	261.69	223.79	247.99	324.85	470.10	520.18	519.22	327.05	315.64	440.22	539.06	376.54
Tomato	1 kg.	263.39	327.87	305.82	280.72	387.03	372.16	556.37	303.26	232.49	255.33	445.77	717.74	370.66
Lakspray	400g.	1,240.00	1,240.00	1,240.00	1,220.00	1,160.00	1,161.67	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,145.14
Anchor	400g.	1,240.00	1,240.00	1,240.00	1,230.00	1,170.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1080.00	1,080.00	1,140.00
Sour Plantain(Medium)	1 Kg.	285.05	267.12	259.75	289.77	230.42	194.38	216.41	246.28	279.49	238.72	249.95	240.30	249.80
Kolikuttu Plantain(Medium)	1 Kg.	481.84	450.71	488.28	568.14	493.81	445.44	510.43	556.51	670.47	612.68	594.81	530.58	533.64
Papaw	1 Kg.	321.20	330.66	387.75	345.79	238.00	228.44	231.33	255.46	237.59	184.96	216.44	231.70	267.44
Pineapple	1 Kg.	436.79	388.69	583.97	491.83	411.29	530.26	615.08	685.56	743.78	576.07	515.79	509.51	540.72
Bread(Ordinary)	450g.	234.38	260.00	265.71	265.71	265.00	247.22	235.63	245.50	246.88	251.67	232.78	232.78	248.60

*: Main markets in Colombo district - Pettah, Maradana, Borella, Dematagoda, Grandpass, Kirulapana, Wellawatta, Kotte, Nugegoda, Dehiwala, Rathmalana, Kolonnawa

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

9. Public utility

9.1 Telecommunication performances, 2020 – 2023

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	Growth Rate (%)	
					2022	2023
1. Fixed Access Voice Services (No. '000)	2,613	2,852	2,651	2,308	-7.0	-12.9
Wire line Telephones in Service	1,246	1,264	1,263	1,145	-0.1	-9.3
Wireless Local Loop Telephones	1,367	1,587	1,388	1,163	-12.5	-16.2
Fixed Data Only Subscriptions	-	987	1,102	1,204	11.7	9.3
2. Mobile Voice Subscriptions (No. '000)	28,739	29,959	28,838	27,877	-3.7	-3.3
Mobile Subscriptions (Data Only)	-	865	987	1,109	14.1	12.4
3. Other Services						
Public Pay Phones (No.)	461	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Internet Connections (No. '000) ^(a)	17,524	22,236	21,668	22,864	-2.6	5.5
4. Telephone Penetration ^(b)						
Fixed Lines (Voice)	11.9	12.9	12.0	10.5	-7.0	-12.5
Mobile Phones (Voice)	131.1	135.2	130.0	126.5	-3.8	-2.7
5. Internet ^(a)	79.9	100.4	97.7	103.8	-2.7	6.2

(a) Including mobile internet connections (b) Defined as connections per 100 persons

9.2 Electricity generation and number of consumers, 2020 – 2023

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	Growth Rate (%)	
					2022	2023
Units Generated (GWh)	15,714	16,716	15,942	15,576	-4.6	-2.3
Hydro ^(a)	3,911	5,640	5,364	4,573	-4.9	-14.7
Fuel oil ^(b)	4,182	2,634	2,467	3,135	-6.3	27.1
Coal	5,754	5,519	5,174	4,646	-6.3	-10.2
NCRE ^(c)	1,866	2,922	2,937	3,222	0.5	9.7
Number of CEB consumers ^(d)	6,636,266	6,809,528	6,936,735	7,024,763	1.9	1.3
Domestic and religious	5,792,086	5,918,196	6,013,525	6,079,414	1.6	1.1
Industrial	66,831	69,600	71,582	74,115	2.8	3.5
General purpose and hotel ^(e)	777,347	821,730	851,626	871,232	3.6	2.3
Number of LECO consumers *	600,729	608,453	618,516	624,519	1.7	1.0

(a) Excluding mini hydro power plants (b) Inclusive of independent power producers (IPPs)

(c) Refers to non-conventional renewable energy including mini hydro (d) Bulk supply to LECO and Street lighting is considered as two consumers

(e) Inclusive of sales to government category

Source: Ceylon Electricity Board

9.3 Purpose of electricity sale, 2020 - 2023

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	Growth Rate (%)	
					2022	2023
Total sales by CEB (Gwh)	14,286	15,214	14,520	14,153	-4.6	-2.5
Domestic	5,090	5,238	5,044	4,495	-3.7	-10.9
Religious	82	82	81	72	0.0	-11.1
Industrial	4,163 [#]	4,820 [#]	4,332 [#]	4,278	-10.1	-1.2
General purpose	2,837	2,897	2,962	3,158	2.2	6.6
Hotel	193	220	245	293	11.4	19.6
Government	208	226	207	220	-8.4	6.3
Agriculture	1	2	2	2	0.0	0.0
Street lighting	108	97	97	96	0.0	-1.0
Bulk sales to LECO	1,605	1,633	1,550	1,539	-5.1	-0.7
LECO sales (Gwh)^(b)	1,607	1,599	1,566	1,581	-2.1	1.0
Domestic	726	703	694	642	-1.3	-7.5
Religious	11	10	10	10	0.0	0.0
Industrial	279	306	265	263	-13.4	-0.8
General purpose	508	497	506	560	1.8	10.7
Hotel	43	45	50	61	11.1	22.0
Government	18	15	16	20	6.7	25.0
Street lighting	23	23	25	25	8.7	0.0

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(b)LECO data is collected from Lanka Electricity Company for Statistical Digest

Source: Ceylon Electricity Board

9.4 Performance of Port Services, 2020 – 2023

Item	2020	2021	2022	2023	Growth Rate (%)	
					2022	2023
1. Vessels arrived (No.)	4,337	4,180	4,073	4,823	-2.6	18.4
Colombo	3,806	3,675	3,648	4,237	-0.7	16.1
Galle	22	14	7	23	-50.0	228.6
Trincomalee	135	117	95	102	-18.8	7.4
Hambantota	374	374	323	447	-13.6	38.4
Kankasanthurai	-	-	-	14	-	-
2. Total cargo handled (Mt. '000)	102,907[#]	109,369[#]	100,376	103,793	-8.2	3.4
Colombo	97,681	103,824	96,170	99,673	-7.4	3.6
Galle	404	106	1	1	-99.1	0.0
Trincomalee	3,072	3,190 [#]	2,089	2,013	-34.5	-3.6
Hambantota	1,750	2,249	2,116	2,106	-5.9	-0.5
Kankasanthurai	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total container traffic (TEUs '000) ^(a)	6,855	7,249	6,862	6,950	-5.3	1.3
4. Transshipment container handling (TEUs '000) ^{(a) (b)}	5,765	6,050	5,832[#]	5,950	-3.6	2.2

Revised * Provisional

(a) TEUs = Twenty-foot equivalent container units

(b) Includes re- stowing

Source: Sri Lanka Port Authority

10. Government finance

10.1 Reserve assets, 2020 - 2023

Item	US\$ million				Rs. million			
	2020	2021	2022	2023*	2020	2021	2022	2023*
Reserve assets	5,664	3,139	1,898	4,392	1,055,866	629,207	689,041	1,422,671
Monetary gold	409	175	28	31	76,220	35,152	10,032	10,042
Special drawing rights	3	124	2	34	485	24,765	656	11,013
Reserve position in the IMF	69	67	4	4	12,848	13,425	1,380	1,296
Other reserve assets	5,184	2,773	1,864	4,323	966,312	555,865	676,974	1,400,320
Currency and deposits	2,210	2,729	1,834	3,634	412,012	547,047	666,106	1,177,137
Claims on monetary authorities	861	899	373	597	160,442	180,173	135,355	193,382
Claims on other entities	1,350	1,830	1,462	3,037	251,570	366,874	530,752	983,755
Securities	2,974	44	30	690	554,300	8,818	10,867	223,507
Debt Securities	2,974	44	30	690	554,300	8,818	10,867	223,507

* Provisional

10.2 Foreign assets, 2016 - 2023

Item	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 [#]	2023*
Gross official reserves (US\$ million)	6,019.0	7,958.7	6,919.2	7,642.4	5,664.3	3,139.2	1,897.6	4,392.1
Total foreign assets ^(a) (US\$ million)	8,432.9	10,436.5	9,582.9	10,401.9	8,520.7	6,122.4	5,873.5	9,373.1
Months of imports	5.3	6.0	5.2	6.3	6.4	3.6	3.9	6.7
Total external debt ^(b) (US\$ million)	46,418.0	51,603.9	52,411.8	54,811.5	49,041.3	51,775.1	49,666.9	54,831.6
as a % of GDP ^(c)	52.8	54.7	55.3	61.6	58.1 [#]	58.4 [#]	64.6	65.0
Debt service ratio ^(d)	25.6	23.9	28.9	29.7	35.2	30.7	15.4	14.9

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(a) Excludes foreign assets in the form of 'Direct investment abroad' and 'trade credit and advances granted'

(b) Total external debt includes banking sector liabilities from 2011

(c) From 2015 onwards, data is based on the base year (2015) GDP estimates of the Department of Census & Statistics

(d) As a percentage of earnings from exports of goods and services .Debt service payments were reclassified to capture debt servicing of foreign holding of treasury bills and bonds in accordance with the External Debt Statistics Manual (2003) of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), from 2008

10.3 Outstanding external debt, 2020 -2023

Item	US\$ million				Rs. million			
	2020	2021	2022 [#]	2023 [*]	2020	2021	2022 [#]	2023 [*]
General government	28,187	27,556	27,518	33,117	5,254,202	5,523,124	9,992,229	10,727,368
Central bank	2,690	4,892	6,391	6,081	501,516	980,952	2,320,879	1,969,778
Deposit-taking corporations, except the Central bank	6,657	7,146	5,370	4,933	1,240,979	1,432,306	1,949,958	1,597,914
Other sectors ^(a)	6,517	6,847	4,453	4,542	1,214,880	1,372,341	1,616,884	1,471,260
Direct investment: intercompany Lending ^(b)	4,990	5,344	5,944	6,160	930,114	1,069,134	2,158,231	1,995,368
Total outstanding external debt	49,041	51,775	49,677	54,832	9,141,691	10,377,856	18,037,719	17,761,362

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(a) Include private sector and state owned business enterprises

(b) Include intercompany borrowing and shareholder advance of direct investment enterprises

10.4 Money supply and money multiplier by end period, 2017-2023

(Rs. million)

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Currency	439,396	473,066	494,208	641,010	784,450	742,042	900,136
Demand deposits ^(a)	353,903	357,727	371,259	536,140	675,446	711,555	757,906
Narrow money supply (M1)	793,299	830,793	865,467	1,177,150	1,459,895	1,453,597	1,658,043
Time and savings deposits ^(b)	5,514,762	6,297,503	6,758,654	8,228,584	9,187,413	10,836,040	11,531,020
Broad money supply (M2)	5,665,313	6,427,330	6,912,710	8,495,788	9,638,905	10,497,052 [#]	11,485,069
Net foreign assets	121,538	(67,007)	100,702	(209,468)	(981,976)	(1,766,813)	(456,098)
Net domestic assets ^(c)	6,186,524	7,195,304	7,523,419	9,615,202	11,629,285	14,056,450	13,645,211
Reserve money	939,793	961,096	932,604	964,440	1,305,809	1,349,389	1,328,737
Money multiplier M1	0.84	0.86	0.93	1.22	1.12	1.08	1.25
M2	6.03	6.69	7.41	8.81	7.38	7.78	8.64
Velocity of money ^(d) #	2.43	2.27	2.16	1.84	1.73	2.04 [#]	2.19

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(a)- Demand deposits held by the public

(b) - Time and savings deposits held by the public

(c)- Net domestic assets (NDA) is equal to the sum of net credit to government(NCG), claims on public corporations, claims on private sector and other items (net.)

(d) Rebased GDP estimates (based year 2015) of the department of census and statistics have been used

10.5 Composition of government debt, 2017-2023

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020 ^(e)	2021	2022 ^{*(f)}	(Rs. million) 2023 ^{*(f)}
Domestic debts ^(a)	5,664,215	6,071,001	6,830,260	9,065,068	11,097,223	15,033,876 ⁽ⁱ⁾	17,051,854 ⁽ⁱ⁾
Treasury bills ^(b)	697,154	746,887	873,943	1,620,705	2,270,508	4,113,907	4,017,035
Rupee loans	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	24,088	
Treasury bonds ^(c)	3,892,408	4,197,323	4,606,232	5,713,300	6,966,218	8,709,057	12,002,337
Other	1,050,565	1,102,703	1,325,997	1,706,975	1,836,410	2,186,824 ⁽ⁱ⁾	1,032,482 ⁽ⁱ⁾
Foreign debt ^{(b) (c)}	4,718,618	5,959,547	6,201,283	6,052,179	6,516,958 ^(g)	12,458,155 ^{(g)(h)}	11,644,094 ^{(g)(h)}
Total debt	10,382,832	12,030,548	13,031,543	15,117,247	17,614,181	27,492,031	28,695,949
As a % of GDP ^(d)							
Domestic	39.4	39.5	42.9	57.9 [#]	63.0 [#]	62.5 ^{#(i)}	61.7 ⁽ⁱ⁾
Foreign	32.8	38.8	39.0	38.7 [#]	37.0	51.8 ^{#(h)}	42.1 ^(h)
Total	72.2	78.4	81.9	96.6[#]	100.0[#]	114.2^{#(i) (h)}	103.9^{(i) (h)}

* Provisional # Revised

(a)- From 2023 onwards, domestic debt compilation method was changed and is based on the data confirmed by the Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization & National Policies.

(b)- Rupee denominated treasury bills issued to foreign investors from 2008 onwards are excluded from domestic debt and included in foreign debt

(c)- Rupee denominated treasury bonds issued to foreign investors from 2007 onwards are excluded from domestic debt and included in foreign debt

(d)- Data are based on GDP estimates compiled by the DCS from 2010 onward, data are based on the GDP estimates (base year 2015) of DCS. GDP estimates for 2020-2022 are revised based on the GDP estimates released on 15 March 2024 by DCS.

(e)- The central government debt statistics of end 2019 could increase should the adjustment for payment arrears in government expenditure as per the Ministry of Finance be incorporated into the net financing of the budget deficit in 2019. However, such an adjustment would have no impact on the outstanding central government debt at end 2020

(f)- The outstanding central government debt excludes several debt service payments that became overdue after 12th April 2022, the date of which the interim policy regarding the Servicing of Sri Lanka's external public debt was announced by the Ministry of Finance, economic stabilization and national policies. This debt service payment comprises of overdue interest payments of affected debt which deemed to be capitalized as per the interim policy. Further, December 2022 balances excluded several overdue interest payments in relation to Sri Lanka Development Bonds from April 2022 till end 2022.

(g)- Foreign loan debt statistics and classification of foreign debt for 2021, 2022 and 2023 are prepared based on the data sourced from the Commonwealth Secretariat Debt Recording System (CS -DRMS) maintained by the Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies, and extracted on 09 March 2023, 10 March 2023 and 26 February 2024.

(h)- From December 2022 onwards, several outstanding project loans, which were previously classified under Ceylon electricity board, airport and Aviation services Ltd. And Sri Lanka Ports authority were absorbed in to central government debt

(i)- Includes outstanding balance of the government guaranteed foreign currency debt of the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation that was absorbed into central government debt

Source: Annual Economic Review 2023 - Central Bank of Sri Lanka

10.6 Consolidated budget ^(a), 2017- 2023

							(Rs. million)
Item	2017	2018	2019 ^(b)	2020	2021 [#]	2022 [#]	2023 ^{*(c)}
Total revenue and grants	1,963,104	2,059,743	2,034,352	1,475,276	1,521,951	2,132,360	3,159,615
Grants	8,031	12,486	7,909	5,348	6,740	33,405	25,502
Total revenue	1,955,073	2,047,257	2,026,443	1,469,928	1,515,212	2,098,955	3,134,113
Tax revenue	1,756,045	1,805,502	1,828,803	1,271,894	1,349,086	1,826,327	2,784,802
Non tax revenue	199,028	241,756	197,640	198,033	166,126	272,628	349,311
Total expenditure	2,696,598	2,820,512	3,473,440	3,142,964	3,579,877	4,592,327	5,441,882
Recurrent expenditure	2,024,239	2,187,972	2,534,586	2,608,367	2,779,880	3,637,978	4,773,076
Capital expenditure	665,338	641,586	644,609	837,328	793,380	716,854	925,495
Lending minus repayments	7,021	-9,046	-4,933	-3,552	6,617	237,495	-256,689
Consolidated budget surplus (+) / deficit (-)	-733,494	-760,769	-1,439,088	-1,667,688	-2,057,925	-2,459,967	-2,282,267

* Provisional # Revised

(a) Includes central government, Provincial councils and local government fiscal operations.

(b) According to the Ministry of Finance, the fiscal sector statistics of 2019 have been restated as announced in the Budget Speech for 2020

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