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- 4. Explanations, where necessary, have been given in footnotes as far as space permits. A further explanation of the terms and expressions may be found in the Statistical Abstract of Sri Lanka.

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## Summary - 2022

ltem			Year	Unit	Qty./Value
Area	Total Area		As at 1988	Sq.km.	65,610
Alea	Land Area		As at 1988	Sq.km.	62,705
Population	Mid Year Population		2022	'000	22,181*
Population	Population Density		2022	persons/km <sup>2</sup>	354*
	Crude Birth Rate		2022	Per '000 Pop.	12.4*
Vital statistics	Crude Death Rate		2022	Per '000 Pop.	8.1*
	Natural Increase Rate		2022	Per 100 Persons	0.50*
	Total Labour Force		2022	'000 persons	8,547
Employment	Labour Force Participation Rate		2022	Percent	49.8
	Unemployment Rate		2022	Percent	4.7
	Percentage of Poor Household based	Old Poverty line (Base on 2002 HIES using CCPI)	2019	Percent	2.5
	on the Official Poverty line	Updated Poverty line (Base on 2012/13 HIES using NCPI)	2019	Percent	11.9
Poverty	Nominal Poverty Line		2021	Rs.	7,913
	Poverty Headcount Index - Old/Update	ed	2019	Percent	3.2/14.3
	Average Monthly Household Income		2019	Rs.	76,414
	Gini-coefficient for Household Income		2019		0.46

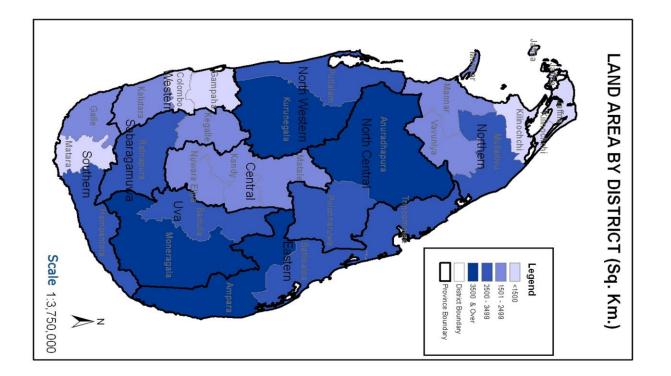
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## Summary (Contd.) - 2022

ltem		Year	Unit	Qty./Value
	Paddy Production Maha Season	2021/22	'000 MT	1,931
	Yala Season	2022	'000 MT	1,462
	Average Yield of Paddy Maha Season	2021/22	Kg/Net Hect.	2,853
Agriculture	Yala Season	2022	Kg/Net Hect.	3,207
Agriculture	Per Capita Availability of Nutrition per day			
	Energy	2021	Kilo Calories	3,108*
	Protein	2021	Grams	79*
	Fat	2021	Grams	61*
	Total Exports	2022	Rs. mn.	4,195,100
Trade	Total Imports	2022	Rs. mn.	5,419,585
	Balance of Trade	2022	Rs. mn.	-1,224,484
National	G.D.P. at Current Market Prices	2022	Rs. mn.	24,147,726*
Accounts	G.D.P. at Constant (2015) Prices	2022	Rs. mn.	12,017,849*
Tourism	Total Number of Tourist Arrivals	2022	Number	719,978
Daise la disse	Colombo Consumers' Price Index (CCPI base 2013=100)	2022	Number	209.9
Price Indices	Inflation (Annual Average)	2022	Percent	46.4

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## 1. LAND AREA, ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISIONS AND CLIMATE

#### 1.1 Land Area by District

District	Area km²	%	District	Area km²	%
Sri Lanka	65,610	100.0			
Colombo	699	1.1	Kilinochchi	1,279	1.9
Gampaha	1,387	2.1	Batticaloa	2,854	4.3
Kalutara	1,598	2.4	Ampara	4,415	6.7
Kandy	1,940	3.0	Trincomalee	2,727	4.2
Matale	1,993	3.0	Kurunegala	4,816	7.3
Nuwara-Eliya	1,741	2.7	Puttalam	3,072	4.7
Galle	1,652	2.5	Anuradhapura	7,179	10.9
Matara	1,283	2.0	Polonnaruwa	3,293	5.0
Hambantota	2,609	4.0	Badulla	2,861	4.4
Jaffna	1,025	1.6	Moneragala	5,639	8.6
Mannar	1,996	3.0	Ratnapura	3,275	5.0
Vavuniya	1,891	2.9	Kegalle	1,693	2.6
Mullaitivu	2,693	4.1			

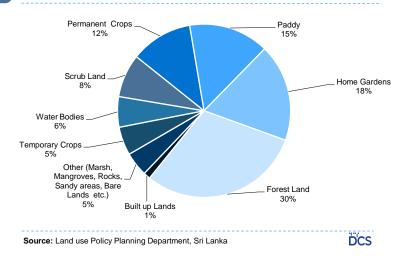
Including inland water (Total inland water area = 2,905 km<sup>2</sup>)

Source: Survey Department

#### 1.2 Land Use Pattern within Agricultural Holdings, 2018

Туре	Area (Hec.)	%
Total	6,561,000	100.00
Built up Lands	85,094	1.30
Home Gardens	1,192,925	18.18
Permanent Crops	763,618	11.64
Paddy	983,550	14.99
Temporary Crops	351,322	5.35
Forest Land	1,986,431	30.28
Scrub Land	530,006	8.08
Water Bodies	374,553	5.71
Other (Marsh, Mangroves,		
Rocks, Sandy areas and		
Bare lands etc.)	293,501	4.47

Figure 1 Land Use Pattern within Agricultural Holdings, 2018



Source: Land Use Policy Planning Department

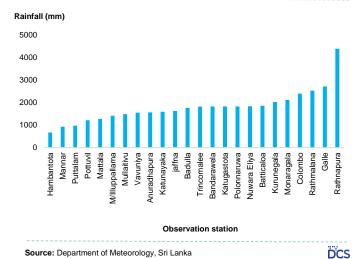
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#### 1.3 Meteorological Observation, 2022

Observation Station	Average Temperature °C	Average Relative Humidity (%)		Rainfall (mm)
	C C	Day	Night	
Anuradhapura	28.0	73.2	92.7	1,558.4
Badulla	23.4	75.7		1,755.9
Bandarawela	21.1	74.8		1,821.1
Batticaloa	27.9	74.7	86.9	1,853.4
Colombo	28.2	74.8	85.8	2,390.1
Galle	27.4	81.8	88.8	2,713.8
Hambantota	28.3	74.8	87.4	665.7
jaffna	28.0	77.3		1,624.0
Katugastota	25.1	74.1	92.4	1,822.1
Katunayaka	27.7	74.2	90.0	1,590.0
Kurunegala	28.2	69.3	87.8	2,020.0
MahaIlluppallama	27.4	72.7	NA	1,408.6
Mannar	28.7	77.5	86.6	918.4
Mattala	27.9	70.4	91.8	1,268.6
Monaragala	27.2	70.5		2,114.7
Mullaitivu	NA			1,478.8
Nuwara Eliya	16.3	80.1	90.9	1,827.7
Polonnaruwa	28.5	68.2		1,825.4
Pottuvil	28.5	71.7		1,210.9
Puttalam	28.0	75.4	90.1	970.1
Rathmalana	28.4	72.6	85.8	2,526.5
Rathnapura	27.5	76.9	93.1	4,377.4
Trincomalee	28.1	73.2	87.9	1,816.6
Vavuniya	28.0	76.8		1,545.7

#### Figure 2

Meteorological Observation of Rainfall by Stations, 2022



Source: Department of Meteorology, Sri Lanka



#### 1.4 Number of Sub National Administrative Divisions by District (as at 08th August 2021)

District	DS/AGA Divisions	Pradeshiya Sabhas	Municipal Councils	Urban Councils	Electorates	<b>GN</b> Divisions	Villages <sup>(a)</sup>
Colombo	13	3	5	5	15	557	357
Gampaha	13	12	2	5	13	1,177	1,565
Kalutara	14	13	-	4	8	762	2,352
Kandy	20	17	1	4	13	1,187	2,833
Matale	11	11	2	-	4	545	1,344
Nuwara Eliya	5	9	1	2	4	491	1,199
Galle	22	17	1	2	10	895	2,423
Matara	16	15	1	1	7	650	1,662
Hambantota	12	10	1	1	4	576	1,380
Jaffna	15	13	1	3	10	435	1,251
Mannar	5	4	-	1	1	153	680
Vavuniya	4	4	-	1	1	102	421
Mullaitivu	6	4	-	-	1	136	607
Kilinochchi	4	3	-	-	1	95	350
Batticaloa	14	9	1	2	3	345	947
Ampara	20	17	2	1	4	503	737
Trincomalee	11	11	-	2	3	230	602
Kurunegala	30	19	1	1	14	1,610	4,533
Puttalam	16	10	-	2	5	548	1,328
Anuradhapura	22	18	1	-	7	694	2,633
Polonnaruwa	7	7	1	-	3	295	629
Badulla	15	15	2	1	9	567	1,960
Moneragala	11	10	-	-	3	319	1,346
Ratnapura	18	14	1	2	8	575	2,101
Kegalle	11	11	-	1	9	573	1,582
Sri Lanka	335	276	24	41	160	14,020	36,822

(a)Villages extended in more than one GN division were treated as separate Villages in respective GN divisions

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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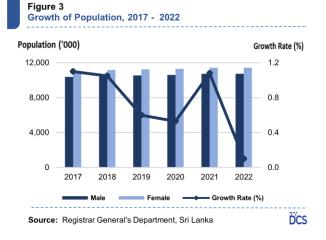
## 2. POPULATION

#### 2.1 Growth of Population, 2017-2022

Year	Mid - Year Population ('000)			Po	opulation
	Total	Male	Female	Growth Rate (%)	Density (Persons/km²)
2017#	21,453	10,386	11,067	1.14	342
2018*	21,670	10,492	11,178	1.05	346
2019*	21,803	10,556	11,247	0.62	348
2020*	21,919	10,613	11,306	0.53	350
2021*	22,156	10,727	11,429	1.08	353
2022*	22,181	10,740	11,441	0.11	354

\* Provisional # Revised

Note: Estimated mid-year population can be vary with census population



Source: Registrar General's Department

	Population by Age Group ('000)				Dependency Ratio (%)			
Year	0-14 yrs. A	15-64 yrs. B	65 yrs. & over C	Total (A+C)/B	0-14 yrs. A/B	65 yrs. & over C/B	Ageing Index (C+A)*100	
1901	1,496	1,963 <sup>(a)</sup>	96 <sup>(b)</sup>	81.12	76.2	4.9	6.4	
1911	1,680	2,332	94	76.07	72.0	4.0	5.6	
1921	1,771	2,619	108	71.75	67.6	4.1	6.1	
1946	2,478	3,949	229	68.57	62.8	5.8	9.3	
1953	3,412	4,595	283	80.41	74.2	6.2	8.3	
1963 <sup>(c)</sup>	4,390	5,744	379	83.03	76.4	6.6	8.6	
1971	4,945	7,206	539	76.10	68.6	7.5	10.9	
1981	5,227	8,979	641	65.35	58.2	7.1	12.3	
2001	4,449	11,413	1,068	48.30	39.0	9.4	24.0	
2012	5,132	13,625	1,603	49.43	37.7	11.8	31.2	

#### 2.2 Population by Age Group, Dependency Ratio and Ageing Index - Census Years

(a) Excludes 60-64 age group

(b) Includes 60-64 age group (c) Excludes unspecified 69,306 persons

Note: Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Kilinochchi, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts in which the 2001 census enumeration was not completed are not included here.

Year	Рори	lation by Age (	Group('000)	Dependency Ratio (%)
	0-14 yrs. A	15-59 yrs. B	60 yrs. & over C	Total (A+C)/B
2012	5,132	12,707	2,520	60.22

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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#### 2.3 Components of Population Change, 2016 - 2022

Year	Mid-Year Population ('000)	Births (Number)	Deaths (Number)	Natural Increase Rate (0/0)	Net Migration Rate (0/00)
2016	21,209	329,630	130,912	0.93	2.1
2017#	21,453	326,461	140,357	0.87	2.3
2018*	21,670	328,112	139,498	0.87	0.7
2019*	21,803	319,010	146,056	0.79	-2.3
2020*	21,919	301,706	132,431	0.77	-4.3
2021*	22,156	284,848	163,936	0.55	4.0
2022*	22,181	275,321	179,792	0.50	-9.7

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Note: Estimated mid-year population can be vary with census population

o/o - Per 100 persons

o/oo - Per 1000 persons

Source: Registrar General's Department

#### 2.4 Population by Ethnic Group, Census Years

1953	1963	1071			
		1971	1981	2001	2012
8,098	10,582	12,690	14,847	16,930	20,359
5,617	7,513	9,131	10,980	13,876	15,250
885	1,165	1,424	1,887	732	2,269
974	1,123	1,175	819	855	840
464	627	828	1,047	1,339	1,893
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(a) Included under others for the years, 1981,2001 and 2012

(b) Included under others from 1963 onwards

Note : Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Kilinochchi, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts in which the 2001 census enumeration was not completed are not included here.

#### 2.5 Population by Religion, Census Years

					( 000)
1953	1963	1971	1981	2001	2012
8,097.9	10,582.0	12,690.0	14,846.7	16,929.7	20,359.4
5,209.4	7,003.3	8,536.9	10,288.3	12,986.6	14,272.1
1,610.5	1,958.4	2,238.7	2,297.8	1,312.9	2,561.3
541.5	724.0	901.8	1,121.7	1,435.9	1,967.5
724.4	884.9	1,004.3	1,130.6	1,185.9	1,552.2
11.9	11.4	8.3	8.3	8.4	6.4
	<b>8,097.9</b> 5,209.4 1,610.5 541.5 724.4	8,097.9         10,582.0           5,209.4         7,003.3           1,610.5         1,958.4           541.5         724.0           724.4         884.9	8,097.9         10,582.0         12,690.0           5,209.4         7,003.3         8,536.9           1,610.5         1,958.4         2,238.7           541.5         724.0         901.8           724.4         884.9         1,004.3	8,097.9         10,582.0         12,690.0         14,846.7           5,209.4         7,003.3         8,536.9         10,288.3           1,610.5         1,958.4         2,238.7         2,297.8           541.5         724.0         901.8         1,121.7           724.4         884.9         1,004.3         1,130.6	8,097.9         10,582.0         12,690.0         14,846.7         16,929.7           5,209.4         7,003.3         8,536.9         10,288.3         12,986.6           1,610.5         1,958.4         2,238.7         2,297.8         1,312.9           541.5         724.0         901.8         1,121.7         1,435.9           724.4         884.9         1,004.3         1,130.6         1,185.9

Note: Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Kilinochchi, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts in which the 2001 census enumeration was not completed are not included here

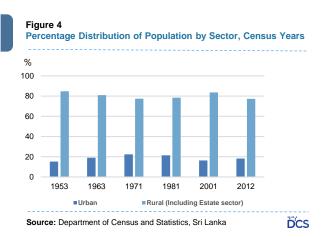
Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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Sector	1953	1963	1971	1981	2001 <sup>(a)</sup>	2012				
Population ('000)										
Urban	1,239.1	2,016.3	2,848.1	3,192.5	2,930.7	3,704.5				
Rural <sup>(b)</sup>	6,858.7	8,565.8	9,841.8	11,654.3	15,035.8	16,654.9				
Total	8,097.8	10,582.1	12,689.9	14,846.8	17,966.5	20,359.4				
Percentag	je (%)									
Urban	15.30	19.05	22.44	21.50	16.30	18.20				
Rural	84.70 <sup>(b)</sup>	80.95 <sup>(b)</sup>	77.56 <sup>(b)</sup>	78.50 <sup>(b)</sup>	83.70 <sup>(b)</sup>	77.40				
Estate	-	-	-	-	-	4.40				
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00				

(a) 2001 Census data was given according to the current boundaries of the urban areas.(b) Including estate sector.

Note: Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Kilinochchi, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts in which the 2001 census enumeration was not completed are not included here.



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#### 2.7 Vital Statistics, 2015 - 2022

	Desulation	Per 1,000 Population		Per 100,000 Live Births	Per 1,000	Live Births
Year	Population ('000)	Birth Rate	Death Rate	Maternal Mortality Rate <sup>(a)</sup>	Under 5 Mortality Rate	Infant Mortality Rate
2015	20,970	16.0	6.3	23.2	9.0	7.5
2016	21,209	15.5	6.2	••		
2017#	21,453	15.2	6.5	••		
2018*	21,670	15.1	6.4	••		
2019*	21,803	14.6	6.7	22.6	8.7	7.4
2020*	21,919	13.8	6.0	••		
2021*	22,156	12.9	7.4			
2022*	22,181	12.4	8.1			

\* Provisional

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Note: Estimated midyear population can be vary with census population

(a) Information received from Civil registration system in 2009 & onwards was reviewed and supplemented with the maternal Mortality data compiled by the Family Health Bureau, Ministry of Health Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine

#### 2.8 Nutritional Status of Children (Stunted, Wasted and Underweight)

(Percentage of children under 5 years classified as malnourished according to three anthropometric indices of nutritional status)

Year	Under weight (Weight - for - age)	Wasted (Weight - for- height)	Stunted (Height - for - age)
1993	37.7	15.5	23.8
2000	29.4	14.0	13.5
2006/07 <sup>(a)</sup>	26.9	14.1	12.9
2016 <sup>(b)</sup>	20.5	15.1	17.3

Note: (a) Each of the indices is expressed in standard diviation units (SD) from the median of the NCHS/WHO/CDC child growth standards

(b) Each of the indices is expressed in standard deviation units (SD) from the median of the WHO child Growth standards adopted in 2006. These indices are not comparable to those based on the previously used NCHS/CDC/WHO reference.

Source: Demographic & Health Survey 1993, 2000, 2006/07and 2016, Department of Census and Statistic



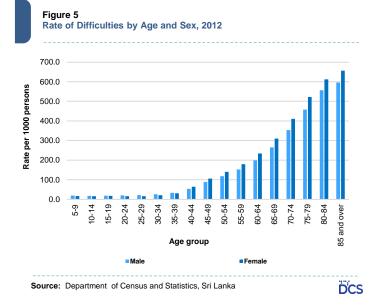
(% of children)

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#### 2.9 Rate of Difficulties by Age and Sex, 2012

Age	Rate of Difficulties (per 1000 persons)							
	Total	Male	Female					
5-9	18.0	19.3	16.8					
10-14	16.8	18.0	15.6					
15-19	18.0	18.5	17.6					
20-24	18.1	20.3	16.1					
25-29	18.9	21.8	16.2					
30-34	23.0	25.4	20.8					
35-39	31.8	32.9	30.7					
40-44	58.6	53.2	63.8					
45-49	97.5	88.8	105.6					
50-54	129.6	117.8	140.4					
55-59	166.6	152.5	179.1					
60-64	217.5	198.8	233.7					
65-69	289.7	264.7	310.0					
70-74	385.2	353.2	410.4					
75-79	496.2	458.2	522.8					
80-84	589.9	556.4	612.4					
85 and over	633.3	595.8	656.7					



Source: Census of Population and Housing - 2012, Department of Census and Statistics

				(Number)
Type of Disaster	2019	2020	2021	2022
Flood	579,960	121,236	734,685	154,789
Drought	969,689	416,276	437,241	133,056
Lightning (Thundering)	1,469	716	1,254	3,078
Strong Wind	66,158	175,349	27,267	75,622
Landslides	2,393	44	520	702

#### 2.10 Number of Persons Affected by Natural Disasters, 2019 - 2022

#### 2.11 Number of Persons Death by Natural Disasters, 2019 - 2022

(Number)

(Number)

Type of Disaster	2019	2020	2021	2022
Flood	13	4	36	7
Drought	0	0	0	0
Lightning (Thundering)	19	9	24	25
Strong Wind	27	14	8	18
Landslides	4	3	7	2

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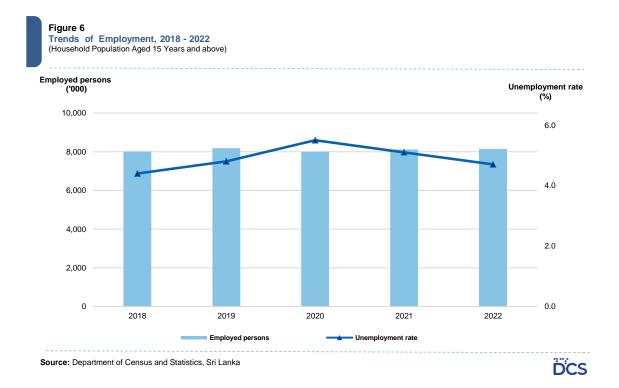
## 3.1 Labor Force Status of the Household Population, 2018 - 2022 (Household Population Aged 15 Years and above)

Year	Household	Total Labour	Labour Force Participation	Labour Force	e ('000 Persons)	Not in Labour	Unemployment	
	Population ('000 Persons)	Force ('000 Persons)	Rate (%)	No. of Employed	No. of Unemployed	Force ('000 Persons)	Rate %	
2018	16,196	8,388	51.8	8,015	373	7,808	4.4	
2019	16,424	8,592	52.3	8,181	411	7,832	4.8	
2020	16,739	8,467	50.6	7,999	468	8,272	5.5	
2021	17,134	8,553	49.9	8,114	440	8,580	5.1	
2022	17,161	8,547	49.8	8,148	399	8,615	4.7	

Source: Sri Lanka Labor Force Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

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,	1616					('000 j	persons)
Serial No.	ISIC Major Group	Industry Group	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
		Total Employed	8,015	8,181	7,999	8,114	8,148
1	Α	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	2,044	2,072	2,170	2,213	2159
2	В	Mining and Quarrying	62	61	57	55	59
3	С	Manufacturing	1,464	1,504	1,398	1,362	1409
4	D,E,F	Construction, Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply, Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation activities	713	693	698	693	690
5	G	Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motor Cycles	1,141	1,134	1,095	1,154	1143
6	Н	Transportation and Storage	502	514	524	482	486
7		Accommodation and Food Services Activities	238	232	217	214	236
8	J	Information and Communication	55	64	58	73	71
9	K	Financial and Insurance Activities	173	188	183	182	182
10	Μ	Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	86	90	86	81	87
11	Ν	Administrative and Support Service Activities	167	205	165	136	146
12	0	Public Administration and Defence Compulsory Social Security	434	436	447	490	457
13	Р	Education	425	426	403	423	462
14	Q	Human Health and Social Work Activities	143	169	156	175	169
15	S	Other Service Activities	117	135	123	128	162
16	Т	Activities of Households as Employers; Undiffrentiated Goods and Services - Producing Activities of Households for Own Use	194	187	167	202	158
17	L,R,U	Other <sup>(a)</sup>	55	68	51	51	71

Note: <sup>(a)</sup> Real Estate Activities, Arts, Entertainment and recreation, Activities of Extra Territorial Organizations & Bodies Covered All Districts

Source: Sri Lanka Labor Force Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

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#### 3.3 Employed Persons (Aged 15 Years and above) by Major Occupational Group, 2018 - 2022 (Based on ISCO 08)

						('00	0 Persons)
Serial No.	ISCO Major Group	Occupational Group	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
		Total Employed	8,015	8,181	7,999	8,114	8,148
1	1	Managers, Senior Officials and Legislators	619	622	512	325	341
2	2	Professionals	559	609	531	576	596
3	3	Technicians and Associate Professionals	662	742	695	682	688
4	4	Clerks and Clerical Support Workers	286	309	306	282	296
5	5	Service and Sales Workers	702	708	757	948	902
6	6	Skilled Agriculture, Forestry and Fishery Workers	1,309	1,376	1,374	1,309	1,311
7	7	Craft and Related Trade Workers	1,298	1,308	1,222	1,142	1,174
8	8	Plant and Machine Operators and Assemblers	706	715	729	817	787
9	9	Elementary Occupations	1,836	1,758	1,834	2,000	2,007
10	0	Armed Forces Occupations and Unidentified Occupations	38	35	38	32	46

#### 3.4 Composition of Employment by Economic Sector, 2022 (Based on ISIC-Rev.4)

Turne of Freedoment	Total		Formal Sect	or	Informal Sector	
Type of Employment	No	%	No	%	No	%
Total	8,147,731	100.0	3,469,040	42.6	4,678,690	57.4
Agricultural Employment	2,158,559	100.0	262,929	12.2	1,895,630	87.8
Non - Agricultural Employment	5,989,172	100.0	3,206,111	53.5	2,783,060	46.5

Note: Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers all districts

#### 3.5 Employment by Economic Sector by Sex, 2022

<b>C</b>	То	tal	Formal S	Sector	Informal Sector		
Sex	No	%	Νο	%	No	%	
Total	8,147,731	100.0	3,469,040	42.6	4,678,690	57.4	
Male	5,373,965	100.0	2,044,657	38.0	3,329,308	62.0	
Female	2,773,766	100.0	1,424,384	51.4	1,349,382	48.6	

Note: Household population aged 15 years and above and data covers all districts

#### 3.6 Percentage Distribution of Informal Sector Employment In Non - Agricultural Sector by District, 2022

(Household population aged 15 years and above)

District	%	District	%
Srilanka	46.5		
Colombo	38.4	Batticaloa	48.5
Gampaha	41.6	Ampara	51.4
Kalutara	38.7	Trincomalee	58.6
Kandy	45.1	Kurunegala	52.0
Matale	51.3	Puttlam	64.8
Nuwara Eliya	42.3	Anuradhapura	52.1
Galle	49.8	Polonnaruwa	48.3
Matara	45.9	Badulla	47.7
Hambantota	49.8	Moneragala	48.0
Jaffna	54.8	Ratnapura	50.7
Mannar	60.5	Kegalle	44.9
Vavuniya	49.0		
Mulativu	57.8		
Killinochchi	50.1		

#### Figure 7 Percentage Distribution of InformI Sector Employment in Non -Agricultural Sector, 2022 (%) 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 0 Colombo Kalutara Gampaha Nuwara Eliya Kegalle Kandy Matara Killinochchi Ratnapura Matale Ampara Kurunegala Anuradhapura Mulativu Trincomalee Vavuniya Galle Jaffna Badulla Moneragala Polonnaruwa Batticaloa Hambantota Mannar Puttlam DCS Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka



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#### 3.7 Unemployment Rate by Province and Sex, 2019-2022

Province		2019			2020			2021			2022	
FIOVINCE	Total	Male	Female									
Sri Lanka	4.8	3.3	7.4	5.5	4.0	8.5	5.1	3.7	7.9	4.7	3.7	6.5
Western	4.0	3.2	5.6	5.5	4.4	7.6	4.9	3.6	7.4	4.9	4.1	6.4
Central	6.0	4.3	8.7	6.4	5.6	7.8	5.7	4.7	7.4	5.7	4.8	7.1
Southern	6.7	4.9	9.9	7.7	5.9	11.4	7.3	5.3	11.2	5.8	4.4	8.5
North Western	4.1	2.6	6.6	4.3	2.4	7.6	3.6	2.2	6.0	3.7	3.0	5.2
North Central	3.3	2.1	5.3	4.1	2.1	7.7	4.6	3.4	6.9	3.7	3.0	5.1
Uva	4.0	2.8	6.0	4.7	3.3	7.6	5.6	3.9	8.4	4.4	3.6	5.7
Sabaragamuwa	4.4	3.1	6.6	5.4	3.9	8.0	4.9	4.3	6.1	3.8	3.4	4.4
Eastern	6.4	3.1	15.8	4.8	2.4	11.8	5.0	2.1	14.2	3.9	2.5	8.2
Northern	5.0	3.0	10.3	5.2	3.3	10.7	4.4	2.5	9.3	4.3	2.1	9.8

(Household population aged 15 years and above)

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

# 3.8 Percentage Distribution of Employed and Unemployed Population by Level of Education and Sex, 2019 - 2022

Type of Population /Year	Below Grade 6		Grade 6-10			G.C.E. (O/L) NCGE			(%) G.C.E. (A/L) HNCE & Above			
	т	Μ	F	т	Μ	F	т	м	F	т	Μ	F
Employed												
2019	14.0	14.1	13.8	45.8	49.6	38.4	17.4	18.0	16.3	22.8	18.2	31.6
2020	13.7	13.8	13.4	46.0	49.8	38.1	17.8	18.3	16.8	22.5	18.1	31.7
2021	13.0	13.0	12.8	45.7	49.6	37.8	17.6	18.6	15.5	23.8	18.8	33.8
2022	12.7	13.0	12.0	45.1	49.1	37.2	17.6	18.5	16.1	24.6	19.4	34.7
Unemployed												
2019	2.9	2.9	2.9	31.4	42.2	22.5	23.9	27.0	21.4	41.9	28.0	53.3
2020	2.2	2.3	2.2	32.6	41.5	24.2	23.5	27.7	19.7	41.7	28.5	53.9
2021	1.4	1.8	1.0	29.6	36.0	23.9	24.9	29.9	20.5	44.1	32.3	54.6
2022	1.8	2.2	1.3	32.1	40.1	23.5	23.6	28.0	18.8	42.6	29.6	56.4

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

Note: Household population aged 15 years and above

T= Total M=Male F= Female

Source: Sri Lanka Labor Force Survey, Department of Census and Statistics



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#### 3.9 Index Numbers of Minimum Wages by Class of Workers, 2015 - 2022 (Base: 1978 =100)

Class of Workers	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Agriculture	4,735.7	4,735.7	4,736.7	4,748.8	4,784.4	4,785.6	9,492.0	10,441.7
Industry and Commerce	3,459.1	3,459.1	3,459.1	3,545.3	3,796.6	3,806.2	4,061.1	4,417.9
Services	2,313.2	2,313.1	2,313.2	2,331.2	2,659.3	2,684.2	2,845.1	3,070.3
All combined	4,127.9	4,127.9	4,128.6	4,155.2	4,275.5	4,281.9	7,469.5	8,198.6

Source: Department of Labor

### 3.10 Departures for Foreign Employment by Manpower Level and Sex, 2014 - 2022

Year	Profess Lev		Midd Leve		Clerica Rela		Skille	d	Semi Sk	Semi Skilled Low-sk		tilled	Domestic Housekeeping	Total
	м	F	м	F	м	F	м	F	м	F	м	F	- Assistants	
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	6,689	521	6,820	928	8,467	1,554	62,390	4,663	2,479	291	42,929	8,790	64,938	211,459
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#	7,924	651	3,634	633	5,493	1,077	37,738	2,652	1,806	132	25,152	6,729	29,266	122,887
2022*	12,841	1,466	6,795	1,335	9,587	2,547	85,978	6,858	3,721	412	68,043	37,466	74,007	311,056

\* Provisional

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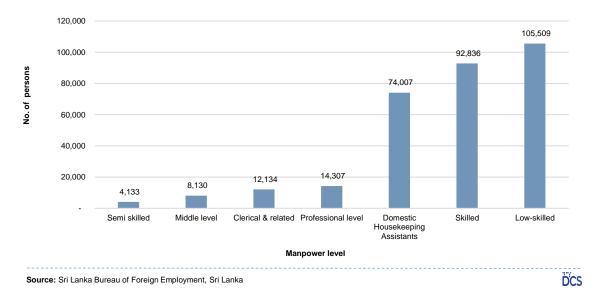
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Source: Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment

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#### Figure 8 Departures for Foreign Employment by Manpower Level, 2022



#### 3.11 Public and Semi Government Sector Employees by Census years, Sector and Sex

Year	Sector	Male		Female		Total		
	_	No	%	No	%	No	%	
2002	State	209,187	25.0	86,547	10.4	295,734	35.4	
	Provincial Public	126,139	15.1	165,932	19.9	292,071	35.0	
	Semi Government	189,020	22.6	58,825	7.0	247,845	29.7	
	All	524,346	62.7	311,304	37.3	835,650	100.0	
2006	State	227,763	27.3	106,514	12.7	334,277	40.0	
	Provincial Public	117,909	14.1	174,806	20.9	292,715	35.0	
	Semi Government	155,490	18.6	53,316	6.4	208,806	25.0	
	All	501,162	60.0	334,636	40.0	835,798	100.0	
2016	State	294,299	26.5	191,172	17.2	485,471	43.8	
	Provincial Public	143,979	13.0	236,219	21.3	380,198	34.3	
	Semi Government	173,170	15.6	70,636	6.4	243,806	22.0	
	All	611,448	55.1	498,027	44.9	1,109,475	100.0	

Source: Census of Public and Government Sector Employment 2002, 2006 and 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

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#### 3.12 Public and Semi Government Sector Employees by Sector of Employment and Age Group, 2016

Sector	Total		18 - 29 years		30 - 54 years		55 years and above		Not specified	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	1,109,475	100	163,932	14.8	830,751	74.9	112,788	10.2	2,004	0.2
State	485,471	100	75,478	15.5	368,047	75.8	40,934	8.4	1,012	0.2
Provincial Public	380,198	100	44,901	11.8	292,585	77.0	42,266	11.1	446	0.1
Semi Government	243,806	100	43,553	17.9	170,119	69.8	29,588	12.1	546	0.2

Source: Census of Public and Semi Government Sector Employment 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

# 3.13 Public and Semi Government Sector Employees by Sector of Employment and Highest Level of Education, 2016

Sector –	Total		Belov G.C.E.(O	-	Passe G.C.E.(C		Passe G.C.E.(A		Degree		ree Above Degre		e Not specified	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total	1,109,475	100	190,498	17.2	223,041	20.1	388,787	35.0	195,438	17.6	94,940	8.6	16,771	1.5
State	485,471	100	90,743	18.7	119,475	24.6	157,446	32.4	80,616	16.6	29,459	6.1	7,732	1.6
Provincial Public	380,198	100	41,969	11.0	45,032	11.0	150,202	39.5	89,487	23.5	49,868	13.1	3,640	1.0
Semi Governmen	t 243,806	100	57,786	24.0	58,534	23.7	81,139	33.3	25,335	10.4	15,613	6.4	5,399	2.2

Source: Census of Public and Semi Government Sector Employment 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

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#### 3.14 Public and Semi Government Sector Employees by Sector of Employment, Computer Literate and Internet Use, 2016

	Total	Computer	Literate	Using Internet		
Sector	Employees	Number	%	Number	%	
Total	1,109,475	741,460	66.8	624,693	56.3	
State	485,471	309,390	63.7	262,833	54.1	
Provincial Public	380,198	272,124	71.6	218,218	57.4	
Semi Government	243,806	159,946	65.6	143,642	58.9	

Source: Census of Public and Semi Government Sector Employment 2016, Department of Census and Statistics

## 4. POVERTY INDICES

#### 4.1 Percentage of Poor Households Based on the Official Poverty Line by District

				Survey Period		(%)
District		Old	d poverty line*			Updated poverty line**
	2006/07 <sup>(a)</sup>	2009/10 <sup>(b)</sup>	2012/13	2016	2019	2019
Sri Lanka	12.6	7.0	5,3	3.1	2.5	11.9
Colombo	3.9	2.5	1.1	0.6	0.2	1.8
Gampaha	7.2	3.0	1.5	1.3	0.7	4.2
Kalutara	10.3	4.1	2.5	2.3	2.0	9.5
Kandy	13.9	8.3	4.6	4.2	2.4	11.5
Matale	15.7	9.3	6.0	3.2	2.8	15.6
Nuwara Eliya	27.5	7.1	5.6	4.6	7.0	23.9
Galle	10.7	7.9	7.7	2.0	2.5	10.8
Matara	11.7	8.3	6.2	3.7	1.8	9.5
Hambantota	10.5	5.4	3.8	1.1	1.0	12.0
Jaffna		12.4	6.6	6.0	6.9	20.8
Mannar			15.0	0.9	1.1	6.3
Vavuniya		2.0	2.4	1.5	4.3	12.1
Mullaitivu			24.7	11.2	10.8	39.5
Kilinochchi			10.7	15.0	6.4	23.0
Batticaloa	9.5	17.0	14.3	8.1	3.3	16.2
Ampara	8.7	10.0	4.1	2.1	2.1	14.2
Trincomalee		9.0	6.2	6.8	3.2	15.0
Kurunegala	12.9	8.6	5.0	2.3	1.8	10.7
Puttalam	10.6	7.5	3.3	1.6	1.0	8.1
Anuradhapura	12.7	4.6	6.3	2.7	0.7	7.2
Polonnaruwa	10.0	4.5	5.6	1.7	3.2	13.8
Badulla	21.0	10.9	10.4	5.9	6.0	28.0
Moneragala	29.2	13.9	18.8	4.4	4.1	18.4
Ratnapura	21.5	8.5	7.5	4.8	5.4	20.7
Kegalle	18.4	9.0	5.4	5.4	4.5	18.0

(a) Exclude Northern Province and Trincomalee district (b) Exclude Mannar, Killinochchi and Mullaitivu districts

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\*\* Updated poverty line (Based on 2012/13 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using NCPI for the survey year 2019.

Source: Household Income and Expenditure Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

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### 4.2 Poverty Lines by District, 2017-2022

(Rs.)

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District –			-			
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Sri Lanka	6,588	6,729	6,966	7,395	7,913	••
Colombo	7,152	7,304	7,513	7,975	8,535	
Gampaha	6,934	7,082	7,474	7,934	8,491	
Kalutara	6,899	7,046	7,312	7,762	8,307	
Kandy	6,825	6,971	7,071	7,506	8,033	
Matale	6,703	6,846	7,061	7,496	8,022	
Nuwara Eliya	7,007	7,157	7,326	7,776	8,322	
Galle	6,505	6,644	7,078	7,513	8,040	
Matara	6,296	6,431	6,803	7,222	7,728	
Hambantota	6,319	6,454	6,768	7,185	7,689	
Jaffna	6,440	6,577	6,798	7,217	7,723	
Mannar	6,580	6,720	7,135	7,574	8,105	
Vavuniya	6,455	6,593	6,959	7,387	7,905	
Mullaitivu	6,393	6,529	6,917	7,343	7,858	
Kilinochchi	6,322	6,457	6,730	7,144	7,645	
Batticaloa	6,711	6,854	7,004	7,435	7,956	
Ampara	6,588	6,729	7,022	7,454	7,977	
Trincomalee	6,525	6,665	6,787	7,205	7,710	
Kurunegala	6,490	6,629	6,843	7,264	7,774	
Puttalam	6,430	6,567	7,111	7,548	8,078	
Anuradhapura	6,359	6,495	6,798	7,217	7,723	
Polonnaruwa	6,611	6,753	6,816	7,236	7,743	
Badulla	6,456	6,593	7,018	7,450	7,972	
Moneragala	6,203	6,335	6,661	7,071	7,567	
Ratnapura	6,534	6,673	6,997	7,428	7,949	
Kegalle	6,852	6,998	7,284	7,732	8,274	

#### **Poverty Line**

Note - Official poverty line was updated based on 2012/13 Household Income and Expenditure Survey.

Source: Household Income and Expenditure Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

# 4.3 Poverty Headcount Index and Percentage of Poor Households Based on the Official Poverty Line by Sector

	Poverty Headcount Index							Percentage of Poor Households						
Sector		Old	Poverty Li	ne *		Updated poverty line**		Old P	Updated poverty line**					
	2006/ 07 <sup>(a)</sup>	2009 /10 <sup>(b)</sup>	2012 / 13	2016	2019	2019	2006/ 07 <sup>(a)</sup>	2009/ 10 <sup>(b)</sup>	2012/1 3	2016	2019	2019		
All Island	15.2	8.9	6.7	4.1	3.2	14.3	12.6	7.0	5.3	3.1	2.5	11.9		
Urban	6.7	5.3	2.1	1.9	1.1	6.0	5.0	3.8	1.5	1.3	0.8	4.4		
Rural	15.7	9.4	7.6	4.3	3.3	15.0	13.1	7.5	6.0	3.3	2.6	12.6		
Estate	32.0	11.4	10.9	8.8	10.4	33.8	25.8	8.9	8.8	6.8	8.3	29.7		

(a) Exclude Northern province and Trincomalee district

(b) Exclude Mannar, Killinochchi and Mullaitivu districts

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

\*\* Updated poverty line (Based on 2012/13 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using NCPI for the survey year 2019.

#### 4.4 Average Monthly Household Income (at Current Price) and Gini Coefficient for Household by Sector

Sector	Ave	Average Monthly Household Income (Rs.) Gini Coefficient							for Household Income		
	2006/07 <sup>(a)</sup>	2009/10 <sup>(b)</sup>	2012/13	2016	2019	2006/07 <sup>(a)</sup>	2009/10 <sup>(b)</sup>	2012/13	2016	2019	
All Island	26,286	36,451	45,878	62,237	76,414	0.49	0.49	0.48	0.45	0.46	
Urban	41,928	47,783	69,880	88,692	116,670	0.54	0.48	0.51	0.48	0.49	
Rural	24,039	35,228	41,478	58,137	69,517	0.46	0.49	0.45	0.44	0.44	
Estate	19,292	24,162	30,220	34,804	46,865	0.57	0.43	0.39	0.36	0.36	

(a) Exclude Northern province and Trincomalee district

(b) Exclude Mannar, Killinochchi and Mullaitivu districts

Source: Household Income and Expenditure Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

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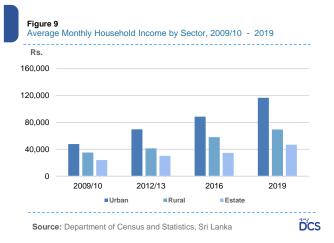
# 4.5 Poverty Gap and Squared Poverty Gap Indices by Sector

(%)

		Pover	ty Gap Ind	ex	Squared Poverty Gap Index					
Sector	Old	Old Poverty Line*		Line**		Poverty	Old	.ine*	Updated Poverty Line**	
	2012 /13	2016	2019	2019	2012 /13	2016	2019	2019		
All Island	1.2	0.6	0.5	2.8	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.9		
Urban	0.3	0.3	0.2	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.3		
Rural	1.4	0.6	0.5	3.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.9		
Estate	1.6	1.2	1,2	7.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	2.2		

 $^{\ast}$  Old poverty line (Based on 2002 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using CCPI for the other survey years.

\*\* Updated poverty line (Based on 2012/13 HIES) is adjusted for price differences using NCPI for the survey year 2019.



### 4.6 Average Monthly Household Expenditure on Selected Food Items

ltem	Unit		2012/13		2016		2019	
item	onit _	Qty.	Value (Rs.)	Qty.	Value (Rs.)	Qty.	Value (Rs.)	
Rice	kg	34.8	2,134	33.1	2,452	31.5	2,841	
Wheat flour	kg	2.2	210	1.9	185	1.8	187	
Bread	kg	3.6	462	3.6	464	3.5	493	
Condiments	kg	-	1,416	-	1,881	-	2,580	
Pulses	kg	3.0	552	3.1	693	3.2	685	
Vegetables		-	1,279	-	1,530	-	1,805	
Coconut	no.	28.0	962	27.0	1,096	27.0	1,192	
Meat	kg	1.6	669	1.8	918	2.0	1,123	
Fish	kg	3.7	1,430	4.1	1,820	4.0	2,086	
Dried Fish	kg	1.2	656	1.1	773	1.1	882	
Milk	litters	0.4	30	0.4	40	0.5	62	
Milk products		-	1,359	-	1,522	-	1,543	
Eggs	no.	11.0	160	12.0	205	15.0	283	
Fruit		-	461	-	612	-	657	
Sugar	kg	4.3	459	4.0	418	3.9	423	
Other food & drink		-	3,412	-	4,505	-	2,015	

Source: Household Income and Expenditure Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

## 4.7 Average Monthly Household Expenditure on Major Non-food Expenditure Group

Variable	2009/10 <sup>(a)</sup>	2012/13	2016	2019
Housing	3,446	4,667	6,873	8,744
Fuel and Light	1,278	1,755	1,757	2,085
Clothing and Textile and Footwear	903	1,194	1,581	1,688
Personal Care and Health	1,429	2,181	2,529	2,663
Transport and Communication	3,072	4,315	5,548	5,830
Education	1,018	1,448	2,066	2,401
Cultural and Entertainment	402	515	908	959
Non-durable Household Goods	264	318	362	446
Consumer Durables	780	1,018	2,261	4,511
Other Non-Consumer Expenditure	4,807	7,678	10,945	10,712
Liquor and Tobacco	665	705	1,056	960

Note: (a) Exclude Mannar, Killinochchi and Mullaitivu districts

Source: Household Income and Expenditure Survey, Department of Census and Statistics

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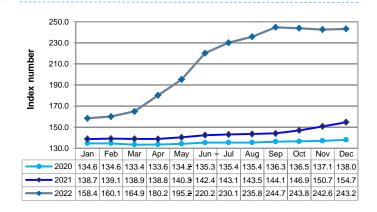
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## 5. PRICE INDICES

#### 5.1 Movements of Colombo Consumers' Price Index, 2018-2022 (Base Year 2013=100)

	Index	Inflation Annual
Year	Number	Average (%)
2018	124.1	4.3
2019	129.5	4.3
2020	135.4	4.6
2021	143.4	6.0
2022	209.9	46.4

Figure 10 Movements of Colombo Consumers' Price Index (2013=100), 2020 - 2022



Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

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### 5.2 Producers' Prices for Paddy, 2014-2022

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District	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
All Average	40.06	39.86	36.90	47.33	47.14	41.22	49.09	64.04	103.84
Colombo	30.00	40.00		••	••				85.00
Gampaha		41.44	36.34		42.83	32.25		55.50	104.48
Kalutara	35.00		35.00	44.56				80.00	84.05
Kandy	41.86	37.22	40.52	50.09	45.57	43.83	50.86	82.83	116.79
Matale	37.59	38.95	37.17	50.56	50.86	41.39	48.64	65.25	107.51
N'Eliya					••				81.67
Galle	••		30.00	••			••	••	
Matara				43.00					116.25
Hambantota			33.00	49.00	••				117.91
Jaffna					••			57.00	96.83
Mannar	35.70	39.31	39.52		45.04	47.15	50.35	56.38	92.58
Vavuniya	42.63	40.68	34.14	41.05	44.56	34.56	47.86	59.22	109.24
Mullaitivu	42.87	50.00	38.30	44.54	48.08	47.94	47.20	67.36	99.96
Kilinochchi	35.00	39.85	37.73	46.88	45.35	39.22	46.13	66.80	97.54
Batticaloa	33.25	38.39	34.87	45.85	46.90	38.52	45.63	53.91	110.43
Ampara	39.62	38.60	37.63	49.21	45.91	41.47	49.55	61.95	109.47
Trincomalee	42.42	38.48	37.74	45.10	49.60	41.57	48.60	61.54	95.56
Kurunegala	41.80	39.02	37.92	51.24	46.37	42.85	49.21	62.70	103.25
Puttalam	39.11	39.55	39.63	47.92	44.81	39.32	47.03	55.38	103.05
Anuradhapura	41.65	40.17	38.69	50.87	49.78	42.81	51.37	68.63	106.42
Polonnaruwa	40.39	41.67	39.59	51.84	50.90	42.56	51.56	66.91	109.36
Badulla	41.48	37.57	34.13	46.73	52.25	48.89	49.50	76.67	105.83
Moneragala	33.16	39.42	41.65	48.36	49.35	41.92	52.51	67.60	112.63
Ratnapura			35.00	••	••	••	••		119.50
Kegalle	38.50	37.08	36.33	45.08	43.22	34.43	49.45	58.56	106.80

#### 5.3 All Island Retail Prices for Selected Building Materials, 2018-2022

(Rs.)

Items	Unit	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
1. Cement 50kg. bag <sup>(a)</sup>	Each	945.00	1,064.74	1,004.18	1,060.21	2,568.87
2. Bricks - Clay	1000	15,069.72	14,919.84	15,833.73	16,950.37	26,953.32
3. Sand with transport	Cube	13,039.15	12,966.17	12,769.43	14,046.31	24,049.07
4. Lime (1) Boiled	50kg.	1,919.10	2,359.60	2,725.50	2,790.28	3,186.00
(2) Slaked	50kg.	1,069.23	984.82	1,153.57	1,326.50	1,499.95
5. Tiles (Rectangular)	1000	69,367.80	68,352.00	73,000.00	75,380.00	101,970.00
6. Asbestos (1) Corrugated 8 ft. (Rino)	Each	1,776.42	1,842.21	1,867.47	1,950.68	4,311.79
(2) Plain 4 by 4 feet Celling Sheet <sup>(b)</sup>	Each	561.03	564.79	532.96	541.23	1,141.69
7. Paints (1) CIC (Emulsion)	4 Litre	3,437.71	3,847.87	3,971.53	4,162.49	8,082.22
(2) CIC (Enamel)	4 Litre	3,982.71	4,450.87	4,568.78	4,864.11	9,422.12

(a) Holcim Super Cement

(b) 2019- 2022 Celling Sheet (Average Price of Rino & Mascon)

## 6. AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING

#### 6.1 Area and Yield of Paddy

Cultivated	Asweddumized	<b>C</b>	Sown Area	Harvested Area	Production	Average Yield
Year	Area <sup>(a)</sup> Hect.	Season	Hect.	Hect.	'000 Mt.	Kg/net Hect.
2013/14	877,858	Maha	651,289	579,875	2,236	4,222
2014		Yala	312,979	300,725	1,145	4,204
2014/15	885,110	Maha	772,626	734,967	2,877	4,364
2015		Yala	480,662	475,773	1,942	4,527
2015/16	886,202	Maha	756,005	742,724	2,903	4,349
2016		Yala	385,318	379,970	1,517	4,417
2016/17	892,945	Maha	542,556	382,856	1,474	4,301
2017		Yala	249,123	236,479	909	4,291
2017/18	857,843	Maha	667,191	619,928	2,399	4,302
2018		Yala	373,763	362,966	1,533	4,683
2018/19	865,827	Maha	748,027	724,120	3,073	4,747
2019		Yala	368,906	346,010	1,519	4,896
2019/20	869,111	Maha	752,248	739,911	3,197	4,531
2020		Yala	456,206	450,743	1,924	4,552
2020/21	876,076	Maha	770,240	762,411	3,061	4,307
2021	· · · · ·	Yala	501,467	496,761	2,088	4,309
2021/22	881,349	Maha	775,846	766,148	1,931	2,853
2022		Yala	481,669	480,289	1,462	3,207

(a) Reason for Increase in the asweddumized extent is due to inclusion of new lands brought under paddy cultivation.

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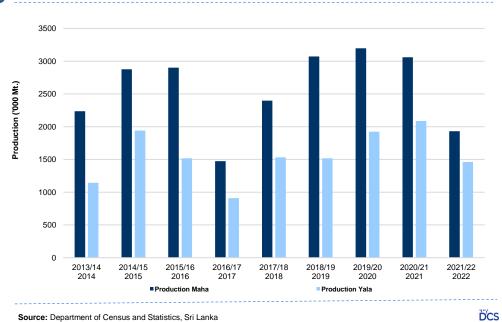


Figure 11 Paddy Production by Seasons 2013/2014 - 2021/2022

Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka

### 6.2 Irrigable and Irrigated Extent of Paddy Land, 2014 - 2022

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Year	Major S	chemes	Minor S	Schemes
Teal	Irrigable	Irrigated	Irrigable	Irrigated
	Area	Area	Area	Area
2014	395,898	492,717	231,099	223,976
2015	398,314	657,248	234,070	327,211
2016	400,240	608,858	233,811	295,200
2017	399,944	436,699	237,114	153,474
2018	381,295	564,759	230,920	233,474
2019	373,274	604,552	244,490	271,920
2020	375,354	636,410	245,366	302,757
2021	380,141	663,544	239,662	321,229
2022	382,611	653,582	242,958	319,756

Note: (1) Irrigable area denotes asweddumized extent during the year.

(2) Irrigated area denotes the extent cultivated for both seasons during the cultivation year.

## 6.3 Extent under Principal Crops and Food Crops, 2018 - 2022

					( )
Сгор	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Paddy <sup>(a)</sup>	857,843	865,827	869,111	876,076	881,349
Tea	202,540	200,296	266,354	266,509	267,187
Rubber	136,875	137,608	137,834	138,034	138,511
Coconut	455,330	503,452	453,742	456,137	460,339
Kurakkan	6,770	4,192	4,570	6,138	9,000
Maize	70,895	63,450	78,249	106,757	84,158
Meneri	53	70	109	282	257
Sorghum	85	100	200	176	66
Green gram	8,615	6,156	10,889	17,841	11,899
Cowpea	9,499	7,196	11,518	10,431	14,337
Gingelly	11,872	6,035	11,654	17,227	16,221
Ground nuts	15,752	14,527	19,508	18,537	16,656
Manioc	22,361	20,592	20,689	20,992	21,091
Sweet potatoes	4,099	3,254	4,065	4,017	4,108
Potatoes	5,174	5,432	3,565	4,623	3,455
Chillies(green)	13,553	10,981	13,580	12,301	12,095
Mustard	235	81	73	178	117
Red onions	4,044	5,333	4,623	4,051	4,000
Big onions	1,448	924	2,305	3,929	1,440

(a) Asweddumized paddy area under major, minor and schemes

Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Sri Lanka Tea Board, Department of Rubber Development, Ministry of Plantation.

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(Hectares)

## 6.4 Production under Principal Crops and Food Crops, 2018 - 2022

Сгор	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Paddy	3,929,831	4,592,056	5,120,924	5,149,596	3,392,905
Tea	303,840	300,120	278,852	299,488	251,499
Rubber	82,560	74,750	78,204	76,884	70,867
Coconut (in million nuts)	2,623	3,086	2,792	3,120	3,391
Kurakkan	8,060	5,474	6,247	8,064	10,888
Maize	270,041	245,647	313,521	472,444	259,040
Meneri	57	68	107	348	318
Sorghum	169	136	335	321	80
Green-Gram	9,856	7,335	13,497	18,931	12,544
Cowpea	11,180	8,067	13,216	11,878	14,844
Gingelly	8,589	6,085	8,223	11,999	10,230
Ground Nuts	27,602	26,922	38,491	36,947	27,181
Manioc	323,108	281,075	314,846	314,382	307,996
Sweet potatoes	43,323	35,607	44,580	43,415	45,039
Potatoes	88,897	101,642	65,085	75,911	47,614
Chilies -Green	79,003	60,593	79,325	68,565	63,035
Mustard	217	151	63	372	101
Red Onion	61,073	58,242	65,874	53,784	49,468
Big Onion	28,047	18,603	43,018	65,907	17,799

Note: 1 Mt.= 1000 kg

Source: Department of Census and Statistics, Tea Commissioner's Division, Sri Lanka Tea Board, Rubber Development Department, Ministry of Coconut Development, Ministry of Plantation

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### 6.5 Cost of Production of Principal Crops, 2012 - 2022

Financial	Cost of Production						
Year	Tea (per kg)	Rubber (per kg)	Coconut (per '000 nuts)				
	(Rs. cts.)	(Rs. cts.)	(Rs. cts.)				
2011/12	390.89	223.69	11,634.38				
2012/13	422.70	259.43	13,577.54				
2014/15	475.11	282.04	15,126.47				
2015/16	458.84	266.41	16,388.08				
2016/17	466.98	270.48	16,686.70				
2017/18	475.29	281.71	18,840.72				
2018/19	483.79	296.99	18,325.17				
2019/20	546.53	316.86	21,812.84				
2020/21	618.49	349.55	26,958.23				
2021/22	638.99	375.57	27,208.70				

#### 6.6 Per Capita Availability of Rice, 2014 - 2022

	Pa	ddy	Rice	5
Mid-Year Population ('000)	Production (Mt. '000)	Total Supply <sup>(a)</sup> (Mt. '000)	Available Supply (Food net) <sup>(b)</sup> (Mt. '000)	Per Capita Availability of Rice (kg./year)
20,777	3,381	3,316	2,342	113
20,970	4,819	4,726	2,827	135
21,203	4,420	4,335	2,372	112
21,444	2,383	2,337	1,914	89
21,670	3,930	3,592	2,318	107
21,803	4,592	4,236	2,514	115
21,919	5,121	4,723	2,792	127
22,156	5,150	4,726	2,928	132
22,181	3,393	3,076	2,505	113
	Population ('000) 20,777 20,970 21,203 21,444 21,670 21,803 21,919 22,156	Mid-Year Population ('000)Production (Mt. '000)20,7773,38120,9704,81921,2034,42021,4442,38321,6703,93021,8034,59221,9195,12122,1565,150	Population ('000)Production (Mt. '000)Total Supply (a) (Mt. '000)20,7773,3813,31620,9704,8194,72621,2034,4204,33521,4442,3832,33721,6703,9303,59221,8034,5924,23621,9195,1214,72322,1565,1504,726	Mid-Year Population ('000)Production (Mt. '000)Total Supply (a) (Mt. '000)Available Supply (Food net) (b) (Mt. '000)20,7773,3813,3162,34220,9704,8194,7262,82721,2034,4204,3352,37221,4442,3832,3371,91421,6703,9303,5922,31821,8034,5924,2362,51421,9195,1214,7232,79222,1565,1504,7262,928

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(a) Local production + Imports - Exports + change in stocks

(b) Total supply - seed - waste - Animal feed - Manufacturing

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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### 6.7 Per Capita Availability of Nutrition Per Day, 2016 - 2022

	Killo Calorio	es Per Day	Protein Gra	ms Per day	Fat Grams	s Per day		Total	
Year	Vegetable	Animal	Vegetable	Animal	Vegetable	Animal	Killo Calories Per Day	Protein Grams Per day	Fat Grams Per day
2016	2,678	207	52	19	44	11	2,885	71	55
2017	2,486	218	52	19	47	12	2,704	71	59
2018	2,659	253	53	21	47	14	2,912	74	61
2019	2,674	328	53	26	48	17	3,002	79	65
2020	2,955	290	59	22	54	15	3,245	80	69
2021*	2,839	269	58	21	45	16	3,108	79	61
2022			••					••	

\* Provisional

Note: The information related to year 2022 has not been available by 07/09/2023

### 6.8 Livestock and Production of Milk and Eggs, 2017 - 2022

					Produ	uction
Neat Cattle ('000)	Buffaloes ('000)	Goats / Sheep ('000)	Pigs ('000)	Poultry ('000)	Milk ('000 liters)	Eggs (million No s)
1,001	284	298	95	21,276	397,916	2,073
1,111	309	326	98	20,531	467,691	1,972
1,086	298	325	91	20,411	447,582	2,084
1,103	323	345	92	24,277	491,539	1,870
1,131	333	374	99	24,311	513,305	1,954
1,128	325	378	100	22,767	506,450	1,849
	('000) 1,001 1,111 1,086 1,103 1,131	('000)     ('000)       1,001     284       1,111     309       1,086     298       1,103     323       1,131     333	('000)     ('000)     ('000)       1,001     284     298       1,111     309     326       1,086     298     325       1,103     323     345       1,131     333     374	('000)     ('000)     ('000)     ('000)       1,001     284     298     95       1,111     309     326     98       1,086     298     325     91       1,103     323     345     92       1,131     333     374     99	('000)('000)('000)('000)('000)1,0012842989521,2761,1113093269820,5311,0862983259120,4111,1033233459224,2771,1313333749924,311	Neat Cattle ('000)Buffaloes ('000)Goats / Sheep ('000)Pigs ('000)Poultry ('000)Milk ('000) liters) $1,001$ 2842989521,276397,916 $1,011$ 3093269820,531467,691 $1,086$ 2983259120,411447,582 $1,103$ 3233459224,277491,539 $1,131$ 3333749924,311513,305

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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## 6.9 Volume Index of Agricultural Production, 2018 - 2022

(Base 2002 = 100)

Item	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Теа	98.0	96.8	89.8	96.6	81.12
Rubber	91.2	82.6	86.4	84.9	78.29
Coconut	106.7	125.5	125.5	126.9	137.90
Paddy	137.4	160.6	179.1	180.1	118.63
Coarse Grain	857.0	771.2	981.9	1,473.9	838.08
Other Food Crops	139.1	129.7	153.4	179.7	162.11
Vegetables	213.1	183.5	216.0	200.4	185.51
Fruits	196.8	159.5	213.0	180.0	322.35
Livestock and Livestock Products	169.8	169.8	174.0	180.1	175.23
Minor Export Crops	190.6	181.0	184.4	193.0	188.51
Overall Index	172.7	180.1	195.0	199.1	160.44

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#### 6.10 Annual Fish Production by Fishing Sub - Sector, 2015 - 2022

# 6.11 Operating Fishing Boats and Active Fishers, 2019 - 2022

Year	Marine F	ish Catch	Inland and	Total Fish	
Teal	Coastal	Off Shore /Deep Sea	Aquaculture	Production	
2015	269,020	183,870	67,300	520,190	
2016	274,160	182,830	73,930	530,920	
2017	259,720	189,720	81,870	531,310	
2018	249,020	190,350	87,690	527,060	
2019	242,580	172,910	90,340	505,830	
2020	182,560	144,370	101,810	428,740	
2021	178,260	153,415	104,235	435,910	
2022*	149,440	131,170	116,620	397,230	

(Mt.)

ltem	2019	2020	2021	(Number) 2022
Marine Fishing Fleet	t			
In board Engine	5,833	6,050	6,224	5,919
Out board Engine	25,544	26,384	26,787	26,904
Non-Motorized	17,599	17,062	16,765	15,857
Inland Fishing Fleet				
Oru (Canoes)	9,870	9,880	9,940	9,879
Total Fishing Fleet	58,846	59,376	59,716	58,559
Active Fishers				
Marine Fishers	224,610	225,070	224,190	223,490
Inland Fishers	70,715	90,650	91,020	92,056
Total	295,325	315,720	315,210	315,546

\* Provisional

Source: Ministry of Fisheries

## 7. INDUSTRY

#### 7.1 Energy Supply and Consumption, 2018 - 2022

Item	Unit	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
1. Electricity						
Units Generated <sup>(a)</sup>	G.Wh.	15,372#	15,922	15,716#	16,715#	15,942
CEB	"	11,802#	11,286	11,141#	12,711	12,225
Hydro	"	5,149	3,784	3,911	5,640	5,364
Thermal - oil	"	1,886	2,137	1,465	1,231	1,337
Thermal - Coal	"	4,764	5,361	5,754	5,519	5,174
Wind	"	1	-	8	318	347
Small Island	"	2	4	3	3	3
Private	**	3,570	4,636	4,575	4,004	3,717
Mini Hydro	"	1,232	1,011	1,047	1,568	1,377
Thermal	"	1,740	2,875	2,717	1,400	1,128
ORE <sup>(b)</sup>	"	598	750	811	1,036	1,212
Total Sales	**	14,091	14,611	14,287	15,214	14,516
Domestic & Religious	"	4,641	4,863	5,172	5,320	5,124
Industrial	"	4,290	4,392	4,164	4,822	4,332
Commercial	"	3,412	3,563	3,238	3,342	3,413
LECO	"	1,640	1,684	1,605	1,633	1,550
Street Lighting	"	108	109	108	97	97
2. Petroleum Product						
Refined Products(Imported)	'000 Mt.	2,944	3,049	1,612	2,752	2,704
Crude Oil(Processed)	"	1,763	1,843	1,715	1,185	516
3. L.P. Gas Production	Mt.	22,084	26,988	25,251	16,650	5,687

\* Provisional # Revised ORE - Other Renewable Energy (Wind, Biomass, Solar, Dendro and Municipal waste)

Note: (a) - Net Generation considered (b) Rooftop solar generation were considered for total generation since 2018

Source: Ceylon Petroleum Corporation, Ceylon Electricity Board

## 7.2 Principal Indicators of Industrial Activity Classified by Industry Sector- 2020

(Establishments with 5 or more persons engaged)

Industry Sector	No. of Establishments	Persons Engaged (No.)	Salary and Wages (Rs.)	Output (Rs.)	Intermediate Consumptions (Rs.)	Value Added (Rs.)
Total	14,073	910,717	305,120,057,072	3,216,091,334,991	2,038,381,382,802	1,177,709,952,188
Mining and Querrying	2,728	28,621	6,882,686,006	27,975,570,654	16,639,466,360	11,336,104,293
Manufacturing	11,006	842,882	266,737,796,938	2,875,783,985,257	1,794,941,529,112	1,080,842,456,145
Electricity, gas, steam and ai conditioning supply	r 109	26,450	19,309,216,388	280,970,827,580	216,373,014,814	64,597,812,766
Water supply, sewerage, was management and remediation activities		12,763	12,190,357,739	31,360,951,500	10,427,372,516	20,933,578,984

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## 8. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

### 8.1 Domestic and International Transport, 2019 - 2022

Item	2019	2020	2021	2022
Passengers (Thousand Persons)				
Railway	128,476	65,080	35,962	102,732
Ominibus Services	3,159,088	1,149,121 <sup>#</sup>	961,932	1,125,218
Sri Lanka Transport Board	916,964	558,104	399,264 <sup>#</sup>	933,421
National Carrier (Sri Lankan Airlines)	5,579	1,238	857	3,296
Foreign Airlines	4,321	1,135	643	2,207
Freight (Thousand metric tons)				
Railway	1,802	1,784	1,835	1,751
National Carrier (Sri Lankan Airlines)	122.82	56.15	93.20	88.17
Foreign Airlines	123.59	79.94	90.94	78.80

# Revised

Source: Sri Lanka Transport Board, National Transport Commission, Department of Railways, Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka

#### 8.2 Registered Motor Vehicles, 2018 - 2022

Type of Vehicle	2018	2019	2020	2021	(No.) 2022
Total	7,727,921	8,095,224	8,297,852	8,331,702	8,352,213
Passenger Cars	837,632	875,864	896,885	900,380	901,869
Three Wheelers	1,159,587	1,175,077	1,182,227	1,184,320	1,184,356
Buses (SLTB+ Private)	110,392	112,005	112,583	112,864	113,268
Motor Cycles	4,383,773	4,668,074	4,819,708	4,827,719	4,836,779
Lorries <sup>(a)</sup>	366,618	371,552	375,487	379,831	381,555
Ambulances and Hearses	3,659	3,948	3,954	4,042	4,124
Dual Purpose Vehicles	425,561	439,020	448,552	449,323	450,083
Tractors & Engines <sup>(b)</sup>	440,043	447,709	456,011	470,775	477,704
Quadricycle	654	1,972	2,442	2,442	2,442
Motor Home	2	3	3	6	6
Special Purpose vehicles	-	-	-	-	27
Passenger Cars Per 100 Population (%)	3.87	4.02	4.09	4.06	4.07

(a) Include lorry proper, lorry tractors (prime movers), lorry trailers, fork lift and lorry others.

(b) Include land vehicle tractors (4 and 2 wheelers) and land vehicle trailers

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#### 8.3 Postal Services, 2018 - 2022

Item	Unit	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
1. Postal Service						
Post Offices	No.	653	653	653	654	653
Sub-post Offices	No.	3,410	3,390	3,409	3,410	3,342
Agency Post Offices	No.	307 —	٦			
Rural Agency Post Offices	No.	101	- 136*	134	130	140
Estate Agency Post Offices	No.	4 –	J			
2. Mail Traffic						
Letters and Parcels Inland	'000	382,771	388,978	324,004	343,435	342,091
Letters and Parcels Foreign (inward & outward)	'000	5,227	5,718	2,939	3,552	1,119

\* Estimated

Source: Department of Posts

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### 8.4 Telecommunication Services, 2019 - 2022

Item	2019	2020	2021	2022*
1. Fixed Access Services (No.)				
Wire line Telephone Lines in Service	1,244,549	1,246,045	1,264,196	1,263,068
Wireless Local Loop Telephones & CDMA (Including data only and LTE in 2021)	1,055,218	1,367,095	2,574,095	2,489,942
2. Cellular Mobile (No. of subscriptions including data only)	32,884,099	28,739,277	30,824,128	29,824,933
3. Telephone Density (Telephones per 100 persons, including cellular subscriptions)	161.3	143.0	147.9	142.0
4. Other Services				
Public Pay Phones (No. of Booths)	476	461	-	-
Fixed Internet and E-mail (No. of Subscribers)	1,654,237	1,956,383	2,684,307#	2,686,955
Mobile Broad Band (No.of Subscriptions) **	11,754,166	15,567,665	19,422,091	18,980,661

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\*\* Subscriptions rebased

Source: Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

## 9. FOREIGN TRADE

#### 9.1 Summary of Foreign Trade Statistics, 2014 - 2022

(Rs. mn.)

Year	Imports		Balance of Trado		
Tedi	imports	Exports	Re-Exports	Total Exports	of Trade
2014	2,512,833	1,442,019	33,048	1,475,067	-1,037,766
2015	2,581,365	1,388,186	32,379	1,420,565	-1,160,800
2016	2,841,383	1,487,652	48,515	1,536,167	-1,305,216
2017	3,251,281	1,739,728	50,155	1,789,882	-1,461,398
2018	3,587,048	1,893,443	80,817	1,974,260	-1,612,788
2019	3,482,346	2,103,220	37,656	2,140,876	-1,341,470
2020	2,891,600	1,834,145	146,640	1,980,785	-910,814
2021	3,988,063	2,436,109	36,432	2,472,541	-1,515,522
2022	5,419,585	4,135,955	59,146	4,195,100	-1,224,484

Source: Sri Lanka Customs



## 9.2 Composition of Imports, 2017 - 2022

(Rs. mn.)

Item	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Food and Beverages	425,653	422,489	410,291	456,899	535,056	752,228
Mineral Products	583,869	714,128	711,197	459,498	701,734	1,305,174
Chemical and Resins	395,521	469,994	475,277	478,850	692,413	927,045
Leather, Wood and Paper	101,498	115,892	108,713	91,320	120,285	180,594
Textiles	456,007	497,441	554,082	460,840	636,945	1,004,574
Precious Stones	117,845	90,070	36,051	21,666	28,583	66,731
Base Metals	248,632	272,795	288,424	223,471	363,789	317,221
Machinery and Equipment	466,472	475,470	492,954	466,387	660,723	626,858
Transport Equipment	322,515	400,386	268,670	129,895	110,725	78,031
Footwear, Umbrellas, Ceremics	38,620	38,769	36,695	24,552	30,756	43,330
Other	94,649	89,613	99,994	78,223	107,053	117,799
Total	3,251,281	3,587,048	3,482,346	2,891,600	3,988,063	5,419,585

# 9.3 Import Quantities by Principal Commodities, 2018 - 2022

Item	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
Rice	248,901	24,193	15,770	147,091	783,418
Wheat and Meslin	1,296,915	1,158,520	1,403,877	1,306,599	583,213
Flour	3,662	5,146	15,322	11,456	233,902
Sugar	624,276	537,469	668,127	569,833	446,746
Dhall (Mysoor)	162,601	176,903	178,447	205,281	132,573
Chilli(Dried)	52,865	52,566	50,785	50,146	47,704
Onion (Red)	15,276	6,020	6,216	12,790	14,437
Onion (Bombay)	246,237	240,102	265,863	257,421	263,781
Potatoes	158,695	142,086	126,810	116,716	153,823
Dried Fish <sup>(a)</sup>	35,045	37,590	45,294	34,784	31,831
Milk Powder	99,028	93,749	97,263	83,668 <sup>#</sup>	50,246

\*Provisional # Revised (a) Including Maldives fish and excluding dried prawns

Source: Sri Lanka Customs



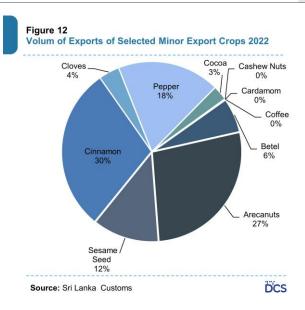
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# 9.4 Volume of Exports of Selected Minor Export Crops, 2018 - 2022

				(kg '000)
2018	2019	2020	2021	2022*
17,537	17,480	19,090	18,814	18,298
3,279	5,126	2,597	6,479	2,325
13,118	8,335	9,542	17,959	11,416
289	520	255	1,477	1,649
72	56	40	31	68
108	3,036	1.4	5	3
24	23	27	77	28
4,009	4,678	3,940	3,834	3,908
4,947	6,134	12,584	10,488	16,978
3,616	22	2	2,736	7,488
	17,537 3,279 13,118 289 72 108 24 4,009 4,947	17,537         17,480           3,279         5,126           13,118         8,335           289         520           72         56           108         3,036           24         23           4,009         4,678           4,947         6,134	17,537         17,480         19,090           3,279         5,126         2,597           13,118         8,335         9,542           289         520         255           72         56         40           108         3,036         1.4           24         23         27           4,009         4,678         3,940           4,947         6,134         12,584	17,537         17,480         19,090         18,814           3,279         5,126         2,597         6,479           13,118         8,335         9,542         17,959           289         520         255         1,477           72         56         40         31           108         3,036         1.4         5           24         23         27         77           4,009         4,678         3,940         3,834           4,947         6,134         12,584         10,488

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Source: Sri Lanka Customs

# 9.5 Quantity and Value of Imports of Major Commodities, 2014 - 2022

Year	Rice Wheat		eat	Su	gar	Crud	le oil	Fertilizer		
	Qty. ('000 Mt.)	Value (Rs. mn.)								
2014	600	36,795	1,179	48,430	520	33,332	14	187,760	765	35,591
2015	286	17,956	1,208	44,994	624	34,164	13	100,578	873	39,573
2016	30	1,872	948	33,536	651	49,919	13	86,969	527	19,904
2017	748	45,881	1,250	46,239	498	39,041	12	107,397	399	15,703
2018	249	16,679	1,297	53,918	645	40,045	13	160,024	861	42,682
2019	24	2,293	1,159	55,615	556	35,714	14	173,547	707	39,570
2020	16	1,936	1,404	67,819	683	51,146	13	107,665	952	48,227
2021	147	14,680	1,307	80,341	582	56,672	9	123,865	412	31,414
2022*	783	87,423	583	71,493	460	82,644	5	157,408	363	96,506

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Note: Adjusted for lags and other factors in recording



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# 9.6 Quantity and Value of Exports of Major Commodities, 2014 - 2022

Year	r	Геа	Ru	lbber	Co	conut	Agric	ther cultural rops	Garments	Peti	roleum		cious ones
- Cui	Qty. ('000 Mt.)	Value (Rs. mn.)	Value (Rs. mn.)	Qty. ('000 Mt.)	Value (Rs. mn.)	<b>Qty.</b> ('000 Mt.)	Value (Rs. mn.)						
2014	327	212,588	16	5,916	716	27,970	183	66,744	611,350	398	44,132	12,685	21,831
2015	307	182,054	10	3,548	552	30,123	177	81,530	618,803	908	50,461	12,116	21,322
2016	289	184,778	16	4,758	765	31,477	137	71,204	669,796	807	41,794	12,136	20,750
2017	289	233,338	17	5,920	466	28,921	148	93,049	722,624	972	66,280	9,400	21,143
2018	282	231,750	14	5,088	355	24,263	163#	88,225	807,787	1,093	101,467	8,190	21,703
2019	293	240,637	13	4,321	768	28,779	152	89,350	930,805	984	93,194	8,306	18,725
2020	266	230,170	16	5,579	574	30,221	165	98,245	728,005	798	68,849	2,697	12,618
2021	286	263,353	15	8,377	613	40,049	179	132,062	984,941	853	100,975	5,364	21,613
2022*	250	411,092	15	12,742	687	58,118	172	195,910	1,770,608	641	177,194	4,885	64,357

\* Provisional # Revised Note: Adjusted for lags and other factors in recording

# 9.7 Foreign Exchange Rates (Annual Average Rates), 2015 - 2022

(Sri Lanka Rupees per unit of Foreign Currency)

Year	USA (US\$)	UK (£)	Japan (¥)	India (Rs.)	SDR <sup>(a)</sup>	Euro
2015	135.94	207.99	1.12	2.12	190.16	150.84
2016	145.60	197.15	1.34	2.17	202.39	161.16
2017	152.45	196.47	1.36	2.34	211.49	171.73
2018	162.54	216.66	1.47	2.37	229.89	191.71
2019	178.77	228.19	1.64	2.53	246.97	200.14
2020	185.52	238.22	1.74	2.50	258.61	212.07
2021	198.88	273.51	1.81	2.69	283.18	235.10
2022	324.55	396.89	2.44	4.11	431.91	339.04

(a) Special Drawing Rights, the unit of account of the International Monetary Fund

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9.8 Index Numbers of External Trade, 2018 - 2022

(Value, Volume and Terms of Trade, {Base 2010=100})

Item	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Value Index					
Imports	237.9	235.2	196.2	270.7	378.5
Exports	198.3	219.0	190.7	255.1	434.4
Terms of Trade <sup>(a)</sup>	105.8	103.9	106.4	97.5	88.7
Volume Index					
Imports	174.3	164.2	145.5	162.2	126.0
Exports	137.3	147.2	132.9	156.9	163.0

Figure 13 External Trade Value Index, 2018 - 2022 500.0 400.0 Value Index 300.0 200.0 100.0 0.0 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 Imports — Exports DCS Source: Central Bank of Sri Lanka

(a) Export unit price index/Import unit price Index \* 100 Note: Unit Price Index = Value Index/Volume Index

# **10. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS**

# 10.1 National Accounts Summary Indicators (Base - 2015), 2017-2022

Item	2017#	2018#	2019#	2020#	2021#	2022*
A. At Current Market Price (Rs. mn.)						
1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	14,387,319	15,351,933	15,910,976	15,671,535	17,600,191	24,147,726
2. Gross National Income (GNI)	14,034,464	14,962,333	15,469,582	15,248,473	17,204,651	23,526,373
B. At Constant (2015) Price (Rs. mn.)						
1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	12,936,612	13,235,458	13,206,276	12,595,550	13,037,934	12,017,849
2. Gross National Income (GNI)	12,621,473	12,894,775	12,833,457	12,258,930	12,743,843	11,713,600
C. Per Capita Gross National Income (Rs.)						
1. At Current Price	654,470	690,463	709,516	695,674	776,523	1,060,654
D. GDP Implicit Price Deflator (Base: 2015=100)	111.2	116.0	120.5	124.4	135.0	200.9
E. Selected Components in Current Price (Rs. mn.)						
1. Exports (Goods and Non Factor Services)	2,909,720	3,292,414	3,472,337	2,418,542	2,980,263	5,187,941
2. Imports (Goods and Non Factor Services)	3,872,521	4,354,292	4,391,746	3,384,516	4,281,313	6,045,399
G.D.P. Growth Rate	6.5	2.3	(0.2)	(4.6)	3.5	(7.8)
Annual Average Price Change % (GDP -Implicit)	5.5	4.3	3.9	3.3	8.5	48.8
Mid-Year Population ('000)	21,444	21,670	21,803	21,919	22,156	22,181

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

# 10.2 Gross Domestic Product at Current Market Price of Major Economic Activities, 2017-2022

					(Rs. mn.)
2017#	2018#	2019#	2020#	2021#	2022*
1,069,075	1,165,529	1,154,540	1,291,023	1,554,911	2,112,745
2,640,868	2,846,361	3,082,297	3,037,059	3,703,393	5,386,274
2,142,458	2,307,822	2,571,341	2,548,143	3,164,083	4,731,616
1,837,657	1,767,942	1,562,278	1,380,791	1,572,211	1,922,678
3,376,959	3,634,451	3,868,757	3,801,974	4,064,134	6,261,983
271,641	307,278	349,192	385,981	475,127	565,449
648,319	675,152	740,512	890,111	1,092,117	1,637,713
602,973	663,136	737,948	741,750	800,835	993,423
298,297	322,269	365,255	352,460	382,833	431,125
1,204,187	1,446,395	1,530,443	1,665,963	1,770,239	1,947,721
1,113,493	1,185,685	1,277,604	1,210,362	1,206,712	1,711,640
13,063,468	14,014,197	14,668,824	14,757,475	16,622,513	22,970,752
1,354,211	1,364,615	1,277,118	925,466	991,050	1,186,931
30,361	26,879	34,966	11,406	13,372	9,957
14,387,319	15,351,933	15,910,976	15,671,535	17,600,191	24,147,726
	1,069,075 2,640,868 2,142,458 1,837,657 3,376,959 271,641 648,319 602,973 298,297 1,204,187 1,113,493 13,063,468 1,354,211 30,361	1,069,0751,165,5292,640,8682,846,3612,142,4582,307,8221,837,6571,767,9423,376,9593,634,451271,641307,278648,319675,152602,973663,136298,297322,2691,204,1871,446,3951,113,4931,185,68513,063,46814,014,1971,354,2111,364,61530,36126,879	1,069,075         1,165,529         1,154,540           2,640,868         2,846,361         3,082,297           2,142,458         2,307,822         2,571,341           1,837,657         1,767,942         1,562,278           3,376,959         3,634,451         3,868,757           271,641         307,278         349,192           648,319         675,152         740,512           602,973         663,136         737,948           298,297         322,269         365,255           1,204,187         1,446,395         1,530,443           1,113,493         1,185,685         1,277,604           13,063,468         14,014,197         14,668,824           1,354,211         1,364,615         1,277,118           30,361         26,879         34,966	1,069,0751,165,5291,154,5401,291,0232,640,8682,846,3613,082,2973,037,0592,142,4582,307,8222,571,3412,548,1431,837,6571,767,9421,562,2781,380,7913,376,9593,634,4513,868,7573,801,974271,641307,278349,192385,981648,319675,152740,512890,111602,973663,136737,948741,750298,297322,269365,255352,4601,204,1871,446,3951,530,4431,665,9631,113,4931,185,6851,277,6041,210,36213,063,46814,014,19714,668,82414,757,4751,354,2111,364,6151,277,118925,46630,36126,87934,96611,406	1,069,0751,165,5291,154,5401,291,0231,554,9112,640,8682,846,3613,082,2973,037,0593,703,3932,142,4582,307,8222,571,3412,548,1433,164,0831,837,6571,767,9421,562,2781,380,7911,572,2113,376,9593,634,4513,868,7573,801,9744,064,134271,641307,278349,192385,981475,127648,319675,152740,512890,1111,092,117602,973663,136737,948741,750800,835298,297322,269365,255352,460382,8331,204,1871,446,3951,530,4431,665,9631,770,2391,113,4931,185,6851,277,6041,210,3621,206,71213,063,46814,014,19714,668,82414,757,47516,622,5131,354,2111,364,6151,277,118925,466991,05030,36126,87934,96611,40613,372

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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# 10.3 Gross Domestic Product at Constant (2015) Market Price of Major Economic Activities, 2017-2022

						(Rs. mn.)
Gross Value added (GVA) by economic activity (SLSIC)	2017 <sup>#</sup>	2018 <sup>#</sup>	2019 <sup>#</sup>	2020#	2021#	2022*
1. Agriculture, Forestry & Fishing	889,557	945,292	949,582	941,046	949,929	906,505
2. Manufacturing, mining and quarrying and other industries	2,563,416	2,645,855	2,694,028	2,601,439	2,765,119	2,382,046
2.1. Manufacturing activities	2,027,912	2,104,687	2,147,376	2,092,317	2,247,151	1,963,346
3. Construction	1,582,397	1,455,612	1,239,700	1,123,127	1,172,761	927,719
<ol> <li>Whole sale and retail trade, transportation and storage, accommodation and food service activities</li> </ol>	3,087,470	3,197,278	3,269,056	3,110,376	3,149,772	3,230,324
5. Information and communication	268,064	287,244	321,711	357,578	421,795	415,884
6. Financial and Insurance activities	534,441	623,255	630,917	674,951	744,771	608,783
7. Real estate activities (including ownership of dwelling)	549,511	580,367	610,231	604,259	630,570	554,473
8. Professional, scientific, technical, administration and support service activities	271,832	282,095	297,462	287,781	301,890	289,841
9. Public administration, defence, education, human health and social work activities	1,078,935	1,096,747	1,124,679	1,147,662	1,172,791	1,169,361
10.Other services (excluding own- services)	1,017,303	1,032,097	1,052,980	983,900	992,662	996,429
Equals Gross Value added (GVA), at basic price	11,842,927	12,145,842	12,190,346	11,832,118	12,302,060	11,481,364
(+) Taxes on products	1,127,346	1,132,584	1,059,823	811,898	786,851	587,092
(-) Subsidies on products	33,661	42,968	43,892	48,466	50,977	50,608
Equals GDP at market price	12,936,612	13,235,458	13,206,276	12,595,550	13,037,934	12,017,849

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Source: Department of Census and Statistics

# 10.4 Expenditure on Gross Domestic Product (GDP/GDE) at Current price, (Base -2015) 2017-2022

(Rs. mn.)

ltom	2	018#	20	2019#		2020#		2021#		2022*	
Item	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	
Final Consumption Expenditure	10,571,361	68.9	11,403,356	71.7	11,469,129	73.2	12,434,283	70.6	16,700,557	69.2	
Household Final consumption expenditure <sup>(a)</sup>	9,249,688	60.3	9,975,736	62.7	9,842,246	62.8	10,769,655	61.2	14,973,295	62.0	
Government final consumption expenditure <sup>(b)</sup>	1,321,672	8.6	1,427,620	9.0	1,626,883	10.4	1,664,627	9.5	1,727,261	7.2	
Individual consumption expenditure	598,045	3.9	741,582	4.7	878,744	5.6	887,327	5.0	936,998	3.9	
Collective consumption expenditure	723,627	4.7	686,038	4.3	748,140	4.8	777,300	4.4	790,263	3.3	
Gross Capital Formation	5,842,451	38.1	5,427,029	34.1	5,168,381	33.0	6,466,957	36.7	8,304,627	34.4	
Gross Fixed Capital formation <sup>(c)</sup>	4,719,486	30.7	4,541,974	28.5	3,999,818	25.5	4,630,388	26.3	5,644,020	23.4	
Changes in inventories	973,921	6.3	828,915	5.2	1,082,926	6.9	1,749,096	9.9	2,555,897	10.6	
Acquisitions less disposals of valuables	149,044	1.0	56,141	0.4	85,637	0.5	87,474	0.5	104,710	0.4	
External Balance of goods and services	(1,061,878)	(6.9)	(919,410)	(5.8)	(965,975)	(6.2)	(1,301,049)	(7.4)	(857,458)	(3.6)	
Export of goods and services	3,292,414	21.4	3,472,337	21.8	2,418,542	15.4	2,980,263	16.9	5,187,941	21.5	
Import of goods and services	4,354,292	28.4	45,391,746	27.6	3,384,516	21.6	4,281,313	24.3	6,045,399	25.0	
Gross Domestic Product (GDP/GDE)@ mp	15,351,933	100.0	15,910,976	100.0	15,671,535	100.0	17,600,191	100.0	24,147,726	100.0	

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(a) Detail table provided by COICOP classification (b)Detail table provided by COFOG classification (c) Detail table provided by type of asset

Source: Department of Census and Statistics

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# **11. PUBLIC FINANCE**

# 11.1 Government Revenue, 2018 - 2022

(Rs. mn.)

Item	2018	2019 <sup>(a)</sup>	2020	2021	2022*
1. Tax Revenue	1,712,318	1,734,925	1,216,542	1,298,019	1,751,132
1.1 Taxes on Foreign Trade	288,341	280,965	312,334	277,275	273,926
Imports	96,991	98,427	114,183	64,339	50,009
PAL/RIDL/SCL/Other	191,351	182,538	198,151	212,935	223,917
1.2 Taxes on Domestic Goods and Services	959,365	843,355	555,718	629,812	857,459
VAT	461,740	443,877	233,786	308,213	463,072
Excise Duty	484,287	399,478	321,932	306,861	342,523
License Fee	13,339			14,738	51,864
1.3 Taxes on Net Income and Profits	310,449	427,700	268,249	302,115	534,021
1.4 Stamp Duty/ Cess Levy/ SRL/NBT/NSL/TL	154,162	182,904	80,241	88,817	85,726
2.Non Tax Revenue	207,656	155,974	151,417	159,052	228,052
2.1 Current Revenue	207,656	155,974	151,417	159,052	228,052
2.2 Capital Revenue	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,919,973	1,890,899	1,367,960	1,457,071	1,979,184

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PAL - Ports and Airports Development Levy	
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RIDL - Regional Infrastructure Development Levy

SCL - Special Commodity Levy

TL - Telecommunications Levy

VAT - Value Added Tax

SRL - Social Responsibility Levy

NBT - Nation Building Tax

NSL -Nation Security Levy

(a) According to the Ministry of Finance, the Fiscal Sector statistics of 2019 have been restated as announced in the Budget Speech for 2020

# 11.2 Composition of the Public Debt, 2018 - 2022

(Rs. mn.)

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Item	2018	2019 <sup>(a)</sup>	2020 <sup>(a)</sup>	2021 <sup>(a)#</sup>	2022 <sup>(a) (b) *</sup>
Domestic Debt	6,071,001	6,830,260	9,065,068	11,097,223	15,033,876
Short Term	1,134,553	1,270,374	2,197,594	3,139,794	4,267,724
Medium and Long Term	4,936,447	5,559,887	6,867,473	7,957,430	9,882,058
Other Domestic <sup>(c)</sup>	-	-	-	-	884,093
Foreign Debt <sup>(d) (e)</sup>	5,959,547	6,201,283	6,052,179	6,516,958	12,458,155
Total	12,030,548	13,031,543	15,117,247	17,614,181	27,492,031

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(a) As per the guidelines of compiling government debt statistics in the manual of government finance statistics published by the IMF in 2014, nonresident holdings of outstanding SLDBs have been classified under foreign debt and resident holdings of outstanding ISBs of the Sri Lanka government have been classified under domestic dept.

(b) The outstanding central government debt excludes several debt service payments that become overdue after 12<sup>th</sup> 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, Economics Stabilization and National Policies. These debt service payments comprise of overdue interest payments of attached debt which deemed to be capitalized as per the interim policy and several overdue interest payments in relation to SLDBs.

(c) Data for 2022 includes outstanding balance of the government guaranteed foreign currency debt of the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation that was absorbed into central government debt w.e.f. December 2022, which amounted to Rs.884,093.4 million.

(d) Foreign loan debt statistics and classification of foreign debt for 2021 and 2022 are prepared based on the data sourced from the CS-DRMS maintained by the Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies, and extracted on 09 and 10 March 2023.

(e) From December 2022 onwards, several outstanding project loan which were previously classified under Ceylon Electricity Board, Airport and Aviation Services Ltd. And Sri Lanka Ports Authority was absorbed into central government debt.

# 11.3 Government Expenditure and Lending Minus Repayments, 2018 - 2022

(Rs. mn.)

Item	2018	2019 <sup>(a)</sup>	2020	2021	2022*
1 Recurrent Expenditure	2,089,713	2,424,582	2,548,359	2,747,512	3,519,633
1.1 Expenditure on Goods and Services	806,002	848,278	974,351	1,014,612	1,139,066
1.2 Interest Payments	852,190	901,353	980,302	1,048,382	1,565,190
1.3 Transfer Payments	431,521	551,524	717,133	684,518	815,376
1.4 Adjustment for arrears as per the Ministry of Finance	-	123,428	-123,428	-	-
2 Capital Expenditure	612,561	619,069	795,368	767,606	715,429
2.1 Acquisition of Fixed Capital Assets	355,763	385,366	483,543	438,753	445,521
2.2 Capital Transfers	256,798	239,688	307,917	326,578	268,601
2.3 Other		-5,985	3,907	2,275	1,308
3 . Lending Minus Repayments	-9,046	-4,933	-3,552	6,617	237,495
3.1 Net Lending through Advance Accounts	4,129	1,172	-529	-257	-887
3.2 Lending to Public Enterprises	12,408	12,166	16,405	22,030	298,864
3.3 Loan Repayments in Public Enterprises	-25,584	-18,271	-19,429	-15,156	-60,483
4. Adjustment for arrears on capital expenditure as per the Ministry of Finance	-	299,178	-299,178	-	-
Total	2,693,228	3,337,896	3,040,996	3,521,735	4,472,556

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(a) According to the Ministry of Finance, the fiscal sector statistics of 2019 have been restated as announced in the budget speech for 2020

# 12. HEALTH

# 12.1 Government Medical Institutions, Medical Personnel and Patients Treated, 2013 - 2021

(Number)

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Year	Hos <b>pitals</b> <sup>(a)</sup>	Beds <sup>(a)</sup>	Central	Doctors <sup>(b)</sup>	Asst./	Nurses	Patients Tre	ated ('000)
			Dispensaries /PMCU's		Registered Medical Practitioners		Out Patients <sup>(c)</sup>	In Patients <sup>(c)</sup>
2013	624	78,243	461	16,690	1,064	35,629	53,859	5,926
2014	622	80,105	475	17,615	999	38,451	55,105	6,120
2015	631	80,581	474	18,243	936	42,420	54,652	6,360
2016	629	81,580	480	18,968	883	42,556	53,620	6,498
2017	628	83,275	496	19,800	818	45,480	55,520	6,910
2018	641	84,728	515	19,720	789	46,024	57,363	7,116
2019	643	86,589	522	20,381	738	46,841	58,785	7,478
2020#	646	87,280	523	21,450	661	46,385	38,913	5,785
2021*	624	90,240	529	22,472	674	49,773	26,094	5,313

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(a) Excludes Central Dispensaries/Primary Medical Care Units (PMCUs) but includes PMCUs with Maternity Homes

(b) Doctors of all grades in the Ministry of Health

(c) These figures indicate the number of patients visits

Source: Ministry of Health

# 12.2 Expenditure on Health Services and Other Facilities, 2013 - 2021

Year	Expenditure on	Govt. Hospitals, Bed	s, Doctors and Expen	diture Per 100,000 Po	pulation
rear	Health Services Rs. million <sup>(a)</sup>	Expenditure (Rs.'000)	Beds <sup>(b)</sup>	Doctors <sup>(c)</sup>	Hospitals <sup>(b)</sup>
2013	120,346	587,543.91	382	81	3.05
2014	155,008	746,271.48	386	85	2.99
2015	181,123	863,889.15	384	87	3.01
2016	192,535	908,055.46	385	89	2.97
2017	206,182	961,490.39	388	92	2.93
2018	234,899	1,083,982.46	391	91	2.96
2019	262,436	1,203,669.22	397#	93 <sup>#</sup>	2.95
2020	250,813	1,144,272.09	398#	<b>9</b> 8 <sup>#</sup>	2.95#
2021*	246,158	1,111,021.85	407	101	2.82

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(a) Includes capital expenditure, grants, rebates and contributions

(b) Excludes Central Dispensaries/Primary Medical Care Units (PMCUs) but includes PMCUs with Maternity Homes

(c) Doctors of all grades in the Ministry of Health

Source: Ministry of Health.

# 13.1 Number of Schools, Teachers, Pupils and Pupil Teacher Ratio by Type of Schools, 2019 - 2022

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Item	2019	2020	2021#	2022
Total Number of Schools	11,084	11,091	11,088	
Goverment Schools <sup>(a)</sup>	10,165	10,155	10,146	
Government approved Private Schools	89	90	93	
Special Schools	29	30	30	
Piriven	801	816	819	
Total Number of Teachers	261,803	265,394	256,676	
Goverment Schools	246,592	249,494	241,054	
Government approved Private Schools	7,490	8,019	7,776	
Special Schools	521	545	499	
Piriven	7,200	7,336	7,347	
Total Number of Pupils	4,268,039	4,272,289	4,260,466	
Goverment Schools <sup>(a)</sup>	4,061,653	4,063,685	4,048,937	
Government approved Private Schools	135,600	136,230	138,828	
Special Schools	2,467	2,496	2,391	
Piriven	68,319	69,878	70,310	
Pupil Teacher Ratio				
Goverment Schools	17	16	17	
Government approved Private Schools	18	17	18	
Special Schools	5	5	5	
Piriven	10	10	10	
New Admissions to Government Schools	333,074	319,405	304,105	••
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Note: (a) Functioning schools only

Source: Ministry of Education

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# 13.2 Performance of Candidates - G.C.E.(O/L) and G.C.E.(A/L), 2021 - 2022

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Item	2021	2022
School Candidates sat for the GCE(O/L)	318,680	
Percentage Qualifying for GCE(A/L)	73.51	Results have not yet been
All Candidates Sat for the GCE(O/L)	333,915	released
Percentage Qualifying for GCE(A/L)	72.55	
School Candidates sat for the GCE(A/L)	236,035	232,797
School Candidates Qualifying to Enter University	149,946	149,487
Percentage Qualifying to Enter University	63.53	64.21
All Candidates Applied for the GCE(A/L)	341,464	328,897
All Candidates Sat for the GCE(A/L)	272,682	263,933
All Candidates Qualifying to Enter University	171,497	166,938
Percentage Qualifying to Enter University	62.89	63.25

\* Percentage qualifying for G.C.E.(A/L) calculated by number sat for 5 or more subjects for GCE (O/L)

Source: Department of Examinations

(Number, %)



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(Rs. mn)

# 13.3 University Education, 2021 - 2022

Item	2021	2022*
1. No. of Universities	17	17
No.of Other Higher Educational Institutions	19	19
2. No.of Students (Undergraduates) <sup>(a)</sup>		
Universities	119,068	128,236
Institutes	3,611	3,712
Open University	28,824	27,715
3. No. of Lecturers <sup>(b)</sup>	7,004	7,022
4. No. of Students (Postgraduates)	46,635	52,032
5. No. of Graduated (includes External & Open		
Basic Degree	30,890	30,329
Arts and Education	13,699	10,906
Commerce & Management Studies	4,422 <sup>(c)</sup>	7,232
Law	748	379
Science	3,625	3,314
Engineering	1,999	1,603
Medicine	<u>1,258</u>	1,278
Dental Surgery		72
Agriculture	957	1,209
Veternery Science	5 <sup>(c)</sup>	64
Architecture & Quantity Surveying	310	334
Computer Sc/IT/ICT/MIT	1,598	1,425
Allied Health Science	1,005	801
Indigenous Medicine	242	291
Technology	1,022	1,421
6. New admissions for basic degrees	43,927	43,568
7. Addmision as a percentage of eligible	22.58	25.39

13.4 Expenditure on Education, 2021 - 2022

2021	2022*
310,613	367,491
261,716	328,969
48,897	38,522
	310,613 261,716

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(a) Excluding external degree undergraduates

(b) permanent staff only

(c) No main exam/only repeat exam was held in this year.

## 13.5 Number Literate and Literacy Rates by Census years & Sex (10 Years of Age and Over)

Census	Poj	pulation ('000	)	No.	Literate('000)	)	Perc	entage Literat	e		
Year	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total		
1953	3,110	2,693	5,803	2,510	1,496	4,006	80.7	55.6	69.0		
1963	3,952	3,571	7,523	3,385	2,404	5,789	85.6	67.3	77.0		
1971	4,839	4,515	9,354	4,143	3,201	7,344	85.6	70.9	78.5		
1981	5,768	5,541	11,309	5,257	4,608	9,866	91.1	83.2	87.2		
2001 <sup>(a)</sup>	6,937	7,069	14,006	6,423	6,340	12,763	92.6	89.7	91.1		
2012	8,046	8,736	16,782	7,807	8,304	16,111	96.8	94.6	95.6		

(a) Jaffna, Mannar, Vavuniya, Mullaitivu, Kilinochchi, Batticaloa and Trincomalee districts in which the 2001 census enumeration was not completed are not included here.



# 13.6 Students by Institute of Vocational and Technical Training Sector, 2021 - 2022

	Veer		Total no. of Students						
Institute	Year established	Inta	ake	Completed		Drop	oed		
	established	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	Dropp 2021 11,393 4,418 2,976 140 491 - - 95 391 29 362 160 113 4,080 <sup>(a)</sup> 2,797 <sup>(b)</sup>	2022*		
1. Dept.of Technical Education and Training (DTET)	1893	25,339	22,238	14,281	15,609	11,393	7,256		
2. Vocational Training Authority(VTA)	1995	33,407	35,001	28,539	29,726	4,418	3,519		
3. National Apprentice and Industrial Training Authority (NAITA)	1990	17,277	24,003	13,613	13,240	2,976	5,862		
4. National Institute of Business Management (NIBM)	1968	8,939	11,169	8,138	9,160	140	235		
5. NSBM Green UniversityTown	2016	2,784	4,581	1,939	2,134	491	383		
6. University of Vocational Technology (UNIVOTEC)	2008	1,143	1,171	-	362	-	37		
7.University Colleges	2014 onwards	1,380	1,407	248	1,059	95	175		
8.Ceylon German Technical Training Institute(CGTTI)		1,994	6,337	1,847	4,866	391	888		
Full time courses	1959	92	660	520	542	29	41		
Part time courses		1,902	5,677	1,327	4,324	362	847		
9. Ocean University	2014	1,144	1,754	657	1,161	160	381		
10. Sri Lanka Institute of Printing (SLIOP)	1984	677	834	564	736	113	71		
11. National Youth Corps	2002	8,046		3,966		4,080 <sup>(a)</sup>			
12. National Youth Service Council	1969	15,948		11,825		2,797 <sup>(b)</sup>			

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(a) In 2021, the no of dropouts has increased due to Covid - 19 pandemic.

(b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Batch's courses of 2021 started after end of the September, due to covid 19 pandemic. So these courses have not been completed yet.

Source: State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Education, Research and Innovation. National Youth Corps, National Youth Service Council, Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Sri Lanka Institute of Printing.

# 13.7 Income and Expenditure of Vocational and Technical Training Sector, 2021 - 2022

	Year		Total Income (Rs. mn.)				Total Expenditure (Rs. mn.)			
Institute	Establi-	Govt.	Govt. Grant Fees		Fees & Other		Capital		Recurrent	
	shed	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	
1. Dept.of Technical Education and Training (DTET)	1893	2,086.39	2,126.60	43.39	57.60	277.48	34.50	1,808.91	2,148.80	
2. Vocational Training Authority(VTA)	1995	1,646.70	1,783.59	89.08	126.08	118.96	39.36	1,653.21	1,909.64	
3. National Apprentice and Industrial Training Authority (NAITA)	1990	1,133.60	1,256.45	43.53	93.40	47.96	37.60	1,157.62	1,295.77	
4. National Institute of Business Management (NIBM)	1968	-	-	1,354.00	1,682.00	196.00	229.00	1,195.70	1,638.00	
5. NSBM Green University Town	2016	-	-	3,529.00	4,030.04	1,600.00	533.35	2,743.00	3,831.89	
6. University of VocationalTechnology (UNIVOTEC)	2008	346.55	406.50	26.89	43.76	6.99	22.00	373.27	415.39	
7. Univesity Colleges	2014 onwards	292.42	352.37	6.32	8.20	31.77	19.83	295.33	344.06	
8. Ceylon German Technical Training Institute(CGTTI)	1959	403.34	384.27	69.70	148.83	116.04	17.22	465.10	492.50	
9. Ocean University	2014	428.00	404.00	28.00	30.75	58.51	39.51	402.00	481.46	
10.Sri Lanka Institute of Printing (SLIOP)	1984	Self-funded institution								
11 National Youth Corps	2002	948.70		2.2		216.46		661.70		
12.National Youth Service Council	1969	58.59		145.24		139.88		-		

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Source: State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Education, Research and Innovation. National Youth Corps, National Youth Service Council, Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Sri Lanka Institute of Printing.

# 13.8 Institutional Development of Vocational and Technical Training Sector, 2021 - 2022

Institute		No	. of		No. of C	Courses		St	rength of	Employee	es		
		Cen	ters	Part	time	Full t	ime	Acad	emic	Non Ac	ademic		
		2021	2022*	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	2021	2022*	2021	2022*		
1	Dept.of Technical Education and Training (DTET)	39	39	22	20	115	106	598	581	1,614	1,618		
2	Vocational Training Authority(VTA)	213	210	49	104	104	110	1,288	1,238	630	604		
3	National Apprentice and Industrial Training Authority (NAITA)	66	56	8	38	267	324	532	473	452	505		
4	National Institute of Business Management (NIBM)	5	7	113	113	62	66	84	81	123	132		
5	NSBM Green University Town	1	1	21	19	56	58	81	86	111	125		
6	University of Vocational Technology (UNIVOTEC)	1	1	-	-	15	16	43	48	135	127		
7	University Colleages	6	6	-	-	24	24	119	121	126	123		
8	Ceylon German Technical Training Institute(CGTTI)	3	3	53	53	12	12	166	154	76	74		
9	Ocean University	8	8	6	7	29	31	47	47	146	150		
10	Sri Lanka Institute of Printing (SLIOP)	2	2	19	20	1	1	5	4	4	2		
11	National Youth Corps	55		-		02		444		377			
12	National Youth Service Council	55	••	60		35		390		258	••		

\* Provisional

Source: State Ministry of Skills Development, Vocational Education, Research and Innovation. National Youth Corps, National Youth Service Council, Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Sri Lanka Institute of Printing.

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# 14. TOURISM

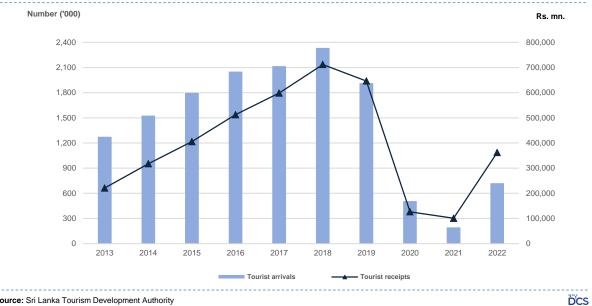
# 14.1 Tourist Growth Trends, 2013 - 2022

		Tourist		Official Tourist Receipts			Receipt per	Employment	
Year	Tourist Arrivals	Nights ('000)	Rs. mn.	US\$ mn.	SDR units mn.	Tourist per day in US\$	Direct	Indirect (Estimated)	
2013	1,274,593	10,909	221,147.1	1,715.5	1,128.8	156.5	112,550	157,600	
2014	1,527,153	15,119	317,501.7	2,431.1	1,600.3	160.8	129,790	170,100	
2015	1,798,380	18,163	405,492.0	2,980.6	2,129.7	164.1	135,930	183,506	
2016	2,050,832	20,918	512,593.6	3,518.5	2,531.3	168.2	146,115	189,544	
2017	2,116,407	23,068	598,356.0	3,924.9	2,829.2#	170.1	156,369	202,846	
2018	2,333,796	25,205	712,027.3	4,380.6	3,097.1	173.8	169,003	219,484	
2019	1,913,702	19,902	644,846.9#	3,606.9	2,611.1	181.2	173,592	229,015	
2020	507,704	4,315#	126,608.1	682.5	489.6	158.1	175,990	171,761#	
2021	194,495	2,936#	100,813.2	506.9	356.0	172.6	177,476	180,451	
2022*	719,978	6,724 <sup>#</sup>	362,426.1	1,136.3	843.4	164.4	190,521	195,715	

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# Figure 14 Tourist Arrivals and Tourist Receipts, 2012-2022

# 14.2 Number of Establishment Employment in Tourist Industry by Category of Establishment, 2019 - 2022

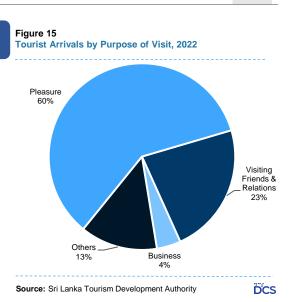
Category of Establishment	No. of Establishment			Total Employed				
	2019	2020	2021*	2022*	2019	2020	2021*	2022*
1. Hotels and Restaurants	3,158	3,565	3,826	4,154	139,754	141,668	143,247	154,435
2. Travel Agents and Tour Operators	994	1,016	1,112	1,229	11,759	11,926	11,979	13,352
3. Airlines	37	42	36	30	8,629	8,752	8,500	8,700
4. Agencies Providing Recreational Facilities	80	80	80	80	1,144	1,160	1,172	1,184
5. Guides	-	-	-	-	5,898	5,989	6,040	6,200
6. Tourist Shops	87	90	92	105	2,338	2,372	2,408	2,450
7. National Tourist Organisation	04	4	4	4	855	866	870	891
8. State Sector	18	18	18	18	3,215	3,257	3,260	3,309
Total	4,378	4,815	5,177	5,620	173,592	175,990	177,476	190,521

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	14.3 Percentage Distribution of Tourists by Purpose of Visit, 2014 - 2022								
201	4 - 202	.2							(%)
Purpose	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Pleasure	67.9	66.6	83.4	82.4	84.8	83.2	87.5	78.1	59.6
Business (Official and Private)	1.3	1.3**	1.8	3.3	3.1	3.7	2.8	2.4	4.2
Visiting Friends and Relations	27.4	25.5	11.5	11.3	9.6	10.5	7.6	16.6	22.8
Religious and Cultural	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	3.3	6.5**	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.1	2.9	13.4
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100



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# 15. Local Government and Co-operative Development

## 15.1 Local Government Statistics, 2021

Type of Council	Number of Councils	Number of Voters (Thousands)	Number of Members	Number of Employees
Municipal	24	1,808	849	19,137
Urban	41	1,030	760	6,388
Pradeshiya Sabha	276	13,740	7,114	23,470
Total	341	16,578	8,723	48,995

Source: Based on returns sent by Local Government Institutions, Department of Census and Statistics

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# 15.2 Type of Service Provided by Local Government Institutions, 2021

Type of Service	Municipal	Urban	Pradeshiya Sabha	Total
Vehicular Road (Km)	5,144	4,577	132,215	141,936
Dispensaries	220	43	480	743
Cemeteries	168	142	9,446	9,756
Parks and Playground	403	234	2,264	2,901
Libraries	100	83	1,093	1,276

Source: Based on returns sent by Local Government Institutions, Department of Census and Statistics

# 15.3 Number of Co-operative Societies, 2019 - 2022

(Number)	(	Number)	
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Type of Co-operative Society	2019	2020	2021	2022
All Societies	9,044	10,240	10,022	8,409
Primary Societies				
Total	8,878	10,078	9,797	8,234
Credit	5,592	6,483	6,222	4,781
Agriculture	147	300	248	308
Industrial	182	258	236	321
School Co-operative	361	483	401	472
Multi-Purpose	266	277	304	228
Fisheries	898	916	904	896
Other Societies	1,432	1,361	1,482	1,228
Secondary Societies and Apex Level Unions				
Total	166	162	225	173
Banking Unions	19	16	84	14
National Co-operative Councils	1	-	1	1
District Co-operative Councils	26	22	24	22
Multi-Purpose Unions	3	5	6	21
Other Unions	117	119	110	115

Note: Exclude Western Province and Central Province Data

Source: Department of Co-operative Development

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# 15.4 Loans Granted by Rural Co-operative Credit Societies to its Members by Purpose, 2021- 2022

15.5 Number of Employees Attached to Co-operative	
Societies, 2019 - 2022	

Purpose			2022	
r ui pose	Value	%	Value	%
Total	69,909.82	100	34,767.82	100
Cultivation and Animal Husbandry	9,226.97	13	4,023.91	12
Small Industries	6,623.45	9	3,165.15	9
Housing and Electricity	20,695.75	30	9,164.31	26
Projects and Trade	7,291.67	10	3,679.02	11
Others	26,071.87	37	14,735.54	42

Type of co-operative Society	2019	2020	2021	2022
M.P.C. Societies	21,546	16,968	19,102	10,161
Rural Banks	6,701	6,007	19,102	1,391
Apex Unions	1,009	1,070	1,429	476
Sanasa	7,038	5,572	5,697	3,902
Other Societies <sup>(a)</sup>	4,914	4,256	2,679	2,676
Total	41,208	32,382	28,907	18,606

(a) Textile/agri.industries

Note: Exclude Western Province and Central Province Data

Source: Department of Co-operative Development

### 15.6 Loans Issued by Co-operative Rural Banks by Purpose, 2018 - 2022 (Annual Issues by Credit Objectives)

(Rs. mn.)

Purpose of Loans Issued	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Housing	65,845.82	32,043.85	22,708.56	23,002.30	18,837.03
Self Employed	25,105.22	5,838.85	7,065.18	4,578.42	6,051.20
Production	21,131.81	7,937.66	10,477.18	5,800.75	4,588.56
Miscellaneous	29,443.87	18,509.39	19,448.29	15,561.59	12,216.72
Total	141,526.72	64,329.75	59,699.21	48,943.29	41,670.81

# 15.7 Co-operative Rural Bank Deposits, Loans and Pawning Advances, 2018 - 2022 (Balance as at 31<sup>st</sup> December of every year)

Description	2018	2019	2020	2021	(Rs. mn.) 2022
Deposits (Total)	291,627.49	111,010.10	105,402.44	146,647.84	119,460.59
Loans	129,440.80	61,060.29	57,176.44	75,758.66	59,903.20
Pawning Advances	15,648.16	25,501.75	16,973.22	22,913.13	18,277.42
Total (Loans and Pawning Advances)	145,088.96	86,562.04	74,149.66	98,671.79	80,019.02

Note: Exclude Western Province and central province Data

Source: Department of Co-operative Development

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