

Table 25: International Reserves Indicators

Developing Member Country (DMC)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
International Reserves^a (end of year; US\$ Million)											
East Asia	303720	348661	389883	442832	487209	560843	696948	900377	1191954	1423272	1724386
China, People's Rep. of	111964	146966	152924	161270	171823	219969	297109	415163	622394	830095	1080148
Hong Kong, China	63834	92826	89670	96255	107561	111173	111917	118384	123567	124274	133208
Korea, Rep. of	34164	20479	52102	74109	96253	102873	121483	155447	199183	210521	239135
Mongolia	164	204	103	137	202	256	394	242	250	430	1056
Taipei, China	93594	88186	95084	111061	111370	126572	166046	211140	246560	257952	270840
Southeast Asia	177286	149144	168173	189633	190810	187342	208748	243299	290303	302409	368784
Brunei Darussalam ^c	...	...	...	517	408	391	438	482	505	494	523
Cambodia	266	299	442	505	613	695	900	961	1107	1131	1399
Indonesia	19454	17613	23626	27310	29368	28087	31932	36090	36222	34368	42807
Lao PDR	176	118	117	134	144	151	214	251	271	299	454
Malaysia	27936	21566	26251	30917	28656	29839	33723	44247	66360	70371	82840
Myanmar	319	326	383	330	288	463	542	634	767	874	1375
Philippines	11862	8948	10872	14998	15108	15639	16036	16642	16030	18136	22818
Singapore	76847	71289	74928	76843	80132	75375	82021	95746	112232	115794	136260
Thailand	38691	26998	29553	34753	32677	33027	38821	42022	49769	51892	66923
Viet Nam	1736	1986	2002	3326	3417	3675	4121	6224	7041	9051	13384
South Asia	29881	33529	35831	40468	45191	53145	76201	109867	138846	144793	185277
Bangladesh	1871	1615	1936	1633	1516	1305	1718	2619	3219	2817	3874
Bhutan	190	189	257	292	318	323	355	367	399	467	545
India	25127	28905	30719	35874	41113	48988	71232	103119	131300	137041	177689
Maldives	76	98	119	127	123	93	133	159	204	186	231
Nepal	631	677	801	888	988	1079	1065	1278	1525	1556	...
Sri Lanka	1986	2045	1998	1653	1133	1356	1698	2325	2200	2725	2937
Central and West Asia	7136	7781	7288	8360	8759	11572	17136	22917	27485	27519	48952
Afghanistan	7	7	7	7	6	6	7	1	0	...	...
Armenia	169	241	293	303	314	329	430	502	548	669	1072
Azerbaijan	214	467	449	673	680	725	720	803	1075	1178	2500
Georgia	191	202	133	144	116	162	202	196	387	479	931
Kazakhstan	1994	2297	1977	1980	2108	2496	3085	4869	9224	6939	21703
Kyrgyz Republic	142	198	188	253	262	286	315	395	562	607	815
Pakistan	1346	1879	1639	2094	2097	4207	8727	11703	10658	10966	12812
Tajikistan	...	39	56	57	94	94	90	117	171	186	202
Turkmenistan	1172	1285	1379	1607	1808	2055	2346	2673	2714	3600	4313
Uzbekistan	1901	1167	1168	1242	1273	1212	1215	1659	2147	2895	4604
Pacific	1293	995	883	929	989	1042	960	1235	1485	1416	1834
Cook Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fiji Islands	428	361	386	429	412	367	359	424	478	318	...
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Micronesia, Fed. States of	90	86	102	93	113	98	117	90	55	50	47
Nauru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Palau	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Papua New Guinea	608	384	211	223	304	440	341	517	658	746	1439
Samoa	61	64	61	68	64	57	62	84	96	92	91
Solomon Islands	33	36	49	51	32	19	18	37	81	95	104
Timor-Leste	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tonga	31	27	29	24	25	24	25	40	55	47	48
Tuvalu	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vanuatu	44	37	45	41	39	38	37	44	62	67	105
Total DMCs (Reporting)	519316	540109	602058	682222	732958	813944	999994	1277695	1650073	1899409	2329233

a Data refer to total international reserves with gold valued at London market prices unless otherwise specified. For Afghanistan, Bhutan, Kiribati, Turkmenistan, and Viet Nam, data refer to total international reserves excluding gold. For Taipei, China and Uzbekistan, data refer to total reserves including gold (national valuation).

b Merchandise imports, f.o.b. from the balance of payments was used in the computation, unless otherwise specified.

c Brunei Darussalam is not a DMC but an unclassified regional member country of ADB.

Table 25: International Reserves Indicators (Continued)

1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	Developing Member Country (DMC)
Ratio of International Reserves to Imports^b (months)											
											East Asia
10	13	13	12	10	11	13	13	14	16	17	China, People's Rep. of
...	5	6	6	6	7	7	6	6	5	5	Hong Kong, China
3	2	7	8	7	9	10	11	11	10	9	Korea, Rep. of
4	5	2	3	4	5	7	3	3	5	9	Mongolia
11	10	11	12	10	14	18	20	18	17	16	Taipei, China
											Southeast Asia
...	...	...	...	...	4	4	5	5	4	4	Brunei Darussalam ^c
3	3	5	4	4	4	5	4	4	3	4	Cambodia
5	5	9	11	9	10	11	11	9	6	7	Indonesia
3	2	3	3	3	4	6	7	5	4	5	Lao PDR
5	4	6	6	4	5	5	7	8	8	8	Malaysia
2	2	2	2	2	2	3	4	5	6	4	Myanmar
4	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	Philippines
7	6	9	8	7	8	8	9	8	7	7	Singapore
7	6	10	10	7	7	8	8	7	6	7	Thailand
2	2	2	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	Viet Nam
											South Asia
3	3	3	3	2	2	3	4	4	3	3	Bangladesh
21	17	23	22	21	23	23	23	20	14	17	Bhutan
6	7	8	8	9	10	13	15	13	10	11	India
3	4	5	4	4	3	5	5	4	3	3	Maldives
6	5	7	8	8	8	9	10	10	9	...	Nepal
4	4	4	3	2	3	3	4	3	4	3	Sri Lanka
											Central and West Asia
...	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	0	...	...	Afghanistan
3	4	4	5	5	5	6	5	5	5	7	Armenia
2	4	3	6	5	6	5	4	4	3	6	Azerbaijan
3	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	Georgia
4	4	4	4	4	4	5	6	8	5	11	Kazakhstan
2	4	3	6	6	8	7	7	7	7	5	Kyrgyz Republic
1	2	2	3	3	5	11	12	9	7	6	Pakistan
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	Tajikistan
10	15	15	13	12	10	13	14	11	12	13*	Turkmenistan
5	4	5	6	6	6	7	8	8	10	15	Uzbekistan
											Pacific
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cook Islands
6	5	8	7	6	6	5	5	4	3	...	Fiji Islands
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Kiribati
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Marshall Islands
10	10	12	11	13	10	13	9	5	4	...	Micronesia, Fed. States of
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nauru
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Palau
5	3	2	2	4	6	4	5	5	6	9	Papua New Guinea
7	8	8	7	7	5	6	8	7	6	5	Samoa
3	2	4	6	4	3	5	6	13	9	7	Solomon Islands
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Timor-Leste
6	5	4	5	5	5	5	6	8	5	5	Tonga
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tuvalu
6	6	7	6	6	6	6	6	7	6	9	Vanuatu

Sources: IMF. 2007. *International Financial Statistics* CD-ROM.EBRD. 2007. *Transition Report 2007*.Directorate-General of Budget, Accounting and Statistics. *Statistical Yearbook 2005*, for Taipei, China.