

## Country Economic Indicators

Item	Fiscal Year					
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 <sup>a</sup>
<b>A. Income and Growth</b>						
1. GDP per Capita (\$, current)	351	392	466	467	558	646
2. GDP Growth (% in basic prices)	3.7	2.8	5.8	3.8	4.0	3.5
a. Agriculture	1.8	1.0	5.8	3.0	1.3	4.1
b. Industry	4.5	3.9	1.7	(1.4)	3.3	1.4
c. Services	5.6	4.5	7.3	6.0	6.0	3.6
<b>B. Saving and Investment</b> (current and market prices, % of GDP)						
1. Gross Domestic Investment	26.9	28.7	30.3	31.7	35.0	30.2
2. Gross National Saving	29.0	28.6	33.2	35.9	32.3	30.9
<b>C. Money and Inflation</b>						
1. Consumer Price Index ( average annual % change)	8.0	6.4	7.7	12.6	9.6	9.6
2. Total Liquidity (M2) (annual % change)	15.4	14.0	25.2	27.0	7.9	5.3
<b>D. Government Finance</b> (% of GDP)						
1. Revenue and Grants	12.9	14.1	15.4	16.7	18.4	18.8
2. Expenditure and Onlending	14.5	15.9	17.4	20.0	20.4	21.2
3. Overall Fiscal Surplus (Deficit)	(1.6)	(1.8)	(2.1)	(3.3)	(1.9)	(2.4)
<b>E. Balance of Payments</b>						
1. Merchandise Trade Balance (% of GDP)	(16.8)	(17.7)	(19.1)	(21.2)	(26.2)	(21.5)
2. Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	2.2	(0.1)	2.9	4.2	(2.8)	(0.9)
3. Merchandise Export (\$) Growth (annual % change)	2.4	2.6	9.3	(4.7)	(6.3)	7.2
4. Merchandise Import (\$) Growth (annual % change)	17.5	13.9	24.1	8.3	37.0	4.7
5. Remittances (% of GDP)	15.3	14.0	17.9	21.5	20.1	17.2
<b>F. External Payments Indicators</b>						
1. Gross Official Reserves (\$ million)	1,781	1,999	2,477	2,872	2,759	2,987
Months of current year's imports of goods)	7.5	7.3	7.1	7.7	5.6	6.7
2. External Debt Service (% of exports of goods and services)	9.3	12.8	9.6	10.2	11.5	-
3. Total External Debt (% of GDP)	35.8	29.8	26.8	27.5	21.9	19.1
<b>G. Memorandum Items</b>						
1. GDP (current prices, NRs billion)	654.1	727.8	815.7	988.0	1,170.9	1,345.8
2. Exchange Rate (NRs/\$, average)	72.0	70.2	64.7	76.6	74.2	72.2
3. Population (million)	25.9	26.4	27.0	27.6	28.3	28.9

Note: FY2011 started on 16 July 2010 and ended on 15 July 2011.

GDP = gross domestic product

<sup>a</sup> Estimates based on eleven months data of FY2011.

Sources: Ministry of Finance. 2010. *Economic Survey*. Kathmandu; Nepal Rastra Bank. 2010. Macroeconomic Situation. Kathmandu; Central Bureau of Statistics.