

COUNTRY ECONOMIC INDICATORS
(Bangladesh)

Item	Fiscal Year				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
A. Income and Growth					
1. GDP per Capita (\$, current)	1,236.0	1,385.0	1,544.0	1,675.0	1,828.0
2. GDP Growth ^a (% , in constant prices)	6.6	7.1	7.3	7.9	8.2
a. Agriculture	3.3	2.8	3.0	4.2	3.9
b. Industry	9.7	11.1	10.2	12.1	12.7
c. Services	5.8	6.3	6.7	6.4	6.8
B. Saving and Investment (current market prices, % of GDP)					
1. Gross Domestic Investment	28.9	29.7	30.5	31.2	31.6
2. Gross Domestic Saving	22.2	25.0	25.3	22.8	25.0
C. Money and Inflation (annual % change)					
1. Consumer Price Index(FY2006 base, average)	6.4	5.9	5.4	5.8	5.5
2. Total Liquidity (M2)	12.4	16.4	10.9	9.2	9.9
D. Government Finance (% of GDP)					
1. Revenue and Grants ^b	9.8	10.1	10.2	9.7	10.0
2. Expenditure and Onlending	13.5	13.8	13.6	14.3	15.4
3. Overall Fiscal Deficit ^c	(3.7)	(3.7)	(3.4)	(4.6)	(5.4)
E. Balance of Payments					
1. Merchandise Trade Balance (% of GDP)	(3.6)	(2.8)	(3.8)	(6.6)	(5.1)
2. Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	1.8	1.9	(0.5)	(3.5)	(1.7)
3. Merchandise Export (\$ million)	30,697.0	33,441.0	34,019.0	36,285.0	39,945.0
Growth (annual % change)	3.1	8.9	1.7	6.7	10.1
4. Merchandise Import (\$ million)	37,662.0	39,901.0	43,491.0	54,463.0	55,439.0
Growth (annual % change)	3.0	5.9	9.0	25.2	1.8
F. External Payments Indicators					
1. Gross Official Reserves (including gold, \$ million)	25,025.3	30,168.2	33,406.6	32,916.5	32,751.0
Weeks of current year's imports of goods and services	24.8	31.6	32.0	24.8	24.0
2. External Debt Service (% of exports of goods and services) ^d	3.2	2.8	3.0	3.5	3.4
3. Total External Debt (% of GDP) ^e	12.2	11.9	11.4	12.2	12.3
G. Memorandum Items					
1. GDP (current prices, Tk billion)	15,158.0	17,328.6	19,758.2	22,504.8	25,424.8
2. Exchange Rate (Tk/\$, average)	77.7	78.3	79.1	82.1	84.0
3. Mid-year population (million)	157.9	159.9	161.8	163.7	165.6

() = negative, GDP = gross domestic product, Tk = taka.

^a Based on constant 2005/06 market prices.

^b Receipts excluding grants in comparison with GDP are 9.6%, 10.0%, 10.2%, 9.6 and 9.9% for 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 respectively.

^c Fiscal Deficits excluding grants in comparison with GDP are 3.9%, 3.8%, 3.4%, 4.7% and 5.5% for 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 respectively.

^d The ratios of debt services to total foreign exchange earnings from exports of goods and nonfactor services including workers' remittances are 2.2%, 2.0%, 2.2%, 2.5% and 2.5% for 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 respectively.

^e Includes only public and publicly guaranteed medium- and long-term loans.

Sources: Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics; Bangladesh Bank; Export Promotion Bureau; Ministry of Finance and Asian Development Bank estimates.