

## COUNTRY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Item	Fiscal Year				
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020R
<b>A. Income and Growth</b>					
1. GDP per Capita (\$, current)	862.6	1005.1	1133.2	1154.6	1122.0
2. GDP Growth (% in producers' prices)	0.4	9.0	7.6	6.7	(2.1) <sup>a</sup>
a. Agriculture	(0.1)	5.2	2.6	5.2	2.2 <sup>a</sup>
b. Industry	(4.1)	17.1	10.4	7.4	(3.7) <sup>a</sup>
c. Services	1.2	8.4	9.3	6.8	(4.0) <sup>a</sup>
<b>B. Saving and Investment (current and market prices, % of GDP)</b>					
1. Gross Fixed Investment <sup>b</sup>	28.7	30.6	32.4	33.8	28.4
2. Gross National Saving	34.8	41.7	40.5	42.1	32.6
<b>C. Money and Inflation</b>					
1. Consumer Price Index (average annual % change)	9.9	4.5	4.2	4.6	6.2 <sup>c</sup>
2. Total Liquidity (M2) (annual % change)	19.5	15.5	19.4	15.8	18.1 <sup>c</sup>
<b>D. Government Finance (% of GDP)</b>					
1. Revenue and Grants	20.0	20.8	22.2	22.4	19.5 <sup>d</sup>
2. Expenditure	18.9	23.6	28.0	27.3	24.9 <sup>d</sup>
3. Overall Fiscal Surplus (Deficit) <sup>e</sup>	1.1	(2.8)	(5.8)	(5.0)	(5.3) <sup>d</sup>
<b>E. Balance of Payments</b>					
1. Merchandise Trade Balance (% of GDP)	(26.1)	(29.1)	(32.9)	(33.3)	(27.1) <sup>c</sup>
2. Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	5.4	(0.3)	(7.1)	(6.9)	(0.8)
3. Merchandise Export (\$) Growth (annual % change)	(28.7)	9.8	15.8	12.6	(7.9) <sup>c</sup>
4. Merchandise Import (\$) Growth (annual % change)	(7.1)	29.4	27.9	5.2	(18.8) <sup>c</sup>
5. Remittances (% of GDP)	25.5	22.6	21.8	22.8	22.4 <sup>c</sup>
<b>F. External Payments Indicators</b>					
1. Gross Official Reserves (\$ million)	9,736.4	10,494.2	10,084.0	9,500.0	11,646.1 <sup>c</sup>
Months of current year's imports of goods and services)	14.1	11.4	9.4	7.8	12.7 <sup>c</sup>
2. External Debt Service (% of exports of goods and services)	9.9	10.8	8.3	8.2	10.9 <sup>f</sup>
3. Total External Debt (% of GDP)	14.9	13.5	15.2	15.2	20.6 <sup>f</sup>
<b>G. Memorandum Items</b>					
1. GDP (current prices, NRs billion)	2,608.2	3,077.1	3,455.9	3,858.9	3,914.7 <sup>a</sup>
2. Exchange Rate (NRs/\$, average)	106.4	106.2	104.4	112.9	116.3 <sup>c</sup>
3. Population (million)	28.4	28.8	29.2	29.6	30.0

GDP = gross domestic product, R = revised.

Note: FY2020 covers 17 July 2019 to 15 July 2020.

<sup>a</sup> Based on FY2021 National Accounts Statistics. Central Bureau of Statistics.

<sup>b</sup> Refers to gross fixed investment and does not include change in stocks.

<sup>c</sup> Based on FY2020 annual data. Nepal Rastra Bank.

<sup>d</sup> Based on FY2022 Budget Speech. Ministry of Finance; and Financial Comptroller General Office.

<sup>e</sup> Revenue and Grants minus Expenditure.

<sup>f</sup> Based on FY2020 annual data. Financial Comptroller General Office.

Sources: Ministry of Finance. *FY2022 Budget Speech*. Kathmandu; Nepal Rastra Bank. 2020. *Current Macroeconomic and Financial Situation*. Kathmandu; Central Bureau of Statistics. April 2021. *FY2021 National Accounts Statistics*. Kathmandu; Financial Comptroller General Office. 2020. *Daily Receipts & Payments Status (as of 15 July 2020)*. Kathmandu; Central Bureau of Statistics. 2014. *National Population and Housing Census 2011 (Population Projection 2011 – 2031)*. Kathmandu.