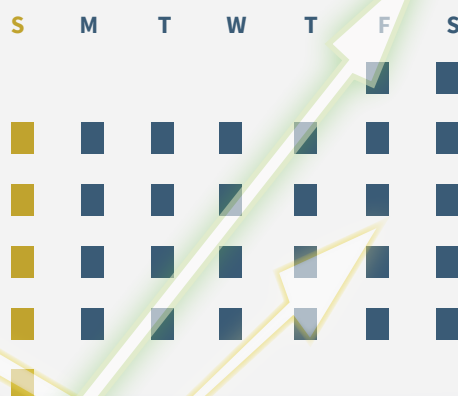


**Central Bank of Kenya**

# Monthly Economic Indicators

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## DEFINITIONS

1. **Inflation:** Percentage change in the consumer price index (CPI)
2. **Narrow Money**  
**M0:** Currency outside the banking system excluding commemorative coins  
**M1:** M0 + demand deposits of banks (or depository corporations)
3. **Broad Money**  
**M2:** M1 + quasi (long term) money deposits i.e. time and savings deposits of banks.
4. **Extended Broad Money**  
**M3:** M2 + resident foreign currency deposits.
5. **Overall Liquidity**  
**L:** M3 + non-bank holdings of Government securities.
6. **Net Foreign Assets (NFA):** Gross foreign assets less gross foreign liabilities of depository corporations (DCs).
7. **Net Domestic Assets (NDA) of Depository Corporations (DCs):** the sum of:
  - Net credit to Government, which is the sum of net credit to government from the central bank (CBK) and commercial banks.
  - Credit to other sectors, which is the sum of credit to other sectors (private and other public entities) from central bank and from other depository corporations (ODCs).
  - Other Items Net (Other assets less other liabilities) of central bank and ODCs after netting out positions between CBK and ODCs or consolidation adjustments.
8. **NFA + NDA = Extended Broad Money**
9. **Credit to Private Sector:** Credit facilities extended by DCs to the private sector.
10. **Interest Rates:** Covers the short term rates including: Repo rate (3 and 7 days), reverse repo, interbank rates, treasury bill rates and commercial banks' weighted average lending and deposit rates.
11. **Current Account Balance:** Measures the flows of goods, services, primary income, and secondary income between residents and nonresidents.
12. **Capital Account:** Measures capital transfers receivable and payable; and acquisition and disposal of non-produced, non-financial assets, which include: marketing assets; contracts, leases, and licenses; and rights of natural resources such as land, minerals, water, air space between residents and nonresidents.

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13. **Financial Account:** Measures net acquisition of financial assets and incurrences of financial liabilities.
  14. **Exchange Rate:** The price of Kenya Shilling relative to a foreign currency. The mean exchange rate is computed by a simple average of the mean buying and selling exchange rate prevailing on any trading day.
  15. **Foreign Exchange Reserves:** External assets held by the CBK that are readily available for meeting balance of payments financing needs and for intervention in the foreign exchange market.
  16. **Government Revenue:** Comprises tax and non-tax revenue. Tax revenue includes import duty, excise duty, income tax (including PAYE) and value added tax (VAT) while non-tax revenue comprises investment income, appropriation in aid (AIA) and other levies.
  17. **Grants:** Non repayable funds received by the Government from other governments or international organizations.
  18. **Government Expenditures:** Both recurrent and development expenditures. Recurrent expenditures refer to spending on current activities. It consists of interest payments on debt (domestic and foreign), salaries and wages, pensions and payments for maintenance and operations. Development expenditure refers to the expenditure incurred on projects.
  19. **Budget Deficit:** the excess of expenditure over revenue and grants. The converse is a budget surplus.
  20. **Deficit financing:** Comprising external borrowing, domestic borrowing and sales of Government shares in government agencies (privatisation).
  21. **Public and Publicly Guaranteed Debt:** Comprises external and domestic debt owed or guaranteed by the Government.

## 1. INFLATION

**Table 1.1 : Monthly Trends in Inflation (Per cent)**

|             | Overall 12 months inflation | Food Inflation | Fuel Inflation | Non-Food Non-Fuel Inflation (NFNF) | Average Annual | Three months annualised |
|-------------|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| March       | 5.84                        | 12.34          | 4.45           | 1.95                               | 5.84           | 6.02                    |
| April       | 6.01                        | 12.46          | 4.93           | 1.96                               | 6.03           | 7.66                    |
| May         | 5.33                        | 10.37          | 5.05           | 1.76                               | 6.18           | 5.44                    |
| June        | 4.59                        | 8.15           | 5.45           | 1.65                               | 6.16           | 2.98                    |
| July        | 4.36                        | 6.62           | 8.69           | 1.63                               | 6.01           | -0.52                   |
| August      | 4.36                        | 5.43           | 10.85          | 1.87                               | 5.87           | -0.11                   |
| September   | 4.20                        | 5.18           | 10.90          | 1.75                               | 5.79           | 1.13                    |
| October     | 4.84                        | 5.76           | 12.15          | 2.30                               | 5.67           | 4.70                    |
| November    | 5.33                        | 6.09           | 11.00          | 2.66                               | 5.53           | 8.38                    |
| December    | 5.62                        | 7.19           | 11.30          | 2.63                               | 5.41           | 12.70                   |
| <b>2021</b> |                             |                |                |                                    |                |                         |
| January     | 5.69                        | 7.36           | 12.09          | 2.36                               | 5.74           | 11.29                   |
| February    | 5.78                        | 6.93           | 13.78          | 2.25                               | 5.16           | 9.67                    |
| March       | 5.90                        | 6.65           | 15.78          | 2.27                               | 5.17           | 7.15                    |

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Food inflation comprise "food and non-alcoholic beverages" categories of the CPI basket; and fuel inflation comprise "transport" and "housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels" categories of the CPI basket; NFNF excludes food and fuel inflation

**Source: Kenya National Bureau of Statistics and Central Bank of Kenya**

## INFLATION

**Table 1.2: 12-Month Inflation Across Categories**

|             | Food & Non-Alcoholic Beverages | Alcoholic Beverages, Tobacco & Narcotics | Clothing & Footwear | Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels | Furnishings, Household Equipment and Routine Household Maintenance | Health | Transport | Information & Communication | Recreation, Sports & Culture | Education Services | Restaurants & Accommodation Services | Insurance and Financial Services | Personal Care, Social Protection and Miscellaneous Goods & Services | Overall Inflation |
|-------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>2020</b> |                                |                                          |                     |                                                  |                                                                    |        |           |                             |                              |                    |                                      |                                  |                                                                     |                   |
| March       | 12.34                          | 8.15                                     | 2.26                | 2.40                                             | 1.88                                                               | 1.20   | 3.73      | 0.71                        | 1.61                         | 1.07               | 2.14                                 | 0.59                             | 2.43                                                                | 5.84              |
| April       | 12.46                          | 8.52                                     | 2.08                | 2.54                                             | 1.80                                                               | 1.31   | 4.32      | 0.71                        | 1.32                         | 1.08               | 2.30                                 | 0.66                             | 2.30                                                                | 6.01              |
| May         | 10.37                          | 7.74                                     | 2.51                | 2.57                                             | 1.94                                                               | 1.21   | 5.13      | 0.39                        | 1.36                         | 1.05               | 2.01                                 | 0.62                             | 1.87                                                                | 5.33              |
| June        | 8.15                           | 6.79                                     | 2.62                | 1.41                                             | 1.33                                                               | 1.13   | 6.89      | -0.04                       | 2.96                         | 1.13               | 1.91                                 | 0.58                             | 1.82                                                                | 4.59              |
| July        | 6.62                           | 5.90                                     | 2.08                | 1.06                                             | 1.12                                                               | 1.79   | 11.12     | 0.09                        | 2.81                         | 1.94               | 1.52                                 | 0.56                             | 2.11                                                                | 4.36              |
| August      | 5.43                           | 5.03                                     | 2.03                | 2.11                                             | 1.20                                                               | 2.31   | 13.07     | 0.80                        | 2.88                         | 1.63               | 2.85                                 | 0.42                             | 2.15                                                                | 4.36              |
| September   | 5.18                           | 4.33                                     | 1.78                | 2.18                                             | 1.40                                                               | 1.77   | 12.95     | 0.32                        | 2.86                         | 1.56               | 2.78                                 | 0.14                             | 2.00                                                                | 4.20              |
| October     | 5.76                           | 4.19                                     | 2.49                | 2.82                                             | 2.18                                                               | 3.04   | 13.54     | 0.42                        | 2.94                         | 1.86               | 4.14                                 | 1.30                             | 2.12                                                                | 4.84              |
| November    | 6.09                           | 3.61                                     | 3.26                | 2.65                                             | 2.50                                                               | 4.17   | 12.87     | 1.02                        | 2.97                         | 2.22               | 5.23                                 | 1.41                             | 2.31                                                                | 5.33              |
| December    | 7.19                           | 3.66                                     | 2.42                | 3.07                                             | 2.88                                                               | 4.53   | 13.21     | 0.92                        | 3.05                         | 2.44               | 5.48                                 | 1.29                             | 2.19                                                                | 5.62              |
| <b>2021</b> |                                |                                          |                     |                                                  |                                                                    |        |           |                             |                              |                    |                                      |                                  |                                                                     |                   |
| January     | 7.36                           | 2.72                                     | 2.26                | 3.09                                             | 3.19                                                               | 4.45   | 14.24     | 0.80                        | 2.91                         | 1.86               | 5.36                                 | 1.45                             | 2.03                                                                | 5.69              |
| February    | 6.93                           | 2.74                                     | 2.29                | 3.38                                             | 3.36                                                               | 4.34   | 16.73     | 0.84                        | 2.84                         | 2.06               | 4.01                                 | 1.62                             | 2.40                                                                | 5.78              |
| March       | 6.65                           | 2.69                                     | 2.38                | 4.01                                             | 3.63                                                               | 4.12   | 18.12     | 0.98                        | 2.67                         | 2.07               | 4.00                                 | 1.71                             | 2.35                                                                | 5.90              |

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Contribution to overall inflation is provided upto January 2020. From February 2020, inflation rates across categories are provided.

**Source: Kenya National Bureau of Statistics and Central Bank of Kenya**

## INFLATION

**Table 1.3: Overall Inflation across Income Groups in Nairobi (Per cent)**

|             | Nairobi Upper Income | Nairobi Middle Income | Nairobi Lower Income | Nairobi Combined |
|-------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| <b>2020</b> |                      |                       |                      |                  |
| March       | 2.89                 | 3.29                  | 6.90                 | 5.28             |
| April       | 2.90                 | 3.40                  | 6.77                 | 5.25             |
| May         | 2.67                 | 2.68                  | 6.08                 | 4.61             |
| June        | 2.29                 | 2.79                  | 5.42                 | 4.23             |
| July        | 2.01                 | 1.84                  | 5.44                 | 3.90             |
| August      | 2.68                 | 1.79                  | 5.30                 | 3.88             |
| September   | 2.29                 | 1.67                  | 5.26                 | 3.77             |
| October     | 2.57                 | 2.31                  | 5.24                 | 4.01             |
| November    | 2.28                 | 2.32                  | 5.26                 | 3.99             |
| December    | 2.38                 | 2.86                  | 6.08                 | 4.64             |
| <b>2021</b> |                      |                       |                      |                  |
| January     | 2.91                 | 3.11                  | 5.70                 | 4.57             |
| February    | 3.05                 | 3.30                  | 5.73                 | 4.66             |
| March       | 3.70                 | 3.48                  | 5.78                 | 4.82             |

Source: Kenya National Bureau of Statistics

**Table 1.4: Overall Inflation by Region (Per cent)**

|             | Nairobi | Rest of Kenya | Kenya |
|-------------|---------|---------------|-------|
| <b>2020</b> |         |               |       |
| March       | 5.28    | 6.24          | 5.84  |
| April       | 5.25    | 6.55          | 6.01  |
| May         | 4.61    | 5.84          | 5.33  |
| June        | 4.23    | 4.84          | 4.59  |
| July        | 3.90    | 4.68          | 4.36  |
| August      | 3.88    | 4.69          | 4.36  |
| September   | 3.77    | 4.50          | 4.20  |
| October     | 4.01    | 5.43          | 4.84  |
| November    | 3.99    | 6.28          | 5.33  |
| December    | 4.64    | 6.30          | 5.62  |
| <b>2021</b> |         |               |       |
| January     | 4.57    | 6.48          | 5.69  |
| February    | 4.66    | 6.56          | 5.78  |
| March       | 4.82    | 6.65          | 5.90  |

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Source: Kenya National Bureau of Statistics

## 2. MONEY, CREDIT AND INTEREST RATES

Table 2.1: Money Supply and its Sources (KSh Billion)

| COMPONENTS OF M3                                 | Mar-20         | Apr-20         | May-20         | Jun-20         | Jul-20         | Aug-20         | Sep-20         | Oct-20         | Nov-20          | Dec-20          | Jan-21          | Feb-21          | Mar-21          |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>1. Money supply, M1 (1.1+1.2+1.3)</b>         | <b>1,595.1</b> | <b>1,595.3</b> | <b>1,602.1</b> | <b>1,692.9</b> | <b>1,682.5</b> | <b>1,655.7</b> | <b>1,665.8</b> | <b>1,742.0</b> | <b>1,759.9</b>  | <b>1,720.1</b>  | <b>1,716.4</b>  | <b>1,734.6</b>  | <b>1,716.7</b>  |
| 1.1 Currency outside banks                       | 198.3          | 194.2          | 197.9          | 210.9          | 219.3          | 217.8          | 217.6          | 223.0          | 224.9           | 233.7           | 226.7           | 231.4           | 225.8           |
| 1.2 Demand deposits                              | 1,306.2        | 1,299.7        | 1,293.7        | 1,349.9        | 1,379.1        | 1,344.1        | 1,371.0        | 1,417.5        | 1,448.7         | 1,385.8         | 1,380.1         | 1,403.1         | 1,405.5         |
| 1.3 Other deposits at CBK <sup>1</sup>           | 90.7           | 101.3          | 110.5          | 132.2          | 84.2           | 93.8           | 77.2           | 101.4          | 86.3            | 100.7           | 109.5           | 100.1           | 85.4            |
| <b>2. Money supply, M2 (1+2.1)</b>               | <b>3,018.9</b> | <b>3,038.7</b> | <b>3,081.3</b> | <b>3,227.6</b> | <b>3,235.7</b> | <b>3,182.8</b> | <b>3,180.5</b> | <b>3,223.5</b> | <b>3,238.2</b>  | <b>3,250.2</b>  | <b>3,236.9</b>  | <b>3,263.5</b>  | <b>3,250.3</b>  |
| 2.1 Time and saving deposits                     | 1,423.7        | 1,443.4        | 1,479.2        | 1,534.7        | 1,553.2        | 1,527.0        | 1,514.7        | 1,481.6        | 1,478.3         | 1,530.1         | 1,520.5         | 1,528.9         | 1,533.5         |
| <b>3. Money supply, M3 (2+3.1)</b>               | <b>3,661.0</b> | <b>3,696.0</b> | <b>3,752.8</b> | <b>3,890.0</b> | <b>3,904.4</b> | <b>3,847.0</b> | <b>3,843.5</b> | <b>3,922.7</b> | <b>3,952.3</b>  | <b>3,990.9</b>  | <b>3,992.9</b>  | <b>4,043.0</b>  | <b>4,030.0</b>  |
| 3.1 Foreign Currency Deposits                    | 642            | 657            | 671            | 662            | 669            | 664            | 663            | 699            | 714             | 741             | 756             | 780             | 780             |
| <b>SOURCES OF M3</b>                             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| <b>1. Net foreign assets<sup>2</sup></b>         | <b>767.7</b>   | <b>762.6</b>   | <b>852.0</b>   | <b>885.4</b>   | <b>840.4</b>   | <b>802.8</b>   | <b>749.1</b>   | <b>748.0</b>   | <b>730.6</b>    | <b>746.4</b>    | <b>750.6</b>    | <b>715.7</b>    | <b>690.5</b>    |
| 1.1 Central Bank                                 | 800.6          | 794.6          | 862.1          | 918.1          | 886.4          | 842.9          | 804.9          | 762.3          | 753.6           | 738.5           | 724.8           | 703.2           | 690.7           |
| 1.2 Banking Institutions                         | -32.9          | -32.0          | -10.1          | -32.7          | -46.0          | -40.1          | -55.8          | -14.2          | -23.0           | 7.9             | 25.8            | 12.4            | -0.2            |
| <b>2. Net domestic assets (2.1+2.2)</b>          | <b>2,893.3</b> | <b>2,933.4</b> | <b>2,900.8</b> | <b>3,004.6</b> | <b>3,064.0</b> | <b>3,044.2</b> | <b>3,094.4</b> | <b>3,174.7</b> | <b>3,221.7</b>  | <b>3,244.5</b>  | <b>3,242.2</b>  | <b>3,327.3</b>  | <b>3,339.5</b>  |
| 2.1 Domestic credit                              | 3,789.0        | 3,839.9        | 3,819.6        | 3,932.1        | 3,974.2        | 4,026.4        | 4,053.3        | 4,149.4        | 4,235.9         | 4,247.6         | 4,280.7         | 4,351.7         | 4,363.0         |
| 2.1.1 Government (net)                           | 1,036.8        | 1,063.3        | 1,047.1        | 1,148.7        | 1,156.5        | 1,187.5        | 1,196.0        | 1,280.6        | 1,332.3         | 1,343.3         | 1,347.2         | 1,394.6         | 1,406.6         |
| 2.1.2 Private sector                             | 2,661.2        | 2,684.4        | 2,678.8        | 2,695.0        | 2,728.8        | 2,751.8        | 2,768.6        | 2,779.6        | 2,812.8         | 2,813.1         | 2,841.6         | 2,866.8         | 2,867.1         |
| 2.1.3 Other public sector                        | 90.9           | 92.2           | 93.7           | 88.4           | 88.8           | 87.1           | 88.7           | 89.1           | 90.8            | 91.2            | 91.9            | 90.3            | 89.3            |
| <b>2.2 Other items net</b>                       | <b>-895.6</b>  | <b>-906.5</b>  | <b>-918.8</b>  | <b>-927.5</b>  | <b>-910.1</b>  | <b>-982.2</b>  | <b>-958.9</b>  | <b>-974.6</b>  | <b>-1,014.2</b> | <b>-1,003.1</b> | <b>-1,038.5</b> | <b>-1,024.4</b> | <b>-1,023.5</b> |
| <b>Memorandum items</b>                          |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| 1. Reserve money                                 | 445.5          | 435.8          | 432.1          | 426.9          | 444.9          | 476.5          | 452.2          | 445.0          | 461.3           | 469.9           | 442.3           | 444.8           | 451.0           |
| Bank reserves                                    | 247.3          | 241.5          | 234.3          | 216.0          | 225.6          | 258.7          | 234.6          | 221.9          | 236.4           | 236.2           | 215.5           | 213.4           | 225.1           |
| 2. Overall liquidity, L (3+2.1.0)                | 5,082.9        | 5,129.8        | 5,214.5        | 5,367.7        | 5,440.2        | 5,435.9        | 5,446.9        | 5,542.4        | 5,600.6         | 5,665.2         | 5,688.0         | 5,739.6         | 5,769.1         |
| 2.1.0 Non-bank holdings of government securities | 1,421.9        | 1,433.9        | 1,461.7        | 1,477.7        | 1,535.8        | 1,589.0        | 1,603.4        | 1,619.7        | 1,648.3         | 1,674.3         | 1,695.1         | 1,696.6         | 1,739.1         |
| <b>ANNUAL GROWTH RATE (Per cent)</b>             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| <b>COMPONENTS OF M3</b>                          |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| <b>1. Money supply, M1 (1.1+1.2+1.3)</b>         | <b>4.9</b>     | <b>6.2</b>     | <b>7.1</b>     | <b>7.5</b>     | <b>11.4</b>    | <b>12.7</b>    | <b>14.1</b>    | <b>17.8</b>    | <b>20.5</b>     | <b>12.8</b>     | <b>12.6</b>     | <b>10.6</b>     | <b>7.6</b>      |
| 1.1 Currency outside banks                       | -12.0          | -12.5          | -10.9          | 7.1            | 16.4           | 17.0           | 38.0           | 26.1           | 17.4            | 17.7            | 17.9            | 18.6            | 13.9            |
| 1.2 Demand deposits                              | 8.0            | 9.8            | 8.7            | 11.3           | 11.8           | 10.4           | 15.2           | 16.5           | 22.1            | 10.6            | 10.5            | 9.3             | 7.6             |
| 1.3 Other deposits at CBK <sup>1</sup>           | 5.2            | 6.0            | 32.6           | -20.3          | -5.3           | 43.7           | -30.8          | 19.0           | 4.5             | 37.2            | 32.6            | 11.6            | -5.8            |
| <b>2. Money supply, M2 (1+2.1)</b>               | <b>6.4</b>     | <b>7.5</b>     | <b>8.6</b>     | <b>9.6</b>     | <b>11.9</b>    | <b>11.4</b>    | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>11.5</b>    | <b>13.6</b>     | <b>11.9</b>     | <b>11.0</b>     | <b>9.9</b>      | <b>7.7</b>      |
| 2.1 Time and saving deposits                     | 8.0            | 9.0            | 10.2           | 12.2           | 12.4           | 10.0           | 7.7            | 4.8            | 6.4             | 10.9            | 9.3             | 9.0             | 7.7             |
| <b>3. Money supply, M3 (2+3.1)</b>               | <b>7.2</b>     | <b>8.6</b>     | <b>9.9</b>     | <b>9.1</b>     | <b>11.3</b>    | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>10.7</b>    | <b>11.5</b>    | <b>14.2</b>     | <b>13.2</b>     | <b>13.2</b>     | <b>12.4</b>     | <b>10.1</b>     |
| 3.1 Foreign Currency Deposits                    | 11.3           | 13.5           | 16.2           | 6.7            | 8.4            | 9.2            | 9.1            | 11.8           | 16.6            | 19.5            | 23.7            | 24.5            | 21.4            |
| <b>SOURCES OF M3</b>                             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| <b>1. Net foreign assets<sup>2</sup></b>         | <b>6.6</b>     | <b>2.5</b>     | <b>-8.8</b>    | <b>-5.8</b>    | <b>-6.7</b>    | <b>-7.6</b>    | <b>-10.3</b>   | <b>-12.7</b>   | <b>-8.2</b>     | <b>-7.2</b>     | <b>-3.0</b>     | <b>-8.8</b>     | <b>-10.1</b>    |
| 1.1 Central Bank                                 | 7.1            | 7.0            | -9.6           | -2.4           | -4.2           | -5.5           | -7.6           | -11.4          | -10.2           | -11.4           | -9.5            | -11.2           | -13.7           |
| 1.2 Banking Institutions                         | 19.6           | -2,213.9       | -46.6          | 2,906.6        | 85.6           | 71.2           | 54.7           | 225.6          | -47.5           | -127.4          | -197.1          | -260.4          | -99.3           |
| <b>2. Net domestic assets (2.1+2.2)</b>          | <b>7.3</b>     | <b>10.3</b>    | <b>16.9</b>    | <b>14.5</b>    | <b>17.5</b>    | <b>17.2</b>    | <b>17.3</b>    | <b>19.3</b>    | <b>20.8</b>     | <b>19.3</b>     | <b>17.8</b>     | <b>18.3</b>     | <b>15.4</b>     |
| 2.1 Domestic credit                              | 8.0            | 9.5            | 13.9           | 12.7           | 13.5           | 14.6           | 13.6           | 15.2           | 17.5            | 17.1            | 16.2            | 15.9            | 15.2            |
| 2.1.1 Government (net)                           | 7.5            | 12.7           | 35.1           | 29.0           | 32.1           | 36.1           | 33.7           | 39.0           | 47.4            | 42.7            | 35.7            | 32.6            | 35.7            |
| 2.1.2 Private sector                             | 8.9            | 9.0            | 8.2            | 7.7            | 7.9            | 8.3            | 7.6            | 7.7            | 8.1             | 8.4             | 9.3             | 9.7             | 7.7             |
| 2.1.3 Other public sector                        | -8.8           | -7.6           | -7.8           | -8.3           | -7.7           | -11.7          | -11.2          | -10.6          | -9.9            | -1.2            | -0.7            | -0.8            | -1.8            |
| <b>2.2 Other items net</b>                       | <b>10.2</b>    | <b>7.1</b>     | <b>5.5</b>     | <b>7.1</b>     | <b>2.1</b>     | <b>7.3</b>     | <b>3.3</b>     | <b>3.5</b>     | <b>8.0</b>      | <b>10.4</b>     | <b>11.5</b>     | <b>8.5</b>      | <b>14.3</b>     |
| <b>Memorandum items</b>                          |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| 1. Reserve money                                 | -2.4           | -4.0           | -11.0          | -2.9           | 5.1            | 13.2           | 10.9           | 7.8            | 8.0             | 1.9             | 0.2             | -1.1            | 1.2             |
| Bank reserves                                    | 6.9            | 4.2            | -11.1          | -11.0          | -3.9           | 10.1           | -6.2           | -5.9           | 0.4             | -10.0           | -13.4           | -16.2           | -8.9            |
| <b>2. Overall liquidity, L (3+2.1.0)</b>         | <b>10.3</b>    | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>11.9</b>    | <b>11.8</b>    | <b>14.1</b>    | <b>14.6</b>    | <b>14.2</b>    | <b>15.2</b>    | <b>17.5</b>     | <b>17.3</b>     | <b>17.0</b>     | <b>15.8</b>     | <b>13.5</b>     |
| 2.1.0 Non-bank holdings of government securities | 19.2           | 17.7           | 17.4           | 19.7           | 22.1           | 24.2           | 23.9           | 25.3           | 26.5            | 28.2            | 27.1            | 24.9            | 22.3            |

Absolute and percentage changes may not necessarily add up due to rounding

<sup>1</sup> Includes county deposits and special projects deposit

<sup>2</sup> Net Foreign Assets of CBK excludes Government accounts with IMF

Source: Central Bank of Kenya



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Table 2.2: Banking System Net Domestic Credit (KSh Billion)

|                                         | Mar-20         | Apr-20*        | May-20         | Jun-20*        | Jul-20         | Aug-20*        | Sep-20         | Oct-20         | Nov-20         | Dec-20         | Jan-21         | Feb-21         | Mar-21         |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>1. Net Credit to Government</b>      | <b>1,036.8</b> | <b>1,063.3</b> | <b>1,047.1</b> | <b>1,148.7</b> | <b>1,156.5</b> | <b>1,187.5</b> | <b>1,196.0</b> | <b>1,280.6</b> | <b>1,332.3</b> | <b>1,343.3</b> | <b>1,347.2</b> | <b>1,394.6</b> | <b>1,406.6</b> |
| Central Bank                            | -118.7         | -120.5         | -149.9         | -62.8          | -154.0         | -145.8         | -176.8         | -85.6          | -43.5          | -31.5          | -48.9          | 3.8            | -19.9          |
| Commercial Banks & NBFIs                | 1,155.5        | 1,183.7        | 1,197.0        | 1,211.5        | 1,310.6        | 1,333.3        | 1,372.8        | 1,366.2        | 1,375.9        | 1,374.8        | 1,396.1        | 1,390.9        | 1,426.6        |
| <b>2. Credit to other public sector</b> | <b>90.9</b>    | <b>92.2</b>    | <b>93.7</b>    | <b>88.4</b>    | <b>88.8</b>    | <b>87.1</b>    | <b>88.7</b>    | <b>89.1</b>    | <b>90.8</b>    | <b>91.2</b>    | <b>91.9</b>    | <b>90.3</b>    | <b>89.3</b>    |
| County government                       | 4.3            | 4.3            | 4.3            | 4.4            | 4.4            | 4.2            | 4.6            | 4.3            | 4.2            | 5.7            | 6.0            | 5.7            | 5.7            |
| Parastatals                             | 86.6           | 88.0           | 89.4           | 84.0           | 84.4           | 82.9           | 84.0           | 84.8           | 86.6           | 85.5           | 85.9           | 84.6           | 83.6           |
| <b>3. Credit to private sector</b>      | <b>2,661.2</b> | <b>2,684.4</b> | <b>2,678.8</b> | <b>2,695.0</b> | <b>2,728.8</b> | <b>2,751.8</b> | <b>2,768.6</b> | <b>2,779.6</b> | <b>2,812.8</b> | <b>2,813.1</b> | <b>2,841.6</b> | <b>2,866.8</b> | <b>2,867.1</b> |
| Agriculture                             | 84.2           | 86.7           | 87.6           | 88.1           | 90.0           | 91.1           | 91.2           | 92.3           | 94.5           | 93.4           | 93.1           | 93.3           | 94.5           |
| Manufacturing                           | 387.6          | 405.1          | 408.8          | 397.2          | 392.7          | 400.7          | 405.4          | 402.4          | 407.0          | 409.3          | 419.2          | 429.2          | 428.9          |
| Trade                                   | 481.8          | 487.1          | 478.6          | 489.2          | 493.1          | 490.9          | 486.5          | 483.8          | 490.1          | 485.0          | 485.9          | 488.9          | 491.9          |
| Building and construction               | 118.5          | 117.0          | 116.4          | 114.2          | 117.2          | 119.0          | 119.2          | 122.0          | 120.5          | 119.7          | 121.6          | 121.7          | 122.0          |
| Transport & communications              | 184.9          | 189.0          | 184.2          | 200.7          | 214.3          | 212.9          | 214.7          | 216.7          | 220.7          | 212.1          | 214.4          | 217.6          | 213.0          |
| Finance & insurance                     | 101.8          | 100.8          | 101.5          | 95.8           | 100.3          | 101.2          | 99.0           | 99.1           | 103.3          | 103.7          | 108.3          | 108.7          | 109.4          |
| Real estate                             | 378.6          | 386.4          | 387.7          | 395.8          | 397.5          | 399.4          | 402.0          | 401.3          | 405.6          | 406.8          | 408.0          | 407.6          | 407.9          |
| Mining and quarrying                    | 13.9           | 14.3           | 14.1           | 14.6           | 14.3           | 14.1           | 14.4           | 12.7           | 12.5           | 12.1           | 11.7           | 13.8           | 13.4           |
| Private households                      | 439.5          | 439.1          | 443.7          | 445.1          | 449.8          | 455.3          | 456.0          | 460.5          | 463.1          | 457.3          | 459.8          | 461.6          | 458.7          |
| Consumer durables                       | 255.2          | 252.1          | 251.0          | 253.5          | 258.5          | 264.9          | 273.6          | 280.3          | 287.5          | 291.3          | 296.0          | 300.9          | 300.1          |
| Business services                       | 154.3          | 153.7          | 154.9          | 154.4          | 153.9          | 154.6          | 156.8          | 158.1          | 155.0          | 160.2          | 161.2          | 160.5          | 163.1          |
| Other activities                        | 60.9           | 53.1           | 50.3           | 46.4           | 47.4           | 47.9           | 49.9           | 50.5           | 53.0           | 62.2           | 62.3           | 63.1           | 64.1           |
| <b>4. TOTAL (1+2+3)</b>                 | <b>3,789.0</b> | <b>3,839.9</b> | <b>3,819.6</b> | <b>3,932.1</b> | <b>3,974.2</b> | <b>4,026.4</b> | <b>4,053.3</b> | <b>4,149.4</b> | <b>4,235.9</b> | <b>4,247.6</b> | <b>4,280.7</b> | <b>4,351.7</b> | <b>4,363.0</b> |
| <b>ANNUAL GROWTH RATE (Per cent)</b>    |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |
| <b>1. Net Credit to Government</b>      | <b>7.5</b>     | <b>12.7</b>    | <b>35.1</b>    | <b>29.0</b>    | <b>32.1</b>    | <b>36.1</b>    | <b>33.7</b>    | <b>39.0</b>    | <b>47.4</b>    | <b>42.7</b>    | <b>35.7</b>    | <b>32.6</b>    | <b>35.7</b>    |
| Central Bank                            | 20.4           | -25.4          | -51.8          | -66.9          | -35.9          | -40.5          | -3.1           | -54.4          | -80.8          | -82.7          | -73.6          | -102.4         | -83.2          |
| Commercial Banks & NBFIs                | 8.7            | 7.2            | 10.2           | 12.2           | 17.5           | 19.3           | 27.5           | 23.2           | 21.6           | 22.3           | 18.5           | 14.9           | 23.5           |
| <b>2. Credit to other public sector</b> | <b>-8.8</b>    | <b>-7.6</b>    | <b>-7.8</b>    | <b>-8.3</b>    | <b>-7.7</b>    | <b>-11.7</b>   | <b>-11.2</b>   | <b>-10.6</b>   | <b>-9.9</b>    | <b>-1.2</b>    | <b>-0.7</b>    | <b>-0.8</b>    | <b>-1.8</b>    |
| Local government                        | -0.5           | -1.2           | 0.1            | 16.8           | 2.3            | -2.7           | 2.6            | -0.6           | -2.0           | 31.5           | 39.5           | 32.7           | 33.6           |
| Parastatals                             | -9.2           | -7.9           | -8.2           | -9.4           | -8.2           | -12.1          | -11.8          | -11.0          | -10.2          | -2.8           | -2.7           | -2.4           | -3.5           |
| <b>3. Credit to private sector</b>      | <b>8.9</b>     | <b>9.0</b>     | <b>8.2</b>     | <b>7.7</b>     | <b>7.9</b>     | <b>8.3</b>     | <b>7.6</b>     | <b>7.7</b>     | <b>8.1</b>     | <b>8.4</b>     | <b>9.3</b>     | <b>9.7</b>     | <b>7.7</b>     |
| Agriculture                             | 1.4            | 2.8            | 2.6            | 2.2            | 1.1            | 0.9            | 1.7            | 17.0           | 19.3           | 15.3           | 15.6           | 13.4           | 12.3           |
| Manufacturing                           | 15.3           | 20.1           | 18.2           | 11.1           | 10.0           | 13.1           | 12.6           | 7.8            | 10.0           | 12.0           | 12.6           | 15.8           | 10.7           |
| Trade                                   | 9.4            | 10.3           | 8.0            | 9.4            | 9.1            | 8.1            | 6.6            | 2.5            | 4.0            | 3.8            | 5.5            | 3.9            | 2.1            |
| Building and construction               | 9.5            | 7.7            | 5.7            | 4.6            | 5.5            | 5.2            | 4.1            | 8.2            | 7.4            | 3.4            | 2.5            | 5.2            | 2.9            |
| Transport & communications              | 7.1            | 9.1            | 5.7            | 14.9           | 20.7           | 19.0           | 20.6           | 21.1           | 17.5           | 13.6           | 14.4           | 19.0           | 15.2           |
| Finance & insurance                     | 6.6            | 3.1            | 8.4            | 3.2            | 3.5            | 4.6            | -3.3           | -2.2           | 0.2            | 7.1            | 14.0           | 9.0            | 7.5            |
| Real estate                             | 2.2            | 4.8            | 4.4            | 4.9            | 5.0            | 6.8            | 6.6            | 7.6            | 9.1            | 8.7            | 8.8            | 8.8            | 7.7            |
| Mining and quarrying                    | 3.9            | 11.0           | 5.8            | 10.0           | 11.3           | 12.0           | 8.2            | -14.2          | -15.4          | -12.9          | -6.1           | 21.6           | -3.6           |
| Private households                      | 3.4            | 2.2            | 3.2            | 3.6            | 5.4            | 5.1            | 3.5            | 7.3            | 6.2            | 4.3            | 5.2            | 4.6            | 4.4            |
| Consumer durables                       | 24.1           | 19.6           | 16.7           | 15.2           | 13.8           | 13.7           | 15.6           | 15.7           | 18.8           | 18.1           | 18.7           | 20.3           | 17.6           |
| Business services                       | 3.3            | 1.2            | 2.7            | 5.3            | 3.2            | 3.4            | 4.1            | 5.9            | 2.7            | 4.0            | 6.5            | 5.0            | 5.7            |
| Other activities                        | 36.8           | 14.3           | 16.9           | -3.7           | -6.7           | -7.6           | -5.8           | -10.4          | -14.5          | 14.0           | 5.8            | 3.8            | 5.2            |
| <b>4. TOTAL (1+2+3)</b>                 | <b>8.0</b>     | <b>9.5</b>     | <b>13.9</b>    | <b>12.7</b>    | <b>13.5</b>    | <b>14.6</b>    | <b>13.6</b>    | <b>15.2</b>    | <b>17.5</b>    | <b>17.1</b>    | <b>16.2</b>    | <b>15.9</b>    | <b>15.2</b>    |

Source: Central Bank of Kenya

## MONEY, CREDIT AND INTEREST RATES

Table 2.3: Interest Rates (Per cent)

|           | Central Bank Rates |        |               |            |      | Government T. bill Rates |         |         | Commercial Bank Rates |         |         |            |
|-----------|--------------------|--------|---------------|------------|------|--------------------------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|---------|------------|
|           | Repo               |        | Reverse Repos | Inter-bank | CBR  | 91-day                   | 182-day | 364-day | Deposit               | Savings | Lending | Over-draft |
|           | 7 days             | 3 days |               |            |      |                          |         |         |                       |         |         |            |
| 2018      |                    |        |               |            |      |                          |         |         |                       |         |         |            |
| April     | 6.75               | -      | 9.64          | 5.38       | 9.50 | 8.00                     | 10.30   | 11.13   | 8.17                  | 6.72    | 13.24   | 13.29      |
| May       | 7.44               | -      | 9.60          | 4.70       | 9.50 | 7.96                     | 10.26   | 11.14   | 8.08                  | 6.64    | 13.25   | 13.30      |
| June      | 6.16               | -      | 9.56          | 5.03       | 9.50 | 7.87                     | 9.99    | 10.87   | 8.04                  | 6.60    | 13.22   | 13.23      |
| July      | 6.56               | -      | 9.46          | 4.82       | 9.00 | 7.69                     | 9.35    | 10.33   | 8.01                  | 6.53    | 13.10   | 13.16      |
| August    | 8.01               | -      | 9.02          | 6.52       | 9.00 | 7.64                     | 9.00    | 9.98    | 7.78                  | 6.52    | 12.78   | 12.90      |
| September | 4.77               | -      | 9.03          | 4.28       | 9.00 | 7.64                     | 8.82    | 9.76    | 7.76                  | 6.33    | 12.66   | 12.52      |
| October   | 4.70               | -      | 9.06          | 3.48       | 9.00 | 7.56                     | 8.51    | 9.60    | 7.57                  | 5.70    | 12.61   | 12.42      |
| November  | 7.10               | -      | -             | 4.09       | 9.00 | 7.36                     | 8.30    | 9.53    | 7.41                  | 5.38    | 12.55   | 12.11      |
| December  | 7.72               |        | 11.34         | 8.15       | 9.00 | 7.34                     | 8.40    | 9.68    | 7.41                  | 5.13    | 12.51   | 12.17      |
| 2019      |                    |        |               |            |      |                          |         |         |                       |         |         |            |
| January   | 3.70               | -      | -             | 3.32       | 9.00 | 7.23                     | 8.95    | 10.00   | 7.34                  | 5.14    | 12.50   | 12.15      |
| February  | 3.15               | -      | 9.03          | 2.51       | 9.00 | 7.06                     | 8.62    | 9.74    | 7.28                  | 5.16    | 12.47   | 12.13      |
| March     | 3.49               | -      | -             | 3.72       | 9.00 | 7.13                     | 8.32    | 9.53    | 7.22                  | 5.05    | 12.51   | 12.13      |
| April     | 3.03               | -      | 9.13          | 4.12       | 9.00 | 7.41                     | 8.16    | 9.39    | 7.17                  | 4.75    | 12.50   | 12.15      |
| May       | 0.00               | -      | 9.18          | 5.61       | 9.00 | 7.23                     | 7.90    | 9.40    | 7.20                  | 4.71    | 12.47   | 12.13      |
| June      | 4.23               | -      | -             | 2.98       | 9.00 | 6.94                     | 7.71    | 9.25    | 7.19                  | 4.77    | 12.47   | 12.12      |
| July      | 4.55               | -      | -             | 2.28       | 9.00 | 6.81                     | 7.57    | 8.99    | 6.97                  | 4.77    | 12.39   | 11.89      |
| August    | 7.37               | -      | -             | 3.70       | 9.00 | 6.44                     | 7.12    | 9.16    | 6.91                  | 4.54    | 12.46   | 11.97      |
| September | 8.69               | -      | -             | 6.59       | 9.00 | 6.35                     | 7.10    | 9.65    | 6.98                  | 4.58    | 12.47   | 11.99      |
| October   | 7.83               | -      | -             | 6.86       | 9.00 | 6.38                     | 7.23    | 9.81    | 6.96                  | 4.44    | 12.43   | 11.88      |
| November  | 6.30               | -      | -             | 4.24       | 8.50 | 6.65                     | 7.61    | 9.79    | 6.56                  | 4.47    | 12.38   | 11.63      |
| December  | 7.45               | -      | -             | 6.03       | 8.50 | 7.17                     | 8.16    | 9.80    | 7.11                  | 4.02    | 12.24   | 11.67      |
| 2020      |                    |        |               |            |      |                          |         |         |                       |         |         |            |
| January   | 5.38               | 4.88   | -             | 4.39       | 8.25 | 7.23                     | 8.17    | 9.87    | 7.07                  | 4.25    | 12.29   | 11.97      |
| February  | 4.44               | -      | -             | 4.84       | 8.25 | 7.31                     | 8.25    | 9.85    | 7.06                  | 4.20    | 12.19   | 11.82      |
| March     | 6.13               | 7.61   | -             | 4.40       | 7.25 | 7.29                     | 8.14    | 9.20    | 7.07                  | 4.15    | 12.09   | 11.79      |
| April     | 6.36               | 6.73   | -             | 5.13       | 7.00 | 7.21                     | 8.14    | 9.07    | 7.01                  | 4.21    | 11.92   | 11.55      |
| May       | 4.25               | -      | 7.31          | 3.91       | 7.00 | 7.27                     | 8.18    | 9.16    | 6.96                  | 4.18    | 11.95   | 11.61      |
| June      | 3.50               | -      | -             | 3.27       | 7.00 | 7.14                     | 7.93    | 8.85    | 6.86                  | 4.15    | 11.89   | 11.24      |
| July      | 3.84               | -      |               | 2.12       | 7.00 | 6.24                     | 6.69    | 7.58    | 6.78                  | 4.11    | 11.94   | 11.18      |
| August    | 3.59               | -      | 7.38          | 2.56       | 7.00 | 6.20                     | 6.56    | 7.48    | 6.64                  | 4.11    | 11.94   | 11.18      |
| September | 6.70               | -      | 7.65          | 2.95       | 7.00 | 6.29                     | 6.70    | 7.60    | 6.41                  | 3.78    | 11.75   | 11.15      |
| October   | 6.84               | -      | -             | 2.69       | 7.00 | 6.49                     | 6.89    | 7.79    | 6.26                  | 3.38    | 11.98   | 11.44      |
| November  | 7.03               | -      | -             | 3.27       | 7.00 | 6.69                     | 7.11    | 8.04    | 6.31                  | 3.42    | 11.99   | 11.39      |
| December  | 6.87               | -      | 7.70          | 5.29       | 7.00 | 6.90                     | 7.38    | 8.27    | 6.30                  | 2.70    | 12.02   | 11.51      |
| 2021      |                    |        |               |            |      |                          |         |         |                       |         |         |            |
| January   | 5.82               | -      | 7.67          | 5.12       | 7.00 | 6.92                     | 7.48    | 8.42    | 6.31                  | 2.73    | 12.00   | 11.43      |
| February  | 6.04               | -      | -             | 4.49       | 7.00 | 6.90                     | 7.64    | 8.77    | 6.46                  | 3.35    | 12.02   | 11.52      |
| March     |                    | -      | 7.78          | 5.23       | 7.00 | 7.03                     | 7.82    | 9.14    |                       |         |         |            |

**CBR** - Central Bank Rate

**REPO** - Repurchase Agreement (The dash - indicates no activity)

Source: Central Bank of Kenya

### 3. REAL SECTOR INDICATORS

**Table 3.1: Selected Indicators of Economic Activity**

|                                                                | Mar-20        | Apr-20        | May-20        | Jun-20        | Jul-20        | Aug-20        | Sept-20       | Oct-20        | Nov-20        | Dec-20        | Jan-21        | Feb-21        | Mar-21        |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Agriculture</b>                                             |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>Horticulture, exports (tonnes)</b>                          | <b>46,231</b> | <b>36,866</b> | <b>40,349</b> | <b>36,537</b> | <b>46,729</b> | <b>45,959</b> | <b>44,025</b> | <b>66,896</b> | <b>41,807</b> | <b>52,849</b> | <b>45,001</b> | <b>71,685</b> | <b>61,967</b> |
| Fresh vegetables                                               | 15,778        | 13,507        | 11,915        | 12,527        | 20,317        | 21,979        | 24,970        | 31,536        | 21,092        | 30,669        | 18,873        | 36,393        | 24,062        |
| Fruits and nuts                                                | 19,820        | 17,075        | 20,646        | 16,919        | 17,958        | 14,822        | 10,196        | 24,636        | 10,773        | 10,015        | 13,710        | 22,094        | 25,788        |
| Cut flowers                                                    | 10,633        | 6,284         | 7,788         | 7,091         | 8,455         | 9,158         | 8,859         | 10,724        | 9,941         | 12,165        | 12,418        | 13,199        | 12,117        |
| <b>Horticulture, exports (KSh Millions)</b>                    | <b>10,870</b> | <b>8,254</b>  | <b>9,038</b>  | <b>8,240</b>  | <b>9,302</b>  | <b>9,773</b>  | <b>9,493</b>  | <b>11,181</b> | <b>9,520</b>  | <b>11,279</b> | <b>11,055</b> | <b>14,800</b> | <b>13,508</b> |
| Fresh vegetables                                               | 2,442         | 2,333         | 1,975         | 2,102         | 2,486         | 2,757         | 3,272         | 3,620         | 2,863         | 4,207         | 3,193         | 4,315         | 3,435         |
| Fruits and nuts                                                | 2,973         | 2,813         | 3,325         | 3,133         | 3,297         | 2,999         | 2,274         | 2,831         | 2,391         | 1,812         | 2,251         | 3,060         | 4,343         |
| Cut flowers                                                    | 5,455         | 3,108         | 3,738         | 3,005         | 3,519         | 4,017         | 3,947         | 4,730         | 4,265         | 5,259         | 5,611         | 7,425         | 5,730         |
| Tea, production (tonnes)                                       | 55,733        | 49,656        | 47,004        | 46,378        | 36,554        | 38,525        | 43,413        | 48,275        | 47,680        | 54,412        | 48,896        | 43,399        | ...           |
| Coffee, sales (tonnes)\ <sup>1</sup>                           | 4,845         | 2,242         | 1,125         | -             | 1,310         | 1,209         | 1,913         | 1,329         | 1,318         | 1,667         | 3,824         | 5,325         | ...           |
| Cane, deliveries ('000 tonnes)                                 | 583           | 535           | 544           | 572           | 626           | 629           | 645           | 644           | 594           | 469           | 682           | 660           | ...           |
| Milk intake, formal sector (million litres)                    | 56            | 49            | 49            | 53            | 54            | 59            | 58            | 60            | 61            | 68            | 59            | 57            | ...           |
| <b>Manufacturing</b>                                           |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Sugar, production (tonnes)                                     | 52,699        | 45,468        | 46,350        | 49,680        | 53,155        | 53,434        | 54,873        | 54,830        | 50,227        | 38,834        | 58,044        | 61,508        | ...           |
| Soft drinks, production (million litres)                       | 52,109        | 35,951        | 34,129        | 47,273        | 39,833        | 39,290        | 52,436        | 47,215        | 42,916        | 64,707        | ...           | ...           | ...           |
| Galvanised sheets, production (tonnes)                         | 18,527        | 6,259         | 18,042        | 23,730        | 24,493        | 23,226        | 20,801        | 22,868        | 23,268        | 20,854        | 17,788        | ...           | ...           |
| Cement, production (tonnes)                                    | 559,424       | 509,197       | 511,961       | 594,421       | 666,341       | 712,701       | 707,033       | 731,253       | 668,507       | 666,855       | 652,883       | 612,980       | ...           |
| Assembled vehicles, production (units)                         | 830           | 669           | 659           | 415           | 735           | 595           | 591           | 676           | 533           | 547           | 559           | 561           | ...           |
| <b>Electricity</b>                                             |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>Electricity, generation (million KWH)</b>                   | <b>969</b>    | <b>841</b>    | <b>881</b>    | <b>913</b>    | <b>969</b>    | <b>977</b>    | <b>973</b>    | <b>1,023</b>  | <b>997</b>    | <b>1,012</b>  | <b>1,015</b>  | <b>926</b>    | ...           |
| Hydro                                                          | 359           | 298           | 319           | 334           | 358           | 358           | 356           | 373           | 385           | 400           | 330           | 281           | ...           |
| Geo-thermal                                                    | 460           | 412           | 392           | 421           | 433           | 424           | 381           | 440           | 397           | 393           | 465           | 422           | ...           |
| Thermal                                                        | 56            | 36            | 56            | 62            | 61            | 71            | 89            | 80            | 60            | 77            | 75            | 106           | ...           |
| Wind                                                           | 86            | 88            | 106           | 88            | 110           | 119           | 140           | 122           | 148           | 135           | 138           | 110           | ...           |
| Solar                                                          | 8             | 8             | 8             | 7             | 7             | 7             | 7             | 8             | 8             | 7             | 7             | 7             | ...           |
| Co-generation                                                  | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | ...           |
| <b>Construction</b>                                            |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Cement, consumption (tonnes)                                   | 551,914       | 506,800       | 509,698       | 591,799       | 659,798       | 691,588       | 677,381       | 723,124       | 662,609       | 661,504       | 647,491       | 606,547       | ...           |
| Electricity, consumption (million KWH)                         | 764           | 647           | 661           | 717           | 730           | 734           | 752           | 790           | 758           | 749           | 792           | 743           | 800           |
| <b>Transport and Storage</b>                                   |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| <b>Visitor arrivals (Actual no.)</b>                           | <b>47,296</b> | <b>8</b>      | <b>93</b>     | <b>442</b>    | <b>468</b>    | <b>13,929</b> | <b>17,227</b> | <b>29,112</b> | <b>28,351</b> | <b>46,518</b> | <b>46,279</b> | <b>35,637</b> | <b>41,188</b> |
| JKIA - Nairobi                                                 | 43,346        | 8             | 93            | 440           | 467           | 13,421        | 16,565        | 27,933        | 27,311        | 43,405        | 43,234        | 32,629        | 37,983        |
| MIA - Mombasa                                                  | 3,950         | 0.0           | 0.0           | 2             | 1             | 508           | 662           | 1,179         | 1,040         | 3,113         | 3,045         | 3,008         | 3,205         |
| <b>Fuel Prices (Average Retail)</b>                            |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Crude oil price, Murban Adnoc (Abu Dhabi FOB), US\$ per barrel | 34            | 18            | 25            | 37            | 43            | 45            | 42            | 40            | 43            | 49            | 54            | 61            | ...           |
| Premium fuel (KSh per Litre)                                   | 112           | 94            | 85            | 90            | 101           | 105           | 106           | 108           | 107           | 108           | 108           | 116           | ...           |
| Diesel Oil (KSh per Litre)                                     | 103           | 99            | 80            | 76            | 93            | 96            | 95            | 94            | 92            | 93            | 97            | 103           | ...           |
| Kerosene (KSh per Litre)                                       | 97            | 79            | 81            | 64            | 66            | 85            | 84            | 85            | 83            | 85            | 88            | 93            | ...           |
| L.P.G (KSh per 13Kg)                                           | 2,066         | 2,078         | 2,076         | 2,079         | 2,075         | 2,060         | 2,034         | 2,018         | 2,020         | 1,977         | 2,019         | 2,031         | ...           |
| Charcoal (KSh per 4Kg tin)                                     | 57            | 58            | 57            | 57            | 57            | 59            | 58            | 58            | 58            | 58            | 59            | 58            | ...           |

... Data not available

Source: Kenya National Bureau of Statistics

## 4. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND EXTERNAL SECTOR INDICATORS

**Table 4.1 : Analytical Balance of Payment Statement Cumulative Flows (USD Millions)<sup>1</sup>**

| Cumulative 12 months <sup>2</sup>                    | Mar-20          | Apr-20          | May-20          | Jun-20          | Jul-20          | Aug-20          | Sep-20          | Oct-20          | Nov-20          | Dec-20          | Jan-21          | Feb-21          | Mar-21          |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>A. Current Account, n.i.e.</b>                    | <b>-5,635.7</b> | <b>-5,488.7</b> | <b>-5,137.5</b> | <b>-5,076.8</b> | <b>-4,836.9</b> | <b>-4,927.6</b> | <b>-4,882.7</b> | <b>-4,815.9</b> | <b>-4,725.7</b> | <b>-4,564.2</b> | <b>-4,439.6</b> | <b>-4,517.0</b> | <b>-4,995.3</b> |
| Goods: exports f.o.b.                                | 6,070.1         | 5,992.6         | 5,975.9         | 5,923.6         | 5,921.7         | 5,942.8         | 6,015.9         | 6,005.3         | 5,962.9         | 6,060.8         | 6,028.7         | 6,036.2         | 6,035.4         |
| Goods: imports f.o.b.                                | 16,512.8        | 16,150.4        | 15,667.7        | 15,383.6        | 15,085.3        | 14,960.8        | 14,956.3        | 14,766.0        | 14,492.6        | 14,410.3        | 14,341.1        | 14,445.7        | 14,802.5        |
| Services: credit                                     | 5,333.0         | 5,157.9         | 4,969.8         | 4,783.4         | 4,605.6         | 4,425.7         | 4,288.8         | 4,082.5         | 3,891.8         | 3,834.0         | 3,762.4         | 3,634.4         | 3,525.3         |
| Services: debit                                      | 3,980.3         | 3,923.9         | 3,812.3         | 3,755.3         | 3,721.0         | 3,693.9         | 3,683.6         | 3,629.2         | 3,606.3         | 3,595.5         | 3,546.6         | 3,525.4         | 3,567.2         |
| Balance on goods and services                        | -9,090.0        | -8,923.8        | -8,534.3        | -8,431.9        | -8,279.0        | -8,286.2        | -8,335.2        | -8,307.4        | -8,244.1        | -8,110.9        | -8,096.6        | -8,300.5        | -8,809.0        |
| Primary income: credit                               | 226.6           | 218.1           | 208.6           | 188.4           | 181.8           | 173.1           | 171.9           | 163.0           | 154.4           | 147.6           | 140.2           | 133.7           | 128.0           |
| Primary income: debit                                | 2,004.8         | 1,940.0         | 1,948.3         | 1,845.8         | 1,762.0         | 1,796.0         | 1,706.8         | 1,643.2         | 1,615.3         | 1,575.8         | 1,450.2         | 1,428.2         | 1,460.9         |
| Balance on goods, services, and primary income       | -10,868.2       | -10,645.6       | -10,274.0       | -10,089.4       | -9,859.2        | -9,909.0        | -9,870.1        | -9,787.6        | -9,705.1        | -9,539.0        | -9,406.6        | -9,595.0        | -10,141.8       |
| Secondary income, n. i. e.: credit                   | 5,286.8         | 5,210.2         | 5,188.6         | 5,064.1         | 5,079.1         | 5,037.2         | 5,042.4         | 5,025.3         | 5,032.0         | 5,026.3         | 5,017.2         | 5,126.6         | 5,194.0         |
| Secondary income: debit                              | 54.2            | 53.3            | 52.0            | 51.5            | 56.9            | 55.8            | 55.0            | 53.6            | 52.6            | 51.5            | 50.1            | 48.6            | 47.5            |
| <b>B. Capital Account, n.i.e.</b>                    | <b>189.6</b>    | <b>130.1</b>    | <b>161.3</b>    | <b>146.1</b>    | <b>146.1</b>    | <b>133.9</b>    | <b>155.1</b>    | <b>121.0</b>    | <b>122.7</b>    | <b>130.4</b>    | <b>138.7</b>    | <b>159.7</b>    | <b>190.2</b>    |
| Capital account, n.i.e.: credit                      | 189.6           | 130.1           | 161.3           | 146.1           | 146.1           | 133.9           | 155.1           | 121.0           | 122.7           | 130.4           | 138.7           | 159.7           | 190.2           |
| Capital account: debit                               | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             |
| <b>C. Financial Account, n.i.e.</b>                  | <b>-5,720.5</b> | <b>-5,727.1</b> | <b>-3,564.5</b> | <b>-4,597.6</b> | <b>-4,086.2</b> | <b>-3,869.4</b> | <b>-3,726.2</b> | <b>-3,201.6</b> | <b>-2,815.8</b> | <b>-2,783.4</b> | <b>-2,654.0</b> | <b>-2,896.8</b> | <b>-2,994.9</b> |
| Direct investment: assets                            | 226.0           | 204.6           | 176.5           | 159.9           | 160.2           | 162.5           | 166.5           | 164.2           | 155.4           | 154.7           | 142.6           | 127.3           | 118.4           |
| Direct investment: liabilities, n.i.e.               | 1,156.6         | 1,067.0         | 981.4           | 838.8           | 767.0           | 708.6           | 648.1           | 543.1           | 477.3           | 398.4           | 392.1           | 369.5           | 357.1           |
| Portfolio investment: assets                         | 1,005.7         | 1,050.4         | 1,108.6         | 1,111.0         | 1,138.1         | 1,148.3         | 1,136.7         | 1,143.8         | 1,163.3         | 1,201.8         | 1,221.5         | 1,189.1         | 1,138.5         |
| Equity and investment fund shares                    | 811.9           | 847.6           | 900.9           | 895.5           | 912.2           | 901.9           | 896.1           | 845.9           | 832.5           | 850.2           | 839.1           | 801.0           | 746.0           |
| Debt securities                                      | 193.9           | 202.9           | 207.9           | 215.6           | 226.1           | 246.5           | 240.8           | 298.0           | 331.0           | 351.7           | 385.8           | 383.4           | 392.6           |
| Portfolio investment: liabilities, n.i.e.            | 2,165.3         | 2,116.7         | -55.7           | -61.4           | -104.1          | -94.1           | -110.0          | -164.7          | -191.0          | -187.5          | -143.2          | -101.0          | -11.3           |
| Equity and investment fund shares                    | -100.5          | -139.9          | -203.1          | -210.1          | -239.8          | -254.3          | -254.9          | -252.2          | -255.9          | -271.4          | -271.0          | -250.3          | -171.8          |
| Debt securities                                      | 2,265.8         | 2,256.6         | 147.4           | 148.7           | 135.7           | 160.3           | 144.9           | 87.5            | 64.9            | 83.9            | 127.8           | 149.2           | 160.5           |
| Financial derivatives: net                           | 4.4             | -0.8            | -1.5            | 4.0             | -1.0            | -1.3            | 11.1            | 12.6            | -61.7           | -9.1            | 0.5             | -0.9            | 1.5             |
| Other investment: assets                             | 531.5           | 405.3           | 859.2           | 429.5           | 480.4           | 445.8           | 201.1           | 299.0           | 722.8           | 1,012.2         | 1,133.0         | 1,107.9         | 1,418.4         |
| Other investment: liabilities, n.i.e.                | 4,166.1         | 4,202.9         | 4,781.6         | 5,524.7         | 5,201.0         | 5,010.2         | 4,703.6         | 4,442.7         | 4,509.3         | 4,932.2         | 4,902.6         | 5,051.7         | 5,326.0         |
| <b>of which</b>                                      |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Other debt instruments                               | 4,161.9         | 4,199.0         | 4,778.0         | 5,521.5         | 5,198.2         | 5,007.7         | 4,701.5         | 4,441.0         | 4,508.0         | 4,931.4         | 4,901.8         | 5,051.0         | 5,325.3         |
| Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank | 547.3           | 691.9           | 721.2           | 714.1           | 647.1           | 557.5           | 347.4           | 352.4           | 474.5           | 553.7           | 521.4           | 789.9           | 998.5           |
| General government                                   | 1,201.3         | 1,090.6         | 1,700.3         | 2,487.6         | 2,257.8         | 2,178.6         | 2,148.7         | 1,925.5         | 1,819.4         | 2,071.5         | 2,032.6         | 1,918.6         | 1,978.1         |
| Other sectors                                        | 2,413.0         | 2,416.2         | 2,356.3         | 2,324.8         | 2,292.3         | 2,270.3         | 2,204.0         | 2,157.6         | 2,212.6         | 2,304.7         | 2,346.0         | 2,340.8         | 2,347.7         |
| Nonfinancial corporations, households, and NPISHs    | 2,413.0         | 2,416.2         | 2,356.3         | 2,324.8         | 2,292.3         | 2,270.3         | 2,204.0         | 2,157.6         | 2,212.6         | 2,304.7         | 2,346.0         | 2,340.8         | 2,347.7         |
| <b>D. Net Errors and Omissions</b>                   | <b>66.4</b>     | <b>71.2</b>     | <b>1,201.1</b>  | <b>859.5</b>    | <b>697.4</b>    | <b>640.7</b>    | <b>379.3</b>    | <b>550.9</b>    | <b>864.4</b>    | <b>866.1</b>    | <b>809.9</b>    | <b>543.7</b>    | <b>951.2</b>    |
| <b>E. Overall Balance</b>                            | <b>-340.9</b>   | <b>-439.7</b>   | <b>210.5</b>    | <b>-526.4</b>   | <b>-92.7</b>    | <b>283.7</b>    | <b>622.1</b>    | <b>942.4</b>    | <b>922.9</b>    | <b>784.3</b>    | <b>837.0</b>    | <b>916.9</b>    | <b>859.0</b>    |
| <b>F. Reserves and Related Items</b>                 | <b>340.9</b>    | <b>439.7</b>    | <b>-210.5</b>   | <b>526.4</b>    | <b>92.7</b>     | <b>-283.7</b>   | <b>-622.1</b>   | <b>-942.4</b>   | <b>-922.9</b>   | <b>-784.3</b>   | <b>-837.0</b>   | <b>-916.9</b>   | <b>-859.0</b>   |
| Reserve assets                                       | 186.8           | 286.1           | -364.4          | 431.1           | -2.7            | -379.5          | -654.6          | -985.5          | -956.2          | -818.5          | -871.5          | -951.3          | -893.7          |
| Credit and loans from the IMF                        | -154.0          | -153.6          | -153.9          | -95.3           | -95.4           | -95.8           | -32.5           | -43.1           | -33.3           | -34.2           | -34.5           | -34.4           | -34.8           |
| Exceptional financing                                | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             | 0.0             |

<sup>1</sup> These BOP statistics are provisional and will be revised regularly as soon as the KNBS releases the more robust quarterly and annual BOP data.

<sup>2</sup> Sum of flows over twelve months to the reporting period.

**Source: Central Bank of Kenya**

## BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND EXTERNAL SECTOR INDICATORS

**Table 4.2: Monthly Average Exchange Rates**

| MONTH     | CURRENCY                               |          |        |         |                                        |       |      |       |
|-----------|----------------------------------------|----------|--------|---------|----------------------------------------|-------|------|-------|
|           | USD                                    | UK POUND | EURO   | SA RAND | USHS                                   | TSHS  | RWF  | BIF   |
|           | KENYA SHILLINGS PER UNIT OF CURRENCY\¹ |          |        |         | UNITS OF CURRENCY PER KENYA SHILLING\² |       |      |       |
| 2019      |                                        |          |        |         |                                        |       |      |       |
| January   | 101.58                                 | 130.76   | 115.95 | 7.29    | 36.45                                  | 22.72 | 8.80 | 17.68 |
| February  | 100.23                                 | 130.29   | 113.81 | 7.27    | 36.64                                  | 23.23 | 8.94 | 17.96 |
| March     | 100.36                                 | 132.29   | 113.51 | 6.99    | 36.92                                  | 23.36 | 8.97 | 18.01 |
| April     | 101.07                                 | 131.77   | 113.58 | 7.13    | 36.97                                  | 22.88 | 8.93 | 18.10 |
| May       | 101.15                                 | 130.06   | 113.17 | 7.01    | 37.22                                  | 22.74 | 8.95 | 18.12 |
| June      | 101.69                                 | 128.82   | 114.73 | 6.96    | 36.72                                  | 22.61 | 8.94 | 18.07 |
| July      | 103.16                                 | 128.92   | 115.83 | 7.35    | 35.84                                  | 22.30 | 8.86 | 17.83 |
| August    | 103.30                                 | 125.59   | 114.96 | 6.83    | 35.76                                  | 22.26 | 8.88 | 17.86 |
| September | 103.80                                 | 128.16   | 114.35 | 6.99    | 35.41                                  | 22.15 | 8.87 | 17.79 |
| October   | 103.67                                 | 130.65   | 114.41 | 6.95    | 35.65                                  | 22.19 | 8.88 | 17.89 |
| November  | 102.39                                 | 131.96   | 113.22 | 6.91    | 36.12                                  | 22.49 | 9.08 | 18.31 |
| December  | 101.50                                 | 132.88   | 112.67 | 7.02    | 36.21                                  | 22.65 | 9.25 | 18.50 |
| 2020      |                                        |          |        |         |                                        |       |      |       |
| January   | 101.09                                 | 132.15   | 112.29 | 7.04    | 36.41                                  | 22.79 | 9.38 | 18.61 |
| February  | 100.79                                 | 130.83   | 109.94 | 6.72    | 36.45                                  | 22.91 | 9.43 | 18.71 |
| March     | 103.74                                 | 128.54   | 114.67 | 6.29    | 36.33                                  | 22.23 | 9.16 | 18.22 |
| April     | 106.41                                 | 131.92   | 115.61 | 5.74    | 35.56                                  | 21.75 | 8.95 | 17.77 |
| May       | 106.68                                 | 131.29   | 116.12 | 5.87    | 35.54                                  | 21.70 | 8.88 | 17.80 |
| June      | 106.40                                 | 133.38   | 119.83 | 6.22    | 35.13                                  | 21.76 | 8.96 | 17.90 |
| July      | 107.27                                 | 135.30   | 122.51 | 6.39    | 34.53                                  | 21.62 | 8.92 | 17.95 |
| August    | 108.14                                 | 141.85   | 127.83 | 6.28    | 34.00                                  | 21.48 | 8.91 | 17.84 |
| September | 108.41                                 | 140.89   | 128.01 | 6.48    | 34.08                                  | 21.40 | 8.94 | 17.81 |
| October   | 108.64                                 | 140.94   | 127.85 | 6.59    | 34.22                                  | 21.35 | 8.99 | 17.80 |
| November  | 109.25                                 | 144.13   | 129.15 | 7.00    | 33.97                                  | 21.23 | 9.01 | 17.73 |
| December  | 110.59                                 | 148.42   | 134.33 | 7.41    | 33.16                                  | 20.97 | 8.95 | 17.53 |
| 2021      |                                        |          |        |         |                                        |       |      |       |
| January   | 109.83                                 | 149.75   | 133.80 | 7.26    | 33.61                                  | 21.11 | 9.03 | 17.68 |
| February  | 109.68                                 | 151.80   | 132.62 | 7.41    | 33.43                                  | 21.14 | 9.05 | 17.72 |
| March     | 109.73                                 | 152.21   | 130.86 | 7.32    | 33.38                                  | 21.13 | 9.05 | 17.74 |

USD - United States Dollar

SA RAND - South African Rand

USHS - Uganda Shilling

TSHS - Tanzania Shilling

RWF - Rwanda Franc

BIF - Burundi Franc

<sup>1</sup>Kenya Shillings per unit of currency e.g 91.36 KShs=1 USD

<sup>2</sup>Units of currency per Kenya Shilling e.g 31.29 USHS= 1 KShs

**Source: Central Bank of Kenya**



## BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND EXTERNAL SECTOR INDICATORS

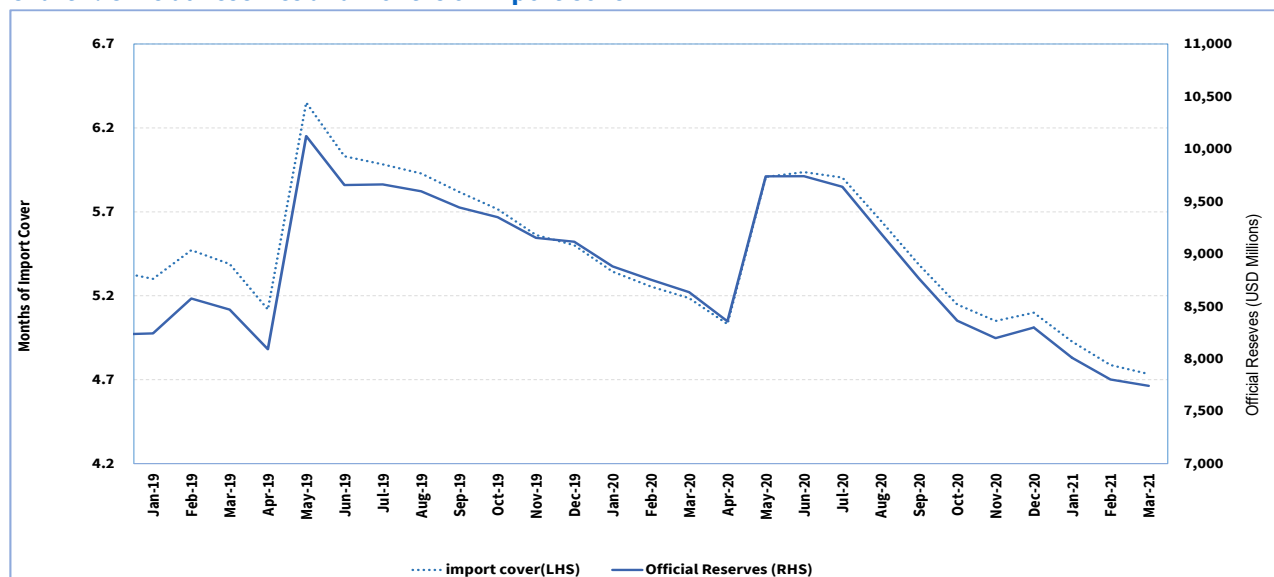
**Table 4.3 Foreign Exchange Reserves (End of Period USD Million)**

|                                     | Mar-20   | Apr-2020 | May-20   | Jun-20   | Jul-20   | Aug-20   | Sep-20   | Oct-20   | Nov-20   | Dec-20   | Jan-21   | Feb-21   | Mar-21   |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| <b>Gross Reserves</b>               | 12,447.0 | 12,285.7 | 13,805.7 | 13,680.9 | 13,523.7 | 13,180.6 | 12,585.0 | 12,603.4 | 12,551.6 | 12,991.9 | 12,886.3 | 12,839.1 | 12,850.2 |
| <i>of which</i>                     |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |
| Official Reserves                   | 8,634.9  | 8,356.6  | 9,738.3  | 9,739.9  | 9,639.5  | 9,197.0  | 8,765.1  | 8,363.0  | 8,195.9  | 8,297.3  | 8,008.7  | 7,802.3  | 7,741.2  |
| Months of import cover <sup>1</sup> | 5.2      | 5.0      | 5.9      | 5.9      | 5.9      | 5.6      | 5.4      | 5.1      | 5.0      | 5.1      | 4.9      | 4.8      | 4.7      |
| Commercial Banks                    | 3,812.1  | 3,929.0  | 4,067.3  | 3,940.9  | 3,884.2  | 3,983.6  | 3,819.9  | 4,240.4  | 4,355.7  | 4,694.6  | 4,877.7  | 5,036.9  | 5,109.0  |

<sup>1</sup>Based on 36 month average of imports of goods and services

Source: Central Bank of Kenya

**Chart 1: Official Reserves and Months of Import Cover**



Source: Central Bank of Kenya

## 5. DEVELOPMENTS IN THE BANKING SECTOR

**Table 5.1: Kenyan Banking Sector Performance Indicators (KSh Billion)**

|             | Total Assets | Shareholders Funds | Gross Loans | Gross Non-Performing Loans | Gross Deposits | Total Liquidity Ratio (%) (Average) | Profit Before Tax ◇ |
|-------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------|----------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>2019</b> |              |                    |             |                            |                |                                     |                     |
| January     | 4,462.6      | 688.7              | 2,553.7     | 319.1                      | 3,322.2        | 49.1                                | 13.4                |
| February    | 4,510.5      | 703.7              | 2,558.5     | 327.9                      | 3,314.2        | 49.8                                | 25.3                |
| March       | 4,571.6      | 715.2              | 2,583.9     | 330.3                      | 3,400.1        | 50.8                                | 44.0                |
| April       | 4,600.7      | 722.3              | 2,602.6     | 335.8                      | 3,373.2        | 51.0                                | 56.8                |
| May         | 4,592.9      | 705.6              | 2,617.8     | 337.2                      | 3,401.0        | 50.4                                | 70.0                |
| June        | 4,719.7      | 720.3              | 2,653.8     | 335.9                      | 3,506.0        | 50.6                                | 85.8                |
| July        | 4,751.2      | 729.3              | 2,707.1     | 336.4                      | 3,476.2        | 51.0                                | 99.1                |
| August      | 4,791.4      | 738.1              | 2,719.8     | 342.2                      | 3,486.1        | 50.8                                | 112.7               |
| September   | 4,798.5      | 741.9              | 2,766.7     | 342.4                      | 3,491.9        | 50.9                                | 125.3               |
| October     | 4,824.2      | 750.0              | 2,826.3     | 347.7                      | 3,556.5        | 51.2                                | 140.7               |
| November    | 4,767.8      | 757.0              | 2,778.0     | 346.4                      | 3,482.7        | 50.0                                | 150.1               |
| December    | 4,832.3      | 753.1              | 2,774.6     | 333.3                      | 3,554.4        | 49.7                                | 159.9               |
| <b>2020</b> |              |                    |             |                            |                |                                     |                     |
| January     | 4,831.3      | 760.6              | 2,757.6     | 336.5                      | 3,546.8        | 49.8                                | 13.2                |
| February    | 4,902.8      | 754.1              | 2,774.6     | 351.8                      | 3,608.5        | 51.1                                | 24.7                |
| March       | 5,001.2      | 752.6              | 2,847.4     | 357.0                      | 3,688.1        | 51.4                                | 38.3                |
| April       | 5,045.7      | 753.5              | 2,868.1     | 375.5                      | 3,743.0        | 51.2                                | 45.3                |
| May         | 5,110.8      | 760.8              | 2,900.7     | 377.7                      | 3,768.6        | 51.3                                | 53.9                |
| June        | 5,207.8      | 769.5              | 2,908.7     | 382.0                      | 3,903.6        | 52.8                                | 60.0                |
| July        | 5,293.7      | 781.6              | 2,934.2     | 390.3                      | 3,952.0        | 49.7                                | 74.0                |
| August      | 5,285.5      | 787.7              | 2,939.1     | 399.8                      | 3,905.7        | 53.2                                | 81.3                |
| September   | 5,266.0      | 789.5              | 2,943.4     | 401.6                      | 3,904.4        | 53.2                                | 89.2                |
| October     | 5,305.9      | 800.2              | 2,969.2     | 402.3                      | 3,960.0        | 53.3                                | 98.9                |
| November    | 5,421.8      | 809.2              | 3,011.5     | 411.1                      | 4,029.9        | 54.0                                | 107.7               |
| December    | 5,420.1      | 816.4              | 2,999.5     | 424.1                      | 4,021.9        | 54.6                                | 112.8               |
| <b>2021</b> |              |                    |             |                            |                |                                     |                     |
| January     | 5,447.8      | 824.8              | 3,028.9     | 431.7                      | 4,030.1        | 54.9                                | 15.1                |
| February    | 5,540.3      | 834.6              | 3,066.7     | 444.2                      | 4,113.2        | 55.7                                | 30.4                |
| March       | 5,528.4      | 835.8              | 3,040.5     | 442.6                      | 4,133.1        | 56.3                                | 45.9                |

Note: Data in this table excludes that for Charterhouse Bank, Chase Bank and Imperial Bank which were under receivership  
 ◇ Unaudited

Source: Central Bank of Kenya

## 6. GOVERNMENT BUDGETARY OPERATIONS

**Table 6.1 Composition of Government Revenue (KSh Billion)**

| FISCAL YEAR <sup>1</sup> | REVENUE AND GRANTS |             |            |        |                   |                  |                 |               |        |                                  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|--------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|--------|----------------------------------|
|                          | i                  | ii          | iii        | iv     | v                 | vi=i+ii+iii+iv+v | vii             | viii=vi+vii   | ix     | x=viii+ ix                       |
|                          | Import Duty        | Excise Duty | Income Tax | VAT    | Other Tax Revenue | Tax Revenue      | Non-Tax Revenue | Total Revenue | Grants | Total Revenue (Including Grants) |
| <b>FY 2018/2019</b>      |                    |             |            |        |                   |                  |                 |               |        |                                  |
| July                     | 8.30               | 15.93       | 41.77      | 29.94  | 2.85              | 98.78            | 11.37           | 110.16        | 0.00   | 110.16                           |
| August                   | 18.18              | 29.28       | 89.56      | 61.80  | 6.31              | 205.13           | 21.97           | 227.11        | 1.50   | 228.60                           |
| September                | 25.76              | 42.79       | 159.11     | 92.64  | 9.03              | 329.34           | 36.66           | 365.99        | 3.58   | 369.57                           |
| October                  | 36.07              | 57.72       | 207.37     | 126.60 | 12.18             | 439.94           | 49.87           | 489.80        | 6.43   | 496.23                           |
| November                 | 44.79              | 75.58       | 255.08     | 165.20 | 15.11             | 555.77           | 63.24           | 619.01        | 8.19   | 627.19                           |
| December                 | 51.70              | 91.72       | 325.54     | 193.85 | 17.94             | 680.76           | 113.90          | 794.65        | 8.67   | 803.48                           |
| January                  | 61.15              | 110.27      | 380.40     | 232.44 | 21.11             | 805.37           | 119.43          | 924.81        | 9.44   | 934.25                           |
| February                 | 69.88              | 125.59      | 413.27     | 266.93 | 24.24             | 899.90           | 132.92          | 1,032.82      | 12.30  | 1,045.13                         |
| March                    | 78.82              | 142.18      | 470.10     | 300.15 | 27.27             | 1,018.51         | 138.68          | 1,157.19      | 16.83  | 1,174.02                         |
| April                    | 86.71              | 158.22      | 545.05     | 334.98 | 30.36             | 1,155.32         | 178.54          | 1,333.86      | 18.94  | 1,352.79                         |
| May                      | 97.25              | 178.44      | 605.29     | 374.35 | 33.93             | 1,289.26         | 204.45          | 1,493.70      | 20.39  | 1,514.09                         |
| June                     | 107.70             | 196.59      | 685.39     | 413.19 | 37.35             | 1,440.21         | 204.46          | 1,644.67      | 30.35  | 1,675.02                         |
| <b>FY 2019/2020</b>      |                    |             |            |        |                   |                  |                 |               |        |                                  |
| July                     | 7.55               | 16.33       | 45.84      | 34.26  | 3.12              | 107.10           | 10.03           | 117.13        | 0.00   | 117.13                           |
| August                   | 16.18              | 31.62       | 95.22      | 68.88  | 6.99              | 218.90           | 18.45           | 237.35        | 2.92   | 240.27                           |
| September                | 25.73              | 49.72       | 180.72     | 105.78 | 9.50              | 371.45           | 49.71           | 421.16        | 2.80   | 423.96                           |
| October                  | 34.22              | 67.64       | 241.04     | 140.45 | 13.89             | 497.24           | 61.98           | 559.22        | 8.47   | 567.69                           |
| November                 | 42.86              | 85.84       | 285.28     | 178.10 | 18.48             | 610.56           | 122.66          | 733.21        | 9.62   | 742.83                           |
| December                 | 51.55              | 103.38      | 367.43     | 211.54 | 22.75             | 756.65           | 173.73          | 930.37        | 10.15  | 940.52                           |
| January                  | 61.78              | 123.64      | 416.73     | 245.67 | 26.72             | 874.54           | 186.96          | 1,061.50      | 13.54  | 1,075.03                         |
| February                 | 69.75              | 140.04      | 456.39     | 275.44 | 30.45             | 972.07           | 203.77          | 1,175.84      | 14.05  | 1,189.89                         |
| March                    | 76.93              | 159.49      | 519.71     | 305.66 | 34.45             | 1,096.25         | 235.95          | 1,332.19      | 13.58  | 1,345.77                         |
| April                    | 83.10              | 171.02      | 591.24     | 332.24 | 36.95             | 1,214.56         | 253.83          | 1,468.39      | 13.40  | 1,481.79                         |
| May                      | 89.25              | 182.08      | 638.96     | 354.43 | 39.53             | 1,304.26         | 279.17          | 1,583.43      | 18.16  | 1,601.59                         |
| June                     | 98.02              | 195.27      | 706.94     | 383.71 | 43.57             | 1,427.51         | 306.12          | 1,733.63      | 19.82  | 1,753.45                         |
| <b>FY 2020/2021*</b>     |                    |             |            |        |                   |                  |                 |               |        |                                  |
| July                     | 6.68               | 15.05       | 42.99      | 26.19  | 3.52              | 94.43            | 10.83           | 105.25        | -      | 105.25                           |
| August                   | 14.35              | 31.00       | 80.63      | 53.57  | 7.69              | 187.25           | 24.61           | 211.86        | 1.38   | 213.23                           |
| September                | 23.17              | 47.35       | 151.25     | 83.06  | 11.94             | 316.77           | 61.90           | 378.68        | 3.92   | 382.59                           |
| October                  | 32.07              | 64.45       | 198.21     | 114.14 | 16.42             | 425.29           | 80.02           | 505.31        | 4.40   | 509.72                           |
| November                 | 40.66              | 83.49       | 234.07     | 144.76 | 20.54             | 523.52           | 100.67          | 624.18        | 5.80   | 629.98                           |
| December                 | 51.80              | 102.78      | 309.24     | 179.07 | 25.80             | 668.69           | 141.86          | 810.55        | 8.50   | 819.05                           |
| January                  | 59.92              | 123.05      | 350.58     | 215.79 | 29.93             | 779.27           | 157.77          | 937.04        | 11.10  | 948.15                           |
| February                 | 69.45              | 144.35      | 398.37     | 253.26 | 34.92             | 900.35           | 179.21          | 1,079.56      | 13.96  | 1,093.53                         |
| March                    | 80.14              | 162.06      | 455.29     | 292.23 | 40.78             | 1,030.49         | 204.44          | 1,234.93      | 17.74  | 1,252.67                         |

<sup>1</sup> Figures are cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year in July.

\*Provisional

Source: The National Treasury



## GOVERNMENT BUDGETARY OPERATIONS

**Table 6.2 Composition of Government Expenditure (KSh Billion)**

| FISCAL YEAR\¹        | EXPENDITURE (COMMITMENT BASIS) |                  |                  |          |        |                             |                           |                 |                   |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------|--------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
|                      | RECURRENT EXPENDITURE          |                  |                  |          |        | i                           | ii                        | iii             | iv=i+ii+iii       |
|                      | Domestic Interest              | Foreign Interest | Wages & Salaries | Pensions | Other  | Total Recurrent Expenditure | Development Expenditure\² | County Transfer | Total Expenditure |
| <b>FY 2018/2019</b>  |                                |                  |                  |          |        |                             |                           |                 |                   |
| July                 | 17.31                          | 10.46            | 37.01            | 3.30     | 21.39  | 89.47                       | 2.20                      | 0.00            | 91.68             |
| August               | 34.00                          | 19.08            | 74.03            | 7.69     | 78.03  | 212.83                      | 36.08                     | 4.03            | 252.94            |
| September            | 61.12                          | 22.98            | 94.98            | 13.12    | 141.55 | 333.75                      | 83.55                     | 23.53           | 452.46            |
| October              | 82.89                          | 32.38            | 148.05           | 18.28    | 163.26 | 444.87                      | 130.30                    | 44.70           | 619.87            |
| November             | 105.51                         | 32.38            | 185.07           | 22.93    | 196.78 | 542.67                      | 234.87                    | 74.49           | 852.03            |
| December             | 131.53                         | 46.10            | 201.62           | 38.17    | 346.17 | 643.90                      | 311.88                    | 119.67          | 1,075.46          |
| January              | 146.77                         | 52.48            | 247.96           | 37.39    | 478.46 | 812.80                      | 303.28                    | 150.26          | 1,266.34          |
| February             | 165.63                         | 61.12            | 283.38           | 43.88    | 547.61 | 924.31                      | 364.47                    | 177.31          | 1,466.10          |
| March                | 193.34                         | 80.05            | 318.06           | 50.73    | 617.29 | 1,053.84                    | 384.92                    | 205.63          | 1,644.39          |
| April                | 220.09                         | 86.27            | 354.23           | 55.60    | 721.28 | 1,203.19                    | 419.13                    | 234.29          | 1,856.60          |
| May                  | 245.96                         | 90.45            | 389.65           | 60.24    | 542.75 | 1,329.05                    | 477.43                    | 263.35          | 2,069.82          |
| June                 | 264.83                         | 103.72           | 427.95           | 84.61    | 618.89 | 1,500.00                    | 529.20                    | 360.33          | 2,389.53          |
| <b>FY 2019/2020</b>  |                                |                  |                  |          |        |                             |                           |                 |                   |
| July                 | 28.75                          | 15.12            | 38.34            | 3.15     | 22.89  | 108.24                      | 4.73                      | 0.00            | 112.97            |
| August               | 50.37                          | 25.53            | 76.68            | 6.53     | 78.73  | 237.85                      | 17.04                     | 0.00            | 254.89            |
| September            | 76.25                          | 34.16            | 109.72           | 26.26    | 144.79 | 391.18                      | 95.90                     | 57.54           | 544.63            |
| October              | 97.81                          | 40.48            | 153.36           | 29.06    | 182.55 | 503.26                      | 129.88                    | 69.43           | 702.58            |
| November             | 126.43                         | 52.40            | 191.70           | 33.13    | 232.03 | 635.70                      | 183.62                    | 87.71           | 907.02            |
| December             | 147.16                         | 61.51            | 225.71           | 50.20    | 343.16 | 827.75                      | 268.15                    | 122.21          | 1,218.10          |
| January              | 171.47                         | 76.61            | 268.38           | 53.48    | 371.30 | 941.23                      | 335.16                    | 160.47          | 1,436.86          |
| February             | 195.97                         | 86.77            | 306.72           | 59.77    | 415.69 | 1,064.93                    | 360.57                    | 188.94          | 1,614.45          |
| March                | 223.27                         | 94.55            | 331.86           | 74.15    | 457.67 | 1,181.50                    | 471.96                    | 214.78          | 1,868.24          |
| April                | 255.06                         | 100.60           | 380.12           | 74.50    | 487.02 | 1,297.29                    | 426.55                    | 246.87          | 1,970.72          |
| May                  | 285.61                         | 112.45           | 421.74           | 76.25    | 549.38 | 1,445.43                    | 470.37                    | 263.09          | 2,178.90          |
| June                 | 315.36                         | 121.84           | 449.93           | 89.61    | 668.49 | 1,645.22                    | 594.94                    | 325.28          | 2,565.44          |
| <b>FY 2020/2021*</b> |                                |                  |                  |          |        |                             |                           |                 |                   |
| July                 | 27.70                          | 15.03            | 26.36            | 3.97     | 15.66  | 88.72                       | 4.58                      | 0.91            | 94.21             |
| August               | 56.78                          | 30.34            | 75.22            | 13.58    | 75.71  | 251.63                      | 54.22                     | 28.02           | 333.87            |
| September            | 81.17                          | 34.13            | 118.57           | 26.19    | 99.43  | 359.49                      | 122.06                    | 28.84           | 510.39            |
| October              | 115.68                         | 38.13            | 165.44           | 30.37    | 152.91 | 502.54                      | 137.31                    | 81.90           | 721.74            |
| November             | 154.62                         | 51.71            | 206.81           | 32.16    | 192.50 | 637.79                      | 185.61                    | 108.04          | 931.44            |
| December             | 186.75                         | 61.06            | 238.21           | 53.82    | 283.54 | 823.38                      | 262.78                    | 128.69          | 1,214.84          |
| January              | 218.19                         | 62.84            | 289.53           | 49.69    | 315.66 | 935.90                      | 246.80                    | 164.40          | 1,347.10          |
| February             | 255.86                         | 70.26            | 330.89           | 55.41    | 352.31 | 1,064.73                    | 275.52                    | 186.87          | 1,527.12          |
| March                | 286.11                         | 80.18            | 363.90           | 62.01    | 416.33 | 1,208.53                    | 315.32                    | 209.87          | 1,733.72          |

\¹ Figures are cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year in July.

\²Includes Equalization fund

\*Provisional

**Source: The National Treasury**

## GOVERNMENT BUDGETARY OPERATIONS

**Table 6.3: Government Deficit Financing<sup>\1</sup> (KSh Billion)**

| FISCAL YEAR          | GOVERNMENT DEFICIT FINANCING |                       |                 |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
|                      | i                            | ii                    | iii=i+ii        |
|                      | Domestic <sup>\2</sup>       | Foreign <sup>\3</sup> | Total Financing |
| <b>FY 2018/2019</b>  |                              |                       |                 |
| July                 | 28.27                        | -1.48                 | 26.78           |
| August               | 61.85                        | 17.64                 | 79.48           |
| September            | 69.21                        | 16.83                 | 86.04           |
| October              | 133.37                       | 32.97                 | 166.34          |
| November             | 139.44                       | 101.97                | 241.41          |
| December             | 131.79                       | 144.45                | 276.24          |
| January              | 204.57                       | 154.81                | 359.38          |
| February             | 232.56                       | 165.09                | 397.65          |
| March                | 329.60                       | 178.91                | 508.51          |
| April                | 318.73                       | 191.06                | 509.79          |
| May                  | 170.81                       | 400.55                | 571.35          |
| June                 | 301.69                       | 405.01                | 706.69          |
| <b>FY 2019/2020</b>  |                              |                       |                 |
| July                 | 1.67                         | -2.68                 | -1.01           |
| August               | 42.93                        | 0.03                  | 42.96           |
| September            | 80.77                        | 13.15                 | 93.92           |
| October              | 124.04                       | 13.25                 | 137.29          |
| November             | 106.22                       | 37.26                 | 143.48          |
| December             | 172.49                       | 80.67                 | 253.16          |
| January              | 286.88                       | 80.48                 | 367.37          |
| February             | 314.50                       | 86.99                 | 401.49          |
| March                | 369.59                       | 98.35                 | 467.94          |
| April                | 340.72                       | 94.94                 | 435.66          |
| May                  | 338.72                       | 248.45                | 587.17          |
| June                 | 450.37                       | 340.80                | 791.18          |
| <b>FY 2020/2021*</b> |                              |                       |                 |
| July                 | 40.08                        | -20.04                | 20.04           |
| August               | 135.17                       | -19.03                | 116.14          |
| September            | 152.40                       | -22.64                | 129.77          |
| October              | 236.15                       | -27.49                | 208.66          |
| November             | 314.86                       | 0.50                  | 315.35          |
| December             | 344.99                       | 14.53                 | 359.52          |
| January              | 371.67                       | 19.05                 | 390.72          |
| February             | 429.77                       | 17.37                 | 447.14          |
| March                | 465.52                       | 25.45                 | 490.97          |

<sup>\1</sup> Figures are cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year in July.

<sup>\2</sup> Domestic financing is net of Central government deposits at the Central Bank.

<sup>\3</sup> Includes public and publicly guaranteed foreign currency loan inflows.

\*Provisional

**Source: The National Treasury and Central Bank of Kenya**

## 7. PUBLIC DEBT

**Table 7.1: Stock of Kenya's Public and Publicly Guaranteed Debt (KSh Billion)**

|                        | Mar-20          | Apr-20          | May-20          | Jun-20          | Jul-20          | Aug-20          | Sept-20         | Oct-20          | Nov-20          | Dec-20          | Jan-21          | Feb-20          | Mar-21          |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>EXTERNAL DEBT</b>   |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Bilateral              | 1,075.9         | 1,070.1         | 1,090.2         | 1,074.3         | 1,086.4         | 1,101.8         | 1,102.9         | 1,125.7         | 1,143.6         | 1,157.0         | 1,163.8         | 1,159.5         | 1,142.7         |
| Multilateral           | 1,060.61        | 1,114.36        | 1,272.40        | 1,321.63        | 1,410.66        | 1,423.20        | 1,421.84        | 1,443.65        | 1,484.57        | 1,498.84        | 1,511.61        | 1,516.65        | 1,495.61        |
| Commercial Banks       | 1,058.80        | 1,115.13        | 1,116.09        | 1,102.29        | 1,123.61        | 1,123.39        | 1,120.80        | 1,118.26        | 1,125.47        | 1,119.39        | 1,126.01        | 1,119.95        | 1,113.42        |
| Export Credit          | 17.33           | 17.76           | 17.70           | 17.63           | 17.83           | 17.91           | 17.96           | 18.01           | 18.22           | 18.07           | 18.23           | 18.17           | 18.13           |
| <b>Sub-Total</b>       | <b>3,212.63</b> | <b>3,317.33</b> | <b>3,496.43</b> | <b>3,515.81</b> | <b>3,638.51</b> | <b>3,666.32</b> | <b>3,663.49</b> | <b>3,705.64</b> | <b>3,771.81</b> | <b>3,793.29</b> | <b>3,819.70</b> | <b>3,814.29</b> | <b>3,769.87</b> |
| (As a % of total debt) | 51.13           | 51.54           | 52.58           | 52.53           | 52.64           | 51.87           | 51.45           | 51.73           | 51.99           | 52.09           | 51.95           | 51.93           | 51.36           |
| <b>DOMESTIC DEBT</b>   |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| <b>Banks</b>           | <b>1,677.03</b> | <b>1,713.89</b> | <b>1,726.00</b> | <b>1,751.52</b> | <b>1,801.91</b> | <b>1,878.63</b> | <b>1,915.40</b> | <b>1,899.05</b> | <b>1,894.71</b> | <b>1,867.93</b> | <b>1,892.57</b> | <b>1,896.80</b> | <b>1,876.58</b> |
| Central Bank           | 106.43          | 106.84          | 101.85          | 98.32           | 51.15           | 94.54           | 107.36          | 114.70          | 103.86          | 98.74           | 106.42          | 105.99          | 99.87           |
| Commercial Banks       | 1,570.59        | 1,607.05        | 1,624.15        | 1,653.19        | 1,750.76        | 1,784.09        | 1,808.04        | 1,784.35        | 1,790.85        | 1,769.19        | 1,786.15        | 1,790.81        | 1,776.71        |
| <b>Non-banks</b>       | <b>1,361.59</b> | <b>1,372.10</b> | <b>1,394.47</b> | <b>1,393.20</b> | <b>1,437.79</b> | <b>1,489.90</b> | <b>1,507.59</b> | <b>1,524.55</b> | <b>1,554.12</b> | <b>1,586.77</b> | <b>1,606.06</b> | <b>1,599.94</b> | <b>1,661.57</b> |
| Pension Funds          | 891.43          | 905.92          | 929.60          | 923.09          | 958.44          | 996.90          | 986.16          | 993.97          | 1,031.84        | 1,057.69        | 1,071.73        | 1,055.14        | 1,087.47        |
| Insurance Companies    | 193.56          | 193.99          | 192.68          | 192.22          | 202.52          | 207.65          | 212.83          | 217.84          | 219.36          | 224.61          | 226.04          | 228.92          | 234.54          |
| Other Non-bank Sources | 276.59          | 272.19          | 272.19          | 277.88          | 276.83          | 285.36          | 308.60          | 312.74          | 302.93          | 304.47          | 308.30          | 315.88          | 339.56          |
| <b>Non-residents</b>   | <b>31.57</b>    | <b>33.42</b>    | <b>32.68</b>    | <b>33.15</b>    | <b>33.85</b>    | <b>33.97</b>    | <b>34.12</b>    | <b>34.05</b>    | <b>33.82</b>    | <b>33.84</b>    | <b>33.93</b>    | <b>34.44</b>    | <b>31.69</b>    |
| <b>Sub-Total</b>       | <b>3,070.19</b> | <b>3,119.42</b> | <b>3,153.14</b> | <b>3,177.87</b> | <b>3,273.55</b> | <b>3,402.50</b> | <b>3,457.11</b> | <b>3,457.64</b> | <b>3,482.65</b> | <b>3,488.54</b> | <b>3,532.56</b> | <b>3,531.18</b> | <b>3,569.84</b> |
| (As a % of total debt) | 48.87           | 48.46           | 47.42           | 47.48           | 47.36           | 48.13           | 48.55           | 48.27           | 48.01           | 47.91           | 48.05           | 48.07           | 48.64           |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>     | <b>6,282.82</b> | <b>6,436.75</b> | <b>6,649.57</b> | <b>6,693.68</b> | <b>6,912.06</b> | <b>7,068.82</b> | <b>7,120.60</b> | <b>7,163.29</b> | <b>7,254.46</b> | <b>7,281.83</b> | <b>7,352.26</b> | <b>7,345.47</b> | <b>7,339.71</b> |

Source: The National Treasury and Central Bank of Kenya

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**Table 7.2: Composition of Government Gross Domestic Debt by Instrument (KSh Billion)**

|                                                                 | Mar-20  | Apr-20  | May-20  | Jun-20  | Jul-20  | Aug-20  | Sep-20  | Oct-20  | Nov-20  | Dec-20  | Jan-21  | Feb-21  | Mar-21  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Treasury Bills <sup>\1</sup>                                    | 921.7   | 909.8   | 918.8   | 907.7   | 970.6   | 936.2   | 914.7   | 878.6   | 884.2   | 875.7   | 805.4   | 767.4   | 781.3   |
| Treasury Bonds                                                  | 2,090.3 | 2,149.7 | 2,179.5 | 2,220.3 | 2,297.8 | 2,418.3 | 2,482.2 | 2,511.3 | 2,541.5 | 2,561.3 | 2,667.0 | 2,703.6 | 2,734.5 |
| Overdraft at Central Bank                                       | 54.2    | 54.6    | 50.1    | 47.1    | -       | 43.4    | 56.2    | 63.5    | 52.7    | 47.6    | 55.3    | 55.4    | 49.3    |
| Advances from Commercial Banks                                  | 2.8     | 4.0     | 3.5     | 2.0     | 3.8     | 3.3     | 2.7     | 2.9     | 3.0     | 2.7     | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.6     |
| Other Domestic Debt <sup>\2</sup> ( TRCs and uncleared effects) | 1.2     | 1.2     | 1.2     | 0.7     | 1.3     | 1.2     | 1.3     | 1.3     | 1.3     | 1.2     | 1.2     | 1.2     | 1.2     |
| Total Domestic Debt <sup>\3</sup>                               | 3,070.2 | 3,119.4 | 3,153.1 | 3,177.9 | 3,273.6 | 3,402.5 | 3,457.1 | 3,457.6 | 3,482.7 | 3,488.5 | 3,532.6 | 3,531.2 | 3,569.8 |

<sup>\1</sup>The stock of Treasury bills includes Repo Treasury bills.

<sup>\2</sup> Other domestic debt includes Items in transit, securities re-discounted and Tax Reserve Certificates (TRCs) .

<sup>\3</sup> Gross domestic debt excludes IMF funds on-lent by CBK to Government, which are accounted for under External Debt.

**Source: Central Bank of Kenya**

## 8. CAPITAL MARKETS INDICATORS

**Table 8.1: Selected Equity Market Indicators**

| INDICATOR                            | Mar-20    | Apr-20    | May-20    | Jun-20    | Jul-20    | Aug-20    | Sep-20    | Oct-20   | Nov-20    | Dec-20    | Jan-21   | Feb-21    | Mar-21    |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| NASI (2008=100) Points               | 131.92    | 139.69    | 137.13    | 137.68    | 133.23    | 139.68    | 139.89    | 140.04   | 145.20    | 152.11    | 155.59   | 165.39    | 158.62    |
| NSE 25 Share Index                   | 3,109.00  | 3292.64   | 3203.94   | 3217.11   | 3059.56   | 3223.79   | 3258.78   | 3170.87  | 3264.15   | 3415.24   | 3434.52  | 3624.96   | 3,531.58  |
| NSE 20 Share Index (1966=100) Points | 1966.12   | 1958.07   | 1948.08   | 1942.12   | 1804.1    | 1794.85   | 1852.29   | 1783.68  | 1759.93   | 1868.39   | 1881.91  | 1915.68   | 1,846.41  |
| Number of Shares Traded (Million)    | 639.33    | 439.03    | 430.26    | 552.55    | 517.07    | 470.56    | 524.53    | 219.42   | 381.00    | 369.13    | 294.00   | 330.68    | 373.00    |
| Equities Turnover (KSh Million)      | 19,092.00 | 12,659.61 | 14,573.20 | 12,301.61 | 13,469.60 | 10,543.37 | 13,923.59 | 5,880.91 | 11,393.00 | 10,236.93 | 8,851.56 | 10,819.73 | 12,064.00 |
| Market Capitalization (KSh Billion)  | 2,016.06  | 2,135.01  | 2,095.92  | 2,105.36  | 2,036.04  | 2,144.43  | 2,147.74  | 2,150.06 | 2,229.00  | 2,336.70  | 2,390.29 | 2,541.16  | 2,437.00  |

NASI - Nairobi all share index.

NSE 25 Share Index - Weighted Price Index calculated as a mean of the shares of 25 public listed companies, selected based on a weighted market performance.

NSE 20 Share Index - Weighted Price Index calculated as a mean of the shares of 20 public, listed companies, selected based on a weighted market performance.

**Source: Nairobi Securities Exchange**

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Table 8.2: Selected Bond Market Indicators

| Period<br>(Month) | Secondary Market                              |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               | End Month<br>Govt Bonds<br>Turnover Ratio<br>(Percent) | Primary Market                                                                      |                           |                                   |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                   | FTSE<br>NSE Ken-<br>ya Govt.<br>Bond<br>Index | Bond Vol-<br>ume (KSh<br>Million) | Number<br>of Deals | 7-Year<br>Euro-<br>bond<br>Yield (%) | 10-Year<br>Euro-<br>bond<br>Yield (%) | 10-Year<br>Euro-<br>bond<br>(2028)<br>Yield (%) | 12-Year<br>Euro-<br>bond<br>Yield (%) | 30-Year<br>Euro-<br>bond<br>Yield (%) | Most Traded   |                                                        | Bond                                                                                | Offer<br>(KSh<br>Million) | Subscription<br>Rate<br>(Percent) |
| 2019              |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        |                                                                                     |                           |                                   |
| August            | 98.34                                         | 44,224.31                         | 754                | 6.14                                 | 5.21                                  | 6.55                                            | 7.29                                  | 7.97                                  | FXD3/2019/015 | 2.46                                                   | FXD 3/2019/10 & FXD1/2019/20                                                        | 50,000                    | 134.88                            |
| September         | 98.30                                         | 49,549.84                         | 730                | 6.41                                 | 5.56                                  | 6.72                                            | 7.43                                  | 8.08                                  | FXD3/2019/010 | 2.71                                                   | FXD1/2018/15 & FXD2/2019/15                                                         | 50,000                    | 65.25                             |
| October           | 98.24                                         | 36,811.71                         | 588                | 6.22                                 | 5.37                                  | 6.40                                            | 7.16                                  | 7.83                                  | IFB1/2019/016 | 1.93                                                   | IFB1/2019/16                                                                        | 60,000                    | 144.91                            |
| November          | 98.00                                         | 51,416.36                         | 1181               | 6.28                                 | 5.37                                  | 6.65                                            | 7.44                                  | 8.14                                  | IFB1/2019/016 | 1.47                                                   | FXD4/2019/10                                                                        | 50,000                    | 76.75                             |
|                   |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        | FXD4/2019/10 (Tap Sale)                                                             | 21,650                    | 12.28                             |
| December          | 97.50                                         | 18,229.79                         | 532                | 5.60                                 | 4.84                                  | 5.90                                            | 6.88                                  | 7.65                                  | FXD3/2019/015 | 1.46                                                   | FXD3/2019/5                                                                         | 25,000                    | 113.87                            |
|                   |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        | FXD3/2019/6 (Tap Sale)                                                              | 9,720                     | 11.49                             |
| 2020              |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        |                                                                                     |                           |                                   |
| January           | 97.21                                         | 38,900.33                         | 712                | 5.65                                 | 4.74                                  | 6.01                                            | 6.89                                  | 7.59                                  | IFB1/2019/016 | 1.89                                                   | FXD1/2019/5 & FXD1/2019/10                                                          | 50,000                    | 139.88                            |
| February          | 97.00                                         | 50,349.99                         | 948                | 6.01                                 | 5.10                                  | 6.23                                            | 6.94                                  | 7.65                                  | IFB1/2019/016 | 2.44                                                   | FXD1/2020/15 & FXD1/2018/25                                                         | 50,000                    | 84.99                             |
| March             | 96.40                                         | 68,734.89                         | 1,222              | 8.78                                 | 8.26                                  | 8.57                                            | 9.08                                  | 9.03                                  | FXD1/2019/010 | 3.30                                                   | FXD1/2018/20 & FXD1/2018/25                                                         | 50,000                    | 70.31                             |
| April             | 96.69                                         | 30,549.27                         | 647                | 9.27                                 | 9.67                                  | 9.23                                            | 9.66                                  | 9.52                                  | FXD1/2018/025 | 1.46                                                   | IFB1/2020/9 & IFB1/2020/9<br>(Tap Sale)                                             | 81,000                    | 114.02                            |
| May               | 96.80                                         | 47,152.10                         | 1,004              | 8.12                                 | 8.05                                  | 8.18                                            | 8.76                                  | 8.88                                  | IFB1/2020/009 | 2.17                                                   | FXD1/2020/5 (Re-open) &<br>FXD1/2020/5                                              | 29,735                    | 68.83                             |
| June              | 96.65                                         | 58,949.92                         | 1,376              | 7.30                                 | 6.48                                  | 7.51                                            | 8.21                                  | 8.41                                  | IFB1/2020/009 | 2.45                                                   | FXD3/2019/5 & FXD4/2019/10                                                          | 40,000                    | 262.84                            |
|                   |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        | IFB1/2020/6                                                                         | 25,600                    | 82.67                             |
| July              | 97.65                                         | 69,993.89                         | 1,073              | 7.37                                 | 6.39                                  | 7.49                                            | 8.19                                  | 8.45                                  | IFB1/2020/009 | 3.27                                                   | FXD1/2020/5&FX-<br>D2/2018/10&FXD1/2019/5                                           | 60,000                    | 302.95                            |
| August            | 97.67                                         | 70,462.01                         | 1,203              | 6.95                                 | 6.02                                  | 7.08                                            | 7.63                                  | 8.20                                  | IFB1/2020/011 | 2.91                                                   | FXD2/2018/20 (Tap Sale)<br>&IFXB1/2020/11                                           | 110,000                   | 144.96                            |
| September         | 97.69                                         | 87,406.25                         | 1,882              | 7.44                                 | 6.37                                  | 7.49                                            | 8.19                                  | 8.67                                  | IFB1/2020/011 | 3.53                                                   | FXD2/2010/15&FX-<br>D1/2020/15&FXD1/2011/20                                         | 50,000                    | 163.35                            |
| October           | 98.01                                         | 62,672.73                         | 1,356              | 6.19                                 | 5.12                                  | 6.62                                            | 7.34                                  | 8.16                                  | IFB1/2020/011 | 2.50                                                   | FXD1/2011/20&FXD1/2018/25                                                           | 50,000                    | 138.27                            |
| November          | 98.00                                         | 48,524.72                         | 1,222              | 5.21                                 | 4.42                                  | 5.61                                            | 6.16                                  | 7.24                                  | IFB1/2020/011 | 1.91                                                   | FXD1/2018/25 (Tap Sale),<br>FXD2/2013/15 & FXD1/2018/20<br>(Re-open)                | 60,000                    | 106.57                            |
| December          | 98.24                                         | 45,520.00                         | 1,459              | 4.86                                 | 4.03                                  | 5.24                                            | 5.90                                  | 7.06                                  | FXD1/2018/025 | 2.26                                                   | FXD1/2012/15 & FXD2/2019/15<br>(Tap Sale), FXD1/2012/15 &<br>FXD2/2019/15 (Re-open) | 62,000                    | 55.40                             |
| 2021              |                                               |                                   |                    |                                      |                                       |                                                 |                                       |                                       |               |                                                        |                                                                                     |                           |                                   |
| January           | 97.90                                         | 54,414.45                         | 2,070              | 4.78                                 | 3.60                                  | 5.26                                            | 6.04                                  | 7.16                                  | IFB1/2021/016 | 2.04                                                   | FXD1/2021/002 &<br>IFB1/2021/16                                                     | 75,000                    | 248.83                            |
| February          | 97.34                                         | 77,395.00                         | 2,124              | 4.63                                 | 3.21                                  | 5.32                                            | 6.27                                  | 7.27                                  | IFB1/2021/016 | 2.92                                                   | FXD1/2013/15 & FXD1/2012/20<br>(Re-open)                                            | 50,000                    | 62.42                             |
| March             | 97.04                                         | 67,569.02                         | 1,658              | 5.60                                 | 3.56                                  | 6.28                                            | 7.12                                  | 7.98                                  | IFB1/2021/016 | 2.51                                                   | FXD1/2019/10 & FXD2/2018/20<br>(Re-open)                                            | 50,000                    | 97.41                             |

Reopened Bond - Issued and outstanding bond re-offered to the primary market at the current market yields

Bonds Turnover (Percent) - Volume of bonds traded as a ratio of the total outstanding volume of tradeable bonds

Tap Sale - Issued at their original face value, maturity and coupon rate, and sold at the weighted average yield in the last auction of the same bond

Source: Nairobi Securities Exchange and Central Bank of Kenya

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**Table 8.3: Foreign Investors Participation (KSh Millions)**

| Period (Month) | A<br>Foreign Purchases (FP) | B<br>Foreign Sales (FS) | C<br>Equity Market Turnover (ET) | D=A/C<br>FP to ET in Percent | E=B/C<br>FS to ET in Percent | F=(D+E)/2<br>Average Foreign Participation to Equity Turnover in Percent |
|----------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>2018</b>    |                             |                         |                                  |                              |                              |                                                                          |
| April          | 8,673                       | 10,488                  | 15,076                           | 57.53                        | 69.57                        | 63.55                                                                    |
| May            | 7,700                       | 11,722                  | 18,377                           | 41.90                        | 63.79                        | 52.84                                                                    |
| June           | 8,244                       | 10,583                  | 13,688                           | 60.23                        | 77.32                        | 68.77                                                                    |
| July           | 5,535                       | 7,646                   | 9,736                            | 56.85                        | 78.53                        | 67.69                                                                    |
| August         | 5,571                       | 7,136                   | 10,243                           | 54.39                        | 69.67                        | 62.03                                                                    |
| September      | 6,229                       | 9,258                   | 11,950                           | 52.13                        | 77.47                        | 64.80                                                                    |
| October        | 10,547                      | 14,834                  | 16,890                           | 62.45                        | 87.83                        | 75.14                                                                    |
| November       | 7,900                       | 8,499                   | 10,713                           | 73.74                        | 79.33                        | 76.54                                                                    |
| December       | 4,876                       | 6,661                   | 7,830                            | 62.27                        | 85.07                        | 73.67                                                                    |
| <b>2019</b>    |                             |                         |                                  |                              |                              |                                                                          |
| January        | 12,532                      | 13,889                  | 16,200                           | 77.36                        | 85.73                        | 81.55                                                                    |
| February       | 10,366                      | 10,150                  | 14,173                           | 73.14                        | 71.62                        | 72.38                                                                    |
| March          | 12,141                      | 10,399                  | 15,917                           | 76.28                        | 65.33                        | 70.81                                                                    |
| April          | 7,524                       | 7,431                   | 9,865                            | 76.27                        | 75.33                        | 75.80                                                                    |
| May            | 9,008                       | 6,843                   | 12,494                           | 72.10                        | 54.77                        | 63.43                                                                    |
| June           | 7,364                       | 8,265                   | 10,538                           | 69.88                        | 78.42                        | 74.15                                                                    |
| July           | 6,625                       | 8,698                   | 11,453                           | 57.84                        | 75.94                        | 66.89                                                                    |
| August         | 6,146                       | 4,637                   | 8,652                            | 71.03                        | 53.59                        | 62.31                                                                    |
| September      | 7,345                       | 6,518                   | 10,558                           | 69.57                        | 61.74                        | 65.65                                                                    |
| October        | 9,618                       | 10,979                  | 16,019                           | 60.04                        | 68.54                        | 64.50                                                                    |
| November       | 9,162                       | 9,891                   | 17,021                           | 53.82                        | 58.11                        | 55.97                                                                    |
| December       | 8,835                       | 7,588                   | 11,966                           | 73.84                        | 63.42                        | 68.63                                                                    |
| <b>2020</b>    |                             |                         |                                  |                              |                              |                                                                          |
| January        | 7,741                       | 7,211                   | 12,336                           | 62.75                        | 58.46                        | 60.60                                                                    |
| February       | 6,376                       | 9,031                   | 12,265                           | 51.98                        | 73.63                        | 62.81                                                                    |
| March          | 6,929                       | 15,987                  | 19,092                           | 36.29                        | 83.73                        | 60.01                                                                    |
| April          | 6,174                       | 10,272                  | 12,660                           | 48.77                        | 81.14                        | 64.96                                                                    |
| May            | 7,297                       | 11,759                  | 14,573                           | 50.07                        | 80.69                        | 65.38                                                                    |
| June           | 6,958                       | 8,648                   | 12,302                           | 56.56                        | 70.30                        | 63.43                                                                    |
| July           | 5,496                       | 10,835                  | 13,470                           | 40.80                        | 80.44                        | 60.62                                                                    |
| August         | 6,873                       | 6,863                   | 10,543                           | 65.19                        | 65.09                        | 65.14                                                                    |
| September      | 10,921                      | 10,119                  | 13,924                           | 78.43                        | 72.67                        | 75.55                                                                    |
| October        | 3,444                       | 4,573                   | 5,881                            | 58.57                        | 77.76                        | 68.16                                                                    |
| November       | 7,150                       | 8,336                   | 11,393                           | 62.76                        | 73.17                        | 67.97                                                                    |
| December       | 6,149                       | 6,503                   | 10,237                           | 60.07                        | 63.52                        | 61.79                                                                    |
| <b>2021</b>    |                             |                         |                                  |                              |                              |                                                                          |
| January        | 5,869                       | 5,248                   | 8,852                            | 66.30                        | 59.29                        | 62.79                                                                    |
| February       | 6,394                       | 7,015                   | 10,820                           | 59.10                        | 64.83                        | 61.96                                                                    |
| March          | 6,313                       | 7,288                   | 12,064                           | 52.33                        | 60.41                        | 56.37                                                                    |

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