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GENERAL ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL OUTLOOK

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| | Annual Profile | | | | | Quarterly Profile | | | |
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| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10* ^{1/} | Oct-Dec 2009* # | Apr-Jun 2010* | Jul-Sep 2010* | Oct-Dec 2010* |
| A. Real Sector (Current Prices) | | | | | | | | | |
| GDP at market prices (LE Million) | 617,700 | 744,800 | 895,500 | 1,042,200 | 1,206,700 | 293,400 | 309,700 | 364,300 | 341,100 |
| GDP at market prices (US\$ Million) | 107,486 | 130,473 | 162,688 | 189,094 | 218,907 | 53,613 | 55,370 | 64,074 | 59,344 |
| GDP at factor cost (LE Million) | 581,144 | 710,388 | 855,302 | 994,055 | 1,150,620 | 280,871 | 294,394 | 348,915 | 327,128 |
| GDP at factor cost (US\$ Million) | 101,125 | 124,444 | 155,385 | 180,359 | 208,734 | 51,323 | 52,633 | 61,368 | 56,913 |
| GDP Per Capita (EGP) | 8,658 | 10,211 | 12,030 | 13,702 | 15,530 | 15,104 | 15,943 | 18,736 | -- |
| GDP Per Capita (USD) | 1,507 | 1,789 | 2,186 | 2,486 | 2,817 | 2,760 | 2,850 | 3,295 | -- |
| B. Real Sector Indicators and Sources of Growth ^{2/} | | | | | | | | | |
| (% Change) | | | | | | | | | |
| Real GDP at market prices ^{3/} | 6.8 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 4.7 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 5.6 |
| Real GDP at factor cost ^{3/} | 6.9 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 4.7 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 5.7 |
| Commodity Sector | 8.1 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 4.8 |
| Production Services | 6.6 | 9.5 | 10.7 | 3.7 | 6.7 | 5.4 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 7.5 |
| Social Services | 3.8 | 4.3 | 3.5 | 5.8 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 4.6 | 4.7 |
| Investments ^{4/ , 5/} | 13.3 | 23.8 | 15.5 | -9.1 | 4.2 | -4.8 | 14.9 | 10.1 | 5.0 |
| Consumption ^{4/} | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 3.2 | 8.4 | 3.5 | 5.2 |
| Private | 6.4 | 6.9 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 3.2 | 8.9 | 3.5 | 5.4 |
| Public | 3.1 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 5.6 | 4.5 | 3.2 | 5.7 | 3.3 | 4.0 |
| Exports of Goods and Services ^{4/} | 21.3 | 23.3 | 28.8 | -14.5 | -3.0 | 0.8 | -7.0 | 13.4 | 11.7 |
| Real GDP Per Capita | 4.8 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 3.1 | -- |
| Domestic Savings ^{6/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Annual nominal growth rate | 24.9 | 14.7 | 24.1 | -13.0 | 30.1 | 60.1 | -- | 59.1 | 11.3 |
| Percent of GDP | 17.1 | 16.3 | 16.8 | 12.6 | 14.1 | 16.0 | 14.4 | 12.1 | 15.3 |
| Domestic Investments ^{5/ , 6/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Annual nominal growth rate | 19.5 | 34.2 | 29.1 | -0.2 | 14.0 | 5.2 | 34.4 | 23.7 | 13.5 |
| Percent of GDP | 18.7 | 20.9 | 22.4 | 19.2 | 18.9 | 19.3 | 19.7 | 15.5 | 18.8 |

Source: Ministry of Economic Development.

* Preliminary, subject to change.

-- Data is unavailable, subject to revision by Ministry of Economic Development.

Revised in light of recent data from Ministry of Economic Development.

1/ It is noteworthy to mention that the Ministry of Economic Development is currently revising GDP data for FY 2009/2010 on a quarterly basis.

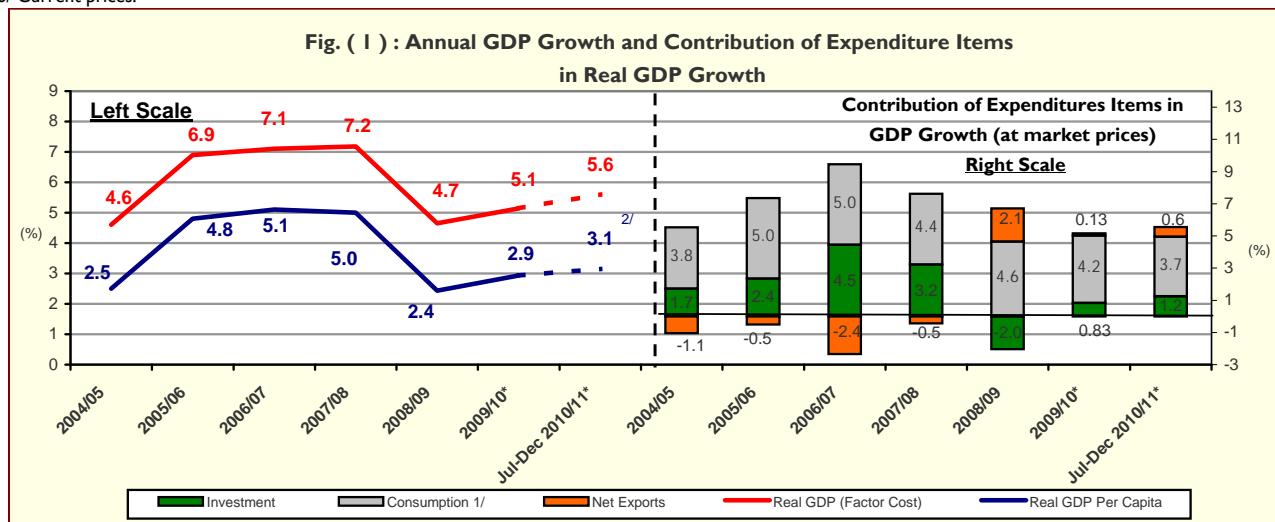
2/ Real percent change is calculated using constant prices for 2001/2002, however, starting 2007/08 growth rates are calculated using constant prices for 2006/07.

3/ Includes petroleum and natural gas activities.

4/ Includes Net Indirect Taxes.

5/ Gross Capital Formation. Includes change in inventory.

6/ Current prices.



Source : Ministry of Economic Development.

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1/ Includes both public and private consumption.

2/ Reflects the period July-September 2010/2011.

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| | Annual Profile | | | | | Quarterly Profile | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | Oct-Dec 2009 | Apr-Jun 2010 | Jul-Sep 2010 | Oct-Dec 2010 |
| C. Population | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Population (Millions) ^{1/} | 72.0 | 73.6 | 75.2 | 76.8 | 79.0 | 77.7 | 79.0 | 79.4 | 80.4 |
| Population Growth | 1.8 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 2.8 | -- | 2.8 |
| D. Domestic Prices (Period Average) | | | | | | | | | |
| Consumer Price Inflation in urban areas ^{2/} | 4.2 | 11.0 | 11.7 | 16.2 | 11.7 | 13.3 | 10.8 | -- | 10.5 |
| Producer Price Inflation ^{3/} | 4.1 | 11.8 ^{1/} | 17.7 | 2.5 | 5.0 | 7.7 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 14.4 [#] |
| Discount Rate ^{4/} | 9.0 | 9.0 | 10.0 | 9.0 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.5 |
| T-bills Rate (91 days) | 8.8 | 8.7 | 7.0 | 11.3 | 9.9 | 9.9 | 10.0 | 9.8 | 9.0 |
| 3-Months Deposits ^{4/} | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 6.4 | 6.6 |
| Overnight Interbank Rate ^{5/} | 8.6 | 8.8 | 10.3 | 9.5 | 8.3 | 8.27 | 8.27 | 8.26 | 8.26 |
| Exchange Rate (LE /Dollars) | 5.75 | 5.71 | 5.50 | 5.51 | 5.51 | 5.46 | 5.59 | 5.69 | 5.75 |

Sources: Ministry of Economic Development, Central Bank of Egypt and CAPMAS.

^{1/} Series break. Prior to 2007/2008, series reflects WPI indicators.

[#] Revised.

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1/ Excludes Egyptians living abroad.

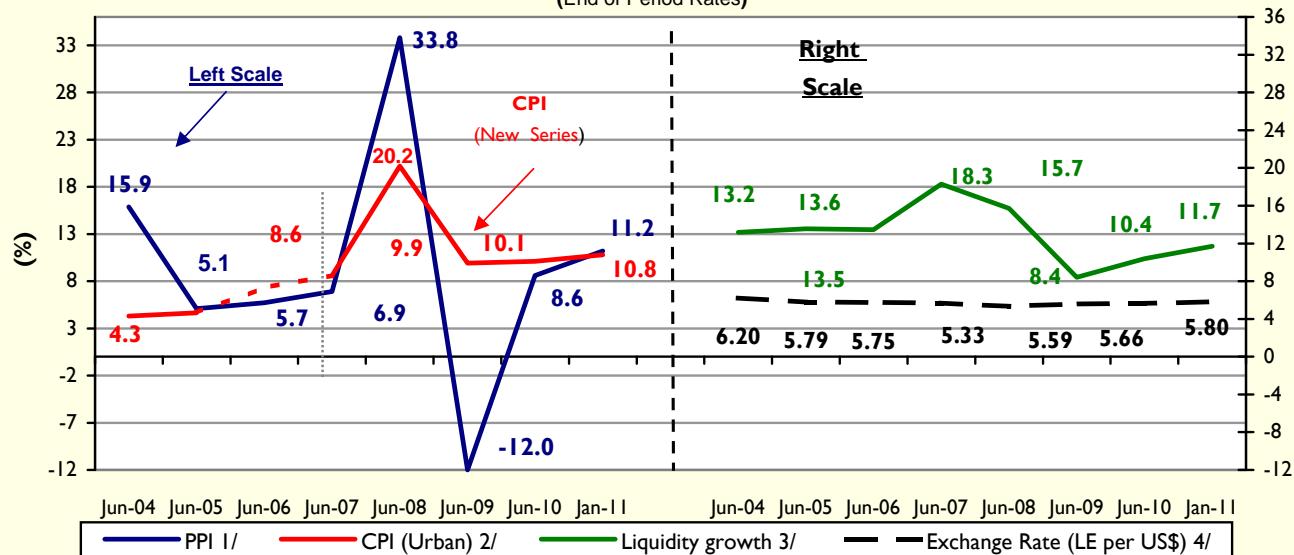
2/ Starting August 2009, CPI Urban data is based on the weights derived from 2008/2009 income and expenditure survey, and using January 2010 as a base month. Prior to this date, the basket and weights were derived from 2004/2005 income and expenditure survey taking January 2007 as a base month.

3/ The new series of Producer Price Index was issued by CAPMAS started September 2007 in replacement of the Wholesale Price Index, using 2004/2005 prices of goods and services as a base period, and deriving sub-group weights from average values of agricultural, industrial and services production for the years 2002/2003 and 2003/2004.

4/ End of period rate.

5/ Calendar Year averages.

Fig (2): Domestic Inflation and Contributing Factors
(End of Period Rates)



Sources: Central Bank of Egypt and CAPMAS.

^{1/} Series break. Prior to June 2007, series reflects WPI indicators.

2/ Starting August 2009, CPI Urban data is based on the weights derived from 2008/2009 income and expenditure survey, and using January 2010 as a base month. Prior to this date, the basket and weights were derived from 2004/2005 income and expenditure survey taking January 2007 as a base month.

3/ Total Liquidity (M2) is defined from assets side as net foreign assets + net domestic assets of banking system. From liabilities side, it includes money (M1) and quasi money.

4/ Monthly average exchange rate.

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| | 2005/06 Actual | 2006/07 Actual | 2007/08 Actual | 2008/09 Actual | 2009/10 * Preliminary Actual | 2010/11 ^{1/} Budget | Jul-Feb 2010/11 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| E. Fiscal Sector^{2/} | | | | | | | |
| i. Budget Sector (LE Millions)^{3/} | | | | | | | |
| Total Revenues | 151,266 | 180,215 | 221,404 | 282,505 | 268,114 | 285,810 | 128,085 |
| Total Expenditure | 207,810 | 222,029 | 282,290 | 351,500 | 365,987 | 403,168 | 211,740 |
| Primary Deficit^{4/} | 13,570 | 6,998 | 10,594 | 19,016 | 25,705 | 17,933 | 33,033 |
| Cash Deficit^{5/} | 56,544 | 41,815 | 60,886 | 68,995 | 97,872 | 117,358 | 83,655 |
| Overall Deficit | 50,385 | 54,697 | 61,122 | 71,826 | 98,038 | 109,076 | 82,286 |
| ii. Budget Sector^{3/} (% change) | | | | | | | |
| Total Revenues | 36.4 | 19.1 | 22.9 | 27.6 | -5.1 | 2.3 | 5.2 |
| Tax Revenues | 29.1 | 16.9 | 20.0 | 19.0 | 4.5 | 20.9 | 12.3 |
| Non Tax Revenues | 52.4 | 23.2 | 27.8 | 41.7 | -18.2 | -24.9 | -11.6 |
| Total Expenditure | 28.6 | 6.8 | 27.1 | 24.5 | 4.1 | 6.2 | 7.7 |
| Compensation of Employees | 12.5 | 11.6 | 20.5 | 21.2 | 12.1 | 7.0 | 12.3 |
| Interest Payments | 12.3 | 29.6 | 5.9 | 4.5 | 37.0 | 24.7 | 12.8 |
| iii - Consolidated General Government (LE Millions)^{6/} | | | | | | | |
| Total Revenues | 175,930 | 205,654 | 248,834 | 288,544 | 303,374 | 322,731 | -- |
| Total Expenditure | 223,624 | 244,018 | 305,794 | 356,942 | 396,693 | 438,616 | -- |
| Overall Deficit | 56,634 | 56,213 | 67,563 | 72,378 | 98,796 | 110,134 | -- |
| iv - As Percent of GDP^{7/} | | | | | | | |
| Budget Sector^{3/} | | | | | | | |
| Total Revenues (of which): | 24.5 | 24.2 | 24.7 | 27.1 | 22.2 | 20.7 | 9.3 |
| Tax Revenues | 15.8 | 15.3 | 15.3 | 15.7 | 14.1 | 14.5 | 7.0 |
| Non Tax Revenues | 8.7 | 8.8 | 9.4 | 11.4 | 8.1 | 6.2 | 2.3 |
| Total Expenditure (of which): | 33.6 | 29.8 | 31.5 | 33.7 | 30.3 | 29.3 | 15.4 |
| Compensation of Employees | 7.6 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 6.9 | 4.2 |
| Interest Payments | 6.0 | 6.4 | 5.6 | 5.1 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 3.6 |
| Primary Deficit^{4/} | 2.2 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 2.4 |
| Cash Deficit^{5/} | 9.2 | 5.6 | 6.8 | 6.6 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 6.1 |
| Overall Deficit | 8.2 | 7.3 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 8.1 | 7.9 | 6.0 |
| General Government^{6/} | | | | | | | |
| Primary Deficit^{4/} | 3.5 | 2.4 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 2.0 | -- |
| Overall Deficit | 9.2 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 6.9 | 8.2 | 8.0 | -- |

Source: Ministry of Finance.

-- Data unavailable

* Preliminary subject to revision

1/ Data reflects budget figures after being approved by parliament.

2/ Based on IMF GFS 2001 (modified to cash basis).

3/ Includes Central Administration and Local Governments, and Public Services Authorities.

4/ Overall deficit net of interest payments.

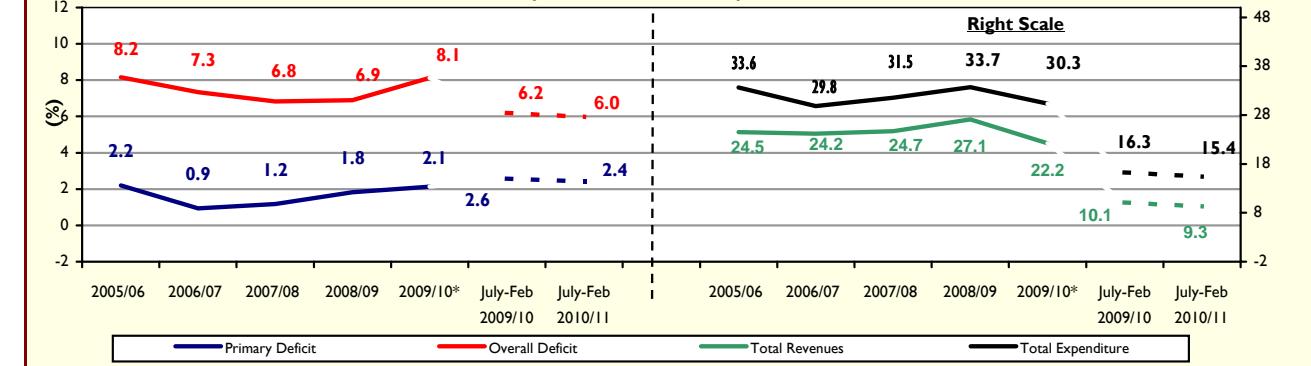
5/ Overall deficit excluding net acquisition of financial assets.

6/ Includes consolidated operations for the budget sector, National Investment Bank (NIB), and Social Insurance Funds (SIF). Data are prepared on consolidated basis; excluding financial interrelations between the three bodies.

7/ According to Ministry of Economic Development, GDP(at market prices) for 2010/2011 is projected to reach LE 1378 billion, compared to LE 1206.7 billion recorded in 2009/2010.

Fig (3) Budget Sector: Main Fiscal Indicators

(In Percent of GDP)



Source: Ministry of Finance.

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|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Jun-06 | Jun-07 | Jun-08 | Jun-09 | Jun-10 * | Dec-09 | Mar-10 | Sep-10 | Dec-10 * |
| F. Summary of Public Domestic Debt: ^{1/} | | | | | | | | | |
| (In LE Million , End of Period Stock) | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross Domestic Budget Sector Debt | 554,837 | 591,001 | 599,603 | 699,667 | 808,384 | 777,438 | 810,036 | 863,792 | 889,154 |
| (2.0) | (6.5) | (1.5) | (16.7) | (15.5) | | (17.9) | (17.8) | (14.9) | (14.4) |
| Budget Sector Deposits | 109,948 | 112,829 | 120,904 | 137,341 | 144,566 | 142,671 | 142,787 | 145,013 | 150,286 |
| (-28.3) | (2.6) | (7.2) | (13.6) | (5.3) | | (9.3) | (6.1) | (3.7) | (5.3) |
| Net Domestic Budget Sector Debt | 444,889 | 478,172 | 478,699 | 562,326 | 663,818 | 634,767 | 667,249 | 718,779 | 738,868 |
| (13.9) | (7.5) | (0.1) | (17.5) | (18.0) | | (20.0) | (20.6) | (17.5) | (16.4) |
| Gross General Government Domestic Debt ^{3/} | 449,456 | 486,241 | 512,982 | 615,849 | 733,387 | 695,635 | 725,995 | 780,621 | 806,106 |
| (-0.3) | (8.2) | (5.5) | (20.1) | (19.1) | | (22.0) | (21.7) | (17.3) | (15.9) |
| General Government Deposits | 117,247 | 116,964 | 131,043 | 148,811 | 158,531 | 159,088 | 153,837 | 159,030 | 162,595 |
| (-32.5) | (-0.2) | (12.0) | (13.6) | (6.5) | | (13.9) | (5.9) | (4.9) | (2.2) |
| Net Domestic General Government Debt | 332,209 | 369,277 | 381,939 | 467,038 | 574,856 | 536,547 | 572,158 | 621,591 | 643,511 |
| (19.8) | (11.2) | (3.4) | (22.3) | (23.1) | | (24.7) | (26.8) | (20.9) | (19.9) |
| Gross Domestic Public Debt ^{4/} | 470,264 | 493,879 | 537,533 | 643,628 | 769,783 | 724,334 | 754,747 | 816,773 | 847,031 |
| (0.3) | (5.0) | (8.8) | (19.7) | (19.6) | | (21.8) | (21.0) | (18.3) | (16.9) |
| Public Sector Deposits ^{5/} | 137,332 | 130,605 | 150,501 | 167,733 | 170,171 | 175,244 | 172,490 | 173,335 | 180,149 |
| (-26.7) | (-4.9) | (15.2) | (11.4) | (1.5) | | (13.8) | (6.7) | (5.0) | (2.8) |
| Net Domestic Public Debt | 332,932 | 363,274 | 387,032 | 475,895 | 599,612 | 549,090 | 582,257 | 643,438 | 666,882 |
| (18.2) | (9.1) | (6.5) | (23.0) | (26.0) | | (24.6) | (26.1) | (22.5) | (21.5) |
| G. Gross External Debt (CBE classification) ^{6/} | 29,593 | 29,898 | 33,893 | 31,531 | 33,694 | 33,287 | 32,277 | 34,700 | - |
| (In Million US\$. End of Period Stock) | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross External Government Debt | 18,865 | 19,492 | 21,641 | 25,818 | 26,249 | 25,883 | 24,981 | 26,943 | - |
| Gross External Non-Government Debt | 10,728 | 10,406 | 12,252 | 5,713 | 7,445 | 7,405 | 7,296 | 7,757 | - |
| H. Government Debt Service (LE Millions, Flows) ^{7/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Debt Service | 59,552 | 54,725 | 60,004 | 71,123 | 98,856 | 45,014 | 73,974 | 27,529 | 46,355 |
| Domestic Debt Service | 53,049 | 47,639 | 52,435 | 59,577 | 87,560 | 39,209 | 63,763 | 22,982 | 40,215 |
| Foreign Debt Service | 6,503 | 7,086 | 7,569 | 11,546 | 11,296 | 5,805 | 10,210 | 4,547 | 6,140 |
| Memorandum Items: (As Percent of GDP) ^{8/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross Domestic Budget Sector Debt | 89.8% | 79.4% | 67.0% | 67.1% | 67.0% | 64.4% | 67.1% | 62.7% | 64.5% |
| Net Domestic Budget Sector Debt | 72.0% | 64.2% | 53.5% | 54.0% | 55.0% | 52.6% | 55.3% | 52.2% | 53.6% |
| Gross Domestic General Government Debt | 72.8% | 65.3% | 57.3% | 59.1% | 60.8% | 57.6% | 60.2% | 56.6% | 58.5% |
| Net Domestic General Government Debt | 53.8% | 49.6% | 42.7% | 44.8% | 47.6% | 44.5% | 47.4% | 45.1% | 46.7% |
| Gross Domestic Public Debt | 76.1% | 66.3% | 60.0% | 61.8% | 63.8% | 60.0% | 62.5% | 59.3% | 61.5% |
| Net Domestic Public Debt | 53.9% | 48.8% | 43.2% | 45.7% | 49.7% | 45.5% | 48.3% | 46.7% | 48.4% |
| Gross External Debt | 27.6% | 22.8% | 20.1% | 16.9% | 15.9% | 15.1% | 14.7% | 14.3% | - |
| Gross External Government Debt | 17.6% | 14.9% | 12.9% | 13.8% | 12.4% | 11.7% | 11.4% | 11.1% | - |

Source: Ministry of Finance - Central Bank of Egypt.

() Annual percentage change

* Preliminary.

1/ Debt figures depict consolidated stocks at three different levels of compilation; the Budget Sector, the General Government, and the Public Sector. The Budget sector debt stock encompasses outstanding stocks of Central Administration, Local Governments, and Public Service Authorities. The General Government debt stock includes the consolidated debt stocks of the Budget sector, the NIB, and SIF. The Public sector debt stock corresponds to the consolidated debt of the General Government and Economic Authorities.

2/ Outstanding domestic debt stocks due on Central Administration, Local Governments, and Public Service Authorities.

3/ Consolidated domestic debt of the Budget sector, NIB, and SIF. This level of compilation entails the deduction of Budget Sector borrowings from NIB, MOF securities held by the SIF and NIB, the SIF bonds, and NIB borrowings from SIF.

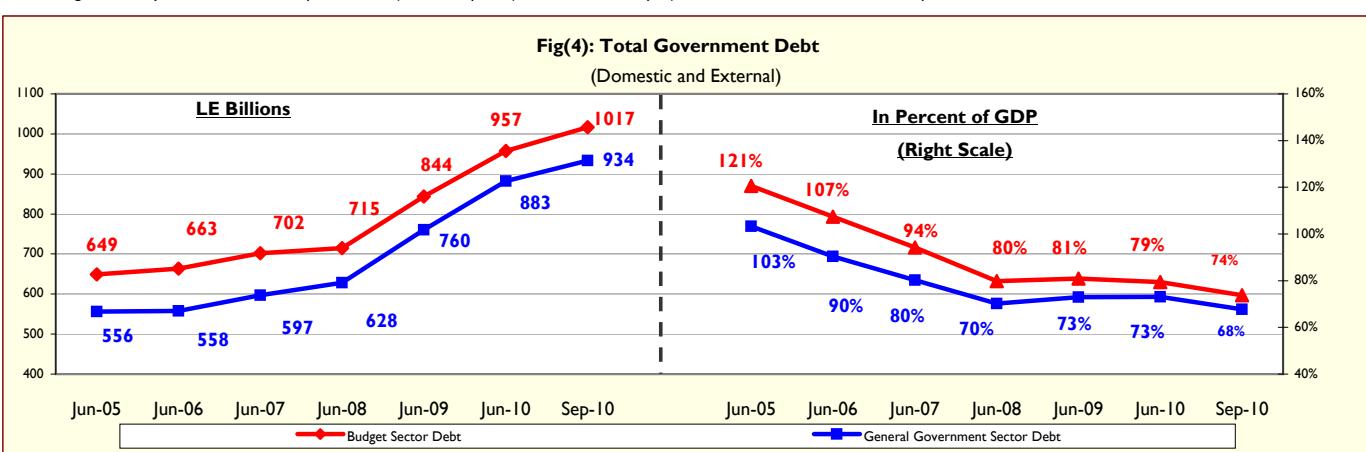
4/ Consolidated domestic debt due on the General Government and Economic Authorities. This level of compilation excludes outstanding debt of Economic Authorities to NIB as well as Budget Sector borrowing from Economic Authorities.

5/ Total deposits of General Government and Economic Authorities (net of SIF deposits and Budget Sector borrowing from Economic Authorities).

6/ CBE reclassified US\$ 4.3 billion as part of Central and Local Government debt, that was only reflected in its statistics starting September 2008. It is noteworthy that such reclassification has not had any impact on the total outstanding foreign debt.

7/ Quarterly debt service data represent cumulative flows from beginning of fiscal year.

8/ According to Ministry of Economic Development, GDP(at market prices) for 2010/2011 is projected to reach LE 1378 billion, compared to LE 1206.7 billion recorded in 2009/2010.



Source: Ministry of Finance and Central Bank of Egypt.

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| | Annual Profile | | | | | Latest Data Available | | | |
|---|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | Sep-10 | Oct-10 | Nov-10 [#] | Dec-10 [*] |
| I. Monetary Sector (End of Period) | | | | | | | | | |
| (LE Millions) | | | | | | | | | |
| Reserve Money ^{1/} | 116,050 | 134,126 | 169,911 | 175,104 | 203,071 | 216,655 | 210,432 | 221,924 | 218,393 |
| Total Liquidity | 560,356 | 662,688 | 766,664 | 831,211 | 917,459 | 948,172 | 961,244 | 963,255 | 973,962 |
| Money ^{2/} | 109,274 | 131,290 | 170,579 | 182,991 | 214,040 | 220,472 | 222,674 | 224,890 | 223,456 |
| Quasi Money ^{3/} | 451,082 | 531,398 | 596,085 | 648,220 | 703,419 | 727,700 | 738,570 | 738,365 | 750,506 |
| Annual Percent Change: | | | | | | | | | |
| Reserve Money ^{1/} | 14.8 | 15.6 | 26.7 | 3.1 | 16.0 | 13.1 | 12.2 | 16.3 | 13.1 |
| Total Liquidity | 13.5 | 18.3 | 15.7 | 8.4 | 10.4 | 11.8 | 13.4 | 12.8 | 12.4 |
| Net Foreign Assets ^{4/} | 64.8 | 63.9 | 38.9 | -16.3 | 11.1 | 19.2 | 20.5 | 15.6 | 19.3 |
| Net Domestic Assets ^{4/} | 3.4 | 4.0 | 4.3 | 24.6 | 10.0 | 8.5 | 10.2 | 11.5 | 9.5 |
| Credit to Private Sector ^{5/} | 8.6 | 12.3 | 12.6 | 5.1 | 7.7 | 9.2 | 9.8 | 10.7 | 6.7 |
| Loans to Deposit Ratio ^{6/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Government Sector | 25.6 | 34.7 | 35.5 | 30.0 | 34.9 | 32.8 | 33.2 | 34.2 | 33.1 |
| Non Government Sector | 61.9 | 56.3 | 55.4 | 55.6 | 54.2 | 53.1 | 52.6 | 52.9 | 50.2 |
| Local Currency | 64.8 | 55.9 | 50.9 | 51.5 | 47.6 | 45.7 | 45.2 | 45.4 | 42.7 |
| Foreign Currency | 54.6 | 57.2 | 69.7 | 69.0 | 79.9 | 83.0 | 82.2 | 84.2 | 81.7 |
| Indicators: | | | | | | | | | |
| M2 Multiplier ^{7/} | 4.83 | 4.94 | 4.51 | 4.75 | 4.52 | 4.38 | 4.57 | 4.34 | 4.46 |
| M2 Velocity (centered) ^{8/} | 1.17 | 1.22 | 1.25 | 1.30 | 1.38 | 1.53 | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.50 |
| M2 Dollarization ^{9/} | 24.4 | 23.2 | 20.8 | 20.1 | 17.2 | 16.7 | 16.8 | 16.3 | 16.2 |
| Deposits Dollarization ^{10/} | 29.4 | 28.4 | 25.8 | 25.7 | 22.9 | 22.4 | 22.5 | 22.0 | 21.9 |

Source: Central Bank of Egypt and Ministry of Finance calculations.

* Preliminary. It is noteworthy that detailed data for December 2010 are not available yet.

Revised.

1/ Includes currency in circulation outside CBE and banks' LE deposits with CBE.

2/ Includes currency in circulation outside the banking system, and demand deposits in local currency. Excludes drafts and checks under collection.

3/ Includes time and savings deposits in local currency, demand deposits and time and savings deposits in foreign currency.

4/ The agreement between CBE and Ministry of Finance to use part of the blocked account balance to retire part of the bonds outstanding on government to CBE became effective as of June 2008.

5/ Includes claims on private business sector and household sector.

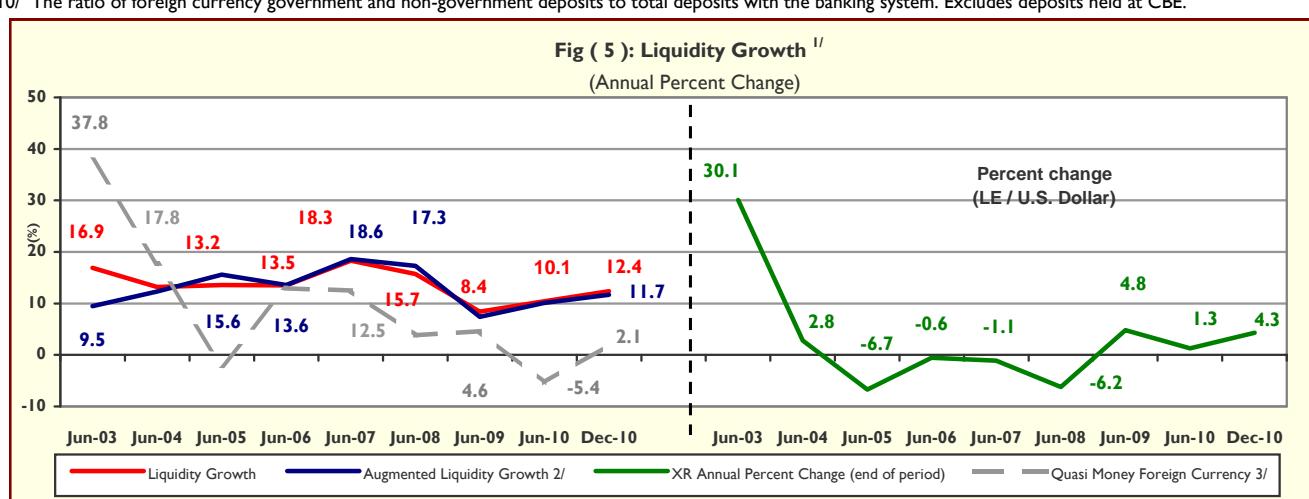
6/ Excludes deposits/loans held /provided by CBE.

7/ M2/ Reserve Money.

8/ GDP / M2 centered. M2 centered equals $[(M2)_t + (M2)_{t-1}] / 2$.

9/ Denotes the ratio of foreign currency demand, and time and savings deposits to total liquidity . Excludes non-residents deposits (which is part of net foreign assets) as well as government deposits.

10/ The ratio of foreign currency government and non-government deposits to total deposits with the banking system. Excludes deposits held at CBE.



Source: Central Bank of Egypt and Ministry of Finance calculations.

1/ Total Liquidity includes money and quasi money.

2/ M2 growth at constant exchange rate, calculated by applying previous period's exchange rate to the current period.

3/ Foreign currency demand deposits, and time and saving deposits.

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| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/10 | Dec-09 | Mar-10 | Sep-10 | Dec-10 |
| I. Investments and Financial Sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Domestic Investments as Percent of GDP^{1/} | 18.7 | 20.9 | 22.4 | 19.2 | 18.9 | 4.7 | 5.4 | 4.1 | 4.7 |
| FDI as Percent of GDP^{1/ 2/} | 5.7 | 8.5 | 8.1 | 4.3 | 3.1 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.3 |
| Capital Market Indicators (End of Calendar Year) | | | | | | | | | |
| CMA Index | 2239 | 2381 | 3412 | -- | 1401 | 1401 | 1563 | 1445 | 1504 |
| CMA Market Volatility^{3/} | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.1 | -- | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 0.9 | 0.7 |
| Hermes Index | 54843 | 61291 | 92734 | 427 ^{4/} | 573 | 573 | 630 | 617 | 664 |
| Hermes Index Market Volatility^{3/} | 1.29 | 0.89 | 1.20 | 1.47 | 2.22 | 2.22 | 1.79 | 0.74 | 0.49 |
| Market Capitalization (LE Billion)^{5/} | 456 | 534 | 768 | 474 | 500 | 500 | 461 | 448 | 488 |
| Market Capitalization (Percent of GDP)^{6/} | 73.8 | 71.7 | 85.8 | 45.4 | 41.4 | 41.4 | 38.2 | 32.5 | 35.4 |
| P/E Ratio^{7/} | 22.0 | 21.0 | 19.1 | 7.6 | 12.1 | 12.1 | 13.6 | 13.9 | 14.7 |
| Dividend Yield (%)^{8/} | 3.8 | 4.2 | 5.1 | 6.6 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 6.6 | 7.2 | 7.1 |
| GDRI-II^{9/} | 439.5 | 564.9 | 884.5 | 305.7 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Banking Sector:^{10/} | | | | | | | | | |
| (LE Millions) | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Assets | 761,562 | 937,923 | 1,083,311 | 1,091,993 | 1,220,655 | 1,151,695 | 1,198,240 | 1,295,503 | 1,282,910 |
| Total Loans and Discounts | 324,041 | 353,746 | 401,425 | 429,957 | 465,990 | 432,597 | 441,370 | 467,397 | 458,081 |
| Capital | 27,112 | 33,037 | 37,576 | 41,550 | 46,598 | 43,540 | 43,571 | 50,243 | 51,238 |
| Total Deposits | 568,841 | 649,953 | 747,199 | 809,694 | 892,492 | 848,699 | 867,053 | 915,782 | 943,972 |
| Indicators | | | | | | | | | |
| Commercial Banks Liquidity Ratios | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign Assets / Foreign Liabilities^{11/} | 112.9 | 109.4 | 109.3 | 114.6 | 113.5 | 115.2 | 114.4 | 111.8 | 112.0 |
| Loans to Deposit Ratio^{12/} | 56.7 | 53.7 | 53.1 | 52.4 | 51.8 | 50.3 | 50.4 | 50.6 | 48.1 |
| Loans / Assets^{11/} | 42.5 | 37.7 | 37.1 | 39.4 | 38.2 | 37.6 | 36.8 | 36.1 | 35.7 |
| Securities / Assets^{11/} | 25.5 | 18.8 | 18.6 | 30.5 | 33.3 | 31.4 | 31.1 | 32.7 | 34.4 |
| Deposits / Assets^{11/} | 74.7 | 69.3 | 69.0 | 74.1 | 73.1 | 73.7 | 72.4 | 70.7 | 73.6 |
| Equity / Assets^{11/} | 5.3 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 6.2 |
| Provisions / Assets^{11/} | 7.2 | 5.7 | 5.8 | 6.4 | 5.8 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 5.7 | 4.2 |

Sources: Capital Market Authority and Central Bank of Egypt.

-- Data unavailable.

1/ Quarterly ratios calculated as percent of full year GDP.

2/ FDI inflows include investments in the oil sector.

3/Calculated as the standard deviation of daily returns during the month of study .Annual data reflects end of December in each year.

4/ Series revised.

5/ The market value of outstanding shares, computed by multiplying outstanding number of shares by their current prevailing market prices.

6/ According to Ministry of Economic Development, GDP (at market prices) for 2010/2011 is projected to reach LE 1378 billion, compared to LE 1206.7 billion recorded in 2009/2010.

7/ Price / earning ratio, also known as the "Multiple", is the ratio of stocks' prevailing market prices to annual earnings.

8/ Annual dividends / current stock price.

9/ The index is simple average of daily closing prices for eight GDRs listed on the London Stock Exchange.

10/ Reflects Commercial Banks' data.

11/ Banks operating in Egypt, excluding Central Bank of Egypt.

12/ Includes government and non government loans and deposits. Excludes deposits held at CBE.

Section I: General Economic and Financial Outlook (Continued)

| | Annual Profile | | | | | Quarterly Profile | | | |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|---------|------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| | 2005/06 | 2006/07 | 2007/08 | 2008/09 | 2009/2010* | Oct-Dec 2009 * | Jan-Mar 2010 | Apr-Jun 2010 | Oct-Dec 2010 * ^{1/} |
| K. External Sector | | | | | | | | | |
| (In US \$ Millions) | | | | | | | | | |
| Current Account Receipts | 41,440 | 49,534 | 65,904 | 57,217 | 57,899 | 14,028 | 13,729 | 16,022 | 16,050 |
| Current Account Payments | 39,688 | 47,265 | 65,016 | 61,641 | 62,217 | 14,817 | 15,052 | 17,733 | 16,649 |
| Trade Balance | -11,986 | -16,291 | -23,415 | -25,173 | -25,120 | -5,675 | -6,608 | -6,583 | -6,692 |
| Services Balance | 8,191 | 11,498 | 14,966 | 12,502 | 10,339 | 2,983 | 2,478 | 1,577 | 2,961 |
| Current Account Balance | 1,752 | 2,269 | 888 | -4,424 | -4,318 | -790 | -1,323 | -1,711 | -599 |
| Capital and Financial Account Net Flows | 3,511 | 853 | 7,558 | 2,285 | 8,325 | 449 | 1,877 | 3,162 | 1,785 |
| Overall Balance | 3,253 | 5,282 | 5,420 | -3,378 | 3,356 | 600 | 455 | 250 | 557 |
| Net International Reserves^{2/} | 22,931 | 28,559 | 34,572 | 31,310 | 35,223 | 34,163 | 34,508 | 35,223 | 36,005 |
| (In Percent of GDP)^{3/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Current Account Receipts | 38.6 | 38.0 | 40.5 | 30.3 | 26.4 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 7.4 | 6.7 |
| Current Account Payments | 36.9 | 36.2 | 40.0 | 32.6 | 28.4 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 8.2 | 6.9 |
| Trade Balance | -11.2 | -12.5 | -14.4 | -13.3 | -11.5 | -2.6 | -3.0 | -3.1 | -2.8 |
| Services Balance | 7.6 | 8.8 | 9.2 | 6.6 | 4.7 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.7 | 1.2 |
| Current Account Balance | 1.6 | 1.7 | 0.5 | -2.3 | -2.0 | -0.4 | -0.6 | -0.8 | -0.2 |
| Overall Balance | 3.0 | 4.0 | 3.3 | -1.8 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| (In Percent of Current Account Receipts)^{4/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Non -Oil Exports | 20.1 | 24.4 | 22.9 | 25.0 | 23.9 | 25.9 | 24.7 | 23.2 | 24.5 |
| Oil-Exports | 25.0 | 20.7 | 22.3 | 19.4 | 18.0 | 18.6 | 15.0 | 20.1 | 16.4 |
| Tourism | 17.7 | 16.8 | 16.7 | 18.5 | 20.4 | 20.1 | 19.8 | 18.0 | 20.5 |
| Private Transfers | 12.2 | 12.8 | 12.9 | 13.5 | 16.7 | 12.0 | 20.5 | 20.3 | 19.4 |
| Other Indicators (%): | | | | | | | | | |
| Commodity Exports / Commodity Imports | 61 | 57 | 56 | 50 | 48.7 | 51.9 | 45.2 | 51.2 | 49.5 |
| Services Receipts / Service Payments | 189 | 228 | 222 | 211 | 178 | 199 | 183 | 137 | 187 |
| NIR Import Coverage^{5/} | 9.0 | 8.9 | 7.9 | 7.5 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 8.6 | 7.8 | 8.1 |
| NIR to Foreign Debt (%)^{6/} | 77.7 | 95.8 | 102.1 | 99.6 | 104.8 | 102.9 | 107.2 | 104.8 | -- |

Source: Central Bank of Egypt.

* Preliminary.

1/ Quarterly data for October-December 2010/2011 reflects the discrepancy between the periods July-December and July-September 2010/2011.

2/ Discrepancy in NIR valuation may occur due to applying different exchange rates for various components in the reserves portfolio.

3/ Quarterly ratios are calculated based on full year GDP figures. According to Ministry of Economic Development, GDP (at market prices) for 2010/2011 is projected to reach LE 1378 billion compared to LE 1206.7 billion recorded in 2009/2010.

4/ Excludes official transfers.

5/ In months of commodity imports.

6/ Excludes private sector non-guaranteed debt.