

SOLOMON ISLANDS MONETARY STATISTICS				
	27-Jan-10	4 Weeks ago	12 weeks ago	52 weeks ago
External Reserves: in SI dollar [SBD]	\$1,228 m	\$1,162 m	\$1,042 m	\$656 m
External Reserves: in USD	\$152 m	\$144 m	\$129 m	\$82 m
Exchange Rates: /1				
Units of SBD per Foreign Currency				
USD	\$8.06	\$8.06	\$8.06	\$8.01
AUD	\$7.26	\$7.22	\$7.27	\$5.29
NZD	\$5.71	\$5.78	\$5.79	\$4.23
GBP	\$13.04	\$12.88	\$13.18	\$11.35
JPY [per 100]	\$8.99	\$8.78	\$8.93	\$9.01
Euro	\$11.36	\$11.61	\$11.90	\$10.55
Money Supply (M3)	\$1,730 m	\$1,719 m	\$1,580 m	\$1,448 m
Total domestic credit [SBD]	\$1,276 m	\$1,241 m	\$1,269 m	\$1,303 m
Net credit to govt.	\$72 m	\$52 m	\$65 m	\$109 m
Credit to Private sector /2	\$1,204 m	\$1,189 m	\$1,204 m	\$1,193 m
Total SIG debt arrears [SBD]	\$25 m	\$26 m	\$26 m	\$24 m
Domestic debt arrears	\$0 m	\$0 m	\$0 m	\$0 m
External debt arrears	\$25 m	\$26 m	\$26 m	\$24 m
Total Gross SIG Debts [SBD]	\$1,416 m	\$1,426 m	\$1,442 m	\$1,439 m
SIG Domestic Debt [SBD]	\$365 m	\$367 m	\$368 m	\$379 m
SIG External Debt [SBD]	\$1,051 m	\$1,059 m	\$1,074 m	\$1,060 m
International Commodity Prices /3	<u>Dec-09</u>	<u>Nov-09</u>	<u>Oct-09</u>	<u>Dec-08</u>
Copra [USD/m.t]	509	493	469	495
Fish [USD/m.t]	935	850	1,425	1,388
Cocoa [USD/m.t]	3,514	3,385	3,360	2,394
Logs [USD/cu.m]	265	272	277	327
Palm Oil [USD/m.t]	791	725	679	503
Coconut Oil [USD/m.t]	767	729	701	740
Gold [USD/toz]	1135	1,127	1,043	816
/1 These are mid-rates between buying and selling rates.				
/ 2 Includes Loans and advances from the commercial banks and credit corporation				
/3 Source: World Bank				
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