SOLOMON ISLANDS MONETARY STATISTICS

	9-Jan-19	4 Weeks ago	12 weeks ago	1 year ago
External Reserves: (in SBD million)	\$5,175	\$5,147	\$5,057	\$4,804
External Reserves: (in USD million)	\$637	\$638	\$623	\$615
Exchange Rates: /1				
Units of SBD per Foreign Currency				
USD	\$8.12	\$8.06	\$8.12	\$7.81
AUD	\$5.79	\$5.81	\$5.80	\$6.12
NZD	\$5.46	\$5.55	\$5.34	\$5.61
GBP	\$10.35	\$10.11	\$10.70	\$10.58
JPY [per 100]	\$7.47	\$7.12	\$7.25	\$6.93
Euro	\$9.31	\$9.14	\$9.41	\$9.33
Money Supply (M3): (SBD million)	\$5,207	\$5,189	\$5,131	\$4,818
Net domestic credit: (SBD million)	\$1,159.20	\$1,286.80	\$1,367.40	\$1,240.60
Net credit to govt.	(\$1,242.00)	(\$1,118.50)	(\$1,023.50)	(\$1,060.70)
Credit to Private sector /2	\$2,401.20	\$2,405.30	\$2,390.90	\$2,301.30
Total Gross SIG Debts: (SBD million)	\$1,010.96	\$993.49	\$969.53	\$945.06
SIG Domestic Debt	\$243.77	\$246.39	\$206.60	\$192.64
SIG External Debt	\$767.19	\$747.10	\$762.93	\$752.43
International Commodity Prices /3	<u>Dec-18</u>	<u>Nov-18</u>	<u>Oct-18</u>	<u>Dec-17</u>
Copra [USD/m.t]	667	667	673	960
Fish [USD/m.t]	1,401	1,423	1,383	1,848
Cocoa [USD/m.t]	2,210	2,190	2,130	1,920
Logs [USD/cu.m]	265	263	264	264
Palm Oil [USD/m.t]	535	540	499	665
Coconut Oil [USD/m.t]	796	787	850	1,443
Gold [USD/toz]	1,250	1,221	1,215	1,264

^{/1} These are mid-rates between buying and selling rates.

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^{/ 2} Includes Loans and advances from the commerial banks and credit corporation.

^{/3} Source: World Bank