SOLOMON ISLANDS MONETARY STATISTICS

	7-Feb-18	4 Weeks ago	12 weeks ago	1 year ago
External Reserves: (in SBD million)	\$4,849	\$4,804	\$4,486	\$4,280
External Reserves: (in USD million)	\$625	\$615	\$568	\$543
Exchange Rates: /1				
Units of SBD per Foreign Currency				
USD	\$7.76	\$7.81	\$7.90	\$7.89
AUD	\$6.17	\$6.12	\$6.02	\$6.02
NZD	\$5.66	\$5.61	\$5.43	\$5.76
GBP	\$10.81	\$10.58	\$10.37	\$9.85
JPY [per 100]	\$7.11	\$6.93	\$6.95	\$7.02
Euro	\$9.60	\$9.33	\$9.27	\$8.42
Money Supply (M3): (SBD million)	\$4,845	\$4,818	\$4,805	\$4,602
Net domestic credit: (SBD million)	\$1,229.40	\$1,240.60	\$1,193.90	\$1,185.40
Net credit to govt.	(\$1,076.50)	(\$1,060.70)	(\$1,068.70)	(\$1,032.20)
Credit to Private sector /2	\$2,305.90	\$2,301.30	\$2,262.60	\$2,217.60
Total Gross SIG Debts: (SBD million)	\$952.23	\$945.06	\$897.11	\$674.16
SIG Domestic Debt	\$193.14	\$192.64	\$194.77	\$43.44
SIG External Debt	\$759.10	\$752.43	\$702.34	\$630.72
International Commodity Prices /3	<u>Jan-18</u>	<u>Dec-17</u>	<u>Nov-17</u>	<u>Jan-17</u>
Copra [USD/m.t]	943	960	1,038	1,225
Fish [USD/m.t]	1,701	1,848	1,981	1,420
Cocoa [USD/m.t]	1,950	1,920	2,130	2,200
Logs [USD/cu.m]	268	264	264	259
Palm Oil [USD/m.t]	679	665	716	806
Coconut Oil [USD/m.t]	1,409	1,443	1,549	1,836
Gold [USD/toz]	1,331	1,264	1,282	1,192

^{/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