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## TABLE 1: MONETARY SURVEY*

In Afl. million

| End of period | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2022 |  |  | 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | May | June | July | May | June | July |
| I. Net domestic assets | 2,856.3 | 2,741.5 | 2,481.2 | 2,433.2 | 2,045.6 | 2,121.7 | 2,127.1 | 2,577.3 | 2,744.4 | 2,571.3 |
| A) Domestic credit | 3,964.2 | 3,938.4 | 3,787.6 | 3,838.5 | 3,359.7 | 3,477.7 | 3,454.0 | 3,745.0 | 3,937.3 | 3,775.7 |
| 1) Net claims on public sector | 502.6 | 467.7 | 364.3 | 357.0 | -32.5 | 50.6 | 19.6 | 128.7 | 263.4 | 82.5 |
| a) Gross claims** | 626.5 | 610.5 | 499.7 | 556.2 | 487.4 | 487.5 | 487.5 | 556.7 | 514.8 | 512.3 |
| b) Government's deposits | -123.9 | -142.7 | -135.5 | -199.2 | -519.9 | -436.8 | -468.0 | -428.0 | -251.4 | -429.9 |
| c) Development funds | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 2) Claims on private sector | 3,461.5 | 3,470.7 | 3,423.3 | 3,481.5 | 3,392.2 | 3,427.1 | 3,434.4 | 3,616.3 | 3,673.9 | 3,693.3 |
| a) Enterprises | 1,533.8 | 1,523.7 | 1,501.3 | 1,512.1 | 1,470.8 | 1,500.4 | 1,499.9 | 1,619.0 | 1,670.9 | 1,682.4 |
| b) Individuals | 1,915.0 | 1,934.5 | 1,909.5 | 1,956.9 | 1,908.8 | 1,914.1 | 1,921.9 | 1,984.8 | 1,990.6 | 1,998.4 |
| 1) Consumer credit | 505.9 | 475.4 | 424.1 | 407.0 | 409.9 | 408.8 | 408.0 | 405.6 | 402.5 | 405.9 |
| 2) Housing mortgages | 1,409.1 | 1,459.2 | 1,485.4 | 1,549.9 | 1,499.0 | 1,505.3 | 1,513.9 | 1,579.2 | 1,588.1 | 1,592.5 |
| c) Other | 12.8 | 12.4 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.6 | 12.6 | 12.5 | 12.4 | 12.4 |
| B) Other items, net | -1,107.9 | -1,196.9 | -1,306.4 | -1,405.3 | -1,314.1 | -1,356.0 | -1,326.9 | -1,167.7 | -1,192.9 | -1,204.5 |
| II. Net foreign assets | 1,712.5 | 2,055.9 | 2,884.3 | 3,110.5 | 3,333.2 | 3,286.8 | 3,304.7 | 2,974.8 | 2,981.9 | 3,049.4 |
| A) Centrale Bank van Aruba*** | 1,569.2 | 1,910.6 | 2,498.6 | 2,661.1 | 2,837.3 | 2,815.3 | 2,837.5 | 2,538.3 | 2,519.6 | 2,579.1 |
| B) Commercial banks | 143.3 | 145.2 | 385.7 | 449.5 | 496.0 | 471.5 | 467.2 | 436.6 | 462.3 | 470.2 |
| III. Broad money | 4,568.8 | 4,797.4 | 5,365.5 | 5,543.8 | 5,378.9 | 5,408.5 | 5,431.8 | 5,552.1 | 5,726.3 | 5,620.7 |
| A) Money | 2,574.3 | 2,734.9 | 3,184.8 | 3,399.8 | 3,256.0 | 3,335.3 | 3,369.3 | 3,447.6 | 3,616.0 | 3,465.1 |
| B) Quasi-money | 1,994.6 | 2,062.5 | 2,180.7 | 2,144.0 | 2,122.9 | 2,073.2 | 2,062.4 | 2,104.6 | 2,110.3 | 2,155.5 |

* The monetary survey consolidates the accounts of the Centrale Bank van Aruba, the commercial banks and the Government related only to the issuance of components of the money supply, i.e., coins and treasury bills. This survey shows the financial relationship between the monetary sector, whose liabilities include the money supply, and other secto rs of the economy.
** Gross claims include loans granted as well as government bonds in the hands of the monetary sectors and claims resulting from the issuance of treasury bills, cash certificates, and coins.
*** Revaluation differences of gold and official foreign exchange hold ings are excluded in order to approximate the net import of foreign funds by the nonmonetary sectors.

TABLE 2: COMPONENTS OF BROAD MONEY

|  |  | Currency |  |  | Demand deposits |  |  | Money | Other deposits |  |  |  |  | Treassury bills and cash loan certificates | Quasimoney | Broad money |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Issued | At banks | Outside banks | Afl. | Foreign currency | Total |  | Savings |  | Time |  | Total |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Afl. | Foreign currency | Afl. | Foreign currency |  |  |  |  |
| End of period |  | (1) | (2) | $\begin{aligned} & (3= \\ & 1-2) \end{aligned}$ | (4) | (5) | $\begin{aligned} & (6= \\ & 4+5) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & (7= \\ & 3+6) \end{aligned}$ | (8) | (9) | (10) |  | $\begin{gathered} (12= \\ 8+9+10+11) \end{gathered}$ | (13) | $\begin{aligned} & (14= \\ & 12+13) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & (15= \\ & 7+14) \end{aligned}$ |
| 2019 |  | 298.6 | 69.7 | 228.9 | 1,950.8 | 394.6 | 2,345.4 | 2,574.3 | 1,042.8 | 5.4 | 934.0 | 12.3 | 1,994.6 | 0.0 | 1,994.6 | 4,568.8 |
| 2020 |  | 343.1 | 61.4 | 281.7 | 2,114.1 | 339.1 | 2,453.2 | 2,734.9 | 1,097.3 | 3.3 | 952.5 | 9.4 | 2,062.5 | 0.0 | 2,062.5 | 4,797.4 |
| 2021 |  | 340.4 | 54.8 | 285.6 | 2,302.7 | 596.4 | 2,899.2 | 3,184.8 | 1,116.2 | 4.1 | 1,052.1 | 4.8 | 2,177.2 | 3.5 | 2,180.7 | 5,365.5 |
| 2022 |  | 340.6 | 57.1 | 283.5 | 2,535.6 | 580.7 | 3,116.3 | 3,399.8 | 1,151.9 | 2.8 | 983.2 | 6.1 | 2,144.0 | 0.0 | 2,144.0 | 5,543.8 |
| 2022 | January | 332.5 | 46.0 | 286.5 | 2,321.2 | 576.9 | 2,898.1 | 3,184.6 | 1,115.1 | 3.3 | 1,009.8 | 5.9 | 2,134.1 | 1.0 | 2,135.1 | 5,319.7 |
|  | February | 333.1 | 51.1 | 282.0 | 2,366.2 | 594.8 | 2,961.0 | 3,243.0 | 1,120.5 | 4.6 | 981.3 | 5.9 | 2,112.3 | 1.0 | 2,113.3 | 5,356.3 |
|  | March | 337.0 | 51.1 | 285.9 | 2,398.1 | 639.4 | 3,037.5 | 3,323.3 | 1,129.5 | 3.6 | 941.7 | 6.0 | 2,080.7 | 0.8 | 2,081.5 | 5,404.8 |
|  | April | 339.4 | 54.4 | 285.0 | 2,411.0 | 640.9 | 3,051.8 | 3,336.8 | 1,124.0 | 3.0 | 951.9 | 6.0 | 2,084.9 | 0.8 | 2,085.6 | 5,422.4 |
|  | May | 335.3 | 48.9 | 286.3 | 2,348.3 | 621.3 | 2,969.6 | 3,256.0 | 1,133.9 | 3.6 | 978.6 | 6.0 | 2,122.2 | 0.8 | 2,122.9 | 5,378.9 |
|  | June | 334.6 | 49.3 | 285.2 | 2,446.9 | 603.2 | 3,050.1 | 3,335.3 | 1,133.2 | 3.1 | 930.9 | 6.0 | 2,073.2 | 0.0 | 2,073.2 | 5,408.5 |
|  | July | 330.7 | 52.4 | 278.3 | 2,486.1 | 604.9 | 3,091.0 | 3,369.3 | 1,118.4 | 3.5 | 934.7 | 5.8 | 2,062.4 | 0.0 | 2,062.4 | 5,431.8 |
|  | August | 328.5 | 51.0 | 277.5 | 2,532.6 | 588.7 | 3,121.3 | 3,398.8 | 1,112.3 | 3.5 | 855.7 | 5.8 | 1,977.2 | 1.0 | 1,978.2 | 5,377.0 |
|  | September | 328.6 | 52.3 | 276.2 | 2,483.7 | 591.5 | 3,075.1 | 3,351.4 | 1,125.6 | 3.4 | 907.2 | 5.8 | 2,042.0 | 1.0 | 2,043.0 | 5,394.3 |
|  | October | 317.3 | 44.0 | 273.3 | 2,490.9 | 577.6 | 3,068.5 | 3,341.8 | 1,118.2 | 3.7 | 911.1 | 6.1 | 2,039.0 | 1.0 | 2,040.0 | 5,381.8 |
|  | November | 329.1 | 57.5 | 271.5 | 2,489.8 | 566.6 | 3,056.4 | 3,328.0 | 1,125.1 | 5.2 | 907.1 | 6.1 | 2,043.5 | 0.0 | 2,043.5 | 5,371.5 |
|  | December | 340.6 | 57.1 | 283.5 | 2,535.6 | 580.7 | 3,116.3 | 3,399.8 | 1,151.9 | 2.8 | 983.2 | 6.1 | 2,144.0 | 0.0 | 2,144.0 | 5,543.8 |
| 2023 | January | 332.7 | 49.3 | 283.4 | 2,622.2 | 586.4 | 3,208.6 | 3,492.0 | 1,153.5 | 4.7 | 948.8 | 6.0 | 2,113.1 | 0.0 | 2,113.1 | 5,605.0 |
|  | February | 331.6 | 45.0 | 286.6 | 2,672.3 | 545.8 | 3,218.1 | 3,504.7 | 1,149.2 | 3.2 | 946.9 | 23.8 | 2,123.1 | 0.0 | 2,123.1 | 5,627.8 |
|  | March | 337.3 | 51.2 | 286.1 | 2,709.1 | 588.2 | 3,297.3 | 3,583.4 | 1,160.2 | 3.2 | 904.2 | 23.8 | 2,091.5 | 0.5 | 2,092.0 | 5,675.4 |
|  | April | 347.5 | 62.6 | 284.9 | 2,713.9 | 589.0 | 3,302.9 | 3,587.8 | 1,170.2 | 2.9 | 918.8 | 23.7 | 2,115.6 | 0.5 | 2,116.1 | 5,703.9 |
|  | May | 331.6 | 47.7 | 284.0 | 2,621.1 | 542.6 | 3,163.6 | 3,447.6 | 1,163.4 | 5.0 | 912.0 | 23.7 | 2,104.1 | 0.5 | 2,104.6 | 5,552.1 |
|  | June | 334.8 | 47.4 | 287.4 | 2,764.1 | 564.5 | 3,328.6 | 3,616.0 | 1,165.1 | 4.6 | 916.7 | 23.9 | 2,110.3 | 0.0 | 2,110.3 | 5,726.3 |
|  | July | 337.6 | 48.0 | 289.7 | 2,627.2 | 548.3 | 3,175.5 | 3,465.1 | 1,172.8 | 6.6 | 952.3 | 23.8 | 2,155.5 | 0.0 | 2,155.5 | 5,620.7 |

TABLE 3: CAUSES OF CHANGES IN BROAD MONEY
In Afl. million

| During period | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2022 |  |  | 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | May | June | July | May | June | July |
| I. Net domestic money creation | 254.9 | -114.8 | -260.3 | -47.9 | -80.0 | 76.1 | 5.4 | -138.6 | 167.1 | -173.1 |
| A) Domestic credit | 284.5 | -25.8 | -150.8 | 50.9 | -103.8 | 118.0 | -23.7 | -163.6 | 192.3 | -161.5 |
| 1) Net claims on public sector | 68.6 | -34.9 | -103.5 | -7.3 | -96.9 | 83.1 | -31.1 | -169.7 | 134.7 | -180.9 |
| a) Recourse to monetary system | 66.7 | -16.0 | -110.7 | 56.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -41.8 | -2.5 |
| b) Drawing down of bank balances | 1.8 | -18.9 | 7.3 | -63.7 | -97.0 | 83.1 | -31.1 | -169.8 | 176.6 | -178.4 |
| 1) Government's deposits | 1.8 | -18.9 | 7.3 | -63.7 | -97.0 | 83.1 | -31.1 | -169.8 | 176.6 | -178.4 |
| 2) Development funds | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 2) Claims on private sector | 215.9 | 9.1 | -47.4 | 58.2 | -6.9 | 34.9 | 7.3 | 6.1 | 57.6 | 19.4 |
| a) Enterprises | 162.2 | -10.1 | -22.5 | 10.8 | -5.4 | 29.6 | -0.5 | -5.5 | 51.9 | 11.5 |
| b) Individuals | 52.5 | 19.5 | -25.0 | 47.4 | -1.5 | 5.2 | 7.9 | 11.6 | 5.8 | 7.8 |
| 1) Consumer credit | -18.5 | -30.5 | -51.3 | -17.1 | -4.3 | -1.0 | -0.8 | 1.9 | -3.1 | 3.4 |
| 2) Housing mortgages | 71.0 | 50.1 | 26.2 | 64.5 | 2.9 | 6.3 | 8.6 | 9.8 | 8.9 | 4.5 |
| c) Other | 1.2 | -0.4 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 |
| B) Other domestic factors | -29.6 | -89.0 | -109.5 | -98.9 | 23.9 | -41.9 | 29.1 | 25.0 | -25.2 | -11.6 |
| II. Inflow of foreign funds* | -63.7 | 343.3 | 828.5 | 226.2 | 36.4 | -46.4 | 17.9 | -13.1 | 7.0 | 67.5 |
| III. Broad money | 191.2 | 228.5 | 568.1 | 178.3 | -43.5 | 29.7 | 23.2 | -151.8 | 174.2 | -105.6 |
| 1) Money | 140.9 | 160.6 | 449.9 | 215.0 | -80.8 | 79.4 | 34.0 | -140.2 | 168.4 | -150.9 |
| 2) Quasi-money | 50.3 | 67.9 | 118.3 | -36.8 | 37.3 | -49.7 | -10.8 | -11.5 | 5.7 | 45.3 |

* Revaluation differences of gold and official foreign exchange hold ings are excluded in order to approximate the net import of foreign funds by the nonmonetary sectors.

TABLE 4: FOREIGN ASSETS
In Afl. million

|  |  | Centrale Bank van Aruba |  |  |  | Commercial banks |  |  | Total | Revaluation differences* | Total excl.(9) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Gold | Other assets | Liabilities | Net | Assets | Liabilities | Net |  |  |  |
| End of period |  | (1) | (2) | (3) | $\begin{array}{r} (4= \\ 1+2-3) \end{array}$ | (5) | (6) | $\begin{aligned} & (7= \\ & 5-6) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} (8= \\ 4+7) \end{array}$ | (9) | $\begin{array}{r} (10= \\ 8-9) \end{array}$ |
| 2019 |  | 303.4 | 1,485.7 | 4.3 | 1,784.8 | 604.4 | 461.1 | 143.3 | 1,928.0 | 215.5 | 1,712.5 |
| 2020 |  | 376.7 | 1,832.0 | 0.1 | 2,208.6 | 490.4 | 345.2 | 145.2 | 2,353.8 | 298.0 | 2,055.9 |
| 2021 |  | 362.6 | 2,382.4 | 0.1 | 2,744.9 | 705.0 | 319.3 | 385.7 | 3,130.6 | 246.3 | 2,884.3 |
| 2022 |  | 361.1 | 2,439.2 | 9.4 | 2,790.9 | 785.7 | 336.2 | 449.5 | 3,240.4 | 129.8 | 3,110.5 |
| 2022 | January | 362.6 | 2,382.9 | 0.2 | 2,745.3 | 659.4 | 314.7 | 344.8 | 3,090.0 | 229.3 | 2,860.8 |
|  | February | 362.6 | 2,368.9 | 2.3 | 2,729.2 | 731.2 | 337.9 | 393.4 | 3,122.6 | 216.6 | 2,906.0 |
|  | March | 386.9 | 2,677.4 | 2.3 | 3,062.0 | 763.8 | 331.8 | 432.0 | 3,494.0 | 206.3 | 3,287.8 |
|  | April | 386.9 | 2,628.9 | 3.5 | 3,012.3 | 806.3 | 341.7 | 464.6 | 3,476.8 | 180.0 | 3,296.8 |
|  | May | 386.9 | 2,641.2 | 2.3 | 3,025.9 | 836.8 | 340.8 | 496.0 | 3,521.8 | 188.6 | 3,333.2 |
|  | June | 362.0 | 2,599.5 | 2.3 | 2,959.2 | 807.7 | 336.2 | 471.5 | 3,430.7 | 143.9 | 3,286.8 |
|  | July | 362.0 | 2,655.7 | 2.4 | 3,015.3 | 798.5 | 331.2 | 467.2 | 3,482.6 | 177.9 | 3,304.7 |
|  | August | 362.0 | 2,622.2 | 9.7 | 2,974.5 | 761.6 | 323.9 | 437.7 | 3,412.1 | 152.4 | 3,259.8 |
|  | September | 333.0 | 2,410.1 | 9.2 | 2,734.0 | 759.7 | 320.7 | 438.9 | 3,172.9 | 85.7 | 3,087.2 |
|  | October | 333.0 | 2,398.8 | 9.5 | 2,722.3 | 754.8 | 332.4 | 422.4 | 3,144.7 | 78.5 | 3,066.3 |
|  | November | 333.0 | 2,449.8 | 9.4 | 2,773.4 | 732.8 | 322.4 | 410.3 | 3,183.7 | 99.6 | 3,084.2 |
|  | December | 361.1 | 2,439.2 | 9.4 | 2,790.9 | 785.7 | 336.2 | 449.5 | 3,240.4 | 129.8 | 3,110.5 |
| 2023 | January | 361.1 | 2,351.8 | 10.5 | 2,702.3 | 747.3 | 327.0 | 420.4 | 3,122.7 | 148.7 | 2,974.0 |
|  | February | 361.1 | 2,325.5 | 16.5 | 2,670.0 | 794.4 | 336.9 | 457.5 | 3,127.5 | 128.3 | 2,999.2 |
|  | March | 394.4 | 2,400.7 | 16.3 | 2,778.8 | 761.1 | 419.6 | 341.5 | 3,120.3 | 184.2 | 2,936.1 |
|  | April | 394.4 | 2,409.0 | 23.4 | 2,780.1 | 756.3 | 360.8 | 395.5 | 3,175.6 | 187.6 | 2,988.0 |
|  | May | 394.4 | 2,376.1 | 23.8 | 2,746.7 | 755.4 | 318.8 | 436.6 | 3,183.2 | 208.4 | 2,974.8 |
|  | June | 381.0 | 2,339.9 | 16.2 | 2,704.6 | 766.5 | 304.2 | 462.3 | 3,166.9 | 185.0 | 2,981.9 |
|  | July | 381.0 | 2,404.5 | 16.3 | 2,769.2 | 760.8 | 290.6 | 470.2 | 3,239.4 | 190.0 | 3,049.4 |

* Of gold and official foreign exchange holdings, in accordance with the Central Bank Ordinance as revised in 1991.


## TABLE 5a: CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET OF THE MONEY-CREATING INSTITUTIONS

In Afl. million

| End of period | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2022 |  |  | 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | May | June | July | May | June | July |
| ASSETS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Claims on money-creating institutions | 1,383.2 | 1,636.5 | 2,240.2 | 2,379.0 | 2,331.3 | 2,318.6 | 2,351.5 | 2,221.8 | 2,207.9 | 2,028.9 |
| a) Monetary authorities | 1,364.7 | 1,617.8 | 2,221.6 | 2,360.3 | 2,312.8 | 2,300.0 | 2,333.0 | 2,203.2 | 2,189.3 | 2,010.3 |
| b) Commercial banks | 18.5 | 18.7 | 18.5 | 18.7 | 18.5 | 18.5 | 18.5 | 18.6 | 18.6 | 18.6 |
| 2. Claims on the public sector | 626.5 | 610.5 | 499.7 | 556.2 | 487.4 | 487.5 | 487.5 | 556.7 | 514.8 | 512.3 |
| a) Short-term | 206.7 | 195.8 | 151.8 | 173.7 | 152.1 | 167.2 | 167.3 | 174.5 | 123.7 | 116.0 |
| b) Long-term | 419.8 | 414.7 | 347.9 | 382.4 | 335.3 | 320.3 | 320.2 | 382.2 | 391.1 | 396.3 |
| 3. Claims on the private sector | 3,461.5 | 3,470.7 | 3,423.3 | 3,481.5 | 3,392.2 | 3,427.1 | 3,434.4 | 3,616.3 | 3,673.9 | 3,693.3 |
| a) Enterprises | 1,533.8 | 1,523.7 | 1,501.3 | 1,512.1 | 1,470.8 | 1,500.4 | 1,499.9 | 1,619.0 | 1,670.9 | 1,682.4 |
| b) Individuals | 1,915.0 | 1,934.5 | 1,909.5 | 1,956.9 | 1,908.8 | 1,914.1 | 1,921.9 | 1,984.8 | 1,990.6 | 1,998.4 |
| 1) Consumer credit | 505.9 | 475.4 | 424.1 | 407.0 | 409.9 | 408.8 | 408.0 | 405.6 | 402.5 | 405.9 |
| 2) Housing mortgages | 1,409.1 | 1,459.2 | 1,485.4 | 1,549.9 | 1,499.0 | 1,505.3 | 1,513.9 | 1,579.2 | 1,588.1 | 1,592.5 |
| c) Capital market investments | 4.8 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.8 |
| d) Other | 7.9 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.7 |
| 4. Foreign assets | 2,393.5 | 2,699.1 | 3,450.0 | 3,585.9 | 3,865.0 | 3,769.2 | 3,816.2 | 3,525.8 | 3,487.3 | 3,546.3 |
| a) Gold | 303.4 | 376.7 | 362.6 | 361.1 | 386.9 | 362.0 | 362.0 | 394.4 | 381.0 | 381.0 |
| b) Short-term | 660.0 | 507.9 | 897.8 | 834.8 | 869.4 | 805.4 | 833.7 | 743.9 | 770.5 | 819.8 |
| c) Long-term | 1,430.1 | 1,814.5 | 2,189.6 | 2,390.1 | 2,608.6 | 2,601.8 | 2,620.5 | 2,387.5 | 2,335.9 | 2,345.5 |
| 5. Other domestic assets | 35.0 | -37.1 | -49.8 | -46.1 | -50.5 | -55.3 | -46.1 | -43.0 | -43.3 | -39.5 |
| 6. Total assets | 7,899.8 | 8,379.7 | 9,563.4 | 9,956.6 | 10,025.4 | 9,947.0 | 10,043.5 | 9,877.6 | 9,840.6 | 9,741.3 |

TABLE 5b: CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET OF THE MONEY-CREATING INSTITUTIONS (continued)
In Afl. million

| End of period | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2022 |  |  | 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | May | June | July | May | June | July |
| LIABILITIES |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Broad money | 4,568.8 | 4,797.4 | 5,365.5 | 5,543.8 | 5,378.9 | 5,408.5 | 5,431.8 | 5,552.1 | 5,726.3 | 5,620.7 |
| a) Money | 2,574.3 | 2,734.9 | 3,184.8 | 3,399.8 | 3,256.0 | 3,335.3 | 3,369.3 | 3,447.6 | 3,616.0 | 3,465.1 |
| b) Quasi-money | 1,994.6 | 2,062.5 | 2,180.7 | 2,144.0 | 2,122.9 | 2,073.2 | 2,062.4 | 2,104.6 | 2,110.3 | 2,155.5 |
| 8. Money-creating institutions | 1,367.1 | 1,621.6 | 2,221.5 | 2,360.8 | 2,260.8 | 2,279.9 | 2,320.0 | 2,205.1 | 2,191.2 | 2,011.3 |
| a) Monetary authorities | 1,367.1 | 1,621.5 | 2,221.5 | 2,360.8 | 2,260.8 | 2,279.9 | 2,320.0 | 2,205.1 | 2,191.2 | 2,011.3 |
| b) Commercial banks | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 9. Public sector deposits | 123.9 | 142.7 | 135.5 | 199.2 | 519.9 | 436.8 | 468.0 | 428.0 | 251.4 | 429.9 |
| a) Government | 123.9 | 142.7 | 135.5 | 199.2 | 519.9 | 436.8 | 468.0 | 428.0 | 251.4 | 429.9 |
| b) Development funds | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 10. Long-term liabilities | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| a) Government | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| b) Private sector | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 11. Subordinated debt | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 12. Capital and reserves | 1,041.3 | 1,058.1 | 1,165.3 | 1,266.1 | 1,206.9 | 1,215.6 | 1,192.7 | 1,041.8 | 1,059.6 | 1,074.3 |
| 13. Foreign liabilities | 465.4 | 345.3 | 319.4 | 345.6 | 343.1 | 338.4 | 333.6 | 342.6 | 320.4 | 306.9 |
| a) Short-term | 373.3 | 261.2 | 252.1 | 274.3 | 270.9 | 266.3 | 262.5 | 274.4 | 255.6 | 258.2 |
| b) Long-term | 92.1 | 84.1 | 67.3 | 71.3 | 72.2 | 72.1 | 71.1 | 68.2 | 64.8 | 48.7 |
| 14. Revaluation differences* | 215.5 | 298.0 | 246.3 | 129.8 | 188.6 | 143.9 | 177.9 | 208.4 | 185.0 | 190.0 |
| 15. Other domestic liabilities | 117.8 | 116.6 | 109.9 | 111.4 | 127.3 | 123.8 | 119.6 | 99.6 | 106.6 | 108.2 |
| 16. Total liabilities | 7,899.8 | 8,379.7 | 9,563.4 | 9,956.6 | 10,025.4 | 9,947.0 | 10,043.5 | 9,877.6 | 9,840.6 | 9,741.3 |

* Of gold and official foreign exchange holdings.

TABLE 6: CENTRALE BANK VAN ARUBA: SUMMARY ACCOUNT
In Afl. million

| End of period |  | Domestic assets | Foreign assets | Total assets = Total liabilities | Domestic liabilities |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Revaluation of gold and foreign exchange holdings | Foreign liabilities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Capital and reserves | Government | Develop- <br> ment <br> funds | Reserve money |  |  | Total reserve money | Other |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Notes | Demand deposits | Time deposits |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |  | (13) |
| 2019 |  | 33.1 | 1,789.1 | 1,822.2 | 120.0 | 17.3 | 0.0 | 258.9 | 459.8 | 738.4 | 1,457.0 | 8.0 | 215.5 | 4.3 |
| 2020 |  | 33.4 | 2,208.7 | 2,242.2 | 128.4 | 95.4 | 0.0 | 302.6 | 1,131.8 | 279.1 | 1,713.5 | 6.7 | 298.0 | 0.1 |
| 2021 |  | 33.9 | 2,745.0 | 2,778.9 | 124.8 | 41.7 | 0.0 | 298.6 | 1,519.4 | 540.8 | 2,358.8 | 7.3 | 246.3 | 0.1 |
| 2022 |  | 33.8 | 2,800.3 | 2,834.1 | 123.1 | 69.6 | 0.0 | 297.8 | 853.1 | 1,340.6 | 2,491.5 | 10.6 | 129.8 | 9.4 |
| 2022 | January | 35.9 | 2,745.5 | 2,781.3 | 126.0 | 30.3 | 0.0 | 290.6 | 1,509.6 | 588.9 | 2,389.0 | 6.6 | 229.3 | 0.2 |
|  | February | 35.8 | 2,731.5 | 2,767.3 | 127.3 | 22.1 | 0.0 | 291.1 | 1,463.5 | 634.7 | 2,389.3 | 9.6 | 216.6 | 2.3 |
|  | March | 35.7 | 3,064.3 | 3,100.0 | 130.7 | 339.2 | 0.0 | 295.0 | 1,377.9 | 738.3 | 2,411.2 | 10.4 | 206.3 | 2.3 |
|  | April | 65.2 | 3,015.8 | 3,081.0 | 132.5 | 336.1 | 0.0 | 297.4 | 1,293.5 | 827.2 | 2,418.0 | 10.8 | 180.0 | 3.5 |
|  | May | 60.6 | 3,028.2 | 3,088.8 | 134.3 | 357.8 | 0.0 | 293.1 | 1,165.9 | 936.7 | 2,395.7 | 10.1 | 188.6 | 2.3 |
|  | June | 56.1 | 2,961.5 | 3,017.6 | 137.6 | 311.6 | 0.0 | 292.3 | 1,070.2 | 1,050.4 | 2,413.0 | 9.3 | 143.9 | 2.3 |
|  | July | 48.6 | 3,017.7 | 3,066.3 | 102.6 | 324.6 | 0.0 | 288.4 | 1,009.2 | 1,148.4 | 2,446.0 | 12.9 | 177.9 | 2.4 |
|  | August | 43.1 | 2,984.2 | 3,027.3 | 105.9 | 284.5 | 0.0 | 286.1 | 823.9 | 1,351.1 | 2,461.1 | 13.7 | 152.4 | 9.7 |
|  | September | r 38.5 | 2,743.1 | 2,781.6 | 110.4 | 117.5 | 0.0 | 286.2 | 814.6 | 1,348.2 | 2,449.0 | 9.9 | 85.7 | 9.2 |
|  | October | 34.6 | 2,731.8 | 2,766.4 | 115.2 | 102.6 | 0.0 | 274.8 | 818.4 | 1,357.6 | 2,450.8 | 9.8 | 78.5 | 9.5 |
|  | November | - 33.9 | 2,782.8 | 2,816.7 | 119.3 | 100.3 | 0.0 | 286.4 | 843.9 | 1,344.4 | 2,474.7 | 13.4 | 99.6 | 9.4 |
|  | December | 33.8 | 2,800.3 | 2,834.1 | 123.1 | 69.6 | 0.0 | 297.8 | 853.1 | 1,340.6 | 2,491.5 | 10.6 | 129.8 | 9.4 |
| 2023 | January | 148.7 | 2,712.8 | 2,861.5 | 128.1 | 135.1 | 0.0 | 289.8 | 786.1 | 1,351.1 | 2,427.0 | 12.1 | 148.7 | 10.5 |
|  | February | 129.8 | 2,686.6 | 2,816.4 | 132.6 | 103.7 | 0.0 | 288.5 | 755.8 | 1,380.5 | 2,424.9 | 10.4 | 128.3 | 16.5 |
|  | March | 55.3 | 2,795.1 | 2,850.4 | 138.0 | 89.1 | 0.0 | 294.1 | 712.9 | 1,400.7 | 2,407.7 | 15.0 | 184.2 | 16.3 |
|  | April | 35.9 | 2,803.4 | 2,839.3 | 142.5 | 84.9 | 0.0 | 304.2 | 807.3 | 1,279.6 | 2,391.1 | 9.9 | 187.6 | 23.4 |
|  | May | 36.2 | 2,770.5 | 2,806.6 | 116.2 | 110.4 | 0.0 | 288.2 | 626.0 | 1,421.9 | 2,336.1 | 11.9 | 208.4 | 23.8 |
|  | June | 35.8 | 2,720.8 | 2,756.6 | 121.6 | 61.3 | 0.0 | 291.1 | 554.3 | 1,515.6 | 2,360.9 | 11.5 | 185.0 | 16.2 |
|  | July | 35.0 | 2,785.4 | 2,820.5 | 125.6 | 285.6 | 0.0 | 293.9 | 431.5 | 1,465.6 | 2,191.0 | 12.0 | 190.0 | 16.3 |

TABLE 7: COMMERCIAL BANKS' CONSOLIDATED SUMMARY ACCOUNT
In Afl. million

| End of period | June 2023 |  |  | July 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Overall | Resident | Non- <br> Resident | Overall | Resident | Non- <br> Resident |
| Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1) Cash | 80.4 | 47.4 | 33.1 | 76.9 | 48.0 | 28.9 |
| 2) Central Bank | 2,067.9 | 2,067.9 | 0.0 | 1,896.1 | 1,896.1 | 0.0 |
| a) Current account | 552.3 | 552.3 | 0.0 | 430.5 | 430.5 | 0.0 |
| b) Time deposits | 1,515.6 | 1,515.6 | 0.0 | 1,465.6 | 1,465.6 | 0.0 |
| 3) Due from banks | 530.8 | 0.0 | 530.7 | 522.5 | 0.0 | 522.5 |
| a) Current account | 445.8 | 0.0 | 445.7 | 455.4 | 0.0 | 455.4 |
| b) Time deposits | 85.0 | 0.0 | 85.0 | 67.1 | 0.0 | 67.1 |
| 1) One year and below | 85.0 | 0.0 | 85.0 | 67.1 | 0.0 | 67.1 |
| 2) Over one year | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 4) Loans | 3,770.1 | 3,653.3 | 116.8 | 3,790.5 | 3,672.9 | 117.6 |
| a) Enterprises | 1,101.4 | 1,101.3 | 0.1 | 1,104.1 | 1,104.0 | 0.1 |
| b) Individuals | 404.9 | 401.8 | 3.1 | 409.1 | 405.3 | 3.9 |
| c) Mortgage | 2,263.7 | 2,150.2 | 113.6 | 2,277.3 | 2,163.7 | 113.6 |
| d) Government | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 5) Securities | 551.9 | 475.9 | 75.9 | 549.3 | 473.4 | 75.9 |
| a) Short-term securities | 149.9 | 74.0 | 75.9 | 142.2 | 66.3 | 75.9 |
| b) Government bonds | 397.1 | 397.1 | 0.0 | 402.3 | 402.3 | 0.0 |
| c) Other | 4.8 | 4.8 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 0.0 |
| 6) Sundry | 88.4 | 78.4 | 10.0 | 98.4 | 82.5 | 15.9 |
| 7) Fixed assets | 121.2 | 121.2 | 0.0 | 121.8 | 121.8 | 0.0 |
| 8) Total | 7,210.7 | 6,444.2 | 766.5 | 7,055.4 | 6,294.6 | 760.8 |
| Liabilities |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9) Current account | 3,660.4 | 3,518.8 | 141.6 | 3,455.5 | 3,319.7 | 135.8 |
| a) Government | 190.2 | 190.2 | 0.0 | 144.3 | 144.3 | 0.0 |
| b) Private sector | 3,470.2 | 3,328.6 | 141.6 | 3,311.2 | 3,175.5 | 135.8 |
| 10) Savings deposits | 1,207.5 | 1,169.7 | 37.8 | 1,216.4 | 1,179.4 | 37.0 |
| 11) Time deposits | 1,016.5 | 940.6 | 75.9 | 1,037.9 | 976.2 | 61.7 |
| a) Development funds | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| b) Private sector | 1,016.5 | 940.6 | 75.9 | 1,037.9 | 976.2 | 61.7 |
| 12) Due to banks | 32.8 | 0.0 | 32.8 | 36.1 | 0.0 | 36.1 |
| 13) Other liabilities | 355.6 | 339.5 | 16.1 | 360.9 | 340.9 | 20.1 |
| 14) Capital and reserves | 938.0 | 938.0 | 0.0 | 948.7 | 948.7 | 0.0 |
| 15) Total | 7,210.7 | 6,906.5 | 304.2 | 7,055.4 | 6,764.8 | 290.6 |
| Supervisory ratios* |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital/risk-weighted assets ratio | 31.9 |  |  | 32.0 |  |  |
| Loan/deposit ratio | 59.6 |  |  | 61.7 |  |  |
| Liquidity ratio | 25.4 |  |  | 23.3 |  |  |

* Supervisory ratios cannot be derived from the consolidated balance sheet.


## TABLE 8: GOVERNMENT REVENUE

In Afl. million

|  | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2022 |  |  | 2023 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | May | June | July | May | June | July |
| TOTAL REVENUE | 1,402.4 | 1,062.2 | 1,090.7 | 1,311.4 | 167.5 | 121.1 | 123.9 | 241.1 | 138.4 | 125.7 |
| TAX REVENUE | 1,236.2 | 937.5 | 941.0 | 1,173.0 | 154.7 | 97.4 | 91.8 | 217.4 | 109.6 | 106.8 |
| Taxes on income and profit | 486.7 | 389.7 | 285.0 | 378.7 | 92.3 | 21.8 | 21.1 | 132.7 | 21.5 | 22.5 |
| Of which: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -Wage tax | 267.1 | 219.4 | 190.4 | 218.9 | 17.9 | 17.6 | 18.9 | 21.9 | 15.6 | 20.5 |
| -Income tax | 60.6 | 35.2 | 14.6 | 31.5 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 2.4 | 1.0 |
| -Profit tax | 159.0 | 135.1 | 80.1 | 128.3 | 72.7 | 2.9 | 1.3 | 107.1 | 3.5 | 1.0 |
| -Solidarity tax | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Taxes on commodities | 338.6 | 239.0 | 300.6 | 345.6 | 26.9 | 27.7 | 27.1 | 32.5 | 27.4 | 29.6 |
| Of which: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -Excises on gasoline | 73.8 | 62.0 | 69.3 | 71.4 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 6.3 | 6.1 |
| -Excises on tobacco | 15.2 | 12.2 | 14.6 | 14.7 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 1.1 |
| -Excises on beer | 31.4 | 19.8 | 26.8 | 29.5 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| -Excises on liquor | 31.6 | 17.7 | 33.3 | 32.2 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 3.4 |
| -Import duties | 186.7 | 127.4 | 156.7 | 197.7 | 15.6 | 15.6 | 15.8 | 19.8 | 15.6 | 16.8 |
| Taxes on property | 91.9 | 93.7 | 99.4 | 125.6 | 7.7 | 21.3 | 16.7 | 10.8 | 20.2 | 12.7 |
| Of which: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -Motor vehicle fees | 27.3 | 27.8 | 27.8 | 26.0 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 1.6 | 0.8 | 3.2 | 0.6 |
| -Succession tax | 0.6 | 0.5 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| -Land tax | 39.1 | 38.2 | 45.0 | 52.0 | 4.6 | 14.2 | 7.1 | 9.3 | 15.8 | 7.2 |
| -Transfer tax | 24.9 | 27.2 | 25.3 | 47.0 | 2.3 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 4.8 |
| Taxes on services | 52.1 | 23.7 | 32.2 | 46.0 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 9.9 | 8.5 | 8.6 |
| Of which: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| -Gambling licenses | 25.0 | 11.2 | 14.4 | 21.5 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.6 |
| -Hotel room tax | 7.5 | 2.8 | 5.0 | 7.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 6.5 | 5.4 | 5.2 |
| -Stamp duties | 2.4 | 1.7 | 0.6 | 1.9 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.4 |
| -Other | 17.3 | 8.0 | 12.2 | 15.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Turnover tax (B.B.O.)/(B.A.V.P.) | 215.6 | 150.0 | 181.1 | 222.6 | 19.2 | 18.6 | 18.4 | 27.2 | 26.8 | 27.7 |
| Foreign exchange tax | 51.3 | 41.3 | 42.7 | 54.5 | 4.8 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 5.7 |
| NONTAX REVENUE | 166.2 | 124.7 | 149.6 | 138.4 | 12.8 | 23.7 | 32.1 | 23.7 | 28.8 | 18.9 |
| Of which: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| - Grants | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| - Other nontax revenue * | 166.2 | 124.7 | 149.6 | 138.4 | 12.8 | 23.7 | 32.1 | 23.7 | 28.8 | 18.9 |

* Including dividend distributions.

Source: Department of Finance; Centrale Bank van Aruba

TABLE 9: GOVERNMENT'S POSITION WITH THE MONETARY SYSTEM

|  | Domestic deposits |  |  |  |  |  | Gross liquidity position | Liabilities to |  |  | Net liability to the monetary system | Change in net liability during period |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Central <br> Bank |  |  |  | Commercial banks |  |  | Monetary authorities | Commercial banks | Total |  |  |
|  | Free | Earmarked | Development funds | Total | Demand Development funds |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| End of period | (1) | (2) | (3) | $\begin{gathered} (4= \\ 1+2+3) \end{gathered}$ | (5) | (6) | $\begin{array}{r} (7= \\ 4+5+6) \end{array}$ | (8) | (9) | $\begin{gathered} (10= \\ 8+9) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & (11= \\ & 10-7) \end{aligned}$ | (12) |
| 2019 | 5.6 | 11.7 | 0.0 | 17.3 | 106.5 | 0.0 | 123.9 | 139.7 | 486.8 | 626.5 | 502.6 | 68.6 |
| 2020 | 53.2 | 42.2 | 0.0 | 95.4 | 47.4 | 0.0 | 142.7 | 190.5 | 419.9 | 610.5 | 467.7 | -34.9 |
| 2021 | 29.5 | 12.2 | 0.0 | 41.7 | 93.7 | 0.0 | 135.5 | 151.8 | 347.9 | 499.7 | 364.3 | -103.5 |
| 2022 | 24.4 | 45.2 | 0.0 | 69.6 | 129.5 | 0.0 | 199.2 | 152.8 | 403.4 | 556.2 | 357.0 | -7.3 |
| 2022 January | 18.0 | 12.3 | 0.0 | 30.3 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 130.3 | 151.8 | 347.9 | 499.8 | 369.4 | 5.1 |
| February | 6.9 | 15.2 | 0.0 | 22.1 | 84.2 | 0.0 | 106.4 | 151.9 | 335.4 | 487.3 | 380.9 | 11.5 |
| March | 13.3 | 325.9 | 0.0 | 339.2 | 96.4 | 0.0 | 435.6 | 152.0 | 335.3 | 487.3 | 51.7 | -329.2 |
| April | 24.9 | 311.2 | 0.0 | 336.1 | 86.8 | 0.0 | 422.9 | 152.1 | 335.3 | 487.4 | 64.5 | 12.7 |
| May | 45.9 | 311.9 | 0.0 | 357.8 | 162.1 | 0.0 | 519.9 | 152.1 | 335.3 | 487.4 | -32.5 | -96.9 |
| June | 33.0 | 278.6 | 0.0 | 311.6 | 125.2 | 0.0 | 436.8 | 152.2 | 335.3 | 487.5 | 50.6 | 83.1 |
| July | 45.8 | 278.8 | 0.0 | 324.6 | 143.3 | 0.0 | 468.0 | 152.3 | 335.2 | 487.5 | 19.6 | -31.1 |
| August | 22.3 | 262.2 | 0.0 | 284.5 | 149.7 | 0.0 | 434.2 | 152.4 | 335.2 | 487.6 | 53.4 | 33.8 |
| September | 26.1 | 91.4 | 0.0 | 117.5 | 132.2 | 0.0 | 249.7 | 152.4 | 329.2 | 481.6 | 231.9 | 178.5 |
| October | 26.0 | 76.6 | 0.0 | 102.6 | 138.5 | 0.0 | 241.1 | 152.5 | 329.2 | 481.7 | 240.6 | 8.6 |
| November | 23.5 | 76.8 | 0.0 | 100.3 | 171.9 | 0.0 | 272.2 | 152.6 | 329.1 | 481.8 | 209.6 | -31.0 |
| December | 24.4 | 45.2 | 0.0 | 69.6 | 129.5 | 0.0 | 199.2 | 152.8 | 403.4 | 556.2 | 357.0 | 147.5 |
| 2023 January | 89.1 | 46.0 | 0.0 | 135.1 | 119.4 | 0.0 | 254.5 | 152.9 | 403.3 | 556.2 | 301.7 | -55.3 |
| February | 53.1 | 50.5 | 0.0 | 103.7 | 164.9 | 0.0 | 268.6 | 153.0 | 403.3 | 556.3 | 287.8 | -13.9 |
| March | 37.6 | 51.5 | 0.0 | 89.1 | 150.9 | 0.0 | 240.1 | 153.2 | 403.3 | 556.5 | 316.5 | 28.7 |
| April | 34.4 | 50.5 | 0.0 | 84.9 | 173.3 | 0.0 | 258.2 | 153.3 | 403.3 | 556.6 | 298.4 | -18.1 |
| May | 57.7 | 52.7 | 0.0 | 110.4 | 317.6 | 0.0 | 428.0 | 153.5 | 403.2 | 556.7 | 128.7 | -169.7 |
| June | 31.4 | 29.9 | 0.0 | 61.3 | 190.2 | 0.0 | 251.4 | 117.7 | 397.1 | 514.8 | 263.4 | 134.7 |
| July | 94.9 | 190.7 | 0.0 | 285.6 | 144.3 | 0.0 | 429.9 | 110.0 | 402.3 | 512.3 | 82.5 | -180.9 |

TABLE 10: TOURISM


1) The Diversification Index measures the concentration within the tourist market, and thus demonstrates the degree of diversification by tourist origin countries. The higher the index, the higher the level of concentration, meaning less diversification. For further reference on the methodology (which is an application of a Herfindahl-Hirschman index) see the Quarterly Bulletin (2011-I) of the CBA.
2) Tourism credits is compiled from transactions in foreign currency, traveler's checks, and credit cards, as reported by the foreign exchange banks.

Source: Aruba Tourism Authority/Central Bureau of Statistics/Aruba Hotel and Tourism Association/Cruise Tourism Authority

TABLE 11: GROWTH IN STAY-OVER TOURISM

|  | Total visitor nights | Total visitors | North America | Of which U.S.A. | Latin America | Of which Venezuela | Europe | Of which Netherlands | Other |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Period | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) |


| 2021 |  | Monthly percentage changes 1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | January | -55.8 | -65.4 | -64.1 | -61.3 | -75.9 | -95.6 | -73.2 | -70.0 | -45.1 |
|  | February | -63.2 | -66.4 | -65.6 | -62.1 | -76.4 | -97.0 | -71.7 | -68.8 | -51.5 |
|  | March | 21.6 | 14.3 | 16.6 | 27.9 | 3.0 | -65.2 | -6.3 | -6.8 | 5.1 |
|  | April* | -35.7 | -37.4 | -30.1 | -26.4 | -80.5 | -99.0 | -61.8 | -51.1 | -53.9 |
|  | May* | -22.3 | -20.2 | -9.7 | -6.4 | -79.7 | -97.7 | -58.2 | -42.3 | 4.4 |
|  | June* | -15.1 | -14.5 | -4.8 | -2.2 | -71.4 | -92.6 | -47.9 | -9.1 | -3.0 |
|  | July* | -4.8 | -3.2 | 5.8 | 8.9 | -64.1 | -81.4 | -19.7 | 38.7 | 2.9 |
|  | August* | -17.5 | -16.5 | -6.9 | -3.8 | -63.8 | -85.4 | -41.9 | 33.6 | -12.9 |
|  | September* | -19.3 | -18.1 | -12.3 | -9.2 | -40.1 | -87.4 | -36.0 | 27.5 | -9.2 |
|  | October* | -9.4 | -11.8 | -7.7 | -5.6 | -34.0 | -88.2 | -21.7 | 23.4 | -14.4 |
|  | November* | -9.6 | -11.3 | -8.0 | -6.2 | -34.3 | -89.8 | -16.8 | 17.8 | -18.9 |
|  | December* | -8.9 | -11.1 | -11.3 | -9.5 | -18.7 | -76.6 | -3.9 | 27.9 | -0.6 |
| 2022 | January | 80.6 | 90.6 | 78.7 | 73.8 | 165.0 | 372.0 | 218.0 | 288.1 | 36.5 |
|  | February | 126.8 | 143.7 | 136.1 | 127.1 | 246.6 | 500.0 | 217.1 | 269.0 | 65.5 |
|  | March | 81.8 | 95.9 | 89.6 | 80.6 | 165.3 | 68.1 | 147.0 | 167.7 | 107.5 |
|  | April | 64.0 | 73.0 | 60.2 | 55.3 | 307.5 | 2,222.2 | 175.6 | 142.9 | 111.1 |
|  | May | 30.8 | 29.4 | 17.9 | 13.9 | 299.3 | 680.0 | 148.2 | 89.5 | -13.7 |
|  | June | 17.0 | 20.0 | 10.7 | 8.4 | 189.3 | 118.5 | 95.4 | 19.4 | -4.8 |
|  | July | 7.7 | 8.8 | 2.6 | 0.1 | 108.1 | 45.5 | 32.9 | -10.5 | 14.9 |
|  | August | 21.6 | 25.6 | 17.7 | 14.7 | 123.6 | 87.0 | 58.1 | -26.6 | 31.1 |
|  | September | 27.8 | 29.8 | 22.2 | 19.9 | 62.5 | 89.8 | 54.1 | -11.3 | 72.1 |
|  | October | 19.0 | 19.1 | 14.1 | 10.9 | 60.2 | 67.9 | 24.9 | -15.5 | 37.3 |
|  | November | 10.2 | 13.7 | 12.0 | 9.1 | 50.7 | 5.8 | 3.5 | -24.5 | 13.0 |
|  | December | 17.0 | 23.3 | 26.0 | 23.2 | 30.4 | 5.4 | -7.4 | -24.5 | 14.8 |
| 2023 | January | 49.1 | 65.5 | 70.6 | 62.0 | 77.8 | 32.2 | 11.8 | -15.5 | 73.3 |
|  | February | 25.3 | 25.8 | 24.4 | 17.8 | 73.3 | 17.9 | 3.5 | -19.9 | 39.9 |
|  | March | 12.4 | 14.0 | 12.4 | 8.8 | 56.5 | 38.0 | -1.5 | -25.1 | 17.8 |
|  | April | 5.9 | 7.5 | 6.7 | 4.8 | 41.1 | -15.8 | -19.2 | -22.6 | 24.0 |
|  | May | -1.4 | 3.2 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 17.3 | 35.0 | -35.7 | -28.8 | 6.5 |
|  | June | -1.7 | -1.0 | -1.7 | -1.9 | 35.7 | 45.8 | -38.6 | -27.7 | 20.1 |
|  | July | 0.4 | 2.6 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 66.3 | 7.1 | -31.4 | -26.5 | 4.4 |


|  |  | Cumulative percentage changes 2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2021 | January | -55.8 | -65.4 | -64.1 | -61.3 | -75.9 | -95.6 | -73.2 | -70.0 | -45.1 |
|  | February | -59.6 | -65.9 | -64.9 | -61.7 | -76.1 | -96.2 | -72.5 | -69.4 | -48.5 |
|  | March | -45.4 | -50.9 | -49.1 | -44.4 | -66.1 | -92.6 | -61.7 | -57.6 | -36.5 |
|  | April* | -53.1 | -55.9 | -51.7 | -48.1 | -82.1 | -98.7 | -68.7 | -62.9 | -55.5 |
|  | May* | -47.7 | -49.3 | -44.1 | -40.2 | -81.7 | -98.6 | -66.6 | -58.9 | -41.1 |
|  | June* | -42.4 | -43.3 | -37.3 | -33.5 | -79.8 | -98.1 | -63.4 | -52.2 | -35.0 |
|  | July* | -36.5 | -37.2 | -30.8 | -26.9 | -77.4 | -96.6 | -56.3 | -39.0 | -28.8 |
|  | August* | -34.2 | -34.6 | -28.0 | -24.1 | -75.7 | -95.0 | -53.9 | -30.7 | -26.9 |
|  | September* | -33.0 | -33.2 | -26.7 | -22.9 | -72.0 | -94.4 | -51.8 | -25.1 | -25.3 |
|  | October* | -31.0 | -31.4 | -25.1 | -21.4 | -69.0 | -94.0 | -48.8 | -20.2 | -23.9 |
|  | November* | -29.1 | -29.6 | -23.6 | -20.1 | -66.4 | -93.8 | -45.8 | -16.3 | -23.3 |
|  | December* | -27.0 | -27.9 | -22.5 | -19.2 | -62.6 | -92.0 | -42.4 | -12.6 | -21.2 |
| 2022 | January | 80.6 | 90.6 | 78.7 | 73.8 | 165.0 | 372.0 | 218.0 | 288.1 | 36.5 |
|  | February | 102.0 | 117.4 | 107.9 | 101.2 | 199.2 | 415.8 | 217.6 | 278.0 | 50.8 |
|  | March | 94.1 | 108.0 | 99.8 | 92.0 | 186.2 | 223.5 | 189.4 | 232.4 | 71.8 |
|  | April | 84.8 | 96.0 | 85.8 | 79.0 | 216.6 | 414.9 | 185.5 | 203.8 | 82.1 |
|  | May | 70.9 | 76.5 | 65.9 | 59.8 | 234.1 | 451.4 | 175.9 | 172.7 | 41.4 |
|  | June | 57.8 | 61.9 | 51.5 | 46.4 | 222.9 | 341.1 | 156.5 | 133.2 | 30.3 |
|  | July | 46.2 | 49.4 | 40.2 | 35.7 | 194.7 | 197.5 | 119.7 | 85.9 | 26.7 |
|  | August | 42.5 | 45.6 | 36.8 | 32.5 | 181.4 | 151.9 | 106.4 | 61.0 | 27.3 |
|  | September | 40.9 | 44.0 | 35.3 | 31.3 | 155.2 | 140.0 | 98.3 | 49.2 | 32.2 |
|  | October | 38.5 | 41.2 | 33.2 | 29.2 | 139.0 | 132.0 | 87.2 | 39.0 | 33.0 |
|  | November | 35.3 | 38.2 | 30.9 | 27.2 | 126.2 | 119.0 | 75.2 | 29.8 | 30.6 |
|  | December | 33.0 | 36.5 | 30.4 | 26.8 | 109.7 | 85.3 | 64.1 | 23.2 | 28.7 |
| 2023 | January | 49.1 | 65.5 | 70.6 | 62.0 | 77.8 | 32.2 | 11.8 | -15.5 | 73.3 |
|  | February | 36.7 | 43.0 | 43.9 | 36.3 | 75.6 | 26.5 | 7.5 | -17.8 | 55.2 |
|  | March | 27.8 | 31.1 | 30.7 | 24.8 | 68.8 | 29.8 | 4.5 | -20.2 | 38.5 |
|  | April | 21.8 | 23.9 | 23.4 | 18.6 | 59.9 | 10.1 | -2.0 | -20.8 | 34.1 |
|  | May | 17.2 | 19.5 | 19.7 | 15.9 | 49.1 | 15.0 | -9.8 | -22.3 | 26.9 |
|  | June | 13.8 | 15.6 | 15.6 | 12.5 | 46.1 | 20.0 | -15.1 | -23.0 | 25.7 |
|  | July | 11.5 | 13.4 | 13.1 | 10.4 | 49.6 | 17.0 | -18.0 | -23.6 | 21.2 |

1) As compared to a year earlier.
2) From the beginning of the year to the end of the indicated period as compared to the corresponding period of a year earlier.

* April up and to December 2021 as compared to the corresponding month for the year 2019


## TABLE 12: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

(June 2019 = 100)

| End of period | All groups index | Percentage Change |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Over 3 months earlier | Over a year earlier | Last 12 months over previous 12 months |
| 2020 | 97.1 | 0.1 | -0.1 | -3.1 | -1.3 |
| 2021 | 100.6 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 3.6 | 0.7 |
| 2022 | 106.4 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 5.7 | 5.5 |
| 2021 January | 96.9 | -0.2 | -0.1 | -2.7 | -1.8 |
| February | 97.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -1.9 | -2.2 |
| March | 97.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 | -1.1 | -2.3 |
| April | 97.6 | 0.0 | 0.7 | -0.4 | -2.3 |
| May | 97.4 | -0.2 | 0.4 | -0.2 | -2.2 |
| June | 98.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 1.0 | -1.8 |
| July | 98.5 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.8 | -1.4 |
| August | 98.8 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 1.4 | -1.1 |
| September | 99.2 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 2.2 | -0.7 |
| October | 99.3 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 2.4 | -0.3 |
| November | 99.9 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 0.2 |
| December | 100.6 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 3.6 | 0.7 |
| 2022 January | 100.1 | -0.5 | 0.8 | 3.3 | 1.2 |
| February | 100.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 3.5 | 1.7 |
| March | 101.5 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 2.1 |
| April | 102.2 | 0.7 | 2.1 | 4.7 | 2.6 |
| May | 102.5 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 5.2 | 3.0 |
| June | 103.3 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 5.3 | 3.4 |
| July | 104.5 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 6.0 | 3.7 |
| August | 106.4 | 1.9 | 3.8 | 7.7 | 4.3 |
| September | 106.2 | -0.2 | 2.9 | 7.0 | 4.7 |
| October | 106.3 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 7.0 | 5.1 |
| November | 106.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 6.6 | 5.3 |
| December | 106.4 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 5.7 | 5.5 |
| 2023 January | 106.7 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 6.6 | 5.8 |
| February | 107.6 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 7.1 | 6.1 |
| March | 107.5 | -0.1 | 1.0 | 5.9 | 6.2 |
| April | 107.1 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 4.9 | 6.3 |
| May | 106.6 | -0.5 | -0.9 | 4.0 | 6.1 |
| June | 106.2 | -0.4 | -1.2 | 2.8 | 5.9 |
| July | 106.2 | 0.0 | -0.9 | 1.7 | 5.6 |

* As of January 2017, the weights are based on the Household Expenditure Survey held by the CBS in 2016.


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