

Economic and Financial Data for South Africa



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Observations						
SDDS data category and component	Unit description	Date of latest	Latest data	Previous period	% change over same period of previous year	Agency
Real Sector Fiscal Sector Financial Sector External Sector Population						
External Sector						see DSBB
Balance of Payments ⁽¹⁾						
Imports of goods and services (nsa)	R Million	Q2/15	304036	308963		SARB
Exports of goods and services (nsa)	R Million	Q2/15	307300	288010		SARB
Net income receipts (nsa)	R Million	Q2/15	-16943	-19395		SARB
Net transfer receipts (nsa) ⁽⁸⁾	R Million	Q2/15	-8772	-8430		SARB
Financial transactions ⁽⁹⁾	R Million	Q2/15	3624	33071		SARB
Official Reserve Assets ⁽¹⁰⁾	US \$ Million	Oct/15	46051	46126		SARB
IMF reserve position	US \$ Million	Oct/15	220	201		SARB
Special drawing rights	US \$ Million	Oct/15	2491	2507		SARB
Gold	US \$ Million	Oct/15	4619	4510		SARB
Foreign currency reserves	US \$ Million	Oct/15	38720	38907		SARB
Other reserve assets	US \$ Million	Oct/15	0	0		SARB
Template on International Reserves and foreign currency liquidity	R Million	Oct/15	635503	640055		SARB
Merchandise Trade (nsa) ⁽¹³⁾						
Total exports (nsa)	R Million	Oct/15	86351	91845		SARS
Total imports (nsa)	R Million	Oct/15	107743	93106		SARS
International investment position as at end of quarter						
Assets	R Billion	Q2/15	5041	4901		SARB
Direct investment	R Billion	Q2/15	1982	1903		SARB
Portfolio investment	R Billion	Q2/15	1854	1798		SARB

<u>Equity</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	1740	1692	SARB
<u>Debt</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	114	106	SARB
<u>Financial derivatives</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	103	133	SARB
<u>Other investment</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	531	503	SARB
<u>Reserve assets</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	571	565	SARB
<u>Liabilities</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	5174	5165	SARB
<u>Direct investment</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	1607	1619	SARB
<u>Portfolio investment</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	2824	2748	SARB
<u>Equity</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	2055	1976	SARB
<u>Debt</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	770	772	SARB
<u>Financial derivatives</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	96	127	SARB
<u>Other investment</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	647	671	SARB
<u>Net position (external financial assets minus liabilities)</u>	R Billion	Q2/15	-134	-264	SARB
<u>External debt</u>	US \$ Million	Q2/15	141663	144406	<u>SARB</u>
Exchange rates					
<u>Monthly exchange rate of the rand against the US dollar</u>	Rand per US	Nov/15	14.1232	13.5002	SARB
<u>Nominal effective exchange rate ⁽¹¹⁾</u>	2010 = 100	Nov/15	59.34	60.84	SARB