

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	Sep/15	46126	46078		SARB
IMF reserve position	US \$ Million	Sep/15	201	201		SARB
Special drawing rights	US \$ Million	Sep/15	2507	2518		SARB
Gold	US \$ Million	Sep/15	4510	4541		SARB
Foreign currency reserves	US \$ Million	Sep/15	38907	38818		SARB
Other reserve assets	US \$ Million	Sep/15	0	0		SARB
Template on International Reserves and foreign currency liquidity	R Million	Sep/15	640055	614761		SARB
Merchandise Trade (nsa) ⁽¹³⁾						
Total exports (nsa)	R Million	Aug/15	87632	93084		SARS
Total imports (nsa)	R Million	Aug/15	97579	94198		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
Equity	R Billion	Q2/15	1740	1692	SARB
Debt	R Billion	Q2/15	114	106	SARB
Financial derivatives	R Billion	Q2/15	103	133	SARB
Other investment	R Billion	Q2/15	531	503	SARB
Reserve assets	R Billion	Q2/15	571	565	SARB
Liabilities	R Billion	Q2/15	5174	5165	SARB
Direct investment	R Billion	Q2/15	1607	1619	SARB
Portfolio investment	R Billion	Q2/15	2824	2748	SARB
Equity	R Billion	Q2/15	2055	1976	SARB
Debt	R Billion	Q2/15	770	772	SARB
Financial derivatives	R Billion	Q2/15	96	127	SARB
Other investment	R Billion	Q2/15	647	671	SARB
Net position (external financial assets minus liabilities)	R Billion	Q2/15	-134	-264	SARB
External debt	US \$ Million	Q2/15	141663	144406	SARB
Exchange rates					
Monthly exchange rate of the rand against the US dollar	Rand per US	Sep/15	13.6073	12.9118	SARB
Nominal effective exchange rate ⁽¹¹⁾	2010 = 100	Sep/15	60.41	63.31	SARB