

## 4 INTERNATIONAL RESERVES

end-of-period  
in million US dollars

	2018	2019	2020	2021											
			Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec <sup>P</sup>
Reserve Position in the Fund	473.8	590.4	813.1	813.4	812.5	793.9	803.8	807.9	798.4	799.7	797.2	786.2	787.3	781.7	801.6
Gold	8,153.5	8,015.9	11,605.3	10,692.5	9,170.4	9,113.5	9,310.4	9,907.1	8,875.0	9,148.8	9,155.1	8,848.5	9,130.2	9,003.4	9,332.8
SDRs	1,183.7	1,181.9	1,232.9	1,233.3	1,232.2	1,214.3	1,229.4	1,235.8	1,221.3	1,223.3	4,008.3	3,965.0	3,970.4	3,942.3	3,942.3
Foreign Investments	66,732.9	75,303.8	93,644.5	92,379.7	90,679.8	89,726.6	91,188.0	92,835.1	92,222.2	92,652.0	90,549.7	89,704.1	91,195.0	91,505.2	91,748.3
Foreign Exchange	2,649.5	2,747.5	2,821.6	3,554.9	3,266.3	3,635.6	5,173.5	2,464.7	2,645.8	3,327.6	3,454.4	3,292.4	2,805.9	2,490.9	3,066.1
<b>GIR</b>	<b>79,193.4</b>	<b>87,839.5</b>	<b>110,117.4</b>	<b>108,673.8</b>	<b>105,161.2</b>	<b>104,483.8</b>	<b>107,705.1</b>	<b>107,250.7</b>	<b>105,762.7</b>	<b>107,151.5</b>	<b>107,964.7</b>	<b>106,596.2</b>	<b>107,888.9</b>	<b>107,723.6</b>	<b>108,891.1</b>
Annual Growth Rate (in %)	-2.9	10.9	25.4	25.1	19.2	17.6	18.4	15.0	13.2	8.7	9.1	6.1	3.9	2.8	-1.1
Less:															
Liabilities	4.0	3.4	2.0	5.7	9.0	12.7	16.3	19.8	1.9	5.5	9.0	12.8	16.5	19.9	0.2
<b>NIR<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>79,189.4</b>	<b>87,836.1</b>	<b>110,115.4</b>	<b>108,668.2</b>	<b>105,152.2</b>	<b>104,471.1</b>	<b>107,688.8</b>	<b>107,230.9</b>	<b>105,760.8</b>	<b>107,145.9</b>	<b>107,955.6</b>	<b>106,583.4</b>	<b>107,872.3</b>	<b>107,703.8</b>	<b>108,890.9</b>
<b>Reserve Adequacy Measures</b>															
Import Cover <sup>2</sup>	6.9	7.6	12.3	12.4	11.9	11.7	11.5	11.1	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.3
Short-Term External Debt Cover															
Original Maturity <sup>3</sup>	492.9	510.5	775.0	770.1	727.0	765.1	777.9	758.3	748.3	759.0	785.3	862.5	873.0	871.6	881.1
Residual Maturity <sup>4</sup>	364.9	396.7	503.5	549.2	522.8	555.1	547.6	531.0	520.9	519.4	546.2	573.1	590.8	571.5	590.8
<b>Memo Item</b>															
Percent Share to Total GIR	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Reserve Position in the Fund	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Gold	10.3	9.1	10.5	9.8	8.7	8.7	8.6	9.2	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.6
SDRs	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6
Foreign Investments	84.3	85.7	85.0	85.0	86.2	85.9	84.7	86.6	87.2	86.5	83.9	84.2	84.5	84.9	84.3
Foreign Exchange	3.3	3.1	2.6	3.3	3.1	3.5	4.8	2.3	2.5	3.1	3.2	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.8

<sup>1</sup> Inclusive of gold monetization and revaluation of reserve assets and reserve-related liabilities which are excluded in the calculation of the balance of payments (BOP). Net International Reserves (NIR) refer to the difference between Gross International Reserves (GIR) and the total of the Bangko Sentral's short-term liabilities and the Use of Fund Credits (UFC). UFC refers to the sum of outstanding drawings from the IMF under various policies and facilities, other than drawings under the reserve tranche.

<sup>2</sup> Number of months of average imports of goods and payment of services and primary income that can be financed by reserves.

<sup>3</sup> Based on latest available outstanding short-term external debt.

<sup>4</sup> Refers to adequacy of reserves to cover outstanding external short-term debt based on original maturity plus principal payments on medium and long-term loans of the public and private sectors falling due in the next 12 months. Figures reflect data based on debt service schedule on outstanding external debt and outstanding short-term debt as of 30 September 2021.

<sup>P</sup> Preliminary

Details may not add up to total due to rounding.

Source: Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas