STATISTICAL ANNEX

CURRENT SITUATION OF THE COLOMBIAN ECONOMY

This is the Statistical Annex of the first edition of a new publication by the Governor of the Central Bank of Colombia. It is addressed to citizens, analysts, and domestic and foreign investors interested in learning about the most recent events in the Colombian economy, and their implications for monetary policy decision-making. The Statistical Annex will be updated on a monthly basis.

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MACROECONOMIC VARIABLES

	Annual growth rate (%	6) unless otherwise stated
	2015	2016
GDP	3.1	2.0
Total Consumption	3.6	2.0
Gross Investment	1.2	-4.5
Manufacturing	1.7	3.0
FOB Exports	-33.1	-13.4
FOB Imports	-15.4	-17.0
Trade Balance, FOB (% of GDP)	-4.8	-3.6
Current Account (% of GDP)	-6.4	-4.4

Source: DANE, Banco de la República.

MONETARY AND FINANCIAL SECTOR

		Billions of pesos	Annual Variation (%)					
MONETARY AGGREGATES		Mar. 2017 ^{1/}	Dec. 2015 / Dec. 2014	Dec. 2016 / Dec. 2015	Jan. 2017 / Jan. 2016	Feb. 2017 / Feb. 2016	Mar. 2017 / Mar. 2016	
	Monetary Base	75,786	17.11	2.52	-4.41	-5.21	-0.95	
	M1	95,152	10.43	-1.28	-0.71	-0.34	-2.48	
	M2	409,150	12.49	6.91	7.44	6.06	6.21	
	M3	444,681	11.67	7.08	7.53	6.43	6.19	

		Billions of pesos	Annual Variation (%)				
	ADJUSTED NET DEBT PORTFOLIO	Mar. 2017 ^{1/}	Dec. 2015 / Dec. 2014	Dec. 2016 / Dec. 2015	Jan. 2017 / Jan. 2016	Feb. 2017 / Feb. 2016	Mar. 2017 / Mar. 2016
CREDIT	Legal Currency	365,450	14.27	8.82	8.38	7.86	7.64
	Foreign Currency	21,155	13.17	-13.56	-20.32	-19.62	-10.50
	Total	386,606	14.19	7.23	6.26	5.89	6.46

			Perc	entage		
		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
	Intervention Rate	5.75	7.50	7.50	7.25	7.00
	IBR to one day	5.59	7.64	7.50	7.47	7.19
	Interbank Rate (TIB)	5.59	7.65	7.51	7.48	7.19
	DEPOSIT RATES	December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
	DTF	5.24	6.92	6.94	6.78	6.65
INTEREST	Fixed-term Deposit Certificate to 90 days	3.86	5.43	6.94	6.75	6.22
RATES	ACTIVE RATES	December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
	BR Active Rate ^{2/}	12.33	14.45	15.11	14.87	15.13
	Consumption Credit	17.64	19.39	20.88	20.03	19.78
	Ordinary Credit	11.94	14.06	14.30	13.79	13.84
	Preferential Credit	9.40	11.58	11.27	11.37	11.22
	Treasury Credit	9.71	11.86	12.22	12.03	11.96
	Micro-credit	36.11	37.72	37.74	37.72	36.77
	Construction	10.26	12.14	11.76	11.43	11.64
	Housing Acquisition	11.26	12.59	12.45	12.56	12.42

			Per	centage		
		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
CPI INFLATION	Total	6.77	5.75	5.47	5.18	4.69
	Food	10.85	7.22	5.97	5.21	3.65
	Tradables	7.09	5.31	5.37	5.75	5.59
	Non-tradables	4.21	4.85	4.83	5.06	5.33
	Regulated	4.28	5.44	5.93	4.55	4.05
		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
	Excluding food	5.17	5.14	5.26	5.17	5.13
CORE INFLATION INDICATORS	Excluding food and regulated items	5.42	5.05	5.06	5.35	5.44
	Excluding primary food, public utilities, and fuel	5.93	6.03	5.95	5.74	5.61
	CPI - Core 20	5.22	6.18	6.18	6.03	6.01

	Percentage		
MONTHLY SURVEY OF EXPECTATIONS TO ANALYSTS	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017

	To December 2017	4.51	4.61
INFLATION EXPECTATIONS	To December 2018	3.62	3.68
EXFECTATIONS	FORWARD BREAK-EVEN INFLATION (FBEI)	January 2017	February 2017
	For 2017	3.91	4.07

For 2018

EXTERNAL SECTOR

3.12

4.49

3.60

March 2017

3.78

3.28

3.32

			Pesos per US dollar					
NOMINAL EXCHANGE RATE		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017		
	Average	3,244.51	3,009.53	2,944.65	2,881.68	2,943.49		
	End of:	3,149.47	3,000.71	2,936.66	2,896.27	2,880.24		

REAL EXCHANGE RATE		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
INDEX	ITCR NT (PPI)	129.81	120.78	121.34	120.74	123.73

		Millions of US dollars					
		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017	
NET DIRECT INVESTMENT ^{3/}	Foreign Direct Investment in Colombia	11,732	13,593	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
	Colombian Investment Abroad	4,218	4,517	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	

	Millions of US dollars				
NET INTERNATIONAL RESERVES (NIR)	December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
	46,731	46,675	46,982	46,986	46,932

		December 2015	December 2016	January 2017	February 2017	March 2017
INTERNATIONAL	NIR/M3	35.40	31.50	31.31	30.36	31.07
RESERVES	NIR/GDP	16.00	16.50	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
INDICATORS	NIR/(Current account deficit + current year debt amortization)	1.10	1.35	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

Source: Banco de la República.

NOTES:

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{3/}}$ Corresponding to the information on the balance of payments.

n.a. Not available.

^{1/} Figures to 24 March 2017.

^{2/} The placement rate of Banco de la República is calculated as the weighted average value of consumer, credit, preferential, ordinary, and treasury rates. Because of the high rotation of the treasury portfolio its weighted is given by one fifth of its weekly disbursements.