| Gross domestic product Real growth rate | | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 201 | .7 | 201 | L8 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 202 |
|--|---|------|------|------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
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| Puestment (including inventories) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Real growth rate of fixed investment | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Primary balance | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Primary balance | | 4.3 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 5.7 | 5.2 | |
| Overall balance | | | 1.5 | 0.0 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 2.5 | | |
| Note | • | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Reserve money 6.3 7.1 12.1 8.8 19.4 | | | | | | | ••• | ••• | ••• | ••• | ••• | |
| Credit to the economy, percent of GDP 36.8 34.8 29.2 27.6 26.0 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Current account balance (percent of GDP) -5.3 -5.7 -4.6 -5.0 -6.3 -4.9 -5.4 -5.2 -5.1 -5.3 -5.7 -5.0 | | | | | (Millions | of U.S. do | llars, unle | ss otherwi | se indicated | (t | | |
| Current account balance (percent of GDP) | external sector indicators | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remittances and compensation of employees (net) 1,929 1,386 1,329 1,401 1,456 1,440 1,591 1,744 1,868 1,977 2,00 Gross official reserves 2,157 1,757 2,206 2406 2,611 2605 2,778 2,75 2,678 2,664 2,7 Gross official reserves (months of imports) 5,4 4,4 4,7 5,5 5,2 5,7 5,2 4,9 4,5 4,3 4,3 4,2 Exchange rate (Moldovan lei per USD, period avge) 14,0 18.8 19,9 20,0 8,2 <td< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>-5</td></td<> | | | | | | | | | | | | -5 |
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| Debt service (percent of exports of goods and services) 14.4 12.5 11.6 20.3 10.7 26.2 11.2 10.1 10.1 12.5 15. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Debt service (percent of exports of goods and services) | 14.4 | 12.5 | 11.6 | 20.3 | 10.7 | 26.2 | 11.2 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 12.5 | 13 |

Table 2. Moldova: Balance of Payments, 2014–22

(Millions of U.S. dollars, unless otherwise indicated)

| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|---|--------|--------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------|--------|--------|
| | | | • | 1st Review | Est. | 1st Review | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. |
| Current account balance | -422 | -372 | -315 | -369 | -504 | -381 | -493 | -508 | -521 | -571 | -569 |
| Merchandise trade balance | -2,900 | -1,995 | -1,945 | -1,971 | -2,397 | -1,961 | -2,494 | -2,662 | -2,819 | -2,907 | -2,998 |
| Exports | 2,354 | 1,985 | 2,061 | 2,271 | 2,370 | 2,419 | 2,559 | 2,723 | 2,876 | 3,057 | 3,250 |
| Imports | -5,254 | -3,980 | -4,006 | -4,242 | -4,767 | -4,380 | -5,053 | -5,385 | -5,695 | -5,965 | -6,24 |
| Services balance | -33 | 2 | 77 | 74 | 113 | 63 | 117 | 153 | 157 | 72 | 4 |
| Exports of services | 974 | 829 | 893 | 909 | 1,027 | 934 | 1,141 | 1,236 | 1,316 | 1,202 | 1,14 |
| Imports of services | -1,007 | -827 | -816 | -835 | -914 | -871 | -1,024 | -1,083 | -1,158 | -1,131 | -1,10 |
| Income balance | 824 | 453 | 463 | 430 | 556 | 439 | 587 | 648 | 690 | 738 | 79 |
| Compensation of employees | 991 | 700 | 643 | 700 | 724 | 708 | 793 | 870 | 923 | 977 | 1,03 |
| Income on direct and portfolio investment | -106 | -195 | -135 | -178 | -116 | -155 | -145 | -145 | -154 | -163 | -16 |
| Income on other investment | -61 | -52 | -45 | -92 | -51 | -114 | -61 | -77 | -79 | -76 | -7 |
| Current transfer balance | 1,687 | 1,168 | 1,090 | 1,098 | 1,224 | 1,078 | 1,297 | 1,352 | 1,451 | 1,527 | 1,59 |
| Remittances | 938 | 686 | 685 | 700 | 732 | 732 | 798 | 874 | 945 | 1,001 | 1,05 |
| Budget transfers | 317 | 151 | 102 | 101 | 179 | 76 | 155 | 168 | 177 | 180 | 18 |
| Other transfers | 431 | 331 | 303 | 297 | 313 | 270 | 344 | 310 | 329 | 347 | 35 |
| Capital and financial account balance | -157 | 109 | 647 | 404 | 829 | 423 | 425 | 512 | 499 | 607 | 65 |
| Capital account balance | -12 | -35 | -37 | -52 | -36 | -54 | -32 | -48 | -51 | -54 | -5 |
| Financial account balance | -145 | 143 | 684 | 456 | 864 | 477 | 457 | 560 | 550 | 661 | 71 |
| Foreign direct investment balance | 158 | 155 | 89 | 175 | 98 | 177 | 101 | 119 | 126 | 134 | 13 |
| Portfolio investment and derivatives | 8 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 8 | |
| Other investment balance | -311 | -16 | 595 | 279 | 762 | 296 | 352 | 438 | 417 | 520 | 56 |
| Loans | -2 | 64 | 33 | 137 | 89 | 170 | 164 | 324 | 229 | 235 | 26 |
| General government, net | 103 | 104 | 63 | 128 | 81 | 149 | 161 | 256 | 189 | 197 | 22 |
| Private sector, net | -105 | -40 | -30 | 9 | 8 | 21 | 3 | 67 | 40 | 37 | 4 |
| Other capital flows | -310 | -80 | 562 | 141 | 673 | 126 | 188 | 114 | 188 | 285 | 30 |
| rrors and omissions | -67 | -51 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Overall balance | -646 | -315 | 422 | 35 | 323 | 41 | -68 | 4 | -22 | 36 | 8 |
| Financing gap | 646 | 314 | 196 -422 | 250 -35 | 172 -323 | 242 -41 | 322 68 | 76 -4 | 0 22 | -36 | -8 |
| Gross international reserves (increase: "+") | -538 | -306 | 531 | 200 | 406 | 199 | 166 | -3 | -97 | -14 | 5 |
| Use of Fund credit, net | -29 | -42 | -37 | -43 | -46 | -19 | -20 | -49 | -75 | -50 | -3 |
| Monetary authorities | -29 | -35 | -37 | -43 | -45 | -19 | -20 | -49 | -54 | -48 | -3 |
| Purchases | 0 | 0 | 12 | 17 | 17 | 39 | 41 | 7 | 0 | 0 | , |
| Repurchases | -29 | -35 | -49 | -60 | -63 | -58 | -61 | -57 | -54 | -48 | -3 |
| General government | 0 | -6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -21 | -2 | _ |
| Purchases | 0 | 0 | 24 | 26 | 26 | 25 | 27 | 27 | 0 | 0 | |
| Repurchases | 0 | -6 | -24 | -26 | -27 | -26 | -27 | -27 | -21 | -2 | |
| Exceptional financing | 137 | 49 | -13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Other donors | 0 | 0 | 160 | 208 | 128 | 177 | 254 | 42 | 0 | 0 | |
| European Commission | 0 | 0 | 47 | 110 | 27 | 117 | 194 | 12 | 0 | 0 | |
| World Bank | 0 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 60 | 30 | 0 | 0 | |
| Romania | 0 | 0 | 68 | 99 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | (Perce | | | nerwise ind | | | | |
| Memorandum items: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross official reserves (millions of U.S. dollars) 1/ | 2,157 | 1,757 | 2,206 | 2,406 | 2,611 | 2,605 | 2,778 | 2,775 | 2,678 | 2,664 | 2,71 |
| Months of imports of good and services | 5.4 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 5.5 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.2 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 4.3 | 4 |
| Percent of short term debt and CA deficit | 71.9 | 59.3 | 65.8 | 65.4 | 69.9 | 70.8 | 71.5 | 69.2 | 61.2 | 57.2 | 60. |
| Pct of short-term debt at remaining maturity | 85.5 | 71.1 | 82.7 | 79.0 | 88.5 | 81.5 | 89.9 | 84.1 | 74.2 | 69.0 | 69 |
| Pct of the IMF composite measure (floating) 2/ | 128.4 | 112.4 | 134.9 | 143.8 | 147.6 | 149.3 | 146.2 | 136.7 | 125.4 | 118.5 | 115 |
| Current account balance | -5.3 | -5.7 | -4.6 | -5.0 | -6.3 | -4.9 | -5.4 | -5.2 | -5.1 | -5.3 | -5 |
| Goods and services trade balance | -36.7 | -30.6 | -27.6 | -25.6 | -28.5 | -24.6 | -26.2 | -25.9 | -25.9 | -26.2 | -26 |
| Export of goods and services | 41.7 | 43.2 | 43.6 | 42.9 | 42.4 | 43.4 | 40.9 | 40.8 | 40.8 | 39.3 | 39 |
| Import of goods and services | -78.4 | -73.8 | -71.2 | -68.5 | -70.9 | -68.0 | -67.1 | -66.7 | -66.7 | -65.5 | -65 |
| Foreign direct investment balance | 2.0 | 2.4 | 1.3 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1 |
| | | | | | | | | otherwise in | | | |
| Exports of goods | -4.7 | -15.7 | 3.8 | 10.2 | 15.0 | 6.5 | 8.0 | 6.4 | 5.6 | 6.3 | 6 |
| Exports of services | -1.9 | -15.0 | 7.8 | 1.6 | 15.0 | 2.8 | 11.0 | 8.3 | 6.5 | -8.6 | -4 |
| Imports of goods | -3.9 | -24.3 | 0.7 | 6.7 | 19.0 | 3.3 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 4.7 | 4 |
| Imports of services | 4.0 | -17.9 | -1.2 | 1.4 | 12.0 | 4.3 | 12.0 | 5.7 | 7.0 | -2.4 | -2 |
| Remittances and compensation | -8.3 | -26.9 | -0.1 | 5.2 | 6.8 | 2.8 | 9.0 | 9.6 | 8.1 | 5.8 | 5 |
| Remittances | -8.3 | -26.9 | -0.1 | 2.2 | 6.8 | 4.5 | 9.0 | 9.6 | 8.1 | 5.8 | 5 |
| Compensation of employees | -7.8 | -29.4 | -8.1 | 8.4 | 12.5 | 1.1 | 9.6 | 9.7 | 6.1 | 5.8 | 5 |
| Debt service (pct of exports of goods and services) | 14.4 | 12.5 | 11.6 | 20.3 | 10.7 | 26.2 | 11.2 | 10.1 | 10.1 | 12.5 | 13 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |

Sources: National Bank of Moldova; and IMF staff estimates.

^{1/} Includes revaluation changes, which were not captured by changes of gross official reserves in the BOP.

^{2/} The IMF composite measures are calculated as a weighted sum of short-term debt, other portfolio liabilities, broad money, and exports in percent of GDP. Official reserves are recommended to be in the range of 100-150 percent.

Table 3a. Moldova: General Government Budget, 2014–22

(Millions of Moldovan lei, unless otherwise indicated)

| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 201 | 17 | 20: | 18 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|--|--------|--------|---------|---------------|-----------|---------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| | | | Prelim | 1st Review | Est. | 1st Review | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. |
| Revenues and grants | 42,456 | 43,670 | 45,947 | 51,616 | 52,857 | 55,938 | 56,999 | 59,017 | 63,999 | 69,692 | 75,96 |
| Revenues | 38,542 | 41,764 | 44,574 | 48,887 | 51,644 | 53,775 | 54,212 | 58,181 | 63,247 | 68,872 | 75,07 |
| Tax revenues | 36,284 | 38,758 | 42,502 | 46,812 | 49,255 | 51,069 | 51,895 | 55,967 | 61,037 | 66,552 | 72,63 |
| Personal income | 2,447 | 2,745 | 3,182 | 3,334 | 3,570 | 3,728 | 3,852 | 4,180 | 4,556 | 4,963 | 5,41 |
| Corporate income | 2,431 | 2,808 | 3,363 | 3,617 | 4,105 | 3,950 | 4,481 | 4,965 | 5,500 | 6,101 | 6,65 |
| Property tax | 346 | 359 | 404 | 501 | 531 | 536 | 543 | 549 | 552 | 589 | 61 |
| VAT | 12,852 | 13,714 | 14,564 | 15,986 | 16,797 | 17,184 | 17,294 | 18,480 | 20,056 | 21,851 | 23,92 |
| Excises | 3,428 | 3,844 | 4,546 | 5,254 | 5,645 | 5,456 | 5,903 | 6,406 | 7,070 | 7,668 | 8,32 |
| Foreign trade | 1,457 | 1,328 | 1,452 | 1,333 | 1,569 | 1,582 | 1,585 | 1,719 | 1,869 | 2,026 | 2,20 |
| Other | 2,536 | 1,835 | 1,722 | 1,651 | 1,779 | 1,802 | 1,772 | 1,796 | 1,957 | 2,135 | 2,3 |
| Social Fund contributions | 8,372 | 9,269 | 10,031 | 11,578 | 11,628 | 12,872 | 12,546 | 13,617 | 14,841 | 16,167 | 17,6 |
| Health Fund contributions | 2,414 | 2,855 | 3,240 | 3,560 | 3,633 | 3,958 | 3,920 | 4,254 | 4,637 | 5,051 | 5,53 |
| Non-tax revenues | 2,259 | 3,006 | 2,072 | 2,075 | 2,389 | 2,706 | 2,317 | 2,214 | 2,210 | 2,321 | 2,43 |
| NBM profit transfers | 125 | 889 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Grants | 3,914 | 1,906 | 1,373 | 2,729 | 1,212 | 2,163 | 2,787 | 836 | 751 | 820 | 89 |
| Budget support | 1,606 | 0 | 953 | 1,769 | 476 | 1,577 | 2,189 | 217 | 186 | 203 | 22 |
| Project | 2,307 | 1,906 | 420 | 960 | 736 | 586 | 598 | 619 | 565 | 617 | 6 |
| Expenditure and net lending | 44,572 | 46,502 | 48,774 | 57,086 | 57,525 | 61,202 | 62,264 | 65,762 | 71,123 | 75,652 | 82,32 |
| Current expenditure | 39,752 | 41,059 | 43,773 | 49,553 | 50,184 | 52,830 | 54,288 | 55,514 | 60,223 | 64,893 | 70,6 |
| Wages | 9,088 | 10,530 | 10,967 | 12,461 | 12,657 | 13,192 | 13,769 | 14,391 | 15,555 | 16.828 | 18,2 |
| Goods and services | 9,960 | 10,151 | 9,498 | 11,316 | 11,277 | 12,357 | 11,645 | 12,568 | 13,566 | 14,800 | 16,1 |
| Interest payments | 624 | 1,099 | 1,812 | 2,023 | 2,083 | 2,170 | 1,962 | 2,264 | 2,487 | 2,509 | 2,8 |
| Domestic | 395 | 832 | 1,477 | 1,551 | 1,685 | 1,638 | 1,540 | 1,684 | 1,803 | 1,703 | 1,8 |
| Foreign | 229 | 268 | 334 | 473 | 398 | 532 | 422 | 580 | 684 | 806 | 9 |
| Transfers | 14,920 | 16,903 | 18.198 | 20,130 | 20,098 | 21,235 | 21,628 | 21,051 | 23,476 | 25,360 | 27,8 |
| Transfers to economy 1/ | 1,358 | 2,126 | 1,799 | 2,146 | 1,983 | 2,343 | 2,134 | 2,326 | 2,535 | 2,766 | 3,0 |
| Transfers to households | 13,562 | 14,777 | 16,399 | 17,984 | 18,116 | 18,892 | 19,494 | 18,725 | 20,941 | 22,594 | 24,8 |
| Other current expenditure | 5,161 | 2,376 | 3,299 | 3,622 | 4,068 | 3,877 | 5,285 | 5,240 | 5,139 | 5,396 | 5,6 |
| Capital expenditure | 4,819 | 5,443 | 5,000 | 7,534 | 7,341 | 8,372 | 7,975 | 10,248 | 10,900 | 10,759 | 11,6 |
| Of which: SOEs onlending projects | 7,013 | 3,113 | 340 | 1,203 | 504 | 1,432 | 550 | 2,242 | 1,755 | 1,400 | 1,5 |
| One-off revenue and expenditure items 2/ | 0 | 0 | -13,341 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | _, |
| Augmented overall balance (incl. one-off items) 3/ | -2,116 | -2,832 | -16,168 | -5,470 | -4,668 | -5,264 | -5,264 | -6,745 | -7,124 | -5,960 | -6,35 |
| Augmented overall balance (excl. one-off items) 3/ | -2,116 | -2,832 | -2,827 | -5,470 | -4,668 | -5,264 | -5,264 | -6,745 | -7,124 | -5,960 | -6,3 |
| Augmented primary balance (excl. one-off items) 3/ | -1,577 | -1,816 | -1,131 | -3,569 | -2,709 | -3,384 | -3,591 | -4,783 | -4,795 | -3,616 | -3,7 |
| Financing (excl. one-off items) | 2,116 | 2,832 | 107 | 2,563 | 2,312 | 2,592 | 2,489 | 5,730 | 7,124 | 5,960 | 6,3 |
| Budget financing | 164 | 260 | -1,431 | 49 | 1,116 | -1,588 | -1,574 | 713 | 1,541 | 64 | |
| Central government | 131 | 133 | -451 | 82 | 1,268 | -1,588 | -1,380 | 713 | 1,541 | 64 | |
| Net domestic | -78 | 17 | -127 | 1,508 | 2,305 | 560 | 87 | 3,128 | 3,804 | 2,072 | 1,6 |
| Net foreign (excl. project loans) | -241 | -437 | -710 | -1,856 | -1,481 | -2,348 | -2,210 | -2,530 | -2,299 | -2,158 | -1,8 |
| Privatization | 191 | 35 | 279 | 220 | 64 | 200 | 261 | 115 | 36 | 150 | 1 |
| Others | 259 | 518 | 108 | 210 | 380 | 0 | 482 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Local governments | 0 | 0 | -794 | -126 | -372 | 0 | -194 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Privatization | 236 | 19 | 18 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Social Fund | -9 | 37 | -96 | 0 | 126 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Health Fund | 42 | 90 | -91 | 93 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Net project loans | 1,707 | 2,333 | 1,538 | 2,514 | 1,196 | 4,180 | 4,063 | 5,017 | 5,583 | 5,897 | 6,3 |
| Of which: Onlending (through commercial banks) | 0 | 0 | -38 | -1,400 | -1,299 | -761 | -642 | -1,739 | 0 | 0 | |
| Financing gap | 0 | 0 | 2,719 | 2,907 | 2,356 | 2,672 | 2,775 | 1,015 | 0 | 0 | |
| World Bank | | | 889 | 0 | 0 | 1,257 | 1,061 | 540 | 0 | 0 | |
| IMF | 0 | 0 | 480 | 511 | 490 | 534 | 473 | 482 | 0 | 0 | |
| Others | | | 1,350 | 2,396 | 1,866 | 881 | 1,241 | -8 | 0 | 0 | |
| Financing for one-off items | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Government securities issued | 0 | 0 | 13,341 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Memorandum items: | | | | | (Million: | s of Moldov | van lei) | | | | |
| Public and publicly guaranteed debt | 40,367 | 54,943 | 56,793 | 65,883 | 60,353 | 73,431 | 67,376 | 77,119 | 83,602 | 90,553 | 98,7 |
| General Government debt | 33,690 | 47,166 | 49,594 | 59,614 | 54,767 | 67,261 | 62,108 | 72,633 | 80,009 | 87,761 | 96,4 |
| Domestic debt | 13,375 | 20,809 | 21,520 | 24,608 | 25,452 | 25,168 | 25,933 | 29,061 | 30,865 | 32,937 | 34,6 |
| Domestic expenditure arrears | 98 | 744 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| External debt | 20,217 | 25,613 | 27,973 | 35,007 | 29,315 | 42,094 | 36,175 | 43,572 | 49,144 | 54,824 | 61,8 |
| Other 4/ | 6,677 | 7,777 | 7,199 | 6,269 | 5,585 | 6,169 | 5,268 | 4,486 | 3,593 | 2,792 | 2,2 |

Sources: Moldovan authorities; and IMF staff estimates and projections.

^{1/} As of 2016, capital transfers are excluded from transfers to economy and recorded under capital expenditure.

 $[\]ensuremath{\text{2/\,Includes}}$ banking sector resolution costs in 2016.

^{3/} Augmented balance includes externally financed on-lending to SOEs. 4/ Includes mainly central bank liabilities to the IMF.

Table 3b. Moldova: General Government Budget, 2014–22

(Percent of GDP, unless otherwise indicated)

| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 201 | 17 | 20: | 18 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|--|------|------|-------|---------------|------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | | | 1st Review | Est. | 1st Review | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. | Proj. |
| Revenues and grants | 37.9 | 35.6 | 34.1 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 34.6 | 35.6 | 33.8 | 33.7 | 33.6 | 33.6 |
| Revenues | 34.4 | 34.1 | 33.0 | 33.0 | 34.7 | 33.2 | 33.9 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.2 | 33.2 |
| Tax revenues | 32.4 | 31.6 | 31.5 | 31.6 | 33.1 | 31.5 | 32.4 | 32.1 | 32.1 | 32.1 | 32.1 |
| Personal income | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| Corporate income | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.9 |
| Property tax | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| VAT | 11.5 | 11.2 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 11.3 | 10.6 | 10.8 | 10.6 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 10.0 |
| Excises | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.1 |
| Foreign trade | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1. |
| Other | 2.3 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Social Fund contributions | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.4 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7. |
| Health Fund contributions | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2. |
| Non-tax revenues | 2.0 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1. |
| NBM profit transfers | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0. |
| Grants | 3.5 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 1.8 | 8.0 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0. |
| Budget support | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0. |
| Project | 2.1 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0 |
| expenditure and net lending | 39.8 | 37.9 | 36.1 | 38.5 | 38.7 | 37.8 | 38.9 | 37.7 | 37.4 | 36.5 | 36 |
| Current expenditure | 35.5 | 33.5 | 32.4 | 33.4 | 33.7 | 32.6 | 33.9 | 31.8 | 31.7 | 31.3 | 31 |
| • | 8.1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wages | | 8.6 | 8.1 | 8.4 | 8.5 | 8.1 | 8.6 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 8.1 | 8 |
| Goods and services | 8.9 | 8.3 | 7.0 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7 |
| Interest payments | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1 |
| Domestic | 0.4 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0 |
| Foreign | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0 |
| Transfers | 13.3 | 13.8 | 13.5 | 13.6 | 13.5 | 13.1 | 13.5 | 12.1 | 12.3 | 12.2 | 12 |
| Transfers to economy 1/ | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1 |
| Transfers to households | 12.1 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 11.7 | 12.2 | 10.7 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 11 |
| Other current expenditure | 4.6 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2 |
| Capital expenditure | 4.3 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.9 | 5.7 | 5.2 | 5 |
| Of which: SOEs onlending projects | 7.5 | -11 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0. |
| One-off revenue and expenditure items 2/ | 0.0 | 0.0 | -9.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0. |
| Augmented overall balance (incl. one-off items) 3/ | -1.9 | -2.3 | -12.0 | -3.7 | -3.1 | -3.3 | -3.3 | -3.9 | -3.7 | -2.9 | -2. |
| Augmented overall balance (excl. one-off items) 3/ | -1.9 | -2.3 | -2.1 | -3.7 | -3.1 | -3.3 | -3.3 | -3.9 | -3.7 | -2.9 | -2 |
| Augmented primary balance (excl. one-off items) 3/ | -1.4 | -1.5 | -0.8 | -2.4 | -1.8 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -2.7 | -2.5 | -1.7 | -1 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Financing (excl. one-off items) | 1.9 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 2 |
| Budget financing | 0.1 | 0.2 | -1.1 | 0.0 | 8.0 | -1.0 | -1.0 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Central government | 0.1 | 0.1 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 0.9 | -1.0 | -0.9 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Net domestic | -0.1 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0 |
| Net foreign (excl. project loans) | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.5 | -1.3 | -1.0 | -1.5 | -1.4 | -1.5 | -1.2 | -1.0 | -0 |
| Privatization | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0 |
| Others | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Local governments | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Privatization | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Social Fund | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Health Fund | 0.0 | 0.1 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Net project loans | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2 |
| Of which: Onlending (through commercial banks) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.9 | -0.9 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -1.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Financing gap | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | C |
| World Bank | | | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| IMF | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Others | | | 1.0 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Financing for one-off items | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Government securities issued | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| Memorandum items: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ublic and publicly guaranteed debt | 36.0 | 44.8 | 42.1 | 44.3 | 40.6 | 45.2 | 42.1 | 44.2 | 44.0 | 43.6 | 43 |
| General Government debt | 30.1 | | | 40.0 | | 41.4 | | | | | |
| | | | 36.8 | | 36.8 | | 38.8 | 41.6 | 42.1 | 42.3 | 42 |
| Domestic debt | 11.9 | | 15.9 | 16.6 | 17.1 | 15.5 | 16.2 | 16.7 | 16.2 | 15.9 | 15 |
| Domestic expenditure arrears | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 |
| External debt | 18.0 | 20.9 | 20.7 | 23.4 | 19.7 | 25.9 | 22.6 | 25.0 | 25.8 | 26.4 | 27 |
| Other 4/ | 6.0 | 6.3 | 5.3 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.3 | |

Sources: Moldovan authorities; and IMF staff estimates and projections.

^{1/} As of 2016, capital transfers are excluded from transfers to economy and recorded under capital expenditure.

^{2/} Includes banking sector resolution costs in 2016.

^{3/} Augmented balance includes externally financed on-lending to SOEs.

^{4/} Includes mainly central bank liabilities to the IMF.

Table 4. Moldova: Accounts of the National Bank of Moldova and Monetary Survey, 2011–17

(Millions of Moldovan lei, unless otherwise indicated) 1/

| | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 |
|---|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|
| | | | | | | | Est. |
| National Bank of Moldova | | | | | | | |
| Net foreign assets | 19,146 | 24,690 | 30,969 | 27,540 | 27,826 | 37,695 | 40,64 |
| NFA (convertible) | 19,188 | 24,693 | 31,006 | 27,539 | 27,850 | 38,041 | 41,33 |
| Gross reserves | 23,025 | 30,339 | 36,829 | 33,676 | 34,536 | 44,078 | 46,28 |
| Reserve liabilities | 3,836 | 5,647 | 5,823 | 6,137 | 6,686 | 6,037 | 4,94 |
| Net domestic assets | -1,992 | -4,159 | -4,891 | 182 | 1,863 | -4,419 | -92 |
| Net claims on general government | 323 | 192 | 476 | -270 | -1,163 | 10,397 | 9,03 |
| Credit to banks | -2,514 | -3,451 | -2,340 | 7,427 | 13,399 | -5,915 | -5,12 |
| Other items (net) | 199 | -900 | -3,027 | -6,975 | -10,373 | -8,901 | -4,84 |
| Reserve money | 17,154 | 20,531 | 26,078 | 27,722 | 29,689 | 33,276 | 39,72 |
| Currency in circulation | 10,895 | 13,241 | 17,550 | 17,500 | 15,509 | 17,274 | 19,19 |
| Banks' reserves | 6,259 | 7,285 | 8,515 | 10,222 | 13,335 | 15,007 | 20,52 |
| Required reserves | 4,450 | 5,202 | 6,346 | 6,290 | 11,521 | 13,494 | 16,85 |
| Other reserves | 1,809 | 2,082 | 2,169 | 3,932 | 1,814 | 1,513 | 3,67 |
| Monetary survey | | | | | | | |
| Net foreign assets | 16,450 | 23,141 | 31,550 | 43,153 | 48,815 | 61,523 | 68,09 |
| NFA (convertible) | 16,845 | 23,427 | 31,731 | 37,497 | 43,317 | 55,633 | 61,65 |
| Of which: commercial banks | -2,344 | -1,266 | 725 | 9,958 | 15,466 | 17,593 | 20,31 |
| Foreign assets of commercial banks | 3,538 | 4,778 | 10,496 | 19,005 | 22,205 | 22,274 | 24,49 |
| Foreign liabilities of commercial banks | -5,881 | -6,044 | -9,770 | -9,047 | -6,739 | -4,681 | -4,17 |
| NFA (non-convertible) | -395 | -286 | -181 | 5,656 | 5,499 | 5,889 | 6,44 |
| Net domestic assets | 24,527 | 26,372 | 31,081 | 22,820 | 15,191 | 8,997 | 10,37 |
| Net claims on general government | 1,512 | 1,004 | 1,387 | 821 | -177 | 12,586 | 12,56 |
| Credit to economy | 30,963 | 35,948 | 42,691 | 41,273 | 42,593 | 39,455 | 38,71 |
| Moldovan lei | 17,174 | 20,624 | 25,347 | 25,173 | 24,091 | 21,657 | 22,24 |
| Foreign exchange | 13,788 | 15,324 | 17,343 | 16,100 | 18,503 | 17,798 | 16,46 |
| in U.S. dollars | 1,175 | 1,270 | 1,328 | 1,031 | 941 | 891 | 92 |
| Other items (net) | -7,948 | -10,580 | -12,996 | -19,274 | -27,226 | -43,044 | -40,89 |
| Broad money (M3) | 40,977 | 49,513 | 62,632 | 65,973 | 64,006 | 70,520 | 78,47 |
| Broad money (M2: excluding FCD) | 28,265 | 34,915 | 45,117 | 43,220 | 39,261 | 46,430 | 52,06 |
| Currency in circulation | 10,865 | 13,241 | 17,550 | 17,509 | 15,509 | 17,274 | 19,19 |
| Total deposits | 30,113 | 36,272 | 45,081 | 48,464 | 48,497 | 53,245 | 59,27 |
| Domestic currency deposits | 17,400 | 21,674 | 27,567 | 25,711 | 23,751 | 29,155 | 32,86 |
| Foreign currency deposits (FCD) | 12,712 | 14,599 | 17,514 | 22,753 | 24,745 | 24,090 | 26,41 |
| in U.S. dollars | 1,083 | 1,210 | 1,341 | 1,457 | 1,259 | 1,206 | 1,49 |
| Memorandum items: | | | | | | | |
| Reserve money growth (percent change; annual) | 21.8 | 19.7 | 27.0 | 6.3 | 7.1 | 12.1 | 19 |
| Broad money growth (percent change; annual) | 10.6 | 20.8 | 26.5 | 5.3 | -3.0 | 10.2 | 11 |
| Credit to economy (percent change, annual) | 15.0 | 16.1 | 18.8 | -3.3 | 3.2 | -7.4 | -1 |
| in lei | 10.6 | 20.1 | 22.9 | -0.7 | -4.3 | -10.1 | 2 |
| in foreign exchange (\$ equivalent) | 25.4 | 8.1 | 4.6 | -22.4 | -8.7 | -5.4 | 4 |
| Gross international reserves (millions of U.S. dollars) | 1,962 | 2,515 | 2,821 | 2,157 | 1,757 | 2,206 | 2,61 |
| Percent of domestic-currency broad money | 81 | 87 | 82 | 78 | 88 | 95 | -, |
| Net international reserves (millions of U.S. dollars) | 1,635 | 2,047 | 2,375 | 1,764 | 1,417 | 1,904 | 2,33 |
| Broad money multiplier | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2,33 |

Sources: National Bank of Moldova; and IMF staff estimates and projections.

1/ Monetary accounts are presented at actual exchange rates, unless otherwise indicated.

| | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | | 201 | 6 | | | 2017 | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | Dec | Mar | Jun | Sep | Dec | Mar | Jun | Sep |
| Size | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Number of banks | 15 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 1: |
| Total bank assets (billions of lei) | 39.9 | 42.3 | 47.7 | 58.3 | 76.2 | 97.5 | 69.1 | 69.7 | 70.6 | 72.7 | 72.9 | 74.0 | 75.0 | 77. |
| Total bank assets (percent of GDP) | 66.1 | 58.8 | 57.9 | 66.1 | 76.3 | 87.0 | 56.7 | 51.8 | 52.5 | 54.1 | 54.2 | 49.9 | 50.6 | 52. |
| Capital adequacy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Capital adequacy ratio | 32.3 | 30.1 | 30.4 | 24.8 | 23.4 | 13.2 | 26.2 | 27.8 | 27.0 | 28.7 | 30.1 | 29.7 | 28.9 | 30. |
| Liquidity | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liquid assets (billions of lei) | 15.3 | 14.4 | 15.8 | 19.2 | 25.7 | 21.1 | 28.7 | 29.5 | 31.8 | 34.3 | 35.9 | 37.2 | 38.5 | 41. |
| Total deposits (billions of lei) | 24.4 | 28.7 | 32.6 | 39.8 | 51.9 | 65.5 | 50.2 | 50.1 | 52.2 | 54.3 | 54.8 | 55.6 | 56.2 | 58. |
| Liquidity ratio (liquid assets in percent of total deposits) | 62.6 | 50.3 | 48.5 | 48.2 | 49.6 | 32.2 | 57.2 | 58.9 | 60.8 | 63.3 | 65.5 | 67.0 | 68.5 | 71.0 |
| Liquid assets in total assets | 38.3 | 34.2 | 33.2 | 32.9 | 33.8 | 21.6 | 41.5 | 42.3 | 45.0 | 47.2 | 49.2 | 50.3 | 51.3 | 53. |
| Asset quality | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross loans (billions of lei) | 22.4 | 25.5 | 29.8 | 35.0 | 42.2 | 40.8 | 38.2 | 37.9 | 37.2 | 36.3 | 34.8 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 33. |
| Nonperforming loans (billions of lei) | 3.7 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 4.2 | 6.0 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 6.0 | 5.5 |
| Nonperforming loans as a share of total loans | 16.3 | 13.3 | 10.7 | 14.5 | 11.6 | 11.7 | 9.9 | 11.1 | 16.1 | 15.8 | 16.4 | 16.2 | 17.6 | 17. |
| Provisions to non-performing loans | 59.2 | 63.2 | 65.0 | 73.5 | 83.6 | 88.4 | 85.5 | 86.4 | 73.6 | 78.7 | 81.8 | 84.9 | 83.8 | 83. |
| Profitability | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Return on equity | -2.1 | 3.0 | 11.5 | 5.6 | 9.4 | 6.1 | 12.8 | 15.7 | 14.2 | 15.0 | 12.0 | 15.3 | 14.6 | 14. |
| Return on assets | -0.4 | 0.5 | 2.0 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| Foreign currency assets and liabilities | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Foreign currency denominated liabilities in total liabilities | 51.7 | 50.7 | 50.4 | 48.9 | 51.0 | 49.5 | 52.8 | 51.7 | 49.3 | 47.4 | 46.8 | 46.2 | 44.9 | 46.4 |
| Foreign currency denominated assets in total assests | 40.2 | 40.8 | 40.5 | 40.9 | 44.7 | 47.0 | 42.5 | 41.6 | 41.5 | 39.6 | 38.9 | 38.0 | 37.5 | 38. |
| Foreign currency deposits in total deposits | 49.3 | 45.6 | 42.2 | 40.2 | 44.7 | 52.1 | 52.5 | 51.8 | 48.8 | 47.0 | 46.5 | 45.7 | 44.5 | 46.0 |
| Foreign currency denominated loans in total loans | 44.7 | 42.3 | 44.5 | 42.6 | 40.4 | 39.8 | 42.1 | 43.4 | 43.5 | 44.6 | 44.3 | 43.3 | 41.6 | 41.4 |

| | | Table | 6. Mo | ldova: | Sched | lule of Reviews and Disbursements 1/ |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|---|
| | Amou | nt of Pu | rchase | Perce | ent of | |
| | (milli | ons of S | DRs) | Qu | ota | |
| Available on or after | Total | ECF | EFF | ECF | EFF | Conditions |
| 1. November 7, 2016 | 26.0 | 8.7 | 17.3 | 5% | 10% | Board approval of the Arrangement |
| 2. March 20, 2017 | 15.7 | 5.2 | 10.5 | 3% | 6% | Observance of end-December 2016 performance criteria and completion of first review |
| 3. September 20, 2017 | 15.7 | 5.2 | 10.5 | 3% | 6% | Observance of end-June 2017 performance criteria and completion of second review |
| 4. March 20, 2018 | 24.0 | 8.0 | 16.0 | 5% | 9% | Observance of end-December 2017 performance criteria and completion of third review |
| 5. September 20, 2018 | 24.0 | 8.0 | 16.0 | 5% | 9% | Observance of end-June 2018 performance criteria and completion of forth review |
| 6. March 20, 2019 | 24.0 | 8.0 | 16.0 | 5% | 9% | Observance of end-December 2018 performance criteria and completion of fifth review |
| Total | 129.4 | 43.1 | 86.3 | 25% | 50% | |

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Source: IMF staff estimates.

1/ Moldova's quota is SDR 172.5 million.

| | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | | | | | _ | | | Projec | tion | | |
| Fund obligations based on existing credit (millions of SDRs) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Principal | 3.9 | 10.5 | 14.2 | 19.3 | 29.1 | 52.5 | 63.5 | 62.5 | 59.0 | 53.4 | 35.3 | 20.1 |
| Charges and interest | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.3 |
| Fund obligations based on existing and prospective credit | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Principal | 3.9 | 10.5 | 14.2 | 19.3 | 29.1 | 52.5 | 63.5 | 65.8 | 62.4 | 56.3 | 37.9 | 25.5 |
| Charges and interest | 0.8 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 2.3 |
| Total obligations based on existing and prospective credit | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Millions of SDRs | 4.7 | 11.7 | 15.8 | 21.0 | 30.7 | 54.1 | 65.9 | 69.1 | 65.7 | 59.3 | 40.5 | 27.8 |
| Millions of U.S. dollars | 7.2 | 18.5 | 24.4 | 32.0 | 48.4 | 82.8 | 100.1 | 104.9 | 99.8 | 90.0 | 61.5 | 42.2 |
| Percent of exports of goods and services | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.7 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 1.4 | 1.0 |
| Percent of debt service 2/ | 8.3 | 20.3 | 24.0 | 31.2 | 52.5 | 66.5 | 55.1 | 43.6 | 37.7 | 34.2 | 24.6 | 18.6 |
| Percent of GDP | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Percent of gross international reserves | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.4 | 2.3 | 1.6 |
| Percent of quota | 3.8 | 9.5 | 12.9 | 17.0 | 24.9 | 31.3 | 38.2 | 40.0 | 38.1 | 34.4 | 23.5 | 16.1 |
| Outstanding Fund credit based on existing and prospective credit | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Millions of SDRs | 308.7 | 398.2 | 384.0 | 364.7 | 335.6 | 309.1 | 277.0 | 262.6 | 227.5 | 174.2 | 138.9 | 115.7 |
| Millions of U.S. dollars | 472.4 | 628.8 | 592.0 | 556.4 | 529.8 | 473.4 | 421.0 | 399.0 | 345.8 | 264.7 | 211.1 | 175.8 |
| Percent of exports of goods and services | 15.0 | 20.1 | 17.1 | 16.7 | 18.8 | 16.0 | 12.4 | 10.8 | 8.7 | 6.3 | 5.0 | 4.0 |
| Percent of debt service 2/ | 544.5 | 687.7 | 582.7 | 541.7 | 574.1 | 380.4 | 231.6 | 165.9 | 130.7 | 100.4 | 84.5 | 77.3 |
| Percent of GDP | 6.7 | 8.6 | 7.4 | 7.0 | 8.1 | 7.0 | 5.3 | 4.4 | 3.6 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.6 |
| Percent of gross international reserves | 24.0 | 25.0 | 21.0 | 25.8 | 30.2 | 21.5 | 16.1 | 14.4 | 12.5 | 9.9 | 7.9 | 6.5 |
| Percent of quota | 250.6 | 323.2 | 311.7 | 296.1 | 272.4 | 179.2 | 160.6 | 152.2 | 131.9 | 101.0 | 80.5 | 67.1 |
| Net use of Fund credit (millions of SDRs) | 96.1 | 89.5 | -14.2 | -19.3 | -29.1 | -52.5 | -32.1 | -17.8 | -38.4 | -56.3 | -37.9 | -25.5 |
| Disbursements and purchases 3/ | 100.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 31.4 | 48.0 | 24.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Repayments and repurchases | 3.9 | 10.5 | 14.2 | 19.3 | 29.1 | 52.5 | 63.5 | 65.8 | 62.4 | 56.3 | 37.9 | 25.5 |
| Memorandum items: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Exports of goods and services (millions of U.S. dollars) | 3,143 | 3,135 | 3,462 | 3,329 | 2,813 | 2,954 | 3,397 | 3,700 | 3,959 | 4,191 | 4,260 | 4,394 |
| Debt service (millions of U.S. dollars) 2/ | 86.8 | 91.4 | 101.6 | 102.7 | 92.3 | 124.5 | 181.8 | 240.5 | 264.6 | 263.6 | 249.7 | 227.3 |
| Nominal GDP (millions of U.S. dollars) 2/ | 7,018 | 7,283 | 7,985 | 7,983 | 6,514 | 6,773 | 8,018 | 9,055 | 9,694 | 10,280 | 10,834 | 11,227 |
| Gross International Reserves (millions of U.S. dollars) | 1,965 | 2,515 | 2,821 | 2,157 | 1,757 | 2,206 | 2,611 | 2,778 | 2,775 | 2,678 | 2,664 | 2,719 |
| Average exchange rate: SDR per U.S. dollars | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| Quota (millions of SDRs) | 123.2 | 123.2 | 123.2 | 123.2 | 123.2 | 172.5 | 172.5 | 172.5 | 172.5 | 172.5 | 172.5 | 172.5 |

Sources: IMF staff estimates and projections.

^{1/} Assume repurchases are made on obligations schedule. 2/ Total debt service includes IMF repurchases and repayments.

^{3/} In 2009, does not include Moldova use of the SDR allocation of SDR 117.71 million.

 Table 8. Moldova: Quantitative Performance Targets, December 2017–December 2018

(Cumulative from the beginning of calendar year; millions of Moldovan lei unless otherwise indicated)

| _ | Jun 2 | 2017 | Sept | 2017 | Dec 2017 | Mar 2018 | Jun 2018 | Sept 2018 | Dec 2018 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|
| | Target | Actual | Target | Actual | Target | Target | Target | Target | Target |
| 1. Quantitative performance criteria ^{1/} | | | | | | | | | |
| Ceiling on the augmented cash deficit of the general | | | | | | | | | |
| government | 3,670 | 233 | 5,485 | -958 | 5,513 | 1,339 | 3,548 | 3,996 | 5,264 |
| Of which: on-lending agreements with external creditors | 2,21.2 | | -, | | 5/5 = 5 | _,555 | 2,2 12 | 2,222 | -, |
| to state-owned enterprises | 410 | 132 | 808 | 204 | 504 | 170 | 257 | 365 | 550 |
| Floor on net international reserves of the NBM (stock, | | | | | | | | | |
| millions of U.S. dollars) ^{2/} | 1,843 | 2,053 | 1,962 | 2293 | 2,131 | 2,368 | 2,349 | 2,409 | 2,487 |
| 2. Continuous performance criteria | | | | | | | | | |
| Ceiling on accumulation of external payment arrears | | | | | | | | | |
| (millions of U.S. dollars) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ceiling on absorption by the government of losses or | | | | | | | | | |
| liabilities and making of payments on behalf of utilities and | | | | | | | | | |
| other companies | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. Indicative targets | | | | | | | | | |
| Ceiling on the stock of accumulated domestic government | | | | | | | | | |
| arrears ^{3/} | 26 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ceiling on the general government wage bill | 6,358 | 6,283 | 9,292 | 9,155 | 12,657 | 3,287 | 7,244 | 10,535 | 13,769 |
| Floor on priority social spending of the general government | 8,450 | 8,515 | 12,766 | 12,862 | 17,660 | 4,598 | 9,463 | 14,227 | 19,134 |
| Floor on project spending funded from external sources ^{4/} | | | N/A | | N/A | 262 | 647 | 1,713 | 3,540 |
| 4. Inflation Consultation Bands (in percent) | | | | | | | | | |
| Outer Band (upper limit) | 7.7 | | 8.2 | | 9.0 | 7.8 | 5.6 | 5.5 | 5.5 |
| Inner Band (upper limit) | 6.7 | | 7.2 | | 8.0 | 6.8 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.5 |
| Actual / Center point | 5.7 | 7.3 | 6.2 | 7.6 | 7.0 | 5.8 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.5 |
| Inner Band (lower limit) | 4.7 | | 5.2 | | 6.0 | 4.8 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.5 |
| Outer Band (lower limit) | 3.7 | | 4.2 | | 5.0 | 3.8 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.5 |

^{1/} Indicative targets for September 2017, and March, September, and December 2018.

^{2/} The NIR target is set as specified in the TMU.

^{3/} As of January 2017, domestic expenditure arrears exclude local governments.

^{4/} N/A - target is new for 2018, and thus applicable only going forward.

| Table 9. Moldova: P | Proposed Prior / | Actions and | Structural | Benchmarks | Under the | ECF/EFF |
|---------------------|------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------|
|---------------------|------------------|-------------|------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------|

Measure Timeframe

Prior Actions for Board Consideration of the Review

Financial sector

- 1 Amend the laws on State Property Ownership, Joint stock Companies, and other relevant laws to facilitate preagreed back-to-back purchase and sale to fit and proper investors to safeguard financial stability.
- 2 Replace the procedures for share cancelation, issuance, and sale of newly issued shares currently in institution-specific NCFM decisions, by amending the Capital Market Law, the Law on Financial Institutions, and the newly approved Banking Law.

Fiscal sector

- 3 Adopt the amendments to the 2017 Budget consistent with the current augmented deficit ceiling.
- 4 Adopt the 2018 Budget in line with existing program commitments.

Structural Benchmarks 1/

Financial Sector

| 1 | Finalize onsite inspections in: | | |
|-----|---|----------|-------------------|
| | 1a) two small domestic banks that are not part of foreign banking group | Modified | End-January 2018 |
| | 1b) banks that are part of foreign groups | Modified | End-May 2018 |
| 2 | Finalize investigations into concerted activities, and fitness and probity of shareholders in non-systemic banks | Modified | End-March 2018 |
| 3 | NBM to allow a systemic bank to exit temporary administration in an orderly manner. | Modified | End-June 2018 |
| 4 | Adopt a new framework for removing concerted and otherwise unfit shareholders, to streamline the process and address governance issues. | Modified | End-April 2018 |
| 5 | NBM to instruct all banks to conduct self-assessment of corporate governance. | New | End-August 2018 |
| 6 | NBM to order the largest three banks to submit time-bound plans for full compliance with NBM executive board decisions on RP improvement. | New | End-January 2018 |
| 7 | NBM to develop and issue for consultation with the banks guidelines for RP risk management programs. | New | End-June 2018 |
| 8 | NCFM to complete the verification of the legal records of all banks and insurance companies, including through a public awareness campaign. | Modified | End-March 2018 |
| 9 | Government to publish an analytical report prepared by an independent investigator on the 2014 bank fraud, and adopt a strategy with time-bound actions to recover assets. | New | End-December 2017 |
| Ene | ergy sector | | |
| 10 | Develop approve, and publish a new tariff methodology, in line with the new Energy law, and in agreement with the Energy Community Secretariat, and consulting with other stakeholders, including the World Bank, electricity distribution companies and CSO. | New | Mid-February 2018 |

| Measure | Timeframe | Status |
|--|-------------------|----------------|
| | Timename | Status |
| Structural Benchmarks | | |
| Financial Sector | | |
| 1 Complete identification of UBOs of | F. J. J 2017 | N4 - J*C - J |
| 1a the fourth and fifth largest banks that are not subsidiaries of foreign banking groups | End-June 2017 | Modified |
| 1b all remaining banks | End-August 2017 | Modified |
| 2 Take appropriate enforcement action against any of the three largest banks for non-compliance with regulatory requirements | F A 1 2017 | |
| 2a) Two large banks under intensive supervision | End-April 2017 | Met with delay |
| 2b) A large bank under temporary administration | End-June 2017 | Met |
| 3 Complete an assessment of all banks to confirm compliance with capital requirements | | |
| 3a) Two large banks under intensive supervision | End-April 2017 | Met with delay |
| 3b) A large bank under temporary administration | End-June 2017 | Met with delay |
| 4 Execution of the final stages of a strategy to allow a large bank to exit temporary administration | End-July 2017 | Modified |
| 5 Enhance NBM's internal database for bank claims to capture relevant characteristics for identifying exposures to related party | End-June 2017 | Not met |
| 6 With external assistance, conduct thematic reviews of related party exposures in the three largest banks | End-August 2017 | Met |
| 7 Conduct full-scope on-site inspections in banks that are not subsidiaries of foreign banking groups, applying new procedures for identifying related party exposures | End-December 2017 | Modified |
| 8 Adopt a methodology for verification of legal records of shareholders of financial institutions | End-May 2017 | Met with delay |
| 9 Complete verification of legal records of shareholders of all banks and insurance companies, in line with the new methodology | End-December 2017 | Modified |
| 10 Amend the legal framework for removing shareholders who act in concert without prior supervisory approval | End-April 2017 | Modified |
| Fiscal sector | | |
| 11 Adopt the medium-term budget framework 2018-20 | End-May 2017 | Met with delay |
| Energy sector | | |
| 12 In cooperation with the World Bank, improve the tariff-setting methodology in the heating sector, including | End-June 2017 | Not met |
| 12a) Revision and/or clarification of asset valuation and depreciation principles, methodologies and procedures; | | |
| 12b) Revision and formal approval of methodology for determination of heat losses; | | |
| 12c) Determination of the amount of tariff deviation (accumulated deficit) and of the recovery mechanisms. | | |
| 13 In cooperation with the Energy Community Secretariat, improve energy sector regulation, including making procedures for the appointment of ANRE directors to be fully transparent and merit-based, and establishing clear performance indicators to provide a basis for future independent audit. | End-June 2017 | Met with delay |

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Table 11. Moldova: External Financing Requirements and Sources, 2016–19

(Millions of U.S. dollars)

| | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
|---|-------------|------|------|------|
| | Projection | | | |
| Identified financing sources | 942 | 1054 | 692 | 759 |
| Financing requirements | 606 | 819 | 848 | 838 |
| of which: fiscal financing requirements | 33 | 61 | 111 | 131 |
| Change in gross reserves (increase = +) | 531 | 406 | 166 | -3 |
| Financing gap | 195 | 170 | 322 | 76 |
| Official Financing | 195 | 170 | 322 | 76 |
| Identified program financing | 160 | 126 | 254 | 42 |
| European Commission | 47 | 26 | 194 | 12 |
| World Bank | 45 | 0 | 60 | 30 |
| Romania | 68 | 101 | 0 | 0 |
| Fund Program | 35 | 44 | 68 | 34 |
| of which: budget support | 24 | 26 | 27 | 27 |
| Sources: Moldovan authorities and IMF staff p | rojections. | | | |