

SELECTED INDICATORS 2004 - 2009

	Unit	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GDP at Current Market Prices	\$b	620.3 ^f	695.4 ^f	786.1 ^f	893.1 ^f	1 018.2	1 091.1
GDP in Basic Value at Current Prices	\$b	541.8 ^f	609.2 ^f	687.6 ^f	781.1 ^f	893.5 ^f	961.9
GDP in Basic Value at Constant (2003) Prices	\$b	483.4 ^f	488.4 ^f	501.7 ^f	509.3 ^f	504.4 ^f	490.8
Growth in GDP in Basic Value at Constant (2003) Prices	%	1.4	1.0	2.7	1.5 ^f	-0.9 ^f	-2.7
Goods Production as % of Total Real GDP	%	27.1	26.8	26.5 ^f	26.2	25.4	23.9
Agriculture	"	5.2 ^f	4.8 ^f	5.4 ^f	5.0 ^f	4.8	5.6
Mining & Quarrying	"	4.1 ^f	4.1 ^f	4.1 ^f	3.9 ^f	3.8	2.0
Manufacture	"	9.6 ^f	9.1 ^f	8.6 ^f	8.5 ^f	8.5	8.3
Construction	"	8.3 ^f	8.8 ^f	8.4 ^f	8.7 ^f	8.2	8.0
Services	"	78.2 ^f	78.4 ^f	78.6 ^f	79.1 ^f	80.0	81.7
Basic Services	"	15.2 ^f	15.2 ^f	15.5 ^f	15.7 ^f	15.6 ^f	15.5
Electricity & Water	"	3.3 ^f	3.4 ^f	3.4 ^f	3.3 ^f	3.4	3.6
Transport, Storage & Communication	"	11.9 ^f	11.9 ^f	12.1	12.3 ^f	12.1	11.9
Total Other Services	"	63.1 ^f	63.1 ^f	63.1 ^f	63.5 ^f	64.4 ^f	66.2
Financial Intermediation Services Indirectly Measured	%	5.3 ^f	5.2 ^f	5.1 ^f	5.3 ^f	5.3	5.5
Exports as % GDP (current)	%	15.8	14.9	16.6	17.9	19.2 ^f	10.7
Imports	"	35.1	38.2	47.2	53.5	59.5	41.4
GDP per capita							
Current	\$'000	234.6	261.4	295.3	331.9	378.8 ^f	404.8
Constant	\$'000	182.8	183.8	187.9	189.7	187.7 ^f	182.1
Consumer Price Index (CPI)(end Dec.)		84.1	94.7	100	116.8	136.5	150.4
Inflation : Dec./Dec.	%	13.7	12.6	5.7	16.8	16.8	10.2
: Annual Avg		13.5	15.1	8.5	9.3	22.0	9.6
Implicit GDP Deflator, 2003 = 1.00 ^a		1.12 ^f	1.25 ^f	1.37 ^f	1.53 ^f	1.77	1.96
Changes in Implicit Deflator	%	12.0	11.3	9.9	11.9	15.5	10.6
Avg. Wtd. Comm. Bank Loan Rate	%	17.7	17.3	17.6	17.11	16.78	16.19
Avg. Wtd. Comm. Bank Deposit Rate	%	6.0	5.4	5.02	4.92	5.16	4.59
Avg. Treasury Bill Yield (6 Mths Instr.)	%	14.9	13.4	12.31	13.34	24.45	16.80
Ja. Stock Exchange Index (end Dec.)	Points	112 655.5	104 510.8	100 677.9	107 968.0	80 152.0	83 322
Stock Market Capitalisation	\$b	879.3	839.5	822.9	876.7	597.3	544.9
M1	\$b	67.8	72.7	86.9	105.6	100.1	99.2
% Change	%	22.7	7.2	19.5	21.5	-5.2	-0.9
M2	\$b	211.4	228.3	257	300.2 ^f	313.1	323.4
% Change	%	15.2	8.0	12.3	17.1	4.3	3.3
Total Revenue ^{b c}	\$b	172.8	186.7	211.4	252	276.2	229.3
Recurrent Revenue	\$b	167.1	178.2	208.1	247.3	274.3	228.2
Total Expenditure	\$b	199.5	207.7	248	294.3	351.5	334.0
Recurrent Expenditure	\$b	188.4	192.3	224.5	252.9	310.1	308.9
Capital Expenditure	\$b	11.1	15.5	23.5	41.4	41.4	25.1
Debt Servicing	\$b	222.5	228.3	219.9	207.8	272.0	276.7
Surplus/Deficit	\$b	-26.7	-21.0	-35.1	-42.2	-75.3	-104.7
Total Revenue as a % of GDP	%	33.9	32.4	33.0	27.3	26.6	n/a
Recurrent Revenue	"	32.8	30.9	32.5	26.8	26.4	n/a

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Recurrent Expenditure	"	%	32.7	33.3	35.0	27.4	29.9	n/a
Total Expenditure (excluding Amortisation)	"	%	39.2	36.0	38.7	31.9	33.9	n/a
Surplus/Deficit	"	%	-5.2	-3.6	-5.5	-4.6	-7.3	n/a
Debt Servicing	"	%	43.7	39.6	34.3	22.5	26.2	n/a
EXTERNAL TRADE								
Total Imports (c.i.f.)	US\$ m	3 546.1	4 739.4	5 650.4	6 893.9	8 361.0	5 065.7	
Annual Growth In Total Imports	%	6.8	20.7	19.2	11.8	24.0	-39.4	
Consumer Goods	US\$ m	1 171.7	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Raw Material	US\$ m	2 164.1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Capital goods	US\$ m	597.7	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Total Exports (f.o.b.)	US\$ m	1 601.6	1 531.5	1 983.5	2 305.2	2 682.9	1 320.2	
Annual Growth In Total Exports	%	18.0	9.0	29.5	7.6	17.3	-50.8	
Traditional Exports	US\$ m	1081.9	1160.1	1 337.7	1 500.4 ^r	1 529.9	616.3	
Bauxite	US\$ m	80.4	98.8	113.3	112.9 ^r	114.5	85.4	
Alumina	US\$ m	814.6	920.3	1 040.6	1 193.1 ^r	1 230.5	368	
Sugar	US\$ m	98.1	76.8	89.7	100.3	104.3	72.3	
Banana	US\$ m	12.8	4.7	13.4	9.2	0.04	0.006	
Non Traditional Exports	US\$ m	283.3	341.6	610.1	753.8 ^r	1 090.7	626.9	
Wearing Apparel	US\$ m	10.4	9.4	4	1.6 ^r	1.5	1.46	
Trade Balance	US\$ m	-2 522.7	-3 207.9	-3 666.9	-4 588.7	-5 679.0	-3 745.5	
BALANCE OF PAYMENTS								
Current Account Balance	US\$ m	-501.9	-1071.5	-1 182.9	2 038.2	-2 793.3	-912.4	
Goods Balance	US\$ m	-1 943.5	-2 581.3	-2 943.4	-3841.3	-4 802.9	-3 123.4	
Total Imports	US\$ m	3 546.1	4 245.6	5 077.0	6 203.9	2 743.9	1 386.1	
Total Exports	US\$ m	1 601.6	1 664.3	2 133.6	2 362.6	7 546.8	4 509.5	
Services (Net)	US\$ m	578.2	607.3	627.6	424.8	428.1	751.9	
Balance on Goods And Services	US\$ m	1 379.0	1 917.1	-2 142.8	-3 416.5	-4 374.8	-2 371.6	
Income (Net)	US\$ m	-582.7	-675.9	-615.7	-661.6	-568.3	-586.3	
Current Transfers (Net)	US\$ m	1 446.1	1 578.4	1 748.6	2 039.9	2 149.8	2 045.5	
Capital & Financial Account Balance	US\$ m	512.9	1 071.5	1 182.9	2 038.2	2 793.3	912.4	
Reserves (Minus=Increase)	US\$ m	-693.6	-228.9	-230.1	439.8	104.8	43.6	
Private Remittance Inflows	US\$ m	1 465.8	1 651	1 769.4	1 964.4	2021	1 795.4	
Net International Reserves	US\$ m	1 872.5	2 087.4	2 317.6	1 877.7	1 772.9	1 729.4	
Net Foreign Assets	\$b	157.2	179.4	200.1	182.0 ^r	159.1	190.8	
Nominal Exchange Rate (\$ per US\$1.00) Average Annual	\$	61.39	62.6	65.98	69.06	72.92	88.49	
Total Visitor Arrivals	Million	2.5	2.6	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	
Stop-over Visitors	Million	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	
Cruise Passengers	Million	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	0.9	
Occupancy Rates ^r	%	61.4	61.9	62.8	63.2	60.4	n/a	
Foreign Exchange Earnings	US\$m	1 436.6	1 545.1	1 870.6	1 910.0	1 975.5	1 939.7	
Energy								
Petroleum Imports ^d	mb	23.4	25.3 ^r	27.1 ^r	26.5	26.6	19.6	
Electricity Generated	GWh	3 717.0	3878.0	4046.4	4075.5	4123.3	4214	
Population								
Population	'000 persons	2 644.1	2 656.7	2 669.5	2 682.1 ^p	2 692.4 ^p	2 698.8 ^p	
Growth Rate	%	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	
Crude Birth Rate	per 1000 pop.	17.9	17.8	17.4	17.0	16.7	16.3	
Crude Death Rate	per 1000 pop.	6.4	6.6	6.1	6.4	6.3	6.5	
Natural Increase	%	11.5	11.2	11.3	10.6	10.4	9.8	
Total Fertility Rate	%	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.45	2.38 ^p	2.4	
Net External Movement	'000 persons	-18.2	-17.2 ^r	-17.1 ^r	-16.0	-17.6 ^r	-20.0	

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Labour Force	'000	1 194.8	1 223.1 ^f	1 253.1	1 276.9 ^f	1 299.6 ^f	1 270.5
Male	'000	663.5	681.5 ^f	695.6	706.8 ^f	713.2 ^f	698.5
Female	'000	531.3	541.6 ^f	557.5	570.1 ^f	586.4 ^f	572.0
Labour Force Participation Rate	%	64.3	64.2 ^f	64.7	64.9 ^f	65.5 ^f	63.6
Male	%	73.3	73.3 ^f	73.5	73.5 ^f	73.9 ^f	71.8
Female	%	55.8	55.5 ^f	56.3	56.6 ^f	57.5	55.7
Total Employment	'000	1 055.2	1 085.8 ^f	1 123.7	1 152.6 ^f	1 162.2 ^r	1 126.1
Male	'000	610.9	629.6 ^f	646.8	664.1 ^f	661.1 ^r	639.0
Female	'000	444.3	456.2 ^f	476.9	488.5 ^f	501.1 ^r	487.1
Total Unemployment Rate	%	11.7	11.2 ^f	10.3	9.8 ^f	10.6	11.4
Male	%	7.9	7.6	7.0	6.1 ^f	7.3	8.6
Female	%	16.4	15.8	14.5	14.3 ^f	14.6	14.8
Average Weekly Earnings of All Employees(1990 \$) ^c	\$	9 729	10 388	11 498 ^f	12 691	14 588 ^f	16 083
Education							
Enrolment in :	('000)						
Primary Institutions	"	331.3	326.4	318.7	310	315.1	307.8
Secondary Institutions	"	236.9	237.2	236.4	247.3	250.8	266.9
Tertiary Institutions	%	24.3	21.9	26.0	31.4	23.8	29.5
University ^f	"	23.9	24.6	31.5	34.5	32.3	34.5
Literacy Rate ^g	"	79.9	79.9	85.5 ^f	86	86.4	86.8
Training							
Total output of Technical, Managerial & Related Manpower	('000)	12.6	12.9	14.8	15.4	14.0	14.2
Total output of Skilled and Semi- skilled Manpower ^h	"	34.2	41.8	55.6	49.9	53.8	60.6
Health							
Infant Mortality Rate	per '000 live births	19.2	19.2	19.2	16.7	16.7	16.7
Percentage Beds Occupancy	%	73.3	54.6	56.6	60.9	72.3	67.5
Immunization (National Average):	%	n/a					
- DPT, OPV, BCG (0 - 11 months)	%	77.6	88.5	87	85.7	n/a	90.9
- MMR (12 -23 months)	%	80.4	84	87.2	76.2	n/a	88.1
Access to Safe Water	%	79.5	n/a	77.3	90.7	n/a	n/a
Sanitary Facility	%	100	n/a	100	98.9	n/a	n/a
Life Expectancy (at birth)	yrs	74.13	74.13	74.13	74.13	74.13	74.13
Maternal Mortality	per 100 000	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8	94.8
National Security							
Overall Crime Rate	per 100 000	1 351	1 232	1 074	1 244	n/a	n/a
Major Crime Rate	"	246	311	267	271	373	437
Murder Rate	"	55	63	50	59	60	62
Environmental							
Rate of deforestation (%)	%	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Energy Consumption per capita	(BOE)	9.2	10.56	11.2	10.3 ^p	9.8 ^p	7.5
Alternative Energy ('000)	(BOE)	1 980 ^f	1594	927 ^p	899 ^p	362 ^p	439
Per capita domestic water consumption	Megalitres	0.036	0.036	0.036	0.035 ^p	0.034 ^p	0.034 ^p
Annual Rainfall (mm)	mm	1816	2412	2135 ^p	2108	1728	1473
Avg. Annual Temperature	Celsius	28.4	n/a	27.4 ^p	28.9	25.6 ^p	26.3 ^p
% population in urban areas		52.0	52.0	52.0	52.0	52.0	52
Per Capita Waste generation (kg/year)		n/a	n/a	1.5	0.9	0.8	0.89 ⁱ
Science, Technology & Innovation							
Fixed line penetration (%)		16.99	11.99	12.82	13.78	11.8	11.2 ^p
Mobile Penetration (%)		69.32	74.47	85.1	100.3	101.2	107.8 ^p
Broadband Penetration (%)		n/a	1.28	2.56	3.46	3.63	4.2
EIU E-readiness ranking			41 of 65 ^j	43 of 68	46 of 69	49 of 70	44 of 70
Resident patent filings		10	10	21	6	15	16

Notes :

- a -The Implicit Deflator, an index of average prices, is calculated as the ratio of GDP at current prices to GDP at constant prices.
- b - Revenue and Expenditure Figures are for the fiscal years 2003/04 - 2007/08
- c - Fiscal Data for 2008 represent April 2008 - January 2009.
- d - Excluding marketing companies
- e - From Survey of Employment, Earnings and Hours Worked in Large Establishments, Statistical Institute of Jamaica.
- f - Enrolment data for University include the Northern Caribbean University; Data for 2005 - 2009 include University College of the Caribbean and Northern Caribbean University
- g - Figure for 2006 is UNESCO estimate for 2004; previous years were based on Jamaica Literacy Survey 1999
- h - Partial data received in 2007
- i - Data from the two largest watersheds for December 2009 are not included
- j - Total number of countries in ranking
- mb - million barrels
- p - provisional
- n/a - not available
- r - revised
- BOE- Barrel of Oil Equivalent