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National Government Debt Recorded at P15.35 Trillion as of End-May 2024

Manila, Philippines, 4 July 2024 – The NG's total outstanding debt amounted P15.35 trillion as of end-May 2024. Total debt increased by P330.39 billion or 2.2% from the end-April 2024 level primarily due to the impact of local currency depreciation¹ on the valuation of foreign-currency denominated debt. Of the total debt stock, 31.96% is external debt while 68.04% is domestic debt.

The end-May domestic debt level of P10.44 trillion is P134.34 billion or 1.3% higher compared with the end-April 2024 level. The increase resulted from the P131.66 billion net issuance of government securities and P2.68 billion effect of peso depreciation on foreign-currency denominated domestic debt.² Since the beginning of the year, domestic debt has increased by P424.91 billion or 4.2% while YoY expansion is P854.33 billion or 8.9%.

NG external debt of P4.90 trillion was P196.04 billion or 4.2% higher than the end-April 2024 level. For May, the increase in external debt can be attributed to P122.04 billion in net foreign loan availment and P76.94 billion in upward revaluation of US dollardenominated debt. Meanwhile, favorable third-currency movement provided a P2.94 billion downward revaluation effect. External debt has increased by P306.42 billion or 6.7% from its end-December 2023 level and by P339.15 billion or 7.4% on a YoY basis.

NG guaranteed obligations have decreased by P5.85 billion or 1.6% from its end-April 2024 level to P350.20 billion as of end-May 2024. The decline in NG guarantees was due to net repayment on both domestic and external guarantees amounting to P4.36 billion and P3.55 billion, respectively. In addition, third-currency adjustments against the US dollar further trimmed P0.62 billion, dampening the P2.68 billion increment caused by peso depreciation against the US dollar. From the end-December 2023 level, NG guaranteed obligations have increased by P0.76 billion of 0.2%.

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¹ The peso depreciated against the USD from P57.583 as of end-April 2024 to P58.524 as of end-May 2024.

² NG issued foreign denominated securities in the domestic market RDB 5yr (USD1.11 billion), RDB5.5yr (USD1.26 billion) and RDB 10y (USD0.48 billion) to tap local fx liquidity.

Appendix

National Government Outstanding Debt As of the Period Indicated (In Billion Pesos)

					Difference					
	2023		2024		May	May/Dec	May/Apr	% Change		
Particulars	May	Dec	Apr	May	Y-o-Y	YTD	М-о-М	May	May/Dec	May/Apr
TOTAL	14,154.13	14,616.27	15,017.21	15,347.60	1,193.48	731.33	330.39	8.4%	5.0%	2.2%
Domestic	9,588.51	10,017.93	10,308.50	10,442.84	854.33	424.91	134.34	8.9%	4.2%	1.3%
Loans	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
Direct Loans	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
Availed by Agencies	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
NG Other Domestic	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
BSP Provisional Advances	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Assumed Loans	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Government Securities	9,588.36	10,017.77	10,308.34	10,442.68	854.32	424.91	134.34	8.9%	4.2%	1.3%
External	4,565.61	4,598.34	4,708.72	4,904.76	339.15	306.42	196.04	7.4%	6.7%	4.2%
Loans	2,036.25	2,113.81	2,251.21	2,289.03	252.78	175.22	37.82	12.4%	8.3%	1.7%
Direct Loans	2,036.25	2,113.81	2,251.21	2,289.03	252.78	175.22	37.82	12.4%	8.3%	1.7%
Availed by Agencies	2,023.99	2,102.83	2,241.32	2,279.11	255.12	176.28	37.79	12.6%	8.4%	1.7%
Relent to GOCCs	12.25	10.98	9.88	9.92	-2.33	-1.06	0.04	-19.0%	-9.7%	0.4%
Assumed Loans	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
External Debt Securities	2,529.37	2,484.53	2,457.51	2,615.73	86.36	131.21	158.22	3.4%	5.3%	6.4%
US Dollar Bonds/Notes	2,115.27	2,073.65	2,068.28	2,219.13	103.86	145.49	150.85	4.9%	7.0%	7.3%
Euro Bonds	207.40	211.19	212.85	219.09	11.69	7.90	6.24	5.6%	3.7%	2.9%
Japanese Yen Bonds	94.34	89.50	64.03	64.22	-30.12	-25.28	0.19	-31.9%	-28.2%	0.3%
Chinese Yuan Bonds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Islamic Certificates	57.58	55.42	57.58	58.52	0.94	3.10	0.94	1.63%	5.60%	1.63%
Peso Global Bonds	54.77	54.77	54.77	54.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Forex Rate Used	56.241	55.418	57.583	58.524						

Source: DMAD-BTr Prepared by: SDAD-BTr 28-Jun-24

National Government Outstanding Guaranteed Debt As of the Period Indicated (In Billion Pesos)

Particulars					Difference					
	2023		2024		May	May/Dec	May/Apr	% Change		
	May	Dec	Apr	May	Y-o-Y	YTD	М-о-М	May	May/Dec	May/A
TOTAL	379.71	349.44	356.06	350.20	-29.51	0.76	-5.85	-7.8%	0.2%	-1.6%
Domestic	200.73	181.76	191.95	187.59	-13.15	5.83	-4.36	-6.5%	3.2%	-2.3%
NG Direct Guarantee	200.60	181.62	191.82	187.45	-13.15	5.83	-4.36	-6.6%	3.2%	-2.3%
Assumed GFI Guarantee	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
External	178.98	167.68	164.11	162.62	-16.36	-5.06	-1.49	-9.1%	-3.0%	-0.9%
NG Direct Guarantee	174.17	162.94	159.18	157.61	-16.56	-5.33	-1.57	-9.5%	-3.3%	-1.0%
Assumed GFI Guarantee	4.81	4.74	4.92	5.00	0.20	0.27	0.08	4.1%	5.6%	1.6%
Forex Rate Used	 56.241	55.418	57.583	58.524						

Source: DMAD-BTr Prepared by: SDAD-BTr

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^{*}Breakdown of totals may not sum up due to rounding