

Statistical appendix



Table A-1
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: MAIN ECONOMIC INDICATORS

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Annual rates of variation										
Gross domestic product ^b	5.5	2.6	0.4	3.9	0.3	-0.8	2.0	5.9	4.5	5.3
Per capita gross domestic product ^b	3.8	0.9	-1.2	2.3	-1.3	-2.3	0.5	4.4	3.0	3.8
Consumer prices ^c	10.7	10.0	9.7	9.0	6.1	12.2	8.5	7.4	6.1	4.8
Percentages										
Urban open unemployment rate ^d	9.3	10.3	11.0	10.4	10.2	11.0	11.0	10.3	9.1	8.7
Total gross external debt / GDP ^e	33.6	36.5	42.2	36.9	38.3	42.4	42.2	37.0	27.1	24.0
Total gross external debt / exports of goods and services	198	216	211	172	181	178	168	138	101	83
Millions of dollars										
Balance of payments										
Current account balance	-64 331	-87 697	-54 757	-47 001	-52 229	-13 989	9 004	20 775	35 873	51 294
Merchandise trade balance	-13 134	-34 872	-6 790	3 159	-4 003	24 254	45 179	60 313	81 239	103 646
Export of goods, f.o.b.	286 680	283 453	299 364	358 718	343 235	347 142	378 472	466 311	560 629	677 170
Imports of goods, f.o.b.	299 813	318 324	306 155	355 559	347 238	322 888	333 293	405 998	479 391	573 524
Services trade balance	-18 974	-19 548	-16 187	-17 112	-19 038	-14 205	-13 298	-13 922	-17 973	-21 308
Income balance	-47 595	-50 331	-51 181	-53 716	-54 351	-52 570	-57 770	-67 103	-76 623	-89 704
Net current transfers	15 371	17 053	19 401	20 669	25 163	28 532	34 892	41 487	49 231	58 660
Capital and financial balance ^f	89 132	68 594	42 413	62 243	35 057	-11 571	1 877	-8 827	21 736	534
Net foreign direct investment	57 599	60 999	79 923	70 308	63 659	45 213	35 114	43 149	49 206	33 483
Financial capital ^g	31 534	7 596	-37 510	-8 066	-28 602	-56 784	-33 237	-51 977	-27 470	-32 949
Overall balance	24 801	-19 103	-12 344	15 242	-17 172	-25 560	10 881	11 947	57 609	51 828
Variation in reserve assets ^h	-15 800	10 045	6 248	-7 084	1 000	3 140	-29 445	-20 801	-35 509	-38 631
Other financing ⁱ	-9 001	9 057	6 096	-8 158	16 173	22 420	18 564	8 854	-22 101	-13 198

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Preliminary figures.

^b Based on official figures expressed in constant 2000 dollars.

^c December-December variation.

^d The data for Argentina and Brazil have been adjusted to allow for changes in methodology in 2003 and 2002 respectively.

^e Estimates based on figures denominated in dollars at current prices.

^f Includes errors and omissions.

^g Refers to the capital and financial balance (including errors and omissions), minus net foreign direct investment.

^h A minus sign (-) indicates an increase in reserve assets.

ⁱ Includes the use of IMF credit and loans and exceptional financing.

Table A-2
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT
(Annual growth rates)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	5.5	2.6	0.4	3.9	0.3	-0.8	2.0	5.9	4.5	5.3
Latin America	5.5	2.5	0.3	4.0	0.3	-0.8	1.9	6.0	4.5	5.3
Argentina	8.1	3.9	-3.4	-0.8	-4.4	-10.9	8.8	9.0	9.2	8.5
Bolivia	5.0	5.0	0.4	2.5	1.7	2.5	2.9	3.9	4.1	4.5
Brazil	3.3	0.1	0.8	4.4	1.3	1.9	0.5	4.9	2.3	2.8
Chile	6.6	3.2	-0.8	4.5	3.4	2.2	3.9	6.2	6.3	4.4
Colombia	3.4	0.6	-4.2	2.9	1.5	1.9	3.9	4.9	5.2	6.0
Costa Rica	5.6	8.4	8.2	1.8	1.1	2.9	6.4	4.1	5.9	6.8
Cuba	2.7	0.2	6.3	6.1	3.0	1.5	2.9	4.5	...	...
Cuba ^b	...	...	...	...	3.0	1.8	3.8	5.4	11.8	12.5
Dominican Republic	8.1	8.3	6.1	7.9	2.3	5.0	-0.4	2.7	9.2	10.0
Ecuador	4.1	2.1	-6.3	2.8	5.3	4.2	3.6	7.9	4.7	4.9
El Salvador	4.2	3.7	3.4	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.3	1.8	2.8	3.8
Guatemala	4.4	5.0	3.8	3.6	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.7	3.2	4.6
Haiti	2.7	2.2	2.7	0.9	-1.0	-0.3	0.4	-3.5	1.8	2.5
Honduras	5.0	2.9	-1.9	5.7	2.6	2.7	3.5	5.0	4.1	5.6
Mexico	6.8	5.0	3.8	6.6	0.0	0.8	1.4	4.2	3.0	4.8
Nicaragua	4.0	3.7	7.0	4.1	3.0	0.8	2.5	5.1	4.0	3.7
Panama	6.4	7.4	4.0	2.7	0.6	2.2	4.2	7.5	6.9	7.5
Paraguay	3.0	0.6	-1.5	-3.3	2.1	0.0	3.8	4.1	2.9	4.0
Peru	6.9	-0.7	0.9	3.0	0.2	5.2	3.9	5.2	6.4	7.2
Uruguay	5.0	4.5	-2.8	-1.4	-3.4	-11.0	2.2	11.8	6.6	7.3
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	6.4	0.3	-6.0	3.7	3.4	-8.9	-7.7	17.9	9.3	10.0
Caribbean	3.5	4.1	3.9	3.4	1.9	3.3	5.8	3.8	4.9	6.8
Antigua and Barbuda	4.9	4.4	4.1	1.5	2.2	2.5	5.2	7.2	4.6	11.0
Bahamas	4.9	6.8	4.0	1.9	0.8	2.3	1.4	1.8	2.7	4.0
Barbados	4.6	6.2	0.5	2.2	-2.6	0.5	1.9	4.8	3.9	3.8
Belize	3.6	3.7	8.7	12.9	4.9	5.1	9.3	4.6	3.5	2.7
Dominica	2.5	3.2	0.6	0.6	-3.6	-4.2	2.2	6.3	3.3	4.0
Grenada	5.4	8.2	7.0	7.0	-4.9	1.5	7.5	-7.4	13.2	7.0
Guyana	6.2	-1.7	3.8	-1.4	2.3	1.1	-0.7	1.6	-3.0	1.3
Jamaica	-1.0	-1.2	1.0	0.7	1.5	1.1	2.3	0.9	1.4	2.6
Saint Kitts and Nevis	7.4	0.9	3.6	4.3	2.0	1.1	0.5	7.6	5.0	5.0
Saint Lucia	-1.0	6.4	2.4	-0.2	-5.1	3.1	4.1	5.6	7.7	7.0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	2.9	5.2	4.4	1.8	1.0	3.7	3.2	6.2	1.5	4.0
Suriname	2.2	3.1	-2.4	4.0	5.9	1.9	6.1	7.7	5.7	6.4
Trinidad and Tobago	7.7	8.1	8.0	6.9	4.2	6.9	12.6	6.4	8.9	12.0

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures expressed in constant 2000 dollars.

^a Preliminary figures.

^b These data have been supplied by the National Statistical Office of Cuba and are currently being assessed by ECLAC.

Table A-3
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: PER CAPITA GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT
(Annual growth rates)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	3.8	0.9	-1.2	2.3	-1.3	-2.3	0.5	4.4	3.0	3.8
Latin America	3.8	0.9	-1.3	2.3	-1.3	-2.3	0.4	4.4	3.0	3.8
Argentina	6.9	2.7	-4.4	-1.8	-5.4	-11.7	7.8	8.0	8.1	7.4
Bolivia	2.5	2.5	-1.9	0.1	-0.6	0.2	0.7	1.6	1.8	2.3
Brazil	1.7	-1.4	-0.7	2.8	-0.2	0.5	-0.9	3.4	0.9	1.4
Chile	5.1	1.9	-2.0	3.2	2.2	1.0	2.8	5.0	5.2	3.3
Colombia	1.5	-1.3	-6.0	1.1	-0.3	0.2	2.1	3.2	3.5	4.3
Costa Rica	2.9	5.7	5.7	-0.5	-1.0	0.9	4.4	2.2	4.1	4.9
Cuba	2.3	-0.3	5.9	5.7	2.6	1.2	2.6	4.2	...	...
Cuba ^b	...	...	...	...	2.6	1.5	3.5	5.1	11.6	12.5
Dominican Republic	6.3	6.4	4.3	6.1	0.6	3.3	-2.0	1.1	7.6	8.3
Ecuador	2.4	0.6	-7.6	1.3	3.8	2.8	2.1	6.4	3.3	3.4
El Salvador	2.1	1.6	1.4	0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.5	0.0	1.0	2.1
Guatemala	2.0	2.6	1.5	1.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	0.2	0.6	2.0
Haiti	0.8	0.3	0.8	-1.0	-2.8	-2.1	-1.4	-5.2	0.0	0.7
Honduras	2.1	0.1	-4.5	3.0	0.0	0.1	0.9	2.5	1.6	3.2
Mexico	5.0	3.3	2.1	5.0	-1.5	-0.7	0.0	2.7	1.6	3.4
Nicaragua	1.9	1.7	4.9	2.0	0.9	-1.3	0.5	3.1	1.9	1.7
Panama	4.3	5.3	2.0	0.8	-1.3	0.4	2.3	5.6	5.1	5.7
Paraguay	0.3	-2.0	-4.0	-5.8	-0.5	-2.5	1.3	1.6	0.5	1.6
Peru	5.0	-2.3	-0.8	1.3	-1.3	3.6	2.4	3.7	4.9	5.7
Uruguay	4.3	3.8	-3.6	-2.2	-4.1	-11.7	1.5	11.0	5.9	6.6
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	4.3	-1.6	-7.8	1.8	1.5	-10.5	-9.3	15.8	7.5	8.2
Caribbean	2.7	3.3	3.2	2.7	1.2	2.7	5.3	3.3	4.4	6.3
Antigua and Barbuda	2.8	2.4	2.3	-0.2	0.7	1.2	4.0	6.0	3.4	9.7
Bahamas	3.3	5.2	2.5	0.4	-0.6	0.8	0.1	0.4	1.4	2.6
Barbados	4.3	5.9	0.2	2.0	-2.9	0.2	1.6	4.6	3.6	3.5
Belize	1.0	1.2	6.2	10.3	2.6	2.8	7.0	2.5	1.4	0.7
Dominica	1.6	2.4	0.0	0.1	-3.9	-4.3	2.0	6.0	2.8	3.2
Grenada	4.8	7.7	6.6	6.7	-5.1	1.4	7.3	-7.7	12.5	5.9
Guyana	5.9	-2.0	3.5	-1.7	2.0	0.9	-0.8	1.4	-3.1	1.2
Jamaica	-1.8	-2.0	0.2	0.0	0.9	0.6	1.8	0.5	1.0	2.2
Saint Kitts and Nevis	7.5	0.9	3.4	3.8	1.2	0.1	-0.7	6.3	3.7	3.8
Saint Lucia	-1.9	5.5	1.6	-1.0	-5.9	2.2	3.2	4.7	6.8	6.1
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	2.3	4.6	3.9	1.3	0.5	3.2	2.6	5.6	1.0	3.5
Suriname	1.3	2.1	-3.3	3.1	5.1	1.2	5.4	7.0	5.0	5.8
Trinidad and Tobago	7.2	7.7	7.7	6.5	3.8	6.5	12.3	6.1	8.6	11.7

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Table A-4
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: GROSS FIXED CAPITAL FORMATION
(Percentages of GDP)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	20.2	20.6	19.3	19.3	18.8	17.7	17.3	18.5	19.6	20.9
Argentina	18.6	19.1	17.2	16.2	14.3	10.2	12.9	15.9	17.9	19.6
Bolivia	19.4	23.9	20.1	17.9	13.8	16.0	13.9	13.2	13.1	13.3
Brazil	21.0	20.9	19.3	19.3	19.2	18.1	17.1	18.0	17.9	18.5
Chile	24.5	24.2	20.0	20.7	20.9	20.8	21.2	22.2	25.8	26.3
Colombia	20.7	19.3	13.2	12.6	13.4	14.5	16.1	17.7	21.1	24.6
Costa Rica	17.8	20.6	18.3	17.8	18.0	18.7	18.8	18.0	18.2	18.2
Cuba	12.0	12.5	12.5	12.9	12.1	10.9	9.9	10.1	...	...
Cuba ^b	...	...	...	11.8	11.1	9.9	8.9	9.1	9.7	...
Dominican Republic	18.1	22.7	19.4	20.7	19.5	19.5	14.7	13.4	13.8	14.8
Ecuador	23.9	24.3	18.8	20.5	24.0	27.4	26.4	25.7	26.5	26.7
El Salvador	16.2	17.2	16.4	16.9	16.9	17.1	17.1	15.9	16.4	16.7
Guatemala	16.1	18.0	18.3	16.1	16.0	16.4	15.3	15.2	16.6	18.4
Haiti	20.4	19.3	23.3	27.3	27.3	28.0	28.8	28.9	28.8	34.7
Honduras	25.7	27.6	29.9	26.1	23.5	21.6	22.3	25.3	22.4	22.4
Mexico	18.8	19.7	20.5	21.4	20.2	19.9	19.7	20.3	21.3	22.5
Nicaragua	26.7	27.6	35.0	29.9	27.4	25.5	25.0	25.8	26.4	26.8
Panama	20.6	22.0	23.5	21.2	15.7	14.4	17.1	17.4	17.3	18.6
Paraguay	22.6	19.2	17.1	17.5	16.1	15.0	15.5	15.6	15.8	17.3
Peru	25.0	24.9	21.9	20.2	18.5	17.4	17.8	18.4	19.6	21.0
Uruguay	15.3	15.8	14.9	13.2	12.4	9.4	8.1	9.5	11.0	12.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	22.5	23.6	21.2	21.0	23.1	20.7	14.2	17.2	20.9	24.4

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures expressed in constant 2000 dollars.

^a Preliminary figures.

^b These data have been supplied by the National Statistical Office of Cuba and are currently being assessed by ECLAC.

Table A-5
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: FINANCING OF GROSS DOMESTIC INVESTMENT ^a
(Percentages of GDP)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
1. Domestic saving	21.1	19.8	19.4	20.6	19.0	20.1	21.2	23.4	23.6	24.7
2. Net factor income	-2.4	-2.5	-2.9	-2.8	-2.9	-3.2	-3.3	-3.4	-3.2	-3.2
3. Net transfers	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1
4. Gross national saving	19.5	18.1	17.6	18.9	17.4	18.7	19.8	22.1	22.5	23.6
5. External saving ^c	3.2	4.4	3.1	2.4	2.8	0.8	-0.5	-1.0	-1.5	-1.8
6. Gross domestic investment	22.7	22.5	20.7	21.3	20.2	19.5	19.3	21.0	21.0	21.7

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Based on coefficients calculated in local currency and converted into current dollars.

^b Preliminary figures.

^c These figures (with the opposite sign) are the same as those given for the current account balance in table A-7.

Table A-6
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
(Millions of dollars)

	Exports of goods, f.o.b.			Imports of goods, f.o.b.			Goods balance, f.o.b.			Services balance		
	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d
Latin America and the Caribbean	466 311	560 629	677 170	405 998	479 391	573 524	60 313	81 239	103 646	-13 922	-17 973	-21 308
Argentina	34 576	40 106	47 040	21 311	27 302	32 937	13 265	12 805	14 103	-1 482	-1 378	-990
Bolivia	2 146	2 791	3 908	1 725	2 341	2 833	421	450	1 075	-190	-42	-155
Brazil	96 475	118 308	138 421	62 835	73 560	92 686	33 641	44 748	45 735	-4 678	-8 146	-9 989
Chile	32 215	40 574	60 049	23 020	30 394	35 713	9 195	10 180	24 336	-689	-588	-862
Colombia	17 224	21 729	24 240	15 878	20 134	24 788	1 346	1 595	-549	-1 679	-2 103	-1 945
Costa Rica	6 370	7 100	8 445	7 791	9 230	10 600	-1 421	-2 131	-2 156	857	1 111	1 184
Dominican Republic	5 936	6 146	6 392	7 888	9 876	10 864	-1 952	-3 731	-4 472	2 291	2 454	2 616
Ecuador	7 968	10 427	12 721	7 684	9 698	11 637	284	729	1 084	-954	-1 074	-1 253
El Salvador	3 337	3 432	3 594	5 999	6 440	7 151	-2 662	-3 008	-3 557	-78	-72	-74
Guatemala	3 368	3 701	4 046	7 189	8 070	9 077	-3 822	-4 370	-5 031	-116	-239	-275
Haiti	378	459	491	1 210	1 308	1 571	-833	-850	-1 080	-203	-313	-361
Honduras	2 393	2 648	2 938	3 677	4 188	5 005	-1 284	-1 540	-2 067	-150	-198	-292
Mexico	187 999	214 233	252 795	196 810	221 820	259 529	-8 811	-7 587	-6 734	-4 607	-4 713	-6 788
Nicaragua	1 365	1 552	1 925	2 440	2 865	3 287	-1 075	-1 314	-1 363	-101	-117	-102
Panama	6 078	7 591	8 578	7 617	8 907	10 154	-1 538	-1 316	-1 576	1 278	1 415	1 785
Paraguay	2 863	3 266	4 343	3 108	3 758	5 261	-245	-492	-918	328	322	340
Peru	12 809	17 336	23 404	9 805	12 076	14 491	3 004	5 260	8 913	-732	-834	-955
Uruguay	3 145	3 758	4 500	2 992	3 730	4 900	153	28	-400	365	409	450
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep. of)	39 668	55 473	69 341	17 021	23 693	31 038	22 647	31 780	38 303	-3 383	-3 866	-3 641

Table A-6 (continued)

	Trade balance			Income balance			Current transfers balance			Current account balance		
	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d
Latin America and the Caribbean	46 391	63 265	82 338	-67 103	-76 623	-89 704	41 487	49 231	58 660	20 775	35 873	51 294
Argentina	11 783	11 426	13 113	-8 928	-6 207	-5 233	591	570	593	3 446	5 789	8 473
Bolivia	231	408	919	-385	-373	-355	491	584	720	337	619	1 284
Brazil	28 963	36 602	35 745	-20 520	-25 967	-27 116	3 236	3 558	4 445	11 679	14 193	13 074
Chile	8 507	9 591	23 474	-7 999	-10 624	-20 500	1 079	1 735	2 914	1 586	703	5 888
Colombia	-333	-507	-2 494	-4 332	-5 563	-4 615	3 727	4 089	4 750	-938	-1 981	-2 359
Costa Rica	-564	-1 020	-972	-444	-215	-468	212	270	319	-796	-964	-1 120
Dominican Republic	339	-1 277	-1 857	-1 819	-1 957	-1 850	2 528	2 734	2 900	1 047	-500	-807
Ecuador	-670	-345	-170	-1 919	-1 957	-2 048	2 025	2 506	2 720	-564	204	503
El Salvador	-2 739	-3 080	-3 632	-460	-571	-576	2 568	2 865	3 376	-632	-786	-832
Guatemala	-3 937	-4 608	-5 305	-318	-337	-331	3 045	3 558	4 103	-1 211	-1 387	-1 533
Haiti	-1 036	-1 162	-1 441	-12	-37	-11	993	1 254	1 417	-56	55	-36
Honduras	-1 434	-1 738	-2 358	-359	-331	-310	1 389	2 002	2 647	-404	-67	-22
Mexico	-13 418	-12 300	-13 522	-10 308	-13 223	-13 300	17 044	20 484	24 171	-6 682	-5 039	-2 651
Nicaragua	-1 177	-1 431	-1 464	-192	-119	-120	673	750	820	-696	-800	-764
Panama	-260	99	209	-1 021	-1 124	-1 180	220	243	256	-1 061	-782	-716
Paraguay	83	-171	-578	-139	-74	-10	194	223	323	138	-22	-265
Peru	2 273	4 426	7 958	-3 686	-5 076	-7 772	1 433	1 755	2 106	19	1 105	2 292
Uruguay	518	437	50	-588	-585	-608	113	149	152	43	1	-406
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep. of)	19 264	27 914	34 663	-3 673	-2 281	-3 300	-72	-99	-70	15 519	25 534	31 293

Table A-6 (concluded)

	Capital and financial balance ^a			Overall balance			Reserve assets (variation) ^b			Other financing ^c		
	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d	2004	2005	2006 ^d
Latin America and the Caribbean	-8 827	21 736	534	11 947	57 609	51 828	-20 801	-35 509	-38 631	8 854	-22 101	-13 198
Argentina	-10 398	2 294	4 931	-6 952	8 083	13 404	-5 319	-8 857	-2 500	12 271	774	-10 904
Bolivia	-265	-126	-184	73	493	1 100	-157	-504	-1 100	85	11	0
Brazil	-5 073	13 398	11 926	6 607	27 590	25 000	-2 244	-4 319	-25 000	-4 363	-23 271	0
Chile	-1 772	1 013	-5 188	-186	1 716	700	186	-1 716	-700	0	0	0
Colombia	3 479	3 710	2 597	2 541	1 729	239	-2 541	-1 729	-239	0	0	0
Costa Rica	876	1 358	1 880	80	393	760	-80	-393	-760	0	0	0
Dominican Republic	-868	1 205	957	179	705	150	-542	-1 109	-150	363	404	0
Ecuador	846	470	97	281	674	600	-277	-710	-600	-4	35	0
El Salvador	579	728	961	-53	-59	129	53	59	-129	0	0	0
Guatemala	1 819	1 642	1 758	609	254	225	-609	-254	-225	0	0	0
Haiti	91	-4	124	35	51	88	-50	-22	-102	15	-29	14
Honduras	777	286	231	373	219	210	-504	-372	-430	131	154	220
Mexico	10 740	12 203	3 151	4 058	7 164	500	-4 058	-7 164	-500	0	0	0
Nicaragua	594	794	823	-102	-6	59	-169	-46	-166	271	52	107
Panama	666	1 456	616	-395	675	-100	396	-521	100	-1	-154	0
Paraguay	130	169	545	268	147	280	-179	-146	-280	-89	-1	0
Peru	2 306	423	-749	2 325	1 528	1 543	-2 351	-1 628	-1 600	26	100	57
Uruguay	263	794	3 648	306	796	3 242	-454	-620	-550	149	-175	-2 692
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep. of)	-13 619	-20 077	-27 593	1 900	5 457	3 700	-1 900	-5 457	-3 700	0	0	0

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Includes errors and omissions.

^b A minus sign (-) indicates an increase in reserve assets.

^c Includes the use of IMF credit and loans and exceptional financing.

^d Preliminary figures.

Table A-7
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: CURRENT ACCOUNT OF THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS ^a
(Percentages of GDP)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	-3.2	-4.4	-3.1	-2.4	-2.8	-0.8	0.5	1.0	1.5	1.8
Argentina	-4.1	-4.8	-4.2	-3.2	-1.4	8.5	6.2	2.3	3.2	4.0
Bolivia	-7.0	-7.8	-5.9	-5.3	-3.4	-4.5	0.9	3.9	6.6	12.0
Brazil	-3.8	-4.2	-4.7	-4.0	-4.6	-1.7	0.8	1.9	1.8	1.4
Chile	-4.4	-4.9	0.1	-1.2	-1.6	-0.9	-1.3	1.7	0.6	4.2
Colombia	-5.4	-4.9	0.8	0.9	-1.3	-1.7	-1.2	-1.0	-1.6	-1.7
Costa Rica	-3.7	-3.7	-4.1	-4.3	-3.7	-5.1	-5.0	-4.3	-4.8	-5.0
Dominican Republic	-0.9	-1.7	-2.0	-4.4	-3.0	-3.2	5.3	4.8	-1.4	-2.1
Ecuador	-1.9	-9.0	5.5	5.8	-2.9	-5.1	-1.5	-1.7	0.6	1.3
El Salvador	-0.9	-0.8	-1.9	-3.3	-1.1	-2.8	-4.7	-4.0	-4.6	-4.6
Guatemala	-3.6	-5.4	-5.6	-5.4	-6.0	-5.3	-4.2	-4.4	-4.4	-4.3
Haiti	-1.5	-1.0	-1.4	-3.0	-3.8	-2.8	-1.6	-1.5	1.3	-0.7
Honduras	-5.8	-2.8	-4.4	-3.9	-4.7	-3.6	-3.7	-5.4	-0.8	-0.2
Mexico	-1.9	-3.8	-2.9	-3.2	-2.9	-2.2	-1.4	-1.0	-0.7	-0.3
Nicaragua	-24.8	-19.2	-24.8	-21.3	-19.4	-17.3	-15.9	-15.5	-16.3	-13.6
Panama	-5.0	-9.3	-10.1	-5.8	-1.4	-0.8	-3.9	-7.5	-5.0	-4.2
Paraguay	-7.3	-2.0	-2.3	-2.3	-4.1	1.8	2.3	2.0	-0.3	-3.0
Peru	-5.7	-5.9	-2.8	-2.9	-2.1	-1.9	-1.5	0.0	1.4	2.5
Uruguay	-1.3	-2.1	-2.4	-2.8	-2.7	3.1	-0.5	0.3	0.0	-2.1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	4.3	-4.9	2.2	10.1	1.6	8.2	14.1	14.1	18.2	17.5

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a These figures (with the opposite sign) are the same as those given for external saving in table A-5.

^b Preliminary figures.

Table A-8
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF GOODS, f.o.b. ^a
(Annual growth rates)

	Exports			Imports		
	Value	Volume	Unit value	Value	Volume	Unit value
1997	11.4	11.3	0.1	18.9	21.6	-2.2
1998	-1.1	7.3	-7.9	6.2	10.9	-4.2
1999	5.6	6.5	-0.8	-3.8	0.3	-4.1
2000	19.8	11.2	7.7	16.1	14.1	1.8
2001	-4.3	2.5	-6.6	-2.3	0.7	-3.0
2002	1.1	1.0	0.1	-7.0	-6.8	-0.2
2003	9.0	3.9	4.9	3.2	0.5	2.7
2004	23.2	10.0	12.0	21.8	14.5	6.4
2005	20.2	7.7	11.7	18.1	11.0	6.4
2006 ^a	20.8	7.5	12.4	19.6	14.8	4.2

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Preliminary figures.

Table A-9
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: EXPORTS OF GOODS, f.o.b.
(Indices 2000=100)

	Value			Volume			Unit value		
	2004	2005	2006 ^a	2004	2005	2006 ^a	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	130.0	156.3	188.8	118.3	127.4	137.0	109.9	122.7	137.8
Argentina	131.3	152.3	178.6	118.2	135.1	146.7	111.0	112.7	121.7
Bolivia	172.2	224.0	313.6	151.9	171.8	185.0	113.4	130.4	169.5
Brazil	175.1	214.8	251.3	163.8	178.5	186.5	106.9	120.3	134.7
Chile	167.7	211.2	312.6	134.4	138.8	144.6	124.8	152.2	216.1
Colombia	125.5	158.4	176.6	110.0	120.7	121.3	114.1	131.2	145.7
Costa Rica	109.6	122.1	145.3	115.7	129.0	153.4	94.7	94.7	94.7
Dominican Republic	103.5	107.1	111.4	100.5	100.0	100.0	103.0	107.1	111.4
Ecuador	155.1	203.0	247.6	159.5	171.1	175.4	97.2	118.6	141.2
El Salvador	112.6	115.8	121.3	113.6	111.3	113.2	99.1	104.0	107.2
Guatemala	109.3	120.1	131.3	110.2	112.2	116.8	99.1	107.1	112.4
Haiti	113.9	138.3	148.1	108.0	126.2	133.8	105.4	109.6	110.7
Honduras	118.9	131.6	146.1	142.7	144.8	154.5	83.4	90.9	94.5
Mexico	113.2	129.0	152.2	105.1	112.0	124.7	107.6	115.2	122.1
Nicaragua	155.0	176.2	218.5	171.6	179.8	212.4	90.3	98.0	102.9
Panama	104.1	130.0	146.9	103.3	125.3	140.2	100.8	103.8	104.8
Paraguay	122.9	140.2	186.5	113.9	131.2	171.1	107.9	106.9	109.0
Peru	184.2	249.3	336.5	152.4	174.8	175.4	120.9	142.6	191.8
Uruguay	131.9	157.6	188.8	127.7	148.5	167.7	103.3	106.2	112.6
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	118.3	165.4	206.8	92.6	95.2	94.5	127.8	173.8	218.9

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Preliminary figures.

Table A-10
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: IMPORTS OF GOODS, f.o.b.
(Indices 2000=100)

	Value			Volume			Unit value		
	2004	2005	2006 ^a	2004	2005	2006 ^a	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	114.2	134.8	161.3	107.9	119.8	137.5	105.8	112.5	117.3
Argentina	89.2	114.3	137.9	87.7	108.4	126.6	101.7	105.5	108.9
Bolivia	107.1	145.4	175.9	98.3	124.7	139.7	109.0	116.6	125.9
Brazil	112.6	131.9	166.2	103.1	108.7	126.3	109.3	121.3	131.6
Chile	134.7	177.8	209.0	134.8	163.3	180.7	99.9	108.9	115.7
Colombia	143.2	181.6	223.5	136.2	162.9	191.0	105.1	111.5	117.0
Costa Rica	129.3	153.2	176.0	125.5	142.9	157.9	103.1	107.2	111.5
Dominican Republic	83.2	104.2	114.6	78.1	93.2	97.6	106.5	111.8	117.4
Ecuador	205.3	259.1	310.9	193.1	223.6	246.2	106.3	115.9	126.3
El Salvador	127.6	136.9	152.1	124.5	127.3	134.7	102.4	107.5	112.9
Guatemala	151.6	170.2	191.4	140.9	145.1	152.6	107.6	117.3	125.5
Haiti	111.4	120.4	144.6	101.4	101.5	114.0	109.8	118.6	126.9
Honduras	137.7	156.9	187.5	144.0	150.4	166.5	95.7	104.3	112.6
Mexico	112.8	127.1	148.8	106.5	114.4	131.2	105.9	111.2	113.4
Nicaragua	135.4	159.1	182.5	123.7	132.1	141.6	109.5	120.4	128.9
Panama	109.1	127.6	145.4	103.2	115.0	126.0	105.7	111.0	115.4
Paraguay	108.5	131.1	183.6	104.8	119.5	160.9	103.5	109.7	114.1
Peru	133.1	163.9	196.7	122.6	137.3	154.0	108.6	119.4	127.8
Uruguay	90.4	112.6	148.0	87.4	96.3	117.1	103.4	117.0	126.4
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	100.9	140.5	184.0	93.3	124.8	158.8	108.2	112.5	115.9

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Preliminary figures.

Table A-11
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: TERMS OF TRADE FOR GOODS, f.o.b./f.o.b.
(Indices 2000=100)^a

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean	95.0	91.3	94.5	100.0	96.3	96.6	98.6	103.9	109.0	117.5
Argentina	102.2	96.6	90.9	100.0	99.3	98.7	107.2	109.2	106.9	111.8
Bolivia	107.9	102.0	97.1	100.0	95.8	96.2	98.5	104.1	111.8	134.6
Brazil	113.6	111.9	97.0	100.0	99.6	98.4	97.0	97.9	99.2	102.4
Chile	94.5	91.0	94.2	100.0	93.3	97.2	102.8	124.9	139.8	186.9
Colombia	93.3	81.2	87.2	100.0	94.2	92.5	95.2	108.5	117.7	124.5
Costa Rica	125.9	117.5	106.9	100.0	98.4	96.9	95.5	91.9	88.3	84.9
Dominican Republic	106.1	108.0	105.7	100.0	100.9	101.5	97.9	96.7	95.8	94.9
Ecuador	89.1	75.8	89.1	100.0	84.6	86.8	89.8	91.5	102.4	111.8
El Salvador	95.0	95.8	99.6	100.0	102.5	101.6	97.7	96.8	96.8	94.9
Guatemala	97.9	115.3	101.9	100.0	96.7	95.8	93.0	92.1	91.3	89.6
Haiti	101.4	107.6	104.2	100.0	101.2	100.2	98.7	96.0	92.4	87.3
Honduras	125.5	108.9	107.5	100.0	94.8	92.0	88.0	87.2	87.2	83.9
Mexico	89.5	90.6	99.3	100.0	97.4	97.9	98.8	101.6	103.6	107.6
Nicaragua	82.0	79.6	95.3	100.0	88.4	87.0	84.1	82.5	81.4	79.8
Panama	103.9	104.7	104.6	100.0	102.7	101.6	97.2	95.3	93.5	90.8
Paraguay	106.2	108.0	101.7	100.0	100.2	96.7	101.4	104.3	97.4	95.5
Peru	115.5	103.4	100.8	100.0	95.6	98.4	102.2	111.3	119.4	150.1
Uruguay	102.9	104.4	95.9	100.0	104.0	102.6	103.5	99.9	90.7	89.1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	70.1	51.2	66.1	100.0	82.2	87.6	98.7	118.1	154.4	188.9

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Preliminary figures.

Table A-12
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: NET RESOURCE TRANSFERS^a
(Millions of dollars)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	32 537	27 321	-2 672	368	-3 122	-41 722	-37 329	-67 076	-76 987	-102 367
Argentina	9 286	10 513	5 639	1 030	-16 030	-20 723	-12 457	-7 054	-3 139	-11 206
Bolivia	447	637	324	182	30	-156	-226	-565	-488	-539
Brazil	5 863	7 257	-1 336	4 077	6 778	-10 252	-14 234	-29 955	-35 841	-15 190
Chile	4 362	-162	-3 079	-1 621	-2 022	-1 985	-4 010	-9 771	-9 611	-25 688
Colombia	3 703	1 763	-2 338	-2 177	-302	-1 371	-2 608	-853	-1 853	-2 018
Costa Rica	448	-97	-691	-714	-63	580	443	432	1 143	1 413
Dominican Republic	-593	-453	-352	-85	168	-880	-2 787	-2 324	-348	-893
Ecuador	-316	467	-2 715	-2 020	-817	-100	-951	-1 078	-1 451	-1 950
El Salvador	297	231	165	132	-293	-42	595	119	156	385
Guatemala	653	1 118	696	1 494	1 642	938	1 271	1 501	1 305	1 427
Haiti	85	56	80	45	129	26	5	94	-70	126
Honduras	368	173	528	218	280	258	-86	549	108	142
Mexico	6 073	4 865	1 691	6 491	11 498	8 502	5 960	433	-1 020	-10 149
Nicaragua	749	471	888	620	446	583	529	672	727	811
Panama	718	479	652	3	202	-39	-506	-356	179	-564
Paraguay	478	189	287	-30	237	-134	168	-98	94	535
Peru	3 037	975	-633	-213	319	457	-694	-1 354	-4 553	-8 464
Uruguay	486	793	480	728	707	-2 601	948	-176	34	348
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	-3 606	-1 955	-2 957	-7 792	-6 031	-14 785	-8 690	-17 292	-22 358	-30 893

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of figures from the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and national offices.

^a The net transfer of resources is equal to total net capital inflows minus the income balance (net payments of profits and interest). Total net capital inflows correspond to the capital and financial accounts, plus errors and omissions, loans and the use of IMF credit and exceptional financing. Negative figures indicate net outward resource transfers.

^b Preliminary figures.

Table A-13
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: TOTAL NET CAPITAL INFLOWS AND NET RESOURCE TRANSFERS^a
(Billions of dollars and percentages)

	Total net capital inf ows			Balance on income account ^b	Net resource transfers	Exports of goods and services	Net resource transfers as a percentage of exports of goods and services
	Autonomous ^c	Non-autonomous ^d	Total				
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5) = (3) - (4) (5)	(6)	(7) = (5) / (6) (7)
1980	29.2	1.7	30.9	-18.9	12.0	106.9	11.3
1981	38.4	1.8	40.1	-29.1	11.1	115.6	9.6
1982	3.3	17.2	20.5	-38.9	-18.4	105.2	-17.5
1983	-22.3	30.1	7.9	34.5	42.4	105.4	40.2
1984	-10.9	23.9	13.0	-37.5	-24.5	117.5	-20.8
1985	-16.4	20.3	3.9	-35.5	-31.6	112.8	-28.1
1986	-12.4	21.9	9.4	-32.7	-23.3	99.2	-23.4
1987	-13.2	25.6	12.4	-31.0	-18.6	113.4	-16.4
1988	-19.8	22.8	3.0	-34.6	-31.6	130.6	-24.2
1989	-18.8	29.0	10.2	-39.0	-28.8	145.8	-19.7
1990	-5.5	21.6	16.1	-34.2	-18.1	162.0	-11.2
1991	23.3	11.8	35.1	-31.4	3.7	164.2	2.3
1992	48.1	7.9	56.0	-30.0	26.1	177.5	14.7
1993	68.6	-1.9	66.6	-34.5	32.1	194.1	16.5
1994	41.3	5.8	47.1	-35.9	11.2	223.0	5.0
1995	29.3	31.6	60.9	-40.7	20.2	265.9	7.6
1996	63.9	0.9	64.7	-42.7	22.1	295.1	7.5
1997	89.1	-9.0	80.1	-47.6	32.5	327.4	9.9
1998	68.6	9.1	77.7	-50.3	27.3	327.4	8.3
1999	42.4	6.1	48.5	-51.2	-2.7	343.1	-0.8
2000	62.2	-8.2	54.1	-53.7	0.4	408.2	0.1
2001	35.1	16.2	51.2	-54.4	-3.1	391.4	-0.8
2002	-11.6	22.4	10.8	-52.6	-41.7	394.2	-10.6
2003	1.9	18.6	20.4	-57.8	-37.3	429.0	-8.7
2004	-8.8	8.9	0.0	-67.1	-67.1	524.5	-12.8
2005	21.7	-22.1	-0.4	-76.6	-77.0	629.3	-12.2
2006 ^e	0.5	-13.2	-12.7	-89.7	-102.4	752.9	-13.6

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of figures from the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and national offices.

^a Includes information for 19 Latin American and Caribbean countries: Argentina, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, and Uruguay.

^b Corresponds to net payments of profits and interest.

^c Includes errors and omissions.

^d Includes loans and the use of IMF credit and exceptional financing, which includes transactions such as external debt forgiveness and accumulation of arrears.

^e Preliminary figures.

Table A-14
**LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: RATIO OF TOTAL ACCRUED INTEREST TO EXPORTS
 OF GOODS AND SERVICES ^a**
(Percentages)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	18.6	20.0	19.1	14.1	14.4	12.6	11.6	9.4	9.8	4.2
Argentina	28.6	34.3	40.8	37.9	39.4	35.6	29.0	24.6	14.2	9.8
Bolivia	14.8	15.0	15.7	14.3	10.4	7.6	6.8	6.3	6.6	...
Brazil	26.0	28.1	31.6	26.5	26.4	21.9	18.9	15.3	13.4	12.6
Chile	7.3	8.2	7.9	8.2	7.7	5.5	4.0	3.5	25.7	...
Colombia	22.2	19.1	15.2	16.8	17.1	17.6	15.3	12.8	12.0	9.9
Costa Rica	4.6	3.6	3.2	4.1	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.6
Dominican Republic	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.6	5.0	5.2	...
Ecuador	15.8	21.1	21.1	19.9	18.3	16.7	15.3	13.7	10.9	9.9
El Salvador	8.2	8.0	8.7	8.6	9.3	9.8	11.1	11.1	11.9	14.1
Guatemala	4.6	4.2	3.7	4.7	5.6	6.2	5.3	5.5	6.1	6.7
Haiti	3.6	2.4	2.4	1.8	2.1	3.2	3.0	2.3	6.2	1.7
Honduras	9.2	8.0	8.6	7.3	6.5	5.7	4.9	3.8	3.5	2.7
Mexico	17.9	18.8	16.0	7.6	7.4	6.9	6.6	5.6	5.3	...
Nicaragua	25.1	16.2	17.2	14.8	15.9	12.1	9.2	7.4	3.2	3.3
Panama	15.7	19.0	20.6	20.1	17.6	13.6	11.6	9.6	10.7	0.0
Paraguay	2.4	2.0	3.1	5.3	6.2	4.7	4.2	3.2	2.8	...
Peru	29.3	25.3	21.1	23.5	18.8	17.7	20.6	8.6	6.1	...
Uruguay	16.6	18.0	20.9	20.6	24.5	24.5	20.2	17.3	17.1	15.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	12.9	14.7	12.6	8.6	9.7	8.2	7.6	4.8	4.9	...

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Includes interest paid (without deducting interest received) and interest due but not paid.

^b Preliminary figures.

Table A-15
**LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: RATIO OF PROFIT PAYMENTS
 TO EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES ^a**
(Percentages)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	3.0	2.8	2.3	5.4	5.1	4.6	5.4	6.5	5.9	...
Argentina	8.8	8.8	7.5	9.9	2.5	0.4	3.1	6.4	7.9	8.0
Bolivia	5.7	6.0	10.9	10.1	11.0	11.8	11.9	11.4	7.9	...
Brazil	10.3	10.2	9.3	6.6	7.4	8.5	7.2	6.3	8.2	8.4
Chile	10.0	6.9	7.0	10.9	10.0	10.8	17.3	21.0	...	...
Colombia	0.6	0.6	1.0	4.3	6.2	7.5	9.7	12.8	15.1	13.3
Costa Rica	3.4	5.6	20.9	14.7	8.3	4.9	7.9	3.8	1.7	4.9
Dominican Republic	10.1	11.1	12.1	11.9	13.0	14.0	15.6	17.6	18.1	...
Ecuador	3.2	4.6	4.7	4.7	5.9	4.9	5.9	8.0	6.9	5.9
El Salvador	...	1.0	3.5	1.6	2.0	2.3	2.1	1.9	4.1	1.9
Guatemala	5.1	3.7	4.3	5.8	4.4	5.7	6.6	5.2	5.7	5.7
Honduras	3.2	2.9	2.0	2.8	4.3	4.3	6.5	9.3	9.1	8.7
Mexico	-4.3	-4.6	-4.2	3.3	3.2	2.2	2.0	1.8	2.6	...
Nicaragua	5.9	6.2	6.5	6.3	6.9	6.3	5.9	4.8	4.4	3.7
Panama	6.1	7.8	10.1	7.2	7.1	2.6	8.6	10.9	9.7	...
Paraguay	3.8	4.3	3.6	2.9	3.6	1.6	2.2	5.5	4.0	...
Peru	1.0	1.1	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.2	15.6	20.2	...
Uruguay	0.9	1.4	2.0	2.4	3.1	-11.7	3.6	5.1	5.5	5.7
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	6.6	11.4	3.9	4.1	6.7	6.9	6.7	8.0	6.4	...

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Includes reinvestment of profits.

^b Preliminary figures.

Table A-16
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: NET FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT ^a
(Millions of dollars)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	57 599	60 999	79 923	70 308	63 659	45 213	35 114	43 149	49 206	33 483
Argentina ^c	5 507	4 965	22 257	9 517	2 005	2 776	878	3 832	3 579	869
Bolivia	728	947	1 008	734	703	674	195	63	-280	100
Brazil	18 608	26 002	26 888	30 498	24 715	14 108	9 894	8 339	12 550	-6 858
Chile	3 809	3 144	6 203	873	2 590	2 207	2 701	5 646	4 764	6 600
Colombia	4 753	2 033	1 392	2 069	2 509	1 283	820	2 975	5 751	3 949
Costa Rica	404	608	614	400	451	625	548	733	904	1 611
Dominican Republic	421	700	1 338	953	1 079	917	613	909	1 023	1 050
Ecuador	724	870	648	720	1 330	1 275	1 555	1 160	1 646	2 899
El Salvador ^d	59	1 103	162	178	289	496	123	430	300	222
Guatemala	84	673	155	230	456	111	131	155	208	325
Haiti	4	11	30	13	4	6	14	6	10	46
Honduras	122	99	237	282	193	176	247	325	272	299
Mexico ^e	12 831	12 409	13 631	17 588	21 800	18 154	14 003	14 509	12 460	17 300
Nicaragua	203	218	337	267	150	204	201	250	241	290
Panama	1 299	1 203	864	624	467	99	771	1 004	1 027	2 500
Paraguay	230	336	89	98	78	12	22	38	58	90
Peru	2 054	1 582	1 812	810	1 070	2 156	1 275	1 599	2 579	3 500
Uruguay	113	155	238	274	291	180	401	315	715	1 193
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	5 645	3 942	2 018	4 180	3 479	-244	722	864	1 400	-2 500

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Refers to direct investment in the reporting economy, minus direct investment abroad by reporting-economy residents. Includes reinvested profits.

^b Preliminary figures.

^c For 1999, includes the value of the investment by REPSOL in Yacimientos Petrolíferos Fiscales. Part of this amount corresponds to the purchase of shares in the company held by non-residents. In the balance of payments, the value of those shares is reflected as a debit under the portfolio investment item.

^d From 1998 onward the figures are not comparable, since up to 1997 no official records were kept.

^e For 2001, includes the value of the investment by Citigroup in BANAMEX; for 2004, includes investment in Bancomer.

Table A-17
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: INTERNATIONAL BOND ISSUES^a
(Millions of dollars)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005 ^b	2006 ^c
Latin America and the Caribbean	55 635	40 406	44 107	40 255	38 503	20 208	37 906	36 383	45 054	30 097
Argentina	15 571	15 931	14 900	13 468	2 711		100	200	540	2 826
Barbados				200	150				325	150
Belize						125	100			
Bolivia								108		
Brazil	15 839	8 380	11 180	12 068	13 010	6 857	19 364	11 603	15 334	11 292
Chile	1 800	1 063	1 765	676	1 515	1 694	3 200	2 350	1 000	562
Colombia	1 605	1 385	1 676	1 622	4 329	695	1 545	1 545	2 435	2 709
Costa Rica		200	300	250	250	250	490	310		
Dominican Republic	200				500		600		160	425
Ecuador	625								650	
El Salvador			150	50	354	1 252	349	286	375	925
Grenada						100				
Guatemala	150				325		300	380		
Jamaica	225	250		422	812	300		814	1 050	730
Mexico	15 250	8 914	11 441	9 777	11 016	6 505	7 979	13 312	11 703	5 589
Panama	1 146	325	500	350	1 100	1 030	275	770	1 530	1 776
Paraguay			400							
Peru	450	150				1 000	1 250	1 305	2 675	613
Trinidad and Tobago			230	250					100	500
Uruguay	479	550	350	641	856	400		350	1 062	1 900
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2 295	3 259	1 215	482	1 575		2 354	3 050	6 115	100

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF), Merrill-Lynch and J.P. Morgan.

^a Includes sovereign, bank and corporate bonds.

^b Not including US\$ 584 million issued by the Andean Development Corporation (CAF) and US\$ 200 million issued by the Central American Bank for Economic Integration (BCIE).

^c Data to the third quarter. Not including US\$ 250 million issued by the Andean Development Corporation (CAF) and US\$ 250 million issued by the Latin American Reserve Fund (FLAR).

Table A-18
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: TOTAL GROSS EXTERNAL DEBT ^a
(Millions of dollars)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	680 332	742 694	762 267	738 237	744 560	733 062	757 775	761 344	656 130	632 849
Latin America	672 392	734 519	754 311	729 168	734 317	722 355	746 880	749 502	644 066	622 973
Argentina	129 964	147 634	152 563	155 015	166 272	156 748	164 645	171 115	113 518	106 812
Bolivia ^c	4 532	4 659	4 574	4 460	4 497	4 400	5 142	5 045	4 942	4 673
Brazil	199 998	223 792	225 610	216 921	209 934	210 711	214 930	201 373	169 450	156 661
Chile	29 034	32 591	34 758	37 177	38 527	40 504	43 067	43 517	45 014	47 604
Colombia	34 409	36 681	36 733	36 130	39 101	37 329	38 012	39 445	38 350	37 209
Costa Rica ^c	2 640	2 872	3 057	3 151	3 175	3 281	3 733	3 884	3 626	3 611
Cuba ^c	10 146	11 209	11 078	10 961	10 893	10 900	11 300	12 000	...	...
Dominican Republic	3 572	3 546	3 661	3 682	4 177	4 536	5 987	6 380	6 756	7 021
Ecuador	15 015	16 221	15 902	13 216	14 376	16 236	16 756	17 211	17 237	16 900
El Salvador ^c	2 689	2 646	2 789	2 831	3 148	3 987	4 717	4 778	4 976	5 418
Guatemala ^c	2 135	2 368	2 631	2 644	2 925	3 119	3 467	3 844	3 723	4 063
Haiti ^c	1 025	1 104	1 162	1 170	1 189	1 212	1 287	1 316	1 335	1 375
Honduras	4 073	4 369	4 691	4 711	4 757	4 922	5 242	5 912	5 082	4 912
Mexico	149 028	160 258	166 381	148 652	144 526	134 979	132 271	130 922	127 089	130 946
Nicaragua ^c	6 001	6 287	6 549	6 660	6 374	6 363	6 596	5 391	5 348	5 336
Panama ^c	5 051	5 349	5 568	5 604	6 263	6 349	6 504	7 219	7 580	7 914
Paraguay	2 029	2 235	2 741	2 869	2 653	2 900	2 952	2 894	2 761	...
Peru	28 864	30 142	28 586	27 981	27 196	27 873	29 587	31 117	28 605	27 933
Uruguay ^d	4 945	5 467	8 261	8 895	8 937	10 548	11 013	11 593	11 441	11 464
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	37 242	35 087	37 016	36 437	35 398	35 460	39 672	44 546	47 233	43 120
Caribbean	7 939	8 175	7 956	9 069	10 242	10 708	10 895	11 841	12 064	9 876
Antigua and Barbuda ^c	347	395	398	391	405	434	494	527	313	...
Bahamas ^c	335	323	338	349	328	310	363	343	335	289
Barbados ^c	382	391	436	578	746	733	738	788	874	755
Belize ^c	...	230	254	430	486	577	754	851	933	922
Dominica ^c	89	91	132	150	175	202	219	207	208	...
Grenada ^c	101	103	113	137	153	260	278	330	400	...
Guyana ^c	1 513	1 507	1 211	1 193	1 197	1 247	1 085	1 071	1 094	1 082
Jamaica ^c	3 278	3 306	3 024	3 375	4 146	4 348	4 192	5 120	5 372	5 608
Saint Kitts and Nevis ^c	106	124	152	162	216	261	315	304	284	...
Saint Lucia ^c	134	134	152	170	204	246	324	344	350	...
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	89	101	160	163	171	171	199	223	237	...
Suriname ^c	...	...	...	291	349	371	382	383	382	...
Trinidad and Tobago ^c	1 565	1 471	1 585	1 680	1 666	1 549	1 553	1 351	1 281	1 221

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Total gross external debt includes debt owed to the International Monetary Fund.

^b Preliminary figures to June.

^c Public external debt.

^d For 1997 and 1998, figures refer to public external debt. From 1999 onwards, figures refer to total external debt.

Table A-19
**LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: RATIO OF TOTAL GROSS EXTERNAL
 DEBT^a TO EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES**
(Percentages)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	198	216	211	172	181	178	168	138	101	83
Latin America	203	222	217	177	186	181	172	141	103	83
Argentina	420	473	546	496	533	538	479	431	245	197
Bolivia ^c	321	344	349	303	296	283	262	197	151	107
Brazil	338	381	409	336	311	301	257	185	126	99
Chile	133	161	165	160	172	179	162	114	94	70
Colombia	242	273	263	229	260	263	242	203	157	137
Costa Rica ^c	49	42	37	41	46	46	46	45	37	32
Cuba ^c	255	271	257	229	260	282	243	213	...	...
Dominican Republic	51	47	46	41	50	55	67	68	67	67
Ecuador	248	324	298	221	253	264	229	192	150	123
El Salvador ^c	92	87	88	77	88	105	115	108	109	112
Guatemala ^c	67	68	76	69	75	79	84	85	75	74
Haiti ^c	270	230	219	232	267	288	275	258	223	210
Honduras	186	180	210	189	196	196	195	190	148	131
Mexico	123	124	112	83	84	78	75	65	55	49
Nicaragua ^c	666	666	680	604	570	557	505	327	287	235
Panama ^c	60	65	78	72	78	84	86	82	71	64
Paraguay	51	54	95	98	109	120	108	83	70	54
Peru	345	400	372	330	321	302	274	210	146	108
Uruguay ^d	117	132	238	243	274	392	357	270	225	196
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	148	183	166	105	126	128	141	109	83	61
Caribbean	68	68	61	57	69	73	65	61	53	53
Antigua and Barbuda ^c	78	85	84	84	91	102	107	99	55	51
Bahamas ^c	18	17	15	12	15	12	15	13	11	10
Barbados ^c	31	30	33	42	56	57	52	52	50	42
Belize ^c	...	70	62	99	112	119	143	157	151	135
Dominica ^c	65	60	84	104	144	163	185	159	164	160
Grenada ^c	73	62	52	58	77	151	155	169	268	239
Guyana ^c	204	219	180	177	181	187	155	143	155	156
Jamaica ^c	96	98	87	94	124	135	119	131	131	126
Saint Kitts and Nevis ^c	76	85	104	108	141	170	191	158	135	128
Saint Lucia ^c	37	34	42	45	62	77	83	74	71	70
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	60	64	91	91	97	96	115	121	117	108
Suriname ^c	...	...	...	48	69	65	55	38	27	21
Trinidad and Tobago ^c	52	50	46	35	34	34	26	18	14	17

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures and data from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Total gross external debt includes debt owed to the International Monetary Fund.

^b Estimates.

^c Public external debt.

^d For 1997 and 1998, figures refer to public external debt. From 1999 onwards, figures refer to total external debt.

Table A-20
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: STOCK EXCHANGE INDICES IN DOLLARS^a
(Indices, December 2000=100)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^b
Latin America and the Caribbean	121.5	75.1	118.0	100.0	93.9	72.6	122.5	168.6	242.7	303.2
Argentina	139.7	100.0	133.3	100.0	69.1	34.8	79.4	97.4	140.3	181.8
Brazil	113.9	65.4	109.2	100.0	77.7	51.9	105.9	141.8	212.7	267.1
Chile	122.9	86.0	116.4	100.0	94.8	80.7	145.9	176.9	202.4	233.8
Colombia	402.3	227.0	181.5	100.0	125.1	137.3	174.7	376.4	783.0	801.4
Mexico	114.2	69.9	125.6	100.0	112.2	93.6	123.5	182.8	262.7	331.9
Peru	189.9	114.5	138.5	100.0	112.3	146.9	263.1	294.9	366.1	613.1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	187.8	90.5	79.0	100.0	79.9	51.8	59.2	88.9	69.4	105.0

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of figures from the International Finance Corporation (IFC).

^a Year-end values; overall index.

^b Figures up to October.

Table A-21
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: REAL EFFECTIVE EXCHANGE RATES^a
(Index: 2000=100, deflated by CPI)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004 ^b	2005 ^b	2006 ^{b,c}
Latin America and the Caribbean^d	97.5	94.5	100.8	100.1	99.9	117.4	125.7	126.0	119.1	115.6
Argentina	112.7	108.8	99.6	100.0	95.6	225.3	204.9	214.9	215.4	220.0
Bolivia	103.9	98.5	98.6	100.0	101.0	95.4	104.2	111.6	119.9	122.1
Brazil	69.9	72.3	108.2	100.0	120.1	132.1	131.0	124.7	101.8	90.6
Chile	90.8	92.5	98.3	100.0	111.3	109.1	114.6	107.0	101.7	97.1
Colombia	78.0	83.2	91.6	100.0	104.0	105.5	119.2	108.4	96.0	98.1
Costa Rica	101.1	99.8	101.8	100.0	97.0	97.4	103.4	106.8	108.4	108.2
Ecuador	64.8	64.7	89.2	100.0	70.9	61.8	60.2	62.8	65.6	65.7
El Salvador	104.0	101.9	100.4	100.0	99.6	99.6	100.1	100.3	101.7	102.1
Guatemala	88.3	88.1	98.7	100.0	95.7	88.5	88.6	86.0	79.9	77.5
Honduras	119.0	108.8	104.5	100.0	97.1	96.9	98.4	100.0	100.1	98.9
Jamaica	100.7	96.0	97.7	100.0	101.6	101.1	115.9	114.3	105.6	106.2
Mexico	119.9	119.1	108.9	100.0	93.5	92.9	104.5	109.4	106.1	106.5
Nicaragua	101.2	101.3	101.9	100.0	101.1	103.1	106.8	108.9	108.4	108.2
Panama	102.5	100.1	100.7	100.0	102.9	100.8	101.9	107.0	109.6	110.7
Paraguay	93.3	99.2	96.7	100.0	102.6	106.4	112.5	108.3	118.7	107.9
Peru	90.7	91.7	101.5	100.0	97.8	95.6	99.8	101.3	102.0	103.5
Uruguay	108.5	107.0	98.3	100.0	101.2	118.3	150.4	152.0	137.0	135.6
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	141.8	116.6	102.6	100.0	95.2	125.0	137.2	143.3	143.5	136.8

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of figures from official sources and from the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

^a Annual averages. A country's overall real effective exchange rate index is calculated by weighting its real bilateral exchange rate indices with each of its trading partners by each partner's share in the country's total trade flows in terms of exports and imports. A currency depreciates in effective real terms when this index rises and appreciates when it falls.

^b Preliminary figures, provisionally weighted by trade in 2003.

^c January-October average.

^d Simple average of the extraregional real effective exchange rate for 18 countries.

Table A-22
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: URBAN UNEMPLOYMENT
(Average annual rates)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean^b	9.3	10.3	11.0	10.4	10.2	11.0	11.0	10.3	9.1	8.7
Argentina ^c Urban areas	14.9	12.9	14.3	15.1	17.4	19.7	17.3	13.6	11.6	10.4 ^d
Barbados ^e Nationwide total	14.5	12.3	10.4	9.2	9.9	10.3	11.0	9.8	9.1	8.1 ^f
Belize ^e Nationwide total	12.7	14.3	12.8	11.1	9.1	10.0	12.9	11.6	11.0	9.4 ^g
Bolivia Urban total ^h	4.4	6.1	7.2	7.5	8.5	8.7	9.2	6.2	8.2	...
Brazil ⁱ Six metropolitan areas	5.7	7.6	7.6	7.1	6.2	11.7	12.3	11.5	9.8	10.1 ^j
Chile ^k Nationwide total	6.1	6.4	10.1	9.7	9.9	9.8	9.5	10.0	9.2	7.9 ^j
Colombia ^e 13 metropolitan areas ^l	12.4	15.3	19.4	17.2	18.2	17.6	16.7	15.4	14.0	13.0 ^j
Costa Rica Urban total	5.9	5.4	6.2	5.3	5.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.9	6.0
Cuba Nationwide total	7.0	6.6	6.3	5.5	4.1	3.3	2.3	1.9	1.9	1.9
Dominican Republic ^e Nationwide total	16.0	14.4	13.8	13.9	15.6	16.1	16.7	18.4	18.0	16.4 ^g
Ecuador ^e Cuenca, Guayaquil and Quito ^m	9.3	11.5	14.4	14.1	10.4	8.6	9.8	11.0	10.7	10.1 ^j
El Salvador Urban total	7.5	7.6	6.9	6.5	7.0	6.2	6.2	6.5	7.3	5.7 ^d
Guatemala Urban total	...	...	...	...	...	5.4	5.2	4.4	...	...
Honduras Urban total	5.8	5.2	5.3	...	5.9	6.1	7.6	8.0	6.5	5.2 ⁿ
Jamaica ^e Nationwide total	16.5	15.5	15.7	15.5	15.0	14.2	11.4	11.7	11.3	11.2 ^o
Mexico Urban areas	5.4	4.7	3.7	3.4	3.6	3.9	4.6	5.3	4.7	4.6 ^j
Nicaragua Urban total ^p	14.3	13.2	10.7	7.8	11.3	11.6	10.2	9.3	7.0	...
Panama ^e Urban total ^q	15.4	15.5	13.6	15.2	17.0	16.5	15.9	14.1	12.1	10.4
Paraguay Urban total	7.1	6.6	9.4	10.0	10.8	14.7	11.2	10.0	7.6	...
Peru Metropolitan Lima	9.2	8.5	9.2	8.5	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.6	8.5 ^j
Trinidad and Tobago ^e Nationwide total	15.0	14.2	13.2	12.2	10.8	10.4	10.5	8.4	8.0	6.8 ^o
Uruguay Urban total	11.5	10.1	11.3	13.6	15.3	17.0	16.9	13.1	12.2	11.6 ^d
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) Nationwide total	11.4	11.3	15.0	13.9	13.3	15.8	18.0	15.3	12.4	9.8 ^j

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Preliminary figures.

^b The data for Argentina and Brazil have been adjusted to allow for changes in methodology in 2003 and 2002 respectively.

^c New measurements have been used from 2003 on; these data are not comparable with the preceding series.

^d Estimate based on data from January to September.

^e Includes hidden unemployment.

^f Figure for March.

^g Figure for April.

^h Up to 1999, the figures refer to departamental capitals.

ⁱ New measurements have been used from 2002 on; these data are not comparable with the preceding series.

^j Estimate based on data from January to October.

^k From 1998 onward, the data have been spliced with those of the sample used since 2006.

^l Up to 1999, the figures refer to seven metropolitan areas.

^m Up to 1999, the figures refer to the total for urban areas.

ⁿ Figure for May.

^o Estimate based on data from January to June.

^p Up to 1999, the figures refer to nationwide totals.

^q Up to 1999, the figures refer to the metropolitan region.

Table A-23
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: CONSUMER PRICES
(Percentage variations, December-December)

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Latin America and the Caribbean^b	10.7	10.0	9.7	9.0	6.1	12.2	8.5	7.4	6.1	4.8
Antigua and Barbuda	...	...	...	...	...	2.5	1.8	2.8	2.5	...
Argentina	0.3	0.7	-1.8	-0.7	-1.5	41.0	3.7	6.1	12.3	10.0
Bahamas	0.8	1.9	1.4	1.0	2.9	1.9	2.4	1.9	1.2	2.5 ^c
Barbados	3.6	1.7	2.9	3.8	-0.3	0.9	0.3	4.3	7.4	7.7 ^d
Bolivia	6.7	4.4	3.1	3.4	0.9	2.4	3.9	4.6	4.9	4.7
Brazil	5.2	1.7	8.9	6.0	7.7	12.5	9.3	7.6	5.7	3.0
Chile	6.0	4.7	2.3	4.5	2.6	2.8	1.1	2.4	3.7	2.1
Colombia	17.7	16.7	9.2	8.8	7.6	7.0	6.5	5.5	4.9	4.3
Costa Rica	11.2	12.4	10.1	10.2	11.0	9.7	9.9	13.1	14.1	9.4
Cuba	1.9	2.9	-2.9	-3.0	-0.5	7.0	-1.0	2.9	4.2	5.5
Dominica	2.3	1.4	0.0	1.1	1.1	-1.2	2.8	0.8	2.7	3.6 ^f
Dominican Republic	8.4	7.8	5.1	9.0	4.4	10.5	42.7	28.7	7.4	5.2
Ecuador	30.6	43.4	60.7	91.0	22.4	9.3	6.1	1.9	3.1	3.2
El Salvador	1.9	4.2	-1.0	4.3	1.4	2.8	2.5	5.4	4.3	3.9
Grenada	0.9	1.2	1.1	3.4	-0.7	-0.4	1.1	2.5	5.8	...
Guatemala	7.1	7.5	4.9	5.1	8.9	6.3	5.9	9.2	8.6	4.4
Guyana	4.2	4.7	8.7	5.8	1.5	6.0	5.0	5.5	8.2	5.3 ^d
Haiti	15.7	7.4	9.7	19.0	8.1	14.8	40.4	20.2	14.8	11.8 ^e
Honduras	12.8	15.7	10.9	10.1	8.8	8.1	6.8	9.2	7.7	4.9
Jamaica	9.2	7.9	6.8	6.1	8.7	7.3	14.1	13.7	12.9	5.8 ^e
Mexico	15.7	18.6	12.3	9.0	4.4	5.7	4.0	5.2	3.3	4.1
Nicaragua	7.3	18.5	7.2	9.9	4.7	4.0	6.6	8.9	9.6	9.1
Panama	-0.5	1.4	1.5	0.7	0.0	1.9	1.5	1.5	3.4	2.0
Paraguay	6.2	14.6	5.4	8.6	8.4	14.6	9.3	2.8	9.9	8.9
Peru	6.5	6.0	3.7	3.7	-0.1	1.5	2.5	3.5	1.5	1.5
Saint Kitts and Nevis	11.3	0.9	3.2	...	...	1.7	3.1	1.7	7.2	...
Saint Lucia	1.9	3.6	6.1	0.4	0.0	-0.7	0.5	3.5	6.7	...
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.8	3.3	-1.8	1.4	-0.2	2.4	2.2	1.7	3.9	2.5 ^c
Suriname	17.4	22.9	112.9	76.1	4.9	28.4	14.0	9.3	15.8	5.6 ^e
Trinidad and Tobago	3.5	5.6	3.4	5.6	3.2	4.3	3.0	5.6	7.2	9.6
Uruguay	15.2	8.6	4.2	5.1	3.6	25.9	10.2	7.6	4.9	6.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	37.6	29.9	20.0	13.4	12.3	31.2	27.1	19.2	14.4	15.8

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Twelve-month variation up to November 2006.

^b The only English-speaking Caribbean countries included under this heading are Barbados, Jamaica and Trinidad and Tobago. In addition, the figures for 2005 and 2006 do not include Cuba.

^c Twelve-month variation up to August 2006.

^d Twelve-month variation up to July 2006.

^e Twelve-month variation up to October 2006.

^f Twelve-month variation up to September 2006.

Table A-24
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: AVERAGE REAL WAGES
(Average annual indices: 2000=100)

	1990	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^a
Argentina ^b	94.7	95.0	95.0	97.8	100.0	99.5	85.9	83.9	92.2	97.7	106.9 ^c
Brazil ^d	103.0	105.7	105.8	101.1	100.0	95.1	93.1	84.9	85.5	85.2	88.1 ^c
Chile ^e	91.6	93.8	96.3	98.6	100.0	101.7	103.7	104.6	106.5	108.5	110.6 ^c
Colombia ^b	88.4	92.1	92.2	96.3	100.0	99.7	103.5	103.5	105.1	106.1	109.8 ^f
Costa Rica ^g	88.9	89.7	94.7	99.2	100.0	101.0	105.1	105.5	102.8	100.8	102.0 ^c
Mexico ^b	90.9	90.4	92.9	94.3	100.0	106.7	108.7	110.1	110.4	110.3	111.2 ^c
Nicaragua ^g	89.2	92.5	96.2	100.0	100.0	101.0	104.5	106.5	104.2	104.5	106.3 ^c
Paraguay	103.2	102.7	100.8	98.7	100.0	101.4	94.9	93.0	90.5	91.5	...
Peru ^h	104.2	103.4	101.3	99.3	100.0	99.1	103.7	105.3	106.5	104.4	105.4 ⁱ
Uruguay	97.8	98.0	99.7	101.3	100.0	99.7	89.0	77.9	77.9	81.5	85.0 ^c
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep. of)	76.1	95.6	100.8	96.1	100.0	106.9	95.1	78.4	78.6	80.7	84.4 ^c

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Preliminary figures.

^b Manufacturing.

^c Estimate based on data from January to September.

^d Workers covered by social and labour legislation. Private sector only from 2003 onwards.

^e General index of hourly wages.

^f Estimate based on data from January to August.

^g Average wages declared by workers covered by social security.

^h Private-sector manual workers in the Lima metropolitan area.

ⁱ Estimate based on the data for June.

Table A-25
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN: PUBLIC-SECTOR DEFICIT (-) OR SURPLUS ^a
 (Percentages of GDP)

	Coverage ^b	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006 ^c
Latin America and the Caribbean ^d	CG	-1.2	-2.3	-3.1	-2.7	-3.3	-3.2	-2.9	-1.9	-1.2	-0.3
Argentina	NA	-1.4	-1.8	-3.1	-2.1	-4.0	-0.6	0.2	2.0	0.4	1.0
	NFPS	-1.5	-2.4	-4.5	-3.3	-7.0	-0.8	1.6	3.5	...	...
Bolivia	GG	-3.0	-3.3	-3.6	-4.6	-7.0	-8.0	-7.1	-5.4	-3.5	4.1
	NFPS	-3.3	-4.7	-3.5	-3.7	-6.8	-8.8	-7.9	-5.5	-2.3	5.2
Brazil	CG ^{e f}	-2.6	-5.4	-6.8	-3.1	-3.7	-6.4	-2.5	-1.3	-3.5	-4.0
	CPS ^f	...	-7.5	-5.8	-3.6	-3.6	-4.6	-5.1	-2.7	-3.3	...
Chile	CG	2.0	0.4	-2.1	-0.6	-0.5	-1.2	-0.4	2.1	4.7	7.6
	NFPS	1.4	-1.4	-3.3	-1.0	-0.4	-2.5	-1.3	3.3	...	...
Colombia	CNG ^g	-3.7	-4.8	-6.1	-5.4	-5.3	-4.9	-5.0	-5.5	-4.8	-5.3
	NFPS	-2.8	-3.7	-4.1	-4.0	-4.1	-3.5	-2.6	-0.9	-0.3	...
Costa Rica	CG	-2.9	-2.5	-2.2	-3.0	-2.9	-4.3	-2.9	-2.7	-2.1	-2.4
	NFPS	-0.8	-0.6	-1.7	-1.6	-1.6	-3.9	-2.4	-2.0	-0.4	...
Dominican Republic	CG	-1.6	-1.0	-1.8	-2.1	-2.4	-2.7	-5.2	-4.0	-0.7	-1.0
Ecuador	CG ^h	-1.2	-4.1	-2.9	0.1	-1.0	-0.7	-0.4	-1.0	-0.5	0.6
	NFPS ^h	-2.1	-5.2	-4.9	1.4	0.0	0.8	1.6	1.9	0.7	4.3
El Salvador	CG	-1.1	-2.0	-2.1	-2.3	-3.6	-3.1	-2.7	-1.1	-1.0	-0.4
	NFPS	-1.8	-2.6	-2.8	-3.0	-3.6	-3.3	-2.1	-0.6	-1.1	0.0
Guatemala	CA	-0.8	-2.2	-2.8	-1.8	-1.9	-1.0	-2.3	-1.0	-1.5	-1.5
Haiti	CG	-0.6	-1.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.2	-2.7	-2.9	-3.3	-0.5	0.2
Honduras	CG	-2.5	-1.1	-3.6	-4.9	-5.3	-4.8	-5.6	-3.1	-2.6	-1.0
	NFPS	-1.0	2.9	4.1	3.7	3.3	-1.8	-4.2	-1.7	-0.3	...
Mexico	CG ⁱ	-1.1	-1.4	-1.6	-1.3	-0.7	-1.8	-1.1	-1.0	-0.8	0.3
	PS	-0.7	-1.2	-1.1	-1.1	-0.7	-1.2	-0.6	-1.0	-0.8	0.3
Nicaragua	CG	-0.8	-1.1	-3.3	-4.8	-7.3	-2.5	-2.8	-2.2	-1.8	-1.6
	NFPS	-1.0	0.4	-2.2	-4.5	-6.2	-1.9	-2.3	-1.3	-0.9	-1.1
Panama	CG	-0.3	-4.2	-2.0	-1.1	-1.7	-1.9	-3.8	-5.4	-3.9	-2.9
	NFPS	0.1	-2.3	-0.9	0.7	-0.4	-2.0	-4.8	-4.9	-2.5	2.0
Paraguay	CA	-1.6	-1.1	-3.8	-4.6	-1.2	-3.2	-0.4	1.6	0.8	0.8
	NFPS	-1.0	0.4	-3.1	-4.0	-0.1	-1.9	1.1	2.3	1.5	...
Peru	CG	-0.8	-1.1	-3.1	-2.8	-2.8	-2.1	-1.7	-1.3	-0.7	0.3
	NFPS	0.1	-1.0	-3.2	-3.4	-2.4	-2.2	-1.7	-1.0	-0.3	...
Uruguay	CG	-1.6	-1.2	-3.9	-3.5	-4.5	-4.9	-4.6	-2.5	-1.6	-1.8
	NFPS ^j	-0.9	-0.5	-3.8	-3.7	-4.0	-3.8	-2.8	-0.8	-0.3	...
Venezuela (Bolivarian Rep. of)	CG	2.0	-4.0	-1.7	-1.7	-4.4	-4.0	-4.4	-1.9	1.7	1.0
	RPS	3.7	-4.5	0.7	4.4	-4.6	-1.0	0.2	...	...	...

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of official figures.

^a Total income minus total expenditure, expressed in local currency.

^b Abbreviations used: CA = Central administration; CG = Central government; CNG = Central national government; CPS = Consolidated public sector; GG = General government; NA = National administration; NFPS = Non-financial public sector; PS = Public sector; RPS = Narrowly defined public sector.

^c Preliminary figures.

^d Simple average.

^e Includes the federal government and the central bank.

^f Nominal balance.

^g These results do not include adjustments for accruals, floating debt or the cost of financial restructuring.

^h In 2003, does not include US\$ 130 million that the Office of the Under-Secretary of the National Treasury de-earmarked from central government accounts.

ⁱ Includes the federal government and social security.

^j Does not include departmental governments.