

BENIN											
Selected Macro-Economic Statistics											
INDICATOR	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Population (Million)	10.1	10.3	10.6	10.9	11.1	11.4	11.7	11.9	12.2	12.4	12.7
Real GDP Growth (% Change)	4.8	7.2	6.4	2.1	4.0	5.4	6.0	6.3	6.7	7.1	6.2
Current GDP (US\$ Billion)	8.2	9.2	9.7	8.3	8.6	9.4	10.6	11.6	12.6	13.7	14.9
Current GDP PPP (US\$ billion)	18.4	20.0	21.7	22.4	23.6	25.3	27.3	29.7	32.3	35.3	38.2
Current GDP per capita (US\$)	811.7	887.6	918.1	763.9	770.8	825.8	910.4	969.4	1,031.7	1,103.1	1,170.5
Inflation, average consumer prices (% Change)	6.7	1.0	-1.1	0.3	-0.8	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Current Account Balance (US\$ Billion)	-0.6	-0.7	-0.8	-0.7	-0.6	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9
Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	-7.4	-7.4	-8.6	-8.4	-7.2	-8.7	-7.1	-6.9	-7.5	-6.8	-6.2
Total foreign debt (US\$ Billion)	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.5	..	..	..
Total debt (% of Exports G&S)	94.6	69.5	58.4	89.5	95.1	99.3	106.6	110.7	..	..	..
Total debt (% of GDP)	25.3	22.0	21.1	26.3	28.9	30.8	31.0	32.0	..	..	..
International reserves (% of Total debt)	34.1	34.4	35.3	38.6	10.7	13.7	15.3	17.6	..	..	..
Debt-service ratio, paid (% of Exports G&S)	3.9	3.1	2.4	3.1	3.8	4.0	4.3	5.0	..	..	..
Debt-service ratio, due (% of Exports G&S)	5.4	3.4	2.4	5.4	4.6	4.5	4.4	5.0	..	..	..
Debt-service paid (% of GDP)	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.4	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of debt-service paid)	53.4	22.8	29.9	32.1	37.4	36.8	37.5	34.2	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of Exports G&S)	2.1	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of GDP)	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	..	..	..
Effective Interest rate (%)	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	..	..	..
Budget balance (% of GDP)	-0.4	-1.7	-1.7	-8.0	-6.0	-9.0	-7.1	-7.4	..	..	..
Stock of money M1 (US\$ Billion)	1.8	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.8	3.1	..	..	..
Stock of money M2 (US\$ Billion)	2.9	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.4	4.0	4.4	4.8	..	..	..
M1 (% Change)	0.3	23.6	17.0	3.7	4.1	5.8	10.4	9.8	..	..	..
M2 (% Change)	6.2	17.4	17.9	7.3	-3.5	6.6	10.2	9.5	..	..	..
Net debt (% of Exports G&S)	62.3	45.6	37.8	55.0	84.9	85.7	90.3	91.2	..	..	..
Net debt (% of GDP)	16.6	14.4	13.6	16.1	25.8	26.6	26.3	26.4	..	..	..
National currency per US\$, period average	510.5	494.0	494.4	591.5	593.0	578.6	559.5	567.9	..	..	..
Real effective exchange rate (CPI-based)	126.1	126.8	124.0	116.1	115.5	116.7	118.7	115.7

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