



THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

Preliminary STATISTICAL UPDATE

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EXTERNAL TRADE US\$000								
	APR 2005	APR 1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE	JAN-APR 2005	JAN-APR 1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS(F.O.B)	169402	158394	-11008	-6.5	550622	676468	125846	22.9
TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS(C.I.F)	435734	410656	-25078	-5.8	1563489	1801780	238291	15.2
TRADE BALANCE	-266332	-252262	14070	5.3	-1012867	-1125312	-112445	-11.1
VALUE OF TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS US\$000								
	APR 2005	APR 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE	JAN-APR 2005	JAN-APR 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
O.FOOD	39647	27901	-11746	-29.6	98646	110263	11617	11.8
1.BEVER. & TOBAC	6343	7797	1454	22.9	24524	30646	6122	25.0
2.CRUDE MATS	107607	84252	-23355	-21.7	347541	366763	19222	5.5
3.MINERAL FUELS	372	21515	21143	5683.6	5524	80518	74994	1357.6
4.ANI.& VEG OILS	8	0	-8	0.0	33	19	-14	-42.4
5.CHEMICALS	1685	2110	425	25.2	19490	25079	5589	28.7
6.MANUF. GOODS	886	665	-221	-24.9	3373	3656	283	8.4
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	1020	1846	826	81.0	5493	9172	3679	67.0
8.MISC. MANUF	1581	1587	6	0.4	6000	6995	995	16.6
9.MISC. COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
GENERAL MERCHANDISE EXPS.	159149	147673	-11476	-7.2	510624	633111	122487	24.0
FREEZONE EXPORTS	3921	4081	160	4.1	14670	16797	2127	14.5
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	6332	6640	308	4.9	25328	26560	1232	4.9
TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS	169402	158394	-11008	-6.5	550622	676468	125846	22.9
TRADITIONAL & NON-TRADITIONAL EXPORTS US\$000								
	APR 2005	APR 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE	JAN-APR 2005	JAN-APR 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
MAJOR TRAD. EXPORT	134929	93378	-41551	-30.8	402711	409187	6476	1.6
BAUXITE	6755	9947	3192	47.3	32511	37419	4908	15.1
ALUMINA	99605	67448	-32157	-32.3	310201	308202	-1999	-0.6
SUGAR	28569	14670	-13899	-48.7	59999	59263	-736	-1.2
BANANAS	0	1313	1313	-	0	4303	4303	0.0
OTHER TRAD. EXPORT	5878	7909	2031	34.6	20988	28828	7840	37.4
CITRUS	68	97	29	42.6	1047	614	-433	-41.4
COCOA	135	157	22	16.3	566	600	34	6.0
COFFEE	2391	4321	1930	80.7	6845	13164	6319	92.3
PIMENTO	391	68	-323	100.0	764	530	-234	-30.6
RUM	2571	2899	328	12.8	10896	13299	2403	22.1
GYPSUM	322	367	45	0.0	870	621	-249	-28.6
NON-TRAD. EXPORTS	16266	43654	27388	168.4	77588	181451	103863	133.9
RE-EXPORTS	2076	2732	656	31.6	9337	13645	4308	46.1
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VALUE OF GOODS IMPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000

	APR 2005	APR/1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE	JAN-APR 2005	JAN-APR/1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
0.FOOD	57576	46391	-11185	-19.4	197345	205037	7692	3.9
1.BEV. & TOBAC	5189	5557	368	7.1	17918	21056	3138	17.5
2.CRUDE MATS.	11290	6762	-4528	-40.1	32114	34180	2066	6.4
3.MIN.FUEL	102391	126641	24250	23.7	402854	584049	181195	45.0
4.ANI & VEG OIL	3220	1958	-1262	-39.2	11277	9168	-2109	-18.7
5.CHEMICAL	53499	51831	-1668	-3.1	181902	205791	23889	13.1
6.MANUF. GOOD	62972	44311	-18661	-29.6	222681	191263	-31418	-14.1
7.MACH.& TRANSP	81590	79273	-2317	-2.8	285605	337038	51433	18.0
8.MISC.MAN.GOOD	41633	31538	-10095	-24.2	148358	144846	-3512	-2.4
9.MISC. COMMDS.	4837	5152	315	6.5	19386	22553	3167	16.3
GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS	424197	399414	-24783	-5.8	1519440	1754981	235541	15.5
FREEZONE IMPORTS	2267	1507	-760	-33.5	6969	7859	890	12.8
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	9270	9735	465	5.0	37080	38940	1860	5.0
TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS	435734	410656	-25078	-5.8	1563489	1801780	238291	15.2

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MAJOR TRADITIONALS (VOLUME, VALUE, PRICE)

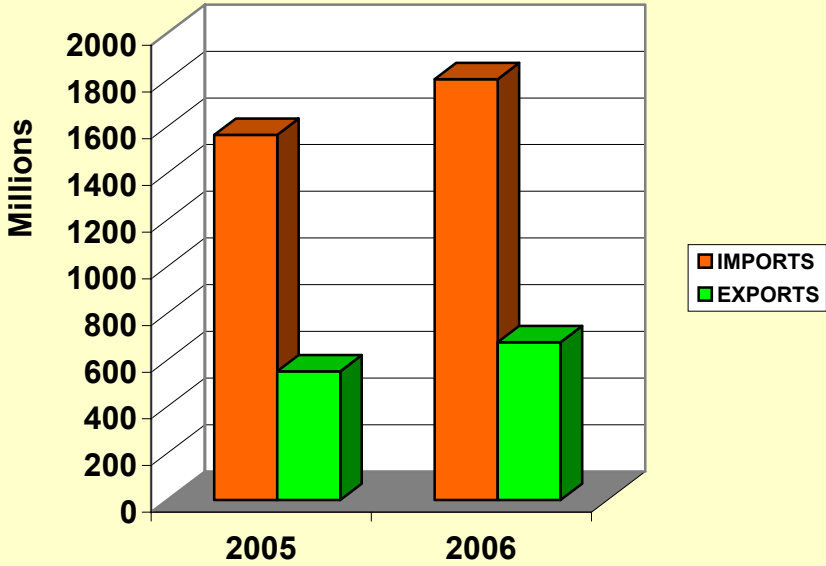
	APR 2005	APR 1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE	JAN-APR 2005	JAN-APR 1/ 2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
BAUXITE								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	277.5	399.2	121.6	43.8	1335.7	1502.0	166.3	12.4
Value (U.S. \$000)	6755.0	9947.0	3192.0	47.3	32511.0	37419.0	4908.0	15.1
Price (US \$/tonne)	24.3	24.9	0.6	2.4	24.3	24.9	0.6	2.4
ALUMINA								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	444.7	271.2	-173.6	-39.0	1402.4	1246.0	-156.4	-11.2
Value (U.S. \$000)	99605.0	67448.0	-32157.0	-32.3	310201.0	308202.0	-1999.0	-0.6
Price (US \$/tonne)	224.0	248.7	24.7	11.1	221.2	247.4	26.2	11.8
SUGAR								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	42.1	22.7	-19.3	-46.0	86.9	93.5	6.6	7.6
Value (U.S. \$000)	28569.0	14670.0	-13899.0	-48.7	59999.0	59263.0	-736.0	-1.2
Price (US \$/tonne)	679.3	645.7	-33.5	-4.9	690.3	633.9	-56.4	-8.2
BANANAS								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	0.0	2.9	2.9	-	0.0	10.6	10.6	-
Value (U.S. \$000)	0.0	1313.0	1313.0	-	0.0	4303.0	4303.0	-
Price (US \$/tonne)	0.0	460.7	460.7	-	0.0	407.8	407.8	-

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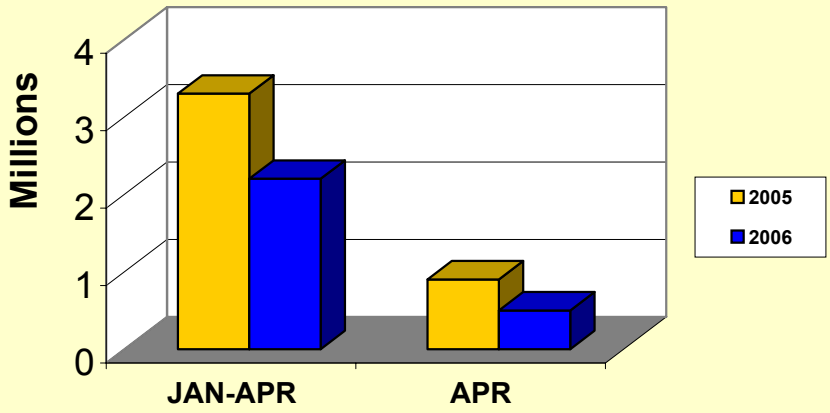
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VALUE OF IMPORTS & EXPORT US\$Mn
JAN - APRIL



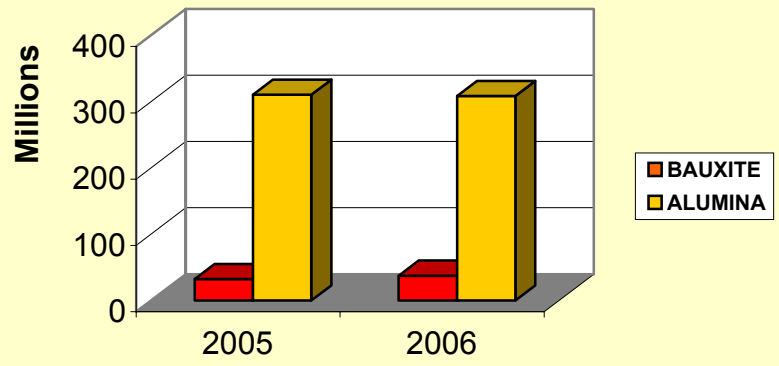
	GARMENTS EXPORTS US\$Mn.			
	2005	2006	CHANGE	%CHANGE
JANUARY	0.8	0.5	-0.3	-37.5
FEBRUARY	0.7	0.5	-0.2	-28.6
MARCH	0.9	0.7	-0.2	-22.2
JAN-MARCH	2.4	1.7	-0.7	-29.2
APRIL	0.9	0.5	-0.4	-44.4
JAN-APRIL	3.3	2.2	-1.1	-33.3
SOURCE: STATISTICAL INSTITUTE OF JAMAICA EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS 2006 August				

**GARMENTS EXPORT US\$Mn
JAN-APR**



BAUXITE						
	2005 Volumes (Tonnes)	2006 Volumes (Tonnes)	% Change	2005 Values (\$ 000')	2006 Values (\$ 000')	% Change
JANUARY	393019.0	349982.0	-11.0	9566.0	8718.0	-8.9
FEBRUARY	313182.0	319483.0	2.0	7623.0	7958.0	4.4
MARCH	351972.0	433386.0	23.1	8567.0	10796.0	26.0
JAN-MAR	1058173.0	1102851.0	4.2	25756.0	27472.0	6.7
APRIL	277541.0	399156.0	43.8	6755.0	9947.0	47.3
JAN-APR	1335714.0	1502007.0	12.4	32511.0	37419.0	15.1
ALUMINA						
	2005 Volumes (Tonnes)	2006 Volumes (Tonnes)	% Change	2005 Values (\$ 000')	2006 Values (\$ 000')	% Change
JANUARY	358434.0	273675.0	-23.6	78820.0	67592.0	-14.2
FEBRUARY	273943.0	335390.0	22.4	60240.0	82835.0	37.5
MARCH	325312.0	365727.0	12.4	71536.0	90327.0	26.3
JAN-MAR	957689.0	974792.0	1.8	210596.0	240754.0	14.3
APRIL	444743.0	271191.0	-39.0	99605.0	67448.0	-32.3
JAN-APR	1402432.0	1245983.0	-11.2	310201.0	308202.0	-0.6

**BAUXITE/ALUMINA US\$Mn
JAN - APR**



EXPORTS OF SELECTED NON-TRADITIONAL DOMESTIC COMMODITIES US\$ 000

	2005	2006	%	2005	2006	%
	JAN-APR	JAN-APR 1/		APR	APR 1/	
COMMODITIES						

FOOD						

ACKEE	3438	1390	-59.6	724	257	-64.5
FISH	2473	3294	33.2	1044	949	-9.1
BREADFRUIT	300	334	11.3	150	162	8.0
CUCUMBERS	5	0	-100.0	2	0	-100.0
PUMPKINS	132	74	-43.9	27	21	-22.2
OTHER VEGETABLES	38	58	52.6	8	15	87.5
DASHEEN	284	421	48.2	57	98	71.9
CASSAVA	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
SWEET POTATOES	645	645	0.0	152	186	22.4
YAMS	4565	4671	2.3	1202	1102	-8.3
AVOCADOES	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
MANGOES	316	170	-46.2	168	98	-41.7
OTHER ROOTS	162	204	25.9	40	48	20.0
PAPAYAS	711	630	-11.4	295	145	-50.8
MELON	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	13069	11891	-9.0	3869	3081	-20.4
CRUDE MATERIALS						

Cut Flowers	12	1	-91.7	3	1	-66.7
Live Plts.&Foliage	15	34	126.7	3	9	200.0
Orchids	7	6	-14.3	2	2	0.0
Total	34	41	20.6	8	12	50.0

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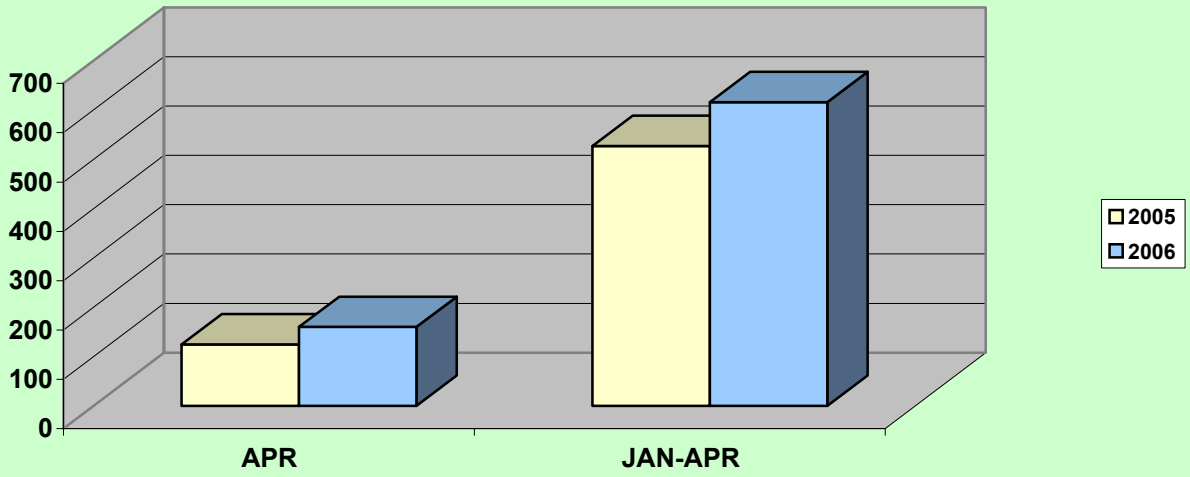
TOURISM STATISTICS

	2005 APR	2006 APR 1/	% CHNG	2005 JAN-APR	2006 JAN-APR 1/	% CHNG
TOTAL STOP-OVERS	123578	163272	32.1	518547	599834	15.7
FOREIGN NAT. STOP-OVERS(# of)	117100	154140	31.6	494141	571910	15.7
Long Stay	113199	149698	32.2	477319	554559	16.2
Short Stay	3901	4442	13.9	16822	17351	3.1
NON-RES. JAMAICANS	6478	9132	41.0	24406	27924	14.4
CRUISE PASSENGERS	98654	109074	10.6	473627	515376	8.8
TOTAL TOURISTS	222232	272346	22.6	992174	1115210	12.4
ARMED FORCES	0	0	-	0	0	-
TOTAL VISITORS	222232	272346	22.6	992174	1115210	12.4
AVG.LENGTH.OF STAY	9.0	8.6	-4.4	9.0	8.9	-1.4
ESTM.EXPD.(US\$MN)	124.3	159.9	28.6	527.1	615.8	16.8
Avg. Est.Exp/per person/per day (US\$)						
Stop-Overs	107.3	110.5	2.9	107.3	110.5	2.9
A.forces/Cruise	81.4	82.0	0.7	81.4	82.0	0.7

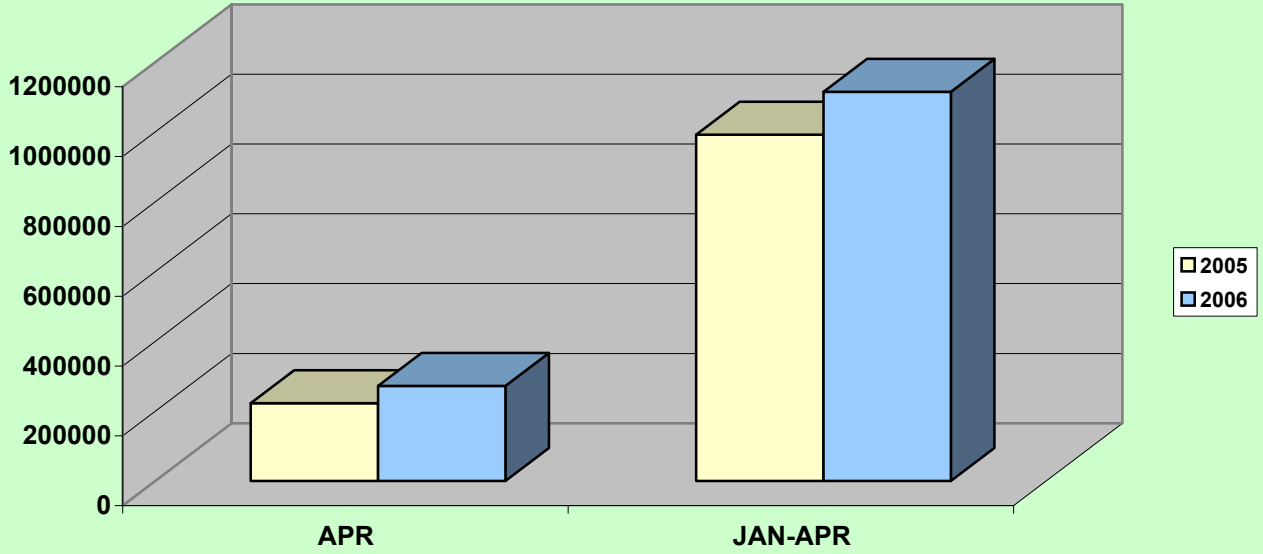
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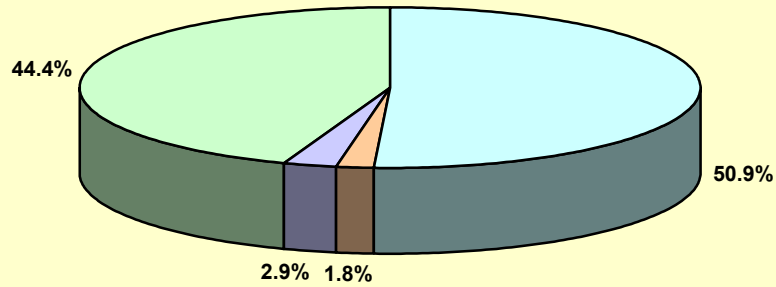
Estimated Tourist Expenditure (US\$m)



Jamaica: Total Visitors

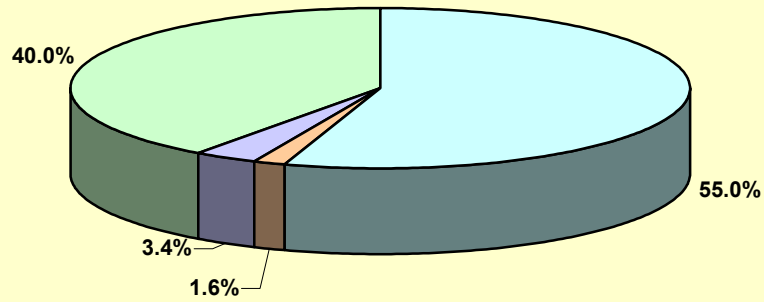


Composition of Visitors April 2005



For. Nat. Long Stay For. Nat. Short Stay Non-Res. Jamaicans Cruise Passengers

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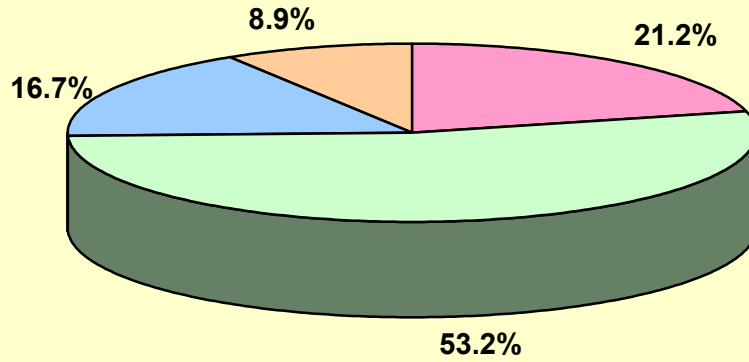


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**SOURCES OF PRIVATE TRANSFERS
(US\$Mn)**

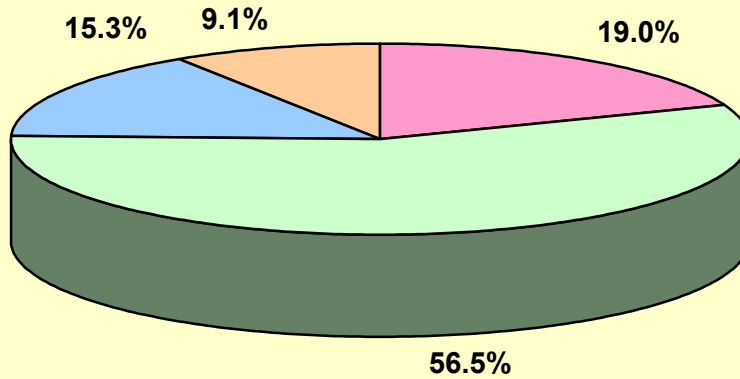
	2005	2006			2005	2006		
	APR	APR 1/	CHNG	%CHNG	JAN-APR	JAN-APR 1/	CHNG	%CHNG
TOTAL INFLOWS	154.69	148.29	-6.39	-4.13	592.40	602.19	9.80	1.65
COMMERCIAL BANKS	32.85	28.23	-4.62	-14.07	128.71	130.97	2.26	1.76
REMITTANCE COMPS.	82.33	83.81	1.48	1.80	303.33	321.51	18.17	5.99
POST OFFICE	0.11	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.42	0.42	0.00	0.00
BUILDING SOCIETIES	25.80	22.74	-3.06	-11.86	96.32	95.66	-0.66	-0.68
OTHER	13.60	13.41	-0.19	-1.40	63.62	53.64	-9.98	-15.69

**Sources of Private Transfers (US\$mn)
April 2005**



Commercial Banks Remittance Companies Building Societies Other

**Sources of Private Transfers (US\$mn)
April 2006**



Commercial Banks Remittance Companies Building Societies Other

Balance of Payments of Jamaica

US\$Mn.

	April 2005	April 1/ 2006	Change
1. Current Account	-72.1	-12.9	59.2
A. Goods Balance	-208.6	-201.2	7.4
Exports	169.4	158.4	-11.0
Imports	378.0	359.6	-18.4
B. Services Balance	47.6	89.2	41.6
Transportation	-28.1	-15.9	12.2
Travel	108.7	140.4	31.7
Other Services	-33.0	-35.3	-2.3
C. Income	-46.7	-35.3	11.4
Compensation of employees	3.1	2.2	-0.9
Investment Income	-49.8	-37.5	12.3
D. Current Transfers	135.6	134.4	-1.2
Official	10.5	11.6	1.1
Private	125.1	122.8	-2.3
2. Capital & Financial Account	72.1	12.9	-59.2
A. Capital Account	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
Capital Transfers	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
Official	0.0	0.0	0.0
Private	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
Acq/dis. of non-produced non-fin. assets	0.0	0.0	0.0
B. Financial Account	72.5	13.7	-58.8
Other Official Investment (incl. Govt. Reserves)	-22.7	-1.5	21.2
Other Private Investment (incl. Errors & omissions)	204.0	88.9	-115.1
Reserves	-108.8	-73.7	

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	April 2005	April 1/ 2006	Change
Services (Net)	47.6	89.2	41.6
Inflows	191.2	235.1	43.9
Outflows	143.6	145.9	2.3
Transportation	-28.1	-15.9	12.2
Inflows	38.3	47.0	8.7
Outflows	66.4	62.9	-3.5
Travel	108.7	140.4	31.7
Inflows	124.3	159.9	35.6
Outflows	15.6	19.5	3.9
Other Services	-33.0	-35.3	-2.3
Inflows	28.6	28.2	-0.4
Outflows	61.6	63.5	1.9
Income (Net)	-46.7	-35.3	11.4
Compensation of Employees	3.1	2.2	-0.9
Inflows	8.6	7.7	-0.9
Outflows	5.5	5.5	0.0
Investment Income	-49.8	-37.5	12.3
Inflows	14.2	18.2	4.0
Outflows	64.0	55.7	-8.3
- Bank of Jamaica	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Government Direct	7.1	17.8	10.7
- Government Guaranteed	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Private	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Direct Investment	46.2	27.2	-19.0
- Other	10.7	10.7	0.0
Current Transfers (Net)	135.6	134.4	-1.2
Inflows	165.6	160.3	-5.3
Outflows	30.0	25.9	-4.1
Official	10.5	11.6	1.1
Inflows	10.9	12.0	1.1
Outflows	0.4	0.4	0.0
Private	125.1	122.8	-2.3
Inflows	154.7	148.3	-6.4
Outflows	29.6	25.5	-4.1

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US\$Mn.			
	April 2005	April 1/ 2006	Change
Capital & Financial Account (Net)	72.1	12.9	-59.2
Capital Account (Net)	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
1. Capital Transfers	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
Official	0.0	0.0	0.0
Inflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
Private	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4
Inflows	1.7	1.3	-0.4
Outflows	2.1	2.1	0.0
2. Acq/disp. of non-produced non-fin. assets	0.0	0.0	0.0
Inflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
Financial Account (Net)	72.5	13.7	-58.8
Other Official Investments (incl. Govt. Reserves)	-22.7	-1.5	21.2
Inflows	7.6	23.2	15.6
Outflows	30.3	24.7	-5.6
Other Private Investments (incl. errors & omissions)	204.0	88.9	-115.1
Inflows	396.4	294.9	-101.5
Outflows	192.4	206.0	13.6
Reserves	-108.8	-73.7	

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF JAMAICA
US\$MN

	Jan-Dec 2004	Jan-Dec 1/ 2005	Change	Mar 1/ 2005	Mar 1/ 2006	Change	Apr 1/ 2005	Apr 1/ 2006	Change	Jan-Apr 1/ 2005	Jan-Apr 1/ 2006	Change
1. Current Account	-509.4	-1078.7	-569.3	-43.9	12.2	56.1	-72.1	-12.9	59.2	-240.8	-233.5	7.3
A. Goods Balance	-1944.5	-2581.3	-636.8	-240.8	-188.3	52.5	-208.6	-201.2	7.4	-809.8	-903.9	-94.1
Exports	1601.6	1664.3	62.7	132.2	203.3	71.1	169.4	158.4	-11.0	550.6	676.5	125.9
Imports	3546.1	4245.6	699.5	373.0	391.6	18.6	378.0	359.6	-18.4	1360.4	1580.4	220.0
B. Services Balance	571.7	600.1	28.4	81.3	97.0	15.7	47.6	89.2	41.6	248.4	329.5	81.1
Transportation	-150.3	-273.8	-123.5	-13.8	-16.2	-2.4	-28.1	-15.9	12.2	-74.2	-76.1	-1.9
Travel	1151.5	1295.7	144.2	133.8	150.9	17.1	108.7	140.4	31.7	460.9	547.9	87.0
Other Services	-429.5	-421.8	7.7	-38.7	-37.7	1.0	-33.0	-35.3	-2.3	-138.3	-142.3	-4.0
C. Income	-582.7	-675.9	-93.2	-27.5	-38.8	-11.3	-46.7	-35.3	11.4	-210.8	-197.5	13.3
Compensation of employees	84.5	88.5	4.0	4.3	5.0	0.7	3.1	2.2	-0.9	11.6	12.1	0.5
Investment Income	-667.2	-764.4	-97.2	-31.8	-43.8	-12.0	-49.8	-37.5	12.3	-222.4	-209.6	12.8
D. Current Transfers	1446.1	1578.4	132.3	143.1	142.3	-0.8	135.6	134.4	-1.2	531.4	538.4	7.0
General Government	159.9	137.0	-22.9	16.9	12.0	-4.9	10.5	11.6	1.1	52.9	47.3	-5.6
Other Sector	1286.2	1441.4	155.2	126.2	130.3	4.1	125.1	122.8	-2.3	478.5	491.1	12.6
2. Capital & Financial Account	509.4	1078.7	569.3	43.9	-12.2	-56.1	72.1	12.9	-59.2	240.8	233.5	-7.3
A. Capital Account	2.2	-2.7	-4.9	-0.5	-0.4	0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4	-1.3	-2.6	-1.3
Capital Transfers	2.2	-2.7	-4.9	-0.5	-0.4	0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4	-1.3	-2.6	-1.3
General Government	13.8	0.3	-13.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	
Other Sector	-11.6	-3.0	8.6	-0.5	-0.4	0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-0.4	-1.4	-2.6	-1.2
Acq/dis. of non-produced non-fin. assets	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
B. Financial Account	507.2	1081.4	574.2	44.4	-11.8	-56.2	72.5	13.7	-58.8	242.1	236.1	-6.0
Official Investment (incl. Govt. Reserves)	507.5	409.0	-98.5	9.6	11.7	2.1	-22.7	-1.5	21.2	-9.3	55.0	64.3
Central Government	480.2	116.1	-364.1	-24.2	3.1	27.3	-12.1	10.6	22.7	-60.1	299.5	359.6
Other Official Investment	27.3	292.9	265.6	33.8	8.6	-25.2	-10.6	-12.1	-1.5	50.8	-244.5	-295.3
Private Investment (incl. errors & omissions)	693.3	901.3	208.0	105.3	30.4	-74.9	204.0	88.9	-115.1	403.3	245.6	-157.7
Reserves	-693.6	-228.9		-70.5	-53.9		-108.8	-73.7		-151.9	-64.5	

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF JAMAICA							
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	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec 1/
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
1. Current Account	-216.3	-367.4	-757.3	-1074.4	-772.6	-509.4	-1078.7
A. Goods Balance	-1186.5	-1441.5	-1618.2	-1870.5	-1942.6	-1944.5	-2581.3
Exports	1499.1	1562.8	1454.4	1309.1	1385.6	1601.6	1664.3
Imports	2685.6	3004.3	3072.6	3179.6	3328.2	3546.1	4245.6
B. Services Balance	655.4	603.2	383.1	314.7	552.3	571.7	600.1
Transportation	-233.6	-256.6	-256.2	-245.6	-143.6	-150.3	-273.8
Travel	1052.4	1123.9	1026.2	950.3	1102.7	1151.5	1295.7
Other Services	-163.4	-264.1	-386.9	-390.0	-406.7	-429.5	-421.8
C. Income	-332.5	-349.9	-437.8	-605.5	-571.4	-582.7	-675.9
Compensation of employees	70.3	67.4	74.6	82.1	70.7	84.5	88.5
Investment Income	-402.8	-417.3	-512.4	-687.6	-642.1	-667.2	-764.4
D. Current Transfers	647.3	820.8	915.6	1086.9	1189.1	1446.1	1578.4
General Government	45.8	147.9	119.7	107.6	105.2	159.9	137.0
Other Sector	601.5	672.9	795.9	979.3	1083.9	1286.2	1441.4
2. Capital & Financial Account	216.3	367.4	757.3	1074.4	772.6	509.4	1078.7
A. Capital Account	13.1	2.2	-23.6	-16.9	0.1	2.2	-2.7
Capital Transfers	13.1	2.2	-23.6	-16.9	-0.3	2.2	-2.7
General Government	4.1	15.6	2.2	0.2	0.1	13.8	0.3
Other Sector	9.0	-13.4	-25.8	-17.1	-0.4	-11.6	-3.0
B. Financial Account	203.2	365.2	780.9	1091.3	772.5	507.2	1081.4
Other Official Investment (incl. Govt. Reserves)	-299.6	429.5	626.1	101.1	-367.2	507.5	409.0
Central Government	-322.3	387.2	654.5	81.6	-362.2	480.2	116.1
Other Official Investment	22.8	42.3	-28.4	19.6	-4.9	27.3	292.9
Private Investment (incl. errors & omissions)	371.0	455.0	1026.1	746.4	707.6	693.3	901.3
Reserves	131.8	-519.3	-871.3	243.7	432.1	-693.6	-228.9

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF JAMAICA							
US\$MN							
	Apr-Mar	Apr-Mar	Apr-Mar	Apr-Mar	Apr-Mar	Apr-Mar 1/	Apr-Mar 1/
	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06
1. Current Account	-304.1	-497.2	-753.2	-1161.9	-561.9	-643.7	-1130.9
A. Goods Balance	-1251.9	-1541.7	-1577.3	-2025.8	-1832.0	-2123.8	-2682.8
Exports	1557.7	1517.7	1423.7	1313.6	1467.4	1566.8	1801.2
Imports	2809.6	3059.4	3001.0	3339.4	3299.3	3690.6	4484.0
B. Services Balance	622.4	592.7	323.2	367.8	596.5	570.3	639.5
Transportation	-244.1	-253.6	-253.7	-226.6	-128.0	-182.3	-287.9
Travel	1058.3	1149.6	955.6	985.7	1144.6	1178.5	1351.0
Other Services	-191.8	-303.3	-378.7	-391.3	-420.1	-425.9	-423.6
C. Income	-369.5	-382.4	-457.6	-613.0	-565.8	-598.5	-674.2
Compensation of employees	67.7	67.4	73.4	82.8	71.9	88.2	89.8
Investment Income	-437.2	-449.8	-531.0	-695.8	-637.6	-686.7	-764.0
D. Current Transfers	694.9	834.2	958.5	1109.1	1239.4	1508.3	1586.6
General Government	70.4	141.5	116.5	108.7	106.3	174.8	130.3
Other Sector	624.5	692.7	842.0	1000.4	1133.1	1333.5	1456.3
2. Capital & Financial Account	304.1	497.2	753.2	1161.9	561.9	643.7	1130.9
A. Capital Account	12.5	-6.7	-24.2	-12.1	0.5	1.7	-3.6
Capital Transfers	12.5	-6.7	-24.2	-12.1	0.1	1.7	-3.6
General Government	9.0	10.2	0.4	0.2	3.5	10.5	0.2
Other Sector	3.5	-16.9	-24.6	-12.3	-3.4	-8.8	-3.8
B. Financial Account	291.6	503.9	777.4	1174.0	561.4	642.0	1134.5
Other Official Investment (incl. Govt. Reserves)	-70.7	328.3	583.0	-173.2	151.4	235.1	452.1
Central Government	-123.2	342.0	591.2	-223.2	142.0	601.0	165.3
Other Official Investment	52.5	-13.7	-8.2	50.0	9.4	-365.9	286.8
Private Investment (incl. errors & omissions)	484.3	758.4	849.8	745.3	638.9	739.9	859.0
Reserves	-122.0	-582.8	-655.4	601.9	-228.9	-333.0	-176.6

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