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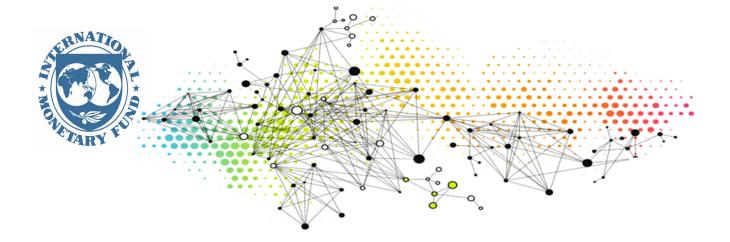
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#### **Glossary**

AFR African Department of the IMF **BCG Budgetary Central Government** 

**BEAD Budget and Economic Affairs Department** COFOG Classification of the Functions of Government

CSO Eswatini Central Statistics Office

**CSM** Commonwealth Secretariat Meridian system

DMU Debt Management Unit, MOF

EBU **Extrabudgetary Units ECB** Eswatini Central Bank **ERS** Eswatini Revenue Services **FMA** Fiscal and Monetary Affairs

FΥ Fiscal year

GFSM 2014 Government Finance Statistics Manual 2014

GDP **Gross Domestic Product** GG General Government

GoE Government of the Kingdom of Eswatini

**IMF** International Monetary Fund

**IPSAS** International Public-Sector Accounting Standards

LG Local Government

**MEPD** Ministry of Economic Planning and Development MHUD Ministry of Housing and Urban Development

**MLSS** Ministry of Labour and Social Security MOF Ministry of Finance, Kingdom of Eswatini

**MTFF** Medium-Term Fiscal Framework

NPI Non-profit institutions serving households

PEU **Public Enterprise Unit** 

**PSIT** Public Sector Institution Table **PSDS Public Sector Debt Statistics** 

**PSDSG 2011** Public Sector Debt Statistics—A Guide for Compilers and Users 2011

OEF Other Economic Flows SOE **State Owned Enterprises** SSF Social Security Funds

STA Statistics Department of the IMF

SZL Swaziland Emalangeni

2008 SNA System of National Accounts 2008

TA **Technical Assistance TWG Technical Working Group** 

# SUMMARY OF MISSIONS OUTCOMES AND PRIORITY RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. A Government Finance Statistics (GFS) and Public Sector Debt Statistics (PSDS) technical assistance (TA) mission was conducted in Mbabane, Kingdom of Eswatini during **July 6–12, 2022.** This mission was conducted under the Data for Decisions (D4D) Fund<sup>1</sup>, a multi-partner initiative aimed at strengthening the quality of national statistical outputs to better support economic policy making in low- and lower-middle income countries.
- 2. The primary objective of the mission was to support the authorities in their efforts to enhance the quality and availability of fiscal data and evaluate progress made in relation to the previous mission's recommendations. The mission covered the following six topics: (i) reviewed the classification of public sector entities and updated of the Public Sector Institutional table; (ii) identified source data needed for compiling fiscal statistics for the entire public sector; (iii) assessed consistency and accuracy of annual GFS for the Budgetary Central Government (BCG), including expenditure according with Classification of Functions of the Government (COFOG); (iv) facilitated the compilation of a draft financial balance sheet; (v) brainstormed on ways to compile high frequency BCG GFS; and (vi) explored ways to improve the process of compiling and disseminating PSDS, considering expansion of instrument and institutional coverage.
- 3. This mission held discussions mainly with members of the GFS Technical Working Group (TWG), composed with officials from the Ministry of Finance of The Kingdom of Eswatini (MOF), the Eswatini Central Bank (ECB), and Eswatini Central Statistical Office (CSO)<sup>2</sup>. The mission agenda<sup>3</sup> summarizes the order of the issues discussed with authorities, and the implementation status of recommendations from the previous TA mission is reported in Appendix III.
- 4. The coordination of GFS and PSDS compilation process was discussed. Covid 19 pandemic restrictions have impacted implementation of the Terms of Reference developed to guide the work of the GFS TWG. Members of the TWG agreed to use recommendations from the mission to develop a medium-term action plan. The mission encouraged the development of business process for compiling GFS and PSDS to quarantee continuity and consistency of the GFS and PSDS compilation process.
- 5. Understanding the perimeter of the general government (GG) and wider public sector remains important. The mission reviewed and updated the Public Sector Institutional Table (PSIT). Authorities are expected to finalize the review and validate the current PSIT before publishing this on the authorities' official websites.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.imf.org/en/Capacity-Development/D4D

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See list of officials met during the mission in Appendix I

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See final TA mission agenda in the Appendix II.

- There is significant fiscal activity that takes place outside of the BCG sub-sector, 6. through the expenditures of Extrabudgetary Units (EBU) and local governments (LG). Grants from the budget to other general government units were around SZL 3.9 billion in 2020  $(\sim 6\% \text{ of Gross Domestic Product (GDP)}$ . Comprehensive GFS would turn these transfers into additional wages and salaries, or use of goods and services, providing a different picture of government expenditure compared to just looking at the BCG data alone. In addition, EBUs and LG units have some own revenues, including LG property taxes and various fees and charges, and again fully capturing this revenue and the additional expenditures it finances would provide a more comprehensive fiscal picture for Eswatini. The Authorities have made limited progress in collecting financial data of other government units that are outside the budget. To assist the authorities with the data collection process, the mission created a summary table to detail the type of data and possible providers.
- 7. The Country reports annual BCG data to the IMF GFS database. The mission reviewed the consistency and accuracy of GFS for fiscal years (FY) 2018 – 2020, that were submitted to the IMF GFS database against the Medium-Term Fiscal Framework (MTFF) and concluded that transactions such as revenue, expense and transactions in assets and liabilities are preliminary. Compilation of GFS for FY 2021/22 was initiated during the mission.
- 8. Monthly fiscal data exist but the authorities do not compile and disseminate high frequency GFS. The source data is the same as the annual, authorities expressed concern over the use of high frequency data due to preliminary nature of the data that results from the lack of closing periods. The mission recommended that the authorities should compile and disseminate high frequency data, even if this data comes with a lag, clearly stating that it is preliminary data and updating and revising data as the final outturn data becomes available.
- 9. The authorities have made some progress in compiling Functional Expenditures (COFOG) for the BCG, but more work remains to be done. COFOG based expenditure data is still limited to BCG and only captures the spending of part of BCG. The authorities should work to ensure all expenditure can be classified by function ensuring that total expenditure in the functional breakdown is as close as possible to total expenditure by economic categories.
- 10. Drawing on data from the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, the mission compiled a draft financial balance sheet. Different source data should be considered to put together a financial balance sheet, and specially attention should be given to loans assets, other accounts receivable and payable stock values. The authorities were encouraged to double check the data, and ensure it includes all assets and liabilities, as well as ensuring liabilities data is aligned with DMU debt data. Further work may be needed before the balance sheet data is suitable for inclusion in the IMF GFS database.
- 11. DMU compiles and disseminates PSDS to the joint World Bank/IMF Quarterly Public Sector Debt database. There was no progress with including accounts payable to BCG debt statistics as proposed in the previous mission. A thorough review of the debt numbers extracted from Commonwealth Secretariat Meridian System (CSM) is needed, before

dissemination to the World Bank/IMF database, to ensure data is consistent with actual debt figures. In the longer term, the authorities were encouraged to add other instruments and sectors such as Category A corporations (see Box 1 and Appendix 5) and ECB debt currently available.

- 12. The action plan for implementing GFSM 2014 in the next two years was updated. The priority recommendations that the mission left with TWG are shown in Table 1 below. The complete list of recommendations can be found in the Action Plan presented in the next section of this report under Table 2.
- 13. The mission thanks the Kingdom of Eswatini's authorities for this opportunity to work the country's fiscal statistics. The Mission met MOF senior staff during the closing meeting of the TA mission. They appreciated the mission scope and ongoing IMF TA and agreed to provide support to the TWG and work comprehensively towards improving compilation of GFS and PSDS that will support the fiscal policy formulation, analysis, and decision-making process in the country. The authorities showed great interest in further training and TA mission and have provisionally agreed to host a follow-up mission within a year. The mission would like to thank Ms. Nompumelelo Dladla, Mr. Xolani Dlamini both from Budget and Economic Affairs Department (BEAD), and Mr. Lihle Dlamini from Debt Management Unit (DMU), for facilitating the work of this mission, for being very patient and motivated to receive this TA mission.

**Table 1. Priority Recommendations** 

| Target<br>Date                | Priority Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|-------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022 /<br>Ongoing | Reactivate GFS TWG. (i) Create routine for frequent meetings to ensure coordination of the GFS and PSDS compilation; (ii) Finalize work plan currently under development; (iii) Create procedures to review consistency between GFS data and other macroeconomic statistics (real, external, and monetary & financial statistics); (iv) Establish a protocol for ensuring the provision of regular data of public units in a timely manner. | TWG                        |
| December<br>2022              | <b>Review and validate PSIT.</b> (i) Review and validate list of entities to ensure it is complete; (ii) Evaluate classification of public entities in accordance with <i>GFSM 2014</i> including conducting market tests in all Category A entities; and (iii) Publish the final PSIT in the authorities' official websites.   | TWG                        |
| December<br>2022              | <b>Annual BCG GFS.</b> (i) Revise previous years GFS questionnaires and ensure to resubmit actual final data to the IMF GFS database; (ii) Finalize and validate GFS Questionnaire for FY 2021/22 (Tables 1, 2 and 3) and disseminate through the IMF GFS database.   | MOF/BEAD                   |

| Target<br>Date   | Priority Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|------------------|---|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022 | <b>BCG quarterly debt statistics for the last 3 years.</b> (i) Ensure it is comprehensive and consistent; and (ii) Disseminate into the joint World Bank/IMF quarterly debt database. | MOF/DMU                    |

# DETAILED TECHNICAL ASSESSMENT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

#### A. Progress Since the Last Mission and Revised Action Plan

- **14.** Limited progress was achieved in implementing recommendations from the previous TA mission. Appendix III presents feedback received from the Government of Eswatini (GoE) in relation to the progress of the priority action/milestones from the previous TA mission held remotely in March 2021.
- **15.** The majority of the recommendations from previous mission were described as work in progress. The mission understood that only one recommendation from previous mission, related to the debt system generating nominal valuation was concluded. The majority of the recommendations were "work in progress" and the mission maintained most of them and in many cases with revised text in the updated action plan.
- 16. There was "no progress" in two recommendations:
  - (i) GFS TWG to advise Departments on what an appropriate definition of payables would be, to reduce the incidence of confusion of using the term "arrears". The Treasury Annual Financial Report for the year ended March 31, 2021, explains that accumulation of expenditure arrears resulted from recent expansionary fiscal policy and the volatile nature of the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) revenue collection. On the other hand, accounts payables are mainly expenditure due for payment without any deadline determined that would transform these into arrears. The mission understood that there is a good understanding of what constitutes payables, but there is still no clear definition for arrears. The mission recommended and the authorities agree on a formal definition of arrears, perhaps enshrining this in legislation, and creating reporting requirements on arrears may be one way solution to address this issue.
  - (ii) GFS TWG to compile headline figures on the impact of COVID 19 on the debt and deficit statistics. While the mission did not cover this topic, BEAD agreed and committed to work on it in the next year.
- 17. The revised priority actions plan for implementing *GFSM 2014* and *PSDSG 2011* below represents the main recommendations from the recent mission, taking into consideration recommendations from previous missions that were in progress or had no progress at all in the course of last year.

Table 2. Action Plan for Implementing GFSM 2014 and PSDSG 2011

| Level of<br>Priority | Action/Milestone  | Responsible<br>Institution | Target<br>Completion<br>date |
|----------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------------|
|                      | OORDINATION AND ORGANIZATION OF GFS AND P   | SDS COMPILAT               | ION                          |
|                      | ROCESS  | T                          | T                            |
| H                    | 1.1 <b>Reactivate GFS TWG</b> . (i) Create routine for frequent meetings to ensure coordination of the GFS and PSDS compilation; (ii) Finalize work plan currently under development; (iii) Create procedures to review consistency between GFS data and other macroeconomic statistics (real, external, and monetary and financial statistics); (iv) Establish a protocol for ensuring the provision of regular data of public units in a timely manner. | TWG                        | December<br>2022/<br>Ongoing |
| M                    | 1.2 <b>Documenting business processes for compiling GFS and PSDS.</b> Create a draft GFS and PSDS guide for compilers and users for the Kingdom of Eswatini or incorporate a chapter in the existing MTFF Manual.   | MOF/BEAD                   | September<br>2023            |
| 2. SE                | CTORIZATION AND INSTITUTIONAL COVERAGE  | 1                          | 1                            |
| H                    | 2.1 <b>Review and validate the PSIT.</b> (i) Review and validate the list of entities to ensure it is complete; (ii) Evaluate classification of public entities in accordance with <i>GFSM 2014</i> ; and (iii) Publish the final PSIT in the authorities' official website.  | TWG                        | December<br>2022             |
| Н                    | 2.2 <b>Conduct market tests.</b> Create procedures to conduct annual market test to public enterprises to ensure proper classification according with <i>GFSM 2014</i> .  | TWG                        | December<br>2022             |
| 3. D                 | ATA SOURCES   | <del>,</del>               |                              |
| М                    | 3.1 <b>Collection of BCG fiscal data.</b> (i) nonfinancial asset - stock and flow data; (ii) high frequency fiscal data; and (iii) ensure deposit data is reconciled with ECB.  | TWG                        | September<br>2023            |
| М                    | 3.2 <b>Collect LG detailed financial reports.</b> For the purpose of starting compiling GFS for LG.   | TWG                        | September<br>2023            |
| М                    | 3.3 <b>Collect EBU detailed financial reports.</b> For the purpose of starting compiling GFS for EBU.   | TWG                        | September<br>2023            |
| Н                    | 3.4 Revise the Public Enterprises Performance Model Excel file. (i) Add detailed data from financial statement notes and (ii) revise structure of   | PEU                        | December<br>2022             |

| Level of<br>Priority | Action/Milestone   | Responsible<br>Institution | Target<br>Completion<br>date |
|----------------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|
|                      | the file to better support transformation of data into GFS.  |                            |                              |
| M                    | 3.5 <b>Debt data in the Meridian Debt system</b> : (i) Clean up and validate existing debt data in the system to ensure it reflects actual figures; (ii) Input financial asset data into the system to ensure reports can produce net debt numbers; and (iii) create a glossary of the terms and formulas in the system.   | MOF/DMU                    | September<br>2023            |
|                      | FS COMPILATION   | Γ                          | T                            |
| Н                    | 4.1 <b>Annual BCG GFS.</b> (i) Finalize and validate GFS Questionnaire for FY 2021/22 (Tables 1, 2, and 3) and disseminate through the IMF GFS database; (ii) Revise previous years GFS questionnaires currently with preliminary data and ensure to resubmit actual final data to the IMF GFS database; and (iii) create routine to reconcile the GFS statement of operations and the MTFF. | MOF/BEAD                   | December<br>2022             |
| М                    | 4.2 <b>Compilation of BCG COFOG:</b> (i) Finalize trial compilation of COFOG; (ii) check if COFOG consistency, comparing Expenditure (7) = Expenditure (2+31); and (iii) start disseminating through IMF GFS database.   | MOF/BEAD                   | December<br>2023             |
| М                    | 4.3 Compile and disseminate BCG Financial Balance Sheet (Table 6 of the GFS Questionnaire).  (i) Finalize the exercise initiated during the mission;  (ii) replicate the exercise conducted during the mission to other years; and (iii) start disseminating.  | MOF/BEAD                   | December<br>2023             |
| Н                    | 4.4 <b>Compilation of high frequency BCG</b> . Create compilation procedure upon collection of source data.  | MOF/BEAD                   | December<br>2022             |
| L                    | 4.5 <b>Report on COVID 19 impacts.</b> Compile headline on the impact of COVID 19 on the debt and deficit statistics.  | MOF/BEAD                   | September<br>2023            |
| L                    | 4.6 <b>Fully migrate MTFF to <i>GSFM 2014</i> standards</b> . Create a process that can easily identify differences in the presentations.  | MOF/BEAD                   | September<br>2023            |
| L                    | 4.7 <b>Automate the compilation process.</b> Develop a Business Intelligent platform to support with GFS compilation.  | TWG                        | September<br>2024            |

| Level of<br>Priority                    | Action/Milestone   | Responsible<br>Institution | Target<br>Completion<br>date |
|---|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 5. PS                                   | DS COMPILATION   |                            |                              |
| Н                                       | 5.1 BCG quarterly debt statistics for the last 3 years: (i) ensure it is comprehensive and consistent; (ii) Disseminate into the joint World Bank/IMF quarterly debt database; and (iii) Incorporate Other Accounts Payable into the existing debt statistics for the BCG. | MOF/DMU                    | December<br>2022             |
| L                                       | 5.2 Expansion of instrument and institutional coverage of debt statistics: Implement a phased approach to expand instrument and institutional coverage with aim to report all debt instruments of the entire public sector.  | TWG                        | September<br>2023            |
| L                                       | 5.3 <b>Legislate on the definition of arrears</b> . Create an official definition arrears and publish it through legislation.  | MOF                        | September<br>2023            |
| L                                       | 5.4 <b>Fair and market valuation methods.</b> Clarify the definition of fair value in the system and ensure it can be a good proxy for market values.  | MOF/DMU                    | December<br>2022             |
| М                                       | 5.5 <b>OEF vs. "Parity change".</b> Ensure that "Parity change" aggregate generated by the CSM represents OEF and not something else.  | MOF/DMU                    | December<br>2022             |
| Legend: High = H / Medium = M / Low = L |  |                            |                              |

#### B. Coordination of GFS and PSDS Compilation Process

- The Kingdom of Eswatini has a GFS TWG created in 2019 with representation from 18. the MOF, the ECB and CSO. While Terms of References for the group have been prepared, the implementation of the TWG tasks and responsibilities have been delayed due to COVID 19 pandemic that imposed restrictions, and limited members' interaction. TWG are expected to organize routine meetings to ensure coordination of the GFS and PSDS compilation to ensure fiscal data consistency. This would imply developing and implementing a working plan, as well as coordinating data sharing.
- 19. Consistency between the different sets of macroeconomic statistics is of paramount importance. The GFS and PSDS should be consistent with each other, to the extent possible and with relevant data from other macroeconomic statistics, e.g., national accounts (GDP), monetary and financial accounts, and external sector accounts. This includes ensuring that all statistical compilers have a common understanding of the general government (GG) sector and sub-sectors, as well as ensuring stocks and flows can be reconciled. The mission reiterated the importance of MOF to meet regularly with the other compilers of relevant macroeconomic

statistics, to discuss and resolve any fiscal data compilation and consistency issues to seek greater consistency of macroeconomic statistics in the country.

#### 20. Documenting business processes for compiling GFS and PSDS was recommended.

The development of a GFS and PSDS compilation manual (a guide) that represents a living set of working instructions used in the process of compiling the GFS and PSDS will be useful to ensure sustainability (create an institutional memory) and consistency in the compilation process. The authorities already have an existing MTFF Manual detailing the compilation process, so another suggestion was to include a chapter in the existing Manual that describes the process of compiling GFS and PSDS by the Kingdom of Eswatini GFS TWG.

| Target<br>Date               | Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022/<br>Ongoing | Reactivate GFS TWG. (i) Create routine for frequent meetings to ensure coordination of the GFS and PSDS compilation; (ii) Finalize work plan currently under development; (iii) Create procedures to review consistency between GFS data and other macroeconomic statistics (real, external and monetary & financial statistics); (iv) Establish a protocol for ensuring the provision of regular data of public units in a timely manner. | TWG                        |
| September                    | <b>Document business process for compiling GFS and PSDS</b> . Create a   | BEAD                       |
| 2023                         | draft GFS and PSDS guide for compilers and users for the Kingdom of  |                            |
|                              | Eswatini or incorporate a chapter in the existing MTFF Manual.   |                            |

## C. Institutional Coverage - The Public Sector

- 21. The mission reviewed the structure of the public sector in The Kingdom of Eswatini, updated the inventory of public entities and ensured each public entity was classified according to the guidance of the GFSM 2014. The public sector in the Kingdom of Eswatini is subdivided into GG and Public Corporations sector. The preliminary list of entities is presented in Appendix IV and the Figure 1 below shown understanding of public sector in the country that indicates that at the GG level, there are eighty-six (86) BCG entities, twenty-one (21) EBU and twenty-two (22) LG entities.
- 22. The classification of public entities was discussed and agreed with the TWG. The mission discussed the classification of public entities individually. The assistance of the Treasury department was helpful to clarify key features of some entities, including the operational independence and extent of their ability to survive without / dependence upon budget support. The mission also consulted the PFM Act 2017 that includes a list of agencies and Government business enterprises.

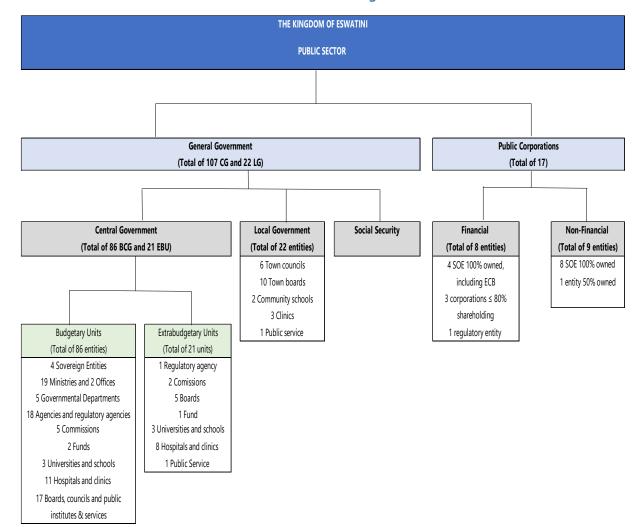


FIGURE 1. Public Sector in the Kingdom of Eswatini

Source: MOF of the Kingdom of Eswatini

23. Within the BCG, there are four sovereign entities, nineteen (19) ministries, two (2) offices, five (5) governmental departments, eighteen (18) agencies and regulatory agencies, five (5) commissions, two (2) funds, fourteen (14) health and education public entities and seventeen (17) other entities such as boards, councils, public institutes, and services. A significant number of BCG units are classified as Category A entities which, according to the Treasury Annual Financial Report for the year ended March 2021, correspond to public enterprises that fall under different line ministries and that are governed and directed by a Board of Directors which is accountable to the Minister responsible. A list of the Category A public enterprises according to the referred Treasury Annual Report is presented in Appendix V.

#### **Box 1. Category A Public Enterprises**

The Kingdom of Eswatini has several Category A public enterprises, originally established under the Public Enterprises (Control and Monitoring) Act, 1989<sup>4</sup>.

This Act defined these entities as "a public enterprise or body which is either wholly owned by Government or in which the Government has a majority interest or which is dependent upon Government subvention for its financial support", and originally identified 28 entities.

Today, there are 49 Category A entities, that are a mixture of public facing commercial operations and more governmental entities. Category A entities include entities that should clearly be classified as government units, such as the Eswatini Revenue Authority, the Eswatini Competitions Commission and the Eswatini Environmental Authority. Category A entities also include more commercial entities that operate in a more market facing way, such as the Pigg's Peak Hotel and Casino, Eswatini Electricity Company and Eswatini Water Services Corporation.

About 45 percent of the Category A entities should be treated as BCG units, 27 percent as EBU, 22 percent as public nonfinancial corporations and the reminder public finance corporation and non-profit organization. A significant number of the Category A entities is not included in the BCG data, only any transfers (subsidies / grants) to them. Therefore, pursuing consolidation of the full GG could bring a different picture of fiscal data not seen through BCG currently being reported.

- **24. EBU sub-sector comprises twenty-one (21) entities**. One (1) regulatory agency, two (2) commissions, five (5) boards, one (1) fund, eleven (11) health and education entities and one (1) other public service. Some of the EBU are also classified as Category A entities.
- **25.** The local government subsector includes 22 entities. Six (6) town councils, ten (10) town boards, five (5) health and education entities and an additional public service. According to the Public Finance Act 2017 (PFM Act 2017), a LG authority may not borrow expect from Central Government and may issue securities.
- **26. Eswatini does not currently operate any social security funds, but there are developing plans to create a social security system**. In November 2021, the Ministry of Labor and Social Security (MLSS) approved the National Social Security Policy<sup>5</sup> and under this policy the authorities are considering the creation of a basic state pension scheme, health insurance fund and workers compensation fund. Entities created to operate social security schemes are typically classified as social security funds and classified within the GG sector unlike the existing National Provident Fund and Public Service Pension Fund, both of which are classified outside the GG as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>https://www.gov.sz/images/stories/finance/Public%20Enterprise%20unit/the%20public%20enterprises%20control%20and%20 monitoring%20act%201989.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> https://www.gov.sz/images/LABOUR/FINAL-NSSP-VERSION---NOVEMBER-2021-2.pdf

public financial corporations (pension funds). The authorities should monitor these schemes and seek to ensure units are classified correctly and GFS data made available from the outset.

- 27. As for the public corporation sub-sector, there are seventeen (17) entities, of which nine (9) are nonfinancial public corporations and eight (8) are financial corporations including the ECB, two (2) pension funds under the control of the MLSS and Financial Services Regulatory Authority (by convention, applying GFSM 2014 §2.158, financial supervisory agents are classified as public financial corporations). Some public corporations were also identified as "Category A" entities. The GoE is the principal shareholder in all "category A" public enterprises with shareholdings ranging from 75 percent to 100 percent.
- 28. The mission briefly analyzed the public enterprise sector for the purpose of evaluating their role as market producers. According to data provided in the Performance Model file managed by the Treasury, there is evidence that some of identified public companies such as the Royal Eswatini National Airways Corporation, the Eswatini Posts and Telecommunications Corporation, the Small Enterprises Development Company, and the Eswatini National Industrial Development Corporation, have reported operating losses over years, which is a sign that companies are in distress and most likely need constant support from the Central Government to survive, therefore should be submitted to market test. The market test aims to determine whether a public enterprise provides all or most of its output to others at prices that are economically significant and the extent to which sales of goods and services at economically significant prices are sufficient to cover the majority of production costs<sup>6</sup>. This is a criterion used to determine if a public enterprise is a nonmarket or market producer. This test should be carried out regularly, on an entity-by-entity basis to determine if an entity should be treated as a GG unit.
- 29. The Government of Eswatini is a minority shareholder in six (6) other companies. Public units are defined as part of the public sector when they are controlled by government, and this will typically not be the case where GoE only has a minority shareholding, and so these companies should be considered as private companies, absent some other indicators of government control. Thus, the shares that GoE owns in companies such as Maloma Colliery (25 percent of shareholding), Macmillan Eswatini (Pty) Ltd (30 percent of shareholding), Royal Swaziland Sugar Company (6.5 percent of shareholding), Africa Reinsurance Corporation (0.25 percent of shareholding), Nedbank Swaziland Limited (22.35 percent of shareholding), and Standard Bank Limited (25 percent of shareholding) should be recorded in the GFS as equity, in other words, financial assets and GoE should expect to receive dividends as shareholder.
- 30. A number of non-profit institutions (NPI) serving households that benefit from budget grants were identified. A total of sixteen (16) NPI were identified, among them associations, fund, foundations, schools and clinics. According to the GFSM 2014, paragraph 2.61, a NPI is a resident nonmarket entity that often is not controlled by government. Although in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> For more information, see GFSM 2014 §2.64-2.75

receipt of government funds, these entities should not be classified as part of the GG unless it is established that Government has control over them.

| Target<br>Date   | Recommendations   | Responsible<br>Institution |
|------------------|---|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022 | <b>Review and validate PSIT.</b> (i) Review and valid list of entities to ensure it is complete; (ii) Evaluate classification of public entities in accordance with <i>GFSM 2014</i> ; and (iii) Publish the final PSIT in the authorities' official website. | TWG                        |
| December         | Conduct market tests. Create procedures to conduct annual market  | TWG                        |
| 2022             | test to public enterprises to ensure proper classification  |                            |

#### D. Source Data

- 31. To assist the authorities, an inventory of source data and its respective providers was created to facilitate the collection process of source data needed for the compilation of GFS and PSDS. Table 3 presents a summary that details the type of source data and entities that can be used for the purpose of providing financial data.
- 32. Various source data have to be used to compile annual BCG GFS. Regarding the revenue, tax revenue can be obtained from Eswatini Revenue Services (ERS). Non-tax revenues are collected from Treasury and other taxes from both ERS and Treasury. Grants are provided by the Ministry of Economic Planning and Development (MEPD). BCG expense is collected from Treasury department. Below the line transactions and respective stocks are obtained from the Treasury Department and DMU.

**Table 3. Data Sources for GFS and PSDS Compilation Process** 

| #   | Kingdom of Eswatini - Data Source   | Type of data  | BCG                                  |
|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|
|   | for GFS and PSDS Compilation<br>At July 2022  |   |                                      |
| 1   | Revenue (Annual/Quartely)   |   |                                      |
| 1.1   | Taxes   |   | ERS                                  |
| 1.2   | Other Taxes   |   | ERS/Treasury                         |
| 1.3   |   | Flows   | MEPD                                 |
|   |   | liows   | PSPF and ENPF                        |
| 1.4<br>1.5  |   |   |                                      |
| 1.5   | Other Revenue   |   | Treasury                             |
| 2   | Expense (Annual/Quartely)   |   |                                      |
| 2.1   | By economic nature  | Flows   | Treasury                             |
| 2.2   | By function (COFOG)   | Flows   | Treasury                             |
| 3   | Assets (Annual/Quartely)  |   |                                      |
| 3.1   | Fixed Assets  |   |                                      |
| 3.2   | Inventory   | FI  |                                      |
| 3.3   | Valuables   | Flows/Stock   | Treasury                             |
| 3.4   | Nonproduced assets  |   |                                      |
| 3.5   | Financial Assets by instrument  |   |                                      |
|   | Domestic:   |   |                                      |
|   | Currency and Deposits   |   | Treasury/ECB                         |
|   | Debt Securities   |   | ,.                                   |
|   | Loans   |   |                                      |
|   | Equity and Investment Fund  | Stock/Flows   | Treasury                             |
|   | Others Accounts Receivables   |   |                                      |
|   | External  |   |                                      |
| 3.6   |   |   |                                      |
| 3.0   | Domestic  |   |                                      |
|   | External  | Stock/Flows   | Treasury                             |
|   |   |   |                                      |
| 4   | Liabities (Annual/Quartely)   |   |                                      |
| 4.1   | Liabities by instrument   |   |                                      |
| 4.1.1   | Domestic  |   |                                      |
|   | Currency and Deposits   |   | DMU/Treasury/ECB                     |
|   | Debt Securities   |   | DMU/ECB                              |
|   | Loans   | Stock/Flows   | DMU                                  |
|   |   |   | la a                                 |
|   | Equity and Investment Fund  |   | N/A                                  |
|   | Equity and Investment Fund<br>Others Accounts Payables  |   | IV/A<br>Treasury                     |
| 4.1.2   |   |   | -                                    |
| 4.1.2   | Others Accounts Payables  | Stock/Flours  | Treasury                             |
| 4.1.2   | Others Accounts Payables<br>External  | Stock/Flows   | -                                    |
|   | Others Accounts Payables<br>External<br>Debt Securities   | Stock/Flows   | Treasury                             |
|   | Others Accounts Payables<br>External<br>Debt Securities<br>Loans  |   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB           |
| 4.2   | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value   | Stock/Flows Stock/Flows   | Treasury                             |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2   | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External   |   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB           |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3  | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External Liabities at Face Value   |   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB           |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1                                   | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External Liabities at Face Value Domestic  | Stock/Flows   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU      |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3  | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External Liabities at Face Value Domestic  |   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB           |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2                          | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External  Liabities at Face Value Domestic External  | Stock/Flows   | DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU                |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2                          | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External  Liabities at Face Value Domestic External Liabities by Creditor                    | Stock/Flows Stock/Flows   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU  DMU |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2                          | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External  Liabities at Face Value Domestic External  | Stock/Flows   | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU      |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2<br>4.4<br>4.4.1<br>4.4.2 | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External  Liabities at Face Value Domestic External  Liabities by Creditor Domestic          | Stock/Flows Stock/Flows Stock/Flows                                 | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU  DMU |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2<br>4.4<br>4.4.1<br>4.4.2 | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External Liabities at Face Value Domestic External Liabities by Creditor Domestic External   | Stock/Flows Stock/Flows Stock/Flows                                 | DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU  DMU           |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2<br>4.4<br>4.4.1<br>4.4.2 | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External  Liabities at Face Value Domestic External  Liabities by Creditor Domestic External | Stock/Flows Stock/Flows Stock/Flows                                 | Treasury  DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU  DMU |
| 4.2<br>4.2.1<br>4.2.2<br>4.3<br>4.3.1<br>4.3.2<br>4.4<br>4.4.1<br>4.4.2 | Others Accounts Payables External Debt Securities Loans Liabities at Nominal/Market value Domestic External Liabities at Face Value Domestic External Liabities by Creditor Domestic External   | Stock/Flows  Stock/Flows  Stock/Flows  Data for # 1, 2, 3 and 4 sho | DMU/Treasury/ECB  DMU  DMU           |

33. The annual Statement of Assets and Liabilities produced by the Treasury Department are potential source data for financial assets and liabilities. This statement summarizes data from debt records, deposits, MOF supportive documents on receivables and payables, capital project or grants reports, financial statements from trading accounts. Considering that deposits and loans can be obtained directly from ECB and DMU respectively, this statement was regarded as potential good indicator for data on loans assets, other accounts

receivables and payables. Financial assets such as currency and deposits should be always reconciled with ECB.

- 34. Regarding nonfinancial assets, Treasury has a working group that has been working to put together an inventory of tangible assets of the government. The result of this work could help TWG in the valuation of nonfinancial assets needed for the compilation a full balance sheet under GFSM 2014 framework.
- The authorities expect that a new Integrated Financial Management Information 35. Systems (IFMIS), currently under development, will improve the process of compiling data, though the authorities do not know when the system will be fully operational. The authorities also informed that they are in the process of adopting International Public-Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS).
- 36. High frequency (monthly or quarterly) data was not made available during the mission. Although the MOF does have access to monthly budget execution fiscal data, the high frequency data was not made available to the mission. The source data is the same as the annual, the authorities expressed concern over the use of high frequency data due to preliminary nature of the data that results from the lack of closing periods. However, the mission strongly recommended that the authorities compile and disseminate high frequency data during the year, even if this data comes with a lag, clearly stating that it is preliminary data and updating it to final as the actual data is available.
- 37. Transactions of the GoE are a mixture of cash and non-cash recording. While revenue is recorded on a cash basis, some expense items and transactions in nonfinancial assets are recorded on a noncash basis. Below the line data however remains incomplete, and while the authorities are recording transactions in currency and deposit and loan assets, as well as transactions in loans and debt securities liabilities, there are no transactions recorded in other accounts payable, and this may explain, in part, the large statistical discrepancies between above and below the line data reported to the IMF GFS Database.
- No data is currently available for LG. The Ministry of Housing and Urban Development 38. (MHUD) is the entity theoretically responsible for collecting and compiling data on the operations of local government municipalities and town boards. While not as large as the EBUs, the LG sector does have some own revenues and expenditures. In 2018/19, two of the largest municipalities – Mbabane and Manzini - had a total income (excluding Government grants) of SZL130 million and SZL 88 million respectively, mostly consisting of, assessment rates (local property taxes). This revenue for just two municipalities suggests that the LG subsector could, in aggregate, have reasonably large revenues and expenditures that is worth including in GFS data. Therefore, the mission recommended that the TWG to follow up on this, and set some deadlines for MHUD to collect and compile GFS for LG.
- 39. EBU source data required for GFS compilation is available for some units. During FY 2019-2021 transfers from BCG to EBU represent on average about 50 percent of total grants expense (about 3 percent of GDP). Comprehensive GFS would turn these transfers into additional

wages and salaries, or use of goods and services, providing a different picture of GoE expenditure compared to just looking at the BCG alone. Financial statements of some of the "Category A" public entities - mostly EBU and public corporations, are available in an excel file entitled "Public Enterprises Performance Model", created by the Public Enterprise Unit (PEU) of the Treasury Department. The file presents main aggregates of financial reports such as total assets, operating surplus, operating revenue, fixed assets, current assets, current liabilities, total debt outstanding and others. The referred file does not present sufficiently detailed information needed to allow compilation of comprehensive GFS and the format of the data needed to be revised to facilitate compilation. In addition, the file presents indicators for the available Category A public enterprises without separating them according with subsectors of public sector indicated by the GFSM 2014 – EBU and public corporations. To better support transformation of financial data into GFS, the structure of the file needs to be revised and PEU should work toward adding detailed data from notes of public enterprises' financial statements.

#### 40. Debt statistics source data are recorded and managed on the new CSM system.

The CSM system has been operating for less than a year in the GoE and it incorporates advanced functionalities to address debt management requirements and takes advantage of the latest state-of-the-art technologies, with a reporting module with great search features, analytical reports with features that allow customization of reports. The System produces automated reports for disclosing debt. The current challenge is related with source data availability from the system and the need to clean up data recorded in the system. For example, reports have been configured to allow calculation of gross and net debt. In regards to the net debt, due to the lack of data on financial assets, reports are presenting gross debt equals net debt. Besides, there is no document defining terms used in the system. A Glossary of main terms will support understanding of the data being generated in the system.

#### 41. All public enterprises have the same financial year commencing on April 1st and ending on March 31st of the following year, facilitating the compilation and consolidation of fiscal statistics.

| Target<br>Date    | Recommendations   | Responsible<br>Institution |
|-------------------|---|----------------------------|
| September<br>2023 | <ul> <li>Make Efforts to collect data on the following:</li> <li>BCG fiscal data: (i) nonfinancial asset stock and flow data; (ii) high frequency fiscal data; (ii) ensure deposit data is reconciliated with ECB;</li> </ul> | TWG                        |
|                   | <ul> <li>LG detailed financial reports. For the purpose of starting<br/>compilation of GFS for LG.</li> </ul>   |                            |
|                   | EBU detailed financial reports. For the purpose of starting compilation of GFS for EBU.   |                            |

| Target<br>Date    | Recommendations   | Responsible<br>Institution |
|-------------------|---|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022  | Revise the Public Enterprises Performance Model Excel file.  (i) Add detailed data from financial statement notes and (ii) revise structure of the file to better support transformation of data into GFS.  | PEU                        |
| September<br>2023 | Improve debt Data in the CSM. (i) Clean up and validate existing debt data in the system to ensure it reflects actual figures; (ii) Input financial asset data into the system to ensure it can produce net debt numbers; and (iii) create a glossary of the terms and formulae reported in the system. | DMU                        |

#### E. GFS Compilation and Dissemination

- **BCG Statement of Operations on cash basis and MTFF**
- 42. The PFM Act 2017 requires that the MOF should compile and publish GFS in accordance with best acceptable international standards. The referred ministerial department is compiling GFS for the BCG and disseminates to the IMF GFS database detailed revenue (GFS Table 1), expense (GFS Table 2) and transactions in assets and liabilities (GFS Table 3).
- 43. The mission discussed 2018-2020 BCG GFS data that was submitted to the IMF GFS database. For fiscal years ending 2020 and 2021, GFS presents large statistical discrepancies of > SZL 1 billion, (>1 percent of GDP) as it can be seen in the Table 4 below. Resolving these discrepancies will improve the overall quality of GFS compiled. In practice, statistical discrepancy is normal and promotes transparency when it is reported as below 1 percent of GDP. This is the case of the statistical discrepancy reported for FY 2018/2019 which is not considered very significant to impact the quality of the data.

Table 4. BCG – Statement of Operations on Cash Basis

Unit: Million SZL

| As of end of March |  | 2018/2019 | 2019/2020 | 2020/2021 |
|--------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1                  | Revenue  | 15,710.24 | 17,771.80 | 18,806.44 |
| 2                  | Expense  | 16,455.36 | 16,868.22 | 17,753.13 |
| NOB                | Net operating balance (1-2)                          | -745.12   | 903.58    | 1,053.31  |
| 31                 | Net/gross investment in nonfinancial assets          | 3,342.21  | 4,679.05  | 5,491.58  |
| 2M                 | Expenditure (2+31)                                   | 19,797.57 | 21,547.26 | 23,244.71 |
| NLB                | Net lending (+)/Net borrowing (-) (1-2-31) or (1-2M) | -4,087.33 | -3,775.47 | -4,438.27 |
| 32                 | Net acquisition of financial assets                  | -953.39   | 461.81    | -141.52   |
| 33                 | Net incurrence of liabilities                        | 3,318.60  | 3,076.70  | 5,873.15  |
| NLBz               | Stat. discrepancy: NLB vs<br>Financing (32-33-NLB)   | -184.65   | 1,160.58  | -1,576.40 |

| G | Memorandum items: |           |           |           |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | GDP (IMF)         | 62,400.00 | 66,300.00 | 71,800.00 |
|   | Revenue/GDP       | 25.18%    | 26.80%    | 26.20%    |
|   | Expense/GDP       | 26.37%    | 25.40%    | 24.70%    |
|   | NLB/GDP           | -6.55%    | -5.70%    | -6.20%    |
|   | NLBz/GDP          | -0.30%    | 1.80%     | -2.20%    |

Source: MOF/BEAD

- 44. There are many reasons for such discrepancies. Firstly, statistical discrepancy is normally to be expected when using a variety of data sources which is the case for GoE where source data used to compile GFS comes from different platforms most likely not using the same criteria to compile the fiscal data. Secondly, the authorities are using different accounting methods to record transactions (cash vs. accrual), this is also a potential source of discrepancy, especially if above and below the line transactions are captured under different accounting methods of recording. Thirdly, the net acquisition of financial assets was a concern for the mission for two reasons: (i) Flows of government deposits reported by ECB and Treasury are not easily reconciled, and (ii) the stock and flows of loans provided could not be reconciled.
- 45. Furthermore, GFS is compiled from fiscal data that has been bridged to MTFF. Bridging MTFF to compile GFS creates risks of consistency and accuracy of the data as it becomes more subject to errors. Although MTFF is largely presented in the GFSM 2014 standards, it is intriguing to observe that output of the two presentations of government transactions have significant different results.
- 46. The mission reviewed the consistency and accuracy of GFS for FY 2018 – 2020, against the MTFF. Table 5 below presents the summary result of the comparative analysis. While revenue is aligned with insignificant differences, expenditure presents significant differences between fiscal data reported on GFS format when compared with data presented in the MTFF format. Net incurrence of liabilities is also reported with significant differences. The authorities explained that GFS data submitted to the IMF GFS database is preliminary data while MTFF reflects actual data, therefore GFS for FY 2018-2021 should be resubmitted.
- 47. While GFS data revenue data is reasonably well, though not perfectly, aligned with MTFF data, there are more serious issues with expenditure. MTFF expenditure, and especially MTFF expense data is consistently higher than expense in GFS data. Transactions in financial assets are well aligned, but there are more issues in liabilities and so coupled with the above the line differences in expenditure, the MTFF data has much larger statistical discrepancies. Considering that data source is the same, it might indicate that MTFF is not completely aligned to GFSM 2014, and the authorities should consider fully migrating its MTFF to GFSM 2014 standards as it seems to provide better fiscal results that could serve as a source of data for policy formulation and forecasting. In addition, the authorities should review the GFS compilation file, to ensure it is capturing all transactions correctly.
- 48. GFS compilation beyond BCG is still very dependent on availability of source data, and the focus should be on improving the quality of annual and high frequency BCG.

Regarding high frequency, no monthly or quarterly BCG GFS source data was made available to the mission to enable compilation of high frequency GFS, however the mission extensively discussed ways to overcome issues related to the compilation of high frequency data.

| Target<br>Date    | Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|-------------------|--|----------------------------|
| December<br>2022  | <b>Annual BCG GFS.</b> (i) Finalize and validate GFS Questionnaire for FY 2021/22 (Tables 1, 2 and 3) and disseminate through the IMF GFS database; (ii) Revise previous years GFS questionnaires with preliminary data and ensure to resubmit to the IMF GFS database actual final data; and (iii) create routine to reconcile GFS statement of operations with MTFF. | MOF/BEAD                   |
| December<br>2022  | <b>Compilation of high frequency BCG.</b> Create compilation procedure upon collection of source data.   | MOF/BEAD                   |
| December<br>2023  | <b>Fully migrate MTFF to GSFM 2014 standards.</b> Create a process that can easily identify differences in the presentations.  | MOF/BEAD                   |
| September<br>2024 | <b>Automate the compilation process</b> . Develop a Business Intelligent platform to support with the automatization of GFS compilation.   | TWG                        |

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Table 5. BCG – Cash flows from Operating Activities vs. MTFF

Unit: Million SZL

|      | As of end of March   |           | 2018/2019 | ı                    | 2          | 2019/2020 |                      | 2020/2021 |           |                      |
|------|--|-----------|-----------|----------------------|------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|
|      |  | MTFF      | GFS       | MTFF<br>minus<br>GFS | MTFF       | GFS       | MTFF<br>minus<br>GFS | MTFF      | GFS       | MTFF<br>minus<br>GFS |
| 1    | Revenue  | 15,684.11 | 15,710.24 | -26.13               | 17,893.13  | 17,771.80 | 121.33               | 19,267.65 | 18,806.44 | 461.20               |
| 2    | Expense  | 19,996.70 | 16,455.36 | 3,541.33             | 23,402.21  | 16,868.22 | 6,534.00             | 23,594.07 | 17,753.13 | 5,840.93             |
| NOB  | Net operating balance (1-2)                                      | -4,312.59 | -745.12   |                      | -5,509.09  | 903.58    |                      | -4,326.42 | 1,053.31  |                      |
| 31   | Net/gross investment in nonfinancial assets                      | 3,337.19  | 3,342.21  | -5.02                | 5,758.70   | 4,679.05  | 1,079.65             | 4,999.17  | 5,491.58  | -492.41              |
| 2M   | Expenditure (2+31)   | 23,333.89 | 19,797.57 | 3,546.32             | 29,160.91  | 21,547.26 | 7,613.65             | 28,593.23 | 23,244.71 | 5,348.52             |
| NLB  | Net lending (+) / Net borrowing (-) (1-2-31) or (1-2M)           | -7,649.78 | -4,087.33 |                      | -11,267.78 | -3,775.47 |                      | -9,325.58 | -4,438.27 |                      |
| 32   | Net acquisition of financial assets                              | -953.34   | -953.39   | 0.05                 | 389.83     | 461.81    | -71.99               | -182.90   | -141.52   | -41.38               |
| 33   | Net incurrence of liabilities                                    | 3,342.15  | 3,318.60  | 23.55                | 3,838.21   | 3,076.70  | 761.51               | 5,233.15  | 5,873.15  | -640.00              |
| NLBz | Overall statistical discrepancy:<br>NLB vs Financing (32-33-NLB) | 3,354.29  | -184.65   |                      | 7,819.40   | 1,160.58  |                      | 3,909.53  | -1,576.40 |                      |
|      | Memorandum items:  |           |           |                      |            |           |                      |           |           |                      |
|      | GDP (Source: The Kingdom of Eswatini)                            | 62,582.16 | 62,582.16 |                      | 65,079.94  | 65,079.94 |                      | 66,506.94 | 66,506.94 |                      |
|      | Revenue/GDP  | 25.06%    | 25.10%    |                      | 27.49%     | 27.30%    |                      | 28.97%    | 28.30%    |                      |
|      | Expense/GDP  | 31.95%    | 26.29%    |                      | 35.96%     | 25.90%    |                      | 35.48%    | 26.70%    |                      |
|      | NLB/GDP  | -12.22%   | -6.53%    |                      | -17.31%    | -5.80%    |                      | -14.02%   | -6.70%    |                      |
|      | Statistical Discrepancy/GDP                                      | 5.36%     | -0.30%    |                      | 12.02%     | 1.80%     |                      | 5.88%     | -2.40%    |                      |

Source data: MOF/BEAD

#### ii. Functional Expenditures (COFOG)

49. The mission analyzed expenditures classified according to the COFOG that are currently under development by the MOF. COFOG is still limited to BCG, and available source data from public entities outside BCG is not detailed enough or inexistent to allow compilation of COFOG for the entire GG. Table 6 shows the extent of the functional expenditures classified by COFOG, but also highlights the gap between functional expenditures and total expenditure in the GFS. There are still significant amounts of BCG expenditures that have not yet been mapped to COFOG, and the authorities have further work to do to capture and classify all BCG expenditures before starting disseminating COFOG data.

Table 6. BCG – COFOG Sum of FY 2018–2021

Unit: Million SZL

| As of | end of March                     | 2019/2020 | 2020/2021 | 2021/2022 |
|-------|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 701   | General Public services          | 2,605.67  | 3,451.70  | 3,808.91  |
| 702   | Defense                          | 994.82    | 1,019.17  | 966.68    |
| 703   | Public Order and Safety          | 1,933.54  | 1,767.95  | 1,813.44  |
| 704   | Economic Affairs                 | 385.70    | 639.26    | 1,173.91  |
| 705   | Environmental Protection         | 15.09     | 21.28     | 55.21     |
| 706   | Housing and Community amenities  | 60.35     | 71.49     | 526.79    |
| 707   | Health                           | 1,807.63  | 1,640.79  | 2,007.59  |
| 708   | Recreation, culture and religion | 57.78     | 104.13    | 169.25    |
| 709   | Education                        | 3,054.60  | 2,776.91  | 3,922.33  |
| 710   | Social Protection                | 40.71     | 57.31     | 1,814.36  |
|       | TOTAL                            | 10,955.91 | 11,549.99 | 16,258.50 |
| 2M    | Tables 2 + 31                    | 19,797.57 | 21,547.26 | 23,244.71 |
|       | Consistency check                | 8,841.67  | 9,997.27  | 6,986.22  |

Source data: MOF/BEAD

| Target<br>Date   | Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|------------------|--|----------------------------|
| December<br>2023 | Compilation of BCG COFOG: (i) Finalize compilation of COFOG; (ii) check COFOG consistency, comparing Expenditure (7) = Expenditure (2+31), and (iii) start disseminating through IMF GFS database. | MOF/BEAD                   |

#### iii. **Balance Sheet Data**

- 50. Balance sheet is a core component of GFS analytic framework that enables a comprehensive view when monitoring and assessing economic and financial conditions and the behavior of public sector units. It records the stock positions of assets, liabilities, and net worth of the sector or subsector at the end of each reporting period.
- 51. The mission prepared a draft financial balance sheet in the GFS Framework using the existing annual Statement of assets and liabilities produced by the Treasury **Department.** This captured assets such as deposits and accounts receivable and liabilities such as debt securities, loans and accounts payable. Table 7 presents the preliminary financial balance sheet compiled during the mission.
- **52**. It was practical impossible to reconcile currency and deposits between Treasury and ECB. Treasury appears to report deposits inflows and outflows separately, while ECB reports deposit as net figures of a fungible account. ECB presents government balances in local and foreign currency including accrued interest, indicating that ECB reports on accrual basis while Treasury uses a cash basis approach. This also creates differences in the deposit figures that need to be reconciliated. For the purpose of compiling financial balance sheet, the mission understands that the ECB can be a more reliable data source, but figures need to be reconciled to ensure that transactions above the line respond to the ones below the line.
- 53. The statement of assets and liabilities does not allow the split between domestic and external assets and liabilities. The debt liabilities reported by Treasury were hard to reconcile with the DMU figures. Treasury confirmed that data used in the referred statement was obtained from DMU, therefore, the mission suggested the use of the DMU figure for the purpose of compiling Finance Balance Sheet.
- 54. The Treasury statement also provides a potential data source for loans assets, other accounts receivable and payable. With support from Treasury department staff, mission tried to understand the content of each item reported in the statement of assets and liabilities and concluded that advances are mainly loans; capital and special fund, accrued liabilities, and all the items identified as 6218 and 6318 in the statement of assets and liabilities reported in the Appendix VI should be regarded as other accounts receivable and payable.
- 55. To sum up, Finance Balance Sheet was produced with currency and deposits from ECB; loans assets, other accounts receivable and payable from Treasury; and debt liabilities from DMU. A first draft was put together however, further work is required before there is an attempt to disseminate it through the IMF GFS database. Assets that should be included in the government's financial balance sheet should include government equity assets, currently missing, and further work is needed to further interrogate the source data and ensure its correctly classified.

**Table 7. BCG – Finance Balance Sheet** 

Unit: Million SZL

|      | Financial Balance Sheet BCG | 2018/2019 | 2019/2020 | 2020/2021 |
|------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 6    | NET WORTH                   | NA        | NA        | NA        |
| 61   | Nonfinancial assets         | NA        | NA        | NA        |
| 62   | Financial assets [621+622]  | 6,038.79  | 5,534.94  | 6,533.10  |
| 621  | Domestic                    | 6,038.79  | 5,534.94  | 6,533.10  |
| 6212 | Currency and deposits       | 3,002.65  | 2,194.75  | 3,771.20  |
| 6214 | Loans                       | 455.73    | 491.75    | 466.09    |
| 6218 | Other accounts receivable   | 2,580.41  | 2,848.44  | 2,295.78  |
| 622  | External                    | 0.00      | 0.00      | 0.00      |
| 63   | Liabilities [631+632]       | 16,197.40 | 21,857.28 | 23,457.29 |
| 631  | Domestic                    | 14,555.23 | 18,735.18 | 20,332.75 |
| 6313 | Debt securities             | 5,640.39  | 6,653.66  | 8,058.69  |
| 6314 | Loans                       | 1,444.90  | 1,796.77  | 1,501.60  |
| 6318 | Other accounts payable      | 7,469.94  | 10,122.10 | 10,772.46 |
| 632  | External                    | 1,642.20  | 3,122.10  | 3,124.50  |
| 6324 | Loans                       | 1,642.17  | 3,122.10  | 3,124.54  |

**Source data:** MOF/BEAD & Treasury

| Target<br>Date   | Recommendations  | Responsible<br>Institution |
|------------------|--|----------------------------|
| December<br>2023 | Compile and disseminate BCG Financial Balance Sheet (Table 6 of the GFS Questionnaire). (i) Finalize the exercise initiated during the mission; (ii) replicate the exercise conducted during the mission to other years; and (iii) Compile and report GFS Questionnaire Table 6. | MOF/BEAD                   |

# F. PSDS Compilation and Dissemination

- The Kingdom of Eswatini compiles and disseminates BCG debt statistics to the joint **56**. World Bank/IMF Quarterly Public Sector Debt database. The mission reviewed annual debt data that is compiled in accordance with PSDSG 2011 and found that coverage is limited to the BCG, although some debt data is available for some other public sector enterprises.
- **57**. Debt data is provided by instrument, counterpart (external and domestic) and currency. The CSM has been well defined, it can automatically produce reports that allow debt by instruments, by maturity, by currency of denomination and maturity, type of interest,

residency (domestic and external), by counterpart, debt services and others and in different time frequencies - daily, monthly, quarterly and annually

58. Expanding instrument coverage from D1 (debt securities and loans) to cover all debt instruments remains challenging due to the lack of available source data. Table 8 shows the summary of the annual debt figures for FY 2018-2021 at face value. Debt at nominal values is available in the CSM, but for years before 2021 they need to be properly reconciled between the valuation methodologies.

Table 8. BCG Gross debt - Face Value

Unit: Million SZL

| Face Value              | 2018      | 2019      | 2020      | 2021      |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| <b>Debt Instruments</b> | 14,696.83 | 17,937.39 | 21,341.72 | 27,096.03 |
| Domestic                | 7,639.13  | 8,777.09  | 10,780.64 | 16,595.92 |
| Debt securities         | 6,194.59  | 6,982.20  | 9,281.06  | 13,573.58 |
| Loans                   | 1,444.53  | 1,794.89  | 1,499.59  | 3,022.35  |
| External                | 7,057.70  | 9,160.31  | 10,561.07 | 10,500.10 |
| Loans                   | 7,057.70  | 9,160.31  | 10,561.07 | 10,500.10 |

Source: MOF/DMU - CSM, July 2022

- 59. DMU is still validating data entries in the CSM and only able to validate debt numbers for FY 2020/2021. The mission discussed main challenges related to debt statistics and the authorities informed about issues related to comprehensiveness of the data recorded and available that reflect real debt situation, particularly related to disbursements for fiscal years before 2021. This certainly explain the very large discrepancies in 2018, 2019 and 2020 between loans at nominal and at face value. At the moment, the authorities are only able to validate FY 2021 numbers and working on CSM to clean entries and ensure debt data for fiscal years before 2020 reflect actual numbers
- 60. The Meridian System produces debt figures valued under nominal, face and fair value. While GFSM 2014 proposes that stock positions be valued at market value, it recognizes that not all debt instruments can be valued at market value and suggest also valuation of debt instrument under nominal value. No market valuation is clearly available in the CSM; however, a fair value is reported. According to the GFSM 2014, paragraph 3.115, fair value is a market-equivalent value defined as the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arms-length transaction. It thus represents an estimate of what could be obtained if the owner sold the asset or the debtor settled the liability. Definition of the terms used in the Meridian system were not available to ensure if fair value would be a good proxy for market value, particularly for treasury bills and bonds that are tradeable instruments.

61. The mission carried out a basic stock-flow check, to ensure opening and closing debt stocks (at face value) reflected new drawings and amortization within the period reported in the statement of operations. An integrated balance sheet for debt liabilities was generated from the system. Transactions related with disbursement and amortization when integrated with stock explain in large closing debt figures as it can be seen in Table 9 below.

**Table 9. Integrated Balance – Annual Gross Debt (Face Value)** 

Unit: Million SZL

|                    | 2019               | 2020      |          |           |                    | 2021      |          |         |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|----------|---------|--------------------|
|                    | Closing<br>Balance | Disburse. | Amort.   | OEF       | Closing<br>Balance | Disburs.  | Amort.   | OEF     | Closing<br>Balance |
| Debt<br>Securities | 6,982.20           | 2,914.87  | 616.01   | 0.00      | 9,281.06           | 8,866.13  | 4,491.29 | 0.00    | 13,655.89          |
| Loans              | 10,955.19          | 4,198.43  | 762.99   | -2,329.98 | 12,060.66          | 6,965.64  | 5,242.46 | -343.71 | 13,440.13          |
| Total              | 17,937.39          | 7,113.30  | 1,379.00 | -2,329.98 | 21,341.72          | 15,831.77 | 9,733.75 | -343.71 | 27,096.03          |

**Source**: MOF/DMU – Meridian, July 2022

- 62. No Other Economic Flows (OEF) are recorded for debt securities, but are applicable to loans. Debt securities stocks and flows are well integrated in 2020 and 2021 – the change of stocks (at face value) is fully explained by the transactions reflecting no OEFs due to revaluation. On the other hand, transactions don't fully explain the change in the stock of loan liabilities due to the fact that much of the external loans to Eswatini are denominated in foreign currencies. Per GFSM 2014, paragraph 3.31, OEF represent changes in the volume or value of assets or liabilities that are not generated by transactions. The OEFs are not transactions because they do not meet one or more features of transactions. For example, when the amount of a debt is expressed in foreign currency such as US\$, the value in domestic currency can change to the impact of the exchange rate even if the stock of debt in US\$ is unchanged.
- 63. The mission is assuming that "parity change" figures obtained from the CSM would be a proxy for OEF as it is shown as residual amounts and according to the authorities, they reflect mainly the impact of exchange rate movements on external loans denominated in foreign currencies. However, as mentioned before, the authorities admitted that disbursements of 2020 and previous years, might not be fully captured in the system, meaning that the total amount reported under Table 9, might not all be related to OEF.

| Target<br>Date   | Recommendations   | Responsible Institution |
|------------------|---|-------------------------|
| December<br>2022 | <b>Finalize and disseminate quarterly debt statistics of the BCG</b> for FY 2019-2022 to the joint World Bank/IMF quarterly debt database.              | DMU                     |
| December<br>2023 | <b>Incorporate Other Accounts Payable</b> into the existing debt statistics for the BCG.  | DMU                     |
| December<br>2023 | <b>Implement a phased approach to expand instrument and institutional coverage</b> with aim to report all debt instruments of the entire public sector. | DMU                     |
|                  | <b>Fair and market valuation methods.</b> Clarify the definition of fair value in the system and ensure it can be a good proxy for market values.       | MOF/DMU                 |
| December<br>2022 | Ensure that <b>"Parity change"</b> aggregate generated by the CSM represents OEF and not something else.  | DMU                     |

# **Appendix I. Names of Officials**

KINGDOM OF ESWATINI

| #  | Name                 | Position                  | Division   |
|----|----------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| 1  | Abwer Dlamini        | Director                  | MOF/       |
| 2  | Armstrong D. Dlamini | Director                  | MOF/DMU    |
| 3  | Momsa Simelane       | Deputy Account General    | Treasury   |
| 4  | Kate Mamba           | Principal Finance Officer | MOF        |
| 5  | Primrose Dlamini     | Principal Finance Officer | MOF        |
| 6  | Nompumelelo Dladla   | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF        |
| 7  | Xolani Dlamini       | Senior Budget Officer     | MOF/Budget |
| 8  | Lihle Dlamini        | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/Debt   |
| 9  | Phakath i Sandile    | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/Budget |
| 10 | Eric Dlamini         | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/Fiscal |
| 11 | Makekelo Ginndau     | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/Policy |
| 12 | Dhakami Sawdile N    | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF        |
| 13 | Nkosinathi Mavimbela | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/Budget |
| 14 | Ncobile Mngomerulu   | Senior Finance Officer    | MOF/PEU    |
| 15 | Linda Hlophe         | Senior Economist          | ECB        |
| 16 | Nonalungelo Dlamini  | Senior Analyst            | ERS        |
| 17 | Lulu Simelane        | Senior Accountant         | Treasury   |
| 18 | Muzi Dlamini         | Finance Officer           | MOF        |
| 19 | Zethu Gamedze        | Accountant                | Treasury   |
| 20 | Sibusiso Matsenjwa   | Statistician              | CSO        |

# **Appendix II. Technical Assistance Mission Agenda**

# THE KINGDOM OF ESWATINI GFS AND PSDS TA MISSION - FINAL AGENDA JULY 6 – 12, 2022

|            |                     | JULY 6 – 12, 2022  |              |
|------------|---------------------|--|--------------|
| Date       | Time<br>9am-<br>4pm | Topic  | Participants |
| Wednesday, | 9h00                | Mission Opening meeting:   | TWG          |
| July 6     |                     | Presentation of the mission participants   |              |
|            |                     | Overview of mission objectives   |              |
|            |                     | Authorities expectations for the mission   |              |
|            | 9h30                | Previous mission recommendations:  | TWG          |
|            |                     | • Assess progress related to the previous TA mission – Status                                  |              |
|            |                     | of the priority actions  |              |
|            | 11h00               | GFS compilation process:   | TWG          |
|            |                     | General discussion on the current GFS compilation process                                      |              |
|            |                     | – TWG organization, member responsibilities, others  |              |
|            | 12h30               | Lunch break  |              |
|            | 14h00               | GFSM Framework Overview  | TWG          |
| Thursday,  | 9h00                | Coverage and Sectorization:  | TWG          |
| July 7     |                     | Review correct classification of each public entity in the                                     |              |
|            |                     | PSIT, in particular the 23 public enterprises units that should                                |              |
|            |                     | be classified as part of the BCG   |              |
|            | 11h00               | GFS data source data issues:   | TWG          |
|            |                     | Review data sources  |              |
|            |                     | Discuss challenges for collecting data   |              |
|            |                     | Assess ways to fill relevant data gaps   |              |
|            |                     | Review data request needed for the mission   |              |
|            | 12h30               | Lunch break  |              |
|            | 14h00               | Public sector debt statistics:   | TWG          |
|            |                     | Debt instruments and counterparties  |              |
|            |                     | Debt valuation methods - nominal, market vs. face value  |              |
|            |                     | Distinction between accounts payable and arrears   |              |
|            |                     | Other Economic flows – Exchange rate gains and losses, and                                     |              |
|            | 15500               | other volume changes   | TMC          |
|            | 15h00               | <ul><li>Public sector debt statistics (cont.):</li><li>Debt data compilation process</li></ul> | TWG          |
|            |                     | Filling the template for submitting debt figures to the joint                                  |              |
|            |                     | World Bank and IMF Quarterly Public Debt Database  |              |
|            |                     | Consistency analysis   |              |
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|                | JULY 6 – 12, 2022  |  |                    |  |  |  |
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| Date           | Time   | Торіс  | Participants       |  |  |  |
|                | 9am-   |  |                    |  |  |  |
| Friday, July 8 | 4pm<br>9h00  | Annual GFS compilation:  | TWG                |  |  |  |
| Triday, July 0 | 31100  | BCG revenue by nature  | 1777               |  |  |  |
|                |  | • Expense by nature  |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 11h00  | Annual GFS compilation (cont.):                                      | TWG                |  |  |  |
|                |  | Transaction in assets and liabilities                                | 16                 |  |  |  |
|                | 12h30  | Lunch break  |                    |  |  |  |
| Monday,        | 9h00   | Annual GFS compilation (cont.):                                      | TWG                |  |  |  |
| July 11        |  | Consistency analysis   |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 11h00  | COFOG:   | TWG                |  |  |  |
|                |  | Review mapping of data to COFOG classification                       |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Consistency analysis of Table 7 vs. Tables 2 + 31                    |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 12h30  | Lunch break  |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 14h00  | Balance sheet:   | TWG                |  |  |  |
|                |  | Stock data – available assets and liabilities, valuation             |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | methods  |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Transaction in assets and liabilities                                |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Compiling a financial balance sheet                                  |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 15h30  | High frequency GFS data:   | TWG                |  |  |  |
|                |  | BCG revenue and expenses   |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Transaction in assets and liabilities                                |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Data compilation for high frequency GFS                              |                    |  |  |  |
|                |  | Consistency analysis   |                    |  |  |  |
| Tuesday,       | 9h00   | Mission main findings:   | TWG                |  |  |  |
| July 12        | 101.00   | Presentation of mission main findings and discussion                 | 7146               |  |  |  |
|                | 10h00  | Mission recommendations:   | TWG                |  |  |  |
|                | 441.00   | Action plan for the next 1-2 year(s) / Priority Actions              | 7146               |  |  |  |
|                | 11h00  | Mission closing meeting:   | TWG and MOF senior |  |  |  |
|                |  | • Closing remarks  | staff              |  |  |  |
|                |  | • Information about next steps including review process of           | Juli               |  |  |  |
|                |  | TA report and consequent publication of TA report on the IMF website |                    |  |  |  |
|                | 12h30  | End of Mission   |                    |  |  |  |
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# **Appendix III. Priority Action / Milestone from Previous TA Mission**

#### **IMF GFS TA MISSION**

**PRIORITY ACTION/MILESTONE @ MARCH 2021** 

Outcome: Strengthen the compilation and dissemination of data on macroeconomic and financial statistics for decision making according to the relevant internationally statistical standard, including developing/improving statistical infrastructure, source data, serviceability and/or metadata.

| # | Level of | Action   | Target                | Status @ July 2022  |
|---|----------|--|-----------------------|---|
|   | Priority |  | completion date       |   |
| 1 | Н        | GFS TWG to finalize inclusion of Category A and EBU entities using the new infrastructure (that has been provided by the mission) to arrive and GFS and debt data for BCG and CG for the financial year 2019/20. | End-June 2021         | <b>In progress.</b> Only part of the EBU data is currently available and no compilation of EBU GFS and debt data for any fiscal year has initiated.   |
| 2 | Н        | DMU to liaise with ECB to ensure that the debt instruments for bonds and loans are calculated on a nominal basis (to address a suspected leakage of revaluation into these instruments).                         | End-June 2021         | <b>Concluded.</b> Current Meridian debt system generates nominal, fair and face value for all available debt instruments in the system.   |
| 3 | M        | DMU to confirm with the African Alliance, the details of<br>the contract with JP Morgan in relation to the provision<br>of hedging operations.   | End-June 2021         | <b>In progress</b> . DMU has a clear understanding, however, the contract needs to be reviewed to conclude this investigation.  |
| 4 | Н        | GFS TWG to advise Departments on what an appropriate definition of payables would be, to reduce the incidence of confusion of using the term "arrears".  | End-June 2021         | <b>No progress</b> . MOF staff have some understanding of payables. No clear data exist for expenditure to be paid and it can go up to 6 months to be paid.                                     |
| 5 | Н        | Expand coverage on BCG EBU and CG to include quarterly data on GFS and debt statistics.  | End-September<br>2021 | In progress. Debt system is capable of producing quarterly debt statistics for BCG. No data for EBU exist to consolidate CG debt statistics however, source data for EBU exist for annual debt. |
| 6 | Н        | GFS TWG to compile headline figures on the impact of COVID 19 on the debt and deficit statistics.  | End-September<br>2021 | <b>No progress.</b> No efforts were made to compile headline figures related to COVID 19, but BEAD agreed and committed to work on it in the next year.   |

#### **IMF GFS TA MISSION**

#### **PRIORITY ACTION/MILESTONE @ MARCH 2021**

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| #    | Level of  | Action   | Target          | Status @ July 2022  |
|      | Priority  |  | completion date |   |
| 7    | Н         | GFS TWG to re-start compiling high level monthly         | End-September   | <b>In progress</b> . Revenue data can be available with a |
|      |           | revenue and expenditure for voted BCG.                   | 2021            | month leg. Expenditure is the main challenge due          |
|      |           |  |                 | to inexistent cut off dates at the end of each            |
|      |           |  |                 | month.  |
| 8    | Н         | GFS TWG to have completed necessary GFS training         | End-December    | In progress. Public officials have attended online        |
|      |           | interventions with relevant officials (by Sept 2021) and | 2021            | courses however, they understand it was not               |
|      |           | to have completed the development of the COFOG           |                 | enough to fully understand GFS framework.                 |
|      |           | table for 2019/20 and started work on the data for       |                 | Regarding COFOG, an initial exercise exists with          |
|      |           | 2020/21 (assuming data is available).                    |                 | serious consistency issues, indicating that there         |
|      |           | g  |                 | must be missing data that needs to be added to            |
|      |           |  |                 | ensure expenditure by nature equals to                    |
|      |           |  |                 | expenditure by COFOG.                                     |
| 9    | Н         | GFS TWG to liaise with data providers such as Category   | End March 2022  | In progress. Treasury has collected annual                |
|      |           | A entities to supply data to allow the high-level        |                 | financial statement data in Excel for some of the         |
|      |           | financing estimates to be completed on a monthly         |                 | Category A entities that can be used to estimate          |
|      |           | basis to bring the coverage up to full CG.               |                 | monthly data to ensure full CG coverage.                  |
|      |           | basis to siming the coverage up to run eq.               |                 | monthly data to ensure rail es coverage.                  |
| 10   | М         | MOF to initiate asset register for CG. (Dependent on     | End-March 2024  | In progress. Treasury has a team working to               |
|      |           | new FMS in place).                                       |                 | create an inventory of assets of the Government.          |
| 11   | М         | GFS TWG and CSO to agree on the figure for GFCF and      | End-March 2024  | In progress. Informal engagement between BEAD             |
|      | •••       | Depreciation (on annual and quarterly basis).            |                 | and CSO has taken place. Issues related to the            |
|      |           | Depreciation (on annual and quarterly basis).            |                 | difference between fiscal vs. calendar year was           |
|      |           |  |                 | pointed as creating challenge.                            |
| Conc | udad      |  | <u> </u>        | pointed as creating challenge.                            |
|      |           |  |                 |   |
|      | ogress    |  |                 |   |
| No b | rogress   |  |                 |   |

# **Appendix IV. Public Sector Institutional Table**

As of end of March 2022

| As of end of March 2022 |  |  |   |  |
|-------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| CODE                    | ENTITY   | ТҮРЕ   | NOTES   |  |
|                         | GENERAL GOVERNMENT   |  |   |  |
| CG                      | CENTRAL GOVERNMENT   |  |   |  |
| BCG                     | BUDGETARY CENTRAL GOVERNMENT   |  |   |  |
| 02                      | Parliament   | Sovereign entity   |   |  |
| 03                      | Private and Cabinet Offices  | Sovereign entity   |   |  |
| 10516                   | National Emergency Committee on HIV and AIDS   | Agency   |   |  |
| 04                      | Ministry of Tourism & Environmental Affairs  | Ministry   |   |  |
| 10128                   | Eswatini Tourism Authority   | Regulatory agency  |   |  |
| 10133                   | Eswatini Environmental Authority   | Regulatory agency  |   |  |
| 05                      | Police   | Public service   |   |  |
| 06                      | Deputy Prime Minister's Office   | Office   |   |  |
| 10603                   | Child Welfare Foster Children  | Public service   |   |  |
| 10604                   | Handicapped Children   | Public service   |   |  |
| 10715                   | National Disaster Management Agency  | Agency   |   |  |
| 10931                   | Regional Development Fund  | Fund   |   |  |
| 07                      | Ministry of Foreign Affairs & International Cooperation  | Ministry   |   |  |
| 08                      | Ministry of Defense  | Ministry   |   |  |
| 09                      | Ministry of Tinkundla Administration & Development   | Ministry   |   |  |
| 10                      | Ministry of Natural Resources and Energy   | Ministry   |   |  |
| 10414                   | Eswatini Energy Regulatory Authority   | Regulatory agency  |   |  |
| 15                      | Geological Surveys, Minerals and Mines Departments   | Department   |   |  |
| 20                      | Ministry of Agriculture  | Ministry   |   |  |
| 10006                   | Eswatini Water and Agricultural Development Enterprise   | Agency   |   |  |
| 10708                   | Hhohho Farmer Training Centre  | Public institute   |   |  |
| 23                      | Ministry of Economic Planning & Development  | Ministry   |   |  |
| 24                      | Ministry of Housing & Urban Development  | Ministry   |   |  |
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| COUNT | CODE  | ENTITY   | ТҮРЕ              | NOTES |
|-------|-------|--|-------------------|-------|
| 24    | 26    | Fire and Emergency Services                    | Public Service    |       |
| 25    | 29    | Ministry of Commerce Industry and Trade        | Ministry          |       |
| 26    | 10127 | Eswatini Investment Promotion Authority        | Agency            |       |
| 27    | 10132 | Eswatini Standards Authority                   | Regulatory agency |       |
| 28    | 10412 | Eswatini Competitions Commission               | Commission        |       |
| 29    | 10158 | Hhohho Industrial Skills Centre                | Public service    |       |
| 30    | 30    | Ministry of Education & Training               | Ministry          |       |
| 31    | 10025 | Eswatini Higher Education Council              | Regulatory agency |       |
| 32    | 10026 | Good Shepherd College                          | School            |       |
| 33    | 10129 | Manzini Industrial Training Centre             | Public institute  |       |
| 34    | 10202 | Adult Education-Sebenta                        | Agency            |       |
| 35    | 10211 | University of Eswatini                         | University        |       |
| 36    | 10212 | Uneswa Examination Council                     | Board             |       |
| 37    | 10217 | Nhlangano Agricultural Skills Training Centre  | Public institute  |       |
| 38    | 10218 | Siteki Industrial Training Centre              | Public institute  |       |
| 39    | 10234 | Eswatini Christian University                  | University        |       |
| 40    | 34    | Ministry of Finance                            | Ministry          |       |
| 41    | 10008 | Eswatini Revenue Authority                     | Department        |       |
| 42    | 10015 | Financial Intelligence Unit                    | Public institute  |       |
| 43    | 10018 | Swd Economic Policy Analysis & Research Centre | Public institute  |       |
| 44    | 10105 | Small Enterprise Development                   | Public service    |       |
| 45    | 10150 | Eswatini Public Procurement Regulatory Agency  | Agency            |       |
| 46    |       | Center For Financial Inclusion                 | Agency            |       |
| 47    | 35    | Treasury and Stores                            | Department        |       |
| 48    | 38    | Internal Audit                                 | Department        |       |
| 49    | 40    | Ministry of Labour and Social Security         | Ministry          |       |
| 50    | 10130 | Conciliation Mediation Arbitration Commission  | Commission        |       |
| 51    | 41    | Ministry of Public Service                     | Ministry          |       |

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|-------------|-------|---|-------------------|-------|
| 52 <b>4</b> | 43    | Ministry of Information, Communication & Technology | Ministry          |       |
| 53 1        | 10151 | Royal Science and Technology Park Authority         | Regulatory agency |       |
| 54 <b>4</b> | 44    | Elections & Boundaries Commission                   | Commission        |       |
| 55 <b>4</b> | 45    | Ministry of Health                                  | Ministry          |       |
| 56 1        | 10142 | Eswatini National Nutritional Council               | Agency            |       |
| 57 1        | 10316 | Emkhuzweni Clinic                                   | Clinic            |       |
| 58 1        | 10318 | Eswatini Breast Cancer Clinic                       | Clinic            |       |
| 59 1        | 10501 | Eswatini Nursing Council                            | Clinic            |       |
| 60 1        | 10502 | Nursing Examination Board                           | Board             |       |
| 61 1        | 10605 | Adult Handicapped                                   | Public service    |       |
| 62          |       | Hlathikhulu Government Hospital                     | Hospital          |       |
| 63          |       | Lubombo Referral Hospital                           | Hospital          |       |
| 64          |       | Mankayane Government Hospital                       | Hospital          |       |
| 65          |       | Mbabane Government Hospital                         | Hospital          |       |
| 66          |       | National Psychiatric Hospital                       | Hospital          |       |
| 67          |       | National TB Hospital                                | Hospital          |       |
| 68          |       | Piggs Peak Government Hospital                      | Hospital          |       |
| 69          |       | Eswatini Nazarene Health Institutions               | Hospital          |       |
| 70 4        | 46    | Ministry of Justice and Constitutional Affairs      | Ministry          |       |
| 71 4        | 47    | Anti - Corruption Commission                        | Commission        |       |
| 72 <b>4</b> | 48    | Judiciary   | Sovereign entity  |       |
| 73          |       | Civil Service Commission                            | Commission        |       |
| 74 <b>4</b> | 49    | Correctional Services                               | Public Service    |       |
| 75 <b>5</b> | 50    | Ministry of Home Affairs                            | Ministry          |       |
| 76 <b>5</b> | 51    | Eswatini National Treasury                          | Department        |       |
| 77 5        | 52    | King's Office                                       | Sovereign entity  |       |
| 78 <b>5</b> | 53    | Ministry of Public Works and Transport              | Ministry          |       |
| 79 1        | 10072 | Eswatini Civil Aviation Authority                   | Regulatory agency |       |
| 80 5        | 56    | Ministry of Sports Culture and Youth Affairs        | Ministry          |       |

| COUNT | CODE  | ENTITY  | ТҮРЕ              | NOTES         |
|-------|-------|---|-------------------|---------------|
| 81    | 10137 | Eswatini Youth Enterprise Revolving Fund        | Fund              |               |
| 82    | 10506 | Eswatini National Youth Council                 | Agency            |               |
| 83    | 10507 | Eswatini National Sports and Recreation Council | Agency            |               |
| 84    | 10517 | Eswatini Nacional Council of Arts and Culture   | Council           |               |
| 85    | 10713 | Central Transport Authority                     | Regulatory agency |               |
| 86    | 58    | Office of the Auditor General                   | Office            |               |
|       | EBU   | EXTRABUDGETARY UNITS                            |                   |               |
| 1     | 10106 | Eswatini National Trust Commission              | Commission        | Under Head 6  |
| 2     | 10119 | National Agricultural Marketing Board           | Board             | Under Head 20 |
| 3     | 10126 | Motor Vehicle Accident Fund                     | Fund              | Under Head 53 |
| 4     | 10154 | Eswatini Communications Commission              | Commission        | Under Head 43 |
| 5     | 10209 | School For the Deaf                             | School            | Under Head 30 |
| 6     | 10301 | Raleigh Fitkin Memorial Hospital                | Hospital          | Under Head 45 |
| 7     | 10303 | Siteki Good Shepherd Hospital                   | Hospital          | Under Head 45 |
| 8     | 10304 | Our Lady of Sorrows Hospital                    | Hospital          | Under Head 45 |
| 9     | 10306 | St. Mary's Hospital                             | Hospital          | Under Head 45 |
| 10    | 10305 | St. Philips Hospital                            | Hospital          | Under Head 45 |
| 11    | 10311 | Bethlehem Clinic                                | Clinic            | Under Head 45 |
| 12    | 10314 | Catholic Clinics                                | Clinic            | Under Head 45 |
| 13    | 10317 | St. Teresa's Clinic                             | Clinic            | Under Head 45 |
| 14    | 10124 | Eswatini National Housing Board                 | Board             | Under Head 24 |
| 15    | 10418 | National Maize Corporation                      | Board             | Under Head 20 |
| 16    | 10503 | Medical And Dental Council                      | Regulatory agency | Under Head 45 |
| 17    | 10712 | South African Nazarene University               | University        | Under Head 30 |
| 18    |       | Eswatini Dairy Board                            | Board             | Under Head 20 |
| 19    |       | Eswatini Cotton Board                           | Board             | Under Head 20 |
| 20    |       | Eswatini Television Authority                   | Public service    | Under Head 43 |
| 21    |       | Sebenta National Institute                      | School            | Under Head 30 |

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|-------|-------|---|------------------|-----------------|
|       | LG    | LOCAL GOVERNMENTS                                 |                  |                 |
| 1     | 10030 | Mbabane City Council                              | Town council     |                 |
| 2     | 10031 | Manzini City Council                              | Town council     |                 |
| 3     | 10032 | Nhlangano Town Council                            | Town council     |                 |
| 4     | 10033 | Piggs Peak Town Council                           | Town council     |                 |
| 5     | 10034 | Siteki Town Council                               | Town council     |                 |
| 6     | 10035 | Matsapha Town Council                             | Town council     |                 |
| 7     | 10046 | Ezulwini Municipality                             | Town board       |                 |
| 8     | 10047 | Mankayane Town Board                              | Town board       |                 |
| 9     | 10048 | Hlatikhulu Town Board                             | Town board       |                 |
| 10    | 10049 | Lavumisa Town Board                               | Town board       |                 |
| 11    | 10052 | Ngwenya Town Board                                | Town board       |                 |
| 12    | 10053 | Vuvulane Town Board                               | Town board       |                 |
| 13    | 10065 | Km 111 Local Government Authority                 | Town board       |                 |
| 14    | 10066 | Sidvokodvo Local Government Authority             | Town board       |                 |
| 15    | 10074 | Malkerns Town Board                               | Town board       |                 |
| 16    | 10075 | Buhleni Town Board                                | Town board       |                 |
| 17    | 10206 | Community Schools                                 | Community School |                 |
| 18    | 10208 | Community Nursery Schools                         | Community School |                 |
| 19    | 10210 | Mpaka Vocational Training Centre                  | Public service   |                 |
| 20    | 10308 | Emkhuzweni Rural Health Clinic                    | Clinic           |                 |
| 21    | 10309 | Florence Clinic                                   | Clinic           |                 |
| 22    | 10310 | New Haven Clinic                                  | Clinic           |                 |
| PC    |       | PUBLIC CORPORATIONS                               |                  |                 |
|       | PNFC  | PUBLIC NONFINANCIAL CORPORATIONS                  |                  | STATE OWNERSHIP |
| 1     |       | Pigg's Peak Hotel and Casino                      | SOE              | 100%            |
| 2     |       | Royal Swazi National Airways Corporation          | SOE              | 50%             |
| 3     |       | Eswatini Electricity Company                      | SOE              | 100%            |
| 4     |       | Eswatini Posts and Telecommunications Corporation | SOE              | 100%            |

| COUNT | CODE  | ENTITY   | ТҮРЕ              | NOTES         |
|-------|-------|--|-------------------|---------------|
| 5     |       | Eswatini Railway                                     | SOE               | 100%          |
| 6     |       | Eswatini Water Services Corporation                  | SOE               | 100%          |
| 7     |       | Small Enterprises Development Company                | SOE               | 100%          |
| 8     |       | Eswatini National Industrial Development Corporation | SOE               | 100%          |
| 9     |       | Eswatini National Petroleum Company                  | SOE               | 100%          |
|       | PFC   | PUBLIC FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS                        |                   |               |
| 1     |       | Central Bank of Eswatini                             | SOE               | 100%          |
| 2     |       | First Finance Company                                | SOE               | 80%           |
| 3     |       | Eswatini Development Finance Corporation             | SOE               | 80%           |
| 4     |       | Eswatini Development and Savings Bank                | SOE               | 100%          |
| 5     |       | Eswatini Royal Insurance Corporation                 | SOE               | 48%           |
| 6     |       | Public Service Pension Fund                          | SOE               | 100%          |
| 7     |       | Eswatini National Provident Fund                     | SOE               | 100%          |
| 8     | 10009 | Financial Services Regulatory Authority              | Regulatory agency | Under Head 34 |

Source data: MOF/BEAD and other Government official documents and websites

# **Appendix V. Category A Public Enterprises**

|    | CATEGORY A PUBLIC ENTERPRISES                        |            |
|----|--|------------|
| 1  | Baphalali Eswatini Red Cross Society                 | BERCS      |
| 2  | Conciliation Mediation Arbitration Commission        | CMAC       |
| 3  | Eswatini Christian University                        | ESCU       |
| 4  | Eswatini Civil Aviation Authority                    | ESWACAA    |
| 5  | Eswatini Communications Commission                   | ESCCOM     |
| 6  | Eswatini Competitions Commission                     | ECC        |
| 7  | Eswatini Cotton Board                                | SCB        |
| 8  | Eswatini Dairy Board                                 | SDB        |
| 9  | Eswatini Development and Savings Bank                | Swazi Bank |
| 10 | Eswatini Development Finance Corporation             | FINCORP    |
| 11 | Eswatini Electricity Company                         | SEC        |
| 12 | Eswatini Energy Regulatory Authority                 | ESERA      |
| 13 | Eswatini Environmental Authority                     | EEA        |
| 14 | Eswatini Higher Education Council                    | ESHEC      |
| 15 | Eswatini Investment Promotion Authority              | SIPA       |
| 16 | Eswatini National Council of Arts And Culture        | ENCAC      |
| 17 | Eswatini National Housing Board                      | SNHB       |
| 18 | Eswatini National Industrial Development Corporation | ENIDC      |
| 19 | Eswatini National Petroleum Company                  | ENPC       |
| 20 | Eswatini National Provident Fund                     | ENPF       |
| 21 | Eswatini National Sports and Recreation Council      | ENSRC      |
| 22 | Eswatini National Trust Commission                   | ENTC       |
| 23 | Eswatini National Youth Council                      | ENYC       |
| 24 | Eswatini Nazarene Health Institutions                | ENHI       |
| 25 | Eswatini Posts and Telecommunications Corporation    | EPTC       |
| 26 | Eswatini Public Procurement Regulatory Agency        | ESPPRA     |
| 27 | Eswatini Railway                                     | ER         |
| 28 | Eswatini Revenue Authority                           | SRA        |

|    | CATEGORY A PUBLIC ENTERPRISES                          |          |
|----|--|----------|
| 29 | Eswatini Standards Authority                           | SWASA    |
| 30 | Eswatini Television Authority                          | ETVA     |
| 31 | Eswatini Tourism Authority                             | ETA      |
| 32 | Eswatini Water and Agricultural Development Enterprise | ESWADE   |
| 33 | Eswatini Water Services Corporation                    | EWSC     |
| 34 | Eswatini Youth Enterprise Revolving Fund               | YERF     |
| 35 | Financial Services Regulatory Authority                | FSRA     |
| 36 | Motor Vehicle Accident Fund                            | MVAF     |
| 37 | National Agricultural Marketing Board                  | NAMBoard |
| 38 | National Disaster Management Agency                    | NDMA     |
| 39 | National Emergency Committee on HIV and AIDS           | NERCHA   |
| 40 | National Maize Corporation                             | NMC      |
| 41 | Pigg's Peak Hotel and Casino                           | PPHC     |
| 42 | Public Service Pension Fund                            | PSPF     |
| 43 | Royal Eswatini National Airways Corporation            | RSNA     |
| 44 | Royal Science and Technology Park Authority            | RSTP     |
| 45 | Sebenta National Institute                             | SNI      |
| 46 | Siteki Good Shepherd Hospital                          | GSH      |
| 47 | Small Enterprises Development Company                  | SEDCO    |
| 48 | South African Nazarene University                      | SANU     |
| 49 | University of Eswatini                                 | UNESWA   |

Source data: MOF/Treasury

# KINGDOM OF ESWATINI

# **Appendix VI. Statement of Assets and Liabilities**

| ASSETS                           | Notes – Explanations  | GFS<br>Code | 2018/2019        | 2019/2020        | 2020/2021        |
|----------------------------------|---|-------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                  | General account, embassies 12                               |             |                  |                  |                  |
| Bank Accounts                    | different accounts  | 6212        | 772,182,521.46   | 751,237,514.88   | 881,762,718.66   |
| Cash Accounts                    | Cash at hand  | 6212        | 212,666,941.31   | 224,987,847.45   | 230,607,042.72   |
| Employee Advances                | Employee loans  | 6214        | 370,516,716.77   | 404,235,601.75   | 412,912,054.13   |
| Ministry & Departmental Advances | Employee loans  | 6214        | 102,712,117.52   | 122,649,232.24   | 99,956,409.31    |
| Other Advances                   | unpaid checks   | 6214        | 13,398.75        | 13,398.75        | 13,398.75        |
| Sundry Investments               | vs. Special fund liabilities                                | 6212        | 2,799,271,817.67 | 2,808,587,383.93 | 3,195,986,784.51 |
| Other Investments                | Same as sundry invest                                       | 6212        | 603,263,156.03   | 610,086,263.15   | 657,543,745.31   |
| Investments                      | Same as sundry invest                                       | 6212        | 7,173,895.39     | 8,874,738.27     | 227,341,020.83   |
| Treasury Bills                   | inflows   | 6212        | 221,889,103.41   | 20,741,018.49    | 513,540,706.65   |
| Capital Fund                     | Grants received - over utilized by 3 <sup>rd</sup> parties  | 6218        | 72,245,973.83    | 90,840,034.30    | 23,676,407.87    |
| Sundry Deposits                  | Money collected by Gov on behalf of 3 <sup>rd</sup> parties | 6218        | 611,586,032.63   | 896,599,569.03   | 385,127,021.55   |
| Customs                          | ERS   | 6218        | 50,355.49        | 50,355.52        | 0.00             |
| Special Fund                     | Same as sundry deposits                                     | 6218        | 1,410,774,056.53 | 1,410,815,826.56 | 1,391,585,723.35 |
| Accrued Liabilities              | Reconciliation issue / employee deductions                  | 6218        | 349,951,024.34   | 314,550,868.11   | 411,236,333.18   |
| Reserves                         | same as accrued liabilities                                 | 6218        | 135,383,963.96   | 135,163,370.49   | 83,738,002.94    |
| Treasury Bills                   | Deposits  | 6212        | 132,191,676.98   | 746,000,000.00   | 855,882,182.82   |
| Special Fund Continued           | Same as sundry deposits                                     | 6218        | 417,141.65       | 418,298.39       | 420,367.64       |
| Trading Accounts                 | Deficits of Ministry  | 6212        | 156,463,005.22   | 166,230,757.52   | 222,574,832.67   |
| TOTAL                            | ·   |             | 7,958,752,898.94 | 8,712,082,078.83 | 9,593,904,752.89 |

| LIABILITIES                      | Notes – Explanations               | GFS<br>Code | 2018/2019          | 2019/2020          | 2020/2021          |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Capital Fund                     | Grants that have not been utilized | 6318        | 6,452,582,523.07   | 7,320,090,832.52   | 8,678,484,068.37   |
| Accounts Payable                 |                                    | 6318        | 357,942,166.75     | 2,209,257,219.40   | 1,317,219,784.83   |
| Sundry Deposits                  | vs. Assets sundry deposits         | 6318        | 607,564,002.44     | 643,930,095.01     | 723,020,736.70     |
| Customs                          | Refunds                            | 6318        | 1,490,665.20       | 0.00               | 0.00               |
| Special Fund                     |                                    | 6314        | 2,147,575,742.83   | 2,349,906,189.70   | 2,806,039,020.82   |
| Accrued liabilities and deduct   |                                    | 6318        | 50,353,466.04      | 111,466,422.14     | 53,737,137.36      |
| Reserves                         |                                    | 6312        | 1,443,378,847.47   | 1,345,661,236.70   | 1,220,903,233.15   |
| Treasury Bills                   |                                    | 6312        | 1,667,742,990.35   | 1,640,197,234.16   | 2,083,378,753.23   |
| Government Stock                 | Bonds/reserve/Equity               | 6315        | 1,355,146,439.67   | 1,355,146,439.67   | 1,355,146,439.67   |
| Consolidated Fund                | Revenue minus Expenditure          |             | -11,405,860,096.42 | -13,464,669,283.85 | -13,346,417,454.24 |
| General Reserve Balance Current  | Revenue minus Expenditure          | 6318        | 5,149.80           | 0.00               | 0.00               |
| Trading Accounts-Sundry          |                                    | 6312        | 627,554,838.11     | 721,716,406.80     | 460,986,138.06     |
| Bank Accounts                    | Reconciliation issue               | 6212        | 2,878,679,524.71   | 2,737,963,171.92   | 2,580,318,663.11   |
| Cash Accounts                    | Reconciliation issue               | 6312        | 1,418,044,126.31   | 1,367,069,290.24   | 1,279,939,383.96   |
| Employee Advance                 | Employee loans                     | 6314        | 10,574,786.42      | 11,934,786.75      | 13,779,539.64      |
| Ministry & Departmental Advances | Employee loans                     | 6314        | 190,502.43         | 16,462,941.82      | 5,410,946.71       |
| Other Advance                    | unpaid checks                      | 6314        | 6,750,000.00       | 6,750,000.00       | 27,603,269.62      |
| Sundry Investment                |                                    | 6312        | 331,200,375.18     | 331,200,375.18     | 333,415,823.60     |
| Other Investment                 |                                    | 6312        | 7,836,848.58       | 7,998,720.67       | 939,268.30         |
| TOTAL                            |                                    |             | 7,958,752,898.94   | 8,712,082,078.83   | 9,593,904,752.89   |

Source data: MOF/Treasury