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THE PARIS CLUB RELEASES COMPREHENSIVE DATA **ON ITS CLAIMS AS OF 31 DECEMBER 2016**

Since 2008, the Paris Club has published on an annual basis the amount of its claims on foreign countries.

These claims are held either by the Paris Club member states directly, or through their appropriate institutions (especially export credit or official development aid agencies) on behalf of the member states.

The table contains comprehensive data that cover the full range of claims held on sovereign countries and public entities by Paris Club members, who took part in this global data call. It therefore encompasses very different categories of debtors, roughly half of which have always fully serviced their debt owed to Paris Club full and ad hoc members. Ninety of the debtor countries listed in the table have negotiated an agreement with the Paris Club at some time in the past. Most of the countries listed below are very unlikely to apply for debt relief in the future given their current macroeconomic prospects.

The table published on the Paris Club website shows the total amount of claims as of 31 December 2016 held by Paris Club members on each debtor country, with a split between Official Development Assistance (ODA) claims and non-Official Development Assistance (NODA) claims. The stock of claims is aggregated at each debtor country level.

The total of Paris Club claims, excluding late interest, amounts to USD 301 billion of which USD 151 billion represents ODA claims and USD 150 billion represents NODA claims.

Some amounts on which Paris Club creditors decided to provide debt relief may still appear in this table for technical reasons, especially delays in the signing of bilateral agreements implementing Paris Club agreements.

Paris Club's claims as of 31 December 2016, excluding late interest (in USD million)

ODA: Official Development Assistance

NODA: Non-Official

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Afghanistan	1	1 250	1 251
Albania	495	23	517
Algeria	520	2	522
Angola	451	853	1 304
Antigua and Barbuda	3	118	121
Argentina	661	5 288	5 949
Armenia	452	16	467
Azerbaijan	758	34	791
Bangladesh	3 121	431	3 552
Barbados	2	-	2
Belarus	26	6 359	6 385
Belize	-	-	-
Benin	5	14	19
Bolivia	105	2	106
Bosnia and Herzegovina	250	374	624
Botswana	19	-	19
Bulgaria	186	74	260
Burkina Faso	140	0	140
Burundi	-	-	-
Cambodia	915	1 399	2 314
Cameroon	537	24	562
Cape Verde	111	47	158
Central African Republic	-	2	2
Chad	-	3	3
Chile	90	-	90
China	14 710	1 030	15 740
Colombia	1 700	695	2 395
Comoros	-	3	3
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	22	53	75
Congo, Republic of the	23	307	330
Costa Rica	238	-	238
Côte d'Ivoire	358	75	433
Croatia	23	-	23
Cuba	184	5 627	5 811
Cyprus	0	2 630	2 630
Czech Republic	-	17	17
Djibouti	88	19	108
Dominica	28	10	38
Dominican Republic	716	38	755
Ecuador	479	214	693
Egypt	7 418	291	7 709
El Salvador	325	-	325
Equatorial Guinea	-	18	18
Eritrea	83	-	83
Ethiopia	334	230	564

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Fiji	7	-	7
Gabon	225	327	552
Gambia	1	7	8
Georgia	407	80	487
Ghana	771	417	1 189
Greece	-	53 737	53 737
Grenada	4	5	9
Guatemala	186	-	186
Guinea	37	197	235
Guinea-Bissau	10	64	74
Guyana	4	-	4
Haiti	-	-	-
Honduras	187	35	222
Hungary	-	132	132
Iceland	-	-	-
India	18 090	3 174	21 263
Indonesia	17 153	4 920	22 073
Iran	59	258	317
Iraq	2 406	7 080	9 487
Jamaica	87	3	90
Jordan	2 174	79	2 252
Kazakhstan	546	1	547
Kenya	2 056	249	2 305
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	-	2 234	2 234
Kyrgyzstan	335	284	619
Laos	314	338	652
Latvia	2	-	2
Lebanon	319	32	351
Lesotho	6	-	6
Liberia	-	-	-
Libya	-	4 546	4 546
Macedonia, the former Yugoslav Republic of	100	-	100
Madagascar	62	80	142
Malawi	2	6	7
Malaysia	2 002	15	2 017
Maldives	41	-	41
Mali	139	0	139
Malta	0	-	0
Mauritania	119	130	249
Mauritius	287	-	287
Mexico	1 256	2 611	3 867
Moldova	91	70	161
Mongolia	825	266	1 091
Montenegro	22	89	111
Morocco	4 479	270	4 749
Mozambique	517	125	642
Myanmar	2 171	1 172	3 343
Namibia	149	-	149
Nepal	188	-	188
Nicaragua	207	102	309

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Niger	89	0	89
Nigeria	290	-	290
Oman	-	339	339
Pakistan	8 532	2 408	10 940
Panama	189	355	544
Papua New Guinea	126	-	126
Paraguay	206	26	233
Peru	1 191	29	1 220
Philippines	7 512	1 093	8 605
Poland	9	1 478	1 487
Portugal	-	-	-
Romania	497	90	587
Rwanda	1	52	53
Sao Tome and Principe	1	19	20
Saudi Arabia	-	2 925	2 925
Senegal	673	88	761
Serbia	287	1 804	2 092
Seychelles	30	18	48
Sierra Leone	10	-	10
Slovakia	40	-	40
Slovenia	-	-	-
Somalia	426	1 030	1 456
South Africa	766	173	939
Sri Lanka	4 291	191	4 482
St Kitts and Nevis	2	-	2
St Lucia	5	-	5
St Vincent and the Grenadines	5	-	5
Sudan	861	2 745	3 606
Suriname	40	-	40
Swaziland	45	-	45
Syria	929	231	1 159
Tajikistan	47	296	342
Tanzania	719	343	1 062
Thailand	3 742	-	3 742
Togo	9	-	9
Tonga	2	-	2
Trinidad and Tobago	-	80	80
Tunisia	2 608	856	3 464
Turkey	3 714	3 497	7 212
Turkmenistan	21	1 971	1 991
Uganda	176	4	180
Ukraine	866	4 084	4 950
United Arab Emirates	-	1 210	1 210
Uruguay	54	648	703
Uzbekistan	1 052	117	1 169
Vanuatu	39	-	39
Venezuela	68	2 939	3 006
Vietnam	15 370	1 837	17 207

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Yemen	419	1 133	1 552
Zambia	116	113	230
Zimbabwe	1 021	711	1 732
Other countries	214	4 612	4 826
TOTAL GENERAL	150 936	150 249	301 184

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Although every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information presented above, this table does not constitute a document of record.

In particular, some of the claims have not been reconciled with debtor countries. In addition, the amounts indicated do not include late interest due to Paris Club creditors by debtor countries in partial or full default of payment. The non-publication of the amounts of late interest does not bring into question the existence and validity of these late interest amounts and the fact that they have to be paid. The table also does not include certain older, pre-1945 sovereign debts.

A significant part of the claims held by Paris Club members are denominated in currencies other than the US dollar. The amounts in the table are therefore subject to fluctuations of exchange rates.

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