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THE PARIS CLUB RELEASES COMPREHENSIVE DATA **ON ITS CLAIMS AS OF 31 DECEMBER 2019**

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 published on the Paris Club website shows the total amount of claims as of 31 December 2019 held by Paris Club members on each borrower 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 borrower country level.

The total of Paris Club claims, excluding late interest, amounts to USD 317 billion of which USD 179 billion represents ODA claims and USD 138 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.

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 borrowers, roughly half of which have always fully serviced their debt owed to Paris Club full and ad hoc members. Ninety of the borrower 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.

Paris Club's claims as of 31 December 2019, excluding late interest (In USD million)

ODA: Official Development Assistance

NODA: Non-Official

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Afghanistan	24	1 378	1 401
Albania	610	10	620
Algeria	285	1	286
Angola	475	1 187	1 662
Antigua and Barbuda	4	123	127
Argentina	336	1 863	2 198
Armenia	649	161	810
Azerbaijan	1 001	266	1 267
Bangladesh	6 977	2 503	9 479
Barbados	-	-	-
Belarus	15	7 675	7 691
Belize	-	-	-
Benin	27	14	40
Bolivia	591	2	593
Bosnia and Herzegovina	357	333	690
Botswana	28	-	28
Bulgaria	154	-	154
Burkina Faso	240	0	240
Burundi	-	-	-
Cambodia	1 521	1 396	2 917
Cameroon	1 281	18	1 298
Cape Verde	168	61	229
Central African Republic	-	1	1
Chad	112	1	113
Chile	184	-	184
China	14 703	673	15 377
Colombia	2 823	236	3 060
Comoros	-	3	3
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	50	28	78
Congo, Republic of the	103	314	417
Costa Rica	316	-	316
Côte d'Ivoire	338	25	363
Croatia	73	-	73
Cuba	189	5 022	5 211
Cyprus	-	-	-

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Czech Republic	-	18	18
Djibouti	83	9	92
Dominica	19	7	26
Dominican Republic	693	11	704
Ecuador	806	260	1 067
Egypt	7 699	761	8 460
El Salvador	295	1	296
Equatorial Guinea	-	86	86
Eritrea	88	-	88
Eswatini	40	-	40
Ethiopia	538	222	760
Fiji	4	-	4
Gabon	433	154	587
Gambia	1	1	2
Georgia	845	51	897
Ghana	897	316	1 213
Greece	-	57 732	57 732
Grenada	3	3	6
Guatemala	200	-	200
Guinea	38	199	237
Guinea-Bissau	10	64	74
Guyana	3	-	3
Haiti	-	-	-
Honduras	248	2	249
Hungary	-	300	300
Iceland	-	-	-
India	24 757	2 824	27 581
Indonesia	17 087	1 719	18 806
Iran	22	126	148
Iraq	4 018	7 763	11 781
Jamaica	36	3	39
Jordan	2 927	63	2 990
Kazakhstan	439	24	463
Kenya	2 606	189	2 795
Korea, Democratic People's Republic of	75	2 124	2 199
Kyrgyzstan	338	23	361
Laos	491	304	795
Latvia	1	-	1
Lebanon	254	-	254
Lesotho	4	-	4
Liberia	-	-	-
Libya	-	4 546	4 546
Macedonia, the former Yugoslav Republic of	85	-	85
Madagascar	149	53	202
Malawi	1	6	7
Malaysia	1 838	-	1 838
Maldives	36	-	36
Mali	248	-	248

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Malta	0	-	0
Mauritania	118	94	212
Mauritius	237	-	237
Mexico	1 653	24	1 677
Moldova	83	49	132
Mongolia	1 416	7	1 423
Montenegro	62	95	157
Morocco	5 016	229	5 246
Mozambique	812	215	1 027
Myanmar	3 370	1 244	4 615
Namibia	103	-	103
Nepal	350	-	350
Nicaragua	353	88	441
Niger	137	-	137
Nigeria	637	7	645
Oman	-	107	107
Pakistan	8 295	1 984	10 279
Panama	155	3	158
Papua New Guinea	173	300	473
Paraguay	219	28	247
Peru	1 206	0	1 207
Philippines	7 994	92	8 086
Poland	3	1 478	1 481
Portugal	-	-	-
Romania	438	-	438
Rwanda	89	52	141
Saint Kitts and Nevis	2	-	2
Saint Lucia	2	-	2
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	2	-	2
Sao Tome and Principe	1	16	17
Saudi Arabia	-	1 192	1 192
Senegal	1 216	141	1 358
Serbia	390	1 644	2 035
Seychelles	39	19	58
Sierra Leone	42	-	42
Slovakia	26	-	26
Slovenia	-	-	-
Somalia	468	1 185	1 653
South Africa	665	122	787
Sri Lanka	4 406	192	4 599
Sudan	972	3 021	3 994
Suriname	35	-	35
Syria	989	250	1 239
Tajikistan	45	292	337
Tanzania	975	209	1 184
Thailand	2 917	-	2 917
Togo	11	-	11
Tonga	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	25	25
Tunisia	3 225	11	3 235
Turkey	3 955	503	4 457
Turkmenistan	16	2 810	2 826
Uganda	391	95	486

DEBTOR COUNTRIES	ODA claims	NODA claims	TOTAL
Ukraine	995	3 872	4 867
United Arab Emirates	-	57	57
Uruguay	40	4	44
Uzbekistan	2 142	730	2 871
Vanuatu	76	-	76
Venezuela	66	7 272	7 338
Vietnam	17 935	2 114	20 049
Yemen	465	1 174	1 638
Zambia	122	-	122
Zimbabwe	1 096	784	1 880
Other countries	254	1 269	1 524
TOTAL GENERAL	178 889	138 361	317 250

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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 borrower countries. In addition, the amounts indicated do not include late interest due to Paris Club creditors by borrower 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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