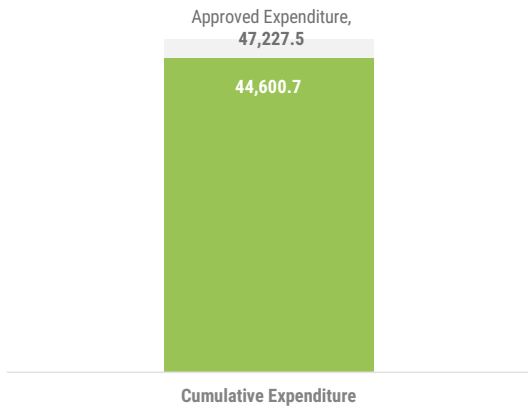


Weekly Fiscal Developments

Week 51
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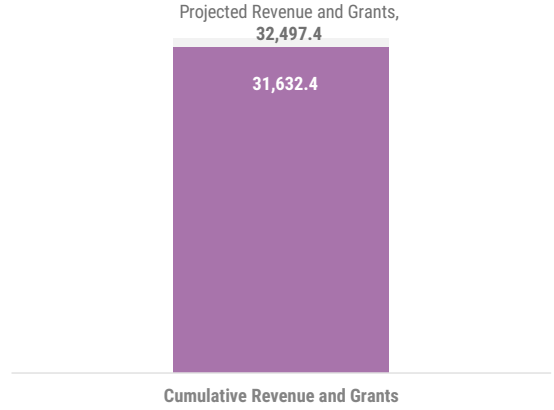
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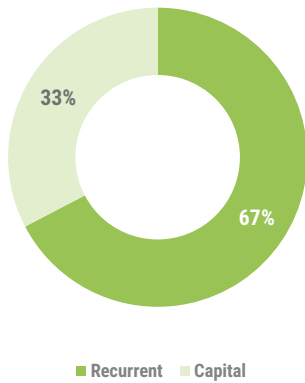


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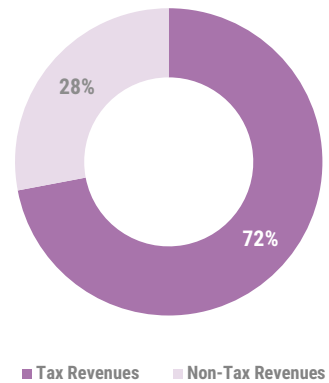
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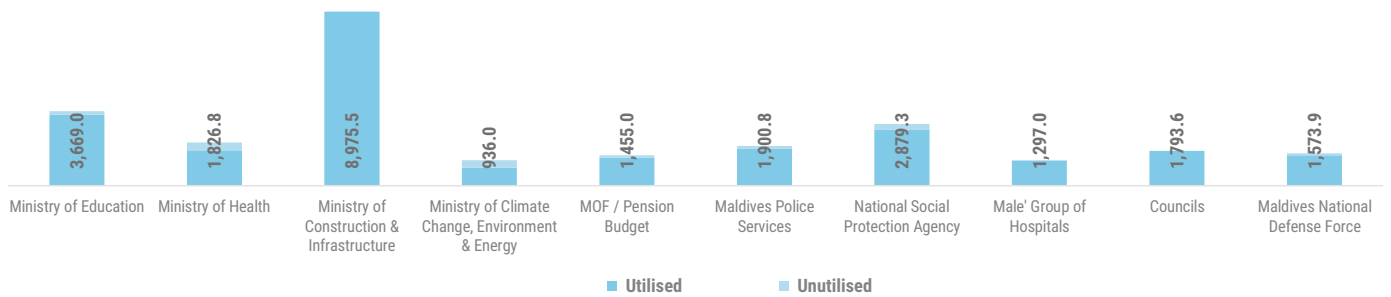


REVENUE COMPOSITION



BUDGET UTILISATION BY OFFICE

in millions MVR



The cumulative revenue and grants for the period, 01 January to 21 December 2023 is MVR 31,632.4 million. Most significant increment in Revenues this week was from Import Duties.
 The cumulative expenditure for the period is MVR 44,600.7 million. The major increment to the Expenditure this week were from Administrative and Operational Expenses.
 The overall balance for the period is a deficit of MVR 12,968.3 million.

Notes:
 Approved budget is now updated with the Supplementary Budget for 2023 as approved by the Parliament on 20th November 2023
 The expenditure figures in the Weekly Fiscal Developments shows transactions that have been posted, indicating that they have been recorded but not necessarily settled in cash.

TABLE 1: SUMMARY OF GOVERNMENT FINANCES ^{1/}

<i>in millions of MVR unless stated otherwise</i>		Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
A	TOTAL REVENUES AND GRANTS	32,497.4	27,242.7	31,632.4
	Tax Revenues	23,539.9	18,598.4	22,781.7
	Non-Tax Revenues	6,683.9	7,767.3	8,097.1
	Capital Receipts	18.5	15.9	305.4
	Grants	2,529.7	1,027.6	479.6
	less: Subsidiary Loan Repayment	(274.6)	(166.4)	(31.4)
	TOTAL BUDGET	49,350.1	41,127.6	46,727.5
B	TOTAL EXPENDITURE (C+D)	47,227.6	38,407.1	44,600.7
C	RECURRENT EXPENDITURE	31,757.2	26,708.1	30,028.5
	Salaries, Wages and Pensions	12,886.1	10,209.6	10,938.4
	Administrative and Operational Expenses	18,769.9	16,453.7	18,533.8
	Losses and Write-offs	101.2	44.8	556.3
D	CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	15,470.4	11,699.0	14,572.2
	Capital Equipments	615.2	486.1	560.9
	Land and Buildings	3,772.1	2,241.7	4,215.6
	Infrastructure Assets	6,566.1	6,306.5	7,341.1
	Development Projects and Investments Outlays	1,423.1	1,933.7	1,323.9
	Lendings	1,161.9	731.0	1,130.6
	Budget Contingency	1,932.0	-	-
E	PRIMARY BALANCE - SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) (F+G)	(11,293.3)	(7,711.9)	(9,088.1)
F	OVERALL BALANCE - SURPLUS / (DEFICIT) (A-B)	(14,730.2)	(11,164.4)	(12,968.3)
G	Financing and Interest Costs	3,436.8	3,452.4	3,880.2
Memorandum Items:				
	Loan Repayment	2,101.1	2,693.1	2,097.9
	Subscription to Multilateral Agencies	21.4	27.4	28.9
	Transfers to Sovereign Development Fund	870.6	808.3	954.2
	Public Sector Investment Program	10,338.2	8,304.0	11,137.9
	Councils Block Grant Disbursements	1,843.7	1,648.2	1,934.3

1/ Revenue and expenditure data are likely to vary as reconciliation work is ongoing.

2/ Details on Sovereign Development Fund will hereafter be published as a separate report on a monthly basis

TABLE 2: REVENUE DETAILS^{1/}

in millions of MVR unless stated otherwise

	Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
TOTAL REVENUE AND GRANTS	32,497.4	27,242.7	31,632.4
Tax Revenues	23,539.9	18,598.4	22,781.7
Import Duties	3,789.7	3,421.2	3,354.0
Export Duties		-	0.0
Business and Property Tax	4,416.0	4,291.4	5,187.4
Corporate Income Tax	2,115.0	2,133.2	2,793.9
Withholding Tax	1,061.3	938.9	1,064.4
Individual Income Tax	333.1	314.3	358.0
Other Business and Property Taxes	906.6	904.9	971.0
Goods and Services Tax	13,299.0	9,039.9	12,215.2
General Goods and Services Tax	4,203.0	2,978.6	4,194.0
Tourism Goods and Services Tax	9,096.0	6,061.3	8,021.3
Royalties	124.0	135.3	161.0
Green Tax	1,040.6	920.1	936.5
Airport Service Charges / Departure Tax	870.6	790.5	927.7
Non-Tax Revenues	6,683.9	7,767.3	8,097.1
Fees and Charges	1,831.9	3,002.2	2,432.5
Airport Development Fee	870.6	808.3	954.2
Residential Permit	-	11.8	11.1
Other Fees and Charges	961.3	2,182.1	1,467.3
Registration and Licence Fees	778.4	770.8	827.9
Property Income	1,852.7	1,983.5	1,734.6
Rent from Resorts	1,738.5	1,667.7	1,525.7
Land Acquisition and Conversion Fee	-	158.9	54.0
Other Rent and Property Income	114.2	156.9	154.9
Fines and Penalties	82.7	247.2	157.4
Interest, Profit and Dividends	1,359.4	1,328.3	1,316.4
SOE Dividends	1,112.4	736.5	710.0
Interest and Profits	255.8	591.8	606.4
Other Non-Tax Revenues	778.8	435.2	1,628.2
Capital Receipts	18.5	15.9	305.4
Grants	2,529.7	1,027.6	479.6
Less: Subsidiary Loan Repayment	(274.6)	(166.4)	(31.4)

1/ Revenue figures are likely to vary as reconciliation and recordings of revenue transactions in the cashbook is ongoing.

2/ Figures for Interests and Profits is subject to change as reconciliation work is ongoing.

TABLE 3: EXPENDITURE DETAILS^{1/}

<i>in millions of MVR unless stated otherwise</i>	Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
TOTAL BUDGET	49,350.1	41,127.6	46,727.5
TOTAL RECURRENT AND CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	47,227.6	38,407.1	44,600.7
RECURRENT EXPENDITURE	31,757.2	26,708.1	30,028.5
Salaries, Wages and Pensions	12,886.1	10,209.6	10,938.4
Salaries and Wages	5,942.1	4,515.9	4,865.6
Allowances to Employees	5,085.4	4,084.4	4,354.3
Pensions, Retirement Benefits and Gratuities	1,858.6	1,609.3	1,718.5
Pensions	1,255.0	1,120.0	1,182.6
Retirement Benefits and Gratuities	603.6	489.3	535.9
Administrative and Operational Expenses	18,769.9	16,453.7	18,533.8
Travel Expenses	210.2	234.5	238.2
Administrative Supplies	788.0	625.6	767.5
Administrative Services	2,589.9	2,126.3	2,345.8
Operational Consumables	1,137.5	1,112.1	1,199.6
Training Expenses	391.0	339.6	456.8
Repairs and Maintenance	487.6	259.6	331.1
Financing and Interest Costs	3,436.8	3,452.4	3,880.2
Grants, Contributions and Subsidies	9,728.8	8,303.7	9,314.6
Aasandha	2,306.1	1,768.8	2,103.9
Subsidies	4,325.0	3,664.0	3,864.3
Council Grants ^{2/}	1,824.3	1,648.2	1,934.3
Other Grants and Contributions	1,273.4	1,222.7	1,412.1
Losses and Write-offs	101.2	44.8	556.3
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	15,470.4	11,699.0	14,572.2
Capital Equipments	615.2	486.1	560.9
Furniture, Machinery and Equipment	528.0	377.3	499.0
Vehicles	84.4	108.8	59.1
Minor extensions	2.8	0.0	2.9
Infrastructure Assets	10,338.2	8,548.2	11,556.7
Land and Buildings	3,772.1	2,241.7	4,215.6
Roads, Bridges and Airports	2,972.2	3,083.8	3,738.6
Wharves, Ports and Harbours	703.1	914.0	1,041.1
Other Infrastructure Assets	2,890.77	2,308.7	2,561.4
Development Projects and Investments Outlays	1,423.1	1,933.7	1,323.9
Development Projects	47.3	90.0	13.1
Investment Outlays	1,375.8	1,843.7	1,310.8
Lendings	1,161.9	731.0	1,130.6
Domestic Lendings	1,161.9	731.0	1,130.6
Foreign Lendings	-	-	-
Budget Contingency	1,932.0	-	-
Memorandum Items:			
Loan Repayment	2,101.1	2,693.1	2,097.9
Subscription to Multilateral Agencies	21.4	27.4	28.9
Transfers to Sovereign Development Fund	870.6	808.3	954.2
Public Sector Investment Program	10,338.2	8,304.0	11,137.9

1/ Expenditure figures are likely to vary as reconciliation work is ongoing.

2/ Council Grants figure may differ from the Councils figure in Table 5 (AGA table) as those values incorporate Capital Expenses as well.

TABLE 4: PUBLIC SECTOR INVESTMENT EXPENDITURE BY FUNCTION

<i>in millions of MVR</i>	Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
Total PSIP	10,338.2	8,304.0	11,137.9
1. National Security & Public Order	345.5	61.8	151.7
Police	218.1	13.3	82.5
National Security	0.9	4.8	-
Penitentiary	74.9	23.5	18.5
Court Building	46.4	13.1	37.3
Rehabilitation	3.6	0.9	3.6
Customs	1.6	6.2	9.8
2. Development of Health Services	750.4	151.9	351.6
Health Sector	750.4	151.9	351.6
3. Education Sector	364.3	382.9	519.2
University	25.5	31.4	25.9
School	338.8	351.5	493.4
4. Environmental Protection	1,354.3	676.4	850.2
Waste Management	631.0	218.2	247.7
Coastal Protection	411.9	353.8	216.8
Water Drainage System	13.3	12.6	25.3
Renewable Energy	296.5	91.8	360.5
Environment	1.7	-	-
5. Water and Sewerage	937.4	1,491.0	1,321.5
Sewerage System	327.6	66.5	77.4
Water/Sewerage	533.2	1,191.1	1,073.0
Water System	76.6	233.4	171.2
6. Transport	3,067.8	3,150.6	3,207.5
Harbour	395.0	872.5	1,034.5
Bridge	965.5	1,744.5	747.4
Airport	1395.9	524.7	1,422.3
Transport	3.2	0.9	2.4
Port	308.1	8.0	0.9

<i>in millions of MVR</i>	Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
7. General Administration	67.7	87.3	111.9
Office Construction	39.8	76.0	74.8
Development of Councils	27.9	11.3	37.2
8. Housing & Infrastructure	735.6	674.6	914.3
Housing	735.6	674.6	914.3
9. Social & Religious Services	348.9	281.0	394.9
Mosque	72.2	40.9	82.4
Social sector	54.5	60.2	80.3
Sports	214.0	178.7	232.0
Culture	8.2	1.3	0.2
10. Land Reclamation & Road Construction	2,064.5	1,261.8	3,156.8
Road	610.8	815.7	1,270.0
Land Reclamation	1,453.8	446.1	1,886.8
11. Fisheries & Agriculture	163.3	57.3	142.9
Agriculture/ Fishing	163.3	57.3	142.9
12. Others	138.4	27.4	15.4
Trade and Industries	12.5	11.5	-
Others	125.8	15.9	15.4

TABLE 5: BUDGET UTILIZATION OF ACCOUNTABLE GOVERNMENT AGENCIES^{1/}

<i>in millions of MVR unless stated otherwise</i>	Approved	as at 21 December 2022	as at 21 December 2023
1 Presidents Office	206.8	174.0	191.4
2 People's Majlis	209.3	149.2	182.8
3 Judicial Service Commission	17.8	13.8	15.2
4 Department of Judicial Administration	587.7	457.4	493.9
5 Elections Commission	120.7	57.6	149.4
6 Civil Service Commission	32.1	27.8	33.9
7 Human Rights Commission	31.0	26.1	28.5
8 Anti-Corruption Commission	50.7	37.7	46.2
9 Auditor Generals Office	93.4	68.5	59.0
10 Prosecutor Generals Office	69.5	62.6	65.3
11 Maldives Inland revenue Authority	116.4	90.0	96.3
12 Employment Tribunal	12.0	10.3	10.8
13 Maldives Media Council	5.2	4.7	4.4
14 Maldives Broadcasting Commission	10.1	9.5	8.5
15 Tax Appeal Tribunal	10.7	10.1	9.9
16 Local Government Authority	72.3	43.9	74.2
17 Information Commissioners Office	4.8	4.1	4.2
18 National Integrity Commission	13.9	12.2	12.6
20 Ministry of Finance	850.2	566.8	937.1
21 Ministry of Defense	21.2	28.4	29.5
22 Ministry of Homeland Security & Technology	139.7	85.0	99.1
23 Ministry of Education	3,840.7	3,264.8	3,669.0
24 Maldives Islamic University	52.7	55.7	67.7
25 Maldives National University	188.8	166.9	197.1
26 Ministry of Foreign Affairs	367.7	268.1	161.9
27 Ministry of Health	2,229.0	1,523.1	1,826.8
28 Ministry of Economic Development & Trade	289.4	178.3	317.8
29 Ministry of Tourism	35.5	53.1	28.4
30 Ministry of Sports, Fitness & Recreation	416.7	387.5	541.9
31 Ministry of Construction & Infrastructure	7,004.5	7,102.8	8,975.5
32 Ministry of Fisheries & Ocean Resources	228.7	144.6	139.6
33 Ministry of Islamic Affairs	375.0	299.2	351.6
34 Ministry of Climate Change, Environment & Energy	1,321.1	585.8	936.0
35 Attorney Generals Office	37.2	39.9	28.2
36 Ministry of Social & Family Development	238.6	185.1	202.0
37 MOF / Special Budget	14,582.2	12,487.8	12,213.7
38 MOF / Pension Budget	1,566.8	1,371.9	1,455.0
39 Maldives Police Services	2,052.2	1,613.1	1,900.8
40 Maldives Customs Service	256.2	219.9	232.7
41 National Social Protection Agency	3,181.4	2,433.2	2,879.3
42 Male' Group of Hospitals	1,232.8	1,231.6	1,297.0
43 Councils	1,793.5	1,635.2	1,793.6
44 Family Protection Authority	12.1	7.7	9.9
45 Maldives National Defense Force	1,670.1	1,430.1	1,573.9
46 Maldives Correctional Services	400.6	297.4	363.4
47 Maldives Immigration	164.8	100.6	192.5
48 Ministry of Higher Education, Labour and Skills Development	1,125.4	630.4	1,079.0
50 Ministry of Transport & Civil Aviation	43.9	38.2	87.7
52 Ministry of Dhivehi Language, Culture & Heritage	81.2	54.6	68.2
53 National Disaster Management Authority	11.8	38.6	21.5
55 Aviation Security Command	155.1	128.8	135.4
56 Maldives International Arbitration Centre	5.9	3.7	3.2
57 Children's Ombudsperson's Office	9.1	8.1	8.9
58 Kulhudhuffushi Regional Hospital	320.3	213.9	241.6
59 Addu Equatorial Hospital	277.6	229.7	244.4
60 Ombudsperson' Office for Transitional Justice	8.7	13.3	13.5
61 Gan Regional Hospital	212.4	143.1	158.5
62 Hulhumale Hospital	411.9	259.0	353.7
63 Ungoofaaruu Regional Hospital	215.5	147.6	184.7
64 Abdul Samad Memorial Hospital	211.1	123.2	177.6
65 Ministry of Housing, Land & Urban Development	46.2	72.6	42.2
TOTAL	49,350.1	41,127.6	46,727.5

1/ Expenditure figures are likely to vary as reconciliation work is ongoing.

2/ List of AGAs and their corresponding budget amounts have been amended as of this publication.

3/ The Ministry of Communications, Science and Technology was moved under the mandate of the Ministry of Environment, Climate Change and Technology. Figures indicate expenses realised at the former AGA as of the reporting date.

Government Securities Outstanding as of 18 December 2023

in MVR millions

Tenure	< 1 month	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	1-2 years	3-5 years	5-7 years	7-10 years	10 + years	TOTAL
Total Securities Outstanding	-	7,981	1,688	5,219	25,863	600	11,337	2,199	6,574	17,046	78,507
Domestic Instruments	-	7,981	1,688	5,219	25,863	600	2,097	2,199	6,574	17,046	69,267
MVR Treasury Bills	-	4,074	1,221	4,934	22,704	-	-	-	-	-	32,933
Central Bank	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	60
Commercial Banks	-	2,319	1,052	2,381	10,795	-	-	-	-	-	16,547
Other Financial Corporations	-	1,620	60	2,238	11,848	-	-	-	-	-	15,766
Private sector	-	-	16	100	1	-	-	-	-	-	116
Public Non-financial Corporations	-	135	93	215	-	-	-	-	-	-	443
RDC / USD Treasury Bills	-	2,843	311	44	2,530	-	-	-	-	-	5,728
Central Bank	-	-	-	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	35
Commercial Banks	-	570	277	23	2,487	-	-	-	-	-	3,357
Other Financial Corporations	-	2,173	34	20	8	-	-	-	-	-	2,235
Private sector	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Public Non-financial Corporations	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Islamic Instruments (MVR)	-	818	156	241	629	-	-	-	-	-	1,844
Commercial banks	-	800	120	150	430	-	-	-	-	-	1,500
Other Financial Corporations	-	18	16	11	199	-	-	-	-	-	244
Public non-financial Corp.	-	-	20	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Islamic Instruments (USD)	-	246	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246
Commercial banks	-	246	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246
Other Financial Corporations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MVR Treasury Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	600	1,250	659	2,724	17,046	22,279
Other Financial Corporations	-	-	-	-	-	-	500	459	2,724	4,527	8,210
Commercial banks	-	-	-	-	-	600	750	200	-	-	1,550
Central Bank	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,519	12,519
USD Treasury Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	847	1,540	3,850	-	6,237
Commercial banks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,540	3,850	-	5,390
Public Non-Financial Corp.	-	-	-	-	-	-	847	-	-	-	847
External Instruments	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,240	-	-	-	9,240
Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,540	-	-	-	1,540
Sukuk	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,700	-	-	-	7,700

Notes:

1. This table has been updated on 26 December 2023.

2. Foreign Currency denominated instruments are converted to MVR using MMA reference rate for USD/MVR as of 18 December 2023

3. This table will be updated bi-weekly.

Total Revenue and Grants	Sum of all taxes, non-tax revenue, capital receipts, grant inflows, and other realised gains, less subsidiary loan repayment
Total Expenditure	Sum of recurrent and capital expenditure (excluding loan repayments and payments to multilateral institutions)
Recurrent Expenditure	Expenditure incurred for salaries and wages and other operational expenses
Capital Expenditure	Expenditure incurred for capital equipments, PSIP, development projects and loan outlays
Public Sector Investment Program	Expenditure on government Infrastructure projects. This is excluding recurrent project costs
Primary Balance	Overall fiscal balance excluding financing and interest costs
Overall Balance	Total revenue and grants less total expenditure
Issuance	Total government securities issued during the period
Net issuance	Sum of total government securities issued less total government securities redeemed
Total Outstanding	Total government securities outstanding as debt
SDF Investable Balance	Balance after deducting loans from inflows
Treasury Bills	A Treasury Bill (T-Bill) is a short-term source of government security, yielding no interest but issued at a discount on its redemption price. T-bills are issued in accordance with the Prospectus for Treasury Bills Tap and the Prospectus for Treasury Bills Auction. At present, they are offered for 28-day, 91-day, 182-day and 364-day tenures and are sold at a discount. Currently T-Bills are issued in Maldivian Rufiyaa (MVR Treasury Bills) and United States Dollars (RDC/USD Treasury Bills).
Treasury Bonds	A treasury Bond (T-Bond) is a medium to long term source of government security. Currently these securities pay a coupon periodically over its life.
Mudharaba	It is an Islamic contract in which one party supplies the money and the other provides management expertise to undertake a specific trade.
Murabaha	It is a sales contract where the bank buys a product on behalf of a client and resells the product to the same client by clearly mentioning the cost incurred in buying the product and the margin or the mark-up when reselling the product to the client.
Wakalah bi al-Isthithmar	An investment agency contract in which the capital provider (muwakkil) mandates his agent (wakil) to perform particular mua'malah transaction or investment and in return the agent will receive a fee (ujr) for the service.
Sukuk Murabaha	Murabahah Sukuk is an Islamic trust contract which includes a disclosure of the original cost and the mark up. Murabahah in Islamic jurisprudence means a contract of sale for the equivalent price of the subject matter which includes its cost along with a known additional