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According to preliminary data, in Quarter I, 2021, the current account of the balance of payments recorded a deficit of US$ 341,72 million, which is -12,8% as a ratio to GDP (-8,2 % in Quarter I, 2020). The capital account registered a negative balance amounting to US$ 16,20 million, and the financial account recorded a net capital inflow of US$ 346,54 million.

Balance of payments of the Republic of Moldova (BPM6), main aggregates (US$ million)

	2019 I	2019 II	2019 III	2019 IV	2020 I	2020 II	2020 III	2020 IV	2021 I	I 2021 / I 2020 (%)
CURRENT ACCOUNT	**-237,47**	**-317,41**	**-371,39**	**-192,8**	**-204,65**	**-25,47**	**-334,85**	**-230,76**	**-341,72**	**167,0**
Goods	-701,98	-882,36	-865,26	-862,16	-716,57	-555,29	-907,11	-896,84	-904,56	126,2
Services	95,7	97,26	76,02	81,65	79,3	90,4	115,82	102,85	94,76	119,5
Primary income	95,2	179,37	127,15	219,35	152,82	108,65	68,71	142,56	103,81	67,9
Secondary income	273,61	288,32	290,7	368,36	279,8	330,77	387,73	420,67	364,27	130,2
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	**-12,64**	**-11,73**	**-15,09**	**-10,42**	**-10,07**	**-7,55**	**-23,44**	**-20,04**	**-16,2**	**160,9**

Net borrowing (current and capital account balance)	**-250,11**	**-329,14**	**-386,48**	**-203,22**	**-214,72**	**-33,02**	**-358,29**	**-250,8**	**-357,92**	**166,7**
FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	**-271,34**	**-341,08**	**-372,78**	**-155,82**	**-175,07**	**-50,31**	**-437,94**	**-279,3**	**-346,54**	**197,9**
Direct investment, net	-111,31	-264,27	-63,11	-22,83	-21,81	23,76	-47,75	-20,58	-48,21	2,2 times
Portfolio investment, net	0,1	4,36	-0,03	0,29	-0,25	1,05	-0,08	0,14	-0,17	68,0
Financial derivatives, net	0,05	-0,15	0,27	0,13	-0,54	-0,15	0,37	-0,09	-0,17	31,5
Other investment, net	16,3	-170,32	-374,97	-216,02	-61,23	-309,72	-614,88	-528,27	-263,43	4,3 times
Change in reserve assets	-176,48	89,3	65,06	82,61	-91,24	234,75	224,4	269,5	-34,56	37,9
Net errors and omissions	-21,23	-11,94	13,7	47,4	39,65	-17,29	-79,65	-28,5	11,38	28,7
	% to GDP									**p.p.**
CURRENT ACCOUNT	**-9,9**	**-11,4**	**-10,2**	**-6,1**	**-8,2**	**-1,0**	**-9,1**	**-7,0**	**-12,8**	**-4,6**
Goods	-29,2	-31,8	-23,8	-27,4	-28,8	-22,1	-24,7	-27,3	-34,0	-5,2
Services	4,0	3,5	2,1	2,6	3,2	3,6	3,2	3,1	3,6	0,4
Primary income	4,0	6,5	3,5	7,0	6,2	4,3	1,9	4,3	3,9	-2,3

Secondary income	11,4	10,4	8,0	11,7	11,3	13,2	10,6	12,8	13,7	2,4
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	**-0,5**	**-0,4**	**-0,4**	**-0,3**	**-0,4**	**-0,3**	**-0,6**	**-0,6**	**-0,6**	**-0,2**
Net borrowing (current and capital account balance)	**-10,4**	**-11,9**	**-10,7**	**-6,5**	**-8,6**	**-1,3**	**-9,8**	**-7,6**	**-13,5**	**-4,8**
FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	**-11,3**	**-12,3**	**-10,3**	**-4,9**	**-7,0**	**-2,0**	**-11,9**	**-8,5**	**-13,0**	**-6,0**
Direct investment, net	-4,6	-9,5	-1,7	-0,7	-0,9	0,9	-1,3	-0,6	-1,8	-0,9
Portfolio investment and financial derivatives, net	0,0	0,2	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
Other investment, net	0,7	-6,1	-10,3	-6,9	-2,5	-12,3	-16,7	-16,1	-9,9	-7,4
Change in reserve assets	-7,3	3,2	1,8	2,6	-3,7	9,3	6,1	8,2	-1,3	2,4

p.p. – percentage points.

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