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- 1. What are the reasons that motivate the people of a country to keep money in their hands?
- 2. Which factors determine the money supply of a country?
- 3. The following is the balance sheet of one of the commercial banks in a banking system that follows the statutory reserve ratio of 10%.

Liabilities (Rs.Million)		Assets (Rs.Million)		
Deposits		2,000	Reserves	250
			Loans	1,750
		2,000		2000

- (a) What is the amount of new loans extended by this bank?
- (b) Show the balance sheet of the commercial bank immediately after granting new loan.
- 4. Examine the relationship between the objectives and roles of the Central Bank.
- 5. (a) Explain the concepts of inflation and deflation.
 - (b) Which indices compiled in Sri Lanka to measure the above situations?