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Country abbreviations

| | | | |
|----|----------------|----|----------------|
| BE | Belgium | LU | Luxembourg |
| BG | Bulgaria | HU | Hungary |
| CZ | Czech Republic | MT | Malta |
| DK | Denmark | NL | Netherlands |
| DE | Germany | AT | Austria |
| EE | Estonia | PL | Poland |
| IE | Ireland | PT | Portugal |
| GR | Greece | RO | Romania |
| ES | Spain | SI | Slovenia |
| FR | France | SK | Slovakia |
| HR | Croatia | FI | Finland |
| IT | Italy | SE | Sweden |
| CY | Cyprus | UK | United Kingdom |
| LV | Latvia | JP | Japan |
| LT | Lithuania | US | United States |

Other abbreviations

| | |
|----------|---|
| b.o.p. | balance of payments |
| BIS | Bank for International Settlements |
| c.i.f. | cost, insurance and freight at the importer's border |
| CLS | Continuous Linked Settlement system |
| CPI | consumer price index |
| DG ECFIN | Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs, European Commission |
| EER | effective exchange rate |
| EONIA | euro overnight index average |
| EU | European Union |
| EURIBOR | euro interbank offered rate |
| f.o.b. | free on board at the exporter's border |
| GDP | gross domestic product |
| HGDI | households' gross disposable income |
| HICP | Harmonised Index of Consumer Prices |
| i.i.p. | international investment position |
| IMF | International Monetary Fund |
| IRF | initial rate fixation |
| LIBOR | London interbank offered rate |
| MFI | monetary financial institution |
| OECD | Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development |
| PPP | purchasing power parity |
| SDRs | special drawing rights |
| TARGET | Trans-European Automated Real-time Gross settlement Express Transfer system |
| UMTS | Universal Mobile Telecommunications System |

Conventions used in the tables

| | | | | | |
|-------|-------------------|------------|-----------|------|---------------------|
| "_" | not applicable | "billion" | 10^9 | (p) | provisional |
| ". " | not available | "trillion" | 10^{12} | s.a. | seasonally adjusted |
| "..." | nil or negligible | | | | |

General information

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Euro area statistical series

Unless otherwise indicated, all data series relate to the group of 18 countries that are members of the euro area (the Euro 18) for the whole time series. For interest rates, monetary statistics, the HICP and reserve assets (and, for consistency reasons, the components and counterparts of M3 and the components of the HICP), euro area statistical series take into account the changing composition of the euro area. The composition of the euro area has changed a number of times over the years. When the euro was introduced in 1999, the euro area comprised the following 11 countries (the Euro 11): Belgium, Germany, Ireland, Spain, France, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal and Finland. Greece then joined in 2001, forming the Euro 12. Slovenia joined in 2007, forming the Euro 13; Cyprus and Malta joined in 2008, forming the Euro 15; and Slovakia joined in 2009, forming the Euro 16. Estonia joined in 2011, bringing the number of euro area countries to 17. Latvia joined in 2014, bringing the number of euro area countries to 18. From October 2012, the euro area statistics also include the European Stability Mechanism, an international organisation resident in the euro area for statistical purposes. Aggregated statistical series for fixed compositions of the euro area relate to a given fixed composition for the whole time series, regardless of the composition at the time to which the statistics relate.

Aggregated statistical series with a changing composition take into account the composition of the euro area at the time to which the statistics relate. For the HICP, as well as statistics based on the balance sheet of the MFI sector ("monetary statistics"), rates of change are compiled from chain-linked indices, with the new composition introduced by the linking factor at the point of enlargement. Thus, if a country joins the euro area in January of a given year, the factors contributing to the chain-linked indices relate to the previous composition of the euro area up to and including December of the previous year, and the enlarged composition of the euro area thereafter. For further details on monetary statistics, refer to the "Manual on MFI balance sheet statistics", available in the "Statistics" section of the ECB's website.

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1 Overview of major economic areas

1.1 Structural indicators¹⁾

| 2013 | Unit | Euro area | EU | United States | Japan | China |
|---|---------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Population, GDP and labour | | | | | | |
| Total population | millions | 335.4 | 508.1 | 316.5 | 127.2 | 1,360.7 |
| Labour force participation rate | % | 72.2 | 72.0 | 72.8 | 74.9 | - |
| Age dependency ratio | % | 51.7 | 50.6 | 50.3 | 61.1 ^{*)} | - |
| GDP (PPP) | EUR trillions | 9.6 | 13.5 | 13.0 | 3.6 | 12.5 |
| GDP per capita (PPP) | EUR thousands | 28.6 | 26.6 | 41.2 | 28.1 | 9.2 |
| Labour productivity (PPP) (euro area = 100) | 100.0 | 93.1 | 131.4 | 104.4 | - | - |
| Labour income share | % | 68.4 ^{*)} | 68.8 ^{*)} | 67.3 ^{*)} | 54.9 ^{*)} | - |
| Value added by economic activity | | | | | | |
| Agriculture, fishing and forestry | % of total | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.2 ^{*)} | 10.0 |
| Industry (incl. construction) | % of total | 24.8 | 24.7 | 18.7 | 23.8 ^{*)} | 43.9 |
| Services | % of total | 73.5 | 73.6 | 79.7 | 75.0 ^{*)} | 46.1 |
| Saving and investment | | | | | | |
| Gross saving | % of GDP | 20.3 | 19.0 | 18.0 | 24.5 ^{**)} | 51.0 ^{*)} |
| Gross fixed capital formation | % of GDP | 17.7 | 17.3 | 18.9 | 21.7 | 46.5 ^{*)} |
| Households | | | | | | |
| HGDI per capita (PPP) | EUR thousands | 18.8 | 17.2 | 30.6 | 18.5 ^{*)} | . |
| Gross saving | % of HGDI | 13.2 | 11.1 | 6.0 | 7.6 ^{*)} | . |
| Financial assets held ²⁾ | % of HGDI | 329.0 | . | 536.6 | 503.5 ^{*)} | . |
| Gross debt outstanding ²⁾ | % of HGDI | 97.9 | . | 105.0 | 98.1 ^{*)} | . |
| Non-financial corporations | | | | | | |
| Gross fixed capital formation | % of GDP | 9.8 | 11.1 | 10.7 | 13.7 ^{*)} | . |
| Financial assets held ²⁾ | % of GDP | 193.3 | . | 122.9 | 207.7 | . |
| Gross debt outstanding ²⁾ | % of GDP | 104.8 | . | 81.1 | 105.4 | . |
| Government | | | | | | |
| Expenditure | % of GDP | 49.7 | 49.0 | 34.4 | 40.5 ^{*)} | 24.8 |
| Surplus (+) or deficit (-) | % of GDP | -3.0 | -3.3 | -5.7 | -8.7 ^{*)} | -1.9 |
| Gross debt outstanding ^{2),3),4)} | % of GDP | 92.6 | 87.0 | 87.8 | 211.0 ^{*)} | 22.4 |
| External | | | | | | |
| Exports of goods and services | % of GDP | 27.1 | 18.2 | 13.6 | 17.0 | 24.8 |
| Imports of goods and services | % of GDP | 24.2 | 16.8 | 16.4 | 19.6 | 22.3 |
| Current account balance | % of GDP | 2.4 | 1.1 | -2.4 | 0.7 | 1.9 |
| Net b.o.p. direct and portfolio investment | % of GDP | 0.8 | 1.6 | -0.7 | 2.6 | -2.9 ^{*)} |
| Net i.i.p. ²⁾ | % of GDP | -12.0 | -13.1 | -27.2 | 62.3 ^{*)} | 21.0 ^{*)} |
| Gross external debt ²⁾ | % of GDP | 120.8 | . | 98.3 | 61.4 | . |
| Monetary and financial indicators²⁾ | | | | | | |
| Credit | EUR trillions | 16.0 | 21.8 | 12.7 | 8.7 | 9.5 |
| Outstanding debt securities ⁴⁾ | EUR trillions | 16.4 | 22.2 | 26.8 | 8.9 | 3.0 |
| Stock market capitalisation | EUR trillions | 5.6 | 8.7 | 20.2 | 3.3 | 2.9 |

Sources: For the euro area and EU: ECB, Eurostat, national data and ECB calculations; for the United States, Japan and China: BIS, IMF and national sources. ^{*)} 2012 figures, ^{**) 2011 figures.}

1) Full definitions are available in the glossary on the ECB's website (www.ecb.europa.eu).

2) Figure as at year-end.

3) Data for the United States and Japan are based on definitions similar to those used for the euro area and the EU. Chinese data follow a different methodology and are not directly comparable.

4) At nominal value.

1.2 Main recent economic developments ¹⁾ (annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Real GDP (s.a.) | GDP deflator | Con-sumer prices | Broad money ²⁾ | 3-month interbank deposit rate (% per annum) | 10-year gov. bond yield (% per annum) | Unit labour costs (s.a.) | Unemploy-ment (% of labour force; s.a.) | Labour productiv-ity (s.a.) |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------|------------------|---------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Euro area | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | -0.7 | 1.3 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 0.57 | 3.05 | 1.9 | 11.3 | 0.0 |
| 2013 | -0.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 0.22 | 3.01 | 1.2 | 11.9 | 0.4 |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.30 | 3.07 | 0.5 | 11.7 | 0.8 |
| Q2 | 0.7 | . | 0.6 | 1.1 | 0.30 | 2.48 | . | 11.6 | . |
| 2014 July | - | - | 0.4 | 1.8 | 0.21 | 2.16 | - | 11.5 | - |
| Aug. | - | - | 0.3 | . | 0.19 | 1.99 | - | . | - |
| European Union | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 2.6 | - | - | 3.65 | 2.0 | 10.4 | -0.1 |
| 2013 | 0.1 | 1.5 | 1.5 | - | - | 2.96 | 1.2 | 10.8 | 0.4 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.8 | - | - | 2.80 | 0.7 | 10.5 | 0.9 |
| Q2 | 1.2 | . | 0.7 | - | - | 2.40 | . | 10.3 | . |
| 2014 June | - | - | 0.7 | - | - | 2.27 | - | 10.2 | - |
| July | - | - | 0.6 | - | - | 2.14 | - | 10.2 | - |
| United States | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 8.6 | 0.43 | 1.79 | 1.7 | 8.1 | 1.0 |
| 2013 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 6.7 | 0.27 | 2.34 | 0.3 | 7.4 | 0.9 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 6.0 | 0.24 | 2.75 | 2.6 | 6.7 | 0.7 |
| Q2 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 6.6 | 0.23 | 2.61 | 1.8 | 6.2 | 1.2 |
| 2014 July | - | - | 2.0 | 6.7 | 0.23 | 2.53 | - | 6.2 | - |
| Aug. | - | - | . | . | 0.23 | 2.41 | - | . | - |
| Japan | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 1.5 | -0.9 | 0.0 | 2.5 | 0.19 | 0.85 | -1.4 | 4.3 | 1.8 |
| 2013 | 1.5 | -0.6 | 0.4 | 3.6 | 0.15 | 0.72 | -0.8 | 4.0 | 0.9 |
| 2014 Q1 | 2.7 | -0.2 | 1.5 | 3.9 | 0.14 | 0.63 | -2.3 | 3.6 | 2.1 |
| Q2 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 0.13 | 0.60 | . | 3.6 | - |
| 2014 July | - | - | 3.4 | 3.0 | 0.13 | 0.55 | - | . | - |
| Aug. | - | - | . | . | 0.13 | 0.51 | - | . | - |
| China | | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 7.8 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 17.2 | 4.73 | 3.47 | - | 4.1 | - |
| 2013 | 7.7 | 1.7 | 2.6 | 14.8 | 5.06 | 3.84 | - | 4.1 | - |
| 2014 Q1 | 7.4 | 0.4 | 2.3 | 12.9 | 5.57 | 4.53 | - | 4.1 | - |
| Q2 | 7.5 | . | 2.2 | . | 4.91 | 4.25 | - | . | - |
| 2014 July | - | - | 2.3 | . | 4.85 | 4.21 | - | - | - |
| Aug. | - | - | . | . | 4.83 | 4.27 | - | - | - |

Sources: BIS, Eurostat, IMF, OECD, national data and ECB calculations.

1) Full definitions are available in the glossary on the ECB's website (www.ecb.europa.eu).

2) Euro area: M3. United States: M2. Japan: M2 + certificates of deposit.

2 Population and the labour market in the euro area

2.1 Population and the labour market

(quarterly data, seasonally and working day-adjusted; annual data, unadjusted)

| | Population (millions, annual averages) | Labour force partici- pation rate ¹⁾ (%) | Employment rates (% of total population) | Unemploy- ment (% of labour force) | Labour productivity per person employed (annual percentage changes) | Hourly labour productivity (annual percentage changes) |
|---------|---|--|--|--|---|---|
| 1971-80 | 290.4 | - | - | 4.0 | 3.0 | - |
| 1981-90 | 300.8 | - | - | 9.3 | 1.7 | - |
| 1991-00 | 312.9 | - | - | - | 1.5 | - |
| 2001-05 | 322.2 | 68.8 | 62.6 | 8.9 | 0.6 | 1.0 |
| 2006-10 | 330.9 | 71.1 | 64.9 | 8.6 | 0.4 | 0.8 |
| 2011 | 334.1 | 71.6 | 64.3 | 10.1 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| 2012 | 335.0 | 72.1 | 63.8 | 11.3 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| 2013 | 335.4 | 72.2 | 63.5 | 11.9 | 0.4 | 0.7 |
| 2013 Q1 | . | 72.1 | 63.0 | 11.9 | -0.1 | 1.1 |
| Q2 | . | 72.2 | 63.6 | 12.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
| Q3 | . | 72.3 | 63.9 | 12.0 | 0.5 | 0.7 |
| Q4 | . | 72.4 | 63.7 | 11.9 | 0.9 | 0.7 |
| 2014 Q1 | . | 72.2 | 63.2 | 11.7 | 0.8 | 0.4 |
| Q2 | . | . | . | 11.6 | . | . |

Sources: European Commission (Eurostat and DG ECFIN), national data and ECB calculations.

1) Ratio of the labour force to the working age population (i.e. the population aged 15 to 64).

2.2 Employment in terms of persons employed and hours worked

(quarterly data, seasonally and working day-adjusted; annual data, unadjusted)

| | Persons employed | | | Hours worked | | | |
|---------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|-------|-----------|
| | Millions | Annual percentage changes | | | Annual percentage changes | | |
| | | Total | Employees | Self-employed | Per person employed | Total | Employees |
| 1971-80 | 119.4 | 0.4 | 0.9 | -1.5 | - | - | - |
| 1981-90 | 123.1 | 0.7 | 0.9 | -0.2 | - | - | - |
| 1991-00 | 131.5 | 0.6 | 0.8 | -0.2 | - | - | - |
| 2001-05 | 142.7 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 0.6 | -0.4 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| 2006-10 | 148.9 | 0.4 | 0.5 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| 2011 | 148.0 | 0.3 | 0.4 | -0.2 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.5 |
| 2012 | 147.1 | -0.6 | -0.7 | -0.1 | -0.8 | -1.4 | -1.4 |
| 2013 | 145.9 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -0.9 | -0.3 | -1.1 | -1.1 |
| 2012 Q4 | 146.5 | -0.8 | -0.9 | 0.0 | -0.8 | -1.6 | -1.6 |
| 2013 Q1 | 145.9 | -1.1 | -1.1 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -2.3 | -2.4 |
| Q2 | 145.8 | -1.0 | -1.0 | -0.9 | 0.1 | -0.9 | -1.0 |
| Q3 | 145.8 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -0.7 | -0.2 | -0.9 | -0.8 |
| Q4 | 146.0 | -0.4 | -0.3 | -0.7 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 146.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 |
| | | | | | | | -0.3 |

Sources: European Commission (Eurostat and DG ECFIN), national data and ECB calculations.

3 Euro area macroeconomic indicators

3.1 GDP and expenditure components

(annual percentage changes in volume, unless otherwise indicated; quarterly data, seasonally and partly working day-adjusted; annual data, unadjusted)

| | GDP (market prices) | | | | | | |
|---------|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| | Total (quarter on quarter) | Total | Private consumption | Government consumption | Gross fixed capital formation | Exports of goods and services ¹⁾ | Imports of goods and services ¹⁾ |
| 1971-80 | - | 3.4 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 2.1 | 6.0 | 5.6 |
| 1981-90 | - | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 4.8 | 4.6 |
| 1991-00 | - | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 6.9 | 6.5 |
| 2001-10 | - | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 3.4 | 3.2 |
| 2011 | - | 1.6 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 1.6 | 6.5 | 4.5 |
| 2012 | - | -0.7 | -1.3 | -0.6 | -4.0 | 2.5 | -0.9 |
| 2013 | - | -0.4 | -0.7 | 0.1 | -2.9 | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| 2013 Q3 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.6 | -2.4 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| Q4 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 3.0 | 2.5 |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 4.0 | 4.1 |
| Q2 | 0.0 | 0.7 | . | . | . | . | . |

Level data (EUR billions at current prices) and percentages of GDP

| | | | | | | | |
|------|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 2013 | - | 9,602.5 | 5,496.2 | 2,069.8 | 1,698.5 | 4,410.3 | 4,079.2 |
| 2013 | - | 100.0 | 57.2 | 21.6 | 17.7 | - | - |

Source: European Commission (Eurostat and DG ECFIN).

1) Includes intra-euro area trade and therefore differs from Tables 4.1 and 4.2.

3.2 Value added by economic activity

(annual percentage changes in volume, unless otherwise indicated; quarterly data, seasonally and partly working day-adjusted; annual data, unadjusted)

| | Gross value added (basic prices) | | | | | | |
|---------|----------------------------------|---|---|---|-------------------------------|--|---|
| | Total | Agriculture, forestry and fishing | Industry (including construction) | Trade, transport, accommoda- tion and food services | Finance and real estate | Public adminis- tration, educa- tion, health and social work | Information, communica- tion, business and other services |
| 1996-00 | 2.7 | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| 2001-05 | 1.6 | -0.2 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 2.2 |
| 2006-10 | 0.9 | 1.0 | -0.4 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 1.9 |
| 2011 | 1.8 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 0.9 | 2.5 |
| 2012 | -0.5 | -4.9 | -1.8 | -0.9 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| 2013 | -0.3 | -0.4 | -1.4 | -0.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| 2013 Q3 | -0.2 | 0.5 | -1.6 | -0.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| Q4 | 0.6 | 1.9 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.9 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.0 | 3.3 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.0 |
| Q2 | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |

Level data (EUR billions at current prices) and percentages of gross value added

| | | | | | | | |
|------|---------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 2013 | 8,610.9 | 144.0 | 2,138.9 | 1,622.3 | 1,444.8 | 1,686.9 | 1,574.1 |
| 2013 | 100.0 | 1.7 | 24.8 | 18.8 | 16.8 | 19.6 | 18.3 |

Source: Eurostat.

3.3 Short-term business indicators

(annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Industrial production | | | Indicator on industrial new orders | Manufacturing turnover (nominal) | Retail trade turnover (constant prices) | New passenger car registrations |
|----------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| | Total excl. construction | Construction | Manufacturing | | | | |
| | Period on period (s.a.) | | | | | | |
| 1991-00 | 1.8 | - | - | - | - | - | 0.8 |
| 2001-10 | 0.0 | - | -0.8 | -0.1 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 0.7 |
| 2011 | 3.5 | - | -3.4 | 4.7 | 8.6 | 9.2 | -0.8 |
| 2012 | -2.5 | - | -5.0 | -2.7 | -3.8 | -0.4 | -1.7 |
| 2013 | -0.7 | - | -2.8 | -0.7 | 0.0 | -1.4 | -0.8 |
| 2013 Q4 | 1.6 | 0.6 | -1.3 | 2.0 | 2.8 | 0.3 | 5.3 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 6.6 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 1.7 | 5.0 |
| Q2 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 3.9 | 1.5 | 3.9 |
| 2014 May | 0.6 | -1.1 | 4.4 | 1.1 | 4.4 | 0.6 | 3.3 |
| June | 0.0 | -0.3 | -2.3 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 3.3 |
| July | . | . | . | . | . | 0.8 | . |

Sources: Eurostat, ACEA (European Automobile Manufacturers' Association), ECB experimental statistics based on national data and ECB calculations.

3.4 Opinion surveys (excluding price-related developments)

(seasonally adjusted)

| | European Commission Business and Consumer Surveys (percentage balances ¹⁾) | | | | | | | Purchasing Managers' Surveys (diffusion indices ²⁾) | |
|-----------|---|---------------------------------|-------------|--|-------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|------|
| | Economic sentiment indicator (long-term average =100) ³⁾ | Manufacturing industry | | | Services industries | | Retail trade confidence indicator | Consumer confidence indicator | |
| | | Industrial confidence indicator | Order books | Capacity utilisation (%) ⁴⁾ | Services confidence indicator | Capacity utilisation (%) ⁴⁾ | | | |
| 1991-00 | 101.0 | -7.8 | -18.8 | 81.8 | . | . | -10.9 | -12.3 | . |
| 2001-10 | 99.3 | -7.0 | -17.6 | 80.7 | 4.9 | . | -8.2 | -13.3 | 50.7 |
| 2011 | 102.2 | 0.2 | -6.4 | 80.6 | 5.3 | . | -5.4 | -14.3 | 52.2 |
| 2012 | 90.8 | -11.7 | -24.4 | 78.6 | -6.8 | 86.6 | -15.1 | -22.1 | 46.2 |
| 2013 | 93.8 | -9.3 | -26.0 | 78.3 | -6.1 | 86.9 | -12.5 | -18.6 | 49.6 |
| 2013 Q4 | 99.1 | -4.1 | -18.6 | 79.3 | -1.3 | 87.1 | -6.8 | -14.4 | 51.9 |
| 2014 Q1 | 101.6 | -3.5 | -16.5 | 79.8 | 3.4 | 87.2 | -3.1 | -11.2 | 53.4 |
| Q2 | 102.2 | -3.6 | -15.3 | 79.7 | 3.9 | 87.3 | -2.3 | -7.7 | 52.4 |
| 2014 June | 102.1 | -4.3 | -15.9 | - | 4.4 | - | -1.9 | -7.5 | 51.8 |
| July | 102.1 | -3.8 | -15.5 | 79.8 | 3.6 | 87.3 | -2.3 | -8.4 | 51.8 |
| Aug. | 100.6 | -5.3 | -15.6 | - | 3.1 | - | -4.6 | -10.0 | 50.7 |
| | | | | | | | | | 53.1 |

Sources: European Commission Business and Consumer Surveys and Markit.

1) Difference between the percentages of respondents giving positive and negative replies.

2) Weighted sum of the percentages of survey respondents reporting an increase (weight: 1.0), no change (0.5) or a decrease (0) for each survey variable. A value of 100 (0) indicates that all respondents reported an increase (decrease); a value of 50 indicates "no change".

3) Values above (below) 100 indicate above (below) average economic sentiment.

4) The quarterly figures shown are averages of two successive surveys.

4 Euro area external statistics

4.1 Balance of payments

(EUR billions, not seasonally adjusted, unless otherwise indicated; net transactions)

| | Current and capital accounts | Goods and services (s.a.) | Income (s.a.) | Current transfers (s.a.) | Combined direct and portfolio investment | Financial derivatives | Other investment | Reserve assets |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|------------------|----------------|
| 2012 | 139.6 | 188.2 | 56.6 | -106.3 | 23.9 | 5.3 | -179.3 | -15.0 |
| 2013 | 249.3 | 281.0 | 69.1 | -119.6 | 78.1 | 17.3 | -343.9 | -4.4 |
| 2014 June | 22.2 | 20.5 | 4.8 | -12.2 | 13.9 | 3.6 | -53.9 | 0.5 |
| as a percentage of GDP | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 2.4 | -4.5 | 0.9 | 0.2 | -7.3 | -0.6 |
| 2013 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.9 | -5.0 | 3.2 | 0.7 | -14.2 | -0.2 |
| 12-month cumulated transactions | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 June | 241.7 | 289.2 | 56.0 | -118.6 | 53.7 | 17.7 | -319.0 | -6.0 |
| 12-month cumulated transactions as a percentage of GDP | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 June | 2.5 | 3.0 | 0.6 | -1.2 | 0.6 | 0.2 | -3.3 | -0.1 |

Source: ECB.

4.2 Trade in goods with main partners

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; seasonally adjusted)

| | Total | Other EU Member States | | United States | China | Japan | Other Asian countries | Other |
|--------------------|---------|------------------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
| | | United Kingdom | Other | | | | | |
| Exports (f.o.b.) | | | | | | | | |
| % of total in 2013 | 100 | 12.6 | 18.5 | 11.7 | 6.4 | 2.3 | 14.7 | 26.0 |
| 2012 | 1,880.6 | 230.0 | 343.0 | 223.7 | 120.7 | 44.6 | 275.4 | 491.5 |
| 2013 | 1,896.9 | 239.2 | 350.1 | 221.5 | 122.1 | 43.9 | 277.9 | 493.1 |
| 2014 May | 160.6 | 21.3 | 30.1 | 20.3 | 10.8 | 3.4 | 23.8 | 39.5 |
| June | 159.9 | . | . | 19.5 | 10.8 | 3.5 | 23.1 | . |
| Imports (c.i.f.) | | | | | | | | |
| % of total in 2013 | 100 | 9.4 | 18.6 | 8.6 | 11.8 | 2.5 | 15.1 | 23.6 |
| 2012 | 1,794.0 | 167.4 | 314.8 | 151.2 | 214.3 | 49.2 | 277.2 | 440.7 |
| 2013 | 1,738.8 | 164.2 | 323.6 | 149.2 | 204.3 | 43.6 | 262.0 | 411.1 |
| 2014 May | 145.4 | 13.5 | 27.8 | 12.3 | 17.5 | 3.4 | 23.0 | 33.1 |
| June | 146.1 | . | . | 12.7 | 18.1 | 3.4 | 21.3 | . |
| Trade balance | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 86.6 | 62.6 | 28.3 | 72.5 | -93.6 | -4.6 | -1.8 | 50.9 |
| 2013 | 158.1 | 75.0 | 26.5 | 72.3 | -82.2 | 0.3 | 15.9 | 82.0 |
| 2014 May | 15.2 | 7.8 | 2.4 | 8.0 | -6.7 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 6.4 |
| June | 13.8 | . | . | 6.7 | -7.3 | 0.1 | 1.8 | . |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations.

4.3 Geographical breakdown of the balance of payments

(EUR billions; not seasonally adjusted)

| | Total | Other EU Member States | Japan | Switzerland | United States | China |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------------------|--------|-------------|---------------|--------|
| 2013 | | UK | | | | |
| Credits | | | | | | |
| Current account | 3,247.0 | 1,022.5 | 491.8 | 68.8 | 274.9 | 441.5 |
| Goods | 1,936.2 | 607.2 | 267.8 | 43.7 | 128.1 | 224.2 |
| Services | 663.1 | 204.9 | 127.8 | 15.1 | 64.4 | 101.7 |
| Income | 547.9 | 146.3 | 84.9 | 9.1 | 72.9 | 109.1 |
| Current transfers | 99.8 | 64.1 | 11.3 | 1.0 | 9.4 | 6.6 |
| Capital account | 33.9 | 27.8 | 1.2 | 0.1 | 2.6 | 0.4 |
| Debits | | | | | | |
| Current account | 3,019.2 | 952.2 | 406.9 | 91.0 | 230.4 | 397.8 |
| Goods | 1,770.9 | 505.6 | 198.2 | 43.3 | 106.2 | 150.9 |
| Services | 549.9 | 161.0 | 92.7 | 8.9 | 51.3 | 112.3 |
| Income | 478.1 | 151.6 | 104.2 | 38.1 | 63.1 | 127.7 |
| Current transfers | 220.3 | 133.9 | 11.8 | 0.7 | 9.8 | 6.9 |
| Capital account | 12.4 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| Net | | | | | | |
| Current account | 227.8 | 70.3 | 84.9 | -22.2 | 44.5 | 43.6 |
| Goods | 165.3 | 101.6 | 69.6 | 0.4 | 21.9 | 73.2 |
| Services | 113.2 | 43.8 | 35.1 | 6.2 | 13.1 | -10.6 |
| Income | 69.8 | -5.3 | -19.4 | -29.1 | 9.8 | -18.7 |
| Current transfers | -120.5 | -69.8 | -0.5 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -0.3 |
| Capital account | 21.5 | 22.6 | -3.2 | 0.0 | 1.8 | -0.1 |
| Financial account | | | | | | |
| Direct investment | -32.2 | -33.9 | -43.9 | 3.0 | -18.9 | 137.7 |
| Abroad | -360.7 | -25.6 | -23.2 | -1.9 | -26.3 | -192.8 |
| Equity/reinvested earnings | -325.0 | -29.2 | -12.8 | -1.1 | -6.1 | -204.0 |
| Other capital | -35.7 | 3.6 | -10.4 | -0.7 | -20.2 | 11.2 |
| In the euro area | 328.6 | -8.3 | -20.7 | 4.8 | 7.3 | 330.5 |
| Equity/reinvested earnings | 314.8 | -3.3 | -8.5 | 5.6 | 6.4 | 298.3 |
| Other capital | 13.7 | -5.0 | -12.2 | -0.7 | 0.9 | 32.2 |
| Portfolio investment assets | -250.5 | -31.6 | -6.2 | -38.9 | -8.7 | -72.1 |
| Equity | -163.7 | -35.5 | -29.6 | -36.0 | -6.5 | -61.2 |
| Debt securities | -86.8 | 3.9 | 23.3 | -3.0 | -2.3 | -10.9 |
| of which: Bonds and notes | -78.6 | -13.3 | 11.4 | 3.6 | -1.0 | -8.3 |
| Other investment | -343.9 | -65.8 | -46.8 | -39.6 | -25.9 | -16.1 |
| Assets | 65.0 | 228.7 | 225.7 | -37.2 | -10.5 | -23.6 |
| of which: MFIs | 73.1 | 217.2 | 205.0 | -32.6 | -2.1 | -21.0 |
| Liabilities | -408.9 | -294.5 | -272.5 | -2.4 | -15.5 | 7.5 |
| of which: MFIs | -399.3 | -261.4 | -232.3 | -1.2 | -16.9 | -2.1 |

Source: ECB.

4.4 International investment position

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; outstanding amounts at end of period)

| | Total | Total as a % of GDP | Direct investment | Portfolio investment | Financial derivatives | Other investment | Reserve assets |
|---------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Net international investment position | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | -1,454.4 | -15.4 | 1,293.8 | -3,003.3 | -54.8 | -357.3 | 667.1 |
| 2012 | -1,253.8 | -13.2 | 1,491.5 | -3,168.9 | -46.9 | -218.9 | 689.4 |
| 2013 Q4 | -1,152.7 | -12.0 | 1,453.1 | -3,274.7 | -39.4 | 166.2 | 542.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | -1,176.9 | -12.2 | 1,601.1 | -3,462.4 | -85.9 | 199.7 | 570.6 |
| Outstanding assets | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 18,327.3 | 194.1 | 5,708.5 | 4,738.4 | 2,286.0 | 4,927.3 | 667.1 |
| 2012 | 19,318.9 | 203.2 | 6,125.7 | 5,254.8 | 2,351.5 | 4,897.5 | 689.4 |
| 2013 Q4 | 18,850.2 | 196.3 | 6,396.8 | 5,556.0 | 1,682.7 | 4,672.5 | 542.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 19,141.0 | 198.4 | 6,458.4 | 5,647.3 | 1,617.0 | 4,847.7 | 570.6 |
| Outstanding liabilities | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 19,781.7 | 209.5 | 4,414.6 | 7,741.7 | 2,340.8 | 5,284.5 | - |
| 2012 | 20,572.7 | 216.4 | 4,634.2 | 8,423.6 | 2,398.4 | 5,116.5 | - |
| 2013 Q4 | 20,002.9 | 208.3 | 4,943.7 | 8,830.8 | 1,722.1 | 4,506.3 | - |
| 2014 Q1 | 20,317.9 | 210.6 | 4,857.3 | 9,109.7 | 1,702.9 | 4,648.1 | - |

Source: ECB.

4.5 Geographical breakdown of the international investment position

(EUR billions; outstanding amounts at end of period)

| | 2012 | Total | Other EU Member States | UK | Japan | Switzer- land | United States | China |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------------------------|-------|-------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| | | | | | | | | |
| Direct investment | | | | | | | | |
| Abroad | 1,491.5 | 395.5 | 106.8 | -23.3 | 165.7 | 178.3 | 80.2 | |
| Equity/reinvested earnings | 6,125.7 | 1,724.5 | 1,181.7 | 78.8 | 629.1 | 1,434.9 | 101.6 | |
| Other capital | 4,562.5 | 1,281.2 | 889.3 | 56.5 | 476.9 | 1,016.9 | 83.3 | |
| In the euro area | 1,563.1 | 443.4 | 292.5 | 22.2 | 152.3 | 418.0 | 18.4 | |
| Equity/reinvested earnings | 4,634.2 | 1,329.1 | 1,074.9 | 102.0 | 463.4 | 1,256.7 | 21.4 | |
| Other capital | 3,231.7 | 1,034.9 | 821.9 | 88.7 | 280.9 | 951.7 | 7.8 | |
| In the rest of the world | 1,402.5 | 294.2 | 253.0 | 13.3 | 182.5 | 304.9 | 13.6 | |
| Portfolio investment assets | 5,254.8 | 1,679.6 | 1,046.3 | 215.5 | 131.4 | 1,638.6 | 61.2 | |
| Equity | 1,952.0 | 394.6 | 314.2 | 106.1 | 117.1 | 621.7 | 57.2 | |
| Debt securities | 3,302.8 | 1,284.9 | 732.1 | 109.4 | 14.3 | 1,016.8 | 4.0 | |
| of which: Bonds and notes | 2,840.7 | 1,133.8 | 620.1 | 36.7 | 11.3 | 855.4 | 2.6 | |
| Other investment | -218.9 | -247.6 | -48.9 | 5.1 | -33.9 | 58.1 | -15.2 | |
| Assets | 4,897.5 | 2,194.5 | 1,847.7 | 81.8 | 268.2 | 684.6 | 49.4 | |
| of which: MFIs | 2,966.9 | 1,530.1 | 1,293.2 | 65.9 | 147.1 | 396.0 | 24.3 | |
| Liabilities | 5,116.5 | 2,442.1 | 1,896.5 | 76.8 | 302.0 | 626.5 | 64.6 | |
| of which: MFIs | 3,400.1 | 1,647.7 | 1,309.1 | 50.7 | 239.4 | 338.7 | 38.3 | |

Source: ECB.

4.6 International reserves of the Eurosystem and the ECB

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; outstanding amounts at end of period)

| | Reserve assets | | | | | Memo items | | |
|------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---|
| | Total | Monetary gold | | SDR holdings | Reserve position in the IMF | Foreign exchange claims | Other foreign currency assets | Predetermined short-term net drains on foreign currency |
| | | In EUR billions | In fine troy ounces (millions) | | | | | |
| Eurosystem | | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 667.1 | 422.1 | 346.846 | 54.0 | 30.2 | 160.9 | 97.4 | -86.0 |
| 2012 | 689.4 | 437.2 | 346.693 | 52.8 | 31.9 | 166.8 | 32.8 | -35.0 |
| 2013 Q4 | 542.0 | 301.9 | 346.566 | 50.1 | 28.9 | 160.0 | 22.5 | -30.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 569.9 | 324.9 | 346.790 | 49.7 | 28.0 | 166.3 | 22.9 | -31.4 |
| 2014 June | 583.0 | 333.8 | 346.721 | 50.8 | 28.1 | 168.0 | 23.0 | -28.7 |
| July | 585.1 | 333.1 | 346.722 | 51.4 | 28.4 | 169.8 | 25.4 | -32.4 |
| ECB | | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 61.2 | 19.6 | 16.143 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 40.8 | 4.8 | -0.4 |
| 2012 | 61.9 | 20.4 | 16.142 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 40.9 | 2.9 | 0.2 |
| 2013 Q4 | 53.5 | 14.1 | 16.142 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 38.8 | 1.3 | 0.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 55.1 | 15.2 | 16.178 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 39.2 | 1.6 | -0.2 |
| 2014 June | 55.7 | 15.6 | 16.178 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 39.5 | 2.0 | -0.2 |
| July | 55.5 | 15.5 | 16.178 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 39.3 | 2.7 | -0.1 |

Source: ECB.

4.7 Exchange rates

(period averages)

| | Effective exchange rate of the euro (1999 Q1 = 100) | | | | Bilateral exchange rates | |
|--|--|--------------------|---------|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| | EER-20 | | EER-39 | | US dollar | Japanese yen |
| | Nominal | Real ¹⁾ | Nominal | Real ¹⁾ | | |
| 2012 | 97.9 | 95.6 | 107.1 | 92.9 | 1.2848 | 102.49 |
| 2013 | 101.7 | 98.9 | 112.0 | 96.2 | 1.3281 | 129.66 |
| 2014 Q1 | 103.9 | 100.7 | 116.6 | 99.1 | 1.3696 | 140.80 |
| Q2 | 103.8 | 100.1 | 116.0 | 97.9 | 1.3711 | 140.00 |
| 2014 July | 102.6 | 98.7 | 114.6 | 96.2 | 1.3539 | 137.72 |
| Aug. | 101.9 | 98.0 | 114.0 | 95.6 | 1.3316 | 137.11 |
| % change versus previous month ²⁾ | | | | | | |
| 2014 Aug. | -0.7 | -0.7 | -0.5 | -0.7 | -1.6 | -0.4 |
| % change versus previous year ²⁾ | | | | | | |
| 2014 Aug. | -0.3 | -1.5 | 0.5 | -1.8 | 0.0 | 5.2 |

Sources: ECB and BIS.

1) Real EERs are calculated using consumer price indices. For more information on EERs, see the "Statistics" section of the ECB's website (www.ecb.europa.eu), under "Exchange rates".

2) A positive change denotes an appreciation of the euro.

5 Prices in the euro area

5.1 HICP¹⁾

(annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | HICP | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|----------|------|-----------------------|
| | Total | Food | | Non-energy industrial goods | Energy | Services | | Housing ²⁾ |
| | | Processed food | Unprocessed food | | | | | |
| % of total | 100.0 | 19.8 | 12.3 | 7.5 | 26.7 | 10.8 | 42.8 | 10.5 |
| 1996-00 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 2.0 | 2.6 |
| 2001-05 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 2.6 | 2.3 |
| 2006-10 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 3.8 | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| 2010 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 7.4 | 1.4 | 1.8 |
| 2011 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 11.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| 2012 | 2.5 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 1.2 | 7.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| 2013 | 1.4 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 1.7 |
| 2014 June | 0.5 | -0.2 | 1.4 | -2.8 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.8 |
| July | 0.4 | -0.3 | 1.1 | -2.6 | 0.0 | -1.0 | 1.3 | 1.7 |
| Aug. ³⁾ | 0.3 | -0.3 | . | . | 0.3 | -2.0 | 1.2 | . |

Month-on-month percentage changes (seasonally adjusted, except energy)

| | | | | | | | | |
|----------|-----|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|
| 2014 May | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.1 | -0.5 | -0.1 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| June | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| July | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations.

1) Data refer to the changing composition of the euro area; for further information see page 6. The weights shown refer to the current year.

2) Excluding owner-occupied housing.

3) Estimate based on provisional national releases (which usually cover around 95% of the euro area), as well as early information on energy prices.

5.2 The impact of inflation on the purchasing power of money

(decrease in the purchasing power of money after x years at a given inflation rate; percentages)

| Year | Inflation rate | | | | | | |
|------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1.0 | 2.0 | 3.0 | 4.0 | 5.0 | 10.0 | 20.0 |
| 1 | 1.0 | 2.0 | 2.9 | 3.8 | 4.8 | 9.1 | 16.7 |
| 2 | 2.0 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 7.5 | 9.3 | 17.4 | 30.6 |
| 3 | 2.9 | 5.8 | 8.5 | 11.1 | 13.6 | 24.9 | 42.1 |
| 4 | 3.9 | 7.6 | 11.2 | 14.5 | 17.7 | 31.7 | 51.8 |
| 5 | 4.9 | 9.4 | 13.7 | 17.8 | 21.6 | 37.9 | 59.8 |
| 6 | 5.8 | 11.2 | 16.3 | 21.0 | 25.4 | 43.6 | 66.5 |
| 7 | 6.7 | 12.9 | 18.7 | 24.0 | 28.9 | 48.7 | 72.1 |
| 8 | 7.7 | 14.7 | 21.1 | 26.9 | 32.3 | 53.3 | 76.7 |
| 9 | 8.6 | 16.3 | 23.4 | 29.7 | 35.5 | 57.6 | 80.6 |
| 10 | 9.5 | 18.0 | 25.6 | 32.4 | 38.6 | 61.4 | 83.8 |
| 15 | 13.9 | 25.7 | 35.8 | 44.5 | 51.9 | 76.1 | 93.5 |
| 20 | 18.0 | 32.7 | 44.6 | 54.4 | 62.3 | 85.1 | 97.4 |

Source: ECB calculations.

5.3 Industry, construction, residential property, export and import prices (annual percentage changes)

| | Industrial producer prices excluding construction | | | | | Construction (input prices) | Residential property prices ¹⁾ | Industrial producer export prices (f.o.b.) ^{2),3)} | Industrial import prices (c.i.f.) ²⁾ |
|----------|---|--------------------|---------------|----------------|--------|-----------------------------|---|---|---|
| | Total | Intermediate goods | Capital goods | Consumer goods | Energy | | | | |
| 2001-05 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 6.5 | 0.6 | - |
| 2006-10 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 4.2 | 3.0 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| 2011 | 5.7 | 5.8 | 1.5 | 3.3 | 10.9 | 3.3 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 7.6 |
| 2012 | 2.8 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 2.5 | 6.6 | 1.6 | -1.8 | 2.2 | 3.4 |
| 2013 | -0.2 | -0.6 | 0.6 | 1.7 | -1.6 | 0.6 | -2.1 | -1.0 | -2.7 |
| 2013 Q4 | -1.1 | -1.7 | 0.5 | 0.9 | -2.8 | 0.8 | -1.6 | -1.4 | -3.2 |
| 2014 Q1 | -1.5 | -1.8 | 0.4 | 0.6 | -4.1 | 0.4 | -0.6 | -1.6 | -3.6 |
| Q2 | -1.0 | -1.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | -2.8 | - | - | -0.8 | -2.3 |
| 2014 May | -1.0 | -1.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | -2.7 | - | - | -0.9 | -2.3 |
| June | -0.8 | -0.9 | 0.4 | 0.3 | -2.2 | - | - | -0.1 | -1.4 |
| July | -1.1 | -0.7 | 0.4 | 0.2 | -3.5 | - | - | - | - |

Sources: Eurostat, ECB calculations and national data.

1) Experimental data.

2) These indices differ from the GDP deflators used for imports and exports (which are shown in Table 5.6), mainly because they exclude cross-border trade within the euro area and all services.

3) Industrial producer export prices refer to direct transactions between domestic producers and non-domestic customers. Exports by wholesalers and re-exports are not covered.

5.4 Price-related opinion surveys

(seasonally adjusted)

| | European Commission Business and Consumer Surveys (percentage balances ¹⁾) | | | Purchasing Managers' Surveys (diffusion indices ²⁾) | | | | |
|-----------|--|--------------|----------|---|---------------|----------|---|----------|
| | Selling price expectations (for next 3 months) | | | Consumer price trends over past 12 months | Input prices | | Prices charged (compared with previous month) | |
| | Manufacturing | Retail trade | Services | | Manufacturing | Services | Manufacturing | Services |
| 1991-00 | 5.7 | - | - | 20.2 | - | - | - | - |
| 2001-10 | 4.2 | - | - | 37.6 | 57.7 | 56.6 | - | 49.7 |
| 2011 | 13.8 | 15.5 | 5.5 | 39.1 | 64.1 | 57.1 | 55.5 | 51.0 |
| 2012 | 2.7 | 8.1 | 1.9 | 38.5 | 52.7 | 55.1 | 49.9 | 47.9 |
| 2013 | -0.5 | 2.0 | -1.6 | 29.8 | 48.5 | 53.8 | 49.4 | 47.8 |
| 2013 Q4 | 1.7 | 3.9 | -1.8 | 28.5 | 53.6 | 54.2 | 50.9 | 48.2 |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 0.3 | 23.0 | 49.8 | 53.8 | 50.2 | 48.7 |
| Q2 | -0.9 | -0.6 | 0.1 | 15.0 | 48.7 | 53.9 | 50.0 | 48.7 |
| 2014 June | -0.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 14.6 | 51.8 | 54.9 | 50.4 | 49.2 |
| July | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 15.4 | 52.8 | 54.9 | 50.1 | 48.5 |
| Aug. | -0.5 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 12.9 | 51.8 | 53.4 | 50.3 | 48.3 |

Sources: European Commission Business and Consumer Surveys and Markit.

1) Difference between the percentages of respondents giving positive and negative replies.

2) See footnote 2 of Table 3.4.

5.5 Other prices and costs

(annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Whole economy (s.a.) | | | Labour cost index ¹⁾ | Negoti- ated wages | Non-energy commodity prices | | Oil prices |
|-----------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| | Unit labour costs | Compen- sation per employee | Hourly compens- ation | | | Import- weighted ²⁾ | Use- weighted ³⁾ | |
| 1991-95 | 2.5 | 4.4 | - | - | 4.2 | - | - | 14.4 -6.4 |
| 1996-00 | 0.9 | 2.0 | - | - | 2.4 | 5.1 | 4.2 | 18.6 19.0 |
| 2001-05 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 2.7 | - | 2.4 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 30.9 7.6 |
| 2006-10 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.7 | - | -5.2 | 10.3 | 7.7 | 55.3 6.3 |
| 2011 | 0.8 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 15.9 | 15.0 | 79.7 31.3 |
| 2012 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 2.2 | -5.2 | -1.7 | 86.6 8.7 |
| 2013 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.8 | -8.0 | -7.7 | 81.7 -5.7 |
| 2013 Q4 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.7 | -10.1 | -10.9 | 80.3 -5.0 |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.5 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.9 | -12.9 | -11.0 | 78.6 -7.4 |
| Q2 | . | . | . | . | 1.9 | -6.3 | -3.7 | 79.9 1.2 |
| 2014 June | - | - | - | - | - | -4.2 | -1.7 | 82.3 5.0 |
| July | - | - | - | - | - | -4.8 | -1.6 | 79.9 -2.4 |
| Aug. | - | - | - | - | - | -3.6 | -0.7 | 77.6 -6.0 |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations based on Thomson Reuters, European Commission (Eurostat and DG ECFIN), OECD and national data.

1) Excluding agriculture, fishing and forestry. Data are working day-adjusted.

2) Weighted according to the structure of euro area imports in the period 2004-06.

3) Weighted according to euro area domestic production plus imports minus exports in the period 2004-06.
Experimental data.

5.6 Gross domestic product deflators

(annual percentage changes)

| | GDP (market prices) | | | | | |
|---------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| | Total | Private consumption | Government consumption | Gross fixed capital formation | Exports of goods and services ¹⁾ | Imports of goods and services ¹⁾ |
| 1996-00 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.6 |
| 2001-05 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| 2006-10 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 1.4 |
| 2011 | 1.2 | 2.4 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 3.6 | 5.8 |
| 2012 | 1.3 | 2.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 2.4 |
| 2013 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 0.3 | -0.3 | -1.3 |
| 2013 Q2 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -1.2 |
| Q3 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.2 | -0.6 | -1.6 |
| Q4 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 0.2 | -0.9 | -1.9 |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.1 | -1.0 | -2.0 |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations.

1) Includes intra-euro area trade.

6 Euro area accounts

6.1 Euro area

Non-financial accounts

| | GDP | Consumption of fixed capital | Primary income receivable | Primary income payable | Net national income | Current transfers receivable | Current transfers payable | Net disposable income |
|---|-----|------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Annual percentage changes ¹⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 2.7 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 3.2 |
| 2011 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.4 |
| 2012 | 0.1 | 2.1 | -1.7 | -2.4 | 0.6 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 0.6 |
| 2013 Q1 | 0.0 | 1.8 | -2.2 | -2.8 | 0.4 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 0.2 |
| Q2 | 1.1 | 1.6 | -1.7 | -1.6 | 0.9 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 0.6 |
| Q3 | 1.6 | 1.7 | -1.3 | -1.2 | 1.5 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 1.3 |
| Q4 | 1.7 | 1.9 | -0.5 | -0.4 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 1.4 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.7 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---------|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | As a percentage of GDP | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 100.0 | 15.8 | 95.1 | 94.4 | 84.8 | 73.2 | 74.3 | 83.6 |
| 2013 | 100.0 | 15.9 | 92.7 | 92.0 | 84.8 | 73.9 | 75.3 | 83.5 |
| 2014 Q1 | 100.0 | 15.9 | 92.3 | 91.7 | 84.7 | 73.9 | 75.2 | 83.4 |

| | Net disposable income | Final consumption expenditure | Net saving | Net capital transfers | Net acquisition of non-financial assets | Gross fixed capital formation | Net lending/borrowing |
|---|-----------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Annual percentage changes ¹⁾ | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 25.1 | -15.7 | 6.3 | 2.7 | |
| 2011 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 3.5 | -30.0 | 0.9 | 1.7 | |
| 2012 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 8.6 | 66.0 | -4.8 | -3.7 | |
| 2013 Q1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.5 | 11.0 | -8.2 | -6.4 | |
| Q2 | 0.6 | 0.7 | -1.1 | 99.4 | -3.8 | -2.8 | |
| Q3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 2.3 | 27.8 | -0.2 | -1.5 | |
| Q4 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 5.7 | 68.0 | -0.3 | -0.2 | |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 11.4 | 36.2 | 1.4 | 2.3 | |

| | | | | | | | |
|---------|------------------------|------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|
| | As a percentage of GDP | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 83.6 | 79.5 | 4.1 | 0.1 | 18.9 | 18.7 | 1.2 |
| 2013 | 83.5 | 79.3 | 4.2 | 0.2 | 18.1 | 18.0 | 2.2 |
| 2014 Q1 | 83.4 | 79.2 | 4.2 | 0.2 | 18.1 | 18.0 | 2.3 |

Sources: ECB and Eurostat.

1) Annual observations are identical to the quarterly observations for the fourth quarter of the year.

6.2 Households¹⁾ Income, saving and investment

| | Gross disposable income | Compen- sation of emplo- yees | Operating, mixed and property income | Net current transfers receivable | Final consump- tion expenditure | Gross saving | Gross fixed capital formation | Changes in net worth |
|--|-------------------------------|--|---|---|--|------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Annual percentage changes ²⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3.1 | -4.5 | 3.1 | -5.4 | 1.3 | |
| 2011 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.0 | -5.3 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 1.8 | |
| 2012 | -0.7 | 0.5 | -0.7 | -5.8 | 0.5 | -8.0 | -3.1 | |
| 2013 Q1 | 0.0 | 0.5 | -0.5 | -1.2 | -0.3 | 1.9 | -4.7 | |
| Q2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | -0.3 | -1.4 | 0.6 | -2.5 | -3.0 | |
| Q3 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.6 | -2.8 | 1.0 | 0.6 | -1.3 | |
| Q4 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 2.2 | -1.1 | 1.1 | 5.6 | -1.2 | |
| 2014 Q1 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 0.7 | -5.3 | 1.2 | -1.8 | 0.2 | |
| As a percentage of households' gross disposable income; adjusted ³⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 99.1 | 74.5 | 36.8 | -12.2 | 87.0 | 13.0 | 8.8 | 6.6 |
| 2013 | 99.1 | 74.6 | 36.8 | -12.3 | 86.9 | 13.1 | 8.5 | 6.6 |
| 2014 Q1 | 99.1 | 74.7 | 36.8 | -12.4 | 87.0 | 13.0 | 8.5 | 6.5 |
| Financial investment and financing (loans) | | | | | | | | |
| | Financial investment | Currency and deposits | Short- term debt securities | Long- term debt securities | Shares and other equity | Insurance technical reserves | Loans taken | From MFIs |
| Annual growth rates | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 2.5 | 2.7 | -34.0 | -1.6 | 1.0 | 4.7 | 1.9 | 2.9 |
| 2011 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 80.9 | 4.7 | -0.6 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.5 |
| 2012 | 1.9 | 3.5 | -2.5 | -6.4 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| 2013 Q1 | 1.9 | 3.4 | -22.0 | -8.1 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| Q2 | 1.8 | 3.3 | -29.1 | -8.8 | 2.8 | 2.7 | -0.2 | 0.0 |
| Q3 | 1.7 | 3.1 | -40.3 | -9.9 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Q4 | 1.6 | 2.6 | -35.5 | -9.4 | 2.7 | 2.9 | -0.3 | -0.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.5 | 2.3 | -30.6 | -8.5 | 1.7 | 3.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| Outstanding amounts as a percentage of households' gross disposable income; adjusted ³⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 315.2 | 111.8 | 0.9 | 21.4 | 71.9 | 99.2 | 98.3 | 84.0 |
| 2013 | 326.0 | 113.9 | 0.5 | 19.0 | 80.4 | 102.6 | 97.0 | 83.1 |
| 2014 Q1 | 330.9 | 114.1 | 0.5 | 19.2 | 82.9 | 104.5 | 96.7 | 82.8 |

Sources: ECB and Eurostat.

- Households and non-profit institutions serving households.
- Annual observations are identical to the quarterly observations for the fourth quarter of the year.
- Net adjustment for the change in the net equity of households in pension fund reserves (i.e. receivables minus payables), based on four-quarter cumulated transactions.

6.3 Non-financial corporations

Value added, entrepreneurial income, saving and investment

| | Gross value added | Net entrepreneurial income | Net saving | Net acquisition of non-financial assets | Gross fixed capital formation | Consumption of fixed capital | Net lending/borrowing |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------|------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Annual percentage changes ¹⁾ | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 3.9 | 19.0 | | 261.3 | 5.3 | 2.9 | |
| 2011 | 1.9 | -5.9 | | 17.9 | 4.2 | 3.2 | |
| 2012 | -0.1 | -5.3 | | -70.7 | -3.7 | 2.5 | |
| 2013 Q1 | -0.3 | 1.0 | | -51.7 | -7.8 | 2.0 | |
| Q2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | | -32.3 | -2.0 | 1.8 | |
| Q3 | 1.4 | 3.6 | | -10.3 | -1.7 | 1.9 | |
| Q4 | 1.9 | 1.4 | | 5.0 | 1.5 | 2.0 | |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.6 | 0.2 | | -8.4 | 3.9 | 1.7 | |
| As a percentage of gross value added | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 100.0 | 25.7 | 1.0 | 2.8 | 19.9 | 17.5 | -0.4 |
| 2013 | 100.0 | 25.9 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 19.2 | 17.7 | 1.0 |
| 2014 Q1 | 100.0 | 25.8 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 19.3 | 17.7 | 1.1 |

Financial investment and financing

| | Financial investment | Currency and deposits | Shares and other equity | Financing | | | | |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-------|-------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | | Total | Debt | Loans taken | | Shares and other equity |
| | | | | | | From MFIs | From other sources | |
| Annual growth rates | | | | | | | | |
| 2010 | 4.3 | 5.0 | 3.1 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.2 | -0.5 | 1.9 |
| 2011 | 3.2 | 4.1 | 3.3 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 1.6 |
| 2012 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 0.4 | -2.9 | 1.5 |
| 2013 Q1 | 1.5 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 0.2 | -2.7 | 1.3 |
| Q2 | 1.0 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.4 | -0.7 | -3.4 | 1.3 |
| Q3 | 1.1 | 4.9 | 0.9 | 0.7 | -0.4 | -1.5 | -3.1 | 1.5 |
| Q4 | 1.4 | 6.0 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | -1.0 | -2.8 | 1.6 |
| 2014 Q1 | 1.0 | 5.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | -0.1 | -1.1 | -2.6 | 1.4 |
| Outstanding amounts as a percentage of gross value added | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 361.6 | 42.6 | 167.2 | 484.5 | 206.7 | 178.3 | 92.1 | 277.2 |
| 2013 | 377.4 | 44.3 | 182.1 | 514.3 | 204.6 | 175.1 | 87.4 | 309.0 |
| 2014 Q1 | 379.1 | 43.0 | 185.9 | 519.4 | 204.0 | 174.0 | 87.3 | 314.8 |

Sources: ECB and Eurostat.

1) Annual observations are identical to the quarterly observations for the fourth quarter of the year.

7 Euro area government finance

7.1 General government revenue, expenditure, deficit/surplus and borrowing requirement

(as a percentage of GDP; four-quarter moving sum for quarterly data)

| | Total revenue | | | Interest | Deficit(-)/surplus(+) | Borrowing requirement | | |
|---------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------|-----|
| | Direct taxes | Indirect taxes | Social contributions | | | | | |
| 2010 | 44.8 | 11.5 | 12.7 | 15.7 | 51.0 | 2.8 | -6.2 | 7.8 |
| 2011 | 45.3 | 11.9 | 12.8 | 15.7 | 49.4 | 3.0 | -4.1 | 4.0 |
| 2012 | 46.2 | 12.4 | 13.0 | 15.9 | 49.9 | 3.1 | -3.7 | 5.3 |
| 2013 | 46.8 | 12.7 | 13.0 | 16.0 | 49.7 | 2.9 | -3.0 | 2.8 |
| 2014 Q1 | 46.8 | 12.7 | 13.1 | 15.9 | 49.7 | 2.9 | -2.8 | 2.8 |

Source: ECB.

7.2 General government debt

(Outstanding amounts at nominal value at end of period; as a percentage of GDP)

| | General government debt | | | | |
|---------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| | Total | Currency and deposits | Loans | Short-term securities | Long-term securities |
| 2010 | 85.5 | 2.5 | 15.5 | 7.3 | 60.2 |
| 2011 | 87.4 | 2.5 | 15.5 | 7.4 | 62.0 |
| 2012 | 90.7 | 2.6 | 17.4 | 6.8 | 63.9 |
| 2013 | 92.6 | 2.6 | 16.9 | 6.3 | 66.8 |
| 2014 Q1 | 93.9 | 2.6 | 16.8 | 6.4 | 68.1 |

Source: ECB.

8 Monetary policy

8.1 Key ECB interest rates

(levels in percentages per annum; changes in percentage points)

| With effect from: | Deposit facility | | Main refinancing operations | | Marginal lending facility | | |
|-------------------|------------------|--------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | | Fixed rate tender procedures | Variable rate tender procedures | | | |
| | Level | Change | Level | Level | Change | Level | Change |
| 2001 31 Aug. | 3.25 | -0.25 | - | 4.25 | -0.25 | 5.25 | -0.25 |
| 18 Sep. | 2.75 | -0.50 | - | 3.75 | -0.50 | 4.75 | -0.50 |
| 9 Nov. | 2.25 | -0.50 | - | 3.25 | -0.50 | 4.25 | -0.50 |
| 2002 6 Dec. | 1.75 | -0.50 | - | 2.75 | -0.50 | 3.75 | -0.50 |
| 2003 7 Mar. | 1.50 | -0.25 | - | 2.50 | -0.25 | 3.50 | -0.25 |
| 6 June | 1.00 | -0.50 | - | 2.00 | -0.50 | 3.00 | -0.50 |
| 2005 6 Dec. | 1.25 | 0.25 | - | 2.25 | 0.25 | 3.25 | 0.25 |
| 2006 8 Mar. | 1.50 | 0.25 | - | 2.50 | 0.25 | 3.50 | 0.25 |
| 15 June | 1.75 | 0.25 | - | 2.75 | 0.25 | 3.75 | 0.25 |
| 9 Aug. | 2.00 | 0.25 | - | 3.00 | 0.25 | 4.00 | 0.25 |
| 11 Oct. | 2.25 | 0.25 | - | 3.25 | 0.25 | 4.25 | 0.25 |
| 13 Dec. | 2.50 | 0.25 | - | 3.50 | 0.25 | 4.50 | 0.25 |
| 2007 14 Mar. | 2.75 | 0.25 | - | 3.75 | 0.25 | 4.75 | 0.25 |
| 13 June | 3.00 | 0.25 | - | 4.00 | 0.25 | 5.00 | 0.25 |
| 2008 9 July | 3.25 | 0.25 | - | 4.25 | 0.25 | 5.25 | 0.25 |
| 8 Oct. | 2.75 | -0.50 | - | - | - | 4.75 | -0.50 |
| 9 | 3.25 | 0.50 | - | - | - | 4.25 | -0.50 |
| 15 ¹⁾ | 3.25 | ... | 3.75 | - | -0.50 | 4.25 | ... |
| 12 Nov. | 2.75 | -0.50 | 3.25 | - | -0.50 | 3.75 | -0.50 |
| 10 Dec. | 2.00 | -0.75 | 2.50 | - | -0.75 | 3.00 | -0.75 |
| 2009 21 Jan. | 1.00 | -1.00 | 2.00 | - | -0.50 | 3.00 | ... |
| 11 Mar. | 0.50 | -0.50 | 1.50 | - | -0.50 | 2.50 | -0.50 |
| 8 Apr. | 0.25 | -0.25 | 1.25 | - | -0.25 | 2.25 | -0.25 |
| 13 May | 0.25 | ... | 1.00 | - | -0.25 | 1.75 | -0.50 |
| 2011 13 Apr. | 0.50 | 0.25 | 1.25 | - | 0.25 | 2.00 | 0.25 |
| 13 July | 0.75 | 0.25 | 1.50 | - | 0.25 | 2.25 | 0.25 |
| 9 Nov. | 0.50 | -0.25 | 1.25 | - | -0.25 | 2.00 | -0.25 |
| 14 Dec. | 0.25 | -0.25 | 1.00 | - | -0.25 | 1.75 | -0.25 |
| 2012 11 July | 0.00 | -0.25 | 0.75 | - | -0.25 | 1.50 | -0.25 |
| 2013 8 May | 0.00 | ... | 0.50 | - | -0.25 | 1.00 | -0.50 |
| 13 Nov. | 0.00 | ... | 0.25 | - | -0.25 | 0.75 | -0.25 |
| 2014 11 June | -0.10 | -0.10 | 0.15 | - | -0.10 | 0.40 | -0.35 |
| 10 Sep. | -0.20 | -0.10 | 0.05 | - | -0.10 | 0.30 | -0.10 |

Source: ECB.

- 1) On 8 October 2008 the ECB announced that, starting from the operation to be settled on 15 October 2008, the weekly main refinancing operations would be carried out through fixed rate tender procedures with full allotment at the interest rate on the main refinancing operations.

8.2 Eurosystem monetary policy operations allotted through tender procedures

(EUR millions; interest rates in percentages per annum)

| Date of settlement | Bids (amount) | Number of participants | Allotment (amount) | Fixed rate tender procedures | Variable rate tender procedures | | | Running for (...) days |
|--|---------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| | | | | | Fixed rate | Minimum bid rate | Marginal rate ¹⁾ | |
| Main refinancing operations | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 21 May | 131,957 | 193 | 131,957 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 28 | 174,002 | 267 | 174,002 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 4 June | 149,351 | 229 | 149,351 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 11 | 136,766 | 193 | 136,766 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 18 | 97,887 | 150 | 97,887 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 25 | 115,041 | 151 | 115,041 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 2 July | 97,103 | 124 | 97,103 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 9 | 94,150 | 138 | 94,150 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 16 | 99,908 | 142 | 99,908 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 23 | 97,887 | 139 | 97,887 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 30 | 133,304 | 162 | 133,304 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 6 Aug. | 107,922 | 131 | 107,922 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 13 | 108,203 | 132 | 108,203 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 20 | 107,612 | 131 | 107,612 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 27 | 131,762 | 135 | 131,762 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| 3 Sep. | 111,199 | 124 | 111,199 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 7 |
| Longer-term refinancing operations ²⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2013 11 Dec. | 10,143 | 31 | 10,143 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 35 |
| 19 | 20,914 | 76 | 20,914 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 98 |
| 2014 15 Jan. | 7,092 | 28 | 7,092 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 28 |
| 30 | 4,955 | 69 | 4,955 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 92 |
| 12 Feb. | 6,480 | 30 | 6,480 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 28 |
| 27 | 6,297 | 63 | 6,297 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 91 |
| 12 Mar. | 7,522 | 30 | 7,522 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 28 |
| 27 | 11,617 | 83 | 11,617 | 0.23 | - | - | - | 91 |
| 9 Apr. | 28,023 | 35 | 28,023 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 35 |
| 2 May | 13,193 | 97 | 13,193 | 0.19 | - | - | - | 90 |
| 14 | 32,335 | 54 | 32,335 | 0.25 | - | - | - | 28 |
| 29 | 10,949 | 89 | 10,949 | 0.16 | - | - | - | 91 |
| 11 June | 9,970 | 44 | 9,970 | 0.15 | - | - | - | 28 |
| 26 ³⁾ | 10,386 | 84 | 10,386 | . | - | - | - | 91 |
| 31 July ³⁾ | 6,786 | 91 | 6,786 | . | - | - | - | 91 |
| 28 Aug. ³⁾ | 7,244 | 72 | 7,244 | . | - | - | - | 91 |

Source: ECB.

1) In liquidity-providing (absorbing) operations, the marginal rate is the lowest (highest) rate at which bids were accepted.

2) For the operations settled on 22 December 2011 and 1 March 2012, after one year counterparties have the option to repay any part of the liquidity that they have been allotted in these operations, on any day that coincides with the settlement day of a main refinancing operation.

3) In this longer-term refinancing operation, the rate at which all bids are satisfied is indexed to the average minimum bid rate in the main refinancing operations over the life of the operation.

8.3 Monetary developments in the euro area

Monetary aggregates and main components

(annual percentage changes,¹⁾ unless otherwise indicated; seasonally adjusted; end of period)

| | | | | M1 | M2-M1 ²⁾ | M3-M2 ³⁾ | M3 |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|--------|
| | Currency in circulation | Overnight deposits | E-money ⁴⁾ | | | | |
| 2009 | 6.3 | 13.6 | 46.4 | 12.3 | -8.9 | -11.5 | -0.3 |
| 2010 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 42.1 | 4.4 | -0.4 | -8.2 | 1.1 |
| 2011 | 6.1 | 1.1 | 26.1 | 1.9 | 1.9 | -0.9 | 1.6 |
| 2012 | 2.4 | 7.2 | 30.6 | 6.4 | 2.1 | -6.6 | 3.5 |
| 2013 | 5.3 | 5.8 | 17.0 | 5.7 | -1.7 | -16.2 | 1.0 |
| 2014 Mar. | 6.5 | 5.4 | 15.6 | 5.6 | -2.3 | -13.6 | 1.0 |
| Apr. | 5.3 | 5.2 | 19.6 | 5.2 | -2.4 | -14.2 | 0.8 |
| May | 5.5 | 4.9 | 20.0 | 5.0 | -1.9 | -12.1 | 1.1 |
| June | 5.5 | 5.3 | 19.1 | 5.4 | -1.8 | -8.8 | 1.6 |
| July | 5.6 | 5.6 | 21.7 | 5.6 | -1.8 | -6.8 | 1.8 |
| Outstanding amounts (EUR billions) | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 844 | 3,963 | 3.09 | 4,807 | 3,801 | 892 | 9,499 |
| 2012 | 864 | 4,243 | 4.03 | 5,107 | 3,882 | 790 | 9,779 |
| 2013 | 910 | 4,482 | 4.72 | 5,391 | 3,812 | 625 | 9,828 |
| 2014 July | 935 | 4,662 | 5.33 | 5,598 | 3,807 | 611 | 10,016 |

Main components of the annual growth rate of M3

(contributions in percentage points; seasonally adjusted; end of period)

| | | | | M1 | M2-M1 ²⁾ | M3-M2 ³⁾ | M3 |
|-----------|-------------------------|--------------------|-----|------|---------------------|---------------------|----|
| | Currency in circulation | Overnight deposits | | | | | |
| 2009 | 0.5 | 5.1 | 5.6 | -4.1 | -1.8 | -0.3 | |
| 2010 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 2.1 | -0.2 | -0.9 | 1.1 | |
| 2011 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 0.7 | -0.1 | 1.6 | |
| 2012 | 0.2 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 0.8 | -0.6 | 3.5 | |
| 2013 | 0.5 | 2.5 | 2.9 | -0.7 | -1.3 | 1.0 | |
| 2014 Mar. | 0.6 | 2.4 | 2.9 | -0.9 | -1.0 | 1.0 | |
| Apr. | 0.5 | 2.3 | 2.7 | -0.9 | -1.0 | 0.8 | |
| May | 0.5 | 2.2 | 2.7 | -0.7 | -0.9 | 1.1 | |
| June | 0.5 | 2.4 | 2.9 | -0.7 | -0.6 | 1.6 | |
| July | 0.5 | 2.5 | 3.0 | -0.7 | -0.5 | 1.8 | |

Source: ECB.

1) Growth rates are adjusted for non-transaction-related changes.

2) Deposits with an agreed maturity of up to two years and deposits redeemable at notice of up to three months.

3) Money market fund shares/units, debt securities issued with a maturity of up to two years and repurchase agreements.

4) Not seasonally adjusted. Growth rates not adjusted for non-transaction-related changes.

8.4 Counterparts of euro area monetary aggregates

Main counterparts of M3

(annual percentage changes,¹⁾ unless otherwise indicated; seasonally adjusted; end of period)

| | Credit ²⁾ | | | | Longer-term financial liabilities |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| | | To general government | To other euro area residents | Loans | |
| 2009 | 2.5 | 11.6 | 0.7 | -0.1 | 6.5 |
| 2010 | 3.3 | 12.0 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 3.7 |
| 2011 | 0.9 | 3.2 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 2.9 |
| 2012 | 0.5 | 5.8 | -0.8 | -0.6 | -1.5 |
| 2013 | -2.0 | -0.7 | -2.3 | -2.3 | -1.2 |
| 2014 Mar. | -2.2 | -0.9 | -2.5 | -2.2 | -1.0 |
| Apr. | -2.2 | -0.9 | -2.5 | -1.8 | -1.0 |
| May | -2.3 | -1.4 | -2.6 | -2.0 | -1.2 |
| June | -2.3 | -2.6 | -2.2 | -1.8 | -1.6 |
| July | -1.9 | -1.8 | -2.0 | -1.6 | -1.3 |
| Outstanding amounts (EUR billions) | | | | | |
| 2011 | 16,451 | 3,165 | 13,286 | 11,018 | 7,678 |
| 2012 | 16,461 | 3,406 | 13,055 | 10,854 | 7,569 |
| 2013 | 16,096 | 3,402 | 12,694 | 10,540 | 7,303 |
| 2014 July | 16,041 | 3,465 | 12,576 | 10,437 | 7,295 |

Breakdown of the annual growth rate of M3 by counterpart

(contributions in percentage points; seasonally adjusted; end of period)

| | MFI assets | | | | Minus longer-term financial liabilities | Minus liabilities against central government | Plus other | M3 |
|-----------|------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---|--|------------|-----------|
| | | Credit to general government | Credit to other euro area residents | Net external assets | | | | |
| 2009 | 5.9 | 3.4 | 1.1 | -0.1 | 1.4 | 4.6 | 0.0 | -1.6 -0.3 |
| 2010 | 4.9 | 3.7 | 2.0 | 2.0 | -0.8 | 2.8 | 0.2 | -0.9 1.1 |
| 2011 | 3.3 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 0.0 | 0.6 1.6 |
| 2012 | 1.9 | 1.9 | -1.1 | -0.7 | 1.1 | -1.2 | -0.1 | 0.3 3.5 |
| 2013 | 0.3 | -0.3 | -3.1 | -2.5 | 3.7 | -0.9 | -0.5 | -0.7 1.0 |
| 2014 Mar. | 0.2 | -0.3 | -3.3 | -2.4 | 3.9 | -0.8 | -0.4 | -0.3 1.0 |
| Apr. | 0.2 | -0.3 | -3.3 | -1.9 | 3.8 | -0.8 | 0.0 | -0.1 0.8 |
| May | -0.3 | -0.5 | -3.4 | -2.2 | 3.6 | -0.9 | -0.3 | 0.2 1.1 |
| June | 0.1 | -0.9 | -2.9 | -1.9 | 3.9 | -1.2 | -0.3 | 0.0 1.6 |
| July | 1.0 | -0.6 | -2.5 | -1.7 | 4.2 | -0.9 | -0.3 | -0.4 1.8 |

Source: ECB.

1) Growth rates are adjusted for non-transaction-related changes.

2) MFI loans granted to non-MFIs resident in the euro area and MFI holdings of securities issued by non-MFIs in the euro area.

8.5 Euro area investment fund shares issued by investment policy

(EUR billions; outstanding amounts at end of period; transactions during period)

| | Total | Funds by investment policy | | | | | | Memo item: Money market funds |
|---------------------|-------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------|--|
| | | Bond funds | Equity funds | Mixed funds | Real estate funds | Hedge funds | Other funds | |
| Outstanding amounts | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 June | 7,915 | 2,659 | 2,230 | 2,000 | 357 | 171 | 499 | 824 |
| Transactions | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 Feb. | 58.5 | 22.7 | 13.0 | 20.6 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 4.9 |
| Mar. | 4.6 | 13.3 | -12.5 | 10.0 | 1.4 | -4.7 | -3.0 | -19.6 |
| Apr. | 39.5 | 7.2 | 21.1 | 13.2 | 1.9 | -3.3 | -0.6 | 0.8 |
| May | 69.4 | 21.6 | 13.2 | 22.2 | 7.4 | 0.8 | 4.2 | -2.5 |
| June | 46.6 | 6.0 | -0.5 | 28.8 | -4.0 | 4.9 | 11.4 | -16.5 |

8.6 Euro area financial vehicle corporations

(EUR billions; outstanding amounts at end of period; transactions during period)

| | | Total assets | | | Liabilities | |
|---------------------|-------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| | | Deposits and loan claims | Securitised loans | | Securities other than shares | Debt securities issued |
| | | | Originated by euro area MFIs | | | |
| Outstanding amounts | | | | | | |
| 2014 Q2 | 1,861 | 237 | 1,250 | 976 | 165 | 1,467 |
| Transactions | | | | | | |
| 2013 Q2 | -32.5 | -15.3 | -16.6 | -8.0 | 1.5 | -15.0 |
| Q3 | -39.8 | -6.9 | -21.5 | -9.3 | -12.7 | -35.5 |
| Q4 | -45.5 | -11.3 | -34.3 | -21.6 | -0.5 | -39.5 |
| 2014 Q1 | -41.7 | -11.1 | -27.9 | -27.6 | -2.4 | -43.5 |
| Q2 | -20.1 | -16.4 | 1.0 | 4.5 | 0.7 | -4.8 |

8.7 Euro area insurance corporations and pension funds

(EUR billions; outstanding amounts at end of period)

| | | Total financial assets | | Liabilities | | | |
|---------|-------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|---|---|
| | | Securities other than shares | Issued by euro area General government | Investment funds shares | Insurance technical reserves | | |
| | | | | | Net equity of households in life insurance reserves | Net equity of households in pension fund reserves | Prepayments of insurance premiums and reserves for outstand. claims |
| 2013 Q2 | 7,730 | 3,098 | 1,431 | 1,908 | 3,518 | 2,220 | 839 |
| Q3 | 7,822 | 3,114 | 1,433 | 1,984 | 3,559 | 2,197 | 838 |
| Q4 | 7,921 | 3,186 | 1,509 | 2,027 | 3,601 | 2,238 | 835 |
| 2014 Q1 | 8,181 | 3,282 | 1,583 | 2,098 | 3,667 | 2,297 | 868 |

Source: ECB.

8.8 Euro area minimum reserve statistics

(EUR billions; interest rates as percentages per annum)

| Reserve base as at/ maintenance period ending in: | Reserve base | | | Reserve maintenance | | |
|---|--------------|---|--|----------------------|--|--|
| | Total | Liabilities to which a positive ¹⁾ reserve coefficient is applied | Liabilities to which a 0% reserve coefficient is applied | Required reserves | Credit institutions' current accounts | Interest rate on minimum reserves |
| 2014 Mar. | 17,978 | 10,439 | 7,539 | 102.8 | 201.1 | 0.25 |
| Apr. | 18,036 | 10,489 | 7,546 | 103.6 | 195.2 | 0.25 |
| May | 18,077 | 10,547 | 7,530 | 103.5 | 191.2 | 0.25 |
| June | 17,990 | 10,569 | 7,422 | 103.9 | 192.3 | 0.25 |
| July | . | . | . | 104.4 | 214.3 | 0.15 |
| Aug. | . | . | . | 105.0 | 210.2 | 0.15 |
| Sep. | . | . | . | 105.2 | . | . |

Source: ECB.

- 1) A coefficient of 1% is applied as of the maintenance period beginning on 18 January 2012.
A coefficient of 2% is applied to all previous maintenance periods.

8.9 Assets of the banking system and selected non-bank financial intermediaries of the euro area

(outstanding amounts in EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; end of period)

| | Credit institutions | Eurosystem | Money market funds | Investment funds | Financial vehicle corporations | Insurance corporations and pension funds |
|---------|------------------------|------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 2012 | 31,772 | 5,288 | 923 | 7,182 | 2,062 | 7,772 |
| 2013 | 29,614 | 4,073 | 830 | 7,942 | 1,916 | 8,075 |
| 2013 Q3 | 30,528 | 4,303 | 857 | 7,779 | 1,960 | 7,975 |
| Q4 | 29,614 | 4,073 | 830 | 7,942 | 1,916 | 8,075 |
| 2014 Q1 | 29,743 | 3,916 | 843 | 8,368 | 1,885 | 8,336 |

Source: ECB.

8.10 EU consolidated banking data¹⁾

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; end of period)

| | Domestic credit institutions | | | | Foreign-controlled subsidiaries and branches | |
|--------------|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----------------|
| | Number | Total assets | Return on equity (%) | Overall solvency ratio (%) | Number | Total assets |
| 2011 | 3,694 | 35,926 | -0.78 | 13.49 | 1,046 | 8,978 |
| 2012 | 3,610 | 35,471 | -1.57 | 14.65 | 1,032 | 8,141 |
| 2013 | 3,561 | 32,381 | 2.19 | 15.95 | 1,027 | 7,087 |
| 2013 30 June | 3,593 | 34,425 | 5.98 | 15.38 | 1,018 | 7,499 |

Source: ECB.

- 1) Data are fully consolidated on a cross-border and cross-sector basis and refer to the changing composition of EU.

9 Financial market developments

9.1 Securities issued by euro area residents: outstanding amounts

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; outstanding amounts at end of period; nominal or market values¹⁾)

| | Debt securities | | | | | Equity securities Quoted shares | |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------|------------------------------------|--|
| | of which: ²⁾ | | | of which: issued in euro (%) | | | |
| | Short-term | Long-term fixed rate | Long-term variable rate | | | | |
| 2011 | 16,444 | 1,595 | 9,900 | 4,449 | 88.7 | 3,882 | |
| 2012 | 16,598 | 1,488 | 10,434 | 4,247 | 88.4 | 4,504 | |
| 2013 | 16,362 | 1,281 | 10,680 | 3,988 | 88.4 | 5,568 | |
| 2013 Oct. | 16,494 | 1,409 | 10,666 | 4,000 | 88.3 | 5,411 | |
| Nov. | 16,581 | 1,389 | 10,740 | 4,031 | 88.3 | 5,502 | |
| Dec. | 16,362 | 1,281 | 10,680 | 3,988 | 88.4 | 5,568 | |
| 2014 Jan. | 16,470 | 1,379 | 10,685 | 3,995 | 88.0 | 5,485 | |
| Feb. | 16,530 | 1,388 | 10,745 | 3,981 | 88.1 | 5,758 | |
| Mar. | 16,477 | 1,391 | 10,753 | 3,916 | 88.1 | 5,809 | |
| Apr. | 16,436 | 1,361 | 10,762 | 3,894 | 88.1 | 5,842 | |
| May | 16,588 | 1,363 | 10,915 | 3,899 | 88.0 | 5,934 | |
| June | 16,541 | 1,329 | 10,942 | 3,857 | 87.9 | 5,952 | |

Source: ECB.

1) Nominal value for debt securities; market value for equity securities.

2) "Short-term", "long-term fixed rate" and "long-term variable rate" may not add up to the figures for total debt securities as the latter also includes long-term zero coupon bonds.

9.2 Debt securities issued by euro area residents: gross issues, redemptions and net issues

(EUR billions, unless otherwise indicated; transactions during period; nominal values)

| | Gross issues | | Redemptions | | Net issues | |
|-----------|--------------|------|-------------|------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | In euro (%) | | In euro (%) | | Seasonally adjusted | Non-seasonally adjusted ¹⁾ |
| 2011 | 12,012 | 90.2 | 11,416 | 90.1 | - | 612 |
| 2012 | 11,496 | 88.5 | 11,449 | 88.8 | - | 245 |
| 2013 | 8,750 | 82.6 | 9,012 | 83.2 | - | -202 |
| 2013 Oct. | 706 | 81.1 | 733 | 80.3 | -29 | -20 |
| Nov. | 670 | 80.4 | 595 | 78.0 | 9 | 85 |
| Dec. | 577 | 83.0 | 791 | 82.8 | -109 | -219 |
| 2014 Jan. | 890 | 83.0 | 818 | 88.5 | 64 | 90 |
| Feb. | 697 | 82.7 | 640 | 83.0 | 5 | 69 |
| Mar. | 677 | 85.8 | 721 | 84.3 | -44 | -54 |
| Apr. | 713 | 86.6 | 755 | 87.5 | -42 | -37 |
| May | 783 | 83.9 | 659 | 84.6 | 48 | 136 |
| June | 608 | 83.5 | 657 | 86.0 | -1 | -47 |

Source: ECB.

1) As a full breakdown of net issues into gross issues and redemptions may not be available in all countries, the difference between aggregated gross issues and redemptions may deviate from the aggregated net issues.

9.3 Euro-denominated debt securities issued by euro area residents: outstanding amounts and annual growth rates¹⁾ by sector of the issuer

(annual growth rates, unless otherwise indicated; outstanding amounts at end of period; nominal values)

| | Total economy | | MFIs including the Euro-system | Financial corporations other than MFIs | Non-financial corporations | Central government | Other general government | |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------|
| | EUR billions | Index: Dec. 2008 = 100 ¹⁾ | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 14,673 | 117.3 | 1.1 | -1.7 | -1.6 | 14.4 | 2.4 | 6.4 |
| 2013 | 14,467 | 115.5 | -1.5 | -10.4 | -4.5 | 8.3 | 4.8 | -0.3 |
| 2014 Jan. | 14,498 | 115.7 | -1.3 | -9.8 | -4.2 | 9.3 | 4.7 | -1.5 |
| Feb. | 14,557 | 116.2 | -1.0 | -9.3 | -3.7 | 8.0 | 4.7 | 0.8 |
| Mar. | 14,523 | 115.9 | -1.0 | -9.1 | -3.7 | 6.9 | 4.5 | 0.1 |
| Apr. | 14,480 | 115.6 | -1.2 | -9.0 | -5.3 | 5.5 | 4.8 | -0.5 |
| May | 14,590 | 116.4 | -1.0 | -8.8 | -3.3 | 6.4 | 4.1 | 0.9 |
| June | 14,537 | 116.0 | -1.0 | -9.2 | -3.7 | 7.1 | 4.1 | 2.3 |
| Outstanding amounts per sector (EUR billions) | | | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 14,673 | - | - | 4,488 | 2,637 | 793 | 6,153 | 602 |
| 2013 | 14,467 | - | - | 4,014 | 2,547 | 857 | 6,448 | 600 |
| 2014 June | 14,537 | - | - | 3,825 | 2,518 | 880 | 6,707 | 607 |

Source: ECB.

- 1) The index data and annual growth rates are shown as end-of-period values in order to ensure consistency with other information in this table.

9.4 Quoted shares issued by euro area residents: outstanding amounts and annual growth rates¹⁾ by sector of the issuer

(annual growth rates, unless otherwise indicated; outstanding amounts at end of period; market values)

| | Total economy | | | MFIs | Financial corporations other than MFIs | Non-financial corporations |
|---|---------------|--------------------------------------|-----|------|--|----------------------------|
| | EUR billions | Index: Dec. 2008 = 100 ¹⁾ | | | | |
| 2012 | 4,504 | 107.1 | 0.9 | 4.9 | 2.5 | 0.4 |
| 2013 | 5,568 | 108.0 | 0.9 | 7.3 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| 2014 Jan. | 5,485 | 108.2 | 1.0 | 8.9 | 0.6 | 0.1 |
| Feb. | 5,758 | 108.4 | 1.3 | 9.0 | 1.9 | 0.3 |
| Mar. | 5,809 | 108.4 | 1.5 | 9.0 | 2.0 | 0.6 |
| Apr. | 5,842 | 108.6 | 1.7 | 10.9 | 1.8 | 0.7 |
| May | 5,934 | 108.8 | 1.7 | 10.5 | 1.8 | 0.6 |
| June | 5,952 | 109.1 | 1.2 | 5.2 | 2.9 | 0.6 |
| Outstanding amounts per sector (EUR billions) | | | | | | |
| 2012 | 4,504 | - | - | 402 | 368 | 3,733 |
| 2013 | 5,568 | - | - | 569 | 476 | 4,523 |
| 2014 June | 5,952 | - | - | 630 | 478 | 4,844 |

Source: ECB.

- 1) The index data and annual growth rates are shown as end-of-period values in order to ensure consistency with other information in this table.

9.5 Money market interest rates

(percentages per annum; period averages)

| | Euro area | | | | | | United States | | Japan | |
|-----------|-----------|---------|----------|----------|--------|----------|---------------|---------|-------|-------|
| | EONIA | EURIBOR | | | | LIBOR | | LIBOR | | |
| | | 1 month | 3 months | 6 months | 1 year | 3 months | 3 months | Nominal | Real | |
| 2011 | 0.87 | 1.18 | 1.39 | -1.32 | 1.64 | 2.01 | 0.34 | -2.82 | 0.19 | 0.48 |
| 2012 | 0.23 | 0.33 | 0.57 | -1.92 | 0.83 | 1.11 | 0.43 | -1.64 | 0.19 | 0.23 |
| 2013 | 0.09 | 0.13 | 0.22 | -1.13 | 0.34 | 0.54 | 0.27 | -1.20 | 0.15 | -0.21 |
| 2013 Aug. | 0.08 | 0.13 | 0.23 | -1.12 | 0.34 | 0.54 | 0.26 | -1.25 | 0.15 | -0.75 |
| Sep. | 0.08 | 0.13 | 0.22 | -0.88 | 0.34 | 0.54 | 0.25 | -0.93 | 0.15 | -0.85 |
| Oct. | 0.09 | 0.13 | 0.23 | -0.50 | 0.34 | 0.54 | 0.24 | -0.72 | 0.15 | -0.96 |
| Nov. | 0.10 | 0.13 | 0.22 | -0.64 | 0.33 | 0.51 | 0.24 | -1.00 | 0.14 | -1.47 |
| Dec. | 0.17 | 0.21 | 0.27 | -0.57 | 0.37 | 0.54 | 0.24 | -1.26 | 0.15 | -1.47 |
| 2014 Jan. | 0.20 | 0.22 | 0.29 | -0.49 | 0.40 | 0.56 | 0.24 | -1.34 | 0.14 | -1.27 |
| Feb. | 0.16 | 0.22 | 0.29 | -0.43 | 0.39 | 0.55 | 0.24 | -0.89 | 0.14 | -1.37 |
| Mar. | 0.19 | 0.23 | 0.31 | -0.16 | 0.41 | 0.58 | 0.23 | -1.28 | 0.14 | -1.47 |
| Apr. | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.33 | -0.39 | 0.43 | 0.60 | 0.23 | -1.73 | 0.14 | -3.27 |
| May | 0.25 | 0.26 | 0.32 | -0.17 | 0.42 | 0.59 | 0.23 | -1.90 | 0.14 | -3.57 |
| June | 0.08 | 0.15 | 0.24 | -0.26 | 0.33 | 0.51 | 0.23 | -1.84 | 0.13 | -3.47 |
| July | 0.04 | 0.10 | 0.21 | -0.17 | 0.30 | 0.49 | 0.23 | -1.76 | 0.13 | -3.27 |
| Aug. | 0.02 | 0.09 | 0.19 | -0.11 | 0.29 | 0.47 | 0.23 | . | 0.13 | . |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by Thomson Reuters.

9.6 Interest rates implied by 3-month EURIBOR futures

(percentages per annum; period averages; by maturity date of futures contract)

| | Sep. 2014 | Dec. 2014 | Mar. 2015 | Jun. 2015 | Sep. 2015 | Dec. 2015 | Mar. 2016 |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 2011 | 2.71 | 2.85 | 2.95 | 3.06 | 3.16 | 3.26 | 3.33 |
| 2012 | 0.84 | 0.95 | 1.05 | 1.16 | 1.28 | 1.42 | 1.54 |
| 2013 | 0.44 | 0.51 | 0.57 | 0.66 | 0.75 | 0.85 | 0.97 |
| 2013 Aug. | 0.52 | 0.60 | 0.68 | 0.78 | 0.89 | 1.02 | 1.17 |
| Sep. | 0.49 | 0.58 | 0.69 | 0.81 | 0.94 | 1.08 | 1.24 |
| Oct. | 0.43 | 0.49 | 0.56 | 0.65 | 0.76 | 0.88 | 1.01 |
| Nov. | 0.30 | 0.34 | 0.39 | 0.46 | 0.55 | 0.65 | 0.77 |
| Dec. | 0.32 | 0.36 | 0.41 | 0.48 | 0.57 | 0.68 | 0.81 |
| 2014 Jan. | 0.30 | 0.33 | 0.38 | 0.45 | 0.53 | 0.64 | 0.76 |
| Feb. | 0.25 | 0.27 | 0.30 | 0.34 | 0.40 | 0.48 | 0.58 |
| Mar. | 0.29 | 0.30 | 0.33 | 0.37 | 0.42 | 0.48 | 0.57 |
| Apr. | 0.28 | 0.28 | 0.30 | 0.34 | 0.38 | 0.44 | 0.51 |
| May | 0.23 | 0.22 | 0.23 | 0.25 | 0.28 | 0.32 | 0.38 |
| June | 0.19 | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.19 | 0.21 | 0.24 | 0.28 |
| July | 0.20 | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.19 | 0.22 | 0.25 |
| Aug. | 0.18 | 0.17 | 0.16 | 0.16 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.22 |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by Bloomberg.

9.7 Euro area yield curves

(AAA-rated euro area central government bonds; end of period; rates in percentages per annum;
spreads in percentage points)

| | Spot rates | | | | | | | Instantaneous forward rates | | | |
|-----------|------------|--------|---------|---------|----------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| | 3 months | 1 year | 2 years | 5 years | 10 years | 10Y-3M spread | 10Y-2Y spread | 1 year | 2 years | 5 years | 10 years |
| 2013 July | 0.01 | 0.04 | 0.18 | 0.88 | 1.95 | 1.95 | 1.77 | 0.14 | 0.54 | 2.14 | 3.59 |
| | Aug. | 0.02 | 0.09 | 0.27 | 1.06 | 2.17 | 2.16 | 1.90 | 0.23 | 0.71 | 2.43 |
| | Sep. | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.22 | 0.94 | 2.05 | 2.03 | 1.84 | 0.17 | 0.60 | 2.25 |
| | Oct. | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.15 | 0.82 | 1.95 | 1.90 | 1.80 | 0.09 | 0.45 | 2.10 |
| | Nov. | 0.08 | 0.05 | 0.14 | 0.82 | 1.99 | 1.91 | 1.84 | 0.08 | 0.43 | 2.14 |
| | Dec. | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.25 | 1.07 | 2.24 | 2.16 | 1.99 | 0.18 | 0.67 | 2.53 |
| 2014 Jan. | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.11 | 0.77 | 1.89 | 1.80 | 1.79 | 0.04 | 0.37 | 2.06 | 3.61 |
| | Feb. | 0.14 | 0.09 | 0.16 | 0.79 | 1.88 | 1.74 | 1.72 | 0.09 | 0.41 | 2.03 |
| | Mar. | 0.16 | 0.11 | 0.17 | 0.76 | 1.82 | 1.66 | 1.65 | 0.11 | 0.40 | 1.94 |
| | Apr. | 0.13 | 0.09 | 0.16 | 0.71 | 1.72 | 1.60 | 1.56 | 0.10 | 0.38 | 1.81 |
| | May | 0.09 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.56 | 1.56 | 1.47 | 1.49 | 0.01 | 0.23 | 1.60 |
| | June | 0.05 | -0.01 | 0.02 | 0.47 | 1.44 | 1.39 | 1.42 | -0.04 | 0.16 | 1.46 |
| July | 0.04 | -0.02 | 0.01 | 0.43 | 1.34 | 1.30 | 1.33 | -0.04 | 0.14 | 1.35 | 2.91 |
| | Aug. | 0.00 | -0.06 | -0.05 | 0.28 | 1.03 | 1.03 | 1.08 | -0.09 | 0.04 | 1.01 |
| 2014 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aug. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by EuroMTS and ratings provided by Fitch Ratings.

9.8 Spreads between swaps and government bond yields

(percentage points; end of period)

| | Euro area | | | | | United States | | Japan | |
|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------------|----------|----------|----------|
| | 2 years | 3 years | 5 years | 7 years | 10 years | 10 years | 10 years | 10 years | 10 years |
| 2011 | -8.90 | -5.03 | -3.92 | -3.63 | -1.59 | 0.13 | -0.02 | | |
| 2012 | -0.68 | -0.87 | -0.97 | -1.66 | -0.49 | 0.03 | 0.00 | | |
| 2013 | -0.20 | -0.35 | -0.63 | -0.76 | -1.24 | 0.04 | 0.17 | | |
| 2013 Aug. | -0.44 | -0.45 | -0.68 | -0.68 | -0.98 | 0.16 | 0.17 | | |
| | Sep. | -0.47 | -0.51 | -0.75 | -0.59 | -1.20 | 0.14 | 0.17 | |
| | Oct. | -0.34 | -0.43 | -0.71 | -0.67 | -1.06 | 0.12 | 0.13 | |
| | Nov. | -0.19 | -0.35 | -0.61 | -0.75 | -1.18 | 0.07 | 0.15 | |
| | Dec. | -0.20 | -0.35 | -0.63 | -0.76 | -1.24 | 0.04 | 0.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| 2014 Jan. | -0.11 | -0.29 | -0.48 | -0.50 | -1.16 | 0.08 | 0.18 | | |
| | Feb. | -0.09 | -0.26 | -0.46 | -0.56 | -1.21 | 0.09 | 0.19 | |
| | Mar. | -0.03 | -0.23 | -0.34 | -0.54 | -1.07 | 0.09 | 0.17 | |
| | Apr. | 0.00 | -0.14 | -0.30 | -0.45 | -0.86 | 0.09 | 0.16 | |
| | May | -0.04 | -0.18 | -0.32 | -0.52 | -0.93 | 0.07 | 0.16 | |
| | June | 0.01 | -0.15 | -0.23 | -0.43 | -0.75 | 0.08 | 0.14 | |
| | July | 0.07 | -0.04 | -0.18 | -0.41 | -0.77 | 0.09 | 0.12 | |
| | Aug. | 0.12 | 0.00 | -0.15 | -0.42 | -0.76 | 0.12 | 0.11 | |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by Bloomberg.

9.9 Stock market indices

(index levels in points;¹⁾ rates of change in percentages; period averages)

| Dow Jones STOXX 50 | Europe | Euro area | | | United States | | | Japan | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|--|-----------------------|--|-------|--|--------|------|------|
| | Dow Jones EURO STOXX 50 | | | Standard & Poor's 500 | | | Nikkei 225 | | | |
| | Level | Level | Annual Volatil- ity ²⁾ rate of change | Level | Volatil- ity ²⁾ rate of change | Level | Volatil- ity ²⁾ rate of change | | | |
| 2011 | 2,450 | 2,611 | 9.22 | -5.8 | 1,268 | 5.85 | 11.6 | 9,425 | 2.81 | -5.6 |
| 2012 | 2,468 | 2,412 | 5.63 | -5.9 | 1,379 | 4.30 | 9.1 | 9,103 | 2.11 | -2.9 |
| 2013 | 2,731 | 2,794 | 5.34 | 15.9 | 1,644 | 5.09 | 19.0 | 13,578 | 2.99 | 49.0 |
| 2013 Dec. | 2,837 | 3,010 | 5.34 | 14.7 | 1,808 | 5.09 | 27.1 | 15,655 | 2.99 | 59.5 |
| 2014 Jan. | 2,918 | 3,092 | 5.17 | 13.9 | 1,822 | 5.19 | 23.1 | 15,578 | 2.13 | 44.9 |
| Feb. | 2,911 | 3,086 | 4.92 | 17.3 | 1,817 | 4.65 | 20.1 | 14,618 | 2.01 | 28.9 |
| Mar. | 2,878 | 3,094 | 4.68 | 15.4 | 1,864 | 4.83 | 20.2 | 14,695 | 2.22 | 20.0 |
| Apr. | 2,931 | 3,172 | 4.28 | 20.3 | 1,864 | 4.83 | 18.7 | 14,475 | 1.64 | 9.5 |
| May | 3,009 | 3,197 | 4.59 | 14.8 | 1,890 | 4.78 | 15.2 | 14,343 | 1.57 | -1.3 |
| June | 3,045 | 3,272 | 4.14 | 23.2 | 1,947 | 4.20 | 20.3 | 15,132 | 1.47 | 15.5 |
| July | 3,025 | 3,192 | 4.38 | 18.8 | 1,973 | 4.36 | 18.2 | 15,379 | 1.26 | 7.4 |
| Aug. | 2,969 | 3,089 | 4.42 | 10.2 | 1,962 | 4.68 | 17.5 | 15,359 | 1.41 | 11.9 |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters.

- The bases for the Dow Jones STOXX 50, Dow Jones EURO STOXX 50, Standard & Poor's 500 and Nikkei 225 indices are, respectively: 31 December 1991=1,000; 31 December 1991=1,000; the period 1941-43=10; and 16 May 1949=176.21.
- Values are based on the average daily implied volatility of the Dow Jones EURO STOXX 50, Standard & Poor's 500 and Nikkei 225 indices.

9.10 Euro area sectoral stock market indices

(index levels in points; index: 31 December 1991=100; period averages)

| | Dow Jones EURO STOXX main industry indices | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|--|----------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------|----------|----------------|
| | Basic ma- terials | Consumer | | Oil and gas | Finan- cial | Indus- trial | Tech- nology | Utilities | Telecoms | Health care |
| | | Services | Goods | | | | | | | |
| 2011 | 493 | 158 | 351 | 312 | 153 | 349 | 222 | 302 | 358 | 433 |
| 2012 | 504 | 152 | 386 | 307 | 122 | 330 | 219 | 236 | 269 | 523 |
| 2013 | 586 | 195 | 468 | 313 | 152 | 403 | 274 | 231 | 253 | 629 |
| 2013 Dec. | 631 | 212 | 491 | 316 | 170 | 444 | 307 | 245 | 282 | 634 |
| 2014 Jan. | 641 | 217 | 498 | 319 | 181 | 462 | 308 | 251 | 297 | 648 |
| Feb. | 644 | 219 | 502 | 319 | 183 | 460 | 304 | 261 | 292 | 638 |
| Mar. | 633 | 220 | 501 | 332 | 182 | 461 | 306 | 275 | 292 | 636 |
| Apr. | 638 | 220 | 519 | 349 | 186 | 471 | 304 | 279 | 299 | 642 |
| May | 661 | 218 | 522 | 362 | 182 | 470 | 300 | 281 | 315 | 657 |
| June | 672 | 221 | 532 | 369 | 186 | 475 | 312 | 295 | 321 | 669 |
| July | 660 | 215 | 523 | 361 | 178 | 454 | 312 | 292 | 309 | 660 |
| Aug. | 626 | 211 | 497 | 341 | 174 | 435 | 310 | 281 | 297 | 674 |

Sources: ECB calculations based on underlying data provided by Thomson Reuters.

9.11 Euro area MFI interest rates on deposits

(percentages per annum excluding charges; new business rates as period averages, unless otherwise indicated)

| | From households | | | | | | From non-financial corporations | | | |
|-----------|--------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| | Over-night ¹⁾ | Redeemable at notice of up to 3 months ¹⁾ | With an agreed maturity of: | | | Over-night ¹⁾ | With an agreed maturity of: | | | |
| | | | Up to 1 year | Over 1 and up to 2 years | Up to 2 years ²⁾ | | Up to 1 year | Over 1 and up to 2 years | Up to 2 years ²⁾ | |
| 2013 Oct. | 0.29 | 1.13 | 1.72 | 1.83 | 2.09 | 0.34 | 0.78 | 1.65 | 1.34 | |
| Nov. | 0.29 | 1.12 | 1.60 | 1.76 | 2.02 | 0.34 | 0.75 | 1.57 | 1.32 | |
| Dec. | 0.29 | 1.11 | 1.58 | 1.66 | 1.94 | 0.34 | 0.79 | 1.52 | 1.29 | |
| 2014 Jan. | 0.28 | 1.09 | 1.66 | 1.64 | 1.87 | 0.33 | 0.71 | 1.42 | 1.24 | |
| Feb. | 0.28 | 1.11 | 1.60 | 1.63 | 1.84 | 0.33 | 0.63 | 1.42 | 1.23 | |
| Mar. | 0.28 | 1.07 | 1.57 | 1.50 | 1.79 | 0.35 | 0.65 | 1.37 | 1.20 | |
| Apr. | 0.27 | 1.06 | 1.57 | 1.44 | 1.75 | 0.34 | 0.70 | 1.24 | 1.18 | |
| May | 0.27 | 1.05 | 1.42 | 1.31 | 1.70 | 0.34 | 0.61 | 1.26 | 1.18 | |
| June | 0.27 | 1.04 | 1.35 | 1.24 | 1.65 | 0.31 | 0.57 | 1.13 | 1.15 | |
| July | 0.24 | 1.01 | 1.32 | 1.21 | 1.59 | 0.28 | 0.57 | 1.14 | 1.11 | |

Source: ECB.

1) For this instrument category, the interest rates on outstanding amounts and new business coincide.

Mostly end-of-period rates.

2) Data are end-of-period values and represent rates on outstanding amounts.

9.12 Euro area MFI interest rates on loans

(percentages per annum excluding charges; new business rates as period averages, unless otherwise indicated)

| | To households | | | | | To non-financial corporations | | | |
|-----------|--|--|---------------------------|-------------------|--|---|--|--------------------|--|
| | Revolving loans and overdrafts ¹⁾ | Lending for house purchase | | | Revolving loans and overdrafts ¹⁾ | Loans with a maturity of over 5 years ²⁾ | Other loans with floating and up to 1 year IRF | | |
| | | Maturity of over 5 years ²⁾ | over 5 and up to 10 years | over 10 years IRF | | | Up to EUR 1 million | Over EUR 1 million | |
| 2013 Oct. | 7.67 | 3.35 | 3.12 | 3.27 | 4.14 | 3.12 | 3.86 | 2.25 | |
| Nov. | 7.64 | 3.34 | 3.15 | 3.31 | 4.08 | 3.12 | 3.84 | 2.28 | |
| Dec. | 7.63 | 3.33 | 3.15 | 3.32 | 4.12 | 3.14 | 3.79 | 2.29 | |
| 2014 Jan. | 7.69 | 3.31 | 3.12 | 3.31 | 4.16 | 3.13 | 3.85 | 2.25 | |
| Feb. | 7.65 | 3.37 | 3.09 | 3.27 | 4.11 | 3.17 | 3.81 | 2.18 | |
| Mar. | 7.65 | 3.33 | 3.03 | 3.23 | 4.08 | 3.13 | 3.79 | 2.26 | |
| Apr. | 7.61 | 3.31 | 3.00 | 3.24 | 4.12 | 3.14 | 3.79 | 2.25 | |
| May | 7.55 | 3.29 | 2.96 | 3.14 | 4.05 | 3.13 | 3.78 | 2.11 | |
| June | 7.58 | 3.29 | 2.89 | 3.09 | 4.02 | 3.13 | 3.59 | 2.09 | |
| July | 7.43 | 3.26 | 2.80 | 2.99 | 3.90 | 3.08 | 3.60 | 1.99 | |

Source: ECB.

1) For this instrument category, the interest rates on outstanding amounts and new business coincide.

Mostly end-of-period rates.

2) Data are end-of-period values and represent rates on outstanding amounts.

10 Payment and settlement systems

10.1 Transactions involving non-MFIs by type of payment instrument (period totals)

| | Volume of transactions | | | | Value of transactions | | | |
|--|------------------------|--------|---------------------|-------|-----------------------|---------|----------------------------|--------|
| | (millions) | | (number per capita) | | (EUR billions) | | (EUR thousands per capita) | |
| | Euro area | EU | Euro area | EU | Euro area | EU | Euro area | EU |
| Credit transfers | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 15,024 | 21,659 | 46.59 | 43.45 | 116,284 | 234,708 | 360.58 | 470.84 |
| 2009 | 15,758 | 22,501 | 47.89 | 44.99 | 108,765 | 196,334 | 330.54 | 392.60 |
| 2010 | 16,290 | 23,976 | 49.36 | 47.78 | 110,676 | 201,881 | 335.35 | 402.32 |
| 2011 | 16,878 | 24,944 | 50.77 | 49.60 | 120,563 | 214,078 | 362.67 | 425.72 |
| 2012 | 17,280 | 25,691 | 51.85 | 50.96 | 120,928 | 229,928 | 362.86 | 456.07 |
| Direct debits | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 16,598 | 20,287 | 51.47 | 40.70 | 13,375 | 15,095 | 41.47 | 30.28 |
| 2009 | 17,416 | 21,114 | 52.93 | 42.22 | 13,333 | 14,461 | 40.52 | 28.92 |
| 2010 | 18,046 | 22,015 | 54.68 | 43.87 | 14,805 | 16,074 | 44.86 | 32.03 |
| 2011 | 18,165 | 22,234 | 54.64 | 44.22 | 17,046 | 18,421 | 51.27 | 36.63 |
| 2012 | 18,565 | 22,750 | 55.71 | 45.12 | 16,775 | 18,280 | 50.33 | 36.26 |
| Card payments using cards issued in the country (except cards with an e-money function only) | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 18,088 | 29,668 | 56.09 | 59.52 | 983 | 1,666 | 3.05 | 3.34 |
| 2009 | 19,143 | 31,562 | 58.17 | 63.11 | 1,002 | 1,628 | 3.04 | 3.26 |
| 2010 | 20,618 | 34,174 | 62.47 | 68.10 | 1,074 | 1,782 | 3.25 | 3.55 |
| 2011 | 22,189 | 37,124 | 66.75 | 73.83 | 1,145 | 1,914 | 3.44 | 3.81 |
| 2012 | 23,581 | 39,818 | 70.76 | 78.98 | 1,204 | 2,044 | 3.61 | 4.05 |
| E-money purchases ¹⁾ | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 750 | 836 | 2.33 | 1.68 | 17 | 17 | 0.05 | 0.03 |
| 2009 | 856 | 915 | 2.60 | 1.83 | 21 | 21 | 0.06 | 0.04 |
| 2010 | 1,025 | 1,091 | 3.10 | 2.17 | 28 | 28 | 0.09 | 0.06 |
| 2011 | 1,260 | 1,286 | 3.79 | 2.56 | 38 | 38 | 0.11 | 0.07 |
| 2012 | 1,509 | 1,518 | 4.53 | 3.01 | 49 | 49 | 0.15 | 0.10 |
| Cheques | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 4,438 | 5,867 | 13.76 | 11.77 | 6,081 | 8,030 | 18.86 | 16.11 |
| 2009 | 4,125 | 5,427 | 12.54 | 10.85 | 5,004 | 6,482 | 15.21 | 12.96 |
| 2010 | 3,874 | 5,006 | 11.74 | 9.98 | 4,726 | 6,050 | 14.32 | 12.06 |
| 2011 | 3,648 | 4,632 | 10.97 | 9.21 | 4,354 | 5,502 | 13.10 | 10.94 |
| 2012 | 3,415 | 4,276 | 10.25 | 8.48 | 3,770 | 4,864 | 11.31 | 9.65 |
| Other payment instruments | | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | 528 | 541 | 1.64 | 1.09 | 1,668 | 1,676 | 5.17 | 3.36 |
| 2009 | 445 | 458 | 1.35 | 0.92 | 1,329 | 1,336 | 4.04 | 2.67 |
| 2010 | 404 | 416 | 1.22 | 0.83 | 1,129 | 1,136 | 3.42 | 2.26 |
| 2011 | 433 | 446 | 1.30 | 0.89 | 1,232 | 1,238 | 3.71 | 2.46 |
| 2012 | 443 | 455 | 1.33 | 0.90 | 1,195 | 1,202 | 3.59 | 2.38 |

Source: ECB.

1) E-money, or electronic money, is a monetary value, represented by a claim on the issuer, which is stored on an electronic device (e.g. a card or computer), issued upon receipt of funds in an amount not less in value than the monetary value and accepted as a means of payment by undertakings other than the issuer.

10.2 Payments processed by selected interbank funds transfer systems in the EU (period totals)

| | Volume of transactions | | Value of transactions | |
|--|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| | (millions) | (annual % change) | (EUR billions) | (annual % change; HICP adjusted) |
| TARGET/TARGET2 | | | | |
| 2009 | 88 | -1.37 | 534,378 | -13.36 |
| 2010 | 87 | -0.74 | 631,056 | 15.53 |
| 2011 | 89 | 2.08 | 651,278 | 0.44 |
| 2012 | 90 | 1.23 | 711,014 | 6.80 |
| EURO1/STEP1 | | | | |
| 2009 | 58 | -9.19 | 65,204 | -12.01 |
| 2010 | 59 | 1.85 | 62,208 | -6.66 |
| 2011 | 62 | 4.97 | 64,020 | 0.16 |
| 2012 | 67 | 6.85 | 57,907 | -11.51 |
| CLS ¹⁾ (totals processed in euro) | | | | |
| 2009 | 32 | 13.11 | 131,666 | -10.42 |
| 2010 | 42 | 32.45 | 161,791 | 20.22 |
| 2011 | 45 | 7.90 | 182,482 | 9.77 |
| 2012 | 37 | -17.81 | 185,881 | -0.35 |
| Other EU large-value payment systems processing euro | | | | |
| 2009 | 25 | -1.56 | 414 | -66.72 |
| 2010 | 25 | -1.71 | 356 | -15.87 |
| 2011 | 25 | -0.04 | 418 | 14.28 |
| 2012 | 26 | 4.43 | 386 | -9.58 |
| EU large-value payment systems processing other currencies | | | | |
| 2009 | 493 | -21.30 | 112,537 | -21.92 |
| 2010 | 512 | 3.99 | 113,143 | -1.64 |
| 2011 | 537 | 4.85 | 120,875 | 3.97 |
| 2012 | 557 | 3.81 | 138,934 | 12.44 |
| EU retail systems processing euro | | | | |
| 2009 | 27,340 | 3.55 | 18,321 | -6.53 |
| 2010 | 28,047 | 2.59 | 18,820 | 0.50 |
| 2011 | 28,320 | 0.97 | 19,697 | 1.86 |
| 2012 | 27,905 | -1.47 | 19,984 | -0.75 |
| EU retail systems processing other currencies | | | | |
| 2009 | 10,742 | 0.23 | 8,103 | -15.97 |
| 2010 | 10,914 | 1.61 | 8,700 | 5.04 |
| 2011 | 11,178 | 2.42 | 9,110 | 1.92 |
| 2012 | 11,980 | 7.17 | 9,969 | 7.05 |

Source: ECB

1) CLS is situated outside the EU, in the United States.

11 Selected indicators for EU Member States

11.1 Scoreboard for the surveillance of macroeconomic imbalances¹⁾

| 2013 | External imbalances/ competitiveness indicators | | | | | Internal imbalances | | | | | |
|----------------------|--|-----------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| | Current account balance ^{2), 3)} | Net i.i.p. ²⁾ | Real EER, HICP- deflated ⁴⁾ | Export market share ⁵⁾ | Nom- inal unit labour costs ⁶⁾ | House prices, consum- ption- deflated ⁷⁾ | Private sector credit flow ²⁾ | Private sector debt ²⁾ | Finan- cial sector liabili- ties ⁷⁾ | General gov- ern- ment debt ²⁾ | Unemp- loy- ment rate ³⁾ |
| Euro area | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BE | -1.7 | 45.8 | -0.3 | -10.8 | 9.0 | 0.0 | 4.6 | 148.7 | -3.7 | 101.5 | 7.7 |
| DE | 7.3 | 48.4 | -1.9 | -9.6 | 6.3 | 1.8 ⁸⁾ | 1.5 ⁸⁾ | 106.7 ⁸⁾ | 4.4 ⁸⁾ | 78.4 | 5.6 |
| EE | -0.4 | -47.5 | 3.1 | 6.8 | 10.3 | 7.0 | 4.7 ⁸⁾ | 129.4 ⁸⁾ | 12.9 ⁸⁾ | 10.0 | 10.3 |
| IE | 4.1 | -104.9 | -3.9 | -8.4 | -3.0 | 1.3 | -1.6 ⁸⁾ | 306.4 ⁸⁾ | -0.7 ⁸⁾ | 123.7 | 14.2 |
| GR | -3.8 | -119.3 | -4.5 | -27.6 | -13.2 | -8.9 | -5.9 | 129.3 | -16.8 | 175.1 | 23.3 |
| ES | -1.4 | -98.2 | -0.4 | -7.5 | -5.5 | -10.4 | -10.4 ⁸⁾ | 195.3 ⁸⁾ | 3.5 ⁸⁾ | 93.9 | 24.1 |
| FR | -1.8 | -21.1 ⁸⁾ | -2.3 | -9.7 | 3.9 | -2.5 | 3.5 ⁸⁾ | 140.6 ⁸⁾ | -0.1 ⁸⁾ | 93.5 | 9.7 |
| IT | -0.8 | -29.5 | 0.0 | -18.1 | 4.5 | -7.0 | -1.0 ⁸⁾ | 126.4 ⁸⁾ | 7.1 ⁸⁾ | 132.6 | 10.4 |
| CY | -4.0 | -85.7 | -0.8 | -27.5 | -6.0 | -6.4 | 10.0 ⁸⁾ | 299.2 ⁸⁾ | -1.9 ⁸⁾ | 111.7 | 11.9 |
| LV | -1.3 | -45.7 | -1.7 | 10.7 | 8.4 | 6.4 | -0.7 ⁸⁾ | 64.4 ⁸⁾ | 4.1 ⁸⁾ | 38.1 | 14.4 |
| LU | 5.9 | 184.1 | 0.7 | -7.2 | 11.3 | 3.6 | -5.0 ⁸⁾ | 317.4 ⁸⁾ | 14.8 | 23.1 | 5.3 |
| MT | 0.0 | 23.6 | -1.3 | 11.6 | 8.1 | -1.5 | -1.5 ⁸⁾ | 153.3 ⁸⁾ | 4.1 ⁸⁾ | 73.0 | 6.4 |
| NL | 9.8 | 46.3 | 0.4 | -9.6 | 6.0 | -7.7 | 0.2 ⁸⁾ | 219.3 ⁸⁾ | 4.9 ⁸⁾ | 73.5 | 5.5 |
| AT | 2.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | -17.4 | 6.4 | -7.8 ^{**)} | 2.7 ⁸⁾ | 147.4 ⁸⁾ | -0.9 ⁸⁾ | 74.5 | 4.5 |
| PT | -2.8 | -118.7 | -0.6 | -7.6 | -2.0 | -2.2 | -4.2 | 217.6 | -5.9 | 129.0 | 15.0 |
| SI | 3.1 | -38.7 | -0.7 | -16.9 | -0.8 | -6.1 | -3.9 | 103.6 | -10.4 | 71.7 | 9.1 |
| SK | 0.2 | -65.1 | 2.0 | -2.6 | 0.9 | -0.4 | 3.2 ⁸⁾ | 73.1 ⁸⁾ | 2.6 ⁸⁾ | 55.4 | 14.0 |
| FI | -1.3 | 15.8 | 0.1 | -30.2 | 8.7 | -0.5 | 9.0 ⁸⁾ | 157.9 ⁸⁾ | -0.2 ⁸⁾ | 57.0 | 7.9 |
| Thd ⁸⁾ | -4/+6% | -35% | +/-5% | -6% | +9% | +6% | +14% | +133% | +16.5% | +60% | +10% |
| Non-euro area | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BG | 0.4 | -76.2 | -1.0 | 5.2 | 12.7 | -0.3 | 2.5 ⁸⁾ | 130.9 ⁸⁾ | 10.1 ⁸⁾ | 18.9 | 12.2 |
| CZ | -1.8 | -45.6 | -3.2 | -7.8 | 3.7 | -1.2 | 0.6 ⁸⁾ | 72.4 ⁸⁾ | 5.4 ⁸⁾ | 46.0 | 6.9 |
| DK | 6.3 | 39.7 | -2.6 | -17.7 | 2.6 | 2.8 | -7.2 | 227.1 | -0.5 | 44.5 | 7.4 |
| HR | 0.2 | -88.0 | -4.0 | -27.6 | 0.9 | -18.1 | -2.1 ⁸⁾ | 133.4 ⁸⁾ | 0.8 ⁸⁾ | 67.1 | 15.8 |
| LT | -0.8 | -45.7 | -0.7 | 20.3 | 6.6 | 0.1 | -0.3 ⁸⁾ | 62.5 ⁸⁾ | -0.3 ⁸⁾ | 39.4 | 13.5 |
| HU | 1.4 | -92.6 | -4.0 | -19.3 | 9.0 | -4.6 | -3.9 | 120.9 | 3.5 | 79.2 | 10.7 |
| PL | -3.4 | -69.3 | -4.4 | -0.9 | 2.8 | -4.2 | 3.4 ⁸⁾ | 74.6 ⁸⁾ | 9.6 ⁸⁾ | 57.0 | 10.0 |
| RO | -3.3 | -62.3 | 0.3 | 10.0 | -0.5 | -4.5 | 0.9 ⁸⁾ | 73.0 ⁸⁾ | 5.3 ⁸⁾ | 38.4 | 7.2 |
| SE | 6.2 | -5.4 | 5.1 | -16.8 | 3.8 | 4.7 | 3.2 | 209.9 | 8.3 | 40.6 | 7.9 |
| UK | -3.2 | -2.0 | 3.4 | -12.1 | 5.4 | 1.3 | 1.8 | 177.3 | -5.9 | 90.6 | 7.8 |
| Thd ⁸⁾ | -4/+6% | -35% | +/-11% | -6% | +12% | +6% | +14% | +133% | +16.5% | +60% | +10% |

Sources: European Commission (Eurostat and DG ECFIN) and ECB. *) 2012 figures, **) 2011 figures.

1) Data may differ from the European Commission's Alert Mechanism Report as a result of revisions.

2) As a percentage of GDP.

3) Three-year average.

4) Three-year percentage change relative to 41 other industrial countries. A positive value indicates a loss of competitiveness.

5) Five-year percentage change.

6) Three-year percentage change.

7) Year-on-year percentage change.

8) Threshold.

11.2 HICP

(annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Share ¹⁾ (%: 2012) | Average 1996-00 | Average 2001-10 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 June | 2014 July | 2014 Aug. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|-----------|-----------|--------------------|
| BE | 3.5 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 3.4 | 2.6 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.6 | . |
| DE | 26.5 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.8 ²⁾ |
| EE | 0.1 | 8.8 | 4.2 | 5.1 | 4.2 | 3.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | . |
| IE | 1.4 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | . |
| GR | 3.3 | 4.6 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 1.0 | -0.9 | -1.5 | -0.8 | . |
| ES | 12.4 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.5 ²⁾ |
| FR | 20.6 | 1.3 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 | . |
| IT | 18.2 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.2 ²⁾ |
| CY | 0.3 | 2.9 ³⁾ | 2.4 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.9 | . |
| LV | 0.2 | 4.3 ³⁾ | 5.4 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.6 | . |
| LU | 0.3 | 1.7 | 2.6 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | . |
| MT | 0.1 | 3.2 ³⁾ | 2.4 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 | . |
| NL | 4.9 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 0.3 | 0.3 | . |
| AT | 3.1 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 3.6 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 | . |
| PT | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 3.6 | 2.8 | 0.4 | -0.2 | -0.7 | . |
| SI | 0.4 | 8.2 | 4.2 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 ²⁾ |
| SK | 0.7 | 8.2 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 1.5 | -0.1 | -0.2 | . |
| FI | 1.8 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 1.0 | . |
| Euro area ³⁾ | 100.0 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 2.5 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.3 ²⁾ |
| BG | 0.7 | 10.3 ^{**)} | 6.0 | 3.4 | 2.4 | 0.4 | -1.8 | -1.1 | . |
| CZ | 1.4 | 6.5 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 3.5 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.6 | . |
| DK | 1.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | . |
| HR | - | 4.1 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 3.4 | 2.3 | 0.5 | 0.5 | . |
| LT | 0.4 | 8.2 | 3.0 | 4.1 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | . |
| HU | 1.1 | 15.1 | 5.6 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 1.7 | -0.1 | 0.5 | . |
| PL | 5.4 | 11.0 ³⁾ | 2.8 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.0 | . |
| RO | 1.6 | 64.2 | 12.1 | 5.8 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 0.9 | 1.5 | . |
| SE | 1.9 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | . |
| UK | 15.5 | 1.4 ³⁾ | 2.1 | 4.5 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.6 | . |
| EU ³⁾ | 100.0 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.6 | . |

Sources: Eurostat and national data.

^{*}) Data for 1997-2000. ^{**)} Data for 1998-2000.

1) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

2) Flash estimate. Euro area: estimate based on provisional national releases (which usually cover around 95% of the euro area), as well as early information on energy prices.

3) Data refer to the changing composition of the euro area and EU; for further information see page 6.

11.3 GDP

(annual percentage changes in volume, unless otherwise indicated; quarterly data, seasonally adjusted unless otherwise indicated; annual data, unadjusted)

| | GDP in 2013 ¹⁾ | | Average 1996-00 | Average 2001-10 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2013 Q4 | 2014 Q1 | 2014 Q2 |
|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| | EUR billions | Share ²⁾ (%) | | | | | | | | |
| BE | 382.7 | 4.0 | 2.9 | 1.4 | 1.8 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 1.0 |
| DE | 2,737.6 | 28.5 | 1.9 | 1.0 | 3.3 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 2.3 | . |
| EE | 18.4 | 0.2 | 6.7 | 3.5 | 9.6 | 3.9 | 0.8 | -0.3 | -1.1 | . |
| IE | 164.0 | 1.7 | 10.3 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 0.2 | -0.3 | -0.6 | . | . |
| GR ³⁾ | 182.1 | 1.9 | 3.4 | 2.0 | -7.1 | -7.0 | -3.9 | -2.3 | -1.1 | -0.3 |
| ES | 1,023.0 | 10.7 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 0.1 | -1.6 | -1.2 | -0.2 | 0.5 | 1.2 |
| FR | 2,059.9 | 21.5 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 2.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.1 |
| IT | 1,560.0 | 16.2 | 1.9 | 0.4 | 0.4 | -2.4 | -1.9 | -0.9 | -0.4 | -0.2 |
| CY | 16.5 | 0.2 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 0.4 | -2.4 | -5.4 | -5.0 | -3.9 | -2.5 |
| LV | 23.4 | 0.2 | 5.5 | 3.6 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 4.1 | 3.6 | 2.3 | . |
| LU | 45.5 | 0.5 | 6.1 | 2.6 | 1.9 | -0.2 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 3.8 | . |
| MT | 7.3 | 0.1 | . | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 2.9 | 2.8 | 3.8 | 2.7 |
| NL | 602.7 | 6.3 | 4.0 | 1.3 | 0.9 | -1.2 | -0.8 | 0.9 | -0.3 | . |
| AT | 313.1 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.9 |
| PT | 165.7 | 1.7 | 4.2 | 0.7 | -1.3 | -3.2 | -1.4 | 1.5 | 1.3 | . |
| SI | 35.3 | 0.4 | 5.1 | 2.7 | 0.7 | -2.5 | -1.1 | 1.9 | 1.5 | . |
| SK | 72.1 | 0.8 | 3.4 | 4.8 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 2.0 | . |
| FI | 193.4 | 2.0 | 4.8 | 1.7 | 2.8 | -1.0 | -1.3 | -0.2 | -0.5 | . |
| Euro area | 9,602.5 | 100.0 | 2.7 | 1.1 | 1.6 | -0.7 | -0.4 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.7 |
| BG | 39.9 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 4.1 | 1.8 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.6 |
| CZ | 149.5 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 3.4 | 1.8 | -1.0 | -0.9 | 1.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 |
| DK | 249.0 | 1.9 | 2.9 | 0.6 | 1.1 | -0.4 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.0 |
| HR | 43.1 | 0.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 | -0.2 | -2.2 | -0.9 | -0.6 | -0.6 | . |
| LT | 34.6 | 0.3 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 6.0 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 3.1 |
| HU | 97.9 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 1.6 | -1.7 | 1.1 | 2.9 | 3.2 | . |
| PL | 389.7 | 3.0 | 5.4 | 3.9 | 4.5 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 2.5 | 3.5 | 3.3 |
| RO | 142.2 | 1.1 | . | 4.1 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 3.5 | 5.0 | 3.7 | 1.5 |
| SE | 420.8 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 1.9 |
| UK | 1,899.1 | 14.5 | 3.7 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 3.1 |
| EU | 13,069.4 | 100.0 | 2.9 | 1.4 | 1.6 | -0.4 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.2 |

Source: Eurostat.

1) Current prices.

2) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

3) Quarterly data unadjusted.

11.4 GDP per capita and gross value added by economic activity (current prices)

| 2013 | GDP per capita ¹⁾ | | | Gross value added (% of total) | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|--|----------|
| | in EUR thousands | PPPs ²⁾ in EUR thousands | Deviation (%) ³⁾ | Agriculture, forestry and fishing | Industry, including construction | Services |
| BE | 34.5 | 31.6 | 10.3 | 0.8 | 21.3 | 77.9 |
| DE | 33.3 | 33.0 | 15.4 | 0.8 | 30.2 | 69.0 |
| EE | 13.8 | 19.2 | -32.8 | 3.9 | 29.0 | 67.2 |
| IE | 35.6 | 33.6 | 17.3 | 1.9 | 28.0 | 70.1 |
| GR | 17.4 | 20.1 | -29.3 | 3.7 | 16.5 | 79.8 |
| ES | 22.3 | 25.3 | -11.5 | 2.6 | 25.3 | 72.1 |
| FR | 31.3 | 28.8 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 19.3 | 78.9 |
| IT | 25.6 | 26.1 | -8.8 | 2.1 | 23.9 | 74.0 |
| CY | 19.0 | 22.9 | -20.0 | 2.7 | 12.8 | 84.5 |
| LV | 11.6 | 17.9 | -37.5 | 4.9 | 25.1 | 70.0 |
| LU | 83.4 | 70.3 | 145.4 | 0.3 | 12.1 | 87.5 |
| MT | 17.2 | 23.5 | -18.1 | 1.7 | 16.9 | 81.4 |
| NL | 35.9 | 33.7 | 17.8 | 1.6 | 24.4 | 74.0 |
| AT | 37.0 | 34.3 | 19.8 | 1.5 | 28.7 | 69.8 |
| PT | 15.8 | 20.1 | -29.9 | 2.4 | 23.2 | 74.4 |
| SI | 17.1 | 22.0 | -23.2 | 2.9 | 31.4 | 65.7 |
| SK | 13.3 | 20.3 | -29.1 | 3.0 | 34.2 | 62.8 |
| FI | 35.6 | 29.7 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 25.6 | 71.6 |
| Euro area ⁴⁾ | 28.6 | 28.6 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 24.8 | 73.5 |
| BG | 5.5 | 12.4 | -53.5 | 4.9 | 30.8 | 64.3 |
| CZ | 14.2 | 21.3 | -20.1 | 2.4 | 37.8 | 59.9 |
| DK | 44.4 | 33.2 | 24.9 | 1.3 | 21.5 | 77.2 |
| HR | 10.1 | 16.2 | -39.2 | 4.4 | 26.3 | 69.3 |
| LT | 11.7 | 19.7 | -25.8 | 3.8 | 31.1 | 65.1 |
| HU | 9.9 | 17.8 | -33.2 | 4.8 | 30.1 | 65.1 |
| PL | 10.1 | 18.1 | -32.0 | 3.8 | 31.3 | 64.9 |
| RO | 7.1 | 14.4 | -45.9 | 6.4 | 43.4 | 50.2 |
| SE | 43.8 | 33.8 | 27.0 | 1.5 | 24.2 | 74.3 |
| UK | 29.6 | 28.1 | 5.7 | 0.6 | 20.4 | 79.0 |
| EU | 25.7 | 26.6 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 24.7 | 73.6 |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations.

1) Data for Greece refer to 2012.

2) GDP in Purchasing Power Standards (PPSs) in euro, calculated on the basis of PPP rates relative to the euro area (Euro 18 = 1).

3) Deviation (in percentages) from euro area GDP per capita in PPSs. For non-euro area countries, deviation (in percentages) from EU GDP per capita in PPSs.

4) Data refer to the Euro 18.

11.5 Unit labour costs

(whole economy; annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Share ¹⁾ (%; 2013) | Average 1996-00 | Average 2001-10 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2013 Q4 | 2014 Q1 | 2014 Q2 |
|------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| BE | 4.3 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 2.8 | 4.1 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.5 |
| DE | 30.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 1.0 | . |
| EE | 0.2 | 7.4 | 5.8 | -1.8 | 4.1 | 7.8 | 9.4 | 9.2 | . |
| IE | 1.5 | . | 2.6 | -4.0 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 2.9 | . | . |
| GR ²⁾ | 1.2 | . | 3.0 | -1.8 | -5.1 | -6.8 | -4.7 | -4.4 | -5.0 |
| ES | 9.9 | 2.4 | 2.7 | -1.0 | -3.0 | -1.7 | 1.2 | -0.9 | 0.0 |
| FR | 23.3 | 0.7 | 2.1 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.7 |
| IT | 14.1 | 1.5 | 2.7 | 1.0 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | . |
| CY | 0.1 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 2.5 | -2.7 | -5.8 | -6.5 | -5.0 | . |
| LV | 0.2 | 5.5 | 6.4 | 1.2 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 6.0 | . |
| LU | 0.5 | 1.0 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 4.7 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 1.4 | . |
| MT | 0.1 | . | 2.9 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 0.8 | -0.3 | 0.9 | 3.6 |
| NL | 6.6 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 2.8 | 2.0 | -0.7 | 0.3 | . |
| AT | 3.4 | -0.5 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 3.0 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.4 |
| PT | 1.7 | 3.6 | 2.3 | -0.9 | -3.0 | 1.9 | -1.8 | -2.3 | . |
| SI | 0.4 | 5.1 | 4.3 | -0.7 | 0.8 | -0.8 | -2.5 | -1.2 | . |
| SK | 0.6 | 7.3 | 2.9 | 0.8 | 1.0 | -0.9 | -1.5 | 1.9 | . |
| FI | 2.1 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 4.6 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 2.3 | . |
| Euro area | 100.0 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.5 | . |
| BG ²⁾ | 0.3 | 94.5 | 6.1 | 2.5 | 4.4 | 5.2 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.8 |
| CZ ²⁾ | 1.0 | 6.4 | 2.4 | 0.5 | 3.3 | -0.1 | -2.7 | 1.0 | . |
| DK | 2.1 | 1.9 | 3.1 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 1.7 |
| HR | 0.3 | . | 3.0 | -0.3 | -0.2 | 1.4 | 1.8 | -5.5 | . |
| LT | 0.2 | 7.7 | 2.6 | 0.7 | 1.9 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 5.5 | . |
| HU | 0.7 | 13.7 | 4.7 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 3.9 | 3.3 | 3.0 | . |
| PL | 2.2 | 10.7 | . | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.1 | -3.7 | -3.2 | . |
| RO ²⁾ | 0.7 | . | 12.7 | -7.0 | 4.5 | 2.5 | 0.9 | 1.3 | . |
| SE ²⁾ | 3.5 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.1 | 2.9 | 0.8 | -0.8 | 1.1 | 2.8 |
| UK | 15.8 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 1.4 | 2.6 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 2.1 | . |
| EU | 100.0 | . | 1.9 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 0.7 | . |

Sources: Eurostat and ECB calculations.

1) Country shares are based on compensation of employees. Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

2) Quarterly data unadjusted.

11.6 Harmonised competitiveness indicators and real effective exchange rates based on consumer price indices¹⁾
 (period averages; 1999 Q1 = 100)

| | Average 2004–06 | Average 2007–09 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 May | 2014 June | 2014 July | % change versus pre- vious year 2014 July |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|----------|-----------|-----------|--|
| BE | 101.1 | 103.4 | 99.4 | 100.9 | 101.8 | 101.4 | 101.1 | 0.2 |
| DE | 96.8 | 97.0 | 88.7 | 90.7 | 91.9 | 91.4 | 91.1 | 0.3 |
| EE | 109.3 | 121.0 | 122.4 | 125.8 | 127.5 | 127.1 | 127.2 | 0.6 |
| IE | 115.4 | 121.1 | 105.1 | 106.8 | 107.0 | 106.3 | 105.7 | -1.0 |
| GR | 102.9 | 106.6 | 103.6 | 102.7 | 101.1 | 101.1 | 100.9 | -1.7 |
| ES | 108.4 | 112.3 | 107.3 | 109.1 | 109.3 | 108.9 | 108.6 | -0.2 |
| FR | 100.2 | 100.4 | 93.8 | 94.9 | 95.8 | 95.4 | 95.1 | 0.2 |
| IT | 103.3 | 104.1 | 98.8 | 100.3 | 101.4 | 100.9 | 100.7 | 0.5 |
| CY | 108.2 | 109.2 | 105.5 | 106.5 | 106.5 | 106.3 | 106.0 | -0.8 |
| LV | 99.7 | 116.0 | 114.8 | 113.3 | 114.4 | 114.0 | 114.1 | 0.6 |
| LU | 108.1 | 110.7 | 106.7 | 107.9 | 109.2 | 108.9 | 108.7 | 1.1 |
| MT | 108.2 | 111.5 | 105.4 | 107.4 | 108.0 | 107.5 | 107.1 | -0.6 |
| NL | 106.7 | 106.4 | 98.1 | 101.2 | 102.3 | 101.8 | 101.5 | 0.1 |
| AT | 98.0 | 97.8 | 94.1 | 96.0 | 97.6 | 97.4 | 97.3 | 1.6 |
| PT | 106.1 | 106.5 | 102.6 | 102.6 | 102.5 | 102.2 | 102.0 | -0.7 |
| SI | 100.7 | 103.6 | 100.6 | 102.1 | 102.8 | 102.8 | 102.7 | 0.3 |
| SK | 151.6 | 186.6 | 191.4 | 194.1 | 194.5 | 193.8 | 193.7 | -0.3 |
| FI | 97.8 | 97.8 | 92.6 | 94.8 | 96.6 | 96.1 | 96.1 | 1.1 |
| Euro area | 103.3 | 105.6 | 92.9 | 96.2 | 97.8 | 96.9 | 96.2 | 0.1 |
| BG | 126.8 | 147.6 | 149.6 | 149.9 | 148.7 | 148.3 | 148.1 | -1.0 |
| CZ | 127.0 | 149.2 | 150.2 | 147.3 | 140.2 | 139.4 | 139.4 | -5.4 |
| DK | 101.0 | 102.5 | 96.6 | 97.1 | 98.1 | 97.9 | 97.8 | 0.8 |
| HR | 105.5 | 111.8 | 104.7 | 106.2 | 106.9 | 106.3 | 105.4 | -1.1 |
| LT | 117.4 | 129.9 | 131.2 | 132.5 | 133.5 | 133.0 | 132.6 | 0.4 |
| HU | 133.4 | 144.5 | 136.1 | 134.9 | 132.3 | 131.1 | 129.5 | -4.7 |
| PL | 115.7 | 126.8 | 117.3 | 117.8 | 119.0 | 120.0 | 119.6 | 3.4 |
| RO | 134.2 | 150.3 | 136.9 | 142.4 | 145.1 | 145.5 | 144.9 | 2.0 |
| SE | 96.0 | 91.0 | 94.4 | 96.1 | 92.6 | 91.8 | 90.2 | -6.1 |
| UK | 98.3 | 87.7 | 81.7 | 80.6 | 86.0 | 87.1 | 87.9 | 11.0 |

Source: ECB.

- 1) For the non-euro area EU countries the real effective exchange rate of the euro vis-à-vis 39 trading partners is displayed. For euro area countries the table shows the harmonised competitiveness indicators calculated vis-à-vis these same trading partners plus the other euro area countries. A positive change points to a decrease in price competitiveness.

11.7 Population and employment

(annual percentage changes, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Population | Employment | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|
| | | Share ¹⁾ (%: 2013) | Average 1996-00 | Average 2001-10 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2013 Q4 | 2014 Q1 | 2014 Q2 |
| | 2013 (millions) | | | | | | | | | |
| BE | 11.1 | 3.1 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.4 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| DE | 82.1 | 28.7 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.8 | . |
| EE | 1.3 | 0.4 | -2.0 | -0.4 | 7.0 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 0.8 | -1.1 | . |
| IE | 4.6 | 1.3 | . | 1.1 | -1.8 | -0.6 | 2.4 | 3.2 | . | . |
| GR ²⁾ | 11.1 | 2.7 | 0.6 | 1.0 | -5.6 | -8.3 | -4.1 | -2.7 | -0.5 | -0.5 |
| ES | 45.9 | 11.8 | 3.9 | 1.4 | -1.9 | -4.2 | -3.0 | -1.2 | -0.1 | 1.0 |
| FR | 65.7 | 18.5 | 1.6 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| IT | 61.0 | 16.6 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.3 | -0.3 | -2.0 | -1.9 | -0.9 | . |
| CY | 0.9 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 0.5 | -4.2 | -5.2 | -4.2 | -3.5 | -1.6 |
| LV | 2.0 | 0.6 | -0.6 | -1.1 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 2.3 | -0.3 | 0.1 | . |
| LU | 0.5 | 0.3 | 4.1 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 2.3 | . |
| MT | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 3.1 | 2.6 |
| NL | 16.8 | 5.9 | 2.6 | 0.6 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -1.0 | -1.4 | -1.0 | . |
| AT | 8.5 | 2.9 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| PT | 10.5 | 3.1 | 2.1 | -0.2 | -1.5 | -4.2 | -2.8 | 0.5 | 1.9 | . |
| SI | 2.1 | 0.6 | -0.2 | 0.5 | -1.6 | -0.8 | -2.0 | -1.0 | -0.2 | . |
| SK | 5.4 | 1.5 | -0.8 | 0.7 | 1.8 | 0.1 | -0.8 | -0.1 | 0.4 | . |
| FI | 5.4 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 0.1 | -1.3 | -1.1 | -0.7 | . |
| Euro area | 335.4 | 100.0 | 1.5 | 0.6 | 0.3 | -0.6 | -0.8 | -0.4 | 0.1 | . |
| BG | 7.3 | 1.5 | -1.6 | 1.1 | -2.2 | -2.5 | -0.4 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 |
| CZ | 10.5 | 2.3 | -1.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.9 | . | . | . |
| DK | 5.6 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| HR | 4.3 | 0.6 | . | 0.8 | -2.3 | -3.9 | -1.0 | 0.3 | -7.3 | . |
| LT | 3.0 | 0.6 | - | -1.1 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 2.5 | 2.8 | . |
| HU | 9.9 | 1.8 | 1.1 | -0.4 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 2.9 | . |
| PL | 38.5 | 6.9 | - | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.1 | -0.1 | 0.5 | 1.3 | . |
| RO ^{2) 3)} | 20.1 | 4.1 | -1.5 | -1.6 | -0.8 | 1.3 | -0.1 | -0.4 | 0.4 | . |
| SE | 9.6 | 2.1 | 0.8 | 0.4 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.3 |
| UK | 64.1 | 13.4 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 2.4 | . |
| EU | 508.1 | 100.0 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.3 | 0.0 | 0.5 | . |

Source: Eurostat.

1) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

2) Population data refer to 2012.

3) Quarterly data unadjusted.

11.8 Unemployment

(as a percentage of the labour force, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Share ¹⁾ (%; 2013) | Average 1996-00 | Average 2001-10 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 May | 2014 June | 2014 July |
|-----------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|------|------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| BE | 2.2 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 7.2 | 7.7 | 8.4 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.5 |
| DE | 11.8 | 8.9 | 8.9 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.9 |
| EE | 0.3 | . | 9.9 | 12.4 | 10.0 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 7.3 | . |
| IE | 1.5 | 7.8 | 6.3 | 14.7 | 14.7 | 13.1 | 11.7 | 11.6 | 11.5 |
| GR | 7.0 | - | 9.9 | 17.9 | 24.6 | 27.5 | 27.2 | . | . |
| ES | 31.6 | 16.0 | 11.9 | 21.4 | 24.8 | 26.1 | 24.7 | 24.6 | 24.5 |
| FR | 15.7 | 11.5 | 8.6 | 9.2 | 9.8 | 10.3 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.3 |
| IT | 16.3 | 11.0 | 7.8 | 8.4 | 10.7 | 12.2 | 12.6 | 12.3 | 12.6 |
| CY | 0.4 | . | 4.5 | 7.9 | 11.9 | 15.9 | 15.1 | 15.0 | 14.9 |
| LV | 0.6 | . | 11.7 | 16.4 | 14.9 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 10.8 | . |
| LU | 0.1 | 2.6 | 4.1 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 5.9 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 6.3 |
| MT | 0.1 | . | 7.0 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 5.8 | 5.7 | 5.7 |
| NL | 3.1 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 5.3 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 6.7 |
| AT | 1.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.9 |
| PT | 4.5 | 5.8 | 8.2 | 12.9 | 15.8 | 16.4 | 14.4 | 14.1 | 14.0 |
| SI | 0.5 | 7.1 | 6.0 | 8.2 | 8.9 | 10.1 | 10.2 | 10.1 | 9.8 |
| SK | 2.0 | . | 15.2 | 13.7 | 14.0 | 14.2 | 13.9 | 13.8 | 13.8 |
| FI | 1.1 | 11.8 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.7 | 8.2 | 8.7 | 8.6 | 8.7 |
| Euro area | 100.0 | . | 8.7 | 10.1 | 11.3 | 11.9 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.5 |
| BG | 1.7 | . | 11.2 | 11.3 | 12.3 | 12.9 | 11.8 | 11.6 | 11.5 |
| CZ | 1.4 | 6.5 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 6.0 |
| DK | 0.8 | 5.2 | 4.9 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.0 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.6 |
| HR | 1.2 | . | 12.5 | 13.9 | 16.1 | 17.3 | 16.6 | 16.3 | 16.2 |
| LT | 0.7 | . | 11.0 | 15.4 | 13.4 | 11.8 | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.5 |
| HU | 1.7 | 8.1 | 7.4 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 10.2 | 8.1 | 8.1 | . |
| PL | 6.8 | . | 14.3 | 9.6 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 9.2 | 9.1 | 9.0 |
| RO | 2.8 | . | 7.0 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.0 |
| SE | 1.6 | 8.0 | 7.0 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.7 |
| UK | 9.2 | 6.4 | 5.6 | 8.0 | 7.9 | 7.5 | 6.4 | . | . |
| EU | 100.0 | . | 8.6 | 9.6 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 10.3 | 10.2 | 10.2 |

Source: Eurostat.

1) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

11.9 General government deficit/surplus

(as a percentage of GDP, unless otherwise indicated; four-quarter moving sum for quarterly data)

| | Contribution ¹⁾ (percentage points; 2013) | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 Q1 |
|-----------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| BE | -0.1 | -3.8 | -3.8 | -4.1 | -2.6 | -2.7 |
| DE | 0.0 | -4.2 | -0.8 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| EE | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.1 | -0.2 | -0.2 | 0.0 |
| IE | -0.1 | -30.6 | -13.1 | -8.2 | -7.2 | . |
| GR | -0.2 | -10.9 | -9.6 | -8.9 | -12.7 | -10.8 |
| ES | -0.8 | -9.6 | -9.6 | -10.6 | -7.1 | -7.0 |
| FR | -0.9 | -7.0 | -5.2 | -4.9 | -4.3 | -4.3 |
| IT | -0.5 | -4.5 | -3.7 | -3.0 | -3.0 | -2.7 |
| CY | 0.0 | -5.3 | -6.3 | -6.4 | -5.4 | -5.7 |
| LV | 0.0 | -8.2 | -3.5 | -1.3 | -1.0 | -0.8 |
| LU | 0.0 | -0.8 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.2 |
| MT | 0.0 | -3.5 | -2.7 | -3.3 | -2.8 | -3.1 |
| NL | -0.2 | -5.1 | -4.3 | -4.1 | -2.5 | . |
| AT | 0.0 | -4.5 | -2.5 | -2.6 | -1.5 | -1.5 |
| PT | -0.1 | -9.8 | -4.3 | -6.4 | -4.9 | -4.0 |
| SI | -0.1 | -5.9 | -6.4 | -4.0 | -14.7 | -13.5 |
| SK | 0.0 | -7.5 | -4.8 | -4.5 | -2.8 | -2.8 |
| FI | 0.0 | -2.5 | -0.7 | -1.8 | -2.1 | -2.6 |
| Euro area | -3.0 | -6.2 | -4.1 | -3.7 | -3.0 | -2.8 |
| BG | 0.0 | -3.1 | -2.0 | -0.8 | -1.5 | -1.7 |
| CZ | 0.0 | -4.7 | -3.2 | -4.2 | -1.5 | -1.1 |
| DK | 0.0 | -2.5 | -1.9 | -3.8 | -0.8 | -0.5 |
| HR | 0.0 | -6.4 | -7.8 | -5.0 | -4.9 | -5.4 |
| LT | 0.0 | -7.2 | -5.5 | -3.2 | -2.2 | -1.5 |
| HU | 0.0 | -4.3 | 4.3 | -2.1 | -2.2 | -2.2 |
| PL | -0.1 | -7.8 | -5.1 | -3.9 | -4.3 | 5.3 |
| RO | 0.0 | -6.8 | -5.5 | -3.0 | -2.3 | -1.6 |
| SE | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.6 | -1.1 | -1.5 |
| UK | -0.8 | -10.0 | -7.6 | -6.1 | -5.8 | -5.8 |
| EU | -3.3 | -6.5 | -4.4 | -3.9 | -3.3 | . |

Sources: Euro area and EU data: ECB; countries' deficits/surpluses: European Commission.

1) A minus sign indicates that a country's deficit worsens the aggregate deficit/surplus, while the absence of a sign indicates that a country's surplus improves the aggregate deficit/surplus. For non-euro area countries, the respective contributions to the EU total are shown.

11.10 General government debt

(as a percentage of GDP, unless otherwise indicated)

| | Share ¹⁾ (%; 2013) | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 Q1 |
|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| BE | 4.2 | 96.6 | 99.2 | 101.1 | 101.5 | 105.1 |
| DE | 23.5 | 82.5 | 80.0 | 81.0 | 78.4 | 77.3 |
| EE | 0.0 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 9.8 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| IE | 2.2 | 91.2 | 104.1 | 117.4 | 123.7 | . |
| GR | 3.5 | 148.3 | 170.3 | 157.2 | 175.1 | 174.1 |
| ES | 10.5 | 61.7 | 70.5 | 86.0 | 93.9 | 96.8 |
| FR | 21.1 | 82.7 | 86.2 | 90.6 | 93.5 | 96.6 |
| IT | 22.7 | 119.3 | 120.7 | 127.0 | 132.6 | 135.6 |
| CY | 0.2 | 61.3 | 71.5 | 86.6 | 111.7 | 112.2 |
| LV | 0.1 | 44.5 | 42.0 | 40.8 | 38.1 | 38.2 |
| LU | 0.1 | 19.5 | 18.7 | 21.7 | 23.1 | 22.8 |
| MT | 0.1 | 66.0 | 68.8 | 70.8 | 73.0 | 75.3 |
| NL | 4.9 | 63.4 | 65.7 | 71.3 | 73.5 | . |
| AT | 2.6 | 72.5 | 73.1 | 74.4 | 74.5 | 75.1 |
| PT | 2.3 | 94.0 | 108.2 | 124.1 | 129.0 | 132.9 |
| SI | 0.3 | 38.7 | 47.1 | 54.4 | 71.7 | 78.7 |
| SK | 0.4 | 41.0 | 43.6 | 52.7 | 55.4 | 58.4 |
| FI | 1.2 | 48.8 | 49.3 | 53.6 | 57.0 | 58.6 |
| Euro area | 100.0 | 85.5 | 87.4 | 90.7 | 92.6 | 93.9 |
| BG | 0.1 | 16.2 | 16.3 | 18.4 | 18.9 | 20.3 |
| CZ | 0.6 | 38.4 | 41.4 | 46.2 | 46.0 | 45.6 |
| DK | 1.0 | 42.8 | 46.4 | 45.4 | 44.5 | 44.3 |
| HR | 0.2 | 45.0 | 52.0 | 55.9 | 67.1 | 68.0 |
| LT | 0.1 | 37.8 | 38.3 | 40.5 | 39.4 | 40.3 |
| HU | 0.7 | 82.2 | 82.1 | 79.8 | 79.2 | 84.3 |
| PL | 1.9 | 54.9 | 56.2 | 55.6 | 57.0 | 49.5 |
| RO | 0.5 | 30.5 | 34.7 | 38.0 | 38.4 | 39.0 |
| SE | 1.4 | 39.4 | 38.6 | 38.3 | 40.6 | 40.4 |
| UK | 15.1 | 78.4 | 84.3 | 89.1 | 90.6 | 91.1 |
| EU | 100.0 | 79.8 | 82.1 | 85.3 | 87.0 | . |

Sources: Euro area and EU data: ECB; countries' debt: European Commission.

1) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

11.11 General government expenditure

(as a percentage of GDP, unless otherwise indicated; four-quarter moving sum for quarterly data)

| | Share ¹⁾ (%; 2013) | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 Q1 |
|-----------|----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|---------|
| BE | 4.4 | 52.6 | 53.6 | 55.1 | 54.7 | 54.6 |
| DE | 25.6 | 47.9 | 45.2 | 44.7 | 44.7 | 44.3 |
| EE | 0.1 | 40.5 | 37.6 | 39.5 | 38.3 | 38.5 |
| IE | 1.5 | 65.5 | 47.1 | 42.6 | 42.9 | . |
| GR | 2.2 | 51.4 | 51.9 | 53.4 | 58.5 | 57.0 |
| ES | 9.6 | 46.3 | 45.7 | 47.8 | 44.8 | 44.8 |
| FR | 24.6 | 56.6 | 55.9 | 56.7 | 57.1 | 57.7 |
| IT | 16.6 | 50.5 | 49.7 | 50.6 | 50.6 | 50.4 |
| CY | 0.2 | 46.2 | 46.3 | 45.8 | 45.8 | 47.8 |
| LV | 0.2 | 43.4 | 38.4 | 36.5 | 36.1 | 36.0 |
| LU | 0.4 | 43.5 | 42.6 | 43.9 | 43.5 | 43.7 |
| MT | 0.1 | 41.2 | 41.3 | 43.1 | 43.9 | 43.8 |
| NL | 6.3 | 51.3 | 49.9 | 50.4 | 49.8 | . |
| AT | 3.4 | 52.8 | 50.8 | 51.6 | 51.2 | 51.5 |
| PT | 1.7 | 51.5 | 49.3 | 47.4 | 48.7 | 47.9 |
| SI | 0.4 | 49.5 | 49.9 | 48.4 | 59.4 | 58.2 |
| SK | 0.6 | 39.8 | 38.9 | 38.2 | 38.7 | 38.3 |
| FI | 2.4 | 55.8 | 55.1 | 56.7 | 58.5 | 58.8 |
| Euro area | 100.0 | 51.0 | 49.4 | 49.9 | 49.7 | 49.7 |
| BG | 0.2 | 37.4 | 35.6 | 35.8 | 38.7 | 39.5 |
| CZ | 1.0 | 43.7 | 43.2 | 44.5 | 42.3 | 42.0 |
| DK | 2.2 | 57.7 | 57.7 | 59.4 | 57.1 | 57.1 |
| HR | 0.3 | 46.9 | 48.1 | 45.7 | 45.9 | 46.5 |
| LT | 0.2 | 42.3 | 38.7 | 36.1 | 34.5 | 34.3 |
| HU | 0.8 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 48.7 | 50.0 | 50.1 |
| PL | 2.5 | 45.4 | 43.4 | 42.2 | 41.9 | 41.5 |
| RO | 0.8 | 40.1 | 39.4 | 36.7 | 35.0 | 35.0 |
| SE | 3.4 | 52.3 | 51.5 | 52.0 | 52.9 | 52.8 |
| UK | 13.9 | 49.9 | 47.9 | 48.1 | 47.1 | 46.8 |
| EU | 100.0 | 50.6 | 49.0 | 49.4 | 49.0 | . |

Sources: Euro area and EU data: ECB; countries' expenditure: European Commission.

1) Non-euro area countries: percentage share in the EU total.

11.12 Private sector debt ¹⁾

(as a percentage of GDP, unless otherwise indicated)

| | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2013 Q2 | 2013 Q3 | 2013 Q4 | 2014 Q1 |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| BE | 234.0 | 244.6 | 249.1 | 250.6 | 249.0 | 248.9 | 250.6 | 250.1 |
| DE | 128.8 | 124.6 | 124.6 | 123.3 | 125.2 | 124.1 | 123.3 | 122.3 |
| EE | 155.4 | 139.4 | 134.5 | 125.3 | 130.6 | 127.2 | 125.3 | 126.9 |
| IE ²⁾ | 334.5 | 340.0 | 299.3 | 318.8 | 322.7 | 315.3 | 318.8 | . |
| GR | 127.6 | 129.2 | 129.4 | 129.3 | 129.1 | 129.3 | 129.3 | 129.4 |
| ES | 229.9 | 225.0 | 215.1 | 206.1 | 211.1 | 207.5 | 206.1 | 202.3 |
| FR | 157.7 | 159.5 | 161.5 | 161.2 | 160.7 | 161.4 | 161.2 | 160.8 |
| IT | 135.9 | 134.3 | 134.8 | 132.5 | 133.9 | 133.2 | 132.5 | 131.3 |
| CY ²⁾ | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| LV | 148.3 | 130.7 | 116.5 | 107.0 | 111.2 | 108.1 | 107.0 | 102.7 |
| LU | 394.6 | 383.3 | 355.8 | 420.3 | 374.2 | 388.4 | 420.3 | 424.5 |
| MT | 222.9 | 223.9 | 215.7 | 201.2 | 207.8 | 203.7 | 201.2 | 199.6 |
| NL ²⁾ | 222.9 | 220.6 | 221.2 | 220.8 | 221.7 | 220.5 | 220.8 | . |
| AT | 164.8 | 165.4 | 164.8 | 160.9 | 162.8 | 162.6 | 160.9 | 160.5 |
| PT | 251.4 | 256.2 | 260.6 | 252.2 | 259.7 | 257.3 | 252.2 | 249.9 |
| SI | 128.4 | 128.2 | 126.4 | 115.0 | 125.5 | 123.7 | 115.0 | 113.1 |
| SK | 73.1 | 75.5 | 75.9 | 80.1 | 74.7 | 78.7 | 80.1 | 80.2 |
| FI | 178.5 | 178.0 | 178.8 | 178.9 | 182.1 | 181.7 | 178.9 | 177.6 |
| Euro area ³⁾ | 173.9 | 171.7 | 171.5 | 169.1 | 170.7 | 169.8 | 169.1 | 168.3 |
| BG ²⁾ | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| CZ | 75.0 | 76.9 | 80.0 | 82.9 | 81.9 | 82.6 | 82.9 | 82.1 |
| DK | 266.7 | 269.2 | 264.2 | 258.1 | 263.5 | 263.7 | 258.1 | 257.5 |
| HR ²⁾ | . | . | 131.1 | 128.6 | 129.0 | 130.4 | 128.6 | 130.6 |
| LT | 79.4 | 69.8 | 66.6 | 61.6 | 63.2 | 62.4 | 61.6 | 62.4 |
| HU | 153.8 | 167.9 | 154.6 | 143.9 | 156.9 | 151.4 | 143.9 | 142.5 |
| PL | 73.0 | 78.6 | 77.2 | 78.1 | 79.2 | 78.7 | 78.1 | 78.7 |
| RO | 76.3 | 75.0 | 73.7 | 68.3 | 72.4 | 71.1 | 68.3 | 67.3 |
| SE | 253.4 | 255.6 | 255.7 | 258.5 | 261.6 | 258.6 | 258.5 | 265.2 |
| UK | 193.5 | 188.2 | 191.4 | 185.2 | 190.8 | 188.5 | 185.2 | 180.6 |

Source: ECB calculations.

1) Outstanding amounts of securities other than shares issued, loans taken out and insurance technical reserves liabilities of non-financial corporations, and loans taken out by households and non-profit institutions serving households.

2) Data for Croatia prior to 2012 are not available. Data for Bulgaria and Cyprus are not available for publication owing to national confidentiality constraints. Data for Ireland and the Netherlands in 2014Q1 are not available due to national confidentiality constraints.

3) Euro area debt does not correspond to a plain sum of country data; it is the outcome of a complex data integration process.

11.13 Private sector credit flow ¹⁾
 (as a percentage of GDP, unless otherwise indicated)

| | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2013 Q2 | 2013 Q3 | 2013 Q4 | 2014 Q1 |
|-------------------------|-------|------|------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| BE | 15.6 | 22.1 | 7.8 | 6.1 | 7.3 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.0 |
| DE | 0.1 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 2.9 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| EE | -4.5 | 2.9 | 4.8 | 2.1 | 3.9 | 3.2 | 2.1 | 4.0 |
| IE ²⁾ | 5.1 | 6.8 | -1.2 | -5.8 | -12.3 | -11.0 | -5.8 | . |
| GR | 0.0 | -3.6 | -6.4 | -5.9 | -6.3 | -6.3 | -5.9 | -4.7 |
| ES | 3.7 | -2.2 | -9.3 | -8.4 | -10.6 | -12.1 | -8.4 | -9.4 |
| FR | 4.8 | 6.4 | 3.9 | 2.6 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 3.7 |
| IT | 4.0 | 1.6 | -1.1 | -3.4 | -2.4 | -2.4 | -3.4 | -2.9 |
| CY ²⁾ | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| LV | -1.8 | -1.6 | -0.5 | -1.8 | -2.5 | -2.2 | -1.8 | -6.4 |
| LU | -21.8 | 3.8 | -1.4 | 20.8 | 7.3 | 16.8 | 20.8 | 24.0 |
| MT | 20.1 | 11.3 | -1.5 | -7.8 | -3.7 | -6.3 | -7.8 | -9.8 |
| NL ²⁾ | 4.7 | 2.9 | 0.7 | 2.1 | -0.3 | 0.2 | 2.1 | . |
| AT | 6.9 | 8.3 | 2.7 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.6 |
| PT | 5.7 | 2.6 | -3.9 | -6.4 | -6.4 | -6.5 | -6.4 | -4.5 |
| SI | 2.4 | 2.1 | -3.4 | -4.5 | -5.1 | -5.4 | -4.5 | -4.6 |
| SK | 2.4 | 7.2 | 2.1 | 6.8 | 2.1 | 5.1 | 6.8 | 7.8 |
| FI | 8.9 | 8.6 | 6.5 | 0.6 | 5.4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | -0.9 |
| Euro area ³⁾ | 3.1 | 3.6 | 1.8 | -0.2 | 0.2 | -0.5 | -0.2 | -0.1 |
| BG ²⁾ | . | . | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| CZ | 1.3 | 2.1 | 3.3 | 1.5 | 2.9 | 2.3 | 1.5 | 2.0 |
| DK | 2.3 | 6.4 | -1.0 | 1.2 | -1.7 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 0.5 |
| HR ²⁾ | . | . | -2.1 | -0.7 | -0.8 | 0.1 | -0.7 | -0.2 |
| LT | -4.9 | -0.1 | 0.5 | -1.6 | -2.3 | -1.5 | -1.6 | -0.5 |
| HU | -20.5 | 7.6 | -2.5 | -3.4 | 3.3 | 4.2 | -3.4 | -6.3 |
| PL | 3.7 | 7.2 | 3.9 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 3.6 |
| RO | -5.5 | 2.9 | 0.4 | -1.1 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -1.1 | -1.0 |
| SE | 6.9 | 10.7 | -1.4 | 0.7 | -5.7 | -8.9 | 0.7 | 3.1 |
| UK | -1.5 | 0.7 | 3.5 | 1.8 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 1.8 | 1.4 |

Source: ECB calculations.

1) Transactions in securities other than shares issued, loans taken out and insurance technical reserves liabilities of non-financial corporations, and loans taken out by households and non-profit institutions serving households.

2) Data for Croatia prior to 2012 are not available. Data for Bulgaria, Cyprus, Ireland and the Netherlands are not available for publication owing to national confidentiality constraints.

3) Euro area credit flow does not correspond to a plain sum of country data; it is the outcome of a complex data integration process.

11.14 Gross external debt by sector
(as a percentage of GDP)

| 2014 Q1 | Total | | General government | MFIs | Other sectors | Direct investment/ inter-company lending |
|-----------|--------------|----------|--------------------|-------|---------------|--|
| | EUR billions | % of GDP | | | | |
| BE | 928.3 | 241.2 | 63.9 | 79.5 | 25.6 | 67.5 |
| DE | 4,023.0 | 145.4 | 47.2 | 55.3 | 22.3 | 19.5 |
| EE | 17.2 | 92.6 | 8.5 | 31.6 | 37.9 | 14.4 |
| IE | . | . | . | . | . | . |
| GR | 417.0 | 231.2 | 148.3 | 43.0 | 11.0 | 4.1 |
| ES | 1,672.2 | 163.5 | 42.5 | 45.6 | 36.4 | 16.8 |
| FR | 4,162.2 | 202.4 | 61.4 | 82.0 | 36.9 | 15.6 |
| IT | 1,923.0 | 123.0 | 48.1 | 30.1 | 20.6 | 11.1 |
| CY | 55.5 | 342.1 | 65.9 | 159.7 | 60.4 | 15.3 |
| LV | 30.1 | 127.7 | 28.6 | 56.7 | 26.4 | 13.9 |
| LU | 2,518.3 | 5,482.0 | 10.3 | 887.9 | 2,620.0 | 1,956.9 |
| MT | 36.7 | 499.1 | 8.2 | 407.6 | 30.0 | 39.5 |
| NL | 1,832.7 | 304.0 | 42.3 | 169.4 | 52.1 | 39.9 |
| AT | 594.7 | 189.2 | 61.9 | 75.7 | 27.9 | 13.3 |
| PT | 382.4 | 230.2 | 93.4 | 52.1 | 34.1 | 15.6 |
| SI | 42.5 | 119.7 | 54.5 | 20.1 | 30.7 | 13.7 |
| SK | 65.9 | 91.0 | 38.2 | 7.8 | 14.9 | 17.9 |
| FI | 422.6 | 217.6 | 50.9 | 121.3 | 22.6 | 21.8 |
| Euro area | 11,826.0 | 122.5 | 26.5 | 39.8 | 29.9 | 23.1 |
| BG | 37.9 | 95.2 | 8.5 | 14.5 | 31.8 | 40.3 |
| CZ | 100.4 | 70.1 | 16.1 | 13.6 | 20.1 | 20.2 |
| DK | 430.3 | 172.2 | 17.9 | 118.2 | 20.9 | 15.0 |
| HR | 46.2 | 107.5 | 23.8 | 20.9 | 45.3 | 17.3 |
| LT | 24.7 | 70.5 | 33.8 | 18.8 | 7.9 | 9.9 |
| HU | 118.4 | 123.1 | 50.5 | 20.6 | 17.2 | 31.6 |
| PL | 275.5 | 69.4 | 28.3 | 12.3 | 11.2 | 16.4 |
| RO | 93.2 | 65.4 | 20.4 | 11.1 | 16.3 | 15.0 |
| SE | 831.0 | 202.8 | 19.0 | 122.0 | 22.1 | 38.9 |
| UK | 6,959.9 | 353.2 | 27.1 | 191.5 | 104.4 | 30.1 |

Source: ECB.

11.15 Harmonised long-term interest rates for convergence assessment purposes

(percentages per annum; period averages; secondary market yields¹⁾ ²⁾)

| | 2014 Feb. | 2014 Mar. | 2014 Apr. | 2014 May | 2014 June | 2014 July |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Euro area | | | | | | |
| BE | 2.40 | 2.26 | 2.16 | 1.99 | 1.83 | 1.61 |
| DE | 1.56 | 1.51 | 1.46 | 1.33 | 1.26 | 1.11 |
| EE ³⁾ | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| IE | 3.24 | 3.05 | 2.90 | 2.71 | 2.44 | 2.28 |
| GR | 7.70 | 6.90 | 6.20 | 6.38 | 5.93 | 6.10 |
| ES | 3.56 | 3.31 | 3.11 | 2.93 | 2.72 | 2.66 |
| FR | 2.25 | 2.15 | 2.03 | 1.84 | 1.71 | 1.56 |
| IT | 3.65 | 3.40 | 3.23 | 3.12 | 2.92 | 2.79 |
| CY | 6.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 |
| LV | 3.07 | 2.87 | 2.80 | 2.74 | 2.53 | 2.40 |
| LU ⁴⁾ | 1.87 | 1.80 | 1.71 | 1.57 | 1.44 | 1.26 |
| MT | 2.96 | 3.02 | 2.93 | 2.78 | 2.90 | 2.66 |
| NL | 1.89 | 1.81 | 1.85 | 1.70 | 1.60 | 1.41 |
| AT | 1.95 | 1.87 | 1.77 | 1.62 | 1.66 | 1.47 |
| PT | 4.94 | 4.43 | 3.82 | 3.66 | 3.50 | 3.69 |
| SI | 4.43 | 3.85 | 3.52 | 3.39 | 3.13 | 3.16 |
| SK | 2.48 | 2.47 | 2.47 | 2.73 | 2.73 | 2.07 |
| FI | 1.92 | 1.91 | 1.84 | 1.69 | 1.57 | 1.36 |
| Non-euro area | | | | | | |
| BG | 3.58 | 3.54 | 3.44 | 3.18 | 3.11 | 3.38 |
| CZ | 2.28 | 2.20 | 2.00 | 1.73 | 1.55 | 1.49 |
| DK | 1.67 | 1.61 | 1.57 | 1.47 | 1.38 | 1.24 |
| HR | 4.78 | 4.51 | 4.41 | 4.31 | 3.94 | 3.72 |
| LT | 3.33 | 3.33 | 3.26 | 2.98 | 2.92 | 2.90 |
| HU | 6.03 | 5.83 | 5.56 | 5.01 | 4.50 | 4.33 |
| PL | 4.47 | 4.25 | 4.10 | 3.80 | 3.54 | 3.34 |
| RO | 5.35 | 5.31 | 5.15 | 4.72 | 4.48 | 4.16 |
| SE | 2.23 | 2.16 | 2.06 | 1.88 | 1.80 | 1.60 |
| UK | 2.37 | 2.34 | 2.30 | 2.27 | 2.35 | 2.31 |

Source: ECB.

1) Yields refer to government bonds with maturities of close to ten years.

2) For Cyprus, primary market yields are reported. The same applies to Bulgaria and Romania prior to December 2005, Slovenia prior to October 2003 and Lithuania prior to October 2007.

3) There are no Estonian sovereign debt securities that comply with the definition of long-term interest rates for convergence purposes. No suitable proxy indicator has been identified.

4) A harmonised long-term interest rate is presented starting mid-May 2010.

Before that time the Luxembourg Government did not have outstanding long-term debt securities with a residual maturity of close to ten years. Therefore the average yield on a basket of long-term bonds issued by a private credit institution with a residual maturity of close to ten years is presented for the period up to mid-May 2010; the indicator is thus not fully harmonised for that period.

11.16 Relative importance of the main payment instruments (percentages of total number of transactions, unless otherwise indicated¹⁾)

| 2012 | Credit transfers | | Direct debits | | Card payments ²⁾ | | Cheques | |
|-------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|
| | Share (%) | Change from 2011 (percentage points) | Share (%) | Change from 2011 (percentage points) | Share (%) | Change from 2011 (percentage points) | Share (%) | Change from 2011 (percentage points) |
| BE | 37.51 | -3.51 | 11.41 | 0.84 | 49.01 | 2.89 | 0.22 | -0.04 |
| DE | 33.79 | -0.44 | 48.37 | -0.38 | 17.47 | 0.89 | 0.19 | -0.04 |
| EE | 30.56 | -0.47 | 5.84 | -0.18 | 63.59 | 0.65 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| IE | 22.00 | -0.31 | 15.72 | 0.04 | 51.37 | 1.68 | 10.91 | -1.42 |
| GR | 40.38 | 3.32 | 8.80 | -1.14 | 39.87 | -0.36 | 8.34 | -2.09 |
| ES | 14.60 | 0.13 | 41.95 | 1.20 | 41.58 | -0.94 | 1.44 | -0.24 |
| FR | 17.14 | 0.16 | 19.61 | -0.54 | 46.91 | 1.80 | 15.53 | -1.41 |
| IT | 29.11 | -1.23 | 13.90 | -0.54 | 39.21 | 1.54 | 6.36 | -0.65 |
| CY | 30.81 | 2.79 | 7.06 | -1.16 | 41.05 | -0.53 | 20.12 | -1.32 |
| LV | 49.35 | -0.64 | 1.62 | -0.15 | 48.47 | 0.70 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| LU ³⁾ | 5.81 | -1.62 | 1.33 | -0.47 | 7.12 | -0.57 | 0.03 | 0.01 |
| MT | 22.10 | 0.43 | 4.41 | 0.23 | 49.46 | 6.00 | 23.90 | -6.72 |
| NL | 28.94 | -0.46 | 23.38 | -0.54 | 45.15 | 1.53 | . | . |
| AT | 41.05 | -1.35 | 36.80 | -0.06 | 20.14 | 1.26 | 0.07 | -0.01 |
| PT | 11.62 | 0.35 | 14.26 | 0.69 | 68.60 | -0.47 | 5.01 | -0.94 |
| SI | 47.12 | -2.14 | 12.99 | -2.15 | 39.85 | 4.29 | 0.03 | -0.01 |
| SK | 55.12 | -0.06 | 14.20 | -0.32 | 30.66 | 0.38 | 0.01 | 0.00 |
| FI | 49.06 | 2.83 | 3.33 | -0.42 | 47.60 | -2.41 | 0.01 | 0.00 |
| Euro area ⁴⁾ | 26.67 | -0.30 | 28.65 | -0.38 | 36.39 | 0.93 | 5.27 | -0.56 |
| BG | 82.49 | -0.37 | 3.06 | -0.93 | 14.44 | 1.30 | . | . |
| CZ | 55.64 | 0.56 | 13.30 | -1.59 | 30.23 | 2.75 | 0.06 | -0.01 |
| DK | 17.00 | -0.98 | 11.96 | 0.11 | 70.81 | 0.97 | 0.24 | -0.10 |
| HR | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| LT | 53.73 | -1.99 | 4.23 | -1.14 | 42.00 | 3.15 | 0.04 | -0.02 |
| HU | 61.95 | -2.02 | 7.21 | -0.26 | 29.58 | 2.42 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| PL | 58.37 | -2.40 | 0.78 | -0.09 | 40.85 | 2.49 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| RO | 52.99 | -2.90 | 1.93 | 0.72 | 43.22 | 2.55 | 1.87 | -0.37 |
| SE | 25.67 | -1.11 | 8.88 | -0.44 | 65.45 | 1.56 | 0.01 | -0.01 |
| UK | 19.96 | -0.28 | 18.46 | -0.21 | 56.99 | 1.35 | 4.58 | -0.87 |
| EU ⁵⁾ | 27.18 | -0.33 | 24.07 | -0.45 | 42.13 | 1.19 | 4.52 | -0.58 |

Source: ECB.

1) Percentages may not add up to 100% as e-money transactions and other payment instruments are not shown.

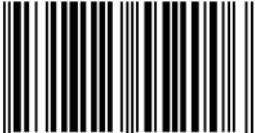
2) All cards issued in the country, except cards with an e-money function only.

3) Shares for Luxembourg are influenced by the importance of e-money transactions, which accounted for 83.06% of the total in 2011 and 85.71% in 2012.

4) The euro area aggregate excludes Latvia.

5) The EU aggregate excludes Croatia.

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