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Banking loans and deposits

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Today, Banco de Portugal publishes statistics, in Table [A.9](#) of the *Statistical Bulletin* and in *BPstat*, on banking loans and deposits of non-financial corporations and households for April 2017.

Loans

In April 2017, loans granted by banks to non-financial corporations and households (for house purchase) continued to post negative annual rates of change, which stood at -2.2% and -2.6% slightly above -2.3% and -2.7% in March (Chart 1).

For the euro area as a whole, the annual rates of change of loans to non-financial corporations and households (for house purchase) stood at 1.6% and 3.0% respectively, compared with 1.7% and 2.9% in March.

Household deposits

Household deposits with resident banks totalled €138 billion at the end of April 2017, reflecting a lower annual rate of change (-1.2%) than in March (-0.4%). Developments in household deposits were influenced by other savings instruments, namely by the subscription of variable income Treasury Bonds (*Obrigações do Tesouro de Rendimento Variável - OTRV*) for retail investors in April (see [Statistical Press Release 56 | 2017](#)).

In the euro area, the tva of private deposits was the same as in the previous month (4.0%).

Chart 1 • Loans to non-financial corporations and households (housing) – a.r

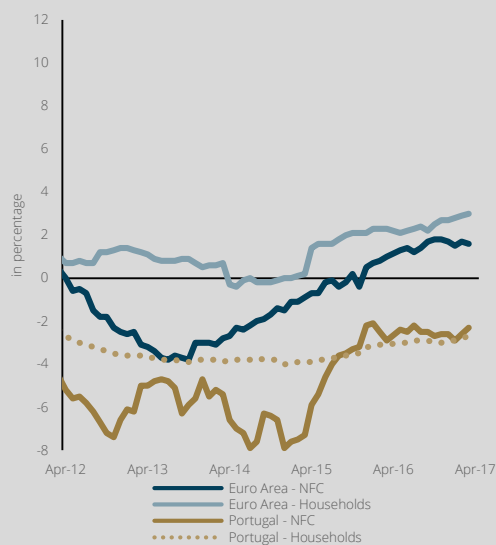
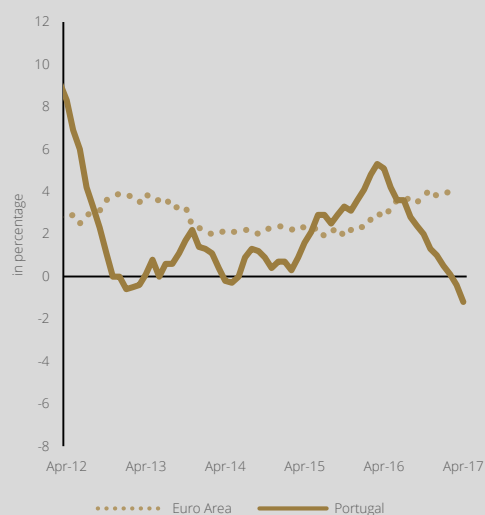


Chart 2 • Deposits of households – a.r



Additional information available at:

[Table A.9 of the Statistical Bulletin](#)

[Domain: Monetary and financial statistics of BPstat | Statistics online](#)

[Supplement No 1/2015 to the Statistical Bulletin of July 2015 - "Gestão da Qualidade nas Estatísticas de Balanço das Instituições Financeiras Monetárias" \(in Portuguese only\)](#)

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