



Securities Issues February 2016

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Banco de Portugal publishes today, in table A.12 of the Statistical Bulletin and in *BPstat*, data on shares and debt securities issues for February 2016.

At the end of February 2016, the net securities issued (gross issues minus redemptions) by residents amounted to -0.7 billion euros; debt securities accounted for nearly the total amount (Chart 1).

Concerning the breakdown by institutional sector, the highlight goes to the general government with net issues of -0.9 billion euros (Chart 2).

The outstanding amount of securities issued by residents at the end of February amounted to 421.7 billion euros, which results in a 5.4 billion euros decrease when compared with the end of January (Chart 3). The main factors that explain the decrease were, aside from the net issues, the devaluations of debt securities issued by general government and of listed shares issued by non-financial corporations. This movement follows the trend of the last three months.

Chart 1 • Securities issues, by instrument | net issues

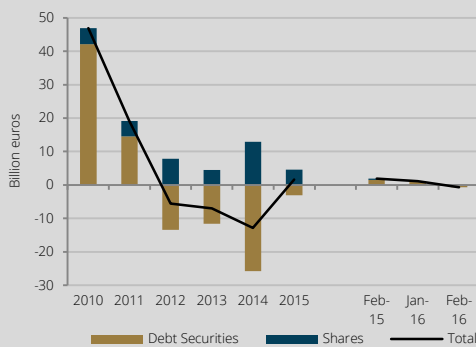


Chart 2 • Securities issues, by institutional sector | net issues

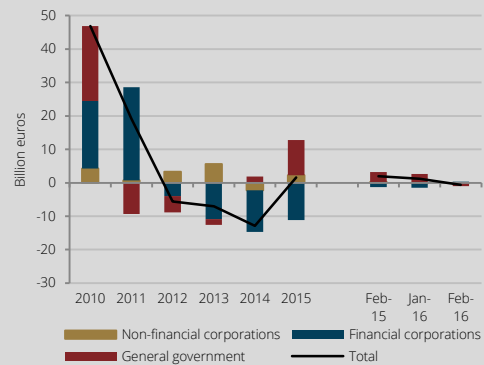


Chart 3 • Securities issues, by instrument | end-of-month outstanding amount

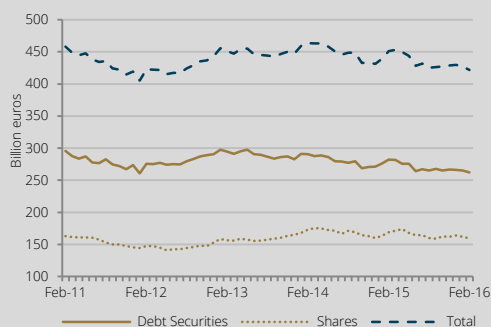
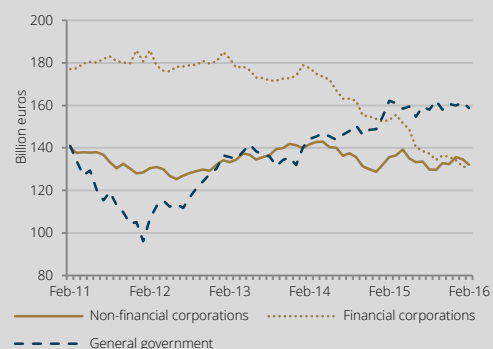


Chart 4 • Securities issues, by institutional sector | end-of-month outstanding amount



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