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# Loans granted by the financial sector May 2017

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Today, Banco de Portugal publishes statistics, in [Table A.11](#) of the *Statistical Bulletin* and in *BPstat*, on loans granted by the resident financial sector to non-financial corporations and households for May 2017.

### Loans granted to non-financial corporations

In May 2017 the annual rate of change (a.r.) in loans granted to non-financial corporations stood at -3.3%, which corresponds to a decline of 0.5 percentage points (p.p.) from the previous month (Chart 1).

Loans to private exporting companies posted an a.r. of -1.0%, a 0.6 p.p. decrease from April.

The ratio of overdue loans of non-financial

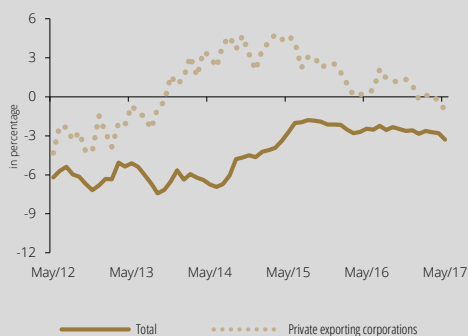
corporations remained unchanged from the previous month, standing at 15.4%. The share of borrowers with overdue loans decreased by 0.1 p.p., to 27.1%.

### Loans granted to households

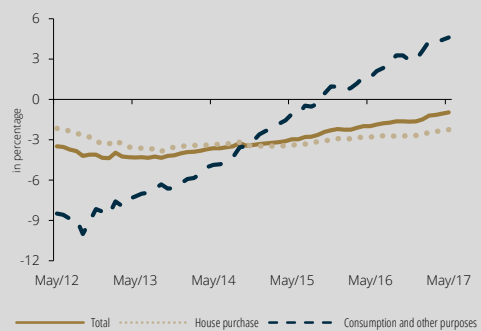
In May 2017 the a.r. in loans granted to households stood at -1.0%, reflecting a positive change of 0.1 p.p. compared with April (Chart 2). The consumption and other purposes segment also posted a positive change of 0.2 p.p., standing at 4.6%.

The ratio of overdue loans to households remained unchanged from the previous month at 4.7%. The share of borrowers with overdue loans in the household sector declined by 0.1 p.p. from April, to stand at 13.2%.

**Chart 1 • Loans granted to non-financial corporations – a.r.**



**Chart 2 • Loans granted to households – a.r.**



**Additional information available at:**

Table A.11 of the *Statistical Bulletin*

Domain: *Main indicators – Loans granted by the financial sector*, in the time series component of BPstat | Statistics online

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