



STATISTICAL PRESS RELEASE

115 | 2017

Loans granted by the financial sector October 2017

28 November 2017

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 October 2017.

Loans granted to non-financial corporations

In October 2017, the annual rate of change (a.r.) of loans granted to non-financial corporations stood at -3.4%. This figure corresponds to an increase of 0.2 percentage points (p.p.) from September (Chart 1).

Loans to private exporting companies posted an a.r. of -1.2%. The value registered in October reflects a 0.2 p.p. increase from the previous month.

The ratio of overdue loans and the share of borrowers with overdue loans of non-financial corporations increased by 0.1 p.p. from September to 14.6% and 26.5%, respectively.

Loans granted to households

In October 2017 the a.r. of loans granted to households was -0.5%, similar to the rate recorded in September (Chart 2). In loans for house purchase, the a.r. increased by 0.1 p.p. to -1.7%, while in loans for consumption and other purposes the a.r. declined by 0.3 p.p. to 5.0%.

The ratio of overdue loans and the share of borrowers with overdue loans in loans to households increased by 0.1 p.p. from the previous month, to stand at 4.5% and 12.6% respectively.

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

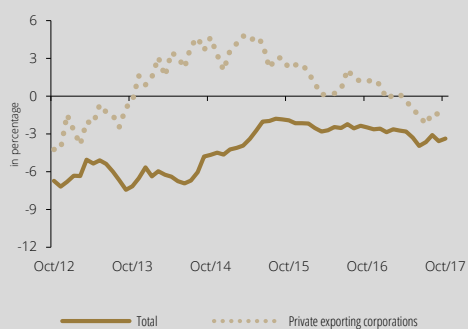
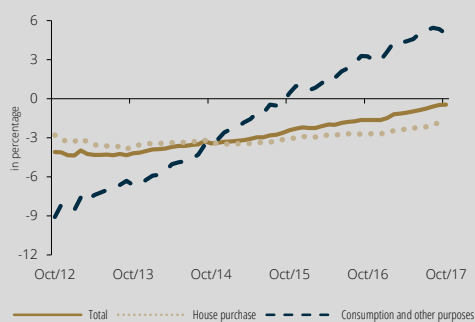


Chart 2 • Loans granted to households – a.r.





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](#)

Statistical Press Release 22 | 2016 - [New statistics on loans granted by the resident financial sector](#)

Next update: 4 January 2018

Banco de Portugal | info@bportugal.pt