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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 January 2018.

#### Loans

In January 2018, loans granted by banks to non-financial corporations posted an annual rate of change (a.r.c.) of -0.3%, an increase of 1.8 percentage points, compared with December 2017 (-2.1%). The a.r.c. of loans to households (for house purchase) remained unchanged at -1.7% relative to the previous month (Chart 1).

For the euro area as a whole, the annual rates of change in loans to non-financial corporations and households (for house purchase) stood at 2.2%

and 3.3% respectively, compared with 1.9% and 3.5% in December 2017.

#### Household deposits

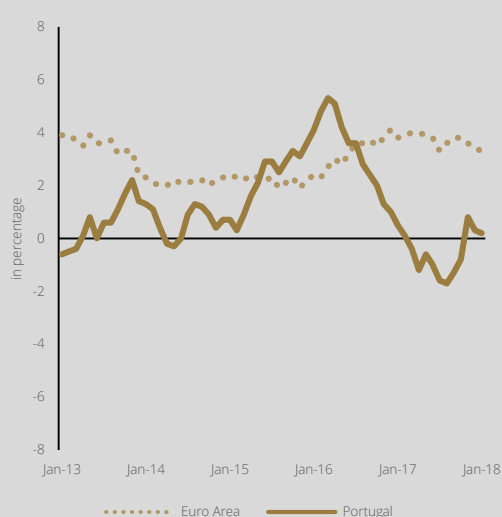
Household deposits with resident banks totalled €139.0 billion at the end of January 2018, reflecting an a.r.c. of 0.2%, compared with 0.3% in the previous month (Chart 2).

In the euro area, the a.r.c. in household deposits stood at 3.3% in January, which is below the 3.4% recorded in December 2017.

**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](#)

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