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General government financing

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Today, Banco de Portugal publishes statistics, in Table [A.15](#) of the *Statistical Bulletin* and in *BPstat*, on general government financing for December 2017.

In 2017, general government financing stood at €1.5 billion, down from €4.7 billion recorded in 2016 (Chart 1).

Financing obtained by the general government from banks and other residents was €7.8 billion and €3.0 billion respectively. Conversely, over this period,

general government financing granted by non-residents stood at €-9.3 billion, chiefly reflecting early repayments of IMF loans to the amount of €10.0 billion (Chart 2).

Financing through securities stood at €6.9 billion, which more than offset the €5.5 billion reduction in loans net of deposits.

Chart 1 • General government financing

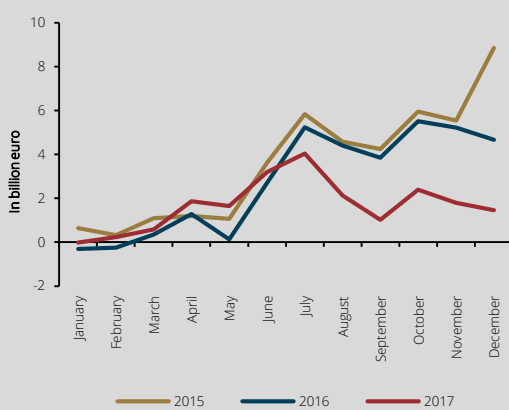
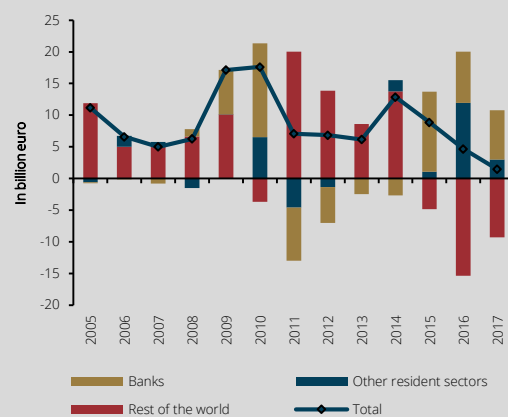


Chart 2 • General government financing by counterpart – cumulative flows since the beginning of the year



Additional information available at:

Table A.15 of the *Statistical Bulletin*

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