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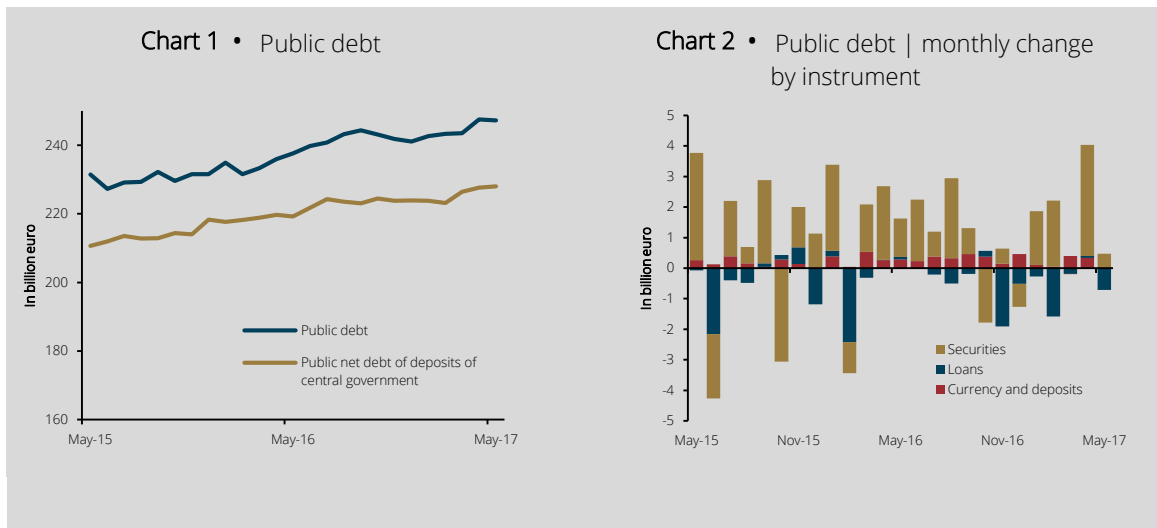
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Today, Banco de Portugal publishes statistics, in Table [A.15](#) of the *Statistical Bulletin* and in *BPstat*, on public debt for May 2017.

In this period, public debt stood at €247.3 billion (Chart 1), a decline of €0.2 billion from the end of April (Chart 2). This change reflects a fall in loans by

€0.7 billion, which was partially offset by net issues of securities of €0.5 billion.

Central government deposits declined by €0.6 billion. Therefore, public debt net of central government deposits increased by €0.4 billion from the previous month, totalling €228.1 billion.



Additional information available at:

[Table A.15 of the *Statistical Bulletin*](#)

[Domain: General government debt statistics in BPstat | Statistics Online](#)

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