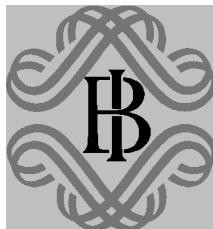


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This supplement has 21 Tables.

Tables 1-5 contain ESCB harmonized balance sheet statistics. The data refer to banks and money market funds, which, together with the Bank of Italy, constitute the Monetary Financial Institutions (MFIs) resident in Italy, the institutions subject to the statistical reporting requirements of the European Central Bank. Up to December 2002 the activity of money-market funds affected only the two columns of Tables 1 and 3 concerning the net sales of fund units/shares and MFIs' total holdings of securities including money-market funds' portfolios. As of January 2003, the activity of money-market funds is included in all the balance sheet items. As a consequence of this change and of an increase in the population of funds, some of the series in Tables 1, 3 and 4 show discontinuities between December 2002 and January 2003. For more details, see the "General Indications" section in the Methodological appendix.

The remaining series of Tables 1-5 refer exclusively to banks. Tables 6-13 show the balance sheet items whose definitions do not always coincide with those of the ESCB harmonized statistics. Their publication ensures continuity with the statistics traditionally published by the Bank of Italy. The notes to the tables explain the differences between the Bank of Italy and ESCB harmonized definitions.

Tables 14 and 15 contain information on the securities held for custody by banks.

Table 16 contains the series on banks' income statements and other information on the structure of the Italian banking system.

Tables 17-20 show harmonized interest rates on bank loans and deposits (see the Methodological Appendix). Table 21 contains the interest rates on interbank transactions and other information on bank interest rates.

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Balance sheet

(stocks in millions of euros)

Assets

	Cash	Loans							Holdings of securities		
		Residents of Italy			Residents of other euro-area countries			Rest of the world	Residents of Italy		
		MFIs	General government	Other sectors	MFIs	General government	Other sectors		MFIs	General government	Other sectors
S562518M	S589956M	S599104M	S612202M	S621694M	S634800M	S645671M	S655611M	S953876M	S140793M	S154530M	
2001	8,687	205,076	58,003	922,575	49,945	124	13,771	65,094	42,488	149,149	13,509
2002	9,566	285,834	56,763	979,517	72,827	110	13,544	71,406	48,040	145,094	13,127
2003	9,488	325,056	52,867	1,048,297	74,876	110	16,016	69,670	56,924	167,108	19,075
2004 – Dec. . .	9,083	339,741	51,990	1,108,400	93,689	89	13,440	65,046	62,335	162,810	25,076
2005 – Jan. . .	7,508	327,624	52,897	1,124,949	86,065	89	12,836	60,824	62,023	164,729	24,687
Feb. . .	7,465	322,950	53,694	1,120,672	88,373	89	13,791	58,058	63,218	170,139	24,418
Mar. . .	8,045	331,823	52,809	1,128,670	89,422	89	12,622	61,964	63,590	169,638	25,430
Apr. . .	7,414	336,348	54,232	1,128,548	94,798	84	12,774	65,638	63,874	168,983	26,748
May . .	7,601	354,851	54,531	1,136,398	100,200	84	11,620	68,484	65,075	167,430	26,820
June .	7,593	359,233	54,887	1,156,306	98,918	84	12,231	70,097	69,476	172,312	27,700
July . .	7,657	348,936	54,347	1,159,617	97,367	84	12,654	70,157	70,624	168,329	27,344
Aug. . .	7,602	356,978	52,749	1,154,688	99,912	84	15,957	64,635	70,152	167,694	26,928
Sept. . .	7,410	362,820	55,014	1,160,481	96,332	84	16,081	74,400	73,258	168,594	27,631
Oct. . .	7,912	372,284	55,330	1,168,963	95,777	84	15,899	71,420	72,347	173,304	27,883
Nov. . .	8,279	363,869	54,271	1,185,931	99,939	84	16,573	72,190	73,550	174,458	28,014
Dec. . .	9,291	366,385	56,284	1,193,946	103,776	84	16,553	66,858	78,115	163,239	28,182
2006 – Jan. . .	(7,871)	(371,635)	(56,494)	(1,203,468)	(104,456)	(84)	(17,385)	(70,274)	(78,642)	(167,979)	(27,998)

Table 1
TDME0010

other than shares, at market value				Shares and other equity					Fixed assets	Remain- ing assets	Total assets	Memoran- dum items: Claims on the Eurosystem
Residents of other euro-area countries			Rest of the world	Residents of Italy		Residents of other euro-area countries		Rest of the world				
MFIs	General government	Other sectors		MFIs	Other sectors	MFIs	Other sectors					
S184537M	S166032M	S181158M	S665123M	S678647M	S687287M	S694873M	S737997M	S745236M	S753273M	S766152M	S200055M	S480216M
4,039	4,671	6,279	13,286	42,957	30,513	6,481	10,393	6,454	48,397	176,266	1,878,155	25,781
4,456	5,692	8,333	11,354	42,179	38,105	6,692	11,073	6,818	49,992	185,600	2,066,122	10,381
7,438	17,475	9,492	15,730	51,004	43,420	5,232	12,052	7,631	46,545	190,587	2,246,094	10,419
9,665	25,996	8,752	16,332	52,573	45,944	5,442	12,399	8,368	47,076	214,821	2,379,067	13,157
10,217	26,741	8,838	20,086	52,955	48,482	5,236	12,222	10,009	46,544	227,233	2,392,794	11,221
11,436	27,179	8,711	19,855	53,083	49,947	5,272	12,830	10,111	46,981	225,286	2,393,558	10,681
12,511	25,878	9,204	20,982	55,456	52,587	5,086	12,881	10,273	46,990	233,651	2,429,602	8,083
12,888	25,695	9,451	20,288	59,795	57,564	5,125	12,896	10,336	46,668	235,223	2,455,368	9,387
12,762	26,555	9,321	20,561	60,915	63,169	5,252	13,614	10,736	46,786	252,119	2,514,884	9,514
13,204	24,942	9,285	20,995	57,126	58,853	5,374	13,870	9,037	46,643	254,295	2,542,460	11,078
13,535	23,410	9,294	22,915	60,824	48,626	5,134	12,536	9,335	47,278	243,552	2,513,554	11,144
13,731	22,287	8,741	22,867	60,551	48,603	5,304	12,317	9,324	47,330	237,591	2,506,025	11,109
13,681	21,584	8,910	22,351	60,537	53,030	5,101	12,987	9,302	47,267	245,493	2,542,348	12,254
13,244	21,246	9,449	22,212	60,101	62,929	5,347	13,146	9,505	47,991	244,026	2,570,398	14,541
12,963	24,203	9,242	22,088	61,131	56,669	21,432	13,904	9,504	48,337	254,923	2,611,552	15,190
12,389	21,597	9,918	16,950	58,903	50,203	21,417	13,875	9,539	48,465	254,810	2,600,780	11,657
(12,695)	(23,609)	(10,165)	(20,783)	(60,138)	(50,530)	(21,540)	(14,106)	(9,581)	(48,637)	(249,284)	(2,627,356)	(14,532)

Banks and money market funds

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Table 1
TDME0020**Balance sheet***(stocks in millions of euros)***Liabilities**

	Deposits					
	Residents of Italy			Residents of other euro-area countries		
	MFI	Central government	Other general government – other sectors	MFI	Central government	Other general government – other sectors
	S640722M	S390776M	S273355M	S400654M	S408710M	S287103M
2001	192,934	7,214	636,656	109,572	291	5,525
2002	285,275	7,109	689,068	111,654	8	9,279
2003	313,742	7,730	691,960	118,928	17	9,268
2004 – Dec.	343,492	7,218	724,848	126,294	13	13,214
2005 – Jan.	335,004	7,588	716,222	137,623	19	10,978
Feb.	332,067	7,293	711,462	147,243	99	11,364
Mar.	344,466	7,437	716,551	143,892	94	11,551
Apr.	344,284	7,655	729,069	146,361	93	12,277
May	368,025	7,931	736,160	153,120	89	12,489
June	367,579	8,591	744,750	153,908	367	14,428
July	354,979	7,678	750,374	154,345	101	13,400
Aug.	362,130	7,819	733,540	154,610	90	13,383
Sept.	370,251	8,380	740,524	153,153	577	13,841
Oct.	374,061	8,199	752,570	161,490	1,008	15,684
Nov.	373,555	8,069	743,395	156,307	940	13,311
Dec.	378,780	8,214	775,983	146,445	921	14,279
2006 – Jan.	(378,902)	(7,593)	(766,051)	(165,281)	(2,563)	(14,461)

Table 1
TDME0020

	Money market fund shares/units	Debt securities issued	Capital and reserves	Remaining liabilities	Total liabilities	<i>Memorandum item:</i> Deposits of Eurosys- tem
Rest of the world						
<i>S416254M</i>	<i>S424528M</i>	<i>S303540M</i>	<i>S434899M</i>	<i>S442597M</i>	<i>S215509M</i>	<i>S2660138M</i>
171,121	26,164	334,672	133,633	260,372	1,878,155	11,260
146,026	41,966	367,969	146,172	261,595	2,066,123	7,966
159,227	107,031	399,958	156,726	281,508	2,246,095	9,295
157,033	101,079	442,994	163,181	299,700	2,379,067	16,029
163,627	99,645	442,682	165,154	314,254	2,392,794	18,921
157,396	99,086	451,423	165,142	310,983	2,393,558	20,678
161,484	98,125	458,092	166,903	321,007	2,429,602	20,084
170,619	97,430	460,337	168,749	318,493	2,455,367	16,090
171,619	95,827	464,569	170,436	334,618	2,514,883	20,169
169,951	94,087	471,047	171,244	346,508	2,542,459	24,195
163,577	92,787	470,169	175,852	330,292	2,513,554	23,189
172,628	92,483	467,899	175,383	326,062	2,506,025	22,695
178,354	91,083	470,644	175,071	340,469	2,542,347	21,976
182,721	89,481	474,025	175,699	335,461	2,570,398	23,231
185,113	88,535	476,526	190,921	374,880	2,611,552	25,343
179,641	88,548	484,415	191,397	332,156	2,600,780	22,446
(185,810)	(85,489)	(483,619)	(193,899)	(343,688)	(2,627,355)	(23,693)

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Table 2

TDME0050

**Funds raised from other general government and other sectors,
in euros and euro-area currencies**

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Deposits					
	Residents of Italy					Overnight deposits
	Overnight deposits	Deposits with agreed maturity		Deposits redeemable at notice	Repos	
Up to 2 years		More than 2 years	Overnight deposits			
	<i>S513733M</i>	<i>S567418M</i>	<i>S624290M</i>	<i>S675292M</i>	<i>S705760M</i>	<i>S864457M</i>
2001	438,230	44,577	5,818	57,148	76,075	3,480
2002	479,412	38,914	3,497	61,701	89,165	4,407
2003	505,648	33,109	3,050	64,814	68,074	3,858
2004 – Dec.	535,895	32,204	2,170	67,835	69,555	3,198
2005 – Jan.	532,163	31,565	2,141	67,545	65,621	3,260
Feb.	526,608	31,157	2,136	67,896	66,420	3,470
Mar.	529,487	32,461	2,122	68,208	66,993	3,614
Apr.	548,095	31,121	2,097	68,316	62,773	3,334
May	547,724	30,582	2,088	68,402	70,310	4,682
June	553,884	31,468	2,069	68,569	71,685	3,814
July	553,278	31,469	2,061	68,676	77,873	3,686
Aug.	534,918	31,489	2,045	69,269	78,334	3,496
Sept. ...	547,951	31,049	2,049	69,124	72,682	3,753
Oct.	556,909	31,240	2,038	68,500	76,899	6,501
Nov.	548,871	31,561	1,969	68,206	76,662	3,915
Dec.	581,302	33,336	2,466	69,551	72,840	3,165
2006 – Jan.	(569,559)	(31,879)	(2,456)	(68,826)	(76,347)	(3,558)

Table 2

TDME0050

Residents of other euro-area countries				Deposits of the rest of the world	Debt securities issued		Total
Deposits with agreed maturity		Deposits redeemable at notice	Repos		Up to 2 years	More than 2 years	
Up to 2 years	More than 2 years						
<i>S924318M</i>	<i>S947791M</i>	<i>S985904M</i>	<i>S044058M</i>	<i>S218432M</i>	<i>S382797M</i>	<i>S412098M</i>	<i>S339411M</i>
1,167	531	15	49	22,304	12,481	317,688	979,564
3,888	534	55	40	27,845	13,962	350,937	1,074,357
3,453	1,246	40	285	28,032	11,074	386,198	1,108,882
6,370	1,520	13	1,714	30,198	8,766	429,497	1,188,936
5,628	1,547	13	175	30,484	8,505	429,325	1,177,973
5,046	1,547	13	909	29,773	8,764	437,728	1,181,466
6,116	1,299	13	82	30,076	8,912	442,895	1,192,279
5,002	2,270	13	1,290	31,877	9,306	444,445	1,209,941
4,593	2,222	13	569	33,675	8,955	448,903	1,222,719
6,608	2,225	12	1,356	33,916	9,799	454,166	1,239,569
6,557	2,232	12	485	33,173	9,781	453,237	1,242,519
5,718	2,130	11	1,245	32,969	9,451	451,175	1,222,252
6,451	2,179	11	823	35,680	9,819	453,457	1,235,029
5,664	2,214	12	815	35,351	10,004	456,545	1,252,692
5,085	2,132	13	1,685	35,593	10,205	458,970	1,244,867
6,081	2,097	13	2,167	33,532	10,141	466,692	1,283,385
(5,042)	(3,011)	(15)	(2,290)	(33,752)	(10,865)	(465,281)	(1,272,881)

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Table 3
TDME0030

Claims in euros and other euro-area currencies

(stocks in millions of euros)

Loans

	Residents of Italy			Residents of other euro-area countries			Rest of the world	Total
	MFIs	General government	Other sectors	MFIs	General government	Other sectors		
	<i>S358266M</i>	<i>S449786M</i>	<i>S459093M</i>	<i>S403068M</i>	<i>S522071M</i>	<i>S533600M</i>	<i>S641185M</i>	<i>S709031M</i>
2001	182,174	57,974	892,458	42,206	109	11,344	38,454	1,224,720
2002	264,844	56,715	958,119	66,246	110	11,817	48,390	1,406,241
2003	309,227	52,827	1,031,206	69,225	110	14,578	50,297	1,527,470
2004 – Dec.	320,307	51,929	1,093,023	87,341	89	12,382	47,307	1,612,378
2005 – Jan.	308,444	52,837	1,108,895	80,822	89	11,771	42,689	1,605,546
Feb.	303,312	53,633	1,104,343	83,187	89	12,734	40,263	1,597,562
Mar.	311,219	52,749	1,112,479	83,860	89	11,701	44,348	1,616,445
Apr.	316,224	54,172	1,112,466	89,548	84	11,879	47,510	1,631,883
May	333,711	54,472	1,119,424	95,823	84	10,720	50,114	1,664,348
June	342,064	54,829	1,139,318	92,591	84	11,318	51,803	1,692,007
July	328,527	54,283	1,142,896	92,484	84	11,858	51,784	1,681,916
Aug.	337,333	52,690	1,138,461	94,960	84	14,668	47,312	1,685,508
Sept.	341,888	54,957	1,142,835	91,036	84	14,658	56,663	1,702,122
Oct.	352,626	55,272	1,152,124	90,420	84	14,837	52,381	1,717,744
Nov.	343,345	54,211	1,168,444	94,600	84	15,399	53,475	1,729,558
Dec.	346,101	56,225	1,177,043	98,569	84	15,231	46,506	1,739,759
2006 – Jan.	(350,521)	(56,412)	(1,186,963)	(98,665)	(84)	(16,252)	(51,451)	(1,760,347)

TDME0040

Securities other than shares, at market value

	Residents of Italy			Residents of other euro-area countries			Rest of the world	Total
	MFIs	General government	Other sectors	MFIs	General government	Other sectors		
	<i>S425572M</i>	<i>S469557M</i>	<i>S509302M</i>	<i>S454424M</i>	<i>S543617M</i>	<i>S553106M</i>	<i>S355709M</i>	<i>S368144M</i>
2001	42,145	148,679	13,483	3,842	4,626	5,839	9,451	228,066
2002	47,865	144,783	13,121	4,328	5,681	7,956	8,011	231,745
2003	56,135	166,511	19,071	6,855	17,462	9,084	12,594	287,712
2004 – Dec.	61,120	162,266	24,891	8,847	25,980	8,459	13,426	304,989
2005 – Jan.	60,885	164,152	24,498	9,453	26,724	8,517	15,983	310,212
Feb.	62,090	169,603	24,229	10,496	27,139	8,372	15,768	317,698
Mar.	62,493	169,059	25,241	11,603	25,838	8,836	16,292	319,361
Apr.	62,841	168,399	26,556	11,917	25,655	9,100	15,642	320,110
May	64,055	166,796	26,628	11,852	26,513	8,933	15,857	320,635
June	68,423	171,686	27,507	12,249	24,893	8,935	16,410	330,103
July	69,644	167,650	27,152	12,531	23,386	8,838	18,020	327,220
Aug.	69,191	166,995	26,736	12,814	22,264	8,246	17,956	324,202
Sept.	72,240	167,888	27,441	12,811	21,549	8,417	17,919	328,264
Oct.	71,350	172,595	27,690	12,423	21,211	8,696	17,963	331,929
Nov.	72,582	173,725	27,823	12,045	24,171	8,404	17,803	336,553
Dec.	77,191	162,602	27,991	11,520	21,574	8,843	12,795	322,518
2006 – Jan.	(77,759)	(167,326)	(27,807)	(11,855)	(23,585)	(9,140)	(16,629)	(334,101)

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Table 4
TDME0060
Loans by sector of economic activity (excluding MFIs)
Residents of the euro-area

(stocks in millions of euros)

	General government				Other sectors					
	Total	Central government	Local government	Social security funds	Total	Other financial institutions	Insurance corporations and pension funds	Non-financial corporations	Households	Non-profit institutions
	S959675M	S918964M	S037951M	S099244M	S074637M	S941913M	S018865M	S050852M	S999058M	S115289M
2001	58,126	27,140	30,810	176	936,346	153,224	3,789	520,857	252,249	6,226
2002	56,873	25,874	30,859	141	993,061	160,567	3,715	546,559	275,954	6,266
2003	52,978	23,048	29,867	63	1,064,314	159,345	6,043	588,676	304,070	6,179
2004 – Dec. ...	52,079	21,481	30,567	31	1,121,839	144,822	10,081	615,703	344,720	6,513
2005 – Jan.	52,986	21,635	31,306	45	1,137,785	143,079	10,995	629,938	346,923	6,849
Feb.	53,783	22,557	31,171	55	1,134,463	140,345	11,693	626,094	349,379	6,952
Mar.	52,898	21,262	31,565	72	1,141,293	147,401	10,878	624,862	351,328	6,823
Apr.	54,316	22,819	31,461	36	1,141,321	146,794	11,633	621,958	354,318	6,618
May	54,616	22,597	31,977	42	1,148,017	144,809	11,493	625,003	360,025	6,686
June ...	54,971	23,210	31,705	56	1,168,536	147,165	12,118	636,608	365,691	6,953
July	54,431	23,024	31,360	47	1,172,271	142,322	12,726	639,415	370,662	7,146
Aug. ...	52,833	21,631	31,165	37	1,170,645	141,844	12,759	637,169	371,990	6,884
Sept. ...	55,098	22,848	32,197	52	1,176,562	145,510	12,850	636,094	375,153	6,955
Oct.	55,414	23,008	32,360	46	1,184,862	147,610	13,464	637,471	379,278	7,040
Nov. ...	54,355	23,038	31,271	47	1,202,504	147,762	13,826	649,732	384,045	7,139
Dec. ...	56,368	24,025	32,289	54	1,210,499	157,051	12,760	648,240	385,088	7,360
2006 – Jan.	(56,578)	(22,798)	(33,287)	(492)	(1,220,853)	(155,860)	(13,699)	(657,894)	(385,803)	(7,598)

of which: residents of Italy

(stocks in millions of euros)

	General government				Other sectors						
	Total	Central government	Local government	Social security funds	Total	Other financial institutions	Insurance corporations and pension funds	Non-financial corporations	Households		Non-profit institutions
	S599104M	S725002M	S807758M	S844053M	S612202M	S744727M	S791158M	S825001M	S874931M	S897121M	S855955M
2001	58,003	27,111	30,716	176	922,575	145,413	3,755	515,218	190,575	61,389	6,225
2002	56,763	25,857	30,764	141	979,517	152,889	3,651	540,984	210,267	65,462	6,264
2003	52,867	23,032	29,773	63	1,048,297	149,546	5,996	582,884	232,630	71,076	6,165
2004 – Dec. ...	51,990	21,481	30,478	31	1,108,400	137,461	10,038	609,935	268,572	75,891	6,502
2005 – Jan.	52,897	21,635	31,217	45	1,124,949	136,029	10,953	624,480	270,757	75,891	6,838
Feb. ...	53,694	22,557	31,082	55	1,120,672	133,211	10,848	620,572	273,003	76,096	6,941
Mar.	52,809	21,262	31,476	71	1,128,670	140,921	10,855	619,028	274,409	76,645	6,812
Apr.	54,232	22,819	31,377	36	1,128,548	139,812	11,596	616,486	277,016	77,031	6,607
May	54,531	22,597	31,893	42	1,136,398	138,911	11,476	619,576	282,253	77,506	6,675
June ...	54,887	23,210	31,621	56	1,156,306	140,647	12,073	631,219	287,195	78,228	6,942
July	54,347	23,024	31,276	47	1,159,617	135,705	12,669	633,719	291,828	78,561	7,135
Aug. ...	52,749	21,631	31,081	37	1,154,688	132,451	12,682	630,979	292,824	78,870	6,883
Sept. ...	55,014	22,848	32,113	52	1,160,481	136,241	12,795	629,633	295,461	79,396	6,954
Oct.	55,330	23,008	32,276	46	1,168,963	138,291	13,387	631,249	299,254	79,743	7,039
Nov. ...	54,271	23,038	31,187	47	1,185,931	138,286	13,771	642,967	302,856	80,912	7,138
Dec. ...	56,284	24,025	32,205	54	1,193,946	148,137	12,689	640,964	305,567	79,230	7,359
2006 – Jan.	(56,494)	(22,798)	(33,203)	(492)	(1,203,468)	(146,218)	(13,633)	(650,507)	(305,677)	(79,837)	(7,597)

Banks and money market funds

ESCB harmonized statistics

Loans to households and non-financial corporations by type and maturity
Residents of the euro-area

(stocks in millions of euros)

Table 5

TDME0070

	Total	Households					
		Consumer credit			Lending for house purchase		
		Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years
	S999058M	S253370M	S300027M	S320618M	S465796M	S498188M	S528361M
2001	252,249	5,717	12,377	5,802	371	2,158	99,728
2002	275,954	1,327	19,067	8,052	208	4,365	121,671
2003	304,070	932	23,156	8,826	208	4,463	149,451
2004 – Dec. ...	344,720	1,233	25,232	11,553	180	4,403	180,110
2005 – Jan. ...	346,923	1,020	25,487	11,804	182	4,524	181,405
Feb. ...	349,379	968	25,564	12,138	184	4,530	183,188
Mar. ...	351,328	962	25,892	12,583	179	4,518	183,673
Apr. ...	354,318	953	26,028	13,043	182	4,587	187,009
May ...	360,025	942	26,304	13,631	184	4,516	191,103
June ...	365,691	933	26,626	14,286	191	4,550	194,525
July ...	370,662	935	26,812	14,708	202	4,539	199,092
Aug. ...	371,990	923	26,653	14,919	194	4,548	200,201
Sept. ...	375,153	921	26,778	15,272	189	4,667	201,788
Oct. ...	379,278	914	26,951	15,654	186	4,683	205,136
Nov. ...	384,045	917	26,827	15,776	197	4,697	208,408
Dec. ...	385,088	962	27,229	16,043	200	3,892	212,787
2006 – Jan. ...	(385,803)	(960)	(27,215)	(16,176)	(194)	(3,941)	(212,936)

of which: residents of Italy

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Total	Households					
		Consumer credit			Lending for house purchase		
		Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years
	S772161M	S238886M	S288133M	S310233M	S432824M	S478581M	S515808M
2001	251,964	5,715	12,349	5,797	371	2,158	99,702
2002	275,728	1,325	19,066	8,052	208	4,364	121,634
2003	303,706	931	23,155	8,826	208	4,461	149,405
2004 – Dec. ...	344,463	1,233	25,232	11,553	179	4,400	180,052
2005 – Jan. ...	346,649	1,020	25,487	11,803	181	4,521	181,346
Feb. ...	349,099	968	25,563	12,137	184	4,527	183,128
Mar. ...	351,054	962	25,891	12,582	179	4,515	183,603
Apr. ...	354,047	953	26,027	13,042	182	4,584	186,938
May ...	359,760	942	26,304	13,630	184	4,513	191,040
June ...	365,423	933	26,625	14,286	191	4,546	194,462
July ...	370,389	935	26,811	14,708	202	4,535	199,028
Aug. ...	371,694	923	26,652	14,918	194	4,545	200,138
Sept. ...	374,857	921	26,777	15,271	189	4,663	201,724
Oct. ...	378,997	914	26,950	15,654	185	4,679	205,070
Nov. ...	383,768	917	26,826	15,775	197	4,693	208,341
Dec. ...	384,797	962	27,228	16,042	200	3,889	212,717
2006 – Jan. ...	(385,514)	(960)	(27,214)	(16,175)	(193)	(3,937)	(212,865)

Table 5
TDME0070

			Total	Non-financial corporations		
Other lending				Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years
Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years				
<i>S561335M</i>	<i>S594676M</i>	<i>S618647M</i>	<i>S050852M</i>	<i>S155890M</i>	<i>S179352M</i>	<i>S228379M</i>
41,389	41,333	43,376	520,857	270,493	105,716	144,649
45,823	35,249	40,193	546,559	265,900	116,289	164,370
44,388	33,625	39,022	588,676	265,622	131,899	191,155
43,292	35,063	43,652	615,703	264,325	134,255	217,123
43,816	34,670	44,016	629,938	268,877	142,051	219,011
43,494	34,811	44,502	626,094	266,555	139,287	220,253
43,342	35,056	45,123	624,862	264,386	139,508	220,968
42,079	35,254	45,182	621,958	259,818	139,823	222,317
41,846	35,632	45,867	625,003	259,444	141,609	223,950
43,250	35,270	46,060	636,608	268,547	142,942	225,120
42,867	35,293	46,213	639,415	268,916	143,393	227,106
42,732	35,396	46,425	637,169	263,427	139,610	234,132
43,346	35,314	46,879	636,094	261,825	137,648	236,620
42,784	35,358	47,612	637,471	261,425	138,177	237,869
43,501	35,634	48,087	649,732	269,719	138,847	241,166
42,576	32,812	48,587	648,240	267,473	135,991	244,776
(42,963)	(32,692)	(48,726)	(657,894)	(272,798)	(138,466)	(246,630)

			Total	Non-financial corporations		
Other lending				Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years
Up to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years				
<i>S542790M</i>	<i>S579558M</i>	<i>S605601M</i>	<i>S825001M</i>	<i>S128047M</i>	<i>S167287M</i>	<i>S194601M</i>
41,233	41,288	43,351	515,218	267,784	103,854	143,579
45,708	35,196	40,174	540,984	263,268	114,698	163,018
44,248	33,468	39,002	582,884	263,911	129,496	189,478
43,244	34,971	43,600	609,935	262,120	132,312	215,503
43,745	34,584	43,963	624,480	267,122	140,088	217,270
43,425	34,719	44,447	620,572	264,849	137,480	218,243
43,295	34,962	45,065	619,028	262,466	137,676	218,887
42,034	35,164	45,122	616,486	257,862	138,322	220,302
41,801	35,538	45,808	619,576	257,498	140,239	221,839
43,214	35,165	46,001	631,219	266,859	141,307	223,053
42,829	35,188	46,152	633,719	266,858	141,646	225,214
42,698	35,291	46,335	630,979	260,956	137,796	232,227
43,313	35,210	46,788	629,633	259,165	135,739	234,730
42,747	35,279	47,520	631,249	258,979	136,336	235,935
43,470	35,553	47,996	642,967	266,836	136,888	239,243
42,529	32,736	48,496	640,964	264,682	133,760	242,521
(42,917)	(32,619)	(48,633)	(650,507)	(270,254)	(135,865)	(244,387)

Banks

Other statistical information

Deposits, bonds and other liabilities*(stocks in millions of euros)***Table 6**
TDUE0080

	Deposits in lire/euros of residents of Italy						Total	
	Current account deposits	Savings deposits	Repos	Certificates of deposit			Deposits net of repos	
				short-term	medium and long-term			
	S318112M	S354531M	S548888M	S199771M	S229865M	S254815M	S274218M	S329699M
2001	434,135	64,174	76,510	37,200	28,105	9,095	612,020	535,509
2002	467,218	68,477	89,728	31,961	24,727	7,234	657,384	567,656
2003	496,732	71,298	78,370	26,821	21,313	5,508	673,222	594,852
2004 – Nov. ...	504,813	72,803	72,236	23,388	18,756	4,633	673,241	601,005
Dec. ...	530,190	74,173	78,874	23,367	18,766	4,601	706,604	627,730
2005 – Jan. ...	527,802	73,844	72,700	23,065	18,540	4,525	697,411	624,711
Feb. ...	521,646	74,256	70,306	22,719	18,259	4,461	688,928	618,621
Mar. ...	526,046	74,815	72,585	22,534	18,104	4,430	695,980	623,395
Apr. ...	542,026	74,732	70,006	22,183	17,795	4,388	708,946	638,940
May ...	544,195	74,616	75,744	21,992	17,642	4,350	716,547	640,803
June ...	547,749	74,880	76,653	21,587	17,267	4,320	720,869	644,216
July ...	547,605	75,092	83,386	21,237	16,996	4,241	727,321	643,934
Aug. ...	535,349	75,558	85,136	21,143	16,985	4,159	717,187	632,051
Sept. ...	545,054	75,496	79,946	20,828	16,721	4,107	721,324	641,378
Oct. ...	553,675	74,786	81,643	20,689	16,629	4,059	730,793	649,150
Nov. ...	545,754	74,461	80,877	20,462	16,689	3,773	721,553	640,676
Dec. ...	578,665	75,896	78,461	20,364	16,627	3,737	753,385	674,925

Table 6
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Deposits in non-euro currencies of residents of Italy	Deposits of non-residents of Italy	Bonds issued at book value			External liabilities	Memorandum items	
		fixed rate	variable rate	Subordinated liabilities		Supervisory capital	
S340987M	S340751M	S962489M	S275383M	S295869M	S324642M	S946525M	S315121M
14,834	10,241	295,076	139,152	155,924	302,249	42,279	171,459
15,618	11,114	323,130	148,448	174,682	281,799	45,062	182,025
16,640	12,065	351,726	118,342	233,384	303,063	47,757	195,896
17,178	11,124	386,479	....	....	320,726	48,722	....
16,753	11,432	392,058	121,724	270,334	316,173	47,991	205,964
16,725	11,036	391,751	....	....	332,540	47,291	....
16,695	11,503	399,695	....	....	338,262	47,971	....
16,709	11,462	405,310	121,210	284,100	341,051	48,673	206,279
16,084	13,392	407,514	....	....	353,294	48,561	....
16,437	14,817	411,724	....	....	361,768	48,512	....
16,356	13,949	417,317	120,620	296,697	363,875	49,211	209,461
15,992	13,624	417,009	....	....	356,396	48,695	....
16,698	13,062	415,060	....	....	366,004	48,408	....
16,619	15,012	418,577	121,804	296,773	371,297	47,609	210,848
16,189	17,342	422,218	....	....	388,310	47,390	....
15,257	14,933	424,608	....	....	384,497	47,168	....
15,815	12,114	432,364	121,756	310,609	371,601	46,646	....

Banks

Other statistical information

Repo transactions by type of counterparty (excluding central banks)

(stocks in millions of euros)

Table 7
TDUE0090

	Reverse repos						
	With residents of Italy			With non-residents of Italy			
	Banks	Customers	Total	Banks	Customers	Total	
	<i>S374489M</i>	<i>S395497M</i>	<i>S111887M</i>	<i>S365153M</i>	<i>S383516M</i>	<i>S079786M</i>	<i>S410334M</i>
2001	32,585	6,803	39,389	27,052	8,862	35,914	75,303
2002	53,649	6,300	59,949	48,453	9,081	57,534	117,483
2003	47,754	6,210	53,964	49,317	5,942	55,258	109,222
2004 – Nov. ...	53,737	4,014	57,752	64,621	11,307	75,928	133,680
Dec. ...	52,402	5,238	57,640	61,734	10,346	72,080	129,720
2005 – Jan. ...	50,237	6,597	56,834	54,203	7,966	62,169	119,002
Feb. ...	48,723	4,905	53,628	49,566	7,995	57,561	111,189
Mar. ...	49,701	7,020	56,721	49,816	7,030	56,846	113,567
Apr. ...	49,672	5,354	55,026	52,491	6,846	59,337	114,363
May ...	54,452	6,245	60,697	57,698	7,065	64,763	125,459
June ...	54,038	7,473	61,511	56,478	7,776	64,254	125,765
July ...	53,276	4,937	58,213	58,748	8,543	67,290	125,503
Aug. ...	55,828	5,881	61,709	56,116	8,749	64,864	126,573
Sept. ...	58,587	5,602	64,189	56,420	8,932	65,352	129,541
Oct. ...	60,328	7,037	67,365	54,385	7,023	61,408	128,773
Nov. ...	61,059	7,733	68,792	54,571	7,446	62,017	130,809
Dec. ...	63,361	7,788	71,150	53,403	6,010	59,413	130,563

	Repos						
	With residents of Italy			With non-residents of Italy			
	Banks	Customers	Total	Banks	Customers	Total	
	<i>S530465M</i>	<i>S548888M</i>	<i>S126685M</i>	<i>S517545M</i>	<i>S539051M</i>	<i>S095035M</i>	<i>S559063M</i>
2001	32,303	76,510	108,813	12,097	3,690	15,787	124,600
2002	54,753	89,728	144,481	8,026	5,531	13,556	158,037
2003	48,777	78,370	127,146	17,033	3,731	20,764	147,910
2004 – Nov. ...	54,736	72,236	126,971	29,656	12,032	41,688	168,659
Dec. ...	53,582	78,874	132,456	22,655	6,613	29,268	161,724
2005 – Jan. ...	50,254	72,700	122,954	25,211	6,338	31,550	154,504
Feb. ...	48,784	70,306	119,090	30,739	6,274	37,013	156,103
Mar. ...	50,402	72,585	122,987	29,412	6,401	35,813	158,800
Apr. ...	49,651	70,006	119,657	32,656	7,759	40,416	160,072
May ...	54,211	75,744	129,955	31,173	7,779	38,952	168,907
June ...	53,860	76,653	130,513	26,171	9,376	35,547	166,061
July ...	53,653	83,386	137,039	24,491	7,773	32,264	169,303
Aug. ...	56,175	85,136	141,311	25,298	7,617	32,914	174,225
Sept. ...	58,600	79,946	138,546	25,013	9,719	34,732	173,278
Oct. ...	59,637	81,643	141,281	27,477	8,089	35,566	176,847
Nov. ...	60,337	80,877	141,214	30,363	9,155	39,518	180,731
Dec. ...	64,239	78,461	142,699	21,318	10,268	31,586	174,285

Loans, securities and other assets

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Loans to residents of Italy							Loans to non-residents of Italy	Guarantee commitments		
	Short-term		Medium and long-term		Total				S169214M	S299642M	S145319M
	of which: in lire/euros		of which: in lire/euros		of which: in lire/euros						
					of which: bill portfolio	of which: current account					
S782741M	S815281M	S827818M	S850647M	S864574M	S570985M	S908970M	S169214M	S299642M	S145319M		
2001	464,196	439,226	461,569	455,866	925,765	14,560	215,823	21,212	122,829	445	
2002	465,483	449,378	514,770	509,183	980,253	13,501	214,288	20,153	132,118	408	
2003	460,122	447,831	578,592	573,681	1,038,714	12,640	215,548	21,514	133,793	255	
2004 – Nov. ..	437,764	426,477	643,602	638,665	1,081,366	11,690	215,113	16,468	140,733	294	
Dec. ..	433,968	423,113	662,245	657,550	1,096,213	11,750	214,559	17,052	150,721	252	
2005 – Jan. ..	439,712	428,362	673,014	668,194	1,112,726	11,503	218,450	16,902	150,640	269	
Feb. ..	434,269	422,718	676,182	671,425	1,110,450	11,460	216,001	17,807	150,035	278	
Mar. ..	434,751	423,323	681,774	676,886	1,116,525	11,451	215,461	17,445	150,613	291	
Apr. ...	429,311	418,064	688,798	683,744	1,118,110	11,385	213,856	17,497	154,690	288	
May ..	428,003	415,921	698,297	693,174	1,126,300	11,262	212,365	16,953	155,935	268	
June ..	442,477	430,173	702,316	697,433	1,144,793	11,183	216,977	18,432	156,903	260	
July ..	439,654	427,738	710,439	705,441	1,150,093	11,058	213,555	18,146	157,436	242	
Aug. ..	428,553	417,153	714,724	709,689	1,143,276	11,052	210,050	20,141	159,849	246	
Sept. .	433,601	420,947	717,882	712,645	1,151,484	10,914	215,567	21,440	158,115	242	
Oct. ..	432,980	421,253	726,040	720,685	1,159,019	10,867	214,797	20,391	164,420	232	
Nov. ..	439,710	427,365	734,339	728,889	1,174,048	10,848	221,191	22,277	164,243	223	
Dec. ..	443,556	431,707	749,234	743,891	1,192,790	10,769	218,274	23,534	163,381	216	

	Securities at book value								Bad debts and unpaid/ protested bills	Memorandum item	External assets			
	Government securities					Other securities		Total				S781588M	S824534M	S268215M
	of which:					Total	of which: bonds issued by banks							
	BOTs	CTZs	CCTs	BTPs										
S845933M	S753448M	S811944M	S796220M	S774422M	S734065M	S878964M	S865226M	S781588M	S824534M	S268215M				
2001	116,933	12,010	3,459	60,934	38,225	40,827	36,113	157,760	45,356	21,216	159,037			
2002	93,746	16,091	4,430	47,676	24,569	47,831	42,195	141,577	46,298	21,160	192,765			
2003	87,987	18,914	4,625	41,775	22,047	54,967	47,802	142,953	51,253	22,841	191,376			
2004 – Nov. ..	89,878	23,041	4,783	41,747	19,503	63,890	54,075	153,768	54,488	22,240	223,246			
Dec. ..	77,256	17,204	3,154	41,068	15,048	62,056	51,619	139,311	54,347	22,562	218,492			
2005 – Jan. ..	79,312	17,960	4,124	41,430	15,001	62,144	51,623	141,456	54,016	21,561	209,139			
Feb. ..	84,375	19,354	5,199	42,068	16,990	63,254	52,717	147,629	53,977	20,733	212,789			
Mar. ..	86,376	19,329	6,150	42,418	17,570	63,543	52,881	149,918	54,133	19,909	217,744			
Apr. ...	87,441	19,262	4,361	44,779	18,125	64,102	53,215	151,544	54,285	19,510	224,441			
May ..	87,041	21,233	4,656	42,063	18,154	65,458	54,507	152,499	54,397	18,796	234,510			
June ..	91,061	21,389	5,580	45,973	16,758	70,562	58,397	161,622	54,410	18,702	234,156			
July ..	90,482	21,818	6,033	45,607	15,609	71,372	59,288	161,854	54,706	19,089	234,294			
Aug. ..	91,469	23,023	4,692	46,165	15,389	71,038	58,922	162,507	55,033	19,465	233,875			
Sept. .	93,417	23,291	4,832	47,578	15,496	74,038	61,972	167,455	55,315	19,828	238,264			
Oct. ..	98,454	25,592	6,416	46,571	17,653	73,337	61,077	171,791	54,733	19,572	235,418			
Nov. ..	99,398	24,432	6,281	48,335	17,933	74,257	62,178	173,655	54,826	19,510	243,423			
Dec. ..	87,902	18,206	5,310	45,144	16,932	81,354	66,995	169,256	45,335	15,167	236,448			

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Table 9
TDUE0110**Loans (including bad debts) by branch of economic activity - Residents of Italy***(stocks in millions of euros)***November 2005**

		Stocks			Percentage change on twelve months earlier		
		Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporations	Total	Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporations	Total
		1165	3004	3902	1165	3004	3902
Agricultural, forestry and fishery products . . .	51	18,680	13,259	31,939	9.4	6.4	8.1
Fuel and power products	52	139	24,959	25,097	15.8	11.3	11.3
Ferrous and non-ferrous ores and metals . . .	53	157	9,335	9,491	5.4	-13.6	-13.3
Non-metallic minerals and mineral products	54	768	14,621	15,389	7.3	6.8	6.8
Chemical products	55	374	10,076	10,450	44.4	-9.5	-8.3
Metal products, except machinery and transport equipment	56	1,585	23,764	25,349	2.7	4.9	4.8
Agricultural and industrial machinery	57	636	20,760	21,396	3.9	1.1	1.1
Office and data processing machines; precision and optical instruments	58	357	3,966	4,324	9.2	-6.7	-5.5
Electrical goods	59	747	14,567	15,314	7.3	3.6	3.8
Transport equipment	60	392	8,979	9,372	9.5	-2.2	-1.8
Food, beverages, tobacco	61	2,007	26,268	28,275	9.4	1.1	1.6
Textiles and clothing, leather and footwear . . .	62	1,971	25,913	27,884	0.7	-0.3	-0.2
Paper and printing products	63	502	14,592	15,093	4.4	-0.5	-0.3
Rubber and plastic products	64	346	9,758	10,103	1.5	2.8	2.7
Other manufactured products	65	2,252	17,945	20,197	4.2	4.1	4.1
Building and construction	66	9,488	85,006	94,495	9.3	11.5	11.3
Wholesale and retail trade services	67	18,332	98,408	116,740	5.3	6.0	5.9
Lodging and catering services	68	4,269	23,655	27,924	6.0	10.2	9.5
Inland transport services	69	2,653	16,935	19,588	4.7	5.3	5.2
Maritime and air transport services	70	13	6,702	6,716	..	3.5	3.5
Auxiliary transport services	71	332	8,945	9,277	11.8	17.1	16.9
Communication services	72	94	18,105	18,199	30.6	43.8	43.7
Other market services	73	15,163	152,774	167,936	11.6	9.0	9.2
All branches	4999	81,255	649,291	730,547	8.0	6.8	6.9

Loans (including bad debts) by branch of economic activity - Residents of Italy

(stocks in millions of euros)

December 2005

		Stocks			Percentage change on twelve months earlier		
		Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporation	Total	Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporations	Total
		1165	3004	3902	1165	3004	3902
Agricultural, forestry and fishery products ...	51	18,549	13,290	31,839	7.9	4.2	6.3
Fuel and power products	52	137	24,389	24,526	14.2	3.7	3.8
Ferrous and non-ferrous ores and metals ...	53	157	9,447	9,604	3.3	-16.2	-16.0
Non-metallic minerals and mineral products	54	744	14,890	15,634	-0.7	6.0	5.7
Chemical products	55	371	10,059	10,430	7.8	-3.5	-3.1
Metal products, except machinery and transport equipment	56	1,583	23,884	25,467	0.3	3.3	3.1
Agricultural and industrial machinery	57	632	20,135	20,768	2.4	0.1	0.2
Office and data processing machines; precision and optical instruments	58	350	3,959	4,309	7.4	-5.0	-4.1
Electrical goods	59	735	14,130	14,865	4.6	1.3	1.4
Transport equipment	60	390	8,936	9,326	7.1	3.4	3.5
Food, beverages, tobacco	61	1,964	25,964	27,928	6.3	-1.0	-0.5
Textiles and clothing, leather and footwear .	62	1,905	25,345	27,251	-2.6	-0.3	-0.5
Paper and printing products	63	489	14,590	15,080	0.6	-0.4	-0.4
Rubber and plastic products	64	338	9,923	10,260	-2.9	2.6	2.4
Other manufactured products	65	2,192	17,936	20,129	1.2	3.5	3.2
Building and construction	66	9,124	84,540	93,663	5.0	10.3	9.8
Wholesale and retail trade services	67	17,616	97,515	115,131	1.5	4.0	3.6
Lodging and catering services	68	4,248	23,593	27,841	4.1	8.3	7.6
Inland transport services	69	2,618	17,439	20,057	2.7	5.2	4.9
Maritime and air transport services	70	14	6,330	6,343	7.7	-4.6	-4.6
Auxiliary transport services	71	323	8,420	8,743	9.5	7.7	7.8
Communication services	72	95	17,346	17,440	31.9	39.8	39.7
Other market services	73	15,007	155,285	170,292	6.4	8.4	8.3
All branches ...	4999	79,582	647,344	726,926	4.6	5.4	5.3

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Bad debts by sector of economic activity**Residents of Italy***(stocks in millions of euros)***Table 10****TDUE0120**

	General government				Other sectors					
	Total	Central government	Local government	Social security funds	Total	Other financial institutions	Insurance corporations and pension funds	Non-financial corporations	Households	
									Consumer households	Sole proprietorships
	S655874M	S634974M	S676223M	S720745M	S705999M	S645974M	S666220M	S691775M	S754622M	S765133M
2001	66	5	54	7	45,290	1,005	8	25,471	10,677	8,129
2002	74	5	62	7	46,224	968	6	26,233	11,179	7,837
2003	71	6	60	5	51,181	1,083	4	30,548	11,254	8,292
2004 – Nov. ...	62	6	52	4	54,422	1,050	1	32,993	11,900	8,478
Dec. ...	61	6	50	5	54,286	976	1	32,710	12,049	8,550
2005 – Jan. ...	61	6	51	5	53,955	934	1	32,386	12,093	8,540
Feb. ...	61	6	50	5	53,917	943	1	32,447	12,016	8,510
Mar. ...	61	6	50	5	54,072	954	1	32,536	12,074	8,508
Apr. ...	61	6	50	5	54,225	949	1	32,633	12,040	8,602
May ...	60	5	50	5	54,337	933	1	32,733	12,148	8,522
June ..	59	5	49	5	54,351	937	1	33,062	11,809	8,541
July ...	59	5	49	5	54,647	901	1	33,373	11,801	8,571
Aug. ...	59	6	49	5	54,974	902	1	33,651	11,836	8,585
Sept. ..	59	6	49	5	55,257	901	1	33,843	11,894	8,618
Oct. ...	63	6	53	5	54,670	916	1	33,115	11,978	8,661
Nov. ...	73	3	65	5	54,753	908	1	33,234	12,007	8,602
Dec. ...	71	1	64	5	45,264	827	..	27,635	10,082	6,720

Bad debts by branch of economic activity

(stocks in millions of euros)

4th quarter 2005

		Stocks			Percentage change on twelve months earlier		
		Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporations	Total	Sole proprietorships	Non-financial corporations	Total
		1165	3004	3902	1165	3004	3902
Agricultural, forestry and fishery products ..	51	1,297	1,224	2,521	-12.2	-16.8	-14.5
Fuel and power products	52	15	57	73	-11.8	-19.7	-17.0
Ferrous and non-ferrous ores and metals ..	53	18	287	305	-10.0	-16.8	-16.4
Non-metallic minerals and mineral products	54	82	510	592	-26.8	-11.6	-14.1
Chemical products	55	24	309	332	-17.2	-11.0	-11.9
Metal products, except machinery and transport equipment	56	141	1,057	1,199	-10.2	-8.2	-8.4
Agricultural and industrial machinery	57	53	871	924	-11.7	-3.9	-4.3
Office and data processing machines; precision and optical instruments	58	23	188	211	-17.9	-6.0	-7.0
Electrical goods	59	70	657	727	-16.7	-4.6	-6.0
Transport equipment	60	40	353	392	-14.9	-19.2	-19.0
Food, beverages, tobacco	61	196	1,902	2,098	-21.6	-47.2	-45.5
Textiles and clothing, leather and footwear ..	62	276	1,813	2,089	-18.6	-5.0	-7.1
Paper and printing products	63	48	541	590	-23.8	-1.8	-3.9
Rubber and plastic products	64	39	355	394	-20.4	-6.6	-8.4
Other manufactured products	65	203	946	1,149	-17.8	-4.2	-6.9
Building and construction	66	1,108	5,609	6,717	-24.0	-20.2	-20.9
Wholesale and retail trade services	67	1,840	4,897	6,737	-25.4	-12.7	-16.5
Lodging and catering services	68	297	876	1,173	-22.3	-5.4	-10.3
Inland transport services	69	229	316	544	-15.5	-7.9	-11.4
Maritime and air transport services	70	1	272	273	..	-2.9	-2.8
Auxiliary transport services	71	37	481	518	-14.0	-6.1	-6.7
Communication services	72	6	76	82	20.0	11.8	12.3
Other market services	73	677	4,037	4,714	-28.3	-6.5	-10.4
All branches ...	4999	6,720	27,635	34,355	-21.4	-15.5	-16.7

Special credit transactions with residents of Italy

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Agricultural credit medium and long-term	Agricultural credit short-term	Real-estate credit	Public-works credit	Subsidized credit medium and long-term
	S773000Q	S758904Q	S887990Q	S922861Q	S876466Q
2003 – 1st qtr.	8,212	4,423	171,008	21,431	30,011
2nd "	8,482	4,272	181,574	21,740	29,315
3rd "	8,622	4,070	190,373	21,625	28,181
4th "	8,780	4,161	198,690	21,230	27,814
2004 – 1st qtr.	8,848	4,195	208,559	20,988	27,393
2nd "	8,711	4,467	223,977	20,492	26,329
3rd "	8,819	4,472	233,647	20,009	25,567
4th "	9,169	4,579	242,347	19,960	24,897
2005 – 1st qtr.	9,586	4,549	246,123	20,425	25,141
2nd "	10,285	4,436	258,897	20,062	24,124
3rd "	10,716	4,457	266,051	19,397	23,380
4th "	11,341	4,570	277,977	21,215	22,994

Table 13

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Shares and participating interests by type of counterparty

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Participating interests in companies resident in Italy							Participating interests in companies not resident in Italy		Shares
	Non-financial corporations			Banks	Financial institutions	Insurance corporations	Total	of which: banks		
	Auxiliary companies	Other companies								
		Listed	Unlisted							
S455478M	S496444M	S484372M	S430005M	S445069M	S472381M	S506980M	S304574M	S819809M	S922859M	
2001	2,006	1,924	3,342	40,743	13,794	2,685	64,494	16,352	8,115	4,419
2002	2,071	1,691	4,482	40,072	18,040	3,045	69,401	16,653	7,831	4,967
2003	4,783	1,153	5,754	49,419	17,277	6,316	84,701	16,098	7,672	4,176
2004 – Nov. .	5,022	1,439	4,772	50,865	17,134	6,821	86,053	15,757	8,202	8,072
Dec. .	5,089	1,482	4,733	51,167	17,233	6,692	86,395	15,767	8,130	5,427
2005 – Jan. .	4,862	1,515	4,674	51,016	17,204	6,315	85,586	15,771	8,054	8,832
Feb. .	4,877	1,636	4,710	50,890	17,220	6,313	85,646	15,792	8,101	10,030
Mar. .	4,892	1,759	4,540	50,896	17,206	6,311	85,604	15,654	7,848	14,829
Apr. .	4,886	1,756	4,552	53,164	17,240	6,330	87,928	15,604	7,799	22,392
May .	4,845	1,796	4,559	53,294	17,279	6,343	88,117	15,560	7,884	28,665
June	4,723	1,757	4,472	53,377	17,477	6,339	88,144	15,004	7,393	20,550
July .	4,441	1,783	4,645	56,479	15,900	6,343	89,591	14,842	7,373	12,273
Aug. .	4,425	1,757	4,691	56,301	16,028	6,346	89,549	14,875	7,371	11,683
Sept.	4,448	2,776	5,249	56,543	16,080	6,353	91,450	15,225	7,074	13,437
Oct. .	4,424	3,114	5,337	56,688	16,223	6,422	92,208	15,640	7,018	22,545
Nov. .	4,433	3,217	5,362	56,854	17,076	5,885	92,829	32,251	23,586	16,833
Dec. .	4,462	3,220	4,944	55,009	17,352	6,007	90,993	32,149	23,813	9,747

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Table 14
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Securities held for safekeeping by sector of holder

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Non-financial corporations	Financial institutions	Insurance corporations	General government	Households		Total residents	Rest of the world	Total
					Consumer households	Sole proprietorships			
	S010298M	S960688M	S935529M	S017134M	S977817M	S993413M	S063275M	S031558M	S042460M
2001	49,053	503,991	168,591	20,659	742,048	42,225	1,526,568	46,275	1,572,843
2002	71,562	422,564	199,709	16,940	761,056	42,289	1,514,120	40,891	1,555,011
2003	67,094	444,807	232,717	18,847	727,737	45,922	1,537,123	39,376	1,576,499
2004 – Nov. ...	68,570	453,573	255,108	18,631	717,940	44,089	1,557,912	50,349	1,608,260
Dec. ...	67,518	452,677	261,898	17,766	713,968	43,065	1,556,892	47,519	1,604,411
2005 – Jan. ...	68,018	469,275	249,548	18,560	715,060	42,424	1,562,884	44,945	1,607,829
Feb. ...	67,715	468,334	254,777	18,591	715,119	41,967	1,566,504	41,658	1,608,162
Mar. ...	66,392	471,914	259,137	19,164	719,302	42,053	1,577,962	42,232	1,620,194
Apr. ...	65,938	471,420	260,218	19,446	716,830	43,001	1,576,854	48,045	1,624,899
May ...	67,054	467,463	261,424	20,633	709,207	42,956	1,568,738	50,238	1,618,975
June ..	68,912	471,050	261,627	21,498	708,112	42,867	1,574,066	53,573	1,627,638
July ...	66,387	474,299	261,285	22,077	707,845	42,355	1,574,249	45,851	1,620,100
Aug. ...	67,613	476,598	264,576	22,564	706,194	42,288	1,579,833	44,769	1,624,602
Sept. ...	68,397	474,727	268,531	22,598	706,877	42,034	1,583,163	47,954	1,631,117
Oct. ...	69,085	475,920	272,218	22,109	704,043	41,731	1,585,106	47,903	1,633,009
Nov. ...	69,477	478,281	274,677	22,219	703,531	41,542	1,589,727	41,448	1,631,175
Dec. ...	68,363	477,840	277,713	19,967	701,435	41,369	1,586,687	40,337	1,627,024

Table 15
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Securities held for safekeeping by instrument

(stocks in millions of euros)

	Total securities of residents of Italy									of which: Asset management
	of which:									
	BOTs	CCTs	BTPs	CDs	Shares	Investment funds	Bank bonds	Other bonds		
	S005144M	S053422M	S948336M	S030030M	S067665M	S120271M	S015072M	S094856M	S063275M	S371867M
2001	76,450	111,187	276,846	4,879	130,583	338,723	241,486	201,778	1,526,568	182,467
2002	84,070	127,815	274,517	5,271	134,321	260,770	264,644	230,905	1,514,120	163,874
2003	83,723	133,864	274,964	4,554	113,615	235,486	286,402	253,403	1,537,123	165,384
2004 – Nov. ...	101,318	131,850	264,319	4,035	115,121	231,346	293,183	246,357	1,557,912	150,088
Dec. ...	91,128	130,862	271,901	4,078	113,268	231,640	298,571	246,831	1,556,892	148,434
2005 – Jan. ...	93,752	132,263	274,954	4,052	115,212	225,469	296,916	249,398	1,562,884	148,611
Feb. ...	90,581	132,061	279,632	4,857	114,781	224,924	299,005	248,751	1,566,504	149,734
Mar. ...	90,950	134,737	276,254	4,634	113,100	226,832	301,167	253,289	1,577,962	149,223
Apr. ...	89,790	134,620	277,120	4,724	113,524	225,604	304,335	254,899	1,576,854	148,171
May ...	86,781	131,069	273,379	4,742	112,369	218,025	303,402	260,603	1,568,738	149,901
June ..	83,963	131,760	273,874	4,762	113,377	218,354	301,574	265,260	1,574,066	151,710
July ...	82,734	130,349	265,967	4,824	114,253	221,897	298,633	269,468	1,574,249	153,529
Aug. ...	84,064	130,761	270,807	4,890	115,357	222,044	297,326	272,232	1,579,833	155,009
Sept. ...	84,586	129,087	267,220	4,866	115,739	223,486	295,646	277,671	1,583,163	157,480
Oct. ...	84,223	123,322	269,071	4,722	115,651	225,628	295,346	274,184	1,585,106	156,715
Nov. ...	85,237	122,160	265,472	4,575	115,657	225,230	295,686	278,053	1,589,727	158,863
Dec. ...	77,413	121,291	260,307	4,532	117,582	226,398	295,077	279,683	1,586,687	159,344

Income statement and other structural indicators

(amounts in millions of euros)

Italy Total banking system	2001	2002	2003	2004
1. Interest income S185590Y	88,775	81,109	75,456	74,834
2. Interest expense S327910Y	51,329	41,704	35,381	34,520
3. Balance of derivative hedging contracts S345628Y	-1,036	-1,296	-1,654	-1,322
4. Net interest income (row 1 – row 2 + row 3) S416244Y	36,411	38,108	38,420	38,992
5. Non-interest income (net) .. S484390Y	33,158	29,279	30,922	30,710
5. a. Trading S533255Y	2,443	1,399	2,733	1,589
5. b. Services S550504Y	12,734	11,827	11,928	12,690
5. c. Other financial operations S564293Y	12,569	10,195	9,412	9,122
6. Gross income (row 4 + row 5) S578913Y	69,570	67,388	69,343	69,702
7. Operating expenses S590574Y	38,447	40,304	42,275	42,221
7. a. Staff costs S622684Y	20,966	22,011	23,166	22,859
7. b. Administrative costs and depreciation S661980Y	15,140	15,974	16,784	17,012
7. c. Indirect taxes S685140Y	2,341	2,320	2,325	2,351
8. Gross operating profit (row 6 – row 7) S775796Y	31,123	27,084	27,067	27,481
9. Value adjustments, readjustments and allocations to provisions S790454Y	12,473	11,167	11,235	6,618
9. a. Loans S800903Y	6,985	7,509	9,091	7,264
9. b. Securities S832592Y	949	545	143	-720
9. c. Other S848359Y	4,539	3,113	2,001	74
10. Profit before tax (row 8 – row 9) S868909Y	18,649	15,917	15,832	20,863
11. Tax S885980Y	7,416	6,022	4,737	5,706
12. Net profit (row 10 – row 11) S896439Y	11,233	9,895	11,095	15,158
13. Dividends distributed S915605Y	7,439	6,582	7,341	8,938
14. Capital and reserves – end-of-period data S976850Y	133,543	146,002	156,872	163,250
15. Total assets – end-of-period data S015212Y	1,956,447	2,141,192	2,267,260	2,432,553
16. Total assets – average data S057380Y	1,889,724	1,998,624	2,170,483	2,327,988
17. Number of banks S080719Y	820	794	779	773
18. Number of branches S188596Y	29,279	29,827	30,467	30,922
19. Number of employees S752994Y	343,687	340,581	337,413	336,877
<i>Memorandum items:</i>				
20. staff costs of tax collection offices S231462Y	164	108	78	74
21. fee income S303472Y	16,338	15,989	16,466	17,291
22. fee expense S327918Y	3,453	4,056	4,393	4,513
23. dividends on shares and participations S360792Y	11,516	9,044	8,226	7,557

Interest rates on euro deposits: outstanding amounts and new business
(percentages)

Period	Outstanding amounts							New business		
	of which:							Deposits of households with agreed maturity	Repos	
	Overnight deposits		Deposits of households with agreed maturity		Deposits of households redeemable at notice up to 3 months	Repos	Deposits of households with agreed maturity			Repos
		of which: households	up to 2 years	more than 2 years					of which: up to 1 year	
	S993623M	S525995M	S542604M	S560715M	S590902M	S603880M	S616764M	S634356M	S654771M	S664243M
2003	0.88	0.71	0.61	1.62	3.67	0.89	1.95	1.49	1.47	1.96
2004	0.89	0.71	0.59	1.47	3.54	1.01	1.97	1.49	1.48	1.97
2005 – Jan. ..	0.87	0.70	0.59	1.47	3.52	0.96	1.97	1.51	1.50	1.95
Feb. ..	0.87	0.68	0.58	1.46	3.51	0.98	1.97	1.52	1.51	1.93
Mar. ..	0.89	0.70	0.59	1.46	3.49	1.05	1.96	1.51	1.50	1.93
Apr. ..	0.88	0.70	0.59	1.46	3.47	1.06	1.96	1.49	1.47	1.93
May ..	0.89	0.71	0.59	1.45	3.45	1.07	1.97	1.51	1.49	1.92
June .	0.89	0.70	0.59	1.44	3.45	1.11	1.97	1.51	1.50	1.92
July ..	0.88	0.69	0.59	1.44	3.43	1.07	1.97	1.52	1.51	1.95
Aug. ..	0.90	0.71	0.59	1.45	3.43	1.06	1.99	1.50	1.48	1.97
Sept. .	0.90	0.72	0.60	1.45	3.41	1.07	1.99	1.52	1.51	1.96
Oct. ..	0.90	0.72	0.61	1.44	3.39	1.04	2.01	1.51	1.50	2.01
Nov. ..	0.92	0.74	0.62	1.45	3.38	1.05	2.05	1.53	1.52	2.06
Dec. ..	0.95	0.77	0.64	1.46	3.36	1.09	2.14	1.58	1.57	2.19
2006 – Jan. ..	(0.98)	(0.79)	(0.67)	(1.48)	(3.33)	(1.08)	(2.21)	(1.63)	(1.61)	(2.23)

Banks

Harmonized statistics of the ESCB

Table 18
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Interest rates on euro loans: outstanding amounts

(percentages)

Period	Households							
		Loans for house purchases				Consumer credit and other loans		
		of which:		up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years		
		from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years					
	<i>S681824M</i>	<i>S711581M</i>	<i>S741096M</i>	<i>S750813M</i>	<i>S761710M</i>	<i>S781559M</i>	<i>S790439M</i>	
2003	5.90	4.68	4.76	4.67	8.05	7.87	5.42	
2004	5.57	4.37	4.49	4.37	8.04	7.66	5.22	
2005 – Jan. ...	5.58	4.35	4.47	4.35	8.22	7.66	5.21	
Feb. ...	5.54	4.34	4.46	4.33	8.14	7.63	5.20	
Mar. ...	5.50	4.31	4.48	4.30	7.99	7.58	5.19	
Apr. ...	5.48	4.29	4.46	4.29	8.11	7.53	5.21	
May ...	5.44	4.27	4.44	4.26	8.05	7.52	5.20	
June ..	5.40	4.24	4.38	4.24	7.89	7.46	5.19	
July ...	5.34	4.19	4.37	4.18	7.85	7.43	5.16	
Aug. ...	5.35	4.23	4.35	4.23	7.85	7.42	5.16	
Sept. ...	5.31	4.17	4.34	4.17	7.80	7.39	5.15	
Oct. ...	5.29	4.16	4.33	4.16	7.82	7.37	5.15	
Nov. ...	5.28	4.17	4.33	4.17	7.78	7.33	5.15	
Dec. ...	5.29	4.21	4.39	4.21	7.75	7.42	5.17	
2006 – Jan. ...	(5.39)	(4.31)	(4.52)	(4.31)	(7.93)	(7.42)	(5.28)	

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Overdrafts	Non-financial corporations					Households and non-financial corporations		
	Loans with original maturity:					Overdrafts	up to 1 year	of which: overdrafts
	up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years					
<i>S805742M</i>	<i>S826547M</i>	<i>S845839M</i>	<i>S856925M</i>	<i>S866863M</i>	<i>S878156M</i>	<i>S889541M</i>	<i>S897758M</i>	
8.44	4.44	4.98	3.92	4.05	5.62	5.45	6.12	
8.39	4.31	4.91	3.83	3.89	5.49	5.38	6.00	
8.64	4.36	5.08	3.74	3.88	5.73	5.55	6.23	
8.55	4.33	5.00	3.77	3.88	5.62	5.47	6.13	
8.38	4.29	4.91	3.80	3.87	5.51	5.38	6.01	
8.53	4.30	4.95	3.80	3.86	5.54	5.42	6.05	
8.48	4.27	4.90	3.80	3.86	5.46	5.37	5.97	
8.40	4.21	4.78	3.75	3.84	5.36	5.24	5.88	
8.36	4.18	4.75	3.75	3.80	5.33	5.21	5.84	
8.35	4.21	4.79	3.76	3.83	5.36	5.25	5.88	
8.28	4.18	4.77	3.74	3.80	5.34	5.23	5.86	
8.25	4.17	4.75	3.73	3.81	5.31	5.21	5.82	
8.19	4.18	4.73	3.76	3.82	5.25	5.19	5.75	
8.16	4.26	4.83	3.84	3.89	5.35	5.26	5.82	
(8.34)	(4.38)	(4.96)	(3.92)	(4.00)	(5.48)	(5.39)	(5.96)	

Banks

Harmonized statistics of the ESCB

Table 19
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Interest rates on euro loans to households: new business

(percentages)

Period	Loans for house purchases					Consumer	
	Initial period of rate fixation					Initial period	
	up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	from 5 to 10 years	more than 10 years	up to 1 year		
	S921397M	S931765M	S944970M	S963373M	S976256M	S984694M	S006081M
2003	3.80	3.61	3.73	5.00	5.09	9.10	10.87
2004	3.66	3.54	3.80	4.51	5.02	8.77	10.99
2005 – Jan.	3.67	3.54	3.85	4.44	5.00	9.04	11.06
Feb.	3.67	3.54	3.69	4.56	4.88	8.75	10.57
Mar.	3.65	3.54	3.68	4.44	4.55	8.73	10.83
Apr.	3.66	3.53	3.69	4.17	4.91	8.62	10.65
May	3.65	3.52	3.70	4.11	4.87	8.33	10.45
June	3.61	3.49	3.58	4.13	4.76	8.02	10.44
July	3.58	3.47	3.56	3.95	4.68	8.21	10.48
Aug.	3.63	3.53	3.57	4.10	4.70	8.71	11.24
Sept.	3.59	3.47	3.46	3.99	4.61	8.36	10.76
Oct.	3.60	3.49	3.30	4.05	4.62	8.17	9.98
Nov.	3.66	3.53	3.30	4.08	4.70	8.04	9.96
Dec.	3.73	3.60	3.28	4.22	4.74	8.21	10.19
2006 – Jan.	(3.88)	(3.75)	(3.32)	(4.31)	(4.78)	(8.21)	(10.65)

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credit		Loans for other uses					APRC	
of rate fixation		Initial period of rate fixation					Loans for house purchases	Consumer credit
from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years	up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years				
<i>S032609M</i>	<i>S054671M</i>	<i>S062897M</i>	<i>S075929M</i>	<i>S093702M</i>	<i>S103279M</i>	<i>S118160M</i>		
8.65	7.34	4.54	4.88	4.93	3.92	9.84		
8.49	7.39	4.48	4.83	4.64	3.82	9.58		
8.91	7.61	4.58	5.00	4.79	3.83	9.74		
8.76	7.43	4.81	5.02	4.80	3.83	9.60		
8.67	7.34	4.06	4.45	4.98	3.81	9.57		
8.61	7.24	4.70	4.91	4.93	3.82	9.47		
8.35	6.99	4.59	4.89	5.11	3.81	9.18		
7.92	6.87	4.39	4.67	5.13	3.76	8.91		
8.06	7.00	4.62	4.71	4.70	3.73	9.13		
8.31	7.26	4.35	4.90	4.75	3.76	9.67		
8.00	7.20	4.62	4.30	5.02	3.74	9.27		
7.92	7.32	4.49	4.58	4.90	3.77	8.95		
7.74	7.22	4.75	4.79	5.01	3.87	8.86		
7.87	7.20	4.79	4.37	4.92	3.96	9.08		
(7.70)	(7.40)	(5.21)	(4.98)	(5.19)	(4.09)	(9.06)		

Interest rates on euro loans to non-financial corporations: new business

(percentages)

Period	Total	Loans of up to EUR1 million				Loans of more than EUR 1 million			
		Initial period of rate fixation				Initial period of rate fixation			
		up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years		up to 1 year	from 1 to 5 years	more than 5 years	
	<i>S127845M</i>	<i>S148553M</i>	<i>S165241M</i>	<i>S181533M</i>	<i>S201914M</i>	<i>S212623M</i>	<i>S232984M</i>	<i>S242176M</i>	<i>S254346M</i>
2003	3.53	4.10	4.06	4.66	4.91	3.18	3.13	3.36	3.83
2004	3.41	4.06	4.04	4.60	4.44	3.06	2.98	3.46	3.73
2005 – Jan.	3.21	4.01	3.99	4.78	4.57	2.81	2.80	2.78	3.66
Feb.	3.38	3.99	3.97	4.77	4.46	2.96	2.93	2.93	3.47
Mar.	3.39	3.96	3.94	4.67	4.53	2.98	2.93	3.29	3.81
Apr.	3.44	3.99	3.97	4.56	4.48	3.06	3.02	3.15	3.69
May	3.45	3.97	3.95	4.60	4.50	3.05	2.97	4.05	3.57
June ...	3.25	3.90	3.88	4.36	4.46	2.88	2.84	3.09	3.64
July	3.30	3.93	3.91	4.45	4.43	2.92	2.87	3.26	3.45
Aug.	3.53	3.97	3.94	4.87	4.44	3.27	3.29	3.00	2.87
Sept. ...	3.43	3.88	3.87	4.40	4.55	3.15	3.12	3.38	3.61
Oct.	3.42	3.96	3.95	4.51	4.50	3.00	2.97	3.43	3.47
Nov.	3.55	3.98	3.96	4.48	4.54	3.24	3.21	3.27	3.98
Dec.	3.56	4.09	4.07	4.49	4.68	3.29	3.25	3.29	3.68
2006 – Jan.	(3.56)	(4.14)	(4.12)	(4.76)	(4.84)	(3.12)	(3.10)	(3.53)	(3.62)

Other bank and interbank interest rates

(percentages)

Period	Bank interest rates			Interbank interest rates					Memorandum item: Minimum rate on main refinancing operations with Banca d'Italia
	Minimum for short-term loans (stocks)	Bonds		Overnight	1-month	3-month	6-month	12-month	
		Average for stocks	Average for issues with initial period of rate fi- xation of more than 1 year						
	<i>S099013M</i>	<i>S328906M</i>	<i>S492173M</i>	<i>S367355M</i>	<i>S058923M</i>	<i>S700980M</i>	<i>S463758M</i>	<i>S536728M</i>	<i>S590040M</i>
2002	3.28	3.90	....	3.05	2.99	2.96	2.95	2.97	2.75
2003	2.30	3.30	....	2.04	2.15	2.14	2.23	....	2.00
2004	2.35	3.10	2.97	2.06	2.16	2.16	2.20	....	2.00
2005 – Jan.	2.37	3.11	2.82	2.08	2.11	2.14	2.18	2.28	2.00
Feb.	2.37	3.06	2.80	2.06	2.10	2.13	2.17	–	2.00
Mar.	2.36	3.06	2.62	2.06	2.10	2.13	2.19	–	2.00
Apr.	2.36	3.05	2.78	2.07	2.10	2.13	2.17	2.23	2.00
May	2.35	3.05	2.45	2.06	2.10	2.12	2.15	2.21	2.00
June	2.35	3.03	2.58	2.06	2.11	2.11	2.11	–	2.00
July	2.29	3.01	2.50	2.07	2.11	2.12	2.15	2.17	2.00
Aug.	2.28	3.03	2.41	2.06	2.11	2.13	2.16	–	2.00
Sept.	2.30	2.99	2.34	2.09	2.11	2.14	2.19	2.29	2.00
Oct.	2.31	2.99	2.39	2.07	2.12	2.19	2.26	2.48	2.00
Nov.	2.31	3.00	2.41	2.08	2.22	2.38	2.49	2.63	2.00
Dec.	2.40	3.06	2.92	2.27	2.44	2.50	2.63	2.75	2.25
2006 – Jan.	(2.50)	(3.10)	(2.75)	2.32	2.39	2.52	2.66	–	2.25

METHODOLOGICAL APPENDIX

GENERAL INDICATIONS

ESCB HARMONIZED STATISTICS. Tables 1–5 refer to Monetary Financial Institutions (MFIs), the intermediaries that have been required to submit reports to the ECB since the start of the third phase of Monetary Union. The category comprises central banks, credit institutions and all other resident financial institutions whose business consists in receiving deposits and/or close substitutes for deposits from persons other than MFIs and in granting credit and/or making investments in securities for their own account. A list of all the MFIs in the Monetary Union is posted on the website of the ECB and updated monthly.

In Italy, in addition to the Bank of Italy and banks, MFIs include money–market funds. The accounts of the Bank of Italy are published in another supplement to the Statistical Bulletin: “Monetary and Credit Aggregates of the Euro Area: the Italian Components”. For the definition of money–market funds, see, as of 1 January 2003, Annex 1 of the Regulation issued by the European Central Bank on 22 November 2001 (ECB/2001/13) and, previously, Annex 1 of the Regulation issued by the European Central Bank on 1 December 1998 (ECB/1998/16). In brief, money–market funds are now defined as those collective investment undertakings of which the units are, in terms of liquidity, close substitutes for deposits and/or which primarily invest in money–market instruments and/or other transferable debt instruments with a residual maturity up to and including one year. This definition is likely to result in frequent and significant changes in the population of money–market funds, with repercussions on the series concerned.

As of January 2003, the ESCB harmonized statistics reflect not only a substantial increase in the population of money–market funds but also the availability of more detailed information on their assets and liabilities. Previously, the activity of money–market funds affected only the two columns of Tables 1, 3 and 4 concerning the net sales of fund units/shares and MFIs’ total holdings of government securities, including money–market funds’ portfolios. The remaining series of Tables 1–5 referred exclusively to banks. As of January 2003, the activity of money–market funds is included in all the balance sheet items. For the reasons given above, some of the series in Tables 1, 3 and 4 show discontinuities between December 2002 and January 2003; for further details concerning the items affected by these breaks, see the Note metodologiche to Table aD8 in the Appendice of the Relazione Annuale sul 2003.

As of December 2002 – in accordance with the 15th update of the manual on the compilation of accounting supervisory reports (“Manuale per la compilazione della Matrice dei Conti”, 31 July 2002) – some forms of financing typically used for consumption, such as personal loans, loans secured by the pledge of one fifth of the borrower’s salary and part of the use of credit cards, have been classified by some banks under “consumer credit” rather than “other loans”. Consequently, there are discontinuities in the “consumer credit” and “other loans” series in Table 5. For more details, see the above–mentioned manual (especially note 5 to Section E6 and the notes to item 2457 on the classification of consumer credit by economic purpose).

Items in euros and euro–area currencies include estimates of amounts in euro–area currencies before 1 January 1999, the date on which the euro was officially introduced. As of January 2001 other euro–area countries include Greece and other euro–area currencies include the drachma.

As of January 2004 the repo series of money–market funds are observed with reference to the settlement date of transactions instead of the date on which they were concluded.

For further details, see the document “L’armonizzazione delle statistiche bancarie europee e i riflessi sull’Italia”, Banca d’Italia, Supplementi al Bollettino Statistico – Note metodologiche e informazioni statistiche, February 2000.

OTHER STATISTICAL INFORMATION. Tables 6–16 (electronic code prefix: TDUE) contain statistics for the universe of Italian banks, based on the definitions traditionally used by the Bank of Italy. The reconstruction of the main items of all the series has been completed for the period from 1990 onwards; some of the aggregates are partially estimated for the period up to May 1998 since it was only in June 1998 that the entire universe of Italian banks was subjected to uniform reporting requirements. The notes to the tables explain the differences between the data shown in Tables 6–15 and the ESCB harmonized statistics.

Up to December 1998, the columns in lire/euros in Tables 6–15 include only amounts in lire; from January 1999, they include amounts in euros and euro–area currencies. The discontinuities are small. Up to December 1998, the series regarding dealings with the “Central bank” refer to dealings with the Bank of Italy; from January 1999, they refer to dealings with the central banks of the Eurosystem.

More detailed methodological information on the aggregates of Table 19 can be found in the “Note metodologiche” section in the Appendix to the Bank of Italy’s *Relazione Annuale*.

BANK INTEREST RATES. The tables in this section (electronic code prefix: TDFE) report interest rates. As of January 2003 the information contained in Tables 17–20 is obtained from a monthly sample survey in accordance with ECB Regulation 2001/18. The sample initially included 125 banks. At each reference date the sample reflects any mergers and spinoffs that have occurred. The interest rates reported are on outstanding amounts and new business for the main forms of fund–raising and lending in euros from/to households and non–financial corporations resident in the euro area. Households include producer households and non–profit institutions serving households. For more details on the method of collecting the new data and the sample selection criteria, see “The harmonization of European statistics on bank interest rates and the methodology adopted by Italy”, Bank of Italy, Supplements to the Statistical Bulletin – Methodological notes and statistical information, October 2003 and Bank of Italy Circular no. 248 of 26 June 2002. The average interest rates shown in Tables 17–20 are calculated as weighted averages of the interest rates on the various instruments, classified by maturity and size; the weights are the amounts of the corresponding categories. In the case of new business, the turnover of deposits and loans, which is higher for instruments with shorter maturities, may influence the result. Table 21 contains rates on short–term loans and bonds issued, taken from the new ten–day reports, and rates on interbank transactions; the source of these data is the Interbank Deposit Market (MID).

With the exception of interest rates, all the data are drawn from banks’ automated prudential returns. The balance sheet statistics reported in the Supplement are monthly and yearly end–of–period data. Those for the latest month are provisional. Rounding may cause discrepancies in totals.

The policy adopted in this publication for the revision of data basically follows the rules laid down in the ECB Guideline for monetary and banking statistics (available at www.ecb.int). The figures for the latest month shown are considered to be provisional and, in line with the terminology of the ESCB, revisions in the following month are deemed to be “ordinary”. Any subsequent revisions are considered “extraordinary”; they are normally incorporated as soon as they are received from the reporting institutions. In most cases revisions have a negligible impact on the aggregates; where this is not the case, the reasons for making them are given in this Appendix. Estimated data are subject to revision.

NOTES TO THE TABLES

The order of the tables in the following notes is based on their code numbers. The notes to each table are set out below, together with references to the “Notes to the classification variables” section where appropriate.

TDFE0080 – OTHER BANK AND INTERBANK INTEREST RATES

The first part of Table 21 (TDFE0080) contains the interest rates on bank bonds and the minimum rate on short–term loans; the information is obtained from new 10–day reports introduced in March 2004, which are

submitted by a subset of the sample of banks that submit data for the harmonized interest rate statistics. The new 10–day reports differ in some other respects from the previous ones, which ended with the data for February 2004. In particular, the maturity threshold for classifying instruments as short term has been lowered from 18 months to 12 months.

The first column shows the minimum rate on the outstanding amounts of short-term loans to non-financial corporations resident in Italy. The second column shows the average rate on bank bonds (outstanding amounts) and the third column the average rate on bank bonds (new business) with an initial period of fixation of more than one year. The initial period of fixation is taken to mean the time during which no contractual provision is made for a change in the interest rate. The break between the old and the new 10-day series is not pronounced for the minimum rate on loans and the average rate on the outstanding amount of bonds but it is sharp for the average rate on new business in bonds. Accordingly, the table does not contain these data for the period prior to March 2004.

The second part of Table 1 shows the interbank rates obtaining on the MID Interbank Deposit Market for overnight, 1-month, 3-month, 6-month and 12-month deposits. They are calculated as the arithmetic mean of the weighted average rates on daily turnover on the Interbank Deposit Market. The last column shows the interest rate on Regular Eurosystem reverse operations conducted by the Bank of Italy by means of tenders. At its meeting on 8 June 2000 the Governing Council of the ECB decided that, starting from the operation to be settled on 28 June 2000, the main refinancing operations of the Eurosystem would be conducted as variable rate tenders with a minimum bid rate.

S099013M – BANKS: MINIMUM RATE ON SHORT-TERM LOANS TO NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Monthly centred moving average of the rates obtained from ten-day reports, with reference to the rate applied to the first decile of the distribution of loans ranked in order of rising rates.

S328906M – BANKS: AVERAGE RATE ON BONDS – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Average rate on bonds denominated in euros issued by banks outstanding at the end of the reference period.

S367355M – INTERBANK DEPOSIT MARKET: AVERAGE RATE ON "OVERNIGHT" DEPOSITS INCLUDING "LARGE DEAL" TRANSACTIONS

The calculation of this rate takes into account transactions in the "large-deal" segment (more than 100 million euros).

S492173M – BANKS: AVERAGE RATE ON BONDS WITH INITIAL PERIOD OF FIXATION OF MORE THAN ONE YEAR – NEW BUSINESS

Average rate on bonds denominated in euros issued by banks in the reference period.

TDFE0083 – BANK INTEREST RATES ON EURO DEPOSITS: OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS AND NEW BUSINESS

Table 17 (TDFE0083) contains the harmonized interest rates on the main forms of bank fund-raising in euros from households and non-financial corporations in the euro area. "New business" consists of deposit contracts concluded in the reporting period or for which previously established terms or conditions have been renegotiated. The rates on outstanding amounts are weighted using the balances on the accounts at the end of the reference month; the rates on new business in the month are weighted using the relevant amounts.

S525995M – INTEREST RATE ON OVERNIGHT DEPOSITS – HOUSEHOLDS AND NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS

Weighted average of the interest rates on the overnight deposits of households and non-financial corporations.

S634356M – INTEREST RATE ON DEPOSITS WITH AGREED MATURITY – NEW BUSINESS – HOUSEHOLDS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new deposits with agreed maturity of households and non-financial corporations (all maturities).

S993623M – INTEREST RATE ON DEPOSITS – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS – NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS AND HOUSEHOLDS

Weighted average interest rate on outstanding amounts of deposits and repos of households and non-financial corporations.

TDFE0084 – BANK INTEREST RATES ON EURO LOANS: OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Table 18 (TDFE0084) contains the harmonized interest rates on the outstanding amounts of euro bank loans to households and non-financial corporations resident in the euro area. The rates are weighted using the account balances at the end of the reference month. The disaggregation by maturity refers to the original duration of each loan. The rates include those on supported loans, for which the total interest rate must be reported, regardless of how much the customer pays. By contrast, the rates on bad debts and restructured loans are excluded. The item "Consumer credit and other loans" comprises: overdrafts, repos, advances against invoices, other secured loans.

S681824M – INTEREST RATE ON LOANS TO HOUSEHOLDS – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Weighted average of the interest rates on the outstanding amounts of loans to households – including overdrafts – at the end of the reference period.

S711581M – INTEREST RATE ON LOANS FOR HOUSE PURCHASES – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Weighted average of the interest rates on loans for house purchases (all maturities).

S761710M – INTEREST RATE ON CONSUMER CREDIT AND OTHER LOANS (NOT FOR HOUSE PURCHASES) UP TO 1 YEAR – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS – HOUSEHOLDS

Includes all overdrafts.

S805742M – INTEREST RATE ON BANK OVERDRAFT – HOUSEHOLDS

The following are included with overdrafts: advances against bills, other credit instruments, uncleared documents and factoring advances.

S826547M – INTEREST RATE ON LOANS TO NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATION – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Weighted average of the interest rates on the month-end outstanding amounts of loans – including overdrafts – to non-financial corporations.

S845839M – INTEREST RATE ON LOANS TO NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATION UP TO 1 YEAR – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Includes all overdrafts.

S878156M – INTEREST RATE ON BANK OVERDRAFT – NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS

The following are included with overdrafts: advances against bills, other credit instruments, uncleared documents and factoring advances.

S889541M – INTEREST RATE ON LOANS UP TO 1 YEAR TO HOUSEHOLDS AND NON-FIN. CORPORATIONS – OUTSTANDING AMOUNTS

Weighted average of the interest rates on the month-end outstanding amounts of loans – including overdrafts – to households and non-financial corporations.

TDFE0085 – BANK INTEREST RATES ON EURO LOANS TO HOUSEHOLDS: NEW BUSINESS

Table 19 (TDFE0085) contains the harmonized interest rates on new euro bank loans to households resident in the euro area. The rates are weighted using the amounts disbursed. "New business" consists of loan contracts concluded in the reporting period or for which

previously established terms and conditions have been renegotiated. Overdrafts are not included in new business for the purpose of reporting harmonized interest rates. The disaggregation by maturity refers to the initial period of rate fixation. The rates include those on supported loans, for which the total interest rate must be reported, regardless of how much the customer pays. By contrast, the rates on bad debts and restructured loans are excluded. Loans for "other purposes" comprise: repos, advances against invoices and other secured loans. The Annual Percentage Rate of Charge (APRC) includes the accessory expenses (administrative, application processing, insurance) provided for in Directive 87/102/EEC.

S921397M – INTEREST RATE FOR HOUSE PURCHASES – NEW BUSINESS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new loans for house purchases (other than overdrafts) for all maturities.

S984694M – INTEREST RATE ON CONSUMER CREDIT – NEW BUSINESS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new consumer credit (other than overdrafts) for all maturities.

TDFE0086 – BANK INTEREST RATES ON EURO LOANS TO NON FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS: NEW BUSINESS

Table 20 (TDFE0086) contains the harmonized interest rates on new euro bank loans to non-financial corporations resident in the euro area. The rates are weighted using the amounts disbursed. "New business" consists of loan contracts concluded in the reporting period or for which previously established terms and conditions have been renegotiated. Overdrafts are not included in new business for the purpose of reporting harmonized interest rates. The disaggregation by maturity refers to the initial period of rate fixation. The rates include those on supported loans, for which the total interest rate must be reported, regardless of how much the customer pays. By contrast, the rates on bad debts and restructured loans are excluded. Loans for "other purposes" comprise: repos, advances against invoices and other secured loans. The division of loans by size refers to the amount of each individual transaction and not to the bank's total exposure to the firm in question.

S127845M – INTEREST RATE FOR LOANS OTHER THAN BANK OVERDRAFTS – NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS – NEW BUSINESS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new loans (other than overdrafts) to non-financial corporations, for all amounts and for all maturities.

S148553M – INTEREST RATE FOR LOANS OTHER THAN BANK OVERDRAFTS UP TO AN AMOUNT OF EUR 1 MILLION NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS – NEW BUSINESS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new loans (other than overdrafts) up to an amount of EUR 1 million to non-financial corporations, for all maturities.

S212623M – INTEREST RATE FOR LOANS OTHER THAN BANK OVERDRAFTS OVER AN AMOUNT OF EUR 1 MILLION – NON FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS – NEW BUSINESS

Weighted average of the interest rates on new loans (other than overdrafts) over an amount of EUR 1 million to non-financial corporations, for all maturities.

TDME0010 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: BALANCE SHEET – ASSETS

Table 1 (TDME0010, TDME0020) refers to banks and money market funds and summarizes their main balance sheet assets and liabilities. As regards MFIs' balance sheet assets, in addition to total assets, Table 1 shows six items: cash, loans, holdings of securities other than shares, shares and other equity, fixed assets and remaining assets. It also contains memorandum items showing the claims on the Eurosystem, taken to mean the central banks of the euro-area countries and the ECB. The items loans, holdings of securities other than shares and shares and other equity are shown separately for residents of Italy, residents of other euro-area countries and the rest of the world. Residents of Italy and residents of other euro-area countries are divided in turn according to the sector they belong to: MFIs, general government and other sectors (mainly households and enterprises). The item remaining assets includes options premiums and variation margins for positions in financial derivatives. The latter are normally considered to be off-balance-sheet items and not part of the assets of the banking system.

LOANS

Performing loans, bad debts and repo assets.

HOLDINGS OF SECURITIES OTHER THAN SHARES

Securities of listed companies not held as financial fixed assets are valued at their market value at the reference date; all other securities are valued at book value. The item includes unlisted bonds and bonds to be held to maturity and money market fund shares/units in banks' portfolios.

SHARES AND OTHER EQUITY

Other equity is included gross of the corresponding provisions for diminution in value.

S480216M – BANKING SYSTEM: CLAIMS ON THE EUROSYSYSTEM

Comprises the claims of the banking system on the ECB and the central banks of the euro-area countries and holdings of securities other than shares issued by the same.

S753273M – BANKING SYSTEM: FIXED ASSETS

Comprises land and buildings, other tangible fixed assets, fixed assets for financial leasing, and intangible fixed assets.

TDME0020 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: BALANCE SHEET – LIABILITIES

As regards MFIs' balance sheet liabilities, in addition to total liabilities, Table 1 shows five items: deposits, money market fund shares/units, debt securities issued, capital and reserves, and remaining liabilities. It also contains memorandum items showing the deposits of the Eurosystem, taken to mean the central banks of the euro-area countries and the ECB. Deposits are shown separately for residents of Italy, residents of other euro-area countries and the rest of the world. Residents of Italy and residents of other euro-area countries are divided in turn according to the sector they belong to: "MFIs", "central government" and other general government – other sectors". Other general government comprises local government and social security funds. MFIs and central government are not part of the money-holding sector. The item remaining liabilities includes options premiums and variation margins for positions in financial derivatives. The latter are normally considered to be off-balance-sheet items and not part of the assets of the banking system.

DEPOSITS

Current accounts, deposits with agreed maturity, deposits redeemable at notice and repo liabilities. Certificates of deposit include those issued as subordinated liabilities.

S303540M – OTHER MFIS: DEBT SECURITIES ISSUED

Banks' debt securities are stated at par and include those issued as subordinated liabilities. From December 2000 the series includes reverse convertibles.

S434899M – OTHER MFIS: CAPITAL AND RESERVES

Paid-up share capital, reserves, the provision for general banking risks and the balance of prior year profits and losses carried forward.

TDME0030 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: CLAIMS IN EUROS AND OTHER EURO-AREA CURRENCIES – LOANS

Table 3 (TDME0030, TDME0040) refers to the claims of banks and money market funds. Claims are defined as loans and holdings of securities other than shares. The total of loans and holdings of securities other than shares in Table 3 differs from that in Table 1 (TDME0010–20) because it refers only to the part denominated in euros and euro-area currencies. Separate series are published for residents of Italy, residents of other euro-area countries and the rest of the world. Counterparties are divided in turn into the following sectors: MFIs, general government and other sectors (mainly households and enterprises).

LOANS

Performing loans, bad debts and repo assets.

TDME0040 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: CLAIMS IN EUROS AND OTHER EURO-AREA CURRENCIES – SECURITIES OTHER THAN SHARES

Securities of listed companies not held as financial fixed assets are valued at their market value at the reference date; all other securities are valued at carrying value. The item includes bonds not listed on regulated markets and bonds to be held to maturity.

TDME0050 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: FUNDS RAISED FROM OTHER GENERAL GOVERNMENT AND OTHER SECTORS, IN EUROS AND EURO-AREA CURRENCIES

Table 2 (TDME0050) gives details of the funds raised by banks in euros and euro-area currencies. Other general government comprises local government and social security funds, while other sectors consists mainly of households and enterprises. The difference between Table 2 and Table 1 (TDME0010–20) is that the latter shows funds raised in all currencies. Deposits are shown

separately for residents of Italy, residents of other euro-area countries and the rest of the world. Those of residents of Italy and residents of other euro-area countries are divided in turn according to their maturity as follows: overnight deposits, deposits with agreed maturity (subdivided by maturity into up to 2 years and more than 2 years), deposits redeemable at notice and repos. Until the start of the third phase of Monetary Union, repo liabilities were not included in the definition of deposits. Debt securities issued are stated at par and divided by maturity into up to 2 years and more than 2 years. Banks have produced ESCB harmonized statistics since June 1998. The figures for the period from December 1995 to May 1998 are partially estimated, on the basis of the data contained in banks' automated prudential returns and foreign exchange reports. The figures for the latest month are provisional.

OVERNIGHT DEPOSITS

The item includes banker's drafts but not current account time deposits.

DEPOSITS WITH AGREED MATURITY

Deposits with agreed maturity include certificates of deposit, current account time deposits and savings account time deposits.

DEPOSITS REDEEMABLE AT NOTICE

Deposits redeemable at notice consist of ordinary savings account deposits.

DEBT SECURITIES ISSUED

Banks' debt securities issued including those issued as subordinated liabilities. As of December 2000, reverse convertibles are included in the item with maturity up to two years.

TDME0060 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: LOANS BY SECTOR OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY (EXCLUDING MFIS)

Table 4 (TDME0060) disaggregates loans according to the sector of activity of borrowers, excluding MFIs. The sectors considered are: general government (subdivided into central government, local government and social security funds), other financial institutions, insurance corporations and pension funds, non-financial corporations, households and non-profit institutions.

Loans comprise performing loans, bad debts and repo assets. The series are divided into those for loans to residents of the euro area and those to residents of Italy. The difference between loans in Table 4 and Table 3 (TDME0030–40) is that the latter refers only to loans denominated in euros and euro–area currencies.

The statistics are based on the new sectoral definitions of the European System of Accounts (ESA95). For the definition of the institutional sectors, see the "Glossario" in the Appendix to the Relazione Annuale.

TDME0070 – BANKS AND MONEY MARKET FUNDS: LOANS TO HOUSEHOLDS AND NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS BY TYPE AND MATURITY

In Table 5 (TDME0070) bank loans to households are divided according to their purpose and maturity, while those to non–financial corporations are divided only according to their maturity. Total loans to households and non–financial corporations are the same as those shown in Table 4 (TDME0060). Loans to households are divided into three types: consumer credit, lending for house purchase and other lending, each of which is subdivided into three maturities: up to 1 year, from 1 to 5 years and over 5 years. The data on loans to households by type submitted by some banks in 2002 showed discontinuities owing to the reclassification of certain items. Loans comprise performing loans, bad debts and repo assets. The series are divided into those for loans to residents of the euro area and those to residents of Italy. The sectoral definitions are the same as those used in Table–4.

TDUE0080 – BANKS: DEPOSITS, BONDS AND OTHER LIABILITIES

Table 6 (TDUE0080) contains information on bank deposits, bonds issued by banks and other liabilities (external liabilities, subordinated liabilities and supervisory capital). Deposits are divided according to the classification of technical forms traditionally adopted in Italy: current account deposits, savings deposits, short–term certificates of deposit (up to 18 months) and medium and long–term certificates of deposit (more than 18 months). Current account deposits include current account time deposits, which in Table 2 (TDME0050, ESCB harmonized statistics) are included among deposits with agreed maturity. In Table 6 savings deposits include savings account time deposits, whereas in Table 2 ordinary savings account deposits coincide with deposits

redeemable at notice and savings account time deposits are included among deposits with agreed maturity. In order to facilitate comparison with the ESCB harmonized statistics, repolabilities, which were not included in the definition of deposits until the start of the third phase of Monetary Union, are shown as a separate item. Moreover, the item total deposits is shown both including and excluding repos. Up to December 1998, deposits in lire/euros include only amounts in lire; from January 1999, they include amounts in euros and euro–area currencies. Vice versa, up to December 1998, deposits in non–euro currencies include amounts in euro–area currencies other than the lira. The discontinuities are small. In contrast with the ESCB harmonized definitions, certificates of deposit and bonds do not include subordinated liabilities. Bonds are divided between fixed and variable rate issues.

BONDS

Bonds are shown at book value and include matured bonds to be redeemed. They do not include subordinated liabilities. As of June 1998 the details on variable rate bonds are only available on a quarterly basis. The bonds issued by Isveimer, which has been wound up, are included until May 1998.

S199771M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT

The item comprises all securities of this kind. Until Supplement no. 11 of 19 February 2001, certificates of deposit and savings certificates reported as being "redeemable early" (except for those issued pursuant to a Ministerial Decree of 28 December 1982) were included among savings deposits up to December 1994.

S315121M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: SUPERVISORY CAPITAL

For the definition of this series, see the "Note Metodologiche" in the Appendix to the Relazione Annuale. As of 1997 the figures are only available on a quarterly basis.

S318112M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: CURRENT ACCOUNT DEPOSITS OF RESIDENTS

This item includes current account time deposits but not banker's drafts.

S324642M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: EXTERNAL FUNDING

The data refer to aggregates that coincide only in part with those of the foreign exchange statistics.

S340751M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: DEPOSITS OF NON RESIDENTS OF ITALY

Until December 1994, this item refers only to deposits with banks raising short-term funds.

S340987M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: DEPOSITS IN NON-EURO CURRENCIES OF RESIDENTS

Until 1995, this item refers only to deposits with banks raising short-term funds, since the returns submitted by the former "special credit institutions" did not contain the relevant data.

S354531M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: SAVINGS DEPOSITS OF RESIDENTS

This item comprises both savings account time deposits and ordinary savings account deposits.

S548888M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: REPOS WITH RESIDENT CUSTOMERS

The data refer to repos in all currencies.

S946525M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: SUBORDINATED LIABILITIES

This item comprises all the different technical forms in which subordinated liabilities are issued.

TDUE0090 – BANKS: REPOS BY TYPE OF COUNTERPARTY (EXCLUDING CENTRAL BANKS)

Table 7 (TDUE0090) refers to banks' repo transactions with other banks and customers. Counterparties are divided according to whether they are residents of Italy.

On 1.1.1994 the Community Directive on banks' annual accounts came into force, requiring, inter alia, repos and reverse repos to be accounted for as receivables and payables. Consequently, the securities portfolio is no longer affected by transactions that provide for the buyer/seller to resell/repurchase the securities in question. In order to avoid a break in the series, securities portfolios have been recalculated for earlier years according to the new accounting method. The asset and liabilities items "Repos" refer to all the transactions of this type with the central bank, banks and customers. Owing to lack of data the amounts for banks raising medium and long-term funds have been estimated up to 1993 on the basis of non-accounting data on securities to be received and delivered in respect of transactions to be settled with residents and non-residents and attributed to residents. In

order to reconstruct the series for banks raising short-term funds, repos with non-residents are included under "External assets" and "External liabilities". Rounding may cause discrepancies in the totals.

The breakdown by counterparty is available for banks raising short-term funds as of 1994. The series on the transactions of special credit institutions are estimated for 1994 and partly estimated until June 1996 owing to the delay with which some former special credit institutions adopted the new system of prudential returns.

S548888M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: REPOS WITH RESIDENT CUSTOMERS

The data refer to repos in all currencies.

TDUE0100 – BANKS: LOANS, SECURITIES AND OTHER ASSETS

Table 8 (TDUE0100) disaggregates bank's portfolios of performing loans and securities and other asset items.

S169214M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: LOANS TO NON-RESIDENTS

Loans to non-residents do not include those granted by Italian banks' foreign branches.

S268215M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: EXTERNAL ASSETS

The figures refer to aggregates that coincide only in part with those contained in the foreign exchange statistics. Up to December 1994 includes foreign currency securities issued by residents and held by banks raising medium and long-term funds.

S734065M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: HOLDINGS OF OTHER SECURITIES

Securities (including unlisted securities and securities to be held to maturity) issued by banks, the public sector, Enel, state holding companies and the private sector in banks' portfolios.

S781588M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: BAD DEBTS AND UNPAID AND PROTESTED BILLS, RESIDENTS

Includes the portion of the bad debts of banks raising medium and long-term funds consisting of loans still to mature; up to 1994 these amounts have been deducted from the item "Loans". The transactions carried out in January 1997 between Banco di Napoli and the non-bank company SGA resulted in discontinuities in the figures for bad debts

and loans. The bad debts of Isveimer, which has been wound up, are included until May 1998.

S782741M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: SHORT-TERM LOANS TO RESIDENTS

For the sake of uniformity with the system of prudential returns introduced in 1995, the data on loans for banks raising medium and long-term funds have been recalculated up to December 1994 to include overdue instalments and the principal amounts of instalments due and to exclude the component of bad debts consisting of loans still to mature. Accordingly, overdue instalments and bad debts still to mature have been respectively deducted from and added to the item "Bad debts and overdue and protested bills".

As of December 1992 funds raised from public bodies purely for administration – i.e. used exclusively to grant loans without the assumption of credit risk by the bank concerned – have been reclassified as memorandum items for banks raising medium and long-term funds. In order to avoid breaks in the series involved (public funds, loans and bad debts), the amounts for banks raising medium and long-term funds have been recalculated for earlier years in accordance with the new accounting policy.

The transactions carried out in January 1997 between Banco di Napoli and the non-bank company SGA resulted in substantial changes in the figures for bad debts and loans. The loans of Isveimer, which has been wound up, are included until May 1998.

S824534M – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: BAD DEBTS AT ESTIMATED REALIZABLE VALUE

The estimated realizable value of banks' bad debts is shown net of writedowns. For the years up to 1995 the figures are partly estimated.

TDUE0110 – BANKS: LOANS (INCLUDING BAD DEBTS) BY BRANCH OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY – RESIDENTS OF ITALY

Table 9 (TDUE0110) shows loans to residents of Italy divided into the 23 branches of economic activity used to classify credit to sole proprietorships and corporations. It shows stocks and twelve-month percentage changes. Bad debts are included. Loans by sector of economic activity are shown in Table 4 on the basis of the ESCB harmonized definition, which includes performing loans, bad debts and repo assets.

TDUE0120 – BANKS: BAD DEBTS BY SECTOR OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

Table 10 (TDUE0120) shows banks' bad debts divided according to the sector to which borrowers belong, with reference to residents of Italy. The sectors considered are: general government, (subdivided into central government, local government and social security funds), financial institutions, insurance corporations and pension funds, corporations, and house-holds.

TDUE0130 – BAD DEBTS BY BRANCH OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY – RESIDENTS OF ITALY

Table 11 (TDUE0130) shows banks' bad debts divided into the 23 branches of economic activity used to classify credit to sole proprietorships and corporations. It shows stocks and twelve-month percentage changes. The data are available on a quarterly basis. The branch definitions are the same as those used in Table 9 (TDUE0110).

TDUE0140 – BANKS: SPECIAL CREDIT TRANSACTIONS WITH RESIDENTS OF ITALY

Table 12 (TDUE0140) shows banks' special credit transactions with residents of Italy: short-term and medium and long-term agricultural credit, real-estate credit, public works credit, and medium and long-terms subsidized credit. The data are available on a quarterly basis. For the definition of special credit transactions see Chapter VI of the 1993 Banking Law (Legislative Decree 385 of 1993). All banks can provide such financing. The definition does not coincide exactly with the financing traditionally provided in the past by the former special credit institutions. The items referring to agricultural credit include fishing credit.

S876466Q – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: MEDIUM AND LONG-TERM SUBSIDIZED CREDIT

Loans at interest rates below those prevailing in the market as a result of laws providing for contributions towards interest payments or the use of state or regional funds.

S887990Q – UNIVERSE OF BANKS: REAL-ESTATE CREDIT TO RESIDENTS

Includes building credit. The items are affected by inconsistencies in the data reported by banks.

TDUE0150 – BANKS: SHARES AND PARTICIPATING INTERESTS BY TYPE OF COUNTERPARTY

Table 13 (TDUE0150) shows banks' share portfolios and the composition of their participating interests. The total participating interests differ from the sum of the corresponding items in Table 1 (TDME0010–20) since in Table 13 they are shown net of the corresponding provisions for diminution in value. Participating interests are divided into those in companies resident in Italy and those in companies not resident in Italy, which include companies in both the euro area and the rest of the world. The participating interests in companies resident in Italy are subdivided into four types: non-financial corporations, banks, financial institutions and insurance corporations. The first of these subitems is further subdivided into participating interests in auxiliary companies and other companies and the latter divided in turn into listed and unlisted companies. For the participating interests in companies not resident in Italy, the part accounted for by investments in banks is shown separately. The last column of Table 13 shows the value of banks' total share portfolios. The data on participating interests in companies other than banks are partially estimated up to July 1996.

TDUE0160 – BANKS: SECURITIES HELD FOR SAFEKEEPING BY SECTOR OF HOLDER

Table 14 (TDUE0160) shows the distribution of securities deposited with banks for safekeeping by holding sector. Securities are valued at face value; they do not include those deposited by banks or central banks. The items are affected by discontinuities and inconsistencies in the data reported by banks. The figures for residents of Italy are shown in total and divided into five sectors: non-financial corporations, financial institutions, insurance corporations, general government and households, which are subdivided into consumer households and sole proprietorships. The rest of the world includes the other euro-area countries. The last column shows the total amount of securities held for safekeeping with banks.

The table shows the amounts for which a securities deposit contract has been signed. It excludes indirect forms of fund-raising via asset management services, in particular the units of collective investment undertakings placed with third parties for which no securities deposit

contract has been signed. The table also excludes the cumulative certificates of units of collective investment undertakings held for safekeeping with the depository bank at no charge, as clarified in the 15th update of the manual for compiling accounting supervisory reports of 31 July 2002. The clarification has given rise to a break in the series for "Financial institutions" and "Consumer households" as of December 2002.

TDUE0170 – BANKS: SECURITIES HELD FOR SAFEKEEPING BY INSTRUMENT

Table 15 (TDUE0170) shows the securities deposited with banks for safe keeping in the following forms: BOTs, CCTs, BTPs, certificates of deposit, shares, investment fund shares/units, bank bonds and other bonds. The last column of the table shows the part of the securities held for safekeeping accounted for by asset management activities. The total in Table 15 coincides with the total residents column of Table 14. Securities are valued at face value; they do not include those deposited by banks or central banks. Assets under management are at market value. The items are affected by discontinuities.

The table shows the amounts for which a securities deposit contract has been signed. It excludes indirect forms of fund-raising via asset management services, in particular the units of collective investment undertakings placed with third parties for which no securities deposit contract has been signed. The table also excludes the cumulative certificates of units of collective investment undertakings held for safekeeping with the depository bank at no charge, as clarified in the 15th update of the manual for compiling accounting supervisory reports of 31 July 2002. The clarification has given rise to a break in the series for "Investment funds" as of December 2002.

TDUE0180 – INCOME STATEMENT AND OTHER STRUCTURAL INDICATORS

Table 16 (TDUE0180) contains information on selected income statement items and the main aggregates in relation to which they are normally analyzed. For each year the data refer only to banks operating in Italy that have submitted income statement reports (see the "Manuale per la compilazione della matrice dei conti – Avvertenze Generali"). For a description of the methods used in constructing the Bank of Italy's income statement statistics, see the "Note metodologiche" section of the *Relazione Annuale*.

The data in question are also sent annually to the OECD for publication in its "Bank Profitability – Financial Statements of Banks". The internationally standardized tables published by the OECD differ in some respects in the calculation of net interest income and gross income. In particular, in the OECD tables:

– "Dividends on shares and participations" are included in "Interest income", and hence in "Net interest income", whereas in Table 19 they are reincluded in "Non-interest income (net) – Other financial operations";

– "Net interest income" does not include the "Balance of derivative hedging contracts", which is included, instead, in "Gross income";

– fee income from the operation of tax collection offices is included in "Non-interest income (net) – Other", while the staff costs of tax collection offices are included in "Staff costs". By contrast, in Table 19 the balance of tax-collection-office income and expenses is included in "Non-interest income (net) – Services".

The "Memorandum items" show the data needed to construct the statistics published by the OECD.