

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

January - November 2014

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BALANCE OF PAYMENTS¹

November 2014

Current and Capital Account

The **current and capital account** recorded a surplus of EUR 188.2 million in November 2014, compared with a surplus of EUR 47.6 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 the **current and capital account** was positive amounting to EUR 1,192 million (3% of GDP²) compared with a surplus of EUR 1,642.9 million (4% of GDP) in January – November 2013.

Current Account

The **current account** recorded a deficit of EUR 90.5 million, compared with a deficit of EUR 38.7 million in November 2013. The current account deficit resulted from the negative *trade balance* (EUR 166.9 million) and the deficit on *income* (EUR 17.9 million). The higher deficit on the current account (by EUR 51.8 million) on a year-on-year basis was due to the lower surpluses on *current transfers* and *services* (by EUR 55.5 million and EUR 26.1 million respectively). In January – November 2014 the **current account** was positive and amounted to EUR 371.1 million (0.9% of GDP), its balance down by EUR 826.8 million (69%) from January – November 2013 (a surplus of EUR 1,197.9 million, 2.9% of GDP).

The **trade balance** recorded a deficit of EUR 166.9 million in November 2014, compared with a deficit of EUR 185.3 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 the **trade balance** was negative amounting to EUR 2,492.3 million (6.2% of GDP), its deficit widening by EUR 420.5 million (20.3%) from January – November 2013 (a deficit of EUR 2,071.8 million, 5% of GDP).

- **Exports (FOB)** amounted to EUR 1,967.2 million in November 2014, dropping by EUR 63.1 million (3.1%) from November 2013 (EUR 2,030.3 million). Exports to the EU (EUR 1,247.8 million, 63.4% of total exports) decreased by EUR 6.2 million (0.5%) year-on-year, and extra-EU exports fell by EUR 56.9 million (7.3%). In January – November 2014 **exports (FOB)** totalled EUR 20,349.2 million, dropping by EUR 326 million (1.6%) year-on-year (from EUR 20,675.2 million). In January – November 2013 exports grew by 7.5% year-on-year.

- **Imports (FOB)** amounted to EUR 2,134 million in November 2014, declining by EUR 81.5 million (3.7%) from November 2013 (EUR 2,215.6 million). Imports from the EU (EUR 1,364.7 million, 63.9% of total imports) increased by EUR 52.6 million (4%) year-on-year,

¹ The analysis is based on the analytical table of the balance of payments. Preliminary data. In accordance with the practice of the BNB and the data revision requirements of the ECB (included in the *ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB*), the data for October 2014 have been revised. The data for November 2014 are to be revised with the December 2014 report.

² GDP amounting to EUR 40,250 million for 2014 (BNB estimate), and EUR 41,047.3 million for 2013 (NSI data as of 1 October 2014 in accordance with ESA 2010).

whereas extra-EU imports dropped by EUR 134.1 million (14.8%). In January – November 2014 **imports (FOB)** amounted to EUR 22,841.5 million, growing by EUR 94.4 million (0.4%) year-on-year (from EUR 22,747.1 million). In January – November 2013 imports rose by 1.7% year-on-year.

Services recorded a positive balance of EUR 22.8 million in November 2014, against a surplus of EUR 48.8 million in November 2013. The positive balance was mainly due to the surplus on *travel* (EUR 29.1 million, compared with a surplus of EUR 32.9 million in November 2013). The balance on *transportation* was positive and equalled EUR 11 million (compared with a surplus of EUR 1.6 million in November 2013), whereas *other services* recorded a deficit of EUR 17.3 million (compared with a surplus of EUR 14.4 million in November 2013). In January – November 2014 **services** recorded a surplus of EUR 2,457.5 million (6.1% of GDP), growing by EUR 226 million (10.1%) year-on-year (from EUR 2,231.5 million, 5.4% of GDP).

Income recorded a deficit of EUR 17.9 million, compared with a deficit of EUR 29.3 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 **income** recorded a deficit of EUR 1,127.9 million (2.8% of GDP), against a deficit of EUR 1,218.2 (3% of GDP) in January – November 2013³.

The net **current transfers** recorded a surplus of EUR 71.5 million, compared with a surplus of EUR 127 million in November 2013. The receipts from the European Union totalled EUR 47.3 million compared with EUR 70.4 million in November 2013. The current transfer payments to the EU equalled EUR 34.7 million compared with EUR 22.4 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 the net **current transfers** recorded a surplus of EUR 1,533.9 million (3.8% of GDP), compared with a surplus of EUR 2,256.4 million (5.5% of GDP) in the same period of 2013.

Capital Account

The **capital account**⁴ recorded a surplus of EUR 278.7 million, compared with a positive balance of EUR 86.3 million in November 2013. In November 2014 the net capital transfers from EU funds totalled EUR 270.6 million, compared with EUR 96.1 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 the **capital account** recorded a surplus of EUR 820.8 million, compared with a positive balance of EUR 445 million in January – November 2013.

Financial Account

The **financial account** recorded a net inflow of EUR 687.8 million in November 2014, compared with an outflow of EUR 124.3 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 the **financial account** recorded a net inflow of EUR 1,359.7 million (3.4% of GDP), compared with an outflow of EUR 1,961.5 million (4.8% of GDP) in January – November 2013.

³ The lower investment income payments for the period can partially be explained with the fact that the data are preliminary and are subject to revisions.

⁴ *Capital account* comprises items *capital transfers* and *acquisition or disposal of non-produced non-financial assets*.

Direct investment abroad increased by EUR 8.1 million in November 2014, compared with EUR 13.1 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 it totalled EUR 150.6 million, compared with EUR 148.3 million in the same period of 2013.

Foreign direct investment in Bulgaria recorded a net inflow of EUR 416.6 million according to preliminary data, compared with EUR 234.7 million in November 2013. The *equity capital* totalled EUR 38 million compared with EUR 35.1 million in November 2013. The receipts from *real estate investment* of non-residents amounted to EUR 6 million, compared with EUR 9.6 million in November 2013. The net *other capital* was positive amounting to EUR 363.3 million, compared with a positive value of EUR 189.5 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 **foreign direct investment in the country** totalled EUR 1,224.2 million (3% of GDP), compared with EUR 1,545.1 million (3.8% of GDP) in the same period of 2013. The *equity capital* amounted to EUR 441.8 million compared with EUR 861.1 million in January – November 2013. The receipts from *real estate investment* of non-residents dropped by EUR 27 million (19.4%) year-on-year and totalled EUR 112 million (from EUR 139 million in January – November 2013). The net *other capital* was positive and amounted to EUR 624.9 million, compared with EUR 590.6 million in January – November 2013.

Portfolio investment assets rose by EUR 23 million, compared with a decline of EUR 73.8 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 **portfolio investment assets** grew by EUR 209.4 million, compared with an increase of EUR 529 million in the same period of 2013.

Portfolio investment liabilities rose by EUR 90.5 million compared with an increase of EUR 868.1 million in November 2013. The reported increase in November 2014 was mostly due to item *bonds and notes of general government* (EUR 91.3 million). In January – November 2014 **portfolio investment liabilities** grew by EUR 1,545 million, compared with an increase of EUR 498.2 million in November 2013.

Other investment assets declined by EUR 475.1 million in November 2014 compared with an increase of EUR 628 million in November 2013, mostly due to the decrease in *currency and deposits* by EUR 496.4 million. In January – November 2014 **other investment assets** rose by EUR 753.9 million, compared with an increase of EUR 2,283.5 million in the same period in 2013.

Other investment liabilities dropped by EUR 263.1 million against a decline of EUR 656.5 million in November 2013, mostly due to the decrease in *currency and deposits* (by EUR 396.8 million). In January – November 2014 **other investment liabilities** fell by EUR 266.5 million, compared with a decline of EUR 924.8 million in January – November 2013.

The **net errors and omissions** were negative amounting to EUR 413 million against a negative value of EUR 8.3 million in November 2013. The item was negative in January –

November 2014 and totalled EUR 1,054.5 million (2.6% of GDP), compared with a negative value of EUR 477.8 million (1.2% of GDP) in the same period of 2013.

In November 2014 the **overall balance** was positive totalling EUR 463 million, compared with a negative one of EUR 85 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 it was positive and amounted to EUR 1,497.1 million (3.7% of GDP), compared with a negative overall balance of EUR 796.3 million (1.9% of GDP) in the same period of 2013.

The **BNB reserve assets**⁵ increased by EUR 463 million, against a decline of EUR 85 million in November 2013. In January – November 2014 they grew by EUR 1,497.1 million, compared with a decrease of EUR 796.3 million in the same period of 2013.

⁵ Excluding valuation changes due to exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetisation/demonetisation of gold and allocation or cancellation of SDRs), and reclassifications.

DIRECT INVESTMENT (January – November 2014)¹

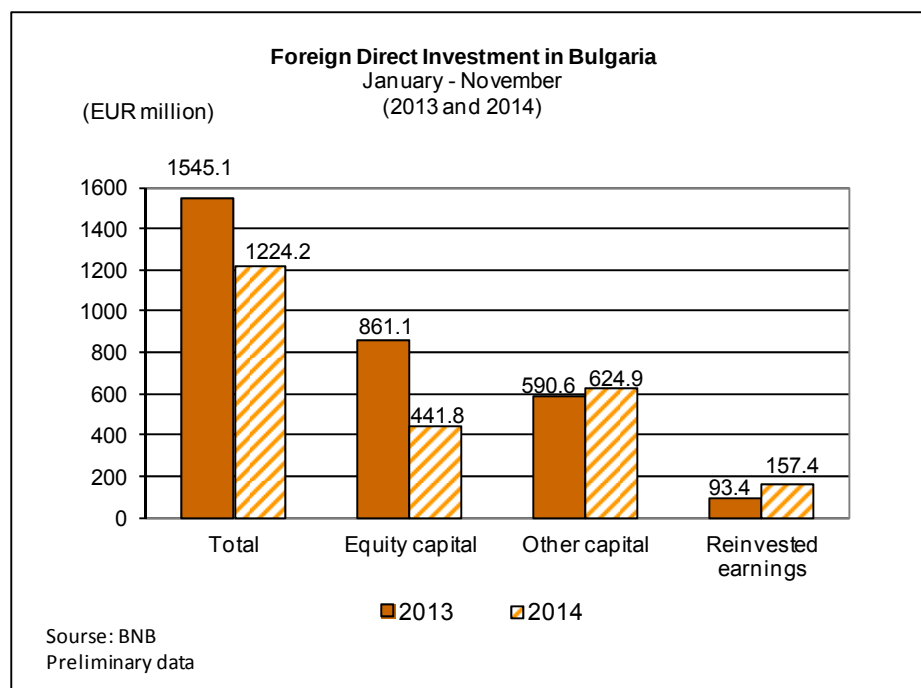
Foreign direct investment in Bulgaria recorded a net inflow of EUR 1224.2 (3% of GDP) in January – November 2014 according to preliminary data, dropping by EUR 321 million (20.8%) from January – November 2013 (an inflow of EUR 1,545.1 million, 3.8% of GDP)². In November 2014 they grew by EUR 416.6 million, compared with an increase of EUR 234.7 million in November 2013.

	2013						2014						2014/2013
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Oct.	Nov.	Jan-Nov	Q1	Q2	Q3	Oct.	Nov.	Jan-Nov	Jan-Nov
Direct investment, net	389.4	395.2	418.8	-28.1	221.6	1396.8	464.6	-14.3	-0.9	215.7	408.5	1073.5	-323.3
Direct investment abroad *	-16.1	-46.3	-52.9	-19.9	-13.1	-148.3	-44.3	-66.6	-27.5	-4.2	-8.1	-150.6	-2.3
Equity capital	-14.6	-30.6	-33.7	-7.7	-4.0	-90.7	-15.5	-60.5	-24.5	-2.8	-2.1	-105.5	-14.8
Other capital	-10.4	-10.6	-17.1	-12.2	-9.1	-59.4	-28.8	-6.0	-3.0	-1.3	-6.0	-45.2	14.2
Reinvested earnings	8.9	-5.1	-2.1	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.7
Foreign Direct Investment	405.5	441.5	471.7	-8.2	234.7	1545.1	508.9	52.2	26.6	219.9	416.6	1224.2	-321.0
Equity capital, incl.	251.4	320.3	194.1	60.2	35.1	861.1	100.3	-0.7	287.2	17.0	38.0	441.8	-419.3
<i>from privatisation</i>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i>non-privatisation flows</i>	251.4	320.3	194.1	60.2	35.1	861.1	100.3	-0.7	287.2	17.0	38.0	441.8	-419.3
Other capital	127.7	107.8	244.1	-78.5	189.5	590.6	366.3	14.1	-306.4	187.6	363.3	624.9	34.3
Reinvested earnings	26.4	13.4	33.5	10.1	10.1	93.4	42.2	38.8	45.8	15.3	15.3	157.4	64.0

Source: direct investment companies, banks, notaries, National Statistical Institute, Central Depository, Privatisation Agency.

* For assets, a minus sign denotes an increase in holdings, and a positive figure represents a decrease.

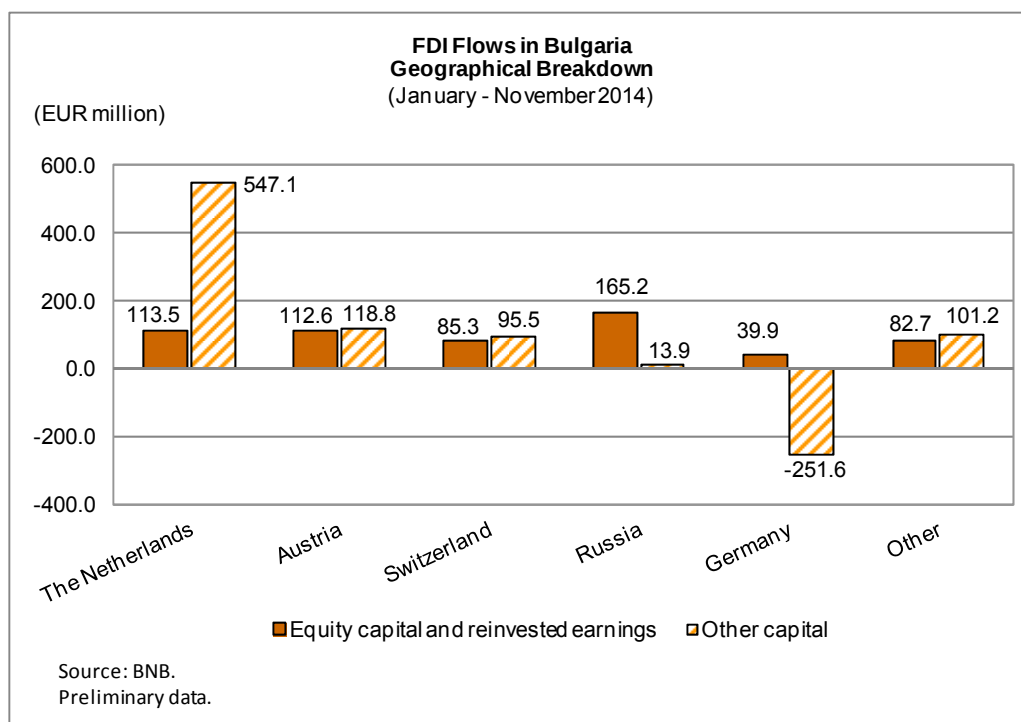
The *equity capital* (acquisition/disposal of shares and equities in cash and contributions in kind by non-residents in/from the capital and reserves of Bulgarian enterprises and receipts/payments from/for real estate deals in the country) amounted to EUR 441.8 million. It decreased by EUR 419.3 million compared to that attracted in the same period of 2013 (EUR 861.1 million). *The receipts from real estate investments of non-residents* amounted to EUR 112 million, compared with EUR 139 million attracted in January – November 2013.



The net *other capital* (the change in the net liabilities of the direct investment enterprise to the direct investor on financial loans, suppliers' credits and debt securities) was positive, amounting to EUR 624.9 million in January – November 2014, compared with a positive one of EUR 590.6 million in January – November 2013.³

Based on preliminary data on profit/loss, the *reinvested earnings*⁴ (the share of non-residents in the undistributed earnings/ loss of the enterprise) were estimated at EUR 157.4 million for January – November 2014, compared with EUR 93.4 million in the same period of 2013.

By country, the largest direct investment in Bulgaria in January – November 2014 were those from the Netherlands (EUR 660.6 million). The largest net outflows for the period were to Germany (EUR -211.7 million).



According to preliminary data, *direct investment abroad* increased by EUR 150.6 million in January – November 2014, compared with an increase of EUR 148.3 million in January – November 2013. In November 2014 they grew by EUR 8.1 million, compared with an increase of EUR 13.1 million in November 2013.

¹ Preliminary data. When comparing the data year-on-year it should be taken into account that the initial data on the January – November 2013 FDI, published in the BNB press release on 17 January 2014 have been subsequently revised (www.bnb.bg, section Press Releases/Statistical Press Releases/Balance of Payments). The data for November 2014 are to be revised with the January – December 2014 report. The 2013 and 2014 data are subject to revisions with the annual NSI data and reports from foreign direct investment enterprises.

² GDP amounting to EUR 40,250 million for 2014 (BNB estimate), and EUR 41,047.3 million for 2013 (NSI data as of 01.10.2014) according to ESA 2010.

³ Data on *Other capital* are based on preliminary information from foreign direct investment enterprises on credits extended/received to/from nonresidents. The 2013 and 2014 data are subject to revisions with the quarterly and annual reports.

⁴ The 2013 and 2014 data include estimates of reinvested earnings of *banks*. Data on reinvested earnings of *non-financial enterprises* for 2013 will be presented with the January 2015 report.

TABLES

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTICAL PRESENTATION *

	Monthly figures			Cumulated figures November			
	Nov 13	Nov 14 (Euro mln.)	Change	2013	2014 (Euro mln.)	Change	2013 (% of GDP)
Current and Capital account (A + B)	47.6	188.2	140.6	1642.9	1192.0	-451.0	3.0%
A. Current Account¹	-38.7	-90.5	-51.8	1197.9	371.1	-826.8	0.9%
Goods: credit	2030.3	1967.2	-63.1	20675.2	20349.2	-326.0	50.6%
Goods: debit	-2215.6	-2134.0	81.5	-22747.1	-22841.5	-94.4	-56.7%
<i>Balance on Goods²</i>	<i>-185.3</i>	<i>-166.9</i>	<i>18.4</i>	<i>-2071.8</i>	<i>-2492.3</i>	<i>-420.5</i>	<i>-6.2%</i>
Services: credit	3150.0	3033.0	-11.7	5403.2	5929.0	525.7	14.7%
Transportation ³	80.4	78.5	-1.9	1164.2	1407.1	242.9	2.8%
Travel ⁴	113.9	117.3	3.4	2953.4	3004.2	50.8	7.2%
Other services	120.7	107.5	-13.3	1285.6	1517.7	232.0	3.1%
Services: debit	-266.2	-280.5	-14.3	-3171.7	-3471.5	-299.8	-7.7%
Transportation ³	-78.8	-67.6	11.3	-968.0	-907.0	60.9	-2.3%
Travel ⁴	-81.1	-88.2	-7.1	-1082.4	-1149.7	-67.3	-2.9%
Other services	-106.3	-124.8	-18.5	-1121.3	-1414.7	-293.4	-3.5%
<i>Balance on Services</i>	<i>48.8</i>	<i>22.8</i>	<i>-26.1</i>	<i>2231.5</i>	<i>2457.5</i>	<i>226.0</i>	<i>5.4%</i>
<i>Transportation, net</i>	<i>1.6</i>	<i>11.0</i>	<i>9.4</i>	<i>196.3</i>	<i>500.1</i>	<i>303.8</i>	<i>0.5%</i>
<i>Travel, net</i>	<i>32.9</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>-3.7</i>	<i>1871.0</i>	<i>1854.5</i>	<i>-16.5</i>	<i>4.6%</i>
<i>Other services, net</i>	<i>14.4</i>	<i>-17.3</i>	<i>-31.7</i>	<i>164.3</i>	<i>102.9</i>	<i>-61.4</i>	<i>0.3%</i>
<i>Balance on goods and services</i>	<i>-136.4</i>	<i>-144.1</i>	<i>-7.6</i>	<i>159.7</i>	<i>-34.8</i>	<i>-194.5</i>	<i>-0.1%</i>
Income: credit	68.0	61.0	-7.0	793.1	848.9	55.8	1.9%
Compensation of employees: credit ⁵	31.1	32.1	1.0	385.7	416.9	31.3	0.9%
Other investment income: credit	36.9	28.9	-8.0	407.5	432.0	24.5	1.1%
Income: debit	-97.3	-78.9	18.4	-2011.3	-1976.8	34.5	-4.9%
Compensation of employees: debit	-0.7	-0.8	-0.1	-8.2	-10.5	-2.3	0.0%
Other investment income: debit	-96.6	-78.1	18.5	-2003.1	-1966.3	36.8	-4.9%
<i>Balance on Income</i>	<i>-29.3</i>	<i>-17.9</i>	<i>11.4</i>	<i>-1218.2</i>	<i>-1127.9</i>	<i>90.2</i>	<i>-2.8%</i>
<i>Balance on goods, services and income</i>	<i>-165.8</i>	<i>-162.0</i>	<i>3.7</i>	<i>-1058.5</i>	<i>-1162.7</i>	<i>-104.3</i>	<i>-2.9%</i>
<i>Current transfers, net</i>	<i>127.0</i>	<i>71.5</i>	<i>-55.5</i>	<i>2256.4</i>	<i>1533.9</i>	<i>-722.5</i>	<i>3.8%</i>
Current transfers: credit	160.6	121.5	-39.1	2873.4	2115.2	-758.2	7.0%
Current transfers: debit	-33.6	-50.0	-16.4	-617.0	-581.3	35.7	-1.5%
B. Capital Account^{1, 6, 7}	86.3	278.7	192.3	445.0	820.8	375.8	2.0%
Capital transfers, net	97.8	270.6	172.8	508.2	820.8	312.6	2.0%
<i>Total, Groups A Plus B</i>	<i>47.6</i>	<i>188.2</i>	<i>140.6</i>	<i>1642.9</i>	<i>1192.0</i>	<i>-451.0</i>	<i>3.0%</i>
C. Financial Account^{1, 6}	-124.3	687.8	812.1	-1961.5	1359.7	3321.1	3.4%
<i>Direct investment, net⁸</i>	<i>221.6</i>	<i>408.5</i>	<i>186.9</i>	<i>1396.8</i>	<i>1073.5</i>	<i>-323.3</i>	<i>2.7%</i>
Direct investment abroad	-13.1	-8.1	5.0	-148.3	-150.6	-2.3	-0.4%
Direct investment in reporting economy ⁹	234.7	416.6	181.9	1545.1	1224.2	-321.0	3.8%

	Monthly figures				Cumulated figures November			
	Nov 13	Nov 14	Change		2013	2014	Change	2013
	(Euro mln.)	(Euro mln.)			(Euro mln.)	(Euro mln.)	(% of GDP)	(% of GDP)
Mergers and acquisitions ¹⁰	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
<i>Portfolio investment, net</i> ¹	941.9	67.6	-874.4		-30.8	1335.6	1366.4	3.3%
Portfolio investment assets ¹¹	73.8	-23.0	-96.8		-529.0	-209.4	319.5	-0.5%
Portfolio investment liabilities	868.1	90.5	-777.6		498.2	1545.0	1046.9	3.8%
Financial derivatives, net	-3.3	-0.2	3.1		-119.3	-29.1	90.2	-0.1%
<i>Other investment, net</i> ^{12, 13}	-1284.6	212.0	1496.6		-3208.2	-1020.4	2187.8	-2.5%
Other investment assets	-628.0	475.1	1103.1		-2283.5	-753.9	1529.6	-1.9%
Other investment liabilities ¹⁴	-656.5	-263.1	393.4		-924.8	-266.5	658.2	-0.7%
<i>Total, Groups A Through C</i>	-76.7	876.0	952.7		-318.5	2551.6	2870.1	6.3%
D. Net Errors and Omissions	-8.3	-413.0	-404.7		-477.8	-1054.5	-576.7	-2.6%
OVERALL BALANCE	-85.0	463.0	548.0		-796.3	1497.1	2293.4	3.7%
E. Reserves and Related Items	85.0	-463.0	-548.0		796.3	-1497.1	-2293.4	-3.7%
BNB Forex Reserves ¹⁵	85.0	-463.0	-548.0		796.3	-1497.1	-2293.4	-3.7%
Use of Fund credit, net	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Exceptional financing, net	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%

* Analytic presentation in accordance with IMF 5-th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data. In accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments. International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.

² For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system INTRASTAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries. The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.

³ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.

⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.

⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.

⁶ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).

⁷ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.

⁸ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.

⁹ On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial credits received from non-residents.

¹⁰ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹¹ Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.

¹² Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds' data.

¹³ Data on net change of trade credits-assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁴ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁵ Data source for *Other sectors*: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.

¹⁶ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁷ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁸ Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(monthly data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (mln EUR)	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb. 14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Cumulated figures Nov 2013 2014		Twelve-month cumulated figures ending 30.XI.2013 30.XI.2014	
Current account ¹	-38.7	-349.7	-434.9	-140.8	276.2	-316.6	-52.3	278.7	483.9	408.5	40.8	-81.8	-90.5	1197.9	3711.1	738.1	21.4
Goods, credit (FOB)	2030.3	1596.2	1564.2	1650.1	1633.8	1763.1	1790.1	1899.6	2052.1	1946.2	2006.7	2066.2	1967.2	20675.2	20349.2	22214.1	21945.4
Goods, debit (FOB)	-2215.6	-1954.4	-1934.7	-1862.4	-1932.7	-2107.2	-2021.9	-2033.9	-2138.3	-2105.2	-2288.2	-2283.0	-2134.0	-20747.1	-22841.5	-24608.0	-24795.8
Trade Balance ²	-185.3	-358.1	-350.5	-212.4	-298.9	-344.1	-231.8	-144.3	-86.2	-159.0	-281.5	-216.8	-166.9	-2071.8	-2492.3	-2393.9	-2850.4
Services, credit	315.0	336.6	320.2	330.5	323.2	367.6	457.8	723.6	1022.6	1017.1	670.7	392.4	303.3	5403.2	5929.0	5688.7	6265.6
Transportation ³	80.4	68.0	79.6	81.0	83.4	92.3	111.1	181.6	228.8	210.2	159.7	101.0	78.5	1164.2	1407.1	1223.2	1475.1
Travel ⁴	113.9	105.1	118.6	101.3	105.4	124.8	212.7	410.9	644.9	634.1	361.2	172.8	117.3	2953.4	3004.2	3053.4	3109.2
Other services	120.7	163.5	122.1	148.1	134.4	150.5	134.1	131.0	148.8	172.8	149.8	118.6	107.5	1285.6	1517.7	1412.2	1681.2
Services, debit	-266.2	-304.8	-282.6	-261.3	-286.0	-314.2	-318.9	-330.4	-384.8	-366.3	-349.2	-297.2	-280.5	-3171.7	-3471.5	-3434.3	-3776.2
Transportation ³	-78.8	-72.3	-76.1	-70.7	-67.7	-74.1	-84.9	-81.6	-92.9	-107.4	-97.7	-86.3	-67.6	-968.0	-907.0	-1045.6	-979.3
Travel ⁴	-81.1	-68.0	-73.3	-74.3	-94.3	-96.2	-122.5	-113.9	-128.1	-140.4	-129.0	-89.7	-88.2	-1082.4	-1149.7	-1146.4	-1217.7
Other services	-106.3	-164.6	-133.2	-116.3	-123.9	-143.9	-111.5	-134.9	-163.8	-118.5	-122.6	-121.2	-124.8	-1121.3	-1414.7	-1242.3	-1579.3
Services, net	48.8	31.8	37.6	69.2	37.3	53.4	138.9	393.1	637.8	650.7	321.5	95.2	22.8	2231.5	2457.5	2254.4	2489.3
Goods and services, net	-136.4	-326.3	-312.9	-143.2	-261.7	-290.8	-92.8	248.8	551.7	491.8	40.0	-121.6	-144.1	159.7	-34.8	-139.4	-361.1
Income, credit	68.0	65.9	58.0	60.5	71.4	77.0	104.9	87.3	83.2	76.6	86.4	82.7	61.0	793.1	848.9	846.9	914.9
Compensation of employees ⁵	31.1	21.1	18.6	25.2	33.1	41.9	46.8	44.4	46.0	41.5	45.5	42.0	32.1	385.7	416.9	403.6	438.1
Investment income	36.9	44.8	39.4	35.3	38.3	35.1	58.1	43.0	37.2	35.2	40.9	40.7	28.9	407.5	432.0	443.3	476.8
Direct investment	2.8	2.5	1.4	1.6	3.0	2.0	3.0	4.9	3.6	2.4	5.2	2.3	2.7	18.0	32.1	16.7	34.6
Portfolio investment	26.9	29.2	29.7	26.3	27.7	26.3	47.8	26.1	26.6	26.0	27.1	26.1	19.6	315.0	309.2	339.4	338.5
Other investment	7.3	13.1	8.3	7.4	7.6	6.8	7.2	12.0	7.1	6.8	8.5	12.3	6.6	74.4	90.6	87.1	103.7
Income, debit	-97.3	-216.0	-213.1	-111.5	-180.1	-229.4	-143.3	-222.4	-235.9	-287.9	-141.3	-132.9	-78.9	-2011.3	-1976.8	-2471.3	-2192.8
Compensation of employees	-0.7	-1.9	-0.6	-0.7	-0.6	-0.9	-0.7	-1.8	-1.1	-0.7	-0.8	-1.7	-0.8	-8.2	-10.5	-10.6	-12.4
Investment income	-96.6	-214.1	-212.5	-110.8	-179.5	-228.5	-142.6	-220.6	-234.8	-287.2	-140.5	-131.2	-78.1	-2003.1	-1966.3	-2480.7	-2180.4
Direct investment	-65.7	-145.5	-155.3	-73.2	-128.8	-188.6	-89.9	-153.2	-158.7	-235.5	-88.3	-120.6	-60.0	-1528.1	-1452.0	-1913.9	-1597.5
Portfolio investment	-0.1	-0.1	-14.7	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-38.2	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-82.4	-55.0	-82.5	-55.2
Other investment	-30.8	-68.5	-42.5	-37.4	-50.6	-39.6	-52.4	-67.2	-37.9	-51.5	-52.0	-10.3	-17.8	-392.7	-459.3	-464.3	-527.8
Income, net	-29.3	-150.1	-155.2	-51.0	-108.7	-152.4	-38.4	-135.1	-152.7	-211.3	-54.9	-50.2	-17.9	-1218.2	-1127.9	-1624.4	-1278.0
Goods, services and income, net	-165.8	-476.4	-468.1	-194.2	-370.4	-443.2	-131.3	113.8	398.9	280.4	-14.9	-171.8	-162.0	-1058.5	-1162.7	-1763.9	-1639.1
Current transfers, net	127.0	126.7	33.2	53.4	646.6	126.6	78.9	164.9	84.9	128.1	55.7	90.0	71.5	2256.4	1533.9	2502.0	1660.6
Current transfers, credit	160.6	198.8	95.3	162.2	698.2	175.1	127.8	217.5	129.2	170.8	95.7	121.9	121.5	2873.4	2115.2	3177.5	2314.0
Current transfers, debit	-33.6	-72.1	-62.0	-108.8	-51.6	-48.5	-48.9	-52.6	-44.3	-42.7	-40.0	-31.9	-50.0	-617.0	-581.3	-675.6	-653.4
Capital account ^{1,6,7}	86.3	22.6	-12.6	108.5	29.4	-5.1	73.0	132.0	106.2	60.7	36.4	13.7	278.7	445.0	820.8	675.5	843.4
Capital transfers, net	97.8	26.2	-8.3	112.6	46.5	-1.6	69.3	129.5	100.0	59.6	31.0	11.8	270.6	508.2	820.8	744.5	847.0
Current and Capital account	47.6	-327.1	-447.5	-32.3	305.6	-321.6	20.6	410.7	590.1	469.2	77.1	-68.2	188.2	1642.9	1192.0	1413.6	864.9
Financial account ^{1,6}	-124.3	485.1	-241.3	-63.1	260.8	103.2	-511.1	667.0	678.7	-205.2	-89.3	72.1	687.8	-1961.5	1359.7	-1438.4	1044.7
Direct investment	221.6	-302.5	94.1	142.9	227.6	10.0	-34.6	10.2	73.8	257.8	-332.5	215.7	408.5	1396.8	1073.5	1119.3	771.0
Abroad	-13.1	-32.5	-19.1	-7.2	-18.0	-20.9	-33.9	-11.8	-5.2	-17.4	-4.9	-4.2	-8.1	-148.3	-150.6	-152.8	-183.1
Equity capital	-4.0	-19.1	-5.2	-2.3	-7.9	-22.0	-30.0	-8.6	-2.4	-18.1	-4.1	-2.8	-2.1	-90.7	-105.5	-98.2	-124.5
Reinvested earnings	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	5.2	0.0
Other capital	-9.1	-13.4	-13.9	-4.9	-10.1	-1.0	-3.9	-3.2	-2.8	0.7	-0.8	-1.3	-6.0	-59.4	-45.2	-59.8	-58.6
In the reporting economy ⁸	234.7	-270.0	113.2	150.0	245.6	30.9	-0.7	22.0	78.9	275.2	-327.6	219.9	416.6	1545.1	1224.2	1272.1	954.2
Equity capital	35.1	217.7	2.2	51.1	47.1	-16.8	-59.1	75.1	99.1	153.3	34.8	17.0	38.0	861.1	441.8	1000.0	659.6
Reinvested earnings	10.1	10.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.0	13.0	12.8	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	93.4	157.4	167.5	52.4
Other capital ⁹	189.5	-497.8	96.9	84.9	184.5	34.7	45.3	-65.9	-35.4	106.6	-377.7	187.6	363.3	590.6	624.9	219.7	127.1
Mergers and acquisitions, net ¹⁰	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Portfolio investment, net ¹¹	941.9	-97.7	17.2	-197.2	18.5	-80.1	3.3	104.0	1397.4	34.4	80.4	-109.8	67.6	-30.8	1335.6	-90.3	1237.9
Portfolio investment, assets	73.8	-113.7	47.9	-187.1	-16.5	-71.9	60.0	63.7	108.1	-6.4	33.9	-218.1	-23.0	-529.0	-209.4	-614.1	-323.1
Equity securities	22.6	-28.8	-31.5	-78.8	-20.4	1.4	-50.9	-60.9	-16.9	-21.8	-6.5	-49.3	7.4	-100.2	-328.1	-103.3	-357.0
Debt securities	51.2	-84.8	79.4	-108.3	3.9	-73.3	110.9	124.6	124.9	15.4	40.4	-168.7	-30.4	-428.8	118.7	-510.8	33.9
Portfolio investment, liabilities	868.1	15.9	-30.7	-10.0	35.0	-8.1	-56.7	40.3	1289.3	40.8	46.5	108.3	90.5	498.2	1545.0	523.9	1561.0

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(monthly data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (mln EUR)	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb. 14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Cumulated figures Nov 2013 2014		Twelve-month cumulated figures ending 30.XI.2013 30.XI.2014	
Equity securities	-1.3	0.6	-43.5	-1.9	-4.5	0.1	2.9	-1.2	1.9	-2.0	-2.1	-4.8	-1.0	4.7	-55.9	24.0	-66.7
Debt securities	869.4	15.3	12.7	-8.2	39.5	-8.3	-59.7	41.6	1287.4	42.8	48.6	113.0	91.6	-346.6	1601.0	311.9	892.4
Financial derivatives, net	-3.3	-0.1	-0.3	-1.4	-0.8	-1.2	-0.5	-0.9	-0.8	-1.7	-17.9	-3.4	-0.2	-119.3	-28.1	-124.2	-29.2
Other investment, net	-1284.6	885.4	-352.2	-7.4	15.4	174.5	-479.4	553.6	-791.6	-495.6	180.7	-30.4	212.0	-3208.2	-1020.4	-2343.3	-135.0
Other investment, assets	-628.0	337.0	-307.9	-59.2	-79.4	315.9	-470.6	467.5	-579.3	-450.9	-80.3	15.1	475.1	-2283.5	-753.9	-1612.3	-416.9
Trade credits ¹²	36.5	36.3	-11.4	-11.4	-11.4	-8.0	-8.0	-8.0	7.2	7.1	7.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	-36.8	19.8	-0.5
Loans	-101.1	-104.2	-57.1	-38.5	15.3	-14.5	-55.8	-1.7	-100.1	-31.3	-56.7	-64.3	-12.3	-356.5	-417.0	-367.7	-521.2
Currency and deposits ¹³	-512.2	412.0	-234.9	8.1	-76.4	331.1	-411.8	590.6	-564.8	-441.9	-28.6	71.2	496.4	-1755.9	-261.0	-1069.0	151.0
Other assets	-51.2	-7.1	-4.5	-17.5	-6.9	7.3	5.1	-113.4	78.4	15.1	-2.0	8.2	-9.0	-175.7	-39.1	-195.4	-46.2
Other investment, liabilities	-656.5	548.4	-44.4	51.8	94.8	-141.4	-8.8	86.1	-212.4	-44.7	261.0	-45.5	-263.1	-924.8	-266.5	-731.0	281.9
Trade credits ¹⁴	4.0	4.0	20.4	20.4	20.4	-49.0	-49.4	-49.9	17.0	17.3	18.0	0.0	0.0	280.1	-34.9	289.7	-30.9
Loans	-650.8	486.1	58.5	37.9	-52.8	-11.3	57.8	-156.8	-9.5	-150.1	-2.1	44.7	125.8	-479.7	-57.8	-358.7	428.3
Currency and deposits	-8.8	-31.2	-168.9	-2.9	73.9	-99.5	-6.5	233.4	-160.5	-26.8	182.8	21.5	-396.8	-745.1	-350.3	-725.3	-381.5
Other liabilities	-0.9	89.5	45.7	-3.7	53.3	18.4	-10.7	59.3	-59.4	114.9	62.3	-111.7	8.0	40.0	176.5	83.4	266.0
Current, Capital and Financial Account	-76.7	158.0	-688.8	-95.4	566.4	-218.4	-490.4	1077.7	1268.8	264.0	-12.2	3.9	876.0	-318.5	2551.6	-24.8	2709.6
Net errors and omissions	-8.3	39.1	61.4	-229.4	-167.5	328.1	256.7	-626.1	-471.8	-84.4	246.8	44.7	-413.0	-477.8	-1054.5	-215.1	-1015.4
OVERAL BALANCE	-85.0	197.1	-627.4	-324.8	398.9	109.7	-233.7	451.6	797.0	179.6	234.7	48.7	463.0	-796.3	1497.1	-239.9	1694.2
Reserves and related items	85.0	-197.1	627.4	324.8	-398.9	-109.7	233.7	-451.6	-797.0	-179.6	-234.7	-48.7	-463.0	796.3	-1497.1	239.9	-1694.2
Official reserve assets ¹⁵	85.0	-197.1	627.4	324.8	-398.9	-109.7	233.7	-451.6	-797.0	-179.6	-234.7	-48.7	-463.0	796.3	-1497.1	239.9	-1694.2
Use of fund credits and loans, net	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Exceptional financing transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

* Analytic presentation in accordance with IMF 5-th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data. In accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.

² For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system INTRASTAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries.

³ The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.

⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.

⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.

⁶ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).

⁷ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.

⁸ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.

⁹ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.

¹⁰ On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial credits received from non-residents.

¹¹ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹² Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.

¹³ Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds data.

¹⁴ Data on net change of trade credits-assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁵ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁶ Data source for *Other sectors*: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.

¹⁷ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁸ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁹ Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA
ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(Quarterly data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (mln EUR)	2012			2013			2014			Change 2013/2012			Change 2014/2013		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Current account¹	-466.8	-312.0	889.9	-569.0	-458.0	-368.9	573.4	1078.9	-435.2	848.2	-299.5	-90.2	933.2	133.8	1306.2
Goods, credit (FOB)	4620.4	5257.0	5549.7	5343.1	20770.2	5216.3	5426.4	5976.2	5652.6	22271.4	4868.0	5442.8	6005.1	309.5	1501.3
Goods, debit (FOB)	-9507.8	-9466.1	-6076.5	-6180.1	-24230.4	-9677.5	-8231.2	-6409.3	-6383.5	-24701.4	-5729.8	-6163.0	-6531.7	-203.4	-471.0
Trade Balance ²	-887.3	-1209.2	-526.8	-936.9	-3460.3	-461.2	-804.7	-433.1	-730.9	-2430.0	-861.8	-720.2	-526.6	106.0	1030.3
Services, credit	849.3	1423.7	2437.0	984.9	5694.9	862.0	1354.2	2482.9	1040.7	5739.8	973.9	1549.0	2710.4	55.8	44.9
Transportation ³	207.2	277.0	443.4	211.1	1138.6	206.8	305.3	483.7	238.1	1232.2	243.9	384.9	598.7	27.0	93.6
Travel ⁴	297.5	668.8	1590.0	370.2	2916.6	316.5	715.4	1636.2	390.3	3058.4	325.3	748.5	1640.2	20.1	141.9
Other services	344.6	477.9	413.7	403.5	1639.7	338.7	335.3	363.0	412.2	1449.2	404.6	415.6	471.4	8.7	-190.6
Services, debit	-771.3	-860.0	-984.5	-810.3	-3426.2	-749.6	-871.9	-986.4	-858.6	-3476.5	-823.9	-963.5	-1100.4	-48.3	-69.9
Transportation ³	-233.3	-272.6	-297.5	-256.4	-1059.8	-242.2	-256.9	-298.2	-241.0	-1040.2	-214.6	-240.6	-298.1	13.7	15.5
Travel ⁴	-198.4	-262.8	-331.1	-223.5	-1015.7	-300.9	-380.8	-320.4	-241.4	-1150.4	-241.9	-332.6	-397.4	-49.7	-19.6
Other services	-339.6	-344.6	-336.0	-330.4	-1350.6	-280.1	-312.1	-317.5	-376.2	-1285.9	-373.4	-390.4	-404.9	18.5	64.7
Services, net	78.1	543.7	1472.5	174.6	2268.8	112.4	482.4	1486.5	182.1	2263.4	144.0	585.5	1610.0	7.5	-5.4
Goods and services, net	-809.3	-665.5	945.7	-662.4	-1191.5	-348.8	-322.4	1053.4	-548.8	-166.6	-717.8	-134.7	1083.4	113.5	1024.9
Income, credit	156.1	180.6	204.7	173.8	715.2	162.1	243.8	240.0	213.3	859.1	189.8	269.2	246.2	39.5	143.9
Compensation of employees ⁵	55.3	93.6	98.9	79.9	327.7	64.1	124.7	124.8	93.3	406.8	76.9	133.0	133.0	25.9	31.1
Investment income	100.7	87.0	105.8	93.9	387.5	98.0	119.1	116.2	120.0	452.3	113.0	136.1	113.2	9.3	32.1
Portfolio investment	16.1	-1.2	15.6	-6.1	24.4	-3.1	10.1	4.9	8.6	20.6	5.9	9.9	11.2	-10.7	-3.8
Other investment	65.5	68.5	73.1	74.8	281.9	78.8	89.8	90.8	84.9	344.3	83.7	100.2	79.6	17.7	10.1
Income, debit	-417.0	-415.4	-646.3	-568.1	-2046.8	-500.5	-528.7	-726.6	-471.5	-2227.3	-504.7	-595.1	-665.2	2.3	6.3
Compensation of employees	-4.2	-4.2	-4.1	-3.9	-16.4	-2.4	-2.0	-2.1	-3.6	-10.1	-1.9	-3.5	-2.6	2.0	0.3
Investment income	-412.9	-411.2	-642.2	-564.2	-2030.4	-498.1	-526.7	-724.5	-467.9	-2217.2	-502.8	-591.6	-662.6	96.2	96.2
Portfolio investment	-246.8	-277.9	-513.7	-426.0	-1464.5	-353.1	-405.8	-570.8	-343.8	-1673.5	-357.3	-431.6	-482.5	82.2	-209.1
Other investment	-124.9	-133.0	-108.5	-137.9	-504.3	-103.3	-120.6	-113.6	-123.7	-461.2	-130.5	-159.3	-141.3	14.2	43.1
Income, net	-261.0	-234.7	-441.6	-394.3	-1331.7	-338.4	-284.9	-486.6	-258.3	-1368.2	-314.9	-325.9	-418.9	136.0	-36.6
Goods, services and income, net	-1070.3	-900.2	504.1	-1056.7	-2523.1	-687.2	-607.3	566.8	-807.1	-1534.8	-1032.7	-460.7	664.5	249.6	988.3
Current transfers, net	603.4	588.2	385.8	487.7	2065.2	318.4	1180.7	512.1	371.9	2383.1	733.2	520.4	268.7	-115.8	317.9
Current transfers, credit	828.4	722.7	505.8	661.6	2718.5	681.4	1331.4	681.4	511.6	3072.2	953.7	570.4	395.6	-150.0	357.9
Current transfers, debit	-224.9	-134.5	-120.0	-173.9	-653.3	-229.5	-150.7	-169.3	-139.7	-689.1	-222.5	-150.0	-127.0	34.2	-35.8
Capital account^{1&7}	11.6	44.6	355.2	330.1	551.4	16.5	124.5	166.2	160.5	467.6	125.3	199.9	203.2	-169.6	-83.8
Capital transfers, net	16.5	42.0	149.1	321.1	528.7	-3.7	137.0	215.4	185.8	534.4	150.7	197.1	190.6	-135.3	5.7
Current and Capital account	-455.3	-267.5	1055.1	-238.9	93.5	-352.4	697.9	1245.1	-274.7	1315.9	-174.2	109.7	1136.4	-35.8	1222.4
Financial account^{1&6}	-122.8	299.6	518.8	559.0	1254.6	-896.5	8.3	-363.4	-224.8	-1476.4	-43.6	259.1	384.2	-783.9	-2731.0
Direct investment	525.1	261.5	404.5	-319.7	871.5	389.4	395.2	418.8	-109.0	1094.3	464.6	-14.3	-0.9	210.6	222.8
Abroad	-29.6	-75.3	-34.1	-131.1	-270.2	-16.1	-46.3	-52.9	-65.5	-180.8	-44.3	-66.6	-27.5	-23.3	22.8
Equity capital	-24.4	-46.4	-14.5	-132.3	-217.6	-14.6	-30.6	-33.7	-30.9	-109.8	-15.5	-60.5	-24.5	101.4	89.4
Reinvested earnings	-12.3	14.6	-11.7	10.4	1.0	8.9	-5.1	2.1	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	-10.4	0.7
Other capital	7.1	-43.5	-7.9	-9.3	-53.6	-10.4	-10.6	-17.1	-34.7	-72.8	-25.8	-6.0	-3.0	-25.4	-19.1
In the reporting economy ⁸	554.7	336.8	438.6	-188.5	1141.7	405.5	441.5	471.7	-43.5	1275.1	508.9	52.2	26.6	133.5	103.4
Equity capital	194.1	222.2	238.5	400.6	1095.5	251.4	320.3	194.1	313.1	1078.8	100.3	-0.7	287.2	87.5	23.4
Reinvested earnings	-77.3	-81.7	-35.1	-122.9	-367.1	26.4	13.4	33.5	30.2	108.8	42.2	38.8	45.8	153.1	470.6
Other capital ⁹	437.9	196.4	285.2	-466.2	453.3	127.7	107.8	244.1	-386.8	92.8	366.3	14.1	-306.4	79.5	-360.5
Mergers and acquisitions, net ¹⁰	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Portfolio investment, net	-370.2	-56.8	735.8	-1195.5	-866.7	-576.5	-205.7	-126.2	779.8	-128.5	-161.5	27.3	1512.1	1975.4	758.2
Portfolio investment, assets ¹¹	-301.1	-10.9	76.8	-1214.3	-1449.5	-255.8	-184.4	-95.3	-107.1	-642.6	-155.7	51.8	135.6	1107.2	806.9
Debt securities	19.0	-3.2	-10.0	-135.4	-27.6	-59.1	-14.3	-29.9	-25.8	-129.0	-130.7	-110.5	-45.1	7.6	-101.5
Portfolio investment, liabilities	-320.1	-7.7	86.8	-180.9	-1421.9	-196.8	-170.2	-65.4	-81.3	-513.6	-25.1	162.2	180.7	1099.7	908.4
Equity securities	-69.1	-46.0	659.0	18.8	962.7	-320.7	-21.2	-30.9	866.9	514.1	-5.8	-24.5	1376.5	868.1	246.1
Debt securities	1.8	-18.0	0.8	18.5	3.1	6.7	-2.0	-14.0	-49.8	-14.0	-4.9	16.0	-14.9	-23.2	-17.1
Financial derivatives, net	-71.0	-28.0	658.2	0.3	559.6	-327.4	-19.2	-16.9	891.6	528.1	44.0	-26.3	1378.7	891.3	-31.5
Other investment, net	-271.7	100.5	-614.4	2088.7	1303.2	-700.5	-89.9	-645.6	-886.9	-322.8	-344.2	248.8	-1106.5	-2975.7	-3626.0
Other investment, assets	-401.8	-258.2	12.8	1082.2	435.0	-952.3	9.4	-492.4	-595.2	-1110.5	-446.5	312.9	-505.2	-1593.4	-2801.5
Trade credits ¹²	-189.4	-49.6	18.6	45.6	-174.7	-36.7	21.4	-53.0	109.2	40.9	-34.2	-24.0	21.4	63.6	215.7
Loans	-65.4	13.5	-20.8	-34.6	-107.3	-167.8	-143.7	46.1	-195.4	-480.7	-80.3	-72.0	-188.1	-160.8	-353.5

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(Quarterly data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (min EUR)	2012				2013				2014				Change 2013/2012				Change 2014/2013			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Currency and deposits ¹³	-110.7	-184.4	22.9	1137.7	865.5	-640.7	122.1	-458.4	-366.9	-1343.9	-303.1	509.8	-1035.3	-530.0	306.5	-481.3	306.5	-481.3	-1504.6	-2209.4
Other assets	-36.4	-37.7	-7.9	-66.5	-148.5	-107.1	9.5	-27.1	-58.1	-182.8	-28.9	-101.0	91.6	-70.8	47.2	-19.2	47.2	-19.2	8.4	-34.3
Other investment, liabilities	130.1	358.7	-627.1	1006.5	868.2	251.8	-99.2	-153.1	-375.8	-376.3	102.2	-64.1	3.9	121.6	-457.9	474.0	121.6	-457.9	-1382.3	-1244.5
Trade credits ¹⁴	-18.9	154.1	-210.5	28.9	-46.4	108.1	79.9	66.0	12.0	264.0	61.2	-148.3	52.3	125.1	-74.2	276.5	125.1	-74.2	-16.9	310.4
Loans	174.4	84.3	-174.7	685.1	869.1	422.6	-63.4	-61.4	-291.5	6.4	43.7	-110.3	-161.8	248.2	-147.7	15.3	248.2	-147.7	-976.6	-302.8
Currency and deposits	45.6	70.8	-310.2	282.2	-2.8	-344.5	-186.2	-152.9	-92.7	-776.3	-97.9	127.5	-4.5	-288.9	-237.0	157.3	-288.9	-237.0	-374.9	-773.5
Other liabilities	20.2	49.5	-31.7	10.3	48.2	67.6	70.5	-4.9	-3.6	129.5	95.3	67.0	117.9	47.3	21.0	26.8	47.3	21.0	-13.8	61.3
Current, Capital and Financial Account	-578.1	32.1	1573.9	320.2	1348.1	-1248.9	706.2	881.8	-499.5	-160.5	-217.8	368.8	-819.7	-670.8	674.0	-692.1	-670.8	674.0	-819.7	-1508.6
Net errors and omissions	402.4	606.8	-90.9	-105.5	812.9	204.1	-179.1	-612.6	149.0	-438.7	-335.5	-41.3	-309.4	-198.4	-795.9	-521.8	-198.4	-795.9	254.5	-1251.5
OVERALL BALANCE	-175.6	639.0	1483.0	214.6	2161.0	-1044.8	527.1	269.1	-350.5	-599.2	-553.3	327.6	1211.3	-869.2	-111.9	-1213.8	-869.2	-111.9	-565.1	-2760.2
Reserves and related items	175.6	-639.0	-1483.0	-214.6	-2161.0	1044.8	-527.1	-269.1	350.5	599.2	553.3	-327.6	-1211.3	869.2	111.9	1213.8	869.2	111.9	565.1	2760.2
Official reserve assets ¹⁵	175.6	-639.0	-1483.0	-214.6	-2161.0	1044.8	-527.1	-269.1	350.5	599.2	553.3	-327.6	-1211.3	869.2	111.9	1213.8	869.2	111.9	565.1	2760.2
Use of fund credits and loans, net	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Exceptional financing transactions	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

* Analytic presentation in accordance with IMF 5th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data. In accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balances of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.

² For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system NTPAS/STAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries.

³ The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.

⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.

⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.

⁶ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.

⁷ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).

⁸ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.

⁹ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.

¹⁰ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.

¹¹ On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial credits received from non-residents.

¹² Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹³ Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.

¹⁴ Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds' data.

¹⁵ Data on net change of trade credits/assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁶ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁷ Data source for *Other sectors*: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.

¹⁸ Data on net change of trade credits/liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁹ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

²⁰ Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, charges associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(Annual data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (min EUR)	Change																		
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2005/2004	2006/2005	2007/2006	2008/2007	2009/2008	2010/2009	2011/2010	2012/2011	2013/2012
Current account ¹	-1306.9	-2705.7	-4647.8	-7755.2	-8182.5	-3116.2	-533.1	33.2	-458.0	848.2	-1398.8	-1942.1	-3107.5	-427.2	5066.3	2583.1	566.3	-491.2	1306.2
Goods credit (FOB)	7984.9	9466.3	12011.9	13511.9	15204.0	11699.2	15561.2	20264.3	20770.2	22271.4	1481.5	2545.5	1500.0	1692.1	-3504.8	3862.0	4703.1	505.9	1501.3
Goods, debit (FOB)	-10938.4	-13876.1	-17574.1	-20757.2	-23801.7	-15873.1	-18324.8	-22420.4	-24230.4	-24701.4	-2937.7	-3698.0	-3183.1	-3044.5	7928.6	-2451.7	-4095.6	-1810.0	-471.0
Trade Balance ²	-2953.5	-4409.7	-5562.3	-7245.3	-8597.7	-4173.9	-2763.7	-2156.1	-3460.3	-2430.0	-1456.2	-1152.5	-1683.1	-1352.4	4423.8	1410.2	607.6	-1304.2	1030.3
Services, credit	3262.1	3564.1	4186.8	4760.0	5355.4	4916.3	5011.5	5354.0	5694.9	5739.8	302.1	622.7	573.2	595.4	-439.1	95.2	342.5	341.0	44.9
Transportation ³	825.5	964.7	1260.3	1105.6	1210.6	1007.6	986.5	1112.2	1138.6	1232.2	139.2	295.6	-154.7	105.0	-202.9	-21.2	125.7	26.4	93.6
Travel ⁴	1788.6	1955.7	2063.8	2593.8	2873.8	2881.2	2747.1	2862.4	2916.6	3058.4	167.1	108.1	530.0	280.0	-192.7	66.0	105.3	64.2	141.9
Other services	648.0	643.7	862.7	1060.6	1271.0	1227.5	1277.9	1389.4	1639.7	1449.2	-4.3	219.0	197.9	210.4	-43.5	50.3	111.5	250.4	-190.6
Services, debit	-2605.8	-3245.2	-3263.8	-3586.5	-4045.7	-3616.5	-3143.7	-3038.5	-3426.2	-3476.5	-139.4	-518.6	-322.7	-469.3	427.8	472.8	105.2	-387.7	50.3
Transportation ³	-871.0	-882.4	-1043.2	-849.0	-987.2	-801.5	-699.0	-829.5	-1059.8	-1040.2	-11.4	-160.8	194.2	-138.2	185.7	102.5	-130.5	-230.3	19.6
Travel ⁴	-1098.9	-1053.4	-1174.4	-1303.0	-1566.6	-1258.7	-931.2	-958.7	-1015.7	-1150.4	45.5	-120.9	-128.7	-263.6	307.9	327.5	-27.5	-57.0	-134.6
Other services	-635.9	-809.4	-1046.2	-1434.4	-1491.9	-1556.2	-1513.4	-1250.2	-1350.6	-1285.9	-173.5	-236.8	-388.2	-57.5	-64.3	42.8	263.2	-100.4	64.7
Services, net	656.3	818.9	923.0	1173.5	1309.6	1299.9	1867.8	2315.5	2268.8	2263.4	162.6	104.1	250.5	136.1	-9.8	567.9	447.7	-46.7	-5.4
Goods and services, net	-2297.2	-3590.8	-4639.2	-6071.8	-7288.1	-2874.0	-895.9	159.4	-1191.5	-166.6	-1293.6	-1048.4	-1432.6	-1216.3	4414.0	1978.2	1055.3	-1350.9	1024.9
Income, credit	1238.3	1218.4	1264.1	828.1	985.7	804.3	617.6	616.5	715.2	859.1	-19.9	45.7	-436.0	157.5	-181.4	-186.6	-1.1	98.7	143.9
Compensation of employees ⁵	1035.6	925.6	1030.7	551.3	604.2	425.7	290.1	291.8	327.7	406.8	-110.0	105.1	-479.4	52.9	-178.5	-135.5	1.7	35.9	79.1
Investment income	202.7	292.8	233.4	276.9	381.5	378.6	327.5	324.7	387.5	452.3	90.1	-59.4	43.4	104.6	-2.9	-51.1	-2.8	62.8	64.8
Direct investment	-1.8	-1.3	9.4	1.3	40.8	4.8	14.5	-14.6	24.4	20.6	0.4	10.7	-8.0	39.5	-36.0	10.7	0.3	39.0	-3.8
Portfolio investment	112.9	197.4	100.4	109.8	194.2	294.4	256.5	256.8	281.9	344.3	84.5	-97.1	9.4	84.4	100.2	-37.9	25.1	62.4	62.4
Other investment	91.6	96.7	123.7	165.7	146.5	79.4	56.6	82.5	81.2	87.5	5.1	27.0	42.0	-19.3	-67.0	-22.9	26.0	-1.4	6.3
Income, debit	-992.3	-1151.2	-1942.6	-3192.4	-2741.3	-2002.5	-1751.8	-2427.3	-2046.8	-2227.3	-158.9	-791.4	-1249.8	451.1	738.8	250.7	675.5	380.5	-180.5
Compensation of employees	-8.9	-11.2	-22.4	-47.9	-88.2	-63.8	-11.9	-12.4	-16.4	-10.1	-2.3	-11.2	-25.5	-40.3	24.4	51.9	-0.5	-4.0	6.3
Investment income	-983.4	-1140.0	-1920.2	-3144.4	-2653.1	-1938.7	-1739.9	-2414.9	-2030.4	-2217.2	-156.6	-780.2	-1224.2	491.3	714.4	198.8	-675.0	384.5	-186.8
Direct investment	-608.2	-741.8	-1473.1	-2559.6	-1848.9	-1311.8	-1208.3	-1803.9	-1464.5	-1673.5	-133.6	-731.3	-1086.5	710.7	537.1	103.5	-595.6	339.4	-209.1
Portfolio investment	-185.7	-172.4	-132.1	-125.8	-95.8	-73.4	-80.6	-76.5	-61.7	-82.5	13.3	-60.2	6.3	30.1	22.4	-7.3	4.1	14.8	-20.8
Other investment	-189.5	-225.8	-315.0	-459.0	-708.4	-553.6	-451.0	-534.5	-504.3	-461.2	-36.3	-89.2	-144.0	-249.4	154.9	102.6	-83.6	30.3	43.1
Income, net	246.0	67.2	-678.5	-2364.3	-1755.7	-1198.3	-1134.2	-1810.8	-1331.7	-1368.2	-178.8	-745.7	-1685.8	608.6	557.4	64.1	-676.6	479.2	-36.6
Goods, services and income, net	-2051.2	-3523.6	-5317.7	-8436.1	-9043.8	-4072.3	-2030.0	-1651.4	-2523.1	-1534.8	-1472.4	-1794.1	-3118.3	-607.7	4971.4	2042.3	378.6	-871.7	988.3
Current transfers, net	744.3	817.9	670.0	680.8	861.3	956.1	1496.9	1684.6	2065.2	2383.1	73.7	-148.0	10.9	180.4	94.8	540.9	187.7	380.6	317.9
Current transfers, credit	904.1	997.4	845.8	1254.6	1614.9	1582.7	2047.5	2238.0	2718.5	3072.2	93.4	-151.6	408.8	360.2	-52.2	484.8	190.4	480.6	353.7
Current transfers, debit	-159.8	-179.5	-175.8	-573.8	-753.6	-606.6	-550.6	-553.3	-653.3	-689.1	-19.7	3.7	-398.0	-179.8	147.0	56.0	-2.8	-100.0	-35.8
Capital account ^{1,6,7}	163.5	235.5	180.0	-587.3	277.4	477.1	290.9	503.6	551.4	467.6	72.0	-55.5	-767.3	864.8	199.7	-186.2	212.7	47.8	-83.8
Capital transfers, net	163.5	235.5	180.0	-587.3	277.4	478.7	256.3	471.2	528.7	534.4	72.0	-55.5	-767.3	864.8	201.3	-222.4	214.8	57.5	5.7
Current and Capital account	-1143.5	-2470.2	-4467.8	-8342.6	-7905.1	-2639.1	-242.2	536.8	93.5	1315.9	-1326.7	-1997.6	-3874.8	437.5	5266.0	2396.9	779.0	-443.4	1222.4
Financial account ^{1,6}	2294.9	3978.1	7084.6	13676.4	11463.3	1163.4	-673.1	-885.8	1254.6	-1476.4	1683.2	3106.5	6591.8	-2213.1	-10390.0	-1836.5	-212.6	2140.4	-2731.0
Direct investment	2252.1	3226.5	6080.7	8838.2	6205.7	2505.3	977.3	1212.7	871.5	1094.3	974.4	2854.2	2757.5	-2632.5	-3700.5	-1528.0	235.4	-341.2	222.8
Abroad	165.6	-249.1	-140.9	-206.2	-522.1	68.3	-173.9	-117.5	-270.2	-180.8	-414.7	108.2	-85.3	-315.9	590.5	-242.3	56.4	-152.7	89.4
Equity capital	-26.5	-52.8	-76.0	-202.5	-552.8	108.7	-116.2	-147.7	-217.6	-109.8	-26.2	-23.2	-126.5	-350.3	661.4	-224.9	-31.5	-69.9	107.8
Reinvested earnings	0.8	-5.3	7.6	-7.4	7.6	-13.7	8.2	37.7	1.0	1.7	-6.1	-2.1	15.0	-21.3	23.3	-1.4	29.5	-36.7	0.7
Other capital	191.3	-191.0	-57.5	-11.3	44.3	-49.9	-65.9	-7.5	-53.6	-72.8	-382.4	133.5	-382.4	55.7	-94.3	-16.0	58.4	-46.1	-19.1
In the reporting economy ⁸	2735.9	3152.1	6221.6	9051.8	6727.8	2436.9	1151.2	1330.2	1141.7	1275.1	416.2	3069.5	2830.2	-2323.9	-4290.9	-1265.7	179.0	-188.5	133.5
Equity capital	1831.9	1789.3	3234.1	4785.2	4109.8	1884.0	1604.7	1103.6	1055.5	1078.8	42.6	1444.8	1531.1	-655.3	-2225.9	-279.2	-501.1	-48.1	23.4
Reinvested earnings	441.4	408.7	957.5	1547.2	-183.5	-269.0	-445.7	-173.7	-367.1	103.4	-32.6	548.7	589.7	-1730.7	-85.5	-176.6	272.0	-193.4	470.6
Other capital ⁹	462.7	954.1	2030.0	2739.5	2801.5	822.0	-7.8	400.3	453.3	92.8	491.4	1076.0	709.4	62.0	-1979.5	-829.8	408.1	53.0	-360.5
Mergers and acquisitions, net ¹⁰	-649.5	323.5	0.0	-7.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	973.0	-323.5	-7.4	7.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Portfolio investment, net	-417.4	-1036.9	292.2	-518.4	-730.9	-619.1	-635.4	-357.4	-886.7	-128.5	-619.5	1329.1	-810.6	-212.6	111.9	-16.3	278.0	-529.4	758.2
Portfolio investment, assets ¹¹	18.2	17.8	-289.4	-129.3	-252.9	-623.5	-547.9	-47.5	-1449.5	-642.6	-0.4	-307.2	160.2	-123.7	-370.5	75.6	500.4	-1402.0	806.9
Equity securities	-5.8	-4.8	-100.0	-144.3	-12.6	-158.9	-159.6	86.7	-27.6	-129.0	1.0	-95.2	-44.4	131.7	-146.3	-0.7	246.3	-114.3	-101.5
Debt securities	24.0	22.6	-189.4	15.1	-240.3	-464.5	-388.3	-134.2	-1421.9	-513.6	-1.4	-212.0	204.5	-255.4	-224.2	76.3	254.1	-1287.7	908.4
Portfolio investment, liabilities	-435.6	-1054.6	581.6	-389.1	-478.0	4.4	-87.5	-309.9	562.7	514.1	-619.0	1636.3	-970.8	-86.9	482.4	-91.9	-222.4	872.6	-48.6
Equity securities	17.4	350.4	120.5	79.8	-72.8	3.8	7.8	-31.2	3.1	-14.0									

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION*
(Annual data)

ANALYTIC PRESENTATION* (mn EUR)	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Change								
Other investment, net	530.4	1878.8	824.3	5417.7	6032.0	-704.5	-990.3	-1675.8	1303.2	-2322.8	1348.4	-1054.4	4593.4	614.3	-6736.5	-285.8	-685.4	2979.0	-3626.0
Other investment, assets	-1366.7	-30.7	-2348.8	552.2	104.9	-632.3	-26.2	-708.3	435.0	-1946.5	1336.0	-2318.2	2901.0	-447.3	-737.2	606.1	-682.1	1143.3	-2381.5
Trade credits ¹²	-149.1	-29.0	-126.6	-134.8	-155.1	-121.1	-86.2	-93.6	-174.7	40.9	120.2	-97.6	-8.2	-20.2	34.9	-7.4	-81.1	215.7	-353.5
Loans	-46.3	61.9	-131.6	-153.1	-265.8	-1.9	-110.5	-70.6	-107.3	-460.7	-15.6	-69.7	-21.5	-112.8	263.9	-108.6	39.9	-36.6	-353.5
Currency and deposits ¹³	-610.0	-459.7	-2097.5	-0.8	322.0	-504.1	147.9	-484.8	865.5	-1343.9	150.2	-1637.8	2096.7	322.8	-826.1	652.0	-632.7	1350.3	-2209.4
Other assets	-561.3	520.0	6.9	840.9	203.8	-5.2	22.6	-59.3	-148.5	-182.8	1081.3	-513.1	834.0	-637.1	-209.0	27.9	-81.9	-89.2	-34.3
Other investment, liabilities	1897.0	1909.4	3173.1	4865.5	5927.1	-72.2	-964.1	-967.5	868.2	-376.3	12.4	1263.7	1692.4	1061.6	-5999.3	-892.0	-3.3	1835.7	-1244.5
Trade credits ¹⁴	87.6	225.2	322.8	258.3	172.3	23.2	-32.4	63.5	-46.4	264.0	137.6	97.6	-64.5	-86.1	-149.1	-55.6	95.8	-109.9	310.4
Loans	1315.6	1272.4	2313.0	2561.7	3714.8	525.1	-386.5	30.5	869.1	6.4	-43.2	1040.6	248.7	1153.1	-3189.7	-911.6	417.0	838.6	-862.8
Currency and deposits	514.0	364.8	514.1	2028.5	2047.4	-590.6	-642.0	-1117.9	-2.8	-776.3	-129.2	129.3	1514.5	18.9	-2638.0	-51.4	-475.9	1115.1	-773.5
Other liabilities	-20.2	27.0	23.3	17.0	-7.4	-29.9	96.7	56.4	48.2	129.5	47.2	-3.8	-6.3	-24.4	-22.6	126.7	-40.3	-8.2	81.3
Current, Capital and Financial Account	1151.4	1507.9	2616.8	5333.8	3558.3	-1475.7	-915.3	-349.0	1348.1	-160.5	356.5	1108.9	2717.0	-1775.5	-5034.0	560.4	566.4	1697.1	-1508.6
Net errors and omissions	263.2	-938.7	-831.2	-2170.1	-2884.1	825.9	531.4	507.6	812.9	-438.7	-1201.9	107.4	-1338.9	-714.0	3710.0	-294.5	-23.8	305.2	-1251.5
OVERALL BALANCE	1414.6	569.3	1785.6	3163.7	674.2	-649.8	-383.9	158.7	2161.0	-599.2	-845.3	1216.3	1378.1	-2489.5	-1324.0	265.9	542.6	2002.3	-2760.2
Reserves and related items	-1414.6	-569.3	-1785.6	-3163.7	-674.2	649.8	383.9	-158.7	-2161.0	599.2	845.3	-1216.3	-1378.1	2489.5	1324.0	-265.9	-542.6	-2002.3	2760.2
Official reserve assets ¹⁵	-1493.4	-324.3	-1505.8	-2908.4	-674.2	649.8	383.9	-158.7	-2161.0	599.2	1169.1	-1181.6	-1402.5	2234.2	1324.0	-265.9	-542.6	-2002.3	2760.2
Use of fund credits and loans, net	-44.2	-361.1	-279.8	-255.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-317.0	81.4	24.5	255.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Exceptional financing transactions	122.9	116.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-6.8	-116.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

* Analytic presentation in accordance with IMF 5-In edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data, in accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.² For 2014, preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system INTRASTAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries. The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.³ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.⁶ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).⁷ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.⁸ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.⁹ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.¹⁰ On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial credits received from non-residents.¹¹ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.¹² Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.¹³ Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds' data.¹⁴ Data on net change of trade credits-assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.¹⁵ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.¹⁶ Data source for *Other sectors*: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.¹⁷ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.¹⁸ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.¹⁹ Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

STANDARD PRESENTATION*
(Monthly data)

STANDARD PRESENTATION* (min EUR)	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May.14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Cumulated figures Nov 2013 2014		Twelve-month cumulated figures ending 30.XI.2013 30.XI.2014	
Current Account¹	-38.7	-349.7	-434.9	-140.8	276.2	-316.6	-52.3	278.7	483.9	408.5	40.8	-81.8	-90.5	1197.9	371.1	738.1	21.4
Goods, services, and income, net																	
credit	-165.8	-476.4	-468.1	-194.2	-370.4	-443.2	-131.3	113.8	398.9	280.4	-14.9	-171.8	-162.0	-1058.5	-1162.7	-1763.9	-1639.1
debit	2413.3	1998.8	1962.3	2041.1	2028.3	2207.6	2352.8	2700.5	3157.9	3039.9	2763.9	2841.2	2331.5	28871.6	27127.0	28749.7	29125.8
	-2579.1	-2475.1	-2430.4	-2235.3	-2398.8	-2650.8	-2484.1	-2586.7	-2759.0	-2759.5	-2776.8	-2713.0	-2493.5	-27930.1	-28289.8	-30513.6	-30764.9
Goods, net ²																	
credit	-185.3	-358.1	-350.5	-212.4	-298.9	-344.1	-231.8	-144.3	-86.2	-159.0	-281.5	-216.8	-166.9	-2071.8	-2492.3	-2393.9	-2850.4
debit	2030.3	1596.2	1584.2	1650.1	1633.8	1763.1	1790.1	1889.6	2052.1	1946.2	2006.7	2066.2	1967.2	20349.2	20349.2	22214.1	21945.4
	-2215.6	-1954.4	-1934.7	-1862.4	-1932.7	-2107.2	-2021.9	-2033.9	-2138.3	-2105.2	-2288.2	-2283.0	-2134.0	-22747.1	-22841.5	-24608.0	-24795.8
Services, net																	
credit	48.8	31.8	37.6	69.2	37.3	53.4	138.9	393.1	637.8	650.7	321.5	95.2	22.8	2231.5	2457.5	2254.4	2489.3
debit	315.0	336.6	320.2	330.5	323.2	367.6	457.8	723.6	1022.6	1017.1	670.7	392.4	303.3	5403.2	5929.0	5888.7	6265.6
Transportation ³	80.4	68.0	79.6	81.0	83.4	92.3	111.1	181.6	228.8	210.2	159.7	101.0	78.5	1164.2	1407.1	1223.2	1475.1
Travel ⁴	113.9	105.1	118.6	101.3	105.4	124.8	212.7	410.9	644.9	634.1	361.2	172.8	117.3	2953.4	3004.2	3053.4	3109.2
Other services	120.7	163.5	122.1	148.1	134.4	150.5	134.1	131.0	148.8	172.8	149.8	118.6	107.5	1285.6	1517.7	1412.2	1681.2
debit																	
Transportation ³	-266.2	-304.8	-282.6	-261.3	-286.0	-314.2	-318.9	-330.4	-384.8	-366.3	-349.2	-297.2	-280.5	-3171.7	-3471.5	-3434.3	-3776.2
Travel ⁴	-78.8	-72.3	-76.1	-70.7	-67.7	-74.1	-84.9	-81.6	-92.9	-107.4	-97.7	-86.3	-67.6	-968.0	-907.0	-1045.6	-979.3
Other services	-81.1	-68.0	-73.3	-74.3	-94.3	-96.2	-122.5	-113.9	-128.1	-140.4	-129.0	-89.7	-88.2	-1082.4	-1149.7	-1146.4	-1217.7
	-106.3	-164.6	-133.2	-116.3	-123.9	-143.9	-111.5	-134.9	-163.8	-118.5	-122.6	-121.2	-124.8	-1121.3	-1414.7	-1242.3	-1579.3
Income, net																	
credit	-29.3	-150.1	-155.2	-51.0	-108.7	-152.4	-38.4	-135.1	-152.7	-211.3	-54.9	-50.2	-17.9	-1218.2	-1127.9	-1624.4	-1278.0
debit	68.0	65.9	58.0	71.4	77.0	77.0	104.9	87.3	83.2	76.6	86.4	82.7	61.0	793.1	848.9	846.9	914.9
Monetary authorities	16.9	18.6	18.9	15.7	16.9	15.9	16.7	16.1	16.3	15.8	17.3	16.6	15.2	202.1	181.4	218.2	200.1
General government	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	1.2	2.9	2.2
Banks	8.4	12.3	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.3	27.4	7.6	7.0	7.1	7.6	12.3	5.4	90.7	107.1	98.8	119.4
Other sectors	42.8	34.0	30.1	36.4	46.1	53.7	60.8	63.0	59.8	53.8	61.6	53.8	40.3	498.6	559.2	527.0	593.2
debit																	
Monetary authorities	-97.3	-216.0	-213.1	-111.5	-180.1	-229.4	-143.3	-222.4	-235.9	-287.9	-141.3	-132.9	-78.9	-2011.3	-1976.8	-2471.3	-2192.8
General government	-1.5	-7.8	-15.0	-1.3	-7.3	-2.0	-9.8	-7.3	-38.6	-1.4	-7.8	-1.3	-9.4	-120.6	-101.2	-131.3	-109.0
Banks	-15.4	-17.9	-19.5	-21.3	-23.5	-99.3	-18.8	-33.2	-20.0	-26.4	-20.4	-57.4	-19.1	-264.4	-359.2	-281.4	-377.1
Other sectors	-80.5	-190.3	-178.6	-88.9	-149.3	-128.1	-114.7	-181.8	-177.3	-260.1	-113.1	-74.2	-50.4	-1617.8	-1516.5	-2058.7	-1706.7
Current transfers, net																	
credit	127.0	126.7	33.2	53.4	646.6	126.6	78.9	164.9	84.9	128.1	55.7	90.0	71.5	2256.4	1533.9	2502.0	1680.6
debit	160.6	198.8	95.3	162.2	698.2	175.1	127.8	217.5	129.2	170.8	96.7	121.9	121.5	2873.4	2115.2	3177.5	2314.0
General government	87.5	123.6	14.6	85.8	604.6	91.3	29.4	132.9	41.5	73.8	12.5	38.7	51.5	1976.0	1176.7	2200.9	1300.3
Other sectors	73.1	75.3	80.6	76.4	93.7	83.8	98.4	84.6	87.7	97.0	83.1	83.2	70.0	897.4	938.5	976.7	1013.7
debit																	
General government	-33.6	-72.1	-62.0	-108.8	-51.6	-48.5	-48.9	-52.6	-44.3	-42.7	-40.0	-31.9	-50.0	-617.0	-581.3	-675.6	-653.4
Other sectors	-26.7	-64.3	-55.4	-101.6	-43.4	-42.6	-42.8	-39.9	-31.6	-28.1	-22.3	-25.1	-41.8	-548.9	-474.6	-597.1	-538.9
	-6.9	-7.9	-6.6	-7.1	-8.2	-5.8	-6.1	-12.7	-12.7	-14.5	-17.7	-6.9	-8.2	-68.1	-106.7	-78.4	-114.6
Capital and financial account^{1,5}	47.1	310.6	373.5	370.2	-108.7	-11.6	-204.4	347.5	-12.1	-324.1	-287.6	37.1	503.5	-720.2	683.3	-523.0	993.9
Capital account^{1,5,6}	86.3	22.6	-12.6	108.5	29.4	-5.1	73.0	132.0	106.2	60.7	36.4	13.7	278.7	445.0	820.8	675.5	843.4
Capital transfers, net																	
credit	97.8	26.2	-8.3	112.6	46.5	-1.6	69.3	129.5	100.0	59.6	31.0	11.8	270.6	508.2	820.8	744.5	847.0
debit	97.8	26.4	1.5	112.6	46.5	-1.5	69.3	129.5	100.0	59.6	31.0	11.9	270.6	509.1	831.1	745.8	857.5
General government	96.1	25.5	0.1	112.2	45.8	-1.5	69.3	129.5	99.9	59.6	29.9	11.7	270.6	504.8	827.2	725.1	852.7
Other sectors	1.7	0.8	1.4	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.1	0.1	0.0	4.3	3.9	20.7	4.8
debit																	
General government	0.0	-0.2	-9.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.9	-10.3	-1.3	-10.5
Other sectors	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	0.0	-0.2	-9.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.9	-10.3	-1.3	-10.5
Financial account^{1,5}	-39.3	288.0	386.1	261.7	-138.1	-6.5	-277.4	215.4	-118.3	-384.8	-323.9	23.5	224.8	-1165.2	-137.5	-1198.6	150.5
Direct investment, net																	
Abroad	221.6	-302.5	94.1	142.9	227.6	10.0	-34.6	10.2	73.8	257.8	-332.5	215.7	408.5	1396.8	1073.5	1119.3	771.0
Equity	-13.1	-32.5	-19.1	-7.2	-18.0	-20.9	-33.9	-11.8	-5.2	-17.4	-4.9	-4.2	-8.1	-148.3	-150.6	-152.8	-183.1
Other capital	-4.0	-19.1	-5.2	-2.3	-7.9	-22.0	-30.0	-8.6	-2.4	-4.1	-2.8	-4.1	-2.1	-90.7	-105.5	-98.2	-124.5
Reinvested earnings	-9.1	-13.4	-13.9	-4.9	-10.1	1.0	-3.9	-3.2	-2.8	0.7	-0.8	-1.3	-6.0	-59.4	-45.2	-59.8	-58.6
	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	5.2	0.0

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

STANDARD PRESENTATION*
(Monthly data)

STANDARD PRESENTATION *	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb. 14	Mar. 14	Apr. 14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Cumulated figures Nov 2013 2014		Twelve-month cumulated figures ending 30.XI.2013 30.XI.2014
(min EUR)																
In reporting country ⁷	234.7	-270.0	113.2	150.0	245.6	30.9	-0.7	22.0	78.9	275.2	-327.6	219.9	416.6	1545.1	1224.2	1272.1
Equity	35.1	217.7	2.2	51.1	47.1	-16.8	-59.1	75.1	99.1	153.3	34.8	17.0	38.0	861.1	441.8	1000.0
Other capital ⁸	189.5	-497.8	96.9	84.9	184.5	34.7	45.3	-65.9	-35.4	106.6	-377.7	187.6	363.3	590.6	624.9	219.7
Reinvested earnings	10.1	10.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.0	13.0	12.8	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	93.4	157.4	52.4
Mergers and acquisitions, net ⁹	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Portfolio investment, net	941.9	-97.7	17.2	-197.2	18.5	-80.1	3.3	104.0	1397.4	34.4	80.4	-109.8	67.6	-30.8	1335.6	-90.3
Assets ¹⁰	73.8	-113.7	47.9	-187.1	-16.5	-71.9	60.0	63.7	108.1	-6.4	33.9	-218.1	-23.0	-529.0	-209.4	-614.1
Equity securities	22.6	-28.8	-31.5	-78.8	-20.4	1.4	-50.9	-60.9	-16.9	-21.8	-6.5	-49.3	7.4	-100.2	-328.1	-100.2
Debt securities	51.2	-84.8	79.4	-108.3	3.9	-73.3	110.9	124.6	124.9	15.4	40.4	-168.7	-30.4	-428.8	118.7	-510.8
Liabilities	868.1	15.9	-30.7	-10.0	35.0	-8.1	-56.7	40.3	1289.3	40.8	46.5	108.3	90.5	498.2	1545.0	523.9
Equity securities	-1.3	0.6	-43.5	-1.9	-4.5	0.1	2.9	-1.2	1.9	-2.0	-2.1	-4.8	-1.0	-14.6	-55.9	-17.0
Debt securities	869.4	15.3	12.7	-8.2	39.5	-8.3	-59.7	41.6	1287.4	42.8	48.6	113.0	91.6	512.8	1601.0	540.9
Financial derivatives, net	-3.3	-0.1	-0.3	-1.4	-0.8	-1.2	-0.5	-0.9	-0.8	-1.7	-17.9	-3.4	-0.2	-119.3	-29.1	-124.2
Other investment	-1284.6	885.4	-352.2	-7.4	15.4	174.5	-479.4	553.6	-791.6	-495.6	180.7	-30.4	212.0	-3208.2	-1020.4	-2343.3
Assets	-628.0	337.0	-307.9	-59.2	-79.4	315.9	-470.6	467.5	-579.3	-450.9	-80.3	15.1	475.1	-2283.5	-753.9	-1612.3
Trade credits ¹¹	36.3	-11.4	-11.4	-11.4	-11.4	-8.0	-8.0	-8.0	7.2	7.1	7.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	-36.8	19.8
Loans	-101.1	-104.2	-57.1	-38.5	15.3	-14.5	-55.8	-1.7	-100.1	-31.3	-56.7	-64.3	-12.3	-356.5	-417.0	-521.2
Current and deposits ¹²	-512.2	412.0	-234.9	8.1	-76.4	331.1	-411.8	590.6	-564.8	-441.9	-28.6	71.2	496.4	-1755.9	-261.0	-1069.0
Other assets	-51.2	-7.1	-4.5	-17.5	-6.9	7.3	5.1	-113.4	78.4	15.1	-2.0	8.2	-9.0	-175.7	-39.1	-195.4
Liabilities	-656.5	548.4	-44.4	51.8	94.8	-141.4	-8.8	86.1	-212.4	-44.7	261.0	-45.5	-263.1	-924.8	-266.5	-731.0
Trade credits ¹³	4.0	4.0	20.4	20.4	20.4	-49.0	-49.4	-49.9	17.0	17.3	18.0	0.0	0.0	260.1	-34.9	289.7
Loans	-650.8	486.1	58.5	37.9	-52.8	-11.3	57.8	-156.8	-9.5	-150.1	-2.1	44.7	125.8	-479.7	-57.8	-358.7
Current and deposits	-8.8	-31.2	-168.9	-2.9	73.9	-99.5	-6.5	233.4	-160.5	-26.8	182.8	21.5	-396.8	-745.1	-350.3	-725.3
Other liabilities	-0.9	89.5	45.7	-3.7	53.3	18.4	-10.7	59.3	-59.4	114.9	62.3	-111.7	8.0	40.0	176.5	83.4
BNB Reserve assets (increase: -) ¹⁴	85.0	-197.1	627.4	324.8	-398.9	-109.7	233.7	451.6	-797.0	-179.6	-234.7	48.7	-463.0	796.3	-1497.1	239.9
Monetary gold	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Special drawing rights	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	-0.5	0.1	-0.5
Reserve position in the Fund	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Foreign exchange	85.0	-197.0	627.5	324.7	-398.8	-109.6	233.5	451.5	-797.0	-179.7	-234.6	48.6	-463.0	796.8	-1497.2	240.4
Net Errors and Omissions	-8.3	39.1	61.4	-229.4	-167.5	328.1	256.7	-626.1	-471.8	-84.4	246.8	44.7	-413.0	-477.8	-1054.5	-215.1
																-1015.4

* Standard presentation in accordance with IMF 5th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data. In accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.² For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system INTRASTAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries. The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.³ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.⁶ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.⁷ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.⁸ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.⁹ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.¹⁰ Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.¹¹ Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds' data.¹² Data on net change of trade credits-assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.¹³ Data source for Other sectors: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.¹⁴ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA
STANDARD PRESENTATION*
(Annual data)

STANDARD PRESENTATION *	Change													
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2005/2004	2006/2005	2007/2006	2008/2007
Current Account¹														
Goods, services, and income, net credit	-1306.9	-2705.7	-4647.8	-7755.2	-8182.5	-3116.2	-533.1	33.2	-458.0	848.2	-1398.8	-1942.1	-3107.5	-427.2
Goods, net ²	-2051.2	-3523.6	-5317.7	-8436.1	-9043.8	-4072.3	-2030.0	-1851.4	-2523.1	-1534.8	-1472.4	-1794.1	-3118.3	-607.7
Services, net credit	12485.3	14248.9	17462.8	19100.0	21545.0	17419.8	21190.3	26534.8	27180.3	28870.4	1763.6	3213.9	1637.2	4871.4
Transportation ³	-14536.4	-17772.5	-22780.5	-27536.0	-30588.7	-21492.1	-23220.3	-27886.2	-29703.4	-30405.2	-3236.0	-5008.0	-4755.5	-3057.7
Travel ⁴	-2953.5	-4409.7	-5562.3	-7245.3	-8597.7	-4173.9	-2763.7	-2156.1	-3460.3	-2430.0	-1456.2	-1152.5	-1683.1	-1352.4
Other services	7984.9	9466.3	12011.9	13511.9	15204.0	11699.2	15561.2	20264.3	20770.2	22271.4	1481.5	2545.5	1500.0	4423.8
Income, net credit	-10938.4	-13876.1	-17574.1	-20757.2	-23801.7	-15873.1	-18324.8	-22420.4	-24230.4	-24701.4	-2937.7	-3698.0	-3183.1	-3044.5
Monetary authorities	656.3	818.9	923.0	1173.5	1309.6	1299.9	1867.8	2315.5	2268.8	2263.4	162.6	104.1	250.5	136.1
General government	3262.1	3564.1	4186.8	4760.0	5355.4	4916.3	5011.5	5694.9	5739.8	5739.8	302.1	622.7	573.2	595.4
Banks	825.5	964.7	1260.3	1105.6	1210.6	1007.6	986.5	1112.2	1138.6	1232.2	139.2	295.6	-154.7	105.0
Other sectors	1788.6	1955.7	2063.8	2893.8	2873.8	2881.2	2747.1	2852.4	2916.6	3058.4	167.1	108.1	530.0	280.0
Monetary authorities	648.0	645.7	862.7	1060.6	1271.0	1227.5	1359.4	1639.7	1449.2	1449.2	-4.3	219.0	197.9	210.4
General government	-2605.8	-2745.2	-3263.8	-386.5	-4045.7	-3616.5	-3143.7	-3038.5	-3426.2	-3476.5	-139.4	-518.6	-322.7	-459.3
Banks	-871.0	-882.4	-1043.2	-949.0	-987.2	-801.5	-499.0	-329.5	-1059.8	-1040.2	-11.4	-160.8	194.2	-138.2
Other sectors	-1098.9	-1063.4	-1174.4	-1303.0	-1666.6	-1258.7	-391.2	-958.7	-1015.7	-1150.4	45.5	-120.9	-128.7	-185.7
Income, net credit	-635.9	-809.4	-1046.2	-1434.4	-1491.9	-1556.2	-1513.4	-1250.2	-1350.6	-1285.9	-173.5	-236.8	-388.2	-57.5
Monetary authorities	246.0	67.2	-678.5	-2364.3	-1755.7	-1198.3	-1134.2	-1810.8	-1331.7	-1388.2	-178.8	-745.7	-1865.8	608.6
General government	1238.3	1218.4	1264.1	828.1	985.7	804.3	617.6	616.5	715.2	859.1	-19.9	45.7	-436.0	157.5
Banks	118.2	171.5	135.3	164.8	206.3	227.8	188.5	202.7	208.3	220.7	53.3	-36.1	29.4	41.5
Other sectors	410.3	268.8	287.7	335.7	139.9	2.8	4.7	9.0	2.9	2.7	-14.3	2.0	4.7	-19.5
Monetary authorities	43.4	92.8	56.3	62.2	75.5	79.4	51.0	62.3	78.3	103.0	49.3	-36.4	5.9	13.3
General government	1035.7	927.4	1043.7	567.7	690.0	494.2	373.5	342.5	425.7	532.6	-108.3	116.3	-476.0	122.3
Income, net credit	-992.3	-1151.2	-1942.6	-3192.4	-2741.3	-2002.5	-1751.8	-2427.3	-2046.8	-2227.3	-158.9	-791.4	-1249.8	451.1
Monetary authorities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
General government	-271.5	-270.4	-214.2	-207.8	-173.8	-130.6	-121.2	-127.8	-119.7	-128.4	1.1	56.3	6.4	34.0
Banks	-226.5	-290.4	-449.6	-558.0	-823.5	-426.1	-379.2	-435.9	-349.3	-290.9	-63.9	-36.1	43.2	9.4
Other sectors	-494.3	-590.4	-1278.8	-2426.5	-1744.0	-1445.9	-1251.4	-1863.7	-1577.8	-1808.0	-96.1	-688.5	-1147.7	682.5
Current transfers, net credit	744.3	817.9	670.0	680.8	861.3	956.1	1496.9	1684.6	2065.2	2383.1	73.7	-148.0	10.9	180.4
General government	904.1	987.4	845.8	1254.6	1614.9	1562.7	2047.5	2238.0	2718.5	3072.2	93.4	-151.6	408.8	360.2
Banks	85.2	89.7	139.0	254.2	536.5	614.2	1215.4	1365.7	1764.8	2099.6	4.5	49.3	115.3	282.3
Other sectors	818.9	907.7	706.8	100.4	1078.3	948.5	832.1	872.3	953.7	972.6	88.8	-200.9	293.5	76.0
General government	-159.8	-179.5	-175.8	-573.8	-753.6	-606.6	-550.6	-553.3	-653.3	-689.1	-19.7	3.7	-398.0	-179.8
Banks	-26.4	-30.2	-19.5	-352.2	-480.0	-446.6	-474.5	-489.1	-542.2	-613.2	-3.7	10.7	-322.7	-77.8
Other sectors	-133.4	-149.3	-156.3	-221.6	-303.6	-159.9	-76.0	-64.2	-111.1	-75.9	-15.9	-7.0	-65.3	-82.0
Capital and financial account ^{1,5}	1043.7	3644.3	5479.0	9825.4	11066.6	2290.3	1.7	-540.9	-354.9	-409.6	2600.6	1834.7	4446.4	1141.2
Capital account ^{1,5,6}	163.5	235.5	180.0	-587.3	277.4	477.1	290.9	503.6	551.4	467.6	72.0	-55.5	-767.3	864.8
Capital transfers, net credit	163.5	235.5	180.0	-587.3	277.4	477.1	290.9	503.6	551.4	467.6	72.0	-55.5	-767.3	864.8
General government	163.5	235.5	180.0	-587.3	277.4	477.1	290.9	503.6	551.4	467.6	72.0	-55.5	-767.3	864.8
Banks	143.5	178.4	174.9	358.1	276.8	475.4	396.3	457.4	630.6	530.3	34.9	-3.5	181.2	-79.3
Other sectors	20.0	60.2	5.1	7.5	0.6	3.6	9.9	8.4	24.6	5.1	40.2	-55.2	2.4	-6.8
Financial account ^{1,5}	-0.1	-3.2	0.0	-950.9	0.0	-0.2	-149.9	5.4	-126.5	-1.0	-3.1	3.1	-950.9	950.9
General government	0.0	0.0	0.0	-950.9	0.0	0.0	-149.3	6.9	-112.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	-950.9	950.9
Banks	-0.1	-3.2	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.6	-1.5	-14.0	-1.0	-3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0
Other sectors	-0.1	-3.2	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	-0.6	-1.5	-14.0	-1.0	-3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0
Financial account ^{1,5}	880.2	3408.8	5299.0	10512.7	10785.2	1813.2	-289.2	-1044.5	-906.3	-877.2	2528.6	1890.2	5213.7	276.4
Direct investment, net	2252.1	3226.5	6080.7	8838.2	6205.7	2505.3	977.3	1212.7	871.5	1094.3	974.4	2854.2	2757.5	-2632.5
Abroad	165.6	-249.1	-140.9	-206.2	-522.1	68.3	-173.9	-117.5	-270.2	-180.8	-414.7	108.2	-56.3	-315.9
Equity	-26.5	-52.8	-76.0	-202.5	-552.8	108.7	-116.2	-147.7	-217.6	-109.8	-26.2	-23.2	-126.5	-350.3
Other capital	191.3	-191.0	-57.5	-11.3	44.3	-49.9	-65.9	-7.5	-53.6	-72.8	-382.4	133.5	46.1	-94.3
Reinvested earnings	0.8	-5.3	-7.4	7.6	-13.7	9.6	8.2	37.7	1.0	1.7	-6.1	-2.1	15.0	-21.3
In reporting country ⁷	2735.9	3152.1	6221.6	9051.8	6727.8	2436.9	1151.2	1330.2	1141.7	1275.1	416.2	3069.5	2830.2	-2323.9
Equity	1831.9	1789.3	3234.1	4765.2	4108.8	1884.0	1604.7	1103.6	1055.5	1078.8	-42.6	1444.8	1531.1	-655.3
Other capital ⁸	482.7	954.1	2030.0	2739.5	2801.5	822.0	-7.8	400.3	453.3	92.8	491.4	1076.0	709.4	62.0
Reinvested earnings	441.4	408.7	957.5	1547.2	-183.5	-269.0	-445.7	-173.7	-367.1	103.4	-32.6	548.7	589.7	-1730.7
Mergers and acquisitions, net ⁹	-649.5	323.5	0.0	-7.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	973.0	-323.5	-7.4	7.4
Portfolio investment, net	-417.4	-1036.9	282.2	-518.4	-730.9	-619.1	-635.4	-357.4	-886.7	-128.5	-619.5	1329.1	-810.6	-212.6
Assets ¹⁰	18.2	17.8	-289.4	-129.3	-252.9	-623.5	-547.9	-47.5	-1449.5	-642.6	-0.4	-307.2	160.2	-123.7
Equity securities	-5.8	-4.8	-100.0	-144.3	-12.6	-159.9	-188.6	86.7	-27.6	-44.4	1.0	-96.2	131.7	-146.3
Debt securities	24.0	22.6	-189.4	-15.1	-240.3	-464.5	-388.3	-134.2	-1421.9	-513.6	1.0	-212.0	204.5	-255.4
Liabilities	-435.6	-1054.6	581.6	-389.1	-475.0	4.4	-87.5	-308.9	562.7	514.1	-619.0	1636.3	-970.8	-88.9
Equity securities	-17.4	350.4	120.5	79.8	-72.8	3.8	7.8	-31.2	3.1	-14.0	333.0	-229.9	-40.8	76.7
Debt securities	-453.0	-1405.1	461.1	-468.9	-405.1	0.6	-95.4	-278.7	559.6	528.1	-952.0	1866.2	-930.0	63.7

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

STANDARD PRESENTATION*
(Annual data)

STANDARD PRESENTATION *		Change																		
(m EUR)		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2005/2004	2006/2005	2007/2006	2008/2007	2009/2008	2010/2009	2011/2010	2012/2011	2013/2012
Financial derivatives.net		-70.1	-90.2	-112.7	-61.2	-43.5	-16.3	-24.7	-65.3	-33.3	-119.4	-20.1	-22.4	51.5	17.7	25.2	-6.3	-40.6	32.0	-86.1
Other investment		609.1	1633.7	544.6	5162.4	6032.0	-704.5	-990.3	-1675.8	1303.2	-2322.8	1024.6	-1089.2	4617.9	866.6	-6736.5	-285.8	-685.4	2979.0	-3626.0
Assets		-1366.7	-30.7	-2348.8	552.2	104.9	-632.3	-26.2	-705.3	435.0	-1946.5	1336.0	-2318.2	2901.0	-447.3	-737.2	606.1	-682.1	1143.3	-2381.5
Trade credits ¹¹		-149.1	-29.0	-126.6	-134.8	-155.1	-121.1	-86.2	-93.6	-174.7	40.9	120.2	-97.6	-8.2	-20.2	34.0	34.9	-7.4	-81.1	215.7
Loans		-46.3	-61.9	-131.6	-153.1	-265.8	-1.9	-110.5	-70.6	-107.3	-460.7	-15.6	-69.7	-21.5	-112.8	263.9	-108.6	39.9	-36.6	-353.5
Currency and deposits ¹²		-610.0	-459.7	-2097.5	-504.1	322.0	-504.1	147.9	-484.8	865.5	-1343.9	150.2	-1637.8	2096.7	322.8	-826.1	652.0	-632.7	1350.3	-2209.4
Other assets		-561.3	520.0	6.9	840.9	203.8	-5.2	22.6	-59.3	-148.5	-182.8	1081.3	-513.1	834.0	-637.1	-209.0	27.9	-81.9	-89.2	-34.3
Liabilities		1975.8	1664.4	2893.4	4610.2	5927.1	-72.2	-964.1	-967.5	868.2	-376.3	-311.4	1229.0	1716.9	1316.9	-5999.3	-892.0	-3.3	1835.7	-1244.5
Trade credits ¹³		87.6	225.2	322.8	256.3	172.3	23.2	-32.4	63.5	-46.4	264.0	137.6	97.6	-64.5	-86.1	-149.1	-56.6	95.8	-109.9	310.4
Loans		1394.3	1027.4	2033.2	2306.4	3714.8	525.1	-386.5	30.5	869.1	6.4	-367.0	1005.9	273.1	1408.4	-318.7	-911.6	417.0	838.6	-862.8
Currency and deposits		514.0	384.8	514.1	2028.5	2047.4	-590.6	-642.0	-1117.9	-2.8	-776.3	-129.2	129.3	1514.5	18.9	-2638.0	-51.4	-475.9	1115.1	-773.5
Other liabilities		-20.2	27.0	23.3	17.0	-7.4	-29.9	96.7	56.4	48.2	129.5	47.2	-3.8	-6.3	-24.4	-22.6	126.7	-40.3	-8.2	81.3
BNB Reserve assets (increase: -) ¹⁴		-1493.4	-324.3	-1505.8	-2908.4	-674.2	649.8	383.9	-159.7	-2161.0	599.2	1169.1	-1181.6	-1402.5	2234.2	1324.0	-265.9	-542.6	-2002.3	2760.2
Monetary gold		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Special drawing rights		44.7	9.3	-0.3	-0.2	-3.9	4.1	-0.4	0.0	-0.1	-0.6	-35.4	-9.6	0.1	-3.8	8.0	-4.5	0.4	-0.1	-0.5
Reserve position in the Fund		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Foreign exchange		-1538.1	-333.6	-1505.5	-2908.2	-670.2	645.6	384.3	-156.6	-2160.9	599.8	1204.5	-1172.0	-1402.6	2238.0	1316.0	-261.4	-543.0	-2002.2	2760.7
Net Errors and Omissions		263.2	-938.7	-831.2	-2770.1	-2884.1	825.9	531.4	507.6	812.9	-438.7	-1201.9	107.4	-1338.9	-714.0	3710.0	-294.5	-23.8	305.2	-1251.5

* Standard presentation in accordance with IMF 5th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

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BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

SERVICES

	(mln EUR)														Cumulated figures Nov		Change 2014/2013	
	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	2013	2014	Nov	Jan-Nov	
Services, net ¹	48.8	31.8	37.6	69.2	37.3	53.4	138.9	393.1	637.8	650.7	321.5	95.2	22.8	2231.5	2457.5	-26.1	226.0	
Credit	315.0	336.6	320.2	330.5	323.2	367.6	457.8	723.6	1022.6	1017.1	670.7	392.4	303.3	5403.2	5929.0	-11.7	525.7	
Transportation ²	80.4	68.0	79.6	81.0	83.4	92.3	111.1	181.6	228.8	210.2	159.7	101.0	78.5	1164.2	1407.1	-1.9	242.9	
Travel ³	113.9	105.1	118.6	101.3	105.4	124.8	212.7	410.9	644.9	634.1	361.2	172.8	117.3	2953.4	3004.2	3.4	50.8	
Other services ⁴	120.7	163.5	122.1	148.1	134.4	150.5	134.1	131.0	148.8	172.8	149.8	118.6	107.5	1285.6	1517.7	-13.3	232.0	
Communications services	4.2	5.9	6.4	7.0	5.9	5.8	6.3	8.7	10.0	12.5	15.0	7.0	8.3	60.3	92.8	4.1	32.5	
Construction services	3.7	2.3	4.6	1.5	1.7	3.5	1.3	2.2	1.9	3.2	1.1	3.1	4.0	25.8	28.0	0.3	2.2	
Insurance services	10.0	10.0	1.3	31.0	9.3	20.8	12.1	3.7	24.5	6.0	14.3	28.2	14.1	111.4	165.2	4.1	53.9	
Financial services	4.3	3.6	3.2	2.7	2.5	5.0	2.4	2.5	7.4	48.8	4.4	7.7	5.1	52.0	91.7	0.9	39.6	
Computer and information services	46.7	57.7	50.8	45.1	52.2	45.0	48.1	43.6	44.1	42.6	49.5	30.1	34.1	469.0	485.1	-12.6	16.1	
Royalties and license fees	2.4	1.3	2.4	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.1	2.0	1.8	2.4	1.7	0.1	0.9	18.9	18.0	-1.5	-0.9	
Other business services	43.6	70.1	44.9	55.7	57.4	63.8	59.3	64.2	54.4	52.2	58.3	29.5	38.3	480.0	577.9	-5.3	97.9	
Personal, cultural and recreational services	5.8	12.5	7.7	2.6	2.7	4.5	3.4	4.0	4.5	4.9	5.3	12.9	2.8	63.6	55.2	-3.0	-8.4	
Government services, n.i.e.	0.2	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	4.6	3.8	-0.2	-0.9	
Debit	-266.2	-304.8	-282.6	-261.3	-286.0	-314.2	-318.9	-330.4	-384.8	-366.3	-349.2	-297.2	-280.5	-3171.7	-3471.5	-14.3	-299.8	
Transportation ²	-78.8	-72.3	-76.1	-70.7	-67.7	-74.1	-84.9	-81.6	-92.9	-107.4	-97.7	-86.3	-67.6	-968.0	-907.0	11.3	60.9	
Travel ³	-81.1	-68.0	-73.3	-74.3	-94.3	-96.2	-122.5	-113.9	-128.1	-140.4	-129.0	-89.7	-88.2	-1082.4	-1149.7	-7.1	-67.3	
Other services ⁴	-106.3	-164.6	-133.2	-116.3	-123.9	-143.9	-111.5	-134.9	-163.8	-118.5	-122.6	-121.2	-124.8	-1121.3	-1414.7	-18.5	-293.4	
Communications services	-7.8	-10.2	-6.6	-5.5	-7.3	-8.1	-5.9	-6.2	-12.9	-12.0	-8.5	-15.6	-16.7	-82.1	-105.3	-8.9	-23.3	
Construction services	-19.4	-27.6	-29.4	-17.3	-19.1	-27.7	-22.3	-28.4	-23.5	-19.2	-17.9	-0.3	-1.3	-149.8	-206.4	18.2	-56.6	
Insurance services	-6.4	-6.4	-5.9	-13.9	-8.3	-20.2	-10.8	-12.2	-28.6	-6.4	-5.1	-33.5	-11.8	-70.3	-156.6	-5.4	-86.3	
Financial services	-13.0	-27.6	-3.4	-3.2	-3.9	-1.9	-5.0	-5.8	-3.2	-3.4	-3.7	-7.6	-9.3	-51.2	-50.5	3.7	0.6	
Computer and information services	-8.3	-13.2	-10.5	-15.5	-10.7	-11.5	-9.4	-13.4	-15.7	-9.0	-11.7	-11.6	-23.5	-107.6	-142.5	-15.2	-34.9	
Royalties and license fees	-11.6	-19.9	-10.6	-12.3	-14.8	-11.2	-8.3	-9.5	-17.1	-11.2	-17.7	-7.6	-4.4	-128.8	-124.8	7.2	4.1	
Other business services	-35.9	-56.4	-62.6	-43.2	-50.6	-58.6	-46.4	-55.2	-54.7	-54.9	-57.0	-44.2	-57.1	-488.3	-584.4	-21.2	-96.2	
Personal, cultural and recreational services	-3.9	-3.3	-4.3	-5.4	-9.1	-4.8	-3.4	-4.2	-8.1	-2.4	-1.0	-0.8	-0.7	-43.3	-44.1	3.2	-0.8	
Government services, n.i.e.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	

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² Estimates for the freight transportation follow a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.

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⁴ Data received from the banks, companies' reports on accounts abroad and received through direct reporting of enterprises on services between residents and non-residents.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

INCOME

	(mln EUR)												Cumulated figures Nov		Change 2014/2013		
	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	2013	2014*	Nov	Jan-Nov
Income, net	-29.3	-150.1	-155.2	-51.0	-108.7	-152.4	-38.4	-135.1	-152.7	-211.3	-54.9	-50.2	-17.9	-1218.2	-1127.9	11.4	90.2
Credit	68.0	65.9	58.0	60.5	71.4	77.0	104.9	87.3	83.2	76.6	86.4	82.7	61.0	793.1	848.9	-7.0	55.8
Compensation of employees ¹	31.1	21.1	18.6	25.2	33.1	41.9	46.8	44.4	46.0	41.5	45.5	42.0	32.1	385.7	416.9	1.0	31.3
Investment income	36.9	44.8	39.4	35.3	38.3	35.1	58.1	43.0	37.2	35.2	40.9	40.7	28.9	407.5	432.0	-8.0	24.5
Direct investment ²	2.8	2.5	1.4	1.6	3.0	2.0	3.0	4.9	3.6	2.4	5.2	2.3	2.7	18.0	32.1	-0.1	14.1
Dividends and distributed branch profits	1.4	1.0	0.1	0.1	1.7	0.8	1.8	3.7	0.7	1.1	3.9	1.1	1.4	11.8	16.4	0.0	4.6
Reinvested earnings and undistributed branch profits	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.7	0.0	0.0	1.7
On debt (interest)	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	2.9	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	7.9	15.7	0.0	7.7
Portfolio investment ³	26.9	29.2	29.7	26.3	27.7	26.3	47.8	26.1	26.6	26.0	27.1	26.1	19.6	315.0	309.2	-7.3	-5.8
On equity (dividends)	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.1	0.1	1.7	3.7	0.0	2.0
On debt (interest)	26.8	28.9	29.6	26.2	27.4	26.1	47.4	25.6	25.8	25.5	26.5	26.0	19.5	313.3	305.5	-7.3	-7.8
Other investment ⁴	7.3	13.1	8.3	7.4	7.6	6.8	7.2	12.0	7.1	6.8	8.5	12.3	6.6	74.4	90.6	-0.7	16.2
Loans	5.0	10.3	7.2	6.7	6.6	5.7	6.0	10.9	6.0	5.6	7.4	11.1	5.5	58.5	78.7	0.4	20.1
Deposits and miscellaneous accounts	2.2	2.7	1.2	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	15.9	12.0	-1.1	-3.9
Debit	-97.3	-216.0	-213.1	-111.5	-180.1	-229.4	-143.3	-222.4	-235.9	-287.9	-141.3	-132.9	-78.9	-2011.3	-1976.8	18.4	34.5
Compensation of employees	-0.7	-1.9	-0.6	-0.7	-0.6	-0.9	-0.7	-1.8	-1.1	-0.7	-0.8	-1.7	-0.8	-8.2	-10.5	-0.1	-2.3
Investment income	-96.6	-214.1	-212.5	-110.8	-179.5	-228.5	-142.6	-220.6	-234.8	-287.2	-140.5	-131.2	-78.1	-2003.1	-1966.3	18.5	36.8
Direct investment ²	-65.7	-145.5	-155.3	-73.2	-128.8	-188.6	-89.9	-153.2	-158.7	-235.5	-88.3	-120.6	-60.0	-1528.1	-1452.0	5.7	76.0
Dividends and distributed branch profits	-18.6	-39.5	-12.1	-14.7	-32.2	-122.4	-30.9	-82.9	-50.8	-94.2	-20.7	-100.8	-40.3	-727.4	-602.0	-21.7	125.5
Reinvested earnings and undistributed branch profits ⁵	-10.1	-10.1	-14.1	-14.1	-14.1	-13.0	-13.0	-12.8	-15.3	-15.3	-15.3	-15.3	-15.3	-93.4	-157.4	-5.2	-64.0
On debt (interest)	-37.0	-95.9	-129.1	-44.4	-82.5	-53.2	-46.0	-57.5	-92.6	-126.0	-52.3	-4.6	-4.4	-707.2	-692.6	32.6	14.6
Portfolio investment ³	-0.1	-0.1	-14.7	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-38.2	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-82.4	-55.0	-0.1	27.3
On equity (dividends)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
On debt (interest)	-0.1	-0.1	-14.7	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-38.2	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-82.4	-55.0	-0.1	27.3
Other investment ⁴	-30.8	-68.5	-42.5	-37.4	-50.6	-39.6	-52.4	-67.2	-37.9	-51.5	-52.0	-10.3	-17.8	-392.7	-459.3	12.9	-66.6
Loans	-30.7	-68.4	-42.5	-37.4	-50.4	-39.6	-52.4	-67.2	-37.8	-49.1	-51.9	-10.3	-17.8	-391.7	-456.6	12.8	-64.8
Deposits and miscellaneous accounts	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-2.3	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-1.0	-2.7	0.1	-1.8

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¹ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.

² Data are provided by companies reporting to BNB. Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and the BNB.

³ Data are provided by the banks, non-bank financial institutions, pension funds and insurance companies, Central Depository, Ministry of Finance, the BNB.

⁴ Data from the firms' quarterly reports, banks' monthly reports and the BNB.

⁵ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

⁶ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
CURRENT AND CAPITAL TRANSFERS

	(mln EUR)													Cumulated figures			Change 2014/2013	
		Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	2013	2014*	Nov	Jan-Nov
Current and Capital transfers, net		224.8	152.9	24.9	166.0	693.0	125.0	148.2	294.4	184.9	187.7	86.7	101.7	342.2	2764.6	2354.7	117.3	-409.9
Current transfers, net		127.0	126.7	33.2	53.4	646.6	126.6	78.9	164.9	84.9	128.1	55.7	90.0	71.5	2256.4	1533.9	-55.5	-722.5
Credit		160.6	198.8	95.3	162.2	698.2	175.1	127.8	217.5	129.2	170.8	95.7	121.9	121.5	2873.4	2115.2	-39.1	-758.2
General government		87.5	123.6	14.6	85.8	604.6	91.3	29.4	132.9	41.5	73.8	12.5	38.7	51.5	1976.0	1176.7	-36.0	-799.3
ind. EU transfers ¹		70.4	110.8	9.8	83.9	598.8	86.7	17.9	126.8	38.5	54.8	8.0	36.9	47.3	1207.4	1109.4	-23.1	-98.0
Other (private) ²		73.1	75.3	80.6	76.4	93.7	83.8	98.4	84.6	87.7	97.0	83.1	83.2	70.0	897.4	938.5	-3.1	41.1
Worker's remittances		60.2	65.7	62.8	68.0	78.4	74.9	85.2	75.1	75.5	64.0	72.6	68.7	60.2	784.8	785.4	0.0	0.6
Other private transfers		12.9	9.5	17.8	8.4	15.3	8.9	13.2	9.4	12.2	33.0	10.5	14.5	9.8	112.6	153.1	-3.1	40.5
Debit		-33.6	-72.1	-62.0	-108.8	-51.6	-48.5	-48.9	-52.6	-44.3	-42.7	-40.0	-31.9	-50.0	-617.0	-581.3	-16.4	35.7
General government		-26.7	-64.3	-55.4	-101.6	-43.4	-42.6	-42.8	-39.9	-31.6	-28.1	-22.3	-25.1	-41.8	-548.9	-474.6	-15.1	74.3
ind. EU transfers ¹		-22.4	-55.6	-48.1	-96.7	-39.6	-37.7	-37.9	-34.9	-28.7	-24.3	-19.3	-22.0	-34.7	-432.4	-424.1	-12.3	8.2
Other (private) ²		-6.9	-7.9	-6.6	-7.1	-8.2	-5.8	-6.1	-12.7	-12.7	-14.5	-17.7	-6.9	-8.2	-68.1	-106.7	-1.3	-38.6
Worker's remittances		-2.2	-2.7	-0.2	-0.5	-0.3	-0.2	0.0	-0.3	-0.5	-0.2	-0.2	-0.8	-0.4	-18.6	-3.6	1.8	14.9
Other private transfers		-4.7	-5.2	-6.5	-6.6	-7.9	-5.7	-6.1	-12.4	-12.2	-14.3	-17.6	-6.1	-7.8	-49.5	-103.1	-3.1	-53.6
Capital transfers, net		97.8	26.2	-8.3	112.6	46.5	-1.6	69.3	129.5	100.0	59.6	31.0	11.8	270.6	508.2	820.8	172.8	312.6
Credit		97.8	26.4	1.5	112.6	46.5	-1.5	69.3	129.5	100.0	59.6	31.0	11.9	270.6	509.1	831.1	172.8	322.1
General government		96.1	25.5	0.1	112.2	45.8	-1.5	69.3	129.5	99.9	59.6	29.9	11.7	270.6	504.8	827.2	174.5	322.4
ind. EU transfers ¹		96.1	25.5	0.1	112.2	45.8	-1.5	69.3	129.5	99.9	59.6	29.9	11.7	270.6	504.8	827.2	174.5	322.4
Other sectors		1.7	0.8	1.4	0.4	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.1	0.1	0.0	4.3	3.9	-1.7	-0.4
Debit		0.0	-0.2	-9.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.9	-10.3	0.0	-9.4
General government		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
ind. EU transfers		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other sectors		0.0	-0.2	-9.8	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.9	-10.3	0.0	-9.4

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¹ Data provided by the Ministry of Finance and the BNB. The programmes PHARE, ISPA and SAPARD are included.

² Data provided by the banks and the BRC, AFA, Ministry of Defense.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT

	(mln EUR)		Cumulated figures																Change 2014/2013	
	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb. 14	Mar. 14	Apr. 14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Nov 2013	2014*	Nov	Jan-Nov			
Direct investment	221.6	-302.5	94.1	142.9	227.6	10.0	-34.6	10.2	73.8	257.8	-332.5	215.7	408.5	1396.8	1073.5	186.9	-323.3			
Abroad	-13.1	-32.5	-19.1	-7.2	-18.0	-20.9	-33.9	-11.8	-5.2	-17.4	-4.9	-4.2	-8.1	-148.3	-150.6	5.0	-2.3			
Equity capital ¹	-4.0	-19.1	-5.2	-2.3	-7.9	-22.0	-30.0	-8.6	-2.4	-18.1	-4.1	-2.8	-2.1	-90.7	-105.5	1.9	-14.8			
Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			
Other sectors	-4.0	-19.1	-5.2	-2.3	-7.9	-22.0	-30.0	-8.6	-2.4	-18.1	-4.1	-2.8	-2.1	-90.7	-105.5	1.9	-14.8			
Reinvested earnings	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	-1.7			
Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.7	0.0	0.0	0.7			
Other sectors	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.0	0.0	-2.4			
Other capital ²	-9.1	-13.4	-13.9	-4.9	-10.1	1.0	-3.9	-3.2	-2.8	0.7	-0.8	-1.3	-6.0	-59.4	-45.2	3.1	14.2			
Banks	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	-4.0			
Other sectors	-9.1	-13.4	-13.9	-4.9	-10.1	1.0	-3.9	-3.2	-2.8	0.7	-0.8	-1.3	-6.0	-63.4	-45.2	3.1	18.2			
In the reporting economy	234.7	-270.0	113.2	150.0	245.6	30.9	-0.7	22.0	78.9	275.2	-327.6	219.9	416.6	1545.1	1224.2	181.9	-321.0			
Equity capital ³	35.1	217.7	2.2	51.1	47.1	-16.8	-59.1	75.1	99.1	153.3	34.8	17.0	38.0	861.1	441.8	2.9	-419.3			
Banks	-5.7	5.0	-14.1	-14.0	-14.1	-14.1	-61.2	-18.6	14.5	14.5	14.5	0.0	0.0	0.5	-92.8	5.7	-93.4			
Other sectors	40.8	212.7	16.3	65.1	61.2	-2.7	2.1	93.8	84.6	138.8	20.3	17.0	38.0	860.6	534.7	-2.8	-325.9			
incl. Real estate	9.6	12.8	6.4	8.3	11.9	11.9	10.6	15.7	13.5	9.9	8.6	9.2	6.0	139.0	112.0	-3.6	-27.0			
Reinvested earnings ⁴	10.1	10.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.0	13.0	12.8	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	93.4	157.4	5.2	64.0			
Banks	10.1	10.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	13.0	13.0	12.8	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	93.4	157.4	5.2	64.0			
Other sectors	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			
Other capital ²	189.5	-497.8	96.9	84.9	184.5	34.7	45.3	-65.9	-35.4	106.6	-377.7	187.6	363.3	590.6	624.9	173.8	34.3			
Banks	23.1	-7.1	0.6	0.8	0.1	0.8	0.8	-14.4	-1.6	0.5	0.5	-11.3	-13.0	-128.5	-36.2	-36.0	92.2			
Other sectors	166.5	-490.7	96.3	84.1	184.4	33.9	44.6	-51.5	-33.8	106.1	-378.2	198.9	376.3	719.1	661.1	209.8	-58.0			
Mergers and acquisitions, net ⁵	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0			

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¹ On the basis of banks' reports and the quarterly reports of the firms with direct investments abroad.

² On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial and trade credits between related parties.

³ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

⁴ Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and the BNB.

⁵ The 2013 and 2014 data include only banks' data on reinvested earnings.

⁶ Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT

(min EUR)	Change 2014/2013														
	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Nov	Jan-Nov
Portfolio investment	941.9	-97.7	17.2	-197.2	18.5	-80.1	3.3	104.0	1397.4	34.4	80.4	-109.8	67.6	-30.8	1335.6
Assets ^{1,2}	73.8	-113.7	47.9	-187.1	-16.5	-71.9	60.0	63.7	108.1	-6.4	33.9	-218.1	-23.0	-529.0	-209.4
Equities securities	22.6	-28.8	-31.5	-78.8	-20.4	1.4	-50.9	-60.9	-16.9	-21.8	-6.5	-49.3	7.4	-100.2	-328.1
Debt securities	51.2	-84.8	79.4	-108.3	3.9	-73.3	110.9	124.6	124.9	15.4	40.4	-168.7	-30.4	-428.8	118.7
Bonds and notes	50.3	-121.2	78.3	-47.7	-18.4	-94.5	33.7	-41.6	-34.6	-20.3	-9.2	-82.3	-31.9	-376.8	-288.6
MFIs	55.1	-18.9	-35.6	0.6	11.4	-18.8	23.3	29.8	-63.2	8.6	-16.6	-22.2	37.6	-152.3	-45.0
Other sectors	-4.8	-102.3	113.9	-48.4	-29.8	-75.8	10.4	-71.4	28.5	-28.9	7.4	-60.1	-69.5	-224.5	-223.6
Money market instruments	0.9	36.4	1.0	-60.6	22.3	21.2	77.2	166.3	159.6	35.7	49.6	-86.4	1.5	-51.9	387.3
MFIs	-1.9	26.1	-0.6	-78.0	22.3	19.6	77.2	166.3	159.6	33.8	57.9	-83.2	1.5	-146.1	376.3
Other sectors	2.8	10.3	1.6	17.4	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	-8.3	-3.2	0.0	-146.1	11.0
Liabilities ¹	868.1	15.9	-30.7	-10.0	35.0	-8.1	-56.7	40.3	1289.3	40.8	46.5	108.3	90.5	498.2	1545.0
Equities securities	-1.3	0.6	-43.5	-1.9	-4.5	0.1	2.9	-1.2	1.9	-2.0	-2.1	-4.8	-1.0	-14.6	-55.9
MFIs ³	0.0	-0.7	-41.8	-1.5	-1.2	-0.5	-0.5	-0.8	0.3	0.5	-0.2	-4.3	0.1	19.7	-49.8
Other sectors ³	-1.3	1.4	-1.7	-0.4	-3.3	0.6	3.4	-0.5	1.6	-2.5	-1.9	-0.5	-1.1	-34.3	-6.1
Debt securities	869.4	15.3	12.7	-8.2	39.5	-8.3	-59.7	41.6	1287.4	42.8	48.6	113.0	91.6	512.8	1601.0
Bonds and notes	869.4	15.3	12.7	-8.2	39.5	-8.3	-59.7	41.6	1287.4	42.8	48.6	113.0	91.6	512.8	1601.0
General government ^{4,5}	-8.6	13.6	10.6	-10.2	37.3	-9.0	-57.9	34.9	1277.2	42.4	48.6	109.7	91.3	-373.9	1574.9
MFIs ³	40.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-1.0	0.0	0.0	48.0	-1.0
Other sectors ³	838.0	1.7	2.2	2.0	2.2	0.7	-1.7	6.7	10.2	0.3	1.0	3.3	0.2	838.6	27.1
Money market instruments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Monetary authorities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
General government ^{4,5}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MFIs ³	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other sectors ³	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Financial derivatives, net	-3.3	-0.1	-0.3	-1.4	-0.8	-1.2	-0.5	-0.9	-0.8	-1.7	-17.9	-3.4	-0.2	-119.3	-29.1
Assets	-3.4	-0.1	-0.3	-2.4	-0.7	-1.2	-0.4	-0.8	-0.7	-4.6	-17.8	-4.0	0.7	-111.3	-32.2
Liabilities	0.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	2.9	-0.1	0.6	-1.0	-8.0	3.1

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¹ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).

² On the basis of monthly banks', insurance companies and pension funds and other non-bank financial institutions reports and the quarterly reports of other investment intermediaries.

³ Due to the quarterly reporting of the non-bank investment intermediaries the data are subject to revisions.

⁴ Data from the monthly reports of the Central Depository.

⁵ The data on government debt securities, issued on the internal market, are based on quarterly reports of the primary dealers.

⁶ Due to quarterly reports of the primary dealers of government debt securities, data are subject to revisions.

⁷ For issues of government debt securities on external markets the data are from the monthly banks' reports and the Ministry of Finance.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
OTHER INVESTMENT
(STANDARD PRESENTATION)

	(mln EUR)												Change 2014/2013	
	Nov. 13	Dec.13	Jan. 14	Feb.14	Mar.14	Apr.14	May. 14	Jun. 14	Jul. 14	Aug. 14	Sep. 14	Oct. 14	Nov. 14	Jan-Nov
Other investment, net	-1284.6	885.4	-352.2	-7.4	15.4	174.5	-479.4	553.6	-791.6	-495.6	180.7	-30.4	-3208.2	1496.6
Assets	-628.0	337.0	-307.9	-59.2	-79.4	315.9	-470.6	467.5	-579.3	-450.9	-80.3	15.1	-2283.5	1103.1
Trade credits ¹	36.5	36.3	-11.4	-11.4	-11.4	-8.0	-8.0	-8.0	7.2	7.1	7.0	0.0	4.6	-36.5
Loans	-101.1	-104.2	-57.1	-38.5	15.3	-14.5	-55.8	-1.7	-100.1	-31.3	-56.7	-64.3	-356.5	88.8
Banks ²	-98.4	-64.9	-67.3	-32.6	14.9	-18.7	-46.4	5.7	-93.9	-29.1	-33.2	-59.4	-340.0	54.9
Long-term	-7.9	-12.0	-7.7	-3.1	14.8	-8.2	-8.0	6.2	-1.0	-9.6	28.6	-0.2	-55.5	-56.6
Short-term	-90.4	-52.9	-59.6	-29.5	0.1	-10.5	-38.3	-0.5	-92.9	-19.5	-61.8	-59.2	-284.5	111.5
Other sectors ³	-2.8	-39.4	10.2	-5.8	0.4	4.2	-9.4	-7.4	-6.2	-2.2	-23.5	-5.0	-16.5	33.9
Long-term	-0.9	-14.6	7.0	-13.6	-8.2	-2.8	-2.0	-3.9	-2.3	-2.6	-20.5	-3.3	-29.1	33.6
Short-term	-1.8	-24.8	3.2	7.8	8.6	7.0	-7.4	-3.5	-3.9	0.3	-3.0	-1.7	12.6	0.3
Currency and deposits	-512.2	412.0	-234.9	8.1	-76.4	331.1	-411.8	590.6	-564.8	-441.9	-28.6	71.2	-1755.9	1008.7
Banks ⁴	-507.6	416.6	-254.8	-11.8	-96.1	355.6	-387.1	615.5	-563.8	-440.9	-27.6	71.2	-1586.9	1004.0
Other sectors ⁵	-4.7	-4.6	18.4	18.3	18.1	-22.7	-22.9	-23.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-162.5	4.7
Other assets	-51.2	-7.1	-4.5	-17.5	-6.9	7.3	5.1	-113.4	78.4	15.1	-2.0	8.2	-175.7	42.2
Liabilities	-656.5	548.4	-44.4	51.8	94.8	-141.4	-8.8	86.1	-212.4	-44.7	261.0	-45.5	-924.8	393.4
Trade credits ⁶	4.0	4.0	20.4	20.4	20.4	-49.4	-49.4	-49.9	17.0	17.3	18.0	0.0	260.1	-4.0
Loans	-650.8	486.1	58.5	37.9	-52.8	-11.3	57.8	-156.8	-9.5	-150.1	-2.1	44.7	-479.7	776.6
Monetary authorities ⁷	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Use of fund credits and loans	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
General government ⁷	-7.8	197.7	19.9	18.5	-20.3	-8.0	-1.7	5.1	-5.7	-5.0	-2.1	-7.9	45.9	68.8
Long-term	-7.5	74.8	-7.8	21.7	-20.3	-12.1	-4.1	-162.0	-31.7	-153.6	-83.4	61.4	45.9	53.6
Banks ²	-42.5	48.2	-8.3	26.7	30.6	-26.5	-2.2	-132.8	-12.1	-153.6	11.6	-12.9	6.5	18.0
Long-term	35.0	26.6	0.5	-5.1	-26.7	14.4	-1.9	-29.3	-19.6	0.1	-95.0	74.3	259.8	14.4
Short-term	-635.6	213.7	46.4	-2.3	-36.3	8.9	63.5	0.2	28.0	8.4	83.4	-8.7	266.3	3.6
Other sectors ³	4.3	267.3	39.8	30.3	42.8	41.6	54.6	-26.7	20.3	19.4	75.9	-19.1	-532.1	689.9
Long-term	-639.8	-53.6	6.6	-32.6	-79.1	-32.8	8.9	26.9	7.6	-11.0	7.6	10.5	-218.8	38.6
Short-term	-8.8	-31.2	-168.9	-2.9	73.9	-99.5	-6.5	233.4	-160.5	-26.8	182.8	21.5	-313.4	651.3
Currency and deposits ⁸	-8.8	-31.2	-168.9	-2.9	73.9	-99.5	-6.5	233.4	-160.5	-26.8	182.8	21.5	-745.1	-388.0
Banks	-0.9	89.5	45.7	-3.7	53.3	18.4	-10.7	59.3	-59.4	114.9	62.3	-111.7	-745.1	-388.0
Other liabilities													40.0	8.9
													176.5	136.5

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Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

² Data from the monthly banks' reports.

³ Data from the quarterly reports of the firms. Due to the quarterly reporting the data are subject to revisions.

^{4,8} Source: BNB.

⁵ Data source for Other sectors: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.

⁶ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

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⁷ Source: Ministry of Finance and the BNB.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
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STANDARD PRESENTATION *	January - December 2013			January - November 2013			January - November 2014			Change 2014/2013		
	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Extra EU-28	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Extra EU-28	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Extra EU-28	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Extra EU-28
Current account¹	848.2	59.6	788.7	1197.9	429.6	768.4	371.1	303.2	67.9	-826.8	-126.3	-700.4
Goods, services and income, net	-1534.8	-1424.7	-110.1	-1058.5	-946.5	-112.0	-1162.7	-947.5	-215.3	-104.3	-1.0	-103.3
Goods and services, net	-166.6	-187.7	21.1	159.7	159.7	0.0	-34.8	65.9	-100.8	-194.5	-93.8	-100.7
Trade Balance ²	-2430.0	-1453.0	-977.0	-2071.8	-1123.5	-948.3	-2492.3	-1312.4	-1179.9	-420.5	-188.9	-231.6
Goods, credit	2271.4	1335.1	8920.3	20675.2	12461.4	8213.9	20349.2	12720.3	7628.8	-326.0	259.0	-685.0
Goods, debit	-24701.4	-14804.1	-9897.3	-22747.1	-13584.9	-9162.2	-22841.5	-14032.8	-8808.7	-94.4	-447.9	-353.5
Services, net	2263.4	1265.3	998.1	2231.5	1283.3	948.3	2457.5	1378.4	1079.1	226.0	95.1	130.8
Services, credit	5739.8	3464.1	2275.7	5403.2	3266.4	2136.8	5929.0	3646.0	2283.0	525.7	379.6	146.1
Transportation ³	1232.2	691.4	540.9	1164.2	653.5	510.7	826.9	580.2	1407.1	242.9	173.4	69.5
Travel ⁴	3058.4	1785.0	1273.4	2953.4	1734.9	1218.5	3004.2	1780.4	1243.7	50.8	25.5	25.3
Other services	1449.2	987.7	461.5	1285.6	878.0	407.6	1517.7	1058.6	459.0	232.0	180.6	51.4
Services not allocated												
Services, debit	-3476.5	-2198.8	-1277.6	-3171.7	-1983.1	-1188.6	-3471.5	-2267.6	-1203.8	-299.8	-284.5	-15.3
Transportation ³	-1040.2	-506.6	-533.6	-968.0	-464.1	-503.9	-907.0	-449.4	-457.6	60.9	14.6	46.3
Travel ⁴	-1150.4	-704.8	-445.6	-1082.4	-665.6	-415.9	-1149.7	-708.9	-440.8	-67.3	-42.4	-24.9
Other services	-1285.9	-987.5	-288.4	-1121.3	-852.6	-268.7	-1141.7	-1109.3	-305.4	-293.4	-256.7	-36.7
Services not allocated												
Income, net	-1368.2	-1237.0	-131.2	-1218.2	-1106.3	-111.9	-1127.9	-1013.4	-114.5	90.2	92.8	-2.6
Income, credit	859.1	714.0	145.0	793.1	661.4	131.7	848.9	683.3	165.6	55.8	21.9	33.9
Compensation of employees ⁵	406.8	334.3	72.5	385.7	319.2	66.5	416.9	343.1	73.9	31.3	23.8	7.4
Investment income	452.3	379.8	72.5	407.5	342.2	65.3	432.0	340.2	91.7	24.5	-2.0	26.5
Income, debit	-2227.3	-1951.1	-276.2	-2011.3	-1767.7	-243.6	-1976.8	-1696.7	-280.1	34.5	71.0	-36.5
Compensation of employees	-10.1	-9.1	-1.0	-8.2	-7.4	-0.9	-10.5	-8.6	-1.9	-2.3	-1.2	-1.1
Investment income	-2217.2	-1942.0	-275.2	-2003.1	-1760.3	-242.8	-1966.3	-1688.1	-278.2	36.8	72.2	-35.4
Current transfers, net	2383.1	1484.3	898.8	2256.4	1376.1	880.3	1533.9	1250.7	283.2	-722.5	-125.4	-597.1
Current transfers, credit	3072.2	2096.2	976.0	2873.4	1926.0	947.4	2115.2	1764.6	350.6	-758.2	-161.4	-596.8
Current transfers, debit	-689.1	-611.9	-77.2	-617.0	-549.9	-67.0	-581.3	-513.9	-67.4	35.7	36.1	-0.4
Capital account^{1,4,7}	467.6	483.4	-15.8	445.0	461.4	-16.4	820.8	820.6	0.3	375.8	359.1	16.7
Capital transfers, net	534.4	533.4	1.0	508.2	507.8	0.4	820.8	818.6	2.2	312.6	310.8	1.8
Capital transfers, credit	535.4	534.0	1.4	509.1	508.3	0.7	831.1	828.8	2.4	322.1	320.4	1.6
Capital transfers, debit	-1.0	-0.6	-0.4	-0.9	-0.5	-0.3	-10.3	-10.1	-0.2	-9.4	-9.6	0.2
Financial account^{1,6}	-877.2	-1954.4	1077.2	-1165.2	-2309.2	1144.0	-137.5	-351.4	213.9	1027.7	1957.8	-930.1
Direct investment	1094.3	1086.2	8.1	1396.8	1348.1	48.7	1073.5	831.6	242.0	-323.3	-516.6	193.3
Abroad	-180.8	-81.6	-99.2	-148.3	-59.4	-89.9	-150.6	-43.0	-107.6	-2.3	16.4	-18.7
Equity capital	-109.8	-85.2	-24.6	-90.7	-68.2	-22.5	-105.5	-50.6	-54.9	-14.8	17.6	-32.3
Reinvested earnings	1.7	3.6	-1.8	1.7	3.6	-1.8	-45.2	7.6	-52.8	-1.7	-3.6	1.8
Other capital	-72.8	0.0	-72.8	-59.4	5.2	-64.5	-45.2	7.6	-52.8	14.2	2.4	11.8
In the reporting economy ⁸	1275.1	1167.8	107.3	1545.1	1407.5	137.6	1224.2	874.6	349.6	-321.0	-533.0	212.0
Equity capital	1078.8	888.2	190.6	861.1	692.8	168.3	441.8	164.2	277.7	-419.3	-528.6	109.4
Reinvested earnings	103.4	107.5	-4.0	93.4	97.2	-3.8	157.4	163.2	-5.8	64.0	-2.0	66.0
Other capital ⁹	92.8	172.1	-79.3	590.6	617.6	-26.9	624.9	547.2	77.7	34.3	-70.4	104.6
Mergers and acquisitions, net ¹⁰												
Portfolio investment	-128.5	-473.6	345.1	-30.8	-380.2	349.4	1335.6	-29.6	1365.2	1366.4	350.6	1015.7
Assets ¹¹	-642.6	-536.6	-106.0	-529.0	-442.1	-86.9	-209.4	-36.9	-172.5	319.5	405.2	-85.6
Equities securities	-129.0	-63.3	-65.8	-100.2	-48.0	-52.3	-328.1	-210.1	-81.0	-227.9	-199.2	-28.7
Debt securities	-513.6	-473.3	-40.2	-428.8	-394.1	-34.6	-118.7	210.2	-91.5	547.5	604.3	-56.9
Liabilities	514.1	63.0	451.1	498.2	61.9	435.3	1545.0	7.3	1537.7	1046.9	54.5	1101.4
Equities securities	-14.0	25.7	-39.7	-14.6	24.4	-39.0	-27.1	-28.9	-41.3	10.1	-51.5	10.1
Debt securities	528.1	37.3	490.8	512.8	37.4	475.3	1601.0	34.4	1566.6	1088.2	-3.1	1091.3
Financial derivatives, net	-119.4	-110.9	-8.5	-119.3	-110.8	-8.5	-29.1	-26.8	-2.2	90.2	83.9	6.3

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	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶	Rest of the World	Intra EU-28 ¹⁶
Other investment	-2322.8	-2456.1	-3208.2	-3166.3	-1020.4	-1126.6	2187.8	2039.8
Assets	-1946.5	-1479.9	-2283.5	-1819.9	-753.9	-880.9	1529.6	938.9
Trade credits ¹²	40.9	3.5	-22.8	-22.8	-36.8	2.5	-41.5	25.3
Loans	-460.7	-354.8	-356.5	-250.3	-417.0	-382.9	-60.5	-132.6
Currency and deposits ¹³	-1343.9	-1047.5	-1755.9	-1480.9	-261.0	-427.8	1494.9	1053.2
Other assets	-182.8	-81.1	-175.7	-65.8	-39.1	-72.8	136.6	-6.9
Liabilities	-376.3	-976.2	-924.8	-1346.5	-266.5	-245.7	658.2	1100.8
Trade credits ¹⁴	264.0	69.3	260.1	72.6	-34.9	33.1	-294.9	-39.4
Loans	6.4	-326.9	-479.7	-650.6	170.9	-32.5	421.9	618.1
Currency and deposits	-776.3	-799.7	-745.1	-751.9	-57.8	-394.3	394.8	357.6
Other liabilities	129.5	81.1	40.0	-16.6	176.5	148.0	136.5	164.6
BNB Reserve assets (increase: -) ¹⁵	599.2		796.3		-1497.1		-2293.4	
Net Errors and Omissions	-438.7		-477.8		-1054.5		-576.7	

* Standard presentation in accordance with IMF 5-th edition of the "Balance of Payments Manual".

¹ Preliminary data. In accordance with the BNB practice and with the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 are revised. With the December 2014 report, balance of payments data for November 2014 are to be revised.

² For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 which include data from the system INTRASTAT for the EU member states and from customs declarations for non-EU countries. The recalculation of imports at FOB prices is based on a methodology developed by the BNB and the NSI.

³ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB and the NSI.

⁴ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB. NSI data on the number of foreign visitors and Bulgarians, who have travelled abroad and BNB estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel.

⁵ Estimates following a methodology of the BNB.

⁶ A minus sign denotes a capital outflow (increase in assets or decrease in liabilities).

⁷ The item includes *Capital transfers* and *Acquisition/Disposal of nonproduced nonfinancial assets*.

⁸ Preliminary data. Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to BNB, Agency for Privatization, NSI, Central Depository, banks and others.

⁹ On the basis of the reports submitted to the BNB by the enterprises with financial credits received from non-residents.

¹⁰ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹¹ Mergers and acquisitions are included in this item.

¹² Banks, other nonbank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds' data.

¹³ Data on net change of trade credits-assets (paid advances and receivables from suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁴ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁵ Data source for Other sectors: BIS International Banking Statistics, Data till June 2014, published in October 2014 have been used.

¹⁶ Data on net change of trade credits-liabilities (received advances and payables to suppliers), reported to the BNB are included in this item.

¹⁷ Due to quarterly reporting data are subject to revisions.

¹⁸ Excluding valuation changes due to the exchange rate or price changes, changes associated with the creation of reserve assets (monetization/demonetization of gold and the allocation or cancellation of SDRs) and reclassifications. A minus sign (-) denotes an increase in the reserves, a positive sign (+) - a decrease.

¹⁹ For the purpose of comparability of the data for the period January 2010 – June 2013, Croatia's time series have been included in the EU data.

EXTERNAL SECTOR INDICATORS

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2013	X	2014	2014	XI	2014
Gross External Debt¹														
Gross external debt, Euro million ²	20690.9	29016.8	37246.5	37816.4	37026.3	36294.9	37713.6	36924.2	36768.1	38676.7	37135.1			
Public Sector External Debt, Euro million ³	4547.3	4092.3	3935.9	4208.3	4326.9	4205.0	4578.9	4062.2	4111.9	5461.9	3882.3			
Private Sector External Debt, Euro million ⁴	16143.6	24924.5	33310.6	33608.2	32699.4	32089.8	33134.6	32862.0	32656.2	33214.8	33252.8			
Gross External Debt (% GDP ⁵)	82.0	91.0	102.2	104.8	100.7	90.5	92.2	90.0	89.6	96.1	90.5			
Public Sector External Debt (% GDP)	18.0	12.8	10.8	11.7	11.8	10.5	11.2	9.9	10.0	13.6	9.5			
Private Sector External Debt (% GDP)	64.0	78.2	91.4	93.2	88.9	80.0	81.0	80.1	79.6	82.5	81.0			
Gross External Debt (% of exports of GNFS ⁶)	127.7	158.8		227.6	180.0	141.7	142.5	131.8						
Short term debt/Gross external debt (%)	29.8	32.3	34.7	32.1	30.2	27.9	27.5	25.9	27.8	23.9	25.9			
Short term debt (% GDP)	23.0	29.4	35.5	33.6	30.5	25.2	25.3	23.3	24.9	23.0	23.5			
Gross External Debt Service¹														
Gross External Debt Service, Euro million ⁷	4586.3	6290.9	7257.4	7376.9	7230.2	6807.5	6632.7	7044.1	5178.1	3841.3	5652.6			
Principal, Euro million	4124.7	5647.4	6499.3	6703.1	6700.1	6154.4	5986.3	6507.2	4734.4	3530.9	5188.4			
Interest, Euro million	461.5	643.5	758.2	673.8	530.1	653.1	646.4	536.9	443.8	310.5	464.3			
Public Sector Debt Service, Euro million ³	1105.5	1188.4	1235.0	602.3	617.1	753.0	995.1	1496.0	1024.6	658.9	1259.3			
Principal, Euro million	865.1	935.8	1002.4	417.7	449.6	567.3	836.3	1345.3	886.7	556.0	1118.3			
Interest, Euro million	240.4	252.5	232.6	184.5	167.5	185.7	158.7	150.7	137.9	102.9	141.0			
Private Sector Debt Service, Euro million ⁴	3480.7	5102.6	6022.4	6774.6	6613.1	6054.5	5637.6	5548.1	4153.5	3182.5	4393.3			
Principal, Euro million	3259.6	4711.6	5496.9	6285.4	6250.5	5587.1	5149.9	5161.8	3847.6	2974.9	4070.0			
Interest, Euro million	221.1	391.0	525.5	489.2	362.6	467.4	487.7	386.2	305.9	207.5	323.3			
Gross External Debt service (% of GDP)	18.2	20.4	20.5	21.1	19.7	17.0	16.2	17.2	12.6	9.5	13.8			
Gross External Debt Service (% of exports of GNFS)	28.3	34.4	35.3	44.4	35.1	26.6	25.1	25.1	21.8	16.0	21.7			
Balance of Payments (year to date)¹														
(in millions Euro)														
Current Account	-4647.8	-7755.2	-8182.5	-3116.2	-533.1	33.2	-458.0	848.2	1236.6	461.6	1197.9	371.1		
Trade Balance ⁸	-5562.3	-7245.3	-8597.7	-4173.9	-2763.7	-2156.1	-3460.3	-2430.0	-1886.6	-2325.5	-2071.8	-2492.3		
Exports, f.o.b.	12011.9	13511.9	15204.0	11699.2	15561.2	20264.3	20770.2	22271.4	18644.9	18382.0	20875.2	20349.2		
Imports, f.o.b.	269	12.5	12.5	-23.1	33.0	30.2	2.5	7.2	7.9	-1.4	7.5	-1.6		
Imports, f.o.b. (yoy percentage change)	17574.1	20757.2	23801.7	15873.1	18324.8	22420.4	24230.4	24701.4	20531.5	20707.5	22747.1	22841.5		
Imports, f.o.b. (yoy percentage change)	26.7	18.1	14.7	-33.3	15.4	22.3	8.1	1.9	1.4	0.9	1.7	0.4		
Current and Capital Account	-4467.8	-8342.6	-7905.1	-2639.1	-242.2	536.8	93.5	1315.9	1595.3	1003.8	1642.9	1192.0		
Capital and Financial Account	7284.6	13089.0	11740.8	1640.5	-382.2	-1806.0	-1008.5	-1478.5	-1214.0	-1516.5	-2180.5			
Financial Account (in millions Euro)	7094.6	13676.4	11463.3	1163.4	-673.1	-885.8	1254.6	-1476.4	-1837.1	671.9	-1961.5	1359.7		
Foreign Direct Investment ⁹	6221.6	9051.8	6727.8	2436.9	1151.2	1330.2	1141.7	1275.1	1310.4	807.6	1545.1	1224.2		
FDI/CA deficit (%)	133.9	116.7	82.2	78.2	216.0		249.3							
Portfolio Investment - Assets ¹⁰	-289.4	-129.3	-252.9	-623.5	-547.9	-47.5	-1449.5	-761.9	-713.4	-211.8	-644.9	-238.3		
Portfolio Investment - Liabilities ¹⁰	581.6	-389.1	-478.0	4.4	-87.5	-309.9	562.7	514.1	-370.0	1454.5	498.2	1545.0		
Other investments - Assets ¹⁰	-2348.8	552.2	104.9	-632.3	-26.2	-708.3	435.0	-1946.5	-1655.4	-1229.0	-2283.5	-753.9		
Other investments - Liabilities ¹⁰	3173.1	4865.5	5927.1	-72.2	-964.1	-967.5	868.2	-376.3	-268.2	-3.4	-924.8	-266.5		
(% of GDP)														
Current Account	-17.3	-24.3	-22.4	-8.6	-1.5	0.1	-1.1	2.1	3.0	1.1	2.9	0.9		
Trade Balance	-20.7	-22.7	-23.6	-11.6	-7.5	-5.4	-8.5	-5.9	-4.6	-5.8	-5.0	-6.2		
Exports, f.o.b.	45.4	42.4	41.7	32.4	42.3	50.5	50.8	54.3	45.4	45.7	50.4	50.6		
Imports, f.o.b.	66.4	65.1	65.3	44.0	49.8	55.9	59.2	60.2	50.0	51.4	55.4	56.7		
Services, net	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.6	5.1	5.8	5.5	5.5	5.3	6.0	5.4	6.1		
Travel balance	3.3	4.0	3.6	3.9	4.9	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6		
Income balance	-2.5	-7.4	-4.8	-3.3	-3.1	-4.5	-3.3	-3.3	-2.9	-2.8	-3.0	-2.8		
Current Transfers balance	2.5	2.1	2.4	2.7	4.1	4.2	5.0	5.8	5.2	3.6	5.5	3.8		
Current and Capital Account	-16.7	-26.2	-21.7	-7.3	-0.7	1.3	0.2	3.2	3.9	2.5	4.0	3.0		
Capital and Financial Account	27.1	41.1	32.2	4.5	-1.0	-1.0	4.4	-2.5	-3.6	3.0	-3.7	5.4		
Financial Account	26.4	42.9	31.4	3.2	-1.8	-2.2	3.1	-3.6	-4.5	1.7	-4.8	3.4		
FDI	23.2	28.4	18.5	6.8	3.1	3.3	2.8	3.1	3.2	2.0	3.8	3.0		
Portfolio Investment - Assets	-1.1	-0.4	-0.7	-1.7	-1.5	-0.1	-3.5	-1.9	-1.7	-0.5	-1.6	-0.6		
Portfolio Investment - Liabilities	2.2	-1.2	-1.3	0.0	-0.2	-0.8	1.4	1.3	-0.9	3.6	1.2	3.8		
Other investment - Assets	-8.8	1.7	0.3	-1.8	0.0	-1.8	1.1	-4.7	-4.0	-3.1	-5.6	-1.9		
Other investment - Liabilities	11.8	15.3	16.3	-0.2	-2.6	-2.4	2.1	-0.9	-0.7	0.0	-2.3	-0.7		

EXTERNAL SECTOR INDICATORS

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2013	X	2014	2014	XI
Other indicators ¹¹													
Gross External Assets (in million Euro) ¹²	14146.7	17026.2	17620.9	18312.2	18883.8	19601.9	22124.0	22567.3	22437.1	25184.1	22832.0	25657.1	
BNB reserve assets (in million Euro) ¹³	8926.4	11936.6	12713.1	12918.9	12976.7	13348.7	15552.5	14425.9	14451.6	16061.1	14289.1	16534.1	
CB foreign assets (in million Euro)	4227.1	4026.3	3909.0	4097.5	4075.8	4617.0	5128.3	6961.0	6775.5	7995.9	7333.0	7995.9	
Nonfinancial sector deposits abroad (in million Euro) ¹⁴	993.2	1063.2	998.7	1295.9	1831.3	1636.1	1443.2	1180.4	1209.9	1127.1	1209.9	1127.1	
Net External Debt (in million Euro) ¹⁵	6544.2	11990.7	19625.6	19504.2	18142.5	16693.0	15656.1	14356.9	14331.0	13492.6	14303.1		
Net External Debt (% GDP)	24.7	39.0	55.4	55.8	50.3	43.4	39.2	35.0	34.9	33.5	34.8		
International Investment Position, Net (in million Euro) ¹⁶	-15349.7	-24965.5	-34879.9	-35568.2	-34384.5	-33088.5	-31431.2	-30805.3					
International Investment Position, Net (% of GDP)	-57.2	-81.1	-98.4	-101.8	-95.4	-85.9	-78.7	-75.0					
BNB reserve assets in months of GNFS imports ¹⁷	5.1	5.9	5.5	8.0	7.3	6.3	6.7	6.1	6.2	6.7	6.1	6.9	
BNB reserve assets/ Short term debt	145.0	127.2	98.4	106.5	115.9	132.0	149.2	151.1	141.2	173.5	148.3		
BNB reserve assets (%) / FX deposits of population ¹⁸	206.9	202.1	179.0	158.7	154.9	152.2	178.5	155.8	158.3	170.3	157.4	174.7	
Nominal effective exchange rate (Index June 1997=100) ¹⁹	126.4	127.5	131.2	134.0	130.5	132.1	131.0	134.1	133.4	135.5	133.5	136.4	
Real effective exchange rate (Index June 1997=100), e.o.p. ²⁰	149.0	162.0	173.9	174.3	172.0	172.9	174.6	173.4	172.9	171.8	172.8	172.3	

¹¹ Preliminary data for 2013 and 2014. In accordance with the practice of the BNB and the ECB data revision requirements (included in the ECB/Inettable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB), the data for October 2014 have been revised.

¹² Flow data include the period from the beginning of the year to the reporting month; stock data are as of the end of the reporting month.

¹³ The EUR equivalent is calculated using e.o.p. exchange rates of the respective foreign currencies. Data on external liabilities on trade credits are included in the debt stock.

¹⁴ Includes General Government's external debt, the external debt of banks from the public sector and of non-financial enterprises from the public sector, as well as the publicly guaranteed external debt of the private sector (in accordance with paras 5.5–5.6 of External Debt Statistics: Guide for Compilers and Users, 2003). Sources: Ministry of Finance, Bulgarian National Bank, banks, local companies.

¹⁵ Sources: banks, local companies.

¹⁶ The indicators that are based on gross domestic product (GDP) are calculated using the following data: GDP for 2013 amounting to EUR 41,047.3 million (NSI data as of 1 October, 2014 according to ESA 2010), and EUR 40,250 million for 2014 (BNB estimate).

¹⁷ Goods and non-factor services. The indicator is calculated on an annual basis.

¹⁸ Actual payments. The EUR equivalent is calculated using the monthly average exchange rates of the respective foreign currencies. Payments on revolving credits are not included.

¹⁹ For 2014 preliminary NSI data as of 8 January 2015 are used, which include data from their/rastat system for the EU member states, and from customs declarations for non-EU countries.

²⁰ Data are provided by direct investment companies reporting to the BNB, by the Agency for Privatisation, the NSI, the Central Depository and the banks.

¹¹ A negative sign (-) denotes an increase in assets and a decrease in liabilities, and a positive sign (+) denotes a decrease in assets and an increase in liabilities. Including financial derivatives.

¹² Data source for the monetary aggregates, banks' assets abroad and the forex deposits: Monetary Survey, November 2014.

¹³ Including BNB reserve assets, banks assets abroad and nonfinancial sector deposits abroad.

¹⁴ Including monetary and non-monetary gold. Source: Issue Department, BNB.

¹⁵ Data source for Other sectors: BIS International Banking Statistics. Data till June 2014 published in October 2014 have been used.

¹⁶ Calculated as the difference between the stocks of gross external debt and gross external assets.

¹⁷ International investment position (IIP) data are published quarterly, within 3 months after the reporting period.

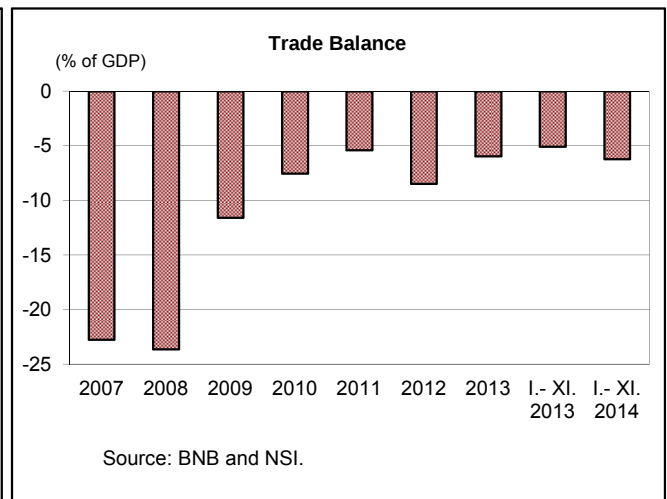
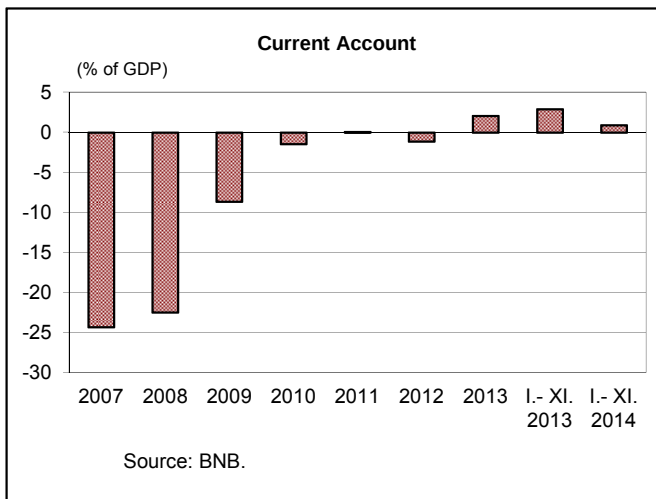
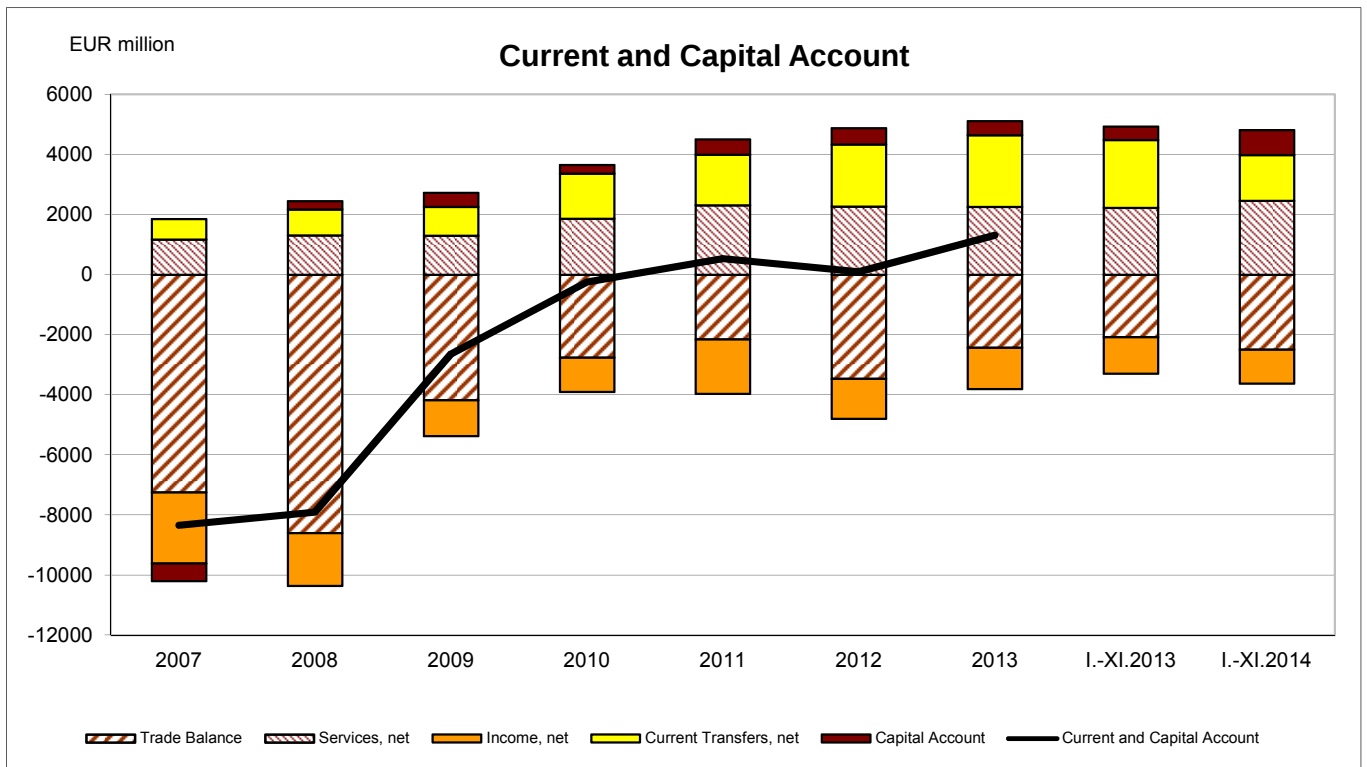
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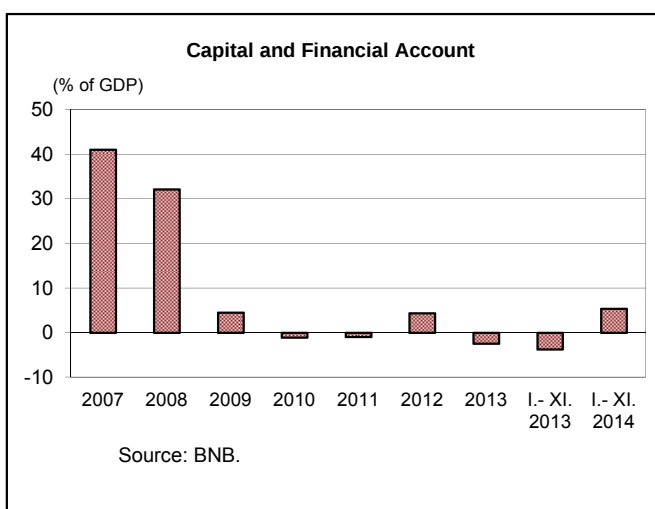
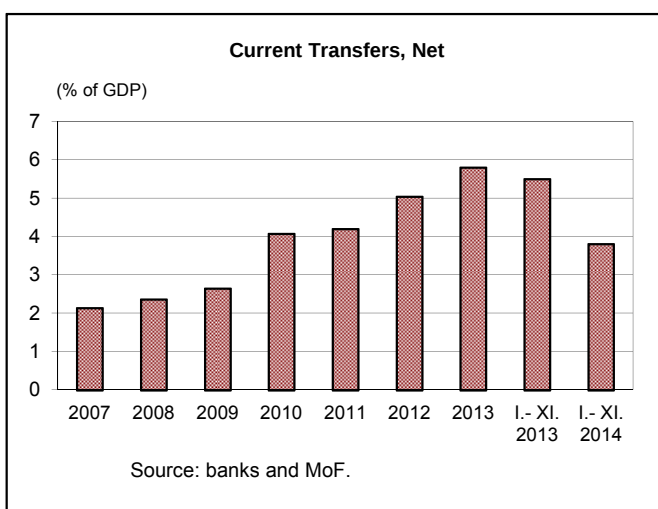
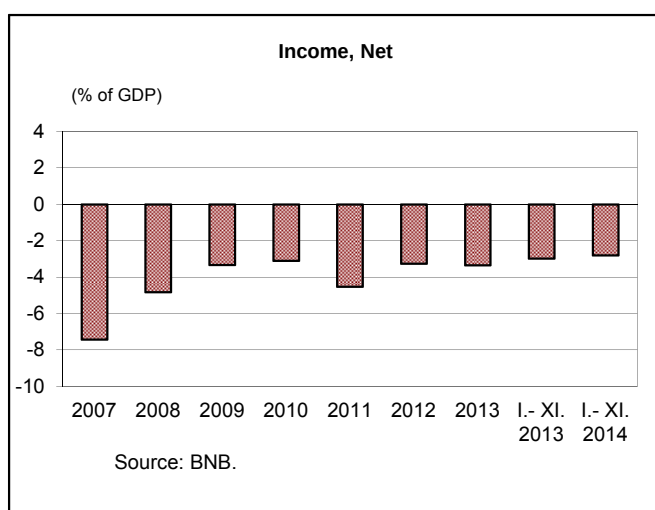
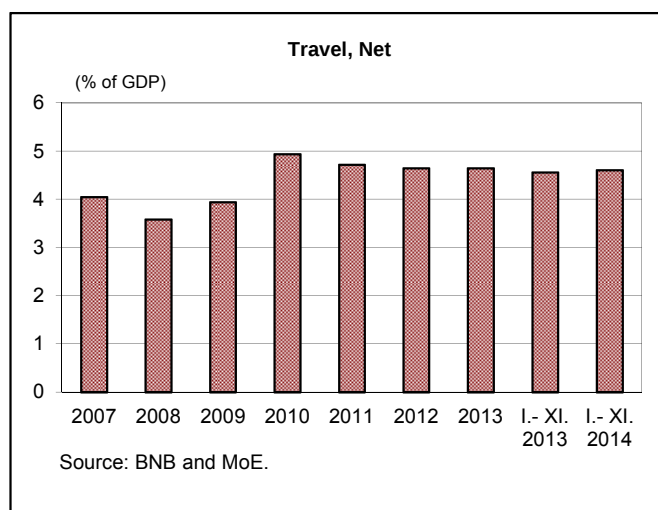
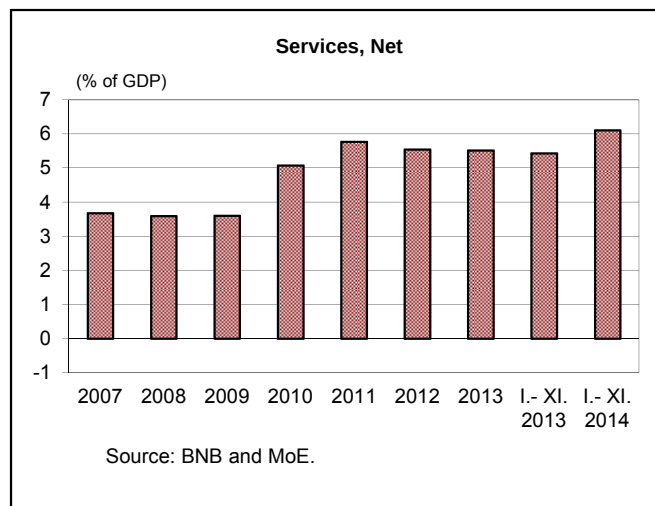
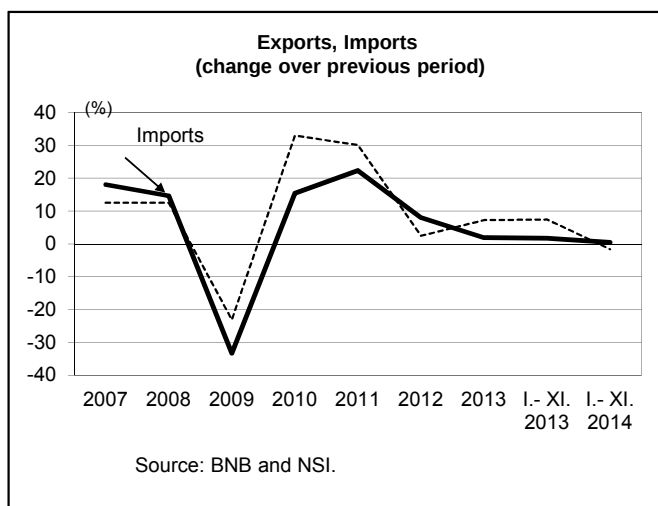
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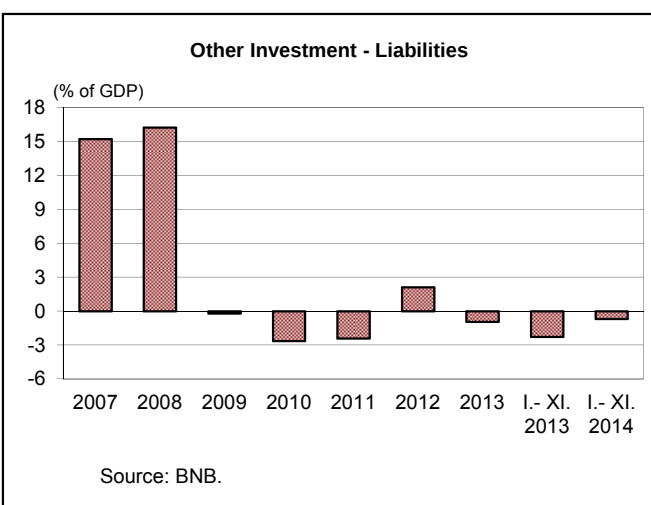
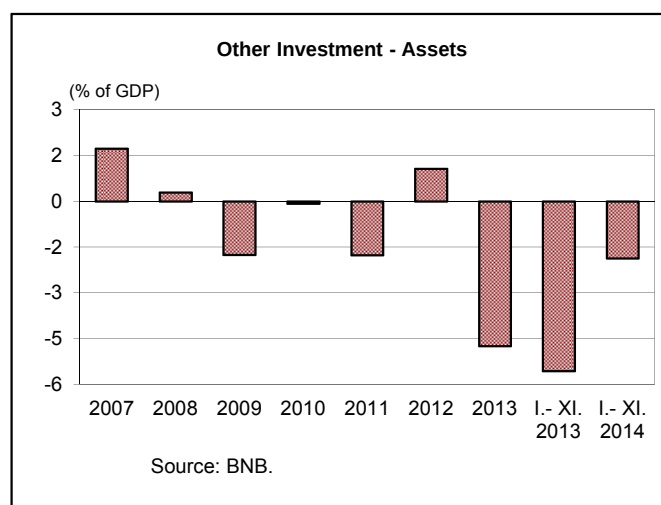
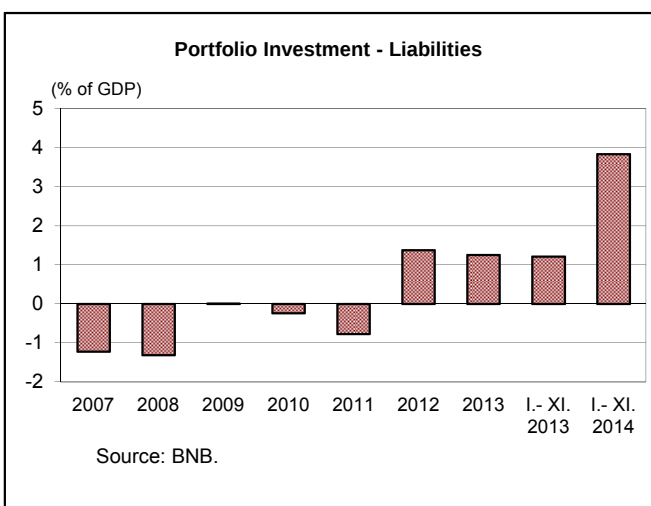
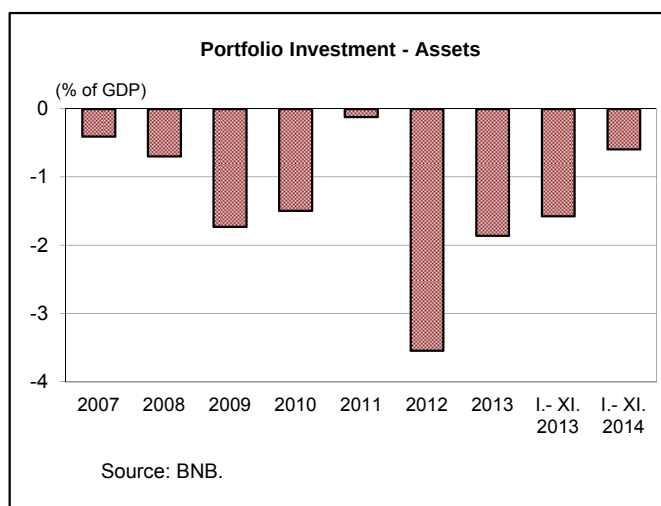
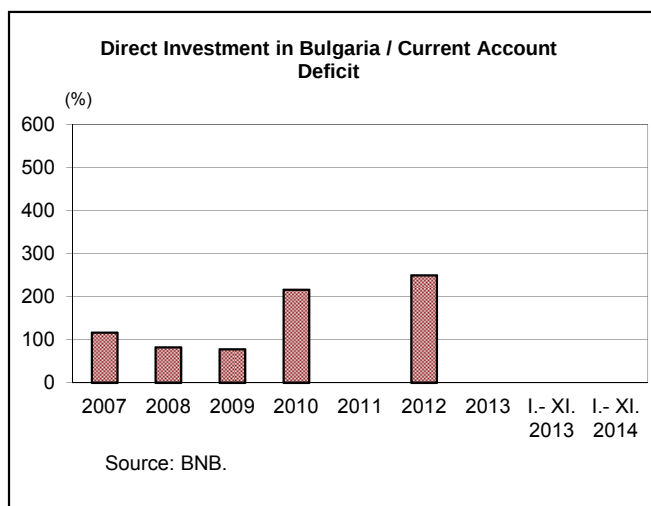
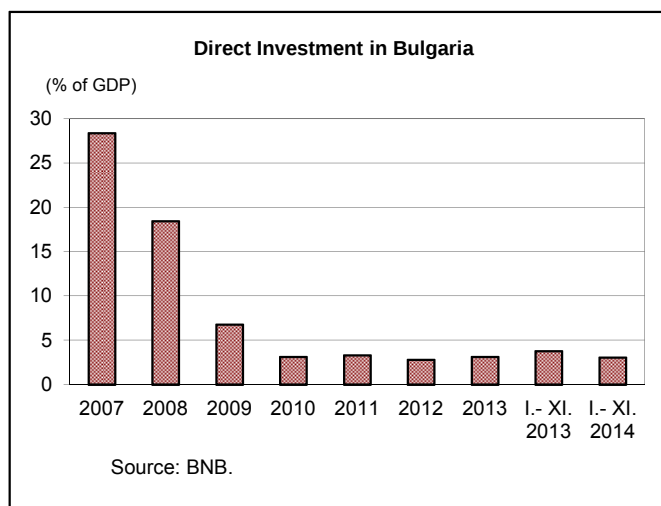
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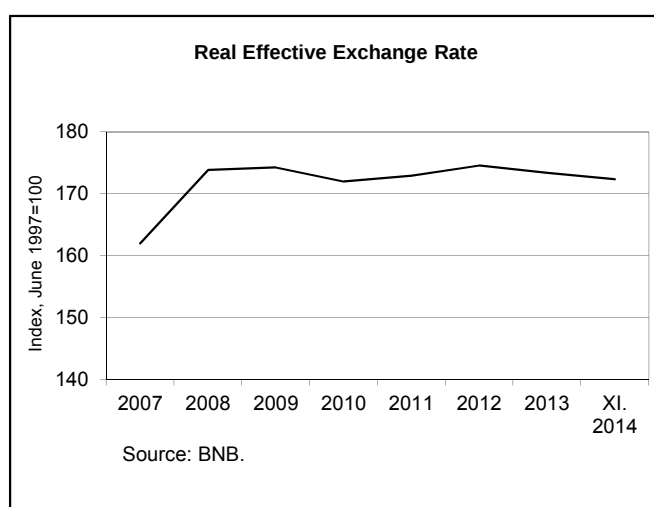
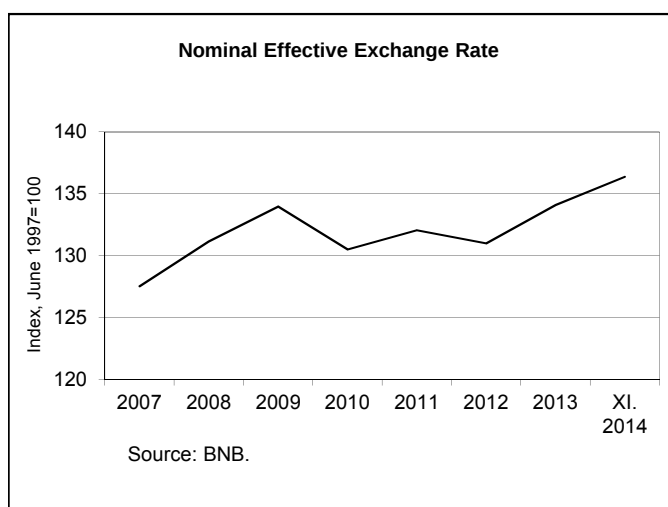
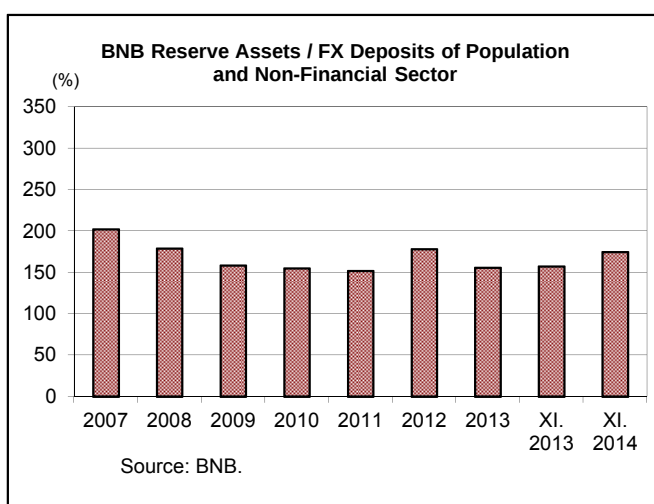
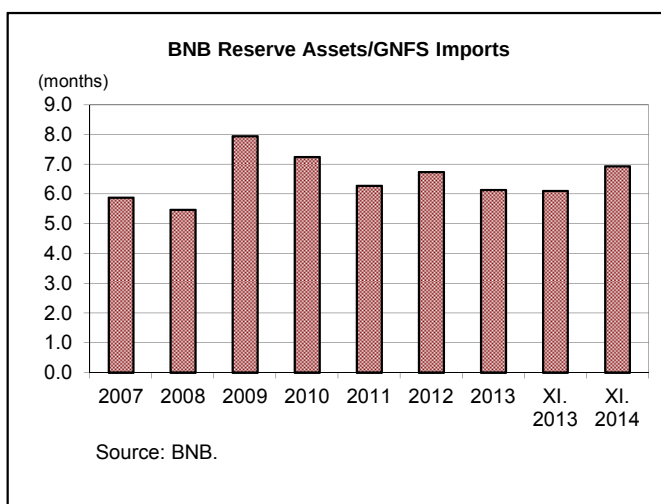
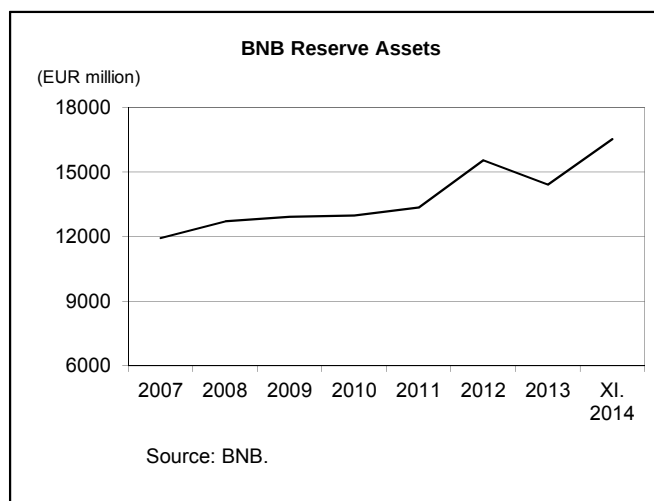
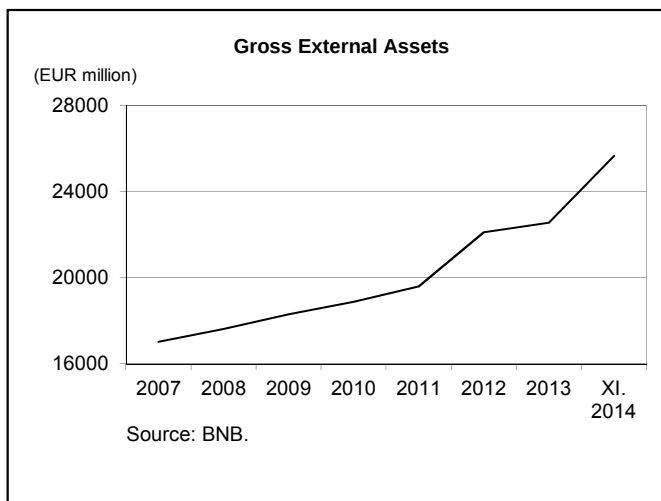
²¹ CPI based index calculated for the reporting month.

External Sector Indicators









EXTERNAL TRADE

EXTERNAL TRADE OF BULGARIA¹

January – October 2014

Exports

In January – October 2014 exports (*FOB*) amounted to EUR 18,382 million compared with EUR 18,644.9 million in the same period of 2013, decreasing by EUR 262.9 million (1.4%) year-on-year.

End Use

The decrease in exports on a year-on-year basis could be attributed mostly to *petroleum products* (down by EUR 511.3 million, 20.4%), *raw materials for the food industry* (by EUR 461.9 million, 23.9%), and *non-ferrous metals* (by EUR 127.2 million, 6.4%), whereas an increase was reported in the exports of *other investment goods* (by EUR 130.7 million, 19.5%), *other consumer goods* (by EUR 115.7 million, 20.3%), *medicines and cosmetics* (by EUR 113.4 million, 17.2%) and *food* – (by EUR 90.4 million, 10.4%).

Commodity Groups²

On year-on-year basis, the decrease in exports by commodity groups in January – October 2014 was due mostly to *mineral fuels, oils & products of their distillation* (Division 27) – down by EUR 473.6 million (16.9%), *cereals* (Division 10) – by EUR 321.7 million (31.4%), *copper and articles thereof* (Division 74) – by EUR 158.5 million (8.5%) and *oil seed oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grain, seed, fruit etc.* (Division 12) – by EUR 137.6 million (21.7%). An increase was reported on a year-on-year basis in the exports of *nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance* (Division 84) by EUR 115.7 million (8.6%) and of *electrical machines, equipment parts thereof* (Division 85) – by EUR 105.3 million (7.3%).

Main Trade Partners and Regions

▪ European Union³

- Exports to the European Union increased by EUR 265.2 million (2.4%) on a year-on-year basis, their share in total exports growing from 60.1% in January – October 2013 to 62.4% in the same period of 2014.
- The largest increase on a year-on-year basis was that in the exports to *Belgium* (by EUR 289.2 million, 62.4%), *Italy* (by EUR 33.3 million, 2%), *Poland* (by EUR 30.7 million, 9.1%).

¹ The part *External Trade of Bulgaria* of the issue *Balance of Payments of Bulgaria* covers a reporting period one month shorter than that of the balance of payments. According to Regulation (EC) No 638/2004 of the European Parliament and the Council NSI provides the EUROSTAT with detailed data on dispatches and arrivals of goods within the EU (INTRASTAT) within 70 days after the end of the reporting month (see methodological notes).

² Commodity groups include divisions of the *Combined Nomenclature* (Eurostat).

³ For the purpose of comparability of the data for the period January – July 2013, Croatia's time series have been included in the EU data.

A decline was reported in the exports to *Germany* (by EUR 124.1 million, 5.2%), to *Greece* (by EUR 91.5 million, 7%), and to *Spain* (by EUR 45.4 million, 10.8%).

▪ *Non-European Union Countries*⁴

- Exports to non-EU countries decreased by EUR 528.1 million (7.1%) year-on-year, its share in total exports dropping from 39.9% in January – October 2013 to 37.6% in the same period of 2014.

- The decrease in exports was contributed mostly by *Gibraltar* (down by EUR 270.3 million, 67.2%), and to *Ukraine* (by EUR 241.2 million, 63.4%). Exports to *Singapore* increased by EUR 272.8 (121.6%), and to the *United Arab Emirates* grew by EUR 35.8 million (19.8%) year-on-year.

▪ *Countries with Highest Shares in Total Exports*

- The exports to *Germany* had the highest share in total exports (12.2% of total exports, EUR 2,242.5 million), followed by *Turkey* (9.2%, EUR 1,689.8 million), *Italy* (9.1%, EUR 1,667.5 million), and *Romania* (8.1%, EUR 1,479.8 million).

**Impact of Physical Volumes and Prices on Exports and Imports
of Selected Groups of Goods¹**

(EUR million)

	Change against January – October 2014		
	Total	due to the factor:	
		quantity	price
Exports			
<i>Petroleum Products</i>	-511.3	-352.2	-159.1
<i>Non-Ferrous Metals</i>	-127.2	43.0	-170.3
Imports			
<i>Cruide Oil and Natural Gas</i>	-618.4	-383.9	-234.4
<i>Non-Ferrous Ores</i>	-254.1	-138.9	-115.2

¹ By End Use.

A minus sign denotes a decrease in exports receipts/imports payments.

Imports (CIF)

Imports (*CIF*) amounted to EUR 21,641 million in January – October 2014, compared with EUR 21,472.3 million in the same period of 2013, growing by EUR 168.7 million (0.8%).

End Use

The increase in imports (*CIF*) on a year-on-year basis can be attributed mostly to *other investment goods* (up by EUR 282.9 million, 38.6%), *vehicles* (by EUR 128.7 million, 15.5%), and *machines and equipment* (by EUR 109.9 million, 6.5%). A decline was reported in the

⁴ For the purpose of comparability of the data for the period January – July 2013, Croatia's time series have been excluded from the non-EU countries data.

imports of *crude oil and natural gas* (by EUR 618.4 million, 16.8%), and *ores* (by EUR 254.6 million, 18.2%).

Commodity Groups

The largest increase in imports (CIF) on a year-on-year basis was that in *articles of iron and steel* (Division 73) – up by EUR 249 million (56.4%); in *vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories* (Division 87) – by EUR 190.8 million (17.1%); and in *nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance, parts* (Division 84) – by EUR 134.5 million (6.9%). A decline was reported in the imports of *mineral fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.* (Division 27) – down by EUR 605.8 million (12.1%), and of *ores, slag and ash* (Division 26) – by EUR 254.6 million (18.2%).

Main Trade Partners and Regions⁵

■ European Union³

- The imports from the EU increased by EUR 413.2 million (4%) year-on-year, its share in total imports growing from 48.4% in January – October 2013 to 50% in the same period of 2014.

- The highest increase in imports on a year-on-year basis was that from *Germany* (by EUR 199.5 million, 9.5%), from the *Czech Republic* (by EUR 67.2 million, 17.1%), and from *Great Britain* (by EUR 60.4 million, 17.9%). A decline was reported in the imports from *Greece* (by EUR 105.5 million, 10%) and from *Italy* (by EUR 61.7 million, 3.9%).

■ Non-European Union Countries⁴

- Imports from non-EU countries decreased on a year-on-year basis by EUR 244.5 million (2.2%), their share in total imports dropping from 51.6% in January – October 2013 to 50% in the same period of 2014.

- The decrease in imports was contributed mostly by *Russia* – down by EUR 529.6 million (13.3%). Imports from *China* grew by EUR 173.1 million (13.7%), from *other regions* – by EUR 144.9 million (37%), and from the *USA* – by EUR 107.3 million (30.6%).

■ Countries with Largest Shares in Total Imports (CIF)

- The largest share in total imports (CIF) was held by *Russia* (16% of total imports, EUR 3,453.8 million), followed by *Germany* (10.7%, EUR 2,309.3 million), *Italy* (7%, EUR 1,505.9 million), and *China* (6.6%, EUR 1,437.9 million).

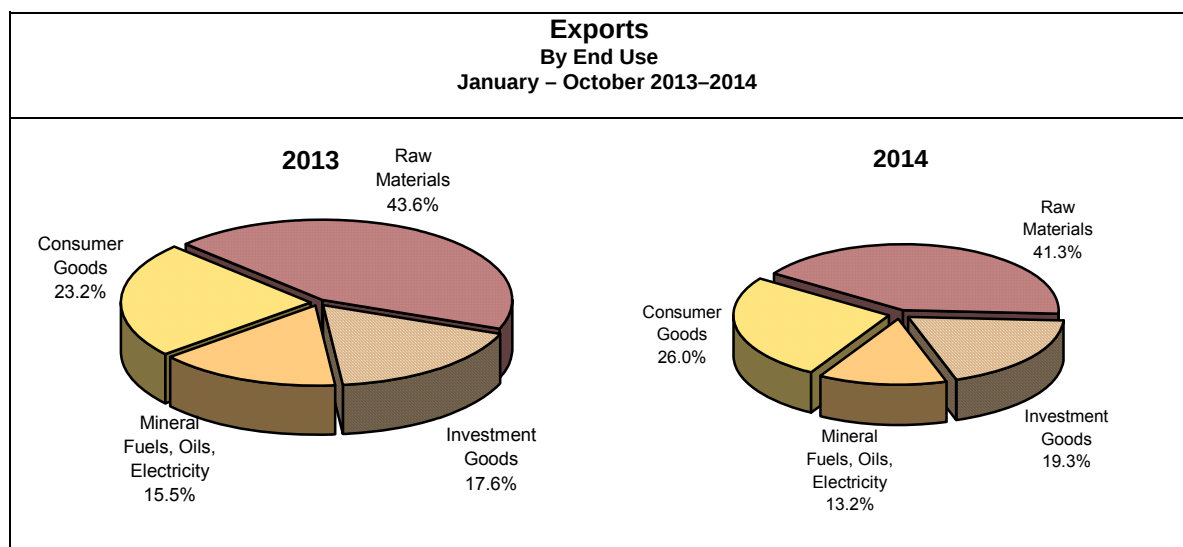
⁵ By country of origin.

Contribution to the Change of Total Exports and Total Imports
(By End Use)

Exports (by End Use)	Share (%) 2013	Contribution to the Change of Total Exports ¹ (compared to the corresponding period of the previous year) (p.p.)			
		October		January – October	
		2013	2014	2013	2014
Consumer Goods	23.2	3.2	3.3	1.7	2.5
Raw Materials	43.6	5.4	0.3	3.5	-2.8
Investment Goods	17.6	2.7	1.2	2.4	1.4
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	15.5	-2.4	-2.9	0.2	-2.5
TOTAL EXPORTS, FOB	100.0	8.9	2.0	7.9	-1.4

¹ The differences between the item Total and the listed sub-items are due to the non-classified exports by goods type.

Source: BNB, NSI.

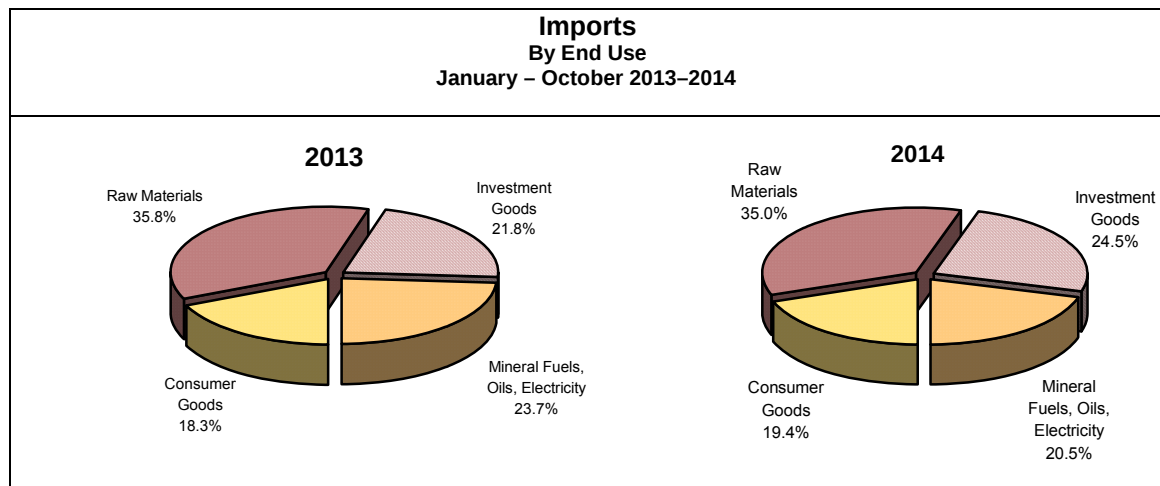


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Imports (by End Use)	Share (%) 2013	Contribution to the Change of Total Imports ² (compared to the corresponding period of the previous year) (p.p.)			
		October		January – October	
		2013	2014	2013	2014
Consumer Goods	18.3	1.3	1.1	1.4	1.3
Raw Materials	35.8	2.1	-0.5	1.6	-0.5
Investment Goods	21.8	0.4	4.1	-1.1	2.9
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	23.7	-4.1	-1.7	-1.3	-3.0
TOTAL IMPORTS, CIF	100.0	-0.1	3.0	0.9	0.8

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Source: BNB, NSI.

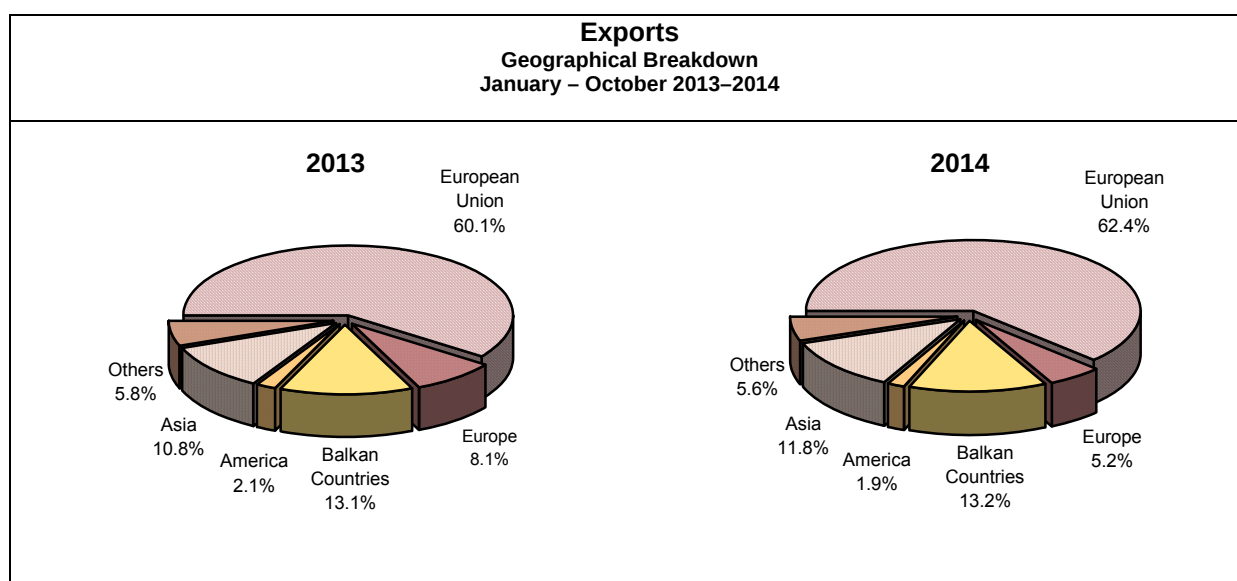


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Contribution to the Change of Total Exports
(By Regions)

Exports (by Regions)	Share (%) 2013	Contribution to the Change of Total Exports (compared to the corresponding period of the previous year) (p.p.)			
		October		January – October	
		2013	2014	2013	2014
European Union	60.1	7.8	3.0	5.6	1.4
Germany	12.7	3.7	-1.0	3.4	-0.7
Italy	8.8	-0.4	2.9	1.0	0.2
Greece	7.0	0.3	0.6	0.3	-0.5
Romania	7.9	0.7	-0.4	0.3	0.1
Poland	1.8	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
Hungary	1.3	0.5	-0.2	0.2	0.1
Europe	8.1	-1.6	-2.5	0.1	-3.0
Russia	2.6	-0.4	0.2	0.0	-0.2
Balkan Countries	13.1	-3.0	1.7	-0.3	-0.1
Turkey	9.1	-2.7	1.8	0.3	0.0
Serbia	1.7	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.1
America	2.1	-0.1	0.6	-0.5	-0.2
USA	1.3	0.1	0.4	-0.3	0.0
Asia	10.8	7.1	-3.9	1.3	0.8
Others	5.8	-1.2	3.1	1.7	-0.3
TOTAL EXPORTS, FOB	100.0	8.9	2.0	7.9	-1.4

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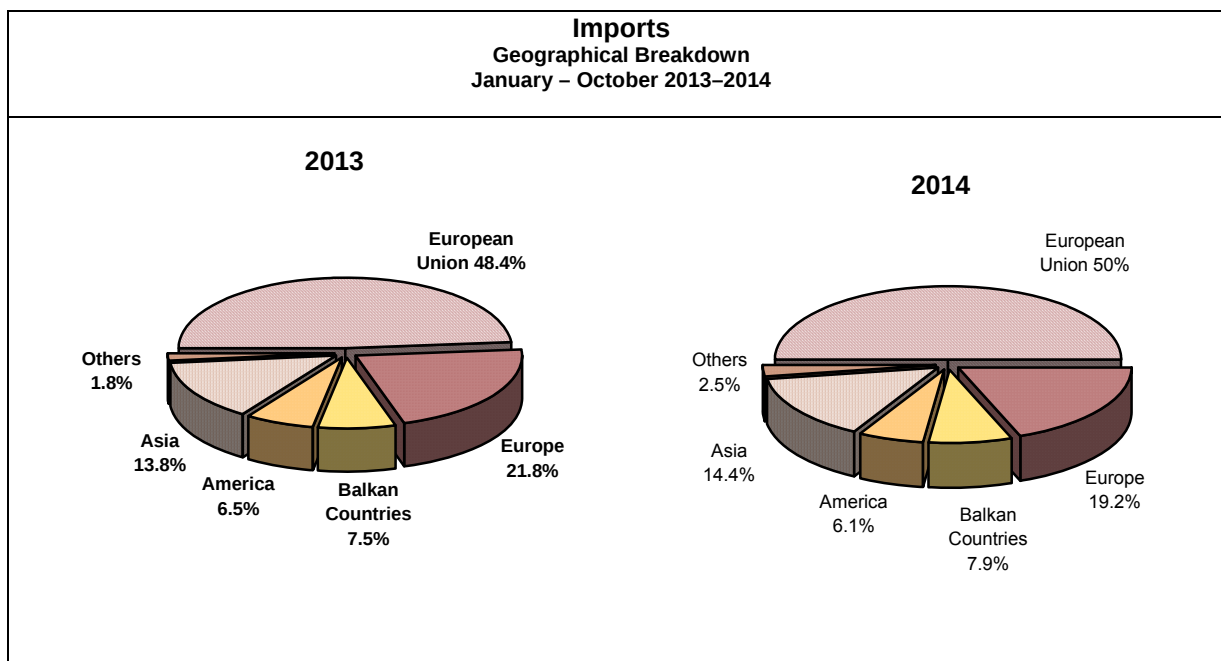


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Contribution to the Change of Total Imports (By Regions)

Imports (by Regions)	Share (%) 2013	Contribution to the Change of Total Imports (compared to the corresponding period of the previous year) (p.p.)			
		October		January – October	
		2013	2014	2013	2014
European Union	48.4	-0.5	5.4	1.3	1.9
Germany	9.8	-0.1	2.9	0.3	0.9
Italy	7.3	0.7	-0.2	0.8	-0.3
Greece	4.9	-1.6	0.3	-0.3	-0.5
Romania	5.3	0.2	0.3	-0.2	0.1
Poland	2.8	-0.1	0.1	0.6	0.1
Hungary	1.8	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Czech Republic	1.8	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.3
Europe	21.8	-7.2	-2.3	-2.2	-2.5
Russia	18.6	-6.8	-1.9	-1.6	-2.5
Ukraine	1.9	-0.2	-0.6	-0.3	0.0
Balkan Countries	7.5	-0.1	0.3	0.8	0.4
Turkey	5.3	0.2	0.0	0.7	0.2
Serbia	1.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
Macedonia	1.0	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
America	6.5	2.3	-1.5	0.2	-0.4
USA	1.6	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.5
Asia	13.8	5.3	-0.1	-0.2	0.6
China	5.9	1.7	0.2	-0.7	0.8
Others	1.8	0.1	1.1	0.9	0.7
TOTAL IMPORTS, CIF	100.0	-0.1	3.0	0.9	0.8

Source: BNB, NSI.



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TABLES

**EXPORTS
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Commodity groups	January - December				January				February				March			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Consumer goods	4822.4	5211.8	389.4	8.1%	400.7	445.3	44.6	11.1%	393.7	459.6	65.9	16.7%	412.3	468.2	55.9	13.6%
Food	989.6	1089.3	99.7	10.1%	75.7	82.9	7.2	9.5%	73.9	84.6	10.7	14.5%	72.7	88.1	15.4	21.2%
Tobacco	216.0	214.7	-1.3	-0.6%	18.2	17.4	-0.7	-4.1%	19.8	19.9	0.1	0.4%	20.5	19.6	-0.9	-4.3%
Beverages	100.4	101.4	1.0	1.0%	7.1	6.1	-1.0	-14.7%	7.2	6.2	-1.0	-13.3%	8.5	6.8	-1.7	-19.9%
Clothing and footwear	1456.2	1553.5	97.3	6.7%	132.4	151.0	18.6	14.1%	124.8	138.5	13.7	11.0%	120.6	128.8	8.3	6.9%
Medicines and cosmetics	701.0	803.3	102.3	14.6%	57.1	67.5	10.4	18.2%	57.0	80.9	23.9	41.9%	68.2	81.8	13.6	20.0%
Furniture and household appliances	748.1	775.4	27.3	3.6%	55.3	61.0	5.8	10.4%	55.7	66.4	10.7	19.2%	61.0	71.0	10.0	16.4%
Others	611.1	674.2	63.1	10.3%	55.0	59.4	4.4	8.0%	55.3	63.1	7.8	14.1%	60.9	72.1	11.1	18.3%
Raw materials	8965.5	9678.5	712.9	8.0%	765.4	631.4	-134.0	-17.5%	706.2	669.6	-36.7	-5.2%	821.2	715.9	-105.3	-12.8%
Iron and steel	720.4	618.0	-102.3	-14.2%	51.2	43.9	-7.3	-14.3%	58.3	48.6	-9.7	-16.7%	67.2	50.9	-16.3	-24.2%
Non-ferrous metals	2291.9	2407.5	115.6	5.0%	222.0	163.6	-58.3	-26.3%	207.4	193.8	-13.6	-6.6%	227.7	201.8	-25.9	-11.4%
Chemicals	345.6	310.9	-34.7	-10.0%	23.9	27.8	3.9	16.4%	22.1	29.4	7.4	33.3%	25.0	23.9	-1.1	-4.4%
Plastics and rubber	550.7	657.7	107.0	19.4%	49.3	50.7	1.3	2.7%	47.7	52.0	4.4	9.2%	50.5	51.9	1.4	2.8%
Fertilizers	202.8	168.8	-34.0	-16.8%	23.9	5.6	-18.4	-76.8%	16.8	24.5	7.7	45.9%	22.6	21.0	-1.7	-7.4%
Textiles	372.0	399.9	27.9	7.5%	31.2	33.9	2.6	8.4%	29.4	33.0	3.6	12.3%	34.3	37.0	2.8	8.1%
Raw materials for the food industry	1732.6	2309.6	577.0	33.3%	121.2	93.3	-27.9	-23.0%	124.5	80.9	-43.6	-35.0%	155.2	99.9	-55.2	-35.6%
Wood products, paper and paperboard	403.3	440.1	36.9	9.1%	32.5	37.7	5.2	16.0%	31.6	37.1	5.5	17.4%	36.5	37.7	1.2	3.3%
Cement	27.8	22.0	-5.8	-20.9%	0.9	0.3	-0.6	-68.0%	0.8	0.5	-0.2	-28.7%	1.8	1.6	-0.2	-10.3%
Raw tobacco	132.2	167.9	35.7	27.0%	25.7	15.5	-10.2	-39.6%	10.3	6.4	-4.0	-38.3%	11.0	12.5	1.5	13.6%
Others	2186.3	2176.0	-10.3	-0.5%	183.5	159.2	-24.3	-13.3%	157.4	163.3	5.9	3.8%	189.6	177.8	-11.8	-6.2%
Investment goods	3492.6	3970.3	477.7	13.7%	286.4	308.1	21.8	7.6%	306.7	320.3	13.6	4.4%	348.1	349.4	1.3	0.4%
Machines and equipment	1001.9	1141.6	139.7	13.9%	74.2	82.6	8.3	11.2%	88.9	87.9	-1.0	-1.2%	97.5	106.2	8.7	9.0%
Electrical machines	453.6	548.0	94.4	20.8%	45.4	38.3	-7.1	-15.7%	45.4	44.4	-1.0	-2.2%	59.4	49.0	-10.4	-17.5%
Vehicles	372.4	410.1	37.7	10.1%	26.0	24.9	-1.1	-4.2%	28.7	24.7	-4.1	-14.1%	31.8	33.7	1.8	5.7%
Spare parts and equipment	859.9	1062.4	202.5	23.5%	78.3	94.4	16.1	20.6%	82.4	91.1	8.7	10.5%	89.8	93.4	3.6	4.0%
Others	804.9	808.3	3.4	0.4%	62.4	68.0	5.5	8.9%	61.2	72.2	11.0	17.9%	69.5	67.1	-2.4	-3.5%
Total non energy commodities	17280.5	18860.6	1580.0	9.1%	1452.5	1384.8	-67.7	-4.7%	1406.6	1449.4	42.8	3.0%	1581.6	1533.6	-48.0	-3.0%
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	3481.3	3385.0	-96.3	-2.8%	327.0	197.0	-130.0	-39.8%	249.6	198.1	-51.6	-20.6%	193.9	97.4	-96.5	-49.8%
Petroleum products	2928.3	2904.0	-24.2	-0.8%	284.6	154.1	-130.5	-45.9%	213.8	164.1	-49.6	-23.2%	162.8	60.0	-102.8	-63.1%
Others	553.0	481.0	-72.1	-13.0%	42.4	42.9	0.5	1.2%	35.9	33.9	-1.9	-5.4%	31.1	37.4	6.2	20.0%
Incl. Electricity	390.1	341.3	-48.8	-12.5%	35.0	35.1	0.1	0.2%	27.9	27.2	-0.7	-2.4%	20.4	24.8	4.4	21.5%
Other Exports ^{1/}	8.3	25.9	17.6	0.0%	1.1	2.4	1.3	0.0%	1.9	2.6	0.7	0.0%	2.1	2.8	0.7	0.0%
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	20770.2	22271.4	1501.3	7.2%	1780.6	1584.2	-196.4	-11.0%	1658.1	1650.1	-8.0	-0.5%	1777.6	1633.8	-143.8	-8.1%

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**EXPORTS
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Commodity groups	Q II				July				August				September			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Consumer goods	1262.3	1401.1	138.7	11.0%	465.7	495.5	29.7	6.4%	434.2	445.1	10.9	2.5%	464.9	510.9	46.0	9.9%
Food	240.8	276.6	35.8	14.8%	92.2	92.8	0.6	0.6%	87.9	84.7	-3.2	-3.7%	105.3	118.1	12.8	12.2%
Tobacco	58.8	57.4	-1.5	-2.5%	16.5	15.6	-0.9	-5.5%	20.1	15.8	-4.3	-21.5%	20.1	20.1	0.0	-0.1%
Beverages	27.9	20.2	-7.7	-27.5%	10.1	8.7	-1.4	-14.2%	9.0	7.7	-1.3	-15.2%	7.7	7.2	-0.4	-5.6%
Clothing and footwear	365.3	385.8	20.5	5.6%	152.2	158.8	6.6	4.3%	140.0	139.5	-0.5	-0.4%	132.7	133.3	0.5	0.4%
Medicines and cosmetics	202.7	228.7	26.1	12.9%	67.9	69.1	1.2	1.8%	65.9	70.1	4.1	6.3%	70.2	76.5	6.3	9.0%
Furniture and household appliances	195.4	224.3	28.9	14.8%	70.0	78.7	8.7	12.4%	57.8	62.4	4.6	7.9%	74.3	84.3	10.0	13.4%
Others	171.4	208.0	36.6	21.4%	56.9	71.8	14.9	26.2%	53.3	65.0	11.7	22.0%	54.6	71.4	16.8	30.7%
Raw materials	2322.2	2104.3	-217.8	-9.4%	887.3	868.9	-18.4	-2.1%	887.6	903.3	15.7	1.8%	868.3	828.6	-39.7	-4.6%
Iron and steel	154.2	152.6	-1.6	-1.0%	50.9	50.3	-0.6	-1.1%	49.5	49.6	0.1	0.1%	54.8	46.8	-8.0	-14.6%
Non-ferrous metals	575.5	523.9	-51.6	-9.0%	177.9	203.9	26.0	14.6%	201.6	200.0	-1.6	-0.8%	201.8	183.5	-18.4	-9.1%
Chemicals	79.8	80.1	0.3	0.4%	27.1	29.3	2.2	8.2%	30.6	25.7	-4.9	-16.1%	24.9	29.8	4.9	19.8%
Plastics and rubber	170.3	189.0	18.7	11.0%	59.3	68.0	8.7	14.7%	56.3	54.2	-2.1	-3.7%	58.7	64.4	5.7	9.8%
Fertilizers	46.6	52.3	5.6	12.1%	11.6	5.3	-6.3	-54.0%	9.2	6.0	-3.2	-34.7%	6.3	21.1	14.7	233.7%
Textiles	114.9	117.7	2.8	2.5%	37.6	38.3	0.7	1.9%	27.5	24.4	-3.1	-11.2%	33.2	37.1	3.9	11.8%
Raw materials for the food industry	453.7	283.2	-170.5	-37.6%	272.9	212.9	-60.0	-22.0%	294.6	305.6	11.0	3.7%	243.2	176.1	-67.1	-27.6%
Wood products, paper and paperboard	115.7	127.6	11.9	10.3%	40.8	44.9	4.1	9.9%	36.0	39.1	3.1	8.5%	38.3	40.6	2.3	6.1%
Cement	9.9	6.8	-3.0	-30.9%	1.8	1.4	-0.4	-21.2%	2.5	1.2	-1.3	-51.5%	2.3	1.1	-1.2	-52.2%
Raw tobacco	40.3	28.5	-11.8	-29.3%	14.6	13.0	-1.6	-11.0%	9.1	8.5	-0.6	-6.1%	13.8	9.2	-4.5	-33.0%
Others	561.3	542.6	-18.7	-3.3%	192.9	201.6	8.7	4.5%	170.6	188.9	18.3	10.7%	191.1	219.0	27.9	14.6%
Investment goods	1001.7	1095.4	93.7	9.4%	342.7	402.5	59.8	17.5%	309.4	299.5	-9.9	-3.2%	327.6	388.8	61.2	18.7%
Machines and equipment	312.8	332.7	19.9	6.4%	105.2	118.0	12.8	12.2%	90.6	85.9	-4.7	-5.2%	90.6	109.2	18.7	20.6%
Electrical machines	126.4	124.5	-1.8	-1.5%	41.5	45.2	3.7	8.9%	39.1	35.4	-3.7	-9.5%	42.5	37.9	-4.7	-11.0%
Vehicles	103.6	100.1	-3.5	-3.4%	38.2	45.7	7.5	19.7%	34.8	30.3	-4.5	-13.0%	29.9	43.3	13.4	44.8%
Spare parts and equipment	263.2	283.2	20.0	7.6%	89.1	102.3	13.1	14.7%	80.4	86.9	6.6	8.2%	97.4	102.3	4.9	5.0%
Others	195.7	254.9	59.2	30.2%	68.7	91.4	22.6	33.0%	64.5	60.9	-3.5	-5.5%	67.2	96.1	28.9	43.0%
Total non energy commodities	4586.2	4600.8	14.6	0.3%	1695.7	1766.8	71.1	4.2%	1631.1	1647.9	16.7	1.0%	1660.9	1728.3	67.5	4.1%
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	833.9	833.6	-0.3	0.0%	343.2	282.0	-61.2	-17.8%	369.5	295.8	-73.7	-19.9%	268.9	275.4	6.6	2.4%
Petroleum products	759.7	720.2	-39.5	-5.2%	309.1	222.1	-87.0	-28.2%	308.3	241.1	-67.2	-21.8%	208.9	225.6	16.8	8.0%
Others	74.2	113.4	39.2	52.8%	34.1	60.0	25.8	75.7%	61.3	54.7	-6.5	-10.7%	60.0	49.8	-10.2	-17.0%
incl. Electricity	41.7	78.4	36.7	87.9%	16.9	42.2	25.4	150.4%	42.8	36.4	-6.4	-15.0%	43.4	34.1	-9.3	-21.5%
Other Exports ^{1/}	6.3	8.4	2.0	0.0%	2.4	3.2	0.9	0.0%	2.1	2.6	0.5	0.0%	2.4	3.0	0.6	0.0%
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	5426.4	5442.8	16.3	0.3%	2041.3	2052.1	10.8	0.5%	2002.8	1946.2	-56.5	-2.8%	1932.1	2006.7	74.6	3.9%

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**EXPORTS
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Commodity groups	Q III				October				January - October			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Consumer goods	1364.8	1451.5	86.6	6.3%	493.4	560.9	67.5	13.7%	4327.3	4786.5	459.2	10.6%
Food	285.4	295.6	10.2	3.6%	124.5	135.8	11.2	9.0%	873.1	963.6	90.4	10.4%
Tobacco	56.7	51.5	-5.2	-9.2%	16.5	20.9	4.4	26.4%	190.5	186.6	-3.9	-2.0%
Beverages	26.8	23.6	-3.2	-12.1%	8.2	7.8	-0.4	-5.0%	85.7	70.7	-15.0	-17.5%
Clothing and footwear	425.0	431.6	6.6	1.5%	128.0	132.3	4.3	3.4%	1296.0	1368.0	72.0	5.6%
Medicines and cosmetics	204.0	215.7	11.7	5.7%	72.2	100.0	27.7	38.4%	661.2	774.6	113.4	17.2%
Furniture and household appliances	202.1	225.3	23.2	11.5%	80.1	88.0	7.9	9.9%	649.6	736.1	86.5	13.3%
Others	164.7	208.1	43.4	26.4%	63.7	76.1	12.4	19.4%	571.1	686.9	115.7	20.3%
Raw materials	2643.2	2600.8	-42.4	-1.6%	862.5	868.3	5.9	0.7%	8120.7	7590.4	-530.2	-6.5%
Iron and steel	155.2	146.7	-8.5	-5.5%	49.6	42.7	-6.9	-13.9%	535.6	485.3	-50.3	-9.4%
Non-ferrous metals	581.3	587.4	6.0	1.0%	180.4	196.6	16.2	9.0%	1994.3	1867.1	-127.2	-6.4%
Chemicals	82.6	84.8	2.2	2.7%	26.0	27.3	1.4	5.2%	259.3	273.4	14.1	5.4%
Plastics and rubber	174.3	186.6	12.3	7.1%	61.2	70.4	9.2	15.0%	553.3	600.6	47.3	8.6%
Fertilizers	27.1	32.4	5.3	19.5%	7.7	17.8	10.1	131.8%	144.8	153.6	8.7	6.0%
Textiles	98.2	99.8	1.5	1.5%	35.7	38.2	2.5	7.0%	343.8	359.6	15.9	4.6%
Raw materials for the food industry	810.7	694.5	-116.1	-14.3%	266.4	217.8	-48.6	-18.2%	1931.6	1469.7	-461.9	-23.9%
Wood products, paper and paperboard	115.1	124.6	9.5	8.2%	38.4	40.1	1.8	4.6%	369.8	404.9	35.1	9.5%
Cement	6.7	3.8	-2.9	-43.5%	0.9	1.1	0.2	17.3%	20.8	14.1	-6.8	-32.5%
Raw tobacco	37.4	30.7	-6.7	-17.9%	7.1	12.7	5.6	78.6%	131.9	106.3	-25.6	-19.4%
Others	554.6	609.6	54.9	9.9%	189.1	203.5	14.5	7.6%	1835.4	1855.9	20.5	1.1%
Investment goods	979.7	1090.7	111.1	11.3%	361.9	386.6	24.7	6.8%	3284.4	3550.6	266.2	8.1%
Machines and equipment	286.3	313.1	26.7	9.3%	96.0	100.3	4.3	4.5%	955.8	1022.9	67.0	7.0%
Electrical machines	123.2	118.5	-4.7	-3.8%	47.0	43.5	-3.5	-7.5%	446.8	418.2	-28.6	-6.4%
Vehicles	102.9	119.3	16.4	15.9%	32.8	37.9	5.1	15.5%	326.0	340.6	14.6	4.5%
Spare parts and equipment	266.9	291.5	24.6	9.2%	103.7	113.2	9.5	9.1%	884.3	966.7	82.5	9.3%
Others	200.3	248.4	48.0	24.0%	82.3	91.7	9.4	11.5%	671.5	802.2	130.7	19.5%
Total non energy commodities	4987.7	5143.0	155.3	3.1%	1717.7	1815.8	98.1	5.7%	15732.3	15927.5	195.2	1.2%
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	981.6	853.3	-128.3	-13.1%	305.6	247.0	-58.6	-19.2%	2891.6	2426.3	-465.3	-16.1%
Petroleum products	826.2	688.8	-137.4	-16.6%	255.8	204.3	-51.5	-20.1%	2502.8	1991.5	-511.3	-20.4%
Others	155.4	164.5	9.1	5.9%	49.8	42.7	-7.1	-14.3%	388.8	434.7	45.9	11.8%
Incl. Electricity	103.1	112.8	9.6	9.3%	38.1	31.1	-7.1	-18.5%	266.3	309.3	43.0	16.2%
Other Exports ^{1/}	6.9	8.8	1.9	0.0%	2.8	3.3	0.5	0.0%	21.0	28.2	7.2	0.0%
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	5976.2	6005.1	28.9	0.5%	2026.1	2066.2	40.1	2.0%	18644.9	18382.0	-262.9	-1.4%

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EXPORTS

COMMODITY GROUPS *	January - December				January				February			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	3860.9	4367.6	506.7	13.1%	312.6	339.4	26.8	8.6%	337.3	360.1	22.8	6.8%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	1442.4	1749.2	306.8	21.3%	132.5	145.5	13.0	9.8%	137.3	150.5	13.1	9.6%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance, parts	1437.9	1609.8	171.9	12.0%	108.1	121.6	13.5	12.5%	126.0	130.8	4.7	3.8%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	434.3	522.9	88.6	20.4%	40.0	36.6	-3.3	-8.3%	42.2	41.7	-0.6	-1.4%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	266.8	217.6	-49.3	-18.5%	15.5	19.9	4.3	27.8%	15.8	17.5	1.7	10.8%
Base metals and their products, including:	3838.9	3865.7	26.9	0.7%	342.0	278.3	-63.7	-18.6%	331.6	314.2	-17.5	-5.3%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	2173.4	2257.5	84.1	3.9%	203.9	158.1	-45.9	-22.5%	195.0	180.4	-14.6	-7.5%
Division 72. Iron and steel	720.4	618.0	-102.3	-14.2%	51.2	43.9	-7.3	-14.3%	58.3	48.6	-9.7	-16.7%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	354.0	363.0	9.1	2.6%	29.3	28.0	-1.3	-4.5%	29.0	28.4	-0.6	-2.2%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	246.1	269.3	23.3	9.5%	22.6	23.8	1.2	5.4%	21.9	23.6	1.7	7.6%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	3311.6	4069.0	757.4	22.9%	263.4	225.8	-37.6	-14.3%	251.1	210.6	-40.5	-16.1%
Division 10. Cereals	826.5	1213.4	386.9	46.8%	55.4	39.8	-15.6	-28.1%	47.8	36.2	-11.5	-24.2%
Division 12. Oil seed oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grain, seed, fruit etc.	567.3	770.6	203.3	35.8%	44.3	31.4	-12.9	-29.1%	52.6	22.6	-30.0	-57.0%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	348.2	382.7	34.4	9.9%	43.9	33.0	-10.9	-24.9%	30.1	26.2	-3.9	-12.9%
Division 15. Animal / vegetable fats & oils & their cleavage products etc.	158.8	206.3	47.5	29.9%	13.4	18.4	5.0	37.4%	14.1	14.2	0.1	0.4%
Division 23. Residues and waste from the food industry; prepared animal fodder	151.0	192.0	41.1	27.2%	15.5	11.9	-3.6	-23.3%	15.4	13.5	-1.9	-12.5%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	4132.6	4019.1	-113.5	-2.7%	387.6	233.7	-153.8	-39.7%	287.3	230.3	-57.0	-19.8%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	3370.1	3275.2	-94.9	-2.8%	321.5	191.1	-130.4	-40.6%	244.3	193.2	-51.0	-20.9%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	573.3	559.0	-14.3	-2.5%	56.1	33.3	-22.8	-40.6%	33.1	27.4	-5.7	-17.3%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	2622.4	2740.2	117.8	4.5%	228.4	253.2	24.8	10.8%	217.2	240.1	23.0	10.6%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	739.4	770.0	30.6	4.1%	69.5	75.7	6.2	8.9%	65.5	69.8	4.3	6.6%
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	554.2	614.0	59.7	10.8%	49.9	58.3	8.5	17.0%	46.5	51.5	4.9	10.6%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	365.0	399.3	34.3	9.4%	31.5	37.5	6.0	19.1%	32.4	39.2	6.8	21.1%
Division 64. Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	190.8	197.5	6.7	3.5%	16.7	19.0	2.4	14.2%	14.7	18.3	3.7	25.0%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	2050.6	2223.1	172.5	8.4%	174.8	171.0	-3.8	-2.2%	163.9	206.4	42.5	25.9%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	579.7	669.3	89.6	15.5%	49.2	54.4	5.3	10.7%	46.8	67.7	20.9	44.7%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	467.1	552.7	85.6	18.3%	42.9	40.9	-2.1	-4.9%	40.7	43.0	2.3	5.6%
Division 28. Inorganic chemicals	235.9	209.6	-26.3	-11.2%	18.0	20.8	2.8	15.6%	13.2	18.8	5.6	42.3%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	136.7	175.8	39.0	28.5%	11.9	16.2	4.3	36.0%	12.4	15.3	2.8	22.9%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	953.2	986.7	33.5	3.5%	71.8	82.8	10.9	15.2%	69.7	88.4	18.6	26.7%
Division 44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	274.8	274.3	-0.6	-0.2%	20.6	24.3	3.8	18.2%	17.7	23.5	5.8	32.4%
Division 70. Glass and glassware	255.8	256.6	0.8	0.3%	19.9	22.7	2.8	14.2%	18.6	25.8	7.2	38.4%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	147.6	178.2	30.6	20.8%	11.6	15.3	3.7	31.6%	13.4	15.0	1.6	11.8%
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	20770.2	22271.4	1501.3	7.2%	1780.6	1584.2	-196.4	-11.0%	1658.1	1650.1	-8.0	-0.5%

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EXPORTS

COMMODITY GROUPS *	March				Q1				April			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	386.5	397.7	11.2	2.9%	1036.4	1097.2	60.8	5.9%	394.4	407.8	13.4	3.4%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	158.7	158.6	-0.2	-0.1%	428.6	454.5	26.0	6.1%	149.4	148.2	-1.2	-0.8%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance, parts	137.3	147.8	10.5	7.6%	371.5	400.2	28.8	7.7%	145.0	156.0	11.0	7.6%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	49.6	52.9	3.3	6.7%	131.8	131.3	-0.6	-0.4%	61.8	49.5	-12.3	-19.9%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	18.5	20.4	1.9	10.0%	49.8	57.7	7.9	15.8%	18.6	20.3	1.7	9.1%
Base metals and their products, including:	367.7	325.0	-42.7	-11.6%	1041.3	917.5	-123.8	-11.9%	350.6	276.9	-73.7	-21.0%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	214.1	190.4	-23.8	-11.1%	613.1	528.9	-84.2	-13.7%	198.2	139.3	-58.9	-29.7%
Division 72. Iron and steel	67.2	50.9	-16.3	-24.2%	176.6	143.3	-33.3	-18.9%	63.9	50.9	-13.1	-20.4%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	30.1	28.4	-1.7	-5.8%	88.4	84.7	-3.7	-4.2%	31.3	30.8	-0.6	-1.8%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	23.5	23.5	0.0	-0.1%	68.0	70.8	2.8	4.2%	23.4	23.8	0.4	1.6%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	279.7	242.2	-37.6	-13.4%	794.2	678.5	-115.7	-14.6%	341.0	251.2	-89.8	-26.3%
Division 10. Cereals	72.5	45.7	-26.8	-37.0%	175.7	121.8	-53.9	-30.7%	125.4	34.9	-90.5	-72.2%
Division 12. Oil seed oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grain, seed, fruit etc.	60.4	29.1	-31.2	-51.8%	157.2	83.1	-74.1	-47.1%	54.7	43.5	-11.2	-20.4%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	31.5	32.1	0.6	1.9%	105.5	91.3	-14.2	-13.5%	33.9	32.2	-1.7	-5.0%
Division 15. Animal / vegetable fats & oils & their cleavage products etc.	8.2	14.1	5.9	71.4%	35.7	46.7	10.9	30.6%	12.7	17.3	4.6	36.5%
Division 23. Residues and waste from the food industry; prepared animal fodder	12.7	16.2	3.5	27.4%	43.6	41.5	-2.0	-4.7%	12.6	16.4	3.8	30.4%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	252.1	135.1	-117.0	-46.4%	927.0	599.2	-327.8	-35.4%	369.3	275.0	-94.2	-25.5%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	185.8	87.3	-98.5	-53.0%	751.6	471.7	-279.9	-37.2%	304.4	216.6	-87.8	-28.9%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	51.4	36.0	-15.4	-29.9%	140.6	96.7	-43.9	-31.2%	48.1	43.0	-5.0	-10.5%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	222.9	239.9	17.0	7.6%	668.4	733.2	64.7	9.7%	229.0	230.2	1.2	0.5%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	57.1	60.4	3.3	5.7%	192.1	205.9	13.8	7.2%	54.0	54.9	0.9	1.7%
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	49.4	51.5	2.1	4.3%	145.8	161.3	15.5	10.6%	53.3	53.0	-0.3	-0.5%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	33.8	41.2	7.3	21.6%	97.7	117.8	20.1	20.6%	34.1	39.9	5.8	16.9%
Division 64. Footwear; gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	14.7	18.2	3.6	24.3%	46.0	55.6	9.6	20.9%	16.0	15.3	-0.7	-4.6%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	187.6	204.7	17.0	9.1%	526.3	582.1	55.8	10.6%	204.3	225.2	20.8	10.2%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	56.3	66.2	9.9	17.5%	152.3	188.3	36.0	23.7%	65.5	71.3	5.9	9.0%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	42.5	42.5	0.0	0.0%	126.1	126.3	0.2	0.1%	52.2	50.7	-1.5	-2.9%
Division 28. Inorganic chemicals	13.7	14.9	1.2	8.6%	44.9	54.5	9.6	21.3%	15.9	18.9	3.0	18.8%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	13.8	16.4	2.7	19.4%	38.1	47.9	9.8	25.7%	15.4	17.1	1.8	11.4%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	81.0	89.3	8.3	10.2%	222.6	260.4	37.8	17.0%	88.2	96.8	8.5	9.6%
Division 44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	21.6	24.5	2.9	13.5%	59.9	72.3	12.4	20.7%	22.3	26.9	4.6	20.5%
Division 70. Glass and glassware	21.6	24.8	3.2	14.8%	60.1	73.3	13.2	21.9%	22.2	26.4	4.2	19.1%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	14.1	15.8	1.7	12.2%	39.1	46.1	7.0	17.8%	18.2	17.9	-0.3	-1.5%
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	1777.6	1633.8	-143.8	-8.1%	5216.3	4868.0	-348.2	-6.7%	1976.9	1763.1	-213.8	-10.8%

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EXPORTS

COMMODITY GROUPS *	May				June				Q II			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	340.0	383.8	43.8	12.9%	379.0	444.9	65.9	17.4%	1113.3	1236.5	123.1	11.1%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	131.5	143.3	11.8	9.0%	141.2	163.7	22.5	15.9%	422.1	455.3	33.1	7.8%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance parts	130.9	152.6	21.7	16.5%	157.7	162.7	4.9	3.1%	433.7	471.3	37.6	8.7%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	38.9	48.8	9.8	25.2%	38.1	49.5	11.3	29.7%	138.9	147.7	8.8	6.4%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	18.5	17.4	-1.0	-5.6%	16.5	18.4	1.9	11.5%	53.6	56.1	2.5	4.8%
Base metals and their products, including:	296.6	297.6	1.0	0.3%	296.5	319.2	22.7	7.6%	943.7	893.7	-50.0	-5.3%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	172.7	162.5	-10.2	-5.9%	171.3	179.7	8.4	4.9%	542.1	481.4	-60.7	-11.2%
Division 72. Iron and steel	47.3	51.2	3.9	8.3%	43.0	50.5	7.6	17.6%	154.2	152.6	-1.6	-1.0%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	27.0	29.0	1.9	7.2%	29.9	31.8	1.9	6.3%	88.3	91.5	3.3	3.7%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	22.0	23.7	1.7	7.9%	22.7	23.5	0.9	3.8%	68.0	71.0	3.0	4.4%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	255.8	225.1	-30.6	-12.0%	254.7	229.7	-25.0	-9.8%	851.5	706.0	-145.5	-17.1%
Division 10. Cereals	36.5	28.5	-8.0	-21.8%	34.6	36.9	2.3	6.6%	196.5	100.4	-96.1	-48.9%
Division 12. Oil seed oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grain, seed, fruit etc.	58.7	31.7	-27.0	-46.0%	62.8	30.3	-32.5	-51.7%	176.2	105.5	-70.7	-40.1%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	37.7	30.1	-7.6	-20.1%	27.6	23.6	-4.0	-14.5%	99.1	85.8	-13.3	-13.4%
Division 15. Animal / vegetable fats & oils & their cleavage products etc.	14.6	15.6	1.0	6.8%	12.5	15.7	3.2	25.7%	39.8	48.7	8.8	22.2%
Division 23. Residues and waste from the food industry; prepared animal fodder	12.7	19.1	6.4	50.8%	13.5	15.6	2.0	15.0%	38.8	51.1	12.3	31.7%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	324.1	359.0	34.9	10.8%	321.6	328.8	7.2	2.3%	1015.0	962.9	-52.1	-5.1%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	250.4	301.2	50.9	20.3%	254.5	286.0	31.5	12.4%	809.3	803.8	-5.5	-0.7%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	57.9	41.0	-16.9	-29.2%	50.3	23.5	-26.8	-53.3%	156.3	107.5	-48.8	-31.2%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	202.1	239.5	37.3	18.5%	240.6	253.0	12.4	5.1%	671.8	722.7	50.9	7.6%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	51.9	60.6	8.7	16.8%	71.2	69.9	-1.4	-1.9%	177.2	185.4	8.2	4.6%
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	45.0	53.6	8.7	19.3%	51.5	54.5	3.0	5.9%	149.7	161.2	11.4	7.6%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	27.8	38.3	10.5	37.7%	30.5	38.0	7.5	24.6%	92.4	116.2	23.8	25.7%
Division 64. Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	14.5	15.8	1.3	9.3%	17.0	17.6	0.6	3.7%	47.5	48.7	1.2	2.6%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	186.2	187.7	1.5	0.8%	178.4	213.2	34.8	19.5%	569.0	626.0	57.1	10.0%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	53.2	56.5	3.3	6.1%	51.7	66.3	14.5	28.0%	170.4	194.1	23.6	13.9%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	44.7	54.9	10.2	22.8%	47.7	53.1	5.4	11.4%	144.5	158.7	14.1	9.8%
Division 28. Inorganic chemicals	18.0	17.1	-0.9	-5.2%	16.3	18.1	1.8	11.1%	50.3	54.1	3.9	7.7%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	14.9	17.4	2.5	16.6%	13.9	17.6	3.7	26.4%	44.2	52.1	7.9	17.9%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	87.0	97.5	10.5	12.0%	86.9	100.8	13.9	16.0%	262.1	295.0	32.9	12.5%
Division 44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	24.1	28.0	4.0	16.5%	23.4	26.6	3.2	13.5%	69.9	81.6	11.7	16.8%
Division 70. Glass and glassware	23.2	27.2	4.1	17.5%	23.1	28.3	5.2	22.6%	68.4	81.9	13.5	19.8%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	14.3	16.8	2.6	17.9%	14.5	18.3	3.8	26.0%	46.9	53.0	6.1	12.9%
TOTAL EXPORTS FOB/	1691.8	1790.1	98.3	5.8%	1757.7	1889.6	131.9	7.5%	5426.4	5442.8	16.3	0.3%

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	July			August			September		
	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change
	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	374.9	442.4	67.5	325.3	326.5	1.2	366.2	433.6	67.4
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	141.6	160.9	19.3	130.9	136.1	5.2	157.1	163.1	6.0
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance parts	150.0	166.1	16.1	122.2	122.1	-0.1	131.5	154.9	23.4
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	44.4	52.7	8.3	39.9	38.4	-1.5	39.2	52.3	13.1
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	20.7	22.7	2.0	15.8	14.7	-1.1	15.8	19.2	3.4
Base metals and their products, including:	304.1	330.8	26.7	316.0	313.4	-2.7	330.3	310.5	-19.8
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	168.2	186.7	18.5	189.4	179.6	-9.8	188.4	161.1	-27.3
Division 72. Iron and steel	50.9	50.3	-0.6	49.5	49.6	0.1	54.8	46.8	-8.0
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	34.1	34.2	0.1	29.8	28.2	-1.6	32.1	35.9	3.8
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	22.6	25.4	2.9	21.4	22.7	1.3	22.3	28.2	5.9
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	429.7	366.4	-63.3	438.4	446.3	7.9	405.9	356.9	-49.0
Division 10. Cereals	153.6	106.2	-47.4	190.7	175.9	-14.8	141.3	81.3	-60.0
Division 12. Oil seed oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grain, seed, fruit etc.	82.3	76.4	-5.9	72.5	96.3	23.8	74.3	68.8	-5.5
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	31.1	28.6	-2.5	29.2	24.3	-4.9	33.9	29.3	-4.6
Division 15. Animal / vegetable fats & oils & their cleavage products etc.	15.2	12.9	-2.3	15.8	15.8	-5.4	20.1	25.7	5.5
Division 23. Residues and waste from the food industry; prepared animal fodder	23.1	22.0	-1.1	15.4	18.7	3.4	15.3	19.4	4.1
Mineral products and fuels, including:	390.3	325.7	-64.6	417.5	356.9	-60.5	327.8	337.9	10.1
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	329.0	266.2	-62.9	353.3	279.2	-74.1	254.5	261.7	7.2
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	40.0	38.5	-1.5	42.6	56.3	13.7	52.1	58.3	6.1
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	259.4	278.8	19.4	232.4	231.5	-0.9	230.3	248.0	17.7
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	75.5	81.2	5.7	73.9	75.4	1.5	61.9	65.8	3.9
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	60.5	61.9	1.4	49.5	49.1	-0.4	51.4	50.0	-1.4
Division 94. Furniture, bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	34.0	42.0	8.1	35.1	35.1	0.0	34.8	41.3	6.5
Division 64. Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	20.4	20.5	0.1	18.8	17.2	-1.6	20.2	19.5	-0.7
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	191.3	204.5	13.2	190.7	181.7	-8.9	185.2	223.0	37.8
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	54.3	55.5	1.2	57.5	57.8	0.3	57.3	63.6	6.4
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	51.6	57.4	5.7	48.3	46.1	-2.2	46.5	53.0	6.5
Division 28. Inorganic chemicals	19.6	20.9	1.2	22.1	18.1	-3.9	16.4	19.4	3.0
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	14.3	18.1	3.8	13.5	13.9	0.4	18.4	18.5	0.1
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	91.7	103.5	11.8	82.5	89.9	7.4	86.5	96.9	10.4
Division 44. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	24.4	30.5	6.1	21.4	26.2	4.8	22.5	24.9	2.8
Division 70. Glass and glassware	24.2	27.6	3.4	21.8	23.0	1.3	21.5	25.1	3.6
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	17.4	18.2	0.8	16.1	16.5	0.4	15.9	17.4	1.5
TOTAL EXPORTS /FOB/	2041.3	2052.1	10.8	2002.8	1946.2	-56.5	1932.1	2006.7	746
			0.5%						3.9%

* Commodity groups includes divisions of the Combined Nomenclature (Eurostat) and detailed data for all divisions could be found through the NSI web-site.

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EXPORTS
Main trade partners and regions

COUNTRIES	January - December				January				February				March			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
EU countries incl.: ^{1/}	12237.9	13351.1	1113.3	9.1%	1031.8	1007.6	-24.2	-2.3%	998.3	1023.4	25.1	2.5%	1110.9	1110.6	-0.3	0.0%
Germany	2126.5	2741.3	614.9	28.9%	248.3	235.5	-12.7	-5.1%	233.2	220.7	-12.5	-5.3%	235.3	199.0	-36.3	-15.4%
Italy	1763.8	1925.3	161.4	9.2%	172.3	155.2	-17.1	-9.9%	175.1	180.0	4.9	2.8%	208.5	163.7	-44.9	-21.5%
Romania	1674.1	1720.0	45.9	2.7%	91.7	92.9	1.2	1.3%	120.0	123.6	3.7	3.1%	132.3	157.7	25.5	19.3%
Greece	1494.6	1546.0	51.4	3.4%	137.4	99.1	-38.2	-27.8%	112.3	102.8	-9.6	-8.5%	112.6	116.3	3.7	3.3%
France	830.0	960.1	130.1	15.7%	77.1	73.1	-4.0	-5.2%	77.0	74.8	-2.2	-2.9%	76.5	75.2	-1.3	-1.7%
Belgium	765.9	642.7	-123.2	-16.1%	31.2	55.6	24.4	78.3%	23.8	43.7	20.0	84.1%	44.2	107.1	62.9	142.4%
Netherlands	379.3	480.8	101.6	26.8%	43.5	43.6	0.0	0.1%	26.4	34.5	8.1	30.6%	44.1	38.2	-5.9	-13.3%
G. Britain	398.3	469.1	70.8	17.8%	35.8	35.6	-0.2	-0.6%	33.3	33.5	0.2	0.5%	33.0	37.5	4.4	13.4%
Spain	540.2	515.5	-24.8	-4.6%	20.2	27.9	7.7	38.3%	19.7	25.4	5.7	28.9%	22.3	23.3	1.0	4.4%
Poland	363.2	404.2	41.1	11.3%	27.4	32.0	4.6	16.9%	32.2	33.8	1.6	4.8%	45.7	38.1	-7.6	-16.6%
Austria	380.4	400.5	20.1	5.3%	28.9	32.6	3.7	12.9%	32.7	30.0	-2.7	-8.2%	32.2	32.3	0.1	0.4%
Czech Republic	254.2	285.0	30.8	12.1%	24.6	24.6	0.0	0.2%	19.6	24.5	4.9	25.1%	21.3	22.6	1.4	6.4%
Hungary	241.3	275.6	34.3	14.2%	21.0	24.2	3.2	15.1%	21.2	20.4	-0.8	-3.7%	19.8	25.2	5.4	27.1%
Non EU countries :	8532.3	8920.3	388.0	4.5%	748.8	576.6	-172.2	-23.0%	659.8	626.6	-33.1	-5.0%	666.7	523.1	-143.5	-21.5%
Europe incl.: ^{2/}	1828.8	1708.6	-120.2	-6.6%	187.8	60.4	-127.4	-67.8%	127.8	80.8	-47.0	-36.8%	123.1	78.7	-44.5	-36.1%
Russia	562.5	582.9	20.3	3.6%	37.4	30.8	-6.6	-17.8%	37.9	46.6	8.6	22.8%	51.1	47.7	-3.5	-6.8%
Ukraine	244.9	427.9	183.0	74.7%	36.5	6.0	-30.5	-83.6%	12.1	10.8	-1.3	-10.5%	13.2	9.4	-3.8	-28.8%
Gibraltar	732.2	402.4	-329.8	-45.0%	91.8	0.0	-91.8	-100.0%	55.5	0.0	-55.5	-100.0%	33.4	0.0	-33.4	-100.0%
Switzerland	157.4	153.4	-4.0	-2.5%	13.4	13.4	0.1	0.5%	12.9	12.4	-0.4	-3.3%	12.9	10.1	-2.8	-21.7%
Balkan countries incl.: ^{3/}	2931.0	2887.6	-43.4	-1.5%	237.4	208.3	-29.1	-12.2%	223.1	200.4	-22.6	-10.1%	228.2	189.0	-39.2	-17.2%
Turkey	1957.7	2004.2	46.5	2.4%	168.9	151.7	-17.2	-10.2%	157.1	137.4	-19.7	-12.5%	155.8	121.9	-33.9	-21.8%
Macedonia	392.6	351.4	-41.2	-10.5%	27.7	25.5	-2.1	-7.7%	27.5	25.7	-1.8	-6.6%	28.2	29.3	1.1	3.8%
Serbia	442.4	372.9	-69.5	-15.7%	33.0	21.6	-11.5	-34.7%	29.5	25.7	-3.8	-13.0%	30.5	23.3	-7.2	-23.5%
Americas incl. :	578.4	463.7	-114.7	-19.8%	45.2	30.2	-15.0	-33.1%	38.6	35.0	-3.6	-9.4%	58.3	29.1	-29.2	-50.2%
USA	370.8	304.2	-66.6	-18.0%	32.0	22.4	-9.5	-29.8%	24.0	26.3	2.3	9.5%	39.3	19.7	-19.6	-49.9%
Asia incl. :	2139.7	2592.2	452.5	21.1%	199.4	169.9	-29.5	-14.8%	118.6	236.7	118.1	99.6%	146.5	171.4	24.9	17.0%
Singapore	48.0	332.2	284.2	592.3%	0.2	35.2	35.0	19339.7%	0.8	69.3	68.5	8174.7%	0.6	0.7	0.1	23.4%
China	595.0	651.2	56.2	9.5%	51.8	40.4	-11.4	-21.9%	29.2	46.6	17.5	59.9%	36.5	54.2	17.8	48.7%
United Arab Emirates	157.2	258.7	101.5	64.6%	25.6	38.2	12.6	49.4%	2.3	38.9	36.6	1583.0%	8.6	17.9	9.3	108.6%
Other countries	1054.4	1268.2	213.8	20.3%	79.0	107.7	28.7	36.3%	151.7	73.7	-77.9	-51.4%	110.5	55.0	-55.5	-50.2%
TOTAL EXPORTS/FOB/	20770.2	22271.4	1501.3	7.2%	1780.6	1584.2	-196.4	-11.0%	1658.1	1650.1	-8.0	-0.5%	1777.6	1633.8	-143.8	-8.1%

1/ For the purpose of comparability of the data for 2012 and for the period January - June 2013, Croatia's time series have been included in the EU data.

2/ Includes Russia, Switzerland, Ukraine, Gibraltar (GB), Moldova, Belarus, Norway, Lichtenstein, Iceland, San Marino, Andorra, Faroe Islands and the Holy See.

3/ Includes Turkey, Serbia, Macedonia, Albania, Montenegro, Kosovo and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

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Commodity groups	January - December				January				February				March			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Consumer goods	4407.1	4770.3	363.2	8.2%	349.4	368.7	19.3	5.5%	341.4	377.6	36.2	10.6%	382.4	426.4	44.0	11.5%
Food, drinks and tobacco	1508.8	1545.9	37.1	2.5%	115.4	115.9	0.6	0.5%	110.2	115.5	5.3	4.9%	125.7	135.4	9.7	7.7%
Furniture and household appliances	640.7	706.3	65.6	10.2%	42.0	45.6	3.6	8.6%	46.2	50.0	3.8	8.2%	55.1	60.5	5.4	9.9%
Medicines and cosmetics	940.7	1025.8	85.1	9.0%	88.7	86.7	-2.0	-2.3%	76.1	87.1	11.0	14.4%	75.9	97.1	21.2	27.9%
Clothing and footwear	481.2	530.5	49.3	10.2%	34.9	46.5	11.6	33.3%	38.7	48.7	10.0	25.9%	43.1	49.9	6.8	15.8%
Automobiles	235.1	287.8	52.7	22.4%	19.6	18.9	-0.7	-3.6%	19.4	21.4	2.0	10.1%	22.8	22.5	-0.3	-1.1%
Others	600.7	674.0	73.3	12.2%	48.9	55.1	6.2	12.7%	50.8	55.0	4.2	8.2%	59.8	61.0	1.2	2.0%
Raw materials	8755.7	9138.1	382.4	4.4%	664.0	726.3	62.3	9.4%	856.2	770.7	-85.5	-10.0%	708.3	751.8	43.6	6.2%
Ores	1381.4	1607.6	226.2	16.4%	116.2	123.9	7.8	6.7%	256.4	151.4	-105.0	-40.9%	45.3	52.7	7.4	16.3%
Iron and steel	823.1	822.2	-0.9	-0.1%	53.1	60.7	7.6	14.3%	72.4	49.6	-22.7	-31.4%	73.3	73.5	0.2	0.3%
Non-ferrous metals	718.0	711.9	-6.1	-0.9%	52.0	74.2	22.1	42.6%	64.5	52.7	-11.8	-18.2%	62.8	51.5	-11.4	-18.1%
Textiles	1061.8	1117.8	56.1	5.3%	81.9	86.3	4.3	5.3%	81.0	87.3	6.3	7.7%	86.6	107.1	20.5	23.7%
Wood products, paper and paperboard	447.6	451.1	3.6	0.8%	31.3	31.7	0.4	1.3%	33.7	34.2	0.5	1.6%	36.8	39.2	2.4	6.5%
Chemicals	504.5	518.0	13.6	2.7%	45.3	51.8	6.4	14.2%	46.3	66.2	19.9	42.9%	67.1	67.6	0.5	0.8%
Plastics and rubber	1203.1	1301.1	98.1	8.2%	94.8	91.4	-3.4	-3.6%	97.9	105.4	7.5	7.7%	104.6	118.2	13.6	13.0%
Raw materials for the food industry	563.3	596.3	33.0	5.9%	49.0	45.1	-4.0	-8.1%	53.4	58.2	4.7	8.9%	55.2	57.9	2.6	4.8%
Raw skins	105.5	89.3	-16.2	-15.3%	5.6	5.5	-0.1	-1.8%	5.8	6.3	0.5	8.2%	7.0	7.4	0.4	6.1%
Raw tobacco	117.9	133.4	15.4	13.1%	6.3	14.5	8.1	128.4%	11.7	11.7	0.0	-0.3%	11.0	10.6	-0.4	-3.9%
Others	1829.5	1789.3	-40.2	-2.2%	128.4	141.3	12.9	10.1%	133.1	147.6	14.5	10.9%	158.6	166.2	7.6	4.8%
Investment goods	5822.8	5767.7	-55.1	-0.9%	382.7	430.9	48.2	12.6%	375.9	436.8	60.9	16.2%	428.2	488.1	59.9	14.0%
Machines and equipment	1709.8	2058.4	348.6	20.4%	131.8	151.1	19.3	14.6%	133.2	150.6	17.4	13.0%	165.3	189.9	24.6	14.9%
Electrical machines	819.4	801.2	-18.2	-2.2%	66.7	69.5	2.7	4.1%	58.7	65.2	6.4	11.0%	56.2	58.6	2.5	4.4%
Vehicles	1023.5	1032.9	9.3	0.9%	56.5	67.2	10.7	18.9%	65.8	83.7	17.9	27.3%	73.8	87.7	13.9	18.9%
Spare parts and equipment	1406.8	963.2	-443.6	-31.5%	73.1	83.1	10.1	13.8%	65.2	75.3	10.1	15.5%	71.1	82.5	11.5	16.1%
Others	863.2	912.0	48.8	5.7%	54.6	60.1	5.4	10.0%	53.0	62.1	9.0	17.1%	61.9	69.3	7.4	11.9%
Total non energy commodities	18985.5	19676.0	690.5	3.6%	1396.2	1525.9	129.7	9.3%	1573.6	1585.2	11.6	0.7%	1518.9	1666.3	147.5	9.7%
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	6421.2	6037.2	-384.0	-6.0%	502.4	487.6	-14.8	-3.0%	480.0	349.6	-130.5	-27.2%	441.7	335.6	-106.0	-24.0%
Fuels	5181.1	4646.2	-534.9	-10.3%	399.3	324.6	-74.6	-18.7%	353.0	230.2	-122.7	-34.8%	340.4	240.4	-100.0	-29.4%
Crude oil and Natural gas	4792.0	4345.3	-446.6	-9.3%	373.2	304.4	-68.9	-18.5%	337.0	208.2	-128.8	-38.2%	322.6	219.2	-103.3	-32.0%
Coal	225.9	139.4	-86.5	-38.3%	16.5	13.6	-3.0	-17.9%	8.6	13.6	4.9	57.3%	5.0	13.5	8.5	170.1%
Others	163.3	161.5	-1.8	-1.1%	9.5	6.7	-2.8	-29.3%	7.3	8.5	1.1	15.5%	12.9	7.7	-5.2	-40.2%
Others	1240.1	1391.0	150.9	12.2%	103.2	162.9	59.8	57.9%	127.1	119.3	-7.7	-6.1%	101.2	95.2	-6.0	-5.9%
Oils	1240.1	1391.0	150.9	12.2%	103.2	162.9	59.8	57.9%	127.1	119.3	-7.7	-6.1%	101.2	95.2	-6.0	-5.9%
Other Imports ^{1/}	52.4	114.8	62.4	119.1%	5.7	9.3	3.6	61.9%	8.5	9.4	0.9	10.9%	9.5	10.5	1.1	11.6%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	25459.1	25828.1	369.0	1.4%	1904.3	2022.7	118.4	6.2%	2062.1	1944.2	-118.0	-5.7%	1970.0	2012.5	42.5	2.2%

1/ Includes information on imports of goods in Chapter 99 *Customs alleviations* of the *Customs Tariff* and imports of goods not elsewhere classified.

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Commodity groups	Q I			April			May			June		
	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change
	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%
Consumer goods	1073.2	1172.8	9.3%	416.3	426.2	9.9	381.6	414.8	33.3	389.5	424.6	35.1
Food, drinks and tobacco	351.3	366.9	4.4%	126.8	132.4	5.6	124.5	129.5	5.0	133.2	136.2	3.0
Furniture and household appliances	143.3	156.1	8.9%	63.2	66.4	3.2	56.3	66.2	9.9	56.9	65.7	8.8
Medicines and cosmetics	240.7	270.8	12.5%	98.7	94.2	-4.5	79.4	86.7	7.3	79.2	91.8	12.6
Clothing and footwear	116.7	145.1	24.4%	42.7	49.0	6.3	39.3	42.0	2.6	35.7	42.1	6.3
Automobiles	61.8	62.8	1.0	25.4	26.2	0.8	27.4	29.6	2.1	30.6	30.9	0.3
Others	159.6	171.2	7.3%	59.5	58.0	-1.5	54.6	60.9	6.3	53.7	57.8	4.1
Raw materials	2228.5	2248.8	0.9%	823.1	819.5	-3.5	718.2	689.6	-28.6	725.3	724.9	-0.4
Ores	417.8	328.0	-21.5%	132.2	144.4	12.2	82.4	66.3	-16.1	121.7	101.9	-19.8
Iron and steel	198.8	183.8	-7.5%	77.8	83.2	5.3	68.9	67.0	-1.8	66.9	64.2	-2.8
Non-ferrous metals	179.4	178.4	-1.0	71.9	55.1	-16.8	55.1	55.1	0.0	49.3	47.1	-2.2
Textiles	249.5	280.6	12.5%	103.7	113.2	9.5	108.8	113.0	4.2	100.7	104.7	3.9
Wood products, paper and paperboard	101.8	105.2	3.4	40.0	42.1	2.0	37.3	39.5	2.2	36.6	42.5	5.9
Chemicals	158.7	185.6	16.9%	54.4	48.4	-6.0	43.8	42.0	-1.8	42.0	41.6	-0.3
Plastics and rubber	297.3	315.0	5.9%	110.1	122.2	12.1	103.0	111.9	8.9	109.2	122.0	12.8
Raw materials for the food industry	157.7	161.1	3.4	56.5	40.9	-15.6	57.4	35.3	-22.1	43.0	36.0	-6.9
Raw skins	18.4	19.2	0.8	8.9	10.2	1.3	10.7	11.2	0.5	8.6	10.1	1.4
Raw tobacco	29.0	36.7	7.7	10.7	4.1	-6.6	8.1	5.4	-2.7	7.3	5.8	-1.5
Others	420.1	455.1	8.3%	156.8	155.8	-1.0	142.9	142.9	0.0	140.0	149.1	9.1
Investment goods	1186.9	1355.8	14.2%	557.5	500.3	-57.2	438.3	491.4	53.2	475.2	549.8	74.6
Machines and equipment	430.3	491.6	14.2%	170.3	166.1	-4.2	162.0	198.1	36.1	181.9	205.8	23.9
Electrical machines	181.6	193.3	6.4%	55.1	60.2	5.2	62.4	70.2	7.8	66.4	71.8	5.4
Vehicles	196.0	238.5	21.7%	136.9	86.8	-50.1	76.6	86.5	9.9	84.1	122.6	38.5
Spare parts and equipment	209.3	240.9	15.1%	82.0	77.3	-4.7	74.3	75.0	0.7	73.2	78.8	5.7
Others	169.5	191.4	12.9%	113.3	109.9	-3.4	63.0	61.7	-1.3	69.5	70.7	1.2
Total non energy commodities	4488.6	4777.4	6.4%	1796.9	1746.1	-50.8	1538.0	1595.9	57.8	1589.9	1699.2	109.3
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	1424.1	1172.8	-17.6%	422.0	443.6	21.6	564.7	507.2	-57.5	568.6	415.8	-152.8
Fuels	1092.6	795.3	-27.2%	327.0	335.6	8.5	429.8	413.6	-16.2	433.9	302.3	-131.6
Crude oil and Natural gas	1032.8	731.8	-30.1%	309.6	314.9	5.4	405.6	394.7	-10.9	407.1	272.5	-134.6
Coal	30.1	40.6	34.8%	5.0	8.6	3.6	8.5	11.0	2.5	8.6	12.6	4.0
Others	29.7	22.9	-22.9%	12.5	12.1	-0.4	15.7	7.9	-7.8	18.3	17.2	-1.1
Others	331.5	377.5	13.9%	95.0	108.1	13.0	134.9	93.5	-41.3	134.7	113.5	-21.2
Oils	331.5	377.5	13.9%	95.0	108.1	13.0	134.9	93.5	-41.3	134.7	113.5	-21.2
Other Imports ^{1/}	23.7	29.3	23.5%	10.2	10.4	0.2	9.7	10.6	0.9	9.4	10.3	0.9
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	5936.4	5979.4	0.7%	2229.2	2200.1	-29.1	2112.4	2113.6	1.3	2168.0	2125.4	-42.6

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Commodity groups	Q II						July			August			September			
	mill. EUR		Change		%		mill. EUR		Change		%		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Consumer goods	1187.3	1265.6	78.3	6.6%	411.1	435.7	24.6	6.0%	370.6	392.3	21.7	5.8%	420.8	453.6	32.8	7.8%
Food, drinks and tobacco	384.6	399.2	13.6	3.5%	129.7	140.1	10.4	8.0%	129.7	129.8	0.1	0.1%	137.0	136.1	-0.9	-0.7%
Furniture and household appliances	176.4	198.3	21.9	12.4%	59.7	60.8	1.1	1.8%	52.4	49.8	-2.5	-4.9%	63.6	66.8	3.2	5.1%
Medicines and cosmetics	257.4	272.8	15.4	6.0%	91.1	95.9	4.8	5.3%	80.1	84.9	4.9	6.1%	83.4	101.4	17.9	21.5%
Clothing and footwear	117.8	133.0	15.3	13.0%	43.7	49.2	5.5	12.6%	44.8	48.9	4.1	9.1%	58.3	62.4	4.1	7.0%
Automobiles	83.4	86.6	3.2	3.8%	24.4	29.8	5.4	22.3%	16.4	27.8	11.4	69.8%	22.3	22.3	0.0	-0.2%
Others	167.8	176.7	8.9	5.3%	62.5	59.9	-2.6	-4.2%	47.3	51.0	3.7	7.9%	56.2	64.7	8.5	15.1%
Raw materials	2266.5	2234.0	-32.5	-1.4%	864.2	806.7	-57.5	-6.7%	667.9	671.8	3.9	0.6%	839.8	807.3	-32.4	-3.9%
Ores	336.3	312.6	-23.8	-7.1%	185.6	121.2	-64.4	-34.7%	88.3	111.8	23.5	26.6%	216.6	153.2	-63.4	-29.3%
Iron and steel	213.6	214.4	0.7	0.3%	82.8	74.3	-8.5	-10.3%	62.8	49.1	-13.7	-21.9%	60.0	52.1	-7.9	-13.2%
Non-ferrous metals	176.3	157.3	-19.0	-10.8%	51.1	64.1	13.0	25.5%	52.4	48.0	-4.5	-8.6%	62.1	51.2	-10.9	-17.5%
Textiles	313.2	330.8	17.7	5.6%	98.9	102.5	3.6	3.6%	62.4	60.3	-2.1	-3.4%	87.4	94.3	6.9	7.9%
Wood products, paper and paperboard	113.8	124.0	10.2	8.9%	44.0	42.7	-1.3	-2.9%	37.4	36.6	-0.8	-2.2%	39.6	41.8	2.2	5.5%
Chemicals	140.1	132.0	-8.1	-5.8%	36.9	43.4	6.4	17.5%	38.9	39.8	1.0	2.4%	36.0	49.3	13.3	37.0%
Plastics and rubber	322.3	356.1	33.8	10.5%	126.2	128.2	1.9	1.5%	110.1	106.8	-3.3	-3.0%	117.8	128.3	10.5	8.9%
Raw materials for the food industry	156.9	112.2	-44.6	-28.5%	60.4	42.6	-17.8	-29.5%	44.9	42.9	-1.9	-4.3%	40.9	48.9	8.1	19.8%
Raw skins	28.2	31.4	3.2	11.4%	8.4	8.6	0.2	2.0%	3.6	4.7	1.1	30.9%	6.1	6.6	0.5	8.2%
Raw tobacco	26.1	15.3	-10.8	-41.3%	15.2	9.0	-6.1	-40.4%	5.0	6.3	1.3	26.1%	9.0	10.0	1.0	11.0%
Others	439.7	447.9	8.2	1.9%	154.7	170.2	15.5	10.0%	162.3	165.6	3.3	2.1%	164.4	171.8	7.4	4.5%
Investment goods	1471.0	1541.5	70.6	4.8%	554.5	546.6	-7.8	-1.4%	435.9	590.0	154.1	35.3%	506.4	651.9	145.5	28.7%
Machines and equipment	514.2	570.0	55.8	10.8%	217.1	189.1	-28.0	-12.9%	157.9	178.0	20.1	12.7%	184.2	178.7	-5.5	-3.0%
Electrical machines	183.9	202.2	18.3	9.9%	68.2	73.9	5.7	8.3%	71.4	66.1	-5.2	-7.3%	64.9	78.1	13.2	20.4%
Vehicles	297.6	295.9	-1.7	-0.6%	84.0	95.6	11.7	13.9%	57.7	126.1	68.4	118.7%	93.2	92.9	-0.4	-0.4%
Spare parts and equipment	229.4	231.2	1.7	0.8%	93.0	118.9	25.9	27.8%	75.1	68.2	-6.9	-9.2%	87.0	86.4	-0.6	-0.7%
Others	245.8	242.2	-3.5	-1.4%	92.2	69.2	-23.0	-25.0%	73.8	151.6	77.8	105.4%	77.0	215.8	138.8	180.1%
Total non energy commodities	4924.8	5041.1	116.3	2.4%	1829.8	1789.0	-40.8	-2.2%	1474.5	1654.1	179.6	12.2%	1766.9	1912.9	145.9	8.3%
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	1555.4	1366.6	-188.7	-12.1%	547.4	434.1	-113.3	-20.7%	499.1	542.1	43.0	8.6%	559.9	472.1	-87.8	-15.7%
Fuels	1190.8	1051.5	-139.2	-11.7%	431.3	310.4	-120.9	-28.0%	391.8	418.2	26.4	6.7%	434.2	358.8	-75.4	-17.4%
Crude oil and Natural gas	1122.2	982.1	-140.1	-12.5%	405.3	291.5	-113.8	-28.1%	358.6	391.3	32.7	9.1%	405.3	339.0	-66.3	-16.4%
Coal	22.1	32.2	10.2	46.1%	12.0	10.3	-1.8	-14.7%	13.3	10.9	-2.4	-17.9%	15.0	9.4	-5.6	-37.2%
Others	46.5	37.2	-9.3	-20.0%	13.9	8.6	-5.3	-38.2%	19.9	16.0	-3.9	-19.7%	13.9	10.4	-3.5	-25.2%
Others	364.6	315.1	-49.5	-13.6%	116.1	123.8	7.6	6.6%	107.3	123.9	16.5	15.4%	125.7	113.2	-12.5	-9.9%
Oils	364.6	315.1	-49.5	-13.6%	116.1	123.8	7.6	6.6%	107.3	123.9	16.5	15.4%	125.7	113.2	-12.5	-9.9%
Other Imports ^{1/}	29.4	31.4	2.0	6.9%	10.5	10.7	0.2	2.0%	9.3	9.2	-0.1	-1.4%	9.8	10.3	0.5	5.3%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	6509.5	6439.2	-70.4	-1.1%	2387.8	2233.9	-153.9	-6.4%	1982.9	2205.4	222.4	11.2%	2336.7	2395.3	58.6	2.5%

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**IMPORTS
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Commodity groups	Q III					October				January - October					
	mill. EUR		Change		%	mill. EUR		Change		%	2013		2014		Change
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%		2013	2014	mill. EUR	%		mill. EUR	share	mill. EUR	share	mill. EUR
Consumer goods	1202.5	1281.6	79.0	6.6%		462.1	486.9	24.8	5.4%		3925.1	18.3%	4206.8	19.4%	281.7
Food, drinks and tobacco	396.4	405.9	9.6	2.4%		146.2	146.7	0.5	0.3%		1278.4	6.0%	1317.6	6.1%	39.2
Furniture and household appliances	175.7	177.5	1.8	1.0%		68.6	69.5	0.8	1.2%		564.0	2.6%	601.3	2.8%	37.3
Medicines and cosmetics	254.6	282.2	27.6	10.8%		95.7	104.6	9.0	9.4%		848.3	4.0%	930.4	4.3%	82.1
Clothing and footwear	146.8	160.5	13.7	9.3%		63.2	63.1	-0.1	-0.3%		444.5	2.1%	501.7	2.3%	57.2
Automobiles	63.1	79.9	16.8	26.6%		23.7	33.8	10.1	42.4%		232.1	1.1%	263.1	1.2%	31.1
Others	166.0	175.6	9.6	5.8%		64.6	69.2	4.6	7.2%		557.9	2.6%	592.7	2.7%	34.8
Raw materials	2371.9	2285.9	-86.1	-3.6%		828.5	816.3	-12.3	-1.5%		7695.5	35.8%	7585.0	35.0%	-110.6
Ores	490.5	386.2	-104.3	-21.3%		156.6	119.9	-36.7	-23.4%		1401.3	6.5%	1146.7	5.3%	-254.6
Iron and steel	205.6	175.5	-30.2	-14.7%		69.2	66.3	-2.9	-4.2%		687.2	3.2%	640.0	3.0%	-47.3
Non-ferrous metals	165.6	163.3	-2.4	-1.4%		74.2	71.8	-2.4	-3.2%		595.5	2.8%	570.7	2.6%	-24.8
Textiles	248.6	257.0	8.4	3.4%		106.7	107.8	1.1	1.0%		918.0	4.3%	976.2	4.5%	58.2
Wood products, paper and paperboard	121.0	121.1	0.1	0.1%		40.5	44.3	3.8	9.3%		377.1	1.8%	394.5	1.8%	17.4
Chemicals	111.8	132.5	20.7	18.5%		39.9	41.3	1.4	3.5%		450.5	2.1%	491.4	2.3%	40.9
Plastics and rubber	354.1	363.2	9.1	2.6%		124.5	130.9	6.4	5.1%		1098.2	5.1%	1165.2	5.4%	67.0
Raw materials for the food industry	146.1	134.4	-11.7	-8.0%		48.4	46.7	-1.7	-3.4%		509.0	2.4%	454.4	2.1%	-54.6
Raw skins	18.1	19.9	1.8	9.8%		8.1	9.9	1.8	21.8%		72.8	0.3%	80.4	0.4%	7.6
Raw tobacco	29.1	25.3	-3.8	-13.2%		12.0	9.6	-2.3	-19.4%		96.2	0.4%	86.9	0.4%	-9.3
Others	481.4	507.6	26.2	5.5%		148.5	167.9	19.4	13.0%		1489.6	6.9%	1578.5	7.3%	88.8
Investment goods	1496.7	1788.5	291.8	19.5%		519.9	615.9	96.0	18.5%		4674.5	21.8%	5301.8	24.5%	627.3
Machines and equipment	559.2	545.8	-13.5	-2.4%		174.3	180.6	6.3	3.6%		1678.1	7.8%	1788.0	8.3%	109.9
Electrical machines	204.5	218.1	13.7	6.7%		76.5	90.0	13.5	17.6%		646.5	3.0%	703.6	3.3%	57.1
Vehicles	234.9	314.6	79.7	34.0%		102.5	110.6	8.1	7.9%		831.0	3.9%	959.7	4.4%	128.7
Spare parts and equipment	255.1	273.4	18.3	7.2%		92.0	89.1	-2.9	-3.2%		785.9	3.7%	834.6	3.9%	48.7
Others	243.0	436.6	193.5	79.6%		74.7	145.7	71.0	95.1%		733.0	3.4%	1015.9	4.7%	282.9
Total non energy commodities	5071.2	5356.0	284.8	5.6%		1810.5	1919.1	108.6	6.0%		16295.2	75.9%	17093.5	79.0%	798.3
Mineral fuels, oils and electricity	1606.5	1448.3	-158.2	-9.8%		496.8	457.6	-39.3	-7.9%		5082.8	23.7%	4445.3	20.5%	-637.5
Fuels	1257.3	1087.4	-169.9	-13.5%		379.0	342.0	-37.0	-9.8%		3919.7	18.3%	3276.2	15.1%	-643.5
Crude oil and Natural gas	1169.2	1021.8	-147.4	-12.6%		346.2	316.4	-29.8	-8.6%		3670.4	17.1%	3052.0	14.1%	-618.4
Coal	40.4	30.6	-9.7	-24.1%		19.4	9.8	-9.6	-49.6%		111.9	0.5%	113.2	0.5%	1.3
Others	47.7	35.0	-12.8	-26.7%		13.5	15.9	2.4	17.6%		137.4	0.6%	111.0	0.5%	-26.5
Others	349.2	360.9	11.7	3.3%		117.8	115.6	-2.2	-1.9%		1163.1	5.4%	1169.1	5.4%	6.0
Oils	349.2	360.9	11.7	3.3%		117.8	115.6	-2.2	-1.9%		1163.1	5.4%	1169.1	5.4%	6.0
Other Imports ^{1/}	29.6	30.2	0.6	2.0%		11.6	11.3	-0.3	-2.9%		94.3	0.4%	102.2	0.5%	7.9
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	6707.3	6834.5	127.2	1.9%		2319.0	2387.9	69.0	3.0%		21472.3	100.0%	21641.0	100.0%	168.7

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	January - December				January				February			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	6551.8	6605.8	54.0	0.8%	439.9	497.4	57.5	13.1%	438.6	507.2	68.7	15.7%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance, parts	2032.3	2383.3	351.1	17.3%	151.8	173.7	22.0	14.5%	155.3	174.9	19.6	12.6%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	2470.6	2026.2	-444.4	-18.0%	156.0	168.8	12.8	8.2%	142.3	157.0	14.7	10.3%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	1210.7	1390.3	179.6	14.8%	93.1	99.0	5.9	6.3%	100.8	114.8	14.0	13.9%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	303.8	336.5	32.7	10.8%	23.3	30.3	6.9	29.7%	22.0	30.8	8.8	39.9%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	7886.1	7654.6	-231.5	-2.9%	617.8	614.8	-3.0	-0.5%	741.1	504.4	-236.7	-31.9%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	6341.5	5958.4	-383.1	-6.0%	496.0	484.2	-11.8	-2.4%	474.4	347.8	-126.6	-26.7%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	1381.4	1607.6	226.2	16.4%	116.2	123.9	7.8	6.7%	256.4	151.4	-105.0	-40.9%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	3399.9	3634.6	234.6	6.9%	286.6	295.2	8.6	3.0%	278.9	324.2	45.4	16.3%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	970.1	1064.8	94.7	9.8%	75.8	73.6	-2.1	-2.8%	75.4	84.1	8.6	11.4%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	823.8	893.3	69.5	8.4%	74.0	78.2	4.1	5.6%	67.5	78.2	10.7	15.9%
Division 38. Miscellaneous chemical products	327.8	344.6	16.8	5.1%	31.4	33.2	1.8	5.9%	37.1	52.3	15.2	41.0%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	266.0	274.7	8.7	3.3%	21.4	20.5	-0.9	-4.0%	25.3	24.2	-1.1	-4.4%
Division 31. Fertilizers	238.9	242.2	3.3	1.4%	21.8	27.7	6.0	27.4%	21.1	26.9	5.8	27.7%
Division 29. Organic chemicals	206.4	201.0	-5.4	-2.6%	17.8	16.1	-1.7	-9.8%	10.7	10.5	-0.2	-1.8%
Division 33. Essential oils	178.9	199.5	20.5	11.5%	14.7	14.2	-0.5	-3.3%	14.2	16.2	2.0	14.4%
Base metals and their products, including:	2352.2	2400.8	48.6	2.1%	165.7	192.1	26.4	15.9%	197.2	164.4	-32.8	-16.6%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	451.9	520.0	68.2	15.1%	37.2	30.8	-6.5	-17.4%	34.9	34.9	-0.1	-0.2%
Division 72. Iron and steel	823.1	822.2	-0.9	-0.1%	53.1	60.7	7.6	14.3%	72.4	49.6	-22.7	-31.4%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	518.0	461.4	-56.6	-10.9%	35.6	54.8	19.2	54.0%	37.5	39.3	1.8	4.7%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	323.3	331.9	8.5	2.6%	22.2	25.1	3.0	13.4%	31.2	19.7	-11.5	-36.8%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	2096.8	2255.9	159.1	7.6%	154.5	178.2	23.7	15.3%	161.5	183.0	21.5	13.3%
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	202.1	215.5	13.4	6.6%	14.9	20.0	5.1	34.6%	15.1	19.5	4.4	29.2%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	186.8	207.9	21.1	11.3%	13.6	16.9	3.3	24.2%	14.9	17.8	2.9	19.3%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	164.6	183.4	18.7	11.4%	12.1	15.7	3.5	29.3%	12.5	17.2	4.6	37.0%
Division 60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics	183.8	199.3	15.5	8.4%	13.8	16.3	2.5	17.9%	15.6	16.1	0.6	3.6%
Division 51. Wool, fine/coarse animals hair horsehair	162.2	166.8	4.6	2.8%	13.5	10.0	-3.6	-26.3%	12.6	17.7	5.1	40.9%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	2357.5	2450.4	92.9	3.9%	182.9	188.5	5.6	3.1%	186.9	200.6	13.7	7.3%
Division 02. Meat and edible meat offal	408.6	327.9	-80.7	-19.7%	24.8	26.7	1.9	7.7%	26.6	28.3	1.6	6.1%
Division 04. Dairy products; birds' eggs; edible products	171.4	218.3	46.9	27.4%	16.6	16.5	-0.1	-0.6%	14.4	15.1	0.7	4.6%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	179.2	201.3	22.2	12.4%	10.7	19.8	9.1	84.8%	15.4	16.2	0.8	5.2%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	814.8	826.1	11.3	1.4%	57.0	56.6	-0.4	-0.7%	58.0	60.4	2.4	4.1%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	360.6	363.7	3.2	0.9%	25.6	26.0	0.4	1.5%	27.1	28.0	0.9	3.4%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	25459.1	25828.1	369.0	1.4%	1904.3	2022.7	118.4	6.2%	2062.1	1944.2	-118.0	-5.7%
(-) Freight	1228.7	1126.7			84.8	88.0			92.6	81.7		
TOTAL IMPORTS /FOB/	24230.4	24701.4	471.0	1.9%	1819.6	1934.7	115.1	6.3%	1969.5	1862.4	-107.1	-5.4%

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	March				Q I				April			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	499.2	570.0	70.8	14.2%	1377.7	1574.6	197.0	14.3%	629.3	577.2	-52.1	-8.3%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance .parts	192.5	220.1	27.6	14.3%	499.5	568.7	69.2	13.9%	197.8	198.0	0.2	0.1%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	148.1	161.2	13.0	8.8%	446.4	486.9	40.5	9.1%	161.3	160.0	-1.3	-0.8%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	111.6	123.1	11.5	10.3%	305.6	336.9	31.3	10.3%	118.7	125.3	6.6	5.6%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	25.5	32.9	7.4	29.2%	70.8	93.9	23.1	32.7%	28.6	31.0	2.4	8.5%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	491.8	393.4	-98.4	-20.0%	1850.7	1512.6	-338.1	-18.3%	558.5	595.1	36.5	6.5%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	437.5	332.3	-105.2	-24.0%	1407.9	1164.3	-243.6	-17.3%	416.2	441.0	24.8	6.0%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	45.3	52.7	7.4	16.3%	417.8	328.0	-89.8	-21.5%	132.2	144.4	12.2	9.2%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	321.0	354.1	33.1	10.3%	886.5	973.5	87.1	9.8%	330.0	327.0	-3.0	-0.9%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	83.8	93.7	9.9	11.9%	235.0	251.4	16.4	7.0%	91.7	101.2	9.6	10.4%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	67.6	88.0	20.3	30.1%	209.2	244.4	35.2	16.8%	88.4	84.3	-4.1	-4.6%
Division 38. Miscellaneous chemical products	49.3	51.7	2.4	4.8%	117.7	137.2	19.4	16.5%	36.7	27.6	-9.1	-24.7%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	23.9	27.7	3.8	15.9%	70.6	72.4	1.8	2.6%	22.8	24.5	1.7	7.6%
Division 31. Fertilizers	31.0	26.9	-4.0	-13.0%	73.8	81.6	7.8	10.5%	18.1	14.5	-3.6	-19.9%
Division 29. Organic chemicals	17.6	15.1	-2.6	-14.5%	46.2	41.7	-4.5	-9.7%	19.6	19.3	-0.3	-1.6%
Division 33. Essential oils	14.7	17.1	2.4	16.3%	43.6	47.6	4.0	9.1%	16.8	18.8	2.0	11.9%
Base metals and their products, including:	202.5	193.9	-8.6	-4.3%	565.4	550.3	-15.0	-2.7%	227.9	212.1	-15.8	-6.9%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	37.9	38.2	0.3	0.9%	110.1	103.9	-6.2	-5.6%	47.2	44.8	-2.4	-5.1%
Division 72. Iron and steel	73.3	73.5	0.2	0.3%	198.8	183.8	-14.9	-7.5%	77.8	83.2	5.3	6.9%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	39.2	36.3	-3.0	-7.5%	112.4	130.4	18.0	16.1%	44.7	42.3	-2.5	-5.5%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	29.5	23.1	-6.4	-21.8%	82.8	67.9	-14.9	-18.0%	29.7	22.2	-7.5	-25.3%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:	180.8	209.6	28.7	15.9%	496.8	570.7	73.9	14.9%	198.8	219.8	21.0	10.6%
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	16.6	19.9	3.4	20.5%	46.5	59.4	12.9	27.8%	17.4	19.5	2.1	12.1%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	16.9	20.0	3.1	18.3%	45.4	54.7	9.3	20.4%	17.1	20.9	3.7	21.7%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	14.1	16.8	2.7	18.9%	38.8	49.6	10.9	28.0%	14.3	16.3	1.9	13.4%
Division 60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics	16.6	19.4	2.8	16.8%	46.0	51.8	5.8	12.7%	17.8	19.2	1.4	7.8%
Division 51. Wool, fine/coarse animals hair horsehair	12.8	18.6	5.8	45.6%	38.9	46.3	7.4	19.1%	16.3	19.8	3.5	21.3%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	209.5	221.5	12.0	5.7%	579.3	610.6	31.3	5.4%	211.1	196.1	-15.0	-7.1%
Division 02. Meat and edible meat offal	24.1	30.6	6.5	26.8%	75.5	85.5	10.0	13.3%	23.4	28.8	5.4	23.3%
Division 04. Dairy products; birds' eggs; edible products	16.0	18.0	1.9	12.0%	47.1	49.6	2.5	5.3%	17.2	15.4	-1.8	-10.5%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	15.8	15.9	0.2	1.0%	41.9	51.9	10.0	24.0%	15.3	11.0	-4.3	-28.2%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including	65.2	70.1	4.9	7.6%	180.1	187.0	6.9	3.8%	73.5	72.9	-0.6	-0.8%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	29.5	33.3	3.8	12.8%	82.2	87.3	5.1	6.2%	34.8	34.0	-0.8	-2.2%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	1970.0	2012.5	42.5	2.2%	5936.4	5979.4	43.0	0.7%	2229.2	2200.1	-29.1	-1.3%
(-) Freight	81.6	79.8			258.9	249.5			93.1	92.9		
TOTAL IMPORTS /FOB/	1888.4	1932.7	44.3	2.3%	5677.5	5729.8	52.4	0.9%	2136.1	2107.2	-28.9	-1.4%

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	May				June				Q II			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including:	511.6	580.1	68.5	13.4%	550.9	633.9	83.0	15.1%	1691.8	1791.1	99.4	5.9%
Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance .parts	189.9	226.5	36.5	19.2%	209.4	237.6	28.2	13.5%	597.1	662.1	65.0	10.9%
Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc.	154.7	168.6	14.0	9.0%	163.2	175.3	12.1	7.4%	479.2	504.0	24.8	5.2%
Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories	114.8	129.4	14.5	12.7%	127.3	148.1	20.7	16.3%	360.8	402.7	41.9	11.6%
Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	26.0	28.9	2.9	11.2%	27.9	28.1	0.2	0.6%	82.5	88.0	5.5	6.6%
Mineral products and fuels, including:	646.4	578.4	-68.0	-10.5%	688.6	522.4	-166.2	-24.1%	1893.5	1695.8	-197.7	-10.4%
Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc.	555.8	503.6	-52.2	-9.4%	561.7	410.1	-151.6	-27.0%	1533.7	1354.7	-179.0	-11.7%
Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	82.4	66.3	-16.1	-19.6%	121.7	101.9	-19.8	-16.3%	336.3	312.6	-23.8	-7.1%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including:	290.5	293.6	3.1	1.1%	284.7	315.4	30.7	10.8%	905.2	936.0	30.8	3.4%
Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof	87.7	98.7	10.9	12.5%	92.3	103.2	10.9	11.8%	271.7	303.0	31.4	11.6%
Division 30. Pharmaceutical products	68.4	75.6	7.2	10.6%	68.3	85.3	17.0	24.9%	225.1	245.3	20.2	9.0%
Division 38. Miscellaneous chemical products	29.3	21.8	-7.5	-25.5%	25.7	21.3	-4.5	-17.4%	91.7	70.7	-21.0	-22.9%
Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof	18.5	16.4	-2.1	-11.3%	20.3	21.9	1.6	7.7%	61.6	62.8	1.2	1.9%
Division 31. Fertilizers	15.5	8.6	-6.9	-44.8%	6.1	8.3	2.2	36.4%	39.7	31.4	-8.3	-21.0%
Division 29. Organic chemicals	18.8	19.5	0.7	3.9%	19.2	23.5	4.3	22.6%	57.6	62.3	4.7	8.2%
Division 33. Essential oils	16.4	16.4	0.0	0.2%	16.6	15.6	-1.0	-6.0%	49.8	50.8	1.0	2.1%
Base metals and their products, including:	187.8	187.4	-0.5	-0.2%	191.8	185.2	-6.6	-3.4%	607.6	584.7	-22.9	-3.8%
Division 73. Articles of iron and steel	37.4	34.8	-2.5	-6.8%	45.2	43.6	-1.6	-3.5%	129.7	123.2	-6.6	-5.0%
Division 72. Iron and steel	68.9	67.0	-1.8	-2.7%	66.9	64.2	-2.8	-4.2%	213.6	214.4	0.7	0.3%
Division 74. Copper and articles thereof	36.7	35.9	-0.8	-2.2%	34.8	29.1	-5.7	-16.4%	116.3	107.3	-9.0	-7.7%
Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	26.4	27.7	1.3	4.9%	23.1	24.7	1.6	6.9%	79.2	74.6	-4.6	-5.8%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including:												
Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	201.4	215.5	14.1	7.0%	187.9	204.3	16.5	8.8%	588.1	639.6	51.5	8.8%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc.	15.8	16.6	0.9	5.6%	14.6	17.3	2.7	18.5%	47.7	53.4	5.7	11.9%
Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted	16.2	21.3	5.1	31.5%	16.0	20.9	4.9	30.4%	49.3	63.0	13.7	27.7%
Division 60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics	13.4	14.7	1.3	10.0%	13.2	15.0	1.8	13.6%	40.9	46.0	5.1	12.3%
Division 51. Wool, fine/coarse animals hair horsehair	19.6	17.9	-1.7	-8.5%	17.3	17.8	0.4	2.4%	54.8	54.9	0.2	0.3%
	18.6	20.7	2.1	11.4%	16.3	16.7	0.4	2.3%	51.2	57.2	6.0	11.7%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including:	203.6	188.0	-15.6	-7.7%	196.1	190.9	-5.3	-2.7%	610.8	574.9	-35.9	-5.9%
Division 02. Meat and edible meat offal	24.1	26.8	2.7	11.2%	28.8	27.9	-0.9	-3.1%	76.2	83.5	7.2	9.5%
Division 04. Dairy products; birds' eggs; edible products	13.5	15.5	2.0	15.2%	15.1	18.3	3.2	21.1%	45.8	49.2	3.4	7.5%
Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	14.0	11.2	-2.8	-19.7%	13.8	12.2	-1.6	-11.7%	43.1	34.4	-8.7	-20.2%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including												
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	71.1	70.8	-0.3	-0.4%	68.1	73.4	5.3	7.8%	212.7	217.1	4.4	2.1%
	29.8	31.8	1.9	6.4%	29.6	33.9	4.3	14.5%	94.2	99.7	5.5	5.8%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	2112.4	2113.6	1.3	0.1%	2168.0	2125.4	-42.6	-2.0%	6509.5	6439.2	-70.4	-1.1%
(-) Freight	91.4	91.8			93.9	91.5			278.4	276.2		
TOTAL IMPORTS /FOB/	2021.0	2021.9	0.8	0.0%	2074.1	2033.9	-40.2	-1.9%	6231.2	6163.0	-68.2	-1.1%

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	July				August				September			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including: Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance ,parts Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc. Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	610.8	629.9	19.1	3.1%	480.6	560.9	80.3	16.7%	574.3	594.4	20.2	3.5%
	248.9	221.4	-27.5	-11.0%	186.4	203.7	17.3	9.3%	209.7	211.6	1.9	0.9%
	173.2	199.1	25.9	14.9%	161.9	145.6	-16.3	-10.1%	178.1	192.3	14.2	8.0%
	124.3	135.3	11.0	8.9%	87.5	133.1	45.6	52.2%	120.0	136.5	16.4	13.7%
	32.2	31.3	-0.9	-2.9%	24.4	23.9	-0.5	-2.1%	30.4	29.4	-1.0	-3.4%
Mineral products and fuels, including: Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc. Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	732.6	558.4	-174.2	-23.8%	584.1	655.8	71.7	12.3%	777.8	631.6	-146.2	-18.8%
	540.1	431.2	-108.9	-20.2%	488.7	535.0	46.3	9.5%	554.3	468.4	-85.9	-15.5%
	185.6	121.2	-64.4	-34.7%	88.3	111.8	23.5	26.6%	216.6	153.2	-63.4	-29.3%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including: Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof Division 30. Pharmaceutical products Division 38. Miscellaneous chemical products Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof Division 31. Fertilizers Division 29. Organic chemicals Division 33. Essential oils	319.5	339.8	20.3	6.4%	316.1	313.2	-2.9	-0.9%	310.5	345.9	35.5	11.4%
	106.3	105.1	-1.2	-1.1%	88.4	85.1	-3.2	-3.6%	94.8	104.5	9.7	10.2%
	78.7	88.6	9.9	12.6%	68.0	80.4	12.4	18.2%	71.7	89.2	17.5	24.3%
	25.3	23.2	-2.1	-8.2%	28.0	23.7	-4.2	-15.2%	20.3	25.9	5.6	27.3%
	24.0	26.6	2.6	10.8%	24.5	24.5	0.1	0.2%	26.0	27.2	1.2	4.5%
	12.9	21.6	8.7	67.0%	38.4	31.4	-7.0	-18.2%	26.9	19.7	-7.2	-26.7%
	14.2	19.0	4.8	33.7%	17.4	19.0	1.6	9.0%	16.7	23.8	7.1	42.3%
19.0	17.8	-1.2	-6.3%	16.2	16.0	-0.2	-1.3%	17.2	18.9	1.7	9.9%	
Base metals and their products, including: Division 73. Articles of iron and steel Division 72. Iron and steel Division 74. Copper and articles thereof Division 76. Aluminium and articles thereof	224.5	210.1	-14.4	-6.4%	187.7	258.7	71.1	37.9%	203.2	322.9	119.7	58.9%
	57.5	39.3	-18.2	-31.7%	46.5	132.2	85.7	184.1%	50.8	182.0	131.3	258.4%
	82.8	74.3	-8.5	-10.3%	62.8	49.1	-13.7	-21.9%	60.0	52.1	-7.9	-13.2%
	32.1	43.5	11.4	35.6%	33.6	31.0	-2.6	-7.8%	42.8	34.3	-8.5	-19.9%
	28.6	30.8	2.2	7.6%	25.7	24.5	-1.2	-4.7%	27.8	31.0	3.2	11.6%
	200.9	212.5	11.6	5.8%	151.4	155.0	3.5	2.3%	196.6	213.4	16.7	8.5%
	18.6	19.5	0.9	4.8%	16.5	17.6	1.1	6.4%	22.7	23.8	1.1	5.0%
Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc. Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted Division 60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics Division 51. Wool, fine/coarse animals hair horsehair	19.7	22.1	2.4	12.0%	17.7	17.7	0.1	0.3%	17.2	19.5	2.4	13.8%
	15.3	18.5	3.2	21.0%	14.3	17.9	3.6	25.2%	19.7	21.0	1.4	6.9%
	16.8	17.2	0.3	1.8%	9.0	9.5	0.5	5.2%	15.0	15.3	0.4	2.5%
	18.5	19.1	0.6	3.2%	7.6	7.7	0.1	0.7%	13.0	14.2	1.2	9.0%
	220.2	207.4	-12.8	-5.8%	194.2	196.1	1.9	1.0%	201.2	209.9	8.7	4.3%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including: Division 02. Meat and edible meat offal Division 04. Dairy products; birds' eggs; edible products Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	29.4	30.1	0.7	2.2%	29.1	29.4	0.3	1.0%	30.2	30.6	0.4	1.4%
	17.0	17.9	0.8	5.0%	23.5	17.7	-5.7	-24.5%	24.0	16.8	-7.2	-29.8%
	21.3	15.4	-5.9	-27.8%	12.0	11.9	0.0	-0.1%	14.6	14.9	0.3	1.7%
	79.3	75.9	-3.4	-4.3%	68.8	65.7	-3.2	-4.6%	73.1	77.1	4.0	5.5%
Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard	34.5	34.1	-0.5	-1.4%	29.1	29.0	-0.1	-0.3%	30.5	32.7	2.3	7.4%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	2387.8	2233.9	-153.9	-6.4%	1982.9	2205.4	222.4	11.2%	2336.7	2395.3	58.6	2.5%
(-) Freight	105.1	95.6			88.0	100.1			104.9	107.1		
TOTAL IMPORTS /FOB/	2282.6	2138.3	-144.4	-6.3%	1894.9	2105.2	210.3	11.1%	2231.7	2288.2	56.5	2.5%

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COMMODITY GROUPS *	Q III					October				January - October						
	mill. EUR		Change		%	mill. EUR		Change		%	2013		2014		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%		2013	2014	mill. EUR	share		mill. EUR	share	mill. EUR	%		
Machines, transport facilities, appliances and tools, including: Division 84. Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery & mechanical appliance, parts Division 85. Electrical machines, equipment parts thereof; sound recorders etc. Division 87. Vehicles other than railway tramway rolling-stock, parts & accessories Division 90. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring checking, precision, apparatus etc.	1665.7	1785.2	119.6	7.2%		598.1	647.1	49.0	8.2%		5333.2	24.8%	5798.1	26.8%	464.9	8.7%
	645.0	636.7	-8.3	-1.3%		202.8	211.5	8.7	4.3%		1944.3	9.1%	2078.9	9.6%	134.5	6.9%
	513.2	537.1	23.8	4.6%		198.5	209.7	11.1	5.6%		1637.4	7.6%	1737.6	8.0%	100.2	6.1%
	331.8	404.9	73.1	22.0%		117.3	161.8	44.5	37.9%		1115.5	5.2%	1306.3	6.0%	190.8	17.1%
	87.0	84.5	-2.5	-2.8%		30.6	29.3	-1.3	-4.4%		270.9	1.3%	295.7	1.4%	24.8	9.2%
Mineral products and fuels, including: Division 27. Mineral Fuels, oils & products of their distillation; etc. Division 26. Ores, Slag and ash	2094.4	1845.7	-248.7	-11.9%		653.7	588.0	-65.7	-10.0%		6492.3	30.2%	5642.1	26.1%	-850.1	-13.1%
	1583.0	1434.6	-148.5	-9.4%		491.1	456.3	-34.9	-7.1%		5015.7	23.4%	4409.9	20.4%	-605.8	-12.1%
	490.5	386.2	-104.3	-21.3%		156.6	119.9	-36.7	-23.4%		1401.3	6.5%	1146.7	5.3%	-254.6	-18.2%
Chemical products, plastics and rubber, including: Division 39. Plastics and articles thereof Division 30. Pharmaceutical products Division 38. Miscellaneous chemical products Division 40. Rubber and articles thereof Division 31. Fertilizers Division 29. Organic chemicals Division 33. Essential oils	946.1	998.9	52.8	5.6%		317.0	334.9	17.9	5.7%		3054.8	14.2%	3243.4	15.0%	188.6	6.2%
	289.5	294.7	5.3	1.8%		97.9	103.5	5.6	5.7%		894.0	4.2%	952.7	4.4%	58.7	6.6%
	218.5	258.3	39.8	18.2%		84.0	97.0	13.1	15.6%		736.7	3.4%	844.9	3.9%	108.2	14.7%
	73.6	72.8	-0.8	-1.1%		19.1	17.4	-1.7	-9.1%		302.2	1.4%	298.1	1.4%	-4.1	-1.4%
	74.5	78.3	3.8	5.1%		30.0	30.7	0.7	2.3%		236.6	1.1%	244.2	1.1%	7.5	3.2%
	78.2	72.7	-5.5	-7.1%		9.0	10.1	1.1	12.4%		200.8	0.9%	195.8	0.9%	-5.0	-2.5%
	48.4	61.8	13.4	27.8%		20.6	20.5	-0.1	-0.4%		172.7	0.8%	186.4	0.8%	13.6	7.9%
	52.4	52.7	0.3	0.5%		18.5	18.1	-0.4	-2.3%		164.3	0.8%	169.2	0.8%	4.9	3.0%
	615.5	791.8	176.3	28.7%		225.1	283.8	58.6	26.0%		2013.5	9.4%	2210.6	10.2%	197.1	9.8%
Textile and leather materials, clothing, footwear and other consumer goods, including: Division 61. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted Division 94. Furniture; bedding, matters, mattresses support, cushion etc. Division 62. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories not knitted/crocheted Division 60. Knitted or crocheted fabrics Division 51. Wool, fine/coarse animals hair horsehair	154.8	353.5	198.7	128.4%		47.2	110.3	63.1	133.6%		441.8	2.1%	690.9	3.2%	249.0	56.4%
	205.6	175.5	-30.2	-14.7%		69.2	66.3	-2.9	-4.2%		687.2	3.2%	640.0	3.0%	-47.3	-6.9%
	108.5	108.8	0.3	0.3%		52.7	43.8	-8.9	-16.9%		389.9	1.8%	390.3	1.8%	0.4	0.1%
	82.1	86.3	4.2	5.1%		29.0	35.6	6.6	22.8%		273.1	1.3%	264.3	1.2%	-8.7	-3.2%
	548.9	580.8	31.9	5.8%		227.4	235.4	8.0	3.5%		1861.2	8.7%	2026.5	9.4%	165.3	8.9%
	57.8	60.9	3.1	5.3%		27.0	23.6	-3.5	-12.8%		179.0	0.8%	197.3	0.9%	18.2	10.2%
Animal and vegetable products, food, drinks and tobacco products, including: Division 02. Meat and edible meat offal Division 04. Dairy products; birds' eggs; edible products Division 24. Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	54.5	59.3	4.8	8.8%		18.9	19.7	0.8	4.3%		168.2	0.8%	196.7	0.9%	28.5	17.0%
	49.2	57.4	8.2	16.6%		23.1	20.6	-2.5	-10.7%		152.0	0.7%	173.6	0.8%	21.6	14.2%
	40.8	42.0	1.2	2.8%		20.0	19.9	0.0	-0.2%		161.5	0.8%	168.6	0.8%	7.1	4.4%
	39.2	41.0	1.8	4.6%		13.6	13.3	-0.3	-2.3%		142.9	0.7%	157.8	0.7%	14.9	10.4%
Wood, paper, earthenware and glass products, including Division 48. Paper & paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper/paperboard																
	615.6	613.4	-2.2	-0.4%		220.4	219.7	-0.7	-0.3%		2026.0	9.4%	2018.6	9.3%	-7.5	-0.4%
	88.7	90.0	1.4	1.5%		30.1	35.1	5.0	16.4%		270.6	1.3%	294.1	1.4%	23.5	8.7%
	64.5	52.4	-12.1	-18.7%		23.1	16.2	-7.0	-30.1%		180.5	0.8%	167.4	0.8%	-13.1	-7.3%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/ (-) Freight TOTAL IMPORTS /FOB/	47.8	42.2	-5.7	-11.8%		18.9	15.9	-3.1	-16.2%		151.8	0.7%	144.4	0.7%	-7.4	-4.9%
	221.1	218.6	-2.5	-1.1%		77.2	79.0	1.7	2.2%		691.2	3.2%	701.7	3.2%	10.5	1.5%
	94.1	95.8	1.7	1.8%		32.7	34.7	2.1	6.3%		303.2	1.4%	317.5	1.5%	14.3	4.7%
	6707.3	6834.5	127.2	1.9%		2319.0	2387.9	69.0	3.0%		21472.3	100.0%	21641.0	100.0%	168.7	0.8%
	298.1	302.8				105.4	105.0				940.8		933.6			
	6409.3	6531.7	122.4	1.9%		2213.6	2283.0	69.4	3.1%		20531.5		20707.5		176.0	0.9%

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COUNTRIES *	January - December				January				February				March			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change
	2012	2013	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
EU countries incl. : ^{1/}	12154.0	12585.3	431.2	3.5%	877.6	961.9	84.3	9.6%	944.8	993.0	48.2	5.1%	1033.6	1097.3	63.6	6.2%
Germany	2473.6	2577.9	104.2	4.2%	178.0	200.0	22.0	12.4%	188.6	202.7	14.1	7.5%	213.7	239.5	25.7	12.0%
Italy	1675.2	1893.6	218.4	13.0%	132.6	155.4	22.8	17.2%	143.9	133.8	-10.1	-7.0%	141.5	159.1	17.7	12.5%
Romania	1405.2	1367.3	-37.9	-2.7%	90.1	110.4	20.3	22.6%	124.9	111.2	-13.7	-11.0%	112.4	109.6	-2.8	-2.5%
Greece	1355.0	1265.8	-89.2	-6.6%	88.3	81.9	-6.4	-7.3%	79.9	82.0	2.0	2.5%	96.5	90.1	-6.3	-6.5%
France	753.4	783.4	29.9	4.0%	55.1	61.0	5.9	10.8%	64.0	81.2	17.2	26.9%	78.6	74.7	-3.9	-5.0%
Poland	586.8	747.8	161.0	27.4%	57.3	55.5	-1.8	-3.2%	60.1	59.1	-0.9	-1.6%	59.3	63.8	4.5	7.6%
Czech Republic	446.0	467.5	21.4	4.8%	29.7	29.5	-0.3	-0.9%	27.2	37.9	10.8	39.6%	42.5	43.4	0.8	2.0%
Spain	380.6	451.7	71.1	18.7%	28.5	32.6	4.1	14.5%	38.9	36.6	-2.3	-5.8%	39.0	45.6	6.7	17.1%
Austria	491.4	464.4	-27.0	-5.5%	37.7	31.8	-5.9	-15.7%	33.2	39.1	5.9	17.7%	35.8	41.7	5.9	16.6%
G. Britain	395.5	404.9	9.4	2.4%	27.1	30.6	3.5	13.0%	31.6	34.2	2.6	8.3%	32.6	37.1	4.5	13.7%
Hungary	459.7	456.3	-3.4	-0.7%	37.5	40.3	2.8	7.3%	38.8	35.3	-3.5	-9.1%	38.8	36.0	-2.8	-7.2%
Netherlands	441.7	414.5	-27.2	-6.2%	28.1	34.7	6.6	23.5%	28.3	35.3	7.0	24.8%	31.6	37.3	5.7	17.9%
Belgium	319.7	343.5	23.9	7.5%	23.0	24.3	1.4	5.9%	24.8	30.0	5.2	20.9%	27.3	39.1	11.8	43.1%
Non EU countries :	13305.1	13242.8	-62.2	-0.5%	1026.8	1060.9	34.1	3.3%	1117.3	951.1	-166.2	-14.9%	936.3	915.2	-21.1	-2.3%
Europe incl. : ^{2/}	6126.2	5513.6	-612.5	-10.0%	448.8	369.2	-79.6	-17.7%	422.7	298.8	-123.9	-29.3%	456.8	351.8	-105.0	-23.0%
Russia	5157.7	4666.0	-491.7	-9.5%	389.5	298.4	-91.2	-23.4%	356.3	239.1	-117.2	-32.9%	381.9	270.2	-111.7	-29.2%
Ukraine	571.8	504.0	-67.8	-11.9%	31.0	42.8	11.8	37.9%	35.1	31.9	-3.2	-9.0%	47.6	51.3	3.7	7.8%
Balkan countries incl.: ^{3/}	1746.4	1963.7	217.3	12.4%	131.9	161.2	29.4	22.3%	136.3	153.5	17.2	12.6%	157.0	187.5	30.5	19.4%
Turkey	1194.4	1378.0	183.6	15.4%	85.8	112.4	26.7	31.1%	96.6	104.6	8.0	8.3%	112.2	129.5	17.3	15.4%
Serbia	260.9	272.7	11.8	4.5%	19.3	26.2	6.9	36.0%	18.7	27.7	9.0	48.1%	20.2	31.2	10.9	54.1%
Macedonia	251.2	267.4	16.2	6.4%	23.9	19.2	-4.6	-19.4%	17.6	18.9	1.3	7.3%	20.8	24.5	3.7	17.7%
Americas incl. :	1655.0	1634.7	-20.4	-1.2%	84.9	142.4	57.5	67.7%	223.1	128.6	-94.5	-42.4%	55.0	81.2	26.2	47.6%
USA	393.9	436.5	42.6	10.8%	33.3	38.9	5.6	16.9%	31.1	43.5	12.4	39.8%	38.3	47.8	9.4	24.6%
Chile	260.3	406.5	146.2	56.1%	0.7	33.5	32.8	4660.4%	89.4	35.6	-53.9	-60.2%	0.4	14.9	14.5	3773.9%
Asia incl. :	3529.2	3619.7	90.5	2.6%	299.7	350.5	50.7	16.9%	277.2	252.0	-25.2	-9.1%	238.6	262.9	24.4	10.2%
China	1656.4	1532.8	-123.5	-7.5%	131.3	134.5	3.3	2.5%	105.9	124.1	18.1	17.1%	122.7	129.5	6.8	5.5%
Other countries	248.3	511.2	262.9	105.9%	61.5	37.6	-23.9	-38.9%	57.9	118.2	60.3	104.0%	28.9	31.8	2.9	10.0%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	25459.1	25828.1	369.0	1.4%	1904.3	2022.7	118.4	6.2%	2062.1	1944.2	-118.0	-5.7%	1970.0	2012.5	42.5	2.2%

* By country of origin.

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COUNTRIES *	Q1			April			May			June		
	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change	mill. EUR		Change
	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%	2013	2014	%
EU countries incl. : ^{1/}	2856.0	3052.2	6.9%	1092.4	1080.4	-1.1%	1035.6	1030.9	-4.8	1073.6	1128.5	5.0%
Germany	580.4	642.2	10.7%	238.7	214.0	-10.4%	191.6	224.8	33.1	210.0	236.3	12.5%
Italy	418.0	448.4	7.3%	161.4	159.0	-1.5%	177.0	156.0	-21.0	170.9	160.8	-5.9%
Romania	327.4	331.2	1.2%	112.9	122.2	8.2%	112.6	106.2	-6.4	127.4	98.4	-22.8%
Greece	264.7	254.0	-4.0%	111.6	106.9	-4.2%	108.1	83.2	-24.9	110.1	87.8	-20.2%
France	197.7	216.9	9.7%	64.2	65.6	2.2%	58.2	66.7	8.5	66.7	66.5	-0.3%
Poland	176.7	178.4	1.7%	68.9	64.6	-6.2%	57.6	54.7	-2.9	57.7	66.1	14.5%
Czech Republic	99.4	110.8	11.3%	41.8	41.5	-0.7%	47.1	46.2	-0.9	48.6	53.4	9.9%
Spain	106.3	114.8	8.5%	35.0	40.7	16.4%	39.0	35.2	-3.8	35.9	62.8	74.8%
Austria	106.7	112.6	5.9%	37.0	40.2	8.6%	36.5	34.3	-2.2	38.6	49.3	27.8%
G. Britain	91.3	101.9	11.6%	33.0	38.9	17.9%	32.6	37.0	4.4	33.9	35.2	4.0%
Hungary	115.2	111.6	-3.6%	35.7	38.7	8.3%	32.1	38.5	6.3	34.8	44.3	27.6%
Netherlands	88.0	107.3	21.9%	32.4	33.6	3.9%	35.4	33.5	-1.9	35.6	35.9	0.3%
Belgium	75.1	93.5	24.4%	31.2	31.9	2.5%	29.8	35.1	5.4	32.6	41.2	26.4%
Non EU countries :	3080.4	2927.2	-5.0%	1136.8	1119.7	-1.5%	1076.7	1082.8	6.0	1094.4	996.9	-8.9%
Europe incl. : ^{2/}	1328.3	1019.8	-30.8%	457.3	463.1	1.3%	531.7	428.4	-103.3	448.0	385.5	-62.6%
Russia	1127.7	807.7	-28.4%	384.2	374.6	-2.5%	466.1	359.2	-106.9	385.9	316.1	-18.1%
Ukraine	113.7	126.0	12.3%	39.5	59.0	49.2%	40.8	38.8	-2.0	35.5	41.1	15.9%
Balkan countries incl. : ^{3/}	425.2	502.2	18.1%	206.0	180.9	-12.2%	157.5	175.4	17.8	162.2	168.8	4.1%
Turkey	294.6	346.6	17.6%	152.8	128.6	-15.8%	110.7	124.1	13.4	114.6	118.3	3.7%
Serbia	58.2	85.0	46.2%	21.9	29.4	34.4%	20.6	26.3	5.6	21.7	26.1	20.2%
Macedonia	62.2	62.5	0.3%	26.1	20.3	-22.2%	22.7	21.3	-1.4	21.5	20.5	-5.0%
Americas incl. :	363.0	352.2	-3.0%	165.5	174.7	5.5%	100.0	88.8	-11.2	141.5	137.3	-4.2%
USA	102.7	130.1	27.4%	39.4	46.5	18.0%	37.3	50.2	12.8	31.1	60.1	93.4%
Chile	90.5	84.0	-7.2%	24.7	58.6	137.8%	1.2	0.7	-0.6	63.9	7.1	-88.9%
Asia incl. :	815.5	865.4	6.1%	282.2	261.8	-7.2%	265.8	315.5	49.7	326.6	275.3	-51.2%
China	359.9	388.1	8.2%	115.5	127.1	11.5%	120.2	150.6	30.4	130.9	138.5	7.5%
Other countries	148.4	187.6	26.4%	25.8	39.2	52.0%	21.7	74.7	53.0	16.1	30.0	86.5%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	5936.4	5979.4	43.0	2229.2	2200.1	-1.3%	2112.4	2113.6	1.3	2168.0	2125.4	-2.0%

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COUNTRIES *	Q II				July				August				September			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%
EU countries incl. : ^{1/}	3201.6	3239.8	38.3	1.2%	1191.9	1138.6	-53.3	-4.5%	939.6	1030.3	90.7	9.7%	1100.9	1116.9	16.0	1.5%
Germany	640.4	675.1	34.7	5.4%	235.2	237.7	2.4	1.0%	204.5	239.8	35.3	17.3%	233.9	231.2	-2.8	-1.2%
Italy	509.3	475.8	-33.5	-6.6%	204.9	171.1	-33.8	-16.5%	119.4	102.5	-16.9	-14.2%	148.5	144.6	-3.9	-2.7%
Romania	352.9	326.8	-26.1	-7.4%	109.9	119.3	9.4	8.5%	107.9	126.7	18.8	17.4%	111.1	122.6	11.5	10.3%
Greece	329.8	277.9	-51.9	-15.7%	130.0	116.3	-13.6	-10.5%	92.2	84.4	-7.8	-8.4%	132.5	105.0	-27.4	-20.7%
France	189.1	198.7	9.6	5.1%	67.2	72.6	5.4	8.0%	51.3	55.6	4.2	8.2%	66.8	61.9	-4.8	-7.2%
Poland	184.2	185.4	1.2	0.7%	63.0	65.7	2.8	4.4%	60.5	68.7	8.2	13.5%	61.5	70.6	9.1	14.9%
Czech Republic	137.4	141.1	3.7	2.7%	40.4	47.5	7.1	17.7%	29.8	47.7	18.0	60.4%	42.2	57.7	15.5	36.7%
Spain	109.9	138.7	28.8	26.2%	47.1	37.6	-9.6	-20.3%	36.6	36.2	-0.3	-0.9%	43.3	38.2	-5.2	-12.0%
Austria	112.1	123.8	11.7	10.4%	54.9	43.8	-11.1	-20.2%	30.8	36.9	6.1	19.8%	37.8	38.5	0.7	1.9%
G. Britain	99.5	111.2	11.6	11.7%	35.5	35.7	0.2	0.6%	36.0	65.9	29.9	83.1%	40.3	37.5	-2.7	-6.8%
Hungary	102.6	121.5	18.9	18.4%	39.1	38.6	-0.6	-1.4%	35.6	31.5	-4.1	-11.4%	43.8	40.5	-3.3	-7.6%
Netherlands	103.4	103.1	-0.3	-0.3%	38.5	38.6	0.1	0.4%	32.7	30.9	-1.8	-5.6%	35.5	38.5	2.9	8.2%
Belgium	93.5	108.3	14.7	15.7%	30.8	33.4	2.7	8.6%	29.1	25.0	-4.1	-14.2%	26.8	38.6	11.8	44.0%
Non EU countries :	3308.0	3199.4	-108.6	-3.3%	1195.9	1095.3	-100.6	-8.4%	1043.3	1175.0	131.7	12.6%	1235.8	1278.3	42.6	3.4%
Europe incl. : ^{2/}	1437.0	1277.0	-160.0	-11.1%	472.5	391.6	-80.9	-17.1%	503.5	488.7	-14.9	-3.0%	481.7	563.7	82.0	17.0%
Russia	1236.2	1049.9	-186.3	-15.1%	389.1	310.3	-78.8	-20.3%	429.2	428.3	-1.0	-0.2%	411.7	511.4	99.7	24.2%
Ukraine	115.7	138.9	23.1	20.0%	52.8	53.1	0.3	0.6%	46.9	33.2	-13.7	-29.3%	40.6	26.3	-14.3	-35.2%
Balkan countries incl. : ^{3/}	525.8	525.1	-0.7	-0.1%	173.5	170.5	-3.0	-1.7%	153.8	145.2	-8.6	-5.6%	166.0	187.9	21.9	13.2%
Turkey	378.1	371.0	-7.1	-1.9%	119.8	114.5	-5.3	-4.4%	104.8	92.8	-12.0	-11.4%	117.4	125.9	8.5	7.2%
Serbia	64.2	81.8	17.5	27.3%	24.3	25.7	1.4	5.6%	24.3	26.7	2.4	10.0%	23.0	27.3	4.3	18.5%
Macedonia	70.3	62.1	-8.3	-11.7%	24.7	24.0	-0.7	-2.8%	20.3	19.5	-0.8	-4.0%	21.9	27.6	5.7	25.9%
Americas incl. :	407.0	400.8	-6.2	-1.5%	160.5	111.3	-49.2	-30.7%	90.0	155.4	65.4	72.7%	221.9	174.6	-47.3	-21.3%
USA	107.8	156.8	49.0	45.4%	34.0	38.8	4.7	13.9%	35.0	57.5	22.5	64.2%	35.4	33.8	-1.6	-4.6%
Chile	89.8	66.4	-23.4	-26.0%	40.0	32.6	-7.4	-18.6%	0.2	18.6	18.3	7641.6%	77.0	45.6	-31.3	-40.7%
Asia incl. :	874.6	852.6	-22.0	-2.5%	322.8	321.4	-1.4	-0.4%	258.0	356.7	98.7	38.2%	314.8	325.5	10.8	3.4%
China	366.7	416.1	49.4	13.5%	124.1	150.9	26.8	21.6%	118.4	135.8	17.4	14.7%	124.4	169.9	45.6	36.6%
Other countries	63.6	143.9	80.3	126.3%	66.6	100.6	33.9	50.9%	38.1	29.2	-8.9	-23.4%	51.4	26.6	-24.8	-48.2%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	6509.5	6439.2	-70.4	-1.1%	2387.8	2233.9	-153.9	-6.4%	1982.9	2205.4	222.4	11.2%	2336.7	2395.3	58.6	2.5%

* By country of origin.

1/ For the purpose of comparability of the data for 2012 and for the period January 2013 – June 2014, Croatia's time series have been included in the EU data.

2/ Includes Russia, Switzerland, Ukraine, Gibraltar (GB), Moldova, Belarus, Norway, Lichtenstein, Iceland, San Marino, Andorra, Faroe Islands and the Holy See.

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IMPORTS
Main trade partners and regions

COUNTRIES *	Q III				October				January - October			
	mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change		mill. EUR		Change	
	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2013	2014	mill. EUR	%	2014	share	mill. EUR	%
EU countries incl. : ^{1/}	3232.4	3285.8	53.4	1.7%	1110.1	1235.5	125.4	11.3%	10400.0	48.4%	10813.2	50.0%
Germany	673.7	708.7	35.0	5.2%	215.5	283.5	68.0	31.5%	2109.9	9.8%	2309.3	10.7%
Italy	472.8	418.2	-54.6	-11.6%	167.5	163.5	-4.0	-2.4%	1567.6	7.3%	1505.9	7.0%
Romania	328.9	368.6	39.6	12.1%	122.1	130.1	8.0	6.6%	1131.3	5.3%	1156.7	5.3%
Greece	354.6	305.7	-48.9	-13.8%	102.2	108.2	5.9	5.8%	1051.4	4.9%	945.8	4.4%
France	185.3	190.1	4.8	2.6%	77.0	71.7	-5.3	-6.9%	649.1	3.0%	677.4	3.1%
Poland	185.0	205.0	20.0	10.8%	62.5	65.8	3.3	5.3%	608.3	2.8%	634.6	2.9%
Czech Republic	112.3	152.9	40.6	36.1%	42.8	54.4	11.6	27.1%	392.0	1.8%	459.2	2.1%
Spain	127.0	111.9	-15.1	-11.9%	37.1	41.9	4.8	12.9%	380.3	1.8%	407.4	1.9%
Austria	123.5	119.2	-4.3	-3.4%	41.4	51.1	9.7	23.5%	383.7	1.8%	406.7	1.9%
G. Britain	111.7	139.1	27.4	24.5%	35.3	46.1	10.8	30.6%	337.9	1.6%	398.3	1.8%
Hungary	118.5	110.6	-7.9	-6.7%	41.6	42.1	0.5	1.3%	377.8	1.8%	385.7	1.8%
Netherlands	106.8	108.0	1.2	1.1%	41.8	45.8	4.0	9.5%	340.0	1.6%	364.1	1.7%
Belgium	86.7	97.0	10.3	11.9%	34.8	34.6	-0.2	-0.6%	290.1	1.4%	333.4	1.5%
Non EU countries :	3475.0	3548.7	73.7	2.1%	1208.9	1152.5	-56.4	-4.7%	11072.2	51.6%	10827.8	50.0%
Europe incl. : ^{2/}	1457.7	1444.0	-13.7	-0.9%	466.2	414.0	-52.2	-11.2%	4689.2	21.8%	4154.8	19.2%
Russia	1230.1	1250.0	19.9	1.6%	389.4	346.2	-43.2	-11.1%	3983.4	18.6%	3453.8	16.0%
Ukraine	140.3	112.6	-27.7	-19.7%	44.1	30.6	-13.5	-30.6%	413.9	1.9%	408.1	1.9%
Balkan countries incl. : ^{3/}	493.3	503.5	10.3	2.1%	170.0	177.9	7.9	4.7%	1614.2	7.5%	1708.7	7.9%
Turkey	341.9	333.2	-8.8	-2.6%	117.8	117.2	-0.6	-0.5%	1132.5	5.3%	1168.0	5.4%
Serbia	71.6	79.7	8.0	11.2%	24.5	24.6	0.1	0.6%	218.5	1.0%	271.1	1.3%
Macedonia	66.9	71.1	4.2	6.2%	24.7	26.3	1.6	6.6%	224.2	1.0%	222.1	1.0%
Americas incl. :	472.4	441.3	-31.1	-6.6%	161.5	125.9	-35.6	-22.0%	1403.9	6.5%	1320.2	6.1%
USA	104.5	130.1	25.6	24.5%	35.9	41.2	5.3	14.9%	350.9	1.6%	458.2	2.1%
Chile	117.2	96.8	-20.4	-17.4%	66.7	43.9	-22.7	-34.1%	364.2	1.7%	291.2	1.3%
Asia incl. :	895.6	1003.6	108.0	12.1%	387.3	385.7	-1.7	-0.4%	2973.0	13.8%	3107.3	14.4%
China	366.8	456.6	89.8	24.5%	171.4	177.0	5.6	3.3%	1264.9	5.9%	1437.9	6.6%
Other countries	156.1	156.3	0.3	0.2%	23.9	49.0	25.1	104.9%	392.0	1.8%	536.8	2.5%
TOTAL IMPORTS /CIF/	6707.3	6834.5	127.2	1.9%	2319.0	2387.9	69.0	3.0%	21472.3	100.0%	21641.0	100.0%
* By country of origin.												

1/ For the purpose of comparability of the data for 2012 and for the period January 2013 – June 2014, Croatia's time series have been included in the EU data.

2/ Includes Russia, Switzerland, Ukraine, Gibraltar (GB), Moldova, Belarus, Norway, Lichtenstein, Iceland, San Marino, Andorra, Faroe Islands and the Holy See.

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METHODOLOGICAL NOTES ON THE COMPILATION OF THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OF BULGARIA

The Bulgarian National Bank is in charge of the compilation of the balance of payments of the country. The legal basis for the balance of payments compilation in Bulgaria is provided for in Article 42 of the Law on the Bulgarian National Bank. Data for the purposes of the BOP compilation are collected on the basis of Article 42 of the Law on the Bulgarian National Bank as well as on the basis of the Foreign Exchange Law. These data are processed by the “Balance of Payments and External Debt” Division within the Statistics Directorate of the BNB. At present, the Bulgarian National Bank compiles and publishes analytic presentation as well as standard presentation of the balance of payments in accordance with the *Fifth Edition* of the “**Balance of Payments Manual**” (IMF, 1993), the “**Balance of Payments Textbook**” (IMF, 1996), and the “*Guideline of The European Central Bank*” (ECB/2004/15)¹.

The balance of payments’ methodology is conceptually related to that of the *System of National Accounts (SNA)*. The items of the balance of payments correspond closely to the relevant categories of the rest of the world account in the SNA.

There is a close relationship between the *International Investment Position* and the balance of payments as well. The BOP financial account measures an economy's transactions in external financial assets and liabilities, which affect the stock of external financial assets and liabilities measured in the international investment position.

I. ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND CONVENTIONS

The basic convention applied in the construction of Bulgaria's balance of payments is the implementation of the double entry system. Under credit, with a positive sign, are recorded: exports of goods and services, income receivable, offsets to non-refundable real and financial resources received (transfers), increases in financial liabilities, decreases in financial assets. Under debit, with a negative sign, are recorded: imports of goods and services, income payable, offsets to non-refundable real and financial resources provided, increases in financial assets, decreases in financial liabilities.

The time of recording of the balance of payments transactions is the time of change of ownership.

Transaction valuations are based on market prices. If the actual market prices are not available, the average market prices are used as approximation.

Valuation changes of the country’s external assets and liabilities are not included in the balance of payments.

The units of account for the balance of payments of Bulgaria are the EUR and the BG lev. The conversion into the unit of account is made using the exchange rate at the time of transaction. If not available, or inapplicable for other practical reasons, the average exchange rate for the reporting period is used.

¹ Guideline of The European Central Bank on the Statistical Reporting Requirements of The European Central Bank in the Field of Balance of Payments Statistics, The International Reserves Template and International Investment Position Statistics (ECB/2004/15).

II. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS COMPONENTS

The balance of payments components are compiled using the *International Transactions Reporting System* (ITRS), which includes (i) banks' reports, and (ii) reports by enterprises which have bank accounts abroad, pertaining to the residents' international transactions. These reports cover all components of the balance of payments table. As of January 1, 2010 the threshold under which transactions, reported by payment service providers are exempted from balance of payments reporting has risen from 25 000 BGN to 100 000 BGN. In addition, the data on certain BOP components collected by the ITRS is substituted for data from other sources: (i) monthly exports and imports of goods, provided by the NSI (ii) BNB estimations for the items Travel, Transportation, Compensation of employees, credit and Workers remittances, credit (iii) direct investment enterprise survey and quarterly reports of Bulgarian FDI abroad (iv) monthly reports by banks, other non-bank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds on their Portfolio investments, assets (v) data from the Central Depository on the Portfolio investments, liabilities (vi) administrative records, (vii) reports by enterprises having financial loans borrowed from and lent to non-residents and (viii) enterprise reports regarding their assets and liabilities (different from financial loans) with non-residents.

In the analytic presentation the balance of payments components are classified in the following main categories:

A. Current Account

The Current Account comprises the acquisition and provision of **goods and services**, **income**, and **current transfers** between the country and the rest of the world. The flows recorded on the credit side represent that part of the gross domestic product, which is provided to the rest of the world (exports of goods and services), as well as the provision of factors of production expressed by income receivable – compensation of employees and investment income (interest, dividends, etc.). Recorded are also offsets for non-refundable real and financial resources received (transfers).

The flows on the debit side represent the gross product created in the rest of the world and acquired by the domestic economy (imports of goods and services), as well as the acquisition of factors of production expressed by income payable. Recorded are also offsets to non-refundable real and financial resources provided.

- The Goods component of the BOP Current Account covers movable goods for which changes of ownership between residents and non-residents occur. The data on imports and exports FOB (Free on board) is based on customs declarations, as the codes used in them are after the Harmonised System for Description and Coding of Commodities of the World Customs Organisation, introduced in 1988 and supplemented in 1992. With the January 2006 data the Bulgarian National Bank and the National Statistics Institute jointly apply developed by them methodology for compilation of imports at FOB prices and receipts and payments regarding the freight transportation.² The methodology is based on the analysis of the CIF-FOB correlations for the imports of goods depending

² The 2002 – 2005 data are based on this methodology for compilation of imports at FOB prices and receipts and payments regarding the freight transportation.

on the different imports delivery categories, as well as on the different mode of transportation and nationality of the carrier.

The geographical breakdown of the Goods item of the BOP is based on the following principles:

For the intra EU trade in goods:

- In case of exports (or dispatches) is the country (or Member State) of final destination of the goods
- In case of imports (or arrivals) is the country (or Member State) of consignment of the goods.

For the trade with third countries (outside EU)

- In case of exports – partner country is the country of final destination of the goods
- In case of imports - partner country is the country of origin of the goods.

Sources: The source of data as from the beginning of 2003 until the end of 2006 was the Customs Agency and for preceding years - the Information services (at the Informational Computing Center Directorate). The Bulgarian National Bank and the National Statistical Institute received the exports and imports data, supplemented it with other information and processed it further. With the introduction of the system INTRASTAT (introduced with the Law on Statistics of Intercommunity Merchandise Trade, GG. N51 of 2006) with the January 2007 data changes in the way of reporting of the external trade of Bulgaria with the rest of the EU member states took place.

The introduction of the system INTRASTAT led to changes in the deadlines for receiving and processing of the data. The information on exports (dispatches) and imports (arrivals) of goods are reported by the INTRASTAT operators (the firms obliged to report) to the National Revenue Agency within 14 days after the close of the reporting month. These data are sent to the National Statistical Institute for further processing. The NSI reports to EUROSTAT aggregated monthly data (without breakdowns by trade partners and by type of goods) within 42 days after the close of the reporting month. The detailed intra trade data on dispatches and arrivals of goods are reported to EUROSTAT within 70 days after the close of the reporting month.

The BNB receives aggregated data from the NSI (without breakdowns by trade partners and by type of goods) on the country trade with the other EU member states within 35 days after the close of the reporting month, and these data are supplemented by the data of the Customs Agency on trade with third countries. Before that with the publication of the report on the balance of payments for the reporting month only aggregated data on exports and imports are published. The BNB receives from the NSI within 60 days after the close of the reporting month detailed data on dispatches and arrivals of goods.

As a result of these changes the schedule for external trade data reporting by the BNB is the following:

- Preliminary aggregated data (without breakdowns by trade partners and by type of goods) for the reporting month are published within 42 days after the close of the reporting month in the balance of payments table.
- Preliminary detailed data (with breakdowns by trade partners and by type of goods) for the reporting month are distributed to users not earlier than 73 days after the close of the reporting month.

The published series of data on exports and imports of the country on the web site of the BNB are updated not earlier than 73 days after the close of the reporting month.

In accordance with the common methodology, before publishing the data, the BNB and the NSI have to agree upon the data.

- The *Services* component comprises *transportation, travel, and other services*.

The Bulgarian National Bank derives the data on *freight transportation* from foreign trade data and the data on *passenger transportation* from travel data on the basis of estimates.

Since 2006 the freight transportation receipts have been set up on the basis of estimated receipts of resident carriers related to the country exports of goods. The payments are calculated as an estimation of the payments made by residents on behalf of non-resident carriers related to the country imports of goods. The receipts and payments are estimated according to mode of transportation and nationality of the carrier. With the introduction of the system INTRASTAT with the January 2007 data changes in the way of compilation of receipts and payments regarding the freight transportation of Bulgaria with the rest of the EU member states took place. Due to the delay in receiving the detailed data on trade of Bulgaria with the rest of the EU member states from the NSI, as of the date of publication of the preliminary balance of payments report for the corresponding month (42 days after the close of the reporting period) the preliminary compilation of receipts and payments of freight transportation is based on data for preceding years. These estimates are subject to revisions after receiving the preliminary detailed data (with breakdown by trade partners and by type of goods) on trade with the rest of the EU member states for the reporting month.

Travel covers goods and services, including those related to health and education, acquired by travellers for business and personal purposes. By the end of 2006 the data on travel is based on data from the Ministry of Internal Affairs on the number of travellers crossing the borders and on estimates of *per capita* expenditures, the latter based on the methodology for estimation of the receipts and expenditures from travel services – “*Methodology For Estimation of the Receipts and Expenditures from Travel in the Bulgarian Balance of Payments*” (Bulgarian National Bank, Ministry of Trade and Tourism, 18 November 1999).

As of the beginning of 2007 data for the number and the structure of foreigners who visited the country are based on information from the border police and NSI estimates. With the January 2010 data the BNB applies new methodology for estimation of the receipts and expenditures for travel and passenger transportation. The estimation model for the *Travel* item is based on the product of the number of travellers and the expenditure respective for a certain type of purpose of the travel (for more detailed information and questions, related to the methodologies applied, please contact us through the following e-mail: press_office@bnbank.org). The estimates of the expenditures (receipts) by purpose of the travel are based on the data collected during the *Border Survey among Traveling Bulgarians and Foreigners* conducted by the BNB during the period July 2007 – August 2008. The new methodology was applied for the first time with the data for January 2010, with back data revisions for the months of 2007, 2008 and 2009.

Other services item covers receipts and payments related to services other than transportation and travel (communication, construction, financial, leasing, insurance, cultural, sport and recreational services, etc.).

By end 2009 the *main sources* of information on this item were the banks' reports and the reports of enterprises having accounts abroad, as well as BNB estimates for the transactions below the threshold of 100 000 BGN. In accordance with Regulation (EC) No 924/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 September 2009 on cross-border payments in the Community and repealing Regulation (EC) No 2560/2001 with effect from January 2010, the settlement-based national reporting obligations on payment service providers for balance of payments statistics related to payment transactions of their customers up to EUR 50 000 were removed. The quality and the scope of the data collected by the banks depend to a great extent on the threshold above which they report the transactions between residents and non-residents to the BNB. Raising the threshold without alternative source for these data would have considerably deteriorated the quality of the balance of payments data and particularly of the current account. The analysis showed that the loss of information for some services items could reach up to 90%. For that reason the BNB has changed the methodology for collection and compilation of data on other services and other items in the current account that still relied on the settlement data. As of the beginning of 2010 the BNB started conducting regular quarterly survey among enterprises trading internationally in services. Based on the results of the survey, with the publication of January 2011 balance of payments figures, data on other services for 2010 are revised. For the purpose of the monthly publications data on other services item is based on the settlement data from banks for the transactions above the threshold of BGN 100 000 and BNB estimations for transactions below the threshold. After the quarterly reports by enterprises are processed data is to be revised.

Income consists of two categories: (i) compensation of employees, and (ii) investment income. Compensation of employees covers wages, salaries and other benefits paid to non-resident workers in the country or received by resident workers abroad. The compensation of employees comprises also income due to illegal employment. By the end of 2006 the BNB estimates this flow in accordance with the *Methodology for Estimation of Flows due to Illegal Employment (14 March 2006)*.³ With the January 2010 data the BNB applies new methodology for estimation of the Compensation of employees, credit. The new methodology was applied for the first time with the data for January 2010, with back data revisions for the months of 2007, 2008 and 2009.

Investment income covers receipts and payments of income associated with external financial assets and liabilities. Included are receipts and payments on direct investment, portfolio investment, other investment, and receipts on reserve assets.

The *main sources* of information on the *Income* component are the banks' reports and the reports of non-bank financial institutions, insurance companies, pension funds, enterprises, the Ministry of Finance, and the Bulgarian National Bank.

Transfers are all real resources and financial items provided without a quid-pro-quo from one economy to another. *Current transfers* directly affect the level of disposable income of the economy, and the consumption of goods and services. That is, current transfers reduce the income and consumption potential of the donor and increase the income and consumption potential of the recipient. Included in the *Current transfers* are the EU pre-acquisition grants, other grants, gifts,

³ The data as from April 2001 are based on this methodology.

inheritances, prizes won from lotteries, pensions, current taxes, social security contributions, etc. *Sources:* The Bulgarian National Bank receives information on current transfers from the Ministry of Finance, the Bulgarian Red Cross, the Agency for Foreign Aid, and from the reporting system of banks on transactions between residents and non-residents .

The item *Workers remittances, credit* is a sub-item of the *Current transfers, credit* in the Current account of the balance of payments and is a balancing item for transfers without a quid-pro-quo in cash or in kind.

Applying of a new methodology for estimation of these flows became necessary not only because the above described circumstances demanded it but because of the necessity to capture inflows transferred through both official and unofficial channels.

The estimates of the workers' remittances are based on the product of the number of Bulgarian emigrants, transferring money to their relatives and the amount of the average transfer⁴. Such calculations are made separately for the official and the unofficial transfer channels. The sum of the money transferred via those two channels is recorded as the amount of Workers' remittances to Bulgaria.

The data on the number of the Bulgarian emigrants are based on information from the *State Agency for Bulgarians abroad*, from the Bulgarian embassies and from Eurostat. The data on the percentage of the Bulgarian emigrants, transferring money; the shares of the official and unofficial channels and the average transfer for each of the channels used are based on the data collected via the Border survey.

The new methodology was applied for the first time with the data for January 2010, with backdata revisions for the months of 2007, 2008 and 2009.

B. Capital Account

The *Capital Account* consists of two categories: (i) *capital transfers* and (ii) *acquisition or disposal of non-produced, non-financial assets*. If in kind, a capital transfer consists of (i) a transfer of ownership of fixed assets, or (ii) forgiveness of a liability by a creditor when no counterpart is received in return. If in cash, a transfer is a *capital transfer* when it is linked to, or conditional on, the acquisition or disposal of fixed assets (for example, an investment grant).

Sources: The Bulgarian National Bank receives information on the capital account from the Ministry of Finance (for capital transfers from the EU funds), from the quarterly reports of the enterprises in the non-financial sector, the monthly reports of the notaries and others.

C. Financial Account

The *Financial Account* comprises all transactions (actual and imputed) in the external financial assets and liabilities of an economy. The external assets and liabilities are primarily classified according to type of investment. Included in *Financial Account* are (i) *direct investment*, (ii) *portfolio investment* and (iii) *other investment*.

- *Direct investment* covers direct investment abroad, direct investment in reporting economy and mergers and acquisitions. *Direct investment* is a category of international investment in which a

⁴ For more detailed information, please see "Methodology for estimation of the item Workers' Remittances (Bulgarian National Bank, March 2010). In case of further questions, related to the methodologies applied, please contact us through the following e-mail press_office@bnbank.org

resident of one economy – a direct investor – acquires a lasting interest (at least 10% of the ordinary shares or the voting power) in an enterprise resident in another economy – a direct investment enterprise. The direct investment includes both the initial transaction, through which the relationship between the direct investor and the direct investment enterprise is established, and all subsequent transactions between them. The direct investment covers transactions relating to changes in the direct investor's share in the equity capital of the direct investment enterprise, inter-company debt transactions as well as the share of the direct investor in the undistributed earnings/loss of the direct investment enterprise. Direct investment is reported on a directional basis: direct investment abroad – as an asset, and direct investment in the reporting country – as a liability.

- The subitem *Mergers and Acquisitions* shows the transactions related to mergers and acquisitions. The purpose of its inclusion was to eliminate the influence of such deals over the reported foreign direct investment data. The international practice shows that these transactions have hardly any real impact on the production capacities and employment and the conclusions drawn from the interpretation of foreign direct investment data in which data on mergers and acquisitions are included might be misleading about investment flows, developments, branch and geographical structure. (*“European Central Bank, Eurostat, Foreign Direct Investment Task Force Report”, March 2004, para.332*)

Sources: The Bulgarian National Bank receives monthly data on direct investments in the country from the Privatisation Agency, from the Central Depository, from the reporting system of banks on transactions between residents and non-residents, from notaries and registry offices; quarterly data from the Financial Supervision Commission, from the direct investment enterprises, from the National Statistical Institute, from the Banking Supervision Department of the BNB, from the insurance companies and pension insurance companies; annual data from the NSI on foreign direct investment stock in enterprises from the non-financial sector.

For data on direct investments abroad the Bulgarian National Bank uses the information from FDI declaration forms, from quarterly reports of non-financial sector enterprises and from the reporting system of banks on transactions between residents and non-residents.

- *Portfolio investment* includes *portfolio investment, assets and portfolio investment, liabilities*.

Portfolio investment covers transactions in shares and equity if the investor's share in the capital is less than 10%, transactions in bonds, notes, money market and other tradable securities.

The *main source* of information on the liabilities side of the *Portfolio investment* is the data provided by the Ministry of Finance, the Bulgarian National Bank, banks, enterprises holding bank accounts abroad, and the Central Depository. Data on the assets side of the *Portfolio investment* is provided by banks (which give information about their and their clients' portfolio investments), non-bank financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds, the Bulgarian National Bank and the Ministry of Finance.

- *Other investment* covers trade credits, loans, currency deposits, and other assets and liabilities.

According to the balance of payments conventions trade credit arise from the direct extension of credit from a supplier to a buyer, i.e. this is a credit extended by a trade partner without issue of a tradable security.

The main source of information on trade credits-assets and liabilities are the quarterly reports of enterprises on their assets/liabilities to non-residents.

Loans item includes received and paid principals on short- and long-term loans between residents and non-residents if no issue of a tradable security is involved with these loans.

Transactions concerning disbursements and repayments of principals on IMF loans and disbursements on loans on BOP support are not included in the item *Loans*. They are recorded in the relative items of *group E. Reserves and Related Items*.

Data on the item *Loans* is received by the Ministry of Finance, the Bulgarian National Bank, the banks and directly by the enterprises that have lent to or borrowed from abroad. The latter report quarterly data to the BNB because of which the monthly data on *Loans, Other sectors* (assets and liabilities) is revised each quarter.

The *Currency and Deposits* component presents on the assets side the changes in the residents' currency deposits held abroad, and on the liabilities side – the changes in the liabilities of the resident banks to non-residents in domestic and foreign currency. Following the basic accounting principle and conventions set in the “*Balance of Payments Manual*” (IMF, 1993), when compiling that item the Bulgarian National Bank excludes any changes therein due to exchange rate changes.

Items *Other assets* and *Other liabilities* includes all transactions on miscellaneous accounts receivable and payable not included elsewhere and transactions in arrears.

D. Net errors and omissions

The *Net errors and omissions* component is an offsetting item. This component exists in the BOP presentation because the compilation system used by the Bulgarian National Bank is not a closed one but is a combination of different sources of information. Unlike other statistical reports, such as for example the monetary statistics, the collecting of the data necessary for the balance of payments compilation could not be restricted to the accounting records of the banks as the only source of information,

The fluctuations in the *Net errors and omissions*, both in sign and in size, are mainly due to: (i) revisions of export and import data, (ii) the development of the methodology for compilation of certain balance of payments' components and (iii) the existence of objective obstacles to the collection of data on certain balance of payments' items.

E. Reserves and related items

- *Reserve assets* include those external assets that are readily available to and controlled by the central bank (government) for direct financing of balance of payments imbalances. The reserve assets comprise monetary gold, SDRs, reserve position in the Fund, foreign exchange assets (consisting of currency and deposits and securities), and other claims. The entries under this category pertain to transactions in the BNB's external holdings which are administered by the Issue

Department. The data on reserve assets changes included in the BOP table exclude valuation changes, due to exchange rate and market price changes.

This group in the analytic presentation of the balance of payments includes also *Use of Fund credit* and the item *Exceptional Financing*. The exceptional financing comprises the BOP support as well as deferred/rescheduled payments and payments on arrears, resulting from balance of payments difficulties. In accordance with the methodology for accounting the exceptional financing transactions ("Balance of Payments Manual", Fifth Edition (IMF, 1993), p. 454), the principal repayments on the BOP support credits are included in the *Financial Account – Other investment – Liabilities – Loans – General Government*.

III. PERIODICITY, FREQUENCY AND TIMELINESS OF THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PUBLICATIONS

The Bulgarian National Bank compiles and publishes the balance of payments of the country on a monthly basis. The schedule of the Bulgarian National Bank is to publish the data within six weeks (42 calendar days) after the close of the reference period.

IV. DATA REVISION POLICY

Revisions to the preliminary balance of payments data are mandatory international practice. They are particularly important in compiling the balance of payments and international investment position because of the short deadline after the end of the reporting period, in which the data is compiled and published. Various sources (banks, non-bank financial enterprises, direct investment enterprises, the Central Depository, the National Statistical Institute, etc.) are used for the data compilation. The incoming data from these sources are with different frequency, timeliness (deadline for submitting the information after the reporting period) and coverage. The different frequency and timeliness of the incoming information necessitate these revisions.

The periodic data revisions that the BNB implements are in compliance with the ECB Timetable for Exchange of Balance of Payments, International Investment Position and Reserve Assets Statistics within the ESCB (which includes a data revision timetable), as well as with the Eurostat Timetable for Exchange of data and policy of revisions in the European Union. Observing this policy of revisions ensures the comparability of statistics between Member States of the European Union and the European System of Central Banks. These revisions provide users with timely information on the updated data by separate items⁵. Following the requirements of the ECB and Eurostat Timetables, the policy on revisions pursued by the Bulgarian National Bank is based on the following principles:

(i) With the report for the first month of each quarter the monthly data for the whole current year are revised. With the reports for the second and the third month of each quarter, only the data for the previous month are revised. With the January data, published in March, and the July data, published in September of the current reporting year, the timetables give opportunity for revising the

⁵ The annual data on foreign direct investment in the country are revised 15 months after the close of the reporting period (after the annual NSI data on the nonfinancial sector are received in the BNB).

data for the previous up to four years, if necessary. In December with the publication of the data for October, a data revision for the current and previous year is possible, if necessary.

(ii) When on-going changes are made due to additional information collected, as well as resulting from elimination of errors, the Bulgarian National Bank timely informs the users through the monthly press releases as well as through the notes at the end of the balance of payments table.

(iii) When significant revisions are made due to changes in the methodology for reporting of certain BOP components or other reasons, the Bulgarian National Bank publishes in advance information on the changes to facilitate the users of the data.

V. TRANSITION TO THE METHODOLOGY OF THE SIXTH EDITION OF THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION MANUAL, (BPM6)

Following the transition to the requirements of the sixth edition of the Balance of Payments Manual of the IMF and the fourth edition of the Guiding definitions of FDI of the OECD, significant changes in the balance of payments, international investment position and direct investment statistics will ensue. In order to facilitate the interpretation of the data, the BNB will provide for a certain period of time parallel balance of payments data in both editions of the Balance of Payments Manual, and will prepare additional materials explaining the methodological differences between them.

VI. DATA DISSEMINATION

The Bulgarian National Bank disseminates the monthly balance of payments data on its web site – <http://www.bnb.bg>.

The data is published also in the *Bulgarian National Bank Monthly Bulletin*.

Data on the balance of payments of the country is included in the semi-annual and in the annual official reports of the Bulgarian National Bank.

Data are simultaneously released to all interested parties.

VII. CONTACTS

If you have any questions on the methodology applied by the Bulgarian National Bank or on the balance of payments data published, please do not hesitate to send them to Mr. Emil Dimitrov, director of the Statistics Directorate, via e-mail at Dimitrov.E@bnbank.org, and Mrs. Liliana Bancheva, head of the Balance of Payments and External Debt Division, via e-mail at Bancheva.L@bnbank.org, or by mail to the following address:

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