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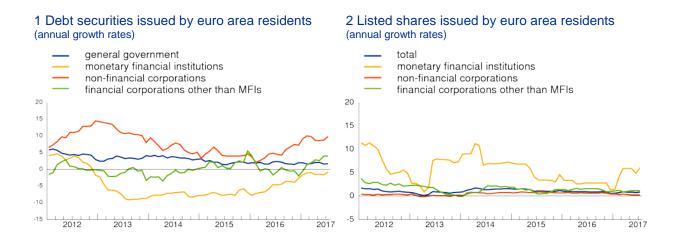
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# Euro Area Securities Issues Statistics: July 2017

- The annual growth rate of the <u>outstanding amount of debt securities</u> issued by euro area residents increased from 1.7% in June 2017 to 2.0% in July.
- For the <u>outstanding amount of listed shares</u> issued by euro area residents, the annual growth rate was 0.8% in July 2017, compared with 0.7% in June.

## **Debt securities**

<u>New issuance</u> of debt securities by euro area residents totalled EUR 629.9 billion in July 2017. <u>Redemptions</u> amounted to EUR 592.9 billion and <u>net issues</u> to EUR 37.0 billion. The annual growth rate of <u>outstanding debt securities</u> issued by euro area residents increased from 1.7% in June 2017 to 2.0% in July.



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#### Breakdown by maturity

The annual rate of change of outstanding <u>short-term debt securities</u> was -1.7% in July 2017, compared with -2.6% in June. For <u>long-term debt securities</u>, the annual growth rate increased from 2.0% in June 2017 to 2.3% in July. The annual growth rate of outstanding <u>fixed rate long-term debt securities</u> was 3.7% in July 2017, compared with 3.6% in June. The annual rate of change of outstanding <u>variable rate long-term debt</u> <u>securities</u> was -3.2% in July 2017, compared with -4.1% in June.

## Breakdown by sector

As regards the sectoral breakdown, the annual growth rate of outstanding <u>debt securities issued by</u> <u>non-financial corporations</u> increased from 8.6% in June 2017 to 9.8% in July. For the <u>monetary financial</u> <u>institutions (MFIs)</u> sector, this rate of change was -0.7% in July 2017, compared with -1.7% in June. The annual growth rate of outstanding debt securities issued by <u>financial corporations other than MFIs</u> was 3.9% in July 2017, the same as in June. For the <u>general government</u>, this growth rate was 1.6% in July 2017, the same as in June.

The annual growth rate of outstanding <u>short-term debt securities issued by MFIs</u> increased from 1.1% in June 2017 to 3.1% in July. The annual rate of change of outstanding <u>long-term debt securities issued by</u> <u>MFIs</u> was -1.3% in July 2017, compared with -2.2% in June.

## Breakdown by currency

Concerning the currency breakdown, the annual growth rate of outstanding <u>euro-denominated debt</u> <u>securities</u> increased from 0.8% in June 2017 to 1.2% in July. For <u>debt securities in other currencies</u>, this growth rate was 7.1% in July 2017, compared with 6.9% in June.

## Listed shares

<u>New issuance</u> of listed shares by euro area residents totalled EUR 11.9 billion in July 2017. <u>Redemptions</u> amounted to EUR 2.6 billion and <u>net issues</u> to EUR 9.2 billion. The annual growth rate of the outstanding amount of <u>listed shares issued by euro area residents</u> (excluding valuation changes) was 0.8% in July 2017, compared with 0.7% in June. The annual growth rate of listed shares issued by <u>non-financial</u> <u>corporations</u> was 0.2% in July 2017, compared with 0.3% in June. For <u>MFIs</u>, the corresponding growth rate increased from 4.8% in June 2017 to 6.0% in July. For <u>financial corporations other than MFIs</u>, this growth rate was 1.1% in July 2017, the same as in June.

The market value of the <u>outstanding amount of listed shares</u> issued by euro area residents totalled EUR 7,724.2 billion at the end of July 2017. Compared with EUR 6,557.5 billion at the end of July 2016, this represents an annual increase of 17.8% in the value of the stock of listed shares in July 2017, down from 22.9% in June.

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#### Notes:

- Unless otherwise indicated, data relate to non-seasonally adjusted statistics. In addition to the developments for July 2017, this press release incorporates minor revisions to the data for previous periods. The annual growth rates are based on financial transactions that occur when an institutional unit incurs or redeems liabilities, they are not affected by the impact of any other changes which do not arise from transactions.
- Selected statistical data and methodological notes are made available at the statistics section of the ECB's website at <a href="http://www.ecb.europa.eu/stats/financial\_markets\_and\_interest\_rates/securities\_issues/html/index.en.html">http://www.ecb.europa.eu/stats/financial\_markets\_and\_interest\_rates/securities\_issues/html/index.en.html</a> and a subset is visually presented in "Our statistics" at <a href="http://www.euro-area-statistics.org">http://www.euro-area-statistics.org</a>. These data, as well as euro area data in accordance with the composition of the euro area at the time of the reference period, can be downloaded using the ECB's Statistical Data Warehouse (SDW). The tables and charts accompanying this press release are available in the reports section of the SDW (<a href="http://sdw.ecb.europa.eu/reports.do?node=1000002753">http://sdw.ecb.europa.eu/reports.do?node=1000002753</a>).
- The next press release on euro area securities issues will be published on 12 October 2017.