

Monetary Statistics

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The data of Tables 3-12 are not seasonally adjusted and the last period data are always preliminary.

TABLE 1

Key interest rates

	CNB			ECB
	from 1 April 2005 onwards	from 29 April 2005 onwards	from 31 October 2005 onwards	from 6 December 2005 onwards
2W repo rate	2,00	1,75	2,00	2,25
Deposit facility	1,00	0,75	1,00	1,25
Marginal lending facility	3,00	2,75	3,00	3,25

TABLE 2

Financial markets interest rates

monthly average	2004 November		2005					
			September		October		November	
	CR	Euro	CR	Euro	CR	Euro	CR	Euro
Money market								
CZEONIA/ EONIA								
overnight	2,44	2,09	1,70	2,09	1,70	2,07	1,95	2,09
PRIBOR/ EURIBOR								
1 month	2,53	2,11	1,77	2,11	1,81	2,12	2,08	2,22
3 months	2,61	2,17	1,80	2,14	1,91	2,19	2,24	2,36
6 months	2,73	2,22	1,82	2,17	2,00	2,27	2,40	2,50
1 year	2,94	2,33	1,88	2,22	2,18	2,41	2,61	2,69
Capital market								
Bond yields								
3 years	3,33	2,62	1,91	2,34	2,64	2,61	3,02	2,86
5 years	3,76	3,08	3,14	2,60	3,31	2,85	3,32	3,10
10 years (Maastricht)	4,55	3,87	3,26	3,16	3,46	3,32	3,76	3,53

Interest rates

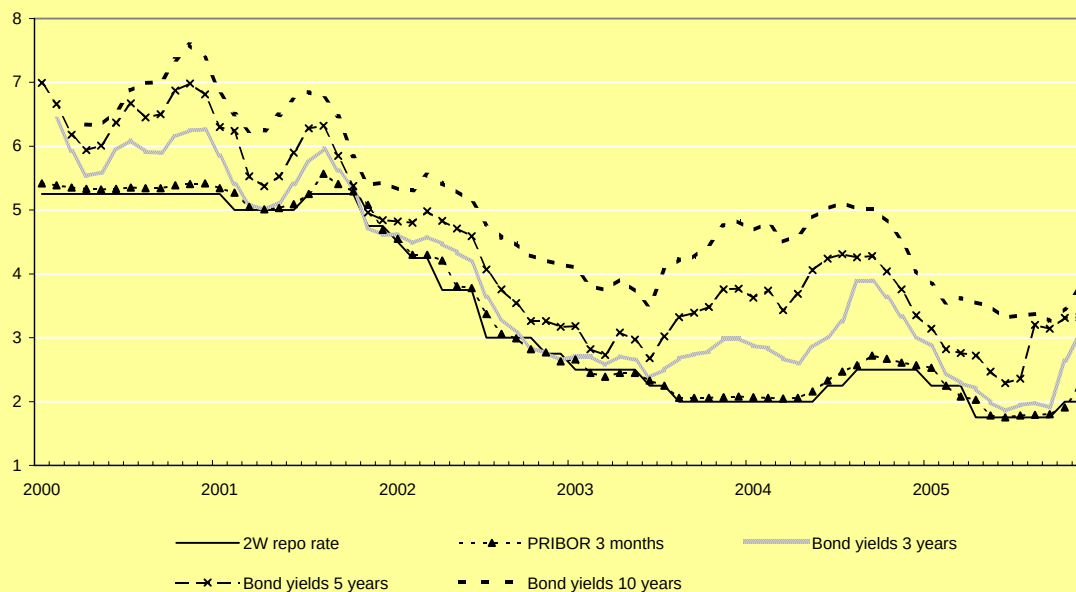


TABLE 3

Key monetary indicators

CZK billions, unless otherwise indicated	2004 November			2005								
				September			October			November		
	Outstanding amounts	Transa- ctions ⁴⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Outstanding amounts	Transa- ctions ⁴⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Outstanding amounts	Transa- ctions ⁴⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Outstanding amounts	Transa- ctions ⁴⁾	Annual growth rates (%)
M1	1 047,6	18,2	10,7	1 096,3	-18,5	6,7	1 138,7	42,2	10,8	1 161,6	24,6	11,2
M3 ¹⁾	1 651,4	0,2	8,6	1 741,8	-1,2	6,7	1 768,7	26,5	7,3	1 799,5	33,8	9,4
Loans to private sector ²⁾	889,5	11,8	14,6	1 026,9	19,1	20,2	1 044,1	17,2	19,9	1 056,0	14,5	19,9
Net foreign assets ³⁾	912,1	-5,4	11,5	1 080,8	-2,6	19,3	1 090,6	10,0	20,1	1 066,5	-11,1	19,6

¹⁾ Monetary aggregates comprise monetary liabilities of MFIs vis-à-vis non-MFI Czech residents excluding central government. M1 is the sum of currency in circulation and overnight deposits; M2 is the sum of M1, deposits with an agreed maturity of up to two years and deposits redeemable at notice of up to three months; and M3 is the sum of M2, repurchase agreements, money market fund shares/units and debt securities up to two

²⁾ Including all sectors without general government (S.13) and MFIs sector (S.121 and S. 122).

³⁾ Net foreign assets (NFA) represent balance of financial claims and liabilities of the MFI sector vis-avis nonresidents

⁴⁾ Net value of flow data calculated by adjusting the difference between end-of-period levels for the effect of non-transactions-related factors.

Annual growth rates

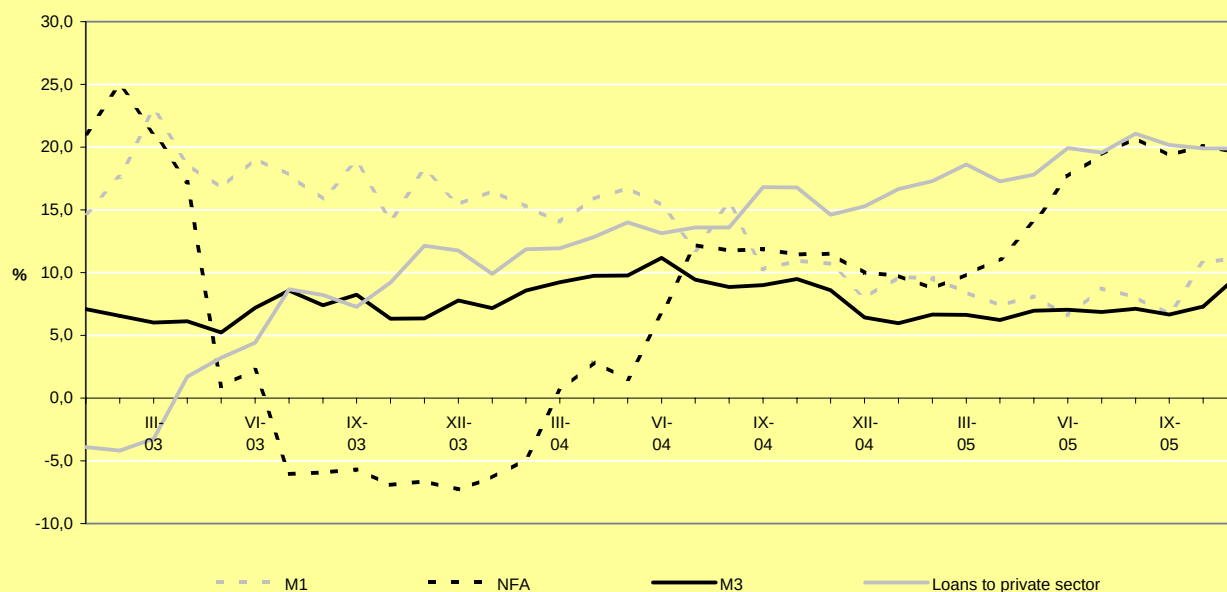


TABLE 4

Monetary aggregates and counterparts

CZK billions, unless otherwise indicated	2004			2005								
	November			September			October			November		
	Out- standing amounts	Transa- ctions ¹⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Out- standing amounts	Transa- ctions ¹⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Out- standing amounts	Transa- ctions ¹⁾	Annual growth rates (%)	Out- standing amounts	Transa- ctions ¹⁾	Annual growth rates (%)
COMPONENTS OF M3												
(1) M3 (= items 1.3, 1.6 and 1.11)	1 651,4	0,2	8,6	1 741,8	-1,2	6,7	1 768,7	26,5	7,3	1 799,5	33,8	9,4
(1.1) Currency in circulation	238,4	1,5	6,1	256,3	3,4	8,3	258,5	2,3	9,2	262,7	4,1	10,2
(1.2) Overnight deposits	809,2	16,7	12,1	840,0	-21,9	6,2	880,1	39,9	11,3	899,0	20,5	11,6
(1.3) M1 (items 1.1 and 1.2)	1 047,6	18,2	10,7	1 096,3	-18,5	6,7	1 138,7	42,2	10,8	1 161,6	24,6	11,2
(1.4) Deposits with agreed maturity up to 2 years	451,6	-23,5	-0,7	462,8	14,6	0,9	446,3	-16,7	-5,7	448,0	3,0	-0,2
(1.5) Deposits redeemable at notice up to 3 months	91,0	4,1	27,2	113,7	1,3	35,1	116,8	3,1	34,4	123,2	6,4	35,4
(1.6) Other short term deposits (items 1.4 and 1.5)	542,7	-19,3	3,0	576,5	15,9	6,2	563,1	-13,6	0,5	571,1	9,4	5,8
(1.7) M2 (items 1.3 and 1.6)	1 590,3	-1,1	8,0	1 672,8	-2,6	6,5	1 701,7	28,6	7,2	1 732,8	34,0	9,4
(1.8) Repurchase agreements	9,8	1,1	8,3	12,1	-1,6	10,2	10,0	-2,1	15,4	9,7	-0,3	-0,5
(1.9) Money market fund shares/units	51,2	0,0	-	56,6	2,9	10,6	56,6	0,0	10,6	56,7	0,2	10,9
(1.10) Debt securities issued with maturity up to 2 years	0,2	0,2	-	0,4	0,1	-	0,3	0,0	-	0,2	-0,1	19,6
(1.11) Marketable instruments (items 1.8,1.9 and 1.10)	61,1	1,3	29,4	69,1	1,4	11,1	67,0	-2,1	11,7	66,7	-0,2	9,1
COUNTERPARTS OF M3												
MFI liabilities												
(2) Holdings deposits against central government	155,9	-5,8	0,7	276,4	20,2	57,1	266,7	-9,7	65,8	244,4	-21,0	58,4
(3) Longer-term financial deposits against other residents (items 3.1 to 3.4)	560,1	3,4	1,0	608,5	2,3	10,4	619,6	14,3	13,7	615,9	7,2	14,3
(3.1) Deposits with agreed maturity over 2 years	240,6	-1,5	16,9	251,5	-0,7	3,9	250,6	-0,9	3,5	247,0	-3,6	2,6
(3.2) Deposits redeemable at notice over 3 months	95,5	-0,8	-11,4	86,6	-0,7	-10,6	85,8	-0,8	-10,8	85,1	-0,7	-10,9
(3.3) Debt securities issued with maturity over 2 years	26,2	0,4	-27,5	44,0	-1,0	74,9	50,4	5,8	92,5	55,8	5,5	110,5
(3.4) Capital and reserves	197,8	5,3	-2,4	226,4	4,7	20,4	232,8	10,1	27,9	228,1	6,0	28,1
MFI assets												
(4) Credit to residents (items 4.1 and 4.2)	1 416,9	-0,3	3,3	1 507,3	21,4	6,9	1 523,5	18,7	8,1	1 536,6	15,2	9,2
(4.1) Credit to general government (items 4.1 and 4.2)	492,6	-9,3	-12,6	447,4	-0,4	-13,8	447,6	2,7	-10,7	445,3	-2,9	-9,6
of which: Loans	137,8	-4,2	-23,9	102,4	-0,7	-28,6	105,8	3,4	-25,3	99,6	-6,1	-27,4
Securities other than shares	354,8	-5,2	-6,8	345,0	0,3	-8,2	341,9	-0,7	-5,0	345,7	3,2	-2,7
(4.2) Credit to private sector	924,3	9,1	14,1	1 059,9	21,8	18,9	1 075,9	16,0	18,4	1 091,4	18,1	19,2
of which: Loans	889,5	11,8	14,6	1 026,9	19,1	20,2	1 044,1	17,2	19,9	1 056,0	14,5	19,9
Securities other than shares	22,8	-2,7	-6,1	18,1	-0,9	-29,5	16,7	-1,3	-34,5	14,7	-2,0	-35,6
Shares and other equities	12,0	-0,1	26,0	14,9	3,7	27,2	15,0	0,1	27,2	20,6	5,6	75,2
(5) Net foreign assets	912,1	-5,4	11,5	1 080,8	-2,6	19,3	1 090,6	10,0	20,1	1 066,5	-11,1	19,6
(6) Other counterparts of M3 (residual) (=M3+items 2,4 - items 4,5)	38,5	3,5	-15,3	38,6	2,4	-12,5	40,9	2,3	16,4	56,7	15,8	46,7

¹⁾ Net value of flow data calculated by adjusting the difference between end-of-period levels for the effect of non-transactions-related factors.

TABLE 5

Sector breakdown of components of M3¹⁾

CZK billions	2004		2005					
	November		September		October		November	
	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾
(1) Overnight deposits	809,2	16,7	840,0	-21,9	880,1	39,9	899,0	20,5
(1.1) Other general government	71,8	-6,8	81,1	-5,3	90,2	9,1	83,6	-6,6
(1.2) Other financial intermediaries ³⁾	16,0	1,7	14,9	-0,4	15,2	0,3	18,2	3,0
(1.3) Insurance corporations and pension funds	15,6	11,3	4,9	-8,1	12,9	8,0	13,6	0,7
(1.4) Non-financial corporations	286,2	10,0	282,7	-9,6	301,0	18,2	320,2	20,5
(1.5) Households ⁴⁾	419,7	0,5	456,5	1,4	460,9	4,4	463,4	2,9
(2) M2 - M1 (other short- term deposits)	542,7	-19,3	576,5	15,9	563,1	-13,6	571,1	9,4
(2.1) Other general government	23,1	-0,4	22,3	1,5	23,7	1,5	25,2	1,6
(2.2) Other financial intermediaries ³⁾	14,4	-1,7	16,3	0,3	18,5	2,3	17,6	-0,9
(2.3) Insurance corporations and pension funds	19,0	-10,4	32,1	8,1	23,5	-8,6	21,5	-2,0
Non-financial corporations	178,9	-11,2	194,0	7,3	185,1	-9,0	189,9	5,2
(2.5) Households ⁴⁾	307,3	4,4	311,8	-1,4	312,2	0,3	316,9	5,4
(3) Repurchase agreements (a part of M3 - M2)	9,8	1,1	12,1	-1,6	10,0	-2,1	9,7	-0,3
(3.1) Other general government	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0
(3.2) Other financial intermediaries ³⁾	1,3	0,7	1,8	-0,1	1,1	-0,7	0,8	-0,3
(3.3) Insurance corporations and pension funds	8,0	0,0	10,0	-1,4	8,7	-1,3	8,8	0,1
(3.4) Non-financial corporations	0,5	0,4	0,2	0,0	0,2	0,0	0,2	0,0
(3.5) Households ⁴⁾	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0

TABLE 6

Loans to private sector

CZK billions	2004		2005					
	November		September		October		November	
	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾	Out-standing amounts	Transa-ctions ²⁾
(1) Loans to non-financial corporations	476,0	2,7	522,5	5,1	529,0	6,3	530,5	3,7
(1.1) up to 1 year	197,6	1,0	212,6	4,4	215,0	2,4	217,3	2,8
(1.2) over 1 year and up to 5 years	118,6	0,4	131,4	0,3	135,3	3,8	133,6	-1,1
(1.3) over 5 years	159,8	1,3	178,4	0,5	178,7	0,1	179,7	2,0
(2) Loans to households⁴⁾	301,8	8,1	380,4	9,1	391,4	11,1	402,0	11,0
(2.1) Consumer credit	64,1	1,7	80,4	1,6	82,1	1,8	84,8	3,0
(2.2) Lending for house purchase	202,3	5,8	259,0	6,5	266,1	7,1	273,1	7,1
(2.3) Other lending	35,4	0,6	40,9	1,0	43,2	2,3	44,1	0,9
(3) Loans to other financial intermediaries³⁾	109,5	1,4	119,3	4,5	119,5	0,1	119,9	0,6
(4) Loans to insurance corporations and pension funds	2,3	-0,5	4,7	0,3	4,3	-0,4	3,5	-0,8

¹⁾ Table 5 doesn't include those components of M3 which can't be broken down by the sector so far, i.e. currency in circulation, money market fund shares/units and debt securities issued with maturity up to 2 years.

²⁾ Net value of flow data calculated by adjusting the difference between end-of-period levels for the effect of non-transactions-related factors.

³⁾ Including other financial intermediaries (S.123) without insurance corporations and pension funds (S.125) and financial auxiliaries

⁴⁾ Including households (S.14) and non-profit institutions serving households (S.15).

TABLE 7

Contributions to annual growth¹⁾ of M3

	2004 November	2005		
		September	October	November
	% points	% points	% points	% points
M1	6,7	4,2	6,8	7,1
of which: Currency	0,9	1,2	1,3	1,5
Overnight deposits	5,8	3,0	5,4	5,7
M2 - M1 (= other short- term deposits)	1,1	2,1	0,2	1,9
M3 - M2 (= short-term marketable instruments)	0,9	0,4	0,4	0,3
M3	8,6	6,7	7,3	9,4

TABLE 8

Contributions to annual growth¹⁾ of loans to private sector

	2004 November	2005		
		September	October	November
	% points	% points	% points	% points
Non-financial corporations	4,6	7,4	7,0	7,0
Households ²⁾	10,2	11,2	11,3	11,5
Other financial intermediaries ³⁾	-0,2	1,5	1,3	1,2
Insurance corporations and pension funds	0,0	0,2	0,2	0,1
Loans to private sector ⁴⁾	14,6	20,2	19,9	19,9

¹⁾ Contributions to growth are the growth rates of M3 / lending weighted by the share in total M3 / lending to private sector.

²⁾ Including households (S.14) and non-profit institutions serving households (S.15).

³⁾ Including other financial intermediaries (S.123) without insurance corporations and pension funds (S.125) and financial auxiliaries (S.124).

⁴⁾ Including all sectors without general government (S.13) and MFIs sector (S.121 and S. 122).

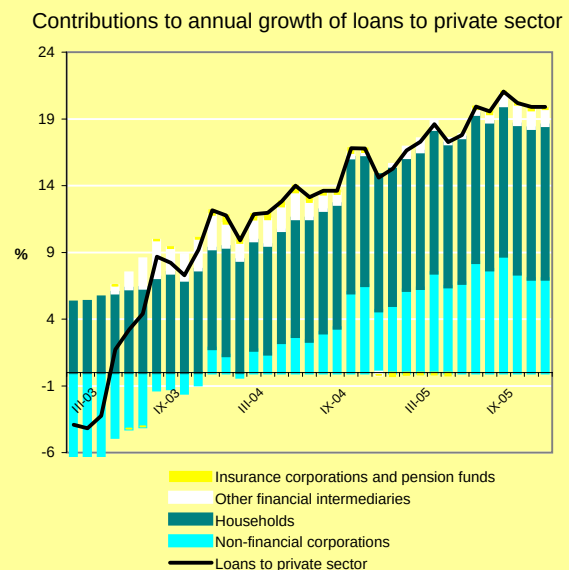
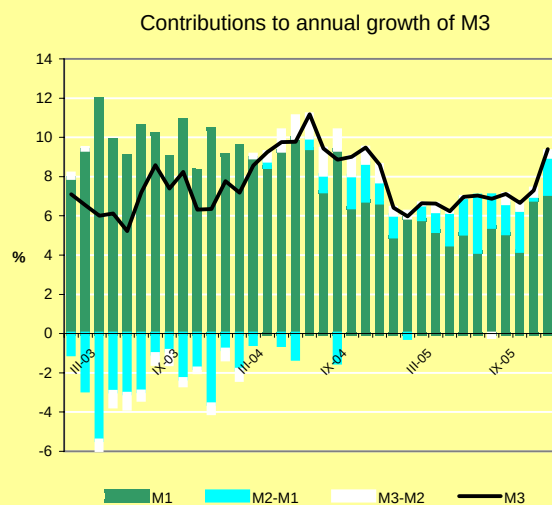
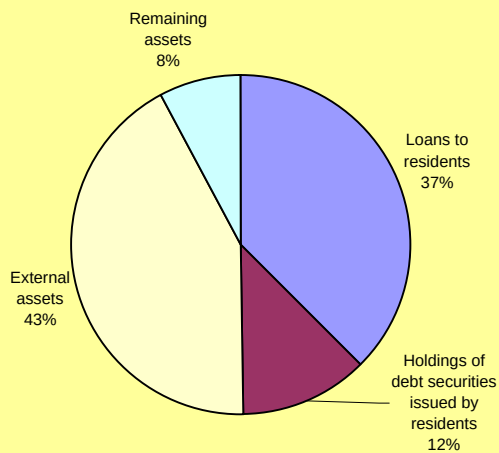


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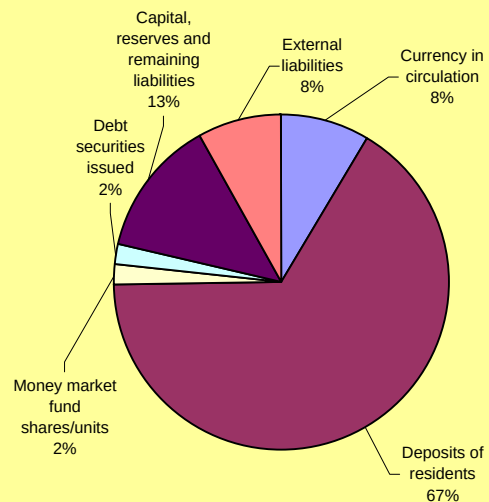
Balance sheets of MFIs by reporting institutions: November 2005

CZK billions	MFI			Consolidated balance sheet of MFIs
	CNB	Credit institutions	Money market fund	
(1) ASSETS TOTAL	826,2	2 936,6	79,4	3 092,2
(1.1) Loans to residents	43,8	1 733,2	14,5	1 155,6
MFI	0,3	621,1	14,5	-
General government	12,5	87,1	0,0	99,6
Other residents	31,0	1 025,0	0,0	1 056,0
(1.2) Holdings of securities other than shares issued by residents	0,0	412,2	24,3	360,5
MFI	0,0	75,2	0,9	-
General government	0,0	325,8	19,9	345,7
Other residents	0,0	11,2	3,6	14,7
(1.3) Money market fund shares/units	0,0	6,9	0,0	-
(1.4) Holdings of shares/other equity issued by residents	0,0	30,3	0,1	20,6
MFI	0,0	9,8	0,0	-
Other residents	0,0	20,6	0,1	20,6
(1.5) External assets	761,0	515,8	39,9	1 316,7
(1.6) Fixed assets	11,8	105,5	0,0	117,3
(1.7) Remaining assets	9,6	132,7	0,6	121,5
(2) LIABILITIES TOTAL	826,2	2 936,6	79,4	3 092,2
(2.1) Currency in circulation	284,0	-	-	262,7
(2.2) Deposits of residents	569,9	2 116,1	0,0	2 056,3
MFI	491,6	138,1	0,0	-
Central government	75,8	168,6	0,0	244,4
Other general government/other residents	2,5	1 809,4	0,0	1 811,9
(2.3) Money market fund shares/units	-	-	63,6	56,7
(2.4) Debt securities issued	0,0	132,2	0,0	56,1
(2.5) Capital and reserves	-77,4	301,8	13,4	228,1
(2.6) External liabilities	42,9	207,2	0,1	250,2
(2.7) Remaining liabilities	6,8	179,3	2,2	188,3
(2.8) Excess of inter MFI liabilities	-	-	-	-6,2

Consolidated balance sheet of MFIs - assets



Consolidated balance sheet of MFIs - liabilities



Commentary on the monetary statistics¹⁾ (Tables 3–9): November 2005

The annual rate of growth of M3 rose from 7.3% in October to 9.4% in November. The month-on-month growth rate increased from 1.5% to 1.9%. As a result of financial transactions, M3 grew by CZK 154.4 billion year on year (and by CZK 33.8 billion month on month), to CZK 1,799.5 billion.

Main components of M3

Monetary aggregate M1 remains the most important component of M3 and is the biggest contributor to M3 growth. The share of M1 in the annual rate of growth of M3 (see Table 7) declined from nine-tenths in October to three-quarters in November.

The annual rate of growth of M1 increased from 10.8% in October to 11.2% in November. The annual rate of growth of overnight deposits saw a similar development, rising by 0.3 percentage point, from 11.3% in October to 11.6% in November. The month-on-month growth was 2.3%. Within overnight deposits, a month-on-month decrease was recorded solely for deposits by other government (excluding central government), which fell by 7.3% (a decline of CZK 6.6 billion). The overnight deposits of all other sectors increased month on month: overnight deposits of other financial intermediaries grew by 19.9% (a rise of CZK 3 billion), while deposits of non-financial corporations were up by 6.8% (CZK 20.5 billion) and household deposits by 0.6% (CZK 2.9 billion).

The annual rate of growth of currency in circulation increased from 9.2% in October to 10.2% in November. In month-on-month terms, currency in circulation rose by 1.6% (an increase of CZK 4.1 billion due to financial transactions).

Short-term deposits (excluding overnight deposits) grew by CZK 9.4 billion (i.e. 1.7%) month on month, owing to financial transactions. In November, the annual rate of growth of these deposits increased by 5.3 percentage points to 5.8% (from 0.5% in October). Deposits redeemable at notice of up to three months (the smaller component) have long been recording strong annual growth. Their annual growth rate in November was 35.4%. The annual rate of growth of deposits with maturity of up to two years, which are the dominant component of short-term deposits, increased by 5.5 percentage points compared to the previous month, reaching -0.2%. Marketable instruments, which consist of repos, money market fund shares/units and debt securities with maturities of up to two years, fell by CZK 0.2 billion due to financial transactions. Their annual rate of growth dropped by 2.6 percentage points month on month to 9.1% (compared to 11.7% in October).

Main counterparts of M3

The annual rate of growth of loans extended to general government has been negative over the last twenty-one months, and was -27.4% in November (-25.3% in October). The situation with government bonds is similar. Their annual rate of growth has been negative for more than a year, and was -2.7% in November 2005 (-5% in October). In absolute terms, total general government debt to MFIs decreased from CZK 492.6 billion in November 2004 to CZK 445.2 billion in November 2005, of which loans declined from CZK 137.8 billion to CZK 99.6 billion and MFIs' holdings of government securities from CZK 354.8 billion to CZK 345.7 billion.

The annual rate of growth of loans extended to the private sector remained at the same level as in October 2005, i.e. 19.9%. This growth was mostly attributable to households, which account for more than one-half of the annual rate of growth of loans to the private sector (see Table 8). The annual growth rates of loans to households have long been high; in November 2005 the figure was 33.9%. Non-financial corporations are another sector accounting for over one-third of the annual rate of growth of loans to the private sector. Their annual rate of growth rose slightly, from 13% to 13.2%.

The annual rate of growth of net external assets declined from 20.1% in October to 19.6% in November. The annual rate of growth of long-term financial liabilities increased from 13.7% to 14.3%. The annual rate of growth of deposits from central government fell from 65.8% to 58.4%.

¹⁾ All increases and decreases referred to in this commentary relate only to financial transactions adjusted for non-transaction effects.

TABLE 10

MFI interest rates on new business¹⁾

monthly average rates and sum	2004		2005					
	November		September		October		November	
	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)
(1) Deposits from households²⁾	0,91	620,0	0,76	667,3	0,78	678,1	0,82	682,3
(1.1) Overnight	0,51	392,4	0,38	430,9	0,38	435,5	0,40	438,6
(1.2) With agreed maturity	1,78	48,6	1,13	43,8	1,25	48,0	1,34	43,2
of which: Up to 2 years	1,77	48,3	1,13	43,6	1,25	47,8	1,35	42,6
(1.3) Redeemable at notice ³⁾	1,54	181,8	1,51	195,6	1,53	197,5	1,61	203,1
(1.3.1) Up to 3 months' notice	2,00	86,6	2,09	109,4	2,11	112,2	2,19	118,5
(1.3.2) Over 3 months' notice	1,13	95,1	0,77	86,2	0,77	85,3	0,81	84,6
(2) Deposits from non-financial corp.⁴⁾	1,35	399,2	0,95	410,0	1,02	418,0	1,14	465,9
(2.1) Overnight	0,75	223,5	0,50	220,5	0,57	233,0	0,61	248,8
(2.2) With agreed maturity	2,12	172,5	1,48	186,5	1,58	181,4	1,75	214,4
of which: Up to 2 years	2,12	172,5	1,48	186,4	1,59	181,0	1,75	214,3
(3) Loans to households²⁾	11,59	29,3	11,01	34,7	11,09	35,7	10,51	38,6
(3.1) Bank overdraft ⁵⁾	14,74	16,2	14,98	19,0	14,94	19,2	14,90	17,7
(3.2) Consumer credit	13,90	3,5	13,43	3,0	13,09	3,8	12,70	5,6
(3.3) Lending for house purchase	5,29	8,1	4,30	10,7	4,39	9,3	4,29	11,7
of which: Mortgage lending	5,05	4,6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saving for building purposes	5,59	3,6	5,08	3,7	5,06	3,3	5,05	3,3
(3.4) Other lending	5,90	1,4	5,73	2,1	5,49	3,4	5,75	3,6
(4) Loans to non-financial corporation	4,50	104,1	3,63	140,5	3,96	119,1	3,89	133,1
(4.1) Bank overdraft ⁵⁾	5,23	49,0	4,50	59,1	4,47	59,3	4,41	65,3
(4.2) Other loans up to CZK 30 million	4,84	13,0	4,07	17,4	4,62	14,7	4,70	19,0
of which: Up to 1 year initial rate fixation ⁶⁾	4,70	10,3	3,92	13,6	4,58	10,9	4,63	14,1
(4.3) Other loans over to CZK 30 million	3,53	42,1	2,71	63,9	3,06	45,1	2,88	48,8
of which: Up to 1 year initial rate fixation ⁶⁾	3,47	38,5	2,68	62,2	3,03	41,7	2,84	47,1
(5) APRC⁷⁾ on loans to households	8,59	11,6	6,77	13,6	7,62	13,1	7,83	17,3
(5.1) Consumer credit	15,52	3,5	14,80	3,0	14,88	3,8	14,72	5,6
(5.2) Lending for house purchase	5,55	8,1	4,52	10,7	4,67	9,3	4,53	11,7

¹⁾ The interest rates that are applied by resident credit institutions and other MFIs, excluding central banks and money market funds, to CZK-denominated deposits and loans vis-à-vis households and non-financial corporations resident in the Czech Republic. New business refers to any new agreement between the customer and the MFI within given period.

²⁾ Including households (S.14) and non-profit institutions serving households (S.15).

³⁾ Households deposits liabilities redeemable at notice include similar deposits of non-financial corporations of which volumes are negligible in this category

⁴⁾ Without deposit liabilities redeemable at notice included in item (1.3)

⁵⁾ Overdrafts, i.e. permitted or unpermitted debits

⁶⁾ The initial period of fixations is a predetermined period of time at the start of the contract during which the value of the interest rate cannot change. Period up to 1 year includes floating rates.

⁷⁾ Annual percentage rate of charge (APRC) covers total costs of the credit to the client including charges etc.

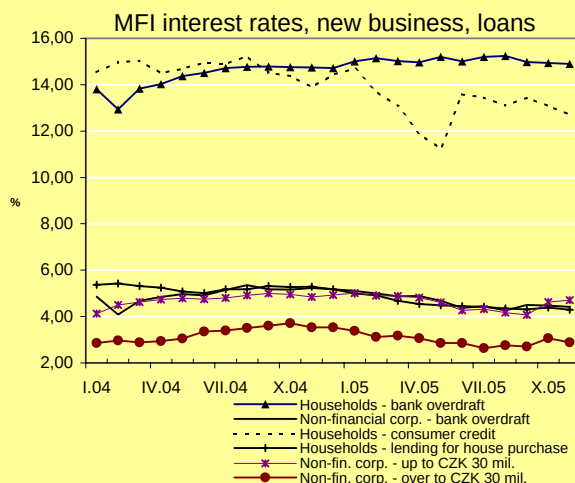
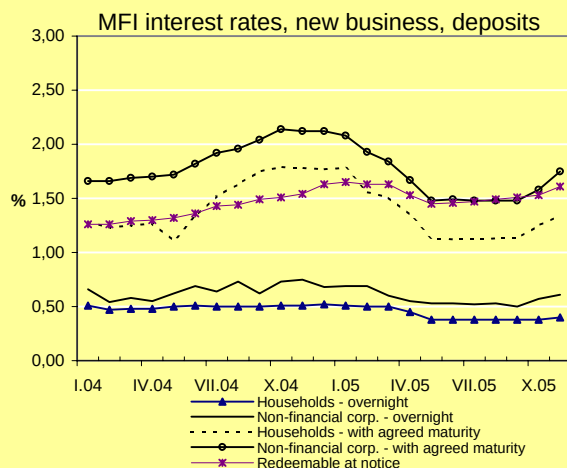


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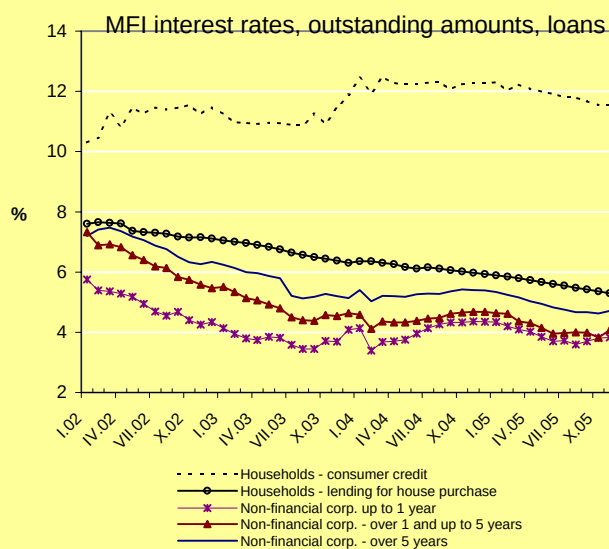
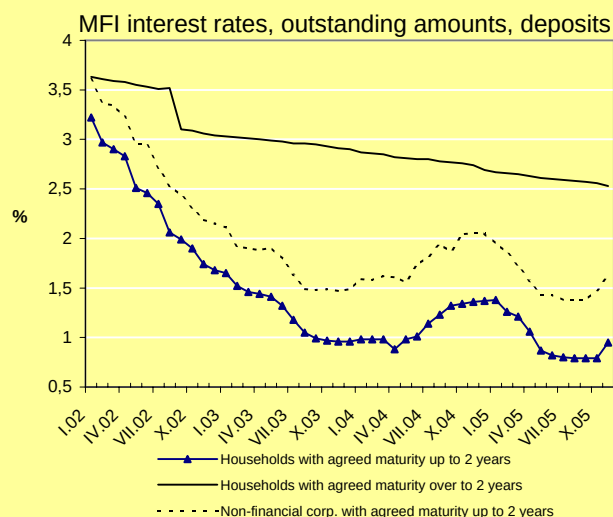
MFI interest rates on outstanding amounts¹⁾

outstanding amounts as end-of-month	2004 November		2005					
			September		October		November	
	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)	Interest rate (% p.a.)	Volume (mld. CZK)
(1) Deposits from households²⁾³⁾	1,38	981,7	1,18	1028,6	1,18	1031,7	1,21	1035,6
(1.1) With agreed maturity	2,14	409,5	1,87	403,7	1,87	400,1	1,91	395,0
(1.1.1) Up to 2 years	1,36	175,8	0,79	159,1	0,79	156,9	0,95	155,6
(1.1.2) Over 2 years	2,74	233,7	2,57	244,6	2,56	243,2	2,53	239,5
(2) Deposits from non-financial corp.³⁾	1,26	363,8	0,88	380,9	0,94	388,1	1,02	411,4
(2.2) With agreed maturity	2,08	139,9	1,41	160,3	1,50	155,0	1,65	162,5
(2.2.1) Up to 2 years	2,05	136,3	1,38	156,6	1,48	150,8	1,62	158,3
(2.2.2) Over 2 years	3,10	3,7	2,56	3,7	2,42	4,2	2,47	4,3
(3) Loans to households	7,95	300,6	7,33	379,0	7,25	390,0	7,21	401,0
Lending for house purchase	5,97	201,9	5,42	258,7	5,36	265,7	5,29	272,7
of which: Mortgage lending	5,89	113,8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saving for building purposes	6,28	79,9	5,87	95,5	5,83	97,4	5,80	97,5
(3.2) Consumer credit and other lending	12,27	98,7	11,67	120,4	11,55	124,3	11,54	128,2
(4) Loans to non-financial corp.	4,75	387,9	4,07	425,4	4,07	433,2	4,16	438,5
(4.1) Up to 1 year	4,36	176,5	3,70	189,5	3,81	190,9	3,83	194,3
(4.2) Over 1 and up to 5 years	4,68	96,9	3,99	105,6	3,83	109,4	4,07	110,1
(4.3) Over 5 years	5,40	114,5	4,67	130,3	4,63	132,9	4,71	134,1

¹⁾ The interest rates that are applied by resident credit institutions and other MFIs, excluding central banks and money market funds, to CZK-denominated deposits and loans vis-à-vis households and non-financial corporations resident in the Czech Republic. Interest rates on outstanding amounts refer to the stock of all deposits and all loans at a specific moment.

²⁾ Including households (S.14) and non-profit institutions serving households (S.15).

³⁾ Including overnight deposits and deposits with agreed maturity presented in Table 10. For this instrument category, new business and outstanding amounts coincide.



Commentary on key interest rates (Table 1) and financial market interest rates (Table 2): November 2005

Key interest rates

The ECB's key interest rate was raised for the first time in two and a half years, by 0.25 percentage point to 2.25%. The CNB's two-week repo rate (which has been at 2.00% since the end of October) thus became lower than the ECB's rate.

Financial market interest rates

The growth in money market rates which started in October continued into November, picking up pace markedly. Interest rates rose more significantly in the Czech Republic, whereas the growth in the euro area was somewhat slower; the differences in money market rates between the two regions thus fell considerably. The three-month PRIBOR reached 2.24% (a rise of 0.33 percentage point) and the three-month EURIBOR increased to 2.36% (up by 0.17 percentage point).

Capital market interest rates also recorded further growth in November in both the Czech Republic and the euro area. The biggest increase in yield was recorded for three-year maturity, to 3.02% in the Czech Republic (up by almost 0.4 percentage point on the previous month) and to 2.86% in the euro area (up by 0.25 percentage point). The only rate to stay at its previous month's level was that for five-year maturity in the Czech Republic (3.32% in November).

Commentary on MFI interest rates (Tables 10 and 11): November 2005

Interest rates on new business

By contrast with the previous several-month period of flat average interest rates on **new deposits** from households, these rates recorded a modest rise in November. In the case of non-financial corporations, they increased for the second consecutive month (by 0.1 percentage point). This meant that rates on new deposits returned to their levels of March/April this year (they subsequently declined and then stabilised, and in recent months have recorded a modest rise).

For **households** in November, the average interest rate on overnight deposits increased slightly to 0.40%, the rate on deposits with agreed maturity rose to 1.34% and that on deposits redeemable at notice increased to 1.61%. Nevertheless, the overall average interest rate on households' deposits increased only negligibly (by 0.04 percentage point) to 0.82% (since overnight deposits, whose rates were flat, account for 64% of total household deposits).

Average interest rates on new deposits by **non-financial corporations** increased modestly to 1.14% (up by 0.12 percentage point relative to October). This overall increase was due in particular to a rise in the average interest rate on new deposits with agreed maturity (of 0.17 percentage point to 1.75%). The increase in new overnight deposits of non-financial corporations was negligible (up by 0.04 percentage point to 0.61%).

Unlike in the previous month, average interest rates on **new loans** recorded a decline in November. For households the decline was considerable (0.6 percentage point), whereas for non-financial corporations it was very modest (less than 0.1 percentage point).

The average rate on bank overdrafts to **households** fell negligibly to 14.90%, the consumer credit rate declined (by 0.39 percentage point) to 12.70%, and the rate on new housing loans recorded a modest fall to 4.29%, while the average rate on other loans rose modestly to 5.75%. The average interest rate on all loans to households thus declined to 10.51%.

Loans extended to **non-financial corporations** got slightly cheaper (by just under 0.1 percentage point to 3.89%), thanks to a fall in the average interest rate on loans of over CZK 30 million (excluding bank overdrafts) with an initial rate fixation of up to one year (to 2.84%) and to a slight decline in the average rate on bank overdrafts (to 4.41%), which, however, account for a significant (49%) share of all loans to non-financial corporations.

In November, the overall annual percentage rate of charge on loans to households increased by 0.21 percentage point to 7.83%, although the APRC on housing loans fell by 0.14 percentage point to 4.53% and that on consumer credit declined by 0.16 percentage point to 14.72%. The overall increase in the APRC on loans to households was due to a rise in the share of consumer credit (with a high rate) in the total volume of loans.

Interest rates on outstanding amounts

The average interest rate on **outstanding amounts of deposits** of households rose slightly in November, reaching 1.21% (up by 0.03 percentage point on previous months). Banks also paid a higher rate on deposits of non-financial corporations in November than in the previous period (an increase of 0.08 percentage point to 1.02%).

In the case of **households**, only deposits with an agreed maturity of up to two years recorded a change in rate of more than 0.1 percentage point (an increase to 0.95%). However, in November these deposits accounted for only 15% of total household deposits, hence they did not have a major effect on the total average rate on outstanding amounts of household deposits.

An increase in the average interest rate on deposits of **non-financial corporations** (to 1.02%) was due primarily to a rise in the average rate on deposits with an agreed maturity of up to two years (of 0.14 percentage point).

The average interest rates charged by banks on **outstanding loans** to households maintained a very slight downward trend, reaching 7.21% in November. In contrast, the stock of loans to non-financial corporations saw a rise in average rate to 4.16%.

A decline in the overall average rate on loans to **households** was due primarily to a fall (of 0.07 percentage point) in the average interest rate on housing loans.

Compared to October, the rate charged on outstanding amounts of loans extended to **non-financial corporations** was 0.09 percentage point higher. This increase was due to rising interest rates on loans of all maturities, although the highest growth (of 0.25 percentage point) was recorded by loans with maturities of over one year and up to five years.

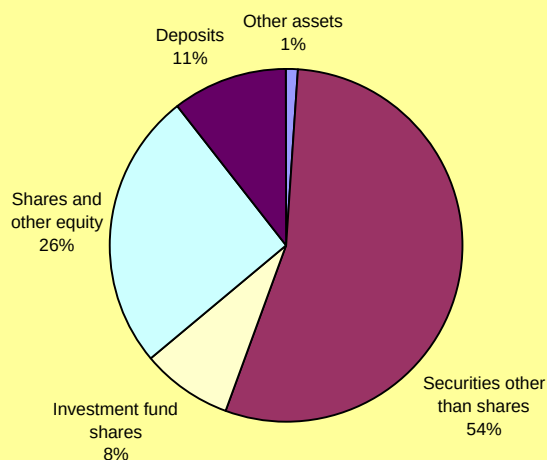
TABLE 12

Quarterly aggregated balance sheet of investment funds¹⁾

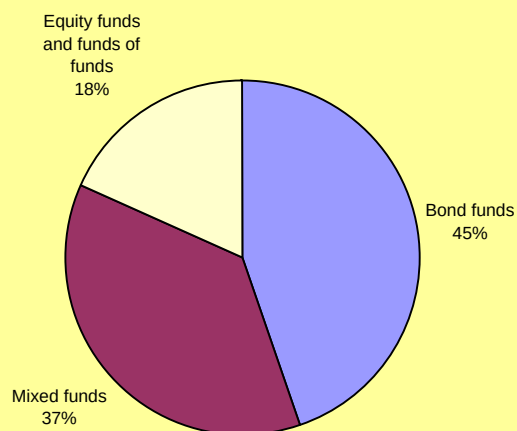
CZK billions; end of period	2004	2005			
	December	March	June	September	December
ASSETS					
Total	51,7	53,0	55,4	62,8	
(1.1) Deposits	6,1	6,3	5,6	6,6	
(1.2) Securities other than shares	29,4	30,1	31,7	34,2	
MFI	0,7	0,7	0,6	0,6	
General government	16,8	15,7	19,2	19,7	
Other residents	2,7	2,3	2,2	2,2	
Non-residents	9,2	11,4	9,7	11,6	
Up to 1 year	0,9	0,9	0,8	0,7	
Over 1 year	28,5	29,3	30,9	33,5	
(1.3) Shares and other equity	13,0	13,3	13,0	16,1	
MFI	0,4	0,4	0,4	0,5	
Other residents	2,8	2,6	2,5	3,0	
Non-residents	9,8	10,3	10,1	12,6	
(1.4) Investment fund shares	2,6	2,7	4,4	5,2	
Residents	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,4	
Non-residents	2,4	2,5	4,2	4,8	
(1.5) Other assets	0,5	0,7	0,7	0,7	
LIABILITIES					
Total	51,7	53,0	55,4	62,8	
(2.1) Loans accepted	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0	
(2.2) Investment fund shares	44,9	44,5	45,0	48,8	
Residents	44,7	44,4	44,8	48,6	
Non-residents	0,2	0,2	0,2	0,2	
(2.3) Capital and reserves	6,4	7,4	8,6	11,2	
(2.4) Other liabilities	0,3	1,1	1,8	2,8	
BALANCE SHEET TOTAL - BREAKDOWN BY INVESTMENT POLICY					
TOTAL	51,7	53,0	55,4	62,8	
Equity funds and funds of funds	6,3	7,4	9,3	11,5	
Bond Funds	23,1	24,0	26,0	28,0	
Mixed Funds	22,3	21,6	20,2	23,3	

¹⁾ Investment Funds (IFs) represent Mutual Funds other than Money Market Funds and Incorporated Investment Funds which are residents in the Czech Republic.

Balance sheet total - breakdown by asset item



Balance sheet total - breakdown by investment policy



Commentary on the quarterly aggregated balance sheet of collective investment funds (Table 12): September 2005

In 2005 Q3, the total assets of collective investment funds increased overall from CZK 55.43 billion as of 30 June 2005 to CZK 62.8 billion as of 30 September 2005, which represents a rise of 13.3%.

Mixed funds and bond funds are still among the most popular and important (in terms of investment volume) types of collective investment. In Q3, positive month-on-month increases in total assets were again recorded by all types of collective investment funds. The rise in total assets was attributable mainly to mixed funds (a quarterly rise from CZK 20.174 billion to CZK 23.302 billion as of 30 September), bond funds (up from CZK 25.986 billion to CZK 28.023 billion), equity funds (up from CZK 6.01 billion to CZK 7.54 billion) and funds of funds (up from CZK 3.26 billion to CZK 3.94 billion).

Fund portfolios are still dominated by bonds. In 2005 Q2, a total of 35.85% of assets were placed in domestic bonds and 18.54% in foreign bonds. Bonds accounted for 54.39% of total assets, up by 2.76 percentage points on 2005 Q2. The proportion of domestic shares was 5.63% and that of foreign shares 20.03%. Overall, shares accounted for 25.66% of total assets (an increase of 2.76 percentage points on 2005 Q2). The proportion of domestic units was 0.65% and the proportion of foreign units was 7.70%. The total share of units in total assets was 8.35% (a slight increase of 0.41 percentage point). Bank deposits accounted for 10.50% of funds' total assets, which represents a modest rise of 0.36 percentage point. Other assets recorded a decline to 1.10% of total assets, down by 0.15 percentage point from the previous quarter.

As of the end of Q3, 55 collective investment funds were active in the Czech Republic, all of them members of the category of resident open-ended mutual funds. Compared to Q2, the number of funds was down by 5 as of 30 September 2005, due to mergers. Ten equity funds, 10 funds of funds, 12 bond funds and 23 mixed funds were registered. A total of 5 funds merged in the mixed funds segment.

Glossary

Harmonisation of statistics: the Treaty establishing the European Community tasked the European Central Bank (ECB) with ensuring harmonised statistics according to Article 5 of the Statute of the European System of Central Banks. The national central banks of EC Member States therefore collect statistical information according to a uniform definition, from which the ECB then compiles aggregate data for euro area monetary policy. Although Council Regulation No 2533/98, which specifies the requirements for statistical data collection, only concerns euro area countries, the ECB also receives full data sets from the non-participating countries (e.g. the Czech Republic) in order to monitor their economic and financial development.

Monetary statistics: financial macrostatistics of sectors S.121, S.122 and S.123 based exclusively on the "host country" principle. According to this principle, a resident reporting unit is an institution resident in a given economic territory. The reporting population includes 1) institutions incorporated and located in the territory, including subsidiaries of parent companies located outside that territory, and 2) branches of institutions that have their head office outside that territory.

APRC: annual percentage rate of charge, i.e. the rate including interest expenses and all related costs of the credit to the client (fees etc.).

Collective investment funds: for the purposes of monetary and banking statistics, collective investment funds comprise unit trusts and investment funds other than money market funds which are resident in the Czech Republic. These are undertakings the sole object of which is collective investment, i.e. pooling investor funds and investing them under conditions stipulated in the Act on Collective Investment (No. 189/2004 Coll.). Such undertakings may be constituted under the Act either as unit trust managed by an investment company or as investment funds.

Consolidated balance sheet of the MFI sector: the basic statistical tool of monetary statistics. It is based on the residency principle and is obtained by netting out inter-MFI positions on their aggregated balance sheet.

Consumer credit: loans granted to households for personal use in the consumption of goods and services.

Contribution to annual growth rate: the growth rate of a selected component weighted by its share in the total growth rate.

Deposits redeemable at notice: deposits that can be withdrawn by clients only after the expiry of a period of notice agreed in advance, which starts at the moment of notification of the intention to withdraw the deposit.

Deposits with agreed maturity: deposits that cannot be withdrawn by clients before a predefined maturity.

Growth rate: the percentage change in the monitored variable over the reference period, calculated from the volumes of monthly financial transactions and the outstanding amounts at the beginning of each month.

Household sector: institutional units included in the sectors of households (S.14) and non-profit institutions serving households (S.15) under ESA 95.

Housing loans: Loans granted to households for the purpose of purchasing/investing in housing, including building and home improvements.

Interest rate fixation: a period of interest rate fixation, i.e. a period at the beginning of a contract for which the agreed interest rate cannot be changed. Period up to 1 year includes floating rates.

MFI longer-term financial liabilities: comprise deposits with an agreed maturity of over two years, deposits redeemable at a period of notice of over three months, debt securities issued with an original maturity of more than two years and the capital and reserves of the Czech MFI sector.

Monetary aggregates: comprise the monetary liabilities of monetary financial institutions to non-MFI Czech residents except central government. The narrow monetary aggregate M1 includes currency in circulation (excluding cash at banks' cash desks) and overnight deposits. The intermediate monetary aggregate M2 comprises M1, deposits redeemable at a period of notice of up to and including three months and deposits with a maturity of up to and including two years. The broad monetary aggregate M3 comprises M2, money market fund shares/units, debt securities with a maturity of up to two years and repurchase agreements.

Glossary (cont'd)

Monetary financial institutions (MFIs): financial institutions forming the money-issuing sector. Under Community law, these include the central bank, resident credit institutions, and all other resident financial institutions whose business is to receive deposits and/or close substitutes for deposits from entities other than MFIs and, for their own account (at least in economic terms), to grant credit and/or invest in securities. In the Czech Republic, MFIs include the central bank, banks, money market funds and credit unions.

Money-holding sector: all institutional units except central government (S.1311) and monetary financial institutions (S.121 and S.122) under ESA 95.

Money-issuing sector: all institutional units included in the sectors of the central bank (S.121) and other monetary financial institutions (S.122) under ESA 95.

Money-neutral sector: an institutional sector comprising the central government sector (S.1311) under ESA 95.

Money market funds: MMFs are defined as those collective investment funds of which the units are, in terms of liquidity, close substitutes for deposits and which primarily invest in money market instruments and/or in MMF shares/units and/or in other transferable debt instruments with a residual maturity of up to and including one year, and/or in bank deposits, and/or which pursue a rate of return that approaches the interest rates of money market instruments. The criteria applied in order to identify MMFs shall be derived from the public prospectus as well as fund rules, instruments of incorporation, established statutes or by-laws, subscription documents or investment contracts, marketing documents, or any other statement with similar effects, of the collective investment undertaking.

Net external assets: comprise external assets of Czech MFIs (such as monetary gold, non-koruna banknotes, securities issued by non-residents and loans granted to non-residents) minus external liabilities of the Czech MFI sector (such as non-residents' holdings of deposits, repurchase agreements, money market fund shares and units, and debt securities with a maturity of up to and including two years issued by MFIs and held by non-residents).

Non-MFIs: all resident sectors excluding MFIs, i.e. general government (S.13), non-financial corporations (S.11), financial institutions other than MFIs (S.123 and S.124) and households and non-profit institutions serving households (S.14 and S.15) under ESA 95.

Other financial intermediaries (OFIs): entities included in the sectors of other financial intermediaries except insurance corporations and pension funds (S. 123), financial auxiliaries (S.124) and insurance corporations and pensions funds (S.125) under ESA 95.

Private sector: a sector comprising all institutional sectors except general government (S.13) and monetary financial institutions (S.121 and S.122) under ESA 95.

Rates on new business: interest rates agreed by the bank and the client for all agreements negotiated during the reference period.

Rates on outstanding amounts: interest rates applied to end-of-period balances.

Reclassifications: comprise any changes in the MFI balance sheet resulting from changes in the reporting population, corporate restructuring, reclassifications of assets and liabilities, and corrections of reported errors.

Residents: all domestic and foreign legal entities and natural persons, including branches of foreign banks and foreign owners of buildings and land, whose centre of economic interest is in the given territory. Foreign legal entities and natural persons are considered residents after at least one year of economic activity in the territory, with the exception of foreign bank branches and owners of buildings and land, who become residents at the moment they perform a valid legal act (in the case of foreign owners of buildings and land, this only applies in connection with transactions relating to the building or land in question).

Transaction (flow) data: values related to the whole period which are calculated as the difference between the balances at the end of the current and the previous period adjusted for non-transaction effects, i.e. effects connected with reclassifications, valuation changes and exchange rate variations over the period. These factors result in breaks in time series, thereby affecting the comparability of end-of-period balances. Transaction (flow) data only reflect those changes that arise from transactions, i.e. from accepting financial assets or providing

Glossary (cont'd)

Unit trusts other than money market funds:

1. *equity funds and funds of funds* – funds that constantly invest 66% or more of their assets on the equity market (i.e. in shares and instruments bearing equity risk) and/or funds that constantly invest 66% or more of their assets in the units and shares of other unit trusts/investment funds. Equity funds also include index funds and guaranteed funds linked to stock indices.
2. *bond funds* – funds that constantly invest on the bond market. Additional investment in equities is allowed, but the share of equities must not exceed 10% of the fund's assets. Bond funds also include index funds and guaranteed funds linked to bond indices.
3. *mixed funds* – funds that invest in various assets (equities and bonds) on various markets and do not have limits on the share of equities or bonds.

Technical Notes

A. Calculation of growth rates

The growth rate for the reference period is calculated from the volumes of monthly financial transactions and the outstanding amounts at the beginning of each month. Monthly transactions are calculated from differences in outstanding amounts adjusted for reclassifications, other revaluations, exchange rate variations and other changes which do not arise from transactions. This data thus reflects only those changes that arise from accepting financial assets or providing financial liabilities. Reclassifications and other non-transaction corrections are introduced into the transaction statistics to preserve the comparability of the gradual monitoring results, thereby enabling calculation of the indices of expected outstanding balances of the monitored variables and determination of their growth rates.

Method of calculation

1. The month-on-month percentage change a_t^M for month t is calculated as:

$$(a) \quad a_t^M = \left(\frac{F_t^M}{L_{t-1}} \right) \times 100$$

2. The annual growth rate for month t , i.e. the change for the last 12 months ending with month t , is calculated as the product of the twelve coefficients for each previous month. The calculation of the annual growth rate from the month-on-month growth rates thus enables transaction changes and non-transaction effects in the individual months to be taken into account.

$$(b) \quad a_t = \left[\prod_{i=0}^{11} \left(1 + \frac{F_{t-i}^M}{L_{t-1-i}} \right) - 1 \right] \times 100$$

where

F_t^M - transactions in month t

$F_t^M = (L_t - L_{t-1}) - C_t^M - E_t^M - V_t^M$

and

L_t - outstanding amount at the end of month t

C_t^M - reclassifications in month t

E_t^M - exchange rate variations in month t

V_t^M - valuation changes in month t

Growth rates for other reference periods are derived from formula (b).

B. Calculation of the contribution to the annual growth rate of a monitored variable (e.g. M3)

If $a_t(M3)$ represents the annual growth rate of M3 for the year ending with month t , and $F_{t-i}(M1)$, $F_{t-i}(M2-M1)$, $F_{t-i}(M3-M2)$ are the monthly transactions of the components M1, M2-M1 and M3-M2 in month $t-i$, the contribution of M1 to the annual growth rate of M3, for example, is calculated as:

$$\frac{\sum_{i=0}^{11} F_{t-i}(M1)}{\sum_{i=0}^{11} [F_{t-i}(M1) + F_{t-i}(M2-M1) + F_{t-i}(M3-M2)]} \times a_t(M3)$$