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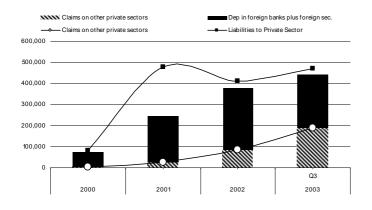
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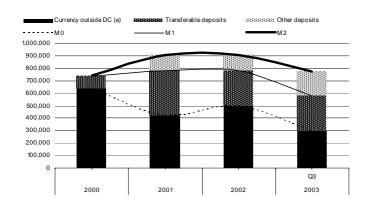
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MAIN CHARACTERISTICS OF THE OTHER DEPOSITORY CORPORATIONS (000 EUR)



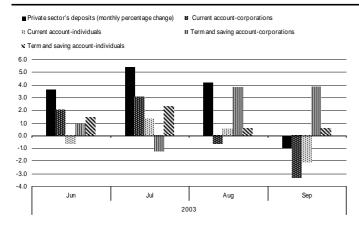
- The trend of deposits at the commercial banks (ODC) crossed slightly its peak, reached at the end of 2001 boosted by the EURO conversion.
- The commercial bank credit to the private sector is growing rapidly. The oustanding amount of credit has doubled compared to the level of end 2002. Moreover, the gap between the money re-invested abroad and that re-invested in the domestic economy became narrower, reflecting the growing confidence of the banking system.
- Total assets of commercial banks reached EURO 547 million, a growth of 16% compared to the level of end 2002.

MONETARY AGGREGATES ('000 EUR)



- The monetary aggregate M0 is characterized by a decreasing trend due to the dominance of the export of cash over its import. This can be considered as a positive trend for the Kosovo economy which is still an economy highly based on cash payments.
- Since end 2002, the monetary aggregate M1 follows a similar trend as M0, despite the growth in current accounts which are outperformed by the observed decrease of cash in circulation.
- The trend of M2 which is considered as an appropriate definition of broad money, shows a slighter decrease than M1, as saving deposits grew at a faster pace than current accounts.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE GROWTH RATE OF PRIVATE SECTOR DEP. (percentage points)



- The monthly growth rate of the deposits of the private non financial sector has been around 4% during each of the 3 most recent months.
- The contribution to this growth of total deposits stems mainly from the term and savings account held by individuals, followed by the current accounts held by enterprises. Individuals and enterprises, had each a comparable contribution over the last three months.

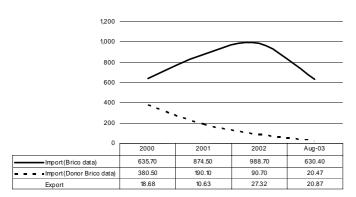
FISCAL SECTOR: GENERAL BUDGET REVENUE, stock data, million EUR.

		Tax revenues		Non	Dono	r grants	Inte	rest
Period	TOTAL	Border taxes	Domestic taxes	taxes revenues	Budget support Grants	Designated Grants	Banks abroad	BPK
	1 to 7	1	2	2 3 4 5		5	6	7
2000	289.54	115.17	6.55	5.80	120.75	40.13	1.14	0.00
2001	355.89	208.74	41.00	20.74	41.10	42.34	1.97	0.00
2002	508.37	359.48	74.63	31.68	18.10	20.83	1.49	2.16
Sep-03	460.98	321.58	81.91	32.13	2.24	20.67	0.29	2.16

Source: Ministry of Finance and Economy - Department of Economic Policy

- General budget revenue developments are in line with the projections for year 2003 (total projection: 491.9 million EUR), and if trend continues this may even lead to a surplus.
- Despite this positive development one should emphasise that the structure of the revenues remain almost the same as in the previous year. The main source of budget revenues are tax revenues collected at the border (69.7%).

FOREIGN TRADE AND DONORS, million EUR

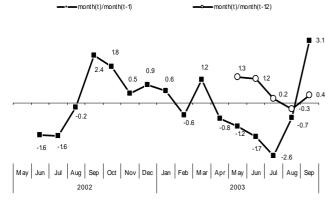


Source: Ministry of Finance and Economy.

- Kosovo economy continues to run a huge trade deficit. The coverage of its imports of goods by its exports of goods remains at a very low level (only 3.3% at the end of August 2003).
- The highest part, expressed in value, of regular exports is shared by metals and scrap, counting for 34 %. The share of plastics and wood was 23%, while the share of food amounted at 19.8% of the regular exports. The highest share in imports of goods, also expresed in value, are food with a share of 35.4%. The share of other commodity groups shows the following ranking: chemicals and wood (15.2%), petrol (13.3%),machinery (12.1%), construction materials (7.0%), metals (6.9%), textile (1.9%), and other (7.6%).

 Based on imports by the place of loading, the main trading partners of Kosovo after the European Union, are Serbia, Macedonia, Turkey and Bulgaria.

CONSUMER PRICE INFLATION RATE



Data source: Statistical Office of Kosovo

- In September 2003, the Consumer Price Index increase with 0.4% compared to the corresponding month of the previous year.
- The annual inflation rate seems to stablise over the last three months, but the intensity of price changes, measured by the monthly percentage changes, for the most recent months suggest a potential upward shift.

UNEMPLOYMENT

Period	Dec-00	Dec-01	Dec-02	Sep-03
TOTAL PERSONS	208.074	237.958	257.505	277,623
of which female(%)	43.2	44.1	44.5	45.2
Education(%)				
Elementary	58.1	60.4	61.5	62.8
Secondary	38.8	37.0	36.2	35.4
University	3.1	2.6	2.2	1.8

The estimated rate of unemployment in Kosovo varies between 50-60%

There has been an increase of registered job seekers during the year 2003 with 20,117 persons or 7.8 % compare to the end of year 2002.

Source: Kosovo Employment Office (Percentages are expressed against the total number of unemployed

PRIVATIZATION PROCESS

Description	Number of SOEs privatized	Revenues from privatization (EU
1-st wave	5	2,335,875
2-nd wave	18	23,904,247
TOTAL	23	26,240,122

Privatization process has started succesfully. After two waves of privatisation, 23 SOEs have been privatized, and the revenues from privatization reached €26 million.

Source: Kosovo Trust Agency

MAIN INDICATORS (million EUR)

Desired	2000	2001	2002	2003
Period Description	(e)	(e)	(e)	Projections
GDP	1,338	1,582	1,687	1,825
GDP per head	770	851	866	917
Workers remittances	550	600	700	728
Foreign assistance	1,212	1,084	772	721
Direct contribution of foreign assistance to GDP	373	398	203	188
Population (in thousands)	1,738	1,859	1,948	1,991
GNP per head (in Euros)	1,086	1,174	1,226	1,283

The GDP growth rate is still driven by three main factors: foreign assistance, worker remittances and imports.

Source: IMF Staff estimations and projections.

MODIFICATIONS TO THE MONTHLY STATISTICS BULLETIN

1. Overview of the modifications

This issue of the Monthly Statistical Bulletin has undergone some substantial changes due to the inclusion of new information. As a consequence the structure of the Bulletin, the sequence and numbering of the tables have been adapted.

First of all, the Bulletin contains an overview of the key economic indicators for Kosovo.

Secondly, all information covering financial data is regrouped in Chapter 1 'Monetary and financial statistics'. This means that the information on insurance companies, micro-financial institutions and the exchange rate has been brought forward. The information in this part has been enlarged (see point on the monetary and financial statistics). All statistics related to non-financial or non-monetary issues do form part of the Chapter 2 'Other sectors statistics'.

Thirdly, the Bulletin is completed with some new indicators on the banking sector and foreign trade statistics.

The tables and figures on the monetary and financial statistics are documented with explanatory notes at the end of the Chapter 1. These notes contain information on the data, their coverage and their calculation and should be considered as a first step in an ongoing development of more elaborated metadata.

The layout of the tables and the graphs has been further harmonized, throughout all chapters of the Bulletin.

2. The key economic indicators for Kosovo

There is a huge need for a comprehensive view on the stance of the economy of Kosovo. A lot of work is underway at BPK and SOK to improve the coverage and quality of economic and financial statistics.

The table with the key economic indicators presented in the Bulletin makes a selection out of the data presently available in the field of the real and financial economy together with some structural indicators on Kosovo. The table will be updated monthly and enlarged upon availability of new variables.

3. The monetary and financial statistics

All statistics on monetary and financial matters are re-grouped into an extended Chapter 1 'Monetary and financial statistics' and is divided into monetary statistics, financial statistics, structural indicators and, finally, financial market information.

3.1. Monetary statistics

a. The monetary aggregates have been revised in three respects.

The monetary aggregates measures the holdings of money by residents, other than the banking sector (BPK and commercial banks) and the central government. The money consists of currency holdings, current accounts, term- and savings deposits.

At the present juncture, data are lacking to answer fully to the international standard. Therefore, the money holdings of the government other than the central government (which consist mainly of the ministries and government agencies having power to the whole territory of the economy and which are actually by far the most significant part of the government sector having financial assets which creates only a minor underestimation) and the financial sector other than the banking sector are not yet included in the monetary aggregates. Once the RSD of BPK will dispose of separate information on the deposit holdings of the other financial institutions, grace to the introduction of a new reporting scheme for commercial banks, all holdings of the other financial institutions —at BPK and at commercial banks—will be included in the monetary aggregates. The same will be hold for the government sector other than central government. It is expected to achieve this by the first quarter of 2004.

Notwithstanding these existing incompleteness, analysis of the available data sources made it possible to improve already now the quality of the figures on the monetary aggregates: the estimate on the cash holdings changed somewhat, the breakdowns of the current and time deposits with banks have been revised and improved, and the transferable accounts of a part of BPK-clients are taken into account. All leading to increases in the level of the monetary aggregates.

The stock of the cash holdings is mainly estimated on the basis of information which came available at the time of conversion of different currency-notes into Euro-notes and coins at the time of the introduction of the euro in 2001 and is since then continued on the basis of the shipments (export and import) of Euro –notes via the financial system. The method doesn't take account of the export and import of notes via other channels and may lead to an incorrect picture of the true cash holdings in the domestic economy. The new method leads to an increase, actually of slightly more than 50 million euro, in the level of cash holdings compared to the data previously published by BPK.

The banks do report in their monthly forms to the BPK the volume of deposits in process. It concerns deposits in transit from one account to another at the time the forms are established and reported to BPK. Over the recent months the volume of deposits in process fluctuates around 4 million euro. That amount is now considered to be part of the current deposits of residents and increases as a consequence the volume of broad money with that amount. Based on information provided by the commercial banks, the holdings of deposits by residents and non-residents have further been improved, leading to a reduction of the monetary aggregates, as these aggregates take only account of the holdings of the residents.

The transferable accounts at BPK held by the non-financial sector, other than central government, are in conformity with the international statistical recommendations now also included in the concept of broad money.

b. More detailed macro monetary information: the surveys

Data from the banking sector are re-scheduled into macro monetary information, called the monetary surveys, which provide synoptic views on the financial intermediation by the banking sector.

There are surveys for the BKP, the Other Depository Corporations-ODC (in Kosovo the sector of ODC coincides with the commercial banks)- and the consolidated position of BPK and ODC into the Depository Corporations (DC). BPK is publishing that kind of data since the reference year 2000 and several improvements have been implemented since the outset.

In the light of the recommendations of the International Monetary Fund, some further improvements have been introduced. It concerns mainly the dissemination of more details. In the future, these details will be completed with additional breakdowns based on the enhanced banking reports mentioned earlier. The presentation of the three types of monetary surveys has been reformatted to be coherent with the current situation of the monetary aggregate definitions

The monetary survey for the Depository Corporations has eliminated the currency in circulation as part of the foreign assets of the DC, and subsequently from those of the BPK.

The new presentation of the monetary survey for BPK provides furthermore a separate entry for that part of the current account of commercial banks held at BPK which helps constituting the mandatory minimum liquidity reserve of commercial banks.

The reformatted presentation of the monetary survey on ODC identifies better the foreign assets and liabilities, leaving us with less remaining data in the residual 'Other items (net)'. Deposits by nonresidents, the borrowings abroad and the subordinated debt financed by nonresidents are identified, as are the investment in foreign securities by commercial banks

The table 6 (previously table 7) 'Commercial bank deposits held by nonresidents' does not longer contain details on the resident holders as this information is now part of the monetary survey in table 4. The former table 6 has been renumbered to table 9 'Income statement of commercial banks'. The separate table on the cash in vault of the BPK has been suppressed as the information is presented in the balance sheet of BPK, which goes as table 3.

3.2. Financial statistics

The statistics on the activities of insurance companies have been enlarged in order to provide a complete coverage of their activities. The premiums and number of policies sold are available for all types of insurance activities. The claims paid for trans-border policies are completed and those for third party claims are completed with payments carried out by the Kosovo Guarantee Fund.

3.3. Structural indicators

The structural indicators on geographical representation, are completed with a measurement of the degree of competition in the commercial banking sector, by means of the Herfindahl index, and the employment figures in the whole banking sector.

3.4. Financial market information

That part contains information on the interest rates offered commercial banks on customer deposits and loans and on the euro exchange rate.

4. The other sectors statistics

The Chapter 2 'Other sectors statistics' has been reduced in terms of number of tables. The accent of the chapter is on the consumer price index, unemployment, the fiscal sector and foreign trade. The reproduction of the tables on the structural information on employment and number of enterprises will be temporarily suspended as the data are in the process of revision by the original compiler.

LIST OF ABREVIATIONS:

BPK Banking and Payments Authority of Kosovo;

COICOP Classification of Individual Consumption by purpose;

DC Depository Corporations;

EUR Euro;

FC Foreign Currency;

ICS Interbank Clearing System;
IMF International Monetary Fund;
KEO Kosovo Employment Office;
KPST Kosovo Pension Saving Trust;

MFSM Monetary and Financial Statistics Manual, IMF;

NGO Non Government Organization;
ODC Other Depository Corporations;
OFC Other Financial Corporations;

RSD Research and Statistics Department - BPK;

SNA '93 United Nations System of National Accounts 1993;

SOK Statistical Office of Kosovo; TPL Third Party Liabilities;

UNMIK United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo;

UNO United Nations Organization;

LIST OF CONVENTIONAL SIGNS:

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MONETARY AND FINANCIAL STATISTICS



MONETARY STATISTICS

Table 1

DEPOSITORY CORPORATIONS SURVEY

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

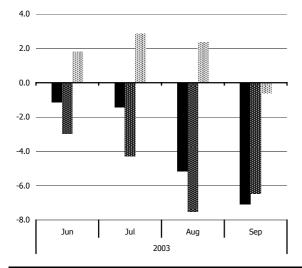
Description	2000	2001		20	02		2003			
Description	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Net foreign assets	122,577	583,134	502,360	528,333	643,662	649,305	665,687	657,980	729,059	
Assets	144,796	604,828	528,130	553,365	670,017	674,095	692,604	687,779	757,814	
Liabilities	22,219	21,694	25,771	25,032	26,356	24,790	26,918	29,799	28,755	
Net claims on central government	-8,741	-72,066	-120,239	-165,417	-270,856	-258,917	-301,974	-320,279	-381,871	
Deposits	8,741	72,066	120,239	165,417	270,856	258,917	301,974	320,279	381,871	
Net claims on Other financial corporations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Claims on other private sectors	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269	
Nonfinancial corporations and households	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269	
Deposits included in broad money	106,085	486,676	388,626	380,174	388,296	413,542	421,480	438,271	475,499	
Transferable deposits	98,472	361,888	269,038	268,935	270,874	285,262	277,330	290,576	282,219	
Non financial corporations	77,284	144,047	124,560	138,267	148,309	163,348	145,071	154,241	147,958	
Households	21,189	217,841	144,478	130,668	122,565	121,913	132,259	136,335	134,261	
Other deposits	7,613	124,788	119,588	111,239	117,422	128,280	144,150	147,695	193,280	
Non financial corporations	4,579	31,318	23,423	22,116	25,879	23,921	38,276	41,485	71,661	
Households	3,034	93,471	96,165	89,123	91,543	104,359	105,874	106,210	121,619	
Securities included in broad money	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deposits, securities excluded from broad money	0	11,087	13,075	12,946	15,711	24,619	17,375	21,078	21,699	
Own funds	11,077	25,163	28,817	33,019	40,106	43,805	44,322	50,802	49,611	
of which share capital	7,156	21,023	23,132	26,209	30,910	33,320	33,563	36,252	37,239	
Other Items (net)	-177	14,059	-843	-4,175	-3,060	-5,080	-3,703	-9,738	-11,352	
Other liabilities	2,121	25,495	4,336	6,611	7,842	5,957	7,649	8,150	10,152	
less: Other assets	4,352	8,547	5,262	8,988	10,851	11,519	21,814	15,012	21,403	
plus: Consolidation Adjustments	2,053	-2,889	83	-1,798	-51	482	10,461	-2,876	-102	
Memorandum Item:										
Broad Money components	743,314	906,254	N/A	N/A	N/A	907,672	875,934	832,186	823,574	
Currency outside DC (e)	637,229	419,578	N/A	N/A	N/A	494,130	454,454	393,915	247,110	
Deposits included in broad money	106,085	486,676	N/A	N/A	N/A	413,542	421,480	438,271	475,499	

Graph 1.1

Contribution to the growth rate of broad money

(percentage points)

- Broad money (monthly percentage change)
- **A** Currency in circulation
- Private sector's deposits



Contribution to the growth rate of private sector deposits

(percentage points)

- Private sector's deposits (monthly percentage change)

 ## Current account-corporations
- :: Current account-individuals
- III Term and saving account-corporations

 Term and saving account-individuals

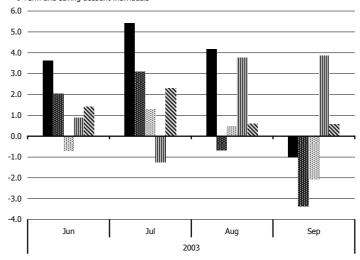




Table 2

BPK SURVEY

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

Description.	2000	2004		200	02		2003		
Description	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Net foreign assets	52,116	293,470	189,361	245,195	342,762	345,226	369,495	394,255	450,919
Assets	61,697	296,235	193,297	247,646	344,643	345,773	371,042	395,344	451,926
Cash	15,828	249,685	47,808	31,098	37,122	17,474	14,851	24,137	41,511
Transferable deposits	6,755	536	415	470	60,021	66,249	79,841	73,507	84,399
Other deposits	39,114	46,014	145,075	216,077	247,500	262,050	276,350	297,700	326,016
Liabilities	9,581	2,765	3,937	2,451	1,882	547	1,548	1,089	1,007
Deposits of foreign entities	N/A	184	184	184	184	184	283	274	274
Deposits of UNMIIK	9,581	2,581	3,753	2,267	1,698	363	1,265	815	733
Claims on ODC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net claims on central government	-8,741	-72,066	-120,239	-165,417	-270,856	-258,917	-301,974	-320,279	-381,871
Transferable deposits	8,741	72,066	120,239	165,417	270,856	258,917	301,974	320,279	381,871
Claims on other sectors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monetary base	15,753	173,904	36,012	43,250	37,403	46,222	41,822	38,785	33,284
Liabilities to ODC	15,753	173,904	36,012	43,250	37,403	46,222	41,822	38,785	33,284
Transferable deposits	15,753	173,904	36,012	43,250	37,403	46,222	41,822	38,785	33,284
of which: minimum liquidity reserves	N/A	N/A	19,963	22,429	24,738	26,908	29,701	27,627	30,800
Transferable deposits included in broad money	22,796	8,304	12,414	15,281	8,311	3,882	2,301	4,123	3,496
Public non financial corporations	22,796	6,959	11,426	14,384	7,879	3,467	1,966	4,105	3,479
Other non financial corporations	N/A	1,346	988	896	433	415	336	18	17
Securities included in broad money	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits excluded from broad money	0	11,087	13,075	12,946	15,711	24,619	17,066	17,978	18,348
Transferable deposits	0	11,087	13,075	12,946	15,711	24,619	17,066	11,552	11,898
Insursurance companies	-	10,562	12,804	12,729	14,151	15,999	16,464	9,602	10,035
KPST	-	-	-	-	1,560	8,620	602	823	295
Pension Funds	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,127	1,568
Other financial institutions	N/A	525	271	217	0	0	0	0	0
Other deposits	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a	6,426	6,450
Insurance companies	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a	6,426	6,450
Securities excluded from broad money	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Own funds	4,925	4,727	4,779	4,779	7,130	10,561	10,937	12,843	13,806
of which share capital	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556
Other Items (net)	-99	23,381	2,841	3,522	3,351	1,025	-4,606	246	114
Other liabilities	1,236	24,245	1,367	1,965	4,182	1,911	2,371	1,575	1,662
less: Other assets	1,334	864	1,474	1,557	831	886	6,977	1,329	1,549

Graph 2

Contribution to the growth rate of net foreign assets of BPK

(percentage points)

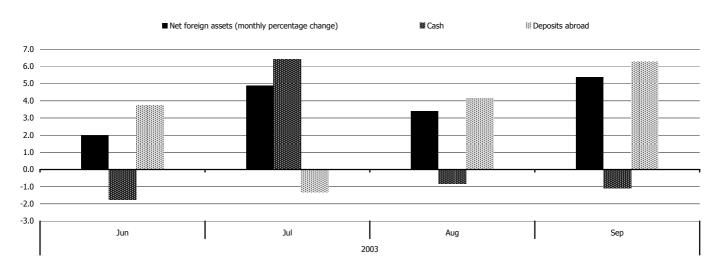


Table 3

BPK BALANCE SHEE

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

Description	2000	2001		2002	2			2003	
Description	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
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ASSETS	(4.495		400.00=						4=4.00
Curency and Deposits	61,697	296,235	193,297	247,646	344,643	345,773	371,042	395,344	451,926
Currency (Cash)	15,828	249,685	47,808	31,098	37,122	17,474	14,851	24,137	41,511
Euro	N/A	N/A	41,474	25,945	36,916	17,288	14,568	23,857	41,235
Other currencies	N/A	N/A	6,334	5,153	206	186	284	280	276
Deposits at banks abroad	45,869	46,550	145,489	216,548	307,521	328,299	356,191	371,207	410,416
Transferable deposits	6,755	536	415	470	60,021	66,249	79,841	73,507	84,399
Other deposits	39,114	46,014	145,075	216,077	247,500	262,050	276,350	297,700	326,016
Foreign investments	39,114	46,014	145,075	216,077	247,500	262,050	276,350	297,700	326,016
Securities other than shares	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Other accounts receivable	489	206	-2,119	-2,165	287	264	6,382	331	584
Nonfinancial assets	845	658	645	609	544	622	595	997	965
TOTAL ASSETS	63,032	297,099	191,823	246,089	345,474	346,659	378,019	396,672	453,475
LIABILITIES									
Transferable deposits	56,871	267,942	185,493	239,160	333,979	334,003	364,428	375,554	431,282
Public nonfin. corporations	22,796	6,959	11,426	14,384	7,879	3,467	1,966	4,105	3,479
Other Nonfinancial	N/A	1,346	988	896	433	415	336	18	17
Central government	8,741	72,066	120,239	165,417	270,856	258,917	301,974	320,279	381,871
UNMIK	9,581	2,581	3,753	2,267	1,698	363	1,265	815	733
Other depository corporations	15,753	173,904	36,012	43,250	37,403	46,222	41,822	38,785	33,284
Insurance companies	-	10,562	12,804	12,729	14,151	15,999	16,464	9,602	10,035
KPST	-	-	-	-	1,560	8,620	602	823	295
Pension funds	-	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,127	1,568
Other financial institutions	0	525	271	217	0	0	0	0	0
Other Deposits	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6,426	6,450
Insurance companies	0	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6,426	6,450
FC Deposits	N/A	184	184	184	184	184	283	274	274
Nonresidents	N/A	184	184	184	184	184	283	274	274
Banks	N/A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other non-bank sectors	N/A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Securities other than shares	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	O
Other accounts payable	1,236	24,245	1,367	1,965	4,182	1,911	2,371	1,575	1,662
Shares and other equity	4,925	4,727	4,779	4,779	7,130	10,560	10,937	12,843	13,806
Funds contributed by owners	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556
Capital	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556	2,556
General and Special Reserves	N/A	1,443	1,443	1,443	3,843	7,540	7,380	9,220	10,208
Reserves	N/A	309	309	309	309	3,940	3,943	7,380	7,380
Profit or loss	N/A	1,133	1,133	1,133	3,534	3,599	3,436	1,840	2,829
Grants from donors	N/A	728	780	780	730	464	1,001	1,067	1,041
TOTAL LIABILITIES	63,032	297,099	191,823	246,089	345,474	346,659	378,019	396,672	453,47
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Table 4

OTHER DEPOSITORY CORPORATIONS SURVEY

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

Describation	2000	2004		20	002			2003	
Description	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Net foreign assets	70,461	289,664	312,999	283,138	300,900	304,079	296,192	263,725	278,140
Assets	83,099	308,593	334,833	305,719	325,374	328,322	321,562	292,435	305,888
Cash	11,671	88,342	41,723	46,963	49,002	35,597	40,516	47,706	52,038
Deposits in foreign banks	6,215	33,239	40,001	28,712	48,903	17,365	29,226	12,722	12,823
Placements	65,214	179,514	245,611	222,445	227,366	275,360	219,852	200,165	209,301
Securities other than shares	0	7,498	7,498	7,599	103	0	31,968	31,842	31,726
Liabilities	12,638	18,929	21,834	22,581	24,474	24,243	25,370	28,710	27,748
Transferable deposits	9,635	12,307	14,954	15,968	16,355	14,529	13,794	18,381	16,065
Other deposits	79	1,577	1,774	1,568	1,645	3,005	2,973	1,726	1,835
Borrowings	2,924	5,045	5,104	3,000	4,429	5,418	6,558	6,558	7,803
Subordinated debt	0	0	2	2,045	2,045	1,291	2,045	2,045	2,045
Net claims on central bank	13,700	176,793	35,929	45,048	37,454	45,740	31,361	41,661	33,386
Deposits at BPK	13,700	176,793	35,929	45,048	37,454	45,740	31,361	41,661	33,386
Net claims on central government	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net claims on OFC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Claims on other private sectors	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269
Nonfinancial corporations and households	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269
Gross loans	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269
Net loans	3,148	25,135	46,476	57,700	66,231	83,976	112,160	157,228	181,301
Deposits included in broad money	83,289	478,372	376,212	364,893	379,985	409,660	419,179	434,148	472,003
Transferable deposits	75,676	353,583	256,624	253,654	262,563	281,380	275,029	286,453	278,723
Non financial corporations	54,487	137,089	113,134	123,883	140,431	159,882	143,105	150,136	134,244
Households	21,189	216,495	143,490	129,771	122,132	121,498	131,924	136,317	144,479
Other deposits	7,613	124,788	119,588	111,239	117,422	128,280	144,150	147,695	193,280
Non financial corporations	4,579	31,318	23,423	22,116	25,879	23,921	38,276	41,485	71,661
Households	3,034	93,471	96,165	89,123	91,543	104,359	105,874	106,210	121,619
Securities included in broad money	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits, securities excluded from broad money	0	0	0	0	0	0	309	3,100	3,351
Own funds	6,152	20,435	24,038	28,240	32,976	33,244	33,385	37,959	35,805
of which share capital	4,600	18,467	20,576	23,653	28,354	30,764	31,007	33,696	34,683
Other Items (net)	-2,132	-6,434	-3,767	-5,899	-6,360	-6,587	-9,559	-7,108	-11,364
Other liabilities	885	1,249	2,969	4,646	3,660	4,046	5,278	6,575	8,490
less: Other assets	3,017	7,683	6,736	10,545	10,020	10,633	14,837	13,683	19,854

Graph 3

Gross domestic loans, deposits in foreign banks and foreign securities as a part of liabilities to private sector (in percentage)

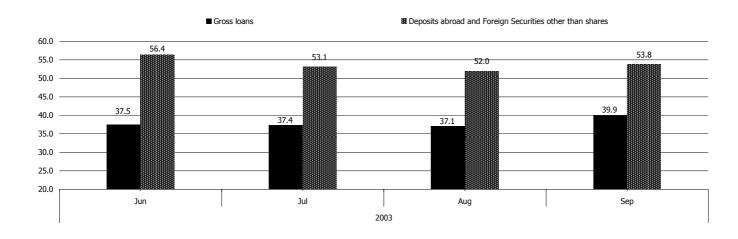


Table 5

DESCRIPTION	2000	2001	2002				2003			
DESCRIPTION	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
ASSETS	1									
Cash	11,671	88,342	41,723	46,963	49,002	35,597	40,516	47,706	52,036	
Balance with BPK										
	13,700	176,793	35,929	45,048	37,454	45,740	31,361	41,661	33,38	
Interest bearing accounts with other banks	6,215	33,239	40,001	28,712	48,903	17,365	29,226	12,722	12,82	
Nonresidents	6,215	33,239	40,001	28,712	48,903	17,365	29,226	12,722	12,82	
Loans to financial instutitions (placement)	65,214	179,514	245,611	222,445	227,366	275,360	219,852	200,165	209,30	
Securities	0	7,498	7,498	7,599	103	0	31,968	31,842	31,72	
Nonresidents	0	7,498	7,498	7,599	103	0	31,968	31,842	31,72	
Gross loans to non-financial institutions	3,148	25,916	47,555	59,048	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,26	
less; Provisions for loan losses	0	781	1,079	1,348	2,016	2,522	3,600	5,485	6,96	
Net loans	3,148	25,135	46,476	57,700	66,231	83,976	112,160	157,228	181,30	
Property and equipment. net of deprecation	441	4,544	5,568	7,096	8,369	9,498	9,506	10,942	11,282	
Interest receivable and other assets	2,576	3,920	2,247	4,797	3,667	3,657	8,931	8,226	15,540	
Total Assets	102,964	518,985	425,053	420,360	441,095	471,193	483,520	510,492	547,397	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY										
<u>Liabilities :</u>										
Deposits by banks and OFC	0	0	0	0	0	0	309	3,100	3,35	
Costumer deposits	93,003	492,255	392,940	382,429	397,985	427,194	435,946	454,255	489,903	
Transferable deposits in For. Curr.	85,311	365,890	271,578	269,622	278,918	295,909	288,823	304,834	294,788	
Residents	75,676	353,583	256,624	253,654	262,563	281,380	275,029	286,453	278,72	
Non financial corporations	54,487	137,089	113,134	123,883	140,431	159,882	143,105	150,136	144,47	
Households	21,189	216,495	143,490	129,771	122,132	121,498	131,924	136,317	134,24	
Nonresidents	9,635	12,307	14,954	15,968	16,355	14,529	13,794	18,381	16,06	
Other deposits in For. Curr.	7,692	126,365	121,362		119,067	131,285	147,123	149,421		
			121,002	112,807				177,721	195,11	
Residents	7,613	124,788	119,588	112,807 111,239	117,422	128,280	144,150	147,695		
Residents Non financial corporations	7,613 4,579	124,788 31,318			117,422 25,879				193,28	
			119,588	111,239		128,280	144,150	147,695	193,28 71,66	
Non financial corporations	4,579	31,318	119,588 23,423	111,239 22,116	25,879	128,280 23,921	144,150 38,276	147,695 41,485	193,286 71,66 121,61	
Non financial corporations Households Nonresidents	4,579 3,034	31,318 93,471	119,588 23,423 96,165	111,239 22,116 89,123	25,879 91,543	128,280 23,921 104,359	144,150 38,276 105,874	147,695 41,485 106,210	193,28 71,66 121,61 1,83	
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Non financial corporations Households Nonresidents Total deposits Borrowings Nonresidents Interest payable and other liabilities	4,579 3,034 79 93,003 2,924 2,924 885	31,318 93,471 1,577 492,255 5,045 5,045	119,588 23,423 96,165 1,774 392,940 5,104 5,104 2,969	111,239 22,116 89,123 1,568 382,429 3,000 4,646	25,879 91,543 1,645 397,985 4,429 4,429 3,660	128,280 23,921 104,359 3,005 427,194 5,418 4,046	144,150 38,276 105,874 2,973 436,255 6,558 6,558 5,278	147,695 41,485 106,210 1,726 457,355 6,558 6,558	193,28i 71,66 121,61 1,83 493,25 7,80 7,80 4,890 2,048	
Non financial corporations Households Nonresidents Total deposits Borrowings Nonresidents Interest payable and other liabilities Subordinated debts	4,579 3,034 79 93,003 2,924 2,924 885	31,318 93,471 1,577 492,255 5,045 5,045 1,249	119,588 23,423 96,165 1,774 392,940 5,104 5,104 2,969 2	111,239 22,116 89,123 1,568 382,429 3,000 3,000 4,646 2,045	25,879 91,543 1,645 397,985 4,429 4,429 3,660 2,045	128,280 23,921 104,359 3,005 427,194 5,418 4,046 1,291	144,150 38,276 105,874 2,973 436,255 6,558 6,558 5,278 2,045	147,695 41,485 106,210 1,726 457,355 6,558 6,558 6,575 2,045	195,115 193,280 71,661 121,619 1,835 493,254 7,803 7,803 4,890 2,045 2,045 511,592	



Table 6

DEPOSITS AT COMMERCIAL BANKS

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

DESCRIPTION	2000	2001		20	02			2003	
DESCRIPTION	Q4	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
1. Total resident deposits	83,289	478,371	376,212	364,893	379,985	409,660	419,488	437,248	475,354
Nonresidents									
Households	1,742	4,844	5,680	5,035	4,706	5,101	5,629	6,399	7,190
Time deposits	66	1,549	1,656	1,540	1,617	1,977	1,945	1,681	1,804
Sight deposits	1,676	3,296	4,024	3,495	3,089	3,124	3,684	4,718	5,386
Legal entities	7,972	9,039	11,048	12,501	13,294	12,433	11,138	13,708	10,710
Time deposits	13	28	118	28	28	1,028	1,028	45	31
Sight deposits	7,959	9,011	10,930	12,473	13,266	11,405	10,110	13,663	10,679
Banks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Time deposits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sight deposits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2. Total nonresident deposits	9,714	13,884	16,728	17,536	18,000	17,534	16,767	20,107	17,900
TOTAL (1+2)	93,003	492,255	392,940	382,429	397,985	427,194	436,255	457,355	493,254

Table 7

COMMERCIAL BANK GROSS LOANS BY INSTITUTIONAL SECTOR

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

DECODIDETION	2000	2001		20	02			2003		
DESCRIPTION	Q4	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Government Units	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,635	0	
Financial corporations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	507	0	
Loans to Non-Profit Organizations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	
Publicly owned nonfinancial corporations	0	0	0	15	11	54	0	1,188	224	
Social owned nonfinancial corporations	0	1,000	2,554	1,723	1,658	1,283	1,881	1,722	603	
Private owned nonfinancial corporations	3,148	24,916	45,001	56,978	66,578	79,469	101,853	132,516	156,434	
Households	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5,692	12,026	22,116	31,008	
Total	3,148	25,916	47,555	58,716	68,247	86,498	115,760	162,713	188,269	

Table 8

COMMERCIAL BANK GROSS LOANS BY ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

(outstanding amounts, end of period, in 000 EUR)

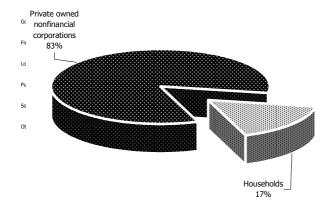
DECODIFICAL	2000	2001		20	02	·		2003	•
DESCRIPTION	Q4	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
By economic activity									
Agriculture	0	141	386	589	1,412	1,510	2,034	3,129	3,839
Civil Engineering	0	0	1,657	715	722	1,811	57	853	1,256
Trade	2,187	13,960	21,455	30,083	35,930	50,532	67,749	92,335	89,355
Services, Tourism, Hotel/ Restaurants	565	3,688	9,031	12,822	13,826	14,633	18,926	27,277	56,226
Industry	396		2,149	4,059	665	3,154	8,233	10,337	13,378
Real Estate/ Real Estate Construction	0	194	647	735	1,263	474	0	86	184
Administration, Other Public Services	0	0	0	58	4,092	3,822	0	1,050	51
Other	0	7,933	12,230	9,655	10,337	10,562	18,761	27,646	23,980
Total loans	3.148	25.916	47.555	58.716	68.247	86.498	115.760	162,713	188.269

Graph 4

Gross Loans by Institutional Sector, as of end September 2003

Graph 5

Gross Loans by Economic Activity, as of end September 2003



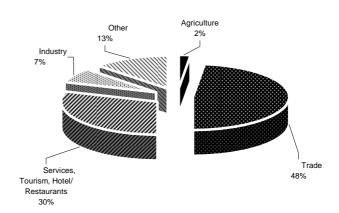




Table 9

INCOME STATEMENT OF COMMERCIAL BANKS

(cumulative within calendar year, in 000 EUR)

				20	02			2003	
DESCRIPTION	2000	2001	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
INCOME			•					•	
Interest income	1,829	7,179	2,965	7,194	12,225	17,818	5,890	13,355	21,352
Loans	0	2,150	1,314	3,404	6,174	9,373	3,839	9,416	15,749
Placement with banks	0	5,029	1,598	3,675	5,801	8,257	2,051	3,939	5,603
Securities	0	0	53	115	250	188	0	0	0
Non-Interest income	5,274	9,402	3,804	6,888	9,893	14,034	3,456	7,932	12,990
Fees and commissions	5,274	9,212	3,424	6,099	9,252	13,194	3,253	7,407	12,026
Other operating income	0	190	380	789	641	840	203	525	964
TOTAL INCOME	7,104	16,581	6,769	14,082	22,118	31,852	9,346	21,287	34,342
EXPENDITURES									
Interest expenditures	207	1,312	1,010	1,879	2,756	3,470	968	1,946	3,381
Deposits	207	855	719	1,707	2,488	3,102	862	1,721	3,006
Borrowings	0	458	291	172	268	368	106	225	375
Non-Interest expenditures	338	1,507	629	1,738	3,491	5,792	2,343	4,696	10,724
Provision for losses on loans (placement)	166	616	181	763	1,883	3,282	1,659	3,594	5,719
Depreciation on fixed assets	172	891	448	975	1,608	2,510	684	1,102	5,005
General and administrative expenses	2,707	7,271	3,755	7,668	12,695	19,130	5,786	11,639	14,872
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,252	10,090	5,394	11,285	18,942	28,392	9,097	18,281	28,977
NET INCOME									
Net operating income	3,852	6,491	1,375	2,797	3,176	3,460	249	3,006	5,365
Net gains/losses from dealing securities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Net gains/losses from dealing in foreign exchange	577	699	229	348	459	509	174	384	418
Net gains losses from foreign currency revaluations	33	-19	8	-58	44	53	-10	-32	-56
Net income from banking activities before taxes	4,462	7,172	1,612	3,087	3,679	4,022	413	3,358	5,728
Provision from taxes	610	456	137	431	919	1,306	288	958	1,406
Net profit / loss for period	3,852	6,716	1,475	2,656	2,760	2,716	125	2,400	4,322
less: dividend paid	2,300	5,260	0	0	0	2,118	0	0	0
Retained profit	1,552	1,457	1,475	2,656	2,760	598	125	2,400	4,322

Graph 6

Commercial banks income and expenditure

(quarterly data, 000 EUR)

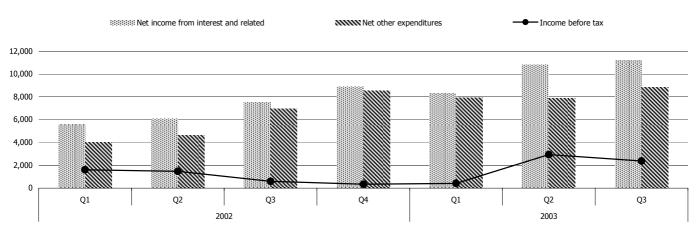


Table 10

BPK CASH OPERATIONS - DEPOSITS

(volume by period, in 000 EUR)

	Period	Government Agencies	Public Utilities	Banks and other fin. Institutions	Insurance Companies	Enterprises	NGO-s	Donor Agencies	Total Deposits
Total 2	000	227,810	50,349	9,790	5,468	16,313	10,878	7,149	327,757
Total 2	001	235,199	72,761	205,642	18,654	6,887	3,281	4,826	547,250
Total 20	002	87,340	27,375	291,656	2,021	0	608	143	409,143
	Jan	357	1,394	19,928	629	0	12	0	22,320
	Feb	223	1,215	16,024	916	0	29	0	18,407
	Mar	422	1,378	18,567	60	0	8	0	20,435
	Apr	303	1,361	29,404	36	0	21	0	31,125
2003	May	182	1,480	32,550	333	0	10	0	34,555
	Jun	359	1,166	33,622	95	0	4	0	35,246
	Jul	219	1,213	45,045	131	0	2	0	46,610
	Aug	138	1,178	58,047	220	0	1	0	59,584
	Sep	151	1,268	60,036	275	0	0	0	61,730
Up to m	nonth 2003	2,354	11,653	313,223	2,695	0	87	0	330,012

Graph 7

Deposits by main accounts

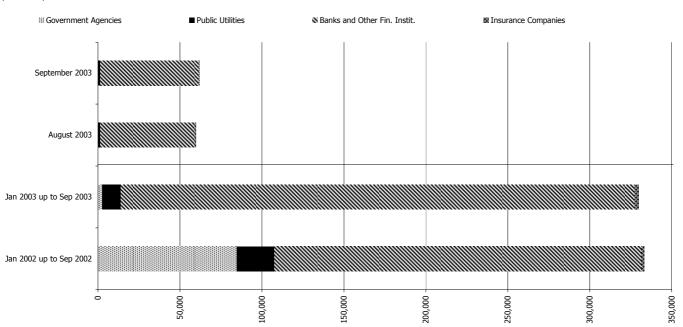


Table 11

BPK CASH OPERATIONS - WITHDRAWALS

(volume by period, in 000 EUR)

	Period	Government Agencies	Banks and other fin. Institutions	Public Utilities	Donor Agencies	NGO-s	Enterprises	Insurance Companies	Total Withdrawals
Total 2	2000	214,924	2,124	43,554	82,756	31,284	12,238	1,408	388,288
Total 2	2001	193,832	65,351	49,883	150,047	37,299	5,170	3,504	505,086
Total 2	2002	127,888	309,016	17,699	26,190	7,885	0	702	489,380
	Jan	5,445	7,467	1,098	0	129	0	0	14,139
	Feb	1,332	16,904	786	0	227	0	0	19,249
	Mar	1,112	29,420	696	0	245	0	0	31,474
	Apr	1,287	26,730	1,172	0	224	0	0	29,413
2003	May	1,566	21,475	583	0	284	0	0	23,908
	Jun	1,305	20,302	268	0	199	0	0	22,074
	Jul	1,329	19,471	234	0	155	0	0	21,189
	Aug	1,227	10,902	120	0	77	0	0	12,326
	Sep	1,099	14,900	239	0	110	0	0	16,348
Up to m	nonth 2003	15,702	167,571	5,196	0	1,650	0	0	190,120

Graph 8

Withdrawals by main accounts

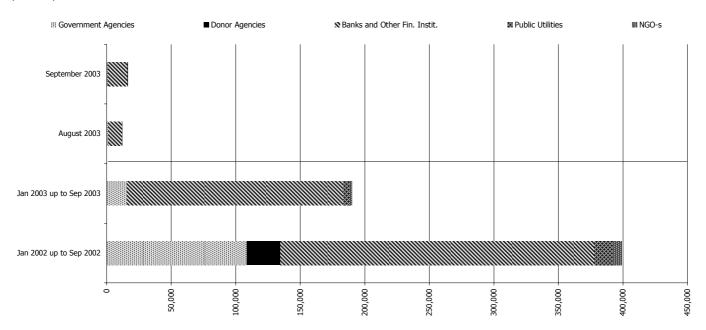


Table 12

BPK NON CASH OPERATIONS - NET TRANSFERS

(volume by period, in 000 EUR)

	Period	Government Agencies	Public Utilities	Banks and other fin. Institutions	Insurance Companies	Enterprises	NGO-s	Donor Agencies	Total Deposits
Total 20	02	333,686	-5,474	63,692	14,681	0	6,391	0	412,975
	Jan	21,935	-346	-12,006	-699	0	372	0	9,256
	Feb	6,135	-931	3,926	-171	0	58	0	9,018
	Mar	14,758	-1,628	2,969	-270	0	41	0	15,870
	Apr	-883	-166	2,443	-220	0	345	0	1,519
2003	May	11,993	694	-17,291	-68	0	99	0	-4,573
	Jun	-259	-272	-12,725	-16	0	-49	0	-13,321
	Jul	194	-1,348	-2,044	-23	0	-8	0	-3,229
	Aug	5,932	1,150	-12,925	-168	0	-8	0	-6,021
	Sep	961	-1,237	-62,428	-246	0	-2	0	-62,952
Up to m	onth 2003	60,766	-4,084	-110,081	-1,881	0	848	0	-54,433

Graph 9

Net transfers by main accounts

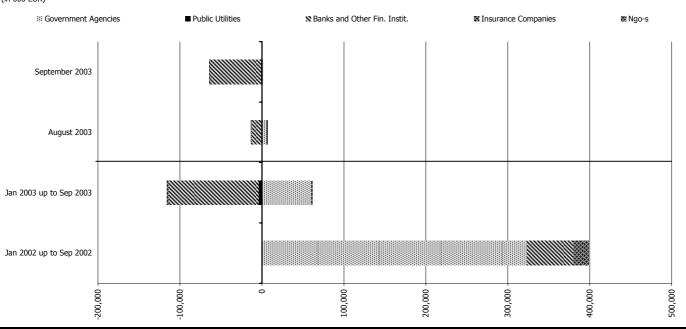


Table 13

INTERBANK CLEARING SYSTEM

(volume by period)

Posted	Transa	actions
Period	Number (unity)	Value (in 000 EUR)
2001	4,888	79,535
2002	75,763	840,605
Up to Sep 2002	43,012	493,172
Up to Sep 2003	108,009	1,000,884
Jan	8,833	93,540
Feb	9,121	97,336
Mar	12,253	103,662
Apr	11,713	115,426
Мау	11,657	106,388
Jun	13,724	99,912
Jul	14,394	141,038
Aug	10,942	104,217
Sep	15,372	139,365

Graph 10

Interbank Clearing System

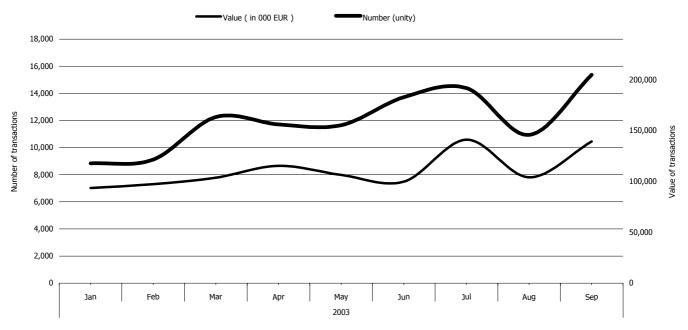




Table 14

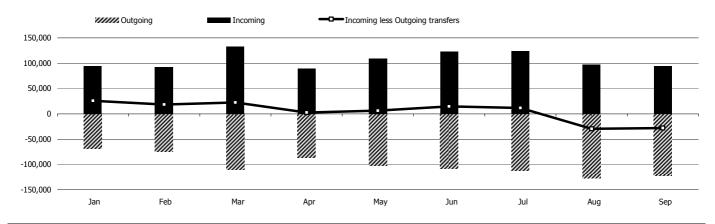
FOREIGN TRANSFERS

(volume by period in 000 EUR)

		Out	going			Inco	ming	
Period	ВРК	Commercial Banks	Wire transfers Agencies ³	Total	BPK	Commercial Banks	Wire transfers Agencies	Total
Total 2000	8,553	173,463	1,746	183,762	117,213	286,096	6,370	409,679
Total 2001	77,295	500,522	10,094	587,911	226,980	588,229	41,841	857,050
Total 2002	241,718	754,473	14,484	1,010,675	239,706	779,899	106,524	1,126,129
Up to Sep 2002	212,896	534,919	10,765	758,580	195,096	551,800	73,365	820,261
Up to Sep 2003	172,881	729,492	9,504	789,976	184,761	674,911	96,726	862,453
Jan	3,806	63,871	1,171	68,848	26,802	58,900	8,876	94,578
Feb	367	72,923	1,048	74,338	21,157	62,553	9,117	92,827
Mar	13,619	95,738	894	110,251	30,231	92,411	10,163	132,805
Apr	19,486	66,020	1,044	86,550	11,744	66,896	10,404	89,044
May	17,625	83,789	1,106	102,520	17,287	80,035	11,691	109,013
Jun	17,240	90,169	1,010	108,419	19,705	92,661	10,646	123,012
Jul	29,134	82,039	1,161	112,334	34,573	78,969	10,384	123,926
Aug	37,961	87,679	1,076	126,716	13,030	72,678	11,540	97,248
Sep	33,643	87,264	994	121,901	10,232	69,808	13,905	93,945

Graph 11

Foreign transfers



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FINANCIAL STATISTICS



Table 15

INSURANCE COMPANIES ACTIVITY

(volume by period, amounts in 000 EUR, numbers in unity)

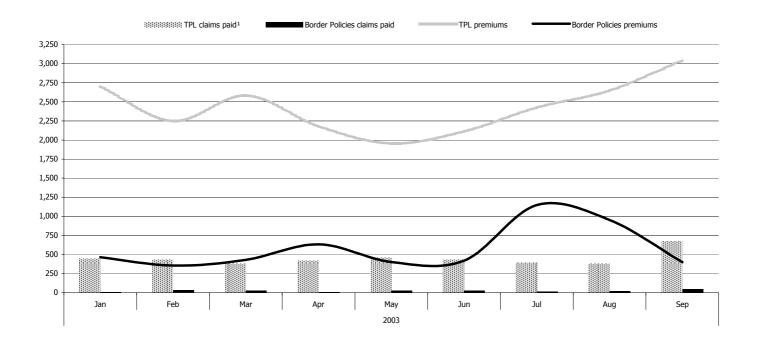
David		Amount of Pre	emiums received		_	Number of	Policies sold		Amount of Claims paid		
Period	Total	TPL	Border Policies	Other	Total	TPL	Border Policies	Other	TPL¹	Border Policies	
2001	N/A	31,161	N/A	N/A	N/A	179,864	N/A	N/A	2,655	N/A	
2002	30,983	27,231	3,686	66	247,366	175,008	72,358	67	3,540	395	
Up to Sep 2003	28,169	21,891	5,202	1,076	208,342	143,775	62,073	3,013	4,008	216	
Jan	3,190	2,702	464	24	22,390	18,123	4,041	223	446	9	
Feb	2,676	2,248	355	73	18,984	14,189	4,284	511	433	33	
Mar	3,193	2,582	429	182	21,047	15,331	4,814	120	379	28	
Apr	2,867	2,179	633	55	17,224	12,987	4,237	899	417	9	
May	2,437	1,954	401	82	16,686	12,571	4,115	193	459	28	
Jun	2,616	2,113	420	83	19,686	14,788	4,898	211	430	26	
Jul	3,827	2,424	1,147	256	30,576	16,805	13,600	171	390	14	
Aug	3,755	2,647	953	155	36,164	18,721	17,334	110	379	20	
Sep	3,608	3,042	400	166	25,585	20,260	4,750	575	675	49	

 $^{^{\}mbox{\scriptsize 1}}$ Included the claims paid by the Kosovo Guarantee Fund

Graph 12

Insurance premiums and paid claims

amounts in 000 EUR



¹ Included the claims paid by the Kosovo Guarantee Fund

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Table 16

MFI'S AND OTHER NONBANK CREDIT INSTITUTIONS LOAN ACT (outstanding amounts, end of period, value in 000 EUR) Micro Financial Institutions (MFI-s) credit institutions Period TOTAL GRAM CORD-KOSINV-Ce.L.I.M FINCA ICMC MCI-AFK IOM START ICU DEG ABU ADIE MEN - MA AID LIDHJA TEKNA 2000 560 1,282 0 111 373 101 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 234 2,661 2001* 2,169 3,638 957 854 143 729 1,069 84 163 71 0 0 6,217 0 3,624 19,870 2002** 3,349 900 138 1,426 1,922 400 207 121 215 141 5,277 4,788 2,389 2,596 9,220 33,678 Q1 2,095 1,050 3,371 5,281 138 1,684 2,418 420 195 119 350 138 5,048 9,027 2,596 33,930 Q2 3,258 6,187 2,276 1,114 125 1,839 2,619 487 278 133 388 320 4,747 2,596 8,869 35,236 2003 Jul 3,285 6,253 2,303 1,194 125 1,825 2,624 428 274 143 402 340 1,948 2,596 8,399 32,139 3,465 6,000 2,371 1,260 125 1,746 2,685 455 288 149 413 343 1,903 8,561 2,596 32,360 Aug 3,374 5,949 2,464 1,297 1,673 2,708 1,926 2,499 125 477 301 151 406 352 8,527 Sep 32,229

Note:

Table 17

MFI'S AND OTHER NONBANK CREDIT INSTITUTIONS NUMBER OF LOANS Itstanding number, end of period, in unity)

	eriod					Micro	Financial In	stitutions (MFI-s)						ther nonbaredit institution		TOTAL
	eriou	FINCA	ICMC	GRAM MEN - MA	MCI-AFK	CORD- AID	BESË- LIDHJA	ADIE	KOSINV- EST	MESH- TEKNA	Ce.L.I.M	IOM	START	ICU	DEG	ABU	TOTAL
2000		520	925	488	0	12	668	109	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,722
2001		1,569	4,452	2,345	173	18	910	1,597	73	103	76	0	0	50	0	7	11,373
2002		1,795	4,921	4,650	254	18	1,284	2,035	396	258	146	62	215	56	3	21	16,114
	Q1	1,841	4,917	4,700	268	18	1,171	2,470	472	204	112	119	257	56	3	22	16,630
	Q2	1,824	5,527	4,671	319	18	1,314	2,820	413	187	145	158	487	58	3	26	17,970
2003	Jul	1,842	5,557	4,746	339	18	1,320	2,797	405	205	118	178	543	23	3	25	18,119
	Aug	1,859	5,562	4,874	359	18	1,300	2,785	427	222	157	196	573	23	3	27	18,385
	Sep	1,864	5,471	4,710	386	18	1,291	2,805	431	242	129	209	581	24	3	27	18,191

^{*}/In Year 2002 KBFF has operated and has given 5 loans with an amount of 241 thousands euro.

^{**/} In Year 2001 MFI DRC has operated and has given 124 loans with an amount of 152 thousands euro whereas for Year 2002 with 317 loans and 348 thousands euro.

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STRUCTURAL INDICATORS



Table 18

COMMERCIAL BANKS - DISTRIBUTION

As of end Sep, 2003

Region			Banks Iss	ued Final Licen	se Approval			Applications in process of review		Total Licensec	I
Region	MEB	BRK	BPB	BE	KSB	ABK	ВКР	CEDB*	Banks	Branches	Sub branches
Prishtina	HQ+SB	HQ+2SB	HQ+4SB	HQ+2SB	HQ+2SB	HQ+2SB	HQ+2SB	HQ	7		15
Prizren	BR	BR+SB	BR+SB	BR+SB	BR+2SB	BR	BR			7	5
Peja	BR	BR+SB	BR+SB	BR+2SB	BR+SB	BR	BR			7	5
Gjilani	BR	BR+SB	BR+SB		BR	BR	BR+3SB			6	5
Gjakova	BR	BR	BR	BR+SB	BR+SB	BR	BR			7	2
Mitrovica	BR + SB	BR+SB	BR+SB		BR+2SB	BR+SB		BR		5	6
Ferizaj	BR	BR	BR+SB	BR	BR	BR	BR+SB			7	2
Podujevë		SB	2SB		BR+SB					1	4
Lipjan			SB		SB		SB				3
Vitia		SB	SB		SB						3
Rahovec		SB	SB				SB				3
Kamenicë		SB	SB		SB	SB	2SB				6
Kaçanik			SB		SB	SB					3
Dragash			SB			SB					2
Shtime			SB				SB				2
Klinë			SB		SB						2
Shtërpce						SB					1
Elez Han		SB			2SB		SB				4
Fushë Kosovë					2SB		SB				3
Gllogovcë		SB			SB		2SB				4
Graçanicë						SB					1
Deçan					SB						1
Vushtrri		SB	SB		SB	SB	SB				5
Zveçan											
Theranda		SB	SB		SB						3
Skenderaj		SB					SB				2
Istog			SB	SB	SB						3
Malishevë			SB			SB	SB				3
Obiliq					SB						1

Table 19

EXCHANGE BUREAUS AND MONEY TRANSFER SERVICES- GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION As of end Sep, 2003

Region		Exchang	e Bureau		Transfer	Services
	ABD	Euro-Cufa	EURO B	NBS	Union Financial Tiranë	MEB - Western Union
Prishtina	HQ + BR	HQ		HQ	HQ	BR
Prizren						BR
Peja						BR
Gjilani						BR
Gjakova						BR
Mitrovica						
Ferizaj						
Gllogovc (Drenas)			BR			

Note:

MEB = Micro Enterprise Bank, BRK = New Bank of Kosovo, BPB = Bank for Private Business, BE = Economic Bank, KSB = Kasa Banka,

BKP= Credit Bank of Prishtina, ABK =American Bank of Kosovo, CEDB= Central European Development Bank

HQ= Headquarter, BR = Branches, SB = Sub - branches, MU = Mobile Unit.



Table 20

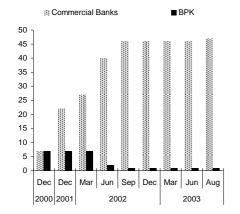
EMPLOYMENT AND BRANCHES: ODC AND BPK

As end of period

			Commercial Ba	nks	врк					
Pe	eriod	Number of branches ¹	Number of sub-branches	Number of full-time equivalent employees	Number of Branches ¹	Number of sub-branches	Number of full-time equivalent employees			
2000	Dec	7	1	139	7	15	338			
2001	Dec	22	6	637	7	15	339			
	Mar	27	16	700	7	15	346			
2002	Jun	40	34	972	2	2	118			
2002	Sep	46	56	1,329	1	-	130			
	Dec	46	64	1,393	1	-	132			
	Mar	46	81	1,452	1	-	124			
2003	Jun	46	89	1,546	1	-	120			
	Aug	47	99	1,546	1	-	123			

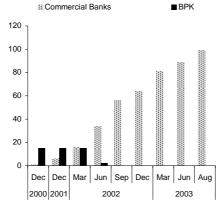
Graph 13.1

Number of branches¹



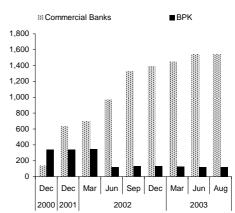
Graph 13.2

Number of sub-branches



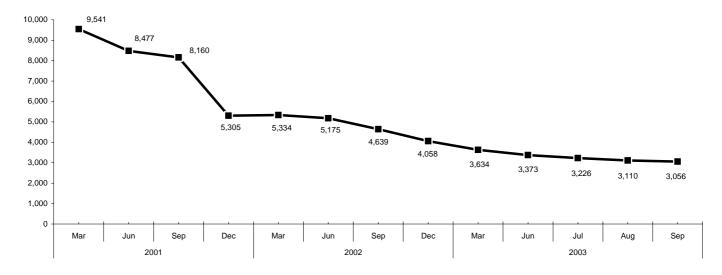
Graph 13.3

Number of employees



Graph 14

Degree of concentration in ODC: Herfindahl index



^{1/} Head office is counted as branch

Table 21

	Prishtinë	Prizren	Pejë	Gjakovë	Klinë	Vushtrri	Ferizaj	Gjilan	Graqanica	Dragash	Shtime
licro Finance Institutions			•	•							
FINCA Kosovo		√		√			√	√			
Kosovo Enterprise Program (ICMC)		√	√								
Gramen Trust	√		√								
Mercy Corps Intenational SED Program			√								
Cordaid				√							
Besëlidhja Micro Finance (W. Relief)	√								√		
ADIE	√				\checkmark	√					
Kosinvest / World Vision		√									
Mështekna (Society for Farmers and Individual Producers)										√	
Centro Laici Italiani per le Mission (Ce.L.I.M.)				√							
IOM (International Organization for Migration)	√										
START NGO (Islamic Relief in Kosovo)	√										
Ballkanactie											√
Perspektiva 4					√						
Other non-bank credit institutions			1			•			1		1
UNMIK ICU	√										
German Investment and Development Co (DEG)	√										
EAR AgroBusinees Development Unit	√										

Note:

 $\sqrt{}$ = Predominant representation

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FINANCIAL MARKETS INFORMATION

Table 22

COMMERCIAL BANK NOMINAL INTEREST RATES

(average by period in annual percentage)

COMMERCIAL BANK NOMI	INAL INTER	ESI KATES	by period in annual percentage)				
Categories	2001		20	02		20	003
Categories	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
LOANS							
Loans till 30 days	13.44	13.80	13.80	13.80	13.80	13.80	13.50
Loans from 31 to 90 days	13.83	14.28	14.28	14.28	14.28	14.28	14.05
Loans from 91 to 180 days	14.23	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	14.22
Loans from 181 days to 1 year	15.03	15.60	15.60	15.60	15.60	15.60	14.30
Loans over 1 year	15.63	15.96	15.96	15.96	15.96	15.96	15.15
DEPOSITS							
Deposits till 30 days	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.83	1.73
Deposits from 31 to 90 days	2.13	2.13	2.13	2.13	2.13	2.13	2.25
Deposits from 91 to 180 days	2.38	2.38	2.38	2.38	2.38	2.38	2.58
Deposits from 181 days to 1 year	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.96
Deposits over 1 year	3.08	3.08	3.08	3.08	3.08	3.08	3.08

Table 23

EURO EXCHANGE RATE AGAINST SELECTED CURRENCIES 1

(average by period)

US

Dollar

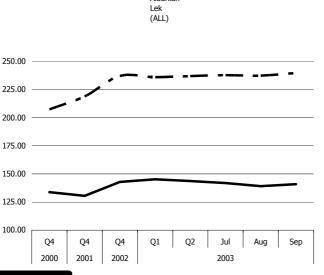
(USD)

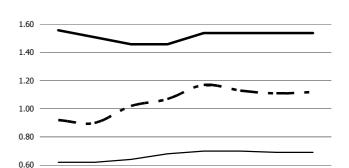
	Period		Croatian Kuna (HRK)	Slovenian Tolar (SIT)	Swiss Franc (CHF)	Turkish Lira (TRL) (millions)	US Dollar (USD)	Pound Sterling (GBP)	Yugoslavian Dinar (YUN)
2000	Q4	133.72	7.66	207.44	1.56	0.58	0.92	0.62	10.74
2001	Q4	130.60	7.53	219.03	1.51	1.11	0.90	0.62	42.12
2002	Q4	142.85	7.74	237.18	1.46	1.65	1.02	0.64	61.89
	Q1	145.29	7.97	236.16	1.46	1.82	1.07	0.68	62.14
	Q2	143.70	7.83	237.11	1.54	1.70	1.17	0.70	67.26
2003	Jul	141.95	7.80	237.96	1.54	1.62	1.13	0.70	65.97
	Aug	139.09	7.82	237.49	1.54	1.56	1.11	0.69	64.86
	Sep	140.98	7.84	239.83	1.54	1.57	1.12	0.69	63.65

Graph 15.1

Euro exchange rate against selected currencies (average by period) 1

Albanian





Pound

Sterling (GBP)

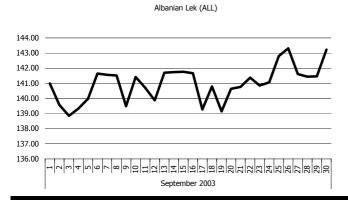
Swiss

(CHF)

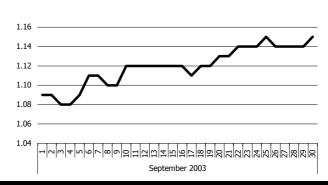


Graph 15.2

Daily Euro exchange rate¹



US Dollar (USD)



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OTHER SECTORS STATISTICS

Table 24

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI)¹

(index)

Perio	od	Index (May.2002=100)	Monthly percentage change
May 2002=10	00		
	May	100.0	
	Jun	98.4	-1.6
	Jul	96.8	-1.6
2002	Aug	96.6	-0.2
70	Sep	98.9	2.4
	Oct	100.7	1.8
	Nov	101.2	0.5
	Dec	102.1	0.9
	Jan	102.7	0.6
	Feb	102.1	-0.6
	Mar	103.3	1.2
	Apr	102.5	-0.8
2003	May	101.3	-1.2
	Jun	99.6	-1.7
	Jul	97.0	-2.6
	Aug	96.3	-0.7
	Sep	99.3	3.1

^{1/} Data source: SOK

Graph 16

Consumer inflation rate

(in percentage)

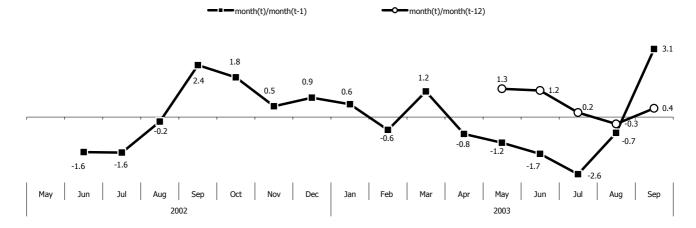


Table 25

UNEMPLOYMENT (end of period)

		Female		Education	
Period	TOTAL	%	Elementary %	Secondary %	University %
	1	2	3	4	5
2000	208,074	43.2	58.1	38.8	3.1
	255,674	40.2	33.1	30.5	5.1
2001	237,958	44.1	60.4	37.0	2.6
Q1	223,283	43.3	59.0	38.1	2.9
Q2	231,369	43.7	59.8	37.4	2.7
Q3	237,035	43.7	60.4	36.9	2.7
Q4	237,958	44.1	60.4	36.5	2.6
2002					
Jan	240,167	44.1	60.7	36.7	2.5
Feb	242,428	44.2	60.9	36.6	2.5
Mar	245,182	44.1	61.0	36.5	2.5
Apr	240,167	44.1	60.7	36.7	2.5
May	248,254	44.2	61.1	36.5	2.4
Jun	248,418	44.2	61.1	36.5	2.4
Jul	250,873	44.7	61.1	36.5	2.4
Aug	252,122	44.8	61.2	36.4	2.4
Sep	253,142	44.4	61.2	36.4	2.3
Oct	254,365	44.4	61.4	36.3	2.3
Nov	255,978	44.5	61.4	36.3	2.3
Dec	257,505	44.5	61.5	36.2	2.2
2003					
Jan	260,848	44.6	61.7	36.1	2.2
Feb	264,951	44.6	61.7	36.1	2.2
Mar	268,440	44.7	61.9	36.1	2.0
Apr	269,719	44.8	62.1	35.9	2.0
May	269,720	44.9	62.3	35.7	2.0
Jun	275,373	45.0	62.5	35.6	1.9
Jul	276,781	45.0	62.6	35.5	1.9
Aug	277,622	45.1	62.7	35.5	1.9
Sep	277,623	45.2	62.8	35.4	1.8

Source: Kosovo Employment Office

Percentages are expressed against the total number of unemployed persons.



Table 26

FISCAL SECTOR: GENERAL BUDGET REVENUE

(by period, in million EUR)

				Tax revenues		Donor gran	ts	Interes	st
Peri	iod	TOTAL	Border taxes	Domestic taxes	Non taxes revenues	Budget support Grants	Designated Grants	Banks abroad	BPK
		1 to 7	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2000		289.54	115.17	6.55	5.80	120.75	40.13	1.14	0.00
2001		355.89	208.74	4,100	20.74	42.97	41.00	1.97	0.00
2002		508.37	359.48 74.63		31.68	18.10	20.83	1.49	2.16
	Jan	42.32	24.65	10.40	4.40	0.00	2.53	0.05	0.29
	Feb	42.47	24.50	6.80	4.66	0.00	6.17	0.05	0.29
	Mar	50.86	35.28	8.30	2.47	0.00	4.49	0.05	0.27
	Apr	53.90	29.82	17.50	2.61	0.00	3.67	0.04	0.26
2003	May	46.80	35.31	6.79	3.74	0.00	0.67	0.04	0.25
	Jun	46.24	36.78	5.31	3.00	0.00	0.71	0.02	0.42
	Jul	62.69	39.03	14.23	4.22	0.00	5.05	0.02	0.14
	Aug	51.76	41.18	5.66	3.25	0.00	1.51	0.02	0.14
	Sep	66.75	55.03	6.92	3.78	0.00	0.92	n/a	0.10

Source: Ministry of Finance and Economy - Department of Economic Policy

Graph 17

Fiscal sector: General budget revenue

(in million EUR)

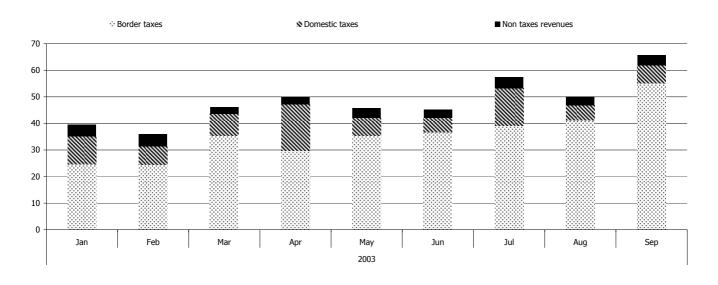




Table 27

FISCA	L SEC	TOR: BUDGE	T EXPENDITURE E	BY ECONOMIC AC	CTIVITY, CONSOL	IDATED FUND	(by per	od, in million EUR)
Per	riod	Total	Wages and Salaries	Goods and Services	Subsidies and Transfers	Payments to households	Capital Outlays	Reserve
		1+2+3+4+5+6	1	2	3	4	5	6
2000		234.87	92.24	73.56	37.33	30.72	0.00	1.02
2001		275.16	109.56	96.81	28.19	33.93	6.47	0.20
2002		429.23	131.40	148.23	87.55	0.00	62.05	0.00
	Q1	73.73	73.73 30.90		12.42	0.00	1.78	0.00
2002	Q2	95.57	31.75	34.25	14.97	0.00	14.60	0.00
	Q3	93.61	28.76	33.55	20.72	0.00	10.58	0.00
	Q4	166.34	39.99	51.80	39.45	0.00	35.10	0.00
	Jan	29.78	10.34	12.28	5.87	0.00	1.29	0.00
	Feb	36.39	11.60	11.36	8.26	0.00	5.17	0.00
	Mar	41.49	11.08	14.93	9.18	0.00	6.30	0.00
	Apr	43.17	11.01	11.07	7.68	0.00	13.31	0.10
2003	May	48.54	10.07	14.64	9.94	0.00	13.82	0.07
	Jun	46.62	12.82	16.03	9.20	0.00	8.50	0.07
	Jul	49.52	11.43	19.80	11.86	0.00	6.33	0.11
	Aug	38.13	12.69	12.15	8.05	0.00	5.22	0.02
	Sep	42.98	13.06	14.04	8.97	0.00	6.87	0.05

Source: Ministry of Finance And Economy - Department Of Economic Policy

Graph 18

Fiscal sector: Budget expenditure by economic activity

by period, in million EUR

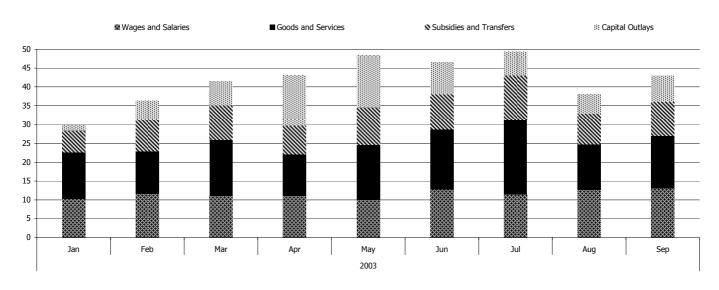


Table 28

FC	FOREIGN TRADE: EXPORT AND IMPORT BY TRADING PARTNERS¹ (amounts by period, in million EUR													EUR)								
Pe	riod	Total		Albania		Bulgaria		BIH and Croatia		EU and Switzerland		Macedonia		Montenegro		Serbia		Turkey		Others		
		Export	Import	Trade balance	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import	Export	Import
2	000	18.9	635.2	-616.3	3.9	9.9	0.3	42.3	0.3	28.8	5.7	171.2	5.1	162.3	0.3	107.3	0.0	15.0	1.5	33.3	1.9	65.0
2	001	10.7	874.4	-863.8	1.3	30.4	0.1	49.7	0.4	32.7	4.9	177.4	2.0	175.8	0.7	61.9	0.4	176.5	0.3	78.0	0.7	92.1
2	002	27.3	988.7	-961.4	1.4	48.1	0.2	56.4	3.3	36.9	11.8	233.7	3.4	152.6	0.2	62.9	4.5	178.1	1.2	78.1	1.5	141.8
	Q1	3.9	233.3	-229.4	0.1	8.0	0.0	8.7	0.1	10.0	2.3	67.0	0.3	33.0	0.0	16.9	0.4	40.6	0.4	16.9	0.2	32.1
2002	Q2	9.5	255.9	-246.4	0.4	15.6	0.1	20.2	2.0	6.7	4.1	57.9	1.1	37.1	0.0	15.6	1.1	48.6	0.3	20.3	0.3	33.6
70	Q3	5.7	255.0	-249.3	0.6	14.3	0.0	13.9	0.2	7.8	2.3	52.3	0.9	45.5	0.0	15.4	1.1	46.3	0.3	20.5	0.3	39.1
	Q4	8.2	244.5	-236.3	0.3	10.1	0.1	13.6	1.0	12.3	3.0	56.5	1.0	37.0	0.1	15.0	1.9	42.7	0.1	20.3	0.8	37.0
2003	Q1	6.2	177.4	-171.2	0.4	1.0	0.0	10.6	0.6	8.1	2.6	47.6	0.8	21.2	0.2	1.2	0.9	26.8	0.3	16.2	0.5	44.7
70	Q2	9.1	265.6	-256.5	0.5	2.0	0.0	10.2	0.8	14.2	3.4	65.8	1.8	40.7	0.3	4.5	1.4	42.2	0.4	26.8	0.6	59.3

Table 29

FOREIGN TRADE: EXPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP¹

(amounts by period, in million EUR)

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Period	Total	Food	Plastics and wood	Metals and scrap	Other
2000	18.7	5.3	7.7	3.8	2.0
2001	10.6	1.5	3.6	3.3	2.3
2002	27.3	3.8	9.6	12.4	1.6
Q	3.9	0.4	1.7	1.8	0.1
2002 Q	9.5	1.1	3.6	4.5	0.4
R Q	5.7	1.1	1.7	2.7	0.2
Q	8.2	1.3	2.6	3.5	0.8
2003	6.2	1.2	1.8	1.8	1.4
Q 0	9.1	1.8	2.1	3.1	2.2

Table 30

FOREIGN TRADE: IMPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP1

(amounts by period, in million EUR)

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5		•	•		Brico Data		•	•		
Period	Total	Food	Textile	Petrol	Chemicals and wood	Construction materials	Metals	Machinery	Other	Tax data Total
2000	635.7	169.5	10.7	63.0	115.4	73.6	46.0	72.0	85.6	372.1
2001	874.5	283.4	19.8	119.7	115.9	72.3	57.7	98.5	107.2	659.9
2002	988.7	304.3	23.1	135.2	147.2	79.6	67.3	141.1	91.0	933.7
Q1	233.3	69.9	5.1	29.0	28.0	16.1	15.9	49.8	19.6	203.7
Q2	255.8	75.2	5.5	33.7	44.0	21.1	15.9	35.7	24.7	223.0
Z007 Q3	255.1	75.4	6.9	37.4	37.5	25.7	18.0	28.8	25.5	259.3
Q4	244.5	83.8	5.7	35.1	37.7	16.7	17.4	26.9	21.3	247.7
Q1	177.4	67.6	3.4	29.9	25.1	8.9	7.6	20.1	14.8	186.0
Q2 Q2	265.6	94.1	5.0	35.4	40.5	18.8	18.4	33.2	20.1	254.4

¹ Source: Ministry of Finance and Economy

EXPLANATORY NOTES

TABLES 1-5: MONETARY SURVEY and BALANCE SHEETS OF THE DEPOSITORY CORPORATIONS

<u>Source(s):</u> Monthly reporting forms submitted by licensed commercial banks, which form the Other Depository Corporations (ODC), to the Banking and Payments Authority of Kosovo (BPK). The ODC and the BPK together do form the Depository Corporations (DC) in the classification of the Monetary and Financial Statistics Manual of the IMF.

Monthly data provided by the Accounting department of BPK.

Monthly estimate of currency holdings based on information from BPK and commercial banks.

<u>Classification(s)</u>: Institutional units are classified into sectors. The sector classification in the monetary and financial statistics is based on the SNA 1993.

The classification of the financial instruments is based on the SNA 1993 and MFSM 2000.

Definition(s):

Residency

The residency criteria in the books of the banks is based on the country in the address information given by the accountholder to the DC. This implies that persons who do not fulfill the SNA 93 criteria to be considered as residents – in principle having their main center of economic interest in the country concerned – may be counted as residents. The reverse situation may hold also.

In the monetary and financial statistics UNMIK-bodies are considered as domestic sector, except the UNMIK-entities which are solely working for the administrative part related to the UNO-administration. These are considered as nonresidents as are all liaison offices in Kosovo.

Monetary aggregates

As the BPK doesn't issue currency (de facto, the Euro is the main legal tender in Kosovo) the base money consists of deposits by commercial banks at BPK.

Broad money is a multi-currency concept containing cash holdings, current-, time- and savings accounts at commercial banks and BPK by resident entities other then the DC and the central government. The deposits in process (deposits in transit from one account to another at the time the reporting forms are established and reported to BPK) are included in the monetary aggregate. Due to lack of data, the deposits of the other financial institutions (OFI) with commercial banks are not part of broad money. To ensure an equal sector treatment, the deposits of OFI at BPK are neither considered as part of the monetary aggregates. This will change once the commercial banks fill out the new reporting scheme in which the details on OFI will become available. From then onwards, the money holdings of OFI will be included in the monetary aggregates. A similar situation applies actually for the government sector, where at the present juncture not only the central government money holdings are excluded from the monetary aggregates but also those belonging to the local government bodies.

Definitions of the Monetary Aggregates

MO include:

Currency in Circulation (e);

M1 includes:

₩ M0;

Transferable Deposits in DC's (Sight Deposits);

M2 includes (also called BROAD MONEY):

₩ M1;

Other Deposits in DC's (Terms and Saving Deposits);

Foreign and domestic assets/liabilities

The breakdown of assets (and liabilities) is a notion which showing the financial relationship between the domestic economy and the rest of the world. In case a country has more financial claims on the rest of the world, it is said to have net foreign assets. In the contrary situation the country has net foreign liabilities.

The definition of external is based on the first counterpart. This means that deposits in domestic or foreign currency by a resident at a domestic bank are domestic claims (or assets) of the deposit holder. These same deposits held at a bank outside the country are foreign claims for the deposit holder. The investment by a domestic resident in a share or bond issued by a domestic entity creates a domestic claim, while a similar investment in securities issued by a foreign entity constitutes foreign claims. Currency notes in hand or in vault do form a claim on the issuer of the currency notes (as it was the case in the previous example on bonds). If it concerns notes issued by a foreign central bank, for instance a national central bank of the Eurosytem, held by a resident, the holder has a foreign claim on that foreign central bank.

Compilation The cash holdings are mainly estimated on the basis of the volume of conversions into Euro-notes and coins at the time of the introduction of the euro in 2001 and since then continued on the basis of shipments (export and import) of Euro-notes via the financial system. The method doesn't take account of the export and import of notes via other channels and may lead to an incorrect picture of the true cash holdings in the domestic economy.

The deposits in process are allocated to current accounts of domestic households and current accounts of domestic enterprises according to their mutual importance.

Assets and liabilities in currencies other than Euro are converted against the Euro exchange rate prevailing at the end of month.

There is no seasonal adjustment calculation.

In principle the first publication is definitive. In case DC might revise their data, a new statistical series is published.

TABLES 10, 11 AND 12: BPK CASH OPERATIONS (BPK DEPOSITS, BPK WITHDRAWALS) BPK NON CASH OPERATION (BPK NET TRANSFERS)

BPK DEPOSITS:

This table presents the deposits in cash made by BPK customers at BPK during the period.

BPK WITHDRAWALS:

This table presents the withdrawals in cash made by BPK customers from BPK during the period.

BPK NET TRANSFERS:

This table presents the net transfers among BPK client accounts

In this three tables there are not included transaction dealing Incoming Payments, Interest on current accounts, International incoming transfer, International outgoing transfer, monthly maintenance, outgoing payments

TABLE 13: INTERBANK CLEARING SYSTEM

The Interbank Clearing System (ICS) is established, regulated and managed by the BPK. It started with operation in May 2001. The ICS is an electronic clearing and settlement service for payment orders among banks and the BPK, and with the BPK as an agent of the Central Fiscal Authority (Ministry of Finance and Economy) in Kosovo. It offers end of day net settlement on accounts at the BPK for single orders and/or bulk paper listings of multiple orders such as mass salary payments. The service permits the exchange of electronic data delivered via telephone lines to the BPK electronic clearinghouse. Currently there are seven commercial banks participating at the ICS, and BPK itself, which acts as a fiscal agent for the Ministry of Finance and Economy. ICS operates based on Operating Rules for Electronic Interbank Clearing and Settlement Service (EICS) of the BPK.

TABLE 14: FOREIGN TRANSFERS

OUTGOING: The movement of money from an account at a bank or other financial institution within Kosovo to an account at a bank or financial institution accounts outside of Kosovo.

INCOMING: The movement of money from an nonresident bank or other financial institutions account into a bank or financial institutions account within Kosovo.

WIRE TRANSFERS AGENCIES: All non-bank financial institutions performing electronic or wire transfer services (Western Union, Western Union MEB, ERA).

TABLE 24 AND 25: FISCAL SECTOR

PAYMENTS TO HOUSEHOLDS: starting from the year 2002 payments to households are included within subsidies and transfers.

RESERVE: Reserve includes the amounts authorized for contingent expenditures that may be used only for urgent and unforeseen requirements.

TABLES 26, 27 AND 28: FOREIGN TRADE (EXPORT AND IMPORT BY TRADING PARTNERS, EXPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP, IMPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP):

EXPORT AND IMPORT BY TRADING PARTNERS:

Trade balance is calculated using the Brico data.

Trading partners are identified using the information on import of goods by place of loading.

EXPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP:

Data for the third and fourth quarter of 2001 are incomplete. Export data do not include all unregistered export:

- exports of goods crossing the border at the following points: ICD Prishtina, ICD Gjakova, BPC Glloboçica, BPC Post (PTK) and Airport,
- electric power deliveries, and
- "internal" exports: goods and services sold to foreigners in Kosovo.

IMPORTS BY COMMODITY GROUP:

Column 1- 9: Imports as documented by the Brico system (foreign trade database by the Customs Services of Kosovo). The 2000 figures do not include shipments from/through Serbia, Currently, all Brico files are being extended and corrected by MFE.

Column 2: Food and tobacco

Column 3: Clothing - textile and footwear

Column 4: Petrol and diesel

Column 5: Chemicals, plastics, leather, limber, paper, and photocopy materials

Column 6: Construction materials

Column 7: Metal products; metals, including silver products

Column 8: Machinery and equipments

Column 9: Other – goods not classified in columns 2-8.

Column 10: The value of taxable commercial imports is derived from the border tax data according to the following formula: [(Sales Tax /0.15) - (Customs + Excise)]; since July 2001, the sales tax is replaced by VAT. Both the sales tax and VAT have been levied on all commercial imports.