Portuguese Banking Sector Overview

Portuguese Association of Bankers

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PORTUGUESE BANKING SECTOR OVERVIEW

PORTUGUESE BANKING SECTOR (I/II)

Main indicators in March 2015

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<td>Credit institutions</td>
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<td>Branches</td>
<td>5,469*</td>
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<td>Employees</td>
<td>53,589*</td>
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<td>Assets</td>
<td>EUR 465.2 billion</td>
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<td>Loans to customers</td>
<td>EUR 229.5 billion</td>
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<td>Deposits non-monetary sector</td>
<td>EUR 217.9 billion</td>
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<td>Loan-to-Deposit ratio (Dec 14)</td>
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<td>Credit at risk ratio – NPLs (Dec 14)</td>
<td>12%</td>
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<td>Borrowing from ECB</td>
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<td>Common Equity Tier 1 ratio (Dec 14)</td>
<td>11.3%</td>
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<td>Tier 1 ratio (Jun 14)</td>
<td>10.1%</td>
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<td>Total Solvency Ratio (Dec 14)</td>
<td>12.3%</td>
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* Data from June 2014 for APB member institutions. Unless otherwise indicated, all the data on the Portuguese banking sector refer to the entire system.
Recent developments (September 2014 to March 2015)

- **Reduction in sector’s total assets** of (-3.61%) and amount of **loans** (-1.38%).
- **Deposits from the non-monetary sector** showed a slight downward trend (-0.3%), though the Portuguese banks still remained the main source of funding.
- The amount of **borrowing from the ECB** by the Portuguese banking sector continued to fall.
- **Risk-weighted assets** continued their downward trend of recent years. The Portuguese banks continued to exceed the **minimum capital ratios**, and showed an increase in Common Equity Tier 1 ratio in the second half of 2014.
- **Profitability** continued to be a challenge for the Portuguese banks.
- **Preparation for entry into force of the 2015 Basel III** and other regulatory requirements.
- **Preparation for the start of the Single Supervisory Mechanism (SSM).**
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I. Importance of the Banking Sector for the Economy
Contrary to the rest of the euro area, growth in assets of Portuguese banks continued after the 2008-2010 financial crisis and only began to fall after the sovereign debt crisis.

**Total assets of the banking sector (Dec 2005=100)**

- **Average annual growth rates (YoY) (2005 - 2008)**
  - Portugal = 9.5%
  - Euro area = 11.1%

- **Average annual growth rates (YoY) (2009 - Apr 2011)**
  - Portugal = 8.7%
  - Euro area = 1.8%

- **Average annual growth rates (YoY) (May 2011 – Mar 2015)**
  - Portugal = -3.6%
  - Euro area = -0.5%

Source: ECB
The deleveraging process began after the introduction of the Economic and Financial Assistance Programme (EFAP). Its effects were visible after May 2012.

**Total assets of the banking sector (May 2011=100)**

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<td>571.771 M€</td>
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<td>May 12</td>
<td>583.088 M€</td>
<td>34.853.757 M€</td>
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<td>May 15</td>
<td>465.268 M€</td>
<td>32.515.099 M€</td>
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-18.6%  
+1.3%

Source: ECB
The resizing of the banking sector took place not only in Portugal, but also in most of the euro area countries.

Comparison of the contraction in total assets between 2010 and 2014 with the weight of total assets in GDP in 2010 and 2013 in some euro area countries

The contraction in total assets in the banking sector contributed largely to the reduction in their weight in each country’s GDP.

Source: ECB, Eurostat
The Portuguese banking sector plays an important role in the economy. The weight of its assets in Portugal’s GDP is similar to that in the rest of the euro area.

**Total assets of the banking sector in proportion to GDP* in Portugal and Euro area**

In spite of the decrease in the assets of the Portuguese banks in 2012, the reduction in the country’s GDP in the same period led to an increase in the total assets/GDP ratio to sloe to that of the euro area. The weight of banking assets in the GDP in 2013 fell in both areas to about 311% in Portugal and 318% in the euro area.

* Nominal Gross Domestic Product.
Source: ECB
The contribution of financial services to gross value added in Portugal is above the figures in the euro area.

GVA of the financial services in proportion to total GVA in Portugal and other EU countries (2009)

In Portugal, financial services (excluding insurance and pension funds but including those provided by Banco de Portugal) contribute to around 6% of gross value added. This figure is quite high when compared to other euro area countries.

Source: Eurostat, INE, Central Statistics Office Ireland
II. Lending activity
The contraction of credit and securities portfolios were the main reason for the total reduction in assets in 2014.

**Contribution of each assets item to the annual aggregate variation**

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Source: Banco de Portugal
In spite of the contraction, loans to customers continues to absorb almost 50% the Portuguese banks’ assets.

Compared to other countries in the euro area, Portuguese banks’ business is focused most on classic intermediation.

* Loans to the non-monetary sector (gross outstanding amounts at the end of period)
Source: ECB
In the period prior to the financial crisis, lending was showing a strong upward trend in Portugal and the euro area.

Loans* in Portugal and in the euro area (Dec 2005=100)

Average annual growth rates (YoY)
(2009 - Apr 2011)
Portugal = 6.2%
Euro area = 4.5%

Average annual growth rates (YoY)
(May 2011 - Mar 2015)
Portugal = -5.5%
Euro area = -0.9%

* Loans to the non-monetary sector (gross outstanding amounts at the end of period)
Source: ECB
After the sovereign debt crisis affected Portugal, the amount of loans fell more than in the euro area and was the main reason for the reduction of assets in the sector.

The amount of lending in Portugal has been decreasing since the second quarter of 2011, distancing it from the euro area average. This trend is simultaneously the result of a drop in demand because of a reduction in investment and deleveraging in the sector.

* Loans to the non-monetary sector (gross outstanding amounts at the end of period)

Source: ECB
The demand for credit has slowed down recently, while it has grown in the private customer segment.

**Diffusion index reflecting supply and demand of loans to businesses in Portugal**

**Diffusion index reflecting supply and demand of loans to private customers in Portugal**

Source: Banco de Portugal (Bank Lending Survey)
In spite of the reduction in credit / GDP ratio since 2010, bank borrowing in the Portuguese economy is still higher than the rest of Europe.

- The Portuguese banks’ deleveraging plus sluggish demand for loans led to a reduction of almost 10 percentage points in the customer loan / GDP ratio in 2013.
- At the end of 2013, loans to customers in Portugal represented around 148% of nominal GDP.
- This ratio has fallen by around 20 percentage points since 2010.

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**Loans to customers* / GDP**\(^{**}\) ratio

- Loans to the entire non-monetary sector (month-end gross balances).
- ** Nominal gross domestic product

Source: ECB, Eurostat
Private customers and non-financial corporations (NFCs) are more dependent on bank loans than in the rest of the euro area.

**Weight of credit to households, non-financial corporations and general government in GDP*, in Portugal vs. selected European Union countries (December 2013)**

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<td>4.5%</td>
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<td>3.1%</td>
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<td>5.0%</td>
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<td>16.9%</td>
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<td>France</td>
<td>10.6%</td>
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<td>0.6%</td>
<td>25.6%</td>
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<td>Germany</td>
<td>13.4%</td>
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* Gross domestic product (nominal).
** Includes only loans (not government bonds).
*** Includes state-owned companies.
Source: Ameco, ECB
Stocks of loans to private customers and non-financial corporations have performed differently to loans to the general government.

The financial assistance plan for Greece in May 2010 increased Portugal’s difficulty in accessing funding on the financial markets. At the time, the interest rate on 10-year treasury bonds reach an all-time high since joining of 6.29%. This forced the general government to resort to bank loans to rise sharply.

In April 2011, when Portugal request financial assistance, the amount of loans to the general government had reach its highest ever.

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* Gross outstanding amounts at the end of period.
** Only includes loans (does not include public debt securities).
*** Includes state-owned non-financial corporations.

Source: Banco de Portugal
Since the beginning of the EFAP, the stock of loans to the general government has fallen faster than that to private customers and non-financial corporations.

* Gross outstanding amounts at the end of period.
** Only includes loans (does not include public debt securities).
*** Includes state-owned non-financial corporations.

Source: Banco de Portugal
While loans to private customers are mainly mortgages, those to non-financial corporations are mainly to the construction and real-estate sectors.

*Loans to the monetary and non-monetary sectors including non-residents (gross outstanding amounts at the end of month).

Source: Banco de Portugal
The proportion of mortgages in total loans to private customers in Portugal is higher than in the rest of the euro area.

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<td>79.1%</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>80.5%</td>
<td>71.7%</td>
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<td>Mar-15</td>
<td>82.3%</td>
<td>74.4%</td>
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Source: ECB

The weight of consumer credit in total loans granted to private customers has been falling in Portugal and in the euro area. This type of credit is less important in Portugal, however.
Housing prices have remained relatively stable in comparison to other countries in the euro area.

In spite of the sub-prime crisis, housing prices in Portugal remained relatively constant. The real-estate sector did not experience a speculation boom, contrary to happened in Spain and Ireland.

Source: ECB
The real-estate sector in Portugal is not particularly important in loans to non-financial corporations, unlike the rest of the euro area.

In Portugal, the aggregate weight of the construction and real estate sectors has been falling since 2007. On the other hand, in the euro area, the proportion of these sectors increased until 2012 due to the real-estate business. This trend was reversed recently due to a reduction in construction.

Source: Banco de Portugal, ECB
The trade, accommodation and food services sectors account for a larger share of loans to NFCs in Portugal than in the euro area.

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<td>17.0%</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>19.3%</td>
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<td>2014</td>
<td>22.9%</td>
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Loans to the agriculture and industry sectors are higher in the euro area than in Portugal. However, this segment’s share in total loans to NFCs has increased substantially in Portugal in the last seven years.

Source: Banco de Portugal, ECB
Publicly owned companies account for around 9% of the total debt of non-financial corporations to the resident financial sector.

Debts of non-financial publicly owned companies to the financial sector in Portugal*

The debt of the state-owned business sector accounts for a substantial part of the total loans to non-financial companies. The amount has grown considerably since 2009, due to the sovereign debt crisis. In spite of a reduction in 2014, it is still higher than before 2010.

* Percentage of balances of loans obtained and bonds issued by non-financial corporations against the resident financial sector. The concept of resident financial includes not only banks but also other financial institutions.

Source: Banco de Portugal
Debts of state-owned companies to the financial sector in the form of securities have been growing in importance against loans.

Debts of state-owned non-financial companies to the financial sector in Portugal, by instrument

Source: Banco de Portugal
The gap between the average interest rates on loans to NFCs in Portugal and the euro area increased after the onset of the sovereign debt crisis.

Average interest rates on loans from monetary financial institutions (stock on the balance sheet) to non-financial companies in Portugal and the euro area

* Euro area benchmark bond – Changing Composition. Calculated as a weighted average of the sovereign debt yields of euro area countries, using the outstanding amounts of 10-year sovereign debt as weights.
Source: ECB
Interest rates on new loans to NFCs in Portugal began rising in mid-2009, but have been falling since early 2012.

**Average interest rates on loans from monetary financial institutions (new operations) to non-financial companies in Portugal and the euro area**

- **February 2015**
  - Portugal: 4.22%
  - Euro area: 2.02%

Source: ECB
Doubtful debts have increased since 2008, especially in the business segment.

Doubtful debts* as a percentage of total corresponding debt (up to February 2015)

- Mortgages in default have remained relatively stable, though they have recently risen slightly.
- Doubtful debts to non-financial corporations began to increase at the end of 2008. The situation deteriorated further after the Economic and Financial Adjustment Programme (May 2011).

*Amounts outstanding of credit overdue for at least 30 days and doubtful loans recorded in the balance sheet of monetary financial institutions.

Source: Banco de Portugal
In 2011, as required by the EFAP, Banco de Portugal introduced a ratio of NPLs, in line with international practices.

The new ratio includes all credit in default and not just the amount overdue.

Non-performing loans* as a percentage of total corresponding credit

*It includes total outstanding credit with overdue installments of principal or interest for a period of more than 90 days, total value of outstanding restructured credits in which payments of principal or interest, having been overdue by a period equal to or greater than 90 days, have been capitalized, refinanced or rescheduled without adequate strengthening of collateral or full repayment of overdue interest and outstanding credit with overdue installments of principal or interest for a period of less than 90 days, but for which there is evidence that would justify its classification as non-performing loans.

Source: Banco de Portugal
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III. Funding
Customer deposits are the most important source of finance for Portuguese banks.

Comparison of the financing structure of Portuguese banks and those in other EU countries (February 2015)

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<th>Wholesale</th>
<th>Capital</th>
<th>Others*</th>
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<td>47%</td>
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<td>41%</td>
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<td>Ireland</td>
<td>24%</td>
<td>10%</td>
<td>18%</td>
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In the European context, the Portuguese banking system has one of the largest shares of deposits from customers in the financing structure. Compared to deposits from customers, wholesale funding plays a less important role.

* Includes liabilities to entities non-resident in the euro area, except for the United Kingdom, for which it includes liabilities to non-residents in the country.
Source: ECB
The growth trend in deposits has been more stable in the euro area than in Portugal.

Deposits* in Portugal and the euro area (Dec 2005=100)

* Deposits from the non-monetary sector (balances at end of period).
Source: ECB

After mid-2010, deposits in Portugal began a growth trend that was much sharper than in the euro area.

The upward trend was reversed in June 2012, when deposits in Portugal fell more than in the euro area.
More recently, deposits in the euro area and Portugal have remained relatively constant.

As shown in the following slide, the decrease in deposits in Portugal between February 2012 and February 2013 was due mainly to the non-financial corporations sector.

* Deposits from the non-monetary sector (balances at end of period).

Source: ECB
In spite of the austerity imposed by the EFAP in Portugal, households’ deposits continued to grow up to a year after the start of the programme.

Since the beginning of 2012, Portuguese non-financial corporations have been reducing their deposits because of the financial difficulties that they have been facing. This trend has resulted in a reduction in deposits at Portuguese banks, as private customers’ deposits began to stabilise in the second quarter of 2012.

* Deposits from the non-monetary sector (balances at end of period).

Source: Banco de Portugal
Attractive returns on savings certificates have stimulated their growth since 2013, coinciding with a reduction in units in investment funds.

In 2011, growth in deposits from private customers coincided with a drop in their investment fund units. This trend demonstrates an exchange of investment products for savings products with different risk profiles, showing a preference for assets with lower risk levels.

* Includes stock funds, bond funds, treasury funds, money market funds, retirement savings funds, funds of funds and mixed funds.

Source: Banco de Portugal
Deposits in Portugal are mainly held by private customers and their weight has been increasing.

The weight of non-monetary financial institutions increased considerably in the second half of 2010 and in 2011, but began to fall in 2012.

Deposits* in Portugal by institutional sector (February 2015)

* Deposits from the non-monetary sector (balances at end of period).
Source: Banco de Portugal
Deposits with maturities of less than one year are the largest, in spite of recent growth in deposits with longer maturities.

* Deposits from the non-monetary sector (balances at end of period).
Source: Banco de Portugal
The reduction in the loan to deposit ratio reflects the deleveraging conducted by the Portuguese banking system.

Following the implementation of the EFAP in Portugal, Banco de Portugal recommended that the eight largest banking groups reduced this ratio to 120% by the end of 2014.

* Credit net of impairments (including certificated and unrecognised credits). End of period balances.
Source: Banco de Portugal
Recourse to wholesale funding by the Portuguese banks grew much faster than in the euro area, though this trend has reversed in recent years.

The growth in deposits in Portugal was not sufficient to offset growth in the national banks’ assets and led to greater dependence on wholesale finance.

* Wholesale finance includes deposits from the monetary sector, debt securities and money market funds (end of period balances).

Source: ECB
Both in Portugal and the euro area, deposits from the monetary sector are the main component of wholesale funding for the banking sector.

\[\text{Wholesale finance structure by type of instrument}\]

**Portugal**
- 2007: 31.7%, 68.0%, 0.3%
- 2010: 44.7%, 55.2%, 0.0%
- Mar-15: 48.9%, 49.2%, 1.9%

**Euro area**
- 2007: 40.3%, 53.1%, 6.6%
- 2010: 43.1%, 51.4%, 5.5%
- Mar-15: 40.6%, 54.6%, 4.8%

Source: ECB

However, the weight of the debt securities market in Portugal increased against 2007. This source of finance is much larger for the Portuguese banks than for those in the euro area.
In Portugal and the euro area, debt securities issued by banks are predominantly long term.

Debt securities structure by maturity on date of issue (March 2015)

Portugal

- Up to 1 year: 0.2%
- From 1 to 2 years: 0.0%
- Over 2 years: 99.7%

Euro area

- Up to 1 year: 8.1%
- From 1 to 2 years: 2.7%
- Over 2 years: 89.2%

Even so, the issue of short-term debt securities plays an more important role in the euro area than the Portuguese banking sector.

Source: ECB
Until 2011, covered bonds were important as a source of funding for the Portuguese banks. The amounts issued have been falling recently, however.

**Issue and balances of covered bonds in Portugal**

At the end of 2013, the balance of covered bonds accounted for around 6.9% of Portuguese banks’ finance.

**Covered bonds by type of underlying asset (2013)**

Source: ECB, European Covered Bond Council, Factbook, 2014
The downgrades of Portugal’s sovereign risk had a negative effect on the Portuguese banks’ ratings*.

Ratings of the Portuguese Republic and the Portuguese banks by Moody’s, S&P and Fitch

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* End of period.

Portuguese Republic
Portuguese Banks
The Portuguese banks’ portfolio of eligible collateral enabled them to increase their dependence on the ECB, which softened the impact of restrictions on access to the interbank markets.

### Borrowing from the European Central Bank*

<table>
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<th>Data</th>
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<td>Dec 08</td>
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<td>16.061 M€</td>
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<td>Dec 10</td>
<td>40.899 M€</td>
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<td>Mai. 11</td>
<td>47.204 M€</td>
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<td>Jun. 12</td>
<td>60.502 M€</td>
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<td>Mar. 15</td>
<td>28.178 M€</td>
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* Outstanding amounts at the end of the period.
Source: Banco de Portugal

The amount of borrowing from the ECB has been falling steadily since June 2012.
More recently, a reduction in finance needs has decreased Portugal’s weight in total finance granted by the ECB.

Nonetheless, the Portuguese banks’ efforts to reduce their share of borrowing from the Eurosystem have been successful.

The proportion of recourse to borrowing from the ECB by the Portuguese banks increased as of 2010.

* Lending to Portuguese banks as a percentage of the total granted by the Eurosystem to all countries in the euro area (balances at end of period).  
Source: Banco de Portugal, ECB
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IV. Solvency
The degree of risk of Portuguese banks’ assets has been falling in recent years.

Risk-weighted assets in proportion to total assets*

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Risk-weighted assets</th>
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<tr>
<td>2007</td>
<td>66.9%</td>
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<td>2008</td>
<td>66.8%</td>
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<td>2009</td>
<td>64.0%</td>
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<td>2010</td>
<td>61.4%</td>
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<td>2011</td>
<td>59.1%</td>
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<td>2012</td>
<td>58.5%</td>
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<td>2013</td>
<td>56.3%</td>
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<td>Jun-14</td>
<td>56.9%</td>
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* Risk-weighted assets include off-balance-sheet items. Consolidated data. Source: Banco de Portugal

Risk-weighted assets to total assets ratio of the Portuguese banks has fallen considerably in recent years. This trend increased after the EFAP and reflects a reduction in the average risk of assets making up the Portuguese banks’ balance sheets. In the first half of 2014 it rose slightly as a result of changes in the calculation of RWAs introduced by CRD IV / CRR.
The risk-weighted assets to total assets ratio in higher than the euro area average.

Risk-weighted assets in proportion of total assets* (June 2014)

* Risk-weighted assets include off-balance sheet items. The data are different from those in the previous slide because they refer only to bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis.

** Euro area com 18 countries.

*** The data for Portugal are different from those in the previous slide due to slight differences in the methods used by Banco de Portugal and the ECB.

Source: ECB
Total assets have decreased at a slower rate than risk-weighted assets thanks to the optimisation of exposure to risk by the Portuguese banks.

**Risk-weighted assets and total assets of Portuguese banks* (Dec 2007=100)**

* Data from bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis, excluding insurance.

Source: ECB
Better quality own funds of Portuguese banks, core Tier 1, have grown significantly since 2009.

Own funds of Portuguese banks* (Dec 2009=100)

* Data from bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis, excluding insurance.

Source: Banco de Portugal
Historically, the Portuguese banks’ capital levels have remained above the minimum legal requirements.

Basel II required the Tier 1 ratio of financial institutions to be 4% or more and their solvency ratio to be no less than 8%. The new regulatory framework adopted following Basel III, which has been in effect since the beginning of 2014, focuses on the Common Equity Tier 1 ratio. In 2014, in accordance with the transitional CRD IV/CRR, the requirement goes up to 6% for the Tier 1 ratio and 8% for the solvency ratio.

* Data from bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis, excluding insurance.
Source: ECB
The Portuguese banks’ solvency situation has improved considerably since 2011 and placed the new CET 1 ratio comfortably above the minimum requirements.

Since early 2014, the Portuguese banks have had to comply with the new transitional regime for adapting own funds implemented by CRD IV/CRR, which requires a Common Equity Tier (CET) 1 ratio of 7%. Up to the end of 2013, the Portuguese banks were obliged by Banco de Portugal to satisfy a Core Tier 1 ratio of no less than 10%.

Core Tier 1 Ratio

- Dec-10: 7.4%
- Jun-11: 7.9%
- Dec-11: 8.7%
- Jun-12: 11.3%
- Dec-12: 11.5%
- Jun-13: 11.9%
- Dec-13: 12.3%
- Jun-14*: 10.6%
- Dec-14*: 11.3%

* CET 1 ratio calculated in accordance with the new transitional regime established in the CRD IV/CRR.

Source: Banco de Portugal
In the recent past the banking sector has had to deal with new regulatory requirements...

### Basel I (1992)
- Definition of Tier 1 and Tier 2
- Requirements: Tier 1 – 4%; Own funds – 8%

### Basel II (2004)
- Same requirements as Basel I

### Basel 2.5 (2009)
- Pillar 1 – Credit risk
- Pillar 2 – ICAAP
- Pillar 3 – Disclosures
- Requirements same as Basel I

### Basel III (2014)
- Revisions of securitisation instruments and trading book
- Counterparty risk
- Requirements: CET – 4.5%; Tier 1 – 6%; Tier 1 + Tier 2 – 8%

#### Capital requirements
- New definition of capital
- New buffers
- Leverage ratio
- Systemic risk

#### RWA requirements
- Pillar 1 – market risk (change made in 1997)
- Pillar 1 – Credit risk
- Requirement: 8%

#### Liquidity requirements
- Liquidity coverage ratio (LCR)
- Net stable funding ratio (NSFR)

All values refer to the full implementation of the Basel accords.
Source: BIS, PwC
In addition to new values for the core Tier 1 ratio to be met, there are other factors that increase the capital needs of Portuguese banks, such as:

- Recognition of additional impairments in credit portfolio
- Increase in own fund requirements for credit risk
- Transfer of pension fund from the banks to social security
- Greek debt haircut

Results of the special inspection programme of the eight largest banking groups in 2011, 2012 and 2013. The aim of these assessments was to validate the data supporting calculation of the institutions’ solvency position and assess the adequacy of impairments.

Source: APB, Banco de Portugal

Transitional Regime CRD IV/CRR

Deduction of impairment of 50% to 65% of the nominal value of exposures to the Greek public debt.

These impacts were recognised for prudential purposes in the first half of 2012, and were reflected in the core Tier 1 at the time.
V. Public recapitalisation and personal guarantees by the state for credit institutions
Timelines of public recapitalisation and personal guarantees from the state for credit institutions before the EFAP

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<th>Date</th>
<th>Guarantee Scheme</th>
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<td>Oct. 2008</td>
<td>Regime approved up to Dec 2009 €20 bn</td>
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<td>Jul. 2010</td>
<td>Prorogued until Dec 2010</td>
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* Use of both regimes cannot exceed EUR 9.150 bn.

Source: APB, European Comission – DGCOMP, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
Timelines of public recapitalisation and personal guarantees from the state for credit institutions during the EFAP

**Guarantee Scheme**
- Prorogued until Dec 2011
- Budget amended € 35.000 M
- Prorogued until Jun 2012
- Prorogued until Dec 2012
- Prorogued until Jun 2013
- Prorogued until Dec 2013
- Prorogued until Jun 2014
- Prorogued until Dec 2014

**Recapitalisation Scheme**
- Prorogued 31 Dec 2011
- Budget amended € 12 bn
- Prorogued until Dec 2012
- Prorogued until Dec 2013
- Prorogued until Dec 2014

Source: APB, European Comission – DGCOMP, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
The Portuguese banks got through the financial crisis with no state support in terms of recapitalisation...

State support schemes used until end of June 2011

- Recapitalisation (Equity) EUR 3 bn
- Guarantees EUR 9.15 bn

Σ = EUR 4.95 bn

By the end of June 2011:
- 6 banks (including CGD) had used the guarantee scheme
- 2 operations to the amount of EUR 75 m had been amortised (one in 2009, the other in 2010)
- The amount of guarantees in effect totalled EUR 4.875 bn, i.e. 53% of existing budget

* Not used by privately owned banks. In December 2010, CGD increased its capital by EUR 550 M, from which EUR 56 M were from the recapitalization scheme budget.
Source: APB, European Commission–DGCOMP, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
... meanwhile, the public debt crisis led to an increase in use of state guarantees.

Use of state guarantees since July 2011

- **Since 2011:**
  - **6 banks** have used the guarantee scheme in new financing operations.
  - The new operations totalled **EUR 16.525 bn**, i.e. **47.2%** of the existing budget.

Source: APB, European Comission—DGCOMP, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
Use of the Recapitalisation Scheme was made later to comply with the rules imposed by Banco de Portugal and the EBA.

At the end of December 2014, the banks that had used the Recapitalisation Scheme had repaid EUR 4.025 bn. The amount used to date was EUR 1.575 bn.

Use of recapitalisation scheme

- **Σ= EUR 5.6 bn***
  - 3 operations between June 2012 and the beginning of 2013

- **Σ= EUR 3.9 bn***
  - 1 loan to the Resolution Fund in August 2014

* Not including recapitalisation of CGD in June 2012 to the amount of EUR 1.65 million.

Source: APB, European Comission– DGCOMP, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
State aid used by the Portuguese banks up to 2010 was 3% of GDP, rising to 19% in 2013.

State aid to financial sector as a percentage of GDP*

* The data on guarantees and injections of liquidity refer to 2009, at the peak of use of these instruments in Europe.
Source: European Commission
Guarantee commissions paid and payable by credit institutions.

**Commissions paid and due annually * (EUR millions)**

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<td>Cumulative paid until 2015</td>
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<td>19,2</td>
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<td>2017</td>
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* Estimates.
Source: APB, Portuguese Ministry of Finance (DGTF)
VI. Profitability
The return on Portuguese banks’ assets has fallen in recent years and has not accompanied the European climate of recovery.

### ROA - Return on Assets*

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<td>-1.47%</td>
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<td>Italy</td>
<td>-0.85%</td>
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<td>0.17%</td>
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<td>-0.45%</td>
<td>0.06%</td>
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* Data from bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis.
Source: ECB
We find a similar performance in an analysis of return on equity.

**ROE - Return on Equity***

* Data from bank groups and domestic banks on a consolidated basis.
Source: ECB
The increase in credit risk in Portugal led to a rise in banks’ impairments, which affected their profits.

The profits of the Portuguese banking sector have fallen in recent years, not only because of the increase in impairments but also due to a reduction in net interest income due to lower average interest rates on loans and the higher cost of financing.

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<th>Net interest income</th>
<th>Impairments</th>
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<td>2013</td>
<td>5.447</td>
<td>-6.037</td>
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Source: Banco de Portugal
Since 2011, Banco de Portugal has conducted several inspections of the largest Portuguese banking groups to assess whether their impairments were adequate.

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<td><strong>Scope:</strong></td>
<td>Assessment of credit portfolio (EUR 281 bn - 72% to 100% of each bank’s total portfolio)</td>
<td>Assessment of credit portfolio – exposure to construction and real estate sectors in Portugal and Spain (56% of population analysed – EUR 69 bn).</td>
<td>Assessment of credit portfolio (EUR 93 bn analysed)</td>
<td>12 business groups (EUR 9.4 bn)</td>
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<td><strong>Results:</strong></td>
<td>Need to reinforce impairments: EUR 596 m</td>
<td>Need to reinforce impairments: EUR 474 m</td>
<td>Need to reinforce impairments: EUR 1.127 bn (reinforced by 30 June 2013)</td>
<td>Need to reinforce impairments: EUR 1.003 bn</td>
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Source: Banco de Portugal
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Annex I: Comprehensive Assessment
The results of the Comprehensive Assessment showed deficits in own funds for 25 European banks to a total of €24.6 bn.

- In October 2014, the European Banking Authority published the results of the comprehensive assessment of 130 European banks, which at the end of 2013 accounted for 81.6% of total assets of the banking sectors in the participating countries in the single supervision mechanism.

- The Comprehensive Assessment consisted of two components:
  - AQR - Asset Quality Review
  - Stress tests – assessment of banks’ resilience in unfavourable macroeconomic scenarios (base and adverse scenario).

- The shortfall of own funds identified in the Comprehensive Assessment was 24.6 bn euros.

Source: APB, EBA
In Portugal, the assessment covered three bank groups who successfully completed the AQR and showed resilience in the base scenario of the stress tests.

CET 1 ratio as at 31.12.2013, adjusted by impairments arising from AQR*

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CET 1 ratio projected to 31.12.2016 in base and adverse scenarios of stress tests*

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<td>Base scenario: 14,9%, Adverse scenario: 11,6%</td>
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<td>CGD</td>
<td>Base scenario: 9,4%, Adverse scenario: 6,1%</td>
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<td>BCP</td>
<td>Base scenario: 8,8%, Adverse scenario: 3,0%</td>
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The assumptions of the test were especially punishing for the Portuguese banks, as the reference base was already highly unfavourable due to the macroeconomic context in Portugal.

In 2014, BCP took measures to meet the capital needs detected in the adverse scenario and now exceeds the minimum requirements, though they were not considered in the test for methodological reasons.

* Of the Portuguese banks included in the exercise.
Source: APB, Banco de Portugal, EBA
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Annex II: Methodology
Methodology

- Unless otherwise expressly indicated, all the balance sheet data are aggregates from the entire banking system of the country in question.

- The balance sheet data analysed in this publication are mostly on an individual basis aggregated for the entire banking system.

- The item credit balance includes the following financial instruments:
  - Loans, certificates of deposit, repurchase agreements, securitised credit operations, overdue loans and doubtful debts.

- The solvency analyses are based on consolidated data from the financial institutions.