

21. PRIMARY MARKET FOR SECURITIES
Central government

21.25 Debt securities.
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Average outstanding term.
Years

	Total	Short-term		Long-term				
		Total	Treasury bills and notes	Total	Euro			Other currencies
					Treasury bills (a)	Bonds	Assumed debt	Bonds
	1=2+4	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
16	6.67	0.44	0.44	7.30	...	7.31	7.92	...
17	7.06	0.43	0.43	7.67	...	7.67	6.92	...
18	7.43	0.45	0.45	7.97	...	7.96	5.92	...
19	7.34	0.52	0.47	7.88	0.30	7.95	4.92	15.95
20	7.53	0.44	0.38	8.15	0.94	8.18	3.92	14.80
21	7.76	0.48	0.41	8.35	-	8.35	2.92	13.97
22 Q1	7.85	0.46	0.39	8.43	0.94	8.46	2.67	13.85
Q2	7.85	0.40	0.36	8.33	0.77	8.43	2.42	13.94
Q3	7.71	0.39	0.41	8.14	0.52	8.27	2.17	13.99
Q4	7.67	0.53	0.47	8.07	0.27	8.21	1.92	13.41
23 Q1	7.71	0.57	0.51	8.12	0.08	8.22	1.67	13.10
Q2	7.70	0.45	0.42	8.20	-	8.20	1.42	12.89
Q3	7.67	0.41	0.44	8.16	-	8.16	1.17	12.76
Q4	7.68	0.40	0.42	8.11	-	8.10	0.92	12.35
24 Q1	7.70	0.45	0.42	8.11	-	8.11	0.67	12.19
Q2	7.77	0.44	0.42	8.19	-	8.19	0.42	12.00
Q3	7.64	0.43	0.43	8.06	-	8.06	0.17	11.47
Q4	7.71	0.45	0.38	8.17	0.78	8.19	-	11.50
25 Q1	7.71	0.45	0.37	8.14	0.64	8.19	-	11.11
Q2	7.71	0.44	0.41	8.12	0.40	8.20	-	10.68
Q3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Note: Euro-denominated issues include, historically, all issues denominated in euro or national denominations of the euro.

(a) According to ESA 2010 (Regulation (EU) No 549/2013) and Handbook on Securities Statistics (BIS-ECB-IMF, 2015), it includes Treasury bills with original maturity over one year.