

## Statistical release

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## **Effective interest rates: May 2015**

The effective rate paid on households' outstanding time deposits increased by 11bps to 1.70% in May and the rate for households' new time deposits was unchanged at 1.63%.

The effective rate on the stock of outstanding secured loans (mortgages) decreased by 1bp to 3.11% in May and the new secured loan rate fell to 2.59%, a decrease of 5bps on the month. The rate on outstanding unsecured personal loans decreased by 6bps to 7.03% in May and the new unsecured personal loan rate increased by 23bps to 7.21%. The credit card rate (all balances) increased to 10.48%, a 3bps increase on the month. (See Table A for households' effective rates).

The effective rate paid on private non-financial corporations' (PNFCs) outstanding time deposits decreased by 1bp to 0.65% in May, and the rate on PNFCs' new time deposits decreased by 7bps to 0.40%. The rate on PNFCs' outstanding loans increased by 1bp to 3.14% in May and the rate on new lending decreased by 2bps to 2.61%. (See Table B for PNFCs' effective rates).

Table A: Effective interest rates paid/received on household balances by UK MFIs (excluding central bank)
Per cent

Not seasonally adjusted

				Outstanding	New business				
		Sight Time deposits		Credit card (all bals)	Unsecured loans	Secured loans	Time deposits	Unsecured loans	Secured loans
		HSCV	HSCW	HSDP	HSDI	HSDE	BJ74	BJ93	BJ95
2015	Feb	0.76	1.70	11.08	7.22	3.15	1.50	7.08	2.78
	Mar	0.76	1.67	10.55	7.12	3.14	1.49	7.25	2.68
	Apr	0.75	1.59	10.45	7.09	3.12	1.63	6.98	2.64
	May	0.76	1.70	10.48	7.03	3.11	1.63	7.21	2.59

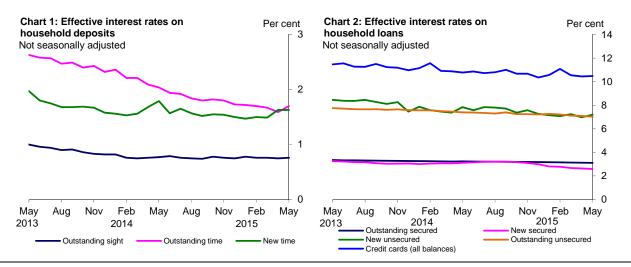
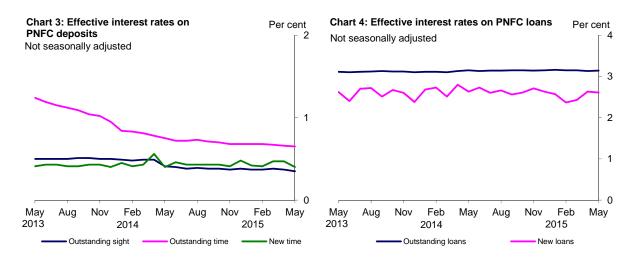


Table B: Effective interest rates paid/received on PNFC balances by UK MFIs (excluding central bank)

Per cent

Not seasonally adjusted

		Οι	utstanding	New business			
		Sight	Time		Time		
		deposits	deposits	Loans	deposits	Loans	
		HSCT	HSCU	HSDC	BJ72	BJ82	
2015	Feb	0.37	0.68	3.15	0.41	2.37	
	Mar	0.38	0.67	3.15	0.47	2.43	
	Apr	0.37	0.66	3.13	0.47	2.63	
	May	0.35	0.65	3.14	0.40	2.61	



## **Technical notes**

- 1 Full data on effective rates are available in Table G1.4 of Bank of England Monetary and Financial Statistics (<a href="www.bankofengland.co.uk/statistics/bankstats/current/index.htm#1">www.bankofengland.co.uk/statistics/bankstats/current/index.htm#1</a>); these data are sourced from the Bank's Effective Interest Rates Return, currently completed by 22 MFIs.
- 2 The Statistical Interactive Database (<a href="www.bankofengland.co.uk/mfsd/iadb/NewInterMed.asp">www.bankofengland.co.uk/mfsd/iadb/NewInterMed.asp</a>) provides long runs of statistical data with comprehensive search options and the ability to download in a variety of formats. The series codes are listed in the tables in this release.
- For further information on the compilation of the Bank's effective interest rates series please refer to the explanatory notes (<a href="https://www.bankofengland.co.uk/mfsd/iadb/notesIADB/effective\_int.htm">www.bankofengland.co.uk/mfsd/iadb/notesIADB/effective\_int.htm</a>)