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Statistics Portugal makes available the 17th weekly report of some of the most recent and relevant statistical findings released for monitoring the social and economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

This report covers the press releases concerning:

- Interest rates implied in housing loans – June 2020, published on July 21;
- Air Transport Flash Statistics - May 2020, published on July 22.

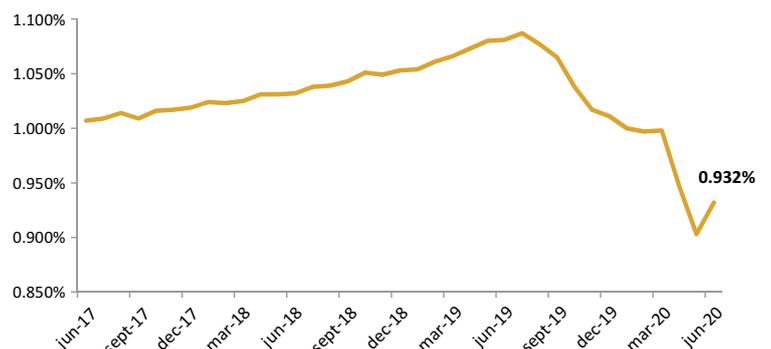
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The implicit interest rate in all housing loan agreements was 0.932% in June (0.903% in May). In the contracts signed in the last three months, the interest rate rose to 0.900% (0.845% in May).

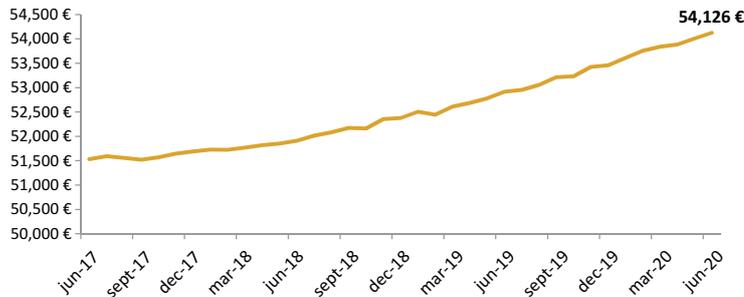


Implicit interest rates in housing loans



In June, the average value of owed capital for all contracts increased by €116 compared to the previous month, to €54,126. The average value of loan repayments increased by €1 to €228 (the first increase since April, when it registered the largest decrease (€12) observed since June 2009).

Average owed capital



Changes in interest rates and in the average monthly loan repayment observed in June should be read taking into account changes resulting from the moratorium regime in force, which suspends, for six months, the payment, in full or in part, of the monthly loan repayment of households with housing credit.

The implicit interest rate in housing loans for housing loan agreements increased to 0.946% (0.918% in May). In contracts signed over the last 3 months, this interest rate stood at 0.887% (0.838% in May).

More information available at:
[Interest rates implied in housing loans – June 2020](#)
(21 July 2020)

In May, the movement at national airports accounted for a reduced recovery compared to the previous month

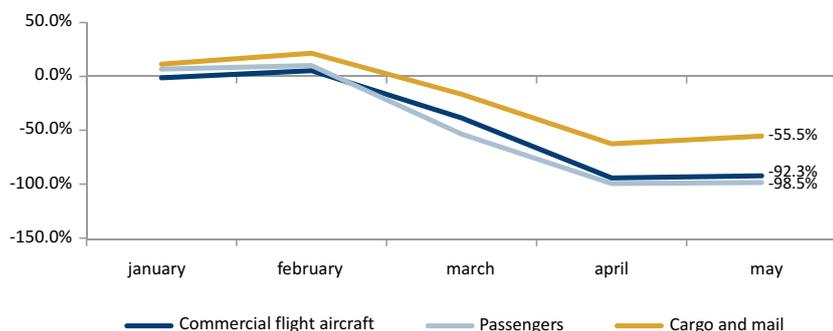
The movement at national airports in May continued to reflect the measures adopted at the airspace level in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic, although with a slight recovery from the situation observed in the previous month.



In May, at the national airports, in year-on-year terms:

- The movement of passengers (82.1 thousand, considering all embarked, disembarked and direct transits) decreased by 98.5% (-99.4% in April and -53.5% in March);
- The movement of cargo and mail (8.1 thousand tonnes) decreased by 55.5% (-62.6% in April and -16.6% in March);
- The number of commercial flight aircraft that landed (1,600) decreased by 92.3% (-94.3% in April and -38.6% in March).

Grounded aircraft, movement of passengers and cargo and mail
(year-on-year rate of change)



Considering the movement at national airports in the period from January to May 2020, in comparison with the same period a year earlier:

- The number of commercial aircraft that landed (43,100) decreased by 50.6%;

- The number of passengers handled (9.6 million) decreased by 56.5%:
 - Lisbon airport handled 57.4% of total passengers (5.5 million) and registered a decrease of 53.0%;
 - Among the three airports with the highest passenger traffic, the airport of Faro was the one with the greatest decrease (-73.6%);
- France was the main country of origin and destination for passengers handled at national airports;
- The United Kingdom, the second main country of origin and destination, recorded the largest reduction in the number of passengers arriving and departing (-64.1% and -61.1% respectively);
- The movement of cargo and mail (63.6 thousand tonnes) registered a reduction of -22.8%.

More information available at:
[Air Transport Flash Statistics - May 2020](#)
(22 July 2020)

Press releases from 27-07-2020 to 31-07-2020:

| Press Releases | Reference period | Release date |
|--|--------------------------|--------------|
| Tourism Demand of Residents | 1st Quarter 2020 | 27 July 2020 |
| Survey on bank evaluation on housing | June 2020 | 28 July 2020 |
| Fast and Exceptional Enterprise Survey - COVID-19 | 1st fortnight, July 2020 | 29 July 2020 |
| Income Statistics at local level - Reported income on Personal Income Tax (IRS) indicators | 2018 | 29 July 2020 |
| Monthly Employment and Unemployment Estimates | June 2020 | 29 July 2020 |
| Business turnover, employment, wage and hours worked index in retail trade | June 2020 | 29 July 2020 |
| Business and consumer surveys | July 2020 | 30 July 2020 |
| Industrial production index | June 2020 | 30 July 2020 |
| CPI/HICP Flash Estimate | July 2020 | 31 July 2020 |
| Business Statistics Studies - Qualifications Needs | 2020 | 31 July 2020 |