

Statistical bulletin

Quarterly sector accounts, UK: October to December

Detailed estimates of quarterly sector accounts that can be found in the UK Economic Accounts (UKEA).

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1. Main points

- In Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016, the households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) saving ratio was 3.3%; the lowest quarterly saving ratio since comparable records began in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 1963.
- For the year 2016, the households and NPISH saving ratio was 5.2%, compared with 6.5% in 2015; the lowest annual saving ratio since comparable records began in 1963.
- The level of real households and NPISH disposable income (RHDI) fell by 0.4% in Quarter 4 2016, following a fall of 0.3% in the previous guarter.
- Households and NPISH net borrowing increased in Quarter 4 2016 to £11.1 billion; this was the highest level of quarterly households and NPISH net borrowing since comparable records began in Quarter 1 1987.
- Central government net borrowing decreased in Quarter 4 2016 to £10.2 billion; this was the lowest level of quarterly net borrowing since Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2007.
- There was a high value of merger and acquisition activity in 2016, which is reflected in the financial accounts.

2. What's changed in this release?

This is the first Quarterly Sector Accounts bulletin to include Tables:

- J1 Households and Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14 + S.15) Allocation of Primary Income Account;
- J2 Households and Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14 + S.15) Secondary Distribution Income Account;
- J3 Households and Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14 + S.15) Use of Disposable Income Account:
- K1 Private Non-Financial Corporations Sector (S.11002+S.11003) Allocation of Primary Income Account;
- K2 Private Non-Financial Corporations Sector (S.11002+S.11003) Secondary Distribution of Income Account and Capital Account;
- PH Per Head;
- AH UK sector accounts revisions from previous estimate.

In previous quarters, apart from the new PH table, these tables were previously published in the Quarterly National Accounts publication.

3. Things you need to know about this release

Understanding the sector and financial accounts

This bulletin presents UK aggregate data for the main economic indicators and summary estimates from the institutional sectors of the UK economy: private non-financial corporations, public corporations, financial corporations, central and local government and households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) as well as the rest of the world sector, that are presented in the UK Economic Accounts (UKEA) dataset.

This bulletin uses data from the UKEA. The UKEA provides detailed estimates of national product, income and expenditure, UK Sector Non-financial and Financial Accounts and UK Balance of Payments. These accounts are the underlying data that produce a single estimate of gross domestic product (GDP) using income, production and expenditure data.

The sector accounts are fully integrated, but with a statistical discrepancy, shown for each sector's account. This reflects the difference between a sector's net lending or net borrowing from the non-financial account and the net lending or net borrowing from the financial accounts, which should theoretically be equal but differ due to different data sources and measurement practices.

Comparability

Data in this bulletin are internationally comparable. The UK National Accounts are compiled in accordance with the <u>European System of Accounts (ESA 2010)</u>, under EU law. ESA 2010 is itself consistent with the standards set out in the United Nations <u>System of National Accounts 2008 (SNA 2008)</u>.

An explanation of the sectors and transactions described in this bulletin can be found in chapter 2 of the <u>European System of Accounts 2010 (ESA10)</u> manual.

Estimates within this release

Revisions in this bulletin are made in line with the <u>National Accounts Revisions Policy</u>. The earliest period open for revision in this release is Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2016.

All data within this bulletin are estimated in current prices (also called nominal prices), with the exception of real households and NPISH disposable income, which is estimated in chained volume measures.

Current price series are expressed in terms of the prices during the time period being estimated. In other words, they describe the prices recorded at the time of production or consumption and include the effect of price inflation over time. Chained volume measure price series (also known as real terms) remove the effect of price inflation.

All figures given in this bulletin are adjusted for seasonality, unless otherwise stated. Seasonal adjustment removes seasonal or calendar effects from data to enable more meaningful comparisons over time.

Population estimates published in this bulletin are consistent with those published on 23 June 2016 in the <u>Population Estimates for UK, England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland</u> publication.

Notices for this bulletin

We have identified a processing error in flows of UK corporate bonds. We are investigating the options for addressing the error and will publish further details and revised data as soon as possible. The series known to be directly affected are KLC5 and KLC8 (Bonds issued by UK MFIs and other UK residents). There will be knock-on impacts on bond asset flows and higher-level aggregates.

In the publication of 23 December 2016, it was stated that the tables in the UK Economic Accounts do not contain the most recent data for inventory holding gains for financial corporations and private non-financial corporations for 2015 onwards due to late processing of these data. Data for 2016 has now been updated for this publication, the UK Economic Accounts published on 31 March 2017. Data for 2015 will be updated in the publication on 29 September 2017.

Real households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) disposable income (RHDI) explained

Households and NPISH income is measured in 2 ways: in current prices (also called nominal prices) and in real terms, where the effect of price inflation is removed.

Gross households and NPISH disposable income (GDI) is the estimate of the total amount of money from income that households and NPISH have available; that is, from wages received, revenue of the self-employed, social benefits and net income (such as interest on savings and dividends from shares) less taxes on income and wealth. All the components that make up GDI are estimated in current prices. In other words, gross disposable income tells us how much income households and NPISH have to spend, save or invest in the time period being measured (quarter or year) once taxes on income and wealth have been paid.

By adjusting GDI to remove the effects of inflation, we are able to estimate another useful measure of disposable income called real households and NPISH disposable income (RHDI). This is a measure of the real purchasing power of households and NPISH incomes, in terms of the physical quantity of goods and services they would be able to purchase if prices remained constant over time. To remove the effect of price changes on the current price GDI data we use the most relevant National Accounts price deflator: the households and NPISH final consumption implied deflator. This divides total current price households and NPISH final consumption by total chained volume measure households and NPISH final consumption to derive a price index.

GDI is then divided by this price index to remove the effects of price inflation. In other words, RHDI enables a comparison over time of how much households and NPISH have to spend, save or invest once taxes on income have been paid, by supposing a given amount of money could buy the same amount of goods and services in each time period.

The households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) saving ratio explained

The saving ratio estimates the amount of money households and NPISH have available to save (known as gross saving) as a percentage of their total disposable income (known as total available resources).

Gross saving estimates the difference between households and NPISH total available resources (mainly wages received, revenue of the self-employed, social benefits and net income such as interest on savings and dividends from shares, but excluding taxes on income and wealth) and their current consumption (expenditure on goods and services).

The saving ratio is published in the UK Economic Accounts (UKEA) as non-seasonally adjusted (NSA) and seasonally adjusted (SA) formats, with the latter removing seasonal effects to allow comparisons over time.

The saving ratio can be volatile and is sensitive to even relatively small movements to its components, particularly on a quarterly basis. This is because gross saving is a small difference between 2 numbers. It is therefore often revised at successive publications when new or updated data are included.

The saving ratio is considered to be an indicator of households and NPISH confidence. A higher saving ratio may be the result of an increase in income, a decrease in expenditure, or some combination of the two. A rise in the saving ratio may be an indication that households are acting more cautiously by spending less. Conversely, a fall in the saving ratio may be an indication that households are more confident and spending more. Other factors such as interest rates and inflation should also be considered when interpreting the households and NPISH saving ratio.

Reliability

Estimates for the most recent quarters are provisional and are subject to revision in the light of updated source information. Our <u>revisions to economic statistics</u> page brings together our work on revisions analysis, linking to articles and revisions policies.

Revisions to data provide one indication of the reliability of main indicators. Revisions triangles are published on our website for the <u>households and non-profit institutions serving households saving ratio</u>.

Who uses these data?

The data used in this bulletin have a broad range of users. They are widely used by government departments to inform and monitor the effect of policy decisions. The data also aid assessments of the economy: such as informing the Bank of England's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) when setting monetary policy and the Office for Budget Responsibility's (OBR) forecasts and evaluations of economic growth and public sector finances. Theoretical and policy debate is also supported by UKEA data at knowledge and research institutions such as think-tanks, lobby groups and universities by researchers, analysts, academics and students. In addition, trade organisations use the sector accounts to further their understanding of their respective industry.

4. The households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) saving ratio continued to fall in 2016

In Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016, the households and NPISH saving ratio fell to 3.3% from 5.3% in Quarter 3 (July to Sept) 2016. This was the lowest quarterly saving ratio since comparable records began in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 1963.

Figure 1: UK households and non-profit institutions serving households quarterly saving ratio

Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2013 to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016

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Source: Office for National Statistics

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Q1 refers to Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar), Q2 refers to Quarter 2 (Apr to June), Q3 refers to Quarter 3 (July to Sept) and Q4 refers to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec).

The saving ratio fell in Quarter 4 2016 for 2 main reasons.

Firstly, there was an increase in final consumption expenditure of £4.2 billion, which means that households spent more than in the previous quarter.

Secondly, there were falls in property income for investment income attributable to insurance policy holders and investment income payable on pension entitlements. To clarify, "property income" is not income generated from holdings of physical assets such as buildings, as the name might suggest. Rather, it is primarily investment income on financial assets and natural resources such as shares, loans, bonds and land.

In this case, it is the income on the investments that insurance companies and pension funds make on behalf of those holding insurance policies and pensions. A significant proportion of those holding insurance policies and the vast majority of those with pensions are in the household sector, so the income from these investments is treated as households' income in the National Accounts. For a further explanation, please refer to the How insurance and pensions data affect the household saving ratio and GDP section of this bulletin.

In Quarter 4 2016, investment income attributable to insurance policy holders and investment income payable on pension entitlements fell by £4.1 billion; this had a downward impact on the saving ratio. This could partly be due to the fact that insurance companies and pension funds have shown significant disinvestment in shares in 2016 as we published in MQ5: Investment by Insurance Companies, Pension Funds and Trusts: Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016 on 16 March 2017. Some of the income from the sale of shares was reinvested in government bonds (gilts), which generally generate lower returns. The rest may have been held as deposits. This shift in investment portfolios may have been at least part of the cause of the lower investment income for these companies in late 2016.

The rise in final consumption expenditure and fall in net property income were partially offset by a rise in wages and salaries of £1.1 billion, a rise in gross operating surplus and mixed income of £0.5 billion and a fall in taxes on income and wealth of £0.2 billion.

Gross operating surplus is the income earned from the capital factor in production. It represents output less the costs of goods and services consumed in the creation of the output, and less compensation of employees. Mixed income is a combination of income from labour and income on capital (which is difficult to separate) paid to households as the owners of unincorporated businesses and as self-employed workers.

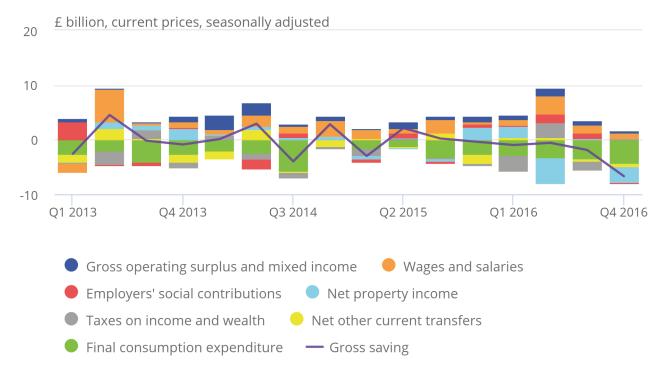
Figure 2 shows the quarterly changes in the values of the transactions that comprise the saving ratio.

Figure 2: UK households and non-profit institutions serving households main quarterly saving ratio components

Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2013 to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016

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In 2016, the households and NPISH saving ratio was 5.2%, compared with 6.5% in 2015. This was the lowest annual saving ratio since comparable records began in 1963.

The fall in the saving ratio in 2016 reflects a rise in final consumption expenditure of £47.5 billion and a rise in taxes on income and wealth of £7.9 billion. This was partially offset by a rise in wages and salaries of £24.9 billion and a rise in gross operating surplus and mixed income of £14.6 billion.

For a further explanation of how the saving ratio is calculated, please refer to the Things you need to know about this release section of this bulletin.

5. Real households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) disposable income (RHDI) fell in successive quarters at the end of 2016

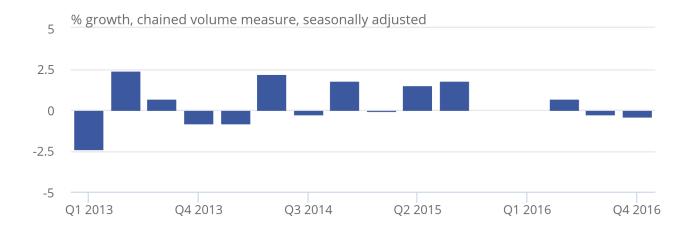
The level of real households and NPISH disposable income (RHDI) fell by 0.4% in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016, following a decrease of 0.3% in the previous quarter. This represents 2 successive quarters of falling RHDI for the first time since Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2014.

Figure 3: UK real households and non-profit institutions serving households disposable income, quarter-on-quarter

Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2013 to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016

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The fall in RHDI of 0.4% in Quarter 4 2016 was due to an increase in nominal gross disposable income of 0.2% together with a rise in the households and NPISH final consumption deflator of 0.6%.

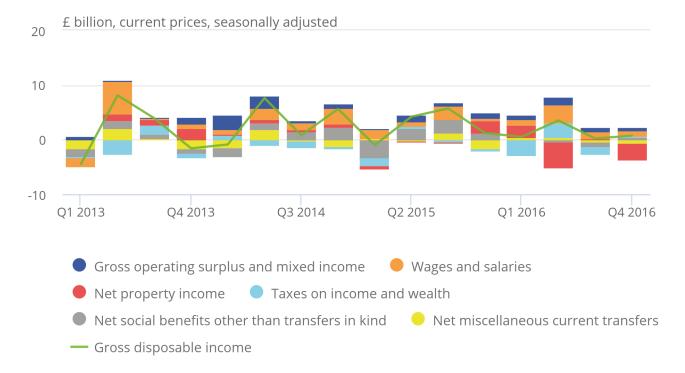
The increase in nominal gross disposable income was due to a rise in wages and salaries of £1.1 billion, gross operating surplus and mixed income of £0.5 billion and net social benefits other than transfers in kind of £0.5 billion. This was partially offset by a fall in net property income of £3.0 billion, a fall in net current transfers of £0.6 billion and a rise in taxes on income and wealth of £0.2 billion.

Figure 4: UK households and non-profit institutions serving households main quarterly gross disposable income components

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In 2016, RHDI increased by 1.5% following an increase of 3.6% in 2015. This was due to a 2.6% rise in nominal gross disposable income partially offset by a rise of 1.1% in the households and NPISH final consumption deflator.

This weaker increase in nominal gross disposable income in 2016 was predominantly due to rises in wages and salaries of £24.9 billion (compared with £29.3 billion for 2015), gross operating surplus and mixed income of £14.6 billion, net social benefits other than transfers in kind of £9.5 billion along with a fall in net property income of £1.6 billion (compared with a rise of £1.6 billion for 2015). This was partially offset by a rise in taxes on income and wealth of £7.9 billion.

Real households and NPISH disposable income (RHDI) per head

We also measure RHDI on a per head basis to remove the effect of changes in the size of the population from RHDI growth.

In Quarter 4 2016, RHDI per head decreased by 0.6%, following a decrease of 0.5% in the previous quarter. There was no growth in gross disposable income per head in Quarter 4 2016, following a decrease of 0.1% in Quarter 3 2016.

In 2016, RHDI per head increased by 0.8%, following an increase of 2.8% in 2015. Gross disposable income per head increased by 1.9% in 2016, following an increase of 3.1% in 2015.

For an explanation of real households and NPISH disposable income, please refer to the Things you need to know about this release section of this bulletin.

6. There was a high value of merger and acquisition activity in 2016

During 2016 there have been numerous large acquisitions of UK companies by foreign investors, most notably in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016.

Takeovers such as these feed through the accounts in 4 main stages. First, when the foreign company acquires the UK company, there is an outflow of listed share assets from the original shareholders representing the sale of the company. There is also an inflow of listed share assets to the rest of the world representing the purchase of the company; this is outweighed by the outflow when the company is delisted in the third stage.

Second, the acquiring company pays the existing shareholders for their shares either by cash or shares in their own company, or a mix of the two. If it were left in bank accounts, cash might appear as an inflow in currency and deposits, while shares would, in this case, be issued by the rest of the world. This part of the transaction is particularly hard to track in the National Accounts. For example, investors receiving shares may have an option to cash them in. They may spend the proceeds from the sale of their shares during the same quarter in which they receive them on final consumption, or on another financial asset.

Third, the acquired company is delisted. This creates an outflow of listed share liabilities from the relevant sector (in this case, private non-financial corporations) and a matching outflow of rest of the world assets.

Fourth, the acquired company becomes an unlisted share asset of the new owner (in this case, the rest of the world sector). The company being taken over (which in this case belongs to the private non-financial corporations sector) holds the unlisted shares liability. This represents the obligation that the acquired company has to pass profits to the new parent company.

In practice, we capture the different parts of the acquisition through a mix of surveys and administrative data. The acquisition also takes place against the usual backdrop of other financial transactions. This makes it difficult to isolate the exact details of the deal in the National Accounts. For Quarter 4 2016, there are large statistical discrepancies that reflect unallocated flows, which have yet to feed through some of our other survey and administrative data. As more data and information becomes available on the nature of the deal, we expect these unallocated flows to be captured correctly, which will naturally lead to a reduction for the statistical discrepancies for Quarter 4 2016.

For further information about recent UK mergers and acquisitions, please refer to <u>Mergers and acquisitions</u> involving UK companies: Oct to Dec 2016 published on 7 March 2017 and <u>accompanying short article</u>.

7. Which sectors were net lenders or net borrowers?

In Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016, the central government, local government, financial corporations and households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) sectors were net borrowers. The public corporations, private non-financial corporations and rest of the world sectors were net lenders.

In Quarter 4 2016, the public corporations sector switched from being small net borrowers to small net lenders, compared with the previous quarter. There were no other switches between net lending and borrowing by sector in Quarter 4 2016 compared with the previous quarter.

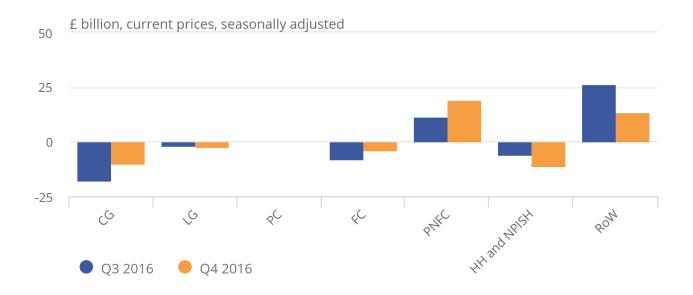
On a quarterly basis, households and NPISH net borrowing of £11.1 billion in Quarter 4 2016 is the highest net borrowing recorded by the sector since comparable records began in 1987. In Quarter 4 2016, central government net borrowing of £10.2 billion was the lowest net borrowing recorded by this sector since Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2007, when it was £9.7 billion.

Figure 5: UK quarterly net lending (+) and net borrowing (-) by sector

Quarter 3 (July to Sept) 2016 to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016

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Quarter 3 (July to Sept) 2016 to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016



Source: Office for National Statistics

Notes:

1. CG - Central government

LG - Local government

PC - Public corporations

FC - Financial corporations

PNFC - Private non-financial corporations

RoW - Rest of the world

Table 1: Quarterly net lending (+) and net borrowing (-) by sector, UK, Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2016

£ billion, current prices, seasonally adjusted

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	Q1 2016 (Q2 2016	Q3 2016	Q4 2016
Central government	-12.8	-15.3	-17.7	-10.2
Local government	-2.9	-1.1	-1.7	-2.2
Public corporations	0.6	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Financial corporations	-9.4	-9.2	-8.0	-3.9
Private non-financial corporations	5.0	11.5	11.5	19.1
Households and NPISH	-2.6	-3.1	-5.9	-11.1
Rest of the world	25.3	21.3	26.5	13.4

Source: Office for National Statistics

In 2016, the central government, local government, financial corporations and households and NPISH sectors were net borrowers. The public corporations, private non-financial corporations and rest of the world sectors were net lenders.

The composition of net lending and borrowing across the economy by sector remained the same in 2016 as it was in 2015.

On an annual basis, there are a few main points of interest. In 2016, households and NPISH net borrowing was £22.8 billion, the highest net borrowing recorded by the sector since comparable records began in 1987. In 2016, financial corporations' net borrowing of £30.6 billion was the highest net borrowing recorded by the sector since 2002, when it was £41.7 billion. In 2016, central government net borrowing of £56.2 billion was the lowest net borrowing recorded by the sector since 2007, when it was £41.1 billion.

Table 2: Quarterly net lending (+) and net borrowing (-) by sector, UK, 2015 to 2016

£ billion, current prices, seasonally adjusted

	2015	2016
Central government	-76.6	-56.2
Local government	-3.5	-7.8
Public corporations	0.8	0.5
Financial corporations	-27.1	-30.6
Private non-financial corporations	32.7	47.1
Households and NPISH	-2.8	-22.8
Rest of the world	81.3	86.5

Source: Office for National Statistics

Central government

In Quarter 4 2016, central government net borrowing was £10.2 billion, following net borrowing of £17.7 billion in the previous quarter. This decrease in net borrowing was because of rises in taxes on production of £3.3 billion, net property income of £3.3 billion and net other current transfers of £1.6 billion. This was partially offset by a fall in net capital transfers of £1.3 billion and rises in final consumption expenditure of £0.6 billion and an increase in subsidies paid of £0.5 billion.

In 2016, central government net borrowing was £56.2 billion, following net borrowing of £76.7 billion in 2015. This decrease in net borrowing was mainly due to rises in taxes on production of £11.2 billion, taxes on income and wealth of £8.9 billion, net social contributions of £8.9 billion and net other current transfers of £7.4 billion. This was partially offset by rises in final consumption expenditure of £6.5 billion, net social benefits other than transfers in kind of £3.0 billion and a fall in net property income of £2.8 billion.

Of the increase in taxes on production of £11.2 billion, £5.0 billion is attributable to a rise in Value Added Tax (VAT) receipts. A further £5.7 billion of the increase is attributable to an increase in taxes on products excluding VAT and import taxes, which includes tax revenue collected from Stamp Duty and the Insurance Premium Tax.

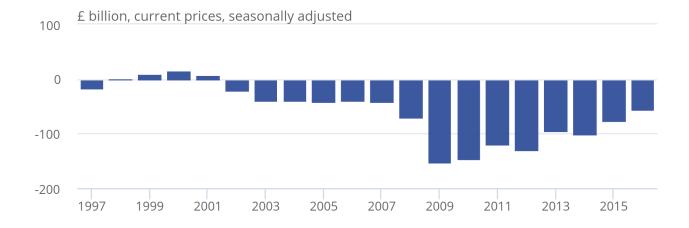
In April 2016, the rate of Stamp Duty Land Tax on purchases of additional residential properties increased by 3 percentage points. Likewise, in November 2015, the standard rate of Insurance Premium Tax increased from 6% to 9.5% and increased to 10% from October 2016. The increases in these tax rates may have contributed to the strong rise in the value of taxes on products excluding VAT and import taxes during 2016.

Figure 6: UK central government annual net lending (+) and net borrowing (-)

1997 to 2016

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1997 to 2016



Source: Office for National Statistics

Local government

In Quarter 4 2016, local government net borrowing was £2.2 billion, following net borrowing of £1.7 billion in the previous quarter. This increase in net borrowing was mainly due to a fall in net other current transfers of £0.6 billion and rise of gross capital formation of £0.5 billion, partially offset by other small changes throughout the accounts.

In 2016, local government net borrowing was £7.8 billion, following net borrowing of £3.5 billion in 2015. This increase in net borrowing was mainly due to a fall in other current transfers of £7.5 billion, offset by a rise in other current taxes of £1.4 billion and a rise in net capital transfers of £1.2 billion.

Public corporations

In Quarter 4 2016, public corporations' net lending was £48 million, following net borrowing of £44 million in the previous quarter. This switch to net lending was due mainly to a fall in acquisitions less disposals of non-produced non-financial assets of £0.2 billion, partially offset by a rise in gross capital formation of £0.1 billion.

Historically, the public corporations sector has tended to be a net lender of funds to the economy on a quarterly basis, however, they were small net borrowers in Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2016 and Quarter 3 (July to Sept) 2016.

In 2016, public corporations' net lending was £0.5 billion, following net lending of £0.8 billion in 2015. This decrease in net lending was due mainly to a rise in acquisitions less disposals of non-produced non-financial assets of £0.7 billion and a fall in net capital transfers of £0.4 billion. This was partially offset by a rise in gross operating surplus of £0.6 billion and a fall in gross capital formation of £0.1 billion.

Financial corporations

In Quarter 4 2016, financial corporations' net borrowing was £3.9 billion, following net borrowing of £8.0 billion in the previous quarter. This decrease in net borrowing was due mostly to a rise in net property income of £3.5 billion and a fall of gross capital formation of £2.0 billion, partially offset by a fall in net social contributions of £2.9 billion and gross operating surplus of £1.1 billion.

In 2016, financial corporations' net borrowing was £30.6 billion, following net borrowing of £27.1 billion in 2015. This increase in net borrowing was due largely to falls in gross operating surplus of £3.4 billion and net property income of £1.3 billion, partially offset by rises in net social contributions of £5.4 billion and net other current transfers of £1.6 billion.

Private non-financial corporations (PNFCs)

In Quarter 4 2016, PNFCs' net lending was £19.1 billion, following net lending of £11.5 billion in the previous quarter. This increase was due mainly to falls in gross capital formation of £4.7 billion and a rise in gross operating surplus of £3.9 billion, partially offset by a rise in taxes on income of £0.9 billion and a fall in net property income of £0.3 billion.

In 2016, PNFCs' net lending was £47.1 billion, following net lending of £32.7 billion in 2015. This increase was because of a rise in gross operating surplus of £9.8 billion and a rise in net property income of £8.7 billion, partially offset by a rise in taxes on income of £2.4 billion and a rise in gross capital formation of £1.6 billion.

Households and NPISH

In Quarter 4 2016, households and NPISH net borrowing was £11.1 billion, following net borrowing of £5.9 billion in the previous quarter. This increase was due mainly to a rise in final consumption expenditure of £4.2 billion and falls in net property income of £3.0 billion and net other current transfers of £0.6 billion. This was partially offset by rises in net social contributions of £2.3 billion and wages and salaries of £1.1 billion and a fall in gross capital formation of £1.7 billion.

In 2016, households and NPISH net borrowing was £22.8 billion. This was the largest net borrowing for households and NPISH recorded since comparable records began in 1987 and follows net borrowing of £2.8 billion in 2015. This increase was predominantly due to rises in final consumption expenditure of £47.5 billion, taxes on income and wealth of £7.9 billion and gross capital formation of £4.9 billion. and a fall in net social contributions of £14.8 billion. This was partially offset by rises in compensation of employees of £24.9 billion and gross operating surplus and mixed income of £14.6 billion.

Rest of the world

In Quarter 4 2016, rest of the world net lending was £13.4 billion, following net lending of £26.5 billion in the previous quarter. This decrease was due mainly to a fall in the external balances of goods and services of £10.0 billion and a fall in net property income of £3.3 billion, partially offset by a rise in net capital transfers of £1.4 billion.

In 2016, rest of the world net lending was £86.5 billion, following net lending of £81.3 billion in 2015. This increase was due mainly to an increase in the external balances of goods and services of £7.2 billion, partially offset by a fall in net property income of £2.8 billion.

Further details of the UK Balance of Payments position can be found in the Balance of Payments bulletin.

8. Links to related statistics

The balance of payments summarises the economic transactions of the UK with the rest of the world. Further detail relating to the rest of the world sector can be found in the Balance of Payments bulletin.

Further detail about households and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) final consumption expenditure, including a breakdown of households' spending by product, can be found in the Consumer trends bulletin.

A detailed breakdown of the components of gross domestic product (GDP) including the third estimate of quarterly GDP growth can be found in the Quarterly National Accounts bulletin.

We also publish a <u>"cash-based" measure of households and NPISH disposable income (RHDI) and the saving ratio</u>. This is an <u>Experimental Statistic</u> that estimates RHDI and the saving ratio less the transactions that are imputed and unobserved by households. The data for these statistics are updated around 2 weeks after the publication of this Quarterly Sector Accounts bulletin; the latest available "cash based" RHDI and saving ratio are consistent with National Accounts data published on 23 December 2016.

9. Upcoming changes to this bulletin

This Quarterly Sector Accounts bulletin is currently the subject of a review by the UK Statistics Authority to determine its designation as a National Statistic. <u>National Statistics</u> are produced to high professional standards set out in the <u>UK Statistics Authority's Code of Practice for Official Statistics</u>. They undergo regular quality assurance reviews to ensure that they meet customer needs. They are produced free from any political interference.

From 30 September 2017, this bulletin and its associated dataset, the UK Economic Accounts, will present separate estimates for the households sector and the non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) sector. Currently, these 2 sectors are presented as though they are 1 sector, households and NPISH. More detailed analysis of these sectors will therefore be possible. This work is part of the scope of methodological improvements being introduced as part of "UK National Accounts: The Blue Book: 2017 edition" due to be published on 31 October 2017.

10. Quality and methodology

We are currently developing the Quarterly Sector Accounts bulletin Quality and Methodology Information document. This will be published shortly and will contain important information on:

- the strengths and limitations of the data and how it compares with related data
- · uses and users of the data
- · how the output was created
- the quality of the output including the accuracy of the data

The Quarterly Sector Accounts and the UK Economic Accounts are published at quarterly, pre-announced intervals alongside the Quarterly National Accounts and Quarterly Balance of Payments statistical bulletins.

11. How insurance and pensions data affect the household saving ratio and GDP

The activities of pension funds and insurance companies have an effect on household savings and expenditure. Yet these effects are not always directly observed by households. This section explains these interactions, as well as how insurance data affect the estimates of goods and services produced within the economy (gross domestic product, or GDP).

Pensions and saving

Individuals are the only beneficiaries of pensions. As such, pension assets can only be owned by households, and individuals living abroad. Since pension assets are an important part of an individual's savings, changes to the amount of assets pension companies hold have a direct impact on the household savings ratio.

A pension fund can grow through contributions from individuals and employers or from income the fund earns on its investments. The contributions represent a transfer from households to pension funds, but the money, minus a fee for the services a pension fund provides, remains the asset of the household and is considered to be savings in the National Accounts. Any investment income the fund makes using these assets then grows the household's level of savings.

Pension fund assets can also decrease when the fund pays pension benefits or if its investments lose money. These actions impact on the savings ratio by pulling down household savings.

Insurance and households

Insurance has 2 effects on the household savings ratio through savings and expenditure. As with pensions, any funds an insurance company holds to cover potential claims are the assets of households: they're held by the insurance company until such time as a household needs the money.

Like pensions, these funds grow when the fund makes money on its investments or when households pay into them through premiums. And they can shrink when insurance companies pay out claims or, in the case of life insurance, when they increase the reserves for future payments to households.

Changes to these factors have an effect on household savings and, as a result, on the savings ratio.

The second effect, on household expenditure, comes from the output of insurance companies. For general insurance this is calculated as premiums minus claims plus investment income from the funds held on behalf of policyholders. Life assurance companies have the same equation, minus any funds they put aside for future benefit payments.

When an insurance company's output grows, that output has to be consumed. Part of it is consumed by companies who need insurance to carry out their activities. The rest is consumed by other insurance customers: individuals, and customers abroad. Within the expenditure approach to measuring GDP, these are respectively household final consumption and exports of services, both positive entries. As such, when insurance companies' output grows, then consumption, be it by companies, private individuals or customers outside the UK, also grows, although not necessarily all at the same rate. The income approach to GDP is also affected through changes in operating surplus, reflecting the profits made by companies producing insurance services.

The impact on insurance within the output approach to GDP is not wholly reflected in the same way as the expenditure and income measures, as direct volume measures on the numbers of insurance policies are used based on data from the Association of British Insurers.

Summary

In summary, insurance companies and pension funds affect the savings ratio by altering household savings and, for insurance companies, their consumption and are reflected across the 3 approaches to GDP. These effects in the National Accounts are relatively technical in nature and are not necessarily observed by households.

Net lending (+) / net borrowing (-) by sector from the capital account

£ million

	Capital Account												
		Net lending (+) / Net borrowing (-) by sector ¹											
		Corporations General government		Households & Non-profit									
		Non-financial						institutions serving	Rest of				
	Public	Private	Total	Financial	Central	Local	Total	households	the World				
	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N				
	CPCM	DTAL	EABO	NHCQ	NMFJ	NMOE	NNBK	NSSZ	NHRB				
2013	2 925	31 134	34 059	-15 067	-94 514	<i>−</i> 4 959	-99 473	3 567	76 914				
2014	947	32 996	33 943	-17 939	-101 855	115	-101 740	323	85 413				
2015	798	32 728	33 526	-27 061	-76 675	-3 510	-80 185	-2 827	81 345				
2016	500	47 100	47 600	-30 637	-56 150	−7 846	-63 996	-22 813	86 457				
Seasonally adju	sted												
	RQBN	RQBV	RQAW	RPYN	RPYH	RQAJ	RPZD	RPZT	RQCH				
2013 Q3	657	3 457	4 114	3 138	-27 867	-1 774	-29 641	1 866	20 523				
Q4	611	3 551	4 162	-2 841	-27 241	-1 939	-29 180	995	26 864				
2014 Q1	573	9 327	9 900	-1 162	-30 175	802	-29 373	-592	21 227				
Q2	95	5 946	6 041	-2 290	-24 930	1 588	-23 342	2 211	17 380				
Q3	30	12 171	12 201	-3 591	-27 358	-897	-28 255	-2 035	21 680				
Q4	249	5 552	5 801	-10 896	-19 392	–1 378	-20 770	739	25 126				
2015 Q1	474	8 431	8 905	-8 070	-18 295	-746	-19 041	-2 164	21 108				
Q2	188	9 458	9 646	-6 069	-18 667	-484	-19 151	<i>–</i> 777	17 420				
Q3	63	9 671	9 734	−2 195	-21 188	-1 510	-22 698	16	16 366				
Q4	73	5 168	5 241	-10 727	-18 525	-770	-19 295	98	26 451				
2016 Q1	586	4 951	5 537	-9 415	-12 842	-2 901	-15 743	-2 612	25 289				
Q2	-90	11 518	11 428	-9 248	-15 344	-1 080	-16 424	-3 110	21 258				
Q3	-44	11 514	11 470	-8 040	-17 715	-1 660	-19 375	-5 946	26 461				
Q4	48	19 117	19 165	-3 934	-10 249	-2 205	-12 454	-11 145	13 449				

¹ The sum of net lending by sector is equal (but opposite sign) to the residual error between the expenditure and income based estimates of GDP.

Households & Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14+S.15) Allocation of Primary Income Account (II.1.2)

-			Resources				Uses		£ million
							<u> </u>		Sector
	Gross operating surplus including gross mixed income	Wages and salaries	Employees Employers' social contributions	Property income received	Total resources	Property income paid	Balance of gross primary incomes	Total uses	share of gross national income (per cent)
	B.2g+B.3g	D.11	D.12	D.4	TR	D.4	B.5g	TU	
2013 2014 2015 2016	NRJN 256 483 278 330 289 296 303 892	ROYJ 717 359 741 947 771 252 796 167	ROYK 161 370 156 925 156 806 166 197	ROYL 165 365 184 269 185 358 183 183	ROYR 1 300 577 1 361 471 1 402 712 1 449 439	ROYT 22 097 27 612 27 144 26 531	ROYS 1 278 480 1 333 859 1 375 568 1 422 908	ROYR 1 300 577 1 361 471 1 402 712 1 449 439	NRJH 73.9 74.2 74.5 74.2
Seasonally a	ndjusted								
2013 Q3 Q4	64 022 65 113	180 756 181 633	39 911 40 239	41 398 42 746	326 087 329 731	5 354 4 651	320 733 325 080	326 087 329 731	73.7 74.6
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	67 664 69 814 70 100 70 752	182 470 184 617 185 952 188 908	40 160 38 374 39 251 39 140	44 402 46 441 46 586 46 840	334 696 339 246 341 889 345 640	6 021 7 431 7 223 6 937	328 675 331 815 334 666 338 703	334 696 339 246 341 889 345 640	74.2 73.6 73.9 74.8
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	70 962 72 111 72 674 73 549	190 715 191 661 194 257 194 619	38 620 39 492 39 037 39 657	45 792 45 977 45 562 48 027	346 089 349 241 351 530 355 852	6 574 6 935 6 782 6 853	339 515 342 306 344 748 348 999	346 089 349 241 351 530 355 852	74.4 73.6 73.9 76.1
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	74 346 75 817 76 626 77 103	195 623 198 907 200 253 201 384	39 751 41 375 42 604 42 467	49 689 45 621 45 616 42 257	359 409 361 720 365 099 363 211	6 334 6 966 6 772 6 459	353 075 354 754 358 327 356 752	359 409 361 720 365 099 363 211	75.9 74.5 74.3 72.4
Percentage of	change, latest year on p	revious year							
2013 2014 2015 2016	KHI6 2.4 8.5 3.9 5.0	KGQ2 3.2 3.4 3.9 3.2	KGQ5 4.0 -2.8 -0.1 6.0	KGQ8 -2.2 11.4 0.6 -1.2	KH9T 2.4 4.7 3.0 3.3	KGQ9 -13.7 25.0 -1.7 -2.3	KGO6 2.8 4.3 3.1 3.4	KH9T 2.4 4.7 3.0 3.3	
Percentage of	change, latest quarter or	n previous quart	er						
2013 Q3 Q4	KHI7 0.3 1.7	KGQ3 0.2 0.5	KGQ6 -1.5 0.8	KGR4 0.8 3.3	KH9V 0.1 1.1	KGR5 -9.4 -13.1	KGO8 0.2 1.4	KH9V 0.1 1.1	
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	3.9 3.2 0.4 0.9	0.5 1.2 0.7 1.6	-0.2 -4.4 2.3 -0.3	3.9 4.6 0.3 0.5	1.5 1.4 0.8 1.1	29.5 23.4 –2.8 –4.0	1.1 1.0 0.9 1.2	1.5 1.4 0.8 1.1	
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	0.3 1.6 0.8 1.2	1.0 0.5 1.4 0.2	-1.3 2.3 -1.2 1.6	-2.2 0.4 -0.9 5.4	0.1 0.9 0.7 1.2	-5.2 5.5 -2.2 1.0	0.2 0.8 0.7 1.2	0.1 0.9 0.7 1.2	
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	1.1 2.0 1.1 0.6	0.5 1.7 0.7 0.6	0.2 4.1 3.0 -0.3	3.5 -8.2 - -7.4	1.0 0.6 0.9 -0.5	-7.6 10.0 -2.8 -4.6	1.2 0.5 1.0 -0.4	1.0 0.6 0.9 -0.5	
Percentage of	change, latest quarter or	n corresponding	quarter of previou	us year					
2013 Q3 Q4	KHI8 2.1 3.5	KGQ4 3.0 3.2	KGQ7 1.3 7.3	KGR8 -1.0 8.3	KH9X 2.1 4.4	KGR9 -7.5 -16.4	KGP2 2.2 4.7	KH9X 2.1 4.4	
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	6.5 9.4 9.5 8.7	4.6 2.3 2.9 4.0	-1.3 -5.3 -1.7 -2.7	10.6 13.1 12.5 9.6	5.0 4.1 4.8 4.8	-2.6 25.7 34.9 49.2	5.1 3.7 4.3 4.2	5.0 4.1 4.8 4.8	
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	4.9 3.3 3.7 4.0	4.5 3.8 4.5 3.0	-3.8 2.9 -0.5 1.3	3.1 -1.0 -2.2 2.5	3.4 2.9 2.8 3.0	9.2 -6.7 -6.1 -1.2	3.3 3.2 3.0 3.0	3.4 2.9 2.8 3.0	
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	4.8 5.1 5.4 4.8	2.6 3.8 3.1 3.5	2.9 4.8 9.1 7.1	8.5 -0.8 0.1 -12.0	3.8 3.6 3.9 2.1	-3.7 0.4 -0.1 -5.7	4.0 3.6 3.9 2.2	3.8 3.6 3.9 2.1	

Households & Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14+S.15) Secondary Distribution of Income Account (II.2)

£ million Use Resources Social Social Real Households benefits benefits households other Current other & NPISH disposable Balance of than taxes on Net than expendituincome: at Social Other Other Gross gross social income. social social re implied chained primary contribtransfers current Total wealth contritransfers current disposable deflator volume (2013=100)incomes utions in kind transfers resources etc butions in kind transfers income Total uses measures D 5 D 7 TU B.5g D.612 D 62 D 7 TR D.61 D.62 B.6g **ROYS** L8RG **RPHL RPHM RPHP RPHR RPHU RPIA RPIB RPHQ RPHP YBFS** NRJR 2013 1 278 480 561 332 008 70 617 681 666 195 544 276 162 1 057 47 361 161 542 1 681 666 100.0 1 161 542 1 733 458 2014 1 333 859 334 718 200 060 288 584 1 089 44 511 199 214 1 733 458 1 179 176 64 288 101.7 2015 1 375 568 559 345 384 63 979 1 785 490 209 519 283 110 1 055 45 164 246 642 1 785 490 102 0 1 222 115 2016 1 422 908 565 354 881 63 206 1 841 560 217 461 297 950 1 061 45 529 1 279 559 1 841 560 103.2 1 240 450 Seasonally adjusted 2013 Q3 150 84 012 18 734 423 629 48 404 68 235 274 11 941 294 775 423 629 100.4 293 721 325 080 132 83 123 17 270 425 605 49 330 70 885 256 11 981 293 153 425 605 100.6 291 349 2014 Q1 328 675 150 81 444 15 094 425 363 48 527 73 042 274 11 217 292 303 425 363 101.1 289 135 431 780 49 553 70 733 431 780 82 664 280 11 331 101.5 Q2 331 815 156 17 145 299 883 295 571 16 769 50 790 72 746 Q3 334 666 136 84 107 435 678 260 11 183 300 699 435 678 102.1 294 641 51 190 Ω4 338 703 151 86 503 15 280 440 637 72 063 275 10 780 306 329 440 637 102.2 299 828 2015 Q1 339 515 128 83 216 15 909 438 768 52 444 69 537 252 11 212 305 323 438 768 101.9 299 577 Q₂ 342 306 159 85 349 15 638 443 452 52 046 70 393 283 11 184 309 546 443 452 101.8 303 971 449 706 344 748 87 835 449 706 315 267 Ω 3 146 16 977 52 324 70 501 270 11 344 1019 309 360 348 999 88 984 15 455 453 564 52 705 250 11 424 102.4 309 207 Q4 126 72 679 316 506 453 564 2016 Q1 353 075 15 621 457 970 55 582 11 211 317 017 457 970 102.5 141 89 133 73 895 265 309 188 Q2 354 754 142 88 879 16 126 459 901 52 997 74 906 266 11 258 320 474 459 901 102.9 311 501 Q3 358 327 146 88 207 15 783 462 463 54 516 75 710 270 11 291 320 676 462 463 103.3 310 466 Ω 4 356 752 136 88 662 15 676 461 226 54 366 73 439 260 11 769 321 392 461 226 103.9 309 295 Percentage change, latest year on previous year KGT8 KGU7 KGP4 KJ5P KGO6 KGU3 KGU6 KH9Z KGT2 KH9Z KHI9 2013 2.8 1.8 -3.9 2.3 3.4 1.6 4.1 2.2 2.3 2.3 -0.1 2014 4.3 0.8 -9.03.1 2.3 4.5 -6.032 3.1 17 1.5 2015 3 1 3.2 -0.53.0 4.7 _1 9 1.5 40 3.0 0.3 3.6 2.7 3.8 2016 3.4 -1.23.1 5.2 0.8 2.6 3.1 1.1 1.5 Percentage change, latest quarter on previous quarter KGO8 KGU4 KGU8 KHA3 KGT4 KGT9 KGU9 KGP6 KHA3 KJ5Q KHJ2 2013 Q3 0.2 1.1 0.4 -3.5 -0.6 0.8 14 0.4 0.6 0.7 -7.8Q4 1.4 -1.10.5 1.9 3.9 0.3 -0.60.5 0.3 -0.82014 Q1 -2.0 -126 -0.1 3.0 -6.4 -0.3 0.5 -0.8 1.1 -1.6-0.1Q2 1.0 1.5 13.6 1.5 2.1 -3.2 1.0 2.6 1.5 0.4 2.2 Q3 -2.2 0.9 2.5 0.3 0.6 -0.3 Q4 1.2 2.8 -8.9 1.1 8.0 -0.9 -3.6 1.9 1.1 0.1 1.8 2015 Q1 0.2 -0.2-3.84.1 -0.42.4 -3.5 4.0 -0.3-0.4-0.10.8 2.6 -1.7-0.8 1.2 Q2 1.1 -0.21.4 1.1 -0.11.5 Q3 0.7 2.9 8.6 0.2 1.4 1.8 0.1 0.5 1.8 Ω4 1.2 1.3 -9.0 0.9 0.7 3.1 0.7 0.4 0.9 0.4 2016 Q1 1.2 0.2 1.1 1.0 5.5 1.7 -1.90.2 1.0 0.2 Q2 0.5 -0.3 3.2 -2.1 0.4 -4.7 1.4 0.4 1.1 0.40.3 0.7 2.9 Ω 3 1.0 -0.8 0.3 0.1 0.6 -0.3 11 0.40.5 -0.7-0.3 -0.3 4.2 0.2 -0.4 Q4 -0.4-3.0-0.30.6 Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year KGP8 KGP2 KGU5 KGV2 KHA5 KGT6 KGU2 KGV3 KHA5 KJ5R KHJ3 2013 Q3 2.2 3.0 -0.72.3 3.4 1.7 -0.647 29 23 27 0.2 4.7 9.3 2.1 2.2 Q4 -0.1-3.33.8 2.1 3.4 -0.12014 Q1 5.1 -0.4 -6.5 3.6 1.8 6.8 -3.2 3.6 1.5 3.7 -0.6 -7.22.4 3.0 -4.4Q2 -1.22.4 1.7 1.3 2.0 1.7 Q3 4.3 0.1 -10.52.8 4.9 -6.32.8 0.3 6.6 Q4 4.2 4.1 -11.53.5 3.8 1.7 -10.04.5 3.5 1.5 2.9 3.2 2.7 2015 Q1 3.3 2.2 5.4 8.1 -4.8 4.5 3.2 0.8 3.6 3.2 3.2 3.2 2.7 Q2 -8.8 5.0 -0.5 -1.30.4 2.8 Q3 3.0 4.4 1.2 3.2 3.0 -3.1 4.8 3.2 -0.1 5.0 2.9 2.9 2.9 Q4 3.0 3.0 0.9 6.0 3.3 0.2 3.1 7.1 2016 Q1 4.0 6.3 0.6 3.2 -1.84.4 6.0 3.8 4.4 0.7 3.5 1.7 Ω 2 3.6 4.1 3.1 3.7 1.8 6.4 3.7 1.0 2.5 -7.0 2.8 4.2 7.4 Q3 3.9 0.4 -0.5 2.8 1.3 0.4

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Households & Non Profit Institutions Serving Households Sector (S.14+S.15) Use of Disposable Income Account (II.4.1)

£ million

Resources Uses Adjustment for Households' saving ratio¹ Gross the change in Total Final disposable pension available consumption Gross entitlements Total uses income resources expenditure saving (per cent) B.6g D.8 TR P.31 B.8g TU RPQJ **RPQL** NRJS RPHO RPOK **RPQM RPOK** 2013 1 161 542 58 157 1 219 699 1 138 546 81 153 1 219 699 6.7 6.8 2014 1 199 214 69 963 1 269 177 1 182 902 86 275 1 269 177 2015 83 788 6.5 1 246 642 51 833 1 298 475 1 214 687 1 298 475 1 279 559 1 330 854 1 262 206 68 648 1 330 854 5.2 Seasonally adjusted 286 482 2013 Q3 294 775 13 257 308 032 21 550 308 032 7.0 293 153 309 714 289 102 20 612 309 714 16 561 6.7 2014 Q1 292 303 19 595 311 898 20 748 6.7 Q2 299 883 17 297 317 180 293 578 23 602 317 180 7.4 Q3 300 699 18 016 318 715 299 156 19 559 318 715 6.1 Q4 306 329 15 055 321 384 299 018 22 366 321 384 7.0 2015 Q1 305 323 14 584 319 907 300 532 19 375 319 907 6.1 21 482 Q2 309 546 13 675 323 221 301 739 323 221 6.6 Q3 315 267 11 299 326 566 304 906 21 660 326 566 Q4 316 506 12 275 328 781 307 510 21 271 328 781 6.5 2016 Q1 317 017 13 487 330 504 310 261 20 243 330 504 6 1 12 761 19 635 Q2 320 474 333 235 313 600 333 235 5.9 Q3 320 676 14 154 334 830 317 097 17 733 334 830 5.3 332 285 321 248 11 037 332 285 Percentage change, latest year on previous year KGP4 KHA7 KH7.I KHA7 2013 2.0 2.0 2.2 3.9 2014 3.2 4.1 3.9 4.1 4.0 2.7 2.5 3.9 2.5 Percentage change, latest quarter on previous quarter KGP6 KHA8 KH7K KHA8 2013 Q3 1.3 1.3 1.4 1.4 -0.6 0.5 0.9 0.5 2014 Q1 -0.3 0.7 0.7 0.7 Ω 2 2.6 1.7 0.8 1.7 Q3 0.5 0.3 1.9 0.5 1.9 8.0 Q4 0.8 2015 Q1 -0.3 -0.5 0.5 -0.5 Q2 1.4 1.0 0.4 1.0 Q3 1.8 1.0 1 0 1.0 Q4 0.4 0.7 0.9 0.7 2016 Q1 0.5 0.9 0.5 0.2 Q2 1.1 0.8 1.1 8.0 Q3 0.1 0.5 Q4 0.2 -0.8 1.3 -0.8 Percentage change, latest quarter on corresponding quarter of previous year KGP8 KH7L KHA9 KHA9 2013 Q3 2.0 Q4 2.1 4.0 4.0 4.0 2014 Q1 3 4 47 3.8 47 Ω 2 4.3 3.9 4.3 3.1 Q3 2.0 3.5 3.5 4.4 Q4 4.5 3.8 3.8 2015 Q1 4.5 2.6 3.2 2.6 Ω2 32 1.9 2.8 1.9 Q3 4.8 2.5 1.9 2.5 Q4 3.3 2.3 2.3 2.8 2016 Q1 3.8 3.3 3.2 3.3 3.9 3.5 3.1 Ω 3 17 25 40 25 Q4 1.5 1.1 4.5 1.1

¹ Saving as a percentage of total available resources.

Private Non-Financial Corporations Sector (S.11002+S.11003) Allocation of Primary Income Account (II.1.2)

£ million

		Gross	operating s	urnlus				Propert	v income n	avments		£ million
	Gross tradii		operating 3	ui pius		Property income payments						Share of
	Continental shelf companies	Others ¹	Rental of buildings	less Inventory holding gains ²	Gross operating surplus ¹ B.2g	Property income receipts	Total resources ^{1,3}	Total payments	of which Interest	of which Dividends D.421	Gross balance of primary incomes ¹ B.5g	gross national income ¹ (per cent)
2013 2014 2015 2016	CAGD 23 470 16 702 10 253 9 744	CAED 256 906 287 608 296 199 320 071	DTWR 26 806 26 773 26 271 26 293	DLRA 3 148 -626 -3 667 9 927	CAER 304 034 331 709 336 390 346 181	RPBM 83 883 77 527 67 759 77 287	RPBN 387 917 409 236 404 149 423 468	RPBP 173 845 181 222 173 670 174 494	ROCG 26 725 29 167 25 187 26 720	RVFT 103 570 109 673 111 280 103 415	RPBO 214 072 228 014 230 479 248 974	NRJL 12.4 12.6 12.5 13.0
Seasonally		020 07 1	20 200	0 027	010101	77 207	120 100	171101	20720	100 110	210071	10.0
2013 Q3 Q4	5 887 5 673	65 309 63 134	6 716 6 719	337 -112	77 575 75 638	20 235 21 088	97 810 96 726	45 361 44 241	6 457 6 357	27 758 25 769	52 449 52 485	12.0 12.0
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	5 173 4 494 3 679 3 356	67 721 70 981 77 047 71 859	6 697 6 683 6 681 6 712	-33 722 -461 -854	79 624 81 436 87 868 82 781	20 887 21 680 15 521 19 439	100 511 103 116 103 389 102 220	45 022 46 612 42 664 46 924	6 600 7 167 7 295 8 105	25 173 36 607 23 292 24 601	55 489 56 504 60 725 55 296	12.5 12.5 13.4 12.2
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	2 509 3 449 2 197 2 098	71 619 74 121 74 571 75 888	6 548 6 621 6 573 6 529	-2 469 -2 013 -733 1 548	83 145 86 204 84 074 82 967	19 705 18 728 14 359 14 967	102 850 104 932 98 433 97 934	46 172 43 981 38 815 44 702	6 385 6 394 6 334 6 074	27 005 28 120 25 944 30 211	56 678 60 951 59 618 53 232	12.4 13.1 12.8 11.6
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	2 620 2 072 2 363 2 689	76 316 79 192 80 482 84 081	6 440 6 557 6 602 6 694	98 1 548 4 063 4 218	85 278 86 273 85 384 89 246	14 878 17 639 21 295 23 475	100 156 103 912 106 679 112 721	46 467 42 189 41 664 44 174	6 832 6 553 6 631 6 704	29 762 24 317 22 988 26 348	53 689 61 723 65 015 68 547	11.5 13.0 13.5 13.9
Percentage	e change, latest	t year on p	revious yea	ar								
2013 2014 2015 2016	KH5C -7.0 -28.8 -38.6 -5.0	KH5F 8.2 12.0 3.0 8.1			KH59 6.4 9.1 1.4 2.9	KGR2 -3.1 -7.6 -12.6 14.1	KH9U 4.2 5.5 –1.2 4.8	KGR3 5.0 4.2 –4.2 0.5	KGS4 -8.8 9.1 -13.6 6.1	KGS7 -2.4 5.9 1.5 -7.1	KGO7 3.5 6.5 1.1 8.0	
Percentage	change, latest	t quarter o	n previous	quarter								
2013 Q3 Q4	KH5D 0.1 -3.6	KH5G 8.3 –3.3			KH5A 6.1 –2.5	KGR6 -12.5 4.2	KH9W 1.6 –1.1	KGR7 5.6 –2.5	KGS5 -4.9 -1.5	KGS8 12.0 -7.2	KGO9 -1.6 0.1	
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-8.8 -13.1 -18.1 -8.8	7.3 4.8 8.5 –6.7			5.3 2.3 7.9 –5.8	-1.0 3.8 -28.4 25.2	3.9 2.6 0.3 –1.1	1.8 3.5 -8.5 10.0	3.8 8.6 1.8 11.1	-2.3 45.4 -36.4 5.6	5.7 1.8 7.5 –8.9	
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-25.2 37.5 -36.3 -4.5	-0.3 3.5 0.6 1.8			0.4 3.7 -2.5 -1.3	1.4 -5.0 -23.3 4.2	0.6 2.0 -6.2 -0.5	-1.6 -4.7 -11.7 15.2	-21.2 0.1 -0.9 -4.1	9.8 4.1 -7.7 16.4	2.5 7.5 –2.2 –10.7	
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	24.9 -20.9 14.0 13.8	0.6 3.8 1.6 4.5			2.8 1.2 -1.0 4.5	-0.6 18.6 20.7 10.2	2.3 3.8 2.7 5.7	3.9 -9.2 -1.2 6.0	12.5 -4.1 1.2 1.1	-1.5 -18.3 -5.5 14.6	0.9 15.0 5.3 5.4	
Percentage	e change, latest	t quarter o	n correspo	nding quart	er of previo	ous year						
2013 Q3 Q4	KH5E -1.9 -3.3	KH5H 5.7 0.7			KH5B 4.8 1.7	KGS2 -7.9 8.1	KH9Y 1.9 3.0	KGS3 8.8 7.7	KGS6 -13.1 -6.3	KGS9 11.2 –14.4	KGP3 -3.4 -0.6	
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-14.2 -23.6 -37.5 -40.8	-0.6 17.7 18.0 13.8			2.5 11.3 13.3 9.4	7.5 -6.3 -23.3 -7.8	3.5 7.1 5.7 5.7	9.1 8.5 -5.9 6.1	-7.3 5.5 13.0 27.5	-0.4 47.8 -16.1 -4.5	-0.6 6.0 15.8 5.4	
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-51.5 -23.3 -40.3 -37.5	5.8 4.4 -3.2 5.6			4.4 5.9 -4.3 0.2	-5.7 -13.6 -7.5 -23.0	2.3 1.8 –4.8 –4.2	2.6 -5.6 -9.0 -4.7	-3.3 -10.8 -13.2 -25.1	7.3 -23.2 11.4 22.8	2.1 7.9 -1.8 -3.7	
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	4.4 -39.9 7.6 28.2	6.6 6.8 7.9 10.8			2.6 0.1 1.6 7.6	-24.5 -5.8 48.3 56.8	-2.6 -1.0 8.4 15.1	0.6 -4.1 7.3 -1.2	7.0 2.5 4.7 10.4	10.2 -13.5 -11.4 -12.8	-5.3 1.3 9.1 28.8	

Quarterly alignment adjustment included in this series.
 These tables do not contain the most recent data for inventory holding gains for financial corporations and private non-financial corporations for 2015 onwards due to late processing of these data. This will be amended at the next opportunity, 23 Feb 2017 for 2016 data and 29 Sept 2017 for 2015

³ Total resources equals total uses.

Private Non-financial Corporations Sector (S.11002+S.11003) Secondary Distribution of Income Account (II.2) and Capital Account (III.1)

£ million

	Secondary Distribution of Income Account (II.2)						Capital Account (III.1)					
		Resources			Uses		liabi	ges in ilities worth	Changes in assets		es in assets	
	Gross balance of primary incomes ¹	Other resources ²	Total resources ^{1,3}	Taxes on income	Other uses 4	Gross disposable income ^{1,5}	Net capital transfer receipts	Total change	Gross fixed capital formation	Changes in invent- ories ¹	Other changes in assets ⁶	Net lending (+) or borrowing (-) 1,7
	B.5g	D.612+D.72	TR	D.51	D.62+D.7	B.6g	D.9n	B.10.1g	P.51g	P.52	P.53+NP	B.9N
2013 2014 2015 2016	RPBO 214 072 228 014 230 479 248 974	NROQ 9 730 9 129 7 933 8 446	RPKY 223 802 237 143 238 412 257 420	RPLA 32 333 30 645 31 994 34 347	NROO 10 218 9 617 8 421 8 934	RPKZ 181 251 196 881 197 997 214 139	NROP 1 463 1 927 1 840 1 683	RPXH 182 714 198 808 199 837 215 822	ROAW 143 405 150 390 159 026 158 651	DLQY 4 791 12 251 5 617 6 427	NRON 3 384 3 171 2 466 3 644	RQBV 31 134 32 996 32 728 47 100
Seasonally	adjusted											
2013 Q3 Q4	52 449 52 485	2 396 2 284	54 845 54 769	8 287 8 496	2 518 2 406	44 040 43 867	92 499	44 132 44 366	36 607 37 499	3 580 1 799	488 1 517	3 457 3 551
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	55 489 56 504 60 725 55 296	2 484 2 438 2 107 2 100	57 973 58 942 62 832 57 396	8 118 8 253 7 173 7 101	2 606 2 560 2 229 2 222	47 249 48 129 53 430 48 073	607 481 370 469	47 856 48 610 53 800 48 542	35 753 38 249 37 724 38 664	1 897 4 003 2 800 3 551	879 412 1 105 775	9 327 5 946 12 171 5 552
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	56 678 60 951 59 618 53 232	2 107 1 996 1 974 1 856	58 785 62 947 61 592 55 088	7 687 8 175 7 970 8 162	2 229 2 118 2 096 1 978	48 869 52 654 51 526 44 948	998 222 290 330	49 867 52 876 51 816 45 278	39 227 39 941 40 576 39 282	824 2 762 1 013 1 018	1 385 715 556 –190	8 431 9 458 9 671 5 168
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	53 689 61 723 65 015 68 547	2 090 2 131 2 039 2 186	55 779 63 854 67 054 70 733	7 962 8 493 8 493 9 399	2 212 2 253 2 161 2 308	45 605 53 108 56 400 59 026	769 270 346 298	46 374 53 378 56 746 59 324	38 724 39 812 40 153 39 962	990 2 052 2 973 412	1 709 -4 2 106 -167	4 951 11 518 11 514 19 117
Percentage	e change, late	st year on pre	vious year									
2013 2014 2015 2016	KGO7 3.5 6.5 1.1 8.0	KHJ6 40.4 -6.2 -13.1 6.5	KHA2 4.7 6.0 0.5 8.0	KGT3 -1.2 -5.2 4.4 7.4	KHJ4 37.7 -5.9 -12.4 6.1	KGP5 4.4 8.6 0.6 8.2	KHJ5 -31.8 31.7 -4.5 -8.5	KGN8 4.0 8.8 0.5 8.0	KH7M 6.2 4.9 5.7 –0.2			
Percentage	e change, late	st quarter on	previous quart	er								
2013 Q3 Q4	KGO9 -1.6 0.1	KHJ9 -7.5 -4.7	KHA4 -1.9 -0.1	KGT5 10.0 2.5	KHJ7 -7.2 -4.4	KGP7 -3.5 -0.4	KHJ8 -71.7 442.4	KGN9 -4.0 0.5	KH7O 4.1 2.4			
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	5.7 1.8 7.5 –8.9	8.8 -1.9 -13.6 -0.3	5.9 1.7 6.6 -8.7	-4.4 1.7 -13.1 -1.0	8.3 -1.8 -12.9 -0.3	7.7 1.9 11.0 –10.0	21.6 -20.8 -23.1 26.8	7.9 1.6 10.7 –9.8	-4.7 7.0 -1.4 2.5			
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	2.5 7.5 –2.2 –10.7	0.3 -5.3 -1.1 -6.0	2.4 7.1 -2.2 -10.6	8.3 6.3 –2.5 2.4	0.3 -5.0 -1.0 -5.6	1.7 7.7 –2.1 –12.8	112.8 -77.8 30.6 13.8	2.7 6.0 –2.0 –12.6	1.5 1.8 1.6 -3.2			
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	0.9 15.0 5.3 5.4	12.6 2.0 -4.3 7.2	1.3 14.5 5.0 5.5	-2.5 6.7 - 10.7	11.8 1.9 -4.1 6.8	1.5 16.5 6.2 4.7	133.0 -64.9 28.1 -13.9	2.4 15.1 6.3 4.5	-1.4 2.8 0.9 -0.5			
Percentage	e change, late:	st quarter on	corresponding	quarter	of previous	year						
2013 Q3 Q4	KGP3 -3.4 -0.6	KHK4 46.2 29.2	KHA6 -1.9 0.4	KGT7 1.1 9.4	KHK2 43.0 27.3	KGP9 -4.2 -2.3	KHK3 -63.6 22.6	KGO2 -4.5 -2.1	KH7Q 8.9 7.8			
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-0.6 6.0 15.8 5.4	1.0 -5.9 -12.1 -8.1	-0.6 5.5 14.6 4.8	1.3 9.5 –13.4 –16.4	0.9 -5.6 -11.5 -7.6	-0.9 5.4 21.3 9.6	11.0 48.0 302.2 -6.0	-0.8 5.7 21.9 9.4	4.8 8.7 3.1 3.1			
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	2.1 7.9 -1.8 -3.7	-15.2 -18.1 -6.3 -11.6	1.4 6.8 -2.0 -4.0	-5.3 -0.9 11.1 14.9	-14.5 -17.3 -6.0 -11.0	3.4 9.4 –3.6 –6.5	64.4 -53.8 -21.6 -29.6	4.2 8.8 -3.7 -6.7	9.7 4.4 7.6 1.6			
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	-5.3 1.3 9.1 28.8	-0.8 6.8 3.3 17.8	-5.1 1.4 8.9 28.4	3.6 3.9 6.6 15.2	-0.8 6.4 3.1 16.7	-6.7 0.9 9.5 31.3	-22.9 21.6 19.3 -9.7	-7.0 0.9 9.5 31.0	-1.3 -0.3 -1.0 1.7			

¹ Quarterly alignment adjustment included in this series. 2 Social contributions and other current transfers.

³ Total resources equals total uses.

⁴ Social benefits and other current transfers.

⁵ Also known as gross saving.6 Acquisitions less disposals of valuables and non-produced non-financial as-

⁷ Gross of fixed capital consumption.



		Households and non-profit institutions serving households				
	UK resident population mid-year estimates (persons thousands) ²	Gross disposable income per head (at current market prices)	Real disposable income per head (at chained volume measures (reference year 2013)			
2013 2014 2015 2016	EBAQ 64 106 64 597 65 110 65 572	IHXV 18 119 18 565 19 147 19 514	IHXZ 18 119 18 254 18 770 18 917			
Seasonally adjusted						
2013 Q3 Q4	64 228 64 351	4 590 4 556	4 573 4 527			
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	64 474 64 597 64 725 64 854	4 534 4 642 4 646 4 723	4 485 4 576 4 552 4 623			
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	64 982 65 110 65 226 65 341	4 699 4 754 4 833 4 844	4 610 4 669 4 743 4 732			
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	65 457 65 572 65 686 65 801	4 843 4 887 4 882 4 884	4 724 4 751 4 727 4 700			
Percentage change, latest yea	r on previous year					
2013 2014 2015 2016		DU8O 1.5 2.5 3.1 1.9	DU8X -0.8 0.7 2.8 0.8			
Percentage change, latest qua	rter on previous quarter					
2013 Q3 Q4		DU8P 1.2 –0.7	DU8Y 0.5 -1.0			
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		-0.5 2.4 0.1 1.7	-0.9 2.0 -0.5 1.6			
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		-0.5 1.2 1.7 0.2	-0.3 1.3 1.6 -0.2			
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		0.9 -0.1	-0.2 0.6 -0.5 -0.6			
Percentage change, latest qua	rter on corresponding quarter of previous y	year				
2013 Q3 Q4		DU8Q 2.3 1.4	DU8Z -0.4 -0.8			
2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		2.6 2.3 1.2 3.7	0.8 0.6 -0.5 2.1			
2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		3.6 2.4 4.0 2.6	2.8 2.0 4.2 2.4			
2016 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4		3.1 2.8 1.0 0.8	2.5 1.8 -0.3 -0.7			

This data uses the latest population estimates with the exception of the latest year where populations projections are used. The quarterly data in this table does not sum to annuals
 This data uses the UK resident population mid-year estimates published 23 June 2016

Current price $\mathfrak L$ billion, seasonally adjusted

	Net lending (+) / Net borrowing (-) by sector (Table I)							
	Corporations			Gover	nment	Households and non-profit institutions		
	Public	Private non-financial	Financial	Central	Local	serving households	Rest of the world	
Current estimates ⁴	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	B.9N	
0014	RQBN	RQBV	RPYN	RPYH	RQAJ	RPZT	RQCH	
2014 2015	0.9 0.8	33.0 32.7	–17.9 <i>–</i> 27.1	−101.9 −76.7	0.1 -3.5	0.3 -2.8	85.4 81.3	
2016	0.5	47.1	-30.6	-56.2	-7.8	-22.8	86.5	
Previous estimates ³								
2014	N46O 0.9	N46S 33.0	N46Q -17.9	N46K -101.9	N46M 0.1	N46U 0.3	N46W 85.4	
2015 2016	0.8	32.7 	–27.1 	-76.7 	-3.5 	-2.8 	81.3	
Revisions								
0014	N46P	N46T	N46R	N46L	N46N	N46V	N46X	
2014 2015	_		-	-	_		-	
2016	••	**			••			
Current estimates ⁴	DODN	DOD!/	DD)/Al	DDV41	DOAL	DD 7.7	BOOL	
2014 Q1	RQBN 0.6	RQBV 9.3	RPYN –1.2	RPYH -30.2	RQAJ 0.8	RPZT -0.6	RQCH 21.2	
Q2 Q3	0.1	5.9 12.2	–2.3 –3.6	–24.9 –27.4	1.6 -0.9	2.2 -2.0	17.4 21.7	
Q4	0.2	5.6	-10.9	-19.4	-1.4	0.7	25.1	
2015 Q1 Q2	0.5 0.2	8.4 9.5	−8.1 −6.1	−18.3 −18.7	−0.7 −0.5	-2.2 -0.8	21.1 17.4	
Q3	0.1	9.7	-2.2	-21.2	-1.5	-	16.4	
Q4 2016 Q1	0.1 0.6	5.2 5.0	-10.7 -9.4	–18.5 –12.8	-0.8 -2.9	0.1 -2.6	26.5 25.3	
Q2	-0.1	11.5	-9.2	-15.3	-1.1	-3.1	21.3	
Q3 Q4	_	11.5 19.1	-8.0 -3.9	−17.7 −10.2	−1.7 −2.2	−5.9 −11.1	26.5 13.4	
Previous estimates ³								
2014 Q1	N46O 0.6	N46S 9.3	N46Q -1.2	N46K -30.2	N46M 0.8	N46U -0.6	N46W 21.2	
Q2 Q3	0.1	5.9 12.2	-2.3 -3.6	-24.9 -27.4	1.6 -0.9	2.2 -2.0	17.4 21.7	
Q3 Q4	0.2	5.6	-10.9	-27.4 -19.4	-0.9 -1.4	0.7	25.1	
2015 Q1	0.5	8.4	-8.1	-18.3	-0.7	-2.2	21.1	
Q2 Q3	0.2 0.1	9.5 9.7	−6.1 −2.2	−18.7 −21.2	−0.5 −1.5	-0.8 -	17.4 16.4	
Q4	0.1	5.2	-10.7	-18.5	-0.8	0.1	26.5	
2016 Q1 Q2	0.6 -0.1	9.0 11.4	−9.3 −10.2	−13.4 −14.8	−2.8 −1.4	-2.6 -2.1	23.1 22.4	
Q3 Q4	-	11.0 	-7.0 	–17.8 	–1.7 	-4.9 	25.7 	
Revisions								
	N46P	N46T	N46R	N46L	N46N	N46V	N46X	
2014 Q1 Q2	_				_	_ _	_	
Q3 Q4		_ _				- -	_ _	
2015 Q1	-	_	_	-	-	_	-	
Q2 Q3	_		-	_	_		-	
Q4	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	
2016 Q1 Q2	_ _	-4.0 0.1	-0.1 1.0	0.6 -0.5	-0.1 0.3	_ 	2.2 –1.1	
Q3 Q4	-0.1 	0.5	-1.0 	0.1	0.1	-1.1 	0.8	

¹ Estimates are accurate to 1 decimal place and are available from 2013 an- 3 Previous estimates refer to the estimate from the previous Quarterly Sector Ac-

nually, Q1 2014 quarterly 2 Components may not sum to totals due to rounding

counts published 23 December 2016
4 Current estimate refers to the estimate released within this publication (Quarterly Sector Accounts)



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Household and non-profit institutions serving households (NPISH) sector (Tables J1, J2 and J3)

Real household disposable income growth Quarter on Households' corresponding quarter saving ratio Year on year Quarter on quarter of previous year Current estimates4 NRJS KHI9 2014 6.8 6.5 5.2 1.5 3.6 2015 Previous estimates³ N46C N46E 2014 1.5 6.8 6.5 3.6 2015 2016 Revisions N46D N46F 2014 2015 Current estimates4 NRJS KHJ2 KHJ3 2014 Q1 -0.8 6.7 1.5 Q2 7.4 2.2 1.3 Q3 Q4 7.0 2.9 2015 Q1 -0.1 3.6 6 1 2.8 5.0 6.6 Ω2 1.8 Q3 6.6 Q4 6.5 3.1 2016 Q1 0.7 Q2 5.9 2.5 Q3 5.3 -0.30.4 -0.43.3 Previous estimates³ N46C N46G N46I -0.8 2.2 2014 Q1 6.7 7.4 1.5 Q2 1.3 Q3 6.1 -0.3 0.3 2.9 Q4 7.0 2015 Q1 -0.1 Q2 6.6 2.8 O36.6 1.8 5.0 Q4 6.5 3.1 2016 Q1 6.1 0.1 3.3 Q2 6.1 Q3 -0.6 0.3 Q4 Revisions N46D N46H N46J 2014 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 2015 Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 2016 Q1 -0.1 -0.1 -0.2 -0.1 Ω 2 -0.2 Q3 -0.3

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² Components may not sum to totals due to rounding

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