

MONTHLY ECONOMIC SURVEY
June 2014

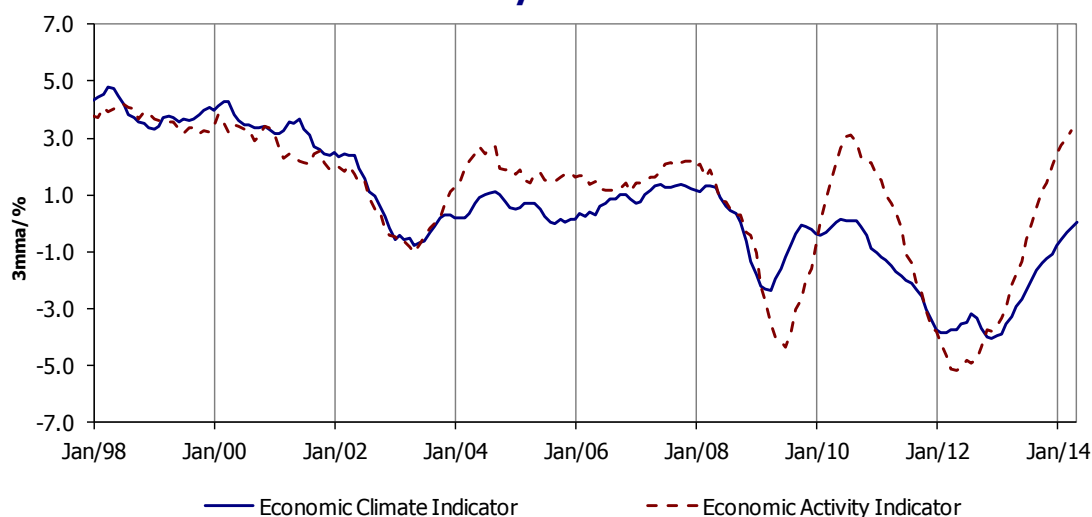
Consumer Price Index recorded a negative year-on-year change rate for the fifth consecutive month

In June, the consumer confidence indicator for the Euro Area (EA) recovered, while the economic sentiment indicator slightly decreased.

In Portugal, the economic activity indicator stabilized in May, although the information from Short-Term Statistics revealed a more negative behaviour in some activity sectors, notably in the cases of industry and services. The economic climate indicator, already available for June, increased, attaining the highest value since September 2008. The private consumption indicator presented a slightly less intense year-on-year growth rate in May, reflecting the decrease of the positive contribution of the non-durable consumption component. In the same month, the Gross Fixed Capital Formation (GFCF) indicator recorded a less intense reduction, due to the lower negative contribution of the construction component. Concerning the international trade of goods, exports and imports recorded year-on-year nominal change rates of -3.3% and -0.8% in May (-0.9% and 0.1% in the previous month), respectively.

The year-on-year change rate of the Consumer Price Index (CPI) was -0.4% in May and June (-0.1% in April). In the last month, the goods component registered a -1.1% change rate (-1.2% in May) and the services component 0.5% (less 0.2 percentage points than in the previous month). The Harmonized Consumer Price Index (HCPI) was 0.7 percentage points lower than the estimate for the EA HCPI in June (0.8 percentage points lower in April and May).

Economic Synthesis Indicators



Based on information available up to July 16, 2014.

	Unit	First Period	Minimum		Maximum		Year			Quarter						Month											
			Value	Date	Value	Date	2011	2012	2013	2013			2014			2013						2014					
										II	III	IV	I	II	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
National Accounts (a)																											
GDP	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-4.1	2009.I	5.6	1998.IV	-1.3	-3.2	-1.4	-2.0	-0.9	1.5	1.3	-													
Private Consumption	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-5.9	2011.IV	6.5	1999.I	-3.3	-5.3	-1.7	-2.3	-0.9	0.6	1.5	-													
Public Consumption	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-7.9	2011.IV	7.1	1998.II	-5.0	-4.7	-1.8	-2.4	-1.4	0.0	0.1	-													
Gross Capital Formation	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-21.6	2011.IV	17.1	1998.I	-11.1	-13.4	-6.6	-6.1	-4.3	0.9	12.2	-													
Exports of Goods and Services	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-18.6	2009.I	13.6	2006.IV	6.9	3.2	6.1	7.4	7.2	9.1	4.3	-													
Imports of Goods and Services	s.a/y.r./%	1996.I	-15.3	2009.I	16.5	1998.I	-5.3	-6.6	3.1	5.2	5.5	6.4	8.5	-													
Contribution of internal demand for GDP change rate	p.p.	1996.I	-10.0	2011.IV	8.9	1998.IV	-5.5	-6.9	-2.5	-2.9	-1.6	0.5	2.9	-													
Contribution of external demand for GDP change r.	p.p.	1996.I	-3.1	1998.IV	7.3	2011.IV	4.4	3.7	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.0	-1.7	-													
Economic Activity																											
Economic activity indicator	3-mma/%	Jan-91	-5.2	May-12	4.2	Jun-98	-1.2	-4.6	-0.4	-1.4	0.6	2.0	3.0	-	-1.4	-0.6	0.0	0.6	1.1	1.4	2.0	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.3	-
Manufacturing industry production index	s.a./y.r./3-mma	Mar-96	-13.0	Feb-09	7.3	May-01	-0.9	-6.1	0.4	1.5	-1.6	3.8	2.1	-	1.5	-0.5	-2.0	-1.6	0.6	2.8	3.8	4.0	3.9	2.1	2.2	1.1	-
Construction production index	s.a./y.r./3-mma	Mar-01	-18.5	Mar-13	7.9	Dec-01	-12.7	-16.3	-15.9	-15.5	-15.4	-14.0	-13.1	-	-15.5	-15.2	-15.5	-15.4	-15.3	-14.5	-14.0	-13.8	-13.2	-13.1	-11.5	-11.1	-
Total turnover index (b)	y.r./3-mma	Apr-01	-16.8	Jun-09	16.8	Oct-05	-3.9	-6.7	-2.4	-2.0	-0.9	0.5	-0.8	-	-2.0	-1.8	-2.2	-0.9	-1.4	-0.1	0.5	0.6	0.2	-0.8	-0.8	-1.6	-
Services turnover index	y.r./3-mma	Mar-01	-14.6	Jun-09	9.0	Aug-01	-7.7	-8.9	-3.3	-3.4	-1.8	-0.4	-0.8	-	-3.4	-3.0	-2.8	-1.8	-1.9	-1.2	-0.4	0.0	0.1	-0.8	-0.6	-0.8	-
Economic climate indicator	3-mma	Jan-89	-4.1	Dec-12	5.0	Mar-89	-2.2	-3.7	-2.2	-2.7	-1.6	-1.1	-0.3	0.3	-2.7	-2.4	-1.9	-1.6	-1.4	-1.2	-1.1	-0.8	-0.6	-0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.3
Private Consumption																											
Qualitative consumption indicator	3-mma/%	May-89	-2.3	Feb-13	1.5	Apr-99	-1.6	-2.2	-1.5	-1.7	-1.3	-1.0	-0.5	-0.2	-1.7	-1.6	-1.4	-1.3	-1.2	-1.1	-1.0	-0.8	-0.7	-0.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2
Quantitative consumption indicator	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-92	-6.6	Dec-11	8.2	Mar-92	-3.8	-2.6	0.3	-0.3	0.9	2.1	2.2	-	-0.3	-0.1	0.5	0.9	1.2	2.2	2.1	1.8	2.2	2.6	2.5	-	
- Non-durable goods and services	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-92	-4.1	Nov-11	7.0	Mar-92	-2.0	-0.7	0.2	0.0	0.7	1.4	1.0	-	0.0	-0.1	0.3	0.7	0.9	1.7	1.4	1.4	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.1	-
- Durable goods	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-92	-30.3	Dec-11	22.8	Apr-92	-18.2	-22.0	0.8	-3.5	3.9	10.4	18.9	-	-3.5	-0.2	2.4	3.9	5.7	8.7	10.4	12.2	15.0	18.9	21.7	21.7	-
Consumer confidence indicator	balance/3-mma	Sep-97	-59.8	Dec-12	-5.5	Nov-97	-51.7	-54.3	-48.7	-53.9	-45.3	-40.4	-30.7	-27.6	-53.9	-52.7	-49.0	-45.3	-42.8	-41.8	-40.4	-36.7	-32.6	-30.7	-30.3	-29.4	-27.6
Investment																											
GFCF indicator	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-95	-18.6	Feb-13	15.9	Feb-97	-9.7	-15.9	-9.2	-9.8	-6.2	-2.5	-1.9	-	-9.8	-8.3	-7.9	-6.2	-6.1	-4.6	-2.5	-1.2	-1.7	-1.9	-1.1	-0.5	-
- Construction	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-95	-25.1	Mar-13	18.1	Feb-97	-10.2	-18.3	-13.7	-13.9	-9.3	-6.7	-7.3	-	-13.9	-12.4	-11.8	-9.3	-9.3	-8.0	-6.7	-5.9	-7.5	-7.3	-7.2	-6.2	-
- Machinery and equipment	y.r./3-mma/%	Jan-89	-10.9	Jan-12	20.6	Jun-90	-7.2	-7.0	-2.7	-2.7	-3.5	-0.6	2.2	2.9	-2.7	-2.8	-4.3	-3.5	-2.5	-0.7	-0.6	0.2	1.2	2.2	2.7	2.7	2.9
- Transport material	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-95	-34.1	Apr-09	40.3	Feb-14	-14.3	-24.9	10.9	3.2	7.9	34.2	31.0	-	3.2	4.5	9.4	7.9	11.0	12.7	34.2	36.6	40.3	31.0	32.2	31.6	-

(a) - Quarterly National Accounts - Benchmark year 2006 - Chain linked volume data (reference year = 2006); Annual National Accounts: 2011 - provisional data and 2012 and 2013 - preliminary data. Information available in 09/06/2014.

(b) - Includes industry, services and retail trade.

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External Demand																											
Nominal exports of goods - International trade	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-96	-26.7	Mar-09	23.2	May-10	14.9	5.7	4.7	6.2	5.8	6.7	1.4	-	6.2	4.0	2.2	5.8	4.7	6.7	6.7	5.8	5.0	1.4	-0.9	-3.3	-
Nominal imports of goods - International trade	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-96	-26.8	Apr-09	24.0	Feb-00	1.0	-5.2	1.0	2.8	3.6	4.2	5.5	-	2.8	3.2	3.0	3.6	1.4	3.5	4.2	6.2	7.0	5.5	0.1	-0.8	-
Coverage rate	3-mma/%	Mar-95	56.6	Dec-99	85.9	May-13	72.3	80.6	83.5	85.7	81.4	81.7	82.1	-	85.7	85.5	82.9	81.4	79.7	82.4	81.7	82.0	80.4	82.1	83.9	83.8	-
External demand indicator	s.a./y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-91	-26.4	Jan-00	26.4	Jan-00	11.2	1.2	-2.7	-3.2	-2.8	-1.1	1.0	-	-3.2	-3.1	-3.5	-2.8	-2.5	-1.4	-1.1	-0.4	0.5	1.0	1.2	-	-
Labour Market																											
Employment indicator - Short-term statistics	y.r./3-mma	Mar-01	-6.9	Jan-13	2.4	Jun-01	-2.9	-6.2	-4.9	-5.3	-4.4	-3.3	-2.0	-	-5.3	-4.9	-4.7	-4.4	-4.1	-3.6	-3.3	-2.8	-2.5	-2.0	-1.5	-1.0	-
Reg. unemp. along the month - State emp. agencies	s.a./y.r./3-mma	Mar-90	-20.0	May-90	45.2	Jun-93	5.4	8.3	-0.2	-1.8	0.5	1.1	-4.4	-	-1.8	-3.0	-2.5	0.5	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.6	2.6	-4.4	-5.8	-9.1	-
Vacancies along the month - State employment ag.	s.a./y.r./3-mma	Mar-90	-24.7	Jul-11	73.5	Feb-14	-18.7	-9.3	48.2	47.0	50.9	61.2	67.0	-	47.0	44.9	40.5	50.9	52.9	57.6	61.2	65.2	73.5	67.0	50.4	34.7	-
Employment expectations of entrepreneurs	balance/3-mma	Jan-03	-25.7	Nov-12	-5.3	Apr-08	-18.3	-24.1	-18.4	-20.5	-16.5	-13.6	-7.8	-7.5	-20.5	-19.4	-17.5	-16.5	-15.4	-14.5	-13.6	-10.8	-9.3	-7.8	-8.5	-8.0	-7.5
Unemployment expectations of consumers	balance/3-mma	Sep-97	8.7	Aug-00	79.8	Mar-09	65.4	71.6	57.1	67.0	50.9	39.8	22.2	16.8	67.0	64.0	58.0	50.9	46.4	43.1	39.8	32.7	24.9	22.2	22.3	21.8	16.8
Average monthly wage declared by worker	s.a./y.r./3-mma	Mar-02	-1.9	Jan-14	4.8	Dec-02	3.5	-0.4	1.4	2.0	1.5	-1.4	-0.1	-	2.0	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.9	0.9	-1.4	-1.9	-1.7	-0.1	-0.4	-0.4	-
Prices																											
Consumer price index - Total	y.r./%	Jan-49	-3.7	Sep-54	36.7	May-77	3.7	2.8	0.3	0.6	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3	1.0	0.8	0.2	0.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.4	-0.4
- Goods	y.r./%	Jan-49	-3.7	Jul-09	38.2	May-77	4.4	2.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	-0.2	-0.7	-1.1	1.0	0.6	-0.4	-0.1	-0.5	-0.2	0.0	-0.4	-0.8	-0.8	-1.0	-1.2	-1.1
- Services	y.r./%	Jan-49	-4.4	Sep-54	30.5	Mar-74	2.5	3.1	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.8	0.9	0.2	1.0	0.7	0.5
Core inflation indicator	y.r./%	Jan-49	-4.3	Oct-54	31.1	May-84	2.3	1.5	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0
Harmonised index of consumer prices	y.r./%	Jan-96	-1.8	Sep-09	5.1	Mar-01	3.6	2.8	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	1.2	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.3	-0.2
Manufacturing industry production price index	y.r./3-mma/%	Mar-01	-7.9	Aug-09	7.7	Apr-11	5.7	2.2	-0.8	-0.9	-1.2	-2.1	-2.4	-1.3	-0.9	-0.3	-0.5	-1.2	-2.1	-2.5	-2.1	-2.0	-2.0	-2.4	-2.1	-1.7	-1.3
Consumers expectations of prices evolution	balance/3-mma	Sep-97	-3.7	Jul-09	62.5	Jan-11	57.6	37.7	25.1	25.4	23.1	19.0	18.4	17.1	25.4	25.9	24.4	23.1	20.4	18.9	19.0	21.3	20.5	18.4	13.7	14.5	17.1
Expectations of prices in manufacturing industry	bal./s.a./3-mma	Jan-87	-24.2	Jan-09	26.5	Nov-90	5.6	-1.0	-1.2	-18.1	10.6	9.2	-4.9	-11.3	-18.1	-7.4	1.0	10.6	11.4	11.1	9.2	3.0	-0.9	-4.9	-6.9	-9.4	-11.3
Effective exchange rate ind. for Portugal (nominal)	y.r.	Mar-01	-2.4	Jun-10	3.6	May-03	0.0	-1.3	0.9	0.7	1.5	1.2	0.7	-	1.1	1.5	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.9	0.7	-

NOTES

With exception of situations duly identified, the values presented in tables and graphs and others that also serve for the analysis are, in the case of quantitative series, year-on-year rates of change (y.r.) under three-month moving average (3-mma) or, in the case of qualitative series, 3-mma of seasonally adjusted values (s.a.) or of effective values (e.v). Annual information correspond to 12-mma, with the exception of variables presented as y.r. on stocks, where the annual value corresponds to the variation of the balance at the end of the year. Annualised variation (a.v.). Weight (w.).

Balances: differences between the percentage of respondents giving positive and negative replies.