

## Key monetary statistics June 2021

On a monthly basis, the M3 aggregate increased by 2.1 percent in June 2021, to reach 1 536.8 MMDH. This change mainly reflects an increase by 2.9 percent in sight deposits with banks, and by 0.3 percent in currency and a decrease by 0.7 percent in term accounts. By counterpart, bank loans to the non-financial sector increased by 1.6 percent, with increases by 6 percent in cash facilities, 1 percent in consumer loans and 0.5 percent in real estate loans, and a decrease by 0.4 percent in equipment loans. Net claims on central government rose by 7.2 percent, while official reserve assets contracted by 1.2 percent.

**Year-on-year**, the M3 aggregate rose by 7.1 percent in June 2021 after a 6.8 percent increase in May. This change mainly reflects an increase by 4.3 percent in currency in circulation after 6 percent and by 8.5 percent after 9.2 percent in demand deposits with banks, as well as a decrease by 2.5 percent in time deposits after a decline of 1.5 percent last month.

By counterpart, official reserve assets rose by 2.9 percent in June against 5.3 percent in May and net claims on the central government by 10.2 percent against 5.6 percent. As for bank loans to the non-financial sector, they rose by 4.1 percent in June after an increase of 2.9 percent a month earlier, with a rise in loans granted to private non-financial corporations by 4.2 percent after 1.8 percent. The growth rate in loans to households stabilized at 5.8 percent.

The breakdown by economic purpose of loans allocated to the non-financial sector shows an increase in cash facilities of 9.7 percent after 6.1 percent in May, a stagnation of real estate loans growth at 4.4 percent, an increase of consumer loans by 1.6 percent after a decrease of 0.1 percent and a decline of equipment loans by 2.8 percent after 4.9 percent. In relation to the non-performing loans, their annual growth pace stood at 9.2 percent in June after 12.2 percent in May. Under these conditions, the rate of non-performing loans stood at 8.4 percent.

By activity, data available on a quarterly basis show an annual increase of the overall bank lending by 3.7 percent in June after 3.3 percent in March 2021. This change reflects, in particular, an increase in lending to corporations operating in "Construction" and "Trade, automotive and household appliances repairs" by 4.6

percent and 1.1 percent, after decreases by 0.6 percent and 6.8 percent respectively, the surge in loans to corporations operating in the "Manufacturing industries" by 10.8 percent after 11.5 percent, the contraction in loans allocated to the "Transport and communications" sector by 0.3 percent after an increase by 9 percent and the decrease in loans allocated to the "Electricity, gas and water" sector by 17 percent after 15.2 percent in March.

|                                                           | Outstanding amount | Δ      |             |         | Δ (%)         |             |         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------|-------------|---------|---------------|-------------|---------|
|                                                           | June-21            | May-21 | December-20 | June-20 | May-21        | December-20 | June-20 |
| M1                                                        | 1 042 969          | 18 763 | 23 587      | 64 917  | 1,8 🛦         | 2,3 🛦       | 6,6     |
| M2                                                        | 1 214 727          | 18 255 | 25 972      | 70 369  | 1,5 ▲         | 2,2 ▲       | 6,1     |
| M3                                                        | 1 536 862          | 31 220 | 51 743      | 101 789 | 2,1 ▲         | 3,5 ▲       | 7,1     |
| Liquid investment aggregate                               | 847 060            | 2 428  | 50 605      | 76 543  | 0,3 🛦         | 6,4 ▲       | 9,9 🗸   |
| Currency in circulation                                   | 307 921            | 859    | 7 295       | 12 592  | 0,3 ▲         | 2,4 ▲       | 4,3     |
| Banking deposits included from broad money <sup>(1)</sup> | 1 039 930          | 27 650 | 30 254      | 65 349  | 2,7 ▲         | 3,0 ▲       | 6,7     |
| Demand deposits with the banking system                   | 665 470            | 18 458 | 16 190      | 52 057  | 2,9 ▲         | 2,5         | 8,5     |
| Time accounts and fixed-term bills                        | 138 969            | -997   | 3 360       | -3 496  | -0,7 <b>▼</b> | 2,5 ▲       | -2,5    |
| Securities of money market UCITS                          | 74 798             | 1 168  | 10 869      | 19 595  | 1,6 ▲         | 17,0 ▲      | 35,5    |
| Net international reserves                                | 300 793            | -3 661 | -19 775     | 8 529   | -1,2 ▼        | -6,2 ▼      | 2,9     |
| Net claims on central government                          | 269 855            | 18 048 | 28 861      | 24 916  | 7,2 <b>▲</b>  | 12,0 ▲      | 10,2    |
| Lending to the economy                                    | 1 171 387          | 22 150 | 41 319      | 54 509  | 1,9 ▲         | 3,7 ▲       | 4,9     |
| Loans of other depository corporations <sup>(2)</sup>     | 995 613            | 38 061 | 30 288      | 38 860  | 4,0 ▲         | 3,1 ▲       | 4,1     |
| Bank loans                                                | 986 256            | 36 784 | 28 852      | 35 001  | 3,9 ▲         | 3,0 ▲       | 3,7     |
| By economic purpose                                       | 700 230            | 30 704 | 20 032      | 33 001  | 3,7           | 3,0         | 3,7     |
| Real estate loans                                         | 289 770            | 1 525  | 5 571       | 12 108  | 0,5 🛦         | 2,0 ▲       | 4,4     |
| Housing loans                                             | 230 690            | 1 761  | 8 309       | 15 201  | 0,8           | 3,7 ▲       | 7,1     |
| Of which: participation financing of housing              | 14 040             | 798    | 2 712       | 5 058   | 6,0 ▲         | 23,9        | 56,3    |
| Loans to property developers                              | 55 059             | -305   | -3 894      | -4 836  | -0,6 ▼        | -6,6 ▼      | -8,1    |
| Debtor accounts and overdraft facilities                  | 227 126            | 12 874 | 21 175      | 20 481  | 6,0 ▲         | 10,3 🛦      | 9,9     |
| Equipment loans                                           | 177 752            | -634   | -706        | -5 176  | -0,4 ▼        | -0,4 ▼      | -2,8    |
| Consumer loans                                            | 55 436             | 533    | 1 188       | 891     | 1,0 ▲         | 2,2 ▲       | 1,6     |
| Miscellaneous claims                                      | 153 425            | 22 463 | -898        | -304    | 17,2 ▲        | -0,6 ▼      | -0,2    |
| Non-performing loans                                      | 82 747             | 22     | 2 522       | 7 001   | 0,0 🛦         | 3,1 ▲       | 9,2     |
| By institutional sectors                                  |                    |        |             |         |               |             |         |
| Other financial corporations                              | 144 060            | 23 602 | 2 146       | 1 703   | 19,6 ▲        | 1,5 ▲       | 1,2     |
| non-financial sector                                      | 842 195            | 13 182 | 26 706      | 33 298  | 1,6 ▲         | 3,3 ▲       | 4,1     |
| Public sector                                             | 71 898             | 1 050  | -2 234      | -3 263  | 1,5 ▲         | -3,0 ▼      | -4,3    |
| Local government                                          | 24 406             | -58    | 20          | 1 895   | -0,2 ▼        | 0,1         | 8,4     |
| Public nonfinancial corporations                          | 47 492             | 1 107  | -2 254      | -5 159  | 2,4           | -4,5 ▼      | -9,8    |
| Private sector                                            | 770 297            | 12 132 | 28 940      | 36 561  | 1,6 ▲         | 3,9 ▲       | 5,0     |
| Other nonfinancial corporations                           | 406 923            | 10 050 | 17 636      | 16 498  | 2,5 ▲         | 4,5 ▲       | 4,2     |
| Households and NPISH <sup>(3)</sup>                       | 363 375            | 2 082  | 11 304      | 20 062  | 0,6           | 3,2 ▲       | 5,8     |

<sup>(1)</sup> All deposits opened by money-holding sectors with the banking system except regulated deposits and guarantee deposits.

<sup>(2)</sup> Banks and monetary UCITS

<sup>(3)</sup> Nonprofit Institutions Serving Households







