

Table 1
Basic statistical data

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Population (thousands) ¹	10,281	10,330	10,374	10,418	10,473
GDP (EUR billions)	258.9	267.7	274.7	289.5	298.5
GDP per capita (EUR)	25,181	25,910	26,476	27,789	28,506
Consumer price inflation (in %) ¹	2.4	1.6	1.5	1.9	2.5
Exchange rate (EUR/USD):					
<i>end of year</i>	1.1347	0.9536	0.7918	0.7342	0.8477
<i>average</i>	1.1175	1.0609	0.8858	0.8049	0.8051

¹ Yearly average.

Table 2
Settlement media used by non-banks
(EUR billions, end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Notes and coin in circulation outside banks ¹	7.10	nap	nap	nap	nap
Value of transferable deposits ²	76.39	76.41	86.32	93.20	109.10
Narrow money supply ^{1,3}	69.09	nap	nap	nap	nap
<i>Memo:</i>					
Transferable deposits in foreign currencies	15.53	14.15	14.97	12.09	15.54
Outstanding value on e-money storages	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.08
<i>on card-based products</i>	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.08
<i>on software or network-based products</i>	nap	nap	nap	nap	nap

¹ From 2002, due to banknote migration, data are available only at an aggregated euro area level (see Euro area, Table 2).

² Value of overnight deposits held at Monetary Financial Institutions (MFIs) by non-MFIs (including "Central government" and "Rest of the world"). Due to a broader definition of counterparts, this indicator is not synonymous with the same term used in the ECB concept of narrow money supply M1. ³ Corresponds to the ECB concept of M1. This indicator cannot be calculated from the items "Notes and coin in circulation outside banks" and "Value of transferable deposits" (see footnote 2).

Table 3
Settlement media used by banks

(EUR billions, average of last reserve maintenance period)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Transferable balances held at the central bank	7.65	7.31	7.59	8.33	9.46
<i>required reserves</i>	7.64	7.31	7.58	8.33	9.46
<i>free reserves</i>	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01
Transferable balances held at other banks ¹	11.93	7.77	14.65	17.23	18.34
<i>Memo:</i>					
Credit extended by the central bank:					
<i>intraday</i>	nav	nav	nav	4.21	4.21
<i>overnight</i> ²	0	0	0	0	0
<i>longer-term refinancing operations</i> ³	7.57	10.88	16.75	22.70	28.95

¹ Value of overnight deposit accounts held by Belgian credit institutions at other credit institutions (EUR and foreign currencies, in Belgium and abroad). ² Marginal lending facility. ³ Other monetary policy operations vis-à-vis the Eurosystem.

Table 4
Banknotes and coin¹

¹ Following the introduction of the euro on 1 January 1999, these figures are provided solely at an aggregated euro area level (see Euro area, Table 4).

Table 5
Institutions offering payment services to non-banks
(end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Central bank					
Number of branches or offices ¹	13	11	9	9	8
Number of accounts (thousands) ²	2.00	2.13	2.32	2.35	2.36
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	0.18	0.35	0.43	0.56	0.36
<i>Memo:</i>					
Number of accounts, banks (thousands) ²	0.44	0.43	0.34	0.40	0.35
Banks					
Number of institutions	112	111	108	104	104
Number of branches or offices	6,278	5,699	5,175	4,837	4,564
Number of accounts (thousands) ²	12,532	12,693	12,979	12,675	13,197
<i>of which: number of internet/PC-linked accounts (thousands)</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	2,727	3,196
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	76.21	76.06	85.89	92.64	108.74
Credit institutions legally incorporated in the reporting country					
Number of institutions	67	66	61	59	54
Number of branches or offices	6,223	5,645	5,121	4,779	4,506
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	64.47	66.19	73.51	79.17	92.48
Branches of euro area-based credit institutions					
Number of institutions	28	29	30	29	33
Number of branches or offices	36	36	37	40	46
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	4.55	4.56	6.29	7.03	7.40
Branches of EEA-based credit institutions (outside the euro area)					
Number of institutions	6	6	7	7	8
Number of branches or offices	6	6	6	7	2
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	1.39	1.19	1.27	1.66	1.49
Branches of foreign banks					
Number of institutions	11	10	10	9	9
Number of branches or offices	13	12	11	11	10
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	5.80	4.12	4.82	4.77	7.36
Other institutions offering payment services to non-banks: Postal institution					
Number of institutions	1	1	1	1	1
Number of branches or offices	1,350	1,345	1,328	1,310	1,350
Number of accounts (thousands) ²	2.26	2.17	2.19	1.54	0.91
Value of accounts (EUR billions) ²	0.58	0.86	0.63	0.83	0.59
Institutions offering payment services to non-banks (total)					
Number of institutions	114	113	110	106	106
Number of branches or offices	7,641	7,055	6,512	6,156	5,922
Number of accounts held by non-banks (thousands) ²	12,536	12,697	12,984	12,679	13,200
<i>of which: number of internet/PC-linked accounts (thousands)</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	2,727	3,196
Value of accounts held by non-banks (EUR billions) ²	76.97	77.27	86.96	94.03	109.69
<i>Memo:</i>					
Electronic money institutions					
Number of institutions	nap	nap	nap	nap	nap
Outstanding value on e-money storages issued by e-money institutions	nap	nap	nap	nap	nap

¹ Head office, branches and agencies (bureaux). ² Overnight deposits.

Table 6
Payment card functions and accepting devices
(end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Cards issued in the country (thousands)					
Cards with a cash function	13,987	14,902	15,619	15,727	15,931
Cards with a debit function	10,942	11,863	12,522	12,551	12,672
Cards with a delayed debit function	3,045	3,039	3,097	3,176	3,259
Cards with a credit function ¹	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Cards with an e-money function	7,998	8,271	8,804	8,979	9,617
<i>of which: cards with an e-money function which have been loaded at least once</i>	1,812	2,467	2,126	2,069	2,760
Total number of cards (irrespective of the number of functions on the card)	13,987	14,902	15,619	15,727	15,931
<i>of which: cards with a combined debit, cash and e-money function</i>	7,998	8,271	8,804	8,979	9,617
<i>Memo:</i>					
Retailer cards	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Terminals located in the country					
ATMs ²	11,393	11,676	12,495	13,197	13,499
<i>ATMs with a cash withdrawal function</i>	6,790	6,778	7,114	7,286	7,256
<i>ATMs with a credit transfer function</i>	nav	nav	6,560	7,216	8,056
POS terminals	144,421	135,743	113,081	108,284	101,094
<i>of which: EFTPOS terminals</i>	144,421	135,743	113,081	108,284	101,094
E-money card terminals	271,614	312,693	321,241	328,379	275,499
<i>e-money card loading/unloading terminals</i>	182,767	208,151	213,249	213,613	181,516
<i>e-money card payment terminals</i>	88,847	104,542	107,992	114,766	93,983

¹ All major credit cards (Visa, American Express, Eurocard, etc) are issued as delayed debit cards. ² All ATMs with limited access have a cash dispensing function as well as a giro transfer function. Each function is counted separately (to avoid double-counting, categories should not be summed).

Table 7
Indicators of the use of payment instruments and terminals by non-banks: volume of transactions
 (millions, total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Transactions per type of payment instrument					
Credit transfers ^{1,2}	742.88	808.06	731.22	788.56	817.65
<i>paper based</i>	286.80	305.32	162.30	147.55	132.78
<i>non-paper based</i>	456.08	502.74	568.92	641.01	684.87
Direct debits ²	176.93	168.79	192.35	211.35	218.98
Card payments with cards issued in the country	502.22	577.28	614.47	671.34	738.53
<i>payments by cards with a debit function³</i>	432.78	506.79	544.07	597.31	659.46
<i>payments by cards with a delayed debit function</i>	69.44	70.49	70.40	74.03	79.07
<i>payments by cards with a credit function⁴</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
E-money payment transactions	60.46	120.83	107.06	106.90	102.02
<i>by cards with an e-money function</i>	60.46	120.83	107.06	106.90	102.02
<i>through other e-money storages</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Cheques	60.05	28.91	23.72	19.14	15.69
Other payment instruments	0.67	0.57	0.49	0.42	0.36
Total number of transactions with payment instruments ¹					
of which: cross-border transactions sent	1,543.21	1,704.44	1,669.31	1,797.71	1,893.23
	nav	nav	10.80	11.01	12.94
<i>Memo:</i>					
Cross-border transactions received	nav	nav	8.08	9.06	10.56
Transactions per type of terminal					
Total transactions at terminals in the country					
Cash transactions	221.07	243.66	263.81	251.16	257.30
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	221.07	243.66	263.81	251.16	257.30
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
POS payment transactions	492.87	562.42	611.48	657.65	720.58
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	10.78	18.15	16.71	16.99	16.82
E-money card payment transactions	60.46	120.83	107.06	106.90	102.02
a) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued in the country					
Cash transactions	217.05	239.89	256.89	244.38	250.50
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	217.05	239.89	256.89	244.38	250.50
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
POS payment transactions	469.24	544.34	579.83	632.24	693.93
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	10.78	18.15	16.71	16.99	16.82
E-money card payment transactions	60.46	120.83	107.06	106.90	102.02
b) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued outside the country					
Cash transactions	4.02	3.77	6.92	6.78	6.80
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	4.02	3.77	6.92	6.78	6.80
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
POS payment transactions	23.63	18.08	31.65	25.41	26.65
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
E-money card payment transactions	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
c) Transactions at terminals outside the country by cards issued in the country					
Cash transactions	7.43	7.73	8.38	8.69	9.60
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	7.43	7.73	8.38	8.69	9.60
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
POS payment transactions	32.98	32.94	34.64	39.10	44.60
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
E-money card payment transactions	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav

¹ Includes interbank payments. ² Includes some book-entry transfers. ³ As from 2003, using a more reliable data source. ⁴ All major credit cards (Visa, American Express, Eurocard, etc) are issued as delayed debit cards.

Table 8
Indicators of the use of payment instruments and terminals by non-banks: value of transactions
 (EUR billions, total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Transactions per type of payment instrument					
Credit transfers ^{1,2}	17,350.80	13,157.42	14,938.19	16,049.76	18,953.50
<i>paper based</i>	1,894.98	612.52	703.69	593.89	531.64
<i>non-paper based</i>	15,455.82	12,544.90	14,234.50	15,455.87	18,421.86
Direct debits ²	54.15	46.17	48.69	48.08	50.94
Card payments with cards issued in the country	28.69	32.42	34.53	36.69	41.43
<i>payments by cards with a debit function³</i>	21.72	25.12	27.19	29.89	33.03
<i>payments by cards with a delayed debit function</i>	6.97	7.30	7.34	6.80	8.40
<i>payments by cards with a credit function⁴</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
E-money payment transactions	0.27	0.67	0.55	0.53	0.49
<i>by cards with an e-money function</i>	0.27	0.67	0.55	0.53	0.49
<i>through other e-money storages</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
Cheques	99.07	99.31	86.40	81.13	68.83
Other payment instruments	5.15	4.62	4.04	3.51	3.12
Total value of transactions with payment instruments ¹	17,538.13	13,340.61	15,112.40	16,219.70	19,118.31
<i>of which: cross-border transactions sent</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	1,068.10	1,258.98	1,297.46
<i>Memo:</i>					
Cross-border transactions received	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	812.49	1,004.96	1,210.97
Transactions per type of terminal					
Total transactions at terminals in the country					
Cash transactions	22.93	25.45	28.15	28.45	28.66
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	22.93	25.45	28.15	28.45	28.66
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
POS payment transactions	28.28	31.07	34.43	36.24	40.12
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	0.33	0.67	0.56	0.54	0.50
E-money card payment transactions	0.27	0.67	0.55	0.53	0.49
a) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued in the country					
Cash transactions	22.43	24.87	27.13	27.51	27.58
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	22.43	24.87	27.13	27.51	27.58
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
POS payment transactions	25.58	29.23	31.21	33.42	37.29
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	0.33	0.67	0.56	0.54	0.50
E-money card payment transactions	0.27	0.67	0.55	0.53	0.49
b) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued outside the country					
Cash transactions	0.50	0.58	1.02	0.94	1.08
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	0.50	0.58	1.02	0.94	1.08
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
POS payment transactions	2.70	1.84	3.22	2.82	2.83
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
E-money card payment transactions	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
c) Transactions at terminals outside the country by cards issued in the country					
Cash transactions	0.92	1.06	1.14	1.16	1.30
<i>ATM cash withdrawals</i>	0.92	1.06	1.14	1.16	1.30
<i>ATM cash deposits</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
POS payment transactions	3.11	3.19	3.32	3.27	4.14
E-money card loading/unloading transactions	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
E-money card payment transactions	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>

¹ Includes interbank payments. ² Includes some book-entry transfers. ³ As from 2003, using a more reliable data source. ⁴ All major credit cards (Visa, American Express, Eurocard, etc) are issued as delayed debit cards.

Table 9
Participation in selected interbank funds transfer systems
(end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Large-value payment systems					
ELLIPS (TARGET component)					
Number of participants	96	93	89	87	85
Direct participants	17	17	16	15	15
Banks	15	15	14	13	13
Central bank	1	1	1	1	1
Other direct participants	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Postal institution</i>	1	1	1	1	1
Indirect participants	79	76	73	72	70
Retail payment systems					
Clearing house					
Number of participants	94	92	88	83	82
Direct participants	34	34	32	27	25
Banks	32	32	30	25	23
Central bank	1	1	1	1	1
Other direct participants	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Postal institution</i>	1	1	1	1	1
Indirect participants	60	58	56	56	57
CEC					
Number of participants	94	95	89	85	83
Direct participants	33	30	28	24	22
Banks	30	27	25	21	19
Central bank	1	1	1	1	1
Other direct participants	2	2	2	2	2
<i>Postal institution</i>	1	1	1	1	1
<i>Other</i>	1	1	1	1	1
Indirect participants	61	65	61	61	61

Table 10

Payments processed by selected interbank funds transfer systems: volume of transactions¹
 (millions, total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Large-value payment systems					
ELLIPS (TARGET component)					
Credit transfers sent	1.84	1.73	1.76	1.78	1.77
<i>credit transfers sent within ELLIPS</i>	0.90	0.86	0.83	0.82	0.83
<i>credit transfers sent to another TARGET component</i>	0.94	0.87	0.93	0.96	0.94
<i>Memo:</i>					
Credit transfers received from another TARGET component	0.65	0.77	0.88	1.02	1.04
Concentration ratio in terms of volume (%) ²	80.0	83.0	82.0	84.0	84.0
Retail payment systems					
Clearing house					
Credit transfers sent	3.52	1.73	1.57	1.31	0.57
<i>credit transfers</i>	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01
<i>cheques</i>	2.05	1.71	1.55	1.29	0.56
<i>other payment instruments</i> ³	1.44	0.00	<i>nap</i>	<i>nap</i>	<i>nap</i>
Concentration ratio in terms of volume (%) ²	72.1	74.0	78.0	81.8	85.0
CEC					
Total transactions sent	917.67	985.39	1,019.04	1,009.56	952.17
<i>credit transfers</i>	433.07	445.83	466.29	474.53	484.60
<i>direct debits</i>	106.91	104.58	112.57	112.21	111.47
<i>card payments</i>	157.96	197.56	202.95	176.33	101.65
<i>ATM transactions</i>	39.56	45.60	40.53	31.43	24.59
<i>e-money transactions</i>	2.01	3.77	3.19	2.54	1.71
<i>cheques</i>	35.83	20.24	16.59	14.95	13.98
<i>other payment instruments</i> ³	142.33	167.81	176.92	197.57	214.17
Concentration ratio in terms of volume (%) ²	73.2	73.7	81.0	83.4	82.0

¹ The table contains both customer and interbank transactions. ² Market share of the five largest participants in each payment system. ³ Bills of exchange.

Table 11

Payments processed by selected interbank funds transfer systems: value of transactions¹*(EUR billions, total for the year)*

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Large-value payment systems					
ELLIPS (TARGET component)					
Credit transfers sent	14,312.96	13,338.76	13,558.02	14,674.94	17,268.15
<i>credit transfers sent within ELLIPS</i>	4,127.76	3,844.09	3,330.87	3,306.58	3,684.90
<i>credit transfers sent to another TARGET component</i>	10,185.20	9,494.67	10,227.15	11,368.36	13,583.25
<i>Memo:</i>					
Credit transfers received from another TARGET component	10,186.57	9,486.93	10,222.24	11,356.20	13,577.66
Concentration ratio in terms of value (%) ²	85.4	87.0	88.0	89.0	90.0
Retail payment systems					
Clearing house					
Credit transfers sent	88.78	75.15	65.11	59.00	48.58
<i>credit transfers</i>	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.15	0.06
<i>cheques</i>	87.73	75.06	65.01	58.85	48.52
<i>other payment instruments</i> ³	0.96	0.00	<i>nap</i>	<i>nap</i>	<i>nap</i>
Concentration ratio in terms of value (%) ²	71.6	70.5	81.0	85.1	90.5
CEC					
Total transactions sent	508.03	530.95	552.26	584.77	632.49
<i>credit transfers</i>	388.51	400.75	416.44	437.50	465.97
<i>direct debits</i>	19.35	18.65	20.17	20.37	20.60
<i>card payments</i>	30.03	38.19	42.25	49.41	53.49
<i>ATM transactions</i>	4.05	4.36	4.09	3.19	2.74
<i>e-money transactions</i>	0.35	0.82	0.67	0.61	0.55
<i>cheques</i>	19.59	15.07	12.94	13.02	25.62
<i>other payment instruments</i> ³	46.15	53.11	55.70	60.67	63.52
Concentration ratio in terms of value (%) ²	72.9	74.0	80.0	81.3	81.5

¹ The table contains both customer and interbank transactions. ² Market share of the five largest participants in each payment system. ³ Bills of exchange.

Table 12a
Instructions handled by trading platforms, clearing houses and securities settlement systems:
volume of transactions¹
(total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Trading platforms					
Regulated off-exchange market ²	94,594	107,335	96,607	79,750	73,304
Euronext Brussels	2,670,481	2,600,816	2,549,536	2,542,649	4,261,191
Nasdaq Europe ³	104,425	103,871	nap	nap	nap
Clearing houses					
Clearnet SA Brussels branch ⁴	4,976,000	nav	nav	nav	nav
Securities settlement systems					
NBB SSS	145,117	158,927	175,339	152,117	266,000
CIK	355,523	357,534	352,714	457,297	1,035,000
Euroclear Bank	15,100,000	18,400,000	22,000,000	24,000,000	26,961,000

¹ As a result of mergers and the creation of new companies, figures are not always available. ² Includes transactions made on MTS Belgium. ³ Nasdaq Europe was closed in 2003. ⁴ Number of trades cleared in Clearnet systems.

Table 12b
Instructions handled by trading platforms, clearing houses and securities settlement systems:
value of transactions¹
(EUR billions, total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Trading platforms					
Regulated off-exchange market ²	1,782.0	1,671.0	1,809.0	1,313.0	1,345.0
Euronext Brussels	46.2	40.5	37.9	57.6	94.0
Nasdaq Europe ³	1.7	0.3	nap	nap	nap
Clearing houses					
Clearnet SA Brussels branch	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Securities settlement systems					
NBB SSS ⁴	2,773.0	2,733.0	3,631.0	3,381.0	5,145.0
CIK	101.0	98.0	75.0	118.0	162.0
Euroclear Bank	86,900.0	103,500.0	118,100.0	132,600.0	154,404.3

¹ As a result of mergers and the creation of new companies, figures are not always available. ² Includes transactions made on MTS Belgium. ³ Nasdaq Europe was closed in 2003. ⁴ Nominal value.

Table 12c

Number of participants in trading platforms, clearing houses and securities settlement systems¹
(end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Trading platforms					
Regulated off-exchange market	196	187	183	181	175
Banks	131	129	126	121	123
<i>domestic</i>	66	64	59	58	53
<i>foreign</i>	65	65	67	63	70
Brokers/dealers	64	57	56	59	51
<i>domestic</i>	47	42	39	37	32
<i>foreign</i>	17	15	17	22	19
Others	1	1	1	1	1
<i>central bank</i>	1	1	1	1	1
Euronext Brussels	92	103	123	201	205
Members (stock exchange and derivatives exchange)	92	103	123	201	205
<i>domestic</i>	55	51	50	58	48
<i>foreign</i>	37	52	73	143	157
Nasdaq Europe²	66	54	nap	nap	nap
Members	66	54	nap	nap	nap
<i>domestic</i>	11	5	nap	nap	nap
<i>foreign</i>	55	49	nap	nap	nap
Banks	nav	nav	nap	nap	nap
Brokers/dealers	nav	nav	nap	nap	nap
Clearing houses					
Clearnet SA Brussels Branch	53	27	32	38	68
Banks	22	18	23	28	42
<i>domestic</i>	19	14	12	13	12
<i>foreign</i>	3	4	11	15	30
Brokers/dealers	31	9	9	10	26
<i>domestic</i>	31	6	5	4	5
<i>foreign</i>	0	3	4	6	21

Table 12c (cont)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Securities settlement systems					
NBB SSS	134	123	109	107	94
Banks	79	71	70	70	69
<i>domestic</i>	50	42	42	41	41
<i>foreign</i>	29	29	28	29	28
Brokers/dealers	19	15	8	6	5
<i>domestic</i>	<i>nav</i>	15	8	6	5
<i>foreign</i>	<i>nav</i>	0	0	0	0
Others:	36	37	31	31	20
<i>securities settlement systems</i>	6	5	3	3	3
<i>Ministry of Finance</i>	4	6	5	5	5
<i>public bodies</i>	26	26	23	23	12
CIK	104	97	93	87	81
Banks	61	61	61	58	53
<i>domestic</i>	45	42	42	41	40
<i>foreign</i>	16	19	19	17	13
Brokers/dealers	39	32	28	24	23
<i>domestic</i>	34	28	25	21	21
<i>foreign</i>	5	4	3	3	2
Securities settlement systems	4	4	4	5	5
Euroclear Bank	1,778	1,634	1,538	1,491	1,497
Banks	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
Brokers/dealers	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>
Securities settlement systems	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>	<i>nav</i>

¹ As a result of mergers and the creation of new companies, figures are not always available. ² Nasdaq Europe was closed in 2003. Where figures are available, "domestic" signifies European Union and "foreign" non-European Union.

Table 12d

Outstanding securities¹*(end of year)*

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Trading platforms					
Regulated off-exchange market²					
Value of stocks listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Value of other securities listed (EUR billions)	218	231	237	244	250
Number of stocks listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Number of other securities listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Euronext Brussels					
Value of stocks listed (EUR billions)	186.26	122.45	137.59	200.92	244.57
Value of other securities listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Number of stocks listed	275	256	250	235	222
Number of other securities listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	237
Nasdaq Europe³					
Value of stocks listed (EUR billions)	8.40	3.00	nap	nap	nap
Value of other securities listed (EUR billions)	nav	0.03	nap	nap	nap
Number of stocks listed	49	40	nap	nap	nap
Number of other securities listed	nav	1	nap	nap	nap
Securities settlement systems					
NBB SSS					
Value of stocks listed	nav	nav	nap	nap	nap
Value of other securities listed (EUR billions)	279	291	293	301	292
Number of stocks listed	nav	2,002	nav	nav	nav
Number of other securities listed	nav	nav	1,916	1,836	1,714
CIK					
Value of stocks listed (EUR billions)	189	127	128	153	201
Value of other securities listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Number of stocks listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Number of other securities listed	nav	nav	nav	nav	nav
Euroclear Bank					
Total value of securities under custody (EUR billions)	4,400	4,800	5,300	5,900	7,065
Total number of securities under custody	123,826	139,293	159,095	126,415	171,358

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Table 13
Participation in SWIFT by domestic institutions
(end of year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Members	23	21	22	21	21
<i>of which: live</i>	23	21	22	21	21
Sub-members	44	46	47	47	45
<i>of which: live</i>	44	46	47	47	44
Participants	16	19	17	20	20
<i>of which: live</i>	16	19	17	18	19
Total users	83	86	86	88	86
<i>of which: live</i>	83	86	86	86	84
<i>Memo:</i>					
Total SWIFT users	7,457	7,465	7,654	7,667	7,863
<i>members</i>	2,265	2,203	2,327	2,280	2,229
<i>sub-members</i>	3,143	3,079	3,083	3,019	3,060
<i>participants</i>	2,049	2,183	2,244	2,368	2,574

Source: SWIFT.

Table 14
SWIFT message flows to/from domestic users
(thousands, total for the year)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total messages sent	70,770	85,977	111,390	124,568	148,461
<i>of which:</i>					
<i>category I</i>	11,868	12,034	13,355	13,339	14,316
<i>category II</i>	5,475	5,299	5,501	5,784	6,258
Total messages received	58,223	64,390	72,419	83,316	93,111
<i>of which:</i>					
<i>category I</i>	11,166	12,230	12,051	12,904	14,576
<i>category II</i>	5,412	5,388	5,815	6,231	6,632
Domestic traffic	13,711	15,120	16,214	20,470	19,935
<i>Memo:</i>					
Global SWIFT traffic	1,533,906	1,817,444	2,047,564	2,299,074	2,518,285

Source: SWIFT.