

Table 1
Basic statistical data

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Population (thousands) ¹ | 16,223 | 16,276 | 16,317 | 16,341 | 16,405 |
| GDP (EUR billions) | 476.9 | 491.2 | 513.4 | 539.9 | 567.1 |
| GDP per capita (EUR) | 29,399 | 30,178 | 31,465 | 33,041 | 34,567 |
| Consumer price inflation (%) ¹ | 2.2 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 1.6 |
| Exchange rate (EUR/USD): | | | | | |
| end of year | 0.7918 | 0.7342 | 0.8477 | 0.7593 | 0.6793 |
| average | 0.8858 | 0.8049 | 0.8051 | 0.7972 | 0.7308 |

¹ Yearly average.

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Notes and coin in circulation outside banks ¹ | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Value of transferable deposits | 164.33 | 171.15 | 193.45 | 233.17 | 238.50 |
| Narrow money supply (M1) ^{1,2} | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Transferable deposits in foreign currencies | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Outstanding value on e-money storages | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.10 |
| on card-based products | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.10 |
| on software- or network-based products | 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 Currency in circulation excluding government cash plus transferable deposits in all currencies.

Table 3
Settlement media used by banks
(EUR billions, average for December)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Transferable balances held at the central bank ¹ | 13.57 | 13.69 | 15.48 | 18.97 | 20.88 |
| <i>required reserves</i> | 13.55 | 13.68 | 15.43 | 18.06 | 20.85 |
| <i>free reserves</i> | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.05 | 0.91 | 0.03 |
| Transferable balances held at other banks ² | 53.84 | 61.05 | 31.21 | 42.57 | 49.95 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Credit extended by the central bank: | | | | | |
| <i>intraday</i> | 16.54 | 18.66 | 20.05 | 22.82 | 30.60 |
| <i>overnight³</i> | 0.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.01 | 0.08 |
| <i>longer-term refinancing operations⁴</i> | 14.96 | 16.55 | 16.05 | 19.28 | 35.71 |

¹ Average for the last required reserve period of the year. ² At end of year. ³ Marginal lending facility. ⁴ 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)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Central bank | | | | | |
| Number of branches or offices | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Number of accounts (thousands) | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.01 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Number of accounts, banks (thousands) | 0.19 | 0.19 | 0.18 | 0.15 | 0.13 |
| Banks | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 481 | 461 | 421 | 345 | 322 |
| Number of branches or offices | 4,467 | 4,055 | 3,390 | 3,405 | 3,549 |
| Number of accounts (thousands) | 22,800 | 22,900 | 23,574 | 23,473 | 23,746 |
| of which: number of internet/PC-linked accounts | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 163.86 | 170.22 | 192.82 | 231.50 | 238.53 |
| Credit institutions legally incorporated in the reporting country | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 453 | 432 | 396 | 313 | 282 |
| Number of branches or offices | 4,418 | 4,005 | 3,341 | 3,356 | 3,495 |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 162.57 | 168.86 | 191.83 | 230.30 | 237.31 |
| Branches of euro area-based credit institutions | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 13 | 15 | 15 | 23 | 23 |
| Number of branches or offices | 30 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 33 |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 0.88 | 0.91 | 0.51 | 0.61 | 0.62 |
| Branches of EEA-based credit institutions (outside the euro area) | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 11 |
| Number of branches or offices | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 16 |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 0.19 | 0.25 | 0.23 | 0.28 | 0.29 |
| Branches of non-EEA based banks | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 8 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 6 |
| Number of branches or offices | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 6 |
| Value of accounts (EUR billions) | 0.22 | 0.21 | 0.25 | 0.31 | 0.31 |
| Other institutions offering payment services to non-banks¹ | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 32 | 30 | 28 | 25 | 32 |
| Number of branches or offices | 80 | 80 | 68 | 69 | 71 |
| Number of accounts | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Value of accounts | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Institutions offering payment services to non-banks (total) | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 514 | 492 | 450 | 371 | 355 |
| Number of branches or offices | 4,551 | 4,139 | 3,462 | 3,478 | 3,624 |
| Number of accounts held by non-banks | | | | | |
| (thousands) | 22,800 | 22,900 | 23,574 | 23,473 | 23,746 |
| of which: number of internet/PC-linked accounts | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Value of accounts held by non-banks | | | | | |
| (EUR billions) | 163.91 | 170.26 | 192.85 | 231.51 | 238.53 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Electronic money institutions | | | | | |
| Number of institutions | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| Outstanding value on e-money storages issued by | | | | | |
| e-money institutions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |

¹ Money transfer institutions.

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Cards issued in the country (thousands) | | | | | |
| Cards with a cash function | 27,400 | 27,800 | 31,458 | 31,720 | 31,356 |
| Cards with a debit function | 21,700 | 22,000 | 25,405 | 25,480 | 25,329 |
| Cards with a delayed debit function | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cards with a credit and delayed debit function | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cards with an e-money function ¹ | 17,600 | 18,000 | 17,533 | 18,203 | 18,132 |
| <i>of which: cards with an e-money function which have been loaded at least once</i> | 900 | 1,100 | nap | nap | nap |
| Total number of cards (irrespective of the number of functions on the card) ¹ | 27,400 | 27,800 | 31,458 | 31,720 | 31,356 |
| <i>of which: cards with a combined debit, cash and e-money function¹</i> | 17,600 | 18,000 | 17,533 | 18,203 | 18,132 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Retailer cards | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Terminals located in the country | | | | | |
| ATMs | 7,556 | 7,889 | 7,446 | 8,114 | 8,546 |
| <i>ATMs with a cash withdrawal function</i> | 7,556 | 7,889 | 7,446 | 8,114 | 8,546 |
| <i>ATMs with a credit transfer function</i> | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| POS terminals | 186,272 | 194,966 | 252,224 | 265,779 | 306,264 |
| <i>of which: EFTPOS terminals</i> | 186,272 | 194,966 | 234,958 | 246,627 | 273,062 |
| E-money card terminals | 185,168 | 197,656 | 158,865 | 160,838 | 206,525 |
| <i>e-money card loading/unloading terminals</i> | 5,062 | 5,401 | 4,054 | 4,154 | 4,192 |
| <i>e-money card payment terminals</i> | 180,106 | 192,255 | 154,811 | 156,684 | 202,333 |

¹ Excluding e-purse-only cards.

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Transactions per type of payment instrument | | | | | |
| Credit transfers ¹ | 1,271.37 | 1,264.20 | 1,263.03 | 1,366.13 | 1,416.17 |
| paper-based | 315.77 | 291.58 | 232.04 | 187.96 | 159.50 |
| non-paper-based | 955.61 | 972.63 | 1,030.99 | 1,178.17 | 1,256.67 |
| Direct debits | 1,000.75 | 1,051.31 | 1,059.35 | 1,139.06 | 1,176.94 |
| Card payments with cards issued in the country | 1,201.17 | 1,295.60 | 1,418.91 | 1,536.13 | 1,681.02 |
| payments by cards with a debit function | 1,157.07 | 1,247.09 | 1,345.16 | 1,465.72 | 1,606.53 |
| payments by cards with a credit and delayed debit function | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money payment transactions | 109.16 | 127.27 | 146.93 | 164.39 | 174.83 |
| by cards with an e-money function | 109.16 | 127.27 | 146.93 | 164.39 | 174.83 |
| through other e-money storages | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cheques | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Other payment instruments | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Total number of transactions with payment instruments | 3,582.46 | 3,738.39 | 3,876.60 | 4,190.79 | 4,430.07 |
| of which: cross-border transactions sent | nap | nap | 68.71 | 70.24 | 80.87 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Cross-border transactions received | 0.75 | 0.58 | 26.78 | 32.63 | 43.35 |
| Transactions per type of terminal | | | | | |
| Total transactions at terminals in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | nav | nav | 2,049.02 | 2,202.76 | 2,363.92 |
| ATM cash withdrawals | nav | nav | 480.64 | 489.90 | 488.90 |
| ATM cash deposits | nav | nav | 9.93 | 10.32 | 10.88 |
| POS payment transactions | nav | nav | 1,525.30 | 1,664.79 | 1,821.02 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nav | nav | 21.23 | 23.31 | 25.59 |
| E-money card payment transactions | nav | nav | | | |
| a) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | 1,775.26 | 1,876.34 | 2,020.00 | 2,168.37 | 2,316.12 |
| ATM cash withdrawals | 494.00 | 484.00 | 466.90 | 475.61 | 470.51 |
| ATM cash deposits | nap | nap | 9.93 | 10.32 | 10.88 |
| POS payment transactions | 1,266.24 | 1,374.36 | 1,510.03 | 1,644.70 | 1,791.62 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | 15.02 | 17.98 | 21.23 | 23.31 | 25.59 |
| E-money card payment transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| b) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued outside the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | nap | nap | 29.01 | 34.39 | 47.80 |
| ATM cash withdrawals | nap | nap | 13.74 | 14.30 | 18.40 |
| ATM cash deposits | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| POS payment transactions | nap | nap | 15.27 | 20.09 | 29.40 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money card payment transactions | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| c) Transactions at terminals outside the country by cards issued in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | 15.20 | 16.30 | 84.91 | 85.89 | 97.91 |
| ATM cash withdrawals | 15.20 | 16.30 | 29.11 | 30.08 | 33.67 |
| ATM cash deposits | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| POS payment transactions | nap | nap | 55.80 | 55.81 | 64.24 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money card payment transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |

¹ Does not include cross-border payments above EUR 1 million, assumed to be related to corporate treasury operations. Does not include customer (corporate) payments directly settled in TOP.

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Transactions per type of payment instrument | | | | | |
| Credit transfers ¹ | 3,715.90 | 4,340.04 | 5,240.83 | 5,745.39 | 5,916.27 |
| <i>paper-based</i> | 497.14 | 380.07 | 228.37 | 227.07 | 222.10 |
| <i>non-paper-based</i> | 3,218.76 | 3,959.96 | 5,012.46 | 5,518.31 | 5,694.16 |
| Direct debits | 211.46 | 219.22 | 231.01 | 261.47 | 278.55 |
| Card payments with cards issued in the country | 58.81 | 61.98 | 67.39 | 71.81 | 77.62 |
| <i>payments by cards with a debit function</i> | 53.87 | 56.73 | 59.53 | 64.22 | 69.54 |
| <i>payments by cards with a credit and delayed debit function</i> | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money payment transactions | 0.30 | 0.35 | 0.40 | 0.44 | 0.48 |
| <i>by cards with an e-money function</i> | 0.30 | 0.35 | 0.40 | 0.44 | 0.48 |
| <i>through other e-money storages</i> | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cheques | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Other payment instruments | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Total value of transactions with payment instruments | 3,986.48 | 4,621.59 | 5,539.63 | 6,079.12 | 6,272.91 |
| <i>of which: cross-border transactions sent</i> | nap | nap | 234.18 | 251.22 | 280.46 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Cross-border transactions received | 2.10 | 1.86 | 244.81 | 259.19 | 273.82 |
| Transactions per type of terminal | | | | | |
| Total transactions at terminals in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | nav | nav | 128.91 | 135.07 | 143.57 |
| <i>ATM cash withdrawals</i> | nav | nav | 56.19 | 56.86 | 57.45 |
| <i>ATM cash deposits</i> | nav | nav | 7.09 | 7.37 | 9.17 |
| POS payment transactions | nav | nav | 65.20 | 70.36 | 76.44 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nav | nav | 0.43 | 0.47 | 0.51 |
| E-money card payment transactions | nav | nav | | | |
| a) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | 105.39 | 108.46 | 125.58 | 131.05 | 138.36 |
| <i>ATM cash withdrawals</i> | 50.91 | 51.01 | 54.61 | 55.17 | 55.36 |
| <i>ATM cash deposits</i> | nap | nap | 7.09 | 7.37 | 9.17 |
| POS payment transactions | 54.17 | 57.08 | 63.44 | 68.03 | 73.32 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | 0.32 | 0.37 | 0.43 | 0.47 | 0.51 |
| E-money card payment transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| b) Transactions at terminals in the country by cards issued outside the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | nap | nap | 3.34 | 4.01 | 5.22 |
| <i>ATM cash withdrawals</i> | nap | nap | 1.58 | 1.69 | 2.09 |
| <i>ATM cash deposits</i> | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| POS payment transactions | nap | nap | 1.76 | 2.33 | 3.13 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money card payment transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| c) Transactions at terminals outside the country by cards issued in the country | | | | | |
| Cash transactions | nap | nap | 10.06 | 10.12 | 12.01 |
| <i>ATM cash withdrawals</i> | nap | nap | 4.70 | 4.66 | 6.01 |
| <i>ATM cash deposits</i> | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| POS payment transactions | nap | nap | 5.36 | 5.45 | 6.00 |
| E-money card loading/unloading transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| E-money card payment transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |

¹ Does not include cross-border payments above EUR 1 million, assumed to be related to corporate treasury operations. Does not include customer (corporate) payments directly settled in TOP.

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Large-value payment systems | | | | | |
| TOP (TARGET component) | | | | | |
| Number of participants | 155 | 161 | 155 | 148 | 132 |
| Direct participants | 106 | 102 | 102 | 99 | 90 |
| Banks | 95 | 92 | 97 | 94 | 85 |
| Central bank | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Other direct participants | 10 | 9 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| General government | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Clearing and settlement organisations | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Other financial institutions | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Indirect participants | 49 | 59 | 53 | 49 | 42 |
| Retail payment systems | | | | | |
| Equens | | | | | |
| Number of participants | 73 | 69 | 68 | 61 | 57 |
| Direct participants | 73 | 69 | 68 | 61 | 57 |
| Banks | 73 | 69 | 68 | 61 | 57 |

Table 10
Payments processed by selected interbank funds transfer systems: volume of transactions
(millions, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Large-value payment systems | | | | | |
| TOP (TARGET component) | | | | | |
| Credit transfers sent | 4.92 | 4.98 | 4.70 | 4.77 | 7.26 |
| <i>credit transfers sent within TOP</i> | 4.30 | 4.20 | 3.91 | 3.92 | 6.31 |
| <i>credit transfers sent to another TARGET component</i> | 0.63 | 0.79 | 0.79 | 0.86 | 0.95 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Credit transfers received from another TARGET component | 1.03 | 1.12 | 1.23 | 1.29 | 1.29 |
| Concentration ratio in terms of volume (%) | 62.7 | 62.0 | 59.5 | 58.2 | 62.1 |
| Retail payment systems | | | | | |
| Equens | | | | | |
| Total national transactions sent | 2,964.95 | 3,123.49 | 3,272.06 | 3,530.42 | 3,802.58 |
| Credit transfers | 819.83 | 833.72 | 850.34 | 917.65 | 953.33 |
| <i>paper-based credit transfers</i> | nav | nav | 151.69 | 136.49 | 138.45 |
| <i>non-paper-based credit transfers</i> | nav | nav | 698.65 | 781.16 | 814.88 |
| Direct debits | 845.42 | 895.02 | 938.92 | 979.06 | 1,022.80 |
| Card payments | 1,121.14 | 1,212.64 | 1,295.29 | 1,436.59 | 1,617.94 |
| ATM transactions | 178.56 | 182.12 | 187.52 | 197.12 | 208.50 |
| E-money transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cheques | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other payment instruments | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Concentration ratio in terms of volume (%) | 93.5 | 93.5 | 96.5 | 96.6 | 96.7 |

Table 11

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

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Large-value payment systems | | | | | |
| TOP (TARGET component) | | | | | |
| Credit transfers sent | 26,279.36 | 29,681.37 | 30,695.39 | 32,002.77 | 39,047.36 |
| <i>credit transfers sent within TOP</i> | <i>14,408.40</i> | <i>16,802.53</i> | <i>15,905.52</i> | <i>15,914.20</i> | <i>19,886.97</i> |
| <i>credit transfers sent to another TARGET component</i> | <i>11,870.96</i> | <i>12,878.85</i> | <i>14,789.87</i> | <i>16,088.57</i> | <i>19,160.39</i> |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Credit transfers received from another TARGET component | 11,873.87 | 12,876.23 | 14,792.49 | 16,099.48 | 15,949.72 |
| Concentration ratio in terms of value (%) | 69.4 | 69.1 | 73.9 | 72.8 | 72.2 |
| Retail payment systems | | | | | |
| Equens | | | | | |
| Total national transactions sent | 1,778.44 | 1,835.50 | 1,942.57 | 2,119.50 | 2,057.22 |
| Credit transfers | 1,517.58 | 1,563.70 | 1,650.10 | 1,799.34 | 1,710.72 |
| <i>paper-based credit transfers</i> | <i>nav</i> | <i>nav</i> | <i>39.44</i> | <i>41.03</i> | <i>45.92</i> |
| <i>non-paper-based credit transfers</i> | <i>nav</i> | <i>nav</i> | <i>1,610.66</i> | <i>1,758.31</i> | <i>1,664.79</i> |
| Direct debits | 191.28 | 198.90 | 216.36 | 237.61 | 255.79 |
| Card payments | 52.79 | 55.85 | 58.60 | 64.22 | 71.17 |
| ATM transactions | 16.79 | 17.05 | 17.51 | 18.33 | 19.53 |
| E-money transactions | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Cheques | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other payment instruments | nap | nap | nap | nap | nap |
| Concentration ratio in terms of value (%) | 92.2 | 93.0 | 96.1 | 96.5 | 96.4 |

Table 12
Participation in SWIFT by domestic institutions
(end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Members | 25 | 25 | 22 | 23 | 23 |
| <i>of which: live</i> | 25 | 25 | 22 | 23 | 23 |
| Sub-members | 46 | 46 | 43 | 41 | 42 |
| <i>of which: live</i> | 45 | 45 | 43 | 41 | 40 |
| Participants | 29 | 31 | 37 | 38 | 38 |
| <i>of which: live</i> | 28 | 26 | 29 | 30 | 32 |
| Total users | 100 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 103 |
| <i>of which: live</i> | 98 | 96 | 94 | 94 | 95 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Total SWIFT users | 7,654 | 7,813 | 8,049 | 8,105 | 8,332 |
| <i>members</i> | 2,327 | 2,292 | 2,238 | 2,288 | 2,276 |
| <i>sub-members</i> | 3,083 | 3,058 | 3,108 | 3,120 | 3,212 |
| <i>participants</i> | 2,244 | 2,463 | 2,703 | 2,697 | 2,844 |

Source: SWIFT.

Table 13
SWIFT message flows to/from domestic users
(thousands, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Total messages sent | 86,686 | 87,583 | 92,994 | 101,974 | 132,867 |
| <i>of which:</i> | | | | | |
| category I | 16,904 | 17,956 | 18,052 | 19,032 | 27,456 |
| category II | 11,301 | 11,051 | 11,555 | 11,995 | 13,688 |
| Total messages received | 86,026 | 89,768 | 96,731 | 111,103 | 147,765 |
| <i>of which:</i> | | | | | |
| category I | 13,721 | 13,966 | 14,274 | 14,283 | 21,982 |
| category II | 9,031 | 8,716 | 9,132 | 9,380 | 11,176 |
| Domestic traffic | 36,929 | 34,312 | 33,212 | 35,451 | 49,493 |
| <i>Memo:</i> | | | | | |
| Global SWIFT traffic | 2,047,564 | 2,299,074 | 2,518,285 | 2,864,537 | 3,501,163 |

Source: SWIFT.

Table 14
Number of participants in exchanges and trading systems
(end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|
| Euronext Amsterdam Stock Market | | | | | |
| Total number of participants | 167 | 163 | 156 | 185 | 216 |
| <i>central bank</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>central counterparties (CCPs)</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>banks</i> | 72 | 62 | 65 | nap | nap |
| <i>other</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| Number of domestic participants | 72 | 74 | 54 | nap | nap |
| <i>central bank</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>central counterparties (CCPs)</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>banks</i> | 27 | 34 | 28 | nap | nap |
| <i>other</i> | 45 | 40 | 26 | nap | nap |
| Number of foreign participants | 95 | 89 | 102 | nap | nap |
| <i>central bank</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>central counterparties (CCPs)</i> | 0 | 0 | 0 | nap | nap |
| <i>banks</i> | 45 | 28 | 37 | nap | nap |
| <i>other</i> | 50 | 61 | 65 | nap | nap |

Table 15
Number of listed securities
(end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Euronext Amsterdam Stock Market | | | | | |
| Total number of listed securities | 1,852 | 2,096 | 2,793 | 3,817 | 5,036 |
| <i>debt securities</i> | 1,026 | 1,292 | 1,513 | 1,565 | 1,566 |
| <i>short-term paper</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>bonds</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>equity</i> | 268 | 256 | 237 | 224 | 221 |
| <i>other</i> | 558 | 548 | 1,043 | 2,028 | 3,249 |

Table 16
Market capitalisation of listed companies
(EUR billions, end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Euronext Amsterdam Stock Market | | | | | |
| Total market capitalisation/equity | 387.40 | 396.30 | 502.61 | 591.21 | 654.01 |

Table 17
Number of executed trades
(thousands, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Euronext Amsterdam Stock Market | | | | | |
| Total number of executed securities trades | 19,561 | 17,994 | 19,378 | 26,702 | 39,200 |
| <i>debt securities</i> | 308 | 227 | 225 | 234 | 260 |
| <i>short-term paper</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>bonds</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>equity</i> | 19,150 | 17,625 | 18,748 | 25,167 | 37,124 |
| <i>other</i> | 51 | 71 | 203 | 1,301 | 1,816 |
| Total number of executed derivatives trades | | | | | |

Table 18
Value of executed trades
(EUR billions, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|--------|--------|----------|----------|----------|
| Euronext Amsterdam Stock Market | | | | | |
| Total value of executed securities trades | 446.47 | 480.13 | 575.37 | 966.60 | 1,414.55 |
| <i>debt securities</i> | 15.43 | 11.46 | 10.34 | 68.58 | 69.16 |
| <i>short-term paper</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>bonds</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>equity</i> | 429.02 | 465.83 | 558.69 | 873.23 | 1,314.64 |
| <i>other</i> | 2.02 | 2.83 | 6.34 | 24.78 | 30.75 |
| Total value of executed derivatives trades | nav | nav | nav | 2,437.85 | 3,134.21 |
| <i>financial futures</i> | 316.72 | 382.47 | 570.29 | 1,029.90 | 1,336.72 |
| <i>financial options</i> | 532.79 | 702.12 | 1,099.38 | 1,407.89 | 1,797.49 |
| <i>other financial derivatives</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| <i>commodity futures</i> | nav | nav | nav | 0.068 | 0 |
| <i>commodity options</i> | nav | nav | nav | 0.001 | 0 |
| <i>other commodity derivatives</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |

Table 19
Number of clearing members

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|
| LCH.Clearnet SA | | | | | |
| Total number of clearing members ¹ | nav | nav | nav | nav | nav |
| ¹ See France, Table 19. | | | | | |

Table 20
Number of contracts and transactions cleared
(thousands, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------------|------------------|
| LCH Clearnet SA | | | | | |
| Total number of contracts and transactions cleared | nav | nav | nav | 310,783 | 398,324 |
| Number of securities transactions cleared <i>equity</i> | nav nav | nav nav | nav nav | 53,048 53,048 | 78,010 78,010 |
| <i>of which: number of repurchase transactions cleared</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| Number of exchange-traded derivatives contracts cleared | nav | nav | nav | 257,735 | 320,314 |
| <i>financial futures</i> | nav | nav | nav | 22,998 | 26,375 |
| <i>financial options</i> | nav | nav | nav | 234,737 | 293,939 |
| Number of OTC derivatives contracts cleared | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |

Table 21
Value of contracts and transactions cleared
(EUR billions, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| LCH Clearnet SA | | | | | |
| Total value of contracts and transactions cleared | nav | nav | nav | 3,628.55 | 5,087.41 |
| Value of securities transactions cleared <i>equity</i> | nav nav | nav nav | nav nav | 1,506.57 1,506.57 | 2,336.03 2,336.03 |
| <i>of which: value of repurchase transactions cleared</i> | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |
| Value of exchange-traded derivatives contracts cleared | nav | nav | nav | 2,121.98 | 2,751.38 |
| <i>financial futures</i> | nav | nav | nav | 2,060.11 | 2,674.28 |
| <i>financial options</i> | nav | nav | nav | 61.87 | 77.10 |
| Value of OTC derivatives contracts cleared | nav | nav | nav | nap | nap |

Table 22
Number of direct participants in CSDs
(end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--|------|------|------|------|------|
| Euroclear Netherlands | | | | | |
| Total number of participants | 66 | 63 | 57 | 58 | 59 |
| <i>central bank</i> | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <i>central counterparties (CCPs)</i> | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| <i>central securities depositories</i> | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| <i>banks</i> | 51 | 48 | 42 | 43 | 43 |
| Number of domestic participants | 48 | 45 | 39 | 38 | 39 |
| <i>central bank</i> | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| <i>central counterparties (CCPs)</i> | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| <i>banks</i> | 46 | 43 | 37 | 36 | 36 |
| Number of foreign participants | 18 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 20 |
| <i>central securities depositories</i> | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 |
| <i>banks</i> | 5 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 7 |

Table 23
Number of securities held on accounts at CSDs
(thousands, end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Euroclear Netherlands | | | | | |
| Total number of securities held | 2,988 | 3,327 | 4,210 | 4,018 | 6,352 |
| <i>debt securities</i> | 1,796 | 2,089 | 2,458 | 1,245 | 1,806 |
| <i>short-term paper</i> | 361 | 324 | 2,169 | 1,028 | 1,627 |
| <i>bonds</i> | 1,435 | 1,765 | 289 | 217 | 179 |
| <i>equity</i> | 1,146 | 1,191 | 1,694 | 2,773 | 1,044 |
| <i>other</i> ¹ | 46 | 47 | 58 | 0 | 3,502 |

¹ Since 2007, it includes equity linked instruments.

Table 24
Value of securities held on accounts at CSDs
(EUR billions, end of year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Euroclear Netherlands | | | | | |
| Total value of securities held | 710.77 | 756.74 | 880.72 | 953.85 | 944.60 |
| <i>debt securities</i> | 311.48 | 324.83 | 333.43 | 333.40 | 383.51 |
| <i>short-term paper</i> | 35.33 | 27.97 | 27.53 | 22.16 | 27.61 |
| <i>bonds</i> | 276.15 | 296.86 | 305.90 | 311.24 | 355.90 |
| <i>equity</i> | 392.60 | 428.12 | 543.05 | 620.45 | 542.22 |
| <i>other</i> | 6.68 | 3.80 | 4.24 | 0.00 | 18.87 |

Table 25

Number of delivery instructions processed

(thousands, total for the year)

| | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Euroclear Netherlands | | | | | |
| Total number of delivery instructions | 2,132 | 1,999 | 3,124 | 3,846 | 4,651 |
| DVP | nav | nav | 2,312 | 2,807 | 3,378 |
| debt securities | nav | nav | 112 | 125 | 114 |
| bonds | nav | nav | 112 | 125 | 114 |
| equity | nav | nav | 2,200 | 2,682 | 3,264 |
| free of payment | nav | nav | 812 | 1,039 | 1,274 |
| debt securities | nav | nav | 114 | 108 | 123 |
| bonds | nav | nav | 114 | 108 | 123 |
| equity | nav | nav | 694 | 928 | 1,151 |
| other | nav | nav | 3 | 3 | 0 |

Table 26

Value of delivery instructions processed

Details are not available.