

Non-financial sector financial transactions – France

Financing and financial investment flows are dynamic for non-financial corporations in Q1 2024

NON-FINANCIAL CORPORATIONS*

| FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS | YEARS | | CUMULATIVE SUM OVER 4 QUARTERS | QUARTERS (SA) | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | 2022 | 2023 | | 2023 Q2 | 2023 Q3 | 2023 Q4 | 2024 Q1 |
| (EUR billions) | | | | | | | |
| Financing | 96.7 | 56.4 | 54.6 | 2.9 | 23.6 | 5.5 | 22.6 |
| - MFI loans | 100.9 | 35.7 | 24.1 | 7.4 | 15.1 | 8.2 | -6.6 |
| - Debt securities | -4.6 | 11.2 | 10.4 | 2.5 | 5.8 | 11.2 | -9.1 |
| - Shares and net equities (a) | 0.4 | 9.5 | 20.1 | -7.0 | 2.7 | -13.9 | 38.3 |
| Financial investment (b) | 44.9 | 28.9 | 45.2 | 7.3 | 12.9 | 10.4 | 14.6 |
| - Currency and deposits | 21.0 | -29.8 | -14.6 | -16.0 | -2.5 | 16.0 | -12.1 |
| - Securities | 8.9 | 32.0 | 38.9 | 14.2 | 8.6 | -4.8 | 20.9 |
| debt securities | 16.6 | 7.1 | 9.6 | 3.6 | 3.8 | -1.8 | 4.1 |
| money market fund shares | -6.0 | 30.3 | 32.9 | 8.3 | 7.1 | -0.4 | 17.9 |
| non-MMF investment fund shares | -1.8 | -5.4 | -3.6 | 2.3 | -2.3 | -2.6 | -1.1 |
| - Other net financial assets (c) | 15.1 | 26.7 | 20.8 | 9.1 | 6.8 | -0.8 | 5.8 |

(a) including direct investment (equity capital and reinvested earnings)

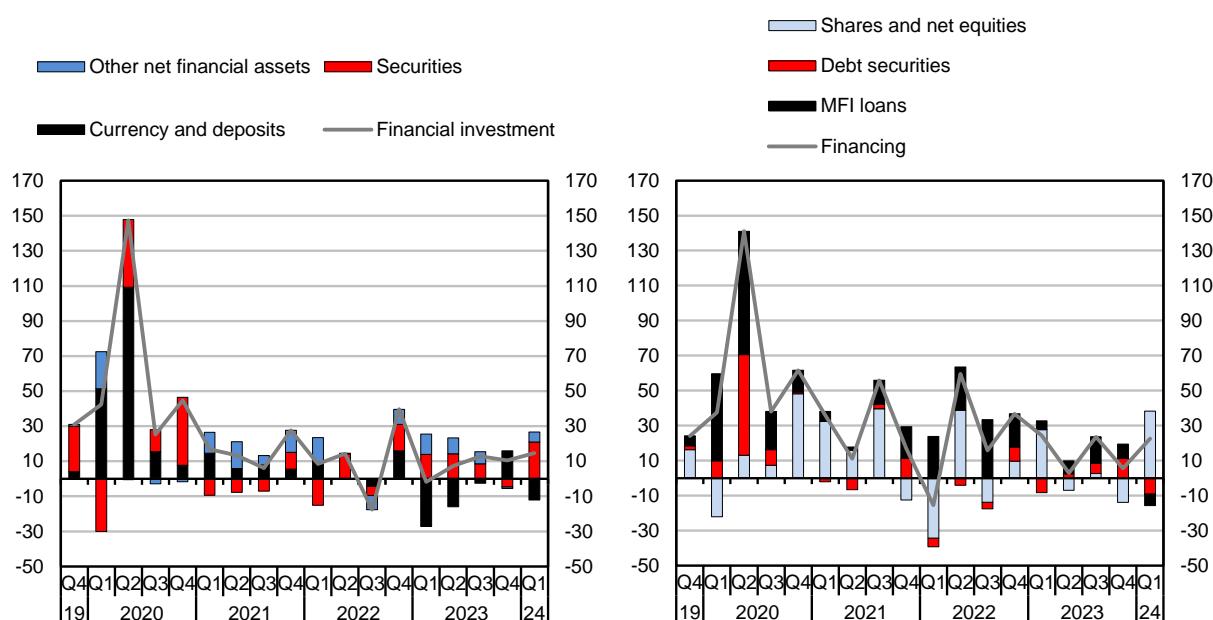
(b) are excluded here several residual items

(c) mainly cross-border intercompany lending/borrowing

Net financing by **non-financial corporations (NFCs)** increases in Q1 2024, due in particular to a positive flow of unlisted shares issuances. Investment by NFCs is up, mainly in money market fund shares. At the same time, deposits by NFCs decline, in contrast to Q4 2023.

Non-financial corporations: Flows of financial investment and financing (SA)

EUR billions



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GENERAL GOVERNMENT*

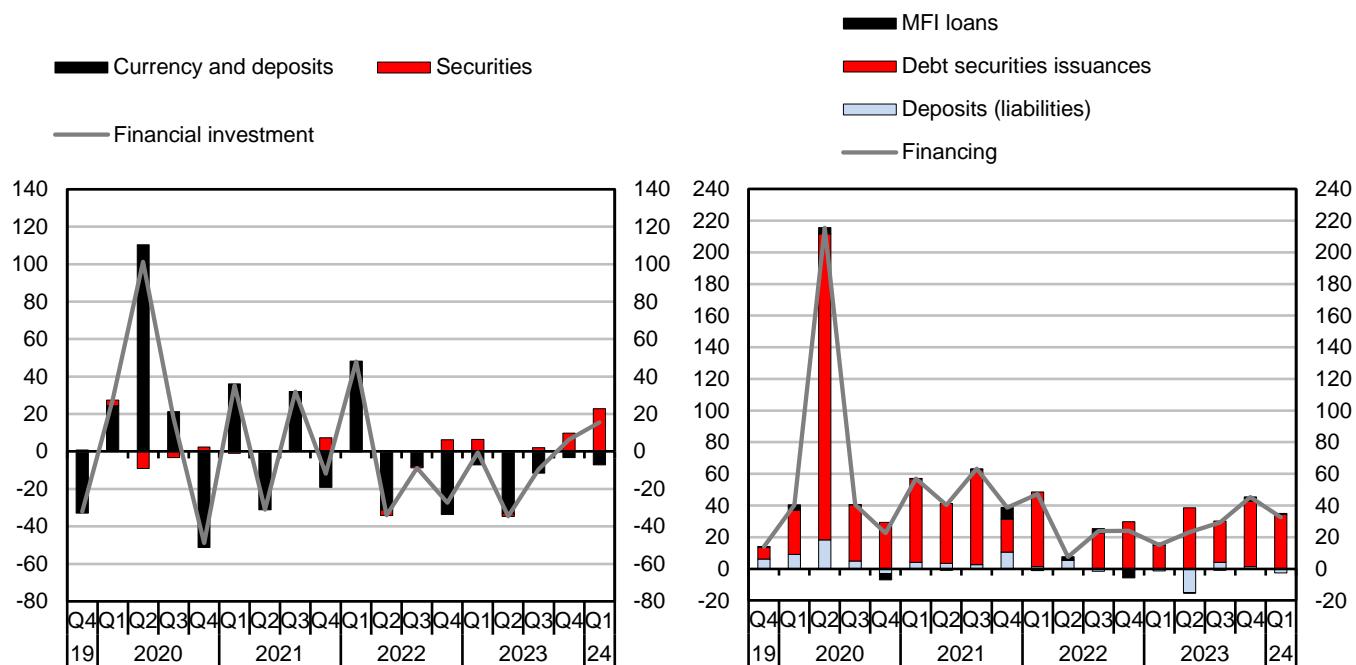
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| | 2022 | 2023 | | 2023 Q2 | 2023 Q3 | 2023 Q4 | 2024 Q1 |
| (EUR billions) | | | | | | | |
| Financing | 102.7 | 112.7 | 130.1 | 23.1 | 29.2 | 45.4 | 32.5 |
| - Deposits | 4.5 | -11.1 | -12.5 | -15.1 | 4.0 | 1.3 | -2.6 |
| - MFI loans | -1.7 | 2.9 | 2.2 | -0.2 | -0.9 | 2.7 | 0.6 |
| - Debt securities | 99.9 | 120.9 | 140.4 | 38.4 | 26.1 | 41.4 | 34.5 |
| Financial investment (a) | -22.4 | -38.6 | -22.4 | -34.6 | -9.6 | 6.4 | 15.6 |
| - Currency and deposits | -24.6 | -55.2 | -55.4 | -33.2 | -11.6 | -3.3 | -7.2 |
| - Securities | 2.2 | 16.7 | 33.0 | -1.4 | 2.0 | 9.7 | 22.8 |
| debt securities | 2.1 | 3.2 | 23.3 | 0.4 | -3.2 | 5.6 | 20.5 |
| net equities | -4.9 | 9.3 | 5.1 | 0.4 | 5.6 | -1.2 | 0.4 |
| investment fund shares | 5.0 | 4.2 | 4.5 | -2.2 | -0.4 | 5.3 | 1.9 |

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General government financing flows remain positive in Q1 2024. Debt securities issuances are slightly lower than in Q4 2023. They are reduced on a net basis by an internal operation within the sector. Indeed, the Caisse de la Dette Publique (Government Debt Fund) has acquired during the quarter 20 billion in government bonds.

General government: Flows of financial investment and financing (SA)

EUR billions



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HOUSEHOLDS*

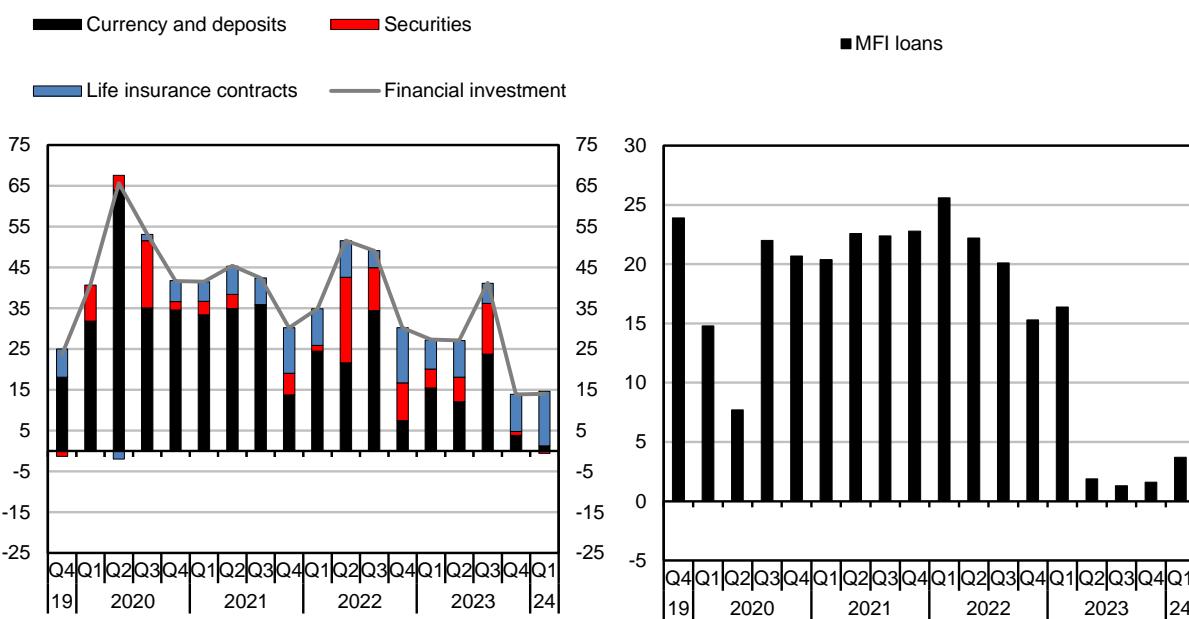
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| | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 Q1 | | 2023 Q2 | 2023 Q3 | 2023 Q4 |
| Financing | 83.2 | 21.2 | 8.5 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 3.7 |
| - MFI loans | 83.2 | 21.2 | 8.5 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 3.7 |
| Financial investment (a) | 166.0 | 109.5 | 96.3 | 27.1 | 41.2 | 13.9 | 14.0 |
| - Currency and deposits | 88.0 | 55.1 | 40.9 | 12.1 | 23.8 | 3.8 | 1.2 |
| of which transferable deposits | 8.0 | -57.6 | -49.8 | -15.8 | -2.9 | -18.5 | -12.6 |
| passbook savings | 58.1 | 45.1 | 32.2 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 14.5 | 1.3 |
| home saving plans | -6.7 | -28.5 | -32.4 | -6.7 | -6.7 | -8.3 | -10.7 |
| - Securities | 42.4 | 24.0 | 18.9 | 6.0 | 12.4 | 1.0 | -0.6 |
| debt securities | 6.1 | 5.8 | 6.9 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.5 | 1.7 |
| listed shares | 7.5 | -12.1 | -17.2 | 0.0 | 2.1 | -12.9 | -6.3 |
| unlisted shares and other equities | 20.8 | 22.4 | 18.9 | 3.0 | 4.7 | 10.7 | 0.4 |
| money market fund shares | 1.8 | 8.4 | 9.4 | 2.4 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 2.7 |
| non-MMF investment fund shares | 6.1 | -0.5 | 0.8 | -1.2 | 1.8 | -0.7 | 0.9 |
| - Life insurance and pension plans | 35.7 | 30.3 | 36.5 | 9.0 | 5.0 | 9.1 | 13.4 |
| of which non-unit linked contracts | 0.9 | 3.6 | 9.2 | -0.6 | 3.3 | 5.5 | 1.0 |

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In Q1 2024, the bulk of **households'** investment flows are into life insurance, mainly unit-linked. Withdrawals exceed deposits on current accounts and home saving plans, while passbook savings are balanced. Term accounts, on the other hand, remain fairly buoyant. Investment in securities is practically stable, with negative flows in listed shares. At the same time, households' MFI loans increase moderately.

Households: Flows of financial investment and financing (SA)

EUR billions



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