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# ANNUAL NON-FINANCIAL SECTOR ACCOUNTS: YEAR 2022 AND REVISION OF YEARS 2019-2021

Annual non-financial sector accounts provide an overall description of the Greek economy, based on the analysis of the economic behavior of the institutional sectors constituting the economy (households and non-profit institutions serving households, non-financial corporations, financial corporations, general government) and the relations of the national economy with the rest of world.

The data presented in this announcement have been compiled in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EU) 549/2013 (ESA 2010). All the best available data sources were used to compile the estimates.

It is noted that Annual non-financial Sector Accounts are revised following the revisions of Annual National Accounts in order to ensure coherence between them. More information concerning the most recent revision of the Annual National Accounts, are provided in ELSTAT's announcement of 18/10/2023, which is available in the following link:

#### **Gross Domestic Product (2nd estimate)**

The evolution in the net lending/net borrowing of the total economy from the rest of the world for the years 2010-2022 is presented in Graph 1. In particular, in 2022 the external balance of goods and services recorded a deficit of 20.1 billion euro compared with a deficit of 14.1 billion euro recorded in 2021 (Table 1). The total economy (S.1) presented, in 2022, net borrowing of 16.8 billion euro vis-à-vis the rest of the world (S.2), in comparison with 2021 when net borrowing was 10.6 billion euro (Table 1).

Table 1: Evolution in the net lending/net borrowing of the Total Economy (in billion €)

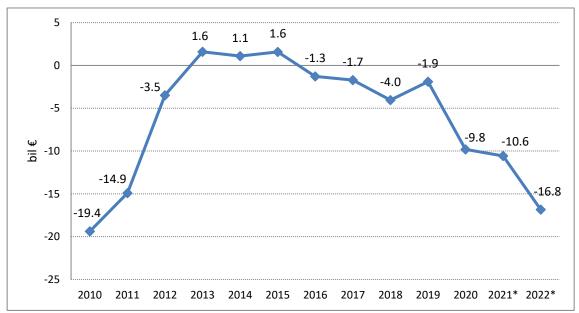
Total economy (S.1)	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021*	2022*
Imports of goods and services	65.9	63.7	62.8	58.8	60.3	58.5	57.1	64.6	73.9	76.6	65.6	88.4	121.6
Exports of goods and services	48.9	51.8	54.1	54.3	57.6	56.7	54.6	62.0	70.0	73.5	52.9	74.3	101.5
External balance of goods and services	-17.0	-11.9	-8.6	-4.4	-2.8	-1.8	-2.5	-2.7	-3.9	-3.1	-12.7	-14.1	-20.1
External balance of primary incomes, current and capital transfers	-2.3	-3.0	5.1	6.0	3.9	3.4	1.2	1.0	-0.2	1.2	2.9	3.5	3.3
Net lending(+) / net borrowing(-)	-19.4	-14.9	-3.5	1.6	1.1	1.6	-1.3	-1.7	-4.0	-1.9	-9.8	-10.6	-16.8
Rest of the world (S.2)													
Net lending(+) / net borrowing(-)	19.4	14.9	3.5	-1.6	-1.1	-1.6	1.3	1.7	4.0	1.9	9.8	10.6	16.8

(\*) Provisional Data

In billion €

Small deviations in sums or the rates of change are due to rounding

Graph 1: Net lending/net borrowing of Total Economy (in billion €)



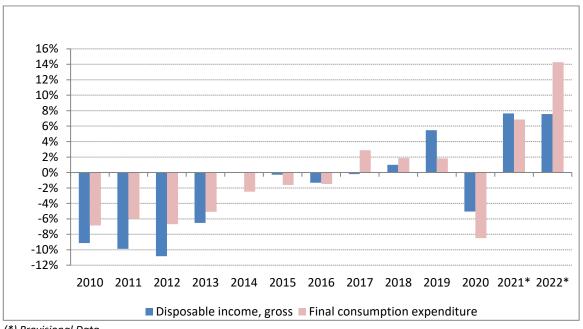
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The evolution of gross disposable income and the final consumption expenditure of Households and NPISH's (S.1M) for years 2010-2022 is presented in Graph 2.

More specifically, the disposable income of sector S.1M was increased by 7.6% in 2022 compared to 2021, from 126.3 billion euro to 135.9 billion euro.

The final consumption expenditure of households and NPISH's was increased by 14.3% in 2022 compared to 2021, from 123.7 billion euro to 141.4 billion euro.

Graph 2: Households and NPISH's gross disposable income and final consumption expenditure growth (change compared with the previous year)



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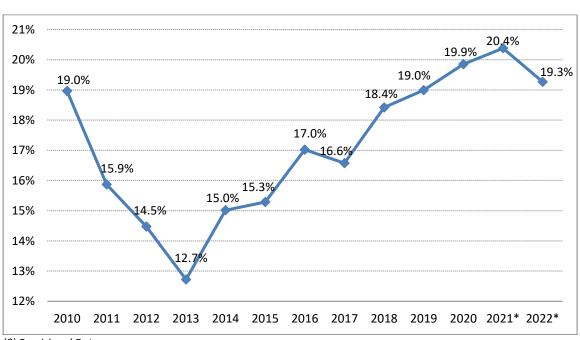
The evolution of the saving rate of Households and NPISH's, defined as gross savings divided by gross disposable income, is presented in the Graph 3, for years 2010-2022. In particular, the saving rate of households and NPISH's was -4.0% in 2022 compared to 2.1% in 2021.

6 % 4.5% 4 % 2.1% 1.4% 2 % 0.3% 0 % -2.1% -1.9% -2.3% -2 % -3.5% 4.0% -4 % -4.5% 5.1% -6.0% 6.29 -6 % -8 % 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021\* 2022\*

Graph 3: Saving rate of Households and NPISH's

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The evolution of the gross investment rate of Non-financial Corporations (S.11), defined as gross fixed capital formation divided by gross value added is shown in Graph 4. The gross investment rate of non-financial corporations was 19.3% in 2022 compared with 20.4% in 2021.



Graph 4:
Gross investment rate of non-financial corporations

(\*) Provisional Data

The evolution of net lending(+)/net borrowing(-) of General Government (S.13) is presented in Graph 5 for the period 2010-2022.

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-5000

-10000

-15000

-20000

-25000

-20000

-2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021\* 2022\*

Graph 5:
Net lending(+)/net borrowing(-) of General Government (in million €)

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#### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

General: The Annual non-financial Sector Accounts (ASA) provide a

description of the different stages of the economic process: production, generation of income, distribution of income, redistribution of income, use of income and non-financial accumulation. They also provide a list of balancing items that have high analytical value in their own right: value added, operating surplus and mixed income, balance of primary incomes, disposable

income, saving, net lending / net borrowing.

Legal basis: The ASA are compiled in accordance with the European System of

Accounts - ESA 2010 of the Council Regulation (EU) No 549/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 21 May 2013.

**Reference period:** The accounting period is the year.

**Geographical coverage:** The whole Greek territory.

**Unit of measure:** The economic data are published in million euro.

**Revision:** The Annual non-Financial Sector Accounts are revised following the

revisions of Annual National Accounts in order to ensure coherence

between them.

Statistical classification: The standard followed is the European System of Accounts (ESA

2010). The main categories are the institutional sectors and the transactions recorded between the sectors. The institutional sectors combine institutional units with similar characteristics and

behaviour and are classified as follows:

Total Economy (S.1)

Non-financial corporations (S.11)

Financial corporations (S.12)

General government (S.13)

Households and non-profit institutions serving households

(NPISH's) (S.1M)

Rest of the World (S.2)

Compilation of Nonfinancial Sector Accounts in the context of the

COVID-19 crisis:

The COVID-19 pandemic has had impact on the Greek Economy, since mid-March 2020. Eurostat and National Statistical Authorities in the European Statistical System worked together to elaborate guidelines and notes on how to address the statistical challenges brought about by the pandemic. For the compilation of the estimates the best available sources have been used.

Publication of data: The ASA data are published at about 11 months after the end of the

reference year.

More information on the methodology and detailed tables are **References:** 

available on ELSTAT website:

http://www.statistics.gr/en/statistics/-/publication/SEM91/-