

MONTHLY REPORT
December 31, 2017

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Credit rating		
Moody's	S&P	Fitch
Baa3	BBB-	BBB-

Public debt according to national legislation (the GEO no 64/2007) includes:

- public government debt representing indebtedness incurred directly or guaranteed by the Romanian Government, brought MoPF, including the amounts advanced temporary from the State Treasury accounts and debt contracted by the line ministries.
- local public debt, representing indebtedness incurred directly or guaranteed by the local administration unit.

Government debt according to EU methodology, means total gross debt at nominal value outstanding at the end of the year and consolidated at general government subsectors level.

A. PUBLIC DEBT ACCORDING TO NATIONAL LEGISLATION

I. Borrowing requirement

1. Borrowing requirement 2017

	2016		2017	
	mil. RON	% din PIB	mil. RON	% din PIB
Financing needs, o/w:	69.169,5	9,1%	64.737,4	7,5%
1. Deficit of general consolidated budget	18.294,4	2,4%	24.260,7	2,8%
2. Principal repayments*, o/w:	50.875,1	6,7%	40.476,7	4,7%
- refinancing of government securities issued on domestic	39.138,6		30.448,1	
- principal repayments on external loans:	9.599,0		8.067,3	
- principal repayments on local loans	2.137,5		1.961,3	
*) debt repaid from budget				
GDP	762.341,8		858.332,8	

GDP according to Fiscal Notification, April 2018

2. Actual borrowing in 2017 up to December, 31 (mil. Ron denominated)

Total reimbursable financing 58.385,7 mil.Ron

o/w:		By Currency		By Market	
	By Instrument				
MFP	T-Bills	10.883,1	RON	39.830,4	Interna
	T-Bonds	28.947,3	EUR	17.186,7	Externa
	T-Bonds denominated in EURO	1.548,0			
	Eurobonds	12.814,2	USD	0,0	
	FX loans	2.824,6			
total		57.017,2		57.017,2	
Local governments		1.368,5			

Note: the difference from necessary financing was covered from the buffer in foreign currency at disposal of State Treasury and temporary financing

Ratio of covering of financing needs 90,2%

II. Public debt stock and changes in stock

1. Public debt evolution

	December, 2016		December, 2017		change	
	mil. RON	% of total	mil. RON	% din total	RON billion	% of total
Outstanding of public debt o/w	339.080,2		368.235,6			
a) by type of sector	339.080,2	100,0%	368.235,6	100,0%	29.155,4	8,6%
Government public debt	323.039,3	95,3%	352.996,8	95,9%	29.957,5	9,3%
Local public debt	16.040,9	4,7%	15.238,8	4,1%	-802,1	-5,0%
b) by type of debt	339.080,2	100,0%	368.235,6	100,0%	29.155,4	8,6%
Direct public debt	321.886,6	94,9%	350.166,8	95,1%	28.280,2	8,8%
Guaranteed public debt	17.193,6	5,1%	18.068,8	4,9%	875,2	5,1%
c) by the residence of creditor	339.080,2	100,0%	368.235,6	100,0%	29.155,4	8,6%
External	139.023,0	41,0%	147.491,8	40,1%	8.468,8	6,1%
Domestic	200.057,2	59,0%	220.743,8	59,9%	20.686,6	10,3%
Total public debt	339.080,2		368.235,6		29.155,4	8,6%
Outstanding of Public debt /GDP	44,5%		42,9%		-1,6%	

GDP according to Fiscal Notification, April 2018

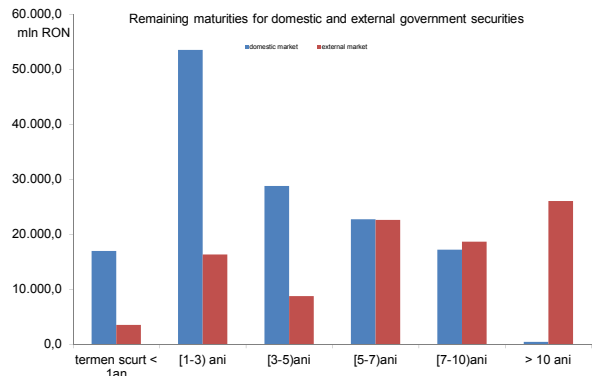
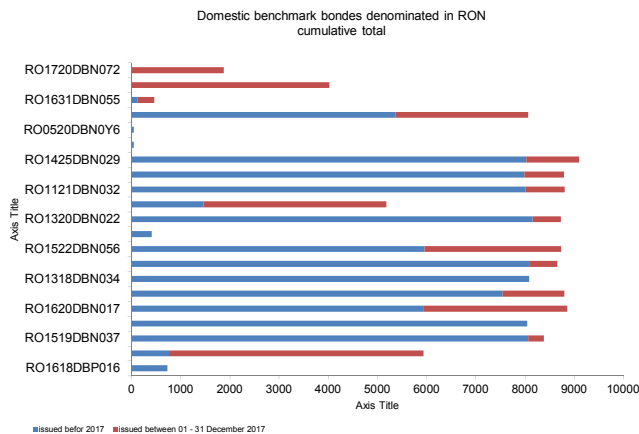
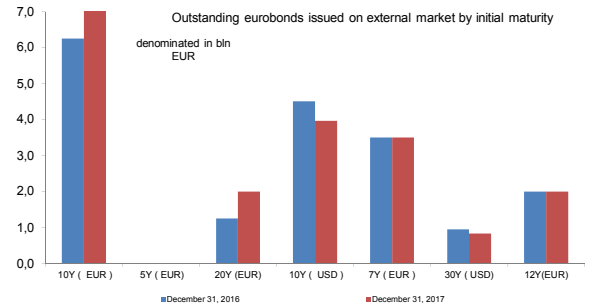
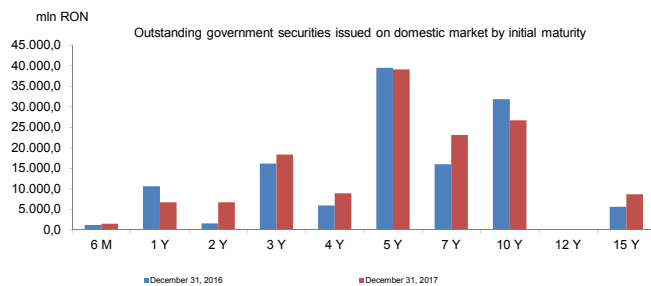
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2. Government public debt evolution

	December, 2016	December, 2017	change	
	RON billion	mil. RON	RON billion	%
Total government public debt, o/w	323.039,3	352.996,8	29.957,5	9,3%
1. After the market issuance				
External¹⁾, o/w:	138.150,8	144.843,0	6.692,2	4,8%
By instruments				
Eurobonds	83.778,3	95.766,6	11.988,3	14,3%
loans	54.372,5	49.076,4	-5.296,1	-9,7%
By currency				
RON	93,8	75,0	-18,8	-20,0%
USD	26.913,1	23.657,8	-3.255,3	-12,1%
EURO	108.672,9	118.982,6	10.309,7	9,5%
others	2.471,0	2.127,6	-343,4	-13,9%
By creditor				
multilateral	52.539,1	47.801,5	-4.737,6	-9,0%
bilateral	166,7	146,8	-19,9	-11,9%
private banks and others	85.445,0	96.894,7	11.449,7	13,4%
By interest rate				
fixed	124.243,6	130.188,3	5.944,7	4,8%
floating	13.907,2	14.654,7	747,5	5,4%
2. Domestic²⁾, o/w:	184.888,5	208.153,8	23.265,3	12,6%
By instruments				
T-bills	11.988,5	8.428,6	-3.559,9	-29,7%
Bonds	116.630,0	131.345,1	14.715,1	12,6%
loans	14.638,7	15.945,7	1.307,0	8,9%
others	41.631,3	52.434,4	10.803,1	25,9%
By currency				
RON	170.045,6	192.739,4	22.693,8	13,3%
USD	17,5	0,0	-17,5	-100,0%
EURO	14.825,4	16.171,4	1.346,0	9,1%
others				
By creditor				
multilateral	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0%
bilateral	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,0%
private banks and others	184.888,5	208.153,8	23.265,3	12,6%
By interest rate				
fixed	116.630,0	131.345,1	14.715,1	12,6%
floating	68.258,5	76.808,7	8.550,2	12,5%
1. After residence of the creditor				
External	135.423,4	144.401,1	8.977,7	6,6%
Domestic	187.615,9	208.595,7	20.979,8	11,2%
Government public debt /GDP	42,4%	41,1%	-1,2%	
GDP (mln RON)	762.341,8	858.332,8		

3. Government securities market developments



The weighted average value of the remaining maturity relating to the outstanding government securities issued on domestic market at the end of December 2017 is 3.3 years and 8.1 years for Eurobonds issued on external markets.

4. Holdings of government securities

Holdings of government securities issued on domestic market

Category	Available at nominal value (mln RON)	(%) total
1. Banking system	67.137,1	48,5%
2. Central Depository	167,7	
3. Clients holdings:	71.549,9	51,5%
non residents *)	23.881,5	17,2%
residents, o/w:	47.668,4	34,3%
private pension funds	22.979,7	16,5%
Total	138.854,7	100,0%

*) includes government securities held by Clearstream

Holdings of government securities denominated in RON issued on domestic market

Category	Available at nominal value (mln RON)	(%) total
1. Banking system	61.654,5	47,8%
2. Central Depository	167,7	
3. Clients holdings:	67.509,5	52,2%
non residents *)	23.146,7	17,9%
residents, o/w:	44.362,8	34,3%
private pension funds	22.599,0	17,5%
Total	129.331,7	100,0%

*) includes government securities held by Clearstream

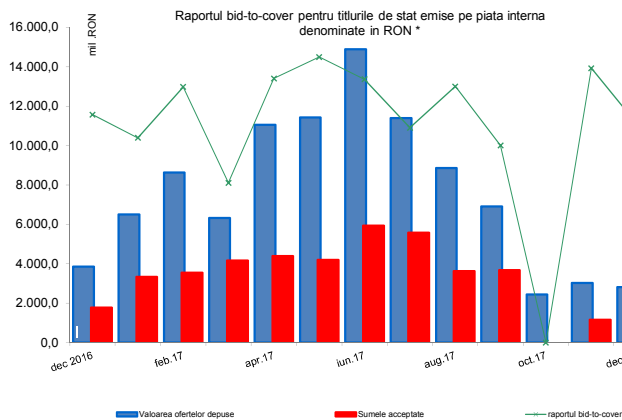
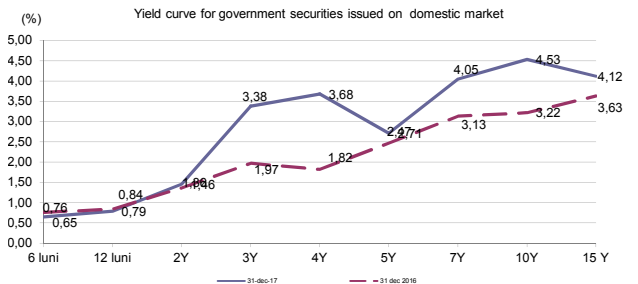
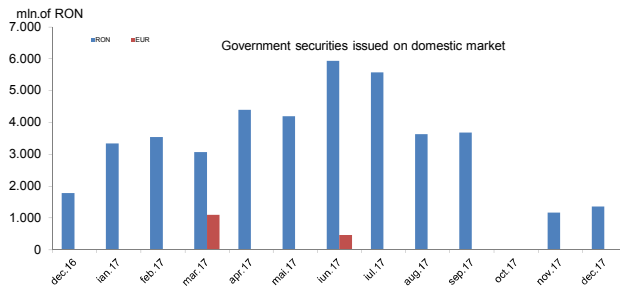
Holdings of government securities denominated in EUR issued on domestic market

Category	Available at nominal value (mln EUR)	(%) total
1. Banking system	1.176,6	57,6%
3. Clients holdings:	867,0	
non residents*)	157,7	7,7%
residents, o/w:	709,4	34,7%
private pension funds	81,7	4,0%
Total	2.043,6	100,00%

*) includes government securities held by Clearstream

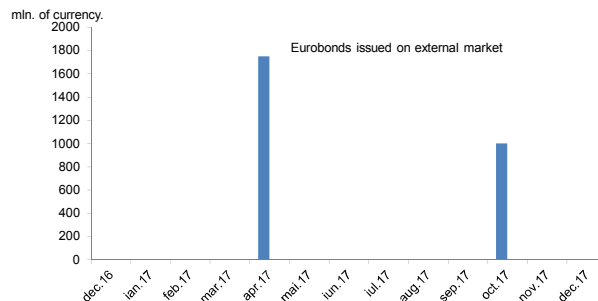
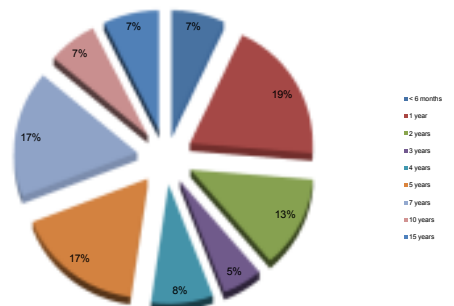
III. Primary and secondary market of government securities

1. Primary market of government securities

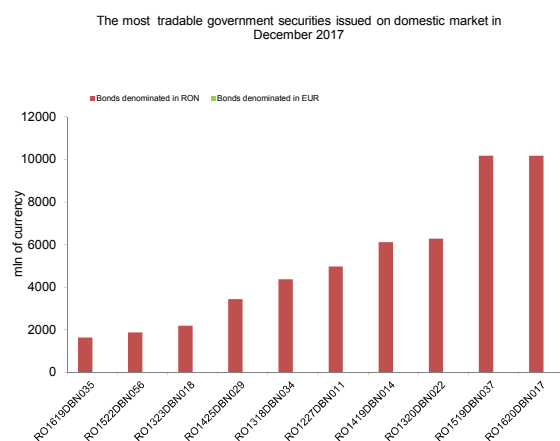
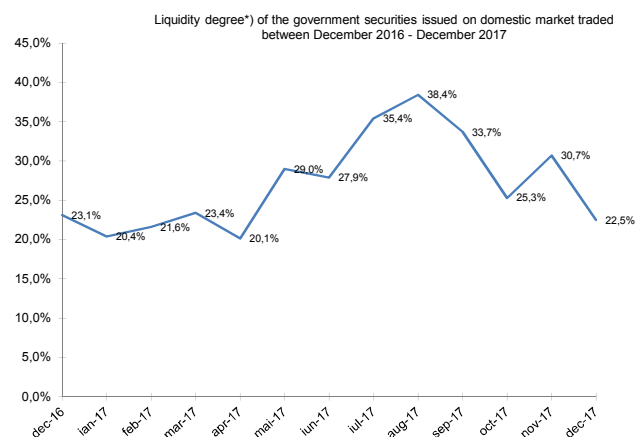
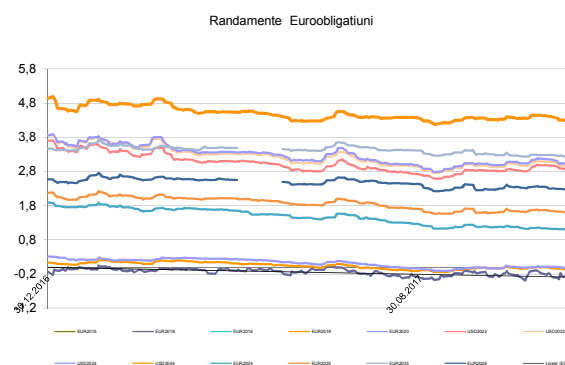
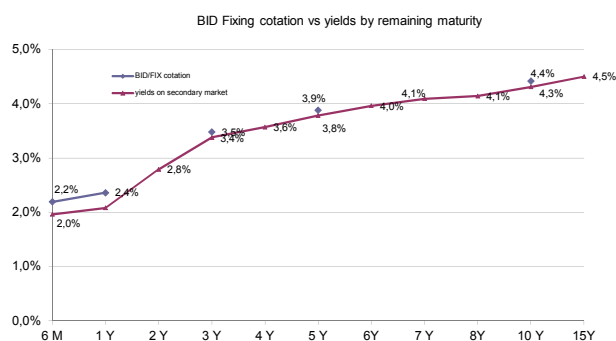


*calculated as amount of bids submitted/accepted amount

Government securities issued between 01 January - 31 December 2017 by initial maturity



2. Secondary market of government securities



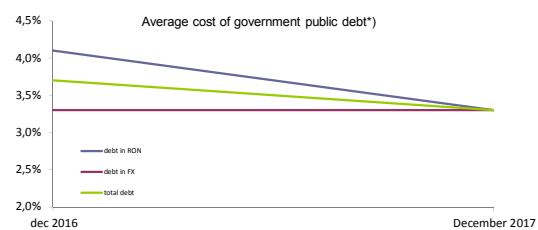
*) liquidity degree is calculated as ratio between the total volume of monthly transactions and the total volume of the government securities.

IV. Cost of the government public debt

Interest payments on government public debt*)

min. RON	2017
domestic debt	4.811,7
external debt	5.153,5
total	9.965,2

*) includes payments on direct and guaranteed debt for 2017

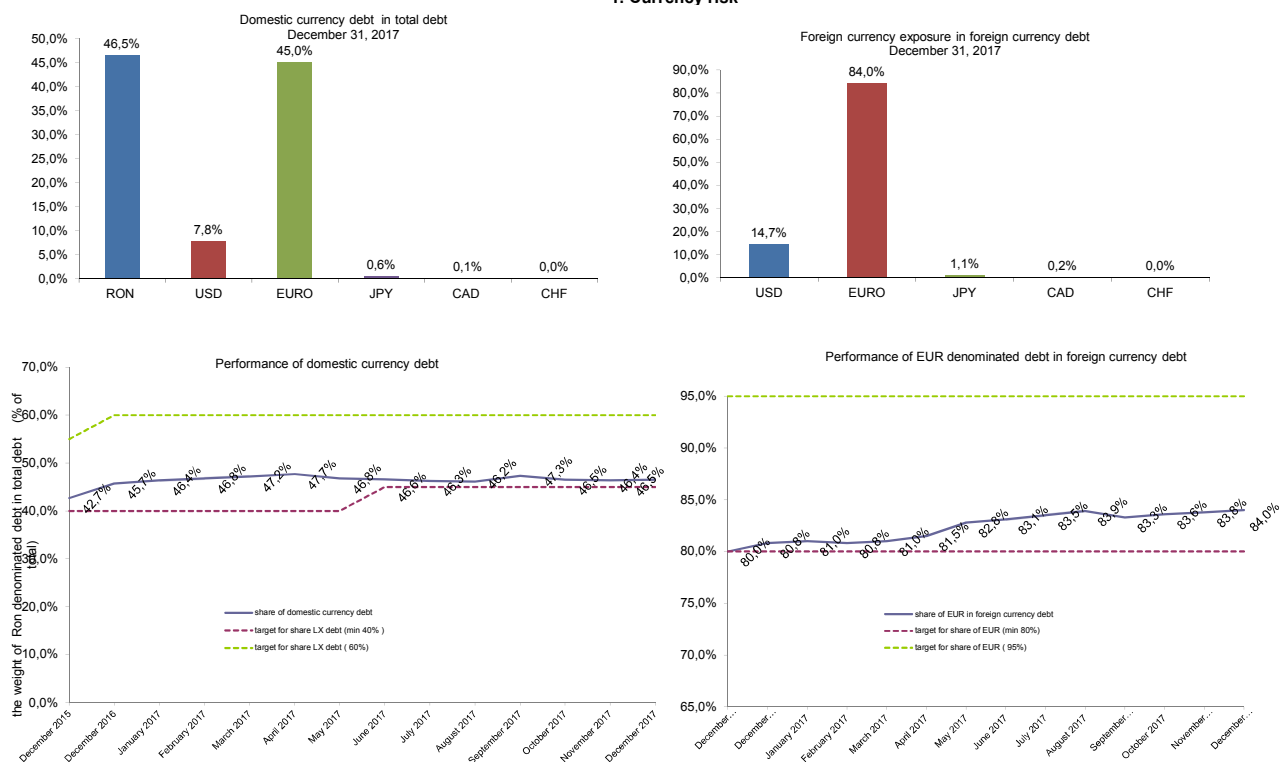


*) does not include interest for temporary financing. It was calculated dividing annually interest payments by stock at December 2017

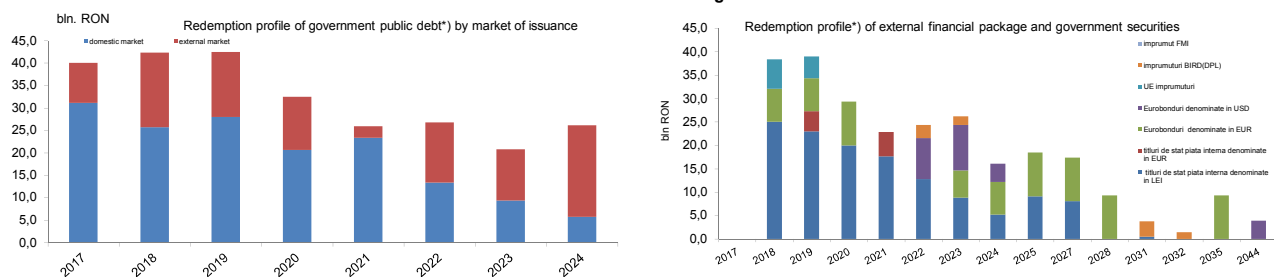
V. Implementation of DMS 2017-2019

The revised Debt management Strategy approved by the Government in June 2017 proposed indicative targets for managing the financial risks of the debt portfolio. The risk indicators up to end 31 December 2017 complied the targets set in the DMS.

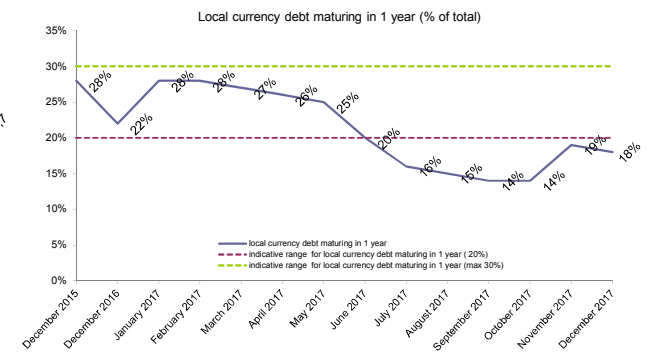
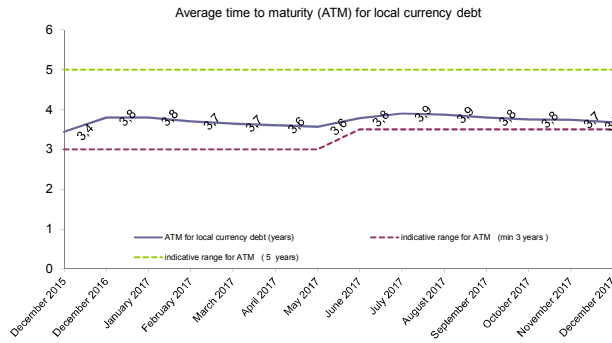
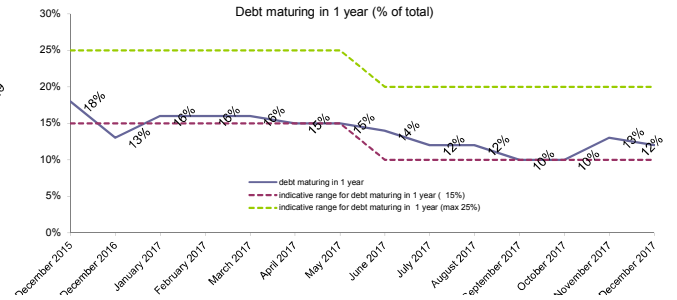
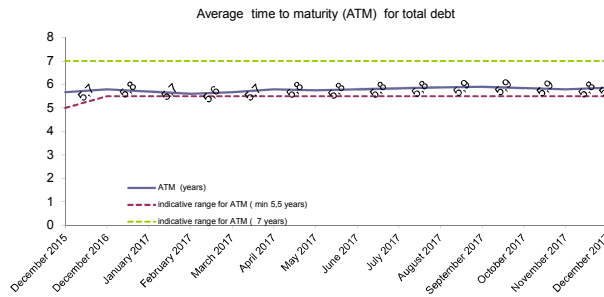
1. Currency risk



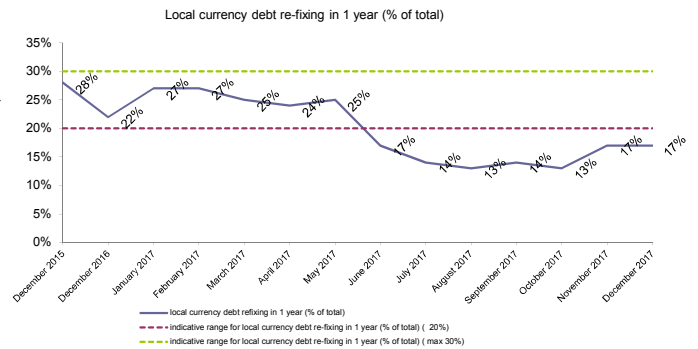
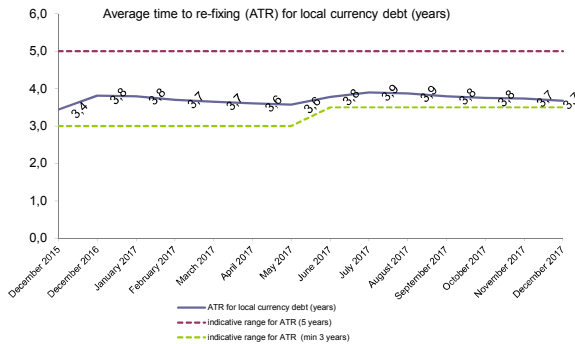
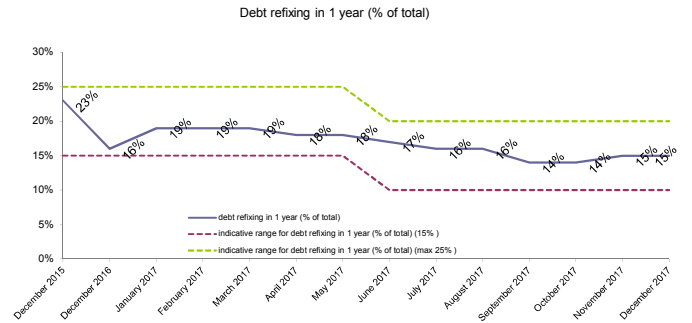
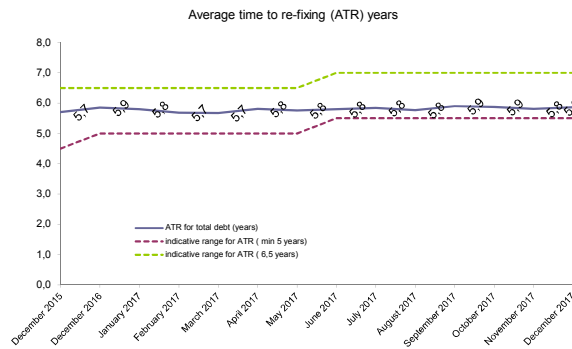
2. Refinancing risk



*) based on contracted debt at the end of December 2017



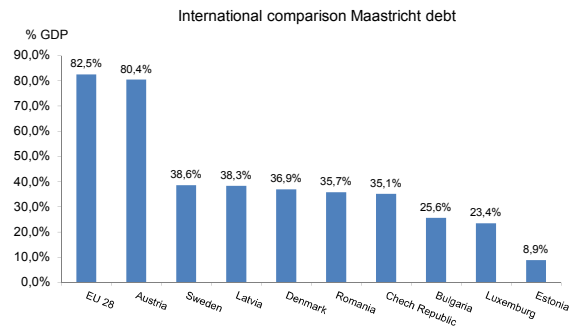
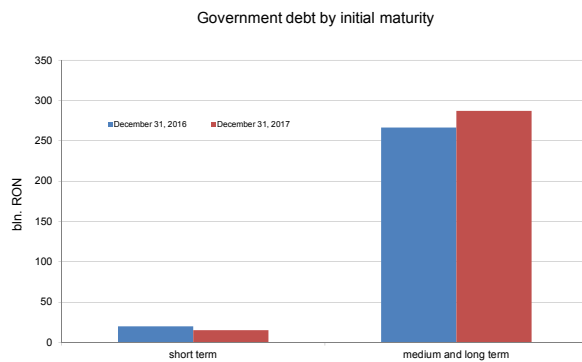
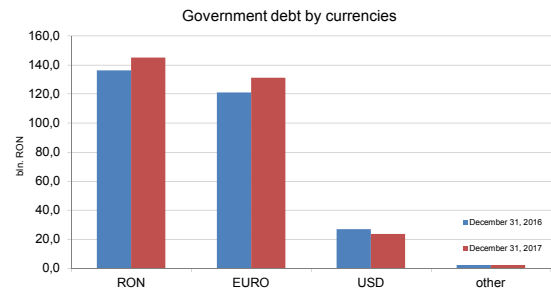
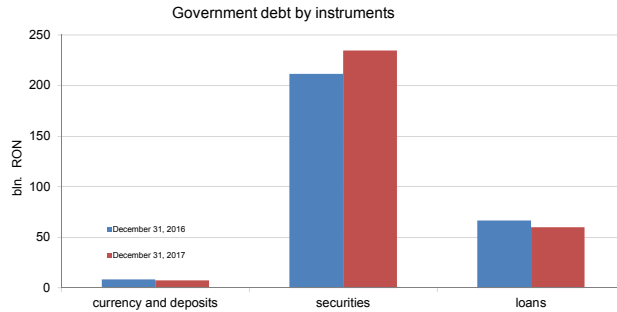
3. Interest rate risk



B. PUBLIC DEBT ACCORDING TO EU METHODOLOGY

	December, 2016		December, 2017		change	
	RON million	% of total	mil. RON	% din total	mil. RON	% din total
General government debt *)	284.958,2		300.777,2		15.819,0	5,6%
	%GDP	37,4%		35,1%		-2,3%
A o/w:						
Central government debt	269.527,3	94,6%	286.193,0	95,2%	16.665,7	6,2%
Local government debt	15.430,9	5,4%	14.584,2	4,8%	-846,7	-5,5%
B o/w:						
General domestic government debt	147.811,0	51,9%	154.766,5	51,5%	6.955,5	4,7%
General external government debt	137.147,2	48,1%	146.010,7	48,5%	8.863,5	6,5%

- according to EU methodology, the debt to GDP ratio was calculated taking into consideration the sum of GDP for the four last quarters (GDP according to press release NIS from April 5, 2018)



At the end of Q3 2017 government debt represented 35,7% of GDP, well below the level registered in the EU-28 (82,5% of GDP), and the Euro Zone (88,1% of GDP) (according to eurostat newsrelease no.14/2018 - 24 January 2018)