

ABI MONTHLY REPORT¹ – June 2025 (Main evidence)

Since October 2023, market rates have gradually declined following the ECB's cuts. In the first part of 2025, short-term interest rates declined further, but the same did not happen for long-term rates.

MARKET RATES

In the first 12 days of June 2025:

1. **The 3-month Euribor rate** averaged **1.96%**, down 13 basis points from May 2025 (**2.09%**) and 88 basis points lower than December 2024 (**2.84%**).
2. **The gross six-month BOT rate** was on average **1.93%** decreasing by 1 basis point compared to May (**1.94%**) and 69 basis points lower than December 2024 (2.62%).
3. **The 10-year IRS rate** (widely used in mortgages) averaged **2.55%** essentially stable compared to May (**2.54%**) and up 32 basis points from December 2024 (**2.23%**).
4. **The gross BTP rate** was on average **3.49%**, down 12 basis points from May (**3.61%**) and up 15 basis points from December 2024 (**3.34%**).

LENDING INTEREST RATES

5. In May 2025:

- **the average rate on new business loans decreased to 3.64%** from 3.77% in the previous month and 5.45% in December 2023;

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- **the average rate on new loans for house purchasing decreased to 3.19%** from 3.27% in the previous month (4.42% in December 2023);
- **the average rate on total loans** (i.e., those agreed upon over the years) **decreased to 4.07%** from 4.14% in the previous month (cf. Table 1).

INTEREST RATES ON BANKING FUNDING

6. The **interest rate on new deposits with agreed maturity** (i.e. certificates of deposit and time deposits) in May 2025 **was 2.32%**. In April this interest rate was higher than the euro area average (2.31% in Italy; 2.10% in euro area). **Compared to June 2022**, when the interest rate was 0.29% (the last month before the start of the official interest rate hikes) **the increase is 203 basis points**.
7. **The yield on new fixed-rate bond issues in May 2025 was 2.30%** with an increase of 99 basis points compared to 1.31% in June 2022.
8. In May 2025, **the interest rate on total amounts of deposits** (current accounts, savings deposits and certificates of deposit), **was 0.69%** (0.73% in the previous month; 0.32% in June 2022).
9. **The interest rate on current account**, which does not have the function of investment and allows the use of a multitude of services, **was 0.32%** (0.33% in the previous month; 0.02% in June 2022) (cf. Table 2).

SPREAD BETWEEN LENDING RATE AND FUNDING RATE

10. The **spread on new business** (calculated as the difference between the rates on new loans and new funding) with household and non-financial corporations **in Italy**, in May 2025 was **189 basis points**.

STOCK OF CUSTOMER FUNDING

11. **Indirect funding**, i.e. investments in securities held by banks (both under management and held directly by customers) **increased of 121.4 billion between April 2024 and April 2025** (26.2 billion attributable to households, 16.1 to non-financial corporations and the remaining to other sectors, financial companies, insurance companies, public administration).

12. In May 2025, **total funding** (deposits from resident customers and bonds) **increased by 2.9%** yoy continuing the positive trend observed since the beginning of 2024 (+1.6% in the previous month; cf. *Table 3*).
13. In May 2025 **deposits**, in their various forms, **increased by 3.5% yoy** (+1.9% in the previous month).
14. **Medium and long-term funding**, i.e. through bonds, in May 2025 **decreased by 1.3%** compared to a year earlier (+1.9% in the previous month).

BANK LENDING

15. In May 2025, **the stock of loans to households and non-financial corporations** remained essentially stable compared to a year earlier (+0.3 in the previous month; cf. *Table 4*); **in April 2025 loans to non-financial corporations were down by 0.8% yoy while those to households increased by 1.3%**.

CREDIT QUALITY

16. **In April 2025, net non-performing loans** (i.e., the total of bad loans, unlikely-to-pay exposures, and past due and/or overdrawn exposures, calculated net of write-downs and provisions already made by the banks) decreased to **31.1 billion euros** from 31.3 billion in December 2024 (30.5 billion in December 2023). Compared to their peak level of 196.3 billion reached in 2015, they have decreased by over 165 billion.
17. **In April 2025, net non-performing loans represented 1.50% of total loans.** This ratio is slightly lower than in December 2024 (1.51%; 1.41% in December 2023; 9.8% in December 2015; cf. *Table 5*).

Table 1

Italy: bank interest rates on lending and benchmark yields (Monthly average - % figures)										
	Bank interest rates on loans in euro to households and non-financial corporations in Italy			ECB interest rates ²		Interbank rates for the Eurozone		3-Month interbank rates		
	Total ¹ (amounts)			deposit facility rate	interest rates on the main refinancing operations	3-Month Euribor	10-year IRS	USA	Japan	UK
	Of which: to non-financial corporations (new business)	Of which: to households for the purchase of houses (new business)								
May-20	2,40	1,21	1,33	-0,50	0,00	-0,27	-0,12	0,40	-0,04	0,36
May-21	2,21	1,13	1,40	-0,50	0,00	-0,54	0,14	0,15	-0,07	0,12
May-22	2,16	1,19	1,92	-0,50	0,00	-0,39	1,76	1,47	-0,05	1,31
May-23	4,11	4,81	4,22	3,25	3,75	3,37	3,02	5,38	0,00	4,81
May-24	4,80	5,38	3,61	4,00	4,50	3,81	2,80	5,49	0,12	5,26
Jun-24	4,77	5,26	3,55	3,75	4,25	3,73	2,79	5,47	0,13	5,23
Jul-24	4,74	5,28	3,44	3,75	4,25	3,69	2,74	5,42	0,15	5,16
Aug-24	4,72	5,13	3,59	3,75	4,25	3,55	2,50	5,25	0,25	5,01
Sep-24	4,70	4,90	3,31	3,50	3,65	3,43	2,42	4,95	0,26	4,94
Oct-24	4,62	4,70	3,27	3,25	3,40	3,17	2,42	4,76	0,26	4,85
Nov-24	4,55	4,53	3,23	3,25	3,40	3,01	2,32	4,63	0,30	4,84
Dec-24	4,44	4,40	3,11	3,00	3,15	2,82	2,23	4,51	0,38	4,83
Jan-25	4,32	4,13	3,12	3,00	3,15	2,71	2,49	4,43	0,39	4,69
Feb-25	4,28	3,99	3,18	2,75	2,90	2,53	2,38	4,45	0,39	4,54
Mar-25	4,21	3,92	3,14	2,50	2,65	2,44	2,67	4,55	0,39	4,45
Apr-25	4,14	3,77	3,27	2,25	2,40	2,24	2,52	4,41	0,39	4,35
May-25	4,07	4,53	3,19	2,25	2,40	2,09	2,53	4,48	0,39	4,39

Notes: for bank rates, latest month of SI-ABI estimates.

(1) Weighted average rate

(2) End of period data

Source: Data processed by the Ufficio Analisi Economiche ABI on data of the Bank of Italy and SI-ABI

Table 2

Italy: interest rates on funding (Monthly average - % figures)													
	Bank interest rates: households and non-financial corporations							Gross yield of Government bonds in the secondary market			Yield at issue of postal funding		
	(ESCB harmonised statistics)							BOT	CCT	BTP	Deposits in euro	Average annual yield on 1 st year	Average annual yield on 5 th year
	Deposits in euro	Deposits in CA in euro	Bonds	Funding (deposits, repos and bonds) ¹	Deposits with agreed maturity	Bonds	Funding ²						
	(outstanding amounts)				new business								
May-20	0,35	0,03	2,11	0,55	0,80	2,14	0,92	0,05	1,13	1,84	-	0,05	0,31
May-21	0,32	0,03	1,80	0,47	0,62	0,66	0,30	-0,52	-0,14	1,01	-	0,05	0,10
May-22	0,31	0,02	1,72	0,44	-0,04	2,85	0,92	-0,27	0,27	2,43	-	0,05	0,20
May-23	0,67	0,32	2,49	0,87	3,03	4,46	3,46	3,35	4,20	3,89	-	0,50	1,15
May-24	1,04	0,58	2,86	1,27	3,50	3,88	3,55	3,62	4,62	3,60	0,00	0,50	1,00
Jun-24	1,03	0,57	2,92	1,26	3,49	3,56	3,46	3,56	4,73	3,70	0,00	0,50	1,00
Jul-24	1,01	0,53	2,88	1,24	3,47	2,90	3,26	3,46	4,68	3,60	0,00	0,50	1,00
Aug-24	1,00	0,54	2,88	1,23	3,30	3,20	3,22	3,20	4,72	3,42	0,00	0,50	1,00
Sep-24	0,99	0,52	2,95	1,23	3,35	2,98	3,20	3,07	4,68	3,31	0,00	0,50	0,70
Oct-24	0,96	0,49	2,87	1,19	3,31	3,82	3,31	2,85	4,16	3,26	0,00	0,50	0,62
Nov-24	0,93	0,48	2,89	1,16	3,14	2,27	2,62	2,69	3,97	3,30	0,00	0,50	0,60
Dec-24	0,89	0,46	2,84	1,12	2,89	2,41	2,68	2,46	3,83	3,10	0,00	0,50	0,85
Jan-25	0,85	0,41	2,84	1,09	2,66	3,44	2,70	2,45	3,83	3,37	0,00	0,75	1,05
Feb-25	0,82	0,39	2,81	1,06	2,62	2,07	2,38	2,31	3,82	3,28	0,00	0,75	1,05
Mar-25	0,79	0,38	2,95	1,05	2,49	3,31	2,52	2,24	3,86	3,52	0,00	0,75	1,05
Apr-25	0,73	0,33	2,84	0,98	2,31	3,27	2,36	2,03	3,39	3,37	0,00	0,75	1,05
May-25	0,69	0,32	2,87	0,95	2,32	2,30	2,16	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0,00	0,75	1,05

Note: for banking rates latest available month for SI-ABI estimates.

(1) Weighted average rate (2) are included: deposits in CA, Deposits with agreed maturity, Deposits redeemable at notice, Repos, bonds

Source: Data processed by the Ufficio Analisi Economiche ABI on data of the Bank of Italy and SI-ABI

Table 3

Deposits and bonds from bank customers in Italy						
	Funding (deposits and bonds)		Resident customers' deposits ¹		Bonds ²	
	Billion €	yoy	Billion €	yoy	Billion €	yoy
May-20	1.867,7	5,8	1.639,4	7,4	228,3	-4,7
May-21	1.984,1	6,2	1.774,5	8,2	209,6	-8,2
May-22	2.055,9	3,6	1.858,4	4,7	197,5	-5,8
May-23	2.003,3	-2,6	1.780,0	-4,2	223,3	13,1
May-24	2.045,2	2,1	1.780,8	0,0	264,4	18,4
Jun-24	2.079,8	4,4	1.814,3	3,0	265,5	14,7
Jul-24	2.036,8	2,7	1.774,0	1,3	262,9	13,3
Aug-24	2.049,6	3,3	1.788,0	2,1	261,6	12,0
Sep-24	2.045,9	1,6	1.785,2	0,5	260,7	9,6
Oct-24	2.051,6	3,4	1.790,7	2,6	260,9	8,9
Nov-24	2.081,8	4,8	1.817,4	4,5	264,4	7,2
Dec-24	2.095,6	2,7	1.830,5	2,0	265,1	7,2
Jan-25	2.069,2	2,7	1.803,5	2,2	265,7	6,1
Feb-25	2.062,2	2,1	1.795,2	1,5	267,0	6,3
Mar-25	2.080,3	2,0	1.814,3	1,8	266,0	3,1
Apr-25	2.072,8	1,6	1.811,5	1,9	261,3	-0,6
May-25	2.104,1	2,9	1.843,1	3,5	261,0	-1,3

Notes: latest month of SI-ABI estimates.

(1) Deposits from ordinary private resident customers, excluding MFI and Central Public Authorities. It includes current accounts, preestablished term deposits, notice refundable deposits and repurchase agreements. The data are netted against operations with central counterparties, deposits with agreed maturity connected with receivables assignment transactions.

(2) Recorded at nominal value and expressed in euro, they include subordinated liabilities and do not include bonds purchased from banks. They refer to resident and non-resident customers.

Table 4

Lending of the banks in Italy (except interbank) *						
	Total lending		Private sector *		of which: to households and non-financial corporation	
	Private sector and PA *					
	Billion €	yoy ⁽¹⁾	Billion €	yoy ⁽¹⁾	Billion €	yoy ⁽¹⁾
May-20	1.689,0	1,2	1.425,1	1,6	1.286,1	1,7
May-21	1.718,7	3,5	1.451,4	3,8	1.315,4	4,4
May-22	1.743,2	2,2	1.482,6	3,1	1.342,7	3,1
May-23	1.700,6	-1,4	1.448,9	-1,0	1.312,7	-0,9
May-24	1.643,9	-2,8	1.409,9	-2,0	1.277,1	-2,1
Jun-24	1.651,8	-2,1	1.417,8	-1,6	1.274,3	-2,2
Jul-24	1.647,0	-2,0	1.412,4	-1,6	1.271,7	-2,2
Aug-24	1.632,2	-1,9	1.398,2	-1,5	1.261,0	-2,0
Sep-24	1.638,0	-1,4	1.404,9	-0,9	1.264,1	-1,4
Oct-24	1.633,2	-1,3	1.399,3	-1,0	1.261,9	-1,6
Nov-24	1.637,4	-1,5	1.405,2	-1,1	1.265,0	-1,8
Dec-24	1.648,9	-1,1	1.416,6	-0,3	1.266,9	-1,0
Jan-25	1.638,8	-0,7	1.405,9	-0,3	1.264,4	-0,8
Feb-25	1.636,5	-0,4	1.404,9	0,0	1.264,4	-0,6
Mar-25	1.644,3	-0,1	1.416,0	0,5	1.271,5	0,0
Apr-25	1.641,8	0,2	1.415,8	1,0	1.272,4	0,3
May-25	1.639,2	0,1	1.413,5	0,7	1.270,5	0,0

Notes: latest month of SI-ABI estimates.

* Including gross bad loans and reverse repurchase agreements. Private sector: non-financial corporations, consumer and producer households, non-profit entities, other financial institutions, insurance companies and pension funds. The data are netted against central counterparties' operations.

(1) Variations calculated to include loans not recognised in the bank balance sheets in that they were securitised and are net of variations not related to the transactions (e.g. variations resulting from exchange rate fluctuations, value adjustments or reclassifications).

Source: Data processed by the Ufficio Analisi Economiche ABI on data of the Bank of Italy and SI-ABI.

Table 5

Net non-performing loans*		
	Amounts	As % of total loans
	(Billion €)	(% figures)
2020	50,5	2,20
2021	40,1	1,67
2022	33,1	1,46
2023	30,5	1,41
Jun-24	31,9	1,51
Sep-24	32,1	1,54
Dec-24	31,3	1,51
Apr-25	31,1	1,50

** include bad loans, unlikely-to-pay exposures, and past due and/or overdrawn exposures*

Source: Data processed by the Ufficio Analisi Economiche ABI on Bank of Italy quarterly data up to December 2024 and ABI estimates for April 25