# **Central budgetary units**

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Table: Statement of sources and uses of cash – monthly

## Coverage

Central budgetary organizations are part of the central government belonging to the general government sector. Their operations are represented by revenues, expenditures and financing of state budget chapters on state budget accounts. The base law for compilation and fulfilment of the State Budget is the Act No. 218/2000 Coll., on Budgetary Rules and on amendment of certain related acts, as amended. Data do not include operations on off-budgets accounts, which are National Fund and special accounts of privatization.

### **Data sources**

Since 2015, as a data source is used the financial statement (FIN 1-12 OSS), part I. Global statement submitted by state funds according to the Decree No. 5/2014 Coll., on the manner, deadlines and scope of data submitted for assessment of the State budget, state funds, budgets of local budgetary organizations and Voluntary Associations of Municipalities, as amended. The statement is compiled from input data in the Integrated Information System of the State Treasury and includes revenues and expenditures on a cash basis. The breakdown of revenues and expenditures is carried out according to the Decree No. 412/2021 Coll., on budgetary classification (before 2022 according to the Decree No. 323/2002 Coll.).

## **Periodicity**

Monthly.

### Release date

By the end of next month. The publication dates of statistical information are included in the release calendar.

#### Revision

Generally, the published data are not revised. In some exceptional cases the revisions are carried out due to a change in the methodology. Since 2017 (even retroactively for 2016, 2015 and 2014), the payments of the EU's own resources into EU budget based on VAT are recorded at first as a tax income (*Taxes*) and subsequently as a current grant to international organizations (*Grants*). Before making this methodological change, the payments of the EU's own resources into EU budget based on VAT were excluded from tax incomes and were not recorded as expense (so-called netto principle).

## Methodological description

The basic parameters are based on the Government Finance Statistics Manual 2014 of the International Monetary Fund. The published figures include:

### A. Cash flows from operating activities:

- (1) Revenue cash flows
  - taxes (taxes on income, profits and capital gains, taxes on property, taxes on goods and services, taxes on international trade, other taxes),
  - social contributions,
  - grants (from foreign governments, international organisations, general government units),
  - other receipts (property income, sales of goods and services, fines and penalties, transfers not elsewhere classified).
- (2) Expense cash flows
  - compensation of employees (wages and salaries, social contributions)
  - purchases of goods and services
  - interest
  - subsidies (to public and private financial and non-financial corporations)
  - grants (to foreign governments, international organisations, general government units),
  - social benefits (social security benefits, social assistance benefits, employment-related social benefits)

- other payments (property expense other than interest, e. g. dividends and rent for leases, transfers not elsewhere classified).
- **B.** Cash flows from transactions in non-financial assets (fixed assets, valuables and non-produced assets):
  - (3) Purchases of non-financial assets
  - (4) Sales of non-financial assets
- C. Cash flows from transactions in financial assets and liabilities financing (domestic, external):
  - (5) Net acquisition of financial assets other than currency and deposits (net provided loans, net acquisition of securities)
  - (6) Net incurrence of liabilities (net change in received loans and issued bonds)
- D. Net change in the stock of currency and deposits.

Given the monthly frequency of the data and the need for simplification and adaptation of the transmission bridge between the budgetary classification (the mentioned Decree No. 412/2021 Coll., on budgetary classification) and mentioned classification for automated processing, the contents of particular categories may not fully agree with subsequent annual processing. The transmission bridge is always updated in relation to changes in the budgetary classification.

## **Presentation format**

(xlsx table)

## Symbols used in the tables

- A phenomenon did not occur
- . Information is not available or is unreliable
- x Record is not possible for logical reasons
- 0 Value is less than half of a measuring unit

| Item                 | Item description   |
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| Taxes                | Tax revenues represent compulsory, unrequited amounts received by the general government sector (see subjects listed in the <u>Business Register</u> falling into the subsectors 13110, 13130 and 13140). Administrative fees are recorded as taxes if they are out of proportion to the costs of producing the services. Fees for standardized guarantee schemes, if participation in such schemes is compulsory and the payment is clearly out of proportion to the service provided, should be recorded as taxes (e.g. deposit insurance schemes).  Some compulsory transfers, such as fines, penalties and most of the contributions to social security are not classified as tax revenues, but as non-tax revenues. |
| Social contributions | This item includes the income of the social insurance scheme and public health insurance companies paid by employees, self-employed persons, employers on behalf of their employees, unemployed persons on their own behalf and by the state for the state insurance policyholders.  |
| Grants               | Grants are transfers received from other government units (see subjects listed in the Business Register falling into the subsectors 13110, 13130 and 13140), from international organisations or from foreign governments without providing any good, service or asset in return as a direct counterpart. This category includes both current and capital grants. Capital grants are provided for the purpose of acquisition of non-financial assets.  As regards hospitals in the general government sector, we also include income from health insurance companies for the provided healthcare to the population, as well as reimbursements from health insurance companies for the sale of goods (medicines).         |

## This category includes revenue in the form of property income generated by financial assets, in particular deposits, securities other than shares, loans and other accounts receivable. These revenues include received interest and dividends. Included is also rent from the lease of land and other natural resources, and the revenue from the sale of Other receipts goods and services (including income from lease of produced assets). The category also includes premiums and fees related to nonlife insurance and standardized guarantee schemes, administrative fees, fines and penalties, transfers not elsewhere classified. And finally, other revenue, which cannot be recorded in other categories. This category represents the total remuneration in cash payable to an individual in an employer-employee relationship in return for work performed by a government employee. It includes both wages and salaries (incl. social contributions made on behalf of employees), extra pay for overtime or night work, bonuses, supplementary pay etc. Compensation of Excluded are amounts payable to contractors, self-employed or workers who are not employees of general government units. Any such amounts are recorded under employees Purchases of goods and services. The item includes payments in kind to employees like uniforms, housing services or accommodation, meals etc. and fund for cultural and social requirements allowances, as well. Further, social contributions paid by government units in a position of employers belong here. This category consists of purchases of goods and services used for the production of market and nonmarket goods and services. It includes mainly purchases of materials, energy, services and other current purchases. Also purchases of stamps and charges related to government debt operations belong here. Purchases of fixed assets, valuables, strategic stocks and non-produced assets are not considered as purchases of goods and services. They are classified as Purchases of fixed assets. Goods and services acquired and transferred without being used by the general government unit are classified as transfer payments, i.e. Subsidies, Grants, Social benefits or Other payments. The item Purchases of goods and services includes all goods and services consumed by **Purchases of** a general government unit to produce nonmarket goods and services that are goods and distributed either as social benefits in kind or distributed to households as assistance in particular circumstances (e.g. natural disaster etc.). Goods and services that were not services directly produced by the donor government unit are classified as Social benefits. Goods and services consumed for the maintenance and repair of fixed assets constitute Purchases of goods and services. However, major renovations, reconstructions or enlargements of existing fixed assets are treated as Purchases of non-financial assets. Goods and services used for research and development or staff training and education pertain here. This category includes payments for the rental of produced assets, especially buildings, transport equipment and machinery. On the other hand, payments for the rent of non-produced assets (land) are classified as a rent in the category Other payments. This category includes the payments by a debtor (general government unit) for the use of another unit's funds. The interest-bearing financial instruments can be classified as securities other than shares, loans or other accounts payable. Interest shall also include Interest interest paid on received deposits, interest payments on the sale of financial assets under a repurchase agreement (repo) or interest expense arising from financial derivatives. It does not include possible fees for financial intermediation services that are recorded in the category Purchases of goods and services. Subsidies are current unrequited transfers that government units make to private or public corporations (usually to residents in the Czech Republic). They can be payable on specific products or on production in general. Also included are transfers to public corporations as a compensation for losses stemming from charging prices that are **Subsidies** lower than the level of production costs. The subsidies are payable to producers only, not to households as final consumers or non-profit institutions serving households. These transfers are treated as either Social benefits or Other expense. Most transfers made to general government units are included in Grants. Capital transfers to enterprises are part of Other expense.

|                               | Grants are current or capital transfers to other government units (see units listed in the   |
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| Grants                        | Business Register falling into the subsectors 13110, 13130 and 13140), to international organisations or foreign governments without providing any good, service or asset in     |
| Grants                        | return as a direct counterpart. Capital grants are provided for the acquisition of non-  |
|                               | financial assets by its recipient.   |
|                               | Social benefits are transfers to households to protect the entire population or specific   |
| Social benefits               | segments of it against certain social risks in the form of social security benefits within   |
|                               | social security schemes (sickness benefits, retirement pensions, unemployment benefits   |
|                               | and other social security benefits). Included are also social assistance benefits paid for   |
|                               | similar purposes as social security benefits, but out of social insurance schemes.   |
|                               | Benefits payable by government units in a position of employer to their employees fall   |
|                               | into this category, as well – e.g. payment of wages during the periods of absence from work as a result of sickness, accidents. Social benefits do not include transfers made in |
|                               | response to events or circumstances that are not normally covered by social insurance  |
|                               | (for instance natural disasters). Such transfers are recorded under <i>Other payments</i> .  |
|                               | This category includes property expense other than interest, mainly dividends, rent for  |
|                               | leases of non-produced assets (land) and miscellaneous other payments – both current   |
| Other payments                | and capital – not elsewhere classified. There are for instance current transfers to non-   |
|                               | profit institutions serving households, taxes and fees paid by a government unit, fines  |
|                               | imposed by another government unit, payments of compensation for damages caused  |
|                               | by a natural disaster. Further, payments for purchases of goods and services from  |
|                               | market producers that are distributed directly to households for final consumption other than social benefits, premiums and fees related to nonlife insurance and                |
|                               | standardized guarantee schemes. This category includes also capital transfers to market  |
|                               | enterprises and non-profit institutions serving households.  |
|                               | It concerns the expense for acquisitions of non-financial assets that are used repeatedly  |
|                               | or continuously in production processes for more than one year, i.e. fixed assets  |
| Purchases of non-             | (buildings and structures, machinery and equipment, means of transport, software etc.)   |
| financial assets              | including major improvements of these assets, valuables (gold and other precious   |
|                               | metals and stones, paintings, sculptures etc.) and non-produced assets (i.e. expense   |
|                               | related to transactions with land, subsoil assets, emission allowances etc.).  |
|                               | It concerns the revenue from sales of non-financial assets that are used repeatedly or continuously in production processes for more than one year, i.e. fixed assets (buildings |
| Sales of non-                 | and structures, machinery and equipment, means of transport, software etc.), valuables   |
| financial assets              | (gold and other precious metals and stones, paintings, sculptures etc.) and non-   |
|                               | produced assets (revenue related to transactions with land, subsoil assets, emission   |
|                               | allowances etc.).  |
| Net acquisition of            | This category records operations on the financial assets accounts related to a purchase  |
| financial assets              | and a follow-up sale of the financial assets other than currency and deposits. These can   |
| other than                    | be shares and other equity, debt instruments like bonds, loans and their repayments. Financial assets are divided into domestic and external ones by residence of                |
| currency and                  | counterparty in the transaction. In the first case, it concerns a resident in the Czech  |
| deposits                      | Republic; in the latter case is a non-resident.  |
| Net incurrence of liabilities | This category includes operations related to cash transactions like borrowing money via  |
|                               | loans, issuances of bonds. They represent a change in liabilities at the same time.  |
|                               | Further, liabilities of government institutions that own a banking license and are   |
|                               | authorized to receive deposits.  |
|                               | Liabilities are divided into domestic and external ones by residence of counterparty in the transaction. In the first case, it concerns a resident in the Czech Republic; in the |
|                               | latter case is a non-resident.   |
| Net change in the             | It constitutes net change in the stock of currency and deposits (growth (+)/ decline (-)),   |
| 1                             | resulting from both non-financial transactions (cash flows from operating and  |
| stock of currency             | investment activities) and financial transactions (cash flows from transactions in   |
| and deposits                  | financial assets and liabilities).   |