

**ECBC – LIQUIDITY** 

May 2014



#### Chart I Liquidity needs and excess liquidity since 2008

#### (EUR billions) excess liquidity net autonomous factors reserve requirements 1,400 1,400 Fixed rate full allotment 1,200 1,200 Neutral liquidity allotment 1,000 1,000 800 800 600 600

Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4 Q1

Source: ECB.

400

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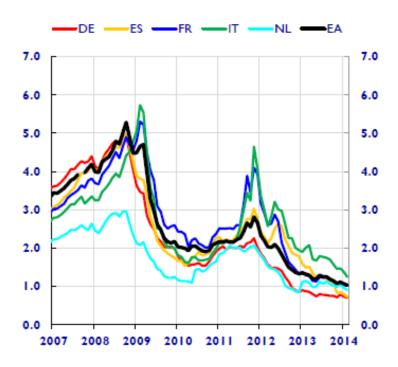
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# Borrowing costs remain stable in spite of improving funding conditions

Bank's composite of cost of bank debt financing (composite cost of deposit and non-secured market debt funding; percentages per annum)

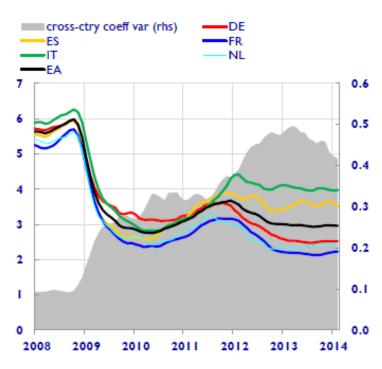
Composite indicator of the cost of borrowing for NFCs (percentage changes per annum; three-month moving averages)



Sources: ECB, Merrill Lynch Global Index and ECB calculations.

Notes: Deposit rates and cost of market-based debt financing are weighted using outstanding amounts taken from BSI statistics.

Latest observation: February 2014.



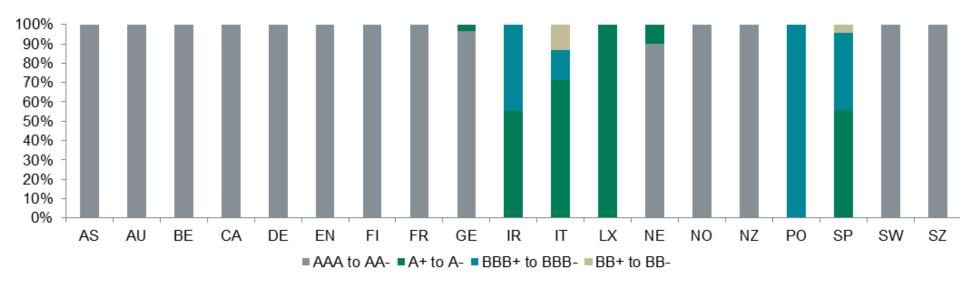
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Note: The composite indicator of the cost of borrowing is calculated by aggregating short- and long-term rates using a 24-month moving average of new business volumes. The cross country coefficient of variation is calculated over a fixed sample of 12 euro area countries. Latest observation: February 2014.



Source: ECB

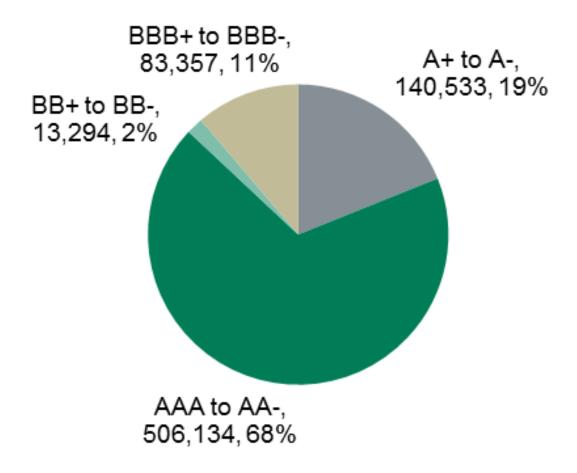
## **Breakdown of CB Ratings**

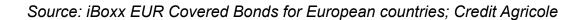




Source: iBoxx EUR Covered Bonds for European countries; Credit Agricole

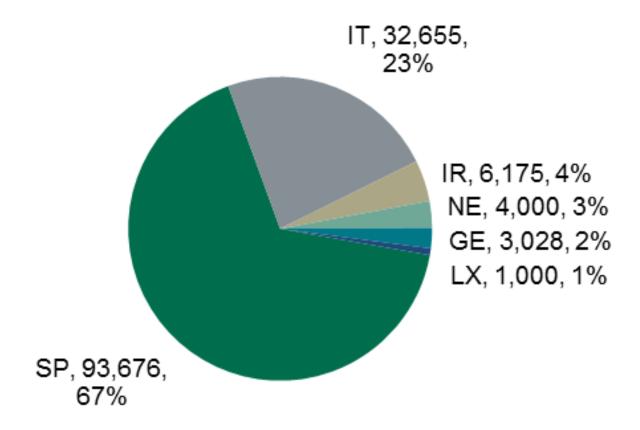
# **Breakdown of all European Countries**







### Breakdown of the A+ to A- bucket





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