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Changes to tables 16.1.3.1 and 16.1.3.2 in the Statistical Bulletin

In chapter 16 on *Liabilities of households and non-financial corporations*, tables 16.1.3.1 and 16.1.3.2 concerning loans recorded in the Central Corporate Credit Register have been amended on two points. On the one hand, the old tables listed only loans and credit lines with an authorised or used amount of over €25 000 and only loans granted by credit institutions were included. On the other hand, in table 13.1.3.1, the breakdown of these credits by the beneficiary's branch of activity was based on an unofficial classification.

In the new tables, the declaration threshold has been scrapped and coverage extended to credits granted by leasing and factoring companies, so that the current series now include outstanding amounts of higher loans. Furthermore, in table 13.1.3.1, the breakdown of loans by branch of activity from now on takes account of the official NACE classification used by the Crossroads Bank for Enterprises for firms that do not file annual accounts and of the NACE code attributed by the Central Balance Sheet Office for companies filing annual accounts.

These changes cause breaks in the series between the old and new tables, which have been retropolated.