

Statistical bulletin

Balance of payments, UK: January to March 2023

A measure of cross-border transactions between the UK and rest of the world. Includes trade, income, capital transfers and foreign assets and liabilities.



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1. Main points

- The underlying UK current account deficit, excluding precious metals, narrowed to £17.0 billion or 2.6% of gross domestic product (GDP) in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023, a change of £4.1 billion from the previous quarter when the deficit of £21.1 billion equated to 3.3% of GDP.
- When trade in precious metals is included, the UK current account deficit widened to £10.8 billion, or 1.7% of GDP in Quarter 1 2023.
- In Quarter 1 2023, the total trade deficit, excluding precious metals, narrowed to £19.4 billion from £25.4 billion in the previous quarter; as the goods deficit narrowed and the services surplus decreased.
- The primary income account balance recorded a surplus of £6.6 billion, or 1.0% of GDP.
- In Quarter 1 2023, the UK was a net lender to the rest of the world, recording a net financial outflow of £14.6 billion.
- The UK's net international investment liability position widened from £271.6 billion in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2022 to £357.8 billion.

Please note that all current account and trade figures exclude non-monetary gold (NMG) and other precious metals unless otherwise stated. This is because movements in NMG, an important component of precious metals, can be large and highly volatile, distorting underlying trends in goods exports and imports.

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2. Current account

The UK's current account balance is a measure of the country's balance of payments with the rest of the world in trade, primary income and secondary income.

The underlying UK current account deficit, excluding precious metals, narrowed to £17.0 billion or 2.6% of gross domestic product (GDP) in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023, a change of £4.1 billion from the previous quarter when the deficit of £21.1 billion equated to 3.3% of GDP.

Table 1 summarises the latest current account data for Quarter 1 2023.

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Table 1: UK current account deficit narrowed in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023 Main current account flows and change compared with the previous quarter

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Total current account	Value (£bn)	300.4	317.3	-17.0
	Change (bn)	3.4	-0.7	4.1
Total trade in goods and services	Value (£bn)	200.4	219.8	-19.4
	Change (bn)	-2.8	-8.7	5.9
Total Trade in Goods	Value (£bn)	93.0	148.8	-55.8
	Change (bn)	-3.6	-11.7	8.0
Total Trade in Services	Value (£bn)	107.4	71.0	36.4
	Change (bn)	0.9	3.0	-2.1
Total primary income	Value (£bn)	92.4	85.9	6.6
	Change (bn)	6.1	9.3	-3.2
Total secondary income	Value (£bn)	7.5	11.6	-4.1
	Change (bn)	0.0	-1.3	1.3

Source: Balance of payments from the Office for National Statistics

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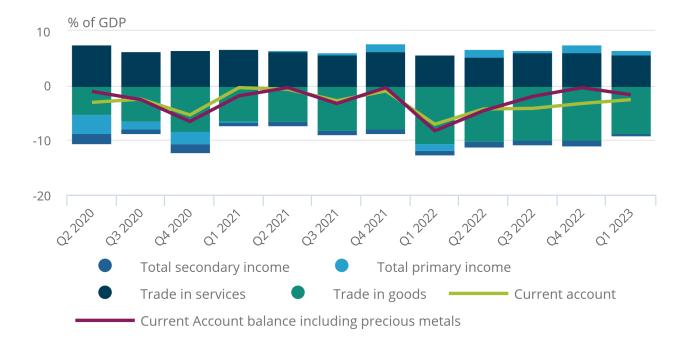
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- 2. Because of technical issues, we were unable to produce some foreign direct investment estimates for Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023 data for this publication. As such, users should be cautious when interpreting Quarter 1 2023 foreign direct investment data that are part of balance of payments statistics.

Figure 1: The UK's current account deficit as a percentage of GDP narrowed in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

Contributions to the UK's current account balance as a percentage of gross domestic product, Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2020 to Quarter 1 2023

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Notes:

- 1. Sum of components may not sum to total because of rounding.
- 2. Q1 refers to Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar), Q2 refers to Quarter 2 (Apr to June), Q3 refers to Quarter 3 (July to Sept) and Q4 refers to Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec).
- 3. Caution should be taken when interpreting these data as HM Revenue and Customs changed the collection methods for EU trade in January 2021 and January 2022. Our article, Impact of trade in goods data collection changes on UK trade statistics: 2020 to 2022 and further information in our UK Trade bulletin, provide more detail. For more information, please see Changes affecting UK trade statistics in Section 7: Measuring the data.
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Trade

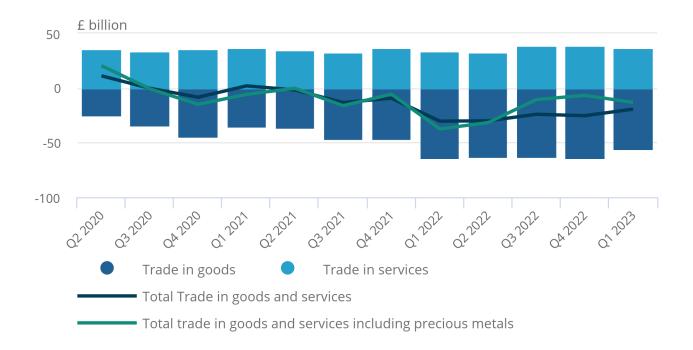
The total trade deficit decreased from £25.4 billion (4.0% of GDP) in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2022 to £19.4 billion or 3.0% of GDP in Quarter 1 2023. The trade in goods deficit decreased by £8.0 billion to £55.8 billion or 8.6% of GDP. The trade in services surplus reduced by £2.1 billion to £36.4 billion or 5.6% of GDP from the previous period.

Figure 2: The UK's trade deficit decreased in Quarter 1 2023

Contributions to the UK's trade balance, £ billion, Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2020 to Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

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Figure 3: Both imports and exports of goods fell in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

Changes in imports and exports of goods, excluding unspecified goods, £ billion Quarter 1 2023 compared with Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2022

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The trade in goods deficit decreased to £55.8 billion in Quarter 1 2023. Both imports and exports fell, but imports fell to a greater extent.

Goods imports fell by £11.7 billion because of a decrease in all trade commodities except imports of food, beverages and tobacco, which recorded a small increase of £0.2 billion. The largest falls in imports were recorded in the following commodities:

- finished manufactured goods (£4.6 billion)
- semi-manufactured goods (£3.4 billion)
- other fuels (£2.4 billion)
- oil (£1.1 billion)

Goods export levels decreased by £3.6 billion to £93.0 billion as semi-manufactured goods trade decreased by £1.7 billion, other fuels trade decreased by £1.4 billion and exports of oil decreased by £1.1 billion compared with the previous quarter.

The trade in services surplus narrowed by £2.1 billion to £36.4 billion as imports of other business services increased by £1.7 billion and travel services by £1.0 billion. These were partially offset by the export of travel services increasing by £0.9 billion.

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Primary income

The primary income account records income the UK receives and pays on financial and other assets, along with compensation of employees.

The primary income account recorded a surplus position of £6.6 billion, or 1.0% of GDP, in Quarter 1 2023.

Figure 4: The primary income account recorded a surplus position in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

Contributions to the UK's primary income balance, £ billion, Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2020 to Quarter 1 2023

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Within other investment, earnings on both credits (£33.9 billion) and debits (£39.8 billion) continued to increase, driven by interest rate rises despite investors withdrawing deposits and debtors paying down on their loans. These are the largest credits and debits since 2008.

Secondary income

The secondary income account shows current transfers between residents and non-residents.

The secondary income deficit decreased to 0.6% of GDP (£4.1 billion), as other payments by general government decreased by £1.3 billion.

NOTE - In line with <u>National Accounts revisions policy</u>, Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023 is not open for any revisions to previous data, therefore we will not be publishing revisions triangles alongside this release. Going forward revisions triangles will be published once a year with the quarterly bulletin aligned with the Pink Book dataset which are fully open to revisions.

3. Financial account

A current account deficit, which the UK has experienced each year since 1984, places the UK as a net borrower with the rest of the world, indicating that overall expenditure in the UK exceeds national income. The UK must attract net financial inflows to finance its current (and capital) account deficit. This can be achieved through either disposing of overseas assets to overseas investors or accruing liabilities with the rest of the world.

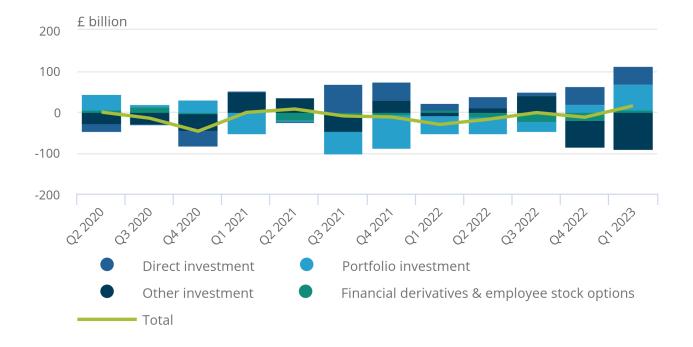
The financial account recorded a net outflow of £14.6 billion in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023, having recorded a net inflow of £13.3 billion in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2022.

Figure 5: The financial account recorded a net outflow to the rest of the world

UK financial account balances, Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2020 to Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

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UK resident foreign assets increased by £94.1 billion in Quarter 1 2023. This was mostly because of UK monetary financial institutions (banks) increasing their deposits overseas (mainly foreign currency) and other UK residents increasing their exposure to non-resident long-term debt.

Net incurrence of UK liabilities increased by £79.5 billion in Quarter 1 2023. This was mostly because of non-residents extending short-term loans to UK residents.

4. International investment position

The international investment position (IIP) examines the UK's balance sheet with the rest of the world, measuring the difference between the net stock of assets and liabilities.

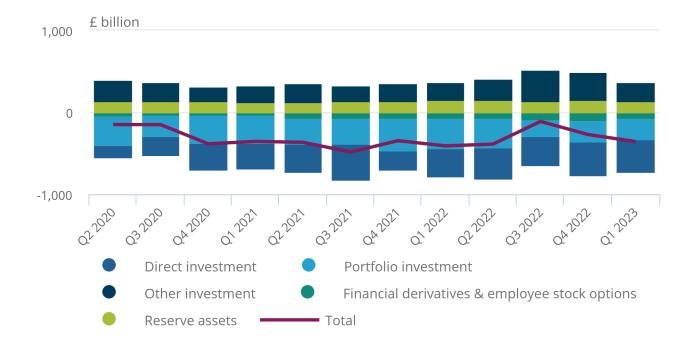
In Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023, the IIP recorded a widening in the value of its net liability position to £357.8 billion from £271.6 billion in Quarter 4 (Oct to Dec) 2022.

Figure 6: The UK international investment net liability position increased in Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

UK net international investment position, Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2020 to Quarter 1 2023

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The UK asset position decreased by £461.6 billion in Quarter 1 2023 and was valued at £13,576.1 billion at the end of the period. While the value of the UK liability position with the rest of the world decreased by £375.4 billion to £13,933.9 billion.

The decrease in both UK assets and UK liabilities was mostly because of a decrease in the stock positions of financial derivatives. In addition, the British pound strengthened against most major currencies. This decreased the British pound valuation of assets denominated in foreign currencies, which were partially offset by the UK liabilities of UK banks foreign currency deposits of non-residents.

5. Balance of payments data

<u>Balance of payments</u> Dataset | Released 30 June 2023 Quarterly summary of balance of payments accounts including the current account, capital transfers, transactions, and levels of UK external assets and liabilities.

<u>Balance of payments time series</u> Dataset | Released 30 June 2023 Quarterly summary of balance of payments accounts including the current account, capital transfers, transactions and levels of UK external assets and liabilities.

Balance of payments - revision triangles Dataset | Released 31 March 2023 Quarterly summary information on the size and direction of the revisions made to the data covering a five-year period, UK.

<u>UK Economic Accounts: all data</u> Dataset | Released 30 June 2023 This is released at the same time as the UK balance of payments and provides supplementary tables for the balance of payments. The UK Economic Accounts also provides users with the perspective of the rest of world looking into the UK.

6. Glossary

Balance of payments

The balance of payments is a statistical statement that summarises transactions between residents and non-residents during a period. It consists of the current account, capital account and financial account.

Current account

The current account is made up of the trade in goods and services account, the primary income account and the secondary income account. The difference in the monetary value of these accounts is known as the current account balance. A current account balance is in surplus if overall credits exceed debits, and it is in deficit if overall debits exceed credits.

Capital account

The capital account has two components: capital transfers and the acquisition (purchase) or disposal (sale) of non-produced, non-financial assets. Capital transfers are those involving transfers of ownership of fixed assets, transfers of funds associated with the acquisition or disposal of fixed assets, and cancellation of liabilities by creditors without any counterparts being received in return. The sale or purchase of non-produced, non-financial assets covers intangibles such as patents, copyrights, franchises, leases and other transferable contracts, and goodwill.

Financial account

The financial account covers transactions that result in a change of ownership of financial assets and liabilities between UK residents and non-residents. For example, the acquisitions and disposals of foreign shares by UK residents. The accounts are presented by the functional categories of direct investment, portfolio investment, other investment, financial derivatives and reserve assets.

International investment position

The international investment position (IIP) is a statement that shows at the end of the period the value and composition of UK external assets (foreign assets owned by UK residents) and identified UK external liabilities (UK assets owned by foreign residents). The framework of international accounts sets out that the IIP is also presented by functional category, consistent with primary income and the financial account.

Precious metals

In line with international standards, the Office for National Statistics' (ONS') headline trade statistics contain the UK's exports and imports of non-monetary gold. This trade can have a large effect on the size of and change in the UK's headline trade figures. This is because a substantial amount of the world's trade in non-monetary gold takes place on the London markets. Further information on precious metals and their impact can be found in our UK trade bulletin.

Special drawing rights

Some International Monetary Fund (IMF) member countries have access to international reserve assets called special drawing rights (SDRs). A general allocation of SDRs, equivalent to approximately US\$650 billion, became effective on 23 August 2021 and was allocated to participant countries in proportion to their existing quotas. The UK's SDR allocation was equivalent to \$19,318 million and was received in August 2021.

Net errors and omissions

Although the balance of payments accounts are, in principle, balanced, in practice imbalances between the current, capital and financial accounts arise from imperfections in source data and compilation. This imbalance, a usual feature of balance of payments data, is labelled "net errors and omissions".

A more detailed glossary (PDF, 123KB) of terms used in the balance of payments is also available.

7. Measuring the data

Data sources

Balance of payments statistics are compiled from a variety of sources, produced in the national accounts sector and financial accounts (SFA) framework. Some of the main sources used in the compilation include:

- overseas trade statistics (HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC))
- International Trade in Services Survey (ITIS) (Office for National Statistics (ONS))
- International Passenger Survey (ONS) this was suspended between March 2020 and January 2021 because of coronavirus (COVID-19)
- Foreign Direct Investment Survey (ONS and Bank of England (BoE))
- various financial inquiries (ONS and BoE)
- Ownership of UK Quoted Shares Survey (ONS)

Trade is measured through both exports and imports of goods and services. Data are supplied by over 30 sources including several administrative sources, HMRC being the largest for trade in goods. ITIS, conducted by the ONS, is the largest single data source for trade in services.

The main source of information for UK foreign direct investment (FDI) statistics is the Annual FDI Survey; separate surveys are used to collect data on inward and outward FDI. This is combined with data from the BoE on the banking sector. The statistics in this bulletin are compiled using the asset and liability measurement principle, which uses residency as the main distinction between outward and inward investments. In line with our Developing foreign direct investment statistics: 2021 article, we have reviewed and developed the population and sampling frame of FDI businesses. These changes have been introduced for reference periods from Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2020 onwards.

Because of technical issues, we were unable to produce some FDI estimates for Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023 data for this publication. As such, users should be cautious when interpreting Quarter 1 2023 FDI data that are part of balance of payments (BoP) statistics. Updated information for Quarter 1 2023 will be produced, along with revised data for 2022 when we publish BoP Quarter 2 (Apr to June) 2023 in September 2023.

Changes affecting UK trade statistics

EU imports and exports of goods

In January 2022, <u>HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC) implemented a data collection change</u> affecting data on imports from the EU to Great Britain (GB). This followed a similar data collection change in January 2021 for data on exports of goods to the EU from GB.

Our article, <u>Impact of trade in goods data collection changes on UK trade statistics: 2020 to 2022</u> provides more detail on the discontinuity between the two compilation methods.

We have applied adjustments to our estimates of goods imports from the EU for the period January to December 2021 to reflect the data collection change. These adjustments were applied in line with the National Accounts Revisions Policy, into the BoP and GDP quarterly national accounts, UK: July to September 2022 and incorporated in UK trade: November 2022 on 13 January 2023. We published an article, Impact of trade in goods data collection changes on UK trade statistics: adjustments to 2021 EU imports estimates, alongside our UK trade bulletin on 13 January 2023 summarising these adjustments to our estimates.

Consideration will be given to the impact of the data collection changes between 2020 and 2021. We will keep users informed of any updates.

Staged Customs Controls

In 2021, the use of Staged Customs Controls (SCC) allowed customs declarations to be reported up to 175 days after the date of import for imports of non-controlled goods from the EU to GB. The UK government introduced full customs controls in January 2022, while July 2022 marked the first full month of data where delayed customs declarations submitted under SCC could not be included. Temporary arrangements still apply for imports of goods from Ireland to GB.

We published an Impact of trade in goods data collection changes on UK trade statistics: update on Staged Customs Controls article on 17 February 2023, summarising the latest analysis on the potential impact of SCC in the first six months of 2022 by comparing Office for National Statistics (ONS) estimates of UK goods imports from the EU with Eurostat estimates of EU goods exports to the UK.

We are continuing to work with HMRC to investigate the impact of SCC and consider any adjustments that may be required. We will provide a <u>further update on our investigations into the impact of SCC on goods imports from the EU</u> on 3 July 2023.

EU exports in Quarter 1 2022

An operational change implemented by HMRC in January 2022 resulted in a break in the data time series for UK exports to the EU. Although this change does not affect data for March and future months, caution should be taken when interpreting Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2022 data or any periods that include January 2022 data.

8. Strengths and limitations

More quality and methodology information on strengths, limitations, appropriate uses, and how the data were created is available in our <u>Balance of payments QMI</u>.

We will continue to produce our UK balance of payments statistics in line with the UK Statistics Authority's <u>Code of Practice for Statistics</u> and in accordance with internationally agreed statistical guidance and standards. This is based on the International Monetary Fund's (IMF's) <u>Balance of Payments Manual sixth edition (BPM6)</u> (PDF, 3.0 MB), until those standards are updated.

9. Related links

<u>Developing foreign direct investment statistics: 2021</u> Article | Released 29 April 2021 An overview of our progress on the development of foreign direct investment (FDI) statistics since 2019, and our plans for the next phase of development.

<u>UK Balance of Payments, The Pink Book: 2022</u> Bulletin | Released 31 October 2022 Balances between inward and outward transactions, providing a net flow of transactions between UK residents and the rest of the world and reports on how that flow is funded.

<u>Foreign direct investment involving UK companies: 2021</u> Bulletin | Released 23 January 2023 Investment of UK companies abroad (outward) and foreign companies into the UK (inward), including investment flows, positions and earnings, by country, component and industry.

<u>A brief introduction to the UK balance of payments (PDF, 92KB)</u> Article This provides an overview of the concepts and coverage of the UK balance of payments using the <u>Balance of Payments Manual sixth edition (BPM6)</u>.

<u>Understanding the UK's net international investment position</u> Article | Released 27 April 2020 Analysis of the impact recent movements in price and exchange rates have had on the valuation of the UK's net international investment position.

Movements in foreign exchange rates Bulletin | Released 23 December 2016 Overview of how these can impact the balance of payments and international investment position (IIP).

10. Cite this statistical bulletin

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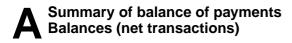
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Summary of statistics for Quarter 1 (Jan to Mar) 2023

This worksheet contains four tables presented underneath each other vertically with one blank row between each table. The tables in this worksheet refer to, Q1 = Jan to Mar, Q2 = Apr to June, Q3 = July to Sept, Q4 = Oct to Dec. All tables in this worksheet are in nounds hillion

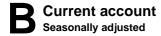
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Account	Latest quarter value	Record since	Record highest	
Trade in goods	-£49.6	Largest deficit since 2022 Q2	£1.6 (1981 Q1)	-£71.6 (2022 Q1)
Trade in goods,			-£2.8	-£64.4
excl. precious metals	-£55.8	Largest deficit since 2022 Q4	(1997 Q1)	(2022 Q1)
Trade in Services	£36.4	Largest surplus since 2022 Q4	£38.5 (2022 Q4)	£0.0 (1965 Q3)
Primary income	£6.6	Largest surplus since 2022 Q4	£9.8 (2022 Q4)	-£17.7 (2015 Q4)
Secondary income	-£4.1	Largest deficit since 2022 Q4	£0.3 (1982 Q1)	-£8.8 (2020 Q2)
Current balance	-£10.8	Largest deficit since 2022 Q3	£2.8 (1981 Q1)	-£50.5 (2022 Q1)
Current balance,			£2.4	-£43.3
excl. precious metals	-£17.0	Largest deficit since 2022 Q4	(1998 Q3)	(2022 Q1)
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Capital account (net	Latest quarter value	Record since	Record highest	Record lowest
Account	Latest quarter value	Record Since	£0.5	-£1.6
Capital balance	-£0.9	Largest deficit since 2022 Q4	(2007 Q4)	(2006 Q2)
Financial account (r	net) (£ billion)			
Account	Latest quarter value	Record since	Record highest	Record lowest
			£98.5	-£139.7
Direct investment	£43.2	Largest net outflow since 2022 Q4	(2000 Q1)	(2014 Q1)
-	000.0		£126.3	-£193.2
Portfolio investment	£62.9	Largest net outflow since 2019 Q1	(2012 Q3)	(2008 Q4)
Financial derivatives	£5.8	Largest net settlement receipts since 2020 Q3	£64.4 (2008 Q1)	-£100.9 (2015 Q1)
Other investment	-£91.3	Largest net disinvestment since 2019 Q1	£120.2 (2015 Q1)	-£156.1 (2012 Q3)
Reserve assets	-£5.9	Largest net disinvestment since 2019 Q1	£20.6 (2021 Q3)	-£6.3 (2019 Q1)
International investor	mont position (not)	(£ hillion)		
International investr	Latest quarter value		Record highest	Record lowest
			£494.2	-£435.9
Direct investment	-£407.3	Largest net liability position since 2022 Q4	(2008 Q4)	(2021 Q3)
Portfolio investment	-£256.6	Largest net liability position since 2022 Q4	£139.8 (1993 Q4)	-£711.7 (2012 Q2)
Financial derivatives	-£66.5	Largest net liability position since 2022 Q4	£145.0 (2013 Q2)	-£93.3 (2022 Q4)
Other investment	£232.4	Largest net asset position since 2022 Q4	£489.8 (2018 Q4)	-£336.4 (2007 Q4)
Reserve assets	£140.3	Largest net asset position since 2022 Q4	£146.7 (2022 Q4)	£1.1 (1970 Q3)



Net errors and omissions ²	HHDH	18 534	32 135	8 267	9 588	13 045	-12 366	22 814	9 154	14 563	-14 396	27 489
Net financial transactions	-HBNT	-17 808	-64 705	-1 612	6 700	-10 129	-12 767	-30 947	-18 466	-2 004	-13 288	14 639
Reserve assets	-LTCV	17 701	-1 075	-1 580	-2 930	20 555	1 656	769	-4 761	-5 038	7 955	-5 888
Other investment	-HHYR	70 342	-22 428	49 209	35 127	-45 218	31 224	-8 487	10 992	41 877	-66 810	-91 311
Portfolio investment Financial derivatives (net)	-HHZD -ZPNN	–192 118 –27 222	-87 800 -47 114	-52 650 -368	-4 108 -18 195	-52 369 -2 646	-82 991 -6 013	-44 323 4 967	-39 239 -11 778	-24 507 -21 999	20 269 -18 304	62 905 5 759
Direct investment	-MU7M	113 489	93 712	3 777	-3 194	69 549	43 357	16 127	26 320	7 663	43 602	43 174
Financial account ¹												
Capital balance	FKMJ	-2 238	-2 955	-490	-313	-786	-649	-533	-643	-219	-1 560	-870
Current balance	HBOG	-34 104	-93 885	-9 389	-2 575	-22 388	248	-53 228	–26 977	-16 348	2 668	-11 980
Total secondary income	KTNF	-17 930	-21 575	-3 391	-3 590	-5 229	-5 720	-5 653	-5 310	-5 106	-5 506	-3 974
Other sectors	FJUR	-14 2 16 -3 714	-3 860	-2 461 -930	-2 60 i -989	-4 393 -836	-4 761 -959	-4 703 -950	-4 373 -937	-4 140 -966	-4 499 -1 007	-2 984 -990
Secondary income General government	FJUQ	-14 216	-17 715	-2 461	-2 601	-4 393	-4 761	-4 703	-4 373	-4 140	-4 499	-2 984
Total primary income	HMBP	11 865	14 329	2 312	-119	2 033	7 639	-5 021	7 956	1 384	10 010	9 249
Investment income Other primary income	HMBM MT5W	12 111 14	15 040	2 350 14	-46 -71 -	2 077	7 755	-4 900 -	8 150 –	1 590	10 200	9 424 -
Primary income Compensation of employees	KTMP	-260	-711	-52	-48	-44	-116	-121	-194	-206	-190	-175
Total trade	KTMY	-28 039	-86 639	-8 310	1 134	-19 192	-1 671	-42 554	-29 623	-12 626	-1 836	-17 255
Trade in goods and services Trade in goods Trade in services	LQCT KTMS	-169 214 141 175	-230 543 143 904	-43 394 35 084	-33 746 34 880	-48 006 28 814	-44 068 42 397	-75 795 33 241	-62 659 33 036	-43 748 31 122	-48 341 46 505	-53 356 36 101
Current account												
Not seasonally adjusted												
Capital balance	FNVQ	−2 238	-2 955	-490	-313	-786	-649	-533	-643	-219	−1 560	−870
Current balance	нвор	-34 104	-93 885	-10 110	-2 473	-19 088	-2 433	-50 455	-28 203	-12 744	-2 483	–10 757
Total secondary income	IKBP	-17 930	-21 575	-3 330	-3 760	-5 22 6	−5 614	-5 544	-5 550	−5 041	-5 440	-4 098
General government Other sectors	FNSV FNTC	-14 216 -3 714	-17 715 -3 860	-2 399 -931	-2 769 -991	-4 389 -837	-4 659 -955	-4 592 -952	-4 611 -939	-4 074 -967	-4 438 -1 002	-3 099 -999
Secondary income												
Other primary income Total primary income	MT5X HBOJ	11 865	14 329	14 -878	1 566	2 330	8 847	-7 381	9 061	2 895	9 754	6 566
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income	IJAJ HBOM	-260 12 111	-711 15 040	–51 –841	-44 1 610	-34 2 364	-131 8 978	-121 -7 260	-173 9 234	-190 3 085	-227 9 981	-162 6 728
Total trade	IKBJ	-28 039	-86 639	-5 902	-279	-16 192	-5 666	-37 530	-31 714	-10 598	-6 797	-13 225
Trade in goods and services Trade in goods Trade in services	BOKI IKBD	-169 214 141 175	-230 543 143 904	-42 592 36 690	-34 984 34 705	-49 110 32 918	-42 528 36 862	-71 567 34 037	-64 711 32 997	-48 949 38 351	-45 316 38 519	-49 622 36 397
Current account												
Seasonally adjusted				Qı	- QZ	Q.5	Q-1	Q I	- QZ	Q_	Q-1	
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
-		2024	2022	2024	2024	2024	2024	2022	2022	2022	2022	£ million

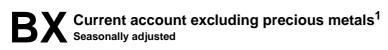
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² This series represents net errors and omissions in the balance of payments accounts. It is the converse of the current and capital balances (HBOG and FKMJ) and net financial account transactions (HBNT) and is required to balance these three accounts, not seasonally adjusted.



												£ million
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Credits												
Exports of goods and services Exports of goods Exports of services	BOKG IKBB	323 555 330 729	414 059 401 140	72 555 78 361	83 628 78 489	78 037 79 430	89 335 94 449	86 282 90 163		115 396 106 754		99 261 107 401
Total exports of goods and services	IKBH	654 284	815 199	150 916	162 117	157 467	183 784	176 445	194 873	222 150	221 731	206 662
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAH HBOK MT5T	542 212 941 14	1 175 284 032 -	89 50 783 14	105 52 460 -	168 51 935 -	180 57 763 -	182 54 953 -	339 72 240 -	339 70 843 -	315 85 996 -	306 92 134 -
Total primary income	нвон	213 497	285 207	50 886	52 565	52 103	57 943	55 135	72 579	71 182	86 311	92 440
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FHDM FHIB	378 27 605	699 29 328	76 6 940	82 6 221	99 7 440	121 7 004	132 7 381	202 7 032	196 7 590	169 7 325	191 7 339
Total secondary income	IKBN	27 983	30 027	7 016	6 303	7 539	7 125	7 513	7 234	7 786	7 494	7 530
Total	HBON	895 764	1 130 433	208 818	220 985	217 109	248 852	239 093	274 686	301 118	315 536	306 632
Debits												
Imports of goods and services Imports of goods Imports of services	BOKH IKBC	492 769 189 554	644 602 257 236	115 147 41 671	118 612 43 784	127 147 46 512	131 863 57 587	157 849 56 126	161 884 64 703	164 345 68 403	160 524 68 004	148 883 71 004
Total imports of goods and services	IKBI	682 323	901 838	156 818	162 396	173 659	189 450	213 975	226 587	232 748	228 528	219 887
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAI HBOL MT5V	802 200 830 -	1 886 268 992 –	140 51 624 -	149 50 850 -	202 49 571 -	311 48 785 -	303 62 213 -	512 63 006 -	529 67 758 -	542 76 015 -	468 85 406 –
Total primary income	HBOI	201 632	270 878	51 764	50 999	49 773	49 096	62 516	63 518	68 287	76 557	85 874
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FLUD FLUZ	14 594 31 319	18 414 33 188	2 475 7 871	2 851 7 212	4 488 8 277	4 780 7 959	4 724 8 333	4 813 7 971	4 270 8 557	4 607 8 327	3 290 8 338
Total secondary income	IKBO	45 913	51 602	10 346	10 063	12 765	12 739	13 057	12 784	12 827	12 934	11 628
Total	нвоо	929 868	1 224 318	218 928	223 458	236 197	251 285	289 548	302 889	313 862	318 019	317 389
Balances												
Trade in goods and services Trade in goods Trade in services	BOKI IKBD	-169 214 141 175	-230 543 143 904	-42 592 36 690	-34 984 34 705	-49 110 32 918	-42 528 36 862	-71 567 34 037	-64 711 32 997	-48 949 38 351	-45 316 38 519	-49 622 36 397
Total trade in goods and services	IKBJ	-28 039	-86 639	-5 902	-279	-16 192	-5 666	-37 530	-31 714	-10 598	-6 797	-13 225
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAJ HBOM MT5X	-260 12 111 14	-711 15 040 -	–51 –841 14	-44 1 610 -	-34 2 364 -	-131 8 978 -	-121 -7 260 -	-173 9 234 -	-190 3 085 -	-227 9 981 -	-162 6 728 -
Total primary income	нвој	11 865	14 329	-878	1 566	2 330	8 847	-7 381	9 061	2 895	9 754	6 566
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FNSV FNTC	-14 216 -3 714	-17 715 -3 860	-2 399 -931	-2 769 -991	-4 389 -837	-4 659 -955	-4 592 -952	-4 611 -939	-4 074 -967	-4 438 -1 002	-3 099 -999
Total secondary income	IKBP	-17 930	-21 575	-3 330	-3 760	-5 226	-5 614	-5 544	-5 550	-5 041	-5 440	-4 098
Current balance	нвор	-34 104	-93 885	-10 110	-2 473	-19 088	-2 433	-50 455	-28 203	-12 744	-2 483	-10 757
Balances as a percentage of GDP ¹												
Trade in goods and services Trade in goods Trade in services	D28J D28K	-7.5 6.2	-9.3 5.8	-7.9 6.8	-6.2 6.2	-8.5 5.7	-7.2 6.2	-11.8 5.6	-10.5 5.3		-7.1 6.0	-7.7 5.6
Total trade in goods and services	D28L	-1.2	-3.5		_	-2.8	-1.0	-6.2	-5.1	-1.7	-1.1	-2.0
Total primary income	D28M	0.5	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.4	1.5	-1.2	1.5	0.5	1.5	1.0
Total secondary income	D28N	-0.8	-0.9	-0.6	-0.7	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.8	-0.9	-0.6
Current balance as percentage of GDP	аабн	-1.5	-3.8	-1.9	-0.4	-3.3	-0.4	-8.3	-4.6	-2.0	-0.4	-1.7

¹ Using series YBHA: GDP at current market prices



												£ million
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Credits												
Trade exports excluding precious metals Exports of goods excluding precious metals Exports of services	FUS7	317 607 330 729	381 928 401 140	72 555 78 361	81 824 78 489	78 037 79 430		86 280 90 163		101 847 106 754	96 631 106 523	
Total trade excluding precious metals	FUS8	648 336	783 068	150 916	160 313	157 467	179 640	176 443	194 870	208 601	203 154	200 396
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAH HBOK MT5T	542 212 941 14	1 175 284 032 -	89 50 783 14	105 52 460 -	168 51 935 –	180 57 763	182 54 953 -	339 72 240 –	339 70 843 –	315 85 996 -	306 92 134 -
Total primary income	нвон	213 497	285 207	50 886	52 565	52 103	57 943	55 135	72 579	71 182	86 311	92 440
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FHDM FHIB	378 27 605	699 29 328	76 6 940	82 6 221	99 7 440	121 7 004	132 7 381	202 7 032	196 7 590	169 7 325	191 7 339
Total secondary income	IKBN	27 983	30 027	7 016	6 303	7 539	7 125	7 513	7 234	7 786	7 494	7 530
Total excluding precious metals	FUS9	889 816	1 098 302	208 818	219 181	217 109	244 708	239 091	274 683	287 569	296 959	300 366
Debits												
Trade imports excluding precious metals Imports of goods excluding precious metals Imports of services	FUT2 IKBC	481 455 189 554	635 788 257 236					150 713 56 126			160 518 68 004	
Total trade excluding precious metals	FUT3	671 009	893 024	148 976	162 077	170 887	189 069	206 839	224 921	232 742	228 522	219 841
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAI HBOL MT5V	802 200 830 -	1 886 268 992 –	140 51 624 -	149 50 850 -	202 49 571 -	311 48 785 –	303 62 213 -	512 63 006 -	529 67 758 -	542 76 015 -	468 85 406 –
Total primary income	нвоі	201 632	270 878	51 764	50 999	49 773	49 096	62 516	63 518	68 287	76 557	85 874
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FLUD FLUZ	14 594 31 319	18 414 33 188	2 475 7 871	2 851 7 212	4 488 8 277	4 780 7 959	4 724 8 333	4 813 7 971	4 270 8 557	4 607 8 327	3 290 8 338
Total secondary income	IKBO	45 913	51 602	10 346	10 063	12 765	12 739	13 057	12 784	12 827	12 934	11 628
Total excluding precious metals	FUT4	918 554	1 215 504	211 086	223 139	233 425	250 904	282 412	301 223	313 856	318 013	317 343
Balances												
Trade excluding precious metals Trade in goods excluding precious metals Trade in services	FUT5 IKBD	-163 848 141 175	-253 860 143 904	-34 750 36 690				-64 433 34 037	-63 048 32 997	-62 492 38 351	-63 887 38 519	-55 842 36 397
Total trade excluding precious metals	FUT6	-22 673	-109 956	1 940	-1 764	-13 420	-9 429	-30 396	-30 051	-24 141	-25 368	-19 445
Primary income Compensation of employees Investment income Other primary income	IJAJ HBOM MT5X	-260 12 111 14	-711 15 040 -	–51 –841 14	-44 1 610 -	-34 2 364 -	–131 8 978 –	-121 -7 260 -	-173 9 234 -	-190 3 085 -	-227 9 981 -	-162 6 728 -
Total primary income	нвој	11 865	14 329	-878	1 566	2 330	8 847	-7 381	9 061	2 895	9 754	6 566
Secondary income Central government Other sectors	FNSV FNTC	-14 216 -3 714	-17 715 -3 860	-2 399 -931	-2 769 -991	-4 389 -837	-4 659 -955	-4 592 -952	-4 611 -939	-4 074 -967		-3 099 -999
Total secondary income	IKBP	-17 930	-21 575	-3 330	-3 760	-5 226	-5 614	-5 544	-5 550	-5 041	-5 440	-4 098
Current balance excluding precious metals	FUT7	-28 738	-117 202	-2 268	-3 958	-16 316	-6 196	-43 321	-26 540	-26 287	-21 054	-16 977
Balances as a percentage of GDP ²												
Trade excluding precious metals Trade in goods excluding precious metals Trade in services	FUT8 D28K	-7.2 6.2	-10.2 5.8	-6.5 6.8	-6.5 6.2	-8.0 5.7	-7.8 6.2	-10.6 5.6	-10.2 5.3	-10.0 6.1	-10.0 6.0	-8.6 5.6
Total trade excluding precious metals	FUT9	-1.0	-4.4	0.4	-0.3	-2.3	-1.6	-5.0	-4.9	-3.8	-4.0	-3.0
Total primary income	D28M	0.5	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.4	1.5	-1.2	1.5	0.5	1.5	1.0
Total secondary income	D28N	-0.8	-0.9	-0.6	-0.7	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.8	-0.9	-0.6
Current balance excluding precious metals as percentage of GDP	FUU2	-1.3	-4.7	-0.4	-0.7	-2.8	-1.0	-7.1	-4.3	-4.2	-3.3	-2.6
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Precious metals includes: Non-Monetary Gold (NMG), Platinum, Palladium and Silver
 Using series YBHA: GDP at current market prices



Current account: Transactions with the European Union (EU) and with non-EU countries Seasonally adjusted

												£ million
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Transactions with the European Union ¹	1,2,3											
Credits Exports of goods ⁶ Exports of services ⁶	L87S L854	155 438 118 233	193 698 146 372	32 138 29 237	40 290 27 455	39 247 28 097	43 763 33 444	42 784 33 456	49 371 35 747	52 385 38 660	49 158 38 509	46 330 39 192
Total exports of goods and services ⁶	L84Y	273 671	340 070	61 375	67 745	67 344	77 207	76 240	85 118	91 045	87 667	85 522
Primary income Secondary income	L872 L84S	65 841 5 772	92 584 5 943	15 231 1 552	16 396 1 389	16 443 1 411	17 771 1 420	17 818 1 546	21 949 1 454	24 383 1 471	28 434 1 472	30 282 1 454
Total	L873	345 284	438 597	78 158	85 530	85 198	96 398	95 604	108 521	116 899	117 573	117 258
Debits Imports of goods ⁶ Imports of services ⁶	L87U L868	236 593 80 442	310 953 120 975	54 319 18 446	58 291 17 847	61 894 19 545	62 089 24 604	73 600 25 957	79 793 30 425	75 999 33 923	81 561 30 670	78 668 33 317
Total imports of goods and services ⁶	L864	317 035	431 928	72 765	76 138	81 439	86 693	99 557	110 218	109 922	112 231	111 985
Primary income Secondary income	L874 L85W	76 252 11 601	109 099 15 324	19 132 1 082	19 112 2 318	18 408 3 742	19 600 4 459	22 386 3 753	26 590 4 003	28 848 3 644	31 275 3 924	32 845 3 430
Total	L875	404 888	556 351	92 979	97 568	103 589	110 752	125 696	140 811	142 414	147 430	148 260
Balances Trade in goods ⁶ Trade in services ⁶	L87Q L86M	-81 155 37 791	-117 255 25 397	-22 181 10 791	-18 001 9 608	-22 647 8 552	-18 326 8 840	-30 816 7 499	-30 422 5 322	-23 614 4 737	-32 403 7 839	-32 338 5 875
Total trade in goods and services ⁶	L86I	-43 364	-91 858	-11 390	-8 393	-14 095	-9 486	-23 317	-25 100	-18 877	-24 564	-26 463
Primary income Secondary income	L876 L86E	-10 411 -5 829	-16 515 -9 381	-3 901 470	-2 716 -929	-1 965 -2 331	-1 829 -3 039	-4 568 -2 207	-4 641 -2 549	-4 465 -2 173	-2 841 -2 452	-2 563 -1 976
Total	L877	-59 604	-117 754	-14 821	-12 038	-18 391	-14 354	-30 092	-32 290	-25 515	-29 857	-31 002
Transactions with non-EU countries ^{4,5} Credits Exports of goods ⁶ Exports of services ⁶ Total exports of goods and services ⁶ Primary income	L87M L855 L84Z L87D	168 117 212 496 380 613	220 361 254 768 475 129 192 623	40 417 49 124 89 541 35 655	43 338 51 034 94 372 36 169	38 790 51 333 90 123 35 660	45 572 61 005 106 577 40 172	43 498 56 707 100 205 37 317	47 802 61 953 109 755 50 630	63 011 68 094 131 105 46 799	66 050 68 014 134 064 57 877	52 931 68 209 121 140 62 158
Secondary income	L84T	22 211	24 084	5 464	4 914	6 128	5 705	5 967	5 780	6 315	6 022	6 076
Total	L87E	550 480	691 836	130 660	135 455	131 911	152 454	143 489	166 165	184 219	197 963	189 374
Debits Imports of goods ⁶ Imports of services ⁶	L870 L869	256 176 109 112	333 649 136 261	60 828 23 225	60 321 25 937	65 253 26 967	69 774 32 983	84 249 30 169	82 091 34 278	88 346 34 480	78 963 37 334	70 215 37 687
Total imports of goods and services ⁶	L865	365 288	469 910	84 053	86 258	92 220	102 757	114 418	116 369	122 826	116 297	107 902
Primary income Secondary income	L87F L85X	125 380 34 312	161 779 36 278	32 632 9 264	31 887 7 745	31 365 9 023	29 496 8 280	40 130 9 304	36 928 8 781	39 439 9 183	45 282 9 010	53 029 8 198
Total	L87G	524 980	667 967	125 949	125 890	132 608	140 533	163 852	162 078	171 448	170 589	169 129
Balances Trade in goods ⁶ Trade in services ⁶	L87K L86N	-88 059 103 384	-113 288 118 507		-16 983 25 097	-26 463 24 366		-40 751 26 538		-25 335 33 614	-12 913 30 680	-17 284 30 522
Total trade in goods and services ⁶	L86J	15 325	5 219	5 488	8 114	-2 097	3 820	-14 213	-6 614	8 279	17 767	13 238
Primary income Secondary income	L87H L86F	22 276 –12 101	30 844 -12 194	3 023 -3 800	4 282 -2 831	4 295 -2 895	10 676 -2 575	-2 813 -3 337	13 702 –3 001	7 360 -2 868	12 595 –2 988	9 129 –2 122
Total	L87I	25 500	23 869	4 711	9 565	-697	11 921	-20 363	4 087	12 771	27 374	20 245

¹ EU presented on an EU basis.

² Includes transactions with European Union institutions.

³ A quarterly breakdown of the UK's current account with the Euro area (as a whole) is published in table B6 of United Kingdom Economic Accounts (UKEA) at http://www.ons.gov.uk/economy/nationalaccounts/uksectoraccounts

⁴ Includes transactions with international organisations other than European Union institutions.

⁵ A quarterly geographic breakdown of the UK's current account with the USA, Japan, Canada, Switzerland, Brazil, China, Hong Kong, India and Russia is also available and is published in table B6B of UKEA (see note 3).

⁶ These data are our best estimate of these bilateral UK trade flows. Users should note that alternative estimates are available, in some cases, via the statistical agencies for bilateral countries or through central databases such as UN Comtrade (www.comtrade.un.org).

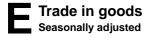


Summary of international investment position, financial account and investment income Not seasonally adjusted

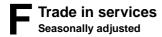
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		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Investment abroad				Qı	QZ_	Q3	Q+	- Q I	QZ_	Q_	Q+	
International Investment Position												
Direct investment	N2V3	2 188.0	2 164.2	2 134.2	2 170.1	2 025.9	2 188.0	2 026.9	2 119.5	2 206.8	2 164.2	2 167.9
Portfolio investment	HHZZ	3 396.2	3 029.0	3 152.0	3 297.8	3 307.9	3 396.2	3 192.2	3 000.1	2 897.3	3 029.0	3 059.3
Financial derivatives	JX96	2 364.6	3 198.2	2 513.1	2 398.6	2 435.0	2 364.6	2 721.2	3 140.5	3 953.8	3 198.2	2 764.6
Other investment	HLXV	4 915.2	5 499.6	4 679.3	4 675.3	4 846.5	4 915.2	5 218.6	5 527.0	5 920.3	5 499.6	5 444.0
Reserve assets	LTEB	143.4	146.7	124.1	121.3	143.4	143.4	144.8	144.1	143.2	146.7	140.3
Total	HBQA	13 007.4	14 037.7	12 602.8	12 663.0	12 758.7	13 007.4	13 303.6	13 931.3	15 121.4	14 037.7	13 576.1
Financial Account transactions ¹												
Direct investment	-N2SV	117.3	127.8	10.8	18.7	52.0	35.8	31.4	43.1	42.6	10.8	12.1
Portfolio investment	-HHZC	-52.5	-113.3	-12.4	32.9	-33.4	-39.5	-88.3	-22.8	-52.7	50.6	35.7
Financial derivatives (net)	-ZPNN	-27.2	-47.1	-0.4	-18.2	-2.6	-6.0	5.0	-11.8	-22.0	-18.3	5.8
Other investment Reserve assets	-XBMM	297.8 17.7	110.5 –1.1	129.4 -1.6	–17.8 –2.9	107.1 20.6	79.0 1.7	249.5 0.8	85.9 -4.8	95.8	-320.6 8.0	46.4
Reserve assets	-LTCV		-1.1			20.0			-4.0	-5.0		_5.9
Total	-HBNR	353.1	76.9	125.9	12.6	143.6	70.9	198.3	89.6	58.6	-269.6	94.1
Investment income earnings		444.7	400.4	0.4.7	04.0	040	00.0	00.5	40.0	07.0	00.0	40.4
Direct investment Portfolio investment	N2QP	141.7 52.6	162.1	34.7	34.6	34.3 13.7	38.2 13.1	36.5 14.3	48.2	37.6 17.0	39.8 17.3	40.1 18.4
Other investment	HLYX AIOP	17.8	64.9 55.2	12.5 4.4	13.3 4.3	4.5	4.6	5.4	16.3 8.5	15.3	26.1	33.9
Reserve assets	HHCB	0.9	1.9	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.9
Total	HMBN	212.9	284.0	51.8	52.4	52.7	56.1	56.4	73.3	70.4	83.9	93.3
Investment in the UK												
International Investment Position												
Direct investment	N2UG	2 421.1	2 574.8	2 445.5	2 499.7	2 461.7	2 421.1	2 377.0	2 500.5	2 554.4	2 574.8	2 575.2
Portfolio investment	HLXW	3 790.5	3 290.9	3 489.0	3 626.3	3 623.1	3 790.5	3 567.0	3 358.2	3 111.9	3 290.9	3 315.9
Financial derivatives	JX97	2 435.5	3 291.5	2 545.8	2 460.5	2 499.2	2 435.5	2 782.9	3 206.3	4 030.7	3 291.5	2 831.1
Other investment	HLYD	4 707.3	5 152.2	4 478.4	4 443.2	4 660.7	4 707.3	4 987.4	5 254.7	5 536.6	5 152.2	5 211.7
Total	нвов	13 354.4	14 309.3	12 958.7	13 029.7	13 244.7	13 354.4	13 714.3	14 319.7	15 233.6	14 309.3	13 933.9
Financial Account transactions												
Direct investment	N2SA	3.8	34.1	7.1	21.9	-17.5	-7.6	15.3	16.7	34.9	-32.8	-31.1
Portfolio investment Other investment	HHZF XBMN	139.7 227.4	-25.5 132.9	40.2 80.2	37.0 -52.9	19.0 152.3	43.5 47.8	-44.0 258.0	16.4 74.9	-28.2 53.9	30.3 -253.8	-27.2 137.8
Total	HBNS	370.9	141.6	127.5	5.9	153.7	83.7	229.2	108.1	60.6	-256.3	79.5
Investment income Direct investment	17004	78.7	70.8	21.6	21.1	15.5	20.5	24.9	17.6	17.0	11.3	11.0
Portfolio investment	N2Q4 HLZC	93.9	128.4	21.0	24.3	27.9	20.5	28.3	35.7	32.6	31.9	33.1
Other investment	HLZN	28.2	69.8	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.1	8.1	11.9	19.2	30.6	39.7
Total	нмво	200.8	269.0	49.4	52.5	50.6	48.3	61.3	65.2	68.8	73.7	83.9
Total	ниво	200.0	203.0	73.7	32.3	30.0	40.5	01.5	03.2	00.0	75.7	03.3
Net investment												
International Investment Position												
Direct investment	MU70	-233.0	-410.5	-311.3	-329.6	-435.9	-233.0	-350.1	-381.0	-347.6	-410.5	-407.3
Portfolio investment	CGNH	-394.3	-261.8	-336.9	-328.5	-315.2	-394.3	-374.8	-358.1	-214.5	-261.8	-256.6
Financial derivatives Other investment	JX98	-71.0	-93.3	-32.7 201.0	-61.9 232.1	-64.2 185.8	-71.0 207.9	-61.7 231.2	-65.7 272.3	-76.9	-93.3 347.4	-66.5 232.4
Reserve assets	CGNG LTEB	207.9 143.4	347.4 146.7	124.1	121.3	143.4	143.4	144.8	144.1	383.7 143.2	146.7	140.3
Net investment	HBQC	-347.0	-271.6	-355.9	-366.7	-486.0	-347.0	-410.7	-388.4	-112.1	-271.6	-357.8
Financial Accounts transactions ¹												
Direct investment	-MU7M	113.5	93.7	3.8	-3.2	69.5	43.4	16.1	26.3	7.7	43.6	43.2
Portfolio investment	-HHZD	-192.1	-87.8	-52.7	-4.1	-52.4	-83.0	-44.3	-39.2	-24.5	20.3	62.9
Financial derivatives	-ZPNN	-27.2	-47.1	-0.4	-18.2	-2.6	-6.0	5.0	-11.8	-22.0	-18.3	5.8
Other investment	-HHYR	70.3	-22.4	49.2	35.1	-45.2	31.2	-8.5	11.0	41.9	-66.8	-91.3
Reserve assets	-LTCV	17.7	-1.1	-1.6	-2.9	20.6	1.7	0.8	-4.8	-5.0	8.0	_5.9
Net transactions	-HBNT	-17.8	-64.7	-1.6	6.7	-10.1	-12.8	-30.9	-18.5	-2.0	-13.3	14.6
Investment income earnings												
Direct investment	MU7E	62.9	91.3	13.1	13.4	18.7	17.6	11.6	30.6	20.6	28.5	29.0
Portfolio investment	HLZX	-41.3	-63.6	-8.5	-11.0 2.7	-14.2	-7.6	-14.0	-19.4	-15.6	-14.6	-14.7 5.0
Other investment Reserve assets	CGNA HHCB	-10.4 0.9	–14.6 1.9	-2.5 0.2	-2.7 0.2	-2.7 0.2	-2.5 0.2	-2.7 0.2	-3.4 0.3	-4.0 0.6	-4.5 0.8	-5.9 0.9
Net earnings	HMBM	12.1	15.0	2.3	-0.1	2.1	7.8	−4.9	8.1	1.6	10.2	9.4

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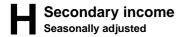
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Exports												
Food, beverages and tobacco	BOPL	21 448	25 614	4 596	5 768	5 467	5 617	6 016	6 514	6 503	6 581	6 727
Basic materials	BOPM	10 941	11 627	2 450	2 814	2 815	2 862	2 784	3 099	2 890	2 854	2 673
Oil	ELBL	29 203	46 608	6 369	6 518	7 367	8 949	11 310	12 182	11 926	11 190	10 096
Other fuels	BOQI	4 385	12 666	585	588	1 091	2 121	1 991	2 834	5 143	2 698	1 323
Semi-manufactured goods	BOPO	90 865	104 896	20 727	24 339	22 089	23 710	23 744	27 837	27 793	25 522	23 846
Finished manufactured goods	BOPP	158 744	178 853	37 277	41 365	38 807	41 295	39 988	44 377	47 145	47 343	47 759
Unspecified goods	BOQL	7 969	33 795	551	2 236	401	4 781	449	330	13 996	19 020	6 837
Total	BOKG	323 555	414 059	72 555	83 628	78 037	89 335	86 282	97 173	115 396	115 208	99 261
Imports												
Food, beverages and tobacco	BOAR	50 433	59 809	11 973	12 505	12 933	13 022	14 406	15 229	14 955	15 219	15 434
Basic materials	BOAS	17 330	18 064	3 869	4 508	4 713	4 240	4 367	4 908	4 433	4 356	4 040
Oil	ENXO	29 745	62 581	5 094	6 275	8 575	9 801	12 981	16 661	16 899	16 040	14 943
Other fuels	BPBI	23 636	54 397	2 730	4 528	6 355	10 023	12 392	11 916	19 615	10 474	8 117
Semi-manufactured goods	BQAU	125 792	145 989	28 577	31 489	32 421	33 305	36 451	37 723	34 754	37 061	33 711
Finished manufactured goods	BQAV	231 528	291 903	54 332	58 289	58 699	60 208	69 333	73 082	72 965	76 523	71 877
Unspecified goods	BQAW	14 305	11 859	8 572	1 018	3 451	1 264	7 919	2 365	724	851	761
Total	вокн	492 769	644 602	115 147	118 612	127 147	131 863	157 849	161 884	164 345	160 524	148 883
Balances												
Food, beverages and tobacco	ELBE	-28 985	-34 195	-7 377	-6 737	-7 466	-7 405	-8 390	-8 715	-8 452	-8 638	-8 707
Basic materials	ELBF	-6 389	-6 437	-1 419	-1 694	-1 898	-1 378	-1 583	-1 809	-1 543	-1 502	-1 367
Oil	ENXQ	-542	-15 973	1 275	243	-1 208	-852	-1 671	-4 479	-4 973	-4 850	-4 847
Other fuels	ENIW	-19 251	-41 731	-2 145	-3 940	-5 264	-7 902	-10 401	-9 082	-14 472	-7 776	-6 794
Semi-manufactured goods	ELBH	-34 927	-41 093	-7 850	-7 150	-10332	-9 595	-12 707	-9 886	-6 961	-11 539	-9 865
Finished manufactured goods	ELBI	-72 784	-113 050	-17 055	-16924	-19 892	-18 913	-29 345	-28 705	-25 820	-29 180	-24 118
Unspecified goods	BQKX	-6 336	21 936	-8 021	1 218	-3 050	3 517	-7 470	-2 035	13 272	18 169	6 076
Total	BOKI	-169 214	-230 543	-42 592	-34 984	-49 110	-42 528	-71 567	-64 711	-48 949	-45 316	-49 622



		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Exports												
Manufacturing and maintenance services	MTN7	7 305	8 085	1 621	1 767	1 856	2 061	1 857	1 979	2 144	2 105	2 160
Transport	FKOA	18 658	26 449	4 538	4 289	4 409	5 422	5 479	6 488	6 681	7 801	8 018
Travel	FAPO	24 098	55 302	4 702			11 613			14 528	15 012	15 936
Construction	FDSG	2 435	2 750	556	609	619	651	731	720	683	616	833
Insurance and pension services	FDTF	19 139	22 424	4 114	5 468	3 579	5 978	4 136		7 455	5 888	6 141
Financial	FDYI	68 453		17 249				17 378		18 654	19 097	19 377
Intellectual property	FEBA	17 953		3 995	4 356	4 231	5 371	4 876		6 276	5 520	5 977
Telecommunication, computer and information services		31 013		7 365	8 161	7 594	7 893	8 074		8 685	9 247	8 883
Other business	FEHH		149 183							39 913	39 552	38 217
Personal, cultural and recreational services	FGXJ	4 518	5 491	1 000	1 046	1 104	1 368	1 412		1 357	1 258	1 377
Government	FGZA	1 799	1 872	585	410	409	395	626	441	378	427	482
Total	IKBB	330 729	401 140	78 361	78 489	79 430	94 449	90 163	97 700	106 754	106 523	107 401
Imports												
Manufacturing and maintenance services	MTN6	4 756	4 300	1 149	1 231	1 162	1 214	955	1 010	1 247	1 088	1 194
Transport	FHME	14 815	28 040	3 029	3 126	3 547	5 113	6 325	6 999	7 234	7 482	6 910
Travel	APQL	21 881	67 014	2 198	2 327	5 842	11 514	12 660	17 011	17 713	19 630	20 651
Construction	FIOU	4 112	4 095	1 029	1 015	979	1 089	988	967	982	1 158	866
Insurance and pension services	FIPT	6 220	6 063	1 857	1 918	539	1 906	984	1 718	1 754	1 607	1 939
Financial	FITY	15 230	16 961	3 600	3 650	3 906	4 074	4 097	4 239	4 398	4 227	4 654
Intellectual property	FIVX	12 507	13 958	2 925	3 184	3 097	3 301	3 353	3 510	3 634	3 461	3 62
Telecommunication, computer and information services	FIUG	12 968	14 145	3 004	3 532	3 092	3 340	3 266	3 505	3 711	3 663	3 679
Other business	FIWF	85 402	91 091	19 939	20 849	21 610	23 004	20 640	22 771	24 876	22 804	24 538
Personal, cultural and recreational services	FLQJ	8 439	7 885	2 045	2 015	2 063	2 316	1 958	2 009	1 979	1 939	1 992
Government	FLSA	3 224	3 684	896	937	675	716	900	964	875	945	960
Total	IKBC	189 554	257 236	41 671	43 784	46 512	57 587	56 126	64 703	68 403	68 004	71 004
Balances												
Manufacturing and maintenance services	MTN8	2 549	3 785	472	536	694	847	902	969	897	1 017	966
Transport	FLYS	3 843	-1 591	1 509	1 163	862	309	-846	-511	-553	319	1 108
Travel	FNGY		-11 712	2 504	695		99		-2 486		-4 618	-4 715
Construction	FNJM	-1 677	-1 345	-473	-406	-360	-438	-257	-247	-299	-542	-33
Insurance and pension services	FNKF	12 919	16 361	2 257	3 550	3 040	4 072			5 701	4 281	4 202
Financial	FNLQ	53 223		13 649		13 110				14 256	14 870	14 723
Intellectual property	FNMR	5 446	8 522	1 070	1 172	1 134	2 070	1 523		2 642	2 059	2 356
Telecommunication, computer and information services		18 045		4 361	4 629	4 502	4 553	4 808		4 974	5 584	5 204
Other business	FNMZ	49 956	58 092	12 697	12 089	12 242	12 928	13 717	12 590	15 037	16 748	13 679
Personal, cultural and recreational services	FNRB	-3 921		-1 045	-969	-959	-948	-546	-545	-622	-681	-615
Government	FNRU	-1 425	-1 812	-311	-527	-266	-321	-274	-523	-497	-518	-478
Total	IKBD	1/1 175	143 904	36 600	24 705	22 019	26 962	24.027	32 007	38 351	38 519	36 397



												£ million
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Credits												
Compensation of employees	IJAH	542	1 175	89	105	168	180	182	339	339	315	306
Investment income Earnings on direct investment abroad	MTX2	141 673	162 070	33 678	35 090	33 445	39 460	34 998	47 691	37 876	41 505	39 016
Earnings on portfolio investment abroad Earnings on equity securities Earnings on debt securities	CGDT CGDU	31 421 21 149	34 995 29 900	7 419 5 064	7 497 5 349	8 168 5 573	8 337 5 163	8 301 6 029	8 941 6 842	8 698 8 451	9 055 8 578	9 762 8 555
Total portfolio investment	CGDV	52 570		12 483			13 500	14 330	15 783	17 149	17 633	18 317
Earnings on other investment abroad Earnings on reserve assets	CGDW HHCC	17 778 920	55 186 1 881	4 378 244	4 292 232	4 522 227	4 586 217	5 395 230	8 457 309	15 265 553	26 069 789	33 861 940
Total investment income	нвок	212 941	284 032	50 783	52 460	51 935	57 763	54 953	72 240	70 843	85 996	92 134
Other primary income	MT5T	14	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	нвон	213 497	285 207	50 886	52 565	52 103	57 943	55 135	72 579	71 182	86 311	92 440
Debits												
Compensation of employees	IJAI	802	1 886	140	149	202	311	303	512	529	542	468
Investment income Foreign earnings on direct investment in the UK	MTU7	78 733	70 751	23 407	21 736	15 341	18 249	25 297	18 808	16 440	10 206	11 584
Foreign earnings on portfolio investment in the UK Earnings on equity securities Earnings on debt securities	HGOT CGDX	47 189 46 699	55 176 73 271	11 664 9 523	11 214 11 157	14 902 12 089	9 409 13 930	14 264 14 472	14 441 18 184	14 220 17 739	12 251 22 876	13 924 20 110
Total portfolio investment	CGDZ	93 888	128 447	21 187	22 371	26 991	23 339	28 736	32 625	31 959	35 127	34 034
Earnings on other investment in the UK	CGEB	28 209	69 794	7 030	6 743	7 239	7 197	8 180	11 573	19 359	30 682	39 788
Total investment income	HBOL	200 830	268 992	51 624	50 850	49 571	48 785	62 213	63 006	67 758	76 015	85 406
Other primary income	MT5V	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	нвоі	201 632	270 878	51 764	50 999	49 773	49 096	62 516	63 518	68 287	76 557	85 874
Balances												
Compensation of employees	IJAJ	-260	-711	-51	-44	-34	-131	-121	-173	-190	-227	-162
Investment income Direct investment	MU7F	62 940	91 319	10 271	13 354	18 104	21 211	9 701	28 883	21 436	31 299	27 432
Portfolio investment Earnings on equity securities Earnings on debt securities	CGEC CGED		-20 181 -43 371					-5 963 -8 443	-5 500 -11 342		-3 196 -14 298	-4 162 -11 555
Total portfolio investment	CGEE	-41 318	-63 552	-8 704	-9 525	-13 250	-9 839	-14 406	-16 842	-14 810	-17 494	-15 717
Other investment Reserve assets	CGFF HHCC	-10 431 920	-14 608 1 881	-2 652 244	-2 451 232	-2 717 227	-2 611 217	-2 785 230	-3 116 309	-4 094 553	-4 613 789	-5 927 940
Total investment income	нвом	12 111	15 040	-841	1 610	2 364	8 978	-7 260	9 234	3 085	9 981	6 728
Other primary income	MT5X	14	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	нвој	11 865	14 329	070	1 566	2 220	0.047	-7 381	9 061	2 895	9 754	6 566



												£ million
		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Credits												
General government Receipts from EU Institutions:												
Other EU receipts Other receipts	GTTA CGDN	- 378	699	- 76	- 82	99	- 121	132	202	- 196	- 169	- 191
Total general government	FHDM	378	699	76	82	99	121	132	202	196	169	191
Other sectors Receipts from EU Institutions:												
Social fund	н5U3	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other receipts	CGDO	27 605	29 328	6 940	6 221	7 440	7 004	7 381	7 032	7 590	7 325	7 339
Total other sectors	FHIB	27 605	29 328	6 940	6 221	7 440	7 004	7 381	7 032	7 590	7 325	7 339
Total	IKBN	27 983	30 027	7 016	6 303	7 539	7 125	7 513	7 234	7 786	7 494	7 530
Debits												
General government Payments to EU institutions:												
GNI: own resource	MUV7	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GNI adjustments	8VUM	_	-	-	_	-	_	_	_	-	-	_
less Abatement Other	-FKKM FLMT	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Withdrawal agreement	FZJA	5 813	9 322	_	807	2 412	2 594	2 558	2 469	2 207	2 088	2 111
Other payments	CGDP	8 781	9 092	2 475	2 044	2 076	2 186	2 166	2 344	2 063	2 519	1 179
Total general government	FLUD	14 594	18 414	2 475	2 851	4 488	4 780	4 724	4 813	4 270	4 607	3 290
Other sectors												
Payments to EU institutions	CGDR											
Other payments	CGDS	31 319	33 188	7 871	7 212	8 277	7 959	8 333	7 971	8 557	8 327	8 338
Total other sectors	FLUZ	31 319	33 188	7 871	7 212	8 277	7 959	8 333	7 971	8 557	8 327	8 338
Total	IKBO	45 913	51 602	10 346	10 063	12 765	12 739	13 057	12 784	12 827	12 934	11 628
Balances												
General government	FNSV	-14 216	-17 715	-2 399	-2 769	-4 389	-4 659	-4 592	-4 611	-4 074	-4 438	-3 099
Other sectors	FNTC	-3 714	-3 860	-931	-991	-837	-955	-952	-939	-967	-1 002	-999
Total	IKBP	-17 930	-21 575	-3 330	-3 760	-5 226	-5 614	-5 544	-5 550	-5 041	-5 440	-4 098
Of which: EU institutions ¹	GTTB	-5 789	-9 302	6	-802	-2 407	-2 586	-2 554	-2 465	-2 203	-2 080	-2 107

¹ For a complete picture of UK official transactions with institutions of the EU, the balance of other primary income £0 million, a balance of 0 for export of services (UK charges for collection of duties) and a capital account balance of 0 should be included giving a 2022 balance of approximately -£9302 million.

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		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
Credits												
Capital transfers Central government												
Debt forgiveness Other capital transfers	FHIV FHJA	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
•												
Total central government	FHIU	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors Debt forgiveness	FHJD											
EU Institutions:		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Regional development fund Agricultural fund for regional development	GTTX FHJF	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Other capital transfers	EBGO		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total EU institutions	GTTY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total other sectors	FHJB		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total capital transfers	FHIT		_	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_
Disposal of non-produced, non-financial assets	FHJL	904	947	185	147	362	210	228	240	226	253	127
Total	FHLD	904	947	185	147	362	210	228	240	226	253	127
Debits												
Capital transfers												
Central government Debt forgiveness	FLWD	-	181	_	-	_	_	_	181	_		-
Other capital transfers (project grants)	FLWH	2 270	2 856	591	316	589	774	555	490	270	1 541	825
Total central government	FLWB	2 270	3 037	591	316	589	774	555	671	270	1 541	825
Other sectors Debt forgiveness												
Monetary financial institutions Public corporations	FLWL HMLY		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Total debt forgiveness	JCWM		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other capital transfers	FLWQ											
Total other sectors	FLWI		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total capital transfers	FLWA	2 270	3 037	591	316	589	774	555	671	270	1 541	825
Acquisitions of non-produced, non-financial assets	FLWT	872	865	84	144	559	85	206	212	175	272	172
Total	FLYL	3 142	3 902	675	460	1 148	859	761	883	445	1 813	997
Balances												
Capital transfers												
Central government Debt forgiveness	FNTM	_	-181	_	_	_	_	_	-181	_	_	_
Other capital transfers	FNTN	-2 270 	-2 856	-591	-316	-589	-774	-555	-490	-270	-1 541	-825
Total central government	FNTL	−2 270	-3 037	-591	-316	-589	-774	-555	- 671	-270	-1 541	-825
Other sectors Debt forgiveness	ENTTO .	_										
Other capital transfers	FNTQ FNTR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Total other sectors	FNTO	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total capital transfers	FNTK	-2 270	-3 037	-591	-316	-589	-774	-555	-671	-270	-1 541	-825
Non produced non-financial assets	FNTS	32	82	101	3	-197	125	22	28	51	-19	-45
Non-produced, non-financial assets												



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		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
UK investment abroad (Net acquisition of financial assets)							<u> </u>			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Direct investment abroad Equity capital other than reinvestment of earnings	-H.TVM	14 151	14 989	-5 130	_2 978	29 418	_7 159	2 591	190	3 635	8 573	9 889
Reinvestment of earnings	-HDNY	68 206		22 370					21 524		5 860	5 850
Debt instruments	-N2RN	34 938	43 755	-6 408	10 693	4 104	26 549	5 282	21 354	20 768	-3 649	-3 649
Total direct investment abroad	-N2SV	117 295	127 842	10 832	18 673	52 021	35 769	31 390	43 068	42 600	10 784	12 090
Portfolio investment abroad												
Equity and investment fund shares	-HBVI	-52 548	-171 027	-16 926	23 156	-37 029	-21 7 49	-104 699	-35 265	-65 590	34 527	1 335
Debt securities	-XBMW	86	57 748	4 521	9 705	3 617	–17 757	16 358	12 463	12 866	16 061	34 379
Total portfolio investment abroad	-HHZC	-52 462	–113 279	-12 405	32 861	-33 412	-39 506	-88 341	-22 802	-52 724	50 588	35 714
Financial derivatives & employee stock options	-ZPNN	-27 222	-47 114	-368	–18 195	-2 646	-6 013	4 967	_11 778	-21 999	-18 304	5 759
Other investment abroad	-XBMM	297 759	110 514	129 432	-17 801	107 102	79 026	249 469	85 860	95 764	-320 579	46 443
Reserve assets	-LTCV	17 701	–1 075	–1 580	-2 930	20 555	1 656	769	<i>−</i> 4 761	-5 038	7 955	-5 888
Total	-HBNR	353 071	76 888	125 911	12 608	143 620	70 932	198 254	89 587	58 603	–269 556	94 118
Investment in the UK (Net incurrence of liabilities)												
Direct investment in the UK												
Equity capital other than reinvestment of earnings		33 176	38 169	7 334	7 953	9 677	8 212		11 349			3 349
Reinvestment of earnings Debt instruments	CYFV N2R7	-7 960 -21 410	10 406 -14 445	-446 167		-6 524 -20 681		12 382 -4 217	3 082		-11 031 - -24 398 -	
	NZK/											
Total direct investment in the UK	N2SA	3 806	34 130	7 055	21 867	–17 528	−7 588	15 263	16 748	34 937	–32 818 ·	–31 084
Portfolio investment in the UK												
Equity and investment fund shares	XBLW		-26 036					-37 465	2 982	8 776		-7 570
Debt securities	XBLX	141 484	557	45 494	40 934	7 400	39 601	-6 553	13 455	-36 993	30 646	–19 621
Total portfolio investment in the UK	HHZF	139 656	-25 479	40 245	36 969	18 957	43 485	-44 018	16 437	–28 217	30 319	–27 191
Other investment in the UK	XBMN	227 417	132 942	80 223	-52 928	152 320	47 802	257 956	74 868	53 887	-253 769	137 754
Total	HBNS	370 879	141 593	127 523	5 908	153 749	83 699	229 201	108 053	60 607	-256 268	79 479
Net transactions (net assets less net liabilities)												
Direct investment												
Equity capital other than reinvestment of earnings	-HBWN	-19 025	-23 180					-4 507	-11 159	-13 476	5 962	6 540
Reinvestment of earnings Debt instruments	-HBWT	76 166 56 348		22 816 -6 575		25 023 24 785			18 442 19 037	12 224 8 915		15 885 20 749
Total net direct investment	-MU7M	113 489	93 712			69 549			26 320	7 663		43 174
Portfolio invostment												
Portfolio investment Equity and investment fund shares	-HBWV	-50 720	-144 991	-11 677	35 121	-48 531	-25 633	-67 234	-38 247	-74 366	34 856	8 905
Debt securities	-HBWX	-141 398	57 191	-40 973	-39 229	-3 838	-57 358	22 911	-992	49 859	-14 587	54 000
Total net portfolio investment	-HHZD	-192 118	-87 800	-52 650	-4 108	-52 369	-82 991	-44 323	-39 239	-24 507	20 269	62 905
Financial derivatives 9 arratages starts and		07.000	47 44 4	000	10 105	0.040	0.040	4.007	44 770	04.000	40.004	E 750
Financial derivatives & employee stock options Other investment	-ZPNN -HHYR		-47 114 -22 428			-2 646 -45 218					-18 304 -66 810	
Reserve assets	-LTCV	17 701		-1 580			1 656		-4 761			-5 888
Total	-HBNT	-17 808	-64 705	-1 612	6 700	-10 129	-12 767	-30 947	-18 466	-2 004	-13 288	14 639

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² Further detail of the quarterly financial account is published in tables B8 to B13 of United Kingdom Economic Accounts at http://www.ons.gov.uk/ons/search/index.html?newquery=ukea



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		2021	2022	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4	2023 Q1
UK Assets												
Direct investment abroad Equity and investment fund shares Debt instruments	CGMO N2TT	1 725.6 462.5	1 756.5 407.7	1 707.1 427.1	1 732.9 437.2	1 588.5 437.4	1 725.6 462.5	1 662.7 364.2	1 733.3 386.2	1 794.4 412.4	1 756.5 407.7	1 760.2 407.7
Total direct investment abroad	N2V3	2 188.0	2 164.2	2 134.2	2 170.1	2 025.9	2 188.0	2 026.9	2 119.5	2 206.8	2 164.2	2 167.9
Portfolio investment abroad Equity and investment fund shares Debt securities	HEPX HHZX	2 234.1 1 162.2			2 151.4 1 146.4		2 234.1 1 162.2		1 853.7 1 146.4		1 882.9 1 146.1	1 897.2 1 162.1
Total portfolio investment abroad	HHZZ	3 396.2	3 029.0	3 152.0	3 297.8	3 307.9	3 396.2	3 192.2	3 000.1	2 897.3	3 029.0	3 059.3
Financial derivatives & employee stock options Other investment abroad Reserve assets	JX96 HLXV LTEB	2 364.6 4 915.2 143.4		2 513.1 4 679.3 124.1		2 435.0 4 846.5 143.4			3 140.5 5 527.0 144.1	3 953.8 5 920.3 143.2	3 198.2 5 499.6 146.7	2 764.6 5 444.0 140.3
Total	HBQA	13 007.4	14 037.7	12 602.8	12 663.0	12 758.7	13 007.4	13 303.6	13 931.3	15 121.4	14 037.7	13 576.1
UK Liabilities												
Direct investment in the UK Equity and investment fund shares Debt instruments	HBUY N2TD	1 873.0 548.1	2 058.2 516.6	1 873.4 572.1	1 918.9 580.7	1 902.0 559.8	1 873.0 548.1	1 882.3 494.7	1 993.1 507.4	2 029.3 525.1	2 058.2 516.6	2 058.7 516.6
Total direct investment in the UK	N2UG	2 421.1	2 574.8	2 445.5	2 499.7	2 461.7	2 421.1	2 377.0	2 500.5	2 554.4	2 574.8	2 575.2
Portfolio investment in the UK Equity and investment fund shares Debt securities	HLXX	1 764.2 2 026.3		1 544.8 1 944.1				1 696.7 1 870.3	1 600.6 1 757.7			1 680.1 1 635.8
Total portfolio investment in the UK	HLXW	3 790.5	3 290.9	3 489.0	3 626.3	3 623.1	3 790.5	3 567.0	3 358.2	3 111.9	3 290.9	3 315.9
Financial derivatives & employee stock options Other investment in the UK	JX97 HLYD	2 435.5 4 707.3					2 435.5 4 707.3		3 206.3 5 254.7			
Total	нвов	13 354.4	14 309.3	12 958.7	13 029.7	13 244.7	13 354.4	13 714.3	14 319.7	15 233.6	14 309.3	13 933.9
Net International Investment Position												
Direct investment Equity and investment fund shares Debt instruments	HBSH MU7N	-147.4 -85.6		-166.3 -145.0	-186.0 -143.5	-313.5 -122.4	-147.4 -85.6	-219.5 -130.6	-259.8 -121.2	-234.9 -112.7	-301.7 -108.8	-298.5 -108.8
Total net direct investment	MU7 0	-233.0	-410.5	-311.3	-329.6	-435.9	-233.0	-350.1	-381.0	-347.6	-410.5	-407.3
Portfolio investment Equity and investment fund shares Debt securities	CGNE CGNF	469.9 -864.2		476.6 -813.5	541.0 -869.5	506.0 -821.2	469.9 -864.2	364.1 -738.9	253.1 –611.3	209.1 -423.7	225.3 -487.1	217.1 -473.8
Total net portfolio investment	CGNH	-394.3	-261.8	-336.9	-328.5	-315.2	-394.3	-374.8	-358.1	-214.5	-261.8	-256.6
Financial derivatives & employee stock options Other investment Reserve assets	JX98 CGNG LTEB	-71.0 207.9 143.4	347.4	-32.7 201.0 124.1	-61.9 232.1 121.3	-64.2 185.8 143.4	207.9	-61.7 231.2 144.8	272.3	-76.9 383.7 143.2	-93.3 347.4 146.7	-66.5 232.4 140.3
Total	нвос	-347.0	-271.6	-355.9	-366.7	-486.0	-347.0	-410.7	-388.4	-112.1	-271.6	-357.8

£ billion

Further detail of the quarterly international investment position is published in tables B14 to B19 of United Kingdom Economic Accounts at http://www.ons.gov.uk/ons/search/index.html?newquery=ukea



Summary of revisions since last Balance of Payments Statistical Bulletin Balances (net transactions)

												£	million
		2020	2021	2020 Q3	2020 Q4	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4
Seasonally adjusted													
Current account													
Trade in goods and services													
Trade in goods Trade in services	BOKI IKBD	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total trade	IKBJ												
	IKBU	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Primary income Compensation of employees	IJAJ	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Investment income	HBOM	_	_	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	-
Other primary income	MT5X		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total primary income	нвој	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Secondary income													
General government Other sectors	FNSV FNTC	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total secondary income	IKBP	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Current balance	НВОР	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capital balance	FNVQ	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Not seasonally adjusted													
Current account													
Trade in goods and services													
Trade in goods Trade in services	LQCT KTMS	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total trade	KTMY	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Primary income Compensation of employees	KTMP	_	_										
Investment income	HMBM	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other primary income	MT5W		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total primary income	HMBP	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_
Secondary income													
General government Other sectors	FJUQ FJUR	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total secondary income	KTNF	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	-
Current balance	HBOG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capital balance	FKMJ	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Financial account ¹													
Direct investment	-MU7M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_
Portfolio investment Financial derivatives (net)	-HHZD -ZPNN	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other investment	-HHYR	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Reserve assets	-LTCV		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Net financial transactions	-HBNT	_	-	-	-	-	_	_	_	_	_	-	_
Net errors and omissions ²	ннон	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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² This series represents net errors and omissions in the balance of payments accounts. It is the converse of the current and capital balances (HBOG and FKMJ) and net financial account transactions (HBNT) and is required to balance these three accounts, not seasonally adjusted.

£ million

												t	million
		2020	2021	2020 Q3	2020 Q4	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4
Credits						<u> </u>		Q 0			Q.L	Q 0	
Exports of goods and services													
Exports of goods Exports of services	BOKG IKBB	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
·	IKBH												
Total exports of goods and services	IKBH	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Primary income Compensation of employees	IJAH	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Investment income Other primary income	HBOK MT5T	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total primary income	нвон		_		_		_			_			
Secondary income													
Central government	FHDM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other sectors	FHIB												
Total secondary income	IKBN	_	-	-	-	_	_	-	_	_	-	_	-
Total	HBON	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debits													
Imports of goods and services Imports of goods	вокн	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Imports of services	IKBC		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total imports of goods and services	IKBI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Primary income													
Compensation of employees Investment income	IJAI HBOL	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other primary income	MT5V												
Total primary income	HBOI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Secondary income Central government	FLUD	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	FLUZ	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total secondary income	IKBO		-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	_	_
Total	нвоо	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Balances													
Trade in goods and services	2011												
Trade in goods Trade in services	BOKI IKBD	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total trade in goods and services	IKBJ		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Primary income													
Compensation of employees Investment income	IJAJ HBOM	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other primary income	MT5X	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total primary income	нвој		_	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	
Secondary income													
Central government Other sectors	FNSV FNTC	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total secondary income	IKBP												
•		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Current balance	HBOP	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Balances as a percentage of GDP ¹													
Trade in goods and services													
Trade in goods Trade in services	D28J	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-
	D28K												
Total trade in goods and services	D28L	_	_	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-	_	-
Total primary income	D28M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total secondary income	D28N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Current balance as percentage of GDP	AA6H	_	_	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	

¹ Using series YBHA: GDP at current market prices

Revisions to international investment since last Balance of Payments Statistical Bulletin

Not seasonally adjusted £ billion

Not seasonally a	adjusted												£ billior
		2020	2021	2020 Q3	2020 Q4	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4
Investment abroad													
International Investment Position													
Direct investment	N2V3	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Portfolio investment	HHZZ	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Financial derivatives	JX96	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other investment	HLXV	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Reserve assets	LTEB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	HBQA		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Financial Account transactions ¹													
Direct investment	-N2SV	_	_	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	_	-	
Portfolio investment	-HHZC	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	-	-	_	_	
Financial derivatives (net)	-ZPNN	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	-	-	_	
Other investment	-XBMM	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Reserve assets	-LTCV												
Total	-HBNR	-	-	-	_	-	_	-	-	-	_	-	
nvestment income earnings													
Direct investment	N2QP	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Portfolio investment	HLYX	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other investment	AIOP	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Reserve assets	HHCB	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
. 1000. 10 00000													
Total	HMBN	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Investment in the UK													
nternational Investment Position													
Direct investment	N2UG	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	-	
Portfolio investment Financial derivatives	HLXW	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other investment	JX97 HLYD	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total	HBQB	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	_	_	-	
Financial Account transactions													
Direct investment	N2SA	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Portfolio investment	HHZF	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	-	-	-	_	
Other investment	XBMN		_	-	-	_	_	_	-	-	_	-	
Total	HBNS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Investment income													
Direct investment	N2Q4	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Portfolio investment	HLZC	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other investment	HLZN	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total	HMBO	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	-	
Net investment													
International Investment Position													
Direct investment	MU70	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Portfolio investment	CGNH	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Financial derivatives	JX98	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other investment	CGNG	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	-	_	
Reserve assets	LTEB	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Net investment	HBQC		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Financial Accounts transactions ¹													
Direct investment	-MU7M	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Portfolio investment	-HHZD	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Financial derivatives	-ZPNN	_	_	_	-	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	
Other investment	-HHYR	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	-	-	_	
	-LTCV		_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Reserve assets					_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Reserve assets Net transactions	-HBNT	_	_	_									
Net transactions Investment income earnings		-	_	_									
Net transactions Investment income earnings Direct investment	MU7E	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Net transactions Investment income earnings Direct investment Portfolio investment	MU7E HLZX	- - -	- - -	- - -	_ _	_ _	_ _	- -		- -		- -	
Net transactions Investment income earnings Direct investment Portfolio investment Other investment	MU7E HLZX CGNA	- - -	- - - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	-	
Net transactions Investment income earnings Direct investment Portfolio investment	MU7E HLZX	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	- - -		

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