



FINANCING AND DEBT

- ◆ **On March 13, domestic GMTN Notes due on 22 May, 2029 were offered** in a competitive multi-price auction. Notes were sold in nominal value of EUR 150 million and the total demand reached EUR 182.798 million. **The weighted average yield rate was 3.422%.** (RĪGA, Mar 13, [Treasury](#))
- ◆ **On March 20, domestic GMTN Notes due on 12 July, 2033 were offered** in a competitive multi-price auction. Notes were sold in nominal value of EUR 45 million and the total demand reached EUR 67.8 million. **The weighted average yield rate was 3.495%.** (RĪGA, Mar 20, [Treasury](#))
- ◆ **On March 27, the Treasury will offer GMTN notes in a competitive multi-price auction 3.875 per cent.** Notes due 2027 under the Global Medium Term Note Programme of the Republic of Latvia, acting through the Treasury (RĪGA, Mar 25, [Treasury](#))

MACROECONOMICS

- ◆ Central Statistical Bureau (CSB) provisional data show that **in January 2024 Latvia had foreign trade turnover of EUR 3.24 billion (at current prices 8.6 % lower than a year ago), of which value of exported goods reduced by 1.1 % and of imported goods by 15.3 %.** Reduction in imports value in January this year, compared to January last year, was mostly affected by the drop in imports of mineral products. (RĪGA, Mar 11, [CSB](#))
- ◆ CSB estimate shows that **in February 2024 actual unemployment rate in Latvia was 7.2 % and it has risen by 0.1 percentage points over the month.** Over the year actual unemployment rate increased by 0.8 percentage points. (RĪGA, Mar 21, [CSB](#))
- ◆ Data of the CSB show that **in February 2024, compared to February 2023, the level of producer prices in Latvian industry decreased by 7.9 %.** The level of prices of products sold on the domestic market reduced by 11.9 %, and prices of exported products by 3.8 %. (RĪGA, Mar 21, [CSB](#))

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