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1. MONETÁRIS POLITIKA, INFLÁCIÓ

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Swiss monetary policy decision and the assessment of the economic situation https://www.bis.org/review/r180105a.pdf Introductory remarks by Mr Thomas Jordan, Chairman of the Governing Board of the Swiss National Bank, at the Madia News Conference of the Swiss National Bank, Parks Remonetary 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
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Low inflation and its implications for monetary policy https://www.bis.org/review/r180108a.pdf Speech by Mr Grant Spencer, Deputy Governor of the Reserve Bank of New Zealand, to the Institute of Directors, Auckland, 5 December 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 5 January 2018, 09/01/2018 http://www.ecb.europa.eu/press/pr/wfs/2018/html/ecb.fst180109.en.html	ECB Press Releases
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Commentary: http://www.ecb.europa.eu/press/pr/wfs/2018/html/ecb.fs180104.en.html	
Global factors and trend inflation, 10/01/2018 https://www.bis.org/publ/work688.pdf	BIS Working Paper
We develop a model to empirically study the influence of global factors in driving trend inflation and the inflation gap. We apply our model to five established inflation targeters and a group of heterogeneous Asian economies. Our results suggest that while global factors can have a sizeable influence on the inflation gap, they play only a marginal role in driving trend inflation. Much of the influence of global factors in the inflation gap may be reflecting commodity price shocks. We also find that global factors have a greater influence on inflation, and especially trend inflation, for the group of Asian economies relative to the established inflation targeters. A possible interpretation is that inflation targeting may have reduced the influence of global factors on inflation, and especially so on trend inflation.	
Keywords: trend inflation, foreign shocks, Beveridge-Nelson decomposition	

2. PÉNZÜGYI STABILITÁS, PÉNZÜGYI PIACOK

Financial markets and the progress made in reference interest rate reform https://www.bis.org/review/r180105c.pdf Speech by Ms Andréa M Maechler, Member of the Governing Board of the Swiss National Bank, at the Media News Conference of the Swiss National Bank, Berne, 14 December 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
Current developments in the area of financial stability in Switzerland https://www.bis.org/review/r180105b.pdf Introductory remarks by Mr Fritz Zurbrügg, Member of the Governing Board of the Swiss National Bank, at the Media News Conference of the Swiss National Bank, Berne, 14 December 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
Romania's latest Financial Stability Report https://www.bis.org/review/r180109d.pdf Speech by Mr Liviu Voinea, Deputy Governor of the National Bank of Romania, at the press conference to launch the December 2017 issue of the Financial Stability Report, Bucharest, 4 December 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
Consumer lending - a key factor to economic growth in Spain https://www.bis.org/review/r180108d.pdf Speech by Mr Luis M Linde, Governor of the Bank of Spain, on the 60th Anniversary of the National Association of Specialised Lending Institutions (ASNEF), Madrid, 30 November 2017.	BIS Central Bankers' Speech
European Financial Stability Facility (EFSF) raises €6 billion in new 7-year bond, 10/01/2018 https://www.esm.europa.eu/press-releases/efsf-raises-%E2%82%AC6-billion-new-7-year-bond	EU Press Release
Agent-based model of system-wide implications of funding risk, 10/01/2018 http://www.ecb.europa.eu/pub/pdf/scpwps/ecb.wp2121.en.pdf?292dd0746f187120006c227c97ef4b7e We build a model that focuses on systemic aspects of liquidity and its links with solvency conditions accounting for pertinent interactions between market participants in an agent-based modelling fashion. The model is confronted with data from the 2014 EU stress test covering all the major banking groups in the EU. The potential amplication role of asset managers is taken into account in a stylised fashion. In particular, we investigate the importance of the channels through which the funding shock to financial institutions can spread across the financial system. **Keywords: liquidity, systemic risk, ABM**	ECB Working Paper
Foreign Banks and Credit Dynamics in CESEE, 05/01/2018 http://www.imf.org/~/media/Files/Publications/WP/2018/wp1803.ashx We use bank-level data on 16 CESEE economies over 2005-2014 to assess the role of foreign banks in the region's credit dynamics and study the drivers of differential credit growth between parent banks and their foreign subsidiaries. Host country macroeconomic fundamentals cease to play a significant role, while bank-level characteristics and in particular parent bank-level characteristics remain important. The paper provides further empirical evidence on the importance of monitoring the health of foreign parent banks as well as the potential regulatory changes in their home jurisdictions. **Keywords: credit growth, foreign banks, emerging europe**	IMF Working Paper
Uncertainty and Cross-Border Banking Flows, 05/01/2018 http://www.imf.org/~/media/Files/Publications/WP/2018/wp1804.ashx While global uncertainty—measured by the VIX—has proven to be a robust global "push" factor of international capital flows, there has been no systematic study assessing the role of country-specific uncertainty as a key (pull and push) factor of international capital flows. This paper tries to fill this gap in	IMF Working Paper

the literature by examining the effects of country-specific uncertainty shocks on cross-border banking flows using the confidential Locational Banking Statistics data of the BIS.	
Keywords : uncertainty, cross-border banking flows, sudden stops, retrenchment, portfolio rebalancing, flight-to-quality	
Credit Booms - Is China Different?, 05/01/2018	IMF
http://www.imf.org/~/media/Files/Publications/WP/2018/wp1802.ashx	Working Paper
International experience suggests that China's credit growth is on a dangerous trajectory, with increasing risks of a disruptive adjustment and/or a marked growth slowdown. Several China-specific factors—high savings, current account surplus, small external debt, and various policy buffers—can help mitigate nearterm risks of a disruptive adjustment and buy time to address risks. But, if the risks are left unaddressed, these mitigating factors will likely not eliminate the eventual adjustment, but make the boom larger and last longer. Hence, decisive policy action is needed to deflate the credit boom safely.	
Keywords : credit gap, debt overhang, sustainable growth, financial cycles, banking crises	
Searching for yield abroad: risk-taking through foreign investment in US bonds, 09/01/2018 https://www.bis.org/publ/work687.pdf	BIS Working Paper
Analyzing holdings of investors from 36 countries in close to 15,000 unique US corporate bonds between 2003 and 2016, we show that declining home-country interest rates lead investors to shift their international bond portfolios toward riskier US corporate bonds, consistent with "search-for-yield". We estimate even stronger effects when home interest rates reach a low level, suggesting that risk-taking in securities accelerates as rates decline.	
Keywords : low interest rates, search for yield, portfolio choice, corporate debt	
Macroprudential frameworks, implementation and relationship with other policies, 09/01/2018 https://www.bis.org/publ/bppdf/bispap94.htm	BIS Publication
This volume collects the background papers of a meeting of Deputy Governors of central banks from emerging market economies held in February 2017 to exchange their experience with designing macroprudential frameworks and implementing macroprudential instruments.	
Link to related paper prepared by the Magyar Nemzeti Bank:	
Regionally-differentiated debt cap rules: a Hungarian perspective https://www.bis.org/publ/bppdf/bispap94l.pdf	
	BIS Working Paper
https://www.bis.org/publ/bppdf/bispap94l.pdf Determinants of bank profitability in emerging markets, 08/01/2018	

3. MIKROPRUDENCIÁLIS FELÜGYELET ÉS SZABÁLYOZÁS

Of dogs, black swans and endangered species - a perspective on financial regulation https://www.bis.org/review/r180104e.pdf	BIS Central Bankers'
Laudatory speech by Mr Luigi Federico Signorini , Deputy Governor of the Bank of Italy, for Andrew G Haldane, Executive Director and Chief Economist of the Bank of England, who was awarded the 1st Ferdinand Pecora Prize for the Regulation of Banking and Finance, Palermo, 15 December 2017.	Speech
Shared challenges, different perspectives, shared solutions?	BIS
https://www.bis.org/review/r180104c.pdf Speech by Dr Andreas Dombret , Member of the Executive Board of the Deutsche Bundesbank, at the 13th High-level Meeting for the Arab Region "Banking Standards and Regulatory and Supervisory Priorities", Abu Dhabi, 14 December 2017.	Central Bankers' Speech
Prudential regulation, the international financial services sector, and priorities in Ireland for 2018	BIS
https://www.bis.org/review/r180109g.pdf Remarks by Mr Ed Sibley , Deputy Governor (Prudential Regulation) of the Central Bank of Ireland, at the FSI Financial Services Forum, Dublin, 8 December 2017.	Central Bankers' Speech
Financial sector developments, digital currency and risky ties in Denmark	BIS
https://www.bis.org/review/r180110e.pdf	Central Bankers'
Speech by Mr Lars Rohde , Governor of the National Bank of Denmark, at the annual meeting of Finance Denmark, Copenhagen, 4 December 2017.	Speech
Letter from Danièle Nouy, Chair of the Supervisory Board, to Mr Sant, MEP, with regard to the	ECB
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MiFID II/MiFIR data now available, 04/01/2018	ESMA
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4. PÉNZFORGALOM, FIZETÉSI RENDSZEREK

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Address by Mr Philip Lowe , Governor of the Reserve Bank of Australia, to the 2017 Australian Payment	Speech
Summit, Sydney, 13 December 2017.	

5. ÁLTALÁNOS GAZDASÁGPOLITIKA

Can Accommodative Monetary Policies Help Explain the Productivity Slowdown?	IMF
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help-explain-the-productivity-slowdown	
Remarks by Maurice Obstfeld, IMF Economic Counsellor and Director of Research, at the Joint BIS-IMF-	
OECD Conference on Weak Productivity: The Role of Financial Factors and Policies, co-sponsored by the	
Global Forum on Productivity, Paris, January 10, 2018	
A blind spot in today's macroeconomics?	BIS
https://www.bis.org/speeches/sp180110.pdf	Management
Panel remarks by Mr Claudio Borio, Head of the Monetary and Economic Department of the BIS, at the	Speech
BIS-IMF-OECD Joint Conference on "Weak productivity: the role of financial factors and policies", Paris,	
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Special lecture by Mr François Villeroy de Galhau, Governor of the Bank, at the Waseda University, Tokyo,	Speech
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The world economy and Greece - prospects and challenges with a focus on the role of shipping	BIS
https://www.bis.org/review/r180104a.pdf	Central Bankers
Speech by Mr Yannis Stournaras , Governor of the Bank of Greece, at the Union of Greek Shipowners, Athens, 4 December 2017.	Speech
Switzerland's productivity puzzle: Being a leader and an underperformer, 08/01/2018	OECD
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an-underperformer/	
How do firms adjust to rises in the minimum wage? Survey evidence from Central and Eastern Europe,	ECB
10/01/2018	Working Paper
http://www.ecb.europa.eu/pub/pdf/scpwps/ecb.wp2122.en.pdf	
We study the transmission channels for rises in the minimum wage using a unique firm-level dataset from	
eight Central and Eastern European countries. Our findings suggest that the most popular adjustment	
channels are cuts in non-labour costs, rises in product prices, and improvements in productivity. Cuts in	
employment are less popular and occur mostly through reduced hiring rather than direct layoffs. Our study	

also provides evidence of potential spillover effects that rises in the minimum wage can have on firms without minimum wage workers.	
Keywords: minimum wage, adjustment channels, firm survey	
Real and financial cycles in EU countries: Stylised facts and modelling implications, 09/01/2018 http://www.ecb.europa.eu/pub/pdf/scpops/ecb.op205.en.pdf	ECB Occasional Paper
This paper studies the cyclical properties of real GDP, house prices, credit, and nominal liquid financial assets in 17 EU countries The estimates confirm earlier findings of large medium-term cycles in credit volumes and house prices. GDP appears to be subject to fluctuations at both business-cycle and medium-term frequencies, and GDP fluctuations at medium-term frequencies are strongly correlated with cycles in credit and house prices. Cycles in equity prices and long-term interest rates are considerably shorter than those in credit and house prices and have little in common with the latter. Credit and house price cycles are weakly synchronous across countries and their volatilities vary widely – these differences may be related to the structural properties of housing and mortgage markets. Finally, DSGE models can replicate the volatility of cycles in house and equity prices, but not the persistence of house price cycles. **Keywords: financial cycles, synchronicity, real-time estimates, DSGE models**	
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