Table 1 Table 2

	Number of credit institutions as at 31 December 2015					
	2014	Change '	2015			
Commercial banks	391	-1	390			
1 Big banks	4	0	4			
2 Regional and securities trading banks and other commercial banks	201	-6	195			
of which: Securities trading banks	25	-1	24			
3 Branches of foreign banks and securities trading banks	186	5	191			
of which: Branches of foreign securities trading banks	71	8	79			
Savings bank sector	425	-3	422			
4 Landesbanken	9	0	9			
5 Savings banks	416	-3	413			
Cooperative sector	1.052	-25	1.027			
6 Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	2	0	2			
7 Credit cooperatives	1.034	-25	1.009			
8 Other credit institutions affiliated with the BVR	16	0	16			
Other	122	-1	121			
9 Mortgage banks	17	-1	16			
10 Special purpose banks	19	0	19			
11 Private building and loan associations	12	0	12			
12 Public building and loan associations	9	0	9			
13 Housing enterprises with savings facilities	47	0	47			
14 Central securities depositories	1	0	1			
15 Guarantee banks and other banks	17	0	17			
To	tal 1.990	-30	1.960			

Number of branches as at 31 December 2015						
2014	Change '	2015				
9.978	-251	9.727				
7.443	-203	7.240				
2.385	-45	2.340				
21	6	27				
150	-3	147				
2	0	2				
12.359	-498	11.861				
408	-6	402				
11.951	-492	11.459				
11.280	-447	10.833				
11	0	11				
11.072	-442	10.630				
197	-5	192				
1.685	-61	1.624				
48	1	49				
24	0	24				
917	-5	912				
681	-57	624				
15	0	15				
0	0	0				
0	0	0				
35.302	-1.257	34.045				

Table 3

	Foreign branches		Foreign subsidiaries		3	
Countries	31.12.2014	Change '	31.12.2015	31.12.2014	Change '	31.12.2015
Europe	165	-2	163	94	-4	90
Other countries	81	-4	77	95	-12	83
Total	246	-6	240	189	-16	173

¹ Net changes arising from new openings and closures

Source: Deutsche Bundesbank Last updated: 1 April 2016