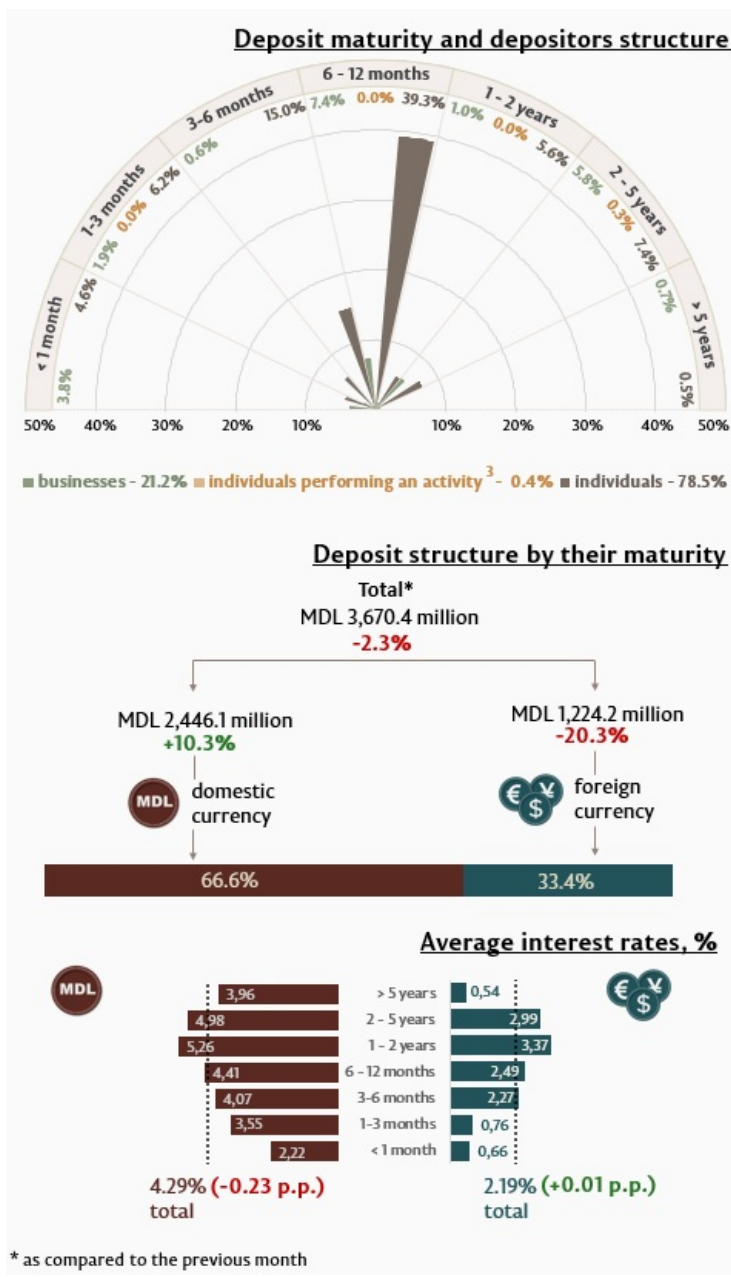


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Developments in DEPOSITS markets in September 2023

In September 2023, new term deposits extended¹ (Infographic 1) accounted for MDL 3,670.4 million, decreasing by 2.3% as compared to August 2023. Deposits attracted in domestic currency recorded a major share of 66.6% and totalled MDL 2,446.1 million, increasing by 10.3% as compared to the previous month.

Infographic 1. **Developments in new extended deposits²**

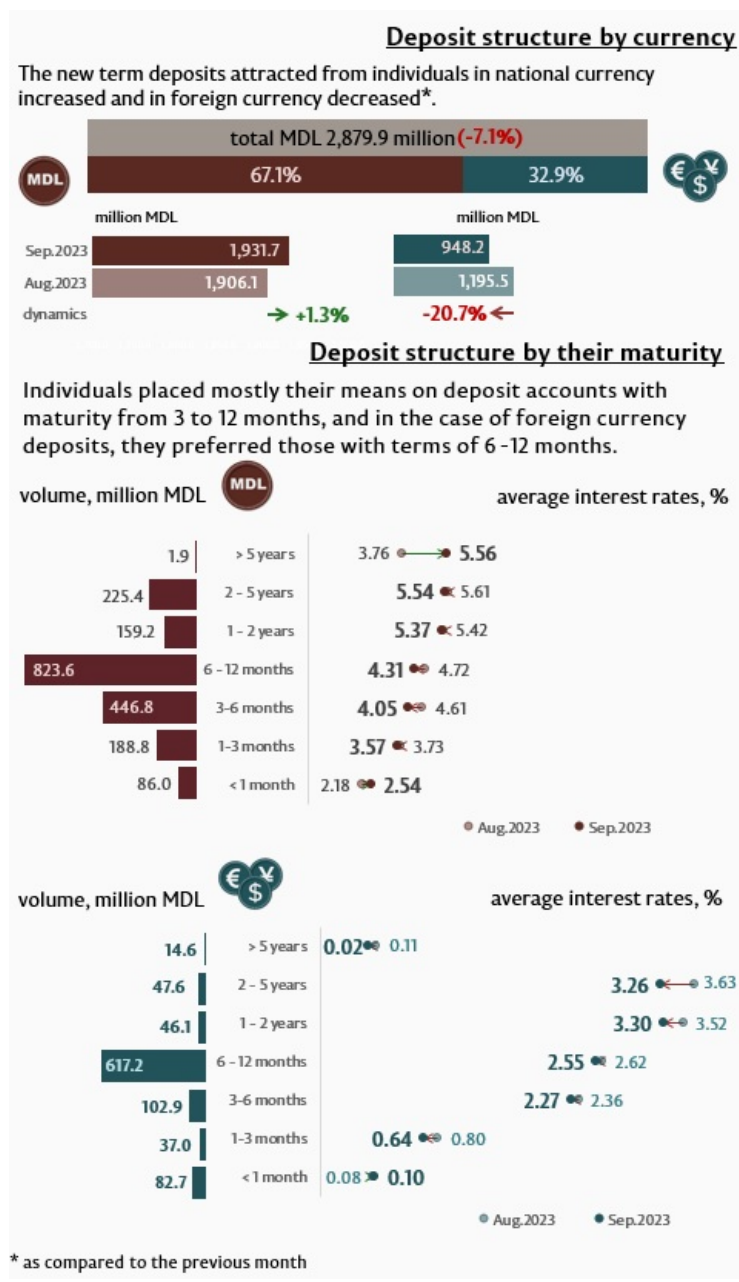


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The average nominal interest rate on domestic currency deposits decreased by 0.23 percentage points as compared to the previous month to the value of 4.29%. The average nominal interest rate on foreign currency deposits increased by 0.01 percentage points to the value of 2.19%.

In terms of maturity, the highest demand was recorded for deposits with terms from 6 to 12 months, which held a share of 46.7% of total term deposits. Individuals' deposits attracted at this term held a share of 39.3% of the total of deposits.

Infographic 2. Individuals' new term deposits



In the reference month, individuals' deposits amounted to MDL 2,879.9 million, decreasing by 7.1% as compared to the previous month (Infographic 2).

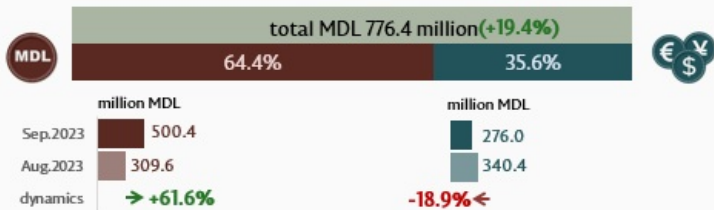
The average interest rate on deposits attracted in domestic currency from individuals decreased by 0.31 percentage points as compared to the previous month, reaching 4.33%. At the same time, the average interest rate on foreign currency deposits decreased by 0.14 percentage points to the value of 2.26%.

In September 2023, legal entities' deposits (Infographic 3) in domestic currency increased by 61.6% while those in foreign currency decreased by 18.9%, as compared to the previous month. Legal entities' deposits in domestic currency accounted for MDL 500.4 million, while those in foreign currency – MDL 276.0 million.

Infographic 3. Legal entities' new term deposits

Deposit structure by currency

The new term deposits attracted in national currency from businesses increased, while those in foreign currency decreased*.



Deposit structure by their maturity

Businesses placed mostly their means on deposit accounts with maturity from 6 to 12 months, 2 to 5 years and up to 1 month.

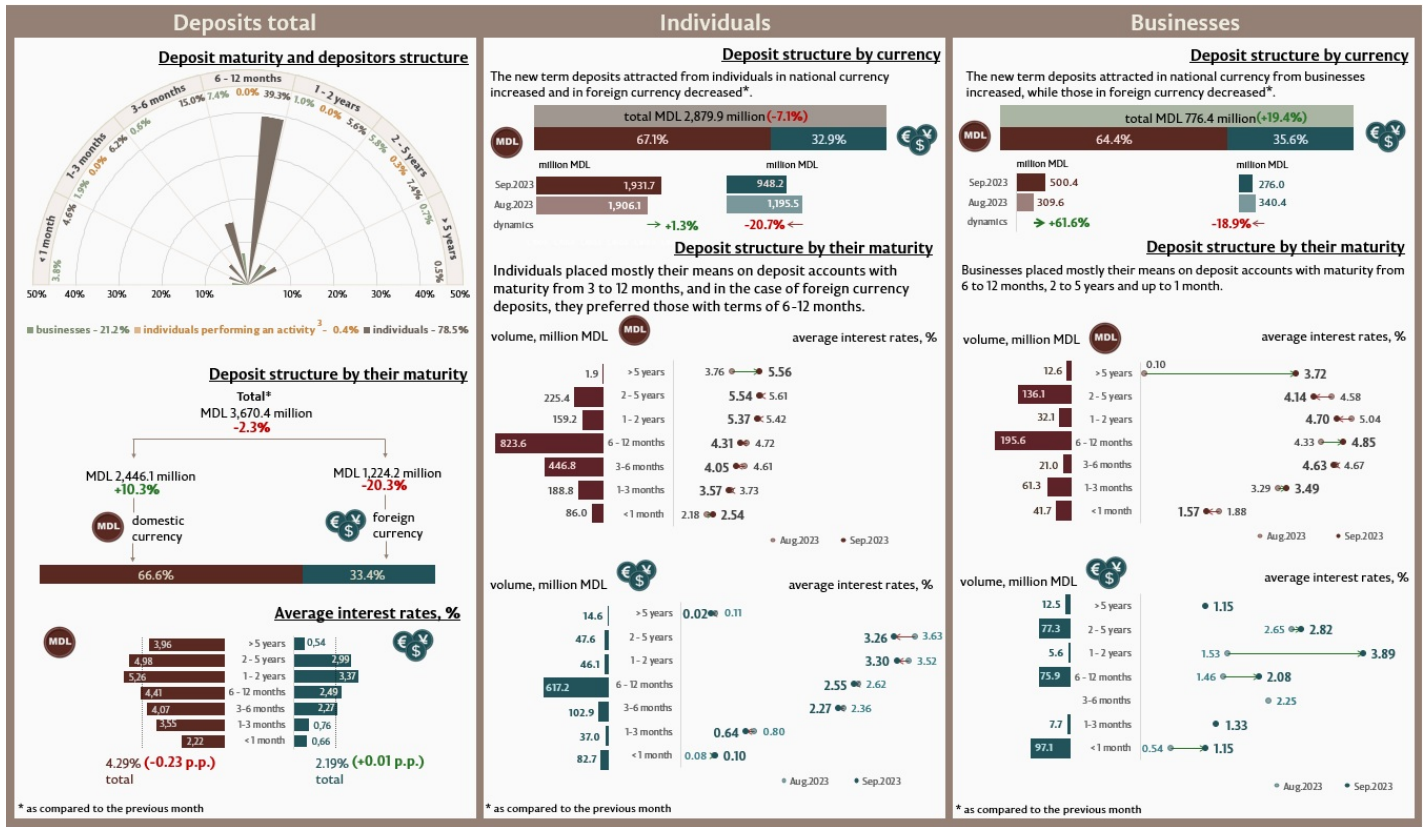


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The average interest rate on deposits attracted in domestic currency from legal entities increased by 0.38 percentage points, reaching 4.17%. At the same time, the average interest rate on foreign currency deposits increased by 0.55 percentage points to the value of 1.93%.

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2. Aggregate data may not correspond exactly to the sum of the components due to mathematical rounding.
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