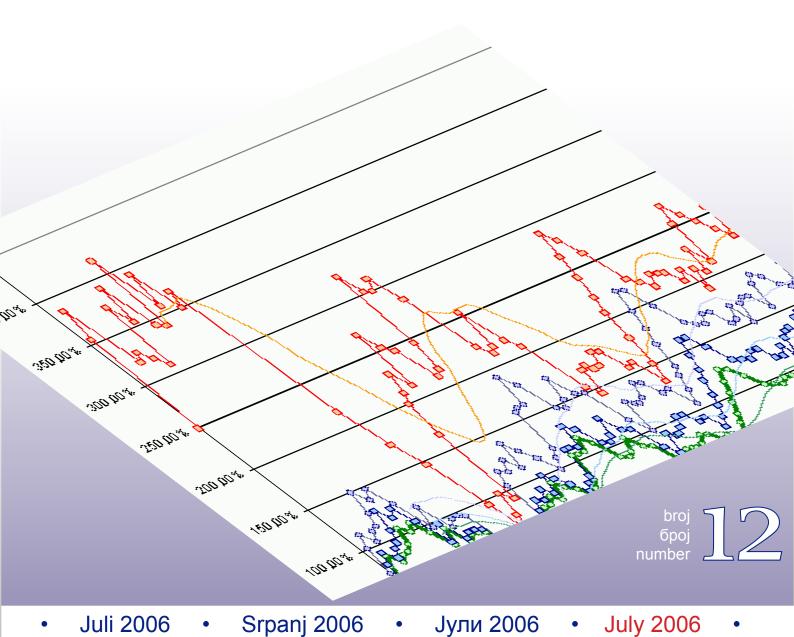
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#### With this issue...

Introduction of the value added tax is for sure one of the biggest reforms in Bosnia and Herzegovina. The new system of taxation for sales transactions in BiH has caused lots of questions and uncertainties for companies, citizens, analysts and state in terms of filling the budget. The first year of VAT introduction is specific in all countries, and BiH is specific due to legal suspension of refunds to taxpayers who are not exporters. This provision makes it difficult to provide analysis and forecasts of future trends in the collection of VAT and indirect taxes. It also has impact on revenue projections and budget preparations at all levels in 2007. In this issue, we provided the analysis of collection of indirect taxes (and VAT) in the first six months in 2006 as well as analysis of VAT impact on trends in foreign trade balance in the same period.

Issue of allocation of revenues to lower levels or territorial units is very sensitive in complex countries. We recently published contribution of the experts from USAID GAP project, regarding new regulations on allocation of revenues within entities. No formula is perfect and final not to be improved. Experiences of the complex European countries are valuable for improving the system of allocation and financing lower levels of administration in BiH. In this issue, we are publishing comment on the model of financing local governance in Poland. During visit to the Ministry of Finance in Poland and other institutions, organized by USAID GAP, representatives of the entity ministries of finance were introduced to fiscal federalism and harmonization in big and complex country with the aim to apply this knowledge in BiH.

In accordance with dynamics of data flow, we are continuing to publish consolidated monthly reports for fiscal operations of the single account and entities in June and consolidated monthly reports for general government that includes fiscal operations of central governments (budgets of BiH, entities and Brcko District) and cantonal budgets for the first five months of 2006. We are also providing consolidated monthly reports for some cantons in which all municipalities delivered reports to the Unit, and these data were verified and processed before publishing this issue.

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#### Collection of indirect taxes – First half of 2006

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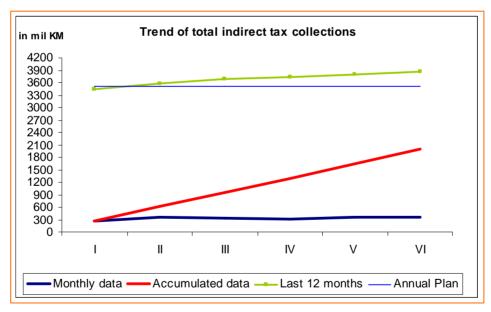
#### **Introduction: Applied methodology**

Analysis of the indirect taxes collection is based on the following points:

- Observation is for the total collection and collection by main groups of revenues in the first half of year in the period from 2002 to 2006
- Analysis is for the total collection of indirect taxes regardless what level of the government carried out the collection (ITA or entity governments)
- Amount of the lagging sales tax collected in 2006 by entities and Brcko District was added to the amount of VAT collected in 2006
- Analysis is based on data on real **net cash flow** in the ITA single account after deducting refunds of VAT and other indirect taxes
- Figures on the revenues collected in June 2006 and the period from Januaryy to June 2006 do not include revenues that were collected by June 30<sup>th</sup>, but remained as non reconciled<sup>1</sup>.

#### A. Analysis of the total collection:

In June 2006, the total net collection of indirect taxes was 351 mill KM<sup>2</sup>, which represents 9,61% of the annual collection plan and it is 18,7% higher than in the same month 2005. However, in comparison with May 2006, the collection was lower by 4,2%. Trend for total collection of indirect taxes (without non reconciled ITA revenues) in the first six months of 2006 is shown in the graph 1:



Graph 1.

In six months of 2006, the total collection of indirect taxes in BiH was 1,997 billion KM, which is 30% higher than in the same period 2005. The ITA collected 1,833 billion KM of net revenues or 92%, and the entity administrations collected a bit more than 164 billion KM.

 $<sup>^{</sup>m l}$  ITA collected additional 30 mil KM of revenues that remained non reconciled after the compilation of payments and records of taxpayers in the IT modules of ITA, on the day when the report was prepared (30.6.2006).

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Data on the lagging sales tax collected by the Federation in June 2006 are missing.

This represents 52,34% of the ITA annual collection plan or 54,66% of the annual collection plan of indirect taxes for the whole BiH<sup>3</sup> IN 2006. Collection plan for indirect taxes in BiH in 2006 amounts 3,653 billion KM (or 7,37% more than it was collected in 2005), out of which 3,503 billion KM was collected to the single account.

Up to June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2006, there was **total of 100,476 mill. KM of unused tax credit** (that represents about 10% of net VAT inflow or a bit more than 5% of net inflow to the ITA single account). In accordance with the decision of the ITA governing board, taxpayers will be successively paid for unused tax credit as of August 10, 2006. Effects of unused tax credit payments will be shown as decrease of net revenues to the single account from August 2006. We should mention that the amount of tax credit changes according to a level of economic activity of businesses that have VAT liabilities for delivered goods and services. Higher economic activity means higher sales of goods and services, higher VAT and faster reduction of accumulated tax credit.<sup>4</sup>

Tax credits are future liabilities of ITA that will be paid from then ITA reserves that are kept for this purpose. Payment of tax credit will be recorded as correction of revenue for concrete month (refund) with elimination of that amount from reserves.

#### **B.** Analysis by types of revenues:

In June, there was fall of revenues from customs and customs duties in comparison with May by 4,33%. At the level of six months in 2006, collection of revenues from customs is 10% lower than in the same period 2005. Such trend was expected due to the application of the free trade agreement and relatively slow growth of imports in the first six months.

Revenues from excise increased for 7% in the total period. However, these revenues slightly decreased in June compared to May. This fall of excise revenues in June is mainly because of reduced import of oil and oil derivatives by 16% compared to May. In other hand, excise on imported tobacco products increased that is pretty higher than the value of imports in June, as payment of excise is made after receipt of excise stamps and this does not need to happen in the same month when the import took place.

Comparison of the collection of VAT and sales tax in the first months of VAT is possible only at the total lever regardless what level of government collected taxes. However, as the year goes, amounts of lagging sales tax are becoming low compared to the collection of VAT. In accordance with provisions of the Law on VAT, final deadline for payment of sales tax for invoices sales shown on December 31, 2005, expired in the end of June 2006. So, in the second half of the year, we can only expect occasional payments of sales tax from previous year. However, general opinion is that the lagging sales tax collected to the entity accounts exceeds the plan (for almost 10% more). It is mainly sales tax on services and products of lower tariff (10% rate), what was invoiced in 2005, but paid in 2006 in order to avoid payment of VAT with the rate of 17%..

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Plan for collection of indirect taxes was adopted by the Fiscal Council in October 2005. More info on this is in the Bulletin no. 3.

At the time when VAT delclaration of January and February were filed, there was 63 mill. KM of tax credit registered. Businesses used their declared tax credit to cover VAT liabilities in the next months and ther is still about 18,3 mill. KM of unused tax credit from January and February. However, this amount will obviously once the VAT declarations are filed for July.

More info on methodology for comparative reportin on the collection of indirect tax in 2006 can be found in the bulletin no. 7

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Type of revenue	Competent authority	Amount	% share
Gross VAT	ITA	1178.493	86.30%
VAT refunds	ITA	-70.680	00.30%
Sales tax on excisable products	ITA	11.836	0.92%
	ITA total:	1119.649	87.22%
Sales tax on other products and services	TA of entities and BD	164.085	12.78%
	TOTAL	1283.734	100.00%

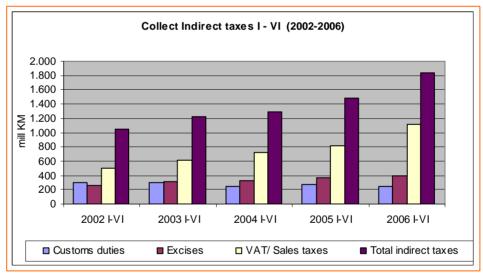
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In June 2006, net collection of VAT was 42% higher than the collection of sales tax in June, 2005. The amount of VAT collected on basis of VAT declarations in June slightly increased. VAT on imports showed slight fall compared to May, which is reflection of less imports in June. However, the net collection of VAT had bad impact from higher refunds to exporters (direct cash outflow), increase of unpaid VAT debts in comparison with May (indirect effect through reduced cash inflow)<sup>6</sup>.

At the level of six months, the collection of VAT and lagging sales tax increased for almost 57%. In the structure of collected VAT, dominant share is hold by VAT on imported goods. High share of import VAT (63-68%) shows open country and high dependency on imports.

#### C. Conclusions for the period from January to June, 2006:

Graph 2. shows comparative collection of main groups of revenues from indirect taxes in BiH for the first two quarters in the period from 2002 to 2006.<sup>7</sup>



Graph 2.

This partial presentation shows positive effects of the VAT in the first six months of 2006, on the amount of total revenues and revenues from sales tax and VAT. There is constant growth of revenues from sales tax and excises and fall of customs revenues. In accordance of opening domestic market to EU goods, it is to expect that the customs revenues will keep decreasing until we join EU. It is up to domestic authorities to make the right decision on the structure of goods that will be under customs free regime from EU, enabling development of

 $<sup>^{6}</sup>$  Debt was about 30 mill. KM in the end of June. 3,773 debtors were registered and 157 taxpyaers owe 73%.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 7}$  Data on collected indirect taxes for 2002 do not include Brcko.

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domestic production and growth of other revenues that should compensate loss of customs revenues.

Having in mind experiences of other countries, future forecasts should be careful regardless good results in the collection of indirect taxes. Historic information shows that the second half of the year usually brings more revenues. However, we should bear in mind payments of tax credits, raise of refunds and possible oscillations in the collection of VAT as this is typical for the first year of the VAT implementation. Very often, not enough attention is given to the following::

- i) In 2006, planned increase of indirect taxes is 7,37% compared to the collection in 2005. The budgets for 2006 were prepared on basis of increased revenues, so **the real effect (or "surplus" of revenues) is only amount that exceeds planned increase of revenues.**
- ii) all "surpluses" of VAT are allocated on daily basis to entity budgets and then to lower levels. There is a delusion in public that "surpluses" are being accumulated. There are even opinions that these revenues are accumulated in reserves of the ITA single account. Reserves in the ITA single account are used exclusively used for VAT refunds to taxpayers and these reserves are created in accordance with the Law.

We should bear in mind that every analysis of the collection is actually *ex post* report on revenues that were collected by ITA, showing certain increase of revenues, but these revenues are already allocated to levels of the administration.

So, the allocation beneficiaries have duty to rationally spend possible surplus of funds and create liabilities with great care. There should also be great care in preparations of the budget for 2007 because many VAT effects such as reduction of grey economy through including high number of taxpayers in the system and regular flows, take place just once and are limited to the first year of VAT.

#### Analysis of trade balance for the first half in 2006

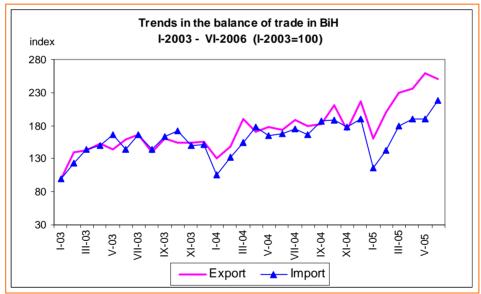
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#### **Introduction: Applied methodology**

Analysis of trade balance in the first half of the year represents continuation of analysis of VAT impact on trade balance in the first quarter of 2006, in the total amount as well as changes in the structure of imports and exports<sup>8</sup>. Second quarter of 2005 and 2006 were added to the observed period. Data for the first half of 2006 include corrections for previous months in 2006. In addition to this, comparative analysis for the first half of year in period 2003-2006 is also provided.<sup>9</sup>

#### Main trends in the balance of trade

Just before the introduction of VAT, foreign balance of trade got worse resulting in increasing deficit by 14% compared with trends in 2004. Bad results in 2005 were influenced by large increase of imports in December 2005 and postponement of some exports for 2006 due to the VAT stimulation effects on exports. Beginning of VAT application brought fall of imports and increase of exports. The first three months was not long enough to make a conclusion if these were "short term" effects – is the fall of imports result of using goods in stock that piled up in December 2005 and is the growth of exports maybe result of VAT frauds that were typical for VAT system in the first months after introduction in some countries (i.e. Serbia).

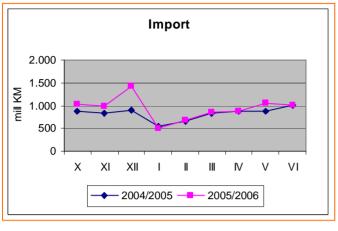


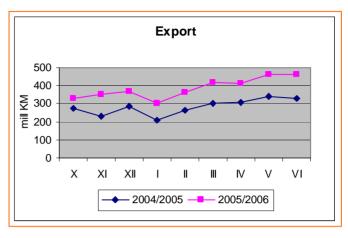
Graph 3.

However, some doubts have been removed and exports continued to increase. The imports are stable at the level from 2005 with minimum growth. This can be observed in the graphs 4 and 5:

<sup>8</sup> Monthly data for structural analysis were prepared by: Igor Gavran, Project manager of the sector for macroeconomic system in BiH Foreign Trade Chamber

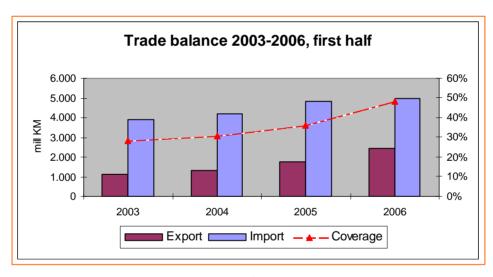
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Due to additional corrections in 2006, monthly data on foreign trade balance for mentioned periods were taken from web site of the BiH Central Bank (source of data: Indirect taxation authority, processed by the BiH Statistics Agency)





Graph 4. Graph 5.

Faster growth of exports compared to much slower growth of imports had positive impact on reducing foreign trade deficit and increasing coverage of imports by exports, which is 48,3% in the first six months of 2006:



Graph 6.

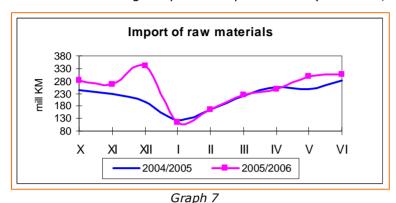
After extreme reduction of deficit in January 2006, deficit slightly increased. However, at the level of half of 2006 compared to the same period in 2005, the deficit is 505 mill. KM less or 16,35%:

#### Structure of trade balance:

Analysis of the structure of trade balance will be based on the analysis of imports and exports in the last quarter before introduction of VAT and six months after the VAT introduction. The analysis contain main group of products that had biggest impact on trade balance.

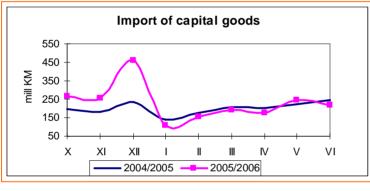
#### **Imports:**

Prior to the introduction of VAT, import of all kinds of goods suddenly increased motivated by piling up goods due to economic (mainly goods that were exempt from sales tax or taxed with lower rate of 10%) and psychological reasons, and fear of uncertainties of VAT system. There was also large import of capital assets (machines, equipment, vehicles), reproduction



and raw materials, medicines and food. In the beginning of 2006, import of all main groups of products decreased. Biggest fall of imports was for capital assets and reproduction materials that, after change in December, remained at the same level as in 2005, which can be observed in the graphs 7 and 8:

N.B. Capital assets include machines, equipment and vehicles



Graph 8.

The only group of products that had increase of imports in the first half of the year were mineral oils (oil and oil derivatives) by 23%. By observing other excisable products, there is still high growth in imports of coffee, alcohol and alcohol drinks (23%), and tobacco by 5% more than in the first half of 2005. Import of raw materials increased by 5%.

Import of leather and fibers is still very high, being 75% higher than the average in 2005. It's interesting that there could be possible link between high growth of imports of raw leather in the first half of 2006 (especially in March), which is 90% higher than in the same period 2005, and growth of exports of shoes in the second quarter of 2006. Export of shoes by June 2006 was 16% higher than total exports in 2005! For example, export of shoes in June 2006 is 115% higher than export of shoes in January 2006. The situation is similar with export of clothes. It remains to be analyzed if this high growth is result of more imports of final products with higher level of processing that carries higher value compared to lohn jobs and carrying out only certain operations for international contractor.

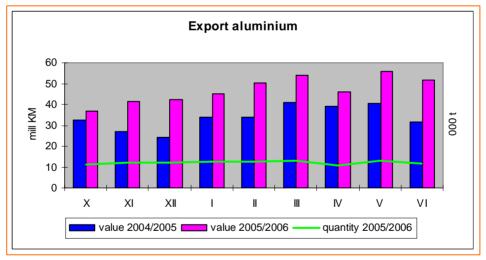
#### **Exports:**

Analysis of exports is based on some main groups of products that had share of 65%-70% of total imports. In the end of 2005, there was slight growth in exports of energy (mainly cowl, coke and electric power), products of chemical industry, wood and wooden cowl, alumina, machines and tools. The situation changed after the introduction of VAT. Although exports increased by 38% at the semi annual level, the exports of main groups of products is different:

Basic groups of		Monthly comparisons						
products	I-06/I-05	II-06/II-05	III-06/III- 05	IV-06/IV- 06	V-06/V-05	VI-06/VI- 05	pol 06 / I pol 05	
Energy	-8.66%	-1.78%	21.96%	50.81%	-19.44%	60.96%	8.93%	
Inorganic chemical products	95.88%	56.33%	99.29%	2.23%	74.08%	61.27%	58.36%	
Wood	3.45%	35.84%	23.95%	9.51%	19.85%	9.39%	15.91%	
Iron and steel	43.41%	53.20%	41.63%	45.96%	46.47%	66.05%	49.84%	
aluminum and aluminum products	32.04%	47.49%	32.48%	18.60%	36.86%	62.24%	37.39%	
Machines, mechanical and electronic	55.95%	23.46%	24.66%	27.86%	17.58%	-0.46%	21.88%	
Furniture	151.21%	106.86%	124.17%	87.40%	129.94%	114.21%	117.31%	
Other	45.03%	40.47%	27.37%	41.08%	50.44%	35.84%	39.57%	

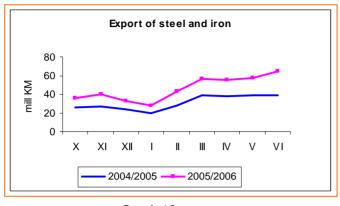
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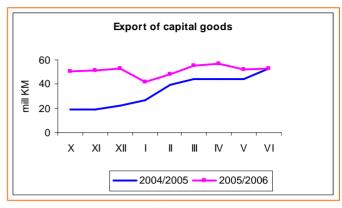
In the structure of exports at the level of the period, the same share is held by exports of iron, steel, alumina and machines, which is almost 40% of total exports. However, there are significant monthly oscillations and instabilities with exports of energy, wood and inorganic chemical products. It's interesting there is large export of furniture, and even 117% at the level of observed period. The value of exported alumina significantly increased, but the quantity is the same is in the first half of 2005.



Graph 9.

Export of iron and steel continued to grow during the first half of the year. The quantity increased by 36% and the value by almost 50% compared to the same period in 2005, while export of machines shows constant fall.





Graph 10.

Graph 11.

#### **Conclusion**

In the first six months of 2006 when VAT was introduced, we can observe the following trends in comparison with the same period in 2005:

- significant growth of imports by 37,46%
- minimal growth of imports by 3,16%
- reduction of trade deficit by 16,35%
- coverage of imports by exports is 48,32%

Changes shown in percentages for the first half of year in the period from 2003 to 2006 show good trend in trade balance during 2006.

	I-VI						
	2004/03	2005/04	2006/05				
export	18.54%	34.63%	37.46%				
import	8.68%	14.83%	3.16%				
deficit	4.77%	5.96%	-16.35%				

Table 3.

Expectations of analysts came true in sense that the introduction of VAT decreased and slowed imports and stimulated exports. We can not foresee what will happen with the trade balance in the second half of the year and if VAT positive effects have been exhausted, and if the decrease of imports is the result of real turn of businesses to domestic suppliers or are they still using goods in stock that they piled up before VAT was introduced. Indirect consequence of VA introduction is strengthening of economic space, introduction of order to BiH market and including great number of companies in the system. It is clear that the new system of taxation on its own can not bring prosperity to the country, and it should be followed by other measures of economic policy to stimulate exports, investments and domestic production.

# Models of financing local governance bodies in complex countries: Case of Poland

(Prepared by: Aleksandra Regoje)

Local governance units in Poland are **municipalities (2478)**, **counties (379) and regions (16).** System of the local governance bodies is based on hierarchical principle. Local governance units that are on higher levels of the territorial division do not supervise and control activities of other local governance units. Scope of activities of the regions does not interfere with independence of counties and municipalities. This rule applies in case of counties and municipalities.

Basic revenues of the state budget in Poland are VAT, customs, personal income tax, corporate income tax, non tax revenues and EU grants. Funds are transferred from the state budget to the budgets of local governance units in the form of on purpose donations and general subsidies. Difference between these two terms exists only from the legal point of view because from economic point of view, both forms of financial aid in the state budget are classified as same expenditures and revenues for local governance units.

So, local governance revenues are own revenues, subsidies and on purpose donations.

**Own revenues** of municipalities are tax shares of personal income tax and corporate income tax (that are actually state budget revenues), taxes and local fees and all revenues as result of municipal property (sales tax on real estate, agricultural taxes, forestry contributions, taxes on motor vehicles, lump sum taxes on sole traders, inheritance and gift taxes, tax on keeping dogs, revenues from administrative fees etc.). Own revenues of counties and regions are shares in personal income tax and corporate income tax, revenues from public ownership (for counties) and 5% of revenues related to the implementation of tasks from the scope of government's administration.

**Subsidies** are permanent form of financing the local governance bodies and are implemented with the assistance of certain criteria. General subsidy does not limit opportunities of the local governance units to use these funds for other purposes, which is legal right of municipal council, county assembly or regional parliament that can decide on the use of funds received in the form of general subsidy. This means that the local governance unit can use education subsidy for objectives that are not strictly educational (but this happens very rarely-local governance units usually add some funds to be able to carry out tasks related to education).

Subsidies for municipalities and counties are divided into: **educational, development and reconciliation.** For the regions, subsidies are divided on development, regional and education.

Education is the most expensive field for local governance units, especially municipalities, where expenditures for education and upbringing often exceed 50% of the total budget funds. Quota for **educational share of general subsidy** for all local governance units can not be smaller than the quota passed in the previous budget year and it is corrected by quota related to changes of implemented education tasks. From quota intended for educational share of general subsidy, 0,6% is deducted as reserve for given period. Reserve is handled by the minister of finance in consultation with the minister of education. In practices, this reserve is for correction of subsidy that is usually caused by mistakes in statistical data discovered during the budget year.

After deducting reserve, educational share of general subsidy is allocated to individual local governance units taking into consideration volume of education tasks implemented by those units. Statistical data are base for calculating educational share of general subsidy, and these data are verified by the State statistical agency.

Detailed allocation of educational share of general subsidy on individual local governance units (taking into consideration types of schools and institutions that are under jurisdiction of those units, expenses for teachers, number of students in schools etc.) is decided by the Minister of Finance after consultations with the Minister of Education.

Development share of general subsidies, which aim at reducing differences between richest and poorest local governance units, can be received by all types of units, but municipalities, counties and regions use different methods of calculation. However, the structure of development share of general subsidies is equal for all levels of local governance and it consists of basic and additional quota. Municipality is entitled to basic quota in case when the level of tax revenues per inhabitant of municipality is lower than 92% of indicators of tax revenues per inhabitant for all municipalities. Counties and regions receive basic quota in case when the indicator of tax revenues per inhabitant is lower than indicator of tax revenues per inhabitant for all counties. Other criteria were accepted with the aim to enable municipalities, counties and regions to additional quotas of development share of general subsidies. Municipalities are entitled to additional quota of development subsidies when the population density is lower than medium population density in the country, except for the municipalities that have indicator of tax revenues per inhabitant 150% higher than the same indicator for all municipalities. Counties are entitled to additional quota if rate of unemployment in the county, calculated as KOLICNIK of unemployment rate in the county and unemployment rate in the country is higher than 1.1. In case of regions, criteria for recognizing additional quota of development share of general subsidies is the population, and exclusive right to this quota is held by the regions with the population less than 3 mill.

**Reconciliation share of general subsidies** is exclusively for municipalities and counties while the regions are entitled to regional share of general subsidies. Both in case of reconciliation and regional share, funds come from local governance units that have revenues above average. Obligation to make payments to the state budget is hold by municipalities with ratio of tax revenues per inhabitant higher than 150% of the average for all municipalities (funds for share of general subsidies for reconciliation in municipalities), counties in which ratio of tax revenues per inhabitant is higher than 110% of average for all counties (funds for subsidies for reconciliation in counties), and regions in which ratio of tax revenues per inhabitant is higher than 110% of the average ratio for all regions (funds for regional share of general subsidies).

The Minister of Finance decides about detailed way of allocation for reconciliation share both for municipalities and counties. Reconciliation share for municipalities should be paid after considering the following criteria: financial situation of municipalities and amount of expenditures for social aid, including payments for apartments. In other hand, other criteria for allocation of funds for reconciliation in counties are such as: financial situation in the county, amount of expenditures for social aid, road infrastructure etc.

**Regional share of general subsidies** is exclusively for the regions. Basic assumption is that these should be funds enabling efficient implementation of regional development policy. Regional share is paid from funds provided by the regions in accordance with provisions of the Law on revenues of local governance units. Regional share of general subsidies is divided into four parts. Each of these four shares is allocated to certain regions in accordance with special rules. So, 20% of the regional share is allocated to the regions that have

unemployment rate higher than 110% of average unemployment rate in the country. 40% of the regional share depends on size of roads per inhabitant, and 10% of the regional share is allocated to the regions in which GDP per inhabitant is lower than 75% of the average in the country. The rest 30% is allocated in accordance with the rules set by the Minister of Finance.

State bodies make decision on amount of **on purpose donations** and objectives. Donations are calculated with assistance of certain rules and instruments and there is obligation to return donations that were not spent in accordance with the purpose. Donations are regulated by the Law on revenues of local governance units and are given for implementation of tasks from the scope of government's work and other tasks prescribed by the law as well as for addition to own current and investment tasks of the local governance units.

#### Source:

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#### **Consolidated reports**

#### Notes to Table 4:

- 1. The consolidated report includes:
- revenues from indirect taxes collected by the Indirect Tax Authority on the Single Account.
- transfers from the ITA Single Account for external debt servicing,
- transfers from the ITA Single Account for financing Brčko District, cantons, municipalities and Road Directorates,
- revenues of the budget of Bosnia and Herzegovina from the ITA Single Account,
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina,
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of the Republika Srpska.
- 2. Figures on revenues and expenditures of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the Republika Srpska are not fully reconciled due to different accounting methods.

#### Notes to Table 5:

- 1. The consolidated report includes:
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of Bosnia and Herzegovina,
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of Brčko District,
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of the Republika Srpska,
- revenues and expenditures of the budget of eight cantons in the Federation (missing cantons: Herceg-Bosna and West Herzegovina).

Figures on revenues and expenditures of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the Republika Srpska are not fully reconciled due to different accounting methods.

### Monthly Consolidated Report January - June 2006

(prepared by: Aleksandra Regoje)

mill KM

							mill KM
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	Total
Current Revenues	218,1	360,4	384,9	342,7	401,7	386,3	2094,2
Taxes	206,0	343,9	355,1	330,5	382,5	368,1	1986,0
Indirect taxes	190,7	322,6	323,6	315,9	366,4	351,2	1870,3
VAT	57,3	212,7	203,7	194,4	224,3	215,4	1107,8
VAT on imports	56,5	102,6	136,7	134,2	165,7	159,2	755,0
VAT from VAT returns	0,8	100,7	75,9	76,6	75,4	80,2	409,6
VAT from automatic assessment done by ITA			0,1	0,7	0,1	0,3	1,1
One-off VAT payments	0,1	9,4	2,1	0,3	0,1	0,2	12,2
Other			0,1	0,1	0,2	0,3	0,6
VAT refunds			-11,2	-17,5	-17,2	-24,7	-70,7
Customs duties	33,3	30,8	41,5	39,3	49,1	47,0	241,0
Sales tax	25,0	10,6	4,4	3,0	3,2	2,2	48,3
Imported excisable products	7,8	0,2	0,0	0,0	0,2	0,0	8,3
Domestic excisable products	1,1	2,0	0,2	0,1	0,1	0,1	3,7
Other products	9,4	4,1	2,3	1,2	1,2	0,9	19,1
On services	6,5	4,0	1,7	0,9	0,7	0,4	14,2
Others	0,2	0,3	0,2	0,7	0,9	0,7	3,0
Excises	62,8	56,9	63,1	66,4	74,0	72,2	395,3
on imports	50,5	45,7	48,4	54,1	58,0	57,5	314,2
on domestic production	12,3	11,2	14,7	12,3	16,0	14,7	81,1
Railroad tax	11,9	11,2	12,1	14,3	15,9	14,3	79,6
Other	0,4	0,5	0,7	0,7	0,9	0,9	4,1
Other refunds			-1,9	-2,2	-1,0	-0,7	-5,8
Direct taxes	15,3	21,3	31,5	14,7	16,1	17,0	115,7
Income taxes	6,9	10,3	20,0	3,6	3,4	5,5	49,7
Other tax revenues	8,4	10,9	11,4	11,0	12,7	11,5	66,0
Non-tax income	11,6	16,1	29,7	12,0	19,0	17,8	106,2
Others revenues	0,0	0,0	0,0	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,3
Grants, gifts	0,0	0,3	0,1	0,0	0,0	0,2	0,6
Transfers from higher level of gvmt	0,5	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,1	0,1	1,0

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	I	II	III	IV	٧	VI	Total
Current expenditures	203,4	298,8	221,3	339,6	402,0	360,5	1825,6
Consumption expenditures	28,5	43,5	46,7	48,2	49,1	52,4	268,5
Wages and compensations	25,8	37,4	39,6	40,5	41,7	43,5	228,5
Wages	24,9	34,7	36,5	37,2	38,4	38,2	209,9
o/w: contributions	7,0	10,8	11,2	11,7	11,9	5,7	58,2
o/w: taxes on wages	1,6	1,9	2,1	2,1	2,3	1,3	11,2
Compensations	0,9	2,8	3,1	3,3	3,3	5,3	18,7
Purchases of goods and services	2,8	6,0	7,1	7,6	7,4	8,9	39,9
Grants	37,5	10,3	51,3	60,5	90,1	70,6	320,3
Transfers to households	32,5	3,6	45,2	38,3	68,7	53,7	241,9
Transfers to institutions/organizations	0,8	0,8	2,3	6,0	4,7	3,2	17,7
Subsidies	4,2	5,9	3,9	16,2	16,7	13,7	60,6
Interest payments	0,0	0,4	0,2	-0,3	0,1	0,6	1,1
Other outlays	0,8	2,3	1,7	6,7	3,6	3,4	18,5
Transfers from Single Account	126,4	209,7	95,3	174,6	198,2	194,3	998,4
BiH Budget	41,1	39,2	43,1	59,4	48,5	48,5	279,7
FBiH / Cantons, Road Fund	67,6	145,7	23,7	94,3	113,9	115,9	561,1
RS / Cities, Municipalities, Road Fund	13,1	15,6	18,7	11,6	24,3	19,7	103,1
Brcko Distrikt	4,5	9,3	9,8	9,2	11,6	10,2	54,6
Amortization of debt	8,0	27,4	21,8	17,4	34,8	20,3	129,7
Transfers to lower levels of government	3,1	4,8	4,7	37,7	25,0	18,8	94,0
Net domestic lending*	-0,9	0,4	-0,5	-5,2	1,1	0,2	-4,9
Net acquisition of nonfinancial assets	-22,9	0,4	0,5	0,4	1,5	3,9	-16,2
Government surplus(+)/deficit (-)	37,6	61,2	163,1	2,7	-1,8	21,9	284,7
o/w: Reserves from ITA Single Account	16,2	31,6	20,6	13,7	20,8	12,5	115,4
Net domestic financing**		19,1	-0,6	-1,4	-1,3	-1,2	14,6

Table 4. Monthly Consolidated report January - June 2006

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing 
\*\*Net domestic financing= Credits received – repayment of debts (doesn't include foreign debt)

## Monthly Consolidated Report General Government+Cantons Januaryy - May 2006

(prepared by: Aleksandra Regoje)

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	I	II	III	IV	V	Total
Current Revenues	208.614.226	202.490.020	474.215.674	374.199.952	405.165.791	1.664.685.664
Taxes	179.149.157	165.416.682	420.985.468	321.558.848	364.356.871	1.451.467.027
Income & profit tax	10.869.644	15.336.529	26.242.906	8.805.289	8.423.609	69.677.977
Social security contributions (Brcko)	1.159.755	1.159.755	1.159.755	1.451.012	1.434.132	6.364.408
Taxes on personal income and self- employment	17.587.400	18.902.445	21.020.856	22.441.617	23.491.965	103.444.282
Property tax	1.860.187	3.069.885	2.286.621	2.287.088	2.299.965	11.803.746
Sales tax (incl.excises) (according to Regulations until 31,12,2005)	66.606.544	30.906.213	16.437.171	11.196.162	10.203.143	135.349.233
Transfers from Single Account	80.474.755	95.169.890	351.415.982	274.196.264	317.118.595	1.118.375.487
Other taxes	590.872	871.966	2.422.178	1.181.416	1.385.463	6.451.895
Non-tax revenues	28.449.926	35.815.137	52.640.776	52.184.942	40.297.458	209.388.238
of which: Dividends of public enterprises	58.024	138	22.201	2.584	6.954	89.901
of wich: Licenses	134.733	409.905	54.224	70.207	81.608	750.677
Grants	893.842	1.211.231	574.021	361.555	417.555	3.458.205
of which: Grants from abroad	394.863	1.086.954	466.651	284.172	341.782	2.574.423
of which: Grants from other levels of				77.000	75 770	
government	498.979	124.277	107.370	77.383	75.773	883.782
Other revenues	121.302	46.970	15.409	94.607	93.907	372.195
Total expenditures	200.453.667	211.079.350	256.663.577	302.201.767	318.956.405	1.289.354.766
Current expenditures	200.624.303	208.613.527	258.368.842	305.369.235	318.058.903	1.291.034.810
Wages and compensations	112.676.502	123.682.945	131.135.104	132.348.968	122.084.524	621.928.043
of which: Gross wages	98.496.451	106.219.733	112.327.888	114.140.103	102.269.351	533.453.526
of which: Compensations	14.180.052	17.463.212	18.807.216	18.208.865	19.815.173	88.474.517
Other taxes and contributions	5.217.129	6.085.833	6.319.050	6.482.911	6.489.245	30.594.167
Purchases of goods and services	20.082.663	28.690.876	28.649.018	31.963.071	32.121.592	141.507.220
Current transfers of which: Grants to other levels of	62.273.007	48.290.990	87.090.038	131.090.987	151.283.864	480.028.887
government	6.272.393	8.079.508	5.476.492	39.648.570	28.481.607	87.958.571
of which: Grants to households	43.403.169	13.676.246	58.963.797	50.424.753	80.619.893	247.087.858
of which: Grants to non-profit organizations	3.217.982	13.325.620	11.303.282	13.463.606	14.788.658	56.099.148
of which: Grants to public enterprises	8.674.322	13.030.958	10.954.823	22.686.063	23.783.056	79.129.221
Capital grants	0	1.026.722	4.300.294	3.128.041	5.238.492	13.693.548
of which: Capital grants to other levels of government	0	0	105.683	1.184.332	247.933	1.537.947
Interest	132.070	472.788	445.669	-253.812	158.282	954.996
Transfers to lower spending units	242.932	363.373	429.670	609.069	682.905	2.327.949
Net lending*	-913.376	287.470	-3.425.273	-5.820.841	-1.095.298	-10.967.317
Other expenditures	742.739	2.178.353	1.720.008	2.653.373	1.992.799	9.287.272
Net acquisition of nonfinancial assets	-20.758.846	1.302.751	2.401.460	2.774.834	4.669.228	-9.610.574
Government surplus(+)/deficit(-)	28.919.406	-9.892.080	215.150.637	69.223.351	81.540.159	384.941.473
Net financing**	-34.802	19.073.571	-412.710	-1.410.605	-979.034	16.236.420

Table 5. Monthly Consolidated Report General Government+Cantons Januaryy-May 2006. godine

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing
\*\*Net domestic financing= Credits received – repayment of debts

#### Monthly Consolidated Report, Tuzla Canton, January - May 2006

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I	II	III	IV	V	Total
15.178.261	12.321.061	11.819.635	53.892.776	44.770.317	137.982.050
12.508.362	8.562.735	6.572.383	47.002.464	39.455.445	114.101.390
435.859	554.525	669.732	717.821	679.984	3.057.921
2.237.678	2.257.538	2.413.105	2.528.782	2.636.834	12.073.936
733.417	600.188	736.950	829.376	827.462	3.727.393
7.447.212	5.111.557	2.655.847	2.606.310	3.158.602	20.979.528
1.629.766	0	22.833	39.916.128	32.101.228	73.669.954
24.430	38.928	73.916	404.048	51.335	592.657
2.669.861	3.747.891	5.225.827	6.888.956	5.330.640	23.863.175
37	10.435	21.425	407	-15.768	16.537
0	3.435	21.425	407	-15.768	9.500
37	7.000	0	0	0	7.037
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	949	0	949
19.051.202	20.368.884	22.112.384	23.565.687	24.999.506	110.097.665
19.093.280	20.420.294	22.127.575	23.672.767	25.023.553	110.337.468
12.679.162	12.608.910	14.048.209	13.492.221	13.870.205	66.698.706
10.677.775	10.414.128	11.660.446	11.115.881	11.315.167	55.183.397
2.001.386	2.194.782	2.387.763	2.376.340	2.555.038	11.515.309
1.278.052	1.246.232	1.390.041	1.320.191	1.347.034	6.581.551
2.115.247	3.738.563	3.662.782	3.915.804	4.580.489	18.012.884
2.847.496	2.417.507	2.515.945	4.226.669	4.279.271	16.286.888
45.110	348.764	38.329	137.978	155.740	725.921
2.050.589	1.152.987	1.158.681	1.306.053	801.063	6.469.374
55.662	152.610	280.813	314.971	515.653	1.319.710
40.662	99.342	248.272	151.428	283.260	822.964
7.063	22.570	24.576	33.022	120.278	207.508
110.597	233.902	205.209	369.889	310.624	1.230.221
-42.077	-51.410	-15.190	-107.079	-24.047	-239.804
278.235	428.359	866.163	876.397	1.194.119	3.643.273
-4.151.177	-8.476.182	-11.158.913	29.450.692	18.576.692	24.241.113
-46.544	-76.027	-57.743	-147.555		-441.677
	12.508.362 435.859 2.237.678 733.417 7.447.212 1.629.766 24.430 2.669.861 37 0 37 0 19.051.202 19.093.280 12.679.162 10.677.775 2.001.386 1.278.052 2.115.247 2.847.496 45.110 2.050.589 55.662 40.662 7.063 110.597 -42.077 278.235 -4.151.177	15.178.261         12.321.061           12.508.362         8.562.735           435.859         554.525           2.237.678         2.257.538           733.417         600.188           7.447.212         5.111.557           1.629.766         0           24.430         38.928           2.669.861         3.747.891           37         10.435           0         0           0         0           0         0           0         0           19.051.202         20.368.884           19.093.280         20.420.294           12.679.162         12.608.910           10.677.775         10.414.128           2.001.386         2.194.782           1.278.052         1.246.232           2.115.247         3.738.563           2.847.496         2.417.507           45.110         348.764           2.050.589         1.152.987           55.662         152.610           40.662         99.342           7.063         22.570           110.597         233.902           -42.077         -51.410           278.235         <	15.178.261         12.321.061         11.819.635           12.508.362         8.562.735         6.572.383           435.859         554.525         669.732           2.237.678         2.257.538         2.413.105           733.417         600.188         736.950           7.447.212         5.111.557         2.655.847           1.629.766         0         22.833           24.430         38.928         73.916           2.669.861         3.747.891         5.225.827           37         10.435         21.425           0         3.435         21.425           37         7.000         0           0         0         0           0         0         0           0         0         0           0         0         0           19.051.202         20.368.884         22.112.384           19.093.280         20.420.294         22.127.575           12.679.162         12.608.910         14.048.209           10.677.775         10.414.128         11.660.446           2.001.386         2.194.782         2.387.763           1.278.052         1.246.232         1.390.041	15.178.261         12.321.061         11.819.635         53.892.776           12.508.362         8.562.735         6.572.383         47.002.464           435.859         554.525         669.732         717.821           2.237.678         2.257.538         2.413.105         2.528.782           733.417         600.188         736.950         829.376           7.447.212         5.111.557         2.655.847         2.606.310           1.629.766         0         22.833         39.916.128           24.430         38.928         73.916         404.048           2.669.861         3.747.891         5.225.827         6.888.956           37         10.435         21.425         407           37         7.000         0         0           0         0         0         0           19.051.202         20.368.884         22.112.384         23.565.687           19.093.280         20.420.294         22.127.575         23.672.767           12.679.162         12.608.910         14.048.209         13.492.221           10.677.775         10.414.128         11.660.446         11.115.881           2.001.386         2.194.782         2.387.763         2.3	I

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing

Table 6. Monthly Consolidated Report, Tuzla Canton, January-May 2006

**Notes to table 6**: Expenditure item of the cantonal budgets "Grants to other levels of government" and "Capital grants to other levels of government" is reconciled with revenue items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of government";

Since the **expenditure item "Grants to individuals" contains grants directed through municipal budgets,** in cases where the amount of grants to other levels of government on expenditure side of cantons is lower than received grants on municipal items, the Unit proceeded in the following way:

-Remaining difference on items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of governments" is reconciled with expenditure item of the cantonal budget "Grants to individuals".

<sup>\*\*</sup>Net domestic financing= Credits received - repayment of debts

#### Monthly Consolidated Report, Zenica-Doboj Canton, January - May 2006

(prepared by Aleksandra regoje)

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	I	II	III	IV	V	Total
Total revenues	14.298.847	7.613.052	37.168.513	18.659.127	20.835.779	98.575.318
Tax revenues	11.474.926	4.695.665	32.619.768	15.637.471	17.870.614	82.298.444
Income & profit tax	597.651	578.673	379.738	445.291	1.184.729	3.186.083
Taxes on personal income and self-employment	1.644.457	297.266	2.104.171	2.011.875	2.284.532	8.342.300
Property tax	372.990	1.564.078	727.961	630.257	423.130	3.718.416
Sales tax (incl.excises) (according to Regulations until 31,12,2005)	7.370.780	2.148.140	2.305.680	817.063	919.597	13.561.259
Transfers from Single Account	1.448.218	40.808	26.992.150	11.687.781	12.994.875	53.163.832
Other taxes	40.830	66.700	110.067	45.204	63.752	326.554
Non-tax revenues	2.817.076	2.866.430	4.509.626	3.021.657	2.956.747	16.171.535
Grants	0	50.957	39.119	0	8.418	98.494
of which: Grants from abroad	0	46.674	37.369	0	0	84.043
of which: Grants from other levels of government	0	4.283	1.750	0	8.418	14.451
Capital Grants	6.845	0	0	0	0	6.845
Other revenues	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total expenditures	13.111.540	15.025.602	16.509.275	16.798.492	16.240.772	77.685.680
Current expenditures	13.116.540	15.025.602	16.509.275	16.798.492	16.240.772	77.690.680
Wages and compensations	7.519.840	8.191.324	8.312.479	8.210.224	8.290.918	40.524.785
of which: Gross wages	6.308.354	6.775.642	6.713.910	6.830.023	6.835.822	33.463.751
of which: Compensations	1.211.485	1.415.682	1.598.568	1.380.201	1.455.096	7.061.034
Other taxes and contributions	751.679	805.822	813.840	826.219	810.511	4.008.071
Purchases of goods and services	2.377.377	3.315.587	3.170.286	3.070.810	2.981.777	14.915.837
Current transfers	2.008.800	2.308.270	3.415.898	3.087.018	3.328.275	14.148.260
of which: Transfers to other levels of government	32.908	72.146	90.057	122.937	70.488	388.536
of which: Transfers to households	1.091.202	1.563.486	2.058.527	1.524.097	1.462.144	7.699.456
Capital grants	173.542	201.984	333.631	1.138.907	543.435	2.391.498
of which: Capital grants to other levels of government	900	55.789	4.400	8.972	89.395	159.456
Interest	75.916	5.842	3.605	19.310	7.192	111.865
Transfers to lower levels	209.387	196.774	459.536	446.003	278.664	1.590.364
Net lending*	-5.000	0	0	0	0	-5.000
Net acquisition of nonfinancial assets	466.307	-241.976	612.155	168.650	1.672.300	2.677.436
Government surplus/deficit	721.000	-7.170.574	20.047.084	1.691.985	2.922.708	18.212.202
Net financing **	-25.281	-12.498	-12.498	0	-24.996	-75.272

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing

Table 7. Monthly Consolidated Report, Zenica- Doboj Canton, January-May 2006

**Notes to table 7**: Expenditure item of the cantonal budgets "Grants to other levels of government" and "Capital grants to other levels of government" is reconciled with revenue items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of government";

Since the **expenditure item "Grants to individuals" contains grants directed through municipal budgets,** in cases where the amount of grants to other levels of government on expenditure side of cantons is lower than received grants on municipal items, the Unit proceeded in the following way:

-Remaining difference on items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of governments" is reconciled with expenditure item of the cantonal budget "Grants to individuals".

<sup>\*\*</sup>Net domestic financing= Credits received – repayment of debts

#### Monthly Consolidated Report, Una-Sana Canton, January - May 2006

(prepared by Aleksandra regoje)

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	I	II	III	IV	V	Total
Total revenues	9.943.058	6.614.970	5.819.896	27.483.639	23.114.597	72.976.160
Tax revenues	8.153.476	4.295.133	3.610.304	25.070.832	20.780.844	61.910.588
Income & profit tax	194.395	277.480	378.266	295.324	338.648	1.484.112
Taxes on personal income and self-employment	838.766	731.543	828.907	1.428.784	1.042.911	4.870.911
Property tax	265.696	279.249	254.411	256.533	287.149	1.343.039
Sales tax (incl.excises)(according to Regulations until 31,12,2005)	5.544.602	2.971.373	1.182.769	1.058.126	1.140.903	11.897.77
Transfers from Single Account	1.201.978	191	928.521	21.959.410	17.921.948	42.012.04
Other taxes	108.038	35.298	37.429	72.656	49.286	302.70
Non-tax revenues	1.776.576	2.284.982	2.179.705	2.412.808	2.325.356	10.979.42
Grants	0	29.338	29.887	0	8.398	67.622
of which: Grants from abroad	0	29.338	29.887	0	8.398	67.62
of which: Grants from other levels of government	0	0	0	0	0	
Capital Grants	13.006	5.517	0	0	0	18.52
Other revenues	0	0	0	0	0	
Total expenditures	11.067.542	12.360.641	12.760.715	11.028.983	12.806.506	60.024.38
Current expenditures	11.021.260	12.284.005	12.776.715	11.096.641	12.820.582	59.999.203
Wages and compensations	6.663.563	7.274.333	8.225.551	6.886.844	7.192.421	36.242.71
of which: Gross wages	5.723.924	6.132.330	6.903.055	5.908.645	5.936.637	30.604.59
of which: Compensations	939.640	1.142.003	1.322.496	978.199	1.255.784	5.638.12
Other taxes and contributions	688.021	1.027.091	815.298	707.630	707.416	3.945.45
Purchases of goods and services	1.262.933	1.902.563	1.408.646	1.077.344	2.606.990	8.258.47
Current transfers	2.314.694	1.872.393	1.770.353	1.701.800	2.007.840	9.667.08
of which: Transfers to other levels of government	150.755	290.649	140.034	426.195	412.669	1.420.30
of which: Transfers to households	1.373.949	524.334	449.019	396.171	476.810	3.220.28
Capital grants	0	11.084	227.922	551.217	207.510	997.73
of which: Capital grants to other levels of government	0	11.084	0	66.579	9.746	87.40
Interest	16.451	59.036	23.615	100.691	22.362	222.15
Transfers to lower levels	75.599	137.504	305.330	71.114	76.043	665.58
Net lending*	46.282	76.636	-16.000	-67.658	-14.076	25.18
Net acquisition of nonfinancial assets	120.578	127.766	118.333	228.656	347.798	943.13
Government surplus/deficit	-1.245.063	-5.873.438	-7.059.152	16.226.000	9.960.294	12.008.642
Net financing **	110.685	-69.164	-11.283	-103.727	-47.017	-120.500

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing

Table 8. Monthly Consolidated Report, Una-Sana Canton, January-May 2006

**Notes to table 8:** Expenditure item of the cantonal budgets "Grants to other levels of government" and "Capital grants to other levels of government" is reconciled with revenue items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of government";

Since the **expenditure item "Grants to individuals" contains grants directed through municipal budgets,** in cases where the amount of grants to other levels of government on expenditure side of cantons is lower than received grants on municipal items, the Unit proceeded in the following way:

-Remaining difference on items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of governments" is reconciled with expenditure item of the cantonal budget "Grants to individuals".

Data received from municipality of Bihać are preliminary.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Net domestic financing= Credits received – repayment of debts

#### Monthly Consolidated Report, Posavina Canton, January - May 2006

(prepared by Aleksandra regoje)

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	I	II	III	IV	V	Total
Total revenues	1.815.419	1.922.605	4.995.728	1.322.059	4.361.437	14.417.248
Tax revenues	1.496.091	985.299	4.343.963	745.427	3.539.911	11.110.692
Income & profit tax	36.023	107.810	126.959	46.250	36.851	353.893
Taxes on personal income and self-employment	186.113	139.599	150.909	249.901	178.946	905.469
Property tax	27.089	21.356	16.931	23.003	20.221	108.600
Sales tax (incl.excises)(according to Regulations until 31,12,2005)	1.011.670	678.659	452.193	161.974	328.228	2.632.723
Transfers from Single Account	208.569	5.712	3.528.121	238.482	2.951.897	6.932.781
Other taxes	26.627	32.164	68.851	25.817	23.768	177.226
Non-tax revenues	285.113	438.896	470.099	394.965	458.193	2.047.265
Grants	34.215	498.410	181.667	181.667	363.333	1.259.291
of which: Grants from abroad	34.215	312.743	0	0	0	346.958
of which: Grants from other levels of government	0	185.667	181.667	181.667	363.333	912.333
Capital Grants	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other revenues	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total expenditures	1.930.774	2.081.600	2.595.200	2.425.715	2.548.258	11.581.547
Current expenditures	1.930.321	2.084.005	2.595.200	2.427.032	2.549.575	11.586.133
Wages and compensations	1.212.293	1.240.960	1.297.876	1.269.115	1.318.214	6.338.458
of which: Gross wages	986.429	1.006.704	1.024.321	1.025.275	1.054.303	5.097.032
of which: Compensations	225.863	234.256	273.555	243.840	263.911	1.241.425
Other taxes and contributions	119.786	122.838	124.306	128.140	130.002	625.073
Purchases of goods and services	425.160	508.676	623.004	394.706	498.898	2.450.443
Current transfers	168.741	207.428	547.555	608.619	552.768	2.085.111
of which: Transfers to other levels of government	11.610	17.198	138.385	250.517	100.801	518.511
of which: Transfers to households	35.103	75.470	83.477	141.632	148.307	483.989
Capital grants	1.636	1.636	0	23.974	47.291	74.537
of which: Capital grants to other levels of government	1.081	1.081	0	18.974	42.161	63.296
Interest	2.704	2.467	2.459	2.478	2.403	12.511
Net lending*	454	-2.405	0	-1.317	-1.317	-4.586
Net acquisition of nonfinancial assets	260.469	12.233	28.995	35.198	155.785	492.681
Government surplus/deficit	-375.824	-171.228	2.371.533	-1.138.854	1.657.393	2.343.020
Net financing **	-3.943	-3.943	0	0	0	-7.886

<sup>\*</sup>Net domestic lending =lending-repayment of borrowing

Table 9. Monthly Consolidated Report, Posavina Canton, January-May 2006

**Notes to table 9**: Expenditure item of the cantonal budgets "Grants to other levels of government" and "Capital grants to other levels of government" is reconciled with revenue items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of government";

Since the **expenditure item "Grants to individuals" contains grants directed through municipal budgets,** in cases where the amount of grants to other levels of government on expenditure side of cantons is lower than received grants on municipal items, the Unit proceeded in the following way:

-Remaining difference on items of municipalities "Grants from other levels of government" and "Capital support from other levels of governments" is reconciled with expenditure item of the cantonal budget "Grants to individuals".

<sup>\*\*</sup>Net domestic financing= Credits received – repayment of debts