Glossary:EURIBOR

Statistics Explained

The **EURIBOR®** (or **euro interbank offered rate**) is the interest rate at which a prime bank (top international bank) is willing to lend funds in **euro** to another prime bank.

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- the creation of a large integrated market with a single currency;
- an impressive panel of quoting banks of first-class credit standing;
- a code of conduct setting out strict rules for the panel banks;
- an independent steering committee of market experts, overseeing the application of the code and monitoring market developments.

Related concepts

- Interest rate
- Official lending rate for loans
- Three-month inter-bank rate

Statistical data

• Exchange rates and interest rates

Source

- Euribor(R)
- OECD glossary of statistical terms