

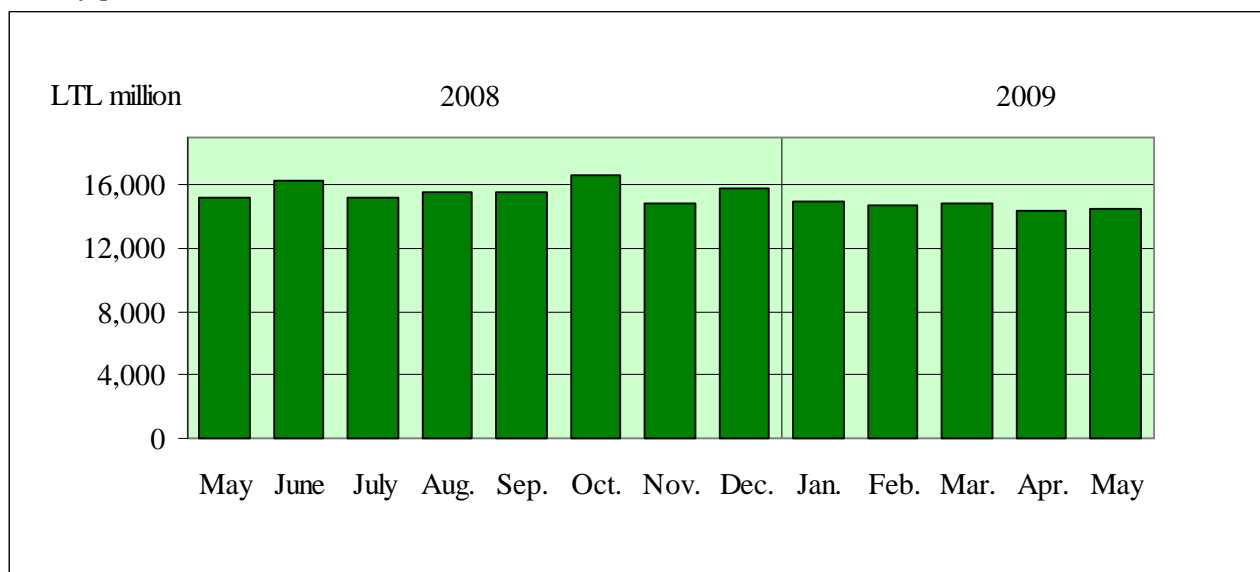
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Official Reserve Assets, May 2009

Official reserve assets rose by 1 per cent over the month and made up LTL 14.5 billion (EUR 4.2 billion) at the end of May 2009.

Official Reserve Assets

(end-of-period)



Official reserve assets grew as a result of an increase of LTL 453.1 million in deposits of other monetary financial institutions with the Bank of Lithuania. The reserve assets were also pushed up by an increase of LTL 58.2 million in external liabilities of the Bank of Lithuania and a rise of LTL 52.8 million in other factors. A slower growth of official reserve assets was determined by a contraction of LTL 253.9 million in currency in circulation and a decline of LTL 161 million in central government deposits with the Bank of Lithuania.

Official reserve assets data for June 2009 will be released on 7 July 2009.

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