

**Jurisdiction:** 

**Turkey** 

2016 IMN Survey of National Progress in the Implementation of G20/FSB Recommendations

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Hedge funds				
Registration, appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge	We also firmly recommitted to work in an internationally consistent and non- discriminatory manner to strengthen	Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the high level principles in IOSCO's <i>Report on Hedge</i>	☐ Not applicable ☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:
and oversight of hedge funds	discriminatory manner to strengthen regulation and supervision on hedge funds. (Seoul)  Hedge funds or their managers will be registered and will be required to disclose appropriate information on an ongoing basis to supervisors or regulators, including on their leverage, necessary for assessment of the systemic risks they pose individually or collectively. Where appropriate registration should be subject to a minimum size. They will be subject to oversight to ensure that they have adequate risk management. (London)	principles in IOSCO's Report on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009), in particular recommendations 1 and 2.  In their response, jurisdictions should specify whether:  - Hedge Funds (HFs) and/or HF managers are subject to mandatory registration  - Registered HF managers are subject to appropriate ongoing requirements regarding:  • Organisational and operational standards;  • Conflicts of interest and other conduct of business rules;  • Disclosure to investors; and  • Prudential regulation.  Jurisdictions can also refer to Principle 28 of the 2010 IOSCO Objectives and Principles of Securities Regulation, and take into account the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against	at the moment  ☐ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:  ☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:  ☐ Draft published as of:  ☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:  ☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:  ☑ Implementation completed as of:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
	Registration, appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge	Registration, appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge funds  Hedge funds or their managers will be registered and will be required to disclose appropriate information on an ongoing basis to supervisors or regulators, including on their leverage, necessary for assessment of the systemic risks they pose individually or collectively. Where appropriate registration should be subject to a minimum size. They will be subject to oversight to ensure that they have	Registration, appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge funds  We also firmly recommitted to work in an internationally consistent and non-discriminatory manner to strengthen regulation and supervision on hedge funds. (Seoul)  Hedge funds or their managers will be registered and will be required to disclose appropriate information on an ongoing basis to supervisors or regulators, including on their leverage, necessary for assessment of the systemic risks they pose individually or collectively. Where appropriate registration should be subject to a minimum size. They will be subject to oversight to ensure that they have adequate risk management. (London)  Registered HF managers are subject to appropriate ongoing requirements regarding:  Organisational and operational standards;  Conflicts of interest and other conduct of business rules;  Disclosure to investors; and  Prudential regulation.  Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the high level principles in IOSCO's Report on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009), in particular recommendations I and 2.  In their response, jurisdictions should specify whether:  - Hedge Funds (HFs) and/or HF managers are subject to appropriate ongoing requirements regarding:  Organisational and operational standards;  Conflicts of interest and other conduct of business rules;  Disclosure to investors; and  Prudential regulation.  Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the high level principles in IOSCO's Report on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009), in particular recommendations I and 2.  In their response, jurisdictions should specify whether:  - Hedge Funds (HFs) and/or HF managers are subject to appropriate ongoing requirements regarding:  Organisational and operational standards;	Registration, appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge funds. (Seoul)  We also firmly recommitted to work in appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge funds. (Seoul)  Hedge funds or their managers will be registered and will be required to disclose appropriate information on an ongoing basis to supervisors or regulators, including on their leverage, necessary for assessment of the systemic risks they pose individually or collectively. Where appropriate registration should be subject to a minimum size. They will be subject to oversight to ensure that they have adequate risk management. (London)  Prudential regulation.  Jurisdictions can also refer to Principle 28 of the 2010 IOSCO Objectives and take into a cocount the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against



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				came into force on 01.07.2014, hedge	
				funds are also regulated and hedge funds	
				have to register with CMB and only	
				portfolio management companies are	
				allowed become founder of all types of	
				funds including hedge funds. Hedge	
				funds are also subject to portfolio	
				restrictions as well as additional checks	
				and balances requirements over risk	
				management systems in place. They have	
				to report to CMB and their investors	
				periodically. On top of that, there is also	
				minimum public disclosure requirements	
				determined under the context of	
				"Informational Form for Investors",	
				which has to be easily accessible online	
				through Public Disclosure Platform.	
				Moreover, they have to make	
				announcements for any change regarding	
				material issues in Public Disclosure	
				Platform, which is easily accessible web	
				site open to any investor without any	
				charge. To further ensure the safety of	
				funds' assets, the communique	
				introduces requirement of segregation of	
				funds' assets from portfolio management	
				companies. To do so, portfolio	
				management companies have to entrust	
				assets in fund's portfolio to the portfolio	
				depository institution as a custodian	



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				licensed by CMB. Also, all portfolio	
				management companies have to prepare	
				a "Conflict of Interest Policy Document"	
				which defines sources of conflicts of	
				interest and measures to solve those	
				conflicts.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				CMB: We are still monitoring the results	
				of the new regulation, by which	
				sponsorship of existing hedge funds	
				being transferred to portfolio	
				management companies from banks and	
				brokerage houses.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa	
				yteblig.aspx?id=498&ct=f&action=displ	
				ayfile	



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2	Establishment of	We ask the FSB to develop mechanisms	Jurisdictions should indicate the progress	☐ Not applicable	If this recommendation has not yet
(2)	international information sharing	for cooperation and information sharing between relevant authorities in order to	made in implementing the high level principles in IOSCO's <i>Report on Hedge</i>	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:
	framework	ensure effective oversight is maintained	Fund Oversight (Jun 2009) on sharing	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
		when a fund is located in a different jurisdiction from the manager. We will,	information to facilitate the oversight of globally active fund managers.	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	Planned actions (if any) and expected
		cooperating through the FSB, develop measures that implement these principles	In addition, jurisdictions should state whether they are:	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	commencement date:
		by the end of 2009. (London)		☐ Draft published as of:	
			<ul><li>Signatory to the IOSCO MMoU</li><li>Signatory to bilateral agreements for</li></ul>	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	Web-links to relevant documents:
			supervisory cooperation that cover hedge funds and are aligned to the	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since :	
			2010 IOSCO <u>Principles Regarding</u> Cross-border Supervisory	☑ Implementation completed as of: 29.08.2013	
			Cooperation.	Issue is being addressed through:	
			<u>cooperation.</u>	☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
				✓ Regulation /Guidelines	
				☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				CMB:In Turkey, the fund itself and the	
				manager have to be located in the same	
				jurisdiction. CMB is fully cooperating	
				with other jurisdictions in case of any	
				information requested by other	
				authorities or vice versa. Additionally, the fund managers have to provide	
				the fund managers have to provide	



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				relevant information about their	
				activities, if any, in other jurisdictions.	
				The IOSCO MMoU concerning the	
				cooperation and exchange of information	
				among the member countries has been	
				approved by all IOSCO members at the	
				2002 Annual Conference held in	
				Istanbul. CMB is among the first	
				institutions signing the IOSCO MMoU.	
				CMB is fully cooperating with other	
				jurisdictions in case of any information	
				requested by other authorities or vice	
				versa. CMB has signed MOUs with	
				authorities of 15 European Union	
				countries (Bulgaria, Czech Republic,	
				Denmark, Greece, Hungary, Italy,	
				Lithuania, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta,	
				Romania, Slovakia, Sweden,	
				Netherlands, United Kingdom) as well as	
				Iceland, Norway and Liechtenstein with	
				respect to cooperation and exchange of	
				information for the supervision of	
				Alternative Investment Fund Managers.	
				In addition, The CMB has collaborative	
				arrangements with foreign regulatory and	
				supervisory authorities and still continues	
				its efforts to sign MoUs concerning the	
				cooperation and sharing of information	
				with foreign counterparts. CMB signed	
				MoUs with authorities from 35 countries	



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				in this regard.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Developments mentioned above are still	
				in effect.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://cmb.gov.tr/indexpage.aspx?pageid	
				=71&submenuheader=4	



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3	Enhancing counterparty	Supervisors should require that	Jurisdictions should indicate specific	☐ Not applicable	Planned actions (if any) and expected
(3)	risk management	institutions which have hedge funds as their counterparties have effective risk	policy measures taken for enhancing counterparty risk management and	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	commencement date:
		management, including mechanisms to	strengthening their existing guidance on	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
		monitor the funds' leverage and set limits for single counterparty exposures.	the management of exposure to leveraged counterparties.	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	Web-links to relevant documents:
		(London)	In particular, jurisdictions should indicate whether they have implemented	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
			recommendation 3 of the IOSCO <i>Report</i>	☐ Draft published as of:	
			on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009).	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
			In their responses, jurisdictions should not provide information on the portion of	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since :	
			this recommendation that pertains to Basel III, since it is monitored separately by the BCBS.	☑ Implementation completed as of: CMB: 01.07.2014; BRSA: 11.09.2014 (Guideline on Counterparty Risk Management)	
			Jurisdictions can also refer to Principle 28 of the 2010 IOSCO <i>Objectives and</i>	Issue is being addressed through:	
			Principles of Securities Regulation, and	☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
			take into account the outcomes of any	☑ Regulation /Guidelines	
			recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against those Principles.	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
			T. T. T.	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
		Supervisors will strengthen their existing		CMB: Guideline for investment funds	
		guidance on the management of		which includes hedge funds goes in	
		exposures to leveraged counterparties.		detail regarding how to calculate	
		(Rec. II.17, FSF 2008)		counterparty risk, market risk methods	
				such as VAR and risk systems and	



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				required and suggested risk calculation	
				methods vary across different investment	
				fund types based on how much leverage	
				a fund is exposed. Furthermore, there are	
				some limits put on place regarding total	
				counterparty risk. BRSA: BRSA has	
				published guideline on counterparty	
				credit risk management on 11 September	
				2014. The guideline clearly states the	
				responsibilities of Board of Directors,	
				senior management, the minimum	
				requirements for effective risk	
				management practices and tools, and etc.	
				There is also particular emphasis on	
				additional risk management principles	
				for complicated financial products and	
				highly leveraged institutions.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				CMB:We are still monitoring the results	
				of the new regulations.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.spk.gov.tr/indexpage.aspx?pa geid=182&submenuheader=0 An updated version of the guideline: http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler/14605karsi_taraf_kredi_ri ski_yonetimine_iliskin_rehber.pdf	



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I	I. Securitisation				
4 (4)	Strengthening of regulatory and capital framework for monolines	Insurance supervisors should strengthen the regulatory and capital framework for monoline insurers in relation to structured credit. (Rec II.8, FSF 2008)	Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken for strengthening the regulatory and capital framework for monoline insurers (where these exist).	✓ Not applicable  Treasury: There is no monoline insurer in Turkey.	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
			See, for reference, the following	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	Web-links to relevant documents:
			principles issued by IAIS:	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
			• <u>ICP 13</u> – Reinsurance and Other Forms of Risk Transfer;	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	
			• <u>ICP 15</u> – Investments; and	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
			• <i>ICP 17</i> - Capital Adequacy.	☐ Draft published as of:	
			Jurisdictions may also refer to:	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
			IAIS <u>Guidance paper on enterprise</u> risk management for capital	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since :	
			adequacy and solvency purposes (Oct	☐ Implementation completed as of:	
			<u>2008).</u>	Issue is being addressed through:	
			• Joint Forum document on <u>Mortgage</u>	☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
			insurance: market structure,	☐ Regulation /Guidelines	
			underwriting cycle and policy implications (Aug2013).	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				Treasury: "Proportionality" is considered	
				for small size insurers on some of the	
				Insurance Supervision Manuals. However	
				there is no specific capital requirements	



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I	II. Securitisation								
				for monolines.					
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:					
				Web-links to relevant documents:					



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5 (5)	Strengthening of supervisory requirements or best	Regulators of institutional investors should strengthen the requirements or best practices for firms' processes for	Jurisdictions should indicate the due diligence policies, procedures and practices applicable for investment	☐ Not applicable ☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:
(5)	1 2			at the moment  ☐ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:  ☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:  ☐ Draft published as of:  ☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:  ☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:  ☑ Implementation completed as of: 01.07.2014  Issue is being addressed through:  ☐ Primary / Secondary legislation  ☐ Regulation /Guidelines  ☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:  CMB: According to "Communiqué on Principles of Investment Funds" and "Guideline on Investment Funds" that came into force on 01.07.2014, all the	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
				issuers of structured products that funds invest in have to be investment-grade	



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				rated. Also funds investing in structured	
				products have to make daily VAR	
				calculations, which are reported daily to	
				supervisors of risk management unit and	
				weekly to Board of Directors of the	
				management firm.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa yteblig.aspx?id=498&ct=f&action=displa yfile	



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<b>No</b> 6 (6)	Description Enhanced disclosure of securitised products	G20/FSB Recommendations  Securities market regulators should work with market participants to expand information on securitised products and their underlying assets. (Rec. III.10-III.13, FSF 2008)	Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures and other initiatives taken in relation to enhancing disclosure of securitised products, including working with industry and other authorities to continue to standardise disclosure templates and considering measures to improve the type of information that investors receive.  See, for reference, IOSCO's <i>Report on Principles for Ongoing Disclosure for</i>	Progress to date  □ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment ☑ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: ☑ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: 31.12.2016 □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: ☑ Final rule (for part of the reform) in	Next steps  If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:  CMB: As there has been no ABS public offering in Turkey up to now, objective and qualitative information could not be obtained from the market participants in order to complete ABS prospectus standard.  Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
			Asset-Backed Securities (Nov 2012), Disclosure Principles for Public Offerings and Listings of Asset-Backed Securities (Apr 2010) and report on Global Developments in Securitisation Regulations (November 2012), in particular recommendations 4 and 5.	☐ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through: ☐ Primary / Secondary legislation ☐ Regulation / Guidelines ☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation / regulation/guideline:	CMB: Detailed information about the parties involved in the ABS issuance or ABS itself for public offerings will be featured in the prospectus standard of ABS. CMB plans to issue ABS prospectus standard compatible with international standards/guidelines by the end of 2016
				CMB: CMB: In order to ensure the investors are informed, fundamentals relating to disclosure of securitised products are determined specifically by Communique on Asset-Backed and Mortgage-Backed Securities (III-58.1) which was put into effect on 9.1.2014.	Web-links to relevant documents:



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				This communique enforces material	
				disclosures such as announcement of	
				periodic reports, credit ratings for ABS,	
				updated information about the parties	
				involved in the issuance or changes	
				regarding the fund (SPV) statute or	
				management/audit of the fund,	
				irrespective of the issuance type (public	
				offering or sale to qualified investors).	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Capital Markets Board of Turkey	
				declared that they plan to issue ABS	
				prospectus standard compatible with	
				international standards/guidelines by the	
				end of 2016. With this new regulation,	
				detailed information about the parties	
				involved in the ABS issuance or ABS	
				itself for public offerings will be featured	
				in the prospectus standard of ABS.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa yteblig.aspx?id=494&ct=f&action=displa yfile	



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III.	<b>Enhancing supervision</b>				
7 (7)	Consistent, consolidated supervision and	All firms whose failure could pose a risk to financial stability must be subject to consistent, consolidated supervision and	Jurisdictions should indicate: (1) whether they have identified domestic SIFIs and, if so, in which sectors; (2) whether the	☐ Not applicable ☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
	regulation of SIFIs	regulation with high standards. (Pittsburgh)	names of the identified SIFIs have been publicly disclosed; and (3) the types of policy measures taken for implementing consistent, consolidated supervision and regulation of the identified SIFIs.	<ul> <li>✓ Implementation ongoing:</li> <li>Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:</li> <li>☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:</li> </ul>	Web-links to relevant documents:
			In their response to (3) above, jurisdictions should note any significant changes in their approach, strategy or practices to enhance SIFI supervision.	<ul> <li>□ Draft published as of:</li> <li>□ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:</li> <li>☑ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since : 23.02.2016</li> </ul>	
			Jurisdictions should mention, but not provide details on, policy measures that pertain to higher loss absorbency requirements for G/D-SIBs, since these	☐ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through:  ☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
			are monitored separately by the BCBS.  See, for reference, the following documents:  BCBS:	<ul> <li>☐ Regulation /Guidelines</li> <li>☑ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:</li> <li>Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:</li> </ul>	
			<ul> <li>Framework for G-SIBs (Jul 2013)</li> <li>Framework for D-SIBs (Oct 2012)</li> <li>IAIS:</li> <li>Global Systemically Important         Insurers: Policy Measures (Jul 2013)     </li> </ul>	BRSA: A secondary regulation has been issued on 23/02/2016 regarding the identification and additional capital requirements for D-SIBs in line with BCBS Framework. The D-SIBs are identified for 2016, but the D-SIB list is	



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			<ul> <li>and initial assessment methodology</li> <li>IAIS SRMP guidance - FINAL (Dec 2013)</li> <li>Guidance on Liquidity management and planning (Oct 2014)</li> <li>FSB:</li> <li>Framework for addressing SIFIs (Nov 2011)</li> </ul>	not disclosed to the public. On the other hand, according to Regulation on Audits that will be conducted by the BRSA, D-SIBs are already subject to enhanced/intensified consolidated supervision according to their size, complexity and risk profile. CMB: FSB and IOSCO has published for second public consultation Assessment Methodologies for Identifying NBNI G-SIFIs where Turkey does not have any NBNI G-SIFI. The financial system in Turkey is dominated by banks and regarding these, CMB has no action on regulation and supervision of NBNI G-SIFI's.	
				Undersecretariat of Treasury (Treasury): There is no GSII in Turkey. However, we are conducting consolidated supervisions in a coordinated manner with BRSA for some insurers.  Highlight main developments since last year's survey:  Web-links to relevant documents: http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_Duzenlemeler/14988sistemik_onemli_ba	



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8	Establishing	To establish the remaining supervisory	Reporting in this area should be	☑ Not applicable	If this recommendation has not yet
(8)	supervisory colleges and conducting risk	colleges for significant cross-border firms by June 2009. (London)	undertaken solely by home jurisdictions of G-SIBs and G-SIIs.	BRSA: Turkey does not have any GSIFIs.	been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:
	assessments	by June 2009. (London)	Please indicate the progress made in	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	
			establishing and strengthening the	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
		We agreed to conduct rigorous risk	functioning of supervisory colleges for G-SIBs and G-SIIs, including the	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
		assessment on these firms [G-SIFIs] through international supervisory	development of any joint supervisory plans within core colleges and leveraging	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
		colleges. (Seoul)	on supervisory activities conducted by	☐ Draft published as of:	Web-links to relevant documents:
			host authorities.	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
			See, for reference, the following documents:	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since :	
			BCBS:	☐ Implementation completed as of:	
			• Principles for effective supervisory	Issue is being addressed through:	
			<u>colleges (Jun 2014)</u>	☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
			• Progress report on the implementation	☐ Regulation /Guidelines	
			of principles for effective supervisory colleges (Jul 2015)	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
			IAIS:		
			• <u>ICPs 24 and 25, especially guidance</u> 25.1.1 – 25.1.6, 25.6, 25.7 and 25.8	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				BRSA: Turkey does not have any GSIFIs.	
			• <u>Application paper on supervisory</u> <u>colleges (Oct 2014)</u>	Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



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9	Supervisory exchange	To quicken supervisory responsiveness to	Jurisdictions should include any feedback	☐ Not applicable	Planned actions (if any) and expected
(9)	of information and coordination	developments that have a common effect across a number of institutions,	received from recent FSAPs/ROSC assessments on the <u>September 2012</u> BCP	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	commencement date:
		supervisory exchange of information and	3 (Cooperation and collaboration) and	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
		coordination in the development of best practice benchmarks should be improved	BCP 14 (Home-host relationships). Jurisdictions should also indicate any	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	Web-links to relevant documents:
		at both national and international levels. (Rec V.7 , FSF 2008)	steps taken since the last assessment in this area, particularly in response to	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
			relevant FSAP/ROSC recommendations.	☐ Draft published as of:	
				☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
				☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since :	
		Enhance the effectiveness of core supervisory colleges. (FSB 2012)	Jurisdictions should describe any recent or planned regulatory, supervisory or legislative changes that contribute to the	☑ Implementation completed as of: 25.02.2011 (BRSA); 30.12.2012 (CMB); 27.07.2013 (Treasury)	
			sharing of supervisory information (e.g.	Issue is being addressed through:	
			within supervisory colleges or via	☑ Primary / Secondary legislation	
			bilateral or multilateral MoUs).	☐ Regulation /Guidelines	
				☑ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
				BRSA: MoUs CMB: In order to	
				enhance supervisory exchange of	
				information and coordination, the CMB	
				has been signing MoUs with both	
				international financial organizations and	
				national authorities for the purposes of	
				developing bilateral cooperation	
				opportunities, carrying out cross border	



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				supervision and enforcement activities	
				effectively. The CMB is one of the first	
				countries signing the IOSCO Multilateral	
				MoU. Additionally, starting from the	
				1990s, the CMB has signed bilateral	
				MoUs with many regulatory and	
				supervisory authorities from 35	
				jurisdictions.	
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				BRSA: An amendment in the Banking	
				Law Nr. 5411 concerning the	
				professional secrecy issue is enacted as of	
				25.02.2011. In this context, the conflict	
				between Turkish legislation and EU	
				Directives has been eliminated through	
				this amendment. This change in the Law	
				enabled BRSA to enter into	
				Memorandum of Understanding with EU	
				Supervisory Authorities which enhanced	
				the cooperation. BRSA has signed	
				bilateral MoUs with the regulatory and	
				supervisory authorities of 34	
				jurisdictions. (as of June 2016)	
				CMB: Capital Market Law promulgated	
				in 2012, Article No: 128/d: "Cooperating	
				in any manner in relation to capital	
				markets and signing bilateral or	
				multilateral memoranda of understanding	
				in accordance with the principles of	



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				reciprocity and the protection of professional confidentiality, with corresponding foreign institutions that are authorised to regulate and supervise capital markets, in order to exchange information, meet requests for document, inspecting the headquarters, branch offices or subsidiaries or affiliates located in Turkey of institutions performing activities in the capital markets of foreign countries as well as in the bodies from which they outsource within the framework of a written contract and to take the necessary administrative measures, share the expenditures related to the activities to be carried out in this context" is defined within the duties of the CMB.	
				Treasury: Insurance Law Article No. 29 on information sharing and cooperation among international institutions.  Regulation about supervisory exchange of information and coordination akin to ICP 5 and ICP 17. Monitoring and Supervision Regulation (amendment date: R.G. 27.07.2013 – 28720). Article 32 of this Regulation deals with information sharing and collaboration. It enables the UoT to cooperate with national and international monitoring and supervising	



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				authorities, to be a party to agreements on	
				information sharing and joint supervision,	
				and to exchange information within the	
				legal framework of the Insurance	
				Regulation. The UoT is a signatory of	
				IAIS Multilateral Memorandum of	
				Understanding (IAIS MMoU) as of 28th	
				March 2013.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				FOR CMB LAW: http://www.cmb.gov.tr/displayfile.aspx?a ction=displayfile&pageid=87&fn=87.pdf &submenuheader=null; AND FOR THE MOUs SIGNED by The CMB: http://cmb.gov.tr/indexpage.aspx?pageid= 71&submenuheader=4	



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No 10 (10)	Description Strengthening resources and effective supervision	We agreed that supervisors should have strong and unambiguous mandates, sufficient independence to act, appropriate resources, and a full suite of tools and powers to proactively identify and address risks, including regular stress testing and early intervention. (Seoul)  Supervisors should see that they have the requisite resources and expertise to oversee the risks associated with financial innovation and to ensure that firms they supervise have the capacity to understand and manage the risks. (FSF 2008)  Supervisory authorities should continually re-assess their resource needs; for example, interacting with and assessing Boards require particular skills, experience and adequate level of seniority. (Rec. 3, FSB 2012)	Remarks  Jurisdictions should indicate any steps taken on recommendations 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 (i.e. supervisory strategy, engagement with banks, improvements in banks' IT and MIS, data requests, and talent management strategy respectively) in the FSB thematic peer review report on supervisory frameworks and approaches to SIBs (May 2015).	Not applicable   Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment   If "Not applicable "or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification:   Implementation ongoing:   Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:   Draft in preparation, expected publication by:   Draft published as of:   Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:   Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:   Implementation completed as of: 23.02.2016    Issue is being addressed through:   Primary / Secondary legislation   Regulation /Guidelines   Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:   Short description of the content of the	Next steps  Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: BRSA: A secondary regulation has been issued on 23/02/2016 regarding the identification and additional capital requirements for D-SIBs in line with	



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				BCBS Framework. The D-SIBs are identified for 2016, but the D-SIB list is not disclosed to the public. Implementation of this recommendation do not require any change in regulations/guidelines. On the other hand, according to Regulation on Audits that will be conducted by the BRSA, D-SIBs are already subject to enhanced/intensified consolidated supervision according to their size, complexity and risk profile.	
				(cont.) Treasury: Insurance Early Warning System (SEUS) has been established by the Treasury. In the context of SEUS, early warning indicators of potential financial distress have been defined out of number of indicators by taking into account of correlations, and weights. In addition, insurance sector specific stress testing mechanism has been developing. In the context of stress testing, while a top down approach for the assessment of an earthquake scenario and contagion risk shocks has been used, a bottom up approach is partly considered in the solvency regime for the market risk (only interest rate shock is used)There is also a catastrophic risk monitoring mechanism in place.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:  Web-links to relevant documents: http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler/14988sistemik_onemli_ba nkalar_hakkinda_yonetmelik.pdf	



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No IV. 11 (11)	Description  Building and implement  Establishing regulatory framework for macroprudential oversight	Amend our regulatory systems to ensure authorities are able to identify and take account of macro-prudential risks across the financial system including in the case of regulated banks, shadow banks¹ and private pools of capital to limit the build up of systemic risk. (London)  Ensure that national regulators possess the powers for gathering relevant information on all material financial institutions, markets and instruments in order to assess the potential for failure or severe stress to contribute to systemic risk. This will be done in close coordination at international level in order to achieve as much consistency as	Please describe major changes in the institutional arrangements for macroprudential policy (structures, mandates, powers, reporting etc.) that have taken place since the global financial crisis, particularly over the past year.  Please indicate whether an assessment has been conducted with respect to the adequacy of powers to collect and share relevant information among different authorities on financial institutions, markets and instruments to assess the potential for systemic risk. If so, please describe identified gaps in the powers to collect information, and whether any	Progress to date  □ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment □ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of: 08.06.2011  Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
		follow-up actions have been taken.	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:		
		possible across jurisdictions. (London)		☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the	
				legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				The Financial Stability Committee (FSC)	

<sup>1</sup> The recommendation as applicable to shadow banks will be retained until the monitoring framework for shadow banking, which is one of the designated priority areas under the CFIM, is established.



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				was established in June 8, 2011. Financial	
				Stability Committee is composed of the	
				Undersecretary of Treasury and the heads	
				of the Central Bank of Turkey, Banking	
				Regulation and Supervision Agency,	
				Capital Markets Board and Saving	
				Deposit Insurance Fund under the	
				chairmanship of Minister in charge of the	
				Treasury (currently Deputy Prime	
				Minister for Economic and Financial	
				Affairs). The FSC monitors and	
				identifies the systemic risks and	
				determines possible necessary	
				macroprudential measures to mitigate	
				them. Building on the individual	
				institutions' powers pertaining to their	
				specific areas, the law (Law on the	
				Structures and Duties of the	
				Undersecretariat of Treasury, No: 4059,	
				Additional Article: 4) empowers the	
				Financial Stability Committee with the	
				mandate to gather the information from	
				all relevant parties, and to coordinate and	
				monitor the policy implementations of	
				them. Also, members of the FSC have the	
				power to reach all available data from	
				their respective bodies. There are also	
				MoUs and bilateral subprotocols between	
				several authorities on information	
				sharing. Current and emerging data needs	



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				are shared within the principles of these	
				protocols. The peer review report of	
				Turkey was published at 19.11.2015. One	
				of the topics that had been examined is	
				macroprudential policy framework and	
				tools. The peer review team did not	
				identified any gaps in the powers to	
				collect information for the assessment of	
				the systemic risk.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



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12 (12)	Enhancing system-wide monitoring and the use of macro-prudential instruments	Authorities should use quantitative indicators and/or constraints on leverage and margins as macro-prudential tools for supervisory purposes. Authorities should use quantitative indicators of leverage as guides for policy, both at the institution-specific and at the macro-prudential (system-wide) level(Rec. 3.1, FSF 2009)  We are developing macro-prudential policy frameworks and tools to limit the build-up of risks in the financial sector, building on the ongoing work of the FSB-BIS-IMF on this subject. (Cannes)  Authorities should monitor substantial changes in asset prices and their implications for the macro economy and the financial system. (Washington)	Please describe at a high level (including by making reference to financial stability or other reports, where available) the types of methodologies, indicators and tools used to assess systemic risks.  Please indicate the use of macroprudential tools in the past year, including the objective for their use and the process used to select, calibrate, and apply them.  See, for reference, the following documents:  • CGFS report on Operationalising the selection and application of macroprudential instruments (Dec 2012)  • FSB-IMF-BIS progress report to the G20 on Macroprudential policy tools and frameworks (Oct 2011)  • IMF staff papers on Macroprudential policy, an organizing framework (Mar 2011), Key Aspects of Macroprudential policy (Jun 2013), and Staff Guidance on Macroprudential Policy (Dec 2014)	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment □ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑ Implementation completed as of: Implementation of macro-prudential instruments is an ongoing process.  Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline:  The FSC was established in June 8, 2011. Since the end of 2010, variety of macro prudential tools have been used by related authorities. Systemic risk is monitored and analysed by the authorities regularly in both aggregate and granular level within the scope of the duties and powers.	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  A conceptual framework in the form of heat map is being developed by the subgroup of the FSC to assist the systemic risk assessment and to analyze possible consequences of risks to financial stability. The heat map is built on four channels; financial markets, financial institutions, financial infrastructure, real economy. The data/indicator selection process for each main channel has yet to be completed by 2016. For 2015 and 2016, the CBRT is planning to enhance the technical framework of stress test models. In 2015, the CBRT started new project to improve stress testing modules by including new satellite models and risk modules in already used frameworks. In this respect, the CBRT is planning to increase collaboration with ECB and IMF. The CBRT has ongoing projects about early warning indicators and systemic risk. These projects are planned to be finalized by the end of 2016. Also, the CBRT works on a "Data Project" which has two phases: data stocktaking and data gap analysis. On the October 2014 the first phase of data project was completed. The



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				The FSC's role is to coordinate policy	second phase is under way, which takes
				actions and to better integrate micro and	systemic risks into account as well. The
				macroprudential perspectives among	data gaps identified to include more
				institutions. The CBRT regularly	frequent reporting of banking sector data;
				monitors the developments in the global	for example weekly reporting of the data
				and Turkish economy. The CBRT	that is currently reported monthly. When
				follows a "guided discretionary	the data gap identification part of the
				approach" considering the systemic	project is finalized, related authorities
				threats to financial stability in a proactive	will send new reporting templates to the
				manner. CBRT's Financial Stability	financial institutions to start reporting.
				Report and the BRSA's Annual Report	
				communicate macro prudential	Web-links to relevant documents:
				instruments. Related authorities have	, , , o , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
				been using various macro prudential	
				tools. • Loan-to-value (LTV) ceilings on	
				residential mortgage loans, vehicle loans;	
				• High risk weights for consumer loans; •	
				Increased provisions for consumer loans;	
				• Limits to credit card payments; •	
				Liquidity requirements • Measures on	
				Extension of the Maturity of Deposits	
				(Withdrawal before maturity,	
				differentiation of withholding according	
				to maturity of deposits, differentiation of	
				Resource Utilization Support Fund	
				(RUSF) based on Maturity) •	
				Differentiation on Deposit Insurance	
				System Premiums (risk based premium	
				system) • Reserve requirements •	
				Leverage Based Reserve Requirements •	



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				Equity financing regulations	
				The Treasury (UoT): Although insurance	
				companies in Turkey neither is described	
				as systemically important nor pose	
				systemic risk in the financial sector.	
				However as the UoT, we established an	
				Insurance Early Warning System Model	
				(SEUS) measuring the financial strength	
				of companies and the sector. In addition,	
				Insurance sector specific stress testing	
				mechanism has been developing. There is	
				also a catastrophic risk monitoring	
				mechanism in place.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/	
				Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_	
				Duzenlemeler/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Ilis	
				kin_Duzenlemeler.aspx	
				http://www.fsb.org/wp-	
				content/uploads/Turkey-peer-review-	
				report-19Nov15.pdf	



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V.	Improving oversight	of credit rating agencies (CRAs)			
13 (13)	Enhancing regulation and supervision of CRAs	All CRAs whose ratings are used for regulatory purposes should be subject to a regulatory oversight regime that includes	Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures undertaken for enhancing regulation and supervision of CRAs	☐ Not applicable ☐ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation:
		registration. The regulatory oversight regime should be established by end 2009 and should be consistent with the IOSCO Code of Conduct Fundamentals.  (London)	including registration, oversight and sharing of information between national authorities. They should also indicate their consistency with the following IOSCO document:	<ul> <li>✓ Implementation ongoing:</li> <li>Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:</li> <li>□ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:</li> </ul>	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
		National authorities will enforce compliance and require changes to a rating agency's practices and procedures for managing conflicts of interest and assuring the transparency and quality of the rating process.  CRAs should differentiate ratings for structured products and provide full disclosure of their ratings track record and the information and assumptions that underpin the ratings process.  The oversight framework should be consistent across jurisdictions with appropriate sharing of information between national authorities, including through IOSCO. (London)  Regulators should work together towards appropriate, globally compatible solutions (to conflicting compliance	<ul> <li>Code of Conduct Fundamentals for Credit Rating Agencies (Mar 2015)         (including governance, training and risk management)         Jurisdictions may also refer to the following IOSCO documents:     </li> <li>Principle 22 of Principles and Objectives of Securities Regulation (Jun 2010) which calls for registration and oversight programs for CRAs</li> <li>Statement of Principles Regarding the Activities of Credit Rating Agencies (Sep 2003)</li> <li>Final Report on Supervisory Colleges for Credit Rating Agencies (Jul 2013)</li> <li>Jurisdictions should take into account the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against those principles.</li> </ul>	publication by:  □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: CMB: Original regulation in 1997, final amendment on 29.08.2013 □ Implementation completed as of: Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: There are two independent authorities that regulate and supervise financial markets in Turkey: Capital Markets Board of Turkey and Banking Regulation and Supervision Agency. CMB: Capital	Web-links to relevant documents:



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		obligations for CRAs) as early as possible		Markets Board of Turkey was established	
		in 2010. (FSB 2009)		in 1982 under the first Capital Market	
		We encourage further steps to enhance		Law dated 1981. Both the former Law	
		transparency and competition among		and renewed 2012 version of it give the	
		credit rating agencies. (St Petersburg)		authority to regulate and supervise the	
		credit rating agencies. (Stretersburg)		securities markets in Turkey to the	
				Capital Markets Board of Turkey. The	
				Board exercises its authority by	
				establishing regulatory procedures and by	
				making decisions for individual cases. In	
				this setting, pursuant to paragraph (n) of	
				Article 22 and Article 39 of the former	
				Law, the first regulation on credit rating	
				activities in capital markets, which	
				required authorization and supervision of	
				rating agencies, was promulgated in	
				1997. CMB is one of the first authorities	
				that introduced regulatory oversight	
				regime with registration. Since that first	
				Communiqué, the provisions of the	
				Communiqué have been updated several	
				times (2004, 2007, 2010 and 2013) in	
				order to make it in compliance with 2003	
				IOSCO principles and 2004 IOSCO Code	
				of Conduct as well as to reflect the	
				changes in the financial markets. Only	
				rating agencies established in Turkey that	
				are qualified by CMB and international	
				rating agencies recognized by CMB are	
				permitted to provide rating service in	



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	Description	G2013B Recommendations	Remarks	Turkey. There are 6 domestic CRAs, which are under oversight of Capital Markets Board of Turkey, and 3 international CRAs authorized to rate Turkish listed companies and capital market institutions. Rating activities within the context of the Communiqué are subject to the surveillance and inspection of CMB; CMB may request any kind of information and document from rating agencies. In addition to several administrative actions that may be taken by CMB, CMB has the authority to delist the rating agency should there be a substantial change in the degree that the agency satisfies the listing criteria or should CMB detect a violation of relevant provisions of rating regulations.	Acat sups
				BRSA: Implementation completed at 17.04.2012 (Updated on 20/01/2016) BRSA: "Regulation on the Principles Regarding the Authorization and Activities of Rating Agencies" which mainly incorporates international best practices entered into force on 17.04.2012.  Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				CMB: The last amendment in CMB's CRA communique was published in 2013	



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				and aimed to adapt the EU-rules	
				regarding sovereign ratings. Currently, as	
				Turkey is a candidate for full EU	
				membership, the CMB is carrying out a	
				project to have the CRA communique in	
				line with EU 2009/1060 Regulation.	
				Draft is not disclosed to public as of yet.	
				BRSA: The regulation has been recently	
				updated on 20/01/2016 in line with	
				international developments.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://cmb.gov.tr/displayfile.aspx?action=displayfile&pageid=87&fn=87.pdf&submenuheader=nullhttp://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_Duzenlemeler/10821derecelendirme_kuruluslarinin_yetkilendirilmesine_ve_faaliyetlerine_iliskin_esaslar_hakkinda_yonetmelik.pdf	



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14	Reducing the reliance	We also endorsed the FSB's principles on	Jurisdictions should indicate the steps	☐ Not applicable	Planned actions (if any) and expected
(14)	on ratings	reducing reliance on external credit	they are taking to address the	☐ Applicable but no action envisaged	commencement date:
		ratings. Standard setters, market	recommendations of the May 2014 FSB	at the moment	The draft regarding these changes in the
		participants, supervisors and central	thematic peer review report on the	☑ Implementation ongoing:	communique is prepared and expected to
		banks should not rely mechanistically on	implementation of the FSB Principles for	Status of progress [for legislation and	be published by mid 2016
		external credit ratings. (Seoul)	Reducing Reliance on Credit Ratings,	regulation/guidelines only]:	
		Authorities should check that the roles	including by implementing their <u>agreed</u>	☐ Draft in preparation, expected	Web-links to relevant documents:
		that they have assigned to ratings in	action plans. Any revised action plans	publication by:	vveb-miks to relevant documents.
		regulations and supervisory rules are	should be sent to the FSB Secretariat so	☑ Draft published as of: 27 November	
		consistent with the objectives of having	that it can be posted on the FSB website.	2015	
		investors make independent judgment of	Jurisdictions may refer to the following	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
		risks and perform their own due	documents:	☑ Final rule (for part of the reform) in	
		diligence, and that they do not induce	• FSB <i>Principles for Reducing Reliance</i>	force since: 06.09.2014 (BRSA)	
		uncritical reliance on credit ratings as a	on CRA Ratings (Oct 2010)	☐ Implementation completed as of:	
		substitute for that independent evaluation.			
		(Rec IV. 8, FSF 2008)	• FSB <u>Roadmap for Reducing Reliance</u>	Issue is being addressed through:	
		We reaffirm our commitment to reduce	on CRA Ratings (Nov 2012)	✓ Primary / Secondary legislation	
		authorities' and financial institutions'	BCBS Consultative Document	☑ Regulation /Guidelines	
		reliance on external credit ratings, and	Revisions to the Standardised Approach	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory	
		call on standard setters, market	for credit risk (Dec 2015)	actions), please specify:	
		participants, supervisors and central	• IAIS <u>ICP guidance</u> 16.9 and 17.8.25	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
		banks to implement the agreed FSB			
		principles and end practices that rely	• IOSCO <u>Good Practices on Reducing</u>	BRSA: As stated in the Agreed Action	
		mechanistically on these ratings.	Reliance on CRAs in Asset	Plan for Reducing Reliance on CRAs,	
		(Cannes)	Management (June 2015)	due to the nature of the local market and	
			• IOSCO Sound Practices at Large	the BRSA regulations, practically CRA	
		We call for accelerated progress by	Intermediaries Relating to the	ratings have no effect with regards to	
		national authorities and standard setting	Assessment of Creditworthiness and the	banking activities. BRSA follows Basel	



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		bodies in ending the mechanistic reliance	Use of External Credit Ratings (Dec	Committee to finalize its work on	
		on credit ratings and encourage steps that	2015).	alternative methods of risk weighting.	
		would enhance transparency of and		BRSA will then develop regulations in	
		competition among credit rating agencies.		line with new Basel standards. All banks	
		(Los Cabos)		are obliged to make their own credit	
				assessments before extending credits and	
		We call on national authorities and		not to solely rely on any CRA rating.	
		standard setting bodies to accelerate		CRA ratings are not a replacement of	
		progress in reducing reliance on credit		internal risk assessment according to	
		rating agencies, in accordance with the		BRSA regulations. In order to incentivise	
		FSB roadmap. (St Petersburg)		market participants to develop internal	
				risk management capabilities, BRSA	
				published regulations on IRB and AMA	
				on 06.09.2014. (Currently all banks are	
				using Basel's standard approaches)	
				BRSA has also published a detailed credit	
				risk management guideline on 17.07.2014	
				in order to improve banks' internal risk	
				assessment capabilities.	
				CMB: Debt securities regulation	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				BRSA: In line with the aim of being fully	
				compliant with the Basel framework,	
				during the RCAP process of Turkey,	
				regulations on credit rating agencies, the	
				IRB approach has been updated on	
				23/10/2015 and 20/01/2016.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



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				IRB Regulation	
				http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/	
				Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_	
				Duzenlemeler/1349 idd teblig.pdf Risk	
				management Guideline	
				http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/	
				Mevzuat/Bankacilik Kanununa Iliskin	
				Duzenlemeler/14604bankalarin kredi yo netimine iliskin rehber.pdf EXISTING	
				REGULATION:	
				http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa	
				yteblig.aspx?id=478&ct=f&action=displa	
				vfile DRAFT:	
				http://www.spk.gov.tr/duyurugoster.aspx ?aid=20151127&subid=0&ct=c&submen	
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VI.	Enhancing and alignin	g accounting standards			
	-		Jurisdictions should indicate the accounting standards that they follow and whether (and on what basis) they are of a high and internationally acceptable quality (eg equivalent to IFRSs as published by the IASB), and provide accurate and relevant information on financial performance. They should also explain the system they have for enforcement of consistent application of those standards.  Jurisdictions may want to refer to their jurisdictional profile prepared by the IFRS Foundation, which can be accessed at: <a href="http://www.ifrs.org/Use-around-the-world/Pages/Analysis-of-the-G20-IFRS-profiles.aspx">http://www.ifrs.org/Use-around-the-world/Pages/Analysis-of-the-G20-IFRS-profiles.aspx</a> .  As part of their response on this recommendation, jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken for appropriate application of fair value accounting.	Progress to date  □ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment □ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of: 01.11.2006 (BRSA) - CMB: 21.12.2004 (for listed companies and capital market institutions other than investment funds and housing finance and asset finance funds) and 30.12.2013 (for investment funds and housing finance and asset finance funds); Treasury (2007)  Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
			In addition, jurisdictions should set out any steps they intend to take (if appropriate) to foster transparent and consistent implementation of the new	<ul> <li>☑ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:</li> <li>CMB: Listed companies and capital market institutions as defined in Capital</li> </ul>	



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			accounting requirements for expected	market Law apply Turkish Accounting	
			loan loss provisioning for impaired loans	Standards and Turkish Financial	
			that are being introduced by the IASB	Reporting Standards (TAS/TFRS) (which	
			and are scheduled to be introduced by the	is compatible with IFRSs) as set and	
			FASB.	disclosed by the Public Oversight,	
			See, for reference, the following BCBS	Accounting and Auditing Standards	
			document:	Authority (POA). Application of those	
				standards is required to be audited by	
			• <u>Supervisory guidance for assessing</u>	independent audit firms according to the	
			banks' financial instrument fair value	related CMB regulations. In addition, a	
			practices (Apr 2009)	team of experts has been assigned to do	
				revision of financial reports on a risk	
				basis and required precautions are taken	
				for those entities which breach standards	
				and related regulations.	
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				BRSA: Institutions under the supervision	
				of the BRSA have to comply with TFRSs	
				which are in line with IFRSs since	
				01/11/2006. BRSA has the authority to	
				supervise and regularly supervises the full	
				implementation of TFRSs by the related	
				companies. BRSA regulations regarding	
				fair value considerations in the	
				calculation of capital requirements are in	
				line with Basel III and in force since July	
				2012. CMB: Following articles 14 and	
				36 and subparagraph (ğ) of first	
				paragraph of article 128 of the Capital	



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				Markets Law no. 6362 dated 6.12.2012,	
				Communiqué on Principles of Financial	
				Reporting In Capital Markets was	
				promulgated on 13.06.2013 and	
				Communique on Principles Regarding	
				Financial Reporting of Investment Funds	
				was promulgated on 30.12.2013. The	
				purpose of these Communiqué is to set	
				the principles and procedures regarding	
				financial reports to be publicly announced	
				by issuers and capital market institutions.	
				These entities prepare their financial	
				statements on the basis of TAS/TFRS	
				issued and published by POA. Moreover,	
				to ensure that the financial reporting	
				principles and procedures are clear and	
				understandable, or for the sake of unity in	
				implementation thereof, if and when	
				deemed necessary, the Capital Market	
				Board reaches decisions pursuant to	
				article 14 of the Law. Entities are under	
				obligation to comply with these decisions	
				Treasury: All norms regarding	
				accounting, financial reporting and	
				valuation of assets are compliant with	
				IFRS since 2007. Insurance, reinsurance	
				and pension companies under the	
				supervision of Treasury have to comply	
				with TFRSs which are in line with IFRSs.	
				Treasury has the authority to supervise	



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			regularly the full implementation of TFRSs by the related companies.	
			Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
			BRSA published a separate best practice guideline on fair value calculations in December 2015.	
			Web-links to relevant documents:	
			CMB: http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa yteblig.aspx?id=477&ct=f&action=displa yfile http://www.cmb.gov.tr/apps/teblig/displa yteblig.aspx?id=481&ct=f&action=displa yfile BRSA BRSA Accounting Rules http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler /1688bankalarin_muhasebe_uygulamalari na_ve_belgelerin_saklanmasina_ilikin_us ul_ve_esaslar_hakkinda_yonetmelik.pdf Guideline on Fair Value Calculations http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler/14752gercege_uygun_deg er_olcumune_iliskin_rehberi.pdf Treasury http://www.tsb.org.tr/Document/Yonetme likler/Finansal_Raporlama-SON.pdf	



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VII.	Enhancing risk manag	ement			-
	Enhancing risk manag Enhancing guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices, including on liquidity and foreign currency funding risks	Regulators should develop enhanced guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices, in line with international best practices, and should encourage financial firms to re-examine their internal controls and implement strengthened policies for sound risk management. (Washington)  National supervisors should closely check banks' implementation of the updated guidance on the management and supervision of liquidity as part of their regular supervision. If banks' implementation of the guidance is inadequate, supervisors will take more prescriptive action to improve practices. (Rec. II.10, FSF 2008)  Regulators and supervisors in emerging markets <sup>1</sup> will enhance their supervision of	Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken to enhance guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices.  Jurisdictions may also refer to the following documents:  • FSB's thematic peer review report on risk governance (Feb 2013);  • Joint Forum's Developments in credit risk management across sectors: current practices and recommendations (June 2015); and  • BCBS Peer review of supervisory authorities' implementation of stress testing principles (Apr 2012) and Principles for sound stress testing practices and supervision (May 2009).	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment ☑ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: ☑ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since : 31.03.2016 (The publication date of most recent risk management guideline.) □ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through : □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
		banks' operation in foreign currency funding markets. (FSB 2009)	<u>2007).</u>	☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
		We commit to conduct robust, transparent stress tests as needed. (Pittsburgh)		The BRSA published an updated	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Only the emerging market jurisdictions that are members of the FSB may respond to this recommendation.



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				regulation on internal systems and	
				ICAAP for banks on 11/07/2014.	
				Additionally, to address the main	
				G20/FSB recommendations; detailed risk	
				management guidelines on credit risk,	
				market risk, operational risk, counterparty	
				credit risk, liquidity risk (funding and	
				market), interest rate risk in the banking	
				book (yield curve risk, basis risk,	
				optionality risk), concentration risk,	
				country and transfer Risk (indirect	
				country risk, sovereign risk,	
				macroeconomic risk and contagion Risk)	
				have been issued. Moreover, the stress	
				testing framework is regulated more	
				explicitly and the BRSA has also issued	
				the supporting guidelines on stress testing	
				and ICAAP Report preparation.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				BRSA has published additional	
				guidelines on fair value calculations,	
				reputation risk and compensation	
				practices.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ buzenlemeler.aspx	



17 (18)	Enhanced risk disclosures by financial institutions	Financial institutions should provide enhanced risk disclosures in their	Jurisdictions should indicate the status of implementation of the disclosures	☐ Not applicable	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
		reporting and disclose all losses on an ongoing basis, consistent with international best practice, as appropriate. (Washington)  We encourage further efforts by the public and private sector to enhance financial institutions' disclosures of the risks they face, including the ongoing work of the Enhanced Disclosure Task Force. (St. Petersburg)	requirements of IFRSs (in particular IFRS 7 and 13) or equivalent. Jurisdictions may also use as reference the recommendations of the October 2012 report by the Enhanced Disclosure Task Force on Enhancing the Risk Disclosures of Banks and Implementation Progress Report by the EDTF (Dec 2015), and set out any steps they have taken to foster adoption of the EDTF Principles and Recommendations.	□ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment □ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since : 31.03.2016 (BRSA) □ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through : □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:  BRSA: Institutions under the supervision of the BRSA have to comply with TFRSs on disclosure requirements which are in line with IFRSs. BRSA has the authority	Web-links to relevant documents:



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				Treasury: The Undersecretariat of	
				Treasury monitors the information	
				disclosed by insurers in a timely	
				manner. Article 18 Paragraph 2 of	
				Insurance Law No. 5684 stipulates that	
				the Undersecretariat shall cause to be re-	
				announced such financial statementas	
				corrected if any untrue information is	
				discovered in the announced financial	
				statements announced by insurance and	
				reinsurance companies, taking into	
				account generally accepted accounting	
				rules and principles (01.06.2007).	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				BRSA has adopted the BCBS's new	
				pillar 3 disclosure requirements and they	
				are effective by 31/03/2016, earlier than	
				the agreed international deadline.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				BRSA Pillar III requirements http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/ Mevzuat/Bankacilik_Kanununa_Iliskin_ Duzenlemeler/15027risk_yonetimi_acikla malari_teblig_degisiklik_islenmis.pdf	



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VIII.	Strengthening deposit	insurance			
	<u> </u>		Jurisdictions should describe any revisions made to national deposit insurance system, including steps taken to address the following recommendations of the FSB's February 2012 thematic peer review report on deposit insurance systems:  • Adoption of an explicit deposit insurance system (for those jurisdictions that do not have one)  • Addressing the weaknesses and gaps to full implementation of the Core Principles for Effective Deposit Insurance Systems issued by IADI in November 2014.	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment ☑ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: ☑ Draft published as of: The proposal to establish "bridge bank" is at the Sub Committee of the Assembly, now □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since : □ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through : ☑ Primary / Secondary legislation ☑ Regulation /Guidelines	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  Web-links to relevant documents:
				☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:  Savings Deposit Insurance Fund (SDIF) The draft proposal has been submitted to the Assembly for approval on October	



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				2014.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				The draft proposal for "Bridge Bank" is	
				at the subcommittee of the Parliament	
				and not approved yet.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



committed and efficiency   efficient allocation of investments and savings in our economies and do not pose risks to financial stability. To this end, we commit to implement initial recommendations by IOSCO on market integrity and efficiency, including measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012. (Cannes)   high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012. (Cannes)   high frequency trading and dark pools do not exist in our national markets.   Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment   Implementation ongoing:   Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:   Draft in preparation, expected publication by:   Draft published as of:   Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:   Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:   Implementation completed as of:   Implementation completed as of:   Implementation completed as of:   Implementation completed as of:   Issue is being addressed through:   Is	Enhancing market integrity and efficiency integrity and efficients of investments and savings in our economies and do not pose risks to financial stability. To this end, we commit to implement initial recommendations by IOSCO on market integrity and efficiency, including measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012. (Cannes)    Vermust ensure that markets serve efficient allocation of investments and savings in our economies and do not pose risks to financial stability. To this end, we commit to implement initial recommendations by IOSCO on market integrity and efficiency, including measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012. (Cannes)    Jurisdictions should indicate whether high frequency trading and dark pools exist in their national markets.   Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the recommendations:   Jurisdictions should indicate whether high frequency trading and dark pools do not exist in our national markets.   Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment   Implementation ongoing:   Implementation ongoing:   Draft in preparation, expected publication by:   Draft published as of:   Draft published as of:   Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:   Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:   Implementation completed as of:   Implementation completed as of:	No	Description	G20/FSB Recommendations	Remarks	Progress to date	Next steps
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IOSCO Report on Regulatory issues raised by changes in market structure (Dec 2013).    Content of the content of the legislation	Web-links to relevant documents:			efficient allocation of investments and savings in our economies and do not pose risks to financial stability. To this end, we commit to implement initial recommendations by IOSCO on market integrity and efficiency, including measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012.	high frequency trading and dark pools exist in their national markets.  Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the recommendations:  • in relation to dark liquidity, as set out in the IOSCO Report on Principles for Dark Liquidity (May 2011).  • on the impact of technological change in the IOSCO Report on Regulatory Issues Raised by the Impact of Technological Changes on Market Integrity and Efficiency (Oct 2011).  • on market structure made in the IOSCO Report on Regulatory issues raised by changes in market	CMB: High frequency trading and dark pools do not exist in our national markets.  Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment  Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:  Draft in preparation, expected publication by:  Draft published as of:  Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:  Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:  Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through:  Primary / Secondary legislation  Regulation / Guidelines  Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:  Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline:  Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	



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No 20 (21)	Description  Regulation and supervision of commodity markets	G20/FSB Recommendations  We need to ensure enhanced market transparency, both on cash and financial commodity markets, including OTC, and achieve appropriate regulation and supervision of participants in these markets. Market regulators and authorities should be granted effective intervention powers to address disorderly markets and prevent market abuses. In particular, market regulators should have, and use formal position management powers, including the power to set exante position limits, particularly in the delivery month where appropriate, among other powers of intervention. We call on IOSCO to report on the implementation of its recommendations by the end of 2012. (Cannes)	Remarks  Jurisdictions should indicate whether commodity markets of any type exist in their national markets.  Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken to implement the principles found in IOSCO's report on Principles for the Regulation and Supervision of Commodity Derivatives Markets (Sep 2011).  Jurisdictions, in responding to this recommendation, may also make use of the responses contained in the update to the survey published by IOSCO in September 2014 on the principles for the regulation and supervision of commodity derivatives markets.	Progress to date  □ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment ☑ Implementation ongoing:  Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: the end of 2017 □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	Next steps  Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:  The project to design a new commodity market in the Borsa İstanbul is ongoing. The market rules are expected to take effect at the end of 2017.  Web-links to relevant documents:
		powers, including the power to set exante position limits, particularly in the delivery month where appropriate, among other powers of intervention. We call on IOSCO to report on the implementation of its recommendations by the end of	recommendation, may also make use of the responses contained in the <u>update to</u> the survey published by IOSCO in September 2014 on the principles for the regulation and supervision of commodity	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since : ☐ Implementation completed as of:  Issue is being addressed through : ☐ Primary / Secondary legislation ☐ Regulation / Guidelines ☐ Other actions (such as supervisory	



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				Enhanced market transparency and	
				marked abuse rules are applied to the	
				market. Additionally, the project to	
				design a new commodity market in the	
				Borsa İstanbul is ongoing.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



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21	Reform of financial	We support the establishment of the	Collection of information on this		
(22)	benchmarks	FSB's Official Sector Steering Group to	recommendation will continue to be		
(22)		coordinate work on the necessary reforms	deferred given the forthcoming FSB		
		of financial benchmarks. We endorse	progress report on implementation of		
		IOSCO's Principles for Financial	FSB recommendations in this area, and		
		Benchmarks and look forward to reform	ongoing IOSCO work to review the		
		as necessary of the benchmarks used	implementation of the IOSCO Principles		
		internationally in the banking industry	for Financial Benchmarks.		
		and financial markets, consistent with the			
		IOSCO Principles. (St. Petersburg)			





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				web-page has been introduced for	
				financial consumers with a simple and	
				updated content and the online complaint	
				acceptance mechanism has been	
				enhanced.	
				Treasury: According to Artcile 32 of the	
				insurance law (1)Insurance companies	
				and intermediaries shall not design their	
				brochures, explanatory notices, other	
				documents and their advertisements and	
				commercials in a way that results in an	
				understanding outside the limits and	
				scope of the rights and benefits which	
				they shall provide to the insured, and	
				shall not make statements that are unreal,	
				misleading, deceiving or that give rise to	
				unfair competition. Where violation of	
				this provision is ascertained the matter	
				shall be referred to the Advertising Board	
				that acts upon the Law on Protection of	
				Consumers. (2) Insurance companies,	
				reinsurance companies, intermediaries	
				and loss adjusters are obliged to refrain	
				from acts which may endanger the rights	
				and benefits of the insured, to act in	
				accordance with the legislation and	
				principles of the business plan, and to	
				behave in compliance with the	
				requirements of insurance and the rules of	
				goodwill. (3) Insurance companies shall	



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				not delay the payment of insurance	
				claims in violation of the rules of	
				goodwill. (4) The Undersecretariat is	
				authorized to take all the measures in	
				order to ensure that insurance companies,	
				reinsurance companies, intermediaries	
				and loss adjusters comply with the above	
				mentioned rules. (5) Rights of persons to	
				choose an insurance company shall not be	
				restricted. In contracts, where one of the	
				parties are obliged to buy insurance,	
				provisions requiring the conclusion of the	
				insurance contract with a certain	
				company shall be void." * According to	
				the article 30 of the Insurance Law; to	
				settle the disputes arising from the	
				insurance contract between the policy	
				holder or people benefiting from the	
				insurance contract on the one side and the	
				party undertaking the risk on the other	
				side, the Insurance Arbitration	
				Commission has been established. *	
				Regulation on Furnishing Information in	
				Insurance Contracts regulates the	
				principles and obligations of insurers to	
				ensure that persons who intend to enter	
				into a specific insurance relationship do	
				not confront any insufficient information.	
				* To solve insureds' complaints	
				effectively and on time, Insurance E-	



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				Application System has been established	
				within The Undersecretariat of Treasury	
				General Directorate of Insurance.	
				Ministry of Custom and Trade (GTB):	
				"In our country, there is no special	
				legislation focusing on financial	
				consumer protection. Special statutory	
				provisions about financial product and	
				services are incorporated into the Law on	
				Consumer Protection (Ministry of	
				Custom and Trade (GTB), Numbered	
				6502 and effective date 28.05.2014).	
				Besides the general issues about the	
				protection of consumers, Article 4 named	
				Core principles sets the conditions of	
				consumer contracts. Based on the same	
				article, Banking Regulation and	
				Supervision Agency, by taking the view	
				of our Ministery, put into force	
				"Regulation On Principles And	
				Procedures Related To Fees to Be Taken	
				From Financial Consumers" (effective	
				date 3.10.2014). Moreover, The Law	
				6502 aims to protect consumers by	
				involving bank and insurance contracts	
				under the framework of consumer issues.	
				At the second (Consumer Credit	
				Contracts) and third section (Housing	
				Finance) of the Law, contracts, pre-	
				contract notification liability, the right of	



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				withdrawal, interest rate, use of	
				cancellation rights, default, early	
				payment, issuing insurance and linked	
				credit agreements and other issues are	
				regulated. Other regulation which aimed	
				to protect financial consumer are	
				prepared based on Law 6502 are stated	
				below; 1-Regulation on Distance	
				Contracts For Financial Services (	
				effective date 01.05.2015) 2-Regulation	
				on Consumer Credit Agreements (	
				effective date 22.11.2015) 3-Regulation	
				on House Finance Agreements (effective	
				date 28.11.2015) 4-Regulation on	
				Arbitration Committees for Consumer	
				(effective 27.11.2014) 5-Regulation on	
				Unfair Terms in Consumer Agreements	
				(effective 17.06.2014) On the other hand,	
				supervisions on banking sector are	
				conducted under the Law 6502 by GTB.	
				Board of Advertisement that is a part of	
				GBT conducts supervision at the field of	
				advertisement. Besides that, under The	
				Law and the secondary regulations,	
				supervision has started about the 35 bank	
				by Ministry of Custom and Trade and	
				administrative fine was imposed to 4	
				bank. Arbitration Committees for	
				Consumer Problems are constituted as a	
				solution organ out of court in order to	



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				find solutions for disputes that may arise	
				in consumer transactions. Most of the	
				applications which are reaching to this	
				Committees composed of complaints	
				about banking sector and this rate has	
				increased in last 3 years. Arbitration	
				Committees for Consumer Problems have	
				599.210 (%72 of total) applications in	
				2013, 4.900.777 (%90 of total)	
				applications in 2014 and 2.879.627 (%93	
				of total) applications in 2015 about	
				banking sector. That Committees are	
				constituted scope of Law on Consumer	
				Protection and our Ministry organized	
				educational and informative activities	
				aimed to coordinate as guide particularly	
				to inform about legal legislation and	
				achieving unity, detecting problems and	
				find solutions. Besides this	
				developments, the context of "Consumer	
				Academy Project" prepared by Ministry,	
				a web site (http://tuketiciakademisi.gov.tr	
				) was set up. The aim of this project is to	
				increase consumer awareness, share	
				present information and accumulation.	
				Educational videos with this web site	
				aims to increase the of awareness level of	
				financial consumers' about their rights.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	



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				CBRT: The Law numbered 6698 on	
				Protection of Personal Data was	
				published in the Official Gazette on April	
				7, 2016. The Law mainly aims to protect	
				the right of privacy and core personnel	
				rights and freedoms during the processing	
				of personal data. Law also defines the	
				principles that real and legal person	
				dealing data processing should obey.	
				Data Processing is defined as any kind of	
				operation using personal data such as	
				collection, recording, storage,	
				preservation, revision, classification,	
				transmission and disclosure. According to	
				the Law data processing should be in line	
				with fairness and justice, data should be	
				processed for explicit and legitimate	
				purpose; data should be correct, adequate	
				and relevant. Data should be kept for the	
				time stipulated by the law. The Law also	
				defines the conditions for data processing	
				without consent and principals for	
				sensitive data processing like data on	
				race, ethnic origin, political opinions,	
				philosophical beliefs, religion etc. The	
				data controller must take all necessary	
				security measures in order to provide the	
				adequate level of safety for prevention of	



No	Description	G20/FSB Recommendations	Remarks	Progress to date	Next steps
				personnel data. Personal Data Protection	
				Authority is established to implement this	
				Law. The Authority is related with Prime	
				Minister Office, it has operational and	
				financial autonomy. Personal Data	
				Protection Board is decision organ of the	
				Authority.	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	
				http://www.bddk.org.tr/WebSitesi/turkce/Mevzuat/Finansal_Tuketicinin_Korunma sina_Iliskin_Duzenlemeler/13586finansal_tuketicilerden_alinacak_ucretlere_iliskin_usul_ve_esaslar_hakkinda_yonetmelik.pdf www.finansaltuketici.gov.tr/http://www.tuketici.gov.tr/?wslt=57A5C94A-2D72-428F-8B1E-DFACE5BD9FFChttp://tuketiciakademisi.gov.tr/http://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/main.aspx?home=http://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2016/04/20160407.htm&main=http://www.resmigazete.gov.tr/eskiler/2016/04/20160407.htm	



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#### XII. <u>List of Abbreviations used:</u>

CMB: Capital Markets Board of Turkey CBRT: Central Bank of the Republic of Turkey SDIF: Savings Deposit Insurance Fund BRSA: Banking Regulation and Supervision Authority Treasury: Republic of Turkey Prime Ministry Undersecretariat of Treasury POA: Public Oversight, Accounting and Auditing Standards Authority GTB: Ministiry of Custom and Trade