

## Foreign Exchange Market (July 2016)

In the reporting period, the exchange rate of the US dollar slightly increased from KGS 67.4860 to KGS 67.5773 per USD (+0.1 percent) compared to the previous month. At the same time, an increase in currency supply was due to an increase in the volumes of currency inflow to the country through the money transfer systems and the US dollars received from conversion operations carried out by the banks and due to the deposits placed on the accounts of other banks.

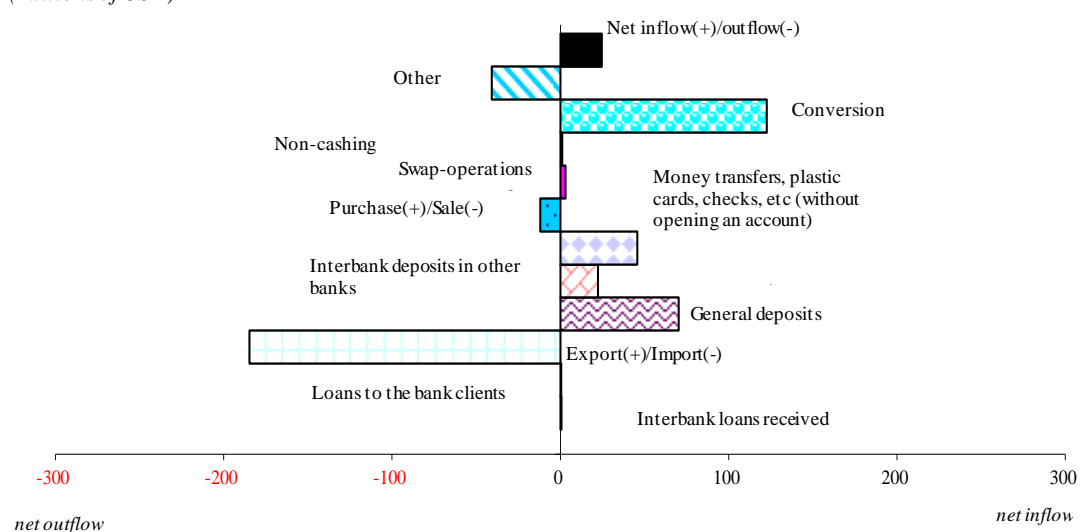
The total volume of transactions on the purchase and sale of foreign currency decreased as compared with the previous month by 5.8 percent, to KGS 34.7 billion. The reason was the significant decrease in the volume of cash transactions conducted by the commercial banks to KGS 16.4 billion (-8.0 percent) and decrease in business activity to KGS 12.6 billion (-10.3 percent) in the segment of cash transactions conducted by the exchange offices, on the other hand, an increase was observed in the segment of non-cash transactions by 14.7 percent, to KGS 5.7 billion.

The total turnover of interbank currency trading increased by 31.1 percent as compared to the previous month and amounted to USD 76.4 million. The reason was the interventions performed by the National Bank by selling foreign currency to the amount of USD 14.6 million. The volume of transactions conducted between the commercial banks increased by 14.5 percent, to USD 33.0 million.

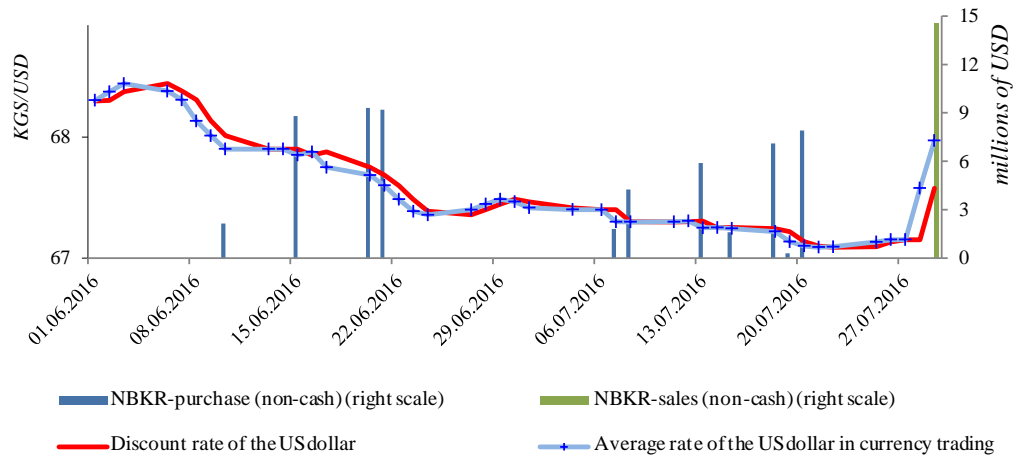
In the reporting period, the National Bank did not conduct SWAP operations with the commercial banks.

By types of currencies, there was a multidirectional trend. At the same time, the equity ratio of currency in the total volume of transactions was distributed as follows: the share of transactions in USD made 59.6 percent (+0.6 percentage points), the share of transactions in EUR – 2.5 percent (+0.7 percentage points), the share of transactions in RUB – 35.6 percent (-1.7 percentage points), in KZT – 2.2 percent (+0.5 percentage points).

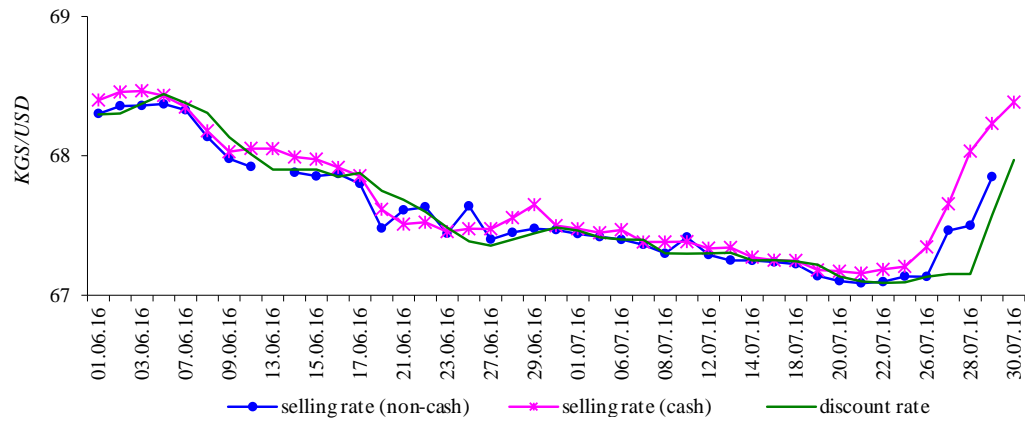
**Chart 1. Inflow (Outflow) of Non-Cash US Dollars in Commercial Banks**  
(millions of USD)



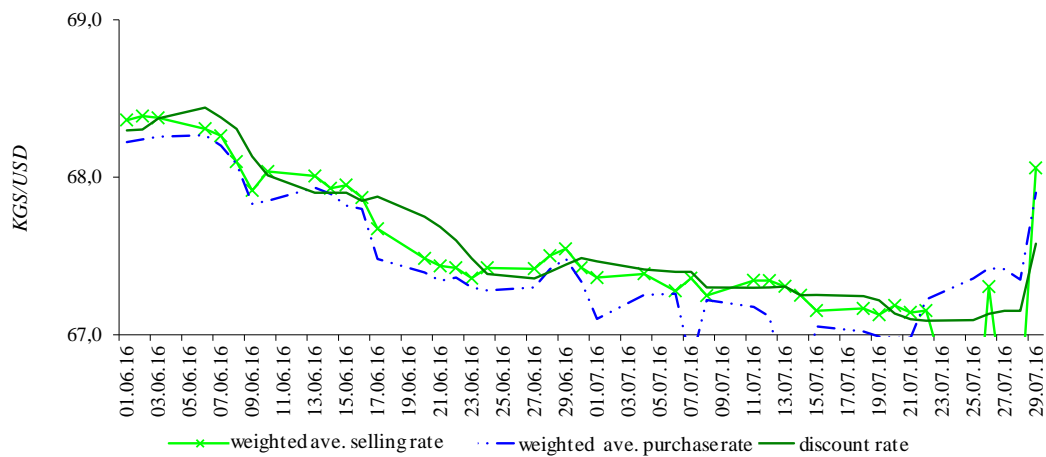
**Chart 2. Dynamics of the US Dollar in the Inter-Bank Foreign Exchange Markets**



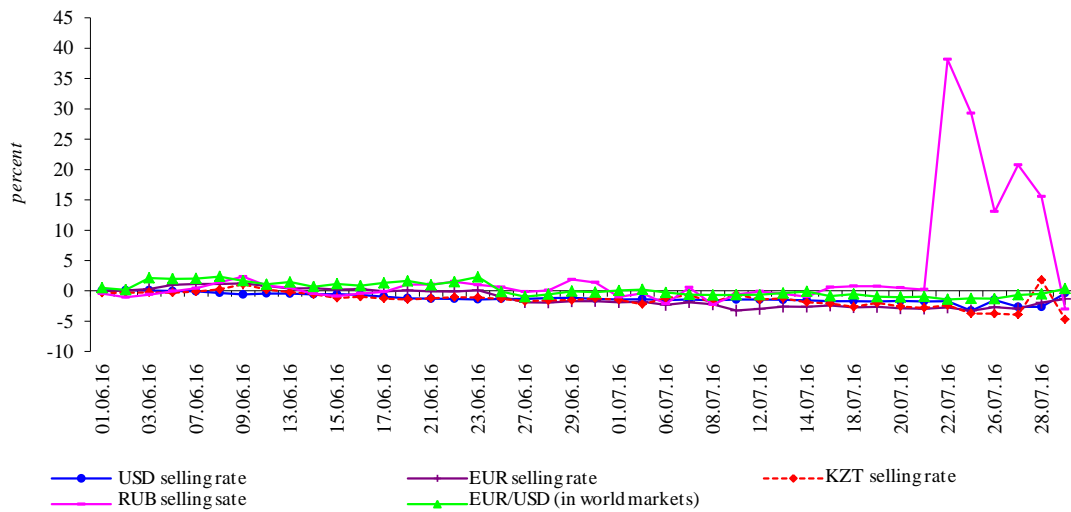
**Chart 3. Dynamics of Selling Rate of Non-Cash and Cash US Dollars in Commercial Banks**



**Chart 4. Dynamics of the US Dollars in Exchange Offices**



**Chart 5. Dynamics of Major Currency Rates in Exchange Offices, and the US Dollar Rates in World Markets**



**Table 1. Volume of Purchases and Sales of Foreign Exchange Transactions by Type (in KGS Equivalent)**

*millions of KGS*

Period		Total amount of transactions	Non-cash operations of commercial banks		Cash operations of commercial banks		Cash operations of exchange offices	
			Volume of operations	Share (%)	Volume of operations	Share (%)	Volume of operations	Share (%)
2015	07	41 634,9	5 519,9	13,3	21 948,0	52,7	14 167,0	34,0
	08	39 887,6	3 895,1	9,8	20 448,9	51,3	15 543,6	39,0
	09	40 207,2	8 320,9	20,7	20 069,4	49,9	11 816,9	29,4
	10	36 510,4	5 802,9	15,9	18 347,3	50,3	12 360,1	33,9
	11	40 143,6	10 092,7	25,1	18 153,4	45,2	11 897,5	29,6
	12	39 459,8	11 371,5	28,8	17 816,2	45,2	10 272,0	26,0
2016	01	28 883,0	9 561,2	33,1	12 989,0	45,0	6 332,7	21,9
	02	26 720,6	4 964,7	18,6	12 616,1	47,2	9 139,8	34,2
	03	32 735,6	8 112,3	24,8	14 513,1	44,3	10 110,3	30,9
	04	32 370,0	4 969,6	15,4	15 331,1	47,4	12 069,3	37,3
	05	27 596,3	2 419,6	8,8	15 191,9	55,1	9 984,7	36,2
	06	36 827,9	5 009,8	13,6	17 788,5	48,3	14 029,6	38,1
	07	34 708,9	5 748,0	16,6	16 374,1	47,2	12 586,9	36,3

**Table 2. Volume of Purchases and Sales of Foreign Currency by Currency (in KGS Equivalent)**
*millions of KGS*

Period		Total volume of operations										
		USD		EUR		RUB		KZT		Other		
		Volume	Share	Volume	Share	Volume	Share	Volume	Share	Volume	Share	
2015	07	41 634,9	25 794,8	62,0	918,3	2,2	10 912,2	26,2	4 001,0	9,6	8,7	0,0
	08	39 887,6	24 745,9	62,0	1 189,4	3,0	9 606,4	24,1	4 334,7	10,9	11,1	0,0
	09	40 207,2	27 132,2	67,5	881,3	2,2	10 603,2	26,4	1 579,8	3,9	10,8	0,0
	10	36 510,4	23 227,8	63,6	935,4	2,6	10 251,8	28,1	2 087,3	5,7	8,1	0,0
	11	40 143,6	26 486,8	66,0	1 800,3	4,5	10 904,1	27,2	943,7	2,4	8,8	0,0
	12	39 459,8	27 773,3	70,4	1 671,4	4,2	9 152,8	23,2	853,2	2,2	9,0	0,0
2016	01	28 883,0	21 810,2	75,5	1 118,8	3,9	5 575,1	19,3	372,2	1,3	6,7	0,0
	02	26 720,6	17 106,1	64,0	1 760,9	6,6	7 329,6	27,4	504,9	1,9	19,1	0,1
	03	32 735,6	21 311,8	65,1	1 562,5	4,8	9 218,0	28,2	636,7	1,9	6,7	0,0
	04	32 370,0	19 847,0	61,3	694,8	2,2	11 181,0	34,5	637,0	2,0	10,2	0,0
	05	27 596,3	16 058,9	58,2	590,7	2,1	10 351,6	37,5	584,7	2,1	10,4	0,0
	06	36 827,9	21 745,2	59,1	675,5	1,8	13 751,6	37,3	645,8	1,8	9,9	0,0
	07	34 708,9	20 702,2	59,6	863,5	2,5	12 356,2	35,6	773,9	2,2	13,1	0,0

**Table 3. Data on the Discount Rate of Foreign Currencies to KGS**

Period		Discount rate at end of month				Changing the discount rate for the month			
		USD	EUR	RUB	KZT	USD	EUR	RUB	KZT
2015	07	61,0213	66,9343	1,0344	0,3255	-1,7%	-3,0%	-7,5%	-2,4%
	08	65,0953	73,4991	0,9792	0,2739	6,7%	9,8%	-5,3%	-15,9%
	09	68,8359	77,2924	1,0392	0,2546	5,7%	5,2%	6,1%	-7,0%
	10	69,6980	76,7131	1,0827	0,2497	1,3%	-0,7%	4,2%	-1,9%
	11	75,9000	80,5792	1,1458	0,2471	8,9%	5,0%	5,8%	-1,0%
	12	75,8993	83,0073	1,0414	0,2236	0,0%	3,0%	-9,1%	-9,5%
2016	01	75,8826	82,6665	1,0094	0,2078	0,0%	-0,4%	-3,1%	-7,1%
	02	74,2525	81,8337	0,9888	0,2123	-2,1%	-1,0%	-2,0%	2,2%
	03	70,0158	79,2439	1,0356	0,2037	-5,7%	-3,2%	4,7%	-4,1%
	04	68,4200	77,8483	1,0635	0,2086	-2,3%	-1,8%	2,7%	2,4%
	05	68,2986	76,0471	1,0335	0,2027	-0,2%	-2,3%	-2,8%	-2,8%
	06	67,4860	74,6530	1,0502	0,1992	-1,2%	-1,8%	1,6%	-1,7%
	07	67,9699	75,4364	1,0137	0,1930	0,7%	1,0%	-3,5%	-3,1%

**Table 4. Data on the Exchange Rate of KGS in the Exchange Offices**

Period		Average margin for the month				Average daily deviation of the currency selling rate				Changing the currency selling rate for the month			
		USD	EUR	RUB	KZT	USD	EUR	RUB	KZT	USD	EUR	RUB	KZT
2015	07	0,2%	0,6%	0,4%	0,5%	0,1%	0,3%	0,6%	0,2%	-1,2%	-2,8%	-8,5%	-2,0%
	08	0,3%	0,7%	0,4%	1,0%	0,6%	0,3%	0,5%	0,7%	4,7%	7,2%	-5,5%	-17,5%
	09	0,3%	0,8%	0,4%	1,4%	0,4%	0,5%	0,6%	1,0%	6,9%	7,0%	8,1%	-5,7%
	10	0,2%	0,6%	0,4%	0,7%	0,1%	0,2%	0,8%	0,3%	1,5%	-0,4%	12,5%	-7,7%
	11	0,3%	0,5%	0,3%	1,2%	0,3%	0,3%	0,5%	0,8%	8,4%	4,6%	4,3%	-0,7%
	12	0,3%	0,5%	0,5%	1,4%	0,0%	0,1%	0,3%	0,8%	0,5%	3,2%	-8,5%	-9,1%
2016	01	0,3%	0,6%	0,6%	1,9%	0,0%	0,1%	0,8%	0,7%	-0,3%	-0,3%	-3,7%	-7,2%
	02	0,3%	0,6%	0,6%	1,3%	0,3%	0,4%	0,6%	0,4%	-3,0%	-2,2%	-2,6%	2,1%
	03	0,2%	0,6%	0,5%	1,1%	0,2%	0,2%	0,4%	0,4%	-6,2%	-3,0%	4,7%	-3,2%
	04	0,3%	0,6%	0,6%	1,0%	0,3%	0,3%	0,6%	0,3%	-0,8%	-0,3%	2,2%	3,2%
	05	0,2%	0,6%	0,5%	1,1%	0,1%	0,1%	0,5%	0,3%	-0,2%	-2,5%	-0,5%	-3,8%
	06	0,1%	0,6%	0,4%	0,9%	0,1%	0,1%	0,5%	0,2%	-1,3%	-1,7%	1,4%	-1,2%
	07	0,0%	1,1%	1,4%	1,4%	0,1%	0,3%	1,4%	1,4%	0,9%	0,4%	-1,7%	-3,5%