**MNB identification code: BSI**

**Completion instructions**

**Bank Sentiment Survey**

**I. General instructions**

1. Tables 02 to 06 of the data service shall be submitted only in the second and fourth quarters.
2. The questions in the data service relate retrospectively to the 6 months preceding the last day of the data service reference period (e.g., in the case of the first-quarter data service, to the period between 1 October in the year preceding the reference year and 31 March in the reference year) and prospectively to the 6 months following the last day of the data service reference period (e.g., in the case of the first-quarter data service, to the period between 31 March in the reference year and 30 September in the reference year).
3. The usual seasonal impacts shall be disregarded when answering the questions, and only the changes observed or expected in addition to those shall be reported.
4. When the ‘Other, namely’ answer is selected, a field is activated and may be used for entering a text-format explanation of the ‘other’ answer.
5. Responses requiring textual explanation are limited to 1024 characters in length.
6. In the data service, a FinTech corporation means any company that provides innovative solutions as defined in Section 1 (1) of MNB Decree no. 47/2018. (XII. 17.) on the Rules of compliance with obligations stipulated in certain MNB Decrees.
7. The codes necessary for completing the data service are provided in the technical guidelines referred to in Section 4.11 of Annex 3 and available on the MNB’s official website.