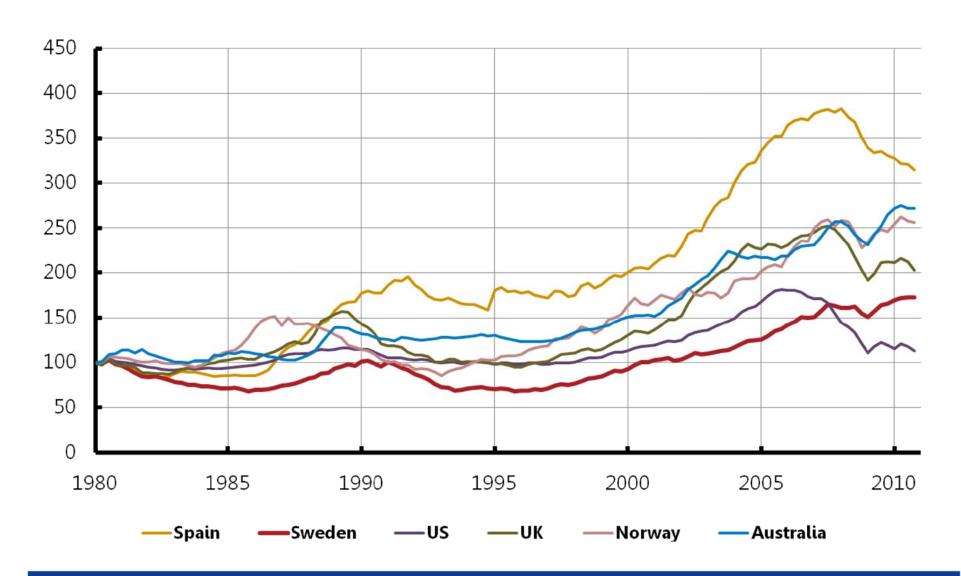


The Swedish Housing Market



Index, 1980 q1 = 100

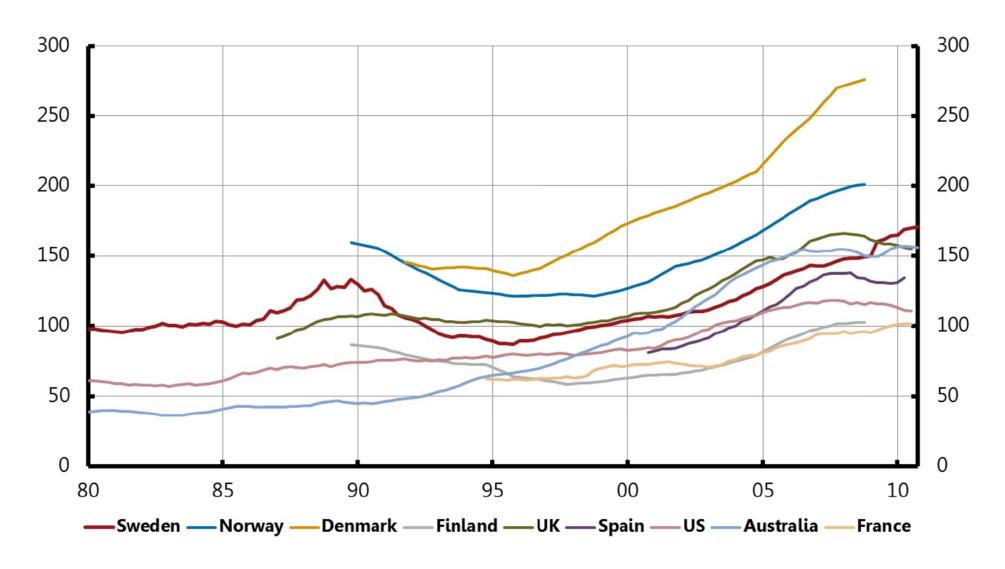






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Per cent

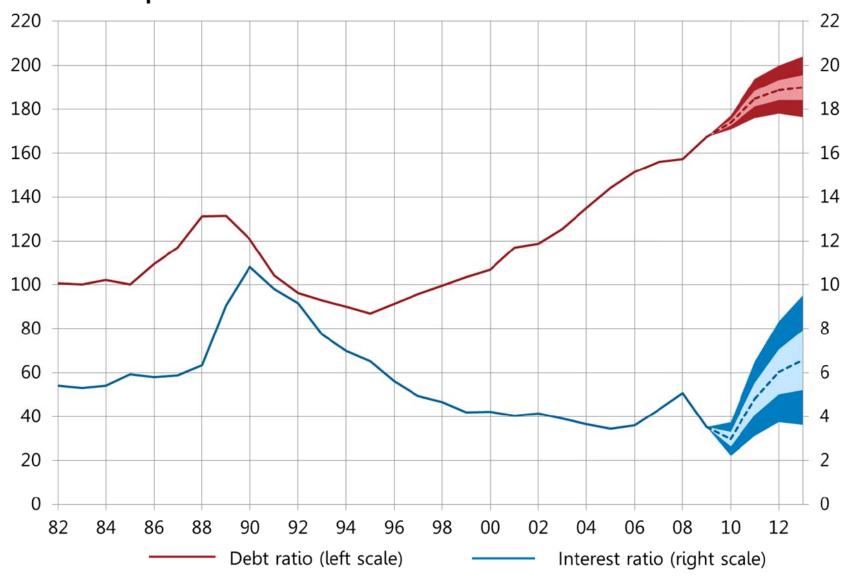


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Household indebtedness and interest expenditures



Per cent of disposable income



Scenarios for household income and expenses



Scenario 1 (Higher expenses due to a rise in interest rates) Interest on household debts: 2.5-12.5 per cent.

Scenario 2 (Lower income as in a loss of income and an interest rate of 7.5 per cent) Fall in income of 6-18 per cent

Scenario 3 (Lower income as in unemployment and an interest rate of 7.5 per cent) Fall in income, if 5-20 per cent of households are made unemployed

The proportion of households with a negative margin and the credit losses for the banks



Scenario 1 (different interest rate levels) Interest rate (%) Proportion of households with a negative margin (%) Credit losses (%) Credit losses (billion)	2.50 4 0.05 1.0	7.50 20 0.23 4.6	9.50 30 0.34 6.8	12.50 45 0.51 10.1
Scenario 2 (fall in income)				
Fall in income (%)	0	6	12	18
Proportion of households with a negative margin (%)	20	27	35	44
Credit losses (%)	0.23	0.30	0.40	0.50
Credit losses (billion)	4.6	6.1	8.0	10.0
Scenario 3 (unemployment)				
Unemployment (%)	0	5	10	20
Proportion of households with a negative margin (%)	20	22	24	29
Credit losses (%)	0.23	0.25	0.28	0.32
Credit losses (billion)	4.6	5.1	5.5	6.5

Source: The Riksbank's inquiry into the risks in the Swedish housing market

Credit losses with a non-linear connection between the proportion of negative margins and credit losses

credit losses				SVERIGES RIKSBANK
Scenario 1 (different interest rate levels)				
Interest rate (%)	2.50	7.50	9.50	12.50
Credit losses (%)	0.05	0.46	0.90	1.90
Credit losses (billion)	1.0	9.2	18.0	38.0
Scenario 2 (fall in income)				
Fall in income (%)	0	6	12	18
Credit losses (%)	0.46	0.63	0.94	1.34
Credit losses (billion)	9.2	12.6	18.9	26.7
Scenario 3 (unemployment)	4.6	6.1	8.0	10.0
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Unemployment (%)	0	5	10	20
Credit losses (%)	0.46	0.56	0.67	0.87
Credit losses (billion)	9.2	11.2	13.5	17.3

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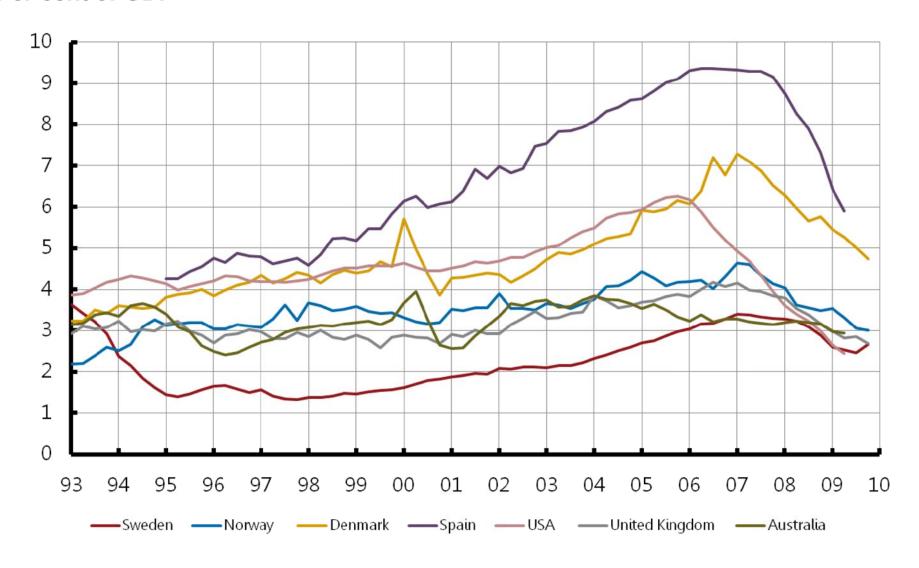






Housing investments

Per cent of GDP

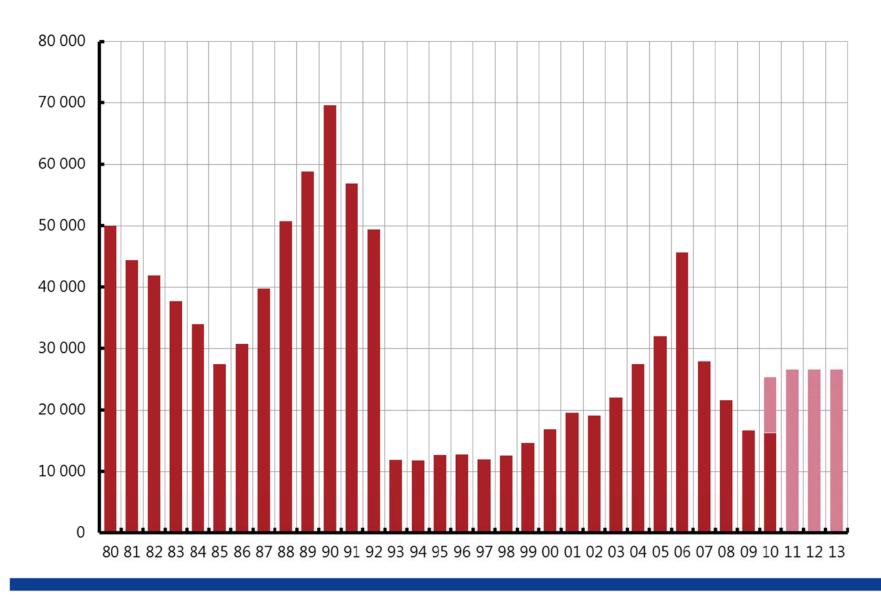


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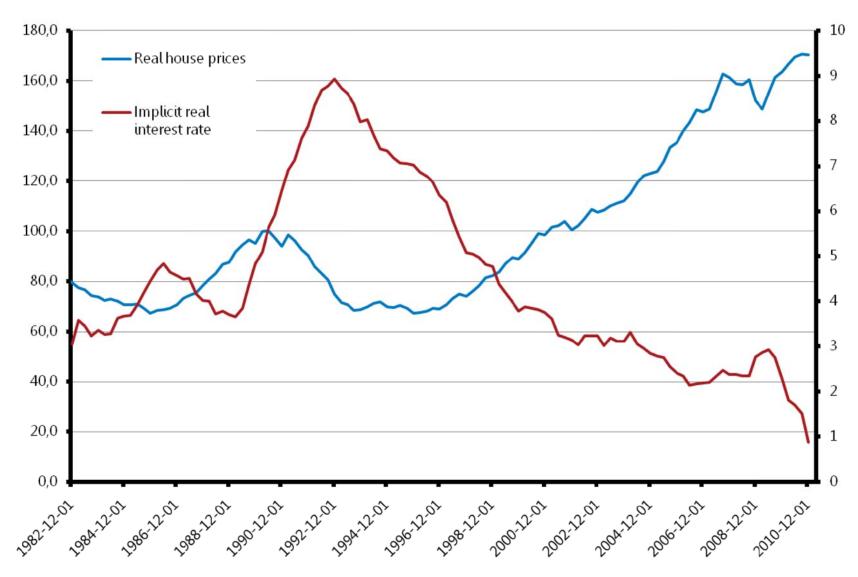
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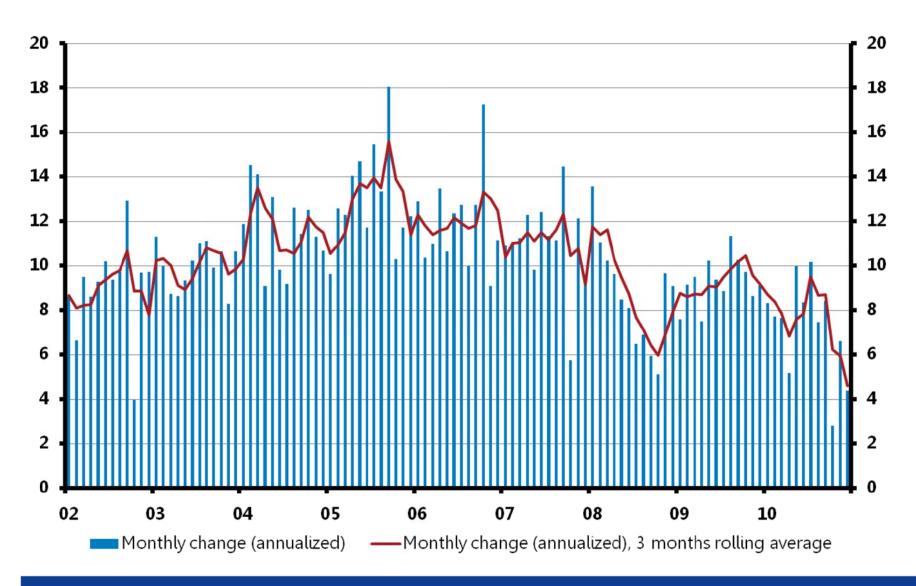
Real house price and the implicit real interest rate





Households' total borrowing from credit institutions Monthly change, annualized











What has been done?

- Measures
 - The Riksbank's interest rate hikes
 - Future interest rate hikes
 - FSA loan ceiling
 - Bankers' Association mortgage requirements
 - Attention to risks, increased public awareness
 - Continued vigilance and further preparations



Summary

- House prices in line with fundamentals
- Continued slow down of indebtness and house price increases

Continued low credit risk in the household sector

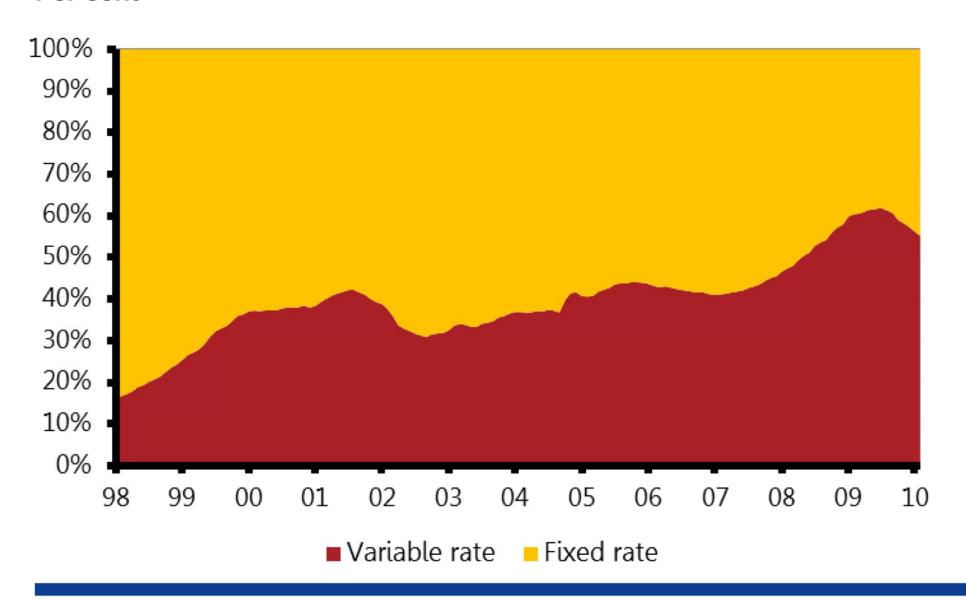


Extras

Break down of households' new mortgage loans by fixed interest period







Source: The Riksbank