

For May 2016 the volume of remittances transferred via international money transfer systems (hereinafter - IMTS) was 194.5 thousand transactions in the amount of 30 212.3 mln. KZT.

Kazakhstan's commercial banks and JSC «Kazpost» provide to the customers remittances services through IMTS such as the Golden Crown, Blitz, Faster, Western Union, Unistream, Contact, Universal Postal Union System, MoneyGram and others.

IMTS are used by the Kazakhstan's population as for transfers within the country and for sending /receiving money transfers abroad / from abroad.

The share of remittances carried out on the territory of Kazakhstan in May 2016 is 9.7% of the total number of transfers sent through IMTS and 5.4% of the total volume of remittances sent through IMTS. The share of remittances sent abroad is 90.3% and 94.6%, respectively.

## CROSS-BORDER REMITTANCES

### **REMITTANCES SENT ABROAD**

For May 2016 via IMTS were transferred abroad 175.6 thousands transactions in the amount of 28 587.3 mln. KZT.

#### ***By IMTS***

IMTS	Number of transactions (in thousands)	Share of the total number of transactions, %	Volume (mln. KZT)	Share of volume, %
Golden Crown	78,0	44,4%	10 703,9	37,4%
Western Union	20,8	11,9%	6 459,7	22,6%
Contact	14,6	8,3%	4 037,3	14,1%
Blitz	22,5	12,8%	2 272,7	8,0%
Unistream	10,8	6,1%	1 986,9	7,0%
Faster	19,9	11,4%	1 871,3	6,5%
Universal Postal Union System	5,9	3,4%	293,0	1,0%
MoneyGram	2,4	1,4%	620,9	2,2%
Leader	0,4	0,2%	254,4	0,9%
InterBanking	0,09	0,05%	86,2	0,3%
Anelik	0,01	0,004%	1,0	0,003%
International Postal transfers	0,003	0,002%	0,1	0,0004%
<b>Total</b>	<b>175,6</b>	<b>100,0%</b>	<b>28 587,3</b>	<b>100,0%</b>

#### ***By countries***

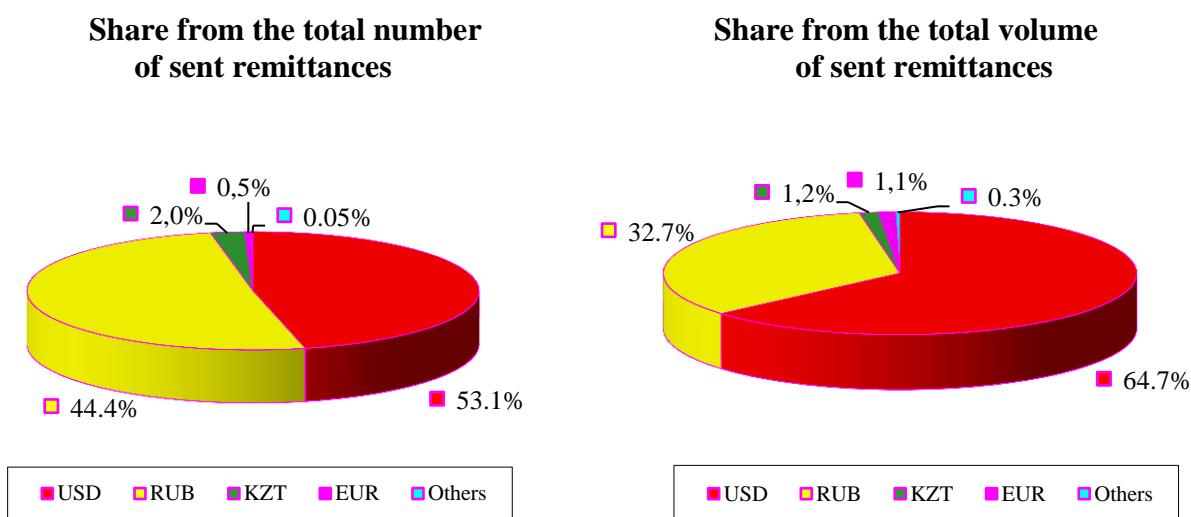
Country	Number of transactions (in thousands)	Share of the total number of transactions, %	Volume (mln. KZT)	Share of volume, %
Russia	87,4	49,8%	12 145,7	42,5%
Uzbekistan	35,6	20,3%	5 149,3	18,0%
Kyrgyzstan	11,1	6,3%	1 424,8	5,0%
Ukraine	4,5	2,6%	739,9	2,6%
Tajikistan	5,5	3,1%	516,2	1,8%
Turkey	3,8	2,1%	1 363,2	4,8%
China	2,7	1,6%	2 194,8	7,7%
Azerbaijan	2,8	1,6%	568,0	2,0%

Georgia	1,2	0,7%	205,2	0,7%
Belarus	1,1	0,6%	183,7	0,6%
Others	19,8	11,3%	4 096,5	14,3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>175,6</b>	<b>100,0%</b>	<b>28 587,3</b>	<b>100,0%</b>

### ***By currencies***

The main share of remittances were sent in Russian rubles and amounted to 44.4% of total number of remittances. The volume of transfers sent in Russian rubles amounted to 32.7% of the total volume, due to the fact that about half of all remittances sent through IMTS were sent from Kazakhstan to the Russian Federation (49.8% of the total number of transactions and 42.5% of the total volume of remittances sent abroad).

Share of remittances sent in US dollars through IMTS amounted to 53.1% of the transactions number and 64.7% of the remittances volume in whole.



### **RECEIVED REMITTANCES (FROM ABROAD)**

In May 2016 to Kazakhstan from abroad via IMTS were transferred 102.8 thousands transaction in the amount of 21 570.8 mln. KZT.

### ***By IMTS***

IMTS	Number of transactions (in thousands)	Share of the total number of transactions, %	Volume (mln. KZT)	Share of volume, %
Golden Crown	36,9	35,9%	10 607,5	49,2%
Western Union	23,9	23,2%	4 116,7	19,1%
Contact	3,7	3,6%	729,7	3,4%
Blitz	10,6	10,3%	1 219,5	5,7%
Unistream	5,7	5,6%	2 243,0	10,4%
Faster	8,4	8,1%	1 396,6	6,5%
Universal Postal Union System	8,1	7,9%	243,3	1,1%
MoneyGram	4,9	4,8%	859,8	4,0%
Leader	0,6	0,6%	138,1	0,6%
Anelik	0,001	0,4%	13,9	28,9%
Blizko	0,02	0,02%	2,1	0,01%

International Postal transfers	0,008	0,01%	0,6	0,003%
<b>Общий итог</b>	<b>102,8</b>	<b>100,0%</b>	<b>21 570,8</b>	<b>100,0%</b>

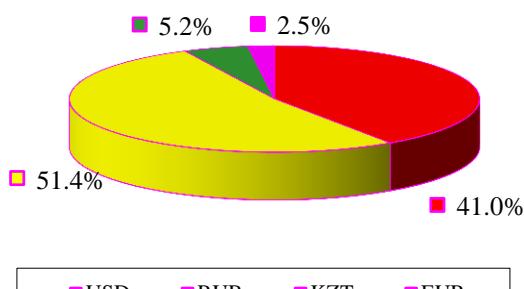
### *By countries*

Country	Number of transactions (in thousands)	Share of the total number of transactions, %	Volume (mln. KZT)	Share of volume, %
Russia	59,6	57,9%	11 745,5	54,5%
Germany	7,1	6,9%	697,8	3,2%
US	4,5	4,4%	685,9	3,2%
Kyrgyzstan	2,8	2,7%	1 660,0	7,7%
Uzbekistan	2,8	2,8%	1 081,8	5,0%
Turkey	2,6	2,5%	423,3	2,0%
Korea	2,3	2,2%	771,0	3,6%
Ukraine	1,4	1,3%	151,2	0,7%
Arab Emirates	1,3	1,3%	289,7	1,3%
Tajikistan	1,1	1,1%	233,8	1,1%
Others	17,3	16,8%	3 830,6	17,8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>102,8</b>	<b>100,0%</b>	<b>21 570,8</b>	<b>100,0%</b>

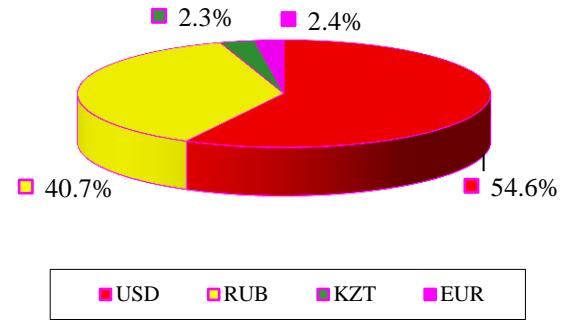
### *By currencies*

Main shares of received remittances carried out through IMTS were transferred in Russian rubles (51.4% of total number of remittances and 40.7% of the total volume) and US dollars 41.0% and 54.6%, respectively.

**Share from the total number of received remittances**



**Share from the total volume of received remittances**



### REMITTANCES WITHIN KAZAKHSTAN

Within Kazakhstan during May 2016 through IMTS were transferred 18.9 thousands transactions in the amount of 1 625.0 mln. KZT.

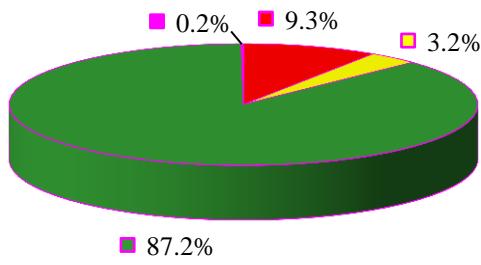
### *By IMTS*

IMTS	Number of transactions (in thousands)	Share of the total number of transactions, %	Volume (mln. KZT)	Share of volume, %
Faster	7,8	41,5%	559,5	34,4%
Postal remittances	6,8	36,1%	103,3	6,4%
Golden Crown	1,2	6,3%	195,4	12,0%
Western Union	1,6	8,4%	423,4	26,1%
Contact	0,2	1,1%	114,0	7,0%

Blitz	1,0	5,0%	111,3	6,8%
Quick money remittances without opening an account	0,3	1,4%	47,9	2,9%
Unistream	0,03	0,2%	14,8	0,9%
Leader	0,02	0,1%	55,3	3,4%
MoneyGram	0,001	0,01%	0,04	0,002%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,9</b>	<b>100,0%</b>	<b>1 625,0</b>	<b>100,0%</b>

*By currencies*

**Share from the total number of sent remittances**



**Share from the total volume of sent remittances**

