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Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 22 October 2021

In the week ending 22 October 2021 the net position of the Eurosystem in foreign currency (asset items 2 and 3 minus liability items 7, 8 and 9) increased by EUR 0.6 billion to EUR 320.6 billion.

As a result of the Eurosystem's open market operations and standing facilities, net lending to credit institutions (asset item 5 minus liability items 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5 and 4) rose by EUR 7.4 billion to EUR 1,438.8 billion, mainly owing to the change in the level of the **deposit facility** (liability item 2.2).

Base money (liability items 1, 2.1 and 2.2) increased by EUR 12 billion to EUR 6,082.6 billion.

The table below provides the detailed breakdown of **securities held for monetary policy purposes** (asset item 7.1) into the different portfolios. All portfolios are accounted for at amortised cost.

Monetary policy securities portfolios	Reported value as at 22 October 2021	Weekly change – purchases	Weekly change – redemptions
Covered bond purchase programme 1	EUR 0.4 billion	-	-
Securities Markets Programme	EUR 6.5 billion	-	-
Covered bond purchase programme 2	EUR 2.4 billion	-	-
Covered bond purchase programme 3	EUR 297.5 billion	+EUR 1.1 billion	-EUR 0.8 billion
Asset-backed securities purchase programme	EUR 26.6 billion	+EUR 0.6 billion	-EUR 0.3 billion
Public sector purchase programme	EUR 2,466.4 billion	+EUR 7.8 billion	-EUR 0.6 billion
Corporate sector purchase programme	EUR 301.6 billion	+EUR 1.9 billion	-EUR 0.1 billion
Pandemic emergency purchase programme	EUR 1,459.3 billion	+EUR 18.9 billion	-EUR 0.3 billion

The content and format of the weekly financial statement are set out in Annexes IV to VI of Guideline (EU) 2016/2249 of the European Central Bank of 3 November 2016 on the legal framework for accounting and financial reporting in the European System of Central Banks ([ECB/2016/34](#)).

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(in EUR millions)

Assets	Balance as at 22 October 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions	Liabilities	Balance as at 22 October 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Gold and gold receivables	517 802	0	1 Banknotes in circulation	1 509 888	938
2 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	489 650	959	2 Liabilities to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	4 575 089	11 072
2.1 Receivables from the IMF	214 010	393	2.1 Current accounts (covering the minimum reserve system)	3 805 163	18 638
2.2 Balances with banks and security investments, external loans and other external assets	275 640	566	2.2 Deposit facility	767 575	-7 539
3 Claims on euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	24 340	53	2.3 Fixed-term deposits	0	0
4 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in euro	10 896	157	2.4 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0
4.1 Balances with banks, security investments and loans	10 896	157	2.5 Deposits related to margin calls	2 350	-27
4.2 Claims arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0	3 Other liabilities to euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	26 330	-696
5 Lending to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	2 208 707	-133	4 Debt certificates issued	0	0
5.1 Main refinancing operations	63	-130	5 Liabilities to other euro area residents denominated in euro	799 828	6 312
5.2 Longer-term refinancing operations	2 208 644	0	5.1 General government	679 268	8 323
5.3 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0	5.2 Other liabilities	120 560	-2 011
5.4 Structural reverse operations	0	0	6 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in euro	331 725	13 059
5.5 Marginal lending facility	0	-3	7 Liabilities to euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	12 388	91
5.6 Credits related to margin calls	0	0	8 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	4 850	313
6 Other claims on euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	30 244	-719	8.1 Deposits, balances and other liabilities	4 850	313
7 Securities of euro area residents denominated in euro	4 743 047	28 696	8.2 Liabilities arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0
7.1 Securities held for monetary policy purposes	4 560 739	28 166	9 Counterpart of special drawing rights allocated by the IMF	176 130	0
7.2 Other securities	182 308	530	10 Other liabilities	316 689	477
8 General government debt denominated in euro	22 153	0	11 Revaluation accounts	506 008	0
9 Other assets	321 440	2 552	12 Capital and reserves	109 352	0
Total assets	8 368 278	31 565	Total liabilities	8 368 278	31 565

Totals / sub-totals may not add up, due to rounding.