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## Euro area financial vehicle corporation statistics: second quarter of 2015

- In the second quarter of 2015 the outstanding amount of debt securities issued by euro area financial vehicle corporations (FVCs) engaged in securitisation decreased to €1,410 billion, from €1,432 billion at the end of the previous quarter.
- Net redemptions of debt securities by FVCs during the second quarter of 2015 amounted to €15 billion.
- Over the same period net disposals of securitised loans held by FVCs amounted to €19 billion.

Chart 1: Transactions in assets of euro area FVCs  
(quarterly transactions in EUR billions; not seasonally adjusted)

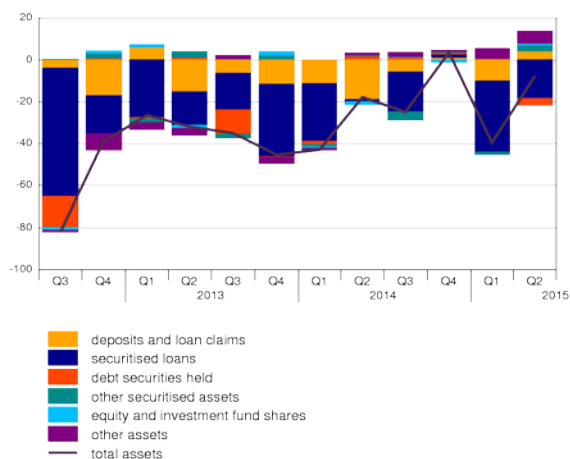
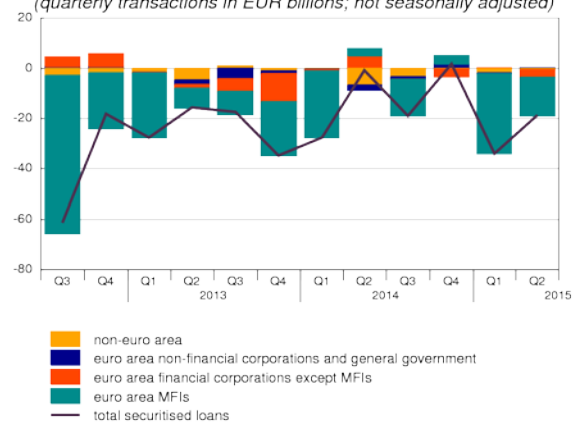


Chart 2: Transactions in loans securitised by FVCs  
by originator  
(quarterly transactions in EUR billions; not seasonally adjusted)



The outstanding amount of **debt securities issued** by euro area FVCs was €1,410 billion at the end of the second quarter of 2015, €22 billion lower than at the end of the previous quarter. Over the same period, transactions amounted to a net redemption of €15 billion. The annual growth rate of debt securities issued, decreased to -5.1% in the second quarter of 2015, from -4.4% in the previous quarter.

Euro area FVCs' holdings of **securitised loans** – accounting for most of the assets backing the debt securities issued – decreased to €1,189 billion at the end of the second quarter of 2015, from €1,207 billion at the end of the previous quarter, mainly accounted for by net disposals of €19 billion. Net disposals of securitised loans **originated by euro area monetary financial institutions (MFIs)** amounted to €15 billion.

Turning to the borrowing sector of securitised loans, loans to euro area households stood at €786 billion at the end of the second quarter of 2015, with a net disposal of €18 billion during the second quarter of 2015 while loans to euro area non-financial corporations amounted to €244 billion, with negligible net transactions.

Among the other assets of euro area FVCs, **deposits and loan claims** amounted to €233 billion at the end of the second quarter of 2015, predominantly claims on euro area MFIs (€147 billion). There was a net acquisition of deposits and loan claims during the quarter of €5 billion. **Holdings of debt securities** amounted to €171 billion at the end of the second quarter 2015, while net disposals amounted to €3 billion. **Other securitised assets** held by FVCs – including for example trade, tax and other receivables – amounted to €100 billion, with net acquisitions of €3 billion during the quarter.

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**Notes:**

- With this release, FVC balance sheet statistics are enhanced with new breakdowns which have become available under Regulation ECB/2013/40 of 18 October 2013 concerning statistics on the assets and liabilities of financial vehicle corporations engaged in securitisation transactions.
- As of August 2015, the layout and the information provided in this press release have been updated. Feedback and suggestions for further improvements are welcome.
- The latest data on FVCs and on the securitisation transactions of MFIs can be downloaded from the ECB's Statistical Data Warehouse: [Financial Vehicle Corporations](#) and [MFI balance sheets](#). More details are available in the "Statistics" section of the ECB's website under [Euro area financial vehicle corporations](#).

**Table 1. Assets and liabilities of euro area financial vehicle corporations**

(EUR billions and annual percentage changes, not seasonally adjusted; outstanding amounts at end of period; transactions during the period)

	AMOUNT OUTSTANDING	TRANSACTIONS			ANNUAL GROWTH RATE <sup>1)</sup>		
	Q2 2015	Q4 2014	Q1 2015	Q2 2015	Q4 2014	Q1 2015	Q2 2015
<b>Assets</b>							
Deposits and loan claims	233	1	-10	5	-13.3	-13.1	-4.2
Securitised loans	1,189	2	-34	-19	-3.6	-4.2	-5.6
By borrowing sector							
To euro area households	786	-4	-21	-18	-	-	-
To euro area non-financial corporations	244	3	-9	0	-	-	-
To other euro area residents	69	-4	-4	0	-	-	-
To non-euro area residents	89	7	0	0	-	-	-
By originator							
Originated by euro area MFIs	922	3	-32	-15	-3.4	-4.1	-6.0
Remaining on the MFI balance sheets <sup>2)</sup>	409	-	-	-	-	-	-
Originated by euro area general government	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
Originated by euro area financial corporations other than MFIs	153	-3	0	-3	0.9	1.1	-3.8
Originated by euro area non-financial corporations	20	2	0	0	-6.8	-6.7	3.0
Originated by non-euro area residents	92	0	-2	-1	-10.5	-12.0	-6.4
Debt securities held	171	0	1	-3	1.5	2.7	-0.3
Other securitised assets	100	1	-1	3	-4.0	-3.4	-1.3
Equity and investment fund shares/units	48	-1	0	1	-4.9	-3.7	1.3
Other assets	65	0	4	6	2.8	11.8	20.2
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Loans and deposits received	117	-4	-4	-2	-15.1	-15.1	-7.2
Debt securities issued	1,410	10	-45	-15	-4.2	-4.4	-5.1
Up to 1 year	66	2	-3	0	-20.0	-15.1	-6.1
Over 1 year and up to 2 years	14	1	-1	0	79.3	54.9	0.2
Over 2 years	1,330	7	-40	-14	-3.8	-4.1	-5.1
Capital and reserves	28	-6	3	1	-21.6	-13.7	-7.3
Other liabilities	250	2	6	8	3.5	4.1	6.9
<b>Total</b>	1,805	3	-40	-8	-4.3	-4.2	-3.7

Source: ECB.

1) Annual growth rates are calculated on the basis of transactions, i.e. transactions are divided by the outstanding amount at the beginning of the period they refer to, and the annual growth rate is calculated based on the stock index obtained, starting from 100 in the base period.

2) Refers to loans (to non-MFIs) securitised through euro area FVCs which still remain on the MFI balance sheet, i.e. have not been derecognised. Derecognition of loans from the balance sheet of the MFI depends on the application of the relevant accounting rules.