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Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 12 February 2021

In the week ending 12 February 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 0.1 billion to EUR 298.3 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) decreased by EUR 97.6 billion to EUR 1,169.2 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) rose by EUR 6.7 billion to EUR 5,171.6 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 12 February 2021	Weekly change – purchases	Weekly change – redemptions	
Covered bond purchase programme 1	EUR 0.5 billion	-	-	
Securities Markets Programme	EUR 28.7 billion	-	-	
Covered bond purchase programme 2	EUR 2.6 billion	-	-	
Covered bond purchase programme 3	EUR 289.0 billion	+EUR 0.9 billion	-EUR 0.6 billion	
Asset-backed securities purchase programme	EUR 28.9 billion	+EUR 0.0 billion	-EUR 0.0 billion	
Public sector purchase programme	EUR 2,363.6 billion	+EUR 6.4 billion	-EUR 0.5 billion	
Corporate sector purchase programme	EUR 258.6 billion	+EUR 1.7 billion	-	
Pandemic emergency purchase programme	EUR 837.4 billion	+EUR 19.6 billion	-EUR 2.5 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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Assets	Balance as at 12 February 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions	Liabilities	Balance as at 12 February 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Gold and gold receivables	536.544	0	1 Banknotes in circulation	1.431.580	2.073
2 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	339.663	-229	2 Liabilities to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	3.740.027	4.591
2.1 Receivables from the IMF	85.220	-1	2.1 Current accounts (covering the minimum reserve system)	3.116.321	-93.274
2.2 Balances with banks and security investments, external loans and other external assets	254.443	-228	2.2 Deposit facility	623.706	97.865
3 Claims on euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	25.785	402	2.3 Fixed-term deposits	0	C
4 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in euro	11.477	589	2.4 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	C
4.1 Balances with banks, security investments and loans	11.477	589	2.5 Deposits related to margin calls	0	C
4.2 Claims arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0	3 Other liabilities to euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	11.179	-381
5 Lending to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	1.792.915	270	4 Debt certificates issued	0	o
5.1 Main refinancing operations	427	270	5 Liabilities to other euro area residents denominated in euro	685.502	31.577
5.2 Longer-term refinancing operations	1.792.488	0	5.1 General government	600.350	33.732
5.3 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0	5.2 Other liabilities	85.152	-2.154
5.4 Structural reverse operations	0	0	6 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in euro	222.113	-11.654
5.5 Marginal lending facility	0	0	7 Liabilities to euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	8.620	350
5.6 Credits related to margin calls	0	0	8 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	3.746	-261
6 Other claims on euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	45.498	7.635	8.1 Deposits, balances and other liabilities	3.746	-261
7 Securities of euro area residents denominated in euro	4.004.639	25.185	8.2 Liabilities arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	C
7.1 Securities held for monetary policy purposes	3.809.129	25.022	9 Counterpart of special drawing rights allocated by the IMF	54.799	o
7.2 Other securities	195.509	162	10 Other liabilities	300.707	-1.636
8 General government debt denominated in euro	22.626	o	11 Revaluation accounts	512.529	O
9 Other assets	299.988	-9.190	12 Capital and reserves	108.333	1
Total assets	7.079.135	24.663	Total liabilities	7.079.135	24.663

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