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Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 26 November 2021

In the week ending 26 November 2021 the net position of the Eurosystem in foreign currency (asset items 2 and 3 minus liability items 7, 8 and 9) decreased by EUR 0.1 billion to EUR 321.2 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) fell by EUR 3.7 billion to EUR 1,435.2 billion, mainly owing to the change in the level of the **deposit facility** (liability items 2.2). Base money (liability items 1, 2.1 and 2.2) decreased by EUR 15.4 billion to EUR 6,055.8 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 26 November 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 297.9 billion	+EUR 0.9 billion	-
Asset-backed securities purchase programme	EUR 28.9 billion	+EUR 0.5 billion	-EUR 0.3 billion
Public sector purchase programme	EUR 2,482.7 billion	+EUR 5.6 billion	-
Corporate sector purchase programme	EUR 307.2 billion	+EUR 0.3 billion	-EUR 0.5 billion
Pandemic emergency purchase programme	EUR 1,536.5 billion	+EUR 21.1 billion	-EUR 5.4 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 26 November 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Gold and gold receivables	517,894	0
2 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	490,678	23
2.1 Receivables from the IMF	214,917	23
2.2 Balances with banks and security investments, external loans and other external assets	275,761	0
3 Claims on euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	26,141	596
4 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in euro	10,401	-310
4.1 Balances with banks, security investments and loans	10,401	-310
4.2 Claims arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0
5 Lending to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	2,208,778	-56
5.1 Main refinancing operations	157	-15
5.2 Longer-term refinancing operations	2,208,621	-38
5.3 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0
5.4 Structural reverse operations	0	0
5.5 Marginal lending facility	0	-3
5.6 Credits related to margin calls	0	0
6 Other claims on euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	27,407	-4,532
7 Securities of euro area residents denominated in euro	4,838,595	20,208
7.1 Securities held for monetary policy purposes	4,662,532	22,168
7.2 Other securities	176,063	-1,960
8 General government debt denominated in euro	22,153	0
9 Other assets	314,945	-1,248
Total assets	8,456,991	14,681

Liabilities	Balance as at 26 November 2021	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Banknotes in circulation	1,518,282	1,969
2 Liabilities to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	4,539,643	-17,38
2.1 Current accounts (covering the minimum reserve system)	3,766,047	-21,05
2.2 Deposit facility	771,470	3,676
2.3 Fixed-term deposits	0	(
2.4 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	(
2.5 Deposits related to margin calls	2,126	-6
3 Other liabilities to euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	37,313	-2,600
4 Debt certificates issued	0	(
5 Liabilities to other euro area residents denominated in euro	831,115	21,612
5.1 General government	707,784	21,23
5.2 Other liabilities	123,331	38
6 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in euro	399,512	13,664
7 Liabilities to euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	15,717	763
8 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	3,801	-8
8.1 Deposits, balances and other liabilities	3,801	-8
8.2 Liabilities arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	(
9 Counterpart of special drawing rights allocated by the IMF	176,130	(
10 Other liabilities	320,187	-3,338
11 Revaluation accounts	505,979	(
12 Capital and reserves	109,312	
Total liabilities	8,456,991	14,68

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

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