

## PRESS RELEASE

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## Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 21 February 2025

In the week ending 21 February 2025 the net position of the Eurosystem in foreign currency (asset items 2 and 3 minus liability items 7, 8 and 9) increased by EUR 0.7 billion to EUR 347.1 billion. The net balance of open market operations and standing facilities (asset item 5 minus liability

items 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5 and 4) rose by EUR 34.2 billion to -EUR 2,832.2 billion. This was due primarily to the change in the level of the **deposit facility** (liability item 2.2).

Base money (liability items 1, 2.1 and 2.2) decreased by EUR 33.1 billion to EUR 4,584.3 billion. The table below provides the detailed breakdown of **securities held for monetary policy purposes** (asset item 7.1) into the different portfolios. All debt securities held in these portfolios are accounted for at amortised cost.

Table 1

Monetary policy securities portfolios	Reported value as at 21 February 2025	Weekly change – purchases [1]	Weekly change – redemptions
Securities Markets Programme	EUR 1.3 billion	•	-
Covered bond purchase programme 3	EUR 242.9 billion	-	-EUR 1.3 billion
Asset-backed securities purchase programme	EUR 5.7 billion	•	-EUR 0.1 billion
Public sector purchase programme	EUR 2,089.7 billion	•	-EUR 14.9 billion
Corporate sector purchase programme	EUR 282.1 billion	-	-EUR 1.5 billion
Pandemic emergency purchase programme	EUR 1,580.1 billion	-	-EUR 10.4 billion

[1] With the discontinuation of the reinvestments under the asset purchase programme, this column may sometimes show negative amounts. These are expected to be infrequent and would result from sales of securities conducted, for instance, for risk management purposes.

The content and format of the weekly financial statement are set out in Annexes IV to VI of Guideline (EU) 2024/2941 of the European Central Bank of 14 November 2024 on the legal framework for accounting and financial reporting in the European System of Central Banks (<u>ECB/2024/31</u>).

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Assets Balance as at Difference compared 21 February 2025 with last week due to transactions 1 Gold and gold receivables 872.196 2 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency 521.196 631 2.1 Receivables from the IMF 237.824 2.2 Balances with banks and security investments, external loans and other external assets 283.372 636 3 Claims on euro area residents denominated in foreign currency 21.549 652 4 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in euro 22.309 -113 4.1 Balances with banks, security investments and loans 22.309 -113 4.2 Claims arising from the credit facility under ERM II 0 27.885 2.583 5 Lending to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro 5.1 Main refinancing operations 8.720 2.546 5.2 Longer-term refinancing operations 19.098 5.3 Fine-tuning reverse operations 0 5.4 Structural reverse operations 5.5 Marginal lending facility 68 5.6 Credits related to margin calls 6 Other claims on euro area credit institutions denominated in euro 45.958 10.394 7 Securities of euro area residents denominated in euro 4.470.114 -26.061 7.1 Securities held for monetary policy purposes 4.201.898 -28.152 7.2 Other securities 268.216 2.092 8 General government debt denominated in euro 20.394 9 Other assets -7.352 347.997 6.349.598 -19.265 Total assets

Liabilities	Balance as at 21 February 2025	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Banknotes in circulation	1.565.595	-714
2 Liabilities to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	3.018.703	-32.401
2.1 Current accounts (covering the minimum reserve system)	158.611	-755
2.2 Deposit facility	2.860.092	-31.646
2.3 Fixed-term deposits	0	0
2.4 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0
2.5 Deposits related to margin calls	0	0
3 Other liabilities to euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	14.701	1.002
4 Debt certificates issued	0	0
5 Liabilities to other euro area residents denominated in euro	194.544	-7.884
5.1 General government	116.007	-6.200
5.2 Other liabilities	78.537	-1.684
6 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in euro	193.338	18.435
7 Liabilities to euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	11.855	33
8 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	1.004	550
8.1 Deposits, balances and other liabilities	1.004	550
8.2 Liabilities arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0
9 Counterpart of special drawing rights allocated by the IMF	182.810	0
10 Other liabilities	210.703	9.651
11 Revaluation accounts	872.364	0
12 Capital and reserves	83.983	-7.935

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

Total liabilities