

**17. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION**  
**D) External debt**

**17.31 Gross external debt**  
**Breakdown by institutional sector**  
**and financial instrument**

End-of-period positions

EUR millions

	Total	General government						Other monetary financial institutions					
		Total	Short-term		Long-term		Total	Short-term			Long-term		
			Debt securities short-term	Loans, trade credits and other liabilities	Debt securities long-term	Loans, trade credits and other liabilities		Debt securities short-term	Deposits	Loans, trade credits and other liabilities	Debt securities long-term	Deposits	
													(a)
1=2+7+13+16+21	2=3+4+5+6	3	4	5	6	7=8+9+10+11+12	8	9	10	11	12		
<b>17</b> Q3	1 934 320	555 145	53 215	2 029	409 713	90 188	408 144	9 399	202 047	4 542	133 968	58 189	
Q4	P 1 950 672	570 838	61 737	1 732	419 414	87 955	440 910	12 918	209 645	3 118	157 634	57 596	
<b>18</b> Q1	P 1 992 074	587 960	55 843	854	445 689	85 574	441 811	17 023	204 304	3 229	157 986	59 269	
Q2	P 2 009 709	589 089	52 458	1 003	453 686	81 943	431 862	14 184	198 732	3 073	157 691	58 181	
Q3	P 2 020 966	595 857	51 856	1 192	460 328	82 481	435 526	13 809	201 897	6 638	158 592	54 590	
Q4	P 2 019 892	590 704	49 980	1 220	460 024	79 480	429 886	14 918	193 292	3 352	158 201	60 122	
<b>19</b> Q1	P 2 057 007	608 504	46 042	1 162	482 181	79 119	442 871	13 653	201 706	2 913	163 652	60 949	
Q2	P 2 091 093	650 556	41 926	1 666	528 314	78 651	433 853	14 453	189 013	2 800	164 546	63 041	
Q3	P 2 112 988	674 586	41 705	3 187	551 147	78 547	439 072	13 992	179 358	4 010	175 049	66 663	
Q4	P 2 111 250	658 319	45 005	1 423	534 199	77 692	453 080	14 891	181 674	3 470	178 726	74 318	
<b>20</b> Q1	P 2 151 357	670 786	46 488	537	546 358	77 403	470 513	17 536	205 262	2 400	171 875	73 441	
Q2	P 2 207 932	681 728	56 315	935	546 568	77 910	464 890	19 603	193 012	2 693	179 104	70 478	
Q3	P 2 208 328	686 491	60 692	990	547 138	77 672	451 438	16 054	182 888	2 337	181 601	68 559	

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	Monetary authority				Other resident sectors				Direct investment				
	Total	Short-term		Long-term	Total	Short-term		Long-term		Total	Vis-à-vis		
		Deposits	Special drawing rights (allocation)			Debt securities short-term	Loans, trade credits and other liabilities	Debt securities long-term	Loans, trade credits and other liabilities		Direct investors	Direct investment enterprises	Fellow enterprises
13=14+15	14	15	16=17+18+19+20	17	18	19	20	21=22+23+24	22	23	24		
<b>17</b> Q3	435 271	431 887	3 384	299 525	7 651	45 769	145 197	100 907	236 235	56 342	73 674	106 219	
Q4	P 438 742	435 384	3 358	273 922	779	48 960	123 220	100 963	226 260	51 649	73 079	101 532	
<b>18</b> Q1	P 449 151	445 814	3 337	283 851	1 025	51 036	122 257	109 533	229 300	51 348	80 647	97 305	
Q2	P 472 426	469 012	3 414	282 301	1 658	54 246	116 013	110 384	234 031	55 749	86 796	91 485	
Q3	P 473 349	469 942	3 408	279 457	2 116	52 397	116 888	108 056	236 776	55 318	87 282	94 176	
Q4	P 483 083	479 646	3 437	286 156	1 858	52 561	113 641	118 096	230 063	57 327	83 908	88 828	
<b>19</b> Q1	P 476 768	473 274	3 494	295 812	3 849	52 023	119 475	120 464	233 052	58 443	87 381	87 228	
Q2	P 485 410	481 955	3 454	291 175	4 384	54 057	116 392	116 342	230 099	59 475	84 855	85 768	
Q3	P 467 834	464 298	3 536	295 771	6 416	53 497	118 498	117 361	235 725	60 021	88 087	87 617	
Q4	P 479 852	476 363	3 489	296 160	3 574	54 860	118 514	119 212	223 839	54 100	83 549	86 191	
<b>20</b> Q1	P 498 899	495 375	3 523	284 758	5 023	51 272	107 078	121 384	226 402	54 031	86 199	86 171	
Q2	P 551 905	548 432	3 473	285 797	4 614	44 813	114 635	121 735	223 613	54 893	85 219	83 501	
Q3	P 555 736	552 337	3 399	290 233	4 501	51 953	113 141	120 638	224 429	53 874	86 278	84 277	

a. Debt securities are divided into short term (under one year) and long term (one year or more).

b. The 'Loans, trade credit and other liabilities' heading basically includes loans, trade credit and advances granted by non-residents, other accounts receivable and payable, insurance, pension schemes and standardised guarantee systems.

c. The sixth edition of the Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual establishes that allocations of SDRs entail, in addition to increases in reserve assets an increase in the long-term liabilities of the recipient country.