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Consolidated financial statement of the Eurosystem as at 24 November 2023

In the week ending 24 November 2023 the net position of the Eurosystem in foreign currency (asset items 2 and 3 minus liability items 7, 8 and 9) decreased by EUR 0.8 billion to EUR 320 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) increased by EUR 14.9 billion to -EUR 3,046.2 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 21.1 billion to EUR 5,253.5 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.

Table 1

Monetary policy securities portfolios	Reported value as at 24 November 2023	Weekly change – purchases ^[1]	Weekly change – redemptions
Securities Markets Programme	EUR 2.4 billion	-	-
Covered bond purchase programme 3	EUR 286.8 billion	-	-EUR 0.7 billion
Asset-backed securities purchase programme	EUR 14.0 billion	-	-EUR 0.2 billion
Public sector purchase programme	EUR 2,415.8 billion	-	-EUR 2.7 billion
Corporate sector purchase programme	EUR 326.2 billion	-	-EUR 0.7 billion
Pandemic emergency purchase programme	EUR 1,670.5 billion	+EUR 2.2 billion	-EUR 3.0 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) 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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(in EUR millions)

Assets	Balance as at 24 November 2023	Difference compared with last week due to transactions	Liabilities	Balance as at 24 November 2023	Difference compared with last week due to transactions
1 Gold and gold receivables	613,305	0	1 Banknotes in circulation	1,547,212	-653
2 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	507,417	353	2 Liabilities to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	3,706,327	-20,399
2.1 Receivables from the IMF	234,112	81	2.1 Current accounts (covering the minimum reserve system)	156,977	-5,667
2.2 Balances with banks and security investments, external loans and other external assets	273,305	272	2.2 Deposit facility	3,549,323	-14,732
3 Claims on euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	14,167	-333	2.3 Fixed-term deposits	0	0
4 Claims on non-euro area residents denominated in euro	15,151	187	2.4 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0
4.1 Balances with banks, security investments and loans	15,151	187	2.5 Deposits related to margin calls	27	0
4.2 Claims arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0	3 Other liabilities to euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	37,442	-42
5 Lending to euro area credit institutions related to monetary policy operations denominated in euro	503,172	199	4 Debt certificates issued	0	o
5.1 Main refinancing operations	7,335	230	5 Liabilities to other euro area residents denominated in euro	289,362	9,210
5.2 Longer-term refinancing operations	495,831	0	5.1 General government	210,286	8,291
5.3 Fine-tuning reverse operations	0	0	5.2 Other liabilities	79,076	919
5.4 Structural reverse operations	0	0	6 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in euro	233,796	6,728
5.5 Marginal lending facility	6	-31	7 Liabilities to euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	16,077	-93
5.6 Credits related to margin calls	0	0	8 Liabilities to non-euro area residents denominated in foreign currency	4,775	878
6 Other claims on euro area credit institutions denominated in euro	23,910	-838	8.1 Deposits, balances and other liabilities	4,775	878
7 Securities of euro area residents denominated in euro	4,917,624	-4,290	8.2 Liabilities arising from the credit facility under ERM II	0	0
7.1 Securities held for monetary policy purposes	4,715,691	-5,167	9 Counterpart of special drawing rights allocated by the IMF	180,715	, o
7.2 Other securities	201,933	877	10 Other liabilities	255,667	-902
8 General government debt denominated in euro	20,985	0	11 Revaluation accounts	604,185	, o
9 Other assets	380,070	-551	12 Capital and reserves	120,242	. o
Total assets	6,995,799	-5,273	Total liabilities	6,995,799	-5,273

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