



EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANK

EUROSYSTEM

T2 adaptations to Pontes

T2-CG meeting
11 June 2026

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Market Infrastructure and Development (MID) Division

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- Change Request T2-0160-SYS Detailed Assessment (DA) is expected to be **delivered mid-June 2026**
- CR DA is in view of an implementation with T2 release **R2027.NOV**
- T2-WG will be invited to review DA results and to provide a **recommendation for implementation to MIB by end July 2026**

Next steps

- To provide further details on the Pontes related T2 functionalities, the ECB will organise a **joint T2-WG/T2-CG call on 9 July (14:00-16:30 CET)** to address the following items:
 1. Status of Pontes pilot
 2. Pontes functionalities and differences between pilot and operations
 3. Account and wallet naming convention for Pontes

Annex

Pontes overview



Pontes

Short-term Eurosystem offering to settle DLT-based transactions

Pilot phase (by 2026 Q3)

- Transitional phase combining the features of the interoperability solutions used during [exploratory work](#)
- No T2 CR

Pontes end-product (by 2028 Q1)

- DLT-based settlement of wholesale transactions in central bank money fully integrated within TARGET Services
- **T2-0160-SYS – T2 adaptations to Pontes**

Pontes high-level timeline

