

# What benefits will the ECMS bring?



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## **Basic overview**

What is the ECMS?

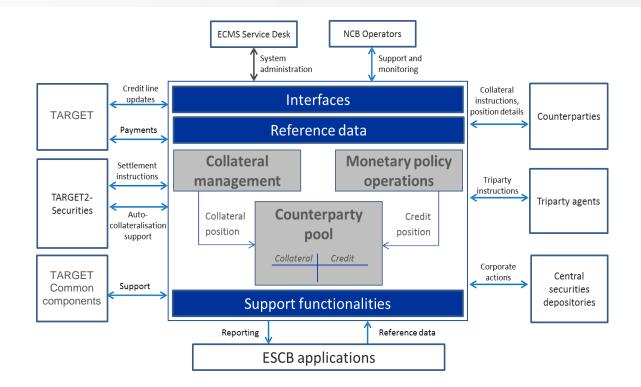
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#### A single, unified collateral management system

The Eurosystem Collateral Management System (ECMS) will replace the 19 local collateral management systems of the Eurosystem National Central Banks in operation today.

Go-live is planned for **November 2023**.

#### ECMS core features and inclusion into the ESCB ecosystem





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# Project timeline

Time to get ready

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#### ECMS key dates

December 2019 Approval of User Detailed Functional Specifications V1.0

December 2017 **Approval of the investigation phase** with the business case assessment, binding URD and high-level plan \_\_\_\_\_

September 2016 Approval of the pre-project phase October 2021 Start of the Eurosystem Acceptance Testing

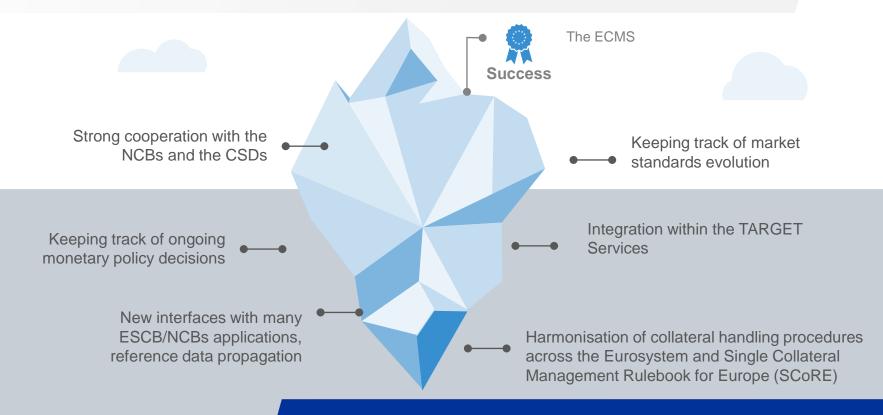
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At this time of the project, stabilisation is required to ensure a successful go-live

November 2023

**Go-live** 

#### Underneath the surface







## ECMS benefits

What new functionalities will ECMS bring? What will change compared to today's setup?

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#### A single unified system



From November 2023 onwards: unified system •

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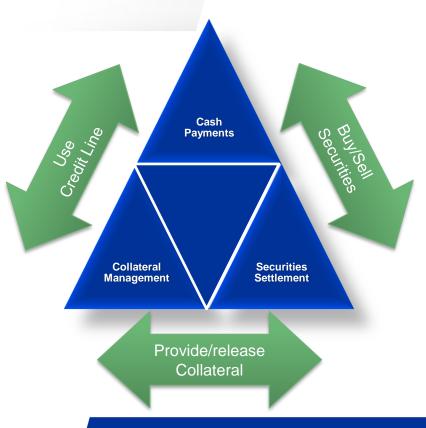
- Unique implementation of the Eurosystem collateral framework
- A single system to be maintained
- Removal of existing operational burdens among NCBs

#### Streamline the processing of securities settlement instructions

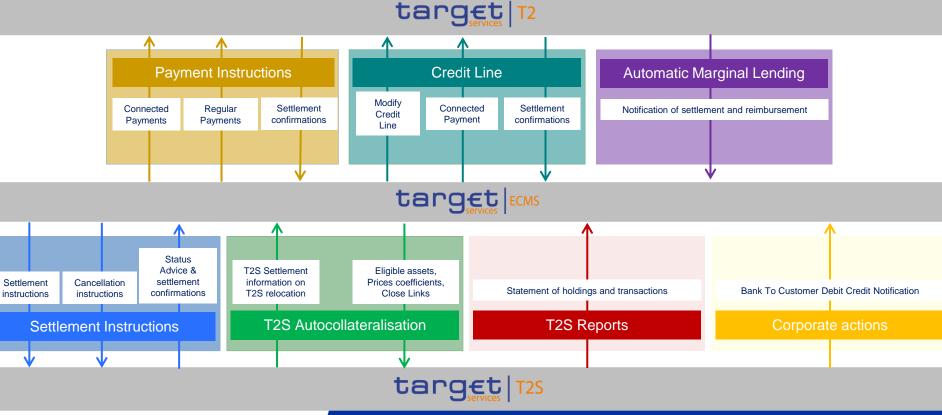


Outside the ECMS (potentially via CSD)

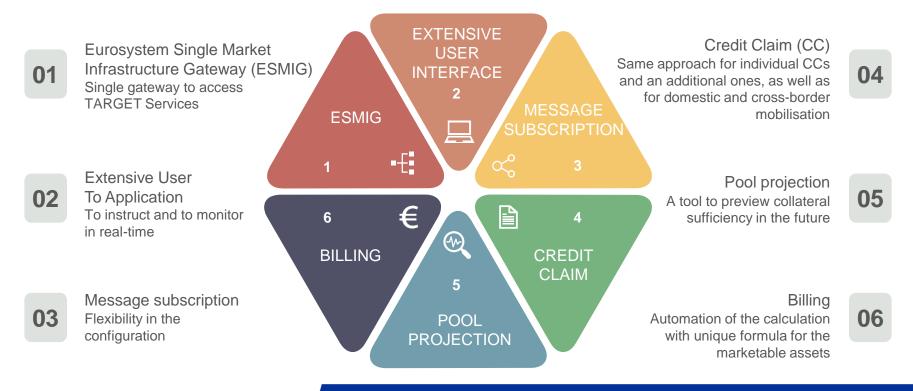
#### Future Eurosystem market infrastructure setup



#### Integration of the ECMS in the TARGET Services



#### Main new features for counterparties



#### ECMS Banking group feature



- Access to the consolidated information of the pool
- Access to detailed information of their pool, including transactions details
- No access to detailed information of other counterparties in the Banking Group
- Access to the aggregated information of all the counterparties pool
- Access to the detailed information of all accounts in the group
- No access to the transactions details

# Thank you for the attention!

#### ECMS Info pack

https://www.ecb.europa.eu/paym/target/ecms/html/index.en.html

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