Other collateral handled in the ECMS
Alongside marketable assets and individual credit claims, other types of collateral are also supported by the ECMS.

- Cash as collateral
- Fixed-term deposits
- Externally managed collateral
Cash as collateral is only permitted (for pools used to cover monetary policy operations) if a margin call is pending and no other eligible collateral is available. The ECMS automatically calculates the amount of cash needed to resolve a margin call.

**Automatic mobilisation**
At 17:00, if a margin call is still pending, the ECMS automatically prepares the payment to debit the Counterparty CLM cash account and credit the CLM CB account and sends it to CLM.

**Automatic demobilisation**
After accrued interest on the cash mobilised as collateral has been calculated and the pool has been revalued (between 19:00 and 19:30), the ECMS automatically demobilises cash as collateral, provided there is sufficient collateral to do so.
Conversion of cash to collateral

- Can only be triggered by an NCB
- When cash is due to a counterparty, the NCB can convert it

Cash proceeds from a corporate action
Reimbursement of a fixed-term deposit
Handling of fixed-term deposits

After settlement
A fixed-term deposit collateral position is automatically created in the counterparty pool (following the settlement of such an operation).

Value
The value of the fixed-term deposit position including accrued interest is counted towards the total available collateral.

Until reimbursement
Accrued interest is updated on a daily basis at the start of the day until the maturity date.
Upon maturity the position is automatically demobilised.
Some assets will be managed outside of the ECMS e.g. a pool of additional credit claims.

The NCB maintains the value of this externally managed collateral within the ECMS.

Only the total value is shown in the ECMS. All other information is kept outside.