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## Euro area financial vehicle corporation statistics: third quarter of 2016

- In the third quarter of 2016 the outstanding amount of debt securities issued by euro area financial vehicle corporations (FVCs) engaged in securitisation decreased to €1,378 billion, from €1,397 billion at the end of the previous quarter.
- Net redemptions of debt securities by FVCs during the third quarter of 2016 amounted to €16 billion.
- Over the same period net disposals of securitised loans held by FVCs amounted to €20 billion.

Chart 1: Transactions in assets of euro area FVCs  
(quarterly transactions in EUR billions; not seasonally adjusted)

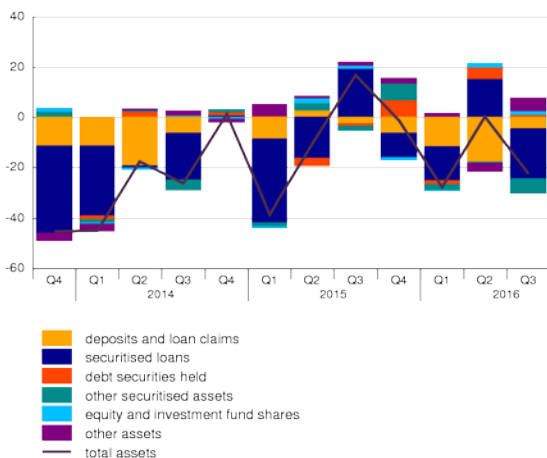
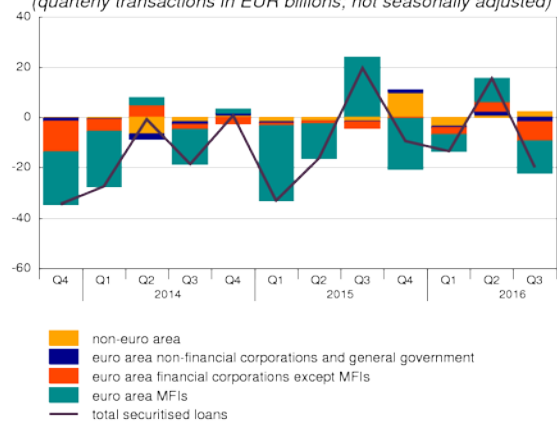


Chart 2: Transactions in loans securitised by FVCs  
by originator  
(quarterly transactions in EUR billions; not seasonally adjusted)



The outstanding amount of **debt securities issued** by euro area FVCs was €1,378 billion at the end of the third quarter of 2016, €19 billion lower than at the end of the previous quarter. Over the same period, transactions amounted to a net redemption of €16 billion. The annual growth rate of debt securities issued, calculated on the basis of transactions, decreased to -2.7% in the third quarter of 2016, from -0.9% in the previous quarter.

Euro area FVCs' holdings of **securitised loans** – accounting for most of the assets backing the debt securities issued – decreased to €1,190 billion at the end of the third quarter of 2016, from €1,199 billion at the end of the previous quarter. This was mainly accounted for by net disposals of €20 billion which were partially offset by reclassifications and other adjustments of €11 billion. Net disposals of securitised loans **originated by euro area monetary financial institutions (MFIs)** amounted to €13 billion.

Turning to the borrowing sector of securitised loans, loans to euro area households stood at €788 billion at the end of the third quarter of 2016, with a net disposal of €12 billion during the third quarter of 2016 while loans to euro area non-financial corporations amounted to €253 billion, with a net disposal of €7 billion. Among the other assets of euro area FVCs, **deposits and loan claims** amounted to €192 billion at the end of the third quarter of 2016, predominantly claims on euro area MFIs (€118 billion). There was a net disposal of deposits and loan claims during the quarter of €5 billion. **Holdings of debt securities** amounted to €178 billion at the end of the third quarter 2016, while net acquisitions amounted to €1 billion. **Other securitised assets** held by FVCs – including for example trade, tax and other receivables – amounted to €97 billion, with net disposals of €5 billion during the quarter.

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**Notes:**

- The latest data on FVCs and on the securitisation transactions of MFIs can be downloaded from the ECB's Statistical Data Warehouse: [Financial Vehicle Corporations](#) and [MFI balance sheets](#). More details on these statistics are available in the "Statistics" section of the ECB's website under [Euro area financial vehicle corporations](#).

**Table 1. Assets and liabilities of euro area financial vehicle corporations**

(EUR billions and annual percentage changes; amounts outstanding at end of period; transactions during the period)

	Out-standing amounts	Transactions			Annual growth rate <sup>1)</sup>		
	Q3 2016	Q1 2016	Q2 2016	Q3 2016	Q1 2016	Q2 2016	Q3 2016
<b>Assets</b>							
Deposits and loan claims	192	-12	-18	-5	-7.7	-16.7	-17.8
Securitised loans	1190	-14	16	-20	-1.7	1.0	-2.3
By borrowing sector							
To euro area MFIs	15	2	1	0	-30.8	-26.2	7.0
To euro area general government	3	0	0	-2	-10.4	-9.7	-52.9
To euro area insurance corporations and pension funds	0	0	0	0	-28.4	-39.2	-17.2
To euro area non-MMF investment funds	2	0	0	0	8.9	-1.7	5.4
To euro area other financial institutions	35	-4	0	-1	-5.8	-7.2	-9.7
To euro area households	788	-8	18	-12	-2.7	1.4	-2.4
To euro area non-financial corporations	253	-1	-5	-7	1.6	0.7	-4.5
To non-euro area residents	94	-3	1	1	7.2	9.0	10.0
By originator							
Originated by euro area MFIs	932	-7	9	-13	-1.8	0.7	-3.2
Remaining on MFI balance sheets <sup>2)</sup>	427	-	-	-	-	-	-
Originated by euro area general government	1	0	0	0	-	-	-
Originated by euro area financial corporations other than MFIs	132	-3	4	-8	-4.9	-1.4	-5.3
Originated by euro area non-financial corporations	17	-1	2	-2	-2.6	7.6	-2.0
Originated by non-euro area residents	108	-3	1	2	3.4	5.8	9.9
Debt securities held	178	-1	4	1	1.3	5.4	6.8
Other securitised assets	97	-2	0	-5	5.4	2.3	-1.6
Equity and investment fund shares/units	52	0	1	2	5.3	3.9	4.3
Other assets	60	1	-3	5	8.8	2.5	9.2
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Loans and deposits received	110	-9	-1	-3	-6.3	-6.4	-12.9
Debt securities issued	1378	-17	-2	-16	-1.6	-0.9	-2.7
Up to 1 year	77	0	3	1	9.8	13.8	21.3
Over 1 year and up to 2 years	9	-3	-2	0	-13.7	-25.6	-29.7
Over 2 years	1292	-13	-4	-16	-2.1	-1.4	-3.6
Capital and reserves	22	-2	0	0	-18.4	-15.7	-10.8
Other liabilities	260	0	3	-4	5.5	5.1	2.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>1769</b>	<b>-28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-22</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-2.8</b>

Source: ECB.

1) Annual growth rates are calculated on the basis of transactions, i.e. from an index of notional stocks which is obtained (starting from a base period) by dividing transactions by the outstanding amounts at the beginning of the period to which they refer. For further details see the technical notes to sections 2.1 to 2.6 of the Statistics Bulletin (available from the ECB's Statistical Data Warehouse).

2) Refers to loans reported by euro area MFIs as securitised through euro area FVCs but which are still on their balance sheets, i.e. the loans have not been derecognised.