

External Sector: International Reserves

Special Data Dissemination Standard Plus (SDDS Plus)

€ million; outstanding amounts at end of period

Item	2023		Period-to-period percentage change	Year-on-year percentage change
	Sept.	Oct.		
Official reserve assets (total, Gross) ¹	282,490	295,288	+ 4.5	+ 7.6
Foreign currency reserves	33,333	33,871	+ 1.6	- 8.8
IMF reserves position	9,278	9,256	- 0.2	- 2.8
SDRs	49,647	49,531	- 0.2	- 0.3
Gold	190,232	202,630	+ 6.5	+ 13.8
Other reserve assets

¹ Reserves are defined as foreign currency denominated claims on non-euro area countries plus gold, holdings of SDRs and the reserve position in the Fund.

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