



# Open market operations

Information about the community testing phase for open market operations (credit operations in euro, foreign currency transactions, fixed-term deposits)

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1. Testing principles
Test scenarios and general assumptions



• The following fundamental test cases are part of community testing:

Test case ID	Domain	Functionality	Test case name
ECMS_TC_CPTY_13	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity providing operations	Successful settlement of a LTRO operation with or without netting
ECMS_TC_CPTY_14	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity providing operations	Successful repayment of a LTRO operation at maturity with or without netting
ECMS_TC_CPTY_15	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity providing operations	Successful settlement of a non-euro LPO operation with or without netting
ECMS_TC_CPTY_16	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity providing operations	Successful repayment of a non-euro LPO operation at maturity with or without netting
ECMS_TC_CPTY_17	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity absorbing operations	Successful settlement of a LAO operation with or without netting
ECMS_TC_CPTY_18	Monetary Policy Operations	Liquidity absorbing operations	Successful repayment of a LAO operation at maturity with or without netting

• To be able to conduct tests on open market operations, role no. 65 (ECMS Entity – U2A Open Market Operations Read Only) and role no. 72 (ECMS Entity – U2A Pool Position Execution) are required.



- Open market operations in euro are conducted by Deutsche Bundesbank in accordance with the test plan.
- Testing open market operations in foreign currency is only offered to counterparties, who have access to this kind of
  operation in the production environment at the beginning of the test period.
- Counterparties do not have to take any action to ensure a credit operation's allotment and settlement on its value date.
  - Sufficient collateral will be provided by Deutsche Bundesbank.
  - Allotment amounts are the same for every counterparty in the respective open market operation and will be registered by Deutsche Bundesbank.



- Payments in CLM should be checked on settlement and maturity days, but it is also possible to look at them at a later date.
- Counterparties have to ensure sufficient liquidity in CLM for the settlement of fixed-term deposits and the
  maturing of credit operations in euro.
- Some counterparties may depend on their parent to provide liquidity via TARGET/CLM, if liquidity management for their MCA has been transferred to this entity. Consequently, these institutes are responsible for the provision of liquidity (just like in the production environment). The co-managers have already been informed accordingly.
- Counterparties do not have to take any action when open market operations in foreign currency reach maturity.
- Bundesbank's BIC code for open market operations is MARKDEFFCMS.

Please send an e-mail to <u>ecms-test@bundesbank.de</u> in case of questions or if you notice any bugs or abnormalities.



### **General remarks:**

Please adhere to the **testing restrictions** set in the "Testing conditions" by the ECB.

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The ECB's "Testing conditions" are updated every two weeks.

For additional information on the ECMS Community Test, please visit <u>Test and Migration | Deutsche Bundesbank</u>.

This Community Test focuses on the fields relevant to the testing of open market operations. For additional information, please visit <u>ECMS User Handbook for Counterparties (europa.eu)</u>.

You have the opportunity to view the tenders even after the end of this campaign. The tenders will be available to you in the test environment until the next migration test.

We require confirmation of the test cases you conducted. Please complete the survey sent to you.



# 2. Testing period and test cases 27/01/2025 – 07/02/2025

# 2. Testing period and test cases Testing period



**Start**: 27/01/2025 **Ending**: 07/02/2025

Monday, 27 January	Tuesday, 28. January	Wednesday, 29 January	Thursday, 30 January	Friday, 31 January
		FTD Settlement 20250002 (Page 10)	USD Settlement 20250003 (Page 11)	
		LTRO Settlement 20250004 (Page 12)		
Monday, 03. February	Tuesday, 04. February	Wednesday, 05 February	Thursday, 06. February	Friday, 07. February
	FTD Maturity 20250002 (Page 10)	LTRO Maturity 20250004 (Page 12)	USD Maturity 20250003 (Page 11)	



## 2.1. Collection of fixed-term deposits (ECMS\_TC\_CPTY 17-18)

Tender ID: 20250002

Value Date: Wednesday, 29th January, from 13:00 p.m.

Maturity Date: Tuesday, 04th February

Duration of Operation: 6 days

Allotment Amount: €2.5m

Interest Rate: 3.50 %

The fixed-term deposit has effects on collateral. The collateral pool position is going to increase daily by 243.06 (accrued interest).

The booking is made in CLM via pacs 009.

<sup>\*</sup> Allotment amount and interest rate are set by Deutsche Bundesbank and are the same for every counterparty.



## 2.2. Foreign currency transaction (ECMS\_TC\_CPTY 15-16)

Tender ID: 20250003

Value Date: Thurssday, 30th January

Maturity Date: Thursday, 06th February

Duration of Operation: 7 days

EUR/USD Spot Rate: 1.1100

Initial Margin: 12 %

Allotment Amount: \$5.5m

Interest Rate: 5.05 %

The accrued interest is taken into account in a way that changes the lending value, thus the collateral position in the pool increases daily by the interest amount of €695.07.

Changes to the credit line in CLM are booked via pacs 009 as foreign currency transactions are not settled via TARGET Services.

<sup>\*</sup> Allotment amount and interest rate are set by Deutsche Bundesbank and are the same for every counterparty.



## 2.3. Longer-term refinancing operation (ECMS\_TC\_CPTY 13-14)

Tender ID: 20250004

Value Date: Wednesday, 29th January Maturity Date: Wednesday, 05th Febuary

Duration of Operation: 7 days

Reference Entity: Average MRO rate

Allotment Amount: €2m Spread: 0 bp

The daily accrued interest affects the collateral pool position. Therefore, the amount that has to be collateralised increases with every passing day. The MRO rate is 4.00% until 02nd February and 3.65% from 03rd February onwards.

Until the day of the interest rate change on 03rd February, you will see the provisional interest amount for the maturity date of €1,555.56.

From the day after the interest rate change on 0th February, you will see the provisional interest amount for the maturity date of €1,516.67.

The booking is made in CLM via pacs 009.

<sup>\*</sup> Allotment amount and interest rate are set by Deutsche Bundesbank and are the same for every counterparty.

## 2.3. Longer-term refinancing operation (CPTY 13-14)

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Example calculation of Interest for LTRO

	January 29th	January 30th	January 31st	Febraury 01st	February 02nd	February 03rd	February 04th	February 05th	
	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	
Days	Day 0	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7	
Duration of operation: 6 Days	2.000.000,00								
Interest accrued for the									
previous day	0,00	222,22	222,22	222,22	222,22	222,22	202,78	202,78	
Interest rate valid for this day									Average MRO rate from Day
in ECMS	4	4	4	4	4	3,65	3,65	3,65	0 to 7
Weighted average rate for									
calculating interest accrued									
(displayed in ECMS)		4	4	4	4	4	3,941666667	3,9	K
Spread	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Interest accrued so far	0,00	222,22	444,44	666,67	888,89	1.111,11	1.313,89	1.516,67	

Calculation of the interest accrued so far for day 7: 2,000,000\*3.9\*7/36000
Calculation of the interest accrued so far for day 5: 2,000,000\*3.94166667\*6/36000

# 2. Testing period and test cases Explanation of netting results



Monday, 27.				Netting for		Netting for	Friday, 31.	
January	Tuesday, 28. January		Wednesday, 29. January	January 29th	Thursday, 30. January	January 30th	January	
			FTD Settlement 20250002 (Page 10)	-2.5 Mio	USD Settlement 20250003 (Page 11)	5,5 Mio		
				2.5 Mio from your bank account in CLM				
			LTRO Settlement 20250004 (Page 12)	+2 Mio				
				2 Mio to your bank account in CLM		5.5 million collateral blocked		
Monday, 03. February	Tuesday, 04. February	Netting for February 04th	Wednesday, 05. February	Netting for February 05th	Thursday, 06. February	Netting for February 06th	Friday, 07. February	
	FTD Maturity 20250002 (Page 10)	+2.5 Mio	LTRO Maturity 20250004 (Page 12)	-2 Mio	USD Maturity 20250003 (Page 11)	5.5 Mo		
		2.5 Mio to your bank		2 Mio from your bank		5.5 million		
		account in CLM		account in CLM		collateral unblocked		



## 3. Monitoring of operations

## 3. Monitoring of operations Test cases for open market operations



### Testing activities to check for the fundamental test cases' success:

### For 3.1. Pool Overview

• Please check if the settled operation is displayed in "Pool Overview", with the correct settlement amount and the calculated interest amount.

### For 3.2. Collateral

• Please check whether the calculated interest amount is displayed for outstanding fixed-term deposits.

### For 3.3. Exposure

 Please check whether the calculated interest amount for outstanding open market operations is displayed in "Exposure".

Payments should be checked in CLM on settlement and maturity days, but it is also possible to look at them at a later date.

For additional information on fundamental test cases, please visit <u>ECMS user testing - fundamental test cases</u> (<u>europa.eu</u>).

## 3. Monitoring of operations Test cases for open market operations



### Testing activies exceeding the fundamental test cases:

Zu 3.2. Collateral

• Please check whether the operations that have to be netted display the correct nominal, interest and netting amounts.

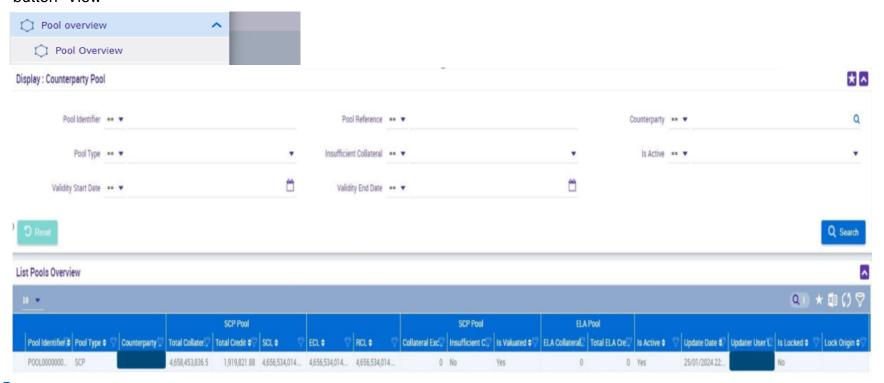
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3.1. Pool Overview

Module: Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Pool Overview >> Pool Overview >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "List Pools Overview" >> press button "View"



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DITIONS						
LLATERAL		^	EXPOSURE			
Marketable Asset Collateral			Credit Freezing			
Externally Managed Collateral			Euro LPO			
Cash Collateral			Total Euro LPO	0	Total Euro LPO Margin	0
Fixed Term Deposit			Total Euro LPO Interest			•
Total FTD used as Collateral	Total FTD used as Collateral Interest			87.5		
0 FTD Positions		0	Non-Euro LPO			
			Total Non-Euro LPO	010 700 07	Total Non-Euro LPO Margin	1 000 000
TRIPARTY COLLATERAL				919,793.97		1,000,000
Credit Claims			Total Non-Euro LPO Interest	715.41		
Total Collateral						_
	Relative Credit Limit		Marginal Lending Facility			<b>☑</b>
4,658,453,836.5			Total Exposure			^
Total Collateral affected to OMO 1,919,821.88	Total Collateral Value 4,658,453,836.	5.5	Total Credit			1,919,821.88



"List Pools Overview" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Pool Identifier	Pool ID
Pool Type	Type of pool
Counterparty RIAD Code	Equal to your MFI Code
Total Collateral Value	Consolidated collateral amount
Total Credit	Consolidated amount of open market operations and marginal lending
SCL	Current credit line

For additional information on the different fields, please visit the UHB (User Handbook), Chapter 3.5.1.1.1.



"View Screen" contains the following information (part 1):

Field	Explanation
FTD used as collateral	Fixed-term deposits relevant to the collateral position
FTD used as collateral Interest	Outstanding interest amount for fixed-term deposits relevant to the collateral position
FTD Positions Button	List of all fixed-term deposits (please view chart)

To view the following screen, you have to go to screen "Pool Overview" and then press button "FTD Positions".



Fixed-term deposits not relevant to the collateral position are also included in the overview.

For additional information on the different fields, please visit the UHB (User Handbook), Chapter 3.5.1.1.1.



"View Screen" contains the following information (part 2):

Field	Explanation
Total Euro LPO	Sum of all liquidity-providing operations in euro (nominal amount)
Total Euro LPO Margin	Margin for all liquidity-providing operations in euro
Total Euro LPO Interest	Outstanding interest amount for all liquidity-providing operations in euro
Total Credit	Sum of all credit positions in the pool

Field	Explanation
Total Non Euro LPO	Sum of all non-euro liquidity-providing operations (nominal amount)
Total Non Euro LPO Margin	Margin for all non-euro liquidity-providing operations
Total Non Euro LPO Interest	Outstanding interest amount for all non-euro liquidity-providing operations



### Testing activities to check for the fundamental test cases' success:

### For 3.1. Pool Overview

• Please check if the nominal and interest amounts for your fixed-term deposits and liquidity-providing operations match with your allotted operations.

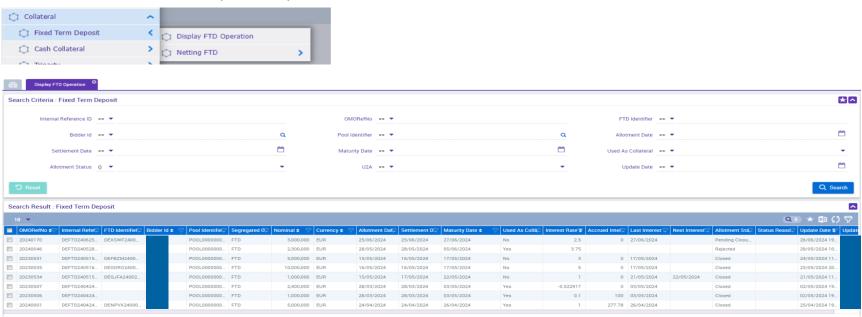
## 3. Monitoring of operations

## 3.2. Collateral



Module: Collateral and Credit

Screen: Collateral >> Fixed Term Deposit >> Display FTD Operation >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "Search Result: Fixed Term Deposit" >> press button "View"



# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.2. Collateral



Search Result : Fixed Term Deposit > View : Fixed Term Deposit				History
Operations Details				^
OMORefNo	Revision		Transaction Type	
20230531		1	Fixed-Term Deposits	
Operation Name	Operation Type		Procedure	
Fine-tuning	Liquidity Absorbing		Quick Tender	
Auction Type	All Method		Business Value Type	
Fixed Rate Tender			RATE	
Quotation	Reference Entity		Allotment Date	
			15/05/2024	
Maturity Date	Settlement Date		Duration In Days	
17/05/2024	16/05/2024			1
Spread	Segregated Operation Type			
	0 FTD			
Allotment Details				<u> </u>
Internal Reference ID	Bidder Id		NCB Identifier	
DEFTD24051500247			DEO	
Pool Identifier	Nominal		Currency	
POOL00000000		5,000,000	EUR	
FTD Identifier	Used As Collateral			
DEFBZM240010008	No		Bids [1]	

## 3. Monitoring of operations 3.2. Collateral



Module: Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Display FTD Operation >> scroll downwards >> press button "Movements Details" >> select data set in "Search

Result: Exposure Movement" >> press button "View"

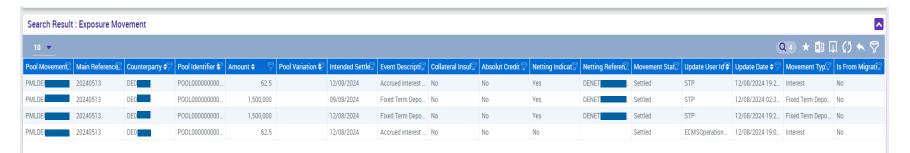
Amounts in EUR		
Provisional Interest in EUR 416.67	Provisional Maturity Amount in EUR 5,000,416.67	Outstanding Amount in EURO 5,000,000
Interest Details		•
Reference Rate	Interest Rate 3	Accrued Interest 0
Is Different Accounting Rate No	Accounting Rate	Accrued Accounting Interest 416.67
Trans Fee Amount	Last Interest Calculation Date 17/05/2024	Next Interest Calculation Date
Status Details		
Allorment Status  Closed	Status Reason	Is Amended No
Action To Validate	U2A Yes	Business Validation Crrors [0]
Payment Details		۵
	Movements Details	

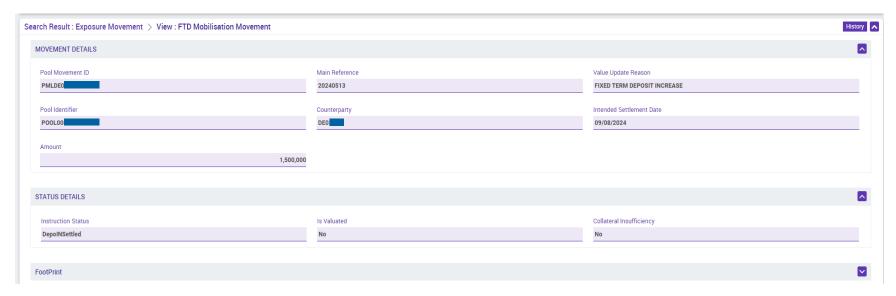
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### 3. Monitoring of operations

### 3.2. Collateral







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### 3. Monitoring of operations

### 3.2. Collateral





# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.2. Collateral



"View Screen" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Provisional Interest	Provisionally calculated interest amount to be paid at maturity
Outstanding Accrued Interest	Interest amount accumulated so far
Total Accounting Interest	Final interest amount from an accounting perspective
Amount prepared for Accounting	Interest amount accumulated so far from an accounting perspective

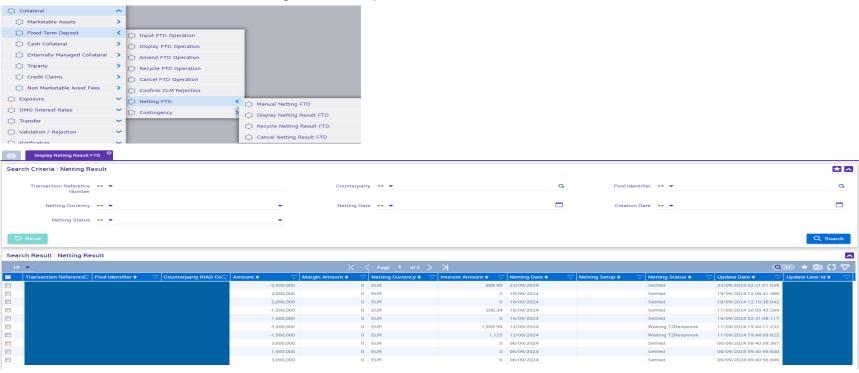
## 3. Monitoring of operations

### 3.2. Collateral



Modul: Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Collateral >> Fixed Term Deposit >> Netting FTD >> "Display Netting Result FTD" >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "Search Result: Netting Result" >> press button "View"



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# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.2. Collateral



Display Netting Result FTD    O		
Search Criteria : Netting Result		<b>★</b> ☑
Search Result : Netting Result > View : Netting Result		History 🔨
Transaction Reference Number	Pool Identifier	Counterparty RIAD Code
Amount	Margin Amount	Interest Amount
-2,000,000	0	888.89
Netting Currency	Netting Date	Netting Setup
EUR	23/09/2024	
Netting Status	Error Description	
Settled		
Movements Details		_
Netting Movement	Netting Interest Movement	Margin Movement
PMLDE00000	PMLDE00000	AMA
Netting Details		
Settling Operation [0]	Maturing Operation [1]	Maturing Early Repayment [0]
FootPrint		

## 3. Monitoring of operations

### 3.2. Collateral



### Testing activities to check for the fundamental test cases' success:

For 3.2. Collateral:

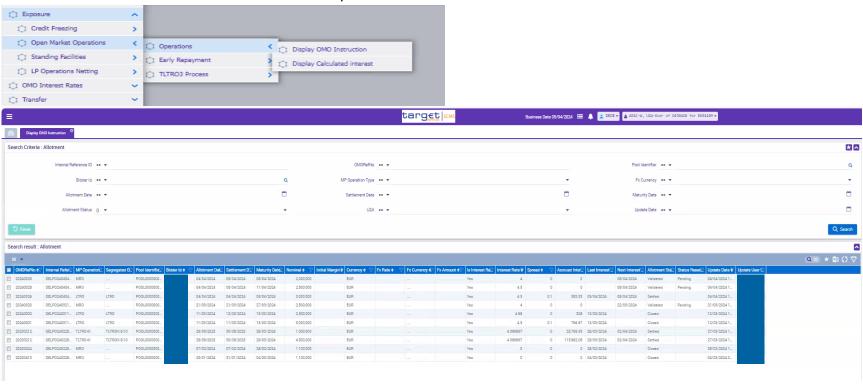
• Please check if the calculated interest amounts match your allotted operations on a daily basis and at maturity.

## 3. Monitoring of operations 3.2. Collateral



**Module:** Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Exposure >> Open Market Operations >> Operations >> Display OMO Instruction >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "Search Result: Allotment" >> press button "View"

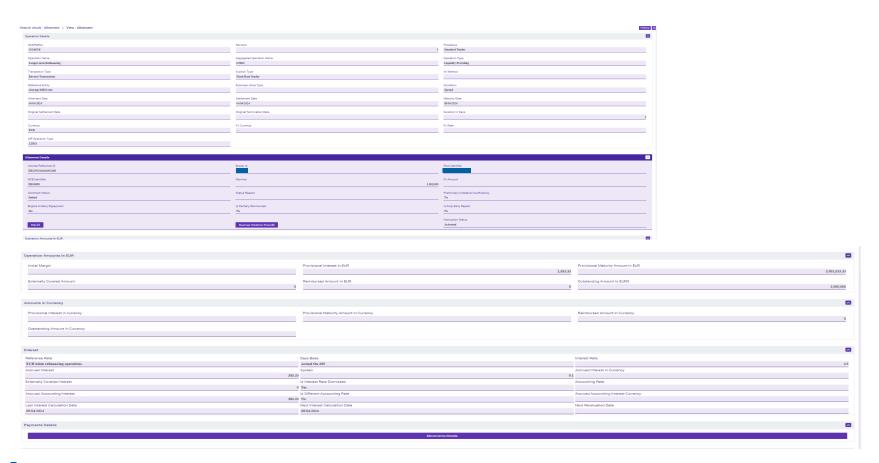


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## 3. Monitoring of operations

## 3.2. Collateral





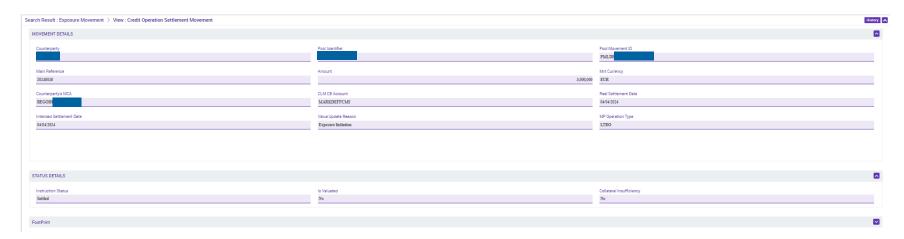


Module: Collateral and Credit

Screen: Display OMO Instruction >> scroll downwards >> press button "Movements Details" >> select data set in

"Search Result: Exposure Movement" >> press button "View"

Search Result : Expo	osure Movement														
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Pool Movement ID ¢	Main Reference \$	Counterparty \$	Pool Identifier \$	Amount	Pool Variation \$	Intended Settlement Date \$	Event Description \$	Collateral Insufficiency \$	Absolut Credit Limit Breec	Netting Indicator \$	Netting Reference \$	Movement Status \$	Update User Id \$	Update Date \$	Movement Type \$
PMLDE0	20240026			1,533.33		08/04/2024	Credit Operation Interest	No	No	No		Prepared		04/04/2024 19:12:57:789	Intereot
PMLDE0	20240026			3,000,000		04/04/2024	Credit Operation Settlement	No	No	No	DENET24040410002001	Settled		04/04/2024 12:02:41:874	Caoh
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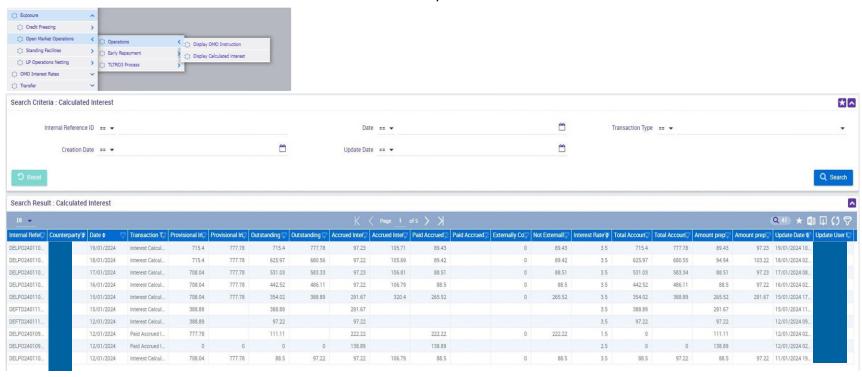


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**Module:** Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Exposure >> Open Market Operations >> Operations >> Display Calculated Interest >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "Search Result: Calcualted Interest" >> press button "View"





Search Result : Calculated Interest > View : Calculated Interest		History 🔥
Interest Details		^
Date	Internal Reference ID	Provisional Interest Amount
28/10/2024	DELP	737.23
Provisional Interest Amount in currency	Accrued Interest	Accrued Interest Amount in Currency
777.78	315.96	333.34
Outstanding Accrued Interest	Outstanding Accrued Interest In Currency	Paid Accrued Interest
421.28	444.45	
Paid Accrued Interest in currency	Externally Covered Interest Amt	Not Externally Covered Interest Amt
Total Accounting Interest	Total Accounting Interest in Currency	Amount prepared for Accounting
105.32	111.11	0
Amount prepared for Accounting in Currency		
0		
FootPrint		<b>▽</b>





To be able to match the calculated interest amounts with the tender operations, you need the "Internal Reference ID" from the "Display OMO Instruction Screen" (for more, please go to page xx)

"View Screen" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Provisional Interest	Provisionally calculated interest amount to be paid at maturity
Outstanding Accrued Interest	Interest amount accumulated so far
Total Accounting Interest	Final interest amount from an accounting perspective
Amount prepared for Accounting	Interest amount accumulated so far from an accounting perspective



"Display Calculated Interest" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Transaction Type	Interest rate payment or interest rate calculation
Provisional Interest	Provisionally calculated interest amount to be paid at maturity
Outstanding Interest	Interest amount accumulated so far
Accrued Interest	Interest amount accumulated on a daily basis
Interest Rate	Interest rate applied to an operation

## 3. Monitoring der Geschäfte 3.3. Exposure



### Testing activities to check for the fundamental test cases' success:

For 3.3. Exposure:

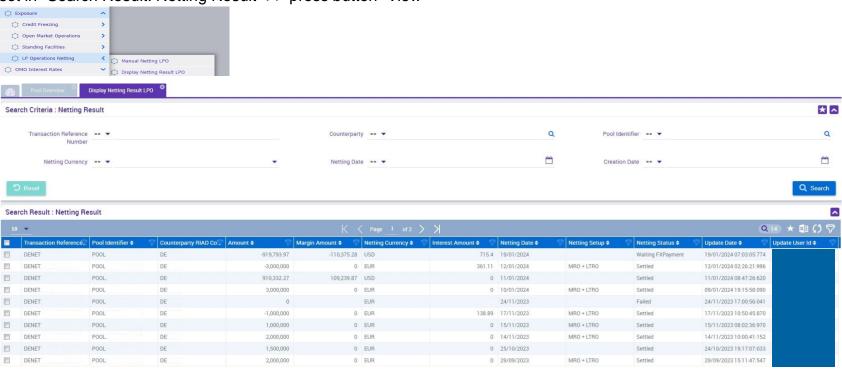
• Please check if the calculated interest amounts match your allotted operations on a daily basis and at maturity.

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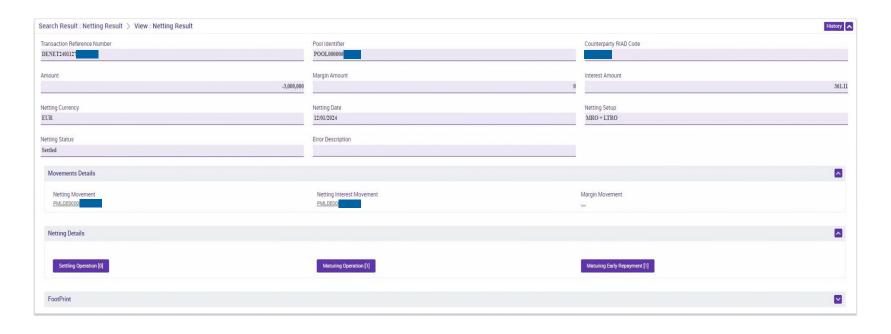
Module: Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Exposure >> LP Operations Netting >> "Display Netting Result LPO" >> press button "Search" >> select data set in "Search Result: Netting Result" >> press button "View"



# 3. Monitoring der Geschäfte 3.3. Exposure (Netting)





# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.3. Exposure (Netting)



"Netting Results LPO" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Amount	Nominal netted amount in Euro
Margin Amount	Netted margin of foreign currency transactions in Euro
Netting Currency	Currency of operations that have to be netted
Interest Amount	Netted interest payments in Euro
Netting Date	Date of netting
Netting Setup	Type of netted operations

For additional information on the different fields, please visit the UHB (User Handbook), Chapter 3.3.3.2.3.1.

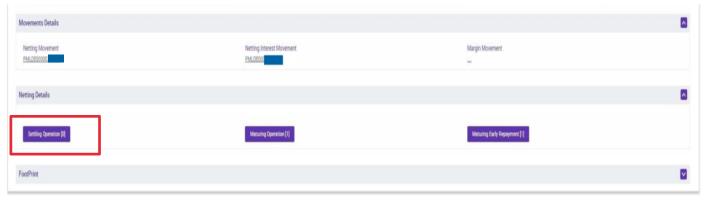
# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.3. Exposure (Netting)



Module: Collateral and Credit

**Screen**: Exposure >> LP Operations Netting >> "Display Netting Result LPO" >> press button "Search" >> select data

set in "Search Result: Netting Result" >> press buttin "View" >> press button "Settling Operation"



Internal Referenc	Pool Identifier \$ 7	OMORefNo \$	Accrued Interest 😜	Fx Amount 🕈 🦁	Outstanding Amo	Contract Currency	Fx Currency 🗢 🦁	Instruction Status	Used As Collatera	To Be Netted 🕈 🖓	Creation Date 🕈 🖓	Update Date 🕈 🦻	Creation User Id 🕏	Update User Id 🔷
DELPO.	POOL .	20230184	0		0	EUR		Closed	Yes	No	09/01/2024 14:39:	12/01/2024 02:26:	N N	
DELPO.	P00L	20230180	0		0	EUR		Closed	Yes	No	09/01/2024 14:34:	12/01/2024 02:26:		

## 3. Monitoring of operations

## 3.3. Exposure (Netting)



- With "View" it is possible to view data from the List screen for a single operation.
- With "Settling Operation", "Maturing Operation" and "Maturing Early Repayment" it is possible to view details about the netted operations.
- "Display Netting Result LPO" contains the following information:

Field	Explanation
Accrued Interest	Currently outstanding interest amount
Outstanding Amount	Currently outstanding nominal amount
Contract Currency	Currency of operation
Instruction Status	Current status of operation

**Attention**! When the operation reaches maturity, the accrued interest amount and the outstanding amount both turn to 0 €. It is not possible to check past values.

For additional information on the different fields, please visit the UHB (User Hand Book), Chapter 3.3.3.2.3.3.

# 3. Monitoring of operations 3.3. Exposure (Netting)



### Testing activies exceeding the fundamental test cases:

Additionally, for 3.3. Exposure:

• Please check if your booked and matured operations were netted correctly based on the nominal amounts, interest amounts and the booking date.

### Additional information



- Please send an e-mail to <u>ecms-test@bundesbank.de</u> in case of questions or if you notice any bugs or abnormalities.
- We require confirmation of the test cases from page 4 you conducted. Please complete the survey sent to you.