

# **SUMMARY TREASURY STRATEGY Q2 2022**

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# **Objective**

The Treasury Strategy is a document produced by the Treasury & Asset Management unit with the purpose to review and guide its investment activities. The objective is to define the investment strategy for the next quarter as well as to align our investment decisions to EUROFIMA's long-term investment goals. This is a summary of the internal extended version of the Treasury Strategy which contains a market overview, a performance and portfolio review as well as a section dedicated to strategy. The document is submitted to the Management Committee (i.e., the CEO and CFO) for approval each quarter end.

EUROFIMA publishes this summary of the Treasury Strategy on its webpage with a focus on the portfolio overview and key risk metrics. The objective of this summary is to increase transparency in our investment activities and give an update on our progress on the topic of responsible and sustainable investment management.



#### Portfolio Overview

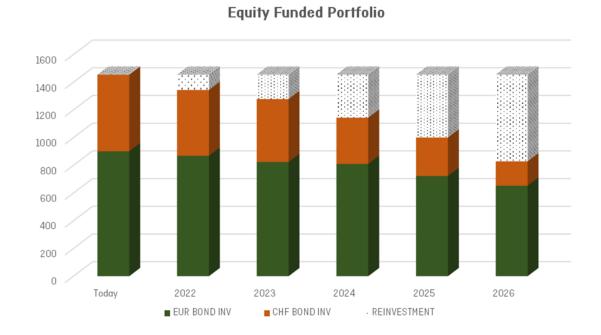
The investments managed by the Treasury & Asset Management unit are allocated into four dedicated portfolios, which are defined based on the purpose and the source of funds. These portfolios are named accordingly, see below for the respective details.

Following EUROFIMA's official signing of the United Nations-supported Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) in January 2020, the Treasury & Asset Management unit applies Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) integration according to the Six Principles for Responsible Investment in its investment decision process for all portfolios and for 100% of its investments. Since January 2022, EUROFIMA has stated to engage with its investee companies on the sustainability topic following the earlier approved <a href="Investment Guidelines.">Investment Guidelines</a>.

#### **Equity Funded Portfolio**

The source of funds in the Equity Funded Portfolio is the organisation's paid-in shareholder capital, reserves and retained profits. The investment strategy pursues a favourable long-term total return through fixed income investments, while giving particular consideration to capital preservation.

## Overview existing Equity Funded Portfolio Investments<sup>1</sup>:



<sup>1</sup> Year figures show year end, data as of 22 March 2022

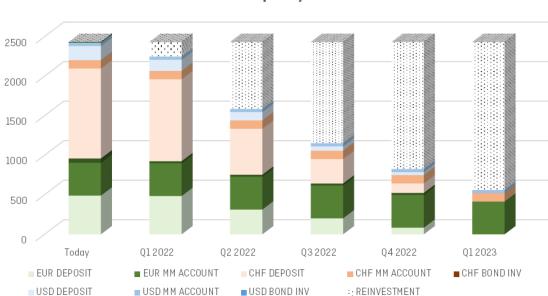
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#### **Funded Liquidity Portfolio**

The Funded Liquidity Portfolio is funded by borrowing in the money and capital markets. The investment strategy is to ensure EUROFIMA's liquidity at any given time and to fulfil requirements set by external credit rating agencies or internally.

#### Overview existing Funded Liquidity Portfolio Investments<sup>2</sup>:



## **Funded Liquidity Portfolio**

#### **Margining Portfolio**

The Margining Portfolio is comprised of cash received or placed as collateral against the market values of all derivative instruments under Credit Support Annex (CSA) agreements. The investment or funding strategy aims to efficiently manage this collateral. The portfolio is invested in short-term EUR denominated deposits.

## **Warehousing Portfolio**

The funds in the Warehousing Portfolio are raised in the money and capital markets. The investment strategy for this portfolio, which acts as a temporary storage of funds to facilitate Equipment Financing Contracts (EFC), is dependent on the disbursement to railways. The portfolio is invested in short-term EUR denominated deposits.

<sup>2</sup> Quarter figures show quarter end, data as of 22 March 2022



# **Investment Strategy**

The overarching investment strategy of the Treasury & Asset Management unit is to achieve the portfolio objectives within a pre-defined risk budget with respect to liquidity, financial and ESG risks according to our <u>Treasury Policy</u>. The key metrics relevant for steering the portfolios are shown in the table below. Treasury & Asset Management unit's investment activities follow a three-dimensional approach, which incorporates interest rate risk targets, credit risk targets and ESG score targets. The unit's processes and operations are specified in the PORTFOLIO GUIDE-LINES.

#### Strategy for Duration, Risk-weighted Assets and ESG Scoring:

	EQF		FL		MARG	
	Target <sup>3</sup>	Current	Target <sup>3</sup>	Current	Target <sup>3</sup>	Current
Modified Duration	6.00%	5.55%	0.35%	0.33%	0.20%4	0.08%
Risk-weighted Assets	EUR 275m (Ø18%)	EUR 269m (Ø17%)	EUR 400m (Ø16%)	EUR 369m (Ø15%)	Ø 12.0%	Ø 9.6%
ESG Scoring <sup>5</sup>	below 20.0	19.9	below 23.0	22.5	below 30.0	31.0

Concerning the end of Q2 2022 targets for Equity Funded Portfolio (EQF), we keep the duration target at 6.0%. In order to meet the long-term investment targets for the risk-weighted assets, we keep the value for end of Q2 2022 at EUR 275m which is within the general limits set by the Board of Directors. In Funded Liquidity Portfolio (FL), we will keep our duration and risk-weighted asset targets unchanged. Also, for the Margining Portfolio (MARG), we will keep all targets as they were for the last quarter. In terms of the ESG scoring, we set the ESG targets for EQF at below 20.0, for FL at below 23.0, and for MARG at below 30.0 based on the Sustainalytics risk scale<sup>6</sup>.

<sup>3</sup> Target for end of Q2 2022

<sup>4</sup> The target duration for MARG will be reviewed during Q2 2022 with the establishment of the new risk framework

<sup>5</sup> Figures represent weighted-average Sustainalytics scores, most of non-rated investments are mapped to the respective government

<sup>6</sup> Sustainalytics ESG risk ratings: 0-10 negligible, 10-20 low, 20-30 medium, 30-40 high, 40+ severe



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