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# T2-T2S Consolidation Status Update

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TARGET Consolidation  
Contact Group (TCCG)

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**DG Market Infrastructure and Payments**  
T2-T2S Consolidation

# A. Project Workstreams

## 1 Product Readiness

Specifications phase

Development phase

Testing and Migration

## 2 Community Readiness

## 3 Operational Readiness

## 4 Legal Readiness

# T2-T2S Consolidation

High-level Timeline Status Update

Issues

Moderate Challenges

Progressing as planned

Continued activities after UDFS baselining

Completed

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		2018				2019				2020				2021				2022				2023
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
Product Readiness	Specifications phase																					
		User Requirements, Specifications and Other Documentation																				
	Development phase																					
		Development and 4CB internal testing activities																				
	EAT																					
		EAT Framework and Strategy, EAT Connectivity, EAT Preparation, EAT Execution and EAT Reporting																				
Community Readiness																						
		User Readiness, Community Readiness documentation, CB and User Training and Testing, Communication																				
Operational Readiness																						
		Network Connectivity, Migration, Op. Documentation																				
Legal Readiness																						
		Legal Framework, Agreement(s) with the Service Providing NCBs																				

# Specifications phase

## UDFS

- **UDFS v2.2**

- ☒ UDFS published on 01/04
- ☒ Updated Usage Guidelines (UGs) published in MyStandards and in the Readiness Portal

- **UDFS v3.0**

- ☐ To be published by end of Q3 2022 (before go-live)

## UHB

- **UHB v2.0**

- ☒ BILL UHB v2.0: published on 29/07
- ☒ ECONS-II UHB v2.0: published on 07/09
- ☒ CLM, RTGS UHB v2.0: published on 01/12

- **UHB v3.0**

- ☐ CLM, RTGS, DWH: Q2 2022
- ☐ Common Components: beginning of Q4 2022 (before go-live)

## Change Requests

- ☒ 0058, 0074, 0079, 0080 were published on ECB website

# Development phase



## Development and 4CB Integration Testing

- ❑ Most of the software delivery is progressing as planned.
- ❑ Following points of contention deserve management attention:
  - Delivery schedule for the NRO for CLM and RTGS
  - Rescheduling of integration testing between BILL and ECMS
  - (Un-)availability of IAC testing environment increasing contention on testing teams and requiring mitigation (i.e. weekend work)
  - Contention on DWH delivery requiring ad-hoc resolution plan and leading to some Use Cases not being released timely for the start of User Testing

Yellow

Yellow

Red

Red

# Central Bank Testing (CBT)

- ❑ CBT progress below expectation due to blocking issues, which were addressed, **Yellow** allowing CBs to speed up their test campaigns from the second half of October onwards.
- ❑ On 30 November 2021, mandatory test cases completion was on average at 94% (up from 90%). Average overall test completion is at 55% (up from 49%).

# User Testing (UT)

- ❑ The MIB concluded on the overall readiness and confirmed the start of User Testing on 1 December 2021.
- ❑ The User Testing started officially on 1 December 2021.
  - CBs are currently capturing their reference data and the reference data of their participants.
  - Each CB will communicate to their participants when they can access CRDM.
  - Once the reference data in CRDM are configured and liquidity has been distributed then participants can start testing CLM and RTGS.
- ❑ Upcoming focus session on User Testing on 19 January 2022.

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# Community Readiness

- The current reporting cycle with cut-off 01/12/2021 is closed. Focus was on some CB milestones and the following milestones for participants:

Description	
IST2.P	Training for user testing completed
NCO2.P	Network connectivity tests completed
UTA1	User testing activities started

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# Operational Readiness

- ❑ Work on the operational documentation is ongoing.
- ❑ A solid/stable version of the Infoguide v0.1 was delivered for market consultation (5 November - 19 November).
  - There was no feedback received from the TCCG members.
- ❑ Operational Testing will be conducted in two phases:
  - Without the involvement of participants Feb – Apr 2022
  - With the involvement of participants during summer 2022

Reason: the availability of the UTEST environments

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# Legal Readiness

- ❑ Legal work is ongoing.
- ❑ The structure of the (future) TARGET guideline is stable .
- ❑ Ongoing LEGCO written consultation on the TARGET Services Draft Guideline.
- ❑ Guideline publication is foreseen for February 2022.

**Thank you for your attention!**



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