

# 1 Euro banknotes

## 1.1 Euro banknotes, quantities

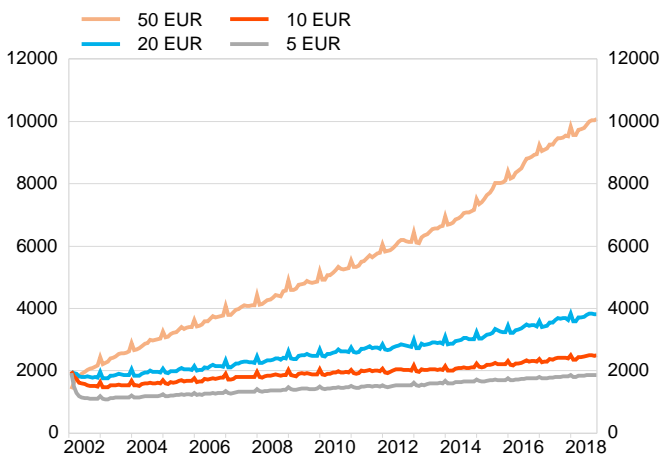
(millions, unless otherwise indicated, not seasonally adjusted)

	TOTAL	500 EUR	200 EUR	100 EUR	50 EUR	20 EUR	10 EUR	5 EUR
% share of total banknotes (circulation of euro banknotes)								
2018 Oct.	100.0	2.4	1.2	12.6	46.3	17.5	11.4	8.6
Circulation of euro banknotes (outstanding amount, end of period)								
2015	18,895	614	207	2,145	8,398	3,440	2,326	1,766
2016	20,223	540	234	2,433	9,231	3,592	2,389	1,805
2017	21,407	514	247	2,624	9,826	3,830	2,504	1,863
2018 Q1	21,117	514	247	2,635	9,729	3,714	2,440	1,838
Q2	21,506	514	250	2,690	9,903	3,797	2,487	1,865
Q3	21,720	518	251	2,733	10,034	3,823	2,490	1,871
2018 Aug.	21,737	515	251	2,725	10,030	3,845	2,500	1,871
Sep.	21,720	518	251	2,733	10,034	3,823	2,490	1,871
Oct.	21,776	521	253	2,744	10,075	3,819	2,493	1,873
Issued by Eurosystem (during period)								
2015	36,583	179	75	1,319	11,778	10,823	8,677	3,732
2016	35,995	145	99	1,451	11,521	10,723	8,425	3,631
2017	35,195	148	84	1,438	11,440	10,370	8,233	3,481
2018 Q1	7,649	38	17	317	2,490	2,219	1,801	767
Q2	8,595	35	19	373	2,799	2,510	2,012	846
Q3	8,709	40	19	386	2,873	2,542	2,009	840
2018 Aug.	3,042	13	6	133	1,000	893	703	294
Sep.	2,598	14	6	115	853	751	605	254
Oct.	2,914	15	7	130	956	836	680	290
Returned to Eurosystem (during period)								
2015	35,216	172	72	1,190	10,888	10,617	8,595	3,682
2016	34,668	219	72	1,163	10,688	10,571	8,362	3,592
2017	34,012	175	71	1,247	10,846	10,132	8,118	3,423
2018 Q1	7,938	37	16	306	2,587	2,334	1,865	792
Q2	8,205	34	16	319	2,625	2,427	1,965	820
Q3	8,495	37	18	342	2,743	2,517	2,006	833
2018 Aug.	2,977	13	6	120	966	884	699	289
Sep.	2,615	11	5	107	849	773	615	254
Oct.	2,859	12	6	120	916	839	678	288
Net issuance by Eurosystem (during period)								
2015	1,367	8	3	129	890	206	81	50
2016	1,328	-74	27	288	833	152	63	39
2017	1,183	-26	13	191	594	238	115	58
2018 Q1	-290	0	1	11	-97	-115	-64	-25
Q2	389	1	3	55	174	82	48	27
Q3	214	3	1	44	131	26	3	6
2018 Aug.	65	1	0	13	34	8	4	5
Sep.	-17	3	0	8	4	-22	-9	0
Oct.	56	3	1	10	40	-4	2	2

Source: ECB.

### 1.1.1 Circulation of low denomination banknotes

(millions, end of period)



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### 1.1.2 Circulation of high denomination banknotes

(millions, end of period)

