# 6.2 Government debt

# 6.2.1 Euro area - debt by financial instrument and sector of the holder

(as a percentage of GDP; outstanding amounts at end of period)

	Total		struments		Holders					
		Currency and	Loans	Short-term debt securities	Long-term debt		Non-resident creditors 2)			
		deposits	3		securities	Total	MFIs 7	Other financial corporations	Other sectors	10
		2			5	6		8		
2016 2017	90.0 87.5	3.3 3.2	15.7 14.5	4.8 4.4	66.2 65.5	47.4 48.0	30.7 32.0	12.0 11.6	4.8 4.5	42.6 39.5
2018 2019	85.5 83.6	3.1 3.0	13.7 12.9	4.0 3.8	64.7 63.8	47.9 45.2	32.2 30.4	11.2 10.8	4.4 4.0	37.7 38.4
2020	97.3	3.2	14.2	7.0	72.9	54.6	39.1	11.2	4.3	42.7
2020 Q4	97.3	3.2	14.2	7.0	72.9	÷		•		
2021 Q1 Q2	100.0 98.3	3.2 3.1	14.1 13.9	7.2 6.7	75.5 74.7			•		

Source: ECB for annual data; Eurostat for quarterly data.

Note: Government debt at face value and consolidated within and between sub-sectors of government. Holdings by non-resident creditors are not consolidated except in the case of intergovernmental lending in the context of the financial crisis.

- 1) Holders resident in the country whose government has issued the debt.
- 2) Includes residents of euro area countries other than the country whose government has issued the debt.

### 6.2.2 Euro area debt - by issuer, maturity and currency denomination

(as a percentage of GDP; outstanding amounts at end of period)

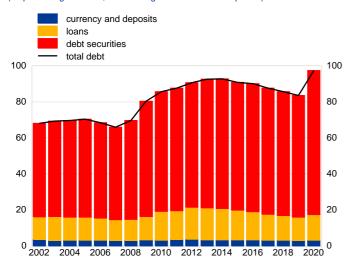
	Total	Issuer <sup>1)</sup>				Original maturity			Residual maturity			Currencies	
		Central gov.	State gov.	Local gov.	Social security funds	Up to 1 year	Over 1 year	Variable interest rate	Up to 1 year	Over 1 and up to 5 years	Over 5 years	Euro or participating currencies	Other currencies
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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2020	97.3	82.0	7.6	5.4	2.4	11.3	86.0	6.4	19.1	31.5	46.7	95.6	1.7

Source: ECB.

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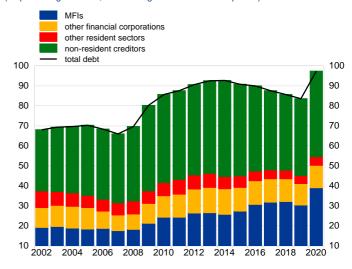
# 6.2.3 Debt by financial instrument

(as percentage of GDP; outstanding amounts at end of period)



### 6.2.4 Debt by holder

(as percentage of GDP; outstanding amounts at end of period)



Source: ECB. Source: ECB.

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<sup>1)</sup> Excludes debt held by general government in the country whose government has issued it.