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## Stakeholders participating in wave 1

The following stakeholders have been approved by the ECB's Governing Council to participate in exploratory work in the period between May and November 2024:

Name of participating entity	Market participant	Market DLT operator	Central bank DLT operator
B. Metzler seel. Sohn Co. AG	✓		
BNP Paribas SA <sup>a</sup>	✓	✓	
Clearstream Banking AG		✓	
Clearstream Banking S.A., Luxembourg		✓	
DekaBank Deutsche Girozentrale <sup>a</sup>	✓	✓	
Deutsche Bank AG	✓		
DZ BANK AG – Deutsche Zentral-Genossenschaftsbank	✓		
Eurex Clearing AG	✓		
European Investment Bank	✓		
J.P. Morgan SE	✓		
Landesbank Baden-Württemberg <sup>a</sup>	✓	✓	
LuxCSD S.A., Luxembourg		✓	
Spuerkeess	✓		
Oesterreichische Nationalbank			✓

a: Join as both market participant and market DLT operator.

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<sup>1</sup> The following euro area central banks are involved in wave 1 of the exploratory work: Banque centrale du Luxembourg, Banque de France, Banca d'Italia and Deutsche Bundesbank.