



SSP release 11.0 Amendment of the release go-live

In April 2016 the Eurosystem communicated the go-live of TARGET2 release 11.0 being scheduled for 20 November 2017, a date which coincides with the yearly SWIFT Standard Release. Moreover in September 2016 it was confirmed that TARGET2 would enhance the ASI procedure 6-integrated with release 11.0 to address the requirements of ACHs in the context of instant payments.

In order to allow the ACHs and their respective Central Banks to start uploading the necessary static data sufficiently ahead of the go-live date of the new SCT^{inst} scheme, the Eurosystem decided to anticipate by one week the deployment of the TARGET2 release 11.0 on the production environment (PROD) i.e. on 13 November 2017. All the other main milestones of the release will remain unchanged.

The updated main milestones applicable to the implementation of TARGET2 release 11.0 are as follows:

First user consultation	<i>Collection of items</i>	19 Feb – 17 Mar 2016
	<i>Feedback on collected items</i>	28 Mar – 15 Apr 2016
Freezing and communication on the release content		31 Oct 2016
Delivery of the UDFS		28 Apr 2017
Delivery of the users' test scenarios		18 May 2017
Start of user testing in CUST		11 Sep 2017
Go-live		13 Nov 2017