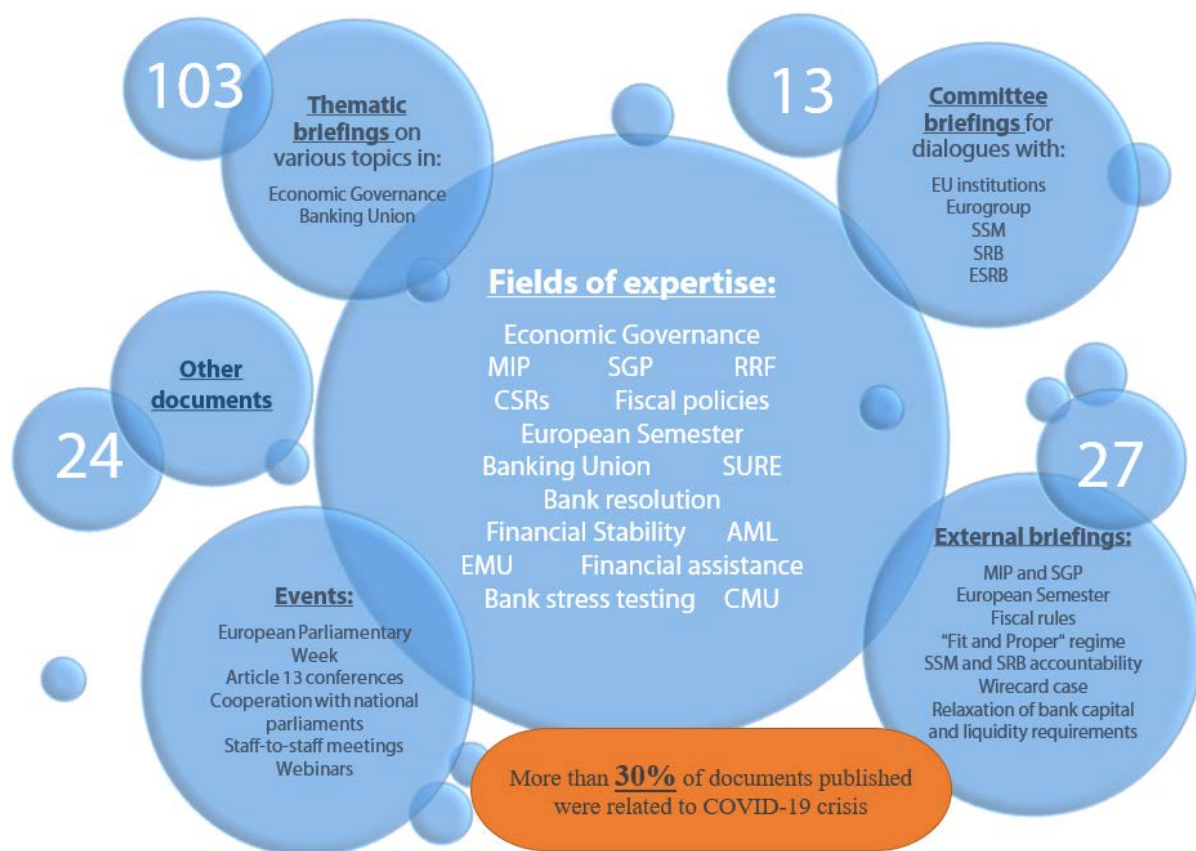


EGOV 2020 Annual Activity Report



One year in numbers:



Economic Governance Support Unit

ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT 2020

This activity report covers the year 2020 and presents an overview of the expertise provided by the Unit in the area of economic governance and banking union in view of supporting the related scrutiny activities in the competent committee(s).

INTRODUCTION

The COVID-19 crisis affected Economic Governance Support Unit (EGOV) work in a similar way as many other entities, it required the Unit to adjust to the new working arrangements, as well as to focus to a high degree on the economic and financial impacts of the crisis. Such narrowed approach explains that more than 30% of EGOV work on 2020 directly addressed COVID-related issues, be it on economic governance or the Banking Union.

Several workflows have been majorly interrupted by the COVID-19 crisis, nevertheless, EGOV managed to finalise in 2020 the launch of a new Panel of Banking experts to assist Members of the European Parliament (EP) in scrutinising the Banking Union. This new panel comprises a diverse range of expertise in three different lots: Banking Supervision, Bank Resolution, and Financial Stability (the last lot is intended to be consulted on a more data driven advice, when analysis of financial stability trends is needed). The first round of papers are expected to be delivered by this Panel in spring 2021. Internal training, committee events and seminars with external speakers was another workflow that has been strongly affected by the pandemic outbreak. For specific events, such as webinars with staff of national parliaments, the new way of on-line working has also provided convenient alternative ways for future co-operation.

Despite all the unprecedented disruptions and uncertainty, the Unit was able to fulfil its objectives and increase the amount of its publications by almost 11% to 172 publications (from 155 publications in 2019).

I. EGOV objectives and expertise

The EGOV provides expertise in the area of the economic governance and banking union, aiming at supporting the EP and its relevant committees and bodies in their scrutiny-related role. [EGOV](#) is part of the Directorate-General for Internal Policies of the Union (DG IPOL).

The main objectives of the Unit are to support and improve scrutiny related EP activities, notably by: i) providing high-quality and timely supporting analyses for Economic Dialogues and Banking Union Public Hearings¹, ii) monitoring the application and

¹ In particular with the President of the Eurogroup, Single Supervisory Mechanism, Single Resolution Board, European Systemic Risk Board, relevant Commissioners, among others.

implementation of the EU economic governance² and the banking union³ frameworks, and
iii) strengthening the links between EU parliaments.

The main responsibilities of EGOV comprise:

- (a) Drafting briefings and commissioning external expertise based on the scheduled work of the competent committee(s) (see chapter II below);
- (b) Developing projects aiming at strengthening the cooperation with national parliaments, namely through supporting the preparation of inter-parliamentary meetings, at political level, and through staff level meetings (see chapter III);
- (c) Providing in house training and organising seminars or hearings related to Unit's areas of expertise (see chapter IV).

EGOV publications (hereafter referred as briefings) cover five main types of documents:

- (1) *Committee briefings*, provided in advance of a specific committee event;
- (2) *Thematic briefings*, which aim to monitor - on a regular basis - economic governance and banking union developments;
- (3) *External briefings and expertise*, provided by external experts, based on a specific request;
- (4) *Delegation briefings*, prepared for external visits by members of Parliament and usually not published;
- (5) *Fact sheets*, which depict short overviews of EU policies.

For the purpose of this activity report, the term "briefing" covers the categories used in EP publications (*i.e. at a glance, briefing, in-depth analysis, study and fact sheet*).

The Unit also keeps some databases updated, such as on the [Country Specific Recommendations](#).

² Notably, the Stability and Growth Pact, Macroeconomic Imbalances Procedure, Country-Specific Recommendations, etc.

³ Specifically, decisions made by the Single Supervisory Mechanism, Single Resolution Board, European Systemic Risk Board, European Supervisory Authorities, etc.

Box 1 provides more details to the three most relevant briefings produced by EGOV.

Box 1: Types of documents produced by EGOV

1. **Committee briefings** are provided in advance of a **specific event** in the competent Committee(s), such as economic dialogues, exchanges of views and accountability hearings with the:

- EU institutions (the Commission, the Council, and the Eurogroup);
- Member States;
- Single Supervisory Mechanism (SSM);
- Single Resolution Board (SRB); and
- European Systemic Risk Board (ESRB).

Committee briefings are also provided for specific working groups established in the Economic Affairs Committee, namely the Banking Union Working Group (BUWG), the Financial Assistance Working Group (FAWG), as well as in advance of meetings with national parliaments, in the domain of economic governance and the banking union.

2. **Thematic briefings** are drafted and updated, on a regular or an ad hoc basis, to provide information and reflect recent developments on selected topics in the area of economic governance and the banking union.

3. **External briefings and expertise** are commissioned to external experts, upon request by the competent committee, to complement the internal expertise and provide normative assessments and/or policy recommendations. In the area of economic governance, external briefings are mainly provided in order to support the scrutiny of the Euro Area and in advance of economic dialogues with the President of the Eurogroup. In order to support the scrutiny activities in the area of banking union, a dedicated panel of experts was first established in January 2016 and has been used ever since, in advance of hearings with the SSM and SRB. In 2020, a new panel was set up to assist in scrutinising the Banking Union for the current parliamentary term.

II. Publications in 2020

Despite the fact that due to the COVID-19 pandemic outbreak, 2020 was a challenging year and required the Unit to adapt to the new working conditions, EGOV managed to perform its duties and produced 172 briefing papers in total:

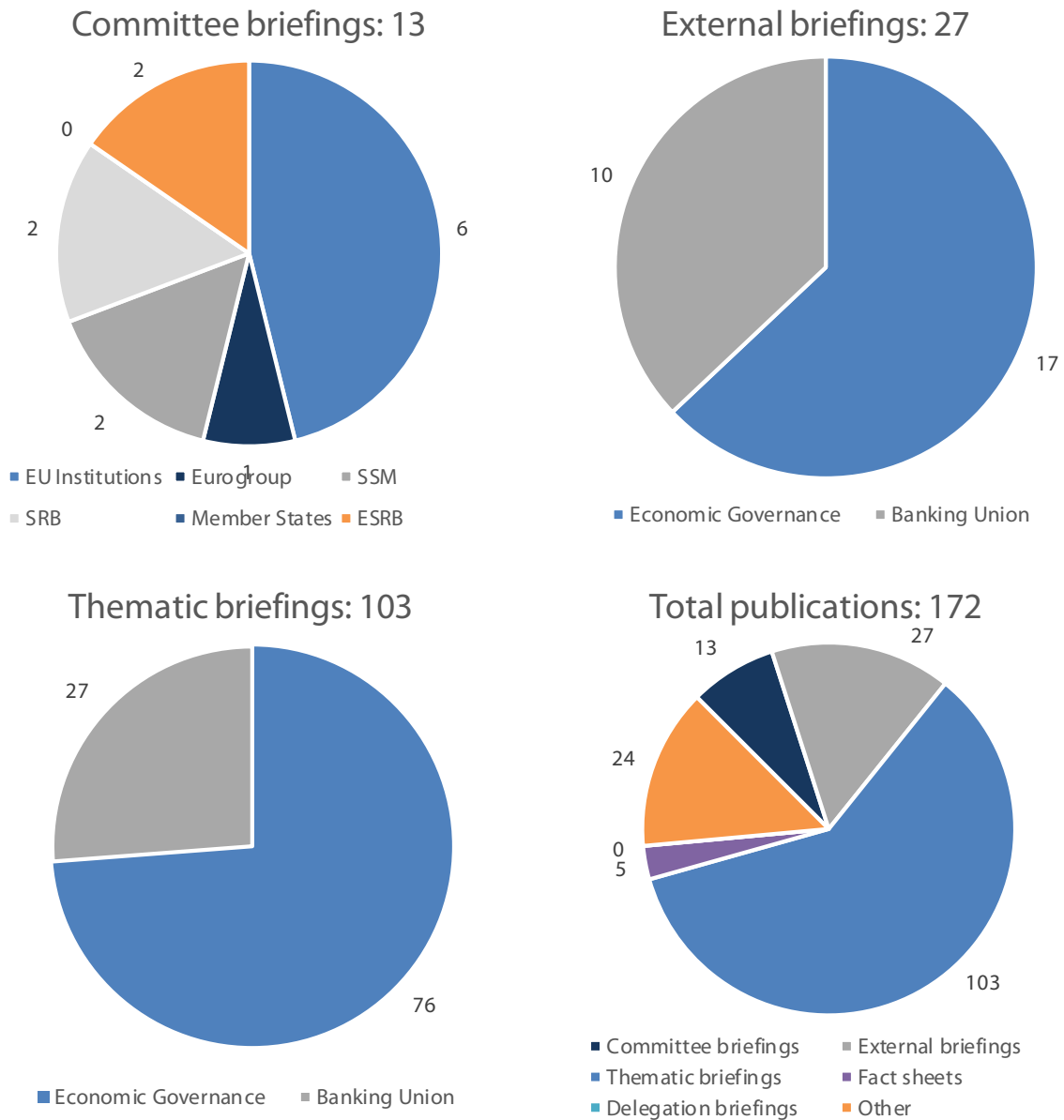
EGOV briefings in 2020 by document type*				
Document	Description	New	Updates	Total
Committee briefings	Briefing published for an ECON committee event, namely, dialogues and hearings with relevant institutions	13 (11)	n.a.	13 (11)
Thematic briefings	Briefings presenting recent developments in the EU economic governance and/or Banking Union	45 (33)	56 (75)	101 (108)
External briefings	Briefings prepared by external authors upon request	27 (19)	n.a.	27 (19)
Delegation briefings	Briefings prepared for ECON official visits to Member States, institutions or international events (not published)	0 (1)	n.a.	0 (1)
Fact sheets	Text prepared for EP Fact sheets	0	5 (5)	5 (5)
Other		26 (11)	n.a.	26 (11)
TOTAL		111 (75)	61 (80)	172 (155)

* Numbers provided in parenthesis correspond to EGOV publications in 2019.

EGOV 2020 production by EP document category*			
Description	New	Updates	Total
At a Glance (1-2 pages)	4 (4)	8 (18)	12 (22)
Briefings (3-12 pages)	57 (26)	22 (32)	79 (58)
In-Depth Analysis (12-36 pages)	30 (26)	26 (22)	56 (48)
Study (>37 pages)	14 (7)	0 (3)	14 (10)
Fact sheets	0 (0)	5 (5)	5 (5)
Other format	6 (12)	0 (0)	6 (12)
TOTAL	111 (75)	61 (80)	172 (155)

* Numbers provided in parenthesis correspond to EGOV publications in 2019.

EGOV briefings are available on the European Parliament's Think Tank page and in the Registry of Documents, as well as on the ECON homepage - ECON Policies: [Economic Governance](#) and [Banking Union](#). In 2020 EGOV continued using its LinkedIn [webpage](#) to make the publications available more visible to a broader audience once published on the European Parliament website.



Annex 2 provides a full list of EGOV’s publications in 2020.

III. Linking the levels with national parliaments

In the framework of inter-institutional co-operation between the European Parliament and National Parliaments aiming to increase knowledge sharing and capacity building, seven staff-to-staff meetings (two working group meetings: one in Brussels and one, due to the pandemic outbreak, virtual; five webinars in virtual format) were organised with colleagues from national parliaments dealing with the European Semester, as well as national measures to tackle COVID-19 crisis and boost the recovery.

EGOV also provided expertise support in advance of meetings with Members of national parliaments (at political level) in the context of the so called “Article 13 Conference” (in virtual format, in co-operation with German Council presidency) and the European Parliamentary Week (in Brussels).

EGOV 2020 events organised	
Topic	Date
Staff working group meeting - Launch of the new Semester Cycle 2020	17 January, 2020
European Parliamentary Week, Article 13 Conference	18-19 February, 2020
Staff-to-Staff Webinar - Monitoring of the economic measures related to COVID-19 from a Parliament Perspective - sharing the best practices	22 April, 2020
Workshop on the European Semester with staff of national parliaments, Spring 2020 package	8 June, 2020
Staff-to-Staff Webinar - National measures for COVID-19 recovery - sharing the best practices	2 July, 2020
Staff-to-Staff Webinar - German EU Presidency 2020 from a parliamentary perspective	8 July, 2020
Staff-to-Staff Webinar - Preparing for the Article 13 conference with German EU Presidency	17 September, 2020
Article 13 Conference	12 October, 2020
Staff working group meeting - The launch of the 2021 European Semester Cycle in the light of the COVID-19	10 December, 2020
TOTAL	9

IV. Trainings, Workshops, Conferences

In 2020, due to pandemic outbreak, there were no trainings, workshops or conferences organised for the Members or the staff of the EP.

IV. EGOV resources

The **internal expertise** is provided by a team of 12 members (1 HoU, 6 ADs, 1 END and 4 ASTs):

Head of Unit	Kajus Hagelstam	
Assistants	Donella Boldi Solveiga Kumsare Ovidiu Turcu	Administration
	Javier Vega-Bordell	Research assistance
Banking Union	Kristina Grigaitė Marcel Magnus Rebecca Segall (since 16/08)	Financial stability, banking supervision and resolution
Economic Governance	Jost Angerer Cristina Dias Alice Zoppè Wolfgang Lehofer, END	Public finances, Country-specific recommendations, Macroeconomic imbalances, National Parliaments

The external expertise is commissioned under the supervision of the Unit from two separate budget lines:

- Economic Governance (since 2013) - allocated budget for 2020 was 100,000 €;

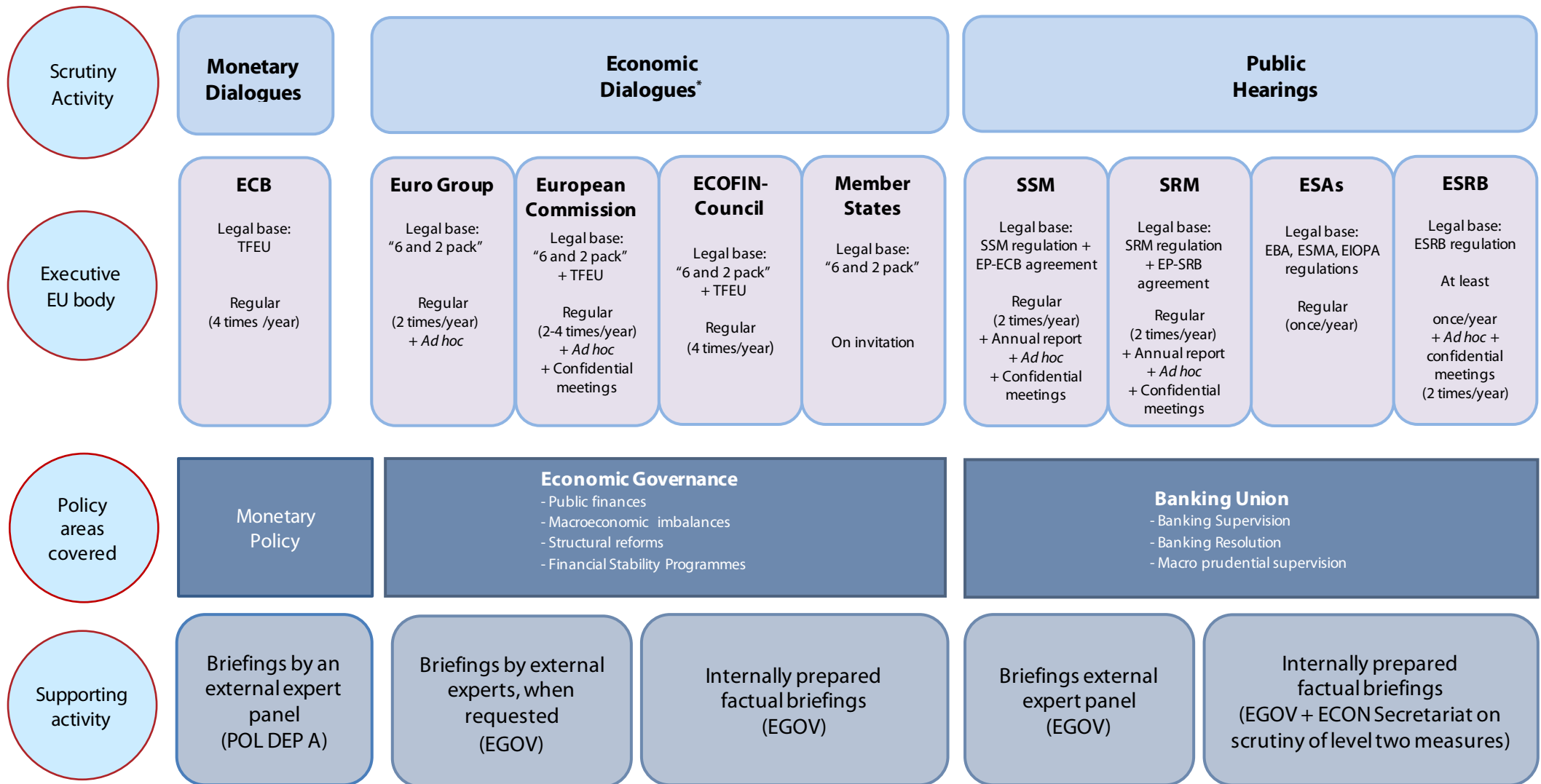
- Banking Union (since 2015) - allocated budget for 2020 was 150,000 €.

The rate of the actual budget consumed depends on the demand by the competent Committee for external expertise in the area of economic governance and banking union.

Acknowledgments

EGOV publications would not be possible without the cooperation and the support of colleagues in the competent Committee(s) Secretariats, notably the ECON Secretariat and in the Editorial Unit for the timely publishing of our documents on the public EP register.

ANNEX 1: SCRUTINY ACTIVITIES AT COMMITTEE LEVEL IN THE AREA OF MONETARY, ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS



* In addition, *ad hoc* hearings may be organised by the competent committee with the Managing Director of the ESM, the Director-General of Eurostat, the Chair of the European Advisory Fiscal Board, and the President of the EIB. Meetings with national parliaments on the implementation of the European Semester/Banking Union are also organised on a regular basis.

ANNEX 2: LIST OF 2020 ECONOMIC GOVERNANCE THEMATIC BRIEFINGS

The following tables present a summary of all EGOV published briefings, organised to distinguish, first, between those relating to Economic Governance and Banking Union, and then, between thematic briefings, committee briefings and external briefings and expertise (see box 1 above).

Thematic briefings are drafted and updated on a regular or an *ad hoc* basis. The number of updates of each specific briefing is included in the calculations of the overall statistics.

2.a Economic governance thematic briefings

Publication date	PE No	Title	New	Upd
16/01/2020	634.368	The role of national fiscal bodies - State of play	1	
16/01/2020	497.739	Implementation of the Macroeconomic Imbalance Procedure: State of play		3
24/01/2020	624.429	Recommendations on the economic policy of the euro area under the European Semester		1
30/01/2020	624.440	The European Semester for economic policy coordination: A reflection paper	1	
06/02/2020	624.436	Economic Dialogues with other EU institutions under the European Semester Cycles during the 9th legislative term		4
11/02/2020	574.407	Potential output estimates and their role in the EU fiscal policy surveillance		1
18/02/2020	624.406	Public finances in Euro Area Member States: selected indicators		2
04/03/2020	645.700	2020 Recommendations on the economic policy of the Euro Area: A comparison of Commission and Council texts (the 'comply or explain' principle)	1	
04/03/2020	497.746	Implementation of the Stability and Growth Pact		2
30/03/2020	645.723	Regular update on EU-EA level mitigating measures	1	15
02/04/2020	645.718	The European Financial Stabilisation Mechanism: Main features	1	
07/04/2020	614.497	The ESM and the EIB: comparison of some features		1
14/04/2020	645.720	A recipe for a sustainable and legitimate new EU/EA fiscal instrument?	1	
15/04/2020	645.721	The SURE: Main Features	1	2
17/04/2020	634.357	The proposed amendments to the Treaty establishing the European Stability Mechanism		2
17/04/2020	602.116	The role (and accountability) of the President of the Eurogroup		4
20/04/2020	624.400	Implementation of the 2019 Country-Specific Recommendations	1	
27/04/2020	624.443	Country-Specific Recommendations for 2018 and 2019	1	
27/04/2020	645.715	Thematic digest on EU Economic Governance during the pandemic	1	
06/05/2020	528.757	Key macroeconomic indicators for Cyprus, Greece, Portugal and Ireland		1
11/05/2020	645.744	Comparison of key figures in the 2020 Stability Programmes and European Commission spring 2020 forecast		1
11/05/2020	528.737	Selected Euro Area Macroeconomic Indicators		3
18/05/2020	651.348	What role for the European Semester in steering the economic recovery?	1	
28/05/2020	645.748	Country Specific Recommendations for 2020	1	
11/06/2020	542.675	Key Macroeconomic Indicators for the Euro Area and the United States		2
02/07/2020	542.650	Implementation of Country-Specific Recommendations under the MIP		1
06/07/2020	634.371	Composition of Public Expenditures in the EU		1
16/07/2020	528.753	External Imbalances in the Euro Area		1

28/08/2020	651.367	Macro-Financial Assistance to EU Member States	1	
31/08/2020	651.350	The ESM Pandemic Crisis Support		2
18/09/2020	528.767	The legal nature of Country-Specific Recommendations		1
22/09/2020	624.404	Country-Specific Recommendations: An overview		1
08/10/2020	651.361	Thematic Digest on EU Economic Governance Review	1	
08/10/2020	624.444	Background reader on the European Semester Autumn 2020 Edition	1	
22/10/2020	645.716	EU economic developments and projections	1	3
17/11/2020	659.613	Key figures of 2021 Draft Budgetary Plans	1	
20/11/2020	651.346	The Financial Stability Board (FSB)	1	
24/11/2020	659.615	Thematic Digest: "The role for the European Semester in the recovery plan"	1	
25/11/2020	659.618	Implementation of the Stability and Growth Pact under pandemic times	1	
02/12/2020	651.379	Recommendation on the economic policy of the euro area	1	
03/12/2020	659.622	The European Semester during the Pandemic	1	
TOTAL			22	54
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2.b Economic Governance Committee briefings

Document			Event			
Date	PE No	Title	Date	Name	Institution	Comm.
20/01/2020	645.699	Economic Dialogue and Exchange of Views with the President of the Council (ECOFIN)	22/01/2020	Economic Dialogue	Council (ECOFIN)	ECON
23/01/2020	645.705	Economic Dialogue with the Commission on the 2020 Draft Budgetary Plans	27/01/2020	Economic Dialogue	Commission	ECON
23/01/2020	645.706	Economic Dialogue with the Commission on the 2020 European Semester Cycle	27/01/2020	Economic Dialogue	Commission	ECON
21/04/2020	645.737	Economic Dialogue with the President of Eurogroup	21/04/2020	Economic Dialogue	Eurogroup	ECON
27/05/2020	651.362	Economic Dialogue with the European Commission on the 2020 CSRs	27/05/2020	Economic Dialogue	Commission	ECON
31/08/2020	651.366	Economic Dialogue and Exchange of Views with the President of the Council (ECOFIN)	02/09/2020	Economic Dialogue	Council (ECOFIN)	ECON
03/12/2020	651.380	Economic Dialogue with the European Commission on the 2021 European Semester Cycle	07/12/2020	Economic Dialogue	Commission	ECON/EMPL
TOTAL						7

2.c Economic Governance external briefings

Publication date	PE No	Title	New
26/02/2020	634.403	L. Codogno - Macroeconomic Imbalances Procedure: has it worked in practice to improve the resilience of the euro area?	1
12/03/2020	645.710	A. Bénassy-Quéré, G. Wolff - How has the macroeconomic imbalances procedure worked in practice to improve the resilience of the euro area?	1
14/04/2020	645.625	A. Kriwoluzky, M. Rieth - How has the Macroeconomic Imbalances Procedure worked to improve the resilience?	1

06/07/2020	651.382	P. van den Noord - The role of fiscal rules in relation with the green economy	1
20/07/2020	614.523	D. Gros, M. Jahn - Benefits and drawbacks of an "expenditure rule", as well as of a "golden rule", in the EU fiscal framework	1
04/07/2020	651.365	P. Leino-Sandberg, F. Losada Fraga - How to make the European Semester more effective and legitimate?	1
02/09/2020	645.732	W. H. Reuter - Benefits and drawbacks of an "expenditure rule", as well as of a "golden rule", in the EU fiscal framework	1
03/09/2020	614.524	A. Pekanov, M. Schratzenstaller - The role of fiscal rules in relation to the green economy	1
03/09/2020	651.364	C. Cottarelli - The role of fiscal rules in relation to the green economy	1
07/10/2020	645.733	Z. Darvas, J. Anderson - New life for an old framework: redesigning the European Union's expenditure and golden fiscal rules	1
07/10/2020	651.368	T. Wieser - What role for the European Semester in the recovery plan?	1
15/10/2020	651.371	B. Crum - How to provide political guidance to the Recovery and Resilience Facility?	1
15/10/2020	651.370	J. F. Kirkegaard - What role for the European Semester in the recovery plan?	1
10/11/2020	651.377	M. Moschella - What role for the European Semester in the recovery plan?	1
25/11/2020	651.378	E. Jones - When and how to deactivate the SGP general escape clause?	1
11/12/2020	651.376	K. J. Gern, S. Kooths, U. Stolzenburg - When and How to Deactivate the SGP General Escape Clause?	1
16/12/2020	651.381	L. Lambertini - What and how to deactivate the SGP general escape clause?	1
TOTAL			17

ANNEX 3: LIST OF 2020 BANKING UNION BRIEFINGS

3.a Banking union thematic briefings

Date	PE No	Title	New	Upd
06/02/2020	634.359	What do we know about BICC today?		2
02/04/2020	645.724	The ECB's disclosure of Pillar 2 capital requirements	1	
07/04/2020	645.719	Banking Union: Corona crisis effects - week 15	1	
23/04/2020	645.739	Banking Union: Corona crisis effects - week 17	1	
15/05/2020	645.746	Banking Union: Corona crisis effects - week 20	1	
15/05/2020	645.728	SSM and the SRB accountability at European level - a summary of three external briefing papers	1	
02/06/2020	651.352	Banking Union: Corona crisis effects - week 22	1	
15/06/2020	651.356	Banking Union: Corona crisis effects - week 24	1	
15/06/2020	651.344	Banks' exposure to Home sovereign bonds	1	
19/06/2020	645.707	A roadmap to completing the Banking Union	1	
29/06/2020	651.357	Banking Union: Wirecard - week 26	1	
17/09/2020	645.702	Macroprudential policy toolkit for the banking sector	1	
18/09/2020	645.701	Institutional set up of macroprudential policy in the European Union	1	
29/09/2020	651.360	Update on recent banking developments - week 40	1	
08/10/2020	658.180	Commitments made at the hearing of Mairead McGuinness	1	
08/10/2020	651.369	Guidance by the EU supervisory and resolution authorities on Brexit	1	
21/10/2020	651.372	European Parliament's Banking Union reports in 2015-2019	1	
10/11/2020	645.731	Update on recent banking developments - week 46	1	
10/11/2020	651.345	Thematic Digest on the Wirecard	1	
20/11/2020	659.617	Guidance by the FSB, BCBS and IAIS on COVID related measures	1	
01/12/2020	659.619	Banking Union: ESMA report on Wirecard	1	
08/12/2020	659.621	Single Resolution Board: Accountability arrangements (9th parliamentary term)	1	
08/12/2020	659.623	Single Supervisory Mechanism: Accountability arrangements (9th parliamentary term)	1	
10/12/2020	659.624	Banking Union: Update on recent banking developments - week 50	1	
TOTAL			23	2
			27	

3.b Banking union Committee briefings

Document			Event			
Date	PE No	Title	Date	Name	Institution	Comm.
04/05/2020	645.742	Exchange of views with A. Enria, Chair of the ECB Supervisory Board	05/05/2020	Exchange of Views	ECB Supervisory Board	ECON
04/05/2020	645.743	Public hearing with Elke König, Chair of the Single Resolution Board	05/05/2020	Public Hearing	SRB	ECON
05/06/2020	651.355	Public hearing with Christine Lagarde, Chair of the European Systemic Risk Board	08/05/2020	Public Hearing	ESRB	ECON
26/10/2020	645.729	Public hearing with Elke König, Chair of the Single Resolution Board	27/10/2020	Public Hearing	SRB	ECON
26/10/2020	645.730	Public hearing with A. Enria, Chair of the ECB Supervisory Board	27/10/2020	Public Hearing	ECB Supervisory Board	ECON
17/11/2020	645.712	Public hearing with Christine Lagarde, Chair of the European Systemic Risk Board	19/11/2020	Public Hearing	ESRB	ECON
TOTAL						6

3.c Banking union external briefings

Date	PE No	Title	New
24/03/2020	624.442	A. Resti - Is the current "fit and proper" regime appropriate for the Banking Union? How to improve the regulatory and supervisory framework.	1
08/04/2020	645.711	M. Lamandini, D. Ramos Muñoz - SSM and SRB accountability at European level: What room for improvements?	1
22/04/2020	645.726	R. Smits - SSM and the SRB accountability at European level: room for improvements?	1
23/04/2020	645.727	A.C. Bertay, H. Huizinga - Has the application of the "fit and proper" regime improved governance structures in the Banking Union?	1
14/05/2020	645.747	J. Zeitlin, F. B. Bastos - SSM and the SRB accountability at European level: room for improvements?	1
28/10/2020	651.384	G. Barba Navaretti, G. Calzolari, A. F. Pozzolo - What are the wider supervisory implications of the Wirecard case?	1
29/10/2020	651.374	A. Matyunina, S. Ongena - Has the relaxation of capital and liquidity buffers worked in practice?	1
29/10/2020	651.373	J. Abad, R. Repullo - The relaxation of bank capital and liquidity requirements in the wake of the coronavirus crisis	1
29/10/2020	651.383	B. Garcia Osma, A. Gisbert, B. Navallas - What are wider supervisory implications of the Wirecard case?	1
05/11/2020	651.385	K. Langenbacher, C. Leuz, J. P. Krahnert, L. Pelizzon - What are the wider supervisory implications of the Wirecard case?	1
TOTAL			10

ANNEX 4: Other documents

Date	Link	Title	New
13/01/2020		Background note: Support for Banca Popolare di Bari (not public)	1
13/01/2020		Background note: The “no State aid” decision in case of NordLB bank (not public)	1
03/02/2020	1	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 1: Becoming a global leader in combating climate change: What role for EU economic, budgetary and social policies?	1
03/02/2020	2	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 2: Widening and deepening of EMU Governance: What next?	1
03/02/2020	3	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 3: From transparency to sustainability: Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) objectives in financial services	1
03/02/2020	4	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 4: A European Child Guarantee as a toll to fight poverty	1
03/02/2020	5	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 5: Fair minimum wages	1
03/02/2020	6	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 6: The EU Budget under the next MFF 2021-2027: Fit to address the global challenges	1
03/02/2020	7	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 7: Towards a new international tax system?	1
03/02/2020	8	Inter-parliamentary Conference on Stability, Economic Coordination and Governance in the EU Background Note 8: Skills and Jobs for inclusive growth	1
11/03/2020	645.703	EGOV Annual Activity Report 2019	1
30/03/2020	645.704	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 30 March	1
06/04/2020	645.717	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 6 April	1
15/04/2020	645.736	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 15 April	1
21/04/2020	645.738	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 21 April	1
27/04/2020	645.740	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 27 April	1
04/05/2020	645.741	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 4 May	1
12/05/2020	645.745	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 12 May	1
19/05/2020	651.349	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 19 May	1
04/06/2020	651.353	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 4 June	1
15/06/2020	651.354	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 15 June	1
01/07/2020	651.358	The economy and coronavirus: weekly picks - 1 July	1
07/09/2020	9	Country-Specific Recommendations Database	2
12/10/2020		Parliamentary Project Portfolio on “enhanced EMU scrutiny” - work stream on the Banking Union (not public)	1
12/10/2020		Parliamentary Project Portfolio on “enhanced EMU scrutiny” - work stream on the Economic Governance (not public)	1
TOTAL			26

ANNEX 5: Fact Sheets on the European Union (regularly updated)

First update date	Title	
01-01-2018	Banking union	1
01-04-2018	Economic Governance	1
01-01-2018	A new framework for fiscal policies	1
01-01-2018	Macroeconomic Surveillance	1
01-02-2018	Financial Assistance to Member States	1
TOTAL		5

Note: fact sheets are regularly updated, at least twice a year. In 2020, EGOV staff has updated the 5 fact sheet several times; updates require minor changes, therefore in this activity report they are counted as one document update only.

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