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## Important monetary policy data for the week ending 20 April 2007

### Assets and liabilities of the SNB of relevance for monetary policy

(in CHF millions)

Assets	20 April 2007	Changes from previous week
Claims from main financing and fine-tuning transactions	22'101.0	-3.0
Claims from the liquidity-shortage financing facility	0.0	0.0
Liabilities		
Banknotes in circulation	38'253.0	-597.0
Sight deposit accounts of domestic banks	4'728.0	+363.4
Liabilities from liquidity-absorbing transactions	0.0	0.0

### **Reference interest rates SNB**

Date	Target range for three- month Libor	Three-month Libor	Special rate liquidity-shortage facility*
16.04.07	1.75% - 2.75%	2.31417%	3.93%
17.04.07	1.75% - 2.75%	2.31667%	4.02%
18.04.07	1.75% - 2.75%	2.31417%	4.03%
19.04.07	1.75% - 2.75%	2.32417%	3.89%
20.04.07	1.75% - 2.75%	2.33000%	3.89%

\* Repo Overnight Index (SNB) from previous day + 2%

# **Minimum reserves: sight deposits of domestic banks averaged over the reporting period \*** (in CHF millions)

Previous reporting period Average until	Sight deposits	Current reporting period Average until	Sight deposits
23.03.07	6'652	20.04.07	4'728
30.03.07	6'342		
06.04.07	5'833		
13.04.07	5'487		
Final figure			
Period	5'301		

\* The period lasts from the 20th of a month until the 19th of the following month

### Minimum reserves: compliance during the last 12 periods

(in CHF millions)

Period	Requirement	Eligible assets*	Notes Coins	Sight deposits	Compliance in percent	Interest rate**
20.02.06 - 19.03.06	8'055	10'042	4'884	5'157	125	4.03%
20.03.06 - 19.04.06	8'155	9'795	4'937	4'859	120	4.16%
20.04.06 - 19.05.06	8'225	10'023	4'724	5'300	122	4.27%
20.05.06 - 19.06.06	8'285	10'473	4'845	5'627	126	4.34%
20.06.06 - 19.07.06	8'241	9'822	4'737	5'085	119	4.42%
20.07.06 - 19.08.06	8'180	9'565	4'818	4'747	117	4.43%
20.08.06 - 19.09.06	8'142	9'479	4'644	4'834	116	4.57%
20.09.06 - 19.10.06	8'119	9'765	4'810	4'956	120	4.73%
20.10.06 - 19.11.06	8'184	9'464	4'643	4'821	116	4.74%
20.11.06 - 19.12.06	8'314	9'857	4'774	5'083	119	4.89%
20.12.06 - 19.01.07	8'404	10'550	5'359	5'191	126	5.06%
20.01.07 - 19.02.07	8'489	9'958	4'732	5'226	117	5.08%

\* Sum of notes/coins and sight deposits

\*\* Interest obligation in the event of non-fulfilment of the minimum reserve requirements

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Bids

12'768

19'372

14'078

10'270

18'468

2.11%

2.11%

2.12%

Allocation

4'501

5'500

5'500

4'501

3'001

Date	Reference rate (weighted)*	Daily high	Daily low	Trading volume in CHF millions	Number of transactions
16.04.07	2.02%	2.15%	1.00%	3'728	64
17.04.07	2.03%	2.08%	1.80%	2'791	62
18.04.07	1.89%	2.02%	1.80%	3'388	59
19.04.07	1.89%	1.97%	1.75%	2'288	55
20.04.07	2.08%	2.19%	2.00%	3'089	57

### Repo Overnight Index (SNB)

The Repo Overnight Index (SNB) is the interest rate average weighted according to trading volumes of overnight GC \* transactions concluded between commercial banks via the electronic trading platform Eurex Repo. Contracts concerning securities eligible for repo transactions with the SNB will be taken into account. The SNB will publish the data made available by Eurex Zurich AG.

27.04.07

30.04.07

08.05.07

**R**-auction

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(in CHF millions)						
Transaction	SNB*	Contract	from	until	Туре	Price**
16.04.07	СР	1W	18.04.07	25.04.07	R-auction	2.10%
17.04.07	СР	1W	19.04.07	26.04.07	R-auction	2.10%

### Daily results of monetary policy transactions

1W

1W

2W

\* CP = cash provider CHF; CT = cash taker CHF

СР

СР

СР

18.04.07

19.04.07

20.04.07

\*\* for bilateral transactions: average rate; for swaps: premium or discount (Pips)

20.04.07

23.04.07

24.04.07