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**Important monetary policy data  
 for the week ending 15 October 2010**

**Reference interest rates SNB**

(in percent)

Date	Target range for three-month Libor	Three-month Libor	Special rate liquidity-shortage facility*
11.10.10	0.00 - 0.75	0.17583	0.56
12.10.10	0.00 - 0.75	0.17417	0.55
13.10.10	0.00 - 0.75	0.17250	0.54
14.10.10	0.00 - 0.75	0.17250	0.55
15.10.10	0.00 - 0.75	0.17417	0.55

\* SARON (Swiss Average Rate Overnight), 12.00 p.m. fixing + 50 basis points.

**Swiss Average Rates\***

(in percent)

Date	SARON 12.00 p.m. fixing	SARON Close of trading	SAR1W Close of trading	SAR1M Close of trading	SAR3M Close of trading
11.10.10	0.057	0.045	0.152	0.189	0.256
12.10.10	0.046	0.036	0.143	0.208	0.261
13.10.10	0.042	0.036	0.150	0.210	0.282
14.10.10	0.046	0.038	0.144	0.170	0.277
15.10.10	0.049	0.039	0.102	0.194	0.253

\* Swiss Average Rates are volume-weighted average rates based on the transactions concluded on the given trading day and the reference prices of that day. Reference prices are calculated on the basis of available quotes in the order book of the Eurex Repo electronic trading platform. Swiss Average Rates are calculated by SIX Swiss Exchange.

**Sight deposits of domestic banks averaged over the week**

(in CHF millions)

Average for the week of 15 October 2010

31 597

**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
20.08.10	45 972	24.09.10	24 231
27.08.10	37 047	01.10.10	27 670
03.09.10	33 111	08.10.10	29 641
10.09.10	30 855	15.10.10	30 168
17.09.10	30 200		
Final figure period	30 069		

\* 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 %	Interest rate** in %
20.08.09 - 19.09.09	8 889	60 246	5 571	54 674	678	4.02
20.09.09 - 19.10.09	8 970	53 275	5 635	47 640	594	4.02
20.10.09 - 19.11.09	8 884	49 361	5 655	43 706	556	4.03
20.11.09 - 19.12.09	8 894	49 091	5 711	43 380	552	4.03
20.12.09 - 19.01.10	8 963	46 945	6 421	40 525	524	4.03
20.01.10 - 19.02.10	9 010	43 653	5 775	37 878	484	4.02
20.02.10 - 19.03.10	9 067	49 483	5 849	43 634	546	4.03
20.03.10 - 19.04.10	9 153	55 434	6 121	49 314	606	4.02
20.04.10 - 19.05.10	9 254	66 883	5 833	61 050	723	4.02
20.05.10 - 19.06.10	9 412	85 203	6 082	79 121	905	4.02
20.06.10 - 19.07.10	9 759	64 450	5 785	58 665	660	4.05
20.07.10 - 19.08.10	9 945	53 731	5 600	48 132	540	4.05

\* Sum of notes/coins and sight deposits.

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