

SCoREBOARD

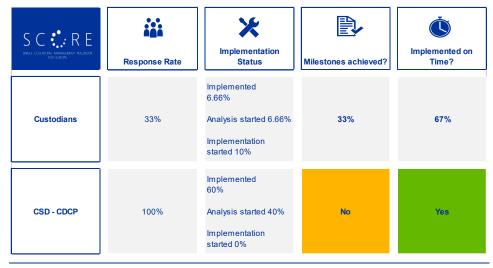
Billing Processes – H2 2021

Slovak NSG

The Single Collateral Management Rulebook for Europe (SCoRE) contains four Standards related to billing processes (published as the SCoRE Standards for Billing Processes). Implementation progress is monitored twice per year. This summary report presents the results of the H2 2021 monitoring exercise conducted by the Slovak NSG with the involvement of the following stakeholders:

- 7 entities are monitored in the Slovak market
- 1 CSDs CDCP
- 6 Custodians

The SCoRE Overview provides a high-level summary of the H2 21 monitoring exercise.



Note: Implemented on time reflects the entity's expected ability to achieve the final milestone on time.

This NSG summary report is structured as follows: The Executive Summary provides an overview of the responses received per Entity Type i.e. CSD, TPA, Custodian etc. Section 1 presents the compliance status of each entity type. Section 2 provides an overview of the progress against the individual milestones. Section 3 then provides a more detailed overview of the implementation status per Standard for each entity type.

Executive Summary

Not all entities participated in the monitoring exercise.

Not all monitored entities in Slovakian market responded to the H2 2021 monitoring exercise due to technical reasons. Nevertheless, we can report that implementation of the SCoRE Billing Standards in the Slovak market is ongoing. We confirm that the final implementation date for all standards should be largely achieved by entities in the market.

CSD - CDCP

CDCP implementation has started and is aimed to be on track

CDCP is already compliant with two out of four standards (Standard 2: Billing cycle and Standard 3: Cut-off date). Implementation of the remaining standards is mildly deteriorated compared to the last reported period. The reason for this is due to the fact that, during the monitored time, it was necessary to finalize another significant project (the termination of the activity of NCDCP in Slovak market and the transfer of assets of its clients to CDCP). Despite this, there are no issues of concern which need to be highlighted, except that some current reporting milestones are shortly delayed. Preparation for implementation of ISO 20022 messages for the billing process (Standard 1) and for amendment of contracts with participants (related to Standard 4) is ongoing. It is expected that the future milestones and the implementation date of November 2023 will be met on time.

Custodians

Custodians are expected to meet future milestones

The work on meeting the reporting milestone is ongoing and implementation of the Standards is progressing. Custodian's compliance status in Slovak market for reported standards is as follows: About 6.66 % the standards have been reported as implemented. The same percentage was reported in relation to standards for which analysis has started. Furthermore, it has been reported that custodians have commenced implementation for 10% of the standards. In relation to specific standards, compliance is higher for Standards 1 and 2 compared to Standards 3 and 4. Custodian are aware of their task to process information as communicated by CSDs at the latest by November 2023. It is expected that future milestones and the implementation date of November 2023 will be met, too. There are no specific issues of concern that need to be highlighted.

NCB

Národná banka Slovenska is on track to adopt the SCoRE Standards in November 2023.

Národná banka Slovenska is on track to implement the SCoRE Standards for Billing Processes for its collateral management activities by November 2023.

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This section presents the overall compliance status in the market. CSDs and TPAs are monitored on an individual basis and are assigned a colour-code status in accordance with the methodology outlined in Box 1¹. Custodians are monitored on an aggregated basis and assigned a percentage compliance status.

Box 1SCoREBOARD – Implementation Phase



- The Standard has been implemented
- Implementation of the Standard is on schedule (based on the agreed milestones)
- Implementation is behind schedule (based on the agreed milestones)
- Implementation has not started

For custodians, progress is monitored and reported as a percentage; for example the % of custodians in a given market who have started internal adaptation of IT systems.

Table ASCoREBOARD

STANDARD	Custodians	CSD - CDCP
1: ISO 20022 messaging	25%	Y
2: Billing cycles	50%	В
3: Cut-off date	0%	В
4: Dates for payments fees	17%	Y

Notes:

- For CSDs and TPAs the colour-code reflects the current implementation status of each Standard in accordance with the methodology outlined in Box 1 above
- For custodians the % indicates that the standard has either already been implemented, or that implementation is on track i.e. at a minimum that
 analysis has already started or that implementation has started per Standard.
- Percentages are calculated on the basis of expected respondents, i.e. number of entities monitored in the market

¹ For further details please refer to the AMI-SeCo Monitoring Framework

2 Milestones

This section tracks an entity's progress in implementing the Standards on an ongoing basis. 13 milestones have been defined as listed in the box below.

Box 2 SCoRE Milestones

Milestone	Description	Date
M1	Analysis Started: Have you commenced an in-depth analysis of all applicable SCoRE Standards in order to identify and document all the changes required to internal processes and procedures in order to comply with the SCoRE Standards?	30/06/2020
M2	Initial Communication: Has initial high-level communication with external stakeholders on the changes introduced by SCoRE commenced?	01/03/2021
М3	Analysis Completed: Have you completed an in-depth analysis of all applicable SCoRE Standards?	31/07/2021
M4	Documentation Completed: Have you documented all the internal processes and procedures which need to be adapted in order to comply with the SCoRE Standards?	31/12/2021
M5	Detailed External Communication: Has detailed communication started regarding (i) upcoming changes in business processes, (ii) messaging formats and usage guidelines (in the case of new messages based on non-registered latest drafts by SWIFT) and (iii) planned testing activities been provided to users?	
M6	SCORE Adaptation Started: Have you started to adapt/develop the processes and procedures in order to comply with the SCORE Standards?	01/01/2022
M7	SCORE Adaptation Complete: Have you completed the necessary adaptations/developments for the processes and procedures in order to comply with the SCORE Standards?	30/06/2022
M8	Internal Testing Started for SCoRE: Have you started to test the changes to your internal processes and procedures which have been introduced in order to comply with the SCoRE Standards?	
М9	Internal Testing Complete for SCoRE: Have you completed the necessary internal testing?	02/12/2022
M10	External Testing Started for SCoRE: Are you in a position to test the changes introduced in order to comply with the SCoRE Standards with your user community (i.e. CSD participants / Collateral Givers and Collateral Takers in the context of the Standards applicable to TPAs)?	
M11	Final External Communication on SCoRE: has final communication to users been provided (i.e. updated user guide to reflect the changes implemented, final message usage guidelines for A2A communication) related to the SCoRE Standards?	01/04/2023
M12	External Testing Completed for SCoRE: Is the testing of the changes introduced in order to comply with the SCoRE Standards with your user community completed (i.e. CSD participants / Collateral Givers and Collateral Takers in the context of the Standards applicable to TPAs)?	13/10/2023
M13	SCORE Standards Implemented: have the SCoRE Standards been implemented?	20/11/2023

Notes: N/A

Milestones expected to be achieved in the current reporting period are highlighted in blue in the header of Table B below. The blue colour-code is then assigned to those milestones which have been successfully achieved to date for each respective entity. Milestones which will only be achieved later are assigned a yellow status, while milestones which will only be achieved with significant delays / where work has not yet commenced are marked in red.

For the remaining milestones (i.e. milestones due to be achieved only after the current reporting cycle) the colour-code indicates an entity's expected ability to achieve a future milestone on time. The expected date of achievement is also indicated in the table if it is different to the milestone date defined by AMI-SeCo.

Table BMilestones

	Custodians	CSD - CDCP
Milestone 1 June 2020	33%	Yes
Milestone 2 March 2021	33%	Yes
Milestone 3 July 2021	33%	01/22
Milestone 4 December 2021	33%	01/22
Milestone 5 December 2021	33%	Yes
Milestone 6 January 2022	33%	06/22
Milestone 7 June 2022	33%	Yes
Milestone 8 July 2022	33%	Yes
Milestone 9 December 2022	50%	Yes
Milestone 10 December 2022	50%	Yes
Milestone 11 April 2023	67%	Yes
Milestone 12 October 2023	67%	Yes
Milestone 13 November 2023	67%	Yes

Notes: Actors were asked to report for all milestones, i.e. whether they meet the current milestones and whether they expect to meet the dates for future milestones.

Summary

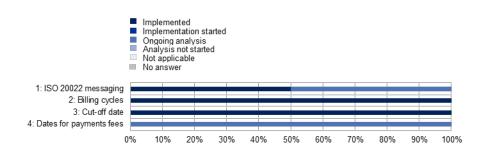
CSD – CDCP has met the first two reported milestones (M1 and M2). CDCP expects to meet the dates for the next milestones (M3 and M4) later than scheduled. Delays are also expected for Milestone 6 which is anticipated to be met by June 2022. The final milestones are expected to be met on time. Regarding custodians, there is a mixed picture. Milestones 1-8 will be met by over a third of custodians, Milestones 9 and 10 will be met by a half of custodians, and Milestones 11 to 13 will be met by 67% of custodians.

3 Implementation status per SCoRE Standard

This section presents the implementation status of each Standard per entity type.

CSD - CDCP

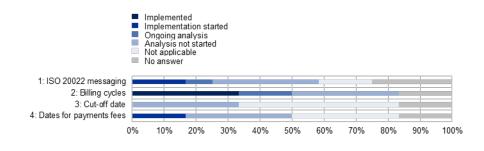
Implementation status per ScoRE Standard



Notes N/A

Custodians

Implementation status per SCoRE Standard



Notes N/A

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For specific terminology please refer to the ECB glossary (available in English only).