



BANGKO SENTRAL NG PILIPINAS

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Subject: Report on Repurchase Agreements of Banks/Quasi-banks

The Monetary Board in its Resolution No. 1400 dated 04 August 2016 approved the issuance of the attached Report on Repurchase Agreements.

Section 1. The following subsection is hereby added to the Manual of Regulation for Banks (MORB) as follows:

“Subsection X192.18 Report on Repurchase Agreements. The Report on Repurchase Agreements is designed to capture timely and comprehensive transactional-level data on repos of UBs and KBs and their subsidiary TBs to strengthen financial surveillance, particularly in monitoring market trends and vulnerabilities in the repo market, and to enable the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas to formulate effective policy responses to ensure continued stability of the financial system.

All UBs/KBs and their subsidiary TBs shall submit the Report on Repurchase Agreements on a solo basis in accordance with the Guidelines on the completion of the Report in Appendix 116.

This report shall be considered a Category B report. Late and/or erroneous reporting of the said report shall be subject to penalties prescribed under Subsection X192.2 for Category B reports.”

Section 2. The following subsection is hereby added to the Manual of Regulation for Non-Bank Financial Institutions (MORNBFI) as follows:

“Subsection 4192Q.18 Report on Repurchase Agreements. The Report on Repurchase Agreements is designed to capture timely and comprehensive transactional-level data on repos of QBs to strengthen financial surveillance, particularly in monitoring market trends and vulnerabilities in the repo market, and to enable the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas to formulate effective policy responses to ensure continued stability of the financial system.

All QBs shall submit the Report on Repurchase Agreements on a solo basis in accordance with the Guidelines on the completion of the Report in Appendix Q-70.

This report shall be considered a Category B report. Late and/or erroneous reporting of the said report shall be subject to penalties prescribed under Subsection 4192Q.2 for Category B reports.”

Section 3. Appendix 6 of the MORB and Q-3 of the MORNBFI on the list of reports required of banks and quasi-banks, respectively, are amended to include the monthly Report on Repurchase Agreements as follows:

APPENDIX 6 OF THE MORB				
A. Universal and Commercial Banks (U/KBs)				
Report Category	Report Title	Frequency	Submission Deadline	Submission Procedure
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos) – Pilot run	One-time	Within 45 banking days from 30 November 2016	By electronic mail to SDC
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos)	Monthly ^{1/}	Within 30 banking days from the end of reference month	By electronic mail to SDC
B. Thrift Banks (TBs)				
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos) – Pilot run	One-time	Within 45 banking days from 30 November 2016	By electronic mail to SDC
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos)	Monthly ^{2/}	Within 30 banking days from the end of reference month	By electronic mail to SDC
APPENDIX Q-3 OF THE MORNBFI				
C. Quasi-banks (QBs)				
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos) – Pilot run	One-time	Within 45 business days from 30 November 2016	By electronic mail to SDC
B	Solo Report on Repurchase Agreements (Repos)	Monthly ^{1/}	Within 30 business days from the end of reference month	By electronic mail to SDC

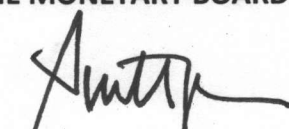
^{1/} Effective 30 June 2017 reference period.

^{2/} Only TBs that are subsidiaries of U/KBs shall submit the report effective 30 June 2017.

Pilot run of the reportorial requirement shall be conducted starting with 30 November 2016 reportorial data for submission on or before 45 banking days after end of reference period. The template of the Report on Repurchase Agreements shall formally take effect starting with the reporting period ending 30 June 2017.

Specific guidelines on the mode and manner of submission of the Report on Repurchase Agreements shall be covered by a separate memorandum issuance.

FOR THE MONETARY BOARD:


AMANDO M. TETANGCO, JR.
 Governor

31 August 2016

**REPORTING GUIDELINES AND INSTRUCTIONS ON
REPORTORIAL TEMPLATE ON REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (REPOS)
(Appendix to Subsec. X192.18/4192Q.18)**

I. RATIONALE

The creation and design of this Prudential Reporting Template for Repurchase Agreements (Repos) aims to strengthen financial surveillance, particularly in monitoring market trends and vulnerabilities in repo markets, to enable supervisory authorities to formulate effective policy responses to ensure continued functioning and efficiency of the financial system. This prudential reporting template only covers borrowings in the form of repo transactions and excludes Reverse Repurchase Agreements.

II. DEFINITION OF REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS FOR BANKS AND QUASI BANKS (QBs)

A repurchase agreement is a contract wherein a bank/QB, in exchange for cash (repo seller/cash borrower), sells the security to another party (repo buyer/cash lender) under a true sale agreement with a simultaneous commitment to repurchase the security at a fixed price at a date certain or on-demand.

Repo sellers/cash borrowers record repos as "Bills Payable–Repo", while repo buyers/cash lenders record repos as "Loans and Receivables Arising from Repurchase, Certificates of Assignment/Participation with Recourse and Securities Lending and Borrowing Transactions – Matrix of Counterparty and Issuer of Collateral Securities".

III. DESCRIPTION, STRUCTURE AND PURPOSE OF DATA ELEMENTS

A. Data elements, vulnerability points, and risk detection

The reportorial template is designed to capture timely and comprehensive transactional-level data on repos of banks/QBs in order to gauge systemic and firm-level risk.

The template consists of three (3) Schedules, namely:

1. End of Day Balance

The 'end of day balance' schedule provides a snapshot of daily repo transactions. It shows the daily movement of repos as well as the fair value of the securities used in the repo transactions. This schedule aims to obtain an aggregated view of repo turnover as well as gearing/leverage on a daily basis.

2. Month-End Balance

The 'month-end balance' schedule shows details of outstanding repos as of the end of the month. The information required for outstanding repos include details on the economic terms of the repo transaction, counterparties, and underlying securities.

Transactional Details

Transactional details of repos, such as the *outstanding balance*, *repo rate* and *remaining maturity*, are essential to ascertaining the funding/maturity profile of repos

of the industry and its exposure to rollover/liquidity and interest rate risk from such funding source. Currency composition of both cash and security components, meanwhile, indicate industry-wide exposure to FX risk related to repos.

Counterparty Details

These consist of information on a bank's/QB's counterparty (repo buyer/cash lender) and its sectoral profile. These aid in determining credit, cross-border and concentration risk of the financial system when aggregated.

Counterparty information enables the assessment of interconnectedness and the manner by which vulnerabilities in a bank/QB can be transmitted to other banks/QBs or firms.

Security Details

The report requires banks/QBs to disclose the *type, quality and fair value of a repo's underlying security*. Said information are indicators of the potential variation in the value of the repoed security and concentration in holding of the underlying repo security which may impact on market liquidity of the security. For purposes of determining fair value of securities, banks/QBs shall be guided by the BSP prescribed marking-to-market guidelines for securities under Appendix 33a of the MORB/Appendix Q-20-a of the MORNBF.1.

3. Repo Transactions for the Month

The 'Repo Transactions for the Month' schedule provides information on repo deals that are transacted and which subsequently mature or are pre-terminated within the reporting month. Banks/QBs that have no repo deals with their entire repo term (avallment up to maturity/pre-termination) falling within the reporting month need not accomplish this schedule.

The data requirements are similar to those required under the 'Month-end Balance' schedule with additional fields pertaining to 'Maturity and Pre-termination Details'.

B. Data Components

1. Components of End of Day Balance Schedule

The following data fields are provided with the following descriptions:

Category	Standardized Data Fields	
	Data Fields	Description
Transaction Details Economic terms of the repo transaction.	Date	Refers to a calendar day (yyyy-mm-dd)
	No. of Repo Deals for the Day	
	Availments	Refers to the number of repo deals availed during the day. Repo availments shall include renewals and rollovers.
	Matured/Pre-terminated	Refer to the number of repo deals matured/pre-terminated during the day.

Transaction Details Economic terms of the repo transaction.	Amount	
	Bills Payable - Repo	
	Beginning Balance	Refers to the ending balance of Bills Payable – Repo of the previous day
	Availment for the Day	Refers to the total amount of repo transactions availed during the day.
	Matured/Pre-terminated for the Day	Refers to the total amount of repo transactions which matured or were pre-terminated during the day.
	Other Adjustments/ Transactions	Refers to adjustments/transactions affecting repos, other than those pertaining to availments, maturing and pre-terminations. Examples of other adjustments/ transactions affecting repos include, but need not be limited to corrections on balances/amortization.
	End of Day Balance	Refers to the ending balance of the Bills Payable – Repo account for the day.
	Fair Value of Security Subject of the Repo	
	Debt Securities	Refers to the mark-to-market (MTM) value of the security, if these are in the form of debt securities, as of the end of the day.
	Equity Securities	Refers to the mark-to-market value of the security, if these are in the form of equity securities, as of the end of the day.
	Total	Refers to the total MTM of securities subject of the repo.

2. Components of Month-End Balance Schedule

Category	Standardized Data Fields	
	Data Fields	Description
Transaction Details Economic terms of the repo transaction.	Entry number	Refers to the unique number that identifies an entry.
	Deal Date	Refers to the date (yyyy-mm-dd) when a repo transaction is availed.
	Maturity Date	Refers to the date (yyyy-mm-dd) when a repo transaction matures. For repos that are on demand, banks shall indicate “on-demand”

Transaction Details Economic terms of the repo transaction.	Market Segment	Refers to the market segment of the repo which can either be: bilateral, tri-party or Central Clearing Counterparty (CCP). CCP refers to repos that are transacted through an entity that interposes itself between counterparties to contracts traded in one or more financial markets, becoming the buyer to every seller and the seller to every buyer and thereby ensuring the performance of open contracts. Bilateral refers to repurchase agreements between two institutions. Tri-party refers to repurchase agreements between two institutions where securities serving as collateral are held by a third party that provides collateral management and settlement services.¹
	Financial Market Infrastructures² such as 1. Tri-Party 2. CCP 3. Trade Exchange	Refers to the name of the institution that provides tri-party, CCP or trade exchange services, if applicable.
	Purpose	Refers to the purpose/reason of the financial institution for entering into a repo transaction. This can be but need not be limited to any of the following: 1. cash funding requirement 2. securities requirement for market-making 3. hedging 4. collateral transformation 5. business contingency testing 6. others
	Term	Refers to the length of the contract. (auto-generated by the reporting system)
	Repo Rate	Refers to the cost incurred by the bank (expressed as a % per annum rate) for borrowing cash, classified either as (1) fixed or (2) floating rate. Note: If the repo rate is floating, report the applicable floating rate as of reporting date.

¹ Source: Committee on Payment and Settlement Systems (CPSS), Principles for financial market infrastructures, April 2012; and Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Paper on Repo and Securities Lending, February 2013

² A multilateral system among participating institutions, including the operator of the system, used for the purposes of clearing, settling, or recording payments, securities, derivatives, or other financial transactions. (Source: Ibid.)

Transaction Details Economic terms of the repo transaction.	Margin	Refers to the amount of margin set aside by the repo seller/cash borrower in accordance with margin parameters agreed by both parties in the repo agreement (expressed in PhP) classified either as (1) cash or (2) security (fair value of the security as of reporting date).
	Contractual Currency	Refers to the original currency of the repos.
	Booking Details	Refers to Regular Banking Unit (RBU), Expanded/Foreign Currency Denominated Unit (E/FCDU) or Foreign Office.
	Bills Payable under Repurchase Agreement	Refers to the amortized cost of repo borrowings in both original currency and peso equivalent, in the case of foreign currency denominated repos ³ , as of reporting date.
Counterparty Details Data on the individuals or institutional unit to which the entity is exposed.	Resident/Non-Resident/Multilateral	A resident refers to an individual or institutional unit that has a center of economic interest in the economic territory of the Philippines. A non-resident refers to an individual or institutional unit that has a center of economic interest outside the economic territory of the Philippines. A Multilateral Agency refers to an international organization defined in the Financial Reporting Package for banks.
	Geographic Region	Refers to the geographic region of the counterparty. This shall consist of: 1. Northern America 2. Latin America 3. Europe 4. Asia 5. Others
	Country	Refers to the country of the counterparty.

³ Circular No 494 Series of 2005. Peso equivalent shall be derived from the Philippine Dealing System (PDS) Peso/US Dollar closing rate or for third currencies the New York US Dollar/Third Currencies closing rates.

Counterparty Details	Sector (General)	Refers to the general sector of the following counterparties:
Data on the individuals or institutional unit to which the entity is exposed.		1. Resident counterparty such as Government, BSP, Bank, and Private Corporations and Individuals; 2. Non-resident counterparty such as Central Government, Public Sector, Banks, Private Corporations and Individuals; or 3. Multilateral Agency refers to the World Bank Group comprised of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) and the International Finance Corporation (IFC), Asian Development Bank (ADB), African Development Bank (AfDB), the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), the Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), the European Investment Bank (EIB), the Nordic Investment Bank (NIB), the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB), the Council of Europe Development Bank (CEDB) and other entities that may be recognized by the BSP as multilateral agencies.

Counterparty Details Data on the individuals or institutional unit to which the entity is exposed	Sector (Specific)	This refers to the sub-classification of the following sectors of the counterparty: For Residents <i>Government Sector</i> i. National Government ii. Local Government Units iii. Government Owned and Controlled Corporations a. Social Security Institutions b. Other Financial Institutions c. Non-Financial Institutions <i>Banks</i> i. Universal and Commercial Banks ii. Other Banks <i>Private Corporations</i> i. Financial Corporations ii. Non-Financial Corporations For Non-Residents <i>Banks</i> i. Off-Shore Banking Units (OBUs) ii. Other Banks
	Counterparty Name	Refers to the name of the bank's counterparty as stated in its Articles of Incorporation/Registration, in the case of juridical entities/sole proprietorship, as applicable.
Security Details Information about the security that is the subject of the repo transaction	Security Details	
	ISIN	Refers to the International Securities Identification Number (ISIN) of the security.
	Security Type	Refers to the type of security subject of the repo transaction (i.e., debt securities or equity securities).
	Listing Details	Refers to whether the security is listed on a registered exchange or not. Note: Answerable by YES or No
	Maturity date	Refers to the maturity date of the security, in the case of debt securities. (yyyy-mm-dd).

Security Details Information about the security that is the subject of the repo transaction	Accounting Classification of the Securities	Refers to the accounting classification of the underlying securities as booked by the bank. Financial assets are classified according to the following categories: 1. Held for Trading (HFT), 2. Held to Maturity (HTM), 3. Available for Sale (AFS), 4. Investments in Non-Marketable Equity Securities (INMES), and 5. Unquoted Debt Securities Classified as Loans (UDSCL).
	Currency denomination	Refers to the original currency of the security.
	Face Value (Debt security)	Refers to the face value of the security, in the case of debt securities.
	Number of Shares (Equity security)	Refers to the number of shares, in the case of equity securities.
	Total Fair Value	Refers to the mark-to-market value of the security in both original currency and peso equivalent, in the case of foreign currency denominated repos, as of reporting date.
	Net Carrying Amount	Refers to the net carrying amount of the security recorded as HTM, UDSCL and INMES, which corresponds to the amortized cost of securities less any allowance for specific credit losses, in both original currency and peso equivalent, as of reporting date.
	Security Issuer Details	
	Resident/Non-Resident/Multilateral	A resident refers to an individual or institutional unit that has a center of economic interest in the economic territory of the Philippines; A non-resident refers to an individual or institutional unit that has a center of economic interest outside the economic territory of the Philippines; and A Multilateral Agency refers to an international organization as defined in the Financial Reporting Package for banks.
	Geographic Region	Refers to the geographic region of the issuer. This shall consist of: 1. Northern America 2. Latin America 3. Europe 4. Asia 5. Others

Security Details	Country	Refers to the country of the issuer.
Information about the security that is the subject of the repo transaction	Sector (General)	Refers to the general sector of the following issuers: 1. Resident counterparty such as Government, BSP, Bank, and Private Corporations. 2. Non-resident counterparty such as Central Government, Public Sector, Bank, Private Corporations. 3. Multilateral Agency refers to the World Bank Group comprised of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) and the International Finance Corporation (IFC), Asian Development Bank (ADB), African Development Bank (AfDB), the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), the Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), the European Investment Bank (EIB), the Nordic Investment Bank (NIB); the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB), the Council of Europe Development Bank (CEDB) and other entities that may be recognized by the BSP as multilateral agencies.

Security Details Information about the security that is the subject of the repo transaction	Sector (Specific)	This refers to the sub-classification of the following sectors of the issuer: For Residents <i>Government Sector</i> i. National Government ii. Local Government Units iii. Government Owned and Controlled Corporations d. Social Security Institutions e. Other Financial Institutions f. Non-Financial Institutions <i>Banks</i> i. Universal and Commercial Banks (UBs/KBs) ii. Other Banks <i>Private Corporations</i> i. Financial Corporations ii. Non-Financial Corporations For Non-Residents <i>Banks</i> i. Off-Shore Banking Units (OBUs) ii. Other Banks
Issuer Details	Issuer Name	Refers to the name of the issuer of the security as stated in its Articles of Incorporation/ Registration.

3. Components of Repo Transactions for the Month Schedule

The definition of each data field is similar to the definitions provided in Section B – Components of Month-End Balance, with the following additional items as columns:

Category	Standardized Data Fields	
	Data Fields	Description
Maturity and Pre-termination Details Information for matured and pre-terminated transactions.	Is it Matured/ Pre-terminated?	Answerable by Yes or No.
	Status	Refers to either a matured transaction or a pre-terminated transaction.
	Maturity Date/ Pre-termination Date	Refers to the date of maturity/ pre-termination of the transactions
	Pre-termination	
	Amount Cancelled/ Pre-terminated (Original Currency)	Refers to the outstanding balance of the repo when the transaction was cancelled or pre-terminated. This is in original currency of the transaction.

Category	Standardized Data Fields	
	Data Fields	Description
	Amount Cancelled/ Pre-terminated (PhP Equivalent)	Refers to the outstanding balance of the repo when the transaction was cancelled or pre-terminated. This is in PhP equivalent in the case of foreign currency denominated repos.
	Reason for Cancellation/ Pre-termination	Refers to the reason why the transaction was cancelled or pre-terminated.

Foreign currency-denominated accounts shall be reported, in their peso equivalent using the Philippine Dealing System (PDS) peso/US Dollar closing rate, or, for third currencies, the New York US Dollar/Third Currencies closing rate.

Banks/QBs without repo transactions shall submit the Control Prooflist certifying that there is nothing to report for the month.

IV. TARGET IMPLEMENTATION

The Repo reporting template shall take effect on **30 June 2017**.

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In absolute amount

Schedule 1

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Transaction Details															Counterparty Details											
Entry Number	Deal Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Maturity Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Market Segment	Financial Market			Purpose	Term	Repo Rate		Margin		Contractual Currency (CCY)	Booking Details (RBU/FCDU/ Foreign Offices)	Bill Payable under Repurchase Agreement (Outstanding Balance as of reporting date)		Resident / Non-Resident / Multilateral	Geographic Region	Country	Sector (General)	Sector (Specific)	Counterparty Name				
				Infrastructure					Type of Rate		Cash	Security			Original Currency	PhP Equivalent										
				Tri-party	CCP	Trade Exchange			Fixed	Floating																
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Schedule 2 - Balance of Bills Payal
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	ISIN	Security Type	Listing Details (Listed? Yes/No)	Maturity date	Accounting Classification of the Securities	Currency Denomination (CCY)	Face Value (Debt securities)	No. of Shares (Equity securities)	Fair Value		Net Carrying Amount		Resident / Non-Resident / Multilateral	Geographic Region	Country	Sector (General)	Sector (Specific)	Issuer Name					
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Entry Number	Deal Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Maturity Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Market Segment	Transaction Details										Counterparty Details											
				Financial Market Infrastructure			Purpose	Term	Repo Rate		Margin		Contractual Currency (CCY)	Booking Details (RBU/FCDU/ Foreign Offices)	Bill Payable under Repurchase Agreement (Outstanding Balance as of reporting date)		Resident / Non-Resident / Multilateral	Geographic Region	Country	Sector (General)	Sector (Specific)	Counterparty Name			
				Tri-party	CCP	Trade Exchange			Type of Rate		Cash	Security			Original Currency	PhP Equivalent									
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Schedule 3 - Repo Transactions Fo
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 Transactions for the month of ____
 in absolute amount

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Entry Number	Maturity and Pre-termination Details					
	Is it Matured/ Pre-terminated?	Status	Maturity Date/ Pre- termination Date (dd-mm-yy)	Amount Cancelled/ Pre-terminated (Original Currency)	Amount Cancelled/ Pre-terminated (PhP Equivalent)	Reason for Cancellation/ Pre- termination
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