

Money & Credit: European Central Bank Policy Tools

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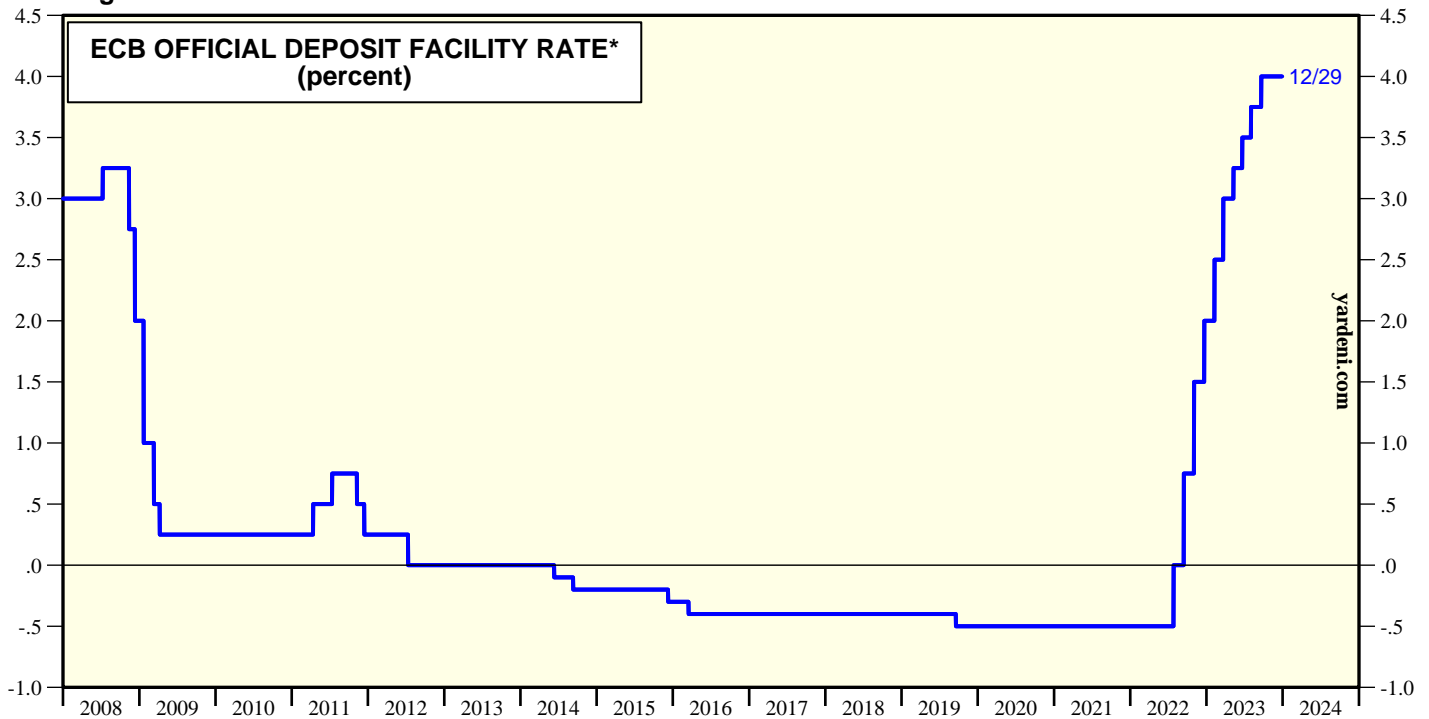
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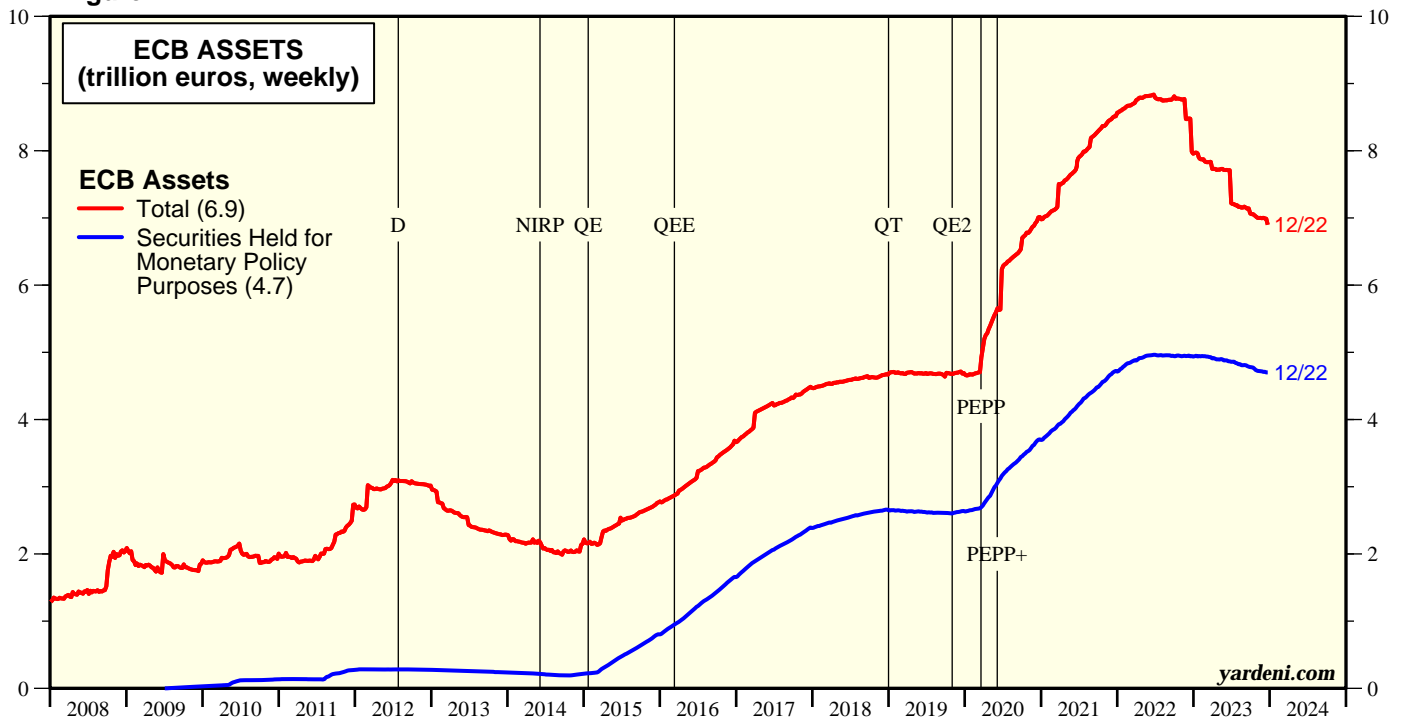
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Figure 1.



* Paid on bank reserves held at ECB.
Source: European Central Bank.

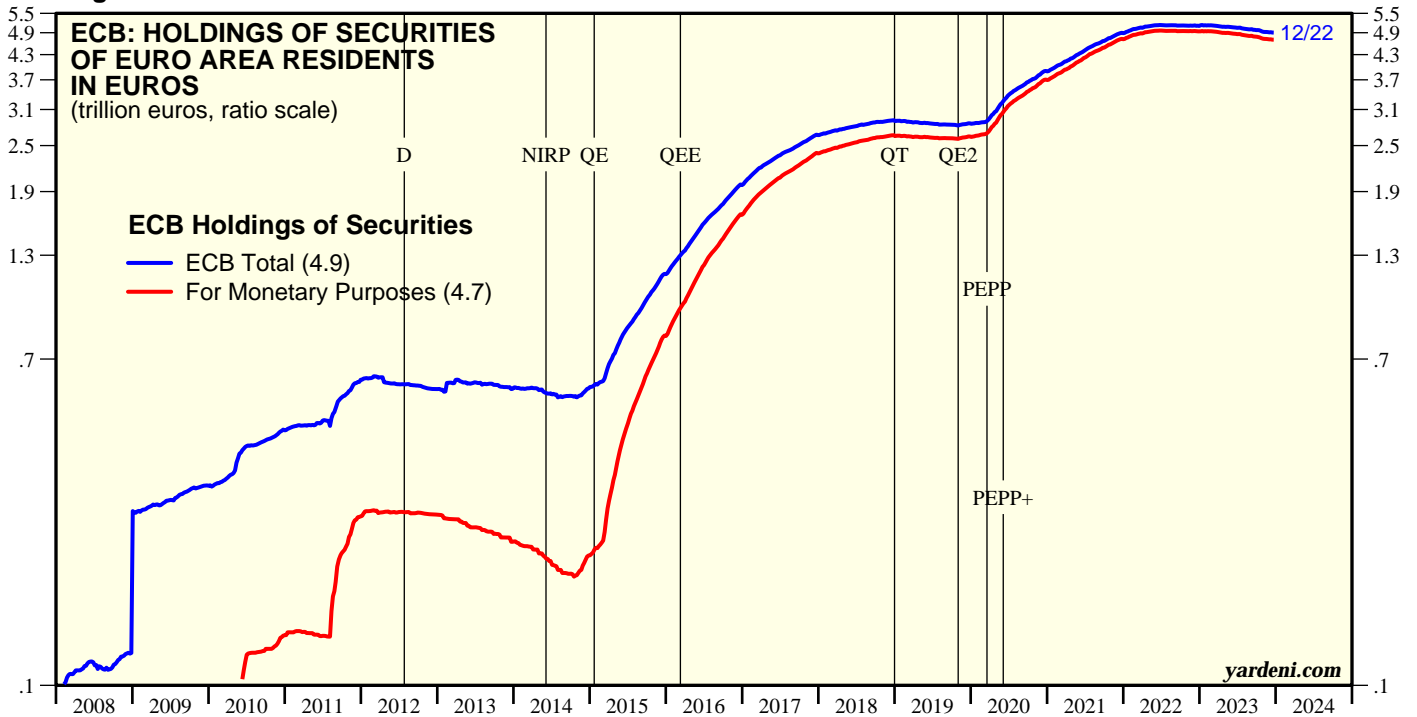
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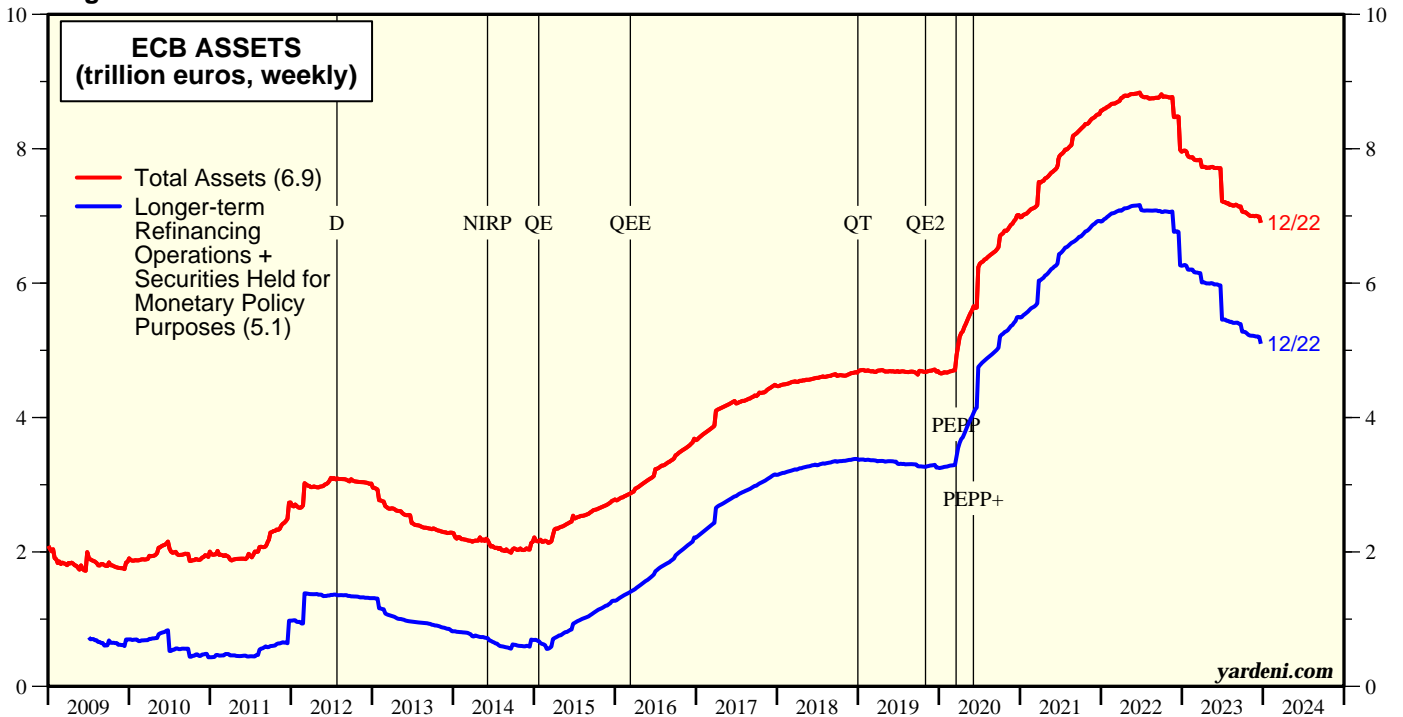
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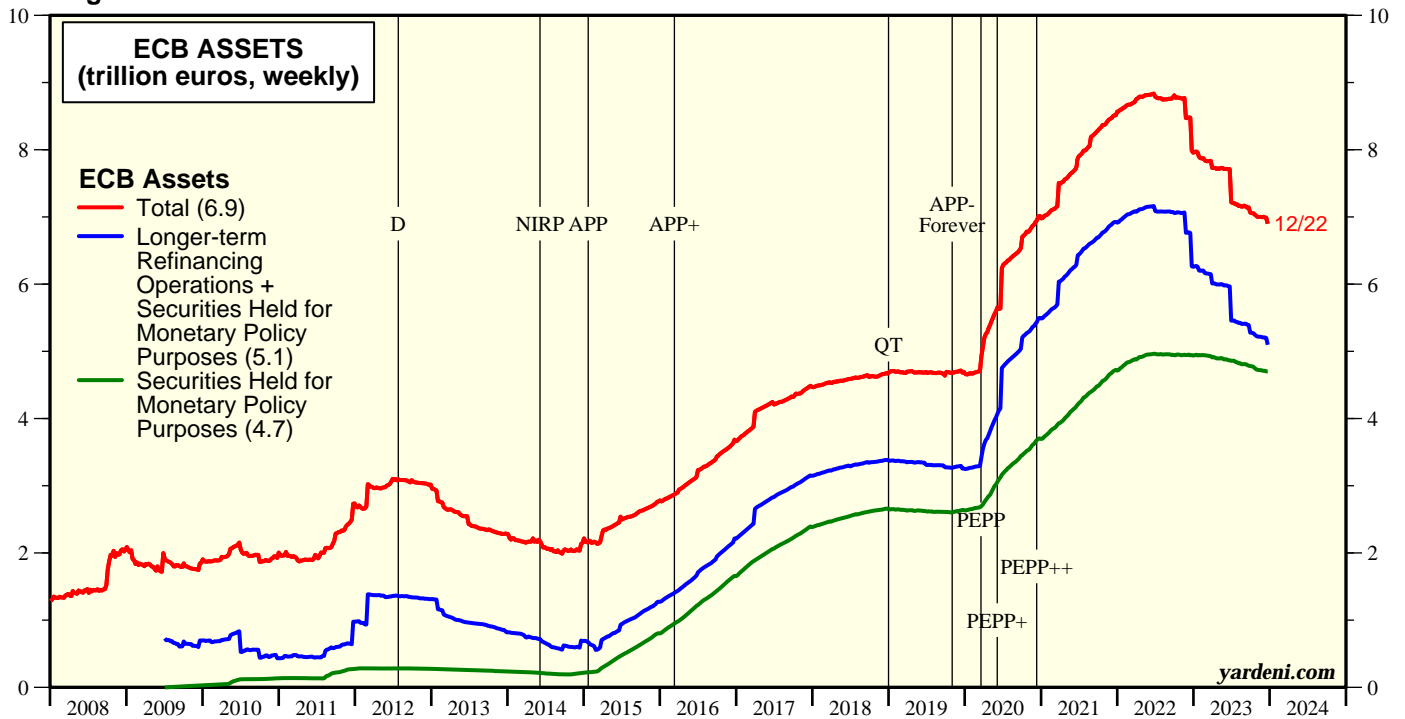
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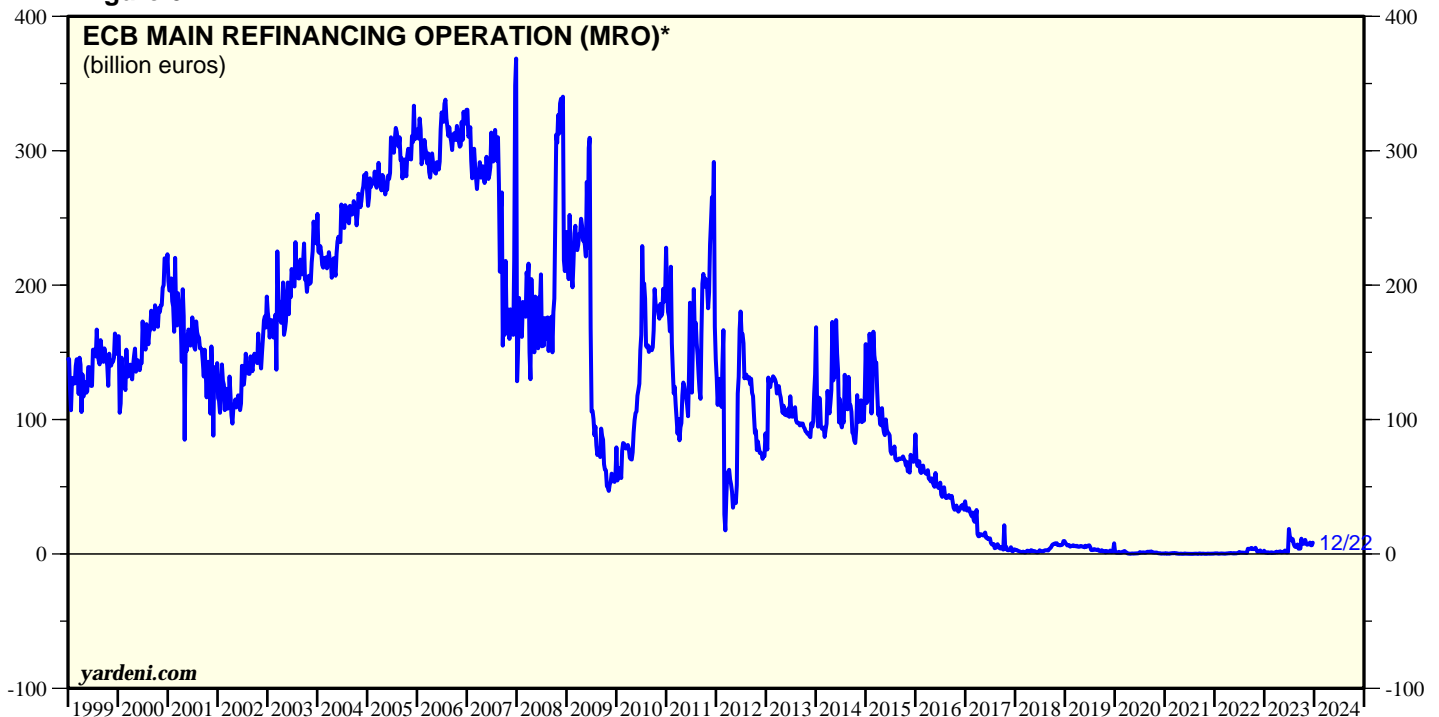
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 Source: European Central Bank.

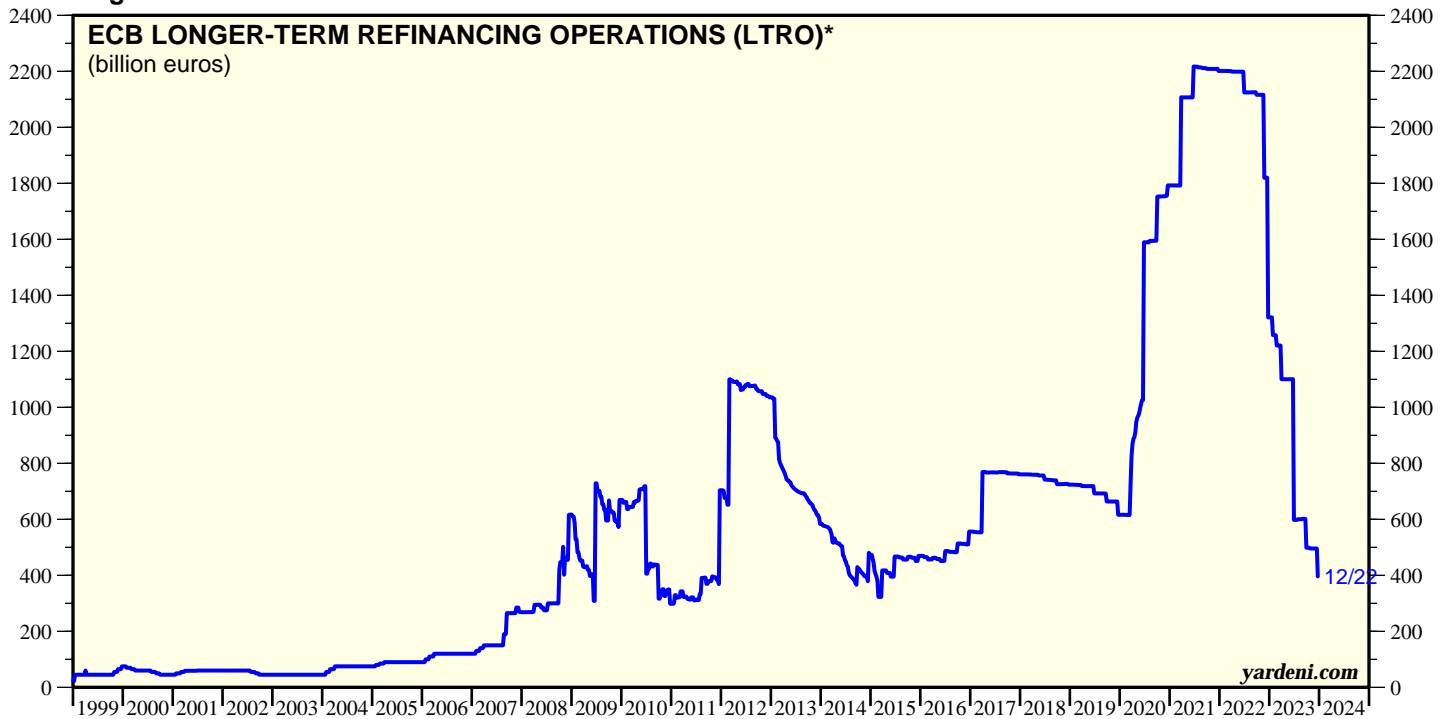
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* Shorter-term repo liquidity measure with one-week maturity.
 Source: European Central Bank.

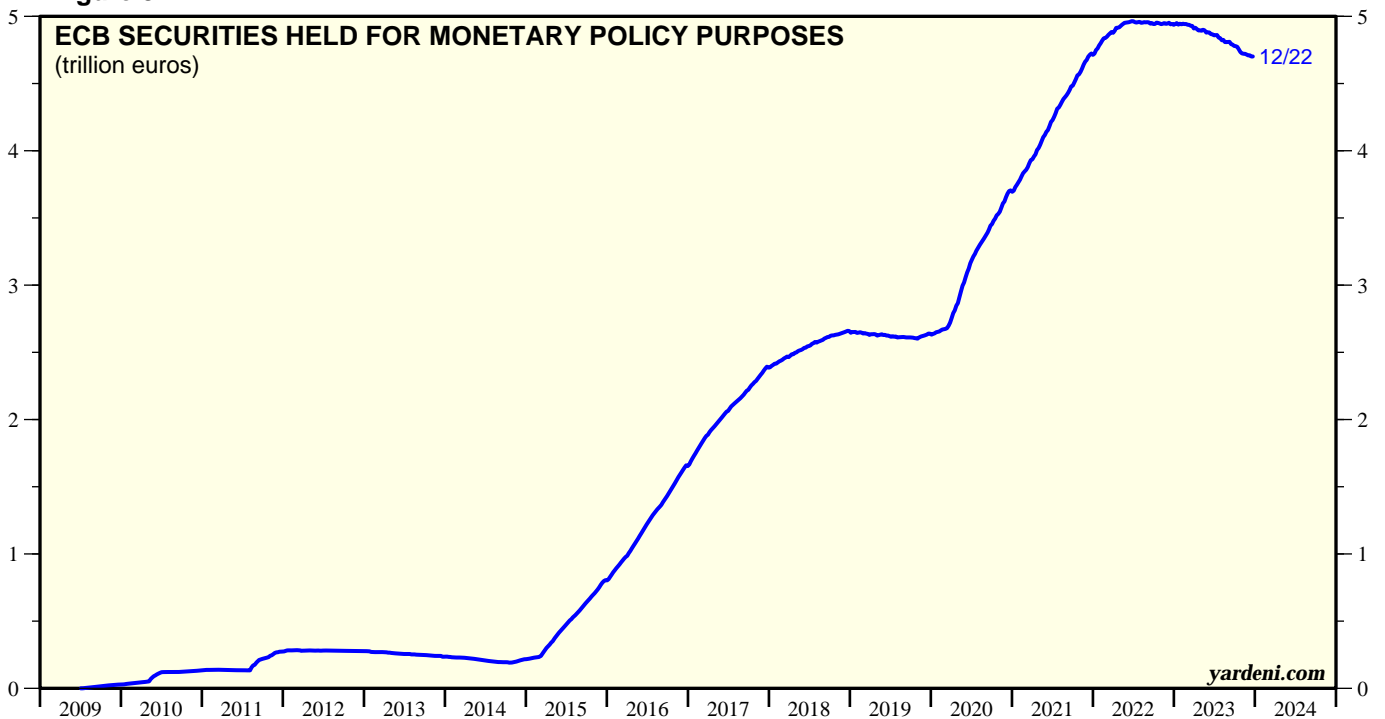
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Figure 7.



* LTROs provide an injection of low interest rate funding to eurozone banks with sovereign debt as collateral on the loans. The loans are offered monthly and are typically repaid in three months, six months, or one year.
Source: European Central Bank.

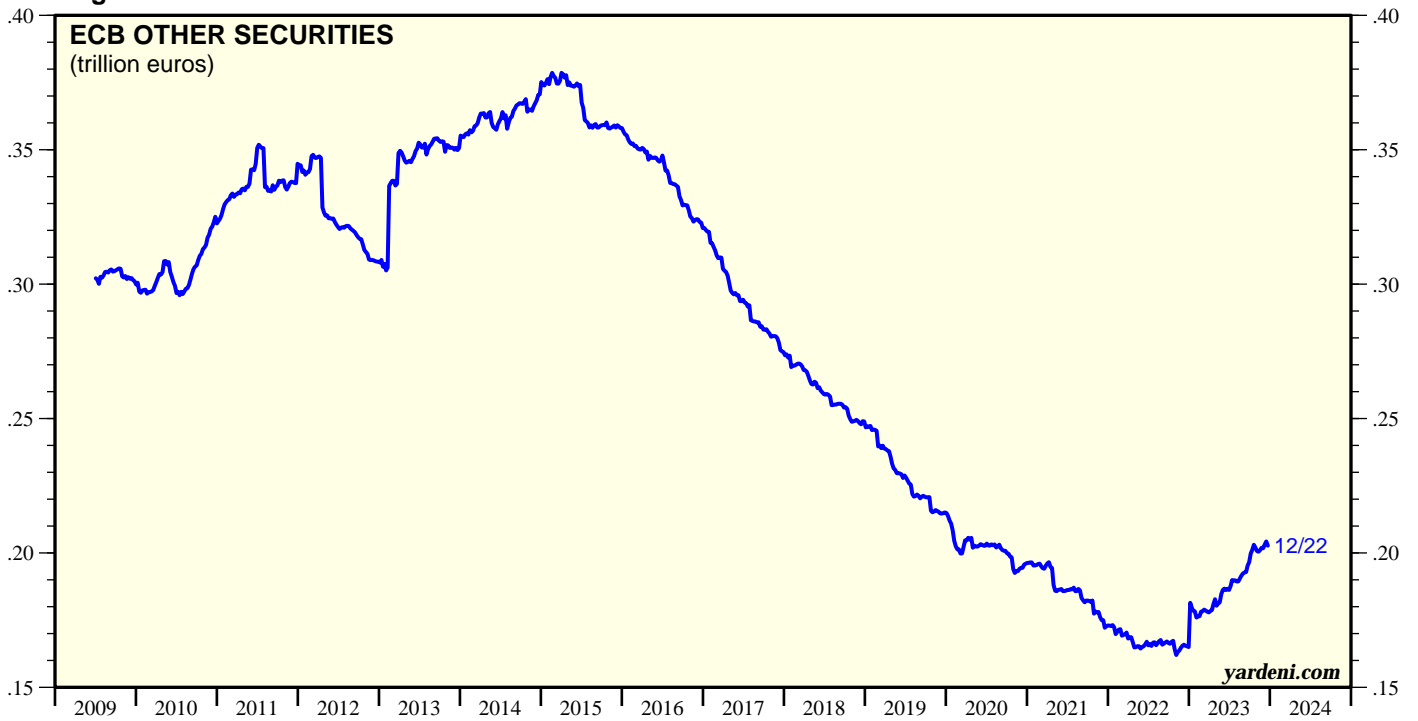
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Source: European Central Bank.

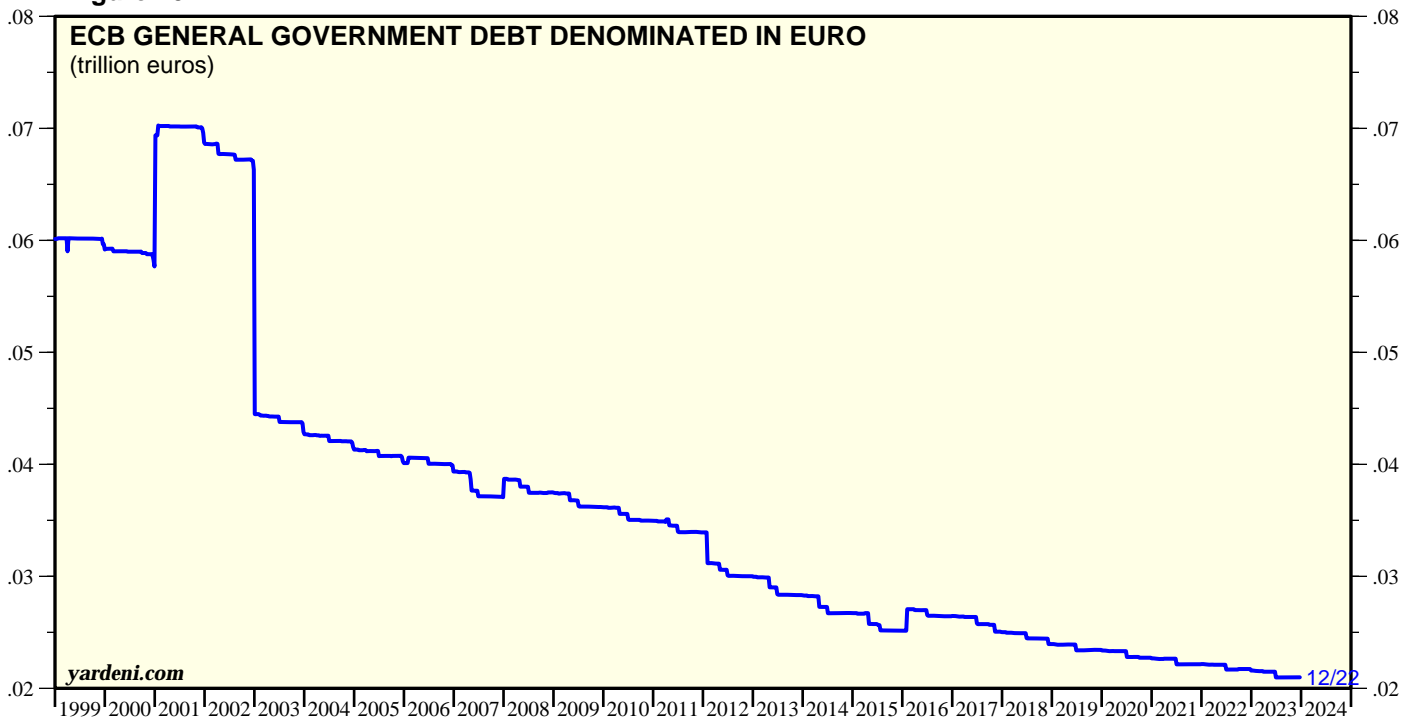
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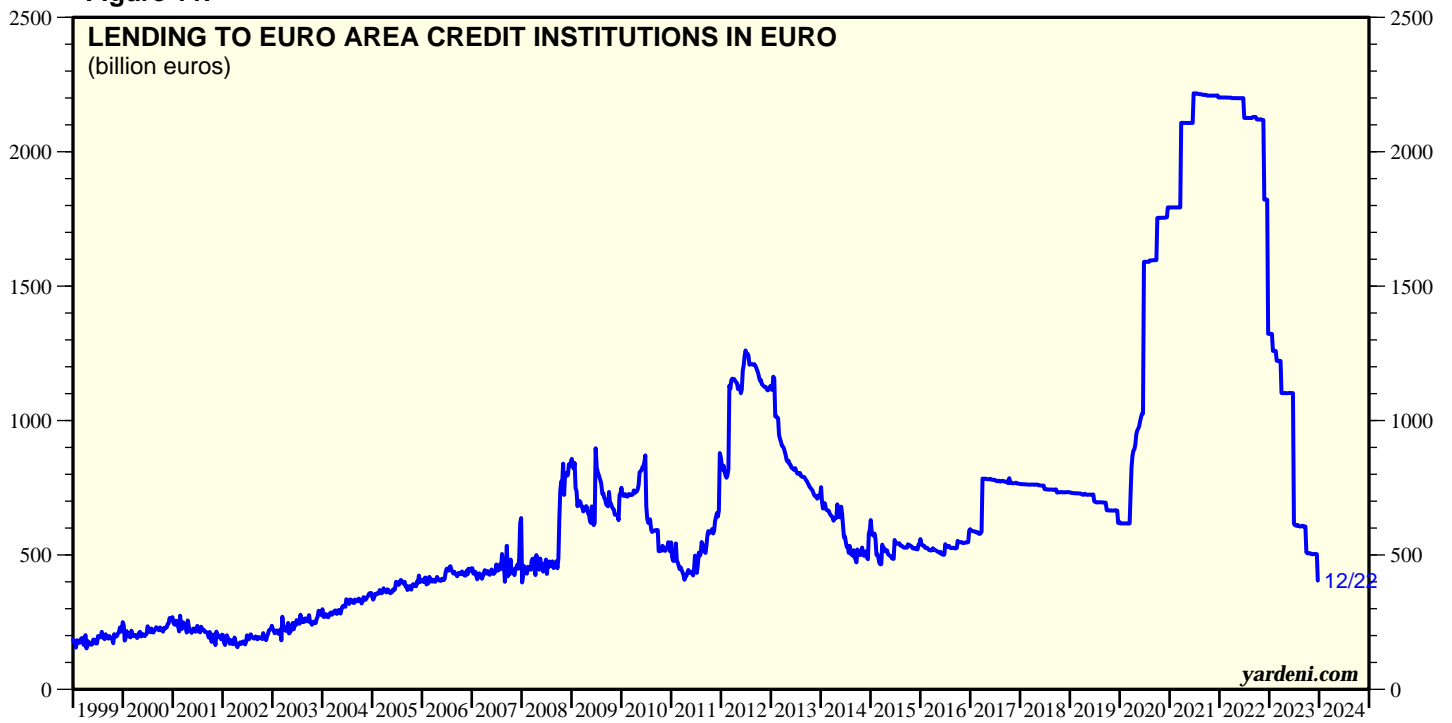
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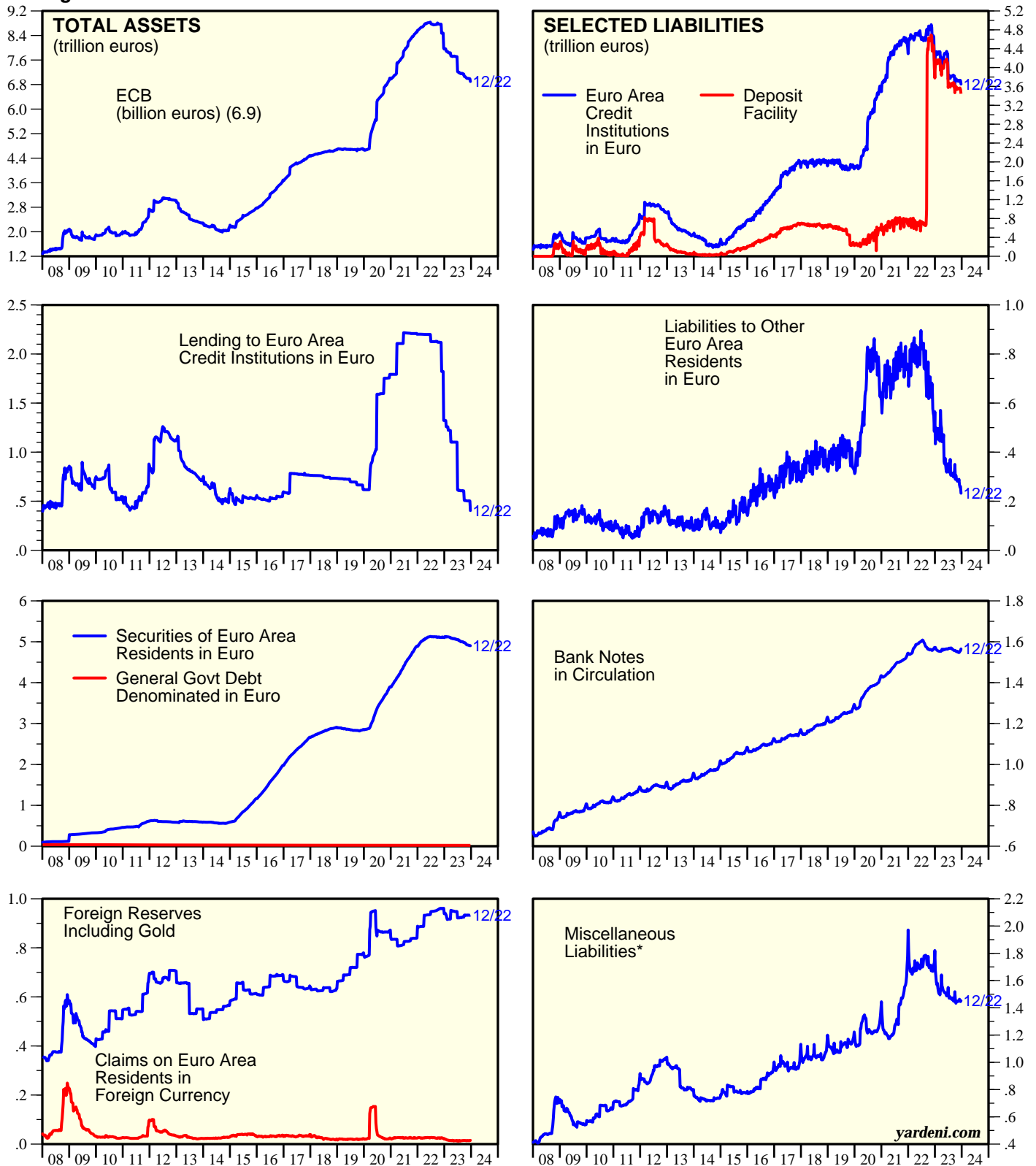
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Source: European Central Bank.

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Figure 12.



* Total liabilities minus sum of lending to euro area credit institutions in euro, liabilities to other euro area residents in euro, and bank notes in circulation.

Source: European Central Bank.

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