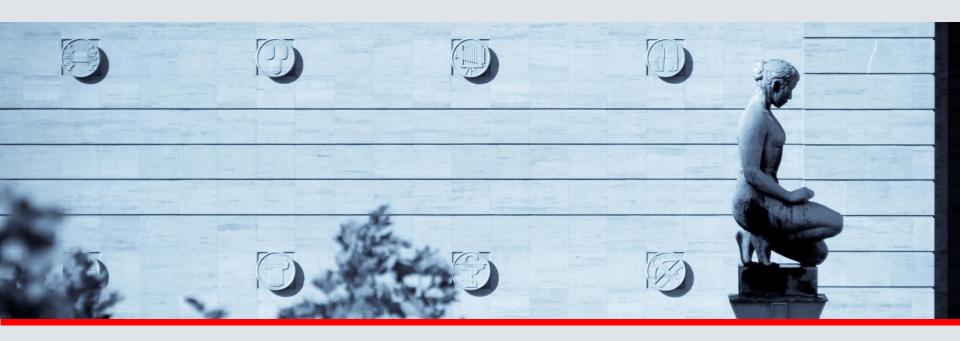
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#### NBB testing Without payment banks

- Interoperability testing (EAC): NBB to test:
  - Connectivity and static data set-up
  - Bilateral interoperability: mock entity set-up:
    - Certification testing
    - Authorisation testing:
      - » NBB as T2S system entity
      - » NBB as central bank
      - » NBB as collateral manager
      - » NBB own business
    - Simulation functionalities used by payment banks
    - Simulate directly connected parties
  - Multilateral interoperability:
    - Production like system entity configuration with subset of static data
    - Includes testing of operational procedures



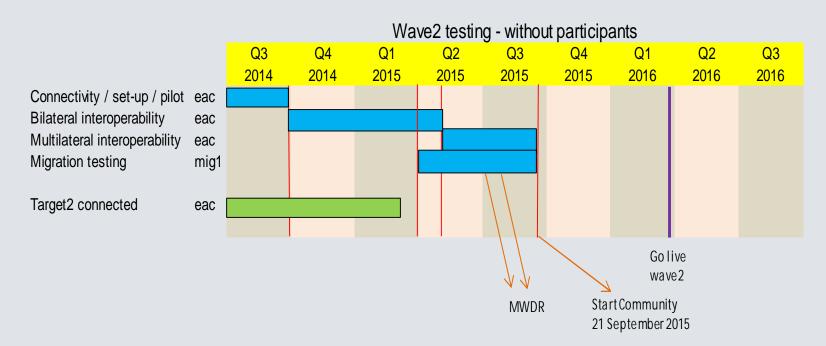
#### NBB testing Without payment banks

- Migration testing (MIG1):
  - NBB to test with all actors of migration wave2:
    - Validation of:
      - Tools provided by T2S to upload data
      - Planning of the migration weekend
      - Contingency scenario's
    - Testing of
      - Pre-migration: upload of static data following the premigration schedule
      - Migration: upload of transactional data
    - Via:
      - Rehearsal: subset of static and dynamic data
      - Dress rehearsal: production like set of static and dynamic data followed by three operational days
      - PMR MWR -/- PMDR MWDR



## NBB testing Without payment banks

- At least 2 MWDR to be performed:
  - July 3-4/2015
  - August 8-9/2015
  - September 5-6/2015 (optional)





#### **Community testing stage**

- Community test environment : MIG2
  - Dedicated to Community and Business Day testing stages for all migration waves
  - Connected to T2 during community testing stage
  - Not used anymore after end last migration wave
- Pre-production test environment: UTEST
  - Dedicated for pre-production testing activities for already migrated CB's CSD's and their communities.
  - Set-up per migration wave
  - <u>Exception:</u> Wave2 runs part of the community testing on the pre-production environment
  - When all waves are migrated
    - remains unique test environment for payment banks and CSD clients
    - With T2 connected as from March 2017



## **Testing with Community**

- Connectivity testing
- Certification testing
- Authorisation testing
- Migration testing:
  - Pre-migration testing
  - Migration week-end testing
- Community testing stage
- Business day testing stage



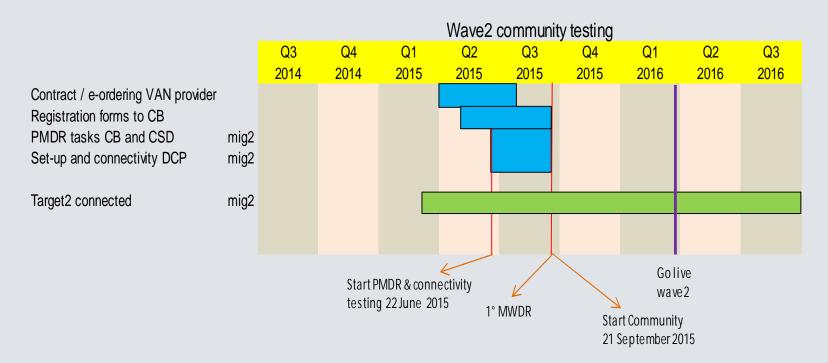
## **Connectivity testing**

- Applicable to all directly connected DCA holders
- Prove that the DCA holder can connect to T2S:
  - U2a mode: login to the GUI
  - A2a mode: exchange of XML messages
- Preconditions to start testing:
  - Establish a contract with a VAN provider
    - E-ordering to the T2S services
    - Tokens are provided
    - Initial tokens activated by a local security officer at the payment bank
  - Fill out the registration forms provided by its CB
  - CB has captured the payment bank static data following the PMDR playbook
    - Payment banks connected in a2a mode first
    - DCP's in u2a mode in principle as from July 20 Th 2015



## **Connectivity testing**

- Start connectivity testing Wave 2:
  - Earliest date 22/06/2015 3 months before start Community testing
  - Latest date 24/08/2015 1 month before start Community testing





#### **Certification testing**

- Applicable to all directly connected DCA holders
- Provide evidence that the directly connected DCA holder will not harm the T2S system

#### 1.3 CENTRAL BANK AND DIRECTLY CONNECTED DCA HOLDER CERTIFICATION

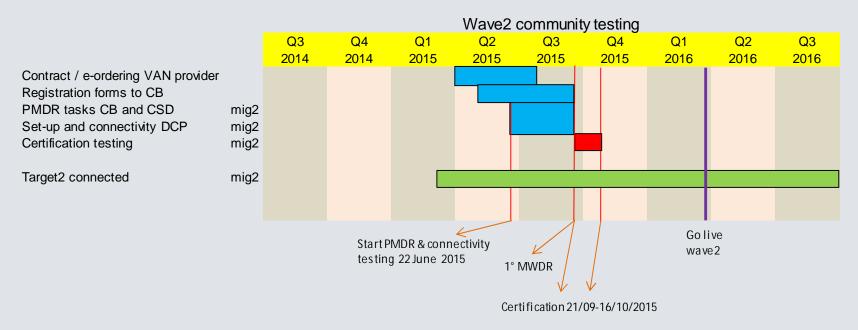
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Test ID	Connectivity mode	Test case name	Relevant for		
			Central Bank liquidity provider	Central Bank collateral manager	Directly Connected DCA Holder
CERT_02	A2A	Send a request to create a Party (file and/or single message)	M	М	
CERT_13	A2A	Send a request for an Immediate Outbound Liquidity Transfer (file and/or single message)	М	М	М
CERT_14	A2A	Send a request for defining a Security as eligible for collateralisation (file and/or single message)	-	M	0
CERT_15	A2A	Send a Security Valuation Creation	ā	М	0
CERT_07	A2A	Receive a report (in push mode and/or pull mode)	M	М	M
CERT_16	U2A	Create an External RTGS Account	M	М	2
CERT_17	U2A	Enter an Immediate Outbound Liquidity Transfer	M	М	M
CERT_12	U2A	Display a report	М	М	M



## **Certification testing**

- Directly connected payment banks to submit a report through its home Central Bank
- The Eurosystem will validate and provide evidence of the certification
- ► Timeframe for Wave 2: 4 weeks as from 21/09/2015





#### **Authorisation testing**

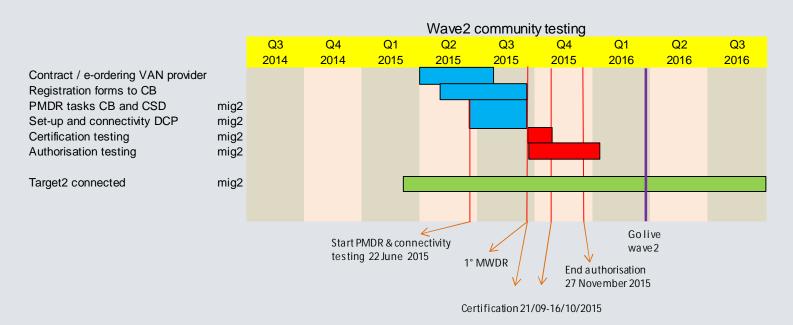
- Applicable to all directly <u>and indirectly</u> connected DCA holders
- Prove that a DCA holder is able to use all the T2S functions according to its future business setup
- Precondition to start : certification testing completed
- List test cases: Guide to TARGET2 User testing
  - > 76 test cases:
    - mandatory or conditional
    - Applicable to directly connected or indirectly connected DCA holders
  - **Example:**

Access right management						
AUTH-T2S-RIGMN-0010	Creation of a Business User	DC	MAND			
AUTH-T2S-RIGMN-0020	Grant role to a user	DC	MAND			
AUTH-T2S-RIGMN-0030	Grant privileges to a user	DC	MAND			

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#### **Authorisation testing**

- ► In addition to the T2S authorisation test cases, T2 RTGS accountholders must run T2 interoperability test cases related to the T2S system
- ► End date for authorisation testing wave 2: 27/11/2015





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#### Migration testing

- First test: set-up of mig2 environment
  - PMDR
  - MWDR
  - From 22/06/2015 till 20/09/2015
- Second test: set-up of utest environment
  - PMDR
  - MWDR
  - From 16/11/2015 till 12/02/2016
- Same principles applicable as for the connectivity to mig2:
  - e-ordering if needed
  - registration forms to CB

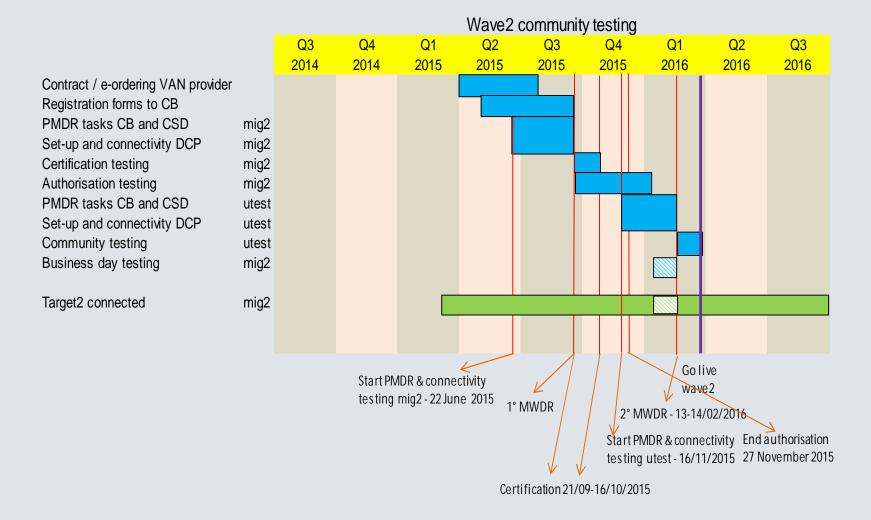


## Community and business day testing

- After the migration to <u>utest</u>, wave 2 will continue community testing including:
  - Familiarisation with operational procedures
  - Incident management procedures
- Business day testing for wave 2 is foreseen on the mig2 environment:
  - Simulation of several consecutive business days
  - Participation of communities other waves if needed
  - Includes 4 consecutive weeks of live timing
  - Between 18/01/2016 and 12/02/2016
- Scenario's to be agreed between all actors wave2



#### **Final overview**





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#### **Available documents**

#### ► Target2:

- http://www.ecb.europa.eu/paym/t2/professional/nov\_2013/html/index.en.html
  - Guide to TARGET2 user Testing
  - ► Annex 1 description of connectivity test cases
  - Annex 2 description of interoperability test cases
  - ► Interoperability testing document for the TARGET2/T2S interface
  - Authorisation testing list
  - Authorisation test

#### ► T2S:

- http://www.ecb.europa.eu/paym/t2s/about/keydocs/html/index.en.html
  - ► T2S Guide for Payment Banks
  - Frequently asked questions about T2S functionalities
  - List of T2S privileges and third party receipt privilege
  - ► T2S Certification Testing test cases version 1.0
  - ► T2S Connectivity Guide v1.0
  - ► T2S User Detailed Functional Specifications (UDFS)
  - ► T2S User Handbook (UHB)



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