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AnaCredit developments in 2019

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AnaCredit developments in 2019

- Updated lists of national identifiers and legal forms *end-Feb 2019* ✓
in October
 - At steady state: annual review in *Sep* with publication
 - Allow the correct identification of counterparties and their legal form in the respective jurisdiction
 - Maintained by the competent National Central Bank (NCB)
 - Part of technical annexes of the AnaCredit Manual, published on the ECB website
 - Changes compared to previous version are clearly documented to facilitate the implementation on the banks' side
 - lead time at least 3 months✓

- Updated validation checks to be published *mid-Mar 2019*
 - To become effective - with AnaCredit IT release 1.1 *in May 2019*
 - Regular updates aligned with the IT releases *every 6 months*
 - Two types of changes: discontinuation or amendment of existing validation checks
 - Number of changes is relatively small

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- **First data submissions by remaining NCBs** *by end-Mar 2019*
 - Some NCBs took the transitional period: AT, BE, CY, DE, FR, GR, LT, LU, MT, SI
- **Light update of the AnaCredit Manual (Q&A consolidation)**
 - to integrate current published Q&As *by May 2019*
 - BIRD will accordingly update their instructions on AnaCredit *by July 2019*
- **Feedback loops - Guideline to be possibly updated** *in mid-2019*
 - To become effective *in 2020*
- **Internal data dissemination (subject to data quality)** *in autumn 2019*
- **Possible participation of non euro-area countries in AnaCredit**
 - In preparation currently for CZ and SE