

# ECB and climate change roadmap

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## **Relevance of climate change for monetary policy**



Climate change and the green transition **impact** macroeconomic indicators such as **inflation**, growth and employment, financial stability, and the **transmission of monetary policy** 



Climate change affects the value and risk profile of assets on Eurosystem balance sheet, thereby leading to greater climate-related financial risk

## **Eurosystem roadmap**

#### First milestone: Paving the way with reliable data

- We will gather data needed for climate change risk analyses
- We will adapt our models and make them fit for climate change

### Second milestone: Knowledge is the driving force

- We will make disclosure of climate risks a priority
- We will check our own exposure to climate risks
- We will check firms' and banks' exposures to climate risks
- We will review how credit ratings reflect climate risks

#### Third milestone: Action based on reliable data and best knowledge

- We will include climate risks into our collateral framework
- We will make our asset purchases greener

### **Eurosystem action plan**

Statistical data

Macroeconomy and monetary policy transmission

Disclosure requirements

Risk assessment capabilities Corporate sector asset purchases

Collateral framework



Thank you and have a great meeting!