

Managing payments the SEPA way

SEPA- still a reality!

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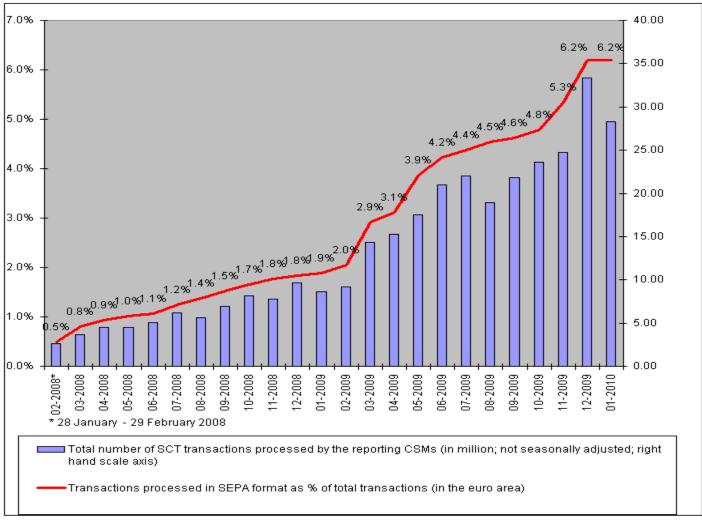
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"SEPA has been a formidable challenge, but formidable challenges make us stronger. It is not time to sit back in admiration; it is time to use SEPA."

Gertrude Tumpel-Gugerell, Member of the Executive Board of the ECB 28 January 2008

Where are we? - Europe



Source: ECB

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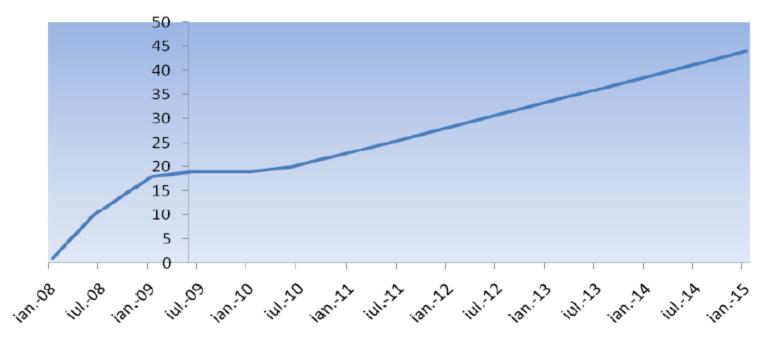
"Calls again on the Commission to set a clear, appropriate and binding end-date, which should be no later than 31 December 2012, for migrating to SEPA instruments, after which all payments in Euros must be made using the SEPA standards"

> European Parliament resolution 10 March 2010

Where are we? - Romania



Migrare SCT - Numar banci



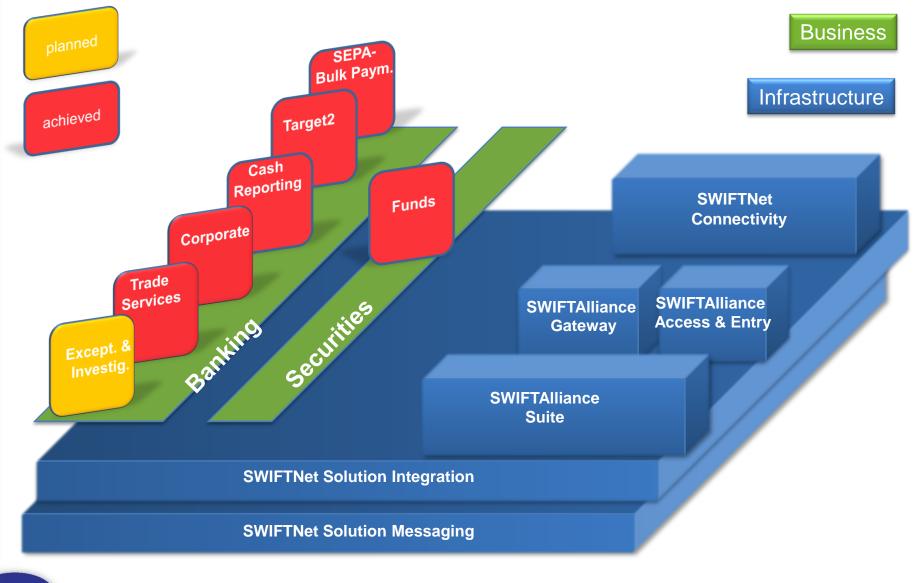
Source: National implementation and migration plan

12 March 2010 – 20 Romanian banks have adhered to the SCT Scheme



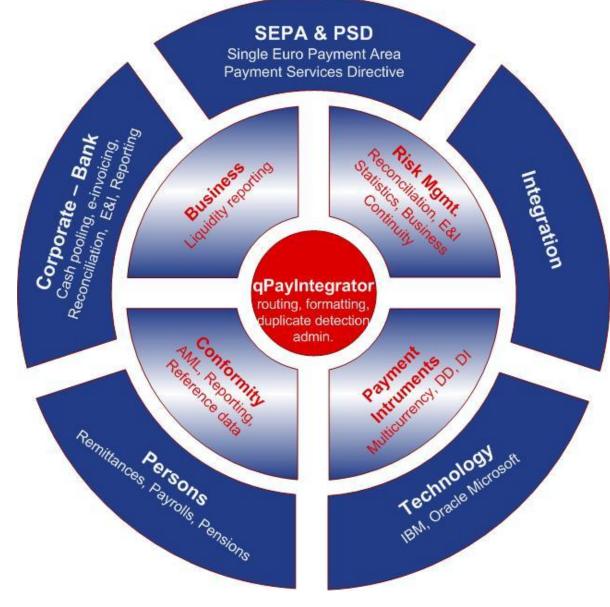
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SWIFT Certified Product







"So, let's rise to the challenge; let's use SEPA, our key; and let's discover the great many opportunities that lie on the other side of that door"

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qPayIntegrator



Real time funds transfer management and processing application, featuring value-added business functionalities First solution awarded SWIFTReady SEPA 2008 certification

Re-certified SWIFTReady SEPA 2009

qPayIntegrator Suite

Available on IBM[®] WebSphere[®] technology

Also available on Microsoft[®] BizTalk[®] and Microsoft[®] Accelerator for SWIFT technology.

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qPayIntegrator - Payments hub

the core of the qPayIntegrator suite provides technical integration between different business applications, data conversions to/from different formats, messages routing, duplicate detection and investigation

The SEP feature

qPI-SEP

Provides data formatting and specific reports related with the connection of financial institutions to different Romanian market infrastructures, such as RTGS, ACH, GSRS.

The availability
featureThe multi-payments
and direct debit
feature<u>qPI-FMA,</u>
Ensures messages
mirroring from the
production site to the
backup site of
qPayIntegrator<u>qPI-DD</u>
Provides the specific
formatting related to
implementation for
Direct Debit

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The liquidity reporting feature

<u>qPI-ML</u>

Ensures the relevant messages' data reporting to provide the real-time cash reports and forecasts

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The multicurrency feature

<u>qPI-MC</u>

ensures the formatting, routing and transport of MT and MX SWIFT messages

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<u>qPI-TR</u>

1. Advanced traffic reports, based on standard deviation analysis from normal values (of the correspondent banks business)

2. An early alerting facility of the business competitive changes

The Debit Instruments feature

<u>qPI-DI</u>

Ensures the management (receiving, sending and processing) of payments made through cheques, promissory notes, bills of exchange during their business life-cycle

The SEPAcompliance feature

<u>qPI-SEPA</u>

ensures data formats and flows compliance with EPC specifications

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The accounting reconciliation

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ensures the statementsledger reconciliation, SWIFT statements formatting and payments exceptions investigation

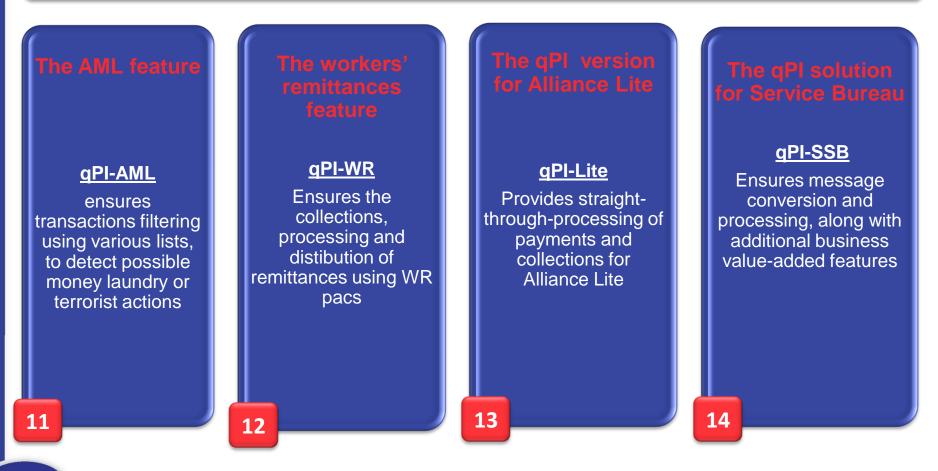
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SEPA Compliance

The **SEPA-compliance** feature:

- Ensuring data formats and flows compliance with EPC specifications for SEPA
- The foundation to ensure the bank reachability for all its clients:
 - Corporate banks' business community
 - Individuals workers' remittances

qPayIntegrator SEPA-compliance feature in short:

- EPC rulebooks and implementation guidelines
- Connection to SWIFT network through SAG (SWIFTAlliance Gateway)
- FileAct Enhanced Header support
- All credit transfer supported topologies (T0, T2 EACHA & EBA Clearing)

Support for bilateral and/or centralised clearing Cost reduction mechanism

