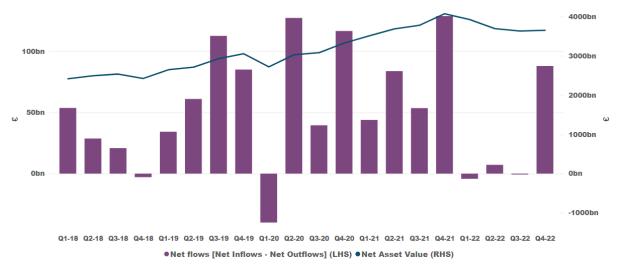
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Chart 1: Net Asset Value and Net Flows of Investment and Money
Market Funds

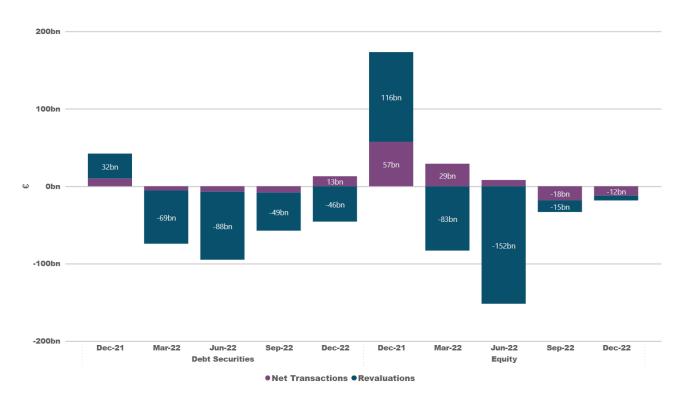


- The net asset values (NAVs) of Irish-resident funds (IFs) increased by end 2022, reaching €3,653bn, experiencing large inflows for the first time in 2022. The total NAV of IFs increased by €20bn during the fourth quarter.
- Equity, Real Estate, Money Market Funds (MMFs) and Other funds showed NAV increases during the quarter, driven mostly by investor inflows. More specifically, MMFs recorded significant transaction increases of €78bn. Negative revaluations, amounting to €81bn in total, were seen across most fund types, due to US dollar depreciation.
- Mixed and Hedge funds showed the largest declines of 22% each during the quarter. The
 decrease in hedge funds was driven by outflows (€8bn) and negative revaluations (€9bn)
 mostly due to US dollar holdings, while decreases in mixed funds was primarily due to
 outflows (€11bn) in UK and US holdings.

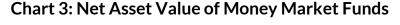
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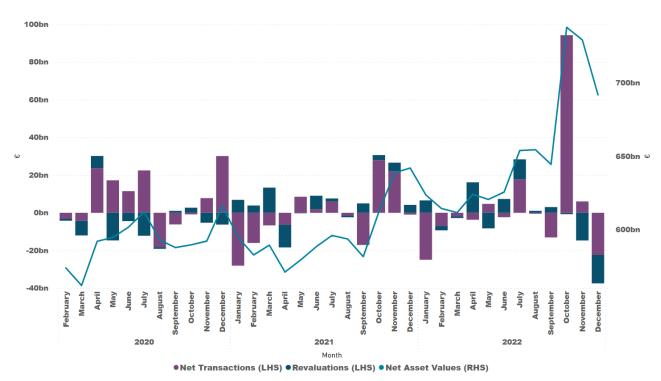
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Chart 2: Change in Holdings of Debt and Equity Securities by Investment Funds



- In Q4 2022, the negative valuations in holdings of both debt and equity securities were
 moderately lower compared to previous quarters, at €46bn and €6bn, respectively.
 Equity securities revaluations were primarily due to US dollar depreciation across all
 sectors.
- Investor flows for equity securities remained negative, with outflows of €12bn in the fourth quarter, driven by euro area non-financial corporations (NFC) and Other financial institutions.
- Debt securities saw significant positive transactions of €13bn for the first time since Q4-2021. Despite the net inflows, debt securities holdings continued to decrease, this time at a slower pace of 3%, totalling €1,116bn in Q4 2022. The decline was largely driven by currency revaluations in UK and US government debt (€25bn) along with US NFC debt (€5bn).





- By end December 2022, Money Market Fund (MMF) NAVs increased by €47bn to €692bn, driven by significant net inflows of €94bn during October, whilst exchange rate-driven revaluations remained negative throughout the quarter.
- The most significant decrease in the NAV during Q4 2022 occurred in December, with a decrease of €37bn. The drivers for this decrease were investor outflows (€22bn) across almost all sectors and negative revaluations (€15bn) in both USD and GBP.
- Total assets under management for MMFs continued to decrease, after their peak in October, reaching €706bn at the end of Q4-2022. This was driven by decreases in UK (€14bn), Euro Area (€12bn) and US assets (€11bn).

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Further information

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