

Banco de la República (the Central Bank of Colombia) increases the allotment of repos with private debt instruments.

Banco de la República increased the allotment of liquidity auctions from \$17 trillion to \$20 trillion as of Tuesday, 17 March 2020. The \$3 t increase is destined to expand the allotment for the auction of REPOS backed by private instruments, which will increase from the current \$5 t to \$8 t. Additionally, the Central Bank will have the flexibility to reassign the allotment of REPO auctions with public instruments (currently \$12 t) to the REPO auctions with private instruments. These allotments are broad facing the liquidity needs of the economy.

Note: 1 billion = 1×10^9 ; 1 trillion = 1×10^{12} .

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