Magyar pushes euro entry for Hungary

Hungary's new leader, Péter Magyar, is pushing euro adoption to the top of his agenda – a move that would mark the largest expansion of the single-currency bloc since Greece joined in 2001



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Around 350 million people use euro, world's second-most traded and held reserve currency after U.S. dollar



Euro-zone member
21 countries in 27-member EU have adopted euro since its launch in 1999

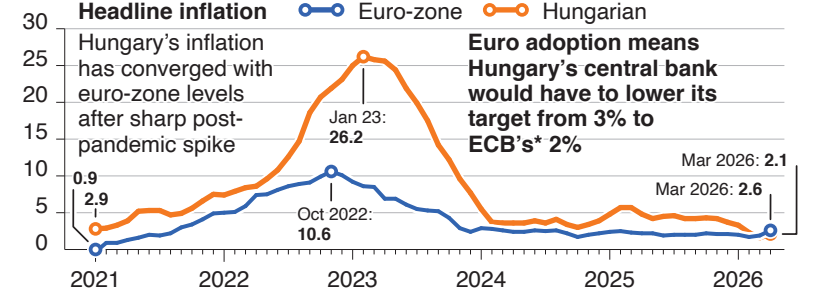
Considering joining euro

Opt-out from euro

Other EU states

CONDITIONS TO ENTER

To adopt euro, Hungary must meet EU convergence criteria, including inflation aligned with EU benchmarks, sound public finances and at least two years in ***ERM II*** exchange-rate mechanism



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