

## Geneva: 500 euro notes found flushed down toilets

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Swiss prosecutors are investigating why tens of thousands of euros were flushed down toilets in Geneva.

The €500 (£440; \$600) notes were cut up and found in the toilets of a branch of the bank UBS and in three nearby restaurants.

Thousands of francs [have reportedly been spent](#) on plumbing repairs to unclog the surrounding pipes. The high-value euro notes are due to be withdrawn in 2018 over fears they facilitate illegal activities.

**TVNL Comment:** This is a strange story that might be worth following. We'll keep you posted.

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