INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31 MARCH 2023 (REVIEWED)



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REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED a FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ARAB BANKING CORPORATION (B.S.C.)

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements of Arab Banking Corporation (B.S.C.) [the "Bank"] and its subsidiaries [together the "Group"] as at 31 March 2023, comprising of the interim consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2023 and the related interim consolidated statements of profit or loss, comprehensive income, cash flows and changes in equity for the three-month period then ended, and explanatory notes. The Bank's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 Interim Financial Reporting (IAS 34). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statements based on our review.

Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, *Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity.* A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and, consequently, does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

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14 May 2023 Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

ASSETS Liquid funds Trading securities Placements with banks and other financial institutions Securities bought under repurchase agreements Non-trading investments Loans and advances Other assets	Notes 4 5	Reviewed 31 March 2023 1,546 1,065 2,510 1,059 7,090 17,908 3,213	Audited 31 December 2022 2,886 590 2,226 1,386 8,080 18,190 3,016
Premises and equipment	—	253	265
TOTAL ASSETS	=	34,644	36,639
LIABILITIES			
Deposits from customers		19,948	21,396
Deposits from banks		4,081	3,764
Certificates of deposit		336	435
Securities sold under repurchase agreements		1,980	2,878
Taxation		118	84
Other liabilities		2,395	2,264
Borrowings	_	1,301	1,297
Total liabilities	_	30,159	32,118
EQUITY			
Share capital		3,110	3,110
Treasury shares		(6)	(6)
Statutory reserve		545	545
Retained earnings		1,134	1,125
Other reserves		(1,130)	(1,069)
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF			
THE PARENT		3,653	3,705
Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital		390	390
Equity attributable to the shareholders of the parent and perpetual instrument holders	_	4,043	4,095
Non-controlling interests		442	426
Total equity	_	4,485	4,521
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	_	34,644	36,639

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 14 May 2023 and signed on their behalf by the Chairman, Deputy Chairman and the Acting Group Chief Executive Officer.

Saddek El Kaber Chairman

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Mohammad Abdulredha Saleem Deputy Chairman

Sael Al Waary Acting Group Chief Executive Officer

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

		Reviewed	l
	-	Three months	ended
	_	31 March	'n
	Notes	2023	2022
OPERATING INCOME			
Interest and similar income Interest and similar expense		661 (438)	403 (226)
Net interest income		223	177
Other operating income	6	76	70
Total operating income	-	299	247
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Staff Premises and equipment Other		108 13 53	100 15 44
Total operating expenses	-	174	159
NET OPERATING PROFIT BEFORE CREDIT LOSS			
EXPENSE AND TAXATION		125	88
Credit loss expense	7	(43)	(25)
PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION	_	82	63
Taxation charge on foreign operations		(11)	(20)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	-	71	43
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests		(11)	(12)
PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE PARENT	-	60	31
	=		51
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS			
PER SHARE (EXPRESSED IN US\$)		0.02	0.01

Saddek El Kaber Chairman

Mohammad Abdulredha Saleem Deputy Chairman

Sael Al Waary Acting Group Chief Executive Officer

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

	Reviewe	ed
	Three month.	s ended
	31 Mare	ch
	2023	2022
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	71	43
Other comprehensive income (loss):		
Other comprehensive income (loss)		
that will be reclassified (or recycled) to profit		
or loss in subsequent periods:		
Foreign currency translation:		
Unrealised (loss) gain on exchange translation in		
foreign subsidiaries	(27)	74
Debt instruments at FVOCI:		
Net change in fair value during the period	(24)	(41)
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the period	(51)	33
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE		
INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	20	76
Attributable to:		
Shareholders of the parent	(1)	8
Non-controlling interests	21	68
	20	76
INCOME FOR THE PERIOD Attributable to: Shareholders of the parent	(1) 21	

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ million

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	CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE PERIOD**	1,546	1,736

*This excludes non-cash item amounting to US\$ Nil (31 March 2022: US\$ 390 million), which was converted from deposits from customers to additional / perpetual tier-1 capital instruments during 2022.

**Cash and cash equivalents comprises of liquid funds excluding treasury and other eligible bills with original maturities of more than three months amounting to US\$ nil (31 March 2022: US\$ 343 million).

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Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

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			Equity attri	butable to th	e sharehola	lers of the pare	ent			Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital	Non- controlling interests	Total equity_
						Other re	eserves					
	Share	Treasury	Statutory	Retained	General	Foreign exchange translation	Cumulative changes in	Pension fund				
	capital	shares	reserve	earnings*	reserve	adjustments	fair value	reserve	Total			
At 31 December 2022	3,110	(6)	545	1,125	100	(1,114)	(22)	(33)	3,705	390	426	4,521
Profit for the period Other comprehensive (loss) income for the period	-	-	-	60 -	-	- (37)	- (24)	-	60 (61)	-	11 10	71 (51)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Dividend** Interest paid on additional /	 -	 - -	 _ _	60 (46)	-	(37)	(24)	-	(1) (46)	-	21	20 (46)
perpetual tier-1 capital Other equity movements	-	-	-	(9)	-	-	-	-	(9)	-	-	(9)
in subsidiaries	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	(5)	(1)
At 31 March 2023 (reviewed)	3,110	(6)	545	1,134	100	(1,151)	(46)	(33)	3,653	390	442	4,485

* Retained earnings include non-distributable reserves arising from consolidation of subsidiaries amounting to US\$ 519 million (31 December 2022: US\$ 517 million).

** A dividend of US\$ 0.015 per share (2021: US\$ 0.01 per share) for the year 2022 was approved for payment at the Annual General Meeting held on 19 March 2023 and paid during the period.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)

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			Equity attri	butable to th	e sharehold	lers of the pare	ent			Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
						Other re	eserves					
	Share capital	Treasury shares	Statutory reserve	Retained earnings	General reserve	Foreign exchange translation adjustments	Cumulative changes in fair value	Pension fund reserve	Total			
At 31 December 2021	3,110	(6)	530	1,055	100	(950)	63	(30)	3,872	-	363	4,235
Profit for the period Other comprehensive income (loss) for the period	-	-	-	31	-	- 18	- (41)	-	31 (23)	-	12 56	43 33
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Dividend Issue of additional / perpetual	-	- -	 - -	31 (31)	-	- 18	(41)] _ _	8 (31)		68	76 (31)
tier-1 capital Other equity movements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	390	-	390
in subsidiaries	-	-		(18)	-	-	-	-	(18)	-	-	(18)
At 31 March 2022 (reviewed)	3,110	(6)	530	1,037	100	(932)	22	(30)	3,831	390	431	4,652

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1 INCORPORATION AND ACTIVITIES

Arab Banking Corporation (B.S.C.) [the "Bank"] is incorporated in the Kingdom of Bahrain by an Amiri decree and operates under a wholesale banking licence issued by the Central Bank of Bahrain (the "CBB"). The Bank is a Bahraini Shareholding Company with limited liability and is listed on the Bahrain Bourse. The Central Bank of Libya is the ultimate parent of the Bank and its subsidiaries (together the "Group").

The Bank's registered office is at ABC Tower, Diplomatic Area, P.O. Box 5698, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain. The Bank is registered under commercial registration number 10299 issued by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Kingdom of Bahrain.

The Group offers a range of international wholesale banking services including Corporate Banking & Financial Institutions, Project & Structured Finance, Syndications, Treasury, Trade Finance services, Islamic Banking and the digital, mobile-only banking space named "ila Bank" within retail consumer banking services. Retail banking services are only provided in the MENA region.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Basis of preparation

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three-month period ended 31 March 2023 have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting (IAS 34).

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2022. In addition, results for the three-month period ended 31 March 2023 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2023.

2.2 New and amended standards and interpretations adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022, except for the adoption of new and amended standards and interpretations that have become applicable to the Group effective from 1 January 2023. The Group has not early adopted any new and amended standard or interpretation that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments apply for the first time in 2023, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

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3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies, estimates and assumptions used in the preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 except for adoption of new standards and amendments effective from 1 January 2023.

4 NON-TRADING INVESTMENTS

	Reviewed	Audited
	31 March	31 December
	2023	2022
Debt securities		
At amortised cost	1,493	1,397
At FVOCI	5,662	6,755
	7,155	8,152
ECL allowances	(85)	(87)
Debt securities - net	7,070	8,065
Equity securities		
At FVOCI	20	15
	20	15
	7,090	8,080

Following are the stage wise break-up of debt securities as of 31 March 2023 and 31 December 2022:

	31 March 2023 (Reviewed)				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
Debt securities, gross ECL allowances	7,081 (11)	-	74 (74)	7,155 (85)	
	7,070	-	-	7,070	
	3.	1 December 202	2 (Audited)		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
Debt securities, gross	8,078	-	74	8,152	
ECL allowances	(13)	-	(74)	(87)	
	8,065	-	-	8,065	

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5 LOANS AND ADVANCES

	31 March 2023 (Reviewed)				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
Loans and advances, gross ECL allowances	17,166 (136)	757 (73)	573 (379)	18,496 (588)	
	17,030	684	194	17,908	
	3	1 December 2	2022 (Audited)		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
Loans and advances, gross	17,466	742	655	18,863	
ECL allowances	(139)	(71)	(463)	(673)	
	17,327	671	192	18,190	

An analysis of movement in the ECL allowances during the periods ended 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022 are as follows:

<u>Reviewed</u>	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2023	139	71	463	673
Net transfers between stages	1	(11)	10	-
Amounts written-off	-	-	(132)	(132)
Charge for the period - net	(6)	4	41	39
Exchange adjustments and other movements	2	9	(3)	8
As at 31 March 2023	136	73	379	588
Reviewed	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2022	109	89	493	691
Net transfers between stages	2	(19)	17	-
Amounts written-off	-	-	(24)	(24)
Charge for the period - net	16	5	6	27
Exchange adjustments and other movements	5	3	11	19
As at 31 March 2022	132	78	503	713

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6 OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	Revie	wed
	31 March	31 March
	2023	2022
Fee and commission income - net*	45	43
Bureau processing income	9	7
Net gain (loss) from trading book (including foreign currencies transaction)	5	(5)
Gain on disposal of non-trading debt investments - net	4	15
Merchant acquiring income	3	2
Others - net	10	8
	76	70

*Included in the fee and commission income is US\$ 3 million (31 March 2022: US\$ 3 million) of fee income relating to funds under management.

7 CREDIT LOSS EXPENSE

	Revie	wed
	31 March	31 March
	2023	2022
Non-trading debt investments	1	(4)
Loans and advances	39	27
Credit commitments and contingent items	3	2
	43	25

8 OPERATING SEGMENTS

For management purposes, the Group is organised into five operating segments which are based on business units and their activities. The Group has accordingly been structured to place its activities under the distinct divisions which are as follows:

- **MENA subsidiaries** cover retail, corporate and treasury activities of subsidiaries in North Africa and Levant;
- **International wholesale banking** encompasses corporate and structured finance, trade finance, Islamic banking services and syndications;
- **Group treasury** comprises treasury business of Bahrain, New York and London;
- **ABC Brasil** primarily reflects the commercial banking and treasury activities of the Brazilian subsidiary Banco ABC Brasil S.A., focusing on the corporate and middle market segments in Brazil; and
- **Others** includes activities of the Head Office, Arab Financial Services Company B.S.C. (c) and ila Bank.

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8 OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Three-month period ended 31 March 2023 (Reviewed)	MENA subsidiaries	International wholesale banking	Group treasury	ABC Brasil	Others	Total
Net interest income Other operating income	53 12	48 18	14 11	78 21	30 14	223 76
Total operating income	65	66	25	99	44	299
Operating expenses	(31)	(31)	(9)	(45)	(23)	(139)
Profit before taxation, credit loss and unallocated operating expenses Credit loss expense Taxation charge on foreign	34 (3)	35 (8)	16 -	54 (32)	21	160 (43)
operations Unallocated operating expenses	(12)	(4)	-	5	-	(11) (35)
Profit for the period					_	71
Operating assets as at 31 March 2023	6,348	7,842	10,358	9,770	326	34,644
Operating liabilities as at 31 March 2023	5,747		15,201	8,631	580	30,159
Three-month period ended 31 March 2022 (Reviewed)	MENA subsidiaries	International wholesale banking	Group treasury	ABC Brasil	Others	Total
Net interest income Other operating income	55 12	41 19	18 20	62 12	1 7	177 70
Total operating income	67	60	38	74	8	247
Operating expenses	(39)	(28)	(7)	(37)	(19)	(130)
 Profit (loss) before taxation, credit loss and unallocated operating expenses Credit loss expense Taxation charge on foreign operations Unallocated operating expenses 	28 (6) (8)	32 (18) (2)	21 3 -	47 (4) (10)	(11) -	117 (25) (20) (29)
Profit for the period						43
Operating assets as at 31 December 2022 (Audited)	5,653	8,954	12,035	9,628	369	36,639
Operating liabilities as at 31 December 2022 (Audited)	4,939	-	18,145	8,544	490	32,118

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9 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following tables provide the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in these financial statements.

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for assets as at 31 March 2023 (Reviewed):

Financial assets measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Trading securities	1,065	-	1,065
Non-trading investments	4,721	877	5,598
Loans and advances	-	635	635
Derivatives held for trading	398	534	932
Derivatives held as hedges	-	83	83

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for liabilities as at 31 March 2023 (Reviewed):

Financial liabilities measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Derivatives held for trading	375	464	839
Derivatives held as hedges	-	9	9

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for assets as at 31 December 2022 (Audited):

Financial assets measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Trading securities	590	-	590
Non-trading investments	5,757	911	6,668
Loans and advances	-	726	726
Derivatives held for trading	324	541	865
Derivatives held as hedges	-	103	103

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for liabilities as at 31 December 2022 (Audited):

Financial liabilities measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Derivatives held for trading	323	482	805
Derivatives held as hedges		4	4

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9 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

Fair values of financial instruments not carried at fair value

Except for the following, the fair value of financial instruments which are not carried at fair value are not materially different from their carrying value.

	Reviewe	d	Audited 31 December 2022		
	31 March 2	2023			
Financial assets Non-trading debt investments at amortised cost - gross (level 1 and 2) Financial liabilities	Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value	
Non-trading debt investments	1,493	1,425	1,397	1,354	
Financial liabilities Borrowings - perpetual (level 1)	94	103	92	97	

For financial instruments that are recognised at fair value on a recurring basis, the Group determines whether transfers have occurred between Levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation at the end of each reporting period.

Financial instruments in level 1

The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets is based on quoted market prices at the reporting date. A market is regarded as active if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Group is the current bid price. These instruments are included in Level 1.

Financial instruments in level 2

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, over-the-counter derivatives) is determined by using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where it is available and rely as little as possible on entity specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

Transfers between level 1 and level 2

There were no transfers between level 1 and level 2 during the current and prior period.

10 CREDIT COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT ITEMS

a) Exposure (after applying credit conversion factor) and ECL by stage

	31 March 2023 (Reviewed)					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total		
Credit commitments and contingencies	3,234	79	39	3,352		
ECL allowances	7	11	27	45		

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10 CREDIT COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT ITEMS (continued)

a) Exposure (after applying credit conversion factor) and ECL by stage (continued)

	31 December 2022 (Audited)					
-	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total		
Credit commitments and contingencies	3,229	71	39	3,339		
ECL allowances	7	9	28	44		

An analysis of movement in the ECL allowances during the period are as follows:

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2023 ECL movements for the period - net	7	9 2	28 (1)	44
As at 31 March 2023 (reviewed)			27	45
As at 51 March 2025 (It viewed)				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2022	12	9	41	62
ECL movements for the period - net	(2)	3	4	5
As at 31 March 2022 (reviewed)	10	12	45	67

b) Credit commitments and contingencies

	Reviewed 31 March 2023	Audited 31 December 2022
Short-term self-liquidating trade and transaction-related contingent items Direct credit substitutes, guarantees	2,351 3,029	2,892 2,970
Undrawn loans and other commitments	2,333	2,119
	7,713	7,981
Credit exposure after applying credit conversion factor	3,352	3,339
Risk weighted equivalents	2,694	2,657

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10 CREDIT COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT ITEMS (continued)

c) Derivatives

The outstanding notional amounts at the reporting date were as follows:

	Reviewed 31 March 2023	Audited 31 December 2022
Interest rate swaps	9,596	11,617
Currency swaps	1,254	366
Forward foreign exchange contracts	7,978	8,501
Options*	13,283	11,011
Futures	5,250	2,985
	37,361	34,480
Risk weighted equivalents (credit and market risk)	1,317	1,232

* This includes options for which the Group has a back-to-back cover available.

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11 RISK MANAGEMENT

Liquidity risk

The Group is required to comply with the liquidity requirements as stipulated by its regulator, the CBB. These requirements relate to maintaining a minimum of 100% for liquidity coverage ratio (LCR) and net stable funding ratio (NSFR). LCR is calculated as a ratio of its stock of high quality liquid assets (HQLA) and net outflows over the next 30 calendar days. NSFR is calculated as a ratio of 'available stable funding' to 'required stable funding'. As at 31 March 2023, the Group's LCR and NSFR were at 200% (31 December 2022: 225%) and 125% (31 December 2022: 124%) respectively.

	31 March 2023				31 December 2022					
	Unweighted Values (i.e. before applying relevant factors)				Unweighted Values (i.e. before applying relevant factors)					
	No specified maturity	Less than 6 months	Over 6 months and less than one year	Over one year	Total weighted value	No specified maturity	Less than 6 months	Over 6 months and less than one year	Over one year	Total weighted value
Available Stable Funding (ASF):										
Capital:										
Regulatory Capital	3,962	-	-	-	3,962	3,995	-	-	-	3,995
Other Capital Instruments	473	-	-	300	773	470	-	-	290	760
Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers:										
Stable deposits	-	-	80	-	76	-	-	91	-	86
Less stable deposits	-	1,776	433	218	2,207	-	1,526	241	280	1,871
Wholesale funding:										
Operational deposits										
Other wholesale funding	-	13,615	4,640	7,522	12,929	-	16,403	4,056	7,393	12,863
Other liabilities:										
NSFR derivative liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other liabilities not included in the above categories	-	773	-	-	-	-	1,084	-	-	-
Total ASF (A)					19,947					19,575

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11 RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

	31 March 2023			31 December 2022						
	Unweighted Values (i.e. before applying relevant factors)				Unweighted Values (i.e. before applying relevant factors)					
	No specified maturity	Less than 6 months	Over 6 months and less than one year	Over one year	Total weighted value	No specified maturity	Less than 6 months	Over 6 months and less than one year	Over one year	Tota weighted valu
ired Stable Funding (RSF):										
Total NSFR high-quality liquid assets (HQLA)	7,178	535	-	-	538	7,744	88	-	-	452
Deposits held at other financial institutions for operational purposes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Performing loans and securities:										
Performing loans to financial institutions secured by Level 1 HQLA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Performing loans to financial institutions secured by non-level 1 HQLA and										
unsecured performing loans to financial institutions	-	3,017	832	632	1,490	-	4,099	819	693	1,677
Performing loans to non- financial corporate clients, loans to retail and small										
business customers, and loans to sovereigns,										
central banks and PSEs, of which:	-	7,001	2,081	5,809	9,479	-	7,281	2,128	5,729	9,574
With a risk weight of less than or equal to 35% as per the										
CBB Capital Adequacy Ratio guidelines	-	-	-	312	203	-	-	-	100	65
Performing residential mortgages, of which:										
With a risk weight of less than or equal to 35% under the CBB										
Capital Adequacy Ratio Guidelines	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Securities that are not in default and do not qualify										
as HQLA, including exchange-traded equities	-	162	787	1,364	1,634	-	231	444	854	1,064
Other assets:										
Physical traded commodities, including gold	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assets posted as initial margin for derivative contracts and										
contributions to default funds of CCPs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
NSFR derivative assets	-	148	-	-	148	-	-	-	-	
NSFR derivative liabilities before deduction of variation margin posted	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other assets not included in the above categories	1,516	383	6	1,747	2,026	2,772	327	18	2,214	2,504
OBS items	-	7,801	-	-	390	-	8,130	-	-	406
Total RSF (B)					15,908					15,742
NSFR (A/B)					125%				•	124%

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All figures in US\$ million

12 TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Related parties represent the ultimate parent, major shareholders, associates, directors and key management personnel of the Group and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management.

The period-end and year-end balances in respect of related parties included in the interim consolidated statement of financial position are as follows:

	Ultimate parent	Major share- holder	Directors	31 March 2023 (Reviewed)
Deposits from customers	2,949	-	7	2,956
Borrowings	1,115	-	-	1,115
Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital*	390	-	-	390
Short-term self-liquidating trade and transaction-related contingent items	250	-	-	250
		Major		
	Ultimate	share-		31 December
	parent	holder	Directors	2022
	-			(Audited)
Deposits from customers	3,173	-	6	3,179
Borrowings	1,115	-	-	1,115
Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital*	390	-	-	390
Short-term self-liquidating trade and				
transaction-related contingent items	387	-	-	387

* During the period, the Group has paid interest on additional / perpetual tier-1 capital amounting to US\$ 9 million (31 March 2022: US\$ Nil) which has been charged to the interim consolidated statement of changes in equity.

The income and expenses in respect of related parties included in the interim consolidated statement of profit or loss are as follows:

	31 March	31 March	
	2023	2022	
	Reviewed		
Commission income	3	2	
Interest expense	59	46	