Arab Banking Corporation (B.S.C.)

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

30 SEPTEMBER 2022 (REVIEWED)



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REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED 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 30 September 2022, comprising of the interim consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2022 and the related interim consolidated statements of profit or loss and comprehensive income for the three-month period and nine-month period then ended, and interim consolidated statements of cash flows and changes in equity for the nine-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.

13 November 2022

Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain

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INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

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Other assets 3,022 2,	319
Premises and equipment 279	901
TOTAL ASSETS 34,831 34,	
LIABILITIES	
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Deposits from banks 3,521 4,	388
Certificates of deposit 493	725
Securities sold under repurchase agreements 1,703 2,	011
Taxation 70	83
Other liabilities 2,133 1,	514
Borrowings 1,240 1,	211
Total liabilities 30,335 30,4	566
EQUITY	
Share capital 3,110 3,	110
Treasury shares (6)	(6)
Statutory reserve 530	530
Retained earnings 1,111 1,	055
Other reserves (1,040)	817)
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE PARENT 3,705 3,	872
Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital 13 390	31 <i>2</i> -
Equity attributable to the shareholders of the parent	
	872
Non-controlling interests 401	363
Total equity 4,496 4,5	235
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY 34,831 34,9	901

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 13 November 2022 and signed on their behalf by the Chairman, Deputy Chairman and the Acting Group Chief Executive Officer.

Saddek El Kaber Chairman Mohammad Abdulredha Saleem Deputy Chairman Sael Al Waary

Acting Group Chief Executive Officer

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

		Reviewe	ed .	Reviewe	d	
		Three months	s ended	Nine months	ended	
		30 September		30 September		
	Notes	2022	2021	2022	2021	
OPERATING INCOME						
Interest and similar income Interest and similar expense		539 (345)	373 (214)	1,435 (871)	848 (429)	
Net interest income		194	159	564	419	
Other operating income	6	77	60	227	207	
Total operating income		271	219	791	626	
OPERATING EXPENSES						
Staff		109	88	308	244	
Premises and equipment		13	13	40	36	
Other		41	46	146	120	
Total operating expenses		163	147	494	400	
NET OPERATING PROFIT BEFORE CREDIT LOSS						
EXPENSE AND TAXATION		108	72	297	226	
Credit loss expense	7	(27)	(29)	(78)	(78)	
PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION		81	43	219	148	
Taxation charge						
on foreign operations		(22)	(11)	(64)	(47)	
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		59	32	155	101	
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests		(15)	(7)	(41)	(21)	
PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE			, ,			
SHAREHOLDERS OF THE PARENT			25	114	80	
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS						
PER SHARE (EXPRESSED IN US\$)		0.01	0.01	0.04	0.03	

Saddek El Kaber Chairman Mohammad Abdulredha Saleem Deputy Chairman Sael Al Waary Acting Group Chief Executive Officer

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

	Review	Reviewed			
	Three month	Nine month	s ended		
	30 Septei		30 September		
	2022	2021	2022	2021	
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	59	32	155	101	
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 on exchange translation in					
foreign subsidiaries	(55)	(80)	(84)	(39)	
Debt instruments at FVOCI:					
Net change in fair value during the period	(6)	(3)	(128)	39	
Other comprehensive loss for the period	(61)	(83)	(212)	-	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE					
(LOSS) INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	(2)	(51)	(57)	101	
Attributable to:					
Shareholders of the parent	(6)	(29)	(109)	92	
Non-controlling interests	4	(22)	52	9	
	(2)	(51)	(57)	101	

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ million

	Reviewed		
-	Nine months ended		
	30 Septen	nber	
	2022	2021	
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit for the period	155	101	
Adjustments for:			
Credit loss expense	78	78	
Depreciation and amortisation	43	38	
Gain on disposal of non-trading debt investments - net	(13)	(21)	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Treasury bills and other eligible bills	7	(13)	
Trading securities	126	(675)	
Placements with banks and other financial institutions	188	(1,110)	
Securities bought under repurchase agreements	(560)	620	
Loans and advances	(1,396)	(1,917)	
Other assets	(818)	(764)	
Deposits from customers*	1,819	3,895	
Deposits from banks	(758)	501	
Securities sold under repurchase agreements	(295)	228	
Other liabilities	637	510	
Other non-cash movements	369	(215)	
Net cash (used in) from operating activities	(418)	1,256	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of non-trading investments	(3,682)	(3,701)	
Sale and redemption of non-trading investments	3,851	3,393	
Purchase of premises and equipment	(23)	(66)	
Sale of premises and equipment	4	7	
Investment in subsidiaries - net	(38)	(13)	
Purchase of subsidiary net of cash and cash equivalents acquired		(285)	
Net cash from (used in) investing activities	112	(665)	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
(Repayment) issue of certificates of deposit - net	(165)	35	
Repayment of borrowings	(9)	(94)	
Issue of borrowings	30	1	
Interest paid on additional / perpetual tier-1 capital	(9)	-	
Dividend paid to the Group's shareholders	(31)	-	
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	(17)	(10)	
Net cash used in financing activities	(201)	(68)	
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(507)	523	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(57)	(26)	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	2,586	1,752	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE PERIOD**	2,022	2,249	

^{*}This excludes non-cash item amounting to US\$ 390 million, which was converted from deposits from customers to additional / perpetual tier-1 capital instruments during the period.

^{**}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\$ 34 million (30 September 2021: US\$ 13 million).

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

			Eauity attri	butable to th	e sharehola	lers of the pare	ent			Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
						Other re				1		1 2
				•		Foreign						
	GI.	T	G	D	<i>a</i> 1	exchange		Pension				
	Share capital	Treasury shares	Statutory reserve	Retained earnings*	General reserve	translation adjustments	changes in fair value	fund reserve	Total			
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At 31 December 2021	3,110	(6)	530	1,055	100	(950)	63	(30)	3,872	-	363	4,235
Profit for the period	-	-	-	114	-	-	-	-	114	-	41	155
Other comprehensive (loss)												
income for the period					-	(95)	(128)		(223)	-	11	(212)
Total comprehensive income												
(loss) for the period	-	-	-	114	-	(95)	(128)	-	(109)	-	52	(57)
Dividend**	-	-	-	(31)	-	-	-	-	(31)	-	-	(31)
Issue of additional / perpetual tier-1 capital	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	390	_	390
Interest paid on additional /										270		270
perpetual tier-1 capital	-	-	-	(9)	-	-	-	-	(9)	-	-	(9)
Other equity movements												
in subsidiaries	-	-	-	(18)	-	-	-	-	(18)	-	(14)	(32)
At 30 September 2022 (reviewed)	3,110	(6)	530	1,111	100	(1,045)	(65)	(30)	3,705	390	401	4,496

^{*} Retained earnings include non-distributable reserves arising from consolidation of subsidiaries amounting to US\$ 517 million (31 December 2021: US\$ 510 million).

^{**} A dividend of US\$ 0.01 per share (2020: Nil) was approved for payment at the Annual General Meeting held on 23 March 2022 and paid during the period.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ Million

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	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 2020	3,110	(6)	520	965	100	(902)	20	(40)	3,767	-	377	4,144
Profit for the period	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	80	-	21	101
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	(27)	39	-	12	-	(12)	-
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Other equity movements	-	-	-	80	-	(27)	39	-	92	-	9	101
in subsidiaries	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	(17)	(16)
At 30 September 2021 (reviewed)	3,110	(6)	520	1,046	100	(929)	59	(40)	3,860	-	369	4,229

30 September 2022 (Reviewed)

All figures in US\$ million

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, Commerce and Tourism, 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 of the Group are prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 – "Interim Financial Information" (IAS 34). The consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2021 were prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as modified by the CBB and interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group for the interim periods of the year ended 31 December 2021 were prepared in accordance with the guidance provided by IAS 34 using IFRS as modified by the CBB framework. The transition from "IFRS as modified by the CBB" to "IFRS" has not resulted in any changes to the previously reported numbers (including comparatives in these interim condensed consolidated financial statements) in the consolidated statement of financial position as of 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021 and the consolidated statements of profit or loss, comprehensive income, cash flows and changes in equity for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the interim periods of the year ended 31 December 2021.

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 2021, except for change in framework described in note 2.1 above and adoption of new and amended standards and interpretations that have become applicable to the Group effective from 1 January 2022. 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 2022, 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 2021 except for adoption of new standards and amendments effective from 1 January 2022 as explained in note 2.2 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements and change in framework as set out in note 2.1 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

4 NON-TRADING INVESTMENTS

Revie 30 Septem		(Restated) Audited 31 December 2021
Debt securities	022	2021
At amortised cost 1,3	311	1,683
At FVOCI 6,3	348	6,795
7,	659	8,478
ECL allowances	(87)	(105)
Debt securities - net 7,5	572	8,373
Equity securities		
At FVOCI	15	17
	15	17
7,3	587	8,390

Following are the stage wise break-up of debt securities as of 30 September 2022 and 31 December 2021:

	30 September 2022 (Reviewed)						
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total			
Debt securities, gross	7,586	-	73	7,659			
ECL allowances	(14)	-	(73)	(87)			
	7,572	-	-	7,572			
	31 Dec	ember 2021 (Au	dited) (Restated))			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total			
Debt securities, gross	8,389	-	89	8,478			
ECL allowances	(19)	-	(86)	(105)			
	8,370	-	3	8,373			

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5 LOANS AND ADVANCES

	30 September 2022 (Reviewed)					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Loans and advances, gross ECL allowances	16,760 (156)	679 (65)	546 (415)	1	17,986 (636)	
	16,604	614	131	1	17,350	
		31 December	· 2021 (Audited	l) (Restated)		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Loans and advances, gross	15,987	821	598	1	17,407	
ECL allowances	(109)	(89)	(493)	-	(691)	
	15,878	732	105	1	16,716	

An analysis of movement in the ECL allowances during the periods ended 30 September 2022 and 30 September 2021 are as follows:

Reviewed	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2022	109	89	493	691
Net transfers between stages	4	(21)	17	-
Amounts written-off	-	-	(147)	(147)
Charge for the period - net	31	9	40	80
Exchange adjustments and other movements	12	(12)	12	12
As at 30 September 2022	156	65	415	636
Reviewed	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2021	67	95	708	870
Net transfers between stages	(1)	-	1	-
Amounts written-off	-	-	(36)	(36)
Charge for the period - net	19	-	50	69
Exchange adjustments and other movements	15	7	35	57
As at 30 September 2021	100	102	758	960

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All figures in US\$ million

6 OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	Reviewed		
	30 September	30 September	
	2022	2021	
Fee and commission income - net*	140	126	
Bureau processing income	24	22	
Net gain from derivatives	42	20	
Net (loss) gain on trading securities	(25)	10	
Net gain on foreign currency contracts	5	3	
Gain / (loss) on hedging foreign currency movements**	1	(10)	
Gain on disposal of non-trading debt investments - net	13	21	
Others - net	27	15	
	227	207	

^{*}Included in the fee and commission income is US\$ 10 million (30 September 2021: US\$ 10 million) of fee income relating to funds under management.

7 CREDIT LOSS EXPENSE

	Rev	iewed	
	30 September 30		
	2022	2021	
Non-trading debt investments	(7)	-	
Loans and advances	80	69	
Credit commitments and contingent items	5	9	
	78	78	

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 activities of Bahrain Head Office, 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 Arab Financial Services Company B.S.C. (c) and ila Bank.

^{**}Gain / (loss) on hedging foreign currency movements relate to a transaction which has an offsetting impact on the tax expense for 2021.

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8 OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Nine-month period ended 30 September 2022 (Reviewed)	MENA subsidiaries	International wholesale banking	Group treasury	ABC Brasil	Others	Total
Net interest income Other operating income	162 35	121 58	51 26	209 82	21 26	564 227
Total operating income	197	179	77	291	47	791
Total operating expenses	(111)	(82)	(18)	(123)	(63)	(397)
Profit (loss) before taxation, credit loss and unallocated operating expenses Credit loss expense Taxation charge on foreign	86 (34)	97 (23)	59 3	168 (24)	(16)	394 (78)
operations Unallocated operating expenses	(28)	(3)	-	(33)	-	(64) (97)
Profit for the period					_	155
Operating assets as at 30 September 2022	6,326	8,642	10,456	9,172	235	34,831
Operating liabilities as at 30 September 2022	5,547		16,245	8,149	394	30,335
Nine-month period ended 30 September 2021 (Reviewed)	MENA subsidiaries	International wholesale banking	Group treasury	ABC Brasil	Others	Total
Net interest income Other operating income	108 30	130 54	52 28	127 78	2 17	419 207
Total operating income	138	184	80	205	19	626
Total operating expenses	(84)	(80)	(17)	(80)	(55)	(316)
Profit (loss) before taxation, credit loss and unallocated operating expenses Credit loss expense Taxation charge on foreign operations Unallocated operating expenses	54 (27) (17)	104 (24) (6)	63 -	125 (26) (24)	(36) (1)	310 (78) (47) (84)
Profit for the period						101
Operating assets as at 31 December 2021 (Restated)	6,831	9,124	10,886	7,740	320	34,901
Operating liabilities as at 31 December 2021 (Restated)	5,975	-	17,635	6,779	277	30,666

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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 30 September 2022 (Reviewed):

Financial assets measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Trading securities	811	-	811
Non-trading investments	5,340	936	6,276
Loans and advances	-	681	681
Derivatives held for trading	324	484	808
Derivatives held as hedges	-	127	127

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for liabilities as at 30 September 2022 (Reviewed):

Financial liabilities measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Derivatives held for trading	283	493	776
Derivatives held as hedges	-	1	1

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for assets as at 31 December 2021 (Audited):

Financial assets measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Trading securities	902	-	902
Non-trading investments (Restated)	5,945	762	6,707
Loans and advances	-	618	618
Derivatives held for trading	396	259	655
Derivatives held as hedges	-	11	11

Quantitative disclosure of fair value measurement hierarchy for liabilities as at 31 December 2021 (Audited):

Financial liabilities measured at fair value:

	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Derivatives held for trading	403	203	606
Derivatives held as hedges	_	87	87

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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 (Res	tated)
	30 September	r 2022	31 December	Fair value
Financial assets Non-trading debt investments at amortised cost - gross (level 1 and 2)	Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value
Non-trading debt investments	1,311	1,273	1,683	1,684
Financial liabilities Borrowings - perpetual (level 1)	88	99	85	87

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

	30 September 2022 (Reviewed)						
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total			
Credit commitments and contingencies	3,137	95	78	3,310			
ECL allowances	6	9	30	45			

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All figures in US\$ million

10 CREDIT COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT ITEMS (continued)

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

	3	1 December 202	21 (Audited)	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Credit commitments and contingencies	2,941	127	75	3,143
ECL allowances	12	9	41	62
An analysis of movement in the ECL allowances du	uring the period are a	as follows:		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2022	12	9	41	62
ECL movements for the period - net	(6)	-	(11)	(17)
As at 30 September 2022 (reviewed)	6	9	30	45
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
As at 1 January 2021	12	13	32	57
ECL movements for the period - net	(1)	(3)	8	4
As at 30 September 2021 (reviewed)	11	10	40	61

b) Credit commitments and contingencies

	Reviewed 30 September 2022	Audited 31 December 2021
Short-term self-liquidating trade and transaction-related contingent items Direct credit substitutes, guarantees Undrawn loans and other commitments	2,513 2,819 2,281	2,575 2,777 2,383
	7,613	7,735
Credit exposure after applying credit conversion factor	3,310	3,143
Risk weighted equivalents	2,601	2,562

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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	Audited
3	0 September	31 December
	2022	2021
Interest rate swaps	11,808	11,581
Currency swaps	363	401
Forward foreign exchange contracts	7,033	6,163
Options*	8,529	26,108
Futures	4,260	3,386
	31,993	47,639
Risk weighted equivalents (credit and market risk)	1,208	1,376

^{*} 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 'available stable funding' to 'required stable funding'. As at 30 September 2022, the Group's LCR and NSFR were at 220% (31 December 2021: 228%) and 122% (31 December 2021: 128%) respectively.

			ecember 2021	31 De			22	September 202	30 \$		
Available Stable Funding (ASF): Capital: Regulatory Capital Instruments Other Capital Instruments Atail deposits and deposits from small business customers: Stable deposits Stable deposits	Total weighted value	relevant					Unweighted Values (i.e. before applying relevant			Unweighted	
Capital: Regulatory Capital 3,988 - - - 3,988 4,132 - - - Other Capital Instruments 473 - - 294 767 82 - - 265 Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers: Stable deposits - - 125 - 119 - - 122 -			6 months and less than one		specified	weighted		6 months and less than one		specified	
Regulatory Capital 3,988 - - - 3,988 4,132 - - - Other Capital Instruments 473 - - 294 767 82 - - 265 Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers: Stable deposits - - 125 - 119 - - 122 -											Available Stable Funding (ASF):
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Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers: Stable deposits 125 - 119 122 -	4,132	-	-	-	4,132	3,988	-	-	-	3,988	Regulatory Capital
Stable deposits 125 - 119 122 -	347	265	-	-	82	767	294	-	-	473	Other Capital Instruments
											Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers:
Less stable deposits - 1,418 259 216 1,725 - 1,500 315 203	116	-	122	-	-	119	-	125	-	-	Stable deposits
	1,836	203	315	1,500	-	1,725	216	259	1,418	-	Less stable deposits
Wholesale funding: Operational deposits											e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e
Other wholesale funding - 14,876 4,152 7,285 12,341 - 16,197 4,402 6,821	12,888	6,821	4,402	16,197	_	12,341	7,285	4,152	14,876	_	
Other liabilities:		*	,	•		,	,	,	,		
NSFR derivative liabilities 27	_	_	_	27	_	-	-	-	-	_	NSFR derivative liabilities
All other liabilities not included in the above categories - 968 137	-	-	-	137	-	-	-	-	968	-	All other liabilities not included in the above categories
Total ASF (A) 18,940	19,319	_				18,940					Total ASF (A)

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11 RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

			September 202					ecember 202		
	Unweighte		before applyin	ig relevant		Unweighte	d Values (i.e. be		relevant	
		fact	ors)		_		factor			
	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
Required Stable Funding (RSF):										
Total NSFR high-quality liquid assets (HQLA)	6,888	138	_	_	452	8,307	140	_	_	526
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	_	4,145	835	598	1,604	_	3,242	880	972	1,885
Performing loans to non- financial corporate clients, loans to retail and small										
business customers, and loans to sovereigns,										
central banks and PSEs, of which:	-	7,152	1,943	5,318	9,068	-	6,372	1,735	5,618	8,829
With a risk weight of less than or equal to 35% as per the										
CBB Capital Adequacy Ratio guidelines				198	129	-	-	-	141	92
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	-	536	579	1,426	1,769	-	274	626	1,950	2,108
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	-	157	-	-	157	-	-	-	-	-
NSFR derivative liabilities before deduction of variation margin posted	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	5
All other assets not included in the above categories	1,788	287	26	1,735	2,025	2,508	264	68	1,016	1,298
OBS items	-	7,678	-	-	384	-	7,266	-	-	363
Total RSF (B)					15,588				•	15,106
NSFR (A/B)					122%				•	128%
									:	

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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	30 September 2022 (Reviewed)
Deposits from customers	3,145	-	6	3,151
Borrowings	1,115	-	-	1,115
Additional / perpetual tier-1 capital* Short-term self-liquidating trade and	390	-	-	390
transaction-related contingent items	369	-	-	369
	Ultimate parent	Major share- holder	Directors	31 December 2021 (Audited)
Deposits from customers	3,560	700	9	4,269
Borrowings	1,115	-	-	1,115
Short-term self-liquidating trade and				
transaction-related contingent items	347	-	-	347

^{*} During the period, the Group has paid interest on additional / perpetual tier-1 capital amounting to US\$ 9 million 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:

	30 September	30 September
	2022	2021
	Reviewed	
Commission income	6	9
Interest expense	72	36

13 ADDITIONAL / PERPETUAL TIER 1 CAPITAL

The Group issued Basel 3 compliant additional / perpetual Tier 1 Capital securities amounting to US\$ 390 million during the period. These securities are perpetual, subordinated and unsecured and carry an interest of 4.75% per annum payable semi-annually. The holders of these securities do not have a right to claim the interest and such an event of non-payment will not be considered an event of default. Further, the corresponding interest paid to investors is accounted for as an appropriation of profits.

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14 BUSINESS COMBINATION ON ACQUISITION

14.1 Acquisition of Blom Bank Egypt

On 15 January 2021, the Bank entered into a sale and purchase agreement with BLOM Bank SAL, Lebanon, to acquire its 99.5% stake (including stake bought through mandatory tender offer) of BLOM Bank Egypt [S.A.E] (Blom Bank Egypt) at a proposed cash consideration valuing the Blom Bank Egypt's 100% ownership at EGP 6,700 million. As part of the agreement, there were various conditions for the completion of acquisition, obtaining control and appointment of the Bank's representatives on the Board of Directors of Blom Bank Egypt. These conditions included, amongst others, various regulatory approvals in the Kingdom of Bahrain, Egypt and Lebanon and completion of authorised capital increase of Blom Bank Egypt. All the regulatory approvals and relevant completion conditions were fulfilled and the Group completed the acquisition transaction during 2021. The Group's subsidiaries in Egypt namely Arab Banking Corporation Egypt [S.A.E] and Blom Bank Egypt will continue operating as separate entities until the legal merger is completed which is subject to regulatory approvals.

This transaction has been accounted for using the acquisition method under IFRS 3 Business combinations (IFRS 3), with the Group being the acquirer and Blom Bank Egypt being the acquiree. As required by IFRS 3, the Bank has accounted for this acquisition using provisional fair values of the acquired assets and assumed liabilities as at the acquisition date which have been disclosed in the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2021. During the quarter ended 30 September 2022, the Group finalised the purchase price allocation (PPA) and has accordingly allocated the purchase consideration to identifiable assets and liabilities (including contingent liabilities acquired) and goodwill arising on acquisition.

14.2 Purchase consideration

Cash flow on
acquisition for
the period
30 September 2021
141
(426)
(285)

14.3 Acquisition related costs

During 2022, the Group incurred acquisition related costs on account of fees to third parties for legal, valuation and transaction services as well as costs of third party consultants working on the acquisition amounting to US\$ 9 million (2021: US\$ 12 million).

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14 BUSINESS COMBINATION ON ACQUISITION (continued)

14.4 Assets acquired and liabilities assumed

Following table summarises the fair values of assets and liabilities assumed as at the date of acquisition:

	Fair value recognised on acquisition USD in millions
Assets	
Liquid funds	141
Trading securities	2
Placements with banks and other financial institutions	897
Securities bought under repurchase agreements	46
Non-trading investments	1,084
Loans and advances	717
Other assets	58
Premises and equipment	100
	3,045
T + 1 100	
Liabilities	2.262
Deposits from customers	2,262
Deposits from banks	5 372
Certificates of deposit	19
Securities sold under repurchase agreements Taxation	4
Other liabilities	54
Borrowings	3
Donowings	
Total liabilities	2,719
Group's share of total identifiable net assets at fair value Goodwill	324 80
Other intangibles	22
Total purchase consideration	426

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14 BUSINESS COMBINATION ON ACQUISITION (continued)

14.5 Acquired Receivables

For each class of acquired receivables, the fair value, gross contractual amounts receivable and the contractual cash flows not expected to be collected are as follows:

(Restated)	Fair value of the acquired receivable	Gross contractual amount receivable	Contractual cash flows not expected to be collected
Liquid funds	141	141	-
Trading securities	2	2	-
Placements with banks and other financial institutions	897	897	-
Securities bought under repurchase agreements	46	46	-
Non-trading investments	1,084	1,081	(1)
Loans and advances	717	839	(95)
Other financial assets	49	49	-
Total	2,936	3,055	(96)

14.6 Goodwill

Goodwill calculated based on a provisional purchase price allocation (PPA) had been included in the consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2021. Subsequent adjustments during the measurement period occured as the Group completed its estimation of fair values of assets acquired and liabilities assumed and finalised PPA. The goodwill recognised is primarily attributable to the expected future earnings of the acquired business and synergies created. Below is the movement in goodwill:

As at 31 December 2021 (as previously reported)	96
Adjustments due to finalisation of PPA	(16)
As at 31 December 2021 (restated)	80
Exchange rate movement	(16)
As at 30 September 2022	64

14.7 Valuation approach and methodologies – other intangibles

Core Deposits Intangible (CDI)

The Group has adopted the discounted cost savings approach, a variant of the income approach, in valuation of the core deposit intangible (CDI). Under this approach, CDI is valued as the difference between the cost of Blom Bank Egypt's core deposits under each deposit category and currency, and the cost of the alternative source of funds specific to the relevant currency and tenure for each deposit category. The above spread between Blom Bank Egypt's all in cost of funding and alternate cost of funding is then discounted to present value using a risk adjusted discount rate.

The analysis has considered current and savings account. The assumed attrition and referral fee and assumptions for fees and commissions are based on a historical analysis of deposit balances from existing customers.

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14 BUSINESS COMBINATION ON ACQUISITION (continued)

14.8 Purchase price allocation

The Bank has completed a comprehensive purchase price allocation in the current quarter focusing on, but not limited to, valuation adjustments to the following:

- recognition of intangible assets (core deposits intangible);
- non-trading investments
- loans and advances;
- · premises and equipment; and
- other recognised financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

The completion of the purchase price allocation exercise within twelve months from the acquisition date, including restatement of provisional fair values at which the net assets were acquired from Blom Bank Egypt, has had the following impact on the line items of the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2021:

Interim consolidated statement of financial position

Description	Previously reported as at 31 December	Effect of restatement	Restated - 31 December 2021
	2021		
Non-trading investments	8,350	40	8,390
Loans and advances	16,768	(52)	16,716
Other assets	2,213	6	2,219
Premises and equipment	309	10	319
Total assets	34,897	4	34,901
Taxation	79	4	83
Total liabilities	30,662	4	30,666