National Bank of Fujairah PJSC Condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

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Review report on condensed consolidated interim financial information to the board of directors of National Bank of Fujairah PJSC

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position of National Bank of Fujairah PJSC ("the Bank") and its subsidiaries (together referred to as "the Group") as at 30 September 2023 and the related condensed consolidated interim statements of income and comprehensive income for the three month and nine month periods then ended and condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows and changes in equity for the nine month period then ended and other explanatory information. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this condensed consolidated interim financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 – Interim Financial Reporting ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this condensed consolidated interim financial information 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 condensed consolidated 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 condensed consolidated interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting."

PricewaterhouseCoopers Limited Partnership Dubai Branch 25 October 2023

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Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position

As at 30 September 2023

| - | | 30 September | 31 December |
|--|-------|----------------------|-------------|
| | Neder | 2023 | 2022 |
| | Notes | AED'000 Unaudited | AED'000 |
| Assets | | Unaudited | Audited |
| Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE | 5 | 10,308,119 | 9,718,922 |
| Due from banks and financial institutions | 6 | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments - fair value | 7 | 2,761,708 | 2,699,357 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments - amortised cost | 7 | 4,650,161 | 3,650,561 |
| Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | 8 | 27,727,058 | 26,914,854 |
| Acceptances | | 1,145,729 | 1,180,925 |
| Other assets | | 603,258 | 665,544 |
| Property and equipment | | 374,138 | 331,660 |
| Intangibles | | 137,079 | 114,470 |
| Total assets | | 49,973,653 | 47,624,268 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Due to banks | 11,22 | 1,271,337 | 1,393,914 |
| Customer deposits and Islamic customer deposits | 12 | 37,217,839 | 35,735,934 |
| Repurchase agreements | 11,22 | 2,339,165 | 1,994,310 |
| Term borrowings | 11 | 367,300 | 440,760 |
| Acceptances | | 1,147,712 | 1,184,696 |
| Other liabilities | | 1,308,224 | 1,024,190 |
| Total liabilities | | 43,651,577 | 41,773,804 |
| Equity | | | |
| Share capital | 13.1 | 2,120,000 | 2,000,000 |
| Statutory reserve | | 981,616 | 981,616 |
| Special reserve | | 607,462 | 607,462 |
| Fair value reserve | | (57,217) | (52,192) |
| Proposed bonus issue | 13.2 | - | 120,000 |
| Impairment reserve | 10.2 | 82,637 | 168,201 |
| Retained earnings | | 1,302,028 | 739,827 |
| Tier 1 capital securities | 14 | 1,285,550 | 1,285,550 |
| Total equity attributable to equity and securities | 17 | | |
| holders of the Group | | 6,322,076 | 5,850,464 |
| Total liabilities and equity | | 49,973,653 | 47,624,268 |
| | | | |

This condensed consolidated interim financial information was approved by the Board of Directors on 25 October 2023 and was signed on its behalf by:

Vince Cook **Chief Executive Officer**

Adnan Anwar **Deputy Chief Executive Officer**

Bign MArland Brian Mulholland

Chief Financial Officer

Condensed consolidated interim statement of income – (Unaudited)

For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

| | Notes | Three month period ended 30 September 2023 AED'000 | Three month period ended 30 September 2022 AED'000 | Nine month period ended 30 September 2023 AED'000 | Nine month period ended 30 September 2022 AED'000 |
|--|-------|--|--|---|---|
| Interest income and income from | | | | | |
| Islamic financing and investment activities | | 764,275 | 462,607 | 2,130,680 | 1,124,187 |
| Interest expense and distribution to | | (221,402) | (125 201) | | |
| Islamic depositors Net interest income and net | | (331,492) | (127,291) | (872,800) | (268,741) |
| income from Islamic financing and investment activities | | 432,783 | 335,316 | 1,257,880 | 855,446 |
| Fees and commission income | | 105,637 | 91,313 | 328,871 | 300,313 |
| Fees and commission expense | | (13,244) | (11,231) | (40,416) | (34,931) |
| Net fees and commission income | | 92,393 | 80,082 | 288,455 | 265,382 |
| Foreign exchange and derivatives income Income / (loss) from investments and | | 39,791 | 39,988 | 119,326 | 142,533 |
| Islamic instruments | | 684 | (2,076) | (1,952) | 19,203 |
| Other operating income | | 7,040 | 8,091 | 21,971 | 37,301 |
| Operating income | | 572,691 | 461,401 | 1,685,680 | 1,319,865 |
| Operating expenses | | | | | |
| Employee benefits expense | | (105,197) | (83,905) | (299,301) | (235,073) |
| Depreciation and amortization | | (8,652) | (9,002) | (24,364) | (25,355) |
| Other operating expenses | | (63,362) | (45,057) | (181,248) | (126,931) |
| Total operating expenses | | (177,211) | (137,964) | (504,913) | (387,359) |
| Operating profit before impairment losses | | 395,480 | 323,437 | 1,180,767 | 932,506 |
| Net impairment losses | 15 | | | | |
| * | 15 | (214,452) | (243,275) | (667,598) | (701,826) |
| Profit for the period | | 181,028 | 80,162 | 513,169 | 230,680 |
| Earnings per share (basic and diluted) | 16 | AED 0.09 | AED 0.04 | AED 0.22 | AED 0.09 |

Condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income – (Unaudited) For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

| | Three month period ended 30 September 2023 AED'000 | Three month period ended 30 September 2022 AED'000 | Nine month period ended 30 September 2023 AED'000 | Nine month period ended 30 September 2022 AED'000 |
|---|--|--|---|---|
| Profit for the period | 181,028 | 80,162 | 513,169 | 230,680 |
| Other comprehensive income: | | | | |
| Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to the statement of income: | | | | |
| Movement in fair value reserve (equity instruments): | | | | |
| - Net change in fair value | (644) | (590) | (315) | (11,931) |
| Items that may be reclassified subsequently to statement of income: Movement in fair value reserve (debt instruments): | | | | |
| - Net change in fair value | (9,246) | (18,273) | (4,448) | (64,205) |
| - Net change in allowances for impairment - Net amount transferred to the statement of | (1,128) | (45) | (1,365) | (2,457) |
| income | (1,478) | (10,853) | 1,103 | (18,181) |
| Other comprehensive loss for the period | (12,496) | (29,761) | (5,025) | (96,774) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | 168,532 | 50,401 | 508,144 | 133,906 |

Condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows – (Unaudited)

For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

| Operating activities Profit for the period Adjustments for: Depreciation and amortization Provision for employee end of service and other long term benefits Net impairment losses Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic Instruments | 15 | 513,169 24,364 16,356 667,598 917 | 230,680 25,355 18,236 701,826 (26,626) |
|--|------|--|---|
| Adjustments for: Depreciation and amortization Provision for employee end of service and other long term benefits Net impairment losses Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic | 15 | 24,364 16,356 667,598 | 25,355 18,236 701,826 |
| Depreciation and amortization Provision for employee end of service and other long term benefits Net impairment losses Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic | 15 | 16,356 667,598 | 18,236 701,826 |
| Provision for employee end of service and other long term benefits Net impairment losses Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic | 15 | 16,356 667,598 | 18,236 701,826 |
| Net impairment losses Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic | 15 | 667,598 | 701,826 |
| Net fair value gain on disposal of investments and Islamic | | | |
| | | 917 | (26.626) |
| | | | (_0,0_0) |
| Net changes in fair value of investments at fair value through profit | | | |
| or loss | | 1,035 | 7,423 |
| Cash flow from operating activities before changes in operating assets and liabilities and payment of employee end | | | |
| of service and other long term benefits | | 1,223,439 | 956,894 |
| Payment of employee end of service and other long term benefits | | (10,197) | (9,720) |
| Change in due from the Central Bank of the UAE | | (1,503,210) | (593,765) |
| Change in due from banks and financial institutions | | (142,660) | (601,667) |
| Change in loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | | (1,493,742) 99,219 | (2,675,357) |
| Change in acceptances and other assets | 22 | (122,577) | 137,136 |
| Change in due to banks | 22 | 344,855 | 299,484 643,457 |
| Change in repurchase agreements Change in customer deposits and Islamic customer deposits | 22 | 1,481,905 | 499,783 |
| Change in acceptances and other liabilities | | 257,909 | (37,334) |
| Net cash generated / (used in) operating activities | | <u> </u> | (1,381,089) |
| Investing activities | | 104,941 | (1,501,005) |
| Purchase of property, equipment and intangibles | | (89,183) | (61,966) |
| Purchase of investments and Islamic instruments | | (2,516,011) | (4,986,175) |
| Proceeds from sale and maturity of investments and Islamic | | (2,010,011) | (1,200,170) |
| instruments | | 1,442,472 | 3,353,610 |
| Net cash used in investing activities | | (1,162,722) | (1,694,531) |
| Financing activities | | | |
| Proceeds from term borrowings | | 367,300 | 440,760 |
| Repayment of term borrowings | | (440,760) | (514,220) |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid | | (37,763) | (37,763) |
| Net cash used in financing activities | | (111,223) | (111,223) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | | (1,139,004) | (3,186,843) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period | | 4,274,798 | 5,521,456 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period 1 | 9,22 | 3,135,794 | 2,334,613 |

Condensed consolidated interim statement of changes in equity – (Unaudited)

For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

| AED'000 | Share capital | Statutory reserve | Special reserve | Fair value reserve | Proposed bonus issue | Impairment reserve | Retained earnings | Tier 1 capital securities | Total |
|---|------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| At 1 January 2022 | 2,000,000 | 947,578 | 573,424 | 44,041 | - | 189,674 | 635,396 | 1,285,550 | 5,675,663 |
| Profit for the period | - | - | - | - | - | - | 230,680 | - | 230,680 |
| Other comprehensive loss for the period | - | - | - | (96,774) | - | - | 6,179 | - | (90,595) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | - | - | - | (96,774) | - | - | 236,859 | - | 140,085 |
| Excess provisions under the Central Bank of the UAE | | | | | | | | | |
| requirements over IFRS 9 (note 10.2) | - | - | - | - | - | (21,212) | 21,212 | - | - |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid | - | - | - | - | - | - | (37,763) | - | (37,763) |
| At 30 September 2022 | 2,000,000 | 947,578 | 573,424 | (52,733) | - | 168,462 | 855,704 | 1,285,550 | 5,777,985 |
| At 1 January 2023 | 2,000,000 | 981,616 | 607,462 | (52,192) | 120,000 | 168,201 | 739,827 | 1,285,550 | 5,850,464 |
| Profit for the period | - | - | - | - | - | - | 513,169 | - | 513,169 |
| Other comprehensive loss for the period | - | - | - | (5,025) | - | - | 1,231 | - | (3,794) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | - | - | - | (5,025) | - | - | 514,400 | - | 509,375 |
| Excess provisions under the Central Bank of the UAE | | | | | | | | | |
| requirements over IFRS 9 (note 10.2) | - | - | - | - | - | (85,564) | 85,564 | - | - |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid | - | - | - | - | - | - | (37,763) | - | (37,763) |
| 2022 bonus shares issued | 120,000 | - | - | - | (120,000) | - | - | - | - |
| At 30 September 2023 | 2,120,000 | 981,616 | 607,462 | (57,217) | - | 82,637 | 1,302,028 | 1,285,550 | 6,322,076 |
| | | | | | | | | | |

The notes on pages 7 to 43 form an integral part of the condensed consolidated interim financial information.

The independent auditor's review report of the Group condensed consolidated interim financial information is set out on page 1.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023

1. Legal status and activities

National Bank of Fujairah (the Bank) is a Public Joint Stock Company registered under the laws of the United Arab Emirates. The Bank operates under a banking license issued on 29 August 1984 by the Central Bank of the United Arab Emirates (Central Bank of the UAE or CBUAE) and commenced operations on 20 September 1984. The shares of the Bank were listed on Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX) on 23 October 2005. The Bank's key shareholders include the Department of Industry and Economy – Government of Fujairah, Easa Saleh Al Gurg LLC and Investment Corporation of Dubai.

The principal activity of the Bank is commercial banking which is carried out from its network of fourteen branches, across the UAE in emirates of Fujairah, Abu Dhabi, Dubai and Sharjah.

The Bank has two fully owned subsidiary companies:

- NBF Financial Services FZC was established in December 2004 with limited liability status in the Fujairah Free Trade Zone to provide support services to the Bank.
- NBF Markets (Cayman) Limited is registered in the Cayman Islands as an exempted company limited by shares under the Companies Law (revised) of the Cayman Islands and regulated by the Cayman Island Government General Registry. The Company was established on 31 January 2017 to provide support services to the Bank to enter into foreign exchange and derivative transactions with financial institutions / counterparties under the terms and conditions of International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA).

The condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 comprise the Bank and its subsidiaries (together referred to as 'the Group').

On 20 September 2021, the UAE Federal Decree Law No. 32 of 2021 ("Companies Law") was issued and came into effect on 2 January 2022 which repealed the UAE Federal Law No. 2 of 2015. The Group has assessed and is in compliance of the requirements thereof.

Implementation of UAE Corporation Tax Law and application of IAS 12 – Income Taxes

On 9 December 2022, the UAE Ministry of Finance released Federal Decree-Law No. 47 of 2022 on the Taxation of Corporations and Businesses (the "Law") to enact a Federal corporate tax regime in the UAE. Furthermore, on 16 January 2023, a Cabinet Decision was published specifying the threshold of AED 375,000 of taxable income above which taxable entities would be subject to a 9% corporate tax rate.

The Corporate Tax regime will become effective for the accounting year beginning on or after 1 June 2023 hence for the Group it will be effective from 1 January 2024. Management acknowledges that a number of regulations with regards to the application of tax legislation are published and as such management will continue to monitor developments in order to assess the impact of corporate tax including any deferred tax implications on the Group.

The registered address of the Group is Hamad Bin Abdullah Street, P. O. Box 887, Fujairah, United Arab Emirates.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

2. Basis of preparation

Statement of compliance

The condensed consolidated interim financial information has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34: Interim Financial Reporting as issued by International Accounting Standard Board (IASB).

This condensed consolidated interim financial information does not include all the information and disclosures required for full annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS and should be read in conjunction with the Group's consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2022.

In preparing this condensed consolidated interim financial information, significant judgments made by the management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation were the same as those that were applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2022 except for the new judgements and estimates explained in Note 3.

3. Significant accounting policies

Changes in accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the condensed consolidated interim financial information 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 the new applicable standards and amendments to the published standards effective as of 01 January 2023.

New and revised IFRS adopted in the condensed consolidated interim financial information

The following new and revised IFRS, which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023, have been adopted in this interim financial information. The application of these revised IFRSs, except where stated, have not had any material impact on the amounts reported for the current and prior periods. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Interbank offered rates (IBOR) reform disclosure - Phase 2

In August 2020, the IASB issued IBOR reform - Phase 2, which amends IFRS 9 Financial Instruments, IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement, IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures, IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts and IFRS 16 Leases.

IBOR Reform Phase 2 provides temporary reliefs that allow the Bank's hedging relationships to continue upon the replacement of an existing interest rate benchmark with an alternative risk-free benchmark reference rate (RFR). The reliefs require the Bank to amend hedge designations and hedge documentation. This includes redefining the hedged risk to reference an RFR, redefining the description of the hedging instrument and / or the hedged item to reference the RFR and amending the method for assessing hedge effectiveness. Updates to the hedging documentation must be made by the end of the reporting period in which a replacement takes place. For the retrospective assessment of hedge effectiveness, the Bank may elect on a hedge by hedge basis to reset the cumulative fair value change to zero. The Bank may designate an interest rate as a non-contractually specified, hedged risk component of changes in the fair value or cash flows of a hedged item, provided the interest rate risk component is separately identifiable. The Group has assessed the impact of Phase 2 and concluded that it is not material to the Group's condensed consolidated interim financial information.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

3. Significant accounting policies (continued)

New and revised IFRS adopted in the condensed consolidated interim financial information *(continued)*

Interbank offered rates (IBOR) reform disclosure - Phase 2 (continued)

IBORs, such as the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR), play a critical role in global financial markets, serving as reference rates for derivatives, loans and securities, and as parameters in the valuation of financial instruments.

Uncertainty surrounding the integrity of IBOR rates has in recent years led regulators, central banks and market participants to work towards a transition to RFRs and market-led working groups in respective jurisdictions have recommended alternative risk-free reference rates, which are gradually being adopted. Progress in the transition to these new benchmarks has resulted in significant uncertainty in the future of IBOR benchmarks.

The majority of LIBOR and other IBORs have been discontinued after 31 December 2021 and replaced with RFR, with the exception of certain USD LIBOR rates where cessation was delayed until 30 June 2023 which have now been discontinued. The transition away from the IBORs covers most of the business units and support functions of the Group.

Further, details on IBOR reforms and related disclosures can be referred to in note 21 of this condensed consolidated interim financial information and note 5(f) of the Group's consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Narrow-scope amendments and annual improvements to the IFRS

Amendments to IFRS 3, 'Business combinations' update a reference in IFRS 3 to the Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting without changing the accounting requirements for business combinations.

Amendments to IAS 16, 'Property, plant and equipment' prohibit a company from deducting from the cost of property, plant and equipment amounts received from selling items produced while the company is preparing the asset for its intended use. Instead, a company will recognise such sales proceeds and related cost in profit or loss.

Amendments to IAS 37, 'Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets' specify which costs a company includes when assessing whether a contract will be loss-making.

Annual improvements make minor amendments to IFRS 9, 'Financial instruments', and the Illustrative Examples accompanying IFRS 16, 'Leases'.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

3. Significant accounting policies (continued)

New and revised IFRS adopted in the condensed consolidated interim financial information *(continued)*

Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of financial statements, IFRS Practice statement 2 and IAS 8 Accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and errors

The IASB amended IAS 1, 'Presentation of Financial Statements', to require companies to disclose their material accounting policy information rather than their significant accounting policies.

The amendment also clarifies that accounting policy information is expected to be material if, without it, the users of the financial statements would be unable to understand other material information in the financial statements. Further, the amendment to IAS 1 clarifies that immaterial accounting policy information need not be disclosed. However, if it is disclosed, it should not obscure material accounting policy information.

To support this amendment, the Board also amended IFRS Practice Statement 2, 'Making Materiality Judgements', to provide guidance on how to apply the concept of materiality to accounting policy disclosures.

The amendment to IAS 8, 'Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors', clarifies how companies should distinguish changes in accounting policies from changes in accounting estimates. The distinction is important, because changes in accounting estimates are applied prospectively to future transactions and other future events, but changes in accounting policies are generally applied retrospectively to past transactions and other past events as well as the current period.

Amendment to IAS 12 – Deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a single transaction

These amendments require companies to recognise deferred tax on transactions that, on initial recognition give rise to equal amounts of taxable and deductible temporary differences.

Standards, amendments and interpretations issued but not yet effective and not early adopted

Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of financial statements - on classification

of liabilities - These narrow-scope amendments to IAS 1, 'Presentation of financial statements', clarify that liabilities are classified as either current or non-current, depending on the rights that exist at the end of the reporting period. Classification is unaffected by the expectations of the entity or events after the reporting date (for example, the receipt of a waiver or a breach of covenant). The amendment also clarifies what IAS 1 means when it refers to the 'settlement' of a liability.

Deferred until accounting periods starting not earlier than 1 January 2024

The Group is currently assessing the impact of these standards, interpretations and amendments on the future financial statements and intends to adopt these, if applicable, when they become effective.

There are no other applicable new standards and amendments to the published standards or IFRS IC interpretations that have been issued but are not effective for the first time for the Group's financial year beginning on 1 January 2023 that would be expected to have a material impact on the Group's condensed consolidated interim financial information.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

4. Financial risk management

The Group's financial risk management objectives, policies and procedures are consistent with those disclosed in the audited consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2022.

(a) Fair value measurement principles

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

When available, the fair value of a financial instrument is based on quoted market prices in an active market for that instrument. A market is regarded as active if quoted prices are readily and regularly available and represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. If a quoted market price is not available or if a market for a financial instrument is not active, the fair value is determined by using valuation techniques. Valuation techniques include net present value techniques, discounted cash flow methods, comparison to similar instruments for which market observable prices exist. For investments under management with external fund managers, fair value is provided by the external fund managers, and is determined based on the market value of underlying investments of each fund. In all other cases, the instruments are measured at acquisition cost, including transaction cost, less impairment losses, if any.

Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimates and the discount rate is a market-related rate at the date of the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position for an instrument with similar terms and conditions.

Fair values reflect the credit risk of the instrument and include adjustments to take account of the credit risk of the Group and the counterparty, where appropriate. Fair value estimates obtained from models are adjusted for any other factors, such as liquidity risk or model uncertainties; to the extent that the Group believes a third-party market participant would take them into account in pricing a transaction.

The fair value of derivatives that are not exchange traded is estimated at the amount that the Group would receive or pay to terminate the contract at the date of the consolidated interim statement of financial position, taking into account current market conditions and the current creditworthiness of the counterparty.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

4. **Financial risk management** (continued)

(b) Fair value hierarchy

The Group measures fair values using the following fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements:

- Level 1: Quoted market price (unadjusted) in an active market for an identical instrument. A financial instrument is regarded as quoted in an active market 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 recurring market transactions on an arm's length basis.
- Level 2: Valuation techniques based on observable input, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices). This category includes instruments valued using: quoted market prices in active markets for similar instruments; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments; or other valuation techniques where all significant inputs are directly or indirectly observable from market data.
- Level 3: Valuation techniques using significant unobservable inputs. This category includes all instruments where the valuation technique includes inputs based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant effect on the instrument's valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments where significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

Pursuant to disclosure requirements of IFRS 7 'Financial Instruments: Disclosures', the Group has disclosed the relevant information in the table below:

Fair value measurement – fair value hierarchy:

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) AED'000 | Notional | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 |
|--|------------|-----------|---------|---------|
| Investments and Islamic instruments | | | | |
| Debt securities / Islamic sukuks | 2,175,322 | 2,175,322 | - | - |
| Other investments | 593,537 | 591,575 | 1,962 | - |
| Forward foreign exchange contracts | 18,528,791 | - | 36,143 | - |
| Currency options | 3,389,498 | - | - | - |
| Interest rate derivatives | 2,977,328 | - | 5,830 | - |
| Commodity derivatives | 656,991 | - | 2,718 | - |

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

4. Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Fair value hierarchy (continued)

Fair value measurement – fair value hierarchy (continued)

| 31 December 2022 AED'000 | (Audited) | Notional | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Investments and Isl | amic instrume | nts | | | |
| Debt securities / Is | lamic sukuks | 2,114,364 | 2,114,364 | - | - |
| Other investments | | 590,779 | 588,180 | 2,599 | - |
| Forward foreign ex- | change contra | cts 16,114,003 | - | 5,825 | - |
| Currency options | | 5,144,174 | - | - | - |
| Interest rate derivat | ives | 4,610,569 | - | 13,762 | - |
| Commodity derivat | ives | 656,836 | - | 2,655 | - |
| Debt securities / | Fair value (FV) hierarchy | Valuation techniques and key inputs | Significant unobservable inputs | | onship of ervable to FV |
| Information and produce and | | Overted hid unions in estima | | | |

| Islamic sukuks and | | Quoted bid prices in active | | |
|--------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|------|----------------|
| Other investments | Level 1 | market | None | Not applicable |
| | | Quoted prices in secondary | | |
| Other investments | Level 2 | market | None | Not applicable |
| | | Observable inputs either directly | | |
| | | (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. | | |
| Derivatives | Level 2 | derived from prices). | None | Not applicable |
| | | | | |

During the period, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2. Further, there has been no change in the valuation techniques in relation to valuation of financial instruments. Please refer note 4 for details.

(c) Management of liquidity risk

The positive and negative fair values of derivative financial instruments, entered into by the Group, at the reporting date are as below:

| | 30 | September 20 |)23 (Unaudite | ed) | 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | |) |
|---------------------------|------------|--------------|---------------|--------|----------------------------|------------|------------|--------|
| | NT /• 1 | Positive | Negative | | NT /• 1 | Positive | Negative | |
| AED'000 | Notional | fair value | fair value | Net | Notional | fair value | fair value | Net |
| Derivatives | | | | | | | | |
| Forward foreign exchange | | | | | | | | |
| Contracts | 18,528,791 | 116,915 | 80,772 | 36,143 | 16,114,003 | 58,274 | 52,449 | 5,825 |
| Currency options | 3,389,498 | 4,780 | 4,780 | - | 5,144,174 | 36,478 | 36,478 | - |
| Interest rate derivatives | 2,977,328 | 64,635 | 58,805 | 5,830 | 4,610,569 | 79,701 | 65,939 | 13,762 |
| Commodity derivatives | 656,991 | 9,445 | 6,727 | 2,718 | 656,836 | 10,200 | 7,545 | 2,655 |
| | 25,552,608 | 195,775 | 151,084 | 44,691 | 26,525,582 | 184,653 | 162,411 | 22,242 |

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4. Financial risk management (continued)

(d) Assets and liabilities

Classification and measurement

The fair values and carrying values of the assets and liabilities (financial and non-financial) are shown below:

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | At fair value through profit or loss | At fair value through other comprehensive | Amortized cost | Total |
|--|--|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| AED'000 | | income | | |
| Assets | | | | |
| Cash and balances with the Central | | | | |
| Bank of the UAE | - | - | 10,308,119 | 10,308,119 |
| Due from banks and financial | | | 0.000 100 | |
| institutions | - | - | 2,266,403 | 2,266,403 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments | 19,247 | 2,742,461 | 4,650,161 | 7,411,869 |
| Loans and advances and Islamic | | | 07 707 050 | 25 525 0.50 |
| financing receivables | - | - | 27,727,058 | 27,727,058 |
| Acceptances and other assets | - | | 1,748,987 | 1,748,987 |
| Property and equipment and intangibles | | | 511,217 | 511,217 |
| Total assets | 19,247 | 2,742,461 | 47,211,945 | 49,973,653 |
| | | | | |
| Liabilities | | | | |
| Due to banks | - | | 1,271,337 | 1,271,337 |
| Customer deposits and Islamic customer | | | | |
| deposits | - | - | 37,217,839 | 37,217,839 |
| Repurchase agreements | - | | 2,339,165 | 2,339,165 |
| Term borrowings | - | - | 367,300 | 367,300 |
| Acceptances and other liabilities | | | 2,455,936 | 2,455,936 |
| Total liabilities | - | - | 43,651,577 | 43,651,577 |

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4. Financial risk management (continued)

(d) Assets and liabilities (continued)

| 31 December 2022 (Audited) AED'000 | At fair value through profit or loss | At fair value through other comprehensive income | Amortized cost | Total |
|---|--|---|-------------------|------------|
| Assets | | | | |
| Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE | - | - | 9,718,922 | 9,718,922 |
| Due from banks and financial institutions | - | - | 2,347,975 | 2,347,975 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments | 19,884 | 2,679,473 | 3,650,561 | 6,349,918 |
| Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | - | - | 26,914,854 | 26,914,854 |
| Acceptances and other assets | - | - | 1,846,469 | 1,846,469 |
| Property and equipment and intangibles | - | - | 446,130 | 446,130 |
| Total assets | 19,884 | 2,679,473 | 44,924,911 | 47,624,268 |
| Liabilities | | | | |
| Due to banks | - | - | 1,393,914 | 1,393,914 |
| Customer deposits and Islamic customer deposits | - | - | 35,735,934 | 35,735,934 |
| Repurchase agreements | - | - | 1,994,310 | 1,994,310 |
| Term borrowings | - | - | 440,760 | 440,760 |
| Acceptances and other liabilities | - | - | 2,208,886 | 2,208,886 |
| Total liabilities | - | - | 41,773,804 | 41,773,804 |

Fair value of investments and Islamic instruments measured at amortized cost amounted to AED 4,662.6 million (31 December 2022: AED 3,428.3 million). Management considers that the carrying amounts of all other assets and liabilities measured at amortised cost in this condensed consolidated financial information approximate their fair values.

The Group performed a detailed analysis of its business models for managing financial assets and analysis of their cash flow characteristics.

(e) Market risk

Derivative financial instruments

In the ordinary course of business, the Group enters into various types of derivative transactions that are affected by variables in the underlying instruments.

A derivative is a financial instrument or other contract with all three of the following characteristics:

(i) its value changes in response to the change in a specified interest rate, financial instrument price, commodity price, foreign exchange rate, index of prices or rates, credit rating or credit index, or other variable, provided in the case of a non-financial variable that the variable is not specific to a party to the contract (sometimes called the 'underlying');

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4. **Financial risk management** (continued)

(e) Market risk (continued)

Derivative financial instruments

- (ii) it requires no initial net investment or an initial net investment that is smaller than would be required for other types of contracts that would be expected to have a similar response to changes in market factors; and
- (iii) it is settled at a future date.

Derivative financial instruments which the Group enters into includes forward foreign exchange contracts, interest rate derivatives, commodity derivatives and currency options.

The Group uses derivative financial instruments for hedging purposes as part of its asset and liability management activities in order to reduce its own exposure to fluctuations in interest rates.

The Group uses interest rate swaps to hedge interest rate risks. In all such cases, the hedging relationship and objectives including details of the hedged item and hedging instrument are formally documented and the transactions are accounted for based on the type of hedge.

The Group's exposure to interest rate swaps designated in hedge accounting relationships represents an amount of AED 192.5 million (31 December 2022: AED 88.9 million). The objective of the majority of these hedges is to reduce fluctuations from interest rate risk, and is consistent with the overall interest rate risk management strategy of NBF.

The following table shows the positive (assets) and negative (liabilities) fair values of derivative financial instruments on account of hedging relationships:

| Hedging instrument | Assets | Liabilities | Notional |
|--|--------|-------------|----------|
| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | | | |
| AED'000 | | | |
| Derivatives held as fair value hedges | | | |
| Interest rate swaps | 16 | | 36,730 |
| Derivatives held as cash flow hedges | | | |
| Interest rate swaps | - | 3,066 | 155,740 |
| Total derivative financial instruments | 16 | 3,066 | 192,470 |
| Hedging instrument | | | |
| 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | | |
| AED'000 | | | |
| Derivatives held as fair value hedges | | | |
| Interest rate swaps | 1,812 | - | 88,902 |
| Total derivative financial instruments | 1,812 | - | 88,902 |

The carrying value of investments (hedged item) is AED 36.7 million (31 December 2022: AED 84.6 million) and the accumulated amount of fair value adjustments to investments (hedged item) is AED 0.02 million (31 December 2022: AED 1.81 million). The gains / losses attributable to the hedged risk for investments amounted to AED 0.02 million (31 December 2022: AED 1.81 million) and on the interest rate swaps (hedging instrument) amounted to AED 0.02 million (31 December 2022: AED 1.81 million). All the hedges were fully effective for the period ended 30 September 2023 and the year ended 31 December 2022.

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5. Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|---|--|---|
| Cash on hand | 316,570 | 381,485 |
| Certificates of deposit (CDs) with the Central Bank of the UAE Regulatory cash reserve deposit | 7,937,947 2,053,602 | 7,005,860 2,331,577 |
| | 10,308,119 | 9,718,922 |

6. Due from banks and financial institutions

| | | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|-----|---|--|---|
| 6.1 | By type | | |
| | Placements | 459,125 | 562,148 |
| | Current accounts / term deposits | 1,224,320 | 1,052,446 |
| | Bills discounted | 587,734 | 738,915 |
| | | 2,271,179 | 2,353,509 |
| | Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (4,776) | (5,534) |
| | | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |

Placements include a Wakala placement amounting to AED 73.5 million (31 December 2022: AED 128.6 million) undertaken through a Shari'ah - compliant Islamic window, NBF Islamic.

Current accounts / term deposits include cash collateral of AED 71.4 million (31 December 2022: AED 174.9 million) in respect of negative fair value of derivatives, in accordance with the agreements with interbank counterparties.

Bills discounted represent bank risk discounting portfolio to support customers' trade business.

6.2 By currency

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|---|--|---|
| AED | 166,222 | 426,995 |
| USD | 1,810,529 | 1,534,122 |
| EUR | 74,033 | 43,797 |
| GBP | 19,037 | 38,183 |
| XAU | 8,958 | 44,318 |
| Others | 192,400 | 266,094 |
| | 2,271,179 | 2,353,509 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (4,776) | (5,534) |
| | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |

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6. **Due from banks and financial institutions** (*continued*)

6.3 By geographical area

| | 30 September | 31 December |
|--|---------------------|----------------|
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Audited |
| UAE | 233,399 | 521,979 |
| GCC | 581,458 | 429,296 |
| Europe | 301,700 | 594,865 |
| Americas | 804,049 | 497,778 |
| Others | 350,573 | 309,591 |
| | 2,271,179 | 2,353,509 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (4,776) | (5,534) |
| | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |
| | 30 September | 31 December |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Audited |
| The dispersion of due from banks and financial institutions portfolio based on the redistribution of risk is set out below: | | |
| UAE | 202,378 | 451,764 |
| GCC | 560,318 | 419,516 |
| Europe | 914,839 | 848,764 |
| Americas | 362,117 | 238,385 |
| Others | 231,527 | 395,080 |
| — | 2,271,179 | 2,353,509 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (4,776) | (5,534) |
| | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |

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6. **Due from banks and financial institutions** (*continued*)

6.4 Based on external credit ratings

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|---|--|---|
| AA+ | 72 | - |
| AA | 5,853 | 2,132 |
| AA- | 27,380 | 21,563 |
| A+ | 30,568 | 45,435 |
| А | 1,126,945 | 1,024,317 |
| A- | 4,299 | - |
| BBB+ | 843,727 | 671,575 |
| BBB | 26,316 | 25,886 |
| BBB- and below | 206,019 | 562,601 |
| | 2,271,179 | 2,353,509 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (4,776) | (5,534) |
| | 2,266,403 | 2,347,975 |

6.5 Due from banks and financial institutions stage-wise analysis

The following table contains an analysis of the credit risk exposure of due from banks and financial institutions. The gross carrying amount of due from banks and financial institutions, including accrued interest / profit, represents the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk on these assets:

| 30 Sep | tember 2023 (U | U naudited) | |
|---------------|---------------------------------|---|----------------------|
| Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| 2,289,048 | - | - | 2,289,048 |
| (4,776) | - | - | (4,776) |
| 2,284,272 | - | - | 2,284,272 |
| | Stage 1 2,289,048 (4,776) | Stage 1 Stage 2 2,289,048 - (4,776) - | 2,289,048 (4,776) |

| | 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | | |
|--|----------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|
| AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| Outstanding balance Allowances for impairment (ECL) | 2,358,446 | - | - | 2,358,446 |
| (note 10.1) | (5,534) | - | - | (5,534) |
| Carrying amount | 2,352,912 | - | - | 2,352,912 |

Due from banks and financial institutions were in stage 1 throughout the period. Accordingly, there have been no significant movements between stages in respect of these financial assets.

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7. Investments and Islamic instruments

| | 30 September | 31 December |
|--|---------------------|-------------|
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Audited |
| Investments at fair value through profit or loss | | |
| (FVTPL) (note 7.1) | 19,247 | 19,884 |
| Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) | | |
| Debt securities / Islamic sukuks (note 7.2) | 2,175,322 | 2,114,364 |
| Other investments / Islamic instruments (note 7.3) | 574,290 | 570,895 |
| | 2,749,612 | 2,685,259 |
| Investments measured at amortized cost | | |
| Debt securities / Islamic sukuks (note 7.2) | 4,662,615 | 3,659,768 |
| | 7,431,474 | 6,364,911 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | (14,993) |
| | 7,411,869 | 6,349,918 |

- 7.1 Investments at FVTPL include various funds whose fair values are based on the net asset values provided by the fund managers.
- **7.2** Debt securities aggregating AED 6,668.1 million (31 December 2022: AED 5,659.8 million) represent the Group's investments in bonds and notes which are quoted on recognized exchanges and prices of which are available on internationally recognized platforms of Reuters and Bloomberg and are liquid in normal market conditions. The debt securities portfolio includes floating rate securities amounting to AED 363.1 million (31 December 2022: AED 640.9 million).

Debt securities portfolio include Islamic sukuks amounting to AED 783.3 million (31 December 2022: AED 903.7 million).

Debt securities portfolio include additional tier 1 perpetual bonds of AED 113.8 million (31 December 2022: AED 114.3 million).

- **7.3** Other investments include various funds whose fair values are based on the net asset values provided by the fund managers, amounting to AED 573.2 million (31 December 2022: AED 569.8 million). No shares were purchased by the Bank during the period (31 December 2022: nil).
- 7.4 The dispersion of the investment portfolio is set out below:

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|---|--|---|
| Government | 1,852,646 | 1,658,144 |
| Banks and financial institutions | 4,487,473 | 3,690,654 |
| Others | 1,091,355 | 1,016,113 |
| | 7,431,474 | 6,364,911 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | (14,993) |
| | 7,411,869 | 6,349,918 |

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7. **Investments and Islamic instruments** (continued)

7.5 By geographical area

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|--|--|---|
| UAE | 1,448,398 | 1,172,483 |
| GCC | 395,236 | 341,104 |
| Europe | 2,641,319 | 2,277,662 |
| Americas | 1,924,605 | 1,829,205 |
| Others | 1,021,916 | 744,457 |
| | 7,431,474 | 6,364,911 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | (14,993) |
| | 7,411,869 | 6,349,918 |
| | 30 September 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
| The dispersion of investment portfolio based on the redistribution of risk is set out below: | AED'000 Unaudited | AED'000 Audited |
| UAE GCC | 1,731,993 630,836 | 1,518,337 627,767 |
| Europe | 2,370,492 | 1,849,110 |
| Americas | 1,290,008 | 1,097,457 |
| Others | 1,408,145 | 1,272,240 |
| | 7,431,474 | 6,364,911 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | (14,993) |
| | 7,411,869 | 6,349,918 |

Others include investments in multilateral development banks amounting to AED 381.7 million (31 December 2022: AED 522.9 million).

7.6 By currency

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|---|--|---|
| AED | 239,518 | 144,375 |
| USD | 6,998,415 | 6,039,297 |
| EUR | 88,281 | 88,066 |
| GBP | - | 38,858 |
| SGD | 56,036 | 54,315 |
| JPY | 49,224 | - |
| | 7,431,474 | 6,364,911 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | (14,993) |
| | 7,411,869 | 6,349,918 |

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

7. **Investments and Islamic instruments** (continued)

7.7 Based on external credit ratings

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) AED'000 | Debt securities / Islamic sukuks | Other investments | Total |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| ААА | 107,570 | - | 107,570 |
| AA | 775,991 | - | 775,991 |
| AA- | 893,330 | - | 893,330 |
| A+ | 238,549 | 109,343 | 347,892 |
| А | 610,391 | 455,350 | 1,065,741 |
| A- | 1,712,375 | - | 1,712,375 |
| BBB+ | 1,869,164 | - | 1,869,164 |
| BBB | 373,417 | - | 373,417 |
| BBB- and below | 257,150 | 28,844 | 285,994 |
| Less: Allowances for impairment | | | |
| (ECL) (note 10.1) | (17,073) | (2,532) | (19,605) |
| | 6,820,864 | 591,005 | 7,411,869 |

| 31 December 2022 (Audited) AED'000 | Debt securities / Islamic sukuks | Other investments | Total |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| AAA | 54,315 | - | 54,315 |
| AA | 564,091 | - | 564,091 |
| AA- | 776,285 | 107,096 | 883,381 |
| A+ | 68,439 | - | 68,439 |
| А | 537,362 | 452,770 | 990,132 |
| A- | 1,601,141 | - | 1,601,141 |
| BBB+ | 1,186,745 | - | 1,186,745 |
| BBB | 631,790 | - | 631,790 |
| BBB- and below | 353,964 | 30,913 | 384,877 |
| Less: Allowances for | | | |
| impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (13,573) | (1,420) | (14,993) |
| - | 5,760,559 | 589,359 | 6,349,918 |

BBB- and below rating investments include unrated issuances by Government related entities.

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7. **Investments and Islamic instruments** (continued)

7.8 Debt investments and Islamic instruments stage-wise analysis

The following table contains an analysis of the credit risk exposure of debt investments and Islamic instruments. The gross carrying amount of debt investments and Islamic instruments, including accrued interest / profit, represents the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk on these assets:

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------|--------------------|
| Outstanding balance | 7,402,630 | - | - | 7,402,630 |
| Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,605) | - | - | (19,605) |
| Carrying amount | 7,383,025 | - | - | 7,383,025 |
| | | | | |
| 31 December 2022 (Audited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| (Audited) | Stage 1 6,333,999 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total 6,333,999 |
| (Audited) AED'000 | 5 | Stage 2 - - | U | |

Debt investments and Islamic instruments are in stage 1 throughout the period. Accordingly, there have been no significant movements between stages in respect of these financial assets.

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8. Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables

| 8.1 | Pv typo | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|-----|--|--|---|
| 0.1 | By type | | |
| | Overdrafts | 2,007,571 | 2,153,354 |
| | Term loans | 21,000,421 | 20,081,844 |
| | Loans against trust receipts | 4,040,462 | 4,023,558 |
| | Bills discounted | 2,453,525 | 2,292,094 |
| | Bills drawn under letters of credit | 224,599 | 386,239 |
| | Gross loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | 29,726,578 | 28,937,089 |
| | Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (1,999,520) | (2,022,235) |
| | Net loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | 27,727,058 | 26,914,854 |

8.2 Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables include Murabaha Tawarruq and Ijara financing activities amounting to AED 3,878.4 million (31 December 2022: AED 3,190.7 million) provided through a Shari'ah compliant Islamic window, NBF Islamic.

8.3 Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables stage-wise analysis

The following table contains an analysis of the credit risk exposure of loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables. The gross carrying amount of loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables, including accrued interest / profit, represents the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk on these assets:

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|---|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Outstanding balance | 25,841,470 | 2,544,367 | 1,938,606 | 30,324,443 |
| Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (216,036) | (568,178) | (1,215,306) | (1,999,520) |
| Carrying amount | 25,625,434 | 1,976,189 | 723,300 | 28,324,923 |
| | | | | |
| 31 December 2022 | | | | |
| (Audited) | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| (Audited) | Stage 1 24,863,960 | Stage 2 2,317,638 | Stage 3 2,430,987 | Total 29,612,585 |
| (Audited) AED'000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

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- 8. Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables (continued)
- 8.4 Movement in the gross balance of loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables

| Outstanding balance (Unaudited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|---|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Gross carrying amount - 31 December 2022 | 24,863,960 | 2,317,638 | 2,430,987 | 29,612,585 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (543,180) | 364,872 | 178,308 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 173,255 | (394,131) | 220,876 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 3 | - | 123,546 | (123,546) | - |
| Originated / (derecognized) during the period | 1,347,435 | 132,442 | (187,966) | 1,291,911 |
| Written-off during the period | | - | (580,053) | (580,053) |
| Gross carrying amount – 30 September 2023 | 25,841,470 | 2,544,367 | 1,938,606 | 30,324,443 |
| Outstanding halanas (Auditad) | Store 1 | Sto ap 2 | Stage 2 | Tetal |

| Outstanding balance (Audited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|---|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Gross carrying amount – 31 December 2021 | 23,500,683 | 1,707,868 | 3,061,791 | 28,270,342 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (208,716) | 174,852 | 33,864 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 66,248 | (116,720) | 50,472 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 3 | - | 38,072 | (38,072) | - |
| Originated / (derecognized) during the year | 1,505,745 | 513,566 | 70,806 | 2,090,117 |
| Written-off during the year | | - | (747,874) | (747,874) |
| Gross carrying amount - 31 December 2022 | 24,863,960 | 2,317,638 | 2,430,987 | 29,612,585 |

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- 8. Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables (continued)
- 8.5 Movement in the provision for impairment of loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables

| ECL (Unaudited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|--|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| ECL allowance - 31 December 2022 | 233,100 | 440,294 | 1,348,841 | 2,022,235 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (12,655) | 28,522 | 88,891 | 104,758 |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 3,330 | (30,624) | 110,898 | 83,604 |
| Transferred from Stage 3 Originated / (derecognized) during the period including changes in PDs / LGDs / | - | 520 | (18,161) | (17,641) |
| EADs | (7,739) | 129,466 | 264,890 | 386,617 |
| Net allowance for impairment losses | (17,064) | 127,884 | 446,518 | 557,338 |
| Written-off during the period | - | - | (580,053) | (580,053) |
| ECL allowance – 30 September 2023 | 216,036 | 568,178 | 1,215,306 | 1,999,520 |
| | | | | |
| ECL (Audited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| ECL allowance - 31 December 2021 | 266,434 | 242,250 | 1,666,280 | 2,174,964 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (4,987) | 9,671 | 28,150 | 32,834 |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 482 | (4,904) | 16,158 | 11,736 |
| Transferred from Stage 3 Originated / (derecognized) during the year | - | 3,478 | (21,209) | (17,731) |
| including changes in PDs / LGDs / EADs | (28,829) | 189,799 | 407,336 | 568,306 |
| Net allowance for impairment losses | (33,334) | 198,044 | 430,435 | 595,145 |
| Written-off during the year | - | - | (747,874) | (747,874) |
| ECL allowance - 31 December 2022 | 233,100 | 440,294 | 1,348,841 | 2,022,235 |

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8. Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables (continued)

8.6 Risk mitigation, credit quality, collateral and credit enhancements

In line with Basel and IFRS 9 standards, the Credit Risk Management Framework (CRMF) outlines the basis pertaining to the eligibility, valuation, roles & responsibilities of various departments and overall management of collateral in order to adopt effective credit risk mitigation mechanism and maximize the use of eligible collateral.

The eligible collateral under IFRS 9 helps in arriving at EAD and LGD for Expected Credit Loss (ECL) calculations. As for measuring ECL, the expected cash shortfalls will reflect via LGD the cash flows expected from collateral realization provided the same are as per contractual terms.

The Group manages credit exposure by obtaining security where appropriate, and in certain cases, the Group may also close out transactions or assign them to other counterparties to mitigate credit risk.

The amount and type of collateral depends on assessments of the credit risk of the counterparty. The types of collateral mainly include cash, guarantees, stand-by letter of credit (bank guarantee), pledge over listed shares and mortgage and liens over properties or other securities over assets. Pledged interests over vehicles, ships and equipment are also obtained. Collateral generally is not held against non-trading investments and due from banks and financial institutions.

Management monitors the market value of collateral, and wherever necessary the Group requests additional collateral in accordance with the underlying agreement, and considers collateral obtained during its review of the adequacy of the allowance for impairment losses.

Estimates of fair value are generally assessed on a periodic basis in accordance with the respective credit policies.

The credit quality of the loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables is managed by the Group using internal credit ratings comprising 22 grades. The risk rating system is used as a credit risk management tool whereby any risks taken on the Group's books are rated against a set of predetermined standards which are in line with the Central Bank of the UAE guidelines.

The Group's Credit Risk Rating Methodology reflects its assessment of the probability of default of individual counterparties mapped to the ratings specified by the External Credit Assessment Institutions (ECAIs). The mapping is based on a statistical model which takes into consideration the industry weights, country specific factors and the sensitivity of the counter party to systematic risk. Risk classification / grading system has been presented below:

Risk grades of gross loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total | |
| | | | | |
| 25,601,129 | 368,286 | - | 25,969,415 | |
| 12,106 | 2,133,406 | - | 2,145,512 | |
| 25,613,235 | 2,501,692 | - | 28,114,927 | |
| - | - | 1,611,651 | 1,611,651 | |
| 25,613,235 | 2,501,692 | 1,611,651 | 29,726,578 | |
| | Stage 1 25,601,129 12,106 25,613,235 | Stage 1 Stage 2 25,601,129 368,286 12,106 2,133,406 25,613,235 2,501,692 | Stage 1 Stage 2 Stage 3 25,601,129 368,286 - 12,106 2,133,406 - 25,613,235 2,501,692 - - - 1,611,651 | |

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

- 8. Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables (continued)
- 8.6 Risk mitigation, credit quality, collateral and credit enhancements (continued)

Risk grades of gross loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables (continued)

| | 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|--|
| AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total | |
| RR 1-19 | | | | | |
| Grade RR 1 – 17: Performing | 24,626,807 | 378,651 | - | 25,005,458 | |
| Grade RR 18 - 19: Watchlist | 27,141 | 1,912,730 | - | 1,939,871 | |
| Total – RR 1-19 | 24,653,948 | 2,291,381 | - | 26,945,329 | |
| RR 20-22: Non-performing | - | - | 1,991,760 | 1,991,760 | |
| Total | 24,653,948 | 2,291,381 | 1,991,760 | 28,937,089 | |

9. Contingent liabilities and commitments

Contingent liabilities represent credit related commitments under letters of credit and guarantees which are designed to meet the requirements of the Group's customers towards third parties. Commitments represent credit facilities and other capital expenditure commitments of the Group which are undrawn at the date of consolidated interim statement of financial position. All credit related commitments are unconditionally cancellable / revocable at the discretion of the Group except for the amounts mentioned in the following table:

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|--|--|---|
| Contingent liabilities: | | |
| Letters of credit covering movement of goods | 1,421,605 | 1,266,531 |
| - Financial guarantees and other direct credit substitutes | 955,037 | 827,984 |
| - Bid bonds, performance bonds and other | | |
| transaction related contingencies | 4,983,315 | 4,303,375 |
| | 7,359,957 | 6,397,890 |
| Commitments: | | |
| - Undrawn irrevocable commitments - credit related | 121,782 | 90,022 |
| Commitments for future capital expenditure | 144,562 | 126,734 |
| | 266,344 | 216,756 |
| | 7,626,301 | 6,614,646 |

The total undrawn commitments which are revocable at the discretion of the Bank amount to AED 15,620.0 million (31 December 2022: AED 13,838.0 million). Many of the contingent liabilities and commitments will expire without being funded in whole or in part. Therefore, the amounts do not necessarily represent expected future cash flows.

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9. Contingent liabilities and commitments (continued)

9.1 Off balance sheet exposures stage-wise analysis

The following table contains an analysis of the credit risk of relevant off balance sheet exposures and the related ECL. The gross carrying amount of off balance sheet exposures below represents the Group's maximum exposure to credit risk on these assets:

| | 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|----------|-----------|
| AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| Outstanding balance | 6,703,024 | 292,773 | 106,599 | 7,102,396 |
| Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (20,746) | (3,507) | (60,300) | (84,553) |
| Carrying amount | 6,682,278 | 289,266 | 46,299 | 7,017,843 |

| | 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|---------|----------|-----------|--|
| AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total | |
| Outstanding balance | 5,820,222 | 186,595 | 154,197 | 6,161,014 | |
| Allowances for impairment (ECL) (note 10.1) | (19,364) | (5,684) | (75,561) | (100,609) | |
| Carrying amount | 5,800,858 | 180,911 | 78,636 | 6,060,405 | |

9.2 Movement in the gross balance of off-balance sheet exposures

| Outstanding balance (Unaudited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|--|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Gross carrying amount - 31 December 2022 | 5,820,222 | 186,595 | 154,197 | 6,161,014 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (131,239) | 123,531 | 7,708 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 6,972 | (8,137) | 1,165 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 3 | - | - | - | - |
| Originated / (expired) during the period | 1,007,069 | (9,216) | (56,471) | 941,382 |
| Written-off during the period | | - | - | - |
| Gross carrying amount - 30 September 2023 | 6,703,024 | 292,773 | 106,599 | 7,102,396 |
| Outstanding balance (Audited) AED'000 | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
| Gross carrying amount - 31 December 2021 | 5,489,636 | 153,273 | 481,505 | 6,124,414 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (43,709) | 23,340 | 20,369 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 7,591 | (8,091) | 500 | - |
| Transferred from Stage 3 | - | 160 | (160) | - |
| Originated / (expired) during the year | 366,704 | 17,913 | (348,017) | 36,600 |
| Written-off during the year | | - | - | - |
| Gross carrying amount - 31 December 2022 | 5,820,222 | 186,595 | 154,197 | 6,161,014 |

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

- 9. Contingent liabilities and commitments (continued)
- 9.3 Movement in the provision for impairment of off-balance sheet exposures

| ECL – AED '000 (Unaudited) | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|--|---------|---------|----------|----------|
| ECL allowances - 31 December 2022 | 19,364 | 5,684 | 75,561 | 100,609 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (678) | 1,143 | 5,984 | 6,449 |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 30 | (139) | 554 | 445 |
| Transferred from Stage 3 Originated / expired during the period | - | - | - | - |
| including changes in PDs / LGDs / EADs | 2,030 | (3,181) | (21,799) | (22,950) |
| Net allowance for impairment losses | 1,382 | (2,177) | (15,261) | (16,056) |
| Written-off during the period | - | - | | - |
| ECL allowances - 30 September 2023 | 20,746 | 3,507 | 60,300 | 84,553 |

| ECL – AED '000 (Audited) | Stage 1 | Stage 2 | Stage 3 | Total |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| ECL allowances - 31 December 2021 | 17,478 | 1,547 | 69,017 | 88,042 |
| Transferred from Stage 1 | (392) | 2,084 | 11,680 | 13,372 |
| Transferred from Stage 2 | 109 | (148) | 500 | 461 |
| Transferred from Stage 3 Originated / expired during the year including | - | 1 | (99) | (98) |
| changes in PDs / LGDs / EADs | 2,169 | 2,200 | (5,537) | (1,168) |
| Net allowance for impairment losses | 1,886 | 4,137 | 6,544 | 12,567 |
| Written-off during the year | - | - | - | - |
| ECL allowances – 31 December 2022 | 19,364 | 5,684 | 75,561 | 100,609 |

The provision for ECL against the off-balance sheet exposures disclosed above is classified under other liabilities.

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10. Stage-wise ECL and movement in the impairment reserve

10.1 The analysis of ECL by stage for loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables, due from banks and financial institutions, debt investments and Islamic instruments, acceptances and other assets and off-balance sheet items is as follows:

AED' 000

30 September 2023 (Unaudited)

| | Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | Due from banks and financial institutions | Investments and Islamic instruments | Acceptances and other assets | Off-balance sheet exposures | Total | ECL rate |
|-----------|--|--|---|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Stage 3 | 1,215,306 | - | - | 2,700 | 60,300 | 1,278,306 | 62.2% |
| Stage 2 | 568,178 | - | - | 36 | 3,507 | 571,721 | 20.1% |
| Stage 1 | 216,036 | 4,776 | 19,605 | 1,947 | 20,746 | 263,110 | 0.6% |
| | 784,214 | 4,776 | 19,605 | 1,983 | 24,253 | 834,831 | 4.4% |
| Total ECL | 1,999,520 | 4,776 | 19,605 | 4,683 | 84,553 | 2,113,137 | 4.4% |
| ECL rate | 6.6% | 0.2% | 0.3% | 0.4% | 1.2% | | |

AED' 000

31 December 2022 (Audited)

| | Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | Due from banks and financial institutions | Investments and Islamic instruments | Acceptances and other assets | Off-balance sheet exposures | Total | ECL rate |
|-----------|--|--|---|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Stage 3 | 1,348,841 | - | - | 2,700 | 75,561 | 1,427,102 | 52.9% |
| Stage 2 | 440,294 | - | - | 49 | 5,684 | 446,027 | 17.7% |
| Stage 1 | 233,100 | 5,534 | 14,993 | 3,722 | 19,364 | 276,713 | 0.7% |
| _ | 673,394 | 5,534 | 14,993 | 3,771 | 25,048 | 722,740 | |
| Total ECL | 2,022,235 | 5,534 | 14,993 | 6,471 | 100,609 | 2,149,842 | 4.7% |
| ECL rate | 6.8% | 0.2% | 0.2% | 0.5% | 1.6% | | |

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10. Stage-wise ECL and movement in the impairment reserve (continued)

10.2 Impairment reserve

Pursuant to the Central Bank of the UAE guidelines on IFRS 9 during 2018, banks are required to compare provisions calculated as per the Central Bank of the UAE and IFRS 9. Where the Central Bank of the UAE requirement is higher, excess over IFRS 9 requirement is recorded in Impairment Reserve.

The following tables analyse the movement in the impairment reserve during the period ended 30 September 2023 and the year ended 31 December 2022:

| AED'000 (Unaudited) | Impairment reserve - General | Impairment reserve - Specific | Impairment Reserve |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| At 01 January 2023 | | 168,201 | 168,201 |
| Change in general provision under CBUAE over stage 1 and 2 requirements under IFRS 9 | - | - | - |
| Reduction in excess specific provision under CBUAE | | | |
| over stage 3 requirements under IFRS 9 | - | (85,564) | (85,564) |
| | - | (85,564) | (85,564) |
| At 30 September 2023 | - | 82,637 | 82,637 |

| Impairment reserve - General | Impairment reserve - Specific | Impairment reserve |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| - | 189,674 | 189,674 |
| | | |
| - | - | - |
| | | |
| - | (21,473) | (21,473) |
| - | (21,473) | (21,473) |
| - | 168,201 | 168,201 |
| | reserve - | reserve - General reserve - Specific - 189,674 - - - (21,473) - (21,473) |

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11. Due to banks, repurchase agreements and term borrowings

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|-----------------------------|--|---|
| By type: | Unaudited | Auticu |
| Due to banks (note 11.2) | 1,271,337 | 1,393,914 |
| Repurchase agreements | 2,339,165 | 1,994,310 |
| Term borrowings (note 11.1) | 367,300 | 440,760 |
| | 3,977,802 | 3,828,984 |
| By geographical area: | | |
| UAE | 1,830,664 | 1,268,254 |
| GCC | 183,819 | 3,597 |
| Europe | 1,859,651 | 1,818,218 |
| Americas | - | 295,052 |
| Others | 103,668 | 443,863 |
| | 3,977,802 | 3,828,984 |

Due to banks include cash collateral of AED 58.4 million (31 December 2022: AED 74.3 million), in respect of positive fair value of derivatives, in accordance with the agreements with interbank counterparties.

Due to banks include a Wakala borrowing amounting to AED 275.0 million (31 December 2022: AED 19.7 million) undertaken through a Shari'ah - compliant Islamic window, NBF Islamic.

The investment securities under repo agreements amounted to AED 2,384.9 million (31 December 2022: AED 2,081.0 million).

11.1 Term borrowings comprise of several bilateral borrowings obtained from other banks and financial institutions as follows:

| Loan no. | Year obtained | Maturity | Interest rate | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|-------------|------------------|----------|---------------|--|---|
| 1 | 2023 | Sep-26 | SOFR + Margin | 183,650 | - |
| 2 | 2023 | Aug-27 | SOFR + Margin | 183,650 | - |
| 3 | 2022 | Jul-23 | SOFR + Margin | - | 183,650 |
| 4 | 2022 | Apr-23 | SOFR + Margin | - | 110,190 |
| 5 | 2022 | Apr-23 | SOFR + Margin | - | 91,825 |
| 6 | 2022 | May-23 | SOFR + Margin | - | 55,095 |
| | | | | 367,300 | 440,760 |

11.2 Due to banks include gold related borrowings amounting to AED 261.4 million (31 December 2022: AED 469.1 million) utilized to finance gold loans extended to customers on a matched basis.

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12. Customer deposits and Islamic customer deposits

| | 30 September 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Audited |
| By type: | | |
| Demand and margin deposits | 14,603,289 | 15,530,718 |
| Saving deposits | 552,802 | 642,221 |
| Fixed term and notice deposits | 22,061,748 | 19,562,995 |
| - | 37,217,839 | 35,735,934 |
| By geographical area: | | |
| UAE | 35,819,752 | 33,171,083 |
| GCC | 370,986 | 1,379,432 |
| Europe | 894,350 | 1,031,666 |
| Americas | 38,025 | 11,234 |
| Others | 94,726 | 142,519 |
| | 37,217,839 | 35,735,934 |

12.1 Islamic customer deposits undertaken through a Shari'ah - compliant Islamic window, NBF Islamic.

| | 30 September 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| | AED'000 Unaudited | AED'000 Audited |
| By type: | | |
| Qard Islamic current accounts | 598,702 | 387,430 |
| Murabaha deposits | 239,764 | 1,048,740 |
| Wakala deposits | 3,366,062 | 2,680,545 |
| Mudaraba deposits | 45,668 | 41,898 |
| - | 4,250,196 | 4,158,613 |

13. Shareholders' equity

13.1 Share capital

| | 30 September | 31 December |
|--|---------------------|-------------|
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Audited |
| Authorised, issued and fully paid: | | |
| 2,120,000,000 shares of AED 1 each | | |
| (2022: 2,000,000,000 shares of AED 1 each) | 2,120,000 | 2,000,000 |

13.2 Proposed cash dividends and bonus issue

The Board of Directors proposed a distribution of bonus shares of 6.0% of share capital for the year ended 31 December 2022. This distribution was approved by the shareholders at the Annual General Assembly Meeting held in March 2023.

Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information For the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 (continued)

14. Tier 1 capital securities

In October 2019, the Bank issued US\$ 350 million (AED 1,285.6 million) regulatory Additional Tier 1 (AT1) capital securities which has been classified as equity in accordance with IAS 32: Financial Instruments – Classification. These securities are perpetual, subordinated and unsecured. The Bank can elect not to pay a coupon at its own discretion and has an option to call back the securities in addition to allowing the Bank to write-down (in whole or in part) any amounts due to the holders in the event of non-viability with the approval of CBUAE. The transaction costs relating to the issuance were accounted for as a deduction from equity.

15. Net impairment loss

| • | 30 September 2023 | 30 September 2022 |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Unaudited |
| Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables, | | |
| acceptances, other assets and off balance sheet items | 671,451 | 690,239 |
| Due from banks and financial institutions | 758 | 1,545 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments | (4,611) | 10,042 |
| | 667,598 | 701,826 |

16. Earnings per share

The calculation of earnings per share for the nine month period ended 30 September 2023 is based on net profit of AED 475.4 million after deduction of AED 37.8 million of additional Tier 1 capital securities coupon payment (30 September 2022: AED 192.9 million after deduction of AED 37.8 million of additional Tier 1 capital securities coupon payment) divided by the weighted average number of shares of 2,120 million (30 September 2022: 2,120 million shares after adjusting for bonus shares) outstanding during the period.

The calculation of earnings per share for the three month period ended 30 September 2023 is based on net profit of AED 181.0 million (30 September 2022: net profit of AED 80.2 million), divided by the weighted average number of shares of 2,120 million (30 September 2022: 2,120 million shares after adjusting for bonus shares) outstanding during the period.

17. Related parties

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions. In the case of the Group, related parties, as defined in the International Accounting Standard No. 24, include major shareholders of the Group, directors and officers of the Group and companies of which they are principal owners and key management personnel. Banking transactions are entered into with related parties on agreed terms and conditions approved by the Board of Directors. The significant transactions and balances included in the condensed consolidated interim financial information, which predominantly relate to directors and shareholders of the Group, are as follows:

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17. Related parties (*continued*)

| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 31 December 2022 AED'000 Audited |
|--|---|---|
| Statement of financial position items | | |
| Loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables | 3,411,088 | 3,583,048 |
| Customer deposits and Islamic customer deposits | 10,072,230 | 8,814,053 |
| Investments and Islamic instruments | 134,666 | 147,650 |
| Acceptances | 726,021 | 21,095 |
| Tier 1 capital securities | 293,840 | 293,840 |
| Contingent liabilities | | |
| Letters of credit | 62,506 | 56,093 |
| Financial guarantees and other direct credit substitutes | 62,456 | 58,085 |
| Transaction related contingencies | 663,585 | 269,644 |
| | | |
| | 30 September 2023 AED'000 Unpudited | 30 September 2022 AED'000 Unaudited |
| Statement of changes in equity items | 2023 | 2022 |
| Statement of changes in equity items Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid | 2023 AED'000 | 2022 AED'000 |
| | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items Interest income and income from Islamic financing and investment activities Interest expense and distribution to Islamic depositors | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 127,867 306,084 | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 85,521 112,311 |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items Interest income and income from Islamic financing and investment activities Interest expense and distribution to Islamic depositors Other income | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 127,867 306,084 9,894 | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 85,521 112,311 9,126 |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items Interest income and income from Islamic financing and investment activities Interest expense and distribution to Islamic depositors | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 127,867 306,084 | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 85,521 112,311 |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items Interest income and income from Islamic financing and investment activities Interest expense and distribution to Islamic depositors Other income Operating expenses Key management compensation | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 127,867 306,084 9,894 25,630 | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 85,521 112,311 9,126 23,079 |
| Tier 1 capital securities coupon paid Statement of income items Interest income and income from Islamic financing and investment activities Interest expense and distribution to Islamic depositors Other income Operating expenses | 2023 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 127,867 306,084 9,894 | 2022 AED'000 Unaudited 8,632 85,521 112,311 9,126 |

No stage 3 provisions for impairment have been recognized pertinent to related parties (31 December 2022: nil). Further, stage 1 and 2 ECL amounted to AED 15.2 million (31 December 2022: AED 16.1 million).

The loans and advances and Islamic financing receivables given to related parties have been secured against collateral amounting to AED 3,067.1 million (31 December 2022: AED 2,219.0 million).

During the period, capital expenditure transactions with related parties amounted to AED 2.3 million (31 December 2022: AED 2.2 million).

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18. Capital adequacy ratio

The Bank's risk weighted assets (RWA) are weighted on the basis of relative credit, market, and operational risks. Credit risk includes both on and off-balance sheet risks. In accordance with the Basel III Compliance – Standardized Approach, the Bank is following the standardized measurement approach for credit, market and operational risk, under the existing Pillar 1 of Basel III requirements with the addition of the respective changes pertinent to capital supply.

The quantitative requirements, based on the regulations / guidelines, have been detailed below:

- i. Total regulatory capital (net of regulatory adjustments) at least 10.5% of risk weighted assets (RWAs) comprises of two tiers:
 - a. Tier 1 capital at least 8.5% of RWA, composed of:
 - Common equity Tier 1 (CET1) at least 7.0% of RWA; and
 - Additional Tier 1 (AT1)

Common equity Tier 1 (CET1) includes ordinary share capital, statutory reserve, special reserve, retained earnings and fair value reserves relating to unrealized gains on investments classified as FVOCI / available-for-sale with a hair-cut of 55%; and Additional Tier 1 (AT1) comprises of Tier 1 capital securities.

b. Tier 2 capital

It includes collective impairment provision and sub-ordinated facilities. Collective impairment provision, including impairment reserve general, shall not exceed 1.25% of total credit risk weighted assets.

ii. Banks must maintain a Capital Conservation Buffer (CCB) of 2.5% of RWAs in the form of CET1 capital. CBUAE may also require banks to implement Countercyclical Buffer (CCyB), to protect the banks from periods of excess aggregate credit growth. CCyB must be met by using CET1 capital and the level may vary between 0 - 2.5% of RWAs.

Minimum transitional arrangements as per the Central Bank of the UAE

| Capital element | Basel III 2023 | Basel III 2022 |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Minimum common equity tier 1 ratio | 7.0% | 7.0% |
| Minimum tier 1 capital ratio | 8.5% | 8.5% |
| Minimum capital adequacy ratio | 10.5% | 10.5% |
| Capital conservation buffer | 2.5% | 2.5% |

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18. Capital adequacy ratio (continued)

| AED'000 | 30 September 2023 | 31 December 2022 |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|
| CET1 capital | Unaudited | Audited |
| Share capital | 2,120,000 | 2,000,000 |
| Statutory reserve | 981,616 | 981,616 |
| Special reserve | 607,462 | 607,462 |
| Retained earnings | 1,302,028 | 859,827 |
| IFRS 9 transitional arrangement – ECL (stage 1 and 2) impact | 153,166 | 145,679 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income | (57,217) | (52,192) |
| Regulatory deductions - intangibles | (137,079) | (49,732) |
| CET1 total | 4,969,976 | 4,492,660 |
| Additional Tier 1 (AT1) Capital | | |
| Tier 1 capital securities (note 14) | 1,285,550 | 1,285,550 |
| Total Tier 1 | 6,255,526 | 5,778,210 |
| Tier 2 Capital | | |
| Collective impairment provision | 404,456 | 377,362 |
| Total Tier 2 | 404,456 | 377,362 |
| Total capital base (a) | 6,659,982 | 6,155,572 |
| Risk weighted assets | | |
| Credit risk | 32,356,511 | 30,188,941 |
| Market risk | 70,486 | 58,816 |
| Operational risk | 2,902,177 | 2,902,177 |
| Total risk weighted assets (b) | 35,329,174 | 33,149,934 |
| Capital adequacy ratio (a) / (b) | 18.9% | 18.6% |
| Tier 1 ratio | 17.7% | 17.4% |
| Common equity Tier 1 ratio (CET 1) | 14.1% | 13.6% |

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19. Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following balances from the date of acquisition:

| | | Restated |
|---|---------------------|----------------|
| | 30 September | 30 September |
| | 2023 | 2022 |
| | AED'000 | AED'000 |
| | Unaudited | Unaudited |
| Cash on hand | 316,569 | 302,532 |
| Balances with the Central Bank of the UAE | 1,650,000 | 600,000 |
| Due from banks with less than three month contractual | | |
| maturity | 1,169,225 | 1,432,081 |
| | 3,135,794 | 2,334,613 |

Balances with the Central Bank of the UAE include certificates of deposit with less than three month contractual maturity.

Based on residual maturities, cash on hand, balances with the Central Bank of the UAE and due from banks amounting to AED 5,377.6 million are maturing within three months from 30 September 2023 (AED 2,334.6 million had maturity within three months from 30 September 2022).

20. Segmental reporting

The Group uses business segments for presenting its segment information in line with the Group's management and internal reporting structure. The Group's operations are confined mainly in the UAE.

Business segments pay and receive interest, to and from Treasury on an arm's length basis to reflect allocation of capital and funding costs.

Business segments

The Group conducts its activity through the following clearly defined business segments:

Corporate and Institutional banking

Corporate and Institutional segments

The segment offers a range of products and services including credit and trade finance products, and services to large and medium sized corporate customers through separate units and to financial institutions, and accepts deposits.

Business banking segment

The segment offers a range of products and services including credit and trade finance products, and services to small and medium sized customers through separate units, and accepts deposits. The segment also offers transactional services to small and medium sized businesses.

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20. Segmental reporting (continued)

Business segments (continued)

Retail banking

The segment offers a range of products and services to individuals and high net worth individuals including personal and mortgage loans, credit cards, other transactions and balances, and accepts their deposits.

Treasury, Asset and Liability Management (ALM) and others

The segment undertakes the Group's asset and liability management centrally and is responsible for optimum utilization of resources in productive assets and management of exchange and interest positions within the limits and guidelines set by management and approved by the Board.

Treasury also offers various foreign exchange and derivative products to customers and is entrusted with the responsibility of managing the Group's investment portfolio together with the Investment Management Unit under the guidance from the Investment Committee and Asset and Liability Committee. The Group's capital and investment in subsidiaries is recognised under this segment.

The Group has central shared services which include Operations, Risk Management, Human Resources, Finance, Information systems and Technology, Product Development, Legal, Credit and Internal Audit. The shared services costs are allocated to business segments based on transaction and relevant drivers.

The segment analysis based on business segments is as follows:

| Nine month period ended 30 September 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited) | Corporate and institutional segments | Business banking segment | Retail banking | Treasury, ALM and others | Consolidated |
|--|--|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Segment revenue | 661,169 | 543,635 | 135,545 | 345,331 | 1,685,680 |
| Segment operating cost | (177,907) | (212,681) | (79,899) | (34,426) | (504,913) |
| Segment operating profit | 483,262 | 330,954 | 55,646 | 310,905 | 1,180,767 |
| Net impairment losses | (602,120) | (36,953) | (25,691) | (2,834) | (667,598) |
| Profit / (loss) for the period | (118,858) | 294,001 | 29,955 | 308,071 | 513,169 |
| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | | | | | |
| Segment assets | 17,776,104 | 7,569,409 | 4,468,336 | 20,159,804 | 49,973,653 |
| Segment liabilities | 24,964,189 | 10,516,745 | 4,233,668 | 3,936,975 | 43,651,577 |
| Capital expenditure | | - | - | 89,183 | 89,183 |

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20. Segmental reporting (continued)

| Nine month period ended 30 September 2022 AED'000 (Unaudited) | Corporate and institutional segments | Business banking segment | Retail banking | Treasury, ALM and others | Consolidated |
|--|--|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Segment revenue | 534,397 | 435,055 | 117,778 | 232,635 | 1,319,865 |
| Segment operating cost | (132,821) | (160,846) | (69,492) | (24,200) | (387,359) |
| Segment operating profit | 401,576 | 274,209 | 48,286 | 208,435 | 932,506 |
| Net impairment losses | (633,516) | (37,867) | (18,298) | (12,145) | (701,826) |
| Profit / (loss) for the period | (231,940) | 236,342 | 29,988 | 196,290 | 230,680 |
| 31 December 2022 (Audited) | | | | | |
| Segment assets | 18,185,713 | 6,961,737 | 4,098,646 | 18,378,172 | 47,624,268 |
| Segment liabilities | 24,627,025 | 10,182,512 | 3,425,727 | 3,538,540 | 41,773,804 |
| Capital expenditure | - | - | - | 83,685 | 83,685 |

21. IBOR Reforms

The Group has maintained its momentum in tracking its exposure to IBORs, preparing its IT systems to accommodate the incoming RFRs, amending or preparing contractual templates and communicating its progress with both the Regulators and its clients. IBOR reform exposes the Bank to various risks, which the IBOR Project Working Committee is managing and monitoring closely under oversight of ALCO. These risks include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Conduct risk arising from discussions with clients and market counterparties due to the amendments required to existing contracts necessary to effect IBOR reform;
- Financial risk to the Bank and its clients that markets are disrupted due to IBOR reform giving rise to financial losses;
- Pricing risk from the potential lack of market information if liquidity in IBORs reduces and RFRs are illiquid and unobservable; and
- Operational risk arising from changes to the Bank's IT systems and processes, also the risk of payments being disrupted if an IBOR ceases to be available.

The Group has set up a methodical framework to monitor the progress of transition from IBORs to new benchmark rates by reviewing its exposure and contracts on a regular basis. The Group considers that a contract is not yet transitioned to an alternative benchmark rate when interest under the contract is indexed to a benchmark rate that is still subject to IBOR reform, even if it includes a fallback clause that deals with the cessation of the existing IBOR. The Group holds derivatives for trading and risk management purposes. Derivatives held for risk management purposes are designated in hedging relationships. The interest rate

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21. IBOR Reforms (continued)

swaps have floating legs that are indexed to various IBORs. The Group's derivative instruments are governed by ISDA definitions.

Further, the Group evaluated the extent to which its fair value hedging relationships are subject to uncertainty driven by IBOR reform as at the reporting date. The Group's hedged items and hedging instruments continue to be indexed to IBOR benchmark rates, which are mainly USD 3 months / 6 months LIBOR Index. These IBOR benchmark rates are quoted regularly and IBOR cash flows are exchanged with its counterparties as usual.

Financial assets:

The Group's IBOR exposures on floating-rate loans and advances and Islamic financing facilities and investments in floating rate notes (FRN) to customers are covered in the following table:

| Currency | 30 September 2023 AED'000 | 31 December 2022 AED'000 |
|-----------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| US Dollar | <u> </u> | 1,697,517 1,697,517 |

Financial liabilities:

The Group has nil (31 December 2022: AED 178.7 million denominated in USD) floating-rate liabilities indexed to IBORs.

The table below shows the Bank's exposure to significant IBORs subject to reform that have yet to transition to RFRs.

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) AED'000 | Non-derivative financial assets carrying value | Non-derivative financial liabilities carrying value | Derivative notional amount |
|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| LIBOR 1 month | - | - | - |
| LIBOR 3 month | 37,284 | - | - |
| LIBOR 6 month | 140,869 | - | - |
| | 178,153 | | - |
| 31 December 2022 (Audited) AED'000 | Non-derivative financial assets carrying value | Non-derivative financial liabilities carrying value | Derivative notional amount |
| LIBOR 1 month | 133,882 | - | 6,856 |
| LIBOR 3 month | 1,300,954 | 178,685 | 601,665 |
| LIBOR 6 month | 262,681 | - | 49,586 |
| | 1,697,517 | 178,685 | 658,107 |

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21. IBOR Reforms (continued)

Financial liabilities: (continued)

The table below indicates the notional amount and weighted average maturity of derivatives in hedging relationships analysed by interest rate basis. These are nil as financial instruments have transitioned to RFR.

| 30 September 2023 (Unaudited) | Notional amount AED'000 | Average Maturity (Year) |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Interest rate swap | | |
| LIBOR 6 month | 36,730 | 0.1 |
| | 36,730 | 0.1 |
| 31 December 2022 (Audited) | Notional amount AED'000 | Average Maturity (Year) |
| Interest rate swap | | |
| LIBOR 6 month | 49,586 | 0.5 |
| | 49,586 | 0.5 |

22. Comparative figures

Certain comparative figures have been reclassified in accordance with 'IAS 1 - Presentation of Financial Statements' in order to conform with the presentation for the current year.

Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position

Repurchase agreements (31 December 2022: AED 1,994.3 million) which were previously classified within due to banks have now been presented separately in the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position. As at 01 January 2022, repurchase agreements amounted to AED 1,152.1 million.

Condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows

Following from the discussions at the IFRS International Interpretation Committee, it was concluded that certain amounts under due to banks should not be shown as part of cash and cash equivalents. As such, the cash and cash equivalents balance increased by AED 981.4 million as at 31 December 2021 and by AED 1,280.9 million as at 30 September 2022.

23. Subsequent events

There have been no events subsequent to the statement of financial position date that would significantly affect the amounts reported in the condensed consolidated interim financial information as at and for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2023.