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to the Warrant and Certificate Programme Base Prospectus dated 5 July 2016



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BNP Paribas Arbitrage Issuance B.V.
(incorporated in The Netherlands)
(as Issuer)

BNP Paribas
(incorporated in France)
(as Issuer and Guarantor)

Warrant and Certificate Programme

This fourth supplement (the "**Fourth Supplement**") is supplemental to, and should be read in conjunction with the base prospectus dated 5 July 2016 (the "**Base Prospectus**"), the first supplement to the Base Prospectus dated 18 August 2016 (the "**First Supplement**"), the second supplement to the Base Prospectus dated 7 October 2016 (the "**Second Supplement**") and the third supplement to the Base Prospectus dated 18 November 2016 (the "**Third Supplement**" and, together with the First Supplement and the Second Supplement, the "**Previous Supplements**"), in each case, in relation to the Warrant and Certificate Programme (the "**Programme**") of BNP Paribas Arbitrage Issuance B.V. ("**BNPP B.V.**") and BNP Paribas ("**BNPP**").

The Base Prospectus constitutes a base prospectus for the purposes of Article 5.4 of Directive 2003/71/EC of 4 November 2003 (as amended) (the "**Prospectus Directive**") to the extent that such amendments have been implemented in a relevant Member State of the European Economic Area. The Authority for the Financial Markets ("**AFM**") in the Netherlands approved the Base Prospectus on 5 July 2016, the First Supplement on 18 August 2016, the Second Supplement on 7 October 2016 and the Third Supplement on 18 November 2016. Application has been made to the AFM for approval of this Fourth Supplement in its capacity as competent authority. The AFM approved the Fourth Supplement on 14 March 2017.

Each of BNPP (in respect of itself and BNPP B.V.) and BNPP B.V. (in respect of itself) accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Fourth Supplement, the information contained herein is in accordance with the facts and does not omit anything likely to affect the import of such information.

Unless the context otherwise requires, terms defined in the Base Prospectus, as amended by the Previous Supplements, shall have the same meanings when used in this Fourth Supplement.

To the extent that there is any inconsistency between (i) any statement in this Fourth Supplement and (ii) any statement in, or incorporated by reference in, the Base Prospectus, as amended by the Previous Supplements, the statement referred to in (i) above will prevail.

References in this Fourth Supplement to paragraphs of the Base Prospectus are to the Base Prospectus as amended by the Previous Supplements. References in this Fourth Supplement to page numbers in the Base Prospectus are to the page numbers in the Base Prospectus without taking into account any amendments made in the Previous Supplements.

This Fourth Supplement is available via BNPP's websites: (www.produitsdebourse.bnpparibas.fr; www.bnpparibasmarkets.be; www.bnpparibasmarkets.nl).

This Fourth Supplement has been prepared in accordance with Article 16.1 of the Prospectus Directive, for the purposes of giving information which amends or is additional to the information already contained in the Base Prospectus.

This Fourth Supplement has been prepared for the purposes of:

- (A) giving disclosure in respect of a press release and related presentation dated 7 February 2017 issued by BNP Paribas;
- (B) giving disclosure in respect of the audited Consolidated Financial Statements of BNPP for the year ended 31 December 2016 released on 7 March 2017;
- (C) amending the "Summary in relation to this Base Prospectus" section;
- (D) amending the "Risk Factors" section;
- (E) amending the "Form of Final Terms" section;
- (F) amending the "Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act" section; and
- (G) amending the "General Information" section.

The incorporation of the documents referred to in (A) and (B) above has been made to update the BNPP disclosure. The amendments referred to in (C) above have been made to reflect the updated disclosure referred to in (A) and (B) above. The amendments referred to in (D) above have been made to update the risk factors relating to BNPP. The amendments referred to in (E) and (F) have been made to update the disclosure in respect of withholding under Section 871(m) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986. The amendments referred to in (G) above have been made to (i) update the material adverse change and significant change statements and the table of Capitalization of BNPP and the BNP Paribas Group and (ii) include a declaration concerning the unaudited annual results of BNP Paribas for the year ending 31 December 2016 and the unaudited fourth quarter results of BNP Paribas for the quarter ended 31 December 2016

In accordance with Article 16.2 of the Prospectus Directive, in the case of an offer of Securities to the public, investors who, before this Fourth Supplement is published, have already agreed to purchase or subscribe for Securities issued under the Programme by BNPP or BNPP B.V. have the right, exercisable before the end of the period of two (2) working days beginning with the working day after the date of publication of this Fourth Supplement to withdraw their acceptances. This right to withdraw shall expire by close of business on 16 March 2017.

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PRESS RELEASE AND RELATED PRESENTATION DATED 7 FEBRUARY 2017

BNP Paribas have released the following press release and presentation dated 7 February 2017 relating to the unaudited financial information of BNP Paribas for the fourth quarter ended 31 December 2016 and the unaudited figures for the year ended 31 December 2016.

2016 FULL YEAR RESULTS

PRESS RELEASE

Paris, 7 February 2017



REVENUE GROWTH DESPITE A LOW INTEREST RATE ENVIRONMENT AND A LACKLUSTRE MARKET CONTEXT THIS YEAR

REVENUES: +1.1% vs. 2015

COST CONTAINMENT

+0.4% vs. 2015

RISE IN GROSS OPERATING INCOME

+2.6% vs. 2015

SIGNIFICANT DECREASE IN THE COST OF RISK

-14.1% vs. 2015 (46 bp)*

RISE IN NET INCOME GROUP SHARE

€7,702 M (+15.1% vs. 2015)

DIVIDEND PER SHARE: €2.70**

SOLID ORGANIC CAPITAL GENERATION

CET1***: 11.5% (+60 bp vs. 31.12.15)

* COST OF RISK/CUSTOMER LOANS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD; ** SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING ON 23 MAY 2017; *** AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016, CRD4 (FULLY LOADED RATIO)



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2016 FULL YEAR RESULTS

PRESS RELEASE

Paris, 7 February 2017



SUCCESS OF THE 2014-2016 BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Progress on all the major strategic priorities

ROE in line with the objective of the plan

LAUNCH OF THE NEW 2017-2020 BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Leverage the strength of the integrated and diversified business model

Build the bank of the future by accelerating digital transformation

Conduct an ambitious Corporate Social Responsibility policy

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Commenting on these results, Chief Executive Officer Jean-Laurent Bonnafé stated:

“With 7.7 billion euros net income, BNP Paribas delivered a good performance in 2016 thanks to its integrated and diversified business model and the dedicated work of all its employees.

Revenues are up despite a lacklustre environment this year. Costs were well contained and the cost of risk was significantly lower.

The Group’s balance sheet is rock-solid and the significant increase in the fully loaded Basel 3 common equity Tier 1 ratio to 11.5% testifies the capital generation.

After the success of its 2014-2016 plan, which allowed to attain the defined targets, the Group now unveils its 2020 business development plan that announces an acceleration of digitalisation and targets an average growth of net income of more than 6.5% per year until 2020.

Serving its customers all over the world, the Group is thus building the bank of the future.”

The Board of Directors of BNP Paribas met on 6 February 2017. The meeting was chaired by Jean Lemierre and the Board examined the Group's results for the fourth quarter and endorsed the 2016 financial statements.

RISE IN INCOME AND SOLID CAPITAL GENERATION

BNP Paribas delivered a good overall performance this year, showing the strength of its integrated and diversified business model.

Revenues totalled 43,411 million euros, up by 1.1% compared to 2015 despite the low interest rate environment and a lacklustre market context this year. They included this year the exceptional impact of +597 million euros of the capital gain from the sale of Visa Europe shares as well as the -59 million euros in Own Credit Adjustment (OCA) and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA) (+314 million euros in 2015).

Revenues were up by 0.2% in the operating divisions and by 0.9 % at constant scope and exchange rates given an unfavourable exchange rate. They were down by 0.5% in Domestic Markets¹ (-1.2% at constant scope and exchange rates) due to the low interest rate environment, rose by 1.2% at International Financial Services (+2.7% at constant scope and exchange rates) and decreased by 0.3% at CIB but were up by 1.2% at constant scope and exchange rates despite a particularly challenging market environment in the first quarter of 2016.

Operating expenses, which amounted to 29,378 million euros, were well contained (+0.4% compared to 2015). They included exceptional items for a total of 749 million euro impact (862 million euros in 2015): 159 million euros in the acquisitions' restructuring costs² (171 million euros in 2015), 395 million euros in CIB transformation costs (0 in 2015), 144 million euros in restructuring costs related to the businesses³ (0 in 2015) and the 52 million euros compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (69 million euros in 2015). They no longer included any costs related to the Simple & Efficient plan (622 million euros in 2015): in line with the target, the final costs related to this plan were booked in the fourth quarter 2015.

The operating expenses of the operating divisions were up by 1.0%: +2.3% for Domestic Markets¹, +2.3% for International Financial Services and -1.8% for CIB. At constant scope and exchange rates, they rose by 0.5%⁴ for Domestic Markets, by 3.6%⁴ for International Financial Services and 0.1% for CIB. They included the impact of new regulations and of the strengthening of compliance but benefited from the success of the Simple & Efficient savings plan which offset the natural costs' drift, as well as from the first effects of CIB's savings plan.

The Group's gross operating income was up thus by 2.6%, at 14,033 million euros.

The cost of risk was down significantly by 14.1% due in particular to the good control of risk at loan origination, the low interest rate environment and the continued improvement in Italy. It came to 3,262 million euros (3,797 million euros in 2015) or 46 basis points of outstanding customer loans.

The Group's operating income rose by 10.1% to 10,771 million euros (9,787 million euros in 2015).

Non operating items totalled +439 million euros (+592 million euros in 2015). They included this year -127 million euros⁵ in goodwill impairment (-993 million euros in goodwill impairments in 2015⁶). Non operating items also included in 2015 a +716 million euros capital gain from the sale

¹ Including 100% of Private Banking in the domestic networks (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

² LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank and GE LLD

³ BNL bc (50 million euros), Belgian Retail Banking (80 million euros), Wealth and Asset Management (7 million euros), Corporate Centre (7 million euros)

⁴ Excluding exceptional costs

⁵ Full goodwill impairment of BGZ

⁶ Of which BNL bc's full goodwill impairment: -€917m

of the residual stake in Klépierre-Corio, a +123 million euros dilution capital gain due to the merger between Klépierre and Corio and a +94 million euros capital gain from the sale of a non-strategic stake.

Pre-tax income thus came to 11,210 million euros compared to 10,379 million euros in 2015 (+8.0%).

Net income attributable to equity holders was 7,702 million euros, up by 15.1% compared to 2015. Excluding one-off items¹, it came to 7,802 million euros (+6.3%). The return on equity was 9.3% (9.4% excluding one-off items). The return on tangible equity came to 11.1% (11.2% excluding one-off items). The net earnings per share was at €6.0.

At 31 December 2016, the fully loaded Basel 3 common equity Tier 1 ratio² was 11.5%, up by 60 basis points compared to 31 December 2015, illustrating the solid capital generation of the Group. The fully loaded Basel 3 leverage ratio³ came to 4.4% (+40 basis points compared to 31 December 2015). The Liquidity Coverage Ratio was 123% at 31 December 2016. Lastly, the Group's immediately available liquidity reserve was 305 billion euros (266 billion euros as at 31 December 2015), equivalent to over one year of room to manoeuvre in terms of wholesale funding.

The net book value per share reached 73.9 euros, equivalent to a compounded annual growth rate of 6.2% since 31 December 2008, illustrating the continuous value creation throughout the cycle.

The Board of Directors will propose at the Shareholders' Meeting the payment of a dividend of €2.70 per share to be paid in cash, equivalent to a 45% pay-out ratio which is in line with the objective of the plan.

The Group is actively implementing the remediation plan agreed as part of the comprehensive settlement with the U.S. authorities and is continuing to reinforce its compliance and control procedures.

The Group's good overall performance this year illustrates the success of the 2014-2016 business development plan. The average annual revenue growth was 4.0% over the period and the target of 10% return on equity, calculated on the basis of a CET1 ratio of 10%, was exceeded⁴.

The Group unveiled the main highlights of its 2017-2020 business development plan. The plan leverages the strength of the integrated and diversified business model and takes into account regulatory constraints which will continue to grow during the period in the current Basel 3 regulatory framework. It is designed to build the bank of the future by continuing the development of the businesses and implementing an ambitious programme of new customer experience, digital transformation and savings. The target is thus to achieve more than 6.5% average annual growth of net income until 2020, a CET1 of 12%⁵ in 2020 and a 10% return on equity at that date.

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¹ Effect of exceptional items after tax: -100 million euros in 2016, -644 million euros in 2015

² Ratio taking into account all the CRD4 rules with no transitory provisions

³ Ratio taking into account all the CRD4 rules at 2019 with no transitory provisions, calculated according to the delegated act of the European Commission dated 10 October 2014

⁴ 10.3% of return on equity in 2016 (excluding one-off items) on the basis of a CET1 ratio of 10%.

⁵ With a constant regulatory framework

In the fourth quarter 2016, the Group reported a very solid performance. Revenues totalled 10,656 million euros, up by 2.0% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. They included the exceptional impact of -18 million euros in Own Credit Adjustment (OCA) and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA) (+160 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

Revenues of the operating divisions were up by 2.8% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. They were down at Domestic Markets¹ (-1.0%) due to the persistently low interest rate environment but they were up in International Financial Services (+3.1%) and up significantly at CIB (+8.0%) in connection with a favourable market context. The foreign exchange effect this quarter was negligible.

Operating expenses, at 7,444 million euros, rose by only 0.5% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. They included a total of 342 million euros in exceptional items (355 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015): 48 million euros in acquisitions' restructuring costs² (54 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015), 98 million euros in CIB's transformation plan costs (0 in the fourth quarter 2015), 144 million euros in restructuring costs related to the businesses³ (0 in the fourth quarter 2015) and the 52 million euros compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (69 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015). They no longer included any Simple & Efficient transformation costs (232 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

Operating expenses rose by 3.0% for Domestic Markets¹ but were down 0.5% excluding the impact of exceptional items⁴ thanks to the effects of cost savings measures. They rose by 3.2% for International Financial Services as a result of the development of the businesses and decreased by 3.2% for CIB thanks to the effect of the cost cutting plan and despite business growth.

The gross operating income of the Group thus rose by 5.6%, to 3,212 million euros.

The cost of risk was down by 1.9% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. It came to 950 million euros (968 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

Non-operating items totalled +5 million euros (-502 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015 which included in particular -993 million euros⁵ in exceptional goodwill impairments and the 352 million euros capital gain from the sale of the residual stake in Klépierre-Corio).

Pre-tax income thus came to 2,267 million euros compared to 1,473 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015 (+53.9%).

BNP Paribas posted 1,442 million euros in net income attributable to equity holders (665 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015). Excluding exceptional items⁶, it was 1,814 million euros, up by 14.3% compared to the same quarter a year earlier.

¹ Including 100% of Private Banking in the domestic networks (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

² LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank, General Electric LLD

³ BNL bc (50 million euros), Belgian Retail Banking (80 million euros), Wealth and Asset Management (7 million euros) and Corporate Centre (7 million euros)

⁴ BNL bc and Belgian Retail Banking restructuring costs totalling 130 million euros (20 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015) and a 47 million euros compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (65 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015)

⁵ Of which BNL bc's full goodwill impairment: -917 million euros

⁶ Effect of exceptional items after tax: -372 million euros in the fourth quarter 2016 (-922 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015)

RETAIL BANKING & SERVICES

DOMESTIC MARKETS

For the whole of 2016, Domestic Markets' outstanding loans rose by 2.5% compared to 2015 due to a good pick-up in demand. Deposits were up by 6.4% driven by a strong growth across all the networks. The sales and marketing drive was reflected in particular by growth in Private Banking's assets under management (+5.4% compared to 31 December 2015).

The operating division expanded its digital offering with the development of new customer journeys that provide a new, seamless and value added banking experience and the launch of new services. For example, the merger between Wa! and Fivory (Crédit Mutuel¹), will lead to the launch in 2017, in partnership with Carrefour, Auchan and Total, among others, a single universal mobile payment solution combining payment, loyalty programmes and discount offers. Hello bank! saw a rapid rise in the number of its clients to 2.5 million (+200,000 compared to the number as at 31 December 2015), and already generates 9.8% of revenues of individual clients².

Lastly, the operating division continued to transform its network by optimising the footprint and rolling out new branch formats.

At 15,715 million euros, revenues³ were slightly down (-0.5%) compared to 2015. In addition to the impact of persistently low interest rates on interest margins, there was a decrease in financial fees due to an unfavourable market context this year. BRB and the specialised businesses however reported good performance and grew their revenues.

Operating expenses³ (10,629 million euros) were up by 2.3% compared to last year. Excluding exceptional items⁴, they rose by 1.2%, driven by growing business units (Arval, Leasing Solutions). The effect of cost saving measures was partly offset by the impact of the evolution of banking taxes and contributions.

Gross operating income³ thus decreased by 5.9%, at 5,086 million euros, compared to last year.

The cost of risk was down significantly (-16.4% compared to 2015), in particular due to the significant decline at BNL bc.

Thus, after allocating one-third of Domestic Markets Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), the division reported pre-tax income⁵ that was up 1.4% compared to 2015, at 3,382 million euros.

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues³, which totalled 3,866 million euros, were down slightly (-1.0%) compared to the fourth quarter 2015 as a result of the persistently low interest rate environment. BRB and the specialised business units, however, reported good performance.

Operating expenses³ (2,794 million euros) were up by 3.0% compared to the same quarter a year earlier. Excluding the impact of exceptional items⁴, they were down by 0.5% thanks to the effect of cost saving measures.

¹ CM11-CIC

² FRB, BNL bc, BRB and Personal Investors, excluding private banking

³ Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg

⁴ 50 million euros in restructuring costs for BNL bc (20 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015) and 80 million euros for Belgian Retail Banking (0 in the fourth quarter 2015); BNL bc's 47 million euros contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (65 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015)

⁵ Excluding PEL/CEL effects (-2 million euros in 2016, -31 million euros in 2015)

Gross operating income¹ thus decreased by 10.0% (-2.1% excluding exceptional items), to 1,072 million euros.

The cost of risk was down significantly (-15.3% compared to the fourth quarter 2015), in particular in Italy.

Thus, after allocating one-third of Domestic Markets Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), the division reported pre-tax income down by 7.8%, at 622 million euros. Excluding the impact of exceptional items, it was up by 5.2%.

French Retail Banking (FRB)

For the whole of 2016, FRB's outstanding loans rose by 0.3% compared to 2015 despite the impact of early repayments. There was a good pick-up in outstandings in the second half of the year which are thus up by 4.2% in the fourth quarter 2016 compared to the same quarter in 2015 with a rise in loans to individual and corporate clients. Deposits rose by 5.4% compared to 2015 driven by strong growth in current account deposits. The pick-up of the sales and marketing drive was also illustrated by the good performance of life insurance (rise of 2.6% in outstandings compared to 31 December 2015) and Private Banking (5.6% growth in assets under management thanks to strong net asset inflows of 2.8 billion euros). The business unit implemented new customer journeys with the BuyMyHome app which notably enables customers to simulate loans for home purchase.

Revenues² totalled 6,401 million euros, down by 3.0% compared to 2015. Net interest income² was down by 3.4% due to the impact of persistently low interest rates. Fees² were down for their part by 2.4% (-1.4% excluding the impact of a non-recurring item) with a decrease in financial fees due to the unfavourable market environment. Financial fees did though pick-up in the fourth quarter of the year (+4.6% compared to the fourth quarter 2015³).

Operating expenses², at 4,673 million euros, were contained and rose by only 0.7% compared to 2015 despite the rise in taxes and regulatory costs.

Gross operating income² thus came to 1,728 million euros, down by 11.7% compared to last year.

The cost of risk² was still low, at 342 million euros (343 million euros in 2015). It was 24 basis points of outstanding customer loans.

Thus, after allocating one-third of French Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), FRB posted 1,251 million euros in pre-tax income⁴ (-14.2% compared to 2015) due to the lacklustre environment this year and the impact of persistently low interest rates. The business unit recorded however a good pick-up in its sales and marketing drive.

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues² totalled 1,548 million euros, down by 3.4% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. Net interest income² were down by 5.0% due to the impact of persistently low interest rates. Fees² were down for their part by 1.2% but rose by 3.2% excluding the impact of a non-recurring item, with a good pick-up in banking fees and financial fees.

Operating expenses², at 1,216 million euros, were contained and rose by only 0.7% compared to the fourth quarter 2015.

¹ Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg

² Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

³ Excluding a non-recurring item

⁴ Excluding PEL/CEL effects (-2 million euros in 2016, -31 million euros in 2015)

Gross operating income¹ thus totalled 332 million euros, down by 16.1% compared to the same quarter a year earlier (-8.8% excluding the impact of a non-recurring item).

The cost of risk¹ reflected this quarter the impact of a specific loan and totalled 124 million euros (88 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015) or 34 basis points of outstanding customer loans.

Thus, after allocating one-third of French Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), FRB posted 177 million euros in pre-tax income² (-36.0% compared to the fourth quarter 2015).

BNL banca commerciale (BNL bc)

For the whole of 2016, BNL bc's outstanding loans were up by 0.5% compared to 2015 with a gradual recovery in volumes, in particular on individual clients. Deposits rose by 12.6% with a sharp rise in current accounts. BNL bc delivered a good performance in off balance sheet savings: life insurance outstandings were up by 9.8% and mutual fund outstandings by 7.2% compared to 31 December 2015. BNL bc continued to expand Private Banking with 1.2 billion euros in net asset inflows. The business unit implemented new customer journeys with for example the #Digibiz app that offers a wide range of online services to corporate clients.

Revenues³ were down by 5.7% compared to 2015, to 2,972 million euros. Net interest income³ was down by 7.1% due to the persistently low interest rate environment and the residual effect of the repositioning, finalised in 2016, on the better corporate clients. Fees³ were down by -2.9% with a decrease in financial fees due to the unfavourable market context.

Operating expenses³, at 1,885 million euros, were down by 0.9%. Excluding the impact of non-recurring items⁴, they were down by 1.7% thanks to the effect of cost reduction measures.

Gross operating income³ thus totalled 1,086 million euros, down by 12.9% compared to last year.

The cost of risk³, at 124 basis points of outstanding customer loans, was down by 289 million euros compared to 2015 with a gradual improvement of the quality of the loan portfolio.

Thus, after allocating one-third of Italian Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), BNL bc posted 90 million euros of pre-tax income, a strong improvement compared to 2015 (+134 million euros).

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues³ were down by 4.6% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 745 million euros. Net interest income³ was down by 4.2% due to the persistently low interest rate environment and the last effects of the repositioning on the better corporate clients. Fees³ were down by 5.2% due to banking fees.

Operating expenses³, at 543 million euros, were down by 1.3% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. Excluding the impact of non-recurring items⁴, they were down by 4.3% thanks to the effect of cost reduction measures.

Gross operating income³ thus totalled 202 million euros, down by 12.5% (-5.1% excluding non-recurring items).

¹ Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

² Excluding PEL/CEL effects (8 million euros in the fourth quarter 2016, 5 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015)

³ With 100% of Private Banking in Italy

⁴ Restructuring costs: 50 million euros (20 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015); compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks: 47 million euros (65 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015)

The cost of risk¹, at 118 basis points of outstanding customer loans, was down by 71 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015.

Thus, after allocating one-third of Italian Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), BNL bc posted -36 million euros of pre-tax losses (-80 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015). Excluding non-recurring items, it came to +61 million euros (+4 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

Belgian Retail Banking (BRB)

For the whole of 2016, BRB reported sustained business activity. Loans were up by 4.7% compared to 2015 with growth in loans to individual customers (in particular mortgages) and to SMEs. For their part, deposits rose by 5.8% thanks in particular to strong growth in current accounts. The business continued to develop digital banking with new features of the Easy Banking app and Easy Banking Web which now have 1 million and 2.4 million users respectively. The business unit also implemented new customer journeys with the Home on the Spot app which allows customers to simulate loans and offers tools assisting them in the context of home purchase projects.

Revenues² were up by 3.1% compared to 2015, at 3,661 million euros: net interest income² rose by 5.9% as a result of volume growth and margins holding up well, but fees² were down by 4.8% due to a decrease in financial fees as a result of the unfavourable market context.

Operating expenses² rose by 4.9% compared to 2015, to 2,582 million euros. Excluding the impact of exceptional items³ and the evolution in banking taxes, they rose by only 0.9%, reflecting the good cost control.

At 1,079 million euros, gross operating income² was down by 1.0% compared to last year (+7.0% excluding exceptional items and the evolution in banking taxes).

The cost of risk², at 98 million euros or 10 basis points of outstanding customer loans, was very low and rose by only 13 million euros compared to 2015.

Thus, after allocating one-third of Belgian Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), BRB generated 918 million euros in pre-tax income, down by 1.1% compared to last year but up by 8.0% excluding exceptional items and evolution in banking taxes, which reflects the business unit's good performance.

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues² were up by 2.9% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 908 million euros: net interest income² rose by 3.5% as a result of good growth in volumes and fees² rose by 1.3% with a rise in banking fees.

Operating expenses² rose by 12.5% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, to 661 million euros. Excluding exceptional items⁴, they were down by 1% thanks to the effects of cost saving measures.

Gross operating income², at 247 million euros, was down by 16.3% compared to the same quarter a year earlier but rose by 10.7%, excluding exceptional items⁴.

The cost of risk², at 9 million euros or 4 basis points of outstanding customer loans, was particularly low. It was down by 43 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015.

¹ With 100% of Private Banking in Italy

² With 100% of Private Banking in Belgium

³ In particular 80 million euros in restructuring costs (0 in 2015) partly offset by a 30 million euros provision write-back

⁴ 80 million euros in restructuring costs (0 in the fourth quarter 2015)

After allocating one-third of Belgian Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), BRB generated 222 million euros in pre-tax income, down by 5.6% compared to the same quarter a year earlier but up by 28.3% excluding exceptional items¹.

Other Domestic Markets business units (Arval, Leasing Solutions, Personal Investors and Luxembourg Retail Banking)

For the whole of 2016, the specialised businesses of Domestic Markets showed a good overall drive. The business activity of Arval was sustained and the financed fleet showed strong growth at constant scope (+10.1% compared to 2015) bringing the number of financed vehicles to over 1 million. The business unit actively implemented the integration of GE Fleet Services. The financing outstandings of Leasing Solutions were up (+4.8% at constant scope and exchange rates) thanks to the good growth in the core business, despite the continued reduction of the non-strategic portfolio. Personal Investors saw a good level of new clients' acquisition.

Luxembourg Retail Banking's outstanding loans rose by 1.5% compared to 2015, due in particular to mortgages and deposits were up by 14.4% with good inflows notably on the corporate segment.

Revenues² on the whole were up by 7.3% compared to 2015, at 2,681 million euros, reflecting the effect of the acquisition of GE Fleet Services in Europe. At constant scope and exchange rates, they rose by 3.4% with a rise in all the business units.

Operating expenses² rose by 7.3% compared to 2015, at 1,488 million euros. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were up by only 1.9%, the effect of the business development being partly offset by the first cost synergies between DAB Bank et Consors bank ! in Germany.

The cost of risk² was down by 21 million euros compared to 2015, at 115 million euros.

Thus, the contribution of these four business units to Domestic Markets' pre-tax income, after allocating one-third of Luxembourg Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), was 1,123 million euros, up sharply compared to 2015: +13.1% (+9.2% at constant scope and exchange rates).

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues² were on the whole up by 4.2% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 666 million euros, reflecting the effect of the acquisition of GE Fleet Services in Europe. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were also up by 4.2% with a rise in all the businesses, as scope and exchange rates effects offset each other.

Operating expenses² rose by 1.5% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 374 million euros. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were down by 0.2% thanks to the first cost synergies between DAB Bank and Consors bank! in Germany.

The cost of risk² was up by 6 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 37 million euros.

Thus, the contribution of these four business units to Domestic Markets' pre-tax income, after allocating one-third of Luxembourg Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business (International Financial Services division), was 259 million euros, up by 6.3% compared to the fourth quarter 2015 (+8.6% at constant scope and exchange rates).

¹ 80 million euros in restructuring costs (0 in the fourth quarter 2015)

² With 100% of Private Banking in Luxembourg

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INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES

For the whole of 2016, the International Financial Services' businesses reported a good sales and marketing drive: Personal Finance had a sustained business activity, Europe-Mediterranean and BancWest posted good growth in their activity while the Insurance and Wealth & Asset Management businesses generated good asset inflows. The division's sales and marketing drive was also illustrated by the development of digital offering and innovations in all the businesses.

At 15,479 million euros, revenues were up by 1.2% compared to 2015. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were up by +2.7% with growth in International Retail Banking, Insurance and Personal Finance, and Wealth & Asset Management held up well.

Operating expenses (9,544 million euros) were up by 2.3% compared to last year. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were up by 3.7%.

Gross operating income thus totalled 5,935 million euros, down by 0.4% compared to last year (+1.2% at constant scope and exchange rates).

The cost of risk was 1,496 million euros, down by 226 million compared to 2015 due in particular to the decline in the cost of risk at Personal Finance.

Operating income thus totalled 4,439 million euros, up by 4.7% compared to last year (+5.8% at constant scope and exchange rates).

Thus, International Financial Services' pre-tax income increased to 4,924 million euros (+4.0% compared to 2015 and +5.8% at constant scope and exchange rates).

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues, at 4,025 million euros, were up by 3.1% compared to the fourth quarter 2015. They were up by +3.3% at constant scope and exchange rates with growth in all the businesses.

Operating expenses (2,481 million euros) were up by 3.2% compared to the same quarter a year earlier. At constant scope and exchange rates and excluding exceptional costs¹, they were up by 3.3%, as a result of business growth.

Gross operating income thus totalled 1,544 million euros, up by 2.9% compared to the same quarter a year earlier (+2.8% at constant scope and exchange rates).

The cost of risk was 425 million euros, up by 14 million compared to the fourth quarter 2015.

Operating income thus totalled 1,118 million euros, up by 2.7% compared to the same quarter a year earlier (+2.0% at constant scope and exchange rates).

International Financial Services' pre-tax income was thus up by 2.5% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 1,236 million euros (+2.4% at constant scope and exchange rates).

¹ In particular Wealth and Asset Management's restructuring costs for 7 million euros in (0 in the fourth quarter 2015)

Personal Finance

For the whole of 2016, Personal Finance continued its strong sales and marketing drive. Outstanding loans grew by +8.8%¹ compared to 2015 in connection with the rise in demand and the effect of new commercial agreements. The business unit signed new partnership agreements this year in banking (Banco CTT in Portugal), in retail (Eggo Kitchen House in Belgium, Ikea and Mr Bricolage in France) and telecoms (Yoigo in Spain). Outstanding car loans rose by 16.5% compared to 2015² and the business unit forged new business deals with Honda in France and Volvo in Italy. Lastly, Personal Finance continued to expand the digital processing of loans with 3.1 million applications signed digitally, up 80% over last year.

Revenues were up by 0.4% compared to 2015, at 4,679 million euros with an unfavourable foreign exchange effect. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were up by 2.0% under the opposite influence of a rise in volumes and an increase in products that have a better risk profile. There was a good drive in Germany, Spain and Italy.

Operating expenses were down by 0.7% compared to 2015, at 2,298 million euros. They were up by 1.0% at constant scope and exchange rates, reflecting good cost control.

Gross operating income thus totalled 2,381 million euros, up by 1.5% compared to last year (+3.0% at constant scope and exchange rates).

At 979 million euros, or 159 basis points of outstanding customer loans, the business recorded a sharp decline in the cost of risk (-196 million euros compared to 2015) due to the low interest rate environment and the growing positioning on products with a better risk profile (car loans in particular) as well as 50 million euros in provisions write-backs following sales of doubtful loans.

Personal Finance's pre-tax income was thus 1,442 million euros, up sharply compared to 2015: +15.9% (+17.9% at constant scope and exchange rates).

In the fourth quarter 2016, Personal Finance's revenues were up by 2.1% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 1,185 million euros. At constant scope and exchange rates, they were up 2.5% as a result of volumes rise and the growing positioning on products with a better risk profile.

Operating expenses were up by 3.2% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 598 million euros. They were up by 3.6% at constant scope and exchange rates, as a result of good business development.

Gross operating income thus totalled 587 million euros, up by 0.9% compared to the same quarter a year earlier (+1.4% at constant scope and exchange rates).

At 269 million euros, or 170 basis points of outstanding customer loans, the business unit recorded a significant decrease in the cost of risk (-39 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015) due to the low interest rate environment and the growing positioning on products with a better risk profile.

Personal Finance's pre-tax income thus totalled 334 million euros, up sharply compared to the fourth quarter 2015: +14.0% (+16.7% at constant scope and exchange rates).

¹ At constant scope and exchange rates

² Outstandings at the end of the period at historical scope and constant exchange rates

Europe-Mediterranean

For the whole of 2016, Europe-Mediterranean reported good business growth. Outstanding loans rose by 5.5%¹ compared to 2015 with a rise in all regions. Deposits grew by 9.8%¹, with good growth in all countries. There was a sustained development in the digital offering with 350,000 clients for CEPTETEB in Turkey and over 200,000 clients for BGZ OPTIMA in Poland.

At 2,513 million euros, revenues² were up by 6.0%¹ compared to 2015, in connection with the increase in volumes.

Operating expenses², at 1,705 million euros, rose by 4.6%¹ compared to last year. Excluding the rise in banking taxes and contributions in Poland³, they were up by only 3.7%¹, reflecting the good control of expenses and the effect of cost synergies in Poland.

The cost of risk² totalled 437 million euros, or 112 basis points of outstanding customer loans, largely stable compared to 2015 (+0.7%¹).

Given the rise in the contribution from associated companies and after allocating one-third of Turkish Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business, Europe-Mediterranean generated 566 million euros in pre-tax income, up sharply (+19.9%⁴ compared to last year).

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues², at 630 million euros, were up by 5.9%¹ compared to the fourth quarter 2015, in connection with increase in volumes and margins; they were up significantly in particular in Turkey.

At 431 million euros, operating expenses² rose by 1.1%¹ (+3.4% excluding the evolution of taxes and contributions in Poland) compared to the same quarter a year earlier.

Gross operating income² thus rose by 18.0%¹ compared to the fourth quarter 2015.

The cost of risk² totalled 127 million euros, or 129 basis points of outstanding customer loans. It was up by 31 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015 due to a rise in the cost of risk in Turkey but was stable compared to the third quarter 2016.

Given the good contribution of the associated companies and after allocating one-third of Turkish Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business, Europe-Mediterranean thus generated 120 million euros down by 1.2%⁵ compared to the same quarter a year earlier.

BancWest

For the whole of 2016, BancWest continued its growth in a favourable economic context.

Loans were up by 8.5%¹ compared to 2015, both for corporate and individual customers. Deposits were up by 7.9%¹ with strong rise in current and savings accounts. BancWest continued to expand Private Banking with assets under management totalling 12.1 billion U.S. dollars as at 31 December 2016 (+19% compared to 31 December 2015).

¹ At constant scope and exchange rates

² With 100% of Private Banking in Turkey

³ Introduction of a banking tax in Poland in 2016: 44 million euros (one-off contribution to the deposit guarantee fund & to the support fund for borrowers for 31 million euros in 2015)

⁴ At constant scope and exchange rates (+10.2% at historical scope and exchange rates)

⁵ At constant scope and exchange rates (-9.8% at historical scope and exchange rates)

The year was also marked for BancWest by the success of the Comprehensive Capital Analysis and Review (CCAR) and by the success of the initial public offering of First Hawaiian Bank that continues to be fully consolidated so long as the Group maintains control over it.

Revenues¹, at 2,984 million euros, rose by 5.5%² compared to 2015, the increase in volumes being partly offset by the effect of lower interest rates in the United States for the whole of 2016 compared to 2015.

At 2,038 million euros, operating expenses¹ rose by 8.5%² compared to 2015. Excluding regulatory costs³ and non-recurring costs⁴, they grew by 6.9% as a result of the strengthening of the commercial set up (private banking, consumer finance).

The cost of risk¹ (85 million euros) was still at a low level, at 14 basis points of outstanding customer loans. It was however up by 35 million euros compared to the particularly low level in 2015.

Thus, after allocating one-third of U.S. Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business, BancWest generated 862 million euros in pre-tax income (-4.7%⁵ compared to 2015).

In the fourth quarter 2016, revenues¹, totalling 795 million euros, rose by 6.5%² compared to the fourth quarter 2015 in connection with a rise in volumes.

Operating expenses¹, at 521 million euros, rose by 6.5%² compared to the fourth quarter 2015. Excluding regulatory costs³ and non-recurring costs related to the initial public offering of First Hawaiian Bank, they grew by 5.3% because of the strengthening of the commercial set-ups.

The cost of risk¹ (23 million euros) was still at a low level, at 15 basis points of outstanding customer loans. It was up by 27 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015 when provisions were more than offset by write-backs.

Thus, after allocating one-third of U.S. Private Banking's net income to the Wealth Management business, BancWest generated 251 million euros in pre-tax income (-4.1%⁶ compared to the fourth quarter 2015).

Insurance and Wealth and Asset Management

Insurance and Wealth & Asset Management posted, in a lacklustre context in 2016, a good overall performance with good asset inflows in all the business units.

Their assets under management⁷ reached, as at 31 December 2016, the record level of 1,010 billion euros (+5.8% compared to 31 December 2015). They rose by 56 billion euros compared to 31 December 2015 due in particular to very good net asset inflows totalling 34.9 billion euros (strong asset inflows at Wealth Management in Asia, France, Italy and at BancWest, very good asset inflows in Asset Management, in particular into diversified and bond funds; good asset inflows in Insurance particularly in unit-linked accounts).

As at 31 December 2016, assets under management⁷ broke down as follows: Asset Management (416 billion euros), Wealth Management (344 billion euros), Insurance (226 billion euros) and Real Estate Services (24 billion euros).

¹ With 100% of Private Banking in the United States

² At constant scope and exchange rates

³ CCAR and Intermediate Holding Company

⁴ Costs related to the initial public offering of First Hawaiian Bank and a provision for an IT project

⁵ At constant scope and exchange rates (-6.6% at historical scope and exchange rates)

⁶ At constant scope and exchange rates (-2.5% at historical scope and exchange rates)

⁷ Including distributed assets

The implementation of new customer journeys and digital transformation is illustrated, for Wealth Management, by the launch of new digital services (“myAdvisory” a portfolio management mobile app and “myBioPass”, a unique key to access digital banking services) and, for Insurance, by 70 digital projects to transform services and improve performances.

Insurance’s revenues, at 2,382 million euros, were up by 2.7% compared to 2015, due to the rise in protection insurance revenues in Europe and in Latin America. Operating expenses, at 1,201 million euros, rose by 3.8%, due to the business development and the rise in regulatory costs. After taking into account the good performance of associated companies, pre-tax income was thus up by 3.0% compared to last year, at 1,369 million euros.

Wealth and Asset Management’s revenues, at 2,977 million euros, held up well in a lacklustre context (-1.2% compared to 2015). Operating expenses, at 2,341 million euros, were up by 1.4% as a result in particular of the development of Wealth Management. At 685 million euros, Wealth and Asset Management’s pre-tax income, after receiving one-third of the net income of private banking in the domestic markets, in Turkey and in the United States, was thus down by 5.4% compared to 2015.

In the fourth quarter 2016, Insurance and Wealth & Asset Management recorded 2 billion euros net asset inflows.

Insurance’s revenues, at 636 million euros, were up by 5.3% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, with in particular the rise in protection insurance revenues in Europe. Operating expenses, at 315 million euros, rose by 4.4%, due to the business development and the rise in regulatory costs. Pre-tax income was thus up by 5.4% compared to last year, at 356 million euros,

Wealth and Asset Management’s revenues, at 794 million euros, were up slightly (+0.5% compared to the fourth quarter 2015), driven by Wealth Management. Operating expenses, at 626 million euros, were up by 3.3%. Excluding the impact of exceptional restructuring costs, they rose by 2.3% as a result of the expansion of Wealth Management. At 176 million euros, Wealth and Asset Management’s pre-tax income, after receiving one-third of the net income of private banking in the domestic markets, in Turkey and in the United States, was thus down by 5.0% compared to the fourth quarter 2015 (-1.1% excluding exceptional restructuring costs).

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CORPORATE AND INSTITUTIONAL BANKING (CIB)

For the whole of 2016, CIB’s business units continued to grow in their markets and the business reported solid growth in the second half of the year after a particularly challenging context in the first quarter. The division actively implemented its transformation plan, on track with the defined timetable, and launched transformation initiatives and cost-saving measures in all regions.

Revenues of the business, at 11,469 million euros, were on the whole virtually stable compared to 2015 (-0.3%) but they rose by 1.2% at constant scope and exchange rates.

At 5,650 million euros, Global Markets’ revenues were down by 1.1% compared to 2015 but up by 1.6% at constant scope and exchange rates, showing a good recovery of the business after a particularly challenging market context in Europe at the beginning of the year. The revenues of FICC¹, at 3,860 million euros, were up by 10.0% compared to 2015 with good performance of rates

¹ Fixed Income, Currencies, and Commodities

and credit. The business unit reported sustained business performances and gained market share. It ranked number 1 for all bond issues in euros and number 9 for all international issues. At 1,791 million euros, Equity and Prime Services' revenues were down for their part by 18.7% compared to a high base in 2015 due to the less favourable context in the equity markets. The VaR, which measures market risks, remained very low (34 million euros).

Securities Services' revenues, at 1,824 million euros, were up by 1.9% (+2.2% at constant scope and exchange rates), in connection with the rise in assets under custody, reflecting good business development.

Corporate Banking's revenues, at 3,994 million euros, were stable (-0.3% compared to 2015 but +0.3% at constant scope and exchange rates) with a good pick-up in business after a lacklustre context in the first quarter. Revenues remained at a good level in Europe and Asia Pacific and grew in the Americas region. At 129.4 billion euros, loans were up by 4.3% compared to 2015. Deposits were up sharply, at 117.2 billion euros (+22.8% compared to 2015) in connection with the good development of cash management. The business unit continued to strengthen its positions and confirmed its number 1 ranking in Europe for syndicated financing. It gained new clients and developed transaction banking business (trade finance, etc.), also confirming its global number 4 ranking in cash management.

At 8,309 million euros, CIB's operating expenses were down by 1.8% compared to 2015 (stable at constant scope and exchange rates). They benefited from cost saving measures (about 350 million euros in savings in 2016) but recorded the impact of the rise in banking taxes and regulatory costs.

CIB's cost of risk totalled 217 million euros (+5 million euros compared to 2015). Corporate Banking's cost of risk was low at 292 million euros or 25 basis points of outstanding customer loans (+154 million euros increase compared to the very low level in 2015 which benefited from provision write-backs). Global Markets' cost of risk was a 72 million euros net write-back compared to an 80 million euro provision in 2015.

The operating income of CIB was thus up by 3.8% (+4.6% at constant scope and exchange rates), at 2,943 million euros.

CIB generated, though, income that was down by 1.2%, at 2,962 million euros, compared to last year which had recorded a one-off capital gain of 74 million euros from the sale of a non-strategic stake (+3.4% at constant scope and exchange rates).

In the fourth quarter 2016, CIB reported a very good performance. Revenues rose by 8.0% compared to the fourth quarter 2015, at 2,821 million euros.

Global Markets' revenues, at 1,284 million euros, were up sharply by 21.9% compared to the fourth quarter 2015 with strong client business in a favourable market context. The revenues of FICC¹, at 838 million euros, were up by 22.9% with very good growth of rates, credit and bond issues. At 446 million euros, the revenues of the Equity and Prime Services business unit were up by 20.2% with good volumes growth. The revenues of Securities Services, at 466 million euros, were up by 7.6% as a result of the rise in outstandings and in transaction volumes. At 1,071 million euros, Corporate Banking's revenues were down by 4.9% compared to a very good level in the fourth quarter 2015 which had registered significant transactions.

At 1,914 million euros, operating expenses were down by 3.2% compared to the fourth quarter 2015 due to cost savings measures and despite business growth.

CIB' cost of risk totalled 70 million euros (+7 million euros compared to the fourth quarter 2015). It was still low at Corporate Banking, at 115 million euros, or 39 basis points of outstanding customer

¹ Fixed Income, Currencies, and Commodities

loans, but rose by 46 million euros compared to the same quarter a year earlier due to a specific file. Global Markets' cost of risk was a net write-back of 44 million euros (net write-back of 4 million euros during the same quarter a year earlier).

CIB thus posted income up sharply, at 841 million euros (+50.8% compared to the fourth quarter 2015).

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CORPORATE CENTRE

For the whole of 2016, Corporate Centre revenues were 1,294 million euros compared to 910 million euros in 2015. They included the exceptional impact of +597 million euros of the capital gain from the sale of Visa Europe shares, the -59 million euros in Own Credit Adjustment (OCA) and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA) (+314 million euros in 2015) as well as a very good contribution of Principal Investments.

Operating expenses totalled 1,189 million euros compared to 1,336 million euros in 2015. They included the exceptional impact of 159 million euros in the acquisitions' restructuring costs¹ (171 million euros in 2015), 395 million euros in CIB transformation costs (0 in 2015) and 7 million euros restructuring costs (0 in 2015). They no longer included any Simple & Efficient costs (622 million euros in 2015): in keeping with the objective, the final costs related to this plan were booked in the fourth quarter 2015.

The cost of risk totalled 39 million euros (51 million euros in 2015).

Non-operating items totalled -121 million euros (-79 million euros in 2015). They included -181 million euros² in goodwill impairments of subsidiaries' shares (-993 million euros in goodwill impairments in 2015³). Non-operating items also included in 2015 a +716 million euros capital gain from the sale of the residual stake in Klépierre-Corio; a +123 million euros dilution capital gain due to the merger between Klépierre and Corio and the +20 million euro share of the capital gain from the sale of a non-core investment allocated to the Corporate Centre.

The Corporate Centre's pre-tax income was -55 million euros compared to -656 million euros in 2015.

In the fourth quarter 2016, Corporate Centre revenues were 70 million euros compared to 151 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015. They included in particular -18 million euros in Own Credit Adjustment (OCA) and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA) (+160 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015) and a good contribution of Principal Investments.

Operating expenses came to 330 million euros compared to 381 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015. They included 48 million euros in acquisitions' restructuring costs¹ (54 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015), 98 million euros in CIB transformation costs (0 in the fourth quarter 2015) and 7 million euros in restructuring costs (0 in the fourth quarter 2015). They no longer included any Simple & Efficient transformation costs (232 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

The cost of risk totalled 56 million euros (24 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015).

¹ LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank and GE LLD

² Of which -127 million euros for BGZ's full goodwill impairment

³ Of which BNL bc's full goodwill impairment: -917 million euros

For reference purposes, a final exceptional provision of 100 million euros was booked in the fourth quarter 2015 in connection with the remediation plan agreed as part of the comprehensive settlement with the U.S. authorities to industrialise existing processes.

Non-operating items totalled -123 million euros (-617 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015). They included -127 million euros¹ in goodwill impairments (-993 million euros in goodwill impairments in 2015²). Non-operating items also included in the fourth quarter 2015 the +352 million euros capital gain from the sale of the residual stake in Klépierre-Corio.

The Corporate Centre's pre-tax income was thus -440 million euros compared to -970 million euros in the fourth quarter 2015.

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FINANCIAL STRUCTURE

The Group's balance sheet is rock-solid.

The fully loaded Basel 3 common equity Tier 1 ratio³ was 11.5% as at 31 December 2016, up by 60 basis points compared to 31 December 2015, primarily due to the year's results after the dividend payment.

The Basel 3 fully loaded leverage ratio⁴, calculated on total Tier 1 capital, totalled 4.4% as at 31 December 2016 (+40 basis points compared to 31 December 2015).

The Liquidity Coverage Ratio stood at 123% as at 31 December 2016.

The Group's liquid and asset reserve immediately available totalled 305 billion euros (compared to 266 billion euros as at 31 December 2015), which is equivalent to more than one year of room to manoeuvre in terms of wholesale funding.

The evolution of the Group's ratios illustrates its solid capital generation and its ability to manage its balance sheet in a disciplined manner.

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SUCCESS OF THE 2014-2016 BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The good performance of the Group this year illustrates the success of the 2014-2016 business development plan.

During the period, the Group made progress on all the major strategic priorities defined in the plan. To prepare itself for the transformations of retail banking, the Group has launched Hello bank! which already has 2.5 million customers, developed digital banks in International Retail Banking, continued to adapt the branch networks and expanded private banking in all the networks. CIB,

¹ Full goodwill impairment of BGZ

² Of which BNL bc's full goodwill impairment: -917 million euros

³ Taking into account all the rules of the CRD4 directives with no transitory provisions. Subject to the provisions of Article 26.2 of Regulation (EU) No 575/2013

⁴ Taking into account all the rules of the CRD4 directives in 2019 with no transitory provisions, calculated according to the delegated act of the European Commission dated 10 October 2014

strengthened by Securities Services, gained market share on large corporate and institutional clients and developed transaction banking. All the businesses managed to adapt to the transformations in their environment, like BNL bc. which refocused the corporate sales and marketing approach on the better clients, already reaping the first positive effects in terms of its results, and CIB that grouped together its market businesses in Global Markets. Lastly, regional business development plans (Germany, Asia Pacific, CIB-North America) achieved their growth targets, as well as the specialised businesses.

Average revenue growth¹ thus attained 4.0%² per year during the period despite a much more lacklustre environment than expected due to very low interest rates. Organic revenue growth¹ was sustained (+2.2% per year on average²) thanks to the good development of the businesses and the success of the regional business development plans, despite the low interest rate environment on Domestic Markets and the impact of the reduction of the Energy & Commodities business in CIB. Targeted acquisitions (DAB Bank, GE Fleet Services Europe, 50% not yet owned by LaSer and Bank BGZ) allowed to use available capital resources while preserving limited growth of risk-weighted assets (+0.7%² per year on average) and provided a positive contribution to the growth of revenues.

Operating expenses were well contained. They benefited from the success of the Simple & Efficient plan which helped to generate 3.3 billion euros in recurring savings³ since it was launched in 2013 or 500 million euros above the initial objective. They recorded however the impact of new taxes and regulations that increased by 1.3 billion euros between 2013 and 2016. Excluding the impact of new taxes and regulations, the average annual growth of operating expenses was 2.7%² per year⁴ and only 0.7% at constant scope and exchange rates. The jaws effect was thus positive at 1.2 point per year on average excluding new taxes and regulations.

Cost of risk was also reduced and the Group thus achieved or surpassed the main financial targets of the 2014-2016 plan with return on equity excluding exceptional items of 10.3% calculated based on a 10% CET1 ratio (for a 10% target), an 11.5% fully loaded Basel 3 common equity Tier 1 ratio and a 45% dividend pay-out ratio.

During the period, the Group carried out an active Corporate Social Responsibility policy (CSR) and introduced a new Code of Conduct that led to a large-scale online training programme for employees. Many actions by the Group, such as financing socially responsible businesses, had a positive impact on society. The Group plays an active role in energy transition: it strictly limited financing in the coal industry and successfully launched a green bond. BNP Paribas is the European leader in the Banking category for CSR criteria according to Vigeo Eiris, the extra-financial rating agency.

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2017-2020 BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The 2017-2020 business development plan is based on the Group's integrated and diversified business model with three pillars focused on customers' needs: Domestic Markets, International Financial Services (IFS) and Corporate and Institutional Banking (CIB).

Leveraging this balanced business model, which has demonstrated its strength, the plan aims to build the bank of the future by continuing to grow the businesses and implementing an ambitious

¹ Excluding exceptionals (+€147m in 2013; +€538m in 2016)

² 2013-2016 average annual growth rate

³ Of which 2.5 billion euros during the 2014-2016 period

⁴ 4.2% a year on average including new taxes and regulations

programme of digital transformation, new customer experience, and cost savings in strict compliance with the Corporate Social Responsibility policy.

The plan, which is based on conservative macroeconomic assumptions, factors in regulatory constraints expected by 2020 which continue to grow in the current Basel 3 regulatory framework (introduction of Net Stable Funding ratio (NSFR), TLAC requirement on top of the capital constraints...).

In this context, headwinds will continue to be strong at the beginning of the period before letting up in 2019-2020. On average, the Group's target is revenue growth above or equal to 2.5% per year in order to raise the ROE to 10% in 2020.

The Group is targeting an average growth of net income in excess of 6.5% per year for the whole period which will allow, with a 50% dividend pay-out ratio, to grow the dividend by 9% per year on average, and reach a 12%¹ CET1 ratio in 2020.

The 2017-2020 business development plan is based on an ambitious transformation programme in all the operating divisions and on differentiated development strategies between Domestic Markets, IFS and CIB:

An ambitious programme of new customer experience, digital transformation & savings in all the divisions

In all the divisions, the Group will implement an ambitious transformation programme that aims at the same time to implement a new customer experience, the acceleration of digital transformation and improvement of operating efficiency.

It will rely on the success of a significant number of initiatives already underway in terms of products, apps and digital platforms (such as, for example, Hello bank ! and Wa ! in Domestic Markets, Cepteteb and BGZ Optima in IFS, Centric and Cortex in CIB), Tech Labs (such as l'Atelier and l'Echangeur) and incubators (such as the International Hackathon and Wai).

The Group plans to invest 3 billion euros between 2017 and 2019 in this programme that will generate 3.4 billion euros in savings during the same period and 2.7 billion in annual recurring savings starting from 2020 with a balanced contribution of all the divisions.

Five levers will be implemented in all the divisions to renew the customer experience and build a more digital and efficient bank: implement new customer journeys (new services, and digital, expanded, seamless and personalised journeys); improve the operational model by streamlining end-to-end processes, simplifying the organisations, and developing mutualised platforms; adapt information systems by incorporating in particular new technologies in order to accelerate digital and by promoting agile practices; better use data by leveraging them for customers' benefit and by reinforcing data storage, protection and analysis capacities; and, lastly, develop more digital, collaborative and agile work practices.

Differentiated business development strategies per division

In an interest rate environment that will improve only very gradually and given new client expectations influenced by digital usages, Domestic Markets will reinforce the sales and marketing drive with new customer experiences, enhanced attractiveness of the offering and new services. The division will improve its operating efficiency by actively continuing to adapt the branch networks, transforming the operating model and accelerating digitalisation. In a risk environment that will continue to be favourable, it will continue its cost of risk control policy in Italy. The target of

¹ At constant regulatory framework

Domestic Markets¹ is thus an average annual revenue growth of more than 0.5% per year until 2020, a 3 point reduction in its cost income ratio and a return on equity² above 17.5% in 2020 (+2 points compared to 2016).

As a growth engine for the Group, International Financial Services will strengthen its positions by accelerating the development (new offerings, new partnerships, new regions for the specialised businesses), consolidating the leading positions of the businesses and continuing to expand retail banking outside of the Eurozone. The division will continue to adapt to future constraints (MIFID 2, etc.) and improve its operating efficiency, in particular by accelerating digital transformation and streamlining processes. The target of IFS³ is thus an average annual revenue growth of more than 5% per year until 2020, a 5 point reduction in its cost income ratio and a 20% return on equity² in 2020 (+2 points compared to 2016).

CIB will capitalise on the good start of its plan in 2016 in all its dimensions: resource optimisation, cost reduction and revenue growth. The operating division will extend to 2020 all the actions under way and accelerate the operating and digital transformation. It will expand its corporate and institutional client base, continue to grow fee-generating businesses (advisory services, cash management, Securities Services) and continue to leverage its regional positions to develop international services. It will also expand its client base in Europe, in particular in the countries of Northern Europe (Germany, Netherlands, etc.), and will continue to develop cooperations with other businesses in the Group. The target of CIB is thus an average annual revenue growth of more than 4.5% per year until 2020, a 8 point reduction in its cost income ratio and a return on equity² of more than 19% in 2020 (+6 points compared to 2016).

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¹ Including 100% of Private Banking (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

² Return on notional equity (RONE)

³ Excluding First Hawaiian Bank



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CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	10,656	10,449	+2.0%	10,589	+0.6%	43,411	42,938	+1.1%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-7,444	-7,406	+0.5%	-7,217	+3.1%	-29,378	-29,254	+0.4%
Gross Operating Income	3,212	3,043	+5.6%	3,372	-4.7%	14,033	13,684	+2.6%
Cost of Risk	-950	-968	-1.9%	-764	+24.3%	-3,262	-3,797	-14.1%
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	-100	n.s.	0	n.s.	0	-100	n.s.
Operating Income	2,262	1,975	+14.5%	2,608	-13.3%	10,771	9,787	+10.1%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	151	154	-1.9%	163	-7.4%	633	589	+7.5%
Other Non Operating Items	-146	-656	-77.7%	9	n.s.	-194	3	n.s.
Non Operating Items	5	-502	n.s.	172	-97.1%	439	592	-25.8%
Pre-Tax Income	2,267	1,473	+53.9%	2,780	-18.5%	11,210	10,379	+8.0%
Corporate Income Tax	-721	-719	+0.3%	-790	-8.7%	-3,095	-3,335	-7.2%
Net Income Attributable to Minority Interests	-104	-89	+16.9%	-104	-0.0%	-413	-350	+18.0%
Net Income Attributable to Equity Holders	1,442	665	n.s.	1,886	-23.5%	7,702	6,694	+15.1%
Cost/Income	69.9%	70.9%	-1.0 pt	68.2%	+1.7 pt	67.7%	68.1%	-0.4 pt

BNP Paribas' financial disclosures for the fourth quarter 2016 and for the year 2016 are contained in this press release and in the presentation attached herewith.

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4Q16 – RESULTS BY CORE BUSINESSES

	Domestic Markets	International Financial Services	CIB	Operating Divisions	Other Activities	Group
<i>€m</i>						
Revenues	3,740	4,025	2,821	10,586	70	10,656
	%Change4Q15	+3.1%	+8.0%	+2.8%	-53.6%	+2.0%
	%Change3Q16	-1.1%	-2.9%	-0.5%	n.s.	+0.6%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,719	-2,481	-1,914	-7,114	-330	-7,444
	%Change4Q15	+3.2%	-3.2%	+1.3%	-13.3%	+0.5%
	%Change3Q16	+9.0%	-5.4%	+4.1%	-13.4%	+3.1%
Gross Operating Income	1,022	1,544	907	3,472	-260	3,212
	%Change4Q15	+2.9%	+42.6%	+6.1%	+13.2%	+5.6%
	%Change3Q16	-20.7%	+2.7%	-8.6%	-39.0%	-4.7%
Cost of Risk	-399	-425	-70	-894	-56	-950
	%Change4Q15	+3.6%	+11.4%	-5.3%	n.s.	-1.9%
	%Change3Q16	+21.8%	+13.1%	+15.0%	n.s.	+24.3%
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	0	0	0	0	0
	%Change4Q15	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.
	%Change3Q16	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.
Operating Income	623	1,118	837	2,578	-316	2,262
	%Change4Q15	+2.7%	+46.0%	+10.7%	-10.6%	+14.5%
	%Change3Q16	-35.2%	-10.6%	+3.5%	-23.4%	-13.3%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	116	9	138	13	151
Other Non Operating Items	-6	1	-5	-10	-136	-146
Pre-Tax Income	630	1,236	841	2,707	-440	2,267
	%Change4Q15	+2.5%	+50.8%	+10.8%	-54.7%	+53.9%
	%Change3Q16	-36.2%	-10.0%	+3.6%	+12.3%	-18.5%

	Domestic Markets	International Financial Services	CIB	Operating Divisions	Other Activities	Group	
<i>€m</i>							
Revenues	3,740	4,025	2,821	10,586	70	10,656	
	4Q15	3,782	3,903	2,612	10,298	151	10,449
	3Q16	3,782	3,946	2,905	10,634	-45	10,589
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,719	-2,481	-1,914	-7,114	-330	-7,444	
	4Q15	-2,646	-2,403	-1,976	-7,025	-381	-7,406
	3Q16	-2,494	-2,319	-2,022	-6,836	-381	-7,217
Gross Operating Income	1,022	1,544	907	3,472	-260	3,212	
	4Q15	1,137	1,500	636	3,273	-230	3,043
	3Q16	1,288	1,627	883	3,798	-426	3,372
Cost of Risk	-399	-425	-70	-894	-56	-950	
	4Q15	-471	-411	-63	-944	-24	-968
	3Q16	-327	-376	-74	-777	13	-764
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	4Q15	0	0	0	0	-100	-100
	3Q16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operating Income	623	1,118	837	2,578	-316	2,262	
	4Q15	666	1,089	574	2,329	-354	1,975
	3Q16	961	1,251	809	3,021	-43	2,608
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	116	9	138	13	151	
	4Q15	21	117	10	149	5	154
	3Q16	18	122	2	141	22	163
Other Non Operating Items	-6	1	-5	-10	-136	-146	
	4Q15	-7	0	-27	-34	-622	-656
	3Q16	8	1	1	9	0	9
Pre-Tax Income	630	1,236	841	2,707	-440	2,267	
	4Q15	680	1,206	558	2,443	-970	1,473
	3Q16	987	1,373	812	3,171	-391	2,780
Corporate Income Tax							-721
Net Income Attributable to Minority Interests							-104
Net Income Attributable to Equity Holders							1,442

2016 – RESULTS BY CORE BUSINESSES

		Domestic Markets	International Financial Services	CIB	Operating Divisions	Other Activities	Group
<i>€m</i>							
Revenues		15,170	15,479	11,469	42,117	1,294	43,411
	%Change/2015	-0.4%	+1.2%	-0.3%	+0.2%	+42.1%	+1.1%
Operating Expenses and Dep.		-10,336	-9,544	-8,309	-28,189	-1,189	-29,378
	%Change/2015	+2.1%	+2.3%	-1.8%	+1.0%	-11.0%	+0.4%
Gross Operating Income		4,834	5,935	3,160	13,928	105	14,033
	%Change/2015	-5.2%	-0.4%	+3.6%	-1.3%	n.s.	+2.6%
Cost of Risk		-1,509	-1,496	-217	-3,223	-39	-3,262
	%Change/2015	-16.6%	-13.1%	+2.3%	-14.0%	-23.7%	-14.1%
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities		0	0	0	0	0	0
	%Change/2015	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.
Operating Income		3,324	4,439	2,943	10,705	66	10,771
	%Change/2015	+1.1%	+4.7%	+3.8%	+3.3%	n.s.	+10.1%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities		53	477	20	550	83	633
Other Non Operating Items		2	8	-1	10	-204	-194
Pre-Tax Income		3,379	4,924	2,962	11,265	-55	11,210
	%Change/2015	+2.3%	+4.0%	-1.2%	+2.1%	-91.6%	+8.0%
Corporate Income Tax							-3,095
Net Income Attributable to Minority Interests							-413
Net Income Attributable to Equity Holders							7,702

QUARTERLY SERIES

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
GROUP								
Revenues	10,656	10,589	11,322	10,844	10,449	10,345	11,079	11,065
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-7,444	-7,217	-7,090	-7,627	-7,406	-6,957	-7,083	-7,808
Gross Operating Income	3,212	3,372	4,232	3,217	3,043	3,388	3,996	3,257
Cost of Risk	-950	-764	-791	-757	-968	-882	-903	-1,044
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	0	0	0	-100	0	0	0
Operating Income	2,262	2,608	3,441	2,460	1,975	2,506	3,093	2,213
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	151	163	165	154	154	134	164	137
Other Non Operating Items	-146	9	-81	24	-656	29	428	202
Pre-Tax Income	2,267	2,780	3,525	2,638	1,473	2,669	3,685	2,552
Corporate Income Tax	-721	-790	-864	-720	-719	-770	-1,035	-811
Net Income Attributable to Minority Interests	-104	-104	-101	-104	-89	-73	-95	-93
Net Income Attributable to Equity Holders	1,442	1,886	2,560	1,814	665	1,826	2,555	1,648
Cost/Income	69.9%	68.2%	62.6%	70.3%	70.9%	67.2%	63.9%	70.6%

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
RETAIL BANKING & SERVICES Excluding PEL/CEL Effects								
Revenues	7,758	7,735	7,636	7,522	7,681	7,582	7,719	7,571
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-5,200	-4,813	-4,681	-5,187	-5,049	-4,701	-4,636	-5,074
Gross Operating Income	2,558	2,922	2,956	2,335	2,632	2,881	3,082	2,496
Cost of Risk	-824	-704	-740	-738	-882	-837	-865	-950
Operating Income	1,733	2,218	2,216	1,598	1,750	2,045	2,218	1,546
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	130	140	124	136	138	117	139	115
Other Non Operating Items	-5	9	-2	8	-8	20	-2	-10
Pre-Tax Income	1,858	2,367	2,339	1,742	1,881	2,182	2,355	1,651
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	49.0	48.8	48.6	48.7	48.4	48.4	48.3	47.7
RETAIL BANKING & SERVICES								
Revenues	7,765	7,728	7,615	7,540	7,685	7,580	7,713	7,543
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-5,200	-4,813	-4,681	-5,187	-5,049	-4,701	-4,636	-5,074
Gross Operating Income	2,565	2,915	2,935	2,353	2,637	2,879	3,077	2,469
Cost of Risk	-824	-704	-740	-738	-882	-837	-865	-950
Operating Income	1,741	2,212	2,195	1,616	1,755	2,042	2,212	1,519
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	130	140	124	136	138	117	139	115
Other Non Operating Items	-5	9	-2	8	-8	20	-2	-10
Pre-Tax Income	1,866	2,360	2,318	1,760	1,885	2,180	2,349	1,623
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	49.0	48.8	48.6	48.7	48.4	48.4	48.3	47.7
DOMESTIC MARKETS (including 100% of Private Banking in France, Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg)* Excluding PEL/CEL Effects								
Revenues	3,866	3,923	3,962	3,963	3,905	3,920	3,982	3,991
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,794	-2,567	-2,449	-2,818	-2,713	-2,526	-2,398	-2,755
Gross Operating Income	1,072	1,356	1,513	1,145	1,191	1,394	1,584	1,235
Cost of Risk	-399	-329	-388	-399	-471	-419	-433	-490
Operating Income	674	1,028	1,124	746	721	975	1,152	745
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	14	18	13	9	22	14	9	5
Other Non Operating Items	-6	8	2	-2	-7	-7	-4	-15
Pre-Tax Income	681	1,054	1,140	753	735	981	1,156	736
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-59	-61	-63	-63	-60	-71	-72	-70
Pre-Tax Income of Domestic Markets	622	993	1,076	690	675	911	1,084	666
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	23.0	22.9	22.9	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.6	22.6
DOMESTIC MARKETS (including 2/3 of Private Banking in France, Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg)								
Revenues	3,740	3,782	3,803	3,844	3,782	3,781	3,842	3,821
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,719	-2,494	-2,378	-2,745	-2,646	-2,459	-2,336	-2,685
Gross Operating Income	1,022	1,288	1,425	1,099	1,137	1,322	1,506	1,136
Cost of Risk	-399	-327	-385	-398	-471	-420	-432	-488
Operating Income	623	961	1,040	701	666	902	1,074	648
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	18	13	9	21	14	9	5
Other Non Operating Items	-6	8	2	-2	-7	-7	-4	-15
Pre-Tax Income	630	987	1,055	708	680	908	1,078	638
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	23.0	22.9	22.9	22.9	22.7	22.6	22.6	22.6

* Including 100% of Private Banking for Revenues down to Pre-tax income line items

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
FRENCH RETAIL BANKING (including 100% of Private Banking in France)*								
Revenues	1,556	1,594	1,587	1,661	1,608	1,649	1,663	1,646
<i>Incl. Net Interest Income</i>	907	916	879	972	951	959	929	934
<i>Incl. Commissions</i>	649	678	709	689	657	690	734	713
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,216	-1,178	-1,106	-1,173	-1,207	-1,172	-1,097	-1,164
Gross Operating Income	340	416	481	488	401	477	565	483
Cost of Risk	-124	-72	-72	-73	-88	-79	-87	-89
Operating Income	215	345	408	415	313	398	478	394
Non Operating Items	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pre-Tax Income	217	345	409	416	314	398	479	395
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-32	-34	-32	-39	-34	-41	-43	-42
Pre-Tax Income of French Retail Banking	184	310	377	377	281	358	436	353
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
FRENCH RETAIL BANKING (including 100% of Private Banking in France)* Excluding PEL/CEL Effects**								
Revenues	1,548	1,601	1,608	1,643	1,603	1,651	1,668	1,674
<i>Incl. Net Interest Income</i>	899	923	900	954	946	961	935	961
<i>Incl. Commissions</i>	649	678	709	689	657	690	734	713
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,216	-1,178	-1,106	-1,173	-1,207	-1,172	-1,097	-1,164
Gross Operating Income	332	423	502	470	396	479	571	510
Cost of Risk	-124	-72	-72	-73	-88	-79	-87	-89
Operating Income	208	351	430	397	308	400	484	422
Non Operating Items	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pre-Tax Income	209	351	430	398	309	401	485	422
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-32	-34	-32	-39	-34	-41	-43	-42
Pre-Tax Income of French Retail Banking	177	317	398	359	276	360	442	380
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
FRENCH RETAIL BANKING (including 2/3 of Private Banking in France)								
Revenues	1,485	1,523	1,516	1,588	1,539	1,576	1,588	1,570
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,178	-1,141	-1,068	-1,139	-1,173	-1,141	-1,065	-1,130
Gross Operating Income	307	382	448	450	367	436	523	440
Cost of Risk	-124	-71	-72	-73	-87	-79	-87	-88
Operating Income	183	311	376	377	280	357	436	352
Non Operating Items	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pre-Tax Income	184	310	377	377	281	358	436	353
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	8.7	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3

* Including 100% of Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items

** Reminder on PEL/CEL provision: this provision takes into account the risk generated by Plans Epargne Logement (PEL) and Comptes Epargne Logement (CEL) during their whole lifetime.

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
PEL/CEL effects	8	-7	-21	18	5	-2	-6	-28

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BNL banca commerciale (Including 100% of Private Banking in Italy)*								
Revenues	745	741	749	737	781	763	797	809
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-543	-448	-433	-462	-550	-446	-443	-464
Gross Operating Income	202	293	317	275	230	317	354	345
Cost of Risk	-229	-215	-242	-274	-300	-309	-318	-321
Operating Income	-27	78	74	1	-70	8	36	24
Non Operating Items	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1
Pre-Tax Income	-27	78	74	1	-70	8	36	23
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-10	-9	-9	-10	-10	-9	-11	-10
Pre-Tax Income of BNL bc	-36	70	65	-8	-80	-1	24	13
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BNL banca commerciale (Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Italy)								
Revenues	725	721	730	718	762	745	777	790
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-533	-438	-423	-453	-541	-437	-434	-455
Gross Operating Income	192	284	307	265	221	308	342	335
Cost of Risk	-229	-214	-242	-274	-301	-309	-318	-321
Operating Income	-36	70	65	-8	-80	-1	24	14
Non Operating Items	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1
Pre-Tax Income	-36	70	65	-8	-80	-1	24	13
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BELGIAN RETAIL BANKING (Including 100% of Private Banking in Belgium)*								
Revenues	908	914	923	917	882	880	893	897
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-661	-575	-555	-791	-588	-576	-525	-773
Gross Operating Income	247	339	367	126	295	305	368	123
Cost of Risk	-9	-19	-49	-21	-52	2	-2	-34
Operating Income	237	320	318	106	243	306	366	90
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	2	5	5	-4	3	3	5	-1
Other Non Operating Items	-1	-2	0	0	5	-7	-4	-13
Pre-Tax Income	239	323	323	102	250	303	367	76
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-17	-18	-21	-14	-14	-20	-17	-17
Pre-Tax Income of Belgian Retail Banking	222	305	302	88	235	283	350	60
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BELGIAN RETAIL BANKING (Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Belgium)								
Revenues	867	871	878	875	846	838	856	852
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-636	-550	-534	-763	-565	-551	-506	-747
Gross Operating Income	230	321	344	112	280	286	350	105
Cost of Risk	-10	-19	-46	-20	-52	0	-1	-32
Operating Income	221	302	297	92	228	286	349	73
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	2	5	5	-4	3	3	5	-1
Other Non Operating Items	-1	-2	0	0	5	-7	-4	-13
Pre-Tax Income	222	305	302	88	235	283	350	60
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4

* Including 100% of Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items



€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
OTHER DOMESTIC MARKETS ACTIVITIES INCLUDING LUXEMBOURG (Including 100% of Private Banking in Luxembourg)*								
Revenues	666	669	681	666	638	625	624	611
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-374	-367	-355	-393	-368	-332	-332	-354
Gross Operating Income	292	302	327	273	270	293	292	257
Cost of Risk	-37	-23	-25	-31	-31	-33	-26	-47
Operating Income	255	279	302	242	240	260	266	210
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	10	13	8	12	18	10	3	5
Other Non Operating Items	-6	10	3	-2	-13	0	0	-1
Pre-Tax Income	260	301	312	252	245	270	269	214
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	0	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
Pre-Tax Income of Other Domestic Markets	259	301	311	251	244	269	267	213
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3
€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
OTHER DOMESTIC MARKETS ACTIVITIES INCLUDING LUXEMBOURG (Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Luxembourg)								
Revenues	663	666	679	663	636	622	621	608
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-372	-365	-353	-391	-366	-330	-331	-353
Gross Operating Income	291	301	326	272	269	292	290	255
Cost of Risk	-36	-23	-25	-31	-31	-33	-26	-47
Operating Income	255	278	301	241	238	259	265	209
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	10	13	8	12	18	10	3	5
Other Non Operating Items	-6	10	3	-2	-13	0	0	-1
Pre-Tax Income	259	301	311	251	244	269	267	213
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3

* Including 100% of Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES								
Revenues	4,025	3,946	3,813	3,696	3,903	3,799	3,871	3,722
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,481	-2,319	-2,303	-2,442	-2,403	-2,242	-2,300	-2,389
Gross Operating Income	1,544	1,627	1,510	1,254	1,500	1,558	1,571	1,333
Cost of Risk	-425	-376	-355	-339	-411	-417	-432	-462
Operating Income	1,118	1,251	1,155	915	1,089	1,141	1,138	871
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	116	122	111	127	117	103	131	109
Other Non Operating Items	1	1	-4	10	0	27	2	5
Pre-Tax Income	1,236	1,373	1,262	1,052	1,206	1,272	1,271	985
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	26.1	25.9	25.7	25.8	25.7	25.7	25.7	25.0
PERSONAL FINANCE								
Revenues	1,185	1,177	1,168	1,149	1,161	1,174	1,164	1,161
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-598	-544	-547	-609	-580	-545	-581	-609
Gross Operating Income	587	632	621	540	581	629	583	552
Cost of Risk	-269	-240	-248	-221	-309	-287	-288	-292
Operating Income	317	392	373	319	273	342	295	260
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	18	18	-8	13	21	22	15	17
Other Non Operating Items	-2	0	-1	1	-1	0	2	-2
Pre-Tax Income	334	411	364	333	293	364	312	276
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.2
EUROPE-MEDITERRANEAN (Including 100% of Private Banking in Turkey)*								
Revenues	630	659	616	608	626	617	663	609
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-431	-413	-429	-432	-444	-404	-408	-452
Gross Operating Income	200	245	187	176	183	213	255	158
Cost of Risk	-127	-127	-87	-96	-96	-112	-109	-150
Operating Income	73	118	100	80	87	101	146	8
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	49	48	53	50	46	44	42	42
Other Non Operating Items	-1	0	-4	2	1	0	-2	1
Pre-Tax Income	121	166	149	132	134	145	186	51
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-1	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
Pre-Tax Income of EUROPE-MEDITERRANEAN	120	165	149	132	133	145	185	51
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3
EUROPE-MEDITERRANEAN (Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Turkey)								
Revenues	628	656	614	606	625	614	661	607
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-429	-411	-428	-431	-442	-403	-406	-450
Gross Operating Income	199	245	187	176	182	212	254	157
Cost of Risk	-127	-127	-87	-96	-96	-112	-109	-150
Operating Income	72	118	100	80	86	100	145	8
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	49	48	53	50	46	44	42	42
Other Non Operating Items	-1	0	-4	2	1	0	-2	1
Pre-Tax Income	120	165	149	132	133	145	185	51
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3

* Including 100% of Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items



€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BANCWEST (Including 100% of Private Banking in United States)*								
Revenues	795	728	688	773	735	702	731	667
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-521	-501	-482	-534	-481	-465	-466	-470
Gross Operating Income	274	227	207	239	253	237	265	197
Cost of Risk	-23	-14	-23	-25	4	-19	-16	-19
Operating Income	251	213	184	214	257	218	249	178
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Non Operating Items	4	1	1	10	2	25	1	3
Pre-Tax Income	255	214	184	225	260	243	250	180
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-5	-4	-3	-3	-3	-3	-2	-2
Pre-Tax Income of BANCWEST	251	210	181	221	257	240	248	178
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.0
€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
BANCWEST (Including 2/3 of Private Banking in United States)								
Revenues	782	716	677	762	724	692	721	658
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-513	-493	-474	-526	-474	-457	-459	-463
Gross Operating Income	269	223	203	236	250	234	262	195
Cost of Risk	-23	-14	-23	-25	4	-19	-16	-19
Operating Income	246	209	180	211	255	215	247	175
Non Operating Items	4	1	1	10	2	25	1	3
Pre-Tax Income	251	210	181	221	257	240	248	178
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.0
€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
INSURANCE								
Revenues	636	679	611	456	604	579	562	575
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-315	-299	-278	-309	-302	-278	-276	-301
Gross Operating Income	321	380	333	147	302	301	286	275
Cost of Risk	-1	3	1	-1	-4	2	-4	0
Operating Income	320	383	334	146	298	304	282	275
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	36	44	54	55	40	28	60	42
Other Non Operating Items	0	0	0	-3	-1	0	1	0
Pre-Tax Income	356	427	387	199	337	332	343	316
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3
€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
WEALTH AND ASSET MANAGEMENT								
Revenues	794	718	743	723	789	739	764	720
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-626	-572	-577	-567	-605	-558	-579	-566
Gross Operating Income	168	146	166	156	184	181	185	154
Cost of Risk	-5	3	3	3	-7	-1	-16	-1
Operating Income	163	149	169	159	177	180	169	153
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	12	13	8	11	10	14	8
Other Non Operating Items	0	0	0	0	-3	2	0	3
Pre-Tax Income	176	161	181	167	185	191	183	165
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2

* Including 100% of Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items

€m	4Q16	3Q16	2Q16	1Q16	4Q15	3Q15	2Q15	1Q15
CORPORATE AND INSTITUTIONAL BANKING								
Revenues	2,821	2,905	3,056	2,686	2,612	2,567	3,014	3,313
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,914	-2,022	-2,115	-2,258	-1,976	-1,955	-2,051	-2,475
Gross Operating Income	907	883	942	428	636	612	963	838
Cost of Risk	-70	-74	-46	-28	-63	-40	-14	-96
Operating Income	837	809	896	400	574	572	948	742
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	9	2	13	-3	10	2	13	8
Other Non Operating Items	-5	1	-2	6	-27	-2	20	136
Pre-Tax Income	841	812	907	403	558	573	981	885
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	22.2	22.2	22.0	21.9	21.6	21.6	21.5	20.6
CORPORATE BANKING								
Revenues	1,071	958	1,037	929	1,126	877	1,015	988
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-567	-591	-601	-693	-606	-584	-611	-669
Gross Operating Income	504	368	436	236	520	293	404	319
Cost of Risk	-115	-79	-42	-55	-69	-50	55	-73
Operating Income	388	289	394	181	451	243	459	246
Non Operating Items	14	-3	2	0	-10	-1	32	139
Pre-Tax Income	402	286	396	181	441	242	491	385
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	12.4	12.3	12.3	12.2	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.0
GLOBAL MARKETS								
Revenues	1,284	1,490	1,558	1,318	1,053	1,245	1,526	1,886
<i>incl. FICC</i>	<i>838</i>	<i>1,082</i>	<i>1,050</i>	<i>890</i>	<i>682</i>	<i>766</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>1,159</i>
<i>incl. Equity & Prime Services</i>	<i>446</i>	<i>408</i>	<i>509</i>	<i>428</i>	<i>371</i>	<i>478</i>	<i>626</i>	<i>728</i>
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-967	-1,065	-1,139	-1,184	-980	-1,001	-1,073	-1,450
Gross Operating Income	317	425	419	134	73	243	453	436
Cost of Risk	44	5	-4	27	4	11	-72	-23
Operating Income	361	430	415	160	77	254	380	413
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	-3	5	11	-4	6	4	2	6
Other Non Operating Items	-8	0	-2	6	-12	-2	0	-1
Pre-Tax Income	350	435	424	163	72	256	382	418
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.0
SECURITIES SERVICES								
Revenues	466	457	461	440	433	444	473	439
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-380	-367	-374	-382	-390	-369	-368	-356
Gross Operating Income	86	90	87	59	43	75	106	83
Cost of Risk	2	0	1	0	3	0	3	0
Operating Income	87	90	88	59	45	75	109	83
Non Operating Items	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pre-Tax Income	88	91	87	59	45	75	109	83
Allocated Equity (€bn, year to date)	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6
CORPORATE CENTRE								
Revenues	70	-45	650	618	151	198	352	209
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-330	-381	-295	-182	-381	-302	-395	-258
<i>Incl. Restructuring and Transformation Costs</i>	<i>-154</i>	<i>-253</i>	<i>-108</i>	<i>-46</i>	<i>-286</i>	<i>-160</i>	<i>-217</i>	<i>-130</i>
Gross Operating Income	-260	-426	356	435	-230	-103	-43	-50
Cost of Risk	-56	13	-5	9	-24	-6	-24	2
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	0	0	0	-100	0	0	0
Operating Income	-316	-413	350	444	-354	-109	-67	-47
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	22	28	21	5	14	12	15
Other Non Operating Items	-136	0	-77	10	-622	11	410	76
Pre-Tax Income	-440	-391	301	475	-970	-84	354	43

ALTERNATIVE PERFORMANCE MEASURES (APM)
ARTICLE 223-1 OF THE AMF'S GENERAL REGULATION

Alternative Measures	Performance	Definition	Reason for use
Revenues of the operating divisions		Sum of the revenues of Domestic Markets, IFS and CIB Revenues for BNP Paribas Group = Revenues of the operating divisions + Revenues of Corporate Centre	Representative measure of the BNP Paribas Group's operating performance
Revenues excluding PEL/CEL effects		Revenues excluding PEL/CEL effects	Representative measure of the revenues of the period excluding changes in the provision that accounts for the risk generated by PEL and CEL accounts during their lifetime
Profit & Loss account of retail banking activity with 100% of Private Banking		Profit & Loss account of a retail banking activity including the whole Profit & Loss account of private banking	Representative measure of the performance of retail banking activity including the total performance of private banking (before sharing the profit & loss account with the Wealth Management business, private banking being under a joint responsibility of retail banking (2/3) and Wealth Management business (1/3))
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in basis points)		Cost of risk (in €m) divided by customer loans at the beginning of the period	Measure of the risk level by business in percentage of the volume of outstanding loans
Net income Group share excluding exceptional items		Net income attributable to equity holders excluding exceptional items	Measure of BNP Paribas Group's net income excluding non-recurring items of a significant amount or items that do not reflect the underlying operating performance, notably Own Credit valuation Adjustments for debts (OCA) and for derivatives (Debit Valuation Adjustment - DVA) as well as transformation and restructuring costs
Return on Equity (ROE) excluding exceptional items		Net income Group share excluding exceptional items and remuneration of Undated Super Subordinated Notes divided by the average of permanent shareholders' equity of the period (shareholders' equity Group share excluding changes in assets and liabilities recognized directly in equity, Undated Super Subordinated Notes, remuneration net of tax payable to holders of Undated Super Subordinated Notes and proposed distribution of dividends)	Measure of the BNP Paribas Group's return on equity excluding non-recurring items of a significant amount or items that do not reflect the operating performance, notably Own Credit valuation Adjustments for debts (OCA) and for derivatives (Debit Valuation Adjustment - DVA) as well as transformation and restructuring costs
Return on Tangible Equity (ROTE) excluding exceptional items		Net income Group share excluding exceptional items and remuneration of Undated Super Subordinated Notes divided by the average of tangible permanent shareholders' equity of the period (permanent shareholders' equity correspond to permanent shareholders' equity less goodwill and intangible assets)	Measure of the BNP Paribas Group's return on tangible equity excluding non recurring items of a significant amount or items that do not reflect the operating performance, notably Own Credit valuation Adjustments for debts (OCA) and for derivatives (Debit Valuation Adjustment - DVA) as well as transformation and restructuring costs

Methodology – Comparative analysis at constant scope and exchange rates

The method used to determine the effect of changes in scope of consolidation depends on the type of transaction (acquisition, sale, etc.). The underlying purpose of the calculation is to facilitate period-on-period comparisons.

In case of acquired or created entity, the results of the new entity are eliminated from the constant scope results of current-year periods corresponding to the periods when the entity was not owned in the prior-year.

In case of divested entities, the entity's results are excluded symmetrically for the prior year for quarters when the entity was not owned. In case of change of consolidation method, the policy is to use the lowest consolidation percentage over the two years (current and prior) for results of quarters adjusted on a like-for-like basis.

Comparative analysis at constant exchange rates are prepared by restating results for the prior-year quarter (reference quarter) at the current quarter exchange rate (analysed quarter). All of these calculations are performed by reference to the entity's reporting currency.

Reminder

Operating expenses: sum of salary and employee benefit expenses, other operating expenses and depreciation, amortisation and impairment of property, plant and equipment. In the whole document, the terms operating expenses or costs can be used indifferently.

Operating divisions: they consist of 3 divisions:

- Domestic Markets including: French Retail Banking (FRB), BNL banca commerciale (BNL bc), Belgium Retail Banking (BRB), Other Domestic Markets activities including Arval, Leasing Solutions, Personal Investors and Luxembourg Retail Banking (LRB);
- International Financial Services (IFS) including: Europe-Mediterranean, BancWest, Personal Finance, Insurance, Wealth & Asset Management (WAM) that includes Asset Management, Wealth Management and Real Estate Services;
- Corporate and Institutional Banking (CIB) including: Corporate Banking, Global Markets, Securities Services.

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2016 Key Messages

Revenue growth despite a low interest rate environment and a lacklustre market context this year	Revenues: +1.1% vs. 2015
Cost containment	+0.4% vs. 2015
Rise in gross operating income	+2.6% vs. 2015
Significant decrease in the cost of risk	-14.1% vs. 2015 (46 bp)*
Rise in net income Group share Dividend per share	€7,702m (+15.1% vs. 2015) €2.70**
Solid organic capital generation	CET1***: 11.5% (+60 bp vs. 31.12.15)

**Success of the 2014-2016 plan
Launch of a new 2017-2020 business development plan**

** Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period; ** Subject to the approval of Annual General Meeting on 23 May 2017; *** As at 31 December 2016, CRD4 ("fully loaded" ratio)*



Group Results

Division Results

Success of the 2014-2016 Business Development Plan

2020 Business Development Plan

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Appendix



Main Exceptional Items - 2016

● Revenues

- Own credit adjustment and DVA (*Corporate Centre*)
- Capital gain on the sale of Visa Europe shares (*Corporate Centre*)

Total exceptional revenue items

● Operating expenses

- Simple & Efficient transformation costs (*Corporate Centre*)
- CIB transformation costs and restructuring costs of acquisitions* (*Corporate Centre*)
- Restructuring costs of Businesses**
- Compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks***

Total exceptional operating expenses items

● Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with U.S. authorities (*Corporate Centre*)

- Costs related to the remediation plan

● Other non operating items

- Goodwill impairments**** (*Corporate Centre*)
- Capital gain on the sale of a non-strategic stake*****
- Sale of the stake in Klépierre-Corio (*Corporate Centre*)
- Dilution capital gain due to the merger between Klépierre and Corio (*Corporate Centre*)

Total exceptional non operating items

Total exceptional items (pre-tax)

Total exceptional items (after tax)

>	2016	>	2015
	-€59m		+€314m
	+€597m		
	+€538m		+€314m
			-€622m
	-€553m		-€171m
	-€144m		
	-€52m		-€69m
	-€749m		-€862m
			-€100m
	€0m		-€100m
	-€127m		-€993m
			+€94m
			+€716m
			+€123m
	-€127m		-€60m
	-€338m		-€708m
	-€100m		-€644m

* LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank, GE LLD; ** BNL bc (-€50m), BRB (-€80m), WAM (-€7m), Corporate Centre (-€7m); *** BNL bc (-€47m in 2016, -€65m in 2015), Personal Finance (-€5m in 2016, -€4m in 2015); **** Of which full goodwill impairment of BNL bc (-€917m in 2015) and of BGZ (-€127m in 4Q16); ***** CIB-Corporate Banking (€74m), Corporate Centre (€20m)



Consolidated Group - 2016

	> 2016	> 2015	> 2016 vs. 2015
Revenues	€43,411m	€42,938m	+1.1%
Operating expenses	-€29,378m	-€29,254m	+0.4%
Gross operating income	€14,033m	€13,684m	+2.6%
Cost of risk	-€3,262m	-€3,797m	-14.1%
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with U.S. authorities	€0m	-€100m	n.s.
Non operating items	€439m	€592m	-25.8%
Pre-tax income	€11,210m	€10,379m	+8.0%
Net income attributable to equity holders	€7,702m	€6,694m	+15.1%
Net income attributable to equity holders excluding one-off items*	€7,802m	€7,338m	+6.3%
ROE (ROTE)**:		9.3% (11.1%)	
ROE calculated according to the 2014-2016 plan***:		10.3%	



Good overall performance

* See slide 5; ** ROE: return on equity, ROTE: return on tangible equity (ROE excluding exceptional elements: 9.4%; ROTE excluding exceptional elements: 11.2%); *** Return on equity excluding exceptional elements calculated on the basis of CET1 ratio of 10%



Consolidated Group - 4Q16

	> 4Q16	> 4Q15	> 4Q16 vs. 4Q15
Revenues	€10,656m	€10,449m	+2.0%
Operating expenses	-€7,444m	-€7,406m	+0.5%
Gross operating income	€3,212m	€3,043m	+5.6%
Cost of risk	-€950m	-€968m	-1.9%
Operating income	€2,262m	€1,975m	+14.5%
Non operating items	€5m	-€502m	n.s.
Pre-tax income	€2,267m	€1,473m	+53.9%
Net income attributable to equity holders	€1,442m	€665m	n.s.
Net income attributable to equity holders excluding one-off items*	€1,814m	€1,587m	+14.3%

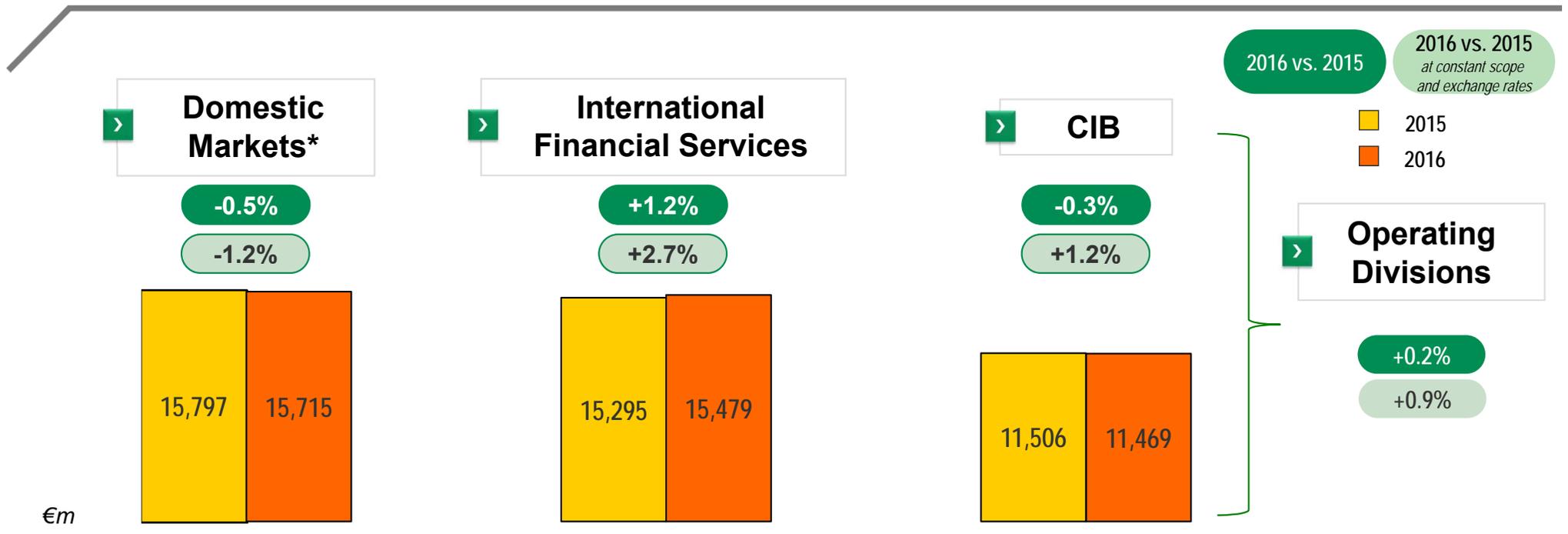


Good income growth this quarter

* Exceptional elements: see slide 55



Revenues of the Operating Divisions - 2016

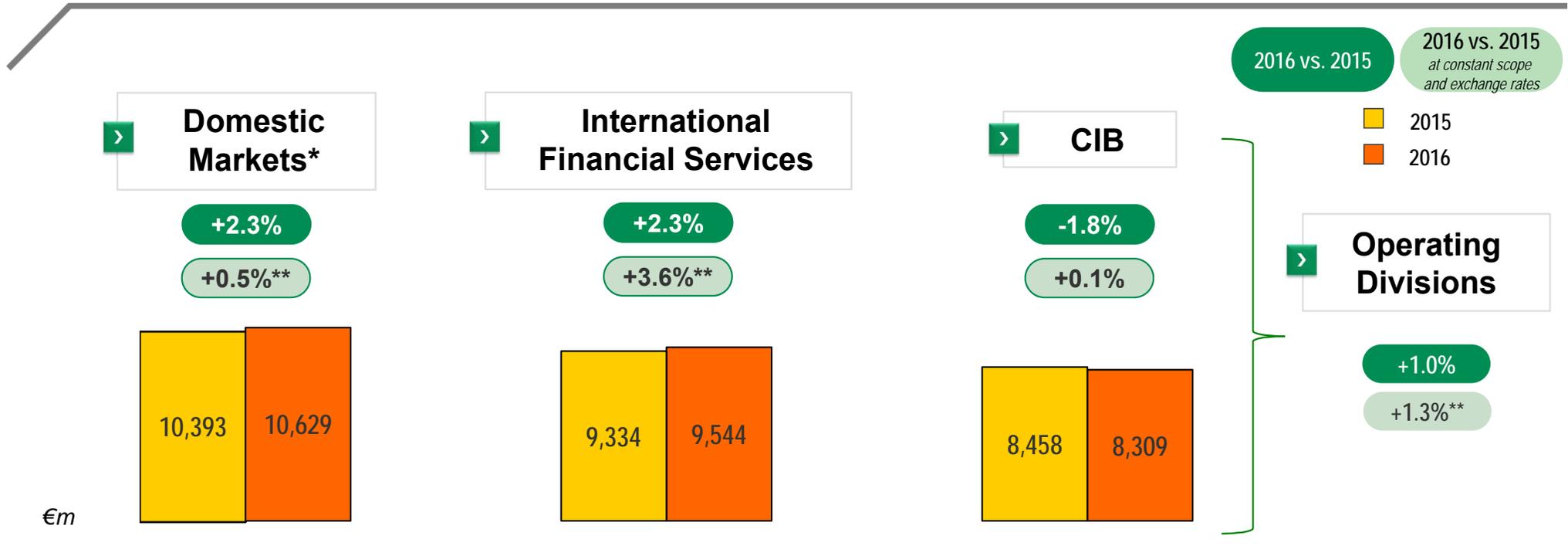


- Unfavourable foreign exchange effect this year
- Slight decrease in the revenues of Domestic Markets as a result of the low interest rate environment
- Rise in the revenues of IFS
- Growth in the revenues of CIB at constant scope and exchange rates despite a particularly unfavourable market environment in 1Q16

Growth of the operating divisions despite a challenging environment

* Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg

Operating Expenses of the Operating Divisions - 2016



- Rise in banking taxes and contributions (impact of +0.6%***)
- Impact of the new regulations and the strengthening of compliance
- Simple & Efficient savings plan offsetting the natural costs' drift (inflation, etc.)
- First effects of CIB's savings plan

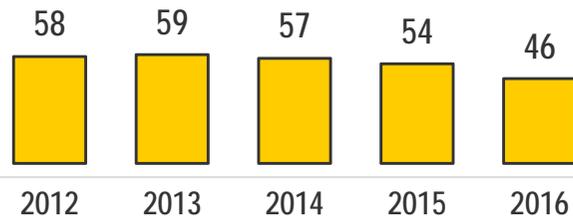
Cost containment but rise in taxes as well as regulatory and compliance costs

* Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg; ** Excluding exceptional operating expenses (see slide 5); *** Rise in taxes and banking contributions: +€172m vs. 2015

Cost of Risk - 2016 (1/2)

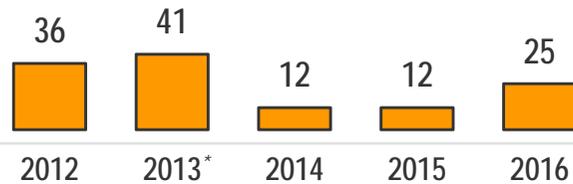
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in bp)

> Group



- Cost of risk: €3,262m (-€535m vs. 2015)
- Significant decline in the cost of risk

> CIB - Corporate Banking



- €292m (+€154m vs. 2015)
- Cost of risk at a low level
- Reminder: positive effect of provisions write-backs in 2014 and 2015

* Restated



Cost of Risk - 2016 (2/2)

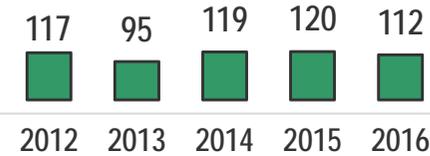
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in bp)

> FRB



- €342m (stable vs. 2015)
- Cost of risk still low

> Europe-Mediterranean



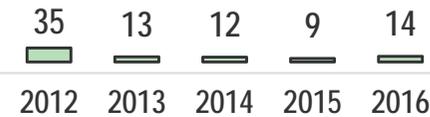
- €437m (-€29m vs. 2015)
- Cost of risk ~stable

> BNL bc



- €959m (-€289m vs. 2015)
- Continued decrease in the cost of risk

> BancWest



- €85m (+€35m vs. 2015)
- Cost of risk still low

> BRB



- €98m (+€13m vs. 2015)
- Very low cost of risk

> Personal Finance



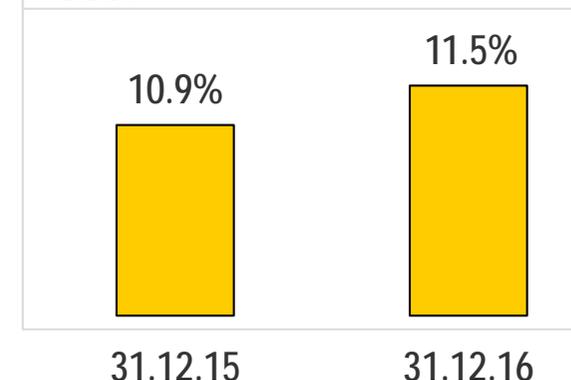
- €979m (-€196m vs. 2015)
 - Effect of the low interest rates and the growing positioning on products with a better risk profile
 - Provisions write-backs following sales of doubtful loans (~€50m)



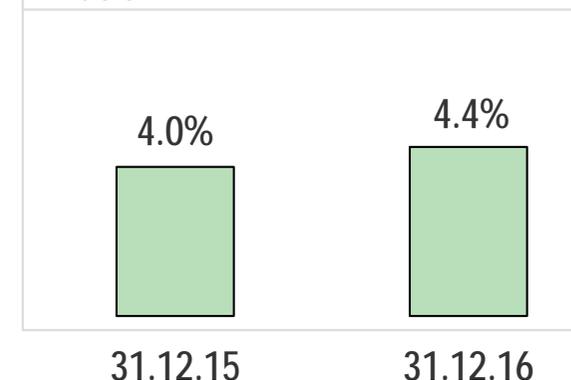
Financial Structure

- Fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio*: 11.5% as at 31.12.16; +60 bp vs. 31.12.15:
 - Essentially due to the 2016 results after taking into account the dividend payment
- Fully loaded Basel 3 leverage**: 4.4% as at 31.12.16 (+40 bp vs. 31.12.15)
 - Calculated on total Tier 1 Capital
- Liquidity Coverage Ratio: 123% as at 31.12.16
- Immediately available liquidity reserve: €305bn*** (€266bn as at 31.12.15)
 - Equivalent to over 1 year of room to manoeuvre in terms of wholesale funding

➤ Fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio*



➤ Fully loaded Basel 3 leverage ratio**

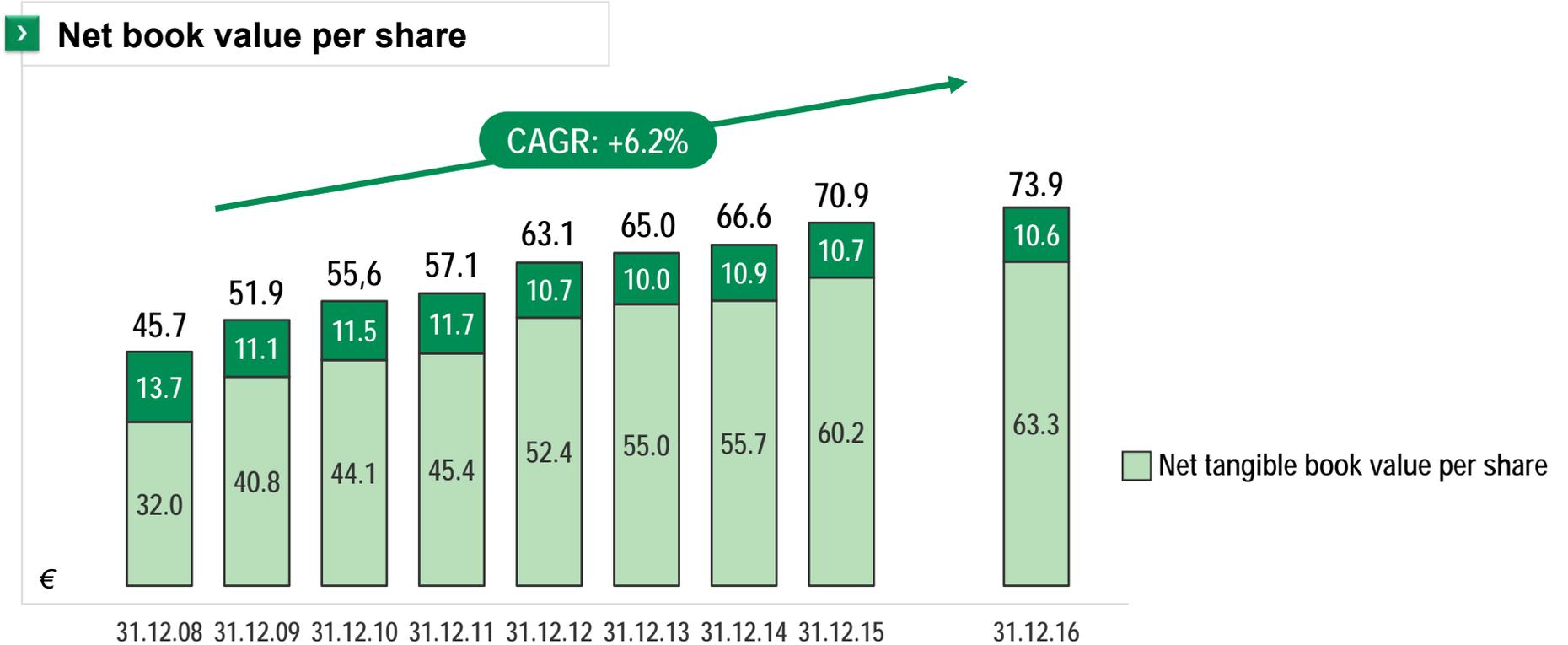


Solid capital generation
Continued increase of the fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio

* CRD4 "2019 fully loaded"; ** CRD4 "2019 fully loaded", calculated according to the delegated act of the EC dated 10.10.2014 on total Tier 1 Capital and using value date for securities transactions; *** Liquid market assets or eligible to central banks (counterbalancing capacity) taking into account prudential standards, notably US standards, minus intra-day payment system needs



Net Book Value per Share

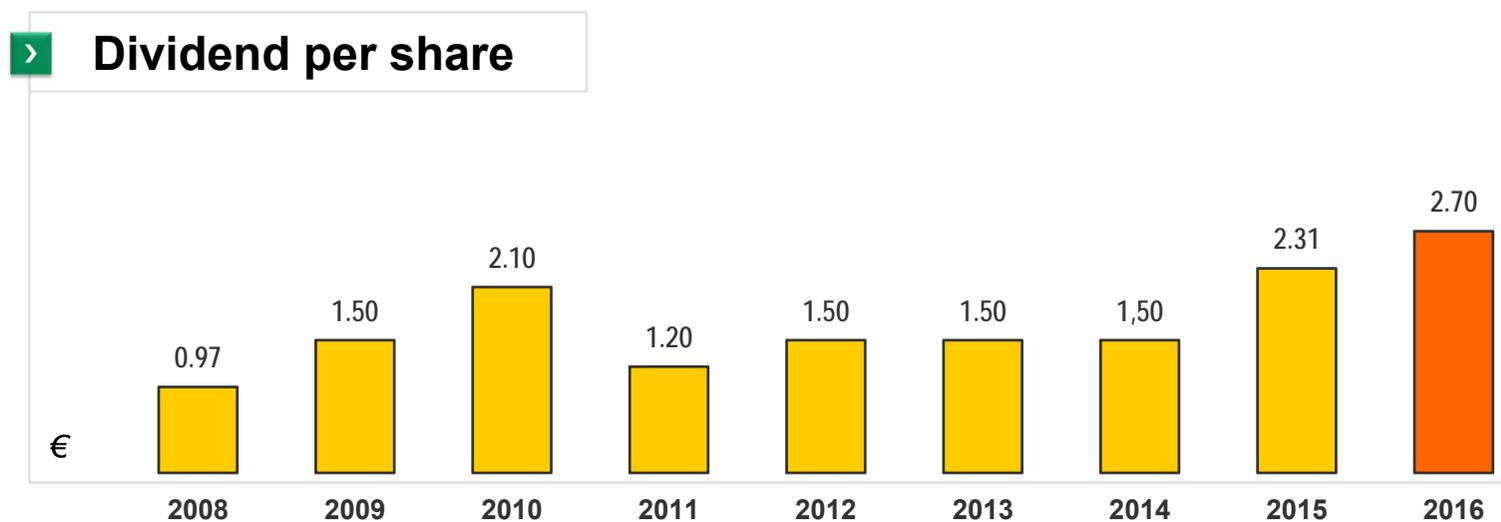


Continued growth in the net book value per share throughout the cycle



Dividend

- Dividend*: €2.70 per share (+16.9% vs. 2015)
 - Paid in cash
 - Dividend yield: 4.6%**
- Implying a pay-out ratio of 45%



> **2016 dividend: €2.70 per share**

** Subject to approval at the Shareholders' Meeting on 23 May 2017, shares will go ex-dividend on 30 May 2017, payment on 1st June 2017; ** Based on the closing price on 31 January 2017 (€59.18)*



Remediation Plan and Reinforcement of Control Procedures

- Implementation of the remediation plan agreed as part of the comprehensive settlement with the U.S. authorities in line with the timetable defined
 - 72% of projects already finalised, as planned (34 projects out of 47 already finalised)
- Reinforcement of compliance and control procedures
 - Increase staffing of the Compliance function (>3,400 people as at 31.12.16) and General Inspection (>1,200 people as at 31.12.16)
 - Increase in the number of controls performed by the General Inspection: completion in July 2016 of the 1st round of audits of the entities whose USD flows are centralised at BNP Paribas New York and beginning of the 2nd round of audits (achievement target: December 2017)
 - Bolster operational implementation of a stronger culture of compliance: three compulsory e-learning training programmes (Code of Conduct, Sanctions and Embargos, Combating Money Laundering and Terrorism) completed by more than 90% of the employees of the Group
 - Reinforcement and harmonisation of mandatory periodic client portfolio review procedures (Know Your Customer)
 - New tool to filter transactions now operational throughout the entire Group



**Active implementation throughout the Group
of the remediation plan and the reinforcement of internal control**



Group Results

Division Results

Success of the 2014-2016 Business
Development Plan

2020 Business Development Plan

4Q16 Detailed Results

Appendix



Domestic Markets - 2016

- Growth in business activity

- Loans: +2.5% vs. 2015, good pick-up in demand
- Deposits: +6.4% vs. 2015, strong growth across all the networks
- Growth in Private Banking assets under management: +5.4% vs. 31.12.15
- Hello bank!: generating 9.8% of individual clients* revenues (+1.1 pt. vs. 2015)



- Revenues**: €15,715m (-0.5% vs. 2015)

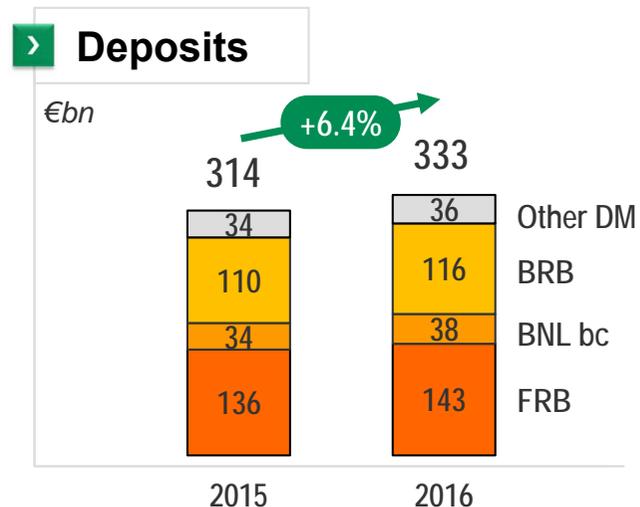
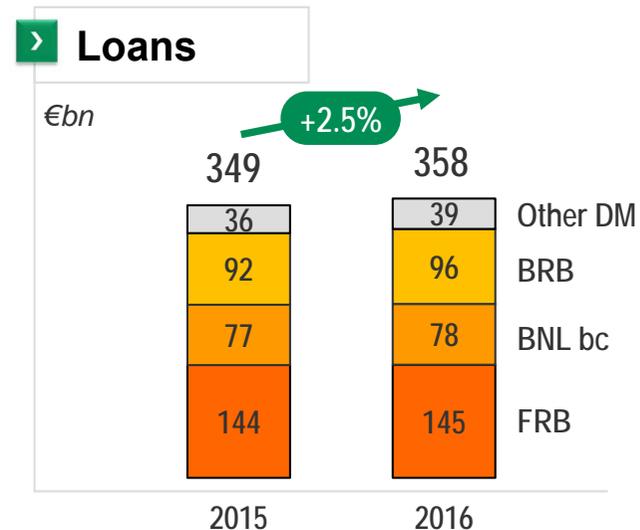
- Persistently low interest rate environment
- Decline in financial fees due to an unfavourable market context this year
- Good performance of the specialised businesses and BRB

- Operating expenses**: €10,629m (+2.3% vs. 2015)

- +1.2% excluding exceptional items***
- Driven by the growing business lines (Arval, Leasing Solutions)
- Effects of the cost saving measures but rise in banking taxes and contributions

- Pre-tax income****: €3,382m (+1.4% vs. 2015)

- Reduction of the cost of risk, in particular in Italy



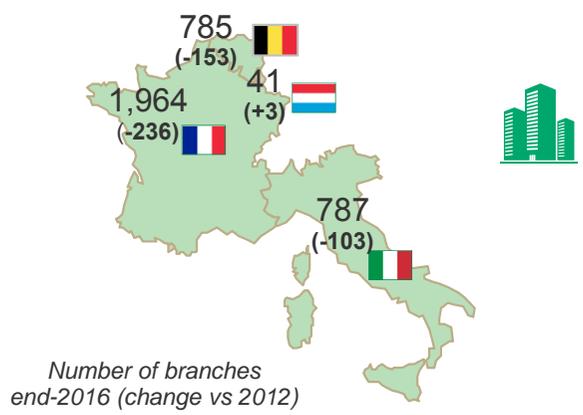
Continued decrease in the cost of risk
Rise in income

* FRB, BNL, BRB and Personal Investors, excluding private banking; ** Including 100% of Private Banking, excluding PEL/CEL; *** Restructuring costs of BNL bc (-€50m) & of BRB (-€80m) and additional contribution of BNL bc to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (-€47m in 2016, -€65m in 2015); **** Including 2/3 of Private Banking, excluding PEL/CEL

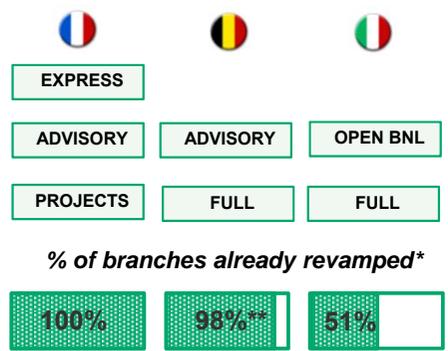


Domestic Markets - Continued Transformation of the Networks and Development of the Digital Offering

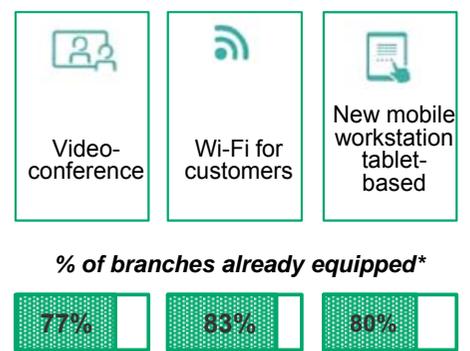
Ongoing footprint optimisation



New branch formats



Digitalised branches



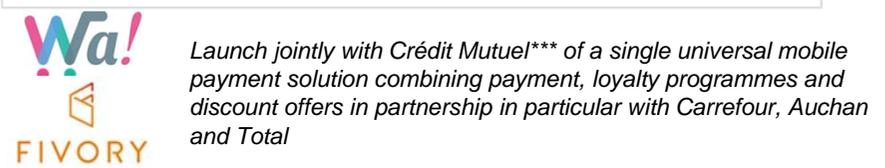
Number of Hello bank! clients



Progressive implementation of customer journeys



Development of new digitalised services



* As at 31.12.16 ; ** % of targeted branches; *** CM11-CIC

Domestic Markets

French Retail Banking - 2016

- Good pick-up in business activity during the year
 - Loans: +0.3% vs. 2015, impact of early repayments but good pick-up in outstandings in the 2nd half of the year (+4.2% vs. 4Q15, rise in individual and corporate loans)
 - Deposits: +5.4% vs. 2015, strong growth in current accounts
 - Off balance sheet savings: good performance of life insurance (+2.6% vs. 31.12.15)
 - Private Banking: good growth of assets under management (+5.6% vs. 31.12.15, o.w +3.3% due to strong inflows: +€2.8bn)

- Implementation of new customer journeys:



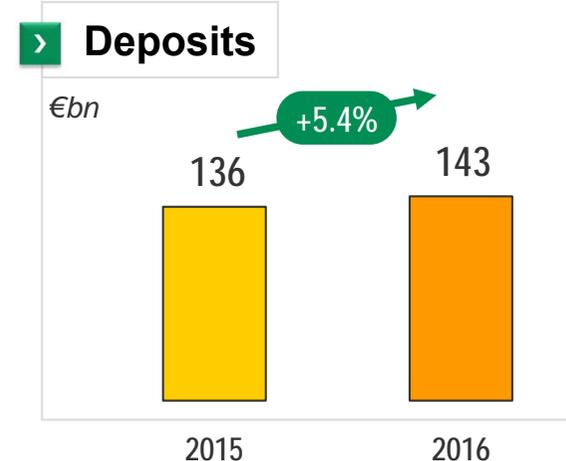
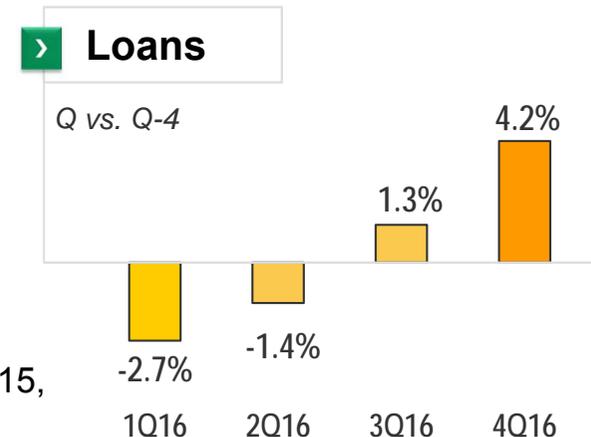
- Revenues*: -3.0% vs. 2015

- Net interest income: -3.4%, persistently low interest rate environment
- Fees: -2.4% (-1.4% excluding non recurring item), decline in financial fees due to an unfavourable market environment but good recovery in 4Q (+4.6% vs. 4Q15**)

- Operating expenses*: +0.7% vs. 2015

- Cost containment despite a rise in taxes and regulatory costs

- Pre-tax income***: €1,251m (-14.2% vs. 2015)



Lacklustre environment this year and impact of low interest rates
Good pick-up in the sales and marketing drive

* Including 100% of French Private Banking, excluding PEL/CEL effects; ** Excluding non recurring item; *** Including 2/3 of French Private Banking, excluding PEL/CEL effects



Domestic Markets

BNL banca commerciale - 2016

- Improving business activity

- Loans: +0.5% vs. 2015, gradual recovery of volumes, in particular on individual clients
- Deposits : +12.6% vs. 2015, sharp rise in current accounts
- Off balance sheet savings: good performance (life insurance outstandings: +9.8% vs. 31.12.15, mutual fund outstandings: +7.2% vs. 31.12.15)
- Continued expansion of Private Banking: €1.2bn in net asset inflows

- Implementation of new customer journeys:

#DIGIBIZ *First 100% digital offer for SMEs in Italy (initiating contact, applying for a loan,..)*

- Revenues*: -5.7% vs. 2015

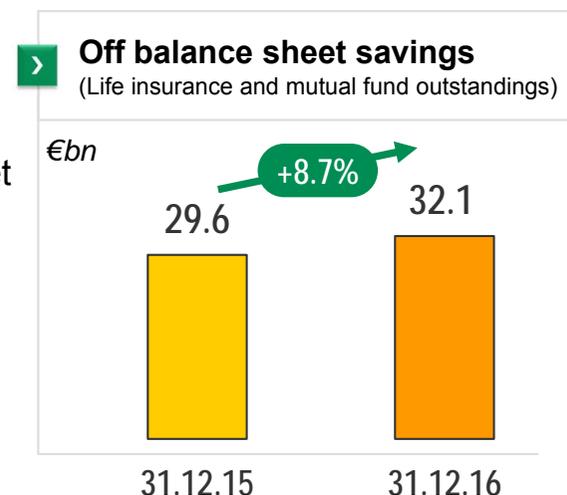
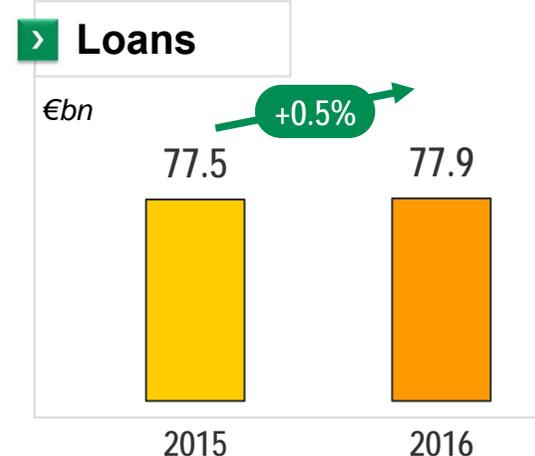
- Net interest income: -7.1% vs. 2015, impact of the low interest rate environment and of the residual effect of the repositioning on the better corporate clients completed in 2016
- Fees: -2.9% vs. 2015, reduction in financial fees due to an unfavourable market environment

- Operating expenses*: -0.9% vs. 2015

- -1.7% vs. 2015 excluding the impact of exceptional items**
- Effects of cost reduction measures

- Pre-tax income***: €90m (+€134m vs. 2015)

- Continued decrease in the cost of risk



**Significant income improvement
due to the decline of the cost of risk**

* Including 100% of Italian Private Banking; ** Additional contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks: -€47m (-€65m in 2015) & one-off transformation costs: -€50m (-€20m in 2015); *** Including 2/3 of Italian Private Banking



Domestic Markets

Belgian Retail Banking - 2016

- Sustained business activity

- Loans: +4.7% vs. 2015, growth in loans to individual customers especially mortgage loans; good increase in loans to SMEs
- Deposits: +5.8% vs. 2015, strong growth in current accounts
- Development of digital banking: ~1 million users of the Easy Banking App and ~2.4 million of Easy Banking Web; release of new functions in 2016 (peer-to-peer payments, etc.)

- Implementation of new customer journeys:

Home on the Spot
BNP Paribas Fortis



Loan simulation and tools to assist home purchase projects

- Revenues*: +3.1% vs. 2015

- Net interest income: +5.9% vs. 2015, due to volume growth and margins holding up well
- Fees: -4.8% vs. 2015, decrease in financial fees due to an unfavourable market context

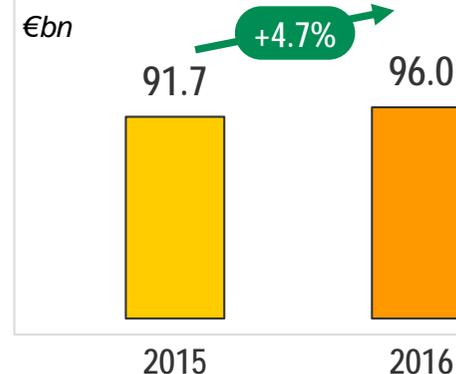
- Operating expenses*: +4.9% vs. 2015

- +0.9% vs. 2015 excluding exceptional items** and the evolution in banking taxes***
- Good cost containment

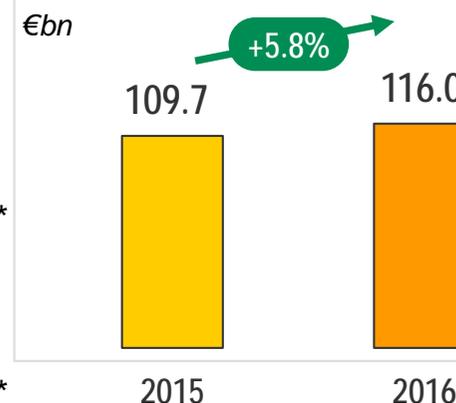
- Pre-tax income****: €918m (-1.1% vs. 2015)

- +8.0% vs. 2015 excluding exceptional items** and the evolution in banking taxes***

> Loans



> Deposits



Good results and sustained sales and marketing drive

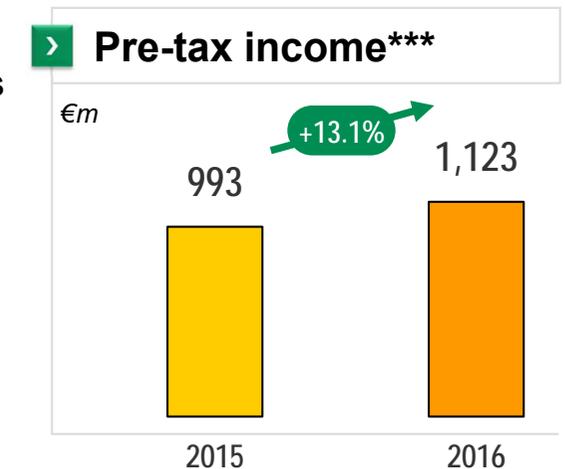
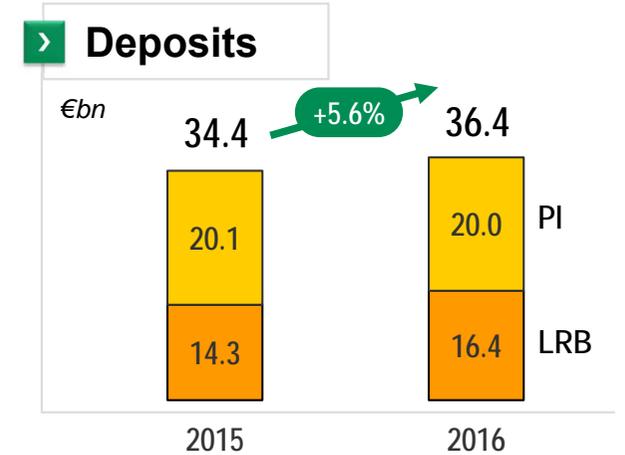
* Including 100% of Belgian Private Banking; ** In particular transformation costs (-€80m in 4Q16) and partial write-back of a provision for charges (+€30m); *** In particular -€21m related to the the new tax on credit institutions and one-off reimbursement of the Subscription Tax in 2015 (+€18m); **** Including 2/3 of Belgian Private Banking



Domestic Markets

Other Activities - 2016

- Good overall drive of the specialised businesses
 - Arval: over 1 million financed vehicles (+10.1%* vs. 2015), active implementation of the GE Fleet Services Europe integration plan
 - Leasing Solutions: continuous rise in outstandings of the core portfolio
 - Personal Investors (PI): good level of new client acquisition
- Luxembourg Retail Banking: good deposit inflows, growth in mortgage loans
- Revenues**: +7.3% vs. 2015
 - Effect in particular of the acquisition of GE Fleet Services Europe
 - +3.3% at constant scope and exchange rates: growth across all business lines
- Operating expenses**: +7.3% vs. 2015
 - +1.9% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Effect of business development partly offset by the first cost synergies between DAB Bank and Consors bank! in Germany (PI)
- Pre-tax income***: €1,123m (+13.1% vs. 2015)
 - +9.2% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Decline in the cost of risk



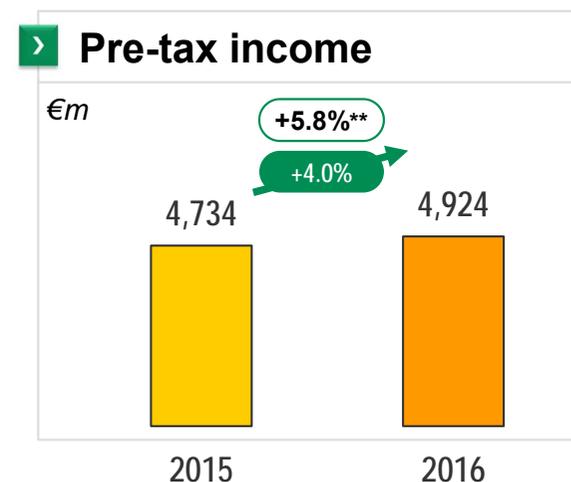
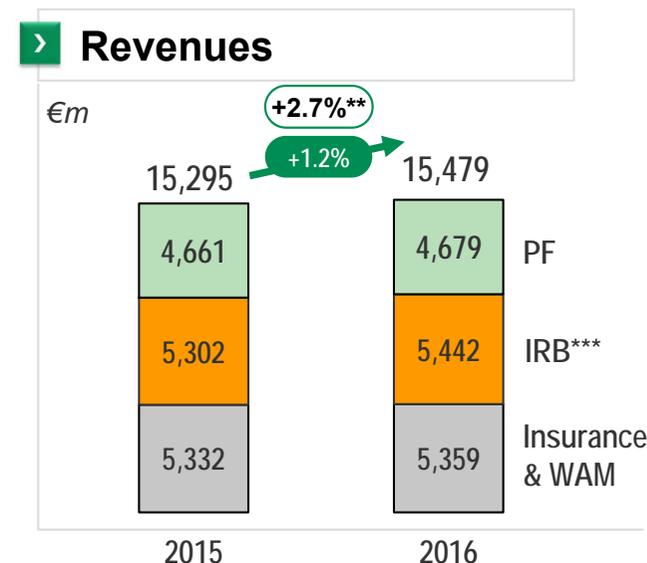
> Good business growth and strong rise in income

At constant scope; ** Including 100% of Private Banking in Luxembourg; * Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Luxembourg*



International Financial Services - 2016

- Business activity
 - Personal Finance: very good sales and marketing drive
 - International Retail Banking*: good business growth
 - Insurance & WAM: good asset inflows in all business lines (+€34.9bn)
- Revenues: €15,479m; +1.2% vs. 2015
 - +2.7% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Growth in International Retail Banking, Insurance and Personal Finance, WAM held up well in a lacklustre environment in Europe
- Operating income: €4,439m; +4.7% vs. 2015
 - +5.8% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Decrease in the cost of risk at Personal Finance
- Pre-tax income: €4,924m; +4.0% vs. 2015
 - +5.8% at constant scope and exchange rates



> **Good sales and marketing drive and rise in income**

* Europe-Mediterranean and BancWest; ** At constant scope and exchange rates; *** Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Turkey and in the United States



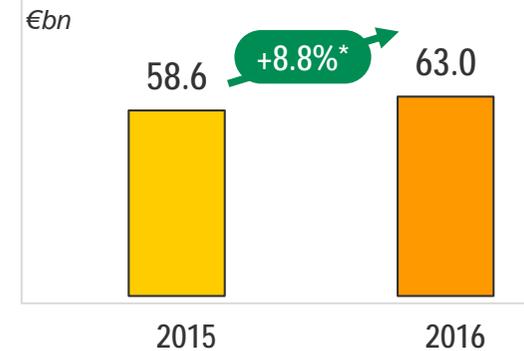
International Financial Services

Personal Finance - 2016

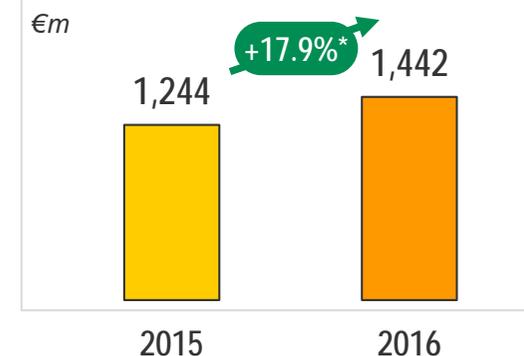


- Continued the very good sales and marketing drive
 - Outstanding loans: +8.8%*, increase in demand in all countries and effect of new partnerships
 - Signed new partnership agreements in banking (Banco CTT in Portugal), retail (Eggo Kitchen House in Belgium, Bauhaus in Denmark, Ikea and Mr Bricolage in France) and telecoms (Yoigo in Spain)
 - Car loans: good growth in outstandings (+16.5%** vs. 2015) and new commercial agreements (Volvo in Italy, Honda in France)
 - Files' digital processing: increase in the number of electronic signatures compared to 2015 (3.1m of files, ~+80%)
- Revenues: €4,679m (+0.4% vs. 2015, unfavourable foreign exchange effect)
 - +2.0% at constant scope and exchange rates: in connection with the rise in volumes and the positioning on products with a better risk profile
 - Good business drive in particular in Germany, Spain and Italy
- Operating expenses: €2,298m (-0.7% vs. 2015)
 - +1.0% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Good cost containment: positive jaws effect of +1.1 pt
- Pre-tax income: €1,442m (+15.9% vs. 2015)
 - +17.9% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - Significant decline in the cost of risk

> Consolidated outstandings



> Pre-tax income



Good business growth and sharp rise in income

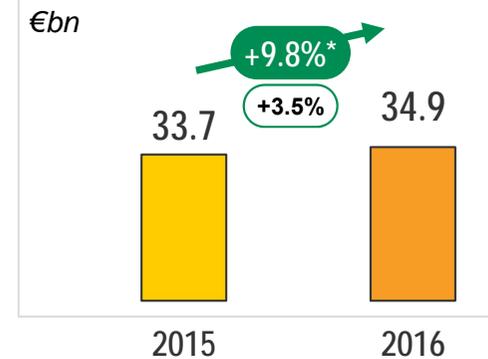
* At constant scope and exchange rates; ** Outstandings at the end of the period, at historical scope and constant exchange rates



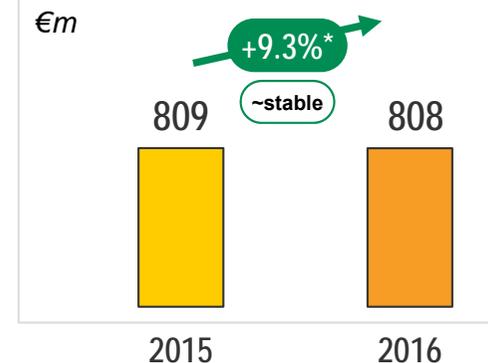
International Financial Services Europe-Mediterranean - 2016

- Good business growth
 - Deposits: +9.8%* vs. 2015, good growth in all countries
 - Loans: +5.5%* vs. 2015, up in all regions
 - Digital banking:  has 350,000 clients in Turkey and  has 203,000 clients in Poland
 - Good growth of cross-selling in consumer lending in Poland (outstanding loans: +10.2%* vs. 2015)
- Revenues**: 6.0%* vs. 2015
 - As a result of higher volumes
- Operating expenses**: +4.6%* vs. 2015
 - +3.7%* excluding the rise in banking tax and contributions in Poland ***
 - Good control of expenses and effect of cost synergies in Poland (streamlining of the network: -78 agencies vs. 2015)
- Pre-tax income****: €566m (+19.9%* vs. 2015)
 - Rise in the contribution from associated companies

> Deposits



> GOI**



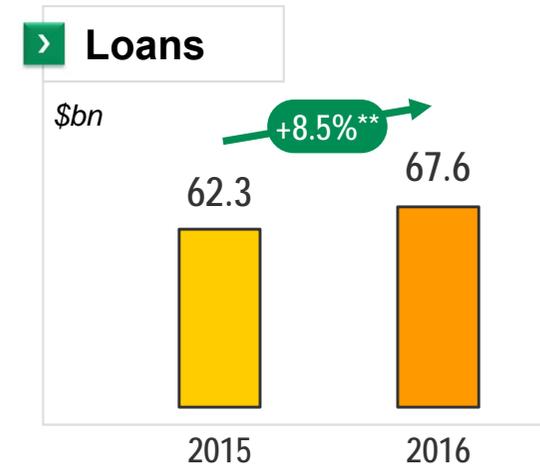
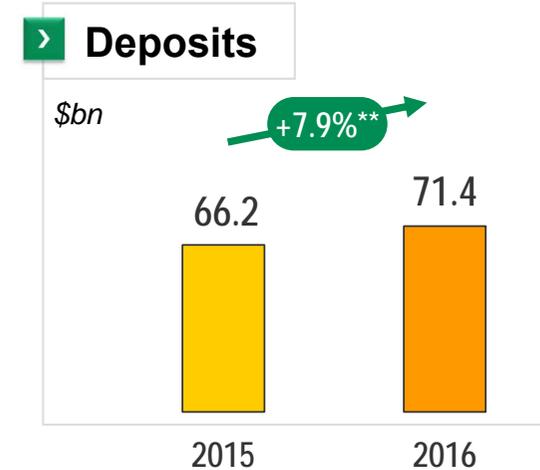
Good business and income growth

* At constant scope and exchange rates; ** Including 100% of Turkish Private Banking; *** Introduction of a banking tax in 2016 (-€44m); one-off contribution to the deposit guarantee fund & to the support fund for borrowers in 2015 (-€31m); **** Including 2/3 of Turkish Private Banking



International Financial Services BancWest - 2016

- Passed the CCAR
- Success of the IPO of First Hawaiian Bank (FHB)
 - 17.4% of the capital placed in the market in August 2016 (full consolidation of the entity maintained)
- Very good business drive
 - Deposits: +7.9%* vs. 2015, strong rise in savings and current accounts
 - Loans: +8.5%* vs. 2015, sustained growth in individual and corporate loans
 - Private Banking: +19%* increase in assets under management vs. 31.12.15 (\$12.1bn as at 31.12.16)
- Revenues**: +5.5%* vs. 2015
 - Effect of increased volumes partially offset by lower interest rates in the United States on the whole 2016 compared to 2015
- Operating expenses**: +8.5%* vs. 2015
 - +6.9% excluding the increase in regulatory costs*** and non recurring elements****
 - Strengthening of the commercial set up
- Pre-tax income*****: €862m (-4.7%* vs. 2015)



> Good sales and marketing performances

* At constant scope and exchange rates; ** Including 100% of Private Banking in the United States; *** CCAR and Intermediate Holding Company; **** Costs linked to the IPO of First Hawaiian Bank & provision on IT project; ***** Including 2/3 of Private Banking in the United States

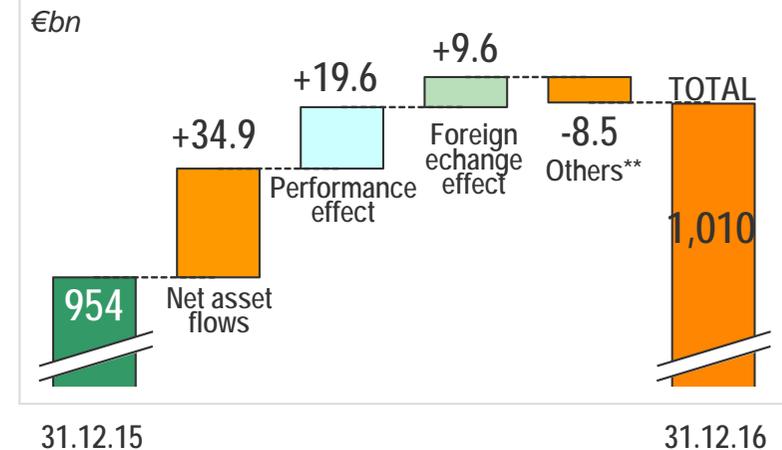


International Financial Services Insurance and WAM - Asset Flows and AuM - 2016

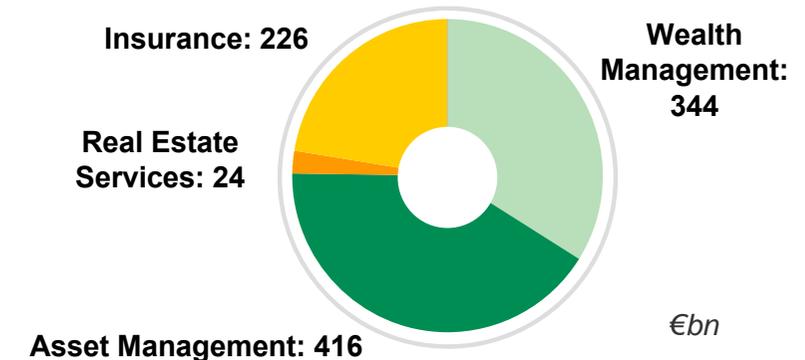
- Assets under management*: €1,010bn as at 31.12.16
 - +5.8% vs. 31.12.15 (+€56bn vs. 2015)
 - Very good net asset inflows
 - Positive performance effect
- Net asset flows: +€34.9bn in 2016
 - Wealth Management: strong asset inflows, in particular in Asia, France, Italy and at BancWest
 - Asset Management: very good asset inflows, in particular into diversified and bond funds
 - Insurance: good asset inflows particularly in unit-linked policies
- Implementation of new customer journeys and digital banking
 - Wealth Management: new digital services
myAdvisory: investments management & financial advice via smartphone; **myBioPass**: a unique key to access digital banking services
 - Insurance: 70 digital projects to transform services and improve performances; digital innovations in cooperation with FinTechs (Cardif Lab)



> Assets under management*



> Assets under management* as at 31.12.16



**> Good asset inflows across all the business units
Record level of assets under management: > €1,000bn**

* Including distributed assets; ** Sale of Ininger de Beaufort in 4Q16 (-€9bn)



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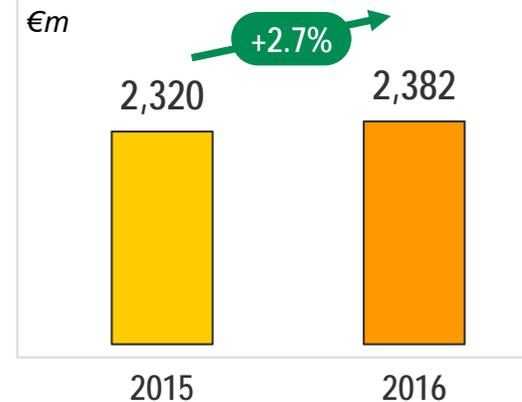
> Insurance

- Revenues: €2,382m; +2.7% vs. 2015
 - Increase in protection insurance revenues in Europe and in Latin America
- Operating expenses: €1,201m; +3.8% vs. 2015
 - As a result of business development and higher regulatory costs
- Pre-tax income: €1,369m; +3.0% vs. 2015
 - Good performance of associated companies

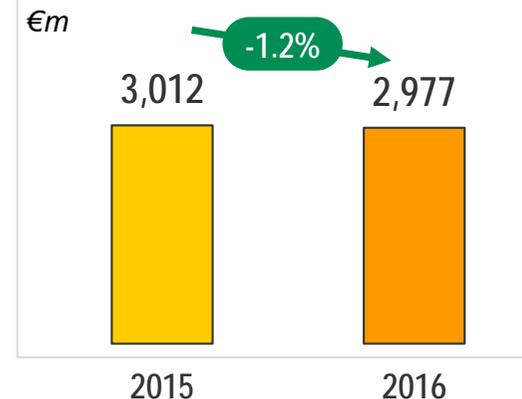
> Wealth and Asset management*

- Revenues: €2,977m; -1.2% vs. 2015
 - Good overall resistance in a lacklustre context this year
- Operating expenses: €2,341m; +1.4% vs. 2015
 - As a result in particular of Wealth Management's business development
- Pre-tax income: €685m; -5.4% vs. 2015

> Revenues (Insurance)



> Revenues (WAM*)



Insurance: income increase
WAM: resistance in a lacklustre context

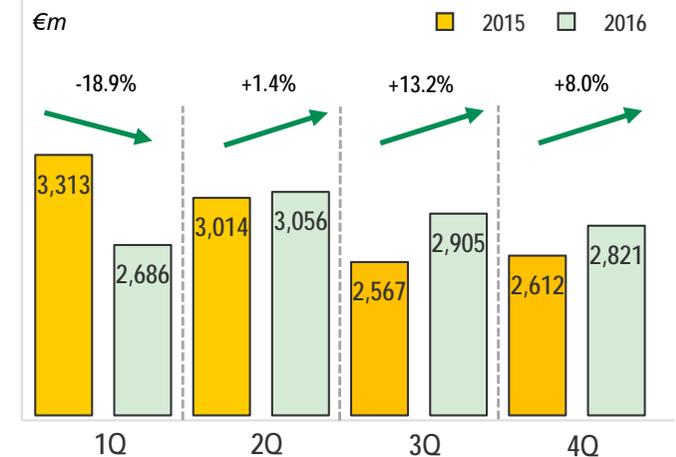
* Asset Management, Wealth Management, Real Estate Services



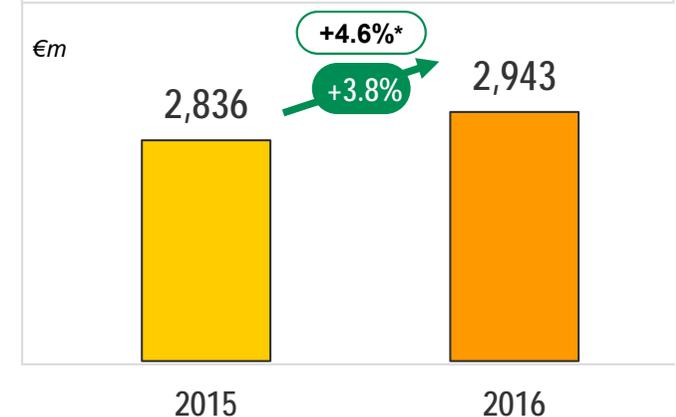
Corporate and Institutional Banking - 2016 Summary

- Active implementation of the transformation plan
 - On track with the defined timetable
 - Transformation initiatives and cost saving measures launched in all regions
- Revenues: €11,469m (-0.3% vs. 2015)
 - +1.2% at constant scope and exchange rates: good pick-up of the business after a very challenging market context in Europe in 1Q16
 - Increase in all the business units: Global Markets (+1.6%*), Securities Services (+2.2%*) and Corporate Banking (+0.3%*)
- Operating expenses: €8,309m (-1.8% vs. 2015)
 - Stable at constant scope and exchange rates (positive jaws effect: +1.1 pt)
 - Effect of the cost saving measures (~-€350m vs. 2015) but rise in banking taxes and regulatory costs
- Pre-tax income: €2,962m (-1.2% vs. 2015)
 - +3.4% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - 2015 reminder: one-off capital gain from the sale of a non-strategic equity investment (€74m)

2016 revenues: quarterly evolution



Operating income



>
Solid business growth after a particularly challenging environment in the 1st quarter

* At constant scope and exchange rates



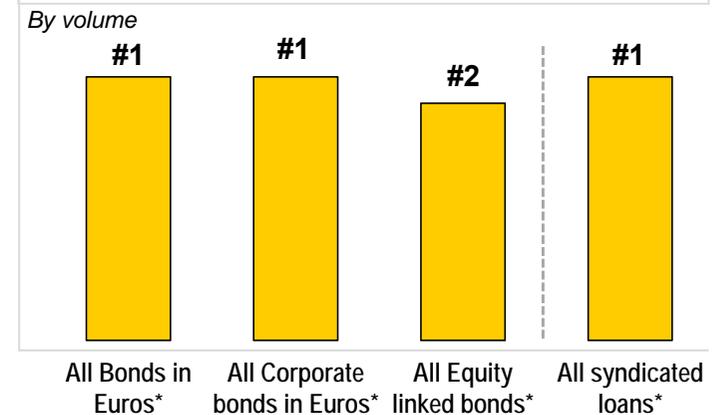
Corporate and Institutional Banking - 2016 Business Activity

- Global Markets: significant pick-up in the 2nd half of the year
 - Good pick-up of the business after a particularly challenging market environment at the beginning of the year
 - Sustained commercial performances and market share gains
 - Bond issues: ranked #1 for all bonds issued in euros and #9 for all international bonds*
 - VaR down at a very low level (€34m on average)

- Securities Services: good business growth
 - Assets under custody: +1.4% vs. 2015**
 - Number of transactions: +16.0% vs. 2015
 - Sustainable development: Best Provider of ESG Investor Services***

- Corporate Banking: stronger positions
 - Growth in client loans (€129.4bn, +4.3% vs. 2015**)
 - Robust growth of deposits (€117.2bn, +22.8% vs. 2015**) as a result of good business development in cash management
 - Ranked #1 for syndicated loans in Europe*
 - New clients acquisition and development of transaction banking (trade finance, etc.)

2016 European rankings



IFR AWARDS 2016

- Equity Derivatives House of the Year
- Euro Bond House of the Year
- EMEA Loan House of the Year
- EMEA Structured Equity House of the Year
- Europe Investment-Grade Corporate Bond House of the Year

EUROMONEY CASH MANAGEMENT AWARDS 2016

- No. 4 Global Cash Management
- Best Bank for Transaction Services in Western Europe

GREENWICH ASSOCIATES Share Leader

- No. 1 European Large Corporate Trade Finance



Growth of the business lines in their markets

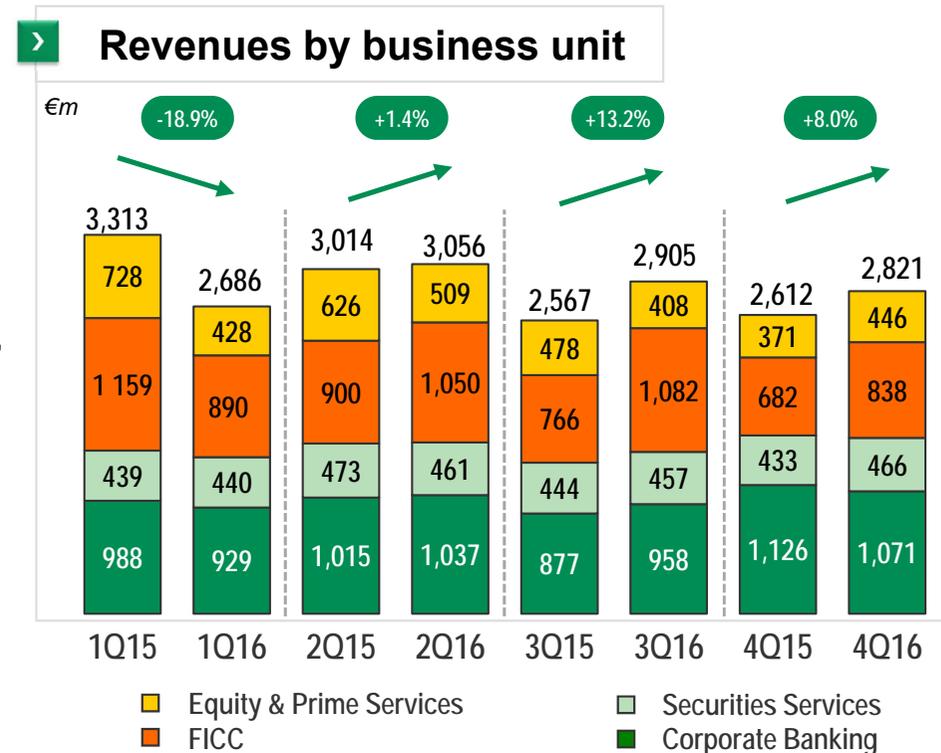
* Source: Dealogic 2016 in volume; ** Average outstandings; *** Global Custodian, Industry Leaders Awards 2016 - Environment, Social & Governance



Corporate and Institutional Banking - 2016

Revenues by Business Unit

- **Global Markets: €5,650m (-1.1% vs. 2015)**
 - +1.6% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - FICC: €3,860m (+10.0% vs. 2015), good recovery after a particularly challenging context in 1Q; good performance in rates and credit
 - Equity & Prime Services: €1,791m (-18.7% vs. 2015), less favourable environment and high 2015 comparison basis (reminder 2015 revenues: +23.6% vs. 2014)
 - Good performance of Global Markets in 4Q16 (+21.9% vs. 4Q15)
- **Securities Services: €1,824m (+1.9% vs. 2015)**
 - +2.2% at constant scope and exchange rates
 - In connection notably with the rise in outstandings
- **Corporate Banking: €3,994m (-0.3% vs. 2015)**
 - +0.3% at constant scope and exchange rates: good pick-up in business after a lacklustre environment in the 1st quarter of the year
 - Maintained a good level in Europe and in Asia Pacific, rise in the Americas



Good pick-up in revenues after a very challenging context at the beginning of the year



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**Success of the 2014-2016 Business
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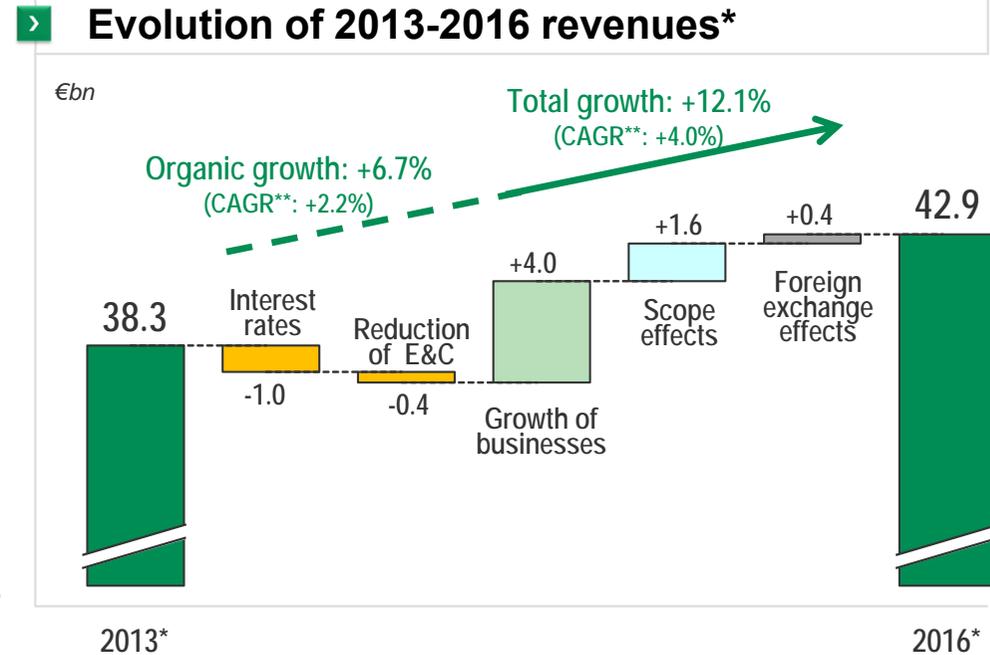
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Success of the 2014-2016 Plan

Good Revenue Growth

- Revenue growth*: +12.1% vs. 2013 (2013-2016 CAGR**: +4.0%)
 - Despite a more lacklustre macroeconomic context than expected
- Sustained organic growth*: +6.7% vs. 2013 (2013-2016 CAGR**: +2.2%)
 - Good development of the businesses and success of the regional plans
 - Despite the negative impact of low interest rates, in particular on Domestic Markets
 - Impact of the significant reduction of the Energy & Commodities (E&C) business at CIB
- Positive contribution of targeted acquisitions
 - Use of available capital resources while keeping a limited growth of RWA during the period (CAGR**: +0.7% vs \geq +3% expected)
 - Development of the specialised businesses and retail banking outside the Eurozone: acquisition of DAB Bank (Consores bank!), GE Fleet Services Europe (Arval), 50% of LaSer (Personal Finance) and Bank BGZ (Poland)
 - Acquisitions that generate synergies



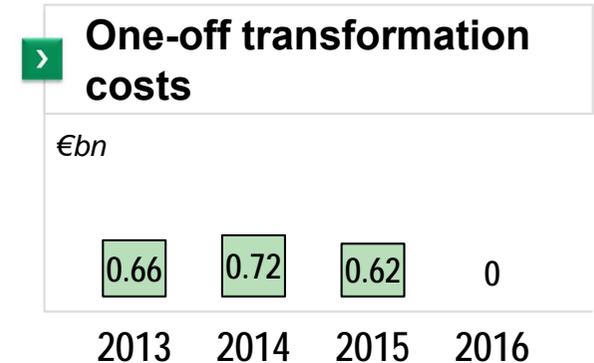
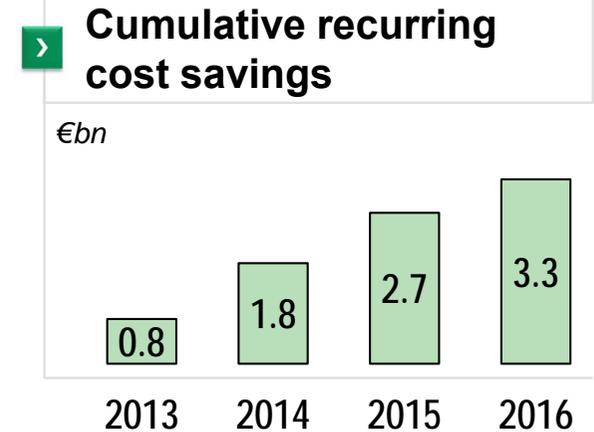
Good revenue growth despite a lacklustre environment

* Excluding exceptional elements (+€147m in 2013, +€538m in 2016); ** Compounded annual growth rate



Simple & Efficient

- Finalisation in 2016 of all the projects in line with the plan
 - 1,386 programmes including 2,699 projects completed since 2013
- Cost savings: €3,313m realised since the launch of the plan
 - Of which €575m booked in 2016
 - Reminder: cost savings target raised from €2.8bn to €3.3bn (2013-2016)
- Breakdown of cost savings by division since 2013
 - Domestic Markets (45%), IFS (26%) and CIB (29%)
- Reminder: no Simple & Efficient transformation costs in 2016

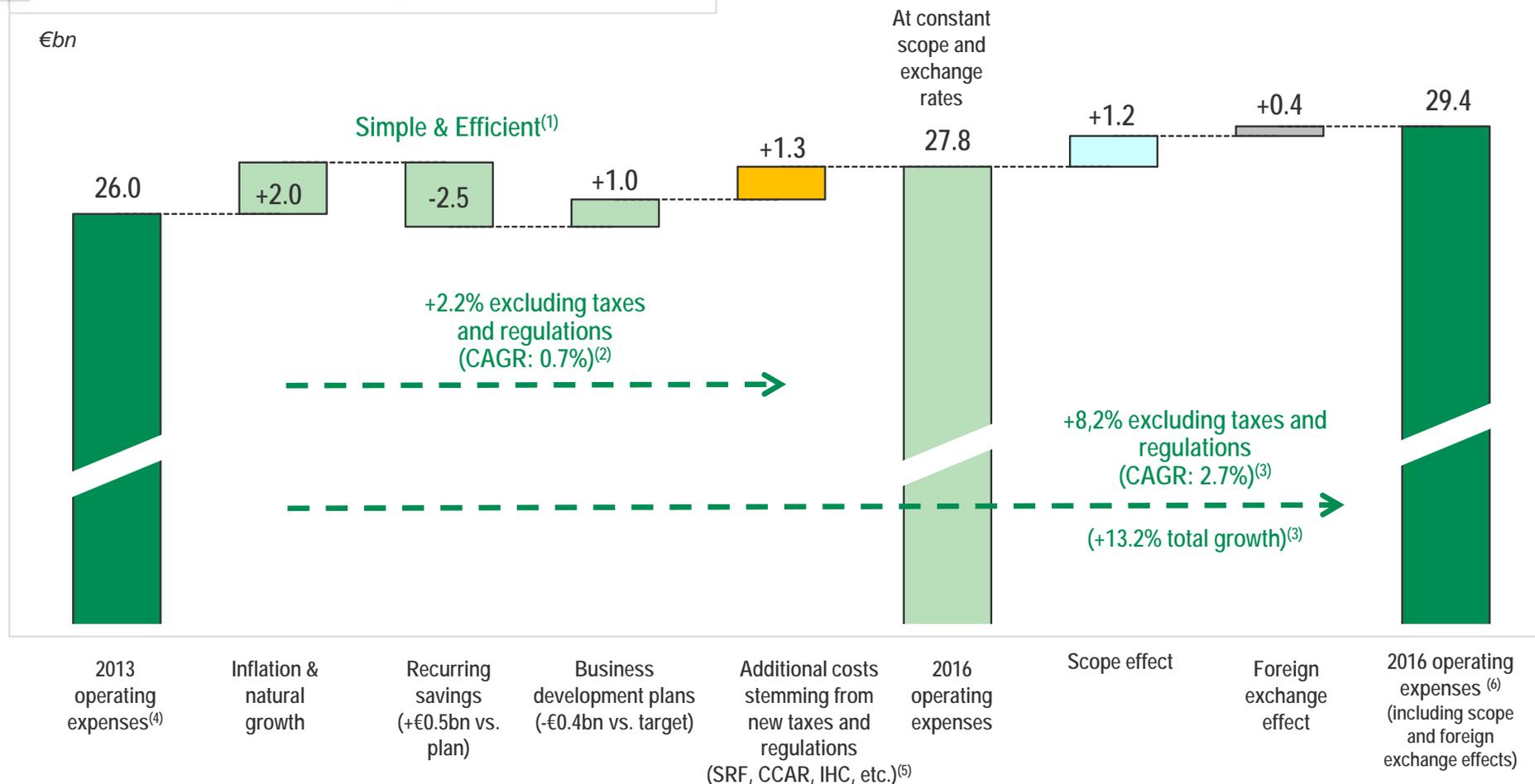


Success of the Simple & Efficient plan
Cost savings largely above the initial target



Success of the 2014-2016 Plan: Cost Containment but Impact of New Taxes and Regulations

2013 - 2016 Operating expenses



Positive jaws effect excluding new taxes and regulations

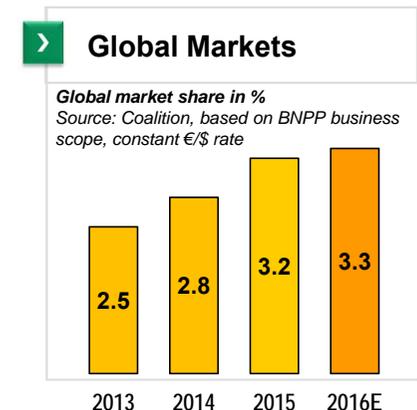
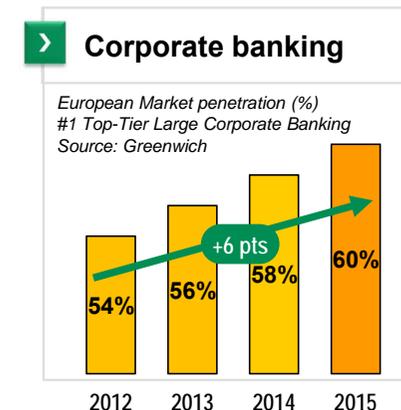
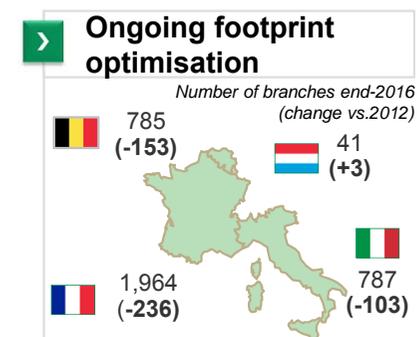
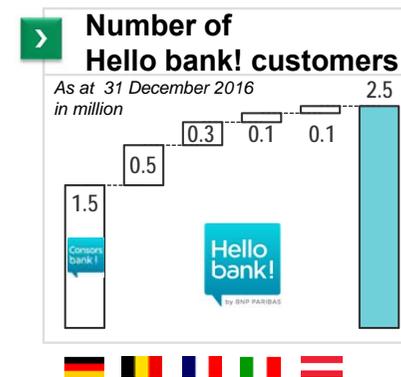
⁽¹⁾ Reminder: €800m in savings in 2013; ⁽²⁾ 2013-2016, at constant scope and exchange rates; ⁽³⁾ 2013-2016, at historical scope and exchange rates; ⁽⁴⁾ Including Simple & Efficient costs: €660m; ⁽⁵⁾ Resolution funds (€508m), Poland/Belgium (€124m); CCAR and IHC (€238m), Compliance (€235m), other taxes and regulations (€248m); ⁽⁶⁾ Including the transformation costs of the business units, restructuring costs of the acquisitions and the contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks: €749m



Success of the 2014-2016 Plan

Progress on all the Major Strategic Priorities

- Preparing the retail banking of the future
 - Launch of Hello bank! and development of digital banks at IRB
 - Continued adaptation of the branch network
 - Good development of Private Banking in all the networks
- Positions strengthened on corporate and institutional clients
 - Market share gains
 - Development of transaction banking
 - Tie-up between CIB and Securities Services
- Adaptation of the businesses to the new environments
 - BNL: refocus of the corporate commercial approach on the better clients completed and initial positive effects on the cost of risk
 - CIB: creation of Global Markets and market share gains
- Success of development initiatives
 - Success of regional business development plans (Asia-Pacific, Germany, CIB-North America)
 - Good growth of the specialised businesses (Personal Finance, Arval, leasing, insurance, etc)



Success of the 2014-2016 Plan

Financial Targets Achieved

			2016 Target	2016 Achieved	
Growth	Organic growth of revenues		≥ +10% vs. 2013	+12.1% (including acquisitions) ⁽¹⁾	✓
Efficiency	Simple & Efficient costs savings target	€2.0bn in 2015 Initial Plan	€2.8bn	€3.3bn	✓
	Cost income ratio	66% in 2013 excluding S&E costs	-3 pts vs. 2013	66.8% ⁽²⁾ -2 pts excluding regulatory costs	✗
Profitability	ROE ⁽³⁾	7.8% in 2013	≥ 10%	10.3%	✓
Capital	Fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 Ratio	10.3% ⁽⁴⁾ end 2013	10.0%	11.5%	✓
	Pay-out ratio	2002-2007: 33-40% 2008-2012: 25-33%	~45%	45% ⁽⁵⁾	✓

- Strong net income growth: €7.7bn in 2016 vs. €4.8bn in 2013
 - Excluding exceptional elements: €7.8bn vs. €6.0bn (+29.1%)⁽⁶⁾
- Increase in earnings per share: €6.0 in 2016 vs. €3.68 in 2013
 - Excluding exceptional elements: €6.1 vs. €4.7 equivalent to +9.3% per year on average



Strong income growth

⁽¹⁾ +6.7% excluding acquisitions; ⁽²⁾ Excluding exceptional elements; ⁽³⁾ Excluding exceptional elements, on the basis of CET1 ratio of 10%; ⁽⁴⁾ CRD4 (fully loaded); ⁽⁵⁾ Subject to approval at the Shareholders' Meeting; ⁽⁶⁾ Net impact of exceptional elements: -€0.1bn in 2016, -€1.2bn in 2013



New Code of Conduct and Active Corporate Social Responsibility Policy (CSR)

- Elaboration of a new Code of Conduct
 - > 182,000 employees trained online
 - Additional programmes to support employees assimilate ethical rules (CIB Conduct Program, etc.)

- Actions that have a positive impact on society
 - Financing of socially responsible businesses: €890m*
 - Origination of solidarity financing: structuring of the 1st French Social Impact Contract and of a Social Impact Bond for the State of Connecticut (United States)
 - Policies setting restrictions in the financing of some sectors (agriculture, tobacco)
 - €5m specifically earmarked to aid refugees
 - > 300,000 beneficiaries of microcredit loans made by microfinance organisations funded by the bank

- An active participation in the energy transition
 - Success of the inaugural issue of BNP Paribas “green bonds” (€500m)
 - Strict limitations of coal industry financing
 - €25bn in SRI outstandings** (carbon free outstandings) in funds managed by Asset Management

> New Code of Conduct

Mission	Finance the economy, advise our clients, support them in their projects with a deep commitment to ethical responsibility
Values	4 strengths: Sturdiness, Responsibility, Expertise, a “good place to work” 4 levers: Agility, Culture of compliance, Customer satisfaction, Openness
Rules	Defined at the Group level and detailed in the businesses (clients’ interests, financial security, market integrity, ethics, etc.)
Practice	Training of employees Use of a whistle-blower procedure Encouragement to be exemplary

European Leader in the Banking category according to Vigeo Eiris***



Ranks amongst the Global 100 Most Sustainable Corporations for the 3rd year in a row



* Outstandings as at end 2016; ** Socially Responsible Investments, outstandings as at the end of 2016; *** Extra-financial rating agency

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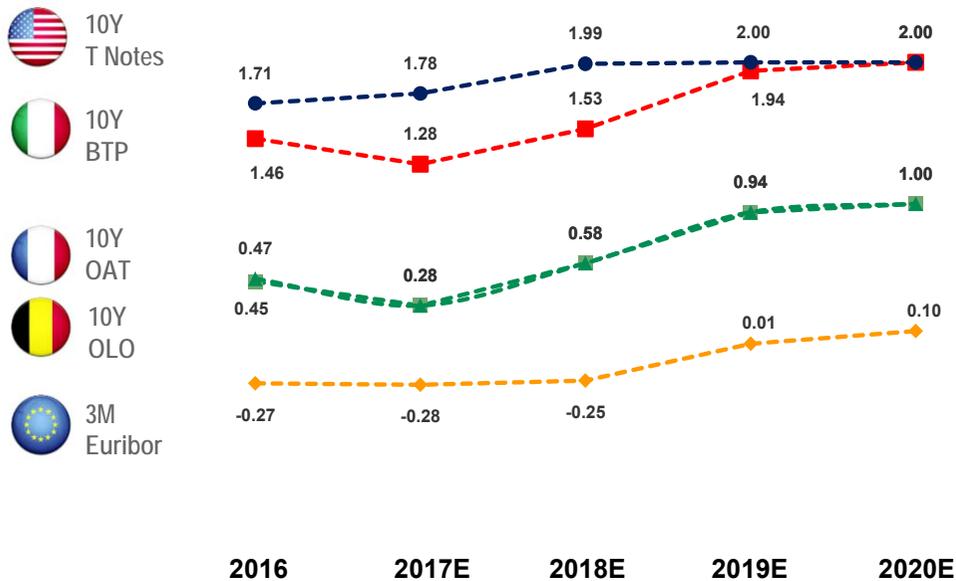


2020 Business Development Plan

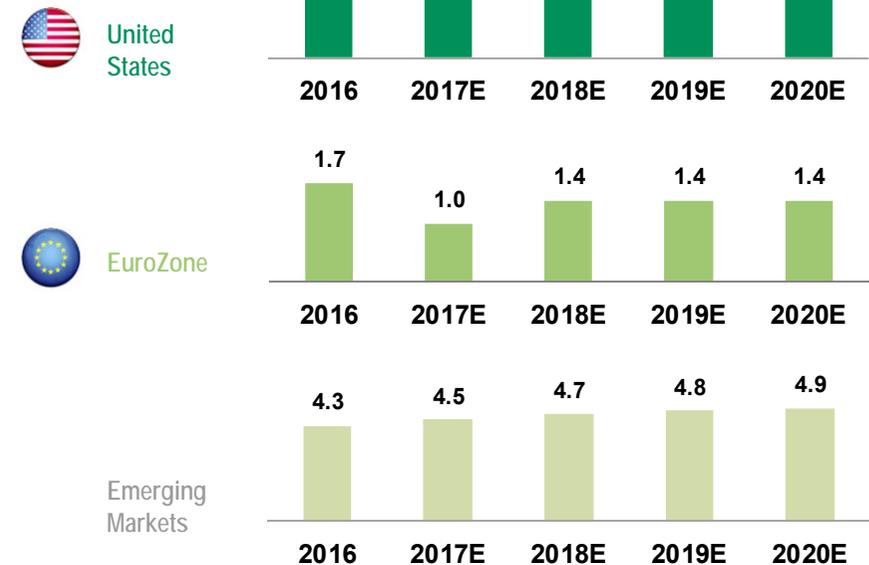
A Scenario Based on Conservative Assumptions

Conservative assumptions of a lacklustre macroeconomic environment

Gradual exit from the low interest rate environment



Moderate GDP growth



A business development plan based on a scenario of moderate, gradual and differentiated economic recovery



2020 Business Development Plan: a Trajectory Based on Expected 2020 Regulatory Constraints

		2016	2020 Target ⁽²⁾
CET 1 ratio	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ CRD IV (Basel 3) ■ 2016 SREP: anticipated level of fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio of 10.25% in 2019⁽¹⁾ 	11.5% Fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio	12%
Total capital TLAC MREL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2016 SREP: anticipated level of Total Capital requirement of 13.75% in 2019⁽³⁾ ■ TLAC requirement: 20.5% in 2019⁽⁴⁾ ■ MREL: thresholds to be determined on a case by case basis by the resolution authorities (SRB) according to the CRD V/CRR 2 (under discussion) 	Total Capital (fully loaded) ratio: 14.2% • CET1 ratio: 11.5% • Tier 1 and Tier 2: 2.7%	Total Capital (fully loaded) ratio: 15% • CET1 ratio: 12% • Tier 1 and Tier 2: 3% TLAC ratio: 21%
Liquidity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ LCR: CRD IV/CRR ■ NSFR: CRD V/CRR 2 (under discussion) 	LCR: 123%	LCR > 100% NSFR > 100%
Leverage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ CRD IV (minimum level of 3%) ■ Additional requirements for G-SIB still under discussion 	4.4% Fully loaded Basel 3 leverage	4%

Regulatory constraints that continue to increase during the period⁽⁵⁾

⁽¹⁾ Excluding Pillar 2 Guidance; ⁽²⁾ Assuming constant regulatory framework; ⁽³⁾ Anticipated level of Tier 1 requirement in 2019: 11.75%; ⁽⁴⁾ Minimum requirement raised to 22.5% as at 01/01/2022; ⁽⁵⁾ In the current Basel 3 regulatory framework



An Ambitious Corporate Social Responsibility Policy (CSR)

OUR ECONOMIC RESPONSIBILITY

Financing the economy in an ethical manner

OUR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Developing and engaging our people responsibly

OUR CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY

Being a positive agent for change

OUR ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY

Combating climate change

A corporate culture marked by ethical responsibility

- Ensure that all the employees of the Group have mastered the Code of Conduct rules
- Contribute to combating fraud, money laundering, bribery and the financing of terrorism
- Ensure that our activities and operations with our customers strictly comply with all applicable fiscal rules

A positive impact for society through our financing and our philanthropic actions

- Contribute to achieving the U.N. Sustainable Development Targets through our loans to corporates and our range of investment products
- Rigorously anticipate and manage the potential impacts on the environment and human rights of our financings
- Continue our corporate sponsorship policy in the arts, solidarity and the environment and support the engagements of our employees in favour of solidarity

A major role in the transition towards a low carbon economy

- Reduce our carbon footprint based on a best standards internal policy, in compliance with the International Energy Agency's 2°C scenario
- Increase the amount of financing devoted to renewable energies to €15bn in 2020 (x2 vs. 2015)
- Invest €100m by 2020 in innovative start-ups that contribute to accelerate energy transition

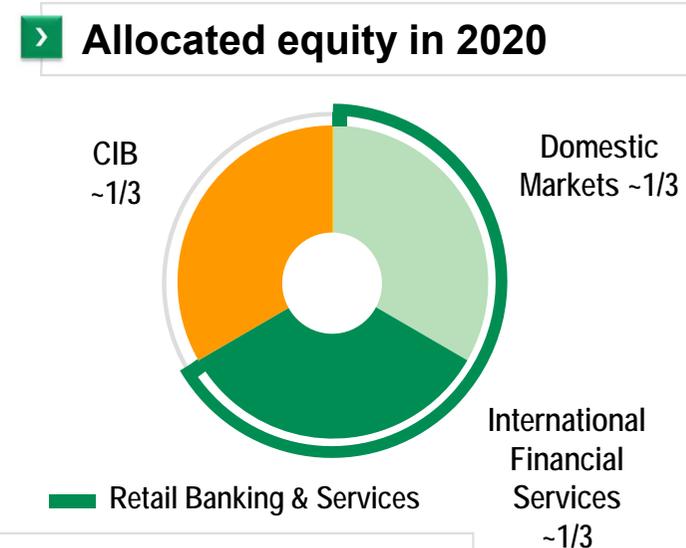
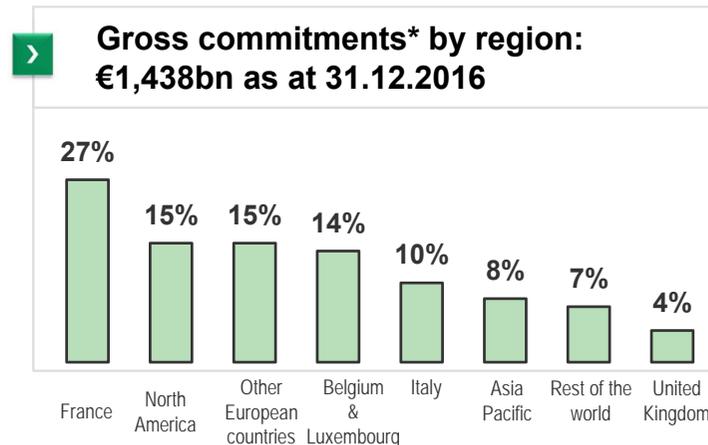


2020 Business Development Plan: Leverage the Strength of the Integrated and Diversified Business Model

- A business model diversified by country and business which has demonstrated its strength
 - No country, business or industry concentration
 - Presence primarily in developed countries (>85%)
 - No business unit >20% of allocated equity
 - Business units and regions evolving according to different cycles

- Activities focused on customers' needs
 - A strong cooperation between businesses & regions

- A clear strength in the new environment
 - Sizeable retail banking operations allowing significant investments in digital banking and new technologies
 - Critical mass in market activities that helps to support credit disintermediation
 - A growing presence in stronger potential areas



Confirmation of the well-balanced business model based on 3 pillars: Domestic Markets, IFS and CIB

* Gross commitments on and off-balance sheet

An Ambitious Programme of New Customer Experience, Digital Transformation & Savings

Capitalise on existing initiatives

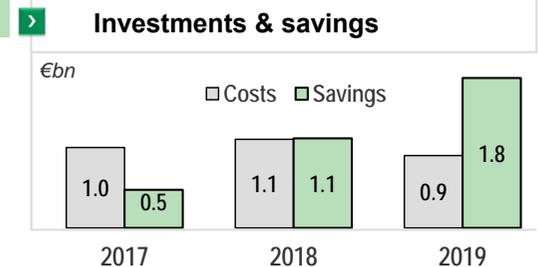
<p>Digital applications, products and systems</p>	
<p>Tech Labs</p>	

Invest in a new customer experience, digital transformation and operating efficiency...

~€3bn in transformation costs between 2017 and 2019 ...

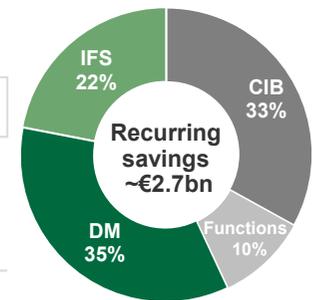


... financed by ~€3.4bn in savings during the same period



...and generate ~€2.7bn in recurrent annual savings starting from 2020

- Balanced contribution of all the Group's businesses and functions to savings
- ~150 programmes
- A new IT function organisation in the Group



2020 Business Development Plan: 5 Levers for a New Customer Experience & a More Effective and Digital Bank

1 Implement new customer journeys

- New digitalised, expanded, seamless and personalised customer journeys (more services, more attractiveness, choice of channel, etc.)
- Upgraded service models (better customer segmentation based on user habits, “the right product at the right time and through the right channel,” etc.)
- Digitalisation of distribution by developing digital customer interfaces
- New services made available

2 Upgrade the operational model

- Streamlining and automatisisation of end-to-end processes
- Simplification of the organisations
- Shared platforms and smart sourcing

3 Adapt information systems

- Evolution of information systems and incorporation of new technologies in order to accelerate digital
- Improvement of IT efficiency and agile practices
- Promotion of innovation

4 Make better use of data to serve clients

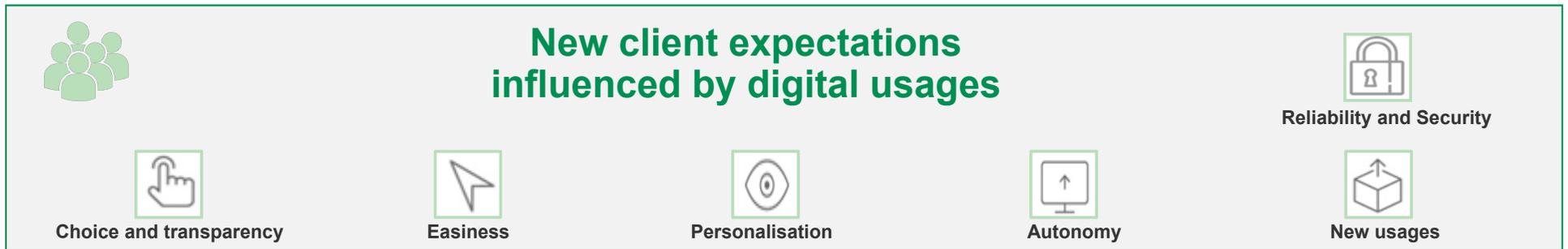
- Better reliability of data and enhancement of data use for the benefit of customers
- Reinforcement of data storage, protection and analysis capacities
- Use of cutting-edge technologies (artificial intelligence, machine learning, etc.)

5 Work differently

- More digital, collaborative and agile work practices
- Day-to-day digital environment & digital and innovation driven culture
- Staff training



Domestic Markets 2020: Reinvent Customer Experience and Accelerate Digital Transformation



New customer experience relying on the journeys' digitalisation and a better use of data...

...and development of new services

Digitalised service models	Reinvent customer journeys	Enhance customer knowledge	Boost digital acquisition & sales	Integrated service platforms						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Self (WWW, Self Service) Assisted (Assisted Service) Face to Face Remote Face to Face Offsite 	<p>15 Apps already launched of which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BNL bc BGL BNPP Wealth Mgt #DIGIBIZ Home on the Spot BNP Paribas Fortis MySafePlace Entreprise Clients MyAccounts @OneBank BNP PARIBAS FORTIS 	<p>Usage</p> <p>Leverage technological opportunities</p> <p>Best practice sharing across entities</p> <p>Data analytics</p> <p>Data management</p> <p>Commercial proactivity and reactivity</p>	<p>Target of sales with digital interaction</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>12%</td> <td>17%</td> <td>50%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2015</td> <td>2016</td> <td>2020</td> </tr> </table> <p>Online purchase of all products</p>	12%	17%	50%	2015	2016	2020	<p>Aggregation of optional services (ARVAL Active Link)</p> <p>Universal mobile payment solution(*) (Wa! FIVORY)</p>
12%	17%	50%								
2015	2016	2020								

Implement the 5 levels for a new customer experience, digital transformation and efficiency improvement

* Shared solution with Crédit Mutuel (CM11-CIC)

Domestic Markets 2020: Strengthen the Sales and Marketing Drive and Improve Operating Efficiency

Strengthen the sales and marketing drive in an environment that is improving only gradually

- Strong headwinds (low interest rates, MIFID 2,...) still in 2017 and 2018
- Strengthen the sales and marketing drive: enhance the attractiveness of the offering, offer new services, gain new customers...
- Disciplined growth of risk-weighted assets
- Maintain leading position in Belgium, continue the commercial development in France and selective growth in Italy

A risk environment that continues to be favourable

- Continued improvement in particular in Italy (50 bp in 2020 versus 124 bp in 2016)

Generate €1bn in recurring cost savings

- Actively continue to adapt the branch networks by 2020
- Transform the operational model and adapt the information systems
- 2017-2020 transformation costs: €0.8bn⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Presented in the Corporate Centre

> Main financial targets*

2020 Targets vs. 2016	Revenues (CAGR)	Cost income ratio
Domestic Markets	>+0.5%	-3 pts

2020 RONE: >17.5% (+2 pts vs. 2016)**



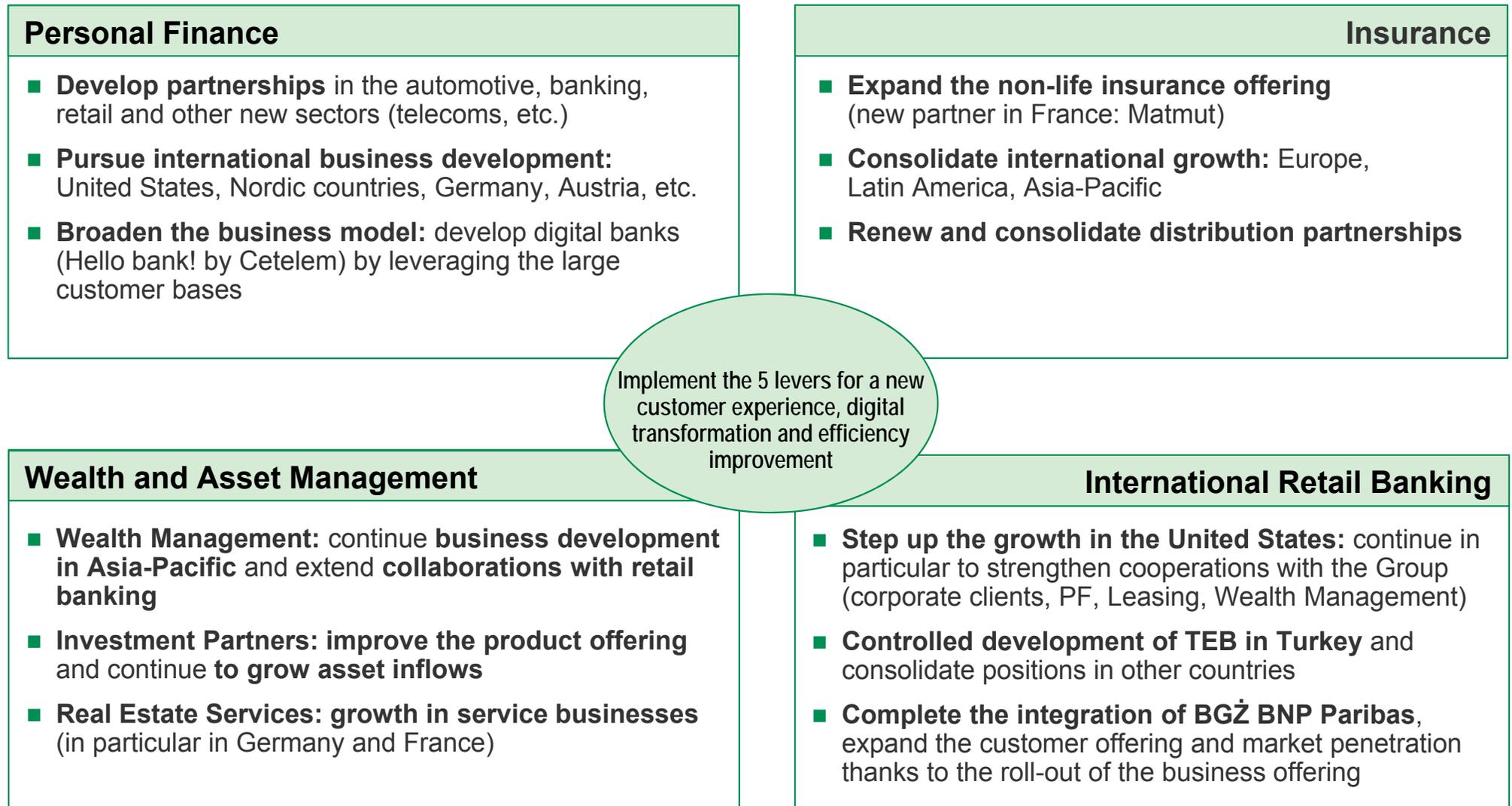
Significant income growth by 2020

* Including 100% of Private Banking, excluding PEL/CEL; ** Return on notional equity



International Financial Services 2020

Continued Growth, Innovation and Digitalisation



International Financial Services 2020

A Growth Engine for the Group

Strengthen our positions in a context of transformation

- Step up the pace of growth (new offerings, new partnerships, new regions, etc.) and adapt to the evolution of customers' habits
- Consolidate our leading positions in the business units by leveraging best in class offers
- Continue to expand retail banking outside the Eurozone (Poland, United States, Turkey, etc.) and cooperations with the Group
- Prepare for forthcoming constraints (MIFID 2, regulatory impacts, etc.)

Improve operating efficiency: €0.6bn in cost savings

- Digital initiatives specific to each of the businesses (customer distribution and acquisition, product lifecycle management, new full digital products, etc.)
- Initiatives to streamline and pool processes that support the business units
- 2017-2020 transformation costs: €0.9bn⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Presented in the Corporate Centre

> Main financial targets*

2020 Targets vs. 2016	Revenues (CAGR)	Cost income ratio
IFS	>+5%	-5 pts

2020 RONE:** >20% (+2pts vs. 2016)



Sustained revenue and income growth by 2020

* Excluding FHB; ** Return on notional equity



CIB 2020: Momentum Generated by the Transformation Plan Implemented from 2016

Good start of the transformation plan in 2016

Resources optimisation FOCUS

-€8.3bn of RWA in 2016
(~42% of the target of -€20bn in 2019)

Of which:

- **Right-sizing sub-profitable businesses or portfolios:** -€4.4bn in risk-weighted assets in Global Markets (sale of legacy, etc.)
- **Actively managing financial resources:** -€3.1bn in risk-weighted assets in Corporate Banking (securitisation, sale of outstandings, etc.)

Cost reduction IMPROVE

~-€0.3bn of costs savings in 2016
(~35% of the 2019 target of -€0.95bn)

Of which:

- **Simplifying and streamlining processes:** €91m of savings in 2016 in Global Markets and €85m in support functions (IT, etc.)
- **Headcount reduction** under way:
 - Voluntary departure plan in France
 - Simplifying the organisation and smart sourcing initiatives

Revenue growth GROW

~+€200m of revenues* in 2016
+€2.9bn of RWA* in 2016

Of which:

- **Global Markets:** revenues +1.6% vs. 2015** despite a challenging environment
- **Securities Services:** robust business activity and targeted business development focused on institutional clients
- **Corporate Banking:** new clients' acquisition and good development of the businesses



Capitalise on the good start of the transformation plan

** Excluding Focus initiatives and non-recurring items; ** At constant scope and exchange rates*



CIB 2020: Step up the Operational and Digital Transformation & Business Development in Europe

Extend the transformation plan to 2020

- Continue resources optimisation, cost reduction and revenue growth
- Grow the corporate and institutional client franchises
- Continue growing fee businesses (advisory services, cash management, Securities Services)
- Continue to leverage well adapted regional positioning and to develop cross-border business

Implement the 5 levers for efficiency, digitalisation and new customer experience

- Accelerate the digital transformation
- >€200m of additional cost savings generated by End-to-End programmes
- 2020 savings target: ~-€0.9bn vs. 2016 (reminder: ~-€0.3bn achieved in 2016 vs. 2015)
- 2017-2020 transformation costs: €1.1bn⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Presented in the Corporate Centre

Step up the expansion of the customer base in Europe

- Grow the corporate customer base (2020 target: +350 new customer groups vs. 2015)
- Specific focus on Northern Europe (Germany, The Netherlands, United Kingdom, Scandinavia)
- Develop cooperations with other business units in the Group

> Main financial targets

2020 Targets vs. 2016	Revenues (CAGR)	Cost income ratio
CIB	>+4.5%	-8 pts

2020 RONE*: >19% (+6pts vs. 2016)



Sustained revenue and income growth by 2020

* Return on notional equity



Group's 2020 Business Development Plan

Financial Targets

		2020 Target
Growth	Revenues growth	2016-2020 CAGR ⁽¹⁾ ≥ +2.5%
	Plan's savings target	~€2.7bn in recurring cost savings starting from 2020
Efficiency	Cost income ratio	2016: 66.8% ⁽²⁾ 63%
	ROE	2016: 9.4% ⁽²⁾ 10%
Profitability	Fully loaded Basel 3 CET1 ratio	11.5% in 2016 12% ⁽³⁾
	Pay-out ratio	2016: 45% ⁽⁴⁾ 50% ⁽⁴⁾
Capital		

- Average growth of dividend per share⁽⁴⁾ > 9% per year (CAGR) until 2020



An ambitious plan that aims to generate an average increase in net income > 6.5% a year until 2020

⁽¹⁾ Compounded annual growth rate; ⁽²⁾ Excluding exceptional items; ⁽³⁾ Assuming constant regulatory framework; ⁽⁴⁾ Subject to shareholder approval



Conclusion



Good Group performance in 2016

Net income attributable to equity holders: €7.7bn



Success of the 2014-2016 business development plan

Progress on all the major strategic priorities

ROE in line with the objective of the plan



Launch of the new 2017-2020 business development plan

Leverage the strength of the integrated and diversified business model

Build the bank of the future by accelerating digital transformation

Conduct an ambitious Corporate Social Responsibility policy



Group Results

Division Results

Success of the 2014-2016 Business
Development Plan

2020 Business Development Plan

4Q16 Detailed Results

Appendix



Main Exceptional Items - 4Q16

- Revenues
 - Own credit adjustment and DVA (*Corporate Centre*)

- Operating expenses
 - Simple & Efficient transformation costs (*Corporate Centre*)
 - CIB transformation costs and restructuring costs of acquisitions* (*Corporate Centre*)
 - Restructuring costs of Businesses**
 - Compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks***

- Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with U.S. authorities (*Corporate Centre*)
 - Costs related to the remediation plan

- Other non operating elements
 - Goodwill impairments**** (*Corporate Centre*)
 - Sale of the stake in Klépierre-Corio (*Corporate Centre*)

>	4Q16	>	4Q15
	-€18m		+€160m
	-€18m		+€160m
	-€146m		-€232m
	-€144m		-€54m
	-€52m		-€69m
	-€342m		-€355m
			-€100m
	€0m		-€100m
	-€127m		-€993m
			+€352m
	-€127m		-€641m

Total exceptional items (pre-tax)

Total exceptional items (after tax)

-€487m	-€936m
-€372m	-€922m

* LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank, GE LLD; ** BNL bc (-€50m), BRB (-€80m), WAM (-€7m), Corporate Centre (-€7m); *** BNL bc (-€47m in 4Q16, -€65m in 4Q15), Personal Finance (-€5m in 4Q16, -€4m in 4Q15); **** Of which full goodwill impairment of BGZ: -€127m in 4Q16 and of BNL bc: -€917m in 4Q15



BNP Paribas Group - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	10,656	10,449	+2.0%	10,589	+0.6%	43,411	42,938	+1.1%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-7,444	-7,406	+0.5%	-7,217	+3.1%	-29,378	-29,254	+0.4%
Gross Operating Income	3,212	3,043	+5.6%	3,372	-4.7%	14,033	13,684	+2.6%
Cost of Risk	-950	-968	-1.9%	-764	+24.3%	-3,262	-3,797	-14.1%
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	-100	n.s.	0	n.s.	0	-100	n.s.
Operating Income	2,262	1,975	+14.5%	2,608	-13.3%	10,771	9,787	+10.1%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	151	154	-1.9%	163	-7.4%	633	589	+7.5%
Other Non Operating Items	-146	-656	-77.7%	9	n.s.	-194	3	n.s.
Non Operating Items	5	-502	n.s.	172	-97.1%	439	592	-25.8%
Pre-Tax Income	2,267	1,473	+53.9%	2,780	-18.5%	11,210	10,379	+8.0%
Corporate Income Tax	-721	-719	+0.3%	-790	-8.7%	-3,095	-3,335	-7.2%
Net Income Attributable to Minority Interests	-104	-89	+16.9%	-104	-0.0%	-413	-350	+18.0%
Net Income Attributable to Equity Holders	1,442	665	n.s.	1,886	-23.5%	7,702	6,694	+15.1%
Cost/Income	69.9%	70.9%	-1.0 pt	68.2%	+1.7 pt	67.7%	68.1%	-0.4 pt

- Corporate income tax: average rate of 28.8% in 2016
 - Positive effect of the low fiscal impact on the capital gain on the sale of Visa Europe shares (long term capital gains regime)
 - No significant impact from reevaluation of differed taxes due to lower income tax rate in France in 2020 (« Loi de Finance 2017 »)



Retail Banking and Services - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	7,758	7,681	+1.0%	7,735	+0.3%	30,651	30,552	+0.3%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-5,200	-5,049	+3.0%	-4,813	+8.0%	-19,880	-19,460	+2.2%
Gross Operating Income	2,558	2,632	-2.8%	2,922	-12.5%	10,771	11,092	-2.9%
Cost of Risk	-824	-882	-6.5%	-704	+17.1%	-3,005	-3,533	-14.9%
Operating Income	1,733	1,750	-1.0%	2,218	-21.9%	7,765	7,559	+2.7%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	130	138	-6.1%	140	-7.1%	530	509	+4.1%
Other Non Operating Items	-5	-8	-35.9%	9	n.s.	10	1	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	1,858	1,881	-1.2%	2,367	-21.5%	8,305	8,069	+2.9%
Cost/Income	67.0%	65.7%	+1.3 pt	62.2%	+4.8 pt	64.9%	63.7%	+1.2 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						49.0	48.4	+1.4%

Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium, Luxembourg, at BancWest and TEB for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items



Domestic Markets - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	3,866	3,905	-1.0%	3,923	-1.5%	15,715	15,797	-0.5%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,794	-2,713	+3.0%	-2,567	+8.8%	-10,629	-10,393	+2.3%
Gross Operating Income	1,072	1,191	-10.0%	1,356	-20.9%	5,086	5,404	-5.9%
Cost of Risk	-399	-471	-15.3%	-329	+21.3%	-1,515	-1,812	-16.4%
Operating Income	674	721	-6.5%	1,028	-34.5%	3,572	3,592	-0.6%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	14	22	-37.2%	18	-26.0%	54	50	+8.8%
Other Non Operating Items	-6	-7	-13.6%	8	n.s.	2	-34	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	681	735	-7.3%	1,054	-35.4%	3,628	3,608	+0.6%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-59	-60	-1.6%	-61	-3.2%	-246	-273	-9.9%
Pre-Tax Income of Domestic Markets	622	675	-7.8%	993	-37.4%	3,382	3,335	+1.4%
Cost/Income	72.3%	69.5%	+2.8 pt	65.4%	+6.9 pt	67.6%	65.8%	+1.8 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						23.0	22.7	+1.3%

Including 100% of Private Banking in France (excluding PEL/CEL effects), Italy, Belgium and Luxembourg for the Revenues to Pre-tax income items

- Revenues: -1.0% vs. 4Q15
 - Persistently low interest rate environment
 - Good growth at BRB, LRB and in the specialised businesses (Arval, Personal Investors)
- Operating expenses: +3.0% vs. 4Q15
 - -0.5% vs. 4Q15 excluding the impact of exceptional items*
 - Effect of the cost saving measures
- Pre-tax income: -7.8% vs. 4Q15
 - +5.2% vs. 4Q15 excluding the impact of exceptional items*
 - Decrease in the cost of risk in Italy

* Additional compulsory contribution of BNL bc to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks: -€47m (-€65m in 4Q15) & restructuring costs: BNL bc -€50m (-€20m in 4Q15); BRB -€80m (0 in 4Q15)



Domestic Markets

French Retail Banking - 4Q16 (excluding PEL/CEL effects)

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	1,548	1,603	-3.4%	1,601	-3.3%	6,401	6,597	-3.0%
<i>Incl. Net Interest Income</i>	899	946	-5.0%	923	-2.5%	3,676	3,804	-3.4%
<i>Incl. Commissions</i>	649	657	-1.2%	678	-4.3%	2,725	2,793	-2.4%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,216	-1,207	+0.7%	-1,178	+3.2%	-4,673	-4,641	+0.7%
Gross Operating Income	332	396	-16.1%	423	-21.5%	1,728	1,956	-11.7%
Cost of Risk	-124	-88	+41.6%	-72	+73.2%	-342	-343	-0.2%
Operating Income	208	308	-32.5%	351	-40.9%	1,386	1,613	-14.1%
Non Operating Items	1	1	-25.5%	0	n.s.	3	4	-29.8%
Pre-Tax Income	209	309	-32.5%	351	-40.6%	1,389	1,617	-14.1%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-32	-34	-3.6%	-34	-5.8%	-138	-159	-13.4%
Pre-Tax Income of French Retail Banking	177	276	-36.0%	317	-44.3%	1,251	1,458	-14.2%
Cost/Income	78.5%	75.3%	+3.2 pt	73.6%	+4.9 pt	73.0%	70.3%	+2.7 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						8.7	8.3	+5.5%

*Including 100% of French Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items (excluding PEL/CEL effects)**

- Revenues: -3.4% vs. 4Q15
 - Net interest income: -5.0%, persistently low interest rate environment (decrease in margin on deposits and on renegotiated loans but gradual effect of the rise in outstandings)
 - Fees: -1.2% but +3.2% excluding non recurring item, rise in financial fees and banking fees
- Operating expenses: +0.7% vs. 4Q15
 - Cost control
- Increase in the cost of risk due to a specific file

* PEL/CEL effects: -€2m in 2016 (-€31m in 2015) and +€8m in 4Q16 (+€5m in 4Q15)



Domestic Markets

French Retail Banking - Volumes

	Outstandings 4Q16	%Var/4Q15	%Var/3Q16	Outstandings 2016	%Var/2015
<i>Average outstandings (€bn)</i>					
LOANS	148.8	+4.2%	+1.9%	144.8	+0.3%
Individual Customers	80.3	+4.8%	+3.1%	77.4	-0.4%
Incl. Mortgages	70.0	+4.9%	+3.1%	67.4	-0.2%
Incl. Consumer Lending	10.3	+4.5%	+3.5%	10.0	-0.1%
Corporates	68.5	+3.6%	+0.6%	67.4	+1.1%
DEPOSITS AND SAVINGS	147.6	+8.6%	+1.5%	143.1	+5.4%
Current Accounts	83.2	+21.7%	+2.5%	78.2	+22.0%
Savings Accounts	57.8	-0.8%	-1.4%	58.2	-2.3%
Market Rate Deposits	6.6	-28.5%	+14.7%	6.7	-44.3%
	31.12.16	%Var/ 31.12.15	%Var/ 30.09.16		
<i>€bn</i>					
OFF BALANCE SHEET SAVINGS					
Life Insurance	85.5	+2.6%	+0.1%		
Mutual Funds	46.3	+0.6%	+2.8%		

- Loans: +4.2% vs. 4Q15, rise in corporate loans, good pick-up in loan origination on individual customers
- Deposits: +8.6% vs. 4Q15, strong growth in current accounts, significant decrease in market rate deposits
- Off balance sheet savings: increase in life insurance vs. 31.12.15



Domestic Markets

BNL banca commerciale - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	745	781	-4.6%	741	+0.6%	2,972	3,150	-5.7%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-543	-550	-1.3%	-448	+21.3%	-1,885	-1,903	-0.9%
Gross Operating Income	202	230	-12.5%	293	-31.1%	1,086	1,247	-12.9%
Cost of Risk	-229	-300	-23.9%	-215	+6.5%	-959	-1,248	-23.1%
Operating Income	-27	-70	-61.5%	78	n.s.	127	-2	n.s.
Non Operating Items	0	0	n.s.	0	+19.8%	0	-1	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	-27	-70	-61.8%	78	n.s.	127	-3	n.s.
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-10	-10	-8.1%	-9	+12.4%	-37	-41	-9.5%
Pre-Tax Income of BNL bc	-36	-80	-54.8%	70	n.s.	90	-44	n.s.
Cost/Income	72.9%	70.5%	+2.4 pt	60.5%	+12.4 pt	63.4%	60.4%	+3.0 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						5.7	6.5	-11.3%

Including 100% of the Italian Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items

- **Revenues: -4.6% vs. 4Q15**
 - Net interest income: -4.2% vs. 4Q15, impact of the low interest rate environment and last effects of the repositioning on the better corporate clients
 - Fees: -5.2% vs. 4Q15, decrease of banking fees
- **Operating expenses: -1.3% vs. 4Q15**
 - -4.3% vs. 4Q15 excluding the impact of exceptional items*: effect of cost reduction measures
- **Cost of risk: -23.9% vs. 4Q15**
 - Continued decrease in the cost of risk
- **Pre-tax income: -54.8% vs. 4Q15**
 - €61m excluding the impact of exceptional items*

* Additional compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks: -€47m (-€65m in 4Q15) & one-off transformation costs: -€50m (-€20m in 4Q15)



Domestic Markets

BNL banca commerciale - Volumes

Average outstandings (€bn)	Outstandings	%Var/4Q15	%Var/3Q16	Outstandings	%Var/2015
	4Q16			2016	
LOANS	78.6	+1.4%	+0.8%	77.9	+0.5%
Individual Customers	39.4	+0.9%	+0.5%	39.2	+1.5%
Incl. Mortgages	24.5	-2.2%	-0.4%	24.8	-1.0%
Incl. Consumer Lending	4.2	+3.3%	+1.0%	4.2	+3.3%
Corporates	39.2	+1.9%	+1.1%	38.7	-0.5%
DEPOSITS AND SAVINGS	39.9	+14.9%	+3.8%	38.0	+12.6%
Individual Deposits	26.4	+12.3%	+2.3%	25.6	+13.2%
Incl. Current Accounts	26.1	+12.6%	+2.4%	25.2	+13.7%
Corporate Deposits	13.5	+20.2%	+6.9%	12.4	+11.4%

€bn	31.12.16	%Var/ 31.12.15	%Var/ 30.09.16
	OFF BALANCE SHEET SAVINGS		
Life Insurance	18.3	+9.8%	+1.4%
Mutual Funds	13.8	+7.2%	+1.4%

- Loans: +1.4% vs. 4Q15
 - Individuals: +0.9% vs. 4Q15, gradual recovery in volumes
 - Corporates: +1.9% vs. 4Q15, good growth in particular on the better corporate clients
- Deposits: +14.9% vs. 4Q15
 - Individuals and corporates: strong rise in current accounts
- Off balance sheet savings: good asset inflows in life insurance, rise in mutual fund outstandings



Domestic Markets

Belgian Retail Banking - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	908	882	+2.9%	914	-0.6%	3,661	3,552	+3.1%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-661	-588	+12.5%	-575	+15.1%	-2,582	-2,462	+4.9%
Gross Operating Income	247	295	-16.3%	339	-27.3%	1,079	1,090	-1.0%
Cost of Risk	-9	-52	-82.3%	-19	-52.4%	-98	-85	+15.1%
Operating Income	237	243	-2.2%	320	-25.7%	981	1,005	-2.4%
Non Operating Items	2	7	-78.7%	3	-55.0%	6	-9	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	239	250	-4.4%	323	-26.0%	987	996	-0.9%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-17	-14	+15.2%	-18	-5.9%	-69	-68	+1.1%
Pre-Tax Income of Belgian Retail Banking	222	235	-5.6%	305	-27.2%	918	928	-1.1%
Cost/Income	72.8%	66.6%	+6.2 pt	62.9%	+9.9 pt	70.5%	69.3%	+1.2 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						4.7	4.5	+6.2%

Including 100% of Belgian Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items

- Revenues: +2.9% vs. 4Q15
 - Net interest income: +3.5% vs. 4Q15, due to volume growth
 - Fees: +1.3% vs. 4Q15, rise in banking fees
- Operating expenses: +12.5% vs. 4Q15
 - -1.0% vs. 4Q15 excluding exceptional item*
 - Effect of the cost reduction measures
- Pre-tax income: -5.6% vs. 4Q15
 - +28.3% vs. 4Q15 excluding exceptional item*

* Restructuring costs: -€80m in 4Q16



Domestic Markets

Belgian Retail Banking - Volumes

Average outstandings (€bn)	Outstandings	%Var/4Q15	%Var/3Q16	Outstandings	%Var/2015
	4Q16			2016	
LOANS	97.0	+3.9%	+0.3%	96.0	+4.7%
Individual Customers	65.5	+3.8%	+0.5%	64.7	+5.6%
Incl. Mortgages	46.8	+3.8%	+0.7%	46.2	+6.3%
Incl. Consumer Lending	0.2	+21.3%	-29.5%	0.2	-40.2%
Incl. Small Businesses	18.5	+3.8%	+0.4%	18.4	+4.8%
Corporates and Local Governments	31.5	+4.1%	-0.1%	31.3	+2.8%
DEPOSITS AND SAVINGS	117.9	+6.5%	-0.2%	116.0	+5.8%
Current Accounts	47.4	+16.7%	-0.7%	45.4	+17.4%
Savings Accounts	67.2	+3.1%	+0.3%	66.5	+1.7%
Term Deposits	3.4	-32.9%	-3.3%	4.0	-27.4%

€bn	31.12.16	%Var/ 31.12.15	%Var/ 30.09.16
	OFF BALANCE SHEET SAVINGS		
Life Insurance	24.7	+0.1%	-0.6%
Mutual Funds	30.4	+0.4%	+1.0%

- Loans: +3.9% vs. 4Q15
 - Individuals: +3.8% vs. 4Q15, rise in particular of mortgage loans
 - Corporates: +4.1% vs. 4Q15, good increase in loans to SMEs
- Deposits: +6.5% vs. 4Q15
 - Individuals and corporates: strong growth in current accounts



Domestic Markets Other Activities - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	666	638	+4.2%	669	-0.4%	2,681	2,498	+7.3%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-374	-368	+1.5%	-367	+1.8%	-1,488	-1,387	+7.3%
Gross Operating Income	292	270	+8.0%	302	-3.2%	1,193	1,111	+7.4%
Cost of Risk	-37	-31	+19.5%	-23	+60.1%	-115	-136	-15.2%
Operating Income	255	240	+6.5%	279	-8.4%	1,078	975	+10.5%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	10	18	-43.7%	13	-17.6%	43	36	+18.8%
Other Non Operating Items	-6	-13	-52.9%	10	n.s.	5	-14	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	260	245	+5.8%	301	-13.8%	1,125	997	+12.8%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	0	-1	-77.0%	0	-0.7%	-2	-5	-55.2%
Pre-Tax Income of Other Domestic Markets	259	244	+6.3%	301	-13.8%	1,123	993	+13.1%
Cost/Income	56.1%	57.6%	-1.5 pt	54.9%	+1.2 pt	55.5%	55.5%	+0.0 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						3.8	3.5	+8.5%

Including 100% of Private Banking in Luxembourg for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items

- Scope effect linked to the acquisition of GE Fleet Services Europe (Arval)
- At constant scope and exchange rates vs. 4Q15
 - Revenues*: +4.2%, rise across all business lines
 - Operating expenses*: -0.2%, effect of the first cost synergies between DAB Bank and Consors bank! in Germany (Personal Investors)
 - Pre-tax income**: +8.6%

** Including 100% of Private Banking in Luxembourg; ** Including 2/3 of Private Banking in Luxembourg*



Domestic Markets

LRB - Personal Investors

► Luxembourg Retail Banking (LRB)

Average outstandings (€bn)	4Q16	%Var/4Q15	%Var/3Q16	2016	%Var/2015
LOANS	8.5	+1.5%	+2.0%	8.4	+1.5%
Individual Customers	6.1	+2.2%	+0.4%	6.0	+2.2%
Corporates and Local Governments	2.5	-0.4%	+6.1%	2.4	-0.3%
DEPOSITS AND SAVINGS	17.6	+16.3%	+3.9%	16.4	+14.4%
Current Accounts	8.6	+23.1%	+12.6%	7.5	+14.6%
Savings Accounts	8.2	+23.5%	-1.4%	8.0	+32.3%
Term Deposits	0.7	-50.3%	-21.0%	0.9	-47.6%
	31.12.16	%Var/31.12.15	%Var/30.09.16		
OFF BALANCE SHEET SAVINGS					
Life Insurance	0.9	+2.4%	+0.5%		
Mutual Funds	1.7	-4.9%	+0.8%		

- Loans vs. 4Q15: increase in mortgage loans
- Deposits vs. 4Q15: increase in sight deposits and savings accounts particularly in the corporate client segment

► Personal Investors

Average outstandings (€bn)	4Q16	%Var/4Q15	%Var/3Q16	2016	%Var/2015
LOANS	0.5	-1.0%	+0.5%	0.5	+0.8%
DEPOSITS	20.4	+1.2%	+1.8%	20.0	-0.6%
	31.12.16	%Var/31.12.15	%Var/30.09.16		
ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT	84.0	+12.3%	+9.0%		
European Customer Orders (millions)	4.2	-2.8%	+3.5%		



- Assets under management vs. 4Q15:
 - Effect of the acquisition of Sharekhan*
 - +6.8% at constant scope and exchange rates: positive asset inflows and effect of rising markets
- Digital: success of the launch of Video Legitimation in Germany (opening an account fully online)
- Cortal Consors named Best Online-Broker 2016 by Focus Money

* Closed on 23 November 2016 (€4bn of assets under management)



Domestic Markets

Arval - Leasing Solutions

> Arval

Average outstandings (€bn)	4Q16	%Var*/4Q15	%Var*/3Q16	2016	%Var*/2015
Consolidated Outstandings	14.0	+12.0%	+3.1%	13.5	+12.6%
Financed vehicles ('000 of vehicles)	1,028	+8.4%	+2.7%	997	+10.1%

- Consolidated outstandings: +12.0%* vs. 4Q15, good growth in all regions
- Financed vehicles: +8.4%* vs. 4Q15, very good sales and marketing drive, now over 1 million financed vehicles

> Leasing Solutions

Average outstandings (€bn)	4Q16	%Var*/4Q15	%Var*/3Q16	2016	%Var*/2015
Consolidated Outstandings	16.8	+6.7%	+3.5%	16.6	+4.8%

- Consolidated outstandings: +6.7%* vs. 4Q15, good growth in the outstandings of the core portfolio and continued reduction of the non-core portfolio

* At constant scope and exchange rates



International Financial Services - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	4,025	3,903	+3.1%	3,946	+2.0%	15,479	15,295	+1.2%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-2,481	-2,403	+3.2%	-2,319	+7.0%	-9,544	-9,334	+2.3%
Gross Operating Income	1,544	1,500	+2.9%	1,627	-5.1%	5,935	5,961	-0.4%
Cost of Risk	-425	-411	+3.6%	-376	+13.1%	-1,496	-1,722	-13.1%
Operating Income	1,118	1,089	+2.7%	1,251	-10.6%	4,439	4,239	+4.7%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	116	117	-0.2%	122	-4.2%	477	460	+3.6%
Other Non Operating Items	1	0	n.s.	1	+66.6%	8	35	-76.0%
Pre-Tax Income	1,236	1,206	+2.5%	1,373	-10.0%	4,924	4,734	+4.0%
Cost/Income	61.6%	61.6%	+0.0 pt	58.8%	+2.8 pt	61.7%	61.0%	+0.7 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						26.1	25.7	+1.4%

- Limited foreign exchange effect this quarter
- At constant scope and exchange rates vs. 4Q15
 - Revenues: +3.3% growth across all the business lines
 - Operating expenses: +3.6% (+3.3% excluding exceptional costs*)
 - Operating income: +2.0%
 - Pre-tax income: +2.4%

* Restructuring costs of WAM (-€7m in 4Q16) and Personal Finance's compulsory contribution to the resolution process of 4 Italian banks (-€5 m in 4Q16, -€4m in 4Q15)



International Financial Services

Personal Finance - 4Q16

<i>€m</i>	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	1,185	1,161	+2.1%	1,177	+0.7%	4,679	4,661	+0.4%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-598	-580	+3.2%	-544	+10.0%	-2,298	-2,315	-0.7%
Gross Operating Income	587	581	+0.9%	632	-7.2%	2,381	2,346	+1.5%
Cost of Risk	-269	-309	-12.7%	-240	+12.2%	-979	-1,176	-16.7%
Operating Income	317	273	+16.4%	392	-19.1%	1,401	1,170	+19.8%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	18	21	-12.5%	18	-2.4%	42	74	-43.7%
Other Non Operating Items	-2	-1	n.s.	0	n.s.	-1	0	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	334	293	+14.0%	411	-18.7%	1,442	1,244	+15.9%
Cost/Income	50.5%	49.9%	+0.6 pt	46.3%	+4.2 pt	49.1%	49.7%	-0.6 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						4.9	4.5	+9.4%

- At constant scope and exchange rates
 - Revenues: +2.5% vs. 4Q15, in connection with the rise in volumes and the positioning on products with a better risk profile; revenue growth in Germany, Italy and Spain
 - Operating expenses: +3.6% vs. 4Q15, as a result of the good business development
 - Pre-tax income: +16.7% vs. 4Q15 (decrease in the cost of risk)



International Financial Services

Personal Finance - Volumes and risks

Average outstandings (€bn)	Outstandings	%Var/4Q15		%Var/3Q16		Outstandings	%Var/2015	
	4Q16	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates	2016	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates
TOTAL CONSOLIDATED OUTSTANDINGS	65.3	+8.7%	+9.6%	+2.5%	+2.6%	63.0	+7.5%	+8.8%
TOTAL OUTSTANDINGS UNDER MANAGEMENT (1)	75.7	+7.9%	+8.2%	+2.7%	+2.6%	73.1	+6.8%	+8.1%

(1) Including 100% of outstandings of subsidiaries not fully owned as well as of all partnerships

- Very good sales and marketing drive

> Cost of risk/outstandings

Annualised cost of risk/outstandings as at beginning of period	4Q15	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16
France	1.60%	2.23%	1.62%	1.35%	1.46%
Italy	2.54%	0.94%	1.84%	1.17%	1.44%
Spain	1.96%	0.40%	1.04%	1.72%	1.93%
Other Western Europe	1.57%	0.91%	1.35%	1.28%	1.47%
Eastern Europe	2.30%	0.57%	0.22%	0.77%	1.77%
Brazil	10.7%*	7.76%	5.65%	6.89%	6.15%
Others	2.58%	1.20%	2.03%	2.15%	1.89%
Personal Finance	2.16%	1.49%	1.64%	1.54%	1.70%

* Exceptional adjustment for the whole year 2015



International Financial Services Europe-Mediterranean - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	630	626	+0.6%	659	-4.3%	2,513	2,516	-0.1%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-431	-444	-2.9%	-413	+4.2%	-1,705	-1,707	-0.1%
Gross Operating Income	200	183	+9.1%	245	-18.7%	808	809	-0.0%
Cost of Risk	-127	-96	+31.8%	-127	-0.5%	-437	-466	-6.2%
Operating Income	73	87	-16.1%	118	-38.3%	371	342	+8.4%
Non Operating Items	48	47	+2.3%	48	+0.7%	197	174	+13.3%
Pre-Tax Income	121	134	-9.6%	166	-27.1%	568	516	+10.0%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-1	-1	+32.2%	0	n.s.	-2	-3	-18.7%
Pre-Tax Income of Europe-Mediterranean	120	133	-9.8%	165	-27.5%	566	513	+10.2%
Cost/Income	68.3%	70.8%	-2.5 pt	62.7%	+5.6 pt	67.8%	67.9%	-0.1 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						5.2	5.4	-2.5%

Including 100% of Turkish Private Banking for the Revenue to Pre-tax income line items

- Foreign exchange effect due in particular to the depreciation of the Turkish lira
 - TRY vs. EUR*: -10.3% vs. 4Q15, -6.7% vs. 3Q16, -9.7% vs. 2015
- At constant scope and exchange rates vs. 4Q15
 - Revenues: +5.9%, as a result of the rise in volumes and margins
 - Operating expenses: +1.1% (+3.4% excluding the development of taxes and contributions in Poland**)
 - Cost of risk: rise in Turkey
 - Non operating items: good contribution from associated companies in Asia
 - Pre-tax income: -1.2% (increase in the cost of risk in Turkey offset by the rise in margins)

** Average rates; ** Introduction of a banking tax in 2016 (-€13m in 4Q16) and contribution to the deposit guarantee fund & to the support fund for borrowers in 2015 (-€31m in 4Q15)*

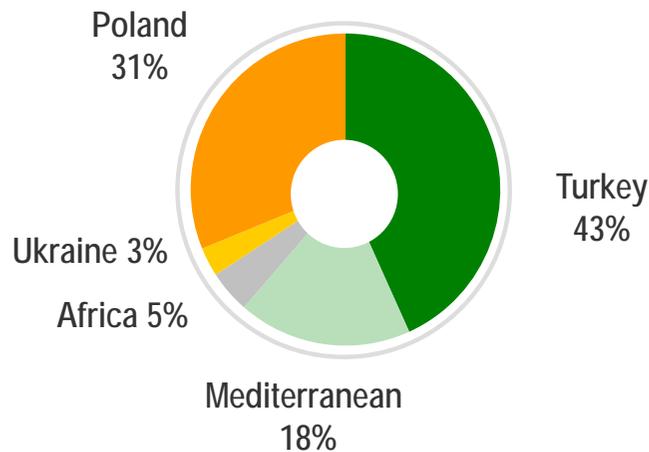


International Financial Services

Europe-Mediterranean - Volumes and Risks

Average outstandings (€bn)	Outstandings	%Var/4Q15		%Var/3Q16		Outstandings	%Var/2015	
	4Q16	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates	2016	historical	at constant scope and exchange rates
LOANS	38.1	-1.3%	+4.7%	-1.6%	+1.4%	38.3	-1.1%	+5.5%
DEPOSITS	35.5	+5.5%	+11.3%	+0.2%	+3.0%	34.9	+3.5%	+9.8%

Geographic distribution of 4Q16 outstanding loans



Cost of risk/outstandings

Annualised cost of risk / outstandings as at beginning of period	4Q15	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16
Turkey	1.28%	1.20%	1.29%	1.82%	1.77%
Ukraine	2.51%	1.40%	0.59%	4.62%	-2.12%
Poland	0.43%	0.42%	0.67%	0.44%	0.77%
Others	1.09%	1.30%	0.40%	0.89%	1.47%
Europe-Mediterranean	1.01%	1.00%	0.89%	1.29%	1.29%

TEB: a solid and well capitalised bank

- 14.4% solvency ratio* as at 31.12.16
- Largely self financed
- 1.1% of the Group's commitments**
- Limited exposure to Turkish government bonds
- 1.9 % of the Group's pre-tax income

* Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR); ** Gross commitments, on and off balance sheet, unweighted



International Financial Services

BancWest - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	795	735	+8.2%	728	+9.1%	2,984	2,834	+5.3%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-521	-481	+8.2%	-501	+3.9%	-2,038	-1,882	+8.3%
Gross Operating Income	274	253	+8.2%	227	+20.6%	947	952	-0.5%
Cost of Risk	-23	4	n.s.	-14	+60.3%	-85	-50	+69.9%
Operating Income	251	257	-2.5%	213	+18.0%	862	902	-4.4%
Non Operating Items	4	2	+86.1%	1	n.s.	16	31	-48.6%
Pre-Tax Income	255	260	-1.7%	214	+19.5%	878	933	-5.9%
Income Attributable to Wealth and Asset Management	-5	-3	+69.5%	-4	+26.0%	-15	-10	+52.1%
Pre-Tax Income of BANCWEST	251	257	-2.5%	210	+19.4%	862	923	-6.6%
Cost/Income	65.5%	65.6%	-0.1 pt	68.8%	-3.3 pt	68.3%	66.4%	+1.9 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						6.3	6.3	+1.0%

Including 100% of U.S Private Banking for the Revenues to Pre-tax income line items

- Limited USD vs. EUR* foreign exchange effect: +1.6% vs. 4Q15, +3.6% vs. 3Q16, ~stable vs. 2015
- Revenues: +6.5%** vs. 4Q15
 - Effect of the increase in volumes
- Operating expenses: +6.5%** vs. 4Q15
 - +5.3%** excluding the increase in regulatory costs*** and non recurring costs related to the IPO of First Hawaiian Bank
 - Strengthening of the commercial set up
- Pre-tax income: -4.1%** vs. 4Q15

** Average rates; ** At constant scope and exchange rates; *** CCAR and Intermediate Holding Company*



International Financial Services

BancWest - Volumes

Average outstandings (€bn)	Outstandings	%Var/4Q15 at constant scope and exchange rates		%Var/3Q16 at constant scope and exchange rates		Outstandings	%Var/2015 at constant scope and exchange rates	
	4Q16	historical		historical		2016	historical	
LOANS	65.0	+11.0%	+9.2%	+6.3%	+2.6%	61.1	+8.8%	+8.5%
Individual Customers	28.6	+8.2%	+6.5%	+6.7%	+3.0%	27.0	+5.6%	+5.3%
Incl. Mortgages	11.5	+9.4%	+7.6%	+6.5%	+2.8%	10.8	+4.3%	+4.0%
Incl. Consumer Lending	17.1	+7.4%	+5.7%	+6.8%	+3.1%	16.2	+6.5%	+6.2%
Commercial Real Estate	17.8	+13.4%	+11.6%	+4.6%	+1.0%	16.8	+12.9%	+12.6%
Corporate Loans	18.5	+13.1%	+11.3%	+7.3%	+3.6%	17.3	+10.2%	+9.8%
DEPOSITS AND SAVINGS	69.6	+11.8%	+10.0%	+6.6%	+2.9%	64.6	+8.3%	+7.9%
Deposits Excl. Jumbo CDs	58.7	+9.2%	+7.5%	+5.9%	+2.3%	55.2	+7.8%	+7.5%

- Loans: +9.2%* vs. 4Q15
 - Increase in individual and corporate loans
- Deposits: +10.0%* vs. 4Q15
 - Good growth in current and savings accounts

* At constant scope and exchange rates



International Financial Services Insurance and WAM* - Business

	31.12.16	31.12.15	%Var/ 31.12.15	30.09.16	%Var/ 30.09.16
<u>Assets under management (€bn)</u>	<u>1,010</u>	<u>954</u>	<u>+5.8%</u>	<u>1,004</u>	<u>+0.6%</u>
Asset Management	416	390	+6.7%	413	+0.7%
Wealth Management	344	327	+5.0%	341	+0.7%
Real Estate Services	24	22	+9.5%	23	+5.5%
Insurance	226	215	+5.1%	227	-0.4%

	4Q16	4Q15	%Var/ 4Q15	3Q16	%Var/ 3Q16
<u>Net asset flows (€bn)</u>	<u>2.0</u>	<u>15.3</u>	<u>-87.0%</u>	<u>17.3</u>	<u>-88.6%</u>
Asset Management	-2.7	11.9	n.s.	13.6	n.s.
Wealth Management	3.6	1.9	+90.2%	2.3	+57.2%
Real Estate Services	0.3	0.5	-43.7%	0.3	+15.1%
Insurance	0.8	0.9	-7.0%	1.2	-28.9%

- In 4Q16

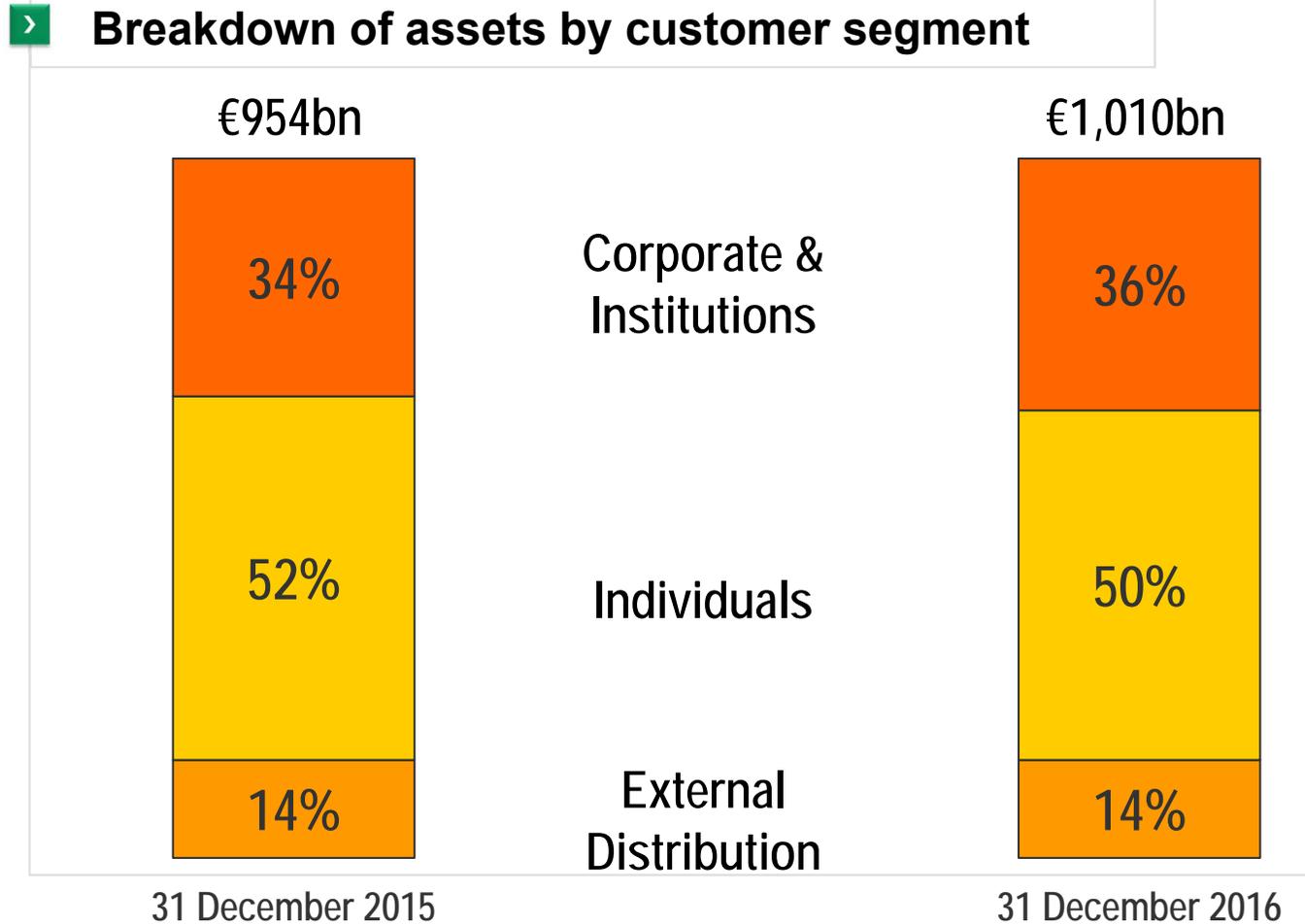
- Positive net asset flows (+€2.0bn) driven by Wealth Management
- Slightly positive performance effect (+€0.4bn)
- Largely positive foreign exchange effect (+€12.6bn)

* Wealth and Asset Management

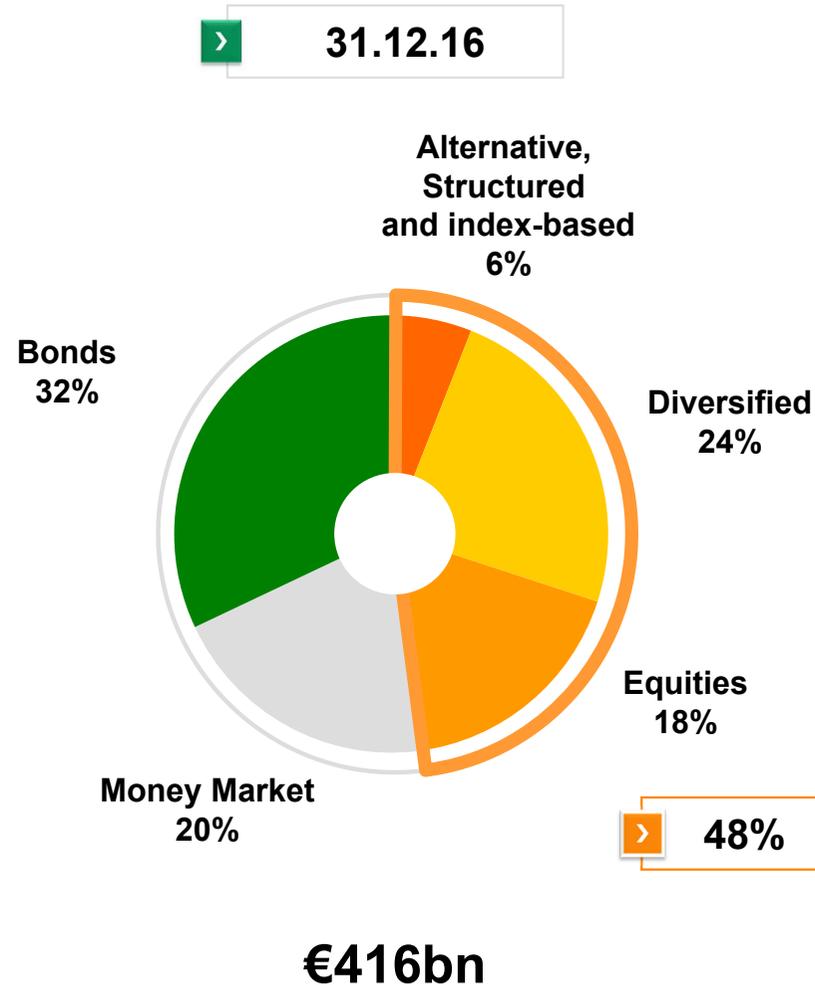


International Financial Services - Insurance & WAM

Breakdown of Assets by Customer Segment



International Financial Services - Asset Management Breakdown of Managed Assets



International Financial Services Insurance - 4Q16

<i>€m</i>	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	636	604	+5.3%	679	-6.3%	2,382	2,320	+2.7%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-315	-302	+4.4%	-299	+5.5%	-1,201	-1,156	+3.8%
Gross Operating Income	321	302	+6.3%	380	-15.6%	1,181	1,164	+1.5%
Cost of Risk	-1	-4	-73.7%	3	n.s.	2	-5	n.s.
Operating Income	320	298	+7.3%	383	-16.5%	1,183	1,158	+2.1%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	36	40	-9.7%	44	-17.9%	189	170	+10.9%
Other Non Operating Items	0	-1	-67.1%	0	n.s.	-3	1	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	356	337	+5.4%	427	-16.7%	1,369	1,329	+3.0%
Cost/Income	49.6%	50.0%	-0.4 pt	44.0%	+5.6 pt	50.4%	49.8%	+0.6 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						7.5	7.4	+1.3%

- Technical reserves: +4.9% vs. 4Q15
- Revenues: +5.3% vs. 4Q15
 - Increase in particular of the protection business in Europe
- Operating expenses: +4.4% vs. 4Q15
 - As a result of business development and higher regulatory costs



International Financial Services Wealth and Asset Management - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	794	789	+0.5%	718	+10.6%	2,977	3,012	-1.2%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-626	-605	+3.3%	-572	+9.5%	-2,341	-2,308	+1.4%
Gross Operating Income	168	184	-8.7%	146	+14.9%	636	704	-9.7%
Cost of Risk	-5	-7	-21.3%	3	n.s.	3	-25	n.s.
Operating Income	163	177	-8.3%	149	+9.3%	639	679	-5.9%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	11	+25.3%	12	+13.2%	46	43	+7.3%
Other Non Operating Items	0	-3	-100.0%	0	-99.3%	0	3	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	176	185	-5.0%	161	+9.7%	685	725	-5.4%
Cost/Income	78.8%	76.7%	+2.1 pt	79.6%	-0.8 pt	78.6%	76.6%	+2.0 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						2.1	2.2	-3.9%

- Revenues: +0.5% vs. 4Q15
 - Slight increase driven by Wealth Management
- Operating expenses: +3.3% vs. 4Q15
 - +2.3% vs. 4Q15 excluding the impact of one exceptional item*
 - Increase related in particular to the development of Wealth Management

* Restructuring costs (-€7m)



Corporate and Institutional Banking - 4Q16

<i>€m</i>	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	2,821	2,612	+8.0%	2,905	-2.9%	11,469	11,506	-0.3%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-1,914	-1,976	-3.2%	-2,022	-5.4%	-8,309	-8,458	-1.8%
Gross Operating Income	907	636	+42.6%	883	+2.7%	3,160	3,049	+3.6%
Cost of Risk	-70	-63	+11.4%	-74	-5.7%	-217	-212	+2.3%
Operating Income	837	574	+46.0%	809	+3.5%	2,943	2,836	+3.8%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	9	10	-17.9%	2	n.s.	20	34	-39.8%
Other Non Operating Items	-5	-27	-80.7%	1	n.s.	-1	127	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	841	558	+50.8%	812	+3.6%	2,962	2,997	-1.2%
Cost/Income	67.8%	75.6%	-7.8 pt	69.6%	-1.8 pt	72.4%	73.5%	-1.1 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						22.2	21.6	+2.8%

- Revenues: +8.0% vs. 4Q15
 - Strong growth at Global Markets (+21.9%), good growth at Securities Services (+7.6%) and decrease at Corporate Banking (-4.9%) compared to a good 4Q15
- Operating expenses: -3.2% vs. 4Q15
 - Effect of the cost saving measures
 - Very good cost control despite business growth



Corporate and Institutional Banking Global Markets - 4Q16

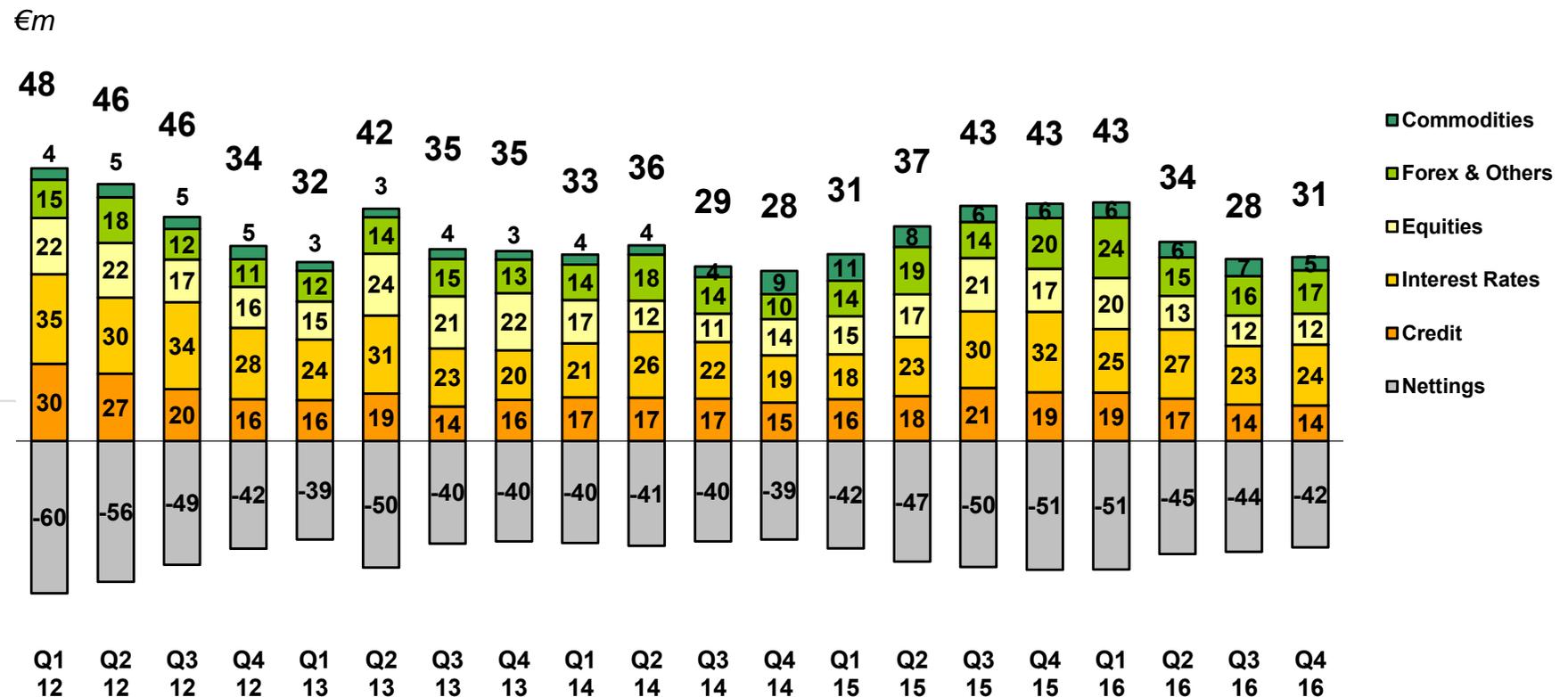
€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	1,284	1,053	+21.9%	1,490	-13.8%	5,650	5,710	-1.1%
<i>incl. FICC</i>	838	682	+22.9%	1,082	-22.6%	3,860	3,507	+10.0%
<i>incl. Equity & Prime Services</i>	446	371	+20.2%	408	+9.4%	1,791	2,203	-18.7%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-967	-980	-1.3%	-1,065	-9.2%	-4,355	-4,504	-3.3%
Gross Operating Income	317	73	n.s.	425	-25.5%	1,295	1,206	+7.4%
Cost of Risk	44	4	n.s.	5	n.s.	72	-80	n.s.
Operating Income	361	77	n.s.	430	-16.0%	1,367	1,125	+21.5%
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	-3	6	n.s.	5	n.s.	8	17	-51.4%
Other Non Operating Items	-8	-12	-33.2%	0	n.s.	-3	-15	-77.3%
Pre-Tax Income	350	72	n.s.	435	-19.5%	1,372	1,127	+21.7%
Cost/Income	75.3%	93.0%	-17.7 pt	71.4%	+3.9 pt	77.1%	78.9%	-1.8 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						9.0	9.5	-5.1%

- Revenues: +21.9% vs. 4Q15
 - Positive environment this quarter, robust client business
 - Very good growth of FICC driven by rates, credit and bond issues
 - Strong rise of Equity & Prime Services, good volumes growth
- Operating expenses: -1.3% vs. 4Q15
 - Positive effect of cost saving measures
 - Good cost control despite business growth
- Cost of risk: positive impact of net write-backs this quarter



Corporate and Institutional Banking Market Risks - 4Q16

Average 99% 1-day interval VaR



- VaR still at a very low level this quarter*

- One backtesting event this quarter (“hypothetical” loss** greater than VaR)
- Reminder: only 15 days of losses greater than VaR since 01.01.2007, i.e. less than 2 per year over a long period including the financial crisis, which confirms the soundness of the internal VaR calculation model (1 day, 99%)

* VaR calculated for the monitoring of market limits; ** Theoretical loss excluding intraday result, costs and commissions earned



Corporate and Institutional Banking

Corporate Banking - 4Q16

<i>€m</i>	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	1,071	1,126	-4.9%	958	+11.8%	3,994	4,007	-0.3%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-567	-606	-6.5%	-591	-4.0%	-2,451	-2,470	-0.8%
Gross Operating Income	504	520	-3.1%	368	+37.1%	1,544	1,536	+0.5%
Cost of Risk	-115	-69	+67.1%	-79	+46.2%	-292	-138	n.s.
Operating Income	388	451	-13.8%	289	+34.6%	1,251	1,398	-10.5%
Non Operating Items	14	-10	n.s.	-3	n.s.	13	159	-91.7%
Pre-Tax Income	402	441	-8.7%	286	+40.9%	1,265	1,558	-18.8%
Cost/Income	52.9%	53.8%	-0.9 pt	61.6%	-8.7 pt	61.4%	61.7%	-0.3 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						12.4	11.4	+8.7%

- Revenues: -4.9% vs. 4Q15
 - Decrease in Europe and in North America compared to a very good level in 4Q15 in which significant transactions had been booked, growth in Asia Pacific region
- Operating expenses: -6.5% vs. 4Q15
 - Effect of the cost saving measures
- Cost of risk
 - Impact of a specific file this quarter



Corporate and Institutional Banking Securities Services - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16 / 4Q15	3Q16	4Q16 / 3Q16	2016	2015	2016 / 2015
Revenues	466	433	+7.6%	457	+1.9%	1,824	1,790	+1.9%
Operating Expenses and Dep.	-380	-390	-2.6%	-367	+3.5%	-1,503	-1,483	+1.3%
Gross Operating Income	86	43	n.s.	90	-4.6%	321	307	+4.8%
Cost of Risk	2	3	-35.6%	0	n.s.	3	6	-46.5%
Operating Income	87	45	+93.3%	90	-3.0%	324	312	+3.8%
Non Operating Items	1	0	n.s.	1	-11.4%	1	-1	n.s.
Pre-Tax Income	88	45	+94.7%	91	-3.1%	325	312	+4.4%
Cost/Income	81.6%	90.1%	-8.5 pt	80.3%	+1.3 pt	82.4%	82.9%	-0.5 pt
Allocated Equity (€bn)						0.8	0.7	+13.1%

	31.12.16	31.12.15	%Var/ 31.12.15	30.09.16	%Var/ 30.09.16
Securities Services					
Assets under custody (€bn)	8,610	8,068	+6.7%	8,521	+1.0%
Assets under administration (€bn)	1,962	1,848	+6.2%	1,934	+1.5%
	4Q16	4Q15	4Q16/4Q15	3Q16	4Q16/3Q16
Number of transactions (million)	21.8	18.9	+15.2%	20.4	+6.9%

- Revenues: +7.6% vs. 4Q15
 - In connection with the growth in outstandings and transaction volumes
- Operating expenses: -2.6% vs. 4Q15
 - Effect of the cost saving measures



Corporate and Institutional Banking Transactions - 4Q16

 DANONE	<p>France / USA: Danone In the context of the USD 12.5bn planned acquisition of WhiteWave Foods: - Bookrunner, MLA and Underwriter of the USD 13.1bn bridge-to-bond - Joint Global Coordinator of EUR 6.2bn and USD 5.5bn bond issues <i>July & October 2016</i></p>	 ICBC 工银租赁	<p>China: ICBC Financial Leasing Company Limited USD 1.4bn dual-tranche bond issuance, 1st bond mandate from a Chinese Bank's on-shore leasing company Joint Global Coordinator / Joint Bookrunner / Joint Lead Manager <i>October 2016</i></p>
 SCOR <small>The Art & Science of Risk</small>	<p>France: SCOR EUR 300m 3-year Contingent Capital Equity Line Sole Structurer and Sole Underwriter <i>December 2016</i></p>		<p>Saudi Arabia: The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia USD 17.5bn multi-tranche inaugural issuance Joint Bookrunner and Joint Lead Manager <i>October 2016</i></p>
 SIEMENS	<p>Germany / USA: Siemens USD 4.5bn planned acquisition of Mentor Graphics Corp. Financial Advisor <i>November 2016</i></p>	 GEOX	<p>Italy: Geox EUR 70m Supplier Finance Programme, to support Geox's supplier base and to optimize its payment terms. <i>November 2016</i></p>
 UPS	<p>USA: UPS EUR 500m 12-year senior unsecured bond issue Active Bookrunner <i>October 2016</i></p>	 CNP <small>assurances</small>	<p>France: CNP Assurances EUR 1bn Tier 3 bond, maturity 2022 First EUR insurance Tier 3 ever and First publicly placed Awarded Insurance "Deal of the year" by Global Capital Sole Structuring Advisor and Joint Bookrunner <i>October 2016</i></p>



Corporate and Institutional Banking Ranking and Awards - 2016

- **World's Best Bank 2016** (*Euromoney, September 2016*)
- **Global Markets:**
 - Euro Bond House of the Year, Europe IG Corporate Bond House of the Year (*IFR Awards, December 2016*)
 - #1 All bonds in EUR and #1 Corporate bonds in EUR (*Dealogic, 2016*)
 - #9 All International bonds All Currencies (*Dealogic, 2016*)
 - Equity Derivatives House of the Year (*IFR Awards, December 2016*)
 - Institutional Structurer of the Year, Retail Structurer of the Year (*Structured Products Awards Europe, 2016*)
- **Securities Services:**
 - Best Provider of ESG Investor Services (*Global Custodian Industry Leaders Awards, 2016*)
- **Corporate Banking:**
 - #1 EMEA Syndicated Loan Bookrunner by volume and number of deals (*Dealogic, 2016*)
 - Aviation House of the Year (*Global Transport Finance, 2016*)
 - Global Best Trade Finance Bank (*Global Finance World's Best Trade Finance Providers, 2017*)
 - Global Bank of the Year for Financial Supply Chain Management (*TMI Awards for Innovation & Excellence, 2016*)
 - #1 EMEA Equity-Linked Bookrunner by number of deals and # 2 by volume (*Dealogic, 2016*)
 - #8 Global Equity-Linked and #10 EMEA All ECM Bookrunner by volume (*Dealogic, 2016*)



Corporate Centre - 4Q16

€m	4Q16	4Q15	3Q16	2016	2015
Revenues	70	151	-45	1,294	910
Operating Expenses and Dep. <i>Incl. Restructuring and Transformation Costs</i>	-330	-381	-381	-1,189	-1,336
Gross Operating income	-260	-230	-426	105	-426
Cost of Risk	-56	-24	13	-39	-51
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	0	-100	0	0	-100
Operating Income	-316	-354	-413	66	-577
Share of Earnings of Equity-Method Entities	13	5	22	83	46
Other non operating items	-136	-622	0	-204	-125
Pre-Tax Income	-440	-970	-391	-55	-656

● Revenues

- Own Credit Adjustment (OCA)* and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA)*: -€18m (+€160m in 4Q15)
- Good contribution of Principal Investments

● Operating expenses

- Restructuring costs of the acquisitions (LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank, GE LLD): -€48m (-€54m in 4Q15)
- CIB transformation costs: -€98m (€0m in 4Q15)
- Exceptional restructuring costs: -€7m (€0m in 4Q15)
- Reminder: Simple & Efficient transformation costs: €0m (-€232m in 4Q15)

● Other non operating elements

- Goodwill impairments: -€127m, full goodwill impairment of BGZ (-€993m in 4Q15, of which -€917m due to full goodwill impairment of BNL bc)
- Reminder: sale of the stake in Klépierre-Corio in 4Q15: +€352m

* Fair value takes into account any change in value attributable to issuer risk relating to the BNP Paribas Group. It is the replacement value of instruments, calculated by discounting the expected liabilities' profile, stemming from derivatives or securities issued by the Bank, using a discount rate corresponding to that of a similar instrument that could be issued by the BNP Paribas Group at the closing date



Corporate Centre - 2016

● Revenues

- Capital gain on the sale of Visa Europe shares: +€597m
- Own Credit Adjustment (OCA)* and own credit risk included in derivatives (DVA)*: -€59m (+€314m in 2015)
- Very good contribution of Principal Investments

● Operating expenses

- Restructuring costs related to the acquisitions (LaSer, Bank BGZ, DAB Bank and GE LLD): -€159m (-€171m in 2015)
- CIB transformation costs: -€395m (€0m in 2015)
- Exceptional restructuring costs: -€7m (€0m in 2015)
- Reminder: Simple & Efficient transformation costs: €0m (-€622m in 2015)

● Other non operating items

- Goodwill impairments of subsidiaries' shares: -€181m, of which -€127m for the full goodwill impairment of BGZ (-€993m in 2015, of which -€917m for the full goodwill impairment of BNL bc)
- 2015 reminders:
 - Sale of the stake in Klépierre-Corio: +€716m
 - Dilution capital gain due to the merger between Klépierre and Corio: +€123m
 - Capital gain from the sale of a non-core investment: +€20m (€74m at CIB-Corporate Banking)

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Group Results

Division Results

**Success of the 2014-2016 Business
Development Plan**

2020 Business Development Plan

4Q16 Detailed Results

Appendix



Number of Shares and Earnings per Share

> Number of Shares

<i>in millions</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Number of Shares (end of period)	1,247	1,246
Number of Shares excluding Treasury Shares (end of period)	1,246	1,245
Average number of Shares outstanding excluding Treasury Shares	1,244	1,243

> Earnings per Share

<i>in millions</i>	2016	2015
Average number of Shares outstanding excluding Treasury Shares	1,244	1,243
Net income attributable to equity holders	7,702	6,694
Remuneration net of tax of Undated Super Subordinated Notes	-357	-282
Exchange rate effect on reimbursed Undated Super Subordinated Notes	125	-27
Net income attributable to equity holders, after remuneration and exchange rate effect on Undated Super Subordinated Notes	7,470	6,385
Net Earnings per Share (EPS) in euros	6.00	5.14



Capital Ratios, Book Value per Share and Permanent Shareholders' Equity

> Capital Ratios

	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Total Capital Ratio (a)	14.5%	13.6%
Tier 1 Ratio (a)	12.9%	12.2%
Common equity Tier 1 ratio (a)	11.6%	11.0%

(a) Basel 3 (CRD4), taking into consideration CRR transitory provisions (but with full deduction of goodwill), on risk-weighted assets of €630 bn as at 31.12.15 and of €638 bn as at 31.12.16. Subject to the provisions of article 26.2 of (EU) regulation n° 575/2013. As at 31.12.16, the capital surplus of the financial conglomerate was estimated at €33.5bn

> Book Value per Share

<i>in millions of euros</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15	
Shareholders' Equity Group share	100,665	96,269	(1)
of which changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity (valuation reserve)	6,169	6,736	
of which Undated Super Subordinated Notes	8,430	7,855	(2)
of which remuneration net of tax payable to holders of Undated Super Subordinated Notes	91	99	(3)
Net Book Value (a)	92,144	88,315	(1)-(2)-(3)
Goodwill and intangibles	13,218	13,421	
Tangible Net Book Value (a)	78,926	74,894	
Number of Shares excluding Treasury Shares (end of period) in millions	1,246	1,245	
Book Value per Share (euros)	73.9	70.9	
of which book value per share excluding valuation reserve (euros)	69.0	65.5	
Net Tangible Book Value per Share (euros)	63.3	60.2	

(a) Excluding Undated Super Subordinated Notes and remuneration net of tax payable to holders of Undated Super Subordinated Notes

> Permanent Shareholders' Equity Group share, not revaluated

<i>in millions of euros</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15	
Net Book Value	92,144	88,315	(1)
of which changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity (valuation reserve)	6,169	6,736	(2)
of which proposed distribution of dividends	3,364	2,875	(3)
Permanent shareholders' equity, not revaluated (a)	82,611	78,704	(1)-(2)-(3)
Tangible permanent shareholders' equity, not revaluated (a)	69,393	65,283	

(a) Excluding Undated Super Subordinated Notes, remuneration net of tax payable to holders of Undated Super Subordinated Notes and after proposed distribution of dividends



Return on Equity

> Calculation of Return on Equity

<i>in millions of euros</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Net income Group share	7,702	6,694
Remuneration net of tax of Undated Super Subordinated Notes	-357	-282
Exchange rate effect on reimbursed Undated Super Subordinated Notes	125	-27
Net income Group share used for the calculation of ROE / ROTE	7,470	6,385
Exceptional items (after tax) (a)	-100	-644
Average permanent shareholders' equity, not revaluated (b)	80,657	76,772
Return on Equity	9.3%	8.3%
Return on Equity excluding exceptional items	9.4%	9.2%
Average tangible permanent shareholders' equity, not revaluated (c)	67,338	63,298
Return on Tangible Equity	11.1%	10.1%
Return on Tangible Equity excluding exceptional items	11.2%	11.1%

a) See slides 5 of FY 2016 results and of FY 2015 results

b) Average Permanent shareholders' equity: average of beginning of the year and end of the period, including notably net income excluding exceptional items.
(Permanent Shareholders' equity = Shareholders' equity attributable to shareholders - changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity - Undated Super Subordinated Notes - remuneration net of tax payable to holders of Undated Super Subordinated Notes - proposed distribution of dividends)

c) Average Tangible permanent shareholders' equity: average of beginning of the year and end of the period including notably net income excluding exceptional items.
(Tangible permanent shareholders' equity = permanent shareholders' equity - goodwill - intangible assets)



A Solid Financial Structure

> Doubtful loans/gross outstandings

	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Doubtful loans (a) / Loans (b)	3.8%	4.0%
(a) Doubtful loans to customers and credit institutions excluding repos, netted of guarantees		
(b) Gross outstanding loans to customers and credit institutions excluding repos		

> Coverage ratio

<i>€bn</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Doubtful loans (a)	31.2	30.7
Allowance for loan losses (b)	27.8	26.9
Coverage ratio	89%	88%
(a) Gross doubtful loans, balance sheet and off-balance sheet, netted of guarantees and collaterals		
(b) Specific and on a portfolio basis		

> Immediately available liquidity reserve

<i>€bn</i>	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Immediately available liquidity reserve (counterbalancing capacity) (a)	305	266
(a) Liquid market assets or eligible to central banks taking into account prudential standards, notably US standards, minus intra-day payment systems needs		



Ratio Common Equity Tier 1

> Basel 3 fully loaded common equity Tier 1 ratio* (Accounting capital to prudential capital reconciliation)

<i>€bn</i>	31-Dec-16	30-Sep-16	31-Dec-15
Consolidated Equity	105.2	103.2	100.1
Undated super subordinated notes	-8.4	-7.7	-7.9
Proposed distribution of dividends	-3.4**	-2.7	-2.9
Regulatory adjustments on equity***	-1.8	-2.9	-2.8
Regulatory adjustments on minority interests	-2.6	-2.4	-2.1
Goodwill and intangible assets	-13.4	-13.2	-13.5
Deferred tax assets related to tax loss carry forwards	-0.9	-0.9	-1.0
Other regulatory adjustments	-1.1	-1.1	-1.0
Common Equity Tier One capital	73.6	72.2	68.9
Risk-weighted assets	641	633	634
Common Equity Tier 1 Ratio	11.5%	11.4%	10.9%

*CRD4, taking into account all the rules of the CRD4 with no transitory provisions. Subject to the provisions of article 26.2 of (EU) regulation n°575/2013; Subject to the approval of AGM of 23 May 2017; *** Including Prudent Valuation Adjustment

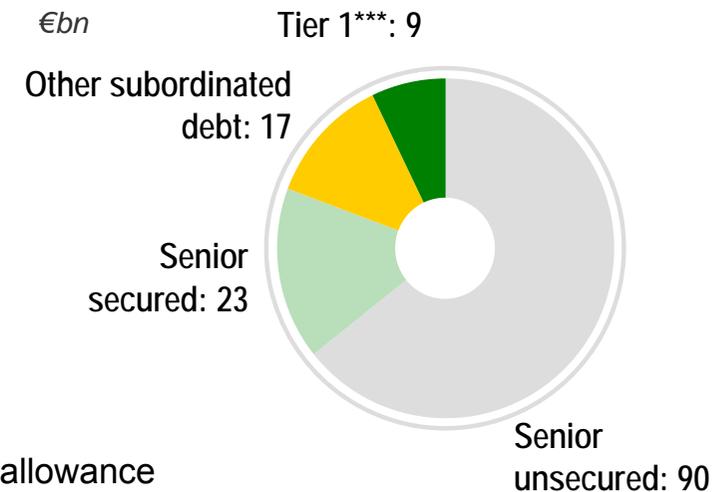


Wholesale Medium/Long-Term Funding 2016 Programme

> 2016: €25bn MLT funding programme completed

- Additional Tier 1: €2.0bn issued*
 - \$750m issued on 7 December 2016, perpetual Non Call 5.25, 6.75% coupon, over \$5bn order book, 364 investors
 - Reminder: \$1.5bn AT1 issued on 23 March 2016, perpetual Non Call 5, 7.625% coupon, 325 investors
- Tier 2: €4.5bn issued*
 - Mid-swap +198 bp on average, average maturity of 10.3 years**
- Senior debt: €18.5bn issued*
 - Average maturity of 5.8 years, mid-swap +51 bp on average
 - Of which €6.8bn of senior unsecured debt eligible to the 2.5% MREL allowance as at 01.01.2019
 - Of which €500m issued in covered bond at 7 years, mid-swap -10 bp by BNP Paribas Fortis in October 2016
 - Of which €500m inaugural issuance of green bond at 5.5 years, mid-swap +40 pb, in November 2016

> Wholesale MLT funding structure breakdown: €139bn as at 31.12.16 (excluding TLTRO)



2016 issuance programme completed at favourable conditions

* As at 31 December 2016; ** Including the Tier 2 prefunding of €750m issued in November 2015; *** Debt qualified prudentially as Tier 1 booked as subordinated debt or as equity



Wholesale Medium/Long-Term Funding 2017 Programme

> 2017: €25bn MLT funding programme

- Of which issues of capital instruments to be carried out with a total target objective of 3% by 2020*
- Of which non-preferred senior debt: €10bn (€2.7bn already completed as at 3 January 2017)
 - Inaugural issue of \$1.75bn in non-preferred senior debt, maturity of 7 years, T + 160 bp, order book of over \$5.5bn
 - Inaugural issue of €1.0bn in non-preferred senior debt, maturity of 6.75 years, mid-swap + 92 bp, order book of over €2.6bn
- Remaining part of the programme to be completed with structured products and, to a lesser extent, with covered bonds

> Evolution of existing Tier 1 and Tier 2 debt (outstanding as at 01.01.17; eligible or admitted to grandfathering)**

<i>in €bn</i>	01.01.17	01.01.2018	01.01.2019
AT1	9	8	7
T2	13	12	12

> Success of both inaugural issues of non-preferred senior debt

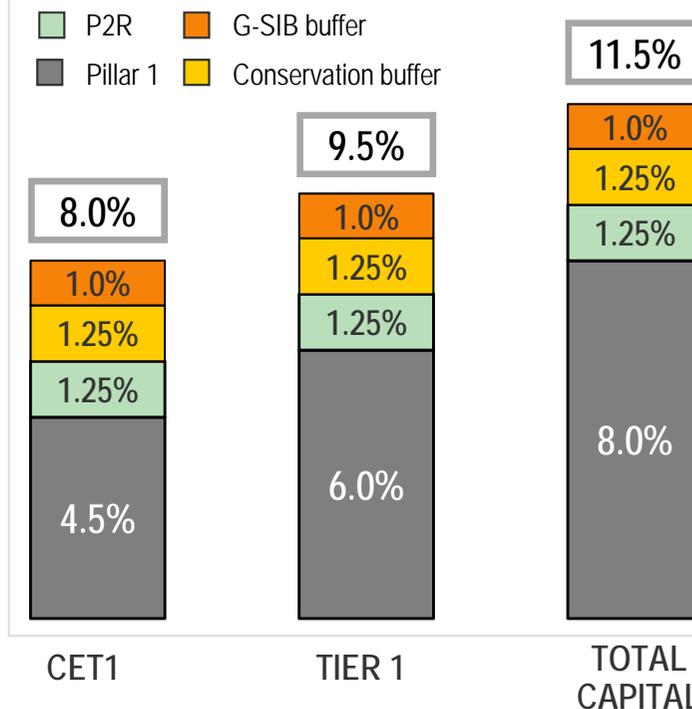
* Subject to market conditions; ** Evolution taking into account prudential amortisation of instruments outstanding as at 01.01.17, excluding future issuances, assuming callable institutional instruments are called at the first call date



Distance to Maximum Distributable Amount Restrictions

- Reminder: since 2016 SREP, Pillar 2 is composed of:
 - “Pillar 2 Requirement ” (public), applicable to CET1, Tier 1 and Total Capital ratios
 - “Pillar 2 Guidance” (non public), non applicable for distributable amount restrictions (MDA - Maximum Distributable Amount*)
- 2017 Capital requirements:
 - CET1: 8.0%
 - Tier 1: 9.5%
 - Total Capital: 11.5%
- Distance as at 01.01.17 to Maximum Distributable Amount* restrictions equal to the lowest of the 3 calculated amounts: €19.1bn

> Capital requirements as at 01.01.17



	CET1	TIER 1	TOTAL CAPITAL
Phased in ratios of BNP Paribas as at 31.12.2016	11.6%	12.9%	14.5%
Distance** as at 01.01.17 to Maximum Distributable Amount* restrictions	3.6% €23.0bn	3.4% €21.5bn	3.0% €19.1bn



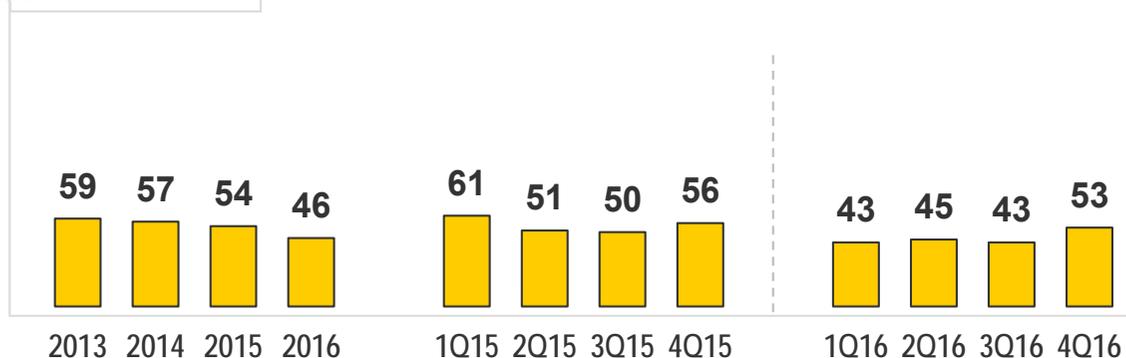
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Variation in the Cost of Risk by Business Unit (1/3)

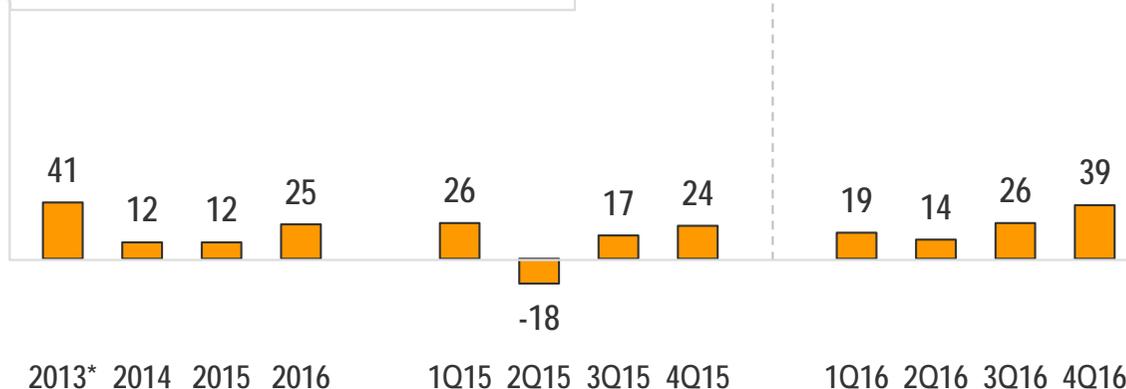
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in annualised bp)

> Group



- Cost of risk: €950m
 - +€186m vs. 3Q16
 - -€18m vs. 4Q15
- Decrease in the cost of risk vs. 4Q15

> CIB - Corporate Banking



- Cost of risk: €115m
 - +€37m vs. 3Q16
 - +€46m vs. 4Q15
- Cost of risk still low
 - Impact of a specific file

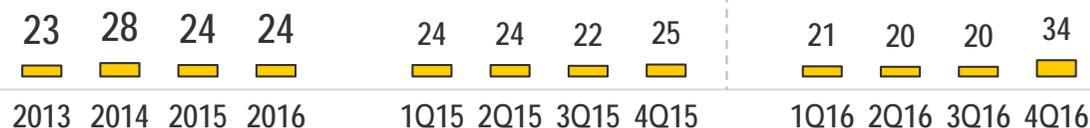
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Variation in the Cost of Risk by Business Unit (2/3)

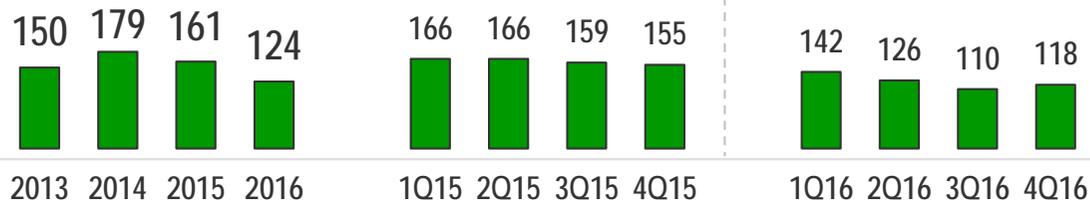
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in annualised bp)

> FRB



- Cost of risk: €124m
 - +€53m vs. 3Q16
 - +€37m vs. 4Q15
- Cost of risk still low
 - Impact of a specific file

> BNL bc



- Cost of risk: €229m
 - +€14m vs. 3Q16
 - -€72m vs. 4Q15
- Continued decrease in the cost of risk

> BRB



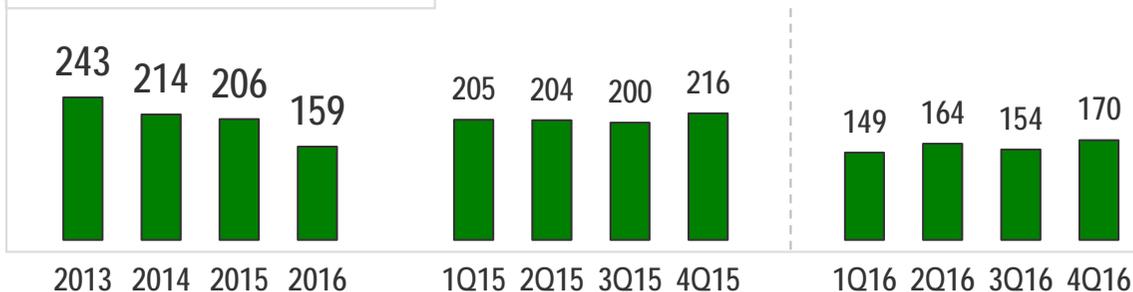
- Cost of risk: €9m
 - -€10m vs. 3Q16
 - -€43m vs. 4Q15
- Very low cost of risk



Variation in the Cost of Risk by Business Unit (3/3)

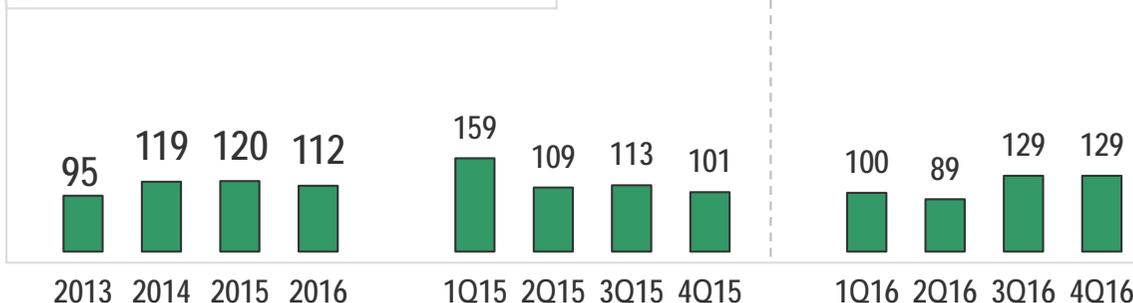
Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period (in annualised bp)

> Personal Finance



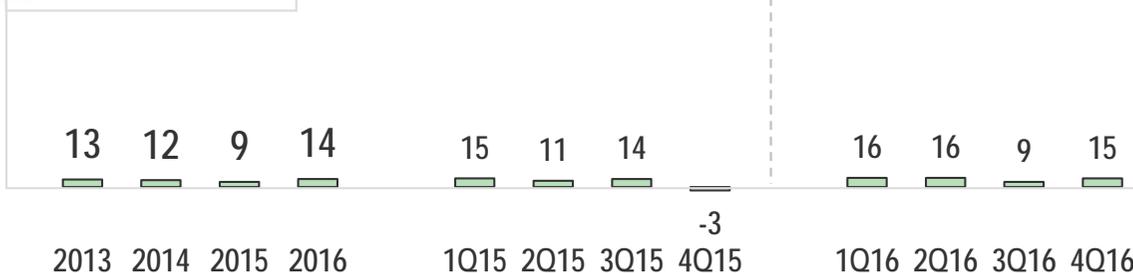
- Cost of risk: €269m
 - +€29m vs. 3Q16
 - -€39m vs. 4Q15
- Sharp decline in the cost of risk vs. 4Q15
 - Effect of low interest rates and the growing positioning on products with a better risk profile (car loans in particular)

> Europe-Mediterranean



- Cost of risk: €127m
 - Stable vs. 3Q16
 - +€31m vs. 4Q15
- Rise in the cost of risk in Turkey (~stable vs. 3Q16)

> BancWest



- Cost of risk: €23m
 - +€9m vs. 3Q16
 - +€27m vs. 4Q15
- Cost of risk still low



Cost of Risk on Outstandings (1/2)

> Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period *(in annualised bp)*

	2013	2014	1Q15	2Q15	3Q15	4Q15	2015	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16	2016
Domestic Markets*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	340.5	335.2	338.4	338.3	341.5	338.4	339.2	341.4	341.1	347.2	348.0	344.4
Cost of risk (€m)	1,848	2,074	490	433	419	471	1,812	399	388	329	399	1,515
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	54	62	58	51	49	56	53	47	46	38	46	44
FRB*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	147.1	143.4	145.6	145.2	146.1	142.1	144.7	142.9	142.0	145.4	146.8	144.3
Cost of risk (€m)	343	402	89	87	79	88	343	73	72	72	124	342
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	23	28	24	24	22	25	24	21	20	20	34	24
BNL bc*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	80.1	78.1	77.5	76.8	77.6	77.6	77.4	77.3	76.9	78.1	77.4	77.4
Cost of risk (€m)	1,205	1,398	321	318	309	300	1,248	274	242	215	229	959
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	150	179	166	166	159	155	161	142	126	110	118	124
BRB*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	87.7	88.4	90.1	90.8	92.0	93.0	91.5	95.0	96.1	97.4	97.1	96.4
Cost of risk (€m)	142	131	34	2	-2	52	85	21	49	19	9	98
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	16	15	15	1	-1	22	9	9	20	8	4	10

*With Private Banking at 100%



Cost of Risk on Outstandings (2/2)

> Cost of risk/Customer loans at the beginning of the period *(in annualised bp)*

	2013	2014	1Q15	2Q15	3Q15	4Q15	2015	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16	2016
BancWest*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	41.8	43.3	50.5	57.1	55.7	56.8	55.0	60.1	58.0	61.1	61.8	60.3
Cost of risk (€m)	54	50	19	16	19	-4	50	25	23	14	23	85
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	13	12	15	11	14	-3	9	16	16	9	15	14
Europe-Mediterranean*												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	28.5	30.0	37.6	40.0	39.6	38.0	38.8	38.6	39.0	39.5	39.3	39.1
Cost of risk (€m)	272	357	150	109	112	96	466	96	87	127	127	437
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	95	119	159	109	113	101	120	100	89	129	129	112
Personal Finance												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	45.2	51.3	56.9	56.5	57.4	57.1	57.0	59.4	60.6	62.3	63.4	61.4
Cost of risk (€m)	1,098	1,095	292	288	287	309	1,176	221	248	240	269	979
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	243	214	205	204	200	216	206	149	164	154	170	159
CIB - Corporate Banking												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	106.0	105.3	113.6	118.8	118.7	114.9	116.5	117.9	118.2	120.4	118.3	118.7
Cost of risk (€m)	437	131	73	-55	50	69	138	55	42	79	115	292
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	41	12	26	-18	17	24	12	19	14	26	39	25
Group**												
Loan outstandings as of the beg. of the quarter (€bn)	644.5	647.2	682.0	709.9	710.9	692.7	698.9	703.2	702.2	717.5	716.1	709.8
Cost of risk (€m)	3,801	3,705	1,044	903	882	968	3,797	757	791	764	950	3,262
Cost of risk (in annualised bp)	59	57	61	51	50	56	54	43	45	43	53	46

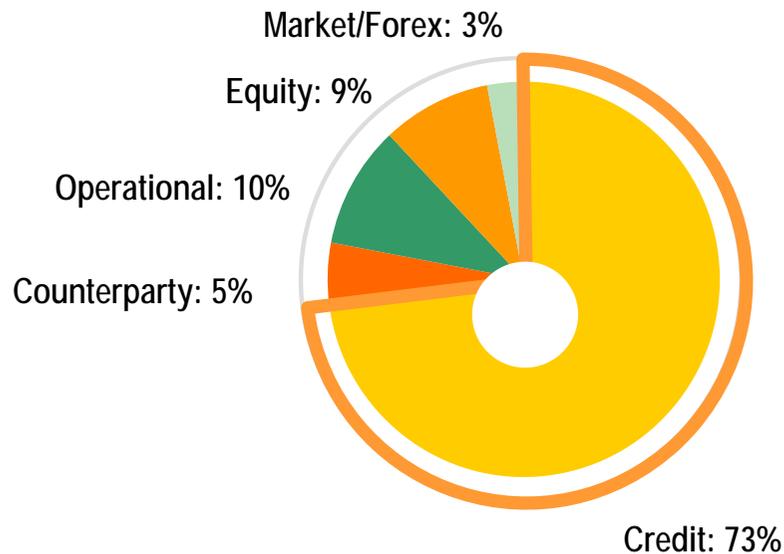
* With Private Banking at 100%; ** Including cost of risk of market activities, Investment Solutions (until end 2014), International Financial Services and Corporate Centre



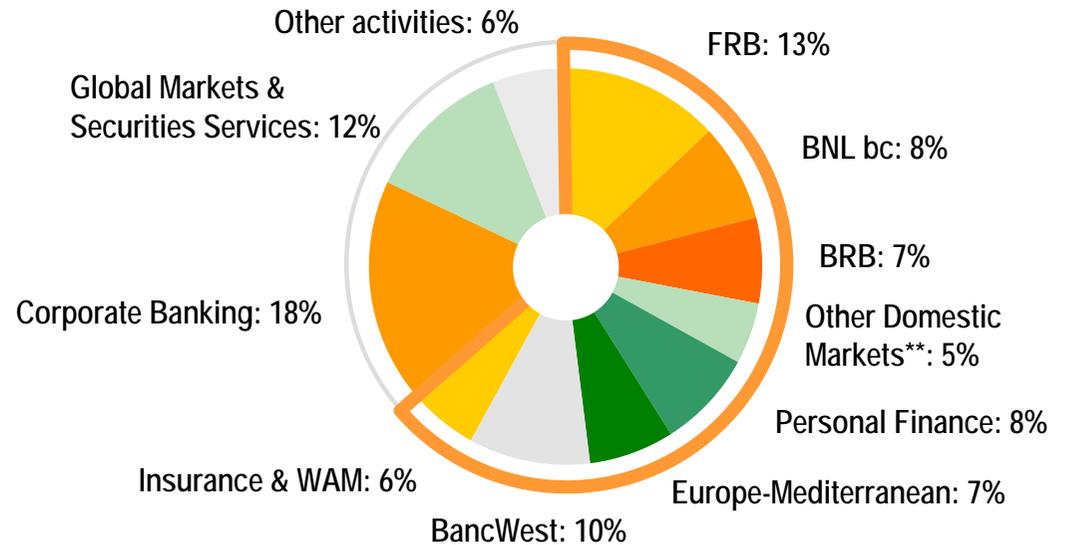
Basel 3* Risk-Weighted Assets

- Basel 3* risk-weighted assets: €641bn (€634bn as at 31.12.15)
 - Increase in particular of risk-weighted assets related to credit risk and counterparty risks

> **Basel 3* risk weighted assets by type of risk as at 31.12.2016**



> **Basel 3* risk-weighted assets by business as at 31.12.2016**

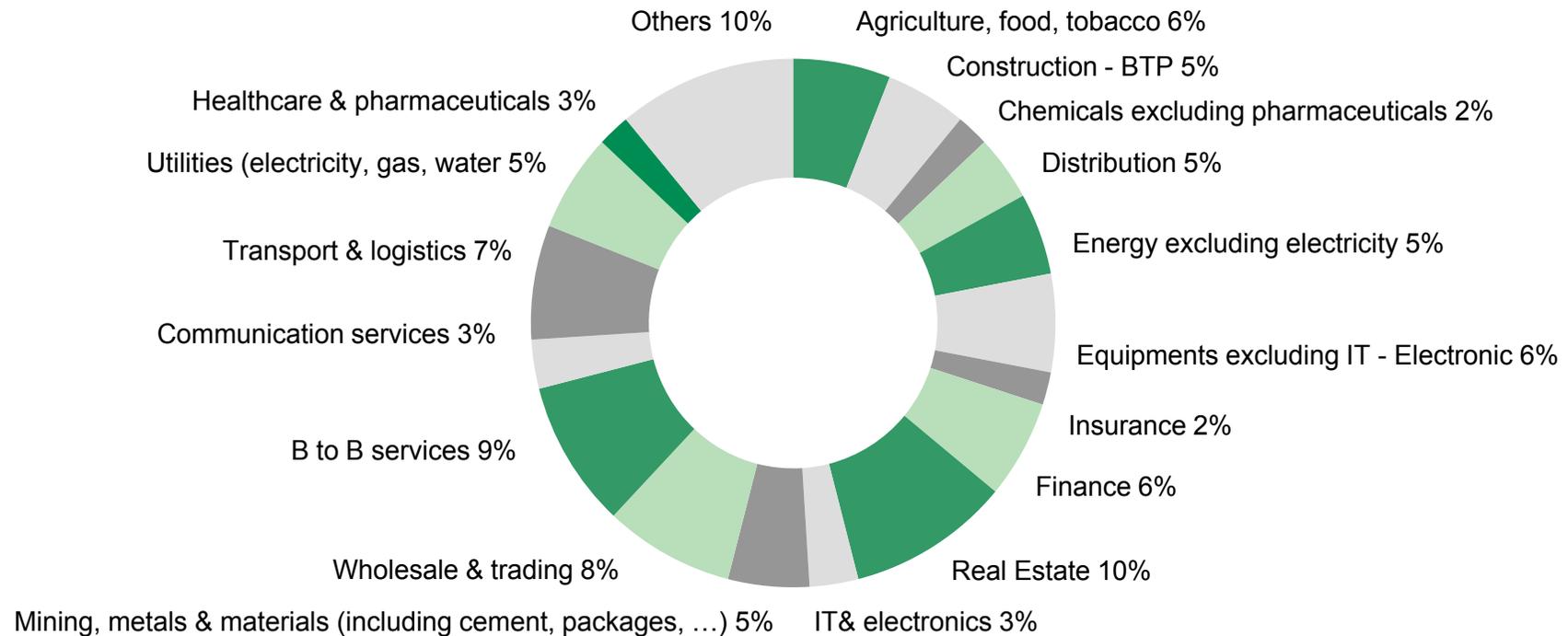


> **Retail Banking and Services: 64%**

* CRD4; ** Including Luxembourg



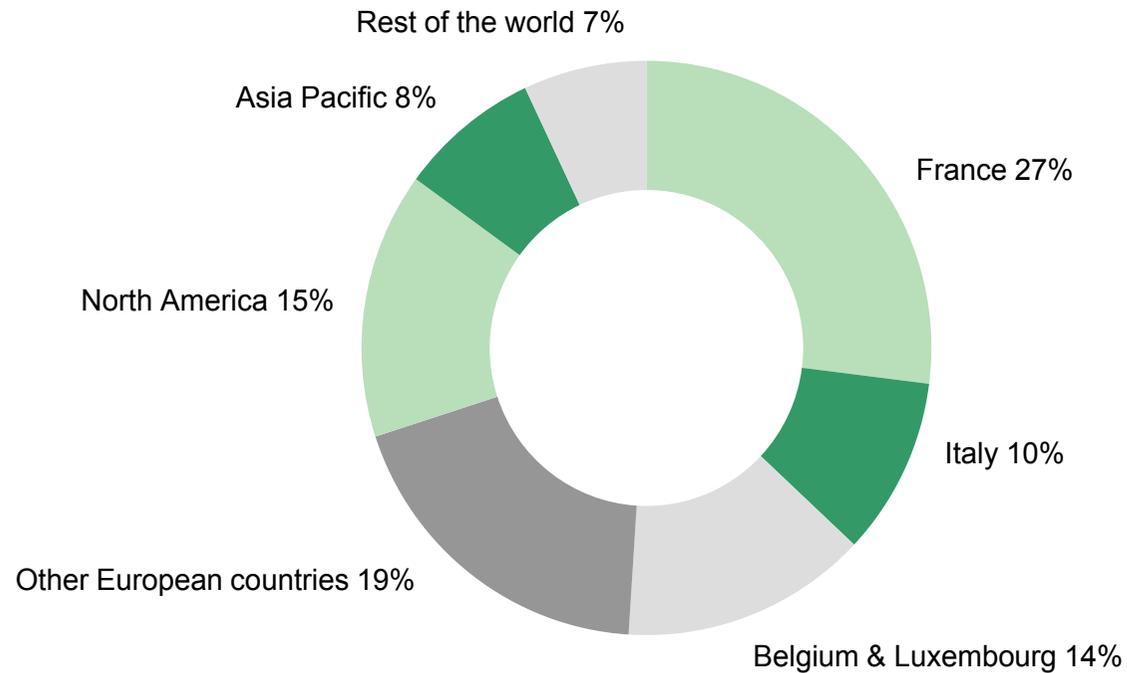
Breakdown of Commitments by Industry (Corporate Asset Class)



Total gross commitments on and off-balance sheet, unweighted (corporate asset class) = €621bn as at 31.12.2016



Breakdown of Commitments by Region



**Total gross commitments on and off balance sheet,
unweighted = €1,438bn as at 31.12.2016**



**PUBLICATION OF THE AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF BNP
PARIBAS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016**

BNP Paribas have released the following audited Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 on 7 March 2017.



CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Year ended 31 December 2016



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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union

The consolidated financial statements of the BNP Paribas Group are presented for the years ended 31 December 2016 and 31 December 2015. In accordance with Article 20.1 of Annex I of European Commission Regulation (EC) 809/2004, the consolidated financial statements for 2014 are provided in the registration document filed with the Autorité des marchés financiers on 9 March 2016 under number D.16-0126.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

In millions of euros	Notes	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Interest income	2.a	40,894	41,381
Interest expense	2.a	(18,518)	(18,828)
Commission income	2.b	12,765	13,335
Commission expense	2.b	(5,563)	(5,720)
Net gain on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	2.c	6,189	6,054
Net gain on available-for-sale financial assets and other financial assets not measured at fair value	2.d	2,211	1,485
Income from other activities	2.e	36,532	38,289
Expense on other activities	2.e	(31,099)	(33,058)
REVENUES		43,411	42,938
Salary and employee benefit expense	6.a	(16,402)	(16,061)
Other operating expenses	2.f	(11,279)	(11,539)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	4.n	(1,697)	(1,654)
GROSS OPERATING INCOME		14,033	13,684
Cost of risk	2.g	(3,262)	(3,797)
Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities	2.h	-	(100)
OPERATING INCOME		10,771	9,787
Share of earnings of equity-method entities	4.m	633	589
Net gain on non-current assets		(12)	996
Goodwill	4.o	(182)	(993)
PRE-TAX INCOME		11,210	10,379
Corporate income tax	2.i	(3,095)	(3,335)
NET INCOME		8,115	7,044
Net income attributable to minority interests		413	350
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS		7,702	6,694
Basic earnings per share	7.a	6.00	5.14
Diluted earnings per share	7.a	6.00	5.13

STATEMENT OF NET INCOME AND CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES RECOGNISED DIRECTLY IN EQUITY

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Net income for the period	8,115	7,044
Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	(805)	1,086
Items that are or may be reclassified to profit or loss	(589)	629
- Changes in exchange rate items	324	531
- Changes in fair value of available-for-sale financial assets, including those reclassified as loans and receivables	500	619
- Changes in fair value of available-for-sale financial assets reported in net income, including those reclassified as loans and receivables	(1,132)	(441)
- Changes in fair value of hedging instruments	(196)	(176)
- Changes in fair value of hedging instruments reported in net income	(2)	(22)
- Changes in equity-method investments	(83)	118
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(216)	457
- Remeasurement gains (losses) related to post-employment benefit plans	(202)	455
- Changes in equity-method investments	(14)	2
Total	7,310	8,130
- Attributable to equity shareholders	6,925	7,790
- Attributable to minority interests	385	340

BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 2016

In millions of euros	Notes	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
ASSETS			
Cash and amounts due from central banks		160,400	134,547
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss			
Trading securities	4.a	123,679	133,500
Loans and repurchase agreements	4.a	152,242	131,783
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	4.a	87,644	83,076
Derivative financial instruments	4.a	328,162	336,624
Derivatives used for hedging purposes	4.b	18,133	18,063
Available-for-sale financial assets	4.c	267,559	258,933
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions	4.f	47,411	43,427
Loans and receivables due from customers	4.g	712,233	682,497
Remeasurement adjustment on interest-rate risk hedged portfolios		4,664	4,555
Held-to-maturity financial assets	4.j	6,100	7,757
Current and deferred tax assets	4.k	7,966	7,865
Accrued income and other assets	4.l	115,967	108,018
Equity-method investments	4.m	6,910	6,896
Investment property	4.n	1,911	1,639
Property, plant and equipment	4.n	22,523	21,593
Intangible assets	4.n	3,239	3,104
Goodwill	4.o	10,216	10,316
TOTAL ASSETS		2,076,959	1,994,193
LIABILITIES			
Due to central banks		233	2,385
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss			
Trading securities	4.a	70,326	82,544
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	4.a	183,206	156,771
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	4.a	54,076	53,118
Derivative financial instruments	4.a	318,740	325,828
Derivatives used for hedging purposes	4.b	19,626	21,068
Due to credit institutions	4.f	75,660	84,146
Due to customers	4.g	765,953	700,309
Debt securities	4.i	153,422	159,447
Remeasurement adjustment on interest-rate risk hedged portfolios		4,202	3,946
Current and deferred tax liabilities	4.k	3,087	2,993
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	4.l	99,407	88,629
Technical reserves of insurance companies	4.p	193,626	185,043
Provisions for contingencies and charges	4.q	11,801	11,345
Subordinated debt	4.i	18,374	16,544
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,971,739	1,894,116
CONSOLIDATED EQUITY			
<i>Share capital, additional paid-in capital and retained earnings</i>		86,794	82,839
<i>Net income for the period attributable to shareholders</i>		7,702	6,694
Total capital, retained earnings and net income for the period attributable to shareholders		94,496	89,533
Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity		6,169	6,736
Shareholders' equity		100,665	96,269
Retained earnings and net income for the period attributable to minority interests		4,460	3,691
Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity		95	117
Total minority interests		4,555	3,808
TOTAL CONSOLIDATED EQUITY		105,220	100,077
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		2,076,959	1,994,193

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

In millions of euros	Notes	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Pre-tax income		11,210	10,379
Non-monetary items included in pre-tax net income and other adjustments		12,474	18,354
Net depreciation/amortisation expense on property, plant and equipment and intangible assets		4,444	3,764
Impairment of goodwill and other non-current assets		155	989
Net addition to provisions		10,241	12,662
Share of earnings of equity-method entities		(633)	(589)
Net expense (income) from investing activities		56	(889)
Net expense from financing activities		1,232	2,545
Other movements		(3,021)	(128)
Net increase (decrease) in cash related to assets and liabilities generated by operating activities		1,977	(8,408)
Net decrease in cash related to transactions with credit institutions		(19,515)	(7,121)
Net increase (decrease) in cash related to transactions with customers		25,749	(1,780)
Net increase in cash related to transactions involving other financial assets and liabilities		3,045	7,021
Net decrease in cash related to transactions involving non-financial assets and liabilities		(5,163)	(4,153)
Taxes paid		(2,139)	(2,375)
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS GENERATED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES		25,661	20,325
Net increase in cash related to acquisitions and disposals of consolidated entities		468	150
Net decrease related to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets		(1,485)	(1,756)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS RELATED TO INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(1,017)	(1,606)
Decrease in cash and equivalents related to transactions with shareholders		(1,834)	(645)
Decrease in cash and equivalents generated by other financing activities		(2,608)	(5,069)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS RELATED TO FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(4,442)	(5,714)
EFFECT OF MOVEMENT IN EXCHANGE RATES ON CASH AND EQUIVALENTS		2,587	8,176
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS		22,789	21,181
Balance of cash and equivalent accounts at the start of the period		133,174	111,993
Cash and amounts due from central banks		134,547	117,473
Due to central banks		(2,385)	(1,680)
On demand deposits with credit institutions	4.f	9,346	7,924
On demand loans from credit institutions	4.f	(8,527)	(11,618)
Deduction of receivables and accrued interest on cash and equivalents		193	(106)
Balance of cash and equivalent accounts at the end of the period		155,963	133,174
Cash and amounts due from central banks		160,400	134,547
Due to central banks		(233)	(2,385)
On demand deposits with credit institutions	4.f	6,513	9,346
On demand loans from credit institutions	4.f	(10,775)	(8,527)
Deduction of receivables and accrued interest on cash and equivalents		58	193
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS		22,789	21,181

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS'

In millions of euros	Capital and retained earnings						
	Attributable to shareholders				Minority interests		
	Share capital and additional paid-in capital	Undated Super Subordinated Notes	Non-distributed reserves	Total	Capital and retained earnings	Preferred shares eligible as Tier 1 capital	Total
Capital and retained earnings at 31 December 2014	26,971	6,589	49,807	83,367	4,025	73	4,098
Appropriation of net income for 2014			(1,867)	(1,867)	(131)		(131)
Increases in capital and issues	19	2,094		2,113			-
Reduction or redemption of capital		(862)	(29)	(891)			-
Movements in own equity instruments	(93)	34	(56)	(115)			-
Share-based payment plans			7	7			-
Remuneration on preferred shares and undated super subordinated notes			(257)	(257)	(2)		(2)
Impact of internal transactions on minority shareholders (note 7.d)			(2)	(2)	2		2
Movements in consolidation scope impacting minority shareholders			(2)	(2)	(521)		(521)
Acquisitions of additional interests or partial sales of interests (note 7.d)			(3)	(3)	(4)		(4)
Change in commitments to repurchase minority shareholders' interests			49	49	(103)		(103)
Other movements			(11)	(11)	(4)		(4)
Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity			451	451	6		6
Net income for 2015			6,694	6,694	350		350
Capital and retained earnings at 31 December 2015	26,897	7,855	54,781	89,533	3,618	73	3,691
Appropriation of net income for 2015			(2,877)	(2,877)	(112)		(112)
Increases in capital and issues	29	2,035	(5)	2,059			-
Reduction or redemption of capital	(3)	(1,437)	125	(1,315)			-
Movements in own equity instruments	25	(23)	3	5			-
Share-based payment plans			1	1			-
Remuneration on preferred shares and undated super subordinated notes			(365)	(365)	(2)		(2)
Impact of internal transactions on minority shareholders (note 7.d)			4	4	(4)		(4)
Movements in consolidation scope impacting minority shareholders					3		3
Acquisitions of additional interests or partial sales of interests (note 7.d)			(32)	(32)	494		494
Change in commitments to repurchase minority shareholders' interests			(2)	(2)	(7)		(7)
Other movements			(7)	(7)	(10)		(10)
Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity			(210)	(210)	(6)		(6)
Net income for 2016			7,702	7,702	413		413
Capital and retained earnings at 31 December 2016	26,948	8,430	59,118	94,496	4,387	73	4,460

EQUITY BETWEEN 1 JAN. 2015 AND 31 DEC. 2016

Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity						Total equity
Attributable to shareholders				Minority interests	Total equity	
Exchange rates	Financial assets available for sale and reclassified as loans and receivables	Derivatives used for hedging purposes	Total			
(291)	4,865	1,517	6,091	133	93,689	
					(1,998)	
					2,113	
					(891)	
					(115)	
					7	
					(259)	
					-	
					(523)	
					(7)	
					(54)	
					(15)	
616	201	(172)	645	(16)	1,086	
					7,044	
325	5,066	1,345	6,736	117	100,077	
					(2,989)	
					2,059	
					(1,315)	
					5	
					1	
					(367)	
					-	
					3	
					462	
					(9)	
					(17)	
320	(694)	(193)	(567)	(22)	(805)	
					8,115	
645	4,372	1,152	6,169	95	105,220	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES APPLIED BY THE BNP PARIBAS GROUP

1.a ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

1.a.1 APPLICABLE ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

The consolidated financial statements of the BNP Paribas Group have been prepared in accordance with international accounting standards (International Financial Reporting Standards – IFRS), as adopted for use in the European Union¹. Accordingly, certain provisions of IAS 39 on hedge accounting have been excluded, and certain recent texts have not yet undergone the approval process.

The introduction of standards which are mandatory as of 1 January 2016 has no effect on the 2016 financial statements.

The Group did not choose to early-adopt the new standards, amendments, and interpretations adopted by the European Union, whose application in 2016 was optional.

Information on the nature and extent of risks relating to financial instruments as required by IFRS 7 “Financial Instruments: Disclosures” and to insurance contracts as required by IFRS 4 “Insurance Contracts”, along with information on regulatory capital required by IAS 1 “Presentation of Financial Statements” is presented in Chapter 5 of the Registration document. This information, which is an integral part of the notes to the BNP Paribas Group’s consolidated financial statements, is covered by the opinion of the Statutory Auditors concerning the consolidated financial statements, and is identified in the Annual Report by the word “Audited”.

1.a.2 NEW MAJOR ACCOUNTING STANDARDS, PUBLISHED BUT NOT YET APPLICABLE

IFRS 9 “Financial Instruments”

IFRS 9 “Financial Instruments”, issued by the IASB in July 2014, will replace IAS 39 Financial Instruments: recognition and measurement, related to the classification and measurement of financial instruments. It sets out the new principles for the classification and measurement of financial instruments, for impairment for credit risk on debt instruments measured at amortised cost or at fair value through shareholders’ equity, loan commitments given, financial guarantee contracts, lease receivables and contract assets, as well as for general hedge accounting (i.e. micro hedging).

IFRS 9, which was adopted by the European Union on 22 November 2016, is mandatory for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018.

⁽¹⁾ The full set of standards adopted for use in the European Union can be found on the website of the European Commission at: http://ec.europa.eu/internal_market/accounting/ias_en.htm#adopted-commission.

Classification and measurement

According to IFRS 9, classification and measurement of financial assets will depend on the business model and the contractual characteristics of the instruments. On initial recognition, financial assets will be measured at amortised cost, at fair value through shareholders' equity (on a separate line), or at fair value through profit or loss.

It will no longer be possible to recognise derivatives embedded in financial assets separately from the host contract.

Application of the criteria relating to the business model and the contractual characteristics of the instruments may lead to different classification and measurement of some financial assets compared with IAS 39.

Debt instruments (loans, receivables or debt securities) will be classified at amortised cost, at fair value through shareholders' equity (on a separate line), or at fair value through profit or loss.

- They will be classified at amortised cost if the business model objective is to hold the financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows, and if the contractual cash flows solely consist of payments relating to principal and interest on the principal.
- They will be classified at fair value through shareholders' equity if the business model is achieved by both holding the financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and selling the assets and if the cash flows solely consist of payments relating to principal and interest on the principal. Upon disposal, amounts previously recognised in shareholders' equity will be transferred to profit or loss.
- All debt instruments not eligible for classification at amortised cost or at fair value through shareholders' equity will be presented at fair value through profit or loss.

Debt instruments may only be designated as at fair value through profit or loss if the use of this option enables the entity to eliminate or significantly reduce an accounting mismatch in profit or loss.

Investments in equity instruments such as shares will be classified as instruments at fair value through profit or loss, or, as an option, as instruments at fair value through shareholders' equity (on a separate line). In the latter case, upon disposal of equity instruments classified at fair value through shareholders' equity, amounts previously recognised in shareholders' equity shall not be transferred to profit or loss. Only dividends will be recognised in profit or loss.

With respect to financial liabilities, the only change introduced by IFRS 9 relates to recognition of changes in fair value attributable to changes in the credit risk of the liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss (fair value option), which will be recognised on a separate line in shareholders' equity and no longer through profit or loss.

The provisions of IAS 39 concerning the derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities have been maintained in IFRS 9 without any modification. Moreover, IFRS 9 provides details on the accounting treatment of modified assets, depending on whether they are derecognised or not.

Based on existing business models, the main classifications would be expected to be as follows:

- Apart from those not complying with the contractual characteristics criterion, loans and receivables due from credit institutions and customers and repurchase agreements recognised in "Loans and receivables" under IAS 39 should be eligible to amortised cost under IFRS 9;
- Treasury bills, Government bonds and other fixed-income securities classified as "Available-for-sale financial assets" under IAS 39 should be recognised at amortised cost or at fair value through shareholders' equity depending on the business model, apart from those not complying with the contractual characteristics criterion;
- Financial assets classified at fair value through profit or loss under IAS 39 should remain in this category under IFRS 9;
- The majority of investments in equity instruments are likely to be classified as instruments at fair value through profit or loss, making income more volatile than under IAS 39. Some of these investments are likely to be classified at fair value through shareholders' equity.

Impairment

IFRS 9 establishes a new credit risk impairment model based on expected losses.

This model will apply to loans and debt instruments measured at amortised cost or at fair value through shareholders' equity (on a separate line), to loan commitments and financial guarantees not recognised at fair value, as well as to lease receivables.

Under the impairment model in IAS 39, an impairment loss is recognised when there is an objective evidence of a decrease in value. Counterparties that are not individually impaired are risk-assessed on the basis of portfolios with similar characteristics, and groups of counterparties which, as a result of events occurring since inception of the loans, present objective indication of impairment, are subject to a portfolio-based impairment. Moreover, the Group may recognise additional collective impairment with respect to a given economic sector or geographic area affected by exceptional economic events.

The new impairment model under IFRS 9 requires accounting for 12-month expected credit losses (that result from the risk of default in the next 12 months) on the financial instruments issued or acquired, as of the date of initial recognition on the balance sheet.

Expected credit losses at maturity (that result from the risk of default over the life of the financial instrument) must be recognised if the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition.

Financial assets for which a 12-month expected credit loss will be recognised, will be included in "Stage 1". Interest income will be measured according to the effective interest method using the financial asset's gross value (before impairment).

Financial assets for which the credit risk has increased significantly since the initial recognition will be included in "Stage 2". Interest income will be measured according to the effective interest method using the financial asset's gross value (before impairment).

Significant increase in the credit risk will be assessed on an individual basis or on a collective basis (by grouping the financial instruments according to common credit risk characteristics) by taking into consideration all reasonable and supportable information and comparing the default risk of the financial instrument at the reporting date with the default risk on the date of its initial recognition.

Assessment of deterioration will be measured by comparing probability of default/ratings on the date of initial recognition and those existing on the reporting date.

Under the standard, there is also a rebuttable presumption that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 30 days past due.

The standard suggests that it may be assumed that the credit risk of a financial instrument has not increased significantly since initial recognition if this risk is considered to be low on the reporting date (for example, a financial instrument which has an 'investment grade' rating). This provision could be applied to debt securities.

The amount of expected credit loss will be measured on the basis of probability-weighted scenarios, in view of past events, current conditions and reasonable and supportable economic forecasts.

Financial assets for which there is objective evidence of a decrease in value as a result of an event occurring after inception of the loan or acquisition of the asset will be considered as impaired and be included in "Stage 3". Criteria for identifying impaired assets will be similar to those prevailing under IAS 39. Interest income will be measured according to the effective interest method using the financial asset's net value (after impairment).

Treatment of restructuring for financial difficulties is likely to remain similar to that prevailing under IAS 39.

The new impairment model is likely to result in an increase in impairment for credit risk since all financial assets will be subject to a 12-month expected credit loss assessment. Moreover, the scope of the assets for which there is a significant increase in credit risk could be different from the scope of assets for which portfolio-based impairment was recognised under IAS 39.

Furthermore, the impairment model of IFRS 9 is based on more forward-looking information than that of IAS 39, inducing a more volatile amount of expected credit losses.

The Group is considering using existing concepts and methods (in particular the Basel framework) on exposures for which the capital requirement for credit risk is measured according to the IRBA methodology. This method will also need to be applied to portfolios for which the capital requirement for credit risk is measured according to the standardised approach. Moreover, the Basel framework will need to be supplemented with the specific provisions of IFRS 9, in particular the use of forward-looking information.

Methods of measuring expected credit losses will be based on 3 main parameters: the probability of default ("PD"), loss given default ("LGD") and exposure at default ("EAD") in light of amortisation profiles. Expected credit losses will be measured as the product of the PD, LGD and EAD.

Hedge accounting

The objective of the hedge accounting model under IFRS 9 is to better reflect risk management, especially by expanding the eligible hedging instruments and eliminating some overly prescriptive rules. On initial application of IFRS 9, the Group may choose either to apply the new hedge accounting provisions or to maintain the hedge accounting principles under IAS 39 until the new macro hedging standard comes into force. Irrespective of the chosen hedge accounting option, additional information will be required in the notes to the financial statements concerning risk management and the impacts of the hedge accounting on the financial statements.

IFRS 9 does not explicitly address the fair value hedge of the interest rate risk on a portfolio of financial assets or liabilities. The provisions of IAS 39 for these portfolio hedges, as adopted by the European Union, will continue to apply.

Based on the analyses made to date, the Group is considering maintaining all the provisions of IAS 39 for hedge accounting.

Transition

The IFRS 9 classification and measurement provisions, as well as its new impairment model, are applicable retrospectively by adjusting the opening balance sheet on the date of first application, without any obligation to restate the comparative figures for prior periods.

IFRS 9 allows early application of the requirements for the presentation of gains and losses attributable to changes in the credit risk of the financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss (fair value option). However, the Group does not envisage an early application of these requirements.

Implementation of IFRS 9 within the Group

The implementation of IFRS 9 within the Group relies on a set of projects corresponding to each of the different phases of the standard. Steering committees bringing together the heads of the Risk and Finance functions have been set up, as well as operational committees dedicated to the various issues associated with the implementation of the new standard.

The project on classification and measurement is managed by the Finance Department, through dedicated governance.

The work relating to the analysis of business models and the contractual cash flows characteristics of the Group's assets is being finalised. Meanwhile, the required IT developments and adaptations have proceeded through 2016 and will be finalised in 2017.

The project on the impairment model is conducted under the joint responsibility of the Finance and Risk Departments.

The work conducted to this day has led to the definition of the Group methodology for the new impairment model (see above). The model is currently being adapted to operational requirements and refined.

Operational implementation is based on the convergence of Finance, Risk and Liquidity reporting streams with the aim of guaranteeing high quality data.

IFRS 15 Revenue from contracts with customers

IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers, issued in May 2014, will supersede a number of standards and interpretations on revenue recognition (in particular IAS 18 Revenue and IAS 11 Construction Contracts). Revenues from lease contracts, insurance contracts or financial instruments are excluded from the scope of this standard.

Adopted by the European Union on 22 September 2016, IFRS 15 will become mandatory for years beginning on, or after, 1 January 2018.

IFRS 15 defines a single model for recognising revenue based on five-step principles. These five steps make it notably possible to identify the distinct performance obligations in the contracts with customers and to allocate the transaction price to them. The transaction price amounts that are allocated to the different performance obligations are recognised as revenue when the performance obligations are satisfied, namely when the control of the promised goods or services has been transferred.

The Group is in the process of analysing the standard and its potential impacts. Revenues from net banking income falling within the scope of application concern in particular the commissions received for banking and similar services provided (except those arising from the effective interest rate), revenues from property development and revenues from services provided in connection with lease contracts.

The implementation of IFRS 15 within the Group is based on a project structure managed by the Finance Department. The analysis of the standard and the documentation and identification of its potential impacts will be finalised in 2017. Impacts are not expected to be material.

IFRS 16 Leases

IFRS 16 Leases, issued in January 2016, will supersede IAS 17 Leases and the interpretations relating to the accounting of such contracts. The new definition of leases relies on both the identification of an asset and the right to control the identified asset by the lessee.

From the lessor's point of view, the expected impact should be limited, as the requirements of IFRS 16 remain mostly unchanged from the current IAS 17.

For the lessee, IFRS 16 will require recognition in the balance sheet of all leases, in the form of a right-of-use on the leased asset presented under fixed assets, along with the recognition of a financial liability for the rent and other payments to be made over the leasing period. The right-of-use assets will be amortised on a straight-line basis and the financial liabilities will be amortised on an actuarial basis over the lease period. The main change induced by this new standard is related to contracts which, under IAS 17, met the definition of operating leases, and as such, did not require recognition in the balance sheet of the leased assets.

IFRS 16 will become mandatory for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019, after its adoption by the European Union for application in Europe. Following the publication of the standard, the Group has started to analyse the standard and define its potential impacts.

1.b CONSOLIDATION

1.b.1 SCOPE OF CONSOLIDATION

The consolidated financial statements of BNP Paribas include entities that are controlled by the Group, jointly controlled, and under significant influence, with the exception of those entities whose consolidation is regarded as immaterial to the Group. The consolidation of an entity is regarded as immaterial if its contribution to the consolidated financial statements is below the following three thresholds: EUR 15 million of consolidated revenues, EUR 1 million of consolidated net income before tax, EUR 500 million of total consolidated assets. Companies that hold shares in consolidated companies are also consolidated.

Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which the Group obtains effective control. Entities under temporary control are included in the consolidated financial statements until the date of disposal.

1.b.2 CONSOLIDATION METHODS

Controlled enterprises are fully consolidated. The Group controls a subsidiary when it is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity.

For entities governed by voting rights, the Group generally controls the entity if it directly or indirectly holds the majority of voting rights and if there are no other agreements altering the power of these voting rights.

Structured entities are defined as entities that are not governed by voting rights, such as when those voting rights relate to administrative tasks only, whereas the relevant activities are directed by means of contractual arrangements. They often have the following features or attributes: restricted activities, a narrow and well-defined objective and insufficient equity to permit them to finance their activities without subordinated financial support.

For these entities, the analysis of control shall consider the purpose and design of the entity, the risks to which the entity is designed to be exposed and to what extent the Group absorbs the related variability. The assessment of control shall consider all facts and circumstances able to determine the Group's practical ability to make decisions that could significantly affect its returns, even if such decisions are contingent on uncertain future events or circumstances.

In assessing whether it has power, the Group considers only substantive rights which it holds or which are held by third parties. For a right to be substantive, the holder must have the practical ability to exercise that right when decisions about the relevant activities of the entity need to be made.

Control shall be reassessed if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the elements of control.

Where the Group contractually holds the decision-making power, for instance where the Group acts as fund manager, it shall determine whether it is acting as agent or principal. Indeed, when associated with a certain level of exposure to the variability of returns, this decision-making power may indicate that the Group is acting on its own account and that it thus has control over those entities.

Where the Group carries out an activity with one or more partners, sharing control by virtue of a contractual agreement which requires unanimous consent on relevant activities (those that significantly affect the entity's returns), the Group exercises joint control over the activity. Where the jointly controlled activity is structured through a separate vehicle in which the partners have rights to the net assets, this joint venture is accounted for using the equity method. Where the jointly controlled activity is not structured through a separate vehicle or where the partners have rights to the assets and obligations for the liabilities of the jointly controlled activity, the Group accounts for its share of the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses in accordance with the applicable IFRSs.

Enterprises over which the Group exercises significant influence (associates) are accounted for by the equity method. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of an enterprise without exercising control. Significant influence is presumed to exist when the Group holds, directly or indirectly, 20% or more of the voting power of an enterprise. Interests of less than 20% are excluded from consolidation unless they represent a strategic investment and the Group effectively exercises significant influence. This applies to companies developed in partnership with other groups, where the BNP Paribas Group participates in strategic decisions of the enterprise through representation on the Board of Directors or equivalent governing body, exercises influence over the enterprise's operational management by supplying management systems or senior managers, or provides technical assistance to support the enterprise's development.

Changes in the net assets of associates (companies accounted for under the equity method) are recognised on the assets side of the balance sheet under "Investments in equity-method entities" and in the relevant component of shareholders' equity. Goodwill on associates is also included under "Investments in equity-method entities".

Whenever there is an indication of impairment, the carrying amount of the investment consolidated under the equity method (including goodwill) is subjected to an impairment test, by comparing its recoverable value (the higher of value-in-use and market value less costs to sell) to its carrying amount. Where appropriate, impairment is recognised under "Share of earnings of equity-method entities" in the consolidated income statement and can be reversed at a later date.

If the Group's share of losses of an equity-method entity equals or exceeds the carrying amount of its investment in this entity, the Group discontinues including its share of further losses. The investment is reported at nil value. Additional losses of the equity-method entity are provided for only to the extent that the Group has a legal or constructive obligation to do so, or has made payments on behalf of this entity.

Minority interests are presented separately in the consolidated profit and loss account and balance sheet within consolidated equity. The calculation of minority interests takes into account the outstanding cumulative preferred shares classified as equity instruments issued by subsidiaries, when such shares are held outside the Group.

As regards fully consolidated funds, units held by third-party investors are recognised as debts at fair value through profit or loss, inasmuch as they are redeemable at market value at the subscriber's initiative.

For transactions resulting in a loss of control, any equity interest retained by the Group is remeasured at its fair value through profit or loss.

Realised gains and losses on investments in consolidated undertakings are recognised in the profit and loss account under "Net gain on non-current assets".

1.b.3 CONSOLIDATION PROCEDURES

The consolidated financial statements are prepared using uniform accounting policies for reporting like transactions and other events in similar circumstances.

- **Elimination of intragroup balances and transactions**

Intragroup balances arising from transactions between consolidated enterprises, and the transactions themselves (including income, expenses and dividends), are eliminated. Profits and losses arising from intragroup sales of assets are eliminated, except where there is an indication that the asset sold is impaired. Unrealised gains and losses included in the value of available-for-sale assets are maintained in the consolidated financial statements.

- **Translation of financial statements expressed in foreign currencies**

The consolidated financial statements of BNP Paribas are prepared in euros.

The financial statements of enterprises whose functional currency is not the euro are translated using the closing rate method. Under this method, all assets and liabilities, both monetary and non-monetary, are translated using the spot exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Income and expense items are translated at the average rate for the period.

The same method is applied to the financial statements of enterprises located in hyperinflationary economies, after adjusting for the effects of inflation by applying a general price index.

Differences arising from the translation of balance sheet items and profit and loss items are recorded in shareholders' equity under "Exchange rates" for the portion attributable to shareholders, and in "Minority interests" for the portion attributable to outside investors. Under the optional treatment permitted by IFRS 1, the Group has reset to zero all translation differences, by booking all cumulative translation differences attributable to shareholders and to minority interests in the opening balance sheet at 1 January 2004 to retained earnings.

On liquidation or disposal of some or all of an interest held in a foreign enterprise located outside the euro zone, leading to a change in the nature of the investment (loss of control, loss of significant influence or loss of joint control without keeping a significant influence), the cumulative translation adjustment at the date of liquidation or sale, determined according to the step method, is recognised in the profit and loss account.

Should the interest percentage held change without any modification in the nature of the investment, the translation adjustment is reallocated between the portion attributable to shareholders and that attributable to minority interests, if the enterprise is fully consolidated. For enterprises consolidated under the equity method, the portion related to the interest sold is recognised in the profit and loss account.

1.b.4 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS AND MEASUREMENT OF GOODWILL

- **Business combinations**

Business combinations are accounted for using the purchase method.

Under this method, the acquiree's identifiable assets and liabilities assumed are measured at fair value at the acquisition date except for non-current assets classified as assets held for sale, which are accounted for at fair value less costs to sell.

The acquiree's contingent liabilities are not recognised in the consolidated balance sheet unless they represent a present obligation on the acquisition date and their fair value can be measured reliably.

The cost of a business combination is the fair value, at the date of exchange, of assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued to obtain control of the acquiree. Costs directly attributable to the business combination are treated as a separate transaction and recognised through profit or loss.

Any contingent consideration is included in the cost, as soon as control is obtained, at fair value on the date when control was acquired. Subsequent changes in the value of any contingent consideration recognised as a financial liability are recognised through profit or loss.

The Group may recognise any adjustments to the provisional accounting within 12 months of the acquisition date.

Goodwill represents the difference between the cost of the combination and the acquirer's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the acquiree at the acquisition date. Positive goodwill is recognised in the acquirer's balance sheet, while negative goodwill is recognised immediately in profit or loss, on the acquisition date. Minority interests are measured at their share of the fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets and liabilities. However, for each business combination, the Group can elect to measure minority interests at fair value, in which case a proportion of goodwill is allocated to them. To date, the Group has never used this latter option.

Goodwill is recognised in the functional currency of the acquiree and translated at the closing exchange rate.

On the acquisition date, any previously held equity interest in the acquiree is remeasured at its fair value through profit or loss. In the case of a step acquisition, the goodwill is therefore determined by reference to the acquisition-date fair value.

Since the revised IFRS 3 is applied prospectively, business combinations completed prior to 1 January 2010 were not restated for the effects of changes to IFRS 3.

As permitted under IFRS 1, business combinations that took place before 1 January 2004 and were recorded in accordance with the previously applicable accounting standards (French GAAP), have not been restated in accordance with the principles of IFRS 3.

- **Measurement of goodwill**

The BNP Paribas Group tests goodwill for impairment on a regular basis.

- Cash-generating units

The BNP Paribas Group has split all its activities into cash-generating units² representing major business lines. This split is consistent with the Group's organisational structure and management methods, and reflects the independence of each unit in terms of results and management approach. It is reviewed on a regular basis in order to take account of events likely to affect the composition of cash-generating units, such as acquisitions, disposals and major reorganisations.

- Testing cash-generating units for impairment

Goodwill allocated to cash-generating units is tested for impairment annually and whenever there is an indication that a unit may be impaired, by comparing the carrying amount of the unit with its recoverable amount. If the recoverable amount is less than the carrying amount, an irreversible impairment loss is recognised, and the goodwill is written down by the excess of the carrying amount of the unit over its recoverable amount.

- Recoverable amount of a cash-generating unit

The recoverable amount of a cash-generating unit is the higher of the fair value of the unit less costs to sell, and its value in use.

Fair value is the price that would be obtained from selling the unit at the market conditions prevailing at the date of measurement, as determined mainly by reference to actual prices of recent transactions involving similar entities or on the basis of stock market multiples for comparable companies.

Value in use is based on an estimate of the future cash flows to be generated by the cash-generating unit, derived from the annual forecasts prepared by the unit's management and approved by Group Executive Management, and from analyses of changes in the relative positioning of the unit's activities on their market. These cash flows are discounted at a rate that reflects the return that investors would require from an investment in the business sector and region involved.

⁽²⁾ As defined by IAS 36.

1.c FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

1.c.1 LOANS AND RECEIVABLES

Loans and receivables include credit provided by the Group, the Group's share in syndicated loans, and purchased loans that are not quoted in an active market, unless they are held for trading purposes. Loans that are quoted in an active market are classified as "Available-for-sale financial assets" and measured using the methods applicable to this category.

Loans and receivables are initially measured at fair value or equivalent, which is usually the net amount disbursed at inception including directly attributable origination costs and certain types of fees or commission (syndication commission, commitment fees and handling charges) that are regarded as an adjustment to the effective interest rate on the loan.

Loans and receivables are subsequently measured at amortised cost. The income from the loan, representing interest plus transaction costs and fees/commission included in the initial value of the loan, is calculated using the effective interest method and taken to profit or loss over the life of the loan.

Commission earned on financing commitments prior to the inception of a loan is deferred and included in the value of the loan when the loan is made.

Commission earned on financing commitments when the probability of drawdown is low, or when there is uncertainty as to the timing and amount of drawdowns, is recognised on a straight-line basis over the life of the commitment.

1.c.2 REGULATED SAVINGS AND LOAN CONTRACTS

Home savings accounts (*Comptes Épargne-Logement* – "CEL") and home savings plans (*Plans d'Épargne Logement* – "PEL") are government-regulated retail products sold in France. They combine a savings phase and a loan phase which are inseparable, with the loan phase contingent upon the savings phase.

These products contain two types of obligations for BNP Paribas: an obligation to pay interest on the savings for an indefinite period, at a rate set by the government at the inception of the contract (in the case of PEL products) or at a rate reset every six months using an indexation formula set by law (in the case of CEL products); and an obligation to lend to the customer (at the customer's option) an amount contingent upon the rights acquired during the savings phase, at a rate set at the inception of the contract (in the case of PEL products) or at a rate contingent upon the savings phase (in the case of CEL products).

The Group's future obligations with respect to each generation (in the case of PEL products, a generation comprises all products with the same interest rate at inception; in the case of CEL products, all such products constitute a single generation) are measured by discounting potential future earnings from at-risk outstandings for that generation.

At-risk outstandings are estimated on the basis of a historical analysis of customer behaviour, and are equivalent to:

- for the loan phase: statistically probable loans outstanding and actual loans outstanding;
- for the savings phase: the difference between statistically probable outstandings and minimum expected outstandings, with minimum expected outstandings being deemed equivalent to unconditional term deposits.

Earnings for future periods from the savings phase are estimated as the difference between the reinvestment rate and the fixed savings interest rate on at-risk savings outstanding for the period in question. Earnings for future periods from the loan phase are estimated as the difference between the refinancing rate and the fixed loan interest rate on at-risk loans outstanding for the period in question.

The reinvestment rate for savings and the refinancing rate for loans are derived from the swap yield curve and from the spreads expected on financial instruments of similar type and maturity. Spreads are determined on the basis of actual spreads on fixed rate home loans in the case of the loan phase and products offered to individual clients in the case of the savings phase. In order to reflect the uncertainty of future interest rate trends, and the impact of such trends on customer behaviour models and on at-risk outstandings, the obligations are estimated using the Monte-Carlo method.

Where the sum of the Group's estimated future obligations with respect to the savings and loan phases of any generation of contracts indicates a potentially unfavourable situation for the Group, a provision is recognised (with no offset between generations) in the balance sheet in "Provisions for contingencies and charges". Movements in this provision are recognised as interest income in the profit and loss account.

1.c.3 SECURITIES

- **Categories of securities**

Securities held by the Group are classified into one of four categories.

- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Apart from derivative instruments, financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are composed of:

- financial assets held for trading purposes;
- financial assets that the Group has designated, on initial recognition, at fair value through profit or loss using the fair value option available under IAS 39. The conditions for applying the fair value option are set out in section 1.c.11.

Securities in this category are measured at fair value at the balance sheet date. Transaction costs are directly posted in the profit and loss account. Changes in fair value (excluding accrued interest on fixed-income securities) are presented in the profit and loss account under "Net gain/loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss", along with dividends from variable-income securities and realised gains and losses on disposal.

Income earned on fixed-income securities classified into this category is shown under "Interest income" in the profit and loss account.

- Loans and receivables

Securities with fixed or determinable payments that are not traded on an active market, apart from securities for which the owner may not recover almost all of its initial investment due to reasons other than credit deterioration, are classified as "Loans and receivables" if they do not meet the criteria to be classified as "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss". These securities are measured and recognised as described in section 1.c.1.

- Held-to-maturity financial assets

Held-to-maturity financial assets are investments with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturity that the Group has the intention and ability to hold until maturity. Hedges contracted to cover assets in this category against interest rate risk do not qualify for hedge accounting as defined in IAS 39.

Assets in this category are accounted for at amortised cost using the effective interest method, which builds in amortisation of premium and discount (corresponding to the difference between the purchase price and redemption value of the asset) and acquisition costs (where material). Income earned from this category of assets is included in "Interest income" in the profit and loss account.

- Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are fixed-income and variable-income securities other than those classified as "fair value through profit or loss" or "held-to-maturity" or "loans and receivables".

Assets included in the available-for-sale category are initially recorded at fair value, plus transaction costs where material. At the balance sheet date, they are remeasured at fair value, with changes in fair value (excluding accrued interest) shown on a separate line in shareholders' equity. Upon disposal, these unrealised gains and losses are transferred from shareholders' equity to the profit and loss account, where they are shown on the line "Net gain/loss on available-for-sale financial assets". The same applies in the event of impairment.

Income recognised using the effective interest method for fixed-income available-for-sale securities is recorded under "Interest income" in the profit and loss account. Dividend income from variable-income securities is recognised under "Net gain/loss on available-for-sale financial assets" when the Group's right to receive payment is established.

- **Repurchase agreements and securities lending/borrowing**

Securities temporarily sold under repurchase agreements continue to be recorded in the Group's balance sheet in the category of securities to which they belong. The corresponding liability is recognised in the appropriate debt category on the balance sheet except in the case of repurchase agreements contracted for trading purposes where the corresponding liability is classified under "Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss".

Securities temporarily acquired under reverse repurchase agreements are not recognised in the Group's balance sheet. The corresponding receivable is recognised under "Loans and receivables" except in the case of reverse repurchase agreements contracted for trading purposes, where the corresponding receivable is recognised under "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss".

Securities lending transactions do not result in derecognition of the lent securities, and securities borrowing transactions do not result in recognition of the borrowed securities on the balance sheet. In cases where the borrowed securities are subsequently sold by the Group, the obligation to deliver the borrowed securities on maturity is recognised on the balance sheet under "Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss".

- **Date of recognition for securities transactions**

Securities classified as at fair value through profit or loss, held-to-maturity or available-for-sale financial assets are recognised at the trade date.

Regardless of their classification (at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables or debt), temporary sales of securities as well as sales of borrowed securities are initially recognised at the settlement date. For reverse repurchase agreements and repurchase agreements, a financing commitment, respectively given and received, is recognized between the trade date and the settlement date when the transactions are recognised, respectively, as "Loans and receivables" and "Liabilities". When reverse repurchase agreements and repurchase agreements are recognised, respectively, as "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss" and "Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss", the repurchase commitment is recognised as a derivative financial instrument.

Securities transactions are carried on the balance sheet until the Group's rights to receive the related cash flows expire, or until the Group has substantially transferred all the risks and rewards related to ownership of the securities.

1.c.4 FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSACTIONS

The methods used to account for assets and liabilities relating to foreign currency transactions entered into by the Group, and to measure the foreign exchange risk arising on such transactions, depend on whether the asset or liability in question is classified as a monetary or a non-monetary item.

- Monetary assets and liabilities³ expressed in foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities expressed in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency of the relevant Group entity at the closing rate. Translation differences are recognised in the profit and loss account, except for those arising from financial instruments designated as a cash flow hedge or a net foreign investment hedge, which are recognised in shareholders' equity.

- Non-monetary assets and liabilities expressed in foreign currencies

Non-monetary assets may be measured either at historical cost or at fair value. Non-monetary assets expressed in foreign currencies are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction if they are measured at historical cost, and at the closing rate if they are measured at fair value.

Translation differences on non-monetary assets expressed in foreign currencies and measured at fair value (variable-income securities) are recognised in the profit and loss account if the asset is classified under "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss", and in shareholders' equity if the asset is classified under "Available-for-sale financial assets", unless the financial asset in question is designated as an item hedged against foreign exchange risk in a fair value hedging relationship, in which case the translation difference is recognised in the profit and loss account.

1.c.5 IMPAIRMENT AND RESTRUCTURING OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

- **Doubtful assets**

Doubtful assets are defined as assets where the Bank considers that there is a risk that the debtors will be unable to honour all or part of their commitments.

- **Impairment of loans and receivables and held-to-maturity financial assets, provisions for financing and guarantee commitments**

An impairment loss is recognised against loans and held-to-maturity financial assets where (i) there is objective evidence of a decrease in value as a result of an event occurring after inception of the loan or acquisition of the asset; (ii) the event affects the amount or timing of future cash flows; and (iii) the consequences of the event can be reliably measured. Loans are initially assessed for evidence of impairment on an individual basis, and subsequently on a portfolio basis. Similar principles are applied to financing and guarantee commitments given by the Group, with the probability of drawdown taken into account in any assessment of financing commitments.

⁽³⁾ Monetary assets and liabilities are assets and liabilities to be received or paid in fixed or determinable amounts of cash.

At an individual level, objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired includes observable data regarding the following events:

- the existence of accounts that are more than three months past due;
- knowledge or indications that the borrower meets significant financial difficulty, such that a risk can be considered to have arisen regardless of whether the borrower has missed any payments;
- concessions with respect to the credit terms granted to the borrower that the lender would not have considered had the borrower not been meeting financial difficulty (see section "Restructuring of assets classified as "Loans and receivables"").

The amount of the impairment is the difference between the carrying amount before impairment and the present value, discounted at the original effective interest rate of the asset, of those components (principal, interest, collateral, etc.) regarded as recoverable. Changes in the amount of impairment losses are recognised in the profit and loss account under "Cost of risk". Any subsequent decrease in an impairment loss that can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised is credited to the profit and loss account, also under "Cost of risk". Once an asset has been impaired, the theoretical income earned on the carrying amount of the asset calculated at the original effective interest rate used to discount the estimated recoverable cash flows is recognised under "Interest income" in the profit and loss account.

Impairment losses on loans and receivables are usually recorded in a separate provision account which reduces the amount for which the loan or receivable was recorded in assets upon initial recognition. Provisions relating to off-balance sheet financial instruments, financing and guarantee commitments or disputes are recognised in liabilities. Impaired receivables are written off in whole or in part and the corresponding provision is reversed for the amount of the loss when all other means available to the Bank for recovering the receivables or guarantees have failed, or when all or part of the receivables have been waived.

Counterparties that are not individually impaired are risk-assessed on a portfolio basis with similar characteristics. This assessment draws upon an internal rating system based on historical data, adjusted as necessary to reflect circumstances prevailing at the balance sheet date. It enables the Group to identify groups of counterparties which, as a result of events occurring since inception of the loans, have collectively acquired a probability of default at maturity that provides objective evidence of impairment of the entire portfolio, but without it being possible at that stage to allocate the impairment to individual counterparties. This assessment also estimates the amount of the loss on the portfolios in question, taking account of trends in the economic cycle during the assessment period. Changes in the amount of portfolio impairments are recognised in the profit and loss account under "Cost of risk".

Based on the experienced judgement of the Bank's divisions or Risk Management, the Group may recognise additional collective impairment provisions with respect to a given economic sector or geographic area affected by exceptional economic events. This may be the case when the consequences of these events cannot be measured with sufficient accuracy to adjust the parameters used to determine the collective provision recognised against affected portfolios of loans with similar characteristics.

- **Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets**

Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets (which mainly comprise securities) is recognised on an individual basis if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events occurring since acquisition.

In the case of variable-income securities quoted in an active market, the control system identifies securities that may be impaired on a long term basis and is based on criteria such as a significant decline in quoted price below the acquisition cost or a prolonged decline, which prompts the Group to carry out an additional individual qualitative analysis. This may lead to the recognition of an impairment loss calculated on the basis of the quoted price.

Apart from the identification criteria, the Group has determined three indications of impairment, one being a significant decline in price, defined as a fall of more than 50% of the acquisition price, another being a prolonged decline over two consecutive years and the final one being a decline on average of at least 30% over an observation period of one year. The Group believes that a period of two years is what is necessary for a moderate decline in price below the purchase cost to be considered as something more than just the effect of random volatility inherent in the stock markets or a cyclical change lasting a few years, but which represents a lasting phenomenon justifying an impairment.

A similar method is applied for variable-income securities not quoted in an active market. Any impairment is then determined based on the model value.

In the case of fixed-income securities, impairment is assessed based on the same criteria applied to individually impaired loans and receivables. For securities quoted in an active market, impairment is determined based on the quoted price. For all the others, it is determined based on model value.

Impairment losses taken against variable-income securities are recognised as a component of Revenues on the line "Net gain/loss on available-for-sale financial assets", and may not be reversed through the profit and loss account until these securities are sold. Any subsequent decline in fair value constitutes an additional impairment loss, recognised in the profit and loss account.

Impairment losses taken against fixed-income securities are recognised under "Cost of risk", and may be reversed through the profit and loss account in the event of an increase in fair value that relates objectively to an event occurring after the last impairment was recognised.

- **Restructuring of assets classified as "Loans and receivables"**

The restructuring of an asset classified in loans and receivables is considered to be a troubled debt restructuring when the Bank, for economic or legal reasons related to the borrower's financial difficulties, agrees to a modification of terms of the original transaction that it would not otherwise consider, resulting in the borrower's contractual obligation to the Bank, measured at present value, being reduced compared with the original terms.

At the time of restructuring, a discount is applied to the loan to reduce its carrying amount to the present value of the new expected future cash flows discounted at the original effective interest rate.

The decrease in the asset value is recognised in the profit and loss account under "Cost of risk".

When the restructuring consists of a partial or full settlement with other substantially different assets, the original debt (see note 1.c.14) and the assets received in settlement are recognised at their fair value on the settlement date. The difference in value is recognised in profit or loss under "Cost of risk".

1.c.6 RECLASSIFICATION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The only authorised reclassifications of financial assets are the following:

- For a non-derivative financial asset which is no longer held for the purposes of selling it in the near-term, out of "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss" and into:
 - "Loans and receivables" if the asset meets the definition for this category and the Group has the intention and ability to hold the asset for the foreseeable future or until maturity; or

- Other categories only under rare circumstances when justified and provided that the reclassified assets meet the conditions applicable to the host portfolio.
- Out of “Available-for-sale financial assets” and into:
 - “Loans and receivables” with the same conditions as set out above for “Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss”;
 - “Held-to-maturity financial assets,” for assets that have a maturity, or “Financial assets at cost,” for unlisted variable-income assets.

Financial assets are reclassified at fair value, or at the value calculated by a model, on the reclassification date. Any derivatives embedded in the reclassified financial assets are recognised separately and changes in fair value are recognised through profit or loss.

After reclassification, assets are recognised according to the provisions applied to the host portfolio. The transfer price on the reclassification date is deemed to be the initial cost of the asset for the purpose of determining any impairment.

In the event of reclassification from “Available-for-sale financial assets” to another category, gains or losses previously recognised through equity are amortised to profit or loss over the residual life of the instrument using the effective interest method.

Any upward revisions to the estimated recoverable amounts are recognised through an adjustment to the effective interest rate as of the date on which the estimate is revised. Downward revisions are recognised through an adjustment to the financial asset's carrying amount.

1.c.7 ISSUES OF DEBT SECURITIES

Financial instruments issued by the Group are qualified as debt instruments if the Group company issuing the instruments has a contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to the holder of the instrument. The same applies if the Group is required to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially unfavourable to the Group, or to deliver a variable number of the Group's own equity instruments.

Issues of debt securities are initially recognised at the issue value including transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Bonds redeemable for or convertible into equity instruments of the Group are accounted for as hybrid instruments with a debt component and an equity component, determined on initial recognition.

1.c.8 OWN EQUITY INSTRUMENTS AND OWN EQUITY INSTRUMENT DERIVATIVES

The term “own equity instruments” refers to shares issued by the parent company (BNP Paribas SA) and by its fully consolidated subsidiaries. External costs that are directly attributable to an issue of new shares are deducted from equity net of all related taxes.

Own equity instruments held by the Group, also known as treasury shares, are deducted from consolidated shareholders’ equity irrespective of the purpose for which they are held. Gains and losses arising on such instruments are eliminated from the consolidated profit and loss account.

When the Group acquires equity instruments issued by subsidiaries under the exclusive control of BNP Paribas, the difference between the acquisition price and the share of net assets acquired is recorded in retained earnings attributable to BNP Paribas shareholders. Similarly, the liability corresponding to put options granted to minority shareholders in such subsidiaries, and changes in the value of that liability, are offset initially against minority interests, with any surplus offset against retained earnings attributable to BNP Paribas shareholders. Until these options have been exercised, the portion of net income attributable to minority interests is allocated to minority interests in the profit and loss account. A decrease in the Group’s interest in a fully consolidated subsidiary is recognised in the Group’s accounts as a change in shareholders’ equity.

Own equity instrument derivatives are treated as follows, depending on the method of settlement:

- as equity instruments if they are settled by physical delivery of a fixed number of own equity instruments for a fixed amount of cash or other financial asset. Such instruments are not revalued;
- as derivatives if they are settled in cash, or by choice, depending on whether they are settled by physical delivery of the shares or in cash. Changes in value of such instruments are taken to the profit and loss account.

If the contract includes an obligation, whether contingent or not, for the bank to repurchase its own shares, the bank must recognise the debt at its present value with an offsetting entry in equity.

1.c.9 DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS AND HEDGE ACCOUNTING

All derivative instruments are recognised in the balance sheet on the trade date at the transaction price, and are remeasured to fair value on the balance sheet date.

- **Derivatives held for trading purposes**

Derivatives held for trading purposes are recognised in the balance sheet in “Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss” when their fair value is positive, and in “Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss” when their fair value is negative. Realised and unrealised gains and losses are recognised in the profit and loss account on the line “Net gain/loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss”.

- **Derivatives and hedge accounting**

Derivatives contracted as part of a hedging relationship are designated according to the purpose of the hedge.

Fair value hedges are particularly used to hedge interest rate risk on fixed rate assets and liabilities, both for identified financial instruments (securities, debt issues, loans, borrowings) and for portfolios of financial instruments (in particular, demand deposits and fixed rate loans).

Cash flow hedges are particularly used to hedge interest rate risk on floating-rate assets and liabilities, including rollovers, and foreign exchange risks on highly probable forecast foreign currency revenues.

At the inception of the hedge, the Group prepares formal documentation which details the hedging relationship, identifying the instrument, or portion of the instrument, or portion of risk that is being hedged, the hedging strategy and the type of risk hedged, the hedging instrument, and the methods used to assess the effectiveness of the hedging relationship.

On inception and at least quarterly, the Group assesses, in consistency with the original documentation, the actual (retrospective) and expected (prospective) effectiveness of the hedging relationship. Retrospective effectiveness tests are designed to assess whether the ratio of actual changes in the fair value or cash flows of the hedging instrument to those in the hedged item is within a range of 80% to 125%. Prospective effectiveness tests are designed to ensure that expected changes in the fair value or cash flows of the derivative over the residual life of the hedge adequately offset those of the hedged item. For highly probable forecast transactions, effectiveness is assessed largely on the basis of historical data for similar transactions.

Under IAS 39 as adopted by the European Union, which excludes certain provisions on portfolio hedging, interest rate risk hedging relationships based on portfolios of assets or liabilities qualify for fair value hedge accounting as follows:

- the risk designated as being hedged is the interest rate risk associated with the interbank rate component of interest rates on commercial banking transactions (loans to customers, savings accounts and demand deposits);
- the instruments designated as being hedged correspond, for each maturity band, to a portion of the interest rate gap associated with the hedged underlyings;
- the hedging instruments used consist exclusively of “plain vanilla” swaps;
- prospective hedge effectiveness is established by the fact that all derivatives must, on inception, have the effect of reducing interest rate risk in the portfolio of hedged underlyings. Retrospectively, a hedge will be disqualified from hedge accounting once a shortfall arises in the underlyings specifically associated with that hedge for each maturity band (due to prepayment of loans or withdrawals of deposits).

The accounting treatment of derivatives and hedged items depends on the hedging strategy.

In a fair value hedging relationship, the derivative instrument is remeasured at fair value in the balance sheet, with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss in “Net gain/loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss”, symmetrically with the remeasurement of the hedged item to reflect the hedged risk. In the balance sheet, the fair value remeasurement of the hedged component is recognised in accordance with the classification of the hedged item in the case of a hedge of identified assets and liabilities, or under “Remeasurement adjustment on interest rate risk hedged portfolios” in the case of a portfolio hedging relationship.

If a hedging relationship ceases or no longer fulfils the effectiveness criteria, the hedging instrument is transferred to the trading book and accounted for using the treatment applied to this category. In the case of identified fixed-income instruments, the remeasurement adjustment recognised in the balance sheet is amortised at the effective interest rate over the remaining life of the instrument. In the case of interest rate risk hedged fixed-income portfolios, the adjustment is amortised on a straight-line basis over the remainder of the original term of the hedge. If the hedged item no longer appears in the balance sheet, in particular due to prepayments, the adjustment is taken to the profit and loss account immediately.

In a cash flow hedging relationship, the derivative is measured at fair value in the balance sheet, with changes in fair value taken to shareholders’ equity on a separate line, “Unrealised or deferred gains or losses”. The amounts taken to shareholders’ equity over the life of the hedge are transferred to the profit and loss account under “Net interest income” as and when the cash flows from the hedged item impact profit or loss. The hedged items continue to be accounted for using the treatment specific to the category to which they belong.

If the hedging relationship ceases or no longer fulfils the effectiveness criteria, the cumulative amounts recognised in shareholders’ equity as a result of the remeasurement of the hedging instrument remain in equity until the hedged transaction itself impacts profit or loss, or until it becomes clear that the transaction will not occur, at which point they are transferred to the profit and loss account.

If the hedged item ceases to exist, the cumulative amounts recognised in shareholders' equity are immediately taken to the profit and loss account.

Whatever the hedging strategy used, any ineffective portion of the hedge is recognised in the profit and loss account under "Net gain/loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss".

Hedges of net foreign currency investments in subsidiaries and branches are accounted for in the same way as cash flow hedges. Hedging instruments may be currency derivatives or any other non-derivative financial instrument.

- **Embedded derivatives**

Derivatives embedded in hybrid financial instruments are separated from the value of the host contract and accounted for separately as a derivative if the hybrid instrument is not recorded as a financial asset or liability at fair value through profit or loss, and if the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivative are not closely related to those of the host contract.

1.c.10 DETERMINATION OF FAIR VALUE

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

The Group determines the fair value of financial instruments either by using prices obtained directly from external data or by using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques are primarily market and income approaches encompassing generally accepted models (e.g. discounted cash flows, Black-Scholes model, and interpolation techniques). They maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. They are calibrated to reflect current market conditions and valuation adjustments are applied as appropriate, when some factors such as model, liquidity and credit risks are not captured by the models or their underlying inputs but are nevertheless considered by market participants when setting the exit price.

The unit of measurement is generally the individual financial asset or financial liability but a portfolio-based measurement can be elected, subject to certain conditions. Accordingly, the Group retains this portfolio-based measurement exception to determine the fair value when some group of financial assets and financial liabilities and other contracts within the scope of the standard relating to financial instruments with substantially similar and offsetting market risks or credit risks are managed on the basis of a net exposure, in accordance with the documented risk management strategy.

Assets and liabilities measured or disclosed at fair value are categorised into the three following levels of the fair value hierarchy:

- Level 1: fair values are determined using directly quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities. Characteristics of an active market include the existence of a sufficient frequency and volume of activity and of readily available prices.
- Level 2: fair values are determined based on valuation techniques for which significant inputs are observable market data, either directly or indirectly. These techniques are regularly calibrated and the inputs are corroborated with information from active markets.
- Level 3: fair values are determined using valuation techniques for which significant inputs are unobservable or cannot be corroborated by market-based observations, due for instance to illiquidity of the instrument and significant model risk. An unobservable input is a parameter for which there are no market data available and that is therefore derived from proprietary assumptions about what other market participants would consider when assessing fair value. The assessment of whether a product is illiquid or subject to significant model risks is a matter of judgment.

The level in the fair value hierarchy within which the asset or liability is categorised in its entirety is based upon the lowest level input that is significant to the entire fair value.

For financial instruments disclosed in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy, a difference between the transaction price and the fair value may arise at initial recognition. This “Day One Profit” is deferred and released to the profit and loss account over the period during which the valuation parameters are expected to remain non-observable. When parameters that were originally non-observable become observable, or when the valuation can be substantiated in comparison with recent similar transactions in an active market, the unrecognised portion of the day one profit is released to the profit and loss account.

1.c.11 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES DESIGNATED AS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS (FAIR VALUE OPTION)

Financial assets or financial liabilities may be designated on initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss, in the following cases:

- hybrid financial instruments containing one or more embedded derivatives which otherwise would have been separated and accounted for separately;
- where using the option enables the entity to eliminate or significantly reduce a mismatch in the measurement and accounting treatment of assets and liabilities that would arise if they were to be classified in separate categories;
- when a group of financial assets and/or financial liabilities is managed and measured on the basis of fair value, in accordance with a documented risk management and investment strategy.

1.c.12 INCOME AND EXPENSES ARISING FROM FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

Income and expenses arising from financial instruments measured at amortised cost and from fixed-income securities classified in “Available-for-sale financial assets” are recognised in the profit and loss account using the effective interest method.

The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash flows through the expected life of the financial instrument or, when appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount of the asset or liability in the balance sheet. The effective interest rate calculation takes into account all fees received or paid that are an integral part of the effective interest rate of the contract, transaction costs, and premiums and discounts.

The method used by the Group to recognise service-related commission income and expenses depends on the nature of the service. Commission treated as an additional component of interest is included in the effective interest rate, and is recognised in the profit and loss account in “Net interest income”. Commission payable or receivable on execution of a significant transaction is recognised in the profit and loss account in full on execution of the transaction, under “Commission income and expense”. Commission payable or receivable for recurring services is recognised over the term of the service, also under “Commission income and expense”.

Commission received in respect of financial guarantee commitments is regarded as representing the fair value of the commitment. The resulting liability is subsequently amortised over the term of the commitment, under commission income in Revenues.

1.c.13 COST OF RISK

Cost of risk includes movements in provisions for impairment of fixed-income securities and loans and receivables due from customers and credit institutions, movements in provisions for financing and guarantee commitments given, losses on irrecoverable loans and amounts recovered on loans written off. This caption also includes impairment losses recorded with respect to default risk incurred on counterparties for over-the-counter financial instruments, as well as expenses relating to fraud and to disputes inherent to the financing business.

1.c.14 DERECOGNITION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

The Group derecognises all or part of a financial asset either when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire or when the Group transfers the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset. Unless these conditions are fulfilled, the Group retains the asset in its balance sheet and recognises a liability for the obligation created as a result of the transfer of the asset.

The Group derecognises all or part of a financial liability when the liability is extinguished in full or in part.

1.c.15 OFFSETTING FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

A financial asset and a financial liability are offset and the net amount presented in the balance sheet if, and only if, the Group has a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts, and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Repurchase agreements and derivatives traded with clearing houses that meet the two criteria set out in the accounting standard are offset in the balance sheet.

1.d ACCOUNTING STANDARDS SPECIFIC TO THE INSURANCE BUSINESS

The specific accounting policies relating to assets and liabilities generated by insurance contracts and financial contracts with a discretionary participation feature written by fully consolidated insurance companies are retained for the purposes of the consolidated financial statements. These policies comply with IFRS 4.

All other insurance company assets and liabilities are accounted for using the policies applied to the Group's assets and liabilities generally, and are included in the relevant balance sheet and profit and loss account headings in the consolidated financial statements.

1.d.1 ASSETS

Financial assets and property are accounted for using the policies described elsewhere in this note. The only exceptions are shares in civil property companies (SCIs) held in unit-linked insurance contract portfolios, which are measured at fair value on the balance sheet date with changes in fair value taken to profit or loss.

Financial assets and property representing technical provisions related to unit-linked business are shown respectively in "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss" and in "Investment property", and are stated at the realisable value of the underlying assets at the balance sheet date.

1.d.2 LIABILITIES

The Group's obligations to policyholders and beneficiaries are shown in "Technical reserves of insurance companies" and are comprised of liabilities relating to insurance contracts carrying a significant insurance risk (e.g., mortality or disability) and to financial contracts with a discretionary participation feature, which are covered by IFRS 4. A discretionary participation feature is one which gives life policyholders the right to receive a share of actual profits as a supplement to guaranteed benefits.

Liabilities relating to other financial contracts, which are covered by IAS 39, are shown in "Due to customers".

Unit-linked contract liabilities are measured in reference to the fair value of the underlying assets at the balance sheet date.

The benefits offered for life insurance relate mainly to the risk of death (term life insurance, annuities, loan repayment, guaranteed minimum on unit-linked contracts) and, for borrowers' insurance, to disability, incapacity and unemployment risks. These types of risks are controlled by the use of appropriate mortality tables (certified tables in the case of annuity-holders), medical screening appropriate to the level of benefit offered, statistical monitoring of insured populations, and reinsurance programmes.

For life insurance, technical reserves consist mainly of mathematical reserves which correspond, as a minimum, to the surrender value of the contract.

Non-life technical reserves consist of unearned premium reserves (corresponding to the portion of written premiums relating to future periods) and outstanding claims reserves, inclusive of claims handling costs.

The adequacy of technical reserves (net of unamortised acquisition costs) is tested at the balance sheet date by comparing them with the average value of future cash flows as derived from stochastic analyses. Any adjustments to technical reserves are taken to the profit and loss account for the period.

A capitalisation reserve is set up in individual statutory accounts of French life-insurance companies on the sale of amortisable securities in order to defer part of the net realised gain and hence maintain the yield to maturity on the portfolio of admissible assets. In the consolidated financial statements, this reserve is reclassified into "Policyholders' surplus" on the liabilities side of the consolidated balance sheet, to the extent that it is highly probable it will be used.

The policyholders' surplus reserve also includes amounts resulting from the application of shadow accounting representing the interest of policyholders, mainly within French life insurance subsidiaries, in unrealised gains and losses on assets where the benefit paid under the policy is linked to the return on those assets. This interest is an average derived from stochastic analyses of unrealised gains and losses attributable to policyholders in various scenarios.

In the event of an unrealised loss on shadow accounted assets, a policyholders' loss reserve is recognised on the assets side of the consolidated balance sheet in an amount equal to the probable deduction from the policyholders' future profit share. The recoverability of the policyholders' loss reserve is assessed prospectively, taking into account policyholders' surplus reserves recognised elsewhere, capital gains on financial assets that are not shadow accounted due to accounting elections made (held-to-maturity financial assets and property investments measured at cost) and the company's ability and intention to hold the assets carrying the unrealised loss. The policyholders' loss reserve is recognised symmetrically with the corresponding assets and shown on the assets side of the balance sheet under the line item "Accrued income and other assets".

1.d.3 PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Income and expenses arising on insurance contracts written by the Group are recognised in the profit and loss account under “Income from other activities” and “Expense on other activities”.

Other insurance company income and expenses are included in the relevant profit and loss account item. Consequently, movements in the policyholders’ surplus reserve are shown on the same line as gains and losses on the assets that generated the movements.

1.e PROPERTY, PLANT, EQUIPMENT AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets shown in the consolidated balance sheet are composed of assets used in operations and investment property.

Assets used in operations are those used in the provision of services or for administrative purposes, and include non-property assets leased by the Group as lessor under operating leases.

Investment property comprises property assets held to generate rental income and capital gains.

Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets are initially recognised at purchase price plus directly attributable costs, together with borrowing costs where a long period of construction or adaptation is required before the asset can be brought into service.

Software developed internally by the BNP Paribas Group that fulfils the criteria for capitalisation is capitalised at direct development cost, which includes external costs and the labour costs of employees directly attributable to the project.

Subsequent to initial recognition, property, plant and equipment and intangible assets are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation or amortisation and any impairment losses. The only exceptions are shares in civil property companies (SCIs) held in unit-linked insurance contract portfolios, which are measured at fair value on the balance sheet date, with changes in fair value taken to profit or loss.

The depreciable amount of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets is calculated after deducting the residual value of the asset. Only assets leased by the Group as the lessor under operating leases are presumed to have a residual value, as the useful life of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets used in operations is generally the same as their economic life.

Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets are depreciated or amortised using the straight-line method over the useful life of the asset. Depreciation and amortisation expense is recognised in the profit and loss account under “Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets”.

Where an asset consists of a number of components which may require replacement at regular intervals, or which have different uses or generate economic benefits at different rates, each component is recognised separately and depreciated using a method appropriate to that component. The BNP Paribas Group has adopted the component-based approach for property used in operations and for investment property.

The depreciation periods used for office property are as follows: 80 years or 60 years for the shell (for prime and other property respectively); 30 years for facades; 20 years for general and technical installations; and 10 years for fixtures and fittings.

Software is amortised, depending on its type, over periods of no more than 8 years in the case of infrastructure developments and 3 years or 5 years in the case of software developed primarily for the purpose of providing services to customers.

Software maintenance costs are expensed as incurred. However, expenditure that is regarded as upgrading the software or extending its useful life is included in the initial acquisition or production cost.

Depreciable property, plant and equipment and intangible assets are tested for impairment if there is an indication of potential impairment at the balance sheet date. Non-depreciable assets are tested for impairment at least annually, using the same method as for goodwill allocated to cash-generating units.

If there is an indication of impairment, the new recoverable amount of the asset is compared with the carrying amount. If the asset is found to be impaired, an impairment loss is recognised in the profit and loss account. This loss is reversed in the event of a change in the estimated recoverable amount or if there is no longer an indication of impairment. Impairment losses are taken to the profit and loss account in “Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets”.

Gains and losses on disposals of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets used in operations are recognised in the profit and loss account in “Net gain on non-current assets”.

Gains and losses on disposals of investment property are recognised in the profit and loss account in “Income from other activities” or “Expense on other activities”.

1.f LEASES

Group companies may either be the lessee or the lessor in a lease agreement.

1.f.1 LESSOR ACCOUNTING

Leases contracted by the Group as lessor are categorised as either finance leases or operating leases.

- **Finance leases**

In a finance lease, the lessor transfers substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of an asset to the lessee. It is treated as a loan made to the lessee to finance the purchase of the asset.

The present value of the lease payments, plus any residual value, is recognised as a receivable. The net income earned from the lease by the lessor is equal to the amount of interest on the loan, and is taken to the profit and loss account under “Interest income”. The lease payments are spread over the lease term, and are allocated to reduction of the principal and to interest such that the net income reflects a constant rate of return on the net investment outstanding in the lease. The rate of interest used is the rate implicit in the lease.

Individual and portfolio impairments of lease receivables are determined using the same principles as applied to other loans and receivables.

- **Operating leases**

An operating lease is a lease under which substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of an asset are not transferred to the lessee.

The asset is recognised under property, plant and equipment in the lessor’s balance sheet and depreciated on a straight-line basis over the its useful life. The depreciable amount excludes the residual value of the asset. The lease payments are taken to the profit and loss account in full on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Lease payments and depreciation expenses are taken to the profit and loss account under “Income from other activities” and “Expense on other activities”.

1.f.2 LESSEE ACCOUNTING

Leases contracted by the Group as lessee are categorised as either finance leases or operating leases.

- **Finance leases**

A finance lease is treated as an acquisition of an asset by the lessee, financed by a loan. The leased asset is recognised in the balance sheet of the lessee at the lower of its fair value or the present value of the minimum lease payments calculated at the interest rate implicit in the lease. A matching liability, equal to the fair value of the leased asset or the present value of the minimum lease payments, is also recognised in the balance sheet of the lessee. The asset is depreciated using the same method as that applied to owned assets, after deducting the residual value from the amount initially recognised, over the useful life of the asset. If there is no reasonable certainty that the lessee will obtain ownership by the end of the lease term, the asset shall be fully depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and its useful life. The lease obligation is accounted for at amortised cost.

- **Operating leases**

The asset is not recognised in the balance sheet of the lessee. Lease payments made under operating leases are taken to the profit and loss account of the lessee on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

1.g NON-CURRENT ASSETS HELD FOR SALE AND DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS

Where the Group decides to sell non-current assets and it is highly probable that the sale will occur within 12 months, these assets are shown separately in the balance sheet, on the line “Non-current assets held for sale”. Any liabilities associated with these assets are also shown separately in the balance sheet, on the line “Liabilities associated with non-current assets held for sale”.

Once classified in this category, non-current assets and groups of assets and liabilities are measured at the lower of carrying amount or fair value less costs to sell.

Such assets are no longer depreciated. If an asset or group of assets and liabilities becomes impaired, an impairment loss is recognised in the profit and loss account. Impairment losses may be reversed.

Where a group of assets and liabilities held for sale represents a cash generating unit, it is categorised as a “discontinued operation”. Discontinued operations include operations that are held for sale, operations that have been shut down, and subsidiaries acquired exclusively with a view to resell.

All gains and losses related to discontinued operations are shown separately in the profit and loss account, on the line “Post-tax gain/loss on discontinued operations and assets held for sale”. This line includes the post-tax profits or losses of discontinued operations, the post-tax gain or loss arising from remeasurement at fair value less costs to sell, and the post-tax gain or loss on disposal of the operation.

1.h EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

Employee benefits are classified in one of four categories:

- short-term benefits, such as salary, annual leave, incentive plans, profit-sharing and additional payments;
- long-term benefits, including compensated absences, long-service awards, and other types of cash-based deferred compensation;
- termination benefits;
- post-employment benefits, including top-up banking industry pensions and retirement bonuses in France and pension plans in other countries, some of which are operated through pension funds.

- **Short-term benefits**

The Group recognises an expense when it has used services rendered by employees in exchange for employee benefits.

- **Long-term benefits**

These are benefits, other than short-term benefits, post-employment benefits and termination benefits. This relates, in particular, to compensation deferred for more than 12 months and not linked to the BNP Paribas share price, which is accrued in the financial statements for the period in which it is earned.

The actuarial techniques used are similar to those used for defined-benefit post-employment benefits, except that the revaluation items are recognised in the profit and loss account and not in equity.

- **Termination benefits**

Termination benefits are employee benefits payable in exchange for the termination of an employee's contract as a result of either a decision by the Group to terminate a contract of employment before the legal retirement age, or a decision by an employee to accept voluntary redundancy in exchange for these benefits. Termination benefits due more than 12 months after the balance sheet date are discounted.

- **Post-employment benefits**

In accordance with IFRS, the BNP Paribas Group draws a distinction between defined-contribution plans and defined-benefit plans.

Defined-contribution plans do not give rise to an obligation for the Group and do not require a provision. The amount of the employer's contributions payable during the period is recognised as an expense.

Only defined-benefit schemes give rise to an obligation for the Group. This obligation must be measured and recognised as a liability by means of a provision.

The classification of plans into these two categories is based on the economic substance of the plan, which is reviewed to determine whether the Group has a legal or constructive obligation to pay the agreed benefits to employees.

Post-employment benefit obligations under defined-benefit plans are measured using actuarial techniques that take demographic and financial assumptions into account.

The net liability recognised with respect to post-employment benefit plans is the difference between the present value of the defined-benefit obligation and the fair value of any plan assets.

The present value of the defined-benefit obligation is measured on the basis of the actuarial assumptions applied by the Group, using the projected unit credit method. This method takes into account various parameters, specific to each country or Group entity, such as demographic assumptions, the probability that employees will leave before retirement age, salary inflation, a discount rate, and the general inflation rate.

When the value of the plan assets exceeds the amount of the obligation, an asset is recognised if it represents a future economic benefit for the Group in the form of a reduction in future contributions or a future partial refund of amounts paid into the plan.

The annual expense recognised in the profit and loss account under “Salaries and employee benefits”, with respect to defined-benefit plans includes the current service cost (the rights vested by each employee during the period in return for service rendered), the net interests linked to the effect of discounting the net defined-benefit liability (asset), the past service cost arising from plan amendments or curtailments, and the effect of any plan settlements.

Remeasurements of the net defined-benefit liability (asset) are recognised in shareholders’ equity and are never reclassified to profit or loss. They include actuarial gains and losses, the return on plan assets and any change in the effect of the asset ceiling (excluding amounts included in net interest on the defined-benefit liability or asset).

1.i SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

Share-based payment transactions are payments based on shares issued by the Group, whether the transaction is settled in the form of equity or cash of which the amount is based on trends in the value of BNP Paribas shares.

IFRS 2 requires share-based payments granted after 7 November 2002 to be recognised as an expense. The amount recognised is the value of the share-based payment granted to the employee.

The Group grants employees stock subscription option plans and deferred share-based or share price-linked cash-settled compensation plans, and also offers them the possibility to purchase specially-issued BNP Paribas shares at a discount, on condition that they retain the shares for a specified period.

- **Stock option and share award plans**

The expense related to stock option and share award plans is recognised over the vesting period, if the benefit is conditional upon the grantee’s continued employment.

Stock options and share award expenses are recorded under salary and employee benefits expenses, with a corresponding adjustment to shareholders’ equity. They are calculated on the basis of the overall plan value, determined at the date of grant by the Board of Directors.

In the absence of any market for these instruments, financial valuation models are used that take into account any performance conditions related to the BNP Paribas share price. The total expense of a plan is determined by multiplying the unit value per option or share awarded by the estimated number of options or shares awarded vested at the end of the vesting period, taking into account the conditions regarding the grantee’s continued employment.

The only assumptions revised during the vesting period, and hence resulting in a remeasurement of the expense, are those relating to the probability that employees will leave the Group and those relating to performance conditions that are not linked to the price value of BNP Paribas shares.

- **Share price-linked cash-settled deferred compensation plans**

The expense related to these plans is recognised in the year during which the employee rendered the corresponding services.

If the payment of share-based variable compensation is explicitly subject to the employee's continued presence at the vesting date, the services are presumed to have been rendered during the vesting period and the corresponding compensation expense is recognised on a pro rata basis over that period. The expense is recognised under salary and employee benefits expenses with a corresponding liability in the balance sheet. It is revised to take into account any non-fulfilment of the continued presence or performance conditions and the change in BNP Paribas share price.

If there is no continued presence condition, the expense is not deferred, but recognised immediately with a corresponding liability in the balance sheet. This is then revised on each reporting date until settlement to take into account any performance conditions and the change in the BNP Paribas share price.

- **Share subscriptions or purchases offered to employees under the company savings plan**

Share subscriptions or purchases offered to employees under the company savings plan (*Plan d'Épargne Entreprise*) at lower-than-market rates over a specified period do not include a vesting period. However, employees are prohibited by law from selling shares acquired under this plan for a period of five years. This restriction is taken into account when measuring the benefit to the employees, which is reduced accordingly. Therefore, the benefit equals the difference, at the date the plan is announced to employees, between the fair value of the share (after allowing for the restriction on sale) and the acquisition price paid by the employee, multiplied by the number of shares acquired.

The cost of the mandatory five-year holding period is equivalent to the cost of a strategy involving the forward sale of shares subscribed at the time of the capital increase reserved for employees and the cash purchase of an equivalent number of BNP Paribas shares on the market, financed by a loan repaid at the end of a five-year period out of the proceeds from the forward sale transaction. The interest rate on the loan is the rate that would be applied to a five-year general purpose loan taken out by an individual with an average risk profile. The forward sale price for the shares is determined on the basis of market parameters.

1.j PROVISIONS RECORDED UNDER LIABILITIES

Provisions recorded under liabilities (other than those relating to financial instruments, employee benefits and insurance contracts) mainly relate to restructuring, claims and litigation, fines and penalties, and tax risks.

A provision is recognised when it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle an obligation arising from a past event, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. The amount of such obligations is discounted, where the impact of discounting is material, in order to determine the amount of the provision.

1.k CURRENT AND DEFERRED TAXES

The current income tax charge is determined on the basis of the tax laws and tax rates in force in each country in which the Group operates during the period in which the income is generated.

Deferred taxes are recognised when temporary differences arise between the carrying amount of an asset or liability in the balance sheet and its tax base.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences other than:

- taxable temporary differences on initial recognition of goodwill;
- taxable temporary differences on investments in enterprises under the exclusive or joint control of the Group, where the Group is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary difference and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences and unused carryforwards of tax losses only to the extent that it is probable that the entity in question will generate future taxable profits against which these temporary differences and tax losses can be offset.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using the liability method, using the tax rate which is expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates and tax laws that have been or will have been enacted by the balance sheet date of that period. They are not discounted.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when they arise within the same tax group, they fall under the jurisdiction of a single tax authority, and there is a legal right to offset.

Current and deferred taxes are recognised as tax income or expenses in the profit and loss account, except for those relating to a transaction or an event directly recognised in shareholders' equity, which are also recognised in shareholders' equity.

When tax credits on revenues from receivables and securities are used to settle corporate income tax payable for the period, the tax credits are recognised on the same line as the income to which they relate. The corresponding tax expense continues to be carried in the profit and loss account under "Corporate income tax".

1.1 CASH FLOW STATEMENT

The cash and cash equivalents balance is composed of the net balance of cash accounts and accounts with central banks, and the net balance of interbank demand loans and deposits.

Changes in cash and cash equivalents related to operating activities reflect cash flows generated by the Group's operations, including cash flows related to investment property, held-to-maturity financial assets and negotiable certificates of deposit.

Changes in cash and cash equivalents related to investing activities reflect cash flows resulting from acquisitions and disposals of subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures included in the consolidated group, as well as acquisitions and disposals of property, plant and equipment excluding investment property and property held under operating leases.

Changes in cash and cash equivalents related to financing activities reflect the cash inflows and outflows resulting from transactions with shareholders, cash flows related to bonds and subordinated debt, and debt securities (excluding negotiable certificates of deposit).

1.m USE OF ESTIMATES IN THE PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Preparation of the financial statements requires managers of core businesses and corporate functions to make assumptions and estimates that are reflected in the measurement of income and expense in the profit and loss account and of assets and liabilities in the balance sheet, and in the disclosure of information in the notes to the financial statements. This requires the managers in question to exercise their judgement and to make use of information available at the date of the preparation of the financial statements when making their estimates. The actual future results from operations where managers have made use of estimates may in reality differ significantly from those estimates, mainly according to market conditions. This may have a material effect on the financial statements.

This applies in particular to:

- impairment losses recognised to cover credit risks inherent in banking intermediation activities;
- the use of internally-developed models to measure positions in financial instruments that are not quoted in active markets;
- calculations of the fair value of unquoted financial instruments classified in “Available-for-sale financial assets”, “Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss” or “Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss”, and more generally calculations of the fair value of financial instruments subject to a fair value disclosure requirement;
- whether a market is active or inactive for the purposes of using a valuation technique;
- impairment losses on variable-income financial assets classified as "Available-for-sale";
- impairment tests performed on intangible assets;
- the appropriateness of the designation of certain derivative instruments such as cash flow hedges, and the measurement of hedge effectiveness;
- estimates of the residual value of assets leased under finance leases or operating leases, and more generally of assets on which depreciation is charged net of their estimated residual value;
- the measurement of provisions for contingencies and charges.

This is also the case for assumptions applied to assess the sensitivity of each type of market risk and the sensitivity of valuations to non-observable parameters.

2. NOTES TO THE PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

2.a NET INTEREST INCOME

The BNP Paribas Group includes in “Interest income” and “Interest expense” all income and expense from financial instruments measured at amortised cost (interest, fees/commissions, transaction costs), and from financial instruments measured at fair value that do not meet the definition of a derivative instrument. These amounts are calculated using the effective interest method. The change in fair value on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss (excluding accrued interest) is recognised under “Net gain/loss on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss”.

Interest income and expense on derivatives accounted for as fair value hedges are included with the revenues generated by the hedged item. Similarly, interest income and expense arising from derivatives used to hedge transactions designated as at fair value through profit or loss is allocated to the same accounts as the interest income and expense relating to the underlying transactions.

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016			Year to 31 Dec. 2015		
	Income	Expense	Net	Income	Expense	Net
Customer items	24,635	(7,082)	17,553	25,204	(7,498)	17,706
Deposits, loans and borrowings	23,412	(6,969)	16,443	23,998	(7,438)	16,560
Repurchase agreements	29	(58)	(29)	38	(11)	27
Finance leases	1,194	(55)	1,139	1,168	(49)	1,119
Interbank items	1,483	(1,716)	(233)	1,368	(1,305)	63
Deposits, loans and borrowings	1,459	(1,548)	(89)	1,310	(1,165)	145
Repurchase agreements	24	(168)	(144)	58	(140)	(82)
Debt securities issued		(1,662)	(1,662)		(1,805)	(1,805)
Cash flow hedge instruments	3,893	(2,567)	1,326	4,249	(3,334)	915
Interest rate portfolio hedge instruments	3,468	(3,356)	112	3,105	(3,409)	(304)
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	2,289	(2,135)	154	2,231	(1,477)	754
Fixed-income securities	858		858	1,406		1,406
Loans / borrowings	57	(418)	(361)	187	(348)	(161)
Repurchase agreements	1,374	(1,513)	(139)	638	(778)	(140)
Debt securities		(204)	(204)		(351)	(351)
Available-for-sale financial assets	4,789		4,789	4,840		4,840
Held-to-maturity financial assets	337		337	384		384
Total interest income/(expense)	40,894	(18,518)	22,376	41,381	(18,828)	22,553

Interest income on individually impaired loans amounted to EUR 600 million in the year ended 31 December 2016 compared with EUR 546 million in the year ended 31 December 2015.

2.b COMMISSION INCOME AND EXPENSE

Commission income and expense on financial instruments not measured at fair value through profit or loss amounted to EUR 2,592 million and EUR 282 million respectively in 2016, compared with income of EUR 2,975 million and expense of EUR 355 million in 2015.

Net commission income related to trust and similar activities through which the Group holds or invests assets on behalf of clients, trusts, pension and personal risk funds or other institutions amounted to EUR 2,482 million in 2016, compared with EUR 2,539 million in 2015.

2.c NET GAIN ON FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Net gain on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss includes all profit and loss items (including dividends) relating to financial instruments managed in the trading book and financial instruments that the Group has designated as at fair value through profit or loss under the fair value option, other than interest income and expense which are recognised in “Net interest income” (note 2.a).

Gains and losses on financial instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss are mainly related to instruments whose changes in value may be compensated by changes in the value of economic hedging trading book instruments.

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Trading book	6,406	2,622
Interest rate and credit instruments	1,186	1,637
Equity financial instruments	1,096	3,416
Foreign exchange financial instruments	3,166	(1,676)
Other derivatives	991	(782)
Repurchase agreements	(33)	27
Financial instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	(177)	3,352
<i>of which debt remeasurement effect arising from BNP Paribas Group issuer risk (note 4.d)</i>	25	266
Impact of hedge accounting	(40)	80
Fair value hedging derivatives	(319)	609
Hedged items in fair value hedge	279	(529)
Total	6,189	6,054

Net gains on the trading book in 2016 and 2015 include a non-material amount related to the ineffective portion of cash flow hedges.

2.d NET GAIN ON AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS AND OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS NOT MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Loans and receivables, fixed-income securities ⁽¹⁾	843	510
Disposal gains and losses	843	510
Equities and other variable-income securities	1,368	975
Dividend income	611	580
Additions to impairment provisions	(376)	(333)
Net disposal gains	1,133	728
Total	2,211	1,485

⁽¹⁾ Interest income from fixed-income financial instruments is included in "Net interest income" (note 2.a), and impairment losses related to potential issuer default are included in "Cost of risk" (note 2.g).

After the impact of insurance policyholders' surplus reserve, unrealised gains and losses previously recorded under "Changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in shareholders' equity" and included in the pre-tax income, amount to a gain of EUR 1,373 million for the year ended 31 December 2016 compared with a net gain of EUR 635 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The application of the automatic impairment criteria and qualitative analysis led to a first impairment of variable-income securities, for the following amounts:

- EUR 106 million linked to a decline in price of more than 50% of the acquisition price (EUR 40 million in 2015),
- EUR 45 million linked to the observation of an unrealised loss over two consecutive years (EUR 39 million in 2015),
- No impairment linked to the observation of an unrealised loss of at least an average of 30% over one year (EUR 9 million in 2015),
- EUR 85 million linked to an additional qualitative analysis (EUR 28 million in 2015).

2.e NET INCOME FROM OTHER ACTIVITIES

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016			Year to 31 Dec. 2015		
	Income	Expense	Net	Income	Expense	Net
Net income from insurance activities	26,545	(22,782)	3,763	29,184	(25,435)	3,749
Net income from investment property	97	(47)	50	74	(60)	14
Net income from assets held under operating leases	7,564	(6,207)	1,357	6,249	(5,019)	1,230
Net income from property development activities	806	(632)	174	1,031	(834)	197
Other net income	1,520	(1,431)	89	1,751	(1,710)	41
Total net income from other activities	36,532	(31,099)	5,433	38,289	(33,058)	5,231

- **Net income from insurance activities**

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Gross premiums written	22,599	23,633
Policy benefit expenses	(14,738)	(14,763)
Changes in technical reserves	(4,828)	(7,024)
Change in value of admissible investments related to unit-linked policies	979	2,143
Reinsurance ceded	(335)	(320)
Other net income	86	80
Total net income from insurance activities	3,763	3,749

"Policy benefit expenses" include expenses arising from surrenders, maturities and claims relating to insurance contracts. "Changes in technical reserves" reflect changes in the value of financial contracts, in particular unit-linked policies. Interest paid on such contracts is recognised in interest expense related to customer items.

2.f OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
External services and other operating expenses	(9,581)	(9,950)
Taxes ⁽¹⁾	(1,698)	(1,589)
Total other operating expenses	(11,279)	(11,539)

⁽¹⁾Taxes notably include the contribution to the Single Resolution Fund which amounts to EUR 508 million in 2016 compared with EUR 336 million in 2015.

2.g COST OF RISK

“Cost of risk” represents the net amount of impairment losses recognised in respect to credit risks inherent in the Group’s banking intermediation activities, plus any impairment losses in the cases of known counterparty risks on over-the-counter financial instruments.

- **Cost of risk for the period**

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Net allowances to impairment	(3,304)	(3,739)
Recoveries on loans and receivables previously written off	545	589
Irrecoverable loans and receivables not covered by impairment provisions	(503)	(647)
Total cost of risk for the period	(3,262)	(3,797)

Cost of risk for the period by asset type

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions	44	(10)
Loans and receivables due from customers	(3,199)	(3,639)
Available-for-sale financial assets	(8)	(18)
Financial instruments of trading activities	(3)	(16)
Other assets	(5)	(17)
Commitments given and other items	(91)	(97)
Total cost of risk for the period	(3,262)	(3,797)
<i>Cost of risk on a specific basis</i>	<i>(3,682)</i>	<i>(3,961)</i>
<i>Cost of risk on a collective basis</i>	<i>420</i>	<i>164</i>

- **Credit risk impairment**

Impairment variance during the period

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Total impairment at beginning of year	27,676	27,945
Net allowance to impairment	3,304	3,739
Impairment provisions used	(2,648)	(4,342)
Effect of exchange rate movements and other items	143	334
Total impairment at end of year	28,475	27,676

Impairment by asset type

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Impairment of assets		
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 4.f)	188	241
Loans and receivables due from customers (note 4.g)	27,045	26,194
Financial instruments of trading activities	112	141
Available-for-sale financial assets (note 4.c)	78	75
Other assets	54	50
Total impairment of financial assets	27,477	26,701
<i>of which specific impairment</i>	<i>24,335</i>	<i>23,200</i>
<i>of which collective provisions</i>	<i>3,142</i>	<i>3,501</i>
Provisions recognised as liabilities		
Provisions for commitments given		
- to credit institutions	7	16
- to customers	477	422
Other specific provisions	514	537
Total provisions recognised for credit commitments (note 4.q)	998	975
<i>of which specific impairment for commitments given</i>	<i>378</i>	<i>317</i>
<i>of which collective provisions</i>	<i>106</i>	<i>120</i>
Total impairment and provisions	28,475	27,676

2.h COSTS RELATED TO THE COMPREHENSIVE SETTLEMENT WITH US AUTHORITIES

On 30 June 2014, the Group has come to a comprehensive settlement of the pending investigation relating to US dollar transactions involving parties subject to US sanctions, including agreements with the U.S. Department of Justice, the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York, the New York County District Attorney's Office, the Board of Governors of the U.S. Federal Reserve System (FED), the New York State Department of Financial Services (DFS), and the US Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC).

The settlement includes guilty pleas entered into by BNP Paribas SA in relation to violations of certain US laws and regulations regarding economic sanctions against certain countries and related recordkeeping. BNP Paribas also agrees to pay a total of USD 8.97 billion (EUR 6.55 billion). Beyond what had already been provisioned as at 31 December 2013 (EUR 0.8 billion), this resulted in an exceptional charge of EUR 5.75 billion recorded in the second quarter of 2014. An uncertainty remains regarding the fiscal rule that will apply eventually to the different Group entities involved in the settlement. BNP Paribas has also accepted a temporary suspension of one year, starting 1 January 2015, of the USD direct clearing focused mainly on the Oil & Gas Energy & Commodity Finance business line in certain locations.

In 2014, the Group recorded a EUR 250 million provision for implementation costs related to the remediation plan agreed upon with US authorities, bringing the total costs related to the comprehensive settlement to EUR 6 billion for the year ended 31 December 2014.

In 2015, the Group reassessed the costs related to the remediation plan and recognised an additional allowance of EUR 100 million.

2.i CORPORATE INCOME TAX

Reconciliation of the effective tax expense to the theoretical tax expense at standard tax rate in France	Year to 31 Dec. 2016		Year to 31 Dec. 2015	
	in millions of euros	tax rate	in millions of euros	tax rate
Corporate income tax expense on pre-tax income at standard tax rate in France ⁽¹⁾	(3,704)	34.4%	(4,098)	38.0%
Impact of differently taxed foreign profits	232	-2.2%	450	-4.2%
Impact of dividends and securities disposals taxed at reduced rate	278	-2.5%	334	-3.1%
Tax impact of the non-deductibility of bank levies ⁽²⁾	(187)	1.7%	(150)	1.4%
Tax impact of previously unrecognised deferred taxes (tax losses and temporary differences)	268	-2.4%	7	-0.1%
Tax impact of using tax losses for which no deferred tax asset was previously recognised	9	-0.1%	30	-0.3%
Other items	9	-0.1%	92	-0.8%
Corporate income tax expense	(3,095)	28.8%	(3,335)	30.9%
<i>of which</i>				
<i>Current tax expense for the year to 31 December</i>	<i>(2,366)</i>		<i>(2,428)</i>	
<i>Deferred tax expense for the year to 31 December (note 4.k)</i>	<i>(729)</i>		<i>(907)</i>	

⁽¹⁾ Restated for the share of profits in equity-method entities and goodwill impairment.

⁽²⁾ Bank levies are related to the contribution to the Single Resolution Fund and non-deductible systemic bank levies.

3. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group is composed of two operating divisions:

- Retail Banking and Services, which covers Domestic Markets and International Financial Services. Domestic Markets include retail banking networks in France (FRB), Italy (BNL banca commerciale), Belgium (BRB), and Luxembourg (LRB), as well as certain specialised retail banking divisions (Personal Investors, Leasing Solutions and Arval). International Financial Services is composed of all BNP Paribas Group retail banking businesses out of the Eurozone, split between Europe Mediterranean and BancWest in the United States, as well as Personal Finance and the Insurance and Wealth and Asset Management activities (Wealth Management, Investment Partners and Real Estate);
- Corporate and Institutional Banking (CIB), which includes Corporate Banking (Europe, Middle East, Africa, Asia, Americas, and Corporate Finance activities), Global Markets (Fixed Income, Currency and Commodities, as well as Equity and Prime Services), and Securities Services to management companies, financial institutions and other corporations.

Other activities mainly include Principal Investments, activities related to the Group's central treasury function, some costs related to cross-business projects, the residential mortgage lending business of Personal Finance (a significant part of which is managed in run-off), and certain investments.

They also include non-recurring items resulting from applying the rules on business combinations. In order to provide consistent and relevant economic information for each core business, the impact of amortising fair value adjustments recognised in the net equity of entities acquired and restructuring costs incurred in respect to the integration of entities, have been allocated to the "Other Activities" segment. The same applies to transformation costs relating to the Group's cross-business savings programmes.

Inter-segment transactions are conducted at arm's length. The segment information presented comprises agreed inter-segment transfer prices.

The capital allocation is carried out on the basis of risk exposure, taking into account various conventions relating primarily to the capital requirement of the business as derived from the risk-weighted asset calculations required under capital adequacy rules. Normalised equity income by segment is determined by attributing to each segment the income of its allocated equity. The equity allocation to segments is based on 11% of weighted assets. The breakdown of balance sheet by core business follows the same rules as the breakdown of the profit or loss by core business.

So as to be comparable with 2016, the segment information for 2015 has been restated of the following main effects as if these had occurred from 1 January 2015:

1. The capital allocated to each business line is now based on 11% of risk-weighted assets, compared to 9% previously. Furthermore, the capital allocated to the Insurance business is henceforth based on Solvency 2 standards.
2. Subordination costs of Additional Tier 1 and Tier 2 debt issued by the Group have been charged to the divisions and business lines. The Group has also reviewed the way it charges and remunerates liquidity between the Corporate Centre and the business lines. The allocation practices for revenues and operating expenses of Treasury activities within CIB have been adapted to take into account the new regulations on liquidity.
3. The contribution to the Single Resolution Fund, the reduction of the French systemic tax and the new contributions to the deposit guarantee funds of BNL bc and Luxembourg Retail Banking had been temporarily booked in the operating expenses of the Corporate Centre. These items have been allocated to the divisions and business lines.
4. Some limited internal transfers of activities and results have been made, the main one being the transfer of Cortal Consors France from Other Domestic Markets Activities (Personal Investors) to French Retail Banking.

These changes do not affect the Group income but only its analytical breakdown.

• **Income by business segment**

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016						Year to 31 Dec. 2015						
	Revenues	Operating expenses	Cost of risk	Operating income	Non-operating items	Pre-tax income	Revenues	Operating expenses	Cost of risk	Exceptional costs ⁽²⁾	Operating income	Non-operating items	Pre-tax income
Retail Banking & Services													
Domestic Markets													
French Retail Banking ⁽¹⁾	6,113	(4,525)	(341)	1,247	2	1,249	6,274	(4,508)	(341)		1,425	3	1,428
BNL banca commerciale ⁽¹⁾	2,895	(1,846)	(959)	90		90	3,073	(1,868)	(1,248)		(42)	(1)	(44)
Belgian Retail Banking ⁽¹⁾	3,490	(2,484)	(95)	912	6	918	3,392	(2,370)	(86)		936	(9)	928
Other Domestic Markets activities ⁽¹⁾	2,671	(1,481)	(115)	1,076	47	1,123	2,487	(1,380)	(136)		970	22	993
International Financial Services													
Personal Finance	4,679	(2,298)	(979)	1,401	40	1,442	4,661	(2,315)	(1,176)		1,170	74	1,244
International Retail Banking													
Europe-Mediterranean ⁽¹⁾	2,505	(1,699)	(437)	369	197	566	2,507	(1,701)	(466)		339	174	513
BancWest ⁽¹⁾	2,937	(2,006)	(85)	846	16	862	2,795	(1,853)	(50)		892	31	923
Insurance	2,382	(1,201)	2	1,183	186	1,369	2,320	(1,156)	(5)		1,158	171	1,329
Wealth and Asset Management	2,977	(2,341)	3	639	46	685	3,012	(2,308)	(25)		679	46	725
Corporate & Institutional Banking													
Corporate Banking	3,994	(2,451)	(292)	1,251	13	1,265	4,007	(2,470)	(138)		1,398	159	1,558
Global Markets	5,650	(4,355)	72	1,367	5	1,372	5,710	(4,504)	(80)		1,125	2	1,127
Securities Services	1,824	(1,503)	3	324	1	325	1,790	(1,483)	6		312	(1)	312
Other Activities	1,294	(1,189)	(39)	66	(121)	(55)	910	(1,336)	(51)	(100)	(577)	(79)	(656)
Total Group	43,411	(29,378)	(3,262)	10,771	439	11,210	42,938	(29,254)	(3,797)	(100)	9,787	592	10,379

(1) French Retail Banking, BNL banca commerciale, Belgian Retail Banking, Luxembourg Retail Banking, Europe-Mediterranean and BancWest after the reallocation within Wealth and Asset Management of one-third of the Wealth Management activities in France, Italy, Belgium, Luxembourg, Turkey and the United States.

(2) Costs related to the comprehensive settlement with US authorities.

- Assets and liabilities by business segment**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Asset	Liability	Asset	Liability
Retail Banking & Services				
Domestic Markets	428,209	450,921	409,243	409,515
French Retail Banking	174,374	183,049	158,579	165,318
BNL banca commerciale	75,694	67,122	73,850	55,169
Belgian Retail Banking	129,417	152,880	126,383	144,818
Other Domestic Markets activities	48,724	47,870	50,431	44,210
International Financial Services	449,480	413,948	420,915	390,116
Personal Finance	65,128	14,542	57,784	14,090
International Retail Banking	145,026	133,420	133,956	122,659
<i>Europe-Mediterranean</i>	52,166	47,172	51,674	45,735
<i>BancWest</i>	92,860	86,248	82,282	76,924
Insurance	222,742	216,029	211,172	205,092
Wealth and Asset Management	16,584	49,957	18,003	48,275
Corporate and Institutional Banking	1,121,096	1,068,811	1,084,212	1,027,433
Other Activities	78,174	143,279	79,823	167,129
Total Group	2,076,959	2,076,959	1,994,193	1,994,193

Information by business segment relating to goodwill is presented in note 4.o Goodwill.

- Information by geographic area**

The geographic split of segment results, assets and liabilities is based on the region in which they are recognised for accounting purposes, adjusted as per the managerial origin of the business activity. It does not necessarily reflect the counterparty's nationality or the location of operational businesses.

- Revenues by geographic area

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Europe	31,712	31,484
North America	5,167	5,067
Asia & Pacific	3,075	3,223
Others	3,457	3,164
Total Group	43,411	42,938

- Assets and liabilities, in contribution to the consolidated accounts, by geographic area

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Europe	1,676,686	1,565,574
North America	189,186	231,988
Asia & Pacific	155,342	143,390
Others	55,745	53,241
Total Group	2,076,959	1,994,193

4. NOTES TO THE BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 2016

4.a FINANCIAL ASSETS, FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AND DERIVATIVES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss consist of held-for-trading transactions - including derivatives - and certain assets and liabilities designated by the Group as at fair value through profit or loss at the time of acquisition or issuance.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Trading book	Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	Trading book	Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss
Securities portfolio	123,679	87,583	133,500	83,043
Loans and repurchase agreements	152,242	61	131,783	33
FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	275,921	87,644	265,283	83,076
Securities portfolio	70,326		82,544	
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	183,206	3,017	156,771	2,384
Debt securities (note 4.i)		47,710		46,330
Subordinated debt (note 4.i)		1,012		1,382
Debt representative of shares of consolidated funds held by third parties		2,337		3,022
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	253,532	54,076	239,315	53,118

Detail of these assets and liabilities is provided in note 4.d.

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS DESIGNATED AS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

- **Financial assets designated as at fair value through profit or loss**

Assets designated by the Group as at fair value through profit or loss mainly include admissible investments related to unit-linked insurance policies and the insurance general fund, and to a lesser extent, assets with embedded derivatives that have not been separated from the host contract.

Admissible investments related to unit-linked insurance policies include securities issued by the Group's consolidated entities, which are not eliminated upon consolidation in order to keep the figures shown in respect of the assets invested under these contracts at the same level as the technical reserves set aside in respect of the corresponding policyholder liabilities. The fixed-income securities (certificates and Euro Medium Term Notes) not eliminated upon consolidation amounted to EUR 785 million at 31 December 2016 compared with EUR 588 million at 31 December 2015, and variable-income securities (shares mainly issued by BNP Paribas SA) amounted to EUR 62 million at 31 December 2016 compared with EUR 89 million at 31 December 2015. Eliminating these securities would not have a material impact on the financial statements for the period.

- **Financial liabilities designated as at fair value through profit or loss**

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss mainly consist of debt securities in issue, originated and structured on behalf of customers, where the risk exposure is managed in combination with the hedging strategy. These types of debt securities in issue contain significant embedded derivatives, whose changes in value may be compensated by changes in the value of economic hedging derivatives.

The redemption value of debt issued and designated as at fair value through profit or loss at 31 December 2016 was EUR 52,358 million (EUR 51,325 million at 31 December 2015).

DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The majority of derivative financial instruments held for trading are related to transactions initiated for trading purposes. They may result from market-making or arbitrage activities. BNP Paribas actively trades in derivatives. Transactions include trades in “ordinary” instruments such as credit default swaps, and structured transactions with complex risk profiles tailored to meet the needs of its customers. The net position is in all cases subject to limits.

Some derivative instruments are also contracted to hedge financial assets or financial liabilities for which the Group has not documented a hedging relationship, or which do not qualify for hedge accounting under IFRS. This applies in particular to credit derivative transactions which are primarily contracted to protect the Group’s loan book.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Positive market value	Negative market value	Positive market value	Negative market value
Interest rate derivatives	165,979	153,811	203,605	187,177
Foreign exchange derivatives	112,761	109,490	79,844	78,135
Credit derivatives	10,754	9,886	14,738	14,213
Equity derivatives	33,146	40,702	31,077	40,242
Other derivatives	5,522	4,851	7,360	6,061
Derivative financial instruments	328,162	318,740	336,624	325,828

The table below shows the total notional amount of trading derivatives. The notional amounts of derivative instruments are merely an indication of the volume of the Group’s activities in financial instruments markets, and do not reflect the market risks associated with such instruments.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016				31 December 2015			
	Exchange-traded	Over-the-counter, cleared through central clearing houses	Over-the-counter	Total	Exchange-traded	Over-the-counter, cleared through central clearing houses	Over-the-counter	Total
Interest rate derivatives	891,549	10,106,567	5,565,534	16,563,650	1,129,822	12,127,765	7,120,229	20,377,816
Foreign exchange derivatives	1,024	43,241	4,995,579	5,039,844	1,647	57,466	4,498,135	4,557,248
Credit derivatives		249,262	727,007	976,269		155,129	968,859	1,123,988
Equity derivatives	955,415	5,707	664,689	1,625,811	799,075	9,250	651,221	1,459,546
Other derivatives	95,365	33,769	57,128	186,262	100,915	12,336	30,268	143,519
Derivative financial instruments	1,943,353	10,438,546	12,009,937	24,391,836	2,031,459	12,361,946	13,268,712	27,662,117

Cross currency swaps, previously included in interest rate derivatives, are now included in foreign exchange derivatives.

4.b DERIVATIVES USED FOR HEDGING PURPOSES

The table below shows the fair value of derivatives used for hedging purposes.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Positive fair value	Negative fair value	Positive fair value	Negative fair value
Fair value hedges	15,301	18,405	15,071	17,905
Interest rate derivatives	14,819	18,192	14,949	17,874
Foreign exchange derivatives	482	213	122	31
Cash flow hedges	2,789	1,220	2,888	3,162
Interest rate derivatives	2,402	729	2,756	1,229
Foreign exchange derivatives	313	491	119	1,929
Other derivatives	74		13	4
Net foreign investment hedges	43	1	104	1
Foreign exchange derivatives	43	1	104	1
Derivatives used for hedging purposes	18,133	19,626	18,063	21,068

The total notional amount of derivatives used for hedging purposes stood at EUR 949,767 million at 31 December 2016, compared with EUR 993,828 million at 31 December 2015.

4.c AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS

In millions of euros	31 December 2016			31 December 2015		
	Net	of which impairment	of which changes in value taken directly to equity	Net	of which impairment	of which changes in value taken directly to equity
Fixed-income securities	248,072	(78)	13,784	239,899	(75)	13,554
Treasury bills and government bonds	138,298	(1)	8,561	131,269	(4)	8,559
Other fixed-income securities	109,774	(77)	5,223	108,630	(71)	4,995
Equities and other variable-income securities	19,487	(3,192)	4,216	19,034	(3,090)	4,238
Listed securities	5,950	(823)	1,591	5,595	(836)	1,583
Unlisted securities	13,537	(2,369)	2,625	13,439	(2,254)	2,655
Total available-for-sale financial assets	267,559	(3,270)	18,000	258,933	(3,165)	17,792

The gross amount of impaired fixed-income securities is EUR 99 million at 31 December 2016 (EUR 131 million at 31 December 2015).

The Visa Europe shares, included in the unlisted variable-income securities as at 31 December 2015 for EUR 430 million, were sold in accordance with the terms of the agreement with Visa Inc. A net disposal gain of EUR 597 million before tax was recognised in the profit and loss account in 2016.

Changes in value taken directly to equity are detailed as follows:

In millions of euros	31 December 2016			31 December 2015		
	Fixed-income securities	Equities and other variable-income securities	Total	Fixed-income securities	Equities and other variable-income securities	Total
Non-hedged changes in value of securities, recognised in "Available-for-sale financial assets"	13,784	4,216	18,000	13,554	4,238	17,792
Deferred tax linked to these changes in value	(4,504)	(948)	(5,452)	(4,548)	(856)	(5,404)
Insurance policyholders' surplus reserve from insurance entities, after deferred tax	(7,587)	(1,315)	(8,902)	(6,960)	(1,119)	(8,079)
Group share of changes in value of available-for-sale securities owned by equity-method entities, after deferred tax and insurance policyholders' surplus reserve	807	99	906	889	92	981
Unamortised changes in value of available-for-sale securities reclassified as loans and receivables	(16)		(16)	(39)		(39)
Other variations	(53)	(2)	(55)	(55)	(7)	(62)
Changes in value of assets taken directly to equity under the heading "Financial assets available for sale and reclassified as loans and receivables"	2,431	2,050	4,481	2,841	2,348	5,189
Attributable to equity shareholders	2,339	2,033	4,372	2,735	2,331	5,066
Attributable to minority interests	92	17	109	106	17	123

Maturity schedule of available-for-sale fixed-income securities by contractual maturity:

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	< 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	TOTAL
Fixed-income securities	6,936	8,020	19,056	77,884	136,176	248,072

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	< 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	TOTAL
Fixed-income securities	11,348	9,924	17,900	85,614	115,113	239,899

4.d MEASUREMENT OF THE FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

VALUATION PROCESS

BNP Paribas has retained the fundamental principle that it should have a unique and integrated processing chain for producing and controlling the valuations of financial instruments that are used for the purpose of daily risk management and financial reporting. All these processes are based on a common economic valuation which is a core component of business decisions and risk management strategies.

Economic value is composed of mid-market value, to which add valuation adjustments.

Mid-market value is derived from external data or valuation techniques that maximise the use of observable and market-based data. Mid-market value is a theoretical additive value which does not take account of i) the direction of the transaction or its impact on the existing risks in the portfolio, ii) the nature of the counterparties, and iii) the aversion of a market participant to particular risks inherent in the instrument, the market in which it is traded, or the risk management strategy.

Valuation adjustments take into account valuation uncertainty and include market and credit risk premiums to reflect costs that could be incurred in case of an exit transaction in the principal market. When valuation techniques are used for the purpose of deriving fair value, funding assumptions related to the future expected cash flows are an integral part of the mid-market valuation, notably through the use of appropriate discount rates. These assumptions reflect what the Bank anticipates as being the effective funding conditions of the instrument that a market participant would consider. This notably takes into account the existence and terms of any collateral agreement. In particular, for non- or imperfectly collateralized derivative instruments, they include an explicit adjustment to the interbank interest rate (Funding Valuation Adjustment – FVA).

Fair value generally equals the economic value, subject to limited adjustments, such as own credit adjustments, which are specifically required by IFRS standards.

The main valuation adjustments are presented in the section below.

VALUATION ADJUSTMENTS

Valuation adjustments retained by BNP Paribas for determining fair values are as follows:

Bid/offer adjustments: the bid/offer range reflects the additional exit cost for a price taker and symmetrically the compensation sought by dealers to bear the risk of holding the position or closing it out by accepting another dealer's price.

BNP Paribas assumes that the best estimate of an exit price is the bid or offer price, unless there is evidence that another point in the bid/offer range would provide a more representative exit price.

Input uncertainty adjustments: when the observation of prices or data inputs required by valuation techniques is difficult or irregular, an uncertainty exists on the exit price. There are several ways to gauge the degree of uncertainty on the exit price such as measuring the dispersion of the available price indications or estimating the possible ranges of the inputs to a valuation technique.

Model uncertainty adjustments: these relate to situations where valuation uncertainty is due to the valuation technique used, even though observable inputs might be available. This situation arises when the risks inherent in the instruments are different from those available in the observable data, and therefore the valuation technique involves assumptions that cannot be easily corroborated.

Credit valuation adjustment (CVA): the CVA adjustment applies to valuations and market quotations whereby the credit worthiness of the counterparty is not reflected. It aims to account for the possibility that the counterparty may default and that BNP Paribas may not receive the full fair value of the transactions.

In determining the cost of exiting or transferring counterparty risk exposures, the relevant market is deemed to be an inter-dealer market. However, the determination of CVA remains judgemental due to i) the possible absence or lack of price discovery in the inter-dealer market, ii) the influence of the regulatory landscape relating to counterparty risk on the market participants' pricing behaviour and iii) the absence of a dominant business model for managing counterparty risk.

The CVA model is grounded on the same exposures as those used for regulatory purposes. The model attempts to estimate the cost of an optimal risk management strategy based on i) implicit incentives and constraints inherent in the regulations in force and their evolutions, ii) market perception of the probability of default and iii) default parameters used for regulatory purposes.

Own-credit valuation adjustment for debts (OCA) and for derivatives (debit valuation adjustment - DVA): OCA and DVA are adjustments reflecting the effect of credit worthiness of BNP Paribas, on respectively the value of debt securities designated as at fair value through profit or loss and derivatives. Both adjustments are based on the expected future liability profiles of such instruments. The own credit worthiness is inferred from the market-based observation of the relevant bond issuance levels. The DVA adjustment is determined after taking into account the Funding Valuation Adjustment (FVA).

Thus, the carrying value of debt securities designated as at fair value through profit or loss is increased by EUR 391 million as at 31 December 2016, compared with an increase in value of EUR 416 million as at 31 December 2015, i.e. a EUR 25 million variation recognised in net gain on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss (note 2.c).

INSTRUMENT CLASSES AND CLASSIFICATION WITHIN THE FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY FOR ASSETS AND LIABILITIES MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE

As explained in the summary of significant accounting policies (note 1.c.10), financial instruments measured at fair value are categorised into a fair value hierarchy consisting of three levels.

The disaggregation of assets and liabilities into risk classes is meant to provide further insight into the nature of the instruments:

- Securitised exposures are further broken down by collateral type.
- For derivatives, fair values are broken down by dominant risk factor, namely interest rate, foreign exchange, credit and equity. Derivatives used for hedging purposes are mainly interest rate derivatives.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016											
	Trading book				Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss				Available-for-sale financial assets			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Securities portfolio	101,261	21,251	1,167	123,679	69,800	13,849	3,934	87,583	214,489	44,790	8,280	267,559
Treasury bills and government bonds	45,488	4,283		49,771	867			867	130,806	7,492		138,298
Asset Backed Securities ⁽¹⁾	-	8,748	618	9,366	-	7	-	7	-	4,588	72	4,660
CDOs / CLOs ⁽²⁾		1,391	613	2,004		7		7		56		56
Other Asset Backed Securities		7,357	5	7,362				-		4,532	72	4,604
Other fixed-income securities	9,695	7,702	169	17,566	1,392	5,809	110	7,311	75,420	28,783	911	105,114
Equities and other variable-income securities	46,078	518	380	46,976	67,541	8,033	3,824	79,398	8,263	3,927	7,297	19,487
Loans and repurchase agreements	-	151,511	731	152,242	-	61	-	61				
Loans		525		525		61		61				
Repurchase agreements		150,986	731	151,717				-				
FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS AND AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS	101,261	172,762	1,898	275,921	69,800	13,910	3,934	87,644	214,489	44,790	8,280	267,559
Securities portfolio	67,167	2,862	297	70,326	-	-	-	-				
Treasury bills and government bonds	50,320	383		50,703				-				
Other fixed-income securities	6,752	2,457	297	9,506				-				
Equities and other variable-income securities	10,095	22		10,117				-				
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	-	181,808	1,398	183,206	-	2,557	460	3,017				
Borrowings		4,190		4,190		2,557	460	3,017				
Repurchase agreements		177,618	1,398	179,016				-				
Debt securities (note 4.i)	-	-	-	-	-	34,964	12,746	47,710				
Subordinated debt (note 4.i)	-	-	-	-	-	1,012	-	1,012				
Debt representative of shares of consolidated funds held by third parties	-	-	-	-	1,719	618	-	2,337				
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	67,167	184,670	1,695	253,532	1,719	39,151	13,206	54,076				

In millions of euros	31 December 2015											
	Trading book				Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss				Available-for-sale financial assets			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Securities portfolio	102,232	29,517	1,751	133,500	67,177	12,123	3,743	83,043	204,988	44,625	9,320	258,933
Treasury bills and government bonds	48,509	4,632		53,141	1,849			1,849	125,702	5,567		131,269
Asset Backed Securities ⁽¹⁾	-	12,059	1,329	13,388	-	-	-	-	-	3,312	7	3,319
CDOs / CLOs ⁽²⁾		832	1,305	2,137				-		16		16
Other Asset Backed Securities		11,227	24	11,251				-		3,296	7	3,303
Other fixed-income securities	12,531	10,889	238	23,658	1,405	4,949	77	6,431	71,220	32,400	1,691	105,311
Equities and other variable-income securities	41,192	1,937	184	43,313	63,923	7,174	3,666	74,763	8,066	3,346	7,622	19,034
Loans and repurchase agreements	-	130,928	855	131,783	-	33	-	33				
Loans		433		433		33		33				
Repurchase agreements		130,495	855	131,350				-				
FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS AND AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS	102,232	160,445	2,606	265,283	67,177	12,156	3,743	83,076	204,988	44,625	9,320	258,933
Securities portfolio	75,894	6,231	419	82,544	-	-	-	-				
Treasury bills and government bonds	55,724	1,383		57,107				-				
Other fixed-income securities	5,387	4,797	417	10,601				-				
Equities and other variable-income securities	14,783	51	2	14,836				-				
Borrowings and repurchase agreements	-	154,499	2,272	156,771	-	2,296	88	2,384				
Borrowings		3,893		3,893		2,296	88	2,384				
Repurchase agreements		150,606	2,272	152,878				-				
Debt securities (note 4.i)	-	-	-	-	-	35,137	11,193	46,330				
Subordinated debt (note 4.i)	-	-	-	-	-	1,382	-	1,382				
Debt representative of shares of consolidated funds held by third parties	-	-	-	-	2,415	607	-	3,022				
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS	75,894	160,730	2,691	239,315	2,415	39,422	11,281	53,118				

(1) These amounts do not represent the total amount of securitisation assets held by BNP Paribas, particularly those classified at inception as "Loans and Receivables", and those reclassified as presented in note 4.e.
 (2) Collateralised Debt Obligations / Collateralised Loan Obligations

31 December 2016								
In millions of euros	Positive market value				Negative market value			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Interest rate derivatives	482	162,034	3,463	165,979	613	150,733	2,465	153,811
Foreign exchange derivatives	13	112,129	619	112,761	12	108,957	521	109,490
Credit derivatives		10,079	675	10,754		8,693	1,193	9,886
Equity derivatives	8,597	22,811	1,738	33,146	6,584	28,193	5,925	40,702
Other derivatives	749	4,724	49	5,522	889	3,856	106	4,851
Derivative financial instruments not used for hedging purposes	9,841	311,777	6,544	328,162	8,098	300,432	10,210	318,740
Derivative financial instruments used for hedging purposes	-	18,133	-	18,133	-	19,626	-	19,626

31 December 2015								
In millions of euros	Positive market value				Negative market value			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Interest rate derivatives	626	197,263	5,716	203,605	704	184,008	2,465	187,177
Foreign exchange derivatives		79,822	22	79,844	1	78,059	75	78,135
Credit derivatives		13,677	1,061	14,738		13,022	1,191	14,213
Equity derivatives	5,646	23,845	1,586	31,077	5,824	29,547	4,871	40,242
Other derivatives	913	6,367	80	7,360	853	4,894	314	6,061
Derivative financial instruments not used for hedging purposes	7,185	320,974	8,465	336,624	7,382	309,530	8,916	325,828
Derivative financial instruments used for hedging purposes	-	18,063	-	18,063	-	21,068	-	21,068

Transfers between levels may occur when an instrument fulfils the criteria defined, which are generally market and product dependent. The main factors influencing transfers are changes in the observation capabilities, passage of time, and events during the transaction lifetime. The timing of recognising transfers is determined at the beginning of the reporting period.

During 2016, transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 were not significant.

DESCRIPTION OF MAIN INSTRUMENTS IN EACH LEVEL

The following section provides a description of the instruments in each level in the hierarchy. It describes notably instruments classified in Level 3 and the associated valuation methodologies. For main trading book instruments and derivatives classified in Level 3, further quantitative information is provided about the inputs used to derive fair value.

Level 1

This level encompasses all derivatives and securities that are listed on exchanges or quoted continuously in other active markets.

Level 1 includes notably equity securities and liquid bonds, shortselling of these instruments, derivative instruments traded on organised markets (futures, options, ...). It includes shares of funds and UCITS, for which the net asset value is calculated on a daily basis, as well as debt representative of shares of consolidated funds held by third parties.

Level 2

The Level 2 stock of securities is composed of securities which are less liquid than the Level 1 bonds. They are predominantly government bonds, corporate debt securities, mortgage backed securities, fund shares and short-term securities such as certificates of deposit. They are classified in Level 2 notably when external prices for the same security can be regularly observed from a reasonable number of market makers that are active in this security, but these prices do not represent directly tradable prices. This comprises amongst other, consensus pricing services with a reasonable number of contributors that are active market makers as well as indicative runs from active brokers and/or dealers. Other sources such as primary issuance market, collateral valuation and counterparty collateral valuation matching may also be used where relevant.

Repurchase agreements are classified predominantly in Level 2. The classification is primarily based on the observability and liquidity of the repo market, depending on the underlying collateral.

Debts issued designated as at fair value through profit and loss, are classified in the same level as the one that would apply to the embedded derivative taken individually. The issuance spread is considered observable.

Derivatives classified in Level 2 comprise mainly the following instruments:

- Vanilla instruments such as interest rate swaps, caps, floors and swaptions, credit default swaps, equity/foreign exchange (FX)/commodities forwards and options;
- Structured derivatives such as exotic FX options, mono- and multi-underlying equity/funds derivatives, single curve exotic interest rate derivatives and derivatives based on structured rates.

The above derivatives are classified in Level 2 when there is a documented stream of evidence supporting one of the following:

- Fair value is predominantly derived from prices or quotations of other Level 1 and Level 2 instruments, through standard market interpolation or stripping techniques whose results are regularly corroborated by real transactions;
- Fair value is derived from other standard techniques such as replication or discounted cash flows that are calibrated to observable prices, that bear limited model risk and enable an effective offset of the risks of the instrument through trading Level 1 or Level 2 instruments;
- Fair value is derived from more sophisticated or proprietary valuation techniques but is directly evidenced through regular back-testing using external market-based data.

Determining of whether an over-the-counter (OTC) derivative is eligible for Level 2 classification involves judgement. Consideration is given to the origin, transparency and reliability of external data used, and the amount of uncertainty associated with the use of models. It follows that the Level 2 classification criteria involve multiple analysis axis within an “observability zone” whose limits are determined by i) a predetermined list of product categories and ii) the underlying and maturity bands. These criteria are regularly reviewed and updated, together with the applicable valuation adjustments, so that the classification by level remains consistent with the valuation adjustment policy.

Level 3

Level 3 securities of the trading book mainly comprise CLOs and CDOs of ABSs linked to legacy activity. Other Level 3 securities designated as at fair value through profit or loss or classified as available for sale comprise units of funds and unquoted equity shares.

CLOs represent the large majority of the Level 3 trading book stock. Fair value is determined using a methodology that takes into consideration both the available external indicative prices as well as discounted expected cash flows. Constant prepayment rates are amongst the main unobservable inputs required to model the underlying pool of cash flow payments. Other unobservable inputs are related to the cash/synthetic funding basis and the discounting margin.

CDOs of ABSs collateral pools comprise Commercial Real Estate Loans, Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities – CMBSs and Residential Mortgage Backed Securities – RMBSs. The fair value of CDOs is based on a “liquidation approach” and a “discounted expected cash flow” approach, depending on the distressed nature of the collateral.

For RMBSs, prices are obtained to a large extent from external sources, while for Commercial Real Estate Loans prices are independently valued by an external provider.

The Discounted Expected Cash flow approach for CDOs takes in consideration both an internal and an external independent set of hypotheses to derive expectations about the underlying cash flow payments. Such cash flow expectations are then passed through the CDO waterfall modelled in external platforms, allowing deriving cash flow expectations of the considered CDO tranche. Similarly to the above, fair value requires assumptions about the cash/synthetic funding basis and a discount margin.

Fund units relate to real estate funds for which the valuation of the underlying investments is not frequent, as well as hedge funds for which the observation of the net asset value is not frequent.

Unlisted private equities are systematically classified as Level 3, with the exception of UCITS with a daily net asset value, presented as unlisted securities in note 4.c, but which are classified in the Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy.

Shares and other unlisted variable income securities in level 3 are valued using one of the following methods: a share of reevaluated net book value, multiples of comparable companies, future cash flows method, multi-criteria approach.

Repurchase agreements: mainly long-term or structured repurchase agreements on corporate bonds and ABSs: The valuation of these transactions requires proprietary methodologies given the bespoke nature of the transactions and the lack of activity and price discovery in the long-term repo market. The curves used in the valuation are corroborated using available data such as the implied basis of the relevant benchmark bond pool, recent long-term repo trade data and price enquiry data. Valuation adjustments applicable to these exposures are commensurate with the degree of uncertainty inherent in the modelling choices and amount of data available.

Debts issued designated as at fair value through profit or loss, are classified in the same level as the one that would apply to the embedded derivative taken individually. The issuance spread is considered observable.

Derivatives

Vanilla derivatives are classified in Level 3 when the exposure is beyond the observation zone for rate curves or volatility surfaces, or relates to less liquid markets such as tranches on old credit index series or emerging markets interest rates markets. The main instruments are:

- **Interest rate derivatives:** exposures mainly comprise swap products in less liquid currencies. Classification is driven by the lower liquidity of some maturities, while observation capabilities through consensus may be available. The valuation technique is standard, and uses external market information and extrapolation techniques.
- **Credit derivatives (CDS):** exposures mainly comprise CDSs beyond the maximum observable maturity and, to a much lesser extent, CDSs on illiquid or distressed names and CDSs on loan indices. Classification is driven by the lack of liquidity while observation capabilities may be available notably through consensus. Level 3 exposures also comprise CDS and Total Return Swaps (TRS) positions on securitised assets. These are priced along the same modelling techniques as the underlying bonds, taking into consideration the funding basis and specific risk premium.
- **Equity derivatives:** exposures essentially comprise long dated forward or volatility products or exposures where there is a limited market for optional products. The marking of the forward curves and volatility surfaces beyond the maximum observable maturity relies on extrapolation techniques. However, when there is no market for model input, volatility or forward is generally determined on the basis of proxy or historical analysis.

These vanilla derivatives are subject to valuation adjustments linked to uncertainty on liquidity, specialised by nature of underlying and liquidity bands.

Structured derivatives classified in Level 3 predominantly comprise structured derivatives of which hybrid products (FX/Interest Rates hybrids, Equity hybrids), credit correlation products, prepayment-sensitive products, some stock basket optional products and some interest rate optional instruments. The main exposures are described below, with insight into the related valuation techniques and on the source of uncertainty :

- **Structured interest rate options** are classified in Level 3 when they involve currencies where there is not sufficient observation or when they include a quanto feature where the pay-off is measured with a forex forward fixed rate (except for the main currencies). Long term structured derivatives are also classified in Level 3.
- **Hybrid FX/Interest rate products** essentially comprise a specific product family known as Power Reverse Dual Currency (PRDC). The valuation of PRDCs requires sophisticated modelling of joint behaviour of FX and interest rate, and is notably sensitive to the unobservable FX/interest rate correlations. PRDCs valuations are corroborated with recent trade data and consensus data.
- **Securitisation swaps** mainly comprise fixed rate swaps, cross currency or basis swaps whose notional is indexed to the prepayment behaviour of some underlying portfolio. The estimation of the maturity profile of securitisation swaps is corroborated by statistical estimates using external historical data.
- **Forward volatility options** are generally products whose pay-off is indexed to the future variability of a rate index such as volatility swaps. These products involve material model risk as it is difficult to infer forward volatility information from the market-traded instruments. The valuation adjustment framework is calibrated to the uncertainty inherent in the product, and to the range of uncertainty from the existing external consensus data.
- **Inflation derivatives** classified in Level 3 mainly comprise swap products on inflation indices that are not associated with a liquid indexed bond market, optional products on inflation indices (such as caps and floors) and other forms of inflation indices involving optionality on the inflation indices or on the inflation annual rate. Valuation techniques used for inflation derivatives are predominantly standard market models. Proxy techniques are used for a few limited exposures. Although the valuations are corroborated through monthly consensus data,

these products are classified as Level 3 due to their lack of liquidity and some uncertainties inherent in the calibration.

- The valuation of **bespoke CDOs** requires correlation of default events. This information is inferred from the active index tranche market through a proprietary projection technique and involves proprietary extrapolation and interpolation techniques. Multi-geography CDOs further require an additional correlation assumption. Finally, the bespoke CDO model also involves proprietary assumptions and parameters related to the dynamic of the recovery factor. CDO modelling, is calibrated on the observable index tranche markets, and is regularly back-tested against consensus data on standardised pools. The uncertainty arises from the model risk associated with the projection and geography mixing technique, and the uncertainty of associated parameters, together with the recovery modelling.
- **N to Default baskets** are other forms of credit correlation products, modelled through standard copula techniques. The main inputs required are the pair-wise correlations between the basket components which can be observed in the consensus and the transactions. Linear baskets are considered observable.
- **Equity and equity-hybrid correlation products** are instruments whose pay-off is dependent on the joint behaviour of a basket of equities/indices leading to a sensitivity of the fair value measurement to the correlation amongst the basket components. Hybrid versions of these instruments involve baskets that mix equity and non-equity underlyings such as commodity indices. Only a subset of the Equity/index correlation matrix is regularly observable and traded, while most cross-asset correlations are not active. Therefore, classification in Level 3 depends on the composition of the basket, the maturity, and the hybrid nature of the product. The correlation input is derived from a proprietary model combining historical estimators, and other adjustment factors, that are corroborated by reference to recent trades or external data. The correlation matrix is essentially available from consensus services, and when a correlation between two underlying instruments is not available, it might be obtained from extrapolation or proxy techniques.

These structured derivatives are subject to specific valuation adjustments to cover uncertainties linked to liquidity, parameters and model risk.

Valuation adjustments (CVA, DVA and FVA)

The valuation adjustment for counterparty credit risk (CVA), own-credit risk for derivatives (DVA) and the explicit funding valuation adjustment (FVA) are deemed to be unobservable components of the valuation framework and therefore classified in Level 3. This does not impact, in general cases, the classification of individual transactions into the fair value hierarchy. However, a specific process allows to identify individual deals for which the marginal contribution of these adjustments and related uncertainty is significant. Are particularly concerned some insufficiently collateralized vanilla interest rate instruments with very long residual maturity.

The below table provides the range of values of main unobservable inputs for the valuation of level 3 financial instruments. The ranges displayed correspond to a variety of different underlying instruments and are meaningful only in the context of the valuation technique implemented by BNP Paribas. The weighted averages, where relevant and available, are based on fair values, nominal amounts or sensitivities.

The main unobservable parameters used for the valuation of debt issued in level 3 are equivalent to these of their economic hedge derivative. Information on those derivatives, displayed in the following table, is also applicable to these debts.

Risk classes	Balance Sheet valuation (in millions of euros)		Main product types composing the Level 3 stock within the risk class	Valuation technique used for the product types considered	Main unobservable inputs for the product types considered	Range of unobservable input across Level 3 population considered	Weighted average		
	Asset	Liability							
Cash instruments	613		Collateralised Loan Obligations (CLO) CDOs of ABSs (RMBSs, Commercial Real Estate Loans, CMBSs)	Combination of liquidation approach and discounted future cash flow approach	Discount margin	26 bp to 1,303 bp (1)	201 bp (a)		
					Constant payment rate (CLOs)	0 to 10%	10% (b)		
					Cash / synthetic funding basis (€)	3 bp to 8 bp	not meaningful		
Repurchase agreements	731	1,398	Long-term repo and reverse-repo agreements	Proxy techniques, based amongst other on the funding basis of a benchmark bond pool, that is actively traded and representative of the repo underlying	Long-term repo spread on private bonds (High Yield, High Grade) and on ABSs	0 bp to 79 bp	42 bp (c)		
					Hybrid Forex / Interest rates derivatives	Hybrid Forex interest rate option pricing model	Correlation between FX rate and interest rates. Main currency pairs are EUR/JPY, USD/JPY, AUD/JPY	13% to 56%	42% (c)
					Hybrid inflation rates / Interest rates derivatives	Hybrid Forex interest rate option pricing model	Correlation between interest rates and inflation rates mainly in Europe.	3% to 42%	32% (c)
					Floors and caps on inflation rate or on the cumulative inflation (such as redemption floors), predominantly on European and French inflation	Inflation pricing model	Volatility of cumulative inflation	0.7% to 10.3%	(d)
							Volatility of the year on year inflation rate	0.3% to 2.0%	
Interest rate derivatives	3,463	2,465	Forward Volatility products such as volatility swaps, mainly in euro	Interest rates option pricing model	Forward volatility of interest rates	0.3% to 0.7%	(d)		
					Balance-guaranteed fixed rate, basis or cross currency swaps, predominantly on European collateral pools	Prepayment modelling Discounted cash flows	Constant prepayment rates	0.0 % to 40%	9% (c)
							Base correlation curve for bespoke portfolios	20% to 99%	(d)
							Inter-regions default cross correlation	80 % to 90%	90%(a)
Credit Derivatives	675	1,193	Collateralised Debt Obligations and index tranches for inactive index series	Base correlation projection technique and recovery modelling	Recovery rate variance for single name underlyings	0 to 25%	(d)		
					N-to-default baskets	Credit default model	Default correlation	50% to 91%	85% (c)
							Credit default spreads beyond observation limit (10 years)	55 bp to 312 bp (2)	253 bp (a)
							Illiquid credit default spread curves (across main tenors)	8 bp to 2,581 bp (3)	139 bp (a)
							Unobservable equity volatility	0% to 94% (4)	(d)
Equity Derivatives	1,738	5,925	Simple and complex derivatives on multi-underlying baskets on stocks	Various volatility option models	Unobservable equity correlation	15% to 98%	60% (a)		

(1) The lower part of the range is relative to short-dated securities, while the upper relates to US CDOs of ABSs, which are not significant to the balance sheet since their prices are close to zero. Removing these outliers, the discount margin would range from 26bp to 771bp.

(2) The upper part of the range relates to non-material balance sheet and net risk position on a European corporate. The other part relates mainly to sovereign issuers.

(3) The upper bound of the range relates to a materials sector issuer that represents an insignificant portion of the balance sheet on CDSs with illiquid underlying. Removing this risk factor which has the highest spread, the upper bound of the range would be 750bp.

(4) The upper part of the range relates to 4 equity instruments representing a non-material portion of the balance sheet on options with equity underlying instruments. Removing this outlier, the upper bound of the range would be around 94 %.

(a) Weighting is not based on risks, but on an alternative methodology in relation with the Level 3 instruments (PV or notional)

(b) The upper bound of the range relates to CLOs which represent the large majority of the exposures

(c) Weights based on relevant risk axis at portfolio level

(d) No weighting since no explicit sensitivity is attributed to these inputs

TABLE OF MOVEMENTS IN LEVEL 3 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

For Level 3 financial instruments, the following movements occurred between 1 January 2015 and 31 December 2016:

In millions of euros	Financial Assets				Financial Liabilities		
	Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss held for trading	Financial instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	Available-for-sale financial assets	TOTAL	Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss held for trading	Financial instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	TOTAL
At 31 December 2014	19,955	2,803	9,233	31,991	(25,479)	(11,732)	(37,211)
Purchases	4,818	4,161	2,019	10,998			-
Issues				-	(2,128)	(9,021)	(11,149)
Sales	(2,291)	(3,470)	(1,292)	(7,053)			-
Settlements ⁽¹⁾	(11,355)	(89)	(999)	(12,443)	15,159	8,519	23,678
Transfers to level 3	1,012	130	245	1,387	(463)	(1,607)	(2,070)
Transfers from level 3	(1,750)	(63)	(440)	(2,253)	1,440	2,464	3,904
Gains (or losses) recognised in profit or loss with respect to transactions expired or terminated during the period	(1,778)	122	(162)	(1,818)	1,339	250	1,589
Gains (or losses) recognised in profit or loss with respect to unexpired instruments at the end of the period	1,834	149	(58)	1,925	(716)	83	(633)
Changes in fair value of assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity							
- Items related to exchange rate movements	626		131	757	(759)	(237)	(996)
- Changes in fair value of assets and liabilities recognised in equity			643	643			-
At 31 December 2015	11,071	3,743	9,320	24,134	(11,607)	(11,281)	(22,888)
Purchases	2,061	1,308	1,133	4,502			-
Issues				-	(2,266)	(5,720)	(7,986)
Sales	(1,429)	(1,210)	(2,098)	(4,737)			-
Settlements ⁽¹⁾	(1,706)	(115)	(123)	(1,944)	(1,486)	3,889	2,403
Transfers to level 3	427	7	654	1,088	(430)	(1,393)	(1,823)
Transfers from level 3	(4,283)	(218)	(653)	(5,154)	903	1,401	2,304
Gains (or losses) recognised in profit or loss with respect to transactions expired or terminated during the period	(148)	376	(278)	(50)	3,071	6	3,077
Gains (or losses) recognised in profit or loss with respect to unexpired instruments at the end of the period	2,612	43	(15)	2,640	148	(41)	107
Changes in fair value of assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity							
- Items related to exchange rate movements	(163)			(163)	(238)	(67)	(305)
- Changes in fair value of assets and liabilities recognised in equity			340	340			-
At 31 December 2016	8,442	3,934	8,280	20,656	(11,905)	(13,206)	(25,111)

⁽¹⁾ For the assets, includes redemptions of principal, interest payments as well as cash inflows and outflows relating to derivatives. For the liabilities, includes principal redemptions, interest payments as well as cash inflows and outflows relating to derivatives the fair value of which is negative.

Transfers out of Level 3 of derivatives at fair value include mainly the update of the observability tenor of certain yield curves, but also the effect of derivatives becoming only or mainly sensitive to observable inputs due to the shortening of their lifetime.

Transfers into Level 3 of instruments at fair value reflect the effect of the regular update of the observability zones.

Transfers have been reflected as if they had taken place at the beginning of the reporting period.

The Level 3 financial instruments may be hedged by other Level 1 and Level 2 instruments, the gains and losses of which are not shown in this table. Consequently, the gains and losses shown in this table are not representative of the gains and losses arising from management of the net risk on all these instruments.

SENSITIVITY OF FAIR VALUE TO REASONABLY POSSIBLE CHANGES IN LEVEL 3 ASSUMPTIONS

The following table summarises those financial assets and financial liabilities classified as Level 3 for which alternative assumptions in one or more of the unobservable inputs would change fair value significantly.

The amounts disclosed are intended to illustrate the range of possible uncertainty inherent to the judgement applied when estimating Level 3 parameters, or when selecting valuation techniques. These amounts reflect valuation uncertainties that prevail at the measurement date, and even though such uncertainties predominantly derive from the portfolio sensitivities that prevailed at that measurement date, they are not predictive or indicative of future movements in fair value, nor do they represent the effect of market stress on the portfolio value.

In estimating sensitivities, BNP Paribas either remeasured the financial instruments using reasonably possible inputs, or applied assumptions based on the valuation adjustment policy.

For the sake of simplicity, the sensitivity on cash instruments that are not relating to securitised instruments was based on a uniform 1% shift in the price. More specific shifts were however calibrated for each class of the Level 3 securitised exposures, based on the possible ranges of the unobservable inputs.

For derivative exposures, the sensitivity measurement is based on the credit valuation adjustment (CVA), the explicit funding valuation adjustment (FVA) and the parameter and model uncertainty adjustments related to Level 3.

Regarding the credit valuation adjustment (CVA) and the explicit funding valuation adjustment (FVA), the uncertainty was calibrated based on prudent valuation adjustments described in the technical standard "Prudent Valuation" published by the European Banking Authority. For other valuation adjustments, two scenarios were considered: a favourable scenario where all or portion of the valuation adjustment is not considered by market participants, and an unfavourable scenario where market participants would require twice the amount of valuation adjustments considered by BNP Paribas for entering into a transaction.

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Potential impact on income	Potential impact on equity	Potential impact on income	Potential impact on equity
Treasury bills and government bonds				
Asset Backed Securities (ABS)	+/-12	+/-1	+/-27	
CDOs / CLOs	+/-12		+/-26	
Other Asset Backed Securities		+/-1	+/-1	
Other fixed-income securities	+/-2	+/-9	+/-3	+/-17
Equities and other variable-income securities	+/-42	+/-73	+/-39	+/-76
Repurchase agreements	+/-7		+/-14	
Derivative financial instruments	+/-844		+/-856	
Interest rate and foreign exchange derivatives	+/-605		+/-623	
Credit derivatives	+/-59		+/-45	
Equity derivatives	+/-169		+/-179	
Other derivatives	+/-11		+/-9	
Sensitivity of Level 3 financial instruments	+/-907	+/-83	+/-939	+/-93

DEFERRED MARGIN ON FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS MEASURED USING TECHNIQUES DEVELOPED INTERNALLY AND BASED ON INPUTS PARTLY UNOBSERVABLE IN ACTIVE MARKETS

Deferred margin on financial instruments (“Day One Profit”) only concerns the scope of market activities eligible for Level 3.

The day one profit is calculated after setting aside valuation adjustments for uncertainties as described previously and released to profit or loss over the expected period for which the inputs will be unobservable. The unamortised amount is included under “Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss” as a reduction in the fair value of the relevant transactions.

In millions of euros	Deferred margin at 31 December 2015	Deferred margin on transactions during the year	Margin taken to the profit and loss account during the year	Deferred margin at 31 December 2016
Interest rate and foreign exchange derivatives	316	107	(92)	331
Credit derivatives	119	47	(62)	104
Equity derivatives	313	192	(190)	315
Other derivatives	8		(2)	6
Derivative financial instruments	756	346	(346)	756

4.e RECLASSIFICATION OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS INITIALLY RECOGNISED AS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS HELD FOR TRADING PURPOSES OR AS AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE ASSETS

The amendments to IAS 39 and IFRS 7 adopted by the European Union on 15 October 2008 permit the reclassification of instruments initially held for trading or available-for-sale within the customer loan portfolios or as available-for-sale securities.

In millions of euros	Reclassification date	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
		Carrying value	Market or model value	Carrying value	Market or model value
Structured transactions and other fixed-income securities from the available-for-sale portfolio		509	604	562	696
of which Portuguese sovereign securities	30 June 2011	274	301	333	388
of which Irish sovereign securities	30 June 2011	235	303	229	308
Structured transactions and other fixed-income securities from the trading portfolio	1 October 2008 / 30 June 2009	961	940	1,395	1,388

Without these reclassifications, the Group's net income would not have been significantly different for the year ended 31 December 2016, nor for the year ended 31 December 2015. Similarly, changes in value of assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity would not have been significantly different in 2016, nor in 2015.

4.f INTERBANK AND MONEY-MARKET ITEMS

- **Loans and receivables due from credit institutions**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
On demand accounts	6,513	9,346
Loans ⁽¹⁾	37,664	31,780
Repurchase agreements	3,422	2,542
Total loans and receivables due from credit institutions, before impairment	47,599	43,668
<i>of which doubtful loans</i>	274	355
Impairment of loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 2.g)	(188)	(241)
specific impairment	(167)	(203)
collective provisions	(21)	(38)
Total loans and receivables due from credit institutions, net of impairment	47,411	43,427

⁽¹⁾ Loans and receivables due from credit institutions include term deposits made with central banks, which amounted to EUR 2,192 million as at 31 December 2016 (EUR 1,665 million as at 31 December 2015).

- **Due to credit institutions**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
On demand accounts	10,775	8,527
Borrowings	60,189	70,109
Repurchase agreements	4,696	5,510
Total due to credit institutions	75,660	84,146

4.g CUSTOMER ITEMS

- **Loans and receivables due from customers**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
On demand accounts	45,672	46,790
Loans to customers	663,329	628,796
Repurchase agreements	1,723	5,448
Finance leases	28,554	27,657
Total loans and receivables due from customers, before impairment	739,278	708,691
<i>of which doubtful loans</i>	41,779	41,251
Impairment of loans and receivables due from customers (note 2.g)	(27,045)	(26,194)
specific impairment	(23,924)	(22,730)
collective provisions	(3,121)	(3,464)
Total loans and receivables due from customers, net of impairment	712,233	682,497

- **Breakdown of finance leases**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Gross investment	31,755	31,400
<i>Receivable within 1 year</i>	9,479	8,741
<i>Receivable after 1 year but within 5 years</i>	17,576	17,134
<i>Receivable beyond 5 years</i>	4,700	5,525
Unearned interest income	(3,201)	(3,743)
Net investment before impairment	28,554	27,657
<i>Receivable within 1 year</i>	8,562	7,728
<i>Receivable after 1 year but within 5 years</i>	15,731	14,994
<i>Receivable beyond 5 years</i>	4,261	4,935
Impairment provisions	(990)	(1,058)
Net investment after impairment	27,564	26,599

- **Due to customers**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
On demand deposits	443,379	399,364
Savings accounts	145,273	135,254
Term accounts and short-term notes	174,943	160,498
Repurchase agreements	2,358	5,193
Total due to customers	765,953	700,309

4.h PAST-DUE AND DOUBTFUL LOANS

The following tables present the carrying amounts of financial assets that are past due but not impaired and impaired assets and related collateral or other guarantees. The amounts shown are stated before any provision on a portfolio basis.

The amounts shown for collateral and other guarantees correspond to the lower of the value of the collateral or other guarantee and the value of the secured assets.

• Past-due but not impaired loans

In millions of euros	31 December 2016					Collateral received
	< 90 days	> 90 days < 180 days	> 180 days < 1 year	> 1 year	Total	
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions	253	1		1	255	42
Loans and receivables due from customers	11,271	296	166	333	12,066	5,809
Total past-due but not impaired loans	11,524	297	166	334	12,321	5,851

In millions of euros	31 December 2015					Collateral received
	< 90 days	> 90 days < 180 days	> 180 days < 1 year	> 1 year	Total	
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions	164	15			179	315
Loans and receivables due from customers	13,433	466	263	308	14,470	7,793
Total past-due but not impaired loans	13,597	481	263	308	14,649	8,108

• Doubtful loans

In millions of euros	31 December 2016			
	Doubtful loans			Collateral received
	Gross value	Impairment	Net	
Available-for-sale financial assets (excl. variable-income securities) (note 4.c)	99	(78)	21	
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 4.f)	274	(167)	107	351
Loans and receivables due from customers (note 4.g)	41,779	(23,924)	17,855	11,981
Doubtful assets	42,152	(24,169)	17,983	12,332
Financing commitments given	1,055	(29)	1,026	1,058
Guarantee commitments given	1,374	(349)	1,025	-
Off-balance sheet doubtful commitments	2,429	(378)	2,051	1,058
Total	44,581	(24,547)	20,034	13,390

In millions of euros	31 December 2015			
	Doubtful loans			Collateral received
	Gross value	Impairment	Net	
Available-for-sale financial assets (excl. variable-income securities) (note 4.c)	131	(75)	56	
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 4.f)	355	(203)	152	303
Loans and receivables due from customers (note 4.g)	41,251	(22,730)	18,521	11,814
Doubtful assets	41,737	(23,008)	18,729	12,117
Financing commitments given	619	(32)	587	515
Guarantee commitments given	1,002	(285)	717	
Off-balance sheet doubtful commitments	1,621	(317)	1,304	515
Total	43,358	(23,325)	20,033	12,632

4.i DEBT SECURITIES AND SUBORDINATED DEBT

This note covers all debt securities in issue and subordinated debt measured at amortised cost and designated as at fair value through profit or loss.

DEBT SECURITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS (note 4.a)

Issuer / Issue date	Currency	Original amount in foreign currency (millions)	Date of call or interest step-up	Interest rate	Interest step-up	Conditions precedent for coupon payment ⁽¹⁾	Amount ⁽²⁾ eligible to Tier 1	Amount ⁽²⁾ eligible to Tier 2	31 December 2016	31 December 2015		
In millions of euros												
Debt securities									47,710	46,330		
Subordinated debt									162	166	1,012	1,382
- Redeemable subordinated debt			⁽³⁾				-	166	424	473		
- Perpetual subordinated debt							162	-	588	909		
BNP Paribas Fortis Dec. 2007	EUR	3,000	Dec.-14	3-month Euribor +200 bp		A	162		588	889		
Others								-	-	20		

⁽¹⁾ Conditions precedent for coupon payment:

A Coupon payments are halted should the issuer have insufficient capital or the underwriters become insolvent or when the dividend declared for Ageas shares falls below a certain threshold.

⁽²⁾ Given the eligibility criteria and prudential adjustments, including the own credit risk and amortisation of instruments.

⁽³⁾ After agreement from the banking supervisory authority and at the issuer's initiative, these debt issues may contain a call provision authorising the Group to redeem the securities prior to maturity by repurchasing them in the stock market, via public tender offers, or in the case of private placements over the counter. Debt issued by BNP Paribas SA or foreign subsidiaries of the Group via placements in the international markets may be subject to early redemption of the capital and early payment of interest due at maturity at the issuer's discretion on or after a date stipulated in the issue particulars (call option), or in the event that changes in the applicable tax rules oblige the BNP Paribas Group issuer to compensate debt-holders for the consequences of such changes. Redemption may be subject to a notice period of between 15 and 60 days, and is in all cases subject to approval by the banking supervisory authorities.

The perpetual subordinated debt recognised at fair value through profit or loss mainly consists of Convertible And Subordinated Hybrid Equity-linked Securities (CASHES) issued by BNP Paribas Fortis (previously Fortis Banque) in December 2007.

The CASHES are perpetual securities but may be exchanged for Ageas (previously Fortis SA/NV) shares at the holder's sole discretion at a price of EUR 239.40. However, as of 19 December 2014, the CASHES will be automatically exchanged into Ageas shares if their price is equal to or higher than EUR 359.10 for twenty consecutive trading days. The principal amount will never be redeemed in cash. The rights of the CASHES holders are limited to the Ageas shares held by BNP Paribas Fortis and pledged to them.

Ageas and BNP Paribas Fortis have entered into a Relative Performance Note (RPN) contract, the value of which varies contractually so as to offset the impact on BNP Paribas Fortis of the relative difference between changes in the value of the CASHES and changes in the value of the Ageas shares.

On 7 May 2015, BNP Paribas and Ageas reached a new agreement which allows BNP Paribas to purchase outstanding CASHES under the condition that these are converted into Ageas shares, leading to a proportional settlement of the RPN. The agreement between Ageas and BNP Paribas expired on 31 December 2016.

On 24 July 2015, BNP Paribas obtained the prior agreement from the European Central Bank to proceed to purchase CASHES within a limit of EUR 200 million nominal amount. In 2016, this agreement was used for EUR 164 million, converted into Ageas shares.

On 8 July 2016, BNP Paribas obtained a new agreement from the European Central Bank to proceed to purchase CASHES within a limit of EUR 200 million nominal amount. This agreement supersedes the previous one.

As at 31 December 2016, the subordinated liability is eligible to Tier 1 capital for EUR 162 million (considering both the transitional period and this agreement).

Maturity schedule of medium and long-term debt securities and redeemable subordinated debt designated as at fair value through profit or loss with a maturity at issuance of more than one year, by contractual maturity:

Maturity or call option date, in millions of euros	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 - 2026	After 2026	Total at 31 Dec. 2016
Medium- and long-term debt securities	11,658	6,443	6,051	6,476	4,877	8,375	3,830	47,710
Redeemable subordinated debt	262	43	-	67	10	20	22	424
Total	11,920	6,486	6,051	6,543	4,887	8,395	3,852	48,134

Maturity or call option date, in millions of euros	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021 - 2025	After 2025	Total at 31 Dec. 2015
Medium- and long-term debt securities	11,894	6,255	5,141	4,367	5,944	8,487	4,242	46,330
Redeemable subordinated debt	19	271	45	-	67	30	41	473
Total	11,913	6,526	5,186	4,367	6,011	8,517	4,283	46,803

DEBT SECURITIES MEASURED AT AMORTISED COST

Issuer / Issue date	Currency	Original amount in foreign currency (millions)	Date of call or interest step-up	Interest rate	Interest step-up	Conditions precedent for coupon payment ⁽¹⁾	Amount ⁽²⁾ eligible to Tier 1	Amount ⁽²⁾ eligible to Tier 2	31 December 2016	31 December 2015	
In millions of euros											
Debt securities									153,422	159,447	
- Debt securities in issue with an initial maturity of less than one year									78,726	80,488	
Negotiable debt securities									78,726	80,488	
- Debt securities in issue with an initial maturity of more than one year									74,696	78,959	
Negotiable debt securities									70,379	70,918	
Bonds									4,317	8,041	
Subordinated debt								12,985	18,374	16,544	
- Redeemable subordinated debt							⁽³⁾		12,152	16,511	14,700
- Undated subordinated notes							⁽³⁾		611	1,627	1,613
BNP Paribas SA Oct. 85	EUR	305	-	TMO - 0.25%	-	B	254		254	254	
BNP Paribas SA Sept. 86	USD	500	-	6 month-Libor + 0.075%	-	C	260		260	252	
BNP Paribas Cardiff Nov. 14	EUR	1,000	Nov. - 25	4.032%	3-month Euribor + 393 bp	D			1,000	1,000	
Others								97	113	107	
- Participating notes									222	222	222
BNP Paribas SA July 84 ⁽⁴⁾	EUR	337	-	⁽⁵⁾	-	NA	215		215	215	
Others								7	7	7	
- Expenses and commission, related debt									14	9	

⁽¹⁾ Conditions precedent for coupon payment

B Payment of the interest is mandatory, unless the Board of Directors decides to postpone these payments after the Shareholders' General Meeting has officially noted that there is no income available for distribution, where this occurs within the 12-month period preceding the due date for payment of the interest. Interest payments are cumulative and are payable in full once dividend payments resume.

C Payment of the interest is mandatory, unless the Board of Directors decides to postpone these payments after the Shareholders' General Meeting in ordinary session has validated the decision not to pay out a dividend, where this occurs within the 12-month period preceding the due date for payment of the interest. Interest payments are cumulative and are payable in full once dividend payments resume. The bank has the option of resuming payment of interest arrears, even where no dividend is paid out.

D Payment of the interest is mandatory, except for cases of regulatory deficiency, in agreement with the regulator, or of suspension of payments. Interest payments are cumulative and are payable in full, once coupon payments resume, or, if these events occur before, when the issuance is redeemed or when the issuer is liquidated.

⁽²⁾ Given the eligibility criteria and prudential adjustments, including amortisation of instruments.

⁽³⁾ See reference relating to "Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss".

⁽⁴⁾ The participating notes issued by BNP Paribas SA may be repurchased as provided for in the law of 3 January 1983. The number of notes in the market is 1,434,092.

⁽⁵⁾ Depending on net income subject to a minimum of 85% of the TMO rate and a maximum of 130% of the TMO rate.

Maturity schedule of medium and long-term debt securities and redeemable subordinated debt carried at amortised cost with a maturity at issuance of more than one year, by contractual maturity:

Maturity or call option date, in millions of euros	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 - 2026	After 2026	Total at 31 Dec. 2016
Medium- and long-term debt securities	16,490	7,580	7,699	9,596	10,561	20,622	2,148	74,696
Redeemable subordinated debt	4,170	548	216	27	8	9,170	2,372	16,511
Total	20,660	8,128	7,915	9,623	10,569	29,792	4,520	91,207

Maturity or call option date, in millions of euros	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021 - 2025	After 2025	Total at 31 Dec. 2015
Medium- and long-term debt securities	13,835	15,636	6,957	7,760	9,371	23,806	1,594	78,959
Redeemable subordinated debt	2,705	3,385	484	177	147	4,743	3,059	14,700
Total	16,540	19,021	7,441	7,937	9,518	28,549	4,653	93,659

4.j HELD-TO-MATURITY FINANCIAL ASSETS

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Treasury bills and government bonds	5,937	7,587
Other fixed-income securities	163	170
Total held-to-maturity financial assets	6,100	7,757

No held-to-maturity financial asset was impaired as at 31 December 2016, nor as at 31 December 2015.

Maturity schedule of held-to-maturity financial assets by contractual maturity:

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	< 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	TOTAL
Held-to-maturity financial assets	-	160	1,393	3,460	1,087	6,100

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	< 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	TOTAL
Held-to-maturity financial assets	141	187	1,460	4,456	1,513	7,757

4.k CURRENT AND DEFERRED TAXES

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Current taxes	1,869	1,487
Deferred taxes	6,097	6,378
Current and deferred tax assets	7,966	7,865
Current taxes	920	826
Deferred taxes	2,167	2,167
Current and deferred tax liabilities	3,087	2,993

Change in deferred tax over the period:

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Net deferred taxes at start of period	4,211	5,032
Net losses arising from deferred taxes (note 2.i)	(729)	(907)
Changes in deferred taxes linked to changes in value and reversal through profit or loss of changes in value of available-for-sale financial assets, including those reclassified as loans and receivables	241	89
Changes in deferred taxes linked to changes in value and reversal through profit or loss of changes in value of cash flow hedge derivatives	208	14
Changes in deferred taxes linked to items recognised directly in equity that will not be reclassified to profit and loss	98	(199)
Effect of exchange rate, scope and other movements	(99)	182
Net deferred taxes at end of period	3,930	4,211

Breakdown of deferred tax assets and liabilities by nature:

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Available-for-sale financial assets, including those reclassified as loans and receivables	(978)	(1,219)
Unrealised finance lease reserve	(613)	(629)
Provisions for employee benefit obligations	1,105	1,048
Provisions for credit risk	2,840	3,092
Other items	(375)	(166)
Tax loss carryforwards	1,951	2,085
Net deferred taxes	3,930	4,211
Deferred tax assets	6,097	6,378
Deferred tax liabilities	(2,167)	(2,167)

Unrecognised deferred tax assets totalled EUR 1,645 million at 31 December 2016 compared with EUR 2,177 million at 31 December 2015.

In order to determine the size of the tax loss carryforwards recognised as assets, the Group conducts every year a specific review for each relevant entity based on the applicable tax regime, notably incorporating any time limit rules, and a realistic projection of their future revenue and charges in line with their business plan.

Main entities with deferred tax assets recognised on tax loss carryforwards:

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	Statutory time limit on carryforwards	Expected recovery period
BNP Paribas Fortis	1,507	unlimited	6 years
BNP Paribas Securities Japan Ltd	60	9 years	5 years
Others	384		
Total deferred tax assets relating to tax loss carryforwards	1,951		

4.1 ACCRUED INCOME/EXPENSE AND OTHER ASSETS/LIABILITIES

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Guarantee deposits and bank guarantees paid	66,722	65,590
Settlement accounts related to securities transactions	14,584	11,798
Collection accounts	555	446
Reinsurers' share of technical reserves	2,866	2,909
Accrued income and prepaid expenses	5,618	5,062
Other debtors and miscellaneous assets	25,622	22,213
Total accrued income and other assets	115,967	108,018
Guarantee deposits received	54,249	50,284
Settlement accounts related to securities transactions	11,049	7,337
Collection accounts	695	1,085
Accrued expense and deferred income	7,674	7,697
Other creditors and miscellaneous liabilities	25,740	22,226
Total accrued expense and other liabilities	99,407	88,629

The movement in “Reinsurers’ share of technical reserves” breaks down as follows:

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Reinsurers' share of technical reserves at start of period	2,909	2,782
Increase in technical reserves borne by reinsurers	295	484
Amounts received in respect of claims and benefits passed on to reinsurers	(378)	(358)
Effect of changes in exchange rates and scope of consolidation	40	1
Reinsurers' share of technical reserves at end of period	2,866	2,909

4.m EQUITY-METHOD INVESTMENTS

Cumulated financial information of associates and joint ventures is presented in the following table:

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016			31 December 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015			31 December 2015
	Share of net income	Share of changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Share of net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Equity-method investments	Share of net income	Share of changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Share of net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Equity-method investments
Joint ventures	36	11	47	1,023	29	(38)	(9)	1,059
Associates ⁽¹⁾	597	(108)	489	5,887	560	158	718	5,837
Total equity-method entities	633	(97)	536	6,910	589	120	709	6,896

⁽¹⁾Including controlled but non material entities consolidated under the equity method.

Financing and guarantee commitments given by the Group to joint ventures are listed in the note 7.h Other related parties.

The carrying amount of the Group's investment in the main joint ventures and associates is presented in the following table:

In millions of euros	Country of registration	Activity	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
			Interest (%)	Equity-method investments	Interest (%)	Equity-method investments
Joint ventures						
Bpost banque	Belgium	Retail banking	50%	366	50%	366
Union de Creditos Inmobiliarios	Spain	Retail mortgage	50%	267	50%	273
Associates						
AG Insurance	Belgium	Insurance	25%	1,613	25%	1,695
Bank of Nanjing	China	Retail banking	19%	1,448	19%	1,308

4.n PROPERTY, PLANT, EQUIPMENT AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS USED IN OPERATIONS, INVESTMENT PROPERTY

In millions of euros	31 December 2016			31 December 2015		
	Gross value	Accumulated depreciation, amortisation and impairment	Carrying amount	Gross value	Accumulated depreciation, amortisation and impairment	Carrying amount
Investment property	2,203	(292)	1,911	1,895	(256)	1,639
Land and buildings	7,800	(1,994)	5,806	7,676	(2,009)	5,667
Equipment, furniture and fixtures	7,024	(4,896)	2,128	7,061	(5,004)	2,057
Plant and equipment leased as lessor under operating leases	18,649	(5,063)	13,586	17,486	(4,959)	12,527
Other property, plant and equipment	2,088	(1,085)	1,003	2,406	(1,064)	1,342
Property, plant and equipment	35,561	(13,038)	22,523	34,629	(13,036)	21,593
Purchased software	3,332	(2,483)	849	3,270	(2,487)	783
Internally-developed software	4,309	(3,304)	1,005	4,051	(3,158)	893
Other intangible assets	1,815	(430)	1,385	1,832	(404)	1,428
Intangible assets	9,456	(6,217)	3,239	9,153	(6,049)	3,104

- **Investment property**

Land and buildings leased by the Group as lessor under operating leases, and land and buildings held as investments in connection with the life insurance business, are recorded in "Investment property".

The estimated fair value of investment property accounted for at amortised cost at 31 December 2016 is EUR 2,143 million, compared with EUR 1,846 million at 31 December 2015.

- **Operating leases**

Operating leases and investment property transactions are in certain cases subject to agreements providing for the following minimum future payments:

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Future minimum lease payments receivable under non-cancellable leases	5,676	5,650
<i>Payments receivable within 1 year</i>	2,503	2,539
<i>Payments receivable after 1 year but within 5 years</i>	3,121	3,053
<i>Payments receivable beyond 5 years</i>	52	58

Future minimum lease payments receivable under non-cancellable leases are payments that the lessee is required to make during the lease term.

- **Intangible assets**

Other intangible assets include leasehold rights, goodwill and trademarks acquired by the Group.

- **Depreciation, amortisation and impairment**

Net depreciation and amortisation expense for the year ended 31 December 2016 was EUR 1,713 million, compared with EUR 1,661 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The net decrease in impairment on property, plant, equipment and intangible assets taken to the profit and loss account in the year ended 31 December 2016 amounted to EUR 16 million, compared with EUR 7 million for the year ended 31 December 2015.

4.0 GOODWILL

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Carrying amount at start of period	10,316	10,577
Acquisitions	55	296
Divestments	(67)	(9)
Impairment recognised during the period	(182)	(993)
Exchange rate adjustments	91	440
Other movements	3	5
Carrying amount at end of period	10,216	10,316
Gross value	13,012	13,031
Accumulated impairment recognised at the end of period	(2,796)	(2,715)

Goodwill by cash-generating unit is as follows:

In millions of euros	Carrying amount		Impairment recognised during the period		Acquisitions during the period	
	31 December 2016	31 December 2015	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015	Year to 31 December 2016	Year to 31 December 2015
Retail Banking & Services	9,070	9,141	(182)	(993)	55	268
Domestic Markets	1,269	1,275	-	(917)	55	248
<i>Arval</i>	509	581			(38)	245
<i>BNL banca commerciale</i>				(917)		
<i>Leasing Solutions</i>	136	139				
<i>Personal Investors</i>	618	549			93	3
<i>Others</i>	6	6				
International Financial Services	7,801	7,866	(182)	(76)	-	20
<i>Insurance</i>	296	298				5
<i>BancWest</i>	4,728	4,581				
<i>Bank BGZ BNP Paribas</i>		131	(127)			29
<i>Investment Partners</i>	177	177				
<i>Personal Finance</i>	1,342	1,291				(14)
<i>Personal Finance - partnership tested individually</i>	384	438	(54)			
<i>Real Estate</i>	370	377	(1)			
<i>Turk Ekonomi Bankasi A.S</i>	191	223				
<i>Wealth Management</i>	276	319		(76)		
<i>Others</i>	37	31				
Corporate & Institutional Banking	1,143	1,172	-	-	-	28
<i>Corporate Banking</i>	280	278				
<i>Global Markets</i>	438	433				
<i>Securities Services</i>	425	461				28
Other Activities	3	3				
Total goodwill	10,216	10,316	(182)	(993)	55	296
Change in value of goodwill recognised in the profit and loss account			(182)	(993)		

The homogeneous groups of businesses to which goodwill is allocated are:

Arval: Specialist in vehicle long-term leasing, Arval offers corporates (from multinational companies to small business clients) tailored solutions that optimise their employees' mobility and outsource the risks associated with fleet management. Recently, clientele was expanded to include individuals.

BNL banca commerciale: Italy's 6th largest bank in terms of total assets and loans to customers. BNL bc provides a comprehensive range of banking, financial and insurance products and services to meet the needs of its diversified client base. BNL bc has a strong position in lending, especially residential mortgages. BNL bc also has a long-standing tradition in supporting large companies and local authorities, with a reputation in cross-border payments, project financing and structured finance, as well as factoring through its specialised subsidiary Ifitalia.

Leasing Solutions : BNP Paribas Leasing Solutions uses a multi-channel partnership approach (sales *via* referrals, partnerships, direct sales and banking networks) to offer corporate and small business clients an array of leasing and rental solutions, ranging from equipment financing to fleet outsourcing.

Personal Investors: BNP Paribas Personal Investors is a digital specialist of banking and investment services. Mainly based in Germany, Austria, Spain and India, it provides a wide range of banking, savings and long and short term investment services to individual clients via the internet, on mobile applications, on the phone and face-to-face. In addition to its activities destined to private clients, Personal Investors offers its services and IT platform to independent financial consultants and asset managers.

Insurance: BNP Paribas Cardif, a world leader in personal insurance, has designed, developed and marketed savings and protection products and services to protect individuals, their projects and their assets.

BNP Paribas Cardif has developed new forms of insurance and extended its offer of protection to health insurance, budget insurance, revenue and means of payment insurance, warranty extensions, non-life insurance, unemployment insurance, return-to-work assistance, protection of private digital data, etc.

BancWest: In the United States, the Retail Banking business is conducted through Bank of the West and First Hawaiian Bank. Bank of the West markets a very broad range of retail banking products and services to individuals, small businesses and corporate clients, through branches and offices in 19 States in western and mid-western America. It also has strong positions across the USA in several specialized lending activities, such as marine, recreational vehicles, church lending and agribusiness, and develops its commercial set up particularly in Corporate Banking, Wealth Management and Small and Medium Enterprise businesses. First Hawaiian Bank is Hawaii's leading bank, offering banking services to a local clientele of private individuals and local and international corporates. In August 2016, the Group launched an Initial Public Offer on First Hawaiian Inc and holds as at 31 December 2016 82.6 % of its capital.

Bank BGŻ BNP Paribas: Bank BGŻ is a universal commercial bank, one of the leading banks in Poland. Its merger in 2015 with BNP Paribas Bank Polska SA led to the creation of Bank BGŻ BNP Paribas. The integration of these two entities continued in 2016 and the number of agencies in Poland reached 498 at the end of 2016.

Investment Partners: BNP Paribas Investment Partners is the dedicated asset management business line of the BNP Paribas Group and offers services to both private and institutional investors (through internal distributors – BNP Paribas private and retail banking – and external distributors) worldwide. To reinforce its local roots and adjust its offer to the specific needs of each client, BNP Paribas Investment Partners adopts a client-focused approach throughout a broad range of expertise (notably equities and bonds of developed markets, sustainable investment, emerging markets, multi-asset solutions).

Personal Finance: BNP Paribas Personal Finance (PF) is the Group's consumer credit specialist. Through its brands such as Cetelem, Cofinoga, Findomestic or AlphaCredit, Personal Finance provides a full range of consumer loans at point of sale (retail stores and car dealerships) or through its customer relation centres and online. The consumer credit business also operates within the Group's retail banking network in some countries, through the « PF Inside » set-up. Personal Finance offers insurance products tailored to local needs and practices in each of the countries where it operates. In Germany, Bulgaria, France, Hungary and Italy, the lending and insurance offer of Personal Finance has been complemented by savings products.

A partnership of the BNP Paribas Personal Finance homogeneous group is tested individually for impairment.

Real Estate: BNP Paribas Real Estate serves the needs of its clients, whether institutional investors, corporates, public entities or individuals, at all stages of the life cycle of their property (from the conception of a construction project to its daily management).

Turk Ekonomi Bankasi: Present mostly in Turkey, Turk Ekonomi Bankasi offers its customers (Retail, Corporate and SME) a wide array of financial products and services, including retail and private banking, treasury and capital markets services, and financing.

Wealth Management: BNP Paribas Wealth Management encompasses the private banking activities of BNP Paribas and serves a clientele of wealthy individuals, shareholder families and entrepreneurs seeking a one-stop shop for all their wealth management and financial needs.

Corporate Banking: Corporate Banking combines financing solutions to corporates, all transaction banking products, corporate finance advisory services in mergers and acquisitions and primary equity activities.

Global Markets: Global Markets provides investment, hedging, financing and research services across asset classes, to corporate and institutional clients – as well as private and retail banking networks. The sustainable, long-term business model of Global Markets connects clients to capital markets throughout EMEA (Europe, Middle East & Africa), Asia Pacific and the Americas, with innovative solutions and digital platforms. Global Markets includes activities of Fixed Income, Currencies & Commodities and Equity & Prime Services.

Securities Services: BNP Paribas Securities Services is one of the major global players in securities services and provides integrated solutions for all actors involved in the investment cycle, sell side, buy side and issuers.

Goodwill impairment tests are based on three different methods: observation of transactions related to comparable businesses, share price data for listed companies with comparable businesses, and discounted future cash flows (DCF).

If one of the two comparables-based methods indicates the need for impairment, the DCF method is used to validate the results and determine the amount of impairment required.

The DCF method is based on a number of assumptions in terms of future revenues, expenses and cost of risk (cash flows) based on medium-term business plans over a period of five years. Cash flow projections beyond the 5-year forecast period are based on a growth rate to perpetuity and are normalised when the short-term environment does not reflect the normal conditions of the economic cycle.

The key parameters which are sensitive to the assumptions made are the cost of capital, the cost/income ratio, the cost of risk and the growth rate to perpetuity.

Cost of capital is determined on the basis of a risk-free rate, an observed market risk premium weighted by a risk factor based on comparables specific to each homogeneous group of businesses. The values of these parameters are obtained from external information sources.

Allocated capital is determined for each homogeneous group of businesses based on the “Common Equity Tier One” regulatory requirements for the legal entity to which the homogeneous group of businesses belongs, with a minimum of 7%.

The growth rate to perpetuity used is 2% for mature economies. For CGUs implemented in countries with high levels of inflation, a specific add-on is taken into account (calculated according to inflation rates disclosed by external sources).

The following table shows the sensitivity of cash generating unit valuations to changes in the value of parameters used in the DCF calculation: the cost of capital, the cost/income ratio in terminal value, the cost of risk in terminal value and the growth rate to perpetuity.

In consideration of the increased regulatory capital requirements for BNL banca commerciale, the goodwill allocated to the BNL bc homogeneous group (EUR 917 million) had been impaired in its entirety in 2015.

In consideration of additional banking levies in Poland and the increase in regulatory capital requirements for BGZ, the allocated goodwill has been impaired in its entirety in 2016 (EUR 127 million).

- **Sensitivity of the main goodwill valuations to a 10-basis point change in the cost of capital, a 1% change in the cost/income ratio in terminal value, a 5 % change of the cost of risk in terminal value and a 50-basis point change in the growth rate to perpetuity**

In millions of euros	BancWest	Personal Finance
Cost of capital	7.4%	9.3%
Adverse change (+10 basis points)	(172)	(197)
Positive change (- 10 basis points)	179	203
Cost/income ratio	60.6%	47.4%
Adverse change (+ 1 %)	(367)	(594)
Positive change (-1 %)	367	594
Cost of risk	(220)	(1,504)
Adverse change (+ 5 %)	(99)	(470)
Positive change (- 5 %)	99	470
Growth rate to perpetuity	2.0%	2.2%
Adverse change (-50 basis points)	(332)	(501)
Positive change (+50 basis points)	400	578

For the BancWest and Personal Finance homogeneous groups of businesses, there would be no grounds for goodwill impairment even if the four most adverse scenarios contained in the table were applied to the impairment test.

4.p TECHNICAL RESERVES OF INSURANCE COMPANIES

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Liabilities related to insurance contracts	141,368	135,664
Gross technical reserves		
Unit-linked contracts	52,314	50,082
Other insurance contracts	89,054	85,582
Liabilities related to financial contracts with discretionary participation feature	34,719	33,516
Policyholders' surplus reserve - liability	17,539	15,863
Total technical reserves of insurance companies	193,626	185,043
Liabilities related to unit-linked financial contracts ⁽¹⁾	3,624	2,259
Total liabilities related to contracts written by insurance companies	197,250	187,302

⁽¹⁾Liabilities related to unit-linked financial contracts are included in "Due to customers" (note 4.g)

The policyholders' surplus reserve arises from the application of shadow accounting. It represents the interest of policyholders within French and Italian life insurance subsidiaries in unrealised gains and losses and impairment losses on assets where the benefit paid under the policy is linked to the return on those assets. It is obtained from stochastic calculations modelling the unrealised gains and losses attributable to policyholders based on economic scenarios and assumptions as regards rates paid to customers and new business inflows. For France, this resulted in an interest of 90% in 2016, unchanged from 2015.

The movement in liabilities related to insurance contracts breaks down as follows:

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Liabilities related to insurance contracts at start of period	187,302	177,648
Additions to insurance contract technical reserves and deposits taken on financial contracts related to life insurance	23,098	22,040
Claims and benefits paid	(14,694)	(14,874)
Effect of changes in value of admissible investments related to unit-linked business	979	2,143
Effect of movements in exchange rates	474	300
Effect of changes in the scope of consolidation	91	45
Liabilities related to insurance contracts at end of period	197,250	187,302

See note 4.1 for details of reinsurers' share of technical reserves.

4.q PROVISIONS FOR CONTINGENCIES AND CHARGES

- Provisions for contingencies and charges by type**

In millions of euros	31 Dec. 2015	Net additions to provisions	Provisions used	Changes in value recognised directly in equity	Effect of movements in exchange rates and other movements	31 Dec. 2016
Provisions for employee benefits	6,681	995	(780)	323	(30)	7,189
of which post-employment benefits (note 6.b)	4,497	(13)	(192)	311	(13)	4,590
of which post-employment healthcare benefits (note 6.b)	150	(8)		12	1	155
of which provision for other long-term benefits (note 6.c)	1,182	317	(219)		(13)	1,267
of which provision for voluntary departure, early retirement plans, and headcount adaptation plan (note 6.d)	342	233	(75)		(5)	495
of which provision for share-based payments (note 6.e)	510	466	(294)			682
Provisions for home savings accounts and plans	169	5	-		-	174
Provisions for credit commitments (note 2.g)	975	56	(48)		15	998
Provisions for litigations	1,590	297	(227)		(25)	1,635
Other provisions for contingencies and charges	1,930	188	(315)		2	1,805
Total provisions for contingencies and charges	11,345	1,541	(1,370)	323	(38)	11,801

- Provisions and discount for home savings accounts and plans**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Deposits collected under home savings accounts and plans	17,938	17,429
of which deposits collected under home savings plans	15,663	15,016
<i>Aged more than 10 years</i>	3,230	3,424
<i>Aged between 4 and 10 years</i>	5,645	4,503
<i>Aged less than 4 years</i>	6,788	7,089
Outstanding loans granted under home savings accounts and plans	112	164
of which loans granted under home savings plans	19	29
Provisions and discount recognised for home savings accounts and plans	176	172
provisions recognised for home savings plans	172	166
provisions recognised for home savings accounts	2	3
discount recognised for home savings accounts and plans	2	3

4.r OFFSETTING OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The following tables present the amounts of financial assets and liabilities before and after offsetting. This information, required by IFRS 7, aims to enable the comparability with the accounting treatment applicable in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (US GAAP), which are less restrictive than IAS 32 as regards offsetting.

“Amounts set off on the balance sheet” have been determined according to IAS 32. Thus, a financial asset and a financial liability are offset and the net amount presented on the balance sheet when, and only when, the Group has a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Amounts set off derive mainly from repurchase agreements and derivative instruments traded with clearing houses.

The “impacts of master netting agreements and similar agreements” are relative to outstanding amounts of transactions within an enforceable agreement, which do not meet the offsetting criteria defined by IAS 32. This is the case of transactions for which offsetting can only be performed in case of default, insolvency or bankruptcy of one of the contracting parties.

“Financial instruments given or received as collateral” include guarantee deposits and securities collateral recognised at fair value. These guarantees can only be exercised in case of default, insolvency or bankruptcy of one of the contracting parties.

Regarding master netting agreements, the guarantee deposits received or given in compensation for the positive or negative fair values of financial instruments are recognised in the balance sheet in accrued income or expenses and other assets or liabilities.

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	Gross amounts of financial assets	Gross amounts set off on the balance sheet	Net amounts presented on the balance sheet	Impact of Master Netting Agreements (MNA) and similar agreements	Financial instruments received as collateral	Net amounts
Assets						
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss						
Trading securities	123,679		123,679			123,679
Loans	525		525			525
Repurchase agreements	274,012	(122,295)	151,717	(26,537)	(121,424)	3,756
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	87,734	(90)	87,644			87,644
Derivative financial instruments (including derivatives used for hedging purposes)	481,412	(135,117)	346,295	(267,679)	(35,163)	43,453
Loans and receivables due from customers and credit institutions	760,831	(1,187)	759,644	(900)	(4,118)	754,626
<i>of which repurchase agreements</i>	5,145		5,145	(900)	(4,118)	127
Accrued income and other assets	117,254	(1,287)	115,967		(33,090)	82,877
<i>of which guarantee deposits paid</i>	66,722		66,722		(33,090)	33,632
Other assets not subject to offsetting	491,488		491,488			491,488
TOTAL ASSETS	2,336,935	(259,976)	2,076,959	(295,116)	(193,795)	1,588,048

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	Gross amounts of financial liabilities	Gross amounts set off on the balance sheet	Net amounts presented on the balance sheet	Impact of Master Netting Agreements (MNA) and similar agreements	Financial instruments given as collateral	Net amounts
Liabilities						
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss						
Trading securities	70,326		70,326			70,326
Borrowings	4,190		4,190			4,190
Repurchase agreements	301,311	(122,295)	179,016	(26,397)	(150,329)	2,290
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	54,166	(90)	54,076			54,076
Derivative financial instruments (including derivatives used for hedging purposes)	473,483	(135,117)	338,366	(267,679)	(35,230)	35,457
Due to customers and to credit institutions	842,800	(1,187)	841,613	(1,040)	(5,924)	834,649
<i>of which repurchase agreements</i>	7,054		7,054	(1,040)	(5,924)	90
Accrued expense and other liabilities	100,694	(1,287)	99,407		(30,918)	68,489
<i>of which guarantee deposits received</i>	54,249		54,249		(30,918)	23,331
Other liabilities not subject to offsetting	384,745		384,745			384,745
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,231,715	(259,976)	1,971,739	(295,116)	(222,401)	1,454,222

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Gross amounts of financial assets	Gross amounts set off on the balance sheet	Net amounts presented on the balance sheet	Impact of Master Netting Agreements (MNA) and similar agreements	Financial instruments received as collateral	Net amounts
Assets						
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss						
Trading securities	133,500		133,500			133,500
Loans	433		433			433
Repurchase agreements	252,675	(121,325)	131,350	(19,161)	(111,526)	663
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	83,076		83,076			83,076
Derivative financial instruments (including derivatives used for hedging purposes)	486,881	(132,194)	354,687	(272,364)	(34,620)	47,703
Loans and receivables due from customers and credit institutions	727,212	(1,288)	725,924	(1,165)	(6,784)	717,975
<i>of which repurchase agreements</i>	7,990		7,990	(1,165)	(6,784)	41
Accrued income and other assets	108,703	(685)	108,018		(38,335)	69,683
<i>of which guarantee deposits paid</i>	65,590		65,590		(38,335)	27,255
Other assets not subject to offsetting	457,205		457,205			457,205
TOTAL ASSETS	2,249,685	(255,492)	1,994,193	(292,690)	(191,265)	1,510,238

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Gross amounts of financial liabilities	Gross amounts set off on the balance sheet	Net amounts presented on the balance sheet	Impact of Master Netting Agreements (MNA) and similar agreements	Financial instruments given as collateral	Net amounts
Liabilities						
Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss						
Trading securities	82,544		82,544			82,544
Borrowings	3,893		3,893			3,893
Repurchase agreements	274,203	(121,325)	152,878	(18,996)	(130,494)	3,388
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss	53,118		53,118			53,118
Derivative financial instruments (including derivatives used for hedging purposes)	479,090	(132,194)	346,896	(272,364)	(38,496)	36,036
Due to customers and to credit institutions	785,743	(1,288)	784,455	(1,330)	(9,136)	773,989
<i>of which repurchase agreements</i>	10,703		10,703	(1,330)	(9,136)	237
Accrued expense and other liabilities	89,314	(685)	88,629		(34,730)	53,899
<i>of which guarantee deposits received</i>	50,284		50,284		(34,730)	15,554
Other liabilities not subject to offsetting	381,703		381,703			381,703
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,149,608	(255,492)	1,894,116	(292,690)	(212,856)	1,388,570

4.s TRANSFERS OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

Financial assets that have been transferred but not derecognised by the Group are mainly composed of securities sold temporarily under repurchase agreements or securities lending transactions, as well as securitised assets. The liabilities associated to securities temporarily sold under repurchase agreements consist of debts recognised under the “repurchase agreements” heading. The liabilities associated to securitised assets consist of the securitisation notes purchased by third parties.

- **Securities lending, repurchase agreements and other transactions:**

In millions of euros, at	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Carrying amount of transferred assets	Carrying amount of associated liabilities	Carrying amount of transferred assets	Carrying amount of associated liabilities
Securities lending operations				
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	2,800		3,870	
Securities classified as loans and receivables	-		12	
Available-for-sale financial assets	5,546		2,970	
Repurchase agreements				
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	39,642	38,121	39,631	38,602
Securities classified as loans and receivables	356	314	1,093	1,090
Available-for-sale financial assets	8,967	8,960	10,373	10,356
Other transactions				
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	195	195	327	327
Total	57,506	47,590	58,276	50,375

- **Securitisation transactions partially refinanced by external investors, whose recourse is limited to the transferred assets:**

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	Carrying amount of transferred assets	Carrying amount of associated liabilities	Fair value of transferred assets	Fair value of associated liabilities	Net position
Securitisation					
Loans and receivables	15,002	13,596	15,477	13,617	1,860
Available-for-sale financial assets	277	131	279	127	152
Total	15,279	13,727	15,756	13,744	2,012

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Carrying amount of transferred assets	Carrying amount of associated liabilities	Fair value of transferred assets	Fair value of associated liabilities	Net position
Securitisation					
Loans and receivables	16,189	15,088	16,839	15,242	1,597
Available-for-sale financial assets	298	295	299	299	-
Total	16,487	15,383	17,138	15,541	1,597

There have been no significant transfers leading to partial or full derecognition of the financial assets where the Bank has a continuing involvement in them.

5. FINANCING COMMITMENTS AND GUARANTEE COMMITMENTS

5.a FINANCING COMMITMENTS GIVEN OR RECEIVED

Contractual value of financing commitments given and received by the Group:

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Financing commitments given		
- to credit institutions	3,833	5,879
- to customers	283,326	269,937
Confirmed financing commitments	219,320	209,425
Other commitments given to customers	64,006	60,512
Total financing commitments given	287,159	275,816
Financing commitments received		
- from credit institutions	106,964	100,343
- from customers	2,145	1,601
Total financing commitments received	109,109	101,944

5.b GUARANTEE COMMITMENTS GIVEN BY SIGNATURE

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Guarantee commitments given		
- to credit institutions	11,696	11,995
- to customers	117,281	109,892
Property guarantees	1,392	1,206
Sureties provided to tax and other authorities, other sureties	46,661	45,813
Other guarantees	69,228	62,873
Total guarantee commitments given	128,977	121,887

5.c OTHER GUARANTEE COMMITMENTS

- **Financial instruments given as collateral:**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Financial instruments (negotiable securities and private receivables) lodged with central banks and eligible for use at any time as collateral for refinancing transactions after haircut	121,349	113,192
- Used as collateral with central banks	22,529	20,153
- Available for refinancing transactions	98,820	93,039
Securities sold under repurchase agreements	322,308	275,497
Other financial assets pledged as collateral for transactions with credit institutions, financial customers or subscribers of covered bonds issued by the Group ⁽¹⁾	141,674	120,871

⁽¹⁾Notably including "Société de Financement de l'Économie Française" and "Caisse de Refinancement de l'Habitat" financing.

Financial instruments given as collateral by the Group that the beneficiary is authorised to sell or reuse as collateral amounted to EUR 428,421 million at 31 December 2016 (EUR 357,722 million at 31 December 2015).

- **Financial instruments received as collateral:**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Financial instruments received as collateral (excluding repurchase agreements)	114,550	83,649
<i>of which instruments that the Group is authorised to sell and reuse as collateral</i>	<i>90,959</i>	<i>59,817</i>
Securities received under repurchase agreements	288,087	266,093

The financial instruments received as collateral or under repurchase agreements that the Group effectively sold or reused as collateral amounted to EUR 245,149 million at 31 December 2016 (compared with EUR 207,333 million at 31 December 2015).

6. SALARIES AND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

6.a SALARY AND EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSE

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Fixed and variable remuneration, incentive bonuses and profit-sharing	12,067	11,882
Employee benefit expense	3,787	3,660
Payroll taxes	548	519
Total salary and employee benefit expense	16,402	16,061

6.b POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

IAS 19 distinguishes between two categories of plans, each handled differently depending on the risk incurred by the entity. When the entity is committed to paying a fixed amount, stated as a percentage of the beneficiary's annual salary, for example, to an external entity handling payment of the benefits based on the assets available for each plan member, it is described as a defined-contribution plan. Conversely, when the entity's obligation is to manage the financial assets funded through the collection of contributions from employees and to bear the cost of benefits itself or to guarantee the final amount subject to future events, it is described as a defined-benefit plan. The same applies, if the entity entrusts management of the collection of premiums and payment of benefits to a separate entity, but retains the risk arising from management of the assets and/or from future changes in the benefits.

- **Defined-contribution pension plans for Group entities**

The BNP Paribas Group has implemented over the past few years a wide campaign of converting defined-benefit plans into defined-contribution plans.

Thus, in France, the BNP Paribas Group pays contributions to various nationwide basic and top-up pension schemes. BNP Paribas SA and certain subsidiaries have set up a funded pension plan under a company-wide agreement. Under this plan, employees will receive an annuity on retirement in addition to the pension paid by nationwide schemes.

Since defined-benefit plans have been closed to new employees in most countries outside France, they are offered the benefit of joining defined-contribution pension plans.

The amount paid into defined-contribution post-employment plans for the year to 31 December 2016 was EUR 604 million, compared with EUR 606 million for the year to 31 December 2015.

The breakdown by major contributors is determined as follows:

Contribution amount In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
France	306	299
Italy	62	60
UK	51	57
USA	43	38
Turkey	43	43
Others	99	109
TOTAL	604	606

In Italy, the plan introduced by BNL is funded by employer contributions (4% of salaries) and employee contributions (2% of salaries). Employees can also make additional voluntary contributions.

In the United Kingdom, the employer contributes 12% of salaries for the majority of employees; employees can make additional voluntary contributions.

In the US, the bank matches the voluntary contributions made by employees, within certain limits.

- **Main defined-benefit pension plans for Group entities, of which indemnities payable on retirement**

- Defined-benefit plans

In Belgium, BNP Paribas Fortis funds a defined-benefit plan, based on final salary and number of years of service, for its management and employees who joined the bank before its pension plans were harmonised on 1 January 2002. Actuarial liabilities under this scheme are pre-funded at 94 % at 31 December 2016 (compared with 97 % at 31 December 2015) through AG Insurance, in which the BNP Paribas Group owns a 25% equity interest.

BNP Paribas Fortis senior managers are covered by a top-up pension plan, paying a lump sum based on the number of years of service and final salary. This plan is pre-funded at 83 % as at 31 December 2016 (85 % at 31 December 2015) through AXA Belgium and AG Insurance. Since 1 January 2015, senior managers benefit from a defined-contribution scheme.

The other employees benefit as well from the defined-contribution scheme.

Since there is a legal obligation for the employer to guarantee a minimum return on financial assets invested under defined-benefit pension plans, a provision was recognised for these defined-contribution schemes, as this guarantee is not entirely covered by the insurance company.

In France, BNP Paribas pays a top-up banking industry pension arising from rights acquired to 31 December 1993 by retired employees and active employees in service at that date. At 31 December 2016, the Group's residual obligations for employees of BNP origin were recognised on the balance sheet in full.

The defined-benefit plans previously granted to Group executives formerly employed by BNP, Paribas or Compagnie Bancaire have all been closed to new employees and converted into top-up type schemes. The amounts allocated to residual beneficiaries, subject to their presence within the Group at retirement, were fixed when these schemes were closed. At 31 December 2016, 96 % of these pension plans were funded through insurance companies (93 % at 31 December 2015).

In the United Kingdom, defined-benefit pension plans (pension funds) still exist but are closed to new employees. Under these plans, the defined pension is generally based on final salary and number of years of service. Pension schemes are managed by independent management bodies (Trustees). At 31 December 2016, obligations for all UK entities were 107 % covered by financial assets, compared with 109 % at 31 December 2015.

In Switzerland, liabilities relate to top-up pension plans based on the principle of defined-contribution schemes with guaranteed returns, paying an annuity under pre-defined terms. These schemes are managed by a foundation. At the end of 2016, obligations were 85 % covered by financial assets, compared with 88 % at the end of 2015.

In the United States, defined-benefit pension plans are based on annual vesting rights to a lump sum comprising a pension expressed as a percentage of annual salary and paying interest at a pre-defined rate. These plans are closed to new entrants and have offered almost no new vesting rights since 2012. At 31 December 2016, the obligation was 66 % covered by financial assets, (70 % at 31 December 2015).

In Turkey, the pension plan replaces the national pension scheme (these obligations are measured based on the terms of the eventual transfer to the Turkish State) and offers guarantees exceeding the minimal legal requirements. At the end of 2016, obligations under this plan are fully funded by financial assets held with an external foundation; these financial assets exceed the related obligations, but this surplus is not recognised as an asset by the Group.

- Other post-employment benefits

Group employees also receive various other contractual post-employment benefits, such as indemnities payable on retirement, determined according to minimal legal requirements (Labour Code, collective agreements) or according to specific company-level agreements.

In France, the obligations for these benefits are funded through a contract held with a third-party insurer. At 31 December 2016, this obligation was 92 % covered by financial assets, compared with 85 % at 31 December 2015.

In other countries, the gross obligations of the Group related to these benefits are mainly concentrated in Italy. They are representative of rights vested up to 31 December 2006, when pension reforms changed Italian termination indemnity schemes into defined-contribution plans.

- **Obligations under defined-benefit plans and other post-employment benefits**

- Assets and liabilities recognised on the balance sheet

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	Defined-benefit obligation arising from wholly or partially funded plans	Defined-benefit obligation arising from unfunded plans	Present value of defined-benefit obligation	Fair value of plan assets	Fair value of reimbursement rights ⁽¹⁾	Effect of asset ceiling	Net obligation	of which asset recognised in the balance sheet for defined-benefit plans	of which net assets of defined-benefit plans	of which fair value of reimbursement rights	of which obligation recognised in the balance sheet for defined-benefit plans
Belgium	3,125	19	3,144	(52)	(2,877)		215	(2,877)		(2,877)	3,092
France	1,327	125	1,452	(1,227)			225				225
UK	1,678	1	1,679	(1,797)			(118)	(133)	(133)		15
Switzerland	1,143	12	1,155	(972)			183				183
USA	704	203	907	(589)			318	(4)	(4)		322
Italy		387	387				387				387
Turkey	270	35	305	(460)		190	35				35
Others	604	198	802	(475)	(49)		278	(53)	(4)	(49)	331
TOTAL	8,851	980	9,831	(5,572)	(2,926)	190	1,523	(3,067)	(141)	(2,926)	4,590

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Defined-benefit obligation arising from wholly or partially funded plans	Defined-benefit obligation arising from unfunded plans	Present value of defined-benefit obligation	Fair value of plan assets	Fair value of reimbursement rights ⁽¹⁾	Effect of asset ceiling	Net obligation	of which asset recognised in the balance sheet for defined-benefit plans	of which net assets of defined-benefit plans	of which fair value of reimbursement rights	of which obligation recognised in the balance sheet for defined-benefit plans
Belgium	3,011	17	3,028	(38)	(2,912)		78	(2,912)		(2,912)	2,990
France	1,422	134	1,556	(1,224)			332				332
UK	1,460	1	1,461	(1,587)			(126)	(131)	(131)		5
Switzerland	1,080	14	1,094	(954)			140				140
USA	681	179	860	(604)			256	(2)	(2)		258
Italy		390	390				390				390
Turkey	281	32	313	(484)		203	32				32
Others	591	228	819	(474)	(27)		318	(32)	(5)	(27)	350
TOTAL	8,526	995	9,521	(5,365)	(2,939)	203	1,420	(3,077)	(138)	(2,939)	4,497

⁽¹⁾ The reimbursement rights are principally found on the balance sheet of the Group's insurance subsidiaries and associated companies - notably AG Insurance with respect to BNP Paribas Fortis' defined-benefit plan - to hedge their commitments to other Group entities that were transferred to them to cover the post-employment benefits of certain employee categories.

- Change in the present value of the defined-benefit obligation

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Present value of defined-benefit obligation at start of period	9,521	9,604
Current service cost	270	293
Interest cost	201	181
Past service cost	(36)	(5)
Settlements	(65)	-
Actuarial (gains)/losses on change in demographic assumptions	7	22
Actuarial (gains)/losses on change in financial assumptions	734	(346)
Actuarial (gains)/losses on experience gaps	(86)	(1)
Actual employee contributions	24	24
Benefits paid directly by the employer	(112)	(123)
Benefits paid from assets/reimbursement rights	(441)	(477)
Exchange rate (gains)/losses on obligation	(229)	241
(Gains)/losses on obligation related to changes in the consolidation scope	43	108
Present value of defined-benefit obligation at end of period	9,831	9,521

- Change in the fair value of plan assets and reimbursement rights

In millions of euros	Plan assets		Reimbursement rights	
	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Fair value of assets at start of period	5,365	5,094	2,939	2,802
Expected return on assets	137	126	55	40
Settlements	(57)			
Actuarial gains/(losses) on assets	392	99	18	184
Actual employee contributions	14	14	10	10
Employer contributions	206	112	94	114
Benefits paid from assets	(234)	(264)	(207)	(213)
Exchange rate gains/(losses) on assets	(287)	179		
Gains/(losses) on assets related to changes in the consolidation scope	37	4	17	3
Others	(1)	1		(1)
Fair value of assets at end of period	5,572	5,365	2,926	2,939

- Components of the cost of defined-benefit plans

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Service costs	226	288
Current service cost	270	293
Past service cost	(36)	(5)
Settlements	(8)	-
Net financial expense	27	34
Interest cost	201	181
Interest income on plan asset	(119)	(106)
Interest income on reimbursement rights	(55)	(41)
Total recognised in salary and employee benefit expense	253	322

- Other items recognised directly in equity

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Other items recognised directly in equity	(291)	639
Actuarial (losses)/gains on plan assets or reimbursement rights	410	283
Actuarial (losses)/gains of demographic assumptions on the present value of obligations	(7)	(22)
Actuarial (losses)/gains of financial assumptions on the present value of obligations	(734)	346
Experience (losses)/gains on obligations	86	1
Variation of the effect of assets limitation	(46)	31

- Main actuarial assumptions used to calculate obligations

In the Eurozone, United Kingdom and United States, the Group discounts its obligations using the yields of high quality corporate bonds, with a term consistent with the duration of the obligations.

The ranges of rates used are as follows:

In %	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Discount rate	Compensation increase rate ⁽¹⁾	Discount rate	Compensation increase rate ⁽¹⁾
Belgium	0.60%-1.40%	2.60%-3.20%	0.40%-2.00%	2.40%-3.30%
France	0.10%-1.30%	2.00%	0.60%-2.00%	2.30%-3.30%
UK	1.50%-2.80%	2.00%-4.70%	2.50%-3.70%	2.00%-4.70%
Switzerland	0.00%-0.60%	1.40%	0.40%-0.80%	1.90%
USA	1.95%-4.15%	4.00%	4.40%	4.00%
Italy	0.80%-1.80%	1.40%-1.70%	0.80%-2.00%	1.80%-2.90%
Turkey	10.00%-10.15%	6.00%	10.30%	6.00%

⁽¹⁾ Including price increases (inflation)

Observed weighted average rates are as follows:

- In the Eurozone: 1.04 % at 31 December 2016 (1.48 % at 31 December 2015),
- In the United Kingdom: 2.61 % at 31 December 2016 (3.70 % at 31 December 2015),
- In Switzerland: 0.60 % at 31 December 2016 (0.80% at 31 December 2015).

The impact of a 100 bp change in discount rates on the present value of post-employment benefit obligations is as follows:

Change in the present value of obligations In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Discount rate -100bp	Discount rate +100bp	Discount rate -100bp	Discount rate +100bp
Belgium	337	(288)	277	(236)
France	167	(139)	156	(131)
UK	409	(299)	389	(292)
Switzerland	114	(155)	102	(140)
USA	111	(95)	106	(91)
Italy	35	(31)	30	(30)
Turkey	16	(13)	17	(14)

- Actual rate of return on plan assets and reimbursement rights over the period

In %	Year to 31 Dec. 2016		Year to 31 Dec. 2015	
	Range of value (reflecting the existence of several plans in the same country)	Weighted average rates	Range of value (reflecting the existence of several plans in the same country)	Weighted average rates
Belgium	0.50%-5.00%	2.60%	1.10%-6.00%	3.72%
France	3.20%	3.20%	3.50%	3.50%
UK	3.10%-28.40%	23.30%	2.30%-6.90%	5.82%
Switzerland	1.80%-2.40%	1.82%	1.70%-5.10%	1.84%
USA	1.70%-6.00%	3.57%	1.11%-2.00%	1.48%
Turkey	10.00%	10.00%	10.80%	10.80%

- Breakdown of plan assets

In %	31 December 2016						31 December 2015					
	Shares	Government al bonds	Non- Government al bonds	Real-estate	Deposit account	Others	Shares	Government al bonds	Non- Government al bonds	Real-estate	Deposit account	Others
Belgium	6%	51%	22%	2%	0%	19%	6%	56%	18%	2%	0%	18%
France ⁽¹⁾	6%	67%	19%	8%	0%	0%	7%	66%	18%	9%	0%	0%
UK	30%	39%	8%	0%	2%	21%	29%	54%	9%	0%	2%	6%
Switzerland	31%	37%	0%	17%	2%	13%	38%	32%	0%	14%	3%	13%
USA	24%	36%	13%	0%	2%	25%	47%	35%	13%	2%	1%	2%
Turkey	0%	0%	0%	5%	94%	1%	0%	0%	0%	5%	93%	2%
Others	6%	12%	9%	1%	16%	56%	7%	13%	8%	1%	19%	52%
GROUP	15%	43%	13%	4%	7%	18%	17%	47%	12%	4%	7%	13%

⁽¹⁾In France, the breakdown of plan assets reflects the breakdown of the general fund of the insurance company through which the Group's obligations are funded.

The Group introduced an asset management governance for assets backing defined-benefit pension plan commitments, the main objectives of which are the management and control of the risks in term of investment.

It sets out investment principles, in particular, by defining an investment strategy for plan assets, based on financial objectives and financial risk management, to specify the way in which plan assets have to be managed, via financial management servicing contracts.

The investment strategy is based on an assets and liabilities management analysis that should be realised at least on an annual basis for plans with assets in excess of EUR 100 million and every three years for plans with assets of between EUR 20 and EUR 100 million.

- **Post-employment healthcare benefits**

The Group offers some healthcare benefit plans for retired employees, mainly in the United States and Belgium. These plans are mainly closed to new entrants.

At the end of 2016, the healthcare benefit plan of Bank of the West in the United States was closed, rights have been frozen and conditions of eligibility have been modified for some employees.

The current value of post-employment healthcare benefit obligations stood at EUR 155 million at 31 December 2016, compared with EUR 150 million at 31 December 2015, i.e. an increase of EUR 5 million in 2016, of which EUR 12 million recognised directly in shareholders' equity.

6.c OTHER LONG-TERM BENEFITS

BNP Paribas offers its employees various long-term benefits, mainly long-service awards, the ability to save up paid annual leave in time savings accounts, and certain guarantees protecting them in the event they become incapacitated. The net provision amounted to EUR 533 million at 31 December 2016 (EUR 546 million at 31 December 2015).

As part of the Group's variable compensation policy, annual deferred compensation plans are set up for certain high-performing employees or pursuant to special regulatory frameworks. Under these plans, payment is deferred over time and is subject to the performance achieved by the business lines, divisions and Group.

Since 2013, BNP Paribas has introduced a Group loyalty scheme with a cash payment, at the end of a three-year vesting period, which fluctuates according to the Group's intrinsic performance. The aim of this loyalty scheme is to make different categories of managerial staff partners in the Group's development and profitability objectives. These personnel are representative of the Group's talent and the breadth of its managerial framework i.e. senior managers, managers in key positions, line managers and experts, high-potential managers, high-performing young executives with good career development prospects and key contributors to the Group's results.

The amounts allocated under this plan are linked to changes in the Group's operational performance over three years (for 80%) and to the achievement of the Group's Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) targets (for 20%). These nine targets are in line with the four pillars on which the Group's CSR policy is based. In addition, the final payment is subject to continuous service within the Group between the grant date and the payment date, provided that the Group's operating income and pre-tax income for the year prior to payment are strictly positive. For employees subject to special regulatory frameworks, this loyalty scheme is adjusted in accordance with the CRD4 European Directive.

The net obligation related to deferred compensation plans and loyalty schemes amounts to EUR 635 million at 31 December 2016 (EUR 532 million at 31 December 2015).

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Net provisions for other long-term benefits	1,168	1,078
Asset recognised in the balance sheet under the other long-term benefits	(99)	(104)
Obligation recognised in the balance sheet under the other long-term benefits	1,267	1,182

6.d TERMINATION BENEFITS

BNP Paribas has implemented a number of voluntary redundancy plans and headcount adaptation plans for employees who meet certain eligibility criteria. The obligations to eligible active employees under such plans are provided for as soon as a bilateral agreement or a bilateral agreement proposal for a particular plan is made.

In 2016, in France, CIB activities in BNP Paribas SA and BNP Paribas Arbitrage have set up in their respective scope a 3-year voluntary redundancy plan (from September 2015 to December 2018).

In millions of euros	31 December 2016	31 December 2015
Provision for voluntary departure, early retirement plans, and headcount adaptation plans	495	342

6.e SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS

SHARE-BASED LOYALTY, COMPENSATION AND INCENTIVE SCHEMES

Until 2012, BNP Paribas set up several share-based payment schemes for certain employees: performance shares plans and stock subscription or purchase plans.

After 2012, only some cash-settled long term compensation plans are still share price-linked, especially for employees whose activities are likely to have an impact on the Group's risk exposure.

- **Deferred share price-linked, cash-settled compensation plans**

As part of the Group's variable remuneration policy, deferred annual compensation plans offered to certain high-performing employees or set up pursuant to special regulatory frameworks may entitle beneficiaries to variable compensation settled in cash but linked to the share price, payable over several years.

- Variable compensation for employees, subject to special regulatory frameworks

Since the publication of the Decree by the French ministry of finance on 13 December 2010, and following the provisions of the European Directive CRD4 of 26 July 2013 transposed into the French law in the Monetary and Financial Code by the Order of 20 February 2014 as well as the Decrees and Orders of 3 November 2014 and the delegated European regulation of 4 March 2014, the variable compensation plans apply to Group employees performing activities that may have a material impact on the Group's risk profile.

Under these plans, payment is deferred over time and is contingent on the performance achieved by the business lines, core businesses and Group.

Sums will mostly be paid in cash linked to the increase or decrease in the BNP Paribas share price.

- Deferred variable compensation for other Group employees

Sums due under the annual deferred compensation plans for high-performing employees are partly paid in cash linked to the increase or decrease in the BNP Paribas share price.

- **Global Share-Based Incentive Plan (until 2012)**

BNP Paribas set up a Global Share-Based Incentive Plan for some Group employees, including stock options and performance share awards.

The option exercise price under these plans is determined at the time of issuance and no discount is offered. The duration of the options granted is 8 years.

Performance shares awarded between 2009 and 2012 vest after a period of 3 or 4 years, depending on the case and provided that the employee is still a member of the Group. The compulsory holding period for performance shares is two years for France-based employees.

Since 2010, the conditional portion granted had been set at 100% of the total award for members of the BNP Paribas Group Executive Committee and senior managers and 20% for other beneficiaries.

Under stock option plans set up between 2003 and 2011, the performance condition was not fully met on seven out of thirty occasions and the adjustments described above were therefore implemented. Under performance share plans awarded between 2009 and 2012, the performance condition was not met on three out of ten occasions and the relevant contingent portion therefore lapsed.

All unexpired plans settle in a potential subscription of BNP Paribas shares.

- Expense of share-based payment

Expense / (revenue) in millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016			Year to 31 Dec. 2015
	Performance share plans	Variable deferred compensation plans	Total expense	Total expense
Prior deferred compensation plans		139	139	58
Deferred compensation plans for the year		327	327	261
Global Share-Based Incentive Plan	1		1	7
Total	1	466	467	326

- **Valuation of stock option plans and performance share plans**

As required under IFRS 2, BNP Paribas attributes a value to stock options and performance shares granted to employees and recognises an expense, determined at the date of grant, calculated respectively on the basis of the fair value of the options and shares concerned. This initial fair value may not subsequently be adjusted for changes in the quoted market price of BNP Paribas shares. The only assumptions that may result in a revision of the fair value during the vesting period, and hence an adjustment in the expense, are those related to the population of beneficiaries (loss of rights) and internal performance conditions. The Group's share-based payment plans are valued by an independent specialist firm.

- **History of plans granted under the Global Share-Based Incentive Plan**

The tables below give details of the characteristics and terms of all unexpired plans at 31 December 2016:

- Stock subscription option plan

Characteristics of the plan							Options outstanding at end of period		
Originating company	Date of grant	Number of grantees	Number of options granted ⁽¹⁾	Start date of exercise period	Option expiry date	Adjusted exercise price (in euros) ⁽¹⁾	Number of options ⁽¹⁾	Remaining period until expiry of options (years)	
BNP Paribas SA ⁽²⁾	06/04/2009	1,397	2,437,234	08/04/2013	05/04/2017	35.11	580,510	0.3	
BNP Paribas SA ⁽²⁾	05/03/2010	1,820	2,423,700	05/03/2014	02/03/2018	51.20	1,653,851	1.2	
BNP Paribas SA ⁽²⁾	04/03/2011	1,915	2,296,820	04/03/2015	04/03/2019	56.45	1,942,305	2.2	
Total options outstanding at end of period							4,176,666		

⁽¹⁾ The number of options and the exercise price have been adjusted, where appropriate, for the detachment of pre-emptive subscription rights on 30 September 2009, in accordance with the regulations in force.

⁽²⁾ The plan is subject to vesting conditions under which a proportion of the options granted to employees is conditional upon the performance of the BNP Paribas share relative to the Dow Jones EURO STOXX Banks index during the applicable holding period.

Based on this relative performance condition, the adjusted exercise price for these options has been set at EUR 67.74 instead of EUR 56.45 for 212,417 options under the 4 March 2011 plan, outstanding at the year-end.

- Performance share plans

Characteristics of the plan						Number of shares outstanding at end of period
Originating company	Date of grant	Number of grantees	Number of shares granted	Vesting date of shares granted ⁽¹⁾	Expiry date of holding period for shares granted	
BNP Paribas SA ⁽²⁾	2009-2011					593
BNP Paribas SA	06/03/2012	2,610	1,072,480	09/03/2015	09/03/2017	420
BNP Paribas SA	06/03/2012	2,755	849,455	07/03/2016	07/03/2016	740
Total shares outstanding at end of period						1,753

⁽¹⁾ The vesting date for certain shares has been deferred due to the beneficiaries' absence on the date initially scheduled.

⁽²⁾ The number of shares has been adjusted for the pre-emptive subscription rights allotted on 30 September 2009.

- **Movements over the past two years**

- Stock subscription option plans

	Year to 31 Dec. 2016		Year to 31 Dec. 2015	
	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price (in euros)	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price (in euros)
Options outstanding at 1 January	8,201,959	56.09	12,416,877	62.16
Options exercised during the period	(682,500)	41.75	(427,478)	42.98
Options expired during the period	(3,342,793)		(3,787,440)	
Options outstanding at 31 December	4,176,666	51.98	8,201,959	56.09
Options exercisable at 31 December	4,176,666	51.98	8,201,959	56.09

The average quoted stock market price in 2016 is EUR 54.07 (EUR 56.61 in 2015).

- Performance share plans

	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
	Number of shares	Number of shares
Shares outstanding at 1 January	756,413	2,179,141
Shares vested during the period	(731,055)	(1,340,114)
Shares expired during the period	(23,605)	(82,614)
Shares outstanding at 31 December	1,753	756,413

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

7.a CHANGES IN SHARE CAPITAL AND EARNINGS PER SHARE

At 31 December 2016, the share capital of BNP Paribas SA amounted to EUR 2,494,005,306, and was divided into 1,247,002,653 shares. The nominal value of each share is EUR 2. At 31 December 2015, the share capital amounted to EUR 2,492,770,306 and was divided into 1,246,385,153 shares.

- **Ordinary shares issued by BNP Paribas and held by the Group**

	Proprietary transactions		Trading transactions ⁽¹⁾		Total	
	Number of shares	Carrying amount (in millions of euros)	Number of shares	Carrying amount (in millions of euros)	Number of shares	Carrying amount (in millions of euros)
Shares held at 31 December 2014	2,971,853	140	(3,243,468)	(160)	(271,615)	(20)
Acquisitions	895,726	47			895,726	47
Disposals	(903,592)	(47)			(903,592)	(47)
Shares delivered to employees	(1,340,114)	(59)			(1,340,114)	(59)
Other movements			3,081,539	151	3,081,539	151
Shares held at 31 December 2015	1,623,873	81	(161,929)	(9)	1,461,944	72
Acquisitions	1,365,397	61			1,365,397	61
Disposals	(1,407,897)	(63)			(1,407,897)	(63)
Shares delivered to employees	(731,055)	(35)			(731,055)	(35)
Capital decrease	(65,000)	(3)	-	-	(65,000)	(3)
Other movements			276,647	16	276,647	16
Shares held at 31 December 2016	785,318	41	114,718	7	900,036	48

⁽¹⁾ Transactions realised in the framework of an activity of trading and arbitrage transactions on equity indices.

At 31 December 2016, the BNP Paribas Group was a holder of 900,036 BNP Paribas shares representing an amount of EUR 48 million, which was recognised as a decrease in equity.

In 2016, BNP Paribas SA has decreased its capital by 65,000 shares, which were purchased on the market in 2015 (excluding the liquidity contract). These shares have been cancelled according to the decision made the Board of Directors on 16 December 2016.

Under the Bank's market-making agreement relating to the BNP Paribas share on the Italian market made with Exane BNP Paribas, and in line with the Code of Ethics recognised by the AMF, the Bank bought back 1,365,397 shares in 2016 at an average share price of EUR 44.56, and sold 1,407,897 shares at an average share price of EUR 44.89. At 31 December 2016, 57,500 shares worth EUR 3.2 million were held by BNP Paribas SA under this agreement.

From 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016, 731,055 shares were delivered following the definitive award of performance shares to their beneficiaries.

- **Preferred shares and Undated Super Subordinated Notes eligible as Tier 1 regulatory capital**

- Preferred shares issued by the Group's foreign subsidiaries

BNP Paribas Personal Finance made in 2004 two issues of undated non-voting preferred shares through a structured entity governed by UK law and which is exclusively controlled. Since the first call date, these preferred shares are redeemable at par at the issuer's discretion at each quarterly coupon date.

Issuer	Date of issue	Currency	Amount (in millions of euros)	Rate and term before 1st call date	Rate after 1st call date
Cofinoga Funding II LP	January and May 2004	EUR	80	TEC 10 ⁽¹⁾ +1.35% 10 years	TEC 10 ⁽¹⁾ + 1.35%
Total at 31 December 2016			73 ⁽²⁾		

⁽¹⁾ TEC 10 is the daily long-term government bond index, corresponding to the yield-to-maturity of a fictitious 10-year Treasury note.

⁽²⁾ Value at the date of acquisition of control over the LaSer group.

These issues and the related dividends are recorded under "Minority interests" in the balance sheet.

- Undated Super Subordinated Notes issued by BNP Paribas SA

BNP Paribas has issued Undated Super Subordinated Notes which pay a fixed, fixed adjustable or floating rate coupon and are redeemable at the end of a fixed period and thereafter at each coupon date or every five years. If the notes are not redeemed at the end of this period, some of these issues will pay a coupon indexed to Euribor, Libor or a swap rate if the notes are not redeemed at the end of this period.

On 17 June 2015, BNP Paribas SA has issued Undated Super Subordinated Notes for an amount of EUR 750 million, which pay a 6.125% fixed rate coupon. The notes could be redeemed at the end of a 7-year period. If the notes are not redeemed in 2022, a 5-year euro swap rate coupon will be paid half-yearly. This issue is eligible to Additional Tier 1 capital.

On 29 June 2015, BNP Paribas SA redeemed the June 2005 issue for a total amount of USD 1,070 million at the first call date. These notes paid a 5.186% fixed-rate coupon.

On 19 August 2015, BNP Paribas SA has issued Undated Super Subordinated Notes for an amount of USD 1,500 million which pay a 7.375% fixed-rate coupon. The notes could be redeemed at the end of a 10-year period. If the notes are not redeemed in 2025, a 5-year dollar swap rate coupon will be paid half-yearly. This issue is eligible to Additional Tier 1 capital.

On 30 March 2016, BNP Paribas SA has issued Undated Super Subordinated Notes for an amount of USD 1,500 million which pay a 7.625% fixed-rate coupon. The notes could be redeemed at the end of a 5-year period. If the notes are not redeemed in 2021, a 5-year dollar swap rate coupon will be paid half-yearly. This issue is eligible to Additional Tier 1 capital.

On 12 and 19 April 2016, BNP Paribas SA redeemed the April 2006 issues for a total amount of EUR 549 million and GBP 450 million at the first call date. These notes paid a 4.73% and 5.945% fixed-rate coupon.

On 13 July 2016, BNP Paribas SA redeemed the July 2006 issue for a total amount of GBP 163 million at the first call date. These notes paid a 5.954% fixed-rate coupon.

On 14 December 2016, BNP Paribas SA has issued Undated Super Subordinated Notes for an amount of USD 750 million which pay a 6.75% fixed-rate coupon. These notes could be redeemed at the end of a period of 5 years and 3 months. If the notes are not redeemed in 2022, a 5-year dollar swap rate coupon will be paid half-yearly. This issue is eligible to Additional Tier 1 capital.

The following table summarises the characteristics of these various issues:

Date of issue	Currency	Amount (in millions of currency units)	Coupon payment date	Rate and term before 1st call date	Rate after 1st call date
October 2005	EUR	1,000	annual	4.875% 6 years	4.875%
October 2005	USD	400	annual	6.25% 6 years	6.250%
July 2006	EUR	150	annual	5.45% 20 years	3-month Euribor + 1.920%
April 2007	EUR	638	annual	5.019% 10 years	3-month Euribor + 1.720%
June 2007	USD	600	quarterly	6.5% 5 years	6.5%
June 2007	USD	1,100	semi-annual	7.195% 30 years	USD 3-month Libor + 1.290%
October 2007	GBP	200	annual	7.436% 10 years	GBP 3-month Libor + 1.850%
June 2008	EUR	500	annual	7.781% 10 years	3-month Euribor + 3.750%
September 2008	EUR	100	annual	7.57% 10 years	3-month Euribor + 3.925%
December 2009	EUR	2	quarterly	3-month Euribor + 3.750% 10 years	3-month Euribor + 4.750%
December 2009	EUR	17	annual	7.028% 10 years	3-month Euribor + 4.750%
December 2009	USD	70	quarterly	USD 3-month Libor + 3.750% 10 years	USD 3-month Libor + 4.750%
December 2009	USD	0.5	annual	7.384% 10 years	USD 3-month Libor + 4.750%
June 2015	EUR	750	semi-annual	6.125% 7 years	EUR 5-year swap + 5.230%
August 2015	USD	1,500	semi-annual	7.375% 10 years	USD 5-year swap + 5.150%
March 2016	USD	1,500	semi-annual	7.625% 5 years	USD 5-year swap + 6.314%
December 2016	USD	750	semi-annual	6.750% 5.25 years	USD 5-year swap +4.916%
Total euro-equivalent historical value at 31 December 2016		8,430 ⁽¹⁾			

⁽¹⁾ Net of shares held in treasury by Group entities

BNP Paribas has the option of not paying interest due on these Undated Super Subordinated Notes. Unpaid interest is not carried forward.

For the notes issued before 2015, the absence of coupon payment is conditional on the absence of dividend payment on BNP Paribas SA ordinary shares or on Undated Super Subordinated Note equivalents during the previous year. Interest due is payable once dividend payment on BNP Paribas SA ordinary shares resumes.

The contracts relating to these Undated Super Subordinated Notes contain a loss absorption clause. Under the terms of this clause, in the event of insufficient regulatory capital, the nominal value of the notes may be reduced in order to serve as a new basis for the calculation of the related coupons until the capital deficiency is made up and the nominal value of the notes is increased to its original amount.

The proceeds from these issues are recorded in equity under "Capital and retained earnings". In accordance with IAS 21, issues denominated in foreign currencies are recognised at their historical value based on their translation into euros at the issue date. Interest on the instruments is treated in the same way as dividends.

At 31 December 2016, the BNP Paribas Group held EUR 48 million of Undated Super Subordinated Notes which were deducted from shareholders' equity.

- **Earnings per share**

Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing the net income for the period attributable to holders of ordinary shares by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. The net income attributable to ordinary shareholders is determined by deducting the net income attributable to holders of preferred shares.

Diluted earnings per share correspond to the net income for the period attributable to holders of ordinary shares, divided by the weighted average number of shares outstanding as adjusted for the maximum effect of the conversion of dilutive equity instruments into ordinary shares. In-the-money stock subscription options are taken into account in the diluted earnings per share calculation, as are performance shares granted under the Global Share-based Incentive Plan. Conversion of these instruments would have no effect on the net income figure used in this calculation.

	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Net profit / (loss) used to calculate basic and diluted earnings per ordinary share (in millions of euros) ⁽¹⁾	7,470	6,385
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year	1,244,469,997	1,242,989,279
Effect of potentially dilutive ordinary shares	147,762	1,195,923
- Stock subscription option plan ⁽²⁾	146,009	458,927
- Performance share attribution plan ⁽²⁾	1,753	736,996
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used to calculate diluted earnings per share	1,244,617,759	1,244,185,202
Basic earnings per share (in euros)	6.00	5.14
Diluted earnings per share (in euros)	6.00	5.13

⁽¹⁾The net profit used to calculate basic and diluted earnings per share is the net profit attributable to equity shareholders, adjusted for the remuneration on the Undated Super Subordinated Notes issued by BNP Paribas SA (treated as preferred share equivalents), which for accounting purposes is handled as dividends, as well as the related foreign exchange impact recognised directly in shareholders' equity.

⁽²⁾See note 6.e Share-based payments for the description of share-based plans and performance share attribution plans.

The dividend per share paid in 2016 out of the 2015 net income amounted to EUR 2.31, compared with EUR 1.50 paid in 2015 out of the 2014 net income.

7.b CONTINGENT LIABILITIES: LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AND ARBITRATION

The Bank and certain of its subsidiaries are defendants in several actions pending before the United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District of New York brought by the Trustee appointed for the liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC (“BLMIS”). These actions, known generally as “clawback claims”, are similar to those brought by the BLMIS Trustee against numerous institutions, and seek recovery of amounts allegedly received by the BNP Paribas entities from BLMIS or indirectly through BLMIS-related “feeder funds” in which BNP Paribas entities held interests. The BLMIS Trustee claims in these actions that the amounts which BNP Paribas entities received are avoidable and recoverable under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code and New York state law. In the aggregate, the amount sought to be recovered in these actions approximates USD 1.3 billion. BNP Paribas has substantial and credible defenses to these actions and is defending against them vigorously. On 22 November 2016, the Bankruptcy Court issued a decision on the ability of the BLMIS Trustee to recover foreign transfers from foreign defendants in these actions. The decision should result in the dismissals of the majority of the BLMIS Trustee’s claims against BNP Paribas entities, which constitute most of the total amount sought to be recovered in these actions. These dismissals will be subject to appeal.

Various litigations and investigations are ongoing relating to the restructuring of the Fortis group, now Ageas, of which BNP Paribas Fortis is no longer part, and to events having occurred before BNP Paribas Fortis became part of the BNP Paribas Group. Among these are litigations brought by shareholder groups in The Netherlands and Belgium against Ageas and, among others, against BNP Paribas Fortis, in relation to its role as global coordinator of Fortis (now Ageas)’s capital increase in October 2007 to partly finance its acquisition of ABN Amro Bank N.V. These shareholder groups mainly allege that there has been a breach in the financial communication, as, inter alia, the disclosure regarding the exposure to subprime mortgages. On 14 March 2016, Ageas announced that it had entered into with representatives of certain shareholder groups a proposed settlement with respect to civil proceedings related to the former Fortis group for the events of 2007 and 2008. This settlement applies to all Fortis shareholders who held shares between 28 February 2007 and 14 October 2008, irrespective of whether they are members of a shareholder group that was represented in the negotiation of the settlement. The parties requested the Amsterdam Court of Appeals to declare the settlement to be binding on all Fortis shareholders who are eligible to participate in it, in accordance with the Dutch Act on Collective Settlement of Mass Claims (“Wet Collectieve Afwikkeling Massaschade” or “WCAM”). BNP Paribas Fortis will be able to invoke this settlement, if it becomes final and binding.

All ongoing civil litigations in Belgium and in the Netherlands involving BNP Paribas Fortis as per its aforementioned role are currently suspended.

Litigation was also brought in Belgium by minority shareholders of Fortis against the Société fédérale de Participations et d’Investissement, Ageas and BNP Paribas seeking (amongst other things) damages from BNP Paribas as restitution for part of the BNP Paribas Fortis shares that were contributed to BNP Paribas in 2009, on the ground that the transfer of these shares was null and void. On 29 April 2016 the Brussels Commercial court decided to stay the proceedings until the resolution of the pending Fortis criminal proceeding in Belgium. BNP Paribas does not have tangible elements to assess the duration of such suspension.

Regulatory and law enforcement authorities in multiple jurisdictions are conducting investigations or making inquiries of a number of financial institutions regarding trading on the foreign exchange markets, including, among other things, possible collusion among financial institutions to manipulate certain benchmark currency exchange rates. The Bank has to date received requests for information in this respect from regulatory and law enforcement authorities in the United Kingdom, the United States and several countries in the Asia-Pacific region as well as from the European Competition Commission. The Bank is cooperating with the investigations and inquiries and responding to the information requests. In November 2014 the Financial Conduct Authority in the United Kingdom, in December 2014 the Hong Kong Monetary Authority and in October 2015, the Financial Services Agency in Japan informed the Bank that they had discontinued their investigation as to BNP Paribas. Moreover the Bank is conducting its own internal review of foreign exchange trading. While this review is ongoing, the Bank is not in a position to foresee the outcome of these investigations and proceedings nor their potential impact.

7.c BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

- **Operations realised in 2016**

- Sharekhan group

BNP Paribas has purchased on 23 November 2016, 100% of Sharekhan group. This acquisition leads the BNP Paribas Group to consolidate Sharekhan by global integration.

Sharekhan is a retail brokerage firm in India offering broking solutions to more than 1 million private clients.

This acquisition resulted in a EUR 0.4 billion increase of the Group balance sheet at the purchase date.

The goodwill on Sharekhan amounts to EUR 93 million.

- **Operations realised in 2015**

- General Electric European Fleet Services business

Arval, the BNP Paribas subsidiary specialised in corporate vehicle leasing, purchased on 2 November 2015 the European Fleet Services business of General Electric Capital.

This acquisition strengthens significantly the strategic positioning of Arval in Europe, and leads to a EUR 2.7 billion increase of the Group's balance sheet. In particular, "Property, plant, equipment and intangible assets" rose by EUR 2.3 billion and debts "due to the credit institutions" by EUR 1.4 billion.

The goodwill on this operation amounts to EUR 210 million.

7.d MINORITY INTERESTS

• Main minority interests

The assessment of the material nature of minority interests is based on the contribution of the relevant subsidiaries to the Group balance sheet (before elimination of intra-group balances and transactions) and to the Group profit and loss account.

	31 December 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2016						
	Total assets before elimination of intra-group transactions	Revenues	Net income	Net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Minority shareholders' interest (%)	Net income attributable to minority interests	Net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity - attributable to minority interests	Dividends paid to minority shareholders
In millions of euros								
Contribution of the entities belonging to the BGL BNP Paribas group	69,985	1,504	554	532	34%	183	178	69
Other minority interests						230	207	45
TOTAL						413	385	114

	31 December 2015	Year to 31 Dec. 2015						
	Total assets before elimination of intra-group transactions	Revenues	Net income	Net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity	Minority shareholders' interest (%)	Net income attributable to minority interests	Net income and changes in assets and liabilities recognised directly in equity - attributable to minority interests	Dividends paid to minority shareholders
In millions of euros								
Contribution of the entities belonging to the BGL BNP Paribas group	67,485	1,534	463	453	34%	164	158	69
Other minority interests						186	182	62
TOTAL						350	340	131

There are no particular contractual restrictions on the assets of the BGL BNP Paribas Group related to the presence of the minority shareholder.

- **Internal restructuring that led to a change in minority shareholders' interest in the equity of subsidiaries**

No significant internal restructuring operation occurred during the year ended 31 December 2016, nor during the year ended 31 December 2015.

- **Acquisitions of additional interests and partial sales of interests leading to changes in minority interests in the equity of subsidiaries**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Attributable to shareholders	Minority interests	Attributable to shareholders	Minority interests
UkrSibbank Public Joint Stock				
Sale of 40% of UkrSibbank's capital followed by a capital increase subscribed by all shareholders.	(102)	34		
First Hawaiian Inc.				
On 4 August 2016, Initial Public Offer on First Hawaiian Inc. for 17.39% of its capital at a 23-dollar price per share	87	460		
Others	(17)		(3)	(4)
Total	(32)	494	(3)	(4)

- **Commitments to repurchase minority shareholders' interests**

In connection with the acquisition of certain entities, the Group granted minority shareholders put options on their holdings.

The total value of these commitments, which are recorded as a reduction in shareholders' equity, amounts to EUR 615 million at 31 December 2016, compared with EUR 707 million at 31 December 2015.

7.e SIGNIFICANT RESTRICTIONS IN SUBSIDIARIES, JOINT VENTURES AND ASSOCIATES

Significant restrictions related to the ability of entities to transfer cash to the Group

The ability of entities to pay dividends or to repay loans and advances depends, *inter alia*, on local regulatory requirements for capitalisation and legal reserves, as well as the entities' financial and operating performance. During 2015 and 2016, no BNP Paribas Group entity was subject to significant restrictions other than those related to regulatory requirements.

Significant restrictions relative to the Group's ability to use the assets lodged in consolidated structured entities

Access to the assets of consolidated structured entities in which third-party investors have invested is limited inasmuch as these entities' assets are reserved for the holders of units or securities. These assets total EUR 20 billion as at 31 December 2016 (EUR 23 billion as at 31 December 2015).

Significant restrictions related to the Group's ability to use assets pledged as collateral or under repurchase agreements

The financial instruments pledged by the BNP Paribas Group as collateral or under repurchase agreements are presented in notes 4.s and 5.c.

Significant restrictions related to liquidity reserves

Significant restrictions related to liquidity reserves correspond to the mandatory deposits placed with central banks presented in chapter 5 of the registration document under "Liquidity risk".

Assets representative of unit-linked insurance contracts

Assets representative of unit-linked insurance contracts designated as at fair value through profit or loss, which amount to EUR 54,291 million as at 31 December 2016 (compared with EUR 50,859 million as at 31 December 2015), are held for the benefit of the holders of these contracts.

7.f STRUCTURED ENTITIES

The BNP Paribas Group is engaged in transactions with sponsored structured entities mainly through its activities of securitisation of financial assets - as either originator or sponsor -, fund management and specialised asset financing.

In addition, the BNP Paribas Group is also engaged in transactions with structured entities that it has not sponsored, notably in the form of investments in funds or securitisation vehicles.

The method for assessing control for structured entities is detailed in Note 1.b.2. "Consolidation methods".

- **Consolidated structured entities**

The main categories of consolidated structured entities are:

ABCP (Asset-Backed Commercial Paper) conduits: the ABCP securitisation conduits Starbird, Matchpoint and Scaldis fund securitisation transactions managed by the BNP Paribas Group on behalf of its customers. Details on how these are financed and the Group's risk exposure are presented in Chapter 5 of the Registration Document under "Securitisation as sponsor on behalf of clients / Short-term refinancing".

Proprietary securitisation: proprietary securitisation positions originated and held by the BNP Paribas Group are detailed in Chapter 5 of the Registration Document under "Proprietary securitisation activities (originator)".

Funds managed by the Group: the BNP Paribas Group structures different types of funds for which it may act as fund manager, investor, custodian or guarantor. These funds are consolidated when the Group is both the manager and a significant investor, and is therefore exposed to variable returns.

- **Unconsolidated structured entities**

The BNP Paribas Group has entered into relations with unconsolidated structured entities in the course of its business activities to meet the needs of its customers.

Information relative to interests in sponsored structured entities

The main categories of unconsolidated sponsored structured entities are as follows:

Securitisation: the BNP Paribas Group structures securitisation vehicles for the purposes of offering customers financing solutions for their assets, either directly or through consolidated ABCP conduits. Each vehicle finances the purchase of customers' assets (receivables, bonds, etc.) primarily by issuing bonds backed by these assets and whose redemption is linked to their performance.

Funds: the Group structures and manages funds to offer investment opportunities to its customers. Dedicated or public funds are offered to institutional and individual customers, and are distributed and commercially monitored by the BNP Paribas Group. The entities of the BNP Paribas Group responsible for managing these funds may receive management fees and performance commission. The BNP Paribas Group may hold units in these funds, as well as units in funds dedicated to the insurance activity not managed by the BNP Paribas Group.

Asset financing: the BNP Paribas Group finances structured entities that acquire assets (aircraft, ships, etc.) intended for lease, and the lease payments received by the structured entity are used to repay the financing, which is guaranteed by the asset held by the structured entity.

Other: on behalf of its customers, the Group may also structure entities which invest in assets or are involved in debt restructuring.

An interest in an unconsolidated structured entity is a contractual or non-contractual link that exposes the BNP Paribas Group to variable returns from the performance of the entity.

The Group's assets and liabilities related to the interests held in sponsored structured entities are as follows:

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2016	Securitisation	Funds	Asset Financing	Others	Total
INTERESTS ON THE GROUP BALANCE SHEET					
ASSETS					
Trading book	320	536	151	1,959	2,966
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss ⁽¹⁾		24,118	10	73	24,201
Available-for-sale financial assets	11	3,540	188	549	4,288
Loans and receivables	11,702	305	14,403	97	26,507
Other assets	12	182	3	1	198
TOTAL ASSETS	12,045	28,681	14,755	2,679	58,160
LIABILITIES					
Trading book	117	447	37	2,359	2,960
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss		16		31	47
Financial liabilities carried at amortised cost	1,035	20,445	1,130	1,889	24,499
Other liabilities		284	92	11	387
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,152	21,192	1,259	4,290	27,893
MAXIMUM EXPOSURE TO LOSS	15,346	29,478	17,451	3,202	65,477
SIZE OF STRUCTURED ENTITIES ⁽²⁾	66,826	292,783	45,764	6,140	411,513

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Securitisation	Funds	Asset Financing	Others	Total
INTERESTS ON THE GROUP BALANCE SHEET					
ASSETS					
Trading book	447	681	190	1,843	3,161
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss ⁽¹⁾		25,587	18	68	25,673
Available-for-sale financial assets		2,990	145	388	3,523
Loans and receivables	10,974	86	13,431	166	24,657
Other assets	9	441	8	3	461
TOTAL ASSETS	11,430	29,785	13,792	2,468	57,475
LIABILITIES					
Trading book	1,107	633	13	2,910	4,663
Instruments designated as at fair value through profit or loss		26		18	44
Financial liabilities carried at amortised cost	769	18,782	667	1,868	22,086
Other liabilities	24	327	36	20	407
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,900	19,768	716	4,816	27,200
MAXIMUM EXPOSURE TO LOSS	15,427	30,157	16,016	2,899	64,499
SIZE OF STRUCTURED ENTITIES ⁽²⁾	90,737	241,915	48,478	11,083	392,213

(1) of which EUR 14,185 million representative of unit-linked insurance contracts as at 31 December 2016, invested in funds managed by the BNP Paribas Group (EUR 16,981 million as at 31 December 2015).

(2) the size of sponsored structured entities equals the total assets of the structured entity for securitisation vehicles, the net asset value for funds (excluding management mandates) and the structured entity's total assets or the amount of the BNP Paribas Group's commitment for asset financing and other structures.

The BNP Paribas Group's maximum exposure to losses on sponsored structured entities is the carrying amount of the assets, excluding, for available-for-sale financial assets, changes in value taken directly to equity, as well as the nominal amount of the financing commitments and guarantee commitments given and the notional amount of credit default swaps (CDS) sold.

Information relative to interests in non-sponsored structured entities

The main interests held by the BNP Paribas Group when it acts solely as an investor in non-sponsored structured entities are detailed below:

- *Units in funds that are not managed by the Group, which are held by the Insurance business line:* as part of the asset allocation strategy corresponding to investments related to the premiums for unit-linked contracts or for the general fund, the Insurance business line subscribes to units of structured entities. These short- or medium-term investments are held for their financial performance and meet the risk diversification criteria inherent to the business. They amounted to EUR 32 billion as at 31 December 2016 (EUR 30 billion as at 31 December 2015). Changes in value and the majority of the risks associated with these investments are borne by policyholders in the case of assets representative of unit-linked contracts, and by the insurer in the case of assets representative of the general fund;
- *Other investments in funds not managed by the Group:* as part of its trading business, the BNP Paribas Group invests in structured entities without any involvement in either managing or structuring these entities (investments in mutual funds, securities funds or alternative funds), particularly as economic hedge for structured products sold to customers. The Group also invests in minority holdings in support of companies as part of its venture capital business. These investments amounted to EUR 11 billion as at 31 December 2016 (unchanged from 31 December 2015).
- *Investments in securitisation vehicles:* the breakdown of the Group's exposure and the nature of the securities held are presented in Chapter 5 of the Registration Document in the section "Securitisation as investor".

7.g COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS AWARDED TO THE GROUP'S CORPORATE OFFICERS

The remuneration and benefits policy relating to the Group's corporate officers, as well as the detailed information on an individual basis, are presented in chapter 2 Corporate Governance of the registration document.

- **Remuneration and benefits awarded to the Group's corporate officers**

	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Gross remuneration, including Directors' fees and benefits in kind		
- payable for the year	€6,350,378	€6,484,552
- paid during the year	€6,227,427	€4,761,620
Post-employment benefits		
Retirement bonuses: present value of the benefit obligation (payroll taxes excluded)	€243,574	€210,272
Defined contribution pension plan : contributions paid by BNP Paribas during the year	€1,274	€1,395
Welfare benefits: premiums paid by BNP Paribas during the year	€8,914	€10,284
Share-based payments		
Stock subscription options		
- value of stock options granted during the year	Nil	Nil
- number of options held at 31 December	107,854	321,193
Performance shares		
- value of shares granted during the year	Nil	Nil
- number of shares held at 31 December	Nil	Nil
Long-term compensation		
- fair value at grant date (*)	€1,272,417	€557,760

(*) Valuation according to the method described in note 1.i.

As at 31 December 2016, no corporate officer is eligible to a contingent collective defined-benefit top-up pension plan.

- **Directors' fees paid to members of the board of directors**

The directors' fees paid in 2016 to all members of the Board of Directors amount to EUR 1,300,000, compared with EUR 974,999 paid in 2015. The amount paid in 2016 to members other than corporate officers was EUR 1,183,190, compared with EUR 880,257 in 2015.

- **Remuneration and benefits awarded to directors representing the employees**

In euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016	Year to 31 Dec. 2015
Gross remuneration paid during the year	77,471	76,660
Directors' fees (paid to the trade unions)	176,588	117,557
Premiums paid by BNP Paribas during the year into schemes related to Garantie Vie Professionnelle Accidents benefits and healthcare expense coverage	1,512	1,366
Contributions paid by BNP Paribas during the year into the defined-contribution plan	670	672

- **Loans, advances and guarantees granted to the Group's corporate officers**

At 31 December 2016, the total outstanding loans granted directly or indirectly to the Group's corporate officers and their spouses amounted to EUR 1,197,628 (EUR 1,045,637 at 31 December 2015). These loans representing normal transactions were carried out on an arm's length basis.

7.h OTHER RELATED PARTIES

Other related parties of the BNP Paribas Group comprise consolidated companies (including entities consolidated under the equity method) and entities managing post-employment benefit plans offered to Group employees (except for multi-employer and multi-industry schemes).

Transactions between the BNP Paribas Group and related parties are carried out on an arm's length basis.

RELATIONS BETWEEN CONSOLIDATED COMPANIES

A list of companies consolidated by the BNP Paribas Group is provided in note 7.j "Scope of consolidation". Transactions and outstanding balances between fully-consolidated entities are eliminated. The tables below show transactions with entities accounted for under the equity method.

- **Outstanding balances of related-party transactions:**

In millions of euros	31 December 2016		31 December 2015	
	Joint ventures	Associates ⁽¹⁾	Joint ventures	Associates ⁽¹⁾
ASSETS				
Loans, advances and securities				
On demand accounts	1	51		101
Loans	4,302	3,098	4,156	3,585
Securities	991		1,102	2
Securities held in the non-trading portfolio	14	-	19	56
Other assets	3	235	10	258
Total	5,311	3,384	5,287	4,002
LIABILITIES				
Deposits				
On demand accounts	94	774	225	403
Other borrowings	195	2,431	45	2,575
Other liabilities	23	81	19	78
Total	312	3,286	289	3,056
FINANCING COMMITMENTS AND GUARANTEE COMMITMENTS				
Financing commitments given	3,607	1,153	2,781	2,162
Guarantee commitments given	1	39	2	77
Total	3,608	1,192	2,783	2,239

⁽¹⁾ Including controlled but non material entities consolidated under the equity method.

The Group also carries out trading transactions with related parties involving derivatives (swaps, options and forwards, etc.) and financial instruments purchased or underwritten and issued by them (equities, bonds, etc.).

- **Related-party profit and loss items:**

In millions of euros	Year to 31 Dec. 2016		Year to 31 Dec. 2015	
	Joint ventures	Associates ⁽¹⁾	Joint ventures	Associates ⁽¹⁾
Interest income	28	43	38	74
Interest expense	(2)	(16)		(24)
Commission income	4	459	4	509
Commission expense	(8)	(44)	(4)	(45)
Services provided	1	9	1	22
Services received		(6)		(26)
Lease income		12		7
Total	23	457	39	517

⁽¹⁾ Including controlled but non material entities consolidated under the equity method.

GROUP ENTITIES MANAGING CERTAIN POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS OFFERED TO GROUP EMPLOYEES

In Belgium, BNP Paribas Fortis funds a number of pension schemes managed by AG Insurance in which the BNP Paribas Group has a 25% equity interest.

In other countries, post-employment benefit plans are generally managed by independent fund managers or independent insurance companies, and occasionally by Group companies (in particular BNP Paribas Asset Management, BNP Paribas Cardif, Bank of the West and First Hawaiian Bank). In Switzerland, a dedicated foundation manages pension plans for BNP Paribas Switzerland's employees.

At 31 December 2016, the value of plan assets managed by Group companies or by companies over which the Group exercises significant influence was EUR 3,883 million (EUR 3,884 million as at 31 December 2015). Amounts received by Group companies in the year to 31 December 2016 totalled EUR 4.3 million, and were mainly composed of management and custody fees (unchanged compared with 2015).

7.i FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS CARRIED AT AMORTISED COST

The information supplied in this note must be used and interpreted with the greatest caution for the following reasons:

- These fair values are an estimate of the value of the relevant instruments as at 31 December 2016. They are liable to fluctuate from day to day as a result of changes in various parameters, such as interest rates and credit quality of the counterparty. In particular, they may differ significantly from the amounts actually received or paid on maturity of the instrument. In most cases, the fair value is not intended to be realised immediately, and in practice might not be realised immediately. Consequently, this fair value does not reflect the actual value of the instrument to BNP Paribas as a going concern;
- Most of these fair values are not meaningful, and hence are not taken into account in the management of the commercial banking activities which use these instruments;
- Estimating a fair value for financial instruments carried at historical cost often requires the use of modelling techniques, hypotheses and assumptions that may vary from bank to bank. This means that comparisons between the fair values of financial instruments carried at historical cost as disclosed by different banks may not be meaningful;
- The fair values shown below do not include the fair values of finance lease transactions, non-financial instruments such as property, plant and equipment, goodwill and other intangible assets such as the value attributed to demand deposit portfolios or customer relationships. Consequently, these fair values should not be regarded as the actual contribution of the instruments concerned to the overall valuation of the BNP Paribas Group.

In millions of euros 31 December 2016	Estimated fair value				Carrying value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	
FINANCIAL ASSETS					
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 4.f)		47,401	7	47,408	47,411
Loans and receivables due from customers (note 4.g) ⁽¹⁾	605	45,873	653,971	700,449	684,669
Held-to-maturity financial assets (note 4.j)	7,029	39		7,068	6,100
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES					
Due to credit institutions (note 4.f)		75,541		75,541	75,660
Due to customers (note 4.g)		766,904		766,904	765,953
Debt securities (note 4.i)	52,420	102,317		154,737	153,422
Subordinated debt (note 4.i)	9,098	9,227		18,325	18,374

⁽¹⁾ Finance leases excluded

In millions of euros, at 31 December 2015	Estimated fair value				Carrying value
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	
FINANCIAL ASSETS					
Loans and receivables due from credit institutions (note 4.f)		43,337	45	43,382	43,427
Loans and receivables due from customers (note 4.g) ⁽¹⁾	694	50,272	615,589	666,555	655,898
Held-to-maturity financial assets (note 4.j)	8,866	152		9,018	7,757
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES					
Due to credit institutions (note 4.f)		84,386		84,386	84,146
Due to customers (note 4.g)		701,207		701,207	700,309
Debt securities (note 4.i)	50,334	110,580		160,914	159,447
Subordinated debt (note 4.i)	8,281	8,061		16,342	16,544

⁽¹⁾ Finance leases excluded

The valuation techniques and assumptions used by BNP Paribas ensure that the fair value of financial assets and liabilities carried at amortised cost is measured on a consistent basis throughout the Group. Fair value is based on prices quoted in an active market when these are available. In other cases, fair value is determined using valuation techniques such as discounting of estimated future cash flows for loans, liabilities and held-to-maturity financial assets, or specific valuation models for other financial instruments as described in note 1, "Summary of significant accounting policies applied by the BNP Paribas Group". The description of the fair value hierarchy levels is also presented in the accounting principles (note 1.c.10). In the case of loans, liabilities and held-to-maturity financial assets that have an initial maturity of less than one year (including demand deposits) or of most regulated savings products, fair value equates to carrying amount. These instruments have been classified in Level 2, except for loans to customers, which are classified in Level 3.

7.j SCOPE OF CONSOLIDATION

Name	Country	31 December 2016				31 December 2015				
		Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.	Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.	
BNP Paribas SA	France									
BNPP SA (Argentina branch)	Argentina	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Australia branch)	Australia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Bahrain branch)	Bahrain	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Belgium branch)	Belgium	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Bulgaria branch)	Bulgaria	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Canada branch)	Canada	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Cayman Islands branch)	Cayman Islands	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Germany branch)	Germany	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Hong Kong branch)	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Hungary branch)	Hungary	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (India branch)	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Ireland branch)	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Italy branch)	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Japan branch)	Japan	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Jersey branch)	Jersey	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Kuwait branch)	Kuwait	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Luxembourg branch)	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Malaysia branch)	Malaysia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Monaco branch)	Monaco	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Netherlands branch)	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Norway branch)	Norway	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	S1	
BNPP SA (Panama branch)	Panama	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Philippines branch)	Philippines	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Poland branch)	Poland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Portugal branch)	Portugal	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Qatar branch)	Qatar	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Republic of Korea branch)	Rep. of Korea	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Saudi Arabia branch)	Saudi Arabia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Singapore branch)	Singapore	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (South Africa branch)	South Africa	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Spain branch)	Spain	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Taiwan branch)	Taiwan	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Thailand branch)	Thailand	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (UK branch)	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (United Arab Emirates branch)	United Arab Emirates	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (USA branch)	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
BNPP SA (Viet Nam branch)	Viet Nam	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%		
Retail Banking & Services										
Domestic Markets										
Retail Banking - France										
Banque de Wallis et Futuna	France	Full	(1)	51.0%	51.0%		Full	(1)	51.0%	51.0%
BNPP Antilles Guyane (Ex- BNPP Martinique)	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Développement	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%		Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Factor	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Factor (Spain branch)	Spain	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Factor AS	Denmark	Equity *		100.0%	99.9%		Equity *		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Factor Portugal	Portugal	Full		100.0%	100.0%		Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Guadeloupe	France					S4	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Guyane	France					S4	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Nouvelle Calédonie	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Réunion	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
Portparc Société de Bourse	France	Full	(1)	51.0%	51.0%		Full	(1)	51.0%	51.0%
Société Alsacienne de Développement et d'Expansion	France					S4	Full		100.0%	65.9%
Retail Banking - Belgium										
Alpha Card SCRL	Belgium	Equity		50.0%	50.0%		Equity		50.0%	50.0%
Belgian Mobile Wallet	Belgium					S3	Equity		20.0%	20.0%
BNPP Commercial Finance Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Factor Deutschland BV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Factor GmbH	Germany	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Factoring Coverage Europe Holding NV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis	Belgium	Full		99.9%	99.9%		Full		99.9%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Austria branch)	Austria	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Cayman Islands branch)	Cayman Islands									S1
BNPP Fortis (Czech Republic branch)	Czech Republic	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Denmark branch)	Denmark	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Finland branch)	Finland	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Germany branch)	Germany	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Netherlands branch)	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Norway branch)	Norway	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Romania branch)	Romania	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Spain branch)	Spain	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (Sweden branch)	Sweden	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis (UK branch)	UK									S1
BNPP Fortis (USA branch)	USA	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis Factor NV	Belgium	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
BNPP Fortis Funding SA	Luxembourg	Full		100.0%	99.9%		Full		100.0%	99.9%
Bpostbanque	Belgium	Equity	(3)	50.0%	50.0%		Equity	(3)	50.0%	50.0%
Demeis NV	Belgium	Equity *		100.0%	99.9%		Equity *		100.0%	99.9%
Immobilier Souverain SA	Belgium	Equity *		100.0%	99.9%		Equity *		100.0%	99.9%
Structured Entities										
BASS Master Issuer NV	Belgium	Full		-	-		Full		-	-
Emble Master Issuer	Belgium	Full		-	-		Full		-	-

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Retail Banking - Luxembourg									
BGL BNPP	Luxembourg	Full	66.0%	65.9%		Full	66.0%	65.9%	
BGL BNPP (Germany branch)	Germany	Full	100.0%	65.9%		Full	100.0%	65.9%	
BGL BNPP Factor SA	Luxembourg				S4	Full	100.0%	65.9%	
BNPP Leasing Group Luxembourg SA	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	65.9%		Full	100.0%	65.9%	
Cofylux SA	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	65.9%		Full	100.0%	65.9%	
Structured Entities									
Société Immobilière de Montreux SA	Luxembourg				S2	Full	-	-	
Retail Banking - Italy (BNL Banca Commerciale)									
Artigianassa SPA	Italy	Full	73.5%	73.9%		Full	73.9%	73.9%	
Banca Nazionale del Lavoro SPA	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNL Finance SPA	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNL Positivity SRL	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%	V1	Full	51.0%	51.0%	
Business Partners Italia SCPA	Italy	Full	99.9%	99.8%	V3	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3
International Factors Italia SPA - Italia	Italy	Full	99.7%	99.7%		Full	99.7%	99.7%	
Servizio Italia SPA	Italy	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	E1				
Sviluppo HC Touring SRL	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Structured Entities									
EMF-IT 2006-1 SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Tiemo Securitisation SRL	Italy	Full	-	-	E2				
Vela ABS SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Vela Consumer SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	E2
Vela Home SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Vela Mortgage SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Vela OBS SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Vela Public Secur. SRL	Italy	Full	-	-	S3				
Vela RMBS SRL	Italy	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Avail									
Avail	France	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	E1
Avail AB	Sweden	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	E2
Avail AS	Denmark	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Austria GmbH	Austria	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Belgium SA	Belgium	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Benelux BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Brasil Ltda	Brazil	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail CZ SRO	Czech Republic	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Deutschland GmbH	Germany	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail ECL	France								S4
Avail Fleet Services (Ex- GE Capital Fleet Services Fr)	France	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3
Avail Fleet Services BV (Ex- GE Fleet Services BV Netherlands)	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3
Avail Helix Car Rental SA	Greece	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail India Private Ltd	India	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Italy Fleet Services SRL	Italy	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3
Avail Jubang (Ex- Avail China Co Ltd)	China	Equity *	40.0%	40.0%	V3	Equity *	40.0%	40.0%	V3
Avail Luxembourg SA	Luxembourg	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Magyarorszag KFT	Hungary	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Maroc SA	Morocco	Equity *	100.0%	89.0%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	89.9%	V3
Avail OOO	Russia	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Oy	Finland	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Schweiz AG	Switzerland	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Service Lease	France	Full	100.0%	99.9%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Avail Service Lease Aluger Operational	Portugal	Equity *	100						

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BNPP Finansal Kiralama AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	82.5%		Full	100.0%	82.5%	V4
BNPP Lease Group	France	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group (Portugal branch)	Portugal	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group (Rentals) Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group (Spain branch)	Spain	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group IFN SA	Romania	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group KFT	Hungary	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group Leasing Solutions SPA	Italy	Full	100.0%	95.5%		Full	100.0%	95.5%	
BNPP Lease Group Lizing RT	Hungary	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group PLC	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group Polska SP ZOO	Poland	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Lease Group SA Belgium	Belgium	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Leasing Solutions	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Leasing Solutions Immobilier Suisse	Switzerland								S4
BNPP Leasing Solutions Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Leasing Solutions NV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Leasing Solutions Suisse SA	Switzerland	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
BNPP Rental Solutions Ltd (Ex- Arley Ltd)	UK	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Class Financial Services	France	Full (1)	60.1%	49.9%		Full (1)	60.1%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%		Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%		Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services (Poland branch)	Poland	Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%		Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services (Spain branch)	Spain	Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%		Full (1)	100.0%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services Inc	USA				S2	Full	100.0%	49.9%	
Class Financial Services Ltd	UK	Full	51.0%	42.3%		Full	51.0%	42.3%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe	France	Full (1)	50.1%	41.6%		Full (1)	50.1%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe (Belgium branch)	Belgium	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe (Poland branch)	Poland	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe (Spain branch)	Spain	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	41.6%		Full	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe GmbH	Austria	Full	100.0%	41.6%		Full	100.0%	41.6%	
CNH Industrial Capital Europe Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	41.6%		Full	100.0%	41.6%	
Commercial Vehicle Finance Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
ES-Finance	Belgium	Full	100.0%	99.9%		Full	100.0%	99.9%	
Fortis Lease	France	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease Belgium	Belgium	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease Deutschland GmbH	Germany	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease Iberia SA	Spain	Equity *	100.0%	86.6%		Equity *	100.0%	86.6%	
Fortis Lease Operatív Lizing Zárkörven Működő Reszvényársaság	Hungary				S1	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease Portugal	Portugal	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease Romania IFN SA	Romania								S4
Fortis Lease UK Ltd	UK	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Lease UK Retail Ltd	UK				S3	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
Fortis Vastgoedlease BV	Netherlands	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	
HFG Ltd	UK				S1	Full	100.0%	83.0%	
Humberdyde Commercial Investments Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
Humberdyde Commercial Investments N°1 Ltd	UK				S1	Full	100.0%	83.0%	
JCB Finance	France	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
JCB Finance (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
JCB Finance (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%		Full (1)	100.0%	41.6%	
JCB Finance Holdings Ltd	UK	Full	50.1%	41.6%		Full	50.1%	41.6%	
Localize Italiana SPA	Italy	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	V3
Manabu Finance Ltd	UK	Full	51.0%	42.3%		Full	51.0%	42.3%	
MFF	France	Full (1)	51.0%	42.3%		Full (1)	51.0%	42.3%	
Nalcoédibai	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Nalcoédimurs	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Nalcoénergie 2	France				S3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
RD Portoblu SRL	Romania	Equity *	100.0%	83.0%		Equity *	100.0%	83.0%	E2
Same Deutz Fahr Finance	France	Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	83.0%	
Same Deutz Fahr Finance Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	83.0%		Full	100.0%	83.0%	
SREI Equipment Finance Ltd	India				S2	Equity (3)	50.0%	41.5%	
Structured Entities									
BNPP B Institutional II Short Term	Belgium	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	E1
Vela Lease SRL	Italy								S3
Personal Investors									
DAB Bank AG	Germany								S4
Geojit BNPP Financial Services Ltd	India				S2	Equity	34.4%	34.4%	
Geojit Technologies Private Ltd	India	Equity	35.0%	35.0%		Equity *	57.4%	57.4%	D1
Helobank BNPP Austria AG	Austria	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	V4
Sharekhan BNPP Services Private Ltd	India	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	E3				
Sharekhan Ltd	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3				
Structured Entities									
DAB Bank AG (Ex- BNPP Beteiligungsholding AG)	Germany								S4
Human Value Developers Private Ltd	India	Full	-	-	E3				
International Financial Services									
BNP Paribas Personal Finance									
Alpha Crédit SA	Belgium	Full	100.0%	99.9%		Full	100.0%	99.9%	
Axa Banque Financement	France	Equity	35.0%	35.0%		Equity	35.0%	35.0%	
Banco BNPP Personal Finance SA	Portugal	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Banco Cetelem Argentina SA	Argentina	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Banco Cetelem SA	Spain	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	

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Banco Cetelem SA	Brazil	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Banco de Servicios Financieros SA	Argentina	Equity	40.0%	40.0%		Equity	40.0%	40.0%	
Banque Soliba	France	Equity (3)	45.0%	45.0%	V4	Equity (3)	44.9%	44.9%	
BGN Mercant E Servicos Ltda	Brazil	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Personal Finance	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Personal Finance (Austria branch)	Austria	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2				
BNPP Personal Finance (Czech Republic branch)	Czech Republic	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2
BNPP Personal Finance (Slovakia branch)	Slovakia	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2				
BNPP Personal Finance BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Personal Finance EAD	Bulgaria	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Personal Finance SA de CV	Mexico	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Cafneo	France	Full (1)	51.0%	50.8%		Full (1)	51.0%	50.8%	V1
Carrefour Banque	France	Equity	40.0%	40.0%		Equity	40.0%	40.0%	
Cetelem Algérie	Algeria								S3
Cetelem America LLC	Brazil	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Cetelem Bank LTD	Russia	Equity	20.8%	20.8%		Equity	20.8%	20.8%	V3
Cetelem CR AS	Czech Republic								S4
Cetelem IFN	Romania	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Cetelem Servicos Ltda	Brazil	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	D1	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Cetelem Slovensko AS	Slovakia				S4	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
CMV MediCore	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Cofca Bail	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Cofplan	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Commerz Finanz	Germany	Full	50.1%	50.1%		Full	50.1%	50.1%	
Communication Marketing Services	France								S4
Compagnie de Gestion et de Prêts	France								S4
Creation Consumer Finance Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Creation Financial Services Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Creation Marketing Services Ltd	UK								S1
Crédit Moderne Antilles Guyane	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Crédit Moderne Océan Indien	France	Full (1)	97.8%	97.8%		Full (1)	97.8%	97.8%	
Direct Services	Bulgaria	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Dominance	France	Full (1)	55.0%	55.0%		Full (1)	55.0%	55.0%	
Eficco	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Eficco Iberia SA	Spain	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
EspressBank	Denmark	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
EspressBank (Norway branch)	Norway	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Eos Arenas Belgium SA NV	Belgium	Equity	50.0%	49.9%		Equity	50.0%	49.9%	
Eurocredit EFC SA	Spain								S4
Faet	France								S4
Fidocom	France	Full	82.4%	82.4%		Full	82.4%	82.4%	
Fidem	France								S4
Finesis Expansion SA	Spain				S4	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Finomesic Banca SPA	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Finomesic Banca AD	Serbia	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	D1	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
GCC Consumo Establecimiento Financiero de Credito SA	Spain	Equity *	51.0%	51.0%	E1				
Gesellschaft für Capital & Vermögensverwaltung GmbH	Germany	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%		Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	
Gestion et Services Groupe Cofinoga GIE	France								S4
Inkasso Kodat GmbH & Co KG	Germany	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%		Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	
LaSer Cofinoga	France								S4
LaSer Loyalty	France								S4
LaSer SA	France								S4
Level 20	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	1	

Name	Country	31 December 2016				31 December 2015			
		Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.	Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.
Phedina Hypotheek 2011-1 BV	Netherlands				S1	Full	-	-	
Phedina Hypotheek 2013-1 BV	Netherlands	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Securisation funds Aubornia (a)	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Securisation funds Dornos (b)	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Securisation funds UCI (c)	Spain	Equity (3)	-	-		Equity (3)	-	-	
International Retail Banking									
Retail Banking in the United States of America									
1897 Services Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BancWest Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2				
BancWest Holding Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2				
BancWest Investment Services Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Bank of the West	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Bank of the West (Cayman Islands branch)	Cayman Islands				S1	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Bishop Street Capital Management Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BIW Insurance Agency Inc	USA								S2
Center Club Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
CFB Community Development Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Class Financial Services LLC	USA	Full	51.0%	51.0%	V2	Full	75.9%	63.4%	
Commercial Federal Affordable Housing Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Commercial Federal Community Development Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Commercial Federal Insurance Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Commercial Federal Investment Service Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Community Service Inc	USA								S1
FHB Guam Trust Co	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
FHL SPC One Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First Bancorp	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First Hawaiian Bank (Cayman Islands branch)	Cayman Islands								S1
First Hawaiian Bank	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First Hawaiian Capital 1	USA								S1
First Hawaiian Inc (Ex-BancWest Corporation)	USA	Full	82.6%	82.6%	V2	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First Hawaiian Leasing Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First National Bancorporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
First Santa Clara Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Liberty Leasing Company	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Mountain Falls Acquisition Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Real Estate Delivery 2 Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
The Bankers Club Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	82.6%	V3	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Ursus Real Estate Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Structured Entities									
Bank of the West Auto Trust 2014-1	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Bank of the West Auto Trust 2015-1	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	E2
Bank of the West Auto Trust 2016-1 (Ex-Bank of the West Auto Trust 2015-2)	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	E2
Bank of the West Auto Trust 2016-2	USA	Full	-	-	E2				
BOW Auto Receivables LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Commercial Federal Realty Investors Corporation	USA								S1
Commercial Federal Service Corporation	USA								S1
Equipment Lot FH	USA				S2	Full	-	-	
Equipment Lot Siemens 1998A-FH	USA				S3	Full	-	-	
Glendale Corporate Center Acquisition LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
LACMTA Rail Statutory Trust (FH1)	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Lexington Blue LLC	USA				S2	Equity	-	-	
MNCRC Equipment Lot	USA								S2
Riverwalk Village Three Holdings LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Santa Rita Townhomes Acquisition LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Southwest Airlines 1993 Trust N363SW	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	S2
ST 2001 FH-1 Statutory Trust	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
SWB 99-1	USA				S2	Full	-	-	
VTA 1998-FH	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Europe Mediterranean									
Bank BGZ BNPP SA	Poland	Full	88.3%	88.3%		Full	88.3%	88.3%	V1&V3
Bank of Nanjing	China	Equity	18.9%	18.9%	V1	Equity	18.8%	18.8%	V1
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie de la Côte d'Ivoire	Ivory Coast	Full	59.8%	59.8%		Full	59.8%	59.8%	
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie de la Guinée	Guinea	Full	55.6%	55.6%	D1	Equity *	55.6%	55.6%	
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie du Burkina Faso	Burkina Faso	Full	51.0%	51.0%		Full	51.0%	51.0%	
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie du Gabon	Gabon	Equity	47.0%	47.0%		Equity	47.0%	47.0%	
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie du Mali	Mali	Full	85.0%	85.0%		Full	85.0%	85.0%	
Banque Internationale pour le Commerce et l'Industrie du Sénégal	Senegal	Full	54.1%	54.1%		Full	54.1%	54.1%	
Banque Marocaine pour le Commerce et l'Industrie	Morocco	Full	67.0%	67.0%	V4	Full	66.7%	66.7%	
BMCI Bourse	Ivory Coast	Equity *	90.0%	53.5%		Equity *	90.0%	53.5%	E1
BMCI Asset Management	Morocco	Equity *	100.0%	67.0%	V4	Equity *	100.0%	66.7%	V3
BMCI Assurance SARL	Morocco	Equity *	100.0%	67.0%	V4	Equity *	100.0%	66.7%	V3
BMCI Banque Offshore	Morocco	Full	100.0%	67.0%	V4	Full	100.0%	66.7%	V3
BMCI Leasing	Morocco	Full	86.9%	58.2%	V4	Full	86.9%	58.0%	V3
BNP Intercontinentale	France								S4
BNPP Bank Polska SA	Poland								S4
BNPP El Djazair	Algeria	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	

(a): As at 31 December 2016, the securitisation funds Aubornia includes 1 silo (Aubornia 2014), versus 2 silos as at 31 December 2015 (Aubornia 2014 and Aubornia 2012-2)
(b): As at 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016, the securitisation funds Dornos include Dornos 2008 and Dornos 2011 (with 2 silos: Dornos 2011-A and Dornos 2011-B)
(c): As at 31 December 2016, the securitisation funds UCI include 14 funds (FCC UCI 7 to 12, 14 to 18 and RMBS Prado 1 to 3), versus 12 funds as at 31 December 2015 (FCC UCI 7 to 12, 14 to 18 and RMBS Prado 1)

Changes in the scope of consolidation

New entries (E) in the scope of consolidation

- E1 Passing qualifying thresholds as defined by the Group (see note 1.b)
- E2 Incorporation
- E3 Purchase, gain of control or significant influence

Removals (S) from the scope of consolidation

- S1 Cessation of activity (dissolution, liquidation, ...)
- S2 Disposal, loss of control or loss of significant influence
- S3 Passing qualifying thresholds as defined by the Group (see note 1.b)
- S4 Merger, Universal transfer of assets and liabilities

Variance (V) in voting or ownership interest

- V1 Additional purchase
- V2 Partial disposal
- V3 Dilution
- V4 Increase in %

Name	Country	31 December 2016				31 December 2015			
		Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.	Method	Voting (%)	Interest (%)	Ref.
BNPP Fortis Yatirimar Holding AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	99.9%		Full	100.0%	99.9%	
BNPP IRB Participations	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Yatirimar Holding AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
IC Axa Insurance JSC	Ukraine	Equity	49.8%	29.9%	V2	Equity	49.8%	49.8%	
Kronenburg Vastgoed BV	Netherlands								S3
OrientCommercial Bank	Viet Nam								S2
Sichting Effecten Dienstverlening	Netherlands								S3
Sygnia Bank Polska SA (Spolka Akcyjna)	Poland				S4	Full	100.0%	88.3%	E2
TEB Faktoring AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	72.5%	V4	Full	100.0%	72.4%	V4
TEB Holding AS	Turkey	Full	50.0%	50.0%		Full	50.0%	50.0%	
TEB Porfby Yonemli AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	72.5%		Full	100.0%	72.5%	V1
TEB SH A	Serbia	Full	100.0%	50.0%		Full	100.0%	50.0%	
TEB Yatirim Menkul Değerler AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	72.5%	V4	Full	100.0%	72.4%	V1
The Economy Bank NV	Netherlands								S3
Turk Ekonomi Bankasi AS	Turkey	Full	100.0%	72.5%	V4	Full	100.0%	72.4%	V1
Turk Ekonomi Bankasi AS (Bahrain branch)	Bahrain								S1
UkrSibbank Public JSC	Ukraine	Full	60.0%	60.0%	V2	Full	85.0%	100.0%	
Union Bancaire pour le Commerce et l'Industrie	Tunisia	Full	50.1%	50.1%		Full	50.1%	50.1%	
Insurance									
AG Insurance	Belgium	Equity	25.0%	25.0%		Equity	25.0%	25.0%	
BNPP Cardif	France	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif BV	Netherlands	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Emekli Anonim Sirketi	Turkey	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	D1	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif General Insurance Co Ltd	Rep. of Korea	Equity *	79.6%	79.6%	V4	Equity *	77.5%	77.5%	V4
BNPP Cardif Levensverzekeringen NV	Netherlands	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Pojslovna AS	Czech Republic	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif PSC Ltd	UK				S3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Schadeverzekeringen NV	Netherlands	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Seguros de Vida SA	Chile	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Seguros Generales SA	Chile	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif Servicios y Asistencia Limitada	Chile	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Cardif TCB Life Insurance Company Ltd	Taiwan	Equity	49.0%	49.0%		Equity	49.0%	49.0%	
BNPP Cardif Via Compagnia di Assicurazione E Riassicurazione SPA	Italy	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
BOB-Cardif Life Insurance Company Ltd	China	Equity	50.0%	50.0%		Equity	50.0%	50.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie	France	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Austria branch)	Austria	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Belgium branch)	Belgium	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Bulgaria branch)	Bulgaria	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Japan branch)	Japan	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Portugal branch)	Portugal	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Romania branch)	Romania	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Spain branch)	Spain	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Switzerland branch)	Switzerland	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurance Vie (Taiwan branch)	Taiwan	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers	France	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers (Austria branch)	Austria	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers (Belgium branch)	Belgium	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers (Bulgaria branch)	Bulgaria	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%	
CardifAssurances Risques Divers (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (2)	100.0%	100.0%					

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Cardif Pinnacle Insurance Holdings PLC	UK	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Cardif Pinnacle Insurance Management Services PLC	UK	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Cardif Polska Towarzystwo Ubezpieczen na Zycie SA	Poland	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%	D1	Full	(2)	100.0%
Cardif Seguros SA	Argentina	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Cardif Services SAS	France	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	S3	Equity *		100.0%
Cargoes Assicurazioni SPA	Italy	Equity		50.0%	50.0%	Equity *			50.0%
CB (UK) Ltd	UK	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Darnell Ltd	Ireland	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
F&B Insurance Holdings SA	Belgium								S1
GIE BNPP Cardif	France	Full	(2)	100.0%	99.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	99.0%
Icare	France	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Icare Assurance	France	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Luzaseg	Brazil	Equity		50.0%	50.0%	Equity		50.0%	50.0%
Naflo Assurance	France	Equity		50.0%	50.0%	Equity		50.0%	50.0%
NCVP Participacoes Societarias SA	Brazil	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Pinnacle Insurance PLC	UK	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Pocztylon Arka Powszechna Towarzystwo Emerytalne SA	Poland					S3	Equity		33.3%
Postovna Cardif Slovakia AS	Slovakia	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%
Portes de Claye SCI	France	Equity		45.0%	45.0%	Equity		45.0%	V3
Soco SCI	France	Equity		46.4%	46.4%	Equity		46.4%	V3
State Bank of India Life Insurance Company Ltd	India	Equity		26.0%	26.0%	Equity		26.0%	26.0%
Structured Entities									
BNPP Adions Euroland	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	E1
BNPP Aqua	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
BNPP Convictions	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	E1
BNPP Developpement Humain	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	E1
BNPP Global Senior Corporate Loans	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
BNPP Money 3M	France								S3
Cardimmo	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
Naflo Fonds Ampère 1	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
Odysée SCI	France	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
Proflera Monde Equilibre	France								S4
Société Immobilière du Royal Building SA	Luxembourg	Full	(2)	-	-	Full	(2)	-	-
Theam Quant Equity Europe Guru	France					S2	Full	(2)	-
Wealth Management									
B'Capital	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
Bank Insinger de Beaufort NV	Netherlands					S2	Full		63.0%
Bank Insinger de Beaufort NV (UK branch)	UK					S2	Full		100.0%
BNPP Espana SA	Spain	Full		99.7%	99.7%	Full		99.7%	99.7%
BNPP Wealth Management	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%	S4	Full	(1)	100.0%
BNPP Wealth Management (Hong Kong branch)	Hong Kong					S4	Full	(1)	100.0%
BNPP Wealth Management (Singapore branch)	Singapore					S4	Full	(1)	100.0%
BNPP Wealth Management Monaco	Monaco	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
Conseil Investissement SNC	France	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%
Investment Partners									
Alfred Berg Asset Management AB	Sweden	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Asset Management AB (Denmark branch)	Denmark					S1	Full		100.0%
Alfred Berg Asset Management AB (Finland branch)	Finland	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Asset Management AB (Norway branch)	Norway	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Fonder AB	Sweden	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Kapitalforvalning AB	Sweden	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Kapitalforvalning AS	Norway	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Kapitalforvalning Finland AB	Finland	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Alfred Berg Rahastyhio Oy	Finland	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Bancoestado Administradora General de Fondos SA	Chile	Equity		50.0%	49.1%	Equity		50.0%	49.1%
BNPP Asset Management Brasil Ltda	Brazil	Full		100.0%	99.6%	Full		100.0%	99.6%
BNPP Asset Management Inc	USA								S4
BNPP Asset Management India Private Ltd	India	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Asset Management SAS	France	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Asset Management SAS (Austria branch)	Austria	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Capital Partners	France	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%	Equity *		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Investment Partners	France	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners (Australia) Holdings Pty Ltd	Australia	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners (Australia) Ltd	Australia	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Argentina SA	Argentina	Equity *		100.0%	99.6%	Equity *		100.0%	99.6%
BNPP Investment Partners Asia Ltd	Hong Kong	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners BE Holding	Belgium	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Belgium	Belgium	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Belgium (Germany branch)	Germany	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Funds Nederland NV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Japan Ltd	Japan	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Latam SA	Mexico	Equity *		99.1%	97.4%	Equity *		99.1%	97.4%
BNPP Investment Partners Luxembourg	Luxembourg	Full		99.7%	98.0%	Full		99.7%	98.0%
BNPP Investment Partners Netherlands NV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners NL Holding NV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners PT	Indonesia	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%

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BNPP Investment Partners Singapore Ltd	Singapore	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners Societe di Gestione del Risparmio SPA	Italy	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	V4
BNPP Investment Partners UK Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
BNPP Investment Partners USA Holdings Inc	USA	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
CamGeston	France	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
Fischer Francois Trees & Wats Inc	USA	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
Fischer Francois Trees & Wats UK Ltd	UK					S3	Equity *		100.0%
Fund Channel	Luxembourg	Equity		50.0%	49.1%	Equity		50.0%	49.1%
FundQuest Advisor	France	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%
FundQuest Advisor (UK branch)	UK	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%	Equity *		100.0%	98.3%
Halting - Foris Private Equity Fund Management Co Ltd	China	Equity		33.0%	32.4%	Equity		33.0%	32.4%
HFT Investment Management Co Ltd	China	Equity		49.0%	48.2%	Equity		49.0%	48.2%
Shrihan BNPP Asset Management Co Ltd	Rep. of Korea	Equity		35.0%	34.4%	Equity		35.0%	34.4%
THEAM	France	Full		100.0%	98.3%	Full		100.0%	98.3%
TKB BNPP Investment Partners Holding BV	Netherlands								S2
Real Estate Services									
Alsevel Netherlands BV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
Auguste-Thouard Expertise	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Promotion Immobilier d'Entreprise	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Promotion Residential	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Residences Services	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Residential	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Residential Service Clients	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Residential Transaction & Conseil	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Immobilier Residential V2	France								S4
BNPP Real Estate	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate (Dubai branch)	United Arab Emirates	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management Czech Republic SRO	Czech Republic	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management Hungary Ltd	Hungary	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management Ireland Ltd	Ireland	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management LLC	United Arab Emi								S3
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management Luxembourg SA	Luxembourg	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory & Property Management UK Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory Belgium SA	Belgium	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory Italy SPA	Italy	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory Netherlands BV	Netherlands	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory SA	Romania	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Advisory Spain SA	Spain	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Consult France	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Consult GmbH	Germany	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Facilities Management Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Financial Partner	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate GmbH	Germany	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Holding Benelux SA	Belgium	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Holding GmbH	Germany	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Hotels France	France	Full		100.0%	96.3%	V4	Full		96.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Belgium	Belgium	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management France	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	V1	Full		96.8%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Germany GmbH	Germany	Full		94.9%	94.9%	Full		94.9%	94.9%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Germany GmbH (Italy branch)	Italy	Full		100.0%	94.9%	Full		100.0%	94.9%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Germany GmbH (Spain branch)	Spain	Full		100.0%	94.9%	Full		100.0%	94.9%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Italy	Italy	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Luxembourg SA	Luxembourg	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management Spain SA	Spain	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Management UK Ltd	UK	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Investment Services	France	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Italy SRL	Italy	Full		100.0%	100.0%	Full		100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Real Estate Jersey Ltd</									

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Immobiliere des Bergues	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Lochi SRL	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E1
Muñier Hispania	Spain				S1	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Parker Tower Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3
Parlier & Services	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Pyrotech GB 1 SA	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Pyrotech SARL	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
REPD Parker Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2
San Basilio 45 SRL	Italy				S2	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Siège Issy	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Sviluppo Residenziale Italia SRL	Italy	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Via Crespi 26 SRL	Italy								S2
Corporate & Institutional Banking									
Securities services									
BNPP Dealing Services	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Dealing Services (UK branch)	UK	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Dealing Services Asia Ltd	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Fund Administration Services Ireland Ltd	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E3
BNPP Fund Services Australasia Pty Ltd	Australia	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	D1
BNPP Fund Services Australasia Pty Ltd (New Zealand branch)	New Zealand	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	D1
BNPP Fund Services Dublin Ltd	Ireland								S4
BNPP Fund Services France	France				S4	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Global Securities Operations Private Ltd (Ex-BNPP Sundaram Global Securities Operations Private Ltd)	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	V1
BNPP Securities Services	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Australia branch)	Australia	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Belgium branch)	Belgium	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Germany branch)	Germany	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Greece branch)	Greece	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Guamsey branch)	Guamsey	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Hong Kong branch)	Hong Kong	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Hungary branch)	Hungary	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Ireland branch)	Ireland	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Italy branch)	Italy	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Jersey branch)	Jersey	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Luxembourg branch)	Luxembourg	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Netherlands branch)	Netherlands	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Poland branch)	Poland	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Portugal branch)	Portugal	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Singapore branch)	Singapore	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Spain branch)	Spain	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (Switzerland branch)	Switzerland	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Services (UK branch)	UK	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
CIB EMEA (Europ, Middle East, Africa)									
France									
BNPP Arbitrage	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Arbitrage (UK branch)	UK	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Esomet	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Lafite Participation 22	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Opéra Trading Capital	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2
Opéra Trading Capital (Hong Kong branch)	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2
Opéra Trading Capital (UK branch)	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	E2
Parifaxes	France	Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%		Full (1)	100.0%	100.0%	
Talbot Participation 3 SNC	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Verner Investments	France	Equity	40.0%	50.0%		Equity	40.0%	50.0%	
Structured Entities									
Anin Participation 8	France				S4	Full	-	-	
Atargals	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Austin Finance	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP Flexi III Deposit Euro	France								S2
Compagnie d'investissement Italiens	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Compagnie d'investissement Opéra	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Financière des Italiens	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Financière Paris Haussmann	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Financière Talbot	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Méditerranée	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Ogilchamps	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Participations Opéra	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Other European countries									
Alpha Murcia Holding BV	Netherlands	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%		Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	
BNP PUK Holding Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Arbitrage Issuance BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Bank JSC	Russia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Commodity Futures Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Emission-und Handel GmbH	Germany	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Ireland Unlimited Company (Ex-BNPP Ireland)	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Islamic Issuance BV	Netherlands	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Net Ltd	UK	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Prime Brokerage Internacional Ltd	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP UK Holdings Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	

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BNPP UK Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Varyty Reinsurance Ltd	Ireland	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	D1
F Schoen	Belgium	Equity *	50.0%	50.0%		Equity *	50.0%	50.0%	
GreenSars BNPP	Luxembourg	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Harewood Holdings Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Hime Holding 1 SA	Luxembourg								S3
Hime Holding 2 SA	Luxembourg								S3
Hime Holding 3 SA	Luxembourg								S3
Landscape Ltd	UK	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
SC Nueva Condo Murcia SL	Spain	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%		Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	
Ulxam Logistics Ltd	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Ulxam Solutions Ltd	Ireland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Structured Entities									
54 Lombard Street Investments Ltd	UK								S1
Aledra Finance PLC	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Alleyry SARL	Luxembourg				S1	Full	-	-	
Aquarius + Investments PLC	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP International Finance Dublin	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP Investments N°1 Ltd	UK	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP Investments N°2 Ltd	UK	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP IP Euro Co 2015-1 BV	Netherlands	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	S3
Boag BV (UK branch)	UK	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	V1
Boag BV	UK	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Crossan SARL	Luxembourg				S3	Full	-	-	
European Index Assets BV	Netherlands					Full	-	-	S2
Harewood Financing Ltd	UK				S3	Full	-	-	
Madison Arter Ltd	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Matchpoint Finance Public Company Ltd	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Omega Capital Funding Ltd	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Omega Capital Investments PLC	Ireland	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Royale Neuve 1 SARL	Luxembourg				S1	Full	-	-	
Scaldis Capital (Ireland) Ltd	Ireland				S3	Full	-	-	
Scaldis Capital Ltd	Jersey	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Middle East									
BNPP Investment Company KSA	Saudi Arabia	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
Africa									
BNPP Securities South Africa Holdings PTY Ltd	South Africa	Equity *	60.0%	60.0%		Equity *	60.0%	60.0%	
BNPP Securities South Africa PTY Ltd	South Africa	Equity *	100.0%	60.0%		Equity *	100.0%	60.0%	V1
CIB Americas									
Banco BNPP Brasil SA	Brazil	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Banexi Holding Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP (Canada) Valeurs Mobilières	Canada	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Capital Services Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP CC Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Colombia Corporation Financiera SA	Colombia	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Energy Trading Canada Corp	Canada				S3	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Energy Trading GP	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Energy Trading Holdings Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Energy Trading LLC	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP FS LLC	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP IT Solutions Canada Inc	Canada	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	E1
BNPP Leasing Corporation	USA	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		D1	Full	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP Mortgage Corp	USA				S4	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP North America Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Prime Brokerage Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP RCC Inc	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Corp	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP USA Inc (Ex-Paribas North America Inc)	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Corporation BNPP Canada (Ex-BNPP Canada)	Canada	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Cronos Holding Company Ltd	Bermuda								S3
FB Transportation Capital LLC	USA				S1	Full	100.0%	99.9%	
Forts Funding LLC	USA				S3	Full	100.0%	99.9%	
French American Banking Corporation	USA	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
FSI Holdings Inc	USA	Full							

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BNPP VFG Pacex LLC (Ex- BNPP VFG CB LLC)	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP VFG PCMC LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP VFG SBX Holdings LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP VFG SDI Media Holdings LLC	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
BNPP VFG Titan Outdoor LLC	USA								S1
Marc Finance Ltd	Cayman Islands								S3
Matchpoint Master Trust	USA				S1	Full	-	-	
Ozcar Multi-Strategies LLC	USA	Equity *	-	-	E1				
Scalds Capital LLC	USA								S1
Starbird Funding Corporation	USA	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
TCG Fund I LP	Cayman Islands								S1
Tender Option Bond Municipal program	USA								S3
VPG SDI Media LLC	USA	Equity *	-	-		Equity *	-	-	V1
CIB Pacific Asia									
Bank BNPP Indonesia PT	Indonesia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNP Pacific (Australia) Ltd	Australia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP (China) Ltd	China	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Arbitrage (Hong Kong) Ltd	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Capital (Asia Pacific) Ltd	Hong Kong								S3
BNPP Commodities Trading (Shanghai) Co Ltd	China	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Finance (Hong Kong) Ltd	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP India Holding Private Ltd	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP India Solutions Private Ltd	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Malaysia Berhad	Malaysia	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities (Asia) Ltd	Hong Kong	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Singapore	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities (Taiwan) Co Ltd	Taiwan	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities India Private Ltd	India	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Indonesia PT	Indonesia	Full	99.0%	99.0%		Full	99.0%	99.0%	
BNPP Securities Japan Ltd	Japan	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Securities Korea Company Ltd	Rep. of Korea	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP SJ Ltd	Hong Kong	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP SJ Ltd (Japan branch)	Japan	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%		Equity *	100.0%	100.0%	
BPP Holdings Pte Ltd	Singapore	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Structured Entities									
ACG Capital Partners Singapore Pte Ltd	Singapore								S2
Other Business Units									
BNPP Suisse SA	Switzerland	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Suisse SA (Guernsey branch)	Guernsey	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Suisse SA (Jersey branch)	Jersey				S1	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Private Equity (BNP Paribas Capital)									
BNPP Fortis Private Equity Belgium	Belgium	Full	100.0%	99.9%		Full	100.0%	99.9%	
BNPP Fortis Private Equity Expansion	Belgium	Full	100.0%	99.9%		Full	100.0%	99.9%	
BNPP Fortis Private Equity Management	Belgium	Equity *	100.0%	99.9%		Equity *	100.0%	99.9%	
Cobema	Belgium	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Compagnie Financière Ottomane SA	Luxembourg	Full	97.2%	97.2%	V1	Full	97.1%	97.0%	V1
Property companies (property used in operations)									
AnIn Participation 5	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Société Immobilière du Marché Saint-Honoré	France	Full	99.9%	99.9%		Full	99.9%	99.9%	
Investment companies and other subsidiaries									
BNPP Home Loan SFH	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	100.0%	100.0%	
BNPP Méditerranée Innovation et Technologies	Morocco								S2
BNPP Partners for Innovation	France	Equity	50.0%	50.0%		Equity	50.0%	50.0%	
BNPP Public Sector SCF	France	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(1)	100.0%	100.0%
BNPP SB Re	Luxembourg	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%
Compagnie d'Investissements de Paris	France								S4
Financière BNPP	France								S4
Financière du Marché Saint-Honoré	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
GIE Groupement Auxiliaire de Moyens	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Le Sphinx Assurances Luxembourg SA	Luxembourg	Full	(2)	100.0%	100.0%	D1	Equity *	100.0%	100.0%
Lion International Investments SA (Ex- BNL International Investments SA)	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Plagelin SA	Luxembourg	Full	100.0%	65.9%		Full	100.0%	65.9%	
Sagip	Belgium	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Société Auxiliaire de Construction Immobilière	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Société Orbaisienne de Participations	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
UCB Bail 2	France	Full	100.0%	100.0%		Full	100.0%	100.0%	
Structured Entities									
BNPP B Institutional II Court Terme	Belgium	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	E1
BNPP US Medium Term Notes Program LLC	USA				S3	Full	-	-	
BNPP-SME-1	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
FCT Laflie 2016	France	Full	-	-	E2				
FCT Opéra	France	Full	-	-		Full	-	-	
Klépierre									
Klépierre SA	France								S2

Changes in the scope of consolidation
New entries (E) in the scope of consolidation

- E1 Passing qualifying thresholds as defined by the Group (see note 1.b)
 E2 Incorporation
 E3 Purchase, gain of control or significant influence

Removals (S) from the scope of consolidation

- S1 Cessation of activity (dissolution, liquidation, ...)
 S2 Disposal, loss of control or loss of significant influence
 S3 Passing qualifying thresholds as defined by the Group (see note 1.b)
 S4 Merger, Universal transfer of assets and liabilities

Variance (V) in voting or ownership interest

- V1 Additional purchase
 V2 Partial disposal
 V3 Dilution
 V4 Increase in %

Equity * Controlled but non material entities consolidated under the equity method as associates

Miscellaneous

- D1 Consolidation method change not related to fluctuation in voting or ownership interest

Prudential scope of consolidation

- (1) French subsidiaries whose supervision of prudential requirements is complied with through the supervision on a consolidated basis of BNP Paribas SA, in with article 7.1 of Regulation n°575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council.
 (2) Insurance entities consolidated under the equity method for prudential purposes
 (3) Jointly controlled entities under proportional consolidation for prudential purposes.

7.k FEES PAID TO THE STATUTORY AUDITORS

In 2016	Deloitte		PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit		Mazars		TOTAL	
Excluding tax, in thousands of euros	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Audit								
Statutory audits and contractual audits, including								
- Issuer	3,233	16%	5,185	23%	1,969	18%	10,387	19%
- Consolidated subsidiaries	10,375	49%	11,033	49%	8,382	77%	29,790	55%
Other reviews and services directly related to the statutory audit engagement, including ⁽¹⁾								
- Issuer	3,131	15%	1,311	6%	16	0%	4,458	8%
- Consolidated subsidiaries	1,900	9%	4,199	18%	574	5%	6,673	12%
Sub-total	18,639	89%	21,728	96%	10,941	100%	51,308	94%
Other services provided by the networks to fully-consolidated subsidiaries								
Legal, tax, social		0%	70	0%		0%	70	0%
Others	2,379	11%	873	4%	3	0%	3,255	6%
Sub-total	2,379	11%	943	4%	3	0%	3,325	6%
TOTAL	21,018	100%	22,671	100%	10,944	100%	54,633	100%

In 2015	Deloitte		PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit		Mazars		TOTAL	
Excluding tax, in thousands of euros	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%
Audit								
Statutory audits and contractual audits, including								
- Issuer	3,254	16%	5,000	22%	1,957	19%	10,211	19%
- Consolidated subsidiaries	10,727	54%	10,036	44%	7,785	76%	28,548	53%
Other reviews and services directly related to the statutory audit engagement, including								
- Issuer	2,324	12%	2,119	9%	246	2%	4,689	9%
- Consolidated subsidiaries	2,211	11%	4,882	21%	214	2%	7,307	14%
Sub-total	18,516	93%	22,037	96%	10,202	99%	50,755	95%
Other services provided by the networks to fully-consolidated subsidiaries								
Legal, tax, social	29	0%	96	0%	2	0%	127	0%
Others	1,376	7%	1,006	4%	65	1%	2,447	5%
Sub-total	1,405	7%	1,102	4%	67	1%	2,574	5%
TOTAL	19,921	100%	23,139	100%	10,269	100%	53,329	100%

⁽¹⁾ In order to maintain comparability between the two exercises, this table displays the fees according to the typology existing before the implementation of the new audit standard of 17 June 2016. The new standard renders obsolete the distinction between «Other reviews and services directly related to the statutory audit engagement» and «Other services provided by the networks».

The audit fees paid to auditors which are not members of the network of one of the auditors certifying the consolidated financial statements and the non-consolidated financial statements of BNP Paribas SA, mentioned in the table above, amount to EUR 687 thousand for the year 2016 (EUR 934 thousand in 2015).

Other work and services related directly to audit work, are mainly composed this year of reviews of the entity's compliance with regulatory provisions, which were increased due to regulatory changes, and reviews of internal control quality by comparison with international standards (such as ISAE 3402) as part of services provided to customers, particularly in the Securities and Asset Management businesses. To a lesser extent, they also include works related to reviews of risks and internal control and due diligences on financial transactions.

BNP PARIBAS SA

**STATUTORY AUDITORS' REPORT ON
THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

For the year ended 31 December 2016

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STATUTORY AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This is a free translation into English of the Statutory Auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements issued in French and is provided solely for the convenience of English speaking users.

The Statutory Auditors' report includes information specifically required by French law in such reports, whether modified or not. This information is presented below the audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements and includes an explanatory paragraph discussing the Auditors' assessments of certain significant accounting and auditing matters. These assessments were considered for the purpose of issuing an audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole and not to provide separate assurance on individual account balances, transactions or disclosures.

This report also includes information relating to the specific verification of information given in the Group's management report.

This report should be read in conjunction with, and construed in accordance with, French law and professional auditing standards applicable in France.

For the year ended 31 December 2016

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To the Shareholders,

In compliance with the assignment entrusted to us by your General Shareholders' Meeting, we hereby report to you, for the year ended 31 December 2016, on:

- the audit of the accompanying consolidated financial statements of BNP Paribas SA;
- the justification of our assessments;
- the specific verification required by law.

These consolidated financial statements have been approved by the Board of Directors. Our role is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit.

I - Opinion on the consolidated financial statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with professional standards applicable in France; those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures, using sampling techniques or other methods of selection, to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made, as well as the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the assets and liabilities and of the financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2016 and of the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union.

II - Justification of our assessments

In accordance with the requirements of article L.823-9 of the French Commercial Code (Code de commerce) relating to the justification of our assessments, we bring to your attention the following matters:

Impairment provisions for credit and counterparty risk

BNP Paribas SA records impairment provisions to cover the credit and counterparty risk inherent to its business as described in Notes 1.c.5, 2.g, 4.f, 4.g, 4.h and 4.q to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the control procedures applicable to identifying risk exposure, monitoring credit and counterparty risk, defining impairment testing methods and determining individual and portfolio-based impairment losses.

Measurement of financial instruments

BNP Paribas SA uses internal models and methodologies to value its positions on financial instruments which are not traded on active markets, as well as to determine certain provisions and assess whether hedging designations are appropriate. We examined the control procedures applicable to identifying inactive markets, verifying these models and determining the inputs used.

Impairment of available-for-sale assets

BNP Paribas SA recognizes impairment losses on available-for-sale assets where there is objective evidence of a prolonged or significant decline in value, as described in Notes 1.c.5, 2.d and 4.c to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the control procedures relating to the identification of such evidence, the valuations of the most significant captions, and the estimates used, where applicable, to record impairment losses.

Technical reserves of insurance companies

BNP Paribas SA recognizes technical reserves to hedge risks related to insurance contracts, as described in Notes 1.d.2, 2.e and 4.p to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the method adopted to measure these liabilities, as well as the main assumptions and inputs used.

Impairment related to goodwill

BNP Paribas SA carried out impairment tests on goodwill which led to the recording of impairment losses in 2016, as described in Notes 1.b.4 and 4.o to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the methods used to implement these tests as well as the main assumptions, inputs and estimates used, where applicable, to record impairment losses.

Deferred tax assets

BNP Paribas SA recognizes deferred tax assets during the year, notably in respect of tax loss carryforwards, as described in Notes 1.k, 2.i and 4.k to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the main estimates and assumptions used to record the deferred tax assets.

Provisions for employee benefits

BNP Paribas SA raises provisions to cover its employee benefit obligations, as described in Notes 1.h, 4.q and 6.b to the consolidated financial statements. We examined the method adopted to measure these obligations, as well as the main assumptions and inputs used.

These assessments were made as part of our audit of the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole, and therefore contributed to the opinion we formed which is expressed in the first part of this report.

III - Specific verification

As required by law and in accordance with professional standards applicable in France, we have also verified the information presented in the Group's management report. We have no matters to report as to its fair presentation and its consistency with the consolidated financial statements.

Neuilly-sur-Seine and Courbevoie, 7 March 2017

The Statutory Auditors

Deloitte & Associés

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Mazars

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AMENDMENTS TO THE SUMMARY IN RELATION TO THE BASE PROSPECTUS

The section "**SUMMARY IN RELATION TO THIS BASE PROSPECTUS**" on pages 8 to 53 of the Base Prospectus is amended as follows:

- (a) In Element B.12, the table under the heading "*In relation to BNPP:*" and immediately above the heading entitled "**Comparative Interim Financial Data for the six-month period ended 30 June 2016 – In millions of EUR**" is deleted and replaced with the following:

Comparative Annual Financial Data - In millions of EUR		
	31/12/2016 (audited)	31/12/2015 (audited)
Revenues	43,411	42,938
Cost of risk	(3,262)	(3,797)
Net income, Group share	7,702	6,694
	31/12/2016	31/12/2015
Common equity Tier 1 ratio (Basel 3 fully loaded, CRD4)	11.5%	10.9%
	31/12/2016 (audited)	31/12/2015 (audited)
Total consolidated balance sheet	2,076,959	1,994,193
Consolidated loans and receivables due from customers	712,233	682,497
Consolidated items due to customers	765,953	700,309
Shareholders' equity (Group share)	100,665	96,269

- (b) In Element B.12, the two tables under the heading "*In relation to BNPP:*" and immediately above the heading "*Statements of no significant or material adverse change*" entitled "**Comparative Interim Financial Data for the six-month period ended 30 June 2016 – In millions of EUR**" and "**Comparative Interim Financial Data for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2016 – In millions of EUR**" are deleted.
- (c) In Element B.12, under the heading "*Statements of no significant or material adverse change*" the paragraph below the sub-heading "*In relation to BNPP:*" is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"There has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of the BNPP Group since 31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published). There has been no material adverse change in the prospects of BNPP or the BNPP Group since 31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published)."

- (d) Element B.13 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

B.13	Events impacting the Issuer's solvency	<p>Not applicable, as at 7 October 2016 (in the case of BNPP B.V.) and as at 14 March 2017 (in the case of BNPP) and to the best of the relevant Issuers' knowledge, there have not been any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the relevant Issuer's solvency since 30 June 2016 (in the case of BNPP B.V.) or 31 December 2016 (in the case of BNPP).</p> <p><i>Issue Specific Summary</i></p> <p>[Not applicable, as at [insert in the case of BNPP B.V.: 7 October 2016]/[insert in the case of BNPP: 14 March 2017] and to the best of the Issuer's knowledge there have not been any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the Issuer's solvency since [insert in the case of BNPP B.V.: 30 June 2016]/[insert in the case of BNPP: 31 December 2016].[specify any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the Issuer's solvency].</p>
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- (e) In Element B.19/B.12, the table under the words "Selected historical key financial information in relation to the Guarantor:" and immediately above the table entitled "**Comparative Interim Financial Data for the six-month period ended 30 June 2016 – In millions of EUR**" is deleted and replaced with the following:

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(g) In Element B.19/B.12, the paragraphs under the heading "*Statements of no significant or material adverse change*" are deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

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Issue Specific Summary

There has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of the BNPP Group since [31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published)]. There has been no material adverse change in the prospects of BNPP or the BNPP Group since [31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published)]."

(h) Element B19/B.13 is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

B.19/B.13	Events impacting the Guarantor's solvency	<p>Not applicable, as at 14 March 2017 and to the best of the Guarantor's knowledge, there have not been any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the Guarantor's solvency since 31 December 2016.</p> <p><i>Issue Specific Summary</i></p> <p>[Not applicable, as at 14 March 2017 and to the best of the Guarantor's knowledge there have not been any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the Guarantor's solvency since [31 December 2016]].</p> <p>[specify any recent events which are to a material extent relevant to the evaluation of the Guarantor's solvency.]</p>
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(i) In Element D.2, the paragraphs below the sub-heading "***In respect of BNPP:***" and immediately above the heading "***Issue Specific Summary***" are deleted and replaced with the following:

"There are certain factors that may affect BNPP's ability to fulfil its obligations under the Securities issued under this Base Prospectus and, if applicable, the Guarantor's obligations under the Guarantees.

As defined in BNPP's 2015 Registration Document and Annual Financial Report, eleven main categories of risk are inherent in BNPP's activities:

- (1) *Credit Risk* - Credit risk is the potential that a bank borrower or counterparty will fail to meet its obligations in accordance with agreed terms. The probability of default and the expected recovery on the loan or receivable in the event of default are key components of the credit

quality assessment;

- (2) *Counterparty Credit Risk* - Counterparty credit risk is the credit risk embedded in payment or transactions between counterparties. Those transactions include bilateral contracts such as over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives contracts which potentially expose the Bank to the risk of counterparty default, as well as contracts settled through clearing houses. The amount of this risk may vary over time in line with changing market parameters which then impacts the replacement value of the relevant transactions or portfolio;
- (3) *Securitisation* - Securitisation means a transaction or scheme, whereby the credit risk associated with an exposure or pool of exposures is tranching, having the following characteristics:
- payments made in the transaction or scheme are dependent upon the performance of the exposure or pool of exposures;
 - the subordination of tranches determines the distribution of losses during the life of the risk transfer.

Any commitment (including derivatives and liquidity lines) granted to a securitisation operation must be treated as a securitisation exposure. Most of these commitments are held in the prudential banking book;

- (4) *Market Risk* - Market risk is the risk of incurring a loss of value due to adverse trends in market prices or parameters, whether directly observable or not.

Observable market parameters include, but are not limited to, exchange rates, prices of securities and commodities (whether listed or obtained by reference to a similar asset), prices of derivatives, and other parameters that can be directly inferred from them, such as interest rates, credit spreads, volatilities and implied correlations or other similar parameters.

Non-observable factors are those based on working assumptions such as parameters contained in models or based on statistical or economic analyses, non-ascertainable in the market.

In fixed income trading books, credit instruments are valued on the basis of bond yields and credit spreads, which represent market parameters in the same way as interest rates or foreign exchange rates. The credit risk arising on the issuer of the debt instrument is therefore a component of market risk known as issuer risk.

Liquidity is an important component of market risk. In times of limited or no liquidity, instruments or goods may not be tradable or may not be tradable at their estimated value. This may arise, for example, due to low transaction volumes, legal restrictions or a strong imbalance between demand and supply for certain assets.

The market risk related to banking activities encompasses the risk of loss on equity holdings on the one hand, and the interest rate and foreign exchange risks stemming from banking intermediation activities on the other hand;

- (5) *Operational Risk* - Operational risk is the risk of incurring a loss due to inadequate or failed internal processes, or due to external events, whether deliberate, accidental or natural occurrences. Management of operational risk is based on an analysis of the "cause – event – effect" chain.

Internal processes giving rise to operational risk may involve employees and/or IT systems.

External events include, but are not limited to floods, fire, earthquakes and terrorist attacks. Credit or market events such as default or fluctuations in value do not fall within the scope of operational risk.

Operational risk encompasses fraud, human resources risks, legal risks, non-compliance risks, tax risks, information system risks, conduct risks (risks related to the provision of inappropriate financial services), risk related to failures in operating processes, including loan procedures or model risks, as well as any potential financial implications resulting from the management of reputation risks;

- (6) *Compliance and Reputation Risk* - Compliance risk as defined in French regulations as the risk of legal, administrative or disciplinary sanctions, of significant financial loss or reputational damage that a bank may suffer as a result of failure to comply with national or European laws and regulations, codes of conduct and standards of good practice applicable to banking and financial activities, or instructions given by an executive body, particularly in application of guidelines issued by a supervisory body.

By definition, this risk is a sub-category of operational risk. However, as certain implications of compliance risk involve more than a purely financial loss and may actually damage the institution's reputation, the Bank treats compliance risk separately.

Reputation risk is the risk of damaging the trust placed in a corporation by its customers, counterparties, suppliers, employees, shareholders, supervisors and any other stakeholder whose trust is an essential condition for the corporation to carry out its day-to-day operations.

Reputation risk is primarily contingent on all the other risks borne by the Bank;

- (7) *Concentration Risk* - Concentration risk and its corollary, diversification effects, are embedded within each risk, especially for credit, market and operational risks using the correlation parameters taken into account by the corresponding risk models.

It is assessed at consolidated Group level and at financial conglomerate level;

- (8) *Banking Book Interest Rate Risk* - Banking book interest rate risk is the risk of incurring losses as a result of mismatches in interest rates, maturities and nature between assets and liabilities. For banking activities, this risk arises in non-trading portfolios and primarily relates to global interest rate risk;

- (9) *Strategic and Business Risks* - Strategic risk is the risk that the Bank's share price may fall because of its strategic decisions.

Business risk is the risk of incurring an operating loss due to a change in the economic environment leading to a decline in revenue coupled with insufficient cost-elasticity.

These two types of risk are monitored by the Board of directors;

- (10) *Liquidity Risk* - In accordance with regulations, the liquidity risk is defined as the risk that a bank will be unable to honour its commitments or unwind or settle a position due to the situation on the market or idiosyncratic factors, within a given time frame and at a reasonable price or cost; and

- (11) *Insurance Subscription Risk* - Insurance subscription risk corresponds to the risk of a financial loss caused by an adverse trend in insurance claims. Depending on the type of insurance business (life, personal risk or annuities), this risk may be statistical, macroeconomic or

behavioural, or may be related to public health issues or natural disasters. It is not the main risk factor arising in the life insurance business, where financial risks are predominant.

- (a) Difficult market and economic conditions have had and may continue to have a material adverse effect on the operating environment for financial institutions and hence on BNPP's financial condition, results of operations and cost of risk.
- (b) The United Kingdom's referendum to leave the European Union may lead to significant uncertainty, volatility and disruption in European and broader financial and economic markets and hence may adversely affect BNPP's operating environment.
- (c) Due to the geographic scope of its activities, BNPP may be vulnerable to country or regional-specific political, macroeconomic and financial environments or circumstances.
- (d) BNPP's access to and cost of funding could be adversely affected by a resurgence of financial crises, worsening economic conditions, rating downgrades, increases in credit spreads or other factors.
- (e) Significant interest rate changes could adversely affect BNPP's revenues or profitability.
- (f) The prolonged low interest rate environment carries inherent systemic risks, and an exit from such environment also carries risks.
- (g) The soundness and conduct of other financial institutions and market participants could adversely affect BNPP.
- (h) BNPP may incur significant losses on its trading and investment activities due to market fluctuations and volatility.
- (i) BNPP may generate lower revenues from brokerage and other commission and fee-based businesses during market downturns.
- (j) Protracted market declines can reduce liquidity in the markets, making it harder to sell assets and possibly leading to material losses.
- (k) Laws and regulations adopted in recent years, particularly in response to the global financial crisis may materially impact BNPP and the financial and economic environment in which it operates.
- (l) BNPP is subject to extensive and evolving regulatory regimes in the jurisdictions in which it operates.
- (m) BNPP may incur substantial fines and other administrative and criminal penalties for non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and may also incur losses in related (or unrelated) litigation with private parties.
- (n) There are risks related to the implementation of BNPP's strategic plans.
- (o) BNPP may experience difficulties integrating acquired companies and may be unable to realize the benefits expected from its acquisitions.
- (p) Intense competition by banking and non-banking operators could adversely affect BNPP's revenues and profitability.
- (q) A substantial increase in new provisions or a shortfall in the level of previously recorded

provisions could adversely affect BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

- (r) BNPP's risk management policies, procedures and methods may leave it exposed to unidentified or unanticipated risks, which could lead to material losses.
- (s) BNPP's hedging strategies may not prevent losses.
- (t) Adjustments to the carrying value of BNPP's securities and derivatives portfolios and BNPP's own debt could have an impact on its net income and shareholders' equity.
- (u) The expected changes in accounting principles relating to financial instruments may have an impact on BNPP's balance sheet and regulatory capital ratios and result in additional costs.
- (v) BNPP's competitive position could be harmed if its reputation is damaged.
- (w) An interruption in or a breach of BNPP's information systems may result in material losses of client or customer information, damage to BNPP's reputation and lead to financial losses.
- (x) Unforeseen external events may disrupt BNPP's operations and cause substantial losses and additional costs."

AMENDMENTS TO THE RISK FACTORS

The risk factor entitled "Risks Relating to BNPP and its Industry" on page 54 of the Base Prospectus is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"Risks Relating to BNPP and its Industry"

This section summarises the principal risks that BNPP currently considers itself to face. They are presented in the following categories: risks related to the macroeconomic and market environment, regulatory risks and risks related to BNPP, its strategy, management and operations.

Risks Related To The Macroeconomic And Market Environment

Difficult market and economic conditions have had and may continue to have a material adverse effect on the operating environment for financial institutions and hence on BNPP's financial condition, results of operations and cost of risk.

BNPP's businesses are highly sensitive to changes in financial markets and economic conditions globally and especially in Europe. In recent years, BNPP has been, and may again in the future be, confronted with a significant deterioration of market and economic conditions resulting, among other things, from crises affecting sovereign debt, capital markets, the availability of credit or liquidity, regional or global recessions, sharp fluctuations in commodity prices, currency exchange rates or interest rates, volatility in prices of financial derivatives, inflation or deflation, counterparty restructurings or defaults, corporate or sovereign debt rating downgrades or adverse political and geopolitical events (such as natural disasters, pandemics, societal unrest, geopolitical tensions, acts of terrorism and military conflicts). Such disruptions, which may develop quickly and hence not be fully hedged, could affect the operating environment for financial institutions for short or extended periods and have a material adverse effect on BNPP's financial condition, results of operations or cost of risk. In 2017, the macroeconomic environment could be subject to various specific risks, including geopolitical tensions, political transitions and elections in certain countries creating uncertainties and potentially sharp changes, financial market volatility, slowdowns in certain emerging markets, weak growth in the euro zone, fluctuations in commodity prices and changes in monetary policies.

Moreover, a resurgence of a sovereign debt crisis cannot be ruled out, particularly in a rising interest rate environment with increasing funding costs. In particular, European markets experienced significant disruptions in recent years as a result of concerns regarding the ability of certain countries or institutions in the euro zone to refinance their debt obligations. These disruptions have in certain periods caused tightened credit markets, increased volatility in the exchange rate of the euro against other major currencies, affected the levels of stock market indices and created uncertainty regarding the economic prospects of certain countries in the European Union as well as the quality of bank loans to sovereign debtors in the European Union. BNPP holds and in the future may hold substantial portfolios of sovereign debt and has and may in the future have substantial amounts of loans outstanding to sovereign borrowers; a new sovereign debt crisis could cause it to incur impairment charges or losses on sales. BNPP also participates in the interbank financial market and as a result, is indirectly exposed to risks relating to financial institutions with which it does business. More generally, the sovereign debt crisis had, and could again in the future have, an indirect impact on financial markets and, increasingly, economies, in Europe and worldwide, and more generally on the environment in which BNPP operates.

If economic conditions generally or in Europe in particular were to deteriorate due among other things to concerns over the European economy (in turn triggered by the heightened risk of or even the occurrence of a sovereign default, the failure of a significant financial institution or the exit of a country from the euro zone or the European Union), unforeseeable variations in oil and commodity prices and interest rates, rising inflation or significant fluctuations in foreign exchange rates (in particular rising interest rates or any strengthening of the euro), a continued or increased slowdown of economic growth in emerging countries and China in particular, terrorist attacks or political instability, the resulting market disruptions could have a significant adverse impact on the credit quality of BNPP's customers and financial institution counterparties, on market

parameters such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates and stock market indices, and on BNPP's results of operations, liquidity, ability to raise financing on acceptable terms and financial condition.

The United Kingdom's referendum to leave the European Union may lead to significant uncertainty, volatility and disruption in European and broader financial and economic markets and hence may adversely affect BNPP's operating environment.

On 23 June 2016, the United Kingdom held a referendum in which a majority of its voters opted to leave the European Union ("**Brexit**"). The referendum is non-binding, but the British Government has indicated that the United Kingdom will invoke the appropriate procedures to implement Brexit. Once it does so, it will begin negotiations to determine its relationship with the European Union going forward, including regarding trade, financial and legal arrangements. The nature, timing and economic and political effects of Brexit remain highly uncertain and will depend upon the results of future negotiations between the United Kingdom and the European Union, and hence may adversely affect BNPP's operating environment and therefore its results and financial condition.

Due to the geographic scope of its activities, BNPP may be vulnerable to country or regional-specific political, macroeconomic and financial environments or circumstances.

BNPP is exposed to country risk, meaning the risk that economic, financial, political or social conditions of a foreign country, especially a country in which it operates, will affect its financial interests. Recent examples of such country risk include security concerns and political changes in Turkey following the attempted coup in July 2016, and political uncertainty in Italy following the rejection in December 2016 of the referendum on constitutional reform and the resulting change in government. Upcoming elections in France, Germany and The Netherlands in 2017 may also contribute to an environment of political uncertainty. BNPP monitors country risk and takes it into account in the fair value adjustments and cost of risk recorded in its financial statements. However, a significant change in political or macroeconomic environments may require it to record additional charges or to incur losses beyond the amounts previously written down in its financial statements. Moreover, factors specific to a particular country or region in which BNPP operates could create difficult operating conditions, leading to operating losses or asset impairments.

BNPP's access to and cost of funding could be adversely affected by a resurgence of financial crises, worsening economic conditions, rating downgrades, increases in credit spreads or other factors.

The financial crisis, the euro zone sovereign debt crisis as well as the general macroeconomic environment have at times adversely affected the availability and cost of funding for European banks in recent years. This was due to several factors, including a sharp increase in the perception of bank credit risk due to their exposure to sovereign debt in particular, credit rating downgrades of sovereigns and of banks, and debt market speculation. Many European banks, including BNPP, at various points experienced restricted access to wholesale debt markets and to the interbank market, as well as a general increase in their cost of funding. Accordingly, reliance on direct borrowing from the ECB at times increased substantially. If such adverse credit market conditions were to reappear in the event of prolonged stagnation of growth, deflation, resurgence of the financial crisis, the sovereign debt crisis or new forms of financial crises, factors relating to the financial industry in general or to BNPP in particular, the effect on the liquidity of the European financial sector in general and BNPP in particular could be materially adverse and have a negative impact on BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

Downgrades in the credit ratings of France or of BNPP may increase BNPP's borrowing cost.

BNPP's cost of obtaining long-term unsecured funding from market investors is also directly related to its credit spreads, which in turn depend to a certain extent on its credit ratings. Increases in credit spreads can significantly increase BNPP's cost of funding. Changes in credit spreads are continuous, market-driven, and subject at times to unpredictable and highly volatile movements. Credit spreads are also influenced by market perceptions of creditworthiness of BNPP.

Significant interest rate changes could adversely affect BNPP's revenues or profitability.

The amount of net interest income earned by BNPP during any given period significantly affects its overall revenues and profitability for that period. Interest rates are affected by many factors beyond BNPP's control, such as the level of inflation and the monetary policies of states, and government decisions relating to regulated savings rates. Changes in market interest rates could affect the interest rates charged on interest-earning assets differently than the interest rates paid on interest-bearing liabilities. Any adverse change in the yield curve could cause a decline in BNPP's net interest income from its lending activities. In addition, maturity mismatches and interest rates rises relating to BNPP's short-term financing may adversely affect BNPP's profitability.

The prolonged low interest rate environment carries inherent systemic risks, and an exit from such environment also carries risks.

Since the 2008-2009 financial crisis, global markets have been characterized by periods of prolonged low interest rates. During such periods, interest rate spreads tend to tighten, and BNPP may be unable to lower interest rates on deposits sufficiently to offset reduced income from lending at lower interest rates. In addition, BNPP is facing an increase in early repayment and refinancing of mortgages and other fixed-rate consumer and corporate loans as clients take advantage of lower borrowing costs. This, along with the issuance of new loans at the low prevailing market interest rates, could result in an overall decrease in the average interest rate of BNPP's portfolio of loans thereby causing a decline in BNPP's net interest income from its lending activities. Moreover, an environment of persistently low interest rates can also have the effect of flattening the yield curve in the market more generally, which could reduce the premium generated by BNPP from its funding activities. Additionally, the prolonged period of low interest rates may have contributed to, and may continue to contribute to, excessive risk-taking by financial market participants such as lengthening maturities of financings and assets held, more lenient lending standards and increased leveraged lending. Certain of the market participants that may have taken or may take additional or excessive risk are of systemic importance, and any unwinding of their positions during periods of market turbulence or stress (and hence reduced liquidity) could have a destabilizing effect on markets and could lead BNPP to record operating losses or asset impairments.

Furthermore, to the extent that central banks, particularly in the United States and the United Kingdom, are expected to increase interest rates in 2017, any sharper than expected change could cause stress in loan portfolios and BNPP's underwriting activity, particularly in relation to non-investment grade lending, possibly leading to an increase in BNPP's cost of risk. In a rising interest rate environment, should BNPP's hedging strategies prove ineffective or provide only a partial hedge, BNPP could incur losses due to higher refinancing costs. More generally, increasing interest rates weigh on consumer debt affordability and corporate profitability and hence potentially on economic growth and our revenues.

The soundness and conduct of other financial institutions and market participants could adversely affect BNPP.

BNPP's ability to engage in financing, investment and derivative transactions could be adversely affected by the soundness of other financial institutions or market participants. Financial institutions are interrelated as a result of trading, clearing, counterparty, funding or other relationships. As a result, defaults, or even rumours or questions about, one or more financial services institutions, or the financial services industry generally, may lead to market-wide liquidity problems and could lead to further losses or defaults. BNPP has exposure to many counterparties in the financial industry, directly and indirectly, including clearing houses, brokers and dealers, commercial banks, investment banks, mutual and alternative investment funds, and other institutional clients with which it regularly executes transactions. BNPP can also be exposed to the risks related to the increasing involvement in the financial sector of players subject to little or no regulations (unregulated funds, trading venues or crowdfunding platforms). BNPP is exposed to credit and counterparty risk in the event of default or financial distress of BNPP's counterparties or clients. This risk could be exacerbated if the collateral held by BNPP cannot be realised upon or is liquidated at prices not sufficient to recover the full amount of the loan or derivative exposure due to BNPP or in case of a failure of a significant financial market participant

such as a central counterparty. It is worth noting in this respect that regulatory changes requiring mandatory clearing of standardized over-the-counter ("OTC") derivatives through central counterparties have resulted in an increase of the exposure of financial market participants to such central counterparties.

In addition, fraud or misconduct by financial market participants can have a material adverse effect on financial institutions due in particular to the interrelated nature of the financial markets. An example is the fraud perpetrated by Bernard Madoff that came to light in 2008, as a result of which numerous financial institutions globally, including BNPP, announced losses or exposure to losses in substantial amounts. Potentially significant additional potential exposure is also possible in the form of litigation and claims in the context of the bankruptcy proceedings of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Services ("BLMIS") (a number of which are pending against BNPP), and other potential claims relating to counterparty or client investments made, directly or indirectly, in BLMIS or other entities controlled by Bernard Madoff, or to the receipt of investment proceeds from BLMIS.

There can be no assurance that any losses resulting from the risks summarised above will not materially and adversely affect BNPP's results of operations.

BNPP may incur significant losses on its trading and investment activities due to market fluctuations and volatility.

BNPP maintains trading and investment positions in the debt, currency, commodity and equity markets, and in unlisted securities, real estate and other asset classes, including through derivative contracts. These positions could be adversely affected by extreme volatility in these markets, i.e., the degree to which prices fluctuate over a particular period in a particular market, regardless of market levels. Moreover, volatility trends that prove substantially different from BNPP's expectations may lead to losses relating to a broad range of other products that BNPP uses, including swaps, forward and future contracts, options and structured products.

To the extent that BNPP owns assets, or has net long positions, in any of those markets, a market downturn could result in losses from a decline in the value of its positions. Conversely, to the extent that BNPP has sold assets that it does not own, or has net short positions in any of those markets, a market upturn could, in spite of the existing limitation of risks and control systems, expose it to potentially substantial losses as it attempts to cover its net short positions by acquiring assets in a rising market. BNPP may from time to time hold a long position in one asset and a short position in another, in order to hedge transactions with clients and/or from which it expects to gain based on changes in the relative value of the two assets. If, however, the relative value of the two assets changes in a direction or manner that BNPP did not anticipate or against which it is not hedged, BNPP might realise a loss on those paired positions. Such losses, if significant, could adversely affect BNPP's results and financial condition.

BNPP may generate lower revenues from brokerage and other commission and fee-based businesses during market downturns.

Financial and economic conditions affect the number and size of transactions for which BNPP provides securities underwriting, financial advisory and other investment banking services. BNPP's revenues, which include fees from these services, are directly related to the number and size of the transactions in which it participates and can thus be significantly affected by economic or financial changes that are unfavourable to its Investment Banking business and clients. In addition, because the fees that BNPP charges for managing its clients' portfolios are in many cases based on the value or performance of those portfolios, a market downturn that reduces the value of its clients' portfolios or increases the amount of withdrawals would reduce the revenues BNPP receives from its asset management, equity derivatives and private banking businesses. Independently of market changes, below-market performance by BNPP's mutual funds may result in increased withdrawals and reduced inflows, which would reduce the revenues BNPP receives from its asset management business. BNPP experienced some or all of these effects during the sharp market downturns of recent years and could experience them again in future market downturns, which may occur periodically and unexpectedly.

Protracted market declines can reduce liquidity in the markets, making it harder to sell assets and possibly leading to material losses.

In some of BNPP's businesses, protracted market movements, particularly asset price declines, can reduce the level of activity in the market or reduce market liquidity. These developments can lead to material losses if BNPP cannot close out deteriorating positions in a timely way. This is particularly true for assets that are intrinsically illiquid. Assets that are not traded on stock exchanges or other public trading markets, such as certain derivative contracts between financial institutions, may have values that BNPP calculates using models rather than publicly-quoted prices. Monitoring the deterioration of prices of assets like these is difficult and could lead to significant losses that BNPP did not anticipate.

Regulatory Risks

Laws and regulations adopted in recent years, particularly in response to the global financial crisis, may materially impact BNPP and the financial and economic environment in which it operates.

Laws and regulations have been enacted in the past few years or could be adopted, in particular in France, Europe and the United States, with a view to introducing a number of changes, some permanent, in the financial environment. The impact of the new measures has changed substantially the environment in which BNPP and other financial institutions operate. The new measures that have been or may be proposed and adopted include more stringent capital and liquidity requirements (particularly for large global banking groups such as BNPP), taxes on financial transactions, restrictions and increased taxes on employee compensation over specified levels, restrictions on certain types of activities considered as speculative undertaken by commercial banks that will be prohibited or need to be ring-fenced in subsidiaries (particularly proprietary trading), restrictions or prohibitions on certain types of financial products or activities, enhanced recovery and resolution regimes, changes to risk-weighting methodologies and the methods of using internal models that could lead to increased capital requirements, increased internal control and reporting requirements with respect to certain activities, more stringent governance and conduct of business rules, more extensive market abuse regulations, measures to improve the transparency and efficiency of financial markets and in particular to regulate high frequency trading, increased regulation of certain types of financial products including mandatory reporting of derivative and securities financing transactions, requirements either to mandatorily clear, or otherwise mitigate risks in relation to, over-the-counter derivative transactions (including through posting of collateral in respect of non-centrally cleared derivatives), and the creation of new and strengthened supervisory bodies. Most of these measures have been adopted and are already applicable to BNPP; the principal such measures are summarized below. Other similar or new measures may be proposed and adopted.

French and European Laws and regulations

In 2013 and 2014, France made significant changes to its legal and regulatory framework applicable to banking institutions. The French banking law of 26 July 2013 on the separation and regulation of banking activities (*Loi de séparation et de régulation des activités bancaires*) and the related implementing decrees and orders specified the required separation between financing operations activities and so-called "speculative" operations that have been, since 1 July 2015, conducted by ring-fenced subsidiaries subject to specific capital and liquidity requirements on a stand-alone basis. This banking law also introduced a mechanism for preventing and resolving banking crises, which is supervised by the French banking regulator ("*Autorité de Contrôle Prudentiel et de Résolution*", "**ACPR**") with expanded powers. In the event of a failure, the law provides for mechanisms such as the power to require banks to adopt structural changes, issue new securities, cancel outstanding equity or subordinated debt securities and convert subordinated debt into equity, and to require the intervention of the French Deposit Guarantee and Resolution Fund ("*Fonds de Garantie des Dépôts et de Résolution*"). The Ordinance of 20 February 2014 provided in particular for the strengthening of the governance rules within banking institutions, a reinforced and harmonised at the EU level sanctions regime, an extended scope of prudential surveillance with in particular additional prudential requirements, a harmonisation of the rules relating to the approval of credit institutions within the European Union, and an update of the rules relating to the consolidated surveillance and the exchange of information.

At the European level, many of the provisions of the EU Directive and Regulation on prudential requirements "CRD 4/CRR" dated 26 June 2013, implementing the Basel III capital requirements, took effect as of 1 January 2014 and many delegated and implementing acts provided for in the Directive and Regulation CRD 4/CRR were adopted in 2014. The prudential ratio requirements and the designation of BNPP as a systemically important financial institution increased BNPP's prudential requirements and may limit its ability to extend credit or to hold certain assets, particularly those with longer maturities. In 2011-2012, BNPP implemented an adaptation plan in anticipation of these requirements, including reducing its balance sheet and bolstering its capital. In addition, the Financial Stability Board published on 9 November 2015 the final principles and term sheet regarding total loss absorbing capacity ("**TLAC**"), which will require "G-SIBs" or "Global Systemically Important Banks" (including BNPP) to maintain a significant amount of liabilities and instruments readily available for bail-in, in addition to the Basel III capital requirements, in order to enable authorities to implement an orderly resolution that minimises impacts on financial stability, maintains the continuity of critical functions, and avoids exposing public funds to loss. Given the timing and manner of their adoption, the full impact of TLAC requirements on BNPP cannot be accurately predicted and could cause its financing costs to increase.

Regarding the European "Banking Union", the European Union adopted, in October 2013, a Single Supervisory Mechanism ("**SSM**") under the supervision of the ECB; as a consequence, since November 2014, BNPP, along with all institutions qualified as important in the euro zone, are now under the direct supervision of the ECB, with respect to prudential regulation matters entrusted to the ECB by Council Regulation dated 15 October 2013. Within the SSM, the ECB is, in particular, tasked with carrying out an annual supervisory review and evaluation process ("**SREP**") and stress tests, in connection with which it has powers to require banks to hold capital in excess of minimum capital requirements in order to address specific risks (so-called "Pillar 2" requirements), and more generally to impose additional liquidity requirements and possibly other regulatory measures. Such measures could have an adverse impact on BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

In addition to the SSM, the EU Bank Recovery and Resolution Directive of 15 May 2014 ("**BRRD**"), implemented in France by the Ordinance of 20 August 2015 strengthens the tools to prevent and resolve banking crises, in particular, in order to ensure that any losses are borne in priority by banks' creditors and shareholders and to minimize taxpayers' exposure to losses and provides for the implementation of resolution funds at the national levels.

Under the BRRD and the Ordinance of 20 August 2015, the ACPR or the Single Resolution Board (the "**SRB**"), which was established by Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 July 2014 establishing uniform rules and a uniform procedure for the resolution of credit institutions and certain investment firms in the framework of a Single Resolution Mechanism ("**SRM**") and a Single Resolution Fund ("**SRF**"), may commence resolution proceedings in respect of a banking institution, such as BNPP, with a view to ensure the continuity of critical functions, to avoid the risks of contagion and to recapitalize or restore the viability of the institution.

Resolution powers are to be implemented so that, subject to certain exceptions, losses are borne first by shareholders, then by holders of additional capital instruments qualifying as tier 1 and tier 2 (such as subordinated bonds), then by the holders of senior non preferred debt and finally by the holders of senior preferred debt in accordance with the order of their claims in normal insolvency proceedings.

Resolution authorities have broad powers to implement resolution measures with respect to institutions and groups subject to resolution proceedings, which may include (without limitation): the total or partial sale of the institution's business to a third party or a bridge institution, the separation of assets, the replacement or substitution of the institution as obligor in respect of debt instruments, the full or partial write-down of capital instruments, the dilution of capital instruments through the issuance of new equity, the full or partial write-down or conversion into equity of debt instruments, modifications to the terms of debt instruments (including altering the maturity and/or the amount of interest payable and/or imposing a temporary suspension on payments), discontinuing the listing and admission to trading of financial instruments, the dismissal of managers or the appointment of a special manager (*administrateur spécial*).

Certain powers, including the full or partial write-down of capital instruments, the dilution of capital instruments through the issuance of new equity, the full or partial write-down or conversion into equity of additional capital instruments qualifying as tier 1 and tier 2 (such as subordinated bonds), can also be exercised as a precautionary measure, outside of resolution proceedings and/or pursuant to the European Commission's State Aid framework if the institution requires exceptional public financial support.

The implementation of these tools and powers may result in significant structural changes to the relevant financial institutions and their groups (including as a result of asset or business sales or the creation of bridge institutions) and in a partial or total write-down, modification or variation of claims of shareholders and creditors.

Pursuant to the SRM, on 19 December 2014, the Council adopted the proposal for a Council implementing act to calculate the contributions of banks to the SRF, which replaces national resolution funds as from 1 January 2016 and provides for annual contributions to the SRF to be made by banks calculated on the basis of their liabilities, excluding own funds and covered deposits and adjusted for risks. Moreover, the Regulation of the European Commission dated 21 October 2014, adopted pursuant to the BRRD provides for an obligation for banks to have adequate financial resources to ensure the effective application of the resolution tools and powers by the relevant resolution authority. In this context, the resolution authorities, such as the ACPR or the SRB, determined the annual contributions that must be paid to resolution financing arrangements by each banking institution in proportion to its risk profile. As a consequence, contributions to the SRF and to resolution financing arrangements are significant for BNPP and hence weigh on its results of operations.

Moreover, the Directive of 16 April 2014 on deposit guarantee schemes, transposed into French law by the Ordinance of 20 August 2015 created national deposit guarantee schemes. Other proposals for legislative and regulatory reforms could also have an impact if they were enacted into law. Thus, a draft European Parliament Regulation dated 24 November 2015 completed such Directive of 16 April 2014 through a step plan to create a European deposit insurance scheme that will progressively cover all or part of participating national deposit guarantee schemes.

On 23 November 2016, the European Commission issued several legislative proposals proposing to amend a number of key EU banking directives and regulations, including CRD 4/CRR, BRRD and the SRM, the purpose of which is inter alia to reflect more accurately long-term funding risk and excessive leverage, increase the loss-absorption capacity of globally significant institutions, improve the treatment of market risks by increasing the risk sensitivity of the existing rules and increase convergence within the European Union in the area of insolvency law and restructuring proceedings, particularly through the introduction of a moratorium tool. These proposals remain subject to amendments by the Parliament and the Council and are scheduled to be adopted in 2019. It is not yet possible to assess the full impact of these proposals.

Furthermore, a proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 January 2014 on structural measures improving the resilience of EU credit institutions, as amended on 19 June 2015, would prohibit certain proprietary trading activities by European credit institutions that meet certain criteria (particularly as to size) and require them to conduct certain high-risk trading activities only through subsidiaries.

Finally, new regulations designed to enhance the transparency and soundness of financial markets, such as the so-called "EMIR" Regulation of 4 July 2012 on OTC derivatives, central counterparties and trade repositories and the measures adopted or to be adopted thereunder (including in relation to the Commission delegated Regulation of 4 October 2016 that specifies how margin should be calculated and exchanged in respect of non-cleared OTC derivative contracts), Regulation of 25 November 2015 on transparency of securities financing transactions and Directive and Regulation of 15 May 2014 on markets in financial instruments ("**MiFID 2**") may be a source of additional uncertainty and compliance risk and, more generally, the costs incurred due to the implementation of such regulations may have a negative impact on the profitability of certain activities currently conducted by BNPP and weigh on BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

U.S Laws and Regulations

Bank regulation in the United States has been substantially changed and expanded in the wake of the financial crisis, including as follows. A final rule issued by the Board of Governors of the U.S. Federal Reserve System (the "**Federal Reserve Board**") imposing enhanced prudential standards on the U.S. operations of large foreign banks required BNPP to designate or create an intermediate holding company ("**IHC**") for its U.S. subsidiaries by 1 July 2016. BNPP's IHC, BNP Paribas USA, Inc., must comply with risk-based and leverage capital requirements, liquidity requirements, long-term debt requirements, supervisory stress testing and capital planning requirements as well as other prudential requirements on a stand-alone basis. In addition, on 4 March 2016, the Federal Reserve Board re-proposed single counterparty credit limits that would apply to both the U.S. IHCs and the combined U.S. operations (including U.S. branch operations) of systemically important foreign banking organizations (such as BNPP). Under proposals that remain under consideration, the IHC and the combined U.S. operations of BNPP may become subject to limits on credit exposures to any single counterparty, and the combined U.S. operations of BNPP may also become subject to an early remediation regime which could be triggered by risk-based capital, leverage, stress tests, liquidity, risk management and market indicators. The Federal Reserve Board has also indicated that it is considering future rulemakings that could apply the U.S. rules implementing the Basel III liquidity coverage ratio and net stable funding ratio to the combined U.S. operations (including U.S. branch operations) of certain large foreign banking organizations. The scope and timing for the implementation of these liquidity requirements as well as additional expected changes to the capital and stress testing requirements and their impact on BNPP is difficult to predict at this point. On 15 December 2016, the Federal Reserve Board issued final rules that implement in the United States the Financial Stability Board's standards for a TLAC framework. The final rules require, among other things, BNPP's U.S. IHC to maintain minimum levels of TLAC, consisting of the IHC's Tier 1 capital plus a minimum amount of long-term debt satisfying certain eligibility criteria, and a related TLAC buffer. BNPP will be subject to these requirements commencing 1 January 2019. BNPP's U.S. IHC will be required to issue this long-term debt internally to any foreign affiliate that is wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by BNPP, for so long as BNPP maintains a single-point-of-entry resolution strategy. The rules also impose limitations on the types and amount of other financial transactions that BNPP's U.S. IHC may engage in. On 23 September 2016, the Federal Reserve Board proposed additional prudential requirements with respect to the physical commodity activities of financial holding companies ("**FHCs**") (such as BNPP), including significantly elevated capital requirements for physical commodity activities (and for investments in merchant banking companies that engage in physical commodity activities) that, according to the Federal Reserve Board, have the potential to expose an FHC to environmental liability. Finally, the "Volcker Rule", adopted by the U.S. regulatory authorities in December 2013, places certain restrictions on the ability of U.S. and non-U.S. banking entities, including BNPP and its affiliates, to engage in proprietary trading and to sponsor or invest in private equity and hedge funds. BNPP was generally required to come into compliance with the Volcker Rule by July 2015, although the Federal Reserve Board has extended the conformance deadline for pre-2014 "legacy" investments in and relationships with private equity funds and hedge funds until 21 July 2017. The Volcker Rule's implementing regulations are highly complex and may be subject to further regulatory interpretation and guidance, and its full impact will not be known with certainty for some time. U.S. regulators have also recently adopted or proposed new rules regulating OTC derivatives activities under Title VII of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. In late 2015, the Federal Reserve Board and other U.S. banking regulators finalized margin requirements applicable to uncleared swaps and security-based swaps entered into by swap dealers, major swap participants, security-based swap dealers and major security-based swap participants that are regulated by one of the U.S. banking regulators, including BNPP. These margin requirements, which began a progressive entry into effect in September 2016, will require BNPP to post and collect additional, high-quality collateral for certain transactions, which will increase the costs of uncleared swaps and security-based swaps offered by BNPP to its customers who are "U.S. persons" as defined under the rules which apply globally. The U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission also finalized rules in 2016 that will require additional interest rate swaps to be cleared, which are expected to come into effect in phases based on the implementation of parallel clearing requirements in non-U.S. jurisdictions and in any event by October 2018, and has also proposed rules that would apply position limits to certain physical commodity swaps. The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission also finalized rules in 2015 and 2016 regarding the registration of security-based swap dealers and major security-based swap

participants, business conduct and trade acknowledgment and verification requirements for such entities, and obligations relating to transparency and mandatory reporting of security-based swap transactions. Further rules and regulations are expected in 2017 to complete this regulatory framework. The scope and timing for the implementation of these requirements, and therefore their impact on BNPP's swap business, is difficult to predict at this stage.

In sum, extensive legislative and regulatory reform in respect of financial institutions has been enacted in recent years and some remains in progress. It is impossible to accurately predict which additional measures will be adopted or to determine the exact content of such measures and, given the complexity and uncertainty of a number of these measures, their ultimate impact on BNPP. The overall effect of these measures, whether already adopted or in the process of being adopted, has been and may further be to restrict BNPP's ability to allocate and apply capital and funding resources, limit its ability to diversify risk, reduce the availability of certain funding and liquidity resources, increase its funding costs, increase the cost for or reduce the demand for the products and services it offers, result in the obligation to carry out internal reorganizations, structural changes or divestitures, affect its ability to conduct (or impose limitations on) certain types of business as currently conducted, limit its ability to attract and retain talent, and, more generally, affect its competitiveness and profitability, which would in turn have an adverse effect on its business, financial condition, and results of operations.

BNPP is subject to extensive and evolving regulatory regimes in the jurisdictions in which it operates.

BNPP faces the risk of changes in legislation or regulation in all of the countries in which it operates, including, but not limited to, the following:

- monetary, liquidity, interest rate and other policies of central banks and regulatory authorities;
- changes in government or regulatory policy that may significantly influence investor decisions, in particular in the markets in which the Group operates;
- changes in regulatory requirements applicable to the financial industry, such as rules relating to applicable governance, remunerations, capital adequacy and liquidity frameworks, restrictions on activities considered as speculative and recovery and resolution frameworks;
- changes in securities regulations as well as in financial reporting, disclosure and market abuse regulations;
- changes in the regulation of certain types of transactions and investments, such as derivatives and securities financing transactions and money market funds;
- changes in the regulation of market infrastructures, such as trading venues, central counterparties, central securities depositories, and payment and settlement systems;
- changes in tax legislation or the application thereof;
- changes in accounting norms;
- changes in rules and procedures relating to internal controls, risk management and compliance;
- expropriation, nationalisation, price controls, exchange controls, confiscation of assets and changes in legislation relating to foreign ownership;

These changes, the scope and implications of which are highly unpredictable, could substantially affect BNPP and have an adverse effect on its business, financial condition and results of operations. Some reforms not aimed specifically at financial institutions, such as measures relating to the funds industry or promoting technological innovation (such as open data projects), could facilitate the entry of new players in the financial

services sector or otherwise affect BNPP's business model, competitiveness and profitability, which could in turn affect its financial condition and results of operations.

BNPP may incur substantial fines and other administrative and criminal penalties for non-compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and may also incur losses in related (or unrelated) litigation with private parties.

BNPP is exposed to regulatory compliance risk, i.e. the failure to comply fully with the laws, regulations, codes of conduct, professional norms or recommendations applicable to the financial services industry. This risk is exacerbated by the adoption by different countries of multiple and occasionally diverging and even conflicting legal or regulatory requirements. Besides damage to BNPP's reputation and private rights of action (including class actions introduced into French law in 2014), non-compliance could lead to material legal proceedings, fines and expenses (including fines and expenses in excess of recorded provisions), public reprimand, enforced suspension of operations or, in extreme cases, withdrawal by the authorities of operating licenses. This risk is further exacerbated by continuously increasing regulatory scrutiny of financial institutions. Moreover, litigation by private parties against financial institutions has substantially increased in recent years. Accordingly, BNPP faces significant legal risk in its business, and the volume and amount of damages claimed in litigation, regulatory proceedings and other adversarial proceedings against financial services firms have substantially increased in recent years and may increase further.

In this respect, on 30 June 2014 BNPP entered into a series of agreements with, and was the subject of several orders issued by, U.S. federal and New York state government agencies and regulatory authorities including the U.S. Department of Justice, the New York County District Attorney's Office, the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York, the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the U.S. Department of the Treasury and the New York State Department of Financial Services, in settlement of investigations into violations of U.S. laws and regulations regarding economic sanctions. The fines and penalties imposed on BNPP as part of this settlement included, among other things, the payment of monetary penalties amounting in the aggregate to \$8.97 billion (€6.6 billion), guilty pleas by BNP Paribas S.A., the parent company of the BNP Paribas group, to charges of having violated U.S. federal criminal law (conspiracy to violate the Trading with the Enemy Act and the International Emergency Economic Powers Act) and New York State criminal law (conspiracy and falsifying business records), and the suspension of the New York branch of BNP Paribas for (a) a one-year period (2015) of USD direct clearing focused mainly on the Oil & Gas Energy and Commodity Finance business line in certain locations and (b) a two-year period of U.S. dollar clearing as a correspondent bank for unaffiliated third party banks in New York and London. Following this settlement, BNPP remains subject to increased scrutiny by regulatory authorities (including via the presence within BNPP of an independent consultant) who are monitoring its compliance with a remediation plan agreed with them.

BNPP is currently involved in various litigations and investigations as summarized in Note 7.b "Contingent liabilities: legal proceedings and arbitration" to its 2016 consolidated financial statements. It may become involved in further such matters at any point. No assurance can be given that an adverse outcome in one or more of such matters would not have a material adverse effect on BNPP's operating results for any particular period.

Risks Related to BNPP, its Strategy, Management and Operations

Risks related to the implementation of BNPP's strategic plans.

BNPP has announced a certain number of strategic objectives, in particular in a transformation plan for CIB for the 2016-2019 period presented in February 2016 and a strategic plan for the 2017-2020 period presented on 7 February 2017. These plans contemplate a number of initiatives, including the implementation of new customer pathways, the digital transformation of BNPP, continuing to improve operating efficiency and various business development initiatives.

The plans include a number of financial targets and objectives relating to net banking income, operating costs, net income, capital adequacy ratios and return on equity, among other things. These financial targets and objectives were established primarily for purposes of internal planning and allocation of resources, and are based on a number of assumptions with regard to business and economic conditions.

BNPP's actual results could vary significantly from these targets and objectives for a number of reasons, including the occurrence of one or more of the risk factors described elsewhere in this section.

BNPP may experience difficulties integrating acquired companies and may be unable to realise the benefits expected from its acquisitions.

BNPP makes acquisitions on a regular basis. Integrating acquired businesses is a long and complex process. Successful integration and the realisation of synergies require, among other things, proper coordination of business development and marketing efforts, retention of key members of management, policies for effective recruitment and training as well as the ability to adapt information and computer systems. Any difficulties encountered in combining operations could result in higher integration costs and lower savings or revenues than expected. There will accordingly be uncertainty as to the extent to which anticipated synergies will be achieved and the timing of their realisation. Moreover, the integration of BNPP's existing operations with those of the acquired operations could interfere with the respective businesses and divert management's attention from other aspects of BNPP's business, which could have a negative impact on the business and results of BNPP. In some cases, moreover, disputes relating to acquisitions may have an adverse impact on the integration process or have other adverse consequences, including financial ones.

Although BNPP undertakes an in-depth analysis of the companies it plans to acquire, such analyses often cannot be complete or exhaustive. As a result, BNPP may increase its exposure to doubtful or troubled assets and incur greater risks as a result of its acquisitions, particularly in cases in which it was unable to conduct comprehensive due diligence prior to the acquisition.

Intense competition by banking and non-banking operators could adversely affect BNPP's revenues and profitability.

Competition is intense in all of BNPP's primary business areas in France and the other countries in which it conducts a substantial portion of its business, including other European countries and the United States. Competition in the banking industry could intensify as a result of consolidation in the financial services area or as a result of the presence of new players in the payment and the financing services area or the development of crowdfunding. In particular, competitors subject to less extensive regulatory requirements or to less strict capital requirements (e.g., debt funds, shadow banks), or benefiting from economies of scale, data synergies or technological innovation (e.g., internet and mobile operators, fintechs), could be more competitive. If BNPP is unable to respond to the competitive environment in France or in its other major markets by offering attractive and profitable product and service solutions, it may lose market share in key areas of its business or incur losses on some or all of its activities. In addition, downturns in the economies of its principal markets could add to the competitive pressure, through, for example, increased price pressure and lower business volumes for BNPP and its competitors. It is also possible that the presence in the global marketplace of State-owned financial institutions, or financial institutions benefiting from State guarantees or other similar advantages, or the imposition of more stringent requirements (particularly capital requirements and business restrictions) on large or systemically significant financial institutions, could lead to distortions in competition in a manner adverse to large private-sector institutions such as BNPP.

A substantial increase in new provisions or a shortfall in the level of previously recorded provisions could adversely affect BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

In connection with its lending activities, BNPP regularly establishes provisions for loan losses, which are recorded in its profit and loss account under "cost of risk". BNPP's overall level of provisions is based on its assessment of prior loss experience, the volume and type of lending being conducted, industry standards, past due loans, economic conditions and other factors related to the recoverability of various loans. Although

BNPP seeks to establish an appropriate level of provisions, its lending businesses may have to increase their provisions for loan losses substantially in the future as a result of deteriorating economic conditions or other causes. Any significant increase in provisions for loan losses or a significant change in BNPP's estimate of the risk of loss inherent in its portfolio of non-impaired loans, as well as the occurrence of loan losses in excess of the related provisions, could have a material adverse effect on BNPP's results of operations and financial condition.

BNPP also establishes provisions for contingencies and charges including in particular provisions for litigations. Any loss arising from a risk that has not already been provisioned or that is greater than the amount of the provision would have a negative impact on BNPP's results of operation and, potentially, its financial condition.

BNPP's risk management policies, procedures and methods may leave it exposed to unidentified or unanticipated risks, which could lead to material losses.

BNPP has devoted significant resources to developing its risk management policies, procedures and assessment methods and intends to continue to do so in the future. Nonetheless, BNPP's risk management techniques and strategies may not be fully effective in mitigating its risk exposure in all economic and market environments or against all types of risk, particularly risks that BNPP may have failed to identify or anticipate. BNPP's ability to assess the creditworthiness of its customers or to estimate the values of its assets may be impaired if, as a result of market turmoil such as that experienced in recent years, the models and approaches it uses become less predictive of future behaviour, valuations, assumptions or estimates. Some of BNPP's qualitative tools and metrics for managing risk are based on its use of observed historical market behaviour. BNPP applies statistical and other tools to these observations to arrive at quantifications of its risk exposures. The process BNPP uses to estimate losses inherent in its credit exposure or estimate the value of certain assets requires difficult, subjective, and complex judgments, including forecasts of economic conditions and how these economic predictions might impair the ability of its borrowers to repay their loans or impact the value of assets, which may, during periods of market disruption, be incapable of accurate estimation and, in turn, impact the reliability of the process. These tools and metrics may fail to predict future risk exposures, e.g., if BNPP does not anticipate or correctly evaluate certain factors in its statistical models, or upon the occurrence of an event deemed extremely unlikely by the tools and metrics. This would limit BNPP's ability to manage its risks. BNPP's losses could therefore be significantly greater than the historical measures indicate. In addition, BNPP's quantified modelling does not take all risks into account. Its more qualitative approach to managing certain risks could prove insufficient, exposing it to material unanticipated losses.

BNPP's hedging strategies may not prevent losses.

If any of the variety of instruments and strategies that BNPP uses to hedge its exposure to various types of risk in its businesses is not effective, BNPP may incur losses. Many of its strategies are based on historical trading patterns and correlations. For example, if BNPP holds a long position in an asset, it may hedge that position by taking a short position in another asset where the short position has historically moved in a direction that would offset a change in the value of the long position. However, the hedge may only be partial, or the strategies used may not protect against all future risks or may not be fully effective in mitigating BNPP's risk exposure in all market environments or against all types of risk in the future. Unexpected market developments may also reduce the effectiveness of BNPP's hedging strategies. In addition, the manner in which gains and losses resulting from certain ineffective hedges are recorded may result in additional volatility in BNPP's reported earnings.

Adjustments to the carrying value of BNPP's securities and derivatives portfolios and BNPP's own debt could have an impact on its net income and shareholders' equity.

The carrying value of BNPP's securities and derivatives portfolios and certain other assets, as well as its own debt, in its balance sheet is adjusted as of each financial statement date. Most of the adjustments are made on the basis of changes in fair value of its assets or its debt during an accounting period, with the changes recorded either in the income statement or directly in shareholders' equity. Changes that are recorded in the

income statement, to the extent not offset by opposite changes in the value of other assets, affect its consolidated revenues and, as a result, its net income. All fair value adjustments affect shareholders' equity and, as a result, its capital adequacy ratios. The fact that fair value adjustments are recorded in one accounting period does not mean that further adjustments will not be needed in subsequent periods.

The expected changes in accounting principles relating to financial instruments may have an impact on BNPP's balance sheet and regulatory capital ratios and result in additional costs.

In July 2014, the International Accounting Standards Board published International Financial Reporting Standard 9 ("**IFRS 9**") "Financial Instruments", which is set to replace IAS 39 as from 1 January 2018 after its adoption by the European Union. The standard amends and complements the rules on the classification and measurement of financial instruments. It includes a new impairment model based on expected credit losses ("**ECL**"), while the current model is based on provisions for incurred losses, and new rules on general hedge accounting. The new approach based on ECL could result in substantial additional impairment charges for BNPP and add volatility to its regulatory capital ratios, and the costs incurred by BNPP relating to the implementation of such norms may have a negative impact on its results of operations.

BNPP's competitive position could be harmed if its reputation is damaged.

Considering the highly competitive environment in the financial services industry, a reputation for financial strength and integrity is critical to BNPP's ability to attract and retain customers. BNPP's reputation could be harmed if it fails to adequately promote and market its products and services. BNPP's reputation could also be damaged if, as it increases its client base and the scale of its businesses, BNPP's comprehensive procedures and controls dealing with conflicts of interest fail, or appear to fail, to address conflicts of interest properly. At the same time, BNPP's reputation could be damaged by employee misconduct, fraud or misconduct by market participants to which BNPP is exposed, a decline in, a restatement of, or corrections to its financial results, as well as any adverse legal or regulatory action such as the settlement BNPP entered into in with the U.S. authorities for violations of U.S. laws and regulations regarding economic sanctions. Such risks to reputation have recently increased as a result of the growing use of social networks within the economic sphere. The loss of business that could result from damage to the Bank's reputation could have an adverse effect on its results of operations and financial position.

An interruption in or a breach of BNPP's information systems may result in material losses of client or customer information, damage to BNPP's reputation and lead to financial losses.

As with most other banks, BNPP relies heavily on communications and information systems to conduct its business. This dependency has increased with the spread of mobile and online banking services, and the development of cloud computing. Any failure or interruption or breach in security of these systems could result in failures or interruptions in BNPP's customer relationship management, general ledger, deposit, servicing and/or loan organisation systems. BNPP cannot provide assurances that such failures or interruptions will not occur or, if they do occur, that they will be adequately addressed. An increasing number of companies (including financial institutions) have in recent years experienced intrusion attempts or even breaches of their information technology security, some of which have involved sophisticated and highly targeted attacks on their computer networks. Because the techniques used to obtain unauthorised access, disable or degrade service, steal confidential data or sabotage information systems have become more sophisticated, change frequently and often are not recognised until launched against a target, BNPP may be unable to anticipate these techniques or to implement in a timely manner effective and efficient countermeasures. Any failures of or interruptions in BNPP's information systems and any subsequent disclosure of confidential information related to any client, counterpart or employee of BNPP (or any other person) or any intrusion or attack against BNPP's communication system could have an adverse effect on BNPP's reputation, financial condition and results of operations.

Unforeseen external events may disrupt BNPP's operations and cause substantial losses and additional costs.

Unforeseen events such as an adverse change in the political, military or diplomatic environments, political and social unrest, severe natural disasters, a pandemic, terrorist attacks, military conflicts or other states of emergency could affect the demand for the products and services offered by BNPP, or lead to an abrupt interruption of BNPP's operations, in France or abroad, and could cause substantial losses that may not necessarily be covered by an insurance policy. Such losses can relate to property, financial assets, trading positions and key employees. Such unforeseen events could also lead to temporary or longer-term business interruption, additional costs (such as relocation of employees affected) and increase BNPP's costs (particularly insurance premiums)."

AMENDMENTS TO THE FORM OF FINAL TERMS

In relation to the amendments to Item 37 (Additional U.S. Federal income tax considerations) in the Form of Final Terms set out in this section (which was added to the Base Prospectus by virtue of the Second Supplement): (i) text which, by virtue of this Fourth Supplement, is deleted therefrom is shown with a line drawn through the middle of the deleted text, and (ii) text which, by virtue of this Fourth Supplement, is added thereto is shown underlined.

Item 37 (Additional U.S. Federal income tax considerations) in the Form of Final Terms on pages 94 to 125 of the Base Prospectus is amended as follows:

[37. Additional U.S. Federal income tax considerations:

[insert details]/[Not applicable]/[The Securities are [not] Specified Securities for the purposes of Section 871(m) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986.] [Additional information regarding the application of Section 871(m) to the Securities will be available at [give name(s) and addresses.] [The Issuer will arrange for withholding under Section 871(m) to be imposed on any dividend equivalent payment at a rate of 30%.]

(The Securities will not be Specified Securities if they (i) are issued prior to 1 January 201~~7~~8 and provide a return that differs significantly from the return on an investment in the underlying or (ii) do not reference any U.S. equity or any index that contains any component U.S. equity or otherwise provide direct or indirect exposure to U.S. equities. If the Securities are issued on or after 1 January 201~~7~~8 and reference a U.S. equity or an index that contains a component U.S. equity or otherwise provide direct or indirect exposure to U.S. equities, further analysis would be required. If the Securities are Specified Securities, include the "Additional information" sentence and provide the appropriate contact information.)]

AMENDMENTS TO THE HIRING INCENTIVES TO RESTORE EMPLOYMENT ACT SECTION

In relation to the amendments to the section entitled "Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act" set out in this section: (i) text which, by the virtue of this Fourth Supplement, is added thereto, is shown underlined and (ii) text which, by the virtue of this Fourth Supplement, is deleted therefrom, is shown with a line through the middle of the deleted text.

The "Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act" section on page 391 of the Base Prospectus is amended as follows:

The U.S. Hiring Incentives to Restore Employment Act introduced Section 871(m) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code") which treats a "dividend equivalent" payment as a dividend from sources within the United States. Under Section 871(m), such payments generally would be subject to a 30% per cent. U.S. withholding tax that may be reduced by an applicable tax treaty, eligible for credit against other U.S. tax liabilities or refunded, provided that the beneficial owner timely claims a credit or refund from the IRS-U.S. Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS"). A "dividend equivalent" payment is (i) a substitute dividend payment made pursuant to a securities lending or a sale-repurchase transaction that (directly or indirectly) is contingent upon, or determined by reference to, the payment of a dividend from sources within the United States, (ii) a payment made pursuant to a "specified notional principal contract" that (directly or indirectly) is contingent upon, or determined by reference to, the payment of a dividend from sources within the United States, and (iii) any other payment determined by the IRS to be substantially similar to a payment described in (i) and (ii). Recently published final U.S. Treasury regulations issued under Section 871(m) (together with any amendments or official guidance relating thereto, the Section 871(m) Regulations) will, when effective, require withholding on certain non-U.S. holders of the Securities with respect to amounts treated as attributable to dividends from certain U.S. securities. Under the Section 871(m) Regulations, only a Security that has an expected economic return sufficiently similar to that of the underlying U.S. security, as determined on the Security's issue date based on tests set forth in the Section 871(m) Regulations, will be subject to the Section 871(m) withholding regime (making such Security a **Specified Security**). The Section 871(m) Regulations provide certain exceptions to this withholding requirement, in particular for instruments linked to certain broad-based indices.

Withholding in respect of dividend equivalents will generally be required when cash payments are made on a Specified Security or upon the date of maturity, lapse or other disposition by the non-U.S. holder of the Specified Security. ~~-. If the underlying U.S. security or securities are expected to pay dividends during the term of the Specified Security, withholding generally will still be required even if the Specified Security does not provide for payments explicitly linked to dividends. If the Issuer or any withholding agent determines that withholding is required, neither the Issuer nor any withholding agent will be required to pay any additional amounts with respect to amounts so withheld.~~

The Section 871(m) Regulations generally apply to Specified Securities issued beginning on or after 1 January 2017. If the terms of a Security are subject to a "significant modification" such that (as defined for U.S. tax purposes), the Security is- generally would be treated as retired and reissued, # on the date of such modification for purposes of determining, based on economic conditions in effect at that time, whether such Security is a Specified Security. Similarly, if additional Securities of the same series are issued (or deemed issued for U.S. tax purposes, such as certain sales of Securities out of inventory) after the original issue date, the IRS could lose its -"treat the issue date for determining whether the existing Securities are Specified Securities as the date of such subsequent sale or issuance. Consequently, a previously grandfathered"- status and Security, or otherwise out of scope Security, might become a Specified Security based on economic conditions in effect at that time following such modification or further issuance.

Upon the issuance of a series of Securities, the Issuer will state in the The applicable Final Terms if it will indicate whether the Issuer has determined that they Securities are Specified Securities and will specify contact details for obtaining additional information regarding the application of Section 871(m) to such Securities. If Securities are Specified Securities, in which case a non-U.S. holder of the such Securities should expect to be subject to withholding in respect of any dividend-paying U.S. securities underlying those Securities. The Issuer's determination is binding on non-U.S. holders of the Securities, but it is not binding on the IRS. The Section 871(m) Regulations require complex calculations to be made with respect to Securities linked to U.S. securities and their application to a specific issue of Securities may be uncertain. Prospective investors should consult their tax advisers regarding the potential application of Section 871(m) to the Securities.

If so specified in the Final Terms, the Issuer will arrange for withholding under Section 871(m) to be imposed on any dividend equivalent payment at a rate of 30 per cent.

AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL INFORMATION SECTION

The General Information section on pages 397 to 402 of the Base Prospectus is amended as follows:

- (a) the paragraphs under the heading "5. Material Adverse Change" are deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

"There has been no material adverse change in the prospects of BNPP or the Group since 31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published).

There has been no material adverse change in the prospects of BNPP B.V. since 31 December 2015 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published)."

- (b) the paragraphs under the heading "7. Significant Change" are deleted in their entirety and replaced with the following:

"There has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of BNPP or the BNPP Group since 31 December 2016 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published).

There has been no significant change in the financial or trading position of BNPP B. V. since 31 December 2015 (being the end of the last financial period for which audited financial statements have been published)."

- (c) the table under the heading "16. Capitalization of BNPP and the BNP Paribas Group" is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

TABLE OF CAPITALIZATION AND MEDIUM-TO-LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS		
Millions of Euros	BNP PARIBAS GROUP 31 December 2015 (audited)	BNP PARIBAS GROUP 31 December 2016 (unaudited)
Medium - and Long-Term Debt of which unexpired term to maturity is more than one year		
Debt securities at fair value through profit or lost	34,889	36,215
Other debt securities	65,756	58,205
Subordinated debt	12,070	12,341
Total Medium - and Long-Term Debt.....	112,715	106,761

Shareholders' Equity and Equivalents		
Issued Capital	2,493	2,494
Additional paid-in capital.....	24,404	24,454
Preferred shares and equivalent instruments.....	7,855	8,430
Retained earnings	51,906	55,754
Unrealised or deferred gains and losses attributable to shareholders	6,736	6,169
Undated participating subordinated notes	222	222
Undated Subordinated FRNs.....	1,811	1,789
Total Shareholders' Equity and Equivalents	95,427	99,312
Minority Interest.....	3,719	4,431
Total Capitalization and Medium to Long Term Indebtedness	211,861	210,504

(d) by the insertion of a new sub-section immediately beneath the sub-section "17. Yield" as follows:

"18. Declaration concerning the unaudited results of BNP Paribas for the periods ending 31 December 2016

The statutory auditors have audited the financial statements of BNP Paribas for the years ended 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2016. The French statutory auditors carry out their engagements in accordance with professional standards applicable in France.

In relation to the press release published by BNP Paribas on 7 February 2017 on its 2016 annual results and fourth quarter 2016 results, in application of the paragraph 8.2 of the ANNEX XI to the COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) N° 809/2004, BNPP has made the following statements:

- (a) BNP Paribas approves this information;
- (b) the statutory auditors have agreed that this information is substantially consistent with the final figures to be published in the next annual audited financial statements;
- (c) this financial information has not been audited."

RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

Each of BNPP B.V. (in respect of itself) and BNPP (in respect of itself and BNPP B.V.) accepts responsibility for the information contained in this Fourth Supplement. To the best of the knowledge of each of BNPP B.V. and BNPP (who have taken all reasonable care to ensure that such is the case), the information contained herein is in accordance with the facts and does not omit anything likely to affect the import of such information.

Information contained in this Fourth Supplement which is sourced from a third party has been accurately reproduced and, as far as the Issuer is aware and is able to ascertain from information published by the relevant third party, no facts have been omitted which would render the reproduced information inaccurate or misleading. The Issuer has also identified the source(s) of such information.