BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A.

INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

MARCH 31, 2023

BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION for the period ended March 31, 2023

(Amounts in thousands RON)

	Group			Bank		
	Note	Unaudited (*) March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	Unaudited (*) March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	
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ASSETS						
Cash and due from Central Bank	4, 34	7,455,414	7,625,002	7,455,347	7,624,933	
Due from banks	5	5,867,141	7,220,963	5,851,012	7,204,987	
Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading	6	1,373,986	2,343,377	1,356,728	2,337,311	
Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	7	13,813	14,262	9,485	8,132	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	8	13,776,021	13,439,596	13,776,021	13,439,596	
Financial assets at amortised cost	9	40,134,823	39,019,048	39,394,723	38,272,985	
Loans and advances to customers	9.1	37,179,322	36,288,342	36,439,222	35,542,279	
Treasury bills at amortised cost	9.2	2,955,501	2,730,706	2,955,501	2,730,706	
Finance lease receivables	10	1,470,930	1,407,394	-	-	
Investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures		114,435	113,670	129,964	129,964	
Property, plant and equipment	11	1,046,025	1,063,863	1,025,579	1,046,443	
Investment property	11	15,213	15,503	15,213	15,503	
Goodwill	12	50,130	50,130	50,130	50,130	
Intangible assets	13	422,284	407,487	420,390	405,667	
Current tax asset	22	-	23,563	-	23,563	
Deferred tax asset	22	422,129	496,034	413,678	478,893	
Other assets	14	665,372	590,963	563,340	473,958	
Non-current assets held for sale		10,850	10,912	10,850	10,912	
Total assets	_	72,838,566	73,841,767	70,472,460	71,522,977	
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY						
Due to banks	15	759,990	636,888	759,990	636,888	
Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading	6	696,092	1,443,546	696,092	1,443,546	
Due to customers	16	55,574,160	56,660,841	55,793,184	56,915,740	
Borrowed funds	17	5,633,743	5,625,488	3,568,748	3,567,262	
Subordinated debts	18	1,239,330	1,238,651	1,239,330	1,238,651	
Current tax liability	22	37,642	5,595	36,528	-	
Provisions	19	384,522	393,452	364,083	380,172	
Other liabilities	20	904,821	877,540	798,327	763,682	
Total liabilities	-	65,230,300	66,882,001	63,256,282	64,945,941	
Share capital	21	2,515,622	2,515,622	2,515,622	2,515,622	
Other reserves	21	(1,747,714)	(2,054,109)	(1,747,714)	(2,054,109)	
Retained earnings and capital reserves		6,776,679	6,439,441	6,448,270	6,115,523	
Non-controlling interest		63,679	58,812	-	-	
Total equity	_	7,608,266	6,959,766	7,216,178	6,577,036	
Total liabilities and equity	_	72,838,566	73,841,767	70,472,460	71,522,977	

The financial statements have been authorized by the Group's management on May 11, 2023 and are signed on the Group's behalf by:

Giovanni Luca Soma Chairman of the Board of Directors	François Bloch Chief Executive Officer
Etienne Loulergue Deputy Chief Executive Officer	

BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE PROFIT OR LOSS for the period ended March 31, 2023

(Amounts in thousands RON)

		Gre	•	Bank Unaudited (*)		
		Unaudited (*)		Unaudi	ited (*)	
	Note	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022	
Interest and similar income	23	972,837	608,480	928,992	571,108	
Interest and similar expense	24	(302,299)	(52,317)	(291,134)	(48,510)	
Net interest income		670,538	556,163	637,858	522,598	
Fees and commission income	25	273,903	260,969	264,386	249,375	
Fees and commission expense	25	(101,573)		(99,850)	(78,453)	
Fees and commissions, net		172,330	180,008	164,536	170,922	
Gain on derivative, other financial instruments held for trading and foreign exchange	26	90,534	77,770	89,868	77,377	
Gain from financial instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income		-	2,453	-	2,453	
Gain from financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss		1,538	259	1,353	261	
Net (loss)/Income from associates and joint ventures Other income/(expense) from banking activities	27	763 (364)	(9,269) 2,148	(254)	(9,629) 1,350	
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Net banking income		935,339	809,532	893,361	765,332	
Personnel expenses	29	(223,879)	(205,122)	(212,469)	(192,535)	
Depreciation, amortization and impairment on tangible and intangible assets	30	(59,929)			(55,032)	
Contribution to Guarantee Scheme and Resolution Fund	28	(75,775)		,	(69,165)	
Other operating expenses	31	(148,423)	(128,716)	(139,506)	(120,745)	
Total operating expenses		(508,006)	(459,797)	(486,604)	(437,477)	
Gross operating profit		427,333	349,735	406,757	327,855	
Cost of risk	32	(9,448)	(32,002)	(7,060)	(31,053)	
Operating profit		417,885	317,733	399,697	296,802	
Profit before income tax		417,885	317,733	399,697	296,802	
Current tax expense	22	(60,234)	(44,565)	(60,092)	(42,314)	
Deferred tax income/(expense)		(15,548)		,	(8,825)	
Total income tax		(75,782)			(51,139)	
Profit for the period		342,103	263,222	332,747	245,663	
Profit attributable to equity holders of the parent		337,236	260,022	-	-	
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests		4,867	3,200	-	-	
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0.4839

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Basic earnings per share (in RON)

0.3525

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BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME for the period ended March 31, 2023

(Amounts in thousands RON)

	Group Unaudited (*)		Bank Unaudite	
-	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Profit for the period	342,103	263,222	332,747	245,663
Other comprehensive income				
Net comprehensive income that may be reclassified to profit and loss in subsequent periods	306,395	(664,532)	306,395	(664,532)
Net gain/(loss) on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	306,395	(664,532)	306,395	(664,532)
Reclassifications to profit and loss during the period	(21)	2,578	(21)	2,578
Revaluation differences	364,773	(793,661)	364,773	(793,661)
Income tax	(58,357)	126,551	(58,357)	126,551
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	306,395	(664,532)	306,395	(664,532)
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	648,498	(401,310)	639,142	(418,869)
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	643,631	(404,510)		
Non-controlling interest	4,867	3,200		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statements

^(*) Unaudited / unreviewed by the financial auditor

BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

for the period ended March 31, 2023 (Amounts in thousands RON)

Group

		Attributable to equity h	=			
		Other rese	rves	_		
	Issued capital	Reserves from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	Reserves from defined pension plan	Retained earnings and capital reserves	Non-controlling interest	Total equity
December 31, 2021	2,515,622	(401,602)	16,222	7,690,955	57,708	9,878,905
Total comprehensive income	-	(664,532)	-	260,022	3,200	(401,310)
Net Profit for the period	-	-	-	260,022	3,200	263,222
Other comprehensive income	-	(664,532)	-	-	-	(664,532)
Equity dividends		-	-	(1,683,991)	-	(1,683,991)
March 31, 2022	2,515,622	(1,066,134)	16,222	6,266,986	60,908	7,793,604

		Attributable to equity h				
		Other rese	rves			
	Issued capital	Reserves from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	Reserves from defined pension plan	Retained earnings and capital reserves	Non-controlling interest	Total equity
December 31, 2022	2,515,622	(2,084,244)	30,135	6,439,441	58,812	6,959,766
Total comprehensive income	-	306,395	-	337,236	4,867	648,498
Net Profit for the period	-	-	-	337,236	4,867	342,103
Other comprehensive income		306,395	-	-	-	306,395
March 31, 2023	2,515,622	(1,777,849)	30,135	6,776,679	63,679	7,608,266

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BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

for the period ended March 31, 2023 (Amounts in thousands RON)

Bank

		Other reser	rves	•	
	Issued capital	Reserves from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	Reserves from defined pension plan	Retained earnings and capital reserves	Total equity
December 31, 2021	2,515,622	(401,602)	16,222	7,409,095	9,539,338
Total comprehensive income	-	(664,532)	-	245,663	(418,869)
Net Profit for the period	-	-	-	245,663	245,663
Other comprehensive income	-	(664,532)	-	-	(664,532)
Equity dividends		-	-	(1,683,991)	(1,683,991)
March 31, 2022	2,515,622	(1,066,134)	16,222	5,970,767	7,436,477

		Other rese			
	Issued capital	Reserves from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	Reserves from defined pension plan	Retained earnings and capital reserves	Total equity
December 31, 2022	2,515,622	(2,084,244)	30,135	6,115,523	6,577,036
Total comprehensive income	-	306,395	-	332,747	639,142
Net Profit for the period	-	-	-	332,747	332,747
Other comprehensive income	_	306,395	-	-	306,395
March 31, 2023	2,515,622	(1,777,849)	30,135	6,448,270	7,216,178

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BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS for the year ended March 31, 2023

(Amounts in thousands RON)

		Gre	oup	Bank		
		Unaudi	ited (*)	Unauc Three months	dited (*)	
		Three months ended	Three months ended	ended March 31,	Three months ended	
	Note	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	2023	March 31, 2022	
Cash flows from operating activities						
Profit before tax		417,887	317,735	399,697	296,801	
Adjustments for:						
Depreciation and amortization expense	30	59,929	56,794	58,854	55,032	
Loss from investment in associates and joint ventures	_	(765)	9,267	- (4.050)	9,629	
Loss/ (Gain) from revaluation of assets at fair value through profit and loss		(1,538)	(261)	(1,353)	. ,	
Impairment adjustments and provisions	34	44,538	78,296	34,203	75,374	
Adjusted profit		520,051	461,831	491,401	436,575	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities						
Due from Central Bank		723,647	(818,806)	723,645	(818,806)	
Deposits with banks		122,185	9,237	122,338	9,396	
Treasury bills at amortised cost		(224,795)	-	(224,795)	-	
Sales of financial assets at fair value through profit and loss	7	1,987	-	-	-	
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(30,030)	407,808	(30,030)		
Loans and advances to customers		(918,146)	(635,811)	(922,288)		
Lease receivables		(62,579)	(48,641)	-	-	
Other assets including trading		948,053	854,058	952,260	891,072	
Due to banks		123,102	457,626	123,102	457,626	
Due to customers Other liabilities		(1,086,681)	645,801	(1,122,556)		
Total changes in operating assets and liabilities		(730,244) (1,133,501)	154,059 1,025,331	(725,425) (1,103,749)		
Total changes in operating assets and framines		(1,133,301)	1,023,331	(1,103,749)	1,024,303	
Income tax paid		(4,623)	(80,125)	-	(79,979)	
Cash flow from operating activities		(618,073)	1,407,037	(612,348)	1,380,961	
Investing activities						
Acquisition of tangible and intangible assets	11, 13	(49,378)	(32,023)	(49,074)	(31,972)	
Proceeds from sale of tangible and intangible assets		1,163	4	1,163	4	
Cash flow from investing activities		(48,215)	(32,019)	(47,911)	(31,968)	
Financing activities						
Proceeds from borrowings		287,646	36,203,019	50,488	36,005,854	
Repayment of borrowings	10	(278,716)	(32,929,091)	(48,323)	,	
Repayment of principal lease liabilities	10	(20,223)	(22,546)	(19,484)		
Net cash from financing activities		(11,293)	3,251,382	(17,319)		
Net movements in cash and cash equivalents		(677,581)	4,626,400	(677,578)		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	34	9,473,399	6,301,478	9,473,329	6,301,445	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	34	8,795,819	10,927,877	8,795,752	10,927,876	

Additional information on operational cash flows from interest and dividends:

	Gre	oup	Ba	nk	
	Unaudi	ited (*)	Unaudited (*)		
	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022	Three months ended March 31, 2023	Three months ended March 31, 2022	
Interest paid Interest received	218,871 771,156	52,226 608,328	150,827 593,489	47,242 588,186	

(Amounts in thousands RON)

1. Corporate information

BRD – Groupe Société Générale (the "Bank" or "BRD") is a joint stock company incorporated in Romania. The Bank commenced business as a state owned credit institution in 1990 by acquiring assets and liabilities of the former Banca de Investitii. The Bank headquarters and registered office is 1-7 Ion Mihalache Blvd, Bucharest.

BRD together with its subsidiaries (the "Group") offers a wide range of banking and financial services to corporates and individuals, as allowed by law. The Group accepts deposits from the public and grants loans and leases, carries out funds transfer in Romania and abroad, exchanges currencies and provides other financial services for its commercial and retail customers.

The ultimate parent is Société Générale S.A. as at March 31, 2023 (the "Parent" or "SG").

The Bank has as at March 31, 2023 451 units throughout the country (December 31, 2022: 460).

The average number of active employees of the Group during first quarter of 2023 was 6,093 (2022: 6,158), and the number of active employees of the Group as of the period-end was 6,088 (December 31, 2022: 6,126).

The average number of active employees of the Bank during first quarter of 2023 was 5,804 (2022: 5,846), and the number of active employees of the Bank as of the period-end was 5,803 (December 31, 2022: 5,833).

The active employees are the full time employees (excluding maternity leave and long-term sick leave).

BRD – Groupe Société Générale has been quoted on Bucharest Stock Exchange ("BVB") since January 15, 2001.

The shareholding structure of the Bank is as follows:

	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Societe Generale	60.17%	60.17%
Fondul De Pensii Administrat Privat NN/NN Pensii S.A.F.P.A.P. S.A.	5.56%	5.56%
Fondul De Pensii Administrat Privat AZT Viitorul Tau	3.98%	3.98%
S.I.F. Oltenia	3.95%	3.95%
Fondul De Pensii Administrat Privat Metropolitan Life	3.30%	3.23%
TRANSILVANIA INVESTMENTS ALLIANCE S.A.	1.98%	2.19%
Legal entities	15.46%	15.43%
Individuals	5.59%	5.49%
Total	100.00%	100.00%

(Amounts in thousands RON)

2. Basis of preparation

a) Basis of preparation

The separate interim financial statements as at March 31, 2023 are of the Bank BRD – Groupe Société Générale. The consolidated and separate interim financial statements as at March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022 are not audited nor reviewed (references included in the financial statements and selected explanatory notes).

The interim financial statements for the three months ended March 31, 2023 has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*.

The interim financial statements does not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. In accordance with European Regulation 1606/2002 of July 19, 2002 on the application of International Accounting Standards, and Order of the National Bank of Romania Governor no. 27/2010, as amended, BRD prepared consolidated and separate financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022 in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union ("EU").

The consolidated financial statements include the consolidated statement of financial position, the consolidated profit or loss, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in shareholders' equity, the consolidated cash flow statement, and consolidated notes.

The separate financial statements include the separate statement of financial position, the separate profit or loss, the separate statement of comprehensive income, the separate statement of changes in shareholders' equity, the separate cash flow statement, and separate notes.

The consolidated and separate financial statements are presented in Romanian lei ("RON"), which is the Group's and its subsidiaries' functional and presentation currency, rounded to the nearest thousand, except when otherwise indicated. The consolidated and separate financial statements has been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for financial assets at fair value through profit and loss, financial assets through other comprehensive income, derivative financial instruments, other financial assets and liabilities held for trading, which have all been measured at fair value.

The Bank's management has made an assessment of the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that the Bank has the resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. Furthermore, management is not aware of any material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt upon the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern. Therefore, the consolidated and separate financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis.

b) Basis for consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the credit institution and its subsidiaries as at March 31, 2023. The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period, using consistent accounting policies.

A subsidiary is an entity over which the Bank exercises control. An investor controls an investee when it is exposed, or has rights to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of BRD – Groupe Société Générale S.A. and the following subsidiaries: BRD Sogelease IFN S.A. (99.98% ownership, 2022: 99.98%), BRD Finance IFN S.A (49% ownership, 2022: 49%) and BRD Asset Management SAI S.A. (99.98% ownership, 2022: 99.98%).

(Amounts in thousands RON)

2. Basis of preparation

b) Basis for consolidation (continued)

According to IFRS 12 9(b), the Group controls BRD Finance IFN S.A even though it holds less than half of the voting rights, through the power to govern the financial and operating policies of the entity under various agreements. All intercompany transactions, balances and unrealized gains and losses on transactions between consolidated entities are eliminated on consolidation.

Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date of acquisition, being the date on which the Bank obtains control, and continue to be consolidated until the date such control ceases.

Equity and net income attributable to non-controlling interest are shown separately in the statement of financial position, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of comprehensive income, respectively.

The Bank is accounting the investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures in the separate financial statements at cost less impairment adjustment.

Group			
Associates	Field of activity	Address	%
ALD Automotive SRL	Operational leasing	1-7, Ion Mihalache Street, floor 3, district 1, Bucharest	20.00%
BRD Asigurari de Viata SA	Insurance	58-60 Gheorghe Polizu Street, Bucharest Corporate Center building, floor 8 (zone	49.00%
		3) and floor 9, district 1, Bucharest	
Fondul de Garantare a Creditului Rural IFN SA	Loans guarantee	5 Occidentului Street, district 1, Bucharest	33.33%
Biroul de Credit S.A.	Financial institution	29 Sfanta Vineri Street, floor 4, district 3, Bucharest	16.38%
BRD Societate de Administrare a Fondurilor de	Pension fund management	58-60 Gheorghe Polizu Street, floor 8 (zone 1, 2 and 4), district 1, Bucharest	49.00%
Pensii Private SA			
BRD Sogelease Asset Rental SRL	Operational leasing	1-7, Ion Mihalache Street, Bucharest	20.00%
Joint ventures			
CIT One SA	Protection and guard	319L Splaiul Independentei Street, Paris Building/A1, 1st floor, district 6, Bucharest,	33.33%

Bank			
	Field of activity	Address	%
Associates			
ALD Automotive SRL	Operational leasing	1-7, Ion Mihalache Street, floor 3, district 1, Bucharest	20.00%
BRD Asigurari de Viata SA	Insurance	58-60 Gheorghe Polizu Street, Bucharest Corporate Center building, floor 8 (zone 3) and floor 9, district 1, Bucharest	49.00%
Fondul de Garantare a Creditului Rural IFN SA	Loans guarantee	5 Occidentului Street, district 1, Bucharest	33.33%
Biroul de Credit S.A.	Financial institution	29 Sfanta Vineri Street, floor 4, district 3, Bucharest	16.38%
BRD Societate de Administrare a Fondurilor de Pensii Private SA <u>Joint ventures</u>	Pension fund management	58-60 Gheorghe Polizu Street, floor 8 (zone 1, 2 and 4), district 1, Bucharest	49.00%
CIT One SA	Protection and guard	319L Splaiul Independentei Street, Paris Building/A1, 1st floor, district 6, Bucharest,	33.33%
<u>Subsidiaries</u>			
BRD Sogelease IFN SA	Financial lease	1-7, Ion Mihalache Street, floor 12, district 1, Bucharest	99.98%
BRD Finance IFN SA	Financial institution	1-7, Ion Mihalache Street, floor 15, district 1, Bucharest	49.00%
BRD Asset Management SAI SA	Fund administration	2 Doctor Staicovici Street, district 5, floor 5, Bucharest	99.98%

(Amounts in thousands RON)

- 2. Basis of preparation (continued)
- c) Changes in accounting policies and adoption of revised/amended IFRS

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year.

- d) Standards and Interpretations that are issued but have not yet come into effect
- Amendment in IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and IAS 28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures: Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

The amendments address an acknowledged inconsistency between the requirements in IFRS 10 and those in IAS 28, in dealing with the sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associate or joint venture. The main consequence of the amendments is that a full gain or loss is recognized when a transaction involves a business (whether it is housed in a subsidiary or not). A partial gain or loss is recognized when a transaction involves assets that do not constitute a business, even if these assets are housed in a subsidiary. In December 2015 the IASB postponed the effective date of this amendment indefinitely pending the outcome of its research project on the equity method of accounting.

• IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Noncurrent (Amendments)

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024, with earlier application permitted, and will need to be applied retrospectively in accordance with IAS 8. The objective of the amendments is to clarify the principles in IAS 1 for the classification of liabilities as either current or non-current. The amendments clarify the meaning of a right to defer settlement, the requirement for this right to exist at the end of the reporting period, that management intent does not affect current or non-current classification, that options by the counterparty that could result in settlement by the transfer of the entity's own equity instruments do not affect current or non-current classification. Also, the amendments specify that only covenants with which an entity must comply on or before the reporting date will affect a liability's classification. Additional disclosures are also required for non-current liabilities arising from loan arrangements that are subject to covenants to be complied with within twelve months after the reporting period. The amendments have not yet been endorsed by the EU.

• IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements and IFRS Practice Statement 2: Disclosure of Accounting policies (Amendments)

The Amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023 with earlier application permitted. The amendments provide guidance on the application of materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. In particular, the amendments to IAS 1 replace the requirement to disclose 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose 'material' accounting policies. Also, guidance and illustrative examples are added in the Practice Statement to assist in the application of the materiality concept when making judgements about accounting policy disclosures.

(Amounts in thousands RON)

2. Basis of preparation (continued)

- d) Standards and Interpretations that are issued but have not yet come into effect (continued)
- IAS 8 Accounting policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors: Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments)

The amendments become effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023 with earlier application permitted and apply to changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates that occur on or after the start of that period. The amendments introduce a new definition of accounting estimates, defined as monetary amounts in financial statements that are subject to measurement uncertainty, if they do not result from a correction of prior period error. Also, the amendments clarify what changes in accounting estimates are and how these differ from changes in accounting policies and corrections of errors.

• IAS 12 Income taxes: Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction (Amendments)

The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023 with earlier application permitted. The amendments narrow the scope of and provide further clarity on the initial recognition exception under IAS 12 and specify how companies should account for deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a single transaction, such as leases and decommissioning obligations. The amendments clarify that where payments that settle a liability are deductible for tax purposes, it is a matter of judgement, having considered the applicable tax law, whether such deductions are attributable for tax purposes to the liability or to the related asset component. Under the amendments, the initial recognition exception does not apply to transactions that, on initial recognition, give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary differences. It only applies if the recognition of a lease asset and lease liability (or decommissioning liability and decommissioning asset component) give rise to taxable and deductible temporary differences that are not equal.

• IFRS 16 Leases: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback (amendments)

The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024, with earlier application permitted. The amendments are intended to improve the requirements that a seller-lessee uses in measuring the lease liability arising in a sale and leaseback transaction in IFRS 16, while it does not change the accounting for leases unrelated to sale and leaseback transactions. In particular, the seller-lessee determines 'lease payments' or 'revised lease payments' in such a way that the seller-lessee would not recognize any amount of the gain or loss that relates to the right of use it retains. Applying these requirements does not prevent the seller-lessee from recognizing, in profit or loss, any gain or loss relating to the partial or full termination of a lease. A seller-lessee applies the amendment retrospectively in accordance with IAS 8 to sale and leaseback transactions entered into after the date of initial application, being the beginning of the annual reporting period in which an entity first applied IFRS 16.

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2. Basis of preparation (continued)

e) Significant accounting judgments and estimates

In the process of applying the Group and Bank's accounting policies, management is required to use its judgments and make estimates in determining the amounts recognized in the consolidated and separate financial statements. The most significant use of judgments and estimates are as follows:

Fair value of financial instruments

Where the fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded on the statement of financial position cannot be derived from active markets, they are determined using a variety of valuation techniques that include the use of mathematical models. The inputs to these models are derived from observable market data where possible, but where observable market data are not available, judgment is required to establish fair values. The judgments include considerations of liquidity and model inputs such as volatility for longer dated derivatives and discount rates, prepayment rates and default rate assumptions for asset backed securities. The valuation of financial instruments is described in more detail in Note 39.

Expected credit losses on financial assets at amortised cost and FVOCI

The measurement of impairment losses across all categories of financial assets requires judgement, in particular, the estimation of the amount and timing of future cash flows and collateral values when determining impairment losses and the assessment of a significant increase in credit risk. These estimates are driven by a number of factors, changes in which can result in different levels of allowances. The Bank reviews its loans and advances to customers at each reporting date to assess whether there is any objective evidence of impairment. The main considerations for the loan impairment assessment include whether any payments of principal or interest are overdue by more than 90 days, whether a severe alteration in the counterparty's financial standing is observed, entailing a high probability that the debtor will not be able to fully meet its credit obligations, whether concessions in the form of restructuring were consented under the circumstances of financial hardship experienced by the debtor, whether legal procedures were initiated or the debtor was transferred to specialized recovery structures (regardless of the number of days past due). The Bank's expected credit loss model (ECL) relies on several underlying assumptions regarding the choice of variable inputs and their interdependencies, which affect the level of allowances:

- The internal credit grating model, which assigns probabilities of default (PDs) to the individual grades
- The criteria defined (both in relative and absolute terms) for the assessment of significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition and consequently the computation of allowances based on life time expected credit loss (LTECL)
- The grouping of financial assets when their ECL is measured on a collective basis
- The development of ECL model, including the various formulas and the choice of inputs
- The macroeconomic scenarios and their probability weightings based on which ECL is derived
- The inputs and models used for calculating ECL may not always capture all characteristics of the market at the date of the financial statements. To reflect this, the Bank assesses the need/opportunity for additional amounts of provisions in the form of overlays, in order to address:
 - Sector of activity specific risks (adjustment of ECL on sectors that have a different default behavior from the whole calibration segment)
 - Visible macroeconomic threat impossible to be captured by the models (typically, when the predicted stress did not occur in the observed past serving as a base for models)
- For individually significant loans and advances, the Group and Bank identify and quantify the expected future cash flows to be used for a total or partial reimbursement of the obligations, based on the capacity of the client/business to generate revenues, proceeds resulting from sale of collaterals and other clearly identified sources of repayment. The individual assessment threshold is defined in between 500 1,500 thousands EUR, depending on the client type and customers' management departments.

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2. Basis of preparation (continued)

e) Significant accounting judgments and estimates (continued)

Provisions for other risks and charges

The Bank operates in a regulatory and legal environment that, by nature has a heightened element of litigation risk inherent to its operations and, as a result it is involved in various litigations or is subject to various obligations arising from legislation in force.

When the Bank can reliably measure the outflow of economic benefits in relation to a specific case and considers such outflows to be probable, the Bank records a provision against the case, as mentioned in this note. Where the probability of outflow is considered to be remote, or probable, but a reliable estimate cannot be made, a contingent liability is disclosed.

Generally, the first step is to establish the existence of the present obligation followed by the estimation of the amount needed to settle that obligation taking into account a number of factors including legal advice, the stage of the matter and historical evidence from similar incidents. Significant judgment is required to conclude on these estimates.

In case of litigations:

- i. For a single individual litigation the Bank assess whether there is more likely than not to have an unfavourable court decision considering the factors mentioned above; then it estimates the amount at risk; in case there are several scenarios possible with different outcomes, the amount at risk is the weighted average of the amounts at risk for each scenario using the probability distribution for all scenarios (100% is allocated to the possible scenarios) and provisions 100% of the estimated amount;
- ii. For multiple litigations, the assessment of "more likely than not" could be substantiated for the entire population using statistics and provision computation to be made at pool level.

In case of obligations arising from various legislation, the bank assesses first if there is no realistic alternative of settling that obligation, and if not, it estimates the amount needed to settle that obligation (using similar approach as above) and books provisions representing 100% of the estimated amount.

Please refer to note 19 and note 38 for more details.

f) Segment information

A segment is a component of the Group and Bank:

- That engages in business activity from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity);
- Whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance, and;
- For which distinct financial information is available;

The Group and Bank's segment reporting is based on the following segments: *Retail* including Individuals and Small Business, *Non-retail* including Small and Medium Enterprises ("SMEs") and Large corporate and *Corporate Center* including: treasury activities, ALM and other categories unallocated to the business lines mentioned above (fixed assets, taxes, equity investments, etc.).

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3. Segment information

The segments used for management purposes are based on customer type and size, products and services offered as follows:

In Retail (Individuals & Small Business) category the following customer's segments are identified:

- Individuals the Bank provides individual customers with a range of banking products such as: saving and deposits taking, consumer and housing loans, overdrafts, credit card facilities, funds transfer and payment facilities, etc.
- Small business business entities with annual turnover lower than EUR 1 million and having an aggregated exposure at group level less than EUR 0.3 million. Standardised range of banking products is offered to small companies and professional: saving and deposits taking, loans and other credit facilities, etc.

Retail customers include clients with similar characteristics in terms of financing needs, complexity of the activity performed and size of business for which a range of banking products and services with medium to low complexity is provided.

In Non –Retail category the following customer's segments are identified:

- Small and medium enterprises (companies with annual turnover between EUR 1 million and EUR 50 million and the aggregated exposure at group level higher than EUR 0.3 million);
- Large corporate (corporate banking and companies with annual turnover higher than 50 million EUR, municipalities, public sector and other financial institutions).

The Bank provides these customers with a range of banking products and services, including saving and deposits taking, loans and other credit facilities, transfers and payment services, provides cash-management, investment advices, securities business, project and structured finance transaction, syndicated loans and asset backed transactions.

The Corporate Center includes: treasury activities, ALM and other categories unallocated to Retail and Non-Retail business lines.

The Executive Committee monitors the activity of each segment separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment.

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3. Segment information (continued)

Group

	March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)			December 31, 2022				
	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center
Total assets	72,838,566	24,020,864	14,629,388	34,188,314	73,841,767	23,896,003	13,799,733	36,146,031
Loans and advances to customers, net &								
Finance lease receivables	38,650,252	24,020,864	14,629,388	-	37,695,736	23,896,003	13,799,733	-
Other assets	34,188,314	-	-	34,188,314	36,146,031	-	-	36,146,031
Total liabilities	72,838,566	36,634,281	18,939,879	17,264,406	73,841,767	37,096,720	19,564,121	17,180,926
Due to customers	55,574,160	36,634,281	18,939,879	-	56,660,841	37,096,720	19,564,121	
Other liabilities	17,264,406	-	-	17,264,406	17,180,926	-	-	17,180,926

Bank

		March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)			December 31, 2022			
	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center
Total assets	70,472,460	22,925,398	13,513,824	34,033,238	71,522,977	22,780,047	12,762,232	35,980,698
Loans and advances to customers, net	36,439,222	22,925,398	13,513,824	-	35,542,279	22,780,047	12,762,232	-
Other assets	34,033,238	-	-	34,033,238	35,980,698	-	-	35,980,698
Total liabilities	70,472,460	36,634,281	19,158,903	14,679,276	71,522,977	37,096,720	19,819,020	14,607,237
Due to customers	55,793,184	36,634,281	19,158,903		56,915,740	37,096,720	19,819,020	
Other liabilities	14,679,276	-	-	14,679,276	14,607,237	-	-	14,607,237

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3. Segment information (continued)

Group

		Unaudited (*)			Unaudited (*)			
	Three	months ended	l March 31, 20	23	Three months ended March 31, 2022			
	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center
Net interest income	670,538	409,765	191,905	68,868	556,163	370,012	145,285	40,867
Fees and commissions, net	172,330	116,641	56,705	(1,015)	180,008	123,546	58,384	(1,923)
Total non-interest income	92,471	26,305	23,004	43,162	73,361	35,025	24,845	13,490
Operating income	935,339	552,711	271,613	111,015	809,532	528,583	228,514	52,434
Total operating expenses	(508,006)	(343,337)	(143,799)	(20,870)	(459,797)	(331,260)	(117,745)	(10,791)
Cost of risk	(9,448)	(19,115)	17,183	(7,516)	(32,002)	(49,203)	18,252	(1,051)
Profit before income tax	417,885	190,260	144,997	82,628	317,733	148,120	129,021	40,592
Total income tax	(75,782)	(34,514)	(26,303)	(14,964)	(54,511)	(25,410)	(22,133)	(6,968)
Profit for the period	342,103	155,745	118,693	67,664	263,222	122,710	106,888	33,624
Cost Income Ratio	54.3%	62.1%	52.9%	18.8%	56.8%	62.7%	51.5%	20.6%

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3. Segment information (continued)

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		Unaudite	ed (*)		Unaudited (*)			
	Three	months ended	l March 31, 20	23	Three	months ended	March 31, 202	22
	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center	Total	Retail	Non retail	Corporate Center
Net interest income	637,858	391,830	173,605	72,423	522,598	350,657	129,261	42,679
Fees and commissions, net	164,536	111,166	55,671	(2,301)	170,922	116,582	56,885	(2,546)
Total non-interest income	90,967	26,318	23,587	41,062	71,812	34,985	23,438	13,389
Operating income	893,360	529,313	252,863	111,184	765,332	502,227	209,584	53,521
Total operating expenses	(486,604)	(331,605)	(134,135)	(20,865)	(437,477)	(315,768)	(110,825)	(10,884)
Cost of risk	(7,060)	(20,233)	20,690	(7,516)	(31,053)	(38,569)	20,139	(12,623)
Profit before income tax	399,697	177,475	139,418	82,802	296,802	147,890	118,898	30,014
Total income tax	(66,950)	(29,727)	(23,353)	(13,870)	(51,139)	(25,481)	(20,486)	(5,172)
Profit for the period	332,747	147,748	116,066	68,933	245,663	122,407	98,413	24,844
Cost Income Ratio	54.5%	62.6%	53.0%	18.8%	57.2%	62.9%	52.9%	20.3%

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4. Cash and due from Central Bank

	Group		Ban	k
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Cash in vaults	1,939,600	1,898,120	1,939,533	1,898,051
Cash in ATM	445,689	633,229	445,689	633,229
Current accounts with Central Bank	4,370,009	5,093,654	4,370,009	5,093,654
Total	7,455,414	7,625,002	7,455,347	7,624,933

5. Due from banks

	Group)	Ban	k
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Deposits at Romanian banks	136,994	22,001	136,994	22,001
Deposits at foreign banks	1,310,858	622,972	1,294,729	606,997
Current accounts at foreign banks	327,603	652,038	327,603	652,038
Reverse repo	3,609,228	5,450,233	3,609,228	5,450,233
Bonds	482,458	473,718	482,458	473,718
Total	5,867,141	7,220,963	5,851,012	7,204,987

The Due from banks portfolio is classified as Stage 1. The Group and Bank registered an impairment allowance for Due from banks of 47 as at March 31, 2023 (December 31, 2022: 7).

6. Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading

Group			
Unaudited (*)	M	arch 31, 2023	
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)
Interest rate swaps	34,878	321,075	2,283,713
Currency swaps	34,807	18,296	1,525,075
Forward foreign exchange contracts	20,070	32,723	2,079,433
Options	63,425	63,459	3,366,508
Total derivative financial instruments	153,180	435,553	9,254,729
	March 31, 20	23	
-	Assets	Liabilities	
Treasury notes	920,688	63,126	
Trading loans/deposits	-	161,860	
Reverse repo/Repo	300,118	35,553	
Total financial assets and liabilities held for trading	1,220,806	260,539	

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6. Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading (continued)

Group	Dec	ember 31, 2022	
•	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)
Interest rate swaps	33,419	341,983	2,320,369
Currency swaps	47,067	32,726	2,079,583
Forward foreign exchange contracts	34,004	62,621	4,237,999
Options	65,609	65,645	3,053,774
Total derivative financial instruments	180,099	502,975	11,691,725
	December 31,	2022	
	Assets	Liabilities	
Treasury notes	426,524	294,199	
Trading deposits	984,869	616,757	
Repo/Reverse repo	751,885	29,615	
Total financial assets and liabilities held for trading	2,163,278	940,571	
Bank			
Unaudited (*)	Ma	arch 31, 2023	
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)
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	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)
Interest rate swaps	34,878	321,075	2,283,713
Currency swaps	34,807	18,296	1,525,075
Forward foreign exchange contracts	20,076	32,723	2,084,382
Options	63,425	63,459	3,366,508
Total derivative financial instruments	153,186	435,553	9,259,678
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Assets	Liabilities	
903,424	63,126	
-	161,860	
300,118	35,553	
1,203,542	260,539	
	Assets 903,424 - 300,118	

Bank	December 31, 2022				
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)		
Interest rate swaps	33,419	341,983	2,320,369		
Currency swaps	47,067	32,726	2,079,583		
Forward foreign exchange contracts	34,004	62,621	4,237,999		
Options	65,609	65,645	3,053,774		
Total derivative financial instruments	180,099	502,975	11,691,725		

	December 31, 2022				
	Assets	Liabilities			
Treasury notes	420,458	294,199			
Trading deposits	984,869	616,757			
Reverse repo	751,885	29,615			
Total financial assets and liabilities held for trading	2,157,212	940,571			

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6. Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading (continued)

The Group continue to apply hedge accounting (fair value hedge) as at March 31, 2023 and has 4 hedging relationships (4 hedging relationships as at December 31, 2022).

- On June 30, 2018, the Bank initiated two macro fair value hedges one in EUR and one in USD of interest rate risk associated with the current accounts, using several interest rate swaps (pay variable, receive fixed). The change in the fair value of the macro fair value hedge swaps offsets the change in the fair value of the hedged portion of the current accounts. The hedged items are represented by the portion of the current accounts portfolio equal to the swaps nominal values of:
- 108 million EUR yearly with a fixed interest rate of 0.42%, the remaining period of 5.26 years.
- 30 million EUR yearly with a fixed interest rate of 0.171%, the remaining period of 2.26 years.
- 16 million EUR yearly with a fixed interest rate of -0.0125%, the remaining period of 0.25 years.
- 14 million EUR yearly with a fixed interest rate of -0.0125%; the remaining period of 0.25 years.
- 24 million USD yearly with a fixed interest rate of 2.813%; the remaining period of 5.26 years.
- 6 million USD yearly with a fixed interest rate of 2.765%; the remaining period of 0.25 years.
- In October 30, 2020 the Bank initiated a macro fair value hedge of interest rate risk associated with the current accounts, using several interest rate swaps (pay variable, receive fixed). The change in the fair value of the macro fair value hedge swaps offsets the change in the fair value of the hedged portion of the current accounts. The hedged item is represented by the portion of the current accounts portfolio equal to the swaps nominal of 280 million EUR. The swap has a fixed interest rate of -0.403% and a remaining period of 7.59 years.
- On September 30, 2021 the Bank initiated a macro fair value hedge of interest rate risk associated with the current accounts, using several interest rate swaps (pay variable, receive fixed). The change in the fair value of the macro fair value hedge swaps offsets the change in the fair value of the hedged portion of the current accounts. The hedged item is represented by the portion of the current accounts portfolio equal to the swaps nominal of 120 million EUR. The swap has a fixed interest rate of -0.337% and a remaining period of 3.50 years.

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6. Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading (continued)

All hedging relationships have quarterly settlement periods for both fixed and variable legs. The hedging relationships were effective throughout the reporting period.

Main source of hedge ineffectiveness that might be expected to affect the hedging relationships is the amortization model of current accounts. However, the amortization of the hedged item is based on a behavioral ALM model that is reviewed / back tested on a yearly basis. In order to avoid inefficiency generated by the underestimated amortization of the current accounts, maximum 70% of the current accounts portfolio per each time band is designated as hedged item.

The hedging relationship were designated on the date of the IRS origination. At that date, the theoretical derivative was built as to match the interest rate behavior of the current accounts, the hedged item (i.e. a spread was added to the variable leg so that the fair value of the theoretical swap on the designation date to be zero). Consequently no other major sources of ineffectiveness were identified.

As at March 31, 2023, the accumulated amount of fair value hedge adjustments on the current accounts hedged item are included in the carrying amount and presented in due to customer line in the statement of financial position and amounts to -277,832. The change in value of the hedged item during the period is explained by the cumulated effect of a gain from revaluation in amount of -22,189 and of the exchange rate evolution effect in amount of 18.

The fair value of hedging instrument for Group and Bank was the following:

		March 31, 2023						
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)					
Interest rate swaps	-	284,788	2,947,478					
		December 31, 2022						
	Assets	Liabilities	Notional (total)					
Interest rate swaps	-	305,027	2,949,161					

Forwards

Forward contracts are contractual agreements to buy or sell a specified financial instrument at a specific price and date in the future. Forwards are customised contracts transacted in the over-the-counter market.

Swans

Swaps are contractual agreements between two parties to exchange streams of payments over time based on specified notional amounts, in relation to movements in a specified underlying index such as an interest rate, foreign currency rate or equity index.

Interest rate swaps relate to contracts concluded by the Bank with other financial institutions in which the Bank either receives or pays a floating rate of interest in return for paying or receiving, respectively, a fixed rate of interest. The payment flows are usually netted against each other, with the difference being paid by one party to the other. In a currency swap, the Bank pays a specified amount in one currency and receives a specified amount in another currency. Currency swaps are mostly gross–settled.

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6. Derivatives and other financial instruments held for trading (continued)

Options

Options are contractual agreements that convey the right, but not the obligation, for the purchaser either to buy or sell a specific amount of a financial instrument at a fixed price, either at a fixed future date or at any time within a specified period. The Bank purchases and sells options in the over-the-counter markets.

Options purchased by the Bank provide the Bank with the opportunity to purchase (call options) or sell (put options) the underlying asset at an agreed-upon value either on or before the expiration of the option.

The Bank is exposed to credit risk on purchased options only to the extent of their carrying amount, which is their fair value. Options written by the Bank provide the purchaser the opportunity to purchase from or sell to the Bank the underlying asset at an agreed-upon value either on or before the expiration of the option. The options are kept in order to neutralize the customer deals.

Trading treasury notes are treasury discount notes and coupon bonds held for trading purposes. All the treasury notes in Bank's portfolio are issued by the Romanian Government in RON, EUR and USD.

Trading loans/deposits (including reverse repo/repo) are financial instruments originated by clients or interbank flow and the associated risk management, those resulting from Bank obligations as primary dealer and from Bank position al liquidity provider.

7. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	Group)	Ban	k
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Equity investments	9,485	8,133	9,485	8,132
Other securities	4,329	6,130	-	-
Total	13,813	14,262	9,485	8,132

Equity investments

Other equity investments represent shares in Romanian Commodities Exchange (Bursa de Valori Bucuresti), Romanian Credit Guarantee Fund for Private Investors (Fondul Roman de Garantare a Creditelor pentru Intreprinzatorii Privati SA), National Society for Transfer of Funds and Settlements-TransFonD (Societatea Nationala de Transfer de Fonduri si Decontari), SWIFT, Shareholders' Register for the National Securities Commission (Depozitarul Central S.A.), Bucharest Stock Exchange (Bursa Romana de Marfuri SA).

Other securities

The Group participation in BRD Asset Management funds as at March 31, 2023 is the following:

March 31, 2023	Unit value RON	No of units	Market value
BRD Oportunitati clasa A	105	8,400	885
BRD Oportunitati clasa E	130	2,000	260
BRD Orizont 2035 clasa A	102	13,100	1,334
BRD Orizont 2035 clasa E	126	2,000	252
BRD Orizont 2045 clasa A	102	13,150	1,345
BRD Orizont 2045 clasa E	126	2,000	253
Total			4,329

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8. Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income include treasury notes, respectively treasury discount notes and coupon bonds issued by the Ministry of Public Finance, in amount of 11,272,382 (December 31, 2022: 10,982,029) rated as very good according to internal rating, bonds issued by French State in amount of 1,979,353 (December 31, 2022: 1,939,772) and bonds issued by the Belgian State in amount of 524,286 (December 31, 2022: 517,795) rated as very good according to internal rating.

As at March 31, 2023, these financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income are classified as Stage 1 and ECL impairment allowance amounts to 2,580 (December 31, 2022: 2,558).

9. Financial assets at amortised cost

9.1. Loans and advances to customers

	Gro	ир	Bank			
	Unaudited (*)	Ţ	Jnaudited (*)			
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	, December 31, 2022		
	2023	2022	2023			
Loans, gross	38,967,132	38,053,311	38,161,863	37,242,399		
Loans impairment	(1,787,810)	(1,764,969)	(1,722,641)	(1,700,120)		
Total	37,179,322	36,288,342	36,439,222	35,542,279		

The structure of loans is the following:

	Gro	up	Bar	ık
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Working capital loans	8,407,105	7,158,039	8,407,105	7,158,039
Loans for equipment	3,825,829	3,650,998	3,418,545	3,275,108
Trade activities financing	1,094,980	1,385,051	1,094,980	1,385,051
Acquisition of real estate, including				
mortgage for individuals	14,594,257	14,476,288	14,594,257	14,476,288
Consumer loans	9,047,883	9,014,881	8,649,898	8,579,859
Other	1,997,078	2,368,053	1,997,078	2,368,053
Total	38,967,132	38,053,311	38,161,863	37,242,399

During 2023 the gross loan portfolio increased by 919 million RON as compared with 31 December 2022.

As at 31 March 2023 the Bank's gross loan portfolio and movements were distributed as follows:

- Stage 1: 28,648 million RON, with a 1,470 million increase compared to 31 December 2022
- Stage 2: 8,431 million RON, with a 571 million RON decrease compared to 31 December 2022
- Stage 3: 1,031 million RON, with 21 million RON increase compared to 31 December 2022
- POCI: 52 million RON, with 1 million decrease compared to 31 December 2022.

As of March 31, 2023 the amortized cost of loans granted to the 20 largest corporate clients (groups of connected borrowers) amounts to 5,216,444 (December 31, 2022: 4,748,797), while the value of letters of guarantee and letters of credit issued in favour of these clients amounts for the Group and Bank to 4,765,560 (December 31, 2022: 5,148,297).

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Sector analysis of loans granted and impairment allowance

Group					84	2022				
Unaudited (*) %	Stage	1	Stage	. 2	March 31, 2 Stage		POC		Tota	ı
70	Gross carrying	Impairment	Gross carrying	Impairment	Gross carrying	Impairment	Gross carrying	Impairment	Gross carrying	Impairment
	amount	allowance	amount	allowance	amount	allowance	amount	allowance	amount	allowance
Individuals	53.3%	33.1%	84.2%	84.5%	72.0%	73.8%	52.4%	14.1%	60.7%	67.3%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3.8%	6.4%	3.1%	3.9%	4.2%	4.9%	0.0%	0.0%	3.6%	4.8%
Mining and quarrying	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manufacturing	7.5%	11.3%	3.0%	2.8%	2.3%	2.6%	1.5%	0.9%	6.4%	4.5%
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	5.4%	5.5%	1.8%	0.2%	1.9%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	4.5%	1.6%
Water supply	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Construction	2.6%	4.8%	0.5%	1.5%	4.6%	5.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.2%	3.8%
Wholesale and retail trade	12.2%	19.5%	2.2%	2.1%	2.1%	1.3%	2.6%	2.4%	9.7%	5.6%
Transport and storage	1.9%	3.5%	0.5%	0.5%	4.2%	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%	1.7%	2.2%
Accommodation and food service activities	0.9%	1.5%	0.3%	0.5%	2.8%	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	2.0%
Information and communication	1.5%	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.4%
Financial institutions	3.4%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.6%	1.0%
Real estate activities	1.1%	2.1%	2.4%	1.7%	3.1%	3.8%	42.8%	81.2%	1.5%	3.9%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.5%
Administrative and support service activities	0.4%	0.6%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	1.4%	0.3%	0.2%
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	3.5%	2.5%	0.3%	0.2%	1.5%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	2.8%	1.0%
Education	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
Human health services and social work activities	1.3%	2.2%	0.6%	1.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	0.8%
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Other services	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Sector analysis of loans granted and impairment allowance (continued)

Bank										
Unaudited (*)					March 31,	2023				
%	Stage	1	Stage	2	Stage	: 3	POC	l	Tota	I
	Gross carrying	Impairment								
	amount	allowance								
Individuals	53.1%	31.6%	86.0%	85.8%	71.7%	73.2%	52.4%	14.1%	60.8%	67.0%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3.5%	6.5%	1.5%	2.5%	3.7%	4.7%	0.0%	0.0%	3.1%	4.3%
Mining and quarrying	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manufacturing	7.7%	11.6%	3.1%	2.8%	2.4%	2.7%	1.5%	0.9%	6.5%	4.7%
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	5.5%	5.6%	1.9%	0.2%	2.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	4.6%	1.6%
Water supply	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Construction	2.7%	4.9%	0.5%	1.6%	4.9%	5.3%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	4.0%
Wholesale and retail trade	12.4%	19.9%	2.2%	2.2%	2.1%	1.3%	2.6%	2.4%	9.8%	5.8%
Transport and storage	1.6%	3.5%	0.2%	0.3%	4.1%	2.7%	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%	2.1%
Accommodation and food service activities	0.9%	1.5%	0.2%	0.5%	3.0%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	2.0%
Information and communication	1.6%	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.4%
Financial institutions	3.6%	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.7%	1.0%
Real estate activities	1.2%	2.2%	2.5%	1.8%	3.3%	4.0%	42.8%	81.2%	1.6%	4.0%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.5%
Administrative and support service activities	0.4%	0.6%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	1.4%	0.3%	0.2%
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	3.6%	2.5%	0.3%	0.2%	1.6%	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%	2.8%	1.0%
Education	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
Human health services and social work activities	1.4%	2.2%	0.6%	1.0%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.9%
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Other services	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Sector analysis of loans granted and impairment allowance (continued)

Group					December 31	, 2022				
%	Stage	1	Stage	2	Stage	3	POC	l	Total	
	Gross carrying	Impairment								
_	amount	allowance								
Individuals	54.7%	35.1%	82.3%	83.1%	70.7%	72.3%	52.8%	12.9%	61.8%	67.3%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3.8%	6.3%	2.8%	3.6%	4.2%	4.6%	0.0%	0.0%	3.5%	4.6%
Mining and quarrying	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Manufacturing	7.5%	11.1%	2.7%	2.5%	3.0%	3.2%	1.6%	0.7%	6.2%	4.6%
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	5.3%	5.2%	1.8%	0.3%	2.6%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%	1.6%
Water supply	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.1%
Construction	2.3%	4.4%	0.3%	0.3%	7.0%	7.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.9%	4.3%
Wholesale and retail trade	11.8%	18.2%	1.9%	1.6%	1.9%	1.3%	2.6%	2.3%	9.1%	4.9%
Transport and storage	2.1%	3.8%	0.9%	2.0%	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	1.7%
Accommodation and food service activities	0.9%	1.6%	0.1%	0.2%	3.9%	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	2.0%
Information and communication	1.7%	1.7%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	0.4%
Financial institutions	2.3%	3.2%	2.9%	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.4%	1.4%
Real estate activities	1.2%	2.4%	2.7%	2.0%	1.1%	1.5%	42.4%	82.9%	1.6%	3.0%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.2%	2.8%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	1.7%
Administrative and support service activities	0.4%	0.7%	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.6%	1.3%	0.3%	0.3%
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	3.7%	2.7%	0.3%	0.3%	2.0%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%	1.0%
Education	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
Human health services and social work activities	1.2%	2.0%	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	0.8%
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Other services	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Sector analysis of loans granted and impairment allowance (continued)

Bank					December 31	, 2022				
%	Stage	1	Stage	2	Stage	3	POC	l	Total	l
	Gross carrying	Impairment								
_	amount	allowance								
Individuals	54.3%	33.2%	83.8%	84.3%	70.2%	71.5%	52.8%	12.9%	61.8%	67.0%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3.6%	6.5%	1.4%	2.5%	3.8%	4.5%	0.0%	0.0%	3.1%	4.1%
Mining and quarrying	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Manufacturing	7.6%	11.5%	2.8%	2.6%	3.2%	3.3%	1.6%	0.7%	6.3%	4.7%
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	5.4%	5.3%	1.8%	0.3%	2.7%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	4.4%	1.6%
Water supply	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%
Construction	2.3%	4.5%	0.3%	0.3%	7.3%	7.9%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	4.5%
Wholesale and retail trade	12.0%	18.8%	1.7%	1.5%	1.9%	1.3%	2.6%	2.3%	9.2%	5.0%
Transport and storage	1.8%	3.8%	0.6%	1.8%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%	1.5%
Accommodation and food service activities	0.9%	1.7%	0.1%	0.1%	4.1%	3.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.8%	2.0%
Information and communication	1.7%	1.8%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.3%	0.4%
Financial institutions	2.5%	3.3%	3.0%	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.6%	1.4%
Real estate activities	1.3%	2.5%	2.8%	2.1%	1.1%	1.5%	42.4%	82.9%	1.7%	3.1%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%	0.2%	3.0%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	1.8%
Administrative and support service activities	0.4%	0.7%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.6%	1.3%	0.3%	0.3%
Public administration and defence, compulsory social security	3.8%	2.8%	0.3%	0.3%	2.1%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%	1.1%
Education	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
Human health services and social work activities	1.2%	2.0%	0.5%	0.8%	0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	1.0%	0.8%
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.2%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.1%
Other services	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Rating analysis of loans

Considering the internal rating quality, the exposures of the counterparties not impaired are split in 4 categories which are defined below:

Very good – The counterparty is considered to be very reliable. The capacity to service its debt is very strong.

Good – The counterparty is judged to be of good quality. The capacity to service its debt is strong but counterparty is somewhat more sensitive to adverse changes in circumstances and economic conditions.

Standard grade – The counterparty has an average solvency. The ability to service its debt is still sufficient, but more likely to be undermined by unfavorable economic conditions and changes in circumstances.

Sub-standard grade - The counterparty reflected credit behavior or financial deterioration implying increased credit risk. Timely debt service repayment is uncertain and depends on favorable economic and financial conditions. Close and more frequent monitoring of the client's capacity to service the bank debt is needed, in order to be able to react to a potential deterioration via implementation of corrective measures.

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Rating analysis of loans (continued)

Group Unaudited (*)	Retail lending March 31, 2023									
	March 31, 2023									
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total					
Gross carrying amount										
Internal rating grade										
Very good grade	9,009,491	6,270	-	-	9,015,761					
Good grade	5,789,642	4,960,957	-	-	10,750,599					
Standard grade	1,163,753	1,626,612	-	-	2,790,365					
Sub-standard grade	-	764,100	-	18,749	782,849					
Non- performing	-	-	762,520	8,729	771,248					
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	16,404	158	16,561					
Not rated internally	442,749	121,472	53,603	-	617,825					
Total	16,405,636	7,479,411	816,122	27,477	24,728,647					
Provision allowance										
Internal rating grade										
Very good grade	(48,469)	(91)	-	-	(48,560)					
Good grade	(46,825)	(111,835)	-	-	(158,660)					
Standard grade	(32,809)	(170,724)	-	-	(203,533)					
Sub-standard grade	-	(193,771)	-	(102)	(193,872)					
Non- performing	-	-	(577,614)	(3,473)	(581,086)					
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(15,869)	(121)	(15,991)					
Not rated internally	(9,680)	(10,484)	(40,851)	-	(61,016)					
Total	(137,784)	(486,905)	(618,465)	(3,574)	(1,246,728)					
Net Carying amount	16,267,852	6,992,506	197,658	23,903	23,481,920					

Non-Retail lending

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	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Good grade	8,745,486	580,015	-	-	9,325,501
Standard grade	4,065,603	237,618	-	-	4,303,222
Sub-standard grade	-	315,807	-	720	316,528
Non- performing	-	-	268,973	24,261	293,235
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	245,687	24,261	269,948
Total	12,811,089	1,133,441	268,973	24,982	14,238,485
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Good grade	(146,650)	(20,453)	-	-	(167,103)
Standard grade	(111,670)	(16,832)	-	-	(128,502)
Sub-standard grade	-	(34,817)	-	(20)	(34,837)
Non- performing	-	-	(188,931)	(21,709)	(210,641)
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	(172,788)	(21,714)	(194,502)
Total	(258,320)	(72,102)	(188,931)	(21,730)	(541,083)
Net Carying amount	12,552,769	1,061,340	80,042	3,252	13,697,402

Total

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	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	9,009,491	6,270	-	-	9,015,761
Good grade	14,535,128	5,540,972	-	-	20,076,100
Standard grade	5,229,357	1,864,230	-	-	7,093,587
Sub-standard grade	-	1,079,907	-	19,469	1,099,376
Non- performing	-	-	1,031,493	32,990	1,064,483
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	262,090	24,419	286,510
Not rated internally	442,749	121,472	53,603	-	617,825
Total	29,216,725	8,612,852	1,085,096	52,459	38,967,132
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	(48,469)	(91)	-	-	(48,560)
Good grade	(193,476)	(132,288)	-	-	(325,763)
Standard grade	(144,479)	(187,556)	-	-	(332,035)
Sub-standard grade	-	(228,587)	-	(122)	(228,710)
Non- performing	-	-	(766,545)	(25,182)	(791,727)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(188,657)	(21,835)	(210,492)
Not rated internally	(9,680)	(10,484)	(40,851)	-	(61,016)
Total	(396,104)	(559,007)	(807,396)	(25,304)	(1,787,810)
Net Carying amount	28,820,621	8,053,845	277,700	27,155	37,179,322

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statements

^(*) Unaudited / unreviewed by the financial auditor

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Rating analysis of loans (continued)

Bank	Retail lending March 31, 2023					
Unaudited (*)						
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Gross carrying amount						
Internal rating grade						
Very good grade	9,009,491	6,270	-	-	9,015,761	
Good grade	5,789,642	4,960,957	-	-	10,750,599	
Standard grade	1,163,753	1,626,612	-	-	2,790,365	
Sub-standard grade	-	764,100	-	18,749	782,849	
Non- performing	-	-	762,520	8,729	771,248	
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	16,404	158	16,561	
Not rated internally	289	-	-	-	289	
Total	15,963,175	7,357,938	762,520	27,477	24,111,111	
Provision allowance						
Internal rating grade						
Very good grade	(48,469)	(91)	-	-	(48,560)	
Good grade	(46,825)	(111,835)	-	-	(158,660)	
Standard grade	(32,809)	(170,724)	-	-	(203,533)	
Sub-standard grade	-	(193,771)	-	(102)	(193,872)	
Non- performing	-	-	(577,614)	(3,473)	(581,086)	
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	(15,869)	(121)	(15,991)	
Total	(128,103)	(476,421)	(577,614)	(3,574)	(1,185,712)	
Net Carying amount	15,835,072	6,881,517	184,906	23,903	22,925,398	

Non-Retail lending March 31, 2023

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Good grade	8,727,493	576,659	-	-	9,304,152
Standard grade	3,956,920	207,423	-	-	4,164,343
Sub-standard grade	-	289,053	-	720	289,773
Non- performing	-	-	268,222	24,261	292,484
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	245,687	24,261	269,948
Total	12,684,413	1,073,135	268,222	24,982	14,050,752
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Good grade	(146,476)	(20,285)	-	-	(166,761)
Standard grade	(111,227)	(15,321)	-	-	(126,548)
Sub-standard grade	-	(33,536)	-	(20)	(33,557)
Non- performing	-	-	(188,353)	(21,709)	(210,063)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(172,788)	(21,714)	(194,502)
Total	(257,704)	(69,142)	(188,353)	(21,730)	(536,929)
Net Carying amount	12,426,709	1,003,993	79,869	3,252	13,513,824

Total March 31, 2023

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	9,009,491	6,270	-	-	9,015,761
Good grade	14,517,135	5,537,616	-	-	20,054,751
Standard grade	5,120,674	1,834,034	-	-	6,954,708
Sub-standard grade	-	1,053,153	-	19,469	1,072,622
Non- performing	-	-	1,030,742	32,990	1,063,732
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	262,090	24,419	286,510
Not rated internally	289	-	-	-	289
Total	28,647,588	8,431,073	1,030,742	52,459	38,161,863
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	(48,469)	(91)	-	-	(48,560)
Good grade	(193,302)	(132,120)	-	-	(325,421)
Standard grade	(144,037)	(186,045)	-	-	(330,081)
Sub-standard grade	-	(227,307)	-	(122)	(227,429)
Non- performing	-	-	(765,967)	(25,182)	(791,149)
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	(188,657)	(21,835)	(210,492)
Total	(385,807)	(545,563)	(765,967)	(25,304)	(1,722,641)
Net Carying amount	28,261,781	7,885,510	264,775	27,155	36,439,221

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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Rating analysis of loans (continued)

Group					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	8,682,463	6,044	-	-	8,688,507
Good grade	5,771,318	5,205,882	-	-	10,977,199
Standard grade	1,086,252	1,647,851	-	-	2,734,102
Sub-standard grade	-	791,378	-	18,885	810,262
Non- performing	-	-	729,609	8,880	738,489
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	19,698	113	19,811
Not rated internally	496,465	107,354	48,997	-	652,817
Total	16,036,497	7,758,509	778,606	27,765	24,601,377
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	(46,987)	(90)	-	-	(47,077)
Good grade	(47,240)	(117,360)	-	-	(164,600)
Standard grade	(29,607)	(174,635)	-	-	(204,243)
Sub-standard grade	-	(203,440)	-	(92)	(203,533)
Non- performing	-	-	(546,491)	(3,127)	(549,617)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(18,993)	(87)	(19,080)
Not rated internally	(11,475)	(10,023)	(38,313)		(59,811)
Total	(135,309)	(505,549)	(584,804)	(3,219)	(1,228,881)
Net Carying amount	15,901,189	7,252,959	193,802	24,546	23,372,496

	Non-Retail lending December 31, 2022				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade					
Good grade	8,095,047	865,172	-	-	8,960,218
Standard grade	3,628,529	231,841	-	-	3,860,370
Sub-standard grade	-	324,606	-	814	325,420
Non- performing	-	-	281,901	24,025	305,926
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	254,369	24,025	278,394
Total	11,723,576	1,421,619	281,901	24,838	13,451,935
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade					
Good grade	(136,420)	(34,204)	-	-	(170,624)
Standard grade	(95,791)	(15,845)	-	-	(111,636)
Sub-standard grade	-	(36,277)	-	(64)	(36,341)
Non- performing	-	-	(195,865)	(21,623)	(217,488)
(out of which) Individual assessment		-	(178,010)	(21,625)	(199,634)
Total	(232,210)	(86,326)	(195,865)	(21,687)	(536,088)
Net Carying amount	11,491,365	1,335,293	86,037	3,151	12,915,846

Total December 31, 2022					
Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
	-				
8,682,463	6,044	-	-	8,688,507	
13,866,364	6,071,054	-	-	19,937,418	
4,714,780	1,879,692	-	-	6,594,472	
-	1,115,984	-	19,698	1,135,683	
-	-	1,011,510	32,905	1,044,415	
-	-	274,067	24,137	298,205	
496,465	107,354	48,997	-	652,817	
27,760,073	9,180,128	1,060,507	52,603	38,053,312	
(46,987)	(90)	-	-	(47,077)	
(183,659)	(151,564)	-	-	(335,224)	
(125,398)	(190,481)	-	-	(315,879)	
-	(239,717)	-	(156)	(239,873)	
-	-	(742,355)	(24,750)	(767,105)	
-	-	(197,003)	(21,711)	(218,714)	
(11,475)	(10,023)	(38,313)	-	(59,811)	
(367,519)	(591,876)	(780,668)	(24,906)	(1,764,969)	
27,392,554	8,588,252	279,839	27,697	36,288,342	
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9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Rating analysis of loans (continued)

Bank					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	ber 31, 2022 Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	8,682,463	6,044	-	-	8,688,507
Good grade	5,771,318	5,205,882	-	-	10,977,199
Standard grade	1,086,252	1,647,851	-	-	2,734,102
Sub-standard grade	-	791,378	-	18,885	810,262
Non- performing	-	-	729,609	8,880	738,489
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	19,698	113	19,811
Not rated internally	556	-	-	-	556
Total	15,540,588	7,651,154	729,609	27,765	23,949,116
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	(46,987)	(90)	-	-	(47,077)
Good grade	(47,240)	(117,360)	-	-	(164,600)
Standard grade	(29,607)	(174,635)	-	-	(204,243)
Sub-standard grade	-	(203,440)	-	(92)	(203,533)
Non- performing	-	-	(546,491)	(3,127)	(549,617)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(18,993)	(87)	(19,080)
Total	(123,834)	(495,526)	(546,491)	(3,219)	(1,169,070)
Net Carying amount	15,416,754	7,155,628	183,118	24,546	22,780,047

	Non-Retail lending December 31, 2022				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade					
Good grade	8,095,605	864,840	-	-	8,960,445
Standard grade	3,541,813	202,648	-	-	3,744,461
Sub-standard grade	-	283,507	-	814	284,320
Past due but not impaired	-	-	-	-	-
Non- performing	-	-	280,031	24,025	304,056
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	254,369	24,025	278,394
Total	11,637,418	1,350,995	280,031	24,838	13,293,282
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade					
Good grade	(136,238)	(34,187)	-	-	(170,425)
Standard grade	(95,438)	(14,384)	-	-	(109,822)
Sub-standard grade	-	(34,220)	-	(64)	(34,284)
Non- performing	-	-	(194,896)	(21,623)	(216,519)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(178,010)	(21,625)	(199,634)
Total	(231,676)	(82,792)	(194,896)	(21,687)	(531,051)
Net Carying amount	11,405,742	1,268,203	85,135	3,151	12,762,232

			Total		
		Decem	ber 31, 2022		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Gross carrying amount					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	8,682,463	6,044	-	-	8,688,507
Good grade	13,866,922	6,070,722	-	-	19,937,644
Standard grade	4,628,065	1,850,499	-	-	6,478,563
Sub-standard grade	-	1,074,884	-	19,698	1,094,583
Non- performing	-	-	1,009,640	32,905	1,042,545
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	274,067	24,137	298,205
Not rated internally	556	-	-	-	556
Total	27,178,006	9,002,150	1,009,640	52,603	37,242,399
Provision allowance					
Internal rating grade					
Very good grade	(46,987)	(90)	-	-	(47,077)
Good grade	(183,477)	(151,548)	-	-	(335,025)
Standard grade	(125,045)	(189,020)	-	-	(314,065)
Sub-standard grade	-	(237,660)	-	(156)	(237,817)
Non- performing	-	-	(741,386)	(24,750)	(766,136)
(out of which) Individual assessment	-	-	(197,003)	(21,711)	(218,714)
Total	(355,510)	(578,318)	(741,386)	(24,906)	(1,700,120)
Net Carying amount	26,822,496	8,423,832	268,253	27,697	35,542,279

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9.1. Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Impairment allowance movement

Group Unaudited (*)	Retail lending						
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total		
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	135,308	505,549	584,804	3,219	1,228,880		
New assets originated or purchased	23,647	6,817	1,595	1	32,060		
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(3,569)	(8,924)	(10,979)	(15)	(23,488)		
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(13,903)	(13,993)	633	488	(26,775)		
Movements due to change in classification	(3,705)	(2,588)	54,519	69	48,295		
Amounts written off	-	-	(12,115)	(187)	(12,302)		
Other adjustments	6	45	7	0	58		
Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023	137,784	486,905	618,464	3,575	1,246,728		

	Non-Retail lending					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	232,210	86,326	195,865	21,687	536,088	
New assets originated or purchased	34,808	7,013	757	-	42,578	
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(22,596)	(3,899)	(14,627)	(0)	(41,122)	
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	5,232	(1,453)	6,967	36	10,782	
Movements due to change in classification	8,646	(15,899)	334	-	(6,920)	
Amounts written off	-	-	(1)	(0)	(1)	
Other adjustments	21	14	(363)	7	(322)	
Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023	258.320	72,101	188,931	21,730	541.082	

	Total					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	367,518	591,875	780,670	24,906	1,764,970	
New assets originated or purchased	58,455	13,830	2,352	1	74,638	
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(26,166)	(12,823)	(25,606)	(15)	(64,610)	
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(8,671)	(15,445)	7,600	524	(15,993)	
Movements due to change in classification	4,941	(18,488)	54,853	69	41,375	
Amounts written off	-	-	(12,116)	(187)	(12,304)	
Other adjustments	26	59	(358)	6	(266)	
Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023	396,104	559,008	807,395	25,303	1,787,810	

(Amounts in thousands RON)

9.1. Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Impairment allowance movement (continued)

Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023

Bank						
Unaudited (*)	Retail lending					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	123,834	495,526	546,491	3,219	1,169,070	
New assets originated or purchased	23,515	4,763	368	1	28,647	
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(3,555)	(8,658)	(10,976)	(15)	(23,205)	
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(13,868)	(13,503)	(573)	488	(27,456)	
Movements due to change in classification	(1,828)	(1,750)	54,414	69	50,905	
Amounts written off	-	-	(12,115)	(187)	(12,302)	
Other adjustments	5	43	6	0	54	
Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023	128,104	476,421	577,614	3,575	1,185,712	
	Non-Retail lending					
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total	
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	231,675	82,792	194,896	21,687	531,050	
New assets originated or purchased	34,700	6,456	768	-	41,924	
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(22,595)	(3,898)	(14,618)	(0)	(41,110)	
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	6,396	(1,017)	6,895	36	12,310	
Movements due to change in classification	7,506	(15,204)	777	-	(6,920)	
Amounts written off	-	-	(1)	(0)	(1)	
Other adjustments	20	13	(363)	7	(323)	
Impairment allowance as at 31 March 2023	257,703	69,142	188,353	21,730	536,929	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Total Stage 3	POCI	<u>Total</u>	
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2023	355,510	578,318	741,386	24,906	1,700,120	
New assets originated or purchased	58,215	11,219	1,135	1	70,571	
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(26,149)	(12,556)	(25,594)	(15)	(64,315)	
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(7,472)	(14,520)	6,322	524	(15,147)	
Movements due to change in classification	5,678	(16,954)	55,191	69	43,984	
Amounts written off	-	-	(12,116)	(187)	(12,304)	
Other adjustments	26	56	(358)	7	(269)	

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(Amounts in thousands RON)

9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Impairment allowance movement (continued)

3.00ap		Retail lending			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	133,801	457,954	602,990	3,875	1,198,619
New assets originated or purchased	88,882	22,940	10,229	9	122,060
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(15,373)	(30,293)	(105,813)	(467)	(151,945)
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(49,371)	(17,293)	(357)	1,528	(65,494)
Movements due to change in classification	(22,631)	72,287	174,935	(20)	224,571
Amounts written off	-	-	(97,064)	(1,695)	(98,759)
Other adjustments	1	(46)	(116)	(10)	(171)
Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022	135,308	505,549	584,804	3,219	1,228,880

		Non-Ketan lending			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	175,458	100,573	255,406	24,742	556,180
New assets originated or purchased	151,155	46,900	22,406	-	220,461
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(97,119)	(27,058)	(57,544)	(367)	(182,088)
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	6,025	(27,730)	(15,779)	(2,685)	(40,168)
Movements due to change in classification	(3,306)	(6,373)	11,077	-	1,398
Amounts written off	-	-	(19,601)	(0)	(19,601)
Other adjustments	(4)	14	(101)	(3)	(94)
Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022	232,210	86,326	195,865	21,687	536,088

Non-Retail lending

	Total				
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	309,259	558,527	858,398	28,617	1,754,801
New assets originated or purchased	240,037	69,840	32,635	9	342,521
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs) Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(112,492) (43,346)	(57,351) (45,023)	(163,357) (16,136)	(834) (1,157)	(334,033) (105,662)
Movements due to change in classification	(25,937)	65,915	186,012	(20)	225,969
Amounts written off	-	-	(116,665)	(1,695)	(118,360)
Other adjustments	(3)	(31)	(219)	(14)	(267)
Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022	367,518	591,876	780,668	24,905	1,764,968

(Amounts in thousands RON)

9.1 Loans and advances to customers (continued)

Impairment allowance movement (continued)

Deal					
Bank			Retail lending		
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	118,917	451,772	544,071	3,875	1,118,635
New assets originated or purchased	88,678	17,592	2,359	9	108,637
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(15,357)	(30,269)	(105,481)	(467)	(151,573)
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(49,332)	(18,027)	(1,055)	1,528	(66,886)
Movements due to change in classification	(19,059)	74,491	176,608	(20)	232,019
Amounts written off	-	-	(69,895)	(1,695)	(71,590)
Other adjustments	(12)	(33)	(116)	(10)	(171)
Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022	123,834	495,526	546,491	3,219	1,169,070
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022 New assets originated or purchased Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs) Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification Movements due to change in classification	Stage 1 175,057 150,889 (97,091) 7,184 (4,360)	97,758 44,715 (26,804) (27,607) (5,284)	252,985 22,406 (57,143) (14,692) 11,042	24,742 - (367) (2,685)	Total 550,542 218,011 (181,406) (37,800) 1,398
Amounts written off	- 1	-	(19,601)	(0)	(19,601)
Other adjustments	(4)	14	(100)	(3)	(93)
Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022	231,675	82,792	194,896	21,687	531,050
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Total Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	293,973	549,531	797,056	28,617	1,669,176
New assets originated or purchased	239,567	62,307	24,765	9	326,648
Assets derecognised or repaid (excluding write offs)	(112,448)	(57,073)	(162,624)	(834)	(332,979)
Net provision movement for assets that did not change classification	(42,148)	(45,634)	(15,747)	(1,157)	(104,687)
Movements due to change in classification	(23,419)	69,207	187,650	(20)	233,417
Amounts written off	· - '	-	(89,496)	(1,695)	(91,191)
Other adjustments	(16)	(19)	(216)	(12)	(263)

9.2 Treasury bills at amortised cost

Impairment allowance as at 31 December 2022

Treasury bills at amortised cost income include bonds classified as being Hold To Collect (HTC), measured at amortised cost and rated as very good according to internal rating. These bonds are issued by: French State (in amount of 2,010,122), United States Government (in amount of 620,244) and by Romanian Ministry of Public Finances (in amount of 325,135).

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As at March 31, 2023, these treasury bills at amortised cost are classified as Stage 1 and the ECL impairment allowance amounts to 44.

(Amounts in thousands RON)

10. Finance lease receivables

The Group acts as a lessor through the subsidiary BRD Sogelease IFN SA, having in the portfolio vehicles, equipment (industrial, agricultural) and real estate leases. The leases are denominated mainly in EUR and RON, with transfer of ownership of the leased asset at the end of the lease term. The receivables are secured by the underlying assets and by other collateral. The payment timing analysis of lease receivables is as follows:

	Group			
	Unaudited (*)			
_	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022		
Gross investment in finance lease:				
Under 1 year	671,572	651,209		
Between 1 and 5 years	1,003,669	963,284		
Higher than 5 years	3,096	8,046		
_	1,678,337	1,622,539		
Unearned finance income	(115,757)	(121,160)		
Net investment in finance lease	1,562,580	1,501,379		
Net investment in finance lease:				
Under 1 year	614,966	593,826		
Between 1 and 5 years	944,591	899,704		
Higher than 5 years	3,024	7,849		
	1,562,581	1,501,379		
_	March 31, 2023	December 31, 2022		
Net investment in the lease	1,562,581	1,501,379		
Accumulated allowance for uncollectible minimum				
lease payments receivable	(91,651)	(93,985)		
Total	1,470,930	1,407,394		

As at March 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the future minimum lease receipts regarding operating leases (rents) concluded by the Group and Bank as a lessor are:

	Group		Bank		
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)		
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Less than one year	2,328	499	2,328	499	
Between one and five years	7,667	559	7,667	559	
More than five years	6,017	113	6,017	113	
Total	16,012	1,171	16,012	1,171	

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11. Property, plant and equipment

Group

	Land & Buildings	Investment properties	Office equipments	Materials and other assets	Construction in progress	Right of use	Total
Cost:							
as of December 31, 2021	1,264,443	38,243	279,636	485,547	55,171	521,396	2,644,436
Additions	-	-	66	7	128,781	42,012	170,866
Transfers	36,282	(293)	26,567	27,440	(89,995)	-	1
Disposals	(21,293)	(937)	(16,832)	(53,334)	5,530	(77,390)	(164,256)
as of December 31, 2022	1,279,432	37,013	289,437	459,660	99,487	486,018	2,651,047
Additions	-	-	39	4	17,995	7,437	25,475
Transfers	7,632	(439)	20,018	23,615	(50,826)	-	-
Disposals	(1,842)	-	(3,369)	(16,425)	(9,062)	(5,151)	(35,849)
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	1,285,222	36,574	306,125	466,854	57,594	488,304	2,640,673
Depreciation and impairment: as of December 31, 2021 Depreciation	(7 84,378) (33,958)	(21,931) (481)	(214,717) (29,780)	(392,369) (26,668)		(140,676) (86,283)	(1,556,025) (177,170)
Impairment	1,617	-	(25,700)	(56)		-	1,561
Disposals	14,903	697	16,824	50,608	-	76,921	159,953
Transfers	127	207	, -	(334)	-	-	-
as of December 31, 2022	(801,689)	(21,508)	(227,673)	(368,819)	(1,954)	(150,038)	(1,571,681)
Depreciation	(8,735)	(112)	(8,039)	(8,065)	-	(19,223)	(44,174)
Impairment	(374)	-	-	-	-	-	(374)
Disposals	1,781	-	3,358	15,483	-	16,172	36,794
Transfers	(262)	262	-	-	-	-	-
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	(809,279)	(21,358)	(232,354)	(361,401)	(1,954)	(153,089)	(1,579,435)
Net book value: as of December 31, 2021 as of December 31, 2022 as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	480,065 477,743 475,943	16,312 15,505 15,216	64,919 61,764 73,771	93,178 90,841 105,453	53,217 97,533 55,640	380,720 335,980 335,215	1,088,411 1,079,366 1,061,238

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11. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Bank

	Land & Buildings	Investment properties	Office equipments	Materials and other assets	Construction in progress	Right of use	Total
Cost:							
as of December 31, 2021	1,254,332	38,243	270,494	485,258	55,169	495,250	2,598,745
Additions	-	-	-	7	128,781	41,563	170,351
Transfers	36,282	(293)	26,566	27,440	(89,995)	-	-
Disposals	(21,181)	(937)	(16,520)	(53,311)	5,530	(68,595)	(155,014)
as of December 31, 2022	1,269,433	37,013	280,540	459,394	99,485	468,218	2,614,082
Additions	-	-	-	=	17,995	5,495	23,490
Transfers	7,632	(439)	20,018	23,615	(50,826)	-	-
Disposals	(1,842)	-	(3,291)	(16,425)	(9,062)	(3,935)	(34,555)
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	1,275,223	36,574	297,267	466,584	57,592	469,778	2,603,017
Depreciation and impairment:							
as of December 31, 2021	(778,905)	(21,930)	(207,464)	(392,182)	(1,954)	(128,744)	(1,531,179)
Depreciation	(33,706)	(481)	(28,937)	(26,640)	-	(82,779)	(172,543)
Impairment	1,617	-	-	(56)	-	-	1,561
Disposals	14,789	697	16,518	50,587	-	67,434	150,025
Transfers	127	207	-	(334)	-	-	-
as of December 31, 2022	(796,078)	(21,507)	(219,883)	(368,625)	(1,954)	(144,089)	(1,552,136)
Depreciation	(8,672)	(112)	(7,846)	(8,061)	-	(18,595)	(43,286)
Impairment	(374)	-	-	-	-	-	(374)
Disposals	1,778	-	3,287	15,483	-	13,023	33,571
Transfers	(262)	262	-	-	-	=	-
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	(803,608)	(21,357)	(224,442)	(361,203)	(1,954)	(149,661)	(1,562,225)
Net book value:							
as of December 31, 2021	475,427	16,313	63,030	93,076	53,215	366,506	1,067,566
as of December 31, 2022	473,355	15,506	60,657	90,769	97,531	324,129	1,061,946
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	471,615	15,217	72,825	105,381	55,638	320,117	1,040,792

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11. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Group	Right-of-use assets				
Unaudited (*)	Land & Buildings IT Office equipments Cars and other assets To				
as of January 1, 2023	316,560	11,031	8,389	335,980	
Additions	2,054	3,178	2,106	7,338	
Depreciation expense	(17,027)	(762)	(1,434)	(19,223)	
Disposals and other decreases	(846)	-	42	(804)	
Contractual changes	11,607	317	-	11,924	
as of March 31, 2023	312,348	13,764	9,103	335,215	

	Lease liabilities
as of January 1, 2023	339,746
Additions	5,813
Disposals and other decreases	2,178
Other movements (FX, other contractual changes)	15,619
Interest expense	1,258
Payments	(21,478)
as of March 31, 2023	343,136

Bank	Right-of-use assets			
Unaudited (*)	Land & Buildings	IT Office equipments	Cars and other assets	Total
as of January 1, 2023	305,781	9,498	8,850	324,129
Additions	530	3,178	1,788	5,496
Depreciation expense	(16,634)	(762)	(1,199)	(18,595)
Disposals and other decreases	(846)	-	-	(846)
Contractual changes	9,933	-	-	9,933
as of March 31, 2023	298,764	11,914	9,439	320,117

	Lease liabilities
as of January 1, 2023	327,522
Additions	5,495
Disposals and other decreases	(730)
Other movements (FX, other contractual changes)	14,948
Interest expense	1,253
Payments	(20,736)
as of March 31, 2023	327,752

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11. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Group Right-of-use assets				
	Land & Buildings	IT Office equipments	Cars and other assets	Total
as of January 1, 2022	366,047	4,220	10,453	380,720
Additions	26,415	11,904	3,409	41,728
Depreciation expense	(77,269)	(3,531)	(5,483)	(86,283)
Disposals and other decreases	(18,761)	(1,815)	(19)	(20,595)
Contractual changes	20,128	253	29	20,410
as of December 31, 2022	316,560	11,031	8,389	335,980
	Lease liabilities			
as of January 1, 2022	392,275			
Additions	41,725			
Disposals and other decreases	(32,025)			
Other movements (FX, other contractual changes)	22,435			
Interest expense	5,042			
Payments	(89,706)			
as of December 31, 2022	339,746			
Bank		Right-of-use :	assets	
	Land & Buildings	IT Office equipments	Cars and other assets	Total
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as of January 1, 2022	353,107	3,187	10,212	366,506
as of January 1, 2022 Additions				
Additions Depreciation expense	353,107	3,187	10,212	366,506
Additions Depreciation expense Disposals and other decreases	353,107 26,418 (74,661) (18,761)	3,187 11,904 (3,531) (1,815)	10,212 3,241	366,506 41,563 (82,779) (20,576)
Additions Depreciation expense Disposals and other decreases Contractual changes	353,107 26,418 (74,661)	3,187 11,904 (3,531)	10,212 3,241 (4,587)	366,506 41,563 (82,779)
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The Group and Bank holds investment property as a consequence of the ongoing rationalization of its retail branch network. Investment properties comprise a number of commercial properties that are leased to third parties. The investment properties have a fair value of 12,529 as at March 31, 2023 (December 31, 2022: 12,529). The fair value has been determined based on a valuation by an independent valuer in 2023. Rental income from investment property of 597 (December 31, 2022: 2,427) has been recognized in other income.

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12. Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of the acquisition cost over the fair value of net identifiable assets transferred from Société Générale Bucharest to the Group in 1999.

Following the acquisition, the branch become the actual Sucursala Mari Clienti Corporativi ("SMCC") – the branch dedicated to large significant clients, most of them taken over from the former Société Générale Bucharest.

As at March 31, 2023, the branch had a number of 3,821 active customers (2022: 3,737), with loans representing approximately 17% from total loans managed by the network (2022: 17%) and with deposits representing about 15% of networks' deposits (2022: 15%). Most of the SMCC non-retail clients are large multinational and national customers.

Taking into account the stable base of clients and the contribution to the bank's net banking income, the branch which generated the goodwill is considered profitable, without any need of impairment.

13. Intangible assets

The balance of the intangible assets as of March 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022 represents mainly software.

	Group	Bank
Cost:		
as of December 31, 2021	848,457	821,933
Additions	140,411	139,072
Disposals	(529)	45
as of December 31, 2022	988,339	961,050
Additions	30,355	30,041
Disposals	(33,442)	-
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	985,252	991,091
Amortization:		
as of December 31, 2021	(527,394)	(502,278)
Amortization expense	(53,852)	(53,105)
Disposals	395	-
as of December 31, 2022	(580,851)	(555,383)
Amortization expense	(15,507)	(15,318)
Disposals	33,390	-
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	(562,968)	(570,701)
Net book value:		
as of December 31, 2021	321,063	319,655
as of December 31, 2022	407,488	405,667
as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	422,284	420,390

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14. Other assets

	Grou	ıp	Bank		
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)		
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Advances to suppliers	72,512	77,413	=	=	
Sundry receivable	498,188	422,867	482,138	414,235	
Prepaid expenses	79,908	73,545	77,849	56,755	
Repossessed assets	4,023	4,536	924	924	
Other assets	10,741	12,602	2,429	2,044	
Total	665,372	590,963	563,340	473,958	

As of March 31, 2023 the carrying value of repossessed assets for Group is 4,023 (December 31, 2022: 4,536). As of December 31, 2022 the carrying value of repossessed assets for Bank is 924 (December 31, 2022: 924), representing 4 residential buildings (December 31, 2022: 3 residential buildings).

The sundry receivables balances includes various commissions, sundry debtors and are net of impairment allowance.

Group Unaudited (*)

Sundry receivables	Total (Stage3)
Impairment allowance as at January 1, 2023	200,209
Additional expenses	23,851
Reversals of provisions	(3,339)
Receivables written off	(95)
Foreign exchange adjustments	(81)
Impairment allowance as at March 31, 2023	220,546

	Total (Stage3)
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	165,641
Additional expenses	67,810
Reversals of provisions	(23,868)
Receivables written off	(9,469)
Foreign exchange adjustments	95
Impairment allowance as at December 31, 2022	200,209

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14. Other assets (continued)

Bank Unaudited (*)

Sundry receivables	Total (Stage3)
Impairment allowance as at January 1, 2023	190,512
Additional expenses	19,733
Reversals of provisions	(3,338)
Receivables written off	(57)
Foreign exchange adjustments	(28)
Impairment allowance as at March 31, 2023	206,822

	Total (Stage3)
Impairment allowance as at 1 st January 2022	156,860
Additional expenses	66,146
Reversals of provisions	(23,262)
Receivables written off	(9,328)
Foreign exchange adjustments	95
Impairment allowance as at December 31, 2022	190,512

15. Due to banks

	Group)	Ban	k
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Demand deposits	744,950	591,058	744,950	591,058
Term deposits	15,040	45,830	15,040	45,830
Due to banks	759,990	636,888	759,990	636,888

16. Due to customers

	Group	р	Ban	k
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Demand deposits	38,133,266	40,921,389	38,208,672	41,037,420
Term deposits	17,440,894	15,739,452	17,584,512	15,878,320
Due to customers	55,574,160	56,660,841	55,793,184	56,915,740

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17. Borrowed funds

	Group	1	Bank			
	Unaudited (*) March 31, December 31, 2023 2022		Unaudited (*) Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
			mber 31, March 31,			
_			2023	2022		
Borrowings from related parties	5,327,499	5,295,703	3,567,545	3,565,843		
Borrowings from international financial institutions	306,244	329,785	1,203	1,419		
Total	5,633,743	5,625,488	3,568,748	3,567,262		

Borrowings from related parties includes three senior non-preferred loans from Société Générale in amount of:

- 450 million EUR, with an interest rate of EURIBOR 3M+0.86% and an initial term of three years (received in December 2021)
- 150 million EUR, with an interest rate of EURIBOR 3M+1.98% and an initial term of three years (received in June 2022)
- 120 million EUR, with a fixed interest rate of 4.77% and an initial term of three years (received in December 2022).

Other funds borrowed from related parties are senior unsecured and are used in the normal course of business.

18. Subordinated debts

Two subordinated debts were received from Société Générale in amount of:

- 100 million EUR with an interest rate of EURIBOR 3M+1.98% and an initial term of ten years (in December 2021)
- 150 million EUR with an interest rate of EURIBOR 3M+4.31% and an initial term of ten years (in June 2022).

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19. Provisions

The line Provisions includes provisions for financial guarantee and loan commitments and other provisions.

Financial guarantees and loan commitments provisions movement

Group	Retail lending			
Unaudited (*)	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	4,594	4,059	3,281	11,934
New commitments originated or purchased	2,424	362	230	3,016
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(221)	(316)	(452)	(989)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in	(221)	(310)	(432)	(707)
classification	(1,553)	(577)	(20)	(2,150)
Movements due to change in classification	5	155	446	606
Provision as at March 31, 2023	5,249	3,683	3,485	12,417
		Non-Re	etail	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	400.000	.		
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	128,239	50,188	147,471	325,898
New commitments originated or purchased	36,162	15,089	(170)	51,251
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(23,833)	(10,200)	(178)	(34,211)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in classification	(20,469)	(2,385)	(4,778)	(27,632)
Movements due to change in classification	6,741	(4,212)	(44)	2,485
Other adjustments	(90)	2	983	895
Provision as at March 31, 2023	126,750	48,482	143,454	318,686
		Tota	.1	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	132,833	54,247	150,753	337,833
New commitments originated or purchased	38,586	15,451	230	54,267
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(24,054)	(10,516)	(630)	(35,200)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	(22,022)	(2,962)	(4,798)	(29,782)
Movements due to change in classification	6,746	(4,057)	402	3,091
Other adjustments	(90)	2	983	894
Provision as at March 31, 2023	131,999	52,165	146,940	331,103

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19. Provisions (continued)

Financial guarantees and loan commitments provisions movement (continued)

Bank	Retail lending			
Unaudited (*)	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Duradistra on add ad Laurana 2022	4.560	2.025	2 202	11.7(0
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	4,562	3,925	3,282	11,769
New commitments originated or purchased	2,387	320	230	2,937
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(203)	(282)	(452)	(937)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in classification	(1.552)	(577)	(20)	(2.140)
	(1,552)	(577)	(20)	(2,149)
Movements due to change in classification	5	155	446	606
Other adjustments	(1)	-	-	(1)
Provision as at March 31, 2023	5,198	3,541	3,486	12,225
		Non-Re	etail	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
-				
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	128,092	49,811	157,351	335,254
New commitments originated or purchased	36,054	14,547	-	50,601
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(23,734)	(9,992)	(178)	(33,904)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	(20,447)	(2,385)	(5,226)	(28,058)
Movements due to change in classification	6,721	(4,184)	(52)	2,485
Other adjustments	(90)	2	(28)	(116)
Provision as at March 31, 2023	126,596	47,799	151,867	326,262
		Tota	al	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
_				
Provision as at 1 st January 2023	132,654	53,736	160,633	347,023
New commitments originated or purchased	38,441	14,867	230	53,538
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(23,937)	(10,274)	(630)	(34,841)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	(21,999)	(2,962)	(5,246)	(30,207)
Movements due to change in classification	6,726	(4,029)	394	3,091
Other adjustments	(91)	2	(28)	(117)
Provision as at March 31, 2023	131,794	51,340	155,353	338,487

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19. Provisions (continued)

Financial guarantees and loan commitments provisions movement (continued)

Group	Retail lending			
<u>-</u>	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
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Provision as at 1 st January 2022	3,374	3,132	3,371	9,877
New commitments originated or purchased	10,460	1,929	902	13,291
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(1,241)	(659)	(706)	(2,606)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	(7,307)	(672)	(1,613)	(9,592)
Movements due to change in classification	(692)	329	1,327	964
Provision as at December 31, 2022	4,594	4,059	3,281	11,934
		Non-Re	tail	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
-				
Provision as at 1 st January 2022	72,616	25,268	200,787	298,671
New commitments originated or purchased	99,008	35,196	1,386	135,590
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(47,357)	(5,188)	(69,194)	(121,739)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in	, , ,	, ,	, , ,	, , ,
classification	14,131	(10,007)	3,755	7,879
Movements due to change in classification	(10,064)	4,931	8,602	3,469
Other adjustments	(95)	(12)	2,135	2,028
Provision as at December 31, 2022	128,239	50,188	147,471	325,898
		Tota	1	
_	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Provision as at 1 st January 2022	75,990	28,400	204,159	308,549
New commitments originated or purchased	109,468	37,125	2,288	148,881
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(48,598)	(5,847)	(69,900)	(124,345)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	6,824	(10,679)	2,142	(1,713)
Movements due to change in classification	(10,756)	5,260	9,929	4,433
Other adjustments	(95)	(12)	2,135	2,028
Provision as at December 31, 2022	132,833	54,247	150,753	337,833

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19. Provisions (continued)

Financial guarantees and loan commitments provisions movement (continued)

Bank	Retail lending			
<u>-</u>	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Provision as at 1 st January 2022	3,365	3,125	3,371	9,861
New commitments originated or purchased	10,430	1,793	902	13,125
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(1,234)	(650)	(706)	(2,590)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in				
classification	(7,306)	(672)	(1,613)	(9,591)
Movements due to change in classification	(692)	329	1,328	965
Other adjustments	(1)	-	-	(1)
Provision as at December 31, 2022	4,562	3,925	3,282	11,769
		Non-Re	etail	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
-	_	_	_	
Provision as at 1 st January 2022	72,589	24,749	212,015	309,353
New commitments originated or purchased	98,864	34,849	1,386	135,099
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(47,333)	(4,689)	(69,194)	(121,216)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in		, ,		, ,
classification	14,131	(10,006)	3,755	7,880
Movements due to change in classification	(10,064)	4,934	8,602	3,472
Other adjustments	(95)	(26)	787	666
Provision as at December 31, 2022	128,092	49,811	157,351	335,254
		Tota	al	
_	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
D :: 41 41 2022	75.054	07.074	215 206	210.214
Provision as at 1 st January 2022	75,954	27,874	215,386	319,214
New commitments originated or purchased	109,294	36,642	2,288	148,224
Commitments derecognised or transferred into assets	(48,567)	(5,339)	(69,900)	(123,806)
Net provision movement not resulting from changes in classification	6 925	(10.679)	2 142	(1.711)
	6,825 (10,756)	(10,678)	2,142 9,930	(1,711)
Movements due to change in classification		5,263	9,930 787	4,437
Other adjustments	(96)	(26)		665
Provision as at December 31, 2022	132,654	53,736	160,633	347,023

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19. Provisions (continued)

The Bank includes in the line Provisions: provisions for litigation in amount of 14,892 as of March 31, 2023 (20,862 as of December 31, 2022), provisions for risks related to banking activity in amount of 2,459 as of March 31, 2023 (2,486 as of December 31, 2022) and other provisions for risks and charges in amount of 8,245 as of March 31, 2023 (9,801 as of December 31, 2022).

The Group includes in the line Provisions: provisions for litigation in amount of 42,715 as of March 31, 2023 (43,332 as of December 31, 2022), provisions for risks related to banking activity in amount of 2,459 as of March 31, 2023 (2,486 as of December 31, 2022) and other provisions for risks and charges in amount of 8,245 as of March 31, 2023 (9,801 as of December 31, 2022).

The movement in other provisions is as follows:

Group	TOTAL
Carrying value as of December 31, 2021	74,637
Additional expenses	19,000
Reversals of provisions	(30,466)
Usage	(7,553)
Carrying value as of December 31, 2022	55,618
Additional expenses	8,101
Reversals of provisions	(2,504)
Usage	(7,796)
Carrying value as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	53,419
Bank	
Carrying value as of December 31, 2021	55,531
Additional expenses	15,354
Reversals of provisions	(30,184)
Usage	(7,552)
Carrying value as of December 31, 2022	33,149
Additional expenses	666
Reversals of provisions	(423)
Usage	(7,796)
Carrying value as of March 31, 2023 Unaudited	25,596

20. Other liabilities

	Group	Bank		
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Sundry creditors	255,778	272,164	187,121	201,271
Other payables to State budget	137,226	59,038	135,095	56,716
Deferred income	55,991	40,772	55,987	40,772
Payables to employees	112,690	165,820	92,372	137,401
Creditors - Lease liabilities	343,136	339,746	327,752	327,522
Total	904,821	877,540	798,327	763,682

Sundry creditors are expected to be settled in no more than twelve months after the reporting period. Payables to employees include, among other, gross bonuses, amounting 49,279 as of March 31, 2023 (December 31, 2022: 93,153) and post-employment benefits amounting 20,344 as of March 31, 2023 (December 31, 2022: 19,576).

This is a defined benefit plan under which the amount of benefit that an employee is entitled to receive on retirement depends on years of service and salary. The plan covers substantially all the employees and the benefits are unfunded. A full actuarial valuation by a qualified independent actuary is carried out annually. During 2023, the movements in defined benefit obligation is generated by the service cost and benefits paid, resulting in a change of obligation carrying value 20,344 as of March 31, 2023, from 19,576 as of December 31, 2022.

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21. Share capital

The nominal share capital, as registered with the Registry of Commerce is 696,901 (2022: 696,901). Included in the share capital there is an amount of 1,818,721 (2022: 1,818,721) representing hyperinflation restatement surplus.

Share capital as of March 31, 2023 represents 696,901,518 (2022: 696,901,518) authorized common shares, issued and fully paid. The nominal value of each share is RON 1 (2022: RON 1). During 2023 and 2022, the Bank did not buy back any of its own shares.

22. Taxation

Current income tax is calculated based on the taxable income as per the tax statement derived from the stand alone accounts of each consolidated entity. As of March 31, 2023 the Group has a current tax liability in total amount of 37,642 (December 31, 2022: 5,595) and 0 current tax asset (December 31, 2022: 23,563) and at Bank level a current tax liability in total amount of 36,528 (December 31, 2022: 0) and 0 current tax asset (December 31, 2022: 23,563).

The deferred tax liability/asset is reconciled as follows:

	Group March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)					
	Temporary differences Asset / (Liability)	Consolidated Statement of Financial Position Asset / (Liability)	Consolidated Income Statement (Expense) / Income	Consolidated OCI (Expense) / Income		
Elements generating deferred tax						
Defined benefit obligation	71,315	(11,410)	-	-		
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(2,119,558)	339,129	-	(58,356)		
Tangible and intangible assets	(3,558)	569	(995)	-		
Provisions and other liabilities	(603,314)	93,841	(14,553)	-		
Taxable items	(2,655,115)					
Deferred tax		422,129	(15,548)	(58,355)		

	Bank March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)			
	Temporary differences Asset / (Liability)	Individual Statement of Financial Position Asset/ (Liability)	Individual Income Statement (Expense) / Income	Consolidated OCI (Expense) / Income
Elements generating deferred tax				
Defined benefit obligation	71,315	(11,410)	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(2,119,558)	339,129	-	(58,356)
Tangible and intangible assets	(3,558)	569	(995)	-
Provisions and other liabilities	(533,686)	85,391	(5,863)	-
Taxable items	(2,585,487)			
Deferred tax		413,678	(6,858)	(58,356)

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22. Taxation (continued)

,	Group December 31, 2022			
	Temporary differences Asset / (Liability)	Consolidated Statement of Financial Position Asset / (Liability)	Consolidated Income Statement (Expense) / Income	Consolidated OCI (Expense) / Income
Elements generating deferred tax				
Defined benefit obligation	71,315	(11,410)	-	(2,650)
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(2,484,289)	397,486	-	320,411
Tangible and intangible assets	(9,772)	1,564	(11,617)	-
Provisions and other liabilities	(677,465)	108,393	9,800	-
Taxable items	(3,100,211)	- -		
Deferred tax		496,034	(1,817)	317,761
		Bar December 3		
	Temporary differences Asset / (Liability)	Individual Statement of Financial Position Asset / (Liability)	Individual Income Statement (Expense) / Income	Consolidated OCI (Expense) / Income
Elements generating deferred tax				
Defined benefit obligation	71,315	(11,410)	-	(2,650)
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(2,484,289)	397,486	-	320,410
Tangible and intangible assets	(9,772)	1,563	(11,648)	-
Provisions and other liabilities	(570,335)	91,254	6,607	-
Taxable items	(2,993,081)			
Deferred tax	-	478,893	(5,041)	317,760

Movement in deferred tax is as follows:

	Group	Bank
Deferred tax asset, net as of December 31, 2021	180,089	166,173
Deferred tax recognized in other comprehensive income	317,761	317,761
Deferred tax recognized in profit and loss	(1,817)	(5,041)
Deferred tax asset, net as of December 31, 2022	496,034	478,893
Deferred tax recognized in other comprehensive income	(58,356)	(58,356)
Deferred tax recognized in profit and loss	(15,548)	(6,858)
Deferred tax asset, net as of March 31, 2023	422,129	413,678

Reconciliation of total tax charge

	Gr	Group		k
	Unaudited (*)	Unaudited (*)	Unaudited (*)	Unaudited (*)
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Profit before income tax	417,885	327,362	399,697	306,431
Income tax (16%)	66,862	52,378	63,952	49,029
Fiscal credit	(1,147)	(488)	(1,235)	(786)
Non-deductible elements	5,901	5,283	6,021	3,943
Non-taxable elements	4,166	(2,662)	(1,788)	(1,046)
Expense from income tax at effective tax rate	75,782	54,511	66,950	51,139
Effective tax rate	18.1%	17.2%	16.8%	17.2%

Recognition of deferred tax asset is based on the management's profit forecasts, which indicates that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the deferred tax assets can be utilized.

At the Bank level, as at March 31, 2023, permanent non-deductible elements include the impact of provisions for overdue commissions 2,809 (December 31, 2022: 9,777), sponsorship expenses with an impact of 198 (December 31, 2022: 1,276) and debt sales and other operations with limited deductibility in amount of 868 (December 31, 2022: 8,225); permanent non-taxable elements are mainly a result of releases for provisions for overdue commissions in amount of 426 (December 31, 2022: 1,722), provisions for risks and charges/litigations 114 (December 31, 2022: 1,184) and dividends income with an impact of 0 (December 31, 2022: 7,574).

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23. Interest and similar income

	Gro	oup	Bank		
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudi	ted (*)	
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
Interest on loans	752,239	449,247	729,281	426,308	
Interest on finance lease	20,734	14,273	-	-	
Interest on deposit with banks	52,631	7,517	52,478	7,357	
Interest on financial assets	147,233	132,938	147,233	132,938	
Interest income from hedging instruments		4,505	-	4,505	
Total	972,837	608,480	928,992	571,108	

The interest income on loans includes the accrued interest on net (after impairment allowance) impaired loans in amount of 17,331 for Group (2022: 12,806) and 16,824 for Bank (2022: 12,075).

24. Interest and similar expense

	Gro	oup	Bank		
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudi	ted (*)	
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
Interest on term deposits	180,465	20,740	180,599	20,888	
Interest on demand deposits	41,338	22,590	43,560	23,144	
Interest on borrowings	61,914	7,830	48,464	3,356	
Interest expense on lease liabilities	1,324	1,157	1,253	1,122	
Interest expense from hedging instruments	17,258	-	17,258		
Total	302,299	52,317	291,134	48,510	

25. Fees and commissions, net

	Gro	Group		nk	
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudited (*)		
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
Services	136,220	143,940	137,080	142,570	
Management fees	28,829	25,503	28,829	25,503	
Packages	19,632	15,952	19,632	15,952	
Transfers	17,095	18,983	17,095	18,983	
OTC withdrawal	12,687	16,948	12,687	16,948	
Cards	38,249	44,975	38,249	44,975	
Brokerage and custody	10,772	12,068	10,772	12,069	
Other	8,956	9,512	9,816	8,139	
Loan activity	22,393	24,345	13,739	16,631	
Off balance sheet	13,717	11,722	13,717	11,722	
Total	172,330	180,008	164,536	170,922	

26. Gain on derivative and other financial instruments held for trading and foreign exchange

	Gro	up	Bank		
	Unaudit	ed (*)	Unaudit	ed (*)	
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	
_	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
FX position revaluation	40,960	4,373	40,960	4,373	
FX Spot	55,513	58,443	54,847	58,050	
Gain on instruments held for trading	27,860	9,142	27,860	9,142	
Derivative financial instruments	(33,799)	5,813	(33,799)	5,813	
Gain/ (loss) on interest rate derivatives	364	(795)	364	(795)	
Gain/ (loss) on currency and interest swap	959	1,292	959	1,292	
Gain on forward foreign exchange contracts	(37,636)	3,645	(37,636)	3,645	
Gain on currency options	1,950	1,351	1,950	1,351	
Other	564	319	564	319	
Gain on derivative, other financial instruments held for					
trading and foreign exchange	90,534	77,770	89,868	77,377	

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27. Other income/expense from banking activities

	Gro	up	Bank		
	Unaudit	ted (*)	Unaudit	ed (*)	
	Three months ended March 31, 2023 Three months ended March 31, 2022		Three months ended Three months ended Three months ended		
			March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
Provision for litigations	(266)	2,712	(266)	2,712	
Held for sale fixed assets expenses	(542)	(781)	-	-	
Other income/(expenses)	444	217	12	(1,362)	
Total income / (expense) from banking activity	(364)	2,148	(254)	1,350	

For the Bank, other income includes income from banking activities offered to the clients and income from non-banking activities, such as income from rentals. The income from rental of investment properties, for the Bank, is 597 (2022: 666).

28. Contribution to Guarantee Scheme and Resolution Fund

According to the Romanian legislation (Law no. 311/2015 on Deposit Guarantee Schemes and the Bank Deposit Guarantee Fund), the deposits of individuals and certain entities, including small and medium enterprises and large companies are covered up to EUR 100,000 by the Bank Deposit Guarantee Fund ("Fund"). Each credit institution participating to deposit guarantee scheme shall pay the annual contribution as determined and notified by the Fund. The amount of the contribution refers to the total covered deposits at the end of the previous year and reflects also the degree of risk associated to each credit institution in the scheme.

The degree of risk is determined based on the financial and prudential indicators reported by the credit institutions to the National Bank of Romania. For this purpose, the Bank Deposits Guarantee Fund uses a methodology approved by the National Bank of Romania considering also the guidelines issued by the European Banking Authority.

According to Law no. 312/2015 on recovery and resolution of credit institution and investment firms, each credit institution shall pay an annual contribution to Bank Resolution Fund as determined and notified by the National Bank of Romania.

The National Bank of Romania as the local resolution authority establish the credit institutions annual contributions to Bank Resolution Fund, in compliance with Commission Delegated Regulation EU 2015/63, supplementing Directive 2014/59 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to ex ante contributions to resolution financing arrangements.

For the year 2023 the total estimated expense related to Deposit Guarantee Fund and Bank Resolution Fund amounts to 75,903 (2022: 69,265).

Both contributions to the Bank Deposit Guarantee Fund and Bank Resolution Fund meet the criteria for recognition as taxes and accounted in accordance with IFRIC 21 "Levies" requirements. The liability is recognized at the date when the obligating event occurs and the contribution is recognized as an expense in full on 1st of January of the year in which the payment is made.

(Amounts in thousands RON)

29. Personnel expenses

	Gro	up	Bank		
	Unaudit	ted (*)	Unaudit	ted (*)	
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
Salaries	203,115	186,167	191,617	174,387	
Social security	5,326	5,091	5,173	4,788	
Bonuses	15,900	15,050	15,900	14,392	
Post-employment benefits	1,066	1,274	1,066	1,274	
Capitalisation of internal projects	(8,722)	(7,071)	(8,722)	(7,071)	
Other	7,195	4,610	7,435	4,765	
Total	223,879	205,122	212,469	192,535	

In 2023, the expense related to the Bank defined benefit contribution plan was 602 (2022: 667).

30. Depreciation, amortization and impairment on tangible and intangible assets

	Gro	oup	Bank			
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudi	ted (*)		
	Three months ended	Three months ended Three months ended T		Three months ended		
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022		
Depreciation and impairment	44,423	45,616	43,536	43,955		
Amortization	15,506	11,179	15,318	11,077		
Total	59,929	56,794	58,854	55,032		

The difference as at March 31, 2023 between the amount presented in note 11 and the amount presented in note 30 represents depreciation of investment property in total amount of 112 (March 31, 2022: 121).

31. Other operating expenses

	Gro	oup	Bank				
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudited (*)				
	Three months ended	Three months ended Three months ended Th		Three months ended			
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022			
Administrative expenses	124,093	104,430	119,075	98,772			
Publicity and sponsorships	3,816	3,860	3,740	3,815			
Other expenses	20,514	20,426	16,691	18,158			
Total	148,423	128,716	139,506	120,745			

Administrative expenses include for the Bank maintenance expenses, various utilities such as energy and telecommunication, expenses related to short-term leases of 1,204 (March 31, 2022: 1,641) and to leases of low-value assets of 1,044 (March 31, 2022: 975).

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32. Cost of risk

	Gro	ир	Bank			
	Unaudit	ed (*)	Unaudit	ted (*)		
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended		
-	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022		
Net impairment allowance for loans	33,268	38,666	32,898	38,043		
Net impairment allowance for sundry debtors	20,528	11,732	16,411	11,290		
Net impairment allowance for finance lease	(957)	1,191	-	-		
Income from recoveries of derecognized receivables &						
sales of bad debts	(37,289)	(50,636)	(34,696)	(49,342)		
Write-offs	1,500	44,441	842	44,381		
Financial guarantee and loan contracts provisions	(7,627)	(13,252)	(8,420)	(13,179)		
Net impairment allowance for debt securities	25	(140)	25	(140)		
Total	9,448	32,002	7,060	31,053		

33. Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing net profit/loss for the reporting period attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year. As of March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022 there were no dilutive equity instruments issued by the Group and Bank.

	Gro	oup	Bai	nk		
	Unaudi	ted (*)	Unaudited (*)			
	Three months ended	Three months ended March 31, 2023 Three months ended March 31, 2022		Three months ended		
	March 31, 2023			March 31, 2022		
Ordinary shares on market	696,901,518	696,901,518	696,901,518	696,901,518		
Profit attributable to shareholders	337,236	260,022	332,747	245,663		
Earnings per share (in RON)	0.4839	0.3731	0.4775	0.3525		

34. Cash and cash equivalents details

Cash and cash equivalents:

For the purpose of the cash flow statements, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand, current accounts and short term placements at other banks. The amounts in transit in amount of 140,599 (December 31, 2022: 262,937) and loans to banks, with more than 90 days maturity from the date of acquisition in amount of 16,129 (December 31, 2022: 15,975), for the Group, are excluded. The Group and Bank did not include in cash and cash equivalents the amounts representing minimum compulsory reserve held at National Bank of Romania.

	Gro	ир	Ban	k		
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)			
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31, 2022		
	2023	2022	2023			
Cash in hand	3,085,405	2,531,348	3,085,338	2,531,279		
Current accounts and deposits with banks	5,710,413	6,942,051	5,710,413	6,942,050		
Total	8,795,819	9,473,399	8,795,752	9,473,329		

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34. Cash and cash equivalents details (continued)

Impairment and provisions adjustment for non-cash items:

	Gr	oup	Bank			
	Unaud	ited (*)	Unaudited (*)			
	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended	Three months ended		
	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022		
Net impairment allowance for loans	33,268	38.666	32.898	38,043		
Net impairment allowance for sundry debtors	20,528	11,732	16,411	11,290		
Net impairment allowance for financial leases	(957)	1,191	-	-		
Write-offs	1,500	44,441	842	44,381		
Financial guarantee and loan contracts provisions	(7,627)	(13,252)	(8,420)	(13,179)		
Net movement in other provisions	(2,199)	(4,342)	(7,553)	(5,021)		
Net impairment allowance for debt securities	25	(140)	25	(140)		
Total	44,538	78,296	34,203	75,374		

35. Guarantees and other credit commitments

Guarantees and letters of credit

The Group and Bank issues guarantees and letters of credit for its customers. The primary purpose of letters of credit is to ensure that funds are available to a customer as required. Guarantees and standby letters of credit, which represent irrevocable assurances that the Group and Bank will make payments in the event that a customer cannot meet its obligations (delivery of goods, documents submitting, etc.) to third parties with which it entered previously into a contractual relationship, carry a similar credit risk as loans once they are executed.

The market and credit risks on these financial instruments, as well as the operational risk are similar to those arising from granting of loans. In the event of a claim on the Group and Bank as a result of a customer's default on a guarantee these instruments also present a degree of liquidity risk to the Group and Bank.

Credit related commitments

Financing commitments represent unused amounts of approved credit facilities.

The Group and Bank monitors the term to maturity of credit commitments because longer-term commitments generally have a greater degree of credit risk than shorter-term commitments. The total outstanding contractual amount of commitments does not necessarily represent future cash requirements, since many of these commitments will expire or be terminated without being funded.

	Gro	ир	Ba	nk
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)	
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Letters of guarantee granted	6,321,921	6,449,588	6,331,533	6,451,531
Financing commitments granted	6,615,931	6,183,371	6,107,394	5,740,595
Total commitments granted	12,937,852	12,632,959	12,438,927	12,192,126
Uncommitted facilities granted	9,956,068	9,454,516	10,010,756	9,509,016
Letters of guarantee received	25,579,359	23,730,601	25,579,359	23,730,601
Total commitments received	25,579,359	23,730,601	25,579,359	23,730,601

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36. Other commitments

	Gro	ир	Ban	k	
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)		
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Tangible non-current assets	9,637	13,470	9,637	13,470	
Intangible non-current assets	69,220	81,086	69,220	81,086	
Commitments relating to short-term and low value leases	24,204	24,547	24,204	24,547	
Total	103,061	119,103	103,061	119,103	

The other commitments presented above include short term and low value leases, software maintenance contracts and other IT services.

As at March 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022 the future minimum lease payments regarding rents concluded by the Group and Bank as a lessee are:

	Gre	oup	Bar	ık	
	Unaudited (*)		Unaudited (*)		
	March 31,	December 31,	March 31,	December 31,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Less than one year	12,621	11,654	12,621	11,654	
Between one and five years	10,050	9,855	10,050	9,855	
More than five years	95	104	95	104	
Total	22,766	21,613	22,766	21,613	

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37. Related parties

The Group entered into related party transactions with its parent, other SG entities, subsidiaries, associates and joint venture and key management personnel. All related party transactions were made on substantially the same terms, including interest rates and collateral requirements, as those prevailing for similar transactions with unrelated parties. The transactions/balances with subsidiaries were eliminated for consolidation purposes. The transactions/balances with related parties can be summarized as follows:

Group

		2023					2022			
	Parent	Other related parties	Associates & Joint ventures		Parent	Other related parties	Associates & Joint ventures	Key management of the institution		
Assets	362,059	69,635	34,610	13,518	353,013	133,944	28,438	9,505		
Nostro accounts	57,415	36,226	-	-	29,287	115,287	-	-		
Deposits	209,191	-	-	-	220,963	-	-	-		
Loans	-	32,679	31,405	13,518	-	18,462	25,866	9,505		
Derivative financial instruments	92,695	-	-	-	100,173	-	-	-		
Other assets	2,757	731	3,205	-	2,590	195	2,572	-		
Liabilities	6,960,763	201,671	88,389	17,847	8,656,069	172,742	89,915	13,226		
Loro accounts	13,360	2,009	-	-	-	1,031	-			
Deposits	39,390	199,010	69,641	17,847	217,000	171,056	71,348	13,226		
Borrowings	5,327,499	-	-	-	5,295,707	-	-	-		
Subordinated borrowings	1,239,330	-	-	-	1,238,651	-	-	-		
Derivative financial instruments	296,648	-	-	-	313,410	-	-	-		
Other liabilities	44,537	652	18,748	-	1,591,301	655	18,567	-		
Commitments	5,820,389	222,420	39,028	965	5,800,063	255,718	51,381	758		
Total commitments granted	241,045	65,028	384	669	249,274	85,330	1,364	561		
Total commitments received	125,512	147,895	28,181	296	129,358	163,376	28,137	197		
Uncommitted facilities granted	12,969	9,497	10,463	-	12,968	7,012	21,879	-		
Notional amount of foreign exchange transactions	1,939,783	-	-	-	2,095,028	-	-	-		
Notional amount of interest rate derivatives	3,501,079	-	-	-	3,313,435	-	-	-		
Income statement	(62,636)	(567)	(13,423)	258	(40,170)	(1,188)	(397)	47		
Interest and commision revenues	13,717	2,210	8,444	312	5,761	1,120	3,978	61		
Interest and commission expense	(61,483)	(1,279)	(6,019)	(40)	(7,935)	(500)	(1,153)	(9)		
Net (loss) on interest rate derivatives	(597)	-	-	-	(28,375)	-	-	-		
Net gain on foreign exchange derivatives	(3,971)	-	-	-	1,599	-	-	-		
Other income	6	-	19	-	167	-	19	-		
Other expenses	(10,308)	(1,497)	(15,867)	(14)	(11,387)	(1,808)	(3,241)	(5)		

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37. Related parties (continued)

Bank

2023

2022

	Parent	Other related parties	Subsidiaries		Key management of the institution	Parent	Other related parties	Subsidiaries	Associates & Joint ventures	Key management of the institution
Assets	343,173	69,635	26,395	31,710	13,518	336,818	133,944	46,553	26,165	9,505
Nostro accounts	57,415	36,226	-	-	-	29,287	115,287	-	-	
Deposits	193,062	-	-	-	-	204,988	-	-	-	-
Loans	-	32,679	24,718	31,405	13,518	-	18,462	44,934	25,866	9,505
Derivative financial instruments	92,695	-	-	-	-	100,173	-	-	-	-
Other assets	-	731	1,677	304	-	2,370	195	1,619	300	-
Liabilities	5,194,989	201,656	220,573	88,223	17,847	6,920,955	172,716	256,653	89,333	13,226
Loro accounts	13,360	2,009	-	-	-	-	1,031	-	-	_
Deposits	39,390	199,010	219,614	69,641	17,847	217,000	171,056	255,776	71,348	13,226
Borrowings	3,566,620	-	-	-	-	3,564,997	-	-	-	· -
Subordinated borrowings	1,239,330	-	-	-	-	1,238,651	-	-	-	-
Lease payable	-	-	925	-	-	-	-	847	-	-
Derivative financial instruments	296,648	-	-	-	-	313,410	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	39,642	636	33	18,581	-	1,586,897	629	29	17,985	<u>-</u>
Commitments	5,820,389	222,420	72,098	39,028	965	5,800,063	255,718	76,081	51,381	758
Total commitments granted	241,045	65,028	17,410	384	669	249,274	85,330	21,580	1,364	561
Total commitments received	125,512	147,895	-	28,181	296	129,358	163,376	-	28,137	197
Uncommitted facilities granted	12,969	9,497	54,688	10,463	-	12,968	7,012	54,501	21,879	-
Notional amount of foreign exchange transactions	1,939,783	-	-	-	-	2,095,028	-	-	-	-
Notional amount of interest rate derivatives	3,501,079	-	-	-	-	3,313,435	-	-	-	-
Income statement	(50,123)	(426)	3,907	(15,298)	258	(34,699)	(1,272)	5,243	(2,885)	47
Interest and commision revenues	13,563	2,083	4,975	6,570	312	5,599	911	4,858	1,171	61
Interest and commission expense	(49,098)	(1,279)	(2,357	(6,019)	(40)	(2,441)	(500)	(507)	(1,152)	
Net (loss) on interest rate derivatives	(597)	,	-	-	-	(28,375)	, ,	-	-	-
Net gain on foreign exchange derivatives	(3,971)		6	_	-	1,599	-	32	-	-
Other income	6	-	58	-	-	167	-	(35)	-	-
Other expenses	(10,026)	(1,230)	1,226	(15,848)	(14)	(11,248)	(1,683)	895	(2,904)	(5)

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37. Related parties (continued)

Other liabilities and other expenses include mainly corporate and technical assistance with Société Générale Paris.

The Bank has collateral received from SG Paris regarding derivative instruments in total amount of 24,665 at March 31, 2023 (December 31, 2022: 23,868).

As of March 31, 2023 the Board of Directors and Managing Committee members own 48,858 shares (2022: 48,858).

38. Contingencies

As of March 31, 2023 the Bank is the defendant in a number of lawsuits arising in the course of business, amounting to approximately 697,267 (December 31, 2022: 670,213). The amounts disclosed represent the additional potential loss in the event of a negative court decision, the amounts not being provisioned. The management believes that the ultimate resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the Group's overall financial position and performance. The Bank already booked a provision of 14,892 (December 31, 2022: 20,862) and the Group 42,715 (December 31, 2022: 43,332) in relation with the litigations.

39. Fair value

Determination of fair value and fair value hierarchy

To determine and disclose the fair value hierarchy of the financial instruments, the Group follows the three-level classification of the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value:

- Level 1: quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities; Level 1 instruments contain the government bonds, priced directly by external counterparties on various dealing platforms (Bloomberg, Reuters etc.);
- Level 2: other inputs than those quoted princes included within Level 1, that are observable for that particular asset or liability, either directly (i.e. prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); Level 2 instruments include in particular securities that cannot directly be quoted on the market (e.g. corporate bonds) and firm derivatives, with standard features and common maturities, whose value can be retrieved or derived from market data;
- Level 3: inputs that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

 Level 3 instruments include options traded over-the-counter and other derivatives with specifically-tailored return profiles and/or maturities extended over the normal spectrum;

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value by level of the fair value hierarchy:

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_		Group		Bank				
		March 31, 2023 Unau	dited (*)					
Assets measured at fair value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets								
Prinancial assets Derivative financial instruments								
		24.070		24.070		24.070		24.070
Interest rate swaps	-	34,878	-	34,878	-	34,878	-	34,878
Currency swaps	-	34,807	-	34,807	-	34,807	-	34,807
Forward foreign exchange contracts	-	20,070	-	20,070	-	20,076	-	20,076
Options	-	-	63,425	63,425	-	-	63,425	63,425
_	-	89,755	63,425	153,180	-	89,761	63,425	153,186
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	13,776,021	-	_	13,776,021	13,776,021	-	_	13,776,021
Equity investments (listed)	5,365	_	_	5,365	5,365	_	_	5,365
Equity investments (not listed)	-	_	4,120	4,120	-	_	4,120	4,120
Other securities quoted	_	4,329	- 1,120	4,329	_	_	-	- 1,120
Total	13,781,386	4,329	4,120	13,789,834	13,781,386		4,120	13,785,506
Other financial instruments held for trading	920,688	300,118	-,	1,220,806	903,424	300,118	-	1,203,542
Total	14,702,074	394,202	67,545	15,163,820	14,684,810	389,879	67,545	15,142,234
Assets for which fair value is disclosed								
Cash and due from Central Bank	7,455,414	_	_	7,455,414	7,455,347	_	_	7,455,347
Due from banks	-	5,867,141	_	5,867,141	-,,-	5,851,012	_	5,851,012
Loans and advances to customers	_	3,007,111	37,153,473	37,153,473	_	5,051,012	36,451,790	36,451,790
Treasury bills at amortised cost	2,944,441	_	37,133,473	2,944,441	2,944,441	_	50,451,770	2,944,441
Financial lease receivables	2,777,771		1,453,388	1,453,388	2,777,771		_	2,277,771
Total	10,399,855	5,867,141	38,606,861	54,873,856	10,399,788	5,851,012	36,451,790	52,702,590
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	Group March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)				Bank			
					March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)			
<u>Liabilities measured at fair value</u>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial liabilities								
Derivative financial instruments								
Interest rate swaps	-	321,075	-	321,075	-	321,075	-	321,075
Currency swaps	-	18,296	-	18,296	-	18,296	-	18,296
Forward foreign exchange contracts	-	32,723	-	32,723	-	32,723	-	32,723
Options	-	-	63,459	63,459	-	-	63,459	63,459
Total	-	372,094	63,459	435,553	-	372,094	63,459	435,553
Other financial instruments held for trading	63,126	197,413		260,539	63,126	197,413	-	260,539
Total	63,126	569,507	63,459	696,092	63,126	569,507	63,459	696,092
Liabilities for which fair value is disclosed								
Due to banks	-	759,990	-	759,990	-	759,990	-	759,990
Due to customers	-	55,557,518	-	55,557,518	-	55,776,476	-	55,776,476
Borrowed funds	-	5,633,743	-	5,633,743	-	3,568,748	-	3,568,748
Subordinated debts	-	1,239,330	-	1,239,330	-	1,239,330	-	1,239,330
Total	-	63,190,581	-	63,190,581	-	61,344,544	-	61,344,544

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		Group	Bank					
		December 31, 20)22			December 31, 20	122	
Assets measured at fair value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets								
Derivative financial instruments								
Interest rate swaps	-	33,419	-	33,419	-	33,419	-	33,419
Currency swaps	-	47,067	-	47,067	-	47,067	-	47,067
Forward foreign exchange contracts	-	34,004	-	34,004	-	34,004	-	34,004
Options	-	-	65,609	65,609	-	-	65,609	65,609
	-	114,490	65,609	180,099	-	114,490	65,609	180,099
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	13,439,596	_	_	13,439,596	13,439,596		_	13,439,596
Equity investments (listed)	4,012	-	-	4,012	4,012	-	-	4,012
Equity investments (instead) Equity investments (not listed)	4,012	-	4,120	4,120	4,012	-	4,120	4,120
Other securities quoted	_	6,130	-,120	6,130	_	-	-,120	-,120
Total	13,443,608	6.130	4,120	13,453,857	13,443,608		4,120	13,447,728
Other financial instruments held for trading	426,524	1,736,754		2,163,278	420,458	1,736,754		2,157,212
Total	13,870,132	1,857,374	69,729	15,797,234	13,864,066	1,851,244	69,729	15,785,039
Assets for which fair value is disclosed								
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Cash and due from Central Bank	7,625,002	-	-	7,625,002	7,624,933	-	-	7,624,933
Due from banks	-	7,220,963	-	7,220,963	-	7,204,987	-	7,204,987
Loans and advances to customers	-	-	36,259,563	36,259,563	-	-	35,554,410	35,554,410
Treasury bills at amortised cost	2,675,354	-	-	2,675,354	2,675,354	-	-	2,675,354
Financial lease receivables	-	-	1,390,610	1,390,610	-	-	-	-
Total	10,300,356	7,220,963	37,650,172	55,171,491	10,300,287	7,204,987	35,554,410	53,059,684

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	Group December 31, 2022				Bank			
					December 31, 2022			
<u>Liabilities measured at fair value</u>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial liabilities								
Derivative financial instruments								
Interest rate swaps	_	341,983	_	341,983	_	341,983	_	341,983
Currency swaps	_	32,726	-	32,726	_	32,726	-	32,726
Forward foreign exchange contracts	-	62,621	-	62,621	-	62,621	-	62,621
Options	_	02,021	65,645	65,645	_	02,021	65,645	65,645
Total								
		437,330	65,645	502,975	-	437,330	65,645	502,975
Other financial instruments held for trading	294,199	646,372	-	940,571	294,199	646,372	-	940,571
Total	294,199	1,083,702	65,645	1,443,546	294,199	1,083,702	65,645	1,443,546
Liabilities for which fair value is disclosed								
Due to banks	-	636,888	-	636,888	-	636,888	-	636,888
Due to customers	-	56,645,790	-	56,645,790	-	56,900,621	-	56,900,621
Borrowed funds	-	5,625,488	-	5,625,488	-	3,567,262	-	3,567,262
Subordinated debts	-	1,238,651	-	1,238,651	-	1,238,651	-	1,238,651
Total	-	64,146,817	-	64,146,817	-	62,343,422	-	62,343,422

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39. Fair value (continued)

Financial instruments measured at fair value

The following is a description of the determination of fair value for financial instruments which are recorded at fair value using valuation techniques. These incorporate the Group's estimate of assumptions that a market participant would make when valuing the instruments.

Treasury notes are represented by treasury bills and bonds, and are classified as financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income or financial instruments held for trading measured at fair value through profit and loss, being measured using a valuation technique based on market quotes published by Bloomberg or by Reuters (market approach).

Derivatives

The fair value of the derivatives is determined using valuation techniques commonly known on the market, such as discounted cash flows for swaps or Black-Sholes formula for options.

Firm derivatives – interest rate swaps, currency swaps and forward foreign exchange contracts, are the main derivative products measured using as valuation technique the income approach (discounting cash flows) and incorporating observable inputs from market (foreign exchange spot rate, forward rates, interest rate rates, futures), both directly observable ones (explicit parameters) and indirectly observable ones.

The directly observable parameters are variables that come directly from the market and are presumed to be easily available, accessible to each market participant. The main explicit parameters used in valuation of firm financial instruments are interbank fixing FX rates published by NBR, interbank swap points, interbank bid/ask interest rates, futures quotes on EUR and USD. Implicit parameters are variables obtained through standard intermediary calculation, using market prices for relevant financial instruments. The yield curves designated at the level of each product and currency are fed with explicit parameters according to the pre-set configuration, facilitating the computation of implicit parameters used in computing the fair value such as Zero-coupons, Discount Factors and Forward Interest Rates.

Conditional derivatives - FX options, interest rate options and equity options, are valued daily, using the mark-to-model approach. The model is calibrated to derive the value of the option based on the current market conditions (spot rates) and the future values presumed to be attained by the underlying (forward exchange rates, FRAs etc.), integrating in the calculation the standard option-sensitivities (delta, gamma, vega, theta), along with information regarding the size of the positions and the liquidity of the instrument. The fair value is determined through SG's computation module, the values of the specific parameters being daily retrieved from the market and stored in the database, serving as direct input in the daily final formula or further used for the statistical calculation implied by the valuation process.

BRD manages the group of these financial asset s and liabilities (options) on the basis of the entity's net exposure to a particular market risk (foreign exchange, interest rate, price risk) and, according to the trading book policy in place, BRD assumes no residual market risk induced by option-trading. Any bought option is perfectly matched on the same day with a sold option, identical in terms of option type, underlying, exercise prices, maturity. The perfect back-to-back system is subject to daily controls performed at back-office level, to ensure that no mismatch occurred and there is no residual open position on options. Therefore, the impact of a specific change on the estimated value on one non-observable parameter used on the valuation of an option classified/ accounted as financial asset is offset by same specific change on estimated value of the same non-observable parameter on the valuation of the mirror-replicated option classified/ accounted as financial liability.

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39. Fair value (continued)

Equities

These assets are valued using models which sometimes only incorporate data observable in the market and at other times use both observable and non-observable data. The non-observable inputs to the models include assumptions regarding the financial performance of the investee.

The fair value of equity instruments not listed classified as at fair value through profit and loss and consisting of ordinary shares of other entities is determined by using the net assets of the entities as at the end of the last closed reporting period. The entities net assets represent the best estimation of the current replacement cost that would be paid in order to replace the holding as it consists of the initial capital investment adjusted by the financial performance of the entity.

In the case of Visa share, following the acquisition of VISA Europe by VISA Inc, transaction which was closed in June 2016, the Bank, as principal member, received a share of the sale proceeds, having both a cash component and a share in VISA Inc component. Following the SG approach, in order to determine the fair value of the share, the Bank adjusted the sale proceeds using some prudential haircuts (liquidity, litigation risks etc.).

Fair value of financial assets and liabilities not carried at fair value

Financial assets

Deposits with banks, loans originated by the Group and leases are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method less any impairment allowance.

For deposits with banks, amortized cost is estimated to approximate fair value due to their short-term nature, interest rates reflecting current market conditions and no significant transaction costs.

For loans and lease receivables the fair value is determined by using discounted cash-flows based on interest rate offered to similar products and similar time horizons.

Financial liabilities

The amortized cost of deposits from banks is considered to approximate their respective fair values, since these items have predominantly short maturities, carry interest rates reflecting current market conditions and are settled without significant transaction costs.

For due to customers and borrowings amounts the fair value is determined by using discounted cash-flows based on interest rate offered to similar products and customers and with similar time horizons.

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39. Fair value (continued)

The following table presents the fair value and the carrying amount per type of financial instrument.

		Group				Bank			
	March 31, 2023 Un	March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)		December 31, 2022		March 31, 2023 Unaudited (*)		December 31, 2022	
	Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value	Carrying value	Fair value	
Financial assets	·								
Cash and due from Central Bank	7,455,414	7,455,414	7,625,002	7,625,002	7,455,347	7,455,347	7,624,933	7,624,933	
Due from banks	5,867,141	5,867,141	7,220,963	7,220,963	5,851,012	5,851,012	7,204,987	7,204,987	
Loans and advances to customers	37,179,322	37,153,473	36,288,342	36,259,563	36,439,222	36,451,790	35,542,279	35,554,410	
Treasury bills at amortised cost	2,955,501	2,944,441	2,730,706	2,675,354	2,955,501	2,944,441	2,730,706	2,675,354	
Financial lease receivables	1,470,930	1,453,388	1,407,394	1,390,610	-	-	-	-	
	54,928,308	54,873,856	55,272,407	55,171,491	52,701,082	52,702,590	53,102,905	53,059,684	
Financial liabilities									
Due to banks	759,990	759,990	636,888	636,888	759,990	759,990	636,888	636,888	
Due to customers	55,574,160	55,557,518	56,660,841	56,645,790	55,793,184	55,776,476	56,915,740	56,900,621	
Borrowed funds	5,633,743	5,633,743	5,625,488	5,625,488	3,568,748	3,568,748	3,567,262	3,567,262	
Subordinated debts	1,239,330	1,239,330	1,238,651	1,238,651	1,239,330	1,239,330	1,238,651	1,238,651	
	63,207,223	63,190,581	64,161,868	64,146,817	61,361,252	61,344,544	62,358,541	62,343,422	

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39. Fair value (continued)

The methods and significant assumptions applied in determining the fair value of the elements in the table above are listed below.

The fair value of fixed rate instruments is estimated by discounting the maturing cash flows with discount factors derived from the rates offered to similar clients, for similar products on similar maturities. The fair value of floating instruments is estimated by discounting from the next re-pricing date using as discount factors rates offered to similar clients, for similar products on similar time horizons.

Changes in the credit quality of loans within the portfolio are not taken into account in determining gross fair values, as the impact of impairment is recognized separately by deducting the amount of the allowance for credit losses from both carrying and fair values.

For the purposes of the fair value disclosure, the interest accrued to date is included in the carrying value of the financial instruments.

The transfers between levels of fair value hierarchy are deemed to have occurred the date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer, but not later that the end of the reporting period.

Movement in level 3:

Fair value of equity investments not listed is estimated based on net assets of the investments.

	Equity investments (not listed)	Options (A)	Options (L)
Closing balance as at December 31, 2021	4,049	35,214	35,258
Acquisitions	-	7,777	7,777
Sales	-	(1,579)	(1,579)
Reimbursements	-	(23,968)	(23,968)
Gain losses from change in fair value	71	48,165	48,157
Closing balance as at December 31, 2022	4,120	65,609	65,645
Acquisitions	-	4,947	4,947
Sales	-	(243)	(243)
Reimbursements	-	(3,127)	(3,127)
Gain losses from change in fair value	-	(3,761)	(3,763)
Closing balance as at March 31, 2023 Unaudited	4,120	63,425	63,459

40. Subsequent events

No subsequent event was identified after the reporting date.