

# AL SALAM BANK-BAHRAIN B.S.C. BASEL III - PILLAR III DISCLOSURES 30 June 2021

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#### 1 Introduction

The Central Bank of Bahrain ("CBB") requirements, which act as a common framework for the implementation of the Basel III accord in the Kingdom of Bahrain came into effect on 1 January 2015.

The Basel III accord is built on three pillars:

- Pillar I deals with the basis for the computation of the regulatory capital adequacy ratio. It defines the calculation of Risk Weighted Assets (RWAs) for credit risk, market risk and operational risk, as well as the derivation of the regulatory capital base. The capital adequacy ratio is then calculated as the ratio of the Bank's regulatory capital to its total RWAs
- Pillar II involves the process of supervisory review of a financial institution's risk management framework and its capital adequacy.
- Pillar III relates to market discipline and requires the Bank to publish detailed qualitative and quantitative information of its risk management and capital adequacy policies and processes to complement the first two pillars and the associated supervisory review process.

The disclosures in this document are in addition to the disclosures included in the consolidated financial statements which are prepared in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards issued by Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions and in conformity with the Bahrain Commercial Companies Law and the Central Bank of Bahrain and Financial Institutions Law, the CBB Rule Book (Volume 2) and relevant CBB directives.

#### 2 Financial Performance and Position

The Bank was incorporated on 19 January 2006 in the Kingdom of Bahrain. The Bank operates under Islamic Shari'a principles in accordance with the regulatory requirements for Islamic banks set by the CBB. The Bank's ordinary shares are listed in the Bahrain Bourse and Dubai Financial Market and operates under an Islamic retail banking license issued by CBB.

On 30 March 2014, the Bank acquired 100% stake in BMI Bank B.S.C.(c) ("BMI"), a closed shareholding company in the Kingdom of Bahrain, through exchange of shares. During January 2015, the Shari'a Supervisory Board approved BMI Bank to be an Islamic bank effective 1 January 2015. BMI Bank's operations are in compliance with Shari'a principles effective 1 January 2015.

On 29 November 2016, the shareholders of BMI resolved to approve the transfer of the operations of BMI to the Bank. The transfer of business was approved by the CBB on 17 April 2017 which was subsequently published in the official gazette dated 20 April 2017. The Bank has transferred majority of the BMI's rights and assumed all of it's obligations at their respective carrying values.

During 2016, the Bank acquired 70% stake in Al Salam Bank Seychelles Limited ("ASBS"), (previously "BMIO") an offshore bank in Seychelles. ASBS operates under an offshore banking license issued by the Central Bank of Seychelles. BMIO used to operate under an offshore banking license issued by the Central Bank of Seychelles. From 20 May 2016, ASBS was granted a Banking Business License which permits onshore as well as offshore banking activities. All legal formalities in relation to the share allotment have been completed and the process of converting ASBS into fully compliant Islamic operations is in progress. In accordance with CA-B.1.4 of the CBB Rulebook, for the purpose of disclosure of risk weighted exposures and for capital adequacy calculation, the Bank has obtained an approval from the CBB to aggregate the risk weighted exposures of ASBS and hence, the risk weighted exposures of ASBS do not form part of all disclosures in this Basel III - Pillar III Disclosure Document.

During 2018, the Group reassessed its involvement with an associate entity and its asset under management, ASB Biodiesel 1 ("Biodiesel"), a company incorporated in Cayman Islands with operations based on in Hongkong undertaking business of manufacturing biodiesel. The Group also had a significant financing exposure to Biodiesel. Based on the Groups ongoing involvement and support of the business and increase in variability of its exposure arising from the operations, it was assessed that the Group has obtained control over relevant activities of the Company in its capacity as principal. Accordingly the Group consolidated ASB Biodiesel and its subsidiaries (together "Biodiesel Group") effective 30 September 2018, being the deemed date of acquisition.

The Bank and its principal banking subsidiary operates through 10 branches in the Kingdom of Bahrain and 1 branch in Seychelles and offer a full range of Shari'a-compliant banking services and products. The activities of the Bank includes managing profit sharing investment accounts, offering Islamic financing contracts, dealing in Shari'a-compliant financial contracts as principal / agent, managing Shari'a-compliant financial contracts and other activities permitted for under the CBB's Regulated Islamic Banking Services as defined in the licensing framework. The Bank together with its subsidiaries are referred to as the "Group".

The consolidated financial statements and capital adequacy regulatory disclosures of the Group have been prepared on a consistent basis where applicable

Table 2.1 Key Financial Indicators (PD 1.3.9 a,b,c)

(BD '000s) Dec-2018 Dec-2017 Jun-2021 Dec-2020 Dec-2019 Dec-2016 33,568 57,420 53,527 56,719 62,190 63,000 Net operating income 10,571 9,118 21,130 18,520 18,055 16,096 Net profit 2,261,353 2,042,803 710,310 ,633,917 1,589,228 1,681,293 Total equity 294,878 281,167 320,074 304,822 303,837 324,899 Jun-2021 Dec-2020 Dec-2019 Dec-2018 **Key Ratios** Dec-2017 Dec-2016 Earnings per share (fils) 7.6 Return on average assets (%)\* 0.9 0.4 1.1 1.1 1.1 1.0 Return on average equity (%) 7.4 3.0 6.8 6.1 5.7 5.0 Cost to Net operating income (%) 48.2 52.3 55.6 48.9 39.0 41.4 NA 126.4 83.9 81.0 83.0 66.5 Dividend payout ratio (%) Dividend yield ratio (%) NA 4.2 8.0 7.0 6.8 6.1 Net profit margin on average Islamic assets (%)\* 3.0 2.9 3.2 2.7 3.4 2.7

<sup>\*</sup> Annualised

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# 2 Financial Performance and Position (continued)

 Table 2.2 Financial Summary

BD	'000s)	
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Consolidated Financial Position	Jun-2021	Dec-2020	Dec-2019	Dec-2018	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	339,174	288,266	219,456	82,587	66,351	131,990
Sovereign Sukuk	494,055	393,108	345,305	354,215	363,569	358,269
Placements with financial institutions	192,414	37,965	114,803	163,305	141,225	182,452
Corporate Sukuk	17,040	16,395	22,162	9,222	10,419	28,934
Financing assets	822,644	814,449	685,756	568,905	532,535	478,798
Finance lease assets	526,016	469,363	389,742	256,892	213,238	188,485
Non-trading investments	96,721	98,034	108,991	107,508	111,325	122,073
Investment properties	59,420	67,586	72,774	74,261	66,782	51,863
Development properties	2,943	2,943	2,943	6,290	6,448	17,781
Investment in associates	13,847	12,036	10,640	15,972	16,835	10,561
Other assets	43,672	35,237	44,260	45,182	34,530	64,276
Goodwill	25,971	25,971	25,971	25,971	25,971	25,971
Assets classified as held-for-sale	-	-	-	-	-	19,840
Placements from financial institutions	157,085	116,883	211,459	144,125	154,765	132,032
Placements from customers	-	-	-	705,924	602,784	723,439
Customer current accounts	419,000	363,970	289,456	251,842	283,886	279,609
Murabaha term financing	139,480	221,671	145,590	155,543	79,986	91,837
Other liabilities	55,831	52,282	41,481	48,293	45,089	49,260
Liabilities relating to assets classified as held-for-sale	-	-	-	-	-	11,421
Equity of Investment Accountholders (EIAH)	1,567,643	1,225,380	1,034,743	99,761	118,881	68,796
of which: Wakala from financial institutions	229,538	264,784	210,887	-	-	-
of which: Wakala and Mudaraba from customers	1,338,105	960,596	823,856	-	-	-
Capital	Jun-2021	Dec-2020	Dec-2019	Dec-2018	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Capital adequacy (%)	27.2	26.5	21.2	20.6	21.4	21.6
Equity/total assets (%)	11.2	12.4	15.7	17.8	19.1	19.3
Total customer deposits/equity (times)	6x	4.7x	3.5x	3.5x	3.3x	3.3x
Liquidity and Other Ratios	Jun-2021	Dec-2020	Dec-2019	Dec-2018	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Islamic financing contracts/total assets (%)	51.2	56.8	52.6	48.3	46.9	39.7
Investments/total assets (%)	26.0	26.1	27.6	33.2	36.2	36.2
Liquid assets/total assets (%)	32.0	19.8	24.4	24.9	28.9	31.0
Liquid assets/Current and URIA deposits (%)	42.5	28.2	37.6	121.1	114.2	149.6
Customer Deposits/ Total assets (%)	66.7	58.6	54.5	61.8	63.3	63.8
Due from banks and financial institutions/ Total Assets (%)	7.3	1.7	5.6	9.5	8.9	10.9
Interbank Assets/ Interbank Liabilities (%)	122.5	32.5	54.3	113.3	91.3	138.2
Islamic financing contracts/customer deposits (%)	67.9	80.8	81.2	78.1	74.2	62.3
Number of employees	368	363	355	341	322	333

# 3 Group and Capital Structure

# 3.1 Group Structure

The consolidated financial statements for the period comprise of the financial statements of the Bank and its subsidiaries (together referred to as "the Group") The principal subsidiaries and associates as at 30 June 2021 and their treatment for capital adequacy purposes are as follows:

	Entity classification as per CA Module	Treatment by the Bank
Subsidiary		
Al Salam Bank Seychelles	Banking subsidiary	Aggregation of risk weighted assets approved by the CBB on 28 June 2016
Kenaz Al Kadam Real Estate Investment W.L.L.		
Kenaz Al Hamala Real Estate Investment W.L.L.	Commercial entity	Risk weighting of investment exposure
Wahat Al Muharraq Real Estate Investment W.L.L.	Commercial entity	Kisk weighting of investment exposure
ASB Biodiesel 1		
Associates		
Al Salam Bank Algeria	Financial entity	Risk weighting of investment exposure
Gulf African Bank	i manciai entity	Nisk weighting of investment exposure
Manara Developments Company W.L.L.		
NS Real Estate Company W.L.L.		
Darari Investment Company W.L.L.	Commercial entity	Risk weighting of investment exposure
Burj Al Safwa Property Investment Company W.L.L.		
ASB Global REIT Fund		

#### 3.2 Capital Structure

The Group's regulatory total capital of BD 301,566 thousands comprises of CET 1, AT1 and Tier 2 capital which is detailed in the following table: (PD 1.3.11)

The issued and paid up share capital of the Group was BD 241,973 thousands at 30 June 2021, comprising of 2,419,730 thousand shares of BD 0.100 each. (PD 1.3.11)

The management believes that the current capital structure addresses the current and future activities of the Group.

Table 3.1 Breakdown of the Bank's Capital Base (PD 1.3.12, 13, 14, 15, 16)

			(BD '000s
	CET1	AT1	T2
Issued and fully paid up ordinary shares	241,973		
Treasury shares	(7,530)		
Legal/statutory reserves	16,706		
Share premium	209		
Retained earnings	9,554		
Current interim cumulative net income / losses	10,388		
Unrealized gains and losses on available for sale financial instruments	13,373		
Gains and loss resulting from converting foreign currency	(3,901)		
subsidiaries to the parent currency			
Unrealized gains and losses arising from fair valuing equities	11,436		
Total Minority Interest in banking subsidiaries given recognition in	152		
CET1 capital			
Total CET1 capital prior to regulatory adjustments	292,361		
Less:			
Goodwill	(25,971)		
Total Common Equity Tier 1 capital after the regulatory	266,390		
Instruments issued by banking subsidiaries to third parties		33	43
Asset revaluation reserve - Property, plant, and equipment		-	22,864
General financing loss provisions		-	12,236
Total Available AT1 & T2 Capital		33	35,143
Total Tier 1		266,423	
Total Capital (PD 1.3.20 a)			301,566

Table 3.2 (BD '000s)

	Risk \	Risk Weighted Exposures		
	Credi	t Operational	Market	
Risk Weighted Exposures (self-financed)	782,089	102,426	25,642	
Risk Weighted Exposures (URIA)	190,375	-	-	
Aggregation of Risk Weighted Exposures	6,422	824	-	
Risk Weighted Exposures after Aggregation	978,886	103,250	25,642	
Total Risk Weighted Exposures			1,107,777	

	CET 1	T1	Total Capital
% of Total Risk Weighted Exposures (CAR) (PD 1.3.20 a)	24.05%	24.05%	27.22%
Minimum Required by CBB Regulations under Basel III (before CCB)	6.50%	8.00%	10.00%
Capital Conservation Buffer (CCB)	2.50%	2.50%	2.50%
Minimum Required by CBB Regulations under Basel III (after CCB)	9.00%	10.50%	12.50%

<sup>\*</sup> Calculated in accordance with Capital Adequacy Module of Volume 2 issued by the CBB. ASBS has not been considered as a significant subsidiary as the regulatory capital is less than 5% of the Group's consolidated capital base.

# 4 Capital Adequacy Ratios (CAR)

No impediments on the transfer of funds or reallocation of regulatory capital exist and the Group has adequate capital to support the current and future activities of the Group. (PD 1.3.6.c and PD 1.3.16)

# 4.1 Capital Management

Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP)

The Group's capital management aims to maintain an optimum level of capital to enable it to pursue strategies that build long-term shareholder value, whilst always maintaining minimum regulatory ratio requirements and for Pillar II risks.

The key principles driving capital management include:

- Adequate capital is maintained as buffer for unexpected losses to protect stakeholders i.e. shareholders and depositors.
- Optimize risk adjusted return on capital and generate sustainable return above the cost of capital.

The adequacy of the Group's capital is monitored using, primarily, the rules and ratios established by the CBB. The primary objective of the Group's capital management is to ensure that it complies with externally imposed capital requirements. The Group complied in full with all externally imposed capital requirements during the period ended 30 June 2021.

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#### 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge

The Group has adopted the standardized approach for credit risk and market risk and the basic indicator approach for operational risk for regulatory reporting purposes. The Group's risk-weighted capital requirement for credit, market and operational risks are given below.

#### 5.1 Credit Risk

#### A Definition of exposure classes per Standard Portfolio (PD 1.3.21 a)

The Group has a diversified funded and unfunded credit portfolio. The exposures are classified as per the Standard portfolio approach mentioned under the CBB's Basel III capital adequacy framework covering the standardized approach for credit risk.

The descriptions of the counterparty classes along with the risk weights to be used to derive the risk weighted assets are as follows:

#### a. Claims on sovereigns

These pertain to exposures to governments and their central banks. Claims on Bahrain and GCC sovereigns are risk weighted at 0%. Claims on all other sovereigns are given a risk weighting of 0% where such claims are denominated and funded in the relevant domestic currency of that sovereign. Claims on sovereigns, other than those mentioned above are risk weighted based on their credit ratings.

#### b. Claims on public sector entities (PSEs)

Bahrain PSEs are assigned 0% risk weight. Other sovereign PSE's, in the relevant domestic currency and for which the local regulator has assigned risk weight as 0%, are assigned 0% risk weight by the CBB. PSEs other than those mentioned above are risk weighted based on their credit ratings.

#### c. Claims on banks

Claims on banks are risk weighted based on the ratings assigned to them by external rating agencies, however, short term claims on locally incorporated banks may be assigned a risk weighting of 20% where such claims on the banks are of an original maturity of three months or less and the claims are denominated and funded in either Bahraini Dinars or US Dollars.

Preferential risk weights that are one category more favorable than the standard risk weighting are assigned to claims on foreign banks licensed in Bahrain of an original maturity of three months or less denominated and funded in the relevant domestic currency. Such preferential risk weights for short-term claims on banks licensed in other jurisdictions are allowed only if the relevant supervisor also allows this preferential risk weighting to short-term claims on its banks.

No claim on an unrated bank would receive a risk weight lower than that applied to claims on its sovereign of incorporation. Significant investment in subordinated debt of banking, securities and financial entities are risk weighted at 250% and investments in excess of 15% of the Bank's CET1, then the excess amount will be deducted from the bank's capital.

#### d. Claims on corporate portfolio, including insurance companies

Claims on corporate portfolio including insurance companies are risk weighted based on credit ratings. Risk weightings for unrated corporate claims are assigned at 100%.

#### e. Claims on regulatory retail portfolio

Retail claims that are included in the regulatory retail portfolio are assigned risk weights of 75% (except for past due Islamic financing contracts), if it meets the criteria mentioned in the CBB's rule book.

#### f. Mortgages

Claims secured by mortgages on residential mortgage and commercial real estate are subject to a minimum of 35%, 75% and 100% risk weight respectively.

# g. Past due receivables (PD 1.3.22 a)

The unsecured portion of the account receivables and lease payment receivables (other than a qualifying residential mortgage financing contract) that is past due for more than 90 days, is risk-weighted as follows (net of specific provisions and including partial write-offs):

- (a) 150% risk weight when specific provisions are less than 20% of the outstanding amount of the facility.
- (b) 100% risk weight when specific provisions are 20% or more of the outstanding amount of the facility.

# h. Investment in securities and sukuk

Investments in listed equities are risk weighted at 100% while unlisted equities are risk weighted at 150%. Investments in sukuk are risk weighted based on respective counterparty's credit ratings.

# i. Holding of real estate

All other holdings of real estate by banks (i.e. owned directly, subsidiaries or associate companies or other arrangements such as trusts, funds or REITs) are risk-weighted at 200%. Investment in listed real estate companies and investment in unlisted real estate companies are risk-weighted at 300% and 400% respectively. Premises occupied by the Group are weighted at 100%.

# j. Other assets

These are risk weighted at 100%.

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# 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

# 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

Table 5.1 Funded and Unfunded Exposures

(BD '000s)

					(BD 0008)
Contribution b	y Equity and Curr	ent Account	S		
Exposure type	Gross Credit	CRM	Net Credit	Risk-Weighted	Minimum Capital
	Exposure		Exposure	Assets (RWA)	Charge
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	203,568	-	203,568	41,743	5,218
Sovereign Sukuk	494,806	-	494,806	1,473	184
Placements with financial institutions	-	-	-	-	-
Corporate Sukuk	16,353	-	16,353	15,411	1,926
Murabaha financing	30,813	4	30,809	29,149	3,644
Mudaraba financing	43,787	1,512	42,276	41,441	5,180
Musharaka	249	-	249	374	47
Credit Cards	17	-	17	13	2
Finance lease assets	58,379	52,234	6,145	6,342	793
Non-trading investments	97,484	-	97,484	380,160	47,520
Investment properties	59,420	-	59,420	118,839	14,855
Development properties	2,943	-	2,943	5,886	736
Investment in associates	13,847	-	13,847	34,618	4,327
Other assets	36,792	-	36,792	38,192	4,774
Total funded exposures	1,058,459	53,750	1,004,709	713,640	89,205
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	129,852	-	129,852	68,449	8,556
Total unfunded exposures	129,852	-	129,852	68,449	8,556
Aggregation of Risk Weighted Exposures for AlSalam Bank Seychelles	-	-	-	6,422	803
Limited					
Total exposures	1,188,310	53,750	1,134,560	788,511	98,564

Contribution by Equity of Investment Accountholders								
Exposure Type	Gross Credit	CRM	Net Credit	Risk-Weighted	Minimum Capital			
	Exposure		Exposure	Assets (RWA)*30%	Charge			
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	133,186	-	133,186	472	59			
Placements with financial institutions	188,606	-	188,606	19,277	2,410			
Murabaha financing	366,257	28,585	337,672	45,830	5,729			
Mudaraba financing	367,140	35,615	331,525	67,083	8,385			
Musharaka	32,439	-	32,439	9,674	1,209			
Credit Cards	2,847	-	2,847	740	93			
Finance lease assets	469,226	124,681	344,546	47,299	5,912			
Total funded exposures	1,559,702	188,881	1,370,822	190,375	23,797			
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	-	-	-	-	-			
Total unfunded exposures	-	-	-	-	-			
Total exposures	1,559,702	188,881	1,370,822	190,375	23,797			

Note a: In accordance with the Public Disclosure requirements to disclose the regulatory capital requirements for credit risk under standardised approach, have been extracted from the workings prepared based on the Form PIRI submitted to the CBB by the Bank.

Note b: The gross credit exposure is arrived at after considering the following:

- inclusion of unfunded exposure (after CCF); and
- deduction of excess amount over maximum permitted large exposure limit.

Note c: The unfunded exposure before (CCF) as of 30 June 2021 is BD 198,977 thousands.

#### 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

#### 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

#### Excessive risk concentration (PD 1.3.26 a)

Concentrations arise when a number of counterparties are engaged in similar business activities, or activities in the same geographic region, or have similar economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic, political or other conditions. Concentrations indicate the relative sensitivity of the Group's performance to developments affecting a particular industry or geographical location.

In order to avoid excessive concentrations of risk, the Group's policies and procedures include specific guidelines to focus on country and counterparty limits and maintaining a diversified portfolio. Identified concentrations of credit risks are controlled and managed accordingly.

Following is the Gross credit exposure by Islamic financing contracts which represents the exposure on accounts receivable and lease payments receivable which are covered by eligible collateral: (PD 1.3.17) (PD 1.3.25 b, c)

Table 5.2 Gross Credit Exposures (PD 1.3.26 b)

(BD '000s)

Current Credit Exposure by Type of	<b>Gross Positive</b>	Netting	Netted	E	Eligible Collaterals Held (after appropriate haircuts) *			
Islamic Financing Contracts	Fair Value (Net	Benefits	<b>Current Credit</b>	Cash	Govt.	Guarantees	Real Estate	Total
	of specific		Exposures		Securities			
	provision)							
Murabaha financing	397,070	-	397,070	9,867	32,264	-	-	42,131
Mudaraba financing	410,927	-	410,927	45,219	-	-	-	45,219
Finance lease assets								
(Ijarah Muntahia Bittamleek)	527,605	-	527,605	5,809	-	-	339,714	345,523
Musharaka	32,689	-	32,689	-	-	-	-	-
Credit Cards	2,864	-	2,864	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,371,155	-	1,371,155	60,896	32,264	-	339,714	432,874

<sup>\*</sup> Over and above the collateral, considered as eligible under the CA Module, the Bank maintains additional collateral in the form of mortgage of residential properties, corporate guarantees and other tangible assets, which could be invoked to claim the amount owed in the event of default.

#### Credit risk concentrations and thresholds

The first level of protection against undue credit risk is through country, industry and threshold limits, together with customer and customer bank credit limits, set by the Board. Credit exposure to individual customers or customer banks is then controlled through a tiered hierarchy of delegated approval authorities.

Single name concentrations are monitored on an individual basis. Under the CBB's single obligor regulations, banks incorporated in Bahrain are required to obtain the CBB's approval for any planned exposure to a single counterparty, or group of closely related counterparties exceeding 15 percent of total capital.

As at 30 June 2021, the Group's exposures in excess of 15% of the obligor limits to individual counterparties, excluding Central Bank and exempt exposures by CBB were BHD nil. (PD 1.3.23 f)

Table 5.3 Gross Credit Exposures (PD 1.3.23 a)

(BD '000s)

		(60 0008)				
Contribution by Equity and Current Accounts						
Exposure Type	Gross Credit	•				
	Exposure	Exposure*				
		·				
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	207,045	166,942				
Sovereign Sukuk	494,055	446,973				
Placements with financial institutions	-	-				
Corporate Sukuk	17,040	16,579				
Financing assets	58,905	60,475				
Finance lease assets	57,751	123,284				
Non-trading investments	96,721	96,936				
Investment properties	59,420	60,605				
Development properties	2,943	2,943				
Investment in associates	13,847	13,690				
Other assets	43,672	46,685				
Goodwill	25,971	25,971				
Total funded exposures	1,077,370	1,061,081				
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	143,583	134,983				
Total unfunded exposures	143,583	134,983				
Total exposures	1,220,953	1,196,063				

Contribution by Equity of Investment Accountholders						
Exposure Type	Gross Credit Exposure	•				
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	132,129	132,499				
Placements with financial institutions	192,414	131,367				
Financing assets	763,739	772,082				
Finance lease assets	468,265	391,842				
Total funded exposures	1,556,547	1,427,789				
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	-	-				
Total unfunded exposures	-					
Total exposures	1,556,547	1,427,789				

<sup>\*</sup> The Group has calculated the average gross credit exposures based on average quarterly balances.

# Risk mitigation, collateral and other credit enhancements

The amount and type of collateral depends on an assessment of the credit risk of the counterparty. The types of collateral mainly include cash, lien on property and guarantees from banks. As at 30 June 2021, the collaterals eligible for CRM (after applying regulatory haircuts) amounted to BD 432,874 thousands.

Management monitors the market value of collateral, requests additional collateral in accordance with the underlying agreement, and monitors the market value of collateral obtained during its review of the adequacy of the allowance for impairment losses with respect to Murabaha and Ijarah facilities. The Bank also makes use of master netting agreements with counterparties where relevant. (PD 1.3.25 a)

The main types of guarantors include rated banks and other financial institutions and Sovereigns which are rated by ECAl's along with personal guarantees of the Board of Directors/ key management personnel of the borrower and other high net worth individuals.

The Group obtains additional collateral as and when the value of the collateral originally obtained is assessed at lower than the minimum acceptable Loan to Value (LTV) ratio of collateral. Also, where the customer is not in a position to provide additional collateral, the Group in consultation with its legal department evaluates the available legal and contractual options.

The Group ensures that at the inception of the facility, third parties valuation of the tangible collaterals is obtained and performs an annual review of the facility whereby the revised collateral valuation is obtained from the third parties.

In case of default, the Group will work with the counterparty to discuss how the outstanding facility can be settled. As a last resort, the counterparty's assets will be used to settle the outstanding obligation.

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# Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

# 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

# **5.1.1 Geographical Distribution of Exposures**

The exposures are allocated to individual geographic areas based on the country where the exposure risk specific to the facility exists. The Geographical distribution of exposures by exposure type (including financing contracts, non trading investments, investments in real estate, development property and investment in associates) and funded or unfunded by is as follows:

Table 5.4 (PD 1.3.23 b)

(BD '000s)

							(80 0008)			
	Contribution by Equity and Current Accounts									
Exposure type	GCC Countries	Arab World	Europe	Asia Pacific	North America	Others	Total			
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	70,696	32	20,334	285	114,499	1,199	207,045			
Sovereign Sukuk	490,533	-	-	3,522	-	-	494,055			
Placements with financial institutions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Corporate Sukuk	16,338	-	-	-	-	702	17,040			
Murabaha financing	31,100	-	-	-	-	925	32,025			
Mudaraba financing	26,404	-	-	-	-	210	26,615			
Musharaka	249	-	-	-	-	-	249			
Credit Cards	16	-	-	-	-	-	16			
Finance lease assets	57,751	-	-	-	-	-	57,751			
Non-trading investments	90,626	-	2,716	-	3,380	-	96,721			
Investment properties	59,420	-	-	-	-	-	59,420			
Development properties	-	-	2,943	-	-	-	2,943			
Investment in associates	-	10,154	-	-	-	3,694	13,847			
Other assets	22,440	14,575	11	5,662	-	983	43,672			
Goodwill	25,971	-	-	-	-	-	25,971			
Total funded exposures	891,544	24,761	26,003	9,469	117,879	7,714	1,077,370			
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	130,749	12,053	39	742	-	-	143,583			
Total unfunded exposures	130,749	12,053	39	742	-	-	143,583			
Total exposures	1,022,293	36,813	26,042	10,211	117,879	7,714	1,220,953			

# Table 5.5 (PD 1.3.23 b)

(BD '000s)

							(DD 0003)			
	Contribution by Equity of investment account holders									
Exposure type	GCC Countries	Arab World	Europe	Asia Pacific	North America	Others	Tota			
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	130,482	-	-	-	-	1,647	132,129			
Placements with financial institutions	186,853	-	-	-	1,607	3,954	192,414			
Murabaha financing	339,452	14,503	5,263	-	-	5,019	364,238			
Mudaraba financing	361,659	611	-	-	-	2,033	364,303			
Musharaka	32,438	-	-	-	-	-	32,438			
Credit Cards	2,716	12	-	1	6	25	2,760			
Finance lease assets	466,278	-	-	-	-	1,987	468,265			
Total funded exposures	1,519,878	15,126	5,263	1	1,614	14,664	1,556,547			
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total unfunded exposures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total exposures	1,519,878	15,126	5,263	1	1,614	14,664	1,556,547			

Table 5.6 The geographical distribution of exposures including impaired assets and the related impairment provisions (PD 1.3.23 i)

(BD '000s)

				(BB 0003)
	Gross Past Due Financing Contracts	•	Gross Impaired Financing	impaired
GCC Countries	24,496	(880)	44,323	(26,173)
Others	-	-	1	(1)
Total	24,496	(880)	44,324	(26,174)

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- 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)
- 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)
- 5.1.2 Exposure by Industry

Table 5.7 Exposure by type of credit exposure (PD 1.3.23 c)

(BD '000s) **Contribution by Equity and Current Account Exposure Type** Real Estate Total Trading and Banks and Individuals Government Others Manufacturing Financial Institutions 207,045 207,045 Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank Sovereign Sukuk 2,583 491,471 494,055 Placements with financial institutions 17,040 17,040 Corporate Sukuk 21,838 660 9,528 32,025 Murabaha financing 13,039 8,028 Mudaraba financing 210 3,395 1,943 26,615 Musharaka 249 249 Credit Cards 16 16 33,553 10,133 12,593 1,472 57,751 Finance lease assets Non-trading investments 89,695 7,026 96,721 Investment properties 59,420 59,420 --2,943 2,943 Development properties 13,847 13,847 Investment in associates 6,467 1,244 3,165 156 17,062 Other assets 15,578 43,672 Goodwill 25,971 25,971 32,221 793,001 190,909 27,494 156 33,589 1,077,370 Total funded exposures 95,076 219 Contingent Liabilities & Commitments 15,856 29,934 52 2,446 143,583 Total unfunded exposures 52 2,446 95,076 15,856 29,934 219 143,583 Total exposures 127,297 808,857 220,843 27,546 375 36,035 1,220,953

Table 5.8 Exposure by type of credit exposure (PD 1.3.23 c)

(BD '000s)

Contribution by Equity of Investment Accountholders									
Exposure Type	Trading and	Banks and	Real Estate	Individuals	Government	Others	Total		
	Manufacturing	Financial							
		Institutions							
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	-	132,129	-	-	-	-	132,129		
Placements with financial institutions	-	192,414	-	-	-	-	192,414		
Murabaha financing	23,708	34,276	27,714	140,097	135,904	2,538	364,238		
Mudaraba financing	118,636	9,737	81,139	55,369	74,826	24,595	364,303		
Musharaka	13,448	-	12,159	6,831	-	-	32,438		
Credit Cards	71	23	2	2,627	2	36	2,760		
Finance lease assets	79,265	1,987	39,175	341,729	2,330	3,778	468,265		
Total funded exposures	235,129	370,566	160,189	546,653	213,062	30,948	1,556,547		
Contingent Liabilities & Commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Total unfunded exposures	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total exposures	235,129	370,566	160,189	546,653	213,062	30,948	1,556,547		

Table 5.9 The exposure by industry including impaired assets and the related impairment is as follows: (PD 1.3.23 h)

(BD '000s)

	Gross Past Due Financing Contracts	and Lifetime ECL	Contracts	credit
Trading and Manufacturing	3,197	(8)	6,890	(2,735)
Real Estate	408	(125)	2,705	(1,604)
Individuals	20,191	(747)	18,562	(8,428)
Others	699	-	16,167	(13,407)
Total	24,496	(880)	44,324	(26,174)

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# **Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)**

#### 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

# 5.1.2 Exposure by Industry (continued)

Table 5.10 Ageing Analysis (PD 1.3.24 b (i))

(BD '000s)

						(BB 0000)
	Gross Impa	aired and Past Due	Contracts	Expected	Net Outstanding	Market Value of
	Up to 1 Year	Up to 1 Year Over 1 year up to		Credit Losses		Collateral
		3 years		(ECL) /		
				Specific		
				Provisions		
Trading and Manufacturing	3,569	5,622	897	(2,743)	7,345	16,043
Real Estate	415	1,279	1,419	(1,729)	1,384	4,222
Individuals	26,004	2,263	10,486	(9,175)	29,577	35,343
Others	2,457	13,408	1,001	(13,407)	3,460	4,775
Total	32,445	22,572	13,803	(27,054)	41,766	60,384

# 5.1.3 Movement In Net Allowance For Credit Losses / Impairment (PD 1.3.24 d)

Table 5.11 The balance of allowance for credit loss in the below table includes all financial assets and off-balance sheet exposures in addition to financing assets:

				(BD ,0008)
	Stage 1:	Stage 2: Lifetime	Stage 3:	Total ECL
	12-month ECL	ECL not credit-	Lifetime ECL	
		impaired	credit-	
			impaired	
Balance at the beginning of the period	14,546	6,035	26,719	47,300
- transferred to Stage 1: 12 month ECL	35	(35)	-	-
- transferred to Stage 2: Lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	(446)	3,657	(3,211)	-
- transferred to Stage 3: Lifetime ECL credit-impaired	(86)	(272)	358	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	(1,610)	3,883	4,768	7,041
Recoveries / write-backs		(80)	(145)	(225)
Allowance for credit losses	(2,107)	7,153	1,770	6,816
Exchange adjustments and other movements	-	-	(5)	(5)
Amounts charged back during the period - net	-	-	153	153
Balance at the end of the period	12,439	13,188	28,637	54,264

# 5.1.4 Exposure by External Credit Rating

The Group uses public information provided by external rating agencies (accredited External Credit Assessment Institutions – ECAI). The lowest of the ratings based on information available to public is used as an input in computing rated exposures. (PD 1.3.22 c, d, e)

**Table 5.12** 

(BD '000s)

Exposure Type	Gross Credit	Rated Exposure	Unrated
	Exposure*		Exposure
Cash	8,744	-	8,744
Claims on sovereigns	743,218	3,559	739,659
Claims on banks	442,050	377,036	65,015
Claims on corporate portfolio	396,572		396,572
Regulatory retail portfolio	104,802		104,802
Mortgages	747,126		747,126
Past due receivables over 90 days	22,114		22,114
Investments in Securities and Sukuk	15,019		15,019
Holding of Real Estate	159,545	•	159,545
Other assets and Specialized financing	108,823	•	108,823
Total	2,748,013	380,594	2,367,418

<sup>\*</sup> Gross credit exposure above have been extracted from the workings prepared based on the Form PIRI submitted to the CBB by the Bank.

It is the Group's policy to maintain accurate and consistent risk ratings across the credit portfolio through the internal risk rating system. As such, the Group uses internal risk ratings that are supported by a variety of financial analytics, combined with processed market information, to provide main inputs for measurement of counterparty credit risk. All internal ratings are tailored to various categories and are derived in accordance with the Group's credit policy and are assessed and updated on a regular basis. (PD 1.3.22 e)

Note a: In accordance with the Public Disclosure requirements to disclose the regulatory capital requirements for credit risk under standardised approach, the above amounts have been extracted from the workings prepared based on the Form PIRI submitted to the CBB by the Bank.

Note b: The gross credit exposure is arrived at after considering the following:

- inclusion of unfunded exposure (after CCF);
- risk weighting of excess amount over maximum permitted large exposure limit at 800%.

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# Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

# 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

# 5.1.5 Maturity Analysis of Exposures

The table below summarizes the notional principal amounts and the relative exposure before applying credit risk mitigation:

Table 5.13 (BD '000s)						
	Notional Principal	Credit Exposure				
		*				
Contingent liabilities on behalf of customers	65,369	46,783				
Irrevocable unutilised commitments	78,214	27,674				
Forward foreign exchange contracts	55,394	55,394				
Operating lease commitments	2,186	-				
Total	201.163	129.852				

<sup>\*</sup> Credit exposure is after applying CCF.

Table 5.14 Contractual maturity analysis by major type of credit exposure - Funded (PD 1.3.23 g) (PD 1.3.24 a)

(BD '000s)

Exposure Type	Up to 3 months	3 months to 1	Total within 12	1 <b>–</b> 5 years	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 years	Over 20 years	Total Over 12	Total
		year	months					months	
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	339,174	-	339,174	-	-	-	-	-	339,174
Sovereign Sukuk	21,534	35,142	56,676	276,682	146,124	-	14,574	437,379	494,055
Placements with financial institutions	186,444	5,970	192,414	-	-	-	-	-	192,414
Corporate Sukuk	59	11,153	11,212	5,828	-	-	-	5,828	17,040
Financing assets and finance lease assets	130,522	187,013	317,535	577,272	264,229	137,680	51,945	1,031,125	1,348,660
Non-trading investments	-	-	-	-	96,721	-	-	96,721	96,721
Investment properties	-	-	-	-	59,420	-	-	59,420	59,420
Development properties	-	-	-	-	2,943	-	-	2,943	2,943
Investment in associates	-	-	-	-	13,847	-	-	13,847	13,847
Other assets	8,344	451	8,795	2,159	32,413	296	10	34,878	43,672
Goodwill	-	-	-	-	25,971	-	-	25,971	25,971
Total	686,076	239,728	925,805	861,940	641,668	137,976	66,529	1,708,112	2,633,917

Table 5.14 (a) Contractual maturity analysis by major type of credit exposure - Unfunded

(BD '000s)

Exposure Type	Up to 3 months	3 months to 1	Total within 12	1 <b>–</b> 5 years	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 years	Over 20 years	Total Over 12	Total
		year	months					months	
Unutilised commitments	15,463	22,645	38,108	3,008	21,709	13,401	1,987	40,106	78,214
Contingent liabilities	21,629	17,392	39,021	4,624	7,601	14,123	-	26,348	65,369
Operating lease commitments	262	787	1,049	1,137	-	-	-	1,137	2,186
Forward foreign exchange contracts	48,699	6,695	55,394	-	-	-	-	-	55,394
Total	86,053	47,519	133,573	8,769	29,310	27,524	1,987	67,590	201,163

The above contractual maturity analysis is based on consolidated statement of financial position classification.

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#### 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

#### 5.1 Credit Risk (continued)

#### 5.1.5 Maturity Analysis of Exposures (continued)

Table 5.15 Contractual maturity analysis by major type of funding

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Exposure Type	Up to 3 months	3 months to 1	Total within 12	1 - 5 years	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 years	Over 20 years	Total Over 12	Total
		year	months					months	
Placements from financial institutions	97,944	58,438	156,381	704	-	-	-	704	157,085
Customer current accounts	419,000	-	419,000	-	-	-	-	-	419,000
Murabaha term financing	73,686	48,335	122,021	2,211	15,247	-	-	17,459	139,480
Other liabilities	17,715	-	17,715	2,755	35,362	-	-	38,116	55,831
Equity of Investment Accountholders	865,901	626,979	1,492,881	72,957	1,805	-	-	74,762	1,567,643
Total	1,474,246	733,752	2,207,998	78,627	52,414		-	131,041	2,339,039

#### 5.2 Market Risk

Market risk arises from fluctuations in market prices on financial instruments and foreign exchange rates that could have an indirect effect on the Group's assets value and equity prices. The Board of Directors has set limits on the risk that may be accepted. This is monitored on a regular basis by the Group's Asset and Liability Committee. (PD 1.3.27 a)

**Table 5.16** The Group's capital charge in respect of market risk in accordance with the standardized methodology is as follows:

					(BD '000s)
	Risk Weighted	Capital	Period End	Capital	Capital
	Asset	Requirement	Capital	Requirement	Requirement
			Charge	-Minimum*	-Maximum*
Foreign exchange risk	25,642	3,205	2,051	2,051	2,141
Total market risk	25,642	3,205	2,051	2,051	2,141

<sup>\*</sup> The information in these columns shows the minimum and maximum capital charge of each of the market risk categories on a quarterly basis during the period ended 30 June 2021.

Foreign exchange positions constitute a major component of the market risk capital charge. The Group maintains a conservative market risk exposure that is focused on the foreign exchange risk coming from the Group's banking book positions. The open positions were taken in order of running the Group's day to day operations that include funding for the Group's investment portfolio. The Group monitors and manages these open positions on a daily basis. (PD 1.3.27 a)

# 5.3 Operational Risk

Operational risk is defined as the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes or systems, or from external events. Operational risk is inherent in all business activities and can never be eliminated entirely; however shareholder value can be preserved and enhanced by managing, mitigating and, in some cases, insuring against operational risk. To achieve this goal, the Group has developed an operational risk framework which encompasses identification, measurement, management and monitoring of risk through risk control and mitigation. A variety of underlying processes are being deployed across the Group including risk and control self assessments, Key Risk Indicators (KRI), event management, new product review and approval processes and business contingency plans. (PD 1.3.21 c)

The Group's policy and procedures dictates that the operational functions of booking, recording and monitoring of transactions are carried out by staff that are independent of the individuals initiating the transactions. Each business line including Operations, Information Technology, Human Resources, Legal, Compliance and Financial Control is further responsible for employing the aforementioned framework processes and control programs to manage its operational risk within the guidelines established by the policy, and to develop internal procedures that comply with these policies. To ensure that all operational risks to which the Group is exposed to are adequately managed, support functions are also involved in the identification, measurement, management, monitoring and control/mitigation of operational risk, as appropriate. (PD 1.3.28) (PD 1.3.29)

Consistent with the fundamental principle of ownership, the relevant business units are accountable and responsible for managing the operational risks relevant to their respective businesses. Consequently, business and support units have documented procedures and controls in place along with departmental instruction manuals. All changes to such policies are subject to agreement by all respective business units and approval of the Board of Directors following management review. Procedures are reviewed by the respective business or support unit and approved at the management level. (PD 1.3.28) (PD 1.3.29)

The Group has a well established Business Continuity Policy and Disaster Recovery Program, and has documented updated procedures covering all activities necessary for business continuity in case of a business disrupting event. Internal Audit also provides an independent assessment to evaluate the program's effectiveness.

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# Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

# 5.3 Operational Risk (continued)

In accordance with the basic indicator approach methodology of Basel III, the total consolidated minimum capital charge in respect of operational risk was BD 12,906 thousands. This capital charge was computed by categorizing the Group's activities into its specific business lines (as defined by the Basel III framework) and multiplying the business line's average gross income for the last three financial years by a predefined beta factor and adding the aggregation of operational risk weighted exposures of ASB Seychelles. (PD 1.3.19)

**Table 5.17** (BD '000s)

	Jun-2021
Average gross income	54,627
Risk weighted exposures	102,426
Minimum capital charge	12,803

The Group uses the Temenos T24 core system developed by Globus, for obtaining the data needed for analysis of events and data related to credit, market and operational risk assessment. The Bank uses a dedicated system namely 'Risk Nucleus' system developed by BenchMatrix for effective operational risk management.

Non-Shari'a compliant income for the period ended 30 June 2021 amounted to BD 125 thousands. This has arisen primarily from conventional financing and investments, penalty charges from customers and income on current accounts balances held with correspondent banks. No Sharia violations were identified during the first half of 2021. (PD 1.3.30 a, b)

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# 5 Profile of Risk-Weighted Assets and Capital Charge (continued)

#### 5.4 Rate of Return Risk (PD 1.3.39)

Rate of return risk arises from the possibility that changes in return rates will affect future profitability or the fair values of financial instruments. The Group is exposed to rate of return risk as a result of mismatches of return rate repricing of assets and liabilities. In addition, rate of return risk can also affect the Group through market wide rate changes that are brought on by changes in the economy. The effect of the market rates is reflected and can be seen in the Group's pricing of contracts as they carry competitive pricing that follows the market. When risks are high, the market tends to place a higher rate of return to maintain the risk/return profile. Accordingly, the market reduces the rate of return when it identifies a decrease in the market wide risk that would be reflected by banks decreasing their rate of return pricing.

This risk is minimized as the Group's rate sensitive assets and liabilities are mostly for short tenures. In addition, the Group's cautious asset liability strategy avoids funding long term lending facilities from short term borrowings. The Group has set limits for profit return risk and these are monitored on an ongoing basis by the Group's Asset and Liability Committee (ALCO).

The below tables provides the asset and liability re-pricing profile on the contractual repricing or maturity dates, whichever is earlier for the period ended 30 June 2021. (PD 1.3.27 c)

Assets	Total	Upto 1	>1 to 3 months	>3 to 6	>6 to 12	>1 to 2 years	>2 to 3	>3 years	Profi
		month		months	months		years		insensitiv
Cash and balances with banks and Central									
Bank	339,174	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	339,174
Sovereign Sukuk	494,055	3,577	17,957	24,393	10,749	49,445	73,149	314,785	-
Placements with financial institutions	192,414	186,173	271	5,970	-	-	-	-	-
Corporate Sukuk	17,040	-	59	9,271	1,882	-	-	5,828	-
Murabaha financing	396,264	17,630	15,860	46,769	40,671	54,335	47,964	173,035	-
Mudaraba financing	390,917	7,272	81,913	15,759	47,649	60,754	32,579	144,992	-
Musharaka	32,687	18	490	3,776	1,463	2,671	7,497	16,772	-
Credit Cards	2,776	2,776	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Finance lease assets	526,016	1,726	2,607	13,591	17,330	52,989	34,511	403,261	-
Non-trading investments	96,721	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	96,721
Investment properties	59,420	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59,420
Development properties	2,943	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,943
Investment in associates	13,847	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,847
Other assets	43,672	3	90	134	317	1,505	212	626	40,785
Goodwill	25,971	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,971
Total Assets (A)	2,633,917	219,175	119,249	119,663	120,061	221,698	195,912	1,059,299	578,861
Liabilities	Total	Upto 1	>1 to 3 months	>3 to 6	>6 to 12	>1 to 2 years	>2 to 3	>3 years	Profi
		month		months	months		years		insensitive
Placements from financial institutions	157,085	49,978	47,966	43,239	15,199	704	-	-	-
Customer current accounts	419,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	419,000
Murabaha term financing	139,480	24,846	48,840	44,545	3,790	-	-	17,459	-
Other liabilities	55,831	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,831
Equity of investment accountholders	1,567,643	165,346	208,335	183,386	443,593	44,948	10,372	19,443	492,221
Total Liabilities	2,339,039	240,170	305,141	271,170	462,582	45,652	10,372	36,902	967,052
Shareholders funds	294,878	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	294,878
Total Liabilities & Shareholders Funds	2,633,917	240,170	305,141	271,170	462,582	45,652	10,372	36,902	1,261,930
Off-Balance Sheet Liabilities	143,583	8,721	8,721	17,442	17,442	17,442	-	-	73,816
Total liabilities with Off-Balance Sheet Items	2,777,500	248,891	313,862	288,612	480,024	63,093	10,372	36,902	1,335,746
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Gap (A - B)		(29,716)	(194,613)	(168,949)	(359,963)	158,605	185,540	1,022,398	

Table 5.18 (a)	(BD '000s)
Profit rate risk in the Banking Bo	ook
200bp Profit Rate Shocks	
Rate shock	Effect on net profit at
	30 June 2021
Upward rate shocks:	(12,266)
Downward rate shocks:	12,266

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# 5.5 Equity Position Risk (PD 1.3.21 d) (PD 1.3.31)

Equity position risk arises from the possibility of changes in the price of equities or equity indices and the corresponding effect they will have on future profitability or the fair values of financial instruments. The Group is exposed to equity risk in the non-trading position and investment portfolio primarily in its core international and GCC markets.

Equity risk in the banking book is effectively managed by the active involvement of the Executive and Investment committees; adhering to the policies and procedures in place; involvement of competent professionals; adequate internal control environment and independent internal audit department.

#### **Executive and Investment Committee Oversight**

The Board of Director's involvement begins with the approval of the Investment Policy which essentially determines the following: aggregate portfolio parameters, asset class restrictions, approval authorities, risk tolerance, maturity considerations, exit strategy and governance issues.

The Executive Committee has delegated authority within the overall Board authority. It provides direction to the Executive Management on all business matters and assumes the role of the Board to address matters arising between Board meetings. The Committee is responsible for business matters concerning credit and market risks, strategy review and recommendations to the Board. The Investment Committee reviews and approves all transactions related to corporate and real estate investments, as well as monitoring their performance on an ongoing basis. In addition, the Committee is responsible to oversee the performance of the fund managers and recommend exit strategies to maximize return to its investors.

#### **Internal Controls**

With regard to internal controls, the investment activity is subject to the same rigorous checks and balances in place for the commercial banking activity. Adequacy of internal controls is ensured by the recruitment of adequate qualified professionals, proper definition and communication of departmental and personnel roles, segregation of responsibilities of origination and implementation, independent reporting by the Financial Controls Department, periodic internal audit of the existence and implementation of processes and controls. All recommendations of the Strategy and Planning Department (SPD) are documented in the form of Investment Portfolio Reports and Investment Memorandums and are subject to independent review by the Investment Committee. Responsibility for all deployments and receipt of redemption proceeds vests with the SPD. The SPD ensures transparency in valuation by sourcing pricing from the available sources and using conservative valuation principles in accordance with international accounting standards. In addition, the SPD operates as an independent department responsible for due diligence of investments and specializes in sourcing deals and performing the initial analysis. Moreover, the Investment Administration Department will perform the investment management duties of monitoring the investments and preparing performance reports along with other required documentation. This set-up helps streamline processes as each unit focuses on specific set of duties at the same time having independence controls.

Table 5.19 Equity positions in the Banking Book

(BD '000s)
Gross Credit Exposure
4,116
92,605
13,847
-
(1,353)

			(BD '000s)
Asset Categories for Credit Risk	Gross	Risk-Weighted	Minimum
	Credit	Assets (RWA)	Capital
	Exposure		Charge
Equity Investments - Unlisted	848	1,272	159
Significant investment in the common shares of financial entities >10%	13,847	34,618	4,327
Investment in listed real estate companies	7,497	22,490	2,811
Investment in unlisted real estate companies	88,923	355,692	44,462

The Group's equity positions strategy consists of investments that are expected to bring in capital gains or for strategic reasons. The strategy has been drafted after considering the Board's risk appetite and the Board's approved liquidity, market risk and capital management policies. In line with the Board's approved policies, the investment strategy is conservative in the sense that it avoids investments with high volatility returns.

# 5.6 Displaced Commercial Risk

# (PD 1.3.41 a) (PD 1.3.21 f) (PD 1.3.32 i)

The Group is exposed to displaced commercial risk in the event of having Equity of Investment Accounts (EOIA) profit rates that are lower than market rates, thus putting the Group in risk of paying EOIA holders from shareholders funds to cover the profit volatility risk. ASBB has mitigated this risk through regular monitoring of liquidity gaps, deposit rates and concentrations in terms of the funding requirements by the Asset Liability Committee (ALCO). The ALCO reviews and monitors peer review analysis which includes average deposit rates paid by its peers in order to realign the deposit rates with the current market.

# 5.7 Liquidity Risk

# (PD 1.3.36) (PD 1.3.37)

The Group monitors in an active manner its liquidity profile through analysis of the liquidity gap across specific timeframes in order to maintain the net asset liability position that is within the Board's risk appetite. The maintenance of the net asset liability position is done through the monitoring of the Group's liquidity indicators through which the Group's liquidity profile can be assessed. In addition, the Group further mitigates its liquidity risk by establishing multiple funding sources to decrease it's correlation to an individual funding counterparty. The multiple funding lines can be used to offset any shortage resulting from the Group's obligations and/or to settle any shortage from each of the current accounts and Equity of investment accounts. The liquidity coverage ratio as of 30 June 2021 was 329.42%.

# 5.8 Other Risks

The Group has an investment in a foreign banking subsidiary wherein the transactions are denominated in US Dollars (USD) and since the BHD is pegged to USD there is no foreign exchange translation effect on the investment. (PD 1.3.42). The group has an investment in associate denominated in Algerian Dinar and the impact of foreign currency translation is included under Foreign Currency Translation Reserve (FCTR) in equity.

#### 6 Equity of Investment Accountholders (EIAH)

Equity of investment accountholders' fund is commingled with Group's and Wakala fund to form one general Mudaraba pool. This pooled fund is used to fund and invest in banking assets generating income, however no priority is granted to any party for the purpose of investments and distribution of profits.

The Group does not allocate non-performing assets to IAH pool. All the impairment allowances are allocated to owners' equity. Recoveries from non-performing financial assets are also not allocated to IAH accountholders. Only the profits earned on pool of assets funded from IAH and owners' equity are allocated between the owners' equity and IAH. As per the policy of the Group, minimum of 15% of return on assets earned is distributed to investment accountholders and 85% is retained by the Group as Mudarib share. The Group did not charge any administration expenses to investment accounts.

The funds are invested and managed in accordance with Shari'a principles. (PD 1.3.32 b)

According to the terms of acceptance of the unrestricted investment accounts, 100% of the funds are invested. In order to avoid excessive risk concentration the Group invests the commingled funds in such a way so as to comply with the CBB's large exposures limits. All Equity of investment accounts are classified as Mudarabas where fees are deducted before profit allocation, as there is no limit against their withdrawal. It should however be noted that Mudaraba account fees are subject to being partially or totally waived in order to match investment account holder market returns. (PD 1.3.32 c, j, k)

The Risk weighted assets of the Group include the contribution from EIAH which are subject to the 30% risk weight.

The EIAH and other customers can use the Group's relationship managers for any advice, mediation services, grievances and complaints. (PD 1.3.32 f, g)

There is no variation between Mudarib agreed sharing and contractual agreed ratio. Profit earned and paid and rate of return comparatives for the Equity of investment account holders for the period ended 30 June 2021 and years ended 31 December 2020,2019, 2018,2017 and 2016 are as follows: (PD 1.3.33 e, I, m, n)

Table 6.1						(BD '000s)
	Jun-2021	Dec-2020	Dec-2019	Dec-2018	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Profit earned for EIAH before smoothing	34,359	60,186	50,271	492	230	216
Profit paid for EIAH after smoothing	16,283	29,335	28,425	246	119	119
Balance of:						
PER	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
IRR	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7	7
Annual Rate of Return Benchmark	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Annual Rate of Return (EIAH) - Profit earned*	4.38%	4.91%	4.86%	0.53%	0.23%	0.18%
Annual Rate of Return (EIAH) - Profit paid*	2.08%	2.39%	2.75%	0.27%	0.12%	0.10%
PER Amount	-	-	-	-	-	-
PER %	-	-	-	-	-	-
IRR Amount	-	-	-	-	7	7
IRR %	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reconciliation						
Mudaraba Profit Earned	34,359	60,186	50,271	492	230	216
Mudarib fees	(18,076)	(30,851)	(21,846)	(246)	(111)	(97)
Profit credited to EIAH accounts	16,283	29,335	28,425	246	119	119
IRR movements	-	-	-	-	-	-
Profit on EIAH accounts	16,283	29,335	28,425	246	119	119
Mudarib fee as a percentage of total investment profit	53%	51%	43%	50%	48%	45%
EIAH Balance	1,567,643	1,225,380	1,034,743	99,761	118,881	68,796
RWA as per PIRI Report	190,375	170,292	11,469	6,886	18,727	4,128

<sup>\*</sup> Annualised

Table 6.2

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	Jun-2021	Dec-2020	Dec-2019	Dec-2018	Dec-2017	Dec-2016		
Rate of Return	2.08%	2.39%	2.75%	0.25%	0.10%	0.17%		
Return on average EIAH assets (ROAA)*	4.92%	5.45%	15.23%	0.49%	0.26%	0.32%		
Return on average equity (Total Owner's Equity) (ROAE)*	23.86%	20.89%	16.15%	0.16%	0.14%	0.07%		

<sup>\*</sup> Annnualised

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#### 6 Equity of Investment Accountholders (continued)

Table 6.3 Equity of investment accountholders by Counterparty Type and Islamic Product (PD 1.3.33 i)

Total assets breakdown by EIAH & Self financed				(BD '000s)
	Total	Funded by	Self Financed	% of EIAH to
	Exposures	EIAH		Total
Sovereign	213,218	213,062	156	99.9%
Financial Institutions	1,163,567	370,566	793,001	32%
Corporate	682,986	426,266	256,720	62%
Retail	574,147	546,653	27,494	95%
Total	2 633 917	1 556 547	1 077 370	59%

Table 6.4 The changes in asset allocation are as follows: (PD 1.3.32 d)

(BD '000s)

	Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank			with financial utions	Financin	Financing Assets		Finance Lease Assets	
	EIAH	Self	EIAH	Self Financed	EIAH	Self Financed	EIAH	Self Financed	
		Financed							
Asset Allocation as on 30 June 2021	132,129	207,045	192,414	-	763,739	58,905	468,265	57,751	
Asset Allocation as on 31 December 2020	107,134	181,132	37,965	-	747,538	66,911	320,029	149,334	
Asset Allocation as on 31 December 2019	117,829	101,627	76,660	38,143	656,985	28,771	183,269	206,473	
Asset Allocation as on 31 December 2018	-	ı	99,761	63,544	ı	ı	ı	ı	
Asset Allocation as on 31 December 2017	-	-	118,881	22,344	•	-	-	-	
Asset Allocation as on 31 December 2016	-	-	68,796	113,656		-	-	-	

There are no off-balance sheet exposures arising from investment decisions attributable to the EIAH.

#### 7 Other Disclosures

# 7.1 Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates. The Board has set limits on positions by currency. Positions are monitored on a daily basis by the Market Risk department and on a periodic basis by the Audit and Risk Committee as well as ALCO to ensure positions are maintained within established limits. Substantial portion of the Group's assets and liabilities are denominated in Bahraini Dinars, US Dollars or Saudi Riyals. As the Bahraini Dinar and Saudi Riyals are pegged to the US Dollars, positions in these currencies are not considered to represent significant currency risk as of 30 June 2021.

#### 7.2 Related Party Transactions

Related parties represent associated companies, major shareholders, directors and key management personnel of the Group and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's Senior Management. For further details refer Note13 titled Related Party Transactions in the consolidated financial statements for the period ended 30 June 2021. The intra-group and related party transactions are made at arms length basis during the year. (PD 1.3.10 e) (PD 1.3.23 d)

#### 7.3 Restructured Facilities

As at 30 June 2021, the balance of the renegotiated financing facilities to individuals and corporate was BD 31,952 thousands. In general, facilities are renegotiated to optimize a facility's credit profile with respect to its recoverability. This can involve changing any of the profit rate, tenure or security package. Previous restructuring of any facilities to individual and corporate customers did not have any significant impact on present and future earnings. (PD 1.3.23 j)

# 7.4 Assets Sold Under Recourse Agreements

The Group has not entered into any recourse agreement during the period ended 30 June 2021. (PD 1.3.23 k)

# 7.5 Legal Risk and Claims

As at 30 June 2021, legal suits amounting to BD 2,209 thousands (2020: BD 2,379 thousands) were pending against the Group. Based on the opinion of the Group's legal counsel, the total estimated liability arising from these cases is not considered to be material to the Group's consolidated financial position as the Group has also filed counter cases against these parties. (PD 1.3.30 c)

# 7.6 Deposit Protection Scheme

Certain customers' deposits of the Group are covered by deposit protection schemes established by the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB). Customers' deposits held with the Bank in the Kingdom of Bahrain are covered by the Regulation Protecting Deposits and Equity of unrestricted investment accounts issued by the CBB in accordance with Resolution No.(34) of 2010. This scheme covers eligible 'natural persons' (individuals) up to a maximum of BD 20,000 as set out by CBB requirements. A periodic contribution as mandated by the CBB is paid by the Group under this scheme.

(PD 4.4.2)

# 7.7 Exposure to highly-leveraged and other high-risk counterparties

The bank has no exposure to highly-leverged and other high-risk counterparties as per the definition provided in the CBB rulebook PD-1.3.24 (PD 1.3.23 e)

# 7.8 Exposures in excess of regulatory limits

The CBB has set a single exposure limit of 15% of the bank's total Capital Base on exposures to individuals and a combined exposure limit of 25% of the total Capital Base of closely-connected counterparties. The excess amount of any exposure above the mentioned thresholds must be risk-weighted at 800% unless it is an exempt exposure in accordance with the requirements in the CBB rulebook.

As at 30 June 2021, the Group's exposures in excess of 15% of the obligor limits to individual counterparties, excluding Central Bank and exempt exposures by CBB were BHD nil. (PD 1.3.23 f)

# 7.9 CBB Penalties (PD 1.3.44)

During the first half of 2021 an amount of BD nil was paid as penalty to the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB) for failure to comply with CBB requirements.

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# **COMPOSITION OF CAPITAL DISCLOSURE**

# **Appendix PD-2: Reconciliation requirements**

# Step 1: Disclosure of Balance Sheet under Regulatory scope of Consolidation

There are no differences between the regulatory and accounting consolidation, with both following line by line consolidation approach using consistent account policies without excluding any entities. As mandated by the Central Bank of Bahrain ("CBB"), financing facilities and investments have been grossed up with collective impairment provision, as presented below:

	BHD '000
Balance sheet as per published financial statements	2,633,917
Collective provision impairment	25,627
Less: Provision related to Contingent Liabilities and Commitments	(525)
Balance sheet as in Regulatory Return	2,659,019

Step 2: Reconcilation of published financial balance sheet to regulatory reporting as at 30 June 2021

	Balance sheet as in		
	published financial statements	Consolidated PIRI data	Reference
Assets			
Cash and balances with banks and Central Bank	339,174	339,271	
of which Self financed		207,142	
of which financed by URIA		132,129	
Placements with banks and similar financial institutions	192,414	192,571	
of which financed by URIA	-	192,571	
inancing assets	822,644	1,372,672	
Finance lease assets	526,016	-	
of which Self financed	-	129,729	
of which financed by URIA	-	1,242,943	
Available-for-sale investments	512,315	513,084	
of which Non-trading investments	1,220		
of which Sovereign Sukuk	494,055		
of which Corporate Sukuk	17,040	00.000	
nvestment properties	62,363	62,363	
of which Investments in real estate	59,420	-	
of which Development properties  nvestment in associates	2,943 <b>13,847</b>	13,847	
Property, plant, and equipment (PPE)	4,102	4,102	
Other Assets	161,042	161,109	
	95,501	•	
Non-Trading investment Other receivables and prepayments	39,570	-	
Goodwill	25,971	_	G
Fotal Assets	2,633,917	2,659,019	
Total Assets	2,033,917	2,039,019	
_iabilities			
Customers' current accounts	419,000	419,000	
Placements from financial institutions	157,085	157,085	
Funding Liabilities (e.g. reverse commodity murabaha, etc.)	139,480	139,480	
of which Murabaha term financing	139,480	-	
Accruals, deferred income, other liabilities, current and deferred tax liabilities (DTLs)	55,831	55,306	
of which Other liabilities	55,578	55,053	
of which Dividends payable	253	253	
Unrestricted Investment Accounts	1,567,643	1,567,643	
Total Liabilities	2,339,039	2,338,514	
Owners' Equity			
Total share capital	234,442	234,442	Α
Share capital	241,972	241,972	
Treasury stock	(7,530)	(7,530)	
Reserves and retained earnings	59,973	59,973	
Share premium	209	209	C-1
Statutory reserve	16,706	16,706	C-2
Retained earnings (excluding profit for the year)	(2,085)	,	
of which amount eligible for CET1	(3,777)	(3,777)	B-1
of which amount not eligible for CET1	1,692	1,692	
Subsidy from government	2,143	2,143	
Modification Loss	(24,768)	(24,768)	
Modification loss amortization	24,768	24,768	B-2
Net profit for the year	10,662	10,662	
of which amount eligible for CET1	10,388	10,388	B-3
of which amount not eligible for CET1	275	275	
Ex translation adjustment	(3,901)	(3,901)	
Changes in fair value - amount eligible for CET1	13,373	13,373	C-4
Real estate fair value reserve - amount eligible for T2	22,865	22,865	D
Minority interest in subsidiaries' share capital	464	464	
of which amount eligible for CET1	404	152	E-1
of which amount eligible for AT1	-	33	E-1 E-2
of which amount eligible for T2	-	43	E-2 E-3
of which amount eligible for 12  If which amount not eligible for regulatory capital	-	236	E-3
and the state of t		200	
Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	-	25,627	
of which amount eligible for T2	-	12,236	F
of which amount not eligible for regulatory capital	-	13,391	
Total Owners' Equity	294,878	320,505	
Total Liabilities + Owners' Equity	2,633,917	2,659,019	

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# Appendix PD-1: Reconciliation requirements & Template Step 3: Composition of Capital Common Template as at 30 June 2021

	Composition of Capital and mapping to regulatory reports	Component of regulatory capital	Reference numbers of balance sheet under the regulatory scope of consolidation from step 2			
	Common Equity Tier 1 capital: instruments and reserves					
	Directly issued qualifying common share capital plus related stock surplus	234,442				
	Retained earnings	31,379				
	Accumulated other comprehensive income (and other reserves)	26,387	C1+C2+C3+C4			
	Not Applicable					
5	Common share capital issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group	450				
0	CET1)	152	E1			
Ö	Common Equity Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	292,361				
7	Common Equity Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments					
	Prudential valuation adjustments	25.071	G			
	Goodwill (net of related tax liability)  Other intangibles other than mortgage-servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	25,971	G			
	Deferred tax assets that rely on future profitability excluding those arising from temporary	_				
10	differences (net of related tax liability)	_				
11	Cash-flow hedge reserve	_				
	Shortfall of provisions to expected losses	-				
	Securitisation gain on sale (as set out in paragraph 562 of Basel II framework)	-				
14	Not applicable					
15	Defined-benefit pension fund net assets	-				
_	Investments in own shares	-				
	Reciprocal cross-holdings in common equity	-				
18	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of					
	regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than					
10	10% of the issued share capital (amount above 10% threshold)	-				
19	Significant investments in the common stock of banking, financial and insurance entities that are					
	outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions (amount above 10% threshold)					
20	Mortgage servicing rights (amount above 10% threshold)	_				
	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (amount above 10% threshold, net of					
21	related tax liability)	_				
22	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold	_				
23		-				
24	of which: mortgage servicing rights	-				
25	of which: deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences	-				
26	CBB specific regulatory adjustments	-				
27	Regulatory adjustments applied to Common Equity Tier 1 due to insufficient Additional Tier 1 and					
	Tier 2 to cover deductions	-				
	Total regulatory adjustments to Common equity Tier 1	25,971				
29	Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1)	266,390				
	Additional Tier 1 capital: instruments					
30	Directly issued qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus	-				
31	of which: classified as equity under applicable accounting standards	-				
32	of which: classified as liabilities under applicable accounting standards	-				
	Directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out from Additional Tier 1	-				
34	Additional Tier 1 instruments (and CET1 instruments not included in row 5) issued by subsidiaries					
	and held by third parties (amount allowed in group AT1)	33	E-2			
35		-				
36	Additional Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	33				
	Additional Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments					
	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus	-				
38	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments	-				
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38	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of	-				
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38 39	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments  Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above 10% threshold)  Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside	- - -				
38 39 40	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments  Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above 10% threshold)  Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	- - -				
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38 39 40 41 42 <b>43</b> 44	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments  Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above 10% threshold)  Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)  CBB specific regulatory adjustments  Regulatory adjustments applied to Additional Tier 1 due to insufficient Tier 2 to cover deductions  Total regulatory adjustments to Additional Tier 1 capital  Additional Tier 1 capital (AT1)	- - - - - 33				
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	Tier 2 capital: regulatory adjustments	
52	Investments in own Tier 2 instruments	-
	Reciprocal cross-holdings in Tier 2 instruments	_
54		
	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of	
	regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than	
	10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above the 10% threshold)	-
55	Significant investments in the capital banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the	
	scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	-
56	National specific regulatory adjustments	
	Total regulatory adjustments to Tier 2 capital	-
58	Tier 2 capital (T2)	35,145
59	Total capital (TC = T1 + T2)	301,567
30	Total risk weighted assets	1,107,777
	Capital ratios and buffers	
61	Common Equity Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	24.05%
62	Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	24.05%
63	Total capital (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	27.22%
64	Institution specific buffer requirement (minimum CET1 requirement plus capital conservation	
	buffer plus countercyclical buffer requirements plus D-SIB buffer requirement expressed as a	
	percentage of risk weighted assets)	9.00%
65	of which: capital conservation buffer requirement	2.50%
66	of which: bank specific countercyclical buffer requirement	0.00%
67	of which: D-SIB buffer requirement	0.00%
68	Common Equity Tier 1 available to meet buffers (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	24.059/
		24.05%
വ	National minima including CCB (if different from Basel 3) CBB Common Equity Tier 1 minimum ratio	9.00%
	CBB Common Equity Tier i minimum ratio  CBB Tier 1 minimum ratio	
	CBB total capital minimum ratio	10.50% 12.50%
'	Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	12.50 /6
72	,	
	Non-significant investments in the capital of other financials  Significant investments in the common stock of financials	<u>.</u>
	Mortgage servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	_ _
	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	<u>-</u>
, ,	Applicable caps on the inclusion of provisions in Tier 2	-
76	Provisions eligible for inclusion in Tier 2 in respect of exposures subject to standardised approach	
70	(prior to application of cap)	25,627
77	Cap on inclusion of provisions in Tier 2 under standardised approach	12,236
	N/A	12,200
	N/A	
	Capital instruments subject to phase-out arrangements (only applicable between 1 Jan	
	2019 and 1 Jan 2023)	
	Current cap on CET1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
	Amount excluded from CET1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-
	Current cap on AT1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
	Amount excluded from AT1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-
	Current cap on T2 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
	Amount excluded from T2 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	

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# Appendix PD-3: Features of regulatory capital

For the period ended 30 June 2021

1	Issuer	Al Salam Bank, Bahrain
2	Unique identifier (e.g. CUSIP, ISIN or Bloomberg identifier for private placement)	SALAM
_	ornique raditation (e.g. deem , rent of bicomborg raditation for private placement)	All applicable laws and regulations of the
3	Governing law(s) of the instrument	Kingdom of Bahrain
	Regulatory treatment	Transgaom of Barnam
4	Transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
5	Post-transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
6	Eligible at solo/group/group & solo	Group
7		·
	Instrument type (types to be specified by each jurisdiction)	Common Equity shares BD 241.972 Million
8	Amount recognised in regulatory capital (Currency in mil, as of most recent reporting date)  Par value of instrument	
9		BD 0.100
10	Accounting classification	Shareholders' Equity
11	Original date of issuance	13-Apr-06
12	Perpetual or dated	Perpetual
13	Original maturity date	No maturity
14	Issuer call subject to prior supervisory approval	No
15	Optional call date, contingent call dates and redemption amount	Not applicable
16	Subsequent call dates, if applicable	Not applicable
l	Coupons / dividends	
17	Fixed or floating dividend/coupon	Dividend as decided by the Shareholders
18	Coupon rate and any related index	Not applicable
19	Existence of a dividend stopper	Not applicable
20	Fully discretionary, partially discretionary or mandatory	Fully discretionary
21	Existence of step up or other incentive to redeem	No
22	Noncumulative or cumulative	Non cumulative
23	Convertible or non-convertible	Non convertible
24	If convertible, conversion trigger (s)	Not applicable
25	If convertible, fully or partially	Not applicable
26	If convertible, conversion rate	Not applicable
27	If convertible, mandatory or optional conversion	Not applicable
28	If convertible, specify instrument type convertible into	Not applicable
29	If convertible, specify issuer of instrument it converts into	Not applicable
30	Write-down feature	No
31	If write-down, write-down trigger(s)	Not applicable
32	If write-down, full or partial	Not applicable
33	If write-down, permanent or temporary	Not applicable
34	If temporary write-down, description of write-up mechanism	Not applicable
	Position in subordination hierarchy in liquidation (specify instrument type immediately senior to	
35	instrument)	Not applicable
36	Non-compliant transitioned features	No
37	If yes, specify non-compliant features	Not applicable

Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) Disclosure 30 June 2021

# **Background:**

ASBB has been subjected to the Basel III NSFR standards from December 2019, pursuant to CBB circular No. EDBS/KH/54/2018 dated 16th August 2018. ASBB is required to maintain NSFR of at least 100% on an on-going basis. CBB has relaxed this ratio to 80% until 31 December 2021 as part of concessionary measures following the COVID-19 pandemic. However, ASBB still seeks to maintain the original 100% requirement.

The objective of NSFR is to improve the resiliency of banks by promoting long term funding stability. NSFR is designed to limit the risks emanating from excessive maturity mismatches over the medium to long term. More specifically, the NSFR requires ASBB to fund illiquid assets with a minimum amount of stable liabilities over a horizon of one year.

The NSFR requires banks to maintain a stable funding profile in relation to the composition of their assets and off-balance sheet activities. CBB circular stipulates the applicable Required Stable Funding ("RSF") factor for each category of asset and Available Stable Funding ("ASF") factor for each type of funding source.

ASBB seeks to ensure that its NSFR remains above the specified regulatory minimum requirements. This is achieved by:

- (i) Monitoring the NSFR closely against an established internal early warning trigger and management target.
- (ii) Managing and developing strategies to build a diversified funding base with access to funding sources across retail and wholesale channels.

#### **Analysis and main drivers:**

Al Salam Bank strategy is to maintain stable and well-diversified funding sources by focusing on raising more stable free float and long-term deposits from core clientele base in Bahrain and across other key GCC markets where strong banking relationships have been successfully established. The main driver of this strategy is to fund bank's core business activities with the widest deposit base and hence maintaining conformable funding mix for the long-term assets and subsequently healthy NSFR.

The Assets and Labilities Committee (ALCO) regularly review the different liquidity indicators -including the NSFR- and set appropriate action plans in maintaining adequate, sustainable and healthy liquidity position. ALCO review takes global economic indicators as well as local micro economic factors into consideration. Hence effective liquidity management is set into practice steered by treasury and risk department and collaborated with other key business units.

As at 30 June 2021, the weighted value of the Available Stable Funding (ASF) stood at BD 1.478 billion, while the total weighted value of the Required Stable Funding (RSF) stood at BD 1.340 billion. The resultant NSFR stood at 110.31%, well above the current 80% threshold stipulated by CBB. The ASF is primarily driven by a strong capital base, substantial retail and private banking deposit base and deposits from non-financial corporate customers.

Post application of the relevant factors, the contribution of regulatory capital, retail deposits and deposits from non-financial corporates stood at 21%, 40% and 26% respectively. The bank does not rely on financial market funding sources (such as DCM) and interbank funding activities are primarily used for short term funding gaps.

The RSF post application of relevant factors is driven by financing provided to non-financial corporate customers, retail and small business customers, and some unlisted investments.

ASBB's High-Quality Liquid Assets (HQLA) requires minimum funding due to its sovereign nature and high liquidity which, after applying the relevant factors, makes up 2% of the RSF portfolio. Performing financing and Investment accounts for 76% and 13% of the RSF.

At ASBB, there is considerable focus on growing and maintaining stability of demand and term deposits provided by private, corporate and retail customers which will continue to form a significant part of the funding.

# Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) Report - Consolidated 30 June 2021

						BHD '000
		Unweighted Values (before applying relevant factors)				
No.	ltem	No specified maturity	Less than 6 months	More than 6 months and less than one year	Over one year	Total weighted value
Avai	lable Stable Funding (ASF):					
	Capital:					
	Regulatory Capital	269,768	-	-	35,144	304,912
3	Other Capital Instruments	-	-	-	-	-
	Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers:					
5	Stable deposits	-	-	-	-	-
	Less stable deposits	-	485,755	165,881	61,321	647,793
	Wholesale funding:					
	Operational deposits Other wholesale funding	-	- 1,234,906	268,796	- 53,716	- 525,454
	Other liabilities:	-	1,234,906	200,790	55,716	525,454
	NSFR Shari'a-compliant hedging contract liabilities		_	_	_	
	All other liabilities not included in the above categories	_	68,266		_	_
	Total ASF		00,200			1,478,159
	uired Stable Funding (RSF):					1,110,100
	Total NSFR high-quality liquid assets (HQLA)					23,655
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	Deposits held at other financial institutions for operational purposes	-	-	-	-	-
16	Performing financing and sukuk/ securities:					
17	Performing financing to financial institutions secured by Level 1 HQLA	_	_	-	-	-
	Performing financing to financial institutions secured by non-level 1					
18	HQLA and unsecured performing financing to financial institutions	-	424,230	9,153	7,656	75,867
	Performing financing to non- financial corporate clients, financing to retail and small business customers, and financing to sovereigns,		047.500	00.400	000 000	204 200
19	central banks and PSEs, of which: With a risk weight of less than or equal to 35% as per the Capital	-	217,526	98,433	833,280	834,986
20	Adequacy Ratio guidelines	_	-	-	156,408	101,665
	Performing residential mortgages, of which:	-	_	_	172,068	111,844
	With a risk weight of less than or equal to 35% under the CBB Capital Adequacy Ratio Guidelines	-	-	_	172,068	111,844
	Securities/ sukuk that are not in default and do not qualify as HQLA,		40.000		·	
	including exchange-traded equities  Other assets:	-	12,686	-	705	6,942
25	Physical traded commodities, including gold	-				-
	Assets posted as initial margin for Shari'a-compliant hedging contracts and contributions to default funds of CCPs			-	-	-
	NSFR Shari'a-compliant hedging assets		-	-	-	-
	NSFR Shari'a-compliant hedging contract liabilities before deduction of					
	variation margin posted	070 555	-	-	-	-
	All other assets not included in the above categories	250,269	4,005	1,894	23,588	276,807
	OBS items		198,695	-	-	9,935 1,340,036
	Total RSF		-	-	-	
32	NSFR (%)					110%

# Leverage Ratio - Consolidated 30 June 2021

CBB in June 2018 issued guidelines on leverage ratio as part of updates to the Capital Adequacy Module. The ratio measures how well the banks' Tier 1 capital covers its total exposures (self-financed exposures and adjusted exposures funded by EIAH) both on-balance sheet and off-balance sheet. CBB has mandated a minimum consolidated leverage ratio of 3%.

Below is the bank's consolidated financial leverage ratio as at 30 June 2021:

S.No.	Description	BHD '000
1	Total Self Financed Assets	1,063,802
2	Total URIA Financed Assets	1,568,495
3	Off Balance Sheet items - with relevant Credit Conversion Factors	133,441
4	Leverage ratio exposure [(1) + (2)*30% + (3)]	1,667,792
5	Regulatory Adjustments	25,971
6	6 Total exposures for the calculation of the leverage ratio [(4)-(5)]	
7	Tier 1 Capital	243,797
	Leverage Ratio [(7)/(6)]	15%
	Minimum Leverage Ratio as required by CBB	3%

# Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) Report - Consolidated 30 June 2021

CBB issued its regulations on Liquidity Risk Management in August 2018. The regulations mandate that banks are required to maintain LCR of at least 100% on a daily basis. The objective of LCR is banks must manage their assets and liabilities to create strong short-term resilience and sufficient liquidity that is enough to fund cash outflow for 30 days. Due to the impact of Covid19 pandemic on banks, CBB relaxed the LCR ratio to 80% until 31 December 2021.

Below is the bank's average consolidated LCR for the period:

below is the bank's average consolidated both for the period.	Q2-2021		Q1-2	Q1-2021	
	Total	Total	Total	Total	
	unweighted	weighted	unweighted	weighted	
	value	value	value	value	
	(average)	(average)	(average)	(average)	
High-quality liquid assets					
1 Total HQLA		296,064		238,261	
Cash outflows					
2 Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers, of which:					
3 Stable deposits	65,099	1,953	62,874	1,886	
4 Less stable deposits	224,615	22,461	183,264	18,326	
5 Unsecured wholesale funding, of which:					
6 Operational deposits (all counterparties) and deposits in networks of cooperative banks	-	-	-	-	
7 Non-operational deposits (all counterparties)	712,104	426,321	656,868	397,874	
8 Unsecured sukuk	-	-	-	-	
9 Secured wholesale funding		-		-	
10 Additional requirements, of which:					
11 Outflows related to Shari'a-compliant hedging instruments exposures and other collateral					
requirements	-	-	-	-	
12 Outflows related to loss of funding on financing products	-	-	•	-	
13 Credit and liquidity facilities	31,645	9,373	23,835	7,038	
14 Other contractual funding obligations	-	-	•	-	
15 Other contingent funding obligations	109,873	5,564	97,744	4,964	
16 Total Cash Outflows		465,672		430,088	
Cash inflows					
17 Secured lending (e.g. reverse repos)	-	-	1	-	
18 Inflows from fully performing exposures	66,537	38,187	56,826	36,653	
19 Other cash inflows	311,322	306,792	204,285	199,833	
20 Total Cash Inflows	377,859	344,980	261,111	236,486	
		Total adjusted		Total adjusted	
		Value		Value	
21 Total HQLA		296,064		238,261	
22 Total net cash outflows		145,932		193,602	
23 Liquidity Coverage Ratio (%)*		216%		193,602	
23 Liquidity Coverage Natio (70)		210%		12470	

<sup>\*</sup>Represents simple average of daily LCR