

Financial Results 4Q 2014

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Latest trend. Key Highlights

Comfortable solvency position		After repaying the FROB CoCos and adjusting for the extraordinary payments to the DGF, the CET1 ratio stands (December, 31st 2014) at 13.3% and 11.1% under phased-in and fully loaded Basel III criteria.
NII main driver for higher revenues	A A	Net Interest Income. Positive performance (+32% 4Q14 vs 4Q13 recurrent) being the fifth consecutive quarter with growth. Net Interest Margin increased from 82bp at the bottom, in the 3Q13, to 119bp in the 4Q14.
Normalizing asset quality	A A A	 The stock of NPLs (exc APS) falls again (-3.4% QoQ) confirming the change in trend. Underlying cost of risk normalizing at 54bp in the 4Q14, close to the 50bp target for 2015 onwards. APS extended two additional years.

Further improvement liquidity & funding position

- Significant deleveraging during the year with the performing book falling by 7.7%, in line with the sector average (households and corporates). As new production is accelerating, mainly in SMEs (+111% 2014 vs 2013) the trend should revert in the medium term.
- **ECB** funding has been reduced from Eur 4.7bn (LTROS) to Eur 3.1bn.



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Customer funds growing in volume

> Despite the low interest rate environment and consumption recovery, customer funds remain stable.

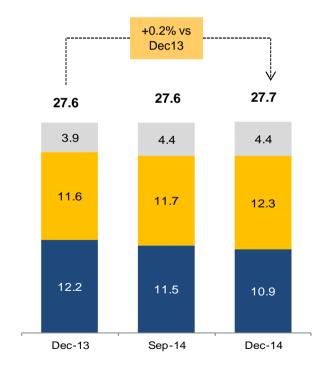
- Switch from term deposits to demand deposits continues.
- Off-balance sheet funds have a very positive performance, especially Mutual Funds (+41% YoY) reflecting the commercial efforts to increase cross selling and shift of term deposits to off-balance sheet products.

Eur m	4Q13	3Q14	4Q14	QoQ	YoY
CUSTOMER FUNDS	29,358	30,522	29,864	-2.2%	1.7%
Customer Funds on Balance Sheet	25,452	26,116	25,433	-2.6%	-0.1%
Public Institutions	1,072	2,302	1,711	-25.7%	59.7%
Retail Customer (resident)	24,031	23,454	23,367	-0.4%	-2.8%
Demand deposits	11,558	11,715	12,320	5.2%	6.6%
Term deposits	12,162	11,513	10,939	-5.0%	-10.1%
Other	311	226	109	-51.8%	-65.1%
Non resident customers	350	360	355	-1.6%	1.3%
Off-balance sheet funds	3,905	4,406	4,431	0.6%	13.5%
Mutual funds	1,225	1,714	1,731	1.0%	41.3%
Pension Plans	1,560	1,606	1,616	0.6%	3.6%
Insurance Funds	1,121	1,086	1,085	-0.1%	-3.2%

Customer Funds . Eur m

(1) Resident customers. Excluding Public Institutions, non-resident customers and other

Customer Funds (exc Public Institutions). Eur bn (1)



Term deposits Demand deposits Off-balance sheet



Lending. New production accelerates

Commercial Activity

> Loan book deleveraging is slowing down supported by the increasing new production.

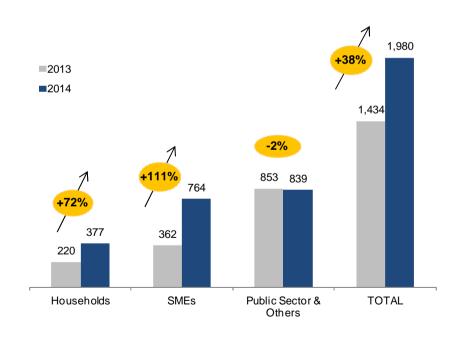
Accumulated new production(1) during 2014 amounts to Eur 1,980m, +38% YoY.

Loans new production accelerates during 2014, mainly in SMEs.

Loan book breakdown. Gross, Eur m

Eur m	4Q13	3Q14	4Q14	QoQ	YoY
TOTAL GROSS LOANS	28,385	26,853	26,342	-1.9%	-7.2%
APS	3,932	3,709	3,572	-3.7%	-9.2%
EXC APS	24,452	23,144	22,771	-1.6%	-6.9%
Public Sector	1,339	1,331	1,372	3.1%	2.5%
Loans to businesses	6,525	5,910	5,720	-3.2%	-12.3%
RED & Construction	859	775	675	-12.9%	-21.4%
Other corporates	5,666	5,135	5,045	-1.8%	-11.0%
ow Large Corporates	1,440	1,209	1,122	-7.2%	-22.1%
ow SMES	4,226	3,926	3,922	-0.1%	-7.2%
Loan to individuals	16,272	15,605	15,376	-1.5%	-5.5%
Residential mortgages	15,519	14,926	14,714	-1.4%	-5.2%
Consumer and others	754	680	662	-2.6%	-12.1%
Other loans	316	298	302	1.3%	-4.6%

New Production breakdown(1). Eur m





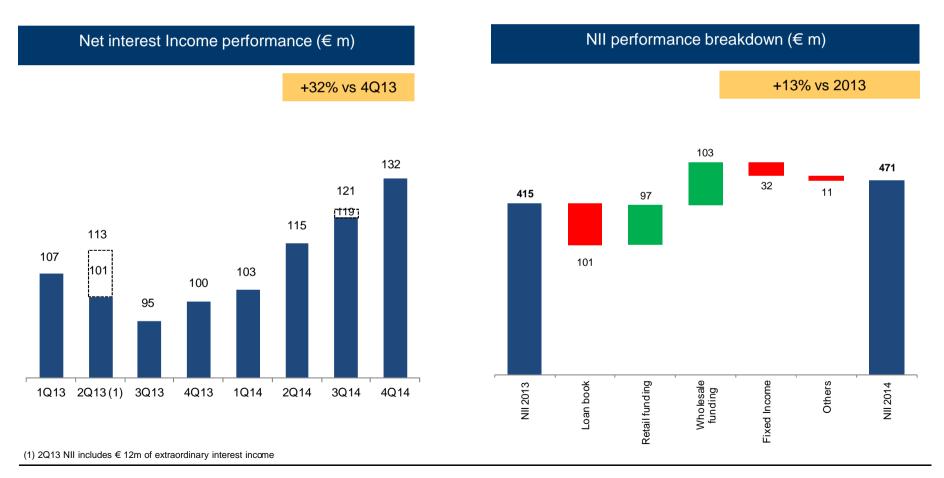
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Net Interest Income recovery

Results

Progressive recovery of the net Interest Income. The improvement is driven by the lower cost of funding, in both retail and wholesale, offsetting the lower contribution from both the loan book and the fixed income portfolio.

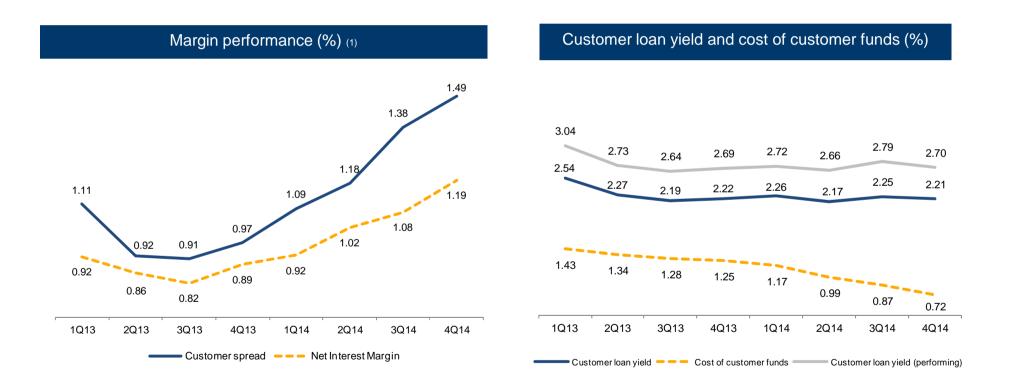




Net Interest Income recovery

Results

- -> Customer spreads and net interest margin continue to improve, driven by lower funding costs.
- → Loan yields in the 4Q affected by lower Euribor and positive one-off impact in the 3Q.
- → Net interest margin (exc. APS) of 1.29% in the 4Q14.



(1) 2Q13 NIM excludes € 12m of extraordinary interest income Note: NIM = NII / ATAs



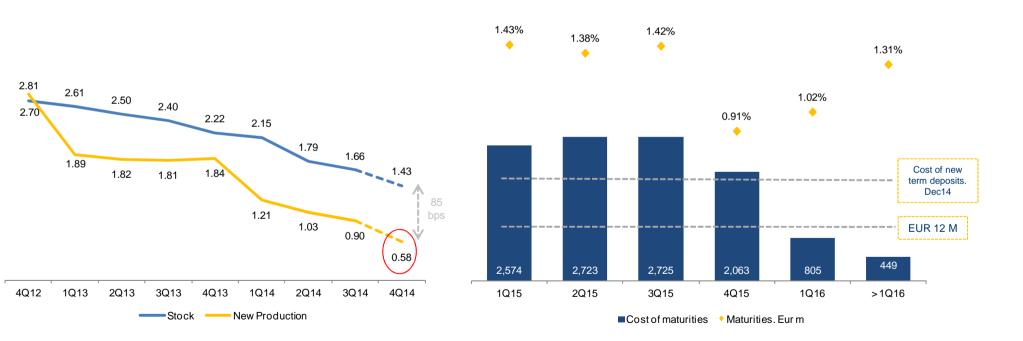
Net Interest Income recovery

Results

→ Repricing of term deposit will continue in forthcoming quarters.

Term deposit cost^(a) performance (%)

New Term Deposits. Maturity, cost and volume (\in m).

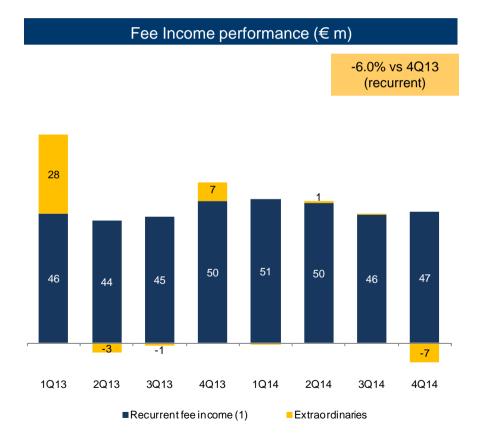


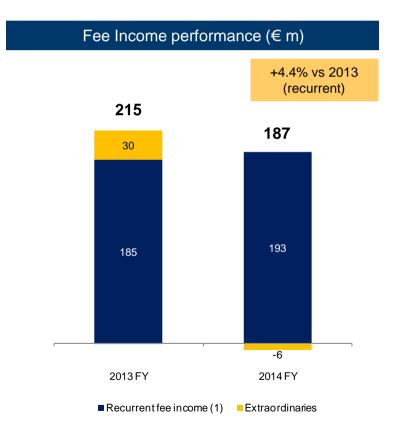
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(a) Cost of deposits: effective cost

Fee Income

Recurrent fee income is affected by the new regulation on credit cards and pension plan fees limits and by the low activity levels.





(1) Recurrent fee income includes fees from Sareb

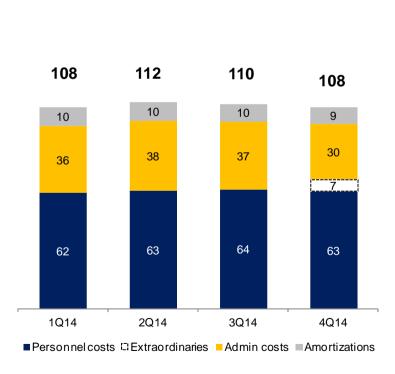


Costs — focus on efficiency

Results

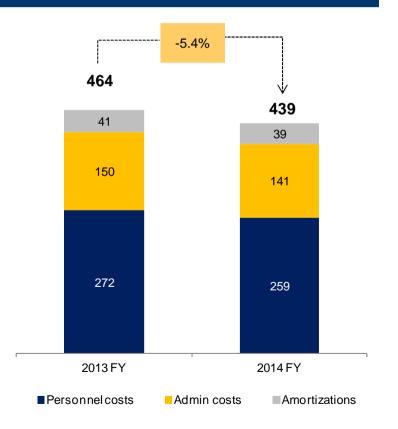
→ Personnel costs in the 4Q14 reflect the recognition of potential incentive payments to staff (Eur 6.6m).

-> Continue to streamline our efficient platform. Further cost savings to be implemented.



Costs performance (€ m)

Costs performance (€ m)



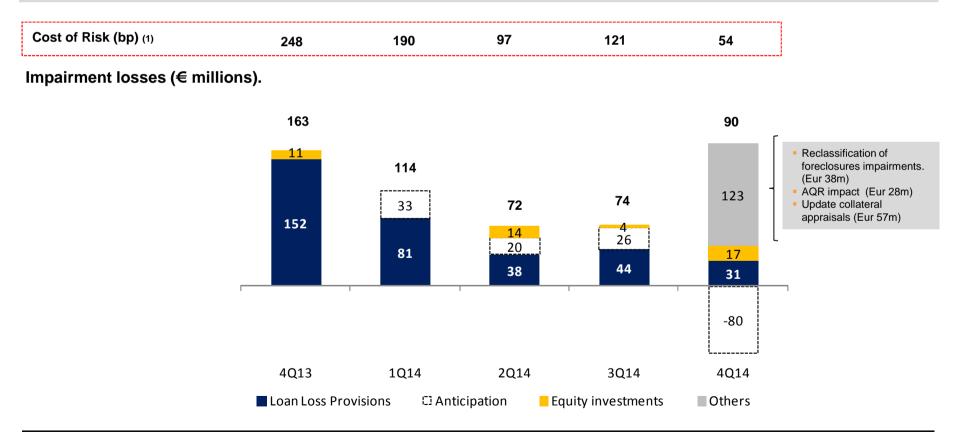


Strong effort in provisioning

Results

- Loan loss provisions were affected by a change in the accounting methodology of foreclosure impairments that implied a negative impact of Eur 38m. This is offset by a positive impact of the same amount of the foreclosure impairments (booked as "others"). Overall this accounting change is neutral.
- Eur 80m in anticipated to BoS calendar provisions booked during the 9M14 have been released offsetting the following extraordinary items: i) update collaterals appraisal with a more conservative approach (Eur 57m) and ii) AQR impacts (Eur 28m). The Eur 28m AQR was more than covered by excess provisions following AQR's methodoloy, but on a conservative approach Liberbank has decided to increase gross provisions not taking advantage of potential compensations.

→ The target is to normalise the CoR from 2015 onwards at circa 50bp.



(1) Annualized LLP over average gross loan portfolio (exc APS). 1Q14, 2Q14 and 3Q14 include LLP of € 33m, € 20m ard € 26m respectively corresponding to future quarters



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Results

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						Var. 4	Q vs 3Q				014 vs estated
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€m	4Q13 (1)	1Q14	2Q14	3Q14	4Q14	€m	%	restated (1)	2014	€m	%
Interest Income	257	244	237	235	228	-7	-3%	1,088	944	-145	-13%
Interest Cost	-157	-141	-122	-114	-96	17	-15%	-673	-473	200	-30%
NET INTEREST INCOME	100	103	115	121	132	10	8%	415	471	56	13%
Dividends	0	0	0	1	9	8	nm	8	10	2	27%
Results from equity method stakes	16	5	12	12	5	-7	-57%	38	34	-4	-10%
Net fees	57	50	50	46	40	-6	-14%	215	187	-28	-13%
Gains on financial assets & others	84	259	6	18	16	-2	-10%	247	300	53	21%
Other operating revenues/(expenses)	-28	-17	-13	-22	-12	10	-47%	-83	-63	20	-24%
GROSS INCOME	231	401	171	177	190	13	8%	840	939	100	12%
Administrative expenses	-87	-98	-102	-101	-99	2	-1%	-423	-400	23	-5%
Staff expenses	-56	-62	-63	-64	-69	-6	9%	-272	-259	13	-5%
General expenses	-31	-36	-38	-37	-30	7	-19%	-150	-141	10	-6%
Amortizations	-9	-10	-10	-10	-9	0	-2%	-41	-39	2	-5%
PRE PROVISION PROFIT	135	292	60	66	82	16	24%	376	500	124	33%
Provisions	40	-6	12	-6	-11	-5	76%	24	-11	-35	nm
Impairment on financial assets (net)	-163	-114	-72	-74	-90	-16	21%	-465	-351	114	-24%
Impairment losses on other assets (n	(1	0	8	0	-1	-1	nm	-1	7	7	nm
Others	24	-7	-33	-13	27	40	nm	16	-27	-43	nm
PROFIT BEFORE TAXES	37	164	-27	-27	7	34	nm	-50	118	168	nm
Taxes	-8	-47	14	16	7	-9	-57%	59	-10	-69	nm
NET INCOME	29	117	-12	-11	14	25	nm	8	108	100	nm
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE	34	113	-9	-6	18	24	nm	22	117	95	nm
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(1) Liberbank adopted IFRIC 21 on levy liabilities in the 4Q14 to account the change in the DGF contribution. For comparison purpose 2013 is restated. 4Q13 is not restated.



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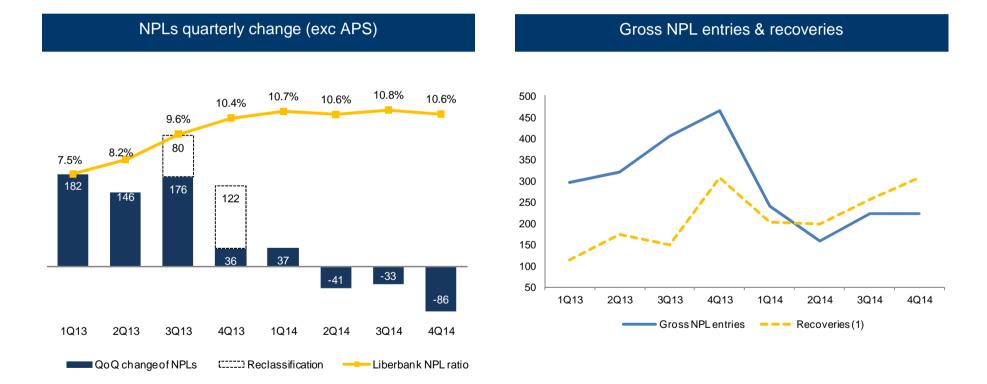
NPL trend improving (exc APS)

Asset Quality

Stock of NPLs (exc APS) declines by 3.4% QoQ confirming the change in trend.

ightarrow Despite the deleveraging continues there is a slight decrease in the NPL ratio in the fourth quarter .

> Conservative recognition of NPLs in the quarter, c.50% of the gross NPL entries are subjective NPLs.



(1) Including write-offs

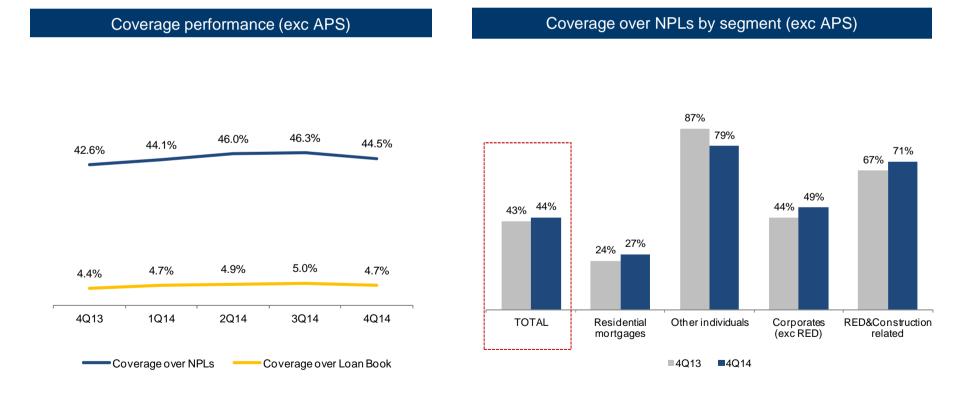


Coverage (exc APS)

Asset Quality

Coverage reflects the strong provisioning effort.

- Coverage (exc RE and APS) of NPLs compares well with the sector. Liberbank's loan book (exc APS) has low exposure to construction/RE and high exposure to mortgages with relatively low LTVs.
- > Coverage of NPL mortgages increased by 3pp QoQ as a result of an update of collateral appraisals.

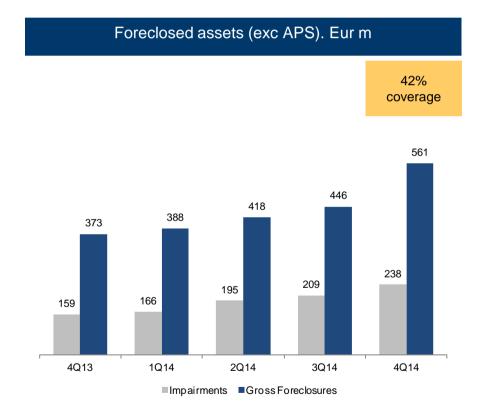




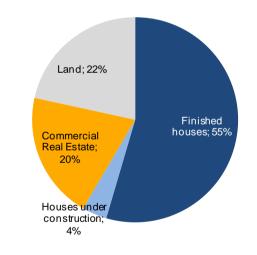
Foreclosed assets (exc APS)

Asset Quality

Low exposure to foreclosed assets (exc APS). Fourth quarter affected by a one-off transaction.



Foreclosed assets (exc APS) breakdown





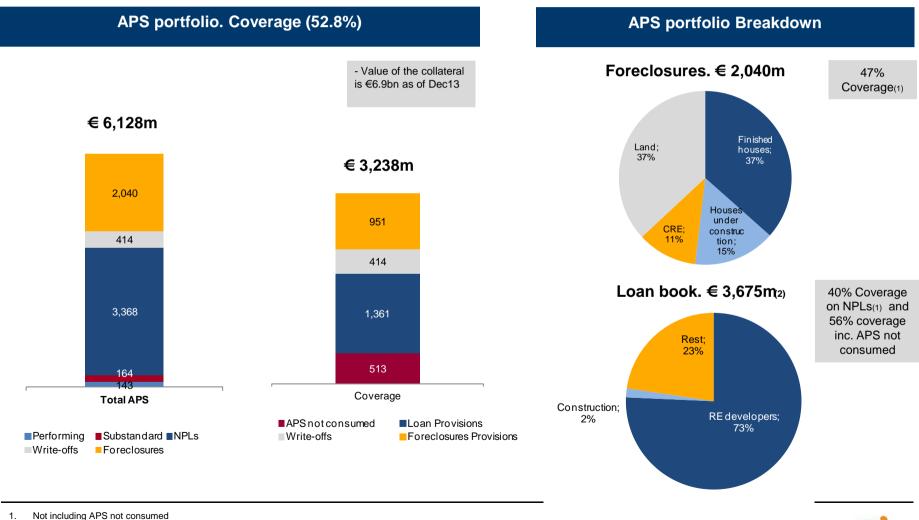
APS scheme

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➤ Current provisions for the portfolio derive from an independent expert valuation which is reviewed every 6 months and based on an Expected Loss analysis (vs BoS provisioning calendar). At December 2014 the amount of the APS scheme which has not been used to build provisions is € 513m.

> APS has been extended two years (until 31st December 2016).

It includes € 103m of contingent exposures and off-balance sheet commitments



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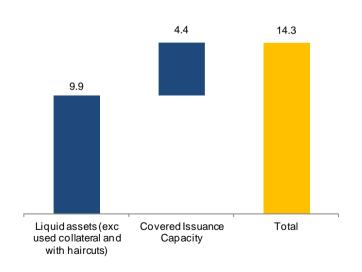
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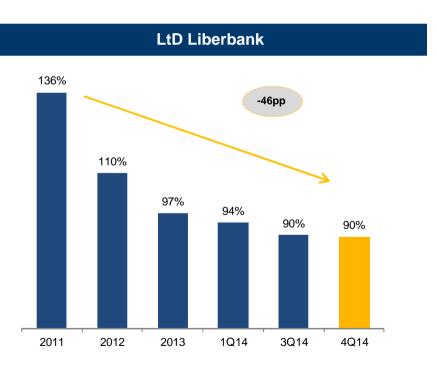


Liquidity. Liquidity position

-> Comfortable liquidity and funding position to support cheaper funding and growth in the future.

Comfortable liquidity position - Dec2014 (€ bn)

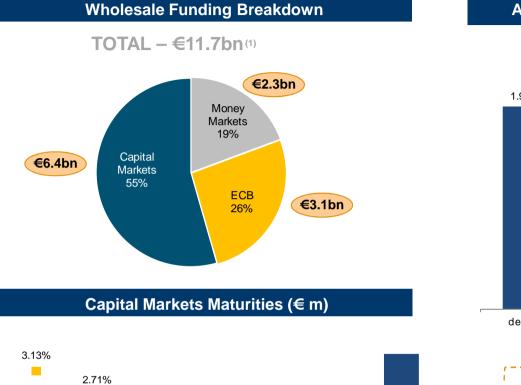




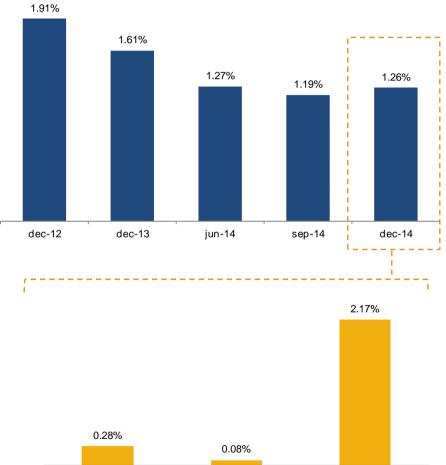


Wholesale Funding. Overview

Wholesale Funding



Average Wholesale Funding Cost Evolution (%)





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2.04%

843

1.82%

152

1.74%

1. Excluding retained Covered Bonds. Not including AT1 CoCos Source: Liberbank Treasury (inventarios)

975

1.72%

874

908

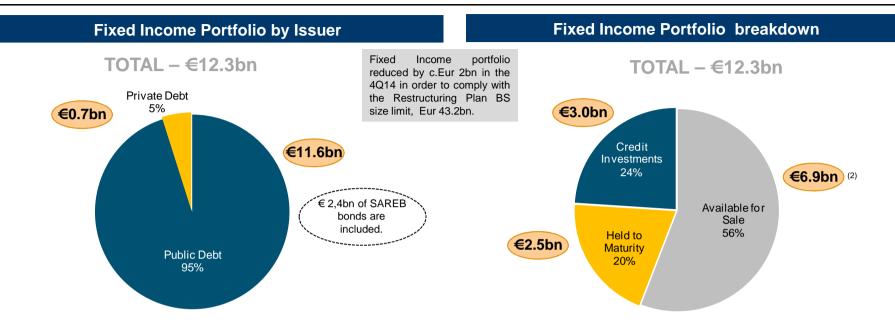
1.90%

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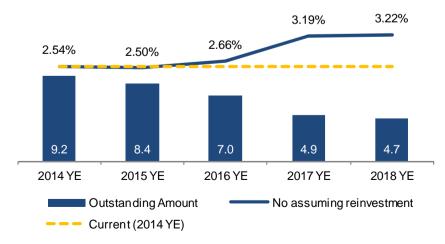
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Fixed Income Portfolio

Fixed Income Portfolio



Fixed Income (AfS and HtM). Expected Yield evolution on current portfolio



Fixed Income Portfolio (1)

Breakdown	Yield	Duration	Unrealised gains
Held to maturity	2.92%	3.21	160
Available for Sale	2.41%	4.98	570
TOTAL HtM y AfS	2.52%	4.59	729
Credit Investments	1.56%	0.25	4
TOTAL	2.31%	3.49	733



1. Weighted average duration in years

2. Not including unrealised capital gains

including retained Covered Bonds.

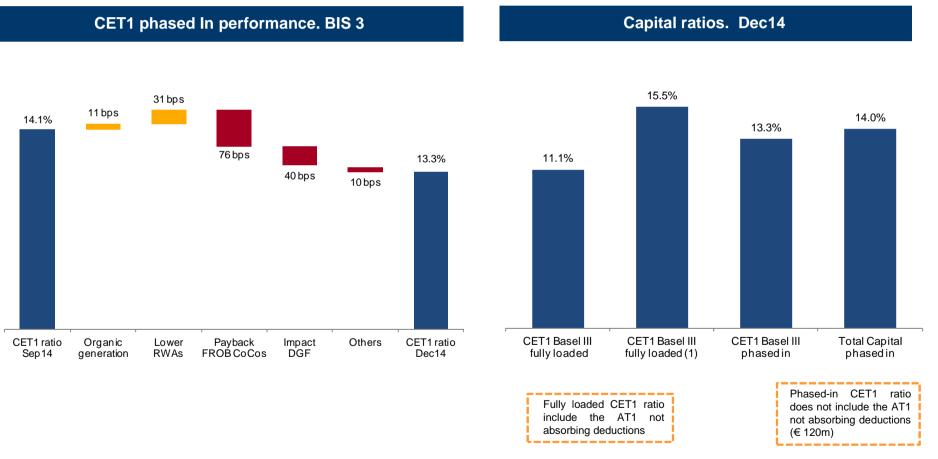
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Solvency position. Capital generation

→ 40bps impact due to the change of the accounting treatment of Deposit Guarantee Fund (DGF) contributions.

Leverage ratio (phased-in) stands at 5.5% after repaying the FROB CoCos.



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(1) Including unrealized capital gains from the Available for Sale portfolio



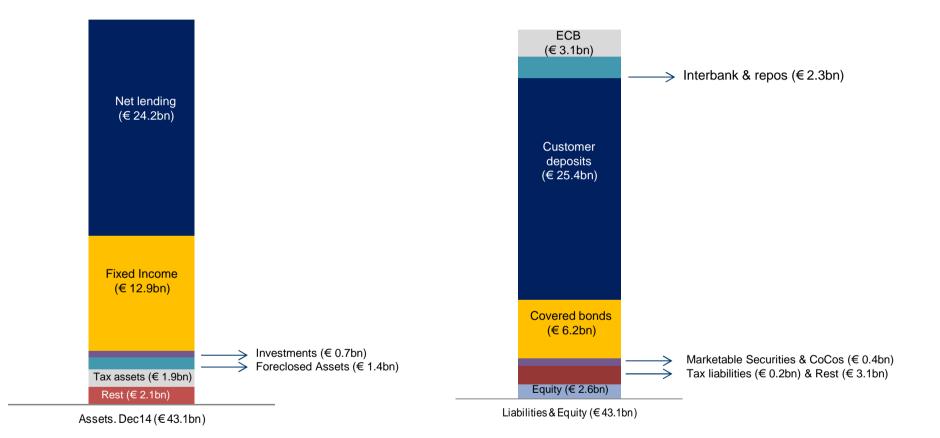
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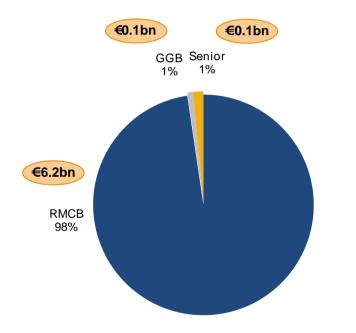




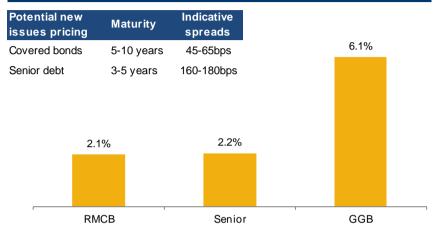


Capital markets breakdown – Dec14

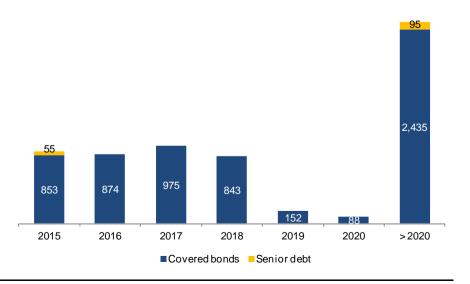
TOTAL – €6.4bn⁽¹⁾



Average Capital Markets Cost (%) – Dec14



Capital markets maturities (€m) – Dec14

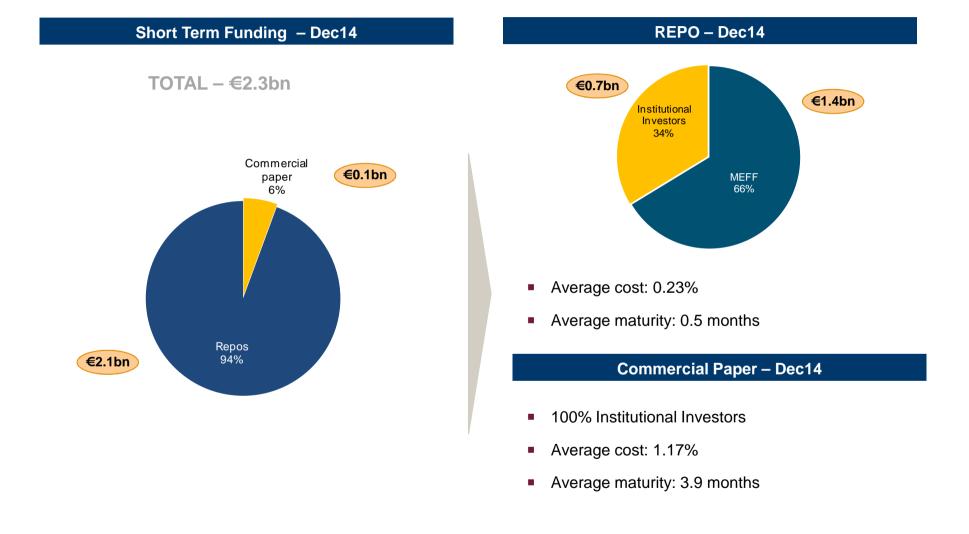


(1) Excluding retained Covered Bonds . Not including AT1 CoCos (2) Source: Liberbank Tracsury (inventories) Pleambarg

(2) Source: Liberbank Treasury (inventarios), Bloomberg



Wholesale Funding - Money Markets

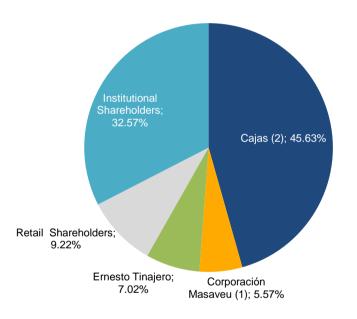


(1) Money markets include c.€750m repos with the Spanish Treasury (Public Administration) Source: Liberbank Treasury (inventarios)



Shareholders and Book Value

Shareholder base



Book value and Tangible Book Value

	dec-14	Fully Diluted
# New shares (m)		282
# O/S shares (m)	2,613	2,895
BV (exc minorities). Eur m	2,513	2,762
TBV. Eur m (1)	2,429	2,678
BVps (Eur)	0.96	0.95
TBVps (Eur)	0.93	0.93
Last price	0.68	0.68
PBV	0.70x	0.71x
PTBV	0.73x	0.74x

(1) Intangibles deduction Note: last price for CoCos conversion purpose as of 31st of December (Eur 0.676/acc)

Outstanding CoCos. Outstanding Min Amount Coupon Maturity Strike AT1 (CoCos) (Eur m) Serie A 62 5.0% 3.24 17-Jul-2018 Serie B 13 5.0% 2.13 17-Jul-2018 Serie C 174 7.0% 0.41 17-Jul-2018 TOTAL 249

Source: Liberbank and Bloomberg

(1) Incluye Flicka Forestal and Fundación María Cristina Masaveu

(2) Incluye Caja Asturias (30.1%), Caja Extremadura (9.13%) y Caja Cantabria (6.39%) Source: Liberbank and CNMV



Adoption of IFRIC 21

 \rightarrow Liberbank has early adopted the IFRIC 21(1) on levy liabilities in the 4Q14 with the following impacts:

- → Extraordinary DGF contribution in the year it was authorized (Royal Decree 6/2013)
- → Ordinary DGF contribution in the year which balances are used for the calculation (Royal Decree 16/2011).
- \rightarrow Next table summarize the main impacts:

Eur m	2013 Reported	2013 Restated	Difference
Extraordinary contribution to the DGF	0.0	42.0	-42.0
Ordinary contribution to the DGF	46.7	46.0	0.8
Profit Before Tax Impact	46.7	88.0	-41.3
Taximpact			-12.4
Net Income impact			-53.7
Adjustment to 2013 reserves			-31.8
Adjustment to 2014 reserves			-29.9

(1) IFRIC stands for International Financial Reporting Issues Committee





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