BKS Bank d.d.

Annual report and financial statements for 2015

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Report by the President of the Management Board

On behalf of the Management Board of BKS Bank d.d. Rijeka, I wish to present the business results of the Bank achieved in the year 2015.

On the macroeconomic level, after seven years of continuous decrease, finally this year expressed growth of GDP, which gives us hope for the beginning of recovery of the Croatian economy.

The Croatian National Bank continued conducting its current monetary policy of low (almost zero) inflation and a stable exchange rate HRK/EUR.

Politically, it was an election year that resulted with a change of government, and now we expect the first steps of the new Government. Judging by the announcements, the focus will be on stopping and reducing public debt, improving investment climate, attracting foreign capital, and the reform of the public system.

For the banking sector, 2015 was a year marked by the Decision of the Croatian Government that the problem of citizens related to the loans in CHF currency clause was resolved at the expense of banks. This resulted in new, more significant provisions and losses for the biggest Croatian banks, so this business year will certainly be one of the worst since 2000 and the consolidation of the banking system.

For our BKS Bank, we are pleased to say that 2015 was a very successful year, in fact the most successful year since the founding of the Bank.

We achieved growth of placements; and stagnation of costs, that resulted with higher operating result. Also, during 2015, increasing volume of non-performing loans have not been identified, so provisions for non-performing loans are significantly lower than budgeted for 2015.

The growth of placements to customers amounted to 9.7%, and an increase in interest income of 5.7% was achieved. Due to falling prices of deposits, interest expenses actually decreased, even with higher level of deposits.

Fee income also grew for 13.4%, and total operating income amounted to HRK 49.0 million, which is 15.1% more than year before.

Total operating expenses amounted to HRK 31.4 million and are 0.8% lower when comparing to 2014.

As a difference between operating revenues and expenses, the operating result amounted to HRK 17.6 million, or 60.8% more than last year.

After booking the provisions, as the final result of the business activities, net profit in the amount of HRK 7.7 million was realised. Net profit is significantly higher than the previous year, as well as planned for 2015.

This business trend with increasing revenues and reducing costs, we plan to continue also in 2016.

Further growth of the Bank's balance sheet as well as expected incomes will be approximately 10% for 2016.

Still, our main goal in 2016 is the Merger Project – becoming Branch of BKS Bank AG.

Namely, our owner BKS Bank AG, Klagenfurt, decided to merge the BKS Bank d.d. Rijeka with the mother company seated in Klagenfurt, and to establish a Branch office in Croatia, through which it will continue its activities.

Report by the President of the Management Board (continued)

The plan is to complete merger process by September 30, and than the new Branch office will start on October 1, 2016.

We will become an integral part of one of Austria's longlasting, respectable banks, and due to that fact, our potentials will increase, which will for our clients mean the possibility of bigger scope of business, as well as adequate security for their deposits.

Finally, I would like to use this opportunity to thank all our clients and business partners on mutual trust. Also, I would like to thank our employees for their hard work and congratulate on the results achieved in 2015. We believe that the business year 2016 for us, but also for our society as a whole will be even better and more prosperous.

Goran Rameša
President of the Management Board

Financial data from profit and loss account

During the course of financial year 2015 the Bank recorded a profit after taxes in amount of HRK 7.7 million.

In 2014 interest income amounted to HRK 59.5 million, which was HRK 3.2 million higher (5.7%) compared to the previous year. This increase in interest income was a predominantly result of the growth of loans to customers and financial assets held to maturity. Interest income from loans to customers contributed with 97.7% in the total recorded interest income.

Interest expenses for 2015 amounted to HRK 18.2 million. They consist of interest expenses for deposits from customers amounting to HRK 15.3 million (83.9%) and interest expenses for interbank loans of HRK 2.9 million. During 2015 corporate clients primarily kept term deposits in HRK and in HRK with FX clauses, while retail clients maintained term deposits in foreign currency.

Net income from fees amounted to HRK 4.8 million and was for HRK 0.8 million higher if compared to the previous year.

In 2015, total operating income amounted to HRK 39.8 million representing an increase of 15.1%.

Total revenues in 2015. amounted to HRK 68.4 million representing an increase of 5.9%.

Expenses arising from the increase of loan loss provisions and other impairments and provisions amounted to HRK 9.7 million.

In the current year the Bank has obligation to pay income tax in amount 0.7 million HRK. Profit after tax amounts to HRK 7.7 million.

Funds sources and obligatory reserve, liquidity and treasury

Sources of funds

The balance sheet total of BKS Bank d.d. Rijeka, reached in 2015 HRK 1,546,273 thousand, representing an increase of 17.38% comparing with previous year.

The structure of total sources, has involved changes as follows: The share of borrowed (deposits and taken loans) funds increased from 84.63% to 86.42%, meaning that own funds (capital, profit and reserves) make 13.58% of total funds.

Within borrowed funds, the share of taken deposits and other liabilities increase for 1.34 percentage points to 61.25%, while the secondary sources decreased from 37.93 to 36.61%.

Total deposits, compared to prior year, have increased, more than HRK 153 million, by 23.03%.

Deposits in HRK, increased by 21.32%, to HRK 527 million, and their share in the whole deposit portfolio represent 64.35%.

Deposits in foreign currency increased for 26.25% and make HRK 292 million.

Corporate deposits dominate with 60.79%, while retail deposits make 39.21%.

Obligatory reserve, liquidity and treasury

The Croatian National Bank continued to pursue an expansive monetary policy to maintain exchange rate stability, keeping high system liquidity, the central bank is trying to ensure as favourable as possible conditions for financing the economy.

Total calculated obligatory reserve in HRK has scale up with increase of deposits in range from HRK 76 million in January up to HRK 86 million in December. Calculated obligatory reserve in foreign currencies has been minimal in February, EUR 1,068 thousand and USD 447 thousand), and the highest in December for EUR 1,220 thousand and USD 514 thousand.

During the 2015 Banks HRK liquidity was high.

Excess of liquidity, the Bank invested in reserves, particularly held in shares in investment funds nominated in HRK and in Treasury bills nominated in EUR.

The average amount invested in investment funds were about HRK 42 million daily and in treasury bills EUR 10 million.

In the periods of higher placements to clients, the Bank has borrowed the funds from BKS AG as the tranche of the Master loan agreement, under favorable conditions. In 2015 the Bank has withdrawn four new tranches from the Master loan agreement with BKS Bank AG.

On the 31st December 2015, total funds withdrawn from BKS AG amounted to EUR 61 million.

Foreign currency liquidity was higher than the previous year, and it was maintained at a level in accordance with the Banks needs and applicable regulations.

Obligatory reserve, liquidity and treasury (Contiued)

During 2015 minimal ratio of receivables and liabilities in foreign currency was higher than minimum requirements. This percentage was between 17.50% and 21.11%

Funds in foreign currencies, has been placed to other domestic and foreign banks as short term deposits (average EUR 4,3 million). Considering the interest rates on foreign funds were lover as the previous year, income was lower than 2014.

According to the Bank's internal policy and regulatory requirements, a daily analysis of risk exposure was held.

In the situations of long or short currency position, the Bank, whenever possible has balanced it position excercising transactions in the foreign exchange market, selling or buying foreign currencies with the other banks. In these operations the Bank reached a total income of HRK 1,725 thousand, that in relation to the previous year represents a significant increase.

Operations with corporate clients

Bank's business activities also continued during 2015, in accordance with plans and development strategy, maintaining good relationship with existing clients and focusing on expansion/acquisition of new clients, within a market segment of medium and large companies, but also smaller companies. Considering the general economy situation and ongoing market crisis that has already been present for several years, goals and strategy remained unchanged and will not significantly alter for 2016.

Bank continues to operate on two locations, Rijeka and Zagreb. Majority of clients and credit portfolio relates to companies from these two regions. Expansion towards other markets, mostly region of Istria, Northern Croatia, Slavonia and Dalmatia is done from these two mentioned locations, Rijeka and Zagreb. Given the state of the market, Banks strategy and intention to expand by branching out throughout Croatian market is currently on standby. Nature of corporate banking, customized, tailor-made service and development of IT sector allowed us also to establish business relationship with dislocated companies, covering the entire territory of Republic of Croatia.

Corporate department is organized through two regional centres/branches: Rijeka and Zagreb, under the authority of Head of corporate department. Zagreb branch as well as Rijeka branch is organized in team of 4 employees – Group leader, two corporate account managers and one associate for corporate banking (assistant).

Total corporate portfolio (loans and discounted bills of exchange) on 31 December 2015 amounted in total HRK 971.1 million. Major share refers to loans to customers (short-term and long-term credit lines) amounting HRK 892 million or 92% of total corporate portfolio while the remaining part refers to discounted bills of exchange amounting HRK 79.1 million or 8% of total corporate portfolio. The amount of approved, unused loans on 31 December 2015 is HRK 81.2 million.

Total exposure of documentary business amounts HRK 46 million.

Total portfolio (loans to corporate) during 2015 in relation to 2014 increased by 12%, or HRK 102.9 million.

Growth of loan portfolio was recorded in Corporate Zagreb (+22% or HRK 136.6 million) while in Corporate Rijeka we had slight decrease (-13.6% or HRK 33.7 million) caused by market situation in Rijeka and surrounding area compared to 31st Dec, 2014.

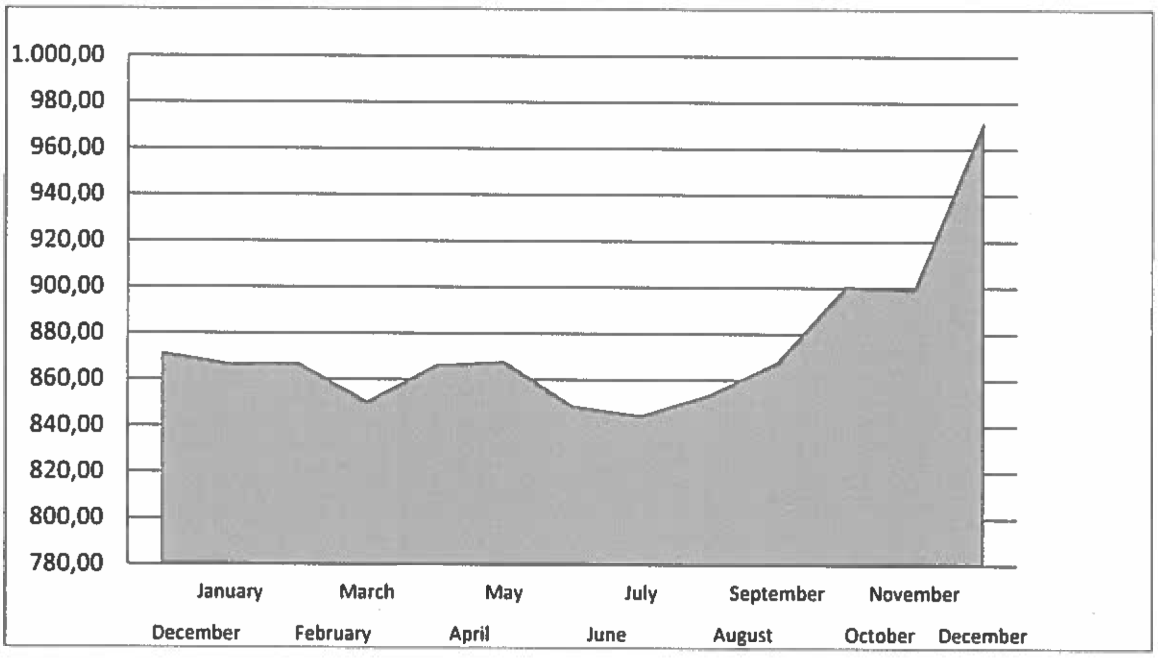
Considering the portfolio of documentary business, as change of trend growth was present in Corporate Zagreb and Rijeka, while Rijeka still holds a dominant position (78% of total documentary business).

Out of total interest income in 2015, revenues from loans to corporate amounted to 89.3%, representing similar percentage as in previous year.

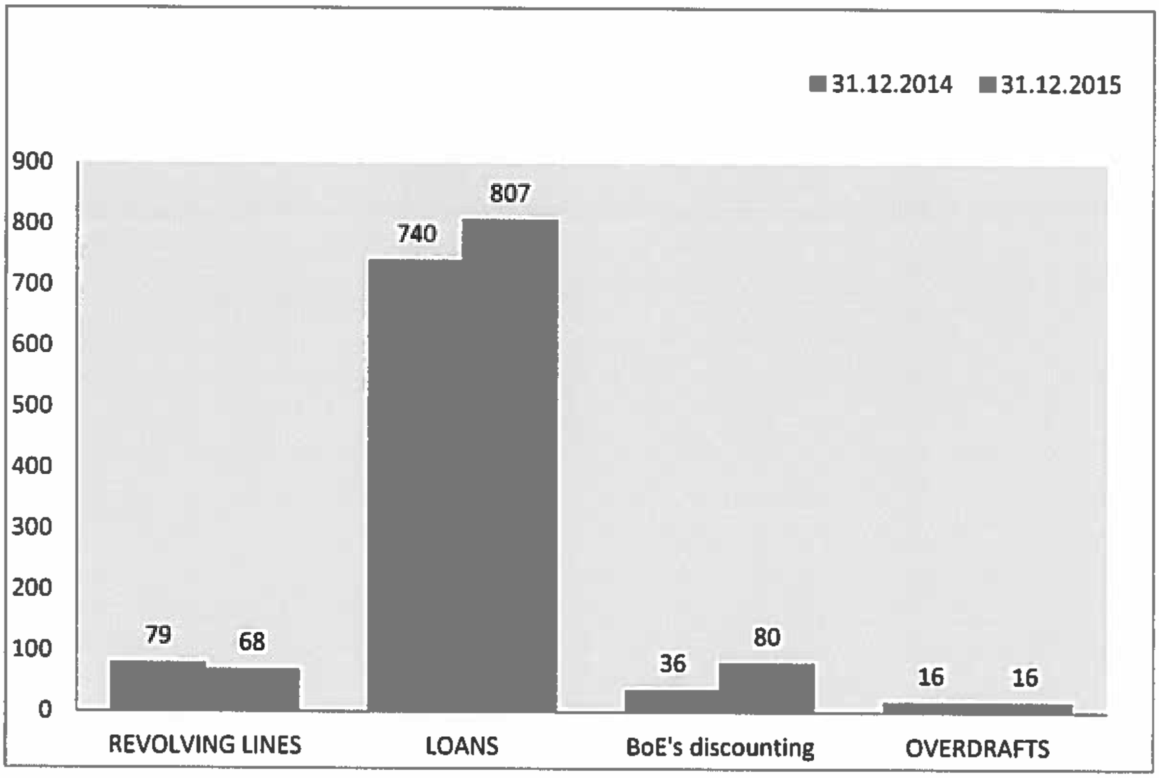
Total amount of deposits of corporate clients on 31 December 2015 amounted to HRK 449 million. HRK 406.9 million refers to HRK deposits and deposits with currency clause and the remaining part are deposits denominated in foreign currencies.

Operations with corporate clients (continued)

Exposure in 2015 (HRK million)



Comparative exposure by products (HRK million)



Operations with corporate clients (continued)

Concentration of risk by economic sector in the portfolio of loans to customers may be presented as follows:

	in HRK thousand					in EUR thousand	
	2015	%	2014	%	Index 2015/2014	2015	2014
Trade	253,059	25	247,058	26	102	33,144	32,358
Construction	275,555	27	226,577	24	122	36,091	29,676
Metallurgy	27,708	3	34,623	4	80	3,629	4,535
Transport, warehousing and public services	47,497	5	45,955	5	103	6,221	6,019
Energy	6,821	1	5,830	1	117	893	764
Shipbuilding	4,422	0	14,645	2	30	579	1,922
Services	208,407	20	199,683	21	104	27,296	26,153
Individuals and unincorporated businesses	141,975	14	107,957	11	132	18,595	14,140
Miscellaneous	65,610	6	55,000	6	119	8,953	7,204
Total	**1,031,053**	**100**	**937,358**	**100**	**119**	**135,042**	**122,770**

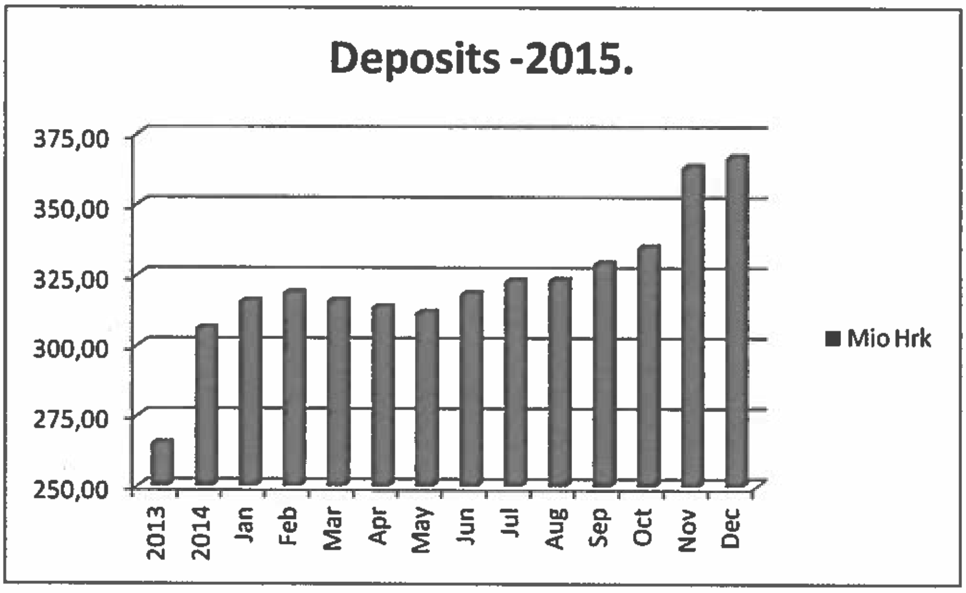
The analysis of exposures presented above shows that the largest proportion of exposures is recorded in the construction and trade industry.

Retail operations

During 2015 in retail segment Bank has intensified lending business, with special focus on housing loans and loans to the co-owners of residential buildings. On the liabilities side, the Bank continues to collect deposits. Mobile banking as payment service has shown a positive trend. Bank has prepared special package for pensioners due to the fact that this is a socially sensitive group with lower monthly income.

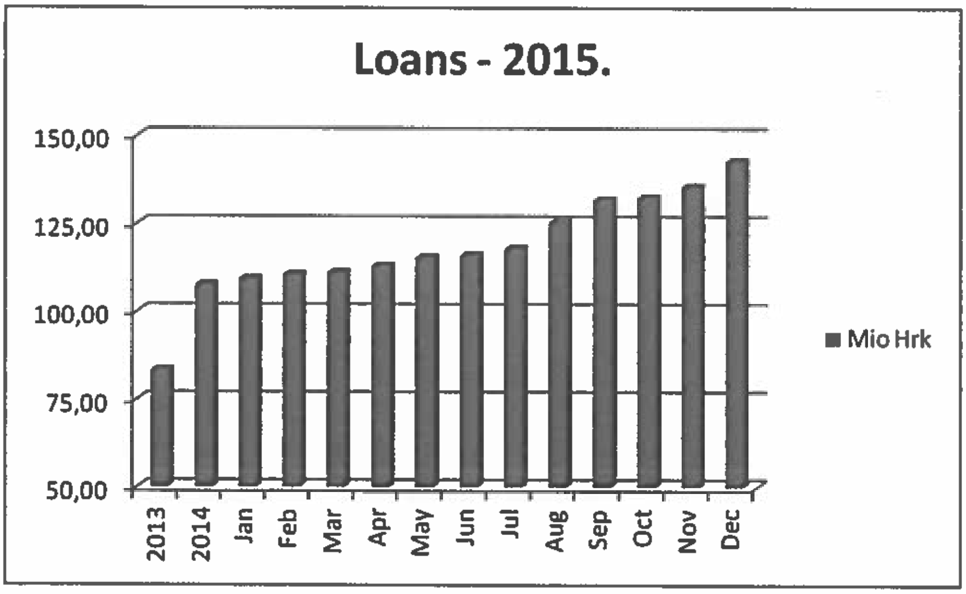
Deposits

Retail deposits at 31 December 2015 increased to HRK 366 million. In comparison with prevoious year this represents an increase of 20%. Term deposits of retail customers and residential buildings have increased by 3%. Product libero which is linked to mobile or internet banking has shown highest increase within deposit products.



Loans

On 31 December 2015, retail loans amounted to HRK 142.95 million this presents an increase by 33% if compared to 31 December 2014. The increase is the result of lending to individuals, as well as co-owners of residential buildings.



Human resources

The previous mandate of the members of the Supervisory Board expired in April, 2015, and from April 26, 2015, all five members, with the approval from the Croatian National Bank, entered into a new four-year mandate on the Supervisory Board of the Bank. In June, 2015, long-time president of the Supervisory Board, Ms. Herta Stockbauer, on a personal request, and because of extensive business engagement, dismissed the function of the president, and Mr. Josef Morak was appointed as president of the Supervisory Board.

The legislator, also during the year 2015, continued to harmonize Croatian labour law regulations, and regulations related to the management and supervision of financial institutions with relevant EU legislation. The stated reason, a number of new and amendments to existing bylaws were adopted, which directly reflected on the requirement for harmonization of internal policies and regulations with these legislative amendments. Furthermore, internal acts related to the area of human resource management were additionally harmonized with the rules and provisions of the parent credit institution and the Group.

As in the previous years, with our organization and method of operations as well as profile, knowledge and competencies of employees, we are trying to keep up with changes in economic and market environment, while respecting the requirements of the legislator and the owner. During the year 2014, together with the owners, an extensive project with the aim of comprehensive analysis of the operations in the area of payment operations, back-office activities, credit risk management and retail operations, had been carried out. The results of the project were implemented during the year 2015. Thus, due to business optimization, improve of the operational business and more effective business processes especially in the part of payment operations, business and IT support, and harmonization with the proposals and solutions of the parent bank, during the first quarter of the year 2015, the operations (payment operations, documentary activities, treasury back office activities, etc.) and activities related to business and IT support, which had previously been organized within two organizational units, were merged into new department – Operations and IT-support department, and consequently, two departments – Payment operations and business support department and IT-support department, as well as all job positions within two 'old' departments, were cancelled. New job positions within the new department, were opened. Within some other organizational units, also, certain job positions for which, according to new organization of the work process, there was no longer needs, had been cancelled, and in parallel, new job positions were opened, all with the aim to adjust the internal organization and classification of job positions with optimal business organization. Most of the employees were reassigned to new job positions and, with them, the new work contracts were concluded, while to a small number of employees, the Bank was forced to cancel the contracts. Because of this exceptional situation, leading with all the regulation, primarily social criteria in determining which employees would cancel the contract, for these employees, some specific benefits that go beyond the legally guaranteed conditions in a case of notice of dismissal on economic ground, were determined.

Previously introduced processes and standards directed towards effective and successful management of human resources and creation of a climate in which all employees can give the best of themselves, for example, guidelines and standards in relations with colleagues, customers and all other partners, the system of annual interviews and employee's motivation etc., were continuously applied and improved. Furthermore, the employees were continuously additionally educated – also in year 2015 the significant funding for the education of employees has been provided, and employees themselves, despite the additional engagements, recognize the need for continuous education and investing in personal development. During the year, many employees attended various external professional trainings, primarily for the most current areas such as risk management and risk control, latest news in the structuring of liquidity, solvency requirements, recovery plans, etc., changes in the payment system with the introduction of SEPA, in the pre-and bankruptcy procedures, accounting and tax, and many other topics. In support of the new heads of organizational units in the managerial tasks and activities, with external associate, the company Prava formula Ltd., the comprehensive program for the development of managers was created and initiated.

Human resources (continued)

In April, 2015, by the owner BKS Bank AG, started the project of merging BKS Bank d.d. with BKS Bank AG, with the planned implementation in the second half of 2016. The future BKS Bank AG, Branch Croatia to some extent will be differently organizationally structured in relation to the existing organizational structure of the BKS Bank d.d., and in this respect, as well as in terms of harmonization of certain processes and internal documents related to human resources management, are the main activities during the next period which are expected.

Basic descriptive statistics about employees:

- On December 31, 2015 there were 61 employees (Management Board included) - 52 in headquarter in Rijeka and 9 in Branch office in Zagreb
- Gender: 44 female, 17 men
- Average age: 40.37
- Qualification structure

MR	=	Master of science (4 – 6.6%)
VSS	=	University degree (45 – 73.8%)
VŠS	=	Two-three years post secondary school degree; bacc (3 – 4.9%)
SSS	=	Secondary school degree (9 – 14.7%)

- 59 employed under indefinite period work contract (open-ended work contract); 2 employed under fix-term contract (replacement for employees on maternity/parental leave).
- During 2015 the Bank employed on average 55 employees, calculated based on equivalent of full-time employees.

Information technology

During 2015 the Bank has worked on the standardization of information technology to provide a faster response to technological change to which it is exposed on a daily basis. A number of improvements to the information systems have been made, including upgrade of internal control systems and introduction of new modules and improvements to the existing solutions thereby increasing automation of business processes and reducing the operational risk.

The Bank has conducted a number of tests and implementations of the Disaster Recovery and „Plan of Business continuity“ that enables to the Bank the continuity in providing services to its customers.

Great attention during 2015 was given to increase quality of new payment operating system and foreign electronic payment transactions module for Corporate clients

Bank corporate management report

Corporate management consists of a set of relations between the Management Board, the Supervisory Board, the managers, the shareholders and all other interested parties. It represents a structure in the framework where the company's goals are defined together with the ways of achieving them and of monitoring the results.

Responsible corporate management in BKS Bank d.d. is a prerequisite for the creation of durable values both for the shareholders and for all the others who are interested in the successful, safe and stable activity of the Bank accompanied by permanent maintenance and strengthening of confidence in the Bank.

As such, the Bank implements both the applicable external and internal regulations, and the rules of its parent company – BKS Bank AG, Klagenfurt, while ensuring that the latter are not contrary to the regulations in force in the Republic of Croatia, and it also monitors the alignment of its organizational structure, to be able to modify, i.e. adjust it promptly.

In addition to fulfilling the regulatory requirements, the Bank shall promote its corporate management by promoting the corporate culture and the awareness of the importance of the corporate management system.

The key principles of corporate management in the Bank are accomplished through:

(1) safeguarding of the shareholders' rights,
(2) establishment of an organizational structure that permits the setting of strategic goals and the affirmation of basic corporative values as well as an adequate infrastructure focused on their realization and monitoring. This is accomplished, among other things, through the monitoring of the business activities by the Supervisory Board and the functioning of the internal controls system.
(3) successful cooperation of the Supervisory Board and the Management Board of the Bank,
(4) setting up of a clear responsibility line within the Bank,
(5) Maintaining good and transparent relations and communication with all banking bodies, employees, management, shareholders, Bank clients and the general public.

The Bank's Management and Supervisory Boards are obliged to ensure the implementation of the corporate management's basic principles. The Bank implements the corporate management principles in the following way:

1. Shareholders and Bank General Meeting

1.1. Shareholders

Shareholders realize their voting right at the Bank General Meeting, and the right to participate goes to all subjects that have been registered as shareholders 15 days before the General Meeting is held.

Each share entitles its holder to one vote, to the dividends and other rights stemming from the law and the Bank Statute.

1.2. General Meeting

The Bank Management Board calls a General Meeting at least once a year.

Ordinary General Meeting shall be called by the Bank Management Board with no delay after the Supervisory Board has examined the annual financial reports, the Bank's Business Report and the draft decision on profit allocation.

Bank corporate management report (continued)

1.2. General Meeting (continued)

The General Meeting takes notice of the Annual financial reports and the Management Board Report regarding the situation in the Bank, and in line with this passes the statement of release, approving the way in which the members of the Bank Management and Supervisory Boards managed the Bank business in the business year in question and also approving the decision on profit allocation.

In line with the law and the Bank Statute, the General Meeting decides on Statute amendments, share capital increases or reductions, appointment and release of the Supervisory Board members and the appointment of an auditor to audit the Bank's activities.

2. Cooperation between the Bank Management and Supervisory Board

An efficient cooperation has been established between the Bank Management Board and the Supervisory Board. To this end the Management Board, with the approval of the Supervisory Board, adopts the basic business documents – business strategy, strategy and policy of risk taking and risk managing, the strategy and procedure of internal capital adequacy assessment, IT strategy as well as the budget (financial plan) for the upcoming year. The Management Board reports regularly (through financial reports submitted on a quarterly and a yearly basis) to the Supervisory Board regarding the Bank's activities and respective budget fulfilment.

In addition to the activities that, by law, need to be approved by the Bank Supervisory Board, the Management Board, in line with the Management Board (MB) By-laws, must obtain approval also for the establishment of new companies and /or for the purchase or sale of shares, for the participation in other legal entities, for the acquisition and the sale of real estate, for the stipulation of contracts of lease of real estate, movables and equipment the duration of which exceeds one year if the annual rental fees exceed the amount of HRK 0.05 million, for investments of the single value exceeding HRK 0.3 million or of the total value in one year above HRK 1 million, for taking loans from a client or related group of clients if the value of one deal i.e. the total value exceeds the amount of HRK 10 million (except for money market and interbank market transactions), for the conclusion of deals causing the exposure towards a single client and the persons related to it in excess of the amounts foreseen by the Bank lending rules, for the definition of the Bank's business policy and strategy, for the definition of the Bank's financial plans, giving of procuration, setting up or cessation of branches or subsidiaries, representative offices, etc.

An important element for a successful cooperation is the presentation of diligently prepared, true and timely reports to the Supervisory Board by the Bank Management Board, in written form – as a rule - on financial plans, risks management, operations that could have an impact on business profitability and Bank liquidity, on the course of business, especially the cash flow and the Bank Balance Sheet as well as on other principled issues of the business activity. At the same time, the Supervisory Board may require any information from the Bank Management Board regarding issues related to the Bank's activity, which have or could have a material impact on its position.

The good cooperation is manifested in the always open debate between the Bank Management Board and the Supervisory Board, as well as among the members in both these bodies.

Bank corporate management report (continued)

3. Bank's Management Board

The Management Board manages the Bank's activity on its own responsibility and represents the Bank before third parties. The Management Board shall act in the Bank's best interest and shall not be guided by personal interests, nor shall it ask or accept any type of benefit from third parties.

3.1. Competence, structure and remuneration of the Management Board members

Managing the activity the Bank Management Board ensures in particular that the Bank operates in line with risk management regulations; the Bank has established accurately determined, clear and consistent internal relations which provide a clear demarcation of powers and responsibilities as well as the prevention of conflict interest; the Bank monitors the risks it is exposed to in its activity; the Management Board reviews the adopted strategy and risk management policies and secures and maintains the adequate level of capital in terms of the risks the Bank is exposed to; ensures the functioning of the control functions and annually examines the adequacy of procedures and the effectiveness of control functions; the undisturbed performance of external and internal audit; that it conducts business and other books and business documentation, compiles accounting documents, assesses assets and liabilities realistically, draws up financial and other reports in line with accounting rules and standards; that it reports and informs the Croatian National Bank in line with the regulations and that it implements the measures set by the Central Bank.

The Bank Management Board consists of three members at the most. By law, the minimal number of members is two. One of the members has to be appointed President of the Management Board. Adequate diversity of the Management Board structure with respect to the number of members and the necessary professional knowledge, the capability and the experience of the members is determined by a Policy on the assessment of the suitability of members of the Management and Supervisory Board and key function holders. The members of the Management Board must fulfil all conditions prescribed by the law regulating operations of trading companies, all conditions prescribed by law and by-laws regulating operations of credit institutions as well as all conditions prescribed by the mentioned Policy.

Management Board members manage the activity jointly while the single members manage specific business areas as defined by the Management board By-laws. If the Management Board consists of two members, decisions must be made unanimously. The Management Board members are in charge and responsible for specific business areas. The bank is jointly represented by at least two Management Board members or one member of the Management Board jointly with one authorized signatory.

The remuneration of the Management Board members consist of an agreed fixed pay and a variable portion (annual reward – bonus) amounting from 0 to a maximum corresponding to 25% of the individual annual basic salary. The amount of the annual reward- bonus is determined depending on the performance of the Management Board member and the Bank's performance in the previous financial year, in accordance with the provisions of the Remuneration Policy and Methodologies for measuring performance. The decision on the amount and period of payment of bonus-annual awards is passed by the Supervisory Board after determining of the audited financial statements and assessment of achieved goals by individual members of the Management Board.

Bank corporate management report (continued)

3.2. Conflict of interests

The regulations (internal and external) which regulate the conflict of interests are transparent and are followed in the Bank in the best possible way.

Pursuant to the mentioned regulations, and particularly the provisions of the Code of Professional Conduct, Policy on the assessment of the suitability of members of the Management and Supervisory Board and key function holders, the MB By-laws as well as the contracts on the managers' rights and obligations, it shall be deemed that the conflict of interest exists if:

1. Management Board member or a person related to him/her has an important business relationship with the Bank,
2. Management Board member holder is at the same time member of the supervisory board of some of the credit or financial institutions recorded in the Register of Companies in the Republic of Croatia, except in cases when this is a subordinated credit or financial institution to the Bank or credit or financial institution appertaining to the same group of credit institutions as the Bank
3. other circumstances point at a conflict of interests.

Further on, in line with previously mentioned documents, the Bank`s Management Board members:

(1) must not, without the consent of the Supervisory Board, participate in third parties or partnerships, either directly or indirectly,
(2) must not, either for their own or for some other's account, perform activities falling under the scope of the activity of the Bank (competition ban),
(3) may not be Supervisory Board members of a third company without the consent of the Supervisory Board,
(4) are obliged to report to the Bank`s Supervisory Board any activity whereby a member of the Management Board or next of his kin of first degree acquires or sells - directly or indirectly shares or other securities issued by the Bank,
(5) are obliged to report to the Bank`s Supervisory Board a transaction by which a member of his closest family, directly or indirectly, individually or jointly acquire or release shares or business interests that exceed or fall below a qualified share. Shares or other securities issued by the Bank Likewise, Management Board members shall not use, either for their own or for the account of third parties any notions, information and business contacts, that they can obtain while carrying out their office of Management members.

Pursuant to statutory regulations, Bank lending to the Management Board members, to the members of their immediate family, to legal entities related to the Bank Management Board members – is subject to Supervisory Board approval.

In performing their duties Management Board members must not be guided by their personal interests, nor are they allowed to ask or accept any benefit and/or advantage, either for themselves or for any other party, nor to promise or grant any such benefit and/or advantage – on behalf and for account of the Bank - to these parties. Moreover, the Management Board is obliged to undertake all adequate and reasonable measures in order to ensure that the members of the Management Board and the Bank employees do not act contrary to the ban on divulgation and utilization of privileged information prescribed by the Securities Market Act.

3.3. Bank Management Board Committees

The Bank Management Board may establish various permanent or temporary bodies to assist it in the performance of its functions (e.g. ALCO Committee, Real-estate Committee etc.)

4. Bank's Supervisory Board

4.1. Competence, structure and remuneration of the Supervisory Board members

Once a year the Bank Supervisory Board submits to the General Assembly a report on its work.

The Bank Supervisory Board monitors the performance of the Bank's operations and in particular appoints and recalls the members of the Management Board, convokes the General Assembly as required, gives the order to the auditor to examine the annual financial reports, participates in the definition of the annual financial reports, submits a written report on performed supervision to the General Assembly, represents the Bank before the Management Board, gives prior approval to the Management Board decisions when this is prescribed by law, the Statute or the Management Board By-laws. In this way, the Supervisory Board directs the Bank' activity and supervises the business management actively.

In line with the Bank's Statute, the Supervisory Board may have at least three, five or seven members appointed by the Bank's General Assembly, but one of the Supervisory Board members must be independent one. Adequate diversity of the Supervisory Board structure with respect to the number of members and the necessary professional knowledge, the capability and the experience of the members shall be determined by a Policy on the assessment of the suitability of members of the Management and Supervisory Board and key function holders. The members of the Supervisory Board must fulfil all conditions prescribed by the law regulating operations of trading companies, all conditions prescribed by law and by-laws regulating operations of credit institutions as well as all conditions prescribed by the mentioned Policy. The Supervisory Board members appoint the president and his deputy among themselves.

The Supervisory Board members may be granted a reward for their work in the Board. The decision in this respect is made by the General Assembly. General Assembly of the Bank has not adopted a decision on the right of the Supervisory Board members on remuneration for their work and therefore, until the General Assembly determines otherwise, the Supervisory Board members do not receive any salary or other form of compensation for their work nor are entitled to participate in the profits of the Bank.

4.2. Conflict of interests

All the Bank Supervisory Board members are obliged to act in the Bank's best interest and in making decisions they cannot be guided by their own profit nor may they use their position in order to acquire some personal benefit.
Respecting the previously stated internal and external regulations defining prevention of conflict of interest, it shall been deemed that the conflict of interest exists in case

1. Supervisory Board member or a person related to him/her has an important business relationship with the Bank,
2. Supervisory Board member is at the same time member of the supervisory or management board of other credit or financial institution or (mixed) financial holding which is not part of the same group of credit institutions as the Bank
3. other circumstances point at a conflict of interests.

The Supervisory Board members may not point out their membership in the Supervisory Board in public with the purpose of gaining any illicit, personal or professional benefit which may jeopardize the Bank's reputation or any other interest of the Bank. They are also compelled to report to the bank any operation whereby the member or any of their kin of first degree acquires or disposes of the shares or any other securities issued by the Bank, either directly or indirectly.

The Supervisory Board members shall inform the CNB about the appointment or termination of their office in management or supervisory boards of other legal entities, as well as about any deals based on which they or the members of their immediate family have, directly or indirectly, individually or jointly, acquired shares in the legal entity, based on which they have acquired or their shares have fallen below the qualified share.

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4.3. Bank Supervisory Board Committees

In line with the Law and Regulations relating to credit institutions operations and in order of increasing the Supervisory Board's efficiency, i.e. advising and enabling preparation of decisions under competence of the Bank Supervisory Board and the monitoring of the implementation of the decisions made, the following Committees have been established by the Supervisory Board: Risk and Audit Committee, Appointment and Remuneration Committee and Working Committee.

The Risk and Audit Committee advises the Supervisory Board on the overall current and future risk appetite and strategy and assists in overseeing the implementation of this strategy by senior management; examines whether the pricing of receivables and commitments to customers has taken into account the business model of the Bank and risk strategy, examine whether the risk, capital, liquidity as well as the plausibility and expected period of achieving the profit were considered in determination of bonuses; supervises the financial reporting; it monitors the efficiency of the system of internal control, audit and risk control systems; it supervises the financial reports' auditing, monitors the auditors' independence and gives recommendations to the Supervisory Board for the appointment of an independent auditor and performs other tasks in line with statutory regulations.

The Working Committee monitors all loans, assessments and other asset-related commercial activities (assets BKS Bank d.d.). Moreover the Committee is responsible for monitoring the Bank's overall activities that are subject to Supervisory Board approval.

Appointment and Remuneration Committee regularly assesses the structure, size, composition and functioning of Management and Supervisory Board as well as assesses the professional knowledge, the capability (skills) and the experience of individual Management and Supervisory Board members as well as of the Management and Supervisory Board as a whole and informs those boards on the results; reviews the Policy for selection of Management and Supervisory Board members and appointment of senior management and gives recommendations to Management and Supervisory Board; participates in proposing members of the Management and Supervisory Board; prepares the Supervisory Board decisions relating to remuneration particularly the decision on the total amount of variables for the business year and other;, continuously to the extent possible, ensures the absence of domination of individuals or small group of individuals in Management and Supervisory Board decision making in order to protect the Bank as a whole; prepares description of the duties and the necessary conditions for performing these duties for each member of the management or supervisory board as well as the expected commitment to fulfilling this duty; determines targeted representation of less represented gender in Supervisory and Management Board and proposes the method of increasing the number of less represented gender and performs other duties specified by regulations.

5. Principle of gender balance at management/supervisory levels

In order to implement the principle of gender balance at management/supervisory levels, the Bank defines in certain intervals targeted representation of women, identified as under-represented gender at those levels, as well as a strategy for increasing their numbers in Management and Supervisory Board. In this regard, the Bank encourages professional development and advancement of women, deductable from their representation in senior management, as well as the fact that women are carriers of two of the three control functions. Furthermore, the Bank providing the highly flexible working time models aims to help women in the reconciliation of professional and private obligations also in that direction enables their career advancement. The current representation of women in the Supervisory Board as well as the fact that female member has performed function of the Board President for a long-year period, is considered to be a good starting point for long-term achievement of equal representation of women at management levels.

Bank corporate management report (continued)

6. Internal control system

The internal control system is a system of processes and procedures set up to monitor the Bank's business efficiency, the reliability of its financial information, ensuring adequate risk management system and the compliance with the laws, regulations and good practice, all in order to protect the Bank's assets.

For this purpose an internal controls system has been established in the Bank as a system of procedures and processes for monitoring the efficiency of the Bank's operations, the reliability of financial reporting, ensuring adequate risk management system and adherence to statutory regulations and good business practice. This system is structured according to the size, type, scope and complexity of the business and in accordance with the Bank's risk profile. This system is the subject of permanent upgrading and adjustment to the standards of the parent bank.

In addition to the members of the Bank Management Board and of the Supervisory Board, all employees and organizational units of the Bank take also part in the implementation of the mentioned control measures, integrated either directly or indirectly in the business processes.

The internal control system in the Bank functions, among other, through three mutually independent functions:

(1) the risks control function,
(2) the compliance monitoring function,
(3) the internal audit function,

Including the activities linked to the prevention of both money laundering and the financing of terrorist activities.

A well-established internal controls system enables the Bank a timely monitoring and detection of any materially significant risk to which it may be exposed while performing its activity.

7. Transparent and timely reporting, external and internal communication

The responsibility for communicating with the public lies with the Management Board.

PR as well as the marketing functions are centralized at BKS Bank AG level, wherefrom, with the agreement of the Management Board, both public relations and internal communications get coordinated and managed. The Bank puts special emphasis on relations and communication with the clients, which are subject to provisions of the Code of Conduct, and the Ethics Code in Business, approved by the Croatian Chamber of Commerce, which has been accepted by the Bank, as well as Code of good banking practice of the Croatian Banking Association as of date the Bank joint that association.

The Bank's shareholders and the general public receive timely information through the mass media about the Bank's business, the financial results and the material facts that could have an impact on the Bank's structure and the value of its capital. Furthermore, by means of Public disclosure on it's web page, the Bank regularly, in line with regulations, publishes indicators of operations that may affect the business decision-making.

The Bank's financial statements are audited on a regular basis by a recognised auditing company.

In line with the above mentioned, BKS Bank d.d. Rijeka hereby declares that a corporative structure has been established in the Bank, adequate to the business size, scope and structure and to the risks the Bank is exposed to, and that the Bank, considering its position within the BKS Bank AG Group as well as the environment in which it operates, is well organized and that business in 2015 was conducted adhering to the principles and guidelines of corporative management, which will continue to be followed in future as well.

Goran Rameša

President of the Management Board

BKS Bank d.d., RIJEKA

General data

BANK BODIES:	
General Meeting	Chairman is elected among the Supervisory Board members
Supervisory Board	Josef Morak, President Dieter Vinzenz Krassnitzer, Deputy President Herta Stockbauer, member (President until June 15, 2015) Harald Richard Brunner, member Ludwig - Hubert Ankele, member
Management Board	Goran Rameša, President Christian Peter Pettinger, member

ADDRESS/SEAT:	Mljekarski trg 3, 51000 Rijeka, Hrvatska
TOTAL EQUITY:	200.000.000,00 HRK divided into 2.000.000 ordinary shares of 100,00 HRK each, fully paid;
COMMERCIAL COURT:	Registered in the Trade register with the Commercial Court in Rijeka under no. Tt-95/96-5
MBS:	040001012
SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY:	Croatian National Bank

SWIFT : BFKKHR22

IBAN: HR 57 2488 0011 0111 1111 6

PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (OIB): 61436608168

Global Intermediary Identification Number (GIIN): RQGW3I.99999.SL.191

Web : www.bks.hr

Responsibilities of the Management and Supervisory Boards for the preparation and approval of the annual financial statements

The Management Board of the Bank is required to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Bank and of the results of its operations and cash flows, in accordance with accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia, and is responsible for maintaining proper accounting records to enable the preparation of such financial statements at any time. It has a general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably available to it to safeguard the assets of the Bank and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The Management Board is responsible for selecting suitable accounting policies to conform with applicable accounting standards and then apply them consistently; making judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and preparing the financial statements on a going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Bank will continue in business.

The Management Board is responsible for the submission to the Supervisory Board of its annual report on the Bank together with the annual financial statements for acceptance. If the Supervisory Board approves the annual financial statements they are deemed confirmed by the Management Board and Supervisory Board.

The financial statements set out on pages 24 to 82, as well as supplementary information prescribed by a decision of the Croatian National Bank on pages 83 to 89, which is not part of financial statements, were authorised by the Management Board on 23 February 2016 for issuance to the Supervisory Board and are signed below to signify this.

For and on behalf of BKS Bank d.d.:

Goran Rameša
President of the Management Board

Christian-Peter Pettinger
Member of the Management Board

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Independent Auditors' Report

To the shareholders of BKS Bank d.d.

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements ('the financial statements') of BKS Bank d.d. (the 'Bank') which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2015, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and cash flow statement for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (as set out on pages 24 to 82).

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with statutory accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal controls relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material aspects, the financial position of the Bank as at 31 December 2015 and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with statutory accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia.

Other legal and regulatory requirements

1) In accordance with the By-law on the Structure and Content of the Annual Financial Statements (National Gazette no 62/08) (hereinafter „the By-Law), the Bank's management has prepared forms which are presented on pages 83 to 89, and which contain a balance sheet as at 31 December 2015, profit and loss account, statement of changes in equity and cash flow statement for the year then ended together with notes on reconciliation of the forms to the primary financial statements of the Bank. This financial information is the responsibility of the Bank's management and is, pursuant to statutory accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia, not a required part of the financial statements, but is required by the Bylaw. Our responsibility with respect to this financial information is to perform the procedures we consider appropriate to conclude whether this financial information have been properly derived from the audited financial statements. In our opinion, based on the procedures performed, the financial information presented in the forms has been properly derived, in all material respects, from the audited financial statements which were prepared in accordance with statutory accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia as presented on pages 24 to 82 and are based on underlying accounting records of the Bank.

2) Management Board of the Bank has prepared Annual report as set out on pages 1 to 20. The Management Board is responsible for the preparation of the Annual report in accordance with the Croatian Accounting Law and for its accuracy. Our responsibility is to perform procedures we consider necessary to reach a conclusion on whether the Annual report is consistent with the audited financial statements. Our work as auditors was confined to checking the annual report with the aforementioned scope and did not include a review of any information other than that drawn from the audited accounting records of the Bank. In our opinion, the accounting information presented in the Annual report of the Bank for the year 2015 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements for that year which are presented on pages 24 to 82.

Zvonimir Madunić
Member of the Board and certified auditor
Ernst & Young d.o.o.
Zagreb, 23 February 2016

BKS Bank d.d., RIJEKA

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER

(in thousands of HRK)	Note	2015	2014
Income statement			
Interest and similar income	4a	59,483	56,261
Interest expense and similar charges	4c	(18,184)	(20,637)
Net interest income		**41,299**	**35,624**
Fee and commission income	5a	5,987	5,280
Fee and commission expense	5b	(1,190)	(1,323)
Net fee and commission income		**4,797**	**3,957**
Net trading income from dealing in foreign currencies		1,725	1,672
Net income from investment securities	6	270	383
Other operating income	7	911	943
Operating income		**49,002**	**42,579**
Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers and banks	14b,13	(6,759)	(8,624)
Other impairment losses and provisions	8	(3,331)	(1,365)
Operating expenses	9	(30,936)	(31,581)
Profit before income tax		**7,976**	**1,009**
Income tax (expense) / benefit	10a	(299)	181
Profit for the year after tax		**7,677**	**1,190**
Other comprehensive income			-
Total comprehensive income for the year		**7,677**	**1,190**

The accompanying accounting policies and other notes on pages 28 to 82 form an integral part of these financial statements.

BKS Bank d.d., RIJEKA

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER

(in thousands of HRK)	Note	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	11	212,476	140,484
Obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank	12	98,972	89,006
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	15	42,775	42,506
Loans and advances to banks	13	16,568	67,191
Loans and advances to customers	14a	986,607	899,470
Available-for-sale financial assets	16	12	523
Held-to-maturity investments	17	154,414	35,319
Other assets	20	8,015	10,028
Property and equipment	18	20,527	20,764
Intangible assets	19	4,246	6,140
Deferred tax assets	10b	1,660	1,227
Total assets		**1,546,272**	**1,312,658**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
LIABILITIES			
Deposits from banks	21	65	141
Deposits from customers	22	820,827	665,382
Borrowings	23	489,180	422,892
Provisions for liabilities and charges	24	6,265	3,642
Income tax liabilities		732	-
Other liabilities	25	19,799	18,874
Total liabilities		**1,336,868**	**1,110,931**
EQUITY			
Issued share capital	26	200,000	200,000
Statutory reserve	27a	596	537
Retained (losses)/earnings	27b	8,808	1,190
Total equity		**209,404**	**201,727**
Total liabilities and equity		**1,546,272**	**1,312,658**

The accompanying accounting policies and other notes on pages 28 to 82 form an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

(in thousands of HRK)	Issued share capital	Statutory reserve	Retained earnings /(losses carried forward)	Total
Balance at 1 January 2014	**200,000**	**2,778**	**(2,241)**	**200,537**
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	1,190	1,190
Transfer to statutory reserve (Note 26a)	-	(2,241)	2,241	-
Increase in share capital	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31 December 2014	**200,000**	**537**	**1,190**	**201,727**
Balance at 1 January 2015	**200,000**	**537**	**1,190**	**201,727**
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	7,677	7,677
Transfer to statutory reserve (Note 26a)	-	59	(59)	-
Balance at 31 December 2015	**200,000**	**596**	**8,808**	**209,404**

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER

(in thousands of HRK)	Note	2015	2014
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit for the year		7,677	1,190
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation and amortisation	*9*	4,119	4,119
Net foreign exchange loss from translation of monetary assets and liabilities	*7*	390	58
Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers	*14b*	6,659	8,624
Other impairment losses and provisions	*8*	3,331	1,365
Income tax expense/(benefit)	*10a*	299	(181)
Cash flows from operating activities before changes in operating assets and liabilities		22,475	15,175
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Net decrease/(increase) in obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank		(9,966)	(4,613)
Net decrease/(increase) in loans and advances to banks		50,623	12,792
Net decrease/(increase) in loans and advances to customers		(93,696)	(130,073)
Net decrease/(increase) in financial assets at fair value		(270)	274
Net (increase) in other assets		2,204	(2,039)
Net increase/(decrease) in deposits from banks		(77)	64
Net increase/(decrease) in deposits from customers		155,445	47,711
Net increase in other liabilities		924	(589)
Net cash outflow from operating activities before tax		127,662	(61,298)
Income tax paid		(19)	-
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities		127,643	(61,298)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of property and equipment		(1,331)	(403)
Purchase of intangible assets		(800)	(2,929)
Net increase in held-to-maturity investments		(119,809)	13,950
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(121,940)	(3,276)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Net (decrease)/increase in borrowings		66,289	20,051
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from financing activities		66,289	20,051
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		71,992	(30,629)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		140,484	171,113
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	11	212,476	140,484
Interest paid		*18,099*	*18,209*
Interest collected		*60,321*	*55,708*

The accompanying accounting policies and other notes on pages 28 to 82 form an integral part of these financial statements.

1. REPORTING ENTITY

BKS Bank d.d., Rijeka ("the Bank") is a joint stock company incorporated and domiciled in Croatia. The Bank was formerly known as Kvarner banka d.d. Rijeka. The registered office is at Mljekarski trg 3, in Rijeka. The Bank started its activities in April 1993 and its operations include receiving cash deposits, granting loans and making other placements. The Bank is focused on medium-sized companies and sole traders. The Bank is registered at the Commercial Court in Rijeka with authorised share capital in the amount of HRK 200,000 thousand.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

A) Accounting framework

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with statutory accounting requirements for banks in Republic of Croatia.

Banking operations in Croatia are subject to the Credit Institutions Law, in accordance with which the Bank's financial reporting is regulated by the Croatian National Bank ("the CNB") which is the central monitoring institution of the banking system in Croatia. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with these banking regulations.

The financial statements were approved by the Bank's Management Board on 23 February 2016 for approval by the Supervisory Board.

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are summarised below. Where specific accounting policies are aligned with accounting principles set out in International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), reference may be made to certain Standards in describing the accounting policies of the Bank; unless otherwise stated, these references are to Standards applicable at 31 December 2015. The accounting regulations based on which these financial statements have been prepared differ from IFRS both in terms of presentation and disclosures as well as in terms of recognition and measurement.

Attention is drawn to the following differences between the accounting regulations of the CNB and recognition and measurement requirements of IFRS:

- The CNB requires banks to recognise impairment losses, in income statement, on assets not identified as impaired (including sovereign risk assets) at prescribed rates (excluding assets carried at fair value). The Bank has made portfolio-based provisions of HRK 15,839 thousand (2014: HRK 13,194) thousand) carried in the balance sheet in compliance with these regulations, and has recognised a charge against income in respect of such provisions of HRK 2,645 thousand within the charge for impairment losses for the year (2014: charge of HRK 753 thousand). Although, in accordance with IFRS, such provisions should more properly be presented as an appropriation within equity, the Bank continues to recognise such provisions in the statement of comprehensive income as a substitute for existing but unidentified impairment losses calculated in accordance with the requirements of IFRS.
- A further difference between IFRS and the accounting regulations of the CNB relates to the determination of impairment losses by discounting the estimated cash flows of the impaired asset at the instrument's original effective interest rate. The Bank calculates impairment losses on individually significant items by estimating the future cash flows and discounting these estimated amounts at the instrument's original effective interest rate. The Bank generally recognises the amortisation of such discounts as a release of impairment allowance rather than as interest income. In certain cases, however, collections are recognised as interest income once impairment losses are fully reversed.
- Additionally the CNB prescribes minimum levels of impairment losses against certain specifically identified impaired exposures, which may be different from the impairment loss required to be recognised in accordance with IFRS.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (CONTINUED)

B) Basis of measurement

The financial statements are prepared on the fair value basis for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and financial assets available for sale, except those financial assets available for sale for which a reliable measure of fair value is not available. Other financial assets and liabilities, and non-financial assets and liabilities, are stated at amortised or historical cost.

C) Use of estimates and judgements

In preparing the financial statements, management has made judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of commitments and contingencies at the balance sheet date, as well as amounts of income and expense for the period. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances and information available at the date of the preparation of the financial statements, the results of which form the basis for making judgements about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and any future periods affected.

Information about judgements made by management in the application of applicable standards that have significant effect on the financial statements and about estimates that have a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment within the next financial year are included in Note 33.

D) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements are presented in Croatian kuna (HRK), which is the Bank's functional and presentation currency. Amounts are rounded to the nearest thousand (unless otherwise stated). As at 31 December 2015 the exchange rates used for translation were HRK 6.991801 to USD 1 and HRK 7.635047 to EUR 1 (31 December 2014: HRK 6.3021to USD 1 and HRK 7.66147 to EUR 1).

E) Financial crisis impact

The Bank places significant attention on the credit function in order to mitigate the risk of credit portfolio impairment. The impairment allowances and potential losses are regularly monitored.

Although the impact of the financial crisis cannot be predicted, the Bank has undertaken a number of activities focusing on the quality of the portfolio of its existing clients. This includes constant communication with clients and co-operation in terms of adjustment of terms and dynamics of payment, monitoring of the values of collateral obtained and obtaining of additional collateral from client and from the parent bank.

This year on the macroeconomic level after seven years of consecutive decline, finally brought GDP growth and, consequently, reduced the expected impact of the financial crisis on the credit portfolio.

2 BASIS FOR PREPARATION (CONTINUED)

F) Changes in accounting policies and disclosures

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except for the following amended IFRSs which have been adopted by the Bank as of 1 January 2015:

➢ **Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2011 – 2013 Cycle**

When the adoption of the standard or interpretation is deemed to have an impact on the financial statements or performance of the Bank, its impact is described below:

- The **IASB has issued the Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2011 – 2013 Cycle**, which is a collection of amendments to IFRSs. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2015. Management has assessed the impact of these improvements and concluded that there is no impact on the Bank's financial statements as of 31 December 2015 and for the year then ended. Amended standards are listed below:

  ➢ ***IFRS 3 Business Combinations***
  ➢ ***IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement.***
  ➢ ***IAS 40 Investment Properties***

B) Standards issued but not yet effective and not early adopted

- **IFRS 9 Financial Instruments: Classification and Measurement**
  The standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018, with early application permitted. The final version of IFRS 9 Financial Instruments reflects all phases of the financial instruments project and replaces IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement and all previous versions of IFRS 9. The standard introduces new requirements for classification and measurement, impairment, and hedge accounting. The amendment has not yet been endorsed by the EU. Management is currently assessing the impact of the new pronouncements on the Bank's financial reporting and plans to adopt standard when it becomes effective.

- **IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers**
  The standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018. IFRS 15 establishes a five-step model that will apply to revenue earned from a contract with a customer (with limited exceptions), regardless of the type of revenue transaction or the industry. The standard's requirements will also apply to the recognition and measurement of gains and losses on the sale of some non-financial assets that are not an output of the entity's ordinary activities (e.g., sales of property, plant and equipment or intangibles). Extensive disclosures will be required, including disaggregation of total revenue; information about performance obligations; changes in contract asset and liability account balances between periods and key judgments and estimates. The standard has not been yet endorsed by the EU. Management is currently assessing the impact of the new pronouncements on the Bank's financial reporting and plans to adopt standard when it becomes effective.

- **IAS 1: Disclosure Initiative (Amendment)**
  The amendments to IAS 1 *Presentation of Financial Statements* further encourage companies to apply professional judgment in determining what information to disclose and how to structure it in their financial statements. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016. The narrow-focus amendments to IAS clarify, rather than significantly change, existing IAS 1 requirements. The amendments relate to materiality, order of the notes, subtotals and disaggregation, accounting policies and presentation of items of other comprehensive income (OCI) arising from equity accounted Investments. Management has assessed that adoption of the new amendment should not have significant impact on the Bank's financial statements and related disclosures.

2 BASIS FOR PREPARATION (CONTINUED)

F) Changes in accounting policies and disclosures

- The **IASB has issued the Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2010 – 2012 Cycle,** which is a collection of amendments to IFRSs. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 February 2015. Management has assessed that adoption of these amendments does not have significant impact on the Bank's financial reporting. Amended standards are listed below:

    - ***IFRS 2 Share-based Payment***
    - ***IFRS 3 Business combinations***
    - ***IFRS 8 Operating Segments***
    - ***IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement***
    - ***IAS 16 Property Plant & Equipment***
    - ***IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures***
    - ***IAS 38 Intangible Assets***

- The **IASB has issued the Annual Improvements to IFRSs 2012 – 2014 Cycle,** which is a collection of amendments to IFRSs. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016. Management has assessed that adoption of these amendments does not have significant impact on the Bank's financial reporting. Amended standards are listed below:

    - ***IFRS 5 Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations***:
    - ***IFRS 7 Financial Instruments*: *Disclosures***
    - ***IAS 19 Employee Benefits***:
    - ***IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting***

- **IFRS 16: Leases**
  The standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019. IFRS 16 sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of leases for both parties to a contract, i.e. the customer ('lessee') and the supplier ('lessor'). The new standard requires lessees to recognize most leases on their financial statements. Lessees will have a single accounting model for all leases, with certain exemptions. Lessor accounting is substantially unchanged. The standard has not been yet endorsed by the EU. Management is currently assessing the impact of the new pronouncements on the Company's financial reporting and plans to adopt standard when it becomes effective.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies have been consistently applied to all periods presented in these financial statements.

3.1 Interest income and expense

Interest income and expense are recognised in the income statement as accrued for all interest-bearing financial instruments measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method, i.e. the rate that discounts estimated future cash flows to net present value over the life of the underlying contract.

Interest income and expense also include fee and commission income and expense in respect of loans and advances to customers or borrowings from other banks, premium or discount amortisation, and other differences between the initial carrying amount of an interest-bearing financial instrument and its value at maturity, recognised on an effective interest basis.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or a financial liability and of allocating the interest income or interest expense over the expected life of the financial instrument. The effective interest rate is the rate that discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument or, when appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability. When calculating the effective interest rate, the Bank does not consider future credit losses. The calculation includes all fees and percentage points paid or received between parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and all other premiums or discounts.

3.2 Fee and commission income and expense

Fees and commissions mainly comprise fees related to domestic and foreign payments, the issue of guarantees and letters of credit and fees for credit risk analysis services, and are recognised in the income statement upon performance of the relevant service, unless they have been included in the effective interest calculation.

Loan commitment fees for loans that are likely to be drawn down are deferred and recognised as an adjustment to the effective interest rate on the loan. Commitment fees in relation to facilities where draw down is not probable are recognised over the term of the commitment. Other service fees are recognised based on the applicable service contracts.

3.3 Net trading income from dealing in foreign currencies

This category includes spreads earned from foreign exchange trading.

3.4 Net income from investment securities

This category includes gains and losses from disposals of available-for-sale financial assets and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, and dividend income.

Dividend income on equity securities is credited to the income statement when the right to receive the dividend is established. There was no dividend income recognised in 2015 and 2014.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.5 Foreign currency translation

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into HRK at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the balance sheet date are translated into HRK at the foreign exchange rate ruling at that date. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised in the income statement. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currency that are stated at fair value are translated in HRK at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates when the fair values were determined. Non-monetary assets and items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction and are not retranslated at the balance sheet date.

Changes in the fair value of monetary securities denominated in foreign currency classified as available for sale are analysed between translation differences resulting from changes in the amortised cost of the security, and other changes in the carrying amount of the security. The translation differences are recognised in the income statement as part of the foreign exchange gains or losses on the revaluation of monetary assets and liabilities presented within operating expenses in the income statement.

3.6 Employee benefits

Defined pension contributions

The Bank has obligations for defined contributions to pension funds on a mandatory, contractual basis. The Bank has no further payment obligations once the contributions have been paid. The contributions are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due.

Provisions for retirement benefits and jubilee awards

In calculating provisions for retirement benefits and jubilee awards, the Bank discounts expected future cash outflows in respect of these liabilities using the discount rate which, in opinion of the Bank's management, best represents the time value of money.

3.7 Lease payments

Payments made by the Bank as lessee under operating leases are recognised in statement of comprehensive income on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

3.8 Financial instruments

Classification

The Bank classifies its financial instruments in the following categories: financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, available-for-sale financial assets, held-to-maturity investments, loans and receivables and other financial liabilities carried at amortised cost. The classification depends on the purpose for which the financial instruments were acquired. Management determines the classification of financial instruments upon initial recognition and, where appropriate, re-evaluates this designation at every reporting date.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued)

A) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are financial assets which are classified as held for trading or on initial recognition designated by the Bank as at fair value through profit or loss. The Bank does not apply hedge accounting.

As stated above this category has two sub-categories: financial instruments held for trading, and those designated by management as at fair value through profit or loss at inception. Trading assets are those assets that the Bank acquires or incurs principally for the purpose of selling or repurchasing in the near term, or holds as part of a portfolio that is managed together for short-term profit or position taking.

The Bank designates financial assets at fair value through profit or loss when either:

- the assets are managed, evaluated and reported internally on a fair value basis;
- the designation eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch which would otherwise arise; or
- the asset contains an embedded derivative that significantly modifies the cash flows that would otherwise be required under the contract.

Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss include investments in investment fund units.

At the reporting date the Bank had no financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss.

B) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are those non-derivative financial assets that are designated as available for sale or are not classified in any of the other categories. Financial assets designated as available for sale are intended to be held for an indefinite period of time, but may be sold in response to needs for liquidity or changes in interest rates or foreign exchange rates. Available-for-sale financial assets include equity securities.

C) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturity that the Bank has the intention and ability to hold to maturity. These include Ministry of Finance treasury bills and corporate bills of exchange.

D) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They arise when the Bank provides money to a debtor with no intention of trading with the receivable and include loans and advances to banks, loans and advances to customers and the obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank.

E) Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities comprise all financial liabilities of the Bank which are not held for trading or designated at fair value through profit or loss. After initial measurement all such Bank's financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued)

Recognition and derecognition

Purchases and sales of financial instruments held to maturity, available for sale and financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recognised on the settlement date, which is the date when the financial instrument is delivered to or transferred from the Bank. Loans and receivables and other financial liabilities are recognised when funds are disbursed to customers and when funds are received from lenders.

The Bank derecognises financial instruments (in full or part) when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial instrument have been realised, surrendered, expired or when the Bank has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass–through' arrangement and has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset.

The Bank derecognises financial liabilities only when the financial liability ceases to exist, i.e. when it is discharged, cancelled or has expired. If the terms of a financial liability change, the Bank will cease recognising the liability and will immediately recognise a new financial liability, with new terms and conditions.

Initial and subsequent measurement

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised initially at their fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset or financial liability which is not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset or issuance of financial liability.

After initial recognition, the Bank measures financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and available-for-sale financial assets at their fair value, without any deduction for selling costs. Equity instruments classified as available for sale that do not have a quoted market price in an active market and whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are stated at cost less impairment.

Loans and receivables and held-to-maturity investments and other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Gains and losses

Gains and losses arising from a change in the fair value of the financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are recognised in the income statement.

Gains or losses arising from a change in the fair value of available-for-sale monetary assets are recognised directly in a fair value reserve within equity (other comprehensive income). Impairment losses, foreign exchange gains and losses, interest income and amortisation of premium or discount on available-for-sale monetary assets are recognised in the income statement. Foreign exchange differences on equity instruments are part of the fair value of these instruments and are recognised in a fair value reserve within equity (other comprehensive income).

Dividend income is recognised in the income statement. Upon sale or other derecognition of available-for-sale assets, any cumulative gains or losses on the instrument are transferred to the income statement.

Gains or losses arising from financial instruments carried at cost or amortised cost may also be recognised in the income statement when a financial instrument is derecognised or when its value is impaired.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued)

Fair value measurement principles

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current closing bid prices.

Impairment of financial assets

Impairment of financial assets identified as impaired

A) Financial assets carried at amortised cost

At each reporting date the Bank assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired and impairment losses are incurred if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the asset (a "loss event") and that loss event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated.

Objective evidence that a financial asset or group of assets is impaired includes observable data that comes to the attention of the Bank about the following loss events:

I) significant financial difficulty of the borrower or issuer;
II) a breach of contract, such as a default or delinquency in interest or principal payments by a borrower;
III) the Bank granting to the borrower, for economic or legal reasons relating to the borrower's financial difficulty, a concession that it would not otherwise consider;
IV) it becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation;
V) the disappearance of an active market for the financial asset because of financial difficulties; or
VI) Observable data indicating that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows from a group of financial assets since the initial recognition of those assets, although the decrease cannot yet be identified with the individual financial assets in the group.

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on loans and receivables or held-to-maturity investments carried at amortised cost has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognised in the income statement. If a loan and receivable or held-to-maturity investment has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate determined under the contract.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued)

Impairment of financial assets identified as impaired (continued)

A) Financial assets carried at amortised cost (continued)

Financial assets are tested for impairment on an individual basis. Those individually significant assets which are not impaired are included in the basis for collective impairment assessment.

For the purposes of a collective evaluation of impairment, financial assets are grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics (i.e., on the basis of the Bank's rating process that considers asset type, industry, geographical location, collateral type, past-due status and other relevant factors). Those characteristics are relevant to the estimation of future cash flows for groups of such assets by being indicative of the debtors' ability to pay all amounts due according to the contractual terms of the assets being evaluated.

If in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be objectively linked to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised (such as an improvement in the debtor's credit rating), the previously recognised impairment loss is reversed by adjusting the allowance account. The amount of the reversal is recognised in the income statement.

When a loan is uncollectible, it is written off against the related impairment allowance account. Such loans are written off after all the necessary procedures have been completed and the amount of the loss has been determined. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are recognised as a reversal of impairment losses in the income statement.

Renegotiated loans
Where possible, the bank seeks to restructure loans rather than to take possession of collateral. This may involve extending the payment arrangements and the agreement of new loan conditions. Once the terms have been renegotiated any impairment is measured using the original effective interest rate as calculated before the modification of terms and the loan is no longer considered past due. Management continually reviews renegotiated loans to ensure that all criteria are met and that future payments are likely to occur. The loans continue to be subject to an individual or collective impairment assessment, calculated using the loan's original effective interest rate.

B) Financial assets carried at fair value

The Bank assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of equity or debt investments classified as available for sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the investment below its cost is considered in determining whether the assets are impaired. If any such evidence exists for available for sale financial assets, the cumulative loss, measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit or loss, is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement. Impairment losses recognised in the income statement on equity securities are not subsequently reversed through the income statement, but all value increases until the final sales are recognised in equity.

If, in a subsequent period, the fair value of a debt instrument classified as available for sale increases and the increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised in profit or loss, the impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss. Changes in impairment provisions attributable to the time value of money are reflected as a component of interest income. The Bank had no financial assets carried at fair value classified as available for sale at the balance sheet date.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued

C) Financial assets carried at cost

These include equity securities classified as available for sale for which there is no reliable fair value. The Bank assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. If such indication exists, impairment loss is recognised in income statement.

Impairment of financial assets not identified as impaired

In addition to the above described impairment losses on financial assets identified as impaired, the Bank recognises impairment losses, in income, on all on- and off-balance-sheet credit risk exposures not identified as impaired using the rate of 1% in accordance with the specific accounting regulations of the Croatian National Bank.

Specific instruments

A) Debt securities

Debt securities are classified as held-to-maturity investments.

B) Loans and advances to banks

Loans and advances to banks are classified as loans and receivables.

C) Loans and advances to customers

Loans and advances to customers are classified as loans and receivables and are presented net of impairment allowances to reflect the estimated recoverable amounts.

D) Equity securities

Equity securities are classified as available for sale and are stated at cost, less impairment, in the absence of any reliable measure of fair value. There is no active market for these instruments.

E) Investments in investment funds

Investments in investment funds are classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and are carried at current fair value. The market approach uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable (i.e. similar) assets, liabilities or a group of assets and liabilities, such as a business.

F) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents as referred to in the cash flow statement comprises cash on hand, non–restricted current accounts with central banks and amounts due from banks available on demand or with an original maturity of three months or less.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Financial instruments (continued)

G) Interest-bearing borrowings

Interest-bearing borrowings are recognised initially at fair value, less attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing borrowings are stated at amortised cost with any difference between proceeds (net of transaction costs) and redemption value being recognised in the income statement over the period of the borrowings on an effective interest basis.

H) Current accounts and deposits from banks and customers

Current accounts and deposits are classified as other liabilities and initially measured at fair value less transaction costs, and subsequently measured at amortised cost (using the effective interest method).

Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amounts are reported in the statement of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Income and expenses are presented on a net basis only when permitted by the accounting standards, or for gains and losses arising from a group of similar transactions, such as the Bank's trading activity.

3.9 Property and equipment

Property and equipment are tangible items that are held for use in the supply of services or for administrative purposes. Property and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Bank and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Land and assets under development are not depreciated. Depreciation of all other tangible assets is recognised in income statement on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Buildings	40 years
IT equipment	4 years
Office furniture and other equipment	5-10 years

Depreciation methods and the assets' useful lives are reassessed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date. An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount and are included in the income statement.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.10 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired by the Bank are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses.

Expenditure on development activities are capitalised if all of the requirements of International Accounting Standard 38 "*Intangible Assets*" are satisfied. Intangible assets are amortised on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful economic lives as follows:

Software	4 years
Leasehold improvements	5 years or during the lease period

The assets' useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

3.11. Assets acquired in lieu of uncollected receivables

The Bank regularly assesses the marketability of assets acquired in lieu of uncollected receivables and only marketable assets, the value of which can be measured reliably, are recognised as assets in the statement of financial position. The Bank's intention is mainly to sell such assets, however, in certain limited cases they may end up being used or rented out by the Bank if there is no demand for sale.

3.12 Income tax

Income tax comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that it relates to other comprehensive income items, in which case it is recognised in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to the temporary differences when they reverse, based on laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

A deferred tax asset is recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which temporary difference can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted and are classified as non-current assets and/or non-current liabilities.

3.13 Impairment of property and equipment and intangible assets

Assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and depreciation and are tested at least annually for impairment. At the balance sheet date the Bank did not have such assets. Assets that are subject to amortisation and depreciation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Intangible assets still not brought into use are reviewed at each reporting date. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.13 Impairment of property and equipment and intangible assets (continued)

The recoverable amount of property and equipment and intangible assets is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units). In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or cash-generating unit.

Non-financial assets that suffered impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting date. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

3.14 Provisions for liabilities and charges

Provisions are recognised when the Bank has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made, or as required by the law in the case of provisions for unidentified impairment of off-balance-sheet credit risk exposures, as previously referred to in Note 3.8 *"Financial instruments"*.

Provisions for liabilities and charges are maintained at the level which the Bank's management considers sufficient for absorption of incurred losses. The management determines the sufficiency of provisions on the basis of insight into specific items, current economic circumstances, risk characteristics of certain transaction categories, as well as other relevant factors.

Provisions are released only for items for which provisions are recognised at inception. If the outflow of economic benefits to settle the obligations is no longer probable, the provision is reversed.

3.15 Issued share capital

Issued share capital represents the nominal value of paid-in ordinary shares classified as equity and is denominated in HRK.

Dividends are recognised as a liability in the period in which they are declared.

3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.16 Retained earnings

Any profit or loss for the year is included in retained earnings. Appropriations from retained earnings such as dividends and transfers to other reserves are recognised when approved by shareholders.

3.17 Off-balance-sheet commitments and contingent liabilities

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank enters into credit-related commitments which are recorded in off-balance-sheet accounts and primarily comprise guarantees, letters of credit and undrawn loan commitments. Such financial commitments are recorded in the Bank's balance sheet if and when they become payable.

3.18 Managed funds for and on behalf of third parties

The Bank manages funds for and on behalf of corporate and retail customers. These amounts do not represent the Bank's assets and are excluded from the balance sheet. For the services rendered the Bank charges a fee.

NOTE 4 – NET INTEREST INCOME

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
a) Interest and similar income – analysis by source		
Companies	51,323	49,861
Individuals	6,333	5,633
State and public sector	1,422	175
Banks and other financial institutions	8	168
Other organisations	397	424
	59,483	**56,261**
b) Interest and similar income – analysis by product		
Loans and advances to customers	55,764	52,549
Debt securities and bills of exchange	3,711	3,544
Loans and advances to banks and other financial institutions	8	168
	59,483	**56,261**

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
c) Interest expense and similar charges – analysis by source		
Companies	8,194	9,322
Individuals	7,036	6,995
Banks	2,920	3,995
Other organisations	34	325
	18,184	**20,637**
d) Interest expense and similar charges – analysis by product		
Deposits from companies and other organisations	8,194	9,322
Deposits from individuals	7,070	7,320
Borrowings and deposits from banks	2,920	3,995
	18,184	**20,637**

NOTE 5 – NET FEE AND COMMISSION INCOME

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
a) Fee and commission income		
Domestic payment transactions	4,073	3,426
International payment transactions	1,052	974
Guarantees and letter of credits given	836	877
Other	26	3
	5,987	**5,280**
b) Fee and commission expense		
Domestic payment transactions	1,133	1,260
International payment transactions	57	63
	1,190	**1,323**

NOTE 6 – NET INCOME FROM INVESTMENT SECURITIES

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Realised gain on disposal of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	270	383
	270	**383**

NOTE 7 – OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Recharged operating expenses to BKS AG	529	600
Net foreign exchange loss from translation of monetary assets and liabilities	(390)	(58)
Other income	772	401
	911	**943**

NOTE 8 – OTHER IMPAIRMENT LOSSES AND PROVISIONS

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Increase/(release)in provisions for off-balance-sheet exposures (Note 24)	239	(56)
Increase in provisions for severance payments and jubilee awards (Note 24)	2,199	485
Impairment loss on other assets (Note 20)	(55)	345
Impairment loss on available for sale financial assets (Note 16)	511	553
Increase in provisions for court cases (Note 24)	437	38
	3,331	**1,365**

NOTE 9 – OPERATING EXPENSES

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Personnel expenses	15,032	14,559
Depreciation and amortisation	4,119	4,119
Professional services and material costs	4,067	4,234
Software maintenance costs	3,587	4,583
Rent expenses	1,302	1,322
Other	777	803
Administration and marketing expenses	1,055	1,060
Savings deposit insurance expenses	997	901
	30,936	**31,581**

Personnel expenses include HRK 2,115 thousand (2014: HRK 2,301 thousand) of defined pension contributions payable into obligatory pension plans, Contributions are calculated as a percentage of employees' gross salaries.

During 2015, the Bank had 63 employees on average (2014: 63 employees).

NOTE 10 – INCOME TAX

a) Income tax recognised in the income statement

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Current tax	(732)	-
Deferred tax	433	181
Income tax benefit	**(299)**	**181**

b) Movement in deferred tax asset

	2014	Charged to income statement	2015
		(in thousands of HRK)	
Deferred tax assets			
Provisions for severance payments and jubilee awards and unused holiday accrual	462	390	852
Deferred fee and interest income	765	43	808
Total deferred tax assets	**1,227**	**433**	**1,660**

	2013	Charged to income statement	2014
		(in thousands of HRK)	
Deferred tax assets			
Provisions for severance payments and jubilee awards and unused holiday accrual	368	94	462
Deferred fee and interest income	678	87	765
Total deferred tax assets	**1,046**	**181**	**1,227**

NOTE 10 – INCOME TAX (continued)

c) Reconciliation of profit before tax and income tax expense

The reconciliation between tax expense and profit before tax is shown as follows:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Profit before income tax	7,976	1,009
Income tax at 20% (2014: 20%)	1,595	202
Non-deductible expenses	1,601	1,180
Tax exempt income	(865)	(755)
Utilisation of tax losses	(1,598)	(579)
Other	-	(48)
Income tax benefit	732	-
Effective income tax rate	9.18%	-

d) Tax losses carried forward

A tax loss may be carried forward for five years subsequent to the year in which it was incurred by the Bank. The availability of tax losses available for offset against taxable income in future periods, calculated at the tax rate of 20% enacted at the reporting date, subject to review by Ministry of Finance, is as follows:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
No more than 1 year	-	-
No more than 2 years	-	-
No more than 3 years	-	(71)
No more than 4 years	-	(1,527)
No more than 5 years		-
Total net tax losses carried forward not recognised as deferred tax asset	**-**	**(1,598)**

The Bank utilized during 2015 all available tax losses brought forward.

NOTE 11 – CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Current accounts with the Croatian National Bank	118,585	45,924
Cash in hand	88,622	90,418
Current accounts with other banks	5,269	4,142
	212,476	**140,484**

NOTE 12 – OBLIGATORY RESERVE WITH THE CROATIAN NATIONAL BANK

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Obligatory reserve		
- in kuna	86,063	77,518
- in foreign currency	12,909	11,488
	98,972	**89,006**

The CNB determines the requirement for banks to calculate an obligatory reserve, which is required to be deposited with the CNB and held in the form of other liquid receivables.

The obligatory reserve requirement as of 31 December 2015 amounted to 12% (in 2014: 12%) of kuna and foreign currency deposits, borrowings and issued debt securities.

As of 31 December 2015, the required rate of maintenance of the kuna obligatory reserve with the CNB amounted to 70% (2014: 70%), while the remaining 30% (2014: 30%) had to be held in the form of other liquid receivables. These ratios include the part of foreign currency obligatory reserve required to be held in HRK (see below).

Foreign share of obligatory reserve is not maintained at Croatian National Bank (2014: at least 60% of the obligatory reserve calculated on foreign currency liabilities had to be deposited with the CNB, while the remaining 40% was held in the form of other liquid receivables, after adjusting for the obligatory reserve requirement arising from foreign currency funds from non-residents and related parties (which is required to be held in full with the CNB). 75% of the obligatory reserve arising from foreign currency is required to be held in HRK and is added to the kuna part of the obligatory reserve.

NOTE 13 – LOANS AND ADVANCES TO BANKS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Domestic banks	16,034	66,655
Foreign banks	4,340	4,342
Impairment allowance	(3,806)	(3,806)
	16,568	**67,191**

The movements in impairment allowances for loans and advances to banks:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Balance at 1 January	**3,806**	**4,104**
Impairment losses	-	128
Reversal of impairment losses	-	-
Movement of impairment allowance recognised in income statement		***128***
Amounts written off		*(426)*
Balance at 31 December	**3,806**	**3,806**

NOTE 14 – LOANS AND ADVANCES TO CUSTOMERS

a) Analysis by recipient

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Companies and similar organisations	889,078	830,395
Individuals and unincorporated businesses	141,975	106,963
Total loans	**1,031,053**	**937,358**
Portfolio based allowance for unidentified losses	(14,566)	(12,160)
Impairment allowance for identified losses	(29,880)	(25,728)
Total impairment allowance	**(44,446)**	**(37,888)**
	986,607	**899,470**
Total impairment allowance as a percentage of gross loans and advances to customers	4.31%	4.04%

b) Movements in impairment allowance for loans and advances to customers:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Balance at 1 January	**37,888**	**29,446**
Impairment losses	7,078	10,342
Reversal of impairment losses	(419)	(1,846)
Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers recognised in the income statement	**8,496**	**8,496**
Amounts written off	(101)	(54)
Balance at 31 December	**44,446**	**37,888**

NOTE 15 – FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Investments in investment funds, quoted	42,775	42,506
	42,775	**42,506**

NOTE 16 – AVAILABLE–FOR–SALE FINANCIAL ASSETS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Unlisted equity securities	2,083	2,083
Impairment allowance	(2,071)	(1,560)
	12	**523**

Movement in impairment allowance for available-for-sale investment securities:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Balance at 1 January	1,560	1,007
Charge for the year (note 8)	511	553
Balance at 31 December	**2,071**	**1,560**

NOTE 17 – HELD–TO–MATURITY INVESTMENTS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Unlisted		
Corporate bills of exchange	78,967	35,319
Republic of Croatia Ministry of Finance treasury bills	75,447	-
	154,414	**35,319**

NOTE 18 – PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

(in thousands of HRK)	Buildings	IT equipment	Office furniture and other equipment	Other	Assets acquired but not brought into use	TOTAL
Cost						
At 1 January 2015	26,164	5,205	4,799	337	18	36,523
Additions	829	254	237	-	-	1,320
Transfers from asset under construction	8	-	-	-	(8)	-
Write off	-	(36)	(3)	-	-	(39)
At 31 December 2015	27,001	5,423	5,033	337	10	37,804
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses						
At 1 January 2015	6,905	4,750	4,015	89	-	15,759
Charge for the year	672	296	442	15	-	1,426
Other impairment losses	8	-	124	-	-	131
Write off	-	(36)	(3)	-	-	(39)
At 31 December 2015	7,585	5,010	4,578	104		17,277
Carrying value						
1 January 2015	19,259	455	784	248	18	20,764
31 December 2015	19,416	413	455	233	10	20,527
Cost						
At 1 January 2014	26,164	5,067	4,672	337	12	36,252
Additions	-	138	193		6	337
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	(66)	-	-	(66)
At 31 December 2014	26,164	5,205	4,799	337	18	36,523
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses						
At 1 January 2014	6,251	4,408	3,594	78	-	14,331
Charge for the year	654	342	487	11	-	1,494
Disposals	-	-	(66)	-	-	(66)
At 31 December 2014	6,905	4,750	4,015	89	-	15,759
Carrying value						
1 January 2014	19,913	659	1,078	259	12	21,921
31 December 2014	19,259	455	784	248	18	20,764

Depreciation charge for the year is included within operating expenses in the income statement (Note 9).

NOTE 19 – INTANGIBLE ASSETS

(in thousands of HRK)	Software	Leasehold improvements	Assets acquired but not yet brought into use	TOTAL
Cost				
At 1 January 2015	28,897	1,709	84	30,690
Additions	734	3	63	800
Write off	(639)	-	-	(639)
At 31 December 2015	**28,992**	**1,712**	**147**	**30,851**
Accumulated amortisation and impairment losses				
At 1 January 2015	22,907	1,643	-	24,550
Charge for the year	2,645	49	-	2,694
Write off	(639)	-	-	(639)
At 31 December 2015	**24,913**	**1,692**	**-**	**26,605**
Carrying value				
1 January 2015	**5,990**	**66**	**84**	**6,140**
31 December 2015	**4,079**	**20**	**147**	**4,246**

Cost				
At 1 January 2014	24,669	1,709	1,383	27,761
Additions	2,929	-	-	2,929
Transfers	1,299	-	(1,299)	-
At 31 December 2014	**28,897**	**1,709**	**84**	**30,690**
Accumulated amortisation and impairment losses				
At 1 January 2014	20,326	1,599	-	21,925
Charge for the year	2,581	44	-	2,625
At 31 December 2014	**22,907**	**1,643**	**-**	**24,550**
Carrying value				
1 January 2014	**4,343**	**110**	**1,383**	**5,836**
31 December 2014	**5,990**	**66**	**84**	**6,140**

Amortisation charge for the year is included within operating expenses in the income statement (Note 9).

NOTE 20 – OTHER ASSETS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Accrued interest – due	5,215	6,116
Accrued interest – not yet due	4,430	4,367
Property in lieu of uncollected receivables (real estates)	1,205	2,450
Accrued fees	514	447
Other	502	669
	11,866	**14,049**
Impairment allowance against accrued interest	(3,696)	(3,866)
Impairment allowance against accrued fees	(155)	(155)
	(3,851)	**(4,021)**
	8,015	**10,028**

The movements in impairment allowances for other assets are as follows:

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Balance at 1 January	**4,021**	**3,774**
Reversal of impairment losses	(232)	(302)
Impairment losses	177	647
Movement of impairment allowance recognised in income statement (note 8)	***(55)***	***345***
Amount written off	(115)	(98)
Balance at 31 December	**3,851**	**4,021**

Net movement of impairment allowance on other assets is recognised within "Other impairment losses and provisions" in the income statement (Note 8),

NOTE 21 – DEPOSITS FROM BANKS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Current accounts	64	141
Term deposits	-	-
	64	**141**

NOTE 22 – DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Companies and similar organisations		
- current accounts	109,216	54,584
- term deposits	344,798	304,671
Individuals and unincorporated businesses		
- current accounts and demand deposits	139,950	86,403
- term deposits	226,862	219,724
	820,827	**665,382**

NOTE 23 – BORROWINGS

In accordance with their terms, borrowings from the Croatian Bank for Reconstruction and Development ("HBOR") are used to fund loans to customers for eligible construction and development projects at preferential interest rates,

Borrowings from Croatian Bank for Reconstruction and Development

Currency	Principal '000	Maturity	Interest rate	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
HRK (EUR currency clause)	1,590	2019	2.00%	4,248	4,872
HRK (EUR currency clause)	680	2017	2.00%	754	1,362
HRK (EUR currency clause)	334	2018	3.00%	957	1,280
HRK (EUR currency clause)	276	2020	3.00%	1,000	1,215
HRK (EUR currency clause)	993	2020	2.00%	4,738	5,706
HRK (EUR currency clause)	275	2016	5.00%	394	1,055
HRK (EUR currency clause)	104	2016	3.00%	159	319
HRK (EUR currency clause)	239	2018	3.00%	947	1,406
HRK (EUR currency clause)	44	2019	2.00%	224	281
HRK (EUR currency clause)	980	2026	3.00%	6,858	7,508
HRK (EUR currency clause)	112	2020	4.00%	112	-
HRK	2,520	2026	1.00%	1,227	2,520
HRK	980	2027	1.00%	850	802
HRK	348	2020	1.00%	348	-
HRK	153	2020	4.00%	153	-
HRK	560	2020	1.00%	530	-
				23,500	**28,326**

Borrowings from foreign banks - BKS Bank AG Klagenfurt, Austria

Currency	Principal '000	Maturity	Interest rate		
EUR	30,000	2015	Euribor + 0.50%	-	229,844
EUR	29,500	2016	Euribor + 0.50%	225,234	72,784
EUR	12,000	2017	Euribor + 0.50%	91,620	15,323
EUR	13,000	2018	Euribor + 0.50%	99,256	38,307
EUR	5,000	2019	Euribor + 0.50%	38,175	38,307
EUR	1,500	2020	Euribor + 0.50%	11,453	-
				465,738	**394,565**
Total borrowings				**489,238**	**422,892**

The amount of undrawn borrowing facilities from BKS AG available on the balance sheet date 31 December 2015. is HRK 183,241 thousand. Maturity is not defined and the cancellation period is 5 days (if certain terms are fulfilled).

NOTE 24 – PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES

(in thousands of HRK)	Portfolio based provision for off-balance sheet exposures	Provision for identified off-balance sheet exposures	Total provisions for off-balance sheet exposures	Provisions for court cases	Provisions for severance payments and jubilee awards	Total
Balance at 1 January 2015	1,035	-	1,035	314	2,293	3,642
Net increase/(release) in income statement	239	-	239	437	2,199	2,875
Usage of provision	-	-	-	-	(252)	(252)
Balance at 31 December 2015	**1,274**	**-**	**1,274**	**751**	**4,240**	**6,265**
Balance at 1 January 2014	1,091	-	1,091	276	1,808	3,175
Net increase/(release) in income statement	(56)	-	(56)	38	485	467
Balance at 31 December 2014	**1,035**	**-**	**1,035**	**314**	**2,293**	**3,642**

Net increase/decrease in provisions for liabilities and charges is recognised within "Other impairment losses and provisions" in the income statement (Note 8).

NOTE 25 – OTHER LIABILITIES

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Interest payable – not yet due	15,925	15,757
Other liabilities	776	516
Accrued salary expenses	1,355	1,218
Payables to suppliers	654	522
Payments in advance by customers	633	394
Unused holiday accrual	251	209
Items in transfer	121	85
Fees payable	84	90
Interest payable – due	-	83
	19,799	**18,874**

NOTE 26 – ISSUED SHARE CAPITAL

	Total share capital *(in thousands of HRK)*
As at 1 January 2015	200,000
Increase in share capital	-
As at 31 December 2015	**200,000**

As at 31 December 2015 the registered, subscribed and fully paid capital comprises 2,000,000 ordinary shares (2014: 2,000,000) with a nominal value of HRK 100 each (2014: HRK 100),

The shareholder structure of the Bank is:

	At 31 December 2015		At 31 December 2014	
	Number of shares issued	%	Number of shares issued	%
BKS Bank AG, Klagenfurt	2,000,000	100,00	2,000,000	100,00
Total	2,000,000	100,00	2,000,000	100,00

Dividends

Dividends payable are recognised as a liability after having been ratified at the Annual General Meeting, During 2015 and 2014 there were no dividend payments.

NOTE 27 – OTHER RESERVES, FAIR VALUE RESERVE AND RETAINED EARNINGS

a) Statutory reserve

A statutory reserve has been created in accordance with Croatian law, which requires 5% of the profit for the year to be transferred to this reserve until it reaches 5% of issued share capital. The statutory reserve, in the amount of up to 5% of issued share capital, can be used for the coverage of current and prior year losses.

b) Retained earnings

Retained earnings comprise accumulated net profits and net losses of prior years.

NOTE 28 – CONCENTRATION OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The significant amount of assets and liabilities of the Bank are concentrated on amounts due from and to the Republic of Croatia and to related parties of Republic of Croatia, as follows:

	Note	31 December 2015	31 December 2015
		(in thousands of HRK)	
Current accounts with the Croatian National Bank	11	118,585	63,348
Obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank	12	98,972	84,393
Republic of Croatia Ministry of Finance treasury bills	17	75,447	-
Accrued interest and other assets		52	349
Decreased by:			
Borrowings from Croatian bank for reconstruction and development	23	(23,500)	(24,706)
Other liabilities		(648)	(570)
		268,908	**122,814**

As at 31 December 2015 total exposure towards the Republic of Croatia amounted to 17.39% of total assets (2014: 8.07%).

NOTE 29 – MANAGED FUNDS FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THIRD PARTIES

The Bank manages a number of loans on behalf of third parties in return for a fee, These assets are not the Bank's assets and are not recognised on the Bank's balance sheet,

Managed funds for and on behalf of third parties are as follows:

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Assets		
Loans and advances to customers		
- individuals and unincorporated businesses	-	33
Interest receivable	-	4
	-	**37**
Liabilities		
Deposits from local government	-	33
Interest payable	-	4
	-	**37**

NOTE 30 – CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND COMMITMENTS

Legal proceedings

As of 31 December 2015 there existed six legal proceedings outstanding against the Bank (2014: five legal proceedings). In management opinion which was supported by external legal advice, The Bank assesed expected outflow of economic benefits due to loss of these proceedings and recognized a provision for court cases in the amount of HRK 751 thousand (2014: HRK 314 thousand) in the financial statements.

Off-balance-sheet exposure

The following table indicates the contractual amounts of the Bank's off-balance-sheet financial instruments:

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Guarantees and letters of credit	46,086	38,387
Commitments for facilities not withdrawn	81,256	65,097
	127,342	**103,484**

NOTE 31 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

As at 31 December 2015 the sole shareholder of the Bank was Bank für Kaernten und Steiermark AG, Klagenfurt, Austria ("BKS Bank AG") who has multiple shareholders (there is no single majority shareholder with prevailing voting interest). The Bank considers that it has an immediate related party relationship with BKS Bank AG and its shareholders, subsidiaries and associates; the Supervisory and Management Board members and the Head of Corporate Department and the Zagreb Branch Director ("key management personnel"); close family members of key management personnel; and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by key management personnel and their close family members.

The Bank enters into a number of transactions with related parties in the normal course of business.

Parent bank

The Bank obtains borrowings and deposits and also places deposits and holds current accounts with the parent bank. As of 31 December 2015 the Bank had borrowings from the parent bank in the amount of HRK 465,738 thousand (2014: HRK 394,566 thousand) and deposits from the parent bank in the amount of HRK 64 thousand (2014: HRK 141 thousand). Total interest payable to the parent bank as at 31 December 2015 amounts to HRK 28 thousand (2014: HRK 236 thousand),.During 2015, the Bank recorded HRK 2,207 thousand (2014: HRK 2,843 thousand) of interest expense, fee expenses in the amount of HRK 2.5 thousand (2014: HRK 10 thousand) and net foreign exchange loss in the amount of HRK 1,520 thousand (2014: HRK 856 thousand) in respect of borrowings and deposits received from the parent bank.

In addition, as of 31 December 2015 the Bank held current accounts in the amount of HRK 36,736 thousand (2014: HRK 44,734 thousand). Total interest receivable from the parent bank as at 31 December 2015 amounts to HRK zero (2014: HRK zero).

In addition, the Bank recognised other income of HRK 505 thousand (2014: HRK 540 thousand), of which HRK 53 thousand (2014: HRK 53 thousand) was receivable as at 31 December 2015, and other expense of HRK 23 thousand (2014: HRK 16 thousand).

Related companies

BKS Leasing Croatia d.o.o. is a related company which has deposits with the Bank in the amount of HRK 168,909 thousand as of 31 December 2015 (2014: HRK 184,614 thousand) upon which the Bank incurred interest payable in the amount of HRK 8,138 thousand (2014: HRK 8,979 thousand). In 2015 the Bank recorded interest expense in the amount of HRK 3,092 thousand (2014: HRK 3,538 thousand) in relation to deposits placed by BKS Leasing Croatia d.o.o., and other expense of HRK 103 thousand (2014: HRK 116 thousand).

NOTE 31 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)

Key management personnel

In 2015, the total remuneration of the Management Board was HRK 1,699 thousand (2014: HRK 1,541 thousand) and of other key management personnel was HRK 1,858 thousand (2014: HRK 1,595 thousand) and consisted of short-term benefits only, Out of these benefits, in 2015, the Bank made pension contributions into obligatory pension funds for Management Board in the amount of HRK 239 thousand (2014: HRK 239 thousand) and to other key management in the amount of HRK 304 thousand (2014: HRK 291 thousand). During 2015 the Bank accrued bonuses for key management in the amount of HRK 176 thousand (2014: 137 thousand).

The Bank had granted loans to key management personnel in the amount of HRK 2,947 thousand at December 2015 (2014: HRK 2,620 thousand). As a result of granted loans to key management personnel in 2015, during 2015 the Bank recorded interest income in the amount of HRK 88 thousand (2014: HRK 70 thousand).

The Bank also has deposits from key management personnel in the amount of HRK 2,018 thousand (2014: HRK 2,528 thousand) as at 31 December 2015 on which it has recorded interest expense in the amount of HRK 47 thousand during 2015 (2014: HRK 87 thousand).

Companies under the significant influence of key management personnel and their close family members and Supervisory Board members

Mr Goran Rameša, President of the Management Board, is also the President of the Supervisory Board of the company Rapska plovidba d.d., Rab, which the Bank considers to be a related party. The Bank has granted loans to Rapska plovidba d,d,, Rab in the amount of HRK 8,618 thousand (2014: HRK 10,564 thousand) and has recorded interest income in the amount of HRK 561 thousand during 2015 (2014: HRK 687 thousand). The Bank also has deposits from Rapska plovidba d.d. in the amount of HRK 87 thousand (2014: HRK 42 thousand) and as a result has recorded interest expense in the amount of HRK 6 thousand (2014: HRK 1 thousand).

Other companies under the significant influence of key management personnel are Konto d.o.o. and Darin d.o.o. The Bank has deposits from Konto d.o.o. and Darin d.o.o. The Bank also provides payment transaction services to these companies.

No fees to Supervisory Board members were paid during 2015 and 2014.

NOTE 31 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)

Key transactions with immediate related parties and related amounts arising from transactions with immediate related parties were as follows:

2015	Assets HRK'000	Liabilities HRK'000	Income HRK'000	Expense HRK'000
Key shareholder	36,789	466,066	2,028	2,251
BKS Bank AG, Klagenfurt				
Other related companies				
BKS Leasing Croatia d,o,o,	70	177,047	1,034	3,197
BKS Immobilien – Service G.M.B.H.	-	2,863	-	5
Drei-Banken-EDV Gmbh	-	19	-	539
Key management personnel				
Management Board				
Short-term benefits (bonuses, salaries and fees)	-	-	-	1,699
Loans and deposits	-	1,980	-	45
Other key management personnel				
Short-term benefits (bonuses, salaries and fees)	-	38	-	1,040
Loans and deposits	2,947	38	88	2
Companies under the significant influence of key management personnel and their close family members and Supervisory Board members				
Rapska plovidba d,d,, Rab	8,618	87	560	6
Other	1,081	364	42	86
Total	49,505	648,502	3,752	9,688

2014	Assets HRK'000	Liabilities HRK'000	Income HRK'000	Expense HRK'000
Key shareholder	44,787	396,943	540	3,735
BKS Bank AG, Klagenfurt				
Other related companies				
BKS Leasing Croatia d,o,o,	9	193,593	89	4,331
Drei-Banken-EDV Gmbh	-	56	-	343
Key management personnel				
Management Board				
Short-term benefits (bonuses, salaries and fees)	-	-	-	1,541
Loans and deposits	-	2,312	59	82
Other key management personnel				
Short-term benefits (bonuses, salaries and fees)	-	-	-	1,595
Loans and deposits	2,620	216	78	5
Companies under the significant influence of key management personnel and their close family members and Supervisory Board members				
Rapska plovidba d,d,, Rab	10,564	42	696	1
Other	-	434	5	1
Total	57,980	591,596	1,467	11,634

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

This section provides details of the Bank's exposure to risks and describes the methods used by management to identify, measure and manage risks in order to safeguard capital. The most important types of financial risks to which the Bank is exposed are credit risk, liquidity risk, market risk and operational risk. Market risk includes currency risk, interest rate risk and price risk.

An integrated system of risk management is being established by introducing a set of policies and procedures, determining the limits of risk levels acceptable to the Bank and monitoring their implementation. Methodologies and models for managing operational risk are being developed.

a) Credit risk

The Bank is subject to credit risk through its lending and investing activities and in cases where it acts as an intermediary on behalf of customers or other third parties.

The risk that counterparties to financial instruments might default on their obligations is monitored on an ongoing basis. To manage the level of credit risk, the Bank deals with counterparties of good credit standing, and when appropriate, obtain collateral.

In addition to the carrying amounts of the assets in the statement of financial position, the Bank is exposed to off-balance-sheet credit risk through commitments to extend credit and guarantees issued (refer to Note 30).

Exposure to credit risk is managed in accordance with the Bank's policies, Credit exposures to portfolios and individual client/group exposures are reviewed on a regular basis taking into account set limits. Any proposed substantial increases in credit exposure are reviewed by an appropriate decision-making level.The Management Board is regularly informed of all significant changes in quantity and quality of the portfolio, including proposed impairment losses. Credit risk assessment is continuously monitored and reported, thus enabling the early identification of impairment in the credit portfolio. The Management Board believes that the Bank continually applies prudent methods in the process of credit risk assessment.

A significant part of credit risk exposures is secured with collateral in the form of cash, guarantees, mortgages and other forms of security.

Geographic concentrations of assets, liabilities and off balance sheet items

	31 December 2015			31 December 2014		
(in thousands of HRK)	**Assets**	**Liabilities**	**Off balance sheet items**	**Assets**	**Liabilities**	**Off balance sheet items**
Croatia	1,452,677	819,346	127,342	1,165,080	663,381	103,484
European Union	93,595	505,513	-	147,578	437,002	-
Other	-	12,009	-	-	10,548	-
	1,546,272	**1,336,868**	**127,342**	**1,312,658**	**1,110,931**	**103,484**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

a) Credit risk (continued)

Industry segmentation of loans and advances:

(in thousands of HRK)	31 December 2015	%	31 December 2014	%
Gross balances before impairment allowances				
Trade and commerce	253,059	24	247,058	26
Construction	275,555	27	226,577	24
Metallurgy	27,708	3	34,623	4
Transport, warehousing and public services	47,497	5	45,955	5
Energy	6,821	1	5,830	1
Shipbuilding	4,422	-	14,675	2
Services	208,406	20	199,683	21
Individuals and unincorporated businesses	141,975	14	107,957	11
Miscellaneous	65,610	6	55,000	6
	1,031,053	**100**	**937,358**	**100**

The following table shows maximum exposure to credit risk relating to balance sheet assets and off-balance sheets items-

(in thousands of HRK)	Note	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
ASSETS			
Current accounts with CNB and other banks	11	118,585	136,342
Obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank	12	98,972	89,006
Loans and advances to banks	13	16,568	67,191
Loans and advances to customers	14a	986,607	899,470
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	15	42,775	42,506
Held-to-maturity investments	17	154,414	35,319
Accrued interest and fees, net	20	6,308	6,910
Total credit risk exposed assets		**1,424,229**	**1,276,744**
OFF-BALANCE SHEET			
Guarantees and letters of credit	30	46,086	38,387
Commitments for facilities not withdrawn	30	81,256	65,097
		127,342	**103,484**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

a) Credit risk (continued)

The above table represents the maximum direct credit risk exposure of the Bank as at 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2014, without taking into account of any collateral held or other credit enhancements attached or exposure to investment funds investing in debt instruments. For on-balance-sheet assets, the exposures set out above are based on net carrying amounts as reported in the balance sheet.

Total collaterals available to reduce the credit risk as at 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2014:

(in HRK thousands)	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
Real estates	1,677,173	1,784,244
Deposits	97,618	98,785
Shares	-	-
Guarantees	62,664	58,534
Other	14,223	11,370
Total	**1,851,678**	**1,952,933**

Impairment losses

(in thousands of HRK)	31 December 2013		31 December 2012	
CNB rating	Loans	Impairment allowance for identified losses	Loans	Impairment allowance for identified losses
A	972,894	-	880,832	-
B	43,270	14,991	43,946	13,148
C	14,889	14,889	12,580	12,580
	1,031,053	**29,880**	**937,358**	**25,728**

The rate of impairment allowance on the non-performing loan portfolio (CNB Ratings B and C) is 51.38% (2014: 45.52%).

Total impairment allowance for loans and receivables is HRK 44,446 thousand (2014: HRK 37,888 thousand) of which HRK 29,880 thousand (2014: HRK 25,728 thousand), disclosed in the table above, represents specific impairment allowance and the remaining amount of HRK 14,566 thousand (2014: HRK 12,160 thousand) represents the general provision calculated on a portfolio basis for on-balance sheet exposures. The analysis by performance of loans and advances to customers net of specific impairment allowances is as follows:

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

a) Credit risk (continued)

Loans and advances to individuals and unincorporated business	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Gross		
Not due and not impaired	139,460	104,701
Not due and impaired	939	711
Due but not impaired	246	127
Due and impaired	1,330	1,421
	141,975	106,960
Impairment allowance for identified losses		
Net loans and advances to individuals and unincorporated business	(1,510)	(1,420)
	140,465	**105,540**

Loans and advances to companies	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Gross		
Not due and not impaired	806,850	753,702
Not due and impaired	15,898	14,226
Due but not impaired	26,339	22,302
Due and impaired	39,991	40,168
	889,078	830,397
Impairment allowance for identified losses	(28,370)	(24,308)
Net loans and advances to companies	**860,708**	**806,089**

The table below represents the aging structure of past due but not impaired loans:

	Less than 1 month	1 to 3 months	3-12 months	> 12 months	Total
31 December 2015					
Companies	18,134	8,197	8	-	26,339
Individuals	158	65	19	4	246
Total	**18,292**	**8,262**	**27**	4	**26,585**
31 December 2014					
Companies	3,516	17,928	858	-	22,302
Individuals	16	62	48	1	127
Total	**3,532**	**17,990**	**906**	1	**22,429**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

a) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk arises in the general funding of the Bank's activities and in the management of positions, It includes both the risk of being unable to fund assets at appropriate maturities and rates and the risk of being unable to liquidate an asset at a reasonable price and in an appropriate timeframe. The Bank is exposed to daily calls on its available cash resources from overnight deposits, current accounts, maturing deposits, loan draw downs and guarantees and other cash settled calls. The Bank does not maintain cash resources to meet all of these needs as experience shows that a minimum level of reinvestment of maturing funds can be predicted with a high level of certaint. The Management Board sets limits on the minimum proportion of maturing funds available to meet such calls and on the minimum level of interbank and other borrowing facilities that should be in place to cover withdrawals at unexpected levels of demand. The Bank manages liquidity reserves daily, ensuring also accomplishment of all customer needs.

The table below analyses assets and liabilities of the Bank into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the balance sheet date to the contractual maturity date, except for the obligatory reserve which is presented as maturing within one month. In addition, financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are presented as maturing within one month, and available-for-sale financial assets are presented as maturing in over 3 years.

(in thousands of HRK)	Up to 1 month	1-3 months	3-12 months	1 - 3 years	Over 3 years	Total
As at 31 December 2015						
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	212,476	-	-	-	-	212,476
Obligatory reserve with CNB	98,972	-	-	-	-	98,972
Loans and advances to banks	-	16,568	-	-	-	16,568
Loans and advances to customers	135,215	101,019	174,079	179,320	396,974	986,607
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	42,775	-	-	-	-	42,775
Available-for-sale financial assets	-	-	-	-	12	12
Held-to-maturity investments	11,782	28,219	114,413	-	-	154,414
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	20,527	20,527
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	4,246	4,246
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	1,660	-	1,660
Other assets	7,008	140	856	11	-	8,015
Total assets	**508,228**	**145,946**	**289,348**	**180,991**	**421,759**	**1,546,272**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Deposits from banks	65	-	-	-	-	65
Deposits from customers	298,213	83,606	263,879	46,329	128,800	820,827
Borrowings	402	50,215	179,685	198,758	60,120	489,180
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	1,274	-	751	4,240	6.265
Other liabilities and current tax	7,862	3,507	8,393	37	732	20.531
Total equity	-	-	7,677	-	201,727	209,404
Total liabilities and equity	**306,542**	**138,602**	**459,634**	**245,875**	**395,619**	**1,546,272**
Net liquidity gap	**201,686**	**7,344**	**(170,286)**	**(64,884)**	**26,140**	**-**

NOTE 32 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

b) Liquidity risk (continued)

(in thousands of HRK)	Up to 1 month	1-3 months	3-12 months	1 - 3 years	Over 3 years	Total
As at 31 December 2014						
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	140,484	-	-	-	-	140,484
Obligatory reserve with CNB	89,006	-	-	-	-	89,006
Loans and advances to banks	44,436	22,755	-	-	-	67,191
Loans and advances to customers	200,475	53,142	152,108	154,497	339,248	899,470
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	42,506	-	-	-	-	42,506
Available-for-sale financial assets	-	-	-	-	523	523
Held-to-maturity investments	1,204	3,289	30,826	-	-	35,319
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	20,764	20,764
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	6,140	6,140
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	1,227	-	1,227
Other assets	9,176	125	709	18	-	10,028
Total assets	**527,287**	**79,311**	**183,643**	**155,742**	**366,675**	**1,312,658**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Deposits from banks	141	-	-	-	-	141
Deposits from customers	161,431	75,399	281,417	62,576	84,559	665,382
Borrowings	478	589	233,431	97,591	90,803	422,822
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	1,035	-	314	2,293	3,642
Other liabilities	4,971	3,887	8,233	1,139	644	18.874
Total equity	-	-	-	-	201,727	201,727
Total liabilities and equity	**167,021**	**80,910**	**523,081**	**161,620**	**380,025**	**1,312,658**
Net liquidity gap	**360,266**	**(1,599)**	**(339,438)**	**(5,878)**	**(13,351)**	**-**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

b) Liquidity risk (continued)

Analysis of the financial liabilities

The table below presents the maturity structure of the undiscounted liabilities taking into account the earliest possible repayment date, The Bank's financial liabilities without contracted maturity are treated as on demand liabilities.

31 December 2015

(in HRK thousand)	**Less than 1 month**	**1 to 3 months**	**3-12 months**	**1 to 3 years**	**More than 3 years**	**Total**
Financial liabilities						
Deposits from credit institutions	65	-	-	-	-	65
Deposits from customers	298,248	83,913	269,251	51,916	153,360	859,688
Borrowings	556	50,699	181,883	201,836	61,743	496,717
Total financial liabilities	298,869	134,612	451,134	253,752	218,103	1,356,470

31 December 2014

(in HRK thousand)	**Less than 1 month**	**1 to 3 months**	**3-12 months**	**1 to 3 years**	**More than 3 years**	**Total**
Financial liabilities						
Deposits from credit institutions	77	-	-	-	-	77
Deposits from customers	158,801	82,365	268,395	47,618	101,705	658,884
Borrowings	761	28,043	231,312	143,024	6,528	409,668
Total financial liabilities	159,639	110,408	499,707	190,642	108,233	1,068,629

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

b) Liquidity risk (continued)

The contractual maturity structure of the Bank's contingent liabilities and commitments

	Less than 1 month	1 to 3 months	3-12 months	1 to 3 years	More than 3 years	Total
31 December 2015						
Guarantees	5,434	12,699	21,864	5,051	1,038	46,086
Letters of credit	-	-	-	-	-	-
Revolving loans	20,405	-	-	-	-	20,405
Other frame loans	60,851	-	-	-	-	60,851
Total 2015	**86,690**	**12,699**	**21,864**	**5,051**	**1,038**	**127,342**
31 December 2014						
Guarantees	8,582	7,635	10,638	9,763	1,769	38,387
Letters of credit	-	-	-	-	-	-
Revolving loans	12,247	-	-	-	-	12,247
Other frame loans	52,850	-	-	-	-	52,850
Total 2014	**73,679**	**7,635**	**10,638**	**9,763**	**1,769**	**103,484**

NOTE 32 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

c) Currency risk

The Bank is exposed to currency risk through transactions in foreign currencies. Foreign currency exposure arises from credit, deposit-taking, investment and trading activities. It is monitored regularly, in accordance with legislation and internally set limits, for each currency and for the total balance sheet denominated in or linked to foreign currency.

The Bank manages its currency risk by setting principles and limits for foreign currency exposures and monitoring against these limits. The Bank directs its business activities towards trying to minimise the gap between assets and liabilities denominated in or linked to foreign currency, and maintaining the daily business activities within daily potential loss limits.

In measuring foreign currency exposure, the Bank relies on regulations prescribed by the CNB, In calculating the capital requirement for currency risk the standard method has been used in accordance with the CNB regulation on capital adequacy.

Due to the insignificant difference between financial assets and financial liabilities denominated and linked to EUR the sensitivity of change in HRK/EUR is not significant at the end of 2015 and 2014.

Assets and liabilities are analysed by currency as follows:

(in thousands of HRK)	EUR	EUR linked	USD	Other currencies	HRK	Total
As at 31 December 2015						
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	81,738	-	7,037	2,282	121,419	212,476
Obligatory reserve with CNB	9,315	-	3,594	-	86,063	98,972
Loans and advances to banks	16,568	-	-	-	-	16,568
Loans and advances to customers	41,384	828,995	-	-	116,228	986,607
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	-	42,775	42,775
Available-for-sale financial assets	12	-	-	-	-	12
Held-to-maturity investments	75,447	-	-	-	78,967	154,414
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	20,527	20,527
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	4,246	4,246
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	-	1,660	1,660
Other assets	600	3,949	-	-	3,466	8,015
Total assets	**225,064**	**832,944**	**10,631**	**2,282**	**475,351**	**1,546,272**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Deposits from banks	-	-	-	-	65	65
Deposits from customers	279,832	275,607	10,940	2,019	252,429	820,827
Borrowings	465,738	20,546	-	-	2,896	489,180
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	-	-	-	6.265	6.265
Other liabilities	4,131	8,635	108	-	7.657	20.531
Total equity	-	-	-	-	209,404	209,404
Total liabilities and equity	**749,701**	**304,788**	**11,048**	**2,019**	**478,716**	**1,546,272**
Net foreign exchange position	**(524,637)**	**528,156**	**(417)**	**263**	**(3,365)**	**-**

NOTE 32 – FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

c) Currency risk (continued)

(in thousands of HRK)	EUR	EUR linked	USD	Other currencies	HRK	Total
As at 31 December 2014						
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	84,776	-	5,351	1,981	48,376	140,484
Obligatory reserve with CNB	8,236	-	3,252	-	77,518	89,006
Loans and advances to banks	67,191	-	-	-	-	67,191
Loans and advances to customers	45,605	735,169	-	-	118,696	899,470
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	-	42,506	42,506
Available-for-sale financial assets	12	-	-	-	511	523
Held-to-maturity investments	-	-	-	-	35,319	35,319
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	20,764	20,764
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	6,140	6,140
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	-	1,227	1,227
Other assets	598	3,821	-	-	5,609	10,028
Total assets	**206,418**	**738,990**	**8,603**	**1,981**	**356,666**	**1,312,658**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY						
Deposits from banks	-	-	-	-	141	141
Deposits from customers	220,853	261,023	8,538	1,721	173,247	665,382
Borrowings	394,566	25,004	-	-	3,252	422,822
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	-	-	-	3,642	3,642
Other liabilities	3,819	9,496	79	2	5,548	18,944
Total equity	-	-	-	-	201,727	201,727
Total liabilities and equity	**619,238**	**295,523**	**8,617**	**1,723**	**387,557**	**1,312,658**
Net foreign exchange position	**(412,820)**	**443,467**	**(14)**	**258**	**(30,891)**	**-**

c) Interest rate risk

In the course of its business operations, the Bank is exposed to interest rate risk to the extent to which its interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities mature or their interest rates change at various times and in various amounts. In the case of floating rate assets and liabilities the Bank is also exposed to basis risk, which is the difference in re-pricing characteristics of the various floating rate indices, and different types of interest. Risk management activities are aimed at optimising net interest income, given market interest rate levels consistent with the Bank's business strategies.

The majority of loans to and receivables from companies and individuals and deposits from companies and individuals are at variable interest rates.

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

d) Interest rate risk (continued)

Sensitivity is calculated for significant financial assets (loans and advances to customers) and financial liabilities (deposits and from customers and borrowings) which bear variable interest rates at year end. No sensitivity was calculated for held-to-maturity investments since they bear interest at a fixed rate and are carried at amortised cost.

Sensitivity is calculated to reflect possible changes of average interest's rate applicable on underlying financial assets and financial liabilities. Should the average interest rate on interest-earning assets and interest bearing liabilities increase/decrease by 1 percentage point with all other variables held constant, the Bank's after tax profit for the year would be HRK 1,419 thousand (2014: HRK 410 thousand) lower/higher.

The table below summarises the Bank's exposure to interest rate risks. The tables are management's estimate of the interest rate risk for the Bank as of 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2014 and are not necessarily indicative of the positions at other times but provide some indication of the sensitivities of the Bank's earnings to movements in interest rates. Earnings will also be affected by the currency of the assets and liabilities and equity. Included in the table are the Bank's assets and liabilities at carrying amounts, categorised by the earlier of contractual re-pricing or maturity dates:

(in thousands of HRK)	Up to 1 month	1-3 months	3-12 months	1 -3 years	Over 3 years	Non-interest bearing	Total	Fixed interest
As at 31 December 2015								
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	10,184	-	-	-	-	202,292	212,476	-
Obligatory reserve with CNB	-	-	-	-	-	98,972	98,972	-
Loans and advances to banks	-	16,568	-	-	-	-	16,568	16,568
Loans and advances to customers	898,165	76	1,470	31,269	55,627	-	986,607	89,227
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-	42,775	42,775	-
Available-for-sale financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	12	12	-
Held-to-maturity investments	11,782	28,219	114,413	-	-	-	154,414	154,414
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	20,527	20,527	-
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	4,246	4,246	-
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	-	-	1,660	1,660	-
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	8,015	8,015	-
Total assets	**920,131**	**44,863**	**115,883**	**31,269**	**55,627**	**378,499**	**1,546,272**	**260,209**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY								
Deposits from banks	65	-	-	-	-	-	65	-
Deposits from customers	563,154	41,872	122,330	38,885	54,148	438	820,827	275,486
Borrowings	489,180	-	-	-	-	-	489,180	-
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	-	-	-	-	6,265	6,265	-
Other liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	20,531	20,531	-
Total equity	-	-	-	-	-	209,404	209,404	-
Total liabilities and equity	**1,052,399**	**41,872**	**122,330**	**38,885**	**54,148**	**236,638**	**1,546,272**	**275,486**
Interest sensitivity gap	**(132,268)**	**2,991**	**(6,447)**	**(7,616)**	**1,479**	**141,861**	**-**	**(15,277)**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

d) Interest rate risk (continued)

(in thousands of HRK)	Up to 1 month	1-3 months	3-12 months	1 -3 years	Over 3 years	Non-interest bearing	Total	Fixed interest
As at 31 December 2014								
ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	45,026	-	-	-	-	95,458	140,484	-
Obligatory reserve with CNB	-	-	-	-	-	89,006	89,006	-
Loans and advances to banks	44,436	22,755	-	-	-	-	67,191	67,191
Loans and advances to customers	842,789	101	4,109	831	51,640	-	899,470	57,678
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-	42,506	42,506	-
Available-for-sale financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	523	523	-
Held-to-maturity investments	1,204	3,289	30,826	-	-	-	35,319	35,319
Property and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	20,764	20,764	-
Intangible assets	-	-	-	-	-	6,140	6,140	-
Deferred tax assets	-	-	-	-	-	1,227	1,227	-
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	10,028	10,028	-
Total assets	**933,455**	**26,145**	**34,935**	**831**	**51,640**	**265,652**	**1,312,658**	**160,188**
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY								
Deposits from banks	141	-	-	-	-	-	141	-
Deposits from customers	392,212	34,665	128,839	53,803	55,545	318	665,382	342,690
Borrowings	422,822	-	-	-	-	-	422,822	-
Provisions for liabilities and charges	-	-	-	-	-	3,642	3,642	-
Other liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	18.944	18,944	-
Total equity	-	-	-	-	-	201,727	201,727	-
Total liabilities and equity	**815,175**	**34,665**	**128,839**	**53,803**	**55,545**	**224,631**	**1,312,658**	**342,690**
Interest sensitivity gap	**118,280**	**(8,520)**	**(93,904)**	**(52,972)**	**(3,905)**	**41,021**	**-**	**(182,502)**

NOTE 32– FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

e) Price risk

Price risk is the possibility that prices will fluctuate, affecting the fair value of investments and other instruments that derive their value from a particular investment. The primary exposure to price risk arises from the Bank's holding of investments in units in investment funds.

Should the prices of investment funds at 31 December 2015 increase/decrease by 5% with all other variables held constant, the Bank's after tax profit for the year would be HRK 2,139 thousand (2014: 2,125 thousand) higher/lower.

f) Operational risk

Operational risk is the possibility of financial loss due to errors, breaches, terminations or damages caused by internal processes, employees of the Bank, systems as well as by events caused by external factors, Operational risk is defined as legal and compliance risk but not strategic and reputational risk.

The Bank is exposed to operational risk in all segments of its activities. The Bank seeks to manage its operational risk in accordance with defined principles, with the final purpose being to mitigate or avoid operational risk, Methodologies and models for managing operational risk are being developed.

g) Capital adequacy

The amount of capital allocated by individual activity is based primarily on regulatory requirements, The procedure of capital allocation for specific activities is performed independently from responsible personnel for certain activities.

The rate of capital adequacy is calculated as the ratio between guarantee capital and the sum of credit-risk-weighted assets, exposure to market risks (currency risk) and operational risk and the estimated exposure of the open foreign exchange position to currency risk.

Regulatory capital and capital adequacy ratio according to CNB requirements (as of the date of issuance of these financial statements information on risk-weighted assets and guarantee capital is unaudited), are as follows:	**31 December 2015**	**31 December 2014**
	(in thousands of HRK)	
REGULATORY CAPITAL		
Ordinary share capital and reserves	201,727	200,537
Supplementary capital	-	
Deductions	(5,905)	(7,367)
Total regulatory capital	**195,822**	**193,170**
Risk weighted assets (unaudited)	1,162,173	1,089,756
Credit-risk-weighted assets and other risk exposures		
CREDIT- RISK- WEIGHTED ASSETS AND OTHER RISK EXPOSURES	**1,162,173**	**1,089,756**
Capital adequacy ratio	**16.85%**	**17.73%**

NOTE 33 – ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS IN APPLYING ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Bank makes estimates and assumptions about uncertain events, including estimates and assumptions about the future, Such accounting assumptions and estimates are regularly evaluated, and are based on historical experience and other factors such as the expected flow of future events that can be rationally assumed in existing circumstances, but nevertheless necessarily represent sources of estimation uncertainty, The estimation of impairment losses in the Bank's credit risk portfolio represents the major source of estimation uncertainty, This and other key sources of estimation uncertainty, that have a significant risk of causing a possible material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are described below,

a) Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers

The Bank monitors the creditworthiness of its customers on an ongoing basis, In accordance with regulations, the need for impairment of the Bank's on- and off-balance-sheet credit risk exposure is assessed at least quarterly. Impairment losses are made mainly against the carrying value of loans and advances to corporate and retail customers (summarised in Note 14b), and as provisions arising from off-balance-sheet risk exposure to customers, mainly in the form of undrawn lending commitments, guarantees and letters of credit (summarised in Note 24). Impairment losses are also considered for credit risk exposures to banks, and for other assets not carried at fair value, where the primary risk of impairment is not credit risk.

A summary of impairment allowances on exposures to customers is presented below:

	Note	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
		(in thousands of HRK)	
Impairment allowance on loans and advances to customers	14b	44,446	37,888
Provisions for off-balance-sheet exposures	24	1,273	1,035
		45,719	**38,923**

NOTE 33 – ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS IN APPLYING ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Financial assets carried at amortised cost

The Bank first assesses whether objective evidence of impairment exists. However, assets assessed individually as unimpaired are then included in groups of assets with similar credit risk characteristics, These portfolios are then assessed collectively for impairment.

The Bank estimates impairment losses in cases where it judges that the observable data indicates the likelihood of a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows of the asset or portfolio of assets. Such evidence includes delinquency in payments or other indications of financial difficulty of borrowers and adverse changes in the economic conditions in which borrowers operate or in the value or enforceability of security, where these changes can be correlated with defaults.

The Bank takes into consideration the combined effect of several events when assessing impairment and uses its experienced judgment in cases where the observable data required to estimate impairment is limited, In estimating impairment losses on items individually or collectively assessed as impaired, the Bank also has regard to the ranges of specific impairment loss rates prescribed by the CNB.

The Bank has recognised an impairment allowance calculated on a portfolio basis in accordance with the range of impairment loss rates of 1% prescribed by the CNB to be calculated on all credit risk exposures except those carried at fair value through profit or loss, including off-balance-sheet amounts (including undrawn lending commitments) and sovereign risk. Amounts assessed as impaired are excluded from this calculation.

b) Impairment of available-for-sale equity investments

The Bank determines that available-for-sale equity investments are impaired when there has been a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value below its cost. This determination of what is significant or prolonged requires judgement. The impairment may be appropriate when there is evidence of deterioration in the financial health of the investee, industry and sector performance and operational and financing cash flows.

c) Held-to-maturity investments

The Bank follows the guidance of IAS 39 on classifying non derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturity as held to maturity. This classification requires significant judgement, In making this judgement, the Bank evaluates its intention and ability to hold such investments to maturity.

d) Taxation

The Bank provides for tax liabilities in accordance with the tax laws of the Republic of Croatia. Tax returns are subject to the approval of the tax authorities who are entitled to carry out subsequent inspections of taxpayers' records.

e) Regulatory requirements

CNB is entitled to carry out regulatory inspections of the Bank's operations and to request changes to the carrying values of assets and liabilities, in accordance with the underlying regulations.

NOTE 33 – ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS IN APPLYING ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

f) Litigation and claims

The Bank performs individual assessment of all court cases. The initial assessment is made by the Bank's Legal Department. The Bank is a defendant in six smaller lawsuits of immaterial value that have arisen in the course of the Bank's ordinary business. The Bank assessed expected outflow of economic benefits due to negative resolution of these court cases and recognized provision for court cases in the amount of HRK 751 thousand (2014: HRK 314 thousand).

NOTE 34 – FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Fair value represents the amount at which an asset could be exchanged or a liability settled on an arm's length basis,

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are measured at their current fair value,

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

- Level 1: quoted price (unadjusted) in an active market;
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the financial assets, either directly (for example prices) or indirectly (for example derived from prices);
- Level 3: inputs for assets are not based on observable market data (for example valuation techniques using significant unobservable inputs),

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
31 December 2015				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Investment funds	42,775	-	-	**42,775**
31 December 2014				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Investment funds	42,506	-	-	**45,506**

During 2015 and 2014 there have been no transfers of assets between Level 1 and Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy and there have been no any transfers to or from Level 3.

Financial assets available for sale are measured at cost less impairment, Loans and receivables and held-to-maturity assets are measured at amortised cost less impairment.

The following summarises the major methods and assumptions used in estimating the fair values of financial instruments which are not already recorded at fair value in the financial statements:

Assets for which fair value approximates carrying value

For financial assets and financial liabilities that have a short term maturity it is assumed that the carrying amounts approximate their fair value, This assumption is also applied to demand deposits.

Fixed rate financial instruments

The fair value of fixed rate financial assets and liabilities carried at amortised cost are estimated by comparing market interest rates when they were first recognised with current market rates for similar financial instruments.

NOTE 34 – FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

Loans and advances

The carrying value of loans with variable interest rate approximates their fair value, It is not practicable to calculate the fair value of the Bank's portfolio of fixed rate loans. However, as the Bank has a limited portfolio of loans and advances with both fixed rate and longer term maturity, management believes that the fair value of loans and advances is not significantly different from their carrying value at the balance sheet date, not taking into account general provisions as required by the CNB and expected future losses.

Bank and customer deposits

For demand deposits and deposits with no defined maturities, fair value is taken to be the amount payable on demand at the balance sheet date. The estimated fair value of fixed-maturity deposits is based on discounted cash flows using rates currently offered for deposits of similar remaining maturities. The value of long-term relationships with depositors is not taken into account in estimating fair values. The carrying value of the Bank's deposits which are given with variable rate, being market rate, approximates their fair value. It is not practicable to calculate the fair value of deposits with fixed interest rates, however, since these deposits are with short term maturity the Bank believes that their fair value is not significantly different to their carrying value.

Borrowings

Most of the Bank's long-term debt has no quoted market prices, It is not practicable for the Bank to estimate the fair value of this debt.

NOTE 35 – OPERATING LEASES

The Bank leases offices for business purposes under operating leases, The lease is cancellable, runs for an initial period of five years and does not include contingent rental expenses.

During 2015, the Bank recognised HRK 1,302 thousand as an expense in the income statement in respect of operating leases (2014: HRK 1,332 thousand) (Note 9).

NOTE 36 – POST- BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

During 2016 the Bank's owner BKS Bank AG from Klagenfurt is planning to merge BKS Bank d.d. Rijeka to parent bank and found a Branch in Croatia throughout which it will continue to perform its activities. It is planned that this process ends on 30 September 2016 and that the new branch starts to operate on 1 October 2016.

Total assets of the Group of BKS Bank AG as at 30 June 2015 amounted to EUR 6,931 million (31 December 2014: EUR 6,855 million), while the equity amounted to EUR 820 million (31 December 2014: EUR 796 million).

As at 30 June 2015 the BKS Bank AG Group had risk weighted assets in the amount of EUR 4,919 million (31 december 2014: EUR 4,847 million) and own funds for capital adequacy calculation purposes amounted to EUR 528 million (31 December 2014: EUR 581 million), whereby capital adequacy ratio of the Group amounted to 10.4% (31 December 2014: 11.2%).

The Branch will fully continue the Bank's business activity and the rights of the deposit-holders as well as deposits security remain on equally high level (in accordance with Austrian law all savings deposits up to EUR 100 thousand per deposit holder and per institution are secured) as they were prior to merger.

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Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision

a) Balance sheet

Assets	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
		(in thousands of HRK)
1. Cash and deposits with CNB		
1.1. Cash	5,269	4.142
1.2. Accounts and deposits with CNB	217,557	134.929
2. Deposits with banks	105,190	157.609
3. Treasury bills of Ministry of finance and Treasury bills of CNB	75,447	-
4. Securities and other financial instruments classified as held for trading	-	-
5. Securities and other financial instruments classified as available for sale	12	523
6. Securities and other financial instruments classified as held to maturity	78,968	35.319
7. Securities and other financial instruments not actively traded but measured at fair value through profit or loss	42,775	42,506
8. Derivative financial assets	-	-
9. Loans and advances to banks	-	13,947
10. Loans and advances to customers	986,607	742,523
11. Investments in subsidiaries. associates and joint ventures	-	-
12. Foreclosed assets	1,205	693
13. Property and equipment (net of depreciation)	20,527	23,208
14. Interest. fees and other assets	12,716	14,374
Total assets	**1,546,273**	**1,198,509**

Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision (continued)

a) Balance sheet (continued)

Liabilities and equity

	31 December 2015	31 December 2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
1. Borrowings from financial institutions		
1.1. Short term borrowings	152,701	107,261
1.2. Long term borrowings	336,479	315,559
2. Deposits		
2.1. Deposits on gyro and current accounts	244,436	138,181
2.2. Savings deposits	2,345	2,670
2.3. Term deposits	571,660	524,395
3. Other borrowings		-
3.1. Short term borrowings	-	-
3.2. Long term borrowings	-	-
4. Derivative and other trading financial liabilities not actively traded		-
5. Issued debt securities	-	-
5.1. Short term issued debt securities		-
5.2. Long term issued debt securities	-	-
6. Issued subordinated instruments	-	-
7. Issued hybrid instruments	-	-
8. Interest. fees and other liabilities	29,247	22,864
Total liabilities	**1,336,868**	**1,110,930**
Equity		
1. Share capital	200,000	200,000
2. Profit/(Loss) for the year	7,677	1,190
3. Retained earnings	-	-
4. Legal reserves	596	537
5. Statutory and other equity reserves	1,131	-
6. Unrealised gain/(loss) on fair value measurement of available-for-sale financial assets	1	1
Total equity	**209,405**	**201,728**
Total liabilities and equity	**1,546,273**	**1,312,658**

Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision (continued)

b) Income statement for the year ended 31 December

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
1. Interest income	59,483	56,252
2. (Interest expense)	(19,146)	(21,586)
3. Net interest income	**40,337**	**34,666**
4. Fee and commission income	5,990	5,299
5. (Fee and commission expense)	(1,190)	(1,323)
6. Net fee and commission income	**4,800**	**3,976**
7. Gain/(Loss) from investments in subsidiaries. associates and joint ventures	-	-
8. Gain/(Loss) from trading activities	1,725	1,672
9. Gain/(Loss) from embedded derivatives	-	-
10. Gain/(Loss) from assets not actively traded but measured as at fair value through profit or loss	270	383
11. Gain/(Loss) from financial assets classified as available for sale	(511)	(553)
12. Gain/(Loss) from financial assets classified as held to maturity	-	-
13. Gain/(Loss) arising from hedging transactions	-	-
14. Income from investments in subsidiaries. associates and joint ventures	-	-
15. Income from other equity investments	-	-
16. Gain/(Loss) from foreign exchange differences	(425)	(13)
17. Other income	1,299	992
18. Other expenses	-	-
19. General administrative expenses and depreciation	(32,576)	(31,205)
20. Net income from business activities before impairment losses and provisions	**14,919**	**9,918**
21. Impairment losses and provisions	(6,943)	(8,909)
22. Profit/(Loss) before tax	**7,976**	**1,009**
23. Income tax	(299)	181
24. Profit/(Loss) for the year	**7,677**	**1,190**

Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision (continued)

c) Cash flow statement for the year ended 31 December

	2015	2014
	(in thousands of HRK)	
Operating activities		
1.1. (Loss)/Profit before taxation	7,976	1,009
1.2. Impairment losses and provisions	9,990	9,989
1.3. Depreciation and amortisation	4,119	4,119
1.4. Net unrealised (gain)/loss from financial assets classified as fair value through profit or loss	-	-
1.5. (Gain)/loss from disposal of tangible assets	-	-
1.6. Other (gains)/losses	390	58
1. Cash flows from operating activities before changes in operating assets (1.1. to 1.6.)	**22,475**	**15,175**
2.1. Deposits with CNB	(9,966)	(4,613)
2.2. Treasury bills of Ministry of finance and treasury bills of CNB	-	-
2.3. Deposits with banks and loans and advances to financial institutions	50,623	12,792
2.4. Loans and advances to customers	(93,696)	(130,073)
2.5. Securities and other financial instruments classified as held for trading	-	-
2.6. Securities and other financial instruments classified as available for sale	-	-
2.7. Securities and other financial instruments not actively traded but measured at fair value through profit or loss	(270)	274
2.8. Other operating assets	2,194	(2,039)
2. Net (increase)/decrease of operating assets (2.1 to 2.8.)	**(51,115)**	**(123,659)**
Increase/(decrease) of operating liabilities		
3.1. A vista deposits	108,102	19,587
3.2. Savings and term deposits	47,265	28,188
3.3. Derivative financial liabilities and other trading liabilities	-	-
3.4. Other liabilities	924	(589)
3. Net increase/(decrease) of operating liabilities (3.1. to 3.4.)	**156,291**	**47,186**
4. Net cash flow from operating activities before tax (1+2+3)	127,651	(61,298)
5. Income tax paid	(19)	-
6. Net inflow/(outflow) of cash from operating activities (4-5)	**127,632**	**(61,298)**
Investment activities		
7.1. Proceeds from disposal/(consideration paid) of/for tangible and intangible assets	(2,120)	(3,332)
7.2. Proceeds from disposal/(consideration paid) of/for investments in subsidiaries. associates and joint ventures	-	-
7.3. Proceeds from disposal/(consideration paid) of/for financial assets and other financial instruments classified as held to maturity	(119,809)	13,950
7.4. Dividends received	-	-
7.5. Other inflow/(outflow) from investment activities		-
7. Net cash flow from investment activities (7.1. to 7.5)	**(121,929)**	**10,618**

Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision (continued)

c) Cash flow statement for the year ended 31 December (continued)

Financing activities		
8.1. Net increase/(decrease) of borrowings	66,289	20,051
8.2. Net increase/(decrease) of issued debt securities	-	-
8.3. Net increase/(decrease) of subordinated and hybrid instruments	-	-
8.4. Inflow from share capital issue	-	-
8.5. (Dividend paid)	-	-
8.6. Other inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	-	-
8. Net cash flow from financing activities (8.1. to 8.6.)	**66,289**	**20,051**
9. Net increase/(decrease) of cash and cash equivalents (6+7+8)	**71,992**	**(30,629)**
10. Effect of foreign exchange differences on cash and cash equivalents	-	-
11. Net increase/(decrease) of cash and cash equivalents (9+10)	**71,992**	**(30,629)**
12. Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	**140,484**	**171,113**
13. Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	**212,476**	**140,484**

Schedules prepared in accordance with CNB decision (continued)

d) Statement of changes in equity

	In thousands of HRK	Share capital	Treasury shares	Legal, statutory and other reserves	Retained earnings/ (losses)	Profit/ (Loss) for the year	Unrealised loss/gain on measurement of financial assets available for sale	Minority interest	Total
1.	**Balance at 1 January 2015**	200,000	-	537	-	1,190	-	-	209,248
2.	Change of accounting policies and correction of errors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.	**Restatement of balance at 1 January of current year (1+2)**	200,000	-	537	-	1,190	-	-	209,248
4.	Disposal of financial assets available for sale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5.	Change of fair value of available for sale portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6.	Tax on items directly recognised in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7.	Other gains and losses directly recognised in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8.	**Net gains/losses recognised directly in equity (4+5+6+7)**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9.	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	-	7,677	-	-	7,677
10.	**Total recognised income and expenses for the year (8+9)**	-	-	-	-	7,677	-	-	7,677
11.	Increase/decrease of share capital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12.	Increase/decrease of treasury shares	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13.	Other changes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14.	Transfers to reserves	-	-	1,190	-	(1,190)	-	-	-
15.	Payment of dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16.	**Profit distribution (14+15)**	-	-	1,190	-	(1,190)	-	-	-
17.	**Balance at 31 December 2015 (3+10+11+12+13+16)**	200,000	-	2,778	-	7,677	-	-	209,404

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d) Statement of changes in equity

	In thousands of HRK	Share capital	Treasury shares	Legal, statutory and other reserves	Retained earnings/ (losses)	Profit/ (Loss) for the year	Unrealised loss/gain on measurement of financial assets available for sale	Minority interest	Total
1.	**Balance at 1 January 2014**	200,000	-	537	-	-	-	-	200,537
2.	Change of accounting policies and correction of errors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.	**Restatement of balance at 1 January of current year (1+2)**	200,000	-	537	-	-	-	-	200,537
4.	Disposal of financial assets available for sale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5.	Change of fair value of available for sale portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6.	Tax on items directly recognised in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7.	Other gains and losses directly recognised in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8.	**Net gains/losses recognised directly in equity (4+5+6+7)**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9.	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	-	1,190	-	-	1,190
10.	**Total recognised income and expenses for the year (8+9)**	-	-	-	-	1,190	-	-	1,190
11.	Increase/decrease of share capital	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12.	Increase/decrease of treasury shares	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13.	Other changes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14.	Transfers to reserves	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15.	Payment of dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16.	**Profit distribution (14+15)**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17.	**Balance at 31 December 2014 (3+10+11+12+13+16)**	200,000	-	537	-	1,190	-	-	201,727

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Reconciliation between financial statements and schedules per decision of CNB – Balance sheet (assets) as at 31 December 2015

Financial statements	Total HRK '000	Current accounts CNB 1	Current accounts with other banks 2	Treasury Bills od Ministry of Finance 3	Foreclosed assets 4	Loans and advances to customers 5	PPE 6	Intangible assets 7	Other assets 8	Deferred tax assets 9	Total HRK '000	CNB prescribed schedules
												1. Cash and deposits with CNB
Cash reserves	212.476	(118.585)	(88.622)		-	-	-	-	-	-	5.269	1.1 Cash
Obligatory reserve with the Croatian National Bank	98.972	118.585			-	-	-	-	-	-	217.557	1.2. Accounts and deposits with CNB
Loans and advances to banks	18.568	-	88.622		-	-	-	-	-	-	105.190	2. Deposits with banks
		-	-	75.447	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.447	3. Treasury bills of Ministry of finance and Treasury bills of CNB
Loans and advances to customers	986.608	-	-		-	(986.608)	-	-	-	-		4. Securities and other financial instruments classified as held for trading
Available for sale financial assets	12	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	12	5. Securities and other financial instruments classified as available for sale
Held to maturity investments	154.414	-	-	(75.447)	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.968	6. Securities and other financial instruments classified as held to maturity
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	42.775	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	42.775	7. Securities and other financial instruments not actively traded but measured at fair value through profit or loss
		-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8. Derivative financial assets
		-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9. Loans and advances to banks
		-	-		-	986.608	-	-	-	-	986.607	10. Loans and advances to customers
		-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11. Investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures
		-	-		1.205	-	-	-	-	-	1.205	12. Foreclosed assets
		-	-		-	-	20.527	-	-	-	20.527	13. Property and equipment (net of depreciation)
		-	-		-	-	-	4.248	6.807	1.660	12.716	14. Interest, fees and other assets
Property and equipment	20.527	-	-		-	-	(20.527)	-	-	-	-	
Intangible assets	4.248	-	-		-	-	-	(4.248)	-	-	-	
Deferred tax assets	1.660	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	(1.660)	-	
Other assets	8.012	-	-		(1.205)	-	-	-	(6.807)	-	-	
Total assets	1.546.271	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	1.546.273	**Total assets**

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Reconciliation between financial statements and schedules per decision of CNB - Balance sheet (liabilities) as at 31 December 2015

Financial statements LIABILITIES	Total HRK '000	Deposits from banks 1	Deposits from customers 2	Interest, fees and other liabilities 3	Fee deferral 4	Other liabilities	Total HRK '000	CNB prescribed schedules
Borrowings	489.180	-	-	-	-	-	489.180	1. Borrowings from financial institutions
					-	-	152.701	1.1. Short term borrowings
					-	-	336.479	1.2. Long term borrowings
Deposits from banks	64	(64)	-	-	-	-	-	
Deposits from customers	820.827	-	(820.827)	-	-	-	-	
	-	64	820.827	-	(2.449)	-	818.441	2. Deposits
	-	-	-	-	-	-	244.436	2.1. Deposits on gyro and current accounts
	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.345	2.2. Savings deposits
	-	-	-	-	-	-	571.660	2.3. Term deposits
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3. Other borrowings
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.1. Short term borrowings
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2. Long term borrowings
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4. Derivative and other financial liabilities not actively traded
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5. Issued debt securities
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.1. Short term issued debt securities
		-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2. Long term issued debt securities
Provisios for liabilities and charges	6.265	-	-	(6.265)	-	-	-	6. Issued subordinated instruments
		-	-	-	-	-	-	7. Issued hybrid instruments
Income tax liability	732					(732)		
Other liabilities	19.800	-	-	6.265	2.449	732	29.247	8. Interest, fees and other liabilities
Total liabilities	1.336.867	-	-	-	-	-	1.336.868	**Total liabilities**

Supplementary information prescribed by a decision of the Croatian National Bank

Reconciliation between financial statements and schedules per decision of CNB - Balance sheet (equity) as at 31 December 2015

Financial statements	Total	Statutory reserve	Profit for the year	Retained earnings	Total	CNB prescribed schedules
EQUITY AND RESERVES	HRK '000	1	2	3	HRK '000	
Issues share capital	200.000	-	-	-	200.000	1. Share capital
		-	7.677	-	7.677	2. Profit/(loss) for the year
Statutory reserve	596	-596	-	-	-	3. Retained earnings (losses)
		-596	-	-	596	4. Legal reserves
Reserve for general banking risks	-	-	1.130	-	1.131	5. Statutory and other equity reserves
	-	-	1	-	1	6. Unrealised gain/(loss) on fair value measurment of available-for-sale financial assets
Retained earnings	8.808	-	(8.808)	-		
Total equity and reserves	**209.404**		-	-	209.405	**Total equity and reserves**

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Reconciliation between financial statements and schedules per decision of CNB – Income statement for the year ended 31 December 2015

Financial statements	Total	Gain on disposal of financial assets not actively traded	Movement in provision for off balance sheet exposure, severance payments and jubilee awards, interests and fees	Foreign currencies exchange differences	Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers	Savings deposits insurance	Transfer of administration costs	Other transfer of costs	Total	CNB prescribed schedules
	HRK '000	1	2	3	4	5	6		HRK '000	
Interest and similar income	59.483	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59.483	1 Interest income
Interest expense and similar charges	(18.184)	-	-		-	(947)	-	(15)	(19.146)	2 (Interest expense)
Net interest income	**41.299**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**40.337**	**3 Net interest income**
Fee and commission income	5.987	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.987	4 Fee and commission income
Fee and commission expense	(1.190)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1.190)	5 (Fee and commission expense)
Net fee and commission income	**4.798**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**4.798**	**6 Net fee and commission income**
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-		7 Gain/(Loss) from investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures
Net trading income from dealing in foreign currencies	1.725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.725	8 Gain/(Loss) from trading activities
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9 Gain/(Loss) from embedded derivatives
		270	-	-	-	-	-	-	270	10 Gain/(Loss) from assets not actively traded but measured at fair value through profit or loss
		-	(511)	-	-	-	-	-	(511)	11 Gain/(Loss) from financial assets classified as available for sale
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12 Gain/(Loss) from financial assets classified as held to maturity
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13 Gain/(Loss) arising from hedging transactions
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14 Income from investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15 Income from other equity investments
		-	-	(388)	-	-	-	(37)	(425)	16 Gain/(Loss) from foreign exchange differences
Net income from investment securities	270	(270)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other operating income	911	-	-	388	-	-	-	-	1.299	17 Other income
Operating income	**49.002**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
									-	18 Other expenses
	-	-	-	-	-	-	(30.426)	(2.150)	(32.576)	19 General administrative expenses and depreciation
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**14.917**	**20 Net income from business activities before impairment losses and provisions**
	-	-	(2.389)	-	(6.760)	-	-	2.206	(6.943)	21 Impairment losses and provisions
Impairment losses on loans and advances to customers	(6.760)	-	-	-	6.760	-	-	-	-	
Other impairment losses and provisions	(2.900)	-	2.900	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Operating expenses	(31.373)	-	-	-	-	947	30.426	-	-	
Profit before income tax	**7.970**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**7.974**	**22 Profit/(Loss) before tax**
Income tax benefit/(expense)	-299	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(299)	23 Income tax
Profit for the year	**7.671**	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	**7.675**	**24 Profit/(Loss) for the year**