



Composition of Capital and Leverage Disclosures

As at 31 December 2023

Executive Summary

All Bahraini conventional bank licensees are required to report the composition of capital in addition to the main features of the regulatory instruments. Furthermore, banks must provide a report of all regulatory capital elements with a reconciliation to the published financial statements.

The purpose of the disclosure is to enable market participants to compare the capital adequacy and leverage of banks across jurisdictions and to improve consistency and ease of use of disclosures relating to the composition of regulatory capital.

1- Reconciliation Requirements: Established to ensure that a full reconciliation of all regulatory capital elements back to the published consolidated financial statements is provided in a consistent manner.

2- Main Features of Regulatory Capital Instruments: Provides a description of the main features of regulatory capital instruments issued. Established to ensure that banks provide a description of the main features of the regulatory capital instruments issued.

3- Capital Components: Discloses the components of capital, taking into consideration the transitional arrangements. The disclosure provides the full terms and conditions of regulatory capital instruments and reports the calculation of any ratios involving components of regulatory capital, to enable the Prudential Information Returns (PIR) to be reconciled with the consolidated financial statements.

4- Leverage Ratio: In June 2018, the Central Bank of Bahrain issued regulations on the Financial Leverage ratio as part of the CA: Capital Adequacy Module Chapter 15, which has been implemented as of 30 June 2019. The Leverage Ratio considers all exposures both on and off balance sheet without risk weighting them to determine the adequacy of the Bank's core capital to cover its exposures.

The format and the level of disclosure in the attached report is dictated by the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB) and reflects a proforma issued by the Central Bank.

Step 1: Balance sheet under the regulatory scope of consolidation

This step is not applicable to the Group since the scope of regulatory consolidation and accounting consolidation is identical.

Step 2: Reconciliation of Published Financial Balance Sheet to Regulatory Reporting as at 31 December 2023

BD 000's	Balance sheet as in published financial statements	Consolidated PIR data	Reference
Assets			
Cash and balances at central banks	181,275	181,275	
Gross placements with banks and other financial institutions	1,038,871	1,038,871	
Less: Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	(4)	-	B
Net placements with banks and other financial institutions	1,038,867	-	
Treasury bills	186,058	186,058	
Investments at amortized cost	710,611	710,611	
Total investments at amortized cost	896,669	896,669	
Investments at FVOCI	423,486	423,486	
Financial assets at FVTPL	20,947	20,947	
Investments in associates	26,312	26,312	
Total investments and treasury bills	1,367,414	1,367,414	
of which:			
Significant investments in capital of financial institutions exceeds the 10% of CET1	-	27,887	
Amount in excess of 10% of CET1 to be deducted	-	-	
Loans and advances	2,567,513	2,567,513	
Less: Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	(32,452)	-	B
Net loans and advances	2,535,061	-	
Interest receivable	49,317	49,317	
Investment properties	18,503	18,503	
Other assets	111,718	111,718	
Less: Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	-	-	
Net other assets	111,718	-	
Property, plant and equipment	70,342	70,342	
Total assets	5,372,497	5,404,953	
Liabilities			
Deposits from banks and other financial institutions	670,924	670,924	
Customer accounts	3,504,837	3,504,837	
Repurchase agreements and other similar secured borrowing	460,718	460,718	
Derivative financial instruments	-	-	
Interest payable	64,084	64,084	
Other liabilities	94,049	94,049	
Add: Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	720	-	B
Total other liabilities	94,769	94,049	
Total liabilities	4,795,332	4,794,612	
Shareholders' equity			
Paid-in share capital	226,608	226,608	
Shares under employee share incentive scheme	(919)	(919)	
Total share capital	225,689	225,689	
of which amount eligible for CET1	-	225,689	C
of which amount eligible for AT1	-	-	
Retained earnings	151,778	151,778	D
Less: unamortised modification loss net of government grant and ECL add back	(13,717)	(13,717)	
Total retained earnings	138,061	138,061	
Statutory reserve	113,304	113,304	E
General reserve	32,400	32,400	F
Share premium	13,642	13,642	G
Donations and charity reserve	13,356	13,356	H
Expected credit losses (Stages 1 & 2)	-	33,176	B
of which: amount eligible for Tier 2 capital subject to a maximum of 1.25% of credit risk weighted assets	-	26,437	
of which: amount ineligible for Tier 2 capital	-	6,739	
Investments at FVOCI revaluation reserve	28,427	28,427	I
Total investments at FVOCI revaluation reserve	28,427	28,427	
Equity attributable to the shareholders of the Bank	564,879	598,055	
Non-controlling interest	12,286	12,286	
Total shareholders' equity	577,165	610,341	
Total liabilities & shareholders' equity	5,372,497	5,404,953	

Step 3: Composition of Capital Common Disclosure Template as at 31 December 2023

Composition of Capital and mapping to regulatory reports		Component of regulatory capital	Source based on reference numbers / letters of the balance sheet under the regulatory scope of consolidation from step 2
Common Equity Tier 1 capital: instruments and reserves			
1	Directly issued qualifying common share capital (and equivalent for non-joint stock companies) plus related stock surplus	225,689	C
2	Retained earnings	151,778	D
3	Accumulated other comprehensive income (and other reserves)	201,129	E , F , G , H, I
4	Not Applicable	-	
5	Common share capital issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group CET1)	13,455	
6	Common Equity Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	592,051	
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital: Regulatory Adjustments			
7	Prudential valuation adjustments	-	
8	Goodwill (net of related tax liability)	41,882	
9	Other intangibles other than mortgage-servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	10,051	
10	Deferred tax assets that rely on future profitability excluding those arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	-	
11	Cash-flow hedge reserve	-	
12	Shortfall of provisions to expected losses	-	
13	Securitisation gain on sale (as set out in paragraph 562 of Basel II framework)	-	
14	Not applicable	-	
15	Defined-benefit pension fund net assets	-	
16	Investments in own shares	-	
17	Reciprocal cross-holdings in common equity	-	
18	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued share capital (amount above 10% threshold)	-	
19	Significant investments in the common stock of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions (amount above 10% threshold)	-	
20	Mortgage servicing rights (amount above 10% threshold)	-	
21	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (amount above 10% threshold, net of related tax liability)	-	
22	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold	-	
23	of which: significant investments in the common stock of financials	-	
24	of which: mortgage servicing rights	-	
25	of which: deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences	-	
26	CBB specific regulatory adjustments	-	
27	Regulatory adjustments applied to Common Equity Tier 1 due to insufficient Additional Tier 1 and Tier 2 to cover deductions	-	
28	Total regulatory adjustments to Common equity Tier 1	51,933	
29	Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1)	540,118	
Additional Tier 1 capital: instruments			
30	Directly issued qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus	-	
31	of which: classified as equity under applicable accounting standards	-	
32	of which: classified as liabilities under applicable accounting standards	-	
33	<i>Directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out from Additional Tier 1</i>	-	
34	Additional Tier 1 instruments (and CET1 instruments not included in row 5) issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group AT1)	-	
35	of which: instruments issued by subsidiaries subject to phase out	-	
36	Additional Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	-	
Additional Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments			
37	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments	-	
38	Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments	-	

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39	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above 10% threshold)	-	
40	Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	-	
41	CBB specific regulatory adjustments	-	
42	Regulatory adjustments applied to Additional Tier 1 due to insufficient Tier 2 to cover deductions	-	
43	Total regulatory adjustments to Additional Tier 1 capital	-	
44	Additional Tier 1 capital (AT1)	-	
45	Tier 1 capital (T1 = CET1 + AT1)	540,118	
46	Directly issued qualifying Tier 2 instruments plus related stock surplus	-	
47	Directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out from Tier 2	-	
48	Tier 2 instruments (and CET1 and AT1 instruments not included in rows 5 or 34) issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group Tier 2)	-	
49	of which: instruments issued by subsidiaries subject to phase out	-	
50	Provisions	26,437	B
51	Tier 2 capital before regulatory adjustments	26,437	
Tier 2 capital: regulatory adjustments			
52	Investments in own Tier 2 instruments	-	
53	Reciprocal cross-holdings in Tier 2 instruments	-	
54	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above the 10% threshold)	-	
55	Significant investments in the capital banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	-	
56	National specific regulatory adjustments	-	
57	Total regulatory adjustments to Tier 2 capital	-	
58	Tier 2 capital (T2)	26,437	
59	Total capital (TC = T1 + T2)	566,555	
60	Total risk weighted assets	2,431,466	
Capital ratios			
61	Common Equity Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	22.21%	
62	Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	22.21%	
63	Total capital (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	23.30%	
64	Institution specific buffer requirement (minimum CET1 requirement plus capital conservation buffer plus countercyclical buffer requirements plus D-SIB buffer requirement expressed as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	10.50%	
65	of which: capital conservation buffer requirement	2.50%	
66	of which: bank specific countercyclical buffer requirement (N/A)	0.00%	
67	of which: D-SIB buffer requirement (N/A)	1.50%	
68	Common Equity Tier 1 available to meet buffers (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	22.21%	
National minimal including CCB (if different from Basel 3)			
69	CBB Common Equity Tier 1 minimum ratio	10.50%	
70	CBB Tier 1 minimum ratio	12.00%	
71	CBB total capital minimum ratio	14.00%	
Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)			
72	Non-significant investments in the capital of other financials	8,048	
73	Significant investments in the common stock of financials	27,887	
74	Mortgage servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	-	
75	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	-	

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Composition of Capital and mapping to regulatory reports		Component of regulatory capital	Source based on reference numbers / letters of the balance sheet under the regulatory scope of consolidation from step 2
Applicable caps on the inclusion of provisions in Tier 2			
76	Provisions eligible for inclusion in Tier 2 in respect of exposures subject to standardised approach (prior to application of cap)	26,437	
77	Cap on inclusion of provisions in Tier 2 under standardised approach (1.25% of Credit Risk weighted Assets)	26,437	
Capital instruments subject to phase-out arrangements (only applicable between 1 Jan 2020 and 1 Jan 2024)			
80	Current cap on CET1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-	
81	Amount excluded from CET1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-	
82	Current cap on AT1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-	
83	Amount excluded from AT1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-	
84	Current cap on T2 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-	
85	Amount excluded from T2 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-	

Disclosure Template for Main Feature of Regulatory Capital Instruments

1	Issuer	National Bank of Bahrain BSC
2	Unique identifier (Bahrain Bourse ticker)	NBB
3	Governing law of the instrument	All applicable laws & regulations of Kingdom of Bahrain
	<i>Regulatory treatment</i>	
4	Transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
5	Post-transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
6	Eligible at solo/group/group & solo	Group & solo
7	Instrument Type	Common Equity shares
8	Amount recognized in regulatory capital (currency in Millions, as of most recent reporting date)	BD 226.6 Million
9	Par Value of instrument	BD 0.100
10	Accounting classification	Shareholders' Equity
11	Original date of issuance	Various
12	Perpetual or dated	Perpetual
13	Original maturity date	No maturity
14	Issuer call subject to prior supervisory approval	No
15	Optional call date, contingent call dates and redemption amount	Not applicable
16	Subsequent call dates, if applicable	Not applicable
	Coupons / dividends	Dividends
17	Fixed or floating dividend/coupon	Dividend as decided by the Shareholders
18	Coupon rate and any related index	Not applicable
19	Existence of a dividend stopper	Not applicable
20	Fully discretionary, partially discretionary or mandatory	Fully discretionary
21	Existence of step up or other incentive to redeem	No
22	Noncumulative or cumulative	Non cumulative
23	Convertible or non-convertible	Not applicable
24	If convertible, conversion trigger (s)	Not applicable
25	If convertible, fully or partially	Not applicable
26	If convertible, conversion rate	Not applicable
27	If convertible, mandatory or optional conversion	Not applicable
28	If convertible, specify instrument type convertible into	Not applicable
29	If convertible, specify issuer of instrument it converts into	Not applicable
30	Write-down feature	
31	If write-down, write-down trigger(s)	Not applicable
32	If write-down, full or partial	Not applicable
33	If write-down, permanent or temporary	Not applicable
34	If temporary write-down, description of write-up mechanism	Not applicable
35	Position in subordination hierarchy in liquidation (specify instrument type immediately senior to instrument)	Not applicable
36	Non-compliant transitioned features	No
37	If yes, specify non-compliant features	Not applicable

Consolidated Leverage Ratio as of 31 December 2023

In June 2018, the Central Bank of Bahrain issued regulations on the financial leverage ratio as part of the CA: Capital Adequacy Module Chapter 15, which has been implemented as of 30 June 2019.

The leverage ratio calculations take into account all on balance sheet exposures, all off balance sheet exposures, and any derivative exposures after applying the applicable adjustments as per the CBB guidelines. The leverage ratio represents how well the bank's core capital covers the bank's total exposures.

CBB requires a minimum leverage ratio of at least 3%. For banks designated as domestic systemically important banks (DSIBs), the minimum CBB requirement increases to 3.75%.

No.	Item	Amount (BD 000's)
1	Total assets as per published financial statements	5,372,497
2	Amounts deducted in order to determine Basel III Tier 1 Capital	(51,933)
3	Add: Derivative financial instruments	392,758
4	Add: Off balance sheet items	337,937
Leverage ratio exposure		6,051,258
Tier 1 Capital		540,118
Leverage ratio		8.9%
Minimum leverage ratio as required by CBB for DSIBs		3.75%

The Group is currently reporting a 8.9% leverage ratio which is significantly higher than the minimum leverage ratio required by the CBB.