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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors (the Directors) hereby submits their report and the audited financial statements of KB PRASAC Bank Plc. for the year ended 31 December 2023.

KB PRASAC BANK PLC.

KB PRASAC Bank Plc. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Kookmin Bank Co., Ltd., domiciled in Republic of Korea.

PRASAC Microfinance Institution Plc. received letter No. B7.023.1125 Chhor.Tor, dated 16 June 2023 from National Bank of Cambodia, which approved its merger with Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc. and received a commercial bank license No. C.B. 66, dated 8 June 2023 and is renamed as KB PRASAC Bank Plc. (the Bank). The Bank received letter No. 1207 Por.Nor Chor Bor Po, dated 4 August 2023 for its registration with the Ministry of Commerce.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the Bank is to provide sustainable access to financial services to communities, and micro, small and medium enterprises of Cambodia through its head office in Phnom Penh and various branches in Phnom Penh and provinces in the Kingdom of Cambodia.

RESULTS OF OPERATION

The results of financial performance for the year ended 31 December 2023 are set out in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income on page 8.

SHARE CAPITAL

The Bank issued 20,272,269 new ordinary shares at a par value of US\$1 per share in exchange for assets and liabilities transferred from Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc for the merger.

During the year, the Bank converted its retained earning amounting to US\$179,727,731 into share capital.

BAD AND DOUBTFUL LOANS AND ADVANCES

Before the financial statements of the Bank were drawn up, the Directors took reasonable steps to ascertain that action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad loans and advances or making of allowance for impairment losses, and satisfied themselves that all known bad loans and advances had been written off and that adequate loss allowance has been made for bad and doubtful loans and advances.

At the date of this report and based on the best of knowledge, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances which would render the amount written off for bad loans and advances or the amount of the allowance for impairment losses in the financial statements of the Bank inadequate to any material extent.

ASSETS

Before the financial statements of the Bank were prepared, the Directors took reasonable steps to ensure that any assets which were unlikely to be realised in the ordinary course of business, at their value as shown in the accounting records of the Bank, have been written down to an amount which they might be expected to realise.

At the date of this report and based on the best of knowledge, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances which would render the values attributed to the assets in the financial statements of the Bank misleading in any material respect.

CONTINGENT AND OTHER LIABILITIES

At the date of this report, there is:

- (a) no charge on the assets of the Bank which has arisen since the end of the financial year which secures the liabilities of any other person, or
- (b) no contingent liability in respect of the Bank that has arisen since the end of the financial year other than in the ordinary course of banking business.

No contingent or other liability of the Bank has become enforceable, or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which, in the opinion of the Directors, will or may substantially affect the ability of the Bank to meet its obligations as and when they fall due.

CHANGE OF CIRCUMSTANCES

At the date of this report, the Directors are not aware of any circumstances, not otherwise dealt with in this report or the financial statements of the Bank, which would render any amount stated in the financial statements misleading.

ITEMS OF UNUSUAL NATURE

The financial performance of the Bank for the financial year was not, in the opinion of the Directors, substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature. There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Directors, to affect substantially the financial performance of the Bank for the current financial year in which this report is made.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The members of the Board of Directors holding office during the year and as at the date of this report are:

1.	Mr. JUN Kwi Sang	Chairman
2.	Mr. CHUNG Hui Tae	Director
3.	Mr. OUM Sam Oeun	Director
4.	Mr. CHOI Dong Hyun	Director
5.	Mr. LEE Kyung Cheon	Independent Director
6.	Mr. PAK Jaehong	Independent Director
7.	Mr. CHAN Sophal	Independent Director

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY IN RESPECT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Directors are responsible for ascertaining that the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Bank as at 31 December 2023 and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the Cambodian International Financial Reporting Standards (CIFRS).

In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- i) adopt appropriate accounting policies which are supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates and then apply them consistently;
- ii) comply with the disclosure requirements of CIFRS or, if there have been any departures in the interest of fair presentation, these have been appropriately disclosed, explained and quantified in the financial statements:
- iii) maintain adequate accounting records and an effective system of internal controls;
- iv) prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to assume that the Bank will continue operations in the foreseeable future; and
- v) effectively control and direct the Bank in all material decisions affecting its operations and performance and ascertain that such have been properly reflected in the financial statements.

The Directors confirm that the Bank have complied with the above requirements in preparing the financial statements.

APPROVAL OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying financial statements, together with the notes thereto, which present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Bank as at 31 December 2023 and the financial performance and cash flows of the Bank for the year then ended in accordance with the Cambodian International Financial Reporting Standards, were approved by the Board of Directors.

Signed in accordance with an approval of the Board of Directors.

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Mr. JUN Kwi Sang Chairman

Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia

29 MAR 2024



Independent auditor's report

To the Shareholder of the KB PRASAC Bank Plc.

Our opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements (financial statements) present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of KB PRASAC Bank Plc. (the Bank) as at 31 December 2023, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Cambodian International Financial Reporting Standards (CIFRS).

What we have audited

The Bank's financial statements comprise:

- the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023;
- the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the year then ended;
- the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended;
- the statement of cash flows for the year ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, which include material accounting policy information and other explanatory information.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Cambodian International Standards on Auditing (CISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

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

Independence

We are independent of the Bank in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA Code) and the ethical requirements of the Kampuchea Institute of Certified Public Accountants and Auditors' Code of Ethics for Certified Public Accountants and Auditors (KICPAA Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Cambodia. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code and the ethical requirements of the KICPAA Code.



Other information

The management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises director's report and the supplementary financial information required by the National Bank of Cambodia, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with CIFRS, 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Bank or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Bank's financial reporting process.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with CISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with CISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to
fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit
evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not
detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error,
as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override
of internal control.



- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Bank's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Bank to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the
 disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events
 in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

For PricewaterhouseCoopers (Cambodia) Ltd.

By Kuy Lim Partner

Phnom Penh, Kingdom of Cambodia 29 March 2024

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2023

		31 December 2023		31 December 2022	
	Notes	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
ASSETS		444 500 000	100 110 557	107 100 007	504.000.000
Cash on hand	4	114,593,282	468,113,557	127,423,827	524,603,896
Deposits and placements with the	_	E4E 004 00E	0.000.040.474	200 004 544	4 0 40 0 40 455
National Bank of Cambodia Deposits and placements with other	5	545,984,865	2,230,348,174	326,284,541	1,343,313,455
banks	6	17,826,886	72,822,829	5,946,137	24,480,246
Loans and advances to customers	7	4,906,047,296	20,041,203,204	4,296,121,785	17,687,133,389
Financial assets at FVOCI	,	53,755	219,589	28,167	115,964
Property and equipment	8	13,823,702	56,469,823	4.786.735	19,706,988
Right-of-use assets	9	19,562,109	79,911,215	18,483,310	76,095,787
Intangible assets	10	16,480,293	67,321,997	1,079,327	4,443,589
Deferred tax assets	11	21,708,495	88,679,202	14,516,880	59,765,995
Other assets	12	8,216,032	33,562,491	4,346,141	17,893,062
			55,552,151	.,,	,
TOTAL ASSETS		5,664,296,715	23,138,652,081	4,799,016,850	19,757,552,371
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
LIABILITIES					
Deposits from banks and other					
financial institutions	13	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
Deposits from customers	14 15	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768
Borrowings Debts securities issued	16	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053
Lease liabilities	9	40,000,504	- 04 202 704	31,168,428	128,320,418
Income tax payable	17	19,922,591 22,538,754	81,383,784 92,070,810	18,973,227	78,112,776
Provision for employee benefits	18	411,731	1,681,921	41,048,919 1,031,425	168,998,400 4,246,377
Other liabilities	19	10,871,604	44,410,502	12,998,586	53,515,176
Subordinated debts	20	50,804,364	207,535,827	89,677,427	369,201,967
Caporaliated apple		30,004,304	201,000,021	00,011,421	303,201,307
TOTAL LIABILITIES		4,609,544,633	18,829,989,826	3,943,402,417	16,234,987,750
EQUITY					
Share capital	21	600,000,000	2,400,000,000	400,000,000	1,600,000,000
Reserve	35	91,944,796	367,779,184	-	-
Retained earnings		358,260,660	1,492,163,210	423,741,506	1,742,202,594
Regulatory reserve	22	4,546,626	18,068,117	31,872,927	129,696,057
Translation adjustments			30,651,744	<u>-</u>	50,665,970
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		1,054,752,082	4,308,662,255	855,614,433	3,522,564,621
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		5,664,296,715	23,138,652,081	4,799,016,850	19,757,552,371

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

		For the year ended 31 December 2023		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	Notes	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Interest income Interest expense Net interest income	23 23	667,712,623 (319,087,361) 348,625,262	2,744,298,881 (1,311,449,054) 1,432,849,827	606,766,278 (245,638,068) 361,128,210	2,479,853,778 (1,003,922,784) 1,475,930,994	
Fee and commission income Fee and commission expense Net fee and commission	24 24	1,824,999 (2,674,733)	7,500,746 (10,993,153)	682,171 (1,516,730)	2,788,033 (6,198,876)	
income		(849,734)	(3,492,407)	(834,559)	(3,410,843)	
Other income Grant income	25	330,693	1,359,147	1,034,510	4,228,043	
Gains/(losses)		2,451,712	10,076,537	933,070 (3,133,423)	3,813,457 (12,806,300)	
Total other operating income		350,557,933	1,440,793,104	359,127,808	1,467,755,351	
Credit impairment losses Net other operating income	26	<u>(123,102,868)</u> 227,455,065	<u>(505,952,787)</u> 934,840,317	(14,899,246) 344,228,562	(60,893,219) 1,406,862,132	
Personnel expenses Depreciation and amortisation	27	(86,743,642)	(356,516,369)	(92,965,159)	(379,948,605)	
charges	28	(7,696,640)	(31,633,190)	(6,781,962)	(27,717,879)	
Other operating expenses	29	(23,673,806)	(97,299,343)	(18,387,563)	(75,149,970)	
Profit before income tax		109,340,977	449,391,415	226,093,878	924,045,678	
Income tax expense	30(a)	(22,420,393)	(92,147,815)	(44,818,533)	(183,173,344)	
Profit for the year		86,920,584	357,243,600	181,275,345	740,872,334	
Other comprehensive income: Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss						
Currency translation differences			(20,014,226)		34,434,842	
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax			(20,014,226)		34,434,842	
Total comprehensive income for the year		86,920,584	337,229,374	181,275,345	775,307,176	
Profit attributable to: Owners of the Bank		86,920,584	337,243,600	181,275,345	740,872,334	
Total comprehensive income attributable to: Owners of the Bank		86,920,584	337,229,374	181,275,345	775,307,176	
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

					A	ttributable to owi	ners of the Bar	ık				
	Share	capital	Rese	rves	Retained	earnings	Regulator	Regulatory reserves Translation adjustments			Total	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Balance at 1 January 2022	300,000,000	1,200,000,000	-	-	349,600,939	1,430,490,098	24,738,149	100,536,219	-	16,231,128	674,339,088	2,747,257,445
Profit for the year Transfer to regulatory reserve Other comprehensive income – currency translation	-	-	-	-	181,275,345 (7,134,778)	740,872,334 (29,159,838)	7,134,778	29,159,838	-	-	181,275,345 -	740,872,334
differences										34,434,842	<u>-</u> .	34,434,842
Total comprehensive income for the year	300,000,000	1,200,000,000			523,741,506	2,142,202,594	31,872,927	129,696,057		50,665,970	855,614,433	3,522,564,621
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners: Capitalization of retained												
earnings	100,000,000	400,000,000	<u>-</u>		(100,000,000)	(400,000,000)		_		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total transactions with owners	100,000,000	400,000,000			(100,000,000)	(400,000,000)						<u>-</u>
Balance at 31 December 2022	400,000,000	1,600,000,000			423,741,506	1,742,202,594	31,872,927	129,696,057		50,665,970	855,614,433	3,522,564,621
Balance at 1 January 2023	400.000.000	1.600.000.000	-	_	423,741,506	1,742,202,594	31,872,927	129,696,057	-	50,665,970	855,614,433	3,522,564,621
Profit for the year Transfer from regulatory reserve Other comprehensive income –	- -	- -	-	-	86,920,584 27,326,301	357,243,600 111,627,940	(27,326,301)	(111,627,940)	-	- -	86,920,584	357,243,600
currency translation differences		<u>-</u>								(20,014,226)	<u> </u>	(20,014,226)
Total comprehensive income for the year	400,000,000	1,600,000,000	<u>-</u>		537,988,391	2,211,074,134	4,546,626	18,068,117		30,651,744	942,535,017	3,859,793,995
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:												
Merger with Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc. (Note 35) Capitalization of retained	20,272,269	81,089,076	91,944,796	367,779,184	-	-	-	-	-	-	112,217,065	448,868,260
earnings	179,727,731	718,910,924	-	-	(179,727,731)	(718,910,924)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners	200,000,000	800,000,000	91,944,796	367,779,184	(179,727,731)	(718,910,924)	-			-	112,217,065	448,868,260
Balance at 31 December 2023	600,000,000	2,400,000,000	91,944,796	367,779,184	358,260,660	1,492,163,210	4,546,626	18,068,117	<u>-</u>	30,651,744	1,054,752,082	4,308,662,255

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

		For the year		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	Notes	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Cash flows from operating activities						
Cash used in operating activities	32(a)	(304,664,103)	(1,252,169,464)	(600,800,232)	(2,455,470,548)	
Interest received	02(u)	659,728,719	2,711,485,035	602,365,418	2,461,867,462	
Interest paid		(285,991,632)	(1,175,425,608)	(235,049,874)	(960,648,835)	
Income tax paid	17	(47,241,948)	(194,164,406)	(40,712,538)	(166,392,143)	
Employee benefits paid	-	(4,825,789)	(19,833,993)	(4,115,527)	(16,820,159)	
Net cash used in operating activities	-	17,005,247	69,891,564	(278,312,753)	(1,137,464,223)	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES						
Purchases of property and equipment	8	(10,594,631)	(43,543,933)	(2,042,693)	(8,348,486)	
Purchases of intangible assets	10	(15,557,472)	(63,941,210)	(16,800)	(68,662)	
Proceeds from disposals of property and equipment		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	-	110,688	452,382	
Placement with NBC		-	-	(919,122)	(3,756,452)	
Placements with other banks		-	-	-	-	
Proceeds from investment in NCD		(5,521,662)	(22,694,031)	521,990	2,133,373	
Collections from investment in NCD		545,316	2,241,249	-	=	
Capital guarantee deposits	-	(27,500,000)	(113,025,000)	(10,000,000)	(40,870,000)	
Net cash used in investing activities	-	(58,628,449)	(240,962,925)	(12,345,937)	(50,457,845)	
Cash flows from financing activities						
Proceeds from borrowings	15	781,383,461	3,211,486,025	764,262,412	3,123,540,478	
Repayments of borrowings		(716,956,103)	(2,946,689,583)	(620,842,352)	(2,537,382,693)	
Repayments of subordinated debts	20	(38,500,000)	(158,235,000)	(15,321,929)	(62,620,724)	
Repayments of bond payable	16	(30,911,300)	(127,045,443)	-	-	
Principal element of lease payments	-	(6,126,540)	(25,180,079)	(3,973,113)	(16,238,113)	
Net cash (used in)/generated from financing	l					
activities	-	(11,110,482)	(45,664,080)	124,125,018	507,298,948	
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of		(52,733,684)	(216,735,441)	(166,533,672)	(680,623,120)	
year		198,393,513	810,437,501	364,927,185	1,486,713,352	
Cash and cash equivalents from legal merger with Kookmin Bank Cambodia plc.		80,286,758	329,978,575	-	-	
Currency translation differences	-	<u>-</u>	(688,827)	<u>-</u>	10,695,862	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	31	225,946,587	922,991,808	198,393,513	816,786,094	

Non-cash financing activities disclosed in other notes are:

- acquisition of right-of-use assets Note 9
- business combination under common control Note 35
- capitalisation of retained earnings into share capital Note 21

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

1. GENERAL

PRASAC Microfinance Institution Plc. (the Company), a licensed micro-finance institution, incorporated in the Kingdom of Cambodia. The Company registered with the Ministry of Commerce (MoC) as a public limited company under the registration number 00001157, dated 19 September 2011 and renewed on 28 April 2016. The Company's registered office is at Building No.212, Street 271, Sangkat Tuol Tumpung 2, Khan Chamkarmon, Phnom Penh, the Kingdom of Cambodia.

The National Bank of Cambodia (NBC) granted a microfinance license to the Company effective on 14 December 2007. On 27 August 2010, the Company obtained a Micro-finance Deposit Taking Institution (MDI) license to conduct deposit taking business from National Bank of Cambodia (NBC or the central bank).

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The financial statements (financial statements) were authorised and approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 29 March 2024.

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

This note provides a list of potentially material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

2.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with Cambodian International Financial Reporting Standards (CIFRS).

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except for financial assets of equity instrument that measured at fair value.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.1 Basis of preparation (continued)

The Bank discloses the amount for each asset and liability that expected to be recovered or settled no more than 12 months after the reporting period as current, and more than 12 months after the reporting period as non-current.

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with CIFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in Note 3.

An English version of the financial statements have been prepared from the financial statements that are in the Khmer language. In the event of a conflict or a difference in interpretation between the two languages, the Khmer language financial statements shall prevail.

2.2 New and amended accounting standards and interpretations

(a) New and amended accounting standards and interpretations adopted

The Bank has applied the following standards and amendments for the first time for their annual reporting period commencing 1 January 2023:

- Disclosure of Accounting Policies Amendments to CIAS 1 and CIFRS Practice Statement 2
- Definition of Accounting Estimates Amendments to CIAS 8
- Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction Amendments to CIAS 12

The Bank has applied Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction – amendments to CIAS 12 for its annual reporting period commencing 1 January 2023. The amendments above do not have an impact on the presentation of the financial statements but have an impact on disclosure of deferred tax resulting from leases. Hence, the Bank decided to re-disclose the deferred tax resulting from leases of the prior periods (note 11).

The other amendments listed above did not have any impact on the amounts of recognised in prior periods and are not expected to significantly affect the current or future periods.

(b) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 31 December 2023 reporting period and have not been early adopted by the Bank. These standards are not expected to have a material impact on the entity in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.3 Principles of business combination under common control

Under predecessor accounting for the merger, the Bank receives a transfer of assets and liabilities (net assets) from another entity (acquiree) under common control and initially recognises the assets and liabilities transferred at their carrying amounts in the accounts of the acquiree at the date of transfer. No assets or liabilities are restated to their fair value at the date of transfer.

Where there is no goodwill previously recognised at the highest entity that has common control, no goodwill is recorded for the merger. Any difference between the cost of the transaction and the carrying value of the net assets is recorded in a reserve within equity.

The Bank decides to choose prospective approach, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income does not reflect the acquiree's results for the period before the date of transfer. The corresponding amounts for the previous year are then not restated.

2.4 Foreign currency translation

(i) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of the Bank are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Bank operates (the functional currency). The functional currency is the US\$ because of the significant influence of the US\$ on its operations. The financial statements are presented in United States dollars (US\$) which is the Bank's functional and presentation currency.

(ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than US\$ are recognised in profit or loss.

Foreign exchange gains and losses that relate to borrowings are presented in the statement of profit or loss, within interest expense. All other foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in the statement of profit or loss on a net basis.

(iii) Presentation in Khmer Riel

In compliance with the Law on Accounting and Auditing, the financial statements shall be expressed in Khmer Riel (KHR). The statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and the statement of cash flows are translated into KHR using the average exchange rates for the year. Assets and liabilities for each statement of financial position presented are translated at the closing rates as at the reporting dates, and shareholders' capital and reserves are translated at the rate at the date of transaction. Resulting exchange difference arising from the translation of reserves are recognised directly in equity; all other resulting exchange differences are recognised in the other comprehensive income.

The Bank has used the official rates of exchange published by the National Bank of Cambodia, and as at the reporting date, the average rate was US\$ 1 to KHR4,110 (2022: KHR4,087) and the closing rate was US\$ 1 to KHR4,085 (2022: KHR4,117).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.5 Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of presentation in the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, the non-restricted deposits and placements with the central bank, and the non-restricted deposits and placements with other banks, with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

2.6 Financial instruments

2.6.1 Financial assets

i) Classification

The Bank classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- those to be measured subsequently at fair value through OCI, and
- those to be measured at amortised cost.

For investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading, the Bank has made an irrevocable election at the time of initial recognition to account for the equity investment at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

Financial assets to be measured at amortised cost include cash on hand, deposits and placements with the central bank, deposits and placements with other banks, loans and advances, and other financial assets.

The classification depends on the Bank's model for managing financial assets and the contractual terms of the financial assets cash flows.

- The asset is held within a business model with the objective of collecting the contractual cash flows, and
- The contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding.

The Bank reclassifies financial assets when and only when their business model for managing those assets changes.

ii) Recognition and derecognition

Financial assets are recognised when the Bank becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instruments. Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognised on trade date, being the date on which the Bank commits to purchase or sell the assets.

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Bank has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership. A gain or loss on derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortised cost is recognised in profit or loss when the financial asset is derecognised.

iii) Measurement

At initial recognition, the Bank measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss (FVPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Immediately after initial recognition, an expected credit loss allowance (ECL) is recognised for financial assets measured at amortised cost, which results in an accounting loss being recognised in profit or loss when an asset is newly originated.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.6 Financial instruments (continued)

2.6.1 Financial assets (continued)

iii) Measurement (continued)

Debt instruments

Subsequent measurement of debt instruments depends on the Bank's business model for managing the assets and the cash flow characteristics of the assets. Based on these factors, the Bank classifies its debt instruments as financial assets measured at amortised cost.

Amortised cost: Assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI), and that are not designated at FVPL, are measured at amortised cost. The carrying amount of these assets is adjusted by any expected credit loss allowance recognised. Interest income from these financial assets is included in 'Interest income' using the effective interest rate method.

iv) Impairment

The Bank assesses on a forward-looking basis the expected credit losses associated with its debt instrument assets carried at amortised cost and with the exposure arising from credit commitments. The Bank recognises a loss allowance for such losses at each reporting date. The measurement of ECL reflects:

- An unbiased and probability-weighted amount that is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes;
- The time value of money; and
- Reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

The Bank applies a three-stage approach to measuring expected credit losses for the following categories:

- debt instruments measured at amortised cost; and
- credit commitments

The three-stage approach is based on the change in credit risk since initial recognition:

Stage 1: 12-month ECL

For exposures where there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition and that are not credit impaired upon origination, the portion of the lifetime ECL associated with the probability of default events occurring within the next 12 months is recognised.

Stage 2: Lifetime ECL - not credit impaired

For exposures where there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition but are not credit impaired, a lifetime ECL (i.e. reflecting the remaining lifetime of the financial asset) is recognised.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.6 Financial instruments (continued)

2.6.1 Financial assets (continued)

iv) Impairment (continued)

Stage 3: Lifetime ECL - credit impaired

Exposures are assessed as credit impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of that asset have occurred. For exposures that have become credit impaired, a lifetime ECL is recognised and interest revenue is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost (net of provision) rather than the gross carrying amount.

ECL are recognised as credit impairment losses in profit or loss.

Please refer to Note 37.1 c) for credit risk in financial risk management for detailed measurement on ECL.

2.6.2 Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are recognised when the Bank becomes a party to the contractual provision of the instruments. Financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost. Financial liabilities of the Bank include deposits from banks and other financial institutions, deposits from customers, borrowings, debt securities, subordinated debts, and other financial liabilities.

Financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value less transaction costs for all financial liabilities not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial liabilities are derecognised when they have been redeemed or otherwise extinguished.

2.6.3 Credit commitments

Credit commitments provided by the Bank are measured as the amount of the loss allowance. The Bank has not provided any commitment to provide loans at a below-market interest rate, or that can be settled net in cash or by delivering or issuing another financial instrument.

For credit commitments, the expected credit losses are recognised as provisions (presented with other liabilities). However, for contracts that include both a loan and an undrawn commitment and that the Bank cannot separately identify the expected credit losses on the undrawn commitment component from those on the loan component, the expected credit losses on the undrawn commitment are recognised together with the loss allowance for the loan. To the extent that the combined expected credit losses exceed the gross carrying amount of the loan, the expected credit losses are recognised as a provision.

2.7 Offsetting financial instruments

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

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.8 Property and equipment

Property and equipment are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management.

Subsequent expenditures relating to an item of property and equipment that has already been recognised are added to the carrying amount of the asset when it is probable that future economic benefits in excess of the originally assessed standard of performance of the existing asset will flow to the Bank. All other subsequent expenditures are recognised as expenses in the period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate the cost of assets less their residual values over the estimated useful lives.

Construction in progress represents property and equipment under construction and is stated at cost. This includes cost of construction, property and equipment, and other direct costs. Construction inprogress is not depreciated until such time when the relevant assets are completed and ready for operational use.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

From 3 to 5 years From 4 to 5 years

Useful life

From 4 to 5 years 4 years

4 years

Shorter of lease term and its economic lives

Lease term: from 1 to 10 years Lease term: from 1 to 5 years

Office furniture
Office machinery
Vehicles and Motorcycles
Computer and peripherals
Communication equipment
Leasehold improvements
Office

The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, if there is an indication of a significant change since the last reporting date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down to its recoverable value immediately if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable value.

Gains and losses on disposal of property and equipment are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are included in profit or loss.

2.9 Intangible assets

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Computer software is stated at historical cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Intangible assets are amortised using the straight-line method over estimated useful life from five to ten years. Construction in-progress is not depreciated until such time when the relevant assets are completed and ready for operational use. Costs associated with maintenance of computer software are recognised as expenses when incurred.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.10 Impairment of non-financial assets

Assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to amortisation or depreciation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash inflows which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that suffered an impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at the end of each reporting period.

Any impairment loss is charged to profit or loss in the period in which it arises. Reversal of impairment losses is recognised in profit or loss 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, had no impairment loss been recognised.

2.11 Employee benefits

i) Short-term employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are accrued in the year in which the associated services are rendered by the employees of the Bank.

iii) Accrual for severance pay

This represents the accrual for severance pay for the fixed-duration contract employees who are entitled to receive 5% of the total contract cost at the end of the contract. Accrual for this severance pay is recognised at the present value of obligations at the reporting period.

iv) Pension fund scheme

The Bank pays monthly contributions for the compulsory pension scheme to National Social Security Fund (NSSF), a publicly administered social security scheme for pension in Cambodia. The Bank has no further payment obligations once the contributions have been paid. The contributions are recognised as employee benefit expenses when they are due.

2.12 Interest income and expense

Interest income and expense from financial instruments at amortised cost are recognised within interest income and interest expense respectively in the statement of profit or loss using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method that is used in the calculation of the amortised cost of a financial asset or a financial liability and in the allocation and recognition of the interest revenue or interest expense in profit or loss over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts through the expected life of the financial asset or financial liability to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset or to the amortised cost of a financial liability. When calculating the effective interest rate, the Bank takes into account all contractual terms of the financial instrument and includes any fees or incremental costs that are directly attributable to the instrument and are an integral part of the effective interest rate, but not expected credit losses.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.12 Interest income and expense (continued)

Interest income is calculated by applying effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of a financial asset except for:

- Purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets (POCI), for which the original creditadjusted effective interest rate is applied to the amortised cost of the financial assets.
- Financial assets that are not POCI but have subsequently become credit-impaired (or 'stage 3'), for which interest revenue is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to their amortised cost (i.e. net of the expected credit loss provision)

2.13 Fee and commission income

Fees and commissions are recognised as income when all conditions precedent are fulfilled (performance obligations are satisfied and control is transferred over time or point in time).

Commitment fees for loans, advances and financing that are likely to be drawn down are deferred (together with related direct costs) and income which forms an integral part of the effective interest rate of a financial instrument is recognised as an adjustment to the effective interest rate on the financial instrument.

2.14 Leases

The Bank as a lessee

As inception of contract, the Bank assesses whether the contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The Bank allocates the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on their relative stand-alone prices.

Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose any covenants other than the security interests in the lease assets that are held by the lessor. Leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes.

Leases are recognised as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use.

Assets and liabilities arising from a lease are initially measured on a present value basis.

i) Lease liabilities

Lease liabilities include the net present value of the lease payments from fixed payments (including insubstance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable.

Lease payments to be made under reasonably certain extension options are also included in the measurement of the liability.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.14 Leases (continued)

The Bank as a lessee (continued)

i) Lease liabilities (continued)

The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease. If that rate cannot be readily determined, which is generally the case for leases in the Bank, the lessee's incremental borrowing rate is used, being the rate that the individual lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment with similar terms, security and conditions.

To determine the incremental borrowing rate, the Bank uses its recent borrowing rate as a starting point, making specific adjustments to the lease such as term, country, currency and security.

Lease payments are allocated between principal and interest expense. The interest expense is charge to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period.

ii) Right-of-use assets

Right-of-use assets are measured at cost comprising the following:

- the amount of the initial measurement of lease liability
- any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received
- any initial direct costs, and
- restoration cots if any

Right-of-use assets are generally depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis. If the Bank is reasonably certain to exercise a purchase option, the right-of-use asset is depreciated over the underlying asset's useful life.

Subsequently the right-of-use asset is measured at cost less depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

iii) Recognition exemptions

Payments associated with all leases of low-value assets and short-term leases are recognised as an expense in profit or loss.

2.15 Provisions

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 will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount has been reliably estimated.

When there are a number of similar obligations, the likelihood that an outflow will be required in settlement is determined by considering the class of obligations as a whole. A provision is recognised even if the likelihood of an outflow with respect to any one item included in the same class of obligations may be small.

Provisions are measured at the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation using a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the obligation. The increase in the provision due to passage of time is recognised as an interest expense.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

2. SUMMARY OF MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

2.16 Current and deferred income tax

The income tax expense or credit for the period is the tax payable on the current period's taxable income, based on the applicable income tax rate adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period where the Bank operates and generates taxable income.

Deferred income tax is provided in full, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the end of the reporting period and are expected to apply when the related deferred income tax asset is realised, or the deferred income tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and where the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority.

Current and deferred tax is recognised in profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case, the tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

2.17 Regulatory reserves

Banks and financial institutions are required to compute regulatory provisions, according to Prakas No. B7-017-344 dated 1 December 2017 and Circular No. B7-018-001 dated 16 February 2018 on credit risk classification and provisions on impairment, and Circular No. B7-021-2314 dated 28 December 2021 (implemented from 1 January 2022) on the classification and provisioning requirements for restructured loans. If the accumulated regulatory provision is higher than the accumulated impairment based on CIFRS 9, the 'topping up' will be recorded as regulatory reserves presented under equity. The reserve is subsequently reversed (up to zero) should the accumulated regulatory provision equal or be lower than accumulated impairment based on CIFRS 9. The regulatory reserve is set aside as a buffer, is non-distributable, is not allowed to be included in the net worth calculation.

2.18 Rounding of amounts

All Khmer Riel amounts disclosed in the financial statements and notes have been rounded off to the nearest thousand currency units unless otherwise stated.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

3. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES, ASSUMPTIONS AND JUDGEMENTS

Estimates, assumptions and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The Bank makes estimates, assumptions and judgements concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates, assumptions and judgements that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial period are discussed below.

i) Measurement of the expected credit loss allowance

The measurement of the expected credit loss allowance for financial assets measured at amortised cost is an area that requires the use of complex models and significant assumptions about the future economic conditions and credit behaviour. Explanation of the inputs assumptions and estimation techniques used in measuring ECL is further detailed in Note 37.1 (c).

A number of significant judgements are also required in applying the accounting requirements for measuring ECL, such as:

- grouping financial assets sharing similar credit risk characteristics for the purposes of measuring ECL
- choosing appropriate models and assumptions to measure ECL
- determining criteria for identifying loans and advances to customers that have experienced a significant increase in credit risk (SICR)
- applying assumptions and analysis on expected future cash flows and forward-looking information

ii) Critical judgements in determining the lease

In determining the lease term, management considers all facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive to exercise an extension option, or not exercise a termination option. Extension options (or periods after termination options) are only included in the lease term if the lease is reasonably certain to be extended (or not terminated).

iii) Business combination under common control

The management assessed that both PRASAC Microfinance Institution Plc. (KB PRASAC Bank Plc.) and Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc. were businesses prior to merger and were under common control of Kookmin Bank Co., Ltd. The merger is a business combination under common control. KB PRASAC Bank Plc. is the acquirer because the Bank has control over Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc, acquiree. The Bank has power over the acquiree, right to variable returns from its involvements with the acquiree, and the ability to use its power over the acquiree to affect the amount of the shareholder's return.

There is no guidance in CIFRS for accounting treatment for business combination under common control, so the management applied CIAS 8 for the accounting policy and applied it consistently.

The management assessed that predecessor accounting is a suitable and appropriate method for the merger, and the prospective presentation method is opted. A number of facts and circumstances surrounding this business combination under common control have been used in determining that predecessor accounting best reflect the substance of the merger, such as:

- both entities were wholly owned and under common control of KB,
- consideration for the transfer is non-cash and through newly issued shares,
- both entities report to the same management, and
- there is no economic substance for an acquisition accounting (there is no fair value adjustments to the net assets transferred)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

3. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES, ASSUMPTIONS AND JUDGEMENTS (continued)

iv) Loan paid off penalty

The Bank charges penalty for any loan paid off before expiry of its lock-up period. The estimate future cash flow over the lifetime of the loan should include estimate of penalty. However, due to the limitation to estimate the penalty amount and its timing, it is not reliably estimated at initial recognition of loans. The penalty is not material compared to the fair value of individual loan at the origination. Recognising penalty from early loan paid off when the transaction occurs is the best estimation of the interest income.

4. CASH ON HAND

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Cash on Hand Current					
US Dollars	78,043,229	318,806,591	114,419,602	471,065,502	
Khmer Riel	36,241,252	148,045,514	12,736,052	52,434,326	
Thai Baht	308,801	1,261,452	268,173	1,104,068	
	114,593,282	468,113,557	127,423,827	524,603,896	

5. DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS WITH NATIONAL BANK OF CAMBODIA

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Deposits and placements					
Settlement accounts	48,707,958	198,972,009	5,766,778	23,741,825	
Current accounts	42,274,245	172,690,291	58,823,840	242,177,749	
Negotiable certificates of deposits	8,181,147	33,419,985	918,185	3,780,168	
	99,163,350	405,082,285	65,508,803	269,699,742	
Statutory deposits					
Reserve requirement	379,321,515	1,549,528,389	220,775,738	908,933,713	
Capital guarantee deposit	67,500,000	275,737,500	40,000,000	164,680,000	
, -	446,821,515	1,825,265,889	260,775,738	1,073,613,713	
	545,984,865	2,230,348,174	326,284,541	1,343,313,455	
Current	478,484,865	1,954,610,674	286,284,541	1,178,633,455	
Non current	67,500,000	275,737,500	40,000,000	164,680,000	
,	545,984,865	2,230,348,174	326,284,541	1,343,313,455	

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5. DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS WITH NATIONAL BANK OF CAMBODIA (continued)

Annual interest rates are as follows:

	As at 31 December 2023	As at 31 December 2022
Current accounts		
USD	Nil	Nil
KHR	Nil	Nil
Negotiable certificates of deposits		
USD	1.00% - 2.80%	0.83% - 3.65%
KHR	0.30% - 1.35%	1.54% - 1.94%
Reserve requirement	Nil	Nil
Capital guarantee deposit	1.33%	1.19%

(i) Reserve deposits

The reserve requirement represents the minimum reserve which is calculated at 7% for KHR and 9% for foreign currencies (2022: 8% for KHR and other currencies) of customers' deposits and borrowings in Khmer Riel (KHR) and other foreign currencies of the Bank. The reserve requirement bears no interest.

(ii) Capital guarantee deposit

Under the NBC Prakas No. B7-01-136, dated 15 October 2001, banks are required to maintain a capital guarantee deposit of 10% of share capital. This deposit is refundable should the Bank voluntarily ceases its operations in Cambodia and it is not available for use in the Bank's day-to-day operations.

6. DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS WITH OTHER BANKS

a) By residency status

	As at 31 Dece	ember 2023	As at 31 Dece	ember 2022
- -	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Deposits and placements with local				
banks	11,024,909	45,036,753	6,006,198	24,727,517
Deposits and placements with				
overseas banks	6,815,875	27,842,849	-	-
-	17,840,784	72,879,602	6,006,198	24,727,517
Less:	, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,
Allowance for expected credit loss	(13,898)	(56,773)	(60,061)	(247,271)
_	17,826,886	72,822,829	5,946,137	24,480,246

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

6. **DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS WITH OTHER BANKS** (continued)

b) By account types

	As at 31 Decer	nber 2023	As at 31 Dece	mber 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Current accounts	17,101,048	69,857,780	2,858,502	11,768,453
Savings accounts	739,736	3,021,822	147,696	608,064
Time deposits	· -	-	3,000,000	12,351,000
· -	17,840,784	72,879,602	6,006,198	24,727,517
Less:				
Allowance for losses on balances				
with other banks	(13,898)	(56,773)	(60,061)	(247,271)
_	17,826,886	72,822,829	5,946,137	24,480,246

c) By maturity

	As at 31 Dece	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Current Non-Current	17,840,784	72,879,602	6,006,198	24,727,517
	17,840,784	72,879,602	6,006,198	24,727,517
Less:				
Allowance for expected credit loss	(13,898)	(56,773)	(60,061)	(247,271)
	17,826,886	72,822,829	5,946,137	24,480,246

d) By maturity (continued)

Interest rates of deposits and placements with other banks are as follows:

	As at 31 December 2023	As at 31 December 2022
Current accounts		
USD	0% - 1.50%	0% - 0.54%
KHR	0% - 1.50%	0% - 0.75%
CNY	0%-0.35%	N/A
AUD, EUR, GBP, JPY, KWR, SGD, THB	NIL	N/A
Savings accounts		
USD	0% -0.50%	0% - 0.50%
KHR	0% - 0.20%	0% - 0.20%
Term deposits		
USD	N/A	0% - 3%
KHR	N/A	N/A

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7. LOANS AND ADVANCES AT AMORTISED COST

	As at 31 De	cember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
At amortised cost					
Commercial loans	3,067,037,094	12,528,846,528	2,759,239,073	11,359,787,264	
Overdrafts	8,419,453	34,393,466	-	-	
Consumer loans					
Housing loans	712,160,427	2,909,175,344	650,645,398	2,678,707,104	
Vehicle loans	336,250,726	1,373,584,216	326,560,541	1,344,449,747	
Staff loans	6,383,648	26,077,202	5,333,814	21,959,312	
Personal loans	936,225,996	3,824,483,194	608,306,337	2,504,397,189	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	
Impairment loss allowance	(160,430,048)	(655, 356, 746)	(53,963,378)	(222,167,227)	
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Total net loans	4,906,047,296	20,041,203,204	4,296,121,785	17,687,133,389	

a) Allowance for expected credit loss

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
12-months ECL (Stage 1) Lifetime ECL-not credit impaired	17,414,841	71,139,625	12,526,838	51,572,992	
(Stage 2)	22,012,672	89,921,765	11,679,826	48,085,844	
Lifetime ECL-credit impaired (Stage 3)	121,002,535	494,295,356	29,756,714	122,508,391	
	160,430,048	655,356,746	53,963,378	222,167,227	

The movements of allowance for impairment losses on loans and advances to customers during the year were as follows:

	As at 31 Dec	cember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
At 1 January	53,963,378	222,167,227	56,790,432	231,364,220	
Recognised in profit or loss Increase under legal merger with	127,260,465	523,040,511	19,014,983	77,714,236	
KBC	4,288,060	17,598,198	-	-	
Written off	(25,081,855)	(103,086,424)	(21,842,037)	(89,268,406)	
Currency translation differences		(4,362,766)		2,357,177	
At 31 December	160,430,048	655,356,746	53,963,378	222,167,227	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

7. LOANS AND ADVANCES AT AMORTISED COST (continued)

b) By loan classification

	As at 31 Dec	cember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Performing					
Gross amount	4,430,926,206	18,100,333,552	4,063,756,209	16,730,484,312	
Exposure at default	4,430,926,206	18,100,333,552	4,063,756,209	16,730,484,312	
Allowance for expected credit loss	(17,414,841)	(71,139,625)	(12,526,838)	(51,572,992)	
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Under-performing					
Gross amount	441,243,616	1,802,480,170	232,790,030	958,396,554	
Exposure at default	441,243,616	1,802,480,170	232,790,030	958,396,554	
Allowance for expected credit loss	(22,012,672)	(89,921,765)	(11,679,826)	(48,085,844)	
Non-performing					
Gross amount	194,307,522	793,746,228	53,538,924	220,419,750	
Exposure at default	194,307,522	793,746,228	53,538,924	220,419,750	
Allowance for expected credit loss	(121,002,535)	(494,295,356)	(29,756,714)	(122,508,391)	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	
Exposure at default	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	
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Allowance for expected credit loss	(160.430.048)	(655, 356, 746)	(53,963,378)	(222,167,227)	
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c) By maturity

	As at 31 Dec	cember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Within one month	3,640,019	14,869,478	2,300,418	9,470,821	
More than 1 month to 3 months More than 3 months to 12 months	10,178,769 106,438,485	41,580,271 434,801,211	6,684,757 59,951,413	27,521,145 246,819,967	
More than 1 year to 5 years More than 5 years	1,949,116,767 2,997,103,304	7,962,141,993 12,243,166,997	1,883,960,708 2,397,187,867	7,756,266,235 9,869,222,448	
More than 5 years	2,997,103,304	12,243,100,997	2,397,107,007	9,009,222,440	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	

d) By large exposure

	As at 31 Dec	cember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$ KHR'000		US\$	KHR'000	
Large exposure Non-large exposure	2,476,889,337 2,589,588,007	10,118,092,942 10,578,467,008	2,358,495,494 1,991,589,669	9,709,925,949 8,199,374,667	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

7. LOANS AND ADVANCES AT AMORTISED COST (continued)

e) By relationship

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Related parties (including staff					
loans)	6,105,587	24,941,323	5,721,233	23,554,316	
Non-related parties	5,060,371,757	20,671,618,627	4,344,363,930	17,885,746,300	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	
f) By residency					
	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 Dec	ember 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Residents Non-residents	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	
Total gross loans	5,066,477,344	20,696,559,950	4,350,085,163	17,909,300,616	

g) Interest rates

These loans and advances to customers earn annual interest rates as below:

	As at 31 December 2023	As at 31 December 2022
Short term loans		
USD	7% - 18%	9.6% - 18%
KHR	6.5% - 18%	10.8% - 18%
Long term loans		
USD	(14.40%-20.40% before April 2017)	(10.00%-21.60% before April 2017)
	(4.10%-18.00% after April 2017)	(6.48%-18.00% after April 2017)
KHR	5.10%-18.00%	6.50%-18.00%
THB	(24.00%-25.20% before April 2017)	(22.80%-25.20% before April 2017)
	(13.20%-18.00% after April 2017)	(12.60%-18.00% after April
		2017)

Effective on 1 April 2017, the annual interest rates of all new loans and restructured loans are capped at 18% as required by Prakas B7-017-109 on interest celling on loans. Loans and advances to customers outstanding with annual interest rate more than 18% were for those loans which disbursed prior to the issuance of this Prakas and which remain outstanding at the reporting date.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

8. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

_	Office Furniture US\$	Office Machinery US\$	Vehicles and motorcycles US\$	Computer and peripherals US\$	Leasehold Improvement US\$	Communication Equipment US\$	Work in Progress US\$	Total US\$
As at 1 January 2023								
Cost Accumulated depreciation	1,106,878 (947,276)	4,936,086 (3,884,950)	3,280,402 (2,700,923)	10,506,528 (7,994,251)	2,415,856 (2,020,744)	346,426 (310,900)	53,603	22,645,779 (17,859,044)
Net book amount	159,602	1,051,136	579,479	2,512,277	395,112	35,526	53,603	4,786,735
In KHR'000 equivalents	657,081	4,327,527	2,385,715	10,343,044	1,626,676	146,261	220,684	19,706,988
For the year ended 31 December 2023								
Opening net book amount	159,602	1,051,136	579,479	2,512,277	395,112	35,526	53,603	4,786,735
Increase under legal merger with KBC	91,925	12,640	59,340	266,112	329,702	42,689	-	802,408
Additions	41,733	961,821	-	669,702	17,406	5,393	8,898,576	10,594,631
Transfer from work in progress	(470)	623,648	-	501,679	528,070	-	(1,653,397)	(0.070)
Disposal-net Depreciation charge	(476) (143,177)	(440,932)	(261,763)	(442) (1,280,183)	(7,752) (199,718)	(25,629)	-	(8,670) (2,351,402)
	(140,177)	(440,302)	(201,700)	(1,200,100)	(100,710)	(20,020)	, .	(2,001,402)
Closing net book amount	149,607	2,208,313	377,056	2,669,145	1,062,820	57,979	7,298,782	13,823,702
As at 31 December 2023								
Cost	1,390,219	6,364,556	3,326,777	11,888,209	3,236,673	383,432	7,298,782	33,888,648
Accumulated depreciation _	(1,004,526)	(4,325,882)	(2,949,721)	(9,274,434)	(2,173,854)	(336,529)	<u>-</u> .	(20,064,946)
Net book amount	385,693	2,038,674	377,056	2,613,775	1,062,819	46,903	7,298,782	13,823,702
In KHR'000 equivalents	1,575,556	8,327,983	1,540,274	10,677,271	4,341,616	191,599	29,815,524	56,469,823

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

8. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

	Office Furniture US\$	Office machinery US\$	Vehicles and motorcycles US\$	Computer and peripherals US\$	Leasehold improvement US\$	Communication Equipment US\$	Work in progress US\$	Total US\$
As at 1 January 2022 Cost	1,060,329	4,456,802	3,212,401	9,797,701	2,419,207	344,072	288,696	21,579,208
Accumulated depreciation	(904,193)	(3,677,986)	(2,667,127)	(7,235,877)	(1,952,147)	(280,360)		(16,717,690)
Net book amount	156,136	778,816	545,274	2,561,824	467,060	63,712	288,696	4,861,518
In KHR'000 equivalents	636,098	3,172,896	2,221,446	10,436,871	1,902,802	259,563	1,176,148	19,805,824
For the year ended 31 December 2022								
Opening net book amount	156,136	778,816	545,274	2,561,824	467,060	63,712	288,696	4,861,518
Additions Transfer from work in progress	57,211	396,162 203,960	308,500	475,794 763,003	23,570 46,309	3,277	778,179 (1,013,272)	2,042,693
Disposal-net	(236)	(645)	-	(10,045)	(527)	-	(1,013,272)	(11,453)
Depreciation charge	(53,508)	(327,158)	(274,295)	(1,278,298)	(141,300)	(31,464)	<u>-</u> .	(2,106,023)
Closing net book amount	159,603	1,051,135	579,479	2,512,278	395,112	35,525	53,603	4,786,735
As at 31 December 2022								
Cost	1,106,878	4,936,086	3,280,402	10,506,528	2,415,856	346,426	53,603	22,645,779
Accumulated depreciation _	(947,276)	(3,884,950)	(2,700,923)	(7,994,251)	(2,020,744)	(310,900)	<u> </u>	(17,859,044)
Net book amount	159,602	1,051,136	579,479	2,512,277	395,112	35,526	53,603	4,786,735
In KHR'000 equivalents	657,081	4,327,527	2,385,715	10,343,044	1,626,676	146,261	220,684	19,706,988

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

9. LEASES

This note provides information for leases where the Bank is a lessee.

The Bank leases various buildings for its head office, branch operation and Automated teller machine (ATM). Rental contracts are typically made for fixed periods of one to ten years. The leases have varying terms, escalation clauses and renewal rights. On renewal, the terms of the leases are renegotiated.

(i) Amounts recognised in the statement of financial position

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 202	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Right-of-use assets (Non-current)				
Buildings	19,261,762	78,684,298	18,167,095	74,793,930
ATM	300,347	1,226,917	316,215	1,301,857
	19,562,109	79,911,215	18,483,310	76,095,787
Lease liabilities				
Current	5,005,014	20,445,482	3,998,954	16,463,692
Non-Current	14,917,577	60,938,302	14,974,273	61,649,084
	19,922,591	81,383,784	18,973,227	78,112,776

Right-of-use assets' additions during the year were US\$ 5,371,423 (2022: US\$ 6,771,840).

Right-of-use assets transferred under legal merger with KBC were US\$ 1,205,079.

(ii) Amounts recognised in the statement of profit or loss

The statement of profit or loss shows the following amounts relating to leases:

	For the year	ar ended	For the year ended			
	31 Decem	ber 2023	31 December 2022			
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Depreciation of right-of-use assets						
Buildings	4,832,826	19,862,914	4,202,112	17,174,032		
ATM	214,016	879,606	181,825	743,119		
	5,046,842	20,742,520	4,383,937	17,917,151		
Interest expense (Note 23)	1,500,528	6,167,170	1,898,088	7,757,486		
Rental expense related to short- term lease and lease of low- value assets (included in Other operating expenses) (Note 29)	448,643	1,843,923	726,076	2,967,473		
Transportation expense to leases of low-value assets (included in other operating expenses)	1,168,712	4,803,406	1,095,973	4,479,242		
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Total expenses related to leases	8,164,725	33,557,019	8,104,074	33,121,352		

Total cash outflow for lease during the period was US\$6,256,325 (2022: US\$4,356,349).

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10. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Computer software US\$	Core banking Software US\$	Work in progress US\$	Total US\$
As at 1 January 2023	•	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Cost	1,264,054	2,891,587	16,800	4,172,441
Accumulated amortisation	(1,029,487)	(2,063,627)	<u>-</u>	(3,093,114)
Net book amount	234,567	827,960	16,800	1,079,327
In KHR'000 equivalents	965,712	3,408,711	69,166	4,443,589
For the year ended December 2023				
Opening net book amount	234,567	827,960	16,800	1,079,327
Increase under legal merger with KBC	135,837	6,053	-	141,890
Transfer from work in progress	180,500	42,000	(222,500)	-
Additions	-	- (404 405)	15,557,472	15,557,472
Amortisation charge	(106,961)	(191,435)		(298,396)
Closing net book amount	443,943	684,578	15,351,772	16,480,293
As at 31 December 2023				
Cost	1,580,390	2,939,641	15,351,772	19,871,803
Accumulated amortisation	(1,136,448)	(2,255,062)	<u> </u>	(3,391,510)
Net book amount	443,942	684,579	15,351,772	16,480,293
In KHR'000 equivalents	1,813,503	2,796,505	62,711,989	67,321,997
As at 1 January 2022				
Cost	1,264,054	2,891,587	-	4,155,641
Accumulated amortisation	(925,837)	(1,875,275)		(2,801,112)
Net book amount	338,217	1,016,312		1,354,529
In KHR'000 equivalents	1,377,896	4,140,455	<u> </u>	5,518,351
For the year ended 31 December 2022				
Opening net book amount Transfer from work in progress	338,217	1,016,312	-	1,354,529
Additions	-	-	16,800	16,800
Amortisation charge	(103,650)	(188,352)	<u> </u>	(292,002)
Closing net book amount	234,567	827,960	16,800	1,079,327
As at 31 December 2022				
Cost	1,264,054	2,891,587	16,800	4,172,441
Accumulated amortisation	(1,029,487)	(2,063,627)		(3,093,114)
Net book amount	234,567	827,960	16,800	1,079,327
In KHR'000 equivalents	965,712	3,408,711	69,166	4,443,589
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

11. DEFERRED TAX ASSETS

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Non-current					
Deferred tax assets	25,646,033	104,764,045	18,485,117	60,884,073	
Deferred tax liabilities	(3,937,538)	(16,084,843)	(3,968,237)	(1,118,078)	
Deferred tax assets - net	21,708,495	88,679,202	14,516,880	59,765,995	

The movement of net deferred tax assets during the year as follows:

	For the yea		For the year 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
At the beginning of the year Charged to profit or loss Increase under legal merger with	14,516,880 6,320,262	59,765,995 25,976,277	11,727,635 2,789,245	47,778,385 11,399,644	
KBC Currency translation differences	871,353 	3,581,261 (644,331)	- - <u>-</u> _	- 587,966	
At the end of the year	21,708,495	88,679,202	14,516,880	59,765,995	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

11. **DEFERRED TAX ASSETS** (continued)

	Impairment Ioss US\$	Unamortised loan fees US\$	Net accrued interest receivables US\$	Lease liabilities US\$	Interest expense US\$	Accrued expenses US\$	Unrealised exchange gain/loss US\$	Total US\$
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2022								
At 1 January 2022	3,510,062	6,968,122	5,696	3,118,288	282,493	487,621	817,409	15,189,691
(Charged)/credited to profit or loss	313,606	1,046,073	59,915	676,357	(108,137)	652,538	655,074	3,295,426
At 31 December 2022	3,823,668	8,014,195	65,611	3,794,645	174,356	1,140,159	1,472,483	18,485,117
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In KHR '000 equivalent	15,742,041	32,994,441	270,120	15,622,553	717,824	4,694,034	6,062,213	76,103,226
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2023								
At 1 January 2023	3,823,668	8,014,195	65,611	3,794,645	174,356	1,140,159	1,472,483	18,485,117
(Charged)/credited to profit or loss	6,391,521	498,930	47,543	238,939	(86,660)	(299,868)	(681,793)	6,108,612
From legal merger with KBC	435,971	370,524	-	245,809	(00,000)	(200,000)	(001,700)	1,052,304
Trom legal merger with NBC	400,071	010,024		240,000				1,002,004
At 31 December 2023	10,651,160	8,883,649	113,154	4,279,393	87,696	840,291	790,690	25,646,033
At 31 December 2023	10,001,100	0,000,040	110,104	7,219,090	37,030	070,231	7 30,030	20,040,000
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In KHR '000 equivalent	43,509,989	36,289,706	462,234	17,481,320	358,238	3,432,588	3,229,969	104,764,044

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

11. **DEFERRED TAX ASSETS** (continued)

(i) Deferred tax liabilities

	Right-of-use assets US\$	Depreciation US\$	Net accrued interest receivables US\$	Total US\$
2022				
At 1 January 2022	3,219,529	242,527	-	3,462,056
Charged to profit or loss	477,133	29,048		506,181
At 31 December 2022	3,696,662	271,575		3,968,237
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In KHR '000 equivalent	15,219,157	1,118,074		16,337,231
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2023				
At 1 January 2023	3,696,662	271,575	-	3,968,237
Charged/(credited) to profit or loss	(215,598)	3,948	-	(211,650)
From legal merger with KBC	245,240	(64,289)		180,951
At 31 December 2023	3,726,304	211,234		3,937,538
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In KHR '000 equivalent	15,221,952	862,891	-	16,084,843
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The Bank applied deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a Single Transaction – amendments to CIAS 12 (note 2.2). The deferred tax resulting from leases was re-disclosed, i.e the deferred tax asset from lease liabilities and deferred tax liabilities from right-of-use assets are separately disclosed in the note.

12. OTHER ASSETS

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Prepayments	5,510,899	22,512,022	3,413,531	14,053,507
Account receivable	977,318	3,992,344	-	-
Deposits	1,623,165	6,630,629	950,824	3,914,542
Others account receivable	107,783	440,294	802	3,302
	8,219,165	33,575,289	4,365,157	17,971,351
Less: Allowance for ECLs on deposit	(3,133)	(12,798)	(19,016)	(78,289)
	8,216,032	33,562,491	4,346,141	17,893,062
Current Non-current	8,216,032	33,562,491	4,346,141	17,893,062
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	8,216,032	33,562,491	4,346,141	17,893,062

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

13. DEPOSITS FROM BANKS AND OTHER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022	
-	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Demand deposits	2,346,365	9,584,900		
Savings deposits	405,539	1,656,627	- 180,687	743,888
Term deposits	104,576,020	427,193,042	48,910,925	201,366,278
	107,327,924	438,434,569	49,091,612	202,110,166
Add: Accrued interest payables	2,499,321	10,209,727	945,506	3,892,649
	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
Current	108,276,171	442,308,159	50,037,118	206,002,815
Non-current	1,551,074	6,336,137	-	-
- -	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
a) By currency				
	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 De	cember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
LIOD	400 705 004	110 001 510	50 040 044	005 007 400
USD KHR	109,765,364 61,881	448,391,512 252,784	50,013,944	205,907,408
NIK	01,001	232,764	23,174	95,407
	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
b) By relationship				
	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 De	cember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Non-related parties Related parties	85,782,915	350,423,208	27,277,134	112,299,961
Related parties	24,044,330	98,221,088	22,759,984	93,702,854
	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
c) By annual interest rate				
Annual interest rates during the yea	r are as follows:			
3 ,			As at 31	As at 31
		Dec	ember 2023 l	December 2022
Current accounts			N/A	N/A
Savings accounts USD KHR			0% - 0.50% 0% - 0.70%	0% - 1.50% N/A
Fixed deposits USD KHR		3.8	30% - 8.00% N/A	3.00% - 6.50% N/A

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14. DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS

	As at 31 Dec	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Demand deposits	2,353,758	9,615,101	_	_		
Savings deposits	140,661,574	574,602,530	150,603,768	620,035,713		
Fixed deposits	2,772,337,993	11,325,000,702	2,508,599,863	10,327,905,636		
	2,915,353,325	11,909,218,333	2,659,203,631	10,947,941,349		
Add: Accrued interest payables	85,020,659	347,309,392	68,004,231	279,973,419		
	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768		
Current	2,918,565,833	11,922,341,428	2,651,114,334	10,914,637,713		
Non-current	81,808,151	334,186,297	76,093,528	313,277,055		
	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768		
a) By currency						
	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 Dec	cember 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
USD	2,768,636,776	11,309,881,230	2,546,046,345	10,482,072,803		
KHR	231,685,625	946,435,778	181,026,036	745,284,190		
THB	51,583	210,717	135,481	557,775		
	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768		
b) By relationship						
	As at 31 De	cember 2023	As at 31 Dec	cember 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Non-related parties	2,988,434,858	12,207,756,395	2,710,332,854	11,158,440,360		
Related parties	11,939,126	48,771,330	16,875,008	69,474,408		
	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768		

Annual interest rates during the year are as follows:

Current accounts	As at 31 December 2023	As at 31 December 2022
USD	0% - 0.20%	N/A
KHR	N/A	N/A
THB	N/A	N/A
Savings accounts		
USD	0.00% - 3.00%	0.00%-3.00%
KHR	0.00% - 3.00%	0.00%-3.00%
THB	0.00% - 0.10%	0.00%-0.10%
Fixed deposits		
USD	3.00% - 8.75%	2.75% - 8.50%
KHR	3.75% - 9.75%	2.00%-10.15%
THB	N/A	0.10%-7.25%

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15. BORROWINGS

	As at 31 Dec	As at 31 December 2023		ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Principal Interest payable	1,381,324,112 13,470,248	5,642,708,998 55,025,963	965,576,466 5,682,959	3,975,278,311 23,396,742
	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053

The Bank entered into borrowing agreements with various lenders, including both related and non-related parties. Borrowings are unsecured and the repayments of principal and interest are made either on quarterly, semi-annual or annual basis based on the repayment schedule for each of the borrowing agreements.

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	As at 31 Dec	As at 31 December 2023		ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
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Current	0.000.700	40.470.070	407.044.000	700 040 007
Term loans	9,833,702	40,170,673	187,014,896	769,940,327
Overdraft	20,343,534	83,103,336	30,000,000	123,510,000
Total current	30,177,236	123,274,009	217,014,896	893,450,327
Total non-current	1,364,617,124	5,574,460,952	754,244,529	3,105,224,726
	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053
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a) By currency				
	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
USD	1,144,101,334	4,673,653,950	798,375,467	3,286,911,798
KHR	250,693,026	1,024,081,011	172,883,958	711,763,255
THB				
	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053
	1,394,794,300	3,037,734,301	371,233,423	3,990,073,033
b) By relationship				
	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 Dec	ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Non-related parties	764,129,263	3,121,468,040	689,092,420	2,836,993,493
Related parties	630,665,097	2,576,266,921	282,167,005	1,161,681,560
	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053
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15. BORROWINGS (continued)

c) Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities – borrowings

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
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Principal amount	005 570 400	0.075.070.044	004 407 750	0.057.704.040
At 1 January	965,576,466	3,975,278,311	824,197,753	3,357,781,646
Addition	781,383,461	3,211,486,025	764,262,412	3,123,540,478
Increase under legal merger		=		
with KBC	350,000,000	1,438,500,000		
Repayment of principal	(667,206,103)	(2,742,217,083)	(620,842,352)	(2,537,382,693)
Repayment to be cleared	(49,750,000)	(204,472,500)		
Others	-	-		
Exchange difference	1,320,288	5,426,384	(2,041,347)	(8,342,985)
Currency translation				
differences	-	(41,292,139)	-	39,681,865
At the end of the year	1,381,324,112	5,642,708,998	965,576,466	3,975,278,311
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Interest payables				
At 1 January	5,682,959	23,396,742	5,624,110	22,912,624
Change during the year	109,626,708	450,565,770	58,914,368	240,783,022
Increase under legal merger	, ,	, ,	, ,	, ,
with KBC	3,742,924	15,383,418	-	-
Interest payments	(103,327,235)	(424,674,936)	(58,842,560)	(240,489,543)
Repayment to be cleared	(2,262,493)	(9,298,846)	(00,01=,000)	(= 10, 100,0 10)
Others	(=,===, :==)	(0,200,0.0)		
Exchange difference	7,385	30,352	(12,959)	(52,963)
Currency translation	7,000	(376,537)	(12,000)	243,602
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At the end of the year	13,470,248	55,025,963	5,682,959	23,396,742

d) Annual interest rates for borrowings are as follows:

	As at 31 December 2023	As at 31 December 2022
Term loans		
USD	2.00% - 10.05%	2.00% - 10.21%
KHR	2.00% - 8.05%	2.00% - 7.40%
THB	N/A	N/A

16. DEBT SECURITIES

In April 2020, the Company issued KHR127.2 billion (equivalent to USD31.17 million) fixed rate guaranteed bonds due on 23 April 2023. The bonds are guaranteed by the Credit Guarantee and Investment Facility, a trust fund of Asian Development Bank ("ADB"). The bonds are listed on the Cambodia Securities Exchange ("CSX") and were priced at KHR100,000 per bond with a coupon rate of 7.50% per annum and are payable on a semi-annual basis commencing on 23 October 2020. The Company incurred debt's issuance costs amounting to KHR6.21 billion (equivalent to USD1.52 million).

On 21 April 2023, the Bank fully settled the outstanding balance of the corporate bonds including both principal and interest with the amount of KHR131,970,000,000 to the investors.

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16. DEBT SECURITIES (continued)

	As at 31 Decer	nber 2023	As at 31 Dec	ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Principal	-	-	30,767,125	126,668,254
Interest payable	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	401,303	1,652,164
	<u>-</u>		31,168,428	128,320,418
Current Non-current	- 	<u>-</u>	31,168,428	128,320,418 -
	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	31,168,428	128,320,418

Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities – Debt securities

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Principal amount				
At 1 January	30,767,125	126,668,254	30,942,071	126,057,997
Additions	-	-	-	-
Repayments	(30,911,300)	(127,045,443)	-	-
Exchange difference	144,175	592,559	(174,946)	(715,004)
Currency translation		(215,370)	<u>-</u>	1,325,261
At the end of the year			30,767,125	126,668,254
Interest payables				
At 1 January	401,303	1,652,164	400,029	1,629,718
Charge during the year	773,136	3,177,589	2,510,158	10,259,016
Interest payments	(1,177,583)	(4,839,866)	(2,504,707)	(10,236,738)
Exchange difference	3,144	12,920	(4,177)	(17,071)
Currency translation		(2,807)		17,239
At the end of the year	-	-	401,303	1,652,164

17. INCOME TAX PAYABLE

	As at 31 December 2023		31 Decem	ber 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Current				
At the beginning of the year	41,048,919	168,998,400	34,153,679	139,142,088
Current tax	28,290,655	116,274,592	47,234,851	193,048,836
Under provision from prior year	-	-	1,156,005	4,724,592
Tax incentive on bond listing	-	-	(783,078)	(3,200,440)
Increase under legal merger with				
KBC	441,128	1,834,210	-	-
Income tax paid	(47,241,948)	(194,164,406)	(40,712,538)	(166,392,143)
Currency translation differences		(871,986)		1,675,467
	22,538,754	92,070,810	41,048,919	168,998,400
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18. PROVISION FOR EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 Dec	ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Coverage was made ability time.	444 704	4 004 004	4 024 425	4.040.077
Severance payment obligation	411,731	1,681,921	1,031,425	4,246,377
	411,731	1,681,921	1,031,425	4,246,377

19. OTHER LIABILITIES

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Current				
Accrued bonuses and incentives	1,158,987	4,734,462	2,844,695	11,711,609
Accrued expenses	3,593,655	14,680,081	3,546,830	14,602,299
Withholding taxes	3,162,286	12,917,938	1,933,604	7,960,648
Account payable	1,297,652	5,300,908	498,573	2,052,625
Tax on salary	1,646,732	6,726,900	4,166,259	17,152,488
Others	12,292	50,213	8,625	35,507
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	10,871,604	44,410,502	12,998,586	53,515,176

20. SUBORDINATED DEBTS

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19,903
82,064
01,967

These subordinated debts which are repayable based on the agreed schedules stated in each loan agreements. The subordinated debt from shareholder was approved by the NBC such that it can be included as Tier 2 Capital for purpose of net worth calculation. The subordinated debts were charged with the annual interest rates ranging from 6.98% to 8.95% (2022: 6.98% to 10.47%) during the year.

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20. SUBORDINATED DEBTS (continued)

Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities – Subordinated debts

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Principal amount				
At 1 January	88,641,367	364,936,508	103,963,296	423,546,468
Repayments	(38,500,000)	(158,235,000)	(15,321,929)	(62,620,724)
Exchange differences	64,691	265,880	-	-
Currency translation		(1,875,641)		4,010,764
At the end of the year	50,206,058	205,091,747	88,641,367	364,936,508
Interest payables				
At 1 January	1,036,060	4,265,459	1,228,494	5,004,885
Charge during the year	7,673,985	31,540,078	9,397,981	38,409,548
Interest payments	(8,111,739)	(33,339,247)	(9,590,415)	(39,483,739)
Currency translation	-	(22,210)	-	334,765
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At the end of the year	598,306	2,444,080	1,036,060	4,265,459

21. SHARE CAPITAL

The Bank issued 20,272,269 new ordinary shares at a pair value of US\$1 per share in exchange for assets and liabilities transferred from Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc for the merger.

During the year, the Bank converted its retained earning amounting to US\$179,727,731 into capital which was approved by the National Bank of Cambodia and the Ministry of Commerce.

The total authorised amount of share capital comprises 600 million shares as at 31 August 2023 (2022: 400 million shares) with a par value of US\$1 per share (2022: US\$1 per share). All issued shares have been fully paid for.

	31 December 2023		
	US\$	KHR'000	%
Kookmin Bank Co, Ltd.	600,000,000	2,400,000,000	100%
	3	1 December 202	2
	US\$	KHR'000	%
Kookmin Bank Co, Ltd.	399,999,999	1,599,999,996	100%
Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc	1	4	0%
	400,000,000	1,600,000,000	100%

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22. REGULATORY RESERVES

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Balance at beginning of the year Transfers (to)/from retained	31,872,927	129,696,057	24,738,149	100,536,219
earnings Currency translation differences	(27,326,301)	(111,627,940)	7,134,778 <u>-</u>	29,159,838 <u>-</u>
Balance at the end of the year	4,546,626	18,068,117	31,872,927	129,696,057

23. NET INTEREST INCOME

	•	ear ended nber 2023	For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost:					
Loans and advances Deposits and placements with	665,062,248	2,733,405,840	606,298,837	2,477,943,347	
banks	1,553,086	6,383,183	75,197	307,330	
Deposits and placements with					
National Bank of Cambodia	1,097,289	4,509,858	392,244	1,603,101	
Total interest income	667,712,623	2,744,298,881	606,766,278	2,479,853,778	
Interest expense on financial liabilities at amortised cost:					
Deposits from customers	(195,042,924)	(801,626,418)	(170,880,491)	(698,388,567)	
Deposit from other banks	(4,470,080)	(18,372,029)	(2,036,982)	(8,325,145)	
Borrowings	(109,626,708)	(450,565,770)	(58,914,368)	(240,783,022)	
Subordinated debts	(7,673,985)	(31,540,078)	(9,397,981)	(38,409,548)	
Debt securities	(773,136)	(3,177,589)	(2,510,158)	(10,259,016)	
Lease liabilities	(1,500,528)	(6,167,170)	(1,898,088)	(7,757,486)	
Total interest expense	(319,087,361)	(1,311,449,054)	(245,638,068)	(1,003,922,784)	
Net interest income	348,625,262	1,432,849,827	361,128,210	1,475,930,994	

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24. NET FEE AND COMMISSION INCOME

	For the year ended 31 December 2023		For the ye	
-	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Fee and commission income:	045.044	007.440		
Fee income from loans Local remittance and services	215,844 1,609,155	887,119	- 600 171	2 700 022
Local remiliance and services	1,009,133	6,613,627	682,171	2,788,033
Total fee and commission income _	1,824,999	7,500,746	682,171	2,788,033
Borrowing service charges	(2,472,436)	(10,161,712)	(1,388,196)	(5,673,557)
Bank charges	(200,608)	(824,499)	(123,142)	(503,281)
Others fee expense	(1,689)	(6,942)	(5,392)	(22,038)
Total fee and commission expense _	(2,674,733)	(10,993,153)	(1,516,730)	(6,198,876)
Net fee and commission income	(849,734)	(3,492,407)	(834,559)	(3,410,843)

25. OTHER INCOME

		For the year ended 31 December 2023				ear ended iber 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Other income	330,693	1,359,147	1,034,510	4,228,043		
	330,693	1,359,147	1,034,510	4,228,043		

26. CREDIT IMPAIRMENT LOSSES

	For the year ended 31 December 2023		For the yea	
-	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Expected Credit Loss (ECL)/ (Reversal):				
Loans and advances to customers	127,845,934	525,446,789	19,014,983	77,714,236
Other assets	(16,723)	(68,732)	6,783	27,722
Deposits and placements with	, ,	, ,		·
other banks	(70,643)	(290,343)	36,748	150,189
Off-balance sheet item	(479,524)	(1,970,844)	-	-
-	127,279,044	523,116,870	19,058,514	77,892,147
Recovery on loans previously				
written off	(4,176,176)	(17,164,083)	(4,159,268)	(16,998,928)
_	123,102,868	505,952,787	14,899,246	60,893,219

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27. PERSONNEL EXPENSES

	For the year ended 31 December 2023		For the ye	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Salaries	63,203,455	259,766,200	75,830,999	309,921,293
Incentives and bonuses	16,024,491	65,860,658	9,635,889	39,381,878
Employee benefits	4,220,796	17,347,472	4,909,046	20,063,271
Employee social welfare fund				
expenses	1,949,650	8,013,062	1,264,902	5,169,654
Medical expenses	91,217	374,902	75,730	309,509
Staff uniform	714,145	2,935,136	611,542	2,499,372
Other staff benefits	539,888	2,218,939	637,051	2,603,628
	86,743,642	356,516,369	92,965,159	379,948,605

28. DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION CHARGES

	For the year ended 31 December 2023		For the ye 31 Decem	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Depreciation of property and				
equipment (note 8)	2,351,402	9,664,262	2,106,023	8,607,316
Amortisation of intangible assets (note 10) – Software cost Depreciation charge of right-of-use	298,396	1,226,408	292,002	1,193,412
assets (note 9.ii)	5,046,842	20,742,520	4,383,937	17,917,151
-	7,696,640	31,633,190	6,781,962	27,717,879

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29. OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES

	For the yea		•	For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Fuel costs	4,990,185	20,509,660	4,300,351	17,575,535		
Professional fees	3,510,561	14,428,406	2,884,305	11,788,155		
Maintenance	3,089,687	12,698,614	1,683,302	6,879,655		
Marketing and promotions	1,485,557	6,105,639	631,883	2,582,506		
Utilities	1,413,761	5,810,558	1,190,345	4,864,940		
Printing and stationery	1,222,579	5,024,800	1,217,217	4,974,766		
Transportation expense to leases						
of low-value assets	1,168,712	4,803,406	1,095,973	4,479,242		
Communications	1,066,772	4,384,433	930,355	3,802,361		
Other tax expenses	927,479	3,811,939	815,266	3,331,992		
Donation	647,950	2,663,075	237,589	971,026		
License fees	597,179	2,454,406	505,754	2,067,017		
Rental expense related to short-						
term lease and lease of low-	440.040	4 0 40 000	700.070	0.007.470		
value assets	448,643	1,843,923	726,076	2,967,473		
Office supplies	394,847	1,622,821	301,365	1,231,679		
Per diem and travelling	356,793	1,466,419	153,715	628,233		
Bank charges	342,049	1,405,821	131,464	537,293		
Training	298,277	1,225,918	158,229	646,682		
Stamp Tax	284,073	1,167,540	257,488	1,052,353		
Entertainment expense	247,714	1,018,105	383,029	1,565,440		
Transportation	195,181	802,194	170,223	695,701		
Others expenses	985,807	4,051,666	613,634	2,507,921		
	23,673,806	97,299,343	18,387,563	75,149,970		

Audit fee information

The following fees were paid or are payable to PricewaterhouseCoopers (Cambodia) Ltd.

	For the year December		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Statutory audit Assurance engagements	114,000	468,540	-	-	
Special purpose financial statements audit	60,000	246,600	-	-	
Quarter 1 ending 31 March 2023 review	18,500	76,035			
	192,500	791,175			

PricewaterhouseCoopers (Cambodia) Ltd was not the auditor of the bank in prior year.

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30. INCOME TAX EXPENSE

a) Income tax expense

	For the ye 31 Decem		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Current income tax Under provision from prior year Tax incentive on bond listing Deferred income tax	28,731,783 - - (6,311,390)	118,087,628 - - (25,939,813)	47,234,851 1,156,005 (783,078) (2,789,245)	193,048,836 4,724,592 (3,200,440) (11,399,644)	
	22,420,393	92,147,815	44,818,533	183,173,344	

b) Reconciliation between income tax expenses and accounting profit

	For the ye 31 Decem		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Profit before income tax	109,340,977	449,391,416	226,093,878	924,045,678	
Effective tax rate at 20%	21,868,195	89,878,281	45,218,776	184,809,138	
Tax effects in respect of: Expenses not deductible for tax					
purposes	552,198	2,269,534	382,835	1,564,646	
Tax incentive on bond listing			(783,078)	(3,200,440)	
Income tax expenses	22,420,393	92,147,815	44,818,533	183,173,344	

Under the Cambodian tax regulations, the Bank is subject to 20% Income Tax.

c) Other matters

Taxes are calculated on the basis of current interpretation of the tax regulations enacted as at reporting date. The management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulation is subjected to interpretation. It establishes provisions where appropriate on the basis of amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities.

However, these regulations are subject to periodic variation and the ultimate determination of tax liabilities will be made following inspection by the tax authorities. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the amounts initially recorded, such differences will impact the taxes liabilities and balances in the period in which the determination is made.

On 26 April 2022, the Company received a tax notification letter from the General Department of Taxation ("GDT") for a comprehensive tax audit for the period from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2021. As at the date of this report, the GDT has yet issued any result to the Bank.

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31. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Cash on hand Deposits and placements with National Bank of Cambodia:	114,593,282	468,113,557	127,423,827	524,603,896	
Current accounts	90,982,203	371,662,299	64,590,618	265,919,574	
Term deposits (original term of three months or less) Deposits and placements with the other banks:	2,530,318	10,336,349	372,869	1,535,102	
Current accounts	17,101,048	69,857,781	2,858,502	11,768,453	
Savings accounts Term deposits (original term of	739,736	3,021,822	147,697	608,069	
three months or less)		<u>-</u>	3,000,000	12,351,000	
Cash and cash equivalents	225,946,587	922,991,808	198,393,513	816,786,094	

32. CASHFLOW INFORMATION

a) Cash flow from operations

		ear ended nber 2023		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000		
Profit for before income tax	109,340,977	449,391,416	226,093,878	924,045,678		
Adjustments for:						
Depreciation and amortisation						
charges (Note 28)	7,696,640	31,633,190	6,781,962	27,717,879		
Credit impairment loss (Note 26)	123,102,868	505,952,787	14,899,246	60,893,219		
Loss/(Gain) on disposal of						
property and equipment	8,670	35,634	(99,235)	(405,573)		
Gain on early terminate and						
modification of lease contract	(269,623)	(1,108,151)	-	-		
Employee benefits expenses						
(Note 27)	4,220,796	17,347,472	4,909,046	20,063,271		
Unrealised gain/loss	(2,451,712)	(10,076,537)	3,284,314	13,422,991		
Net Interest income (Note 23)	(348,625,262)	(1,432,849,827)	(361,128,210)	(1,475,930,994)		
Changes in working capital:						
Statutory deposits	(116,912,764)	(480,511,460)	(22,734,931)	(92,917,663)		
Loans and advances	(317,468,154)	(1,304,794,113)	(620,522,212)	(2,536,074,280)		
Other assets	(2,934,136)	(12,059,299)	(2,552,587)	(10,432,424)		
Deposits from banks and other						
financial institutions	20,145,061	82,796,201	(31,120,531)	(127,189,610)		
Deposits from customers	222,071,980	912,715,838	183,018,294	747,995,768		
Other liabilities	(2,589,444)	(10,642,615)	(1,629,266)	(6,658,810)		
Cash used in operations	(304,664,103)	(1,252,169,464)	(600,800,232)	(2,455,470,548)		

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32. CASHFLOW INFORMATION (continued)

b) Net debt reconciliation

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Net debt					
Cash and cash equivalents	225,946,587	922,991,808	198,393,513	816,786,094	
Borrowings	(1,394,794,360)	(5,697,734,961)	(971,259,425)	(3,998,675,053)	
Subordinated debts	(50,804,364)	(207,535,827)	(89,677,427)	(369,201,967)	
Debt securities	-	-	(31,168,428)	(128, 320, 418)	
Lease liabilities	(19,922,591)	(81,383,784)	(18,973,227)	(78,112,776)	
Net debt	(1,239,574,728)	(5,063,662,764)	(912,684,994)	(3,757,524,120)	
Cash and liquid investments Gross debt – fixed interest rates Gross debt – variable interest	225,946,587 (29,605,235)	922,991,808 (120,937,385)	198,393,513 (440,970,024)	816,786,094 (1,815,473,589)	
rates	(1,435,916,080)	(5,865,717,187)	(670,108,483)	(2,758,836,625)	
Net debt	(1,239,574,728)	(5,063,662,764)	(912,684,994)	(3,757,524,120)	

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32. CASHFLOW INFORMATION (continued)

b) Net debt reconciliation (continued)

	Borrowings US\$	Subordinated debt US\$	Debt securities US\$	Lease liabilities US\$	Sub-total US\$	Cash and cash equivalents US\$	Total US\$
Net debt as at 1 January 2022 Cash flows New leases Foreign exchange differences Other changes - non cash	(829,821,864) (143,420,060) - 2,041,347 (58,848)	(105,191,790) 15,321,929 - - 192,434	(31,342,099) - - 174,946 (1,275)	2,534,300 (6,782,138)	(981,947,191) (125,563,831) (6,782,138) 2,028,806 1,185,847	364,927,185 (166,533,672) - -	(617,020,006) (292,097,503) (6,782,138) 2,028,806 1,185,847
Net debt as at 31 December 2022	(971,259,425)	(89,677,427)	(31,168,428)	(18,973,227)	(1,111,078,507)	198,393,513	(912,684,994)
In KHR '000 equivalent	(3,998,675,053)	(369,201,967)	(128,320,418)	(78,112,776)	(4,574,310,214)	816,786,094	(3,757,524,120)
Net debt as at 1 January 2023 Cash flows New leases Foreign exchange differences Other changes - non cash	(971,259,425) (114,177,358) - (1,320,288) (308,037,289)	(89,677,427) 38,500,000 - (64,691) 437,754	(31,168,428) 30,911,300 - (144,175) 401,303	(18,973,227) 4,638,970 (5,066,817) (114,988) (406,529)	(1,111,078,507) (40,127,088) (5,066,817) (1,644,142) (307,604,761)	198,393,513 27,553,074 - -	(912,684,994) (12,574,014) (5,066,817) (1,644,142) (307,604,761)
Net debt as at 31 December 2023	(1,394,794,360)	(50,804,364)		(19,922,591)	(1,465,521,315)	225,946,587	(1,239,574,728)
In KHR '000 equivalent	(5,697,734,961)	(207,535,827)		(81,383,784)	(5,986,654,572)	922,991,808	(5,063,662,764)

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33. COMMITMENTS

a) Loan commitments

Contractual amounts arising from off-balance sheet financial instruments that the Bank committed to extend credit to customers are as follows:

	As at 31 Dece	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Unused portion of overdrafts Guarantees	3,145,352 2,371,315	12,848,763 9,686,822	- -	-	
Net exposure	5,516,667	22,535,585	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	

b) Lease commitment

Lease commitments for low-value assets and short-term leases are immaterial.

34. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

The Bank entered into a number of transactions with related parties in the normal course of business. The volumes of related party transactions, outstanding balance at the year end and relating expenses and income for the year are as follows:

a) Related parties and relationship

The related parties of and their relationship with the Bank are as follows:

Relationship	Related party
Ultimate parent	KB FINANCIAL GROUP INC.
Immediate parent	Kookmin Bank Co, Ltd.
Related company	Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc KB Daehan Specialised Bank Plc. Kookmin Bank Hong Kong Branch KB Bank Myanmar Co., Ltd.
Key management personnel	All directors of the Bank who make critical decisions in relation to the strategic direction of the Bank and senior management staff (including their close family members)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

34. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (continued)

b) Loans and advances to key management personnel

	As at 31 Decei	mber 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Loans to key management					
personnel	818,519	3,343,650	527,521	2,171,804	
	For the year ended 31 December 20223		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Interest income	61,415	252,416	62,386	254,972	

Loans and advances to key management personnel are secured and having interest rate of 4.10% to 10.80% per annum (2022: 8.00% to 10.80% per annum). Allowances for expected credit losses for loans to related parties recognised during the year of US\$ 3,279 (31 December 2022: US\$ 690).

c) Borrowings from parent and related companies

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Outstanding borrowings Kookmin Bank Co, Ltd. Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc KB Daehan Specialized Bank Plc Kookmin Bank Hong Kong Branch	630,665,097 - - -	2,576,266,921	135,444,846 7,938,656 2,922,965 135,860,538	557,626,431 32,683,447 12,033,847 559,337,835	
	630,665,097	2,576,266,921	282,167,005	1,161,681,560	
	For the year ended 31 December 20223		For the year ended 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	
Interest expense Kookmin Bank Co. Ltd Kookmin Bank Hong Kong Branch	42,722,378	175,588,974	2,389,394 7,386,081	9,765,453 30,186,913	
Nookiiiii Balik Hong Nong Branch	42,722,378	175,588,974	9,775,475	39,952,366	
	72,122,010	170,000,014	5,775,-775	00,002,000	

Please refer to Note 16 for key terms and conditions.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

34. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (continued)

d) Subordinated debts from parent

	As at 31 Dece	ember 2023	As at 31 Dece	ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Outstanding subordinated debts				
Kookmin Bank Hong Kong Branch	40,232,289	164,348,901	50,274,973	206,982,064
	For the year		For the year ended 31 December 2022	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Interest expense Kookmin Bank Hong Kong Branch	4,402,132	18,092,763	4,538,921	18,550,570

Please refer to Note 21 for key terms and conditions.

e) Deposits from related parties

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 Dec	ember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Board of directors	74,627	304,851	60,534	249,218
Key management personnel	11,864,499	48,466,478	15,994,386	65,848,887
KB Daehan Specialized Bank Plc	374,006	1,527,815	970	3,993
KB Bank Myanmar Co., Ltd	23,127,290	94,474,980	22,451,500	92,432,826
Kookmin Bank Seoul	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Interest payable	543,034	2,218,294	575,177	2,368,002
	35,983,456	146,992,418	39,082,567	160,902,926
	For the ye		For the ye	
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Interest expense				
Board of directors	3,946	16,218	1,424	5,820
Key managements	667,518	2,743,499	818,664	3,345,880
KB Bank Myanmar Co., Ltd	1,059,622	4,355,046	617,686	2,543,013
	1,731,086	7,114,763	1,437,774	5,894,713

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

34. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (continued)

e) Deposits from related parties (continued)

Annual interest rates during the year are as follows:

	31 December 2023		31 December 2022	
_	Min	Max	Min	Max
Shareholders				
Board of directors				
Savings				
- KHR		1.50%		N/A
- USD		1.50%-2.50%		2.50%
Time Deposits				
- USD		5.75%-8.25%		5.50%-7.50%
Key management personnel				
Savings				
- KHR		1.50%-2.50%		1.50%-2.50%
- USD		1.50%-2.75%		1.50%-2.75%
Time Deposits				
- KHR		6.00%-8.50%		4.00%-8.00%
- USD		3.50%-8.25%		3.50%-8.00%
Related companies				
Time Deposits				
- USD		6.00%		3.50%
Borrowing				
- KHR		N/A		6.20%
- USD		6.48%-10.46%		4.84%-9.57%
f) Key management compensation	n			
	For the ye	ar ended	For the year	ır ended
	31 Decem	ber 2023	31 Decemb	er 2022
·	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
Directors' fees	284,816	1,170,594	277,097	1,132,495
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Key management personnel				
Management incentive – short term	2,356,423	9,684,899	5,636,800	23,037,602
Salaries and employee benefits – short term	8,176,118	33,603,845	5,199,957	21,252,224
	10,532,541	43,288,744	10,836,757	44,289,826
-	10,002,041	40,200,144	10,000,101	77,203,020

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

35. BUSINESS COMBINATION

PRASAC Microfinance Institution Plc. and Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc. are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Kookmin Bank Co., Ltd. (KB), the management decided to use predecessor accounting for this merger and opted to use prospective approach from the date of merger. The balance of the merged entities as at 31 August 2023 would be the opening balance on 1 September 2023. PRASAC Microfinance Institution Plc. has changed its legal entity name to KB PRASAC Bank Plc. The merger is non-cash consideration and through issuance of 20,272,269 new shares to KB.

Under predecessor accounting, no goodwill is recognised for this merger. The difference between the carrying value of net assets and transaction costs is recorded as a reserve within equity. There was no business combination in 2022. The assets, liabilities and equity from the business combination under common control are as follows:

	US\$
Carrying value of net assets transferred	
ASSETS	
Cash on hand	4,869,052
Balances with the National Bank of Cambodia	84,642,956
Balances with other banks	32,834,405
Loans and advances to customers	403,766,048
Financial assets at FVOCI	25,588 802,408
Property and equipment Right-of-use assets	1,205,079
Intangible assets	141,890
Deferred tax assets	880,227
Other assets	919,034
TOTAL ASSETS	530,086,687
LIABILITIES	
Deposits from banks and other financial institutions	38,892,784
Deposits from customers	23,219,005
Borrowings	353,742,924
Lease liabilities	1,229,044
Income tax payable	450,000
Other liabilities	335,865
TOTAL LIABILITIES	417,869,622
TOTAL LIABILITIES	417,009,022
NET ASSETS	112,217,065
	,2.17,000
Issuance of share capital	20,272,269
Reserves (1)	91,944,796
	112,217,065
Cash and cash equivalents acquired	80,270,504
Effect of elimination of intercompany balances (2)	16,254
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Cash and cash equivalents – adjusted	80,286,758
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

35. BUSINESS COMBINATION (continued)

- (1) The central bank issued letter No. B7-023-2377 Chor. Tor dated 30 October 2023 approving the inclusion of equity transferred from Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc. into reserves, other than revaluation reserves. The initial approved amount was US\$112,675,751. As at 31 December 2023, US\$91,944,796 was allocated to the reserves.
- (2) Effect of elimination to net assets upon merger consists of deposits balance that KB PRASAC BANK PLC had with Kookmin Bank Cambodia Plc of US\$13,941 and other interest income of US\$2,313.

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36. YEAR RECLASSIFICATION

The statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income of prior year has been restated to reclassify certain information that is more relevant to it nature and consistent with the current year.

	As at 31 Dece	ember 2022	Reclassif	ication	As at 31 Dec	cember 2022
	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000	US\$	KHR'000
	(Previously reported)	(Previously reported)			(Reclassified)	(Reclassified)
Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income (extract)						
Interest income	593,225,622	2,424,513,117	13,540,656	55,340,661	606,766,278	2,479,853,778
Other income	9,738,461	39,801,090	(8,703,951)	(35,573,047)	1,034,510	4,228,043
Fees and commission income	9,678,144	39,554,575	(8,995,973)	(36,766,542)	682,171	2,788,033
Credit impairment losses	(19,058,514)	(77,892,147)	4,159,268	16,998,928	(14,899,246)	(60,893,219)
	593,583,713	2,425,976,635			593,583,713	2,425,976,635

Notes on reclassification:

- 1) Penalty from early loans paid off of US\$4,544,683 was reclassified from other income to interest income.
- 2) Refinancing fee charged for loan modification is a modification gain and is an integral part of the effective interest rate, so US\$8,995,973 was reclassified from fee and commission income to interest income.
- 3) Recovery from loan previously written is a reversal of impairment loss, so US\$4,159,268 was reclassified from other income to credit impairment losses.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Bank's activities expose them to a variety of financial risks: credit risk, market risk (including currency risk, interest rate risk and price risk), and liquidity risk. Taking risk is core to the financial business, and the operational risks are the inevitable consequence of being in business.

The Bank does not use derivative financial instruments such as foreign exchange contracts and interest rate swaps to manage their risk exposure.

The financial assets and liabilities held by the Bank are as follows:

	As at 31 December 2023		As at 31 De	cember 2022
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000
Financial assets				
Financial assets Financial assets measured at				
amortised costs:				
Cash on hand	114,593,282	468,113,557	127,423,827	524,603,896
Deposits and placements with				
National Bank of Cambodia	99,163,350	405,082,285	65,508,803	269,699,742
Deposits and placements with				
other banks	17,826,886	72,822,829	5,946,137	24,480,246
Loans and advances	4,906,047,296	20,041,203,204	4,296,121,785	17,687,133,389
Other financial assets	2,705,133	11,050,468	932,610	3,839,555
	5,140,335,947	20,998,272,343	4 495 933 162	18,509,756,828
	0,140,000,047	20,000,272,040	4,400,000,102	10,000,100,020
Financial assets at fair value				
through other comprehensive				
income	53,755	219,589	28,167	115,964
Total financial assets	5,140,389,702	20,998,491,932	4 405 061 320	19 500 972 702
Total Illiancial assets	5,140,369,702	20,990,491,932	4,495,961,329	16,509,672,792
Financial liabilities				
Financial liabilities measured at				
amortised cost:				
Deposits from banks and other				
financial institutions	109,827,245	448,644,296	50,037,118	206,002,815
Deposits from customers	3,000,373,984	12,256,527,725	2,727,207,862	11,227,914,768
Borrowings	1,394,794,360	5,697,734,961	971,259,425	3,998,675,053
Debt securities Lease liabilities	- 19,922,591	81,383,784	31,168,428	128,320,418
Subordinated debts	50,804,364	207,535,827	18,973,227 89,677,427	78,112,776 369,201,967
Other liabilities	6,062,586	24,765,664	6,898,723	28,402,043
Cities habilities	0,002,000	27,700,004	0,000,720	20,402,043
Total financial liabilities	4,581,785,130	18,716,592,257	3,895,222,210	16,036,629,840

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk

a) Credit risk measurement

Credit risk is the risk of suffering financial loss, should any of the Bank's customers, clients or market counterparties fail to fulfil their contractual obligations to the Bank. Credit risk arises from deposits and placements with the central bank, deposits and placements with other banks, loans and advances, other financial assets at amortised cost, and credit commitments. Credit exposure arises principally in lending activities. Credit risk is managed on a group basis.

Central bank has no historical loss, and with strong capacity to meet obligation in near term, expected credit loss for deposits and placements with the central bank are nil. Deposits and placements with other banks are considered to be low credit risk. The credit ratings of these assets are monitored for credit deterioration. Measurement for impairment is limited to 12-month expected credit loss. Other financial assets at amortised cost are monitored for its credit rating deterioration, and the measurement of impairment follows a three-stage approach in Note 37.1 (c).

For loans and advances and credit commitments, the estimation of credit exposure for risk management purposes requires the use of models, as the exposure varies with changes in market conditions, expected cash flows and the passage of time. The assessment of credit risk of a portfolio of assets entails further estimations as to the likelihood of default occurring, of the associated loss ratios and of default correlations between counterparties. The Bank measures credit risk using Probability of Default (PD), Exposure at Default (EAD) and Loss Given Default (LGD) for the purposes of measuring Expected Credit Loss under CIFRS 9.

b) Risk limit control and mitigation policies

The Bank operates and provide loans and advances to individuals or enterprises within the Kingdom of Cambodia. The Bank manages limits and control the concentration of credit risk whenever it is identified.

The Bank employs a range of policies and practices to mitigate credit risk. The most traditional of these is the taking of security in the form of collateral for loans and advances. The Bank implements guidelines on the acceptability of specific classes of collateral or credit risk mitigation. The principal collateral types as security for loans and advances are:

- mortgages over residential properties (land, building and other properties); and
- charges over business assets such as land and buildings
- c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies

The measurement of expected credit loss allowance under the CIFRS9's three-stage approach is to recognise lifetime expected credit loss allowance for financial instruments for which there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial origination or is credit-impaired as at the reporting date. The financial instrument which has not undergone any significant deterioration in credit risk shall be recognised with 12-month expected credit loss allowance.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies (continued)

Under the three-stage approach, the financial instrument is allocated into three stages based on the relative movement in the credit risk.

- Stage 1 includes financial instruments that neither have a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition nor credit-impaired as at reporting date. For these assets, 12-month expected credit loss allowance are recognised.
- Stage 2 includes financial instruments that have had a significant increase in credit risk since
 initial recognition but do not have objective evidence of impairment. For these assets, lifetime
 expected credit loss allowance are recognised.
- Stage 3 includes financial instruments that have objective evidence of impairment at the reporting date. For these assets, lifetime expected credit loss allowance are recognised.
- Purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets are those financial assets that are creditimpaired on initial recognition. Their expected credit loss allowance is always measured on a lifetime basis (Stage 3).

The key judgements and assumptions adopted by the Bank in addressing the requirements of the standard on the measurement of allowances are:

(i) Significant increase in credit risk (SICR):

The assessment of SICR shall be a multifactor and holistic analysis and based on a mixture of quantitative and/or qualitative information. To determine whether the risk of default of a loan/financing has increased significantly since initial recognition, the current risk of default at the reporting date is compared with the risk of default at initial recognition. A borrower is considered to have credit risk increased significantly since initial recognition if past due is 30 days or more.

(ii) Definition of default and credit-impaired assets

The Bank defines a financial instrument as in default which is also credit-impaired when it meets one of the following criteria:

- The borrower/obligor is 90 days past due or more on its contractual payments.
- The loan is forced impaired due to various reasons, such as bankruptcy, significant financial difficulty, etc. In the event where a loan is not in default or past due but force impaired, the loan shall be classified as impaired upon approval by the management.
- Restructuring and rescheduling of a loan facility involves any substantial modification made to the
 original repayment terms and conditions of the loan facility following an increase in the credit risk
 of an obligor/counterparty.
- When an obligor/counterparty has multiple loans with the Bank and cross default obligation applies, an assessment of provision is required under which default of one debt obligation triggers default on another debt obligation (cross default). Where there is no right to set off clause is available, assessment of provision needs to be performed on individual loan level instead of consolidated obligor/counterparty level.
- Write-off/charged-off accounts.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

- c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies (continued)
- (iii) Measuring ECL Explanation of inputs, assumptions and estimation techniques

The Expected Credit Loss (ECL) is measured on either a 12-month (12M) or Lifetime basis depending on whether a significant increase in credit risk has occurred since initial recognition or whether an asset is considered to be credit-impaired. Expected credit losses are the discounted product of the Probability of Default (PD), Loss Given Default (LGD), and Exposure at Default (EAD), defined as follows:

- The PD represents the likelihood of a borrower defaulting on its financial obligation (as per Definition of default and credit-impaired above), either over the next 12 months (12M PD), or over the remaining lifetime (Lifetime PD) of the obligation.
- Loss Given Default (LGD) represents the Bank's expectation of the extent of loss on a defaulted
 exposure. LGD varies by type of counterparty, type and seniority of claim and availability of
 collateral or other credit support. LGD is a percentage loss per unit of exposure at the time of
 default (EAD). LGD is being the percentage of loss expected to be made if the default occurs over
 the remaining expected lifetime of the loan.
- EAD is based on the amounts the Bank expects to be owed at the time of default, over the next 12 months (12M EAD) or over the remaining lifetime (Lifetime EAD).

The ECL is determined by projecting the PD, LGD, and EAD for each future year and for each collective segment. These three components are multiplied together. This effectively calculates an ECL for each future year, which is then discounted back to the reporting date and summed. The discount rate used in the ECL calculation is the original effective interest rate or an approximation thereof.

The lifetime PD is developed by applying a maturity profile to the current 12M PD.

The 12-month and lifetime LGDs are determined based on the factors which impact the recoveries made post default.

The 12-month and lifetime EADs are determined based on the expected payment profile, which varies by product type. For amortising products and bullet repayment loans, this is based on the contractual repayments owed by the borrower over a 12-month or lifetime basis. This will also be adjusted for any expected overpayments made by a borrower.

The assumptions underlying the ECL calculation are monitored and reviewed periodically. There have been no significant changes in estimation techniques or significant assumptions made during the reporting year except for the change described in Note 37 f) (iv).

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

- c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies (continued)
- (iv) Forward-looking information incorporated in the ECL models

The estimation of ECL considers forward-looking information. The Bank has performed statistical analysis based on historical experience to identify the key economic variables impacting credit risk and expected credit losses for each portfolio.

The analysis is performed on PD to understand the impact changes in these variables have had historically on default rate. Historical economic variables for analysis are sourced from National Bank of Cambodia, International Monetary Fund and World Bank published data.

As at 31 December 2023

The statistic regression analysis shows no relationship of these economic variables on histrorical default rate, which is a reflective relationship of the current economic condition.

The Bank assumed a certain correlation and applied a forward-looking scalar estimate on the historical probability of default and loss given default. The Bank has performed directional verification as a backtesting and assessed that the scalar is appropriate. The management assessed that the approach effectively absorb the credit risk for the recent economic condition.

MEVs for baseline, upside, and downside scenarios are computed by adjusting the baseline MEVs with plus/minus two standard deviation. A probability-weighted scenarios is then applied as the followings:

Probability weighted outcome PWO Baseline Upside Downside As at 31 December 2023 20% 20% 60%

As at 31 December 2022

In order to forecast the probability of default for future years, the known quarterly Observed Default Rates (ODRs) are regressed against the quarterly macro-economic variables ("MEVs") values. The Bank applied probability weighted scenarios to forecast future MEVs.

A forward-looking scalar is computed as the ratio of the ODR based on the most recently known MEVs and the forecasted MEVs.

MEVs for baseline, upside, and downside scenarios are computed by adjusting the baseline MEVs with plus/minus two standard deviation. A probability-weighted scenarios is then applied as the followings:

Probability weighted out	come		
PWO	Baseline	Upside	Downside
As at 31 December 2022	40%	20%	40%

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

- c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies (continued)
- (iv) Forward-looking information incorporated in the ECL models (continued)

The Bank is to periodically perform statistical analysis and monitor its portfolio's circumstances.

Other forward-looking considerations not otherwise analysed within above, such as the impact of any regulatory, legislative or political changes, have also been considered, but are not deemed to have a material impact and therefore no adjustment has been made to the ECL for such factors.

Sensitivity analysis:

The most significant assumptions affecting the ECL allowance is the change in weightings determined for each of the economic scenarios.

The Bank is to periodically perform statistical analysis and minitor its portfolios's circumstances.

(v) Grouping of exposure for ECL measured on collective basis

For expected credit loss provisions modelled on a collective basis, a grouping of exposures is performed on the basis of shared risk characteristics, such that risk exposures within a group are homogeneous.

In performing this grouping, there must be sufficient information for the group to be statistically credible. Where sufficient information is not available internally, the Bank has considered benchmarking internal/external supplementary data to use for modelling purposes. The appropriateness of groupings is monitored and reviewed on a periodic basis.

(v) Write off policy

Write-off is usually taken when relevant recovery actions have been exhausted or further recovery is not economically feasible or justifiable. When a loan or debt instrument is deemed uncollectible, it is written off against the related allowance for impairment. Such loans are either written off in full or partially after taking into consideration the realisable value of collateral (if any) and when in the judgement of the management, there is no prospect of recovery. All write-offs must be approved by The Board of Directors or its delegated authorities.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

- c) Impairment (expected credit loss), write-off, and modification of financial assets policies (continued)
- (vii) Modification of loans

The Bank sometimes renegotiates or otherwise modifies the contractual cash flows of loans and advances to customers. When this happens, the Bank assess whether or not the new terms are substantially different to the original terms. The Bank does this by considering, among others, the following factors:

- If the borrower is in financial difficulty, whether the modification merely reduces the contractual cash flows to amounts the borrower is expected to be able to pay.
- Whether any substantial new terms are introduced, such as a profit share/equity-based return that substantially affects the risk profile of the loan.
- Significant extension of the loan term when the borrower is not in financial difficulty.
- Significant change in the interest rate.
- Change in the currency the loan is denominated in.
- Insertion of collateral, other security or credit enhancements that significantly affect the credit risk associated with the loan.

The risk of default of such loans after modification is assessed at the reporting date and compared with the risk under the original terms at initial recognition, when the modification is not substantial and so does not result in derecognition of the original loans. The Bank monitors the subsequent performance of modified assets. The Bank may determine that the credit risk has significantly improved after restructuring, so that the assets are moved from Stage 3 or Stage 2 (Lifetime ECL) to Stage 1 (12-month ECL).

d) Maximum exposures to credit risk before collateral held or other credit enhancements of the Bank are as follows:

	Maximum credit exposure US\$	Maximum credit exposure KHR '000
31 December 2022		
On-balance sheet items	E 040 407	04 400 040
Deposits and placements with other banks Loans and advances to customers	5,946,137	
Other financial assets	4,296,121,785 932,610	17,687,133,389 3,839,555
Total	4,303,000,532	17,715,453,190
Off-balance sheet items		
Commitments		<u>-</u>
31 December 2023 On-balance sheet items		
Deposits and placements with other banks	17,826,886	72,822,829
Loans and advances to customers	4,906,047,296	20,041,203,204
Other financial assets	2,705,133	11,050,469
Total	4,926,579,315	20,125,076,502
Off-balance sheet items		
Commitments	3,145,352	12,848,763

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

d) Maximum exposures to credit risk before collateral held or other credit enhancements of the Bank are as follows: (continued)

The above table represents a worst-case scenario of credit risk exposure to the Bank, since collateral held and/or other credit enhancement attached were not taken into account. For on-balance sheet assets, the exposures set out above are based on net carrying amounts. As shown above, 99.9% for the Bank (2022: 99.9%) of total maximum exposure is derived from deposits and placements with the central banks, deposits and placements with other banks, and loans and advances. While deposits and placements with the central bank and deposits and placements with other banks are low credit risk, management is confident of its ability to continue to control and sustain minimal exposure on credit risk resulting from the Bank's loans and advances due to the following:

- Most loans and advances are collateralised
- The Bank has a proper credit evaluation process in place for granting of loans and advances.
- e) Credit quality of financial assets

Loans and advances and credit commitments

The Bank assesses credit quality of loans, advances and financing using NBC classification. Credit quality description is summarised as follows:

NBC classification	Days past due (DPD)	Credit Quality	Description
Standard	Short term: 0 ≤ DPD ≤ 14	Standard	Obligors in this category exhibit
	Long term: 0 ≤ DPD < 30	monitoring	strong capacity to meet financial commitment.
Special mention	Short term: 15 ≤ DPD ≤ 30	Special	Obligors in this category have a
	Long term: 30 ≤ DPD < 90	monitoring	fairly acceptable capacity to meet financial commitments.
Sub-standard	Short term: 31 ≤ DPD ≤ 60		
	Long term: 90 ≤ DPD < 180		
Doubtful	Short term: 61 ≤ DPD ≤ 90	Default/Credit	Obligors are assessed to be
	Long term: 180 ≤ DPD <360	impaired	impaired.
Loss	Short term: DPD ≥ 91		
	Long term: DPD ≥ 360		

Financial assets other than loans and advances and credit commitments

The credit quality of financial instruments other than loans, advances and financing are determined based on the ratings of counterparties as defined equivalent ratings of other internationals rating agencies as defined below:

Credit Quality	Description
Sovereign	Refer to financial assets issued by central banks or guarantees by central banks.
Investment grade	Refers to the credit quality of the financial asset that the issuer is able to meet payment obligation and exposure bondholder to low credit risk of default.
Non-investment grade	Refers to low credit quality of the financial asset that is highly exposed to default risk.
No rating	Refers to financial assets which are currently not assigned with ratings due to unavailability of ratings models.
Credit impaired	Refers to the asset that is being impaired.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

e) Credit quality of financial assets (continued)

Financial assets other than loans and advances and credit commitments (continued)

The following table shows an analysis of the credit exposure by credit quality and stages, together with the ECL allowance provision:

	12-month ECL US\$	Lifetime ECL not Credit- Impaired US\$	Lifetime ECL Credit- Impaired US\$	Total US\$
31 December 2023 Deposits and placements with other banks			<u> </u>	<u>.</u>
Investment grade	16,950,564	-	-	16,950,564
Non-investment grade No rating	890,220	-	-	890,220
Gross carrying amount	17,840,784			17,840,784
Loss allowance (ECL)	(13,898)			(13,898)
Net carrying amount	17,826,886			17,826,886
In KHR '000 equivalent	72,822,829			72,822,829
	12-month ECL US\$	Lifetime ECL not Credit- Impaired US\$	Lifetime ECL Credit- Impaired US\$	Total US\$
31 December 2022 Deposits and placements with other banks	ECL	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	
Deposits and placements with other banks Investment grade	ECL	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	
Deposits and placements with other banks	ECL US\$	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	US\$
Deposits and placements with other banks Investment grade Non-investment grade	5,846,558	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	US\$ 5,846,558
Deposits and placements with other banks Investment grade Non-investment grade No rating	5,846,558 - 159,640	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	5,846,558 159,640
Deposits and placements with other banks Investment grade Non-investment grade No rating Gross carrying amount	5,846,558 - 159,640 6,006,198	not Credit- Impaired	Credit- Impaired	5,846,558 - 159,640 6,006,198

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

e) Credit quality of financial assets (continued)

Financial assets other than loans and advances and credit commitments (continued)

The following table shows an analysis of the credit exposure by credit quality and stages, together with the ECL allowance provision:

	Stage 1 US\$	Stage 2 US\$	Stage 3 US\$	Total US\$
31 December 2023 Loans and advances at amortised cost				
Standard monitoring Special monitoring Default	4,430,926,206 - 	- 441,243,616 -	- - 194,307,522	4,430,926,206 441,243,616 194,307,522
Gross carrying amount	4,430,926,206	441,243,616	194,307,522	5,066,477,344
Loss allowance (ECL)	(17,414,841)	(22,012,672)	(121,002,535)	(160,430,048)
Net carrying amount	4,413,511,365	419,230,944	73,304,987	4,906,047,296
In KHR '000 equivalent	18,029,193,925	1,712,558,406	299,450,872	20,041,203,203
	Stage 1 US\$	Stage 2 US\$	Stage 3 US\$	Total US\$
31 December 2022 Loans and advances at amortised cost Standard monitoring Special monitoring	•		<u>Ü</u> S\$ - -	4,063,756,209 232,790,030
Loans and advances at amortised cost Standard monitoring Special monitoring Default	4,063,756,209 -	232,790,030	<u>US\$</u> 53,538,924	4,063,756,209 232,790,030 53,538,924
Loans and advances at amortised cost Standard monitoring Special monitoring Default Gross carrying amount	4,063,756,209 - - 4,063,756,209	232,790,030 232,790,030	53,538,924 53,538,924	4,063,756,209 232,790,030 53,538,924 4,350,085,163
Loans and advances at amortised cost Standard monitoring Special monitoring Default	4,063,756,209 -	232,790,030	<u>US\$</u> 53,538,924	4,063,756,209 232,790,030 53,538,924

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

f) Loss allowance

Expected credit loss reconciliation - loans and advances to customers

	Stage 1	Stage 2 Lifetime ECL	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL	
	12-month	not Credit-	Credit-	
	ECL	Impaired	Impaired	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
Expected Credit Losses				
Loss allowance as at 1 January 2023	12,526,838	11,679,826	29,756,714	53,963,378
Changes due to exposure:				
Transfer to stage 1	624,023	(278,544)	(345,479)	-
Transfer to stage 2	(908, 257)	1,580,984	(672,727)	-
Transfer to stage 3	(2,133,234)	(5,890,494)	8,023,728	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	2,346,324	8,827,886	102,904,053	114,078,263
New financial assets originated or				
purchased	7,671,485	8,445,691	5,701,926	21,819,102
Financial assets collected during the period	(3,578,206)	(2,619,299)	(2,439,395)	(8,636,900)
Increase under legal merger with KBC	865,868	266,622	3,155,570	4,288,060
Written-off during the year	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(25,081,855)	(25,081,855)
Loss allowance as at 31 December 2023	17,414,841	22,012,672	121,002,535	160,430,048
In KHR'000 equivalent	71,139,625	89,921,765	494,295,355	655,356,745

(*) This is the impact of the measurement of ECL due to changes in PD, LGD, and credit rating of obligors during the year arising from regular refreshing of inputs to models.

	Stage 1	Stage 2 Lifetime ECL	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL		
	12-month ECL US\$	not Credit- Impaired US\$	Credit- Impaired US\$	Total US\$	
Gross carrying amount					
Gross carrying amount as at 1 January 2023	4,063,756,210	232,790,029	53,538,925	4,350,085,164	
Changes due to financial instruments recognised:					
Transfer to stage 1	1,926,074	(1,272,168)	(653,906)	-	
Transfer to stage 2	(251,678,188)	252,900,615	(1,222,427)	-	
Transfer to stage 3	(125,249,906)	(41,936,434)	167,186,340	-	
New financial assets originated or purchased	1,502,577,503	63,245,252	453,233	1,566,275,988	
Financial assets collected during the period	(1,161,107,860)	(67,316,053)	(4,432,379)	(1,232,856,292)	
Increase under legal merger with KBC	400,702,373	2,832,375	4,519,591	408,054,339	
Written-off during the year			(25,081,855)	(25,081,855)	
Gross carrying amount as at 31 December					
2023	4,430,926,206	441,243,616	194,307,522	5,066,477,344	
In KHR'000 equivalent	18,100,333,552	1,802,480,171	793,746,227	20,696,559,950	

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

f) Loss allowance (continued)

Expected credit loss reconciliation – loans and advances to customers (continued)

_	Stage 1 12-month ECL US\$	Stage 2 Lifetime ECL not Credit- Impaired US\$	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL Credit- Impaired US\$	Total US\$
Expected Credit Losses				
Loss allowance as at 1 January 2022	8,693,888	18,871,562	29,224,982	56,790,432
Changes due to exposure:				
Transfer to stage 1	1,437,316	(317,784)	(1,119,532)	-
Transfer to stage 2	(143,271)	3,113,461	(2,970,190)	-
Transfer to stage 3	(241,676)	(2,762,603)	3,004,279	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	(98,827)	(4,394,464)	23,742,902	19,249,611
New financial assets originated or				
purchased	5,029,391	712,317	795,085	6,536,793
Financial assets collected during the period	(2,149,983)	(3,542,663)	(1,078,775)	(6,771,421)
Written-off during the year	<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	(21,842,037)	(21,842,037)
Loss allowance as at for the year ended 31				
December 2022	12,526,838	11,679,826	29,756,714	53,963,378
December 2022	12,020,000	11,079,020	23,730,714	33,303,376
In KHR'000 equivalent	51,572,991	48,085,844	122,508,392	222,167,227

(*) This is the impact of the measurement of ECL due to changes in PD, LGD, and credit rating of obligors during the year arising from regular refreshing of inputs to models.

	Stage 1	Stage 2 Lifetime ECL	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL		
	12-month ECL US\$	not Credit- Impaired US\$	Credit- Impaired US\$	Total US\$	
Gross carrying amount					
Gross carrying amount as at 1 January 2022	3,324,506,816	377,764,550	50,740,126	3,753,011,492	
Changes due to financial instruments recognised:					
Transfer to stage 1	2,789,401	(1,146,288)	(1,643,113)	-	
Transfer to stage 2	(13,666,953)	18,091,345	(4,424,392)	-	
Transfer to stage 3	(16,074,833)	(18,981,138)	35,055,971	-	
New financial assets originated or purchased	2,183,870,650	3,149,529	1,461,860	2,188,482,039	
Financial assets collected during the period	(1,417,668,871)	(146,087,969)	(5,809,491)	(1,569,566,331)	
Write-offs	<u>-</u>		(21,842,037)	(21,842,037)	
Gross carrying amount as at 31 December					
2022	4,063,756,210	232,790,029	53,538,924	4,350,085,163	
In KHR'000 equivalent	16,730,484,317	958,396,549	220,419,750	17,909,300,616	

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.1 Credit risk (continued)

g) Concentration of financial assets with credit risk exposure

i. Industry sector

The following table provides a breakdown of the Bank's main credit exposure at their carrying amounts, as categorised by industry sector.

	Deposits and placements with other banks US\$	Loans and advances to customers US\$	Other assets US\$	Total US\$
31 December 2023 Financial intermediaries Trade and Commerce Service Real-estate Loans Home Improvement Agriculture Auto Loan Transportation Construction Personal Loan Manufacture	17,840,784	1,291,884,451 980,647,134 729,505,406 719,608,709 579,337,096 337,341,289 241,478,409 68,067,724 65,621,582 52,985,544	- - - - - - - -	17,840,784 1,291,884,451 980,647,134 729,505,406 719,608,709 579,337,096 337,341,289 241,478,409 68,067,724 65,621,582 52,985,544
Others	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	2,705,133	2,705,133
Total	17,840,784	5,066,477,344	<u>2,705,133</u>	5,087,023,261
Less: Expected credit loss	(13,898)	(160,430,048)	<u> </u>	(160,443,946)
Net carrying amount	17,826,886	4,906,047,296	2,705,133	4,926,579,315
In KHR '000 equivalent	72,822,829	20,041,203,204	11,050,468	20,125,076,501
31 December 2022 Financial intermediaries Trade and Commerce Service Real-estate Loans Home Improvement Agriculture Auto Loan Transportation Construction Personal Loan Manufacture Others	6,006,198 - - - - - - - - -	1,168,443,276 715,963,592 666,094,479 580,109,380 514,068,358 327,666,923 253,111,335 47,556,510 28,640,428 48,430,882	- - - - - - - - 932,610	6,006,198 1,168,443,276 715,963,592 666,094,479 580,109,380 514,068,358 327,666,923 253,111,335 47,556,510 28,640,428 48,430,882 932,610
Total	6,006,198	4,350,085,163	932,610	4,357,023,971
Less: Expected credit loss	(60,061)	(53,963,378)	<u>-</u>	(54,023,439)
Net carrying amount	5,946,137	4,296,121,785	932,610	4,303,000,532
In KHR '000 equivalent	24,480,246	17,687,133,389	3,839,555	17,715,453,190

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk

The Bank takes exposure to market risk, which is the risk that the fair value or future cash flow of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk arises from open positions in interest rates, currency and equity products, all of which are exposed to general and specific market movements and changes in the level of volatility of market rates or prices such as interest rates, credit spreads, foreign exchange rates and equity prices.

The Bank does not use derivative financial instruments such as foreign exchange contracts and interest rate swaps to hedge its risk exposure.

a) Foreign exchange risk

The Bank operates in Cambodia and transacts in many currencies and is exposed to currency risks primarily with respect to Khmer Riel and Thai Baht.

Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial transactions and recognised assets and liabilities denominated in a currency that is not the Bank's functional currency.

Management monitors foreign exchange risk against the Bank's functional currency. However, the Bank does not hedge its foreign exchange risk exposure arising from future commercial transactions and recognised assets and liabilities using forward contracts.

The Bank's policy is to maintain foreign currency exposure within acceptable limits and within existing regulatory guidelines.

The table below summarises the Bank's exposure to foreign currency exchange rate risk. Included in the table are the Bank's financial instruments at their carrying amounts by currency in US\$ equivalent.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

a) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

	In US\$ equivalent					
	USD	KHR	THB	Others	Total	
31 December 2023						
Financial assets						
Cash on hand	78,043,229	36,241,252	308,801	-	114,593,282	
Deposits and placements with National Bank of						
Cambodia	59,318,986	39,844,364	-	-	99,163,350	
Deposits and placements						
with banks	16,353,715	787,101	46,829	639,241	17,826,886	
Loans and advances	4,300,626,639	604,553,464	867,193	-	4,906,047,296	
Financial assets at FVOCI	53,755	-	-	-	53,755	
Other financial assets	2,702,449	2,684			2,705,133	
_	4,457,098,773	681,428,865	1,222,823	639,241	5,140,389,702	
Financial liabilities Deposits from banks and other financial						
institutions	109,765,364	61,881	-	-	109,827,245	
Deposits from customers	2,768,636,776	231,685,625	51,583	-	3,000,373,984	
Borrowings	1,144,101,334	250,693,026	-	-	1,394,794,360	
Debt securities issued	-	-	-	-	-	
Lease liabilities	19,922,591	-	-	-	19,922,591	
Subordinated debts	50,804,364	-	-	-	50,804,364	
Other liabilities	5,768,506	293,090	990		6,062,586	
	4,098,998,935	482,733,622	52,573		4,581,785,130	
Net asset position	358,099,838	198,695,243	1,170,250	639,241	558,604,572	
In KHR '000 equivalents	1,462,837,838	811,670,068	4,780,471	2,611,299	2,281,899,676	

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

a) Foreign exchange risk (continued)

	In US\$ equivalent				
	USD	KHR'000	THB	Total	
31 December 2022					
Financial assets					
Cash on hand	114,419,602	12,736,052	268,173	127,423,827	
Deposits and placements with					
National Bank of Cambodia	49,672,662	15,836,141	-	65,508,803	
Deposits and placements with other					
banks	4,167,119	1,779,018	-	5,946,137	
Loans and advances	3,758,355,853	534,637,214	3,128,718	4,296,121,785	
Financial assets at fair value through					
other comprehensive income	28,167	-	-	28,167	
Other financial assets	930,319	2,291	<u> </u>	932,610	
	3,927,573,722	564,990,716	3,396,891	4,495,961,329	
Financial liabilities Deposits from banks and other					
financial institutions	50,013,944	23,174	_	50,037,118	
Deposits from customers	2,546,046,345	181,026,036	135,481	2,727,207,862	
Borrowings	798,375,467	172,883,958	-	971,259,425	
Debt securities issued	-	31,168,428	-	31,168,428	
Lease liabilities	18,973,227	-	-	18,973,227	
Subordinated debts	89,677,427	-	-	89,677,427	
Other liabilities	6,610,121	287,716	886	6,898,723	
	3,509,696,531	385,389,312	136,367	3,895,222,210	
Net asset position	417,877,191	179,601,404	3,260,524	600,739,119	
In KHR '000 equivalents	1,720,400,395	739,418,980	13,423,577	2,473,242,953	

Sensitivity analysis

As shown in the table above, the Bank is primarily exposed to changes in USD/KHR exchange rates. The sensitivity of profit or loss to changes in the exchange rates arises mainly from US-dollar denominated financial instruments.

The analysis below is based on the assumption that USD/KHR and USD/THB exchange rate had not increased or decreased over/under 2% or -2%, which is set based on the 1-year moving average of exchange rate from 2021 to 2023.

	31 Decem	ber 2023	31 December 2022		
	-2% Depreciation US\$	+2% Appreciation US\$	-2% Depreciation US\$	+2% Appreciation US\$	
KHR THB	(3,895,985) (22,947)	4,055,005 23,883	(3,521,598) (63,932)	3,665,335 66,541	
	(3,918,932)	4,078,888	(3,585,530)	3,731,876	
In KHR '000 equivalents	(16,008,837)	16,662,257	(14,761,627)	15,364,133	

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

b) Securities price risk

Securities price risk is the risk that changes in the market prices of securities will result in fluctuations in revenues or in the values of financial assets. As at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022, the Bank has no investment in securities which are subject to the changes in the market prices.

c) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. Fair value interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. Interest margins may increase as a result of changes but may reduce losses in the event that unexpected movements arise.

The Bank's main interest rate risk arises from borrowings with variable rates if any, which exposes the Bank to cash flow interest rate risk. Majority of the borrowings at fixed rates are around 22.41% of the total borrowings of the Bank (2022: majority of the borrowings at fixed rates are around 31.04% of the total borrowings of the Bank). The Bank does not have fair value interest rate risk as the interest rates of financial instruments measured at amortised cost are similar to prevailing market rates.

The Bank have a policy to set limits on the level of mismatch of interest rate repricing that may be undertaken, and the management regularly monitors the mismatch. In addition, the management regularly analyses and foresees the expected changes in the interest rates and manages cash flow interest rate risk by assessing its impacts and developed actions to respond to the interest rate risk.

The table below summarises the exposures of the Bank to interest rate risk. The assets and liabilities at carrying amount are categorised by the earlier of contractual repricing or maturity dates.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

c) Interest rate risk (continued)

	Up to 1 month US\$	1 to 3 months US\$	3 to 12 months US\$	1 to 5 years US\$	Over 5 years US\$	Non-interest bearing US\$	Total US\$
As at 31 December 2023							
Financial assets							
Cash on hand	-	-	-	-	-	114,593,282	114,593,282
Deposits and placements with National							
Bank of Cambodia	-	7,658,974	522,173	-	-	90,982,203	99,163,350
Deposits and placements with other banks		0.000.750	400.054.000	4 000 400 050	- 0.000 0004 0004	17,826,886	17,826,886
Loans and advances to customers	2,938,632	9,862,759	103,954,922	1,880,429,359	2,908,861,624	-	4,906,047,296
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	_	_	_	_	_	53,755	53,755
Other financial assets	_	-	_	-	-	2,705,133	2,705,133
Carol manda accele	2,938,632	17,521,733	104,477,095	1,880,429,359	2,908,861,624		5,140,389,702
Financial liabilities							
Deposits from banks and other financial							
institutions	20,346,755	6,265,596	81,663,820	1,551,074	-	-	109,827,245
Deposits from customers	366,035,324	649,857,940	1,869,736,595	113,843,641	900,484	-	3,000,373,984
Borrowings	38,977,099	106,564,408	420,637,672		1,217,896	-	1,394,794,360
Debt securities issued	460,224	878,892	3,665,897	11,268,888	3,648,690	-	19,922,591
Lease liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Subordinated debts	-	-	-	50,804,364	-	-	50,804,364
Office Park Process	405.040.400	700 500 000	- 0.075.700.004	4 004 005 050		6,062,586	6,062,586
Other liabilities	425,819,402	763,566,836	2,375,703,984	1,004,865,252	5,767,070	6,062,586	4,581,785,130
Interest sensitivity gap	(422,880,770)	(746,045,103)	(2,271,226,889)	875,564,107	2,903,094,554	220,098,673	558,604,572
In KHR '000 equivalent	(1,727,467,945)	(3,047,594,246)	(9,277,961,842)	3,576,679,377	11,859,141,253	899,103,079	2,281,899,677

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

c) Interest rate risk (continued)

	Up to 1 month US\$	1 to 3 months US\$	3 to 12 months US\$	1 to 5 years US\$	Over 5 years US\$	Non-interest bearing US\$	Total US\$
As at 31 December 2022							
Financial assets							
Cash on hand	-	-	-	-	-	127,423,827	127,423,827
Deposits and placements with							
National Bank of Cambodia	150,000	370,027	398,158	-	-	64,590,618	65,508,803
Deposits and placements with other banks	3,094,930	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	- 	<u>-</u>	2,851,207	5,946,137
Loans and advances to customers	2,079,893	6,599,797	59,254,626	1,859,305,813	2,368,881,656	-	4,296,121,785
Financial assets at fair value through						00.407	00.407
other comprehensive income Other financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	28,167	28,167
Other imancial assets	5,324,823	6,969,824	59,652,784	1 050 205 012	2,368,881,656	932,610	932,610 4,495,961,329
	5,324,623	0,909,024	39,032,764	1,009,000,013	2,300,001,000	193,620,429	4,495,961,529
Financial liabilities							
Other finance institutions	13,019,774	5,225,741	31,791,603	_	_	_	50,037,118
Deposits from customers	419,606,323	558,087,780	1,673,420,231	74,091,296	2,002,232	-	2,727,207,862
Borrowings	-	152,248,998	134,038,815	680,915,233	4,056,379	-	971,259,425
Debt securities issued	-	-	31,168,428	-	-	-	31,168,428
Lease liabilities	339,487	665,933	2,993,534	11,177,715	3,796,558	-	18,973,227
Subordinated debts	-		3,026,338	86,651,089	-	-	89,677,427
Other liabilities		-		<u> </u>		6,898,723	6,898,723
	432,965,584	716,228,452	1,876,438,949	852,835,333	9,855,169	6,898,723	3,895,222,210
Interest sensitivity gap	(427,640,761)	(709,258,628)	(1,816,786,165)	1,006,470,480	2,359,026,487	188,927,706	600,739,119
In KHD '000 aguivalent	(4.760.507.040)	(2.020.047.774)	(7 470 700 644)	4 4 4 2 6 2 9 0 0 0	0.710.110.047	777 01E 000	2 472 242 054
In KHR '000 equivalent	(1,760,597,013)	(2,920,017,771)	(7,479,708,641)	4,143,038,966	9,112,112,041	111,815,366	2,473,242,954

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.2 Market risk (continued)

c) Interest rate risk (continued)

Sensitivity

Profit or loss is sensitive to higher or lower interest income from financial instruments at floating rate as a result of changes in interest rates. There are no other component of equity sensitive to higher or lower interest income from financial instruments at floating rate as a result of changes in interest rates.

Table below summarises impact on post tax profit for the Bank for the year and in 2022.

	Impact on post tax profit		
	US\$	KHR '000	
2023			
Interest rate increase by 200 basis point			
Interest rate decrease by 200 basis point	17,314,770	70,730,835	
	(17,314,770)	(70,730,835)	
2022			
Interest rate increase by 200 basis point	10,658,000	43,878,986	
Interest rate decrease by 200 basis point	(10,658,000)	(43,878,986)	

37.3 Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Bank are unable to meet its payment obligations associated with its financial liabilities when they fall due and to replace funds when they are withdrawn. The consequence of this may be the failure to meet obligations to repay depositors and fulfil commitments to lend.

a) Liquidity risk management process

Management monitors balance sheet liquidity and manages the concentration and profile of debt maturities. Monitoring and reporting, taking the form of daily cash position and projection for the next day, week and month respectively, are key periods for liquidity management. In addition, management monitors the movement of main depositors and projection of their withdrawals.

b) Funding approach

The Bank's main sources of liquidity arise from shareholders' capital contribution, customers' deposits, and borrowings. The sources of liquidity are regularly reviewed by management through review of maturity of term deposits and the key depositors.

c) Non-derivative cash flows

The table below presents the cash flows of the financial instruments by the Bank by remaining contractual maturities at the balance sheet date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows, whereas the Bank manages the inherent liquidity risk based on expected undiscounted cash flows.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.3 Liquidity risk (continued)

c) Non-derivative cash flows (continued)

	Up to 1 month US\$	1 to 3 months US\$	3 to 12 months US\$	1 to 5 years US\$	Over 5 years US\$	Total US\$
As at 31 December 2023						
Financial assets						
Cash on hand	114,593,282	-	-	-	-	114,593,282
Balance with the NBC	90,982,203	7,677,438	526,471	-	-	99,186,112
Deposit with other banks	17,826,886	-	-	-	-	17,826,886
Loans and advances to customers	188,166,353	283,915,851	1,212,770,999	4,203,805,347	1,214,066,651	7,102,725,201
Financial assets at fair value through other						
comprehensive income	53,755	-	-	-	-	53,755
Other assets	2,705,133	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	-	-	2,705,133
	414,327,612	291,593,289	1,213,297,470	4,203,805,347	1,214,066,651	7,337,090,369
Financial liabilities						
Deposits from banks and financial institutions	20,389,801	6,344,462	84,789,047	1,857,397	-	113,380,707
Deposits from customers	366,641,863	657,582,903	1,965,257,794	133,961,200	1,344,069	3,124,787,829
Borrowings	98,943,960	172,335,937	551,116,215	667,559,227	154,545	1,490,109,884
Debt securities issued	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lease liabilities	591,846	1,124,866	4,664,866	13,940,629	4,104,408	24,426,615
Subordinated debts	-	-	17,751,777	42,943,895	-	60,695,672
Other liabilities	6,062,586	<u> </u>	<u> </u>			6,062,586
	492,630,056	837,388,168	2,623,579,699	860,262,348	5,603,022	4,819,463,293
Liquidity gap	(78,302,444)	(545,794,879)	(1,410,282,229)	3,343,542,999	1,208,463,629	2,517,627,076
In KHR '000 equivalents	(319,865,484)	(2,229,572,081)	(5,761,002,905)	13,658,373,151	4,936,573,924	10,284,506,605
Off-balance-sheet items						
Unused portion of approved credit facilities – term loans	0.445.050					0.445.050
and overdrafts, and guarantees	3,145,352					3,145,352
In KHR '000 equivalents	12,848,763	_	-	_	_	12,848,763
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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.3 Liquidity risk (continued)

c) Non-derivative cash flows (continued)

	Up to 1 month US\$	1 to 3 months US\$	6 to 12 months US\$	1 to 5 years US\$	Over 5 years US\$	Total US\$
As at 31 December 2022 Financial assets						
Cash on hand	127,423,827	_	-	-	-	127,423,827
Balance with the NBC	64,740,618	391,420	500,999	-	-	65,633,037
Deposit with other banks	6,006,199	-	-	-	-	6,006,199
Loans and advances to customers	141,911,181	255,298,849	1,067,663,119	3,716,778,234	862,410,802	6,044,062,185
Financial assets at fair value through other						
comprehensive income	28,167	-	-	-	-	28,167
Other assets	932,610	-	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	932,610
	341,042,602	255,690,269	1,068,164,118	3,716,778,234	862,410,802	6,244,086,025
Financial liabilities		_				
Deposits from banks and financial institutions	13,032,147	5,263,713	32,631,988	-	-	50,927,848
Deposits from customers	413,518,730	571,016,909	1,749,573,986	85,818,661	2,015,988	2,821,944,274
Borrowings	12,242,344	220,123,777	254,501,684	584,379,659	787,943	1,072,035,407
Lease liabilities	325,315	674,796	3,298,928	12,925,861	4,812,874	22,037,774
Debt securities issued	-	-	32,054,894	-	-	32,054,894
Subordinated debts	1,290,065	23,750	28,793,408	79,416,823	-	109,524,046
Other liabilities	6,898,723	-			<u>-</u>	6,898,723
	447,307,324	797,102,945	2,100,854,888	762,541,004	7,616,805	4,115,422,966
Liquidity gap	(106,264,722)	(541,412,676)	(1,032,690,770)	2,954,237,230	854,793,997	2,128,663,059
In KHR '000 equivalents	(437,491,861)	(2,228,995,987)	(4,251,587,900)	12,162,594,676	3,519,186,886	8,763,705,814

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.4 Fair value of financial assets and liabilities

a) Fair value hierarchy

To provide an indication about the reliability of the inputs used in determining fair value, the Bank classifies its financial instruments into the three levels prescribed under the accounting standards. An explanation of each level follows underneath the table.

The following table presents the Bank's financial assets measured and recognised at fair value as at 31 December 2023 and 31 December 2022 on a recurring basis:

	Level 1 US\$	Level 2 US\$	Level 3 US\$	Total US\$
As at 31 December 2023 Financial assets				
Financial assets	-	-	-	-
Financial assets at FVOCI	-	-	E0 7EE	E2 7EE
Equity securities	<u>-</u>		53,755	53,755
Total financial assets			53,755	53,755
In KHR'000 equivalent			219,589	219,589
As at 31 December 2022 Financial assets				
Financial assets	-	-	-	-
Financial assets at FVOCI Equity securities	<u>-</u>		28,167	28,167
Total financial assets			28,167	28,167
In KHR'000 equivalent		<u> </u>	115,964	115,964

- Level 1: The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives and equity securities) is based on quoted market prices at the end of the reporting period. The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Bank is the current bid price. These instruments are included in level 1.
- Level 2: The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market (for example, over—the—counter derivatives) is determined using valuation techniques which maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on entity-specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.
- **Level 3:** If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in level 3. This is the case for unlisted equity securities.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.4 Fair value of financial assets and liabilities (continued)

b) Fair value measurements using significant unobservable inputs (level 3)

The unlisted equity securities are the investment in Credit Bureau Cambodia (CBC) to be measured at fair value through other comprehensive income as they are not held for trading and the Bank has irrevocably elected at initial recognition to recognize as the financial assets at FVOCI. These are the strategic investments and the Bank considers this classification to be more relevant.

The fair value of FVOCI have been determined based on present values and the discount rate used were adjusted for counterparty or own credit risk.

There is no gain/loss recognized in other comprehensive income due to fair value approximate the carrying amount.

c) Financial instruments not measured at fair value

As at the balance sheet date, the fair values of financial instruments of the Bank approximate their carrying amounts.

The estimated fair values are based on the following methodologies and assumptions:

(i) Deposits and placements with the central bank and banks

The carrying amounts of deposits and placements with the central bank and banks approximate their fair values, since these accounts consist mostly of current, savings and short-term deposits.

(ii) Loans and advances to customers

For fixed rate loans with remaining period to maturity of less than one year, the carrying amounts are generally reasonable estimates of their fair values.

For fixed rate loans with remaining period to maturity of one year and above, fair values are estimated by discounting the estimated future cash flows using a current lending rate as the prevailing market rates of loans with similar credit risks and maturities have been assessed as insignificantly different to the contractual lending rates. As a result, the fair value of non-current loan and advances to customers is approximate to their carrying value as reporting date.

(iii) Deposits from banks, other financial institutions and customers

The fair value of deposits from banks, other financial institutions and customers with maturities of less than one year approximate their carrying values due to the relatively short maturity of these instruments. The fair value of deposits and placements of other banks and financial institutions and deposits from customers with remaining maturities of one year or more are expected to approximate their carrying amount due to the Bank offered similar interest rate of the instrument with similar maturities and terms.

(iv) Other financial assets and other financial liabilities

The carrying amounts of other financial assets and other financial liabilities are assumed to approximate their fair values as these items are not materially sensitive to the shift in market interest rates.

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37. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

37.4 Fair value of financial assets and liabilities (continued)

- c) Financial instruments not measured at fair value (continued)
- (v) Borrowings and subordinated debts

Borrowings and subordinated debts at fixed rate issued are not quoted in active market while float rate borrowings and subordinated debts are periodically reset, and their fair value approximate their carrying amount because the rates are similar to the prevailing market rates of borrowings with similar terms and maturities.

(vi) Debt securities

The estimated fair value of debt securities is generally based on quoted and observable market prices at the date of statement of financial position. They are not presently traded. The estimated fair values of debt securities are approximate their carrying values based on estimated future cash flows using prevailing market rates.

37.5 Capital management

The Bank's objectives when managing capital, which is a broader concept than the 'equity' on the face of balance sheet, are:

- to comply with the capital requirement set by the central bank
- to safeguard the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern so that it can continue to provide returns for head office and benefits for other stakeholders and
- to maintain a strong capital base to support the development of business.

The central bank requires all commercial banks to i) hold a minimum capital requirement, ii) maintain the Bank's net worth at least equal to the minimum capital, and iii) comply with solvency, liquidity and other prudential ratios.

The table below summarises the composition of the regulatory capital:

	As at 31 Dec	ember 2023	As at 31 December 2022		
	US\$	KHR '000	US\$	KHR '000	
Tier 1 capital					
Share capital	600,000,000	2,451,000,000	400,000,000	1,646,800,000	
Reserves	91,944,796	375,594,492	-	-	
Retained earnings	194,716,345	795,416,269	145,318,836	598,277,649	
Net profit for the last financial year	86,920,584	355,070,586	181,275,345	746,310,595	
Less: Intangible assets and goodwill	(16,480,293)	(67,321,997)	(1,079,327)	(4,443,589)	
Less: Loans to related parties	(817,303)	(3,338,685)	(527,521)	(2,171,804)	
	956,284,129	3,906,420,665	724,987,333	2,984,772,851	
Tier 2 complementary capital					
General provision	47,411,359	193,675,402	40,776,537	167,877,003	
Subordinated debt approved by NBC	50,500,000	206,292,500	89,000,000	366,413,000	
	97,911,359	399,967,902	129,776,537	534,290,003	
Total Net Worth	1,054,195,488	4,306,388,567	854,763,870	3,519,062,854	