Regulatory Disclosures 31 March 2022





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1. Basis of reporting

Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR):

The average value of liquidity coverage ratio is computed on the consolidated basis which comprises the positions of local offices, overseas branches and subsidiaries of the Bank specified by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority ("HKMA") for its regulatory purposes and in accordance with the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.

Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR):

The net stable funding ratio is computed on the consolidated basis which comprises the positions of local offices, overseas branches and subsidiaries of the Bank specified by the HKMA for its regulatory purposes and in accordance with the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.

Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR):

Total capital ratio is computed on the consolidated basis which comprises the positions of local offices, overseas branches and designated subsidiaries of the Bank specified by the HKMA for its regulatory purposes and in accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules.



2. Key prudential ratios and overview of RWA

KM1: Key prudential ratios

		At 31 March 2022	At 31 December 2021	At 30 September 2021	At 30 June 2021	At 31 March 2021
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
	Regulatory capital (amount)					
1	Common Equity Tier 1 (CET1)	14,851,212	14,978,719	14,943,080	14,593,819	14,511,576
2	Tier 1	16,788,924	16,916,431	16,880,792	16,531,531	16,449,288
3	Total capital	18,154,594	18,255,708	18,213,214	17,845,391	17,775,026
	RWA (amount)					
4	Total RWA	103,747,087	102,272,996	101,872,809	100,270,528	95,562,422
	Risk-based regulatory capital ratios	(as a percentag	e of RWA)			
5	CET1 ratio (%)	14.31	14.65	14.67	14.55	15.19
6	Tier 1 ratio (%)	16.18	16.54	16.57	16.49	17.21
7	Total capital ratio (%)	17.50	17.85	17.88	17.80	18.60
	Additional CET1 buffer requirements	(as a percentag	ge of RWA)			
8	Capital conservation buffer requirement (%)	2.500	2.500	2.500	2.500	2.500
9	Countercyclical capital buffer requirement (%)	0.620	0.638	0.638	0.642	0.644
10	Higher loss absorbency requirements (%) (applicable only to G-SIBs or D-SIBs)	-	1	•	-	-
11	Total Al-specific CET1 buffer requirements (%)	3.120	3.138	3.138	3.142	3.144
12	CET1 available after meeting the Al's minimum capital requirements (%)	9.131	9.455	9.476	9.365	10.073
	Basel III leverage ratio					
13	Total leverage ratio (LR) exposure measure	183,540,491	178,120,231	162,730,134	164,438,630	162,041,433
14	LR (%)	9.15	9.50	10.37	10.05	10.15
	Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR)					
15	Total high quality liquid assets (HQLA)	26,111,799	25,851,439	24,434,765	23,922,987	21,215,324
16	Total net cash outflows	14,304,595	15,080,650	13,479,302	12,054,244	9,636,129
17	LCR (%)	184.03	172.44	183.26	200.15	236.79
Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR)						
18	Total available stable funding	106,582,758	105,943,387	104,670,478	108,473,852	108,010,199
19	Total required stable funding	88,628,340	85,859,285	82,145,109	80,608,107	76,438,826
20	NSFR (%)	120.26	123.39	127.42	134.57	141.30
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2. Key prudential ratios and overview of RWA (continued)

OV1: Overview of RWA

		RW	Minimum capital requirements	
		At 31 March 2022	At 31 December 2021	At 31 March 2022
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	HK\$'000
1	Credit risk for non-securitization exposures	98,056,885	96,983,082	7,844,551
2	Of which STC approach	98,056,885	96,983,082	7,844,551
2a	Of which BSC approach	-	-	-
3	Of which foundation IRB approach	-	-	-
4	Of which supervisory slotting criteria approach	-	-	-
5	Of which advanced IRB approach	-	-	-
6	Counterparty default risk and default fund contributions	239,237	224,428	19,139
7	Of which SA-CCR approach	166,682	159,284	13,335
7a	Of which CEM	-	-	, -
8	Of which IMM(CCR) approach	-	-	-
9	Of which others	72,555	65,144	5,804
10	CVA risk	48,200	48,650	3,856
11	Equity positions in banking book under the simple risk-weight method and internal models method	-	-	-
12	Collective investment scheme ("CIS") exposures – LTA*	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
13	CIS exposures – MBA	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14	CIS exposures – FBA	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14a	CIS exposures – combination of approaches	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
15	Settlement risk	-	-	-
16	Securitization exposures in banking book	-	-	-
17	Of which SEC-IRBA	-	-	-
18	Of which SEC-ERBA (including IAA)	-	-	-
19	Of which SEC-SA	-	-	-
19a	Of which SEC-FBA	-	-	-
20	Market risk	630,625	339,138	50,450
21	Of which STM approach	630,625	339,138	50,450
22	Of which IMM approach	-	-	-
23	Capital charge for switch between exposures in trading book and banking book (not applicable before the revised market risk framework takes effect)	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
24	Operational risk	4,658,550	4,563,688	372,684
24a	Sovereign concentration risk	_	-	- ,
25	Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (subject to 250% RW)	904,500	904,500	72,360
26	Capital floor adjustment	-	-	-
26a	Deduction to RWA	790,910	790,490	63,273
26b	Of which portion of regulatory reserve for general banking risks and collective provisions which is not included in Tier 2 Capital		-	-
26c	Of which portion of cumulative fair value gains arising from the revaluation of land and buildings which is not included in Tier 2 Capital	790,910	790,490	63,273
27	Total	103,747,087	102,272,996	8,299,767

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3. Leverage ratio

LR2: Leverage ratio

	<u> </u>	At 31 March 2022 HK\$'000	At 31 December 2021 HK\$'000
On-b	alance sheet exposures	1	1114 000
1	On-balance sheet exposures (excluding those arising from derivative contracts and SFTs, but including collateral)	172,354,767	167,665,501
2	Less: Asset amounts deducted in determining Tier 1 capital	(1,839,334)	(1,821,629)
3	Total on-balance sheet exposures (excluding derivative contracts and		<u> </u>
Expo	SFTs) sures arising from derivative contracts	170,515,433	165,843,872
4	Replacement cost associated with all derivative contracts (where applicable		
4	net of eligible cash variation margin and/or with bilateral netting)	5,939	18,204
5	Add-on amounts for PFE associated with all derivative contracts	327,094	308,802
6	Gross-up for collateral provided in respect of derivative contracts where deducted from the balance sheet assets pursuant to the applicable accounting framework	-	-
7	Less: Deductions of receivables assets for cash variation margin provided under derivative contracts	(14,094)	(19,569)
8	Less: Exempted CCP leg of client-cleared trade exposures	-	-
9	Adjusted effective notional amount of written credit-related derivative contracts	-	-
10	Less: Adjusted effective notional offsets and add-on deductions for written credit-related derivative contracts	-	-
11	Total exposures arising from derivative contracts	318,939	307,437
Expo	sures arising from SFTs		
12	Gross SFT assets (with no recognition of netting), after adjusting for sale accounting transactions	10,618,596	9,904,654
13	Less: Netted amounts of cash payables and cash receivables of gross SFT assets	-	-
14	CCR exposure for SFT assets	172,773	152,646
15	Agent transaction exposures	-	-
16	Total exposures arising from SFTs	10,791,369	10,057,300
Othe	r off-balance sheet exposures		
17	Off-balance sheet exposure at gross notional amount	16,018,787	15,181,738
18	Less: Adjustments for conversion to credit equivalent amounts	(13,520,290)	(12,715,738)
19	Off-balance sheet items	2,498,497	2,466,000
Capit	al and total exposures		
20	Tier 1 capital	16,788,924	16,916,431
20a	Total exposures before adjustments for specific and collective provisions	184,124,238	178,674,609
20b	Adjustments for specific and collective provisions	(583,747)	(554,378)
21	Total exposures after adjustments for specific and collective provisions	183,540,491	178,120,231
Leve	rage ratio		
22	Leverage ratio	9.15%	9.50%



4. Liquidity

LIQ1: Liquidity Coverage Ratio

	er of data points used in calculating the average value of the and related components set out in this template	For the quarter ended 31 March 2022: 73 data points		
Basis of disclosure: consolidated		Unweighted value (average)	Weighted value (average)	
		HK\$'000	HK\$'000	
Α.	HQLA			
1	Total HQLA		26,111,799	
В.	Cash outflows			
2	Retail deposits and small business funding, of which:	74,702,381	4,701,053	
3	Stable retail deposits and stable small business funding	14,079,144	422,374	
4	Less stable retail deposits and less stable small business funding	24,896,388	2,489,639	
4a	Retail term deposits and small business term funding	35,726,849	1,789,040	
5	Unsecured wholesale funding (other than small business funding), and debt securities and prescribed instruments issued by the AI, of which:	26 256 242	27 200 720	
6	Operational deposits	36,256,242 3,849,258	27,208,720 916,803	
7	Unsecured wholesale funding (other than small business funding) not covered in row 6	32,406,984	26,291,917	
8	Debt securities and prescribed instruments issued by the Al and redeemable within the LCR period	52,100,001		
9	Secured funding transactions (including securities swap transactions)		_	
10	Additional requirements, of which:	14,026,558	2,595,543	
11	Cash outflows arising from derivative contracts and other transactions, and additional liquidity needs arising from related collateral requirements	230,204	230,204	
12	Cash outflows arising from obligations under structured financing transactions and repayment of funding obtained from such transactions	-	_	
13	Potential drawdown of undrawn committed facilities (including committed credit facilities and committed liquidity facilities)	13,796,354	2,365,339	
14	Contractual lending obligations (not otherwise covered in Section B) and other contractual cash outflows	2,032,156	2,032,156	
15	Other contingent funding obligations (whether contractual or non-contractual)	1,944,231	75,304	
16	Total Cash Outflows		36,612,776	
	Cash Inflows			
17	Secured lending transactions (including securities swap transactions)	13,364	13,364	
18	Secured and unsecured loans (other than secured lending transactions covered in row 17) and operational deposits	00.440.544	00.054.404	
10	placed at other financial institutions	23,418,511	20,051,191	
19 20	Other cash inflows Total Cash Inflows	2,243,626	2,243,626	
	Total Cash Inflows Liquidity Coverage Ratio	25,675,501	22,308,181	
21	Total HQLA		26,111,799	
22	Total Net Cash Outflows		14,304,595	
23	LCR (%)		184.03%	
20	LOIT (70)		107.03 /0	



4. Liquidity (continued)

LIQ1: Liquidity Coverage Ratio (continued)

Notes:

- The weighted amount of HQLA is to be calculated as the amount after applying the haircuts as required under the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.
- The unweighted amounts of cash inflows and cash outflows are to be calculated as the principal amounts in the calculation of the LCR as required under the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.
- The weighted amounts of cash inflows and cash outflows are to be calculated as the amounts after applying the inflow and outflow rates as required under the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.
- The adjusted value of total HQLA and the total net cash outflows have taken into account any applicable ceiling as required under the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.

In 2022, the Group has maintained a healthy liquidity position. The LCR was sensitive to the asset deployment and the funding structure of the Group. The average LCR of the first quarter were 184.03%. The ratio has maintained at stable and healthy levels.

The HQLA consists of cash, balances at central banks and high quality marketable securities issued or guaranteed by sovereigns, central banks, public sector entities or multilateral development banks and non-financial corporate debt securities. In 2022, the majority of the HQLA was composed of Level 1 HQLA.

The net cash outflow was mainly from retail and corporate customer deposits which are the Group's primary source of funds, together with deposits and balances from banks and other financial institutions. To ensure stable, sufficient and diversified source of funds, the Group actively attracts new deposits, keeps the core deposits and obtains supplementary funding from the interbank market. Other cash outflow, such as commitment, cash outflow under derivative contracts and potential collateral requirement, were minimal to the LCR.

Majority of the Group's customer deposits are denominated in HKD, USD and RMB. As the supply of HKD denominated HQLA in the market is relatively limited, the Group swaps surplus HKD funding into USD and other foreign currencies, part of funding are deployed to investment in HQLA.



5. Counterparty credit risk

CCR7: RWA flow statements of default risk exposures under IMM (CCR) approach

The Group did not use IMM(CCR) approach to measure default risk exposures as at 31 March 2022.

6. Market risk

MR2: RWA flow statements of market risk exposures under IMM approach

There were no market risk exposures under the IMM approach as at 31 March 2022.