# KDB Asia Limited Interim Results 2023

#### **Corporate Information**

KDB Asia Limited ("the Company") is a limited company incorporated and domiciled in Hong Kong and is a restricted licence bank under the Hong Kong Banking Ordinance. Its registered office is Suite 2005-2008, 20th Floor, Two International Finance Centre, 8 Finance Street, Central, Hong Kong.

During the period, the principal activities of the Company consisted of deposit taking, loan syndication, underwriting, investment, trade financing and the provision of financial services.

In the opinion of the directors, the holding company is the Korea Development Bank, which is wholly incorporated in Republic of Korea.

#### **Financial Review**

The Company achieved a net profit before tax of US\$31.4 million in the first half of year 2023, remains stable when compared to the same period of 2022 of US\$31.8 million.

Total assets decreased by 3.92% to US\$2,775.6 million (2022: US\$2,888.7 million), whereas total liabilities including deposits and borrowings also decreased by 5.88%, amounted to US\$2,249.7 million (2022: US\$2,390.4 million). Due to the current profit contribution for the period, the Company's shareholders' equity still recorded a growth of 5.53% to US\$525.9 million (2022: US\$498.4 million).

Financial highlights for the first six months of 2023 are as follows:

Return on average assets: 1.95%Return on average equities: 10.73%

Average liquidity maintenance ratio: 95.45%

Leverage ratio: 17.48%

Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio: 19.64%

Tier 1 capital ratio: 19.64%Total capital ratio: 20.03%

The Directors of KDB Asia Limited announce that the unaudited interim results of the Company for the first half year of 2023 are as follows:

# (A) Statement of Profit or Loss

	Notes	For the six months ended 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	For the six months ended 30-Jun-2022 (unaudited) US\$
Interest income Interest expense	1 2	70,086,408 (56,976,913)	28,718,522 (10,676,263)
Net interest income		13,109,495	18,042,259
Fee and commission income Fee and commission expense		4,265,517 (430,726)	4,434,868 (505,451)
Net fee and commission income	3	3,834,791	3,929,417
Net gains from financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss	4	9,257,383	16,969,465
Net hedging (losses)/gains	5	(195,633)	701,550
Other operating gains/(losses), net	6	4,756,425	(3,684,106)
Operating income		30,762,461	35,958,585
Operating expenses	7	(4,899,161)	(5,427,990)
Reversal of credit loss allowances, net	8	4,953,184	1,279,275
Net gains on sale of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		538,070	6,667
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		31,354,554	31,816,537
Income tax expense	9	(4,218,011)	(4,907,237)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		27,136,543	26,909,300

# (B) Statement of Comprehensive Income

		For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	Notes	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)
		US\$	US\$
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		27,136,543	26,909,300
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD			
Other comprehensive income to be reclassified to statement of profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:			
Net movement in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve, net of			
tax	10 _	407,536	(9,489,829)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	_	27,544,079	17,419,471

# (C) Statement of Financial Position

	Supplementary Information	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited)
ASSETS		US\$	US\$
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions Placements with banks and other financial institutions Trade bills		7,507,747 103,358,732 -	55,811,115 105,996,606 2,491,672
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(F)1	163,195,589	142,123,980
Loans and advances	(F)2	1,908,604,840	2,099,825,654
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(F)3	432,600,450	430,585,035
Financial assets at amortised cost	(F)4	99,968,800	-
Property and equipment	(F)5	1,203,093	1,292,366
Right-of-use assets	(F)6	3,691,155	4,330,970
Interest receivable and other assets		54,315,045	44,611,931
Deferred tax assets		1,183,684	1,670,121
TOTAL ASSETS	- -	2,775,629,135	2,888,739,450
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
LIABILITIES			
Deposits and balances of banks and other financial institutions		1,857,079,243	1,751,672,484
Deposits from customers	(F)7	1,074,467	1,061,587
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss		1,604,003	14,771,778
Certificates of deposit issued		355,623,651	591,261,369
Lease liabilities	(F)6	3,679,828	4,323,415
Tax payable		6,558,433	2,567,908
Interest payable and other liabilities		24,072,186	24,691,978
TOTAL LIABILITIES		2,249,691,811	2,390,350,519
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY			
Share capital		240,000,000	240,000,000
Reserves	(F)8	285,937,324	258,388,931
TOTAL EQUITY	_ _	525,937,324	498,388,931
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	- -	2,775,629,135	2,888,739,450

# (D) Statement of Changes in Equity

		Financial assets		
		at fair value		
		through other		
		comprehensive		
		income		
	Share	revaluation	Retained	
	capital	reserve	profits	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
At 1 January 2023	240,000,000	(11,634,843)	270,023,774	498,388,931
Profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period: Net movement in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	•	-	27,136,543	27,136,543
revaluation reserve, net of tax  Reclassification on transferred gains on disposal of Financial assets at fair value	-	411,850	•	411,850
through other comprehensive income	<del>-</del> -	(4,314)	4,314	
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	407,536	27,140,857	27,548,393
At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)	240,000,000	(11,227,307)	297,164,631	525,937,324
At 1 January 2022	240,000,000	012.572	220 205 202	460 400 065
At 1 January 2022	240,000,000	913,572	228,285,293	469,198,865
Profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period: Net movement in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	26,909,300	26,909,300
revaluation reserve, net of tax	<u> </u>	(9,489,829)		(9,489,829)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	(9,489,829)	26,909,300	17,419,471
At 30 June 2022 (unaudited)	240,000,000	(8,576,257)	255,194,593	486,618,336

# (E) Condensed Statement of Cash Flows

Interest received

Dividend received

Interest paid

	ended	ended
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Net cash flows used in operating activities	(29,305,100)	(34,283,863)
Net cash flows (used in)/from investing activities	(10,586,126)	38,841,764
Net cash flows used in financing activities	(1,050,016)	(1,468,804)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(40,941,242)	3,089,097
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	151,807,721	223,687,513
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 June	110,866,479	226,776,610
For the purposes of the condensed statement of cash flows, cash and casoriginal maturity of three months or less:		owing balances with
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	30-Jun-2022 (unaudited)
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions	(unaudited) US\$	(unaudited) US\$
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions Placements with banks and other financial institutions	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747	(unaudited) US\$ 14,540,056
Placements with banks and other financial institutions	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732	(unaudited) US\$ 14,540,056 231,644,753
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements  Less: Placements with banks and other financial institutions	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732	(unaudited) US\$ 14,540,056 231,644,753 246,184,809
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements  Less: Placements with banks and other financial institutions with original maturity more than three months	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732 110,866,479	(unaudited) US\$ 14,540,056 231,644,753 246,184,809 (19,408,199)
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements  Less: Placements with banks and other financial institutions with original maturity more than three months  Cash and cash equivalents	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732 110,866,479	(unaudited) US\$ 14,540,056 231,644,753 246,184,809 (19,408,199)
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements  Less: Placements with banks and other financial institutions with original maturity more than three months  Cash and cash equivalents	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732 110,866,479 - 110,866,479 For the six months	(unaudited) US\$  14,540,056 231,644,753  246,184,809 (19,408,199)  226,776,610  For the six months
Placements with banks and other financial institutions  Cash and bank balances and placements  Less: Placements with banks and other financial institutions with original maturity more than three months  Cash and cash equivalents	(unaudited) US\$ 7,507,747 103,358,732 110,866,479 - 110,866,479  For the six months ended	(unaudited) US\$  14,540,056 231,644,753  246,184,809 (19,408,199)  226,776,610  For the six months ended

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# (1) Interest income arising from:

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Listed investments	5,973,467	4,848,382
Unlisted investments	194,178	520,204
Trade bills and loans and advances	61,091,539	22,549,812
Others	2,827,224	800,124
	70,086,408	28,718,522

Interest income is calculated using the effective interest rate method. There is no interest income accrued on impaired financial assets for the period ended 30 June 2023. (2022: US\$25,457)

# (2) Interest expense arising from:

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Deposits from customers, banks and other financial		
institutions and certificates of deposit issued	56,958,500	10,667,784
Lease liabilities	18,413	8,479
	56,976,913	10,676,263

# (3) Net fee and commission income:

All fee and commission income and expense are related to financial assets and liabilities not designated at fair value through profit or loss and recognised at the point in time when the service is transferred.

# (4) Net gains from financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss:

For the six months ended	For the six months ended
30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
(unaudited)	(unaudited)
US\$	US\$
Net gains from trading securities/investments in funds 5,698,209	18,989,031
Net interest income/(expense) on derivatives 3,559,174	(2,019,566)
9,257,383	16,969,465
(5) Net hedging (losses)/gains:	
For the six months ended	For the six months ended
30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
(unaudited)	(unaudited)
US\$	US\$
Fair value hedges	
- Net gains/(losses) on hedged items attributable to the hedged risk 898,909	(7,951,177)
- Net (losses)/gains on hedging instruments (1,094,542)	8,652,727
(195,633)	701,550
(6) Other operating gains/(losses), net:	
For the six months	For the six months
ended	ended
30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
(unaudited) US\$	(unaudited) US\$
03\$	03\$
Net gains/(losses) from dealing in foreign currencies 4,217,064	(4,134,890)
Dividend income from unlisted financial assets at fair value through	
profit or loss 456,137	383,044
Others 83,224	67,740
4,756,425	(3,684,106)

#### (7) Operating expenses:

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Staff costs	2,978,931	3,406,320
Premises and equipment expenses		
- Depreciation of property and equipment	89,273	37,454
- Depreciation of right-of-use assets	706,660	1,044,303
- Rent	179,701	200,631
- Rates	31,218	42,388
	1,006,852	1,324,776
Auditor's remuneration	37,950	36,150
Others	875,428	660,744
	913,378	696,894
	4,899,161	5,427,990

Included in the staff costs above are depreciation of right-of-use assets in respect of staff quarters of US\$323,712 (2022: US\$379,225), operating lease charges in respect of staff quarters of US\$6,644 (2022: US\$43,708), retirement scheme contribution of US\$40,797 (2022: US\$37,536) and government subsidies granted from the Financial Industry Recruitment Scheme for Tomorrow under the Anti-epidemic Fund of the Hong Kong Government which aims to retain employment and combat COVID-19 epidemic of US\$19,555 (2022: US\$3,846) for the year ended 31 December 2022.

Included in the above operating expenses are depreciation of right-of-use assets in respect of office premises of US\$689,684 (2022: US\$1,008,030), operating lease charges of US\$13,554 (2022: US\$54,247) for rental of properties and US\$172,791 (2022: US\$190,092) for rental of equipment.

#### (8) Reversal of credit loss allowances, net:

# For the six months ended 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)

	30-3411-2023 (unaddited)			
	12-month ECL (Stage 1)	Lifetime ECL not credit impaired (Stage 2)	Lifetime ECL credit impaired (Stage 3)	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
Reversal of / (charge for) credit loss allowances, net:				
- Cash and cash equivalents	17,179	-		17,179
- Trade bills	2,063			2,063
- Loans and advances	1,467,102	18,031	3,276,809	4,761,942
- Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	28,223			28,223
- Financial assets at amortised cost	(31,200)	-	•	(31,200)
- Interest receivable and other assets	5,674	394	•	6,068
- Other commitments	166,568	-	•	166,568
- Trade-related contingencies	2,341	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	2,341
	1,657,950	18,425	3,276,809	4,953,184

#### (8) Reversal of credit loss allowances, net (continued):

For the six months ended 30-Jun-2022 (unaudited)

_	30-3di1-2022 (diladdited)			
	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit impaired	Lifetime ECL credit impaired	
	(Stage 1)	(Stage 2)	(Stage 3)	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
Reversal of / (charge for) credit loss allowances, net:				
- Cash and cash equivalents	(8,338)	-	-	(8,338)
- Trade bills	9,929	-	-	9,929
- Loans and advances	767,930	363,642	-	1,131,572
- Financial assets at fair value through				
other comprehensive income	65,533	-	-	65,533
- Financial assets at amortised cost	112,033	-	-	112,033
- Interest receivable and other assets	(29,730)	2,850	-	(26,880)
- Other commitments	(15,773)	-	-	(15,773)
- Trade-related contingencies	11,199	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	11,199
	912,783	366,492	-	1,279,275
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Under HKFRS 9, ECL is assessed using an approach which classifies financial assets into three stages, each of which is associated with an ECL calculation that is reflective of the assessed credit risk profile in each instance.

#### (9) Income tax expense:

Under the two-tiered profit tax rates regime, Hong Kong profits tax has been provided at the rate of 8.25% (2022: 8.25%) on estimated assessable profits of first HK\$2 million arising in Hong Kong during the year. The remainder of the assessable profits is to be taxed at 16.5% (2022: 16.5%).

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023	30-Jun-2022
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Provision for the period	3,990,525	4,442,114
Deferred tax	227,486	465,123
	4,218,011	4,907,237

# (10) Other comprehensive income:

# (a) Tax effects relating to each component of other comprehensive income

	For the six months ended 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)			For th 30-Ju		
	Before-tax amount US\$	Tax effect US\$	Net-of-tax amount US\$	Before-tax amount US\$	Tax effect US\$	Net-of-tax amount US\$
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:						
Net movement in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve	666,487	(258,951)	407,536	(11,444,319)	1.954.490	(9,489,829)
Other comprehensive income	666,487	(258,951)	407,536	(11,444,319)	1,954,490	(9,489,829)

# (b) Reclassification adjustments relating to components of other comprehensive income

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	30-Jun-2022 (unaudited)
	US\$	US\$
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, net of tax		
Changes in fair value recognised during the period	476,556	(9,757,323)
Reclassification adjustments for gains and losses included in profit or loss - (Losses)/ Gains on disposal	(97,243)	201,961
<ul> <li>Net movement in credit loss allowance of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income</li> </ul>	28,223	65,533
Net movement in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve income	407,536	(9,489,829)

# (1) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Unlisted investments in funds, at fair value Positive fair values of derivatives	152,922,686 10,272,903	130,565,042 11,558,938
	163,195,589	142,123,980
(2) Loans and advances		
(a) Loans and advances less credit loss allowances	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Gross loans and advances to:		
- Banks - Customers	120,505,665 1,802,908,662	66,131,953 2,053,265,130
	1,923,414,327	2,119,397,083
Less: Credit loss allowances on non-credit impaired loans and advances to		
- Banks - Customers	(27,452) (5,022,035)	(25,349) (6,509,271)
	(5,049,487)	(6,534,620)
Less: Credit loss allowances on credit impaired loans and advances to		
- Customers	(9,760,000)	(13,036,809)
	(9,760,000)	(13,036,809)
Net loans and advances to:		
- Banks	120,478,213	66,106,604
- Customers	1,788,126,627	2,033,719,050
	1,908,604,840	2,099,825,654

# (2) Loans and advances (continued)

#### (b) By industry sectors

Loans and advances analysed by the coverage of collateral, overdue amount and the provisions is as follows. The economic sector analysis is based on the categories and definitions used by the HKMA.

	Gross loans and advances	Percentage of collateral securing loans and advances	Specific provisions	General provisions	Reversal of credit loss allowances/(credit loss expenses charged) to income statement during the period/year
At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)	US\$		US\$	US\$	USS
Industrial, commercial and financial					
- Property development	9,467,473	-	-	21,527	28,473
- Property investment	121,504,649	-	-	162,923	9,724
- Financial concerns	106,105,878	-	-	80,414	(35,364
- Wholesale and retail trade	-	-	-	-	54,881
- Manufacturing	186,979,373	-	-	351,284	116,003
- Transport and transport equipment	48,340,045	-	-	71,045	(12,140
- Recreational activities	-	-	-	-	6,492
- Electricity and gas	29,986,456	-	-	67,980	36,490
- Others	43,711,200	-	-	88,586	35,329
Loans and advances for use in Hong Kong	546,095,074	-		843,759	239,888
Trade finance	104,350	100.00%	-	987	(879
Loans and advances for use outside Hong Kong	1,377,214,903	<u> </u>	9,760,000	4,204,741	4,522,933
	1,923,414,327	0.04%	9,760,000	5,049,487	
or loss during the year					4,761,942
At 31 December 2022 (audited)					
Industrial, commercial and financial	45 004 250			50,000	2.000
- Property development	15,864,350	-	-	50,000	3,888
- Property investment	121,443,854	-	-	172,647	61,005
- Financial concerns	58,705,085	-	-	45,050	8,336
- Stock brokers	-	-	-	-	(19,335
- Wholesale and retail trade	53,845,805	-	-	54,881	(249,272
- Manufacturing	236,522,008	-	-	467,287	(13,299
- Transport and transport equipment	34,951,155	-	-	58,905	(22,050
- Recreational activities	6,000,000	-	-	6,492	(400.746
- Electricity and gas	29,972,986	-	-	104,470	(109,746
- Others	33,219,813	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	123,915	(10,701
Loans and advances for use in Hong Kong	590,525,056	-	-	1,083,647	(351,108
Trade finance	100,000	-	-	108	(13,068
Loans and advances for use outside Hong Kong	1,528,772,027	<u> </u>	13,036,809	5,450,865	4,329,104
	2,119,397,083	-	13,036,809	6,534,620	
Credit loss expenses from statement of profit					
or loss during the year					

# (2) Loans and advances (continued)

#### (c) Movement in credit loss allowances on loans and advances

	12-month ECL (Stage 1) US\$	Lifetime ECL not credit impaired (Stage 2) US\$	Lifetime ECL credit impaired (Stage 3) US\$	Total US\$
At 1 January 2023	4,236,742	2,297,878	13,036,809	19,571,429
New loans/financing originated	655,083	-	•	655,083
Loans/financing derecognised or repaid during the period (other than write-offs)	(1,775,868)	(18,031)	(3,276,809)	(5,070,708)
Movements due to changes in credit risk	(346,317)	-	-	(346,317)
At 30 June 2023	2,769,640	2,279,847	9,760,000	14,809,487
Attributable to:				
Loans and advances to banks (note 2(a))	27,452	-	-	27,452
Loans and advances to customers (note 2(a))	2,742,188	2,279,847	9,760,000	14,782,035
	2,769,640	2,279,847	9,760,000	14,809,487
Deducted from:				
Loans and advances to banks (note 2(a)) Loans and advances to customers (note 2(a))	120,505,665 1,792,523,662	- 625,000	- 9,760,000	120,505,665 1,802,908,662
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	1,913,029,327	625,000	9,760,000	1,923,414,327
At 1 January 2022	5,463,588	382,913	9,760,000	15,606,501
New loans/financing originated	1,810,853	-	-	1,810,853
Loans/financing derecognised or repaid during the year (other than write-offs)	(2,007,403)	(382,913)		(2,390,316)
Transfer between stages - transfer to lifetime ECL	(2,001,100)	(00=,010)		(=,000,010)
not credit impaired (Stage 2)	(1,377,947)	1,377,947	-	-
Transfer between stages - transfer to lifetime ECL credit impaired (Stage 3)	-	(1,111,678)	1,111,678	-
Movements due to changes in credit risk	347,651	2,031,609	2,165,131	4,544,391
At 31 December 2022	4,236,742	2,297,878	13,036,809	19,571,429
Attributable to:				
Loans and advances to banks (note 2(a))	25,349	-	-	25,349
Loans and advances to customers (note 2(a))	4,211,393	2,297,878	13,036,809	19,546,080
	4,236,742	2,297,878	13,036,809	19,571,429
Deducted from:				
Loans and advances to banks (note 2(a))	66,131,953	-	-	66,131,953
Loans and advances to customers (note 2(a))	2,033,064,623	6,480,507	13,720,000	2,053,265,130
	2,099,196,576	6,480,507	13,720,000	2,119,397,083

# (2) Loans and advances (continued)

(d)	Impaired loans and advances	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
	Gross impaired loans and advances Credit loss allowances	9,760,000	13,720,000
	- Credit impaired	(9,760,000)	(13,036,809)
			683,191
	Gross impaired loans and advances as a percentage of total		
	gross loans and advances	0.51%	0.65%
	Credit impaired loans and advances are unsecured.		
(e)	By geographical areas		
		At 30-Jun-2023	At 31-Dec-2022
		(unaudited)	(audited)
	Gross loans and advances (non-credit impaired)	US\$	US\$
	- Hong Kong	718,246,795	878,197,477
	- China	324,985,484	401,162,260
	- Korea	266,246,540	270,827,355
	- Others	604,175,508	555,489,991
		1,913,654,327	2,105,677,083
	Gross loans and advances (credit impaired) - China	9,760,000	13,720,000
		1,923,414,327	2,119,397,083

The above geographical analysis is classified by the location of the counterparties after taking into account the transfer of risk. For a claim guaranteed by a party situated in a country different from the counterparty, risk will be transferred to the country of the guarantor. For a claim on the branch of a bank or other financial institution, the risk will be transferred to the country where its head office is situated.

#### (3) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

# (a) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Debt securities	·	
- Listed in Hong Kong	93,157,360	100,592,640
- Listed outside Hong Kong	339,392,011	329,935,193
	432,549,371	430,527,833
Unlisted equity securities	51,079	57,202
	432,600,450	430,585,035
Issued by:		
Sovereigns	64,215,510	104,787,850
Public sector entities	93,334,996	49,108,454
Banks and other financial institutions	155,097,225	149,668,865
Corporate entities	119,952,719	127,019,866
	432,600,450	430,585,035

(b)

Movement in credit loss allowances on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income charged to revaluation reserve

	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit impaired	Lifetime ECL credit impaired	
	(Stage 1)	(Stage 2)	(Stage 3)	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
At 1 January 2023	210,043	-	-	210,043
New assets originated	30,039	-	-	30,039
Assets derecognised or repaid during				
the year (other than write-offs)	(43,141)	-	-	(43,141)
Movements due to changes in credit risk	(15,121)	-	-	(15,121)
At 30 June 2023	181,820	-		181,820
At 1 January 2022	314,394	-	-	314,394
New assets originated	8,804	-	-	8,804
Assets derecognised or repaid during the				
year (other than write-offs)	(123,851)	-	-	(123,851)
Movements due to changes in credit risk	10,696	-	-	10,696
At 31 December 2022	210,043	-		210,043

# (4) Financial assets at amortised cost

(	a١	Financial	assets at	amortised	cost less	credit I	oss allowances
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,	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Debt securities - Unlisted	100,000,000	
Less: Credit loss allowances	100,000,000 (31,200)	-
	99,968,800	
Issued by: Banks and other financial institutions	99,968,800	

#### (b) Movement in credit loss allowances on financial assets at amortised cost charged to revaluation reserve

	12-month ECL (Stage 1) US\$	Lifetime ECL not credit impaired (Stage 2) US\$	Lifetime ECL credit impaired (Stage 3) US\$	Total US\$
At 1 January 2023 New assets originated	- 31,200	-		- 31,200
At 30 June 2023	31,200	-		31,200
At 1 January 2022 Assets derecognised or repaid during the period	112,033 (112,033)	- -	- -	112,033 (112,033)
At 31 December 2022	-	-	-	-

# (5) Property and equipment

	Land and	Leasehold	Furniture, fittings and office	
	buildings	improvements	equipment	Total
	UŠ\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
2023				
Cost: At 1 January 2023	1,022,708	488,770	1,168,256	2,679,734
Additions	1,022,700	400,770	1,100,230	2,019,134
Disposal	-	-	-	•
At 30 June 2023	1,022,708	488,770	1,168,256	2,679,734
Accumulated depreciation:				
At 1 January 2023	493,520	96,866	796,982	1,387,368
Charge for the period	8,199	32,651	48,423	89,273
Written back on disposal		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	-
At 30 June 2023	501,719	129,517	845,405	1,476,641
Net book value:				
At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)	520,989	359,253	322,851	1,203,093
2022				
Cost:				
At 1 January 2022 Additions	1,022,708	1,125,445 313,263	819,395 348,966	2,967,548 662,229
Disposal	- -	(949,938)	(105)	(950,043)
At 31 December 2022	1 000 700	488,770		<u>`</u>
At 31 December 2022	1,022,708	400,770	1,168,256	2,679,734
Accumulated depreciation:				
At 1 January 2022	476,986	1,001,174	738,123	2,216,283
Charge for the year	16,534	29,028	58,907	104,469
Written back on disposal		(933,336)	(48)	(933,384)
At 31 December 2022	493,520	96,866	796,982	1,387,368
Net book value:				
At 31 December 2022 (audited)	529,188	391,904	371,274	1,292,366

# (6) Right-of-use assets and lease liabilities

# (a) Right-of-use assets

	Prepaid land lease payments	Motor vehicles	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$
2023			
Cost:			
At 1 January 2023	5,642,482	176,214	5,818,696
Additions	429,823	-	429,823
Disposal	(139,477)	(45,163)	(184,640)
At 30 June 2023	5,932,828	131,051	6,063,879
Accumulated depreciation:			
At 1 January 2023	1,363,438	124,288	1,487,726
Charge for the period	1,013,397	16,975	1,030,372
Written off on disposal	(100,211)	(45,163)	(145,374)
At 30 June 2023	2,276,624	96,100	2,372,724
Net carrying amount:			
At 30 June 2022 (unaudited)	3,656,204	34,951	3,691,155
2022			
Cost:			
At 1 January 2022	8,416,971	261,395	8,678,366
Additions	1,003,554	-	1,003,554
Changes arising from lease modification	(2,385,048)	(85,181)	(2,470,229)
Disposal	(1,392,995)		(1,392,995)
At 31 December 2022	5,642,482	176,214	5,818,696
Accumulated depreciation:			
At 1 January 2022	6,622,215	140,239	6,762,454
Charge for the year	2,397,678	73,921	2,471,599
Changes arising from lease modification	(6,516,490)	(89,872)	(6,606,362)
Written off on disposal	(1,139,965)		(1,139,965)
At 31 December 2022	1,363,438	124,288	1,487,726
Net carrying amount:			
At 31 December 2022 (audited)	4,279,044	51,926	4,330,970

The Company leases certain of its office, staff quarters and motor vehicles used in its operations. Leases for these assets are negotiated for terms ranging from one to five years (2022: two to five years).

# (6) Right-of-use assets and lease liabilities (continued)

#### (b) Lease liabilities

At 30-Jun-2023	(D)	Lease nabilities		44.04.D 0000
At 1 January				
At 1 January       4,323,415       1,949,219         Additions       429,823       1,003,554         Accretion of interest       18,413       23,189         Payments       (1,050,016)       (2,531,747)         Changes arising from lease modification       -       4,135,850         Disposal       (41,807)       (256,650)         3,679,828       4,323,415     (c) Amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss  For the six months months ended another ended 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$ US\$ US\$ US\$  Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets Interest expense on lease liabilities 18,413 8,479 Operating lease charges to short-term leases Gains on termination on leases (2,541) (5,194)			(unaudited)	(audited)
Additions         429,823         1,003,554           Accretion of interest         18,413         23,189           Payments         (1,050,016)         (2,531,747)           Changes arising from lease modification         -         4,135,850           Disposal         (41,807)         (256,650)           (c)         Amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss         For the six months months ended         For the six ended         For the six ended           30-Jun-2023         30-Jun-2022         (unaudited)         (unaudited)           US\$         US\$         US\$           Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets         1,030,372         1,423,528           Interest expense on lease liabilities         18,413         8,479           Operating lease charges to short-term leases         186,345         244,339           Gains on termination on leases         (2,541)         (5,194)			US\$	US\$
Accretion of interest   18,413   23,189     Payments   (1,050,016)   (2,531,747)     Changes arising from lease modification   -   4,135,850     Disposal   (41,807)   (256,650)     3,679,828   4,323,415     Columnts recognised in statement of profit or loss     For the six months ended   ended     30-Jun-2023   30-Jun-2022     (unaudited)   (unaudited)     Us\$   Us\$     Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets   1,030,372   1,423,528     Interest expense on lease liabilities   18,413   8,479     Operating lease charges to short-term leases   186,345   244,339     Gains on termination on leases   (2,541)   (5,194)		At 1 January	4,323,415	1,949,219
Payments		Additions	429,823	1,003,554
Changes arising from lease modification         -         4,135,850           Disposal         (41,807)         (256,650)           3,679,828         4,323,415           For the six months ended         For the six months ended           and Jun-2023         30-Jun-2023           (unaudited)         (unaudited)           US\$         US\$           Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets         1,030,372         1,423,528           Interest expense on lease liabilities         18,413         8,479           Operating lease charges to short-term leases         186,345         244,339           Gains on termination on leases         (2,541)         (5,194)		Accretion of interest	18,413	23,189
Changes arising from lease modification         -         4,135,850           Disposal         (41,807)         (256,650)           3,679,828         4,323,415           For the six months ended         For the six months ended           and Jun-2023         30-Jun-2023           (unaudited)         (unaudited)           US\$         US\$           Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets         1,030,372         1,423,528           Interest expense on lease liabilities         18,413         8,479           Operating lease charges to short-term leases         186,345         244,339           Gains on termination on leases         (2,541)         (5,194)		Payments	(1,050,016)	(2,531,747)
Disposal		Changes arising from lease modification		` ,
(c) Amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss  For the six months ended 30-Jun-2023 30-Jun-2022 (unaudited) (unaudited) US\$ US\$  Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets 1,030,372 1,423,528 Interest expense on lease liabilities 18,413 8,479 Operating lease charges to short-term leases 186,345 244,339 Gains on termination on leases (2,541) (5,194)			(41,807)	(256,650)
For the six months ended and another ended 30-Jun-2023 and 30-Jun-2022 (unaudited) (unaudited) US\$  Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets 1,030,372 1,423,528 Interest expense on lease liabilities 18,413 8,479 Operating lease charges to short-term leases 186,345 244,339 Gains on termination on leases (2,541) (5,194)			3,679,828	4,323,415
30-Jun-2022 (unaudited) US\$  US\$  Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets Interest expense on lease liabilities Interest expense on lease liab	(c)	Amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss		
Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets1,030,3721,423,528Interest expense on lease liabilities18,4138,479Operating lease charges to short-term leases186,345244,339Gains on termination on leases(2,541)(5,194)				
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Operating lease charges to short-term leases  Gains on termination on leases  186,345  (2,541)  (5,194)		Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets	1,030,372	1,423,528
Gains on termination on leases (2,541) (5,194)		Interest expense on lease liabilities	18,413	8,479
		Operating lease charges to short-term leases	186,345	244,339
Total amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss 1,232,589 1,671,152		Gains on termination on leases	(2,541)	(5,194)
		Total amounts recognised in statement of profit or loss	1,232,589	1,671,152

The Company had total cash outflows of US\$1,050,016 (2022: US\$2,531,747) for the period ended 30 June 2023. The Company also had non-cash additions of right-of-use assets and lease liabilities of US\$429,823 and US\$429,823 (2022: US\$1,003,554 and US\$1,003,554) for the period ended 30 June 2023 respectively.

# (7) Deposits from customers

All of the deposits from customers are time deposit stated at amortised cost.

#### (8) Reserves

	Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive		
	income revaluation	Retained	
	reserve	profits	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$
At 1 January 2023	(11,634,843)	270,023,774	258,388,931
Reclassification on transferred gains on disposal of Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(4,314)	4,314	-
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:			-
- Change in fair value, net of deferred tax	506,116	-	506,116
- Transfer to statement of profit or loss on disposal	(97,243)	-	(97,243)
<ul> <li>Transfer of credit loss expenses to statement of profit or loss</li> </ul>	2,977		2,977
Profit for the period	,	27,136,543	27,136,543
At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)	(11,227,307)	297,164,631	285,937,324
At 1 January 2022	913,572	228,285,293	229,198,865
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:			
- Change in fair value, net of deferred tax	(12,083,528)	-	(12,083,528)
- Transfer to statement of profit or loss on disposal	(360,536)	-	(360,536)
- Transfer of credit loss expenses to statement of			
profit or loss	(104,351)	-	(104,351)
Profit for the year	-	41,705,223	41,705,223
Re-measurement gains on defined benefit scheme	-	33,258	33,258
At 31 December 2022 (audited)	(11,634,843)	270,023,774	258,388,931

#### Nature and purpose of reserves

#### (a) Revaluation reserve on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve

The revaluation reserve on financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve comprises the cumulative net change in the fair value of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income revaluation reserve held at the end of the reporting period net of any deferred tax.

#### (b) Regulatory reserve

As at 30 June 2023, the Company has earmarked US\$5,033,882 (31 December 2022: US\$4,972,922) as regulatory reserve from retained profits. The regulatory reserve is maintained to satisfy the provisions of the Hong Kong Banking Ordinance for prudential supervision purposes. Movements in the reserve are made directly through retained profits and in consultation with the HKMA.

# (9) Derivatives

The use of derivatives as risk management products sold to customers is an integral part of the Company's business activities. These instruments are also used to manage the Company's own exposures to market risk as part of its asset and liability management process. The principal derivative instruments used by the Company are interest and foreign exchange rate related contracts, which are primarily over-the-counter derivatives. For accounting purposes, derivatives are classified as trading financial instruments.

#### (a) Notional amount of derivatives

Derivatives refer to financial contracts whose value depends on the value of one or more underlying assets or indices. The notional amounts of these instruments indicate the volume of transactions outstanding at the reporting period and they do not represent amounts at risk.

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Exchange rate contracts Forwards	686,226,450	599,118,316
Interest rate contracts Swaps		
<ul><li> Qualifying for hedge accounting</li><li> Others</li></ul>	149,500,000 77,600,000	166,400,000 137,600,000
	227,100,000	304,000,000
Debt security contracts		
Futures	<u> </u>	69,400,000
	913,326,450	972,518,316

The transactions are used to hedge the Company's own exposure to market risks as part of its asset and liability management.

#### (9) Derivatives (continued)

#### (b) Fair values and credit risk weighted amounts of derivatives

	At 30-Ju	ın-2023 (unaudited	<u> </u>	At 3	1-Dec-2022 (audited	)
	Fair valu	ıe	Credit risk weighted	Fair va	alue	Credit risk weighted
	Assets	Liabilities	amount	Assets	Liabilities	amount
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
Exchange rate contracts						
Forwards	5,080,956	1,604,003	4,286,820	1,168,343	14,762,298	1,796,715
Interest rate contracts				-		
Swaps	5,191,947	-	1,852,925	10,390,595	9,480	3,726,133
Debt security contracts						
Futures	-	-	-	-	164,781	14,456
•	10,272,903	1,604,003	6,139,745	11,558,938	14,936,559	5,537,304

Credit risk-weighted amount refers to the amount as computed in accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules of the Hong Kong Banking Ordinance. The amount depends on the status of the counterparty and the maturity characteristics. The risk weights used range from 20% to 100% for exchange rate, interest rate and debt security contracts.

The Company did not enter into any bilateral netting arrangement during the period and accordingly these amounts are shown on a gross basis.

#### (c) Fair values of derivatives designated as hedging instruments

The following is a summary of the fair values of derivatives held for hedging purposes by product type entered into by the Company:

	At 30-	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)		At 31-Dec-2022 (audited)		
	Change in fair value used for recognising hedge ineffectiveness	Assets	Liabilities	Change in fair value used for recognising hedge ineffectiveness	Assets	Liabilities
	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$	US\$
Interest rate contracts Swaps	4,841,337	151,189		(4,119,893)	295,950	

Fair value hedges principally consist of interest rate swaps that are used to protect against changes in the fair value of certain fixed rate assets due to the movements in market interest rates. At 30 June 2023, the net value of interest rate swaps was US\$151,189 (31 December 2022: US\$295,950) comprising of assets only.

#### (10) Contingent liabilities and commitments

#### (a) Contingent liabilities and commitments to extend credit

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Trade-related contingencies Other commitments	954,828	1,270,991
- with an original maturity of under one year	3,475,650	64,589,620
- with an original maturity of more than one year	239,393,119	196,278,547
	243,823,597	262,139,158
Credit risk weighted amounts	120,582,655	111,311,396

Contingent liabilities and commitments are credit-related instruments which include commitments to extend credit. The contractual amounts represent the amounts at risk should the contract be fully drawn upon and the customer default. As the facilities may expire without being drawn upon, the contractual amounts do not represent expected future cash flows.

The risk weights used range from 0% to 100% for contingent liabilities and commitments.

Credit loss allowances as at 30 June 2023 was US\$165,925 (31 December 2022: US\$334,834).

#### (b) Capital commitments

Commitments to unlisted investments in funds outstanding at the reporting period not provided for in the financial statements were as follows:

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Contracted for	74,094,093	94,347,656
Credit risk weighted amounts	115,738,396	108,410,630

#### (11) Capital adequacy ratios

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited)
Common Equity Tier 1 ("CET1") capital ratio	19.64%	18.00%
Tier 1 capital ratio	19.64%	18.00%
Total capital ratio	20.03%	18.44%

Capital adequacy ratios were complied in accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules issued by the HKMA. The capital disclosures at the reporting period are compiled in accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules for the implementation of the Basel III capital framework.

In accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules, the Company has adopted the "basic approach" for the calculation of the risk-weighted assets for credit risk, the standardized (market risk) approach to calculate its market risk, and the "basic indicator approach" for the calculation of operational risk. The Company has adopted the "standardised method" for the calculation of CVA capital charge.

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, all additional information in relation to the Company's regulatory capital disclosures will be published by using the standard disclosure templates as specified by the HKMA under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

https://www.kdb.co.kr/CHGMHK99N27.act?GmBrnId=AL& mnuId=IHIHGM2065&GmMIngTc=en

# (12) Regulatory capital disclosures

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited)
	US\$	US\$
CET1 capital instruments	240,000,000	240,000,000
Retained earnings	297,164,631	270,023,775
Disclosed reserves	(11,227,307)	(11,634,844)
CET 1 CAPITAL BEFORE DEDUCTIONS  Deduct:	525,937,324	498,388,931
Regulatory reserve for general banking risks	(5,033,882)	(4,972,922)
Defined benefit pension fund assets (net of related deferred tax liability)	(36,336)	(25,128)
CET1 CAPITAL	520,867,106	493,390,881
ADDITIONAL TIER 1 CAPITAL AFTER DEDUCTIONS	-	-
TIER 1 CAPITAL	520,867,106	493,390,881
Regulatory reserve for general banking risks	5,033,882	4,972,922
Collective impairment allowance	5,280,221	6,928,374
TIER 2 CAPITAL	10,314,103	11,901,296
TOTAL CAPITAL BASE	531,181,209	505,292,177

#### (13) Liquidity maintenance ratio

The purpose of liquidity management is to ensure sufficient cash flows to meet all financial commitments and to capitalise on opportunities for business expansion. This includes the Company's ability to meet deposit withdrawals either on demand or at contractual maturity, to repay borrowings as they mature, to comply with the statutory liquidity ratio, and to make new loans and investments as opportunities arise.

Liquidity is managed on a daily basis by the global markets department under the direction of the Risk Management Committee. The global markets department is responsible for ensuring that the Company has adequate liquidity for all operations; ensuring that the funding mix is appropriate so as to avoid maturity mismatches and to prevent price and reinvestment risk in case of a maturity gap; and monitoring local and international markets for the adequacy of funding and liquidity.

The Company manages liquidity risk by holding sufficient liquid assets (e.g. cash and short-term funds and securities) of appropriate quality to ensure that short-term funding requirements are covered within prudent limits. Adequate facilities can be obtained from its holding company to provide liquidity to meet unexpected and material cash outflows in the ordinary course of business.

	For the six months ended	For the six months ended
	30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)	30-Jun-2022 (unaudited)
Average liquidity maintenance ratio for the period	95.45%	74.40%

The Company calculates the average liquidity maintenance ratio of each calendar month by reference to positions of specified days approved by the HKMA pursuant to Rule 48(2) of the Banking (Liquidity) Rules.

The average liquidity maintneance ratio is computed on a solo basis using the arithmetic mean of each calendar month's average liquidity maintenance ratio as reported in the return relating to liquidity position submitted to the HKMA.

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, liquidity information disclosure will be published under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

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# (14) Leverage ratio

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
On-balance sheet exposures Less: Regulatory adjustments	2,765,356,233 (36,336)	2,877,180,510 (25,128)
Total on-balance sheet exposures	2,765,319,897	2,877,155,382
Replacement cost associated with all derivatives contracts  Add-on amounts for potential future exposure associated with all derivatives contracts	39,842,473	22,963,787
Total derivative exposures	17,893,938 57,736,411	15,461,225 38,425,012
Exposures with a 20% credit conversion factor Exposures with a 50% credit conversion factor  Total off-balance sheet exposures	886,096 156,743,606 157,629,702	13,172,122 145,313,102 158,485,224
Securities financing transaction exposures	-	-
Total exposures before adjustments for specific and collective provisions  Less: Adjustments for specific and collective provisions	2,980,686,010 (165,925)	3,074,065,618 (334,834)
Total exposures after adjustments for specific and collective provisions	2,980,520,085	3,073,730,784
Tier 1 capital	520,867,106	493,390,881
Leverage ratio	17.48%	16.05%

Leverage ratio ("LR") is calculated in accordance with the completion instruction issued by the HKMA.

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, all additional information in relation to the Company's leverage ratio disclosure will be published by using the standard disclosure templates as specified by the HKMA under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

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#### (15) Countercyclical Capital Buffer (CCyB) Ratio

CCyB ratio were compiled in accordance with the Banking (Capital) Rules issued by the HKMA. The Company's specific CCyB rate is calculated as the weighted average of the applicable jurisdictional CCyB rates, in respect of the jurisdictions (including Hong Kong) where the Company has private sector credit exposures. The weight to be attributed to a given jurisdiction's applicable CCyB rate is the ratio of the Company's aggregate risk-weighted amounts for its private sector credit exposures (in both the banking book and the trading book) in that jurisdiction (where the location of the exposures is determined as far as possible on an ultimate risk basis) to the sum of the Company's aggregate risk-weighted amounts across all jurisdictions in which the Company has private sector credit exposure. For a credit exposure guaranteed by a party situated in a country different from the counterparty, risk will be transferred to the country of the guarantor.

Geographical breakdown of risk-weighted amounts (RWA) in relation to private sector credit exposures, are shown as follows:

#### At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)

Jurisdiction	Applicable JCCyB ratio in effect	Total RWA used in computation of CCyB ratio US\$	CCyB ratio	CCyB amount US\$
Hong Kong SAR	1.000%	528,284,977		
China	-	673,905,119		
Australia	1.000%	117,829,037		
Canada	-	7,032,712		
Cayman Islands	-	254,860,218		
Finland	-	32,719,434		
India	-	30,377,849		
Kuwait	-	1,321,550		
Luxembourg	0.500%	71,694,557		
Macau	-	19,237,395		
Netherlands	1.000%	10,078,002		
Philippines	-	24,452,499		
Saudi Arabia	-	19,659,792		
Singapore	-	34,886,497		
South Korea	-	196,185,811		
Taiwan	-	10,001,806		
United Arab Emirates	-	2,716,366		
United Kingdom	1.000%	78,231,074		
United States	-	87,734,717		
Virgin Islands (British)	-	20		
Total		2,201,209,432	0.350%	7,704,233

# (15) Countercyclical Capital Buffer (CCyB) Ratio (continued)

At 31 December 2022 (audited)

		Total RWA used in		
		computation of		
Jurisdiction	Applicable JCCyB	CCyB ratio		CCyB amount
	ratio in effect	US\$	CCyB ratio	US\$
Hong Kong SAR	1.000%	556,398,780		
China	-	892,941,916		
Australia	-	128,667,538		
Canada	-	6,870,491		
Cayman Islands	-	207,835,472		
Finland	-	32,093,513		
India	-	29,682,891		
Kuwait	-	5,877,063		
Luxembourg	0.500%	66,472,894		
Macau SAR	-	19,265,533		
Malaysia	-	232,145		
Netherlands	-	10,072,880		
Philippines	-	24,275,807		
Saudi Arabia	-	19,538,992		
Singapore	-	27,916,180		
South Korea	-	218,361,515		
Taiwan	-	10,006,358		
United Arab Emirates	-	8,005,288		
United Kingdom	1.000%	77,908,134		
United States	-	55,753,202		
Total		2,398,176,592	0.278%	6,666,931

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, all additional information in relation to the Company's countercyclical capital buffer ratio disclosure will be published by using the standard disclosure templates as specified by the HKMA under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

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#### (16) International claims (by ultimate nation)

International claims are on-balance sheet exposures to counterparties based on the location of the counterparties after taking into account the transfer of risk and by types of counterparties. For a claim guaranteed by a party situated in a country different from the counterparty, risk will be transferred to the country of the guarantor. For a claim on the branch of a bank or other financial institution, the risk will be transferred to the country where its head office is situated. Claims on individual countries or areas, after risk transfer, are shown as follows:

			Non-bank pi	rivate sector	
	Banks US\$	Official Sector US\$	Non-bank financial institutions US\$	Non-bank private sector US\$	Total US\$
At 30 June 2023 (unaudited)					
Developed countries	193,333,545	64,420,689	235,673,036	132,884,725	626,311,995
- of which Australia	45,400,479	-	77,739,853	25,594,007	148,734,339
- of which Belgium	1,048,522	-	-	-	1,048,522
- of which Canada	-	-	5,680,205	-	5,680,205
- of which Finland	-	-	-	32,719,434	32,719,434
- of which France	7,924,585	-	-	-	7,924,585
- of which Japan	19,774,787	-	-	-	19,774,787
- of which Luxembourg	24,561	-	49,396,703	-	49,421,264
- of which Netherlands	-	-	-	10,078,002	10,078,002
- of which United Kingdom	118,548,427	-	75,995,666	-	194,544,093
- of which United States	612,184	64,420,689	26,860,609	64,493,282	156,386,764
Offshore centres	19,413,290	-	211,994,529	100,515,203	331,923,022
- of which Cayman Islands	-	-	90,422,439	-	90,422,439
- of which Hong Kong	515,154	-	101,784,557	68,347,427	170,647,138
- of which Panama	10,527,789	-	-	-	10,527,789
- of which Singapore	8,370,347	-	19,787,533	32,167,776	60,325,656
Developing Latin America and Caribbean	-	-	-	15,123,082	15,123,082
- of which Residual Developing Latin America And Caribbean	_	_	_	15,123,082	15,123,082
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Developing Africa and Middle East	41,519,254	12,327,261	4,037,916	19,659,792	77,544,223
- of which Kuwait	-	-	1,321,550	-	1,321,550
- of which Qatar	41,519,254	-	-	-	41,519,254
- of which Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	19,659,792	19,659,792
- of which United Arab Emirates	-	12,327,261	2,716,366	-	15,043,627
Developing Asia and Pacific	384,437,165	159,193,381	100,462,268	711,445,300	1,355,538,114
- of which China	134,328,798	-	65,084,311	506,844,625	706,257,734
- of which India	-	-	9,331,002	-	9,331,002
- of which South Korea	152,083,308	159,193,381	16,045,149	180,148,176	507,470,014
- of which Malaysia	18,011,613	-	-	-	18,011,613
- of which Philippines	-	-	-	24,452,499	24,452,499
- of which Taiwan	80,013,446	-	10,001,806	-	90,015,252

# (16) International claims (by ultimate nation) (continued)

	Banks US\$	Official Sector US\$	Non-bank financial institutions US\$	Non-bank private sector US\$	Total US\$
At 31 December 2022 (unaudited)					
Developed countries	130,657,698	105,008,312	241,834,443	105,008,359	582,508,812
- of which Australia	17,157,545	-	94,860,477	26,402,947	138,420,969
- of which Belgium	1,021,460	-	-	-	1,021,460
- of which Canada	-	-	5,578,203	-	5,578,203
- of which Finland	-	-	-	32,093,513	32,093,513
- of which France	19,544,564	-	-	-	19,544,564
- of which Japan	29,876,516	-	-	-	29,876,516
- of which Luxembourg	6,271	-	39,422,758	-	39,429,029
- of which Netherlands	-	-	-	10,072,880	10,072,880
- of which United Kingdom	17,965,381	-	75,490,989	-	93,456,370
- of which United States	45,085,961	105,008,312	26,482,016	36,439,019	213,015,308
Offshore centres	40,008,409	-	186,659,881	169,761,528	396,429,818
- of which Cayman Islands	-	-	79,600,028	-	79,600,028
- of which Hong Kong	946,277	-	91,977,603	137,864,391	230,788,271
- of which Panama	10,656,123	-	-	-	10,656,123
- of which Singapore	28,406,009	-	15,082,250	31,897,137	75,385,396
Developing Africa and Middle East	46,094,461	12,102,845	5,877,063	27,544,280	91,618,649
- of which Kuwait	-	-	5,877,063	-	5,877,063
- of which Qatar	41,029,886	-	-	-	41,029,886
- of which Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	19,538,992	19,538,992
- of which United Arab Emirates	5,064,575	12,102,845	-	8,005,288	25,172,708
Developing Asia and Pacific	301,232,254	116,211,327	173,641,389	929,643,186	1,520,728,156
- of which China	76,761,977	-	132,258,222	710,465,228	919,485,427
- of which India	-	-	9,318,801	-	9,318,801
- of which South Korea	174,487,023	116,211,327	22,058,008	194,670,006	507,426,364
- of which Malaysia	9,973,887	-	-	232,145	10,206,032
- of which Philippines	-	-	-	24,275,807	24,275,807
- of which Taiwan	40,009,367	-	10,006,358	-	50,015,725

# (17) Non-bank Mainland China exposures

The analysis of non-bank Mainland China exposures is based on the categories of non-bank counterparties and the type of direct exposures with reference to the Completion Instruction for the HKMA return of non-bank Mainland exposures.

	_	30-Jun-2023 (unaudited)			
	Items in HKMA return	On-balance sheet exposure US\$	Off-balance sheet exposure US\$	Total US\$	
Central government, central government-owned entities and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	1	107,937,310	3,080,000	111,017,310	
Local governments, local government-owned entities and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	2	109,783,878		109,783,878	
PRC nationals residing in Mainland China or other entities incorporated in Mainland China and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	3	360,139,508	12,000,000	372,139,508	
Other entities of central government not reported in item 1 above	4		-	-	
Other entities of local governments not reported in item 2 above	5	11,021,621	-	11,021,621	
PRC nationals residing outside Mainland China or entities incorporated outside Mainland China where the credit is granted for use in Mainland China	6	193,869,070	56,419,580	250,288,650	
Other counterparties where the exposures are considered by the reporting institution to be non-bank Mainland China exposures	7	105,471,297	43,217,269	148,688,566	
Total	8	888,222,684	114,716,849	1,002,939,533	
Total assets after provision	9	2,781,116,047			
On-balance sheet exposures as percentage of total assets	10	31.94%			

# (17) Non-bank Mainland China exposures (continued)

		31-Dec-2022 (audited)		
	Items in HKMA return	On-balance sheet exposure US\$	Off-balance sheet exposure US\$	Total US\$
Central government, central government-owned entities and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	1	154,635,682	12,480,000	167,115,682
Local governments, local government-owned entities and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	2	92,466,200	-	92,466,200
PRC nationals residing in Mainland China or other entities incorporated in Mainland China and their subsidiaries and joint ventures	3	539,742,916	36,029,620	575,772,536
Other entities of central government not reported in item 1 above	4	-	-	-
Other entities of local governments not reported in item 2 above	5	1,322,303	9,680,000	11,002,303
PRC nationals residing outside Mainland China or entities incorporated outside Mainland China where the credit is granted for use in Mainland China	6	174,870,254	63,567,308	238,437,562
Other counterparties where the exposures are considered by the reporting institution to be non-bank Mainland China exposures	7	107,852,975	44,374,304	152,227,279
Total	8	1,070,890,330	166,131,232	1,237,021,562
Total assets after provision	9	2,901,107,108		
On-balance sheet exposures as percentage of total assets	10	36.91%		

Specific provision of US\$9,760,000 (2022: US\$13,036,809) was made in respect of the above exposures for the period ended 30 June 2023.

#### (18) Currency risk

The Company's foreign currency positions arise from foreign exchange dealing and commercial banking operations. All foreign currency positions are managed by the global markets department within limits approved by the board.

The following table indicates the concentration of currency risk at the end of reporting period defined by the Banking (Disclosure) Rules.

			A	30-Jun-2023	(unaudited)			
Expressed in millions of Hong Kong dollars	United States Dollars	Pound sterling	Japanese Yen	Euros	Renminbi	Australian Dollars	Others	Total
Spot assets	15,547	152	93	1,454	25	615	49	17,935
Spot liabilities	(20,951)	-	(91)	(71)	(23)	(1)	-	(21,137)
Forward purchases	7,124	-	-		-	-	-	7,124
Forward sales	(1,771)	(151)	-	(1,382)	-	(605)	(67)	(3,976)
Net long/(short) position	(51)	1	2	1	2	9	(18)	(54)
			А	t 31-Dec-2022	(unaudited)			
	United							
Expressed in millions of Hong Kong dollars	States Dollars	Pound sterling	Japanese Yen	Euros	Renminbi	Australian Dollars	Others	Total
Spot assets	16,907	104	101	1,117	26	768	52	19,075
Spot liabilities	(21,248)	-	(99)	(133)	(24)	(1)	-	(21,505)
Forward purchase	6,871	-	-	-	-	53	-	6,924
Forward sales	(2,543)	(103)	-	(965)	-	(824)	(71)	(4,506)
Net long/(short) position	(13)	1	2	19	2	(4)	(19)	(12)

#### (19) Overdue and rescheduled assets

(a) Loans and advances with a specific repayment date are classified as overdue when the principal or interest is overdue and remains unpaid at the period-end.

	At 30-Jun-2023 (unaudited) US\$	At 31-Dec-2022 (audited) US\$
Gross loans and advances to customers which have been overdue with respect to principal for period of		
- 6 months or less but over 3 months	-	3,960,000
- over 1 year	9,760,000	9,760,000
	9,760,000	13,720,000

#### (b) Rescheduled loans and advances

Rescheduled loans and advances are those loans and advances which have been restructured or renegotiated because of a deterioration in the financial position of the borrower, or of the inability of the borrower to meet the original repayment schedule and for which the revised repayment terms are non-commercial to the Company.

There were no rescheduled loans and advances to banks and customers at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022.

- (c) There were no other assets which have been overdue for more than 3 months at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022.
- (d) There were no repossessed assets held at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022.

#### (20) Pillar 3 disclosures

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, all information in relation to the Company's Pillar 3 disclosures will be published by using the standard disclosure templates as specified by the HKMA under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

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#### (21) Key elements of disclosure policy

The Disclosure Policy of the Company sets out the approach used by the Company to (i) determine the content, appropriateness and frequency of the information it discloses to the general public relating to its state of affairs including its profit and loss and its financial resources (including capital/ liquidity resources) and (ii) descriptions of its own risk profile as required by the Banking (Disclosure) Rules.

To comply with the Banking (Disclosure) Rules, all information in relation to the Company's key elements of disclosure policy will be published under the "Regulatory Disclosures" section on the website:

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#### (G) Basis of preparation

The financial information presented in this report is prepared on a basis consistent with the accounting policies adopted in the 2022 annual financial statements, except for the accounting policy changes that are expected to be reflected in the 2023 annual financial statements.

# (H) Compliance with Disclosure Requirements

In preparing the interim results for the six months ended 30 June 2023, the Company has fully complied with the requirements set out in the Banking (Disclosure) Rules and the guideline on the application of the Banking (Disclosure) Rules issued by the Hong Kong Monetary Authority.

#### (I) Review of Interim Results

These interim results have been reviewed by the Company's Board of Directors.

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