Interim Report - First Half

2022

Sydbank Group



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Denmark's Corporate Bank

Sydbank's Interim Report - First Half 2022

Significant growth in core earnings before impairment

H1 2022 - highlights

- Profit for the period of DKK 748m equals a return on equity of 11.9% p.a. after tax
- Core income of DKK 2,399m is 9% higher compared to the same period in 2021
- Trading income constituted DKK 116m in H1 2022 DKK 16m of which concerns Q2 2022
- Costs (core earnings) of DKK 1,574m are 4% lower compared to the same period in 2021
- Core earnings before impairment of DKK 941m are 37% higher compared to the same period in 2021
- Impairment charges for loans and advances etc represent an income of DKK 84m DKK 23m of which concerns Q2 2022
- Bank loans and advances have risen by DKK 12.8bn, equal to an increase of 21% compared to end-June 2021
- The CET1 ratio stands at 16.6%, equal to a decrease of 1.3pp compared to year-end 2021
- A share buyback of DKK 425m was commenced on 7 March 2022

CEO Karen Frøsig comments on Sydbank's H1 result:

- It is highly satisfactory to note that profitability expressed by core earnings before impairment has risen by DKK 254m, equivalent to 37%. The reason is that we have succeeded in increasing income while at the same time reducing costs.

Board chairman Lars Mikkelgaard-Jensen comments on the result:

 It is positive that the Bank has increased its earnings capacity in recent years and consequently delivers a very competitive performance – even at a time when financial markets are recording large price drops in bonds as well as shares.

Karen Frøsig elaborates:

- We are following our current strategy "Growing our business". We are attracting new customers and our existing customers are drawing more on their facilities. This means that lending continues to grow at a high pace. Loans and advances went up by DKK 7.2bn in H1 and rose by DKK 12.8bn – equivalent to 21% – over the past 12 months.

Outlook for 2022

- Growth is projected in the Danish economy in 2022
- Core income is expected to be higher than in 2021
- Costs (core earnings) are projected to be lower than in 2021
- Impairment charges for 2022 are forecast to be at a low level
- Profit after tax is expected to be in the upper end of the range of DKK 1,350-1,550m
- The outlook for 2022 is subject to uncertainty and depends on financial market developments and macroeconomic factors

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Group Financial Highlights

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Highlights

Significant growth in core earnings before impairment

Sydbank's financial statements for H1 2022 show a profit before tax of DKK 959m compared with DKK 825m in the same period in 2021. Profit before tax equals a return of 15.3% p.a. on average equity.

Profit before tax shows an increase of DKK 134m, which is primarily attributable to a rise in earnings and a decline in costs (core earnings).

Core income constitutes DKK 2,399m compared with DKK 2,193m in 2021 – an increase of DKK 206m, equivalent to 9%. The increase is primarily attributable to higher activity and a rise in loans and advances to corporate clients. Corporate clients' drawings under credit facilities have been affected for instance by the repayment of the government's relief packages, which included a deferral of VAT and tax payments. Core income is higher compared with the expectations presented in the 2021 Annual Report.

Trading income in H1 2022 constitutes DKK 116m compared with DKK 141m in 2021. Given the considerable interest rate increases and the volatility of bond and share markets in H1 2022, the income is considered satisfactory.

Total income amounts to DKK 2,515m, which is an increase of 8% compared to the same period in 2021.

Costs (core earnings) constituted DKK 1,574m in H1 2022 – a drop of DKK 73m compared to the same period in 2021.

Core earnings before impairment total DKK 941m for H1 2022 – an increase of DKK 254m, equivalent to 37%.

Impairment charges for loans and advances represent an income of DKK 84m compared with an income of DKK 206m in the same period in 2021.

Core earnings for H1 2022 represent DKK 1,025m – an increase of DKK 132m compared with 2021.

Non-recurring items etc total a net income of DKK 25m compared to a net expense of DKK 49m in the same period in 2021. The item includes costs related to the development of housing loan processes, the development of the bank/insurance partnership as well as income by way of extraordinary realised capital gains from the lending portfolio acquired from Alm. Brand Bank.

Profit for the period before tax represents DKK 959m compared to DKK 825m in 2021 – an increase of DKK 134m. Tax represents DKK 211m, equal to an effective tax rate of 22.0%.

Profit for the period amounts to DKK 748m compared with DKK 645m in 2021, equal to a return of 11.9% p.a. on average equity.

Sydbank's strategy for 2022-2024: "Growing our business"

Growing our business centres on 3 themes:

- Better known and bigger
- Sound business
- Stronger competitive position

Better known and bigger – profitable growth Sydbank has a good reputation – and needs to be better known. On the back of Denmark's Corporate Bank we will increase awareness of Sydbank focusing in particular on large towns and cities. Our growth is profitable and organic and we are in good shape for friendly takeovers. We will incorporate ESG and sustainability in the Bank's products and processes.

Sound business – higher earnings

At Sydbank focus is on banking and sound business. Our employees are highly qualified, proactive and value-creating. We work on the principle of quid pro quo and will increase the Bank's earnings.

Stronger competitive position – efficient bank We will prioritise the Bank's efforts and reduce costs. We will optimise working procedures and processes to reduce time spent, enhance quality and shorten response times to customers. As a decent and responsible bank our constant focus is on compliance, including IT security.

Strategic goals represent the values from the Bank's underlying philosophy and its core story with promises to its customers, to its employees and to its shareholders.

The strategic goals cover these areas:

- Awareness
- Return on equity
- Rate of costs

Awareness

By means of targeted efforts we will increase awareness of Sydbank and our qualities. We will elevate unaided brand awareness from its current level of around 20% to around 40% by the end of the strategy period.

Return on equity

We will continue to deliver competitive returns to the Bank's shareholders and our goal is a return on equity in the region of 10% in 2024. The expectation of a return on equity in the region of 10% is based on a normalised level of impairment charges in 2024.

Rate of costs

We will continue to work on striking a better balance between income and costs. This will be achieved by continuing to increase income while lowering costs. Lower costs will be achieved by prioritising our initiatives, gaining a better understanding of costs throughout the organisation and continuing to ensure a powerful engine room.

The rate of costs – 67% in 2021 – is expected to have improved to around 60% by the end of the strategy period.

Sydbank - Denmark's Corporate Bank

Sydbank is the bank for the backbone of the Danish corporate sector. With a market share of more than 10% among small and medium-sized enterprises, Sydbank is Denmark's 3rd largest corporate bank.

Sydbank has a unique size. Sufficiently large and competent to match the professional expectations of businesses – yet sufficiently small to be attentive and know their needs and requirements.

H1 2022 performance

Net interest income has risen by DKK 142m to DKK 1,007m, equal to 16%. The increase is primarily attributable to higher activity and a rise in loans and advances to corporate clients. Corporate clients' drawings under credit facilities have been affected by for instance the repayment of the government's relief packages, which included a deferral of VAT and tax payments.

Total core income has risen by DKK 206m to DKK 2,399m. The increase is primarily attributable to higher activity and a rise in corporate lending.

Trading income constituted DKK 116m in H1 2022 compared with DKK 141m in the same period in 2021.

Total income has increased by DKK 181m to DKK 2.515m.

Costs (core earnings) have declined by DKK 73m to DKK 1,574m.

Core earnings before impairment for H1 2022 represent DKK 941m – an increase of DKK 254m compared with 2021.

Impairment charges for loans and advances represent an income of DKK 84m compared with an income of DKK 206m in the same period in 2021.

Core earnings for H1 2022 represent DKK 1,025m – an increase of DKK 132m compared with 2021.

Together the Group's position-taking and liquidity handling generated negative earnings of DKK 91m in H1 2022 compared with negative earnings of DKK 19m a year ago.

Non-recurring items etc total a net income of DKK 25m compared to a net expense of DKK 49m in the same period in 2021. The item includes costs of DKK 19m related to the development of housing loan processes and DKK 7m related to the development of the bank/insurance partnership. In addition DKK 51m has been recognised as income as regards extraordinary realised capital gains from the lending portfolio acquired from Alm. Brand Bank.

Profit before tax for H1 2022 amounts to DKK 959m compared with DKK 825m in 2021. Tax represents DKK 211m, equal to an effective tax rate of 22.0%.

Profit for the period amounts to DKK 748m compared with DKK 645m in 2021.

Return on shareholders' equity before and after tax constitutes 15.3% and 11.9% respectively against 13.4% and 10.4% respectively in the same period in 2021.

Bank loans and advances

Bank loans and advances represented DKK 74.2bn at 30 June 2022 – an increase of DKK 12.8bn since 30 June 2021 and an increase of DKK 7.2bn since yearend 2021.

Bank loans and advances (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Corporate clients	60.7	52.8	46.8
Retail clients	13.4	14.1	14.5
Public authorities	0.1	0.1	0.1
Total	74.2	67.0	61.4

Bank loans and advances to retail clients represent DKK 13.4bn – a decrease of DKK 0.7bn in H1 2022. One of the reasons for the decline is that an increasing share of customers' total housing debt is financed by way of mortgage loans. However arranged mortgage loans – Totalkredit have declined because customers are refinancing their fixed-rate bond loans. Refinancing of bond loans enables customers to significantly reduce their outstanding debt and consequently arranged mortgage loans recorded a limited rise of DKK 0.1bn in H1 2022.

Bank loans and advances to corporate clients represent DKK 60.7bn – an increase of DKK 7.9bn in H1 2022. The repayment of funds received under the government's relief packages, which included a deferral of VAT and tax payments, has affected corporate lending.

Credit facilities to corporate clients (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Drawn facilities = loans/advances before			
impairment charges	62.1	54.2	48.2
Undrawn facilities	37.3	39.9	40.3
Total	99.4	94.1	88.5

Credit facilities to corporate clients rose by DKK 5.3bn to DKK 99.4bn in H1 2022.

During H1 2022 corporate clients drew a further DKK 7.9bn under their credit facilities.

Credit intermediation

In addition to traditional bank loans and advances the Group arranges for mortgage loans from Totalkredit and DLR Kredit. The Group's total credit intermediation comprises bank loans and advances, mortgage-like loans funded by Totalkredit as well as mortgage loans arranged through Totalkredit and DLR Kredit.

Total credit intermediation (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Bank loans and advances	74.2	67.0	61.4
Funded mortgage-like loans Arranged mortgage loans –	5.3	5.6	6.2
Totalkredit Arranged mortgage loans –	89.3	89.2	88.2
DLR	13.7	13.5	13.1
Total	182.5	175.3	168.9

The Group's total credit intermediation represents DKK 182.5bn – an increase of DKK 7.2bn, equal to 4% compared to year-end 2021. The change is attributable to a rise in bank loans and advances of DKK 7.2bn, a decline in funded mortgage-like loans of DKK 0.3bn and an increase in arranged mortgage loans of DKK 0.3bn.

Outlook for 2022

Growth is projected in the Danish economy in 2022.

Core income is expected to be higher than in 2021.

Costs (core earnings) are projected to be lower than in 2021.

Impairment charges for 2022 are forecast to be at a low level.

Profit after tax is expected to be in the upper end of the range of DKK 1,350-1,550m.

In connection with the release of the 2021 Annual Report, profit after tax was expected to be in the range of DKK 1,150-1,450m in 2022.

On 25 April 2022 the Bank revised its expectations upwards to a profit after tax in the range of DKK 1,350-1,550m in 2022. Profit after tax is now expected to be in the upper end of the range.

The outlook for 2022 is subject to uncertainty and depends on financial market developments and macroeconomic factors.

Sydbank's core story

Banking

Sydbank's mission is to be a bank that is close to its customers. We find solutions where they are – quickly and efficiently. We build on relationships between people. And we focus on what is important – banking and sound business. Banking – pure and simple.

Our bank

Rooted in Southern Jutland, Sydbank is a strong and independent nationwide bank operating on its own terms. For the backbone of the Danish corporate sector and for retail clients who value professional advice we are a bank for most people but not the same bank for everyone. Good old-fashioned attentiveness, new technology – we use what works. We know our customers and we are close to them providing advice tailored to their individual needs. Backed by the best business partners our competitive strength is increased. Our bank – excellence and relationships create value.

Sydbank

Our bank makes 3 promises – to our customers, to our employees and to our shareholders. You will know us for the value we create for our customers. You will know us for our belief that excellent and committed employees are our most important asset. And you will know us for always having a level of profitability that will enable us to remain an independent and resourceful bank. Sydbank – what can we do for you?

Financial Review - performance in H1 2022

The Sydbank Group has recorded a profit before tax of DKK 959m compared to DKK 825m in 2021. Profit before tax equals a return of 15.3% p.a. on average equity.

Profit for the period after tax represents DKK 748m compared with DKK 645m in 2021, equal to a return of 11.9% p.a. on average equity.

Profit for H1 2022 exceeds expectations at the beginning of the year.

The financial statements are characterised by the following:

- a rise in core income of DKK 206m, equal to 9%
- a drop in trading income of DKK 25m
- a decline in costs (core earnings) of DKK 73m
- impairment charges for loans and advances represent an income of DKK 84m
- a rise in core earnings of DKK 132m to DKK 1,025m
- negative investment portfolio earnings of DKK 91m
- non-recurring items etc represent a net income of DKK 25m
- bank loans and advances of DKK 74.2bn (yearend 2021: DKK 67.0bn)
- bank deposits of DKK 100.2bn (year-end 2021: DKK 93.9bn)
- a CET1 ratio of 16.6% (2021: 17.9%)
- an individual solvency need of 10.8% (2021: 10.6%)

Income statement - H1 (DKKm)	2022	2021
Core income	2,399	2,193
Trading income	116	141
Total income	2,515	2,334
Costs, core earnings	1,574	1,647
Core earnings before impairment	941	687
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(84)	(206)
Core earnings	1,025	893
Investment portfolio earnings	(91)	(19)
Profit before non-recurring items	934	874
Non-recurring items, net	25	(49)
Profit before tax	959	825
Tax	211	180
Profit for the period	748	645

Core income

Total core income has risen by DKK 206m or 9% to DKK 2,399m. The increase is primarily attributable to higher activity and a rise in loans and advances to corporate clients.

Net interest income has gone up by DKK 142m to DKK 1,007m. The rise is due to a higher demand for loans by corporate clients. Corporate clients' drawings under credit facilities have been affected by for instance the repayment of the government's relief packages, which included a deferral of VAT and tax payments.

Net income from the cooperation with Totalkredit represents DKK 287m (2021: DKK 277m) after a set-off of loss of DKK 4m (2021: DKK 6m).

The cooperation with DLR Kredit has generated an

income of DKK 70m (2021: DKK 70m). Compared to 2021 total mortgage credit income represents DKK 358m – an increase of DKK 10m.

Income from remortgaging and loan fees has gone up by DKK 26m to DKK 120m – an increase of 28% compared to 2021. The rise is attributable to a higher level of activity.

The remaining income components have increased by DKK 28m – an increase of 3% compared to 2021.

Core income – H1 (DKKm)	2022	2021
Net interest etc	1,007	865
Mortgage credit	358	348
Payment services	109	97
Remortgaging and loan fees	120	94
Commission and brokerage	241	241
Commission etc investment funds and	4.50	4.74
pooled pension plans	162	171
Asset management	179	185
Custody account fees	65	49
Other operating income	158	143
Total	2,399	2,193

Trading income

Compared with a year ago trading income has gone down by DKK 25m to DKK 116m. Given the considerable interest rate increases and the volatility of bond and share markets in H1 2022, the income is considered satisfactory.

Costs and depreciation

The Group's costs and depreciation total DKK 1,604m – a decrease of DKK 96m compared to the same period in 2021.

Costs and depreciation – H1 (DKKm)	2022	2021
Staff costs	910	994
Other administrative expenses	614	632
Amortisation/depreciation and impairment of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment	66	59
Other operating expenses	14	15
Total	1,604	1,700
Distributed as follows:		
Costs, core earnings	1,574	1,647
Costs, investment portfolio earnings	4	4
Non-recurring costs	26	49

Costs (core earnings) represent DKK 1,574m against DKK 1,647m in 2021.

At 30 June 2022 the Group's staff numbered 2,017 (full-time equivalent) compared to 2,126 at 30 June 2021 and 2,077 at 31 December 2021.

Compared to year-end 2021 the number of branches is unchanged and is 55 in Denmark and 3 in Germany at end-June 2022.

Core earnings before impairment of loans and

Core earnings before impairment charges for loans and advances represent DKK 941m – an increase of DKK 254m or 37% compared to the same period in 2021.

Impairment of loans and advances etc

Impairment charges for loans and advances represent an income of DKK 84m compared with an income of DKK 206m in the same period in 2021.

The Group's impairment charges for loans and advances include a management estimate of DKK 325m (2021: DKK 325m) to cover the consequences of covid-19 on the Group's lending portfolio.

At 30 June 2022 Sydbank's unsecured loans and advances in the weakest rating categories (excluding agriculture) amounted to DKK 531m. These loans and advances are not subject to objective evidence of credit impairment but in the short term they are the most critical in terms of credit impairment due to covid-19. The impairment charges include a management estimate of DKK 125m to hedge the risk of these loans and advances, equal to 24%.

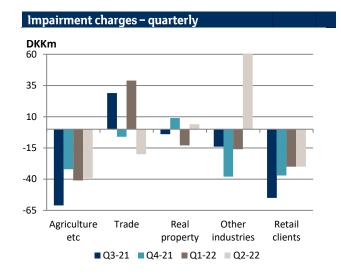
Furthermore impairment charges include a management estimate of DKK 200m to cover unforeseen events as a result of covid-19 as regards

the remaining part of the lending portfolio in rating categories 1-6, the credit risk of which is satisfactory or normal.

Consequently management estimates as a result of covid-19 total DKK 325m, which is unchanged compared to year-end 2021. Impairment charges for loans and advances to pig farming comprise a management estimate of DKK 60m (2021: DKK 60m).

The chart below shows impairment charges for loans and advances in the last 4 quarters as regards agriculture etc, trade, real property, other industries as well as retail clients.

During Q3 2022 the Bank will assess the need for a management estimate as a result of problems with supply chains, high energy prices, high inflation as well as the risk of a recession. It is expected that the management estimate concerning covid-19 will be cancelled in Q3 2022.



At 30 June 2022 accumulated impairment and provisions amounted to DKK 1,952m (2021: DKK 1,974m).

In H1 2022 reported losses amounted to DKK 23m (H1 2021: DKK 94m). Of the reported losses an impairment charge of DKK 16m has previously been recorded.

At 30 June 2022 the impairment ratio for the period represented minus 0.09% relative to bank loans and advances and guarantees.

Impairment charges are made for expected credit losses as regards all financial assets measured at amortised cost and similar provisions are made for expected credit losses as regards undrawn credit commitments and financial guarantees. Impairment charges for expected credit losses depend on whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased

significantly since initial recognition and follow a 3-stage model. The portfolio in stage 3 acquired from Alm. Brand Bank is recognised under "credit impaired at initial recognition":

- Stage 1 facilities with no significant increase in credit risk. The asset is written down by an amount equal to the expected credit loss as a result of the probability of default over the coming 12 months
- Stage 2 facilities with a significant increase in credit risk. The asset is transferred to stage 2 and is written down by an amount equal to the expected credit loss over the life of the asset
- **Stage 3** facilities where the financial asset is in default or is otherwise credit impaired
- Credit impaired at initial recognition (POCI) –
 facilities which were credit impaired at the time
 of acquisition of Alm. Brand Bank. They are
 recognised on acquisition at the fair value of the
 debt acquired

The Group's loans and advances and impairment charges at 30 June 2022 allocated to these stages are shown below.

Loans/advances and impairment charges – 30 Jun 2022								
(DKKm)	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total			
Loans/ advances before impairment								
charges Impairment	71,230	3,491	1,104	148	75,973			
charges	506	660	617	-	1,783			
Total loans/ advances	70,724	2,831	487	148	74,190			

30 Jun 2022	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	POCI	Total
Impairment charges as % of bank loans/ advances Share of bank loans/advances	0.7	18.9	55.9	-	2.3
before impairment charges (%) Share of bank loans/advances after	93.8	4.6	1.4	0.2	100.0
impairment charges (%)	95.3	3.8	0.7	0.2	100.0

Credit impaired bank loans and advances – stage 3 – represent 1.4% (year-end 2021: 1.6%) of total bank loans and advances before impairment charges and 0.7% (year-end 2021: 0.8%) of total bank loans and advances after impairment charges.

Credit impaired bank loans and advances from the acquisition of Alm. Brand Bank – credit impaired at

initial recognition – amount to 0.2% of total bank loans and advances before impairment charges and 0.2% of total bank loans and advances after impairment charges.

Impairment charges concerning credit impaired bank loans and advances as a percentage of credit impaired bank loans and advances at 30 June 2022 stand at 55.9% (year-end 2021: 53.8%).

Core earnings

Core earnings for H1 2022 represent DKK 1,025m – an increase of DKK 132m compared with 2021.

Investment portfolio earnings

Together the Group's position-taking and liquidity handling generated negative earnings of DKK 91m in H1 2022 compared to negative earnings of DKK 19m a year ago.

The negative result for H1 2022 is due to a combination of the effects of interest rate increases and widening credit spreads.

Investment portfolio earnings – H1 (DKKm)	2022	2021
Position-taking	(55)	(9)
Liquidity generation and liquidity reserves	(33)	(12)
Strategic positions	1	6
Costs	(4)	(4)
Total	(91)	(19)

The interest rate risk at end-H1 2022 has been composed with the aim of making position-taking neutral to interest rate changes.

Non-recurring items, net

Non-recurring items total a net income of DKK 25m compared to a net expense of DKK 49m in H1 2021.

In 2022 the item included costs of DKK 19m related to the development of housing loan processes and DKK 7m related to the development of the bank/insurance partnership. In addition DKK 51m has been recognised as income as regards extraordinary realised capital gains from the lending portfolio acquired from Alm. Brand Bank.

In 2021 the item included costs of DKK 19m related to "A stronger bank" and DKK 30m related to the integration of Alm. Brand Bank.

Profit for the period

Profit before tax for H1 2022 amounts to DKK 959m compared with DKK 825m in 2021. Tax represents DKK 211m, equal to an effective tax rate of 22.0%.

Profit for the period amounts to DKK 748m compared with DKK 645m in 2021.

Return

Return on shareholders' equity after tax constitutes 11.9% against 10.4% in H1 2021.

Earnings per share stands at DKK 12.5 compared with DKK 10.4 in 2021.

Subsidiaries

Profit after tax of the subsidiaries represents DKK 15m (H1 2021: DKK 14m).

Group - Q2 2022 compared with Q1 2022

The Group's profit before tax for the quarter represents DKK 389m (Q1 2022: DKK 570m).

Compared to Q1 2022 profit before tax reflects:

- a core income of DKK 1,199m (Q1: DKK 1,200m)
- a trading income of DKK 16m (Q1: DKK 100m)
- costs (core earnings) of DKK 775m (Q1: DKK 799m)
- impairment charges for loans and advances represent an income of DKK 23m (Q1: income of DKK 61m)
- investment portfolio earnings of minus DKK 62m (Q1: minus DKK 29m)

Quarterly results	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1
(DKKm)	2022	2022	2021	2021	2021	2021
Core income	1,199	1,200	1,156	1,087	1,088	1,105
Trading income	16	100	103	47	68	73
Total income	1,215	1,300	1,259	1,134	1,156	1,178
Costs, core earnings	775	799	782	748	814	833
Core earnings before impairment	440	501	477	386	342	345
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(23)	(61)	(104)	(105)	(125)	(81)
Core earnings	463	562	581	491	467	426
Investment portfolio earnings	(62)	(29)	5	(7)	2	(21)
Profit before non-recurring items	401	533	586	484	469	405
Non-recurring items, net	(12)	37	(104)	(27)	(17)	(32)
Profit before tax	389	570	482	457	452	373
Tax	86	125	84	89	98	82
Profit for the period	303	445	398	368	354	291

Total assets

At 30 June 2022 the Group's total assets made up DKK 169.1bn against DKK 168.2bn at year-end 2021.

Assets (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
Amounts owed by credit institutions etc	21.2	22.3
Loans and advances at fair value (reverse transactions) Loans and advances at amortised cost	12.9	16.9
(bank loans and advances)	74.2	67.0
Securities and holdings etc	31.6	31.6
Assets related to pooled plans	20.4	22.2
Other assets etc	8.8	8.2
Total	169.1	168.2

The Group's bank loans and advances totalled DKK 74.2bn at 30 June 2022. Compared to year-end 2021 this is an increase of DKK 7.2bn.

Equity and liabilities (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
Amounts owed to credit institutions etc	5.8	6.9
Deposits and other debt	100.2	93.9
Deposits in pooled plans	20.4	22.2
Bonds issued	9.6	13.3
Other liabilities etc	18.6	16.4
Provisions	0.4	0.4
Subordinated capital	1.1	1.9
Equity	13.0	13.2
Total	169.1	168.2

The Group's deposits make up DKK 100.2bn. Compared to year-end 2021 this is an increase of DKK 6.3bn.

Equity

At 30 June 2022 shareholders' equity constituted DKK 12,246m – a decrease of DKK 167m since the beginning of the year. The change comprises additions from comprehensive income for the period of DKK 710m, net purchases of own shares of DKK 166m as well as dividend paid of DKK 711m.

Capital

On 2 March 2022 the Bank announced a new share buyback programme of DKK 425m, however a maximum of 4 million shares. The share buyback is part of the adjustment to optimise the capital structure in accordance with the Bank's capital targets and capital policy.

The share buyback programme was initiated on 7 March 2022 and will be completed by 30 December

2022. At 30 June 2022, 739,000 shares had been repurchased under the programme at a transaction value of DKK 173m.

In March 2022 the Group redeemed T2 capital amounting to EUR 100m.

AT1 capital of EUR 75m issued in 2004 can no longer be included in the determination of total capital.

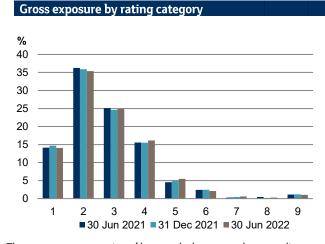
The Group has included 50% of profit for the period in the capital statement.

Risk exposure amount

The risk exposure amount represents DKK 60.7bn (year-end 2021: DKK 57.4bn) – an increase of DKK 3.3bn. Credit risk has gone up by DKK 2.9bn, which is predominantly attributable to the increase in bank loans and advances of DKK 7.2bn compared with year-end 2021. Market risk has gone up by DKK 0.6bn. Other exposures have gone down by DKK 0.2bn.

REA (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
Credit risk	41.7	38.8
Market risk	6.1	5.5
Operational risk	7.2	7.2
Other exposures incl CVA	5.7	5.9
Total	60.7	57.4

The development in the gross exposure by rating category at 30 June 2022, 31 December 2021 and 30 June 2021 appears below.



The gross exposure consists of loans and advances, undrawn credit commitments, interest receivable, guarantees and counterparty risk on derivatives. The graph comprises exposures treated according to IRB. Exposures relating to clients in default are not included in the breakdown of rating categories. Impairment charges for exposures have not been deducted from the exposure.

The gross exposure by rating category shows that a large share continues to be in the 4 best rating categories.

Solvency

Solvency (DKKm)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
REA	60,720	57,415
CET1 capital	10,093	10,277
T1 capital	10,837	11,076
Total capital	11,617	13,082
CET1 ratio	16.6	17.9
T1 capital ratio	17.8	19.3
Capital ratio	19.1	22.8

At 30 June 2022 the CET1 ratio and the capital ratio stood at 16.6% and 19.1% respectively compared to 17.9% and 22.8% respectively at year-end 2021.

The development in the capital ratio in H1 2022 is shown below.



Half of profit for the period is included in the calculation of capital ratios at 30 June 2022.

The capital ratio declined by 3.7pp in H1, which was due to the initiated share buyback programme, the redemption of T2 capital, the derecognition of AT1 capital as well as a rise in REA.

At 30 June 2022 the individual solvency need represented 10.8% (31 December 2021: 10.6%).

Solvency of the parent

At 30 June 2022 the CET1 ratio and the capital ratio of the parent stood at 16.1% and 18.5% respectively (2021: 17.3% and 22.0% respectively).

Advanced IRB – corporate exposures

Today Sydbank uses the foundation IRB approach to calculate the capital requirement as regards corporate exposures. The Bank has developed new models and an application was submitted to the Danish FSA on 30

June 2021 to gain approval to use the advanced IRB approach as regards corporate exposures. Its approval is expected in 2022.

Capital and solvency and capital requirements

The Group's capital management is anchored in the Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP), a review conducted to identify risks and determine the individual solvency need.

At end-June 2022 the individual solvency need represented 10.8%. The solvency need consists of a minimum capital requirement of 8% under Pillar I and a capital add-on under Pillar II. Approximately 56% of the solvency need must be covered by CET1 capital, equivalent to 6.0% of the risk exposure amount.

In addition to the solvency need the Group must meet a combined buffer requirement of 3.5% at 30 June 2022.

Capital and solvency and capital requirements (% of REA)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
Capital and solvency		
CET1 ratio	16.6	17.9
T1 capital ratio	17.8	19.3
Capital ratio	19.1	22.8
Capital requirements (incl buffers)*		
Total capital requirement	14.3	14.1
CET1 capital requirement	9.6	9.5
- of which SIFI buffer	1.0	1.0
- of which capital conservation buffer	2.5	2.5
- of which countercyclical capital buffer	0.0	0.0
Excess capital		
CET1 capital	7.0	8.4
Total capital	4.8	8.7

^{*} The total capital requirement consists of an individual solvency need and a combined buffer requirement. The countercyclical buffer is determined by the Danish Ministry of Industry, Business and Financial Affairs and may not exceed 2.5%. The rate makes up 0.0% at 30 June 2022 but it will rise by 1pp at 30 September 2022, another 1pp at 31 December 2022 and an additional 0.5 pp at 31 March 2023.

Market risk

At 30 June 2022 the Group's interest rate risk represented DKK 154m. The Group's exchange rate risk continues to be very low and its equity position modest.

Funding and liquidity

The guidelines for calculating the Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) specify a run-off of exposures while taking into account counterparties, funding size, hedging and maturity. Consequently the most stable deposits are favoured relative to large deposits, in particular from businesses and financial counterparties.

The Group's LCR constituted 170% at 30 June 2022 (31 December 2021: 200%).

LCR (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Total liquidity buffer	45.7	50.4	48.1
Net cash outflows	26.9	25.2	20.5
LCR (%)	170	200	235

The Group meets the LCR requirement of 100% and its excess cover is significant at 30 June 2022.

NSFR

The guidelines for calculating the Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) require that the available stable funding exceeds the required stable funding. The required stable funding is calculated on the basis of the balance sheet values and degree of stability of assets where the strictest requirements in terms of degree of stability are imposed on long-term illiquid assets. The available stable funding is calculated on the basis of the balance sheet values and degree of stability of the funding where the highest degrees of stability apply to equity and long-term funding.

The Group's NSFR constituted 127% at 30 June 2022 (2021: 132%).

NSFR (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	
Required stable funding	88.8	83.4	81.2
Available stable funding	112.4	110.4	107.1
NSFR (%)	127	132	132

The Group meets the NSFR requirement of 100% and its excess cover is significant at 30 June 2022.

Funding ratio

Funding ratio (DKKbn)	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Equity and subordinated capital	14.2	15.1	14.8
SNP loans with maturities > 1 year	9.6	9.6	5.9
Stable deposits	93.7	85.5	88.0
Total stable funding	117.5	110.2	108.7
Bank loans and advances	74.2	67.0	61.4
Funding ratio (%)	158	164	177

The Group's stable funding exceeded the Group's bank loans and advances by DKK 43.3bn at 30 June 2022 (2021: DKK 43.2bn).

Rating

Moody's most recent rating of Sydbank:

•	Outlook:	Stable
•	Long-term deposit:	A1
•	Baseline Credit Assessment:	Baa1
•	Senior unsecured:	A1
•	Short-term deposit:	P-1

Supervisory Diamond benchmarks

The Supervisory Diamond sets up a number of benchmarks to indicate banking activities that initially should be regarded as involving a higher risk. Any breach of the Supervisory Diamond is subject to reactions by the Danish FSA.

At 30 June 2022 the Group does not comply with the lending growth benchmark of the Supervisory Diamond. Growth in lending stands at 21% compared to the benchmark threshold of 20%. Lending is affected by eg the repayment of funds received under the government's relief packages, which included a deferral of VAT and tax payments.

It is expected that the benchmark will drop below 20% in the course of H2 2022.

Supervisory Diamond benchmarks	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Sum of 20 largest exposures < 175%	154	140	141
Lending growth < 20% annually	21	11	11
Commercial property exposure < 25%	8	8	9
Excess liquidity coverage > 100%	190	221	257

MREL

Once a year the Danish FSA sets the minimum requirement for own funds and eligible liabilities (MREL) for Danish institutions, including Sydbank, which as SIFIs are under an obligation to meet the minimum requirement.

The Group's MREL is based on the risk exposure amount using a factor which has been set at the sum of twice the solvency need plus the combined capital buffer requirement, excluding the countercyclical buffer.

The MREL at 30 June 2022 is as follows:

MREL and excess cover at 30 Jun 2022	Require- ment (%)	DKKm
REA		60,720
Total requirement	24.4	14,816
Total capital		11,617
SNP loans with maturities exceeding 1 year		9,557
Cover of combined buffer requirement	nt	(2,127)
Total MREL	31.4	19,047
MREL excess cover	7.0	4,231

At 30 June 2022 the Group met the MREL with an excess cover of DKK 4,231m. The excess cover corresponds to an increase in the solvency need of 3.5pp or a rise in the risk exposure amount of DKK 17,300m.

In connection with the ongoing refinancing of the Group's subordinated capital and MREL capital the Bank will look into the possibilities of potential new issues in the course of H2 2022.

Leverage ratio

The CRR2 Regulation, which entered into force on 28 June 2021, stipulates a leverage ratio requirement of 3%, which is defined as T1 capital as a percentage of total exposure.

The Group's leverage ratio constituted 5.8% at 30 June 2022 (year-end 2021: 6.2%) taking into account the transitional rules.

SIFI

Sydbank has been designated as a SIFI in Denmark and there is an additional buffer requirement of 1% as regards CET1 capital. The intention is to bring Danish SIFI capital requirements on a par with the requirements in other comparable European countries.

IFRS 9 - transitional effect

To counter an unintended impact on regulatory capital and hence banks' possibilities of supporting lending, a transitional arrangement has been adopted so that any adverse impact from the new impairment model will be phased in over a period. As a result of covid-19 the arrangement has been prolonged until 2024. Sydbank uses the transitional arrangement.

Bank Recovery and Resolution Directive

The directive, including the bail-in provisions, was implemented in Danish law on 1 June 2015. According to legislation each credit institution must meet a minimum requirement for own funds and

eligible liabilities (MREL). In December 2021 the Danish FSA set the MREL for Sydbank at 24.4% of the risk exposure amount for the year ahead.

The general resolution principle for SIFIs is that it should be possible to restructure them and send them back to the market with adequate capitalisation to ensure market confidence. The Group's MREL is based on the risk exposure amount using a factor which has been set at the sum of twice the solvency need plus the combined capital buffer requirement, excluding the countercyclical buffer.

The establishment of a resolution fund is underway. Credit institutions must make contributions to the fund according to their relative size and risk in Denmark. The resolution fund must be established and have assets at its disposal equal to at least 1% of the covered deposits of all Danish credit institutions by 31 December 2024.

The Group's contribution to the resolution fund for 2022 is expected to represent DKK 29m.

Basel IV

Since the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision published its recommendations regarding changes to the calculation of capital requirements – Basel IV – in 2017, the EU has worked on implementing these changes into CRR (regulation) or CRD (directive). Some of the proposed changes have already been implemented and at the end of 2021 the EU proposed implementing the remaining elements. It is expected that this implementation will take place on 1 January 2025 at the earliest and that it will take place over an extended period of time and with significant transitional rules. The Group expects that the proposed changes will have a limited impact on the Group's capital requirements.

New definition of default

As of 1 January 2021 the definition of default was changed, which involves a broadening of the concept – and consequently more defaults.

As a result of the Group's use of the foundation IRB approach to calculate the capital requirement as regards corporate clients, the risk exposure amount went up by DKK 5bn. The foundation IRB approach applies a standard LGD rate which was not reduced at the same time. The Group expects that it will achieve a reduction in the risk exposure amount as a consequence of a lower LGD at a later date – either as a result of approval to use the advanced IRB approach or as a result of a reduction in the standard rate of the foundation IRB approach.

Income Statement

		Svdl	oank Group	Svo	lbank A/S
		H1	H1	H1	H1
DKKm	Note	2022	2021	2022	2021
	1	4.420	4 000	4.4.0	1010
Interest income calculated using the effective interest methods and interest income calculated using the effective interest methods.	od	1,139	1,037	1,142	1,040
Other interest income		154	156	154	156
Interest income	2	1,293	1,193	1,296	1,196
Interest expense	3	198	232	196	230
Net interest income		1,095	961	1,100	966
Dividends on shares		29	20	42	20
Fee and commission income	4	1,374	1,313	1,310	1,238
Fee and commission expense		165	154	152	136
Net interest and fee income		2,333	2,140	2,300	2,088
Market value adjustments	5	135	162	103	261
Other operating income		12	14	13	15
Staff costs and administrative expenses	6	1,524	1,626	1,498	1,600
Amortisation, depreciation and impairment of intangible					
assets and property, plant and equipment		66	59	65	59
Other operating expenses	8	14	15	14	15
Impairment of loans and advances etc	9	(81)	(205)	(81)	(205)
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in associates and subsidiaries	10	2	4	13	18
Profit before tax		959	825	933	913
Tax	11	211	180	203	197
Profit for the period		748	645	730	716
Distribution of profit for the period					
Shareholders of Sydbank A/S		724	619	710	696
Holders of AT1 capital		20	20	20	20
Minority shareholders		4	6	-	-
Total amount to be allocated		748	645	730	716
Interest paid to holders of AT1 capital		20	20	20	20
Minority shareholders		4	6	_	-
Transfer to equity		724	619	710	696
Total amount allocated		748	645	730	716
EPS Basic for the period (DKK)*		12.5	10.4	12.2	11.7
EPS Diluted for the period (DKK)*		12.5	10.4	12.2	11.7
Dividend per share (DKK)		_	_	-	_
* Calculated on the basis of average number of shares outsta	ınding, see p	age 20.			
Statement of Comprehensive Income					
Profit for the period		748	645	730	716
Other comprehensive income					
ltems that may not be reclassified to the income statement:					
Value adjustment of certain strategic shares		(14)	77		
Other comprehensive income after tax		(14)	77	_	
Comprehensive income for the period		734	722	730	716

Balance Sheet

		Syd	bank Group	Sydbank A/S			
		30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec		
DKKm	Note	2022	2021	2022	2021		
Assets							
Cash and balances on demand at central banks		7,758	5,513	7,758	5,513		
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks	12	13,456	16,798	13,456	16,798		
Loans and advances at fair value		12,940	16,918	12,940	16,918		
Loans and advances at amortised cost	13	74,190	67,041	74,685	67,540		
Bonds at fair value		28,714	28,703	28,714	28,703		
Shares etc		2,743	2,790	2,743	2,790		
Holdings in associates etc		164	174	164	174		
Holdings in subsidiaries etc		-	-	2,116	2,219		
Assets related to pooled plans		20,445	22,180	20,445	22,180		
Intangible assets		385	405	385	405		
Owner-occupied property		1,125	1,131	901	905		
Owner-occupied property (leasing)		96	105	96	105		
Total land and buildings		1,221	1,236	997	1,010		
Other property, plant and equipment		36	53	35	53		
Current tax assets		642	349	654	357		
Deferred tax assets		6	6	11	11		
Other assets	14	6,316	5,955	5,880	5,522		
Prepayments		64	64	63	64		
Total assets		169,080	168,185	171,046	170,257		
Equity and liabilities							
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks	15	5,848	6,907	5,848	6,907		
Deposits and other debt	16	100,190	93,877	102,320	96,120		
Deposits in pooled plans		20,445	22,180	20,445	22,180		
Bonds issued at amortised cost		9,557	13,313	9,557	13,313		
Current tax liabilities		19	19	19	19		
Other liabilities	17	18,485	16,447	18,360	16,320		
Deferred income		6	6	6	6		
Total liabilities		154,550	152,749	156,555	154,865		
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Provisions	18	375	366	374	364		
Subordinated capital	19	1,115	1,858	1,115	1,858		
Equity:							
Share capital		584	597	584	597		
Revaluation reserves		132	132	132	132		
Other reserves:							
Reserves according to articles of association		425	425	425	425		
Reserve for net revaluation according to equity method		2	2	2	2		
Retained earnings		11,103	10,544	11,065	10,544		
Proposed dividend etc		, _	713	· <u>-</u>	713		
Shareholders of Sydbank A/S		12,246	12,413	12,208	12,413		
Holders of AT1 capital		757	757	757	757		
Minority shareholders		37	42	37	, , ,		
					12170		
Total equity		13,040	13,212	13,002	13,170		
Total equity and liabilities		169,080	168,185	171,046	170,257		

Financial Highlights - Quarterly

					Sydbar	ık Group
	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1
	2022	2022	2021	2021	2021	2021
Income statement (DKKm)						
Core income	1,199	1,200	1,156	1,087	1,088	1,105
Trading income	16	100	103	47	68	73
Total income	1,215	1,300	1,259	1,134	1,156	1,178
Costs, core earnings	775	799	782	748	814	833
Core earnings before impairment	440	501	477	386	342	345
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(23)	(61)	(104)	(105)	(125)	(81)
Core earnings	463	562	581	491	467	426
Investment portfolio earnings	(62)	(29)	5	(7)	2	(21)
Profit before non-recurring items	401	533	586	484	469	405
Non-recurring items, net	(12)	37	(104)	(27)	(17)	(32)
Profit before tax	389	570	482	457	452	373
Tax	86	125	84	89	98	82
Profit for the period	303	445	398	368	354	291
Balance sheet highlights (DKKbn)						
Loans and advances at amortised cost	74.2	71.6	67.0	64.3	61.4	61.5
Loans and advances at fair value	12.9	21.5	16.9	19.1	20.3	18.2
Deposits and other debt	100.2	93.1	93.9	94.1	98.1	93.0
Bonds issued at amortised cost	9.6	9.6	13.3	9.6	9.6	9.6
Subordinated capital	1.1	1.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
AT1 capital	0.8	0.7	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
Shareholders' equity	12.2	12.2	12.4	12.5	12.2	11.8
Total assets	169.1	163.1	168.2	164.5	169.8	164.8
Financial ratios per share (DKK per share of DKK 10)						
Profit for the period	5.0	7.4	6.6	6.0	5.8	4.7
Share price at end of period	217.2	230.8	206.8	192.0	193.1	170.9
Book value	212.3	208.7	212.6	210.8	205.1	198.5
Share price/book value Average number of shares outstanding (in millions)	1.02 58.0	1.11 58.4	0.97 59.2	0.91 59.3	0.94 59.3	0.86 59.3
Dividend per share	56.0	56.4	12.0	55.5 -	55.5 -	55.5
Dividend for 2019 (paid out)	_	_	12.0	5.70	_	_
·				3.70		
Other financial ratios and key figures						
CET1 ratio	16.6	16.5	17.9	16.8	17.7	18.1
T1 capital ratio	17.8	17.8	19.3	18.1	19.1	19.5
Capital ratio Pre-tax profit as % p.a. of average equity	19.1 12.4	19.1 18.1	22.8 15.2	21.5 14.4	22.5 14.7	23.0 12.3
Post-tax profit as % p.a. of average equity	9.6	14.1	12.5	11.5	11.4	9.5
Costs (core earnings) as % of total income	63.8	61.5	62.1	66.0	70.4	70.7
Return on assets (%)	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Interest rate risk	1.4	1.2	1.6	0.5	1.7	1.2
Foreign exchange position	3.3	1.6	1.1	2.5	1.2	2.0
Foreign exchange risk	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Liquidity, LCR (%)	170	171	200	202	235	211
Loans and advances relative to deposits	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6
Loans and advances relative to equity Crowth in loans and advances during the period	6.1	5.9	5.4 4.2	5.3 4.0	5.0 (0.3)	5.2 2.1
Growth in loans and advances during the period Total large exposures	3.6 154	6.8 150	4.2 140	4.8 146	(0.3) 141	2.1 151
Accumulated impairment ratio	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.6
Impairment ratio for the period	(0.02)	(0.06)	(0.12)	(0.12)	(0.15)	(0.10)
Number of full-time staff at end of period	2,017	2,059	2,077	2,109	2,126	2,166
When calculating financial ratios AT1 capital is considered a li						

When calculating financial ratios AT1 capital is considered a liability regardless of the fact that it is accounted for as equity. Reference is made to financial ratio definitions in the 2021 Annual Report (page 116).

Financial Highlights - Half-yearly

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	Н1	Н1	Н1	Н1	Н1
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Income statement (DKKm)					
Core income	2,399	2,193	1,829	1,805	2,040
Trading income	116	141	116	136	100
Total income	2,515	2,334	1,945	1,941	2,140
Costs, core earnings	1,574	1,647	1,418	1,429	1,397
Core earnings before impairment	941	687	527	512	743
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(84)	(206)	42	(34)	(57)
Core earnings	1,025	893	485	546	800
Investment portfolio earnings	(91)	(19)	(33)	(28)	(78)
Profit before non-recurring items	934	874	452	518	722
Non-recurring items, net	25	(49)	(37)	(39)	92
Profit before tax	959	825	415	479	814
Tax	211	180	91	90	146
Profit for the period	748	645	324	389	668
Tronctor the period	740	043	324	303	000
Balance sheet highlights (DKKbn)					
Loans and advances at amortised cost	74.2	61.4	55.5	60.9	62.5
Loans and advances at fair value	12.9	20.3	19.1	7.0	6.1
Deposits and other debt	100.2	98.1	84.2	89.1	84.1
Bonds issued at amortised cost Subordinated capital	9.6 1.1	9.6 1.9	7.4 1.9	7.4 1.9	1.9
AT1 capital	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Shareholders' equity	12.2	12.2	11.2	10.7	11.3
Total assets	169.1	169.8	150.4	152.1	136.1
Financial ratios per share (DKK per share of DKK 10)					
Profit for the period	12.5	10.4	5.1	6.0	10.0
Share price at end of period	217.2	193.1	123.0	125.1	219.4
Book value	212.3	205.1	190.2	176.1	173.1
Share price/book value	1.02	0.94	0.65	0.71	1.27
Average number of shares outstanding (in millions)	58.2	59.3	59.1	61.0	66.5
Dividend per share	-	-	-	-	-
Other financial ratios and key figures					
CET1 ratio	16.6	17.7	20.2	16.6	15.5
T1 capital ratio	17.8	19.1	22.0	18.3	17.2
Capital ratio	19.1	22.5	25.9	21.6	20.4
Pre-tax profit as % p.a. of average equity	15.3	13.4	7.1	8.7	14.3
Post-tax profit as % p.a. of average equity	11.9	10.4	5.4	7.0	11.7
Costs (core earnings) as % of total income	62.6	70.6	72.9	73.6	65.3
Return on assets (%)	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5
Interest rate risk	1.4	1.7	0.9	1.3	1.6
Foreign exchange position Foreign exchange risk	3.3 0.0	1.2 0.0	1.3 0.0	1.6 0.0	3.6 0.0
Liquidity, LCR (%)	170	235	232	207	154
Loans and advances relative to deposits	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6
Loans and advances relative to deposits Loans and advances relative to equity	6.1	5.0	5.1	5.8	5.5
Growth in loans and advances during the period	10.7	1.9	(8.3)	(0.2)	(2.8)
Total large exposures	154	141	152	149	146
Accumulated impairment ratio	2.0	2.4	3.0	3.4	3.6
Impairment ratio for the period	(0.09)	(0.24)	0.06	(0.04)	(0.07)
Number of full-time staff at end of period When calculating financial ratios AT1 capital is considered a liability	2,017	2,126	1,979	2,069	2,102

When calculating financial ratios AT1 capital is considered a liability regardless of the fact that it is accounted for as equity. Reference is made to financial ratio definitions in the 2021 Annual Report (page 116).

Statement of Changes in Equity

									Sydba	nk Group
DKKm	Share capital	Revalu- ation reserves	Reserves acc to articles of association*	Reserve for net revaluation acc to equity method	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend etc	Share- holders of Sydbank A/S	AT1 capital**	Minority share- holders	Total equity
Equity at 1 Jan 2022	597	132	425	2	10,544	713	12,413	757	42	13,212
Profit for the period					724		724	20	4	748
Other comprehensive income Comprehensive income for the					(14)		(14)			(14)
period	-	-		-	710	-	710	20	4	734
Transactions with owners										
Purchase of own shares					(691)		(691)			(691)
Sale of own shares					525		525			525
Reduction of share capital	(13)				13		-			-
Interest paid on AT1 capital							-	(20)		(20)
Exchange rate adjustment					0		0	0		-
Dividend etc paid						(713)	(713)		(9)	(722)
Dividend, own shares					2		2			2
Total transactions with owners	(13)	-	-	-	(151)	(713)	(877)	(20)	(9)	(906)
Equity at 30 Jun 2022	584	132	425	2	11,103	-	12,246	757	37	13,040
Equity at 1 Jan 2021	597	104	425	2	10,336	248	11,712	757	37	12,506
Profit for the period					619		619	20	6	645
Other comprehensive income					77		77			77
Comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	696	-	696	20	6	722
Transactions with owners										
Purchase of own shares					(604)		(604)			(604)
Sale of own shares					604		604			604
Interest paid on AT1 capital							-	(19)		(19)
Exchange rate adjustment					1		1	(1)		-
Dividend etc paid						(248)	(248)		(7)	(255)
Dividend, own shares					1		1			1
Sale of holdings in subsidiaries							-		3	3
Total transactions with owners	-	-	-	_	2	(248)	(246)	(20)	(4)	(270)
Equity at 30 Jun 2021	597	104	425	2	11,034	-	12,162	757	39	12,958

^{*} Reserves according to the articles of association equal the undistributable savings bank reserve in accordance with Article 4 of the Articles of Association.

^{*} AT1 capital has no maturity date. Payment of interest and repayment of principal are voluntary. Therefore AT1 capital is accounted for as equity. In May 2018 Sydbank issued EUR 100m with optional redemption on 28 August 2025. The issue carries interest at the Mid-Swap Rate + a margin of 4.62%, a total of 5.25%. Under the issue the loan will be written down if the CET1 ratio of Sydbank A/S or the Sydbank Group drops below 7%.

The Sydbank share	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021	30 Jun 2021
Share capital (DKK)	583,873,200	596,763,200	596,763,200
Shares issued (number)	58,387,320	59.676.320	59,676,320
Shares outstanding at end of period (number)	57,673,601	58,384,311	59,290,464
Average number of shares outstanding (number)	58,165,181	59,186,746	59,290,954

The Bank has only one class of shares as all shares carry the same rights.

Capital Statement

		Syd	bank Group
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun
DKKm	2022	2021	2021
Solvency			
CET1 ratio	16.6	17.9	17.7
T1 capital ratio	17.8	19.3	19.1
Capital ratio	19.1	22.8	22.5
Capital fatio	19.1	22.0	22.3
Total capital			
Equity, shareholders of Sydbank A/S	12,246	12,413	12,162
Not included share in profit for the period	(391)	-	(639)
Prudent valuation	(71)	(73)	(88)
Actual or contingent obligations to purchase own shares	(268)	(9)	(8)
Proposed dividend	-	(713)	-
Intangible assets and capitalised deferred tax assets	(331)	(351)	(383)
Significant investments in financial sector	(1,123)	(1,073)	(884)
Transitional arrangement IFRS 9	42	89	84
Insufficient coverage for non-performing exposures	(11)	(6)	
CET1 capital	10,093	10,277	10,244
AT1 capital – equity	744	744	744
AT1 capital – debt	-	55	55
T1 capital	10,837	11,076	11,043
T2 capital	557	1,802	1,801
Difference between expected losses and impairment for accounting purposes	223	204	159
Total capital	11,617	13,082	13,003
Credit risk*	41,702	38,849	38,156
Market risk	6,091	5,467	6,538
Operational risk	7,195	7,195	6,708
Other exposures incl CVA	5,732	5,904	6,397
REA	60,720	57,415	57,799
Pillar I capital requirements	4,858	4,593	4,624
* Credit risk			
Corporate clients, IRB	31,373	28,508	26,023
Retail clients, IRB	5,832	5,414	5,817
Corporate clients, STD	548	560	1,422
Retail clients, STD	3,218	3,561	3,545
Credit institutions etc	731	806	1,349
Total	41,702	38,849	38,156

Cash Flow Statement

		Svď	bank Group
	Н1	Full year	H1
DKKm	2022	2021	2021
Operating activities			
Pre-tax profit for the period	959	1,764	825
Taxes paid	(500)	(790)	(547)
Adjustment for non-cash operating items:			
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in associates	2	0	0
Amortisation and depreciation of intangible assets and property, plant and			
equipment	66	138	59
Impairment of loans and advances/guarantees	(81)	(415)	(205)
Other non-cash operating items	10	(149)	(32)
	456	548	100
Changes in working capital:			
Credit institutions and central banks	2,002	(5,819)	(5,687)
Trading portfolio	16	7,925	2,804
Other financial instruments at fair value	268	241	187
Loans and advances	(3,090)	(5,354)	(3,248)
Deposits	6,314	(2,042)	2,146
Other assets/liabilities	1,324	1,209	3,858
Cash flows from operating activities	7,290	(3,292)	160
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Investing activities			
Purchase of holdings in associates	8	(2)	(8)
Sale of holdings in associates	-	0	-
Purchase of equity investments	(43)	(206)	-
Sale of equity investments	63	139	-
Purchase of holdings in subsidiaries	-	-	3
Sale of holdings in subsidiaries	-	3	-
Purchase/sale of intangible assets	(1)	(1)	-
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(13)	(152)	(46)
Sale of property, plant and equipment	-	17	(1)
Cash flows from investing activities	14	(202)	(52)
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Financing activities			
Purchase and sale of own holdings	(166)	(198)	1
Dividend etc	(711)	(584)	(247)
Redemption of subordinated capital	(744)	-	-
Redemption/issue of bonds	(3,718)	3,719	-
Cash flows from financing activities	(5,339)	2,937	(246)
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Cash flows for the period	1,965	(557)	(138)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 Jan	6,324	6,881	6,881
Cash flows for the period	1,965	(557)	(138)
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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	8,289	6,324	6,743
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period			
Cash and balances on demand at central banks	7,758	5,513	5,674
Fully secured cash and cash equivalent balances on demand with	7,750	٠,٥٢٥	5,077
credit institutions and insurance companies	531	811	1,069
Unencumbered certificates of deposit	-	-	-,505
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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	8,289	6,324	6,743

Segment Reporting etc

					Sydba	nk Group
DKKm	Banking	Asset Management	Sydbank Markets	Treasury	Other	Total
Operating segments						
H1 2022						
Core income	2,166	178	55	-	-	2,399
Trading income	-	-	116	_	_	116
Total income	2,166	178	171	-	-	2,515
Costs, core earnings	1,390	63	83	-	38	1,574
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(84)	-	-	-	-	(84)
Core earnings	860	115	88	-	(38)	1,025
Investment portfolio earnings	(1)	-	-	(90)	-	(91)
Profit before non-recurring items	859	115	88	(90)	(38)	934
Non-recurring items, net	25	-	-	-	-	25
Profit before tax	884	115	88	(90)	(38)	959
H1 2021						
Core income	1,964	172	57	_	_	2,193
Trading income	-	-	141	_	_	141
Total income	1,964	172	198	-	-	2,334
Costs, core earnings	1,457	69	83	-	38	1,647
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(206)	-	-	-	-	(206)
Core earnings	713	103	115	-	(38)	893
Investment portfolio earnings	6	-	-	(25)	_	(19)
Profit before non-recurring items	719	103	115	(25)	(38)	874
Non-recurring items, net	(49)				_	(49)
Profit before tax	670	103	115	(25)	(38)	825

Operating segments

The Group's segment statements are divided into the following business units: Banking, Asset Management, Sydbank Markets, Treasury and Other.

Banking serves all types of retail and corporate clients.

Asset Management primarily comprises the Bank's advisory-related income from clients and investment funds.

Sydbank Markets comprises trading income as well as a share of the income from clients with decentral affiliation calculated on the basis of the market price thereof. The share represents the payment by Banking for Sydbank Markets' facilities, including advisory services and administration.

Treasury comprises the Group's return on positions handled by Treasury, including liquidity allocation.

Other includes non-recurring items, costs to the Group Executive Management etc as well as return on strategic shareholdings that are not allocated to Banking or Sydbank Markets.

Inter-segment transactions are settled on an arm's length basis. Centrally incurred costs are allocated to the business units in accordance with their estimated proportionate share of overall activities.

Excess liquidity is settled primarily at short-term money market rates whereas other balances are settled on an arm's length basis.

Segment Reporting etc

							Sydbank Group		
DKKm	Core income	Trading income	Costs, core earn- ings	Impair- ment of loans/ advances etc	Core earn- ings	Invest- ment port- folio earn- ings	Non- recurring items, net	Profit before tax	
Correlation between the Group's per statement according to IFRS	rformance m	easures an	d the inco	me					
H1 2022									
Net interest and fee income	2,199	137			2,336	(3)		2,333	
Market value adjustments	186	(22)		3	167	(84)	52	135	
Other operating income	12				12			12	
Income	2,397	116	-	3	2,516	(87)	52	2,480	
Staff costs and administrative expenses Amortisation, depreciation and			(1,493)		(1,493)	(4)	(27)	(1,524)	
impairment of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment			(66)		(66)			(66)	
Other operating expenses			(14)		(14)			(14)	
Impairment of loans and advances etc				81	81			81	
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in				01	01			01	
associates and subsidiaries	2				2			2	
Profit before tax	2,399	116	(1,574)	84	1,025	(91)	25	959	
H1 2021									
Net interest and fee income	2,010	116			2,126	14		2,140	
Market value adjustments	165	25		1	191	(29)		162	
Other operating income	14				14			14	
Income Staff costs and administrative	2,189	141	-	1	2,331	(15)	-	2,316	
expenses Amortisation, depreciation and impairment of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment			(1,573) (59)		(1,573) (59)	(4)	(49)	(1,626) (59)	
Other operating expenses Impairment of loans and advances			(15)		(15)			(15)	
etc Profit/(Loss) on holdings in				205	205			205	
associates and subsidiaries	4				4			4	
Profit before tax	2,193	141	(1,647)	206	893	(19)	(49)	825	

The Sydbank Group's internal reporting is not made on the basis of products and services. Reference is made to notes 2 and 4 for the distribution of interest income as well as fee and commission income.

Note 1

Accounting policies

The interim report covers the period from 1 January to 30 June 2022 and is prepared in compliance with IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" as adopted by the EU and in compliance with Danish disclosure requirements for interim reports of listed financial companies. As a result of the use of IAS 34, the presentation is less complete compared with the presentation of an annual report and the recognition and measurement principles are in compliance with IFRS.

The accounting policies are consistent with those adopted in the 2021 Annual Report, to which reference is made.

The 2021 Annual Report provides a comprehensive description of the accounting policies applied.

Accounting estimates and judgements

The measurement of certain assets and liabilities requires that management makes accounting estimates as to how future events will affect the value of such assets, liabilities, income and costs. Actual results may deviate from such estimates.

The significant estimates made by management in the use of the Group's accounting policies and the inherent considerable uncertainty of such estimates used in the preparation of the interim report are identical to those used in the preparation of the 2021 Annual Report.

Impairment of loans and advances and provisions for guarantees and undrawn credit commitments are made to take into account the expected losses on conclusion as well as any credit impairment after initial recognition. The determination of impairment charges for expected losses is subject to a number of estimates, including which loans and advances or portfolios of loans and advances are subject to credit impairment as well as calculation of expected losses.

Assessing the degree of credit impairment of exposures involves a number of estimates which may be subject to uncertainty.

To a large extent the determination of expected losses at exposure level is based on risk registrations, models and past experience but it also involves a number of estimates of risks and expected developments in the individual exposure, including the future ability to pay and the value of collateral which in particular comprises mortgages on property. During periods of uncertain economic trends or significant demographic or structural changes uncertainty is greater. This is reflected in the need for management adjustments that by their nature are subject to uncertainty.

The Group's models to calculate impairment of exposures in stages 1 and 2 include expectations as to economic developments. The outlook is based on estimates of the probability of different outcomes of economic growth. The outlook results in a determination of the probability of the scenarios baseline, upturn and downturn.

At 30 June 2022 the probability of the downturn scenario was fixed at 95%, which is unchanged compared with 31 December 2021.

Impairment of exposures in stage 3 and the weak part of stage 2 is based on individual assessments which include expectations of future changes in collateral value etc.

In addition to the calculated impairment charges, management estimates whether there is a need for special impairment charges as regards exposed industries, customer segments or other elements that are estimated as having not yet been reflected in the Bank's registrations.

At 30 June 2022 management's impairment charges of DKK 325m (2021: DKK 325m) have been recorded to cover losses as a result of the economic consequences of covid-19. Management's impairment charges may change in the coming quarters. The impairment charges are described in more detail in the financial review on page 9.

Impairment charges for loans and advances to pig farming comprise a management estimate of DKK 60m (2021: DKK 60m).

The Group's significant risks and the external elements which may affect the Group are described in greater detail in the 2021 Annual Report.

	Sydl	bank Group	Sydbank A/S			
	H1	H1	H1	H1		
DKKm	2022_	2021	2022_	2021		
Note 2						
Interest income calculated using the effective interest method						
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks	3	7	3	8		
Loans and advances and other amounts owed	867	811	870	813		
Other interest income	0	1	0	1		
Interest on amounts owed to credit institutions*	4	6	4	6		
Interest on deposits*	265	212	265	212		
Total	1,139	1,037	1,142	1,040		
Other interest income Repo transactions with credit institutions and central banks and repo deposits* Bonds Total derivatives comprising: Foreign exchange contracts Interest rate contracts Total	14 23 117 22 94	16 69 71 15 56	14 23 117 22 94	16 69 71 15 56		
Total interest income	1,293	1,193	1,296	1,196		
* Negative interest expense	,		,	·		
Fair value, designated at initial recognition Fair value, held for trading Assets recognised at amortised cost	14 140 1,139	16 140 1,037	14 140 1,142	16 140 1,040		
Total	1,293	1,193	1,296	1,196		
1041	1,233	1,100	1,230	1,130		

The Group's cash resources are primarily placed in Danish mortgage bonds. The interest rate risk concerning these positions has been reduced via derivatives. As a result the Group's external income statement is affected in terms of interest income and the market value adjustment of bonds and derivatives. The same applies to the Group's position-taking as regards bonds as well as shares. The breakdown by income statement item does not disclose income independently and consequently these items must be regarded as one as they are in "Segment Reporting" as well as in the Group's financial review, which also takes funding of the positions into account.

	Sydl	oank Group	5	Sydbank A/S	
	H1	H1	Н1	H1	
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Note 3					
Interest expense					
Reverse transactions with credit institutions and central banks and reverse loans and advances*	52	48	52	40	
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks	1	40 5	1	48 5	
Deposits and other debt	40	52	38	50 50	
Bonds*	0	8	0	8	
Bonds issued	56	64	56	64	
Interest on amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks*	38	41	38	41	
Subordinated capital	9	12	9	12	
Other interest expense	2	2	2	2	
Total	198	232	196	230	
* Negative interest income					
Fair value, designated at initial recognition	52	48	52	48	
Fair value, held for trading	0	8	0	8	
Liabilities recognised at amortised cost	146	176	144	174	
Total	198	232	196	230	
Note 4					
Fee and commission income					
Securities trading and custody accounts	443	457	379	382	
Advisory fee, asset management	186	204	186	204	
Payment services	164	142	164	142	
Loan fees	135	110	135	110	
Guarantee commission	89	78	89	78	
Income concerning funded mortgage-like loans	45	46	45	46	
Other fees and commission	312	276	312	276	
Total fee and commission income	1,374	1,313	1,310	1,238	
Fee expense, asset management	7	5	7	5	
Other fee and commission expense	158	149	145	131	
Total fee and commission expense	165	154	152	136	
Net fee and commission income	1,209	1,159	1,158	1,102	

Except for guarantee commission recognised according to IFRS 9, fee and commission income is recognised according to IFRS 15. The set-off of loss concerning arranged mortgage loans represented DKK 4m in H1 2022 (H1 2021: DKK 6m) and has been deducted from commission received which is included under other fees and commission.

	Svd	lbank Group	Sydbank A/S			
	H1	H1	Н1	H1		
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021		
	2022	2021	2022	2021		
Note 5						
Market value adjustments						
Other loans and advances and amounts owed at fair value	76	13	76	13		
Bonds	(301)	(77)	(301)	(77)		
Shares etc	47	85	16	184		
Foreign exchange	114	98	113	98		
Derivatives	199	43	199	43		
Assets related to pooled plans	(2,855)	1,094	(2,855)	1,094		
Deposits in pooled plans	2,855	(1,094)	2,855	(1,094)		
Other assets/liabilities	0	0	0	0		
<u>Total</u>	135	162	103	261		
Note 6						
Staff costs and administrative expenses						
Salaries and remuneration:						
Group Executive Management	14	11	14	11		
Board of Directors	3	3	3	3		
Shareholders' Committee	2	2	2	2		
Total	19	16	19	16		
Staff costs:						
Wages and salaries	709	788	689	767		
Pensions	76	79	74	77		
Social security contributions	9	8	8	8		
Payroll tax	97	103	94	101		
Total	891	978	865	953		
Other administrative expenses:						
IT	401	427	396	422		
Rent etc	41	38	47	44		
Marketing and entertainment expenses	35	29	31	27		
Other costs	137	138	140	138		
Total	614	632	614	631		
Total	1,524	1,626	1,498	1,600		
Note 7						
Staff Average number of staff (full-time equivalent)	2,078	2 202	2,011	717 F		
Average number of staff (full-time equivalent)	۷,078	2,202	۷,011	2,125		

	Syc		Sydbank A/S		
	Н1	Н1	H1	Н1	
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Note 8					
Other operating expenses					
Contribution to the Resolution Fund	14	15	14	15	
Total	14	15	14	15	
Note 9					
Impairment of loans and advances recognised in the income statement					
Impairment and provisions	(19)	(162)	(19)	(162)	
Write-offs	7	17	7	17	
Recovered from debt previously written off	69	60	69	60	
Impairment of loans and advances etc	(81)	(205)	(81)	(205)	
Impairment and avariations at and of naviad (allowance account)					
Impairment and provisions at end of period (allowance account) ${\sf Stage}\ 1$	334	357	334	357	
Stage 2	589	520	589	520	
Stage 3	704	806	859	963	
Management estimates	325	325	325	325	
Impairment and provisions at end of period	1,952	2,008	2,107	2,165	
Impairment and provisions	1.07.4	2 220	2 1 20	2.200	
Impairment and provisions at 1 Jan	1,974	2,229	2,129	2,386	
New impairment charges and provisions during the period, net	(6)	(144)	(6)	(144)	
Impairment charges previously recorded, now finally written off	16	77	16	77	
Impairment and provisions at end of period	1,952	2,008	2,107	2,165	
Impairment charges for loans and advances	1,783	1,839	1,938	1,996	
Provisions for undrawn credit commitments	47	61	47	61	
Provisions for guarantees	122	108	122	108	
Impairment and provisions at end of period	1,952	2,008	2,107	2,165	
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Losses recognised for the period constitute DKK 23m. As regards losses recognised for the period a legal claim of DKK 23m has been upheld. As regards losses recognised a legal claim of DKK 182m has been upheld at year-end 2021.

Sydbar						k Group		
			ln	npairment		airment		-
	Loans/a	dvances	and 1	charges provisions		of loans and advances etc for		
		arantees				the period		e period
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec	H1	H1	H1	H1
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021
Note 9 – continued								
Loans and advances and guarantees as well as impairment of loans and advances etc by industry								
Agriculture, hunting, forestry and fisheries	4,355	3,894	252	283	(80)	(158)	0	19
Pig farming	1,008	815	103	92	(6)	1	0	8
Cattle farming	1,188	1,216	76	122	(62)	(25)	(1)	10
Crop production	1,146	865	19	22	(16)	(32)	1	1
Other agriculture	1,013	998	54	47	4	(102)	0	0
Manufacturing and extraction of raw								
materials	12,700	10,416	280	261	17	(39)	2	2
Energy supply etc	2,850	3,671	20	26	(4)	3	0	0
Building and construction	6,292	5,666	172	130	62	31	2	1
Trade	20,900	16,341	393	364	19	(24)	1	42
Transportation, hotels and restaurants	3,650	3,362	93	99	(11)	7	0	0
Information and communication	578	485	33	6	27	5	0	0
Finance and insurance	7,537	6,769	73	95	(10)	0	0	2
Real property	6,096	5,919	70	106	(9)	(35)	0	11
Leasing of commercial property	2,002	1,992	24	8	(15)	(29)	0	7
Leasing of residential property	1,036	1,043	20	20	4	(7)	0	4
Housing/cooperative associations	2,428	1,935	17	15	2	5	0	0
Purchase, development and sale on own account	535	899	6	61	(1)	(4)	0	0
Other related to real property	95	50	3	2	1	0	0	0
Other industries	4,289	4,248	115	146	(32)	13	0	0
Total corporate	69,247	60,771	1,501	1,516	(21)	(197)	5	77
Public authorities	87	119	_	-	-	-	-	-
Retail	27,542	27,703	451	458	(60)	(8)	18	17_
Total	96,876	88,593	1,952	1,974	(81)	(205)	23	94

	Sydba	ank Group	Sydbank A/S		
	H1	H1	H1	H1	
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Note 10					
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in associates and subsidiaries					
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in associates etc	2	4	2	4	
Profit/(Loss) on holdings in subsidiaries etc	-	-	11	14	
Total	2	4	13	18	
Note 11					
Effective tax rate					
Current tax rate of Sydbank	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	
Permanent differences	-	0.0	-	0.0	
Adjustment of prior year tax charges	-	(0.2)		(0.5)	
Effective tax rate	22.0	21.8	22.0	21.5	

	Sydb	Sydbank A/S		
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec
DKKm	2022	2021_	2022	2021
Note 12				
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks				
Amounts owed at notice by central banks	7,439	12,478	7,439	12,478
Amounts owed by credit institutions	6,017	4,320	6,017	4,320
Total	13,456	16,798	13,456	16,798
Of which reverse transactions	4,525	2,932	4,525	2,932

				Credit	Sydl	oank Group
DKKm	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	impaired at initial recognition	30 Jun 2022 Total	31 Dec 2021 Total
Note 13						
Loans and advances, guarantees and allowance account by stage						
Loans and advances before impairment charges	71,230	3,491	1,104	148	75,973	68,871
Guarantees	20,150	539	214		20,903	19,722
Total loans and advances and guarantees	91,380	4,030	1,318	148	96,876	88,593
%	94.3	4.2	1.4	0.1	100.0	100.0
Impairment charges for loans and advances	506	660	617		1,783	1,830
Provisions for undrawn credit commitments	27	18	2		47	48
Provisions for guarantees	15	22	85		122	96
Total allowance account	548	700	704	-	1,952	1,974
Allowance account at 1 Jan	525	803	646		1,974	2,229
New impairment charges and provisions during the period, net	23	(103)	74		(6)	(158)
Impairment charges previously recorded, now finally written off			(16)		(16)	(97)
Total allowance account at end of period	548	700	704	-	1,952	1,974
Impairment charges as % of loans and advances	0.7	18.9	55.9		2.3	2.7
Provisions as % of guarantees	0.1	4.1	39.9		0.6	0.5
Allowance account as % of loans and advances and	0.6	17.4	53.5		2.0	2.2
guarantees	0.0	17.4	23.5		2.0	۷.۷
Loans and advances before impairment charges	71,230	3,491	1,104	148	75,973	68,871
Impairment charges for loans and advances	506	660	617		1,783	1,830
Loans and advances after impairment charges	70,724	2,831	487	148	74,190	67,041
%	95.3	3.8	0.7	0.2	100.0	100.0

					Sydl	oank Group
				Credit impaired at	30 Jun	31 Dec
DVV	Charact	Charry 3	Charry 3	initial	2022	2021
DKKm	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	recognition	Total	Total
Note 13 - continued						
Loans and advances before impairment charges Rating category						
1	6,171	3			6,174	5,793
2	22,123	3			22,126	19,629
3	20,393	7			20,400	18,108
4	12,025	9			12,034	10,428
5	4,866	650			5,516	4,640
6	1,585	617			2,202	2,290
7	199	375			574	393
8		355			355	232
9		1,354			1,354	1,517
Default			1,064		1,064	1,076
NR/STD	3,868	118	40	148	4,174	4,765
Total	71,230	3,491	1,104	148	75,973	68,871
Impairment of loans and advances Rating category						
1	42				42	38
2	118				118	112
3	91				91	88
4	86				86	81
5	34	27			61	58
6	60	41			101	75
7	25	80			105	54
8		69			69	38
9		367			367	506
Default			580		580	569
NR/STD	50	76	37		163	211
Total	506	660	617		1,783	1,830
Loans and advances after impairment charges Rating category						
1	6,129	3			6,132	5,755
2	22,005	3			22,008	19,517
3	20,302	7			20,309	18,020
4	11,939	9			11,948	10,347
5	4,832	623			5,455	4,582
6	1,525	576			2,101	2,215
7	174	295			469	339
8	±/¬	286			286	194
9		987			987	1,011
Default		337	484		484	507
NR/STD	3,818	42	3	148	4,011	4,554
Total	70,724	2,831	487	148	74,190	67,041
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					Svd	bank Group
				Credit	_	bank Group
				impaired	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec
DKKm	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	at initial recognition	2022 Total	2021 Total
			-			
Note 13 - continued						
Loans and advances before impairment charges						
1 Jan	64,296	3,306	1,098	171	68,871	62,278
Transfers between stages						
Transferred to stage 1	795	(783)	(12)			
Transferred to stage 2	(1,077)	1,158	(81)			
Transferred to stage 3	(99)	(107)	206			
New exposures	11,631	278	98		12,007	17,788
Redeemed exposures	(6,741)	(318)	(90)		(7,149)	(11,952)
Changes in balances	2,425	(43)	(82)	(23)	2,277	894
Write-offs	_,	(.5)	(33)	(==)	(33)	(137)
End of period	71,230	3,491	1,104	148	75,973	68,871
Impairment of loans and advances						
1 Jan	482	757	591		1,830	2,049
Transfers between stages						
Transferred to stage 1	153	(149)	(4)			
Transferred to stage 2	(19)	46	(27)			
Transferred to stage 3	(2)	(30)	32			
New exposures	94	75	41		210	882
Redeemed exposures	(70)	(139)	84		(125)	(870)
Changes in balances	(132)	100	(70)		(102)	(134)
Write-offs			(30)		(30)	(97)
End of period	506	660	617	-	1,783	1,830
Loans and advances after impairment charges	62.01.4	2.540	505	4.04	67.644	60.222
1 Jan	63,814	2,549	507	171	67,041	60,229
Transfers between stages						
Transferred to stage 1	642	(634)	(8)			
Transferred to stage 2	(1,058)	1,112	(54)			
Transferred to stage 3	(97)	(77)	174			
New exposures	11,537	203	57		11,797	16,906
Redeemed exposures	(6,671)	(179)	(174)		(7,024)	(11,082)
Changes in balances	2,557	(143)	(12)	(23)	2,379	1,028
Write-offs			(3)		(3)	(40)
End of period	70,724	2,831	487	148	74,190	67,041

	Syd	Sydbank Group			
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec	
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Note 14					
Other assets					
Positive market value of derivatives etc	4,491	3,399	4,491	3,399	
Sundry debtors	870	1,105	434	672	
Interest and commission receivable	110	121	110	121	
Cash collateral provided, CSA agreements	845	1,330	845	1,330	
Other assets	0	0	0	0	
Total	6,316	5,955	5,880		
ισται	6,316	5,955	5,880	5,522	
Note 15					
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks					
Amounts owed to central banks	4	5	4	5	
Amounts owed to credit institutions	5,844	6,902	5,844	6,902	
Total	5,848	6,907	5,848	6,907	
Of which repo transactions	3,249	2,790	3,249	2,790	
Note 16					
Deposits and other debt					
On demand	92,862	85,717	94,992	87,960	
At notice	131	144	131	144	
Time deposits	2,240	3,877	2,240	3,877	
Special categories of deposits	4,957	4,139	4,957	4,139	
Total	100,190	93,877	102,320	96,120	
Of which repo transactions	1,260	3,363	1,260	3,363	
Note 17					
Other liabilities					
Negative market value of derivatives etc	4,499	3,520	4,499	3,520	
Sundry creditors	6,091	4,806	5,966	4,679	
Negative portfolio, reverse transactions	7,209	7,317	7,209	7,317	
Lease liability	96	105	96	105	
Interest and commission etc	58	183	58	183	
Cash collateral received, CSA agreements	532	516	532	516	
Total	18,485	16,447	18,360	16,320	

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Including intra-group liabilities in relation to rented premises

					Sydbank Group		Syd	dbank A/S
					30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec
DKKm					2022	2021	2022	2021
Note 18								
Provisions								
Provisions for pension		similar obligatior	ns .		2	3	2	3
Provisions for deferr					202	202	201	200
Provisions for guara	ntees				122 49	112 49	122 49	112
Other provisions								49
Total					375	366	374	364
Note 19								
Subordinated capita	al							
Interest rate	Note		Nominal (m)	Maturity				
2.125 (fixed)	1)	Bond loan	EUR 100	-	-	744	-	743
1.421 (floating)	2)	Bond loan	EUR 75	2 Nov 2029	557	556	557	556
1.925 (floating)	3)	Bond loan	EUR 75	Perpetual	558	558	558	558
Total T2 capital					1,115	1,858	1,115	1,858
Total subordinated	capital				1,115	1,858	1,115	1,858
1) Redeemed on 11 N								
->				terest rate will be fi	xed at 1.85% al	oove 3M EURIBC	OR.	
					0	0	0	0
Costs relating to the	raising a	ina reaemption (or subordinated	Сарітаі	0	0	0	0
Note 20								
Contingent liabilitie	s and ot	her obligating a	areements					
Contingent liabilitie		3.0	,					
Financial guarantees					6,972	6,802	6,972	6,802
	S				0,5/2	0,000		0,002
Mortgage finance gu		S			5,513	5,329	5,513	5,329
Mortgage finance gu Funded mortgage-lil	ıarantee						5,513 885	
Funded mortgage-lil Registration and ren	ıarantee ke loan g nortgagii	uarantees			5,513	5,329		5,329
Funded mortgage-lil	ıarantee ke loan g nortgagii	uarantees			5,513 885	5,329 945	885	5,329 945
Funded mortgage-lil Registration and ren	ıarantee ke loan g nortgagii	uarantees			5,513 885 5,757	5,329 945 4,797	885 5,757	5,329 945 4,797
Funded mortgage-lil Registration and ren Other contingent lia	uarantee ke loan g nortgagii bilities	uarantees ng guarantees			5,513 885 5,757 1,776	5,329 945 4,797 1,849	885 5,757 1,776	5,329 945 4,797 1,849
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Funded mortgage-lil Registration and ren Other contingent lia Total Other obligating ag	uarantee ke loan g nortgagii bilities reement	uarantees ng guarantees			5,513 885 5,757 1,776 20,903	5,329 945 4,797 1,849 19,722	885 5,757 1,776 20,903	5,329 945 4,797 1,849 19,722

	Syc	lbank Group	Sydbank A/S		
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec	
DKKm	2022	2021	2022	2021	

Note 20 - continued

Totalkredit loans arranged for by Sydbank are comprised by an agreed right of set-off against future current commission which Totalkredit may invoke in the event of losses on the loans arranged.

Sydbank does not expect that this set-off will have a significant impact on Sydbank's financial position.

As a result of the Bank's membership of Bankdata, the Bank is obligated to pay an exit charge in the event of exit.

As a result of the statutory participation in the deposit guarantee scheme, the industry paid an annual contribution of 2.5% of covered net deposits until the Banking Department's capital exceeded 1% of total covered net deposits, which was reached at year-end 2015. The Banking Department will cover the direct losses in connection with the winding-up of distressed financial institutions under Bank Package III and Bank Package IV which are attributable to covered net deposits. Any losses as a result of the final winding-up will be covered by the Guarantee Fund via the Winding-up and Restructuring Department as regards which Sydbank is currently liable for 6.6% of any losses.

As a result of the statutory participation in the resolution financing arrangement (the Resolution Fund), credit institutions pay an annual contribution over a 10-year period to reach a target funding level totalling 1% of covered deposits. Credit institutions must make contributions to the fund according to their relative size and risk in Denmark. Sydbank expects that contributions will total approximately DKK 220m over a 10-year period.

The Group is party to legal actions. These legal actions are under continuous review and the necessary provisions made are based on an assessment of the risk of loss. Pending legal actions are not expected to have any significant impact on the financial position of the Group.

Note 21

Collateral

At 30 June 2022 the Group had deposited as collateral securities at a market value of DKK 250m with Danish and foreign exchanges and clearing centres etc in connection with margin calls and securities settlements etc. In addition the Group has provided cash collateral of DKK 845m and deposited as collateral securities at a market value of DKK 244m in connection with CSA agreements.

In connection with repo transactions, which involve selling securities to be repurchased at a later date, the securities remain on the balance sheet and consideration received is recognised as a debt. Repo transaction securities are treated as assets provided as collateral for liabilities. Counterparties are entitled to sell the securities or deposit them as collateral for other loans.

In connection with reverse transactions, which involve purchasing securities to be resold at a later date, the Group is entitled to sell the securities or deposit them as collateral for other loans. The securities are not recognised in the balance sheet and consideration paid is recognised as a receivable.

Assets received as collateral in connection with reverse transactions may be sold to a third party. In such cases a negative portfolio may arise as a result of the accounting rules. This is recognised under "Other liabilities".

Assets sold as part of repo transactions Bonds at fair value	4,572	6,139	4,572	6,139
Assets purchased as part of reverse transactions Bonds at fair value	17,940	19,923	17,940	19,923

			Sydt	ank Group
	H1	H1	Index	31 Dec
DKKm	2022	2021	22/21	2021

Note 22

Related parties

Sydbank is the bank of a number of related parties. Transactions with related parties are settled on an arm's length basis.

No unusual transactions took place with related parties in H1 2022. Reference is made to the Group's 2021 Annual Report for a more detailed description of related party transactions.

Note 23

Reporting events occurring after the balance sheet date

After the expiry of H1 no matters of significant impact on the financial position of the Sydbank Group have occurred.

Note 24

Large shareholders

Dimensional Holdings Inc., USA, owns more than 5% of Sydbank's share capital.

Note 25

Core income				
Net interest etc	1,007	865	116	1,776
Mortgage credit*	358	348	103	693
Payment services	109	97	112	203
Remortgaging and loan fees	120	94	128	169
Commission and brokerage	241	241	100	470
Commission etc investment funds and pooled pension plans	162	171	95	340
Asset management	179	185	97	380
Custody account fees	65	49	133	115
Other operating income	158	143	110	290
Total	2,399	2,193	109	4,436
* Mortgage credit				
Totalkredit cooperation	291	283	103	557
Totalkredit, set-off of loss	4	6	67	13
Totalkredit cooperation, net	287	277	104	544
DLR Kredit	70	70	100	147
Other mortgage credit income	1	1	100	2
Total	358	348	103	693

DKKm	FVPL	Fair value option	FVOCI	S Total fair value	ydbank Group 30 Jun 2022 Amortised cost
Note 26					
Fair value disclosure					
Financial instruments are included in the balance sheet eithe The table below breaks down financial instruments by valuat		r at amortised co	st.		
Financial assets					
Cash and balances on demand at central banks				-	7,758
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks	4,525			4,525	8,931
Loans and advances at fair value	12,940			12,940	-
Loans and advances at amortised cost	12.766	15010		-	74,190
Bonds at fair value	12,766	15,948	201	28,714	_
Shares etc	155	2,204	384	2,743	-
Assets related to pooled plans		20,445	1 221	20,445	-
Land and buildings	4.51.2	20	1,221	1,221	1 702
Other assets	4,512	20		4,532	1,783
Total	34,898	38,617	1,605	75,120	92,662
Undrawn credit commitments				-	50,569
Maximum credit risk,					
collateral not considered	34,898	38,617	1,605	75,120	143,231
Financial liabilities					
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks	3,249			3,249	2,599
Deposits and other debt	1,260			1,260	98,930
Deposits in pooled plans		20,445		20,445	- -
Bonds issued at amortised cost				-	9,557
Other liabilities	11,710			11,710	588
Subordinated capital				-	1,115
Total	16,219	20,445	-	36,664	112,789

				Syd	lbank Group
					31 Dec 2021
		Fair value		Total fair	Amortised
DKKm	FVPL	option	FVOCI	value	cost
Note 26 – continued					
Financial assets					
Cash and balances on demand at central banks				-	5,513
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks	2,932			2,932	13,866
Loans and advances at fair value	16,918			16,918	-
Loans and advances at amortised cost				-	67,041
Bonds at fair value	28,703			28,703	-
Shares etc	2,381		409	2,790	-
Assets related to pooled plans		22,180		22,180	-
Land and buildings			1,236	1,236	-
Other assets	3,451			3,451	1,399
Total	54,385	22,180	1,645	78,210	87,819
Undrawn credit commitments				-	53,320
Maximum credit risk,					
collateral not considered	54,385	22,180	1,645	78,210	141,139
Financial liabilities					
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks	2,790			2,790	4,117
Deposits and other debt	3,363			3,363	90,514
Deposits in pooled plans		22,180		22,180	-
Bonds issued at amortised cost				-	13,313
Other liabilities	10,831			10,831	594
Subordinated capital				-	1,858
Total	16,984	22,180	-	39,164	110,396

To take into account changes in credit risk concerning derivatives with positive fair value, an adjustment is made – CVA. CVA is a function of the risk of counterparty default (PD), the expected positive exposure and the loss ratio in the event of default. PD is determined on the basis of the Group's credit models – default probability in 12 months. PD beyond 12 months is adjusted on the basis of market data of exposures with a similar PD level. At 30 June 2022 CVA constituted DKK 16m compared to DKK 19m at year-end 2021.

Client margins recognised in connection with derivatives are amortised over the life of the transaction. At 30 June 2022 client margins presently not recognised as income totalled DKK 14m compared to DKK 19m at year-end 2021.

Financial instruments recognised at fair value

Measurement of financial instruments is based on quoted prices from an active market, on generally accepted valuation models with observable market data or on available data that only to a limited extent are observable market data.

Measurement of financial instruments for which prices are quoted in an active market or which is based on generally accepted valuation models with observable market data is not subject to significant estimates.

As regards financial instruments where measurement is based on available data that only to a limited extent are observable market data, measurement is subject to estimates. Such financial instruments appear from the column unobservable inputs below and include primarily unlisted shares, including shares in DLR Kredit A/S.

The fair value of unlisted shares and other holdings is calculated on the basis of available information on trades etc – including to a very significant extent on shareholders' agreements based on book value. To an insignificant extent fair value is calculated on the basis of expected cash flows.

A 10% change in the calculated market value of financial assets measured on the basis of unobservable inputs will affect profit before tax by DKK 340m (31 December 2021: DKK 340m).

DKKm prices inputs value Note 26 - continued 30 Jun 2022 Financial assets Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks 4,525 4,525 Loans and advances at fair value 12,940 12,940 Bonds at fair value 28,714 28,714 Shares etc 518 50 2,175 2,743 Assets related to pooled plans 13,522 6,923 20,445 Land and buildings 1,221 1,221 Other assets 394 4,138 4,532	4,525 12,940 28,714 2,743 20,445 1,221 4,532 75,120
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	75,120
Financial liabilities	
Financial liabilities	
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks 3,249 3,249	3,249
Deposits and other debt 1,260 1,260	1,260
	20,445
Other liabilities 398 11,312 11,710	11,710
Total 398 36,266 - 36,664	36,664
31 Dec 2021	
Financial assets	
Amounts owed by credit institutions and central banks 2,932 2,932	2,932
	16,918
	28,703
Shares etc 554 53 2,183 2,790	2,790
	22,180
Land and buildings 1,236 1,236	1,236
Other assets 197 3,254 3,451	3,451
Total 15,553 59,238 3,419 78,210	78,210
Financial liabilities	
Amounts owed to credit institutions and central banks 2,790 2,790	2,790
Deposits and other debt 3,363 3,363	3,363
, and the second	22,180
Other liabilities 214 10,617 10,831	10,831
Total 214 38,950 - 39,164	39,164

DKKm	30 Jun 2022	31 Dec 2021
Assets measured on the basis of unobservable inputs		
Carrying amount at 1 Jan	2,183	2,092
Additions	1	60
Disposals	63	113
Market value adjustment	49	144
Carrying amount at end of period	2,175	2,183
Recognised in profit for the period		
Dividend	21	17
Market value adjustment	49	145
Total	70	162

	Sydl	Sydbank A/S		
	30 Jun	31 Dec	30 Jun	31 Dec
DKKm	2022	2021	2022_	2021
Note 27				
Leverage ratio				
Leverage ratio exposures				
Total assets	169,080	168,185	171,046	170,257
Of which pooled assets	(20,445)	(22,180)	(20,445)	(22,180)
Correction derivatives etc	7,607	5,053	7,607	5,053
Guarantees etc	20,903	19,722	20,903	19,722
Undrawn credit commitments etc	10,228	10,348	10,228	10,363
Other adjustments	(1,769)	(2,425)	(1,771)	(2,425)
Total	185,604	178,703	187,568	180,790
T1 capital – current (transitional rules)	10,837	11,076	10,837	11,076
·				
T1 capital – fully loaded	10,794	10,932	10,794	10,932
Leverage ratio (%) – current (transitional rules)	5.8	6.2	5.8	6.1
Leverage ratio (%) - fully loaded	5.8	6.1	5.8	6.0

30 Jun 2022	Activity		capital DKKm)	Equity (DKKm)	Sy Profit/(Loss) (DKKm)	/dbank Group Ownership share (%)
Note 28						
Group holdings and enterprises						
Sydbank A/S		DKK	584			
Consolidated subsidiaries Ejendomsselskabet af 1. juni 1986 A/S, Aabenraa Syd Administration A/S, Aabenraa Syd Fund Management A/S, Aabenraa	Real property Invt & admin. Administration	DKK DKK DKK	11 300 100	30 2,017 112	4 (1) 12	100 100 67
Held for sale Green Team Group A/S, Sønder Omme*	Wholesale	DKK	101	25	(4)	100
Holdings in associates Foreningen Bankdata, Fredericia* Komplementarselskabet Core Property Management A/S, Copenhagen*	IT Real property	DKK DKK	472 1	451 1	(14) 0	34 20
Core Property Management P/S, Copenhagen*	Real property	DKK	5	54	32	20

^{*} Financial information according to the companies' most recently published annual reports.

Management Statement

We have reviewed and approved the Interim Report – First Half 2022 of Sydbank A/S.

The consolidated interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" as adopted by the EU. Furthermore the consolidated financial statements are prepared in compliance with Danish disclosure requirements for listed financial companies. The interim financial statements (of the parent company) are prepared in compliance with the Danish Financial Business Act.

The Interim Report has not been audited or reviewed. However the Bank's external auditor has conducted a verification of profit for the period, including audit procedures consistent with the requirements as regards a review and has thus verified that the conditions for ongoing recognition of profit for the period in CET1 capital were met.

In our opinion the interim financial statements give a true and fair view of the Group's and the parent company's assets, equity and liabilities and financial position at 30 June 2022 and of the results of the Group's and the parent company's operations and consolidated cash flows for the period 1 January – 30 June 2022.

Moreover it is our opinion that the management's review includes a fair review of the developments in the Group's and the parent company's operations and financial position as well as a description of the most significant risks and elements of uncertainty which may affect the Group and the parent company.

Aabenraa, 24 August 2022

Group Executive Management

Karen Frøsig CEO	Bjarne Larsen	Jørn Adam Møller
Board of Directors		
Lars Mikkelgaard-Jensen Chairman	Jacob Chr. Nielsen Vice-Chairman	Carsten Andersen
Henrik Hoffmann	Søren Holm	Janne Moltke-Leth
Jarl Oxlund	Gitte Poulsen	Susanne Schou
Jon Stefansson	Jørn Krogh Sørensen	Pia Wrang

Supplementary Information

Financial calendar

In 2022 and 2023 the Group's preliminary announcement of financial statements will be released as follows:

- Interim Report Q1-Q3 2022November 2022
- Announcement of the 2022 Financial Statements
 1 March 2023
- Annual General Meeting 2023 23 March 2023
- Interim Report Q1 20233 May 2023
- Interim Report First Half 202323 August 2023
- Interim Report Q1-Q3 2023 1 November 2023

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