

Annual General Meeting 2025

29th May 2025



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“Providing added value to our
shareholders, customers and the
Maltese economy.”

Dr Gordon Cordina
Chairperson



Key Highlights - Financial Year 2024

Strong Financial Performance

Record high income and profits for FY 2024



Profit Before Tax increased to €302.4 million



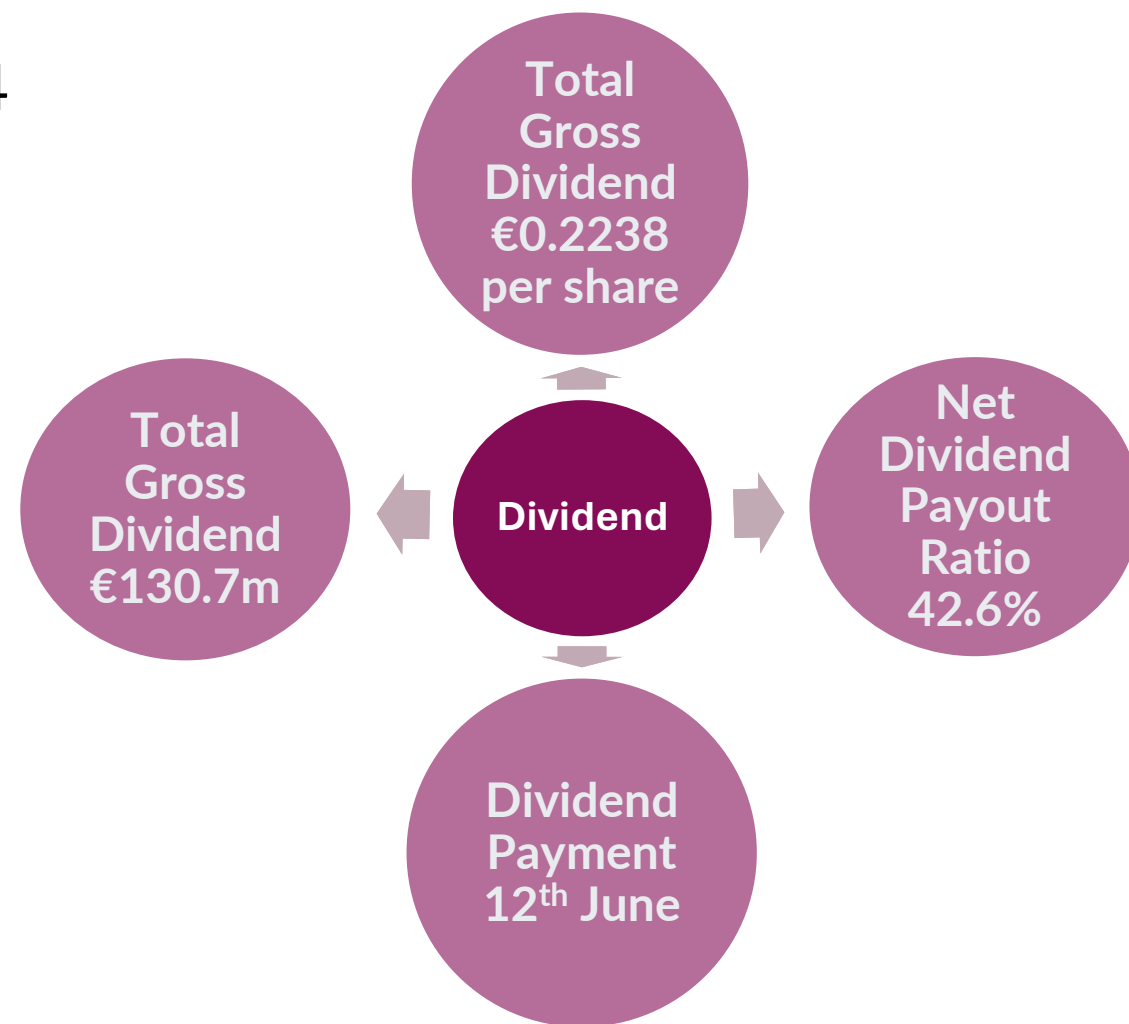
Return on Average Equity (after tax) 14.9%



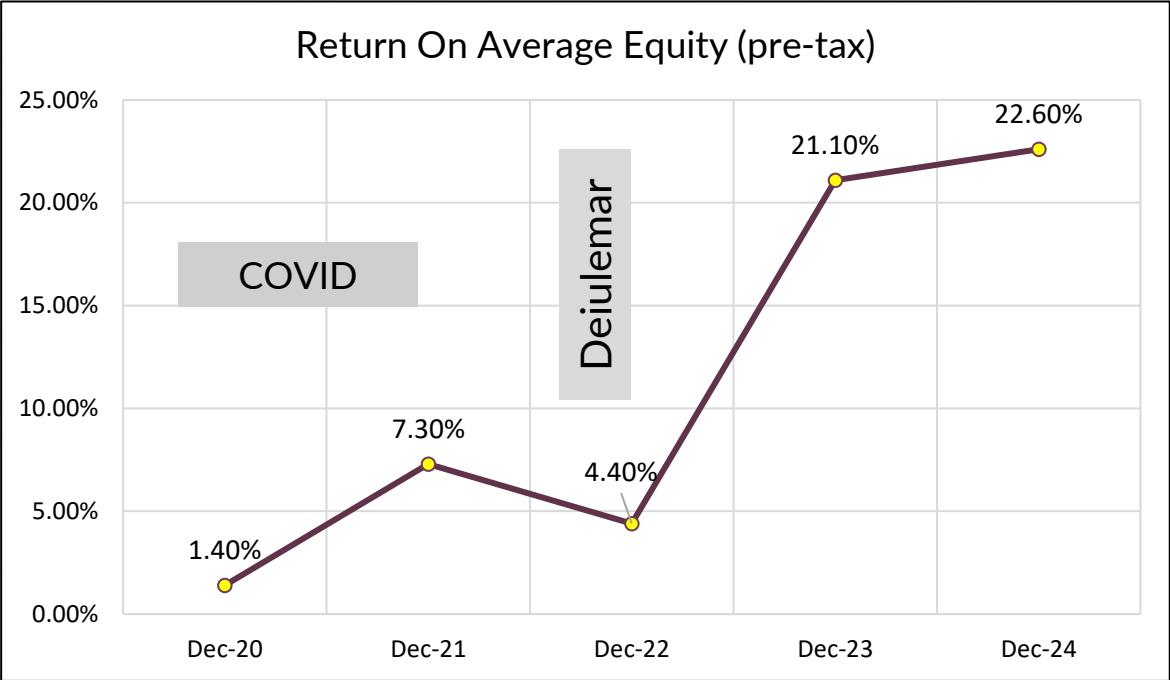
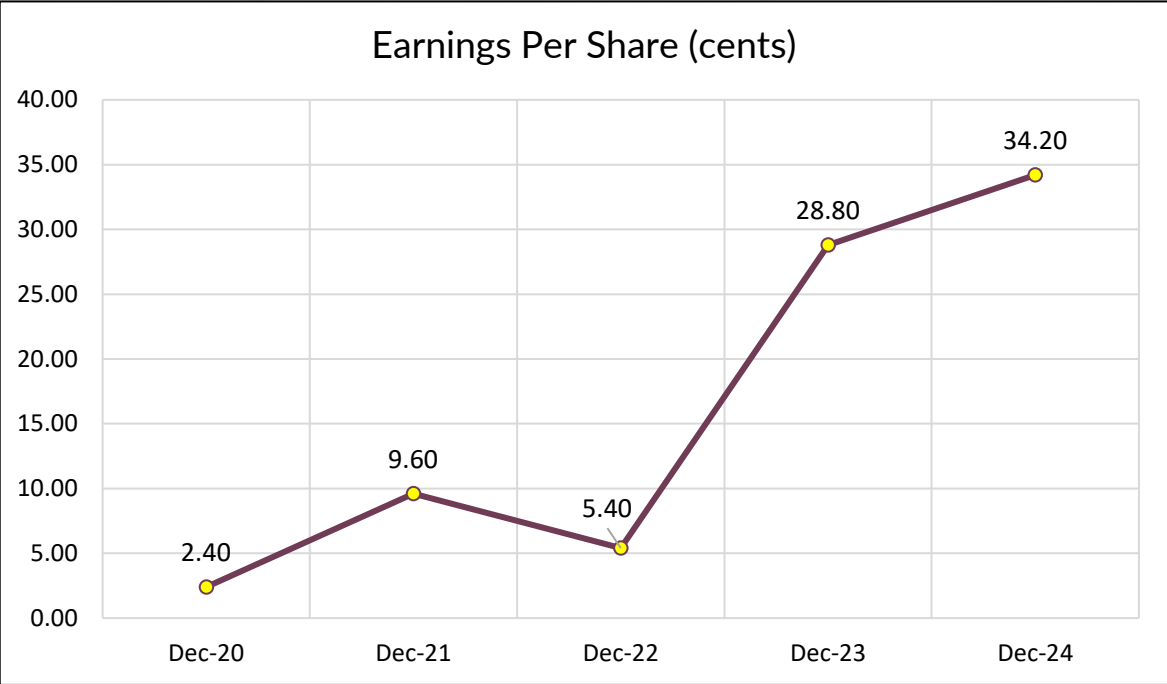
Share price increased from €0.92 in 2020 to €1.72 at end 2024 – currently around €2

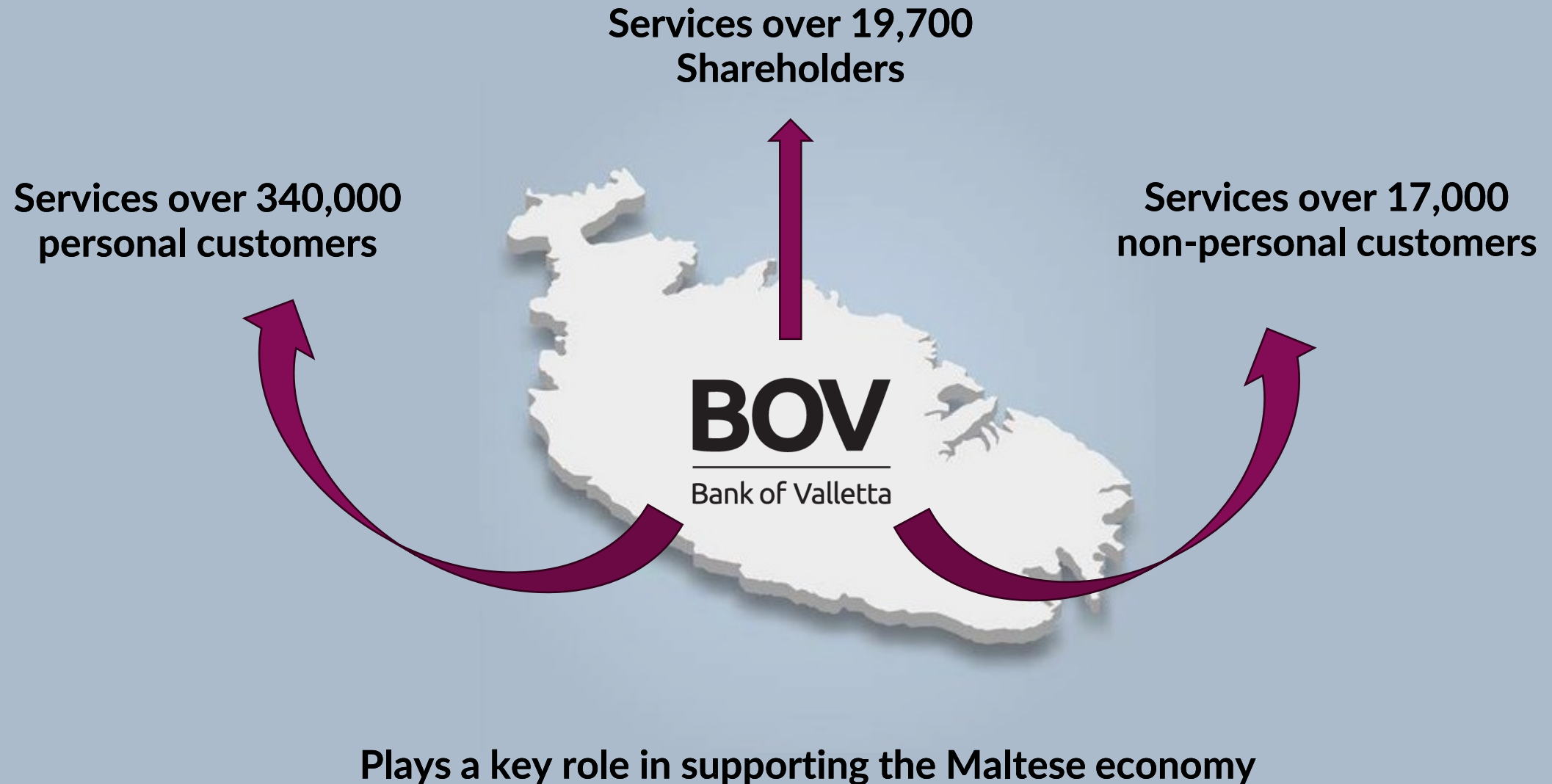


Balance Sheet increased by €600 million



Key Highlights FY 2024 – Strong Financial Performance





Benign economic prospects offer good support in the eventuality of negative effects from the ongoing geopolitical tensions



In 2024 economic conditions in Malta were favourable



Robust expansion in GDP reduced the fiscal deficit



The monetary policy easing cycle is close to its end, and this is likely to be followed by a period of stable rates



Normalisation of economic growth





Households continue to benefit from interest rate stability, as rates in Malta remain the lowest across the euro area



Residential property demand remains strong - property prices consistently increased by around 6% per annum - higher property prices supported by economic fundamentals



Inflation rate in line with ECB target



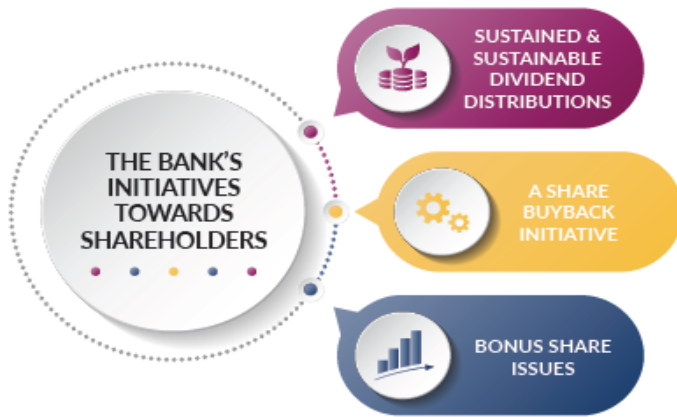
Historic low unemployment rate



Early figures for 2025 suggest that new records are likely to be set in tourism



Initiatives to Strengthen Shareholder Value



Dividend

- Total Gross Dividend for the Year: **€0.2238 per share.**
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- Net Dividend Payout Ratio: **42.6%.**

Bonus Issue

- The Board is recommending a bonus share issue of **one (1) share for every ten (10) shares held.**

Share Buyback*

- Proposal for a Share Buyback initiative to increase the liquidity of the Bank's equity instrument in the market, **without cancelling shares.**

Bond Issue

- Further issuance of Notes (Tranche 2) out of the Euro Medium Term Bond (EMTB) programme.



** Share Buyback subject to regulatory approval*



**Affordable
in terms of
profit**

**Regulatory
requirements
for capital
management**



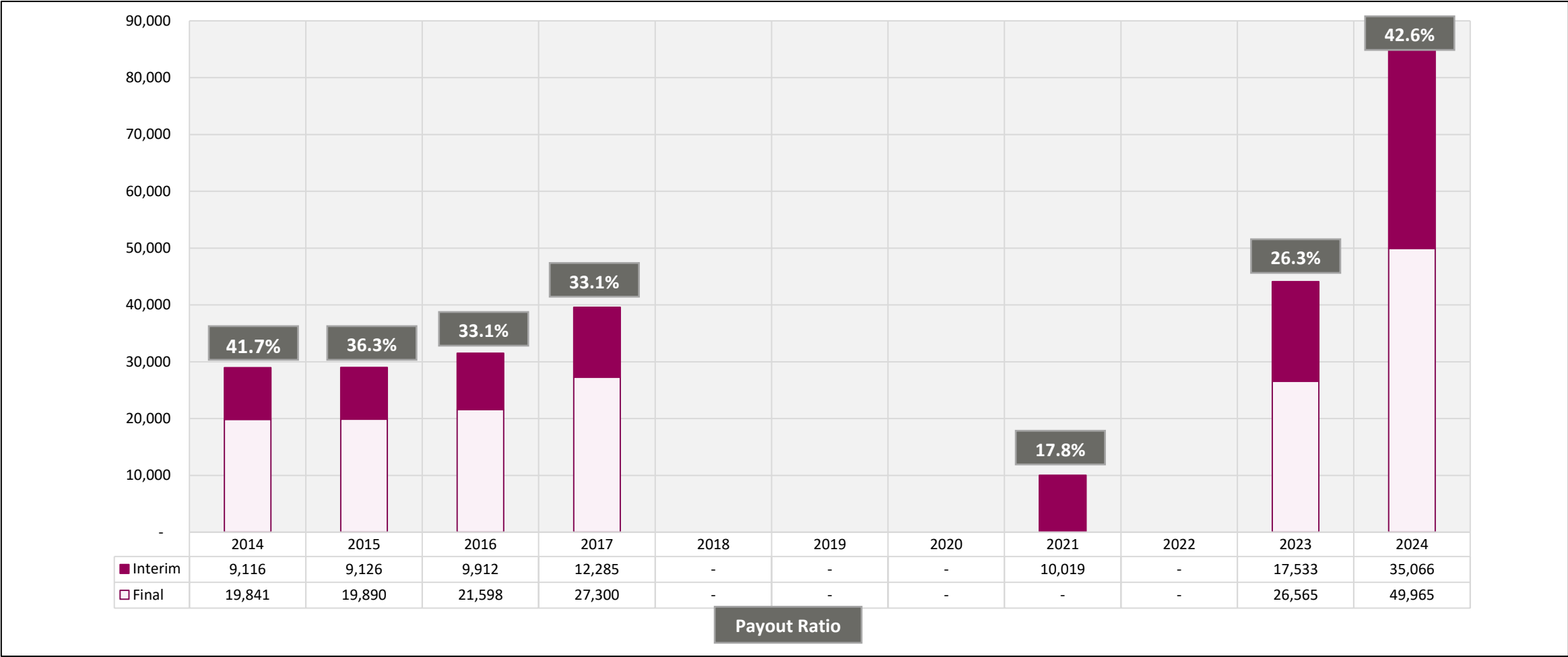
DIVIDEND



**Fair and
reasonable
expectations of
shareholders**

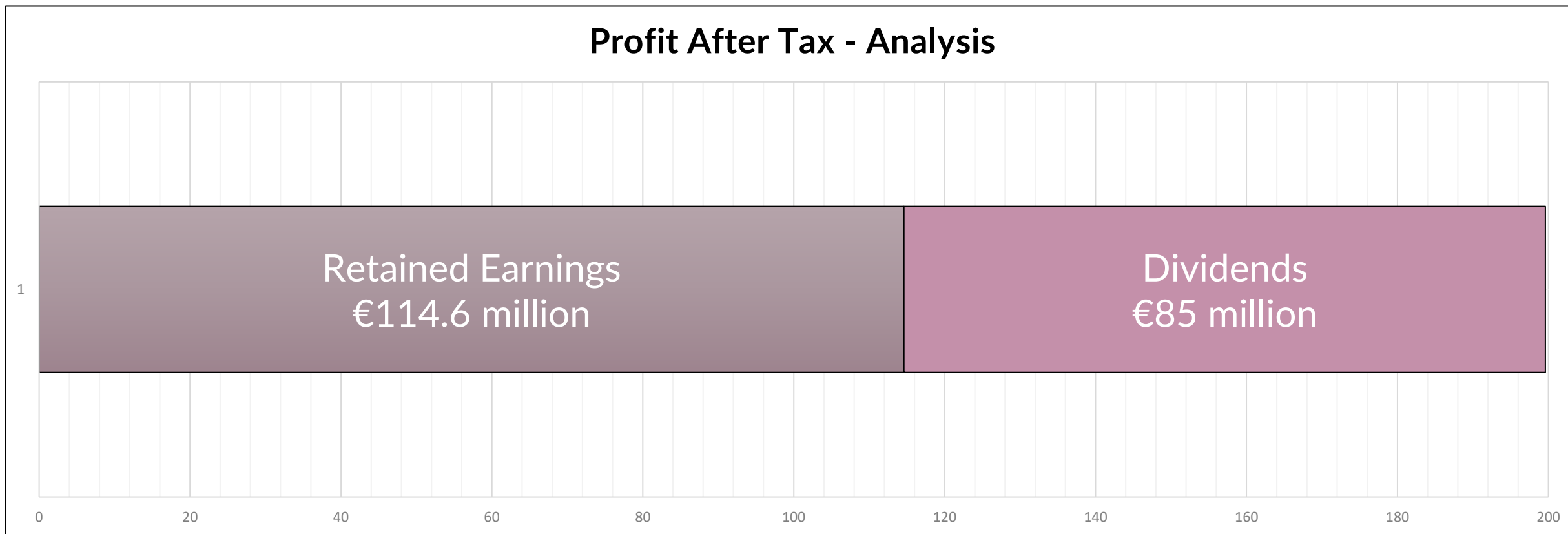
**Capital
retention for
future business
growth**





The Dividends with respect to the FY 2024 are the highest dividends ever paid. Represent a 42.6% Payout Ratio and are nearly 3x the dividends paid with respect to FY 2014.

Profit After Tax - Analysis



Retention of 57.4% of
Profit After Tax to
sustain future growth

Whilst paying the largest
amount of dividend in history
back to shareholders

Bonus Issue - the Bank will be issuing a bonus of **1 share for every 10 shares held**. The bonus issue will:

- Be funded by a capitalisation of reserves amounting to **€58.4 million**.
- Provide an **additional potential source of liquidity** to shareholders.
- Strengthen the Bank's **non-distributable capital**.





- Share Buyback* initiative **aims to increase the stock liquidity** and the trading in Bank of Valletta shares.
 - BOV will be **facilitating the trading** of BOV Shares on the Malta Stock Exchange.
 - BOV will stand ready to buy on the Malta Stock Exchange **reasonable amounts of shares offered at market price**, which are not taken up by other buyers.
 - This is a **voluntary programme** and no shareholder shall be required to sell its shares to the Bank.
 - BOV will **not be displacing other buyers** from the market.
 - Shares will **not be cancelled**.
- This initiative **ensures transparency and market integrity**.



- Share Buyback* Intentions:
 - Repurchase and acquire from any shareholder(s) up to **2,800,000 shares** out of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company.
 - Shares will **not be cancelled**.
 - Hold for re-sale, all or any number of the shares so acquired, or to utilise the acquired shares to distribute them, in line with the Bank's applicable distribution policies.

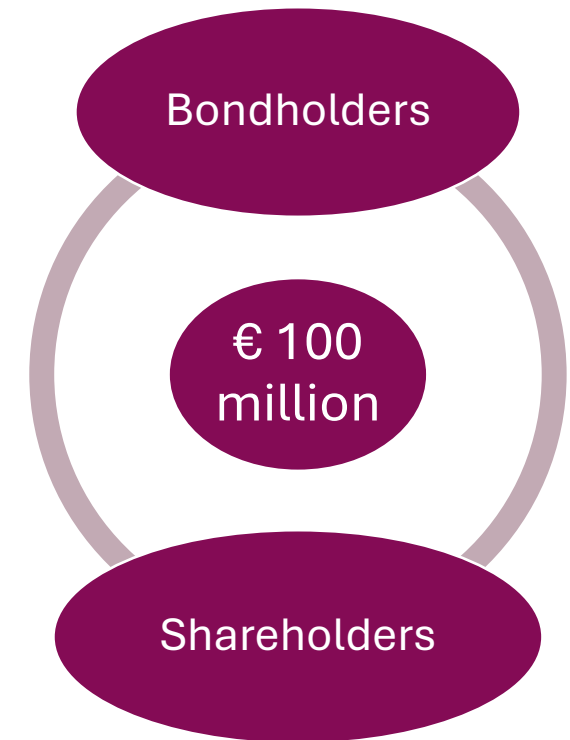
Maximum number of shares to be repurchased over 12 months	2,800,000 shares (before bonus issue)¹
Reserve (maximum amount allocated to the buyback program by the Bank)	€7,840,000
Price range within which the program may trade (Min and Max Price)	€1.70 - €2.80 (before bonus issue)²
Period for which authorisation for the program has been given (duration and timing)	18 months

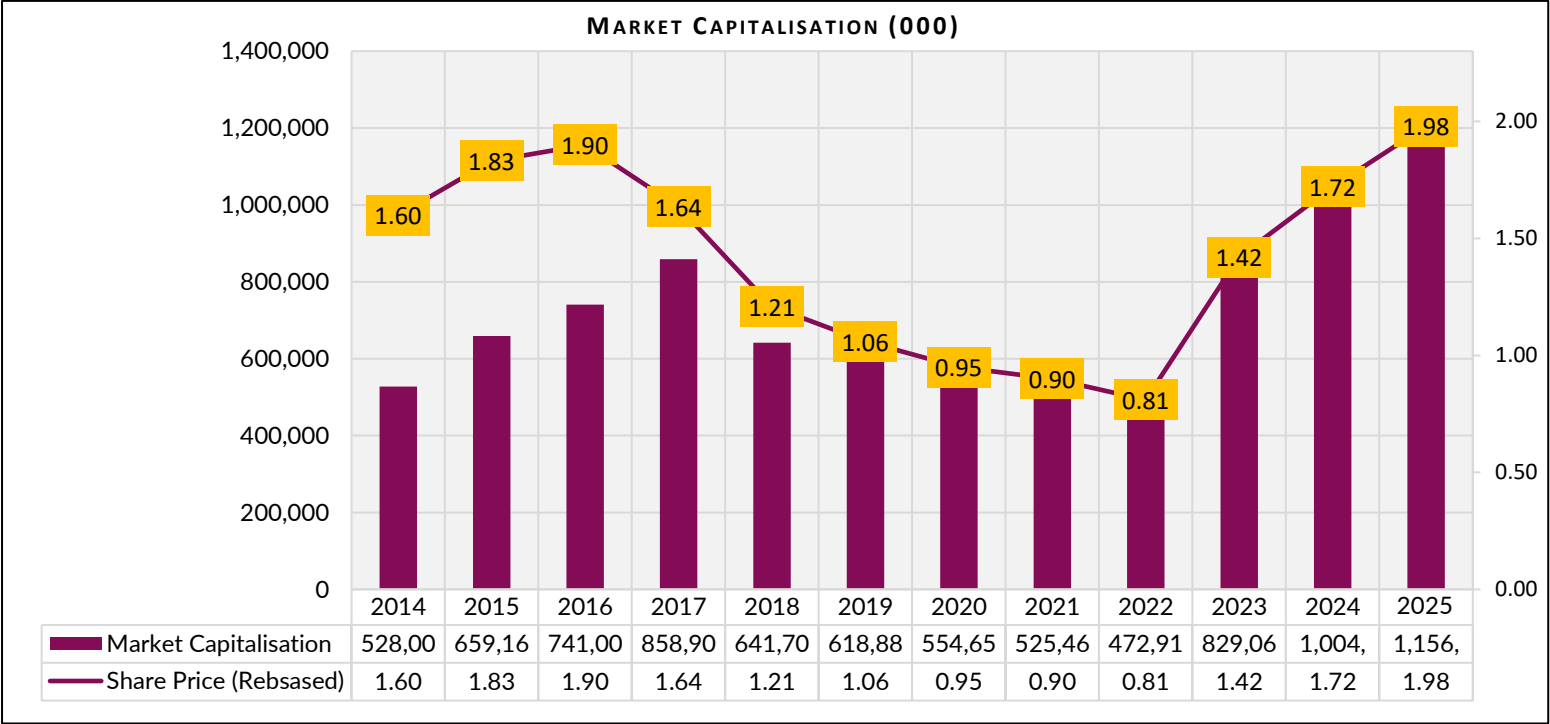
1. Proportionately adjusted to 3,060,000 shares if Resolution 4 is approved

2. The trade range would be proportionately adjusted to €1.55 - €2.55 if Resolution 4 is approved

* Share Buyback subject to regulatory approval

- November 2024 - highly successful issue of €100 million bonds, which was oversubscribed and closed in two days.
- 9th June 2025 - second issuance of €100 million, with an overallotment option up to a maximum amount of €50 million in the event of oversubscription.
- Coupon rate 5% per annum.
- Allocation:
 - 50% - shareholders, bondholders and BOV staff;
 - 35% - professional and institutional investors;
 - 15% - reserved for the general public;
 - Any portion of the individual planned allocations not taken up will be transferred to another allocation.





Since 2020, shareholder value has increased by €525m, of which:

- Dividends: €139m
- Increase in share value: €386m

Concluding Remarks Future Proofing Our Results

1. **Sustaining The Economy:** Act as a market leader in sustaining the economy through the provision of high-quality lending to both commercial and retail customers, consistent with its ESG commitments.
2. **Dynamic Balance Sheet Management:** Take a proactive approach towards balance sheet optimisation, including rebalancing of capital structure, with a view to optimising returns and profitability over the longer term.
3. **Revenue Diversification:** Strengthen the Bank's net fee and commission income through existing lines of business and new areas of business.




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4. **Digitalisation:** Continue our ambitious program to digitalise processes, providing a broader and improved service offering to customers across channels.
5. **Risk Management:** Ensure that risk and compliance are embedded in the business and operational model, to ensure full adherence to regulatory requirements.
6. **Shareholder Value:** Balance long-term growth requirements, distribute sustained and sustainable dividends when possible and contribute to market liquidity of listed instruments.
7. **Corporate Social Responsibility:** Remain a model corporate citizen, support the vulnerable and safeguard Malta's heritage for future generations.



- **Increasing Engagement:** The Bank is publishing forward-looking projections to increase transparency and engagement with current and prospective shareholders.
- **Financial Results and Projections:** The Bank is well-positioned to achieve a Profit Before Tax in the range of €200 - €250 million for FY2025.
- **Shareholder Value:** The Bank remains focused on providing shareholders with sustained and stable returns, targeting a maximum distribution of 50% of FY 2025 profits.
- **Strong Capital Structure:** The Bank continues to maintain high capital and liquidity buffers while adopting a proactive balance sheet management approach to optimise income and profitability levels.



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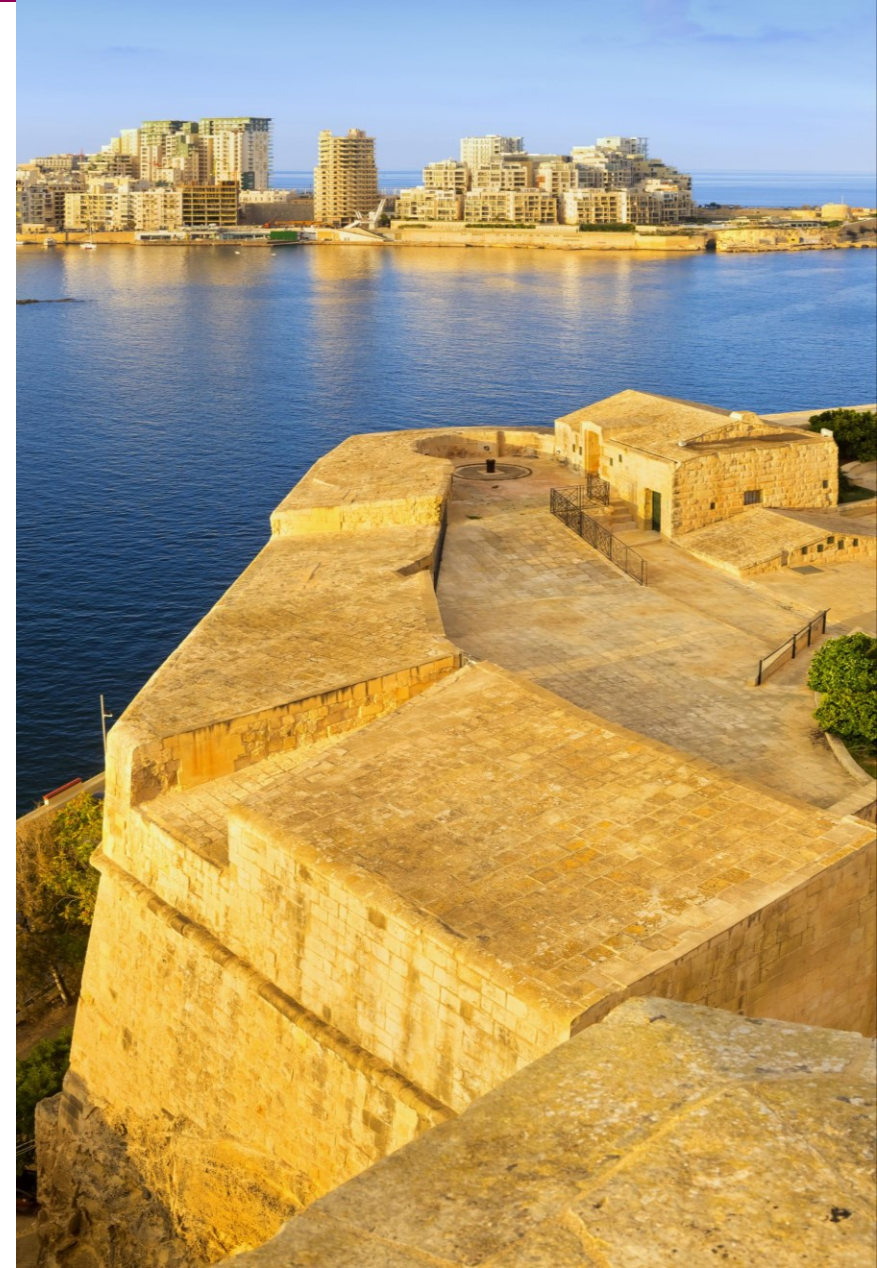
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“Navigating from good to great”

Kenneth Farrugia
CEO



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Financial Performance & Market Position

FY
2024



Profit Before Tax:
€302.4 million

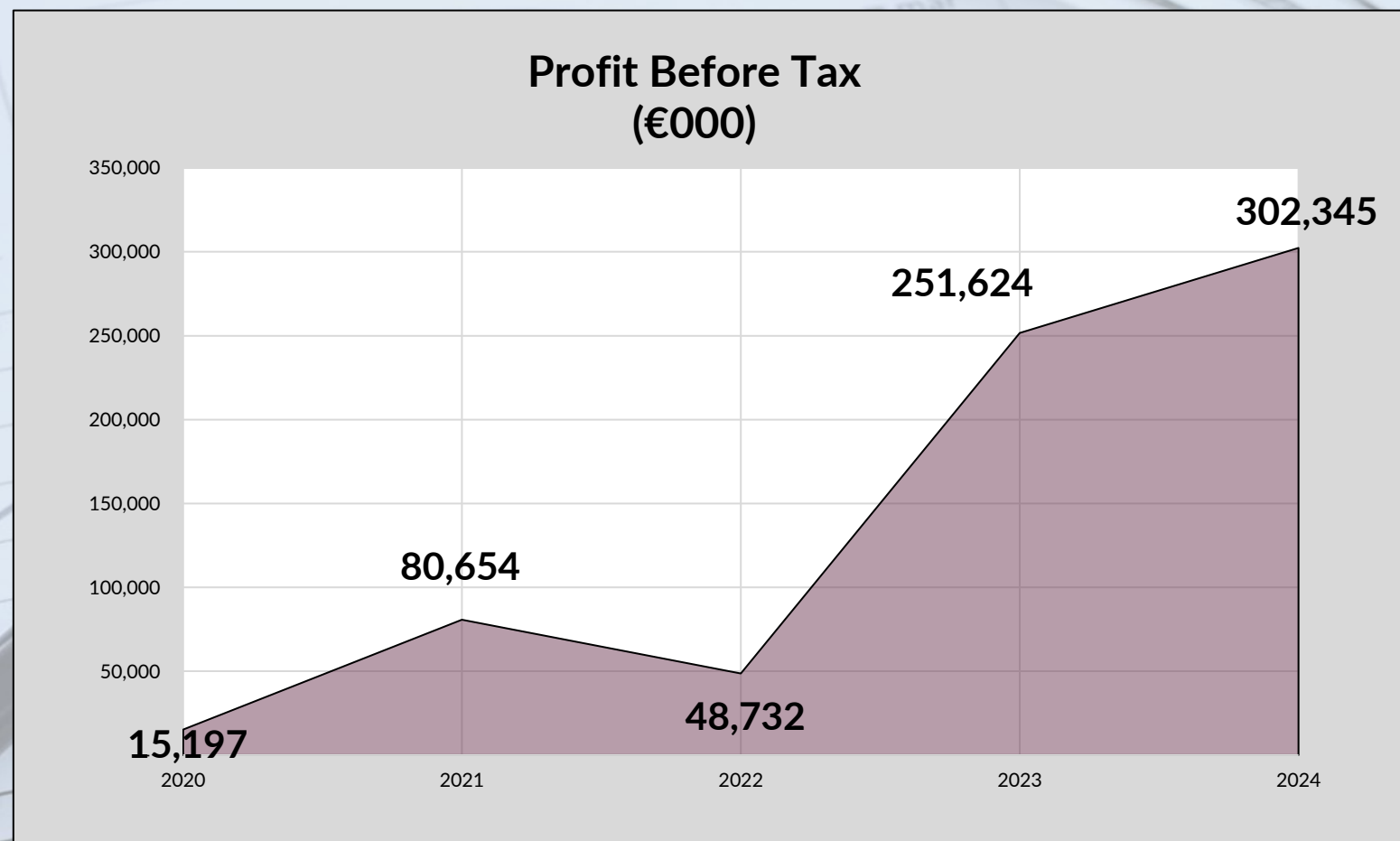


Highest Dividend Payout:
€130.7 million (gross)

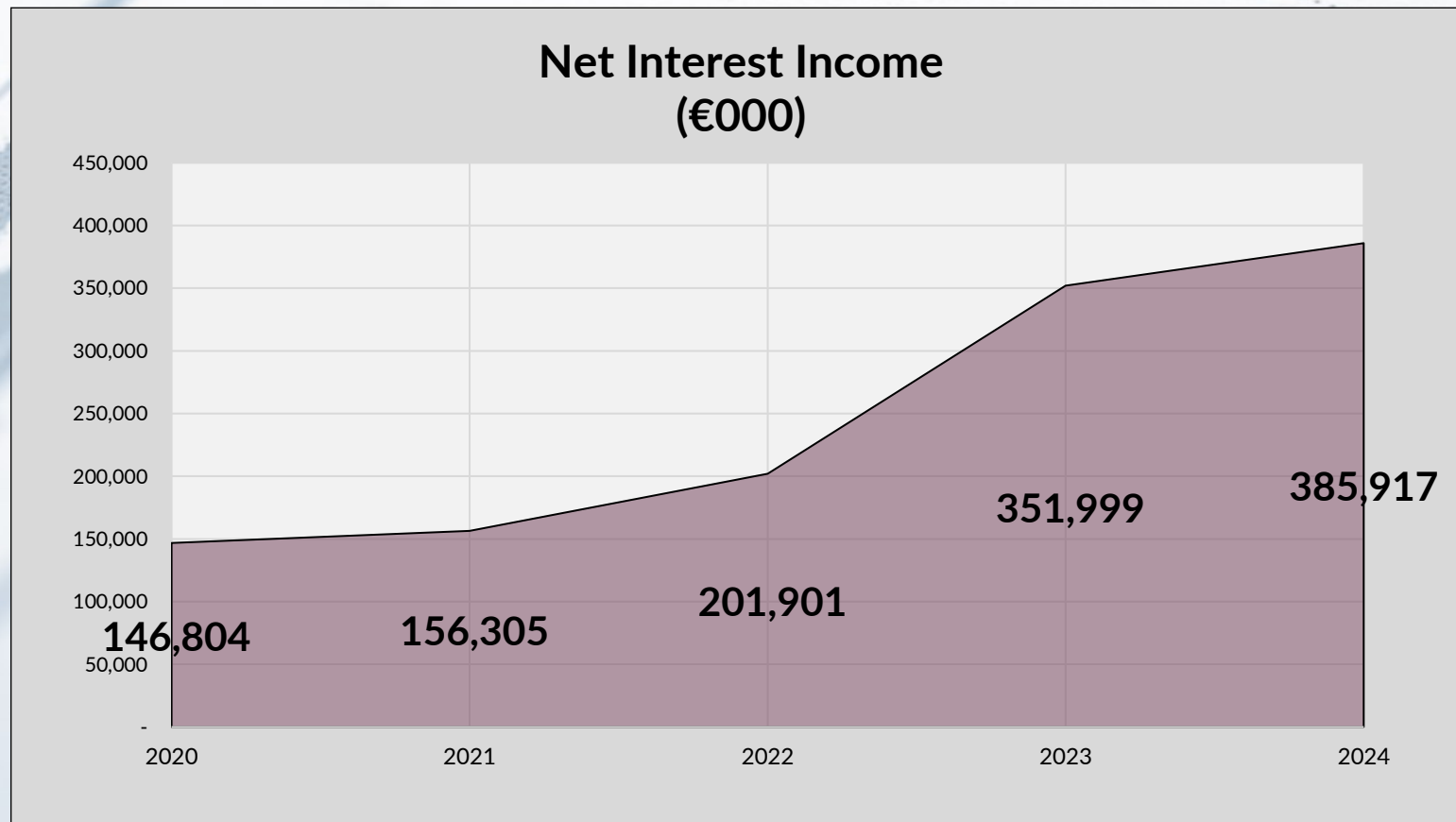


Strong results recognised by
International Credit Rating Agencies

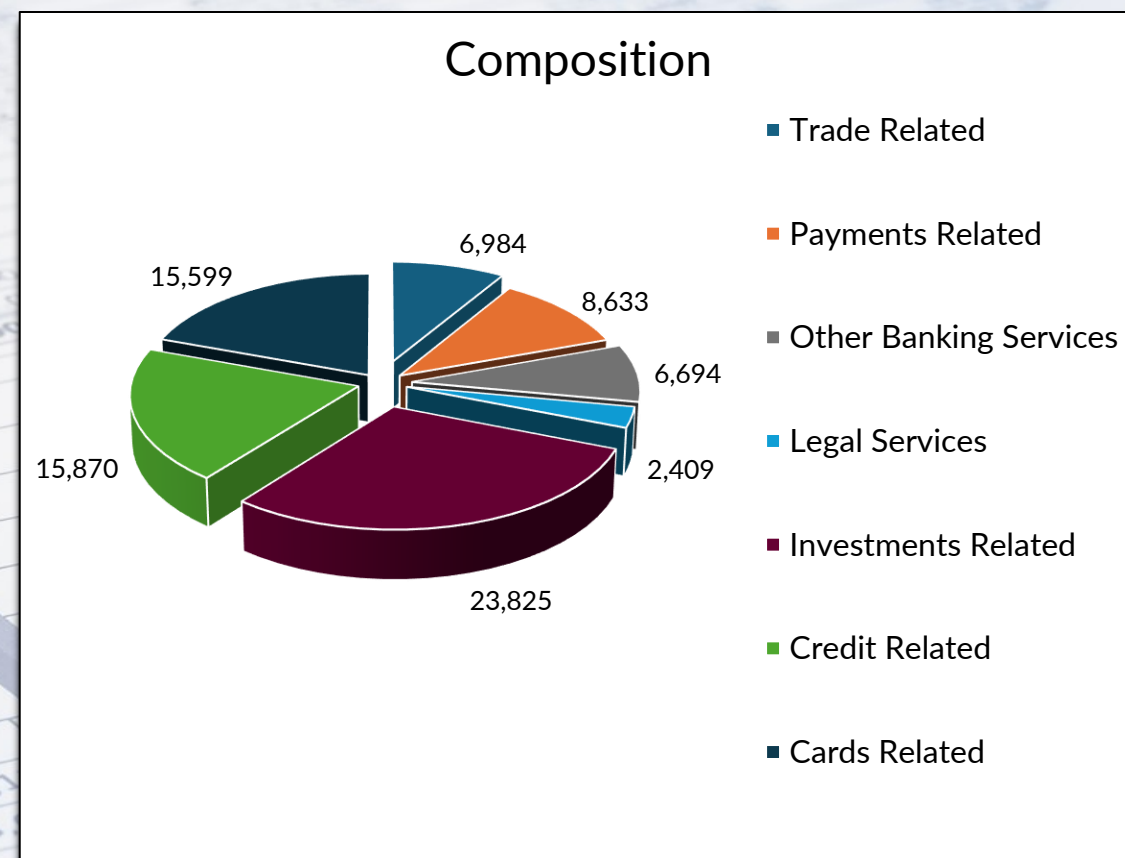
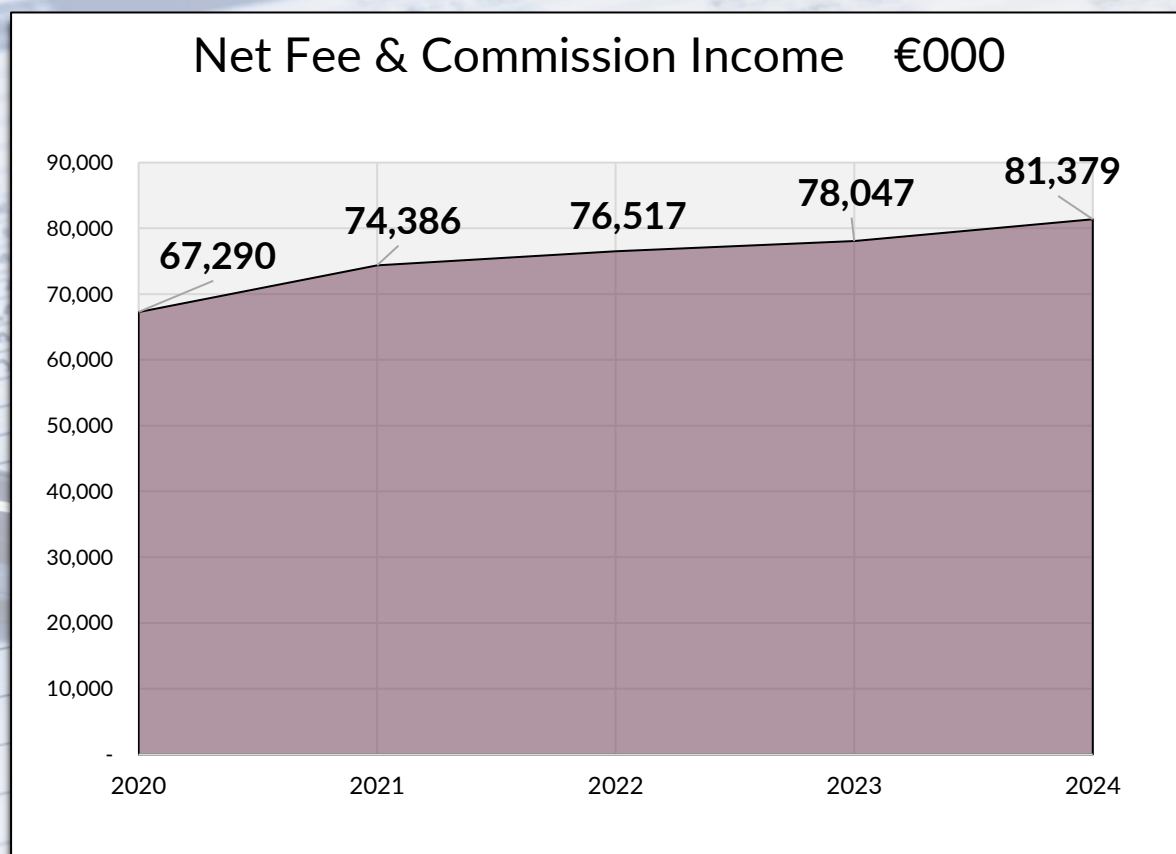
Profit Before Tax of €302.4 million **+>20.0%**



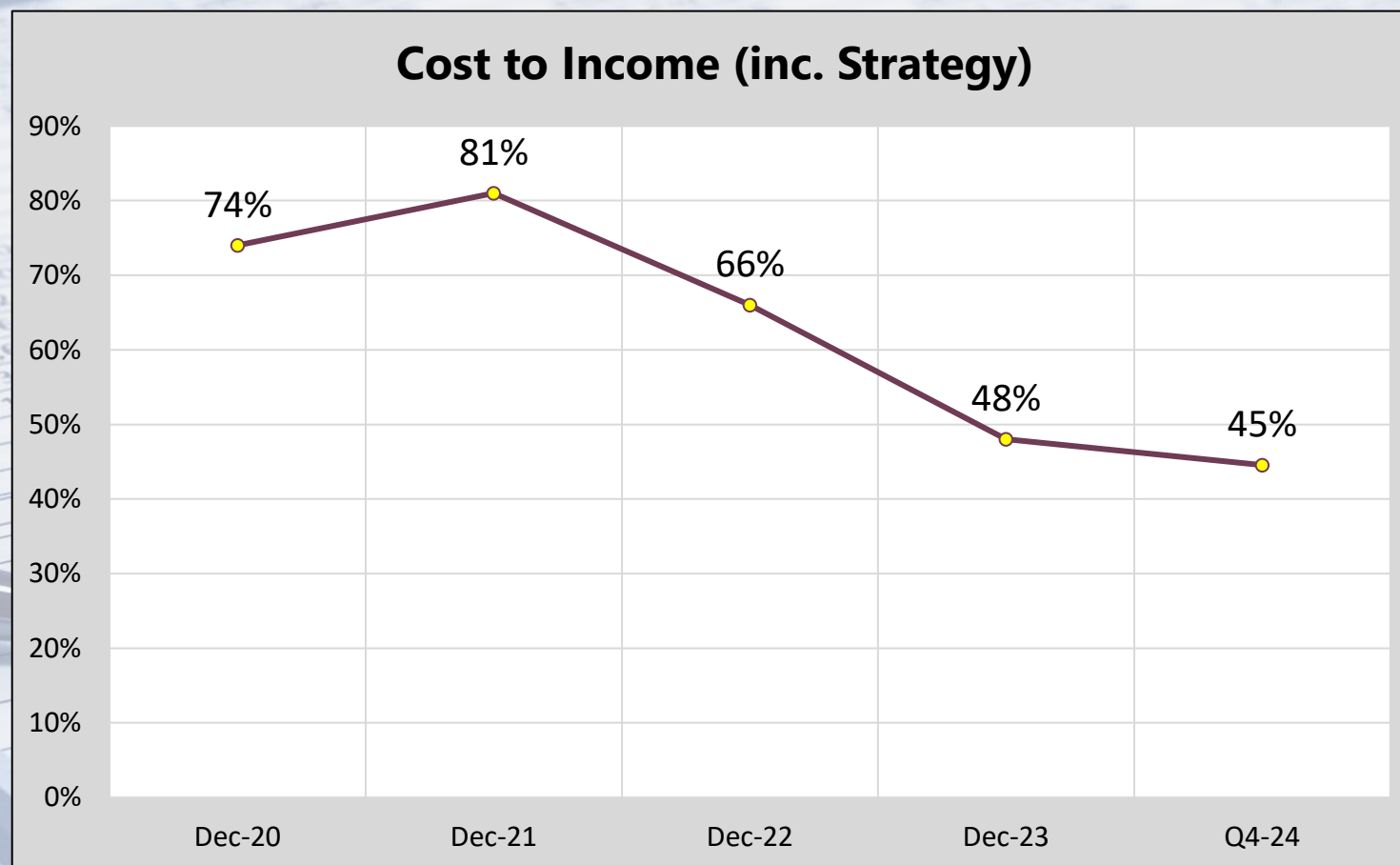
Net Interest Income: €385.9 million +>9.6%



Net Fee and Commission Income: €81.3 million +>4.2%



Cost to Income Ratio: 44.6% **-<3.2%**



	2024	2023	YOY, %
Profit Before Tax	€302.4 million	€251.6 million	▲ +>20.2%
Gross Operating Profit ¹	€269.1 million	€230.1 million	▲ +>16.9%
Return On Average Equity ²	22.6%	21.1%	▲ +>1.5%
Loan to Deposit Ratio	54.5%	51.7%	▲ +>2.8%
Cost to Income Ratio ³	44.6%	47.8%	▼ -<3.2%

1. **Gross Operating Profit:** Operating Income – Operating Costs (before impairment)

2. **ROAE:** Calculated on a before tax basis

3. **Cost-to-Income Ratio:** Includes all costs including strategic investments

Net Interest Income

+9.6% YOY

€352m FY2023 to €386m FY2024

Total Net Fee and Commission

+4.2% YOY

€78m in FY2023 to €81m FY2024

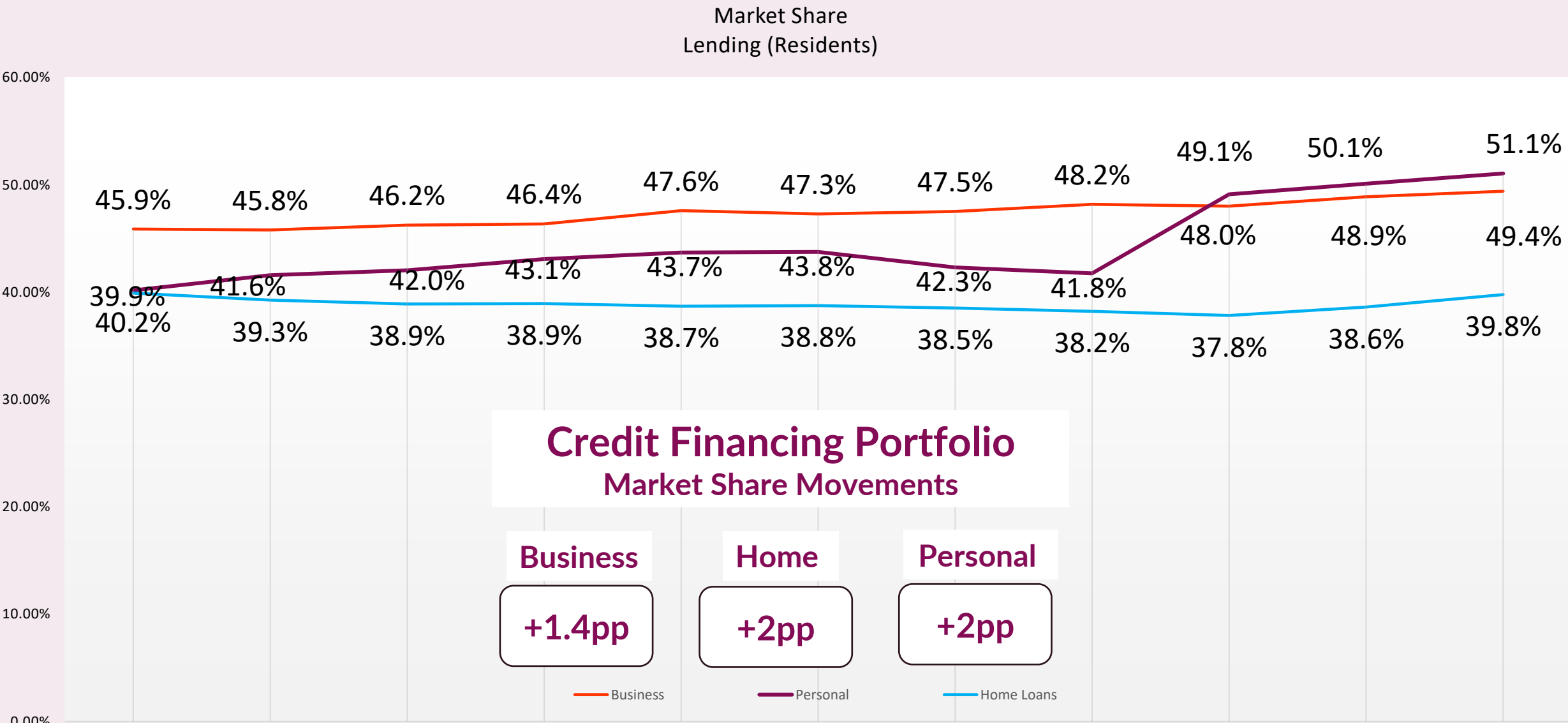
**Assets increased
from €14.5bn to €15.1bn**

**Loans and Advances
+11.2% YOY
+€701m to €6.98bn**

Credit Finance	Growth (€ - Millions)	Growth (%)	Market Share (%)
Total Credit Finance	+ €701	+ 11.2%	44.3%
Business Finance	+ €215	+ 7.1%	49.4%
Home Finance	+ €442	+ 14.9%	39.8%
Personal Finance	+ €44	+ 15.4%	51.1%

Deposits	Growth (€ - Millions)	Total Balance Sheet Amount (€ - Billions)
Customer Deposits	+ €652	€12.8
Business Deposits	+ €200	€8.4
Retail Deposits	+ €452	€4.4

Material increase in market shares in both Business and Retail Lending



Business Highlights & Key Strategic Initiatives

Product & Service
Enhancements

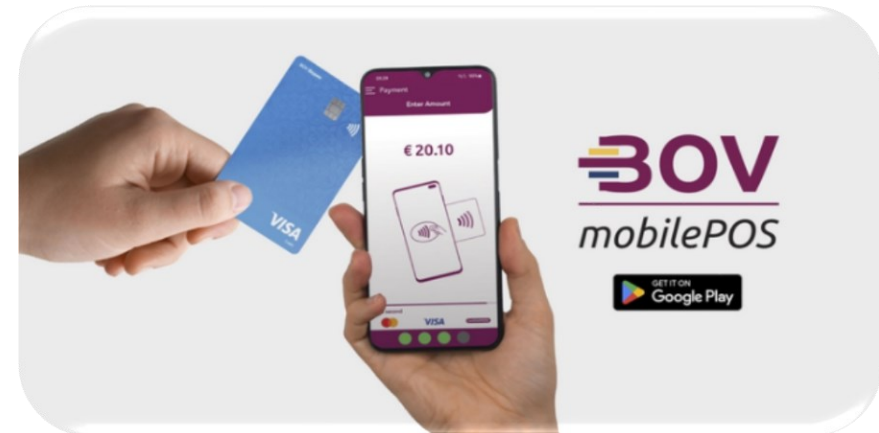
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Digital
Signatures

ATM
Upgrades

SEPA Instant
Payments

New Internet &
Mobile Banking



Process
Enhancements

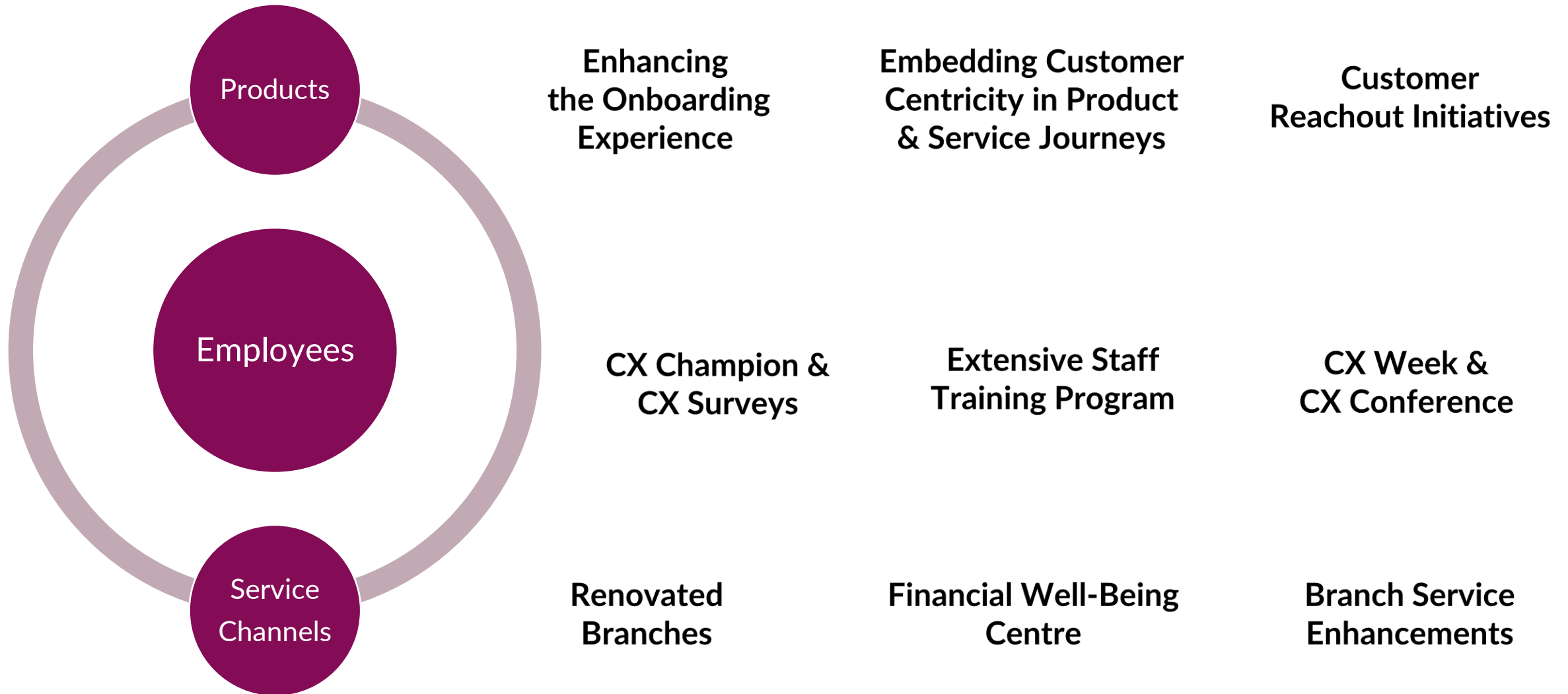
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Detection

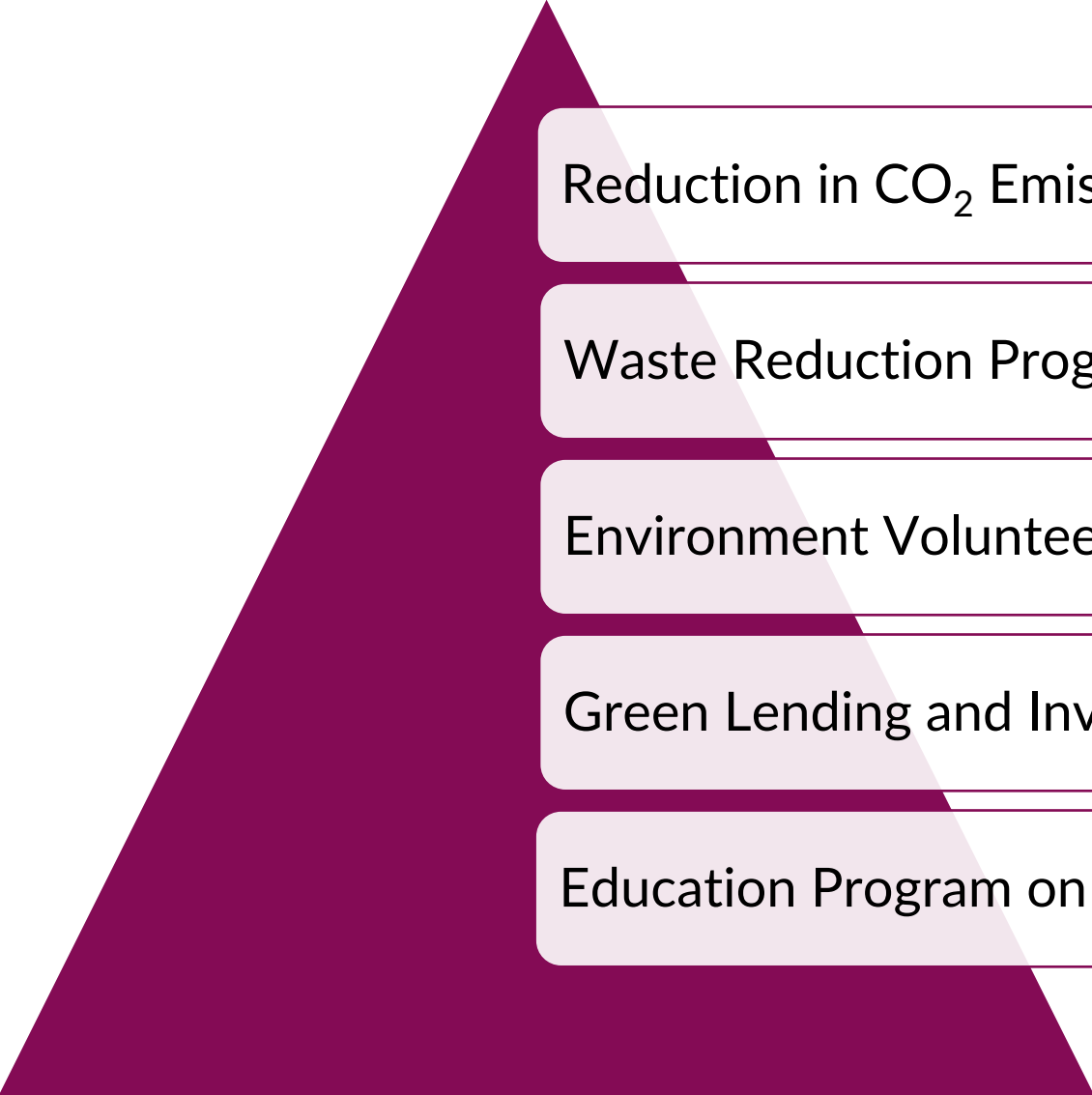
Customer
Education
Programs

Website &
Appointment
System

Business
Process
Automation

Social
Media
Expansion





Reduction in CO₂ Emissions

Waste Reduction Program

Environment Volunteering Initiatives

Green Lending and Investment Products

Education Program on ESG for Bank's Commercial Customers



Closing Remarks

- 2 Malta Business Awards
- MSE Annual Award



- FHRD Quality Mark



- Fitch and S&P Ratings Upgrade



- Correspondent Banking Onboarding by BNY

Digitalisation

Revenue Diversification

Risk Management

ESG & Corporate Social
Responsibility

CX-Centered Organisation

Shareholder Expectations



To Our Shareholders:

Thank you for your ongoing trust in our Bank.

To Our Clients:

Thank you for your continued custom. We are striving to serve you better every day.

To Our People:

Thank you for your dedication, commitment and engagement as we move from good to great.

To Our Board of Directors:

For the strategic guidance and steer.

To Our Regulators:

Thank you for contributing to the journey of our Bank.



Thank You

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Appointment of Directors

GORDON CORDINA	CHAIRPERSON & NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
KENNETH FARRUGIA	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
ANITA MANGION	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
DIANE BUGEJA	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
INGRID AZZOPARDI*	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
DEBORAH SCHEMBRI	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
SUE VELLA*	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
NICOLA ANGELI	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
ROBERT SUBAN	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
ANATOLI GRECH	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
CHRISTIAN BONNICI WEST	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
JONATHAN SPITERI	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
HADRIAN SAMMUT	NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

**Director's Appointment is subject to regulatory approval.
Appointment date shall be deemed to be the date of receipt of regulatory approval.*

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