

Arab Bank for Investment and Foreign Trade PJSC

Condensed interim financial information

For the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024



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Arab Bank for Investment and Foreign Trade PJSC

Review report and condensed interim financial information
For the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024

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Review report on condensed interim financial information to the Directors of Arab Bank for Investment and Foreign Trade PJSC

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed interim statement of financial position of Arab Bank for Investment and Foreign Trade PJSC (the “Bank”) as at 30 September 2024 and the related condensed interim statements of comprehensive income for the three-month and nine-month periods then ended, and the condensed statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the nine-month period then ended and notes comprising material accounting policy information and other explanatory notes. The Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of this condensed interim financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 – Interim Financial Reporting (“IAS 34”). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this condensed consolidated interim financial information based on our review.

Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, “Review of interim financial information performed by the independent auditor of the entity.” A review of condensed interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying condensed interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

PricewaterhouseCoopers Limited Partnership - Abu Dhabi
13 December 2024

Rami Sarhan
Registered Auditor Number 1152
Place: Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

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Condensed interim statement of financial position

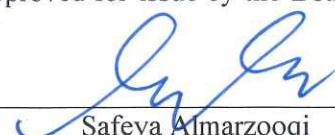
As at 30 September 2024

		(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Assets			
Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE	7	2,135,978	2,532,001
Due from banks	8	1,048,205	1,317,798
Acceptances		185,890	477,267
Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI")		4,730,156	3,075,277
Investments at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL")		637,273	355,638
Investments at amortised cost		612,795	405,376
Loans and advances	9	12,381,138	12,900,588
Fair value of derivatives	16 (h)	31,984	-
Investment properties	10	120,061	167,839
Other assets	11	277,857	227,753
Intangible assets	12.1	49,407	52,724
Property and equipment	12.2	219,073	241,563
		22,429,817	21,753,824
Asset held-for-sale		12,042	12,042
Total assets		22,441,859	21,765,866
Liabilities			
Due to banks	14	1,769,326	2,042,547
Customers' deposits	13	15,642,941	14,750,019
Acceptances		185,890	477,267
Other liabilities	15	669,779	552,680
Total liabilities		18,267,936	17,822,513
Equity			
Share capital	16 (a)	2,000,000	2,000,000
Statutory reserve	16 (b)	688,113	688,113
Special reserve	16 (c)	683,523	683,523
Cash flow hedge reserve	16 (h)	31,984	-
Revaluation reserve	16 (e)	138,173	138,522
Fair value reserve	16 (f)	(18,551)	(66,029)
Retained earnings		650,681	499,224
Total equity		4,173,923	3,943,353
Total liabilities and equity		22,441,859	21,765,866

This condensed interim financial information was authorised and approved for issue by the Board of Directors on _____, and signed on their behalf by:


Farhat Omar ben Gdara
Chairman


Masood Al Majedi
Acting Chief Executive Officer


Safeya Almarzooqi
Acting Chief Executive Officer

The notes on pages 6 to 26 are an integral part of the condensed interim financial information.

The independent auditor's report on review of the condensed interim financial information is set out on page 1.

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Condensed interim statement of comprehensive income

For the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (Unaudited)

	Note	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
		2024	2023	2024	2023
		AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Interest income	18	854,870	797,690	305,671	280,529
Interest expense	19	(344,649)	(314,115)	(113,724)	(109,175)
Net interest income		510,221	483,575	191,947	171,354
Income from islamic financing contracts	20	90,400	75,951	32,173	20,921
Depositors' share of profit	21	(52,125)	(44,873)	(11,208)	(17,321)
Net income from Islamic financing		38,275	31,078	20,965	3,600
Net interest and islamic financing income		548,496	514,653	212,912	174,954
Fee and commission income	22	88,206	101,942	34,922	36,940
Fee and commission expense	22	(11,692)	(14,150)	(3,925)	(5,677)
Net fee and commission income		76,514	87,792	30,997	31,263
Net investment gain / (loss)		38,342	(13,984)	24,079	(11,618)
Net foreign exchange gain		25,067	40,671	9,494	15,003
Other operating income	23	16,507	11,594	5,644	2,771
		79,916	38,281	39,217	6,156
Operating income		704,926	640,726	283,126	212,373
General, administration and other operating expenses	24	(240,923)	(236,334)	(84,611)	(79,416)
Profit before net impairment charge		464,003	404,392	198,515	132,957
Net impairment charge on financial assets	25	(297,604)	(261,367)	(99,210)	(86,970)
Profit for the period before taxation		166,399	143,025	99,305	45,987
Taxation charge	30	(14,942)	-	(8,937)	-
Net profit for the period		151,457	143,025	90,368	45,987
Other comprehensive income/ (loss)					
<i>Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss</i>					
Net change in fair value of debt investments at FVOCI		47,478	(23,887)	83,243	(42,949)
Cash flow hedge reserve		31,984	-	34,451	-
Revaluation loss on property and equipment		(349)	-	-	-
Other comprehensive income / (loss) for the period		79,113	(23,887)	117,694	(42,949)
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to shareholders		230,570	119,138	208,062	3,038
Basic and diluted earnings per share for net profit attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Bank	28	1.51	1.43	0.90	0.46

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Condensed interim statement of changes in equity
For the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (Unaudited)

	Share capital AED'000	Statutory reserve AED'000	Special reserve AED'000	Cash flow hedge reserve AED'000	General reserve AED'000	Revaluation reserve AED'000	Fair value reserve AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Total equity AED'000
Balance at 1 January 2023	1,500,000	669,172	664,582	-	380,000	128,972	(112,136)	531,565	3,762,155
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	143,025	143,025
Other comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	(23,887)	-	(23,887)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	(23,887)	143,025	119,138
Issue of bonus shares (Note 16)	500,000	-	-	-	(380,000)	-	-	(120,000)	-
Dividends paid to equity holders (Note 16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(60,000)	(60,000)
Zakat paid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(442)	(442)
Balance at 30 September 2023	2,000,000	669,172	664,582	-	-	128,972	(136,023)	494,148	3,820,851
Balance at 1 January 2024	2,000,000	688,113	683,523	-	-	138,522	(66,029)	499,224	3,943,353
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	151,457	151,457
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	31,984	-	(349)	47,478	-	79,113
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	31,984	-	(349)	47,478	151,457	230,570
Issue of bonus shares (Note 16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dividends paid to equity holders (Note 16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zakat paid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance at 30 September 2024	2,000,000	688,113	683,523	31,984	-	138,173	(18,551)	650,681	4,173,923

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Condensed interim statement of cash flows

For the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (Unaudited)

	Note	For the nine-month period ended 30 September (Unaudited)	
		2024 AED'000	2023 AED'000
Operating activities			
Profit for the period before taxation		166,399	143,025
<i>Adjustments for:</i>			
Depreciation	24	27,505	25,508
Net impairment charge on financial assets	25	297,604	261,367
Amortisation of premium on bonds		12,164	19,110
Change in fair value of investments at FVTPL		(32,565)	7,438
Gain on sale of investments at FVOCI		-	(551)
Gain on sale of investment properties		(3,339)	(2,126)
Gain on sale of property and equipment		(5,177)	-
Lease interest		404	675
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		4,186	6,878
Operating cash flows before payment of employees' end of service benefits and changes in operating assets and liabilities			
		467,181	461,324
Payment of employees' end of service benefits		(4,675)	(11,878)
<i>Changes in operating assets and liabilities</i>			
Loans and advances	9	204,447	602,912
Other assets	11	(50,103)	(40,179)
Acceptances – Assets		291,377	(301,467)
Acceptances – Liabilities		(291,377)	301,467
Customers' deposits	13	892,922	(6,007)
Due from banks		-	202,015
Due to banks	14	(273,221)	141,957
Other liabilities	15	119,929	68,201
Cash reserve with Central Bank of the UAE	7	(136,407)	(316,072)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		1,220,073	1,102,273
Investing activities			
Purchases of intangible assets	12.1	(7,685)	(13,780)
Purchases of property and equipment	12.2	(6,774)	(7,997)
Proceeds from sale of investment properties	10	43,120	123,789
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment		25,586	-
Proceeds from sale/redemption of investments at FVOCI		1,743,589	158,023
Proceeds from redemption of investments at amortised cost		2,262	224,495
Proceeds from sale of investments at FVTPL		173,325	17,577
Purchases of investments at FVOCI		(3,351,782)	(1,161,796)
Purchases of investments at amortised cost		(215,679)	-
Purchases of investments at FVTPL		(422,395)	(340,509)
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(2,016,433)	(1,000,198)
Financing activities			
Payment of lease liabilities		(5,764)	(5,210)
Payment of cash dividends		-	(60,000)
Payment of Zakat		-	(442)
Net cash outflow from financing activities		(5,764)	(65,652)
Net (decrease) / increase in cash and cash equivalents		(802,124)	36,423
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	17	2,930,077	2,710,516
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 September	17	2,127,953	2,746,939

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1 Legal status and principal activities

Arab Bank for Investment and Foreign Trade PJSC (the “Bank”) was incorporated in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Union Decree No. 50 of 1976. It is registered as a Public Joint Stock Company in accordance with Federal Decree Law No. 32 of 2021 (“Companies Law”) which was issued and came into effect on 2 January 2022 and repealed the UAE Federal Law No. 2 of 2015. The address of the Bank’s registered office is P.O. Box 46733 Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates.

The Bank is engaged in commercial and retail banking activities and carries out its operations solely in the United Arab Emirates through its five branches (31 December 2023: five branches).

The Bank’s Islamic banking activities are conducted in accordance with Islamic Sharia’a laws issued by the Sharia’a Supervisory Board of the Bank.

The financial statements of the Bank as at and for the period ended 30 September 2024 and for the year ended 31 December 2023 are available upon request from the Bank’s registered address at P. O. Box 46733, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates.

2 Material accounting policy information

2.1 Basis of preparation

The condensed interim financial information has been prepared on a going concern basis and in accordance with IAS 34 “Interim Financial Reporting” and the requirements of the applicable laws in the UAE. They do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements as required under IFRS Accounting Standards. This condensed interim financial information should be read in conjunction with the financial statements of the Bank as at and for the year ended 31 December 2023 which were prepared in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards. The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and the corresponding interim reporting period.

This condensed interim financial information is presented in United Arab Emirates Dirhams (“AED”) which is the functional currency of the Bank, rounded to the nearest thousand.

The results for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2024.

Changes in accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of this condensed interim financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Bank’s annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, except for the adoption of the new applicable standards and amendments to the published standards effective as of 1 January 2024.

New and revised IFRS Accounting Standards adopted in the condensed interim financial information

The following amendments to existing standards and framework have been applied by the Bank in preparation of this condensed consolidated interim financial information. The adoption of the below did not result in changes to previously reported net profit or equity of the Bank.

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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (unaudited) (continued)

2 Material accounting policy information (continued)

2.1 Basis of preparation (continued)

Amendments Effective from 1 January 2024

- Amendments to IFRS 16 – Lease liability in a sale and leaseback
- Amendment to IAS 1 – Non-current liabilities with covenants
- Amendment to IAS 7 and IFRS 7 – Supplier finance arrangements
- New IFRS sustainability disclosure standards
 - (a) IFRS S1, ‘General requirements for disclosure of sustainability-related financial information
 - (b) IFRS S2, ‘Climate-related disclosures’.

Standards, amendments and interpretations issued but not yet effective and not early adopted

A number of new standards and amendments to standards are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2024 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Bank has not early adopted them in preparing this condensed interim financial information. The Bank is constantly assessing the impact of these standards, interpretations and amendments on the future financial statements and intends to adopt these, if applicable, when they become effective.

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| • Amendments to IAS 21 – Lack of Exchangeability | 1 January 2025 |
| • Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 | 1 January 2026 |
| • IFRS 18 | 1 January 2027 |
| • IFRS 19 | 1 January 2027 |

3 Judgments and estimates

The preparation of this condensed interim financial information requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, equity, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this condensed interim financial information, the significant judgments made by management in applying the Bank’s accounting policies and the key sources of estimate uncertainty were the same as those described in the audited financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2023.

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4 Financial risk management

The Bank's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the annual financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2023.

Exposure to credit risk

The Bank measures its exposure to credit risk by reference to the gross carrying amount of financial assets less amounts offset, interest suspended and impairment losses, if any. The carrying amounts of financial assets represent the maximum credit exposure.

Credit quality analysis

The following table sets out information about the credit quality of financial assets as at 30 September 2024 and 31 December 2023. Unless specifically indicated, for financial assets, the amounts in the table represent gross carrying amounts. For loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts, the amounts in the table represent the amounts committed or guaranteed, respectively.

	30 September 2024 (Unaudited) (AED'000)				31 December 2023 (Audited) (AED'000)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Due from banks								
Low-fair risk	1,049,981	-	-	1,049,981	1,319,675	-	-	1,319,675
Total gross carrying amount	1,049,981	-	-	1,049,981	1,319,675	-	-	1,319,675
Loss allowance	(1,776)	-	-	(1,776)	(1,877)	-	-	(1,877)
Carrying amount	1,048,205	-	-	1,048,205	1,317,798	-	-	1,317,798



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4 Financial risk management (continued)

Credit quality analysis (continued)

	30 September 2024 (Unaudited) (AED'000)				31 December 2023 (Audited) (AED'000)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Loans and advances to customers								
Low-fair risk	7,347,228	67,281	-	7,414,509	6,941,924	111,903	-	7,053,827
Marginal risk	2,398,529	944,190	-	3,342,719	3,471,491	965,936	-	4,437,427
Higher risk	10,890	1,123,598	-	1,134,488	37,808	861,596	-	899,404
Grade 8: Substandard	-	-	314,456	314,456	-	-	267,678	267,678
Grade 9: Doubtful	-	-	657,434	657,434	-	-	415,569	415,569
Grade 10: Loss	-	-	2,128,049	2,128,049	-	-	2,988,566	2,988,566
Total gross carrying amount	9,756,647	2,135,069	3,099,939	14,991,655	10,451,223	1,939,435	3,671,813	16,062,471
Loss allowance	(113,431)	(465,617)	(1,477,972)	(2,057,020)	(158,955)	(362,869)	(1,992,956)	(2,514,780)
Interest in suspense	-	-	(531,798)	(531,798)	-	-	(615,257)	(615,257)
Deferred profit	(21,699)	-	-	(21,699)	(31,846)	-	-	(31,846)
Carrying amount	9,621,517	1,669,452	1,090,169	12,381,138	10,260,422	1,576,566	1,063,600	12,900,588
	30 September 2024 (Unaudited) (AED'000)				31 December 2023 (Audited) (AED'000)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Debt Securities – FVOCI								
Low-fair risk	4,740,229	-	-	4,740,229	3,091,079	-	-	3,091,079
Total gross carrying amount	4,740,229	-	-	4,740,229	3,091,079	-	-	3,091,079
Loss allowance	(14,885)	-	-	(14,885)	(20,477)	-	-	(20,477)
Carrying amount	4,725,344	-	-	4,725,344	3,070,602	-	-	3,070,602

The allowance for impairment on debt instruments designated at FVOCI is included in revaluation reserve of investments carried at FVOCI and recognised in other comprehensive income.

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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (unaudited)
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4 Financial risk management (continued)

Credit quality analysis (continued)

	30 September 2024 (Unaudited) (AED'000)				31 December 2023 (Audited) (AED'000)			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Debt Securities – Amortised cost								
Low-fair risk	613,030	-	-	613,030	405,414	-	-	405,414
Total gross carrying amount	613,030	-	-	613,030	405,414	-	-	405,414
Loss allowance	(235)	-	-	(235)	(38)	-	-	(38)
Carrying amount	612,795	-	-	612,795	405,376	-	-	405,376



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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (unaudited) (continued)

4 Financial risk management (continued)

Capital management

The Bank's regulatory capital positions on 30 September 2024 and 31 December 2023 were as follows:

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Tier 1 capital		
Share capital	2,000,000	2,000,000
Statutory reserve	688,113	688,113
Special reserve	683,523	683,523
Fair value reserve	(18,551)	(66,029)
Retained earnings	650,681	499,224
IFRS transitional arrangement: partial addback of ECL	34,616	59,353
Other deductions	(49,407)	(52,724)
Eligible Tier 1 capital (a)	<u>3,988,975</u>	<u>3,811,460</u>
Tier 2 capital		
Eligible general provisions	222,153	213,399
Eligible Tier 2 capital (b)	222,153	213,399
Total capital base (a+b)	<u>4,211,128</u>	<u>4,024,859</u>
<i>Risk weighted assets:</i>		
Credit risk	17,772,201	17,071,887
Market risk	29,871	31,743
Operational risk	1,500,101	1,500,101
Total risk weighted assets	<u>19,302,173</u>	<u>18,603,731</u>
CET 1 ratio	20.7%	20.5%
Tier 1 ratio	20.7%	20.5%
Capital adequacy ratio	<u>21.8%</u>	<u>21.6%</u>



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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (Unaudited) (continued)

4 Financial risk management (continued)

Forward Looking Information

The Bank incorporates forward-looking information into both the assessment of whether the credit risk of an instrument has increased significantly since its initial recognition and the measurement of ECL. The Bank formulates three economic scenarios: a base case, which is the median scenario assigned a 40% probability of occurring (31 December 2023: 40%), and two less likely scenarios, one upside and one downside, each assigned a 30% probability of occurring (31 December 2023: 30%). The same information is used by the Bank for other purposes such as strategic planning and budgeting. External information considered includes economic data and forecasts published by governmental bodies and monetary authorities, and the International Monetary Fund, and selected private-sector and academic forecasters. Periodically, the Bank carries out stress testing of more extreme shocks to calibrate its determination of the upside and downside representative scenarios. The Bank has applied the following macro economic variables for the corporate portfolio in conditional IFRS 9 analysis with forecast scenarios: equity (ADX Equity Index) and oil price. Had the weightage to the adverse scenario been increased by another 10% with a corresponding decrease of 10% in upside scenario, the impairment loss allowance would increase by AED 10.1 million at 30 September 2024.

5 Segmental analysis

The Bank operates in one geographical area, the United Arab Emirates, and its results arise largely from commercial and retail banking activities.

6 Valuation of financial instruments and other assets

Fair value hierarchy

Recurring and non-recurring fair value measurements

The Bank measures fair value using the following fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements:

- Level 1: Quoted market price (unadjusted) in an active market for an identical instrument. Such instruments are valued by reference to unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets where the quoted price is readily available, and the price represents actual and regularly occurring market transactions.
- Level 2: Valuation techniques based on observable inputs, either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices). This category includes instruments valued using: quoted market prices in active markets for similar instruments; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are considered less than active; or other valuation techniques where all significant inputs are directly or indirectly observable from market data.

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Notes to the condensed interim financial information for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (unaudited) (continued)

6 Valuation of financial instruments and other assets (continued)

Fair value hierarchy (continued)

Recurring and non-recurring fair value measurements (continued)

- Level 3: Valuation techniques using significant unobservable inputs. This category includes all instruments where the valuation technique includes inputs not based on observable data and the unobservable inputs have a significant impact on the instrument's valuation. This category includes instruments that are valued based on quoted prices for similar instruments where significant unobservable adjustments or assumptions are required to reflect differences between the instruments.

All financial assets and liabilities are measured at amortised cost except for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and investments at FVOCI and other non-financial assets which are measured at fair value by reference to published price quotations in an active market or from prices quoted by counterparties or through use of valuation techniques.

Fair values of assets and liabilities that are traded in active markets are based on quoted market prices or dealer priced quotations. For all other assets and liabilities the Bank determines fair values using valuation techniques.

Valuation techniques include net present value and discounted cash flow models. Assumptions and inputs used in valuation techniques include risk-free and benchmark interest rates, credit spreads and other inputs used in estimating discount rates. The objective of valuation techniques is to arrive at a fair value determination that reflects the price of the financial instrument and other assets at the reporting date that would have been determined by market participants acting at arm's length.

Observable prices and model inputs are usually available in the market for listed equity securities. Availability of observable market prices and model inputs reduces the need for management judgement and estimation and also reduces the uncertainty associated with determination of fair values. Availability of observable market prices and inputs varies depending on the products and markets and is prone to changes based on specific events and general conditions in the financial markets.

The table below analyses recurring and non-recurring fair value measurement of assets at the end of the reporting period, by the level in the fair value hierarchy into which the fair value measurement is categorised:

	Level 1 AED'000	Level 2 AED'000	Level 3 AED'000	Total AED'000
At 30 September 2024 (Unaudited)				
Investments at FVOCI	4,725,344	-	4,812	4,730,156
Investments at FVTPL	-	637,273	-	637,273
Fair value of derivatives	-	31,984	-	31,984
Investment properties (Note 10)	-	-	120,061	120,061
Property and equipment (Note 12.2)	-	-	171,130	171,130
Asset held for sale	-	-	12,042	12,042
	<u>4,725,344</u>	<u>669,257</u>	<u>308,045</u>	<u>5,702,646</u>

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6 Valuation of financial instruments and other assets (continued)

Fair value hierarchy (continued)

Recurring and non-recurring fair value measurements (continued)

The table below analyses recurring and non-recurring fair value measurement of assets at the end of the reporting period, by the level in the fair value hierarchy into which the fair value measurement is categorised:

	Level 1 AED'000	Level 2 AED'000	Level 3 AED'000	Total AED'000
At 31 December 2023				
(Audited)				
Investments at FVOCI	3,070,602	-	4,675	3,075,277
Investment at FVTPL	-	355,638	-	355,638
Investment properties (Note 10)	-	-	167,839	167,839
Property and equipment (Note 12.2)	-	-	192,002	192,002
Asset held for sale	-	-	12,042	12,042
	<u>3,070,602</u>	<u>355,638</u>	<u>376,558</u>	<u>3,802,798</u>

There have been no transfers of assets between Level 1 and Level 2 or any transfers into or out of Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (Year ended 31 December 2023: Nil).

Although the Bank believes that its estimates of fair values are appropriate, the use of different methodologies or assumptions could lead to different measurements of fair values.

7 Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Cash in hand	104,818	115,224
Balances with the Central Bank of the UAE	973,154	1,495,178
Cash reserve with Central Bank of the UAE	<u>1,058,012</u>	<u>921,605</u>
Gross balance	<u>2,135,984</u>	<u>2,532,007</u>
Allowance for expected credit losses	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>
	<u>2,135,978</u>	<u>2,532,001</u>

Cash reserve deposits are available for the Bank's day-to-day operations under certain specified conditions.

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7 Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE (continued)

The movement in the allowance for expected credit losses during the period is shown below:

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Opening balance	6	1
Impairment charge for the period/year, net (Note 25)	-	5
	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>

8 Due from banks

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Current, call and nostro balances	246,087	212,234
Fixed deposits	803,894	1,107,441
Gross balance	<u>1,049,981</u>	<u>1,319,675</u>
Allowance for expected credit losses	(1,776)	(1,877)
Net balance	<u>1,048,205</u>	<u>1,317,798</u>

The movement in the allowance for impairment during the period is shown below:

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Opening balance	1,877	1,405
Impairment (release)/ charge for the period/year, net (Note 25)	(101)	472
	<u>1,776</u>	<u>1,877</u>



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9 Loans and advances

Loans and advances are stated net of provision for expected credit losses.

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Loans and advances	13,419,060	14,114,418
Islamic financing	1,572,595	1,948,053
Gross loans and Islamic financing	14,991,655	16,062,471
Deferred profit	(21,699)	(31,846)
Interest suspended	(531,798)	(615,257)
Allowance for expected credit losses	(2,057,020)	(2,514,780)
Net loans and advances	12,381,138	12,900,588

An analysis of gross loans and advances by segment at the reporting date is shown below:

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Corporate segment	14,334,005	15,347,295
Consumer segment	657,650	715,176
Gross loans and Islamic financing	14,991,655	16,062,471

The movements in the allowance for expected credit losses on loans and advances during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 were as follows:

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Opening balance	2,514,780	2,703,840
Net charge during the period / year	324,329	360,564
Net amounts written off	(782,089)	(549,624)
	2,057,020	2,514,780

10 Investment properties

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Freehold land and building	177,864	257,030
<i>Less: Allowance for impairment</i>	<i>(57,803)</i>	<i>(89,191)</i>
	120,061	167,839

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10 Investment properties (continued)

Towards the end of 2023, the Bank carried out an evaluation exercise of the investment properties through qualified, independent external valuers, the valuation methodologies used by the external valuers include:

- Direct Comparable method: This method seeks to determine the value of the property from transactions and asking prices of comparable properties within the same and comparable communities applying adjustments to reflect differences to the subject property.
- Investment method (Income Capitalisation & DCF): The income capitalization method has been used to assess the value of the property by capitalising the net operating income of the property at an appropriate yield after allowing for appropriate maintenance and vacancies. A net yield range of 6 % to 8.5 % (31 December 2023: 6% to 8.5%) has been applied which reflects what an investor would expect for an investment of the duration of the interest being valued for the respective properties.

A further independent valuation has not been performed as of 30 September 2024 and management believes that the fair value on the reporting date is not materially different from carrying value.

The Bank has disposed investment properties of AED 43.1 million during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 (30 September 2023: AED 123.8 million).

11 Other assets

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Interest receivable	253,641	214,670
Sundry debtors and other assets	24,216	13,083
	<u>277,857</u>	<u>227,753</u>

12.1 Intangible assets

During the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024, the Bank acquired intangibles assets with a cost of AED 7,685 thousand (30 September 2023: AED 13,780 thousand). The amortisation charged during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 is AED 11,002 thousand (30 September 2023: AED 10,121 thousand).

12.2 Property and equipment

During the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024, the Bank acquired assets with a cost of AED 6,774 thousand (30 September 2023: AED 7,997 thousand). The depreciation charged during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024 is AED 8,506 thousand (30 September 2023: AED 7,390 thousand).

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13 Customers' deposits

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
<i>By type:</i>		
Time deposits	7,508,111	4,927,417
Call accounts	893,384	848,295
Current accounts	5,320,885	4,533,598
Savings accounts	651,084	1,733,631
	<u>14,373,464</u>	<u>12,042,941</u>
<i>Islamic deposits</i>		
<i>By type:</i>		
Current accounts	464,341	615,972
Mudaraba term and savings deposits	7,834	12,984
Wakala deposits	797,302	2,078,122
	<u>1,269,477</u>	<u>2,707,078</u>
Total deposits	<u>15,642,941</u>	<u>14,750,019</u>
<i>By sector:</i>		
Private sector	8,766,495	8,334,470
Government sector	5,357,463	4,777,412
Individuals	1,518,983	1,638,137
	<u>15,642,941</u>	<u>14,750,019</u>

14 Due to banks

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Current, call and vostro balances	168,395	219,415
Fixed deposits	1,600,931	1,823,132
	<u>1,769,326</u>	<u>2,042,547</u>
<i>By location:</i>		
Within the UAE	492,126	842,441
Outside the UAE	1,277,200	1,200,106
	<u>1,769,326</u>	<u>2,042,547</u>

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15 Other liabilities

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Allowance for ECL on contingent assets	262,076	274,001
Interest payable	127,711	84,254
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	18,179	18,668
Others	261,813	175,757
	<u>669,779</u>	<u>552,680</u>

16 Capital and reserves

a) Share capital

The authorised, issued and paid-up share capital as at 30 September 2024 is comprised of 100,000 ordinary shares of AED 20,000 each (31 December 2023: 100,000 ordinary shares of AED 20,000 each).

b) Statutory reserve

As required by Article 241 of the UAE Federal Decree Law No (32) of 2021 on Commercial Companies, and the Bank's Articles of Association, 10% of the net profit for each year is transferred to a statutory reserve until this reserve equals 50% of the share capital. The statutory reserve is not available for distribution. Transfers to the statutory reserve are made at year-end, if at all.

c) Special reserve

In accordance with UAE Federal Law No. (14) of 2018 Regarding the Central Bank & Organisation of Financial Institutions and Activities, 10% of the net profit for each year is transferred to a special reserve until this reserve equals 50% of the share capital. Transfers to the special reserve are made at year-end, if at all.

d) General reserve

The general reserve has been established to enhance the equity base of the Bank. Transfers to the general reserve are made upon the recommendation of the Board of Directors. This reserve may only be used for the purposes recommended by the Board of Directors and approved by the Shareholders.

e) Revaluation reserve

The revaluation reserve includes cumulative gains on revaluation of freehold land and buildings, amounting to AED 138.2 million (31 December 2023: AED 138.5 million).

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16 Capital and reserves (continued)

f) Fair value reserve

The fair value reserve includes the cumulative net change in the FVOCI investments, until the investments are derecognised or impaired.

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Fair value reserve – Investments designated at FVOCI		
At 1 January	(66,029)	(112,136)
Fair value changes – net	47,478	46,107
	<u>(18,551)</u>	<u>(66,029)</u>

g) Dividends

For the year ended 31 December 2023, the Board of Directors has proposed to pay a cash dividend of Nil per ordinary share (31 December 2022: AED 800 per ordinary share). This has been approved by the shareholders in the Annual General Meeting held on 18 April 2024.

h) Cash flow hedge reserve

During the year, the Bank strategically entered into two interest rate swap agreements with local banks. Each contract was designed to hedge the interest rate variability on an open portfolio of performing loans.

There were no reclassifications from the cash flow hedge reserve to profit or loss during the period.

17 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents included in this condensed interim statement of cash flows comprise of the following balances maturing within nine months of the date of the acquisition / placement.

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Cash and balances with the Central Bank of the UAE	2,135,984	2,279,073
Due from banks	1,049,981	1,222,189
	<u>3,185,965</u>	<u>3,501,262</u>
<i>Less:</i> cash reserve with Central Bank of the UAE	(1,058,012)	(754,323)
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>2,127,953</u>	<u>2,746,939</u>

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18 Interest income

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000
Loans and advances to customers	599,255	605,444	215,778	210,871
Investment securities	167,120	91,326	58,742	35,442
Due from banks	88,495	100,920	31,151	34,216
	854,870	797,690	305,671	280,529

19 Interest expense

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000
Customers' deposits	274,220	240,327	91,925	79,424
Due to banks	70,429	73,788	21,799	29,751
	344,649	314,115	113,724	109,175

20 Income from Islamic financing contracts

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000
Ijarah	59,980	50,831	23,553	11,907
Murabaha	30,420	25,120	8,620	9,014
	90,400	75,951	32,173	20,921

21 Depositors' share of profits

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000
Wakala	52,028	44,726	11,184	17,202
Mudaraba	97	147	24	119
	52,125	44,873	11,208	17,321

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22 Net fee and commission income

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Fee and commission income				
Letters of credit	35,130	43,269	14,079	16,996
Letters of guarantee	15,729	13,531	6,128	4,686
Retail and corporate lending fees	10,645	14,790	5,944	5,084
Transfers and other fees	9,132	10,661	3,656	3,815
Others	17,570	19,691	5,115	6,359
Total fee and commission income	88,206	101,942	34,922	36,940
Fee and commission expense				
Brokerage commission	(795)	(4,243)	(270)	(1,401)
Handling charges	(1,226)	(1,368)	(498)	(753)
Other commission	(9,671)	(8,539)	(3,157)	(3,523)
Total fee and commission expense	(11,692)	(14,150)	(3,925)	(5,677)
Net fee and commission income	76,514	87,792	30,997	31,263

23 Other operating income

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Rental income, net	7,991	9,446	2,305	2,569
Others	8,516	2,148	3,339	202
	16,507	11,594	5,644	2,771

24 General, administrative and other operating expenses

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Staff costs	150,889	155,092	51,255	53,329
Depreciation	27,505	25,508	9,234	9,065
Board of Directors' expenses	12,766	12,464	4,311	4,073
Others	49,763	43,270	19,811	12,949
	240,923	236,334	84,611	79,416

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25 Net impairment charge on financial assets

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Net impairment charge on loans and advances	324,329	212,502	116,628	75,836
Net impairment charge on unfunded exposures	(11,925)	40,452	(3,726)	5,417
Net impairment charge on due from banks	(101)	297	377	361
Net impairment charge on balances with the Central Bank of UAE	-	10	-	7
Net impairment charge on investment securities	(5,373)	1,797	(3,565)	1,413
Write-off of impaired financial assets	7,816	8,731	5,828	4,493
Recovery of loans previously written - off	(17,142)	(2,422)	(16,332)	(557)
	<u>297,604</u>	<u>261,367</u>	<u>99,210</u>	<u>86,970</u>

26 Commitments and contingent liabilities

The Bank, in the ordinary course of business, enters into various types of transactions that involve undertaking certain commitments such as letters of credit, guarantees and capital commitments.

	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Letters of credit	1,504,447	1,610,164
Letters of guarantee	<u>2,837,231</u>	<u>2,990,986</u>
	4,341,678	4,601,150
Un-drawn commitments to extend credit	5,890,094	5,105,853
Commitment for future capital expenditure	<u>12,373</u>	<u>13,726</u>
	5,902,467	5,119,579
Total commitments and contingencies	<u>10,244,145</u>	<u>9,720,729</u>

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27 Related party

Identity of related parties

The parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial and operational decisions.

The Bank's shareholding pattern is as follows:

	Shareholding percentage %	
	2024	2023
Emirates Investment Authority	42.28	42.28
Libyan Foreign Bank	42.28	42.28
Banque Exteriure d'Algerie	15.44	15.44

In the normal course of business, the Bank enters into various transactions with its related parties. Banking transactions are entered into with related parties on terms and conditions approved by either the Bank's management or the Board of Directors. The volume of related party transactions, outstanding balances and related expenses and income for the period were as follows:

Balances:	Key management personnel		Others	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Audited) 31 December 2023 AED'000
Loans and advances	2,089	5,884	1,357,225	385,759
Due from banks	-	-	18,006	19,241
Deposits	26,131	25,204	4,364,873	4,500,437
Due to Banks	-	-	857,418	915,762
Commitments and contingencies	-	-	591,690	1,005,194

Transactions:	Key management personnel		Others	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2023 AED'000
Board of Directors' remuneration	12,766	12,464	-	-
Salaries and benefits	10,037	7,798	-	-
Post-employment benefits	857	1,020	-	-
Interest income	211	224	71,499	14,915
Interest expense	436	67	143,087	128,416
Dividends paid	-	-	-	60,000
Fee and commission	1,179	-	5,859	4,620

Included within others above are balances and transactions with the Bank's shareholders and parties related to them.

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27 Related party transactions (continued)

Loans and advances issued to related parties bear interest rates ranging between 4% and 17% (30 September 2023: 4% and 11%). There were no loans and advances to related parties that were classified as stage 3 as of 30 September 2024 (31 December 2023: Nil).

Due to banks from other related parties include term deposits under lien amounting to AED 845 million (31 December 2023: AED 845 million).

The Bank has received a corporate guarantee from a related party as a collateral for loans and advances amounting to AED 1,084 million (31 December 2023: AED 1,039 million).

28 Basic and diluted earnings per share

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September		For the three-month period ended 30 September	
	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	(Unaudited) 2023 AED'000
Profit for the period	151,457	143,025	90,368	45,987
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
Earnings per share (AED)	1.51	1.43	0.90	0.46

There were no potentially dilutive securities as at 30 September 2024 or 30 September 2023, and accordingly, diluted earnings per share are the same as basic earnings per share.

29 Fiduciary activities

The Bank holds assets in a fiduciary capacity for its customers without recourse. At 30 September 2024, the market value of such assets amounted to AED 305.6 million (31 December 2023: AED 312.3 million) and are excluded from this condensed interim financial information of the Bank.

30 Implementation of corporate tax law & application of IAS 12 income taxes

On 9 December 2022, UAE Federal Decree Law No. 47 of 2022 was published setting in place a general corporate income tax for the first time. The taxable income threshold, of up to AED 375,000 will be taxed at 0% and beyond AED 375,000 will be taxed at 9%, will apply as clarified via Cabinet Decision No. 116 of 2022 published on 16 January 2023; and at this point the tax law was considered enacted and substantively enacted for accounting purposes. The UAE Tax Law has confirmed the application of the Corporate Tax ('CT') to tax periods commencing on or after 1 June 2023. Therefore, the Bank's effective date of applying the CT regime is the current financial year commencing from 1 January 2024. The Bank's registration was concluded and the certificate of registration was issued by the Federal Tax Authority (FTA) in September 2024. Current taxes are now payable for the year starting 1 January 2024 potentially leading to a corresponding impact on deferred tax liabilities and assets; where the carrying amount differs from the tax base.

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30 Implementation of corporate tax law & application of IAS 12 income taxes (continued)

Based on the review and assessment, the current tax impact has been calculated considering the potential adjustments which has resulted in an effective tax rate of 9%.

The following table provides an analysis of the Bank's tax expense related to current tax:

	For the nine-month period ended 30 September (Unaudited) 2024 AED'000	For the three-month period ended 30 September (Unaudited) 2024 AED'000
Profit for the period	<u>166,399</u>	<u>99,305</u>
Tax expense	<u>14,942</u>	<u>8,937</u>

31 Subsequent events

There have been no events subsequent to the statement of financial position date that would significantly affect the amounts reported in this condensed interim financial information as at and for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024.

