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**UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED
30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

MUFG BANK (MALAYSIA) BERHAD

(Incorporated in Malaysia)

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UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2025

	Note	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
ASSETS			
Cash and short-term funds	11	4,794,486	6,425,755
Reverse repurchase agreements	12	50,830	-
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	13	588,400	569,089
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL")	14	850,144	292,508
Financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI")	15	1,928,935	1,741,768
Loans, advances and financing	16	8,889,840	7,491,482
Embedded loans measured at fair value through profit or loss	17	12,521,489	13,963,724
Purchased receivables	18	411,276	811,540
Collateral deposits placed	19	307,599	35,809
Derivative financial assets	20	368,310	362,271
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia		16,465	9,017
Other assets		70,477	43,781
Property, plant and equipment		22,390	23,458
Intangible assets		17,984	22,364
Right-of-use assets		12,347	13,525
Current tax assets		7,587	8,428
Deferred tax assets		19,404	19,404
TOTAL ASSETS		30,877,963	31,833,923
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS			
Deposits from customers	21	11,693,052	11,508,897
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	22	1,620,097	3,039,508
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss		10,327	-
Collateral deposits received	19	11,792,108	11,808,046
Derivative financial liabilities	20	338,529	308,190
Other liabilities	23	302,354	208,295
Lease liabilities		11,735	12,466
TOTAL LIABILITIES		25,768,202	26,885,402
SHARE CAPITAL		200,000	200,000
RESERVES		4,909,761	4,748,521
SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS		5,109,761	4,948,521
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS		30,877,963	31,833,923
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES	24	110,184,507	98,161,347

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	Note	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
		2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Operating revenue		210,878	257,101	364,060	463,948
Interest income	25	189,465	211,450	360,302	433,410
Interest expense	26	(98,963)	(115,363)	(175,585)	(230,166)
Net interest income		90,502	96,087	184,717	203,244
Net income/(loss) from embedded loans measured at FVTPL	27	156,590	(8,006)	(197,073)	14,858
Net income from Islamic Banking operations	33	5,413	4,794	9,906	10,144
Other operating (loss)/income	28	(41,627)	164,226	366,510	235,702
Operating income		210,878	257,101	364,060	463,948
Other operating expenses	29	(44,916)	(52,835)	(92,742)	(118,112)
Operating profit before allowance for impairment		165,962	204,266	271,318	345,836
Write back/(Allowance) for impairment on financial instruments	30	6,529	(6,023)	(11,862)	(27,809)
Profit before tax		172,491	198,243	259,456	318,027
Tax expense		(51,725)	(51,725)	(103,450)	(103,450)
Profit after tax for the period		120,766	146,518	156,006	214,577
Other comprehensive (loss)/income, net of tax					
<i>Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss</i>					
Change in fair value reserve:					
- Debt instruments at FVOCI		(6,096)	4,554	2,544	4,554
Change in expected credit loss reserve		-	-	2,690	-
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the period, net of tax		(6,096)	4,554	5,234	4,554
Total comprehensive income for the period		114,670	151,072	161,240	219,131
Profit attributable to:					
Owner of the Bank		120,766	146,518	156,006	214,577
Total comprehensive income attributable to:					
Owner of the Bank		114,670	151,072	161,240	219,131
Basic earnings per share (sen)		60.38	73.26	78.00	107.29

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	Share Capital RM'000	Regulatory Reserve RM'000	Non-distributable Defined Benefit Reserve RM'000	ECL Reserve RM'000	Fair Value Reserve RM'000	Distributable Retained Profits RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 April 2025	200,000	96,383	(211)	1,728	28,139	4,622,482	4,948,521
Change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	2,544	-	2,544
Change in expected credit loss of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	2,690	-	-	2,690
Total other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	2,690	2,544	-	5,234
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	156,006	156,006
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	2,690	2,544	156,006	161,240
Transfer of retained profits to regulatory reserve	-	75,848	-	-	-	(75,848)	-
At 30 September 2025	200,000	172,231	(211)	4,418	30,683	4,702,640	5,109,761
At 1 April 2024	200,000	96,383	(211)	-	25,301	4,208,019	4,529,492
Change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	4,554	-	4,554
Total other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	4,554	-	4,554
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	214,577	214,577
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	4,554	214,577	219,131
At 30 September 2024	200,000	96,383	(211)	-	29,855	4,422,596	4,748,623

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Cash Flows From Operating Activities		
Profit before tax	259,456	318,027
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	2,190	2,799
Amortisation of intangible assets	4,609	12,560
Gain on lease modification	-	(3)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(2)
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	2,017	2,294
Allowance for impairment on financial instruments	11,862	27,809
Defined benefit plan	1,110	1,258
Dividend income	(148)	(148)
Interest income from financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	(44,663)	(27,121)
Net accretion of discount on financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	(834)	(3,088)
Net loss from sale and redemption of financial investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	4,670	23,543
Finance cost on lease liabilities	181	239
Accretion expense on asset retirement obligation	5	5
Net gain from sale of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	3,996	858
Unrealised loss/(gain) on changes in trading securities	2,546	(2,733)
Unrealised loss on changes in fair value of embedded loans measured at fair value through profit or loss	257,839	71,477
Unrealised loss on changes in fair value of derivative financial instruments	77,804	328,318
Unrealised gain on changes in fair value of loans designated at fair value	(2,856)	(1,985)
Operating profit before working capital changes	579,784	754,107
(Increase)/Decrease in operating assets:		
Reverse repurchase agreements	(50,830)	(62,407)
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(553,851)	1,273,452
Loans, advances and financing	(1,406,303)	2,760,133
Embedded loans measured at fair value through profit or loss	1,401,132	1,409,509
Collateral deposits placed	(271,790)	(433,719)
Purchased receivables	400,449	161,252
Derivative financial instruments	(270,240)	(126,851)
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	(7,448)	(36,718)
Other assets	(27,817)	33,222
Increase/(Decrease) in operating liabilities:		
Deposits from customers	184,155	(2,083,797)
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	(1,419,411)	115,487
Collateral deposits received	(15,938)	(6,399,934)
Other liabilities	95,854	(11,928)
Cash used in operations	(1,362,254)	(2,648,192)
Income tax paid	(102,610)	(112,325)
Payment of staff benefits	(1,466)	(255)
Net cash used in operating activities	(1,466,330)	(2,760,772)

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		2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Cash Flows From Investing Activities			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(1,122)	(201)
Purchase of intangible assets		(229)	(1,297)
Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment		-	7
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		221,798	650,098
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(410,256)	(567,270)
Interest received from financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		45,785	34,324
Dividend received		148	148
Net cash used in investing activities		(143,876)	115,809
Cash Flows From Financing Activities			
Payment of lease liabilities		(1,571)	(1,812)
Interest paid in relation to lease liabilities		(181)	(239)
Net cash used in from financing activities		(1,752)	(2,051)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(1,611,958)	(2,647,014)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		6,994,844	7,333,357
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	11	5,382,886	4,686,343
Cash and cash equivalents comprise of:			
Cash and short-term funds	11	4,794,486	4,547,601
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	13	588,400	138,742
		5,382,886	4,686,343

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
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Reconciliation of movements of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities

	At 1 April 2024 RM'000	Net change from financing cash flows RM'000	Other changes RM'000	At 30 September 2024 RM'000
Lease liabilities	14,569	(2,051)	1,165	13,683
	<u>14,569</u>	<u>(2,051)</u>	<u>1,165</u>	<u>13,683</u>

	At 1 April 2025 RM'000	Net change from financing cash flows RM'000	Other changes RM'000	At 30 September 2025 RM'000
Lease liabilities	12,466	(1,752)	1,021	11,735
	<u>12,466</u>	<u>(1,752)</u>	<u>1,021</u>	<u>11,735</u>

**NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT
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1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The unaudited condensed interim financial report for the quarter ended 30 September 2025 have been prepared under the historical cost convention except for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, loans, advances and financing at fair value through profit or loss, embedded loans measured at fair value through profit or loss and derivative financial instruments which are stated at fair value.

The unaudited condensed interim financial report have been prepared in accordance with MFRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standard Board ("MASB") and Bank Negara Malaysia's Guidelines on Financial Reporting. The unaudited interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Bank for the financial year ended 31 March 2025. The explanatory notes attached to the interim financial report provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the financial position and performance of the Bank since the financial year ended 31 March 2025.

Changes in Accounting Policies

As at the date of issuance of the financial statements, amendment of MFRS which are relevant to the operations of the Bank is as follows:

Amendment to:	
MFRS 121	Lack of Exchangeability

The adoption of the above amendment does not have any material effect to the Bank.

Amendments Issued But Not Yet Effective

The Bank has not adopted the following relevant amendments that have been issued but not yet effective:

Accounting standard:	
MFRS 18	Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements [^]
MFRS 19	Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures [^]
Amendments to:	
MFRS 9 and MFRS 7	Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments **
	Contracts Referencing Nature-dependent Electricity **
MFRS 10 and MFRS 128	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate of Joint Venture #

[^] Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027

** Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026

Effective date deferred to a date to be announced by Malaysian Accounting Standards Board

The Bank will adopt the above accounting standard and amendments when they become effective. The adoption of these standards and amendments is not expected to result in any significant financial impact on the financial statements of the Bank.

**NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT
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2. AUDIT REPORT

The audit report on the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2025 was not subject to any qualification.

3. SEASONAL OR CYCLICAL FACTORS

The business operations of the Bank have not been affected by any material seasonal cyclical factors.

4. EXCEPTIONAL OR EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS

There were no exceptional or extraordinary items for the financial period ended 30 September 2025.

5. CHANGES IN ESTIMATES

There were no significant changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that have a material effects on the financial results and position of the Bank for the financial period ended 30 September 2025.

6. CHANGES IN DEBT AND EQUITY SECURITIES

There were no issuance and repayment of debt and equity securities during the financial period ended 30 September 2025.

7. DIVIDEND PAID

No dividend was paid during the financial period ended 30 September 2025.

8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date that require disclosure or adjustments to the unaudited condensed interim financial report.

9. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE

The Bank's profit before taxation for the financial period ended 30 September 2025 was RM259.5 million, decrease of 18.42% or RM58.6 million compared to the corresponding period last year. Operating income decreased by RM99.9 million from RM463.9 million to RM364.1 million whilst operating expenses decreased by RM25.4 million mainly attributed to lower administrative and other expenses.

Total assets decreased from RM31.8 billion as at 31 March 2025 to RM30.9 billion as at 30 September 2025. The Bank's CET 1/Tier 1 capital ratio and total capital ratio remained strong at 28.730% and 29.756% respectively.

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10. PROSPECTS

MUFG Malaysia's ("the Bank") business strategy is deeply aligned with the broader vision of Japan–Malaysia collaboration, focusing on three key pillars of sustainable growth: green transition, digital transformation, and supply chain resilience especially in areas of semiconductor, healthcare and energy infrastructure etc.

Japan and Malaysia have already deepened bilateral collaboration through a Comprehensive Strategic Partnership agreed in 2023, focusing on key sectors that align with shared priorities as above. This enhanced partnership is built on decades of trust, investment and technology exchange, and now evolving to address global challenges such as climate change, energy transition, stable supply chain and economic security.

Additionally, the Bank will continue to support the growth and expansion of Government-linked companies, both domestically and abroad, including large conglomerates. The Bank also seeks to play a pivotal role in providing innovative financial solutions-including Shariah-compliant options -to support complex and capital-intensive projects in priority sectors. The Bank envisages to support Malaysian corporates in deepening joint ventures and capital market linkages with Japanese partners to access funding, technology, expertise and global network.

Leveraging on MUFG's global network and strong Japanese corporate base, the Bank aims to facilitate investment and innovation in green infrastructure and renewable energy, support digitalisation initiatives and enhance cross-border supply chain connectivity across key ASEAN corridors.

Through strategic financing, financial advisory services & solution and ecosystem building, the Bank is committed to playing a catalytic role in advancing bilateral economic ties and supporting Malaysia's transition into a high-tech, sustainable economy.

This includes strengthening our capabilities in both conventional and Islamic finance to ensure financing inclusivity and alignment with diverse market needs.

Going forward, the Bank is poised to become a key enabler of Japan–Malaysia collaboration in driving sustainable economic transformation.

Over the next 3–5 years, the Bank anticipates:

Accelerating green finance growth, as regulatory support and ESG-focused capital drive expansion in renewables, energy-efficiency projects and climate-resilient infrastructure, and expand our balance sheet growth in sustainable manner.

The Bank also aims to further develop its Islamic finance capabilities to meet the growing demand for Shariah-compliant financing, particularly for large-scale green transformation (GX) projects and other capital-intensive initiatives by leveraging on Malaysia's global leadership in Islamic finance.

Strengthening supply chain ecosystems through tailored financing and integration platforms that connect Japanese manufacturers with Malaysia's growing green-tech and digital manufacturing clusters.

Malaysia's economic growth in 2025 is forecasted to expand by between 4.5% and 5.5%. While domestic demand and government initiatives are expected to drive this growth, global uncertainties and market volatilities continue to be a potential risk. The Bank will remain vigilant of the evolving global developments, particularly on implications of trade tariffs on Malaysia's economy and the banks's business.

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11. CASH AND SHORT-TERM FUNDS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>Amortised cost</i>		
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions	742,417	500,685
Money at call and deposit placements maturing within three months	4,052,069	5,925,070
	<u>4,794,486</u>	<u>6,425,755</u>

12. REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>Amortised cost</i>		
Reverse repurchase agreement	50,830	-

13. DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>Amortised cost</i>		
Licensed banks		
• Malaysia	446,155	451,237
• Other countries	142,245	117,852
	<u>588,400</u>	<u>569,089</u>

14. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS ("FVTPL")

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Money market instruments:		
Malaysian Government Securities	202,228	-
Government Investment Issues	647,916	292,508
	<u>850,144</u>	<u>292,508</u>

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15. FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ("FVOCI")

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Money market instruments:		
Malaysian Government Securities	649,322	513,513
Government Investment Issues	373,995	261,751
Japan Government Bonds	-	58,821
Corporate Bond	300,799	300,275
Sukuk	576,377	578,966
	<u>1,900,493</u>	<u>1,713,326</u>
Non-money market instruments:		
Unquoted shares	28,442	28,442
	<u>28,442</u>	<u>28,442</u>
Total	<u>1,928,935</u>	<u>1,741,768</u>

Movements in allowances for impairment which reflect the expected credit loss ("ECL") computed by impairment model and recognised in ECL reserve are as follows:

	12-month ECL Stage 1 RM'000	Life-time ECL Stage 2 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 April	1,728	-	1,728
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(1,728)	1,728	-
New financial assets originated	-	327	327
Allowance made due to changes in credit risk	-	2,529	2,529
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	-	(166)	(166)
At 30 September 2025	<u>-</u>	<u>4,418</u>	<u>4,418</u>
At 1 April	-	-	-
New financial assets originated	1,728	-	1,728
At 31 March 2025	<u>1,728</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,728</u>

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16. LOANS, ADVANCES AND FINANCING

(a) By type:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Term loans		
• Housing loans	6,566	6,823
• Other term loans	5,623,875	4,195,422
Revolving credits	3,070,294	3,038,723
Overdrafts	3,791	2,265
Claims on customers under acceptance credits	-	21,732
Staff loans	7,064	6,773
	<u>8,711,590</u>	<u>7,271,738</u>
Unearned interest	-	-
Gross loans, advances and financing at amortised cost	<u>8,711,590</u>	<u>7,271,738</u>
Impairment allowances on loans, advances and financing		
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	(15,994)	(14,858)
• Stage 2 - lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	(27,513)	(18,920)
• Stage 3 - lifetime ECL credit-impaired	(186)	(175)
Net loans, advances and financing at amortised cost	<u>8,667,897</u>	<u>7,237,785</u>
<i>At fair value</i>		
Other term loans	221,943	253,697
	<u>221,943</u>	<u>253,697</u>
Net loans, advances and financing	<u>8,889,840</u>	<u>7,491,482</u>
Gross loans, advances and financing		
<i>At amortised cost</i>	8,711,590	7,271,738
<i>At fair value</i>	221,943	253,697
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

(b) By maturity structure:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Maturing within one year	3,752,904	3,555,683
More than one year to three years	1,423,694	1,833,409
More than three years to five years	2,108,448	1,066,144
More than five years	1,648,487	1,070,199
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

(c) By type of customer:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Domestic non-bank financial institutions	190,716	258,198
Domestic business enterprises		
• Small medium enterprises	70,006	73,995
• Others	3,418,770	3,075,203
Individuals	13,630	13,596
Foreign entities	5,240,411	4,104,443
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

(d) By interest/profit rate sensitivity:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Variable rates	8,931,489	7,523,049
Fixed rate		
• Staff loans	2,044	2,386
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

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16. LOANS, ADVANCES AND FINANCING (CONTD)

(e) By economic sector:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Agricultural, hunting, forestry and fishing	100,019	-
Mining and quarrying	222,650	303,720
Manufacturing	1,645,681	1,420,999
Electricity, gas and water	221,321	202,699
Construction	168,793	258,772
Wholesale, retail trade, restaurants and hotels	203,059	423,859
Transport, storage and communication	1,072,919	837,654
Finance, insurance, real estate and business services	5,285,461	4,064,136
Households	13,630	13,596
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

(f) By geographical location:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Malaysia	4,746,020	4,773,319
Other countries	4,187,513	2,752,116
	<u>8,933,533</u>	<u>7,525,435</u>

(g) Credit-impaired gross loans by economic sector are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Household	<u>757</u>	<u>720</u>

(h) Credit-impaired gross loans by geographical location are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Malaysia	<u>757</u>	<u>720</u>

(i) Movements in credit-impaired gross loans, advances and financing are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
At 1 April	720	801
Classified as credit-impaired during the year	134	371
Amount recovered	(7)	(224)
Reclassified as performing	(90)	(228)
At 31 March	<u>757</u>	<u>720</u>

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16. LOANS, ADVANCES AND FINANCING (CONTD)

(j) Movements in impairment allowances on loans, advances and financing:

	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL		
	Stage 1	Not credit-	Credit-impaired	Total
	RM'000	impaired	Stage 3	RM'000
	RM'000	Stage 2	RM'000	
		RM'000		
At 1 April 2025	14,858	18,920	175	33,953
Transfer to 12-month ECL (Stage 1)	1,147	(1,147)	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(402)	402	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL credit-impaired (Stage 3)	(1)	(7)	8	-
New financial assets originated	10,589	8,881	-	19,470
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(8,472)	(3,735)	-	(12,207)
Net remeasurement due to changes in credit risk	(1,725)	4,199	3	2,477
At 30 September 2025	15,994	27,513	186	43,693
At 1 April 2024	9,070	15,123	265	24,458
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(82)	82	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL credit-impaired (Stage 3)	(1)	(20)	21	-
New financial assets originated	14,340	18,391	-	32,731
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(8,262)	(15,019)	(1)	(23,282)
Net remeasurement due to changes in credit risk	(207)	363	(110)	46
At 31 March 2025	14,858	18,920	175	33,953

(k) Movements in gross loans, advances and financing:

	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL		
	Stage 1	Not credit-	Credit-impaired	Total
	RM'000	impaired	Stage 3	RM'000
	RM'000	Stage 2	RM'000	
		RM'000		
At 1 April 2025	6,178,007	1,093,011	720	7,271,738
Transfer to 12-month ECL (Stage 1)	48,898	(48,898)	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(293,050)	293,140	(90)	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL credit-impaired (Stage 3)	(38)	(82)	120	-
New financial assets originated	2,568,889	3,506,018	14	6,074,921
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(4,371,213)	(263,849)	(7)	(4,635,069)
At 30 September 2025	4,131,493	4,579,340	757	8,711,590
At 1 April 2024	9,192,560	285,782	801	9,479,143
Transfer to 12-month ECL (Stage 1)	7	(7)	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(115,199)	115,427	(228)	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL credit-impaired (Stage 3)	(87)	(263)	350	-
New financial assets originated	5,427,234	982,631	21	6,409,886
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(8,326,508)	(290,559)	(224)	(8,617,291)
At 31 March 2025	6,178,007	1,093,011	720	7,271,738

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17. EMBEDDED LOANS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS ("FVTPL")

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At fair value</i>		
Embedded loans with term loans nature	8,982,416	9,467,759
Embedded loans with revolving credits nature	3,539,073	4,495,965
	<u>12,521,489</u>	<u>13,963,724</u>

Loans measured at FVTPL included RM12,313,800,000 (2025 March: RM13,583,582,000) of outstanding balance for loans, advances and financing, and net fair value for derivative financial assets and liabilities of RM110,967,000 (2025 March: RM238,681,000).

Included in embedded loans are net fair value from derivative financial assets and derivative financial liabilities transacted with the immediate holding company and related companies amounting to RM9,441,000 (2025 March: RM4,871,000) and RM92,000 (2025 March: RM199,000) respectively.

(a) By maturity structure:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Maturing within one year	5,562,167	6,362,008
More than one year to three years	4,259,149	5,174,514
More than three years to five years	2,684,000	2,427,202
More than five years	16,173	-
	<u>12,521,489</u>	<u>13,963,724</u>

(b) By type of customer:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Domestic non-bank financial institutions	9,365,674	10,532,888
Domestic business enterprises		
• Others	3,507,271	3,225,163
	<u>12,872,945</u>	<u>13,758,051</u>
Domestic financial institutions *	(360,805)	201,002
Foreign entities	9,349	4,671
	<u>12,521,489</u>	<u>13,963,724</u>

* The credit balances are exposure after netting off with the identified cover deals.

(c) By interest rate sensitivity:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Variable rates	12,521,489	13,963,724

(d) By economic sector:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Mining and quarrying	4,375	60,675
Manufacturing	16,612	26,304
Electricity, gas and water	1,604,858	1,521,512
Construction	726,729	701,405
Transport, storage and communication	1,069,477	843,666
Finance, insurance, real estate and business services	9,099,438	10,810,162
	<u>12,521,489</u>	<u>13,963,724</u>

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17. EMBEDDED LOANS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS ("FVTPL") (CONTD)

(e) By geographical location:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Malaysia	12,543,314	13,959,053
Other countries *	(21,825)	4,671
	<u>12,521,489</u>	<u>13,963,724</u>

* The credit balances are exposure after netting off with the identified cover deals.

(f) By notional amount of derivative financial assets and liabilities:

	2025 September			2025 March		
	Contract/ Notional Amount RM'000	Fair Value Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000	Contract/ Notional Amount RM'000	Fair Value Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000
<i>At fair value</i>						
Embedded loans with term loans nature:						
Foreign currency swaps	7,841,235	438,575	41,566	7,884,571	203,429	201,122
Interest rate swaps	<u>1,313,897</u>	<u>12,229</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>1,168,189</u>	<u>7,949</u>	<u>597</u>
	9,155,132	450,804	41,595	9,052,760	211,378	201,719
Embedded loans with revolving credits nature:						
Foreign currency swaps	<u>3,520,833</u>	<u>53,958</u>	<u>744</u>	<u>4,471,250</u>	<u>69,944</u>	<u>46,594</u>
Cover deals:						
Foreign currency forwards	4,592,599	3,667	124,930	4,987,950	89,286	10,598
Foreign currency swaps	7,293,432	65,337	276,908	7,240,596	234,494	126,777
Interest rate swaps	<u>12,723,500</u>	<u>21,092</u>	<u>39,714</u>	<u>12,049,745</u>	<u>35,910</u>	<u>16,643</u>
	24,609,531	90,096	441,552	24,278,291	359,690	154,018
	<u>37,285,496</u>	<u>594,858</u>	<u>483,891</u>	<u>37,802,301</u>	<u>641,012</u>	<u>402,331</u>
Set off		(483,891)	(483,891)		(402,331)	(402,331)
Net assets		<u>110,967</u>	<u>-</u>		<u>238,681</u>	<u>-</u>

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18. PURCHASED RECEIVABLES

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Purchased receivables	411,438	811,887
Impairment allowances on purchased receivables		
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	(162)	(347)
	<u>411,276</u>	<u>811,540</u>

Purchased receivables relate to receivables acquired by the Bank under the account receivables purchasing and vendors financing product. Included in purchased receivables are non-recourse bills receivables amounting to RM378,991,000 (2025 March: RM690,597,000).

(a) **Movements in impairment allowances on purchased receivables which reflect the ECL model on impairment during the financial year are as follows:**

	12-month ECL Stage 1 RM'000	Not credit- impaired Stage 2 RM'000	Lifetime ECL Credit-impaired Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 April 2025	347	-	-	347
New financial assets originated	73	-	-	73
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(220)	-	-	(220)
Net remeasurement due to changes in credit risk	(38)	-	-	(38)
At 30 September 2025	<u>162</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>162</u>
At 1 April 2024	323	-	-	323
New financial assets originated	347	-	-	347
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(323)	-	-	(323)
At 31 March 2025	<u>347</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>347</u>

19. COLLATERAL DEPOSITS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Cash collaterals placed	<u>307,599</u>	<u>35,809</u>

The cash collaterals placed are recognised at amortised cost. These deposits are placed in respect of derivative balances pursuant to agreements in accordance with International Swaps and Derivatives Association ("ISDA") and Credit Support Annex ("CSA") entered into with respective counterparties and related companies.

<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Cash collaterals received	<u>11,792,108</u>	<u>11,808,046</u>

The cash collaterals received are recognised at amortised cost. These are received in respect of derivative balances pursuant to agreements in accordance with ISDA and CSA entered into with respective counterparties and related companies, and Cash Collateral Scheme entered into with a branch of the holding company amounting to RM11,722,112,000 (2025 March: RM11,456,483,000). The remaining balances are placed with licensed banks.

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20. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL ASSETS / LIABILITIES

The table below shows the Bank's derivative financial instruments measured at their fair value together with their corresponding contract/notional amounts as at the reporting date. The notional amounts of these derivative financial instruments refer to the underlying contract values on which changes in the fair value of the derivatives are measured. The notional amounts indicate the volume of transactions outstanding at the end of the financial period but are not indicative of either the market risk or credit risk inherent in the derivative contracts.

	2025 September			2025 March		
	Contract/ Notional Amount RM'000	Fair Value		Contract/ Notional Amount RM'000	Fair Value	
		Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000		Assets RM'000	Liabilities RM'000
<i>At Fair Value</i>						
Trading Derivatives *						
Foreign exchange related contracts						
• Forwards	27,248,029	123,822	165,802	22,593,412	136,699	96,010
• Swaps	4,351,024	173,922	61,529	4,157,778	177,832	98,939
Interest rate related contracts						
• Swaps	20,215,727	69,255	110,430	15,162,815	46,449	112,498
Other derivatives						
• Currency options	358,355	1,311	768	340,696	1,291	743
	<u>52,173,135</u>	<u>368,310</u>	<u>338,529</u>	<u>42,254,701</u>	<u>362,271</u>	<u>308,190</u>

* Included in trading derivatives are derivative financial assets and derivative financial liabilities transacted with the immediate holding company and related companies amounting to RM86,085,000 (2025 March: RM42,335,000) and RM136,137,000 (2025 March: RM154,076,000) respectively.

21. DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Demand deposits	4,887,829	4,766,870
Money market deposits	1,147,499	1,142,114
Savings deposits	10	59
Fixed deposits	<u>5,657,714</u>	<u>5,599,854</u>
	<u>11,693,052</u>	<u>11,508,897</u>

(a) The maturity structure of fixed deposits are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Due within six months	4,824,979	4,208,453
More than six months to one year	<u>832,735</u>	<u>1,391,401</u>
	<u>5,657,714</u>	<u>5,599,854</u>

(b) The deposits are sourced from the following customers:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Domestic non-bank financial institutions	499,477	100,307
Business enterprises	10,959,219	10,966,956
Individuals	1,087	1,278
Foreign entities/individuals	174,805	384,038
Others	<u>58,464</u>	<u>56,318</u>
	<u>11,693,052</u>	<u>11,508,897</u>

22. DEPOSITS AND PLACEMENTS OF BANKS AND OTHER FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Licensed banks	<u>1,620,097</u>	<u>3,039,508</u>

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23. OTHER LIABILITIES

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Provision for retirement benefits	24,728	25,084
Impairment allowances on commitments and contingencies	(i)	
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	9,836	11,504
• Stage 2 - lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	12,402	12,178
Accrued interest payable	71,272	52,006
Other payables and accruals	184,116	107,523
	<u>302,354</u>	<u>208,295</u>

(i) Movements in impairment allowances on commitments and contingencies which reflect the ECL model on impairment are as follows:

	12-month ECL Stage 1 RM'000	LifETIME ECL Not credit- impaired Stage 2 RM'000	Credit-impaired Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 April 2025	11,504	12,178	-	23,682
Transfer to 12-month ECL (Stage 1)	455	(455)	-	-
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(754)	754	-	-
New financial assets originated	2,436	4,467	-	6,903
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(3,421)	(381)	-	(3,802)
Net remeasurement due to changes in credit risk	(384)	(4,161)	-	(4,545)
At 30 September 2025	<u>9,836</u>	<u>12,402</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>22,238</u>
At 1 April 2024	6,344	16,883	-	23,227
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired (Stage 2)	(1)	1	-	-
New financial assets originated	11,217	12,090	-	23,307
Financial assets derecognised (other than write-off)	(6,126)	(16,769)	-	(22,895)
Net remeasurement due to changes in credit risk	70	(27)	-	43
At 31 March 2025	<u>11,504</u>	<u>12,178</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23,682</u>

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24. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The commitments and contingencies exposures and their related counterparty credit risk of the Bank are as follows:

	Principal Amount RM'000	Positive Fair Value of Derivative Contracts RM'000	Credit Equivalent Amount RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000
2025 September				
Contingent Liabilities				
Direct credit substitutes	461,880		461,880	449,176
Transaction related contingent items	1,276,829		638,414	503,660
Short-term self liquidating trade-related contingencies	161,596		32,319	38,897
Commitments				
Other commitments, such as formal standby facilities and credit lines, with an original maturity of:				
• not exceeding one year	135,717		27,143	27,143
• exceeding one year	23,006		11,503	11,459
Any commitments that are unconditionally cancelled at any time by the Bank without prior notice or that effectively provide for automatic cancellation due to deterioration in a borrower's creditworthiness	18,846,026		-	-
	<u>20,905,054</u>		<u>1,171,259</u>	<u>1,030,335</u>
Embedded Loans				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	11,733,858	131,134	231,281	119,557
• over one year to five years	11,514,241	430,404	945,703	580,675
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	7,107,616	15,517	12,189	4,140
• over one year to five years	6,913,781	17,707	135,245	58,095
• over five years	16,000	97	937	937
	<u>37,285,496</u>	<u>594,859</u>	<u>1,325,355</u>	<u>763,404</u>
Derivative Financial Instruments				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	29,365,827	169,713	514,025	340,408
• over one year to five years	1,989,546	113,452	223,083	190,244
• over five years	243,680	14,579	37,894	18,948
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	7,456,957	3,664	11,666	3,816
• over one year to five years	11,847,552	54,464	286,618	107,280
• over five years	911,218	11,127	56,935	35,408
Currency options *				
• one year or less	179,177	1,311	3,999	3,999
	<u>51,993,957</u>	<u>368,310</u>	<u>1,134,220</u>	<u>700,103</u>
	<u>110,184,507</u>	<u>963,169</u>	<u>3,630,834</u>	<u>2,493,842</u>

* Only buy legs are taken into account for counterparty credit risk purposes.

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24. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (CONTD)

	Principal Amount RM'000	Positive Fair Value of Derivative Contracts RM'000	Credit Equivalent Amount RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000
2025 March				
Contingent Liabilities				
Direct credit substitutes	649,111		649,111	642,279
Transaction related contingent items	954,098		477,049	432,077
Short-term self liquidating trade-related contingencies	117,482		23,496	23,496
Commitments				
Other commitments, such as formal standby facilities and credit lines, with an original maturity of:				
• not exceeding one year	94,169		18,834	18,834
• exceeding one year	48,425		24,213	24,199
Any commitments that are unconditionally cancelled at any time by the Bank without prior notice or that effectively provide for automatic cancellation due to deterioration in a borrower's creditworthiness	16,411,408		-	-
	<u>18,274,693</u>		<u>1,192,703</u>	<u>1,140,885</u>
Embedded Loans				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	12,843,312	232,021	356,959	132,126
• over one year to five years	11,741,055	365,132	734,109	458,530
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	6,336,554	15,418	16,390	6,711
• over one year to five years	6,881,380	28,441	96,295	39,135
	<u>37,802,301</u>	<u>641,012</u>	<u>1,203,753</u>	<u>636,502</u>
Derivative Financial Instruments				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	24,577,606	167,706	509,611	367,102
• over one year to five years	1,583,339	110,526	141,568	98,717
• over five years	590,245	36,299	110,477	79,598
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	5,030,565	5,301	6,888	3,004
• over one year to five years	9,212,542	28,426	181,222	76,549
• over five years	919,708	12,722	39,347	24,078
Currency options *				
• one year or less	170,348	1,291	3,846	3,846
	<u>42,084,353</u>	<u>362,271</u>	<u>992,959</u>	<u>652,894</u>
	<u>98,161,347</u>	<u>1,003,283</u>	<u>3,389,415</u>	<u>2,430,281</u>

* Only buy legs are taken into account for counterparty credit risk purposes.

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	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September	2024 September	2025 September	2024 September
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
25. INTEREST INCOME				
Loans, advances and financing measured at amortised cost	125,411	139,704	228,827	273,542
Loans, advances and financing designated at fair value	4,624	6,296	9,232	13,084
Money at call and deposit placements with financial institutions	26,706	44,453	66,222	90,532
Financial assets at FVTPL	8,523	5,035	10,524	26,043
Financial investments at FVOCI				
- Interest income	22,481	13,714	44,663	27,121
- Net accretion of discount	1,720	2,248	834	3,088
	<u>189,465</u>	<u>211,450</u>	<u>360,302</u>	<u>433,410</u>
26. INTEREST EXPENSE				
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	71,161	91,269	117,737	184,070
Deposits from customers	27,802	24,094	57,848	46,096
	<u>98,963</u>	<u>115,363</u>	<u>175,585</u>	<u>230,166</u>
27. NET INCOME FROM EMBEDDED LOANS MEASURED AT FVTPL				
Interest income	174,690	168,426	346,823	349,907
Interest expense	(147,148)	(132,045)	(294,457)	(281,690)
Unrealised gain/(loss) in fair value of embedded loans	123,687	(57,147)	(257,839)	(71,477)
Realised gain in fair value of embedded loans	5,361	12,760	8,400	18,118
	<u>156,590</u>	<u>(8,006)</u>	<u>(197,073)</u>	<u>14,858</u>
28. OTHER OPERATING INCOME				
Fee income				
Commission	1,277	2,021	2,561	3,016
Guarantee fees	1,894	1,035	3,504	2,057
Service charges and fees	631	577	1,199	1,194
Commitment fees	498	242	971	549
Other fee income	6,343	8,026	16,972	14,532
	<u>10,643</u>	<u>11,901</u>	<u>25,207</u>	<u>21,348</u>
Net investment income				
Gross dividends	37	37	148	148
Realised gain/(loss) in fair value of derivative financial instruments	4,443	7,131	(11,342)	(11,020)
Realised gain in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL	1,692	2,969	3,996	858
Unrealised loss in fair value of derivative financial instruments	(113,982)	(334,418)	(77,804)	(328,318)
Unrealised (loss)/gain in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL	(2,742)	718	(2,546)	2,733
Unrealised gain in fair value of loans designated at fair value	3,219	507	2,856	1,985
Foreign exchange gain	54,272	464,154	423,739	537,860
Net premium paid for options	(121)	(30)	(121)	(54)
	<u>(53,182)</u>	<u>141,068</u>	<u>338,926</u>	<u>204,192</u>
Other income				
Other operating income	912	11,257	2,377	10,162
	<u>(41,627)</u>	<u>164,226</u>	<u>366,510</u>	<u>235,702</u>

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	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September	2024 September	2025 September	2024 September
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
29. OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES				
Personnel expenses	(i) 24,097	22,207	52,542	49,973
Establishment related expenses	(ii) 4,998	9,278	10,096	19,075
Promotion and marketing related expenses	(iii) 536	336	1,045	906
Administrative and other expenses	(iv) 15,285	21,014	29,059	48,158
	<u>44,916</u>	<u>52,835</u>	<u>92,742</u>	<u>118,112</u>
(i) Personnel expenses				
Wages, salaries and bonuses	19,207	18,431	41,576	40,507
Defined benefit plan	555	532	1,110	1,258
Defined contribution plan	2,715	2,524	5,485	5,272
Other employee benefits	1,620	720	4,371	2,936
	<u>24,097</u>	<u>22,207</u>	<u>52,542</u>	<u>49,973</u>
(ii) Establishment related expenses				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,117	1,409	2,190	2,799
Amortisation of intangible assets	2,309	6,271	4,609	12,560
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	1,027	1,030	2,017	2,294
Repair and maintenance	61	62	149	125
Expenses relating to short-term leases and leases of low-value assets	344	335	713	823
Interest expenses on lease liabilities	90	114	181	239
Accretion expense on asset retirement obligation	2	2	5	5
Others	48	55	232	230
	<u>4,998</u>	<u>9,278</u>	<u>10,096</u>	<u>19,075</u>
(iii) Promotion and marketing related expenses				
Advertising and publicity	2	-	5	-
Others	534	336	1,040	906
	<u>536</u>	<u>336</u>	<u>1,045</u>	<u>906</u>
(iv) Administrative and other expenses				
Cash collateral fees on CSA	581	6,148	2,282	19,569
Communication expenses	250	249	433	426
Legal and professional fees	78	160	199	244
Others	14,376	14,457	26,145	27,919
	<u>15,285</u>	<u>21,014</u>	<u>29,059</u>	<u>48,158</u>

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	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September	2024 September	2025 September	2024 September
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
30. ALLOWANCE FOR IMPAIRMENT ON FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS				
(a) Allowance for impairment on loans, advances and financing				
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses made during the year	2,328	5,798	24,071	38,029
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses written back	(3,939)	(1,828)	(14,342)	(17,473)
Stage 3 expected credit losses made during the year	(6)	-	11	-
Stage 3 expected credit losses written back	10	(39)	-	(97)
Other movements	-	1,256	1,061	1,332
	<u>(1,607)</u>	<u>5,187</u>	<u>10,801</u>	<u>21,791</u>
(b) Allowance for/(Reversal of) impairment on purchased receivables				
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses made during the year	(172)	132	73	319
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses written back	(49)	(24)	(258)	(317)
	<u>(221)</u>	<u>108</u>	<u>(185)</u>	<u>2</u>
(c) Allowance for/(Reversal of) impairment on off-balance sheet exposures				
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses made during the year	(624)	876	8,112	28,949
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses written back	(4,077)	(148)	(9,556)	(22,933)
	<u>(4,701)</u>	<u>728</u>	<u>(1,444)</u>	<u>6,016</u>
(d) Reversal of impairment on financial investments at FVOCI				
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses made during the year	-	-	2,856	-
Stage 1 and 2 expected credit losses written back	-	-	(166)	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,690</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>(6,529)</u>	<u>6,023</u>	<u>11,862</u>	<u>27,809</u>

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31. CAPITAL ADEQUACY

(a) The capital adequacy ratios of the Bank are as follows:

	2025 September %	2025 March %
Common equity Tier 1 ("CET 1") capital ratio	28.730	29.116
Tier 1 capital ratio	28.730	29.116
Total capital ratio	29.756	30.063

The capital adequacy ratios consist of total capital and risk-weighted assets derived from balances of the Bank and are computed in accordance with BNM's Guidelines on Capital Adequacy Framework (Capital Components and Basel II - Risk Weighted Assets) ("CAF"). The Bank adopted the Standardised Approach for Credit Risk and Market Risk, and the Business Indicator Approach for Operational Risk.

The minimum regulatory capital adequacy requirements including capital conservation buffer for the following capital ratios are:

CET 1 Capital Ratio	7.00 %
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	8.50 %
Total Capital Ratio	10.50 %

(b) The components of CET 1, Tier 1 and total capital of the Bank are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<u>CET 1 and Tier 1 capital</u>		
• Paid-up ordinary share capital	200,000	200,000
• Retained profits	4,622,482	4,622,482
• Other reserves	202,703	124,311
	5,025,185	4,946,793
Less:		
Deferred tax assets	(19,404)	(19,404)
Intangible assets	(17,984)	(22,364)
55% of fair value reserve	(16,876)	(15,476)
Regulatory reserve	(172,231)	(96,383)
	4,798,690	4,793,166
<u>Tier 2 capital</u>		
• Stage 1 and 2 ECL and regulatory reserve	171,261	155,918
Total Capital	4,969,951	4,949,084

(c) The breakdown of the risk-weighted assets by each major risk category is as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Credit risk	13,700,853	13,673,134
Market risk	1,279,896	1,334,208
Operational risk	1,721,741	1,455,118
	16,702,490	16,462,460

Detailed disclosures on risk exposures above, as prescribed under BNM's Guidelines on Risk-Weighted Capital Adequacy Framework (Basel II) - Disclosure Requirements (Pillar 3) and Capital Adequacy Framework for Islamic Banks (CAFIB) - Disclosure Requirements (Pillar 3) is presented in the Pillar 3 disclosures.

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31. CAPITAL ADEQUACY (CONTD)

2025 September

Exposure Class	Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000	Capital Requirements RM'000
(i) Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures :				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	4,415,048	4,415,048	79,659	6,373
Public Sector Entities	7,587	7,587	1,518	121
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	5,224,313	5,224,313	1,115,706	89,256
Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers	1	1	1	-
Corporates	19,693,247	19,693,247	9,016,069	721,286
Regulatory Retail	647	647	647	52
Residential Mortgages	12,227	12,227	4,812	385
Equity Exposures	28,442	28,442	28,442	2,275
Other Assets	1,092,831	1,092,831	959,628	76,770
Defaulted Exposures	529	529	529	42
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	<u>30,474,872</u>	<u>30,474,872</u>	<u>11,207,011</u>	<u>896,560</u>
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures :				
Credit-related exposures	1,171,260	1,171,260	1,030,335	82,427
Derivatives financial instruments	2,459,574	2,459,574	1,463,507	117,081
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	<u>3,630,834</u>	<u>3,630,834</u>	<u>2,493,842</u>	<u>199,508</u>
Total On and Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	<u>34,105,706</u>	<u>34,105,706</u>	<u>13,700,853</u>	<u>1,096,068</u>
	Long Position RM'000	Short Position RM'000		
(ii) Market Risk				
Interest Rate Risk	89,489,293	(88,457,796)	1,153,296	92,264
Foreign Exchange Risk	5,945	(126,603)	126,600	10,128
	<u>89,495,238</u>	<u>(88,584,399)</u>	<u>1,279,896</u>	<u>102,392</u>
(iii) Operational Risk			<u>1,721,741</u>	<u>137,739</u>
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	<u>34,105,706</u>	<u>34,105,706</u>	<u>16,702,490</u>	<u>1,336,199</u>

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31. CAPITAL ADEQUACY (CONTD)

2025 March

Exposure Class	Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000	Capital Requirements RM'000
(i) Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures :				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	6,020,882	6,020,882	100,157	8,013
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	3,516,102	3,516,102	1,026,719	82,138
Corporates	20,561,601	20,561,601	9,096,850	727,748
Regulatory Retail	1,110	1,110	1,110	89
Residential Mortgages	10,344	10,344	4,695	376
Equity Exposures	28,442	28,442	28,442	2,275
Other Assets	1,143,195	1,143,195	982,941	78,635
Defaulted Exposures	1,938	1,938	1,938	155
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	31,283,615	31,283,615	11,242,853	899,429
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures :				
Credit-related exposures	1,192,703	1,192,703	1,140,885	91,271
Derivatives financial instruments	2,196,712	2,196,712	1,289,396	103,152
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	3,389,415	3,389,415	2,430,281	194,423
Total On and Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	34,673,030	34,673,030	13,673,134	1,093,852
	Long Position RM'000	Short Position RM'000		
(ii) Market Risk				
Interest Rate Risk	80,560,660	(79,974,564)	1,152,608	92,209
Foreign Exchange Risk	181,601	(3,498)	181,600	14,528
	80,742,261	(79,978,062)	1,334,208	106,737
(iii) Operational Risk				
			1,455,118	116,409
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	34,673,030	34,673,030	16,462,460	1,316,998

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32. CREDIT TRANSACTIONS AND EXPOSURES WITH CONNECTED PARTIES

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Outstanding credit exposures with connected parties	563,565	384,185
Total credit exposures	34,413,997	35,143,671
Percentage of outstanding credit exposures to connected parties		
- as a proportion of total credit exposures	1.6%	1.1%
- as a proportion of total capital	11.3%	7.8%

There are currently no exposures to connected parties which are classified as credit-impaired.

33. THE OPERATIONS OF ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW

The financial statements as at 30 September 2025 and for the period ended on the date are summarised as follows:

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2025

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
ASSETS		
Cash and short-term funds	(a) 141,000	120,000
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	(b) 772	2,148
Other assets	12,140	7,777
TOTAL ASSETS	153,912	129,925
LIABILITIES AND ISLAMIC BANKING FUNDS		
Deposits from customers	(c) 25,837	11,649
Other liabilities	(d) 63	6
TOTAL LIABILITIES	25,900	11,655
CAPITAL FUNDS	25,000	25,000
RESERVE	103,012	93,270
ISLAMIC BANKING FUNDS	128,012	118,270
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND ISLAMIC BANKING FUNDS	153,912	129,925
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES	-	-

Islamic financing based on Commodity Murabahah (Tawarruq) of RM3,847,647,000 (2025 March: RM3,959,341,000) and Ijarah of RM99,706,000 (2025 March: RM103,336,000) were financed under an internal Wakalah scheme and is reported at the entity level.

Tawarruq structure for the Bank's Islamic financing product consists of three (3) sales and purchases transactions. The first involves the purchase of commodity by the Bank from Commodity Trader 1, on cash and spot basis. Secondly, the Bank will sell the commodity using Murabahah contract, to the customer on deferred basis. Subsequently, the customer will sell the commodity to Commodity Trader 2, on cash and spot basis. Finally, the customer will get cash to finance the customer's needs.

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Income derived from investment of Islamic Banking capital fun	(e) 1,049	1,511	2,068	2,990
Expenses derived from financing	(f) (91)	(1)	(165)	(2)
Other operating income	(g) 4,455	3,284	8,003	7,156
Total net income	5,413	4,794	9,906	10,144
Other operating expenses	(h) (73)	(61)	(164)	(156)
Profit for the year	5,340	4,733	9,742	9,988

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33. THE OPERATIONS OF ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW (CONTD)

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	Capital Funds RM'000	Regulatory Reserve RM'000	Retained Profits RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 April 2025	25,000	118	93,152	118,270
Profit for the year	-	-	9,742	9,742
At 30 September 2025	25,000	118	102,894	128,012
At 1 April 2024	25,000	118	75,202	100,320
Profit for the year	-	-	9,988	9,988
At 30 September 2024	25,000	118	85,190	110,308

**UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before tax	9,742	9,988
Decrease/(Increase) in operating assets:		
Other assets	(4,363)	(14,303)
	5,379	(4,315)
(Decrease)/Increase in operating liabilities:		
Deposits from customers	14,188	(59,975)
Other liabilities	57	(14,171)
Net cash generated from operating activities	19,624	(78,461)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	19,624	(78,461)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	122,148	187,909
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	141,772	109,448
Cash and cash equivalents comprise of:		
Cash and short-term funds	141,000	109,000
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	772	448
	141,772	109,448

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33. THE OPERATIONS OF ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW (CONTD)

Shariah Committee

The Shariah Committee was established under BNM's "Shariah Governance Policy Document" ("the SGP") to advise the Board of Directors on Shariah matters in its Islamic Banking business operations and to provide technical assistance in ensuring the Islamic Banking products and services offered by the Bank and the relevant documentation are in compliance with Shariah principles.

As of March 2025, the committee comprises: Prof. Dr. Said Bouheraoua, Y.Bhg. Prof. Emeritus Dato' Dr. Mohd Azmi bin Omar and Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mohamad Zaharuddin bin Zakaria.

Basis of Preparation

The financial statements of the Islamic Banking business have been prepared on the basis consistent with that of the Bank as disclosed in Note 1 to the audited financial statements of the Bank for financial year ended 31 March 2025.

(a) Cash and short-term funds

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Cash and balances with banks and other financial institutions	141,000	120,000

(b) Deposits and placements with financial institutions

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Licensed bank		
• Malaysia	772	2,148

(c) Deposits from customers

(i) By type of deposits:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Current accounts - Qard	12,224	10,139
Fixed deposits - Tawarruq	13,613	1,510
	25,837	11,649

(ii) The maturity structure of fixed deposits are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Due within six months	13,613	1,510

(iii) By type of customer:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Domestic business enterprises	24,792	11,356
Foreign entities	1,046	293
	25,838	11,649

Qard is a contract of lending a fungible asset to a borrower who is bound to return an equivalent replacement. No profit expense from deposits shall be paid from the transactions.

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(d) Other liabilities

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Accruals and provisions for operational expenses	63	6

(e) Income derived from investment of Islamic Banking Capital Funds

	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Money at call and placements with financial institutions	1,049	1,511	2,068	2,990

(f) Expenses derived from financing

	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Deposits from customers	91	1	165	2

(g) Other operating income

	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000	2025 September RM'000	2024 September RM'000
Other fee income	4,455	3,284	8,003	7,156

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33. THE OPERATIONS OF ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW (CONTD)

(h) Other operating expenses

	2nd Quarter Ended		Six Months Ended	
	2025 September	2024 September	2025 September	2024 September
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Personnel expenses	59	46	123	105
Other expenses	14	15	41	51
	<u>73</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>164</u>	<u>156</u>

(i) Capital adequacy

The capital adequacy ratios of the Islamic Banking business of the Bank are computed in accordance with the Capital Adequacy Framework for Islamic Banks ("CAFIB"). The Bank's Islamic Banking business has adopted the Standardised Approach for Credit Risk and Market Risk, and the Business Indicator Approach for Operational Risk.

The capital adequacy ratios of the Bank's Islamic Banking business are as follows:

	2025 September	2025 March
Common equity Tier 1 ("CET 1") capital ratio	360.626	367.091
Tier 1 capital ratio	360.626	367.091
Total capital ratio	<u>360.626</u>	<u>367.091</u>

The components of CET 1, Tier 1 and total capital of the Bank's Islamic Banking business are as follows:

	2025 September	2025 March
	RM'000	RM'000
<u>CET 1 and Tier 1 capital</u>		
• Capital funds	25,000	25,000
• Retained profits	93,152	93,152
• Other reserves	118	118
	<u>118,270</u>	<u>118,270</u>
Less: Regulatory reserve	(118)	(118)
Total capital	<u>118,152</u>	<u>118,152</u>

The breakdown of the risk-weighted assets by each major risk category is as follows:

	2025 September	2025 March
	RM'000	RM'000
Operational risk	<u>32,763</u>	<u>32,186</u>

Detailed disclosures on risk exposures above, as prescribed under BNM's Guidelines on CAFIB - Disclosure Requirements (Pillar 3) is presented in the Pillar 3 disclosures.

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33. THE OPERATIONS OF ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW (CONTD)

(i) Capital adequacy (Contd)

The components of risk-weighted assets of the Bank's Islamic Banking business are as follows:

	Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirements at 8% RM'000
2025 September Exposure Class				
(i) Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Other Assets	153,912	153,912	-	-
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	<u>153,912</u>	<u>153,912</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
(ii) Operational Risk			<u>32,763</u>	<u>2,621</u>
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	<u>153,912</u>	<u>153,912</u>	<u>32,763</u>	<u>2,621</u>
2025 March Exposure Class				
(i) Credit Risk				
Other Assets	129,925	129,925	-	-
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	<u>129,925</u>	<u>129,925</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
(ii) Operational Risk			<u>32,186</u>	<u>2,575</u>
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	<u>129,925</u>	<u>129,925</u>	<u>32,186</u>	<u>2,575</u>

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34. THE OPERATIONS OF INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY BUSINESS UNIT

The Bank has obtained approval from BNM to set up an International Currency Business Unit ("ICBU") to promote Islamic Banking business. The ICBU is permitted to conduct a wide range of Islamic banking business in international currencies other than Malaysian Ringgit and the currency of Israel as per the Guidelines on the Establishment of International Currency Business Unit issued by BNM.

The following breakdown shows the Bank's financing and advances and deposits from customers which are conducted through ICBU.

(a) Financing and advances

(i) By type:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Term financing		
• Syndicated Islamic financing	3,490,988	2,023,681
• Islamic term financing	-	9,045
Revolving credits	1,052,898	1,372,360
Gross financing and advances at amortised cost	<u>4,543,886</u>	<u>3,405,086</u>
Impairment allowances financing and advances		
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	(4,565)	(5,340)
• Stage 2 - lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	(16,811)	(9,459)
Net financing and advances at amortised cost	<u>4,522,510</u>	<u>3,390,287</u>
<i>At fair value</i>		
Syndicated Islamic financing	221,943	253,697
Net financing and advances	<u>4,744,453</u>	<u>3,643,984</u>
Gross financing and advances		
<i>At amortised cost</i>	4,543,886	3,405,086
<i>At fair value</i>	221,943	253,697
	<u>4,765,829</u>	<u>3,658,783</u>
(ii) By contract:		
Murabahah Financing-i	4,493,205	3,330,254
Ijarah Financing-i	50,681	65,787
Istina Financing-i	-	9,045
Wakalah Financing-i	221,942	253,697
	<u>4,765,828</u>	<u>3,658,783</u>

(b) Deposits from customers

(i) By type and contract:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<i>At amortised cost</i>		
Fixed deposits - Tawarruq	<u>1,808,991</u>	<u>1,737,486</u>

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PILLAR 3 DISCLOSURES

1. OVERVIEW

The Pillar 3 Disclosure is prepared in accordance with Bank Negara Malaysia ("BNM")'s Guidelines on Capital Adequacy Framework (Capital Components and Basel II - Risk-weighted Assets) ("CAF") and Capital Adequacy Framework for Islamic Banks (CAFIB) - Risk-weighted Assets ("CAFIB"), which is the equivalent to Basel II issued by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision. Basel II consists of 3 Pillars a

- (a) Pillar 1 sets out the minimum amount of regulatory capital that banking institutions must hold against credit, market and operational risks they assume.
- (b) Pillar 2 promotes the adoption of a more forward-looking approach to capital management and encourages banking institutions, to develop and employ more rigorous risk management framework and techniques. This includes specific oversight by the Board of Directors and Management on internal controls and corporate governance practices, to ensure that banking institutions have an appropriate level of internal capital above its regulatory capital to commensurate with their risk profile and business plan at all time;
- (c) Pillar 3 aims to harness the power of market discipline through enhanced disclosure, to supplement regulatory supervision of banking institutions through a consistent and comprehensive disclosure framework on risk management practices and capital adequacy of banking institutions that will enhance comparability amongst banking institutions

The Bank adopted the Standardised Approach in determining the capital requirements for credit risk and market risk and applied the Business Indicator Approach for operational risk of Pillar 1 under BNM's CAF. Under the Standardised Approach, standard risk weights are used to assess the capital requirements for exposures in credit risk and market risk. The capital required for operational risk under the Business Indicator Approach is computed by applying the prescribed Internal Loss Multiplier ("ILM") to a 3-year average income-based metric (Business Indicator Component) that reflects the size and complexity of business operations of the Bank.

Prior to 1 January 2025, the Bank applied the Basic Indicator Approach for operational risk where capital requirement is computed based on earnings at risk on the Bank's gross income for a fixed number of quarterly periods.

The Bank's Pillar 3 Disclosure is governed by BNM's Guidelines on Risk-Weighted Capital Adequacy Framework (Basel II) – Disclosure Requirements (Pillar 3) and Capital Adequacy Framework for Islamic Banks (CAFIB) - Disclosure Requirements (Pillar 3) which set out the minimum disclosure standards. The approach in determining the appropriateness of information disclosed and the internal controls over the disclosure process which cover the verification and review of the accuracy of information disclosed. The information provided herein has been verified by the Internal Audit Department ("IAD") and attested by the Chief Executive Officer. The information is not audited as this is not a requirement. Where required, comparative prior year values have been restated to align with current year's presentation of the disclosures.

The Bank's main business activity is commercial banking which focuses on corporate and investment banking and treasury operations. The Bank is also involved in Islamic Banking activities under the International Currency Business Unit ("ICBU") and in Islamic Banking Operations under Skim Perbankan Islam ("SPI") framework.

The following table presents the minimum regulatory capital requirement to support the Bank's risk-weighted assets:

	2025 September		2025 March	
	Risk-Weighted Assets	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8%	Risk-Weighted Assets	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8%
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Credit Risk	13,700,853	1,096,068	13,673,134	1,093,852
Market Risk	1,279,896	102,392	1,334,208	106,737
Operational Risk	1,721,741	137,739	1,455,118	116,409
	16,702,490	1,336,199	16,462,460	1,316,998

The Bank does not have any capital requirement for Large Exposure Risk as there is no amount in excess of the lowest threshold arising from equity holdings as specified in BNM's CAF.

2. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Bank's capital management is guided by its risk appetite and outlines the Bank's objective to diversify its sources of capital and to allocate capital efficiently, directed by the need to maintain a prudent relationship between available capital and risks in the underlying businesses to meet the expectations of key stakeholders, including the holding company and BNM.

The capital target for capital adequacy ratios is above the minimum regulatory capital requirements and has factored in the expected capital required under the current and future operating environment to support credit, market and operational risks as well as the Bank's business growth.

The Bank-wide stress testing process assesses the Bank's capital requirements under stress events including plausible, exceptional but plausible scenario and worst case scenario, to gauge the ability of the Bank's capital to withstand and absorb external shocks. The results of the stress test are to facilitate the formulation of pre-emptive remedial actions if the stress test reveals that the Bank's capital will be adversely affected under such events. The results of the stress test together with remedial actions, if any, are tabled to the Risk Management Committee ("RMC") and the Board for deliberations.

(a) Capital Adequacy Ratios

The capital adequacy ratios of the Bank are as follows:

	2025 September %	2025 March %
Common equity Tier 1 ("CET 1") capital ratio	28.730	29.116
Tier 1 capital ratio	28.730	29.116
Total capital ratio	<u>29.756</u>	<u>30.063</u>

The capital adequacy ratios consist of total capital and risk-weighted assets derived from balances of the Bank.

The minimum regulatory capital adequacy requirements including capital conservation buffer for the following capital ratios are:

CET 1 Capital	7.00 %
Tier 1 Capital	8.50 %
Total Capital	10.50 %

Please refer to Note 34(k) for Islamic Banking operation capital adequacy.

(b) The components of CET 1, Tier 1 and total capital of the Bank are as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
<u>CET 1 and Tier 1 capital</u>		
• Paid-up share capital	200,000	200,000
• Retained profits	4,622,482	4,622,482
• Other reserves	<u>202,703</u>	<u>124,311</u>
	5,025,185	4,946,793
Less: Deferred tax assets	(19,404)	(19,404)
Intangible assets	(17,984)	(22,364)
55% of fair value reserve	(16,876)	(15,476)
Regulatory reserve	<u>(172,231)</u>	<u>(96,383)</u>
	4,798,690	4,793,166
<u>Tier 2 capital</u>		
• Stage 1 and 2 ECL and regulatory reserve	<u>171,261</u>	<u>155,918</u>
Total capital	<u>4,969,951</u>	<u>4,949,084</u>

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(c) The components of risk-weighted assets of the Bank are as follows:

2025 September

Exposure Class	Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirements at 8% RM'000
(i) Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	4,415,048	4,415,048	79,659	6,373
Public Sector Entities	7,587	7,587	1,518	121
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	5,224,313	5,224,313	1,115,706	89,256
Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers	1	1	1	-
Corporates	19,693,247	19,693,247	9,016,069	721,286
Regulatory Retail	647	647	647	52
Residential Mortgages	12,227	12,227	4,812	385
Equity Exposures	28,442	28,442	28,442	2,275
Other Assets	1,092,831	1,092,831	959,628	76,770
Defaulted Exposures	529	529	529	42
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	30,474,872	30,474,872	11,207,011	896,560
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Credit-Related Exposures	1,171,259	1,171,259	1,030,335	82,427
Derivatives Financial Instruments	2,459,575	2,459,575	1,463,507	117,081
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	3,630,834	3,630,834	2,493,842	199,508
Total On and Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	34,105,706	34,105,706	13,700,853	1,096,068
(ii) Market Risk				
	Long Position RM'000	Short Position RM'000		
Interest Rate Risk	89,489,293	(88,457,796)	1,153,296	92,264
Foreign Currency Risk	5,945	(126,603)	126,600	10,128
	89,495,238	(88,584,399)	1,279,896	102,392
(iii) Operational Risk			1,721,741	137,739
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	34,105,706	34,105,706	16,702,490	1,336,199

2. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT (CONTD)

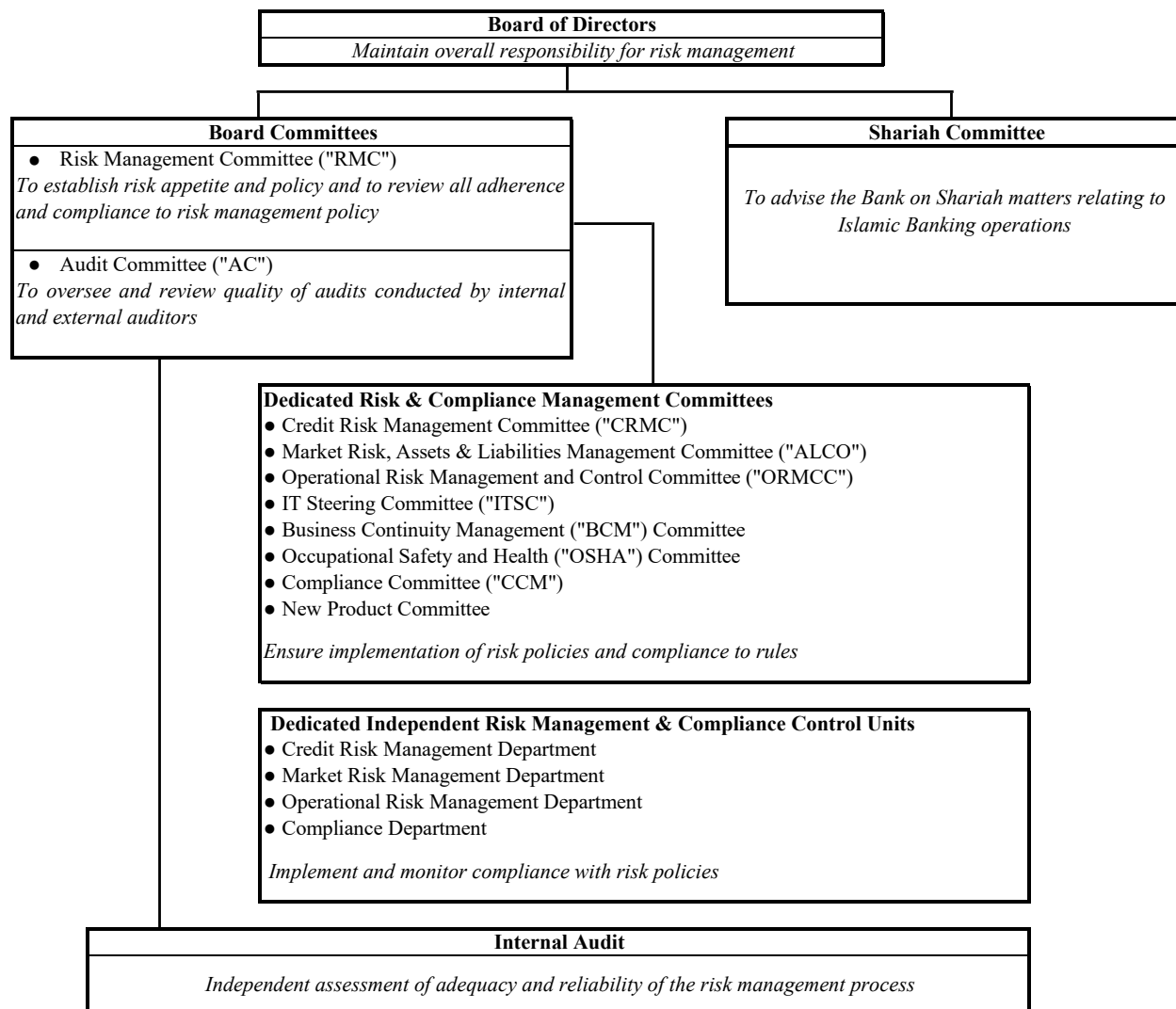
(c) The components of risk-weighted assets of the Bank are as follows: (Contd)

2025 March

Exposure Class	Gross Exposures RM'000	Net Exposures RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirements at 8% RM'000
(i) Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	6,020,882	6,020,882	100,157	8,013
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	3,516,102	3,516,102	1,026,719	82,138
Corporates	20,561,601	20,561,601	9,096,850	727,748
Regulatory Retail	1,110	1,110	1,110	89
Residential Mortgages	10,344	10,344	4,695	376
Equity Exposures	28,442	28,442	28,442	2,275
Other Assets	1,143,195	1,143,195	982,941	78,635
Defaulted Exposures	1,938	1,938	1,938	155
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	31,283,615	31,283,615	11,242,853	899,429
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Credit-Related Exposures	1,192,703	1,192,703	1,140,885	91,271
Derivatives Financial Instruments	2,196,712	2,196,712	1,289,396	103,152
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	3,389,415	3,389,415	2,430,281	194,423
Total On and Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	34,673,030	34,673,030	13,673,134	1,093,852
	Long Position RM'000	Short Position RM'000		
(ii) Market Risk				
Interest Rate Risk	80,560,660	(79,974,564)	1,152,608	92,209
Foreign Currency Risk	181,601	(3,498)	181,600	14,528
	80,742,261	(79,978,062)	1,334,208	106,737
(iii) Operational Risk			1,455,118	116,409
Total RWA and Capital Requirements	34,673,030	34,673,030	16,462,460	1,316,998

3. RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK

The management of risk within the Bank is governed by a risk management framework, which sets out the risk management governance and infrastructure, risk management processes and control responsibilities. In the Bank, effective risk management is inculcated by a risk awareness culture across all levels of staff in the Bank through effective communication, training, clear policies, procedures and organisational structure, which clearly defined roles and responsibilities as well as the commitment of all employees to a risk management framework. The risk governance of the Bank is as set out below



3. RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK (CONTD)

The Board is ultimately responsible for the management of risks. The Board, through the RMC, maintains overall responsibilities for risk oversight within the Bank. The risk appetite statement embodies the Bank's stance towards the levels of risks and serves as a guide in the formulation of the Bank's strategic direction and business objectives

The RMC is responsible for total risk oversight covering credit risk, market risk, liquidity risk, compliance risk, operation risk, information security risk and unique risk for Islamic financial business in particular Shariah non-compliance risk. Other key functions of RMC include reviewing risk management policies and limits, reviewing reports on risk exposures and risk portfolio composition and ensuring that infrastructure, resources and systems are in place for risk management activities

The AC is supported by IAD to provide an independent assessment of the adequacy and reliability of the risk management processes and its compliance with risk policies and regulatory requirements.

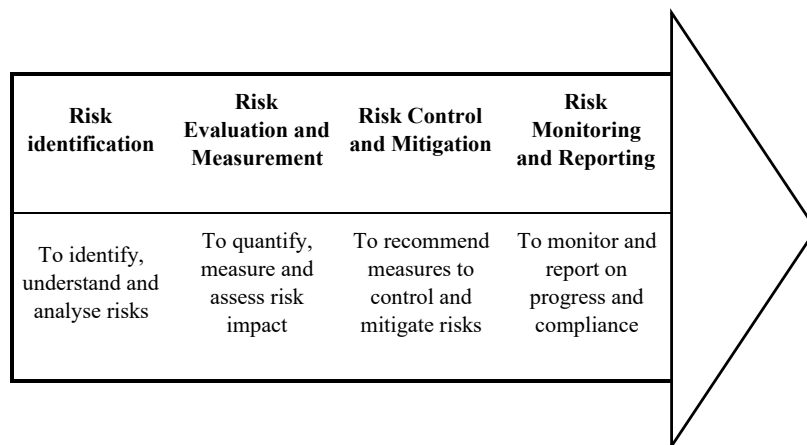
The Shariah Committee ("SC") advises the Bank on Shariah matters relating to the Islamic banking operations. The Committee ensures that the operations of Islamic banking, its products, processes and legal documentation are in line with Shariah principles.

The CRMC, the ALCO, and the ORMCC assist the RMC in managing credit, balance sheet & liquidity, market and operational risks respectively, whereas compliance risk is monitored and managed through Compliance Committee Meeting ("CCM"). These committees are responsible for overseeing the development and implementation of risk management and compliance policies to facilitate the managing and monitoring of risk exposures and portfolio composition. It is also to ensure that adequate infrastructure, resources and systems are put in place to support the risk management and compliance process.

The designated independent risk management control units provide crucial support to the RMC and are responsible for ensuring risk policies are implemented and complied with. They are also responsible for the identification, evaluation, measurement, controlling, monitoring and reporting of risk.

The Bank has established a structured approach to risk management which balances risks against returns, as well as integrated risk management processes across key risk areas. The risk management activities encompass four broad processes namely risk identification, risk evaluation and measurement, risk control and mitigation, risk monitoring and reporting which lead to a balanced risk-return. It is the Bank's policy that all risk management policies are subject to frequent reviews to ensure that they remain relevant and effective in managing the associated risks arising from changes in both operating and regulatory environments.

The integrated risk management process follows four broad processes:



3. RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK (CONTD)

Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process ("ICAAP")

The Bank has put in place process for assessing its capital adequacy under the BNM's Risk-Weighted Capital Adequacy Framework (Basel II) - Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (Pillar 2) in relation to its risk profile and strategy for maintaining adequate capital levels relative to its risk profile. The Bank's ICAAP framework includes procedures and measures designed to ensure the following:

- Appropriate identification and measurement of material risks
- Appropriate level of internal capital relative to the Bank's risk profile
- Sufficient policy and procedures to ensure on-going capital adequacy
- Development and implementation of suitable risk management methodologies, systems and processes

The Principle of Proportionality is adopted whereby the degree of formalisation and sophistication of the ICAAP is proportionate to the size, nature of business and complexity of Bank's activities. It uses sound techniques and methodologies that commensurate with the current practices and business environment. Material risk assessment is conducted annually covering risks under Pillar 1 & 2 and other risks with documentation of the Bank's risk profile in a risk inventory. Material risk is defined as potential risk exposure that might have impact on the Bank's business operations, profitability, capital and reputation. The material risk assessment is measured by risk frequency and monetary impact and it is reviewed annually to reflect the changes to its business plan, operating environment or other factors, guided by the methodologies, processes, empirical data and assumptions

The risk inventory assessment and review process ensures that all risks are identified and evaluated for their relevance, materiality, mitigation, management and capitalisation considerations that formed an integral part of internal capital trigger and target setting process.

The Bank's internal capital trigger and target are set to ensure that the Bank's capital level is resilient under stressed economic conditions, commensurate with the risk profile of the Bank and remains above regulatory requirements.

The Bank's capital adequacy ratio is being monitored through Risk Appetite Statement ("RAS") dashboard and is reported to the RMC and the Board on a quarterly basis.

Stress Testing/Reverse Stress Testing

Stress testing framework has been integrated into the Bank's risk management structure and is used as a risk management tool for evaluation of the potential impact on the Bank's capital adequacy and performance under stress conditions. Reverse stress testing ("RST") process is also part of the Bank's stress testing framework with the objective to identify a range of adverse scenarios and trigger points that could potentially threaten the viability of the Bank's business model, including solvency concern and liquidity crunch. The assessment covers the likelihood of such events that could materialise over a time horizon that enables the Bank to identify its potential vulnerabilities and fault lines in its business model.

The stress testing framework is approved by the Board. The Management is actively involved in the process of designing the stress test program, ensuring the assumptions are relevant and consistent with the Bank's risk profile and is conducted properly and any exceptions noted have been dealt with appropriately

The results of the stress test are compared against internal capital trigger and target, as part of the sound capital management process under ICAAP, which are reported to RMC and the Board on a half-yearly basis. The stress test results are deliberated to consider the implications on the Bank's business profile and to consider corrective measures where necessary

4. CREDIT RISK

Credit risk is the potential loss of revenue as a result of failure by the customers or counterparties to meet their contractual financial obligations. The Bank's exposure to credit risk is primarily from its lending and financing to large corporations and small and medium-sized companies ("SMEs"). Trading and investing the surplus funds of the Bank, such as trading or holding of debt securities, settlement of transactions, also exposed the Bank to credit risk and counterparty credit risk

Risk Governance

The CRMC supports the RMC in credit risk management oversight. The CRMC reviews the Bank's credit risk framework and policies, aligns credit risk management with business strategies and planning, reviews credit portfolios and recommends necessary actions to ensure that the credit risk remains within established risk tolerance level

The Bank's credit risk management includes the establishment of comprehensive credit risk policies, guidelines and procedures which document the Bank's lending standards, discretionary power for loans approval, credit risk rating, acceptable collateral and valuation, and the review, rehabilitation and restructuring of problematic and delinquent loans. All credit processing officers are guided by credit policies, guidelines and procedures which are periodically reviewed to ensure their continued relevance

Within the risk management control units, the Credit Risk Management Department ("CRMD") has functional responsibility for credit risk management which includes formulating and reviewing credit risk related policies, guidelines and procedures. Other independent risk management and control units are responsible for managing the other risks and ensuring the respective risk policies are implemented and complied with. The department is also involved in post-implementation validation of borrower rating model which include the assessment of accuracy and discriminatory power of rating model

Risk Management Approach

The Bank manages its credit risk by using its internal credit rating system. The purpose of the credit rating system is to objectively evaluate the credit worthiness/credit risk (i.e. the probability of future credit losses over a period of time) of the borrowers which it extends credit. A borrower is not only screened at the time of initial extension of credits but also monitored continuously during the entire term until the full repayment. Efforts are made towards the early detection of latent problems by assessing the credit risk of borrowers on an on-going basis. Credit examination by the holding company is one of the processes used to verify the suitability of a credit rating and the soundness of a portfolio from a third party's perspective to avoid risk concentration within specific industries, specific purposes or secured by the same type of collateral.

Credit risk management reports are regularly presented to both the CRMC and the RMC, containing information on trends across major portfolios, including credit exposure, quality of credit portfolios, results of the credit profiling conducted, significant credit exposures to connected parties and credit concentration by economic sectors and by large single counterparty. Such information allows Management to identify adverse credit trends, take corrective actions and formulate business strategies

Distribution of Credit Exposures

The following tables present the credit exposures of financial assets before the effect of credit risk mitigation, broken down by the relevant category and class of financial assets against the relevant economic sectors, geographical location and maturity. For on-balance sheet exposures, the maximum exposure to credit risk equals their carrying amounts. For financial guarantees, the maximum exposure to credit risk is the maximum amount that the Bank would have to pay if the obligations for which the instruments issued are called upon. For credit commitments, the maximum exposure to credit risk is the full amount of the undrawn credit granted to customers.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(a) The following tables present the credit exposures of financial assets of the Bank analysed by economic sectors:

2025 September	Cash and Short-Term Funds RM'000	Reverse Repurchase Agreements RM'000	Deposits and Placement with Financial Institutions RM'000	Financial Assets at FVTPL RM'000	Financial Investments at FVOCI RM'000	Loans, Advances and Financing [#] RM'000	Embedded Loans Measured at FVTPL RM'000	Purchased Receivables [#] RM'000	Collateral Deposits Placed RM'000	Derivative Financial Assets RM'000	Statutory Deposits with BNM RM'000	Other Financial Assets RM'000	On- Balance Sheet Total RM'000	Commitments and Contingencies [*] RM'000
Agricultural	-	-	-	-	-	100,019	-	-	-	66	-	-	100,085	192,105
Mining and quarrying	-	-	-	-	-	222,650	4,375	-	-	3,047	-	-	230,072	317,356
Manufacturing	-	-	-	-	-	1,645,681	16,612	33,085	-	52,138	-	-	1,747,516	4,882,923
Electricity, gas and water	-	-	-	-	-	221,321	1,604,858	-	-	4,844	-	-	1,831,023	3,331,064
Construction	-	-	-	-	-	168,793	726,729	-	-	3,912	-	-	899,434	913,227
Wholesale, retail trade, restaurants and hotels	-	-	-	-	-	203,059	-	-	-	12,261	-	-	215,320	3,833,187
Transport, storage and communication	-	-	-	-	-	1,072,919	1,069,477	-	-	22,217	-	-	2,164,613	634,481
Finance, insurance, real estate and business services	2,772,486	50,830	169,624	-	905,616	5,285,461	9,099,438	378,353	307,599	266,040	-	3,671	19,239,118	6,800,211
Government and government agencies	2,022,000	-	418,776	850,144	1,023,317	-	-	-	-	3,785	16,465	7,791	4,342,278	-
Households	-	-	-	-	-	13,630	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,630	-
Others	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	74	500
	4,794,486	50,830	588,400	850,144	1,928,935	8,933,533	12,521,489	411,438	307,599	368,310	16,465	11,534	30,783,163	20,905,054
Other assets not subject to credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,473	55,473	-
	4,794,486	50,830	588,400	850,144	1,928,935	8,933,533	12,521,489	411,438	307,599	368,310	16,465	67,007	30,838,636	20,905,054

[#] Stated at gross.

^{*} Commitments and contingencies excluding derivative financial assets and embedded loans measured at FVTPL.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(a) The following tables present the credit exposures of financial assets of the Bank analysed by economic sectors: (Contd)

2025 March	Cash and Short-Term Funds RM'000	Reverse Repurchase Agreements RM'000	Deposits and Placement with Financial Institutions RM'000	Financial Assets at FVTPL RM'000	Financial Investments at FVOCI RM'000	Loans, Advances and Financing [#] RM'000	Embedded Loans Measured at FVTPL RM'000	Purchased Receivables [#] RM'000	Collateral Deposits Placed RM'000	Derivative Financial Assets RM'000	Other Financial Assets RM'000	Statutory Deposits with BNM RM'000	On- Balance Sheet Total RM'000	Commitments and Contingencies [*] RM'000
Agricultural	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	21	294,310
Mining and quarrying	-	-	-	-	-	303,720	60,675	-	-	634	-	-	365,029	225,750
Manufacturing	-	-	-	-	-	1,420,999	26,304	120,202	-	54,420	-	-	1,621,925	5,307,877
Electricity, gas and water	-	-	-	-	-	202,699	1,521,512	-	-	3,804	-	-	1,728,015	1,126,500
Construction	-	-	-	-	-	258,772	701,405	-	-	2,089	-	-	962,266	963,595
Wholesale, retail trade, restaurants and hotels	-	-	-	-	-	423,859	-	1,088	-	10,003	-	-	434,950	3,757,000
Transport, storage and communication	-	-	-	-	-	837,654	843,666	-	-	10,380	-	-	1,691,700	919,129
Finance, insurance, real estate and business services	2,000,755	-	123,382	-	907,681	4,064,136	10,810,162	690,597	35,809	248,386	-	7,062	18,887,970	5,679,925
Government and government agencies	4,425,000	-	445,707	292,508	834,085	-	-	-	-	32,526	9,017	8,913	6,047,756	-
Households	-	-	-	-	-	13,596	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,596	107
Others	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	8	-	1,018	1,028	500
	6,425,755	-	569,089	292,508	1,741,768	7,525,435	13,963,724	811,887	35,809	362,271	9,017	16,993	31,754,256	18,274,693
Other assets not subject to credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,344	23,344	-
	6,425,755	-	569,089	292,508	1,741,768	7,525,435	13,963,724	811,887	35,809	362,271	9,017	40,337	31,777,600	18,274,693

[#] Stated at gross.

^{*} Commitments and contingencies excluding derivative financial assets and embedded loans measured at FVTPL.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(b) The following tables present the credit exposures of financial assets analysed by geographical location based on where the credit risk resides:

	2025 September		2025 March	
	Malaysia	Other	Malaysia	Other
	RM'000	Countries RM'000	RM'000	Countries RM'000
Cash and short-term funds	4,052,069	742,417	5,925,071	500,684
Reverse repurchase agreements	50,830	-	-	-
Deposits and placement with financial institutions	446,155	142,245	451,237	117,852
Financial assets at FVTPL	850,144	-	292,508	-
Financial investments at FVOCI	1,928,935	-	1,682,948	58,820
Loans, advances and financing	4,746,020	4,187,513	4,773,319	2,752,116
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL *	12,543,314	(21,825)	13,959,053	4,671
Purchased receivables	70,328	341,110	161,864	650,023
Collateral deposits placed	307,599	-	35,809	-
Derivative financial assets	281,190	87,120	318,210	44,061
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	16,465	-	9,017	-
Other assets	67,007	-	40,337	-
On-Balance Sheet Exposures	25,360,056	5,478,580	27,649,373	4,128,227
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	2,906,150	724,684	2,834,967	554,448
	28,266,206	6,203,264	30,484,340	4,682,675

* The credit balances are exposure after netting off with the identified cover deals.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(c) The following tables present the residual contractual maturity for major types of gross credit exposures for on-balance sheet exposures of financial assets. Approximately 50% (2025 March: 56%) of the Bank's exposures to customers are short-term, having contractual maturity of one year or less:

2025 September	Up to 1 Month RM'000	1 to 3 Months RM'000	3 to 12 Months RM'000	1 to 5 Years RM'000	Over 5 Years RM'000	No Specific Maturity RM'000	Total RM'000
Assets							
Cash and short-term funds	3,432,069	620,000	-	-	-	742,417	4,794,486
Reverse repurchase agreements	50,830	-	-	-	-	-	50,830
Deposits and placement with financial institutions	-	540,531	-	-	-	47,869	588,400
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	-	-	809,218	40,926	-	850,144
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	64,984	373,312	1,462,197	-	28,442	1,928,935
Loans, advances and financing	2,511,094	806,250	435,559	3,532,142	1,648,488	-	8,933,533
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	1,501,513	1,066,997	2,993,657	6,943,149	16,173	-	12,521,489
Purchased receivables	239,186	172,252	-	-	-	-	411,438
Collateral deposits placed	307,599	-	-	-	-	-	307,599
Derivative financial assets	70,805	41,140	63,213	167,446	25,706	-	368,310
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	16,465	16,465
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	67,007	67,007
	8,113,096	3,312,154	3,865,741	12,914,152	1,731,293	902,200	30,838,636

The residual contractual maturity for off-balance sheet exposures is not presented as the total off-balance sheet exposures do not represent future receivables since the Bank expects many of these contingent liabilities and commitments (such as direct credit substitutes and undrawn credit facilities) to expire or unconditionally cancelled by the Bank without them being called or drawn upon, and many of the contingent liabilities (such as letters of credit) are reimbursable by customers.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(c) The following tables present the residual contractual maturity for major types of gross credit exposures for on-balance sheet exposures of financial assets. Approximately 50% (2025 March: 56%) of the Bank's exposures to customers are short-term, having contractual maturity of one year or less: (Contd)

2025 March	Up to 1 Month RM'000	1 to 3 Months RM'000	3 to 12 Months RM'000	1 to 5 Years RM'000	Over 5 Years RM'000	No Specific Maturity RM'000	Total RM'000
Assets							
Cash and short-term funds	5,375,071	550,000	-	-	-	500,684	6,425,755
Reverse repurchase agreements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits and placement with financial institutions	559,797	-	-	-	-	9,292	569,089
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	-	-	292,508	-	-	292,508
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	65,162	209,432	1,438,732	-	28,442	1,741,768
Loans, advances and financing	2,520,231	180,515	854,938	2,899,553	1,070,198	-	7,525,435
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	355,235	837,662	5,169,111	7,601,716	-	-	13,963,724
Purchased receivables	350,011	433,333	28,543	-	-	-	811,887
Collateral deposits placed	35,809	-	-	-	-	-	35,809
Derivative financial assets	37,233	38,610	98,454	138,952	49,022	-	362,271
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	9,017	9,017
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	40,337	40,337
	9,233,387	2,105,282	6,360,478	12,371,461	1,119,220	587,772	31,777,600

The residual contractual maturity for off-balance sheet exposures is not presented as the total off-balance sheet exposures do not represent future receivables since the Bank expects many of these contingent liabilities and commitments (such as direct credit substitutes and undrawn credit facilities) to expire or unconditionally cancelled by the Bank without them being called or drawn upon, and many of the contingent liabilities (such as letters of credit) are reimbursable by customers.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(d) Off-Balance Sheet Exposures and Counterparty Credit Risk

(i) Off-Balance Sheet Exposures

Off-balance sheet exposures of the Bank are mainly from the following:

- Financial guarantees and standby letters of credit, which represent undertakings that the Bank will make payments in the event that a customer cannot meet its obligations to third parties. These exposures carry the same credit risk as loans even though they are contingent in nature;
- Documentary and commercial letters of credit, which are undertakings by the Bank on behalf of the customer. These exposures are usually collateralised by the underlying shipment of goods to which they relate;
- Commitments to extend credit including the unutilised or undrawn portions of credit facilities; and
- Principal/notional amount of derivative financial instruments.

The management of off-balance sheet exposures is in accordance to the credit risk management approach as set out in the above disclosure.

(ii) Counterparty Credit Risk on Derivative Financial Instruments

Counterparty Credit Risk ("CCR") on derivative financial instruments is the risk that the Bank's counterparty in a foreign exchange, interest rate, commodity, equity, options or credit derivative contract defaults prior to maturity date of the contract and that the Bank at the relevant time has a claim on the counterparty. Apart from derivative financial instruments that are originated from customer-driven transactions, the Bank may also take trading derivative positions, within certain pre-set limits, with the expectation to make arbitrage gains from favourable movements in prices or rates.

Unlike on-balance sheet financial instruments, the Bank's financial loss is not the entire contracted principal value of the derivatives, but rather a fraction equivalent to the cost to replace the defaulted derivative financial instruments with another similar contract in the market. The Bank will only suffer a replacement cost if the contract carries a fair value gain at time of default.

(iii) Risk Management Approach

The CCR arising from all derivative financial instruments is managed via the establishment of counterparty limits and also managed as part of the overall lending limits to banks and customers based on BNM's Single Counterparty Exposure Limit ("SCEL"). Where possible, Over-the-Counter ("OTC") derivative financial instruments, especially Interest Rate Swaps and Options are transacted under master agreements, International Swaps and Derivatives Association ("ISDA") and Credit Support Annex ("CSA") agreements. ISDA allows for the close-out netting in the event of default by a counterparty and CSA provides credit protection with the requirements to post collateral usually in the form of cash or government securities upon any exposure above the agreed threshold levels.

All outstanding financial derivative positions are marked-to-market on a daily basis. Market Risk Management Department ("MRMD") and Processing Department ("PRO") monitor counterparties' positions and promptly request the collateral upon any exposure above the agreed threshold levels with relevant parties. Where possible, the Bank settles its OTC derivatives via the Payment-versus-Payment ("PVP") settlement method to further reduce settlement risk. For derivative financial instruments where the PVP settlement method is not possible, the Bank establishes settlement limits through the Bank's credit approval process.

(iv) Credit Rating Downgrade

In the event of a one-notch downgrade of rating for the Bank, based on the terms of the existing CSA of ISDA, the estimated additional collateral to be posted was Nil for 30 September 2025 (2025 March: RM Nil).

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Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(d) Off-Balance Sheet Exposures and Counterparty Credit Risk (Contd)

(iv) Credit Rating Downgrade (Contd)

The following table presents a breakdown of the off-balance sheet exposures of the Bank:

	Principal Amount RM'000	Positive Fair Value of Derivative Contracts RM'000	Credit Equivalent Amount RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000
2025 September				
Contingent Liabilities				
Direct credit substitutes	461,880		461,880	449,176
Transaction related contingent items	1,276,829		638,414	503,660
Short-term self liquidating trade-related contingencies	161,596		32,319	38,897
Commitments				
Other commitments, such as formal standby facilities and credit lines, with an original maturity of:				
• not exceeding one year	135,717		27,143	27,143
• exceeding one year	23,006		11,503	11,459
Any commitments that are unconditionally cancelled at any time by the Bank without prior notice or that effectively provide for automatic cancellation due to deterioration in a borrower's creditworthiness	18,846,026		-	-
	<u>20,905,054</u>		<u>1,171,259</u>	<u>1,030,335</u>
Embedded Loans				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	11,733,858	131,134	231,281	119,557
• over one year to five years	11,514,241	430,404	945,703	580,675
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	7,107,616	15,517	12,189	4,140
• over one year to five years	6,913,781	17,707	135,245	58,095
	<u>37,285,496</u>	<u>594,859</u>	<u>1,325,355</u>	<u>763,404</u>
Derivative Financial Instruments				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	29,365,827	169,713	514,025	340,408
• over one year to five years	1,989,546	113,452	223,083	190,244
• over five years	243,680	14,579	37,894	18,948
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	7,456,957	3,664	11,666	3,816
• over one year to five years	11,847,552	54,464	286,618	107,280
• over five years	911,218	11,127	56,935	35,408
Currency options *				
• one year or less	179,177	1,311	3,999	3,999
	<u>51,993,957</u>	<u>368,310</u>	<u>1,134,220</u>	<u>700,103</u>
	<u>110,184,507</u>	<u>963,169</u>	<u>3,630,834</u>	<u>2,493,842</u>

* Only buy legs are taken into account for counterparty credit risk purposes.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(d) Off-Balance Sheet Exposures and Counterparty Credit Risk (Contd)

(iv) Credit Rating Downgrade (Contd)

The following table presents a breakdown of the off-balance sheet exposures of the Bank: (Contd)

	Principal Amount RM'000	Positive Fair Value of Derivative Contracts RM'000	Credit Equivalent Amount RM'000	Risk-Weighted Assets RM'000
2025 March				
Contingent Liabilities				
Direct credit substitutes	649,111		649,111	642,279
Transaction related contingent items	954,098		477,049	432,077
Short-term self liquidating trade-related contingencies	117,482		23,496	23,496
Commitments				
Other commitments, such as formal standby facilities and credit lines, with an original maturity of:				
• not exceeding one year	94,169		18,834	18,834
• exceeding one year	48,425		24,213	24,199
Any commitments that are unconditionally cancelled at any time by the Bank without prior notice or that effectively provide for automatic cancellation due to deterioration in a borrower's creditworthiness	16,411,408		-	-
	<u>18,274,693</u>		<u>1,192,703</u>	<u>1,140,885</u>
Embedded Loans				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	12,843,312	232,021	356,959	132,126
• over one year to five years	11,741,055	365,132	734,109	458,530
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	6,336,554	15,418	16,390	6,711
• over one year to five years	6,881,380	28,441	96,295	39,135
	<u>37,802,301</u>	<u>641,012</u>	<u>1,203,753</u>	<u>636,502</u>
Derivative Financial Instruments				
Foreign exchange related contracts				
• one year or less	24,577,606	167,706	509,611	367,102
• over one year to five years	1,583,339	110,526	141,568	98,717
• over five years	590,245	36,299	110,477	79,598
Interest rate related contracts				
• one year or less	5,030,565	5,301	6,888	3,004
• over one year to five years	9,212,542	28,426	181,222	76,549
• over five years	919,708	12,722	39,347	24,078
Currency options *				
• one year or less	170,348	1,291	3,846	3,846
	<u>42,084,353</u>	<u>362,271</u>	<u>992,959</u>	<u>652,894</u>
	<u>98,161,347</u>	<u>1,003,283</u>	<u>3,389,415</u>	<u>2,430,281</u>

* Only buy legs are taken into account for counterparty credit risk purposes.

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Distribution of Credit Exposures (Contd)

(e) Securitisation Exposures

The Bank acts as principal adviser, lead arranger, lead manager, facility agent and/or liquidity provider for third party securitisation with originators. A bankruptcy remote special purpose vehicles, Merdeka Kapital Bhd ("MKB") and Ziya Capital Berhad ("Ziya") or (collectively "SPVs") was established to enter into an agreement with multi-originators to purchase or acquire portfolios of Receivables from them and in turn the SPVs will fund its purchase by issuing series of Asset-backed Medium-Term Notes ("MTNs") backed by such portfolio of Receivables. Horizon Funding Corporation (a bankruptcy remote SPV incorporated in Cayman Islands), acts as a funding vehicle to subscribe to the issuance under the Asset-Backed MTNs Programme.

Both MKB (Conventional Securitization SPV) and Ziya (Islamic Securitization SPV) have its own unrated Asset-backed MTN Programme. The Bank provided liquidity facility to MKB which was recognised as off-balance sheet in the banking book. The Bank also acted as a derivative counterparty for the SPVs. Both MKB's and Ziya's credit facilities have been settled and terminated in April 2024 and July 2021 respectively.

Risk Management Approach

The Bank provided liquidity facility to MKB to cover short-term cash flows disruptions for each of the securitisation exposures. The credit and liquidity risks of the Bank were mitigated by the respective waterfall payment obligations of MKB and Ziya. In this instance, the repayment obligation to the Bank as liquidity provider had been made amongst the top priority in the waterfall payment (normally after tax payment obligations to the authorities)

The use of this liquidity facility by MKB was limited to cover short-term cash flows disruptions in relation to payment obligation in respect of each securitisation exposures. It was not to be drawn to provide credit support, cover losses sustained or act as a revolving fund. In addition, the liquidity facility could only be drawn subjected to the conditions that no potential of default or event of default has occurred as well as other terms and conditions set forth in the liquidity facility agreements entered into

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Credit Risk Mitigation

The Bank's approach in granting credit facilities is based on the credit standing of the customer, source of repayment and debt servicing ability rather than placing primary reliance on Credit Risk Mitigants ("CRM"). Depending on the customer's standing and the type of product, facilities may be provided unsecured. Nevertheless, mitigation of credit risk is a key aspect of effective risk management and takes many forms.

The main types of collateral obtained by the Bank to mitigate credit risk are as follows:

- (a) for corporate loans - secured by cash deposits, corporate guarantees and charges over properties or assets being financed.
- (b) for retail mortgages - charges over residential properties.
- (c) for derivatives - additional margin for exposures above the agreed threshold.

There is no material concentration of CRM held. Presently, the CRM that includes bank guarantees and shares are governed by various monitoring limits to ensure such concentration risk is properly managed.

The reliance that can be placed on CRM is carefully assessed in light of issues such as legal enforceability, market value and counterparty credit risk of the guarantor. Policies and procedures are in place to govern the protection of the Bank's position from the onset of a customer relationship, for instance in requiring standard terms and conditions or specifically agreed upon documentation to ensure the legal enforceability of the credit risk mitigants

The valuation of CRM seeks to monitor and ensure that they will continue to provide the credit protection. Policy on the periodic valuation updates of CRM is in place to ensure this. The value of properties taken as collateral is generally updated from time to time during the review of the customers' facilities to reflect the current market value. The quality, liquidity and collateral type will determine the appropriate haircuts or discounts applied on the market value of the collateral

Where there is a currency mismatch, haircuts are applied to protect against currency fluctuations, in addition to ongoing review and controls over maturity mismatch between collateral and exposures. For mortgage loans, the collateral in the form of residential property, is required to be insured at all times against the peril of fire and other associated risks. In addition, customers are generally insured against major risks, such as death and permanent disability.

Currently, the Bank does not employ the use of derivative credit instruments such as credit default swaps, structured credit notes and securitisation structures to mitigate the Bank's credit exposures. In addition, the Bank enters into master netting arrangements with its derivative counterparties to reduce the credit risk where in the event of default, all amounts with the counterparty are settled on a net basis. Separately, the Bank has started obtaining third party cash collateral in its credit granting process

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Credit Risk Mitigation (Contd)

The following tables present the credit exposures covered by eligible financial collateral and financial guarantees as defined under the Standardised Approach. Eligible financial collateral consists primarily of corporate guarantees, properties, cash, securities from listed exchange or other marketable securities. The Bank does not have any credit exposure which is reduced through the application of other eligible collateral.

Exposure Class	Total Exposures before CRM RM'000	Total Exposures covered by Guarantees RM'000	Total Exposures covered by Financial Collaterals RM'000	Total Exposures covered by Other Eligible Collaterals RM'000
2025 September				
Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	4,415,048	-	-	-
Public Sector Entities	7,587	-	-	-
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	5,224,313	-	1,052,625	-
Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers	1	-	-	-
Corporates	19,693,247	21,320	9,752,946	-
Regulatory Retail	647	-	-	-
Residential Mortgages	12,227	-	-	-
Equity Exposures	28,442	-	-	-
Other Assets	1,092,831	-	-	-
Defaulted Exposures	529	-	-	-
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	30,474,872	21,320	10,805,571	-
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Credit-related exposures	1,171,259	-	-	-
Derivatives financial instruments	2,459,575	-	-	-
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	3,630,834	-	-	-
Total Credit Exposures	34,105,706	21,320	10,805,571	-
2025 March				
Credit Risk				
On-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Sovereigns/Central Banks	6,020,882	-	-	-
Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs	3,516,102	1,327,098	-	-
Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers	1	-	-	-
Corporates	20,561,601	989,018	10,462,523	-
Regulatory Retail	1,110	-	-	-
Residential Mortgages	10,344	-	-	-
Equity Exposures	28,442	-	-	-
Other Assets	1,143,195	-	-	-
Defaulted Exposures	1,938	-	-	-
Total On-Balance Sheet Exposures	31,283,615	2,316,116	10,462,523	-
Off-Balance Sheet Exposures:				
Credit-related exposures	1,192,703	-	-	-
Derivatives financial instruments	2,196,712	-	-	-
Total Off-Balance Sheet Exposures	3,389,415	-	-	-
Total Credit Exposures	34,673,030	2,316,116	10,462,523	-

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Assignment of Risk Weights for Portfolios Under the Standardised Approach

Under the Standardised Approach, the Bank makes use of credit ratings assigned by credit rating agencies in its calculation of credit risk-weighted assets. The following are the rating agencies or External Credit Assessment Institutions ("ECAI") ratings used by the Bank and are recognised by BNM in the CAF:

- (a) Standard & Poor's Rating Services ("S&P")
- (b) Moody's Investors Services ("Moody's")
- (c) Fitch Ratings ("Fitch")
- (d) RAM Rating Services Berhad ("RAM")
- (e) Malaysian Rating Corporation Berhad ("MARC")

The ECAI ratings accorded to the following counterparty exposure classes are used in the calculation of risk-weighted assets for capital adequacy purposes:

- (a) Banking institutions
- (b) Corporates

Unrated and Rated Counterparties

The majority of the Bank's credit and counterparties exposures are unrated. Otherwise, in general, the rating specific to the credit exposure is used, i.e. the issuer rating. Where no specific rating exists, the credit rating assigned to the issuer or counterparty of that particular credit exposure is used. In cases where an exposure has neither an issue nor issuer rating, it is deemed as unrated or the rating of another rated obligation of the same counterparty may be used if the exposure is ranked at least pari passu with the obligation that is rated, as stipulated in the CAF. Where 2 recognised external ratings are available, the lower rating is to be applied or where 3 or more recognised external ratings are available, the lower of the highest 2 ratings will be used. In cases where the credit exposures are secured by guarantees issued by eligible or rated guarantors, the risk weights similar to that of the guarantor are assigned.

The following is a summary of the rules governing the assignment of risk weights under the Standardised Approach:

Corporates

Rating Category	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	RAM	MARC	Risk weights
1	AAA to AA-	Aaa to Aa3	AAA to AA-	AAA to AA3	AAA to AA-	20%
2	A+ to A-	A1 to A3	A+ to A-	A1 to A3	A+ to A-	50%
3	BBB+ to BB-	Baa1 to Ba3	BBB+ to BB-	BBB1 to BB3	BBB+ to BB-	100%
4	B+ to D	B1 to C	B+ to D	B1 to D	B+ to D	150%
5	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	100%

Banking Institutions

Rating Category	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	RAM	MARC	Risk weights
1	AAA to AA-	Aaa to Aa3	AAA to AA-	AAA to AA3	AAA to AA-	20%
2	A+ to A-	A1 to A3	A+ to A-	A1 to A3	A+ to A-	50%
3	BBB+ to BBB-	Baa1 to Baa3	BBB+ to BBB-	BBB1 to BBB3	BBB+ to BBB-	50%
4	BB+ to B-	Ba1 to B3	BB+ to B-	BB1 to B3	BB+ to B-	100%
5	CCC+ to D	Caa1 to C	CCC+ to D	C1 to D	C+ to D	150%
6	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	50%

Sovereigns and Central Banks

Exposures to Government of Malaysia and BNM denominated and funded in Ringgit Malaysia are assigned a preferential risk weight of 0% as stipulated in the CAF. Other sovereign and central bank exposures are risk-weighted based on ECAI as below:

Rating Category	S&P	Moody's	Fitch	R&I	Risk weights
1	AAA to AA-	Aaa to Aa3	AAA to AA-	AAA to AA-	0%
2	A+ to A-	A1 to A3	A+ to A-	A+ to A-	20%
3	BBB+ to BBB-	Baa1 to Baa3	BBB+ to BBB-	BBB+ to BBB-	50%
4	BB+ to B-	Ba1 to B3	BB+ to B-	BB+ to B-	100%
5	CCC+ to D	Caa1 to C	CCC+ to D	CCC+ to C	150%
6	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	Unrated	100%

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Assignment of Risk Weights for Portfolios Under the Standardised Approach (Contd)

2025 September

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Sovereign/Central Banks

----- Ratings of Sovereign and Central Banks by Approved ECAIs -----						
1	2	3	4	5	Unrated	Total
-	4,415,048	-	-	-	-	4,415,048

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs

----- Ratings of Banking Institutions by Approved ECAIs -----						
1	2	3	4	5	Unrated	Total
4,975,389	1,662,210	-	23,153	13,155	-	6,673,907

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Public Sector Entities

Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers

Corporates

Regulatory Retail

Residential Mortgages

Other Assets

Equity Exposure

<----- Ratings of Corporate by Approved ECAIs ----->						
1	2	3	4	Unrated	Total	
-	-	-	-	87,500	87,500	
-	-	-	-	47,595	47,595	
7,006,671	1,283	-	-	14,738,851	21,746,805	
-	-	-	-	647	647	
-	-	-	-	12,931	12,931	
-	-	-	-	1,092,831	1,092,831	
-	-	-	-	28,442	28,442	
7,006,671	1,283	-	-	16,008,797	23,016,751	

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Assignment of Risk Weights for Portfolios Under the Standardised Approach (Contd)

2025 March

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Sovereign/Central Banks

----- Ratings of Sovereign and Central Banks by Approved ECAIs -----						
1	2	3	4	5	Unrated	Total
-	6,020,882	-	-	-	-	6,020,882

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs

----- Ratings of Banking Institutions by Approved ECAIs -----						
1	2	3	4	5	Unrated	Total
2,949,634	1,838,880	-	28,925	-	-	4,817,439

Credit Exposure

On and Off Balance Sheet Exposures

Public Sector Entities

Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers

Corporates

Regulatory Retail

Residential Mortgages

Other Assets

Equity Exposure

<----- Ratings of Corporate by Approved ECAIs ----->						
1	2	3	4	Unrated	Total	
-	-	-	-	108,579	108,579	
-	-	-	-	47,976	47,976	
7,042,591	2,982	-	-	15,447,499	22,493,072	
-	-	-	-	1,110	1,110	
-	-	-	-	12,335	12,335	
-	-	-	-	1,143,195	1,143,195	
-	-	-	-	28,442	28,442	
7,042,591	2,982	-	-	16,789,136	23,834,709	

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Assignment of Risk Weights for Portfolios Under the Standardised Approach (Contd)

The following tables present the credit exposures by risk weights and after credit risk mitigation of the Bank:

2025 September	Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation											
	Sovereigns / Central Banks RM'000	Public Sector Entities RM'000	Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs RM'000	Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers RM'000	Corporates RM'000	Regulatory Retail RM'000	Residential Mortgages RM'000	Securitisation Exposures RM'000	Equity Exposures RM'000	Other Assets RM'000	Total Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation RM'000	Total Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000
0%	4,016,754	-	1,052,625	-	9,217,852	-	-	-	-	114,577	14,401,808	-
20%	398,294	7,587	3,922,764	-	2,111,094	-	-	-	-	23,283	6,463,022	1,292,605
35%	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,585	-	-	-	9,585	3,355
50%	-	-	1,662,210	-	1,283	-	2,096	-	-	-	1,665,589	832,795
75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	721	-	-	-	721	540
100%	-	79,913	23,153	47,595	10,416,576	647	529	-	28,442	954,971	11,551,826	11,551,826
150%	-	-	13,155	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,155	19,732
Total Exposures	4,415,048	87,500	6,673,907	47,595	21,746,805	647	12,931	-	28,442	1,092,831	34,105,706	13,700,853
Risk-Weighted Assets by Exposures	79,659	81,430	1,658,542	47,595	10,839,437	647	5,473	-	28,442	959,628	13,700,853	
Average Risk Weight	2%	93%	25%	100%	50%	100%	42%	0%	100%	88%	40%	
Deduction from Total Capital			-					-	-		-	

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Assignment of Risk Weights for Portfolios Under the Standardised Approach (Contd)

The following tables present the credit exposures by risk weights and after credit risk mitigation of the Bank: (Contd)

2025 March		Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation										
Risk Weights	Sovereigns / Central Banks RM'000	Public Sector Entities RM'000	Banks, Development Financial Institutions & MDBs RM'000	Insurance Cos, Securities Firms & Fund Managers RM'000	Corporates RM'000	Regulatory Retail RM'000	Residential Mortgages RM'000	Securitisation Exposures RM'000	Equity Exposures RM'000	Other Assets RM'000	Total Exposures after Netting and Credit Risk Mitigation RM'000	Total Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000
0%	5,520,097	-	-	-	9,921,275	-	-	-	-	137,920	15,579,292	-
20%	500,785	-	2,949,634	-	2,139,176	-	-	-	-	27,920	5,617,515	1,123,503
35%	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,428	-	-	-	7,428	2,600
50%	-	-	1,838,879	-	2,982	-	959	-	-	-	1,842,820	921,410
75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,417	-	-	-	1,417	1,063
100%	-	108,579	28,925	47,976	10,429,639	1,110	2,531	-	28,442	977,356	11,624,558	11,624,558
Total Exposures	6,020,882	108,579	4,817,438	47,976	22,493,072	1,110	12,335	-	28,442	1,143,196	34,673,030	13,673,134
Risk-Weighted Assets by Exposures	100,157	108,579	1,538,291	47,976	10,858,965	1,110	6,673	-	28,442	982,941	13,673,134	
Average Risk Weight	2%	100%	32%	100%	48%	100%	54%	#DIV/0!	100%	86%	39%	
Deduction from Total Capital			-					-	-		-	

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Credit Quality of Gross Loans, Advances and Financing

The tables below present the gross loans, advances and financing analysed by credit quality:

	2025 September				2025 March			
	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000	Stage 1 RM'000	Stage 2 RM'000	Stage 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
Neither past due nor credit-impaired								
Normal grades	4,131,491	4,519,988	-	8,651,479	6,178,007	998,095	-	7,176,102
Close watch	-	58,574	-	58,574	-	93,973	-	93,973
Past due but not credit-impaired								
Normal grades	-	780	-	780	-	943	-	943
Credit-impaired								
Past due	-	-	757	757	-	-	720	720
Not past due	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	4,131,491	4,579,342	757	8,711,590	6,178,007	1,093,011	720	7,271,738

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Gross credit-impaired loans as a percentage of gross loans, advances and financing	0.01%	0.01%

(a) Past due but not credit-impaired

Past due but not credit-impaired loans, advances and financing are loans where the customer has failed to make a principal or interest payment when contractually due and includes loans which are due one or more days after the contractual due date but less than 3 months. The past due but not impaired loans, advances and financing of the Bank as at 30 September 2025 was 0.01% (2025 March: 0.01%).

The amount of past due but not credit-impaired loans breakdown by economic sector is as follows:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Household	780	943

The amount of past due but not credit-impaired loans breakdown by geographical location is as follows:

	2025 September		2025 March	
	Malaysia RM'000	Other Countries RM'000	Malaysia RM'000	Other Countries RM'000
Past due but not credit-impaired	780	-	943	-

4. CREDIT RISK (CONTD)

Credit Quality of Gross Loans, Advances and Financing (Contd)

(b) Credit-impaired Loans, Advances and Financing

The Bank assesses, at each reporting period, whether there is any objective evidence that an individually significant loan is impaired. If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred, the amount of the impairment loss is measured as the difference between the loan's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the loan's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the loan is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognised in profit or loss.

Credit-impaired loans, advances and financing are loans whereby payments of principal or interest or both are past due for three (3) months or more, or loans which are past due for less than three (3) months which exhibit indications of credit weaknesses, or impaired loans which have been restructured/rescheduled, but where repayments based on the revised terms have yet to fulfil the observation period required under the Bank's impairment policy.

The movements in impaired loans, advances and financing are set out in Note 16(i), the movements in impairment allowances are set out in Note 16(j) and the amount of impaired loans, advances and financing broken down by economic sector and geographical location are set out in Note 16(g) and Note 16(h) to the financial statement.

The amount of expected credit losses by economic purpose is as follows:

	2025 September		2025 March	
	Stage 1 and 2 Expected Credit Loss RM'000	Stage 3 Expected Credit Loss RM'000	Stage 1 and 2 Expected Credit Loss RM'000	Stage 3 Expected Credit Loss RM'000
Agricultural, hunting, forestry and fishing	318	-	-	-
Mining and quarrying	7	-	185	-
Manufacturing	4,163	-	4,889	-
Electricity, gas and water	144	-	-	-
Construction	1,941	-	733	-
Wholesale, retail trade, restaurants and hotels	432	-	458	-
Transport, storage and communication	9,263	-	1,010	-
Finance, insurance, real estate and business services	26,720	-	25,971	-
Households	519	186	532	175
	<u>43,507</u>	<u>186</u>	<u>33,778</u>	<u>175</u>

The charges for allowance for stage 3 expected credit losses during the year is as follows:

	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL Credit-Impaired 2025 March RM'000	Allowance for the Year RM'000	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL Credit-Impaired 2025 September RM'000
Household	<u>175</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>186</u>

(c) The amount of allowance for expected credit losses by geographical location is as per table below:

Impairment allowances by geographical location:

	2025 September RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Malaysia		
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	14,631	11,189
• Stage 2 - lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	7,767	9,461
• Stage 3 - lifetime ECL credit-impaired	186	175
	<u>22,584</u>	<u>20,825</u>
Other countries		
• Stage 1 - 12-month ECL	1,363	3,669
• Stage 2 - lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	19,746	9,459
	<u>21,109</u>	<u>13,128</u>

5. MARKET RISK

Market risk is the risk of loss arising from movements in market variables, such as interest rates, credit spreads, commodity prices, equity prices and foreign exchange rates. In addition, the market risk of Islamic Banking business of the Bank includes rate of return risk and displaced commercial risk.

Regulatory Capital Requirements

The Bank has adopted the Standardised Approach for market risk. The following tables present the minimum regulatory capital requirement on market risk:

	Long Position RM'000	Short Position RM'000	Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirements at 8% RM'000
2025 September				
Interest rate risk - general interest rate risk	89,489,293	(88,457,796)	1,153,296	92,264
Foreign exchange risk	5,945	(126,603)	126,600	10,128
	<u>89,495,238</u>	<u>(88,584,399)</u>	<u>1,279,896</u>	<u>102,392</u>
2025 March				
Interest rate risk - general interest rate risk	80,560,660	(79,974,564)	1,152,608	92,209
Foreign exchange risk	181,601	(3,498)	181,600	14,528
	<u>80,742,261</u>	<u>(79,978,062)</u>	<u>1,334,208</u>	<u>106,737</u>

Risk Governance

The Bank has established Trading Book and Hedging Policy as guidance for market risk management framework and policies. The ALCO supports the RMC in market risk management oversight, meets regularly and is the forum to discuss and aligns market risk management with business strategies and planning and recommends actions to ensure that the market risks remain within established risk tolerance level.

For effective control of market risk, triggers and limits are established after taking into account the Bank's risk appetite, and approved by the Board. Trading exposures are subject to intraday limits and daily limit. This is monitored and escalated by independent unit to relevant business unit, Management and ALCO on regular basis.

Risk Management Approach

Interest Rate Risk/Rate of Return in the Banking Book

Interest rate risk in the banking book ("IRRBB") and Rate of Return ("ROR") arises from the changes in market interest rate that adversely impact on the Bank's net interest income. One of the primary sources is due to repricing mismatches of the Bank's banking assets and liabilities and also from the Bank's investment of its surplus funds.

The primary objective in managing the IRRBB is to manage the volatility in the Bank's earnings. This is achieved in a variety of ways that involve the offsetting of positions against each other for any matching assets and liabilities, the acquisition of new financial assets to narrow the mismatch in interest rate sensitive assets and liabilities and entering into derivative financial instruments which have the opposite effects.

The Bank uses various tools including repricing gap reports and stress tests to measure its IRRBB. The impact on earnings is considered at all times in measuring the IRRBB and is subject to limits approved by the Board.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

Interest Rate Risk/Rate of Return in the Banking Book (Contd)

The following table sets out the Bank's sensitivity to interest rate movements by time band, based on the earlier of contractual repricing and maturity dates. Actual repricing dates may differ from contractual dates due to prepayments of loans or early withdrawals of deposits. As at 30 September 2025, the Bank recorded an overall positive interest rate gap of RM9,382,899,000 (2025 March: RM7,785,223,000), representing the net difference between interest sensitive assets and liabilities.

Sensitivity of Profit

The table below shows the sensitivity of the Bank's banking book to movement in the interest rates:

	2025 September Increase/(Decrease) RM'000	2025 March RM'000
Impact on earnings from 200 bps parallel shift		
MYR	101,611	124,452
USD	(21,584)	(23,477)
SGD	(296)	(356)
Others	2,261	(398)
Total	81,992	100,221
Impact on economic value from 200 bps parallel shift	RM'000	RM'000
MYR	27,093	17,959
USD	7,674	20,305
SGD	947	1,141
Others	10,698	10,934
Total	46,412	50,339

The sensitivity analysis is measured using Earning at Risk ("EaR") methodology and is based on the balance sheet position as at reporting date. The analysis does not take into account any actions that may be undertaken by Global Markets or business units to mitigate the impact of interest rate movements. In practice, Global Markets actively manage the Bank's interest rate risk profile to minimise losses and optimise net revenues. The projection assumes that interest rates across all maturities move in parallel and by the same magnitude, and therefore does not capture scenarios in which some rates change while others remain stable. The projection also assumes constant financial position structure, with all instruments held to maturity.

The repricing profile of non maturity loans is determined based on the earliest possible repricing date; actual dates may vary due to prepayments. The potential impacts on earnings are assessed on a monthly basis and are reported to the ALCO and RMC for review.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(a) Interest Rate Risk

The Bank is exposed to various risks associated with the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates on its financial position and cash flows. The following tables indicate the effective interest rate at the reporting date and the Bank's sensitivity to the interest rate by time band based on the earlier of contractual repricing date and maturity date:

	<----- Non-Trading Book ----->						Trading Book	Total	Effective Interest Rate %
	Up to 1 Month	1 to 3 Months	3 to 12 Months	1 to 5 Years	Over 5 Years	Non-Interest Sensitive			
2025 September	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Financial assets									
Cash and short-term funds	3,432,069	620,000	-	-	-	742,417	-	4,794,486	2.86
Reverse repurchase agreements	50,830	-	-	-	-	-	-	50,830	2.83
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	-	540,531	-	-	-	47,869	-	588,400	0.42
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	-	-	-	-	-	850,144	850,144	3.12
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	877,176	373,312	650,005	-	28,442	-	1,928,935	4.42
Loans, advances and financing									
- Non-impaired	3,521,145	3,293,929	2,117,702	-	-	-	-	8,932,776	4.82
- Impaired *	571	-	-	-	-	-	-	571	
- 12-month ECL and lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	-	-	-	-	-	(43,507)	-	(43,507)	
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	1,501,513	1,066,997	2,993,658	6,943,148	16,173	-	-	12,521,489	5.15
Purchased receivables	239,186	172,252	-	-	-	(162)	-	411,276	2.71
Collateral deposits placed	307,599	-	-	-	-	-	-	307,599	3.70
Derivative financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	368,310	368,310	
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	16,465	-	16,465	
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	67,007	-	67,007	
	9,052,913	6,570,885	5,484,672	7,593,153	16,173	858,531	1,218,454	30,794,781	

* This is arrived after deducting the ECL from the outstanding gross impaired loans, advances and financing.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(a) Interest Rate Risk (Contd)

2025 September	<----- Non-Trading Book ----->					Non-Interest Sensitive	Trading Book	Total	Effective Interest Rate %
	Up to 1 Month	1 to 3 Months	3 to 12 Months	1 to 5 Years	Over 5 Years				
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Liabilities									
Deposits from customers	5,487,000	407,296	910,927	-	-	4,887,829	-	11,693,052	3.31
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	1,306,626	299,130	-	-	-	14,341	-	1,620,097	3.63
Collateral deposits received	3,325,919	838,101	2,185,215	4,386,334	1,056,539	-	-	11,792,108	4.18
Derivative financial liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	338,529	338,529	
Other liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	277,626	-	277,626	
Lease liabilities	269	541	2,226	8,699	-	-	-	11,735	2.92
	10,119,814	1,545,068	3,098,368	4,395,033	1,056,539	5,179,796	338,529	25,733,147	
On-balance sheet interest sensitivity gap	(1,066,901)	5,025,817	2,386,304	3,198,120	(1,040,366)	(4,321,265)	879,925	5,144,790	
Off-balance sheet interest sensitivity gap	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,031,497	1,031,497	
Total interest sensitivity gap	(1,066,901)	5,025,817	2,386,304	3,198,120	(1,040,366)	(4,321,265)	1,911,422	6,176,287	

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(a) Interest Rate Risk (Contd)

2025 March	<----- Non-Trading Book ----->					Non-Interest Sensitive	Trading Book	Total	Effective Interest Rate %
	Up to 1 Month	1 to 3 Months	3 to 12 Months	1 to 5 Years	Over 5 Years				
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Financial assets									
Cash and short-term funds	5,375,071	550,000	-	-	-	500,684	-	6,425,755	3.11
Reverse repurchase agreements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	559,797	-	-	-	-	9,292	-	569,089	0.40
Financial assets at FVTPL	-	-	-	-	-	-	292,508	292,508	3.38
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	879,241	209,432	624,653	-	28,442	-	1,741,768	4.65
Loans, advances and financing									
- Non-impaired	3,613,021	2,158,108	1,753,586	-	-	-	-	7,524,715	5.08
- Impaired *	545	-	-	-	-	-	-	545	
- 12-month ECL and lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	-	-	-	-	-	(33,778)	-	(33,778)	
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	2,483,356	11,323,624	65,300	91,444	-	-	-	13,963,724	5.18
Purchased receivables	350,011	433,333	28,543	-	-	(347)	-	811,540	3.32
Collateral deposits placed	35,809	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,809	3.94
Derivative financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	362,271	362,271	
Statutory deposits with Bank Negara Malaysia	-	-	-	-	-	9,017	-	9,017	
Other assets	-	-	-	-	-	40,337	-	40,337	
	12,417,610	15,344,306	2,056,861	716,097	-	553,647	654,779	31,743,300	

* This is arrived after deducting the ECL from the outstanding gross impaired loans, advances and financing.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(a) Interest Rate Risk (Contd)

	<----- Non-Trading Book ----->					Non-Interest Sensitive	Trading Book	Total	Effective Interest Rate %
	Up to 1 Month	1 to 3 Months	3 to 12 Months	1 to 5 Years	Over 5 Years				
2025 March	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Liabilities									
Deposits from customers	5,523,975	1,100,654	1,623,445	-	-	3,260,823	-	11,508,897	3.46
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	2,518,805	406,470	102,379	-	-	11,854	-	3,039,508	3.97
Collateral deposits received	1,834,141	495,031	4,680,961	4,561,497	236,416	-	-	11,808,046	4.24
Derivative financial liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	-	308,190	308,190	
Other liabilities	-	-	-	-	-	183,211	-	183,211	
Lease liabilities	253	486	2,154	9,573	-	-	-	12,466	2.91
	9,877,174	2,002,641	6,408,939	4,571,070	236,416	3,455,888	308,190	26,860,318	
On-balance sheet interest sensitivity gap	2,540,436	13,341,665	(4,352,078)	(3,854,973)	(236,416)	(2,902,241)	346,589	4,882,982	
Off-balance sheet interest sensitivity gap	-	-	-	-	-	-	586,096	586,096	
Total interest sensitivity gap	2,540,436	13,341,665	(4,352,078)	(3,854,973)	(236,416)	(2,902,241)	932,685	5,469,078	

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(b) Foreign Exchange Risk

Foreign exchange risk arises from movements in currency exchange rates that may affect the value of the Bank's financial assets, liabilities and future cash flows denominated in foreign currencies. The exposures primarily originate from treasury and money market activities conducted in currencies other than Ringgit Malaysia, mainly the United States Dollar and Japanese Yen.

The Bank manages its foreign exchange risk by matching assets and liabilities in the same currency wherever possible, and by maintaining low net open positions within approved limits. Overall and individual currency Net Open Position ("NOP") limits are established in accordance with internal market risk policies. These exposures are monitored daily by the independent risk management function.

In addition to daily limit monitoring, the Bank conducts periodic stress testing to assess the impact of significant adverse currency movements under stressed market conditions. The stress testing framework incorporates macroeconomic linkages and market rate projections to estimate potential valuation impacts on foreign exchange positions.

Interest Rate and Foreign Currency Risk Stress Testing

Interest rate risk arises from movements in market interest rates that may affect the value of the Bank's trading securities and derivative positions. These exposures primarily originate from Global Markets trading activities involving interest rate swaps and Malaysian Government Securities (MGS).

The Bank manages interest rate risk by monitoring exposure to changes in yield curve and swap spreads within approved limits. Positions are actively managed within approved trading and hedging mandates and adjusted in response changes in market condition.

To supplement daily limit monitoring, the Bank performs periodic stress testing on its interest rate exposures. The stress testing framework evaluates the impact of shifts in market yield curves and swap rates under adverse conditions. Stressed yield and spread assumptions are based on a combination of internal scenario design and external market references. These are applied to derivative and securities portfolios to estimate potential valuation

All market risk stress testing results are reviewed by senior management and reported to the RMC. The results form an integral part of the Bank's capital adequacy assessment and ICAAP processes, ensuring that vulnerabilities to movements in foreign exchange and interest rates are appropriately assessed, and that sufficient capital buffers are maintained to withstand adverse market conditions.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

(b) Foreign Exchange Risk

2025 September	Denominated in						
	USD RM'000	JPY RM'000	EUR RM'000	SGD RM'000	AUD RM'000	CNY RM'000	Others RM'000
Assets							
Cash and short-term funds	334,550	156,877	51,112	65,147	10,942	100,663	23,127
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	-	540,531	-	-	-	-	-
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loans, advances and financing	6,353,935	30,473	-	-	-	-	-
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	11,138,796	-	-	-	86,030	-	-
Purchased receivables	93,975	-	-	-	-	293,465	-
Collateral deposits placed	217,178	-	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial assets	(692,568)	(388,086)	199,776	34	88,721	727	952
	17,445,866	339,795	250,888	65,181	185,693	394,855	24,079
Liabilities							
Deposits from customers	5,627,498	481,491	29,018	47,268	385	49,030	4,519
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	1,263,150	-	-	-	-	342,606	-
Collateral deposits received	11,486,111	196,577	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial liabilities	285,403	(185,023)	199,000	507	151	142	2,994
Other liabilities	127,312	9,247	153	206	609	1,771	168
	18,789,474	502,292	228,171	47,981	1,145	393,549	7,681
Net financial (liabilities)/ assets exposure	(1,343,608)	(162,497)	22,717	17,200	184,548	1,306	16,398
2025 March	Denominated in						
	USD RM'000	JPY RM'000	EUR RM'000	SGD RM'000	AUD RM'000	CNY RM'000	Others RM'000
Assets							
Cash and short-term funds	29,093	107,697	24,727	70,534	14,925	227,830	25,880
Deposits and placements with financial institutions	-	559,797	-	-	-	-	-
Financial investments at FVOCI	-	58,821	-	-	-	-	-
Loans, advances and financing	4,895,072	49,654	-	-	-	-	-
Embedded loans measured at FVTPL	12,374,638	400,439	-	-	-	-	-
Purchased receivables	165,340	-	-	-	-	619,670	-
Collateral deposits placed	25,257	-	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial assets	1,017,426	(185,683)	171,267	368	74	294	685
	18,506,826	990,725	195,994	70,902	14,999	847,794	26,565
Liabilities							
Deposits from customers	5,410,383	474,563	30,859	56,914	1,114	58,365	5,597
Deposits and placements of banks and other financial institutions	2,259,810	-	-	-	-	767,844	-
Collateral deposits received	11,002,468	697,852	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial liabilities	1,627,668	(642,693)	167,569	6,703	2,316	407	775
Other liabilities	84,603	16,632	-	2,325	189	6,214	576
	20,384,932	546,354	198,428	65,942	3,619	832,830	6,948
Net financial (liabilities)/ assets exposure	(1,878,106)	444,371	(2,434)	4,960	11,380	14,964	19,617

(c) Equity Risk

Equity risk refers to the adverse impact of change in equity prices on equity positions held by the Bank.

The Bank currently hold equity investments amounting to RM28,442,000 (2025 March: RM28,442,000) which are privately held for social economic purpose and is unquoted and stated at fair value through other comprehensive income and adjusted for impairment loss, if any.

5. MARKET RISK (CONTD)

Risk Management Approach (Contd)

Islamic Banking Business

There are no significant market risk exposures as at 30 September 2025 (2025 March: Nil).

6. LIQUIDITY RISK

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Bank is unable to maintain sufficient liquid assets, to meet its financial commitments and obligations, when they fall due or securing the funding requirements at excessive cost. Funding risk is the risk that the Bank does not have sufficiently stable and diverse sources of funding or the funding structure is inefficient.

Risk Governance

The ALCO is the primary party responsible for liquidity management based on guidelines approved by the RMC. Liquidity policies and frameworks are reviewed by the ALCO and approved by the Board prior to implementation.

Risk Management Approach

The liquidity risk management of the Bank, is aligned with the Liquidity Coverage Ratio ("LCR") and Net Stable Funding Ratio ("NSFR") requirements issued by BNM. NSFR compliance became effective from 1 July 2020. In addition, the Bank maintains a liquidity compliance buffer to meet any unexpected cash outflows. The day-to-day funding management, is undertaken by treasury operations and this includes the maintenance of a portfolio of highly liquid assets, that can be easily liquidated to meet the unforeseeable demand in cash flows arising from the maturity of deposits and loans. As at 30 September 2025, the information is available under table in Note 14 and 15 to the interim financial report.

The Bank's liquidity and funding position is supported by the Bank's significant deposit base. The deposit base primarily comprises of current and term deposits. Although the current account deposit is payable on demand, it has historically provided stable sources of funding. The Bank's reputation, earnings capacity, financial, capital strength and competitive deposit rates are core attributes to preserve depositors' confidence and to ensure stability in liquidity. The Bank accesses the wholesale markets by taking money market deposits to meet short-term obligations and to maintain its presence in the local money market space. The Bank has also obtained a Liquidity Support Letter from its Parent Bank and has given full support of fund related to any liquidity matter at any time.

The primary tools for monitoring liquidity is the maturity mismatch analysis, assessment on the concentration of funding, the availability of unencumbered assets as buffer assets, early warning indicators from the use of market-wide information to identify possible liquidity problems. It also measures funding liquidity risk by assessing the potential liquidity cost arising from the maximum likely cash outflow over the horizon period at a specified confidence level, covering the Bank's deposit denominated in major currencies. Liquidity positions are reported to the ALCO on a monthly basis and in major currencies i.e. in Ringgit Malaysia and in United States Dollars.

Contingency funding plans are in place to identify early warning signals of a potential liquidity problem. The contingency funding plans also set out the crisis escalation process as well as the various strategies to be employed to preserve liquidity including an orderly communication channel during a liquidity problem. To complement the contingency funding plans, a liquidity drill is conducted annually to validate the Bank's ability to raise funds/liquidity from the market. A liquidity stress test programme is in place to ensure liquidity stress tests are systematically performed by the various entities under the Bank to determine the cash flow mismatches under the "Specific Institution Liquidity Problem" and "Systemic Liquidity Problem" scenarios and the possible source of funding to meet the shortfalls during a liquidity crisis.

The Bank hold sufficient high-quality liquid assets ("HQLA") to withstand an acute liquidity stress scenario over a 30-day horizon for Liquidity Coverage Ratio ("LCR"). The Bank is maintaining stable source of funds to support assets and off-balance sheet activities for Net Stable Funding Ratio ("NSFR"). LCR and NSFR are part of the Basel III reform package which comprises measures to further strengthen the existing capital and liquidity standards for banking institutions. As of end March 2025, the Bank complies with the minimum LCR and NSFR as stipulated by BNM.

Islamic Banking Business

There are no significant liquidity risk exposures as at 30 September 2025 (2025 March: Nil).

7. OPERATIONAL RISK

Operational risk is the risk of loss arising from inadequate or failed internal process, people and system or from external events. The increasing need for an effective operational risk management is driven by a number of factors, among others are:

- Significant operational losses experienced at financial institutions;
- New regulatory requirements and international best practices;
- Significant and rapid changes to the economic and business environment;
- Growing need to optimise economic capital and measure performance;
- Protection and enhancement of shareholders' value; and
- Increasing number of potential threats affecting Bank's business operations especially cyber security and pandemic threats.

Periodic audit review from internal, holding company as well as external audit are conducted to ensure adequacy and effectiveness of the operational risk management process.

Regulatory Capital Requirements

The following presents the minimum regulatory capital requirement on operational risk for the Bank:

	2025 September		2025 March	
	Risk-Weighted Assets	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8%	Risk-Weighted Assets	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8%
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Operational risk	1,721,741	137,739	1,455,118	116,409

Risk Governance

In line with BNM's Guideline on Risk Governance, the Bank's internal processes and practices are tuned towards the same direction. The objectives are supported by a framework of principles on risk governance to guide the Board and Management in performing their risk oversight function. Risk Governance focuses on applying sound principles on the assessment and management of risks to ensure that risk taking activities are aligned with the Bank capacity to absorb losses and its long term viability. It is concerned in particular with the roles of the Board, Management and risk management control functions as well as processes by which risk information is collected, analysed and communicated to provide a sound basis for management decision. It is also concerned with the effects of incentives and organisational culture on risk taking behaviors and perceptions of risk in the Bank.

Operational Risk Management Framework

The Bank adopted sound Operational Risk Management ("ORM") practices based on industry best practices and international standards, as well as guidelines as described by the holding company's Operational Risk and Risk Management Policies.

The focus of the Framework is to provide greater clarity of roles and responsibilities in operational risk management at all levels of staff. It aims to promote stronger operational risk awareness and culture and to inculcate ORM practices in day-to-day business activities and responsibilities. This is further supported by having structured enablers for ORM using clearly defined Operational Risk language and processes, integrated approach and lifecycles, and internal control systems within the organisation. The ORM Framework sets out:

- Bank's definition and categories of Operational Risk;
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- Overview the relationship of the integrated components to manage Operational Risk {Risk and Controls Self-Assessment ("RCSA"), Global Control Self Assessment ("GCSA"), Loss Event Data ("LED") and Key Risk Indicators ("KRI")};
- The framework covers both Conventional and Shariah risks.

The framework adopted 3-lines of defense ("3LOD") model to manage operational risk with clear roles and responsibilities reflected for each line of defense. In 2025, we continue to strengthen the effectiveness of our 3LOD to better manage the risk. First line of defense identifies and manages the conducive control environment associated with their business function, while second line of defense represented by Risk & Compliance departments sets policy & control standards and manages enforcement, undertakes assessment & monitoring activities to manage risks. Third line of defense represented by Audit provides independent challenge to the risk management posture and process to provide assurance of effectiveness to the Board.

7. OPERATIONAL RISK (CONTD)

Risk and Control Assessments

Risk and control assessment is a periodic set of activities and programs to manage the different types of operational risk. Among others (but not limited to) are Risk & Control Self Assessment (RCSA), Global Control Self Assessment (GCSA), Periodic Review of Outsourcing Parties, Self Inspection Program, Product Review, System Risk Evaluation, Cyber Maturity Assessment, etc. These activities are carried out in collaboration with first line of defence as the risk owner to manage operational risk within acceptable level.

Business Continuity Management

The Bank's Business Continuity Management ("BCM") programme is in compliance with requirements of BNM, the holding company and in line with International Standards ISO22301 to ensure all critical business functions can continue in the event of a disruption.

During the Covid-19 pandemic period, we successfully implemented business continuity responses and continued to offer essential services and maintained service level agreements to serve our customers with minimal disruption. No major impact arised from pandemic infection or third party dependencies in the past one year. The Crisis Management Team ("CMT") chaired by CEO monitors and manages responses to any incident escalated from the business functions to ensure continuity of our business.

Reporting

Reporting forms an essential part of operational risk management. The Bank's risk management processes are designed to ensure that operational issues are identified, escalated and managed on a timely manner. Operational risk areas for key operation, business and control units are reported through monthly operational risk management reports, which provide analysis and action plans for each significant business operation. The operational risk areas include premises control and safety, losses due to fraud and control lapses, systems availability, disaster recovery and business continuity simulations, information security, product/service review, self-inspection, operations volume, staff attrition, Shariah non-compliance, outsourcing activities and managing legal action taken against the Bank. The operational risk management reports are tabled to the Operational Risk Management and Control Committee Meeting ("ORMCC") on monthly basis and escalated to the Risk Management Committee Meeting ("RMC") on quarterly basis.

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	2025 September		2025 March	
	Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8% RM'000	Risk- Weighted Assets RM'000	Minimum Capital Requirement at 8% RM'000
Operational risk	32,763	2,621	32,186	2,575

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7. OPERATIONAL RISK

Operational risk is the risk of loss arising from inadequate or failed internal process, people and system or from external events. The increasing need for an effective operational risk management is driven by a number of factors, among others are:

- Significant operational losses experienced at financial institutions;
- New regulatory requirements and international best practices;
- Significant and rapid changes to the economic and business environment;
- Growing need to optimise economic capital and measure performance;
- Protection and enhancement of shareholders' value; and
- Increasing number of potential threats affecting Bank's business operations especially cyber security and pandemic threat.

Periodic audit review from internal, holding company as well as external audit are conducted to ensure adequacy and effectiveness of the operational risk management process.

Regulatory Capital Requirements

The following presents the minimum regulatory capital requirement on operational risk for the Bank:

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Risk Governance

In line with BNM's Guideline on Risk Governance, the Bank's internal processes and practices are tuned towards the same direction. The objectives are supported by a framework of principles on risk governance to guide the Board and Management in performing their risk oversight function. Risk Governance focuses on applying sound principles on the assessment and management of risks to ensure that risk taking activities are aligned with the Bank capacity to absorb losses and its long term viability. It is concerned in particular with the roles of the Board, Management and risk management control functions as well as processes by which risk information is collected, analysed and communicated to provide a sound basis for management decision. It is also concerned with the effects of incentives and organisational culture on risk taking behaviors and perceptions of risk in the Bank.

Operational Risk Management Framework

The Bank adopted sound Operational Risk Management ("ORM") practices based on industry best practices and international standards, as well as guidelines as described by the holding company's Operational Risk and Risk Management Policies.

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