



# ANNUAL REPORT | 2019



# Annual report 2019

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# Foreword by the Chairwoman of the Board of Directors

Dear shareholders, clients and business partners,

I would like to thank you for your trust and support over the last year. If we thought that the banking market has nothing to surprise us with in 2019, the opposite was true. Mortgage interest rates reached new lows and competition in consumer credit intensified.

Revenues from retail credit products declined along with lower margins. At the same time, the effort to achieve higher sales volumes to compensate for the outage was considerably limited by the size of the bank and its market share.

On the other hand, the Bank has continuously tried to invest in better quality services. During the year we brought clients the possibility to pay by mobile via Google Pay, we were the first bank in Slovakia to introduce in all our ATMs contactless access and implemented a new service of sending money to a phone number via VIAMO. The biggest project was the pilot testing of changing classic branches to cashless advisory workplaces in 15 selected branches. In the new cashless branches recycling ATMs were installed, WIFI zones were established and for the purposes of sales promotion we developed a special application for tablets that we use when working with the client. Pilot branches have also been redesigned to differentiate them.

In corporate banking, in the course of 2019 we re-organized the corporate network structure in favor of greater flexibility and better personnel quality of services. In particular, we tried to focus on financing small and medium-sized enterprises to diversify risks in order to increase the stability of our portfolio.

Despite the highly competitive environment, OTP Banka managed to achieve a positive economic result for 2019. We owe this in particular to our cautious approach to client portfolio quality, lower risk surcharges and successful coping with part of past failed loans.

We strive to return their loyalty to our clients not only by providing quality services, but also via social responsibility activities in the regions where we operate. Through the OTP Ready Foundation, supported by the Bank, we provide financial literacy trainings for primary and secondary school students. We believe that financial literacy of the growing generation is the key to their successful adult life. We also support sporting, cultural, social, charitable activities and corporate volunteering at local, regional, but also national level.

In 2019, competition continued to intensify on the Slovak banking market. Other factors, such as the size of the bank, escalating regulatory requirements, the approval of an increase in special bank levies for 2020 and the market environment of falling interest rates in retail lending, have resulted in a revision of the parent bank's strategy for further operations in the Slovak market.

Let me thank all of the Bank's clients and shareholders for their support in 2019.

**Ing. Zita Zemková**

Chairwoman of the Board of Directors  
and Director General  
OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.



# Companie bodies

## Board of Directors

**Ing. Zita Zemková,**

Chairwoman of the Board of Directors  
and CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.,

responsible for the management of the 1st Division – Organisation & Support

**Ing. Rastislav Matejsko,**

Member of the Board of Directors  
and Deputy CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.,

responsible for the management of the 2nd Division – Finance & Treasury

**Ing. Radovan Jenis,**

Member of the Board of Directors  
and Deputy CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.,

responsible for the management of the 3rd Division – Risk

**Dr. Sándor Patyi,**

Member of the Board of Directors  
and Deputy CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.,

responsible for the management of the 4th Division – Business

## Supervisory Board

**József Németh,**

Chairman

**Angelika Mikócziová,**

Member

**Atanáz Popov,**

Member

**Attila Angyal,**

Member

**Jaroslav Hora,**

Member

**Tamás Endre Vörös,**

Member

**Krisztina Kovács,**

Supervisory Board member until 3 April 2019

**Ágnes Rudas,**

Supervisory Board member until 13 April 2019

**Balázs Létyay,**

New Supervisory Board member, commencement  
of the term of office from 20 June 2019

**Adrienn Erdős,**

New Supervisory Board member, commencement  
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# Shareholders structure

## 31 December 2019

The share of domestic shareholders in share capital as of 31 December 2019 accounted for 0.54% and the share of foreign shareholders accounted for 99.46%.

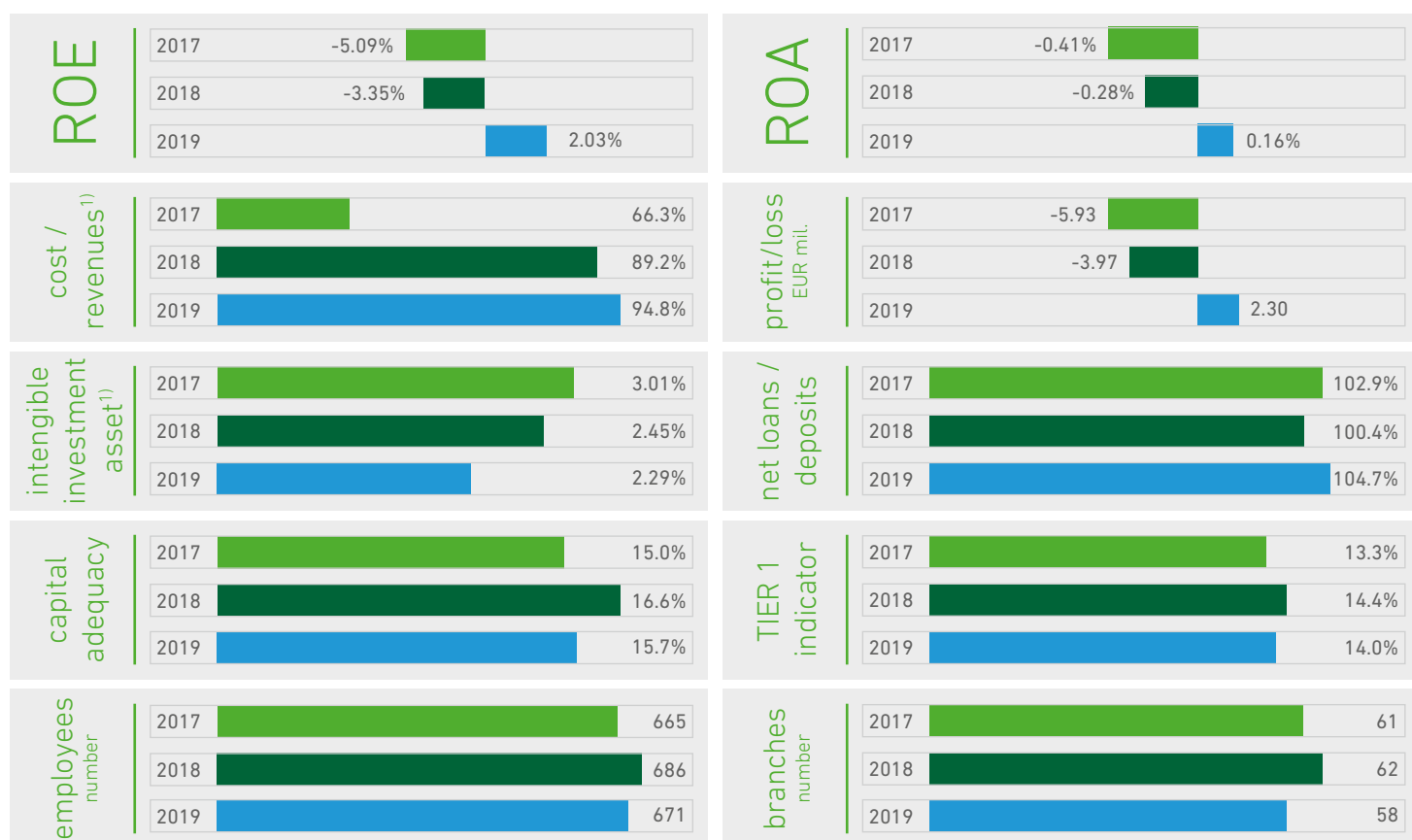
OTP Bank, Nyrt., is the only shareholder with a share of more than 1% in the Bank's registered capital.

### Structure of shareholders as of 31. 12. 2019

Shareholder	Shareholding participation (in ths. EUR)	Share (in %)
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Others	704	0.56
Total registered capital	126 591	100

# The report of the board of directors on the company's business activities and status of assets

## 1. Basic indicators



1) in 2019, there was a change in the reporting of revenues, which caused them to decrease by approximately 20% in the following years.

2) number of full - time employees

## 2. External environment

In 2019, the development of world trade was strongly influenced by the introduction of a high number of trade barriers, mainly as a result of disagreements between the US and China. Global demand slowed sharply, which was negatively reflected mainly in the development of sales in industrial production, while domestic consumption and services remained resilient to the increasing risks of the external environment.

Industrial production has also declined recently in the eurozone. Especially the automotive industry is coping with the ever-decreasing demand and transformation of the industry in both technological and structural aspects. Production also fell sharply on the German market, which is Slovakia's most important European strategic partner in terms of exports. The growth of the Slovak economy remains dependent on the development of trade relations between the superpowers and the EU as well as on the way of settlement of relations with Great Britain.

In order to prevent a more severe crisis and dampen the current economic downturn, monetary conditions have been further eased in the financial markets. According to the latest assumptions, short- and long-term interest rates will remain at their minimum levels for a long period of time, and their further potential decline is not excluded. Short-term interest rate in the euro area is expected to remain at negative levels until 2025. Over the past year, yields to maturities of bonds of various maturities have also been gradually decreasing. The low level of time risk premiums has prompted an intensive increase in the volume of debt securities traded with negative yields.

The rate of growth of the Slovak economy returned to its values from three years ago, but remained above the average of the eurozone. Year-on-year GDP growth was dampened mainly by exports, which responded very sensitively to falling demand on world markets. The dynamics of the price level increase were mainly set by rising prices of energy, food and services. Due to rising average wages and stable unemployment rates, household consumption continued to grow. At the same time, higher wages and reports of a possible economic crisis have motivated consumers to more savings. The saving rate of the population increased significantly year on year to around 11%. According to the NBS's assessment, households continued to be over-indebted, with credit growth taking place in a highly competitive environment, with interest margins reaching the lowest levels in the eurozone area. Among the most important factors of credit growth, in addition to the strong competitive pressure on credit prices and maximizing profitability or market share requirements of parent companies, was also the provision of refinancing loans with additional significant debt increases.

The profit of the Slovak banking sector after tax in 2019 increased by half a %, mainly due to lower credit risk costs, higher fee and commission income as well as dividend income. On the other hand, general operating expenses as well as other operating expenses, such as bank tax, payments to the deposit guarantee fund, contributions to the resolution fund and supervision fees, increased. Net income declined most in the retail sector. Gradually, the rate of offsetting of the decline in loan income through an increase in their volumes, a decrease in the cost of

deposits or an increase in fee income is also gradually slowing. On the contrary, business-oriented products, dividends received and lower risk costs contributed to improving overall performance. The ROE is falling significantly below 10%, which, given that this level is already at the minimum required rate of return for some banks, may mean a gradual reduction in shareholder investment rates in the future and lead to major structural changes and consolidations. This is reinforced by the increased bank levy and its possible long-term retention. In 2020, banks should pay roughly twice the 2019 levy into the state budget, ie. up to 40% of their profits. This puts at risk the possibility of strengthening capital and the ability to lend to companies and residents.

Growth in total loans in the sector slowed to 6.8% year on year. The rate of growth also fell for consumer loans, a 9.9% increase in housing loans could only be achieved as a result of further significant cuts in interest rates by banks in the second half of the year. This also leads to an increase in households' indebtedness risks. Measures taken by the NBS led mainly to a decrease in the amount of the loss in case of default. Corporate loans grew at a slower pace due to the economic downturn, while investment loans were less attractive mainly for the corporate sector. The share of non-performing loans decreased mainly due to an increase in portfolios and an increase in their write-offs and divestments. Loans, coupled with accelerated deposit growth and covered bond issueing, have shifted bank financing towards a healthier structure. The year-on-year increase in deposits (4.8%) was largely due to the current accounts of the population + 12.4% (+ EUR 2.2 billion). The current accounts of entrepreneurs also grew significantly, rising by 4.9% (+ EUR 0.8 billion).

The ECB's new monetary policy measures adopted in September 2019 will also have a significant impact on banks' performance. Reducing the deposit rate by 0.1% age point to -0.5%, resuming bond purchases and introducing a two-tier negative interest rate policy should have a positive impact on banks' profitability, increase lending incentives, make more money available and long-term interest rates are expected to further decline.

## 3. Basic facts about the bank's performance

The year 2019 was a challenging one for the bank. The complicated market and legislative conditions and the media coverage of a potential change in ownership were also reflected in the development of its trading portfolios. The deposit portfolio was characterized by an accelerated outflow of term accounts, motivated mainly by low interest rates, year-on-year dynamics of current accounts reached 4%.

An active account was chosen by 10% more clients than a year ago, the high growth rate was also maintained in the increase in the number of transactions, which was mainly due to new services via mobile applications. Since September, clients have been able to pay via Google Pay and send money to any mobile phone number within Slovakia via the VIAMO application.

In 2019, the Bank provided retail clients with a slightly higher volume of new loans than last year. In particular, sales of home equity loans and fast consumer loans flourished. The advantageous interest rate and television campaigns supported mainly the product otp Expres loan, which clients could also apply for via electronic banking. Corporate banking was primarily targeted at small and medium-sized businesses, the agrarian sector and apartment block managers. In order to increase the loan offer, the Bank used the opportunity to participate in financing the renovation of apartment buildings in order to increase their energy efficiency. Apartment buildings can benefit from more favorable conditions thanks to the Integrated Regional Operational Program, which is co-financed by the European Structural and Investment Funds.

In the area of profitability, the year-on-year increase in net fee income by 7.5% and the slowing of the decline in net interest income to 7.6% were particularly important. Net profit from financial operations and revaluation of financial assets also improved significantly. In addition to the markedly positive development of card business fees, commissions for intermediating the sale of mutual funds increased (+ 36%). In 2019, the risk costs decreased significantly. Improvements have been made as a result of several measures in the approval, monitoring and recovery processes, while the quality of the portfolio was also affected by favorable market developments. The coverage of the defaulted portfolio by total provisions increased by 4%.

In 2019, the Bank proceeded to further modernize its branches. Recycling ATMs have been installed at 15 branches to simplify services and make them more attractive for clients with cash withdrawals and deposits, which at the same time allowed the Bank's employees to carry out more advisory services in the area of sales of banking services. Other types of ATMs that have been upgraded to non-contact ATMs have also contributed to greater comfort.

In cooperation with the AXA Group, the Bank decided to take advantage of the growing interest in saving in the 2nd and 3rd pillars by selling savings-pension at its branches.

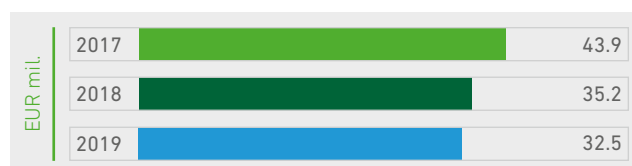
## 4. Financial results

### 4.1. Operating revenues

#### 4.1.1. Net interest income

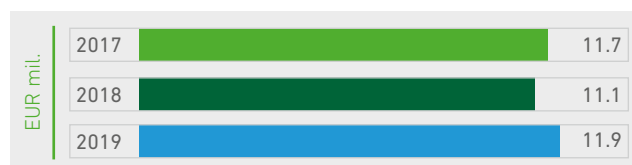
It decreased by 7.6% compared to the previous year. The magnitude of the decrease in interest income was much more moderate than in the previous year. The stricter NBS rules on credit standards and aggressive pricing policies of banks were reflected mainly in a decline in interest income in the retail segment. In the case of housing loans, the rate of decrease in interest income due to a 0.2% decrease in the average interest rate was not offset by the rising average volume. The average rate of consumer loans, mainly refinancing loans, decreased 0.3% year on year. The average volume, with relatively stable development of new business, was negatively affected by a gradual increase in early repayments. The amount of interest received in the business

segment was mainly influenced by the lower average volume of loans provided to small and medium-sized enterprises. Total interest expenses remained at the level of last year, while client deposits generated 15% lower costs than the previous year. As a result of higher efficiency, the Bank has changed its liquidity management strategy since mid-2018, replacing financing through bank bonds with interbank deposits. The year-on-year increase was recorded only for subordinated debt costs due to an increase in volume in August 2018. The net interest margin fell year-on-year to 2.29%.



#### 4.1.2. Net fee and commission income

Increased on a year-on-year bases by 7.5%. The bank achieved higher fee income by 15.3% in the card business. Through activating clients, introducing new services, increasing the number of ATMs, including recycling ATMs, the number and volume of transactions increased by almost 20%. On the other hand, the Bank also managed to save on the cost side, in particular by optimizing the number of card-related queries and minimizing card misuse losses through 3D Secure security. Another positive driver of fee income was higher commissions received for facilitating the sale of third-party products, where the bank achieved a 27.7% (+350,000 EUR) year-on-year increase. The bank collected lower fees than in the previous year from loan and deposit products. In the area of retail loans, the negative impact of last year's price adjustments in accordance with the applicable NBS regulations persisted, while the fees collected for early repayments and reminders continued to decline. The 2% year-on-year decrease in deposit fees was mainly related to the Bank's efforts to motivate clients to intensify transaction behavior. In 2019, the Bank continued to redirect retail clients to use a more favorable Active Account. While the incentive pricing of the new products reduced the collected management fees, it was offset by higher card revenues. An active account was chosen by 10% more clients than a year ago, the number of active clients continued to grow, which is largely related to the successful development of electronic and payment services (internetbanking, mobile banking, payments via Google Pay, VIAMO).



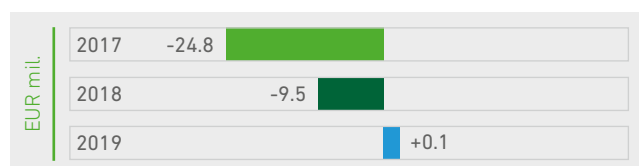


## 4.2. Operation costs

increased by 3% compared to 2018. Costs in the area of human resources management and development, as well as depreciation, increased more dynamically. Depreciation was affected by the volume of investment activities in previous years and, in particular, by the implementation of IFRS 16. As a result of IFRS 16, costs were shifted between two cost categories, where depreciation increased and rental costs for real estate fell. In 2019, the Bank focused on streamlining its communication with clients, which resulted in a year-on-year decrease in the costs of advertising and marketing media. The ratio of operating costs to revenues increased year-on-year from 89% to 95%. the reason for the 3% increase in operating expenses was the decrease in operating income at the same rate.

## 4.3. Credit risk costs

During 2019, the Bank continued to consolidate its portfolio, it was able to reduce the volume of default receivables (stage 3) by EUR 22 million and its share in the total loan portfolio reached 6.5% (in 2018 it was 8.2%). As of the end of 2019, the Bank reported a failed portfolio (stage 3) in the amount of EUR 77 million (EUR 99 million in 2018). This improvement was due to a number of measures taken by the Bank in the approval, monitoring and recovery processes of the failed portfolio, both in 2019 and in previous periods, while the quality of the portfolio was also affected by favorable developments on the market as such. Positive developments in portfolio quality resulted in a reduction in risk costs to close to zero (EUR -9.5 million last year), with the provisioning portfolio failing again increasing from 86.5% to 90.4% (calculated as ratio of total provisions to defaulted loans (stage 3)).



## 4.4. Economic results

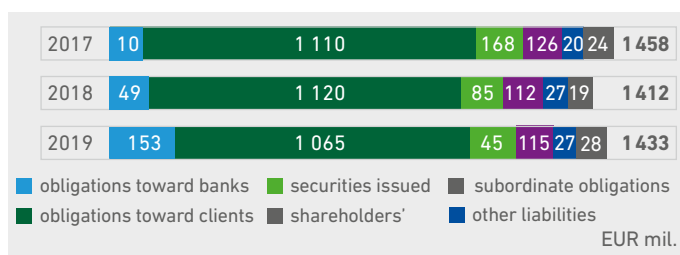
In 2019, the Bank reported economic result - profit of 2.3 mil. EUR. The positive result in operating revenues was mainly due to an increase in fees of 0.8 mil. However, the risk costs fell most significantly year-on-year.

# 5. Business results

## 5.1. Liabilities and equity

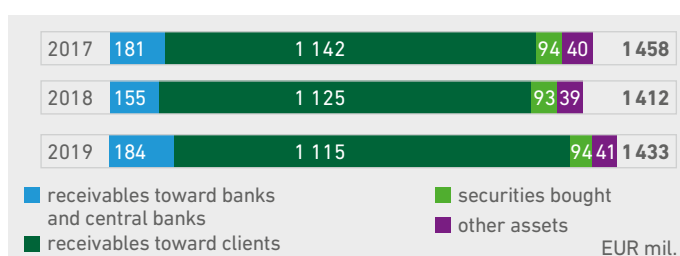
In 2019, the Bank's total assets increased slightly by 1.5%. The total volume of primary sources decreased by 4.9%, while increases in demanded account volumes were recorded in each segment. The volume of current business accounts increased by 4.6%, while funds deposited by personal banking clients increased by 2.0% year-on-year. The outflow of retail time deposits remained slightly below the previous year's level. The Bank reported subordinated liabilities at the same level as last year (EUR 27 million). In February 2019, the Bank repaid bonds in the total nominal value of 40 mil. EUR. The portfolio of issued securities fell by 47.0% year on year.

The Bank fulfilled all European and national legislative requirements in the field of capital and, at the end of the year, it achieved adequacy of own funds at a level of 15.7%.



## 5.2. Assets

The Bank increased its total assets to EUR 1,433 million year-on-year. EUR (+ 1.5%), while the composition of assets remained stable and there were no major changes in their structure. Receivables from customers have the main share in assets, but despite a slight year-on-year decrease in their volume (EUR -9.6 million) they account for 78% of total assets, which the Bank considers to be a manifestation of a healthy balance sheet profile. Cash and short-term receivables from banks and central banks account for 12.8% of total assets (11.0% in 2018) and, together with a good portfolio of securities, which account for 6.6% of the balance sheet, ensure a stable liquidity position for the Bank. An important change in other assets was the change in presentation of assets, where the new IFRS 16 became applicable. This standard requires financial and operating leases under tangible assets to be presented as a right to use, resulting in an increase in other assets of EUR 2.9 million. EUR. Other components of assets remained unchanged. The Bank managed its assets and their structure in such a way as to meet all regulatory and internal liquidity management requirements in an effort to use them efficiently.

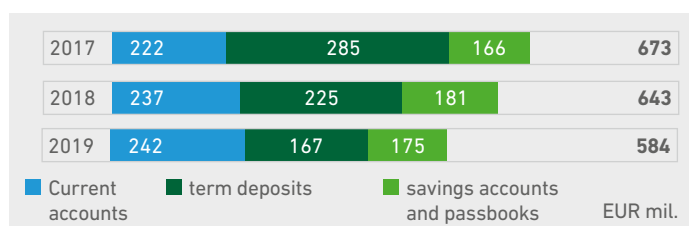


## 6. Retail banking

### 6.1. Retail deposits

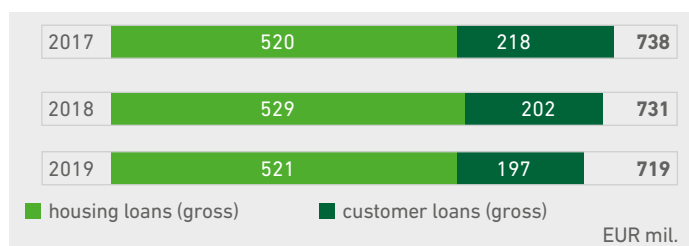
Despite challenging market conditions and in an effort to further reduce the cost of funding, retail deposits again managed to grow in important areas during 2019. The number of clients with the Active Account product grew by 10% in 2019, which was also reflected in an increase in the number of active clients of the Bank.

In the area of retail deposits, in 2019, the Bank offered its clients a Combined Deposit, which combined a term deposit with an investment in a mutual fund. Clients also continued to be interested in the proven combination of Active Account and Savings Account with a Current Account, which provides convenient and comfortable unbound savings.



### 6.2. Retail loans

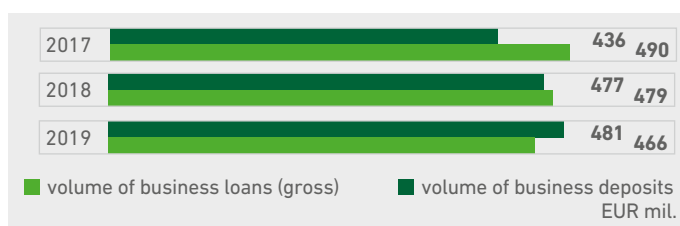
Retail loans amounted to 719 mil. EUR by the end of the year. Their year-on-year decline was mainly due to aggressive price competition, when interest rates (especially on housing loans) reached, even in comparison with other European countries, the level that the bank considers unsustainable in the long term. With its interest rate policy, the bank did not engage in this interest war, which, together with the NBS's legislative restrictions and virtually non-existent obstacles to refinancing loans by another bank, resulted in a 1.7% (EUR -13 million) decline in the portfolio. On the other hand, the Bank emphasized the improvement of the lending process by extending the automated lending process and promoting it through marketing campaigns. The Bank also further developed cooperation with external sales networks, where, in addition to developing the business side of cooperation, it also developed a mobile application to streamline the sales process.



## 7. Corporate banking

continued following last year's trends. Entrepreneurial financing was under severe pressure from the conditions set by financial rivals in the market. This was mainly reflected in a decline in interest margins in all segments. Micro, small and medium-sized enterprises, the agrarian sector and apartment block managers remained the priority for the Bank. In order to co-finance preferential loans granted to owners of flats and non-residential premises for the comprehensive renovation of apartment buildings in order to increase their energy efficiency, the Bank started to use a credit line supported by the European Structural and Investment Funds. In an effort to streamline the related business activities, it has moved loans for home renovation under the management of the apartment owners community from the SME segment to the micro client segment. The volume of gross loan portfolio decreased by 0.9% at the end of the year, due to targeted recovery of the loan portfolio through sales and write-offs of defaulted credit claims as well as an increase in the volume of corporate early repayments. With the support of a team of specialists, the Bank continued to provide business finance products. The most significant growth (+ 52%) was recorded in the area of receivables financing through regression and non-regression factoring, where the bank achieved a turnover of 43 mil. EUR. Fees and commissions were increased by 15% overall, largely thanks to letters of credit and bank guarantees.

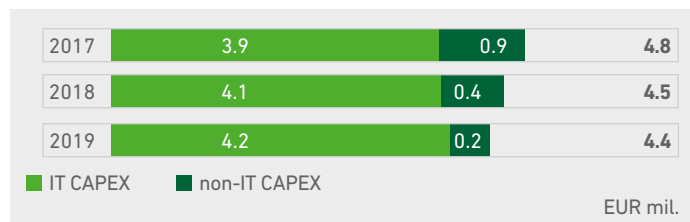
On the corporate deposits side, the Bank recorded a stable development in 2019, compared to the previous year only there was only a structural change in favor of demand accounts. In order to streamline and increase sales and service for corporate clients, the Bank reorganized its corporate sales network. By setting the optimum number of workplaces and relationship managers, the company pursued a qualitative improvement in the management, substitutability and information of dealers, and last but not least, cost savings.



## 8. Development of the bank

In 2019, the Bank invested EUR 4.4 million of which investments in the area of information technology and development of banking services amounted to EUR 4.2 million. A significant share of investments in 2019 was spent on the purchase of recycling ATMs to expand and modernize the ATM network, increase the efficiency of banking services provided at points of sale and encourage the acquisition of new clients. Another of the priorities in the area of sales support and

improving the quality of services provided to clients was the development of electronic and payment services (internet-banking, mobile banking, payments via Google Pay, VIAMO), significant attention was paid to the development of the system of approval of credit products and services. As part of further investments, the Bank focused on maximizing the level of security of information systems and electronic payment channels, investing appropriately in the purchase of computer equipment and modernization of IT infrastructure.



## 9. Anticipated business development

The slowdown in Slovak economic growth as a result of lower foreign demand is likely to continue in 2020. Export dynamics will be hampered by Brexit and a global slowdown in world trade, but on the other hand the Slovak economy will be positively impacted by ECB measures of September 2019. The decline in disposable income of the population will negatively affect consumer demand despite positive changes in the tax burden. We expect the decline in unemployment to stop and wage growth to slow down. The inflation rate should decline after peaking in 2019.

The expected deepening of the low interest rate period will have a negative impact on already low interest rates on loans and will encourage further indebtedness of households, as banks will want to cover shortfalls from ever-decreasing interest margins by further increasing the volumes provided. For this reason, we do not exclude the possibility that the NBS will take further measures to dampen the demand for housing loans (through a further increase in the amount of the financial reserve, DTI indicator or other measures). In the area of corporate clients, the economic slowdown will lead to lower funding demand. A 100% increase in bank levy will have a significant negative impact on banks' management, reducing banks' resources to cover their capital adequacy and significantly affecting, in particular, smaller banks. The amount of capital will also be affected by the planned increase in the countercyclical capital buffer to 2% in the second half of the year. In 2020, low credit risk costs and streamlining operations will help banks generate profits. Banks will continue to use the new facility - covered bond issues - to reduce the cost of asset financing.

In 2020, the bank will go through a process leading to a change of ownership. For this reason, it will aim to minimize the negative effects of this process on client deposits and loans, while meeting all regulatory limits..

## 10. Additional information

The bank does not have a foreign branch. It does business in the field of banking, while this activity has no specific negative impact on the environment.

Via the OTP Ready Foundation, the Bank supports financial education of pupils at elementary and secondary schools in the whole territory of Slovakia.

The bank did not acquire own shares, temporary certificates or stakes, nor did it acquire shares, temporary certificates or stakes in the parent accounting unit Also, it did not acquire any public subsidies.

Suggestions for settlement of profit for the current period and Events after the reporting period are described in the Notes to the Separate Financial Statements on page 74.

On February 17, 2020 a purchase agreement was concluded between the seller of OTP Bank Nyrt. and buyers of KBC Bank NV on the sale of 99.44% of the shares issued by OBS (hereinafter as "SPA"). The SPA sets out the conditions for its effectiveness, inter alia, the approval of the banking and competition authorities. Until SPA is effective, OTP Bank Nyrt remains the shareholder of OBS. The SPA is expected to be effective in the 2nd or 3rd quarter of 2020.

The rapid evolution of the global coronavirus Covid-19 pandemic and its impact on social and economic indicators will most likely affect the value of the bank's assets and liabilities in the following financial year. Due to the adoption of nationwide quarantine measures, OTP Banka was forced to temporarily impose restrictions on the provision of services to clients. However, as of the date of the Annual Report, the measures adopted do not affect the ability to provide the Bank's products and services, they do not increase credit risk, do not affect the ability to meet regulatory requirements or cause changes in the provisioning methodology.

The Bank closely monitors the potential impact of the epidemiological constraints on credit risk, but has not yet reviewed the possible scenarios. The unpredictability of the pandemic at this point does not allow predicting further developments and hence modeling alternative scenarios.

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# Vision and mission

## Vision

Our bank's vision is not only to continue in what we have become in the Slovak financial market, but to achieve the maximum satisfaction and convenience for our clients, while our work and its results would convince other clients who are looking for quality services to express their trust in OTP Banka Slovensko as a modern, reliable and well-established financial institution. We use the expertise, human potential of employees and the experience of an international group to satisfy our clients' needs, providing them with convenient services and exceeding their expectations.

## Mission

The mission of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. is to provide professional and high quality services to its retail, corporate and local government clients. To apply fine-tuned management practices to combine existing potential and to act transparently and prudently, and also to proactively promote efficient innovations. Our motto is to satisfy each client. Our clients need to know that we are here for them, that they are important to us, regardless of whether they are a large company or an employee of a small business. We listen to their needs and respect them. We will convince them with the high quality of modern products, with the level of the services provided, with our personal approach, reliability, professionalism and open communication.

# Code of ethics

## Basic moral requirements

### Honesty and integrity

To act honestly and fairly in personal and business relationships, while taking care to comply with all applicable rules and regulations and adhere to moral principles and rules of decent behaviour.

### Professionalism

To perform all work activities at the highest possible professional level and in accordance with the rules and principles of honest business conduct.

## PRINCIPLES OF PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

### Professional credibility

To continuously advance the development of the Bank staff's expertise, with the aim of meeting and exceeding the expectations associated with a good business reputation. To sell

products and services by means of experienced staff, paying particular attention to providing complete and correct information to clients.

### Conflict of interest

Pursuant to legal regulations, to avoid conflicts of interest relating to the standing of the Bank, work and person, as well as to prevent such conflicts from arising. Refrain from all activities that are in conflict with the Bank's or clients' interests, to make decisions impartially and objectively.

### Confidentiality

One of the key conditions for a relationship of trust established between the Bank and its clients is the strict protection of business secrets, banking secrets and confidential information. We protect personal data that we obtain in the course of providing our financial services

# Social responsibility

OTP Banka strives to build a long-term relationship with its clients based not only on the provision of banking products and services. We realize that we can grow our business only through the trust of our clients. Therefore, we strive to strengthen this confidence in the regions where we operate by supporting social, cultural and sporting activities as well as financial education of children and students.

Through the OTP Ready Foundation, supported by the Bank, we provide financial literacy trainings for primary and secondary school students. We believe that the financial literacy of the growing generation is the key to their successful adult life. Trainings are organized not only in the Slovak language, but also in schools with Hungarian as the language of instruction, in sign language and also for pupils with special needs. In 2019, the Foundation visited a total of 72 schools, conducted 239 courses and trained 2,905 pupils. Since the establishment of the OTP Ready Foundation in 2015, the Foundation's lecturers have visited 260 schools and almost 12,000 pupils attended financial literacy trainings.

Sport is another important area of interest for the bank. Our activities range from the promotion of top sports to the diverse sports activities of the Bank's employees. In 2019, we supported DAC Dunajská Streda soccer club and Spartak UJS volleyball club. At the level of occupational sports activities, we took part, for example, in a project called "To work on a bike" or participated in the Bratislava marathon. Throughout 2019, the Bank provided financial support for cultural and social events at regional and municipal levels, particularly in the areas where it operates.

OTP Banka also organized a charity bazaar in its premises,

where protected workshops offered their products and services. Employees of the bank could directly buy products of handicapped sellers and thus contribute to workshops employment costs.

In the area of social policy, the Bank provides its employees with extra financial benefits beyond the basic salary, health, family, regeneration and loyalty program activities. The Bank also organizes a big employee experience event for all employees every year.

In 2019, OTP Banka also supported the largest corporate volunteering event „Our City“ by paying the participation fee for 23 of its employees.

The Bank is committed to respecting human rights and gender equality of opportunity for all employees within the framework of the applicable legislation. We pay particular attention to the protection of personal data within the limits of GDPR.

We also pay great attention to bank products in the field of nature protection. Therefore, to improve the energy efficiency of housing, the Bank provides loans from the SLOVSEFF line and loans for the renovation of residential buildings with EU support.

In order to support lower income groups, the Bank provides a Basic Banking Product free of charge and a free bank account for young people under 26 years of age. In the area of corporate loans, we support the construction of municipal flats for young families and socially disadvantaged groups of the population.

# Diversity policy

In its activities, OTP Bank applies a diversity policy based on respect for cultural and individual differences between employees, ensuring equal opportunities regardless of age, religion or nationality. Equal opportunities is also an important aspect of this policy. The share of women in the total number of employees in the bank is 67% and in managerial

positions the share of men and women is the same. The Bank employs three non-Slovak nationals. The basic principles relating to the Bank's activities enshrining individual differences accepted and valued by the Bank are contained in the OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.

# Retail network – branches as at 31. 12. 2019

No.	Branch	Street
1	Bratislava-Štúrova	Štúrova 5
2	Malacky	Záhorácka 46/30
3	Senec	Lichnerova 93
4	Pezinok OC Plus	Holubyho 28
5	Bratislava-Dúbravka	Saratovská 6 B
6	Bratislava-Blumentálska	Blumentálska 20
7	Bratislava-Hurb.nám.	Hurbanovo nám. 7
8	Bratislava-Vajnorská	Vajnorská 100
9	Bratislava-Twin City	Mlynske Nivy 14
10	Bratislava-Muchovo nám.	Muchovo námestie 4
11	Nitra	Štúrova 71/A
12	Dunajská Streda	Korzo Bélu Bartóka 344
13	Galanta	Poštová 914/2
14	Komárno	Záhradnícka 10
15	Levice	Komenského 2
16	Nové Zámky	Petöfiho 1
17	Senica	Hviezdoslavova 309
18	Topoľčany	Škultétyho 4720/2A
19	Trenčín	Jesenského 7371/2
20	Trnava	Andreja Žarnova 5
21	Piešťany	Nálepkova 38
22	Šaľa	Hlavná 33/36
23	Partizánske	Februárová 152/1
24	Šamorín	Gazdovský rad 39
25	Veľký Meder	Bratislavská cesta 2467/122
26	Štúrovo	Hlavná 27
27	Kolárovo	Kostolné nám. 15
28	Komárno-Trend	Tržníčné nám. 4810
29	Banská Bystrica	Námestie SNP 15

No.	Branch	Street
30	Dolný Kubín	Radlinského 1729
31	Liptovský Mikuláš	1. mája 26
32	Lučenec	Železničná 1
33	Martin	M.R.Štefánika 42
34	Považská Bystrica	Centrum 2304
35	Prievidza	Kláštorná 4
36	Rimavská Sobota	SNP 2
37	Zvolen	Nám. SNP 27
38	Žilina	Sládkovičova 9
39	Detva	Tajovského 10
40	Ružomberok	Antona Bernoláka 3963
41	Veľký Krtíš	SNP 16
42	Šahy	E. B. Lukáča 603
43	Fiľakovo	Biskupická 4
44	Tornaľa	Mierová 23
45	Košice-Alžbetina	Alžbetina 2
46	Bardejov	Radničné námestie 10
47	Humenné	Námestie Slobody 43
48	Michalovce	Št. Kukuru 14
49	Poprad	Námestie sv. Egídia 3633/44
50	Prešov	Hlavná 13
51	Rožňava	Šafárikova 17
52	Spišská Nová Ves	Letná 48
53	Stará Ľubovňa	Nám. sv. Mikuláša 20
54	Trebišov	M.R.Štefánika 3782/25/A
55	Svidník	Centrálna 817/21
56	Sabinov	Námestie Slobody 1
57	Moldava nad Bodvou	Hviezdoslavova 32
58	Kráľovský Chlmec	Nemocničná 8



# Statement on compliance with the Principles of the Corporate Governance Code for Slovakia

OTP Banka Slovensko, and members of its bodies have committed to the general improvement of corporate governance and have adopted the Corporate Governance Code in Slovakia, which is published on the SACG website: <http://www.sacg.org/en/o-nas/kodex>. The Code is also available on the OTP Bank website.

With the aim of committing to fulfil and comply with the Code's individual principles, to advert to the manner of such compliance and to issue a Corporate Government Statement pursuant to § 20(6) of the Accountancy Act no. 431/2002 Coll. as amended, the Company hereby makes the following Statement: The records of registered shares are kept by the

Central Securities Depository of the SR (Centralny depozitar Cennych papierov SR, a.s.) and these supersede the list of shareholders. In order to be effective the transfer of a registered share requires that a record of the transfer be made in the register of issuers of securities, as maintained by the Central Securities Depository of the SR, where the share is registered. The Articles of Association do not restrict transferability of the shares. To acquire or exceed an interest in the registered capital or voting rights of the Bank amounting to 20%, 30% or 50% in one or several operations, prior approval of the authorities supervising the Company is required.

## I. Principle: Shareholder's rights and key functions of ownership

### A. Shareholders' fundamental rights

At a general meeting, a shareholder is entitled to require information and explanations relating to the Company's affairs or the affairs of entities controlled by the Company, to submit proposals relating to the agenda under discussion and to vote. Upon request, the Board of Directors is obliged to provide a shareholder at the general meeting complete and true information and explanations relating to the subject of the general assembly's agenda. If the Board of Directors is unable to provide the shareholder at the General Meeting with complete information or if requested by the shareholder at the General Meeting, the Board of Directors is obliged to provide such information to the shareholder in writing within 15 days following the General Meeting. The Board of Directors shall send the information to the shareholder to the address specified by the shareholder, else to the address specified in the list of shareholders. The Board of Directors is entitled to refuse to give such information only if it would constitute a breach of law, or if it is clear from a careful assessment of the information that its provision could cause harm to the Company or an entity controlled by the Company. Information relating to the management and assets of the

Company must be provided in any circumstances. If the Board of Directors refuses to provide information, the Supervisory Board will, at the shareholder's request, decide on the Board of Directors' obligation to provide the required information during the negotiation of the General Meeting. Shareholders are entitled to view the Minutes of a Meeting of the Supervisory Board. Shareholders are obliged to keep such information obtained confidential.

Shareholders may only exercise their right to take part in the management of the Company at the General Meeting, respecting the organisational measures applicable to the General Meeting. The number of the votes of each shareholder is determined by the ratio of the nominal value of their shares and the amount of the registered capital. Shareholders may exercise their rights at the General Meeting by means of an authorised representative. The authorisation must be in writing and the shareholder's signature must be certified. The authorisation will expire, if the shareholder takes part in the General Meeting. If the shareholder authorises more than one person to exercise their voting rights connected with the same shares at one General Meeting, the Company will allow only the authorised representative who first registered in the attendance list to

vote. A member of the Supervisory Board of the Company may not be an authorised representative. The Board of Directors is obliged not to allow the shareholder to exercise their rights, if the relevant body has decided to suspend the exercise of the shareholder's rights or otherwise restrict the shareholder's rights. Shareholders are entitled to a share in the profit, determined by the ratio of the nominal value of their shares and nominal value of all shareholders' shares.

## **B. Right to take part in the decisionmaking process relating to substantial changes in the Company and right of access to information**

### **Amendment to Articles of Association**

A draft amendment to the Articles of Association may be submitted by a shareholder or the Board of Directors of the Company. A shareholder may exercise this right at the General Meeting, if the amendment to the Articles of Association has been included in the General Meeting agenda, or under circumstances specified in Art. VIII of the Articles of Association, and request that a General Meeting be convened in order to negotiate the draft amendment to the Articles of Association. The complete text of the draft amendments must be available at the Company's seat at least 30 days prior to the General Meeting. The Board of Directors is obliged to ensure that each shareholder is able to view the complete wording of the amendments upon registration in the attendance list. Amendments to Articles of Association and amended Articles of Association (for the purposes of this Section hereinafter referred to as an "Amendment to the Articles of Association") approved by the General Meeting will become valid and effective upon approval by the bodies supervising the Company's activity. If the body supervising the Company's activity fails to decide on the Company's request for approval to an Amendment to the Articles of Association within 30 days following delivery of a complete request, the Amendment to the Articles of Association will be deemed approved. By decision of the General Meeting or a generally binding legal regulation, the Amendment to the Articles of Association may become valid and effective on any later date. A Notarial Deed must be made with regard to the decision on the Amendment to the Articles of Association. If the Amendment to the Articles of Association changes any facts registered in the Commercial Register of the Slovak Republic the Board of Directors will be obliged to file a petition for registration of such changes with the Commercial Register of the Slovak Republic without undue delay.

### **By-Laws**

Within the scope defined by the generally binding legal regulations and decisions of the Company's bodies, the Company's activities are regulated by its by-laws. By-laws break down into instructions of the Board of Directors, instructions of the CEO, working regulations and working instructions. Instructions given by the Board of Directors regulate the fundamental relationships in the Company, in particular acting on behalf of the Company, labour relationships and organisation of the Company. The Board of Directors' instructions also regulate employees' procedures in entering into deals with clients. The CEO's instructions regulate those areas of the Company's activi-

ty that transcend the activities of a particular division. Working regulations regulate the subtasks, obligations and working procedures in the individual fields of the Bank's activity. By way of working instructions, the Executive Assistant to CEO regulates the activity of the organisational unit and employees of the division that he/she manages.

### **Approval of the issue of new shares**

The registered capital of the Company may be increased or decreased by the Company's General Meeting at the request of the Board of Directors or, as relevant, the Board of Directors may do so in accordance with legal regulations and the Articles of Association. The General Meeting may decide on the issue of several types of shares distinguished by name and content of the rights connected therewith (voting right, amount of share in profits). Shares may be of different nominal value. All of the types of shares must have the type and form laid down by generally binding legal regulations

### **Bonds**

Based on the decision of the General Meeting, the Company may issue bonds carrying rights for their conversion to the Company's shares, or bonds carrying right to preferential subscription of shares, if, at the same time, the General Meeting decides on a contingent increase in the registered capital.

### **Significant transactions**

Since the company is within the meaning of § 154 para. 3 of the Commercial Code (hereinafter referred to as CC) a public limited company, it is subject to the legislation on significant business transactions referred to in Sections 220ga to 220gd of the CC.

Pursuant to Section 220ga of the CC, significant commercial transactions of a public limited company must be approved by the General Assembly.

The provision of § 220gc para. 2 of the CC allows the Supervisory Board to adopt rules for the assessment of a significant commercial transaction different from Sections 220ga and 220gb of the CC in respect of transactions "in the ordinary course of business and under normal market conditions that reflect normal market conditions and normally provides similar services in the ordinary course of trade with other persons".

The Supervisory Board pursuant to Section 220gc par. 2 of the CC, adopted the rules that the company uses to assess a significant business transaction. The rules are divided into these areas:

- a) Interbank and securities trades;
- b) Subordinated liabilities; and
- c) Other commercial transactions.

The Supervisory Board reviews the rules for assessing a significant business transaction annually.

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- a) amendment to the Articles of Association,
- b) decision to increase the registered capital, entrusting the Board of Directors with the power to decide on an increase



- or decrease in the registered capital,
- c) decision on the issue of bonds under Art. V of the Articles of Association
- d) decision on the termination of and change to the legal form of the Company upon the prior approval of bodies supervising the Company's activity,
- e) election and dismissal of members of the Supervisory Board except members of the Supervisory Board elected and dismissed by employees,
- f) approval of the ordinary and extraordinary individual Financial Statements, decision on the distribution of profit, including the amount of royalties and dividends, or settlement of loss,
- g) approval of the Annual Report,
- h) decision on the transformation of shares issued as registered securities to letter securities and vice versa,
- i) decision on the termination of trading of the Company's shares at a stock exchange and decision to cease the Company as a public joint-stock company,
- j) decision on other issues entrusted by the Articles of Association to the General Meeting,
- k) decision on approval of an Agreement on Transfer of an Enterprise or Part of an Enterprise, and
- l) decision on matters otherwise pertaining to other bodies of the Company, if reserved by the General Meeting, which, however, does not apply to deciding on matters entrusted to other bodies of the Company by a generally binding legal regulation
- m) decision on matters otherwise pertaining to other other bodies of the Company, if reserved by the General Meeting, which, however, does not apply to deciding on matters entrusted to other bodies of the Company by a generally binding legal regulation.

In order to approve a decision of the General Meeting on an Amendment to the Articles of Association, an increase or decrease in the registered capital, commissioning the Board of Directors to increase the registered capital, an issue of priority or convertible bonds, dissolution of the Company, change of legal form or approval of a decision to end trading of the Company's shares on a listed securities market, a two-thirds majority of all shareholders' votes is necessary, and a Notarial Deed thereof must be made. In order to approve any other decision of the General Meeting, a two-thirds majority of the votes of all shareholders' votes is necessary.

### C. Right to take part in decisionmaking regarding remuneration of the members of the bodies and management

Remuneration of the members of the bodies and management, the main principles and rules of remuneration and their implementation are governed by the applicable SR legislation and are contained in the Bank's internal Statement on compliance with the principles of the Corporate Governance Code for Slovakia Annual Report 2015 23 regulations, "Rules of Remuneration Policy at OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.". Legal framework of the regulation related to the principles of remuneration:

- Annex I to Directive 2010/76/EU (CRD III) of the European Par-

liament and of the Council,

- CEBS Guidelines on Remuneration Policies and Practices (dated 12 December 2010),
- Act No. 483/2001 Coll. on Banks and on amendments and supplements to certain acts, as amended,
- Act No. 566/2001 Coll. on Securities and Investment Services (The Securities Act) and on amendments and supplements to certain acts.

The bank has concluded 4 contracts with employees who are simultaneously members of the Board of Directors for the provision of compensation under the circumstances stated in §20 (7) (j) of Act on Accounting. The amount of remuneration has not been set in the form of a fixed amount. It depends on the duration of their employment contracts, but it shall not exceed 12 times the employee's basic wage. The payment of remuneration depends on the employee's weighted performance average over 5 years that precede the end of employment. In the event that an employee has been guilty of misconduct, the employment relationship was terminated due to a breach of work discipline or, if provided for by a special legal regulation, no compensation is provided.

### D. Right to take part in voting at the General Meeting

The Board of Directors convenes the General Meeting by a written invitation and notice of the General Meeting published in the nationwide periodical press publishing stock exchange news. The Board of Directors sends the written invitation to the shareholders to the address of their seat or permanent residence specified in the list of shareholders at least 30 days prior to the General Meeting. The invitation to the General Meeting must include all requisites laid down by generally binding legal regulations. If the Board of Directors fails to convene the General Meeting as described above, a member of the Board of Directors, Supervisory Board or shareholder may convene the General Meeting under the conditions laid down by the generally binding legal regulations. The Board of Directors must ensure that the Minutes of the Meeting are prepared within 15 days following the meeting. The Minutes of Meeting are to be signed by the minutes clerk, Chair of the General Meeting and two elected verifiers. In the event that the generally binding legal regulations stipulate that a Notarial Deed of the General Meeting be prepared, the Board of Directors must ensure the preparation thereof. Each shareholder may ask the Board of Directors to issue a copy of the Minutes of Meeting or a portion thereof along with the attachments thereto. At the shareholder's request, the Board of Directors is obliged to send such copy to the shareholder to the address specified by the shareholder or provide it to the shareholder otherwise as agreed with the shareholder without undue delay; otherwise it must make it accessible at the Company's seat. The cost of producing and sending the copy of the Minutes of a Meeting or a portion thereof along with the attachments is borne by the shareholder who asked for such a copy. The Minutes of a Meeting along with the notice of a General Meeting or invitation to the General Meeting and the list of attendees must be kept by the Company for the whole period of its existence. If the Company ceases to exist without any legal successor, the Company must deliver the documents to the relevant national archive.

## **E. Ownership structure and control**

The company has not concluded any agreements to which it is a contracting party and has no knowledge of agreements between shareholders.

## **F. Ways to acquire control over the Company**

To acquire or exceed an interest in the registered capital or voting rights of the Bank amounting to 20%, 30% or 50% directly or through action taken in concert in one or several operations, prior approval of the authorities supervising the Company is required.

## **G. Simplifying the exercise of shareholder rights**

The Company has ensured access to all relevant information about events at the Company, particularly access to documents intended for discussion by the General Meeting, and financial information, by means of its website. The Company addresses the issue of resolving any conflict of interests in accordance

with applicable legal regulations, for which it has drawn up Procedures for Managing a Conflict of Interests, a Code of Ethics, Monitoring of Persons with a Special Relationship to the Bank, and Rules for Personal Deals Concerning Investment Services.

## **H. Possibility for mutual consultations among shareholders**

Shareholders are not restricted by legal regulations in force or Articles of Association in their mutual consultations.

## II. Principle: Fair treatment of shareholders

### A. Equal Treatment of Shareholders

The number of a shareholder's votes is determined by the ratio of the nominal value of their shares and the amount of registered capital. All shares carry equal rights and obligations. A shareholder or shareholders owning shares, whose nominal value amounts to at least 5% of the registered capital, may, stating a reason, request in writing that the Extraordinary General Meeting or Supervisory Board be convened to discuss proposed issues. If the shareholders requested that the Extraordinary General Meeting be convened to discuss an Amendment to the Articles of Association or election of the members of the Supervisory Board, they are obliged to submit a draft Amendment to the Articles of Association or names of persons proposed to be the members of the Supervisory Board along with a request for convening an Extraordinary General Meeting. The request for convening an Extraordinary General Meeting may only be satisfied if these shareholders prove that they have owned their shares at least 3 months prior to the end of the deadline for the Board of Directors to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting. Any shareholder listed in the list of shareholders or a person authorised by him/her may take part in the voting. Only shareholders who are present at the General Meeting may vote.

#### Discussions of the General Meeting

1. The General Meeting decides by voting based on a call of the Chair of the General Meeting.
2. If any proposal amending an original proposal (amendment) is filed, the General Meeting shall first vote on such an amendment. The Chair of the General Meeting may combine voting on several amendments into one vote by the General Meeting.
3. If there are several proposals and it is not possible to apply the procedure under point 2), the Chair of the General Meeting shall decide on the order in which the proposals will be voted on.
4. If there are mutually exclusive proposals (competing proposals), the General Meeting shall only vote until one of such proposals is adopted. The General Meeting will not vote on the other proposals.
5. Competing proposals also include proposals to elect members of the company's bodies in an extent to which they exceed the number of vacant posts in the company's bodies.
6. Upon the election of members of the Supervisory Board elected by the General Meeting, the General Meeting shall vote on each person proposed to the post of a member of the Supervisory Board individually.
7. Issues not included in the agenda of the General Meeting may only be decided on with the participation and approval of all of the Company's shareholders.
8. Voting is performed by handing over a voting ticket or any other verifiable manner.
9. Result of the vote is reported by the scrutineers to the Chair of the General Meeting and minutes clerk.

### B. Prohibition on the misuse of confidential information

Trading on one's own account on the basis of misuse of confidential information is considered a serious breach of work discipline, with corresponding consequences. The Bank has a list of persons with permanent access to confidential information maintained by the Compliance Team. The Bank, in this regard, respects the law (Banking Act, Securities Act, Commercial Code, Securities Exchange Act), as well as standards based on legal regulations (Dealer Code of Conduct, Exchange Rules and Stock Exchange Rules). The Bank has rules in place for the handling of confidential information, which prohibit members of the Company's bodies and persons close to them, employees and also the Company itself from misusing confidential information and from market manipulation. The area of the prohibition of the misuse of confidential information in the bank is regulated by the internal regulation Misuse of Confidential Information and Market Manipulation. Compliance checks are performed by the Compliance Team, which also investigates the misuse of confidential information that could harm the bank's reputation or client's interests.

### C. Transparency in conflict of interests

The bank has undertaken to avoid conflicts between the private interests of its employees and the interests of the bank. In the light of the above-mentioned, members of the Board of Directors, the Supervisory Board and managers are obligated to inform specific entities on matters (personal, business and family matters) that could affect their impartiality in connection with a specific transaction. In such cases, the senior management level is obligated to replace the employee with other employee to perform the transaction. The concealment of facts that result in the damage of legally protected interests implies responsibility for such misconduct regardless of the function held in the bank. Employees are prohibited from using their connection with the bank in order to promote personal interests or to damage the bank's reputation through their behaviour. Also, they must not use their status or confidential information acquired during their activity. Conflicts of interest are addressed in a separate work regulation entitled Procedures for the Management of Conflicts of Interests, in the Ethical Code and in the Rules for Personal Transactions Related to Investment Services. These principles are available at the following websitej <https://www.otpbanka.sk/eticky-kodex>. In its internal procedures, the Bank ensures that those involved in activities that constitute conflicts of interest carry out these activities at the highest possible level of independence, taking into account the size and activity of the Bank, and taking into account the degree of risk to clients. Of course, the bank complies with the provision of §23 of Act on Banks by adapting it to the bank's internal conditions. As for main transactions, the bank uses a team decision-making and a correctly set-up remuneration system.

### III. Principle: Role of stakeholders in corporate governance

#### A. Respecting stakeholders' rights

At OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s., stakeholders include employees and their trade union. The rights of employees and their trade union are regulated primarily by the Commercial Code and Labour Code.

#### B. Possibilities for effective protection of rights of interest groups

The protection of interest groups' rights is ensured primarily through members of the Supervisory Board who are elected by employees and the trade union organisation, and by means of collective bargaining.

#### C. Participation of employees in the Company's bodies

Three out of eight members of the Supervisory Board are elected by employees.

#### D. Right of access to information

Stakeholders have access to information through the members of the Supervisory Board and trade union.

#### E. Control mechanisms of the stakeholders

Control mechanisms of the stakeholders are not formalised. Employees may apply control mechanisms through the members of the Supervisory Board and trade union.

#### F. Protection of creditors

Control mechanisms of the stakeholders are not formalised. Employees may apply control mechanisms through the members of the Supervisory Board and trade union.

### IV. Principle: publication of information and transparency

#### A. Minimum publication requirements

The management of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. complies with a Code of Corporate Governance and the rules of Stock Exchange in Bratislava when disclosing all fundamental information. The financial and operating results of the bank are further disclosed under Act on Banks, Act on Accounting and relevant measures of the National Bank of Slovakia. The bank discloses audited financial statements for relevant accounting period. Financial statements for relevant accounting period and financial statements as of the end of individual quarters of accounting period are published on the bank's internet site. The bank ensures access to the information for all shareholders, clients, potential clients and employees. The information is disclosed and processed according to international accounting standards and international financial reporting standards. The information includes data on company's financial situation, the bank's management, the bank's assets, and describes transactions with related parties.

##### 1. The Company's business activities include:

1. acceptance of deposits,
2. provision of credit,

3. provision of payments service and settlement,

4. provision of investment services, investment activities and ancillary services pursuant to Act No. 566/2001 Coll. on Securities and Investment Services and on Amendments to Certain Acts as amended (the "Act on Securities") to the extent specified in point 2 of this Article, and investment in securities on own account,

5. trading on own account
  - a) in money market instruments in euro and foreign currency, in gold, including currency exchange,
  - b) in capital market instruments in euro and foreign currency,
  - c) in coins made of precious metals, commemorative banknotes and coins, sheets of banknotes and aggregates of circulating coins,

6. management of clients' receivables on their accounts, including relating advisory services,

7. financial leasing,

8. provision of guarantees, opening and confirmation of letters of credit,

9. issue and management of means of payment,
10. provision of advisory services in the business area,
11. issue of securities, participation in the issue of securities and provision of related services,
12. financial intermediation,
13. safekeeping of things,
14. leasing of security boxes,
15. provision of banking information,
16. separate mortgage deals pursuant to the provision of § 67 (1) of Act No. 483/2001 Coll. on Banks and on Amendments to Certain Acts as amended,
17. depository function,
18. processing of banknotes, coins and commemorative banknotes and coins.

**2. The Company is entitled to provide the following investment services, investment activities and ancillary services pursuant to the Act on Securities:**

1. Acceptance and assignment of a client's instruction relating to one or more financial instruments in relation to the financial instruments:
  - a) transferable securities,
  - b) money market instruments,
  - c) mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities,
  - d) swaps relating to interest rates or yields that may be settled by delivery or in cash,
2. Performance of a client's instruction on his/her account in relation to the financial instruments:
  - a) transferable securities,
  - b) money market instruments,
  - c) mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities,
  - d) swaps relating to interest rates or yields that may be settled by delivery or in cash,
3. Trading on own account in relation to the financial instruments:
  - a) transferable securities,
  - b) money market instruments,

- c) mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities,
- d) futures and forwards relating to currencies that may be settled by delivery or in cash,
- e) swaps relating to interest rates or yields that may be settled by delivery or in cash,
4. Investment advisory services in relation to the financial instruments:
  - a) transferable securities,
  - b) money market instruments,
  - c) mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities,
5. Subscription and placing of financial instruments based on a fixed liability in relation to a transferable security,
6. Uplacing of financial instruments without a fixed liability in relation to the financial instruments:
  - a) transferable securities,
  - b) mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities,
7. Safekeeping of mutual funds or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities and safekeeping and management of transferable securities on the client's account, except tenure, and related services, especially management of funds and financial collaterals,
8. Performance of forex trades, if connected with the provision of investment services
9. Performance of investment research and financial analysis or any other form of general recommendation relating to trading in financial instruments,
10. Services connected with the subscription of financial instruments.
11. The Company's business also includes financial intermediation under Act no. 186/2009 Coll. on financial intermediation and financial advice and on the amendment of certain acts, as amended, in the scope of a tied financial agent in the insurance and reinsurance sector, a tied financial agent in the capital market sector, a tied financial agent in the deposits taking sector and a tied financial agent in the loans sector.

# Structure of the registered capital

The Company's registered capital amounts to **EUR 126 590 711.84** and is composed of Shares:

## **ISIN: SK1110001452**

Nominal value: EUR 3.98

Number: 3 000 000 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: right to take part in the management of the Company, profit and liquidation balance, right to preferential subscription of shares, right to request convening of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view Minutes of Meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferable: no restrictions

% in the registered capital: 9.43

Accepted for trading: 2 999 710 pcs (upon the transformation of letter shares to registered securities owners of 290 pcs of letter shares did not submit these for transformation).

## **ISIN: SK1110004613**

Nominal value: EUR 3.98

Number: 8 503 458 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: right to take part in the management of the Company, profit and liquidation balance, right to preferential subscription of shares, right to request convening and of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view Minutes of Meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferable: no restrictions

% in the registered capital: 26.74

Accepted for trading: 8 503 458 pcs

## **ISIN: SK1110003003**

Nominal value: EUR 39 832.70

Number: 570 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: right to take part in the management of the Company, profit and liquidation balance, right to preferential subscription of shares, right to request convening of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view Minutes of Meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferable: no restrictions

% in the registered capital: 17.94

Accepted for trading: no

## **ISIN: SK1110016559**

Nominal Value: EUR 1

Number: 10 019 496 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: right to take part in the management of the Company, profit and liquidation balance, right to preferential subscription of shares, right to request convening of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view Minutes of Meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferable: no restrictions

% in the registered capital: 7.91

Admitted for trading: 10 019 496 pcs

## **ISIN: SK1110017532**

Nominal Value: EUR 1

Number: 10 031 209 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: right to take part in the management of the Company, profit and liquidation balance, right to preferential subscription of shares, right to request convening of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view Minutes of Meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferable: no restrictions

% in the registered capital: 7.92

Accepted for trading: 10 031 201 pcs (8 pcs of shares are not emitted as of 31.12.2019 – the share owner does not have equity account)

## **ISIN: SK 1110019850**

Nominal Value: EUR 1

Number: 23 041 402 pcs

Kind: ordinary share

Type: registered

Form: registered securities

Description of rights: The right to participate in the Company's management, to a share in the profit and liquidation balance, the right to preferential subscription of shares, the right to request convening of the General Meeting and Supervisory Board, right to view minutes from the Supervisory Board meeting

Transferable: no restrictions

% in registered capital: 18.20

Admitted for trading: 23 041 402 pcs

## **ISIN: SK 1110020684**

Nominal value EUR 1

Qty: 15 010 203 pcs

Type: common share

Form: name share

Kind: registered security

Description of rights: the right to participate in the company management, profits and liquidation balance, the pre-subscription right, the right to request the convening of the General Meeting and the meeting of the Supervisory Board, the right to view the minutes of a meeting of the Supervisory Board

Transferability: without limitation

% in RC: 11.86

Accepted for trading: 15,010,203 pcs



**The registered capital structure does not include shares whose owners would have special control rights. The bank does not know of any agreements between owners of securities, which could lead to the restriction of the transferability of securities and the restriction of voting rights.**

**Qualified participation in the registered capital pursuant to Act No. 566/2001 Coll.**

OTP Bank, Nyrt. Budapest, Hungary, has a qualified interest in the registered capital of the Bank. The share of the majority owner amounts to 99.44%.

**Remuneration Strategy**

Detailed information on the remuneration strategy is given in the Bank's by-laws, such as the Remuneration and Salary Code of the Bank, available to employees on the Bank's website. Certain information depending on its nature and content are available upon request.

## Information on members of the Company's Bodies

### Board of Directors

Members of the Board of Directors as of 31. 12. 2019

Ing. Zita Zemková,  
d.o.b. 23. 11. 1959, Mierova 66, 821 05 Bratislava, SR;  
Chair of the Board of Directors and CEO of  
OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.

Ing. Rastislav Matejsko,  
d.o.b. 23. 7. 1973, Podlesná 29, 900 91 Limbach, SR;  
member of the Board of Directors and Executive  
Assistant to CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s., managing the  
2nd division - Finance & Treasury

Ing. Radovan Jenis,  
d.o.b. 20. 2. 1974, Saratovská 10, 841 02 Bratislava, SR,  
member of the Board of Directors and Executive Assistant to  
CEO of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s., managing the 3rd Division –  
Risk

Dr. Sándor Patyi,  
d.o.b. 10. 3. 1957, Hóvirág utca 4, 2083 Solymár, Hungary, mem-  
ber of the Board of Directors and Executive Assistant to CEO of  
OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s., managing the 4th division – Business

### Supervisory Board

Members of the Supervisory Board as of 31. 12. 2019

József Németh,  
date of birth: 9. 2. 1964, Szabo E. u. 2, 9700 Szombathely, Hungary;  
chairman

Ágnes Rudas,  
date of birth: 3. 7. 1958, Viragvolgyi u. 5, 1239 Budapest, Hungary

Angelika Mikócziová,  
date of birth: 15. 11. 1975, Eliášovce 815, 930 38 Nový Život

Atanáz Popov,  
date of birth: 19. 7. 1980, Szent Laszlo ut 34-38, 1135 Budapest,  
Hungary

Ing. Mgr. Attila Angyal,  
date of birth: 23. 8. 1973, Bagarova 1179/8, 841 08 Bratislava  
Tamás Endre Vörös  
date of birth: 8. 1. 1973, 1037 Budapest, Göllöncsér u. FSZT. 1/A 92

Ing. Jaroslav Hora,  
date of birth: 2. 12. 1968, Kvetná 7/864, 900 42 Dunajská Lužná

Dr. Krisztina Kovács,  
date of birth: 25. 11. 1977, Pusztaszeri út. 21/a, 1025 Budapest

### Changes in the Supervisory Board during 2019

The General Assembly elected Mr. Balázs Létay and  
Ms. Adrienn Erdős members of the Supervisory Board  
Ms. Dr. Krisztina Kovács resigned from her post and the term  
of office of Ms. Ágnes Rudas expired.

### Members of the Supervisory Board elected by employees

Members of the Supervisory Board elected by employees are  
Ing. Angelika Mikócziová, Ing. Mgr. Attila Angyal and  
Ing. Jaroslav Hora.

## Commencement and termination of the office of the member of the board of directors

- 1) The Company's Board of Directors has 4 members.
- 2) The members of the Board of Directors are elected and dismissed by the Supervisory Board.
- 3) A proposal to elect or dismiss a member of the Board of Directors may be submitted to the Chair of the Supervisory Board by
  - a) shareholders owning shares whose nominal value exceeds 10% of the registered capital, and
  - b) a member of the Supervisory Board.
- 4) A proposal to elect or dismiss a member of the Board of Directors must be submitted in person and in advance. Such a proposal must then be included in the agenda of the next meeting of the supervisory Board by the Chair of the Supervisory Board. A member of the Supervisory Board may submit a proposal to elect or dismiss a member of the Board of Directors right at the meeting of the Supervisory Board. The Supervisory Board shall decide on the inclusion of an oral proposal to elect or dismiss a member of the Board of Directors in the agenda of the meeting of the Supervisory Board. A member of the Board of Directors may be dismissed by the Supervisory Board even before the end of his/her office. The Supervisory Board shall decide on the election or dismissal of a member of the Board of Directors by an absolute majority of votes of the members of the Supervisory Board.
- 5) The function of a member of the Board of Directors arises on the day of the election, unless the Supervisory Board decides that the function of a member of the Board of Directors is established later.
- 6) The function of a member of the Board of Directors expires upon the expiry of the term of office, on recalling, giving up or a court's decision on limitation or deprivation of legal capacity, death and pronouncement of death.
- 7) The office of the member of the Board of Directors lasts 4 years.
- 8) The member of the Board of Directors may resign from his/her office. A written resignation shall become effective as of the day of the first meeting of the Supervisory Board following the delivery of the resignation. If the member of the Board of Directors resigns at the meeting of the Supervisory Board, the resignation shall be effective immediately. If, by resignation of any member of the Board of Director, the number of the members of the Board of Directors falls below three, the Supervisory Board may decide that the resignation shall become effective at the end of the period determined by the Supervisory Board. The above period must not exceed 30 days and shall start on the day following the day of the meeting of the Supervisory Board, where the resignation was discussed.
- 9) For any change or election of a new member of the Board of Directors, prior approval of the bodies supervising the Company's activity is necessary.
- 10) The Chair of the Board of Directors is elected by the Supervisory Board from the members of the Board of Directors.

## Commencement and termination of the office of a member of the supervisory board

- 1) The Supervisory Board has eight members.
- 2) Five members of the Supervisory Board are elected and removed by the General Meeting. Three members of the Supervisory Board are elected and removed by the company employees.
- 3) Each shareholder is entitled to propose candidates for members of the Supervisory Board elected and dismissed by the General Meeting.
- 4) Only the employees who are employed by the company at the time of elections (hereinafter referred to as the "eligible voters") have the right to elect members of the Supervisory Board. Election of members of the Supervisory Board by employees is organized by the Board of Directors in cooperation with the trade union so that as many eligible voters or their authorized representatives as possible can participate in the elections. If the trade union is not established within the company, elections of members of the Supervisory Board elected by employees of the company is organized by the Board of Directors in cooperation with the eligible voters or their authorized representatives. The trade union or at least 10% of the authorised voters are entitled to file a proposal for the election or dismissal of the members of the Supervisory Board elected by the Company's employees. For the appointment or removal of members of the Supervisory Board elected by employees of the company to be valid, the voting of eligible voters must be secret and at least a majority of eligible voters or their authorized representatives having at least a majority of votes of eligible voters must participate in the elections. The candidates with the highest number of votes of the present eligible voters or their authorized representatives become members of the Supervisory Board. The election code for the election and dismissal of the members of the Supervisory Board elected by the employees of the Company is prepared and approved by the trade union. If there is no trade union, the election code is prepared and approved by the Board of Directors in collaboration with the authorised voters.
- 5) The office of the member of the Supervisory Board commences on the day of election, unless the General Meeting or employees decided that the office shall commence on a later day.
- 6) The office of the members of the Supervisory Board terminates by dismissal, resignation, validity of the court's decision on the restriction or termination of legal capacity to act, by death or declaration as deceased. The office of the member of the Supervisory Board terminates as at the end of the office of the member of the Supervisory Board, if a new member of the Supervisory Board was elected; otherwise the office shall be extended until the new member of the Supervisory Board is elected, however, by no more than 1 year.
- 7) The office of the members of the Supervisory Board is four years.
- 8) The member of the Supervisory Board may resign from his/her office. A written resignation shall be effective as of the day of the first meeting of the Supervisory Board following the delivery of the resignation. If the member of the Supervisory



- Board resigns from his/her office at the meeting of the Supervisory Board, the resignation may be effective immediately.
- 9) For any change or election of a new member of the Supervisory Board, prior approval of the bodies supervising the Company's activity is necessary.
  - 10) The Chair of the Supervisory Board is elected by the Supervisory Board from the members of the Supervisory Board.

**Within the scope of regular business activity, the Bank also performs transactions with related parties. In the case of OTP this concerns primarily the following companies within OTP:**

OTP Bank Nyrt, Budapest (Hungary)  
 OTP Buildings, s.r.o. (Slovakia)  
 OTP Kartyagyártó és Szolgáltató Kft. (Hungary)  
 OTP Financing Netherlands, B.V (The Netherlands)  
 OTP FINANCING MALTA COMPANY Limited

OTP Faktoring, s.r.o. (Slovakia)  
 Transactions with related parties are performed under normal business conditions.

**Transactions with related parties are performed under normal business conditions. The purpose and monetary valuation of the relationship and other necessary details are presented transparently by the Bank:**

- in its Annual Report,
- on its website,
- regularly pursuant to legal obligations to the National Bank of Slovakia.

**Foreseeable Risk Factors**

The Bank's auditor has the possibility to require additional information and the external auditor has Access contractually ensured to the members of the Bank's bodies. The Bank manages risks resulting from foreseeable risk factors. The most important risks include credit risk, operational risk, market risk and liquidity risk. Credit risk is defined as a moment of uncertainty accompanying the Bank's business activity. Credit risk means any possible loss caused by the Bank's own activity or by any other facts independent of the Bank. It especially includes the default of a contractual partner not discharging its liabilities resulting from the agreed contractual terms in time and in full, thus causing a loss to the Bank. The Bank's evaluation system monitors the credit risk from two points of view: risk of default by a borrower and risk factors specific to a particular deal – transaction (guarantees, priorities, type of product, limits etc.). The acceptance of the credit risk towards the client depends on the outcomes of the analyses of the ability of the borrower to pay its liabilities (direct credit risk, risk of the business partner, country risk). The analyses include quality of the security instruments (residual risk – risk of security). The Bank has defined acceptable and unacceptable types of security and the acceptable amounts of collaterals. The credit exposure of the Bank is governed by a system of set limits (risk of concentration and asset exposure). Operational risk means the risk of loss resulting from inappropriate or erroneous internal processes at the Bank, failure of a human factor, failure of the systems used by the Bank or external events. The bank has developed an information system for the collection of operational risk events and it is used for continuous monitoring and provides a basis for the evaluation of effectiveness of adopted measures and instruments to

mitigate operational risk. The bank, as a member of OTP Group, calculates capital requirement for the coverage of operational risk using an advance approach by means of a group model. The model includes all the relevant internal and external data, business environment factors and results of scenario analyses. The Bank is exposed to the impacts of market risks. Market risks result from open positions of transactions in interest, forex and stock products, which are subject to the effects of general and specific market changes. The forex risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will change due to changes in forex rates. The Bank manages this risk by determining and monitoring the limits for open positions. To analyse the sensitivity of the currency risk, the Bank uses the Value At Risk (VaR) method. Interest risk means the risk resulting from changes in interest rates. It originates as a result of a difference in due dates or periods of the revaluation of assets and liabilities. When measuring interest rate risk, the bank calculates the impact of the change of interest rates on the change in economic value and the change in net interest income. Liquidity risk means the risk that the Bank will have problems gaining funds to discharge its liabilities connected with financial instruments. The Bank monitors and manages liquidity based on the expected inflow and outflow of funds based on and appropriate changes to interbank deposits. Liquidity risk is limited by the system of limits. Legislative and internal indicators and gap analysis are primarily used when managing liquidity risk. The Bank also prepares liquidity development scenarios. Within the Information and Banking Security Department, the Bank has implemented a system of tools to monitor unusual business operations and reduce the risk of money laundering and terrorist financing. More detailed information on the bank's approach to individual risks and the management thereof is included in Notices to Financial Statements, which constitute a part of the bank's Annual Report.

**Issues concerning employees and other stakeholders**

Issues concerning employees are published on the Company's intranet and are updated as necessary.

**Corporate governance strategy**

The Bank supports the Corporate Governance Code for Slovakia. The composition and activity of the Company's bodies is published in the Annual Report, and updated in the relevant section on the Bank's website. The internal control system consists of methods, procedures, rules and measures of the Bank incorporated in internal bank processes, serving primarily to protect its assets, guarantee the reliability and accuracy of the accounting data, support compliance with the prescribed business policy and compliance with laws and other generally binding legal regulations. The managing bodies and managers of the Company are responsible for the adequacy and efficiency of the internal control system.

**B. Quality of information**

The Bank's management complies with the Corporate Governance Code. The Bank publishes its audited Financial Statements and information exclusively according to the International Accounting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards. The Company regularly reviews the application of international standards in data processing and in financial reporting against the current state in the interest of the quality

publication of information under International Financial Reporting Standards.

### C. Independent audit

Internal Control and Internal Audit Section, which reports to the Supervisory Board of the company, is an independent, out-of-process component of internal control system. The main role consists in an independent, objective, assuring and consulting activity focused on adding value and improving processes. It helps the organisation to achieve its objectives by bringing a systematic methodological approach to the evaluation and improvement of risk management effectiveness, management and control processes and the management of the bank.

The Internal Control and Internal Audit Section inspects compliance with acts, generally binding legal regulations and internal rules and procedures in the company, it reviews and evaluates the functionality and effectiveness of the company management and control system, it reviews and evaluates the risk management system and compliance with the prudential principles of the bank, it reviews and evaluates the company's readiness to perform new types of transactions in terms of risk management, it reviews and evaluates information provided by the company on its activity, and at the Supervisory Board's request it conducts inspection within the defined scope. It carries out its activity in all organisational units of the company.

### D. Auditor's accountability to shareholders

The statutory auditor is answerable to the shareholder by being invited to the Supervisory Board meeting for discussions about financial statements. He also participates in the company General Meeting.

### E. Access of shareholders and stakeholders to information at the same time and to the same extent

The Company ensures that all shareholders and public are informed in time by means of its own website.

### F. Independent analyses and advisory services

In selecting external suppliers the Bank proceeds so as to gain maximum quality and economically substantiated costs taking into account the conditions of each entity of the financial group. The by-laws regulate the automated processes within the group, guaranteeing the preservation of transparency and objectivity in the procurement of assets and services. As regards information, the main suppliers in the financial market are the independent agencies Thomson Reuters and Bloomberg, whose credit in terms of independence and objectivity is regarded as an internationally respected market standard.

## V. principle: Accountability of the company's bodies

### A. Action of members of the bodies based on complete information in the interest of the Company and its shareholders

The members of the Board of Directors, Supervisory Board and other bodies of the Bank act based on information that is complete, correct and verifiable. The decision-making of members of the bodies may not be distorted by an existing or potential conflict of interests under any circumstances. Several well-established procedures work as a prevention: transfer of competences, publication of the information, refusal to act. The legal basis for the declarability of acting in the interest of the Company and the shareholders is the Act on Banks, Act on Securities, Commercial Code and Labour Code. According to the nature of their offices, the members of the bodies are subject to the principles of fair treatment of shareholders, monitoring and reporting to NBS in terms of transactions with persons with a special relationship towards the Bank and principles of remuneration of members of the bodies and management of the Company.

### B. Equitable treatment of the members of the bodies and shareholders

The Company and the members of the bodies of the Company respect the rights of the shareholders resulting from legal regulations and the Articles of Association.

### C. Application of ethical standards

The bank is committed to compliance not only with legal standards, but also with standards in the field of moral

principles and principles of social responsibility, whose observance and fulfilment is not stipulated by any act, however, the bank considers them necessary. On its website <https://www.otpbanka.sk/eticky-kodex>, the Bank publishes the Code of Ethics as a summary declaration of fundamental ethical principles declared at the group level:

- honesty, integrity, expertise, transparency,
- prevention of conflict of interest,
- confidentiality obligations,
- protection against money laundering and terrorism financing;
- prohibition of discrimination, harassment and bullying;
- the fight against corruption and fraud;
- protecting the bank's assets and reputation;
- respect for clients and appropriate treatment;
- correct communication with the bank's clients,
- responsible corporate governance and social responsibility;
- dealing with ethical offenses and handling complaints.

The Code of Conduct as a set of principles applies to all employees and contractors is binding, adhered to and monitored on a continuous basis, and infringements are sanctioned. Violation of the Code of Ethics is punishable and reports of violations can be sent to the e-mail address [compliance.OTP@otpbanka.sk](mailto:compliance.OTP@otpbanka.sk). It is also possible to report any violation of the Bank's ethical, legal or internal regulations through a discrete zone, and any complaint may be reported anonymously.

Further, OTP adheres to the Ethical Code of Banks in the field of consumer protection, prepared by the Slovak Banking Associa-

tion. The Code is a set of ethical rules for consumer protection, which represent a commitment by participating banks to providing financial services to clients at a high level, complying with the principles of decency and business transparency. By adopting the Code, the bank has committed itself to cooperation with the Institute for Alternative Dispute Settlement established by the Slovak Banking Association within its competence with respect to matters of dispute in providing services to their clients.

## D. Key Functions:

Strategic planning is the key tool for the further advancement and orientation of the Bank and is managed by the parent bank. The Bank compiles its strategic plan according to the parent bank's guidelines. Strategic objectives form the basis for the annual business plan and financial budget. In preparing the strategic objectives, especial attention is dedicated to the risk profile of the planned business activities, which is subsequently reflected in the planned risk results. The strategy also includes a general investment plan, by means of which the Bank implements certain strategic goals. The investment plan is implemented in the form of projects. Following approval of the investment plan by the parent company, projects are prepared. By prioritising projects, a project Master Plan is prepared for the relevant year. The project Master Plan is continuously monitored, and reports for the Board of Directors on the fulfilment of the Master Plan are prepared quarterly, in which especially problematic areas and risks of individual projects, as well as proposals for reducing these risks, are specified for the individual projects. Monitoring of the effectiveness of the Company's procedures in the field of corporate governance is performed at the level of the Company's bodies. The Bank's Board of Directors processes and submits information from meetings of the Board of Directors to meetings of the Supervisory Board. Furthermore, the roles of the Company's bodies are monitored and evaluated by the Integration and Steering Committee of Subsidiaries. The fundamental principles of the personnel policy relating to top management are a part of the Remuneration and Salary Code. The principles of remuneration are based on the long-term interests of the Company and its shareholders. The fundamental rules for the prevention of unethical behaviour are regulated in the Ethical Declaration of the Bank, published on its website <https://www.otpbanka.sk/eticky-kodex>. By its strict regulation of the Bank's processes, and building control awareness at the Company, the Bank limits the room for any potential conflict of interests. The Bank protects itself from unfavourable transactions with related parties by making them accessible to the public and the auditor. The Company's bodies support anonymous whistle-blowing regarding unethical/unlawful actions, so that whistle-blowers need not fear retaliation. Clear determination of accountability and specific obligations are one of the fundamental principles applied at the Company. The integrity of accounting and financial reporting systems in the interest of accurate, timely and regular reporting of financial results of the bank is, among other things, supported by a systematic risk management by means of Risk Division and by the implementation of independent audit function. In addition to the annual report, the disclosure of information and communication with the surrounding are ensured by means of the company's website, through the publishing of press releases, the publishing of notices in the media or the distribution of directed notices.

## Increase in registered capital

The General Meeting decides on an increase in the Company's registered capital. A Notarial Deed must be prepared with regard to an increase in the registered capital. An increase in the registered capital may be performed by subscription of new shares, an increase in the registered capital from retained earnings or funds created from profit, whose use is not stipulated by law, or by subscription of new shares, where part of the issue rate will be paid from the Company's own funds reported in the Financial Statements in the Company's equity (combined increase in the registered capital).

## Acquisition of own shares

The Company may acquire its own shares only under the conditions laid down by legal regulations. The basic precondition for the acquisition of own shares is a decision of the General Meeting approving the acquisition of own shares and the conditions of such acquisition. The Board of Directors also exercises the rights of the employer in collective negotiations, approves the remuneration principles of the Company's employees, decides on the provision of credit or guarantee for a person having a special relationship towards the Company, appoints and dismisses directors of the Internal Control and Audit Unit following prior approval by the Supervisory Board or at the Supervisory Board's request. It decides on the implementation of new types of deals, grants and revokes proxies (granting and revoking of proxies requires prior approval by the Supervisory Board), grants and revokes other general authorisations and/or Powers of Attorney.

## E. Objectivity and independence of the Company's bodies

The members of the Supervisory Board have several years' experience in managerial functions in the field of finance. At the same time, several members of the Supervisory Board were educated abroad and have international work experience. The Board of Directors has no committees.

Several committees composed of employees of the company operate within the company, the most important of which are the Credit Committee, ALCO Committee and the Risk Management Committee. As at 31. 12. 2019 the Company has no committee for appointments and no committee for remuneration. One person responsible for remuneration is appointed in the Company. In 2019 the activities of the Audit Committee were performed by the Supervisory Board to the full extent. The members of the bodies of the Company are sufficiently qualified and experienced in the area of management, including finance.

## F. Members' right of access to precise, relevant and timely information

The right of Access and tools for accessing precise, relevant and timely information are specified in the Company's Articles of Association and the Supervisory Board's Rules of Procedure. By law, the members of the Supervisory Board are entitled to verify whether the submitted information is correct. For this purpose, they may use the independent internal audit unit. Similarly, they may require the Company to ensure external advisory services at the Company's expense.

# Special part of the Annual Report

The Annual Report of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. has been compiled according to the Accountancy Act no. 431/2002 Coll., as amended. The Board of Directors of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. confirms that information comprised in the „Statement on compliance with the principles of the Corporate Governance Code for Slovakia“ include all data pursuant to Article 20 Paragraphs (6) and (7) of the Accountancy Act as amended. The subject-matter of the declaration consists of information on the code and on management methods, information on the activities of the General Assembly and other bodies of the

company, on registered capital structure, and information on securities.

Information on activities in the field of the environment, social matters and employment, on respect for human rights and on the fight against corruption and bribery is published on the bank's website:

<https://www.otpbanka.sk/spolocenska-zodpovednost>

More detailed information is available in the group report on social responsibility at the following website:

<https://www.otpfenntarthatosag.hu/hu/jelentesek>

# Independent Auditor's Report

## **OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.**

Separate Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2019 prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union and Independent Auditor's Report



# Independent auditor's report



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## OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders, Supervisory Board and Board of Directors of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. and the Audit Committee:

#### REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

##### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. (the "Bank"), which comprise the separate statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019, and the separate statement of comprehensive income, the separate statement of changes in equity and the separate statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the separate financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Bank as at 31 December 2019, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted in the European Union (EU).

##### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Bank in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 423/2015 Coll. on Statutory Audit and on Amendment to and Supplementation of Act No. 431/2002 Coll. on Accounting, as amended (hereinafter the "Act on Statutory Audit") related to ethical requirements, including the Code of Ethics for Auditors that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

##### Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1. part Shareholders' Structure, Note 2. part Basis for the Financial Statements Preparation and Note 42. of the accompanying financial statements, OTP Bank Nyrt. Hungary, the parent company of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. has decided to sell its ownership of the OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. to a new shareholder. The sale process was initiated in 2019 but not concluded as of the date of this report. The accompanying financial statements do not include any adjustments potentially resulting from this process nor any adjustments that might be required if change in scope of operations or strategy of the OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. results in changes to classification or measurement of assets and liabilities. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

##### Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Description of the most significant assessed risks of material misstatement, including assessed risks of material misstatement due to fraud	Summary of the auditor's response to the risks
<b>Loan Loss Provision for Loans to Customers</b> <i>See Note 6 to the financial statements</i>  The assessment of loan loss provisions for loans to customers requires the Bank's management to exercise a significant level of judgment, especially with regard to identifying impaired receivables and quantifying loan impairment.	We assessed the adequacy of the methodology used by the Bank to identify loan impairment and calculate provisions for the selected significant portfolios.

This is an English translation of the original Slovak language document.

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<p>To assess the amount of provisions for expected losses, the Bank applies statistical models with input parameters obtained from internal and external sources.</p> <p>In accordance with the requirements of IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments", the Bank distinguishes three stages of impairment, where the criteria for classification to individual stages are based on an assessment of the objective characteristics of loans and relevant debtors, and subjective judgments of the Bank.</p> <p>Impairment stage III includes distressed receivables where a significant increase in credit risk occurred and where objective proof of impairment exists, eg:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The customer is in default with payments for more than 90 days;</li> <li>• The Bank withdrew from the loan agreement;</li> <li>• The customer is in bankruptcy or legal restructuring or a similar event occurred;</li> <li>• There was a specific modification or emergency restructuring of the loan agreement resulting from an obvious significant decrease in credit quality;</li> <li>• Negative information was identified from loan receivable monitoring.</li> </ul> <p>When determining the provision amount for this impairment stage, the Bank's management primarily considers the following factors:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) The Bank's estimated success rate of recovering debt;</li> <li>b) Amount and timing of expected future cash flows;</li> <li>c) Collateral value.</li> </ol> <p>Where no repayment difficulties have been identified for a particular receivable (Stage I and Stage II), the Bank creates a provision using a statistical model for a homogeneous group of loans.</p> <p>The statistical model used is based on deriving the probability of loan default and the estimated amount of the subsequent loss. Input data for the model and the calculation logic and its comprehensiveness depend on the Bank's management judgment.</p> <p>The provisions for loan losses in impairment stage III amount to EUR 51.87 million and provisions for the remaining receivables amount to EUR 17.84 million of the total provisions of EUR 69.71 million recognised as at 31 December 2019.</p>	<p>We tested the design and operating effectiveness of key controls the Bank's management has implemented over the loan impairment assessment processes.</p> <p>For provisions for loan losses in impairment stage III, the testing included controls related to reassessment of expected recovery, approval of expert's collateral valuation and approval of the impairment evaluation results by the Bank's management.</p> <p>For receivables in Stage I and Stage II with regard to which the Bank has not identified any difficulties likely to prevent the full repayment of receivables the testing focused on controls related to regular review of customer creditworthiness, timely identification of potential difficulties with debt repayment and correct classification of receivables to corresponding impairment stages.</p> <p>On a sample of the Bank's loans we evaluated appropriateness of the classification to individual stages.</p> <p>On a sample of individually assessed loans in impairment stage III we verified correctness of discounted cash flows calculations applied in deriving the recoverable amount of loans. Where we determined that a more appropriate assumption or input in provision measurement could be made, we recalculated the provision on that basis and compared the results in order to assess whether there is any indication of error or management bias.</p> <p>For loans in impairment stages I and II we assessed, for selected significant portfolios, the adequacy of the estimates of the Bank's management related to the probability of loan defaults and estimated amount of the subsequent loss and on a sample of loans we verified correctness and appropriateness of input data used in the calculation models of the Bank.</p> <p>The overall conclusion was supported by an analysis performed at an overall portfolio level aimed to identify anomalies in:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Classification of loans to corresponding impairment stages, and</li> <li>b) The provision amount calculated by the Bank.</li> </ol>
<p><b>Interest income and fee and commission income recognition</b></p> <p><i>Refer to Note 22 and Note 24 of the financial statements</i></p> <p>While interest income is accrued over the life of the financial instrument, the moment of fee and commission income recognition depends on the nature of the fees and commissions as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fees and commissions that are directly attributable to the financial instrument are accrued over the expected life of such an instrument using the effective interest rate method;</li> <li>• Fees and commissions for services provided are recognised when service is provided;</li> <li>• Fees and commissions for the execution of an act are recognised when the act has been completed.</li> </ul>	<p>We tested the design and operating effectiveness of the key controls implemented by the Bank's management over the processes for the recognition of interest income and fee and commission income, and focused on controls related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessment of interest/fee recognition policies during new product approval</li> <li>• Validity and correctness of data inputs related to customer loans and deposits, including authorisation of changes in the interest and fee price list and authorisation of non-standard interest/fees;</li> <li>• Management oversight over recognition of fee and commission income and interest income; and</li> <li>• IT controls over access rights and change management of relevant IT applications with the assistance of our IT specialists.</li> </ul>

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<p>The revenue recognition specifics, their high volume consisting of many individually insignificant transactions, the need for high input data quality and the reliability of IT solutions for their recognition resulted in this matter being identified as a key audit matter.</p> <p>For the year ended 31 December 2019, interest income amounted to EUR 34.88 million and fee and commission income amounted to EUR 16.41 million, the main source of which are loans to customers and transactions with customers' deposits.</p>	<p>With respect to the recognition of interest income and fee and commission income we performed the following procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) We evaluated the accounting treatment applied by the Bank with respect to the fees charged to customers to determine whether the applied methodology complies with the requirements of the relevant accounting standards;</li> <li>b) We evaluated the correctness of the accruals of the relevant income over the expected loan life;</li> <li>c) We performed analytical calculation of significant interest income and fee and commission income;</li> <li>d) We assessed the correctness of the recognition of interest income for loans classified in impairment stage III.</li> </ul> <p>We assessed the completeness and accuracy of data used for the calculation of interest income based on data analysis.</p>
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#### **Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS as adopted in the EU, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting, unless management either intends to liquidate the Bank or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Bank's financial reporting process.

#### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Bank's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Bank to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

## **REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS**

### **Report on Information Disclosed in the Annual Report**

The statutory body is responsible for information disclosed in the annual report prepared under the requirements of the Act on Accounting No. 431/2002 Coll. as amended (the "Act on Accounting"). Our opinion on the financial statements stated above does not apply to other information in the annual report.

In connection with the audit of financial statements, our responsibility is to gain an understanding of the information disclosed in the annual report and consider whether such information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit of the financial statements, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

As at the issuance date of the auditor's report on the audit of financial statements, the annual report was not available to us.

When we obtain the annual report, we will evaluate whether the Bank's annual report includes information whose disclosure is required under the Act on Accounting, and based on procedures performed during the audit of the financial statements, we will express an opinion on whether:

- Information disclosed in the annual report prepared for 2019 is consistent with the financial statements for the relevant year; and
- The annual report includes information pursuant to the Act on Accounting.

Furthermore, we will disclose whether material misstatements were identified in the annual report based on our understanding of the Bank and its position, obtained in the audit of the financial statements.

### ***Other reporting obligations as required by Regulation (EU) No. 537/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on specific requirements regarding statutory audit of public interest entities***

#### **Appointment of the Auditor**

We were appointed as the statutory auditor by the Bank's General Meeting on 4 April 2017. The length of our total uninterrupted engagement including previous renewals of the engagement (extensions of the period for which we were appointed) and our reappointments as the statutory auditors is 18 years.

#### **Consistency with the Additional Report to the Audit Committee**

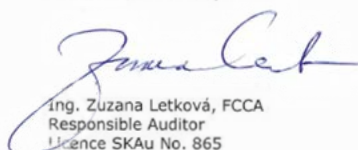
Our audit opinion expressed herein is consistent with the additional report prepared for the Bank's Audit Committee, which we issued on 6 February 2020.

#### **Non-Audit Services**

We did not provide the Bank with any prohibited non-audit services referred to in Article 5 (1) of Regulation (EU) No 537/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on specific requirements regarding the statutory audit of public-interest entities and remained independent of the Bank when conducting the audit.

Other than statutory audit services and services disclosed in the annual report or financial statements, we provided no other services to the Bank and its controlled undertakings.

Bratislava, 7 February 2020



Ing. Zuzana Letková, FCCA  
Responsible Auditor  
Licence SKAu No. 865

On behalf of  
Deloitte Audit s.r.o.  
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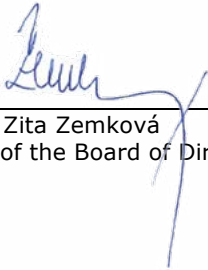



# Separate Statement of Financial Position

## Separate Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2019

(EUR '000)	Note	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Financial assets at amortised cost</b>			
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	4	182 455	154 724
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	5	1 086	219
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	6	1 115 233	1 124 840
Debt securities, net of provisions for expected losses	7	83 367	83 610
<b>Financial assets at fair value</b>			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	8	8 322	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	9	2 295	1 571
Non-current tangible assets	10	21 083	19 406
Non-current intangible assets	10	10 821	9 884
Current tax asset	19	-	499
Deferred tax asset	19	5 088	5 406
Other assets	11	3 744	3 363
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>1 433 494</b>	<b>1 411 793</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Financial liabilities at amortised cost</b>			
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	12	153 307	48 739
Amounts due to customers	13	1 065 348	1 120 371
Liabilities from debt securities	14	45 110	85 105
Subordinated debt	15	27 027	27 032
Financial liabilities held for trading	21	2	17
Provisions for liabilities	20	4 133	4 222
Other liabilities	16	23 972	14 735
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>1 318 899</b>	<b>1 300 221</b>
<b>Equity</b>			
Share capital	17	126 591	126 591
Reserve funds		6 664	6 496
Profit/(loss) from previous years		(22 051)	(18 079)
Accumulated other comprehensive income		1 094	536
Profit/(loss) for the year		2 297	(3 972)
<b>Total equity</b>		<b>114 595</b>	<b>111 572</b>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>		<b>1 433 494</b>	<b>1 411 793</b>

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 7 February 2020.

  
Zita Zemková  
Chairman of the Board of Directors

  
Rastislav Matejsko  
Member of the Board of Directors

# Separate Statement of Comprehensive Income

for the year ended 31 December 2019

(EUR '000)	Note	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Interest income		34 885	37 599
Interest expense		(2 349)	(2 399)
<b>Net interest income</b>	22	<b>32 536</b>	<b>35 200</b>
<b>Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net</b>	23	<b>127</b>	<b>(9 515)</b>
<b>Net interest income after provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet</b>		<b>32 663</b>	<b>25 685</b>
Fee and commission income		16 417	15 676
Fee and commission expense		(4 483)	(4 573)
<b>Net fee and commission income</b>	24	<b>11 934</b>	<b>11 103</b>
Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net	25	845	682
Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net	26	53	(445)
General administrative expenses	27	(42 834)	(41 532)
Other operating revenues/(expenses), net	28	(194)	38
<b>Profit/(loss) before income tax</b>		<b>2 467</b>	<b>(4 469)</b>
Income tax	18	(170)	497
<b>Net profit/(loss) after tax</b>		<b>2 297</b>	<b>(3 972)</b>
<b>Items of other comprehensive income that will be re-classified subsequently to profit or loss, net of tax</b>			
Gain/(loss) on revaluation of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	29	558	223
<b>Total comprehensive income for the reporting period</b>		<b>2 855</b>	<b>(3 749)</b>
Profit/(loss) per share in face value of EUR 3.98(in EUR)	39	0.072	(0.140)
Profit/(loss) per share in face value of EUR 39 832.70 (in EUR)	39	722.65	(1 402.23)
Profit/(loss) per share in face value of EUR 1.00 (in EUR)	39	0.018	(0.035)

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.

# Separate Statement of Changes in Equity

as at 31 December 2019

(EUR '000)	Share Capital	Reserve Funds	Profit/(Loss) from Previous Years	Accumulated Other Compre- hensive Income	Profit/ (Loss) for the Year	Total
Equity as at 1 Jan 2018	111 580	6 338	7 557	64	-	125 539
Change upon initial application of IFRS 9*	-	-	(25 636)	249	-	(25 387)
Equity as at 1 Jan 2018 after restatement	111 580	6 338	(18 079)	313	-	100 152
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Increase in the share capital	15 011	-	-	-	-	15 011
Share-based payments	-	158	-	-	-	158
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	223	(3 972)	(3 749)
Equity as at 31 Dec 2018	126 591	6 496	(18 079)	536	(3 972)	111 572

(EUR '000)	Share Capital	Reserve Funds	Profit/(Loss) from Previous Years	Accumulated Other Compre- hensive Income	Profit/ (Loss) for the Year	Total
Equity as at 1 Jan 2019	126 591	6 496	(22 051)	536	-	111 572
Transfers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Share-based payments	-	168	-	-	-	168
Total comprehensive income	-	-	-	558	2 297	2 855
Equity as at 31 Dec 2019	126 591	6 664	(22 051)	1 094	2 297	114 595

\* As regards the initial application, the Bank analysed the IFRS 9 requirements and classified financial instruments in accordance with IFRS 9, and concluded that at the date of initial application (1 January 2018) the measurement of the Bank's financial instruments was changed for bonds in the available-for-sale portfolio – from FVOCI to FVTPL. The related remeasurement recognised in equity was transferred to "Profit/(loss) from previous years" as at 1 January 2018 with no impact on the Bank's equity.

Changes in the carrying amount of financial assets as regards the initial application of IFRS 9 were recognised through equity and are included in the opening balances as at 1 January 2018 under "Profit/(loss) from previous years".

A detailed description of changes in methodology applied as at 1 January 2018 and their impact on the amount of the Bank's assets and liabilities is provided in the separate financial statements of the Bank for the year ended 31 Decembers 2018.

# Separate Statement of Cash Flows

for the year ended 31 December 2019

(EUR '000)	Note	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 1 Dec 2018
<b>CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>			
<b>Net profit/(loss) after tax</b>		<b>2 297</b>	<b>(3 972)</b>
<i>Adjustments to reconcile net income/(loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:</i>			
Provisions for loans and off-balance sheet		(127)	9 515
Provisions for other assets		(12)	4
Provisions for contingent liabilities		206	(248)
Foreign exchange (gains)/losses on cash and cash equivalents		44	222
Depreciation and amortisation		5 581	4 195
Net effect of assets sold		8	-
Net effect of income tax		170	(497)
Share-based payments		168	158
<i>Changes in operating assets and liabilities:</i>			
Net decrease/(increase) in statutory minimum reserves stipulated by the National Bank of Slovakia		(4 527)	6 148
Net decrease/(increase) in placements with other banks, loans to other banks		(861)	(217)
Net decrease/(increase) in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		(51)	451
Net decrease/(increase) in financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(17)	(39)
Net decrease/(increase) in loans and receivables before provisions for expected losses		9 439	(16 347)
Net (decrease)/increase in amounts due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks		82 141	38 571
Net (decrease)/increase in amounts due to customers		(55 023)	10 692
Net decrease/(increase) in other assets before provisions for expected losses		129	2 362
Net (decrease)/increase in other liabilities except for lease liabilities		6 378	(6 247)
<b>Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities</b>		<b>45 943</b>	<b>44 751</b>
<b>CASH FLOW FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES</b>			
Net decrease/(increase) in held-to-maturity investments		243	233
Net decrease/(increase) in non-current tangible and intangible assets except for right-of-use assets		(4 344)	(4 425)
Net decrease/(increase) in right-of-use assets		(3 859)	-
<b>Net cash flows from/(used in) investment activities</b>		<b>(7 960)</b>	<b>(4 192)</b>
<b>CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>			
Net (decrease)/increase in issued debt securities		(39 995)	(82 640)
Net (decrease)/increase in subordinated debt		(5)	7 024
Net (decrease)/increase in lease liabilities		2 844	-
Increase of share capital		-	15 011
<b>Net cash flows from/(used in) financial activities</b>		<b>(37 156)</b>	<b>(60 605)</b>
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash and cash equivalents		(44)	(222)
<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>		<b>783</b>	<b>(20 268)</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>147 981</b>	<b>168 249</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>148 764</b>	<b>147 981</b>

In 2019, OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. received cash from interest in the amount of EUR 35 108 thousand (2018: EUR 36 502 thousand) and paid out interest in the amount of EUR 2 540 thousand (2018: EUR 2 619 thousand). In 2019, the Bank paid lease payments related to lease liabilities including interest in the amount of EUR 972 thousand (2018: EUR 0).

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.

## 1. Introduction

OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. (hereinafter the "Bank" or "OTP Slovensko") was established on 24 February 1992 and incorporated on 27 February 1992. The Bank's seat is at Štúrova 5, 813 54 Bratislava. The Bank's identification number (IČO) is 31318916 and its tax identification number (DIČ) is 2020411074.

### Members of Statutory and Supervisory Boards as at 31 December 2019

#### Board of Directors:

Ing. Zita Zemková (Chairman)  
Ing. Rastislav Matejsko  
Ing. Radovan Jenis  
Dr. Sándor Patyi

#### Supervisory Board:

József Németh (Chairman)  
Atanáz Popov  
Tamás Endre Vörös  
Adrienn Erdős  
Balázs Létay  
Ing. Angelika Mikócziová  
Ing. Attila Angyal  
Ing. Jaroslav Hora

#### Changes in the Bank in 2019:

#### Supervisory Board:

Ágnes Rudas, termination of office with effect from 14 April 2019  
Dr. Krisztina Kovács, termination of office with effect from 4 April 2019  
Adrienn Erdős, start of office with effect from 20 June 2019  
Balázs Létay, start of office with effect from 20 June 2019

#### Scope of Business

The Bank holds a universal banking licence issued by the National Bank of Slovakia ("NBS" or "National Bank of Slovakia") and carries out business in Slovakia.

The core activity of the Bank is the provision of a wide range of banking and financial services to various entities, mainly to large- and mid-sized enterprises, private individuals, and institutional customers.

The Bank's core scope of business, under the banking licence from the NBS, is as follows:

- Acceptance of deposits;
- Provision of loans;
- Provision of investment services, investment activities and non-core services under Act No. 566/2001 Coll. on Securities and Investment Services within the scope of the banking licence granted by the NBS;
- Trading on own account with money market financial instruments in both the local and foreign currency including the exchange activity;
- Trading on own account with capital market financial instruments in both the local and foreign currency;

- Trading on own account with coins made of precious metals, commemorative bank notes and coins, with bank note sheets and sets of circulating coins;
- Administration of receivables in the client's account including related advisory services;
- Financial leasing;
- Domestic transfers of funds and cross-border transfers of funds (payments and settlements);
- Issuance and administration of payment instruments;
- Granting of bank guarantees, opening and validation of letters of credit;
- Issuance of securities, participation in issues of securities and provision of related services;
- Financial brokerage;
- Business consulting services;
- Safe custody;
- Depository services pursuant to separate regulations;
- Banking information services;
- Renting of safe deposit boxes;
- Special mortgage instruments pursuant to Article 67 par. 1 under provision 2 par. 2 n) to Act No. 483/2001 Coll.; and
- Processing of bank notes, coins, commemorative bank notes and coins.

The Bank is authorised to provide investment services, investment activities, and non-core services under the Act on Securities as follows:

- Receipt and transfer of the client's instruction related to one or more financial instruments in relation to financial instruments: negotiable securities, money market instruments, trust certificates or securities issued by foreign entities of collective investment, swaps related to interest rates or earnings which can be settled by delivery or in cash;
- Execution of the client's instruction at its own account in relation to financial instruments: negotiable securities, money market instruments, trust certificates or securities issued by foreign entities of collective investment;
- Trading at own account in relation to financial instruments: negotiable securities, money market instruments, trust certificates or securities issued by foreign entities of collective investment, currency futures and forwards which can be settled by delivery or in cash;
- Investment advisory in relation to financial instruments: negotiable securities, money market instruments, trust certificates or securities issued by foreign entities of collective investment;
- Firm commitment underwriting and placement of financial instruments in relation to negotiable securities;
- Placement of financial instruments without firm commitment in relation to financial instruments: negotiable securities, trust certificates or securities issued by foreign entities of collective investment;
- Custody of trust certificates or securities issued by foreign

entities of collective investment, custody and administration of negotiable securities at the client's account excluding holder's administration, and related services, mainly administration of cash and financial collaterals;

- Trading with foreign exchange values if relevant to the provision of investment services;
- Conducting of investment research and financial analysis or other form of general recommendation related to transactions with financial instruments;
- Services related to underwriting of financial instruments;
- Execution of orders on behalf of clients under the provision of Article 6 (1b) of the Act on Securities with respect to swaps related to interest rates or interest income that may

be settled physically or in cash, as stipulated in the provision of Article 5 (1d) of the Act on Securities; and

- Dealing on own account under the provision of Article 6 (1c) of the Act on Securities with respect to swaps related to interest rates or interest income that may be settled physically or in cash, as stipulated in the provision of Article 5 (1d) of the Act on Securities.

Operating profit/loss was mainly generated from the provision of banking services in Slovakia.

## Shareholders' Structure

The majority shareholder of the Bank is OTP Bank Nyrt. Hungary ("OTP Bank Nyrt.") with 99.44% share of the Bank's share capital. OTP Bank Nyrt. is the direct parent company of the Bank. The shareholders' structure (with respective shares exceeding 1%) and their share on the share capital are as follows:

Name/Business Name	Share in Subscribed Share Capital as at 31 Dec 2019	Share in Subscribed Share Capital as at 31 Dec 2018
OTP Bank Nyrt. Hungary	99.44%	99.44%
Other minority owners	0.56%	0.56%

The shareholders' shares of voting rights are equal to their shares of the share capital.

In 2020, the Bank expects changes to the ownership structure (see Note "42. Events After the Reporting Date").

## Organisational Structure and Number of Employees

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank operated 5 regional centres (31 December 2018: 10) and 58 branches (31 December 2018: 62) in Slovakia.

As at 31 December 2019, the full-time equivalent of the Bank's employees was 680 (31 December 2018: 681 employees), of which 21 managers (31 December 2018: 21).

As at 31 December 2019, the actual registered number of employees was 671 (31 December 2018: 686), of which 22 managers (31 December 2018: 21).

"Managers" means members of the Board of Directors and managers directly reporting to the statutory body or a member of the statutory body.

The full-time equivalent of employees and the actual registered number of employees does not include members of the Supervisory Board.

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank's Supervisory Board had 8 members (31 December 2018: 8).

## Regulatory Requirements

The Bank is subject to the banking supervision and regulatory requirements of the NBS. These regulations include indicators, and limits pertaining to liquidity, capital adequacy ratios, risk management system and the currency position of the Bank.

## Data on Consolidating Entity

The Bank is part of the consolidation group of OTP Group; consolidated financial statements for all groups of consolidation group entities are prepared by Országos Takarékpénztár és Kereskedelmi Bank Nyrt., the parent company with its seat at Nádor utca 16, 1051 Budapest, Hungary ("OTP Bank Nyrt."). OTP Bank Nyrt. is also an immediate consolidating entity of the Bank.

## 2. Principal Accounting Policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these separate financial statements are set out below:

### Statement of Compliance

The separate financial statements of the Bank for the year ended 31 December 2019 have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as adopted by the European Union ("EU").

Accounting policies and accounting methods applied when preparing these financial statements differ from those applied when preparing the annual financial statements of the Bank as at 31 December 2018 as a result of the application of IFRS 16 "Leases" for the annual period beginning on 1 January 2019.

### IFRS 16 Disclosures

IFRS 16 replaces IAS 17 – Leases, IFRIC 4 – Determining Whether an Arrangement Contains a Lease, SIC 15 – Operating Leases – Incentives and SIC 27 – Evaluating the Substance of Transactions in the Legal Form of a Lease.

The purpose of the new standard is to ease the comparability of the financial statements, presenting both financial and operating leases in the statement of financial position, and providing corresponding information to the users of the financial statements about the risks associated with the agreements.

The new standard discontinues the differentiation between operating and finance leases in the lessee's books, and requires recognition of a right-of-use asset and lease liability regarding all of the lessee's lease agreements. Pursuant to IFRS 16, an agreement is a lease, or contains a lease, if it transfers the rights to control the use of an identified asset for a given period in exchange for compensation.

The essential element differentiating the definition of a lease from IAS 17 and from IFRS 16 is the requirement to have control over the used, specific asset, stated directly or indirectly in the agreement.

Expenses related to the use of lease assets, the majority of which were previously recognised as costs of external services, are currently classified by the Bank as depreciation / amortisation and interest expense.

When depreciating right-of-use assets, the Bank applies a straight-line method, and lease liabilities are settled using an effective discount rate.

In the cash flow statement, cash flows from the principal of the lease liability are classified as cash flows from financ-

ing activities, while lease payments for short-term leases, lease payments for leases of low-value assets and variable lease payments not included in the measurement of the lease liability are classified as cash-flows from operating activities. The interest payments regarding the lease liability are classified according to the IAS 7 standard.

As a lessee, the Bank applies IAS 36 – Impairment of Assets to determine whether the right-of-use asset is impaired and recognises an impairment loss, if necessary.

### First Application of IFRS 16

Upon the first application, the Bank applied the modified retrospective approach. Applying the modified retrospective approach requires the lessee to present the cumulative impact of IFRS 16 as an adjustment to equity at the start of the current accounting period in which it is first applied.

The entity applied the following practical expedients available:

- Apply a single discount rate to a portfolio of leases with reasonably similar characteristics.
- Adjust the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application by the amount of any provision for onerous leases in the statement of financial position.
- Apply a simplified method for contracts which will mature within 12 months of the date of initial application.
- Exclude initial direct costs from the measurement of the right-of-use asset at the date of initial application.
- Use hindsight, eg when determining the lease term if the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

#### a) Recognition of lease liabilities

As at the date of first application, the Bank recognised lease liabilities related to leases which were previously classified as operating leases in accordance with IAS 17 Leases. These liabilities were measured at the present value of lease payments receivable as at the date of commencement of the application of IFRS 16. Lease payments will be discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, at the incremental borrowing rate. Interest rate applied by the Bank upon the first application: weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate: ~0.084%

At their date of initial recognition, the lease payments contained in the measurement of lease liabilities comprise the following types of payments for the right to use the underlying asset for the life of the lease:

- Fixed lease payments less any lease incentives,
- Variable lease payments which are dependent on market indices,
- Amounts expected to be payable by the lessee under residual value guarantees,



- The strike price of a purchase option, if it is reasonably certain that the option will be exercised, and
- Payment of contractual penalties for terminating the lease if the lease period reflects that the lessee used the option to terminate the lease.

The Entity also applies expedients with respect to short-term leases (less than 12 months) as well as leases in respect of which the underlying asset has a low value (less than USD 5 thousand) and for agreements in which it will not recognise financial liabilities, nor respective right-to-use assets. These types of lease payments will be recognised as costs using the straight-line method during the life of the lease as "General administrative expenses".

#### b) Recognition of right-to-use assets

Right-to-use assets are initially measured at cost.

The cost of a right-of-use asset comprises:

- The initial estimate of lease liabilities,
- Any lease payments paid at the commencement date or

earlier, less any lease incentives receivable,

- Initial costs directly incurred by the lessee as a result of entering into a lease agreement,
- Estimates of costs which are to be incurred by the lessee as a result of an obligation to disassemble and remove an underlying asset or to carry out renovation/restoration.

#### c) Application of estimates

The implementation of IFRS 16 requires the making of certain estimates and calculations which effect the measurement of financial lease liabilities and of right-to-use assets. These include inter alia:

- Determining which agreements are subject to IFRS 16,
- Determining the life of such agreements (including for agreements with unspecified lives or which may be prolonged),
- Determining the interest rates to be applied for discounting future cash flows,
- Determining depreciation rates.

The impact of implementing IFRS 16 as at the date of the first application

In EUR'000	1 January 2019
Right-of-use assets (line "Non-current tangible assets" in the statement of financial position)	3 906
Lease liability (line "Other liabilities" in the statement of financial position)	3 906
Cumulative impact recognised as an adjustment to the equity at the date of initial application	0

#### Adoption of New and Revised Standards

##### a) standards and Interpretations Effective in the Current Period

The Bank adopted all of the new and revised standards and interpretations issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (the IASB) and the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) of the IASB as adopted by the EU that are relevant to its operations and effective for the reporting periods beginning on 1 January 2019:

- **IFRS 16 "Leases"** – adopted by the EU on 31 October 2017 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019),,
- **Amendments to IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments"** – Pre-payment Features with Negative Compensation – adopted by the EU on 22 March 2018 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019),

- **Amendments to IAS 19 "Employee Benefits"** – Plan Amendment, Curtailment or Settlement – adopted by the EU on 13 March 2019 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019),

- **Amendments to IAS 28 "Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures"** – Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures – adopted by the EU on 8 February 2019 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019),

- **Amendments to various standards due to "Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards (2015 – 2017 Cycle)"** resulting from the annual IFRS improvement project (IFRS 3, IFRS 11, IAS 12 and IAS 23) primarily with a view to removing inconsistencies and clarifying wording – adopted by the EU on 14 March 2019 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019),



- **IFRIC 23 “Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments”** – adopted by the EU on 23 October 2018 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019).

The adoption of IFRS 16 “Leases” required a change in the Bank’s accounting principles as described in Note 2 “IFRS 16 Disclosures”. The adoption of other new standards, amendments to existing standards, and the interpretation has not led to any material changes in the Bank’s financial statements

#### **b) Standards and Interpretations in Issue but not yet Effective**

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements, the following new standard, amendments to the existing standard, and the interpretation issued by IASB and adopted by the EU are not yet effective:

- **Amendments to IAS 1 “Presentation of Financial Statements” and IAS 8 “Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors”** – Definition of Material – adopted by the EU on 29 November 2019 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020),
- **Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards** – adopted by the EU on 29 November 2019 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020),
- **Amendments to IFRS 9 “Financial Instruments”, IAS 39 “Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement” and IFRS 7 “Financial Instruments: Disclosures”** – Interest Rate Benchmark Reform – adopted by the EU on 15 January 2020 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020).

The Bank has elected not to adopt these new standards, amendments to the existing standards and interpretations in advance of their effective dates. Bank management anticipates that the adoption of these standards and amendments to the existing standards and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Bank in the period of initial application.

#### **c) Standards and Interpretations not yet Endorsed by the EU**

At present, IFRS as adopted by the EU do not significantly differ from the regulations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), except for the following standards, amendments and interpretations that were not endorsed for use as at the reporting date.

- **IFRS 14 “Regulatory Deferral Accounts”** (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016) – the European Commission has decided not to launch the endorsement process of this interim standard and to wait for the final standard.
- **IFRS 17 “Insurance Contracts”** (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021).
- **Amendments to IFRS 3 “Business Combinations”** – Definition of a Business (effective for business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2020 and to asset acquisitions that occur on or after the beginning of that period).
- **Amendments to IFRS 10 “Consolidated Financial Statements” and IAS 28 “Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures”** – Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture and further amendments (effective date deferred indefinitely until the research project on the equity method has been concluded).

#### **Purpose of Preparation**

These separate financial statements were prepared in Slovakia so as to comply with the article 17a) of Act on Accounting No. 431/2002 Coll. as amended, under special regulations – Regulation (EC) 1606/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Application of International Accounting Standards (IFRS).

The financial statements are intended for general use and information, and are not intended for the purposes of any specific user or consideration of any specific transactions. Accordingly, users should not rely exclusively on these financial statements when making decisions.

#### **Basis for the Financial Statements Preparation**

Separate financial statements were prepared under the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments, which have been recognised at fair value. The financial statements were prepared under the accrual principle of accounting: transactions and recognised events are recorded in the period to which they are related in time.

Separate financial statements were prepared under the assumption that the Bank will continue as a going concern in the foreseeable future.

The reporting currency used for disclosure in these separate financial statements is the Euro, which is rounded to thousands of euros, unless stipulated otherwise. The amounts in brackets refer to negative values.

These separate financial statements include no adjustments that might arise from the change in the ownership structure (see Note “42. Events After the Reporting Date”), from changes in the scope of business, or strategy of the Bank leading to changes in the classification or measurement of assets and liabilities.

### **Significant Accounting Assessments and Judgements**

The presentation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the management of the Bank to make judgements about estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as at the reporting date, and their reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates and future changes in the economic conditions, business strategies, regulatory requirements, accounting rules or/and other factors could result in a change in estimates that could have a material impact on the reported financial position and results of operations.

#### **Significant areas of judgment include the following:**

In connection with the current economic environment, based on the currently-available information the management has considered all relevant factors which could have an impact on the valuation and impairment of assets and liabilities in these financial statements, impact on the liquidity, funding of operations of the Bank and other effects these may have on financial statements. All such impacts, if any, have been reflected in these financial statements. The Bank’s management continues to monitor the situation and any further possible impacts of the economic environment on its operations.

The identification of expected credit losses reflects a probability-weighted loss amount that is determined by evaluating a range of possible outcomes when taking into account the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

The identification of the expected losses from receivables as regards financial assets measured at amortised cost is an area that requires the use of complex models and significant assumptions about future economic conditions and credit behaviour.

Significant judgments include the definition of criteria to determine a significant increase in credit risk, the selection of appropriate models and assumptions for expected credit losses, the determination of the number of expected credit loss scenarios and creation of groups of similar financial assets based on products with similar characteristics, collateral and type of customer, for the measurement of expected credit losses.

The Bank believes that the estimates used in the process of determining the amount of expected credit losses including off-balance sheet exposures represent the most reasonable forecasts of the future development of the relevant risks available in the given circumstances. According to Bank management, the disclosed amount of provisions for assets is adequate to cover expected losses from the impairment of receivables.

The amounts recognised as provisions for liabilities are based on the judgement of the Bank’s management and represent the best estimate of expenditures required to settle a liability of uncertain timing or amount resulting from an obligation.

In recent years, income tax rules and regulations underwent significant changes. In connection with the broad and complex issues affecting the banking industry, there are no historical precedents and/or interpretation judgments. In addition, tax authorities have broad powers as regards the interpretation of the effective tax laws and regulations during the tax audit of a taxpayer. As a result, there is a higher degree of uncertainty as to the final outcome of a potential audit conducted by tax authorities.

### **Translation of Amounts Denominated in Foreign Currencies**

Assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency are translated to euros using the reference exchange rate determined and announced by the European Central Bank valid as at the reporting date. Revenues and expenses denominated in a foreign currency are recognised as translated using the exchange rate valid as at the transaction date. Foreign exchange gains/losses on transactions are recognised on the statement of comprehensive income line “*Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net*”.

### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and balances in demand deposits with the NBS, and only include amounts of cash immediately available and highly-liquid investments with an original maturity of up to three months. For the purposes of the cash flow statement, such amounts exclude a mandatory minimum reserve deposited with the NBS. The items are recorded in the statement of financial position line “Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia”.

### **Placements with Other Banks and Loans to Other Banks**

Placements with other banks and loans to other banks are stated at amortised costs net of provisions for expected losses in the statement of financial position line “*Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses*”. Interest is accrued using the effective interest rate method and credited to the profit or loss based on the amount

of an outstanding receivable. Such interest is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in *"Interest income"*.

### **Financial Instruments – Initial Recognition**

All financial assets are recognised and derecognised on the trade date on which the purchase or sale of a financial asset is carried out under contract terms which require delivery of the financial asset within the timeframe established by the relevant market. Financial assets are initially measured at fair value, plus/less transaction costs attributable to the acquisition of a financial asset, except for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, which are initially measured at fair value.

Financial assets are classified into the following categories: financial assets held for trading, non-trade financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income and financial assets at amortised cost. The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial asset and is determined at the initial recognition.

### **Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss**

#### **Financial Assets Held for Trading**

Financial assets held for trading include financial derivatives held for trading and to generate profit. Revaluation gains and losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *"Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net"*.

#### **Non-Trade Financial Assets Mandatorily Measured at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss**

Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss include securities that the Bank intends to hold for an indefinite period or which may be sold if liquidity requirements arise or market conditions change. Additionally, their cash flows do not meet the SPPI test requirements. Upon acquisition, such securities are measured at cost. Subsequently, such financial assets are measured at fair value through profit or loss. Gains and losses on fair value remeasurement are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *"Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net"*.

#### **Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income**

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income include securities and investments in entities with ownership interest of less than 20% of the registered capital and voting rights.

These investments are measured at fair value. However, in limited circumstances, cost may be an appropriate esti-

mate of fair value. This may be the case if insufficient recent information is available to measure at fair value, or if there is a wide range of possible fair value measurements and cost represents the best estimate of fair value within that range. Gains and losses on fair value measurement are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *"Gains/(losses) on revaluation of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income"*.

Interest income is accrued using the effective interest rate and recognised directly through the statement of comprehensive income as *"Interest income"*.

### **Sale and Repurchase Agreements**

Debt or equity securities sold under sale and repurchase agreements are recognised as assets in the statement of financial position line *"Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss"*, *"Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income"* and the contracted liability is recorded in *"Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks"* and/or in *"Amounts due to customers"*.

Securities purchased under agreements to resell securities are recorded as assets in the statement of financial position line *"Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia"*, and/or in *"Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses"*, or in *"Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses"*.

The difference between the sale and repurchase prices is treated as interest and accrued over the life of each REPO agreement using the effective interest rate method.

### **Loans and Receivables, Impairment of Loans and Receivables**

Loans to customers are stated at amortised cost net of provisions for loan losses in the statement of financial position line *"Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses"*. Interest is accrued using the effective interest rate method and credited to the profit or loss based on the amount of an outstanding receivable in the line *"Interest income"*. Interest is no longer accrued on loan receivables when bankruptcy is declared on a debtor, upon the start of the restructuring proceedings by law, in the case of withdrawal by either party from the loan agreement or in extraordinary cases when interest is waived based on the Bank's decision.

Fees and commissions related to loans are gradually amortised over the contractual term of the loan using the effective interest rate method and are recognised in the line *"Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses"*.

In line with the Bank's objectives, loan receivables acquired through assignment are classified in accordance with IFRS 9 as "*Loans and receivables*". Upon initial recognition, loans are measured at cost including all transaction costs related to acquisition. For purchased loans, this means that their initial measurement equals the amount of financial settlement for assigned receivables.

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank has not purchased, or originated credit-impaired financial assets in its portfolio, ie financial assets that were credit-impaired upon the initial recognition.

Any differences between the carrying amount as at the date of acquisition of loan receivables acquired by an assignment and the due amount (acquisition cost, transfer fee, margin differentials etc.) are accrued over the whole maturity period of the loan using the effective interest rate method.

To classify receivables into individual stages, the Bank has developed policies and approaches to assess whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk and whether the classification to individual levels is required based on the number of days past due, identification of receivables with deferred maturity, identification of default status and the monitoring process results for non-retail debtors.

The Bank considers receivables classified to Stage 1 as non-distressed with no significant increase in credit risk since the initial recognition. Stage 1 includes receivables that, as at the reporting date, do not show characteristics typical for the criteria for classification to Stage 2 or 3.

The Bank considers receivables classified to Stage 2 as non-distressed with a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, but there is no objective proof of impairment.

Stage 2 includes receivables that as at the reporting date show the following quantitative criteria:

- Receivables are overdue by 31 to 90 days,
- Receivables are overdue by more than 90 days, but not in default (the amount owed does not exceed the set materiality level),
- For retail loans secured by immovable assets, a significant deterioration of LTV since the initial recognition (more than 125%) was identified,
- A significant currency shock on the market,
- The behavioural scoring is higher than the threshold set in advance, which means that the loan would not be financed if it was decided to provide a loan as at the date of recognition,
- Negative information from banking systems, the customer has DPD30+ in other banks.

The Bank considers receivables classified to Stage 3 as distressed with a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, and objective proof of impairment exists.

Stage 3 includes receivables that as at the reporting date show quantitative criteria based on which the default of a receivable or debtor is identified.

Definition of default is stated in Section "Criteria for Definition of Default of Loan Receivables", Note 35 "Credit Risk".

As regards qualitative criteria, the Bank applies the following:

- Identification of receivables with deferred maturity, receivables classified as non-distressed with deferred maturity are included in Stage 2 and receivables classified as distressed with deferred maturity are included in Stage 3,
- For retail receivables default on another loan of a customer, such receivables are classified to Stage 2,
- For non-retail receivables, in addition to objective criteria for determining the risk profile of a receivable, the Bank also uses a portfolio monitoring system. The Bank monitors its portfolio based on a system of risk check indicators, the "early warning system", as well as based on an individual assessment.

Based on this system, receivables are classified into individual risk statuses as shown in the table below:

Risk Status		Stage
1		STG1
2	WL1	STG1
	WL2	STG2
	WL3	STG3
3		STG3

In this case, WL stands for the "watch list". Receivables with a higher risk when it is assumed that the risk will be reversed and the receivable repaid in full are classified as WL1. Receivables subjectively assessed as having an increased risk of potential loss are classified as WL2. WL3 is comprised of receivables that are not likely to be repaid in full.

- Expert judgement.

As at the reporting date, the Bank identifies and reassesses the amount of impairment for provided loan receivables.

The Bank identifies the amount of impairment for receivables classified to Stage 1 and 2 using a portfolio approach. For non-retail receivables classified to Stage 3, the impairment is identified using an individual approach if conditions for the individual assessment are met.

Other non-retail and retail receivables classified to Stage 3 are subject to portfolio assessment.

The following non-retail loans classified to Stage 3 are assessed by the Bank on an individual basis:

- Receivables managed by the Work Out & Monitoring Department, except for small loan receivables (micro loans assessed on a portfolio basis),
- Receivables not managed by the Work Out & Monitoring Department with an exposure of over EUR 0.4 million.

Under IFRS 9, the impairment of receivables classified to Stage 1 is measured at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses resulting from potential default events over the following 12 months. For receivables classified to Stage 2 or Stage 3, impairment is measured at an amount of lifetime expected credit losses on the respective receivable.

The amount of impairment for loan receivables classified to Stage 1 is usually lower than of those classified to Stage 2 and 3.

The amount of impairment for loan receivables is recognised through provisions for assets and for off-balance sheet liabilities through provisions for liabilities.

Provisions are recorded and reversed through *“Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net”* in the statement of comprehensive income.

The Bank recognises write-offs of loans as *“Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net”* with releasing the relevant provisions for loan losses. Written-off loans and advances made to clients are recorded on the off-balance sheet, whereas the Bank continues to monitor and recover such loans except for loans where the Bank lost the legal title for

their recovery or where the Bank ceased the recovery process as the recovery costs exceed the amount receivable. Each subsequent income on written-off receivables is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as *“Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net”*.

Detailed information about the credit risk management is stated in Note 35 Credit Risk.

### **Debt Securities at Amortised Cost**

Debt securities at amortised cost represent debt financial assets with pre-defined date of maturity that the Bank intends and has the ability to hold until their maturity. At acquisition, such assets are measured at cost, which include transaction costs. Debt securities are subsequently remeasured to the amortised cost based on the effective interest rate method, net of provisions for impairment.

Interest income, discounts and premiums on debt securities at amortised cost are accrued using the effective interest rate method and recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in *“Interest income”*.

### **Non-Current Tangible and Intangible Assets**

Non-current tangible and intangible assets (Property, Plant and Equipment) are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation charges are computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets corresponding to future economic benefits from assets as follows:

Type of Asset	Estimated Useful Life for 2019 and 2018
ATMs and motor vehicles, computers, servers, office equipment, telecommunications equipment	4
Servers	5
Software	2 – 10
Fixtures, fittings and office equipment, machines and equipment	6 – 8
Computers, machines, equipment, ATMs, furniture	8
Right-of-use assets*	1 – 10
Technical upgrade of leased buildings	5 – 20
Time vaults, air-conditioning facilities	10
Heavy bank program (safes), transportation means	12
Buildings and structures	40

\* See Note 2 *“IFRS 16 Disclosures”*.

Depreciation of non-current assets is charged to the statement of comprehensive income line *“General administrative expenses”*. Depreciation commences in the month that such assets are put into use. Land and works of art are not depreciated.

At the reporting date, the Bank reviews the carrying value of its non-current assets, and the estimated useful life and the method of depreciation thereof. The Bank also reassesses

the recoverable amount of the asset, which is estimated to determine the extent (if any) of the impairment loss. Where the carrying value of buildings and equipment is greater than the estimated recoverable amount, it is written down to the estimated recoverable amount through the profit or loss. If the impairment is of a temporary nature, impairment provisions are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as *“Other operating revenues/(expenses), net”*.

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.



At the reporting date, the Bank also assesses whether there is any indication that an impairment loss recognised in prior periods for an asset may no longer exist or may have decreased. If any such indication exists, the entity estimates the recoverable amount of that asset. If the estimated recoverable amount exceeds the carrying value of an asset, it is dissolved through the statement of comprehensive income in *"Other operating revenues/(expenses), net"*.

In the Bank, non-current intangible assets mainly include software.

#### **Accrued Interest Receivable/Payable**

Accrued interest on loans and placements made is recognised in lines *"Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses"* and *"Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses"*. Accrued interest on received loans and deposits is recognised in line *"Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks"* and *"Amounts due to customers"*. Accrued interest on securities is recognised for individual items of securities in the statement of financial position.

The Bank recognises accrued interest on loans, deposits and securities using the effective interest rate method.

#### **Recognition of Revenues and Expenses**

Revenues and expenses are recognised in the profit or loss for all interest-bearing instruments on an accrual basis using the effective interest rate.

Interest income on securities includes revenues from fixed and floating interest rate coupons and accrued discount and premium.

Receivables classified in STAGE 3 bear interest on a net basis with effect from 1 January 2018, while in the previous periods they bore interest on a gross basis and provisions for interest receivables were then recorded. Since 1 January 2018, default interest has been recognised in revenues at the moment of its payment. In past years, it was recognised at the moment default interest was charged to a client and provisions were then recorded.

Fees and commissions are recognised in the profit or loss on an accrual basis. Fees and commissions related to the provision of loans are accrued over the contractual term of the loan until its due date and are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in *"Interest income"*.

Fees and commissions that are not part of the effective interest rate are recognised as expenses and income in the state-

ment of comprehensive income line *"Fee and commission expense"* and *"Fee and commission income"* on an accrual basis and as at the date of transaction.

Income from dividends is recognised in the period of the origin of the title to receive dividends and is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as *"Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net"*.

Other expenses and revenues are recognised in the relevant period on an accrual basis.

#### **Income Tax and Other Tax**

The annual income tax liability is based on the tax base calculated from the profit/loss under IFRS and Slovak tax law. To determine the current income tax, tax rates valid as at the reporting date are applied.

The deferred income tax is calculated by the Bank using the balance sheet liability method in respect of all temporary differences between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in the statement of financial position.

Deferred income taxes are computed using tax rates set for the subsequent taxable period and applicable at the moment of the tax asset realisation or the tax liability recognition. The tax rate of 21% remains applicable for 2019.

Deferred tax assets are recognised if it is probable, beyond any significant doubt, that profits will be available in the future against which deductible temporary difference can be utilised. Tax assets are reassessed as at the reporting date.

Deferred tax is recognised in the profit or loss as *"Income Tax"*, except for the deferred tax arising from items that are recognised through equity, such as financial instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income. In this case, the deferred tax is also recognised through equity as part of items of comprehensive income.

The Bank is a payer of the value added tax and selected local taxes. Taxes are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *"General administrative expenses"*, except for the value added tax on acquisition of tangible and intangible assets, which enters the cost of non-current tangible and intangible assets.

#### **Special Levy on Selected Financial Institutions and Resolution Fund**

As of 1 January 2012, Act No. 384/2011 Coll. on the Special Levy of Selected Financial Institutions came into effect. The levy calculation is based on the amount of the Bank's liabili-

ties less equity, subordinated debt and deposits protected by the Deposit Protection Fund. In 2012, Act No. 233/2012 Coll. amending and supplementing the Act on the Special Levy of Financial Institutions was adopted with effect from 1 September 2012. The amendment primarily regulates the base for levy calculation, where the amount of deposits protected by the Deposit Protection Fund does not decrease the base for levy calculation, and stipulates the conditions under which the rate for the levy calculation is decreased.

Average recalculated figures derived from data as at the last date of a calendar month of the preceding calendar quarter are used to determine the base for calculating the levy for the relevant calendar quarter. The levy is paid in quarterly instalments at the beginning of the relevant quarter.

On 12 October 2016, the Ministry of Finance of the Slovak Republic published in the Collection of Laws Act No. 281/2016 Coll. amending Act No. 384/2011 Coll. on the Special Levy of Selected Financial Institutions. It repealed the Decree of the Ministry of Finance of the Slovak Republic No. 253/2014 Coll. on meeting the condition for the rate of a special levy for certain financial institutions under Article 8 and added a new Article 11, which stipulates the rate of the levy for 2017 to 2020 in the amount of 0.2% p.a.

On 28 November 2019, the Ministry of Finance of the Slovak Republic published Act No. 463/2019 Coll. amending Act No. 384/2011 Coll. on the Special Levy of Selected Financial Institutions in the Collection of Laws. The Act was supplemented by a new Article 11a that cancelled the application of Article 11 for 2020. As a result of this amendment, the special levy rate for selected financial institutions applied in the calculation has been increased to 0.4% p.a. for the indefinite period.

On 1 January 2015, Act No. 371/2014 on the Resolution of Crisis Situations on the Financial Market became effective and introduced an obligation for banks to pay a contribution to the resolution fund. The resolution fund is financed from financial contributions made by financial institutions, ie banks and selected security dealers. The financial funds of the national fund are deposited in a separate account held with the National Bank of Slovakia. The administration of such funds is provided by the Deposit Protection Fund. The resolution fund may be used under strictly defined conditions for the resolution of crisis situations.

The Bank recognises (in accordance with the accrual principle) the levies as incurred in the statement of comprehensive income line *"General administrative expenses"* (Note 27).

## **Derivative Financial Instruments**

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank is a party to contracts for derivative financial instruments, which represent a low initial value investment compared to the notional value of the contract. Generally, derivative financial instruments include currency forwards and currency swaps. The Bank mainly uses these financial instruments for business purposes and to hedge its currency exposures associated with transactions in financial markets.

Derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at acquisition cost, which includes transaction expenses and which is subsequently again re-measured to fair value. Their fair values are determined using valuation techniques by discounting future cash flows by a rate derived from the market yield curve and foreign currency translations using the ECB rates valid on the calculation day.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments that are not defined as hedging derivatives are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *"Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net"*. Derivatives with positive fair values are recognised as assets in the statement of financial position line *"Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss"*. Derivatives with negative fair values are recognised as liabilities in the statement of financial position line *"Financial liabilities held for trading"*.

Transactions with derivative financial instruments, although providing the Bank with an effective economic hedging in risk management, do not qualify for the recognition of hedging derivatives under specific rules of IFRS 9, and therefore, they are recognised in the accounting books as derivative financial instruments held for trading, and gains and losses from the fair value are recognised as *"Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net"*.

## **Liabilities from Debt Securities**

Liabilities from debt securities are recognised at amortised cost. The Bank mainly issues bank bonds and mortgage bonds. Interest expense is included in the statement of comprehensive income line *"Interest expense"*, and it is accrued using the effective interest rate method.

## **Subordinated Debts**

Subordinated debt refers to the Bank's external debt where in the event of the Bank's bankruptcy, composition or liquidation the entitlement to its repayment is subordinated to liabilities to other creditors. The Bank's subordinated debt is recognised on a separate line of the statement of financial position as *"Subordinated debt"*. Interest expenses paid for

the received subordinated debt are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line "Interest expense".

### **Provision for Off-Balance Sheet Liabilities**

In the ordinary course of business, off-balance sheet liabilities, such as guarantees, financial commitments to grant a loan and a letter of credit are recorded by the Bank.

The Bank creates provisions to cover expected losses on contingent loan commitments, undrawn credit facilities, issued guarantees and issued letters of credit. The calculation of the provisions for off-balance sheet liabilities is analogous to credit exposures. Issued guarantees, irrevocable letters of credit, and undrawn loan commitments are subject to similar monitoring of credit risks and credit principles, as in the case of extended loans.

Provisions are recognised in the statement of financial position line "*Provisions for liabilities*". Expenses for the recorded provision are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as "*Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net*".

### **Provision for Liabilities and Employee Benefits**

The amount of provisions for liabilities is recognised as an expense and a liability when the Bank is exposed to potential liabilities from litigation or indirect liabilities as a result of past events, and when it is probable that to settle such liabilities a cash outflow will be required, which will result in the reduction of resources embodying the economic benefits and a reasonable estimate of the amount of the resulting loss can be made. Any amount related to the recognition of the provision for liabilities is recognised in the profit or loss for the period.

In line with the valid legislation, the Bank provides a lump-sum payment upon retirement. The recorded provision represents a liability to an employee that is calculated using the set actuarial methods; the calculation is based on discounted future expenditures. As at the reporting date, the liability is measured at the present value.

The provision is recognised in the statement of financial position line "*Provisions for liabilities*". Expenses for the recorded provision are recognised through the statement of comprehensive income line "*General administrative expenses*".

Representatives of the Bank's statutory body and selected employees receive remuneration for rendered services in a form of a cash-settled payment and an equity-settled financial instrument in the form of parent company's shares. The remuneration is paid based on the compensation policy of the OTP Group. In the case of a cash-settled remuneration, the

payment is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in "*General administrative expenses*" with the counter entry in "*Other liabilities*" in the statement of financial position. A portion of the remuneration in the form of a financial instrument being the parent company's shares is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in "*General administrative expenses*" with the corresponding entry in "*Reserve funds*" in the statement of financial position (see Note 31). The Bank recognises remuneration and share-based payments from the moment when the claim can be exercised.

The compensation policy within the OTP Group is consistent with the compensation policy and principles for risk management under Act No. 483/2001 Coll. on Banks, as amended.

### **Bank's Regulatory Capital**

In the administration of its regulatory capital, the Bank aims to ensure business prudence and to maintain the Bank's regulatory capital continuously at least at the level required for Bank's own funds while taking into account the defined minimum requirement in respect of the system for the assessment of internal capital adequacy for the relevant year and the relevant amounts of capital buffer.

To accomplish this, when preparing the yearly business plan the Bank also prepares a plan of adequacy of regulatory capital considering its business objectives and applying the knowledge gained from previous experience.

During the year, the Bank monitors the development of requirements for regulatory capital on a monthly basis for internal purposes and prepares reports on regulatory capital and on the requirements for the Bank's regulatory capital, which are submitted to the National Bank of Slovakia, on a quarterly basis. The achieved results are also discussed at the Board of Directors and Supervisory Board meetings on a quarterly basis.

The Bank's regulatory capital is defined by Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012. The Bank's regulatory capital comprises the sum of its TIER 1 capital (regulatory and supplementary) and TIER 2 capital.

### **Segment Reporting**

When preparing segment reporting, the Bank uses its internal information, which is presented to the Bank's management on a regular basis. The breakdown by individual segment categories recognised in the notes is based on the principle applied for the classification of the Bank's customers as follows:

- Retail customers,
- Corporate customers,
- Treasury,
- Not specified.

The “retail customers” segment includes the following customers: individuals. The Bank provides to retail customers standard bank products, particularly: consumer loans, mortgage loans, general-purpose loans, deposit products. The most common deposit products offered are current accounts, term deposits, saving accounts, credit and payment cards. The core products of this segment included housing loans and consumer loans.

The “corporate customers” segment includes domestic and foreign companies and state-owned entities. This segment comprises the following subsegments: micro clients with sales of up to EUR 1 million, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) with sales of up to EUR 17 million and large clients and project financing with sales of over EUR 17 million. In terms of products, corporate customers were mostly provided with the following products: overdraft and MICROloans facilities, overdraft EU MICROloans (with EIF guarantee), overdraft refinancing MICROloans, overdraft facilities, EU AGROloans, investment loans including project financing loans from EU funds, and loans for the reconstruction of residential buildings for the apartment owners associations and apartment owners represented by management companies/housing cooperatives.

The “Treasury” segment includes transactions performed on the Bank’s own account or on the client’s account and comprises the following types of transaction: trading with securities, trading with derivative instruments, trading on money and foreign currency markets, and management of the Bank’s liquidity and foreign exchange position.

Geographically, operating profit was primarily generated by the provision of banking services in Slovakia. Some assets and liabilities are placed outside Slovakia.

The breakdown of selected items of the financial statements by segments, the summary of the most significant exposures of total assets and liabilities to foreign entities and information on the amount of total revenues from foreign entities is included in Note 30 “Segment Reporting”.

### ***Statement of Cash Flows***

Cash and cash equivalents for the purposes of cash flow presentation include cash, amounts due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia, excluding the compulsory minimum reserve required by the NBS and amounts due to banks due up to three months.

### 3. Fair Value of the Bank's Financial Assets and Liabilities

The fair value of the Bank's financial assets and liabilities is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arm's length transaction. Where available, fair value estimates are made based on quoted market prices. In circumstances where the quoted market prices are not readily available, the fair value is estimated using discounted cash flow models or other valuation models as appropriate. Market inputs are used in valuation models to the maximum extent. Changes in underlying assumptions, including discount rates and estimated future cash flows or other factors, significantly impact the estimates. Therefore, the estimated fair market values may not be realised in the current sale of the financial instrument.

Based on the used input data for the fair value estimates, the calculation of fair value of the Bank's financial assets and liabilities can be classified into one of the three levels:

*Level 1: quoted prices from active markets for identical assets or liabilities,*

*Level 2: inputs other than "level 1" quoted prices, which can be obtained for assets or liabilities either directly (eg prices) or indirectly (derived from interest rates etc.),*

*Level 3: input data for assets or liabilities, which cannot be derived from market data.*

The following tables present an analysis of financial instruments that are measured after their initial recognition at fair value. Financial instruments are classified into three levels/categories based on the level of the fair value determination:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	TOTAL
<b>Assets</b>				
Financial assets held for trading	-	-	-	-
Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss	8 322	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	2 295	2 295
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Financial liabilities held for trading	-	2	-	2

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	TOTAL
<b>Assets</b>				
Financial assets held for trading	-	-	-	-
Financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss	8 271	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	1 571	1 571
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Financial liabilities held for trading	-	17	-	17

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.



The following tables present the fair value hierarchy for financial instruments measured in assets and liabilities at amortised cost (**the values below represent amortised cost**):

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	TOTAL
<b>Assets</b>				
Loans and receivables	-	-	1 115 233	1 115 233
Debt securities at amortised cost	83 367	-	-	83 367
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Amounts due to customers	-	-	1 065 348	1 065 348
Liabilities from debt securities	-	45 110	-	45 110
Subordinated debt	-	27 027	-	27 027

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	TOTAL
<b>Assets</b>				
Loans and receivables	-	-	1 124 840	1 124 840
Debt securities at amortised cost	83 610	-	-	83 610
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Amounts due to customers	-	-	1 120 371	1 120 371
Liabilities from debt securities	-	85 105	-	85 105
Subordinated debt	-	27 032	-	27 032

The fair value of term deposits with a fixed interest rate is estimated by discounting their future cash flows, while current interest rates offered by the Bank for customers' term deposits are used for discounting.

When estimating the fair value of its financial instruments, the Bank used the following methods and assumptions:

#### **Cash, Amounts due from Banks, and Balances with the National Bank of Slovakia and Placements with Other Banks**

The net book values of cash and balances with central banks are generally deemed to approximate their fair value.

The estimated fair value of amounts due from banks that mature in 365 days or less approximates their net book values. The fair value of other amounts due from banks is estimated based upon discounted cash flow analyses using interest rates currently offered for investments with similar terms (market rates adjusted to reflect credit risk).

#### **Loans and Receivables**

Generally, the fair value of variable yield loans that are regularly re-valued approximates their net book values with no significant changes in credit risks. The fair value of loans at fixed interest rates is estimated using discounted cash

flow analyses, based upon interest rates currently offered for loans with similar terms to borrowers of similar credit risks. The fair value of non-performing loans to customers is decreased on a pro-rata basis using a percentage of the impairment.

#### **Debt Securities at Amortised Cost**

The fair value of debt securities at amortised cost was determined based on quoted prices on active markets, if available, and using valuation techniques when applying market input factors. In government and banking bonds, whose issuers have rating comparable with the country rating, the fair value is calculated using the market yield curve without credit margin. For other types of securities the credit margin reflecting the issuer's credit risk is applied in addition to the market yield curve.

#### **Amounts due to Banks and Deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and Other Banks and Amounts due to Customers**

The estimated fair value of amounts due to banks with maturity within 365 days approximates their net book values. The fair value of term deposits payable on demand represents the net book value of amounts payable on demand as at the statement of financial position date. The fair value of term deposits at variable interest rates approximates their net book

values. The fair value of term deposits with a fixed interest rate is estimated by their discounted future cash flows using current interest rates offered by the Bank for customers' term deposits with various maturity periods – Level 3 of the fair value estimate.

ing future cash flows by a rate derived from the market yield curve by Level 2 of the fair value estimate. Fair value is determined separately for individual issues of securities considering the relevant credit margin.

#### **Liabilities from Debt Securities and Subordinated Debt**

The fair value of issued debt securities and subordinated debt is determined using valuation techniques by discount-

The following table presents a comparison of the estimated fair value and carrying amount of the selected financial assets and liabilities where the difference between such values is material:

(EUR '000)	Fair Value 31 Dec 2019	Net Book Value 31 Dec 2019	Difference 31 Dec 2019
<b>Assets</b>			
Loans and receivables	1 127 864	1 115 233	12 631
Debt securities at amortised cost	90 724	83 367	7 357
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Amounts due to customers	1 065 441	1 065 348	93
Liabilities from debt securities	45 071	45 110	(39)

(EUR '000)	Fair Value 31 Dec 2018	Net Book Value 31 Dec 2018	Difference 31 Dec 2018
<b>Assets</b>			
Loans and receivables	1 137 306	1 124 840	12 466
Debt securities at amortised cost	92 533	83 610	8 923
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Amounts due to customers	1 120 494	1 120 371	123
Liabilities from debt securities	85 020	85 105	(85)

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### 4. Cash, Due from Banks and Balances with the National Bank of Slovakia

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Cash on hand:		
In EUR	39 341	33 464
In foreign currency	9 362	4 783
	<b>48 703</b>	<b>38 247</b>
Due from banks and balances with NBS:		
Residual maturity within one year:		
In EUR	124 068	98 170
In foreign currency	9 684	18 307
	<b>133 752</b>	<b>116 477</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>182 455</b>	<b>154 724</b>

Included in the 'Due from banks and balances with NBS' denominated in EUR is the compulsory required minimum reserve with the NBS in the amount of EUR 11 111 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 6 584 thousand), the withdrawal of which is restricted.

The average amount of the Bank's compulsory minimum reserves during the period bears an average threshold interest rate of the Eurosystem main refinancing operation. Excess monetary reserves of up to 6 multiple of the compulsory

minimum reserve bear no interest and monetary reserves of over 6 multiple of the compulsory minimum reserve bear interest using a negative interest rate of 0.5%. As at 31 December 2019, compulsory minimum reserves bear interest at 0.00% (31 December 2018: 0.00%).

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank recognised no term deposits with the NBS (31 December 2018: EUR 91 000 thousand).

### 5. Placements with Other Banks, Loans to Other Banks, Net of Provisions for Expected Losses

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Residual maturity within one year:		
In EUR	8	219
In foreign currency	-	-
Residual maturity of over one year:		
In EUR	1 078	-
In foreign currency	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1086</b>	<b>219</b>

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank had no short-term deposits denominated in a foreign currency (31 December 2018: EUR 0).

According to IFRS 9 methodology, a provision for expected losses from loans to other banks was also recorded in 2018.

As at 31 December 2019, provisions for expected losses amounted to EUR 3 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 1 thousand).

## 6. Loans and Receivables, Net of Provisions for Expected Losses

### Loans and Receivables by Type of Product

31 December 2019 (EUR '000)	Carrying Amount Before Provisions	STG1	STG2*	STG3	Provisions	Carrying Amount After Provisions
<b>Non-retail loans</b>	<b>466 369</b>	<b>384 737</b>	<b>39 198</b>	<b>42 434</b>	<b>36 871</b>	<b>429 498</b>
Overdrafts and revolving loans	71 368	61 726	4 308	5 334	4 736	66 632
Investment, operation and other loans	383 044	313 396	32 729	36 919	31 768	351 276
Overdrafts on term deposit accounts	556	462	20	74	94	462
Factoring loans	11 401	9 153	2 141	107	273	11 128
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Retail loans</b>	<b>718 580</b>	<b>634 294</b>	<b>49 565</b>	<b>34 721</b>	<b>32 845</b>	<b>685 735</b>
Loans secured by immovable assets	521 278	468 355	33 925	18 998	13 149	508 129
Other consumer loans	193 824	163 687	15 321	14 816	18 767	175 057
Overdrafts on term deposit accounts	2 235	1 309	233	693	727	1 508
Other	1 243	943	86	214	202	1 041
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 184 949</b>	<b>1 019 031</b>	<b>88 763</b>	<b>77 155</b>	<b>69 716</b>	<b>1 115 233</b>
<b>Provisions</b>	-	(7 426)	(10 417)	(51 873)	(69 716)	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 184 949</b>	<b>1 011 605</b>	<b>78 346</b>	<b>25 282</b>	-	<b>1 115 233</b>

31 December 2018 (EUR '000)	Carrying Amount Before Provisions	STG1	STG2*	STG3	Provisions	Carrying Amount After Provisions
<b>Non-retail loans</b>	<b>479 390</b>	<b>408 621</b>	<b>18 131</b>	<b>52 638</b>	<b>41 709</b>	<b>437 681</b>
Overdrafts and revolving loans	78 050	69 601	1 664	6 785	5 869	72 181
Investment, operation and other loans	390 577	330 700	16 087	43 790	33 397	357 180
Overdrafts on term deposit accounts	2 999	576	379	2 044	2 295	704
Factoring loans	7 764	7 744	1	19	148	7 616
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Retail loans</b>	<b>731 344</b>	<b>663 981</b>	<b>20 707</b>	<b>46 656</b>	<b>44 185</b>	<b>687 159</b>
Loans secured by immovable assets	528 914	485 030	17 482	26 402	21 084	507 830
Other consumer loans	198 409	176 624	3 132	18 653	21 842	176 567
Overdrafts on term deposit accounts	3 147	1 639	69	1 439	1 085	2 062
Other	874	688	24	162	174	700
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 210 734</b>	<b>1 072 602</b>	<b>38 838</b>	<b>99 294</b>	<b>85 894</b>	<b>1 124 840</b>
<b>Provisions</b>	-	(13 618)	(5 531)	(66 745)	(85 894)	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 210 734</b>	<b>1 058 984</b>	<b>33 307</b>	<b>32 549</b>	-	<b>1 124 840</b>

\*In 2019, the Bank implemented the use of rating models as an additional criterion to determine the risk category ("stage") of a receivable. This methodology was considered at the time of the initial implementation of IFRS 9, but at that time the Bank did not use models as required by the OTP Group to determine the receivable category. In the transition period, the Bank used an expert parameter simulating the need to cover receivables with a high risk that were still classified in STG1. As a result of the rating model implementation, a portion of the STG1 portfolio was transferred to STG2, but the Bank ceased to use the expert parameter; therefore, the change in risk segmentation had no significant impact on the provisions previously recognised by the Bank.

## Summary of Provisions for Expected Credit Losses

(EUR'000)	STG1	STG2	STG3	Total
<b>Provisions as at 1 January 2019</b>	<b>13 618</b>	<b>5 531</b>	<b>66 745</b>	<b>85 894</b>
Increase in provisions due to the origin and acquisition of receivables	5 632	135	149	5 916
Decrease in provisions due to derecognition of receivables (except for write offs)	(4 139)	(783)	(14 304)	(19 226)
Net change in provisions due to a change in credit risk	(14 446)	16 819	826	3 199
Net change in provisions due to adjustments without derecognition	-	-	(251)	(251)
Net change in provisions due to revision of estimation methodology	-	-	-	-
Decrease in provisions due to write offs	-	(295)	(5 523)	(5 818)
Transfers between stages	6 761	(10 990)	4 231	2
<b>Provisions as at 31 December 2019</b>	<b>7 426</b>	<b>10 417</b>	<b>51 873</b>	<b>69 716</b>

(EUR'000)	STG1	STG2	STG3	Total
<b>Provisions as at 31 December 2017</b>	<b>2 387</b>	<b>1 896</b>	<b>81 745</b>	<b>86 028</b>
Changes upon the initial application of IFRS 9	10 838	2 336	(3 850)	9 324
<b>Provisions as at 1 January 2018</b>	<b>13 225</b>	<b>4 232</b>	<b>77 895</b>	<b>95 352</b>
Increase in provisions due to the origin and acquisition of receivables	5 215	127	17	5 359
Decrease in provisions due to derecognition of receivables (except for write offs)	(3 346)	(480)	(15 952)	(19 778)
Net change in provisions due to a change in credit risk	(9 282)	17 055	5 224	12 997
Net change in provisions due to adjustments without derecognition	-	(1)	423	422
Net change in provisions due to revision of estimation methodology	-	-	-	-
Decrease in provisions due to write offs	-	(5)	(8 453)	(8 458)
Transfers between stages	7 806	(15 397)	7 591	-
<b>Provisions as at 31 December 2018</b>	<b>13 618</b>	<b>5 531</b>	<b>66 745</b>	<b>85 894</b>

(EUR '000)	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Balance at the beginning of the reporting period	85 894	95 352
Impairment losses on loans*	166	9 867
Loan write-offs and assignments (Note 23)	(16 345)	(19 324)
Foreign exchange differences	1	(1)
<b>Balance at the end of the reporting period</b>	<b>69 716</b>	<b>85 894</b>

\* A significant year-on-year decrease was caused by the better economic environment on the market where the Bank operates and by the conservative approach applied by the Bank when providing loans (decrease in amount of defaulted loans) and more efficient recovery processes (significant decrease in amount of defaulted loans). Such changes also impacted risk parameters (PD, LGD) which were used in models for the calculation of provisions for assets. At the end of 2019, the Bank also made significant sales and write-offs that also impacted the development of risk costs.



## 7. Debt Securities, Net of Provisions for Expected Losses

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the Bank recognised the following debt securities at amortised cost:

(EUR '000)	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
of the SR	72 964	73 141
Foreign government bonds	10 428	10 495
<b>Total</b>	<b>83 392</b>	<b>83 636</b>
Provisions for expected losses	(25)	(26)
<b>Total debt securities</b>	<b>83 367</b>	<b>83 610</b>

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the Bank did not recognise pledged securities or other restrictions on handling securities in its portfolio under debt securities.

The summary of changes in provisions for expected losses for debt securities at amortised cost:

(EUR '000)	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Balance at the beginning of the reporting period	(26)	(31)
Increase in provisions	(6)	-
Decrease in provisions	7	5
<b>Balance at the end of the reporting period</b>	<b>(25)</b>	<b>(26)</b>

## 8. Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss

(EUR '000)	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Bonds issued by foreign banks*	8 322	8 271
Derivative financial instruments held for trading (Note 21)	-	-
<b>Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss</b>	<b>8 322</b>	<b>8 271</b>

\*In 3Q 2013, the Bank purchased for the available-for-sale financial assets portfolio subordinated bonds issued by the parent company, OTP Nyrt. The proceeds from such bonds are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as "Interest income".

Under the issue terms and conditions, the subordinated bond has no fixed maturity as regards the face value. The Bank's management expected that the bond was very likely to be repaid at face value in November 2016. In line with the issue terms and conditions, the issuer decided not to repay the bond on the referred date. Interest on the bond changed from fixed to variable. The issuer has an option to repay the bond on a quarterly basis on the day of coupon pay-out. Interest income arising from this bond is recognised using the effective interest rate method and totalled EUR 242 thousand in 2019 (2018: EUR 244 thousand).

In 2017, the Bank presented this bond as available-for-sale financial assets. As a result of changes upon the first application of IFRS 9, the bond was mandatorily reclassified to financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. The reclassification is due to the fact that under the issue terms cash flows from holding the bond do not meet SPPI test requirements.

## 9. Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income

(EUR '000)	31 December 2019	31 December 2018
Shares of foreign entities (VISA Inc., C series)	2 289	1 565
Investments in corporate entities (S.W.I.F.T.)	6	6
<b>Total financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income</b>	<b>2 295</b>	<b>1 571</b>

An analysis of investments in corporate entities as at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018:

Company Name	Business Activity	Share	Cost	Provision	Net
S.W.I.F.T (Belgium)	International clearing	0.005%	6	-	6
<b>Total (EUR '000)</b>			<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>

The Bank is not an unlimited liability partner in other reporting entities.

## 10. Non-Current Tangible and Intangible Assets

With effect from 1 January 2019, as a result of the first application of IFRS 16, the Bank also recognises right-of-use assets as part of tangible assets:

Movements of Assets (EUR '000)	Buildings and Land	Fittings and Fixtures	Motor Vehicles	Right-of-use Assets	Tangible Assets in Acquisition	Intangible Assets in Acquisition	Total
Cost at 1 Jan 2018	27 560	21 786	977	-	796	1 436	83 301
Additions (+)	400	1 325	11	-	1 182	3 304	8 926
Disposals (-)	(214)	(1 501)	(10)	-	(1 633)	(2 807)	(6 165)
<b>Cost at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>27 746</b>	<b>21 610</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>1 933</b>	<b>86 062</b>
Accumulated depreciation and provisions at 1 Jan 2018	13 037	16 594	727	-	-	-	54 241
Depreciation (+)	996	1 518	65	-	-	-	4 195
Disposal (-)	(212)	(1 442)	(10)	-	-	-	(1 664)
<b>Accumulated depreciation and provisions at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>13 821</b>	<b>16 670</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>56 772</b>
<b>Net book value at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>13 925</b>	<b>4 940</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>1 933</b>	<b>29 290</b>
Cost at 1 Jan 2019	27 746	21 610	978	3 906	345	1 933	89 968
Additions (+)	53	1 324	19	85	1 316	3 030	9 361
Disposals (-)	-	(787)	(11)	(162)	(1 384)	(3 548)	(5 892)
<b>Cost at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>27 799</b>	<b>22 147</b>	<b>986</b>	<b>3 829</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>1 415</b>	<b>93 437</b>
Accumulated depreciation and provisions at 1 Jan 2019	13 821	16 670	782	-	-	-	56 772
Depreciation (+)	959	1 487	67	989	-	-	5 581
Disposal (-)	-	(787)	(3)	(30)	-	-	(820)
<b>Accumulated depreciation and provisions at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>14 780</b>	<b>17 370</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>61 533</b>
<b>Net book value at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>13 019</b>	<b>4 777</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>2 870</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>1 415</b>	<b>31 904</b>

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## Structure of right-of-use assets:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	ATM	Pobočkové priestory	Sklady	Celkom
Value of right-of-use assets as at 1 Jan 2019	premises	Premises	Warehouses	Total
Additions (+)	10	85	-	95
Disposals (-)	(15)	(79)	(78)	(172)
<b>Value of right-of-use assets as at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>3 676</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3 829</b>
Accumulated depreciation and provisions as at 1 Jan 2019				
Write-offs (+)	72	902	15	989
Disposals (-)	(1)	(14)	(15)	(30)
<b>Accumulated depreciation and provisions as at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>888</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>959</b>
<b>Net book value as at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>2 788</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2 870</b>

## A summary of insurance of non-current tangible and intangible assets as at 31 December 2019:

(EUR '000)	Insurance Costs
MTPL insurance	3
Motor hull insurance	27
Insurance of assets	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>72</b>

Costs of insurance coverage are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line "General administrative expenses".

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank's non-current tangible and intangible assets were insured up to 100% of the total amount of assets (31 December 2018: 100%).

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank does not record as part of its non-current tangible and intangible assets the following:

- Assets encumbered by a pledge;
- Assets with a limited right of disposal;
- Acquired assets for which the ownership title was not recorded in the Land Register as at the reporting date, but which is used by the Bank; and
- Assets acquired in privatisation.

## 11. Other Assets

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Loss receivables (non-credit) from various debtors	516	522
Loss receivables from securities	6 104	6 104
Operating advances made	192	161
Inventories	21	56
Deferred expenses	730	809
Accrued income	168	145
Receivables from various debtors	261	371
Receivables from shortages and damage	172	196
Other receivables from clients	722	932
Other receivables	1 471	671
<b>Other assets before provisions</b>	<b>10 357</b>	<b>9 967</b>
Provisions for expected losses from other assets	(6 613)	(6 604)
<b>Total other assets</b>	<b>3 744</b>	<b>3 363</b>

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## Summary of changes in provisions for expected losses from other assets:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Balance at the beginning of the reporting period	6 604	8 722
Net (gains)/losses from risks related to other assets (Note 28)	(12)	4
Write-offs and assignments of other assets (Note 28)*	21	(2 121)
Foreign exchange differences	-	(1)
<b>Balance at the end of the reporting period</b>	<b>6 613</b>	<b>6 604</b>

\*In 2018, the Bank wrote off a portion of loss receivables from various debtors in the total amount of EUR 2 116 thousand and released the relevant provisions totalling EUR 2 116 thousand.

## 12. Due to Banks and Deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and Other Banks

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Residual maturity within one year:		
In EUR	147 868	42 878
In foreign currency	2 582	147
Residual maturity of over one year:		
In EUR	2 857	5 714
In foreign currency	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>153 307</b>	<b>48 739</b>

The year-on-year increase in received short-term interbank deposits is related to a decrease in the costs of financing, a decrease in the volume of issued securities and an increase of total assets.

### Amounts due to banks by type of product:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Deposits	7	12
Term accounts of other banks	147 578	40 147
Loans received from other financial institutions*	5 719	8 578
Other liabilities to financial institutions	3	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>153 307</b>	<b>48 739</b>

\*In 2016, the Bank participated in a sustainable energy project financing programme in cooperation with the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development. At the end of 2019, the Bank recorded funds (principal) of EUR 5 714 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 8 572 thousand).

An analysis of received loans by individual types of banks (all loans are denominated in EUR, unless stated otherwise):

(EUR '000)	Type of Loan According to Maturity	Contractual Maturity as at 31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Loans received from banks:				
European Bank for Reconstruction and Development	Long-term	25 Oct 2021	5 719	8 578
<b>Total</b>			<b>5 719</b>	<b>8 578</b>

Of the total amounts due to banks as at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the Bank does not recognise any overdue payables.



#### Interest on amounts due to banks:

	31 Dec 2019 in %		31 Dec 2018 in %	
	From	To	From	To
Contractual maturity within one year:				
In EUR	(0.18)	(0.13)	(0.13)	(0.13)
In foreign currency	(0.50)	2.10	(0.80)	1.90
Contractual maturity of over one year:				
In EUR	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55

### 13. Amounts Due to Customers

#### Amounts due to customers by type:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Current accounts and other short-term amounts due to customers	780 703	775 388
Term deposits	212 348	283 654
Pass books	13 071	16 673
Received loans	10 163	6 087
Municipality accounts and local governments	48 552	38 195
Other liabilities	511	374
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 065 348</b>	<b>1 120 371</b>

In 2014, the Bank participated in the financing programme for SME clients in co-operation with the Slovenský záručný a rozvojový fond. At the end of 2019, the Bank recorded funds amounting to EUR 10 163 thousand (2018: EUR 6 087 thousand).

#### Amounts due to customers by sector:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Non-financial organisations	291 197	301 823
Individuals	556 645	615 700
Financial institutions	8 846	8 936
Trade licence holders	18 904	19 065
Insurance companies	6 667	7 526
Non-profit organisations	53 188	45 321
Non-residents	81 349	83 805
Government sector	48 552	38 195
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 065 348</b>	<b>1 120 371</b>

Amounts due to customers by residual maturity:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Residual maturity within one year:		
In EUR	1 015 269	1 046 564
In foreign currency	22 766	26 754
Residual maturity of over one year:		
In EUR	27 262	47 046
In foreign currency	51	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 065 348</b>	<b>1 120 371</b>

	31 Dec 2019 in %		31 Dec 2018 in %	
	From	To	From	To
Contractual maturity within one year:				
In EUR	0.01	1.50	0.01	1.00
In foreign currency	1.40	1.80	0.00	1.80
Contractual maturity of over one year:				
In EUR	0.05	12.00	0.15	12.00
In foreign currency	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

As part of its liquidity risk management efforts, the Bank regularly monitors deposit exposures and adjusts the structure of its assets to ensure its sufficient liquidity (in the form of highly-liquid assets) in the event that it may need to pay out cash deposits or grant loans.

As at 31 December 2019, the total of primary deposits of depositors with deposits exceeding EUR 3 320 thousand represented 12.35% of the Bank's funds (31 December 2018: 12.66%).

## 14. Liabilities from Debt Securities

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Residual maturity within one year:		
Liabilities from financial bills of exchange	-	-
Liabilities from mortgage bonds	-	-
Liabilities from issued bonds	110	40 105
Residual maturity of over one year:		
Liabilities from issued bonds	45 000	45 000
<b>Total</b>	<b>45 110</b>	<b>85 105</b>

As at 31 December 2019, liabilities from issued bonds comprise OTP III bond with a face value of EUR 45 000 thousand, falling due on 29 July 2021 and bearing interest at 0.486% p.a.

As at 31 December 2018, liabilities from issued bonds comprised OTP III bond with a face value of EUR 45 000 thousand, falling due on 29 July 2021 and bearing interest at 0.486% p.a. and OTP VI bond with a face value of EUR 40 000 thousand, falling due on 26 February 2019 and bearing interest at 3M Euribor + 0.18%.

Interest on liabilities from issued debt securities:

	31 Dec 2019 in %		31 Dec 2018 in %	
	From	To	From	To
Contractual maturity within one year:				
In EUR	-	-	(0.14)	(0.14)
In foreign currency	-	-	-	-
Contractual maturity of over one year:				
In EUR	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.49
In foreign currency	-	-	-	-

In 2019, the Bank repaid a short-term bond with a total face value of EUR 40 000 thousand.

## 15. Subordinated Debt

Type of Loan	Curr.	Type of Loan by Maturity	Start of Loan Drawdown	Contractual Maturity	Interest Rate	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Subordinated debt:							
OTP Financing Netherlands B.V.	EUR	Long-term	september 2014	september 2021	3M EURIBOR + 3,41% p. a.	18 003	18 008
OTP Financing Malta Company Ltd.	EUR	Long-term	december 2015	december 2022	3M EURIBOR + 2,37% p. a.	2 000	2 000
OTP Financing Malta Company Ltd.	EUR	Long-term	august 2018	august 2025	3M EURIBOR + 3,94% p. a.	7 024	7 024
<b>Total (EUR '000)</b>						<b>27 027</b>	<b>27 032</b>

Subordinated debt totalling EUR 27 million represents Tier 2 capital for the Bank in the amount of EUR 14.4 million pursuant to Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council No. 575/2013 (Note 32).

OTP Financing Netherlands B.V. is a financial company, a member of the OTP Group, with its seat at Westblaak 89, 3012 KG Rotterdam, Netherlands. OTP Financing Malta Company Ltd. is a member of the OTP Group with seat at Level 2, Regional Business Centre, University Heights, MSD 1751, Msida, Malta.

The scope of business of the above companies primarily includes:

- Raising and provision of financial borrowings and loans, accession to a debt as a co-debtor;
- Provision of financial guarantees, provision of securities to third parties;
- Advisory and consulting activities;
- Investments of financial funds; and
- Lease, development, management, acquisition of movable and immovable assets.

## 16. Other Liabilities

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Various creditors	970	1 331
Tax liabilities (except for income tax liabilities)	164	116
Provisions for unbilled and other liabilities	754	1 060
Social fund	42	106
Settlement with employees	1 723	1 327
Settlement with social institutions	416	324
Liabilities from payment transactions	9 387	7 789
Obligations under lease – lease liabilities	2 844	-
Other liabilities	7 672	2 682
<b>Total</b>	<b>23 972</b>	<b>14 735</b>

A year-on-year change in the balance of other assets is mainly due to a higher balance of funds received from customers to settle security transactions.

Summary of changes in the social fund:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Balance at the beginning of reporting period	106	112
Additions during the reporting period	151	213
Drawings during the reporting period	(215)	(219)
<b>Balance at the end of reporting period</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>106</b>

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## 17. Equity

The Bank's equity comprises:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Share capital	126 591	126 591
Reserve funds	6 664	6 496
Profit/(loss) from previous years	(22 051)	(18 079)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	1 094	536
Profit/(loss) for the year	2 297	(3 972)
<b>Total equity</b>	<b>114 595</b>	<b>111 572</b>

### Share Capital

The Bank's share capital as at 31 December 2019 is as follows:

Face Amount	ISIN	Number of Shares	Face Value of Shares
<i>Repaid and registered in the Commercial Register</i>			
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110001452	3 000 000	11 940
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110004613	8 503 458	33 843
EUR 39 832.70 per share	SK1110003003	570	22 705
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110016559	10 019 496	10 020
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110017532	10 031 209	10 031
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110019850	23 041 402	23 041
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110020684	15 010 203	15 011
<b>Total share capital</b>			<b>126 591</b>

The Bank's share capital as at 31 December 2018 is as follows:

Face Amount	ISIN	Number of Shares	Face Value of Shares
<i>Repaid and registered in the Commercial Register</i>			
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110001452	3 000 000	11 940
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110004613	8 503 458	33 843
EUR 39 832.70 per share	SK1110003003	570	22 705
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110016559	10 019 496	10 020
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110017532	10 031 209	10 031
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110019850	23 041 402	23 041
<i>Repaid and not registered in the Commercial Register</i>			
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110020684	15 010 203	15 011
<b>Total share capital</b>			<b>126 591</b>

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The type, form, nature and tradability of shares as at 31 December 2019 was as follows:

Face Amount	ISIN	Type	Form	Nature	Tradability
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110001452	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110004613	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 39 832.70 per share	SK1110003003	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly non-tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110016559	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110017532	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110019850	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110020684	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable

The type, form, nature and tradability of shares as at 31 December 2018 was as follows:

Face Amount	ISIN	Type	Form	Nature	Tradability
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110001452	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 3.98 per share	SK1110004613	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 39 832.70 per share	SK1110003003	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly non-tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110016559	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110017532	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110019850	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly tradable
EUR 1.00 per share	SK1110020684	ordinary	registered	uncertified	publicly non-tradable*

\* The Bank is obliged under the terms of issue to launch the issue to the securities market. The procedure was completed on 27 February 2019 and the shares became publicly tradable.

No special rights are attached to the shares. Voting rights per share are equivalent to the face value per share.

As at 31 December 2019, no shares of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. are held by the Bank and its subsidiaries.

### Reserve Funds

As at 31 December 2019, reserve funds in the amount of EUR 6 664 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 6 496 thousand) comprise the legal reserve fund in the amount of EUR 5 034 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 5 034 thousand) and other capital reserves in the amount of EUR 1 630 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 1 462 thousand).

The legal reserve fund is intended to cover potential future losses; its distribution to shareholders is restricted in accordance with the Slovak Commercial Code.

### Profit/(Loss) from Previous Years

A year-on-year change is due to the settlement of the 2018 loss (see Note 40.)

## 18. Income Tax

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Current tax expense	-	2
Deferred tax (income)/expense	170	(499)
<b>Total</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>(497)</b>

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As at 31 December 2019, the Bank recognised income tax expense in the amount of EUR 170 thousand in the statement of comprehensive income (31 December 2018: tax revenue of EUR 497 thousand). The Bank recognised an increase in the deferred tax liability for 2019 in the amount of EUR 148 thousand in items recognised through equity (2018: increase of EUR 126 thousand).

The Bank's tax on pre-tax profit differs from the theoretical tax which would arise if the income tax rate was applied as follows:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>Pre-tax profit/(loss)</b>	<b>2 467</b>	<b>(4 469)</b>
Theoretical tax at 21% (2018: 21%)	518	(938)
Non-taxable income	(165)	(1 473)
Non-deductible expenses	1 872	2 321
Provisions for assets and provisions for liabilities, net	(623)	(490)
Adjustment of provisions for uncertain utilisation of deferred tax assets	(1 432)	81
Adjustment of the current tax for the previous year	-	2
<b>Income tax expense/(revenue) for the current reporting period</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>(497)</b>
<b>Effective tax rate for the reporting period</b>	<b>6,89%</b>	<b>11,11%</b>

The Bank reported a positive tax base of EUR 303 thousand for the reporting period (31 December 2018: negative tax base of EUR 7 664 thousand).

## 19. Current and Deferred Income Tax

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Current tax asset/(liability)	-	499
<b>Total current tax asset/(liability)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>499</b>

Deferred income taxes are recognised using the liability method on a balance sheet basis. The application of this method reports temporary differences, ie the differences between the tax base of assets or liabilities and their carrying amount in the statement of financial position. The 21% tax rate valid for the following reporting period was applied (2018: 21%):

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>Deferred tax liability</b>		
Difference between the net book value and net tax value of tangible assets	-	(174)
Revaluation reserves on securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	(291)	(142)
<b>Total deferred tax liability</b>	<b>(291)</b>	<b>(316)</b>
<b>Deferred tax asset</b>		
Loans (provisions for loan impairment losses)	8 699	10 803
Provisions for liabilities	365	262
Tax losses carried-forward	1 546	1 609
Revaluation reserves on securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-
Difference between the net tax value and net book value of tangible assets	289	-
<b>Total deferred tax asset</b>	<b>10 899</b>	<b>12 674</b>
<b>Adjustment for uncertain utilisation of deferred tax asset</b>	<b>(5 520)</b>	<b>(6 952)</b>
<b>Net deferred tax asset/(liability)</b>	<b>5 088</b>	<b>5 406</b>

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(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>Net deferred tax asset/(liability) – opening balance at 1 Jan</b>	5 406	5 033
Balance at the beginning of the reporting period – restated *	-	(67)
(Debited)/credited to profit/loss for the reporting period	(170)	499
(Debited)/credited to equity	(148)	(59)
<b>Net deferred tax asset/(liability) – closing balance</b>	<b>5 088</b>	<b>5 406</b>

\* As a result of changes upon the first application of IFRS 9.

The Bank did not recognise a deferred tax asset of EUR 5 583 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 6 952 thousand) associated with temporary differences resulting from provisions for

loans and the tax loss carried-forward, owing to its uncertain timing and utilisation in future reporting periods.

## 20. Provisions for Liabilities, Contingent Liabilities and Other Off-Balance Sheet Items

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank becomes party to various financial transactions that are not reflected in the statement of financial position but recognised in the off-balance sheet. These include liabilities resulting from

provided guarantees, undrawn loan commitments and issued letters of credit. The following represent notional amounts of these off-balance sheet financial liabilities, unless stated otherwise.

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Undrawn loan commitments	34 788	35 371
Other guarantees provided to banks	720	1 452
Other guarantees provided to clients	30 393	27 311
Undrawn overdrafts and authorised overdraft facilities	21 139	21 301
Issued letters of credit	807	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>87 847</b>	<b>85 435</b>

Loan commitments represent the undrawn part of permissions to provide financial funds as loans, guarantees, or letter of credits. The Bank faces potential losses related to credit risks resulting from loan commitments in the amount of undrawn loan commitments. The estimated amount of exposure is, however, lower than the total undrawn loan commitments, since the majority of such commitments are subject to loan covenants that clients are required to comply with.

The Bank creates provisions to cover expected losses on undrawn loans, guarantees, and letters of credit. The calculation of the provision for off-balance sheet liabilities is analogous to the case of credit exposure. Issued guarantees, irrevocable letters of credit, and undrawn loan commitments are subject to detailed monitoring of credit risks and loan principles, as in the case of loans extended.

Within its ordinary activities the Bank is party to court and other disputes and litigation. Each dispute is subject to monitoring and regular re-assessment as part of the Bank's standard procedures. If it is probable that the Bank will be required to settle the claim and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made, provisions are recorded.

The management of the Bank believes that obligations that could arise from these disputes and litigation would not significantly affect the current and future financial situation of the Bank. Considering the advice of lawyers and the status of individual cases, the Bank created provisions for these risks in the amount of EUR 2 903 thousand as at 31 December 2019 (31 December 2018: EUR 2 711 thousand).

The Bank recognised the following provisions:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Provisions for:		
Undrawn loan commitments	711	1 000
Guarantees	401	410
Issued letters of credit	3	-
Litigations and other disputes	2 903	2 711
Retirement payments	115	101
<b>Total</b>	<b>4 133</b>	<b>4 222</b>

The creation and release of provisions for off-balance sheet liabilities is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *“Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net”*. The creation and release of a provision for retirement payments is recognised in the income

statement's line *“General administrative expenses”*. The creation and release of provisions for litigations and other disputes is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line *“Other operating revenues/(expenses), net”*.

An analysis of changes in provisions for guarantees, undrawn loan commitments and issued letters of credit:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Balance at the beginning of the reporting period	1 410	1 761
Creation of provision	2 657	4 156
Release of provision	(2 952)	(4 508)
FX difference	-	1
<b>Balance at the end of reporting period</b>	<b>1 115</b>	<b>1 410</b>

The balance of provisions for guarantees, undrawn loan commitments and issued letters of credit is recognised as *“Provisions for Liabilities”*.

An analysis of changes in the provision for litigations and other disputes:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Balance at the beginning of reporting period	2 711	2 946
Creation of provision	313	90
Use of provision	(121)	(325)
Release of provision	-	-
<b>Balance at the end of reporting period</b>	<b>2 903</b>	<b>2 711</b>

An analysis of changes in the provision for retirement payments:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Balance at the beginning of reporting period	101	114
Creation of provision	42	39
Release of provision	(28)	(52)
<b>Balance at the end of reporting period</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>101</b>

## 21. Derivative Financial Instruments

The tables below represent the financial derivative instruments at face and fair values as at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018:

(EUR '000)	Face Value of Assets		Face Value of Liabilities	
	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>Currency instruments</b>				
Currency swaps	-	-	5 698	3 510
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5 698</b>	<b>3 510</b>

(EUR '000)	Positive Fair Value		Negative Fair Value	
	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
<b>Currency instruments</b>				
Currency swaps	-	-	2	17
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>

The positive fair value is included in "Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss" and the negative fair value is included in "Financial liabilities held for trading". Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments that do not qualify for hedge accounting are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income line "Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net".

## 22. Net Interest Income

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
<b>Interest income:</b>		
Loans and other receivables	32 351	35 117
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks	123	63
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	242	244
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-
Debt securities at amortised cost	2 169	2 175
<b>Total interest income</b>	<b>34 885</b>	<b>37 599</b>
<b>Interest expense:</b>		
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks and other payables	35	(32)
Amounts due to customers	(1 315)	(1 555)
Lease liabilities*	(3)	-
Liabilities from debt securities	(210)	(120)
Subordinated debt	(856)	(692)
<b>Total interest expense</b>	<b>(2 349)</b>	<b>(2 399)</b>
<b>Net interest income</b>	<b>32 536</b>	<b>35 200</b>

\* See Note 2 "IFRS 16 Disclosures".

## 23. Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Creation of provisions for loan receivables	(49 157)	(52 193)
Release of provisions for loan receivables	48 527	40 393
Write-offs and assignments of loans	462	1 933
<i>Loss on write-offs and assignments of loans (gross)</i>	<i>(16 345)</i>	<i>(19 324)</i>
<i>se of provisions for written-off and assigned loans</i>	<i>16 807</i>	<i>21 257</i>
(Creation)/reversal of provisions for guarantees and undrawn loan commitments, net (Note 20)	295	352
<b>Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>(9 515)</b>

## 24. Net Fee and Commission Income

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Fee and commission income:		
Banks	2 889	2 424
Public administration	243	213
Individuals	6 034	6 410
Other sectors	7 251	6 629
Total fee and commission income	16 417	15 676
Fee and commission expense:		
Banks	(1 210)	(1 516)
Individuals	(49)	(64)
Other sectors	(3 224)	(2 993)
Total fee and commission expense	(4 483)	(4 573)
<b>Net fee and commission income</b>	<b>11 934</b>	<b>11 103</b>

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.



## 25. Gains/(Losses) on Financial Transactions, Net

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Gain/(loss) from foreign exchange transactions	1 053	904
Gain/(loss) from fixed term operations	(208)	(222)
<b>Net gains/(losses) on financial operations</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>682</b>

The Bank carried out interrelated transactions within the Group, which are assessed on an aggregate basis. Such transactions include currency swaps concluded with the parent company and subsequent investing of available funds or through reverse repurchase transactions with the parent company. The total profit/(loss) from such transactions is presented in the following table:

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Loss on fixed term operations	(176)	(238)
Interest income on reverse repurchase transactions	43	23
<b>Total</b>	<b>(133)</b>	<b>(215)</b>

## 26. Gains/(Losses) on Financial Assets, Net

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Net gain/(loss) on remeasurement of financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss	51	(450)
Net gain/(loss) on provisions for debt securities at amortised cost	2	5
<b>Net gains/(losses) on financial assets</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>(445)</b>

## 27. General Administrative Expenses

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
<b>Personnel expenses</b>		
Wages and salaries	(15 678)	(14 646)
Social security expenses	(5 699)	(5 290)
Supplementary pension scheme contributions	(223)	(208)
Other social expenses	(151)	(213)
(Creation)/release of provisions for retirement payments, net	(14)	13
<b>Other administrative expenses</b>		
Purchased services	(5 134)	(6 054)
Expenses for IT administration and maintenance	(2 725)	(2 728)
Entertainment expenses	(1 926)	(2 386)
Other purchased supplies	(1 452)	(1 511)
Local and other taxes other than income tax	(1 117)	(1 083)
Special levy on selected financial institutions	(2 543)	(2 602)
Contributions to other funds*	(199)	(198)
Other expenses	(392)	(431)
<b>Depreciation, amortisation and write-downs of non-current tangible and intangible assets</b>		
Non-current tangible assets	(2 513)	(2 579)
Non-current intangible assets	(2 079)	(1 616)
Right-of-use assets – leases	(989)	-
<b>General administrative expenses - total</b>	<b>(42 834)</b>	<b>(41 532)</b>

\*This item includes a contribution to the Deposit Protection Fund and expenses for a resolution fund.

In 2019, the costs of auditing the financial statements amounted to EUR 141 thousand (2018: EUR 160 thousand), costs of assurance audit services other than the audit of financial statements and other costs of non-audit services provided by the audit firm and its network member firms amounted to EUR 97 thousand (2018: EUR 41 thousand).

Non-audit services include: review of the consolidation package for 3Q, audit of the consolidation package at the year-end and an audit of the Bank's prudential reports, preparation of a long-form auditor's report and a review of securities trader measures for the NBS, conferences, training courses, information system security review, and MIFID II consulting services.

The Bank has no pension scheme other than Slovakia's state pension system. Pursuant to the Slovak legal regulations, an employer is obliged to pay contributions to social security, health insurance, medical insurance, accident insurance, unemployment insurance, and contributions to a guarantee fund set as a percentage of the assessment base. These expenses are charged to the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which the employee was entitled to receive the salary.

## 28. Other Operating Revenues/(Expenses), Net

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
<b>Provisions for impairment losses on other assets</b>		
Creation of provisions for other assets	(21)	(16)
Release of provisions for other assets (Note 11)	12	2 133
Other assets written-off and assigned (Note 11)	21	(2 121)
<b>Costs for the creation of provisions</b>		
(Creation)/release of provisions for litigations and other disputes and other risks, net (Note 20)	(313)	(90)
<b>Other revenues</b>		
Revenues from sale of real estate and other assets	(6)	2
Lease revenues	3	2
Other operating revenues	110	128
<b>Other operating revenues/(expense), net</b>	<b>(194)</b>	<b>38</b>

## 29. Items of Other Comprehensive Income

The items of other comprehensive income:

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		
Gain/(loss) on accumulated other comprehensive income	706	282
Deferred tax liability/(deferred tax asset) on revaluation reserves on financial assets measured through other comprehensive income	(148)	(59)
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>223</b>

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.

### 30. Segment Reporting

The separate statement of comprehensive income and other indicators by segment as at 31 December 2019:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Retail	Corporate	Treasury	Not Specified	Total
Interest income					
Interest expense	(1 072)	(243)	(1 134)	100	(2 349)
<b>Net interest income</b>	<b>19 712</b>	<b>11 324</b>	<b>1 526</b>	<b>(26)</b>	<b>32 536</b>
<b>Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet.</b>	<b>3 683</b>	<b>(3 548)</b>	<b>(8)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>Net interest income net of provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet</b>	<b>23 395</b>	<b>7 776</b>	<b>1 518</b>	<b>(26)</b>	<b>32 663</b>
Fee and commission income	9 991	4 748	30	1 648	16 417
Fee and commission expense	(4 361)	-	-	(122)	(4 483)
<b>Net fee and commission income</b>	<b>5 630</b>	<b>4 748</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1 526</b>	<b>11 934</b>
Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net	-	-	845	-	845
Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net	-	2	51	-	53
General administrative expenses	-	-	-	(42 834)	(42 834)
Other operating revenues/(expenses), net	(15)	7	-	(186)	(194)
<b>Profit/(loss) before income tax</b>	<b>29 010</b>	<b>12 533</b>	<b>2 444</b>	<b>(41 520)</b>	<b>2 467</b>
Income tax	-	-	-	(170)	(170)
<b>Net profit/(loss) after tax</b>	<b>29 010</b>	<b>12 533</b>	<b>2 444</b>	<b>(41 690)</b>	<b>2 297</b>
<b>Items of other comprehensive income that will subsequently be reclassified to profit or loss, net of tax</b>					
Gain/(loss) on remeasurement of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	558	-	558
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>29 010</b>	<b>12 533</b>	<b>3 002</b>	<b>(41 690)</b>	<b>2 855</b>
<b>Assets by segment</b>	<b>684 223</b>	<b>431 008</b>	<b>226 516</b>	<b>91 747</b>	<b>1 433 494</b>
<b>Liabilities by segment</b>	<b>584 448</b>	<b>484 356</b>	<b>225 429</b>	<b>24 666</b>	<b>1 318 899</b>

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The separate statement of comprehensive income and other indicators by segment as at 31 December 2018:

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Retail	Corporate	Treasury	Not Specified	Total
Interest income					
Interest expense	(1 285)	(270)	(844)	-	(2 399)
Net interest income	21 787	11 774	1 639	-	35 200
Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet.					
net	(3 612)	(5 902)	(1)	-	(9 515)
Net interest income net of provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet	18 175	5 872	1 638	-	25 685
Fee and commission income	9 860	4 296	23	1 497	15 676
Fee and commission expense	(3 770)	-	(74)	(729)	(4 573)
Net fee and commission income	6 090	4 296	(51)	768	11 103
Gains/(losses) on financial transactions, net	-	-	682	-	682
Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net	-	5	(450)	-	(445)
General administrative expenses	-	-	-	(41 532)	(41 532)
Other operating revenues/(expenses), net	3	3	-	32	38
Profit/(loss) before income tax	24 268	10 176	1 819	(40 732)	(4 469)
Income tax	-	-	-	497	497
Net profit/(loss) after tax	24 268	10 176	1 819	(40 235)	(3 972)
Items of other comprehensive income that will subsequently be reclassified to profit or loss, net of tax					
Gain/(loss) on remeasurement of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	223	-	223
Total comprehensive income for the year	24 268	10 176	2 042	(40 235)	(3 749)
Assets by segment	698 905	432 579	199 261	81 048	1 411 793
Liabilities by segment	641 376	470 106	120 736	68 003	1 300 221

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.

## Foreign Assets and Liabilities

The Bank provides banking services primarily in the territory of the Slovak Republic. Some financial assets and financial liabilities were placed outside the Slovak Republic.

The structure of assets and liabilities related to counterparties outside the Slovak Republic:

(v tis. EUR)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Assets	47 818	64 314
Of which: Hungary	16 824	18 347
Of which: Other EU countries	25 402	37 714
Liabilities	306 783	244 666
Of which: Hungary	250 292	178 790
Of which: Other EU countries	47 733	56 997

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the Bank's non-current tangible and intangible assets were localised only in the territory of the Slovak Republic.

## Revenues from Foreign Entities

(EUR '000)	Year Ended 31 Dec 2019	Year Ended 31 Dec 2018
Interest income on:		
Term deposits provided to OTP Bank Nyrt (Hungary)	95	29
Subordinated bonds issued by OTP Bank Nyrt (Hungary)	242	244
Reverse REPO transactions with OTP Bank Nyrt (Hungary)	43	23
Foreign government bonds (Bulgaria)	295	295
Issued mortgage bonds and bonds with negative interest (Hungary)	8	100
Dividends from VISA Inc. shares	10	8

The amount of income from other foreign entities is not significant for the Bank.



### 31. Related Party Transactions

Under “IAS 24 – Related Party Disclosures” (IAS 24), a related party is defined as:

- a) A person or a close family member of that person if that person:
  - 1) has control or joint control over the reporting entity, whereas control means authority to control financial and operating policy of the reporting entity in order to gain benefits from its activities and joint control means contractually agreed participation in control of operating activities;
  - 2) has significant influence over the reporting entity, whereas significant influence means authority to participate in decisions on financial and operating policies of the reporting entity, but not control over such policies; significant influence can be gained by holding shares, through articles of association or an agreement; or
  - 3) is a member of the key management personnel of the reporting entity or of a parent of the reporting entity, whereas the key management personnel include individuals who have authority and responsibility for planning, governance and control of the reporting entity's activities, directly or indirectly, including each director (whether executive or other) of this reporting entity;
- b) The entity and the reporting entity are members of the same group;
- c) An associate or joint venture of the reporting entity (or an associate or joint venture of a member of the group of which the reporting entity is a member);
- d) The entity, if this entity and the reporting entity are joint ventures of the same third party;
- e) The entity, if this entity is a joint venture of the third party and the reporting entity is an associate of the third party and/or if the entity is an associate of the third party and the reporting entity is a joint venture of the third party;
- f) The entity is controlled or jointly controlled by a person identified in a);
- g) A person identified in a1) has significant influence over the entity or is a member of the key management personnel of the entity (or of a parent of the entity).

In ordinary business, the Bank enters into transactions with related parties made on an arm's length basis.

The following tables present an overview of assets and liabilities, and expenses and revenues in relation to the Bank's related parties.

Overview of balances in the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	OTP Bank Nyrt.	Subsidiaries	Other Companies OTP Group	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of the Bank	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of OTP Bank Nyrt.	Other Related Parties	Total
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	8 130	-	110	-	-	-	8 240
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	13	-	-	-	-	-	13
Financial assets held for trading	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-trade financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss	8 322	-	-	-	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	-	-	461	436	-	-	897
Debt securities at amortised cost	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investments in subsidiaries and associates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-current tangible assets*	-	-	3 892	-	-	-	3 892
Non-current intangible assets*	606	-	-	-	-	-	606
Other assets	2	-	237	-	-	-	239
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 073</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4 700</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22 209</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	147 578	-	-	-	-	-	147 578
Amounts due to customers	-	-	2 648	3 352	-	5	6 005
Liabilities from debt securities	45 110	-	-	-	-	-	45 110
Financial liabilities held for trading	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other liabilities	115	-	9	-	-	-	124
Subordinated debt	-	-	27 027	-	-	-	27 027
<b>Total</b>	<b>192 805</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>29 684</b>	<b>3 352</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>225 846</b>

\*Non-current tangible and non-current intangible assets are presented at net value.

In 2019, the Bank discontinued recognising balances and transactions of entities with other ownership interests (less than 10%) as regards other entities of the OTP Group. As a result of this change, the comparable period was restated.

Overview of balances in the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2018:

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	OTP Bank Nyrt.	Subsidiaries	Other Companies OTP Group	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of the Bank	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of OTP Bank Nyrt.	Other Related Parties	Total
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	9 780	-	8	-	-	-	9 788
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Financial assets held for trading	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-trade financial assets mandatorily measured at fair value through profit or loss	8 271	-	-	-	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	-	-	815	464	-	-	1 279
Debt securities at amortised cost	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investments in subsidiaries and associates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-current tangible assets*	-	-	4 475	-	-	-	4 475
Non-current intangible assets*	760	-	-	-	-	-	760
Other assets	1	-	210	-	-	-	211
<b>Total</b>	<b>18 813</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5 508</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24 785</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	40 146	-	-	-	-	-	40 146
Amounts due to customers	-	-	1 874	3 319	-	503	5 696
Liabilities from debt securities	85 105	-	-	-	-	-	85 105
Financial liabilities held for trading	17	-	-	-	-	-	17
Other liabilities	394	-	46	-	-	-	440
Subordinated debt	-	-	27 032	-	-	-	27 032
<b>Total</b>	<b>125 662</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>28 952</b>	<b>3 319</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>158 436</b>

\*Non-current tangible and non-current intangible assets are presented at net value.

Overview of transactions in the statement of comprehensive income:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	OTP Bank Nyrt.	Subsidiaries	Other Companies OTP Group	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of the Bank	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of OTP Bank Nyrt.	Other Related Parties	Total
Interest income	472	-	10	6	-	-	488
Interest expense	(126)	-	(858)	(7)	-	-	(991)
Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net	-	-	(12)	-	-	-	(12)
Fee and commission income	19	-	14	1	-	-	34
Fee and commission expense	(473)	-	-	-	-	-	(473)
Gains/(losses) on financial transactions (FX), net	(218)	-	-	-	-	-	(218)
Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net	51	-	-	-	-	-	51
Other operating revenues/(expenses), net	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General administrative expenses	(104)	-	(1 113)	*	-	-	(1 217)
<b>Total</b>	<b>(379)</b>	-	<b>(1 959)</b>	-	-	-	<b>(2 338)</b>
31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	OTP Bank Nyrt.	Subsidiaries	Other Companies OTP Group	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of the Bank	Transactions with Key Management Personnel of OTP Bank Nyrt.	Other Related Parties	Total
Interest income	436	-	17	5	-	-	458
Interest expense	347	-	(694)	(13)	-	-	(360)
Provisions for impairment losses on loans and off-balance sheet, net	-	-	14	-	-	-	14
Fee and commission income	19	-	14	-	-	-	33
Fee and commission expense	(730)	-	-	-	-	-	(730)
Gains/(losses) on financial transactions (FX), net	(286)	-	-	-	-	-	(286)
Gains/(losses) on financial assets, net	(450)	-	-	-	-	-	(450)
Other operating revenues/(expenses), net	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General administrative expenses	(797)	-	(1 192)	*	-	-	(1 989)
<b>Total</b>	<b>(1 461)</b>	-	<b>(1 841)</b>	<b>(8)</b>	-	-	<b>(3 310)</b>

\*see "Key Management Personnel Compensation"

### **In 2019, the Bank performed the following transactions within the OTP Group:**

- Spot and forward transactions with the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt. – provided and received term deposits, currency spots and currency swaps;
- Provided short-term loans on a recurring basis to the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt., secured by securities within reverse REPO transactions;
- Repaid the issue of short-term bonds to the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt. (see Note 14).

Všetky uvedené operácie boli zrealizované za štandardných trhových podmienok.

### **In 2018, the Bank performed the following transactions within the OTP Group:**

- Spot and forward transactions with the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt. – provided and received term deposits, currency spots and currency swaps;
- Provided short-term loans on a recurring basis to the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt., secured by securities within reverse REPO transactions;
- Repurchased Mortgage Bonds, Issue XXXII from the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt. (see Note 14); and
- Sold the issue of short-term bonds to the parent company, OTP Bank Nyrt. (see Note 14).
- Subordinated debt provided to the Bank by OTP Financing Malta Company Ltd (see Note 15).

All of the above transactions were made on an arm's length basis.

### **Key Management Personnel Compensation**

Compensation includes all short-term employee benefits, including all forms of countervalues paid, payable or provided by or on behalf of the reporting entity in exchange for services provided to the reporting entity. In 2019, compensation in the amount of EUR 827 thousand (2018: EUR 799 thousand) was paid to the members of the Board of Directors and the Supervisory Board; they are short-term employee benefits.

The remuneration policy for members of the Board of Directors is compliant with the CRD III Directive.

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank recognised loan receivables from the members of the Board of Directors and Supervisory Board in the amount of EUR 272 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 290 thousand).

In 2019, the received loan repayments totalled EUR 23 thousand (2018: EUR 26 thousand). Loans provided as at 31 December 2019 bore interest ranging between 1.50% and 6.50% (31 December 2018: between 1.50% and 6.50%).

In 2019 and 2018, in respect of the members of the Board of Directors and Supervisory Board:

- The Bank did not waive or write off any loan or other receivables.
- The Bank does not record any other loans, advances, guarantees or other collateral.
- The Bank does not record any significant transactions.

Interest rates and other conditions of related party transactions do not differ from the Bank's standard interest rates and contractual terms and conditions.

## **32. Regulatory Capital**

As of 1 January 2014, Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms entered into effect stipulating among others the method for the calculation of the Bank's regulatory capital as well as the calculation of requirements for the Bank's regulatory capital.

Pursuant to the aforementioned Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council, the Bank's regulatory capital comprises Tier 1 Capital and Tier 2 Capital.

Tier 1 Capital consists of:

- Tier 1 own capital: (share capital, the legal reserve fund, and retained earnings from previous years. Items decreasing the amount of original own funds comprise the net book value of intangible assets).
- Tier 1 supplementary capital – not recorded by the Bank at the end of the period under review.

Tier 2 capital comprises a subordinated debt (Note 15).

Pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council the banks are required to meet the following requirements for regulatory capital:

- a) Share of Tier 1 own capital in the amount of 4.5%;
- b) Share of Tier 1 capital in the amount of 6%; and
- c) Total share of capital in the amount of 8%, Increased by the amounts of the relevant capital cushions.

Under Act No. 483/2001 as amended, the National Bank of Slovakia set a cushion to maintain capital as Tier 1 own capital in the amount of 2.5% of the total risk exposure as of 1 October 2014 and determined the level of the countercyclical capital cushion for Slovak exposures at 1.50%. As regards the capital adequacy requirement for 2020, the National Bank of Slovakia approved an increase of the countercyclical capital cushion by 0.5% with effect from 1 August 2020 to a total level of 2.0%. The amount of the cushion to maintain capital remained unchanged in 2020, ie 2.5%. The total required amount

of the Bank's capital adequacy is also impacted by an individual requirement arising from the defined SREP amount that remained unchanged for 2020. The National Bank of Slovakia announced that it will also apply the P2G (Pillar 2 Guidance) instrument with effect from 2020, which represents the expected reserve level to comply with the capital requirement. In the period under review and as at the reporting date, the ratio of the Bank's total own funds exceeded the minimum level required by the EU and Slovak legislation. As at 31 December 2019, the Bank achieved the following shares: the share of Tier 1 own capital at 13.99%, the share of Tier 1 capital at 13.99%

and the total share of capital at 15.66%.

Pursuant to Regulation (EU) No. 2017/2395 of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No. 575/2013 as amended, the Bank decided to apply transitional arrangements for mitigating the impact of the application of IFRS 9 to own funds over the five-year transitional period.

The structure of the Bank's regulatory capital is as follows:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Tier 1 capital	119 985	123 396
Tier 1 own capital	119 985	123 396
Capital instruments allowable as Tier 1 own capital	126 591	126 591
<i>Repaid capital instruments</i>	126 591	126 591
Profit/(loss) from previous years	(22 051)	(22 051)
<i>Retained earnings/(accumulated losses) from previous years</i>	(22 051)	(18 079)
<i>Allowable gain or (-) loss</i>	-	(3 972)
Other provisions	5 034	5 034
(-) Intangible assets	(10 821)	(9 884)
(+/-) Other items increasing/(decreasing) the amount of Tier 1 own capital	21 232	23 706
Tier 1 supplementary capital	-	-
Tier 2 capital	14 375	18 375
<i>Repaid capital instruments and subordinated debt</i>	14 375	18 375
<i>Positive revaluation reserves</i>	-	-
(-) Other items decreasing the amount of Tier 2 capital	-	-
<b>Regulatory capital</b>	<b>134 360</b>	<b>141 771</b>
<b>Proportion of own capital (CET1) to risk-weighted assets</b>	<b>13.99%</b>	<b>14.43%</b>
<b>Proportion of Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets</b>	<b>13.99%</b>	<b>14.43%</b>
<b>Total proportion of capital to risk-weighted assets</b>	<b>15.66%</b>	<b>16.58%</b>

### 33. Supplementary Data to Statements of Cash Flows

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Cash, due from banks and balances with NBS except for mandatory minimum reserve	171 344	148 140
Deposits with other banks, falling due within three months	8	2
Due to banks, falling due within three months	(22 588)	(161)
<b>Total cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>148 764</b>	<b>147 981</b>

Significant non-cash movements excluded from cash flows are as follows:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Write-off and assignments of loans (Note 6)	(16 345)	(19 324)

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### 34. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

A financial instrument means any arrangement that entitles the entity to obtain cash or other financial assets from a counterparty (financial asset), or which binds the entity to pay cash or to provide other financial assets to a counterparty (financial liability).

Financial instruments are recorded by the Bank in the trading or banking book. The trading book includes those positions in financial instruments that are held by the Bank for trading purposes – short-term sale, and to achieve income from actual or expected differences between purchase and selling prices or from other changes in prices or interest rates.

The Bank's exposure to risks results from the use of financial instruments. The most significant risks include:

- Credit risk
- Market risk
- Currency risk
- Interest rate risk
- Other price risk
- Liquidity risk
- Operational risk

#### **Risk Management Framework**

The Risk Division is responsible for risk management at the Bank and comprises the Credit Risk Operation Department, Risk Analysis and Regulation Department, Work Out and Monitoring Department, and Market & Operational Risk Department.

The Board of Directors represents a statutory body, including the Bank's executive management, which oversees risk-related issues. The authorities to manage risk are also delegated to the following individual steering committees, which oversee the risks:

- Asset/Liability Management Committee (ALCO)  
Based on monitoring key information on assets and liabilities the ALCO makes decisions and proposes measures in order to optimise the structure of assets and liabilities to achieve maximum profitability of the Bank's own capital within the limits of acceptable risk;
- Risk management committee;
- Monitoring committee;
- Work Out committee; and
- Operational risk management committee (ORC).  
ORC has a control, coordination, advisory and decision-making function in the area of operational risk management. It approves the Bank's approach to various areas of operational risk and has an advisory as well as a decision-making function in the management of continuous operations (the so-called business continuity management) and acts as an emergency team in emergency situations.

The Board of Directors delegates its control over risks to the aforementioned committees in the form of statutes where the members of the steering committees, including their competencies and responsibilities, are designated.

The competencies of the advisory and working bodies are specified in the Board of Directors' instruction: "Signature and Competency Order in OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.". An internal regulation is prepared for each type of risk and defines in detail the competencies and responsibilities of individual bodies of the Bank.

### 35. Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that a client or a counterparty of a financial instrument will fail to meet its contractual obligations, which would expose the Bank to the risk of a financial loss. This risk is predominantly driven by loans advanced to clients, receivables from banks and financial investments. The Bank classifies the level of accepted credit risk using limits for the risks accepted with respect to a single debtor or a group of debtors and with respect to industries.

#### **Measurement of Provisions for Expected Credit Losses**

The Bank identifies and reviews the amount of provisions for provided receivables on a monthly basis as at the reporting date.

The measurement of provisions for expected losses from receivables measured at amortised cost requires the use of complex models and significant assumptions about future economic conditions and credit behaviour.

The identification of expected credit losses reflects the probability-weighted amount of a loss that is based on the assessment of various possible outcomes, taking into account the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions available as at the reporting date without unreasonable costs or disproportionate effort.

The parent bank developed a macroeconomic model with future outlooks, which is tailored for each subsidiary bank in the group. The model defines 5 scenarios with assigned weights. The scenario weights are determined by a combination of statistical analysis and expert judgement, taking into account the range of possible outcomes of each chosen scenario. These forecasts represent its best estimate of the possible outcomes and that they cover any potential non-linearities and asymmetries in the Bank's various portfolios. These outputs are regularly updated by the parent bank on a quarterly basis.

The Bank recognises expected losses from a receivable in the amount equal to a 12-month expected credit loss or equal to the amount of expected credit loss over the entire lifetime of the receivable. The maximum period over which expected

credit losses are measured is the maximum contractual period during which the Bank is exposed to credit risk. If the credit risk has not increased significantly since the initial recognition of the receivable, the Bank recognises 12-month expected losses. For lifetime expected credit losses, the Bank estimates the risk of default of a receivable over its entire expected life. The expected loss is the present value, expressed as a difference between the contractual cash flows and cash flows the Bank expects to receive, which are discounted using the effective interest rate.

The Bank identifies impairment of receivables classified to Stage 1 in the amount of lifetime expected credit losses that result from default events possible in the next 12 months. The Bank identifies impairment of receivables classified to Stage 2 or 3 in the amount of lifetime expected credit losses over the entire lifetime of receivables. More detailed information about the classification of receivables in different stages is provided in section "Loans and Receivables, Impairment of Loans and Receivables" in Note "2. Significant Accounting Principles".

Expected credit losses of non-retail receivables classified in Stage 3 are measured individually by the discounted expected cash flow method for:

- Receivables managed by the Work Out & Monitoring Department, except for low-value loan receivables (micro loans measured on a portfolio basis);
- Receivables not managed by the Work Out & Monitoring Department with an exposure exceeding EUR 0.4 million.

Two scenarios apply to individually-measured receivables: the worst-case scenario and the best-case scenario. Each scenario is weighted by the probability of different expectations of future cash flows, and the final impairment is calculated using the weighted average of both scenarios. The significance of each scenario relies on professional judgment. Each scenario may contain expected cash flows from the business perspective and from the realisation of a collateral, if any.

For other receivables classified to Stage 3 and receivables classified to Stage 1 and 2, expected credit losses are measured on a portfolio basis. The assessment of credit risk of a portfolio of receivables entails further estimations, such as the probability of default and the associated loss ratios. The Bank assesses credit risk using:

- Probability of default (PD);
- Exposure at default (EAD); and
- Loss given default (LGD).

Forward-looking economic information is also included in determining the probability of default, exposure at default and loss given default over a 12-month period and the expected lifetime of a receivable. These assumptions vary by product type and portfolio. The amount of expected credit losses is the discounted product of the probability of default (PD), loss given default (LGD), exposure at default (EAD) and the discount factor. Effective interest rate is used for discounting.

The probability of default (PD) represents the likelihood of a debtor defaulting on its financial liability over the next 12 months or over the remaining lifetime of the liability. Various statistical methods are used to calculate this probability of default from the point of initial recognition throughout the lifetime of the receivables.

The loss given default (LGD) is usually expressed as a percentage loss per unit of exposure at the time of default. The calculation takes into account primarily loan repayments, expected cash flows from collaterals and the relevant time effects. The calculation varies by the product type and form of collateral. The calculation does not automatically reflect only the observed historical data, but also changes in factors affecting LGD, taking into account macroeconomic effects.

The exposure at default is based on the amounts expected to be due at the time of default, over the next 12 months, or over the remaining lifetime of the receivable. The 12-month and lifetime EADs are determined based on the expected cash flows.

The Bank's calculation includes standard risk parameters, which are methodologically regulated by group standards.

Given the major changes to the calculation of provisions for loan receivables resulting from the adoption of IFRS 9, the level of uncertainty implied by new processes, algorithms, methodology, data sources, and the risk arising from the short term of application of the new methodology, has temporarily increased. To cover the risks of potential understatement of the amount of provisions that may arise from such uncertainty, the Bank decided to temporarily apply a conservative approach, ie maintenance of a conservative cushion in 2018.

In early 2019, the Bank decided to maintain the conservative cushion from the amount of provisions for assets and liabilities, which was used to cover uncertainty-related risks. The uncertainty risk primarily resulted from complex processes related to the implementation of the new provisioning methodology in a relatively short period of time. In 2019, the Bank continued improvements to risk management and focused on the improvement of data quality, data processing and risk parameter calculation. Comprehensive back testing was performed by the parent company. Given the above activities, the Bank released the conservative cushion at the end of 2019 and the effect did not exceed 5% of the amount of portfolio provisions.

In accordance with the parent bank's methodology, the Bank also identifies and reviews the amount of provisions for other Bank assets.

- The measurement of the provisions for expected losses from receivables from different debtors is in line with the methodology set by the parent bank. It is a simplified model for calculating expected losses over the entire lifetime of receivables from other assets, taking into account the average amount of receivables in the specified historical period and the amount of write-offs.

- Expected losses on receivables from securities at amortised cost are identified in a similar manner as for loan receivables.
- Provisions for expected losses on amounts due from banks are measured in line with the methodology set by the parent bank. Amounts due from banks are classified to Stages 1 to 3 in accordance with the set parameters. Provisions for assets are not calculated by the Bank for exposures to central banks and exposures with maturity of up to 3 months.

### ***Policy for Writing-Off of Receivables***

The Bank writes off loans and placements when it receives a document on customer insolvency, a court decision on cessation of a receivable, after the completion of bankruptcy proceedings, if the debtor has died and the receivable cannot be recovered from the heirs, or based on a decision of Bank management to waive collection if collection expenses exceed expected recoveries from the specific receivable, or based on a decision of Bank management to write off such a receivable if only minimal or zero proceeds are expected to be recovered in the long term and the customer is overdue with the loan repayment by more than 1 080 days. The Bank also performs a partial write-off of receivables if a portion of the receivable is not acknowledged in court proceedings for the payment of the receivable (in particular, the standard interest charged after the loan is declared due); or where bankruptcy has been declared over the customer's assets in the form of liquidation of debts if the interest and charges on receivables charged during the year exceed 5% p.a. of the outstanding principal.

### ***Loan Collateral***

The estimated value of collateral is subject to numerous uncertainties and risks. Amounts that may ultimately be realised upon liquidation of collateral for defaulted loans may differ from estimated amounts and the difference may be significant. Collateral represents an estimated amount that the Bank would receive upon the enforcement of the pledge if the loan fails to be recovered in an economic manner.

Fair values of collateral are estimated based on the value of collateral if the determined loan is provided. Collateral is monitored in order to review the current value and quality of collateral over the entire term of loan. Individual forms of collateral are subject to reassessment, whose frequency depends on the type of collateral used and the customer's segment.

In respect of collateral treatment, the Bank pays special attention to the measurement and remeasurement of individual collateral, the calculation of accepted collateral value, specification of collateral permissibility for credit risk mitigation and realisation of collateral if the collateralised loan is defaulted.

The Bank primarily accepts the following types of collateral:

- Financial collateral (cash, securities, etc);
- Immovable assets;
- Movable assets;
- Receivables and inventory.

The Bank uses the following legal instruments:

- Pledge;
- Security transfer of receivables;
- Blocking of cash.

The collateral valuation methodology and collateral remeasurement frequency depend on the type of collateral and minimum criteria pursuant to the valid legislative regulations implemented in the Bank's integral regulations. The measurement of collateral instruments is specific for each type of collateral and the Bank applies an appropriate degree of prudence.

The Bank realises collateral on a case-by-case basis depending on factors such as the current condition and value of collateral, the current amount of the receivable, speed of debt recovery, recovery costs, etc.

The Bank primarily uses the following forms of collateral realisation:

- Voluntary auction;
- Foreclosure proceedings;
- Sale of collateral for the Bank's receivable in bankruptcy or restructuring proceedings;
- Call to subdebtors to pay under pledged trade receivables;
- Enforcement of a promissory note in court;
- Assignment of a receivable; and
- Recovery through external collection agencies based on a mandate agreement.

### ***Criteria for Definition of Default of Loan Receivables***

The Bank has implemented a methodology for default in line with the group definition of default, which is used at the subsidiaries of OTP Bank Nyrt. Hungary.

The Bank considers the following facts as events of default associated with a borrower or transaction:

Objective fact – delayed payments by more than 90 days and such defaults are material:

- Any credit liability of the debtor is overdue by more than 90 days and the amount owed exceeds the materiality level; and/or
- A debtor breaches a defined limit of an overdraft loan facility (the limit was exceeded) and the excess of the limit has lasted continuously for more than 90 days and the amount of the exceeded limit exceeds the materiality level.

Probability of default – probability that a debtor will not be able to fully repay its credit liabilities:

- The financial institution will cease to charge interest on a credit liability;
- The financial institution recognises a specific adjustment to a loan resulting from a clearly significant decrease in the loan's credit quality after an exposure arises for a financial institution;

- The financial institution sold the credit liability with a material loss;
- The financial institution agrees to a forced restructuring of the credit liability;
- Bankruptcy, liquidation, deletion from the register, restructuring by operation of law in relation to the debtor's credit liability to the financial institution, parent company or any of its subsidiaries;
- Other default events such as declaration of early maturity of a receivable, write-off of a receivable, remedial regime, forced administration, court collection of a receivable, filing of a criminal complaint and default of factoring transactions.

When identifying default, the Bank has an absolute materiality limit for retail clients of EUR 50 per exposure and EUR 250 per client for non-retail clients.

The Bank considers all loan receivables where a default event was identified as distressed, impaired and reports them in Stage 3.

### Classification of Risks from Loans and Receivables

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Exposure	Provisions	Coverage by Provisions	Collateral	Coverage by Provisions and Collaterals
<b>Retail loans</b>	<b>718 580</b>	<b>32 845</b>	<b>4.60%</b>	<b>509 958</b>	<b>75.50%</b>
STAGE 1	634 294	3 507	0.60%	464 125	73.70%
STAGE 2	49 565	4 570	9.20%	30 384	70.50%
STAGE 3	34 721	24 768	71.30%	15 449	115.80%
<b>Non-retail loans</b>	<b>466 369</b>	<b>36 871</b>	<b>7.90%</b>	<b>168 327</b>	<b>44.00%</b>
STAGE 1	384 737	3 919	1.00%	128 004	34.30%
STAGE 2	39 198	5 847	14.90%	24 851	78.30%
STAGE 3	42 434	27 105	63.90%	15 472	100.30%
<b>Total balance sheet credit risks</b>	<b>1 184 949</b>	<b>69 716</b>	<b>5.90%</b>	<b>678 285</b>	<b>63.10%</b>
Of which assessed on an individual basis	39 103	24 301	62.10%	14 237	98.60%
Of which assessed on a portfolio basis	1 145 846	45 415	4.00%	664 048	61.90%

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Exposure	Provisions	Coverage by Provisions	Collateral	Coverage by Provisions and Collaterals
<b>Retail loans</b>	<b>731 344</b>	<b>44 185</b>	<b>6.00%</b>	<b>518 796</b>	<b>77.00%</b>
STAGE 1	663 981	6 961	1.00%	481 004	73.50%
STAGE 2	20 707	3 570	17.20%	13 835	84.10%
STAGE 3	46 656	33 654	72.10%	23 957	123.50%
<b>Non-retail loans</b>	<b>479 390</b>	<b>41 709</b>	<b>8.70%</b>	<b>199 367</b>	<b>50.30%</b>
STAGE 1	408 621	6 657	1.60%	163 341	41.60%
STAGE 2	18 131	1 961	10.80%	15 184	94.60%
STAGE 3	52 638	33 091	62.90%	20 842	102.50%
<b>Total balance sheet credit risks</b>	<b>1 210 734</b>	<b>85 894</b>	<b>7.10%</b>	<b>718 163</b>	<b>66.40%</b>
Of which assessed on an individual basis	46 976	28 059	59.70%	19 455	101.10%
Of which assessed on a portfolio basis	1 163 758	57 835	5.00%	698 708	65.00%

As for the credit exposure as at 31 December 2019, 10 major credit exposures amounted to 7% of the total gross amount of loans (31 December 2018: 5% of the total gross amount of loans).

## Exposure to Credit Risk from Loans and Receivables by Business Industries

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Carrying Amount Before Provisions	STG1	STG2	STG3	Provisions	Carrying Amount After Provisions
Electricity generation	49 674	40 010	3 071	6 593	5 755	43 919
Households	718 604	634 294	49 566	34 744	32 845	685 759
Agriculture and food-pro- cessing industry	65 934	54 842	6 432	4 660	4 240	61 694
Trade and services	54 695	46 356	1 470	6 869	5 599	49 096
Metallurgy and machinery	25 100	19 566	5 377	157	904	24 196
Chemical industry	5 046	88	-	4 958	1 816	3 230
Transport and infrastructure	7 395	6 338	24	1 033	330	7 065
Timber and paper production	4 385	3 231	12	1 142	574	3 811
Construction industry	16 695	12 468	3 484	743	1 592	15 103
Real estate	100 574	89 247	3 500	7 827	7 277	93 297
Public administration and defence	19 483	19 483	-	-	42	19 441
Financial services except insurance	1 304	-	484	820	780	524
Other industries	116 060	93 108	15 343	7 609	7 962	108 098
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 184 949</b>	<b>1 019 031</b>	<b>88 763</b>	<b>77 155</b>	<b>69 716</b>	<b>1 115 233</b>
Impairment	-	(7 426)	(10 417)	(51 873)	(69 716)	-
<b>Total:</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1 011 605</b>	<b>78 346</b>	<b>25 282</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1 115 233</b>

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Carrying Amount Before Provisions	STG1	STG2	STG3	Provisions	Carrying Amount After Provisions
Electricity generation	26 291	20 499	1 533	4 259	3 769	22 522
Households	731 592	663 981	20 721	46 890	44 431	687 161
Agriculture and food-pro- cessing industry	69 116	57 809	1 089	10 218	7 757	61 359
Trade and services	77 108	64 584	1 213	11 311	9 657	67 451
Metallurgy and machinery	26 764	25 639	999	126	746	26 018
Chemical industry	5 648	170	-	5 478	1 924	3 724
Transport and infrastructure	8 132	5 589	1 327	1 216	627	7 505
Timber and paper production	4 996	3 980	861	155	254	4 742
Construction industry	20 092	17 329	2 014	749	1 532	18 560
Real estate	102 381	89 586	4 461	8 334	7 268	95 113
Public administration and defence	20 715	20 715	-	-	25	20 690
Financial services except insurance	1 966	442	-	1 524	977	989
Other industries	115 933	102 279	4 620	9 034	6 927	109 006
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 210 734</b>	<b>1 072 602</b>	<b>38 838</b>	<b>99 294</b>	<b>85 894</b>	<b>1 124 840</b>
Impairment	-	(13 618)	(5 531)	(66 745)	(85 894)	-
<b>Total:</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1 058 984</b>	<b>33 307</b>	<b>32 549</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1 124 840</b>

As at 31 December 2019, the Bank reported a developer project portfolio in the amount of EUR 8 390 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 9 566 thousand) and created provisions both on a portfolio basis and on an individual basis in the amount of EUR 52 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 133 thousand) and EUR 4 411 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 4 153 thousand), respectively

## Information on Credit Quality of Selected Categories of the Bank's Financial Assets

The table below summarises the quantitative structure of corporate loans by rating category:

Rating Class (EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019			
	STG1	STG2	STG3	Spolu
Corporate loans				
1 (lowest risk of primary recoverability of a loan)	15 018	-	-	15 018
2	4 206	-	-	4 206
3	6 732	-	-	6 732
4	15 458	-	-	15 458
5	29 137	-	-	29 137
6	74 871	521	-	75 392
7	141 488	4 767	-	146 255
8	-	19 286	-	19 286
9	1 299	2 309	-	3 608
10	-	-	42 323	42 323
N/A	95 788	12 274	-	108 062
<b>Total corporate loans</b>	<b>383 997</b>	<b>39 157</b>	<b>42 323</b>	<b>465 477</b>

As requested by the parent bank, new rules were implemented in 3Q 2019 to assess the application rating of non-retail clients. As the new rules are being introduced gradually, a portion of the loan portfolio has not yet been assigned a rating based on the new scale as at 31 December 2019. These include "Specialized lending" (EUR 94 493 thousand) and "Micro" (EUR 13 569 thousand) portfolios. The interpretation of individual rating classes is defined in the table below:

Risk Level	Category	Interpretation
Low risk	1, 2, 3	Low risk is expected
Medium risk	4, 5	Medium risk is expected
High risk	6, 7	Higher risk is expected. A customer rated as "start-up" is classified in category 7
Extremely high risk	8, 9, 10	Usually, no new exposure for a customer is supported. If any negative customer-related information is detected during interim filtering, the customer rating is category 9. In the event of default events, the customer rating is category 10.

The table below summarises the quantitative structure of corporate loans by new rules implemented for the period ended 31 December 2018:

Rating Class (EUR '000)	31 Dec 2018			
	STG1	STG2	STG3	Spolu
Corporate loans				
I (lowest risk of primary recoverability of a loan)	1 777	-	-	1 777
II	3 766	-	-	3 766
III	7 490	-	-	7 490
IV	22 919	-	-	22 919
V	43 059	-	-	43 059
VI	52 011	944	-	52 955
VII	146 537	2 411	-	148 948
VIII	39 645	3 249	-	42 894
IX	7 219	-	-	7 219
X	-	-	46 615	46 615
N/A	83 614	11 144	3 979	98 737
<b>Total corporate loans</b>	<b>408 037</b>	<b>17 748</b>	<b>50 594</b>	<b>476 379</b>

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The tables above only includes non-retail receivables, where the customers are subject to the rating tool. Retail receivables have scoring values assigned that are assessed based on the application data of an applicant – natural person and are used to assign risk parameters to a specific loan. The rating process for retail receivables differs from the rating process for non-retail receivables and these two rating systems are not comparable.

The table below summarises the quantitative structure of placements with other banks, loans to other banks by rating category:

Rating Class (EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
I	-	-
II	980	-
III	59	217
IV	-	-
V	-	-
VI	51	-
VII	-	-
VIII	-	-
Non-classified	(4)	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 086</b>	<b>219</b>

The table below summarises the quantitative structure of financial assets measured at fair value (except investments in companies) by rating category:

Rating Class (EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
I	-	-
II	-	-
III	-	-
IV	8 322	8 271
V	-	-
VI	-	-
VII	-	-
VIII	-	-
Non-classified	2 289	1 565
<b>Total</b>	<b>10 611</b>	<b>9 836</b>

The table below contains the quantitative structure of debt securities at amortised cost by rating category:

Rating Class (EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
I	-	-
II	72 943	73 126
III	10 424	10 484
IV	-	-
V	-	-
VI	-	-
VII	-	-
VIII	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>83 367</b>	<b>83 610</b>

Financial assets measured at fair value and debt securities measured at amortised cost were classified in rating categories based on ratings from international rating agencies (Moody's, Standard & Poor's, Fitch Ratings)

## Summary of Individual Forms of Collateral by Loan Portfolio Classification at a Claimable Value of Collateral

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Form of Collateral								Total
	Liens				Other Collaterals				
	Immovable Assets	Securities	Movable Assets	Trade Receivables	State Guarantees	Bank Guarantees	Guarantees of Other Parties	Money	
Assessed on an individual basis									
STG1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
STG2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
STG3	13 056	-	574	-	-	-	-	607	14 237
Total	13 056	-	574	-	-	-	-	607	14 237
Assessed on a portfolio basis									-
STG1	574 542	-	10 553	-	-	578	1 304	5 152	592 129
STG2	52 072	-	2 661	-	-	-	397	106	55 236
STG3	16 506	-	-	-	-	-	142	35	16 683
Total	643 120	-	13 214	-	-	578	1 843	5 293	664 048
Total value of received collateral for the loan portfolio	656 176	-	13 788	-	-	578	1 843	5 900	678 285

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Form of Collateral								Total
	Liens			Other Collaterals					
	Immovable Assets	Securities	Movable Assets	Trade Receivables	State Guarantees	Bank Guarantees	Guarantees of Other Parties	Money	
Assessed on an individual basis									
STG1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
STG2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
STG3	16 250	-	1 932	1 273	-	-	-	-	19 455
Total	16 250	-	1 932	1 273	-	-	-	-	19 455
Assessed on a portfolio basis									
STG1	613 319	-	18 254	5 878	-	587	3 861	2 446	644 344
STG2	25 771	-	3 156	-	-	-	89	3	29 019
STG3	25 111	-	-	-	-	-	233	-	25 345
STG3	664 201	-	21 410	5 878	-	587	4 183	-	698 708
Total value of received collateral for the loan portfolio	680 451	-	23 342	7 151	-	-	4 183	2 449	718 163

Note: The total amount of secured loans and receivables is higher than the total fair value of received collateral, as in the case of some loans the fair value of received collateral does not cover the total amount of a loan receivable. In accordance with the parent bank's methodology, the Bank only assesses non-retail loans classified to Stage 3 on an individual basis

As at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018, the Bank did not record any receivables in its loan portfolio over which a pledge would be established or receivables with a restricted right of handling.

### Concentration of Credit Risk to the Slovak Republic

The following table presents the Bank's credit risk to the Slovak Republic, companies controlled by the Slovak government, municipalities, and similar exposures:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019		31 Dec 2018	
	Amount	Portion of Total Assets	Amount	Portion of Total Assets
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	123 230	8.60%	97 584	6.91%
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	19 441	1.35%	20 690	1.47%
Debt securities at amortised cost	72 943	5.09%	73 126	5.18%
<b>Total</b>	<b>215 614</b>	<b>15.04%</b>	<b>191 400</b>	<b>13.56%</b>

### Concentration of Credit Risk to other EU Member States

The following table presents the Bank's credit risk to other member states of the European Union:

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019		31 Dec 2018	
	Amount	Portion of Total Assets	Amount	Portion of Total Assets
Debt securities at amortised cost	10 424	0.73%	10 484	0.74%
<b>Total</b>	<b>10 424</b>	<b>0.73%</b>	<b>10 484</b>	<b>0.74%</b>

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## Maximum Exposure to Credit Risk

The following table provides an overview of the Bank's maximum exposure to credit risk, regardless of any held collateral or other mitigation of credit risk resulting from financial instruments (assets):

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2019			
	STG1	STG2	STG3	Total
Due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	134 841	-	-	134 841
Loans and receivables, gross	1 019 031	88 763	77 155	1 184 949
Debt securities, gross	83 392	-	-	83 392
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	8 322	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	2 295	-	-	2 295
<b>Subtotal of balance sheet risks</b>	<b>1 247 881</b>	<b>88 763</b>	<b>77 155</b>	<b>1 413 799</b>
Guarantees issued	31 113	-	-	31 113
Issued letters of credit	807	-	-	807
Loan commitments to clients	55 927	-	-	55 927
<b>Subtotal of off-balance sheet risks</b>	<b>87 847</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>87 847</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 335 728</b>	<b>88 763</b>	<b>77 155</b>	<b>1 501 646</b>

(EUR '000)	31 Dec 2018			
	STG1	STG2	STG3	Total
Due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	116 696	-	-	116 696
Loans and receivables, gross	1 072 602	38 838	99 294	1 210 734
Debt securities, gross	83 636	-	-	83 636
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	8 271	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	1 571	-	-	1 571
<b>Subtotal of balance sheet risks</b>	<b>1 282 776</b>	<b>38 838</b>	<b>99 294</b>	<b>1 420 908</b>
Guarantees issued	28 763	-	-	28 763
Issued letters of credit	-	-	-	-
Loan commitments to clients	56 672	-	-	56 672
<b>Subtotal of off-balance sheet risks</b>	<b>85 435</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>85 435</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 368 211</b>	<b>38 838</b>	<b>99 294</b>	<b>1 506 343</b>

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## 36. Market Risk

The Bank is exposed to market risks. Market risks arise from open positions in transactions with interest rate, foreign exchange, and equity instruments, all of which are exposed to general and specific market changes. The Bank does not undertake any transactions with gold, precious metals or other commodities.

### **Market Risk Management**

The Bank's principal risks include currency (foreign exchange) risks and interest rate risk.

The Bank categorises its financial instruments into the trading portfolio (trading book) or the non-trading portfolio (banking book) reflecting the purpose for which the financial instruments have been acquired.

The trading book includes positions arising from selected banking instruments acquired by the Bank with a view to generating short-term profits from the difference between the purchase and sale price. All other positions in financial instruments are carried in the banking book.

The Bank has established maximum exposure limits to selected counterparties (banks). The counterparty limit is split into the credit limit, settlement limit and pre-settlement limit depending on the type of undertaken transactions.

### **Currency Risk**

Currency risk is the risk that the value of financial instruments will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

To analyse foreign currency risk sensitivity, the Bank uses the historical simulation method of Value-at-Risk (VaR) methodology. To calculate VaR, the Bank opted for a 99% confidence level, a one-year historical database of daily EUR/foreign currency movements, and a 1-day time limit. The VaR reflects the potential loss that will not be exceeded in 99% of overnight movements in foreign exchange rates.

The set of currency risk limits consists of the following restrictions in respect of the Bank's open positions:

- Overnight limits
- Intraday limits
- VaR limit
- Daily stop-loss limit
- Stress test limit

## Net Foreign Exchange Position

The table below provides an analysis of the Bank's foreign currency exposures in primary currencies for selected categories of asset and liability:

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	EUR	USD	HUF	Other Currencies	Total
<b>Assets</b>					
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	163 409	1 250	10 181	7 615	182 455
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	1 086	-	-	-	1 086
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	1 115 074	65	94	-	1 115 233
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	83 367	-	-	-	83 367
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	8 322	-	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	6	2 289	-	-	2 295
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	150 725	-	1	2 581	153 307
Amounts due to customers	1 042 531	9 094	9 411	4 312	1 065 348
Liabilities from debt securities	45 110	-	-	-	45 110
Subordinated debt	27 027	-	-	-	27 027
<b>Net currency exposure at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>105 871</b>	<b>(5 490)</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>101 966</b>

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	EUR	USD	HUF	Other Currencies	Total
<b>Assets</b>					
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	131 634	5 336	11 513	6 241	154 724
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	219	-	-	-	219
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	1 124 582	121	136	1	1 124 840
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	83 610	-	-	-	83 610
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	8 271	-	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	6	1 565	-	-	1 571
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	48 592	1	-	146	48 739
Amounts due to customers	1 093 610	9 902	11 121	5 738	1 120 371
Liabilities from debt securities	85 105	-	-	-	85 105
Subordinated debt	27 032	-	-	-	27 032
<b>Net currency exposure at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>93 983</b>	<b>(2 881)</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>91 988</b>

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### **Interest Rate Risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that the net current value of financial instruments will change due to changes in market interest rates. An interest rate risk is a risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates and the risk that the maturity of interest-accruing assets will differ from the maturity of interest-bearing liabilities used to finance these assets. Hence, the period for which the interest rate is attached to the financial instrument shows the extent to which this instrument is exposed to the interest rate risk.

In the classification of interest-rate sensitive assets and liabilities by time bands, the Bank uses a statistical model for the classification of deposits without contractual maturity and loans with an administrative (floating) interest rate. The model is based on the calculation of a minimal margin from correlations between market interest rates and the interest rates of individual deposit and loan products.

In monitoring interest rate risk the Bank uses the following limits for the interest rate risk inherent in the trading book and for the interest rate risk inherent in the banking book:

#### ***Limits for the Interest Rate Risk Inherent in the Trading Book:***

- Trading book position limit
- Duration-position limit

#### ***Limits for the Interest Rate Risk Inherent in the Banking Book:***

- Interest rate risk limit (interest rate shock scenarios)
- The interest rate risk limit upon a change in the shape of the yield curve for the whole portfolio (jointly the banking book and the trading book))



### Classification of Interest Rate Sensitive Assets and Liabilities by Time Band

The tables below provide an analysis of the selected categories of assets and liabilities by time bands according to interest rate sensitivity. Assets and liabilities that are not sensitive to interest rates are classified as “not specified”..

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	On Call	Up to 3 Months	From 3 to 12 Months	From 1 Year to 5 Years	From 5 Years and Over	Not Specified	Total
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	133 752	-	-	-	-	48 703	182 455
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	-	1 032	48	-	-	6	1 086
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	-	356 790	161 123	544 087	35 620	17 613	1 115 233
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	-	1 775	96	81 496	-	-	83 367
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	8 322	-	-	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-	2 295	2 295
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	7	147 578	5 719	-	-	3	153 307
Amounts due to customers	227 164	117 349	199 456	376 176	135 096	10 107	1 065 348
Liabilities from debt securities	-	-	110	45 000	-	-	45 110
Subordinated debt	-	27 027	-	-	-	-	27 027
<b>Interest rate risk at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>(93 419)</b>	<b>75 965</b>	<b>(44 018)</b>	<b>204 407</b>	<b>(99 476)</b>	<b>58 507</b>	<b>101 966</b>
<b>31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)</b>	<b>On Call</b>	<b>Up to 3 Months</b>	<b>From 3 to 12 Months</b>	<b>From 1 Year to 5 Years</b>	<b>From 5 Years and Over</b>	<b>Not Specified</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Assets</b>							
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	25 477	91 000	-	-	-	38 247	154 724
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	-	217	-	-	-	2	219
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	-	372 228	248 942	451 569	34 708	17 393	1 124 840
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	-	1 776	96	71 350	10 388	-	83 610
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	8 271	-	-	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	-	1 571	1 571
<b>Liabilities</b>							
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	12	40 147	8 578	-	-	2	48 739
Amounts due to customers	312 850	132 214	212 350	278 283	171 524	13 150	1 120 371
Liabilities from debt securities	-	39 995	110	45 000	-	-	85 105
Subordinated debt	-	27 032	-	-	-	-	27 032
<b>Interest rate risk at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>(287 385)</b>	<b>234 104</b>	<b>28 000</b>	<b>199 636</b>	<b>(126 428)</b>	<b>44 061</b>	<b>91 988</b>

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## Interest Rate Risk Sensitivity Analysis

An analysis of interest rate risk sensitivity is based on the assumption of a shift of the yield curve by 100 base points during the following 2.5 years (straight-line). Therefore, assets and liabilities with residual maturities over 2.5 years will not

have an impact on the Bank's economic value. For a potential decrease in the economic value in the event of a change in the yield curve shape (shift of the yield curve by 100 bp, which will have a linear effect on the yield curve shape within 2.5 years; there is no change in the yield curve shape over 2.5 years) the Bank set a limit of 5% of Tier 1 capital.

Portfolio EUR	Up to 1 Month	Up to 3 Month	Up to 6 Month	Up to 12 Month	Up to 2 Years	Up to 3 Years	Up to 4 Years	Up to 5 Years	Up to 7 Years	Up to 10 Years	Up to 15 Years	Over 15 Years
Net balance sheet position of Banking Book	43 788	(48 260)	(13 926)	(27 575)	(76 919)	83 848	133 078	64 399	(49 355)	(50 513)	388	4
Net off-balance sheet position of Banking Book	(5 308)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Banking Book GAP, total	38 480	(48 260)	(13 926)	(27 575)	(76 919)	83 848	133 078	64 399	(49 355)	(50 513)	388	4
Weight factor	0.04%	0.15%	0.31%	0.50%	0.55%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Weighted positions (total GAP x weight factor)	15	(72)	(43)	(138)	(423)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

In the EUR portfolio, unfavourable movements in interest rates would have a negative impact on the Bank's economic value in the amount of EUR 661 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 54 thousand).

In the USD portfolio, unfavourable movements in interest rates would have a negative impact on the Bank's economic value in the amount of EUR 12 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 13 thousand).

In the CZK portfolio, unfavourable interest rate movements would have a negative impact on the Bank's economic value in the amount of EUR 2 thousand (31 December 2018: EUR 1).

The overall impact on the Bank's economic value in all portfolios (USD, EUR, CZK, and other foreign currencies) represents a decrease by EUR 679 thousand (31 December 2018: decrease by EUR 71 thousand) due to unfavourable movements in all interest rates. When using the same scenario for the trading portfolio, there is no impact on the Bank's profit/loss as at 31 December 2019 (31 December 2018: nil effect).

### **Other Price Risks**

Under the IFRS definition, other price risks represent the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market prices (other than changes arising from the interest rate risk or currency risks) irrespective of whether these changes are attributable to the factors that are specific for the individual financial instrument or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded on the market.

Other price risks within the Bank primarily include equity and commodity risks. The Bank is not an active player on the equity or commodity markets and hence other price risks are immaterial.

### **37. Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Bank will encounter difficulties in raising funds to meet commitments associated with financial instruments. The Bank monitors its liquidity based on expected cash inflows and cash outflows and manages the liquidity risk by building highly-liquid assets portfolios.

The net on-balance sheet liquidity position represents the extent to which the Bank may be required to provide funding to settle its liabilities associated with financial instruments. The Bank maintains its liquidity profile in accordance with the requirements of the National Bank of Slovakia. The following tables show an analysis of the assets, liabilities and equity according to their maturities, reflecting the remaining period between the reporting date and the contractual maturity date.

This analysis was prepared on the basis of the most prudent consideration of maturity dates in cases where the repayment schedules facilitate earlier repayment. The assets and liabilities that could not be included into the relevant time buckets according to the residual maturity are reported in the 'from 5 years and over' category. Liabilities to clients due within one month principally include current accounts from which the clients are authorised to make withdrawals at call. The Bank's historical experience suggests, however, that these accounts represent a stable source of funding.

**Classification of Balance Sheet Assets and Liabilities into Time Bands per Residual Maturity as at 31 December 2019**

(EUR '000)	Within 1 Month	From 1 Month to 3 Months	From 3 to 12 Months	From 1 Year to 5 Years	From 5 Years and Over	Total
<b>Assets</b>						
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	182 455	-	-	-	-	182 455
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	8	-	-	1 078	-	1 086
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	32 545	32 686	144 555	380 401	525 046	1 115 233
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	-	1 775	96	81 496	-	83 367
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	35	8 287	-	-	8 322
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	2 295	2 295
Non-current tangible assets	-	-	-	-	21 083	21 083
Non-current intangible assets	-	-	-	-	10 821	10 821
Current tax asset	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deferred tax asset	-	-	-	5 088	-	5 088
Other assets	902	245	298	2	2 297	3 744
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>215 910</b>	<b>34 741</b>	<b>153 236</b>	<b>468 065</b>	<b>561 542</b>	<b>1 433 494</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
Liabilities to banks, contributions of the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	2 588	20 000	127 862	2 857	-	153 307
Liabilities to customers	887 120	38 528	112 387	25 375	1 938	1 065 348
Liabilities from debt securities	-	-	110	45 000	-	45 110
Subordinated debt	-	27	-	20 000	7 000	27 027
Financial liabilities held for trading	2	-	-	-	-	2
Provisions for liabilities	-	709	521	2 903	-	4 133
Other liabilities	12 731	74	11 167	-	-	23 972
Equity	-	-	-	-	114 595	114 595
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>902 441</b>	<b>59 338</b>	<b>252 047</b>	<b>96 135</b>	<b>123 533</b>	<b>1 433 494</b>
<b>Net balance sheet position of liquidity as at 31 December 2019</b>	<b>(686 531)</b>	<b>(24 597)</b>	<b>(98 811)</b>	<b>371 930</b>	<b>438 009</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cumulative net balance-sheet position of liquidity as at 31 December 2019</b>						
	<b>(686 531)</b>	<b>(711 128)</b>	<b>(809 939)</b>	<b>(438 009)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

The classification of balance-sheet assets and liabilities into time bands per residual maturity as at 31 December 2019 represents a GAP of EUR -686 million in the within 1-month time band (31 December 2018: EUR -711 million). The difference in the residual maturity of assets and liabilities due within 1 month is mainly caused by the classification of all non-term deposits and current accounts of clients into this time band. In terms of the estimated maturity based on the standard behaviour of the Bank's clients, the net balance-sheet position of liquidity within one month is positive in the amount of EUR 129 million (31 December 2018: EUR 96 million). The Bank continuously complied with all the measures stipulated by the NBS as regards this area during the entire period under review in 2019.

**Classification of Balance Sheet Assets and Liabilities into Time Bands per Residual Maturity as at 31 December 2018**

(EUR '000)	Within 1 Month	From 1 Month to 3 Months	From 3 to 12 Months	From 1 Year to 5 Years	From 5 Years and Over	Total
<b>Assets</b>						
Cash, due from banks and balances with the National Bank of Slovakia	154 724	-	-	-	-	154 724
Placements with other banks, loans to other banks, net of provisions for expected losses	2	-	217	-	-	219
Loans and receivables, net of provisions for expected losses	24 565	37 822	145 127	393 751	523 575	1 124 840
Debt securities at amortised cost, net of provisions for expected losses	-	1 776	96	71 350	10 388	83 610
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	-	36	8 235	-	-	8 271
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-	1 571	1 571
Non-current tangible assets	-	-	-	-	19 406	19 406
Non-current intangible assets	-	-	-	-	9 884	9 884
Current tax asset	-	-	499	-	-	499
Deferred tax asset	-	-	-	5 406	-	5 406
Other assets	1 026	298	302	28	1 709	3 363
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>180 317</b>	<b>39 932</b>	<b>154 476</b>	<b>470 535</b>	<b>566 533</b>	<b>1 411 793</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
Liabilities to banks, contributions of the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	161	-	42 864	5 714	-	48 739
Liabilities to customers	881 196	46 496	145 626	45 394	1 659	1 120 371
Liabilities from debt securities	-	39 995	110	45 000	-	85 105
Subordinated debt	-	32	-	20 000	7 000	27 032
Financial liabilities held for trading	17	-	-	-	-	17
Provisions for liabilities	-	1 000	511	2 711	-	4 222
Other liabilities	10 385	-	4 350	-	-	14 735
Equity	-	-	-	-	111 572	111 572
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>891 759</b>	<b>87 523</b>	<b>193 461</b>	<b>118 819</b>	<b>120 231</b>	<b>1 411 793</b>
<b>Net balance sheet position of liquidity as at 31 December 2018</b>	<b>(711 442)</b>	<b>(47 591)</b>	<b>(38 985)</b>	<b>351 716</b>	<b>446 302</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cumulative net balance-sheet position of liquidity as at 31 December 2018</b>	<b>(711 442)</b>	<b>(759 033)</b>	<b>(798 018)</b>	<b>(446 302)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

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**Classification of Selected Off-balance Sheet Liabilities into Time Bands per Residual Maturity**

31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)	Within 1 Month	From 1 Month to 3 Months	From 3 to 12 Months	From 1 Year to 5 Years	From 5 Years and Over	Total
Future loans granted	55 927	-	-	-	-	55 927
Guarantees issued (excluding commitments for guarantees)	2 876	850	13 133	6 128	954	23 941
Issued letters of credit	-	-	807	-	-	807
Liabilities from spot transactions	3 152	-	-	-	-	3 152
Liabilities from forward transactions with a financial transfer	-	-	-	-	-	-
Provided guarantees from pledges	75 769	-	-	-	-	75 769
<b>Total as at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>137 724</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>13 940</b>	<b>6 128</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>159 596</b>

31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)	Within 1 Month	From 1 Month to 3 Months	From 3 to 12 Months	From 1 Year to 5 Years	From 5 Years and Over	Total
Future loans granted	56 672	-	-	-	-	56 672
Guarantees issued (excluding commitments for guarantees)	2 030	1 979	12 822	3 785	1 354	21 970
Issued letters of credit	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liabilities from spot transactions	230	-	-	-	-	230
Liabilities from forward transactions with a financial transfer	-	-	-	-	-	-
Provided guarantees from pledges	77 539	-	-	-	-	77 539
<b>Total as at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>136 471</b>	<b>1 979</b>	<b>12 822</b>	<b>3 785</b>	<b>1 354</b>	<b>156 411</b>

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**Classification of Non-discounted Future Cash Flows from Financial Liabilities into Time Bands per Residual Maturity**

<b>31 Dec 2019 (EUR '000)</b>	<b>Within 1 Year</b>	<b>From 1 Year to 5 Years</b>	<b>From 5 Years</b>	<b>Adjustment</b>	<b>Total</b>
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks		Adjustment	Total	129	153 307
Amounts due to customers	1 038 214	25 406	1 938	(210)	1 065 348
Liabilities from issued debt securities	830	21 505	7 189	(2 497)	27 027
Subordinated debts	219	45 219	-	(328)	45 110
<b>Total as at 31 Dec 2019</b>	<b>1 189 584</b>	<b>94 987</b>	<b>9 127</b>	<b>(2 906)</b>	<b>1 290 792</b>

<b>31 Dec 2018 (EUR '000)</b>	<b>Within 1 Year</b>	<b>From 1 Yea to 5 Years</b>	<b>From 5 Years and Over</b>	<b>Adjustment</b>	<b>Total</b>
Due to banks and deposits from the National Bank of Slovakia and other banks	42 999	5 714	-	26	48 739
Amounts due to customers	1 073 602	45 511	1 661	(403)	1 120 371
Liabilities from issued debt securities	40 206	45 437	-	(538)	85 105
Subordinated debts	828	22 156	7 476	(3 428)	27 032
<b>Total as at 31 Dec 2018</b>	<b>1 157 635</b>	<b>118 818</b>	<b>9 137</b>	<b>(4 343)</b>	<b>1 281 247</b>

Note: Non-discounted future cash flows arising from interest are included in individual categories of financial liabilities. A difference between the carrying amount of financial liabilities and their contractual non-discounted cash flows is disclosed in the Adjustment Column



### 38. Operational Risk

The Bank defines operational risk as the risk of loss arising from the inappropriateness or failure of internal processes in the Bank, human error, the failure of systems used by the Bank or the risk of loss arising from external events. Operational risk also includes legal risk, ie the risk of loss primarily due to a failure to enforce contracts, the threat of unsuccessful legal disputes or court rulings with adverse impacts and model risk, ie the risk of loss resulting from decisions that could be based on outputs of internal models due to errors in the development, implementation or use of such models.

Operational risk management is addressed in the Instructions of the Board of Directors entitled "Procedures for Operational Risk Management", which provide guidance on identifying, estimating, monitoring and mitigating operational risks. The Bank's principal objectives and principles in managing operational risks and the method of calculating capital requirements for operational risks are outlined in the "Risk Management Strategy" document. Market & Operational Risks department ensures compliance with the operational risk management requirements, processes and techniques and coordinates the development of basic principles and the development and maintenance of consistent methodology for identifying, monitoring, assessing and mitigating operational risks.

The Bank's objective is to map operational risks in all processes and business activities and, based on an understanding and analysis thereof, to adopt effective measures to mitigate the impacts of operational risks and to improve process quality while sustaining the Bank's competitiveness. The key aspect of the operational risks management system is an active cooperation between process owners and all organisational units of

the Bank, wide awareness, communication of information and understanding of the tasks assigned. The Bank has strictly-defined competencies and responsibilities for the respective work procedures in the operational risks area.

The Operational Risk Management Committee is responsible for coordinating the operational risk management system. Operational risks reports are regularly submitted to the ALCO, the Bank's and parent company's managements and the regulator. Undesired disruptions of the Bank's activities and protection of critical processes from the consequences of serious errors and unforeseen events are covered by the Bank's business continuity plans.

In the regular self-assessment process, the Bank analyses significant sources of risk that the Bank is facing, identifies new risks and estimates the impact and likelihood of the origin thereof. The Bank adopts measures to mitigate and eliminate operational risks while considering efficiency and cost effectiveness of proposed measures in respect of the respective process efficiency. In addition to the self-assessment of risks, the Bank uses also other instruments for the operational risk management, such as the system of Key Indicators of Risk and Scenario Analysis.

Based on prior approval granted by the NBS to use the Advanced Measurement Approach and Operational Risk Management (AMA), the Bank as a member of the OTP Group has been calculating the capital requirement to cover operational risk using an advanced approach and the Group model since September 2015. All internal and external data, business environment factors, scenario analysis results and KRI results are entered in the model in a quantitative manner as a post-correction factor.

### 39. Earnings/(Loss) Per Share

The earnings/(loss) per share attributable to ordinary shares of the Bank are computed as net profit for the relevant year attributable to the ordinary share-holders divided by weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year as follows:

	Note	31 Dec 2019	31 Dec 2018
Profit/(loss) (in EUR '000)		2 297	(3 972)
Profit/(loss) for the reporting period attributable to ordinary share-holder (in EUR '000)		2 297	(3 972)
<b>Profit/(loss) per share</b>			
<b>At face value of EUR 3.98 (in EUR)</b>			
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	18	11 503 458	11 503 458
<b>At face value of EUR 39 832.70 (in EUR)</b>			
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	18	570	570
<b>At face value of EUR 1.00 (in EUR)</b>			
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	18	58 102 310	44 342 957

The notes to the separate financial statements form an integral part of the financial statements.

#### 40. Settlement of Loss for the Preceding Reporting Period

The General Meeting of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s. was held on 4 April 2019. The General Meeting approved the separate financial statements for 2018 and the settlement of the loss for 2018 as follows:

Settlement of the loss for 2018 (EUR '000)	
Profit/(loss) for 2018 – loss	(3 972)
Settlement:	
- Profit/(loss) from previous years	(3 972)

#### 41. Proposed Distribution of a Profit for the Current Reporting Period

Proposed distribution of the profit for 2019 (EUR '000)	
The profit/(loss) for 2019 – profit:	2 297
Allotment to:	
- Legal reserve fund	230
- Profit/(loss) from previous years	2 067

The proposed distribution of the profit for 2019 is subject to approval by the General Meeting of OTP Banka Slovensko, a.s.

#### 42. Events After the Reporting Date

The Bank expects, that the majority shareholder of the Bank will change in 2020. As at the reporting date negotiations about the potential divestment of OTP Bank Nyrt.'s 99.44% share in the Bank are in progress, but a Share Purchase Agreement was not signed yet. Thus, as at the reporting date, the majority shareholder of the Bank is OTP Bank Nyrt. with 99.44% share of the Bank's share capital.

As at the date of the authorisation of these financial statements, the Bank's management has no information available as to the impact of the potential change in the ownership on the future activities of the Bank, future plans and strategy, or the future financing of the Bank's activities. These financial statements include no adjustments which could result from the sales process, nor adjustments which could result from changes in the scope of activities or strategy of the Bank resulting in changes to the classification or valuation of assets and liabilities.

